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The odd 3-multivector  $\langle A \rangle_{1,3}^-$  represents a physical extended <sup>158, 293</sup> entity with a pqg-1 length *quantity* **a** with magnitude  $|\mathbf{a}|$  and a *direction*  $\hat{\mathbf{a}} = \mathbf{a}/|\mathbf{a}|$ , that is joined with a chiral pseudoscalar *pqg-3* volume *quantity* vi with a scalar volume  $v = \pm |v|$  factor (coordinate) as magnitude |vi|and *direction i*. A negative v < 0 means a sinistral volume contra a dextral volume v > 0. We now have a chiral pseudoscalar unit *i* representing the *primary quality of third grade*, a chiral *pqg-3direction* that gives the necessary extended structure of 3-space of physics.

## 6.3.3. Operational Structure of the Trivector Chiral Volume Pseudoscalar *i* of 3 Space

In the text above, we have invented a unit subject  $\mathbf{i}$ , that when it with a multiplication operation on a 1-vector object **b** creates a transversal plane subject bivector *i***b**.

To instrumentalise this we choose locally an orthonormal standard frame basis set  $\{\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \sigma_3\}$  so that  $\mathbf{b} = \beta \sigma_3$ . Then we can write  $i\mathbf{b} = \beta \sigma_2 \sigma_1 = \beta i$ , where  $i = i_3 = i\sigma_3$  is the transversal unit. When we further choose the object *direction*  $\sigma_1 = \mathbf{u} \perp \mathbf{b}$  and consider another 1-vector  $\mathbf{r} \perp \mathbf{b}$ ,  $\mathbf{r} \not\parallel \mathbf{u}$ , we can construct a 1-spinor multivector  $\langle A \rangle_{0,2}^+ = \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{u} + \mathbf{r} \wedge \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{r} \mathbf{u} = \rho \mathbf{v} \mathbf{u} = \rho U = \rho e^{i\theta}$ , with  $\mathbf{r} = \rho \mathbf{v}$ . Here we repeat that the scalar *quantity*  $\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{u} = \rho \cos \theta$  specifies the inner covariant scalar part from the 1-rotor vu arc angle  $\theta$  between the two chosen object 1-vectors u and v. External to this scalar the bivector  $\mathbf{r} \wedge \mathbf{u} = i\rho \sin \theta = \sigma_2 \sigma_1 \rho \sin \theta$  exist extended in the plane  $i = \sigma_2 \sigma_1$ . The 1-spinor  $\langle A \rangle_{0,2}^+ = \mathbf{r} \mathbf{u}$  has an amplitude, magnitude  $\rho = |\mathbf{r} \mathbf{u}|$  as a transversal plane *quantity*. We now look at the normalized 1-spinor as an exponential expanded (5.90),(5.191) 1-rotor

(6.68) 
$$\frac{\langle A \rangle_{0,2}^{+}}{|\langle A \rangle_{0,2}^{+}|} = \mathbf{v}\mathbf{u} = U = e^{\mathbf{i}\theta} = \exp(\mathbf{i}\theta) = 1 + \frac{(\mathbf{i}\theta)}{1!} + \frac{(\mathbf{i}\theta)^{2}}{2!} + \frac{(\mathbf{i}\theta)^{3}}{3!} + \frac{(\mathbf{i}\theta)^{4}}{4!} + \frac{(\mathbf{i}\theta)^{5}}{5!} + \cdots$$

The magnitude of this 1-rotor (a unitary spinor)  $\mathbf{vu} = U$  is always one  $UU^{\dagger} = |\mathbf{vu}|^2 = 1$ . The even exponents (5.92) of the bivector  $(\mathbf{i}\theta)^n$  contribute to the pure scalar  $\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{u} = \cos \theta$ , and the odd exponents (5.93) contribute to the bivector  $\mathbf{v} \wedge \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{i} \sin \theta$ . Here take  $\hat{\mathbf{\omega}} = \sigma_3$  and forget implicit the basis  $\{\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \sigma_3\}$  and instead use  $\hat{\omega} \perp i$  as the frame for *directions*. From this we define the 1-vector  $\mathbf{b} = \beta \hat{\boldsymbol{\omega}}$ , from this we scale the transversal bivector  $\boldsymbol{\theta} = i\boldsymbol{b} = i\boldsymbol{\beta}$  for a rotation angular area around **b**. For the 1-rotor we have  $\theta = \frac{1}{2\beta}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}\theta = i\theta$ , with a magnitude  $\theta = |i\theta|$ as the radian arc measure  $\theta$  of the 1-rotor angle, see Figure 5.47 where

we have that angular sector areal is the half  $|\frac{1}{2}\theta|$  of this with the pag-2 direction bivector  $\theta = 2i\theta$ , with magnitude  $2\theta = \beta$ . Hereby we express the regular rotation with this angular bivector as (5.193) from a 1-vector object  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{G}_3(\mathbb{R})$ 

