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# Infinitesimal deformations and stabilities of singular Legendre submanifolds.

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## 1 Introduction.

### Abstract

We give the characterization of Arnol'd-Mather type for stable singular Legendre immersions. The most important building block of the theory is providing a module structure on the space of infinitesimal integral deformations by means of the notion of natural liftings of differential systems and of contact Hamiltonian vector fields.

The framework of Legendre singularity theory for Legendre immersions is established [3]: The singularity of a Legendre immersion via a Legendre fibration is embodied in a family of hypersurfaces, namely, the generating family of the Legendre immersion, and the stability of such singularity is expressed by mean of a notion,  $\mathcal{K}$ -versality, for its generating family. However, since a singular Legendre immersion has no generating family in general, the direct characterization should be worthwhile for the understanding of the stability of singular Legendre immersions, which we are going to provide in this paper.

The significance of Legendre singularity theory has increased recently by the trend of differential geometry treating (wave) fronts as generalised objects of hypersurfaces. Moreover the point of view in the micro-local analysis provides the motivation for the study of Legendre submanifolds as the description of singularities of solutions to partial differential equations.

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The most simple singularity of front is given by

$$x = t^2, \quad y = t^3,$$

near  $(x, y) = (0, 0)$ , the  $(2, 3)$ -cusp on the  $(x, y)$ -plane. The front lifts to the Legendre curve

$$x = t^2, \quad y = t^3, \quad p = \frac{3}{2}t,$$

which is an immersion. Then the stability of the front is well described by the lifted non-singular Legendre submanifold via the Legendre equivalences induced by diffeomorphisms on the  $(x, y)$ -plane.

Consider then the similarly simple plane curve

$$x = t^2, \quad y = t^5,$$

the  $(2, 5)$ -cusp near  $(x, y) = (0, 0)$ . Then the natural lifting has the form:

$$x = t^2, \quad y = t^5, \quad p = \frac{5}{2}t^3,$$

which is an integral curve to the contact distribution  $dy - p dx = 0$  and not an immersion at  $t = 0$ . Therefore, restricted ourselves to Legendre immersion without singularities we can not treat this very simple curve in the framework of Legendre singularity theory. Thus we are going to study, in this paper, singular Legendre immersions, in particular, the nature of their deformations in canonical way.

For example, consider the “stable” deformation of the  $(2, 5)$ -cusp

$$x = t^2, \quad y = t^5 + \lambda t^3$$

inducing smooth deformation of tangent lines. See figure 1.

Then we understand, via our general theory, the stable deformation forms the stable projection (front) of the open Whitney umbrella of type 1, introduced in this paper, which is contactomorphic to

$$x = t^2, \quad y = t^5 + \lambda t^3, \quad p = \frac{5}{2}t^3 + \frac{3}{2}\lambda t, \quad \mu = t^3,$$

in the  $(x, y, \lambda, p, \mu)$ -space with the contact structure  $dy - p dx - \mu d\lambda = 0$ .

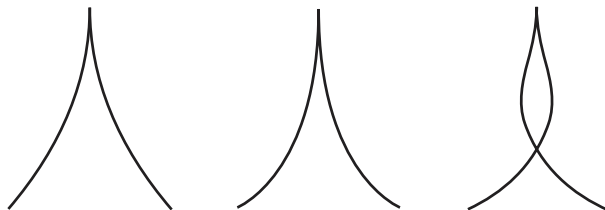


Figure 1: An integral deformation of  $(2, 5)$ -cusp.

We have given in [15] the characterisations for symplectic stability of Lagrange varieties and Lagrange stability in symplectic geometry. Therefore the present paper can be regarded as a contact or Legendre counterpart to [15]: We observe surely the parallelism between Lagrange and Legendre singularity theories, as well as symplectic and contact geometries. In fact we use several results in Lagrange singularities proved in [15] to deduce several results in Legendre singularities. Nevertheless we need to break through several difficulties for obtaining the characterisations (Theorem 2.2).

In particular, we realize that the direct characterisation needs the deep understanding of *the space of Legendre submanifolds*. Since the space of submanifolds can be treated as the space of immersions, we consider, in a contact manifold, the space of integral mappings, parametrizations of integral submanifolds of the contact distribution. The space of integral mappings turns out to be our central object. Its tangent space at an integral mapping is naturally regarded as the space of infinitesimal deformations of the integral mapping among integral mappings. The fact, then, we observe in this paper is that the tangent space to the space of integral mappings has the structure of not merely a vector space, but the very natural module structure. It reminds us the “modularity” in the sense of Mather [26]. However, in this paper we introduce the module structure for functions not on the source manifold but for functions on the target manifold.

We understand the modularity of tangent spaces to the space of integral mappings in a contact manifold without difficulty as follows: An infinitesimal deformations on a contact manifold, namely, a contact vector field is locally given by a *contact Hamilton vector field*  $X_K$  with a Hamiltonian function  $K$  on the contact manifold, fixing a local contact form  $\alpha$ . Then we see, for

functions  $H, K$ ,

$$X_{HK} = H \cdot X_K + K \cdot X_H - (HK) \cdot X_1.$$

Thus, we can give the module structure  $*$  of functions on the space of contact Hamilton vector fields by identifying it with the space of functions: The formula reads as

$$H * X_K := H \cdot X_K + K(X_H - H \cdot X_1).$$

Note that the interior product  $i_{X_K}\alpha$  is equal to  $K$ . Let  $f$  be an integral mapping. The vector field  $X_K \circ f$  along  $f$  is a kind of integral infinitesimal deformations of  $f$ . Then we set

$$H * (X_K \circ f) := f^*H \cdot (X_K \circ f) + f^*K(X_H - H \cdot X_1) \circ f.$$

Note that  $i_{X_K \circ f}\alpha$  is equal to  $f^*K$ . We proceed even further. We define the multiplication  $*$  by a function  $H$  of any infinitesimal integral deformation  $v$  of  $f$  by the formula:

$$H * v := f^*H \cdot v + (i_v\alpha)(X_H - H \cdot X_1) \circ f.$$

Moreover we observe that the multiplication is *intrinsic*: The definition of multiplications looks like depending on the choice of a local contact form  $\alpha$ , but in fact it is independent of it and is determined only by the contact structure.

Note that the module structure is effectively used in [17] for the classifying of singular Legendre curves in the contact three space.

We introduce the class of singular Legendre submanifolds, *open Whitney umbrellas*, in contact manifolds by explicit forms, and formulate the characterisations of Legendre stability and Legendre versality; the main Theorems 2.2 and 2.3 in §2. In §3, we give the characterisation of open Whitney umbrellas as contact stable integral map-germs of corank at most one. To prove Theorem 2.2, we need to clarify the infinitesimal condition on Legendre stability. For this, we introduce the notion of natural liftings ([30][31]) of differential forms and differential systems in §4. After reviewing the notion of contact Hamilton vector fields in §5, we formulate exactly infinitesimal conditions in §6. In §7, we study the relation of integral mappings and isotropic mappings, and, in §8, we study on the integral jet spaces. In §9, we give results on finite determinacy of integral map-germs. We give, using all results

given in the previous sections, the proof of Theorem 2.2 in §10. In §11, we mention on the proof of Legendre versality theorem 2.3.

In this paper, all manifolds and mappings we treat are assumed to be of class  $C^\infty$  (in case  $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{R}$ ) or complex analytic (in case  $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{C}$ ).

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## 2 Main results.

Now we are going to describe in detail the objects we apply our theory, before formulating the main Theorem 2.2.

Let  $(W, D)$  be a real or complex contact manifold of dimension  $2n + 1$  [1][2][3]. Here  $D \subset TW$  stands for the contact structure on  $W$ , namely, a completely non-integrable distribution of codimension one. A typical example is  $W = \mathbf{K}^{2n+1}$ ,  $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{R}$  or  $\mathbf{C}$ , with coordinates  $(p, q, r)$ , and

$$D = \left\{ dr - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i dq_i = 0 \right\} \subset T\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}.$$

By Darboux's theorem, any contact manifold is locally contactomorphic to this standard model.

A mapping  $f : N \rightarrow W$  from an  $n$ -dimensional manifold  $N$  is called an *integral mapping* if, for any  $x \in N$ ,  $f_*(T_x N) \subset D_{f(x)}$ , where  $f_* : T_x N \rightarrow T_{f(x)} W$  is the differential mapping (the linearization) of  $f$  at  $x$ . Thus the notion of integral mappings generalizes that of (immersed) integral manifolds in the contact manifold  $W$ .

Two map-germs  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, D)$  and  $f' : (N', x'_0) \rightarrow (W', D')$  to contact manifolds  $(W, D)$  and  $(W', D')$  respectively, are called *contactomor-*

*phic* if there exist a diffeomorphism  $\sigma : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (N', x'_0)$  and a contactomorphism  $\tau : (W, f(x_0)) \rightarrow (W', f'(x'_0))$ ,  $\tau_* D = D'$ , such that  $f' \circ \sigma = \tau \circ f$ . In this case we call also the pair  $(\sigma, \tau)$  a *contactomorphism* of  $f$  and  $f'$ .

Let  $f : (N^n, x_0) \rightarrow W^{2n+1}$  be an integral map-germ. Suppose that  $f$  is of corank  $\leq 1$ , namely that the kernel of the differential map  $f_* : T_{x_0}N \rightarrow T_{f(x_0)}W$  is zero or one dimensional. Then there exists a contactomorphism  $(\sigma, \tau)$  from  $f$  to  $f' = \tau \circ f \circ \sigma : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}, 0)$  such that

$$(q_1, \dots, q_{n-1}, q_n) \circ f' = (x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, u(x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, x_n)),$$

for some function  $u$ , where  $(x_1, x_{n-1}, x_n)$  is the standard coordinate of  $\mathbf{K}^n$ . Then, setting  $v := p_n \circ f'$ , we easily see that the components  $p_1, \dots, p_{n-1}$  and  $r$  of  $f'$  are uniquely determined by the condition

$$d(r \circ f) = \sum_{i=1}^n (p_i \circ f) d(q_i \circ f).$$

Actually we have:

**Proposition 2.1** (Pre-normal form of integral map-germ of corank at most one.) *Let  $f : (N^n, x_0) \rightarrow W^{2n+1}$  be an integral map-germ of corank  $\leq 1$ . Then there exist functions-germs  $u, v : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}, 0)$  such that  $f$  is contactomorphic to the integral map-germ  $f' : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}, 0)$  defined by*

$$(q_1, \dots, q_{n-1}, q_n, p_n) \circ f' := (x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, u, v),$$

$$p_i \circ f' := \int_0^{x_n} \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial x_i} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_n} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial x_n} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_i} \right) dx_n, \quad (1 \leq i \leq n-1),$$

and

$$r \circ f' := \int_0^{x_n} \left( v \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_n} \right) dx_n.$$

In particular, our main objects of the study are introduced as follows: For an integer  $k$  with  $0 \leq k \leq \frac{n}{2}$ , we define a map-germ  $f = f_{n,k} : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}, 0)$  by  $q_1 \circ f = x_1, \dots, q_{n-1} \circ f = x_{n-1}$  and

$$u = q_n \circ f = \frac{x_n^{k+1}}{(k+1)!} + x_1 \frac{x_n^{k-1}}{(k-1)!} + \dots + x_{k-1} x_n,$$

$$v = p_n \circ f = x_k \frac{x_n^k}{k!} + \cdots + x_{2k-1} x_n,$$

and the property  $f^* \alpha = 0$ . The components  $p_1, \dots, p_{n-1}$  and  $r$  of  $f$  are defined as in Proposition 2.1 so that

$$d(r \circ f) = \sum_{i=1}^n (p_i \circ f) d(q_i \circ f).$$

Then we call a map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  an *open Whitney umbrella* (or an *unfurled Whitney umbrella*) of type  $k$  ( $0 \leq k \leq \frac{n}{2}$ ), if it is contactomorphic to the normal form  $f_{n,k}$ .

An open Whitney umbrella is an integral map-germ of corank at most one. It is an immersion, namely, *Legendre immersion*, exactly when  $k = 0$ : A map-germ  $f : (N^n, x_0) \rightarrow (W^{2n+1}, D)$  is a Legendre immersion if and only if  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella of type 0. If  $k > 0$ , then the singular locus of an open Whitney umbrella of type  $k$  is non-singular and of codimension 2 in  $N$ .

Open Whitney umbrellas are intrinsically characterised via the notion of “contact stability” in §3.

A fibration  $\pi : W^{2n+1} \rightarrow Z^{n+1}$  is called a *Legendre fibration* if the fibers of  $\pi$  are Legendre submanifolds of  $W$ . Then we concern with the relative position of the image of an integral mapping with respect to a Legendre fibration: We consider an integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  together with a germ of Legendre fibration  $\pi : (W, w_0) \rightarrow (Z, z_0)$ , where  $w_0 = f(x_0)$ ,  $z_0 = \pi(w_0) = (\pi \circ f)(x_0)$ .

Let  $\pi : (W, w_0) \rightarrow (Z, z_0)$  and  $\pi' : (W', w'_0) \rightarrow (Z', z'_0)$  be germs of Legendre fibrations. Then a contactomorphism-germ  $\tau : (W, w_0) \rightarrow (W', w'_0)$  is called a *Legendre diffeomorphism-germ* if  $\tau$  maps  $\pi$ -fibers to  $\pi'$ -fibers, or more exactly, if there exists a diffeomorphism-germ  $\bar{\tau} : (Z, z_0) \rightarrow (Z', z'_0)$  such that  $\bar{\tau} \circ \pi = \pi' \circ \tau$ .

A pair  $(f, \pi)$  is *Legendre equivalent* to  $(f', \pi')$  if there exists a contact equivalence  $(\sigma, \tau)$  of  $f$  and  $f'$  such that  $\tau$  is a Legendre diffeomorphism. In this case, we call  $(\sigma, \tau)$  a *Legendre equivalence* of  $(f, \pi)$  and  $(f', \pi')$ .

An integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  is called *homotopically Legendre stable* if any integral deformation  $(f_t)$  of  $f$  is trivialized under Legendre equivalence:

$$\tau_t \circ f_t \circ \sigma_t^{-1} = f,$$

$(\sigma_t, \tau_t)$  being Legendre equivalences of  $f_t$  and  $f$ . Here  $\sigma_t$  may move base points of germs.

Moreover we can define, over the  $\mathbf{R}$ , the notion of Legendre stability of map-germs: Roughly speaking, an integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  is Legendre stable with respect to an Legendre fibration  $\pi : W \rightarrow Z$  if, by any sufficiently small integral perturbations, the Legendre equivalence class of  $(f, \pi)$  is not removed. To formulate accurately, denote by  $C_I^\infty(N, W)$  the space of  $C^\infty$  integral mappings from  $N$  to  $W$ , endowed with the Whitney  $C^\infty$  topology. Then an integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  is *Legendre stable* if, for any integral representative  $f : U \rightarrow W$  of  $f$ , there exists a neighborhood  $\Omega$  in  $C_I^\infty(U, W)$  of  $f$  such that, for any  $f' \in \Omega$ , the original pair  $(f_{x_0}, \pi)$  of germs is Legendre equivalent to  $(f'_{x'_0}, \pi)$  for some  $x'_0 \in U$  (cf. [3]).

