

**REGULAR FUNCTIONS ON SPHERICAL NILPOTENT
ORBITS IN COMPLEX SYMMETRIC PAIRS:
CLASSICAL NON-HERMITIAN CASES**

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ABSTRACT. Given a classical semisimple complex algebraic group G and a symmetric pair (G, K) of non-Hermitian type, we study the closures of the spherical nilpotent K -orbits in the isotropy representation of K . For all such orbit closures, we study the normality and we describe the K -module structure of the ring of regular functions of the normalizations.

INTRODUCTION

Let G be a connected semisimple complex algebraic group, and let K be the fixed point subgroup of an algebraic involution θ of G . Then K is a reductive group, which is connected if G is simply-connected.

The Lie algebra \mathfrak{g} of G splits into the sum of eigenspaces of θ ,

$$\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{k} \oplus \mathfrak{p},$$

where the Lie algebra \mathfrak{k} of K is the eigenspace of eigenvalue 1, and \mathfrak{p} is the eigenspace of eigenvalue -1 . The adjoint action of G on \mathfrak{g} , once restricted to K , leaves \mathfrak{k} and \mathfrak{p} stable.

Therefore \mathfrak{p} provides an interesting representation of K , called the isotropy representation, where one may want to study the geometry of the K -orbits. With this aim, one looks at the so-called nilpotent cone $\mathcal{N}_{\mathfrak{p}} \subset \mathfrak{p}$, which consists of the elements whose K -orbit closure contains the origin. In this case, $\mathcal{N}_{\mathfrak{p}}$ actually consists of the nilpotent elements of \mathfrak{g} which belong to \mathfrak{p} . By a fundamental result of Kostant and Rallis [21], as in the case of the adjoint action of G on \mathfrak{g} , there are finitely many nilpotent K -orbits in \mathfrak{p} .

Provided K is connected, we restrict our attention to the spherical nilpotent K -orbits in \mathfrak{p} . Here spherical means with an open orbit for a Borel subgroup of K , or equivalently with a ring of regular functions which affords a multiplicity-free representation of K . The classification of these orbits is known and due to King [19].

In the present paper, we begin a systematic study of the closures of the spherical nilpotent K -orbits in \mathfrak{p} . In particular, we analyze their normality, and describe the K -module structure of the coordinate rings of their normalizations. This is done

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by making use of the technical machinery of spherical varieties, which is recalled in Section 1.

Here we will deal with the case where (G, K) is a classical symmetric pair with K semisimple, the other cases will be treated in forthcoming papers. The semisimplicity of K is equivalent to the fact that \mathfrak{p} is a simple K -module, in which case G/K is also called a symmetric space of non-Hermitian type.

Let $G_{\mathbb{R}}$ be a real form of G with Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}}$ and Cartan decomposition $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}} = \mathfrak{k}_{\mathbb{R}} + \mathfrak{p}_{\mathbb{R}}$, so that θ is induced by the corresponding Cartan involution of $G_{\mathbb{R}}$. Then K is the complexification of a maximal compact subgroup $K_{\mathbb{R}} \subset G_{\mathbb{R}}$, and the Kostant-Sekiguchi-Đoković correspondence [14, 30] establishes a bijection between the set of the nilpotent $G_{\mathbb{R}}$ -orbits in $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}}$ and the set of the nilpotent K -orbits in \mathfrak{p} . Let us briefly recall how it works, more details and references can be found in [12].

Every non-zero nilpotent element $e \in \mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}}$ lies in an $\mathfrak{sl}(2)$ -triple $\{h, e, f\} \subset \mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}}$. Every $\mathfrak{sl}(2)$ -triple $\{h, e, f\} \subset \mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}}$ is conjugate to a *Cayley triple* $\{h', e', f'\} \subset \mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}}$, that is, an $\mathfrak{sl}(2)$ -triple with $\theta(h') = -h'$, $\theta(e') = -f'$ and $\theta(f') = -e'$. To a Cayley triple in $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}}$ one can associate its *Cayley transform*

$$\{h, e, f\} \mapsto \{i(e - f), \frac{1}{2}(e + f + ih), \frac{1}{2}(e + f - ih)\} :$$

this is a normal triple in \mathfrak{g} , that is, an $\mathfrak{sl}(2)$ -triple $\{h', e', f'\}$ with $h' \in \mathfrak{k}$ and $e', f' \in \mathfrak{p}$. By [21], any non-zero nilpotent element $e \in \mathfrak{p}$ lies in a normal triple $\{h, e, f\} \subset \mathfrak{g}$, and any two normal triples with the same nilpositive element e are conjugated under K . Then the desired bijective correspondence is constructed as follows: let $\mathcal{O} \subset \mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}}$ be an adjoint nilpotent orbit, choose an element $e \in \mathcal{O}$ belonging to a Cayley triple $\{h, e, f\}$, consider its Cayley transform $\{h', e', f'\}$ and let $\mathcal{O}' = Ke'$: then $\mathcal{O}' \subset \mathfrak{p}$ is the nilpotent K -orbit corresponding to \mathcal{O} .

Among the nice geometrical properties of the Kostant-Sekiguchi-Đoković correspondence, we just recall here one result concerning sphericity: the spherical nilpotent K -orbits in \mathfrak{p} correspond to the adjoint nilpotent $G_{\mathbb{R}}$ -orbits in $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathbb{R}}$ which are multiplicity free as Hamiltonian $K_{\mathbb{R}}$ -spaces [18].

In accordance with the philosophy of the orbit method (see e.g. [1]), the unitary representations of $G_{\mathbb{R}}$ should be parametrized by the (co-)adjoint orbits of $G_{\mathbb{R}}$. In particular one is interested in the so-called unipotent representations of $G_{\mathbb{R}}$, namely those which should be attached to nilpotent orbits. The K -module structure of the ring of regular functions on a nilpotent K -orbit in \mathfrak{p} (which we compute in our spherical cases) should give information on the corresponding unitary representation of $G_{\mathbb{R}}$. Unitary representations that should be attached to the spherical nilpotent K -orbits are studied in [17] (when G is a classical group) and [29] (when G is the special linear group). When G is the symplectic group, for particular spherical nilpotent K -orbits, such representations are constructed in [31] and [32].

The normality and the K -module structure of the coordinate ring of the closure of a spherical nilpotent K -orbit in \mathfrak{p} have been studied in several particular cases, with different methods, by Nishiyama [24], [25], by Nishiyama, Ochiai and Zhu [26], and by Binegar [2].

In Appendix A we report the list of the spherical nilpotent K -orbits in \mathfrak{p} for all symmetric pairs $(\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{k})$ of classical non-Hermitian type.

In the classical cases, the adjoint nilpotent orbits in real simple algebras are classified in terms of signed partitions, as explained in [12, Chapter 9]. In the list, every orbit is labelled with its corresponding signed partition.

For every orbit we provide an explicit description of a representative $e \in \mathfrak{p}$, as element of a normal triple $\{h, e, f\}$, and the centralizer of e , which we denote by K_e . All these data can be directly computed using King's paper on the classification of the spherical nilpotent K -orbits [19] (but we point out a missing case therein, see Remark A.1).

The first datum which is somewhat new in this work is the Luna spherical system associated with $N_K(K_e)$, the normalizer of K_e in K , which is a wonderful subgroup of K . It is equal to $K_{[e]}$, the stabilizer of the line through e , and notice that $K_{[e]}/K_e \cong \mathbb{C}^\times$.

The Luna spherical systems are used to deduce the normality or non-normality of the K -orbits, and to compute the corresponding K -modules of regular functions.

Appendix B consists of two sets of tables, where we summarize our results on the spherical nilpotent K -orbits in \mathfrak{p} . Given such an orbit $\mathcal{O} = Ke$, in the first set (Tables 2–11) we describe the normality of its closure $\overline{\mathcal{O}}$, and if $\tilde{\mathcal{O}} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{O}}$ denotes the normalization, we describe the K -module structure of $\mathbb{C}[\tilde{\mathcal{O}}]$ by giving a set of generators of its weight semigroup $\Gamma(\tilde{\mathcal{O}})$ (that is, the set of the highest weights occurring in $\mathbb{C}[\tilde{\mathcal{O}}]$). The second set (Tables 12–20) contains the Luna spherical systems of $N_K(K_e)$.

In Section 1 we compute the Luna spherical systems. In Section 2 we study the multiplication of sections of globally generated line bundles on the corresponding wonderful varieties, which turns out to be always surjective in all cases except one. In Section 3 we deduce our results on normality and semigroups.

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Notation. Simple roots of irreducible root systems are denoted by $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots$ and enumerated as in Bourbaki, when belonging to different irreducible components they are denoted by $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha'_1, \alpha'_2, \dots, \alpha''_1, \alpha''_2, \dots$, and so on. For the fundamental weights we adopt the same convention, they are denoted by $\omega_1, \omega_2, \dots, \omega'_1, \omega'_2, \dots, \omega''_1, \omega''_2, \dots$, and so on. In the tables for the orthogonal cases at the end of the paper we use a variation of the fundamental weights $\varpi_1, \varpi_2, \dots$ which is explained in Appendix B.

By $V(\lambda)$ we denote the simple module of highest weight λ , the acting group will be clear from the context.

1. SPHERICAL SYSTEMS

In this section we compute the Luna spherical systems given in the tables at the end of the paper, in Appendix B.

First, let us briefly explain what a Luna spherical system is, see e.g. [5] for a plain introduction.

1.1. Luna spherical systems. Recall that a subgroup H of K is called wonderful if the homogeneous space K/H admits an open equivariant embedding in a wonderful K -variety. A K -variety is called wonderful if it is smooth, complete, with an open K -orbit whose complement is union of D_1, \dots, D_r smooth prime K -stable divisors with non-empty transversal crossings such that two points x, x' lie in the same K -orbit if and only if

$$\{i : x \in D_i\} = \{i : x' \in D_i\}.$$

The wonderful embedding of K/H is unique up to equivariant isomorphism, and is a projective spherical K -variety. The number r of the prime K -stable divisors is called the rank of X .

Let us fix, inside K , a maximal torus T and a Borel subgroup B containing T . This choice yields a root system R and a set of simple roots S in R . Let us also denote by $(,)$ the scalar product in the Euclidean space spanned by R , by α^\vee the coroot associated with α , and by \langle , \rangle the usual Cartan pairing

$$\langle \alpha^\vee, \lambda \rangle = 2 \frac{(\alpha, \lambda)}{(\alpha, \alpha)}.$$

For any spherical K -variety X , the set of colors, which is denoted by Δ_X , is the set of prime B -stable non- K -stable divisors of X . It is a finite set. In our case, if X is the wonderful embedding of K/H , the colors of K/H are just the irreducible components of the complement of the open B -orbit, and the colors of X are just the closures of the colors of K/H , so that the two sets Δ_X and $\Delta_{K/H}$ are naturally identified.

For any spherical K -variety X one can also define another finite set, the set of spherical roots, usually denoted by Σ_X . Here we recall its definition only in the wonderful case. Suppose X is the wonderful embedding of K/H . By definition X contains a unique closed K -orbit, therefore every Borel subgroup of K fixes in X a unique point. Let us call z the point fixed by B^- , the opposite of the Borel subgroup B . For all K -stable prime divisors D_i , let σ_i be T -eigenvalue occurring in the normal space of D_i at z

$$\frac{T_z X}{T_z D_i}.$$

Then the set of spherical roots is the set $\Sigma_X = \{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_r\}$, also denoted by $\Sigma_{K/H}$. The spherical roots are linearly independent and the corresponding reflections

$$\gamma \mapsto \gamma - 2 \frac{(\sigma_i, \gamma)}{(\sigma_i, \sigma_i)} \sigma_i$$

generate a finite group of orthogonal transformations which is called the little Weyl group of X . In our case, in which the center of K acts trivially, the spherical roots are elements of $\mathbb{N}S$, that is, linear combinations with non-negative integer coefficients of simple roots.

The Picard group of a wonderful variety X is freely generated by the equivalence classes of the colors of X . Expressing the classes of the K -stable divisors in terms of the basis given by the classes of colors

$$[D_i] = \sum_{D \in \Delta_{K/H}} c_{K/H}(D, \sigma_i) [D]$$

we get a \mathbb{Z} -bilinear pairing, which is also called Cartan pairing,

$$c_{K/H} : \mathbb{Z}\Delta_{K/H} \times \mathbb{Z}\Sigma_{K/H} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}.$$

It is known to satisfy quite strong restrictions, as follows.

For any simple root $\alpha \in S$, the set of colors moved by α , which is denoted by $\Delta_{K/H}(\alpha)$, is the set of colors that are not stable under the action of the minimal parabolic subgroup $P_{\{\alpha\}}$. Any simple root α moves at most two colors, and more precisely there are exactly four cases:

- Case **p**) α moves no colors;
 Case **a**) α moves two colors, this happens if and only if $\alpha \in \Sigma_{K/H}$, and in this case we have
- (1) $\Delta_{K/H}(\alpha) = \{D \in \Delta_{K/H} : c_{K/H}(D, \alpha) = 1\}$,
 - (2) $c_{K/H}(D, \sigma) \leq 1$ for all $D \in \Delta_{K/H}(\alpha)$ and $\sigma \in \Sigma_{K/H}$,
 - (3) $\sum_{D \in \Delta_{K/H}(\alpha)} c_{K/H}(D, \sigma) = \langle \alpha^\vee, \sigma \rangle$ for all $\sigma \in \Sigma_{K/H}$;
- Case **2a**) α moves one color and $2\alpha \in \Sigma_{K/H}$, in this case if $D \in \Delta_{K/H}(\alpha)$ we have $c_{K/H}(D, \sigma) = \frac{1}{2}\langle \alpha^\vee, \sigma \rangle$ for all $\sigma \in \Sigma_{K/H}$;
 Case **b**) α moves one color and $2\alpha \notin \Sigma_{K/H}$, in this case if $D \in \Delta_{K/H}(\alpha)$ we have $c_{K/H}(D, \sigma) = \langle \alpha^\vee, \sigma \rangle$ for all $\sigma \in \Sigma_{K/H}$.

The set of simple roots moving no colors is denoted by $S_{K/H}^p$.

The set of colors $\Delta_{K/H}$ is a disjoint union of subsets $\Delta_{K/H}^a, \Delta_{K/H}^{2a}, \Delta_{K/H}^b$ which consist of colors moved by simple roots of type (a), (2a), (b), respectively. The set $\Delta_{K/H}^a$ is also denoted by $A_{K/H}$.

- Case **a**) A color in $A_{K/H}$ may be moved by several simple roots.
 Case **2a**) A color in $\Delta_{K/H}^{2a}$ is moved by a unique simple root.
 Case **b**) A color in $\Delta_{K/H}^b$ may be moved by at most two simple roots, in this case two simple roots α and β move the same color if and only if α and β are orthogonal and $\alpha + \beta \in \Sigma_{K/H}$.

Notice that the full Cartan pairing $c_{K/H} : \mathbb{Z}\Delta_{K/H} \times \mathbb{Z}\Sigma_{K/H} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ is determined by its restriction to $A_{K/H} \times \Sigma_{K/H}$.

If H is a wonderful subgroup of K , the triple $(S_{K/H}^p, \Sigma_{K/H}, A_{K/H})$, endowed with the map $c_{K/H} : A_{K/H} \times \Sigma_{K/H} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$, is called the spherical system of H .

1.2. Luna diagrams. In Appendix B, we present the spherical systems of the wonderful subgroups $H = N_K(K_e)$ of K by providing the sets of spherical roots $\Sigma_{K/H}$ and the Luna diagrams. The Luna diagram of a spherical system consists of the Dynkin diagram of K decorated with some extra symbols from which one can read off all the data of the spherical system. Let us briefly explain how it works, here we only explain how to read off the missing data (the set $S_{K/H}^p$ and the map $c_{K/H} : A_{K/H} \times \Sigma_{K/H}$), see e.g. [5] for a complete description.

Every circle (shadowed or not) represents a color. Circles corresponding to the same color are joined by a line. The colors moved by a simple root are close to the corresponding vertex of the Dynkin diagram:

- Case **p**) no circle is placed in correspondence of the vertex,

1.3. Operations on spherical systems. Here we briefly recall the definition and the essential properties of some combinatorial operations on spherical systems which correspond to geometric operations on wonderful varieties, see e.g. [5] for some more details and references.

1.3.1. *Subsystems.* All (irreducible) K -subvarieties of a wonderful K -variety X are wonderful, they are exactly the K -orbit closures of X , and are in correspondence with the subsets of Σ_X . If D_1, \dots, D_r are the K -stable prime divisors of X , recall that the spherical roots $\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_r$ are T -eigenvalues occurring respectively in the normal spaces of D_i at z , $T_z X / T_z D_i$. Therefore, every K -subvariety X' of X is the intersection of some K -stable prime divisors

$$X' = \bigcap_{i \in I} D_i$$

for some $I \subset \{1, \dots, r\}$. Its spherical system is thus given by

- $S_{X'}^p = S_X^p$,
- $\Sigma_{X'} = \{\sigma_i : i \notin I\}$,
- $A_{X'} = \bigcup_{\alpha \in S \cap \Sigma_{X'}} \Delta_X(\alpha)$ with the map c_X restricted to $\mathbb{Z}A_{X'} \times \mathbb{Z}\Sigma_{X'}$.

1.3.2. *Quotients.* Let X_1 and X_2 be the wonderful embeddings of K/H_1 and K/H_2 , respectively. If H_1 is included in H_2 with connected quotient H_2/H_1 , there exists a surjective equivariant morphism from X_1 to X_2 with connected fibers.

In terms of spherical systems this is equivalent to an operation called quotient, as follows.

A subset Δ' of Δ_{X_1} is called distinguished if there exists a linear combination with positive coefficients

$$D' \in \sum_{D \in \Delta'} n_D D$$

such that $c_{X_1}(D', \sigma) \geq 0$ for all $\sigma \in \Sigma_{X_1}$.

If Δ' is distinguished, the monoid

$$(\mathbb{N}\Sigma_{X_1})/\Delta' = \{\sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma_{X_1} : c_{X_1}(D, \sigma) = 0 \forall D \in \Delta'\}$$

is known to be free [3]. Therefore, we can consider the following triple, which is called the quotient of the spherical system of X_1 by Δ' :

- $S_{X_1}^p/\Delta' = \{\alpha \in S : \Delta_{X_1}(\alpha) \subset \Delta'\}$,
- Σ_{X_1}/Δ' , the basis of $(\mathbb{N}\Sigma_{X_1})/\Delta'$,
- $A_{X_1}/\Delta' = \bigcup_{\alpha \in S \cap (\Sigma_{X_1}/\Delta')} \Delta_{X_1}(\alpha)$ endowed with the map c_{X_1} restricted to $\mathbb{Z}(A_{X_1}/\Delta') \times \mathbb{Z}(\Sigma_{X_1}/\Delta')$.

If X_1 and X_2 are wonderful K -varieties with a surjective equivariant morphism with connected fibers $\varphi: X_1 \rightarrow X_2$, then $\Delta'_\varphi = \{D \in \Delta_{X_1} : \varphi(D) = X_2\}$ is distinguished and the spherical system of X_2 is equal to the quotient of the spherical system of X_1 by Δ'_φ .

If X_1 is a wonderful K -variety, every distinguished subset Δ' of Δ_{X_1} corresponds in this way to a surjective equivariant morphism with connected fibers onto a wonderful variety whose spherical system is equal to the quotient of the spherical system of X_1 by Δ' .

1.3.3. *Parabolic inductions.* Let Q be a parabolic subgroup of K , with Levi decomposition $Q = LQ^u$. A wonderful K -variety X is said to be obtained by parabolic induction from the wonderful L -variety Y if

$$X \cong K \times_Q Y,$$

where Q^u acts trivially on Y .

Further, since Y is a wonderful L -variety, the radical of L acts trivially on Y , as well.

Clearly, if the wonderful K -variety X is obtained by parabolic induction from the wonderful embedding of L/M , then X is the wonderful embedding of $K/(MQ^u)$.

In terms of spherical systems this corresponds to the following situation.

Assume that Q contains B^- and L contains T , denote by S_L the subset of S generating the root subsystem of L .

The wonderful K -variety X is obtained by parabolic induction from a wonderful L -variety Y if and only if

$$S_X^p \cup \{\text{supp } \sigma : \forall \sigma \in \Sigma_X\} \subset S_L.$$

In this case, the spherical system of Y , after the above inclusion, is equal to the triple (S_X^p, Σ_X, A_X) .

In plain words, the spherical system of X is obtained from the spherical system of Y by letting the extra simple roots in $S \setminus S_L$ move one extra color each so that they are all of type (b).

1.3.4. *Localizations.* Let Q be a parabolic subgroup of K , containing B^- , and let $Q = LQ^u$ be its Levi decomposition, with L containing T . Denote by L^r the radical of L , and by S_L the subset of S generating the root subsystem of L .

Let X be a wonderful K -variety. Consider the subset of X of points fixed by L^r and take its connected component which contains z , the unique point fixed by B^- . It is a wonderful L -variety Y called L -localization of X . The spherical system of Y is obtained from the spherical system of X as follows:

- $S_Y^p = S_X^p \cap S_L$,
- $\Sigma_Y = \{\sigma \in \Sigma_X : \text{supp } \sigma \subset S_L\}$,
- $A_Y = \bigcup_{\alpha \in S_L \cap \Sigma_X} \Delta_X(\alpha)$ with the map c_X restricted to $\mathbb{Z}A_Y \times \mathbb{Z}\Sigma_Y$.

In this case the spherical system of Y is said to be obtained from the spherical system of X by localization in S_L .

1.4. **Luna's classification of wonderful varieties.** Here we recall the statement of Luna's theorem of the classification of wonderful varieties, [23, 13, 9].

In our case the center of K always acts trivially, so here we assume for convenience that K is a semisimple complex algebraic group of adjoint type. Let T , B and S as above.

Every spherical root of any wonderful K -variety is the spherical root of a wonderful K -variety of rank 1, and the wonderful varieties of rank 1 are well-known. In particular, the set $\Sigma(K)$ of the spherical roots of all the wonderful K -varieties is finite and is described by the following.

TABLE 1. spherical roots

type of support	spherical root
A_1	α
A_1	2α
$A_1 \times A_1$	$\alpha + \alpha'$
A_m	$\alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_m$
A_3	$\alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2 + \alpha_3$
B_m	$\alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_m$
B_m	$2(\alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_m)$
B_3	$\alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2 + 3\alpha_3$
C_m	$\alpha_1 + 2(\alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha_{m-1}) + \alpha_m$
D_m	$2(\alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_{m-2}) + \alpha_{m-1} + \alpha_m$
F_4	$\alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2 + 3\alpha_3 + 2\alpha_4$
G_2	$2\alpha_1 + \alpha_2$
G_2	$4\alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2$
G_2	$\alpha_1 + \alpha_2$

Theorem 1.1. *Every spherical root σ of any wonderful K -variety, for any semisimple complex algebraic group K of adjoint type belongs to Table 1.*

There is an abstract notion of Luna spherical system, the following.

Definition 1.2. A triple (S^p, Σ, A) , where S^p is a subset of S , Σ is a subset of $\Sigma(K)$ without proportional elements and A is a finite set endowed with a map $c: A \times \Sigma \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$, is called a *spherical K -system* if the following axioms hold.

- A1) For all $D \in A$, $c(D, \sigma) \leq 1$ for all $\sigma \in \Sigma$, and $c(D, \sigma) = 1$ only if $\sigma \in S$.
 A2) For all $\alpha \in S \cap \Sigma$, $\{D \in A : c(D, \alpha) = 1\}$ has cardinality 2 and for all $\sigma \in \Sigma$

$$\sum_{D: c(D, \alpha)=1} c(D, \sigma) = \langle \alpha^\vee, \sigma \rangle.$$

- A3) For all $D \in A$ there exists $\alpha \in S \cap \Sigma$ with $c(D, \alpha) = 1$.
 $\Sigma 1)$ For all $\alpha \in S$ such that $2\alpha \in \Sigma$, $\frac{1}{2}\langle \alpha^\vee, \sigma \rangle \in \mathbb{Z}_{\leq 0}$ for all $\sigma \in \Sigma \setminus \{2\alpha\}$.
 $\Sigma 2)$ For all α and β in S such that α and β are orthogonal and $\alpha + \beta \in \Sigma$, $\langle \alpha^\vee, \sigma \rangle = \langle \beta^\vee, \sigma \rangle$ for all $\sigma \in \Sigma$.
 S) For all $\sigma \in \Sigma$,

- if $\sigma = \alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_m$ with $\text{supp } \sigma$ of type B_m ,

$$\{\alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{m-1}\} \subset S^p \subset \{\alpha \in S : \langle \alpha^\vee, \sigma \rangle = 0\},$$

- if $\sigma = \alpha_1 + 2(\alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha_{m-1}) + \alpha_m$ with $\text{supp } \sigma$ of type C_m ,

$$\{\alpha_3, \dots, \alpha_m\} \subset S^p \subset \{\alpha \in S : \langle \alpha^\vee, \sigma \rangle = 0\},$$

- otherwise

$$\{\alpha \in \text{supp } \sigma : \langle \alpha^\vee, \sigma \rangle = 0\} \subset S^p \subset \{\alpha \in S : \langle \alpha^\vee, \sigma \rangle = 0\}.$$

The following is known as Luna's theorem of classification of wonderful varieties.

Theorem 1.3. *The map which associates to a wonderful K -variety X its spherical system (S_X^p, Σ_X, A_X) is a bijection between the set of wonderful K -varieties up to equivariant isomorphism and the set of spherical K -systems.*

1.5. The spherical systems of the list. Here we show that the spherical systems given in the tables of Appendix B are indeed the spherical systems associated with $N_K(K_e)$, the normalizers of the centralizers of the representatives e given in Appendix A.

For all K , every spherical system given in the tables satisfies the axioms of Definition 1.2, so by Theorem 1.3 it is equal to the spherical system associated with a (uniquely determined up to conjugation) wonderful subgroup of K . Here we compute this wonderful subgroup for any spherical system of Appendix B.

1.5.1. Parabolic inductions and trivial factors. In all the spherical systems of Appendix B the set $(\text{supp } \Sigma) \cup S^p$ is properly contained in S , therefore the corresponding wonderful K -varieties X can be obtained by parabolic induction from wonderful L -varieties Y , where L is properly contained in K . We set $S_L = (\text{supp } \Sigma) \cup S^p$.

Furthermore, in general $\text{supp } \Sigma$ and $S^p \setminus \text{supp } \Sigma$ are orthogonal, so that L is a direct product $L_1 \times L_2$, where $S_{L_1} = \text{supp } \Sigma$ and $S_{L_2} = S^p \setminus \text{supp } \Sigma$, with L_2 acting trivially on Y . In many cases $S^p \setminus \text{supp } \Sigma$ is non-empty.

Notice that the above decomposition $L = L_1 \times L_2$ is not uniquely determined, but here the center of L acts trivially on Y , so we do not care of which part of the center of L is contained in the two factors L_1 and L_2 .

In the following we will compute, in all our cases, the wonderful subgroups associated with the spherical systems obtained by localization in $S_{L_1} = \text{supp } \Sigma$.

