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# The Time Interval Only Set, Part 1

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**Abstract:** A time interval only description necessarily needs its own independent definitions, without one moment time coordinates to it. In this paper derived are time interval only set properties, including commutation relations, addition, multiplication and derivatives. Time interval only set commutation relations, consistent with one moment time set properties, are introduced by defining correspondence relations for these sets. Time development and equilibrium within the time interval description depend on the well-known 'mean velocity theorem' and the time interval version of the Legendre transform. In contrast, usually applied is only the traditional vector and one moment time coordinate kinematic approach from Newton's laws. The main results of this paper are correspondences and time interval only set commutation relations. All other properties are derived from these results, while for the time interval only set, different from the one moment time set the canonical property is not valid. The time interval only description can be applied assuming spherical symmetric star-source radiation propagation, with finite time intervals for realistic measurement events. From time development with (a-)symmetry of time intervals, and from Curie's principle, change can be described with a set theoretic approach. Time interval only set properties include the time interval only version of Noether charges and structure constants. A time interval only description for wave propagation, including group-velocity, for zero and non-zero mass wave particles, relates to the properties of the time interval only set. A second result in terms of the time interval only description is propagation wave energy equivalence with gravitation energy, derived from time interval only set commutation relations. A time interval approach, however including one moment time description dependence, was introduced in earlier publications of this author. In part 1 investigated are the time interval only set and its properties, a forthcoming part 2 to application of the time interval only description to specific groups of stars as emission sources.

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## 1. Introduction

### 1.1. Introduction and Results

The time interval only description is a new approach to time development, and differs from the Newtonian kinematic and one moment time coordinate description, due to the application of only time intervals and of 'mean velocity' theorem (TE) equilibrium which differs from Lagrange equilibrium. With finite events, like realistic measurement events, in this paper, meant is introducing a relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$ . This is a finite time interval, even without interference or interaction during the event. Traditionally, rather than interval related, with an event is meant a one moment time coordinate space-time event, with one-value event coordinates and derivatives in affine 4-dim. universe (Arnold, 1974).

For a time interval only description including star-source radiation assumed are spherical symmetric star-like emission sources, and finite wave average group-velocity to be able to introduce propagation surfaces and a propagation surface related relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$ . Remaining within the time interval description, quantities can be t-quantity, variable with one moment time coordinate  $t$  during time interval  $\Delta t$ , or  $\Delta t$ -quantity, with  $\Delta t$  the variable, evidently invariant for  $\Delta t$  and independent of one moment time  $t$ .

For symmetric time intervals the results for the time interval description are the same as for the usual one moment time description, from Newtonian kinematics and with Hamiltonian  $H$  time

independent, e. g. by ref. (Goldstein, 1950; Arnold, 1974). Time interval  $\Delta t$  symmetry implies it has infinite measure, asymmetric  $\Delta t$  implies a finite measure. Several of the arguments to develop a time interval only description besides the existing one moment time description have been discussed extensively in earlier papers, (Hollestelle, 2020, 2021). This paper, part 1, with forthcoming part 2, is a new version for preprint (Hollestelle, 2023). Of the traditional approaches within the one moment time description some are summarized to clear the way, even when they are commonly known.

Within the time interval only description one moment time concept 'now' is not introduced, it is not to be regarded the same as the average for  $t$  during time interval  $\Delta t$ . However, one can consider  $\Delta t$  to be the finite time interval version and 'reverse' to the tangent, one parameter group, infinitesimal limit process within the one moment time description. This limit process has been problematic for traditional calculus and for derivatives, where the limit means approximation of the one moment time 'addition zero', (Newton, 1686 a; Goldstein, 1950; Arnold, 1974). Within general relativity theory (GR) a secure space-time measure, including simultaneity and realistic signaling with finite velocity depending on the Lorentz metric, is applied necessarily to give meaning to the limit process and finite realistic measurement events, i. e. to recover space-time with secure measures for any place within overall non-linear space-time, (Einstein, 1923). A step-by-step addition process within overall non-linear space-time, approaching measures beyond a secure measure, was probed in (Hollestelle, 2018). With a place is meant a connected and finite part of space-time where a linear metric can be recovered. The time interval only set does not include vectors, the covariant approach in space-time with the traditional vector calculus is not expected to be well-defined.

The main result of this paper is the definition of correspondence of the time interval only set with the one moment time coordinate set, a correspondence which has value by itself. The time interval only set properties all depend on correspondence.

The time interval only set can add to the one moment time description.

A secondary result is the time interval only description suggests by itself an upper limit to, i. e. a finite, e.m. group-velocity  $c$ . This result is independent of the assumption of a finite and non-zero group-velocity  $c$  included in the definition of covariant 4-dim. one moment space time coordinates, which was introduced to allow 4-dim space time to be discussed as one space time. A finite group-velocity assures consistency with experimental e.m. phenomena. Other secondary results remain within the discussion comments A to I. *Inferred is, from* addition and scalar multiplication being similar within the time interval only set, gauge transformations dependent on addition and multiplication can be similar within the time interval only description.

Time development from time interval equilibrium, with time intervals being asymmetric or symmetric, can be described with Curie's principle (Curie, 1894), since for these time intervals Hamiltonian  $H$  is time dependent or time independent resp., which is a measurable and observable difference. Equilibrium equations for a set of closed surfaces with (a-)symmetric surface geometry energy, however within the one moment time description, were derived in (Hollestelle, 2017), an example of surface asymmetry and its development in time. The surface geometry energy equals the e.m. field energy for this surface interpreted as propagation surface.

Within Curie's principle (a-)symmetry can imply the existence of a causal relation towards resultants (Curie: *symétrie des causes, effets produits*). The (a-)symmetries are not restricted to 3-space, rather occur in phase space. It is not meant causes are unknown's or effects are observables. The 'causes' and 'effects' need evaluation, if only due to the absence of the concept 'now'. The traditional description of time development with one moment time coordinates is 1-dim. which allows the assumption a cause precedes, in time, the effect. Philosophy, of change or time development or causality, however is not part of this paper.

For the one moment time coordinate set, with the canonical set property, infinitesimal tangent transformations define derivative tangents, that are linearly additive, and commutation relations in phase space, while Lagrange equilibrium remains valid and  $H$  time independent, (Goldstein, 1950; Arnold, 1974).

For covariant space-time or phase-space this remains applicable for possible (a-)symmetries and for the description of time development. It is assumed traditionally Curie's principle implies a

description of events remaining in Lagrange equilibrium, with  $H$  time independent, except for some of events of spontaneous symmetry breaking. Within the time interval description including TE equilibrium, the time interval only set is a 1-dim. set, however  $H$  is allowed to be time dependent, while time development from tangent transformations, i. e. from canonical Hamilton equations, remains valid, although the canonical set property and usual representation theory does not apply, (Serre, 1971; Hollestelle, 2020). Even so, time interval only Noether charges and structure constants can be defined, comment G.

The time interval only description for asymmetric  $\Delta t$  does not allow time reversal (Hollestelle, 2020). Plane waves in the time interval description depend on energy rather than coordinates, and energy remains invariant with reversal of kinetics. Time reversal for GR depends on Lorentz invariance.

An alternative to traditional Lorentz invariance and Lorentz transformations is discussed in (Hollestelle, 2021) and par. 4, below. Time development measurements within the time interval description depend on counting forward, not counting backwards, (Hollestelle, 2018, 2020). Time reversal in this paper means the transformation of a time interval to its time interval 'addition inverse' which is non-trivial, different from the one moment time 'addition inverse', and different from multiplication of time interval boundaries with a scalar, e. g. -1. It is found, par. 3, the time interval only addition inverse for  $\Delta t$ , the relevant event time interval, is the time interval only set 'addition zero' which is equal to  $\Delta t$  itself, for asymmetric  $\Delta t$ .

Uncertainty relations are part of QM if only because they relate QM quantities, like elementary particle or radiation field properties, to Newtonian experimental subject properties or quantities, accessible from sequences of interactions or measurements, (Sakurai, 1967; Roos, 1978). The philosophical interpretation of QM is not aimed at in this paper however, while measurement event description is part of it, if only due to relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$  being assigned to a relevant, i. e. measurement, event. Within the time interval description, one finds uncertainty relations different from the usual uncertainty relations, with time dependent 'variable quantities'  $h^+$  and  $h^-$  instead of Planck's constant  $h$  when  $H$  time dependent, however recovering  $h$  when  $H$  time independent (Hollestelle, 2020), comment G below, and part 2 of this paper.

Time development for vector fields in QM field theory usually is introduced with time operators, and the QM version of Lagrange equilibrium, commutation relations and derivatives within the one moment time description. For operators the concept 'working to the right' defines meaning in terms of measurement results: operators are 'working to the right' on vector fields, deriving the expectation value of the operator related quantity, (Roos, 1978). Within the time interval only description time development relates similarly to commutation relations and derivatives, however with operators reduced to time interval multiplication and addition. Time interval addition is non-commutative, even so, for two time-intervals being the same, the result of usual commutation brackets is time interval 'addition zero'. This might support a specific time interval particle-oriented description, e. g. with Boson particles, which however is not followed in this paper.

## 1.2. Time Interval Only Set Properties

The definition of the time interval only set and correspondences are the main results of this paper. This is an accomplishment of its own. The value of the time interval only set is, it is new and alternative to existing time development descriptions and correspondence relates the time interval only description to existing physics, which is within the one moment time description only.

Two different correspondences are defined, applying the definition of time interval only 'addition units' and 'multiplication units', par. 3, or the definition of time interval commutation relations, par. 4. From the correspondences, the commutation relations and derivatives for the time interval only set are derived, par. 5. For the validity of these, two new theorems for the time interval only set are proven: the multiplication closure theorem, and the multiplication linearity theorem, comment B and D resp. The time interval only set derivative includes a non-linear part, included in the time interval derivative 'set-rule', comment C.



### 1.3. The 'Infinite Regress' Problem

The time interval and TE equilibrium description include one moment time quantities, since time intervals and derivatives to time intervals within its results means boundaries are implied. To find a time interval only description, one can let time interval quantities relate to one moment time quantities due to a transformation being onto however not one-to-one. In this way a correspondence relation can resolve the 'infinite regress' problem quoted in (Hollestelle, 2020), where equilibrium is defined, including the Hamiltonian, being the time interval version of Lagrange equilibrium and Legendre transformations. With one moment time quantities, like time interval boundaries, equated one-to-one with time intervals this would mean, due to the derivative within the time interval version of the Legendre transform, time interval boundaries return within the definition for time interval equilibrium causing the regress. This problem is most relevant when introducing the time interval set as a time interval only set. The term correspondence otherwise sometimes is applied for the relation of QM concepts corresponding with experimental phenomena (Roos, 1978).

### 1.4. Star-Source Radiation, Radiation and Gravitation

Propagation surfaces are a space-like limit for propagation plane waves, assuming a finite group-velocity and a finite relevant event time interval. A star-like source implies sphere symmetric radiation, and rather the term propagation than 'ray' is applied. Usually, in contrast, for radiation applied are parallel plane waves, meaning parallel rays, and a one moment time description for QM. Zero or non-zero mass wave-particle momentum complementarity is one of few relations of QM to remain within the QM time interval only description (Hollestelle, 2020). With star-source is meant radiation- or photon-production and emission, not meant is a source for a specific field-interaction like usual, e. g. the source density for screened inverse distance, or screened gravitational, interaction, (De Wit, Smith, 1986). The introduction of mass density and gravitation within the time interval only description is discussed in forthcoming part 2 of this paper.

The equivalence principle implies the gravitation energy and kinematic energy references of action to be equivalent where it cannot be decided upon which one is due, and within GR this is expressed with gravitation energy and space-time geometry in terms of measures and Lorentz transformations (Newton, 1686; Einstein, 1923). A result within the time interval only description is: equivalence of reference to gravitation energy and radiation field energy, related to radiation propagation surfaces, which implies a relation to exist for time interval equilibrium and time interval derivatives with geometry, i. e. with space-time.

Star-source outward wave propagation and star-source gravitation are found opposite inclined. Gravitation, an interaction towards its sources, resembles in some respect the reverse of outward propagation, i. e. a phenomenon related to density of which some implications in cosmological setting are discussed in (Hollestelle, 2018). Equilibrium maintenance, including density considerations, derived for sets of (a-)symmetric geometric surfaces, without a priori assumptions, is at the origin of the theorem of continuation of constraints, closely related to Liouville's theorem (Hollestelle, 2017, 2021).

Newton's second law relates kinematics with source related action, applying vectors and spacetime coordinates within a one moment time description, similar to above equivalences. However, following (Arnold, 1974), due to differential eq. considerations, Newton's equations are valid only within a compact part of the time coordinate set where for simplicity often is assumed a complete infinite part. Within the time interval only description, equilibrium is due to energy rather than action, and this allows to discard the question of inertial forces. Within the time interval only description, the equivalence of star-source wave propagation with gravitational interaction, and the introduction of source mass to mean a reference to gravitation energy, originating from (Hollestelle, 2021), is discussed in part 2 of this paper.

