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# Proposal for the Geometric Unification of All Known Forces in Nature

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**Abstract:** As a first step a unification of the gravitational with the electromagnetic interaction within a classical framework is proposed. It is based on a  $V_5$ -geometry, with  $x_5 = q/m$ . The sole source term is mechanical stress energy, positioned along  $x_5$ . The trajectories of test-bodies are placed in  $V_4$  ( $x_5 = \text{const}$ )-slices. The resulting field equation couples a geometric  $G$ -tensor to mechanical stress energy, its momentum with respect to  $V_5$  and the change of this momentum with proper time  $\tau$ . The following step proceeds to the quantization of space-time to enable the formalization of elementary particles und strong interaction. This is complimented by the inclusion of spin and the weak force, leading finally to a grand total equation, the stationary version of which corresponds to Schroedinger's equation, the instationary version to the Einstein equation of General Relativity.

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## Introduction

Four fundamental forces in nature have been identified: gravitation, electromagnetism, weak interaction and strong interaction. In electromagnetism electricity and magnetism had been unified in the 19<sup>th</sup> century by James C. Maxwell. Weak interaction and electromagnetism were formally unified as electro-weak interaction by Abdus Salam and Steven Weinberg in the sixties of the 20<sup>th</sup> century. Together with the quark model quantum chromodynamics had been developed into the standard model of particle physics. What was left aside in this model was gravitation. It plays a major role in another standard model, the cosmological one, based on the General Theory of Relativity. There have been many attempts to bridge the gap.

In the more recent past, tendencies successfully introduced group theory calculus into elementary particle physics, but the group theoretical tools seem to defy, for the time being, the integration of gravitational phenomena. Other attempts hope that String Theory may finally deliver the solution.

## Geometric Unification of Classical Gravitational and Electromagnetic Interaction in Five Dimensions: a Modified Approach

Apart from the successful unification of the electric and the magnetic forces themselves, the-two fundamental interactions out of the remaining four attracting the most and most prolonged attention for unification attempts, are the gravitational and the electromagnetic ones. Pre-relativity phenomenology presented very little scope for such "attempts", and only the description of gravitation by the Theory of General Relativity seemed to offer a promising basis: the geometric replacement of natural forces by manifold curvature. Thus, already rather soon after the introduction of General Relativity, first unification possibilities were explored. Einstein himself spent the main part of his later working life, searching for a real unification between gravitation and electromagnetism.

There is no need to go into detail with regard to the individual contributions to the unification attempts between gravitation and electromagnetism (our main concern in this section). A variety of excellent reviews exists, being the result of or again a source for others [1, 2]. One can distinguish basically two lines of approach: the affine connection method in four dimensions (space-time manifold) and the five dimensional manifold with its additional dimension being the ratio  $q/m$  (charge/mass).

The majority of present day theoreticians consider all past attempts as having been unsuccessful. This is certainly true for those yielding e. g. charged particle trajectories from the geodesic equations, which have no resemblance to reality (e. g. Einstein's affine connection theory). But other, more successful approaches are equally rejected on the grounds that either their unification emanates into already known physical structures and therefore renders itself meaningless (Weyl; his unified theory resulted in the established Maxwellian equations and therefore presented nothing excitingly new), or that the achieved unification was not a true one. Most of the five-dimensional theories are dismissed for the latter reason. It is argued, that a 5th dimension is physically unobservable. Another criterion is the non-total elimination of a characteristic electromagnetic part of the stress energy tensor, which is practically true for any of the past attempts. However, the rejection arguments are nowadays open to debate again. Some authors [3] argue that a true unification has already been achieved by the incorporation of electromagnetic terms into the stress energy tensor in Einstein's field equation; on the other hand the  $(4 + n)$ -dimensionality concept sees a revival in gauge theoretical unification attempts of the "electroweak" with the strong force.

This section presents a new approach to the unification of the gravitational with the electromagnetic interaction on a geometrical basis in 5 dimensions. Its results have been published previously [4], but are no longer available on a regular basis, since the journal (*Zeitschrift für Naturforschung*) has ceased to exist. Therefore the bulk of the article is repeated here.

Initially, only classical phenomena are considered. The criteria to be met for a "true" unification are defined. By taking these criteria and an elevated "principle of equivalence" as theoretical basis and a  $V_5$ -manifold with  $x_5 = q/m$  as tool, one is lead to a qualitative, heuristic outline of the whole unification concept. After its presentation the formulated results are laid down in a separate paragraph with an interpretation of the new resulting field equation.