1.5.2. Trivial cases. In the cases 1.1 ($r = 1$), 2.1 ($r = 1$), 3.1 ($r = 1$), 4.1 ($r = 1$), 5.1, 6.1, 7.1 ($r = 1$), 8.1 ($r = 1$) and 9.1 ($r = 1$) the set Σ is empty, so the spherical system obtained by localization in $\text{supp } \Sigma$ is trivial. More explicitly, the parabolic subgroups Q of K given in Appendix A are the wonderful subgroups associated with the given spherical K -systems.

1.5.3. Symmetric cases. In the cases 1.1, 2.1, 3.1, 4.1, 4.2 ($q = 1$), 4.3 ($p = 1$), 7.1, 7.2 ($r = 0$), 7.3 ($r = 0$), 8.1, 8.2 ($r = 0$), 8.3 ($r = 0$), 9.1, 9.2 ($r = 0$) and 9.3 ($r = 0$) the spherical system obtained by localization in $\text{supp } \Sigma$ is the spherical system of a symmetric subgroup $N_{L_1}(L_1^\theta)$ of L_1 , where L_1^θ is the fixed point subgroup of an involution θ of L_1 .

The wonderful symmetric subgroups and their spherical systems are well-known, see e.g. [8]. More precisely,

- in the case 1.1 we get the case 6 of [8];
- in the cases 2.1, 3.1, 7.3 ($r = 0$, $p = 1$), 8.2 ($r = 0$, $q = 1$) and 8.3 ($r = 0$, $p = 1$) we get the case 5 of [8];
- in the cases 4.1, 4.2 ($q = 1$), 4.3 ($p = 1$), 7.1, 7.2 ($r = 0$, $q = 2$), 8.1, 9.1, 9.2 ($r = 0$, $q = 2$) and 9.3 ($r = 0$, $p = 2$) we get the case 2 of [8];
- in the cases 7.3 ($r = 0$, $p > 1$), 8.2 ($r = 0$, $q > 1$) and 8.3 ($r = 0$, $p > 1$) we get the case 9 of [8];

- in the cases 7.2 ($r = 0, q > 2$), 9.2 ($r = 0, q > 2$) and 9.3 ($r = 0, p > 2$) we get the case 15 of [8].

1.5.4. *Other reductive cases.* In the cases 4.2 ($q > 1$), 4.3 ($p > 1$), 4.6 and 4.7 the spherical system obtained by localization in $\text{supp } \Sigma$ is the spherical system of a wonderful reductive (but not symmetric) subgroup of L_1 . More precisely,

- in the cases 4.2 ($q > 1$) and 4.3 ($p > 1$) we get the case 42 of [8];
- in the cases 4.6 and 4.7 we get the case 46 ($p = 5$) of [8].

1.5.5. *Morphisms of type \mathcal{L} .* Notice that in all the above cases the Levi subgroup L such that $S_L = (\text{supp } \Sigma) \cup S^{\text{p}}$ is equal to K_h , the centralizer of h given in the list of Appendix A. In the remaining cases this is no longer true, but we have the following situation.

In the remaining cases, 4.4, 4.5, 7.2 ($r > 0$), 7.3 ($r > 0$), 8.2 ($r > 0$), 8.3 ($r > 0$), 9.2 ($r > 0$) and 9.3 ($r > 0$), the given spherical K -system $(S^{\text{p}}, \Sigma, A)$ admits a distinguished set of colors Δ' such that the corresponding quotient

$$(S^{\text{p}}/\Delta', \Sigma/\Delta', A/\Delta')$$

is the spherical system of a wonderful K -variety which is obtained by parabolic induction from a wonderful K_h -variety. Indeed, $S_{K_h} = (\text{supp } (\Sigma/\Delta')) \cup (S^{\text{p}}/\Delta')$.

Such distinguished set of colors Δ' is minimal, that is, does not contain any proper non-empty distinguished subset. Moreover, the corresponding quotient has higher defect, which means the following.

The defect of a spherical system is defined as the non-negative integer given by the difference between the number of colors and the number of spherical roots.

In all our cases, we have

$$(1) \quad \text{card}(\Delta \setminus \Delta') - \text{card}(\Sigma/\Delta') > \text{card } \Delta - \text{card } \Sigma.$$

Therefore, the set Δ' corresponds to a minimal surjective equivariant morphism with connected fibers of type \mathcal{L} in the sense of [5, Proposition 2.3.5]. In particular, the minimal quotients of higher defect have been studied in [7, Section 5.3]. Let us recall their description.

Let H_1 be the wonderful subgroup associated with the spherical K -system $(S^{\text{p}}, \Sigma, A)$, let Δ' be a distinguished subset satisfying the condition (1) and let H_2 be the wonderful subgroup of K associated with the quotient of $(S^{\text{p}}, \Sigma, A)$ by Δ' . We can assume $H_1 \subset H_2$. Recall that the quotient H_2/H_1 is connected.

Under the condition (1) we have that H_1^{u} is properly contained in H_2^{u} . Take Levi decompositions $H_1 = L_{H_1}H_1^{\text{u}}$ and $H_2 = L_{H_2}H_2^{\text{u}}$ with $L_{H_1} \subset L_{H_2}$, then $\text{Lie } H_2^{\text{u}}/\text{Lie } H_1^{\text{u}}$ is a simple L_{H_1} -module and L_{H_1} and L_{H_2} differ only by their connected center.

The defect of a spherical system is equal to the dimension of the connected center of the associated wonderful subgroup, so the codimension of L_{H_1} in L_{H_2} is equal to

$$d = \text{card}(\Delta \setminus \Delta') - \text{card}(\Sigma/\Delta') - (\text{card } \Delta - \text{card } \Sigma).$$

The quotient $\text{Lie } H_2^{\text{u}}/\text{Lie } H_1^{\text{u}}$ can be described as follows. There exist $d + 1$ L_{H_2} -submodules of $\text{Lie } H_2^{\text{u}}$, W_0, \dots, W_d , isomorphic as L_{H_1} -modules but not as L_{H_2} -modules. Denoting by V the L_{H_2} -complement of $W_0 \oplus \dots \oplus W_d$ in $\text{Lie } H_2^{\text{u}}$, as

L_{H_1} -module,

$$\text{Lie } H_1^{\mathfrak{u}} = W \oplus V,$$

where W is a co-simple L_{H_1} -submodule of $W_0 \oplus \dots \oplus W_d$ which projects non-trivially on every summand W_0, \dots, W_d .

As said above, in our cases we always have $H_2 \subset Q$, with $Q = K_h Q^{\mathfrak{u}}$ given in the list of Appendix A, $L_{H_2} \subset K_h$ and $H_2^{\mathfrak{u}} = Q^{\mathfrak{u}}$.

One can say something more about the inclusion of the W_0, \dots, W_d in $\text{Lie } Q^{\mathfrak{u}}$. One has to consider the set $S_{\Delta'}$, whose general definition involves the notion of external negative color (see [5, Section 2.3.5] and [7, Section 5.2]). Without going into technical details, in our cases it holds

$$S_{\Delta'} = (\text{supp } \Sigma) \setminus (\text{supp}(\Sigma/\Delta')).$$

Moreover, $\text{card } S_{\Delta'} = d + 1$, say $S_{\Delta'} = \{\beta_0, \dots, \beta_d\}$. Assuming Q contains B^- , we have that W_0, \dots, W_d are respectively included in the simple L -submodules $V(-\beta_0), \dots, V(-\beta_d)$ containing the root spaces of $-\beta_0, \dots, -\beta_d$.

In our cases the integer $d + 1$, the cardinality of $S_{\Delta'}$, is always equal to 2 or 3.

In the following, for all the remaining cases, we describe the quotient of $(S^{\mathfrak{p}}, \Sigma, A)$ by Δ' , and L_{H_2} in K_h . The knowledge of $S_{\Delta'}$ will be enough to uniquely determine the modules W_0, \dots, W_d .

Remark 1.4. Actually, the results contained in [7] allow to reduce the computation of the wonderful subgroup associated with a spherical system to the computation of the wonderful subgroups associated with somewhat smaller spherical systems. In particular, Section 5.3 therein allows to reduce the computation of the wonderful subgroup associated with a spherical system with a quotient of higher defect to the computation of the wonderful subgroups associated with some spherical subsystems. Moreover, many of the spherical systems under consideration have a tail, see Section 6 therein, and these cases can also be reduced to some smaller cases. Similar general considerations could be done for the cases obtained by ‘‘collapsing’’ the tails. We prefer to avoid as far as possible the technicalities and give a direct explicit description of our wonderful subgroups even if they are somewhat already known.

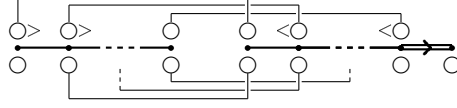
1.5.6. Type B.

a) Tail case. Localizing the spherical systems of the cases 7.3 ($0 < r < p$), 8.2 ($0 < r < q$) and 8.3 ($0 < r < p$) in $\text{supp } \Sigma$ we obtain the following spherical system, which we label as $\mathfrak{a}'(s, s) + \mathfrak{b}'(t)$, for a group of semisimple type $A_s \times B_{s+t}$ with $t \geq 1$.

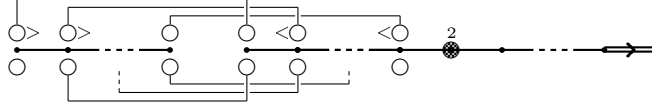
$$\begin{aligned} S^{\mathfrak{p}} &= \{\alpha'_{s+2}, \dots, \alpha'_{s+t}\}. \\ \Sigma &= \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_s, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_s, 2(\alpha'_{s+1} + \dots + \alpha'_{s+t})\}. \\ A &= \{D_1, \dots, D_{2s+1}\} \text{ with } \Delta = A \cup \{D_{2s+2}\} \text{ and full Cartan pairing as follows:} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_1 &= D_1 + D_2 - D_3, \\ \alpha_i &= -D_{2i-2} + D_{2i-1} + D_{2i} - D_{2i+1} \text{ for } 2 \leq i \leq s, \\ \alpha'_i &= -D_{2i-1} + D_{2i} + D_{2i+1} - D_{2i+2} \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq s, \\ 2(\alpha'_{s+1} + \dots + \alpha'_{s+t}) &= -2D_{2s+1} + 2D_{2s+2}. \end{aligned}$$

If $t = 1$ the Luna diagram is as follows,



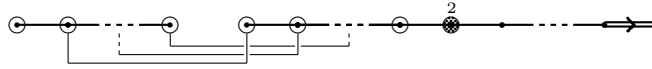
while if $t > 1$ it is as follows,



but the combinatorics is the same, so from now on we just report the diagram for $t > 1$.

Consider the quotient by $\Delta' = \{D_{2i} : 1 \leq i \leq s\}$.

$$\Sigma/\Delta' = \{\alpha_2 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_s + \alpha'_{s-1}, 2(\alpha'_{s+1} + \dots + \alpha'_{s+t})\}.$$



It is a spherical system obtained by parabolic induction from the direct product of case 2 and the rank one case 9 (resp. the rank one case 4) if $t > 1$ (resp. $t = 1$), the labels referring to [8].

We have $S_{\Delta'} = \{\alpha_1, \alpha'_s\}$.

b) Collapsed tail. Localizing the spherical systems of the cases 7.3 ($r = p$), 8.2 ($r = q$) and 8.3 ($r = p$) in $\text{supp } \Sigma$ we obtain the following spherical system, which is labeled as $\text{ab}^y(s, s)$ or S-6 in [3], for a group of semisimple type $A_s \times B_s$.

$$S^{\text{P}} = \emptyset.$$

$$\Sigma = \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_s, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_s\}.$$

$A = \{D_1, \dots, D_{2s+1}\} = \Delta$ with Cartan pairing as follows:

$$\alpha_1 = D_1 + D_2 - D_3,$$

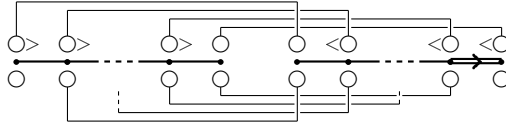
$$\alpha_i = -D_{2i-2} + D_{2i-1} + D_{2i} - D_{2i+1} \text{ for } 2 \leq i \leq s,$$

$$\alpha'_i = -D_{2i-1} + D_{2i} + D_{2i+1} - D_{2i+2} \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq s-2,$$

$$\alpha'_{s-1} = -D_{2s-3} + D_{2s-2} + D_{2s-1} - D_{2s} - D_{2s+1},$$

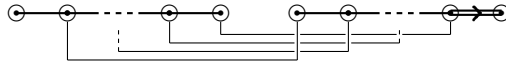
$$\alpha'_s = -D_{2s-1} + D_{2s} + D_{2s+1}.$$

The Luna diagram is as follows.



Consider the quotient by $\Delta' = \{D_{2i} : 1 \leq i \leq s\}$.

$$\Sigma/\Delta' = \{\alpha_2 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_s + \alpha'_{s-1}\}.$$



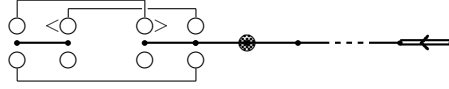
It is a spherical system obtained by parabolic induction from the case 2 of [8]. We have $S_{\Delta'} = \{\alpha_1, \alpha'_s\}$.

1.5.7. Type C.

a) Tail case. Localizing the spherical systems of the cases 4.4 ($q > 2$) and 4.5 ($p > 2$) in $\text{supp } \Sigma$ we obtain the following spherical system, which we label as $\mathfrak{a}^\vee(2, 2) + \mathfrak{c}(t)$, for a group of semisimple type $A_2 \times C_{t+1}$ with $t \geq 2$.

$$\begin{aligned} S^{\text{P}} &= \{\alpha'_4, \dots, \alpha'_{t+1}\}. \\ \Sigma &= \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha'_1, \alpha'_2, \alpha'_2 + 2(\alpha'_3 + \dots + \alpha'_t) + \alpha'_{t+1}\}. \\ A &= \{D_1, \dots, D_5\} \text{ with } \Delta = A \cup \{D_6\} \text{ and full Cartan pairing as follows:} \\ \alpha_1 &= -D_2 + D_3 + D_4 - D_5, \\ \alpha_2 &= D_1 + D_2 - D_3, \\ \alpha'_1 &= -D_3 + D_4 + D_5, \\ \alpha'_2 &= -D_1 + D_2 + D_3 - D_4 - D_6, \\ \sigma_5 &= -D_5 + D_6. \end{aligned}$$

The Luna diagram is as follows.



Consider the quotient by $\Delta' = \{D_2, D_4\}$.

$$\Sigma/\Delta' = \{\alpha_1 + \alpha'_2, \alpha'_2 + 2(\alpha'_3 + \dots + \alpha'_t) + \alpha'_{t+1}\}.$$



It is a spherical system obtained by parabolic induction from the case 42 of [8], already considered in Section 1.5.4. We have $S_{\Delta'} = \{\alpha_2, \alpha'_1\}$.

b) Collapsed tail. Localizing the spherical systems of the cases 4.4 ($q = 2$) and 4.5 ($p = 2$) in $\text{supp } \Sigma$ we obtain the spherical system $\mathfrak{ab}^\vee(2, 2)$ for a group of semisimple type $A_2 \times B_2$, a particular case of the spherical system obtained above in Section 1.5.6.

1.5.8. Type D.

a) Tail case. Localizing the spherical systems of the cases 7.2 ($0 < r < q - 1$), 9.2 ($0 < r < q - 1$) and 9.3 ($0 < r < p - 1$) in $\text{supp } \Sigma$ we obtain the following spherical system for a group of semisimple type $A_s \times D_{s+t}$ with $t \geq 2$.

$$\begin{aligned} S^{\text{P}} &= \{\alpha'_{s+2}, \dots, \alpha'_{s+t}\}. \\ \Sigma &= \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_s, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_s, 2(\alpha'_{s+1} + \dots + \alpha'_{s+t-2}) + \alpha'_{s+t-1} + \alpha'_{s+t}\}. \\ A &= \{D_1, \dots, D_{2s+1}\} \text{ with } \Delta = A \cup \{D_{2s+2}\} \text{ and full Cartan pairing as follows:} \\ \alpha_1 &= D_1 + D_2 - D_3, \\ \alpha_i &= -D_{2i-2} + D_{2i-1} + D_{2i} - D_{2i+1} \text{ for } 2 \leq i \leq s, \\ \alpha'_i &= -D_{2i-1} + D_{2i} + D_{2i+1} - D_{2i+2} \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq s, \\ \sigma_{2s+1} &= -2D_{2s+1} + 2D_{2s+2}. \end{aligned}$$

It is the case 60 of [6], labeled as $\mathfrak{a}^\vee(s, s) + \mathfrak{d}(t)$.

b) Collapsed tail. Localizing the spherical systems of the cases 7.2 ($r = q - 1$), 9.2 ($r = q - 1$) and 9.3 ($r = p - 1$) in $\text{supp } \Sigma$ we obtain the following spherical system for a group of semisimple type $\mathbf{A}_s \times \mathbf{D}_{s+1}$.

$$\begin{aligned} S^{\mathfrak{p}} &= \emptyset. \\ \Sigma &= \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_s, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_s, \alpha'_{s+1}\}. \\ \mathbf{A} &= \{D_1, \dots, D_{2s+2}\} = \Delta \text{ with Cartan pairing as follows:} \\ \alpha_1 &= D_1 + D_2 - D_3, \\ \alpha_i &= -D_{2i-2} + D_{2i-1} + D_{2i} - D_{2i+1} \text{ for } 2 \leq i \leq s-1, \\ \alpha_s &= -D_{2s-2} + D_{2s-1} + D_{2s} - D_{2s+1} - D_{2s+2}, \\ \alpha'_i &= -D_{2i-1} + D_{2i} + D_{2i+1} - D_{2i+2} \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq s-1, \\ \alpha'_s &= -D_{2s-1} + D_{2s} + D_{2s+1} - D_{2s+2}, \\ \alpha'_{s+1} &= -D_{2s-1} + D_{2s} - D_{2s+1} + D_{2s+2}. \end{aligned}$$

It is the case 40 of [6], labeled as $\text{ad}^y(s, s+1)$ or S-10 in [3], and considered also in [4, Section 5] as the spherical system of the comodel wonderful variety of cotype $\mathbf{D}_{2(s+1)}$.

2. PROJECTIVE NORMALITY

This section is devoted to prove the following result, that we need in order to study the singularities of closures of spherical nilpotent K -orbits in \mathfrak{p} .

Theorem 2.1. *Let $(\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{k})$ be a classical symmetric pair of non-Hermitian type, let $\mathcal{O} \subset \mathfrak{p}$ be a spherical nilpotent K -orbit. If $(\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{k}) = (\mathfrak{sp}(2p+2q), \mathfrak{sp}(2p) + \mathfrak{sp}(2q))$, assume that the signed partition of \mathcal{O} is neither $(+3^4, +1^{2p-8})$ nor $(-3^4, -1^{2q-8})$ (Cases 4.6 and 4.7 in Appendix A). Let X be the wonderful K -variety associated to \mathcal{O} , then the multiplication of sections*

$$m_{\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}'} : \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}) \otimes \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}') \longrightarrow \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L} \otimes \mathcal{L}')$$

is surjective for all globally generated line bundles $\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}' \in \text{Pic}(X)$.

We point out that multiplication is not surjective if $(\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{k}) = (\mathfrak{sp}(2p+2q), \mathfrak{sp}(2p) + \mathfrak{sp}(2q))$ and \mathcal{O} is the spherical nilpotent orbit corresponding to the signed partitions $(+3^4, +1^{2p-8})$ or $(-3^4, -1^{2q-8})$, see Example 2.7 below. These cases will be treated separately in Section 3.1 with an *ad hoc* argument.

Let us briefly recall here some generalities about the multiplication of sections of line bundles on a wonderful variety, for more details and references see [4].

Let X be a wonderful K -variety with set of spherical roots Σ and set of colors Δ . The classes of colors form a free basis for the Picard group of X , and for the semigroup of globally generated line bundles. Therefore the Picard group of X is identified with $\mathbb{Z}\Delta$, and the semigroup of globally generated line bundles is identified with $\mathbb{N}\Delta$. Given $E, F \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ we will also write $m_{E,F}$ meaning $m_{\mathcal{L}_E, \mathcal{L}_F}$.

Given $D \in \mathbb{Z}\Delta$ we denote by $\mathcal{L}_D \in \text{Pic}(X)$ the corresponding line bundle, and we fix $s_D \in \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_D)$ a section whose associated divisor is D . Recall that every line bundle on X has a unique K -linearization. Then s_D is a highest weight vector, and we denote by $V_D \subset \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_D)$ the K -submodule generated by s_D . Since X is a spherical variety, $\Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_D)$ is a multiplicity-free K -module, hence V_D is uniquely determined and s_D is uniquely determined up to a scalar factor.

By identifying Σ with the set of K -stable prime divisors of X , every $\sigma \in \mathbb{Z}\Sigma$ determines a line bundle $\mathcal{L}_\sigma \in \text{Pic}(X)$, and the map $\mathbb{Z}\Sigma \rightarrow \text{Pic}(X)$ is injective. The line bundle \mathcal{L}_σ is effective if and only if $\sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$, and for all $\sigma \in \mathbb{Z}\Sigma$ we fix a section $s^\sigma \in \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_\sigma)$ whose associated divisor is σ . Such a section is a highest weight vector of weight 0, and is uniquely determined up to a scalar factor.

By identifying $\text{Pic}(X)$ with $\mathbb{Z}\Delta$, we regard $\mathbb{Z}\Sigma$ as a sublattice of $\mathbb{Z}\Delta$. This defines a partial order \leq_Σ on $\mathbb{Z}\Delta$ as follows: if $D, E \in \mathbb{Z}\Delta$, then $D \leq_\Sigma E$ if and only if $E - D \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$. This allows to describe the space of global sections of \mathcal{L}_E as follows

$$\Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_E) = \bigoplus_{F \in \mathbb{N}\Delta : F \leq_\Sigma E} s^{E-F} V_F$$

In particular, if $E \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, we have that $\Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_D)$ is an irreducible K -module if and only if E is minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ w.r.t. \leq_Σ or zero, that is, if $F \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ and $F \leq_\Sigma E$ then it must be $F = E$.

To any line bundle \mathcal{L}_E on X , we attach two characters ξ_E and ω_E as follows. Let H be the stabilizer of a point x_0 in the open orbit of X , fix a maximal torus T and a Borel subgroup B such that $T \subset B$, and let y_0 be the point fixed by the opposite Borel of B . Then we denote $\xi_E \in \text{Hom}(H, \mathbb{C}^\times)$ the character given by the action of H over the fiber \mathcal{L}_{E, x_0} , and by $\omega_E \in \text{Hom}(T, \mathbb{C}^\times)$ the character given by the action of T over the fiber \mathcal{L}_{E, y_0} .

If $E \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ then the set of sections $V_E \subset \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_E)$ does not vanish on the closed orbit of X , so it defines a regular map $\phi_E: X \rightarrow \mathbb{P}(V_E^*)$. We choose a non-zero element $h_E \in V_E^*$ in the line $\phi_E(x_0)$. Notice that V_E is the irreducible module of highest weight ω_E and that h_E is determined by the condition $g \cdot h_E = \xi_E(g)h_E$ for all $g \in H$.

For $D \in \Delta$, the weight ω_D is combinatorially described as follows: if $D \in \Delta^{2a}$ and $\alpha \in S$ is such that $D \in \Delta(\alpha)$, then $\omega_D = 2\omega_\alpha$, otherwise $\omega_D = \sum \omega_\alpha$ for all $\alpha \in S$ such that $D \in \Delta(\alpha)$.

2.1. General reductions. By making use of quotients and parabolic inductions, it is possible to reduce the study of the multiplication maps. We recall such reductions from [4].

Lemma 2.2 ([4, Corollary 1.4]). *Let X be a wonderful variety with set of colors Δ , let X' be a quotient of X by a distinguished subset $\Delta_0 \subset \Delta$ with set of colors Δ' and identify Δ' with $\Delta \setminus \Delta_0$. If $D \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ and $\text{supp}(D) \cap \Delta_0 = \emptyset$ and if $\mathcal{L}_D \in \text{Pic}(X)$ and $\mathcal{L}'_D \in \text{Pic}(X')$ are the line bundles corresponding to D regarded as an element in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ and in $\mathbb{N}\Delta'$, then $\Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_D) = \Gamma(X', \mathcal{L}'_D)$.*

In particular, if $m_{D,E}$ is surjective for all $D, E \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, then $m_{D',E'}$ is surjective for all $D', E' \in \mathbb{N}\Delta'$.

Lemma 2.3 ([4, Proposition 1.6]). *Let X be a wonderful variety and suppose that X is the parabolic induction of a wonderful variety X' . Then for all $\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}'$ in $\text{Pic}(X)$ the multiplication $m_{\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}'}$ is surjective if and only if the multiplication $m_{\mathcal{L}|_{X'}, \mathcal{L}'|_{X'}}$ is surjective.*

We now explain how to reduce the study of the multiplications with respect to wonderful subvarieties.

Lemma 2.4. *Let X be a wonderful variety and let $X' \subset X$ be a wonderful subvariety. If $m_{\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}'}$ is surjective for all globally generated $\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}' \in \text{Pic}(X)$, then $m_{\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}'}$ is surjective for all globally generated $\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}' \in \text{Pic}(X')$.*

Proof. Denote by Σ and Δ the set of spherical roots and the set of colors of X , and by Σ' and Δ' those of X' . The restriction of line bundles induces a map $\rho: \mathbb{N}\Delta \rightarrow \mathbb{N}\Delta'$, and the restriction of sections $\Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_D) \rightarrow \Gamma(X', \mathcal{L}_{\rho(D)})$ is surjective for all $D \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$. Given $E, F \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, the surjectivity of $m_{\rho(E), \rho(F)}$ follows then from the surjectivity of $m_{E, F}$.

Set

$$\Delta'_0 = \{D \in \Delta' : c(D, \sigma) \leq 0 \quad \forall \sigma \in \Sigma'\}.$$

Notice that every $D \in \mathbb{N}\Delta'_0$ is minuscule w.r.t. $\leq_{\Sigma'}$ or zero, namely $\Gamma(X', \mathcal{L}_D) = V_D$ for all $D \in \mathbb{N}\Delta'$. Indeed if $D \in \mathbb{N}\Delta'_0$ and $D - \sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ for some $\sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$, then it follows that $-\sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, hence both σ and $-\sigma$ define effective divisors on X' . On the other hand the cone of effective divisors of X' contains no line since X' is complete, therefore it must be $\sigma = 0$.

Let $D \in \Delta$, reasoning as in [15, §1.13] by the combinatorial description of ρ it follows that for all $D \in \Delta$ there exists $D' \in (\Delta' \setminus \Delta'_0) \cup \{0\}$ such that $\rho(D) - D' \in \mathbb{N}\Delta'_0$, and conversely for all $D' \in \Delta' \setminus \Delta'_0$ there exists $D \in \Delta$ with $\rho(D) - D' \in \mathbb{N}\Delta'_0$.

Let now $E, F \in \mathbb{N}\Delta'$, then by the previous discussion there exist $E', F' \in \mathbb{N}\Delta'_0$ such that $E + E', F + F' \in \rho(\mathbb{N}\Delta)$. On the other hand since $E', F' \in \mathbb{N}\Delta'_0$ we have $\Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_{E+E'+F+F'}) = \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_{E+F})V_{E'+F'}$ and

$$\text{Im}(m_{E+E', F+F'}) = \text{Im}(m_{E, F})V_{E'}V_{F'} = \text{Im}(m_{E, F})V_{E'+F'}.$$

Therefore the surjectivity of $m_{E, F}$ follows from that of $m_{E+E', F+F'}$. \square

A strategy to prove the surjectivity of the multiplication map was described in [11] for wonderful symmetric varieties and in [4] for general wonderful varieties. Such a strategy reduces the proof of the surjectivity of the multiplication maps for all pair of globally generated line bundles to a finite number of computations, which arise in correspondence to the so-called *fundamental low triples*.