To characterize the Legendre stability by means of transversality, we introduce the notion of *integral jet spaces*. Denote by  $J_I^r(N, W)$  the set of  $r$ -jets of integral map-germs  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  of corank at most one:

$$J_I^r(N, W) = \{j^r f(x_0) \mid f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0) \text{ integral, } \text{corank}_{x_0} f \leq 1\}.$$

Then  $J_I^r(N, W)$  is a submanifold of the ordinary jet space  $J^r(N, W)$  (§8). Moreover, for  $j^r f(x_0) \in J_I^r(N, W)$ , the *Legendre equivalence class* of  $j^r f(x_0)$ , namely, the set of  $r$ -jets of map-germs which are Legendre equivalent to  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  form a submanifold of  $J_I^r(N, W)$ .

If  $f : N \rightarrow W$  is an integral mapping of corank at most one, then the image of the  $r$ -jet extension  $j^r f : N \rightarrow J^r(N, W)$  is contained in  $J_I^r(N, W)$ . Then we regard  $j^r f$  as a mapping to  $J_I^r(N, W)$ . Based on a Legendre version of transversality theorem (§8), Legendre stability is characterized by the transversality.

We apply, over  $\mathbf{C}$ , the transversality as the definition of stability.

For a manifold-germ  $(N, x_0)$ , we denote by  $\mathcal{E}_{N, x_0}$  the  $\mathbf{K}$ -algebra consisting of  $C^\infty$  function-germs  $(N, x_0) \rightarrow \mathbf{K}$ , and by  $m_{N, x_0}$  the unique maximal ideal of  $\mathcal{E}_{N, x_0}$ . If the base point  $x_0$  is clear in the context, we abbreviate  $\mathcal{E}_{N, x_0}$  and  $m_{N, x_0}$  to  $\mathcal{E}_N$  and  $m_N$  respectively.

Now set

$$r_0 = \inf\{r \in \mathbf{N} \mid f^* \mathcal{E}_W \cap m_N^{r+1} \subset f^* m_W^{n+2}\}.$$

If  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  is an open Whitney umbrella, then  $f$  is, in particular, finite, namely,  $\mathcal{E}_N$  is a finite  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -module via  $f^* : \mathcal{E}_W \rightarrow \mathcal{E}_N$ . Therefore  $r_0$  is a

finite positive integer, determined by  $n$  and  $k$ , the type of the open Whitney umbrella. Actually  $r_0$  depends only on the right-left equivalent class of  $f$ .

The main purpose of the present paper is to show the following:

**Theorem 2.2** (*Arnol'd-Mather type characterization of Legendre stability*). *For an integral map-germ  $f : (N^n, x_0) \rightarrow (W^{2n+1}, w_0)$  of corank at most one, the following conditions are equivalent to each other:*

- (s)  $f$  is Legendre stable.
- (hs)  $f$  is homotopically Legendre stable.
- (is)  $f$  is infinitesimally Legendre stable.
- (a)  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella and  $f^*\mathcal{E}_W$  is generated by  $1, p_1 \circ f, \dots, p_n \circ f$  as  $\mathcal{E}_Z$ -module via  $(\pi \circ f)^*$ .
- (a')  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella and  $Q(f) := f^*\mathcal{E}_W/(\pi \circ f)^*m_Z\mathcal{E}_W$  is generated over  $\mathbf{K}$  by  $1, p_1 \circ f, \dots, p_n \circ f$ .
- (a'') ( $r \geq r_0$ ).  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella and  $Q_{r+1}(f) := f^*\mathcal{E}_W/\{(\pi \circ f)^*m_Z f^*\mathcal{E}_W + f^*\mathcal{E}_W \cap m_N^{r+2}\}$  is generated by  $1, p_1 \circ f, \dots, p_n \circ f$  over  $\mathbf{K}$ .
- (t<sub>r</sub>) ( $r \geq r_0$ ). The jet extension  $j^r f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow J_I^r(N, W)$  is transversal to the Lagrange equivalence class of  $j^r f(x_0)$ .

We must explain the notion of infinitesimal Legendre stability (is): Of course, it is the infinitesimal counterpart of Legendre stability. Now recall the notion of infinitesimal stability due to Mather [25] for a general  $C^\infty$  map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$ . A map-germ  $f$  is called infinitesimally stable if  $V_f = tf(V_N) + wf(V_W)$ , where  $V_N$  (resp.  $V_W, V_f$ ) is the module consisting of all germs of vector fields over  $(N, x_0)$  (resp. over  $(W, f(x_0))$ , along  $f$ ), and  $tf : V_N \rightarrow V_f$  (resp.  $wf : V_W \rightarrow V_f$ ) is defined by  $tf(\xi)(x) = f_*(\xi(x))$ , ( $\xi \in V_N, x \in (N, x_0)$ ) (resp.  $wf(\eta)(x) = \eta(f(x))$ , ( $\eta \in V_W, x \in (N, x_0)$ )). Similarly we call an integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  *infinitesimally Legendre stable* if  $VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W)$ , where  $VL_W \subset V_W$  (resp.  $VI_f \subset V_f$ ) is the module of all germs of infinitesimal Legendre deformations over  $(N, x_0)$  (resp. infinitesimal integral deformations of  $f$ ). See §6.

The equivalence of (hs) and (is) is one of consequences of *Legendre versality theorem*: We introduce the notion of Legendre versality of integral deformations of integral map-germs.

A deformation  $F : (N \times \mathbf{K}^r, (x_0, 0)) \rightarrow W$  of an integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  is called *integral* if each  $f_\lambda = F|_{N \times \{\lambda\}}, (\lambda \in (\mathbf{K}^r, 0))$  is integral, for a representative of  $F$ . We write  $F = (f_\lambda)$  in short. An integral deformation  $F$  of  $f$  is called *Legendre versal* if any other integral deformation  $G : (N \times \mathbf{K}^s, (x_0, 0)) \rightarrow W$  of  $f$  is induced from  $F$  up to Legendre equivalence, namely if there exist a map-germ  $\varphi : (\mathbf{K}^s, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^r, 0)$  and a Legendre deformation  $(\sigma_\mu, \tau_\mu), (\mu \in (\mathbf{K}^s, 0))$  such that  $g_\mu = \tau_\mu \circ f_{\varphi(\mu)} \circ \sigma_\mu^{-1}$  for any  $(\mu \in (\mathbf{K}^s, 0))$ , where  $g_\mu(x) = G(x, \mu)$ .  $F$  is called *infinitesimally Legendre versal* if

$$VI_f = \left\langle \frac{\partial F}{\partial \lambda_1} \Big|_{\lambda=0}, \dots, \frac{\partial F}{\partial \lambda_r} \Big|_{\lambda=0} \right\rangle_{\mathbf{K}} + tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W).$$

Then we also mention in this paper on a proof of the following:

**Theorem 2.3** *An integral deformation  $F : (N \times \mathbf{K}^r, (x_0, 0)) \rightarrow W$  of an integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  of corank at most one, is Legendre versal if and only if  $F$  is infinitesimally Legendre versal. Any Legendre versal deformations of  $f$  with the same number of parameters are Legendre equivalent to each other. An integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  of corank at most one has a Legendre versal deformation if and only if  $tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W)$  is of finite codimension over  $\mathbf{K}$  in  $VI_f$ .*

Setting  $r = 0$  we have again that  $f$  is homotopically Legendre stable if and only if  $f$  is infinitesimally Legendre stable.

### 3 Contact stability

Related to the notion of Legendre stability, we define the notion of contact stability of map-germs: Roughly speaking, an integral map-germ  $f : (X, x_0) \rightarrow W$  is *contact stable* if, by any sufficiently small integral perturbations, the contact equivalence class of  $f_{x_0}$  is not removed but remains nearby  $x_0$ .

More exactly, an integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  is *contact stable* if, for any integral representative  $f : U \rightarrow W$  of  $f$ , there exists a neighborhood  $\Omega$  in  $C_I^\infty(N, W)$  such that, for any  $f' \in \Omega$ , the original germ  $f$  is contact equivalent to  $f'_{x'_0}$  for some  $x'_0 \in U$  (cf. [3] page 325).

An integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  is called *homotopically contact stable* if any one-parameter integral deformation  $F = (f_t)$  of  $f$  is trivialized by contactomorphisms:

$$\tau_t \circ f_t \circ \sigma_t^{-1} = f,$$

$(\sigma_t, \tau_t)$  being contactomorphism of  $f_t$  and  $f$ . Here  $\sigma_t$  may move base points of germs. (See the definition of contactomorphism in §1).  $f$  is called *infinitesimally contact stable* if  $f$  satisfies the infinitesimal condition corresponding to the contact stability, namely, if  $f$  satisfies the condition

$$VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VH_W).$$

For a map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  we set

$$R_f := \{h \in \mathcal{E}_W \mid dh \in \mathcal{E}_N d(f^* \mathcal{E}_W)\},$$

for the exterior differential  $d$ . Here we denote by  $\mathcal{E}_W$  and  $\mathcal{E}_N$  the algebra of function-germs on  $W$  and  $N$  respectively.

Then we have:

**Proposition 3.1** (*Classification of contact stable germs*). *Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W^{2n+1}$  be an integral map-germs of corank at most one. Then the following conditions are equivalent:*

- (cs)  $f$  is contact stable.
- (hcs)  $f$  is homotopically contact stable.
- (ics)  $f$  is infinitesimally contact stable.
- (owu)  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella.
- (ca)  $R_f = f^* \mathcal{E}_W$  and  $f$  is diffeomorphic (i.e.  $\mathcal{A}$ -equivalent) to an analytic map-germ  $f' : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}, 0)$  (not necessarily integral) such that the codimension of the singular locus of the complexification  $f'_\mathbb{C}$  of  $f'$  is greater than or equal to 2.
- (ct) The jet extension  $j^r f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow J_I^r(N, W)$  is transversal to the contactomorphism class of  $j^r f(x_0)$ , for an integer  $r \geq \frac{n}{2} + 1$ .

The notions in Proposition 3.1 are discussed in detail along the following sections, in particular in §6 and in §8. The proof of Proposition 3.1 will be given in §10.

Similarly to Legendre versality theorem (Theorem 2.3), we can show *contact versality theorem*, which gives an alternative proof of the equivalence of (hcs) and (ics).

An integral deformation  $F = (f_\lambda) : (N \times \mathbf{K}^r, (x_0, 0)) \rightarrow W$  of an integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  is called *contact versal* if any other integral deformation  $G = (g_\mu) : (N \times \mathbf{K}^s, (x_0, 0)) \rightarrow W$  of  $f$  is induced from  $F$  up to contactomorphisms, namely if there exist a map-germ  $\varphi : (\mathbf{K}^s, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^r, 0)$  and a family of contactomorphisms  $(\sigma_\mu, \tau_\mu), (\mu \in (\mathbf{K}^s, 0))$  such that  $g_\mu = \tau_\mu \circ f_{\varphi(\mu)} \circ \sigma_\mu^{-1}$  for any  $(\mu \in (\mathbf{K}^s, 0))$ , where  $g_\mu(x) = G(x, \mu)$ .

$F$  is called *infinitesimally contact versal* if

$$VI_f = \left\langle \frac{\partial F}{\partial \lambda_1} \Big|_{\lambda=0}, \dots, \frac{\partial F}{\partial \lambda_r} \Big|_{\lambda=0} \right\rangle_{\mathbf{R}} + tf(V_N) + wf(VH_W).$$

**Theorem 3.2** *An integral deformation  $F : (N \times \mathbf{K}^r, (x_0, 0)) \rightarrow W$  of an integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  of corank at most one, is contact versal if and only if  $F$  is infinitesimally contact versal. Any contact versal deformations of  $f$  with the same number of parameters are contactomorphic to each other. An integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  of corank at most one has a contact versal deformation if and only if  $tf(V_N) + wf(VH_W)$  is of finite codimension over  $\mathbf{K}$  in  $VI_f$ .*

## 4 Lie derivative.

Let  $N, W$  be manifolds, and  $f : N \rightarrow W$  a mapping. A mapping  $v : N \rightarrow TW$  is called a *vector field along  $f$*  or an *infinitesimal deformation* of  $f$ , if  $\pi \circ v = f$ , for the projection  $\pi : TW \rightarrow W$ . We denote by  $V_f$  the module of all vector field along  $f$ . By the fiberwise addition and scalar multiplication on  $TW$ ,  $V_f$  turns out to be a module over the function-algebra  $\mathcal{E}_N$  on  $N$ .

It is easy to see that there exists a one-parameter deformation  $F : U \rightarrow W$  of  $f$  defined on an open neighborhood  $U$  in  $N \times \mathbf{K}$  of  $N \times \{0\} \cong N$  such that  $F|_{N \times \{0\}} = f$ . We write as  $F = (F_t)$  so that  $F_0 = f$ . Then we define, for a differential  $p$ -form  $\alpha$  on  $W$ , a differential  $p$ -form  $L_v \alpha$  on  $N$  by

$$L_v \alpha = \frac{d}{dt} \Big|_{t=0} F_t^* \alpha.$$

For this, see also [15] p.225. Then  $L_v\alpha$  does not depend on the choice of  $F$  but depends only on  $v$ . We call  $L_v\alpha$  the *Lie derivative* of  $\alpha$  by  $v$ . Moreover we define the interior product  $i_v\alpha$ , that is a differential  $(p-1)$ -form on  $N$  by

$$i_v\alpha(Z_1, \dots, Z_{p-1})(x) = \alpha(v(x), f_*Z_1(x), \dots, f_*Z_{p-1}(x)),$$

for vector fields  $Z_1, \dots, Z_{p-1}$  over  $N$ .

**Example 4.1** Let  $N = TW$  and  $f = \pi : TW \rightarrow W$ . We regard the identity map  $1 : TW \rightarrow TW$  as a vector field along  $\pi$ . Then, for a  $p$ -form  $\alpha$  on  $W$ , we have defined the  $p$ -form  $L_1\alpha$  and  $(p-1)$ -form  $i_1\alpha$  on  $TW$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 4.2** *We have the following fundamental formulae:*

$$\begin{aligned} (1) \quad i_v(\lambda\alpha + \mu\beta) &= \lambda(i_v\alpha) + \mu(i_v\beta), \\ (2) \quad i_{\lambda u + \mu v}\alpha &= (f^*\lambda)(i_u\alpha) + (f^*\mu)(i_v\alpha), \\ (3) \quad L_v\alpha &= i_v(d\alpha) + d(i_v\alpha), \\ (4) \quad L_v(\alpha \wedge \beta) &= (L_v\alpha) \wedge f^*\beta + f^*\alpha \wedge (L_v\beta), \\ (5) \quad i_v(\alpha \wedge \beta) &= (i_v\alpha) \wedge f^*\beta + (-1)^r f^*\alpha \wedge (i_v\beta). \end{aligned}$$

Here  $u, v$  are vector fields along a mapping  $f : N \rightarrow W$ ,  $\lambda, \mu$  are functions on  $W$ ,  $\alpha, \beta$  are differential forms on  $W$ , and  $\alpha$  is an  $r$ -form.

