

**ONE CLASS OF INVOLUTORY ANTIAUTOMORPHISM
OF RATIONAL ROTATION ALGEBRAS**

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ABSTRACT. A rational rotation algebra A_θ is a universal C^* -algebra generated by two unitaries U, V with relation $VU = \rho UV$, where $\rho = e^{2\pi i\theta}$, $0 \leq \theta \leq 1$ is rational. Any involutory antiautomorphism of a rational rotation algebra is corresponding to an involution of the torus T^2 , the spectrum of rational rotation algebra. In this paper, we prove that there is no involutory antiautomorphism in A_θ associated with the involution $\tau_1 : (\lambda, \mu) \mapsto (-\lambda, \mu)$ of the torus.

Let A_θ be the universal C^* -algebra generated by the two unitaries U, V with $VU = \rho UV$, where $\rho = e^{2\pi i\theta}$, $0 \leq \theta \leq 1$. When $\theta = p/q$ is rational, A_θ is called rational. A rational rotation algebra can be regarded as an algebra of continuous function from the square \mathbf{I}^2 to the matrix algebra $M_q(\mathbb{C})$. The spectrum of A_θ is the torus hence its centre is isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2)$. Given an antiautomorphism α , it gives rise to a homomorphism $\tilde{\alpha}$ of \mathbf{T}^2 with $\alpha f(x) = f(\tilde{\alpha}(x))$, for any $x \in \mathbf{T}^2, f \in A_\theta$. For any antiautomorphism α of $A_{\frac{p}{q}}$, let $\sigma(\alpha)$ be the associated homomorphism. Restricting the antiautomorphism α to the centre $C(\mathbf{T}^2)$ of $A_{\frac{p}{q}}$, then it establishes a bijection between the involutory antiautomorphism of $A_{\frac{p}{q}}$ and the involutions (including the identity homomorphism) of \mathbf{T}^2 . Now any involution of \mathbf{T}^2 is conjugate to one of the following five ones

$$\begin{aligned}\tau_1 &: \tau_1(\lambda, \mu) = (-\lambda, \mu), \\ \tau_2 &: \tau_2(\lambda, \mu) = (\bar{\lambda}, \mu), \\ \tau_3 &: \tau_3(\lambda, \mu) = (-\lambda, \mu), \\ \tau_4 &: \tau_4(\lambda, \mu) = (\lambda, \mu), \\ \tau_5 &: \tau_5(\lambda, \mu) = (\mu, \lambda).\end{aligned}$$

For convenience, we will denote the identity homomorphism of \mathbf{T}^2 by τ_0 . In [3] we proved briefly there is no involutory antiautomorphism associated with τ_1 . In this paper we will employ a more general approach, which applies to other cases, to show this theorem.

According to the analysis of the case $q = 2$ and $\sigma(\phi) = \tau_1$, in [3] and the relation between principal bundles and their associated fibre bundles, to investigate involutory antiautomorphism of $A_{\frac{1}{2}}$ associated with τ_1 , we can start from studying the principal PU'_2 -bundles over \mathbf{T}^2 . As the first step we give the classification of principal PU'_2 -bundles over \mathbf{T} and the conjugacy homotopy classes of their automorphisms.

Lemma 1. Let k be the transformation of \mathbb{C}^2 with $k(x, y) = (\bar{x}, \bar{y})$. Then each principal PU'_2 -bundle over \mathbf{T} is either isomorphic to the trivial $F_1 = PU'_2 \times \mathbf{T}$ or isomorphic to F_2 which is obtained from $PU'_2 \times I$ by pasting $([u], 0)$ to $([ku], 1)$.

Proof. There are two connected components, one containing I_2 and one containing k . By Lemma 3.1 of [3], we obtain the principal PU'_2 -bundles F_1 over \mathbf{T} .

As was shown in Proposition 2.1 and Lemma 3.2 of [2] the conjugacy homotopy classes of the automorphisms of a principal PU'_2 -bundle over \mathbf{T} are related to the fundamental group of PU'_2 . The following Lemma gives $\pi_1(PU'_q)$.