Recall from [4] that a triple $(D, E, F) \in (\mathbb{N}\Delta)^3$ with $F \leq_{\Sigma} D + E$ is called a *low triple* if, for all $D', E' \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ such that $D' \leq_{\Sigma} D$, $E' \leq_{\Sigma} E$ and $F \leq_{\Sigma} D' + E'$, it holds $D' = D$ and $E' = E$. The triple (D, E, F) is called a *fundamental triple* if $D, E \in \Delta$.

To determine the low triples is useful the notion of covering difference. Let $E, F \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ with $E <_{\Sigma} F$ and suppose that E is maximal in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ with this property: then we say that F covers E and we call $F - E$ a *covering difference* in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$.

For all $E = \sum_{D \in \Delta} k_D D \in \mathbb{Z}\Delta$, define its *positive part* $E^+ = \sum_{k_D > 0} k_D D$, its *negative part* $E^- = E^+ - E$ and its *height* $\text{ht}(E) = \sum_{D \in \Delta} k_D$. Notice that $\gamma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ is a covering difference in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ if and only γ^+ covers γ^- .

As noticed in [4, Section 2.1, Remark], the covering differences in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ are finitely many, therefore there is always a bound for the height of the positive part of a covering difference. In all the examples we know (included those we will deal with in the present paper) this bound can be taken to be 2.

Let (D, E, F) be a low triple and suppose that $m_{D,E}$ is surjective, then it is a straightforward consequence of the definition that $s^{D+E-F}V_F \subset V_DV_E$. On the other hand we have the following.

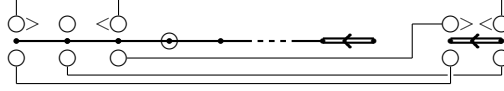
Lemma 2.5 ([4, Lemma 2.3]). *Let X be a wonderful variety and let n be such that $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) \leq n$ for every covering difference γ . If $s^{D+E-F}V_F \subset V_DV_E$ for all low triples (D, E, F) with $\text{ht}(D+E) \leq n$, then the multiplication maps $m_{D,E}$ are surjective for all $D, E \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$.*

To verify that $s^{D+E-F}V_F \subset V_DV_E$ we will make use of the following.

Lemma 2.6 ([10, Lemma 19]). *Let $D, E, F \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ be such that $D \leq_\Sigma E + F$. Then $s^{E+F-D}V_D \subset V_EV_F$ if and only if the projection of $h_E \otimes h_F \in V(\omega_E^*) \otimes V(\omega_F^*)$ onto the isotypic component of highest weight ω_D^* is non-zero.*

Example 2.7. Let $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sp}(2p+2q)$ and $\mathfrak{k} = \mathfrak{sp}(2p) + \mathfrak{sp}(2q)$. If $p \geq 4$ consider the spherical nilpotent K -orbit \mathcal{O} defined by the signed partition $(+3^4, +1^{2p-8})$ (or similarly the one defined by $(-3^4, -1^{2q-8})$ if $q \geq 4$). Let X be the corresponding wonderful K -variety, then there are elements $D, E \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ such that $m_{D,E}$ is not surjective.

Indeed, the spherical system of X is the following:



Label the spherical roots and the colors of X as follows:

$$\sigma_1 = \alpha_2, \quad \sigma_2 = \alpha_2', \quad \sigma_3 = \alpha_1, \quad \sigma_4 = \alpha_1', \quad \sigma_5 = \alpha_3$$

$$D_1 = D_{\alpha_2}^+, \quad D_2 = D_{\alpha_2}^-, \quad D_3 = D_{\alpha_1}^+, \quad D_4 = D_{\alpha_1}^-, \quad D_5 = D_{\alpha_3}^-, \quad D_6 = D_{\alpha_4}$$

Then the Cartan pairing of X is expressed as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_1 &= D_1 + D_2 - D_3 \\ \sigma_2 &= -D_1 + D_2 + D_3 - D_4 - D_5 \\ \sigma_3 &= -D_2 + D_3 + D_4 - D_5 \\ \sigma_4 &= -D_3 + D_4 + D_5 \\ \sigma_5 &= -D_2 + D_3 - D_4 + D_5 - D_6 \end{aligned}$$

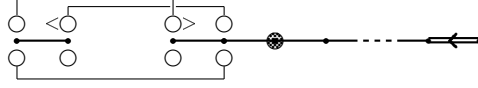
Consider the triple $(D_3, D_3, D_1 + D_2 + D_6)$: then $2D_3 - D_1 - D_2 - D_6 = \sigma_2 + \sigma_3 + \sigma_4 + \sigma_5$, and the triple is easily shown to be low. On the other hand if $V_{D_1 + D_2 + D_6} \subset V_{D_3}^2$, then it would be $V(2\omega_2 + \omega_4 + \omega_2') \subset V(\omega_1 + \omega_3 + \omega_2')^{\otimes 2}$, which is not the case. Therefore m_{D_3, D_3} is not surjective.

2.2. Basic cases. We show in this section that in order to prove Theorem 2.1, we are reduced to the study of three special families of wonderful varieties.

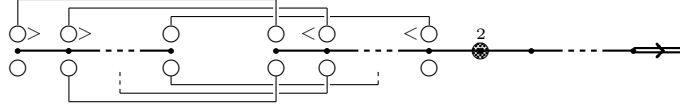
Following Section 1.5.1, by Lemma 2.3, the surjectivity of the multiplications on X is reduced to that one on a wonderful L_1 -variety Y , where L_1 is the Levi subgroup of K corresponding to the set of simple roots in $\text{supp } \Sigma$. More precisely, Y is the localization of X at the subset $\text{supp } \Sigma \subset S$, and the wonderful varieties arising in this way are described in Sections 1.5.2, 1.5.3, 1.5.4 (only the cases 4.2 and 4.3), 1.5.6, 1.5.7, 1.5.8.

Analyzing all the possible cases, we now show that to prove the surjectivity of the multiplications for Y we are reduced to the following three families:

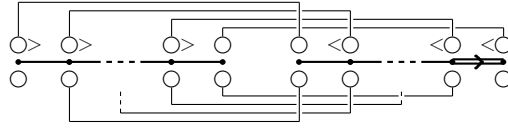
$$\mathfrak{a}^y(2, 2) + \mathfrak{c}(t), t \geq 2,$$



$$\mathfrak{a}^y(s, s) + \mathfrak{b}'(t), s, t \geq 1,$$



$$\mathfrak{ab}^y(s, s), s \geq 2.$$



In the cases of Section 1.5.2 the wonderful variety X is a flag variety, therefore the surjectivity of the multiplication of globally generated line bundles holds trivially since the space of sections of a globally generated line bundle on a flag variety is an irreducible K -module.

In the cases of Section 1.5.3 the wonderful variety Y is the wonderful compactification of an adjoint symmetric variety, and the surjectivity of the multiplication of globally generated line bundles holds thanks to [11].

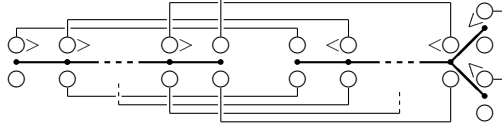
In the cases 4.2 and 4.3 of Section 1.5.4 (up to switching the two factors of K) the surjectivity of the multiplications of Y is reduced to that one of the wonderful variety Z with spherical system $\mathfrak{a}^y(2, 2) + \mathfrak{c}(t)$ where $t \geq 2$. More precisely, start with Z and consider the set of colors $\{D_{\alpha_1}^+, D_{\alpha_2}^+\}$, it is distinguished and the corresponding quotient is a parabolic induction of Y . Therefore the surjectivity of the multiplications of Y follows from that of Z thanks to Lemma 2.2 and Lemma 2.3.

In the cases of Section 1.5.6 (a) Y is the wonderful variety with spherical system $\mathfrak{a}^y(s, s) + \mathfrak{b}'(t)$ where $s \geq 0$ and $t \geq 1$, but if $s = 0$ it is just an adjoint symmetric variety. In the cases of Section 1.5.6 (b) Y is the wonderful variety with spherical system $\mathfrak{ab}^y(s, s)$ where $s \geq 2$.

In the cases of Section 1.5.7 (a) Y is the wonderful variety with spherical system $\mathfrak{a}^y(2, 2) + \mathfrak{c}(t)$ where $t \geq 2$, whereas in the cases of Section 1.5.7 (b) Y is the wonderful variety with spherical system $\mathfrak{ab}^y(2, 2)$.

In the cases of Section 1.5.8 (a) Y is the wonderful variety with spherical system $\mathfrak{a}^y(s, s) + \mathfrak{d}(t)$ where $s \geq 0$ and $t \geq 2$. The surjectivity of the multiplications in this case can be reduced to that of a comodel wonderful variety, which is known by [4, Theorem 5.2]. Let indeed Z be the comodel wonderful variety of cotype $D_{2(s+t)}$, this is the wonderful variety with the following spherical system for a group of

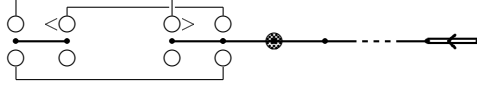
semisimple type $A_{s+t-1} \times D_{s+t}$.



Consider the wonderful subvariety of Z associated to $\Sigma \setminus \{\alpha_{s+1}, \dots, \alpha_{s+t-1}\}$, then the set of colors $\{D_{\alpha'_{s+1}}^-, D_{\alpha'_{s+2}}^\pm, \dots, D_{\alpha'_{s+t}}^\pm\}$ is distinguished, and the corresponding quotient is a parabolic induction of Y . Therefore the surjectivity of the multiplications of Y follows from that of Z thanks to Lemma 2.2 and Lemma 2.3.

Finally, in the cases of Section 1.5.8 (b) Y is the comodel wonderful variety of cotype $D_{2(s+1)}$, and the surjectivity of the multiplications for this variety follows by [4, Theorem 5.2].

2.3. Projective normality of $\mathfrak{a}^\vee(2, 2) + c(t)$. Consider the wonderful variety X for a semisimple group G of type $A_2 \times C_{t+1}$ with $t \geq 2$ defined by the following spherical system.



The spherical system associated to this Luna diagram is described in Section 1.5.7. For convenience we number the five spherical roots in the following way:

$$\sigma_1 = \alpha_2, \quad \sigma_2 = \alpha'_2, \quad \sigma_3 = \alpha_1, \quad \sigma_4 = \alpha'_1, \quad \sigma_5 = \alpha'_2 + \sum_{i=3}^t 2\alpha'_i + \alpha'_{t+1}.$$

There are six colors that we label in the following way:

$$\begin{aligned} D_1 &= D_{\alpha_2}^-, & D_2 &= D_{\alpha_2}^+, & D_3 &= D_{\alpha_1}^-, \\ D_4 &= D_{\alpha_1}^+, & D_5 &= D_{\alpha'_1}^-, & D_6 &= D_{\alpha'_3}. \end{aligned}$$

The weights of these colors are the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_{D_1} &= \omega_2, & \omega_{D_2} &= \omega_2 + \omega'_2, & \omega_{D_3} &= \omega_1 + \omega'_2, \\ \omega_{D_4} &= \omega_1 + \omega'_1, & \omega_{D_5} &= \omega'_1, & \omega_{D_6} &= \omega'_3. \end{aligned}$$

Notice that the G -stable divisor of X corresponding to σ_5 is a parabolic induction of a comodel wonderful variety of cotype A_5 (see [4, Section 5]). Therefore we can restrict our study to the covering differences and the low triples of X which contain σ_5 .

Lemma 2.8. *Let $\gamma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ be a covering difference in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ with $\sigma_5 \in \text{supp}_\Sigma \gamma$, then either $\gamma = \sigma_5 = -D_5 + D_6$ or $\gamma = \sigma_2 + \sigma_4 + \sigma_5 = -D_1 + D_2$. Every other covering difference $\gamma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ verifies $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) = 2$.*

Proof. Denote $\gamma = \sum a_i \sigma_i$, then we have

$$(2) \quad \begin{aligned} \gamma &= (a_1 - a_2)D_1 + (a_1 + a_2 - a_3)D_2 + (-a_1 + a_2 + a_3 - a_4)D_3 + \\ &\quad + (-a_2 + a_3 + a_4)D_4 + (-a_3 + a_4 - a_5)D_5 + (-a_2 + a_5)D_6 \end{aligned}$$

Suppose that $a_5 \neq 0$. If $D_5 \in \text{supp}(\gamma^-)$ then $\gamma^- + \sigma_5 \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, and if $D_6 \in \text{supp}(\gamma^+)$ then $\gamma^+ - \sigma_5 \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$. Therefore if $\gamma \neq \sigma_5$ it must be $D_5 \notin \text{supp}(\gamma^-)$ and $D_6 \notin \text{supp}(\gamma^+)$, namely $a_3 + a_5 \leq a_4$ and $a_5 \leq a_2$. It follows that $a_2 > 0$ and $a_4 > 0$, suppose that $\sigma \neq \sigma_2 + \sigma_4 + \sigma_5 = -D_1 + D_2$. Then $a_1 + a_4 \leq a_2 + a_3$ since $\gamma^- + \sigma_4 \notin \mathbb{N}\Delta$, and $a_2 \leq a_1$ since $\gamma^- + \sigma_2 + \sigma_4 + \sigma_5 \notin \mathbb{N}\Delta$. Therefore we get $a_1 + (a_4 - a_3) \leq a_2 \leq a_1$, which is absurd since $a_4 - a_3 \geq a_5 > 0$.

As already noticed, the G -stable divisor of X corresponding to σ_5 is a parabolic induction of a comodel wonderful variety of cotype A_5 . Therefore the covering differences γ with $\sigma_5 \notin \text{supp}_\Sigma \gamma$ coincide with those studied in [4, Proposition 3.2], and they all satisfy $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) = 2$. \square

Lemma 2.9. *Let (D, E, F) be a low fundamental triple, denote $\gamma = D + E - F$ and suppose that $\sigma_5 \in \text{supp}_\Sigma \gamma$. Then we have the following possibilities:*

- $(D_2, D_3, D_1 + D_4 + D_5)$, $\gamma = \sigma_2 + \sigma_5$;
- $(D_3, D_3, D_1 + 2D_5)$, $\gamma = \sigma_2 + \sigma_3 + \sigma_5$;
- $(D_2, D_2, D_4 + D_5)$, $\gamma = \sigma_1 + \sigma_2 + \sigma_5$;
- $(D_2, D_3, 2D_5)$, $\gamma = \sigma_1 + \sigma_2 + \sigma_3 + \sigma_5$;
- $(D_3, D_4, D_1 + D_5)$, $\gamma = \sigma_2 + \sigma_3 + \sigma_4 + \sigma_5$;
- (D_4, D_4, D_1) , $\gamma = \sigma_2 + \sigma_3 + 2\sigma_4 + \sigma_5$.

Proof. By Lemma 2.8, $\sigma_5 = -D_5 + D_6$ and $\sigma_2 + \sigma_4 + \sigma_5 = -D_1 + D_2$ are the unique covering differences γ with $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) = 1$. Therefore D_1, D_3, D_4, D_5 are minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$.

Let (D, E, F) be a fundamental triple with $\text{supp}(F) \cap \text{supp}(D + E) = \emptyset$, denote $\gamma = D + E - F = \sum a_i \sigma_i$ and suppose $a_5 > 0$. Notice that, if (D, E, F) is a low triple, then $D_6 \notin \text{supp}(\gamma^+)$: suppose indeed $D = D_6$, then $D_5 <_\Sigma D$ and $F \leq_\Sigma D_5 + E$. Therefore, if (D, E, F) is a low triple, then (2) implies $0 < a_5 \leq a_2$.

Suppose $a_4 = 0$. Then for every covering difference $\sigma \leq \gamma$ it holds $\text{ht}(\sigma^+) = 2$, therefore (D, E, F) is necessarily a low triple.

To classify such fundamental triples, suppose $D_2 \notin \text{supp}(\gamma^+)$. Then $c(D_2, \gamma) \leq 0$, hence $a_1 + a_2 \leq a_3$ and we get $2 \leq 2a_2 \leq a_2 + a_3 - a_1$. Being $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) = 2$, it follows then $D = E = D_3$. Equivalently, we have the equality $c(D_3, \gamma) = -a_1 + a_2 + a_3 = 2$, and the inequalities $c(D_2, \gamma) \leq 0$, $c(D_4, \gamma) \leq 0$ imply $2a_1 - a_3 + 2 \leq a_3 \leq a_1 - a_3 + 2$. It follows $a_1 = 0$ and $a_2 = a_3 = 1$, and the inequality $0 < a_5 \leq a_2$ imply $a_5 = 1$. Therefore $\gamma = \sigma_2 + \sigma_3 + \sigma_5$ and $F = D_1 + 2D_5$.

Similarly, suppose $a_4 = 0$ and $D_3 \notin \text{supp}(\gamma^+)$. Then $c(D_3, \gamma) \leq 0$, hence $a_2 + a_3 \leq a_1$, and we get $2 \leq 2a_2 \leq a_1 + a_2 - a_3$. Being $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) = 2$, it follows then $D = E = D_2$. Equivalently, $c(D_2, \gamma) = a_1 + a_2 - a_3 = 2$, and the inequalities $c(D_1, \gamma) \leq 0$, $c(D_3, \gamma) \leq 0$ imply $a_2 + a_3 \leq a_1 \leq a_2$. It follows $a_3 = 0$ and $a_1 = a_2 = 1$, and the inequality $0 < a_5 \leq a_2$ imply $a_5 = 1$. Therefore $\gamma = \sigma_1 + \sigma_2 + \sigma_5$ and $F = D_4 + D_5$.

Suppose now $a_4 = 0$ and $\gamma^+ = D_2 + D_3$. Then the equalities $c(D_2, \gamma) = c(D_3, \gamma) = 1$ imply $a_3 - a_1 = a_2 - 1 = 1 - a_2$, and it follows $a_1 = a_3$ and $a_2 = 1$. Therefore the inequality $0 < a_5 \leq a_2$ implies $a_5 = 1$, and the inequality $c(D_1, \gamma) \leq 0$ implies $a_1 \leq a_2$. Therefore either $\gamma = \sigma_2 + \sigma_5$ and $F = D_1 + D_4 + D_5$, or $\gamma = \sigma_1 + \sigma_2 + \sigma_3 + \sigma_5$ and $F = 2D_5$.

Suppose finally $a_4 > 0$. Notice that, if (D, E, F) is a low triple, then $D_2 \notin \text{supp}(\gamma^+)$: indeed $\sigma_2 + \sigma_4 + \sigma_5 \leq \gamma$, and if e.g. $D = D_2$ then $D_1 <_{\Sigma} D$ and $F \leq_{\Sigma} D_1 + E$. Therefore $c(D_2, \gamma) \leq 0$, hence $0 < a_1 + a_2 \leq a_3$. It follows $c(D_4, \gamma) = -a_2 + a_3 + a_4 \geq a_1 + a_4 > 0$, therefore $D_4 \in \text{supp}(\gamma^+)$. Being $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) = 2$, in particular it must be $a_4 \leq 2$.

Suppose $a_4 = 1$. Then $c(D_3, \gamma) = -a_1 + a_2 + a_3 - a_4 \geq 2a_2 - a_4 > 0$, hence $\gamma^+ = D_3 + D_4$. Therefore $c(D_3, \gamma) = c(D_4, \gamma) = 1$ and we get the equalities $a_2 + a_3 = a_1 + 2$ and $a_2 = a_3$. The inequality $c(D_2, \gamma) \leq 0$ implies then $a_1 + a_2 \leq a_2$, hence $a_1 = 0$, $a_2 = a_3 = 1$, and $a_5 = 1$ thanks to the inequality $0 < a_5 \leq a_2$. Therefore $\gamma = \sigma_2 + \sigma_3 + \sigma_4 + \sigma_5$ and $F = D_1 + D_5$, and (D, E, F) is a low triple since D_3, D_4 are both minuscule.

Suppose now $a_4 = 2$. Then $c(D_4, \gamma) = -a_2 + a_3 + a_4 \geq a_1 + a_4 \geq 2$, and being $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) = 2$ it follows $\gamma^+ = 2D_4$, and moreover we get $a_1 = 0$ and $a_2 = a_3$. By the inequalities $c(D_2, \gamma) \leq 0$, $c(D_3, \gamma) \leq 0$ we get then $a_1 + a_2 \leq a_3$ and $-a_1 + a_2 + a_3 - a_4 \leq 0$. On the other hand $c(D_3, \gamma) = -a_1 + a_2 + a_3 - a_4 \geq 2a_2 - a_4 = 2a_2 - 2 \geq 0$, therefore $c(D_3, \gamma) = 0$ and it follows $a_2 = 1$, and $a_5 = 1$ as well thanks to the inequality $0 < a_5 \leq a_2$. Therefore $\gamma = \sigma_2 + \sigma_3 + 2\sigma_4 + \sigma_5$ and $F = D_1$, and (D, E, F) is a low triple since D_4 is minuscule. \square

To prove the projective normality of X we now apply Lemma 2.6. This requires some computations. We first need an explicit description of the invariants. Let $V = \mathbb{C}^3$ with standard basis given by e_1, e_2, e_3 . Let $W = \mathbb{C}^{2n}$ where $n = t + 1$ and we choose a basis $e'_1, \dots, e'_n, e'_{-n}, \dots, e'_{-1}$ and fix a symplectic form such that $\omega(e'_i, e'_j) = \delta_{i, -j}$ for $i > 0$.

We set $\Lambda_0^2 W = \{\alpha \in \Lambda^2 W : \langle \omega, \alpha \rangle = 0\}$ and $\omega^* = \sum_{i=1}^n e'_i \wedge e'_{-i}$. Let $\varphi_1, \varphi_2, \varphi_3$ be the basis of V^* dual to e_1, e_2, e_3 . Notice that the isomorphism from $\Lambda^2 V$ to V^* sending $e_1 \wedge e_2$ to φ_3 , $e_1 \wedge e_3$ to $-\varphi_2$ and $e_2 \wedge e_3$ to φ_1 is G -equivariant.

We set $G = \text{SL}(V^*) \times \text{Sp}(W, \omega)$, so that we can take H as the stabilizer of the line spanned by the vector $e = e_1 \otimes e'_{-2} - e_2 \otimes e'_2 - e_3 \otimes e'_1$.

We denote by h_i the vector $h_{D_i} \in V_{D_i}^*$. In coordinates the vectors h_i are given as follows

- $V_{D_4}^* = V \otimes W$ and $h_4 = e$;
- $V_{D_5}^* = W$ and $h_5 = e'_1$;
- $V_{D_3}^* = V \otimes \Lambda_0^2 W$ and $h_3 = e_1 \otimes (e'_1 \wedge e'_{-2}) - e_2 \otimes (e'_1 \wedge e'_2)$;
- $V_{D_2}^* = V^* \otimes \Lambda_0^2 W$ and

$$h_2 = \varphi_3 \otimes \left(e'_2 \wedge e'_{-2} - \frac{1}{n} \omega^* \right) - \varphi_2 \otimes (e'_1 \wedge e'_{-2}) - \varphi_1 \otimes (e'_1 \wedge e'_2)$$
;
- $V_{D_1}^* = V^*$ and $h_1 = \varphi_3$.

We can now prove

Proposition 2.10. *The multiplication $m_{D,E}$ is surjective for all $D, E \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$.*

Proof. By Lemma 2.8 every covering difference $\gamma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ satisfies $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) \leq 2$, therefore by Lemma 2.5 it is enough to check that $s^{D+E-F} V_F \subset V_D \cdot V_E$ for all low fundamental triples (D, E, F) .

Suppose that $\sigma_5 \notin \text{supp}_\Sigma(D + E - F)$ and let X' be the G -stable divisor of X corresponding to σ_5 . Then X' is a parabolic induction of a comodel wonderful variety of cotype \mathbf{A}_5 , hence the inclusion $s^\gamma V_F \subset V_D \cdot V_E$ follows by Lemma 2.3 together with [4, Theorem 5.2].

By Lemma 2.6 we are reduced to prove that for all low triples (D_i, D_j, F) listed in Lemma 2.9 the projection of $h_i \otimes h_j$ onto the isotypic component of type V_F^* in $V_{D_i}^* \otimes V_{D_j}^*$ is non-zero.

$(D_2, D_3, D_1 + D_4 + D_5)$. We have $V_{D_1+D_4+D_5}^* = \mathfrak{sl}(V) \otimes \mathbf{S}^2 W$, the equivariant map

$$\pi: (V^* \otimes \Lambda_0^2 W) \otimes (V \otimes \Lambda_0^2 W) \longrightarrow \mathfrak{sl}(V) \otimes \mathbf{S}^2 W$$

given by

$$\begin{aligned} & \pi\left(\left(\varphi \otimes a \wedge b\right) \otimes \left(v \otimes c \wedge d\right)\right) = \\ & = \left(\varphi \otimes v - \frac{1}{3}\varphi(v)\text{Id}\right) \otimes \left(\omega(a, c)bd - \omega(b, c)ad - \omega(a, d)bc + \omega(b, d)ac\right) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\pi(h_2 \otimes h_3) = (\varphi_3 \otimes e_1) \otimes e'_1 e'_{-2} - (\varphi_3 \otimes e_2) \otimes e'_1 e'_2 + (\varphi_1 \otimes e_1 + \varphi_2 \otimes e_2) \otimes (e'_1)^2 \neq 0.$$

$(D_3, D_3, D_1 + 2D_5)$. We have $V_{D_1+2D_5}^* = \Lambda^2 V \otimes \mathbf{S}^2 W$, the equivariant map

$$\pi: (V \otimes \Lambda_0^2 W) \otimes (V \otimes \Lambda_0^2 W) \longrightarrow \Lambda^2 V \otimes \mathbf{S}^2 W$$

given by

$$\begin{aligned} & \pi\left(\left(u \otimes a \wedge b\right) \otimes \left(v \otimes c \wedge d\right)\right) = \\ & = \left(u \wedge v\right) \otimes \left(\omega(a, c)bd - \omega(b, c)ad - \omega(a, d)bc + \omega(b, d)ac\right) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\pi(h_3 \otimes h_3) = 2(e_1 \wedge e_2) \otimes (e'_1)^2 \neq 0.$$

$(D_2, D_2, D_4 + D_5)$. We have $V_{D_4+D_5}^* = \Lambda^2 V^* \otimes \mathbf{S}^2 W$, the equivariant map

$$\pi: (V^* \otimes \Lambda_0^2 W) \otimes (V^* \otimes \Lambda_0^2 W) \longrightarrow \Lambda^2 V^* \otimes \mathbf{S}^2 W$$

given by

$$\begin{aligned} & \pi\left(\left(\varphi \otimes a \wedge b\right) \otimes \left(\psi \otimes c \wedge d\right)\right) = \\ & = \left(\varphi \wedge \psi\right) \otimes \left(\omega(a, c)bd - \omega(b, c)ad - \omega(a, d)bc + \omega(b, d)ac\right) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\pi(h_2 \otimes h_2) = 2((\varphi_3 \wedge \varphi_2) \otimes e'_1 e'_{-2} + (\varphi_3 \wedge \varphi_1) \otimes e'_1 e'_2 - (\varphi_2 \wedge \varphi_1) \otimes (e'_1)^2) \neq 0.$$

$(D_2, D_3, 2D_5)$. We have $V_{2D_5}^* = \mathbf{S}^2 W$, the equivariant map

$$\pi: (V^* \otimes \Lambda_0^2 W) \otimes (V \otimes \Lambda_0^2 W) \longrightarrow \mathbf{S}^2 W$$

given by

$$\begin{aligned} & \pi\left(\left(\varphi \otimes a \wedge b\right) \otimes \left(v \otimes c \wedge d\right)\right) = \\ & = \varphi(v) \left(\omega(a, c)bd - \omega(b, c)ad - \omega(a, d)bc + \omega(b, d)ac\right) \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 2.11. *Let (D_p, D_q, F) be a fundamental triple, denote $\gamma = D_p + D_q - F$ and suppose that $\sigma_{2s+1} \in \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma)$. Then p, q are even integers and $\sigma_1 \notin \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma)$. If moreover $\sigma_2 \in \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma)$, then $p + q - 3 \leq 2s + 1$ and $F = D_1 + D_{p+q-3}$.*

Proof. Take a sequence of coverings in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$

$$F = F_{n+1} <_\Sigma F_n <_\Sigma \dots <_\Sigma F_1 = D_p + D_q$$

Denote $\gamma_i = F_i - F_{i+1}$. By Proposition 3.2 and Proposition 7.3 in [4] we have the following three possibilities:

- (1) $\gamma_i = \sigma_{p_i} + \sigma_{p_i+2} + \dots + \sigma_{q_i-1} = D_{p_i} + D_{q_i} - D_{p_i-1} - D_{q_i+1}$, for some integers p_i, q_i of different parity with $1 \leq p_i < q_i \leq 2s + 1$,
- (2) $\gamma_i = \sigma_{p_i-1} + \sigma_{p_i} + \dots + \sigma_{q_i} = D_{p_i} + D_{q_i} - D_{p_i-2} - D_{q_i+2}$, for some integers p_i, q_i of the same parity with $2 \leq p_i \leq q_i \leq 2s$,
- (3) $\gamma_i = \sigma_{p_i} + \sigma_{p_i+2} + \dots + \sigma_{q_i-2} + 2(\sigma_{q_i} + \sigma_{q_i+2} + \dots + \sigma_{2s}) + \sigma_{2s+1} = D_{p_i} + D_{q_i} - D_{p_i-1} - D_{q_i-1}$, for some even integers p_i, q_i with $2 \leq p_i \leq q_i \leq 2s$.