### *Heuristic Concept*

The criteria for a true unification between gravitation and electromagnetism are the following:

(a) Both interactions have to be described by the same field equation, relating all field effects to the same source terms. If the unification is placed on a geometric basis, one and the same geometric structure must serve as a medium for the description of all these field effects.

(b) On a geometric basis all forces have to be replaced by a coupling of a single type main source term to geometry. No special remaining terms relating to one or the other non-unified descriptions are permitted.

(c) All dimensions of an  $n$ -dimensional manifold, presenting the geometrical framework, must be in some way physically observable. There are two principal lines of approach conceivable: a phenomenological one, based on geometry, and a more axiomatic one. Both lead to the same consequences. Let us first consider the phenomenological one.

The concept of force itself seems to be at the root of the present day split into four different types of interaction. Therefore to abandon it and place the description of physical effects on directly observable quantities, i.e. dimensions and energy, is a pre-condition for unification. This is exactly, what General Relativity does: the gravitational force is replaced by the coupling of curvature of a space-time manifold to an energy source term. It is therefore likely that only geometrical attempts for unification will be successful. As a consequence, the electromagnetic "force" as well has to be replaced by a coupling of a manifold curvature to an energy source term. Both the manifold, in which the action takes place, and the source have to be common to

gravitational and electromagnetic events. This excludes immediately the  $V_4$ -geometry of General Relativity as a unification basis and indicates for that at least a five-dimensional manifold. The common source has to be energy (related), bare of any specific terms with reference to one or the other interaction type.

The more axiomatic approach is outlined as follows: Let us postulate an "elevated principle of equivalence": "If an observer in a (special) inertial frame (i.e. a Faraday cage) is travelling in an 'accelerating' field, he can neither distinguish, whether he is moving in a gravitational or an electromagnetic or any other field, nor whether he is subjected to an apparent field (of any kind) due to acceleration of a reference frame."

This principle is a sufficient basis, to arrive with at the same conclusions, as the phenomenological approach did.

The following model in a  $V_5$ -manifold offers itself: We have three space-like, one time-like dimension and  $x_5$  with  $(q/m)$  as affine parameter. Test-bodies and energy sources (masses, etc.) reside along  $x_5$  according to their  $(q/m)$ -value in four-dimensional slices  $V_4$  ( $x_5 = \text{const}$ ). Each  $V_4$  has its own space-time geometry. Let us for simplicity assume that a test-body or a source does never change position with respect to  $x_5$  (in  $V_4(x_5 \equiv 0)$  only "neutral" test bodies move). For one and the same source term at a specific  $x_5$  the strength of the curvatures of the various  $V_4$ 's is normally different. Thus the  $V_4$ 's may appear "blown-up" or "contracted" with reference to each other and probed by the trajectories of test-particles, due to the gross curvature of the whole  $V_5$ . Equally the gross curvature of the  $V_5$  changes, and thus the relative blow-up or contraction of the  $V_4$ 's to each other, when the source is positioned at a different  $x_5$ . There is no real difference between a test-body and a source; their roles can be played by one and the same entity, and in mutual interactions of several test-bodies they are both at the same time. Thus we can postulate:

The curvature of the entire  $V_5$  geometry is dependent on the stress energy of a source *and* the position of the source along  $x_5$ .

This is not quite all. As will be seen in the quantitative results, curvature may also be coupled to the velocity of certain types of sources. Table 1 gives possible combinations test-body/source.

Table 1. Terminology.

Old		New	
test-body	source	test-body	source
neutral	neutral	in $V_4(x_5=0)$	in $V_4(x_5=0)$
neutral	charged	in $V_4(x_5=0)$	in $V_4(x_5 \neq 0)$
charged	charged	in $V_4(x_5 \neq 0)$	in $V_4(x_5 \neq 0)$
charged	neutral	in $V_4(x_5 \neq 0)$	in $V_4(x_5=0)$

For the Illustration of the above, let us pick the most general example, where both test-body and source are "charged". The source  $A$  resides at  $x_5 = a$ . Thus the entire  $V_5$  is curved initially with respect to the strength  $|A|$  and the position value  $a$ . If  $A$  would reside at  $x_5 = b \neq a$  the gross curvature of the  $V_5$  would be different. A test-body  $C$  moves in a  $V_4(x_5 = c)$ . In general  $c \neq a$ . The trajectory of  $C$  is dependent on the curvature of  $V_4(c)$ . A test-body  $D$  at  $x_5 = d \neq c$  ( $\neq a$ ) would move in a different curved  $V_4$  and thus project a different trajectory.