(6.69) 
$$\mathcal{R}\mathbf{x} = U\mathbf{x}U^{\dagger} = e^{i\mathbf{\lambda}\mathbf{\theta}}\mathbf{x} e^{-i\mathbf{\lambda}\mathbf{\theta}} = e^{\mathbf{\theta}}\mathbf{x} = e^{i\mathbf{\theta}}\mathbf{x} e^{-i\mathbf{\theta}} = e^{i\mathbf{2}\mathbf{\theta}}\mathbf{x}$$

In comparing this with the magnitude  $|ib| = |b| = |\beta|$ the reader is encouraged to consider the idea: the first choose  $\beta = 2\theta$ , so that the rotation axis *direction* 1-vector **b** has magnitude  $|\mathbf{b}| = |2\theta|$  so that the 1-rotor is  $U = e^{\frac{1}{2}i\mathbf{b}}$  and the regular rotation is

(6.70) 
$$\underline{\mathcal{R}}\mathbf{x} = U\mathbf{x}U^{\dagger} = e^{\frac{1}{2}i\mathbf{b}}\mathbf{x} e^{-\frac{1}{2}i\mathbf{b}} = e^{i\mathbf{b}}\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{G}_3(\mathbb{R})$$

Now we have defined an operator  $\mathcal{R} = e^{i\mathbf{b}}$  that rotate a 1-vector x *direction* in 3-space around another 1-vector **b** *direction*, where the magnitude  $|\mathbf{b}| = |2\theta|$ , equals the rotation angle. Then the transversal bivector  $\theta = i\mathbf{b}$  exposes the rotation  $\mathcal{R}\mathbf{x} = U\mathbf{x}U^{\dagger} = e^{i\mathbf{b}}\mathbf{x}$ as shown in Figure 6.12, which is a perspective that has its projection on plane *i* in Figure 5.47.

Figure 6.12 Regular rotation around **b** by an angle  $\beta = 2\theta = |\mathbf{b}|$ , driven by the unitary spinor rotor  $U = e^{\frac{1}{2}i\mathbf{b}}$ , through the operator  $\mathcal{R} = e^{i\mathbf{b}}$ . 1-vector rotation:  $\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{y} = \mathcal{R}\mathbf{x} = U\mathbf{x}U^{\dagger} = e^{i\mathbf{b}}\mathbf{x}$ The rotation 1-vector **b** and its bivector  $\theta = ib$ direction  $\mathbf{i} = \mathbf{i}\widehat{\boldsymbol{\omega}}$ . Then  $U = e^{\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{i}\widehat{\boldsymbol{\omega}}\beta} = e^{\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{i}\mathbf{b}}$ .