## 2. Commutation Relations: Derivatives and Operators 'Working to the Right'

The commutation relations for two one moment time quantities A1 and A2 with the same one moment time parameter t can be written with usual commutation brackets and subscript u,  $[A1, A2]_u = [A1(t), A2(t) - A2(t), A1(t)]$ , for Newtonian quantities and derivatives with reference to (Goldstein, 1950), for operators, (Jauch, Rohrlich, 1976). For the 1-dim. one moment time set assumed are two invariant commutation quantities cn and cn' within two inter-dependent relations, eq. 1. For higher dimensional sets, one assumes different numbers of quantities and relations. Writing the ordinary multiplication . and with the usual + and -, these relations are:

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \quad & t \cdot cn' = cn \cdot t \\ & 1/t \cdot cn = cn' \cdot 1/t \\ 2 \quad & [t, cn]_u = t \cdot (cn - cn') \\ & [1/t, cn]_u = (cn' - cn) \cdot 1/t \end{aligned}$$

The cn and cn' can be different from each other. Scalar multiplication with -1, is part of one moment time commutation relations. One can instead choose for the addition inverse, discussed in comment I.

For the time interval only set, representation theory is not applicable since the canonical property is not valid, i. e. the linear derivative assumption for time development is not valid, however time interval only commutation bracket results similar to eq. 2., are derived in par. 5.

From the commutation relations, one relates derivatives to t, d/dt, to parameter t itself. Within the one moment time description the usual derivative d/dt  $[A1, A2]$ , with A1, A2 meaning A1 'multiplication' A2, is 'working to the right' on the square brackets, i. e. on every part of the multiplication, the traditional first order differential calculus, originating from (Newton, 1686 a). Assuming the symmetric second associative property AP2 for derivatives one writes:

$$\begin{aligned} 3 \quad & d/dt [A1, A2] = d/dt [A1] \cdot A2 + A1 \cdot d/dt [A2] = 2 \cdot A1 \cdot d/dt [A2] + \text{Rest} \\ & \text{Rest} = (d/dt [A1] \cdot A2 - A1 \cdot d/dt [A2]) \end{aligned}$$

Essentially, in the second part of this eq. the multiplication disappears and d/dt is 'working to the right' on A1 or A2 only. The interpretation of eq. 3 is within the third part. Eq. 3 includes only one step: d/dt 'moving to the right', this leaves to the left quantity A1, itself 'moving to the left' of d/dt, including multiplication with a scalar, in this case scalar 2, and to the right side a factor Rest. Two successive steps require an extra one moment time quantity on the right side, e. g. a one moment time set 'multiplication unit'.

There is similarity with one moment time t or 1/t 'moving to the right' and cn or cn' respectively in eq. 1. Together the properties of cn and cn' define d/dt. Time interval only set derivatives are discussed in par. 5 and comment C, with a nonlinearity factor Rest, which can differ for each set.

Within the time interval description, t-quantities and  $\Delta t$ -quantities can occur, depending on coordinate t resp. time interval  $\Delta t$ . Assumed is the described event is 'remote' from H time independent, meaning time interval  $\Delta t = [t_b, t_a]$  is asymmetric and finite such that  $|t_b| \ll |t_a|$ . Then t-quantities cn and cn' remain invariant during  $\Delta t$  and this allows to introduce a correspondence with time interval commutation  $\Delta t$ -quantities  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t)$ ,  $\Delta t$ -quantities being not t dependent, linear or otherwise. Multiplication M and addition A within the time interval set, applied in par. 2 to 5 for evidently simple combinations, are defined independently in comments B and C. The indications A and M for addition and multiplication are not applied for one moment time parameters like t or 1/t.

#### *Time Interval Derivatives and Commutation Relations*

The time interval derivative to one moment time parameter t,  $D^* [A1]$ , of t-quantity A1(t), equals the usual commutation bracket  $[1/t, A1]_u$ , the first of eq. 4. This is due to time interval equilibrium: any t-quantity A1(t) is linear in t, since  $D^* [A1] = \pm A1 \cdot 1/t$  remains invariant during  $\Delta t$ , the + or - depending on A1 increasing or decreasing with t or A1 with positive or negative sign, (Hollestelle, 2020). This is the t-quantity perspective.

Within  $\Delta t$ -quantity perspective, the time interval derivative to time interval  $\Delta t$ ,  $D^* || \Delta t [A1]$ , of t-quantity A1(t), is derived to be the second of eq. 4, this result defines time interval commutation bracket  $[1/t, A1] || \Delta t$  for  $\Delta t = [t_b, t_a]$ .

$$4 \quad D^* [A1] = 1/2 A [1/t, A1(t), -1, A1(t), 1/t] = [1/t, A1]u$$

$$D^* |\Delta t [A1] = 1/2 A [1/tb, A1(tb), -1, A1(ta), 1/ta] |\Delta t$$

### 3. Correspondence C1: Time Interval Only Set Units

Introducing time interval  $\Delta t$  averages  $\langle A1 \rangle |\Delta t$  for t-quantities  $A1$ , and assuming  $\langle A1, 1/t \rangle |\Delta t = \langle A1 \rangle |\Delta t, 1/\langle t \rangle |\Delta t$ , within t-quantity perspective this means:

$$5 \quad A1, 1/t = \langle A1 \rangle |\Delta t, 1/\langle t \rangle |\Delta t$$

This relation is valid for any variable t-quantity  $A1$  and follows from  $D^* [A1] = \pm A1, 1/t$  remaining invariant within the time interval description and TE equilibrium. Average  $\langle A1 \rangle |\Delta t$  is invariant for  $\Delta t$ , and can be considered invariant t-quantity or  $\Delta t$ -quantity.

A correspondence can be introduced from the definition of units for the one moment time set and for the time interval only set. The average of one moment time parameter  $t$  for time interval  $\Delta t$ ,  $\langle t \rangle |\Delta t$ , corresponds with the (a-)symmetry of  $\Delta t$ , (Hollestelle, 2020). For asymmetric  $\Delta t$ ,  $\langle t \rangle |\Delta t = 1/2(ta + tb) = t0$ , with  $t0$  the 'multiplication unit' for one moment time parameters during  $\Delta t$ , meaning  $t0, t = t, t0 = t$ . The set 'multiplication unit' is an indication for the equilibrium of a set, TE equilibrium for the time interval only set. The time interval only set 'multiplication unit'  $\Delta U$  is equal to relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$ , comment 2.

Indicated with  $\sim$ , a t-quantity corresponds with a  $\Delta t$ -quantity due to the resp. multiplication units. Eq. 5 is written from t-quantity perspective, eq. 6 from  $\Delta t$ -quantity perspective. Subscript  $i$  indicates the multiplication inverse for  $\Delta t$ -quantities, where  $\Delta U_i = \Delta U$ . For scalar multiplication  $M [a, \Delta t] = \Delta t3$ , the result  $\Delta t3$  is a time interval since  $\Delta t$  is a time interval, due to the multiplication closure theorem derived independently in comment B.

$$6 \quad A1, 1/t \sim M [\Delta t3, \Delta U] = M [M [a, \Delta t], \Delta U]$$

#### Correspondence C1 and Time Interval Only Set Units

For H time dependent and  $\Delta t$  asymmetric, the average for  $\Delta t$  of one moment time  $t$  equals the one moment time 'multiplication unit',  $\langle t \rangle |\Delta t$  equals  $t0$ , however  $t0 \neq 0$ , where  $0, t0$  is 'multiplication zero' and 'addition zero'. Per definition and for simplicity  $t0$  corresponds with  $\Delta t0$  as time interval set term in any case. For  $\Delta t = [tb, ta]$  asymmetric with  $|tb| < |ta|$ ,  $\Delta t0$  is equal to time interval set 'multiplication unit'  $\Delta U$ , different from time interval set 'multiplication zero'  $\Delta U0$ , and there is:  $\langle t \rangle |\Delta t = t0 \sim \Delta t0 = \Delta U$  for asymmetric  $\Delta t$ .

For  $\Delta t = [tb, ta]$  symmetric with  $|tb| = |ta|$  there is  $\langle t \rangle |\Delta t = t0 = 0$ ,  $t0$ , and it follows  $t0 = 0$ .  $t0$  equals  $t + -1, t = 0, t$  and  $t0, t = t, t0 = 0, t$ , meaning  $t0$  is equal to both one moment time 'addition zero' and 'multiplication zero'. Per definition  $0, t0 = t0 \sim \Delta t0$ , however in this case  $\Delta t0$  equals time interval only set 'addition zero' and 'multiplication zero'  $\Delta U0$  and there is:  $\langle t \rangle |\Delta t = t0 = 0, t0 \sim \Delta t0 = \Delta U0$  for symmetric  $\Delta t$ .

Comment 1. With average  $\langle t \rangle |\Delta t = t0 \sim \Delta t0$ , time interval  $\Delta t0$  equal to 'multiplication unit' or 'multiplication zero' depends on  $\Delta t$  (a-)symmetric or H time dependence. This difference for average  $\langle t \rangle |\Delta t = t0 \sim \Delta t0$  for quantities and properties while remaining within physics is interesting by itself. Interpretation is needed for a time development, where H time dependent reaches a time independent limit.

Comment 2. The defining property for 'multiplication unit'  $\Delta U$  is:  $M [\Delta U, \Delta t1] = M [\Delta t1, \Delta U] = \Delta t1$ , for the multiplication inverse  $\Delta t1i$  the defining property is:  $M [\Delta t1, \Delta t1i] = M [\Delta t1i, \Delta t1] = \Delta U$ , obvious relations for any time interval  $\Delta t1$ . One can argue, disregarding uniqueness,  $\Delta U$  can be identified with relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$ , from  $M [\Delta U, \Delta t] = \Delta t$  while also  $M [\Delta t, \Delta t] = \Delta t$ . This last eq. is independently derived to be valid for any  $\Delta t1$ , addition  $A [\Delta t1, \Delta t1] = \Delta t1$  in comment A, multiplication  $M [\Delta t1, \Delta t1] = \Delta t1$  in comment B. It follows  $\Delta t$  is a solution for  $\Delta U$ . The discussion from comment A and B, and the definition of the derivative of these multiplications, comment C, implies some uniqueness properties for  $\Delta t$ , while it is proven  $\Delta t0$  is equal to the time interval 'addition zero', even while  $\Delta t0 = \Delta U$  the time interval 'multiplication unit' corresponding with  $t0$ .

When  $M[\Delta U, \Delta t] = \Delta t$  and  $M[\Delta t_i, \Delta t] = \Delta U = \Delta t$ ,  $\Delta t_i$  is well-defined with solution  $\Delta t: M[\Delta t, \Delta t] = \Delta U$ .

**Comment 3.** For addition A one defines  $A[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_0] = A[\Delta t_0, \Delta t_1] = \Delta t_1$  and  $A[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_{1iv}] = A[\Delta t_{1iv}, \Delta t_1] = \Delta t_0$ , obvious relations for  $\Delta t_0$  time interval set 'addition zero' and  $\Delta t_{1iv}$  with subscript iv the addition inverse for any time interval  $\Delta t_1$ . Recall  $\Delta t_0$  equals  $\Delta t = \Delta U$  for  $\Delta t$  asymmetric, comment A. Multiplication with scalar -1 of time interval  $\Delta t_1$ ,  $M[-1, \Delta t_1]$ , is not necessarily the addition inverse  $\Delta t_{1iv}$  for  $\Delta t_1$ , and is not a well-defined time interval when  $\Delta t$  asymmetric.

#### 4. Correspondence C2: Reciprocal Pairs of Commutation Quantities, Noether Charges

The pair of commutation quantities  $cn$  and  $cn'$  are assumed to be invariant within the time interval only description,  $cn = cn(t)$  and  $cn' = cn'(t)$  remain invariant t-quantities for variable  $t$  within their resp. domain. Dependence on  $\Delta t$  is described with the positive average scalar 'domain' density  $D(cn, \Delta t)$ . Time interval  $\Delta t$  integration  $I^*$  to one moment time  $t$  and 'domain' density  $D$ , applying time interval averages and comment 2, is introduced within:

$$\langle cn(t) \rangle | \Delta t = M[\int | \Delta t dt [cn], \Delta t_i] = M[I^*[cn], \Delta t_i] = N \cdot D(cn, \Delta t)$$

$D(cn, \Delta t) = |cn - \text{domain}| \cdot 1/|\Delta t - \text{domain}|$ , is an invariant scalar quantity,  $N$  is an invariant t-quantity defined below.

Applied is the time interval integral to one moment time  $t$ : e. g.  $I^*[2] = \int | \Delta t dt [2] = 2 \cdot \Delta t$  and  $I^*[2] = M[\langle 2 \rangle | \Delta t, \Delta t] = \langle 2 \rangle | \Delta t = N \cdot D(2, \Delta t) = N \cdot |2 - \text{domain}| \cdot 1/|\Delta t| = 2$ , where the domain for scalar 2, the 2- domain, is equal to  $\Delta t$  while density  $D(2, \Delta t) = |\Delta t|/|\Delta t| = 1$ . One finds  $2(t) = 2$  and  $N(2) = 2$ . Other ways are possible however in this case one assumes the average to acquire the same dimension as the averaged quantity and the integral to acquire the dimension of the multiplication of averaged quantity and integration interval, i. e. time interval  $\Delta t$ . This agrees with the definitions for  $I^*$  and average  $\langle \rangle | \Delta t$  in (Hollestelle, 2020).