In traditional language the above means: the trajectory of a test-body with mass  $m_{t1}$  and charge  $q_{t1}$  under the influence of a source with mass  $m_{s1}$  and charge  $q_{s1}$  changes, when the source is replaced by one with  $m_{s2} \neq m_{s1}$  and  $q_{s2} \neq q_{s1}$ ; or: the trajectory of a test-body with  $m_{t1}$  and  $q_{t1}$  under the influence of a source with  $m_{s1}$  and  $q_{s1}$  is different from that of a test-body with  $m_{t2} \neq m_{t1}$  and  $q_{t2} \neq q_{t1}$  under the influence of the same source.

How does the general structure of a  $V_5$  look like? Figure 1 illustrates that a five-dimensional universe is a flat sheet, or rather an assembly of an infinite number of  $V_4$  sheets piled onto each other. It is not infinite in the  $x_5$ -direction, since the maximum observed and for the time being

theoretically possible value for  $x_5$  is  $(e/m_e)$ , the ratio of the electron's charge over its mass. Therefore the regions I and II in Fig. 1 are physically meaningless.

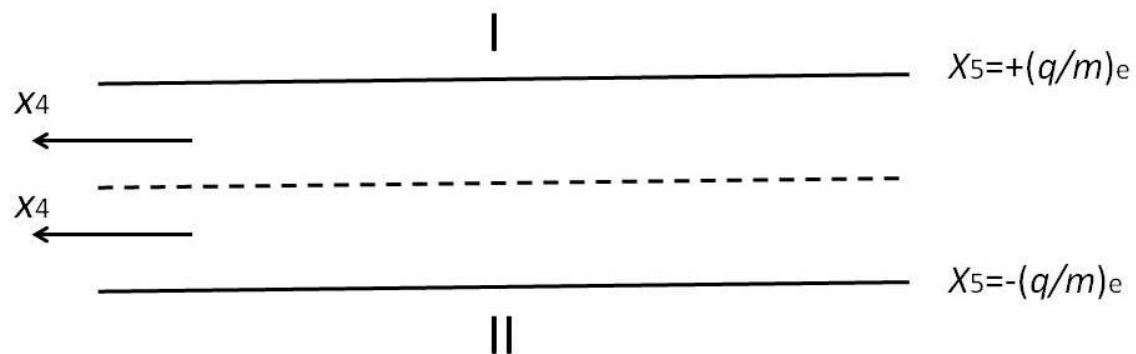


Figure 1. Global 5-Dimensional Universe.

Figure 2 shows space-time curves (particle trajectories e. g.) for constant time. The  $V_5$ , subjected to the influence of a source, somewhere situated along  $x_5$ , accommodates test-particles moving in various  $V_4$  planes. The gross curvature of the  $V_5$  determines the "blowing-up" of trajectories in the  $V_4$ 's along  $x_5$ . Thus, each geometry is coupled to one and the same source exactly as in General Relativity, only the coupling constants and the weight of the  $x_5$ -position change along  $x_5$ .