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Lemma 2. $\pi_1(PU'_q) \cong \mathbb{Z}_q$.

Proof. From [4,8,12.3] we have $\pi_1(U_q) = \mathbb{Z}$. From the fibration $\mathbf{T} \rightarrow U_q \rightarrow PU_q$ we have $\pi_1(\mathbf{T}) \rightarrow \pi_1(U_q) \rightarrow \pi_1(PU_q) \rightarrow \pi_0(\mathbf{T})$. The map $\pi_1(\mathbf{T}) \cong \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \cong \pi_1(U_q)$ maps $n = \text{deg}(l)$ to $nq = \text{deg}(l^q)$ for each loop l . So $\pi_1(PU_q) \cong \mathbb{Z}/q\mathbb{Z} \cong \mathbb{Z}_p$. Hence $\pi_1(PU'_q) \cong \mathbb{Z}_q$.

Lemma 3. Define automorphisms of F_1 by

- (1) $\alpha_1([u], \lambda) = ([u], \lambda)$;
- (2) $\alpha_2([u], \lambda) = ([\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} u], \lambda)$;
- (3) $\alpha_3([u], \lambda) = ([ku], \lambda)$;
- (4) $\alpha_4([u], \lambda) = ([\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} ku], \lambda)$. Then each automorphism α of F_1 is homotopic to α_i for some $i \in \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$.

Similarly, if we define automorphisms of F_2 by

- (5) $\beta_1([u], s) = ([u], s)$;
- (6) $\beta_2([u], s) = ([\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} u], s)$, where $\lambda = e^{2\pi is}$;
- (7) $\beta_3([u], s) = ([ku], s)$;
- (8) $\beta_4([u], s) = ([\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} ku], s)$, where $\lambda = e^{2\pi is}$.

Then each automorphism β of F_2 is homotopic to β_i for some $i \in \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$.

Proof. Let E be a principal PU'_2 -bundle over \mathbf{T} . Then by lemma 3 .1 of [2] any automorphism α of E corresponds to $\tilde{\alpha} \in \text{Map}(\mathbf{T}, PU'_2)$ with $\tilde{\alpha}(1) = e$ or k and with $\alpha([u], s) = ([\tilde{\alpha}_\lambda u], s)$, where $\lambda = e^{2\pi is}$. Furthermore for two automorphisms α, β of E , if $\tilde{\alpha}$ is homotopic to $\tilde{\beta}$ then α is homotopic to β .

Now $\pi_1(PU'_2) \cong \mathbb{Z}_2$ and $l_1 : \lambda \mapsto [I_2], l_2 : \lambda_1 \mapsto [\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}]$ are non-homotopic loops based on $[I_2]$. Also $l_3 : \lambda \mapsto [k], l_4 : \lambda \mapsto [\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} k]$ are non-homotopic loops based on $[k]$. The corresponding automorphisms of F_1 are $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \alpha_4$ respectively, and the corresponding automorphisms of F_2 are $\beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3, \beta_4$ respectively. Given any automorphism α of F_1 and β of F_2 , $\tilde{\alpha}$ or $\tilde{\beta}$ is homotopic to l_i for some $i \in \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$. So α is homotopic to α_i for some $i \in \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ or β is homotopic to β_i for some $i \in \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$.

Proposition 4. All principal PU'_2 -bundles over \mathbf{T}^2 are isomorphic to one of the following