Not always necessarily  $D(cn, \Delta t) = 1$ , rather due to a specific equilibrium requirement for  $cn$  and  $cn'$ ,  $D(cn, \Delta t) + D(cn', \Delta t) = 1$ , both for the same  $\Delta t$ , where similar to  $D(cn, \Delta t)$  for  $cn$  introduced is  $D(cn', \Delta t)$  for  $cn'$ . Within t-quantity perspective, with  $cn$  and  $cn'$  the same sign, and applying the usual one moment time addition properties, one defines the equilibrium requirement with  $N$ :

$$7 \quad cn + cn' = N \cdot D(cn, \Delta t) + N \cdot D(cn', \Delta t) = N$$

The t-quantities  $cn(t)$  and  $cn'(t)$  are termed 'reciprocal'. Since  $cn$ ,  $cn'$  and  $N$ , are not ordinary constants, rather physical quantities, a relation due to equilibrium to exist is expected. Some arguments for the requirement are discussed in comment 5.

$\Delta t$ -quantities  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t)$  are introduced from correspondence C1 with t-quantities  $cn$  and  $cn'$  and the equilibrium requirement implies  $A[cn(\Delta t), cn'(\Delta t)] = \Delta N$ , including  $\langle N \rangle | \Delta t = N \sim \Delta N$ . Domain measure zero is not considered for  $cn(\Delta t)$  or  $cn'(\Delta t)$ , since corresponding t-quantities  $cn$  or  $cn'$  would equal one moment time 'multiplication zero', interfering with eq. 1.

Correspondence for the asymmetric situation means  $\langle t \rangle | \Delta t \sim \Delta t_0 = \Delta U$ : in the specific case when  $\langle D(cn, \Delta t) \rangle | \Delta t \sim \Delta U$  and  $cn(\Delta t) = M[\Delta N, \Delta U] = \Delta N$ , it follows  $\langle D(cn', \Delta t) \rangle | \Delta t \sim \Delta U_0$  and  $cn'(\Delta t) = M[\Delta N, \Delta U_0] = \Delta U_0$ , and the other way around, while in terms of measures invariant  $\Delta t$ -quantity  $\Delta N$  remains the upper limit for  $cn(\Delta t)$  or  $cn'(\Delta t)$ . For invariants within the one moment time description, e. g. the usual one moment time Noether charges  $NC$ , referred is to (Noether, 1918; De Wit, Smith, 1986). The equilibrium requirement in  $\Delta t$ -quantity perspective while  $\Delta t$  remains the variable is:

$$8 \quad A[cn(\Delta t), cn'(\Delta t)] = A[M[\Delta N, \Delta U], M[\Delta N, \Delta U_0]] = A[\Delta N, \Delta U_0] = \Delta N$$

Time interval only set addition A can be applied when including  $\Delta U$  or  $\Delta U_0$ , time interval units discussed in par. 3. These additions are 'simple enough' to be defined from comment 3, the complete time interval only set addition is introduced independently in comment C.

In support for the equilibrium requirement, one argument includes a theorem for time and space averages (Arnold, 1974). Overall time averages are interpreted to be overall time interval set averages and  $\Delta t$ -quantities.  $\Delta N$  is equal to the overall time interval set average  $\langle cn(\Delta t) \rangle | \text{set}$ , itself by theorem equal to the overall space average  $\langle cn(\Delta t) \rangle | \text{space}$ , defining  $cn'(\Delta t) = cn(\Delta t')$  with the specific case upper limits at  $\Delta t$  and  $\Delta t'$ .



$\Delta N$  remains an invariant for the overall time interval set, with derivative equation  $D^*| \Delta t [\Delta N] = \Delta N$ , from eq. 8. From the similarity for A and M for time intervals, derived in comment D, it follows  $\Delta N = A [cn(\Delta t), cn'(\Delta t)] = M [cn(\Delta t), cn'(\Delta t)]$ . The derivative of Noether charge NC is an invariant, and one can define the time interval only set Noether charge NCset linear with  $\Delta N$ , while  $\Delta N \sim N$ , and NCset fulfills the derivative eq. above, with NCset  $\sim NC$ .

For any time-interval  $\Delta t = [tb, ta]$ , boundary ta defines, however not regarding causality, boundary tb due to eq. 9, (Hollestelle, 2020).

$$9 \quad tb = -1. (1 - (c. q(t))^2)^{-1}. ta$$

Comment 4. The invariance of quantities cn and cn' is required at least during relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$  for the validity of commutation relations eq. 1, and is decisive for dispersion-free measurement event results to relate to a Noether charge.

Comment 5. The quantities  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t)$  are in principle independent of each other. However, assuming equilibrium, i. e. time interval equilibrium, this means a relation for  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t) = cn(\Delta t')$  applies, the requirement to maintain equilibrium during time development. An equilibrium requirement is inferred to be universally existing for any equilibrium description, e. g. total energy  $H_0 = T + V$  remains invariant when T and V resp. kinematic energy and interaction energy can vary while maintaining Lagrange equilibrium within the one moment time description.

Comment 6. The Hamiltonian H is an invariant for transformations TA, TB and TB(-1), TA(t) with  $TA(ta) = tb$ , its opposite TB(t) with  $TB(ta) = -1. tb$  and its reverse TB(-1). Transformation TA defines time interval  $[tb, ta]$  with  $[TA(ta), ta]$  from eq. 9, and this decides all possible boundaries tb and ta for any time interval. A series of n transformations TB, with  $TB([tb = TA(ta), ta]) = [TA(TB(ta)), TB(ta)]$  and TB(-1) with  $TB(-1)(tn) = t(n-1)$ , defines  $[tbn, tan]$ , transforming  $\Delta t$  to another well-defined  $\Delta t'$ , which takes care  $(c. q(ta))^2 \ll 1$  for transformation TA to remain valid with always  $tb = TA(ta)$  and ta with negative or positive sign resp., i. e. to belong to the future or past. These relations originate from (Hollestelle, 2020).

Defined is a specific infinitesimal equilibrium transformation TS, where space- and time coordinates q and t transform to resp.  $q^* = q + qL$  and  $t^* = t + tL$ , with qL and tL invariant and infinitesimal. TS is equal to transformation TB(-1), with  $TS(t) = t^* = t'$ , where one moment time t and t' correspond with time interval  $\Delta t = [tb, ta]$  and  $\Delta t' = [tb', ta']$ , and where  $q' = q(ta')$  remains well-defined. From TS, specific non-infinitesimal equilibrium transformations TS can be found which leave Hamiltonian H invariant.

Any infinitesimal equilibrium transformation TL, being origin of the usual non-infinitesimal Lorentz transformation TL, should leave metric distances unchanged. It is argued, (Hollestelle, 2021), to introduce new Lorentz transformations that leave metric surface measures unchanged. These Lorentz transformations agree with radiation time development, with star-source radiation energy remaining invariant, an energy proportional to propagation surface measure. The specific transformation TS is a metric surface measure preserving new Lorentz transformation.

Comment 7. Constant c with dimension similar to the multiplication inverse of q, assures scalar product  $(c. q)$  remains dimensionless. The factor  $(c. q_0)$  for  $q(t) = q_0$  at  $t = t_0$  is a scalar invariant, and  $|(c. q_0)| = |M [c, q_0]|$  within the time interval set, where both c and  $q_0$  remain invariant during  $\Delta t$ . Place  $q_0$  is a coordinate in 3-dim. space, invariant during  $\Delta t$  however not equal to space coordinate origin qc. Constant c is not the group-velocity for e.m. radiation propagation, velocity c.

Comment 8. Two different solutions exist:  $q(t) = \pm q_0. 1/t_0. t$  and  $q(t) = \pm q_0. t_0. 1/t$ . Due to TE equilibrium with  $D^*[q(t)] = \pm q(t). 1/t$  and  $D^*[q(t)]$  invariant with t during  $\Delta t$ , q(t) necessarily is linear in t and the solution q(t) linear in 1/t can exist only when it is the same solution, i. e. also linear in t.

With  $t_i = 1/t$  the multiplication inverse for t, where  $t_i$  not necessarily belongs to the one moment time set, one finds:  $t_i. t = t. t_i = t_0$ , with  $t_0$  the 'multiplication unit', which leaves different solutions for  $t_i$  possible. To give meaning to  $t_i$  required is  $t_i$  belongs to the one moment time set, and also it is assumed when  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  belong to the one moment time set, multiplication  $t_1. t_2 = t_3$  does similarly. These and other one moment time coordinate and time interval properties are discussed in (Hollestelle, 2020). For  $\Delta t$  boundaries ta and tb there is:  $ta + tb = 2. t_0$  and  $ta. tb = 1/2. (ta^2 + tb^2)$  approaching to  $ta. tb = 1/2. ta^2$  for  $|tb| \ll |ta|$ , valid for situations with H time dependent and with

$\Delta t$  asymmetric. These one moment time coordinate properties for  $t_b$  and  $t_a$  resemble somehow the relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$  properties  $M[\Delta t_i, \Delta t] = M[\Delta t, \Delta t] = \Delta t = \Delta U$ , comment 2.

#### *Correspondence C2 and Time Interval Commutation Pairs*

One defines the time interval  $\Delta t$ -quantities  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t) = cn(TS(\Delta t))$  from  $cn'(\Delta t) = cn(\Delta t')$  and  $TS(\Delta t) = \Delta t'$ , from the discussion above. It follows correspondence C2: commutation pair  $t$ -quantities  $cn$  and  $cn'$ , from eq. 1, corresponds with commutation pair  $\Delta t$ -quantities  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t)$ . Correspondence C1 defined in par. 3 and correspondence C2 result in the same relation ( $\sim$ ). In eq. 10, the one moment time parameter  $t$ -quantities on the left side correspond with time interval  $\Delta t$ -quantities on the right side of the equation- or correspondence sign.

$$10 \quad |ta|. 1/|tb| = |cn'(\Delta t)|. 1/|cn(\Delta t)| \\ ta. tbi \sim M[cn'(\Delta t), cni(\Delta t)]$$

### 5. Time Interval Only Commutation Relations, and the 'Infinite Regress' Problem

Time interval only description  $I^*||\Delta t$  and  $D^*||\Delta t$  mean integration and differentiation to time interval  $\Delta t$ . By applying correspondence C1, eq. 6, and correspondence C2, eq. 10, and from eq. 4 for  $t$ -quantity  $A1$ , one derives for  $\Delta t$ -quantity  $cn(\Delta t)$  the time interval description relations:

$$11a \quad I^*||\Delta t [cn(\Delta t)] = M[\Delta t, A[cn(\Delta t), -1. cn'(\Delta t)]] = A[cn(\Delta t), -1. cn'(\Delta t)] = [\Delta t, cn(\Delta t)]||\Delta t \\ D^*||\Delta t [cn(\Delta t)] = M[A[cn'(\Delta t), -1. cn(\Delta t)], \Delta ti] = A[cn'(\Delta t), -1. cn(\Delta t)] = [\Delta ti, cn(\Delta t)]||\Delta t$$

Eq. 11a, the right side for both  $I^*||\Delta t$  and  $D^*||\Delta t$ , includes the interpretation 'working to the right' of resp.  $\Delta t$  and  $\Delta ti$  towards  $cn(\Delta t)$ , the time interval version for commutation relations. In particular the occurrence of  $\Delta t$  and  $\Delta ti$  recovers linearity in  $\Delta t$  for  $I^*||\Delta t$  and linearity in  $\Delta ti$  for  $D^*||\Delta t$  like it should for time interval equilibrium. For  $cn'(\Delta t)$  similar equations can be derived.

The validity of eq. 11b for any  $\Delta t$ -quantity  $\Delta A1$  requires at least one of two theorems. Within the time interval description and TE equilibrium all  $\Delta t$ -quantities are linear in  $\Delta t$  and can be reduced to time intervals, due to the multiplication closure theorem, comment B, or the multiplication linearity theorem, comment D. Due to these theorems, implying  $cn(\Delta t)$  is linear in  $\Delta t$ , any  $\Delta t$ -quantity  $\Delta A1$  can be represented linear in  $cn(\Delta t)$ , and eqs. exactly the same like eq. 11a are valid for any time interval or  $\Delta t$ -quantity  $\Delta A1$ .

With eq. 11b the 'infinite regress' problem is resolved. These eq. are time interval only set relations, and do not require one moment time set parameters. Transformation  $\Delta A1$  to  $\Delta A1' = TS(\Delta A1)$  and correspondence C2 include multiplication with  $\Delta t$ , from eq. 10 or alternatively from the multiplication closure theorem.

$$11b \quad I^*||\Delta t [\Delta A1] = [\Delta t, \Delta A1]||\Delta t = M[\Delta t, A[\Delta A1, -1. \Delta A1']] = A[\Delta A1, -1. \Delta A1'] \\ D^*||\Delta t [\Delta A1] = [\Delta ti, \Delta A1]||\Delta t = M[A[\Delta A1', -1. \Delta A1], \Delta ti] = A[\Delta A1', -1. \Delta A1]$$

From eq. 11a one finds  $I^*||\Delta t [cn(\Delta t)]$  and  $D^*||\Delta t [cn(\Delta t)]$  have similar results, in agreement with  $\Delta ti = \Delta t$  and comment 8, except for the order of  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t)$ . From correspondence  $t0 \sim \Delta U = \Delta U_i$  it follows  $I^*||\Delta t [cn(\Delta t)] = D^*||\Delta t [cn(\Delta t)]$ , i. e. including the order difference the results in terms of time intervals for integration and differentiation are equal. Within the time interval only description this is valid for all  $\Delta t$ -quantities due to at least one of the two above theorems. In terms of corresponding  $t$ -quantities, the two results for eq. 11b have opposite sign.