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*direction* for a rotation axis object  $\mathbf{b} = \beta \hat{\mathbf{b}} \in \mathcal{G}_3^-(\mathbb{R})$ , where the magnitude  $\beta = |\mathbf{b}|$  represents an angle in the transversal plane **pag-2***direction* for the bivector  $i\mathbf{b} = \beta i\hat{\mathbf{b}} = i\beta$  subject in  $\mathcal{G}_2^+(\mathbb{R})$ . This is in the everyday world illustrated by pointing your index finger or arm towards the paper, a screen, a wall or even the celestial sky and you will realise that there is something transversal and by that, a space around your pointing, and we describe this connecting structure by the pag-3 *directional* chiral volume pseudoscalar unit *i* as *a primary quality of third grade* (pgg-3). The idea *i* has obtained the name pseudoscalar because 1-dimensionality as (6.28), and in  $\mathcal{G}_3(\mathbb{R})$ *commutes* with both 1-vectors and bivectors:  $i\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{X} = \mathbf{x}i$  and  $i\mathbf{B} = -\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{B}i$ , due to (6.33), (6.36) and the definition (6.21) just like a scalar multiplication. The reverse order orientation definition (6.23)  $\tilde{i} = -i$  gives the pseudo *quality*, together with the fact that  $i^2 = -1$ . In this context, we remember that ordinary scalars commute with every kind of multivector. 6.3.4. Rotation in 3-space We got the insight that the essential concept of an 3-space *entity* is rotation oscillation in a plane given by at least two unit 1-vector *directions* u and v forming a rotor concept by a product vu. Here we normalize the even spinor in  $\mathcal{G}_3^+$  by a rotor  $\langle A \rangle_{0,2}^+ = \mathbf{vu}$ . (with spinor radius  $|\mathbf{ru}| = |\mathbf{vu}| = 1$ .) It is obvious, that a permutation reverses the orientation of the rotor plane *pqg*-2 *direction*. This we from (5.191) and (5.192) express as unitary operators  $U = \mathbf{v}\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{v}\cdot\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}\wedge\mathbf{u} = e^{+\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{\theta}} = e^{+\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{i}\mathbf{b}} = e$ (6.71) $U^{\dagger} = \mathbf{u}\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}\cdot\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\wedge\mathbf{u} = e^{-\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{\theta}} = e^{-\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{i}\mathbf{b}} = e$ (6.72)Here we introduce the bivector  $\frac{1}{2}i\mathbf{b} = \frac{1}{2}\theta$  which represents the 1-rotor area with *direction*, as an argument for the 2-multi-vector exponential function  $e^{\pm \frac{1}{2}i\mathbf{b}}$ , around the axis of rotation  $\mathbf{b} = \beta \hat{\boldsymbol{\omega}}$ . Hence, the regular rotation is a linear transformation along the transversal plane  $i\hat{\omega}$  is  $\mathcal{R}\mathbf{x} = U\mathbf{x}U^{\dagger} = e^{\frac{1}{2}i\mathbf{b}}\mathbf{x}e^{-\frac{1}{2}i\mathbf{b}} = e^{i\mathbf{b}}\mathbf{x} = e^{i\widehat{\omega}\beta}\mathbf{x} = UU\mathbf{x} = U_{\beta}^{2}\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{G}_{3}(\mathbb{R}).$ (6.73)Refer to section 5.4.5. The unitary U demand that  $|U|^2 = 1$ , by (6.71), (6.72) we have  $|U|^2 = UU^{\dagger} = \mathbf{vuuv} = e^{+\frac{1}{2}i\mathbf{b}}e^{-\frac{1}{2}i\mathbf{b}} = 1.$ (6.74)One essential thing here is that rotor U does not commutate with 1-vectors  $\mathbf{x}$ . In (6.73) we have the two-sided multiplication operation (sandwiching)  $\Re \mathbf{x} = U\mathbf{x}U^{\dagger} \in \mathcal{G}_3(\mathbb{R})$ We can also have situations where we use Left or Right multiplication operations: (6.75) $\mathcal{R}_L \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{x}$  or  $\mathcal{R}_R \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{U}^{\dagger}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}\mathbf{U}$  $\in \mathcal{G}_3(\mathbb{R}).$ Anyway  $U, U^{\dagger}, U^{2}$ , exist in the same plane *direction*, a transversal plane to one and the same 1-vector *direction*, therefore we may always implicit presume a unit 1-vector *direction*  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\omega}}$  for the transversal plane  $i\hat{\omega}$ . To be explicit we can write  $U_{\theta\hat{\omega}}$ ,  $U_{\theta\hat{\omega}}^{\dagger}$ ,  $U_{\theta\hat{\omega}}^{2}$ , and therefore  $\mathcal{R}_{\beta\hat{\Theta}}\mathbf{x} = U_{\beta\hat{\Theta}}\mathbf{x}U_{\beta\hat{\Theta}}^{\dagger} = U_{\beta\hat{\Theta}}^{2}\mathbf{x}$ , with  $\beta = 2\theta$ . As an operator we have an explicit example  $\underline{\mathcal{R}}_{\beta\hat{\omega}} = U_{\beta\hat{\omega}}^2$ , where we have  $U_{\theta\hat{\omega}} = \underline{\mathcal{R}}_{L,\theta\hat{\omega}}$  from the left, and  $U_{\theta\hat{\omega}}^{\dagger} = \underline{\mathcal{R}}_{R,\theta\hat{\omega}}$  from the right. (6.76)- 247 -© Jens Erfurt Andresen, M.Sc. NBI-UCPH, Volume I - Edition 2 - 2020-22 - Revision 6 For quotation reference use: ISBN-13: 978-8797246931

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We have chosen the name  $\hat{\omega} = \sigma_2$  for the unit **pag-1** direction. When we use  $\hat{\omega}$  as our angular reference frequency count  $|\hat{\omega}| \equiv 1$  and choose the phase development parameter  $\beta = (t - x_3/c)$ we have the bivector exponential oscillation operator  $e^{i\hat{\omega}(t-x_3/c)} = e^{i\sigma_3\beta}$  in the transversal plane to  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\omega}}$ . This expresses the classical plane wave form, which is transversal to the propagation.

We desire is to make  $\hat{\omega}$  the normal rotation oscillation plane. We, therefore, led the unit bivector *i* represent this transversal plane, then we have  $i = i\hat{\omega} \in G_2^+(\mathbb{R})$ , and by that

 $\hat{\omega} = -ii$ , where we simply have chosen  $[|\hat{\omega}|^{-1}=1]$  as the unit for the phase angle parameter  $\beta$ . For  $\forall \beta \in \mathbb{R}$  we have a bivector argument in the rotation exponential  $e^{i\beta} = e^{i\hat{\omega}\beta} \in \mathcal{G}_3^+(\mathbb{R})$ .

The tradition uses the designation **n** for a plane normal therefore  $\hat{\mathbf{b}} \coloneqq \mathbf{n} = \hat{\mathbf{\omega}}$ , as the 1-vector

$e^{+\frac{1}{2}i\hat{\mathbf{b}}\beta} =$	$e^{+\frac{1}{2}i\beta}$	=	e+ <b>i</b> 0
$e^{-\frac{1}{2}i\hat{\mathbf{b}}\beta} =$	$e^{-\frac{1}{2}i\beta}$	=	$e^{-i\theta}$