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**LAX REPRESENTATIONS FOR ODES AND PDES.**

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**Tipo de Atividade:** palestra

**Carga horária:** 1 hora.

**Público-alvo:** Alunos de graduação em Matemática, alunos de pós-graduação em Matemática.

**Resumo:** The modern theory of integrable systems was inspired by the discovery of the inverse scattering method. The main ingredient of this method is a Lax representation for the differential equation under investigation.

A Lax representation for a given differential equation is a relation of the form

$$(1) \quad L_t = [A, L],$$

where  $L$  and  $A$  are some linear operators, which is equivalent to the differential equation. To apply the technique of the inverse scattering method the operators  $L$  and  $A$  should depend on an additional (complex) parameter  $\lambda$ .

For the simplest models the  $\lambda$ -dependence is polynomial or rational. The first lecture is devoted to such systems. A number of carefully selected examples are presented. The main questions are: 1. Given a Lax representation, how one can it; 2. How to construct wide classes of Lax representations related to simple Lie algebras and to Kac-Moody algebras. Some related algebraic constructions are discussed.

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