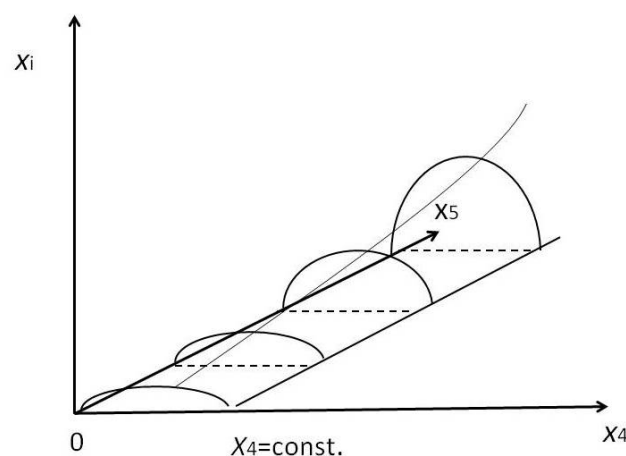


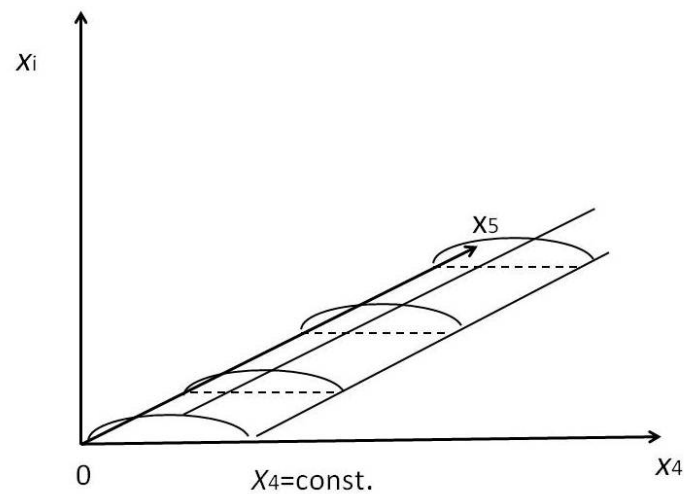
Figure 2. Particle Trajectories for Constant Time in a Curved  $V_5$ -Manifold.

Figure 3 depicts the case  $q_s = 0$ . If a source is situated at  $x_5 = 0$  the  $V_5$  is flat and all  $V_4$ 's are curved in parallel (only "gravitation"). If a test-body is placed at  $x_5 = 0$  it will always move on a geodesic, entirely determined by the strength of the source alone, independent of the position of the source and almost negligible with respect to the adjacent ones along  $x_5$  as "rest-curvature".

As was already obvious from Fig. 1, the  $V_5$ -universes is divided into two sectors, a positive and a negative (with respect to  $x_5$  assignment). If a source curves the positive sector a certain way, this curvature will be repeated inversely in the negative sector (repulsion and attraction) (s. Figure 4).

What has been achieved so far? The model eliminates the concept of charge, by postulating that test-bodies and sources possess only mass or energy, positioned along a fifth dimension at various locations (charge eliminated by geometric concept). The electromagnetic force has been

eliminated by coupling of the curvature of a five-dimensional manifold to "neutral" strength and position of such a source (always "neutral", only stress energy).



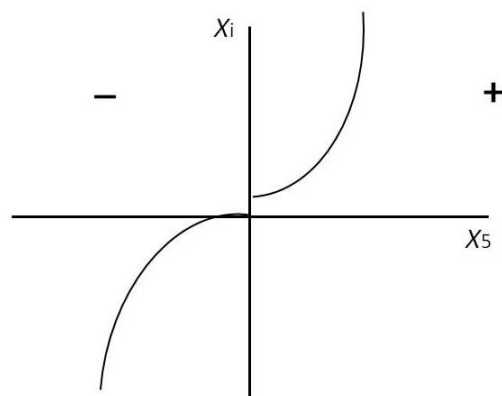
**Figure 3.** Particle Trajectories in a Flat  $V_5$ .

The unification criteria will be revisited after the quantitative presentation in the following.

### *Quantitative Results*

The mathematically tedious construction of the new unified field equation shall not be outlined in detail here. Three main points have been observed:

- (i) the quantitative presentation of the theory has to follow rigorously the heuristic expectations;
- (ii) it has to result in Einstein's field equation for the case  $x_5 = 0$ ;
- (iii) the "electromagnetic" part of the stress energy tensor had to be reduced to its "mechanical" parts only, by extracting the charge and incorporating it into  $x_5$ .



**Figure 4.** Positive and Negative Sectors of the  $V_5$ -Manifold under Curvature.

Thus the new unified field equation can be expressed in the following way (without explicit indices):

$$G = \left( \kappa_1 + \kappa_2 x_5 + u \kappa_3 x_5 \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} \right) T \quad (1)$$

$T$  is the purely mechanical stress energy,  $u$  the 4-velocity of a test body,  $\partial\tau$  an interval of proper time,

$$\kappa_1 = 8\pi \quad (2)$$

$$\kappa_2 = 1/(A_1 \varepsilon_r \varepsilon_0) \quad (3)$$

$$\kappa_3 = \frac{\mu_r \mu_0}{4\pi A_2} \int \frac{1}{r^2} \sin y dS \quad (4)$$

with the various terms in  $\kappa_2$  and  $\kappa_3$  resulting from the old electromagnetic stress energy part.