### Discussion

#### Comment A. The Time Interval Only Set, Time Development in Terms of Addition

Overall or cosmological time in this paper means there is the same 'time' for the physical universe together and no part is late or early in reference to this 'time': anything is simultaneous with any other thing. One can suggest overall time can be measured depending on some agreement of universal with 'local' properties, e. g. by measuring 'local' temperature or radiation properties to agree with or indicate overall cosmological time, and assuming place- or measurement independent overall simultaneity.

However, time within the time interval only description needs to be independent of one moment time set properties. Not is meant time is a zero-dimensional concept without development and not is meant reference can be variable or chosen. Neither is meant a one moment time description parameter for the whole universe, introducing uncertainties from QM or simultaneity or signaling from GR.

Simultaneity is meant to be measurement event  $\Delta t$  dependent, and for the time interval only description is defined with the introduction of star-source radiation waves, with finite group-velocity and emitted and 'on the way' during  $\Delta t$ , (Hollestelle, 2020), while  $\Delta t$  being simply measurable or not, a term discussed in comment F.

For one moment time coordinates, derivatives depend on linear addition and the method of tangents. Continuous and invariant time development within the one moment time set means at any 'time-lapse' a similar 'time-lapse' is added. From this one can introduce one moment time invariant quantities, for instance Noether charges.

One moment time equilibrium including the principle of least action implies application of one moment time coordinate variation, with invariant transit space end-coordinates and variable transit time, i. e.  $\Delta^*$  variation, not to be confused with time interval indication  $\Delta$  or  $\Delta t$ , (Hollestelle, 2020). For symmetric and infinite  $\Delta t$ , time interval set results are the same as those for one moment time set results, and time interval derivatives are similarly linear addition related. For the time interval only description and TE equilibrium, derivatives imply non-trivial, i. e. non-linear, time interval addition.

The 'addition zero'  $\Delta t_0$  for the time interval set at least can be relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$  itself, comment 2 and 3, there is  $A [\Delta t_1, \Delta t] = \Delta t_1$ . This depends on the premise that there is only 'one' 'time' for the cosmological universe together and all is at the same 'time' and nothing is late or early.

A time interval only set addition property then follows to be: time intervals do not exist outside themselves, do not add time from outside to themselves and remain only with themselves. Otherwise said, this property defines addition for sets of finite time intervals where the finite time interval 'addition' the same finite time interval, remains the same finite time interval, i. e. invariant.

12a  $\Delta t_1$  'addition'  $\Delta t_1$ , to the same time interval, leaves any time interval  $\Delta t_1$  invariant:  $A [\Delta t_1, \Delta t_1] = \Delta t_1$

This is valid for any time interval  $\Delta t_1$  within the time interval only set. This confirms the interpretation of time interval only set addition with domain addition where addition of two identical domains results in the same domain.

Within the time interval only description events and addition properties depend on the relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$ , equal to 'addition zero'  $\Delta t_0$  for asymmetric  $\Delta t$ , with  $A [\Delta t, \Delta t] = \Delta t$  and  $A [\Delta t_1, \Delta t] = \Delta t_1$ . The 'addition inverse'  $\Delta t_{iv}$  for the finite relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$  equals  $\Delta t$ , meaning  $A [\Delta t_{iv}, \Delta t] = A [\Delta t, \Delta t] = \Delta t$ .

Multiplication -1.  $\Delta t$  does not always equal  $\Delta t_{iv}$  and its definition from eq. 9 fails, meaning it is not a well-defined time interval. One can argue  $\Delta t$  'addition' -1.  $\Delta t$  equals -1.  $\Delta t$  from the above discussion where 'addition zero'  $\Delta t_0$  equals  $\Delta t$ . Notice that  $\Delta t_0$  is not a zero-measure time interval in the sense of domain measure equal to zero. For infinitesimal  $\Delta t_0$  with zero-measure, eq. 12a is not valid, however  $\Delta t_0$  is not well-defined. The order within addition matters. Addition for any two time-intervals means  $\Delta t_1$  'addition'  $\Delta t_2$ , writing  $A [\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2]$ . It is possible to introduce the 'addition inverse' within time interval commutation relations, comment I, while in par. 2 and par. 5 applied is multiplication with scalar -1.

### **Comment B. Time interval only multiplication and the multiplication closure theorem**

One defines multiplication  $M [\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2]$  for any two time-intervals  $\Delta t_1$  and  $\Delta t_2$  from the introduction of time interval 'multiplication unit'  $\Delta U$ , while the relevant event time interval remains  $\Delta t$ , comment 2. Like with addition it is not clear immediately what multiplication means for the time interval only set. Within the time interval only set addition includes added domain, multiplication includes shared domain. Several properties for  $M$  are discussed in the following, where some obvious ones are already applied in par. 3.

*Multiplication closure theorem.* The result of multiplication belongs to the time interval only set:  $M [\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2] = \Delta t_3$ , implying  $\Delta t_3$  is a time interval when  $\Delta t_1$  and  $\Delta t_2$  time intervals. This is supported

by the time interval set 'multiplication unit'  $\Delta U$  relation  $M[\Delta U, \Delta t_1] = \Delta t_1$ . The multiplication closure theorem is proven below.

*Time development.* From similar arguments for the validity of eq. 12a there is,

$$12b \quad M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_1] = \Delta t_1 \text{ is valid for any time interval } \Delta t_1$$

*Associative property.* The symmetric first associative, 'series', property for multiplication  $M$ :  $M[M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2], \Delta t_3] = M[\Delta t_1, M[\Delta t_2, \Delta t_3]]$  is assumed valid, the symmetric second associative, 'parallel' or distributive, property for  $M$ :  $M[\Delta t_1, M[\Delta t_2, \Delta t_3]] = M[M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2], M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_3]]$  is not necessarily valid, for  $\Delta t_i$  any three time-intervals. The first and second associative property both valid can be contradictory. The usual derivative  $d/dt$  to one moment time coordinate  $t$  of a multiplication includes the second associative property, eq. 3. The time interval description derivative  $D^*$  to a  $t$ -quantity or  $\Delta t$ -quantity includes one moment time  $t$  or time interval  $\Delta t$  commutation brackets resp., eq. 4. Associative properties for ordinary or usual variable sets are studied within group theory, (Jacobson, 1974). For the first and second associative property can be written resp. AP1 and AP2 whether symmetric or not.

#### *Preliminary Definition for Multiplication*

For time interval only set multiplication the following definition, eq. 13, is feasible however preliminary, and depends on shared domain. The time interval description integral  $I^* || \Delta t_2$  to time interval  $\Delta t_2$  is introduced, just like the time interval description integral  $I^*$  to one moment time  $t$ , with the integral domain equal to the  $\Delta t_2$ -domain:

$$13 \quad M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2] = M[M[< \Delta t_1 > || \Delta t, \Delta t], \Delta t_2] = M[< \Delta t_1 > || \Delta t_2, \Delta t_2] = I^* || \Delta t_2 [\Delta t_1]$$

This equation agrees with time development property eq. 12b, while  $M$  is  $\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2$  order dependent. For  $I^* || \Delta t_2 [\Delta t_1]$  symmetric, meaning  $\Delta t_1$  equals  $\Delta t_2$ , eq. 13 is equal to eq. 12b. Preliminary eq. 13 follows from assuming time interval set properties I to III. These are not definitions; they depend on the interpretation of multiplication with shared domain. When time interval  $\Delta t_1$  and  $\Delta t_2$  do not extend to outside  $\Delta t$ , i. e. the common domain for  $\Delta t_1$  or  $\Delta t_2$  with  $\Delta t$  is equal to  $\Delta t_1$  or  $\Delta t_2$ , and with the domain for  $\Delta t$  being continuous, these properties are evident.

I: Since time interval  $\Delta t_1$  remains invariant during  $\Delta t$  there is:  $< \Delta t_1 > || \Delta t = \Delta t_1$ .

II: Averages  $< \Delta t_1 > || \Delta t_2$  remain independent of time interval  $\Delta t_2$ :  $< \Delta t_1 > || \Delta t_2 = < \Delta t_1 > || \Delta t$  for all  $\Delta t_2$ .

III: The integral to  $\Delta t_2$  and the time interval average to  $\Delta t_2$  are related due to  $I^* || \Delta t_2 [\Delta U] = M[< \Delta U > || \Delta t_2, \Delta t_2] = M[\Delta U, \Delta t_2] = \Delta t_2$ , and preliminary eq. 13 implies  $\Delta U$  generalized to any  $\Delta t_1$ , multiplication  $M$  equal and including  $I^* || \Delta t_2 [\Delta t_1]$ .

There is  $M[I^* || \Delta t_3 [\Delta t_1], \Delta t_{3i}] = M[I^* || \Delta t_2 [\Delta t_1], \Delta t_{2i}]$ . This depends on the following:  $I^* || \Delta t [\Delta t_1] = M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t] = \Delta t_1$  for time interval  $\Delta t_1$  with  $< \Delta t_1 > || \Delta t = \Delta t_1$  (property I). Then preliminary eq. 13 implies  $\Delta t$  generalized to any  $\Delta t_2$ , multiplication  $M$  similarly equal and including  $I^* || \Delta t_2 [\Delta t_1]$ .

Eq. 13 without generalizations is valid for  $\Delta t_1 = cn(\Delta t)$  or  $cn'(\Delta t)$  with  $\Delta t_2 = \Delta t$  due to the results from par. 5. The equations for both  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t)$  can be generalized due to properties I to III. From the preliminary definition and comment 2 follows eq. 14.

$$14 \quad M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t] = < \Delta t_1 > || \Delta t = I^* || \Delta t [\Delta t_1] = \Delta t_1$$

$$M[\Delta U, \Delta t] = I^* || \Delta t [\Delta U] = \Delta t$$

$$M[\Delta U, \Delta t_i] = I^* || \Delta t_i [\Delta U] = \Delta t_i$$

*Comment 9.* The multiplication closure theorem implies  $M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2] = \Delta t_3$  belongs to the time interval only set and validity of  $\Delta t_3 = a. \Delta t_a$ , scalar  $a$  depending on time interval  $\Delta t_a$ , implies the existence of solution  $\Delta t_a$  being a time interval. Not all scalar arguments  $a$  can be allowed when  $M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2] = a. \Delta t_a = \Delta t_3$  is a proper time interval, where for all asymmetric time intervals the future domain part measure exceeds the past domain part measure by definition. When  $\Delta t_a$  is a well-defined time interval,  $-1. \Delta t_a$  is not, when  $H$  time dependent with  $\Delta t$  and  $\Delta t_a$  asymmetric, due to eq. 9. Transformation TA is the defining and necessary relation for the one moment time parameter boundaries for any time interval.

### Multiplication Closure Theorem I

Time interval only set multiplication for any two time-intervals  $\Delta t_1$  and  $\Delta t_2$ ,  $M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2] = \Delta t_3$ , implies result  $\Delta t_3$  is a time interval and can be rewritten with a scalar multiplication,  $\Delta t_3 = a \cdot \Delta t_a = M[ca, \Delta t_a]$ , where  $a$  is scalar and  $ca$  and  $\Delta t_a$  time-interval.

Uniqueness property for linear dependence on  $\Delta t$ : when  $\Delta t_3$  depends linear on  $\Delta t$ , there is no other  $\Delta t'$  such that  $\Delta t_3$  depends also linear on  $\Delta t'$  independent from  $\Delta t$ . Similar to  $t$ -quantities being linear with parameter  $t$ , par. 2,  $\Delta t$ -quantities are linear with  $\Delta t$ , both due to time interval equilibrium. Then the multiplication closure theorem includes: when  $\Delta t_1$  and  $\Delta t_2$  are  $\Delta t$ -quantities,  $\Delta t_3$  is a  $\Delta t$ -quantity, and is a time interval and linear with  $\Delta t$ .

Finding some time interval  $\Delta t_a$  and some scalar  $a$ , implies  $\Delta t_3 = a \cdot \Delta t_a$  is a time interval, with reference to constraint comment 9.

Applying the symmetric first associative property AP1 for any time interval  $ca$ , there is  $ca = M[ca, \Delta t] = M[ca, M[\Delta t_a, \Delta t_a]] = M[M[ca, \Delta t_a], \Delta t_a]$ , i. e. there is  $ca = \langle ca \rangle | \Delta t_a$ , an invariant.

One finds from  $\Delta t_a = \Delta t$  an existing and well-defined multiplication time interval  $\Delta t_3 = a \cdot \Delta t_a = M[ca, \Delta t_a]$ , for any scalar  $a$ , with reference to constraint comment 9. Solutions  $ca = a \cdot \Delta t$  and  $\Delta t_3 = a \cdot \Delta t$  both belong to the time interval only set. Linearity of  $\Delta t_3$  in  $\Delta t_a$  and thus linearity in  $\Delta t$  is assured, discussed in comment H. Once one finds one solution to be a time interval linear in  $\Delta t$ , all solutions are time interval and linear in  $\Delta t$ .

Other solutions for  $M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2]$  can be found directly from  $a \cdot \Delta t_a = M[ca, \Delta t_a]$  and from the time development property eq. 12b,  $M[\Delta t_a, \Delta t_a] = \Delta t_a$ . These solutions for  $\Delta t_3$ , with any  $\Delta t_a$ , not only  $\Delta t_a = \Delta t$ , are already known to exist since the time interval set is derived to be uniquely linear in  $\Delta t$ , comment H. All these solutions are linear in  $\Delta t$ , with  $ca = a \cdot \Delta t$  and  $\Delta t_a = a \cdot \Delta t$ , and result  $\Delta t_3 = a \cdot \Delta t$ .