Since $\sigma_{2s+1} \in \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma)$, there is at least one γ_i of type 3. Let k be minimal with γ_k of type 3, because of the parity of p_k and q_k , the previous description implies that every γ_j with $j \neq k$ is of type 2. Moreover, it follows that $p_{i+1} = p_i - 2$ and $q_{i+1} = q_i + 2$ for all $i \neq k$, and that p_i, q_i are even (resp. odd) for all $i \leq k$ (resp. $i > k$).

Therefore $p = p_1$ and $q = q_1$ are even integers and $2 \leq p \leq q \leq 2s + 2$, and we get the equalities $p_{n+1} = p - 2n - 1$ and $q_{n+1} = q + 2n - 1$. Suppose that $k = n$: then p_n and q_n are even and $2 \leq p_n \leq q_n \leq 2s + 2$, hence $1 \leq p_{n+1} \leq q_{n+1} \leq 2s + 1$. Suppose instead $k < n$, then p_n and q_n are odd and $2 \leq p_n \leq q_n \leq 2s$, and again we get $1 \leq p_{n+1} \leq q_{n+1} \leq 2s + 1$.

To show the first claim, notice that $\sigma_1 \in \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma)$ if and only if $\sigma_1 \in \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma_n)$: this is not the case if $k = n$, and if $k < n$ it cannot happen as well, since then p_n and q_n would be odd. Similarly, $\sigma_2 \in \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma)$ if and only if $\sigma_2 \in \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma_n)$ if and only if $p_{n+1} = 1$. This means $n = \frac{p}{2} - 1$, which implies $q_{n+1} = p + q - 3$. \square

To prove the projective normality of X we will apply Lemma 2.6. First we describe the invariants. Let $V = \mathbb{C}^{s+1}$ with standard basis given by e_1, \dots, e_{s+1} . Let $W = \mathbb{C}^{2n+1}$ where $n = s + t$ and we choose a basis $e'_1, \dots, e'_n, e'_0, e'_{-n}, \dots, e'_{-1}$ and fix a bilinear symmetric form such that $\beta(e'_i, e'_j) = \delta_{i, -j}$ for all $i, j \geq 0$. Set $G = \text{SL}(V^*) \times \text{SO}(W, \beta)$, so that we can take H as the stabilizer of the line spanned by the vector $e = e_1 \otimes e'_0 + \sum_{i=2}^{s+1} e_i \otimes e'_{s-i+2}$. We have

$$V_{D_{2i-1}}^* = \Lambda^i V \otimes \Lambda^{i-1} W \quad V_{D_{2i}}^* = \Lambda^i V \otimes \Lambda^i W$$

for $i = 1, \dots, s + 1$. If we denote by h_i the vector $h_{D_i} \in V_{D_i}^*$ then in coordinates the vectors h_i are given as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} h_{2i-1} &= \sum_{2 \leq j_1 < \dots < j_{i-1} \leq s+1} e_1 \wedge e_{j_1} \wedge \dots \wedge e_{j_{i-1}} \otimes e'_{s-j_{i-1}+2} \wedge \dots \wedge e'_{s-j_1+2}, \\ h_{2i} &= \sum_{2 \leq j_1 < \dots < j_{i-1} \leq s+1} e_1 \wedge e_{j_1} \wedge \dots \wedge e_{j_{i-1}} \otimes e'_{s-j_{i-1}+2} \wedge \dots \wedge e'_{s-j_1+2} \wedge e'_0 + \\ &\quad + \sum_{2 \leq j_1 < \dots < j_i \leq s+1} e_{j_1} \wedge \dots \wedge e_{j_i} \otimes e'_{s-j_i+2} \wedge \dots \wedge e'_{s-j_1+2}. \end{aligned}$$

Proposition 2.12. *The multiplication $m_{D,E}$ is surjective for all $D, E \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$.*

Proof. As already noticed, Propositions 3.2 and 7.3 in [4] show that every covering difference $\gamma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ satisfies $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) = 2$. It follows that every $D \in \Delta$ is minimal in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ w.r.t. \leq_Σ , hence every fundamental triple is low. Therefore by Lemma 2.5 we have to check that $s^{D+E-F}V_F \subset V_D \cdot V_E$ for all fundamental triples (D, E, F) . Let (D, E, F) be such a triple and denote $\gamma = D + E - F$.

Suppose that $\sigma_{2s+1} \notin \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma)$, and let X' be the G -stable divisor of X corresponding to the spherical root σ_{2s+1} . Then X' is a parabolic induction of a comodel wonderful variety of cotype \mathbf{A}_{2s+1} (see [4, Section 5]). Hence the inclusion $s^\gamma V_F \subset V_D \cdot V_E$ follows by Lemma 2.3 together with [4, Theorem 5.2].

Suppose that $\sigma_{2s+1} \in \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma)$, and assume $D = D_p$ and $E = D_q$, then $\sigma_1 \notin \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma)$ by Lemma 2.11. We show that $s^\gamma V_F \subset V_D \cdot V_E$ proceeding by induction on s .

Suppose that $\sigma_2 \notin \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma)$. Then $\text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma) \subset \{\sigma_3, \dots, \sigma_{2s+1}\}$. Let X'' be the G -stable subvariety of X obtained by intersecting the G -stable divisors corresponding to σ_1 and to σ_2 . If $s > 1$, then X'' is a parabolic induction of the wonderful variety of type $\mathbf{a}'(s-1, s-1) + \mathbf{b}'(t)$, therefore the multiplication of sections of globally generated line bundles on X'' is always surjective by the inductive hypothesis thanks to Lemma 2.3. If instead $s = 1$, then X'' is a parabolic induction of a rank 1 wonderful symmetric variety Y , which is homogeneous under its automorphism group, therefore the multiplication of sections of globally generated line bundles on Y is always surjective, and the same holds for X'' by Lemma 2.3 again. In particular, since (D, E, F) is a low triple, it follows the inclusion $s^\gamma V_F \subset V_D \cdot V_E$.

Suppose now that $\sigma_2 \in \text{supp}_\Sigma(\gamma)$. Then by Lemma 2.11 it follows that $p = 2\ell$ and $q = 2m$ are even integers, and $F = D_1 + D_{2\ell+2m-3}$ with $2\ell + 2m - 3 \leq 2s + 1$. Hence by Lemma 2.6 we need to find an equivariant map

$$\varphi: (\Lambda^\ell V \otimes \Lambda^\ell W) \otimes (\Lambda^m V \otimes \Lambda^m W) \longrightarrow V_{\omega_1 + \omega_{\ell+m-1}} \otimes \Lambda^{\ell+m-2} W$$

such that $\varphi(h_{2\ell} \otimes h_{2m}) \neq 0$ (the formula makes sense also when $\ell + m - 1 = s + 1$, by setting $\omega_{s+1} = 0$). Notice that $V \otimes \Lambda^{\ell+m-1} V \simeq V_{\omega_1 + \omega_{\ell+m-1}} \oplus \Lambda^{\ell+m} V$ and we denote by ρ_1 and ρ_2 the projection respectively onto the first and onto the second factor. In particular the map ρ_2 , up to a scalar factor, is just the wedge product. We will construct a map

$$\psi: (\Lambda^\ell V \otimes \Lambda^\ell W) \otimes (\Lambda^m V \otimes \Lambda^m W) \longrightarrow (V \otimes \Lambda^{\ell+m-1} V) \otimes \Lambda^{\ell+m-2} W$$

such that $\psi(h_{2\ell} \otimes h_{2m}) \neq 0$ and $(\rho_2 \otimes \text{Id}) \circ \psi(h_{2\ell} \otimes h_{2m}) = 0$ so that the map $\varphi = (\rho_1 \otimes \text{Id}) \circ \psi$ will have the desired properties.

Let $\pi_1: \Lambda^\ell W \otimes \Lambda^m W \longrightarrow \Lambda^{\ell+m-2} W$ be defined by

$$\begin{aligned} & \pi_1(u_1 \wedge \dots \wedge u_\ell \otimes v_1 \wedge \dots \wedge v_m) \\ &= \sum_{i,j} (-1)^{i+j} \beta(u_i, v_j) u_1 \wedge \dots \wedge \hat{u}_i \wedge \dots \wedge u_{\ell+1} \wedge v_1 \wedge \dots \wedge \hat{v}_j \wedge \dots \wedge v_m \end{aligned}$$

Let $\pi_2: \Lambda^\ell V \otimes \Lambda^m V \longrightarrow V \otimes \Lambda^{\ell+m-1} V$ be defined by

$$\begin{aligned} & \pi_2(u_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge u_\ell \otimes v_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge v_m) \\ &= \sum_i (-1)^i u_i \otimes u_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge \hat{u}_i \wedge \cdots \wedge u_\ell \wedge v_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge v_m \end{aligned}$$

Let $\pi_3: \Lambda^\ell V \otimes \Lambda^m V \longrightarrow \Lambda^{\ell+m} V$ be defined by $\pi_3(x \otimes y) = x \wedge y$. Finally, set $\psi = \pi_2 \otimes \pi_1$, so that $(\rho_2 \otimes \text{Id}) \circ \psi = \pi_3 \otimes \pi_1$.

Notice that the value of $\pi_2 \otimes \pi_1$ (resp. $\pi_3 \otimes \pi_1$) on $h_{2\ell} \otimes h_{2m}$ is the same as that on

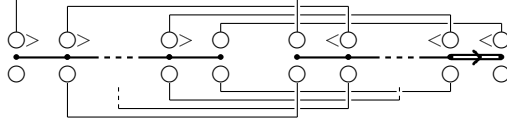
$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{2 \leq j_1 < \cdots < j_{\ell-1} \leq s+1} e_1 \wedge e_{j_1} \wedge \cdots \wedge e_{j_{\ell-1}} \otimes e'_{s-j_{\ell-1}+2} \wedge \cdots \wedge e'_{s-j_1+2} \wedge e'_0 \\ & \otimes \sum_{2 \leq k_1 < \cdots < k_{m-1} \leq s+1} e_1 \wedge e_{k_1} \wedge \cdots \wedge e_{k_{m-1}} \otimes e'_{s-k_{m-1}+2} \wedge \cdots \wedge e'_{s-k_1+2} \wedge e'_0. \end{aligned}$$

The first is equal to

$$\binom{\ell+m-2}{\ell-1} \sum (e_1 \otimes e_1 \wedge e_{i_1} \wedge \cdots \wedge e_{i_{\ell+m-2}}) \otimes e'_{s-i_{\ell+m-2}+2} \wedge \cdots \wedge e'_{s-i_1+2}$$

(the sum being over $2 \leq i_1 < \cdots < i_{\ell+m-2} \leq s+1$), the second is equal to zero. \square

2.5. Projective normality of $\text{ab}^\vee(s, s)$. Consider the wonderful variety X for a semisimple group G of type $A_s \times B_s$ with $s \geq 2$ defined by the following spherical system



The spherical data and the Cartan pairing associated to this Luna diagram are described in Section 1.5.6. The spherical roots are simple roots, for convenience we enumerate them in the following way:

$$\sigma_{2i-1} = \alpha_i, \quad \sigma_{2i} = \alpha'_i \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, s.$$

There are $2s+1$ colors that we label in the following way:

$$D_{2i-1} = D_{\alpha_i}^-, \quad D_{2i} = D_{\alpha_i}^+ \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, s; \quad D_{2s+1} = D_{\alpha'_s}^-.$$

The weights of these colors are the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_{D_1} &= \omega_1, & \omega_{D_{2i}} &= \omega_i + \omega'_i \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, s, \\ \omega_{D_{2i-1}} &= \omega_i + \omega'_{i-1} \quad \text{for } i = 2, \dots, s, & \omega_{D_{2s+1}} &= \omega'_s. \end{aligned}$$

Notice that the G -stable divisor of X corresponding to σ_{2s} is a parabolic induction of a comodel wonderful variety of cotype A_{2s} (see [4, Section 5]). Therefore we can restrict our study to the covering differences and the low triples of X which contain σ_{2s} .

Lemma 2.13. *Let $\gamma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ be a covering difference in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ with $\sigma_{2s} \in \text{supp}_\Sigma \gamma$. Then either $\gamma = \sigma_{2s} = D_{2s} + D_{2s+1} - D_{2s-1}$, or $\gamma = \sigma_{2s-1} + \sigma_{2s} = -D_{2s-2} + 2D_{2s}$, or $\gamma = \sum_{i=\ell}^s \sigma_{2i} = D_{2\ell} - D_{2\ell-1}$ for some $1 \leq \ell < s$. Every other covering difference satisfies $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) = 2$.*

Proof. Recall that the Cartan pairing is as follows (we also set $D_i = 0$ for all $i \leq 0$ and all $i \geq 2s + 2$):

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_i &= -D_{i-1} + D_i + D_{i+1} - D_{i+2} \text{ for } i \neq 2s - 2, \\ \sigma_{2s-2} &= -D_{2s-3} + D_{2s-2} + D_{2s-1} - D_{2s} - D_{2s+1}.\end{aligned}$$

Set $\gamma = \sum_{i=1}^{2s} a_i \sigma_i = \sum_{i=1}^{2s+1} c_i D_i$. We have the following identities (we set $a_i = 0$ for $i \leq 0$ and $i \geq 2s + 1$)

$$\begin{aligned}c_i &= -a_{i-2} + a_{i-1} + a_i - a_{i+1} \text{ for } i < 2s + 1, \\ c_{2s+1} &= -a_{2s-2} - a_{2s-1} + a_{2s}.\end{aligned}$$

By hypothesis, we have $a_{2s} > 0$.

Let $k \geq 0$ be minimal with $c_{2s-2k} > 0$. Then $c_{2s-2i} \leq 0$ for all $0 \leq i < k$, and it follows

$$a_{2s-2j} - a_{2s-2j+1} \geq a_{2s-2j+2} - a_{2s-2j+3}$$

for all $1 \leq j \leq k$, and $a_{2s-2j} \geq a_{2s} > 0$ for all $0 \leq j \leq k$.

If $k > 0$, set $\gamma_0 = \sum_{j=0}^k \sigma_{2s-2j} = -D_{2s-2k-1} + D_{2s-2k}$. Then $\gamma_0 \leq_{\Sigma} \gamma$ and $\gamma^+ - \gamma_0 \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, hence $\gamma = \gamma_0$ since γ is a covering difference.

We are left with the case $k = 0$, in particular $c_{2s} > 0$. We claim that γ is necessarily equal to σ_{2s} or to $\sigma_{2s-1} + \sigma_{2s}$.

Assume that $\gamma \neq \sigma_{2s}$ and $\gamma \neq \sigma_{2s-1} + \sigma_{2s}$. Since $a_{2s} > 0$ and $\sigma_{2s} = -D_{2s-1} + D_{2s} + D_{2s+1}$, it follows $c_{2s+1} \leq 0$, hence $a_{2s-1} > 0$.

Since $\sigma_{2s-1} = -D_{2s-2} + D_{2s-1} + D_{2s} - D_{2s+1}$, it must be $c_{2s-1} \leq 0$, and since $\sigma_{2s-1} + \sigma_{2s} = -D_{2s-2} + 2D_{2s}$, it must be $c_{2s} = 1$. The latter implies

$$a_{2s-2} - a_{2s} = a_{2s-1} - 1 \geq 0,$$

hence $a_{2s-2} > 0$. Notice that $c_{2s-2} \leq 0$: if indeed $c_{2s-2} > 0$, then $\gamma^+ - (\sigma_{2s-2} + \sigma_{2s}) = \gamma^+ - (-D_{2s-3} + D_{2s-2}) \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, hence $\gamma = -D_{2s-3} + D_{2s-2}$, contradicting $c_{2s} > 0$.

Let $j \geq 3$ be such that $a_{2s-j+1} - a_{2s-j+3} \geq 0$, and suppose that $a_{2s-i+1} > 0$ and $c_{2s-i+1} \leq 0$ for all i with $2 \leq i \leq j$ (notice that these conditions have just been proved for $j = 3$). As $c_{2s-j+2} \leq 0$, it follows

$$a_{2s-j} - a_{2s-j+2} \geq a_{2s-j+1} - a_{2s-j+3} \geq 0,$$

hence $a_{2s-j} > 0$. This implies $c_{2s-j} \leq 0$. If indeed $c_{2s-j} > 0$, set

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma_0 &= \sum_{i=0}^{j/2} \sigma_{2s-2i} = -D_{2s-j-1} + D_{2s-j} \text{ if } j \text{ is even,} \\ \gamma_0 &= \sum_{i=1}^{(j+1)/2} \sigma_{2s-2i+1} = -D_{2s-j-1} + D_{2s-j} + D_{2s} - D_{2s+1} \text{ if } j \text{ is odd,}\end{aligned}$$

then $\gamma_0 \leq_{\Sigma} \gamma$ and $\gamma^+ - \gamma_0 \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, hence $\gamma = \gamma_0$, contradicting $c_{2s} > 0$ in the first case and $a_{2s} > 0$ in the second case.

Applying this argument recursively for $j = 3, \dots, s-1$, it follows that $a_i > 0$ for all $1 \leq i \leq 2s$, $c_i \leq 0$ for all $1 \leq i \leq 2s-1$ and $a_1 - a_3 \geq 0$. In particular $a_1 + a_2 - a_3 = c_2 \leq 0$ and $a_1 - a_3 \geq 0$, which are in contradiction.

As already noticed, the G -stable divisor of X corresponding to σ_{2s} is a parabolic induction of a comodel wonderful variety of cotype A_{2s} . Therefore the covering differences γ with $\sigma_{2s} \notin \text{supp}_\Sigma \gamma$ coincide with those studied in [4, Proposition 3.2], and they all satisfy $\text{ht}(\gamma^+) = 2$. \square

Lemma 2.14. *Let (D, E, F) be a low fundamental triple, denote $\gamma = D + E - F$ and suppose that $\sigma_{2s} \in \text{supp}_\Sigma \gamma$. Then we have the following possibilities:*

- $(D_{2m+1}, D_{2s}, D_{2m-1} + D_{2s+1})$ for $1 \leq m < s$, $\gamma = \sum_{i=2m}^{2s} \sigma_i$;
- $(D_{2s}, D_{2s}, D_{2s-3})$, $\gamma = \sigma_{2s-2} + \sigma_{2s-1} + 2\sigma_{2s}$;
- $(D_{2s}, D_{2s}, D_{2s-2})$, $\gamma = \sigma_{2s-1} + \sigma_{2s}$;
- $(D_{2s}, D_{2s+1}, D_{2s-1})$, $\gamma = \sigma_{2s}$.

Proof. Set $D + E - F = \sum_{i=1}^{2s} a_i \sigma_i = \sum_{i=1}^{2s+1} c_i D_i$, and set also $D = D_{2s-p+1}$ and $E = D_{2s-q+1}$. By hypothesis, we have $a_{2s} > 0$.

At least one of the two indices p and q must be odd. Indeed, if both p and q were even, taking a sequence

$$F = F_n <_\Sigma F_{n-1} <_\Sigma \dots <_\Sigma F_0 = D + E$$

of coverings in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$, $F_{i-1} - F_i$ would necessarily be a covering difference of a comodel spherical system of cotype A , see [4, Proposition 3.2.(2)], hence $\sigma_{2s} \notin \text{supp}_\Sigma(D + E - F)$.

We claim that at least one of the two indices p and q must be equal to 1.

Let us prove the claim. Assume both p and q are different from 1. We can assume that q is the minimal odd number between p and q . Since $c_{2s-2i} \leq 0$ for every $0 \leq i < (q-1)/2$, as in the above proof, it follows that $a_{2s-2i} \geq a_{2s} > 0$ for every $0 \leq i \leq (q-1)/2$. Set

$$\gamma_0 = \sum_{i=0}^{(q-1)/2} \sigma_{2s-2i} = -D_{2s-q} + D_{2s-q+1}$$

and $E' = D_{2s-q+1} - \gamma_0$, then $E' \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ and $F \leq_\Sigma D + E' <_\Sigma D + E$, hence (D, E, F) is not a low triple.

Therefore, we can assume $q = 1$.

Suppose $p = 0$. We have $D_{2s} + D_{2s+1} - \sigma_{2s} = D_{2s-1}$, but the latter is minuscule therefore we get only $(D_{2s}, D_{2s+1}, D_{2s-1})$.

Suppose $p = 1$. We have $-a_{2s-2} - a_{2s-1} + a_{2s} \leq 0$ and $-a_{2s-2} + a_{2s-1} + a_{2s} = 2$, hence $a_{2s-1} > 0$. Now, we have $2D_{2s} - (\sigma_{2s-1} + \sigma_{2s}) = D_{2s-2}$, but in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ the latter covers only D_{2s-3} , with $D_{2s-2} - (\sigma_{2s-2} + \sigma_{2s}) = D_{2s-3}$. Therefore, if $a_{2s-2} = 0$ or $a_{2s} = 1$ we get only $(D_{2s}, D_{2s}, D_{2s-2})$. If $a_{2s-2} > 0$ and $a_{2s} > 1$, since D_{2s-3} is minuscule, we get only $(D_{2s}, D_{2s}, D_{2s-3})$.

Suppose $p > 1$. We have $-a_{2s-2} - a_{2s-1} + a_{2s} \leq 0$ and $-a_{2s-2} + a_{2s-1} + a_{2s} = 1$, hence $a_{2s-1} > 0$ and, since

$$a_{2s-2} - a_{2s} = a_{2s-1} - 1 \geq 0,$$

also $a_{2s-2} > 0$. For every $1 < i < p$, as $c_{2s-i+1} \leq 0$, we have

$$a_{2s-i-1} - a_{2s-i+1} \geq a_{2s-i} - a_{2s-i+2}.$$

Therefore, $a_{2s-j+1} > 0$ for all $1 \leq j \leq p+1$.

If p is odd, set

$$\gamma_0 = \sum_{i=0}^{(p-1)/2} \sigma_{2s-2i} = -D_{2s-p} + D_{2s-p+1}$$

and $D' = D_{2s-p+1} - \gamma_0$, then $D' \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ and $F \leq_{\Sigma} D' + E <_{\Sigma} D + E$, hence (D, E, F) is not a low triple.

If p is even, we have

$$D_{2s-p+1} + D_{2s} - \sum_{i=1}^{p+1} \sigma_{2s-i+1} = D_{2s-p-1} + D_{2s+1},$$

but the latter is minuscule. We get $(D_{2s-p+1}, D_{2s}, D_{2s-p-1} + D_{2s+1})$. \square

To prove the projective normality of X we will apply Lemma 2.6. This requires some computations, and we will need an explicit description of the invariants h_3 and h_{2s} .

Fix $V = \mathbb{C}^{s+1}$ with standard basis e_1, \dots, e_{s+1} and $W = \mathbb{C}^{2s+1}$ with basis $e'_1, \dots, e'_s, e'_0, e'_{-s}, \dots, e'_{-1}$ and with a symmetric bilinear form β such that $\beta(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$. Set $G = \mathrm{SL}(V^*) \times \mathrm{Spin}(W, \beta)$, so that we can take H as the stabilizer of the line spanned by the vector $e = e_1 \otimes e'_0 + \sum_{i=2}^{s+1} e_i \otimes e'_{s-i+2}$.

We will need to use the spin module for the group $\mathrm{Spin}(W)$. Let us recall its construction. Let $W = U \oplus \mathbb{C}e'_0 \oplus U^*$ where U is the span of e'_1, \dots, e'_s and U^* is the span of e'_{-s}, \dots, e'_{-1} identified with the dual of U by the form β . Let $S = \Lambda U^*$ and rename the basis of U^* as $\psi_n = e'_{-n}, \dots, \psi_1 = e'_{-1}$. Define a map $\pi_S: W \otimes S \rightarrow S$ by setting $\pi_S(e'_i \otimes \psi_{i_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \psi_{i_k})$ equal to

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{j=1}^k (-1)^{j-1} \beta(e'_i, e'_{-i_j}) \psi_{i_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \hat{\psi}_{i_j} \wedge \dots \wedge \psi_{i_k} & \text{if } i > 0, \\ & (-1)^k \psi_{i_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \psi_{i_k} & \text{if } i = 0, \\ & \psi_{-i} \wedge \psi_{i_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \psi_{i_k} & \text{if } i < 0. \end{aligned}$$

Then π_S is G -equivariant, and its alternating square $\pi_S^2: \Lambda^2 W \otimes S \rightarrow S$ corresponds to the spin representation via the isomorphism $\Lambda^2 W \cong \mathfrak{so}(W, \beta)$. We have

$$V_{D_1}^* = V, \quad V_{D_3}^* = \Lambda^2 V \otimes W, \quad V_{D_{2s}}^* = \Lambda^s V \otimes S, \quad V_{D_1 + D_{2s+1}}^* = V \otimes S.$$

The invariants, in coordinates, are

$$\begin{aligned} h_3 &= \sum_{i=2}^{s+1} e_1 \wedge e_i \otimes e'_{s-i+2} \\ h_{2s} &= e_2 \wedge \dots \wedge e_{s+1} \otimes 1 + \sum_{i=2}^{s+1} (-1)^{i-1} e_1 \wedge \dots \wedge \hat{e}_i \wedge \dots \wedge e_{s+1} \otimes \psi_{s-i+2} \end{aligned}$$

Proposition 2.15. *The multiplication $m_{D,E}$ is surjective for all $D, E \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$.*

Proof. By Lemma 2.13 every covering difference $\gamma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ satisfies $\mathrm{ht}(\gamma^+) \leq 2$, therefore by Lemma 2.5 it is enough to check that $s^{D+E-F} V_F \subset V_D \cdot V_E$ for all low fundamental triples (D, E, F) .