- (1) $F_{1\alpha_1} = F_1 \times_{\alpha_1} \mathbf{T} = PU'_2 \times \mathbf{T}^2$;
- (2) $F_{1\alpha_2} = F_1 \times_{\alpha_2} \mathbf{T}$ which is obtained from $PU'_2 \times \mathbf{T} \times I$ by pasting $([u], \lambda, 0)$ to $([\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} u], \lambda, 1)$;
- (3) $F_{1\alpha_3} = F_1 \times_{\alpha_3} \mathbf{T}$ which is obtained from $PU'_2 \times \mathbf{T} \times I$ by pasting $([u], \lambda, 0)$ to $([ku], \lambda, 1)$;
- (4) $F_{1\alpha_4} = F_1 \times_{\alpha_4} \mathbf{T}$ which is obtained from $PU'_2 \times \mathbf{T} \times I$ by pasting $([u], \lambda, 0)$ to $([\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} ku], \lambda, 1)$;
- (5) $F_{2\beta_1} = F_2 \times_{\beta_1} \mathbf{T}$ which is obtained from $PU'_2 \times I \times I$ by pasting $([u], 0, t)$ to $([ku], 1, t)$ and pasting $([u], s, 0)$ to $([u], s, 1)$;
- (6) $F_{2\beta_2} = F_2 \times_{\beta_2} \mathbf{T}$ which is obtained from $PU'_2 \times I \times I$ by pasting $([u], 0, t)$ to $([ku], 1, t)$ and pasting $([u], s, 0)$ to $([\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} u], s, 1)$; where $\lambda = e^{2\pi is}$;

(7) $F_{2\beta_3} = F_2 \times_{\beta_3} \mathbf{T}$ which is obtained from $PU'_2 \times I \times I$ by pasting $([u], 0, t)$ to $([ku], 1, t)$ and pasting $([u], s, 0)$ to $([ku], s, 1)$;

(8) $F_{2\beta_4} = F_2 \times_{\beta_4} \mathbf{T}$ which is obtained from $PU'_2 \times I \times I$ by pasting $([u], 0, t)$ to $([ku], 1, t)$ and pasting $([u], s, 0)$ to $(\left[\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} ku], s, 1)$, $\lambda = e^{2\pi is}$.

Proof. This is a consequence of Lemma 2.1 of [1] and Lemma 3.2 of [2].

Proposition 5. Let $F_{1\alpha_1}, F_{1\alpha_2}, F_{1\alpha_3}, F_{1\alpha_4}, F_{2\beta_1}, F_{2\beta_2}, F_{2\beta_3}, F_{2\beta_4}$ be the principal PU'_2 -bundles over \mathbf{T}^2 defined in Proposition 4. Then

(1) $\Gamma(F_{1\alpha_1}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \cong C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$ with complexification isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \oplus C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$;

(2) $\Gamma(F_{1\alpha_2}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \cong \{f \in C(\mathbf{T} \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(\lambda, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(\lambda, 1) \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \lambda \in \mathbf{T}\}$ with complexification isomorphic to $A_{1/2} \oplus A_{1/2}$;

(3) $\Gamma(F_{1\alpha_3}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \cong \{f \in C(\mathbf{T} \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(\lambda, 0) = \overline{f(\lambda, 1)}, \lambda \in \mathbf{T}\}$ with complexification isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$;

(4) $\Gamma(F_{1\alpha_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \cong \{f \in C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(\lambda, \mu) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(\lambda, -\mu)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \lambda, \mu \in \mathbf{T}\}$ with complexification isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$;

(5) $\Gamma(F_{2\beta_1}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \cong \{f \in C(\mathbf{T} \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(\lambda, 0) = \overline{f(\lambda, 1)}, \lambda \in \mathbf{T}\}$ with complexification isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$;

(6) $\Gamma(F_{\alpha\beta_2}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \cong \{f \in C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(\lambda, \mu) = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\mu} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(-\lambda, \mu)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\mu} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \lambda, \mu \in \mathbf{T}\}$ with complexification isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$;

(7) $\Gamma(F_{2\beta_3}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \cong \{f \in C(I^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = \overline{f(s, 1)}, f(0, t) = \overline{f(1, t)}, s, t \in I\}$ with complexification isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$;

(8) $\Gamma(F_{2\beta_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \cong \{f \in C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(0, t) = \overline{f(1, t)}, f(s, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(s, 1)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, s, t \in I, \lambda = e^{2\pi is}\}$ with complexification isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$;

Proof. (1) The fibre bundle induced from $F_{1\alpha_1}$ with fibres isomorphic to $M_2(\mathbb{C})$ is the trivial $M_2(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathbf{T}^2$ which has cross-section algebra $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$ with complexification $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \oplus C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$.