For the specific scalar  $a = 1$  the solution  $\Delta t_3 = \Delta t_a = M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2]$  is well-defined and a time interval:  $\Delta t_a = M[ca, \Delta t_a]$  implies  $ca = \Delta t$  or  $ca = \Delta t_a$ . Scalar  $a = 1$  and  $\Delta t_3 = \Delta t_a$  then can be the resultant from any of the two  $ca$ , with reference to comment 9.

### Multiplication Closure Theorem II

An alternative approach is the following. The relation  $\Delta t_3 = a \cdot \Delta t_a = M[ca, \Delta t_a]$  depends on scalar  $a$  having 'positive' sign. For scalar  $a$  with 'negative' sign the scalar multiplication does not refer to constraint comment 9. From the first associative property for  $M[\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2]$  with  $\Delta t_1 = a \cdot \Delta t$ , and from the definition of  $D^* | \Delta t$ , par. 2, one finds  $\Delta t_3 = a \cdot \Delta t_a = a \cdot M[\Delta t, \Delta t_a] = M[a \cdot \Delta t, \Delta t_a]$  while  $\Delta t_3 = M[ca, \Delta t_a]$  with solution  $ca = a \cdot \Delta t$ , linear in  $\Delta t$ . With  $ca = M[ca, \Delta t_a]$ , from the first associative, series, property, it follows  $\Delta t_a = \Delta t$  and  $ca = \Delta t_3$ , or it follows  $a = 1$  and  $ca = \Delta t$ . For both results one finds  $\Delta t_3 = ca = a \cdot \Delta t$ , i. e.  $\Delta t_3$  is itself a time interval and linear in  $\Delta t$ , and it follows validity for the multiplication closure theorem for any scalar  $a$ , with reference to comment H and constraint comment 9. *This completes the derivation for the multiplication closure theorem within the time interval only set.*

Comment 10. The first associative 'series' property for the derivative, of a multiplication of  $t$ -quantities, seems valid if only due to the preserved order of the  $\Delta t_i$  in the series. More precisely, this property is related to the following commutation relation for  $t$ -quantities  $A(t)$  that are linear in parameter  $t$  following TE equilibrium.  $A(t)$  depends on invariant  $t$ -quantities  $cn$  and  $cn'$  due to relation  $D^*[A(t)] = cn$ , and applying commutation relations eq. 1 for multiplications including one moment time parameters  $t$  and  $1/t$  there is:

$$\begin{aligned} 15 \quad & t | 1. A(t) | 2. cn' = A(t) | 1. t | 2 \\ & 1/t | 1. A(t) | 2 = A(t) | 1. 1/t | 2. cn \end{aligned}$$

Indications  $| 1$  or  $| 2$  mean the  $t$ -quantity at this place depends on parameter  $t$  with the specific value  $t = t_1$  or  $t = t_2$ . Eq. 15 are not definitions; they are derived from the relation  $D^*[A(t)] = cn$ . One finds from commutation relations eq. 1, the order of  $| 1$  and  $| 2$  is preserved within eq. 15, when changing the order, due to commutation, of parameter  $t$  or  $1/t$  with quantity  $A(t)$ , meaning the 'series' of  $| 1$  and  $| 2$  remains unchanged. These relations can be inferred to be valid for the corresponding time interval quantities. The  $cn$  and  $cn'$  correspond with invariant  $\Delta t$ -quantities  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t)$ ,



par. 4., linear dependent on  $\Delta t$  due to TE equilibrium. Inferred is the validity of the first associative series property for  $D^* \mid \Delta t [\Delta A]$ , while  $\Delta A$  is  $\Delta t$ -quantity, and a multiplication, where any  $\Delta t$ -quantity can be written with a multiplication of  $\Delta t$ -quantities, i. e. the multiplication closure theorem.

**Comment C. Time interval only set addition, and derivatives and the derivative 'set rule'**

*The One Moment Time Derivative 'Set-Rule'*

For the one moment time derivative of multiplication  $A1. A2$ , with  $A1$  and  $A2$  arbitrary scalar quantities, one can apply the asymmetric second associative property AP2 arguments  $c1$  and  $c2$ :  $d/dt [A1. A2] = c1. d/dt [A1]. A2 + c2. A1. d/dt [A2]$ , similar to eq. 3 where scalars  $c1 = c2 = 1$ . The symmetric AP2 for multiplication, is discussed in comment B.

Multiplication  $a. A1$  means invariant scalar  $a$  'multiplication' scalar quantity  $A1$ . The one moment time set derivative 'set-rule' emerges when  $d/dt$  is 'moving to the right' of scalar  $a$ :  $d/dt [a. A1] = c1. d/dt [a]. A1 + c2. a. d/dt [A1] = c2. a. d/dt [A1]$  for  $d/dt [a] = 0$ , and equal to  $d/dt [a. A1] = 2. a. d/dt [A1] + \text{Rest} = a. d/dt [A1]$  for  $c2 = 1$ . In this case scalar  $a$  is 'moving to the left', and factor  $\text{Rest} = -1. a. d/dt [A1]$ . Scalar multiplication and the derivative 'set rule' is applied to the time interval only set, existing of linear subsets comment H.

*The Time Interval Only Derivative and Associativity Arguments  $c1$  and  $c2$*

The perspective is changed to  $\Delta t$ -quantities and the time interval only set. The properties:  $A [a1. A1, a2. A1] = (a1 + a2). A1$ , with  $A [1. A1, 1. A1] = A [A1, A1] = 2. A1$ , where  $a1$  and  $a2$  scalars and  $A1$  one moment time quantity, usually are assumed valid for the one moment time set depending on vector addition. They are not valid for the time interval set, where property  $A [\Delta t1, \Delta t1] = \Delta t1$ , comment A, is essentially different and depends on domain addition. For the time interval derivative and addition, eq. 16 and 17, the existence of undecided arguments  $c1$  and  $c2$  reduces its value for application. The relation  $A [M]$  and  $D^* \mid \Delta t [M]$  for  $\Delta t2 = \Delta t$  depends on the results of par. 5, see below for eq. 18.

$$16 \quad D^* \mid \Delta t [M [\Delta t1, \Delta t2]] = A [c1. M [D^* \mid \Delta t [\Delta t1], \Delta t2], c2. M [\Delta t1, D^* \mid \Delta t [\Delta t2]]]$$

$$17 \quad A [a. \Delta ta, \Delta t] = D^* \mid \Delta t [a. \Delta ta] = A [c1. M [D^* \mid \Delta t [a], \Delta ta], c2. M [a, D^* \mid \Delta t [\Delta ta]]]$$

Similar with the definition for  $M$ , eq. 13, proposed is a preliminary definition for  $A [\Delta t1, \Delta t2]$ , eq. 18, that includes the derivative  $D^* \mid \Delta t2$  to time interval  $\Delta t2$ , and multiplication  $M [\Delta t1, \Delta t2]$ .

Comment 11. The definitions for  $M$  and  $A$  depend on the existence of a real, i. e. measurement, event. Only with  $\Delta t2$  equal to  $\Delta t$  the properties for  $\Delta t0$  and  $\Delta U$  make sense in the way of averaging, where averaging and measurement both relate to relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$ .

*Preliminary Definition for Addition*

$$18 \quad A [\Delta t1, \Delta t2] = D^* \mid \Delta t2 [M [\Delta t1, \Delta t2]]$$

$$A [\Delta t1, \Delta t] = D^* \mid \Delta t [M [\Delta t1, \Delta t]] = \Delta t1$$

$$A [\Delta t0, \Delta t] = D^* \mid \Delta t [M [\Delta t0, \Delta t]] = \Delta t0$$

Eq.18 is valid for  $\Delta t1$  identified with  $\Delta t$ -quantities  $cn(\Delta t)$  or  $cn'(\Delta t)$  and  $\Delta t2$  with  $\Delta t$ . Since  $cn(\Delta t)$  is linear in  $\Delta t$  due to TE equilibrium generalization to the overall time interval only set and  $\Delta t$ -quantities is supported. The multiplication closure theorem, comment B, or the multiplication linearity theorem, comment D, are necessary for this generalization. Linear subsets are discussed in comment H. First associative property AP1 is applied and canceling terms are left out. Terms cancel due to  $A [\Delta t1, \Delta t] = \Delta t1$ .

The time interval derivative 'set rule', eq. 19 and 20, is derived from preliminary definition eq. 18. Applied is, 'addition zero'  $\Delta t0$  equals  $\Delta t$  and 'multiplication unit'  $\Delta U$  similarly equals  $\Delta t$ , comment 2. For multiplication with scalar  $a$ , brackets are left out, e. g.  $M [a. \Delta t, \Delta t1] = a. \Delta t1$ . The time interval derivative 'set-rule' is such, that  $D^*$  and  $D^* \mid \Delta t$  both are 'moving to the right' of scalar  $a$ , while scalar  $a$  is 'moving to the left' out of the derivative brackets while to the right remains factor  $\text{Rest}$ . This 'set rule' is non-trivial since for invariant scalar  $a$ ,  $D^* \mid \Delta t [a]$  not necessarily equals  $\Delta U0$  and does not

correspond with  $d/dt [a]$ , equal to both the one moment time set 'addition zero' and 'multiplication zero'. Differentiation is consistent with correspondence for  $\Delta t$ -quantities with  $t$ -quantities only when introducing a non-linearity factor  $\text{Rest}$  with the time interval only derivative 'set rule'.

Eq. 19 and 20 are due to evaluation of  $A$  and  $M$  itself, applying derivatives  $D^* [A1] = [1/t, A1]u$  and  $D^* || \Delta t [\Delta t1] = [1/t, \Delta t1] || \Delta t$ , for any time interval  $\Delta t1$ , with  $\Delta t = [tb, ta]$ , and  $A1$  any one moment time quantity.  $D^* || \Delta t [a, \Delta t1]$  does not have to be linear in scalar  $a$ . The result includes  $\text{Rest}(a)$  and  $\text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t$  on the right side, and remains without arguments  $c1$  and  $c2$ . One finds the multiplication within brackets is resolved by the derivative 'moving to the right' property specific for any 'set rule'.

#### *The Time Interval Only Derivative 'Set Rule'*

$$\begin{aligned} 19 \quad D^* [a, \Delta t1] &= A [a, D^* [\Delta t1], \text{Rest}(a)] \\ \text{Rest}(a) &= M [ [1/tb, a]u, \Delta t ] = M [D^* [a], \Delta t] \\ 20 \quad D^* || \Delta t [a, \Delta t1] &= A [a, D^* || \Delta t [\Delta t1], \text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t] \\ \text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t &= M [D^* || \Delta t [a], \Delta t] \end{aligned}$$

With the time interval only derivative 'set rule', scalar  $a$  is 'moving to the left' and included is a non-linearity factor  $\text{Rest}(a)$ . This agrees with the interpretation of  $D^* || \Delta t$  'moving to the right', leaving a commutation quantity to the left like in eq. 1 and eq. 11. Factor  $\text{Rest}(a)$ , invariant during  $\Delta t$ , can be considered either from  $t$ -quantity or  $\Delta t$ -quantity perspective. Eq. 19 includes a multiplication of a  $t$ -quantity and a  $\Delta t$ -quantity which will be discussed below.  $\text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t$  is derived by applying correspondence  $C1$ , from time interval units.

The usual commutation bracket  $[1/tb, a]u$  has to be evaluated carefully. For  $a = 1$  there is  $[1/tb, 1]u = tbi. 1 - 1. tbi$ , with  $tbi = 1/tb$ , indeed part of the one moment time set. Since the specific scalar 1 is 'multiplication unit' for the scalar set,  $tbi. 1 - 1. tbi = tbi + (tbi)iv$  is valid only, i. e. equal to the one moment time 'addition zero', when the one moment time addition inverse  $tbi v$  equals  $-1. tb$  for all  $tb$  within the one moment time set. The usual commutation bracket can be resolved by rewriting it corresponding to a time interval commutation bracket equal to a time interval derivative, with commutation value 'addition zero' due to TE equilibrium, par. 2. Applied is scalar  $a$  is an invariant for time interval description operator  $\Delta t^*$ , i. e.  $a$  is invariant for time interval  $\Delta t$ , and the derivation includes a transformation of scalar  $a$  by multiplication with  $\Delta t$ .

Within eq. 19,  $\text{Rest}(a)$  equals a multiplication of a  $t$ -quantity  $A1$  with  $\Delta t$ ,  $M [A1, \Delta t] = M [A1, \Delta U]$ , a non-trivial equation since, being a  $t$ -quantity,  $A1$  arguably has time interval domain 'zero'. The operator  $\Delta t^*$  is defined with  $\Delta t^* [A1] = M [D^* || \Delta t [M [\Delta t, A1]], \Delta t] = M [A [\Delta U, A1], \Delta U]$ , for any  $t$ -quantity  $A1$ , including for  $A1 = a$ , (Hollestelle, 2021). This confirms for any scalar  $a$ : correspondence  $D^* || \Delta t [a] \sim [1/tb, a]u$  and  $\text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t \sim \text{Rest}(a)$ .

Comment 12. One moment time average  $\langle t \rangle || \Delta t = t0$ , eq. 11, and  $D^* [a]$  equals  $\langle a \rangle || \Delta t. 1/\langle t \rangle > || \Delta t = a. t0i$ , for scalar  $a$  positive and invariant with  $t$ . Assuming  $H$  time dependent, the one moment time 'multiplication unit' corresponds with the time interval 'multiplication unit':  $t0 \sim \Delta U$ . Recall  $\Delta U_i = \Delta U = \Delta t0$  and  $\Delta t_i = \Delta t$ , comment 2. It follows  $D^* || \Delta t [a]$  and  $\text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t$  both equal  $a. \Delta U$ . This means  $\text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t$  is a  $\Delta t$ -quantity, implying eq. 20 is well-defined and a time interval only derivative 'set rule'.