Suppose that $\sigma_{2s} \notin \mathrm{supp}_{\Sigma}(D + E - F)$ and let X' be the G -stable divisor of X corresponding to σ_{2s} . Then X' is a parabolic induction of a comodel wonderful

variety of cotype A_{2s} , hence the inclusion $s^\gamma V_F \subset V_D \cdot V_E$ follows by Lemma 2.3 together with [4, Theorem 5.2].

We are left to check that $s^{D+E-F} V_F \subset V_D V_E$ for all low fundamental triples (D, E, F) with $\sigma_{2s} \in \text{supp}_\Sigma(D + E - F)$.

Consider first the triple $(D_3, D_{2s}, D_1 + D_{2s+1})$. Then we have the projection $\pi: (\Lambda^2 V \otimes W) \otimes (\Lambda^s V \otimes S) \rightarrow V \otimes S$ given by

$$\pi((u_1 \wedge u_2 \otimes w) \otimes (v \otimes \psi)) = ((u_2 \wedge v)u_1 - (u_1 \wedge v)u_2) \otimes \pi_s(w \otimes \psi),$$

where $\Lambda^{s+1} V \cong \mathbb{C}$ via $e_1 \wedge \dots \wedge e_{s+1} \mapsto 1$, and we get $\pi(h_3 \otimes h_{2s}) = s(e_1 \otimes 1) \neq 0$.

We now proceed by induction on s .

Assume $s = 2$. Then we are left to check the triples (D_4, D_4, D_1) , (D_4, D_4, D_2) and (D_4, D_5, D_3) .

(D_4, D_4, D_1) . We have the projection $\pi: (\Lambda^2 V \otimes S) \otimes (\Lambda^2 V \otimes S) \rightarrow V$ given by $\pi(u_1 \wedge u_2 \otimes \varphi) \otimes (v_1 \wedge v_2 \otimes \psi) = \pi'(\varphi \otimes \psi)((u_1 \wedge u_2 \wedge v_1)v_2 - (u_1 \wedge u_2 \wedge v_2)v_1)$, with $\Lambda^3 V \cong \mathbb{C}$ given by the identification $e_1 \wedge e_2 \wedge e_3 = 1$, notice that S is selfdual and set $\pi': S \otimes S \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ given by $\varphi \otimes \psi \mapsto \varphi \wedge \psi$ followed by the identification $\psi_2 \wedge \psi_1 = 1$. We get $\pi(h_4 \otimes h_4) = -2e_1 \neq 0$.

(D_4, D_4, D_2) and (D_4, D_5, D_3) . Since $\sigma_1, \sigma_2 \notin \text{supp}_\Sigma(D + E - F)$, we can consider the intersection X' of the G -stable divisors of X corresponding to the spherical roots σ_1, σ_2 . Then the sections in $V_D, V_E, s^{D+E-F} V_F$ do not vanish on X' , so it is enough to prove that $s^{D+E-F} V_F \subset m'_{D,E}(V_D \otimes V_E)$ where m' denotes the multiplication of sections on X' . Consider in G the Levi subgroup L associated to the roots α_2, α'_2 , which has semisimple factor of type $A_1 \times A_1$, and consider the comodel L -variety Y of cotype A_3 . The wonderful G -variety X' is obtained by parabolic induction from Y . Hence our claim follows by Lemma 2.3.

Assume $s > 2$. Then we are left to check the triples $(D_{2m+1}, D_{2s}, D_{2m-1} + D_{2s+1})$ with $1 < m < s$, $(D_{2s}, D_{2s}, D_{2s-3})$, $(D_{2s}, D_{2s}, D_{2s-2})$, $(D_{2s}, D_{2s+1}, D_{2s-1})$. Let (D, E, F) be such a triple, then $\sigma_1, \sigma_2 \notin \text{supp}_\Sigma(D + E - F)$ and we can consider the intersection X' of the G -stable divisors of X corresponding to the spherical roots σ_1, σ_2 . Take the Levi subgroup L of G associated to the roots $\alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_s, \alpha'_2, \dots, \alpha'_s$, of semisimple type $A_{s-1} \times B_{s-1}$, and consider the comodel L -variety Y of type $\text{ab}^Y(s-1, s-1)$. The wonderful G -variety X' is obtained by parabolic induction from Y . Hence our claim follows by Lemma 2.3 and the induction hypothesis. \square

3. NORMALITY AND SEMIGROUPS

Recall that we have fixed a maximal torus T in K and Borel subgroup B of K containing T . We use $\mathcal{X}(T)$ for the weight lattice of T .

Let us denote by $\Gamma(Z)$ the weight semigroup of a K -spherical variety Z ,

$$\Gamma(Z) = \{\lambda \in \mathcal{X}(T) : \text{Hom}(\mathbb{C}[Z], V(\lambda)) \neq 0\}.$$

Let Ke be a spherical nilpotent orbit in \mathfrak{p} , and let Σ and Δ be the set of spherical roots and the set of colors of the wonderful compactification of $K/K_{[e]}$. Let us denote by $D_{\mathfrak{p}}$ the element of $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ such that $\mathfrak{p} = V_{D_{\mathfrak{p}}}^*$. Provided that the multiplication of sections of globally generated line bundles on the wonderful compactification of $K/K_{[e]}$ is surjective, we have that $\overline{Ke} \subset \mathfrak{p}$ is normal if and only if $D_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is minuscule

in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ with respect to the partial order \leq_{Σ} , see [4, Section 7]. If moreover \widetilde{Ke} is the normalization of \overline{Ke} , then

$$\Gamma(\widetilde{Ke}) = \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \{\omega_E : E \in \mathbb{N}\Delta, E \leq_{\Sigma} nD_p\},$$

that is, $\Gamma(\widetilde{Ke}) = \omega(\Gamma_{D_p})$ where Γ_{D_p} is the subsemigroup of $\mathbb{N}\Delta$ given by

$$\Gamma_{D_p} = \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \{E \in \mathbb{N}\Delta : E \leq_{\Sigma} nD_p\}.$$

In the present section we will study the normality of \overline{Ke} and we will compute the weight semigroups $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$ by computing the corresponding semigroups Γ_{D_p} . In particular we will prove the following theorem.

Theorem 3.1. *Let $(\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{k})$ be a classical symmetric pair of non-Hermitian type. Then \overline{Ke} is not normal if and only if $(\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{k}) = (\mathfrak{so}(m+n), \mathfrak{so}(m) + \mathfrak{so}(n))$ and the signed partition of Ke is $(+3, +2^{n-1}, +1^{m-n-1})$, with $n > 1$ odd, or $(-3, +2^{m-1}, -1^{n-m-1})$, with $m > 1$ odd.*

In Appendix A these are the cases 7.3, with $r = p$, 8.2, with $r = q$, and 8.3, with $r = p$.

The normality or non-normality of \overline{Ke} , as well as the generators of the weight semigroup $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$ are given in Tables 2–11, in Appendix B.

In the tables we also provide the codimension of $\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke$ in \overline{Ke} . Notice that, if \overline{Ke} is normal and the codimension of $\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke$ in \overline{Ke} is greater than 1, then $\mathbb{C}[\overline{Ke}] = \mathbb{C}[Ke]$, so that the weight semigroup of Ke actually coincides with $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$.

Notice also that in all cases where \overline{Ke} is not normal, the normalization $\widetilde{Ke} \rightarrow \overline{Ke}$ is not even bijective (see [15] for a general procedure to compute the K -orbits in \widetilde{Ke} and in \overline{Ke}).

Remark 3.2. The normality of \overline{Ge} is well known and may be deduced from [22] (see also [28], when Ge is spherical under the action of G). In particular, if $(\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{k})$ is a classical symmetric pair of non-Hermitian type, then \overline{Ge} is normal in all but the following cases:

- $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sp}(2n)$ with $n > 3$ and the partition of Ge is $(3^2, 1^{2n-6})$ (Cases 4.2 and 4.3, with $p + q > 3$),
- $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sp}(2n)$ with $n > 6$ and the partition of Ge is $(3^4, 1^{2n-12})$ (Cases 4.6 and 4.7, with $p + q > 6$),
- $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{so}(2n + 1)$ and the partition of Ge is $(3, 2^{n-1})$ (Case 7.3, with $r = p = q - 1$).

We now report the details of the computation of the semigroup Γ_{D_p} . We omit the cases where $K/K_{[e]}$ is a flag variety (Cases 5.1 and 6.1 in Appendix A) or a parabolic induction of a symmetric variety (Cases 1.1, 2.1, 3.1, 4.1, 7.1, 8.1, 9.1, as well as Cases 7.2, 7.3, 8.2, 8.3, 9.2, 9.3 when $r = 0$): in these cases the combinatorics of spherical systems is easier. By [20], the normality of \overline{Ke} was already known in all these cases (see the discussion at the beginning of Appendix B), and the corresponding weight semigroups $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$ were obtained in [2] by using different techniques.

3.1. Symplectic cases.

Cases 4.2 ($q > 1$) **and 4.3** ($p > 1$). Let us deal with the case 4.2 ($q > 1$), the other one is similar. We have two spherical roots $\sigma_1 = \alpha_1 + \alpha'_1$ and $\sigma_2 = \alpha'_1 + 2(\alpha'_2 + \dots + \alpha'_{q-1}) + \alpha'_q$, and three colors $D_1 = D_{\alpha_1}$, $D_2 = D_{\alpha'_2}$ and $D_3 = D_{\alpha_2}$.

We have $D_{\mathfrak{p}} = D_1$, which is minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$, therefore \overline{Ke} is normal. Furthermore $D_2 + D_3 = 2D_1 - \sigma_1$ and $D_3 = 2D_1 - \sigma_1 - \sigma_2$, therefore $D_1, D_2 + D_3, D_3 \in \Gamma_{D_1}$.

Let us set $\sigma = \sum a_i \sigma_i \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ and $nD_1 - \sigma = \sum c_i D_i \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, we have

$$nD_1 - \sigma = (n - 2a_1)D_1 + (a_1 - a_2)D_2 + a_1D_3,$$

and therefore $c_3 - c_2 = a_2$. It follows that

$$\Gamma_{D_1} = \langle D_1, D_2 + D_3, D_3 \rangle_{\mathbb{N}}.$$

Cases 4.4 ($q > 2$) **and 4.5** ($p > 2$). Let us deal with the case 4.4 ($q > 2$), the other one is similar. Let us keep the notation of Sections 1.5.7 and 2.3, therefore $D_1 = D_{\alpha_2}^-$, $D_2 = D_{\alpha_2}^+$, $D_3 = D_{\alpha_1}^-$, $D_4 = D_{\alpha_1}^+$, $D_5 = D_{\alpha'_1}$, $D_6 = D_{\alpha'_3}$ and $D_7 = D_{\alpha_3}$.

Then we have $D_{\mathfrak{p}} = D_4$, which is minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$, therefore \overline{Ke} is normal. Moreover $D_2 = 2D_4 - \sigma_3 - \sigma_4$, $D_1 = D_2 - \sigma_2 - \sigma_4 - \sigma_5$, therefore $D_1, D_2, D_4 \in \Gamma_{D_4}$. Moreover $D_3 + D_7 = D_1 + D_2 - \sigma_1$, $D_5 + D_7 = D_2 + D_4 - \sigma_1 - \sigma_2 - \sigma_3 - \sigma_4$, $D_6 + D_7 = D_2 + D_4 - \sigma_1 - \sigma_2 - \sigma_3 - \sigma_4 - \sigma_5$, therefore $D_3 + D_7, D_5 + D_7, D_6 + D_7 \in \Gamma_{D_4}$ as well.

Let us set $\sigma = \sum a_i \sigma_i \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ and $nD_4 - \sigma = \sum c_i D_i \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} nD_4 - \sigma &= (-a_1 + a_2)D_1 + (-a_1 - a_2 + a_3)D_2 + (a_1 - a_2 - a_3 + a_4)D_3 + \\ &\quad + (n + a_2 - a_3 - a_4)D_4 + (a_3 - a_4 + a_5)D_5 + (a_2 - a_5)D_6 + a_1D_7, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore $c_3 + c_5 + c_6 = c_7$. It follows that

$$\Gamma_{D_4} = \langle D_1, D_2, D_4, D_3 + D_7, D_5 + D_7, D_6 + D_7 \rangle_{\mathbb{N}}.$$

Cases 4.4 ($q = 2$) **and 4.5** ($p = 2$). Let us deal with the case 4.4 ($q = 2$), the other one is similar. Label the spherical roots $\sigma_1 = \alpha_2$, $\sigma_2 = \alpha'_2$, $\sigma_3 = \alpha_1$, $\sigma_4 = \alpha'_1$, and label the colors $D_1 = D_{\alpha_2}^-$, $D_2 = D_{\alpha_2}^+$, $D_3 = D_{\alpha_1}^-$, $D_4 = D_{\alpha_1}^+$, $D_5 = D_{\alpha'_1}$, $D_6 = D_{\alpha_3}$.

Then we have $D_{\mathfrak{p}} = D_4$, which is minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$, therefore \overline{Ke} is normal. Moreover $D_2 = 2D_4 - \sigma_3 - \sigma_4$, $D_1 = D_2 - \sigma_2 - \sigma_4$, therefore $D_1, D_2, D_4 \in \Gamma_{D_4}$. Similarly $D_3 + D_6 = D_1 + D_2 - \sigma_1$ and $D_5 + D_6 = D_2 + D_4 - \sigma_1 - \sigma_2 - \sigma_3 - \sigma_4$, therefore $D_3 + D_6, D_5 + D_6 \in \Gamma_{D_4}$ as well.

Let us set $\sigma = \sum a_i \sigma_i \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ and $nD_4 - \sigma = \sum c_i D_i \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} nD_4 - \sigma &= (-a_1 + a_2)D_1 + (-a_1 - a_2 + a_3)D_2 + (a_1 - a_2 - a_3 + a_4)D_3 + \\ &\quad + (n + a_2 - a_3 - a_4)D_4 + (a_2 + a_3 - a_4)D_5 + a_1D_6, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore $c_3 + c_5 = c_6$. It follows that

$$\Gamma_{D_4} = \langle D_1, D_2, D_4, D_3 + D_6, D_5 + D_6 \rangle_{\mathbb{N}}.$$

Cases 4.6 and 4.7. Let us deal with the case 4.6, the other one is similar. In this case D_p is minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$. Following Example 2.7, this does not imply that the ring $\bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_{nD_p})$ is generated by its degree one component $V_{D_p} = \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_{D_p})$, indeed the multiplication of sections of globally generated line bundles on X is not necessarily surjective. However using our methods we are still able to compute the normality and the weight semigroups of \overline{Ke} .

Enumerate the spherical roots and the colors of X as in Example 2.7. Then $D_p = D_4$, and by definition

$$\Gamma(\overline{Ke}) = \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \{\omega_E : E \in \mathbb{N}\Delta, V_E \subset V_{D_4}^n\}.$$

Lemma 3.3. *The following inclusions hold:*

- (1) $V_{D_1} \subset V_{D_4}^2$ (where $D_1 = 2D_4 - \sigma_2 - \sigma_3 - 2\sigma_4$),
- (2) $V_{D_2} \subset V_{D_4}^2$ (where $D_2 = 2D_4 - \sigma_3 - \sigma_4$),
- (3) $V_{D_3} \subset V_{D_1}V_{D_2}$ (where $D_3 = D_1 + D_2 - \sigma_1$),
- (4) $V_{D_5} \subset V_{D_1}V_{D_4}$ (where $D_5 = D_1 + D_4 - \sigma_1 - \sigma_3$),
- (5) $V_{D_6} \subset V_{D_1}^2$ (where $D_6 = 2D_1 - 2\sigma_1 - \sigma_3 - \sigma_5$).

Proof. Consider the G -stable divisor $X' \subset X$ corresponding to σ_5 : it is a parabolic induction of a wonderful variety of type $\text{ab}^y(2, 2)$. By Proposition 2.15 together with Lemma 2.3 it follows that the multiplication of sections is surjective for all pairs of globally generated line bundles on X' . Denote by $\rho' : \text{Pic}(X) \rightarrow \text{Pic}(X')$ the restriction of line bundles and for $D \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ set $D' = \rho'(D)$. By Lemma 2.14 (D'_4, D'_4, D'_1) and (D'_4, D'_4, D'_2) are low triples for X' , and since $D'_5 \leq D'_1 + D'_4$ and $D'_3 \leq D'_1 + D'_2$ are coverings in $\text{Pic}(X')$ it follows that (D'_1, D'_4, D'_5) and (D'_1, D'_2, D'_3) are low triples for X' as well. On the other hand, for all $D \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$ the G -modules V_D and $V_{D'}$ are canonically identified, and since the restriction $\Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_D) \rightarrow \Gamma(X', \mathcal{L}_{D'})$ is surjective we get the inclusions (1), (2), (3), (4).

We are left with the inclusion (5). Consider the distinguished subset of colors $\Delta_0 = \{D_2, D_3, D_4, D_5\}$ and denote by Y the quotient of X by Δ_0 . Then Y is a rank 1 wonderful variety with spherical root $2\sigma_1 + \sigma_3 + \sigma_5$ whose set of colors is identified with $\{D_1, D_6\}$. By Lemma 2.2 we have that $\Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}_{nD_1}) = \Gamma(Y, \mathcal{L}_{nD_1})$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Since $D_6 \leq 2D_1$ is a covering in $\text{Pic}(Y)$, the triple (D_1, D_1, D_6) is low in $\text{Pic}(Y)$. On the other hand Y is a parabolic induction of a rank one symmetric variety, and for such a variety the multiplication of sections of globally generated line bundles is known to be always surjective. By Lemma 2.3 the same holds for Y , and since it corresponds to a low triple we get the inclusion $V_{D_6} \subset V_{D_1}^2$. \square

Proposition 3.4. *\overline{Ke} is normal, and $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$ is generated by the weights*

$$\omega_2, \omega_4, \omega_1 + \omega'_1, \omega_2 + \omega'_2, \omega_1 + \omega_3 + \omega'_2, \omega_3 + \omega'_1.$$

Proof. Clearly, $\Gamma(\overline{Ke}) \subset \omega(\mathbb{N}\Delta)$. On the other hand by the previous lemma we have that $\omega(D) \in \Gamma(\overline{Ke})$ for all $D \in \Delta$, therefore $\Gamma(\overline{Ke}) = \omega(\mathbb{N}\Delta)$ and the description of the generators follows by the description of the map ω .

Notice that the weights $\omega(D_1), \dots, \omega(D_6)$ are linearly independent. Therefore $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$ is a saturated semigroup of weights (that is, if $\Gamma_{\mathbb{Z}} \subset \mathcal{X}(T)$ is the sublattice generated by $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$ and if $\Gamma_{\mathbb{Q}^+} \subset \mathcal{X}(T) \otimes \mathbb{Q}$ is the cone generated by $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$, then $\Gamma(\overline{Ke}) = \Gamma_{\mathbb{Z}} \cap \Gamma_{\mathbb{Q}^+}$). It follows that \overline{Ke} is normal. \square

3.2. Orthogonal cases.

3.2.1. Tail cases.

Cases without Roman numerals. Let us deal with the case 7.2 ($r < q - 1$). The cases 7.3 ($r < \min\{p, q - 1\}$), 8.2 ($r < q$), 8.3 ($r < p$), 9.2 ($r < \min\{p - 1, q - 1\}$) and 9.3 ($r < \min\{p - 1, q - 1\}$) are similar. Suppose $r > 0$, otherwise we have a symmetric case. Let us keep the notation of Section 1.5.8, therefore, for all $i = 1, \dots, r$, $D_{2i-1} = D_{\alpha_i}^-$ and $D_{2i} = D_{\alpha_i}^+$, furthermore $D_{2r+1} = D_{\alpha_r}^-$, $D_{2r+2} = D_{\alpha_{r+1}}'$ and $D_{2r+3} = D_{\alpha_{r+1}}$. To have a uniform notation, we denote

$$\tilde{D}_{2r+3} = \begin{cases} D_{2r+3} & \text{if } r < p - 1 \\ 2D_{2r+3} & \text{if } r = p - 1 \end{cases}.$$

We have $D_{\mathfrak{p}} = D_2$, which is minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$, therefore \overline{Ke} is normal.

Set $\tilde{D}_1 = D_1$, $\tilde{D}_2 = D_2$ and, for all $k = 3, \dots, 2r + 2$,

$$\tilde{D}_k = D_2 + D_{k-2} - (\sigma_1 + \dots + \sigma_{k-2}).$$

Notice that

$$\tilde{D}_k = \begin{cases} D_k & \text{if } k \leq 2r \\ D_k + \tilde{D}_{2r+3} & \text{if } k = 2r + 1, 2r + 2 \end{cases}.$$

Proposition 3.5. *The semigroup Γ_{D_2} is generated by \tilde{D}_{2i} and $\tilde{D}_{2i-1} + \tilde{D}_{2j-1}$ for all $i, j = 1, \dots, r + 1$.*

Proof. Since $D_2 \in \Gamma_{D_2}$, by induction on the even indices, it follows that $\tilde{D}_{2i} \in \Gamma_{D_2}$ for all $i \leq r + 1$. On the other hand

$$D_1 = D_2 - (\sigma_2 + \sigma_4 + \dots + \sigma_{2r-2} + \sigma_{2r} + \frac{\sigma_{2r+1}}{2}).$$

Therefore, for the odd indices, we get $\tilde{D}_{2i-1} + \tilde{D}_{2j-1} \in \Gamma_{D_2}$ for all $i, j \leq r + 1$.

Let $\sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ and suppose that $nD_2 - \sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, let $\sigma = \sum a_i \sigma_i$ and $nD_2 - \sigma = \sum c_i D_i$. Notice that if $r = p - 1$ then c_{2r+3} is even. Therefore $nD_2 - \sigma \in \langle D_1, \dots, D_{2r+2}, \tilde{D}_{2r+3} \rangle_{\mathbb{N}}$, and write

$$nD_2 - \sigma = b_1 D_1 + \dots + b_{2r+2} D_{2r+2} + b_{2r+3} \tilde{D}_{2r+3}.$$

Expressing the coefficients b_1, \dots, b_{2r+3} with respect to a_1, \dots, a_{2r+1} we get that $\sum_{i=1}^{r+1} b_{2i-1} = 2a_{2r+1}$, and $b_{2r+1} + b_{2r+2} = b_{2r+3}$. The claim follows. \square

Cases with Roman numerals. Let us deal with the case 9.2 ($r = p - 1 < q - 1$), the case (I). The case (II), as well as the cases 7.3 ($r = q - 1 < p$) and 9.3 ($r = q - 1 < p - 1$) are similar. First, let us suppose $r > 1$. Let us keep the notation of Section 1.5.8, therefore, for all $i = 1, \dots, r$, $D_{2i-1} = D_{\alpha_i}^-$ and $D_{2i} = D_{\alpha_i}^+$, furthermore $D_{2r+1} = D_{\alpha_r}^-$, $D_{2r+2} = D_{\alpha_{r+1}}'$ and $D_{2r+3} = D_{\alpha_p}$.

We have $D_{\mathfrak{p}} = D_2$, which is minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$, therefore \overline{Ke} is normal.

Set $\tilde{D}_1 = D_1$ and $\tilde{D}_2 = D_2$, and define inductively, for all $k = 3, \dots, 2r + 2$,

$$\tilde{D}_k = D_2 + \tilde{D}_{k-2} - (\sigma_1 + \dots + \sigma_{k-2}).$$

Notice that

$$\tilde{D}_k = \begin{cases} D_k & \text{if } k \leq 2r - 2 \\ D_k + D_{2r+3} & \text{if } k = 2r - 1, 2r \\ D_k + 2D_{2r+3} & \text{if } k = 2r + 1, 2r + 2 \end{cases}.$$

Proposition 3.6. *The semigroup Γ_{D_2} is generated by \tilde{D}_{2i} and $\tilde{D}_{2i-1} + \tilde{D}_{2j-1}$ for all $i, j = 1, \dots, r + 1$.*

Proof. Since $D_2 \in \Gamma_{D_2}$, for the even indices, it follows that $\tilde{D}_{2i} \in \Gamma_{D_2}$ for all $i \leq r + 1$. On the other hand

$$D_1 = D_2 - (\sigma_2 + \sigma_4 + \dots + \sigma_{2r-2} + \sigma_{2r} + \frac{\sigma_{2r+1}}{2}).$$

Therefore, for the odd indices, we get $\tilde{D}_{2i-1} + \tilde{D}_{2j-1} \in \Gamma_{D_2}$ for all $i, j \leq r + 1$.

Let $\sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ and suppose that $nD_2 - \sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, denote $\sigma = \sum a_i \sigma_i$ and $nD_2 - \sigma = \sum c_i D_i$. Expressing the coefficients c_1, \dots, c_{2r+3} with respect to a_1, \dots, a_{2r+1} we get that $\sum_{i=1}^{r+1} c_{2i-1} = 2a_{2r+1}$, and $c_{2r-1} + c_{2r} + 2c_{2r+1} + 2c_{2r+2} = c_{2r+3}$. The claim follows. \square

We are left with the case $r = 1$, the case $r = 0$ being symmetric. Here we have $D_p = D_2 + D_5$, which is minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$, therefore \overline{Ke} is normal. Proceeding as above we get the same semigroup

$$\Gamma_{D_2+D_5} = \langle D_2 + D_5, D_4 + 2D_5, 2D_1 + 2D_5, D_1 + D_3 + 3D_5, 2D_3 + 4D_5 \rangle_{\mathbb{N}}.$$

3.2.2. Collapsed tails of type B.

Cases without Roman numerals. Let us deal with the case 8.2 ($r = q$). The cases 7.3 ($r = p < q - 1$) and 8.3 ($r = p$) are similar. Let us keep the notation of Sections 1.5.6 and 2.5, therefore $D_{2i-1} = D_{\alpha_i}^-$ and $D_{2i} = D_{\alpha_i}^+$ for all $i = 1, \dots, r$, $D_{2r+1} = D_{\alpha'_r}^-$ and $D_{2r+2} = D_{\alpha_{r+1}}$.

We have $D_p = D_2$. Notice that D_2 is not minuscule, indeed $D_1 = D_2 - \sum_{i=1}^r \sigma_{2i}$. Therefore \overline{Ke} is not normal.