(2) Since $F_{1\alpha_2}$ can be regarded as a principal PU'_2 -bundle over \mathbf{T}^2 obtained from $PU'_2 \times I \times I$ by pasting $([u], 0, t)$ to $([u], 1, t)$ and pasting $([u], s, 0)$ to $(\left[\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} u], s, 1)$, by Lemma 2.2 of [2] we have

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma(F_{1\alpha_2}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) &\cong \left\{ f \in C(I \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(0, t) = f(1, t), f(s, 0) \right. \\ &= \left. \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(s, 1) \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \lambda = e^{2\pi is} \right\} \\ &\cong \left\{ f \in C(\mathbf{T} \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(\lambda, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(\lambda, 1) \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \lambda \in \mathbf{T} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Define $U : \mathbf{T} \rightarrow \mathcal{U}_2$ by $U(\lambda) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$. Then

$$A(U) = \left\{ f \in C(\mathbf{T} \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(\lambda, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(\lambda, 1) \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \lambda \in \mathbf{T} \right\}$$

and $\deg(\det U_\lambda)/2 = 1/2$ and $(\deg(\det U_\lambda, 2)) = 1$. Thus by Proposition 2.8 of [1] $\Gamma(F_{(1\alpha_2)}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \cong A_{1/2}$ which has complexification $A_{1/2} \oplus A_{1/2}$.

(3) Similarly, $F_{1\alpha_3}$ can be regarded as a principal PU'_2 -bundle over \mathbf{T}^2 obtained from $PU'_2 \times I \times I$ by pasting $([u], 0, t)$ to $([u], 1, t)$ and pasting $([u], s, 0)$ to $([ku], s, 1)$. Making the homeomorphic transformation $(x, y) \mapsto (y, x)$ on \mathbf{T}^2 we get a weakly isomorphic principal PU'_2 -bundle over \mathbf{T}^2 obtained from $PU'_2 \times I \times I$ by pasting $([u], s, 0)$ to $([u], s, 1)$ and pasting $([u], 0, t)$ to $([ku], 1, t)$. By Lemma 2.2 of [2] we have

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma(F_{1\alpha_3}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) &\cong \{f \in C(I \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = f(s, 1), f(0, t) = k^{-1}f(1, t)k\} \\ &\cong \{f \in C(I \times \mathbf{T}, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(0, \lambda) = k^{-1}f(1, \lambda)k\} \\ &\cong \{f \in C(\mathbf{T} \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(\lambda, 0) = \overline{f(\lambda, 1)}\} \\ &\cong \{f \in C(I) \mid f(0) = \overline{f(1)}\} \otimes_{\mathbb{R}} C(\mathbf{T}, \mathbb{R}) \otimes_{\mathbb{R}} M_2(\mathbb{R}) \\ &\cong \{f \in C(\mathbf{T}) \mid f(-\lambda) = \overline{f(\lambda)}\} \otimes_{\mathbb{R}} C(\mathbf{T}, \mathbb{R}) \otimes_{\mathbb{R}} M_2(\mathbb{R}) \end{aligned}$$

Let $R = \{f \in C(\mathbf{T}) \mid f(-\lambda) = \overline{f(\lambda)}\}$. Thus it is to show that the complexification of R is isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T})$. Thus $\Gamma(F_{1\alpha_3}(M_2(\mathbb{C})))$ has complexification isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}) \otimes C(\mathbf{T}) \otimes M_2(\mathbb{C}) \cong C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$.

(4) The same argument as in (3) shows that

$$\begin{aligned} &\Gamma(F_{1\alpha_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \\ &\cong \left\{ f \in C(I \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = f(s, 1), f(0, t) = k^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(1, t) \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} k, \right. \\ &\quad \left. \lambda = e^{2\pi it} \in \mathbf{T} \right\} \\ &\cong \left\{ f \in C(\mathbf{T} \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(\lambda, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(\lambda, 1)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \lambda \in \mathbf{T} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Let } R = \left\{ f \in C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(\lambda, \mu) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(\lambda, -\mu)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}.$$