$\text{Rest}(a) = M [a. t0i, \Delta t] = a. M [\Delta U, \Delta t] = a. \Delta U$  for any scalar  $a$ . Similarly,  $\text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t = M [a. \Delta U, \Delta t] = a. \Delta U$ , equal to  $\Delta U$  for  $a = 1$ . In this case, for  $a = 1$ , one finds  $D^* [a, \Delta t1] = a. D^* [\Delta t1]$  and  $D^* || \Delta t [a, \Delta t1] = a. D^* || \Delta t [\Delta t1]$  as it should be.

Comment 13.  $\text{Rest}(a) = M [D^* [a], \Delta t]$ , the last part in eq. 19, can be derived independently, without considering the second part of eq. 19:  $M [[a, 1/tb]u, \Delta t]$ . This confirms one moment time derivative  $D^* [A1] = [1/t, A1]u$ , eq. 4, for  $A1$  equal to scalar  $a$  from the correspondences above.

Comment 14.  $M [\Delta U0, \Delta t1] = \Delta U0$ , with  $\Delta U0$  time interval set 'multiplication zero', corresponding with one moment time set 'multiplication zero'. The domain measure for  $\Delta U0$  is zero and  $\Delta U0 = 0$ .  $\Delta t1$  for any finite  $\Delta t1$  including  $\Delta U0 = 0. \Delta U$ . With zero domain measure,  $\Delta U0$  is not a well-defined time interval, and resembles a one moment time parameter. Time intervals with zero domain measure are not considered in the time interval set in this paper.

### *Time Interval Only Derivatives, Asymmetric Arguments c1 and c2, and Time Development*

With arguments c1 and c2 defining asymmetric second associative property AP2 for derivative  $D^* || \Delta t [M [\Delta t1, \Delta t2]]$  with eq. 16, and with  $D^* || \Delta t2 [\Delta t1] = \Delta t1$  for  $\Delta t2$  equal to  $\Delta t$ , eq. 18, one finds for  $a = 1$ :

$$21 \quad D^* || \Delta t [M [\Delta t1, \Delta t]] = A [c1. M [\Delta t1, \Delta t], c2. M [\Delta t1, \Delta t]]$$

Within the last part,  $M [\Delta t1, \Delta t] = \Delta t1$ , due to  $\Delta t = \Delta U$  and  $\Delta t = \Delta t0$  for the time interval only set.

$$22 \quad A [\Delta t1, \Delta t] = D^* || \Delta t [M [\Delta t1, \Delta t]] = A [c1. \Delta t1, c2. \Delta t1] = \Delta t1$$

This is the time interval only set relation equivalent to one moment time set relation eq. 3 where usually  $c1 = c2 = 1$ . When both c1 and c2 equal scalar 1 it follows:  $A [\Delta t1, \Delta t1] = \Delta t1$ . The same result is derived from time development interpretation only, considering domain addition, comment A. The c1 and c2 are not any scalars, they are AP2 arguments for time interval only derivative  $D^* || \Delta t$ , and possibly asymmetric and unequal. However, eq. 19 and eq. 20 introduce  $Rest(a)$  and  $Rest(a) || \Delta t$ , without applying any arguments c1 or c2. These are two interpretations for the time interval only derivative, one from the associative property and one from the 'moving to the right' property, par. 2. When  $c1 = c2 = 1$  and  $\Delta t1 = \Delta t$ , the time interval only set relation,  $D^* || \Delta t [M [\Delta t, \Delta t]] = \Delta t$ , seems similar to the usual one moment time set relation:  $d/dt [t. t] = c1. (1. t) + c2. (t. 1) = 2. t$ , however it is not. The time interval only set differs from the usual one moment time set also in this way.

### **Comment D. Multiplication Linearity theorem**

Within the time interval only description, preliminary definitions for integration and derivative in terms of time interval only set multiplication M and addition A can be eq. 13 and 18. Due to the results of par. 5, the following eq. 23 are valid at least for  $\Delta t1$  equal to resp.  $cn(\Delta t)$  or  $cn'(\Delta t)$  while  $\Delta t2 = \Delta t$ . They are valid for any two  $\Delta t$ -quantities  $\Delta t1$  and  $\Delta t2$  within the time interval only set due to the multiplication linearity theorem discussed below. This theorem is equivalent with the multiplication closure theorem, comment 8.

$$23 \quad I^* || \Delta t2 [\Delta t1] = M [\Delta t1, \Delta t2]$$

$$D^* || \Delta t2 [M [\Delta t1, \Delta t2]] = A [\Delta t1, \Delta t2]$$

*Comment 15.* In the time interval description operators are indicated with \*, depending on an 'operator quantity' for their interpretation. Operator quantities are indicated with || operator\* ||, for example the time interval description operator  $\Delta t^*$  relates to  $|| \Delta t^* || = \Delta t$ . Such operator quantities are not defined for  $I^*$  and  $D^*$  and  $I^* || \Delta t2$  and  $D^* || \Delta t2$ , even while 'working to the right' like operators. The time interval description operator working on t-quantity A1 is  $\Delta t^* [A1] = M [D^* || \Delta t [M [\Delta t, A1]]]$ ,  $\Delta t] = M [A1, \Delta t]$ , comment C, in agreement with time development addition, comment A, and the multiplication linearity theorem below. Time interval description operators are introduced in (Hollestelle, 2021).

Since  $I^* || \Delta t2$  and  $D^* || \Delta t2$  give equal results, from eq. 11, and M and A give equal results, at least for  $\Delta t1$  equal to  $cn(\Delta t)$  or  $cn'(\Delta t)$  and for  $\Delta t2 = \Delta t$ . From eq. 13 and 18 and the discussion following time interval only derivative 'set rule' eq. 19 and 20, with  $\Delta t2 = \Delta t$ , one finds  $I^* || \Delta t$  and  $D^* || \Delta t$  for  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t)$  correspond exactly with  $I^*$  and  $D^*$  for  $cn$  and  $cn'$ . Eq. 23 is a time interval only relation.

M and A depend on time interval properties resembling shared domain resp. domain addition. The difference, due to eq. 11 including  $I^* || \Delta t [cn(\Delta t)]$  and  $D^* || \Delta t [cn(\Delta t)]$ , depends on the order for  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t)$  and does not return in the result itself in terms of time intervals.  $I^* || \Delta t$  and  $D^* || \Delta t$  and M and A can have the same results since this follows from  $D^* [M [\Delta t1, \Delta t]] = A [\Delta t1, \Delta t]$  and  $D^* [M [\Delta t1, \Delta t]] = M [\Delta t1, \Delta t]$ , from properties  $A [\Delta t1, \Delta t] = \Delta t1$  and  $M [\Delta t1, \Delta t] = \Delta t1$  which are valid for any  $\Delta t1$ , due to relations  $\Delta t = \Delta t0$  and  $\Delta t = \Delta U$ .

### *Multiplication Linearity Theorem*

Equations  $I^* || \Delta t2 [\Delta t1] = M [\Delta t1, \Delta t2]$  and  $D^* || \Delta t2 [M [\Delta t1, \Delta t2]] = A [\Delta t1, \Delta t2]$  are valid for any two  $\Delta t$ -quantities, including any two time-intervals  $\Delta t1$  and  $\Delta t2$  from the time interval only set.

The theorem means generalization of eq. 23 from commutation quantities to  $\Delta t$ -quantities and time intervals. Applied are TE equilibrium and time interval derivatives. It is valid for any two  $\Delta t$ -quantities, due to comment H for linear subsets, when proven for any two  $\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2$  time intervals.

The specific Lorentz transformation TS defines  $\Delta t'$  from  $\Delta t$  with  $cn'(\Delta t) = cn(\Delta t')$ , par. 4. Transformation TS and the specific change  $\Delta t$  to  $\Delta t'$  such that Hamiltonian H remains time independent is introduced in (Hollestelle, 2021). Even when H time independent should imply  $\Delta t = \Delta t'$  both infinite, it is assumed existence of case I,  $\Delta t \neq \Delta t'$ . For transformation TS, with  $\Delta t$  transformed to  $\Delta t'$ , the multiplication linearity theorem is derived for  $\Delta t_1 = \Delta t$  and  $\Delta t_2 = \Delta t'$ , below in case I. For other transformations TN,  $\Delta t_1$  to  $\Delta t_2$ , both time intervals are finite and there is H time dependent. With nonspecific TN, the linearity of  $\Delta t_2$  with  $\Delta t_1$  is assured, even when the linearity constants do not agree with any specific transformation TS, and this is included in Case I. Case II considers the no-reverse case.

Case I. Define  $cn'(\Delta t) = cn(\Delta t')$ , correspondence C2. Since due to TE equilibrium  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn(\Delta t')$  are linear in relevant event time interval, resp.  $\Delta t$  and  $\Delta t'$  before and after transformation TS. From time interval equilibrium follows the linear transformation  $\Delta t$  to  $\Delta t'$ , and its reverse transformation. The reverse transformation  $\Delta t'$  is linear in  $cn(\Delta t)$  and thus also  $\Delta t'$  is linear in  $\Delta t$ . This means the theorem is trivially valid for these  $\Delta t_1 = \Delta t$  and  $\Delta t_2 = \Delta t'$ . TS can be reversed unless it is a 'constant' transformation, not linear, and derivative  $D^* | \Delta t$  for  $cn(\Delta t)$  or  $cn'(\Delta t)$  equals the time interval set 'multiplication zero'  $\Delta U_0$ , this is the no-reverse case.

When no specific transformation TS, with  $\Delta t_1$  to  $\Delta t_2 = (\Delta t_1)'$ , exists, a nonspecific TN transforms commutation constant  $cn(\Delta t_1)$  to  $cn(\Delta t_2)$  and  $\Delta t_1$  to  $\Delta t_2$ , however  $\Delta t_2 \neq (\Delta t_1)'$ , and in terms of proof this is the same as for TS, while time dependence for H is not decisive. This means for both TN or TS the theorem is valid for any time interval  $\Delta t_1$  and  $\Delta t_2$ , and for any  $\Delta t$ -quantities being linear in  $\Delta t$ , except for the no-reverse case.

An interpretation of change, time development, for  $\Delta t$  is necessary. For changing  $\Delta t$  the validity of the following is to be ensured:  $M' [\Delta t_1, \Delta t'] = M'' [\Delta t_1, \Delta t''] = \Delta t_1$ , i. e. relevant event time interval  $\Delta t'$  changes to  $\Delta t''$  while specific properties for M and A do not change and are defined with the relevant event time interval indication  $\Delta t$ , one of these properties is  $\Delta t = \Delta U$ . It depends on what is meant to change: before change  $\Delta t = \Delta t'$ , after change  $\Delta t = \Delta t''$ , where events with  $\Delta t'$  or  $\Delta t''$  share properties, however not all properties, to assure change.

This makes sense since it agrees with the description of star source radiation propagation, including wave packet reduction during a measurement event, relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$ , where a requirement is the metric surface measure remains invariant and equal to the propagation surface radiation energy, independent of relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$  time development, (Hollestelle, 2021).

Case II. The no-reverse case

In this case a transformation TS changes  $\Delta t_1$  to  $\Delta t_2$  however the time interval commutation quantities remain invariant:  $cn(\Delta t_1) = cn(\Delta t_2)$ ,  $cn' = cn$ , and this cannot be reversed one to one. Recall  $cn'$  relates to  $cn$  with the specific transformation TS. Consider change of  $\Delta t$  from  $\Delta t_1$  to  $\Delta t_2$  with distinct  $\Delta t_1 \neq \Delta t_2$ , with  $\Delta t = \Delta t_1$  before change. Time development for invariant  $cn(\Delta t)$  implies  $A [cn(\Delta t_2), cn(\Delta t_1)iv] = M [+/-1. D^* | \Delta t [cn(\Delta t)], A [\Delta t_2, \Delta t_1iv]] = \Delta t_0$ , par. 2.

With  $D^* | \Delta t [cn(\Delta t)] = \Delta U_0$  for variable  $\Delta t$  at  $\Delta t_1$ , one finds  $A [cn(\Delta t_2), cn(\Delta t_1)iv] = \Delta U_0$ . Then  $\Delta U_0 = \Delta t_0$ , i. e. 'multiplication zero' equals 'addition zero' for the time interval only set. Before change,  $cn(\Delta t_1)iv = cn(\Delta t)iv = \Delta tiv$ , and since  $\Delta U_0$  has time interval domain measure zero, it follows  $cn(\Delta t_2) = \Delta U_0$  for any  $\Delta t_2$ , and is not well-defined, comment 14.

With  $D^* | \Delta t [cn(\Delta t)] \neq \Delta U_0$  for variable  $\Delta t$  at  $\Delta t_1$ , where  $A [\Delta t_2, \Delta t_1] = A [\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2] = \Delta t_2$  and  $M [\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2] = \Delta t_2$ . Started is from  $\Delta t = \Delta t_1$ , with  $\Delta t = \Delta t_2$  after change.

It follows  $M [+/-1. D^* | \Delta t [cn(\Delta t)], \Delta t_2] = \Delta t_0$ , time interval 'multiplication unit', for any  $\Delta t_2$ . One finds  $+/-1. D^* | \Delta t [cn(\Delta t)] = +/-1. cn(\Delta t) = \Delta t_2i$ .