In particular, we refer (3) as the Cartan type formula:  $L_v = di_v + i_vd$ .

*Proof:* (1) and (2) are straightforward from the definition. The proof of (3) is given in [15] Lemma 3.3. (4), (5) are easily proved similarly to the ordinary case  $W = N$  and  $f$  is the identity mapping.  $\square$

The following formulae are proved from the definitions in the straightforward way.

**Lemma 4.3** *Let  $f : N \rightarrow W$  be a mapping,  $v : N' \rightarrow TN$  a vector field along a mapping  $N' \rightarrow N$ ,  $w : W \rightarrow TW'$  a vector field along a mapping  $W \rightarrow W'$ ,  $\alpha$  a differential form on  $W$  and  $\alpha'$  a differential form on  $W'$ . Then we have*

$$\begin{aligned} (i) \quad L_{w \circ f}\alpha' &= f^*(L_w\alpha'), & L_{f_*v}\alpha &= L_v(f^*\alpha), \\ (ii) \quad i_{w \circ f}\alpha' &= f^*(i_Y\alpha'), & i_{f_*v}\alpha &= i_v(f^*\alpha). \end{aligned}$$

Here  $w \circ f$  is the pull-back of  $w$  by  $f$ , and  $f_*v$  is the push-forward of  $v$  by  $f$ :  $(w \circ f)(x) = w(f(x))$ ,  $(x \in N)$ ,  $(f_*v)(x') = f_*(v(x'))$ ,  $(x' \in N')$ .

In particular we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i')} \quad L_{Y \circ f} \alpha &= f^*(L_Y \alpha), & L_{f_* X} \alpha &= L_X(f^* \alpha), \\ \text{(ii')} \quad i_{Y \circ f} \alpha &= f^*(i_Y \alpha), & i_{f_* X} \alpha &= i_X(f^* \alpha), \end{aligned}$$

for a vector field  $X$  over  $N$ , a vector field  $Y$  over  $W$ , and for a differential form  $\alpha$  on  $W$ . Here  $Y \circ f$  is the pull-back of  $Y$  by  $f$ , and  $f_* X$  is the push-forward of  $X$  by  $f$ .

Then the fundamental concept of this paper is introduced as follows:

**Proposition 4.4** *Let  $W$  be a manifold and  $\alpha$  a differential form on  $W$ .*

- (1) *There exists a unique differential form  $\tilde{\alpha}$  on  $TW$  such that, for any vector field  $X : W \rightarrow TW$  over  $W$ ,  $X^* \tilde{\alpha} = L_X \alpha$  holds.*
- (2) *Moreover,  $\tilde{\alpha}$  of (1) satisfies  $v^* \tilde{\alpha} = L_v \alpha$ , for any vector field  $v : N \rightarrow TW$  along a mapping  $f : N \rightarrow W$ .*
- (3)  *$d\tilde{\alpha} = \widetilde{d\alpha}$  and  $\widetilde{f^* \alpha} = (f_*)^*(\tilde{\alpha})$ , where  $f_* : TN \rightarrow TM$  is the bundle homomorphism defined by differential of  $f$ .*

In fact, we have  $\tilde{\alpha} = L_1 \alpha$ . We call  $\tilde{\alpha}$  the *natural lifting* of  $\alpha$ . The notion of natural liftings is first defined, even for general tensors, in [30][31] in a different manner: This fact is pointed out to the author by H. Sato. Though our construction is limited to differential forms, it seems more direct and useful for the infinitesimal study of differential systems. We are going to apply, in this paper, the notion of natural liftings for the infinitesimal study of stability of integral mappings in contact geometry.

*Proof of Proposition 4.4:* (1) We set  $\tilde{\alpha} = L_1 \alpha$ , for the identity mapping  $1 : TW \rightarrow TW$ . Then  $X^* \tilde{\alpha} = X^* L_1 \alpha = L_{1 \circ X} \alpha = L_X \alpha$ . Similarly we have (2). Let, for another  $\beta$ ,  $X^* \beta = X^* \tilde{\alpha}$ , for any vector field over  $W$ . Then, for any  $z \in TW$  and any  $v \in T_z(TW) \setminus K$ , there exists a vector field  $X$  over  $W$  and  $u \in T_{\pi(z)} W$  such that  $X_*(u) = v$ . Here  $\pi : TW \rightarrow W$  the canonical projection and  $K$  is the kernel of  $\pi_* : T_z(TW) \rightarrow T_{\pi(z)} W$ . Then  $\langle \beta, v \rangle = \langle X^* \beta, u \rangle = \langle X^* \tilde{\alpha}, u \rangle = \langle \tilde{\alpha}, v \rangle$ . Thus  $\beta$  and  $\tilde{\alpha}$  coincide on  $T_z(TW) \setminus K$  thus on  $T_z(TW)$ , the linear-hull of  $T_z(TW) \setminus K$ , for any  $z \in TW$ . Therefore  $\beta = \tilde{\alpha}$ . (3) follows from the uniqueness of the natural lifting of  $d\alpha$  and  $f^* \alpha$ : For example,  $X^*(f_*)^*(\tilde{\alpha}) = (f_* X)^*(\tilde{\alpha}) = L_{f_* X} \alpha = L_X(f^* \alpha)$ , for any vector field  $X$  over  $N$ .  $\square$

**Example 4.5** Let  $M$  a symplectic manifold, and  $\omega$  the symplectic form on  $M$ . Since  $\omega$  is non-degenerate,  $\omega$  induces an isomorphism  $TM \cong T^*M$ . On the other hand,  $T^*M$  is endowed with the canonical symplectic form  $d\theta_M$ , which is independent of the symplectic structure of  $M$ . Therefore  $d\theta_M$  is regarded as a symplectic form on  $TM$ . This coincides with the natural lifting  $\tilde{\omega}$ .

**Example 4.6** Let  $(p, q, r)$  be a Darboux coordinates of  $(W, D)$  at a point  $w_0 \in W$ . Then the standard contact form  $\alpha = dr - pdq$  gives the contact distribution  $D \subset TW$ . Let  $(p, q, r; \phi, \xi, s)$  be the induced local coordinates of the tangent bundle  $TW$ ;  $(\phi, \xi, s)$  being fiber coordinates. Then we have

$$\tilde{\alpha} = d(s - p\xi) + \xi dp - \phi dq.$$

Remark that  $\tilde{\alpha}$  is linear in the fiber coordinates  $(\phi, \xi, s)$ .

In general we have

**Lemma 4.7** Let  $f : N \rightarrow W$  be a mapping, and  $\alpha$  a differential form on  $W$ . Then, for  $v_1, v_2 \in V_f$ , we have  $i_{v_1+v_2}\alpha = i_{v_1}\alpha + i_{v_2}\alpha$ , and  $(v_1 + v_2)^*\tilde{\alpha} = v_1^*\tilde{\alpha} + v_2^*\tilde{\alpha}$ .

*Proof:* The first equality follows from the definition of interior product. The second equality follows from Proposition 4.4 (2) and the Cartan's formula  $L_v = di_v + i_v d$ .  $\square$

The notion of natural liftings is defined also for differential systems. Let  $W$  be a manifold and  $\Omega$  the sheaf of differential forms on  $W$ . A subsheaf  $I \subset \Omega$  is called a *differential system* on  $W$  if it is a  $d$ -closed ideal of the differential algebra  $\Omega$ , namely, if, for any section  $\alpha$  of  $I$  and for any section  $\beta$  of  $\Omega$  (defined on the same open subset of  $W$ ),  $\alpha \wedge \beta$  and  $d\alpha$  are sections of  $I$ . Let  $S$  be a set of differential forms on open subsets of  $W$ . Then the differential system  $\langle S \rangle$  generated by  $S$  has the stalk  $\langle S \rangle_x$ , for each  $x \in W$ , consisting of the functional linear combination of elements  $\alpha_x \wedge \beta_x$  and  $d\alpha_x \wedge \beta_x$ , for those  $\alpha \in S$  and differential forms  $\beta$  defined over  $x$ .

For example, a contact structure  $D \subset TW$  on  $W$  may be defined also as the differential system generated by local sections of  $D^\perp \subset T^*W$ , local contact forms compatible with  $D$ .

Let  $I$  be a differential system on  $W$ . Then the *natural lifting*  $\widetilde{I}$  of  $I$  is defined as the differential system on  $TW$  generated by the natural liftings  $\widetilde{\alpha}$  of all sections  $\alpha$  of  $I$ . If  $f : N \rightarrow W$  is a mapping, then  $f^*I$  denotes the differential system generated by  $f^*\alpha$  for all sections  $\alpha$  of  $I$ . Then we have by Proposition 4.4 (3):

**Lemma 4.8** *Let  $I$  be a differential system on  $W$ . Then  $\widetilde{f^*I} = (f_*)^*(\widetilde{I})$ , where  $f_* : TN \rightarrow TW$  is the differential mapping of  $f$ .*

## 5 Contact Hamilton vector fields.

Let  $(W, D)$  be a contact manifold, and  $\alpha$  a local contact form representing  $D$ . There does not necessarily exist  $\alpha$  globally;  $\alpha$  can be taken over an open subset of  $W$  where the contact distribution  $D$  is co-oriented. A vector field  $X$  over  $W$  is called a *contact vector field* if the Lie derivative  $L_X\alpha = \mu\alpha$  for a function  $\mu$ , namely if  $X$  preserves the contact distribution  $D$ .

Deleting  $W$  if necessary, we assume a contact form  $\alpha$  is taken over  $W$ . Let  $H : W \rightarrow \mathbf{K}$  be a function. Then there exists a unique contact vector field  $X = X_H$  over  $W$  with the condition  $i_X\alpha = H$ . The contact vector field  $X_H$  is called the *contact Hamilton vector field with Hamilton function  $H$* .

If  $\alpha = dr - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i dq_i$ , then  $X_H$  is explicitly given by

$$X_H = \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{\partial H}{\partial q_i} + p_i \frac{\partial H}{\partial r} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial p_i} - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i} \frac{\partial}{\partial q_i} + \left( H - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial r}.$$

Conversely, any contact vector field is locally a contact Hamilton vector field with some Hamiltonian function.

Associated to a contact form  $\alpha$ , we define the *Reeb vector field*  $R$  by  $i_R\alpha = 1, i_R d\alpha = 0$ . Note that, since  $\alpha$  is a contact form,  $R$  is characterised uniquely. If  $\alpha = dr - pdq$ , then  $R = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}$ . Then we have:

**Lemma 5.1** *Let  $\alpha$  be a contact form on  $W$ , and  $H : W \rightarrow \mathbf{K}$  a function. Then we have*

- (1)  $L_{X_H}\alpha = R(H)\alpha$  and  $i_{X_H}d\alpha = R(H)\alpha - dH$ .
- (2) Let  $\eta$  be a vector field on  $W$ . If  $i_\eta d\alpha = 0$ , then  $\eta = (i_\eta\alpha)R$ .
- (3)  $X_1 = R$ .

*Proof:* (1) The first equality holds for a system of coordinates  $(p, q, r)$  with  $\alpha = dr - pdq$ . Remark that  $X_H$  and  $R$  are defined intrinsically from the contact form  $\alpha$ . The latter equality follows from  $L_{X_H}\alpha = i_{X_H}d\alpha + di_{X_H}\alpha = i_{X_H}d\alpha + dH$ . (2) Set  $\eta' = \eta - (i_\eta\alpha)R$ . Then  $i_{\eta'}d\alpha = 0$  and  $i_{\eta'}\alpha = 0$ . Therefore  $\eta' = 0$ , and we have  $\eta = (i_\eta\alpha)R$ . (3) By (1), we have  $i_{X_1}d\alpha = 0$ . Since  $i_{X_1}\alpha = 1$ , we see  $X_1 = R$ .  $\square$

We have the following formula for the contact Hamilton vector field with the sum (resp. product) of two contact Hamilton functions:

**Lemma 5.2** *For functions  $K, H$  on  $W$ , we have*

$$X_{K+H} = X_K + X_H,$$

$$X_{KH} = K \cdot X_H + H \cdot X_K - (KH) \cdot R = K \cdot X_H + H \cdot X_K - (KH) \cdot X_1.$$

In particular,  $X_{aH} = aX_H, (a \in \mathbf{K})$ .

*Proof:* The first one is clear. To show the second equality, we set  $\eta = K \cdot X_H + H \cdot X_K - X_{KH}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} i_\eta d\alpha &= K(R(H)\alpha - dH) + H(R(K)\alpha - dK) - (R(KH)\alpha - d(KH)) \\ &= (KR(H) + HR(K) - R(KH))\alpha = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover,  $i_\eta\alpha = KH + HK - KH = KH$ . Therefore, by Lemma 5.1,  $\eta = (KH) \cdot R = (KH) \cdot X_1$ .  $\square$

We denote by  $VH_W$  the vector space of contact Hamilton vector fields over  $W$  and by  $\mathcal{E}_W$  the  $\mathbf{K}$ -algebra of functions on  $W$ . Define a linear map  $\Phi : \mathcal{E}_W \rightarrow VH_W$  by  $\Phi(H) = X_H$ . Then  $\Phi$  is an isomorphism of vector spaces. Therefore  $VH_W$  is endowed with  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -module structure induced from  $\Phi$ , namely,  $K * X_H = X_{KH}$ . Here, we distinguish this new functional multiplication, using  $*$ , with the ordinary functional multiplication in  $V_W$ , the  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -module consisting of all vector fields over  $W$ .

In term of the local coordinates  $p, q, r$  of  $(W, w_0)$  with  $\alpha = dr - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i dq_i$ , we define the order of function-germs  $h = h(p, q, r) \in \mathcal{E}_W$  by setting

$$\text{weight}(p_i) = \text{weight}(q_j) = 1, (1 \leq i, j \leq n), \quad \text{and} \quad \text{weight}(r) = 2;$$

namely,  $\text{ord}(h) \geq r$  if the Taylor expansion of  $h$  has no monomials of weight  $< r$ . We set  $m_W^{(r)} := \{h \in \mathcal{E}_W \mid \text{ord}(h) \geq r\}$ .

If  $\tau : (W, w_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  is a contactomorphism, then  $\text{ord}(h \circ \tau) = \text{ord}(h)$ . Then we can define, on the local ring  $\mathcal{E}_W$ , the filtration

$$\mathcal{E}_W \supset m_W^{(1)} \supset m_W^{(2)} \supset \cdots \supset m_W^{(r)} \supset \cdots.$$

Note that

$$m_W^{(2r)} \subset m_W^r \subseteq m_W^{(r)}, (r = 0, 1, 2, \dots).$$

In particular  $m_W^2 \subset m_W^{(2)} \subset m_W$ .