To have a uniform notation set

$$\tilde{D}_{2r+2} = \begin{cases} D_{2r+2} & \text{if } r < p - 1 \\ 2D_{2r+2} & \text{if } r = p - 1 \end{cases}$$

Set $\tilde{D}_1 = D_1$ and $\tilde{D}_2 = D_2$, and define inductively for all $i = 3, \dots, 2r + 1$

$$\tilde{D}_i = D_2 + \tilde{D}_{i-2} - (\sigma_1 + \dots + \sigma_{i-2}).$$

Notice that

$$\tilde{D}_i = \begin{cases} D_i & \text{if } i \leq 2r - 1 \\ D_{2r} + D_{2r+1} & \text{if } i = 2r \\ 2D_{2r+1} + \tilde{D}_{2r+2} & \text{if } i = 2r + 1 \end{cases}.$$

Proposition 3.7. *The semigroup Γ_{D_2} is generated by $\tilde{D}_1, \dots, \tilde{D}_{2r+1}$.*

Proof. Let $\sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ and suppose that $nD_2 - \sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, denote $\sigma = \sum a_i \sigma_i$ and $nD_2 - \sigma = \sum c_i D_i$. Notice that if $r = p - 1$ then c_{2r+3} is even. Therefore $nD_2 - \sigma \in \langle D_1, \dots, D_{2r+2}, \tilde{D}_{2r+3} \rangle_{\mathbb{N}}$, and write

$$nD_2 - \sigma = b_1 D_1 + \dots + b_{2r+2} D_{2r+2} + b_{2r+3} \tilde{D}_{2r+3}.$$

Expressing the spherical roots in terms of colors it follows that $b_{2r+1} = b_{2r} + 2b_{2r+2}$. The claim follows. \square

Case with Roman numerals. We deal here with the case 7.3 ($r = p = q - 1$), the case (I), the case (II) is similar. The notation will be slightly different than before: let us enumerate the spherical roots $\Sigma = \{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_{2r}\}$ as follows

$$\sigma_{2i-1} = \alpha'_i, \quad \sigma_{2i} = \alpha_i, \quad \text{for all } i = 1, \dots, r.$$

Accordingly, we enumerate the colors as follows: $D_{2i-1} = D_{\alpha'_i}^-$ and $D_{2i} = D_{\alpha_i}^+$ for all $i = 1, \dots, r$, $D_{2r+1} = D_{\alpha_p}^-$ and $D_{2r+2} = D_{\alpha'_q}$.

We have $D_{\mathfrak{p}} = D_2$. Notice that D_2 is not minuscule, indeed $D_1 = D_2 - \sum_{i=1}^r \sigma_{2i}$. Therefore \overline{Ke} is not normal.

Set $\tilde{D}_1 = D_1$ and $\tilde{D}_2 = D_2$, and define inductively for all $i = 3, \dots, 2r + 1$

$$\tilde{D}_i = D_2 + \tilde{D}_{i-2} - (\sigma_1 + \dots + \sigma_{i-2}).$$

Notice that

$$\tilde{D}_i = \begin{cases} D_i & \text{if } i \leq 2r - 2 \\ D_{2r-1} + D_{2r+2} & \text{if } i = 2r - 1 \\ D_{2r} + D_{2r+1} + D_{2r+2} & \text{if } i = 2r \\ 2D_{2r+1} + 2D_{2r+2} & \text{if } i = 2r + 1 \end{cases}.$$

Proposition 3.8. *The semigroup Γ_{D_2} is generated by $\tilde{D}_1, \dots, \tilde{D}_{2r+1}$.*

Proof. Let $\sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ and suppose that $nD_2 - \sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, let $\sigma = \sum a_i \sigma_i$ and $nD_2 - \sigma = \sum c_i D_i$. Expressing the spherical roots in terms of colors it follows that $c_{2r+1} - c_{2r} = 2a_{2r-1}$ and $c_{2r-1} + c_{2r+1} = c_{2r+2}$. The claim follows. \square

3.2.3. Collapsed tails of type D.

Cases without Roman numerals. Let us deal with the case 7.2 ($r = q - 1$). The cases 9.2 ($r = q - 1 < p - 1$) and 9.3 ($r = p - 1 < q - 1$) are similar. Let us keep the notation of Section 1.5.8, therefore, for all $i = 1, \dots, r$, $D_{2i-1} = D_{\alpha_i}^-$ and $D_{2i} = D_{\alpha_i}^+$, furthermore $D_{2r+1} = D_{\alpha'_r}^-$, $D_{2r+2} = D_{\alpha'_{r+1}}^-$ and $D_{2r+3} = D_{\alpha_{r+1}}$. To have a uniform notation, we denote

$$\tilde{D}_{2r+3} = \begin{cases} D_{2r+3} & \text{if } r < p - 1 \\ 2D_{2r+3} & \text{if } r = p - 1 \end{cases}.$$

We have $D_{\mathfrak{p}} = D_2$, which is minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$, therefore \overline{Ke} is normal.

Set $\tilde{D}_1 = D_1$, $\tilde{D}_2 = D_2$ and, for all $k = 3, \dots, 2r + 2$,

$$\tilde{D}_k = D_2 + D_{k-2} - (\sigma_1 + \dots + \sigma_{k-2}).$$

Notice that

$$\tilde{D}_k = \begin{cases} D_k & \text{if } k \leq 2r \\ D_k + D_{2r+2} + \tilde{D}_{2r+3} & \text{if } k = 2r + 1, 2r + 2 \end{cases}.$$

Furthermore, set

$$\tilde{D}'_{2r+2} = D_2 + D_{2r} - (\sigma_1 + \dots + \sigma_{2r-1} + \sigma_{2r+1}) = 2D_{2r+1} + \tilde{D}_{2r+3}.$$

Proposition 3.9. *The semigroup Γ_{D_2} is generated by \tilde{D}_{2i} , $\tilde{D}_{2i-1} + \tilde{D}_{2j-1}$ for all $i, j = 1, \dots, r+1$ with $i+j \leq 2r+1$, and \tilde{D}'_{2r+2} .*

Proof. Since $D_2 \in \Gamma_{D_2}$, for the even indices, it follows that $\tilde{D}_{2i} \in \Gamma_{D_2}$ for all $i \leq r+1$, and $\tilde{D}'_{2r+2} \in \Gamma_{D_2}$ as well. On the other hand

$$D_1 = D_2 - (\sigma_2 + \sigma_4 + \dots + \sigma_{2r-2} + \frac{\sigma_{2r} + \sigma_{2r+1}}{2}).$$

Therefore, for the odd indices, we get $\tilde{D}_{2i-1} + \tilde{D}_{2j-1} \in \Gamma_{D_2}$ for all $i, j \leq r+1$.

Let $\sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ and suppose that $nD_2 - \sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, denote $\sigma = \sum a_i \sigma_i$ and $nD_2 - \sigma = \sum c_i D_i$. Notice that if $r = p-1$ then c_{2r+3} is even. Therefore $nD_2 - \sigma \in \langle D_1, \dots, D_{2r+2}, \tilde{D}_{2r+3} \rangle_{\mathbb{N}}$, and write

$$nD_2 - \sigma = b_1 D_1 + \dots + b_{2r+2} D_{2r+2} + b_{2r+3} \tilde{D}_{2r+3}.$$

Expressing the coefficients b_1, \dots, b_{2r+3} with respect to a_1, \dots, a_{2r+1} we get that $\sum_{i=1}^{r+1} b_{2i-1} = 2a_{2r+1}$, and $b_{2r+1} + b_{2r+2} = 2b_{2r+3}$. The claim follows. \square

Cases with Roman numerals. Let us deal with the case 9.2 ($r = p-1 = q-1$), the case (I). The case (II) as well as the cases 9.3 ($r = q-1 = p-1$) are similar. First, let us suppose $r > 1$. Let us keep the notation of Section 1.5.8, therefore, for all $i = 1, \dots, r$, $D_{2i-1} = D_{\alpha_i}^-$ and $D_{2i} = D_{\alpha_i}^+$, furthermore $D_{2r+1} = D_{\alpha'_{q-1}}^-$, $D_{2r+2} = D_{\alpha'_q}^-$ and $D_{2r+3} = D_{\alpha_p}$.

We have $D_{\mathfrak{p}} = D_2$, which is minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$, therefore $\overline{K}e$ is normal.

Set $\tilde{D}_1 = D_1$ and $\tilde{D}_2 = D_2$, and define inductively, for all $k = 3, \dots, 2r+2$,

$$\tilde{D}_k = D_2 + \tilde{D}_{k-2} - (\sigma_1 + \dots + \sigma_{k-2}).$$

Notice that

$$\tilde{D}_k = \begin{cases} D_k & \text{if } k \leq 2r-2 \\ D_k + D_{2r+3} & \text{if } k = 2r-1, 2r \\ D_k + D_{2r+2} + 2D_{2r+3} & \text{if } k = 2r+1, 2r+2 \end{cases}.$$

Furthermore, set

$$\tilde{D}'_{2r+2} = D_2 + \tilde{D}_{2r} - (\sigma_1 + \dots + \sigma_{2r-1} + \sigma_{2r+1}) = 2D_{2r+1} + 2D_{2r+3}.$$

Proposition 3.10. *The semigroup Γ_{D_2} is generated by \tilde{D}_{2i} , $\tilde{D}_{2i-1} + \tilde{D}_{2j-1}$ for all $i, j = 1, \dots, r+1$ with $i+j \leq 2r+1$, and \tilde{D}'_{2r+2} .*

Proof. Since $D_2 \in \Gamma_{D_2}$, for the even indices, it follows that $\tilde{D}_{2i} \in \Gamma_{D_2}$ for all $i \leq r+1$, and $\tilde{D}'_{2r+2} \in \Gamma_{D_2}$ as well. On the other hand

$$D_1 = D_2 - (\sigma_2 + \sigma_4 + \dots + \sigma_{2r-2} + \frac{\sigma_{2r} + \sigma_{2r+1}}{2}).$$

Therefore, for the odd indices, we get $\tilde{D}_{2i-1} + \tilde{D}_{2j-1} \in \Gamma_{D_2}$ for all $i, j \leq r+1$.

Let $\sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Sigma$ and suppose that $nD_2 - \sigma \in \mathbb{N}\Delta$, let $\sigma = \sum a_i \sigma_i$ and $nD_2 - \sigma = \sum c_i D_i$. Expressing the coefficients c_1, \dots, c_{2r+3} with respect to a_1, \dots, a_{2r+1} we get that $\sum_{i=1}^{r+1} c_{2i-1} = 2a_{2r+1}$, and $c_{2r-1} + c_{2r} + c_{2r+1} + c_{2r+2} = c_{2r+3}$. The claim follows. \square

We are left with the case $r = 1$, the case $r = 0$ being symmetric. Here we have $D_{\mathfrak{p}} = D_2 + D_5$, which is minuscule in $\mathbb{N}\Delta$, therefore $\overline{K}e$ is normal. Proceeding as above we get the same semigroup, that is, $\Gamma_{D_2+D_5}$ is generated by $D_2 + D_5$, $2D_4 + 2D_5$, $2D_3 + 2D_5$, $2D_1 + 2D_5$, $D_1 + D_3 + D_4 + 3D_5$.

APPENDIX A. LIST OF SPHERICAL NILPOTENT K -ORBITS IN \mathfrak{p} IN THE CLASSICAL NON-HERMITIAN CASES

Here we report the list of the spherical nilpotent K -orbits in \mathfrak{p} for all symmetric pairs $(\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{k})$ of classical non-Hermitian type.

Every K -orbit in \mathfrak{p} is labelled with the signed partition of the corresponding real nilpotent orbit, via the Kostant-Sekiguchi-Đoković bijection.

For every orbit we provide a representative e , as well as a normal triple containing it $\{h, e, f\}$.

For all $i \in \mathbb{Z}$, let $\mathfrak{k}(i)$ be the adh -eigenspace in \mathfrak{k} of eigenvalue i . We denote by Q the parabolic subgroup of K whose Lie algebra is equal to

$$\text{Lie } Q = \bigoplus_{i \geq 0} \mathfrak{k}(i).$$

In each case we describe the centralizer of h , which we denote by K_h or by L , which is a Levi subgroup of Q . We denote by $Q^{\mathfrak{u}}$ the unipotent radical of Q . Then we describe the centralizer of e , which we denote by K_e . A Levi subgroup of K_e is always given by L_e , the centralizer of e in L . The unipotent radical of K_e is either equal to $Q^{\mathfrak{u}}$ or equal to a co-simple L_e -submodule of $Q^{\mathfrak{u}}$. In the latter case, there always exist some simple L_e -submodules in $\mathfrak{k}(1)$, say W_0, \dots, W_d , which we determine, with the following properties. They are isomorphic as L_e -modules but lie in pairwise distinct isotypical L -components. Denoting by V the L_e -complement of $W_0 \oplus \dots \oplus W_d$ in $\text{Lie } Q^{\mathfrak{u}}$, as L_e -module,

$$\text{Lie } K_e^{\mathfrak{u}} = W \oplus V,$$

where W is a co-simple L_e -submodule of $W_0 \oplus \dots \oplus W_d$ which projects non-trivially on every summand W_0, \dots, W_d . Actually, the integer $d + 1$, the number of the above simple L_e -modules W_0, \dots, W_d , will only be equal to 2 or 3.

Remark A.1. As already mentioned, the list of spherical nilpotent K -orbits in \mathfrak{p} is in [19], and all the data in our list, such as a representative and its centralizer, can be directly computed using the information contained therein, with one exception. There is one missing case in [19], corresponding to the signed partition $(+3^4, +1^{2n-8})$ for the symmetric pair $(\mathfrak{sp}(2n+4), \mathfrak{sp}(2n) + \mathfrak{sp}(4))$ with $n \geq 4$ (cases 4.6 and 4.7 in Appendix A). The lack comes from a small mistake in [19, Lemma 7.2], we have checked that there is no further missing case arising from that lemma. The smallest case of this family, which is for $n = 4$, was already present in [27, Example 5.8].

1. $\mathfrak{sl}(2n)/\mathfrak{sp}(2n)$. $K = \mathrm{Sp}(2n)$, $n \geq 2$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega_2)$.

Let us fix a basis $e_1, \dots, e_n, e_{-n}, \dots, e_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2n} , a skew-symmetric bilinear form ω such that $\omega(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for $1 \leq i \leq n$ and $K = \mathrm{Sp}(\mathbb{C}^{2n}, \omega)$. Then ω can be seen as a linear form on $\Lambda^2 \mathbb{C}^{2n}$, $\omega(e_i \wedge e_j) = \omega(e_i, e_j)$, and

$$\mathfrak{p} = \ker \omega \subset \Lambda^2 \mathbb{C}^{2n}.$$

1.1. $(2^r, 1^{n-2r})$, $r \geq 1$.

$$e = \sum_{i=1}^r e_i \wedge e_{2r-i+1}, \quad h(e_i) = \begin{cases} e_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq 2r \\ -e_i & \text{if } -2r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad f = \sum_{i=1}^r e_{-2r+i-1} \wedge e_{-i}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(2r) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2n-4r)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e Q^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{Sp}(2r) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2n-4r)$.

2. $\mathfrak{sl}(2n+1)/\mathfrak{so}(2n+1)$. $K = \mathrm{SO}(2n+1)$, $n \geq 2$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(2\omega_1)$. If $n = 1$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(4\omega)$.

Let us fix a basis $e_1, \dots, e_n, e_0, e_{-n}, \dots, e_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2n+1} , a symmetric bilinear form β such that $\beta(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for all i, j and $K = \mathrm{SO}(\mathbb{C}^{2n+1}, \beta)$. Then β can be seen as a linear form on $S^2 \mathbb{C}^{2n+1}$, $\beta(e_i e_j) = \beta(e_i, e_j)$, and

$$\mathfrak{p} = \ker \beta \subset S^2 \mathbb{C}^{2n+1}.$$

2.1. $(2^r, 1^{2n-2r+1})$, $r \geq 1$.

$$e = \sum_{i=1}^r e_i e_{r-i+1}, \quad h(e_i) = \begin{cases} e_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad f = \sum_{i=1}^r e_{-r+i-1} e_{-i}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2n-2r+1)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e Q^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{O}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2n-2r+1)$.

3. $\mathfrak{sl}(2n)/\mathfrak{so}(2n)$. $K = \mathrm{SO}(2n)$, $n \geq 3$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(2\omega_1)$. If $n = 2$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(2\omega + 2\omega')$.

Let us fix a basis $e_1, \dots, e_n, e_{-n}, \dots, e_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2n} , a symmetric bilinear form β such that $\beta(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for all i, j and $K = \mathrm{SO}(\mathbb{C}^{2n}, \beta)$. Then β can be seen as a linear form on $S^2 \mathbb{C}^{2n}$, $\beta(e_i e_j) = \beta(e_i, e_j)$, and

$$\mathfrak{p} = \ker \beta \subset S^2 \mathbb{C}^{2n}.$$

Let us denote by τ the linear endomorphism of \mathbb{C}^{2n} switching e_n and e_{-n} and fixing all the other basis vectors. The conjugation by τ is an involutive external automorphism of \mathfrak{g} , living \mathfrak{k} and \mathfrak{p} stable, and inducing the nontrivial involution of the Dynkin diagram of \mathfrak{k} .

3.1. $(\mathbf{2}^r, \mathbf{1}^{2n-2r})$, $r \geq 1$. If $r < n$,

$$e = \sum_{i=1}^r e_i e_{r-i+1}, \quad h(e_i) = \begin{cases} e_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad f = \sum_{i=1}^r e_{-r+i-1} e_{-i}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2n-2r)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e Q^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{O}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2n-2r)$.

If $r = n$, there exist two orbits labelled I and II. The case (I) can be described as above by specializing r equal to n . The case (II) can be obtained from the case (I) conjugating by τ .

4. $\mathfrak{sp}(2p+2q)/\mathfrak{sp}(2p) + \mathfrak{sp}(2q)$. $K = \mathrm{Sp}(2p) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q)$, $p, q \geq 1$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega_1 + \omega'_1)$.

Let us fix a basis $e_1, \dots, e_p, e_{-p}, \dots, e_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2p} and a skew-symmetric bilinear form ω such that $\omega(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for $1 \leq i \leq p$. Similarly, let us fix a basis $e'_1, \dots, e'_q, e'_{-q}, \dots, e'_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2q} and a skew-symmetric bilinear form ω' such that $\omega'(e'_i, e'_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for $1 \leq i \leq q$. Then $K = \mathrm{Sp}(\mathbb{C}^{2p}, \omega) \times \mathrm{Sp}(\mathbb{C}^{2q}, \omega')$ and

$$\mathfrak{p} = \mathbb{C}^{2p} \otimes \mathbb{C}^{2q}.$$

4.1. $(+\mathbf{2}^{2r}, +\mathbf{1}^{2p-2r}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-2r})$, $r \geq 1$.

$$e = \sum_{i=1}^r e_i \otimes e'_{r-i+1}, \quad f = -\sum_{i=1}^r e_{-r+i-1} \otimes e'_{-i},$$

$$h(e_i) = \begin{cases} e_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad h(e'_i) = \begin{cases} e'_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e'_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2p-2r) \times \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q-2r)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e Q^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2p-2r) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q-2r)$, the $\mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L_e is embedded skew-diagonally, $A \mapsto (A, A^{-1})$, into the $\mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L .

4.2. $(+\mathbf{3}^2, +\mathbf{1}^{2p-4}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-2})$.

$$e = e_1 \otimes e'_{-1} - e_2 \otimes e'_1, \quad f = 2e_{-2} \otimes e'_{-1} + 2e_{-1} \otimes e'_1,$$

$$h(e_i) = \begin{cases} 2e_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq 2 \\ -2e_i & \text{if } -2 \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad h(e'_i) = 0 \quad \forall i.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(2) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2p-4) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e Q^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{SL}(2) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2p-4) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q-2)$, the $\mathrm{SL}(2) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q-2)$ factor of L_e is embedded as

$$(A, B) \mapsto (A, A, B)$$

into $\mathrm{SL}(2) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q-2)$ where the $\mathrm{SL}(2)$ factor is included in the $\mathrm{GL}(2)$ factor of L and the $\mathrm{Sp}(2) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q-2)$ factor is included in the $\mathrm{Sp}(2q)$ factor of L .

4.3. $(-\mathbf{3}^2, +\mathbf{1}^{2p-2}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-4})$. This case can be obtained from the case 4.2 by switching the role of p and q .

4.4. $(+\mathbf{3}^2, +\mathbf{2}^2, +\mathbf{1}^{2p-6}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-4})$.

$$e = e_1 \otimes e'_{-2} - e_2 \otimes e'_2 - e_3 \otimes e'_1, \quad f = e_{-3} \otimes e'_{-1} + 2e_{-2} \otimes e'_{-2} + 2e_{-1} \otimes e'_2,$$

$$h(e_i) = \begin{cases} 2e_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq 2 \\ e_i & \text{if } i = 3 \\ -e_i & \text{if } i = -3 \\ -2e_i & \text{if } -2 \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad h(e'_i) = \begin{cases} e'_i & \text{if } i = 1 \\ -e'_i & \text{if } i = -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(2) \times \mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2p-6) \times \mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q-2)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e K_e^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{SL}(2) \times \mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2p-3) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q-4)$, the $\mathrm{SL}(2) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q-4)$ factor of L_e is embedded as

$$(A, B) \mapsto (A, A, B)$$

into $\mathrm{SL}(2) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q-4)$ where the $\mathrm{SL}(2)$ factor is included in the $\mathrm{GL}(2)$ factor of L and the $\mathrm{Sp}(2) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2q-4)$ factor is included in the $\mathrm{Sp}(2q-2)$ factor of L , the $\mathrm{GL}(1)$ factor of L_e is embedded skew-diagonally

$$z \mapsto (z, z^{-1})$$

into the $\mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{GL}(1)$ factor of L . The quotient $\mathrm{Lie} Q^u / \mathrm{Lie} K_e^u$ is a simple L_e -module of dimension 2 as follows. In $\mathfrak{k}(1)$ there are exactly two simple L_e -submodules, W_0, W_1 , of highest weight ω_1 w.r.t. the $\mathrm{SL}(2)$ factor, isomorphic as L_e -modules but lying in two distinct isotypical L -components. Let V be the L_e -complement of $W_0 \oplus W_1$ in $\mathrm{Lie} Q^u$. As L_e -module, $\mathrm{Lie} K_e^u$ is the direct sum of V and a simple L_e -submodule of $W_0 \oplus W_1$ which projects non-trivially on both summands W_0 and W_1 .

4.5. $(-\mathbf{3}^2, +\mathbf{2}^2, +\mathbf{1}^{2p-4}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-6})$. This case can be obtained from the case 4.4 by switching the role of p and q .

4.6. $(+\mathbf{3}^4, +\mathbf{1}^{2p-8}), q = 2$.

$$e = e_1 \otimes e'_{-1} + e_2 \otimes e'_{-2} - e_3 \otimes e'_2 - e_4 \otimes e'_1,$$

$$h(e_i) = \begin{cases} 2e_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq 4 \\ -2e_i & \text{if } -4 \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad h(e'_i) = 0 \quad \forall i,$$

$$f = 2(e_{-4} \otimes e'_{-1} + e_{-3} \otimes e'_{-2} + e_{-2} \otimes e'_2 + e_{-1} \otimes e'_1).$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(4) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2p-8) \times \mathrm{Sp}(4)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e Q^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{Sp}(4) \times \mathrm{Sp}(2p-8)$, the $\mathrm{Sp}(4)$ factor of L_e is embedded diagonally, $A \mapsto (A, A)$, into the $\mathrm{GL}(4) \times \mathrm{Sp}(4)$ factor of L .

4.7. $(-\mathbf{3}^4, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-8}), p = 2$. This case can be obtained from the case 4.6 by switching the role of p and q .

5. $\mathfrak{so}(2n+1)/\mathfrak{so}(2n)$. $K = \mathrm{SO}(2n)$, $n \geq 3$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega_1)$. If $n = 2$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega + \omega')$.

Let us fix a basis $e_1, \dots, e_n, e_{-n}, \dots, e_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2n} , a symmetric bilinear form β such that $\beta(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for all i, j and $K = \mathrm{SO}(\mathbb{C}^{2n}, \beta)$. Then

$$\mathfrak{p} = \mathbb{C}^{2n}.$$

5.1. $(+\mathbf{3}, +\mathbf{1}^{2n-2})$.

$$e = e_1, \quad h(e_i) = \begin{cases} 2e_i & \text{if } i = 1 \\ -2e_i & \text{if } i = -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad f = -2e_{-1}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{SO}(2n-2)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_eQ^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{SO}(2n-2)$.

6. $\mathfrak{so}(2n+2)/\mathfrak{so}(2n+1)$. $K = \mathrm{SO}(2n+1)$, $n \geq 2$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega_1)$. If $n = 1$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(2\omega)$.

Let us fix a basis $e_1, \dots, e_n, e_0, e_{-n}, \dots, e_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2n+1} , a symmetric bilinear form β such that $\beta(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for all i, j and $K = \mathrm{SO}(\mathbb{C}^{2n+1}, \beta)$. Then

$$\mathfrak{p} = \mathbb{C}^{2n+1}.$$

6.1. $(+\mathbf{3}, +\mathbf{1}^{2n-1})$.

$$e = e_1, \quad h(e_i) = \begin{cases} 2e_i & \text{if } i = 1 \\ -2e_i & \text{if } i = -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad f = -2e_{-1}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{SO}(2n-1)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_eQ^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{SO}(2n-1)$.

7. $\mathfrak{so}(2p+2q+1)/\mathfrak{so}(2p+1) + \mathfrak{so}(2q)$. $K = \mathrm{SO}(2p+1) \times \mathrm{SO}(2q)$, $p \geq 2$, $q \geq 3$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega_1 + \omega'_1)$. If $p = 1$ and $q \geq 3$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(2\omega + \omega'_1)$. If $p \geq 2$ and $q = 2$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega_1 + \omega' + \omega'')$. If $p = 1$ and $q = 2$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(2\omega + \omega' + \omega'')$.

Let us fix a basis $e_1, \dots, e_p, e_0, e_{-p}, \dots, e_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2p+1} and a symmetric bilinear form β such that $\beta(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for all i, j . Similarly, let us fix a basis $e'_1, \dots, e'_q, e'_{-q}, \dots, e'_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2q} and a symmetric bilinear form β' such that $\beta'(e'_i, e'_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for all i, j . Then $K = \mathrm{SO}(\mathbb{C}^{2p+1}, \beta) \times \mathrm{SO}(\mathbb{C}^{2q}, \beta')$ and

$$\mathfrak{p} = \mathbb{C}^{2p+1} \otimes \mathbb{C}^{2q}.$$

Let us denote by τ the linear endomorphism of $\mathbb{C}^{2p+2q+1}$ switching e'_q and e'_{-q} and fixing all the other basis vectors. The conjugation by τ is an involutive external automorphism of \mathfrak{g} , living \mathfrak{k} and \mathfrak{p} stable, and inducing the nontrivial involution of the Dynkin diagram of \mathfrak{k} .

7.1. $(+\mathbf{2}^{2r}, +\mathbf{1}^{2p+1-2r}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-2r})$, $r \geq 1$. If $r < q$,

$$e = \sum_{i=1}^r e_i \otimes e'_{r-i+1}, \quad f = -\sum_{i=1}^r e_{-r+i-1} \otimes e'_{-i},$$

$$h(e_i) = \begin{cases} e_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad h(e'_i) = \begin{cases} e'_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e'_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r+1) \times \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2q-2r)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e Q^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r+1) \times \mathrm{SO}(2q-2r)$, the $\mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L_e is embedded skew-diagonally, $A \mapsto (A, A^{-1})$, into the $\mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L .