From relation  $M [cn(\Delta t), \Delta t_2] = \Delta U$ , where  $cn(\Delta t)$  is linear in  $\Delta t$  due to TE equilibrium, with some scalar constant  $a$ , and one finds  $cn(\Delta t) = a. \Delta t$ , which implies  $a = 1$ . Solution for  $M [\Delta t, \Delta t_2] = \Delta U$  before

change is  $\Delta t = \Delta t_2$ , disproving the above requirement for change of  $\Delta t$  from  $\Delta t_1$  to  $\Delta t_2$  with  $\Delta t_1 \neq \Delta t_2$ . This completes the derivation for the multiplication linearity theorem.

The validity of eq. 23 is assured for  $\Delta t_1 = \text{cn}(\Delta t)$  or  $\text{cn}'(\Delta t)$  from par. 5. From eq. 23, including the multiplication linearity theorem follow eq. 24 to 27.

$$24 \quad I^* || \Delta t [\text{cn}(\Delta t)] = A [\text{cn}(\Delta t), A [\Delta U, \text{cn}(\Delta t)]] = A [\text{cn}(\Delta t), \text{cn}(\Delta t)]$$

$$I^* || \Delta t [\text{cn}'(\Delta t)] = M [\text{cn}'(\Delta t), \Delta t] = A [\text{cn}'(\Delta t), A [\Delta U, \text{cn}'(\Delta t)]] = A [\text{cn}'(\Delta t), \text{cn}'(\Delta t)]$$

$$A [a. \Delta t_1, \Delta t] = D^* || \Delta t [M [a. \Delta t_1, \Delta t]] = D^* || \Delta t [a. I^* || \Delta t [\Delta t_1]] = A [a. D^* || \Delta t [I^* || \Delta t [\Delta t_1]], \text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t]$$

Not necessarily  $\text{cn}(\Delta t)$  follows the requirement of time interval asymmetry like  $\Delta t$  itself for situations when  $H$  time dependent, and  $-1. \text{cn}(\Delta t)$  can be valid however  $-1. \Delta t$  is not. Scalar  $a$  is 'moving to the left' from  $I^* || \Delta t$  without a non-zero factor  $\text{Rest}$ , however from  $D^* || \Delta t$  only with 'set rule' eq. 20, including  $\text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t$ . From eq. 11, one can find  $I^* || \Delta t [\text{cn}(\Delta t)] = A [\text{cn}(\Delta t), -1. \text{cn}'(\Delta t)]$ .

Time development is equal for  $\text{cn}(\Delta t)$  and  $\text{cn}'(\Delta t)$ , supported by the definition  $\text{cn}'(\Delta t) = \text{cn}(\Delta t')$  and linearity of  $\text{cn}(\Delta t)$  in  $\Delta t$ . For  $\Delta t_1 = \text{cn}(\Delta t)$  and  $\Delta t_2 = \Delta t$ , there is  $\text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t = a. \Delta U$  is non zero and for scalar  $a = 1$  this is equal to  $\Delta U = \Delta t_0$ , comment 12. Due to property  $A [\Delta t_1, \Delta U] = \Delta t_1$  for any time interval  $\Delta t_1$ , and the second associative property for  $A$ , factor  $\text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t$  can be left out and the results for  $D^* || \Delta t$ , and  $I^* || \Delta t$  are exactly the same. For any scalar  $a$  and  $\Delta t$ -quantity  $\text{cn}(\Delta t)$  linear with  $\Delta t$ , one finds eq. 25 to 27.

$$25 \quad a. \text{cn}(\Delta t) = D^* || \Delta t [a. I^* || \Delta t [\text{cn}(\Delta t)]]$$

$$26 \quad a. \text{cn}(\Delta t) = A [a. D^* || \Delta t [I^* || \Delta t [\text{cn}(\Delta t)]], \text{Rest}(a) || \Delta t]$$

$$27 \quad \text{cn}(\Delta t) = D^* || \Delta t [I^* || \Delta t [\text{cn}(\Delta t)]]$$

#### Comment E. Time interval only wave equations and structure constants

The time interval only version of a plane wave depends on wave energy rather than one moment time quantities.  $I^* || \Delta t$  and  $D^* || \Delta t$ , and  $M$  and  $A$ , have the same results, due to results from comment D, and eq. 26 and 27 can be interpreted as second order derivative equations, since the multiplication linearity theorem is valid for any  $\Delta t$ -quantity. The time interval equation sign is positive on both sides.

For the time interval version of QM field theory, where the wave momentum relation  $k = h. p$ , together with wave energy  $E = h. v$ , remain valid, referred is to (Hollestelle, 2021). The above equations can only be a time interval only 'wave' equation version, when derived from the time interval field.

From combinations of commutation brackets, equal to scalar multiplications within the generator set of a group, structure constants depend on second derivatives, (Veltman, 1974; De Wit, Smith, 1986). Structure constants for the time interval set depend on  $D^* || \Delta t [D^* || \Delta t [M]]$ , for some multiplication combination  $M$ , and on time development property, eq. 12b,  $M [\Delta t_1, \Delta t_1] = \Delta t_1$ . From the discussion eq. 8,  $\Delta N$  equals both addition and multiplication of the reciprocal pair of commutation quantities. Derivative  $D^* || \Delta t [\Delta N] = A [\text{cn}(\Delta t), \text{cn}'(\Delta t)] = \Delta N$ , and similarly the second derivative  $D^* || \Delta t [D^* || \Delta t [\Delta N]] = \Delta N$ , and eq. 25 to 27 apply to  $\Delta N$ . These eq. are exactly the requirements for time interval only structure constants.

Originating from multiplication within the time interval set,  $M = a1. \Delta N = a1. M [\text{cn}(\Delta t), \text{cn}'(\Delta t)]$ , including scalar  $a1$ , is solution for the time interval only wave equation eq. 25 and 27, and equals time interval only structure constant  $\text{NCset} = a1. \Delta N$ . Combination  $M = a1. \Delta N$  is a possible solution due to the  $D^* || \Delta t$  derivative 'set rule' with  $\text{Rest}(a1) || \Delta t = a1. \Delta U$ , for any scalar  $a1$ .

Second derivative invariants are specific Lorentz transformation TS invariants, since TS is a surface measure preserving transformation, unlike the usual Lorentz transformation TL.  $\text{NCset} = a1. \Delta N$  is an invariant for TS. Both eq. 26 and 27, and Lorentz transformation TS, can be interpreted to be a 'time interval only' structure constant requirement.

The commutation constants form an  $n$ -pair and the existence of an overall equilibrium invariant, in this case  $\Delta N = M [\text{cn}(\Delta t), \text{cn}'(\Delta t)]$ , implies properties for structure constants  $\text{NCset}$ .

Comment 16. The dimension of the set decides the number of quantities within the  $n$ -pair for this set.



*Comment 17.* The n-pair, a number of n quantities, for the time interval only set is a reciprocal 2-pair, an ordinary pair of two quantities, since time development and the time interval only set are 1-dim. Generalization to different n is possible. There is  $n = 2$  for 2 reciprocal time interval set commutation quantities  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t)$ , eq. 11a, and the time interval only set is linear in  $\Delta t$ , due to TE equilibrium, i. e. the multiplication linearity theorem. The equilibrium requirement, par. 4, implies a reduction for the number of structure constants from n to n - 1, and one independent time interval only structure constant remains, linear with  $\Delta N = M [cn(\Delta t), cn'(\Delta t)]$ .

#### **Comment F. Relevant event time interval, simply measurable, simultaneity**

One can define one moment time  $t$ , time interval  $\Delta t = [tb, ta]$  and boundaries  $tb$  and  $ta$  within a 1-dim. time development, such that they agree with how time can be measured or counted. A time measurement is proposed to include counting towards  $ta$  in the future, while counting from  $tb$  in the past. The application of counting, a method of measuring, can relate quantities like one moment time coordinates with measurements. One can proof time intervals can be measured from within to beyond relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$ , i. e. from 'timely' to 'non-timely' time intervals until a certain limit. Being 'timely', infinitesimal or 'local' in 3-space terms, means the time interval measure is additive, where 'non-timely', until a certain limit, means measurable however non-additive, non-linear. The definition of 'timely' and counting or measuring time intervals and one moment time coordinates  $tb$  and  $ta$ , is discussed in (Hollestelle, 2018, 2020).

Within the time interval description simultaneity is introduced for radiation emitted and 'on the way' during finite relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$ , however only when  $\Delta t$  is 'simply measurable', meaning measurable within one measurement. The radiation group-velocity is considered finite. It is argued the relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$  is always simply measurable. Applied are results from (Hollestelle, 2020).

Assumed is a measurement event including the reduction of one wave packet. This is a non-stationary event, and change in wave energy  $E = T$ , kinetic wave particle energy, is argued to be  $\Delta^* E = \Delta^* T = -1$ .  $E = -1$ .  $T$ , (Merzbacher, 1970). The  $\Delta^*$  means energy change, not variation. For complete reduction of the wave packet introduced is the indication  $\_$  e. g. wave packet reduction time interval is  $\Delta t\_$  with corresponding one moment time coordinate  $t\_$  and  $|t\_| = |\Delta t\_|$ . For  $|\Delta t\_|$  or one moment time measure  $|t\_| = |\Delta t\_| < |\Delta t|$  this means  $\Delta t$  is not simply measurable, i. e. not measurable within one measurement and one wave packet reduction.

Due to TE equilibrium, at  $\Delta t = \Delta t\_$  time interval derivative  $|D^*| |\Delta t [E]| = |E|$ .  $|\Delta t\_| = |T|$ .  $|t\_| = |D^* [T]|$  at  $t = t\_$ . By definition  $M [M [T, \Delta t\_], \Delta t\_] = T = -1$ .  $\Delta^* T$ , and change in energy  $T$  is  $-1$ .  $|T|$ .  $|\Delta t\_| = \Delta^* T$  and  $-1$ .  $|\Delta^* T|$ .  $|\Delta t| = \Delta^* T$  by definition of  $\Delta t = \Delta t_i$ , with solution  $|\Delta t\_| = |\Delta t|$ . One finds  $|t\_| = |\Delta t|$  meaning  $\Delta t$  is simply measurable and this confirms  $\Delta t$  is the relevant event time interval, for any measurement event and wave packet reduction event.  $\Delta t$  not necessarily is infinitesimal or 'timely'. The solution  $|\Delta t\_| = |\Delta t|$ , simply measurable requirement, is always fulfilled during any measurement event, i. e. wave packet reduction event, and relevant event time interval  $\Delta t$  always is simply measurable.

#### **Comment G. Noether charges and structure constants**

According to set theory, structure constants are independent of set representation. Within the time interval only set, the multiplication linearity theorem implies linearity for multiplications, e. g.  $M [\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2] = \Delta t_3 = a \cdot \Delta t_a$ , providing linearity constants, structure constants, without introducing the generator set or representations. The canonical property is not valid due to existence of non-zero, time interval only, derivative 'set-rule' factors  $Rest(a) |t$  and  $Rest(a) | \Delta t$ , eq. 19 and 20.

For the time interval only set, structure constants are independent of the number of necessary and different  $\Delta t_a$ , i. e. whether the collection of time interval only set subsets of different  $\Delta t_a$  is reducible or irreducible, comment D and H. Similarly, the collection of  $\Delta t_a$  subsets is not completely determined by the structure constants. The time interval only set being 1-dim. means there is one independent subset, and one independent structure constant. Structure constants can relate to time development, e. g. dispersion during measurements, traditionally they are applied for particle scattering measurements. With quantities time interval  $\Delta t$ , radiation wave energy  $h \cdot \nu$ , and group-

velocity  $c(\Delta t)$ , introduced is spherical symmetric wave propagation, within the time interval description in this paper, part I and part II. In the following linear multiplication scalars will be omitted.

Within the 1-dim. one moment time description, Noether charge  $NC = \int | \text{overall space} dq [N0]$  and 3-dim. Noether current  $NU$  are related with a continuity equation integrated for overall space:  $\int | \text{overall space} dq [d/dt. N0 + d/dq. NU]$  equals one moment time 'addition zero', (De Wit, Smith, 1986). The  $N0$  and  $NU$  together are the Noether current in 4-dim. Then  $d/dt [NC] = \int | \text{overall space} dq [d/dt. N0]$  equals one moment time 'addition zero' for any scalar multiplication, since for any Noether current  $NU$  always, including for scalar multiplication, the overall space integral equals  $< NU > | \text{overall space}$  equals one moment time 'addition zero'.

Within the time interval only description, due to similarity of multiplication  $M$  and addition  $A$ , scalar multiplication invariance can relate, due to inferred similarity with the above argument, in general to a 'gauge' transformation, meaning usually within the one moment time description a time interval addition invariance. When scalar multiplication invariance can be interpreted with 'gauge' invariance, there is the possibility of 'addition terms' for the Noether current in 4-dim. This is supported by time interval only set properties eq. 12a and 12b,  $A [\Delta t1, \Delta t1] = \Delta t1$ , and  $M [\Delta t1, \Delta t1] = \Delta t1$ .

Within the time interval only set, from correspondence can be derived the time interval Noether charge and Noether current,  $NC$  equals  $N0 \sim NC_{set}$ . Gauge transformations by itself are not the subject of this paper. For the time interval only set, in the following applied is; any Noether charge or structure constant multiplication scalar is disregarded, i. e. chosen equal to the time interval 'multiplication unit'  $\Delta U$ .