In the  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -module  $VH_W$  introduced above, we have

$$m_W^2 * VH_W \subseteq VH_W \cap m_W V_W = m_W^{(2)} * VH_W.$$

Let  $\pi : W \rightarrow Z$  be a Legendre fibration. Then a contact vector field  $X$  over  $W$  is called a *Legendre vector field* if,  $X$  is lowerable, namely, if there exists a vector field  $Y$  over  $Z$  such that  $t\pi(X) = w\pi(Y)$  as vector fields along  $\pi$ . Then easily we have:

**Proposition 5.3** *Let  $(p_1, \dots, p_n, q_1, \dots, q_n, r)$  be a Darboux coordinate, so that  $\alpha = dr - pdq$ . Then a contact Hamilton vector field  $X_H$  with Hamilton  $H = H(p, q, r)$  is a Legendre vector field if and only if  $H$  is an affine function, namely,  $H$  is of form*

$$H(p, q, r) = a_0(q, r) + a_1(q, r)p_1 + \cdots + a_n(q, r)p_n$$

We denote by  $VL_W = VL_{(W, \pi)}$ , the totality of Legendre vector fields over  $W$  with respect to  $\pi$ .

## 6 Infinitesimal deformations.

Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  be an integral map-germ. The space of infinitesimal integral deformations of  $f$  is, at least formally, given by

$$VI_f = \{v : (N, x_0) \rightarrow TW \mid v^* \tilde{\alpha} = 0, \pi \circ v = f\},$$

where  $\pi : TW \rightarrow W$  is the natural projection, and  $\tilde{\alpha}$  is the natural lifting to  $TW$  of a contact 1-form  $\alpha$  locally defining  $D$  near  $w_0 = f(x_0) \in W$ .

Recall that  $VH_W$  denotes the  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -module of contact Hamilton vector fields over  $W$ . Define a linear mapping  $wf : VH_W \rightarrow VI_f$  by  $wf(H) = X_H \circ f, (H \in \mathcal{E}_W)$ .

For  $v \in VI_f$ , we call  $i_v \alpha \in \mathcal{E}_N$  the *generating function* of  $v$ . The linear mapping  $e : VI_f \rightarrow R_f$  is defined by taking generating function. Here

$$R_f := \{h \in \mathcal{E}_N \mid dh \in \mathcal{E}_N d(f^* \mathcal{E}_W)\}.$$

In local coordinates, we have  $e(v) = s \circ v - \sum (p \circ f)(\xi \circ v)$  and

$$0 = v^* \tilde{\alpha} = d(e(v)) + \sum (\xi \circ v) d(p \circ f) - \sum (\phi \circ v) d(q \circ f).$$

Therefore  $e(v) \in R_f$ . Note that  $i_v(\lambda \alpha) = (\lambda \circ f) i_v \alpha$ .

We see the mapping  $e$  is surjective. In fact, for any  $h \in R_f$ ,  $dh$  is a functional linear combination of the exterior derivatives of components of  $f$ . Since  $f$  is integral,  $r \circ f$  is a functional linear combination of  $d(p \circ f), d(q \circ f)$ , and so is  $dh$ . Therefore, choosing  $\xi \circ v, \phi \circ v$  and  $s \circ v$  properly, we get  $v \in VI_f$  with  $e(v) = h$ .

Note that

**Lemma 6.1** *We have  $i_{X_H \circ f} \alpha = f^*(i_{X_H} \alpha) = f^* H$ . Therefore the generating function of  $X_H \circ f$  is equal to the pull-back  $f^* H$  of the Hamiltonian function  $H$ .*

We need a result proved in page 222 of [15]:

**Lemma 6.2** *Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  be of corank  $\leq 1$ . If*

$$R_f := \{e \in \mathcal{E}_N \mid de \in \mathcal{E}_N d(f^* \mathcal{E}_W)\}$$

*is a finite  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -module if and only if  $f$  is a finite map-germ, namely,  $\mathcal{E}_N$  is a finite  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -module via  $f^* : \mathcal{E}_W \rightarrow \mathcal{E}_N$ .*

Now set  $VI'_f = \text{Ker}(e : VI_f \rightarrow R_f)$ . Then we have the exact sequence of vector spaces:

$$0 \longrightarrow VI'_f \longrightarrow VI_f \xrightarrow{e} R_f \longrightarrow 0.$$

Remark that  $R_f \subset \mathcal{E}_N$  is an  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -submodule via  $f^* : \mathcal{E}_W \rightarrow \mathcal{E}_N$ .

Now, in  $V_f$ , the  $\mathcal{E}_N$ -module consisting of vector fields along  $f$ , we have

$$VI'_f = \{v \in V_f \mid i_v \alpha = 0, i_v d\alpha = 0\},$$

and  $VI'_f \subset V_f$  is an  $\mathcal{E}_N$ -submodule, therefore, an  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -submodule via  $f^*$ .

To proceed algebraic calculation, we are going to provide also  $VI_f$  a module structure.

As in the previous section, we denote by  $X_H$  the contact Hamilton vector field with Hamilton function  $H$ .

**Proposition 6.3**  *$VI_f$  is an  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -module by the multiplication*

$$H * v = f^* H \cdot v + (i_v \alpha)(X_H - H \cdot R) \circ f,$$

for  $H \in \mathcal{E}_W, v \in VI_f$ . The multiplication is independent on the choice of contact form  $\alpha$ , but it depends only on the contact structure (and on  $H, v$ ). Moreover the sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow VI'_f \longrightarrow VI_f \xrightarrow{e} R_f \longrightarrow 0$$

is  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -exact.

**Remark 6.4** For a constant function  $c$ , we have  $X_c = cR$  and  $c * v = cv$ .

To verify Proposition 6.3, we need several lemmas:

**Lemma 6.5**  $i_{H*v} \alpha = f^* H \cdot i_v \alpha$ .

*Proof:* Since  $i_{(HR-X_H) \circ f} \alpha = f^*(i_{HR-X_H} \alpha) = f^*(Hi_R \alpha - i_{X_H} \alpha) = f^*(H - H) = 0$ , we see  $i_{H*v} \alpha = i_{f^*H \cdot v} \alpha = f^* H \cdot i_v \alpha$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 6.6** Set  $\alpha' = \lambda \alpha$ , for a non-vanishing function  $\lambda$ . Then  $i_v \alpha' = f^* \lambda i_v \alpha$  for any vector field along a mapping  $f : N \rightarrow W$ . If we denote by  $R', X'_H$  the Reeb vector field and the contact Hamilton vector field of  $H$  with respect to  $\alpha'$ , respectively, and if  $f : N \rightarrow W$  is integral, then

$$(X'_H - HR') \circ f = \left\{ \frac{1}{\lambda} (X_H - HR) \right\} \circ f.$$

Therefore we have

$$(i_v \alpha')(X'_H - HR') \circ f = (i_v \alpha)(X_H - HR) \circ f.$$

*Proof:* That  $i_v \alpha' = f^* \lambda i_v \alpha$  follows by Lemma 4.2 (1).

Set  $u = (X'_H - HR') \circ f$  and  $v = \left\{ \frac{1}{\lambda} (X_H - HR) \right\} \circ f$ . Then, by Lemma 4.3,  $i_u \alpha' = i_{X'_H \circ f} \alpha' - i_{(HR') \circ f} \alpha' = f^* H - f^* H = 0$ . Similarly we have  $i_v \alpha = 0$ . So we have  $i_v \alpha' = (f^* \lambda)(i_v \alpha)$ .

We will show  $i_u d\alpha' = i_v d\alpha' = f^*(-dH)$ . Then, since  $\alpha'$  is a contact form, we have  $u = v$ .

Now in fact, since  $f$  is integral, we have  $f^* \alpha' = f^* \alpha = 0$ , and therefore we have, by Lemma 5.1,

$$\begin{aligned} i_u d\alpha' &= f^*(i_{X'_H - HR'} d\alpha') \\ &= f^*(R'(H)\alpha' - dH - H i_{R'} d\alpha') \\ &= f^*(-dH). \\ i_v d\alpha' &= (f^* \lambda)(i_v d\alpha) + i_v(d\lambda \wedge \alpha) \\ &= f^*(i_{X_H - HR} d\alpha) + (i_v d\lambda) f^* \alpha - (i_v \alpha) f^*(d\lambda) \\ &= f^*(R(H)\alpha - dH) \\ &= f^*(-dH). \end{aligned}$$

□

**Remark 6.7** The terms  $(i_v \alpha)X_H \circ f$  and  $(i_v \alpha)(H \cdot R) \circ f$  do depend on the choice of  $\alpha$ . Just the difference is intrinsically defined as seen in Lemma 6.6.

*Proof of Proposition 6.3:* We compare

$$(KH) * v = f^*(KH) \cdot v - (i_v \alpha)(KH \cdot R - X_{KH}) \circ f$$

with

$$K * (H * v) = f^* K(f^* H \cdot v - (i_v \alpha)(H \cdot R - X_H) \circ f) - (i_{H * v} \alpha)(K \cdot R - X_H) \circ f.$$

By Lemma 6.5, the right hand side of the latter equals to

$$f^*(KH) \cdot v - (i_v \alpha)(2KH \cdot R - KX_H - HX_K) \circ f,$$

which is equal to the right hand side of the former, by Lemma 5.2. By Lemma 6.5,  $e$  is an  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -epimorphism. By Lemma 6.6, we see the multiplication depends only on the contact structure. The remaining parts are clear.  $\square$

The following is a consequence of Proposition 6.3, Lemma 6.1 and Proposition 5.3:

**Lemma 6.8** *If we set*

$$VH'_{W,f} = \{X_H \in VH_W \mid H \circ f = 0\},$$

*then we have an  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -exact sequence,*

$$0 \longrightarrow VI'_f/wf(VH'_{W,f}) \longrightarrow VI_f/wf(VH_W) \longrightarrow R_f/\mathcal{E}_W \longrightarrow 0.$$

*If we set*

$$VL'_{W,f} = \{X_H \in VL_W \mid H \circ f = 0\},$$

*then we have an  $\mathcal{E}_Z$ -exact sequence,*

$$0 \rightarrow VI'_f/wf(VH'_{W,f}) \rightarrow VI_f/wf(VL_W) \rightarrow R_f/(E_Z + \sum_{i=1}^n E_Z(p_i \circ f)) \rightarrow 0.$$

Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  be an integral mapping. We define an  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -homomorphism  $tf : V_N \rightarrow VI_f$  by  $tf(\xi) := f_*(\xi), \xi \in V_N$ .

**Lemma 6.9** *Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  be an integral map-germ. Then  $tf(V_N) \subseteq VI'_f$ .*

*Proof:* Take  $f_*(\xi) \in tf(V_N)$ . Then we have  $e(f_*(\xi)) = i_{f_*(\xi)}\alpha = i_\xi f^*\alpha = 0$ .  $\square$

Under a condition, the converse inclusion holds:

**Proposition 6.10** *Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  be an integral map-germ. Suppose that  $f$  is diffeomorphic to an analytic map-germ  $f' : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}, 0)$  (not necessarily integral) such that the codimension of the singular locus of the complexification  $f'_\mathbb{C}$  of  $f'$  is greater than or equal to 2. Then we have  $VI'_f \subseteq tf(V_N)$ . Therefore we have an isomorphism of  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -modules*

$$VI_f/\{tf(V_N) + wf(VH_W)\} \cong R_f/\mathcal{E}_W,$$

and an isomorphism of  $\mathcal{E}_Z$ -modules

$$VI_f / \{tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W)\} \cong R_f / (E_Z + \sum_{i=1}^n E_Z(p_i \circ f)).$$

*Proof:* Let  $v \in VI'_f$ . Set

$$v = (p \circ f, q \circ f, r \circ f; \phi \circ v, \xi \circ v, s \circ v).$$

Then, since  $e(v) = s \circ v - \sum (p \circ f)(\xi \circ v) = 0$ , we have

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (\xi_i \circ v) d(p_i \circ f) - \sum_{i=1}^n (\phi_i \circ v) d(q_i \circ f) = 0.$$

This means, for any regular point  $x \in (\mathbf{K}^n, 0)$ , that  $v(x) \in D_{f(x)}$  and  $v(x)$  belongs to the skew orthogonal complement to  $f_*(T_x \mathbf{K}^n)$  with respect to the symplectic structure  $\sum_{i=1}^n dp_i \wedge dq_i$  on  $D$ . Therefore we have  $v(x) \in f_*(T_x \mathbf{K}^n)$ . Since  $f$  and  $f'$  are diffeomorphic, any vector field in  $VI'_f$  is transformed to a vector field along  $f'$  which is tangent to the image of  $f'$  off the singular locus of  $f'$ .

Let  $v \in V_{f'_\mathbf{C}}$ . This means that  $v : (\mathbf{C}^n, 0) \rightarrow T\mathbf{C}^{2n+1}$  is a holomorphic vector field along  $f'_\mathbf{C} : (\mathbf{C}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{C}^{2n+1}, 0)$ . Suppose, for each regular point  $x \in (\mathbf{C}^n, 0)$  of  $f'_\mathbf{C}$  that  $v(x) \in f'_{\mathbf{C}*}(T_x \mathbf{C}^n)$ . Then we can find a vector field  $w$  over  $\mathbf{C}^n \setminus \text{Sing}(f'_\mathbf{C})$  satisfying  $v = (f'_\mathbf{C})_*(w)$  on  $\mathbf{C}^n \setminus \text{Sing}(f'_\mathbf{C})$ , where  $\text{Sing}(f'_\mathbf{C})$  is the locus of singular points of  $f'_\mathbf{C}$ . Since  $\text{Sing}(f'_\mathbf{C})$  is of codimension  $\geq 2$  in  $\mathbf{C}^n$ ,  $w$  extends to a holomorphic vector field on  $(\mathbf{C}^n, 0)$  still called  $w$ , by Hartogs theorem. Then we have  $v = f'_{\mathbf{C}*}(w)$ . This proves that  $VI'_f \subseteq tf(V_N)$  in the case  $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{C}$ .

In the case  $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{R}$ , we set  $T \subset V_{f'}$  as the set of vector fields along  $f'$  such that, for each regular point  $x \in (\mathbf{R}^n, 0)$  of  $f'$ ,  $v(x) \in f'_*(T_x \mathbf{R}^n)$ .

Take  $v \in T$ . Suppose  $v$  is real analytic. Then considering the complexification of  $v$ , we see that there exists a real analytic  $w \in V_n$  such that  $v = f'_*(w)$  over  $(\mathbf{R}^n, 0)$ . This means that  $T$  is generated formally by  $tf'(V_n)$  in the sense of [22], and, by Whitney's spectral theorem, we have that  $T$  is contained in the closure of  $tf'(V_n)$  for a representative of  $f'$ . Since  $tf'(V_n)$  itself is closed, we see  $T \subseteq tf'(V_n)$ . This shows that  $VI_f \subseteq tf(V_N)$ .