$G$  is the curvature tensor of the  $V_5$  manifold. It can be constructed by the usual well known relations from General Relativity, i.e. the Riemannian tensor for  $V_5$ , the corresponding connection coefficients and the metric

$$\Delta s = (g_{\mu\nu} \Delta x^\mu \Delta x^\nu)^{1/2} \quad (5)$$

with

$x = x_i$  and  $i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$

$x_4$  time-like,  $x_5$  "charge"-like ( $q/m$ ),

15 metric coefficients  $g_{\mu\nu}$  ..

For the construction of  $G$  and the derivation of the geodesic equation one can either start from the global  $V_5$  and end up at the various or particular  $V_4$ 's or from the  $V_4$ 's and build up the global  $V_5$  geometry. Both approaches, which are complementary, may make use of a method, developed by Arnowitt, Deser and Misner [5], briefly ADM-method, which connects a  $V_n$  to a  $V_{n-1}$ . For the Riemann tensor this looks like (with explicit indices):

$${}^{(n)}R_{ijk}^m = {}^{(n-1)}R_{ijk}^m + (n-1)({}^{(n-1)}K_{ij}K_k^m - {}^{(n-1)}K_{ik}K_j^m) \quad (6)$$

with

$$K_{im} = n \nabla_i e_m. \quad (7)$$

$K$  is called the extrinsic curvature operator,  $n$  a normal vector,  $dn$  would be the vectorial difference, generated by  $K$ , after transporting  $n$  parallel within a hyper-surface. Thus  $K$  relates the intrinsic curvature in a  $V_{n-1}$  to the global extrinsic curvature of the  $V_n$  itself;

$$\nabla_i^{(n)} e_m = {}^{(n)}\Gamma_{mi}^\mu e_\mu, \quad (8)$$

$e_\mu$  being a basis.



We can interpret the unified field equation as follows: The curvature of a  $V_5$ -manifold under the action of a unified gravitational/electromagnetic field depends on a mechanical stress energy tensor  $T$ , i.e. on its absolute value, its momentum with respect to  $x_5$  and the change of this momentum with proper time.

This is a somewhat unexpected result and differs entirely in shape from the purely gravitational Einstein equation. However, some assumptions and simplifications have been introduced along the lines of the development of the equation and these are briefly recalled here.

$T$  was assumed to be fixed along  $x_5$ , therefore  $\partial/\partial\tau$  has to be applied to  $T$ , rendering the source part dependent on a stress energy flux, corresponding when multiplied by  $x_5$  to the classical magnetic forces arising from the movement of charges in traditional descriptions. If  $T$  is assumed to be changing along  $x_5$ , one would always have to consider  $\partial(x_5 T)/\partial\tau$ . This is e.g. important in ionization processes and mass conversion. In the first case the affine parameter in a geodesic equation is most likely  $x_4$ , resulting in a trajectory of a test-body as a geodesic in a  $V_4$ . In the second case  $x_5$  could be affine parameter as well, resulting in the trajectory of a test-body changing its charge or mass during the interval under consideration.

The other assumption was that  $\kappa_2$  and  $\kappa_5$  were to be considered uniform in any of the directions. This may be true for most cases; in general, however, they should be presented as indexed tensors, their components differing according to possible anisotropies within a specific coordinate frame.

## Elementary Particles and Strong Interaction

Further unification now has to proceed along the same lines as above: on a geometric basis. But it would have to include quantum theoretical elements. This means, the present field equation would have to be modified to include the quantization of geometry itself.

### *Heuristic Postulates*

- (a) The manifold in question, including space-time, has to be quantized.
- (b) Elementary particles with a rest mass  $m_0 > 0$  are described as geometric entities, i.e. resonant structures of the quantized manifold, in which energy is trapped. These particles must be solutions of a quantum equation, relating trapped energy (rest mass) and topology.
- (c) The quantum nature of the manifold becomes apparent only at short distances, i.e. in the "long" connection a correspondence principle becomes obvious, serving for the transition from microscopic quantum limits to macroscopic continuum physics.

Un-quantized systems exist only in generalization outside a certain limit. In reality nature is subjected to quantum rules. A geometric theory must reflect this. In the  $V_5$ -theory, geometry has to be quantized and thus provide the very basis for any static and dynamic behavior within the system as being characteristically of quantum nature. Quantum effects will be directly related to quantum geometry.

If the  $V_5$  – manifold is quantized in geometrical terms (postulate (a)), the stress energy results from the agglomeration of any number and combination of quantized entities, e.g. nucleons or quarks. The quantum nature of the stress energy ("potential") propagates itself into the surrounding "continuum" – up to sufficiently small distances! Thus the surrounding geometry shows a structure basically related to the entities "at the centre of it".

