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1003-17-880 **Arturo Pianzola*** (a.pianzola@ualberta.ca), Department of Mathematical Sciences,
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algebras*. Preliminary report.

I will begin by recalling the description of affine Kac-Moody Lie algebras as torsors (= principal homogeneous spaces) over the punctured algebraic line. In passing to two variables, serious but interesting difficulties take place. I will describe a complete cohomological classification of inner twisted toroidal Lie algebras, and plan of attack for the general case (join work with P. Gille). (Received September 30, 2004)