The remaining parts are clear.  $\square$

We call  $f$  *infinitesimally contact stable* if

$$VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VH_W).$$

Then we have:

**Corollary 6.11** *Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  be an integral mapping. Then the condition (ca) of Proposition 3.1 implies that  $f$  is infinitesimally contact stable, namely the condition (ics).*

*Proof:* Since  $R_f = f^*E_W$ , we see  $0 = R_f/\mathcal{E}_W \cong VI_f/\{tf(V_N) + wf(VH_W)\}$ . Therefore we have  $VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VH_W)$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 6.12** *If an integral map-germ of corank at most one  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  is infinitesimally contact stable then  $f$  is a finite map-germ.*

*Proof:* By taking generating functions of both sides of the equality  $VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VH_W)$ , we have  $R_f = f^*\mathcal{E}_W$ . Therefore  $R_f$  is a finite  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -module. Therefore, by Lemma 6.2, we see  $f$  is finite.  $\square$

Let  $(f_t)$  be an integral deformation of  $f$ . To show  $f$  is homotopically contact (resp. Legendre) stable, we need to find a deformation  $(\sigma_t)$  of  $\text{id}_N$  and an integral deformation  $(\tau_t)$  of  $\text{id}_W$  (resp. an integral deformation  $\tau_t$  of  $\text{id}_W$  covering a deformation  $(\bar{\tau}_t)$  of  $\text{id}_Z$  via  $\pi : W \rightarrow Z$ ) satisfying  $\tau_t^{-1} \circ f_t \circ \sigma_t = f$ . For this, it is sufficient to solve  $df_t/dt = \eta_t \circ f_t - T f_t \circ \xi_t (= wf_t(\eta_t) - tf_t(\xi_t)) : N \times \mathbf{K} \rightarrow TW$  with  $\xi_t \in V_N$  and  $\eta_t \in VH_W$  (resp.  $\eta_t \in VL_W$ ), (cf. [25]).

For an unfolding  $F = (f_t, t) : N \times J \rightarrow W \times J$ ,  $t \in J = (\mathbf{K}, 0)$ , we set

$$VI_{F/J} = \{v : N \times J \rightarrow TW \mid v_t \in VI_{f_t}, t \in J\}.$$

If  $(f_t)$  is an integral deformation of  $f$ , then we have  $(df_t/dt)_{t \in J} \in VI_{F/J}$ . We define an  $\mathcal{E}_{W \times J}$ -module structure on  $VI_{F/J}$  by

$$a_t * v_t = (f_t^* a_t) \cdot v_t + (i_{v_t} \alpha)(X_{a_t} - a_t \cdot R) \circ f_t,$$

for  $v_t \in VI_{F/J}$ ,  $a_t \in \mathcal{E}_{W \times J}$ . Compare with Proposition 6.3. Then we have

**Corollary 6.13** *If  $f$  is finite and of corank at most one, then the quotient  $VI_{F/J}$  is a finite  $\mathcal{E}_{W \times J}$ -module.*

Now assume  $f$  is integral and  $f_t$  is an integral deformation of  $f$ . We define  $tF/J : V_N \rightarrow VI_{F/J}$  by  $v \mapsto (tf_t(v))_{t \in J}$ . We set

$$S_{F/J} = VI_{F/J} / ((wF/J)(VH_W) + (tF/J)(V_N)),$$

which is an  $\mathcal{E}_{W \times J}$ -module, and set

$$S_f = VI_f / (wf(VH_W) + tf(V_N)),$$

which is an  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -module. Then we have:

**Lemma 6.14** *The quotient  $S_{F/J}/m_J S_{F/J}$  is isomorphic to  $S_f$  as an  $\mathcal{E}_W$ -modules.*

*Proof:* Consider the morphism  $\Phi : S_{F/J} \rightarrow S_f$  defined by  $\Phi([v_t]) = [v_t|_{t=0}]$ . We will show that the kernel of  $\Phi$  is equal to  $m_J S_{F/J}$ . Let  $v_t \in VI_{F/J}$ . Assume  $v_t|_{t=0} = wf(\eta) + tf(\xi)$ , for some  $\xi \in V_N$ ,  $\eta \in VI_W$ . Set  $w_t = v_t - wf_t(\eta) - tf_t(\xi)$ . Then  $w_t|_{t=0} = 0$ . Therefore  $w_t = tw'_t$ , for some  $w'_t \in V_{f_t}$ . We see  $\Pi_{\#}(w'_t) \in VI_{g_t}$ . Here  $g_t = \Pi \circ f_t$  is the family of isotropic map-germs induced from  $f_t$ . In fact  $\Pi_{\#}(w_t)^b = t\Pi_{\#}(w'_t)^b$  and so  $0 = (\Pi_{\#}(w_t)^b)^* d\theta_{T^*Q} = t(\Pi_{\#}(w'_t)^b)^* d\theta_{T^*Q}$ . Thus  $(\Pi_{\#}(w'_t)^b)^* d\theta_M = 0$ . This means  $w'_t \in VI_{f_t}$ . Since  $x$ -derivative of  $t$  is equal to zero, we have  $w_t = tw_t = t * w'_t$  and  $[v_t] = [w_t] = t[w'_t] \in m_J S_{F/J}$ .  $\square$

## 7 Relation to Isotropic Mappings.

Let  $Q$  be a manifold of dimension  $n$ . Then  $T^*Q \times \mathbf{K} \cong J^1(Q, \mathbf{K}) \subset PT^*(Q \times \mathbf{K})$  has the canonical contact structure, whereas  $T^*Q$  has the canonical symplectic structure  $\omega = d\theta_Q$ ,  $\theta_Q$  being Liouville form on  $Q$ ,  $\theta_Q = \sum_{i=1}^n p_i dq_i$ , for a system of local symplectic coordinates. A contact form on  $T^*Q \times \mathbf{K}$  is given by  $dr - \theta_Q$ , for the coordinate  $r$  on  $\mathbf{K}$ .

Let  $g : N \rightarrow T^*Q$  be a mapping from a manifold  $N$  of dimension  $n$ . Then  $g$  is called *isotropic* if  $g^*\omega = 0$ . The singularities of isotropic mappings of corank at most one is studied in [15] in detail. In particular, we have

a series of singularities, “open Whitney umbrellas”, which are symplectic counterparts of objects we have introduced in this paper.

Two isotropic map-germs  $g : (N, x_0) \rightarrow T^*Q$  and  $g' : (N, x'_0) \rightarrow T^*Q$  are called *symplectomorphic* (or *symplectically equivalent*) if there exist a symplectomorphism

$$\tau : (T^*Q, g(x_0)) \rightarrow (T^*Q, g'(x'_0))$$

and a diffeomorphism  $\sigma : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (N, x'_0)$  satisfying  $\tau \circ f = f' \circ \sigma$ . Then we call also the pair  $(\sigma, \tau)$  a symplectomorphism between  $g$  and  $g'$ .

Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow T^*Q \times \mathbf{K}$  be a map-germ. Set  $g : (N, x_0) \rightarrow T^*Q$  to be  $g = \Pi \circ f$ , where  $\Pi : T^*Q \times \mathbf{K} \rightarrow T^*Q$  is the natural projection along the flow of Reeb vector field  $\frac{\partial}{\partial r}$ .

Then we have by [15]:

**Lemma 7.1** (1)  *$f$  is an integral map-germ if and only if  $g$  is an isotropic map-germ.*

(2) *If  $g = \Pi \circ f$  and  $g' = \Pi \circ f'$  are symplectomorphic, then  $f$  and  $f'$  are contactomorphic.*

(3)  $R_f = R_g$ .

(4)  *$f$  is an open Whitney umbrella of type  $k$  (as an integral map-germ) if and only if  $g$  is an open Whitney umbrella of type  $k$  (as an isotropic map-germ). In particular,  $f$  is a Legendre immersion if and only if  $g$  is a Lagrange immersion.*

**Remark 7.2** The converse of (2) of Lemma 7.1 does not hold in general. For example, consider integral map-germs  $f_\lambda : (\mathbf{K}, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^3, 0)$ ,  $\lambda > 0$  defined by  $g(t) = (t^3, t^7 + \lambda t^8, \frac{3}{10}t^{10} + \frac{3}{11}\lambda t^{11})$ . Then  $g_\lambda = \Pi \circ f_\lambda : (\mathbf{K}, 0) \rightarrow (T^*Q, 0)$ ,  $g_\lambda(t) = (t^3, t^7 + \lambda t^8)$  is not symplectomorphic to  $g_{\lambda'}$  if  $\lambda' \neq \lambda$ , while all  $f_\lambda$  are contactomorphic to each other ([18][17]).

Set  $W = T^*Q \times \mathbf{K}$ . The projection  $\Pi : W \rightarrow T^*Q$  induces the projection  $\Pi_* : TW \rightarrow T(T^*Q)$ ; by using local coordinates, it is given by

$$\Pi_*(p, q, r; \phi, \xi, s) = (p, q; \phi, \xi).$$

Then  $\Pi_*$  induces  $\mathbf{K}$ -linear mapping  $\Pi_\# : V_f \rightarrow V_g$  by  $\Pi_\#(v) = \Pi_* \circ v$ , ( $v \in V_f$ ).

Now we observe the following:

**Lemma 7.3**  $\Pi_{\sharp}$  restricts to a  $\mathbf{K}$ -linear epimorphism  $\Pi_{\sharp} : VI_f \rightarrow VI_g$ , to an  $\mathcal{E}_N$ -isomorphism  $\Pi_{\sharp} : VI'_f \rightarrow VI'_g$  and  $\mathcal{E}_{T^*Q}$ -epimorphism  $\Pi_{\sharp} : VI_f \rightarrow VI_g/wg(VH_{T^*Q})$  over the ring morphism  $\Pi^* : \mathcal{E}_{T^*Q} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}_W$ . Furthermore we have the following commutative diagram which consists of exact sequences:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
& & 0 & & 0 & & 0 & & \\
& & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
0 & \rightarrow & wf(VH'_{W,g}) & \rightarrow & wf(VH'_W) & \rightarrow & f^*\mathcal{E}_W & \rightarrow & 0 \\
& & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
0 & \rightarrow & VI'_f & \rightarrow & VI_f & \xrightarrow{e} & R_f & \rightarrow & 0 \\
& & \downarrow & & \Pi_{\sharp} \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
0 & \rightarrow & VI'_g/wg(VH'_{T^*Q,g}) & \rightarrow & VI_g/wg(VH_{T^*Q}) & \xrightarrow{\bar{e}} & R_g/g^*\mathcal{E}_{T^*Q} & \rightarrow & 0 \\
& & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
& & 0 & & 0 & & 0 & & 
\end{array}$$

The kernel of  $\Pi_{\sharp}$  is generated by  $R \circ f = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \circ f$  over  $\mathbf{R}$ .

*Proof:* We show that  $\text{Ker}(\Pi_{\sharp}) = \left\langle \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \circ f \right\rangle_{\mathbf{R}}$ . Let  $v = (p \circ f, q \circ f, r \circ f; \phi, \xi, s) \in VI_f$ . Recall that  $d(s - (p \circ f)\xi) + \xi d(p \circ f) - \phi d(q \circ f) = 0$ . Suppose that  $\Pi_{\sharp} \circ v = 0$ . Then  $\xi = 0, \phi = 0$ . Then we have  $ds = 0$ . Thus  $s$  is constant. The remaining parts are clear.  $\square$

We have also

**Lemma 7.4** For any  $\eta \in VH_{T^*Q}$  (resp.  $\eta \in VL_{T^*Q}$ ), there exists an  $\tilde{\eta} \in VH_W$  (resp.  $\tilde{\eta} \in VL_W$ ), such that  $\Pi_{\sharp}wf(\tilde{\eta}) = wg(\eta)$ . Here  $wf(\tilde{\eta}) = \tilde{\eta} \circ f$  and  $wg(\eta) = \eta \circ g$ .  $VL_{T^*Q}$  means the set of Lagrange vector fields of the Lagrange fibration  $T^*Q \rightarrow Q$  ([15]).

If  $\eta \in m_{T^*Q} * VH_{T^*Q}$  (resp.  $\eta \in m_Q * VL_{T^*Q}$ ), then we can take  $\tilde{\eta}$  from  $m_W^2 * VH_W$  (resp. from  $m_Z^2 * VL_W$ ), where  $Z = Q \times \mathbf{R}$ .

*Proof:* If  $\eta$  has a symplectic Hamiltonian function  $H$  on  $T^*Q$ ,  $H(0) = 0$ , then we may set  $\tilde{\eta} = X_{\Pi^*H}$ , the contact Hamiltonian vector field for the pull-back  $\Pi^*H$  of  $H$  by  $\Pi$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 7.5** Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W = T^*Q \times \mathbf{K}$  be an integral mapping. If  $g = \Pi \circ f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow T^*Q$  is infinitesimally symplectically (resp. Lagrange) stable, then  $f$  is infinitesimally contact (resp. Legendre) stable.

*Proof:* Suppose  $g$  is infinitesimally symplectic (resp. Lagrange) stable. Then, for any  $v \in VI_f$ , there exist  $\xi \in V_N$  and  $\eta \in VH_{T^*Q}$  (resp.  $\eta \in VL_{T^*Q}$ ) satisfying  $\Pi_{\#}v = tg(\xi) + wg(\eta)$ . Then we see, using Lemma 7.4

$$\Pi_{\#}(v - tf(\xi) - wf(\tilde{\eta})) = 0.$$

Therefore, by Lemma 7.3, there exists  $s_0 \in \mathbf{R}$  such that

$$v - tf(\xi) - wf(\tilde{\eta}) = s_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \circ f.$$

Thus we have  $v = tf(\xi) + wf(\tilde{\eta} + s_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial r})$ . □

**Proposition 7.6** *If  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella, then we have  $R_f = f^*\mathcal{E}_W$ . Therefore  $f$  satisfies the condition (ca) of Proposition 3.1.*

*Proof:*  $R_f = R_g = g^*\mathcal{E}_Z \subseteq f^*\mathcal{E}_W \subseteq R_f$ . □

**Corollary 7.7** *If  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella, then  $f$  is infinitesimally contact stable. Moreover we have the isomorphism*

$$VI_f/(tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W)) \cong R_f/(E_Z + \sum_{i=1}^n E_Z(p_i \circ f))$$

*of  $\mathcal{E}_Z$ -modules via  $\pi^* : \mathcal{E}_Z \rightarrow \mathcal{E}_W$ .*

## 8 Integral Jets.

We consider the *integral jet space*:

$$J_I^r(n, 2n+1) := \{j^r f(0) \mid f : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}, 0) \text{ integral of corank } \leq 1\}.$$

Then  $J_I^r(n, 2n+1)$  is a submanifold of  $J^r(n, 2n+1)$ .

**Remark 8.1** The projection  $\Pi^r : J^r(n, 2n+1) \rightarrow J^r(n, 2n)$  defined by  $\Phi^r(j^r f(0)) := j^r(\Pi \circ f)(0)$  induces a diffeomorphism of  $J_I^r(n, 2n+1)$  and the isotropic jet space  $J_I^r(n, 2n) \subset J^r(n, 2n)$  ([14]). In fact, for any  $j^r g(0) \in J_I^r(n, 2n)$ , we set  $j^r f(0) = j^r(g, e)(0)$ , where  $e$  is the generating function of  $g$ ,  $de = g^*\theta_Q$ ,  $e(0) = 0$ . Then  $j^r f(0) \in J_I^r(n, 2n+1)$  and  $\Pi^r(j^r f(0)) = j^r g(0)$ .

Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  be an integral map-germ of corank at most one. Then we set

$$VI_f^s = \{v \in VI_f \mid j^s v(x_0) = 0\} = VI_f \cap m_N^{s+1} V_f, \quad (s = 0, 1, 2, \dots).$$

Let  $z = j^r f(x_0) \in J_I^r(n, 2n+1)$ . Define  $\pi_r : VI_f^0 \rightarrow T_z J^r(n, 2n+1)$  as follows: For each  $v \in VI_f^0$ , take an integral deformation  $(f_t)$  of  $f$  with  $v = \left. \frac{df_t}{dt} \right|_{t=0}$ , and set  $\pi_r(v) = \left. \frac{d(j^r f_t(x_0))}{dt} \right|_{t=0}$ . Then the image of the linear map  $\pi_r$  coincides with  $T_z J_I^r(n, 2n+1)$ .

Let  $z \in J_I^r(n, 2n+1)$  and  $z = j^r f(x_0)$  for a  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$ . Then under the identification  $T_z J^r(n, 2n+1) \cong m_N V_f / m_N^{r+1} V_f$  we have

$$T_z J_I^r(n, 2n+1) \cong VI_f^0 / VI_f^r.$$

If we denote by  $\mathcal{C}^r z$  (resp,  $\mathcal{L}^r z$ ) the orbit of  $z$  under the contactomorphisms (resp. Legendre diffeomorphisms), we have

$$T_z \mathcal{C}^r z \cong \{(tf(m_N V_N) + wf(m_W^{(2)} * V H_W)) + VI_f^r\} / VI_f^r,$$

$$T_z \mathcal{L}^r z \cong \{(tf(m_N V_N) + wf(m_Z^{(2)} * V L_W)) + VI_f^r\} / VI_f^r.$$

Set  $z = j^r f(x_0)$ . For  $(w, v) \in T_{x_0} N \oplus VI_f$ , take a curve  $x_t$  in  $N$  with the velocity vector  $w$  at  $t = 0$  and take an integral deformation  $f_t$  of  $f$  with  $v = \left. \frac{df_t}{dt} \right|_{t=0}$  (cf. [15], Lemma 3.4), and define a linear map

$$\Pi_r : T_0 N \oplus VI_f \rightarrow T_z J^r(N, W),$$

by

$$\Pi_r(w, v) = \left. j^r \frac{df_t(x_t)}{dt} \right|_{t=0}.$$

Then  $\Pi_r(T_0 N \oplus VI_f) = T_z J_I^r(N, W)$  and  $\text{Ker} \Pi_r = \{0\} \oplus VI_f^r$ . Moreover we have, for the Legendre equivalence class,

$$[z] = \{j^r f'(x) \mid x \in N, f' \text{ is Legendre equivalent to } f\}$$

in  $J_I^r(N, W)$ ,

$$T_z[z] = \Pi_r(T_{x_0} N \oplus (tf(m_N V_N) + wf(V L_W))).$$

For the jet extension  $j^r f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow J_I^r(N, W)$ , we have

$$(j^r f)_*\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}\right) = \Pi_r\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}, f_*\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}\right)\right).$$

**Lemma 8.2** *The transversality condition  $(t_r)$  is equivalent to the condition*

$$VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W) + VI_f^r.$$

*Proof:* The condition  $(t_r)$  that  $j^r f$  is transverse to  $[z] = [j^r f(x_0)]$  at  $x_0$  is equivalent to the condition

$$(j^r f)_*(T_{x_0}N) + T_z[z] = T_z J_I^r(N, W),$$

and to the condition that

$$(\Pi_r)^{-1}((j^r f)_*(T_{x_0}N)) + T_{x_0}N \oplus (tf(m_N V_N) + wf(VL_W)) + \{0\} \oplus VI_f^r$$

coincides with  $T_{x_0}N \oplus VI_f$ . This condition is equivalent to that

$$VI_f = \langle f_*\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}\right), \dots, f_*\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_n}\right) \rangle_{\mathbf{K}} + tf(m_N V_N) + wf(VL_W) + VI_f^r,$$

namely that

$$VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W) + VI_f^r.$$

□

Similarly we have the following:

**Lemma 8.3** *The condition that  $j^r f$  is transverse to the contactomorphism-orbit through  $j^r f(x_0)$  at  $x_0$  is equivalent to the condition*

$$VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VH_W) + VI_f^r.$$

Moreover the transversality condition on  $j^r f$  implies that  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella:

**Proposition 8.4** *Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  be an integral map-germ of corank  $\leq 1$ , and  $k$  a non-negative integer. If the  $k+1$  extension  $j^{k+1}f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow J_I^{k+1}(N, W)$  is transverse to the contactomorphism-orbit through  $j^{k+1}f(x_0)$ , then  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella of type  $\leq k$ .*

*Proof:* Since  $f$  is an integral map-germ of corank  $\leq 1$ ,  $f$  is contactomorphic to  $f' : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}, 0)$  with

$$\varphi := (q_1, \dots, q_{n-1}, q_n, p_n) \circ f' = (x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, u(x), v(x)).$$

Since  $f'$  is contactomorphic to  $f$ , also  $j^{k+1}f' : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow J_I^{k+1}(\mathbf{K}^n, \mathbf{K}^{2n+1})$  is transverse to the contactomorphism-orbit through  $j^{k+1}f'(0)$ , therefore to  $\mathcal{K}$ -orbit through  $j^{k+1}f'(0)$ . Then we see  $j^{k+1}\varphi : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow J^{k+1}(\mathbf{K}^n, \mathbf{K}^{n+1})$  is transverse to  $\mathcal{K}$ -orbit through  $j^{k+1}\varphi(0)$ . Then  $f'$  is an open Whitney umbrella of type  $\leq k$ . Therefore  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella of type  $\leq k$ .  $\square$

For an  $n$ -dimensional manifold  $N$  and a contact manifold  $W$  of dimension  $2n+1$ , we set

$$C_I^\infty(N, W)^1 := \{f : N \rightarrow W \mid f \text{ is integral of corank } \leq 1\}.$$

We endow  $C_I^\infty(N, W)^1$  with the relative topology of the Whitney  $C^\infty$  topology of  $C^\infty(N, W)$ . Then we have the following Legendre transversality theorem:

**Proposition 8.5** *Let  $r$  be a non-negative integer and  $U$  a locally finite family of submanifolds of  $J^r(N, W)$ . Then*

$$T_U := \{f \in C_I^\infty(N, W)^1 \mid j^r f \text{ is transverse to all of } U\}$$

*is dense in  $C_I^\infty(N, W)^1$ .*

## 9 Finite determinacy.

**Lemma 9.1** *Let  $f, f' : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  be integral map-germs. If  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella of type  $k$  and  $j^{k+1}f'(x_0) = j^{k+1}f(x_0)$ , then  $f'$  is an open Whitney umbrella of type  $k$ .*

*Proof:* By definition there exist a contactomorphism  $(\sigma, \tau)$  such that  $\tau \circ f \circ \sigma^{-1} = f_{n,k}$ , the normal form. Set  $f'' = \tau \circ f' \circ \sigma^{-1}$ . Then  $j^{k+1}f''(x_0) = j^{k+1}f_{n,k}(x_0)$ . Set  $\varphi = (q_1, \dots, q_{n-1}, q_n, p_n) \circ f'' : (N, x_0) \rightarrow \mathbf{K}^{n+1}$  and  $\varphi_{n,k} = (q_1, \dots, q_{n-1}, q_n, p_n) \circ f_{n,k}$ . Then  $j^{k+1}\varphi(x_0) = j^{k+1}\varphi_{n,k}(x_0)$ . Now  $j^k\varphi : (N, x_0) \rightarrow J^k(N, \mathbf{K}^{n+1})$  is transverse at  $x_0$  to Thom-Boardman strata as well as  $j^k\varphi_{n,k}$  is. In [13], we have shown that  $g'' = (q, p) \circ f'' : (N, x_0) \rightarrow \mathbf{K}^{2n}$  is symplectomorphic to  $g_{n,k} = (q, p) \circ f_{n,k}$ . Then  $f''$  and  $f_{n,k}$  are contactomorphic. Since  $f$  and  $f''$  are contactomorphic, we see  $f$  and  $f_{n,k}$  are contactomorphic, therefore  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella of type  $k$ .  $\square$

An integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  is called *r-determined by contactomorphisms* if, for any integral map-germ  $f' : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  with  $j^r f'(x_0) = j^r f(x_0)$ ,  $f$  and  $f'$  are contactomorphic.

Let  $\pi : (W, w_0) \rightarrow (Z, z_0)$  be a fixed Legendre fibration. An integral map-germ  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  is called *Legendre r-determined* if, for any integral map-germ  $f' : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  with  $j^r f'(x_0) = j^r f(x_0)$ , then  $(f', \pi)$  and  $(f, \pi)$  are Legendre equivalent.

Then we have:

**Lemma 9.2** *An open Whitney umbrella of type  $k$  is  $(k+1)$ -determined by contactomorphisms.*

*Proof:* Suppose  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella of type  $k$ . Let  $f' : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  be an integral map-germ with  $j^{k+1}f'(x_0) = j^{k+1}f(x_0)$ . Then  $f'$  is also an open Whitney umbrella of type  $k$ . Therefore both  $f$  and  $f'$  are contactomorphic to the normal form  $f_{n,k}$ . Thus  $f$  and  $f'$  are contactomorphic.  $\square$

**Lemma 9.3** *Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, y_0)$  be an open Whitney umbrella. Suppose that  $f$  is infinitesimally Legendre stable, namely that*

$$VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W).$$

*Take a positive integer  $r$  satisfying*

$$f^*\mathcal{E}_W \cap m_N^{r+1} \subseteq f^*m_W^{n+2}.$$

*Then we have*

- (1)  $R_f = f^*\mathcal{E}_W$  is generated as  $\mathcal{E}_Z$ -module by  $1, p_1 \circ f, \dots, p_n \circ f$ .
- (2)  $m_W^{n+1}R_f \subseteq m_Z R_f$ .
- (3)  $VI_f^r \subseteq tf(m_N V_N) + wf(VL_W \cap m_W^{(2)} * VH_W)$ .
- (4)  $f$  is Legendre  $r$ -determined.

*Proof:* (1) : Taking generating functions both sides of  $VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W)$ , we have

$$R_f = \langle 1, p_1 \circ f, \dots, p_n \circ f \rangle_{\mathcal{E}_Z}.$$

Moreover, since  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella, we have  $R_f = f^*\mathcal{E}_W$  (Lemma 7.6).

(2) : Set  $Q_f := R_f/m_Z R_f$ . Then  $Q_f$  is generated by  $1, p_1 \circ f, \dots, p_n \circ f$  over  $\mathbf{K}$ . Therefore  $\dim_{\mathbf{K}} Q_f \leq n + 1$ . Considering the sequence

$$Q_f \supseteq m_W Q_f \supseteq \dots \supseteq m_W^{n+1} Q_f,$$

and using Nakayama's lemma, we have  $m_W^{n+1} Q_f = 0$ . Therefore we have  $m_W^{n+1} R_f \subseteq m_Z R_f$ .

(3) : Let  $v \in VI_f^r$ . Then the generating function  $e(v) = i_v \alpha$  of  $v$  belongs to  $f^*\mathcal{E}_W \cap m_N^{r+1}$ . Now

$$f^*\mathcal{E}_W \cap m_N^{r+1} \subseteq f^*(m_W^{n+2}) \subseteq m_Z f^* m_W.$$

Therefore there exist functions  $a_1, \dots, a_s \in m_Z$  and  $b_1, \dots, b_s \in m_W$  such that

$$e(v) = (a_1 b_1 + \dots + a_s b_s) \circ f.$$

For each  $b_j \circ f$ , there exist  $c_{j0}, c_{j1}, \dots, c_{jn} \in \mathcal{E}_Z$  satisfying

$$b_j \circ f = c_{j0} \cdot 1 + c_{j1}(p_1 \circ f) + \dots + c_{jn}(p_n \circ f).$$

Note that, since  $b_j(x_0) = 0$ , we see  $c_{j0}(x_0) = 0$ , therefore  $c_{j0} m_Z$ . Set

$$h = \sum_{j=1}^s a_j (c_{j0} + c_{j1} p_1 + \dots + c_{jn} p_n).$$

Then  $h$  is an affine function with respect to  $p_1, \dots, p_n$  and  $h \in m_W^2$ . So the Hamilton vector field  $X_h$  belongs to  $VL_W \cap m_W^2 * VH_W \subseteq VL_W \cap m_W^{(2)} * VH_W$ .

Then the generating function of  $u := v - X_h \circ f$  is equal to zero. Then the vector field  $u$  is tangent to  $f$  along the regular locus of  $f$ . Since  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella,  $f$  is analytic and the singular locus of the complexification of  $f$  is at least 2. Therefore there exists a vector field  $\xi \in V_N$  satisfying  $u = tf(\xi)$  (Proposition 6.10). So we have  $v = tf(\xi) + wf(X_h)$ . Remark that, since  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella, the kernel of the differential mapping  $f_* : T_{x_0}N \rightarrow T_{w_0}W$  is not tangent to the Boardman strata containing  $x_0$ . The vector  $\xi(x_0)$  belongs to the kernel. On the other hand  $\xi(x_0)$  must be tangent to the Boardman stratum. Therefore we have  $\xi(x_0) = 0$  namely  $\xi \in m_N V_N$ . Thus we have

$$v \in tf(m_N V_N) + wf(VL_W \cap m_W^{(2)} * VH_W).$$

(4) : Let  $f' : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  be an integral map-germ with  $j^r f'(x_0) = j^r f(x_0)$ . Note that  $r \geq n+1$ . Therefore  $f'$  is also an open Whitney umbrella of the same type as  $f$ . By the argument of Proposition 3.5 in [16], we can connect  $f$  and  $f'$  by a family of integral map-germs  $f_t$  satisfying

$$VI_{f_t}^r \subseteq tf_t(m_N V_N) + wf_t(VL_Z \cap m_W^{(2)} * VH_W).$$

Thus by the homotopy method we see  $f$  and  $f'$  are Legendre equivalent.

## 10 Contact and Legendre stabilities.

First we show the following:

**Lemma 10.1** *Let  $f : (N^n, x_0) \rightarrow W^{2n+1}$  be an integral map-germ of corank at most one. If  $f$  is contact stable then  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella.*

*Proof:* Because all notions involved are local and invariant under the contactomorphisms, we may assume, by the Darboux theorem,  $f : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}, 0)$ ,  $f^* \alpha = 0$ ,  $\alpha = dr - pdq$  and  $f$  is of corank  $\leq 1$ . Take a representative  $f : U \rightarrow \mathbf{K}^{2n+1}$  of the germ  $f$ . We may assume the representative is also integral and of corank  $\leq 1$ .

Set  $g = (p \circ f, q \circ f) : U \rightarrow T^* \mathbf{K}^n$ . Then  $g$  is isotropic and of corank  $\leq 1$ . Here  $g$  is called *isotropic* if  $g^* \omega = 0$ , for the symplectic form  $\omega = d(pdq)$  on  $T^* \mathbf{K}^n$ . In fact, since  $g^*(pdq) = d(r \circ f)$  we have  $g^* \omega = d(g^*(pdq)) = 0$ .