An elementary particle can be defined as a certain amount of energy (rest mass), trapped in a highly curved resonant manifold configuration. Thus, if one takes into consideration a continuous manifold structure, when approaching smaller and smaller distances, i.e. reaching quantum conditions under inclusion of manifold quanta, "gravitational" (geometric-dynamical) interaction suddenly "jumps" into a quantum aspect of nature. Thus "gravitation" becomes the long range part

of “strong interaction” for a heavy particle for example. For a “charged” particle the difference constitutes itself from the position of that particle along  $x_5$ .

### Definitions

Let

$$(a) \vec{r} = (ds^2)^{1/2} \quad (9)$$

being an event interval,

(b)  $\vec{s}$  the space-time (or manifold) number

(c)  $q$  the space-time (or manifold) quantum

(d)  $\vec{R}$  a space-time (or manifold) operator

In the quantum limit:

$$\vec{r} = sq \quad (10)$$

The following quantization rule is applied:

$$\vec{R}|\vec{s} \rangle = q\vec{s}|\vec{s} \rangle = |\vec{s} \rangle q\vec{s} \quad (11)$$

Quantum limit on the metric:

$$\Delta s \geq q \quad (12)$$

$$\vec{r} \text{ describes also an event: } \vec{r}|x_1 \dots x_i \dots x_n \rangle \quad (13)$$

Thus, an event dependent state of initially any kind can be expressed generally as:

$$|\psi(\vec{r}) \rangle \quad (14)$$

This can be developed as:

$$|\psi_{\pm}(\vec{r}) \rangle = |\psi_{\text{stat}} \rangle e^{\pm i\omega\vec{r}} \quad (15)$$

with  $\omega$  initially unknown.

The meaning of  $\psi$ :

$$| \langle \vec{r} | \psi \rangle |^2 d^4\vec{r} \quad (16)$$

which is the probability, that at the event  $\vec{r}$  within the “event space” (space-time manifold) the event is in the state  $|\psi\rangle$ .

Clarification of  $\vec{r}$  :  $\vec{r}$  in geometric terms as metric corresponds to  $\vec{r}$  in quantum terms to a quantum event state, thus

$$s^2 q^2 = g_{ik} \Delta x^i \Delta x^k \quad (17)$$

To determine  $\omega$ :

$\omega$  has to be related to the energy, trapped in events, or propagated along a world line; it therefore has to be found from the Einstein equation, which relates “event space” to (stress) energy.

Intermediate, semi-classical considerations, regarding the choice of a manifold metric

The choice – in principle – of the  $g_{ik}$  etc. is to be done arbitrary with a final restriction on at least one parameter, to suit the quantum condition (12). Thus only the choice of the final set is decisive: if. e.g. the time like part is chosen to be free, then one space like part is determined to fulfill the quantum condition et vice versa.

To carry through a full quantization, one has to define a quantum geometrical Hamiltonian, - an operator, which associates energy states with purely geometric entities: let us call it “ $\Lambda$ ”.

### Development of the Energy State Equation

Determining  $\Lambda$  and  $\omega$ :

a)  $\Lambda$

$\Lambda$  carries the geometric information, which relates the manifold structure to energy states. It is therefore derived from  $G_{\mu\nu}$  (Einstein equation) under the observation of quantum rules:

$$G_{\mu\nu} \rightarrow (\text{quantized}) \Lambda \quad (18)$$

b)  $\omega$

The remaining part of the Einstein equation, being capable of yielding information for  $\omega$ , is the stress energy, thus fulfilling the requirements for  $\omega$ , outlined above:



$$\omega = 8\pi T_{\mu\nu} \quad (19)$$

To carry through a meaningful and consistent quantum relation between  $\Lambda$  and  $T$  in analogy to the Einstein equation, it is more useful to make  $\psi$  dependent on  $r^2$  rather than on  $\vec{r}$  (without vector notation):

$$|\psi(r^2)\rangle = e^{-i8\pi T_{\mu\nu} r^2} |\psi_{stat}(r^2)\rangle \quad (20)$$