If $r = q$, there exist two orbits labelled I and II. The case (I) can be described as above by specializing r equal to q . The case (II) can be obtained from the case (I) conjugating by τ .

7.2. $(+\mathbf{3}, +\mathbf{2}^{2r}, +\mathbf{1}^{2p-1-2r}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-1-2r})$. If $r \leq q-2$,

$$e = e_1 \otimes (e'_q + e'_{-q}) + \sum_{i=1}^r e_{i+1} \otimes e'_{r-i+1}, \quad f = -\left(\sum_{i=1}^r e_{-r+i-2} \otimes e'_{-i} \right) - e_{-1} \otimes (e'_q + e'_{-q}),$$

$$h(e_i) = \begin{cases} 2e_i & \text{if } i = 1 \\ e_i & \text{if } 2 \leq i \leq r+1 \\ -e_i & \text{if } -r-1 \leq i \leq -2 \\ -2e_i & \text{if } i = -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad h(e'_i) = \begin{cases} e'_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e'_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r-1) \times \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2q-2r)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e K_e^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r-1) \times \mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2q-2r-1))$, the $\mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2p-2r-1))$ factor of L_e is embedded as

$$(z, A) \mapsto (z, z, A)$$

into $\mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2q-2r-1))$ where the $\mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2q-2r-1))$ factor is included in the $\mathrm{SO}(2q-2r)$ factor of L , the $\mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L_e is embedded skew-diagonally

$$B \mapsto (B, B^{-1})$$

into the $\mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L . The quotient $\mathrm{Lie} Q^u / \mathrm{Lie} K_e^u$ is a simple L_e -module of dimension r as follows. In $\mathfrak{k}(1)$ there are exactly two simple L_e -submodules, W_0, W_1 , of highest weight ω_{r-1} w.r.t. the $\mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor, isomorphic as L_e -modules but lying in two distinct isotypical L -components. Let V be the L_e -complement of $W_0 \oplus W_1$ in $\mathrm{Lie} Q^u$. As L_e -module, $\mathrm{Lie} K_e^u$ is the direct sum of V and a simple L_e -submodule of $W_0 \oplus W_1$ which projects non-trivially on both summands W_0 and W_1 .

If $r = q-1$, the normal triple h, e, f , the parabolic subgroup $Q = LQ^u$ and L_e have the same description, with $K_e = L_e K_e^u$. The quotient $\mathrm{Lie} Q^u / \mathrm{Lie} K_e^u$ remains a simple L_e -module of dimension $q-1$ but here in $\mathfrak{k}(1)$ there are exactly three simple L_e -submodules, W_0, W_1, W_2 , of highest weight ω_{q-2} w.r.t. the $\mathrm{GL}(q-1)$ factor,

isomorphic as L_e -modules but lying in three distinct isotypical L -components. Let V be the L_e -complement of $W_0 \oplus W_1 \oplus W_2$ in $\text{Lie } Q^u$. As L_e -module, $\text{Lie } K_e^u$ is the direct sum of V and a co-simple L_e -submodule of $W_0 \oplus W_1 \oplus W_2$ which projects non-trivially on every summand W_0, W_1 and W_2 .

7.3. $(-3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-2r}, -1^{2q-2-2r})$. If $r \leq q - 2$,

$$e = \left(\sum_{i=1}^r e_i \otimes e'_{r-i+2} \right) + e_0 \otimes e'_1, \quad f = -2e_0 \otimes e'_{-1} - \sum_{i=1}^r e_{-r+i-1} \otimes e'_{-i-1},$$

$$h(e_i) = \begin{cases} e_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad h(e'_i) = \begin{cases} 2e'_i & \text{if } i = 1 \\ e'_i & \text{if } 2 \leq i \leq r+1 \\ -e'_i & \text{if } -r-1 \leq i \leq -2 \\ -2e'_i & \text{if } i = -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \text{GL}(r) \times \text{SO}(2p-2r+1) \times \text{GL}(1) \times \text{GL}(r) \times \text{SO}(2q-2r-2)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e K_e^u$ where $L_e \cong \text{GL}(r) \times \text{S}(\text{O}(1) \times \text{O}(2p-2r)) \times \text{SO}(2q-2r-2)$, the $\text{S}(\text{O}(1) \times \text{O}(2p-2r))$ factor of L_e is embedded as

$$(z, A) \mapsto (z, A, z)$$

into $\text{S}(\text{O}(1) \times \text{O}(2p-2r)) \times \text{GL}(1)$ where the $\text{S}(\text{O}(1) \times \text{O}(2p-2r))$ factor is included in the $\text{SO}(2p-2r+1)$ factor of L , the $\text{GL}(r)$ factor of L_e is embedded skew-diagonally

$$B \mapsto (B, B^{-1})$$

into the $\text{GL}(r) \times \text{GL}(r)$ factor of L . The quotient $\text{Lie } Q^u / \text{Lie } K_e^u$ is a simple L_e -module of dimension r as follows. In $\mathfrak{k}(1)$ there are exactly two simple L_e -submodules, W_0, W_1 , of highest weight ω_1 w.r.t. the $\text{GL}(r)$ factor, isomorphic as L_e -modules but lying in two distinct isotypical L -components. Let V be the L_e -complement of $W_0 \oplus W_1$ in $\text{Lie } Q^u$. As L_e -module, $\text{Lie } K_e^u$ is the direct sum of V and a simple L_e -submodule of $W_0 \oplus W_1$ which projects non-trivially on both summands W_0 and W_1 .

If $r = q - 1$, there exist two orbits labelled I and II. The case (I) can be described as above by specializing r equal to $q - 1$. The case (II) can be obtained from the case (I) conjugating by τ .

8. $\mathfrak{so}(2p+2q+2)/\mathfrak{so}(2p+1) + \mathfrak{so}(2q+1)$. $K = \text{SO}(2p+1) \times \text{SO}(2q+1)$, $p, q \geq 2$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega_1 + \omega'_1)$. If $p = 1$ and $q \geq 2$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(2\omega + \omega'_1)$. If $p \geq 2$ and $q = 1$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega_1 + 2\omega')$. If $p = q = 1$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(2\omega + 2\omega')$.

Let us fix a basis $e_1, \dots, e_p, e_0, e_{-p}, \dots, e_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2p+1} and a symmetric bilinear form β such that $\beta(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for all i, j . Similarly, let us fix a basis $e'_1, \dots, e'_q, e'_0, e'_{-q}, \dots, e'_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2q+1} and a symmetric bilinear form β' such that $\beta'(e'_i, e'_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for all i, j . Then $K = \text{SO}(\mathbb{C}^{2p+1}, \beta) \times \text{SO}(\mathbb{C}^{2q+1}, \beta')$ and

$$\mathfrak{p} = \mathbb{C}^{2p+1} \otimes \mathbb{C}^{2q+1}.$$

8.1. $(+\mathbf{2}^{2r}, +\mathbf{1}^{2p+1-2r}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q+1-2r})$, $r \geq 1$.

$$e = \sum_{i=1}^r e_i \otimes e'_{r-i+1}, \quad f = -\sum_{i=1}^r e_{-r+i-1} \otimes e'_{-i},$$

$$h(e_i) = \begin{cases} e_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad h(e'_i) = \begin{cases} e'_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e'_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r+1) \times \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2q-2r+1)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e Q^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r+1) \times \mathrm{SO}(2q-2r+1)$, the $\mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L_e is embedded skew-diagonally, $A \mapsto (A, A^{-1})$, into the $\mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L .

8.2. $(+\mathbf{3}, +\mathbf{2}^{2r}, +\mathbf{1}^{2p-1-2r}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-2r})$.

$$e = e_1 \otimes e'_0 + \sum_{i=1}^r e_{i+1} \otimes e'_{r-i+1}, \quad f = -\left(\sum_{i=1}^r e_{-r+i-2} \otimes e'_{-i}\right) - 2e_{-1} \otimes e'_0,$$

$$h(e_i) = \begin{cases} 2e_i & \text{if } i = 1 \\ e_i & \text{if } 2 \leq i \leq r+1 \\ -e_i & \text{if } -r-1 \leq i \leq -2 \\ -2e_i & \text{if } i = -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad h(e'_i) = \begin{cases} e'_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e'_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r-1) \times \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2q-2r+1)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e K_e^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r-1) \times \mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2q-2r))$, the $\mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2q-2r))$ factor of L_e is embedded as

$$(z, A) \mapsto (z, z, A)$$

into $\mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2q-2r))$ where the $\mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2q-2r))$ factor is included in the $\mathrm{SO}(2q-2r+1)$ factor of L , the $\mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L_e is embedded skew-diagonally

$$B \mapsto (B, B^{-1})$$

into the $\mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L . The quotient $\mathrm{Lie} Q^u / \mathrm{Lie} K_e^u$ is a simple L_e -module of dimension r as follows. In $\mathfrak{k}(1)$ there are exactly two simple L_e -submodules, W_0, W_1 , of highest weight ω_{r-1} w.r.t. the $\mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor, isomorphic as L_e -modules but lying in two distinct isotypical L -components. Let V be the L_e -complement of $W_0 \oplus W_1$ in $\mathrm{Lie} Q^u$. As L_e -module, $\mathrm{Lie} K_e^u$ is the direct sum of V and a simple L_e -submodule of $W_0 \oplus W_1$ which projects non-trivially on both summands W_0 and W_1 .

8.3. $(-\mathbf{3}, +\mathbf{2}^{2r}, +\mathbf{1}^{2p-2r}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-1-2r})$. This case can be obtained from the case 8.2 by switching the role of p and q .

9. $\mathfrak{so}(2p+2q)/\mathfrak{so}(2p) + \mathfrak{so}(2q)$. $K = \mathrm{SO}(2p) \times \mathrm{SO}(2q)$, $p, q \geq 3$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega_1 + \omega'_1)$. If $p = 2$ and $q \geq 3$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega + \omega' + \omega''_1)$. If $p \geq 3$ and $q = 2$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega_1 + \omega' + \omega''_1)$. If $p = 2$ and $q = 2$, $\mathfrak{p} = V(\omega + \omega' + \omega'' + \omega'''_1)$.

Let us fix a basis $e_1, \dots, e_p, e_{-p}, \dots, e_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2p} and a symmetric bilinear form β such that $\beta(e_i, e_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for all i, j . Similarly, let us fix a basis $e'_1, \dots, e'_q, e'_{-q}, \dots, e'_{-1}$ of \mathbb{C}^{2q} and a symmetric bilinear form β' such that $\beta'(e'_i, e'_j) = \delta_{i,-j}$ for all i, j . Then $K = \mathrm{SO}(\mathbb{C}^{2p}, \beta) \times \mathrm{SO}(\mathbb{C}^{2q}, \beta')$ and

$$\mathfrak{p} = \mathbb{C}^{2p} \otimes \mathbb{C}^{2q}.$$

Let us denote by τ the linear endomorphism of \mathbb{C}^{2p+2q} switching e_p and e_{-p} and fixing all the other basis vectors. Similarly, let us denote by τ' the linear endomorphism of \mathbb{C}^{2p+2q} switching e'_q and e'_{-q} and fixing all the other basis vectors. The conjugation by τ (and by τ' , respectively) is an involutive external automorphism of \mathfrak{g} , living \mathfrak{k} and \mathfrak{p} stable, and inducing the nontrivial involution of the first (the second, respectively) connected component of the Dynkin diagram of \mathfrak{k} .

9.1. $(+\mathbf{2}^{2r}, +\mathbf{1}^{2p-2r}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-2r})$, $r \geq 1$. If $r < p$ and $r < q$,

$$e = \sum_{i=1}^r e_i \otimes e'_{r-i+1}, \quad f = - \sum_{i=1}^r e_{-r+i-1} \otimes e'_{-i},$$

$$h(e_i) = \begin{cases} e_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad h(e'_i) = \begin{cases} e'_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e'_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r) \times \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2q-2r)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e Q^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2q-2r)$, the $\mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L_e is embedded skew-diagonally, $A \mapsto (A, A^{-1})$, into the $\mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L .

If $r = p$ and $r < q$, there exist two orbits labelled I and II. The case (I) can be described as above by specializing r equal to p . The case (II) can be obtained from the case (I) conjugating by τ .

If $r < p$ and $r = q$, there exist two orbits labelled I and II. The case (I) can be described as above by specializing r equal to q . The case (II) can be obtained from the case (I) conjugating by τ' .

If $r = p = q$, there exist four orbits with a double label I or II. The case (I,I) can be described as above by specializing r equal to $p = q$. The case (I,II) can be obtained from the case (I,I) conjugating by τ' . The case (II,I) can be obtained from the case (I,I) conjugating by τ . The case (II,II) can be obtained from the case (I,I) conjugating by τ and τ' .

9.2. $(+\mathbf{3}, +\mathbf{2}^{2r}, +\mathbf{1}^{2p-2-2r}, -\mathbf{1}^{2q-1-2r})$. If $r \leq p-2$ and $r \leq q-2$,

$$e = e_1 \otimes (e'_q + e'_{-q}) + \sum_{i=1}^r e_{i+1} \otimes e'_{r-i+1}, \quad f = - \left(\sum_{i=1}^r e_{-r+i-2} \otimes e'_{-i} \right) - e_{-1} \otimes (e'_q + e'_{-q}),$$

$$h(e_i) = \begin{cases} 2e_i & \text{if } i = 1 \\ e_i & \text{if } 2 \leq i \leq r+1 \\ -e_i & \text{if } -r-1 \leq i \leq -2 \\ -2e_i & \text{if } i = -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad h(e'_i) = \begin{cases} e'_i & \text{if } 1 \leq i \leq r \\ -e'_i & \text{if } -r \leq i \leq -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Let $Q = LQ^u$ be the corresponding parabolic subgroup of K , so that $L = K_h \cong \mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r-2) \times \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2q-2r)$.

The centralizer of e is $K_e = L_e K_e^u$ where $L_e \cong \mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{SO}(2p-2r-2) \times \mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2q-2r-1))$, the $\mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2p-2r-1))$ factor of L_e is embedded as

$$(z, A) \mapsto (z, z, A)$$

into $\mathrm{GL}(1) \times \mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2q-2r-1))$ where the $\mathrm{S}(\mathrm{O}(1) \times \mathrm{O}(2q-2r-1))$ factor is included in the $\mathrm{SO}(2q-2r)$ factor of L , the $\mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L_e is embedded skew-diagonally

$$B \mapsto (B, B^{-1})$$

into the $\mathrm{GL}(r) \times \mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor of L . The quotient $\mathrm{Lie} Q^u / \mathrm{Lie} K_e^u$ is a simple L_e -module of dimension r as follows. In $\mathfrak{k}(1)$ there are exactly two simple L_e -submodules, W_0, W_1 , of highest weight ω_{r-1} w.r.t. the $\mathrm{GL}(r)$ factor, isomorphic as L_e -modules but lying in two distinct isotypical L -components. Let V be the L_e -complement of $W_0 \oplus W_1$ in $\mathrm{Lie} Q^u$. As L_e -module, $\mathrm{Lie} K_e^u$ is the direct sum of V and a simple L_e -submodule of $W_0 \oplus W_1$ which projects non-trivially on both summands W_0 and W_1 .

If $r \leq p-2$ and $r = q-1$, the normal triple h, e, f , the parabolic subgroup $Q = LQ^u$ and L_e have the same description, with $K_e = L_e K_e^u$. The quotient $\mathrm{Lie} Q^u / \mathrm{Lie} K_e^u$ remains a simple L_e -module of dimension $q-1$ but here in $\mathfrak{k}(1)$ there are exactly three simple L_e -submodules, W_0, W_1, W_2 , of highest weight ω_{q-2} w.r.t. the $\mathrm{GL}(q-1)$ factor, isomorphic as L_e -modules but lying in three distinct isotypical L -components. Let V be the L_e -complement of $W_0 \oplus W_1 \oplus W_2$ in $\mathrm{Lie} Q^u$. As L_e -module, $\mathrm{Lie} K_e^u$ is the direct sum of V and a co-simple L_e -submodule of $W_0 \oplus W_1 \oplus W_2$ which projects non-trivially on every summand W_0, W_1 and W_2 .

If $r = p-1$, there exist two orbits labelled I and II. The case (I) can be described as above by specializing r equal to $p-1$. The case (II) can be obtained from the case (I) conjugating by τ .

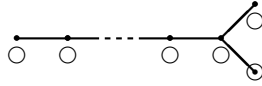
9.3. $(-3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-1-2r}, -1^{2q-2-2r})$. This case can be obtained from the case 9.2 by switching the role of p and q .

APPENDIX B. TABLES OF SPHERICAL NILPOTENT K -ORBITS IN \mathfrak{p} IN THE CLASSICAL NON-HERMITIAN CASES

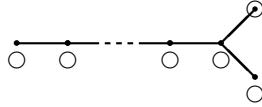
Let $e \in \mathcal{N}_{\mathfrak{p}}$ and let $\{h, e, f\}$ be a normal triple containing it. The action of the semisimple element h on \mathfrak{g} induces a \mathbb{Z} -grading $\mathfrak{g} = \bigoplus_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathfrak{g}(i)$, where we denote $\mathfrak{g}(i) = \{x \in \mathfrak{g} : [h, x] = ix\}$. This defines the *height* of e (which actually depends only on Ge), defined as $\mathrm{ht}(e) = \max\{i : \mathfrak{g}(i) \neq 0\}$. By [27, Theorem 2.6], the orbit Ge is spherical if and only if $\mathrm{ht}(e) \leq 3$.

Similarly, one may consider the action of h on \mathfrak{p} , and the corresponding \mathbb{Z} -grading $\mathfrak{p} = \bigoplus_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathfrak{p}(i)$, where $\mathfrak{p}(i) = \mathfrak{p} \cap \mathfrak{g}(i)$. This defines the *\mathfrak{p} -height* of e (which actually

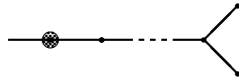
if $r = n$ (I)



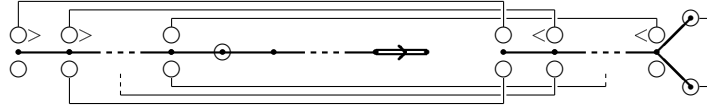
if $r = n$ (II)



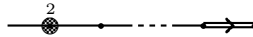
Whenever K has a factor of type D_t , where the diagram ends with a tail



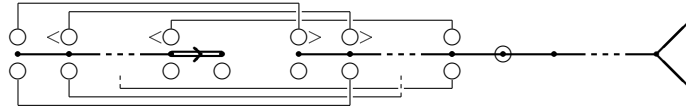
(the corresponding simple root α_s moving a color of type b, with $\alpha_{s+1}, \dots, \alpha_t$ belonging to S^p and $2(\alpha_s + \dots + \alpha_{t-2}) + \alpha_{t-1} + \alpha_t$ belonging to Σ) as in case 7.2, the given diagram is for $s < t - 1$. If $s = t - 1$, the simple roots α_{t-1} and α_t move the same color of type b ($\alpha_{t-1} + \alpha_t$ is a spherical root). For example, the diagram of the case 7.2 for $r = q - 2$ becomes



Whenever K has a factor of type B_t , where the diagram ends with a tail



(the corresponding simple root α_s moving a color of type b, with $\alpha_{s+1}, \dots, \alpha_t$ belonging to S^p and $2(\alpha_s + \dots + \alpha_t)$ belonging to Σ) as in case 7.3, the given diagram is for $s < t$. If $s = t$, the simple root α_t moves a color of type 2a ($2\alpha_t$ is a spherical root). For example, the diagram of the case 7.3 for $r = p - 1$ becomes



	Signed partition	Diagram of Ge	$\text{ht}(e)$	Diagram of Ke	$\text{ht}_p(e)$	\overline{Ke}	$\text{codim}(\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke)$	Generators of $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$
1.1	$(2^r, 1^{n-2r}), r \geq 1$	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 01 0 \dots 0)}_{2r-1}$ if $2r < n$ $\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 20 \dots 0)}_{n-1}$ if $2r = n$	2	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{2r-1}$ if $2r < n$ $(0 \dots 02)$ if $2r = n$	2	+	$4(n - 2r + 1)$	$\omega_2, \omega_4, \dots, \omega_{2r}$

Table 2: $G = A_{2n-1}, K = C_n (n \geq 2)$

	Signed partition	Diagram of Ge	$\text{ht}(e)$	Diagram of Ke	$\text{ht}_p(e)$	\overline{Ke}	$\text{codim}(\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke)$	Generators of $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$
2.1	$(2^r, 1^{2n-2r+1}), r \geq 1$	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 01 0 \dots 0)}_{r-1}$	2	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}$	2	+	$2(n - r + 1)$	$2\varpi_1, \dots, 2\varpi_r$

Table 3: $G = A_{2n}, K = B_n (n \geq 1)$

	Signed partition	Diagram of Ge	$\text{ht}(e)$	Diagram of Ke	$\text{ht}_p(e)$	\overline{Ke}	$\text{codim}(\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke)$	Generators of $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$
3.1 ($r < n$)	$(2^r, 1^{2n-2r}), r \geq 1$	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 01 0 \dots 0)}_{2r-1}$	2	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}$ if $r < n - 1$ $(0 \dots 011)$ if $r = n - 1$	2	+	$2(n - r) + 1$	$2\varpi_1, \dots, 2\varpi_r$
3.1 ($r = n$)	(2^n) (I) or (II)	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 20 \dots 0)}_{n-1}$	2	(I) $(0 \dots 002)$ (II) $(0 \dots 020)$	2	+	1	(I) $2\varpi_1, \dots, 2\varpi_{n-1}, 4\omega_n$ (II) $2\varpi_1, \dots, 2\varpi_{n-1}, 4\omega_{n-1}$

Table 4: $G = A_{2n-1}, K = D_n (n \geq 2)$

	Signed partition	Diagram of Ge	$\text{ht}(e)$	Diagram of Ke	$\text{ht}_p(e)$	\overline{Ke}	$\text{codim}(\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke)$	Generators of $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$
4.1	$(+2^{2r}, +1^{2p-2r}, -1^{2q-2r}), r \geq 1$	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{2r-1}$ if $2r < p + q$ $(0 \dots 02)$ if $r = p = q$	2	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0, 0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}$ if $r < p, r < q$ $\underbrace{(0 \dots 02, 0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}$ if $r = p < q$ $\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0, 0 \dots 02)}_{r-1}$ if $r = q < p$ $(0 \dots 02, 0 \dots 02)$ if $r = p = q$	2	+	$2(p + q - 2r) + 3$	$\omega_1 + \omega'_1, \dots, \omega_r + \omega'_r$
4.2	$(+3^2, +1^{2p-4}, -1^{2q-2})$	$(020 \dots 0)$	4	$(020 \dots 0, 0 \dots 0)$ if $p > 2$ $(04, 0 \dots 0)$ if $p = 2$	2	+	1	$\omega_1 + \omega'_1, \omega_2$ if $q = 1$ $\omega_1 + \omega'_1, \omega_2, \omega_2 + \omega'_2$ if $q > 1$
4.3	$(-3^2, +1^{2p-2}, -1^{2q-4})$	$(020 \dots 0)$	4	$(0 \dots 0, 020 \dots 0)$ if $q > 2$ $(0 \dots 0, 04)$ if $q = 2$	2	+	1	$\omega_1 + \omega'_1, \omega'_2$ if $p = 1$ $\omega_1 + \omega'_1, \omega_2 + \omega'_2, \omega'_2$ if $p > 1$
4.4 ($q > 2$)	$(+3^2, +2^2, +1^{2p-6}, -1^{2q-4})$	$(01010 \dots 0)$	4	$(0110 \dots 0, 10 \dots 0)$ if $p > 3$ $(012, 10 \dots 0)$ if $p = 3$	3	+	3	$\omega_1 + \omega_3 + \omega'_2, \omega_1 + \omega'_1, \omega_2, \omega_2 + \omega'_2, \omega_3 + \omega'_1, \omega_3 + \omega'_3$
4.4 ($q = 2$)	$(+3^2, +2^2, +1^{2p-6})$	$(01010 \dots 0)$	4	$(0110 \dots 0, 10)$ if $p > 3$ $(012, 10)$ if $p = 3$	3	+	$2p - 3$	$\omega_1 + \omega_3 + \omega'_2, \omega_1 + \omega'_1, \omega_2, \omega_2 + \omega'_2, \omega_3 + \omega'_1$
4.5 ($p > 2$)	$(-3^2, +2^2, +1^{2p-4}, -1^{2q-6})$	$(01010 \dots 0)$	4	$(10 \dots 0, 0110 \dots 0)$ if $q > 3$ $(10 \dots 0, 012)$ if $q = 3$	3	+	3	$\omega_1 + \omega'_1, \omega_1 + \omega'_3, \omega_2 + \omega'_1 + \omega'_3, \omega_2 + \omega'_2, \omega_3 + \omega'_3, \omega'_2$
4.5 ($p = 2$)	$(-3^2, +2^2, -1^{2q-6})$	$(01010 \dots 0)$	4	$(10, 0110 \dots 0)$ if $q > 3$ $(10, 012)$ if $q = 3$	3	+	$2q - 3$	$\omega_1 + \omega'_1, \omega_1 + \omega'_3, \omega_2 + \omega'_1 + \omega'_3, \omega_2 + \omega'_2, \omega'_2$
4.6	$(+3^4, +1^{2p-8}), q = 2$	$(00020 \dots 0)$	4	$(00020 \dots 0, 00)$ if $p > 4$ $(0004, 00)$ if $p = 4$	2	+	$2p - 6$	$\omega_2, \omega_4, \omega_1 + \omega'_1, \omega_2 + \omega'_2, \omega_1 + \omega_3 + \omega'_2, \omega_3 + \omega'_1$
4.7	$(-3^4, -1^{2q-8}), p = 2$	$(00020 \dots 0)$	4	$(00, 00020 \dots 0)$ if $q > 4$ $(00, 0004)$ if $q = 4$	2	+	$2q - 6$	$\omega'_2, \omega'_4, \omega_1 + \omega'_1, \omega_2 + \omega'_2, \omega_2 + \omega'_1 + \omega'_3, \omega_1 + \omega'_3$

Table 5: $G = C_{p+q}, K = C_p \times C_q (p, q \geq 1)$

	Signed partition	Diagram of Ge	$\text{ht}(e)$	Diagram of Ke	$\text{ht}_p(e)$	\overline{Ke}	$\text{codim}(\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke)$	Generators of $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$
5.1	$(+3, +1^{2n-2})$	$(2, 0, \dots, 0)$	2	$(10 \dots 0)$ if $n > 2$ (11) if $n = 2$	2	+	$2n - 1$	ω_1 if $n > 2$ $\omega + \omega'$ if $n = 2$

Table 6: $G = B_n, K = D_n$ ($n \geq 2$)

	Signed partition	Diagram of Ge	$\text{ht}(e)$	Diagram of Ke	$\text{ht}_p(e)$	\overline{Ke}	$\text{codim}(\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke)$	Generators of $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$
6.1	$(+3, +1^{2n-1})$	$(2, 0, \dots, 0)$	2	$(10 \dots 0)$	2	+	$2n$	ω_1 if $n > 1$ 2ω if $n = 1$

Table 7: $G = D_{n+1}, K = B_n$ ($n \geq 1$)