Furthermore, if there is a plane in  $T_x \mathbf{K}^n$ , for some  $x \in U$ , included in the kernel of  $g_* : T_x \mathbf{K}^n \rightarrow T_g(x) T^* \mathbf{K}^n$ , then  $d(p_i \circ f), d(q_i \circ f), (1 \leq i \leq n)$  vanish on the plane, and then also  $d(r \circ f) = d(p \circ f d(q \circ f))$  vanishes on the plane. This means that the plane is included in the kernel of  $f_* : T_x \mathbf{K}^n \rightarrow T_{f(x)} \mathbf{K}^{2n+1}$ . Therefore if  $f$  is of corank  $\leq 1$ , then  $g$  is necessarily of corank  $\leq 1$ .

Now, by [13] Theorem 2,  $g$  is approximated by an isotropic mapping  $\tilde{g} : U \rightarrow T^* \mathbf{K}^n$  of corank  $\leq 1$  such that, at any point  $x \in U$ , the germ of  $\tilde{g}$  at  $x$  is an (symplectic) open Whitney umbrella. Then there exist a symplectomorphism  $\kappa : (T^* \mathbf{K}^n, \tilde{g}(x)) \rightarrow (T^* \mathbf{K}^n, 0)$  and a diffeomorphism  $\sigma : (\mathbf{K}^n, x) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^n, 0)$  such that  $\kappa \circ \tilde{g} \circ \sigma^{-1} : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (T^* \mathbf{K}^n, 0)$  coincides with  $(p \circ f_{n,k}, q \circ f_{n,k})$  in §2.

Let  $e : (\mathbf{K}^n, x) \rightarrow \mathbf{K}$  be a generating function of  $\tilde{g}_x, \tilde{g}_x^*(pdq) = de$ . Remark that two generating functions  $e, e'$  differ by just the addition of a constant function. Then  $(\tilde{g}, e) : (\mathbf{K}^n, x) \rightarrow \mathbf{K}^{2n+1}$  is an integral map-germ and it is contact equivalent to  $f_{n,k}$  by the contactomorphism  $(\sigma, \tau), \tau(p, q, r) = (\kappa(p, q), r + c)$  for some constant  $c$ .

Since  $g$  is of corank  $\leq 1$ , if the perturbation  $\tilde{g}$  of  $g$  is sufficiently small, then we can take  $e$  on  $U$ , deleting  $U$  smaller if necessary. Then  $(\tilde{g}, e)$  is an integral perturbation of  $f$  on  $U$ , which we can take near  $f$  arbitrarily. Since the original germ  $f$  is contact stable, it is contact equivalent to some  $(\tilde{g}, e) : (\mathbf{K}^n, x) \rightarrow \mathbf{K}^{2n+1}$ . Thus  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella in the sense of §2.  $\square$

*Proof of Proposition 3.1:*

(cs)  $\Rightarrow$  (owu) is already proved in Lemma 10.1.

(owu)  $\Rightarrow$  (ics): Note that the infinitesimal contact stability is invariant under contactomorphisms. Let  $f_{n,k}$  be the normal form of an open Whitney umbrella. Then the corresponding isotropic map-germ  $\Pi \circ f_{n,k}$  is an open Whitney umbrella as an isotropic map-germs. Then it is proved in [15] that  $\Pi \circ f_{n,k}$  is symplectically stable. Then by Lemma 7.5, we see  $f_{n,k}$  is infinitesimally contact stable.

(owu)  $\Rightarrow$  (ca) : It follows from Lemma 7.6.

(ca)  $\Rightarrow$  (ics) : It follows from Corollary 6.11.

(ics)  $\Rightarrow$  (hcs) : The condition (ics) is equivalent to that  $S_f = 0$ , which is equivalent to that  $S_{F/J} = m_J S_{F/J} = m_{W \times J} S_{F/J}$ , by Lemma 6.14. By Corollary 6.13,  $S_{F/J}$  is a finite  $\mathcal{E}_{W \times J}$ -module. So by Nakayama's lemma, we see  $S_{F/J} = 0$ . Therefore any integral deformation of  $f$  is trivialised with respect to contactomorphisms. Thus we have (hcs).

(hcs)  $\Rightarrow$  (ct): This follows from Lemma 8.3.

(ct)  $\Rightarrow$  (owu) : It is proved in Proposition 8.4.

Thus we see conditions (owu), (ca), (ics), (hcs) and (ct) are equivalent to each other.

(ct)  $\Rightarrow$  (cs) : If  $j^r f$  is transversal to the contactomorphism class of  $j^r f(x_0)$  for  $r \geq \frac{n}{2} + 1$ , then, for any slight perturbation  $f'$  of  $f$ , there exists a point  $x'_0$  near  $x_0$  such that  $j^r f'$  intersects to the contactomorphism class of  $j^r f(x_0)$  at  $x'_0$ . Since  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella,  $f$  is  $r$ -determined by contactomorphisms. Therefore we see  $f' : (N, x'_0) \rightarrow W$  is contactomorphic to  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$ . Therefore  $f$  is contact stable.

(cs)  $\Rightarrow$  (ct) : Take a representative  $f : U \rightarrow W$  of  $f$ . Then  $f$  is approximated by an integral mapping  $f' : U \rightarrow W$  such that  $j^r f' : U \rightarrow J_I^r(N, W)$  is transverse to the contactomorphism-orbit  $[j^r f(x_0)]$ . Since  $f$  is contact stable, there exists  $x'_0 \in U$  such that  $f' : (N, x'_0) \rightarrow W$  and  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  are contactomorphism. Then  $j^r f'$  is transverse to  $[j^r f(x_0)] = [j^r f'(x'_0)]$  at  $x'_0$ , and therefore  $j^r f$  is transverse to  $[j^r f(x_0)]$  at  $x_0$ . □

Based on Proposition 3.1, now we prove the main result Theorem 2.2.

*Proof of Theorem 2.2 :*

First we show the equivalence of (hs) and (is).

(hs)  $\Rightarrow$  (is): Let  $v \in VI_f$ . Then there exists an integral deformation  $(f_t)$  of  $f$  with  $(df_t/dt)|_{t=0} = v$ . Since  $f$  is homotopically Legendre stable,  $f_t$  is trivialised under Legendre equivalence:  $f_t = \tau_t^{-1} \circ f \circ \sigma_t$ . Differentiating both sides by  $t$  and setting  $t = 0$ , we have  $v = (df_t/dt)|_{t=0} = tf(\xi) + wf(\eta)$ , for some  $\xi \in V_N, \eta \in VL_W$ . Thus we have (is).

(is)  $\Rightarrow$  (hs): Since  $f$  is infinitesimally Legendre stable,  $f$  is infinitesimally contact stable. So  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella and thus  $f$  is finite.

Therefore  $R_f$  is a finite  $\mathcal{E}_N$ -module. Then  $VI_f/wf(VL_W)$  is a finite  $\mathcal{E}_Z$ -module. Let  $f_t$  be an integral deformation of  $f$ . Set  $F = (f_t, t)$ . Then  $VI_{F/J}/(wF/J)(VL_W)$  is also a finite  $\mathcal{E}_{Z \times J}$ -module. Thus, by Nakayama's lemma, we have  $VI_{F/J}/((wF/J)(VL_W) + (tF/J)(V_N)) = 0$ , similarly to the proof of Proposition 3.1. Therefore  $f$  is homotopically Legendre stable.

Second we show (hs)  $(\Leftrightarrow$  (is))  $\Rightarrow$  (t<sub>r</sub>)  $\Rightarrow$  (a''<sub>r</sub>)  $\Rightarrow$  (a')  $\Rightarrow$  (a)  $\Rightarrow$  (is). (Therefore these conditions are equivalent to each other).

(hs)  $\Rightarrow$  (t<sub>r</sub>): It is clear since the condition (t<sub>r</sub>) is equivalent to that

$$VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W) + VI_f^r,$$

by Lemma 8.2.

(t<sub>r</sub>)  $\Rightarrow$  (a''<sub>r</sub>): Taking generating functions of both sides of the equality

$$VI_f = tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W) + VI_f^r,$$

we have

$$R_f = (\pi \circ f)^* \mathcal{E}_Z + \sum_{i=1}^n (\pi \circ f)^* \mathcal{E}_Z(p_i \circ f) + R_f \cap m_N^{r+2}.$$

Remarking  $R_f = f^* \mathcal{E}_W$ , we have (a''<sub>r</sub>).

(a''<sub>r</sub>)  $\Rightarrow$  (a'): Since  $R_f \cap m_N^{r+2} \subset m_W^{n+3} R_f$ , (a''<sub>r</sub>) implies that  $R_f/(m_Z R_f + m_W^{n+3} R_f)$  is generated by  $1, p_1 \circ f, \dots, p_n \circ f$  over  $\mathbf{K}$ . Then we have  $m_W^{n+1} R_f \subset m_Z R_f + m_W^{n+3} R_f$ , therefore, by Nakayama's lemma,  $m_W^{n+1} R_f \subset m_Z R_f$ . Then  $m_Z R_f + m_W^{n+3} R_f = m_Z R_f$ , so we have that  $R_f/m_Z R_f$  is generated by  $1, p_1 \circ f, \dots, p_n \circ f$  over  $\mathbf{K}$ , namely, the condition (a').

(a')  $\Rightarrow$  (a): By the assumption, and by the Malgrange's preparation theorem of differentiable algebras ([22]), we see  $R_f$  is generated by 1 and  $p_1 \circ f, \dots, p_n \circ f$  over  $\mathcal{E}_Z$ .

(a)  $\Rightarrow$  (is): Since  $f$  is an open Whitney umbrella, we have  $R_f = f^* \mathcal{E}_W$ , and we have an  $\mathcal{E}_Z$ -isomorphism  $VI_f/(tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W)) \cong R_f/f^*(\mathcal{E}_Z + \sum_{i=1}^n \mathcal{E}_Z \cdot p_i)$ . Thus we see (a) implies (is).

Lastly we show (s)  $\Rightarrow$  (t<sub>r</sub>)  $(\Leftrightarrow$  (is))  $\Rightarrow$  (s).

(s)  $\Rightarrow$  (t<sub>r</sub>): Take a representative  $f : U \rightarrow W$  of  $f$ . Then  $f$  is approximated by an integral mapping  $f' : U \rightarrow W$  such that  $j^r f' : U \rightarrow J_I^r(N, W)$  is transverse to the Legendre orbit  $[j^r f(x_0)]$ . Since  $f$  is Legendre stable,

there exists  $x'_0 \in U$  such that  $f' : (N, x'_0) \rightarrow W$  and  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow W$  are Legendre equivalent. Then  $j^r f'$  is transverse to  $[j^r f(x_0)] = [j^r f'(x'_0)]$  at  $x'_0$ , and therefore  $j^r f$  is transverse to  $[j^r f(x_0)]$  at  $x_0$ .

( $t_r$ ) & (is)  $\Rightarrow$  (s): If  $j^r f$  is transverse to  $[j^r f(x_0)]$  at  $x_0$ , then there exists a neighborhood  $\Omega \subseteq C_I^\infty(N, W)^1$  of an integral representative  $f : U \rightarrow W$  such that, for any  $f' \in \Omega$ ,  $j^r f'$  is transverse to  $[j^r f(x_0)]$  at a point  $x'_0 \in U$ . Since  $j^r f'(x'_0) \in [j^r f(x_0)]$ , there exists an integral map-germ  $f'' : (X, x_0) \rightarrow W$  which is Legendre equivalent to  $f'_{x'_0}$  with respect to  $\pi$  and  $j^r f''(x_0) = j^r f(x_0)$ . On the other hand, since  $f$  is infinitesimally Legendre stable,  $f$  is Legendre  $r$ -determined (Lemma 9.3(4)). Therefore  $(f'', \pi)$  and  $(f, \pi)$  are Legendre equivalent. Thus  $(f'_{x'_0}, \pi)$  and  $(f, \pi)$  are Legendre equivalent, and  $f$  is Legendre stable.

Thus we have proved Theorem 2.2.

## 11 Contact and Legendre versalities.

The basic singularity theory originated by H. Whitney, R. Thom, J. Mather, J. Martinet, C.T.C. Wall and other peoples, are, in particular, unified into the theory of geometric subgroups of  $\mathcal{A}$  or  $\mathcal{K}$  due to J. Damon [5][6][7]. Naturally we try to apply the theory of differentiable mappings to our situation. The Damon's theory guarantees the unfolding theorem (the versality theorem) and the determinacy theorem for a subgroup  $\mathcal{G}$  of  $\mathcal{A}$  or  $\mathcal{K}$  acting on a linear subspace  $\mathcal{F}$  of map-germs  $\mathcal{E}(n, p) = \{f : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^p, 0), C^\infty\}$ , provided that  $\mathcal{G}$  and  $\mathcal{F}$  together with their "unfolding spaces"  $\mathcal{G}_{un}, \mathcal{F}_{un}$  satisfy several required conditions.

However our space

$$\mathcal{F} = \{f : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}, 0) \mid f \text{ is integral of corank at most one.}\}$$

is not linear. Therefore, we can not apply directly the ordinary theory to our case.

There are two possibilities to overcome this difficulty.

One is the reduction to the linear situations case by case. For example, the method of generating families, due to Hörmander and Arnold, is successful for the study of singularities of Lagrange and Legendre immersions. Moreover the linear theory successfully is applied to certain non-linear spaces such as

spaces of solutions to non-linear partial differential equations, e.g. Hamilton-Jacobi equations, non-linear diffusions, and so on [9]. Note that in [9] also results on the finite determinacy are given.

Another is the modifying of the original theory itself. It is useful to find a system of axioms which guarantees the versality theorem in non-linear cases, since then it is sufficient to just check the system of axioms. Then we observe, under an additional axiom, that the same proof of the versality theorem in the original theory works well for the generalisation (Theorem 9.3 of [6]). Thus we give a direct generalisation of Damon's theory to the non-linear situations. The generalisation is well-applied at least for Lagrange and Legendre singular immersions (isotropic and integral mappings) of corank  $\leq 1$ .

We recall the theory on versal unfoldings: Groups of diffeomorphisms and spaces of mappings involve in the theory. Moreover we treat groups of unfoldings of diffeomorphisms and spaces of unfoldings of mappings.

Let  $\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{R}$  or  $\mathbf{C}$ ,  $C^\infty$  or holomorphic. Take a group of diffeomorphisms  $\mathcal{G} \subset \tilde{\mathcal{K}}$  where

$$\tilde{\mathcal{K}} := \{h : \mathbf{K}^n \times \mathbf{K}^p \rightarrow \mathbf{K}^n \times \mathbf{K}^p \mid \text{fiber-preserving diffeomorphism-germs,} \\ \text{w.r.t. the fibration } \mathbf{K}^n \times \mathbf{K}^p \rightarrow \mathbf{K}^n\}$$

and a space of mappings  $\mathcal{F} \subset \mathcal{E} := \{f : \mathbf{K}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{K}^p \mid \text{map-germs}\}$ . Let  $f \in \mathcal{E}$  and  $h \in \tilde{\mathcal{K}}$ . Then,  $h(\text{graph}(f)) = \text{graph}(h(f))$  for the unique  $h(f) \in \mathcal{E}$ . We assume, for  $f \in \mathcal{F}$  and  $h \in \mathcal{G}$ ,  $h(f) \in \mathcal{F}$ .