The transformation from  $r^2$  to  $r^2 + \Delta r^2$  is done via the transformation matrix  $U$ :

$$|\psi(r^2, r^2 + \Delta r^2)\rangle = U |\psi(r^2)\rangle \quad (21)$$

$U$  can be expanded as:

$$U = 1 + K(r^2)\Delta r^2 \quad (22)$$

$$\text{and with } K = -i\Lambda \quad (23)$$

$$(1 - i\Lambda\Delta r^2)\psi(r^2) = |\psi(r^2)\rangle - i\Lambda\Delta r^2 |\psi(r^2)\rangle \quad (24)$$

For mathematical convenience we make the transition:

$$\Delta r^2 \rightarrow dr^2 \quad (25)$$

Thus

$$i \frac{d}{dr^2} |\psi(r^2)\rangle = \Lambda |\psi(r^2)\rangle \quad (26)$$

This is the instationary equation

Inserting the stationary terms leads to:

$$i \frac{d}{dr^2} |\psi_{stat}(r^2)\rangle = i(-i)8\pi T_{\mu\nu}(r^2) |\psi_{stat}(r^2)\rangle = 8\pi T_{\mu\nu}(r^2) |\psi_{stat}(r^2)\rangle \quad (27)$$

and finally to

$$\Lambda |\psi(r^2)\rangle = 8\pi T_{\mu\nu} |\psi(r^2)\rangle \quad (28)$$

the stationary equation.

To arrive at energy states one has to rewrite (28):

$$\text{and } T_{\mu\nu} \text{ being } T_l = \frac{\Delta E_l}{\Delta V} \rightarrow \frac{dE_l}{dV} \quad (29)$$

$$\text{leading to } \Lambda |\psi(r^2)\rangle = 8\pi \frac{dE_l}{dV} |\psi(r^2)\rangle \quad (30)$$

and integrating

$$\int \Lambda |\psi(r^2)\rangle dV = \int 8\pi dE_l |\psi(r^2)\rangle \quad (31)$$

$$\text{leads to } \int \Lambda dV |\psi(r^2)\rangle = 8\pi E_l |\psi(r^2)\rangle \quad (32)$$

the energy state equation

$$\text{with } dV = dx_1^l dx_2^l \dots dx_n^l, l = 1, 2, 3 \quad (33)$$

Thus the volume  $V$  is the product of three factors; the factors can be three out of any combination of dimension elements of an  $n$ -dimensional manifold (e. g.  $dx_1 dx_2 dx_3$  or  $dx_1 dx_2 dx_4$  or  $dx_1 dx_3 dx_4$  etc.).

Remarks to equation (28):

a) (28) corresponds to Schroedinger's equation, relating energy states to a field potential.

b) (28) corresponds formally to Einstein's equation, relating geometry (quantized) to stress energy (quantized).

## Inclusion of Spin

Spin plays an important role in the quantum mechanical application of the unified field equation; it shall be look at in this section. Basis is still equation (1) (without indices)

$$G = \left( \kappa_1 + \kappa_2 x_5 + u \kappa_3 x_5 \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} \right) T \quad (34)$$

According to F. Hehl et al. [6] the stress energy tensor can be split into

$$T \rightarrow T_c + T_s \quad (35)$$

with  $T_c$  mechanical stress energy

$T_s$  spin angular momentum

$$T_s = \theta^{ijk} = \left[ -4\theta_{..}^{ik}\theta_{[e...k]}^{jl} - 2\theta^{ikl}\theta_{.kl}^j + \theta^{kli}\theta_{kl}^{.j} + \frac{1}{2}g^{ij}(4\theta_m^{.k}\theta_{[e..k]}^{ml}) + \theta^{mlk}\theta_{mkl} \right] \quad (36)$$

thus

$$G_5 = \left( \kappa_1 + \kappa_2 x_5 + u\kappa_3 x_5 \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} \right) (T_c + T_s) = \left( \kappa_1 + \kappa_2 x_5 + u\kappa_3 x_5 \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} \right) (T_c + \theta^{ijk}), \quad (37)$$

if there is coupling between spin angular momentum and stress energy momentum, and the latter changes with time.

In case of weak coupling of

$$T_{s1} = \kappa_2 x_5 \theta^{ijk} \quad (38)$$

and

$$T_{s2} = u\kappa_3 x_5 \frac{\partial \theta^{ijk}}{\partial \tau}, \quad (39)$$

then

$$T_{s1} = T_{s2} = 0, \quad (40)$$

and the spin equation reduces to:

$$G_s^* = \left( \kappa_1 + \kappa_2 x_5 + u\kappa_3 x_5 \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} \right) T_c + \kappa_1 T_s = G + \kappa_1 T_s \quad (41)$$

with complete decoupling of spin from any charge effects.