Define $\Phi : R \rightarrow C(\mathbf{T} \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$ by $\Phi f(\lambda, t) = f(\lambda, e^{\pi t})$. Then

$$\Phi f(\lambda, 0) = f(\lambda, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(\lambda, -1)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

and $\Phi f(\lambda, 1) = f(\lambda, -1)$. So $\Phi f(\lambda, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{\Phi f(\lambda, 1)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

Hence $\Phi f \in \Gamma(F_{1\alpha_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C})))$. Obviously Φ is injective. To show that Φ is onto $\Gamma(F_{1\alpha_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C})))$, let $g \in C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$ be defined by

$$g(\lambda, \mu) = \begin{cases} f(\lambda, t) & \text{if } \mu = e^{2\pi t} \quad t \in I \\ \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(\lambda, t)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{if } \mu = -e^{2\pi t} \quad t \in I. \end{cases}$$

for any element $f \in \Gamma(F_{1\alpha_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C})))$. Then

$$g(\lambda, e^{\pi i 0}) = f(\lambda, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(\lambda, 1)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = g(\lambda, -e^{\pi i 1})$$

and

$$g(\lambda, e^{\pi i 1}) = f(\lambda, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(\lambda, 0)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = g(\lambda, -e^{\pi i 0})$$

So g is well-defined. As a function of μ , g is continuous at ± 1 and also we have $\Phi g(\lambda, t) = g(\lambda, e^{\pi i t}) = f(\lambda, t)$. So we are left to show $g \in R$. However, when $\mu = e^{\pi i t}$, we have

$$g(\lambda, \mu) = f(\lambda, t) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{g(\lambda, -\mu)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

and when $\mu = -e^{\pi i t}$, we have

$$g(\lambda, \mu) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(\lambda, t)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{g(\lambda, -\mu)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Therefore $\Gamma(F_{1\alpha_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C})))$ is isomorphic to

$$\left\{ f \in C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(\lambda, \mu) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(\lambda, -\mu)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

Define an anti-automorphism φ of $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$ by

$$\varphi f(\lambda, \mu) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(\lambda, -\mu)^{tr} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi^2 f(\lambda, \mu) &= \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \varphi f(\lambda, -\mu)^{tr} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \left(\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(\lambda, \mu)^{tr} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right)^{tr} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= f(\lambda, \mu) \end{aligned}$$

So φ is involutory and $\varphi f(\lambda, \mu) = f^*(\lambda, \mu)$ if and only if

$$f(\lambda, \mu) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(\lambda, -\mu)} \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence the complexification of $\Gamma(F_{1\alpha_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C})))$ is isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$.

(5) By Lemma 2.2 of [2] we have

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma(F_{2\beta_1}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) &\cong \{f \in C(I \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = f(s, 1), f(0, t) = k^{-1} f(1, t)k\} \\ &\cong \Gamma(F_{1\alpha_3}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \end{aligned}$$

which has complexification isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$.

(6) By Lemma 2.2 of [2] we have

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma(F_{2\beta_2}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) &\cong \left\{ f \in C(I^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(s, 1) \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(0, t) \right. \\ &\quad \left. = k^{-1} f(1, t) k, \lambda = e^{2\pi i s} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Let $u(s, t) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-2\pi i s t} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and let $g(s, t) = u(s, t) f(s, t) u(s, t)^*$ for any $f \in \Gamma(F_{2\beta_2}(M_2(\mathbb{C})))$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} g(0, t) &= u(0, t) f(0, t) u(0, t)^* \\ &= \overline{f(0, t)} = \overline{f(1, t)} \\ &= \overline{u(1, t)^* g(1, t) u(1, t)} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} e^{-2\pi i t} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{g(1, t)} \begin{pmatrix} e^{2\pi i t} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} g(s, 0) &= u(s, 0) f(s, 0) u(s, 0)^* \\ &= f(s, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-2\pi i s} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(s, 1) \begin{pmatrix} e^{2\pi i s} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} e^{-2\pi i s} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} u(s, 1)^* g(s, 1) u(s, 1) \begin{pmatrix} e^{2\pi i s} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= g(s, 1) \end{aligned}$$