A1. Measuring plane wave group-velocity  $c(\Delta t)$ , the relevant event time interval is  $\Delta t$ , and similarly  $\Delta t$  is relevant event time interval for measuring  $\Delta q$ , with  $c(\Delta t)$  and  $\Delta q$  being  $\Delta t$ -quantities linear in  $\Delta t$ . There is  $c(\Delta t) = M [\Delta q, \Delta ti] = D^* | \Delta t [\Delta q]$ , invariant with  $t$  during  $\Delta t$ . Relation  $c(\Delta t) = M [c(\Delta t), \Delta ti] = M [M [c(\Delta t), \Delta ti], \Delta ti]$  provides  $c(\Delta t)$  to be the second derivative linearity constant, i. e.  $NC_{set} = c(\Delta t)$  is time interval only set structure constant. Similar arguments are valid for  $\Delta N$  with result  $NC_{set} = a1. \Delta N$ , comment E. However,  $c(\Delta t)$  is not dimensionless.

There is,  $M [c(\Delta t), NC_{setiv}] = A [c(\Delta t), NC_{setiv}] = NC_{set}$ , and it follows  $c(\Delta t) = \Delta U$  and  $c(\Delta t) = NC_{set}$ .

A2. This can be resolved by introducing a variable  $t$ -quantity  $h+ = 1/2 (\Delta^* p. \Delta^* q + \Delta^* q. \Delta^* p)$ , with variations  $\Delta^*$ , a possibly variable alternative for the constant of Planck  $h$ . Any constant, like  $h$  is, is both  $t$ -quantity and  $\Delta t$ -quantity within the time interval description. For  $H$  time independent and  $\Delta t$  symmetric and of infinite measure one recovers  $h+ = h$ . While considering non-interacting, dispersion free, star-source radiation propagation, it can however be claimed variations equal interval measures  $|\Delta^* q| = |\Delta q|$  and  $|\Delta^* p| = |\Delta p|$ , and  $h+ = M [E, \Delta t]$  is a  $t$ -quantity and  $\Delta t$ -quantity, linear in  $\Delta t$ , for  $E$  equal to the invariant e.m. propagation surface field energy. Recall the time interval for  $E$  can differ from the relevant event time interval for  $c(\Delta t)$ . The variations  $\Delta^*$ , variable  $h+$  and field energy  $E$  are introduced in (Hollestelle, 2020, 2021).

The linearity relation, for  $c(\Delta t)$  from A1, is similar to  $E = M [h+, \Delta ti]$ , invariant during time development without interaction. Both  $h+$  and  $c(\Delta t)$  are linear in  $\Delta t$ , they are  $\Delta t$ -quantities:  $E = M [h+, \Delta ti]$ , and  $c(\Delta t) = M [c(\Delta t), \Delta ti]$ .

Since trivially  $E = M [E, \Delta ti] = M [M [E, \Delta ti], \Delta ti]$ , both  $c(\Delta t)$  and  $E = M [E, \Delta ti]$  can be considered linearity constants and time interval structure constants except for scalar multiplication. Related to different radiation properties,  $E$  or  $c(\Delta t)$  have different dimension and value, however, there is one independent structure constant, comment 16 and 17. Interaction, from  $t$ -quantity perspective, with  $\Delta^* q = \Delta^* q(t)$  or with  $h+ = h+(t)$ , implies  $E$  and  $c(\Delta t)$  are one moment time quantities.

A3. The time interval invariants  $c_- = M [c(\Delta t)i, |c(\Delta t)|]$  for group-velocity and  $h. v_- = M [(h. v)i, |h. v|]$  for radiation energy, result in dimensionless time interval structure constants  $DC$  and  $DN$ :  $DC = |M [c(\Delta t), c_-]| = |c(\Delta t)|$ , and  $DN = |M [E, h. v_-]| = |h. v|$ . There is an ambiguity in the sign of  $DC$  and  $DN$ . Only one of  $DC$  and  $DN$  can be independent, however not necessarily  $DC = DN$ .

A4. The usual one moment time Noether charge  $NC$  equals in value  $(a_2 \cdot |h \cdot v|)^2$ , with  $a_2$  scalar, a result from (Hollestelle, 2021). Within the time interval only description a  $\Delta t$ -quantity squared through multiplication is linear in the  $\Delta t$ -quantity itself. Noether charges depend on derivative differences, and, comment E, this is an argument to expect any Noether charge is proportional with some structure constant.

A5. It is inferred the overall time interval and space interval averages for  $\Delta N = A [cn(\Delta t), cn'(\Delta t)]$  are the same, par. 4. The average domain densities with  $\Delta t$  the variable within the overall time interval only set,  $\langle D(cn, \Delta t) \rangle \propto |\Delta t|$ , and similar for  $cn'$ , are assumed to acquire lower and upper limits  $\Delta U_0$  and  $\Delta U$  resp., meaning  $cn(\Delta t)$  and  $cn'(\Delta t)$  acquire the same limits, par. 4. The limits follow from solving the wave equation for  $M$ , comment E, with the solution time interval structure constant  $M = NC_{set} = a_1 \cdot \Delta N$ , for any scalar  $a_1$ , including  $a_1 = 1$ . The time interval wave equation is related to plane wave energy solutions  $|E| = |t_0|$ , where  $t_0 \sim \Delta U$ , for  $\Delta N$ .

A6. From eq. 8 there is,  $\Delta N = M [\Delta N, A [\langle D(cn, \Delta t) \rangle \propto |\Delta t|, \langle D(cn, \Delta t') \rangle \propto |\Delta t'|]] = M [\Delta N, M [D_{set}, A [\Delta U, \Delta U_0]]]$ , with solution  $\Delta N = M [D_{set}, A [\Delta U, \Delta U_0]] = D_{set}$ . Invariant  $D_{set}$  is an approximation for the domain density averages. The averages are overall time interval set averages.

For one moment time Noether charge  $NC = a_2 \cdot |h \cdot v| = a_2 \cdot DN$  from (A3) and (A4), there is correspondence  $NC = N \sim \Delta N = D_{set}$ . There is time interval structure constant  $NC_{set} = a_1 \cdot \Delta N = M [|\langle c(\Delta t) \rangle|, \Delta U]$  from (A1) and (A5), with  $a_1$  scalar, and where  $NC_{set}$  and  $\Delta N$  belong to the linear subset for  $\Delta t$ .

A7. Time interval Noether charge  $NC_{set} = a_1 \cdot \Delta N \sim a_2 \cdot DN$ , from (A3), (A4) and (A5), still including linearity constant  $a_1$ , since there is only one  $\Delta N$  linear subset.

A8. With dimensionless  $DC = M [c(\Delta t), c_-] = |c(\Delta t)|$  equal to  $M [|\langle c(\Delta t) \rangle|, \Delta U]$ , and from (A1) the time interval Noether charge  $DC = M [|\langle c(\Delta t) \rangle|, \Delta U] \sim NC_{set}$ , and the group-velocity follows exactly from the commutation quantities,  $c(\Delta t) \sim a_1 \cdot \Delta N$ , for e.m. radiation, photons, there is  $c(\Delta t)$  equals light-velocity  $c$ . For all multiplication scalars equal to one, suggested above,  $c(\Delta t) \sim M [\Delta N, \Delta U] = \Delta N$ . From (A6)  $\Delta N$  depends on  $D_{set}$ . In this case  $c(\Delta t) \sim M [D_{set}, \Delta U] = D_{set}$ .

$D_{set}$  depends on lower and upper limit of the domain densities, (A5). Disregarding the lower limit to be zero, this suggests there is an upper limit  $|D_{set}| < |\Delta U|$  for the group-velocity, i. e. a finite group-velocity, which obviously relates to relevant time interval  $\Delta t$  to be finite. For photons, zero mass wave particles, a finite velocity  $c$  is expected. This result is independently derived within the time interval only description. However, an infinite velocity  $c$  is not consistent with observed e.m. phenomena from traditional experiments, even while however these usually are not discussed within the time interval only description.

A9. A new variable is complementary wave particle mass  $m$ , which can be zero or non-zero. Recall non-linearity factor  $Rest \propto |\Delta t|$  depends on time interval  $c(\Delta t)$  including on mass  $m$ . From Curie's principle alone one can expect the difference, zero or non-zero mass, to be measurable or distinguishable from observables, depending on Noether charges and structure constants, e. g. measurable quantities energy or group-velocity.

Forthcoming part 2 includes a discussion of relevant mass  $m$  and mass density within a time interval only description of star-source radiation energy.

## Comment H. Linear subsets

Multiplication result  $M [\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2] = \Delta t_3$  belongs to the time interval set due to the multiplication closure theorem, comment B. One assumes, TE equilibrium being maintained, any time interval including  $\Delta t_3$  is linear in  $\Delta t$ . This assumption remains to be verified for the validity of the multiplication closure theorem.

I. In (Hollestelle, 2020), and summarized in comment 6, defined are several transformations including scalar multiplication, with  $H$  remaining invariant. Due to the results in comment B including time interval multiplication interpreted with shared domain, with definition a.  $\Delta t_a = \Delta t_3 = M [\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2]$ , the multiplication a.  $\Delta t_a$  is a well-defined time interval.

II. Choose  $\Delta t_3' = \Delta t_a$ , and one finds, when  $\Delta t_a' = \Delta t$ , the specific time interval  $ca'$  and scalar  $a'$ , where  $\Delta t_a = M [ca', \Delta t_a'] = M [ca', \Delta t] = a' \cdot \Delta t$ . The  $\Delta t_a'$  define linear subsets, i. e. 1-dim. subsets  $a' \cdot \Delta t$ , for  $\Delta t$ .

III. Choose newly  $\Delta t_3 = a \cdot \Delta t_a = M [ca, \Delta t_a]$  and  $a \cdot \Delta t_a = a \cdot M [\Delta U, \Delta t_a] = M [a \cdot \Delta U, \Delta t_a]$  and this means multiplication with time interval 'multiplication unit'  $\Delta U$  or with time interval  $ca$  both leave linear subsets defined by  $a \cdot \Delta t_a$  for  $\Delta t_a$ , invariant, where linear subsets are defined by  $\Delta t_a$  for  $\Delta t$ , step II. Applied is the symmetric first associative property for  $M$ , comment B. Indeed, it follows  $M [\Delta t_1, \Delta t_2] = \Delta t_3$  is linear in  $\Delta t$ .

This confirms, in terms of linear subsets, time interval multiplication closure and the closure theorems from comment B.

**Comment 23.** Within the time interval description  $\Delta t$ -quantity Noether charge  $\Delta N = M [cn(\Delta t), cn'(\Delta t)]$  depends on multiplication and TE equilibrium,  $t$ -quantity one moment time coordinate  $t$  depends on addition and Lagrange equilibrium. Time interval description transformations 'working to the right'  $D^*$  or  $D^{*||}$   $\Delta t$  can include multiplication with  $t$  or  $t_i$  from usual commutation brackets, or can be non-linear due to the time interval derivative 'set rule' including factor Rest, eq. 19 and 20. Within the time interval description this means, non-linear events and linear events, in terms of  $H$ ; time (in-)dependent events, or in terms of time intervals only;  $\Delta t$  (a-)symmetric events, can be related by applying these transformations. For a transformation from  $H$  time dependent to  $H$  time independent or time interval  $\Delta t$  asymmetric to symmetric reversible or not can be an issue.

### Comment I. Addition commutation quantities and addition inverse

The time interval relations  $A [\Delta U_0, \Delta t_0] = \Delta t_0$  and  $\Delta U_0 = (1 + (-1)) \cdot \Delta t_0 = A [\Delta t_0, -1 \cdot \Delta t_0]$  seem contradictory. The confusion exists in applying  $-1 \cdot \Delta t_0$  to mean  $\Delta t_{0iv}$ , the addition inverse, within time interval only addition equations like  $\Delta U_0 = A [\Delta t_0, -1 \cdot \Delta t_0]$ , and interpreting time interval only 'addition zero'  $\Delta U_0$  to mean a difference including scalar  $-1$ . This originates from the one moment time description, with  $(1 + (-1)) \cdot t_0 = A [t_0, -1 \cdot t_0]$  to mean  $A [t_0, t_{0iv}]$ , this description depending on vectors. Differently, in the time interval only description for any time interval  $\Delta t_2$  the 'addition zero' depends on the addition inverse, defined with  $A [\Delta t_2, \Delta t_{2iv}] = \Delta U_0$ .

To resolve this, one can consider  $\Delta U_0$  has zero domain, comment 14, or consider there is extra degrees of freedom when quantities are subject to 'moving to the other side of the equation-sign', e. g. including scalar multiplication with  $-1 \cdot a$ , with scalar  $a$ , i. e. meaning introduction of addition commutation quantities. These can be joined to the time interval only multiplication commutation quantities, and similarly to Noether charges and structure constants, and this changes their number of degrees of freedom. The result with respect to the side of the equation-sign matters and can acquire different value, with dependence on the order of the involved time intervals.

To define addition commutation quantities, necessary is consistent correspondence with the time interval only set, including  $\langle t \rangle || \Delta t \sim \Delta U$ . However, correspondence can itself be subject to commutation quantities. A similar freedom seems to reside within rewriting Newton's laws and equilibrium definitions depending on equation-sign side in a similar way, where equilibrium is defined from differences being equal to addition 'zero', (Hollestelle, 2020).

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