## Inclusion of Weak Force

According to the Fermi Model [7] the interaction density for charged and neutral weak processes is

$$L_I^{weak}(x) = \frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} = \left( j_\mu^{(+)}(x) j^{(-)\mu}(x) + j_\mu^{(n)}(x) j^{(n)\mu}(x) \right) \quad (42)$$

$\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}}$  has to be found in the coupling constants  $\kappa_i, j_i$  in  $T$ .  $L_I^{weak}$  then transforms to

$$u = u_c + u_w \quad (43)$$

$u_c$  corresponds to  $u$  (originally purely electromagnetic).

$$u_{w1} = \frac{4G}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \left( u_\mu^{(+)}(x_5) u^{(-)\mu}(x_5) + u_\mu^n(x_5) u^{(n)\mu}(x_5) \right) \right) = \kappa_4(\dots) u_w \quad (44)$$

leading finally to

$$G = \left( \kappa_1 + \kappa_2 x_5 + (u_c + \kappa_4 u_w) \kappa_3 x_5 \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} \right) T \quad (45)$$

## Spin and Electro-Weak

The simplest case is a weak coupling between spin and charge:

$$G = \left( \kappa_1 + \kappa_2 x_5 + (u_c + x_4 u_w) \kappa_3 x_5 \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} \right) T_c + \kappa_1 T_s \quad (46)$$

By taking the stationary equation (28), one arrives at:

$$T_c \rightarrow \frac{dE_{T_c}}{dx_i^l} \quad (47)$$

and

$$T_s \rightarrow \frac{dE_{T_s}}{dx_i^l} \quad (48)$$

## Grand Total

The energy state equation reads:

$$\int \Lambda d_{x_i}^l |\Psi(r^2)\rangle = \left( \left( \kappa_1 + \kappa_2 x_5 + (u_c + \kappa_4 u_w) \kappa_3 x_5 \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} \right) E_{T_c} + \kappa_1 E_{T_s} \right) |\Psi(r^2)\rangle \quad (49)$$

With all factors it transforms to:

$$\int \Lambda d_{x_i}^l |\Psi(r^2)\rangle = \left( \left( 8\pi + \frac{1}{A_1 \varepsilon_r \varepsilon_0} x_5 + \left( u_c + \frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} u_w \right) \frac{\mu_r \mu_0}{4\pi A_2} x_5 \int \frac{1}{R^2} \sin \gamma dS \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} \right) E_{T_B} + 8\pi E_{T_s} \right) |\Psi(r^2)\rangle \quad (50)$$

## Conclusions

Summarizing, one can say that a formalism has been proposed to describe the nature of gravitational and electromagnetic fields in a unified way. The resulting field-equation reduces to the Einsteinian in the absence of an electromagnetic field, thus enlarging the context of General Relativity. The basis of the unification is a  $V_5$ -geometry coupled to a mechanical stress energy tensor, positioned along an  $x_5$ -dimension. The affine parameter of the 5th dimension is the ratio  $(q/m)$ , charge/mass.

Let us go back to the criteria for true unification.

(a) Evidently the first condition is fulfilled: one field equation, a common source term, one and the same geometric structure.

(b) Only the mechanical stress energy remains as source; electromagnetic contributions have been accounted for by the type of coupling to geometry, the stress energy momentum along  $x_5$  and the change with proper time of the latter.

(c) One could argue that  $x_5$  is physically un-observable. If we forget its derivation from electromagnetism, however, and regard it as true geometric dimension, it is observable, when going backwards from the field equation: the position, along which a purely mechanical source is situated in this dimension, is observable by interpretation of the geodesics of test-bodies under the influence of such a source. Inversely, when we know the position of a source, we can predict the movement of test-bodies at a specific position along  $x_5$ . Thus the "depth" of  $x_5$  can be probed, i.e. observed.

In succeeding steps the quantization of the event space has been achieved leading to stationary and instationary equations, which correspond to the Schroedinger und Einstein equations respectively. With the inclusion of spin and the weak force a grand total description of elementary particles and their interactions can be described by geometrical means only. The discrete geometry in event space is the sum of quantized energy states, depending on their location

in a  $V_5$  – manifold, their momentum relative to  $x_5$ , the change of these momentums with proper time, and spin energies.

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