Conversely, if $g \in C(I \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$ with $\overline{g(s, 0)} = g(s, 1)$ and $g(0, t) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-2\pi i t} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{g(1, t)} \begin{pmatrix} e^{2\pi i t} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, let

$$f(s, t) = u(s, t)^* g(s, t) u(s, t),$$

then

$$\begin{aligned} f(0, t) &= u(0, t)^* g(0, t) u(0, t) \\ &= g(0, t) = u(1, t) \overline{g(1, t)} u(1, t)^* \\ &= u(1, t) u(1, t) f(1, t) u(1, t)^* u(1, t)^* \\ &= \overline{f(1, t)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(s, 0) &= u(s, 0)^* g(s, 0) u(s, 0) = g(s, 0) = g(s, 1) \\ &= u(s, 1) f(s, 1) u(s, 1)^* \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} e^{-2\pi i s} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(s, 1) \begin{pmatrix} e^{2\pi i s} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} & \Gamma(F_{2\beta_2}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \\ \cong & \left\{ f \in C(I \times I, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = f(s, 1), f(0, t) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-2\pi it} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(1, t)} \begin{pmatrix} e^{2\pi it} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \\ \cong & \left\{ f \in C(I \times \mathbf{T}, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(0, \lambda) = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(1, \lambda)} \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \\ \cong & \Gamma(F_{2\alpha_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \end{aligned}$$

which has complexification isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$.

(7) By Lemma 2.2 of [2] we have

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma(F_{2\beta_3}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) & \cong \{f \in C(I^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = k^{-1}f(s, 1)k, f(0, t) = k^{-1}f(1, t)k\} \\ & \cong \{f \in C(I^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = \overline{f(s, 1)}, f(0, t) = \overline{f(1, t)}\} \end{aligned}$$

Let $C = \{f \in C(I^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = f(s, 1), f(0, t) = f(1, t)\}$. For any $f \in C$, define a function g by

$$g(s, t) = \begin{cases} f(s + \frac{1}{2}, t)^{tr} & \text{if } s \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ f(s - \frac{1}{2}, t)^{tr} & \text{if } s \geq \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$

Then $f(s, 0) = f(s, 1), f(0, t) = f(1, t)$ shows that g is continuous and $g(s, 0) = f(s \pm 1/2, 0)^{tr} = f(s \pm 1/2, 1) = g(s, 1), g(0, t) = f(1/2, t)^{tr} = g(1, t)$. So $g \in C$.

Let $\Phi f = g$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi^2 f & = \Phi g = \begin{cases} g(s + \frac{1}{2}, t)^{tr} & \text{if } 0 \leq s \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ g(s - \frac{1}{2}, t)^{tr} & \text{if } \frac{1}{2} \leq s \leq 1 \end{cases} \\ & = f(s, t) \end{aligned}$$

So $\Phi f = g$ defines an involutory anti-homomorphism, hence surjective, from C onto itself. Clearly Φ is injective. Thus Φ is an involutory antiautomorphism of C . The associated real algebra is

$$R(\Phi) = \left\{ f \in C \mid f(s, t) = \begin{cases} \overline{f(s + \frac{1}{2}, t)} & \text{if } s \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ f(s - \frac{1}{2}, t) & \text{if } s \geq \frac{1}{2} \end{cases} \right\}$$

Let $\Delta = \{(s, t) \in I^2 \mid 1 \leq 2s + t \leq 2, 0 \leq t \leq 1\}$, and note that the map $(s, t) \mapsto (2s + t - 1, t)$ is a homomorphism from Δ onto I^2 . Then, noting that restriction to Δ is an isomorphism on $R(\Phi)$.

$$\begin{aligned} R(\Phi) & \cong \left\{ f \in C(\Delta, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = \overline{f(s - \frac{1}{2}, 1)}, f(\frac{1-t}{2}, t) = \overline{f(1 - \frac{1}{2}, t)} \right\} \\ & \cong \{f \in C(I^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = \overline{f(s, 1)}, f(0, t) = \overline{f(1, t)}\} \\ & \cong \Gamma(F_{2\beta_3}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \end{aligned}$$

Thus the complexification of $\Gamma(F_{2\beta_3}(M_2(\mathbb{C})))$ is isomorphic to C which is isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$.