Furthermore we assume there are given a group of unfoldings of diffeomorphisms  $\mathcal{G}_{un}(r) \subseteq \tilde{\mathcal{K}}_{un}(r)$  which acts on a space of unfoldings of mappings  $\mathcal{F}_{un}(r) \subseteq \mathcal{E}_{un}(r)$ ,  $r = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ , with  $\mathcal{G}_{un}(0) = \mathcal{G}$ ,  $\mathcal{F}_{un}(0) = \mathcal{F}$ . Here  $\tilde{\mathcal{K}}_{un}(r)$  is the space of  $r$ -parameter unfoldings of elements in  $\tilde{\mathcal{K}}$ , and  $\mathcal{E}_{un}(r)$  is the space of  $r$ -parameter unfoldings of elements in  $\mathcal{E}$ .

First we assume  $\mathcal{F}_{un}(r) \subset \mathcal{E}_{un}(r)$  is a linear subspace, relatively to the ordinary vector-space structure on  $\mathcal{E}_{un}(r)$ ,  $r = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ . Then, according to J. Damon,  $(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{G}_{un}; \mathcal{F}, \mathcal{F}_{un})$  is called a *geometric subgroups and subspaces* if it satisfies the axioms:

(1) Naturality, (2) Tangent space structure, (3) Exponential map, (4) Filtration.

Then Damon has shown that axioms (1), (2), and (3) implies  $\mathcal{G}$ -versality the-

orem in  $\mathcal{F}$ , and axioms (1), (2), (3), and (4) implies  $\mathcal{G}$ -determinacy theorem in  $\mathcal{F}$ . See [6]. See also [7].

Remark that  $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{A}_{un}; \mathcal{E}, \mathcal{E}_{un})$ ,  $(\mathcal{K}, \mathcal{K}_{un}; \mathcal{E}, \mathcal{E}_{un})$  and  $(\tilde{\mathcal{K}}, \tilde{\mathcal{K}}_{un}; \mathcal{E}, \mathcal{E}_{un})$  are geometric. Also equivariant diffeomorphisms and mappings provide examples of geometric subgroups and subspaces. Damon and all predecessors formulated the theory explicitly for linear spaces (of non-linear mappings). However naturally the theory works also for non-linear mapping spaces (non-linear spaces of non-linear mappings) in  $\mathcal{E}$  where geometric subgroups of  $\tilde{\mathcal{K}}$  act.

Consider non-linear  $\mathcal{F} \subset \mathcal{E}$  with non-linear  $\mathcal{F}_{un} \subset \mathcal{E}_{un}$  with the action of a  $\mathcal{G}_{un} \subset \tilde{\mathcal{K}}$ .

Consider the restriction  $\mathcal{F}_{un}(r+s) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}_{un}(r)$  to the first  $r$ -parameters (resp.  $\mathcal{F}_{un}(r+s) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}_{un}(s)$  to the last  $s$ -parameters) and the restriction  $\mathcal{F}_{un}(r) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$  (resp.  $\mathcal{F}_{un}(s) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$ ) to the origin of the parameter space:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{F}_{un}(r+s) & \xrightarrow{\text{rest.}} & \mathcal{F}_{un}(r) \\ \text{rest.} \downarrow & & \text{rest.} \downarrow \\ \mathcal{F}_{un}(s) & \xrightarrow[\text{rest.}]{} & \mathcal{F} \end{array}$$

Now we pose:

(3') Extension axiom: The natural mapping

$$\mathcal{F}_{un}(r+s) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}_{un}(r) \times_{\mathcal{F}} \mathcal{F}_{un}(s)$$

to the fiber product is surjective, for any non-negative integers  $r, s$ .

The axiom (3') states that a deformation of a  $f \in \mathcal{F}$  over  $\mathbf{K}^r \times \{0\} \cup \{0\} \times \mathbf{K}^s$  extends to a deformation over  $\mathbf{K}^{r+s}$  near 0.

By the same argument as in [6], we can show that, if  $(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{F})$  satisfies axioms (1), (2), (3) and (3') implies that  $\mathcal{G}$ -versality theorem in  $\mathcal{F}$  holds, namely we have the infinitesimal characterization, the existence and uniqueness of  $\mathcal{G}$ -versal unfoldings in  $\mathcal{F}$ .

Here we show how to modify the conditions (1), (2) and (3) in [6] pp. 40–42.

For the naturality, we need no change: (1) For any  $\Sigma \in \mathcal{G}_{un}(r)$ ,  $F \in$

$\mathcal{F}_{\text{un}}(r)$  and for any map-germ  $\varphi : (\mathbf{K}^s, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^r, 0)$ ,  $\varphi \in \mathcal{E}(s, r)$ , we have  $\varphi^*\Sigma \in \mathcal{G}_{\text{un}}(s)$  and  $\varphi^*F \in \mathcal{F}_{\text{un}}(s)$ .

For the tangent space structure, since we can not suppose  $T\mathcal{F}_{\text{un}} = \mathcal{F}_{\text{un}}$  in the non-linear case, we have to modify the condition slightly: First we define the extended tangent spaces  $T_1\mathcal{G}_{\text{un},e}(r)$  and  $T_F\mathcal{F}_{\text{un},e}(r)$  from  $\mathcal{G}_{\text{un}}(r+1)$ ,  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{un}}(r+1)$  in the same way as [6], p.40. Then, (2) There exists an adequately ordered system of differentiable-analytic (DA) algebras  $\{R_\alpha\}$  in  $\mathcal{E}_{n+p}$  such that  $T_1\mathcal{G}_{\text{un},e}$  (resp.  $T_F\mathcal{F}_{\text{un},e}$ ) is a finitely generated  $\{R_{\alpha,\lambda}\}$ -module containing  $T_1\mathcal{G}_{\text{un}}$  (resp.  $T_F\mathcal{F}_{\text{un}}$ ) as a finitely generated submodules,  $\lambda$  indicating the parameter and that, for the extended orbit mapping  $\alpha_F : \mathcal{G}_{\text{un},e} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}_{\text{un},e}$ , the differential mapping  $(\alpha_F)_* : T_1\mathcal{G}_{\text{un},e} \rightarrow T_F\mathcal{F}_{\text{un},e}$  is an  $\{R_{\alpha,\lambda}\}$ -module homomorphism. The finiteness condition is required only when  $f = F|_{\mathbf{K}^n \times 0}$  satisfies  $\dim_{\mathbf{K}}(T_f\mathcal{F}/T\mathcal{G}_e f) < \infty$ . Moreover there exist isomorphisms  $T_1\mathcal{G}_{\text{un},e}/m_\lambda T_1\mathcal{G}_{\text{un},e} \cong T_1\mathcal{G}_e$ ,  $T_F\mathcal{F}_{\text{un},e}/m_\lambda T_F\mathcal{F}_{\text{un},e} \cong T_f\mathcal{F}_e$ , as  $\{R_\alpha\}$ -modules, and that  $\{m_\alpha\}T_1\mathcal{G}_e \subset T_1\mathcal{G}$ , and  $\{m_\alpha\}T_f\mathcal{F}_e \subset T_f\mathcal{F}$ . About the generalities on DA-algebras see [6][7].

For the exponential property (3) we need no change.

**Example 11.1** Let  $\mathcal{I}$  be a differential system (= an ideal of differential forms that is  $d$ -closed) on  $\mathbf{K}^p$ . Set  $\mathcal{F} := \{f : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^p, 0) \mid f^*\mathcal{I} = 0\}$ , the set of integral map-germs, and  $\mathcal{G} := \{(\sigma, \tau) \in \mathcal{A} \mid \tau^*\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{I}\}$ , the group of  $\mathcal{A}$ -equivalences preserving  $\mathcal{I}$ . Then  $\mathcal{F} \subset \mathcal{E}$  is  $\mathcal{G}$ -invariant. Moreover we set  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{un}}(r)$  as the space of  $r$ -parameter unfoldings

$$F = (f_\lambda, \lambda) : (\mathbf{K}^n \times \mathbf{K}^r, (0, 0)) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^p \times \mathbf{K}^r, (0, 0))$$

satisfying  $f_\lambda^*\mathcal{I} = 0$  ( $\lambda \in (\mathbf{K}^r, 0)$ ), and set

$$\mathcal{G}_{\text{un}}(r) := \{(\sigma_\lambda, \tau_\lambda, \lambda) \in \mathcal{A}_{\text{un}}(r) \mid \tau_\lambda^*\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{I}, (\lambda \in (\mathbf{K}^r, 0))\}.$$

Then  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{un}}(r) \subset \mathcal{E}_{\text{un}}(r)$  is  $\mathcal{G}_{\text{un}}(r)$ -invariant. Remark that  $\mathcal{F}$  and  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{un}}$  are in general non-linear.

In particular we apply the above general theory to the singularity theory of integral mappings.

Set

$$\mathcal{F} = \{f : (\mathbf{K}^n, 0) \rightarrow (\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}, 0) \mid f \text{ is integral of corank at most one.}\}$$

and  $\mathcal{G} = \{(\sigma, \tau)\}$  the group of contactomorphisms acting on  $\mathcal{F}$ . We set  $\mathcal{F}_{un}(r)$  as the space of  $r$ -parameter integral unfoldings of integral germs in  $\mathcal{F}$ , and  $\mathcal{G}_{un}(r)$  as the group of  $r$ -parameter unfoldings of contactomorphisms in  $\mathcal{G}$ . Then we have  $T_f \mathcal{F}_e = VI_f$ ,  $T_f \mathcal{F} = VI_f^0$  and  $T_1 \mathcal{G}_e = V_n \oplus VH_{2n}$ ,  $T_1 \mathcal{G} = m_n V_n \oplus (m_{2n}^{(2)} * VH_{2n})$ .

Then  $T_f \mathcal{F}_e$  is an  $\mathcal{E}_{2n+1}$ -module. If  $f$  is finite, then  $T_f \mathcal{F}_e$  is a finite  $\mathcal{E}_{2n+1}$ -module.

We consider the system of algebras:  $\mathcal{E}_{2n+1} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}_{2n+1}$  with the identity connection homomorphism. Note that  $T_1 \mathcal{G}_e = V_n \oplus VH_{2n}$  is an  $\{\mathcal{E}_{2n+1}, \mathcal{E}_{2n+1}\}$ -module by

$$H * \xi := (f^* H) \cdot \xi, \quad H * X_K := X_{HK},$$

where  $X_H$  is the contact Hamilton vector field with Hamilton function  $H$  (§5). Moreover  $T_f \mathcal{F}_e$  is an  $\{\mathcal{E}_{2n+1}, \mathcal{E}_{2n+1}\}$ -module by

$$\{H, K\} * v := H * v,$$

using the multiplication given in Proposition 6.3. (Here  $\{H, K\}$  does not mean the Poisson product, but just comes from the notion on algebra-systems used in [6] §6).

Also for unfolding spaces, module structures are defined as in Corollary 6.13.

For the Legendre versality, we set  $\mathcal{G}$  the group of Legendre equivalences  $\{(\sigma, \tau)\}$  for the Legendre fibration  $\pi : W = (\mathbf{K}^{2n+1}, 0) \rightarrow Z = (\mathbf{K}^{n+1}, 0)$ . We read as

$$VI_f = T_f \mathcal{F}_e \text{ and } tf(V_N) + wf(VL_W) = T\mathcal{G}_e \cdot f.$$

The system of algebra we consider is

$$\mathcal{E}_{n+1} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}_{2n+1} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}_{2n+1}$$

with the connection homomorphisms  $\pi^*$  and the identity respectively.

In both case we can check the axioms (1), (2) and (3).

Now, based on the above general scheme due to Damon after the modification, we give alternative proof of Theorem 2.3

*Proof of Theorems 3.2 and 2.3:* The axioms (1), (2), (3) are easily checked. We need to show the extension axiom (3') is satisfied. for the category of integral unfoldings of an integral map-germs of corank at most one, in order to apply the Mather-Damon's machine to our situation. Note that the geometric group does not involve into the axiom (3').

Let  $f : (N, x_0) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  be an integral map-germ of corank  $\leq 1$ . Let  $F : (N \times \mathbf{K}^r, (x_0, 0)) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  and  $F' : (N \times \mathbf{K}^s, (x_0, 0)) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  be integral deformations of  $f$ . We may set  $(q, p_n) \circ f = (x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, u, v)$ , for a function-germs  $u = u(x', t), v = v(x', t), x' = (x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}), t = x_n$ , after a contactomorphism. Set

$$(q, p_n) \circ F = ((q \circ F)(x', t, \lambda), (p_n \circ F)(x', t, \lambda)),$$

$$(q, p_n) \circ F' = ((q \circ F')(x', t, \mu), (p_n \circ F')(x', t, \mu)).$$

Then there exist a coordinate change on the  $q$ -space depending on  $\lambda, \mu$  such that we have

$$(q, p_n) \circ F = (x', U(x', t, \lambda), V(x', t, \lambda)),$$

$$(q, p_n) \circ F' = (x', U'(x', t, \mu), V'(x', t, \mu)),$$

with  $U(x', t, 0) = u, V(x', t, 0) = v, U'(x', t, 0) = u, V'(x', t, 0) = v$ . Then we can extend  $(q, p_n) \circ F$  and  $(q, p_n) \circ F'$  to  $H : (N \times \mathbf{K}^r \times \mathbf{K}^s, (x_0, 0, 0)) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  of form

$$H(x', t, \lambda, \mu) = (x', \tilde{U}(x', t, \lambda, \mu), \tilde{V}(x', t, \lambda, \mu))$$

by setting

$$\tilde{U}(x', t, \lambda, \mu) := U(x', t, \lambda) + U'(x', t, \mu) - u(x', t),$$

$$\tilde{V}(x', t, \lambda, \mu) := V(x', t, \lambda) + V'(x', t, \mu) - v(x', t).$$

Then we define  $F'' : (N \times \mathbf{K}^r \times \mathbf{K}^s, (x_0, 0, 0)) \rightarrow (W, w_0)$  by  $(q, p_n) \circ F'' = H$ ,  $(r \circ F'')(x_0) = r \circ f(x_0)$ , and by

$$d(r \circ F'') = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (p_i \circ F'') dx_i + \tilde{U} d\tilde{V}.$$

Here  $d$  means the exterior differential by  $x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, x_n = t$ . The last condition means that

$$\frac{\partial r \circ F''}{\partial x_i} = p_i \circ F'' + \tilde{U} \frac{\partial \tilde{V}}{\partial x_i}, \quad \frac{\partial r \circ F''}{\partial t} = \tilde{U} \frac{\partial \tilde{V}}{\partial t}.$$

We determine  $r \circ F''$  by the latter condition and  $(r \circ F'')(x_0) = r \circ f(x_0)$ . Then  $p_i \circ F''$ ,  $(1 \leq i \leq n-1)$  are determined by the former condition. Thus we have the extension  $F''$  of both  $F$  and  $F'$ .

Therefore the extension axiom (3') is satisfied. Then by the general framework we have the proof of contact and Legendre versality theorems.  $\square$

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