	Signed partition	Diagram of Ge	$\text{ht}(e)$	Diagram of Ke	$\text{ht}_p(e)$	\overline{Ke}	$\text{codim}(\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke)$	Generators of $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$
7.1 ($r < q$)	$(+2^{2r}, +1^{2p+1-2r}, -1^{2q-2r}), r \geq 1$	$(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{2r-1} 10 \dots 0)$	2	$(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{r-1} 10 \dots 0, \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{r-1} 10 \dots 0)$ if $r < q - 1$ $(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{q-2} 10 \dots 0, 0 \dots 011)$ if $r = q - 1$	2	+	$2(p + q - 2r + 1)$	$\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, \dots, \varpi_r + \varpi'_r$
7.1 ($r = q$)	$(+2^{2q}, +1^{2p+1-2q})$ (I) or (II)	$(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{2q-1} 10 \dots 0)$	2	(I) $(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{q-1} 10 \dots 0, 0 \dots 002)$ (II) $(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{q-1} 10 \dots 0, 0 \dots 020)$	2	+	$2(p - r + 1)$	(I) $\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, \dots, \varpi_{q-1} + \varpi'_{q-1}, \varpi_q + 2\omega'_q$ (II) $\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, \dots, \varpi_{q-1} + \varpi'_{q-1}, \varpi_q + 2\omega'_{q-1}$
7.2 ($r = 0$)	$(+3, +1^{2p-1}, -1^{2q-1})$	$(20 \dots 0)$	2	$(20 \dots 0, 0 \dots 0)$	2	+	1	$\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, 2\omega_1$
7.2 ($0 < r < q - 1$)	$(+3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-1-2r}, -1^{2q-1-2r})$	$(1 \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{2r-1} 10 \dots 0)$	3	$(1 \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{r-1} 10 \dots 0, \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{r-1} 10 \dots 0)$	3	+	$\min\{r + 1, 2(p + q - 2r) - 1\}$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, r + 1$), $\varpi_i + \varpi_j + \varpi'_{i-1} + \varpi'_{j-1}$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, r + 1$)
7.2 ($r = q - 1$)	$(+3, +2^{2q-2}, +1^{2p+1-2q}, -1)$	$(1 \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{2q-3} 10 \dots 0)$	3	$(1 \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{q-2} 10 \dots 0, 0 \dots 011)$	3	+	$\min\{q, 2(p - q) + 3\}$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, q - 1$), $\varpi_q + 2\omega'_{q-1}, \varpi_q + 2\omega'_q$, $\varpi_i + \varpi_j + \varpi'_{i-1} + \varpi'_{j-1}$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, q, i + j < 2q$)
7.3 ($r = 0$)	$(-3, +1^{2p}, -1^{2q-2})$	$(20 \dots 0)$	2	$(0 \dots 0, 20 \dots 0)$	2	+	1	$\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, 2\omega'_1$
7.3 ($0 < r < p, q - 1$)	$(-3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-2r}, -1^{2q-2-2r})$	$(1 \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{2r-1} 10 \dots 0)$	3	$(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{r-1} 10 \dots 0, \underbrace{1 \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{r-1} 10 \dots 0})$ if $r < q - 2$ $(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{q-3} 10 \dots 0, 10 \dots 011)$ if $r = q - 2$	3	+	$\min\{r + 1, 2(p + q - 2r) - 1\}$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, r + 1$), $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi_{j-1} + \varpi'_i + \varpi'_j$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, r + 1$)
7.3 ($r = q - 1 < p$)	$(-3, +2^{2q-2}, +1^{2p+2-2q})$ (I) or (II)	$(1 \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{2q-3} 10 \dots 0)$	3	(I) $(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{q-2} 10 \dots 0, 10 \dots 002)$ (II) $(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{q-2} 10 \dots 0, 10 \dots 020)$	3	+	$\min\{q, 2(p - q) + 3\}$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, q - 1$), $\varpi_q + 2\omega'_q, 2\varpi_{q-1} + 4\omega'_q$, (I) $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi_{j-1} + \varpi'_i + \varpi'_j$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, q - 1$), $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi_{q-1} + \varpi'_i + 2\omega'_q$ ($i = 1, \dots, q - 1$)
7.3 ($r = p < q - 1$)	$(-3, +2^{2p}, -1^{2q-2-2p})$	$(1 \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{2p-1} 10 \dots 0)$	3	$(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{p-1} 10 \dots 0, \underbrace{1 \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{p-1} 10 \dots 0})$ if $p < q - 2$ $(\underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{p-1} 10 \dots 0, 10 \dots 011)$ if $p = q - 2$	3	-	$2(q - p) - 1$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, p$), $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, p + 1$)
7.3 ($r = p = q - 1$)	$(-3, +2^{2p})$ (I) or (II)	$(10 \dots 01)$	3	(I) $(0 \dots 01, 10 \dots 002)$ (II) $(0 \dots 01, 10 \dots 020)$	3	-	1	(I) $\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, p$), $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, p$), $\varpi_p + 2\omega'_{p+1}$

Table 8: $G = B_{p+q}, K = B_p \times D_q$ ($p \geq 1, q \geq 2$)

	Signed partition	Diagram of Ge	$\text{ht}(e)$	Diagram of Ke	$\text{ht}_p(e)$	\overline{Ke}	$\text{codim}(\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke)$	Generators of $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$
8.1	$(+2^{2r}, +1^{2p+1-2r}, -1^{2q+1-2r}), \quad r \geq 1$	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{2r-1}$ if $2r < p+q$ $(0 \dots 011)$ if $r = p = q$	2	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}, \underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}$	2	+	$2(p+q-2r)+3$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i \quad (i = 1, \dots, r)$
8.2 ($r = 0$)	$(+3, +1^{2p-1}, -1^{2q})$	$(20 \dots 0)$	2	$(20 \dots 0, 0 \dots 0)$	2	+	1	$\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, 2\varpi_1$
8.2 ($0 < r < q$)	$(+3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-1-2r}, -1^{2q-2r})$	$\underbrace{(10 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{2r-1}$	3	$\underbrace{(10 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}, \underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}$	3	+	$\min\{r+1, 2(p+q-2r)\}$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i \quad (i = 1, \dots, r+1),$ $\varpi_i + \varpi_j + \varpi'_{i-1} + \varpi'_{j-1} \quad (i, j = 1, \dots, r+1)$
8.2 ($r = q$)	$(+3, +2^{2q}, +1^{2p-1-2q})$	$\underbrace{(10 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{2q-1}$ if $q < p-1$ $(10 \dots 011)$ if $q = p-1$	3	$\underbrace{(10 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{q-1}, \underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{q-1}$	3	-	$2(p-q)$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i \quad (i = 1, \dots, q),$ $\varpi_i + \varpi'_{i-1} \quad (i = 1, \dots, q+1)$
8.3 ($r = 0$)	$(-3, +1^{2p}, -1^{2q-1})$	$(20 \dots 0)$	2	$(0 \dots 0, 20 \dots 0)$	2	+	1	$\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, 2\varpi'_1$
8.3 ($0 < r < p$)	$(-3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-2r}, -1^{2q-1-2r})$	$\underbrace{(10 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{2r-1}$	3	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}, \underbrace{(10 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}$	3	+	$\min\{r+1, 2(p+q-2r)\}$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i \quad (i = 1, \dots, r+1),$ $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi_{j-1} + \varpi'_i + \varpi'_j \quad (i, j = 1, \dots, r+1)$
8.3 ($r = p$)	$(-3, +2^{2p}, -1^{2q-1-2p})$	$\underbrace{(10 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{2p-1}$ if $p < q-1$ $(10 \dots 011)$ if $p = q-1$	3	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{p-1}, \underbrace{(10 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{p-1}$	3	-	$2(q-p)$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i \quad (i = 1, \dots, p),$ $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi'_i \quad (i = 1, \dots, p+1)$

Table 9: $G = D_{p+q+1}, K = B_p \times B_q \quad (p, q \geq 1)$

	Signed partition	Diagram of Ge	$\text{ht}(e)$	Diagram of Ke	$\text{ht}_p(e)$	\overline{Ke}	$\text{codim}(\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke)$	Generators of $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$
9.1 ($r < p, q$)	$(+2^{2r}, +1^{2p-2r}, -1^{2q-2r}), \quad r \geq 1$	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{2r-1}$ if $2r < p+q-1$ $(0 \dots 011)$ if $2r = p+q-1$	2	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}, \underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}$ if $r < p-1, q-1$ $(0 \dots 011, \underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1})$ if $r = p-1 < q-1$ $\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{r-1}, (0 \dots 011)$ if $r = q-1 < p-1$ $(0 \dots 011, 0 \dots 011)$ if $r = p-1 = q-1$	2	+	$2(p+q-2r)+1$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i \quad (i = 1, \dots, r)$
9.1 ($r = p < q$)	$(+2^{2p}, -1^{2q-2p})$ (I) or (II)	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{2p-1}$ if $p < q-1$ $(0 \dots 011)$ if $p = q-1$	2	(I) $(0 \dots 002, \underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{p-1})$ if $p < q-1$ $(0 \dots 002, 0 \dots 011)$ if $p = q-1$ (II) $(0 \dots 020, \underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{p-1})$ if $p < q-1$ $(0 \dots 020, 0 \dots 011)$ if $p = q-1$	2	+	$2(q-r)+1$	(I) $\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, \dots, \varpi_{p-1} + \varpi'_{p-1}, 2\omega_p + 2\varpi'_p$ (II) $\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, \dots, \varpi_{p-1} + \varpi'_{p-1}, 2\omega_{p-1} + 2\varpi'_p$
9.1 ($r = q < p$)	$(+2^{2q}, +1^{2p-2q})$ (I) or (II)	$\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{2q-1}$ if $q < p-1$ $(0 \dots 011)$ if $q = p-1$	2	(I) $\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{q-1}, (0 \dots 002)$ if $q < p-1$ $(0 \dots 011, 0 \dots 002)$ if $q = p-1$ (II) $\underbrace{(0 \dots 0 10 \dots 0)}_{q-1}, (0 \dots 020)$ if $q < p-1$ $(0 \dots 011, 0 \dots 020)$ if $q = p-1$	2	+	$2(p-r)+1$	(I) $\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, \dots, \varpi_{q-1} + \varpi'_{q-1}, \varpi_q + 2\omega'_q$ (II) $\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, \dots, \varpi_{q-1} + \varpi'_{q-1}, \varpi_q + 2\omega'_{q-1}$
9.1 ($r = p = q$)	$(+2^{2p})$ (I,I), (I,II), (II,I) or (II,II)	$(0 \dots 002)$ if (I,I) or (I,II) $(0 \dots 020)$ if (II,I) or (II,II)	2	(I,I) $(0 \dots 002, 0 \dots 002)$ (I,II) $(0 \dots 002, 0 \dots 020)$ (II,I) $(0 \dots 020, 0 \dots 002)$ (II,II) $(0 \dots 020, 0 \dots 020)$	2	+	1	(I,I) $\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, \dots, \varpi_{p-1} + \varpi'_{p-1}, 2\omega_p + 2\omega'_p$ (I,II) $\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, \dots, \varpi_{p-1} + \varpi'_{p-1}, 2\omega_p + 2\omega'_{p-1}$ (II,I) $\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, \dots, \varpi_{p-1} + \varpi'_{p-1}, 2\omega_{p-1} + 2\omega'_p$ (II,II) $\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, \dots, \varpi_{p-1} + \varpi'_{p-1}, 2\omega_{p-1} + 2\omega'_{p-1}$

Table 10: $G = D_{p+q}, K = D_p \times D_q \quad (p, q \geq 2)$

	Signed partition	Diagram of Ge	$\text{ht}(e)$	Diagram of Ke	$\text{ht}_p(e)$	\overline{Ke}	$\text{codim}(\overline{Ke} \setminus Ke)$	Generators of $\Gamma(\overline{Ke})$
9.2 ($r = 0$)	$(+3, +1^{2p-2}, -1^{2q-1})$	$(20\dots 0)$	2	$(20\dots 0, 0\dots 0)$	2	+	1	$\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, 2\varpi_1$
9.2 ($0 < r < p-1, q-1$)	$(+3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-2-2r}, -1^{2q-1-2r})$	$(\underbrace{10\dots 0}_{2r-1}10\dots 0)$	3	$(\underbrace{10\dots 0}_{r-1}10\dots 0, \underbrace{0\dots 0}_{r-1}10\dots 0)$ if $r < p-2$ $(10\dots 011, \underbrace{0\dots 0}_{r-1}10\dots 0)$ if $r = p-2$	3	+	$\min\{r+1, 2(p+q-2r)-2\}$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, r+1$), $\varpi_i + \varpi_j + \varpi'_{i-1} + \varpi'_{j-1}$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, r+1$)
9.2 ($r = p-1 < q-1$)	$(+3, +2^{2p-2}, -1^{2q+1-2p})$ (I) or (II)	$(\underbrace{10\dots 0}_{2p-3}10\dots 0)$	3	(I) $(10\dots 002, \underbrace{0\dots 0}_{p-2}10\dots 0)$ (II) $(10\dots 020, \underbrace{0\dots 0}_{p-2}10\dots 0)$	3	+	$\min\{p, 2(q-p)+2\}$	(I) $\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, p-1$), $2\omega_p + \varpi'_p, 4\omega_p + 2\varpi'_{p-1}$, $\varpi_i + \varpi_j + \varpi'_{i-1} + \varpi'_{j-1}$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, p-1$), $\varpi_i + 2\omega_p + \varpi'_{i-1} + \varpi'_{p-1}$ ($i = 1, \dots, p-1$)
9.2 ($r = q-1 < p-1$)	$(+3, +2^{2q-2}, +1^{2p-2q}, -1)$	$(\underbrace{10\dots 0}_{2q-3}10\dots 0)$	3	$(\underbrace{10\dots 0}_{q-2}10\dots 0, 0\dots 011)$ if $q < p-1$ $(10\dots 011, 0\dots 011)$ if $q = p-1$	3	+	$\min\{q, 2(p-q)+2\}$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, q-1$), $\varpi_q + 2\omega'_{q-1}, \varpi_q + 2\omega'_q$, $\varpi_i + \varpi_j + \varpi'_{i-1} + \varpi'_{j-1}$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, q, i+j < 2q$)
9.2 ($r = p-1 = q-1$)	$(+3, +2^{2p-2}, -1)$ (I) or (II)	$(10\dots 011)$	3	(I) $(10\dots 002, 0\dots 011)$ (II) $(10\dots 020, 0\dots 011)$	3	+	2	(I) $\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, p-1$), $2\omega_p + 2\omega'_{p-1}, 2\omega_p + 2\omega'_p$, $\varpi_i + \varpi_j + \varpi'_{i-1} + \varpi'_{j-1}$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, p-1$), $\varpi_i + 2\omega_p + \varpi'_{i-1} + \varpi'_{p-1}$ ($i = 1, \dots, p-1$)
9.3 ($r = 0$)	$(-3, +1^{2p-1}, -1^{2q-2})$	$(20\dots 0)$	2	$(0\dots 0, 20\dots 0)$	2	+	1	$\varpi_1 + \varpi'_1, 2\varpi'_1$
9.3 ($0 < r < p-1, q-1$)	$(-3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-1-2r}, -1^{2q-2-2r})$	$(\underbrace{10\dots 0}_{2r-1}10\dots 0)$	3	$(\underbrace{0\dots 0}_{r-1}10\dots 0, \underbrace{10\dots 0}_{r-1}10\dots 0)$ if $r < q-2$ $(\underbrace{0\dots 0}_{r-1}10\dots 0, 10\dots 011)$ if $r = q-2$	3	+	$\min\{r+1, 2(p+q-2r)-2\}$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, r+1$), $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi_{j-1} + \varpi'_i + \varpi'_j$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, r+1$)
9.3 ($r = q-1 < p-1$)	$(-3, +2^{2q-2}, +1^{2p+1-2q})$ (I) or (II)	$(\underbrace{10\dots 0}_{2q-3}10\dots 0)$	3	(I) $(\underbrace{0\dots 0}_{q-2}10\dots 0, 10\dots 002)$ (II) $(\underbrace{0\dots 0}_{q-2}10\dots 0, 10\dots 020)$	3	+	$\min\{q, 2(p-q)+2\}$	(I) $\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, q-1$), $\varpi_q + 2\omega'_q, 2\varpi_{q-1} + 4\omega'_q$, $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi_{j-1} + \varpi'_i + \varpi'_j$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, q-1$), $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi_{q-1} + \varpi'_i + 2\omega'_q$ ($i = 1, \dots, q-1$)
9.3 ($r = p-1 < q-1$)	$(-3, +2^{2p-2}, +1, -1^{2q-2p})$	$(\underbrace{10\dots 0}_{2p-3}10\dots 0)$	3	$(0\dots 011, \underbrace{10\dots 0}_{p-2}10\dots 0)$ if $p < q-1$ $(0\dots 011, 10\dots 011)$ if $p = q-1$	3	+	$\min\{p, 2(q-p)+2\}$	$\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, p-1$), $2\omega_{p-1} + \varpi'_p, 2\omega_p + \varpi'_p$, $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi_{j-1} + \varpi'_i + \varpi'_j$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, p, i+j < 2p$)
9.3 ($r = p-1 = q-1$)	$(-3, +2^{2p-2}, +1)$ (I) or (II)	$(10\dots 011)$	3	(I) $(0\dots 011, 10\dots 002)$ (II) $(0\dots 011, 10\dots 020)$	3	+	2	(I) $\varpi_i + \varpi'_i$ ($i = 1, \dots, q-1$), $2\omega_{q-1} + 2\omega'_q, 2\omega_q + 2\omega'_q$, $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi_{j-1} + \varpi'_i + \varpi'_j$ ($i, j = 1, \dots, q-1$), $\varpi_{i-1} + \varpi_{q-1} + \varpi'_i + 2\omega'_q$ ($i = 1, \dots, q-1$)

Table 11: $G = D_{p+q}, K = D_p \times D_q$ ($p, q \geq 2$) (continued)

	Signed partition	Diagram of $\mathbb{P}(Ke)$	Spherical roots
1.1	$(2^r, 1^{n-2r}), r \geq 1$		$\alpha_{2i-1} + 2\alpha_{2i} + \alpha_{2i+1}$ ($i = 1, \dots, r-1$)

Table 12: $G = A_{2n-1}, K = C_n$ ($n \geq 2$)

	Signed partition	Diagram of $\mathbb{P}(Ke)$	Spherical roots
2.1	$(2^r, 1^{2n-2r+1}), r \geq 1$		$2\alpha_1, \dots, 2\alpha_{r-1}$

Table 13: $G = A_{2n}, K = B_n$ ($n \geq 1$)

	Signed partition	Diagram of $\mathbb{P}(Ke)$	Spherical roots
3.1	$(2^r, 1^{2n-2r}), r \geq 1$ (I) or (II) if $r = n$		$2\alpha_1, \dots, 2\alpha_{r-1}$ if $r < n$ $2\alpha_1, \dots, 2\alpha_{n-1}$ if $r = n$ (I) $2\alpha_1, \dots, 2\alpha_{n-2}, 2\alpha_n$ if $r = n$ (II)

Table 14: $G = A_{2n-1}, K = D_n$ ($n \geq 2$)

	Signed partition	Diagram of $\mathbb{P}(Ke)$	Spherical roots
4.1	$(+2^{2r}, +1^{2p-2r}, -1^{2q-2r}), r \geq 1$		$\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{r-1} + \alpha'_{r-1}$
4.2	$(+3^2, +1^{2p-4}, -1^{2q-2})$		$\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1$ if $q = 1$ $\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \alpha'_1 + 2(\alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha'_{q-1}) + \alpha'_q$ if $q > 1$
4.3	$(-3^2, +1^{2p-2}, -1^{2q-4})$		$\alpha + \alpha'_1$ if $p = 1$ $\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \alpha_1 + 2(\alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha_{p-1}) + \alpha_p$ if $p > 1$
4.4 ($q > 2$)	$(+3^2, +2^2, +1^{2p-6}, -1^{2q-4})$		$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha'_1, \alpha'_2, \alpha'_2 + 2(\alpha'_3 + \dots + \alpha'_{q-1}) + \alpha'_q$
4.4 ($q = 2$)	$(+3^2, +2^2, +1^{2p-6})$		$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha'_1, \alpha'_2$
4.5 ($p > 2$)	$(-3^2, +2^2, +1^{2p-4}, -1^{2q-6})$		$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha'_1, \alpha'_2, \alpha_2 + 2(\alpha_3 + \dots + \alpha_{p-1}) + \alpha_p$
4.5 ($p = 2$)	$(-3^2, +2^2, -1^{2q-6})$		$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha'_1, \alpha'_2$
4.6	$(+3^4, +1^{2p-8}), q = 2$		$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \alpha'_1, \alpha'_2$
4.7	$(-3^4, -1^{2q-8}), p = 2$		$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha'_1, \alpha'_2, \alpha'_3$

Table 15: $G = C_{p+q}, K = C_p \times C_q$ ($p, q \geq 1$)

	Signed partition	Diagram of $\mathbb{P}(Ke)$	Spherical roots
5.1	$(+3, +1^{2n-2})$		none

Table 16: $G = B_n, K = D_n$ ($n \geq 2$)

	Signed partition	Diagram of $\mathbb{P}(Ke)$	Spherical roots
6.1	$(+3, +1^{2n-1})$		none

Table 17: $G = D_{n+1}, K = B_n$ ($n \geq 1$)

	Signed partition	Diagram of $\mathbb{P}(Ke)$	Spherical roots
7.1	$(+2^{2r}, +1^{2p+1-2r}, -1^{2q-2r}), r \geq 1$		$\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{r-1} + \alpha'_{r-1}$
7.2 ($r < q - 1$)	$(+3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-1-2r}, -1^{2q-1-2r})$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_r, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_r, 2(\alpha'_{r+1} + \dots + \alpha'_{q-2}) + \alpha'_{q-1} + \alpha'_q$
7.2 ($r = q - 1$)	$(+3, +2^{2q-2}, +1^{2p+1-2q}, -1)$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{q-1}, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_q$
7.3 ($r < p$)	$(-3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-2r}, -1^{2q-2-2r})$ (I) or (II) if $r = q - 1$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_r, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_r, 2(\alpha_{r+1} + \dots + \alpha_p)$ if $r < q - 1$ $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{q-1}, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_{q-1}, 2(\alpha_q + \dots + \alpha_p)$ if $r = q - 1$ (I) $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{q-1}, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_{q-2}, \alpha'_q, 2(\alpha_q + \dots + \alpha_p)$ if $r = q - 1$ (II)
7.3 ($r = p$)	$(-3, +2^{2p}, -1^{2q-2-2p})$ (I) or (II) if $p = q - 1$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_p, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_p$ if $p < q - 1$ $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_p, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_p$ if $p = q - 1$ (I) $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_p, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_{p-1}, \alpha'_{p+1}$ if $p = q - 1$ (II)

Table 18: $G = B_{p+q}, K = B_p \times D_q$ ($p \geq 1, q \geq 2$)

	Signed partition	Diagram of $\mathbb{P}(Ke)$	Spherical roots
8.1	$(+2^{2r}, +1^{2p+1-2r}, -1^{2q+1-2r}), r \geq 1$		$\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{r-1} + \alpha'_{r-1}$
8.2 ($r < q$)	$(+3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-1-2r}, -1^{2q-2r})$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_r, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_r, 2(\alpha'_{r+1} + \dots + \alpha'_q)$
8.2 ($r = q$)	$(+3, +2^{2q}, +1^{2p-1-2q})$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_q, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_q$
8.3 ($r < p$)	$(-3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-2r}, -1^{2q-1-2r})$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_r, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_r, 2(\alpha_{r+1} + \dots + \alpha_p)$
8.3 ($r = p$)	$(-3, +2^{2p}, -1^{2q-1-2p})$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_p, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_p$

Table 19: $G = D_{p+q+1}, K = B_p \times B_q$ ($p \geq 1, q \geq 1$)

	Signed partition	Diagram of $\mathbb{P}(Ke)$	Spherical roots
9.1	$(+2^{2r}, +1^{2p-2r}, -1^{2q-2r}), \quad r \geq 1$ (I) or (II) if $r = p < q$ or $r = q < p$ (I, I), (I, II), (II, I) or (II, II) if $r = p = q$		$\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{r-1} + \alpha'_{r-1}$ if $r < p, q$ $\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{p-1} + \alpha'_{p-1}$ if $r = p < q$ (I) $\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{p-2} + \alpha'_{p-2}, \alpha_p + \alpha'_{p-1}$ if $r = p < q$ (II) $\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{q-1} + \alpha'_{q-1}$ if $r = q < p$ (I) $\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{q-2} + \alpha'_{q-2}, \alpha_{q-1} + \alpha'_q$ if $r = q < p$ (II) $\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{p-1} + \alpha'_{p-1}$ if $r = p = q$ (I, I) $\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{p-2} + \alpha'_{p-2}, \alpha_{p-1} + \alpha'_p$ if $r = p = q$ (I, II) $\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{p-2} + \alpha'_{p-2}, \alpha_p + \alpha'_{p-1}$ if $r = p = q$ (II, I) $\alpha_1 + \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha_{p-2} + \alpha'_{p-2}, \alpha_p + \alpha'_p$ if $r = p = q$ (II, II)
9.2 ($r < q - 1$)	$(+3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-2-2r}, -1^{2q-1-2r})$ (I) or (II) if $r = p - 1$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_r, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_r, 2(\alpha'_{r+1} + \dots + \alpha'_{q-2}) + \alpha'_{q-1} + \alpha'_q$ if $r < p - 1$ $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{p-1}, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_{p-1}, 2(\alpha'_p + \dots + \alpha'_{q-2}) + \alpha'_{q-1} + \alpha'_q$ if $r = p - 1$ (I) $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{p-2}, \alpha_p, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_{p-1}, 2(\alpha'_p + \dots + \alpha'_{q-2}) + \alpha'_{q-1} + \alpha'_q$ if $r = p - 1$ (II)
9.2 ($r = q - 1$)	$(+3, +2^{2q-2}, +1^{2p-2q}, -1)$ (I) or (II) if $p = q$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{q-1}, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_q$ if $p > q$ $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{q-1}, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_q$ if $p = q$ (I) $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{q-2}, \alpha_q, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_q$ if $p = q$ (II)
9.3 ($r < p - 1$)	$(-3, +2^{2r}, +1^{2p-1-2r}, -1^{2q-2-2r})$ (I) or (II) if $r = q - 1$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_r, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_r, 2(\alpha_{r+1} + \dots + \alpha_{p-2}) + \alpha_{p-1} + \alpha_p$ if $r < q - 1$ $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{q-1}, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_{q-1}, 2(\alpha_q + \dots + \alpha_{p-2}) + \alpha_{p-1} + \alpha_p$ if $r = q - 1$ (I) $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{q-1}, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_{q-2}, \alpha'_q, 2(\alpha_q + \dots + \alpha_{p-2}) + \alpha_{p-1} + \alpha_p$ if $r = q - 1$ (II)
9.3 ($r = p - 1$)	$(-3, +2^{2p-2}, +1, -1^{2q-2p})$ (I) or (II) if $p = q$		$\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_p, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_{p-1}$ if $p < q$ $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_p, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_{p-1}$ if $p = q$ (I) $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_p, \alpha'_1, \dots, \alpha'_{p-2}, \alpha'_p$ if $p = q$ (II)

Table 20: $G = D_{p+q}, K = D_p \times D_q$ ($p, q \geq 2$)

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