(8) By Lemma 2.2 of [2] we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \Gamma(F_{2\beta_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \\ & \cong \left\{ f \in C(I^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(0, t) \right. \\ & \quad \left. = k^{-1}f(1, t)k, f(s, 0) = k^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(s, 1) \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} k, \lambda = e^{2\pi is} \right\} \\ & \cong \left\{ f \in C(I^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(s, 1)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, f(0, t) = \overline{f(1, t)} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Let C as in (7), let $\Delta = \{(s, t) \in I^2 \mid 1 \leq s + 2t \leq 2, 0 \leq s \leq 1\}$ and note that the map $(s, t) \mapsto (s, s + 2t - 1)$ is a homomorphism from Δ onto I^2 . For any $f \in C$, define a function g by

$$g(s, t) = \begin{cases} \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(t, t + \frac{1}{2})^{tr} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{if } t \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(s, t - \frac{1}{2})^{tr} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{if } t \geq \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$

Where $\lambda = e^{2\pi is}$. Then $f(s, 0) = f(s, 1), f(0, t) = f(1, t)$ show that g is continuous and

$$g(s, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(s, \frac{1}{2})^{tr} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = g(s, 1), g(0, t) = f(0, t \pm \frac{1}{2})^{tr} = g(1, t).$$

So $g \in C$. Let $\Phi f = g$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi^2 f = \Phi g &= \begin{cases} \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} g(s, t + \frac{1}{2})^{tr} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{if } 0 \leq t \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} g(s, t - \frac{1}{2})^{tr} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{if } \frac{1}{2} \leq t \leq 1 \end{cases} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \left(\begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} f(s, t)^{tr} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right)^{tr} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= f(s, t) \end{aligned}$$

So, $\Phi f = g$ define as involutory anti-homomorphism hence surjective, from C onto itself. Clearly Φ is injective. Thus Φ is an involutory antiantomorphism of C . The associated real algebra is

$$\begin{aligned} R(\Phi) &= \left\{ f \in C \mid f(s, t) = \begin{cases} \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(s, t + \frac{1}{2})} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{if } t \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(s, t - \frac{1}{2})} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{if } t \geq \frac{1}{2} \end{cases} \right\} \\ &\cong \left\{ f \in C(\Delta, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, \frac{1-s}{2}) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(s, 1 - \frac{s}{2})} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \right. \\ & \quad \left. f(0, t) = \overline{f(1, t - \frac{1}{2})} \right\} \\ &\cong \left\{ f \in C(I^2, M_2(\mathbb{C})) \mid f(s, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \overline{f(s, 1)} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\lambda} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, f(0, t) = \overline{f(1, t)} \right\} \\ &= \Gamma(F_{2\beta_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C}))) \end{aligned}$$

Thus the complexification of $\Gamma(F_{2\beta_4}(M_2(\mathbb{C})))$ is isomorphic to C which is isomorphic to $C(\mathbf{T}^2, M_2(\mathbb{C}))$.

So all the cross-section algebras of fibre bundles over \mathbf{T}^2 with fibres isomorphic to $M_2(\mathbb{C})$ and with group PU'_2 have complexification not isomorphic to $A_{1/2}$. Hence we have the following corollary.

Corollary 6. There is no involutory antiautomorphism in $A_{1/2}$ associated with $\tau_1 : (\lambda, \mu) \mapsto (-\lambda, \mu)$.

Proof. Let Φ be an involutory antiautomorphism in $A_{1/2}$ associated with τ_1 . Since τ_1 has no fixed point, by Proposition 2.7 of [3], $R(\Phi)$ is a complex type algebra with spectrum \mathbf{T}^2/τ_1 which is homomorphic to \mathbf{T}^2 . So, by Proposition 2.5 of [3], $R(\Phi) \cong \Gamma(R)$ for some fibre bundle over \mathbf{T}^2 with fibres isomorphic to $M_2(\mathbb{C})$ and with group PU'_2 and the complexification of $R(\Phi)$ is isomorphic to $A_{1/2}$. This contradicts Proposition 5.

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