

Talk at MIT seminar

"Quantum continuous gl $\infty$  and its  
representation in equivariant K-theory  
of Hilbert scheme of points"

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• Definition: Let  $q_1, q_2, q_3$  - complex numbers, s.t.  $q_1 q_2 q_3 \neq 1, q_i \neq 1$ . We define assoc. algebra  $E$  over  $\mathbb{C}$  generated by  $e_i, f_i (i \in \mathbb{Z}), \psi_j^\pm, \psi_j^\mp (j > 0)$  and  $(\psi_0^\pm)^{\pm 1}$  with the following relations. We use generating series  $e(z) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} e_i z^{-i}, f(z) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} f_i z^{-i}, \psi^\pm(z) = \sum_{\pm i \geq 0} \psi_i^\pm z^{-i}$  and  $g(z, w) := (z - q_1 w)(z - q_2 w)(z - q_3 w)$

- (1)  $g(z, w)e(z)e(w) = -g(w, z)e(w)e(z); \quad g(w, z)f(z)f(w) = -g(z, w)f(w)f(z)$
- (2)  $g(z, w)\psi^\pm(z)e(w) = -g(w, z)e(w)\psi^\pm(z); \quad g(w, z)\psi^\pm(z)f(w) = -g(z, w)f(w)\psi^\pm(z)$
- (3)  $[e(z), f(w)] = \frac{\delta(z/w)}{g(1, 1)} (\psi^+(z) - \psi^-(z)) \quad \delta(z) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} z^n$
- (4)  $[\psi_i^\pm, \psi_j^\pm] = 0, [\psi_i^\pm, \psi_j^\mp] = 0$
- (5)  $\psi_0^\pm (\psi_0^\pm)^{-1} = (\psi_0^\pm)^{-1} \psi_0^\pm = 1$
- (6)  $[e_0, [e_1, e_{-1}]] = 0, [f_0, [f_1, f_{-1}]] = 0$

Remark: These relations should be understood as encoding relations for all  $n$ , e.g. (3) means:

$$g(1, 1) [e_i, f_j] = \begin{cases} \psi_{i+j}^+, & i+j > 0 \\ -\psi_{i+j}^-, & i+j < 0 \\ \psi_0^+ - \psi_0^-, & i+j = 0 \end{cases}$$

Remark: We can also consider  $E$  as an algebra over  $\mathbb{C}(q_1, q_2), \mathbb{C}(q_1, q_3)$  or  $\mathbb{C}(q_2, q_3)$ .

Remark: Considering  $E$  over  $\mathbb{C}(q_i, q_j)$  corresponds to generic parameters. However special cases are of **Great** interest

- If we forget relation (6) then this is so called Ding-Iohara algebra
- Obvious Lemma:
  1.  $E$  invariant under permutations of  $g_1, g_2, g_3$
  2. Elements  $\psi_0^\pm \in E$  are central
  3. There is an anti-involution of  $E$ , s.t.  
 $e(z) \rightarrow f(z), f(z) \rightarrow e(z), \psi^\pm(z) \rightarrow \psi^\mp(z)$
  4. There is a grading by  $\mathbb{Z}^2$ , s.t.  
 $\deg e_i = (1, i), \deg f_i = (-1, i), \deg \psi_i^\pm = (0, i)$
- Def: We say  $E$ -module is of level  $(l_+, l_-)$  if  $\psi_0^\pm$  act on repres. through scalars  $l_\pm$ .

## Cocomultiplication on Ding-Iohara algebra

If we forget (6) then in [DI] the formal structure of the Hopf alg. was constructed. In particular

$$(7) \quad \Delta e(z) = e(z) \otimes 1 + \psi^-(z) \otimes e(z)$$

$$(8) \quad \Delta f(z) = f(z) \otimes \psi^+(z) + 1 \otimes f(z)$$

$$(9) \quad \Delta \psi^\pm(z) = \psi^\pm(z) \otimes \psi^\pm(z)$$

! Note: The RHS above contain infinite sums, so this is not in usual sense

However on the modules we are interested in (7-9) define the action on tensor products.

## Vector representations

For a parameter  $u \in \mathbb{C}$  we consider space  $V(u)$ , spanned by  $[u]_i$  ( $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ ).

$$(1 - q_1) e(z) [u]_i = \delta(q_1^i u/z) [u]_{i+1}$$

$$-(1 - q_1^{-1}) f(z) [u]_i = \delta(q_1^{-i} u/z) [u]_{i-1}$$

$$\psi^+(z) [u]_i = \frac{(1 - q_1^i q_3 u/z) (1 - q_1^i q_2 u/z)}{(1 - q_1^i u/z) (1 - q_1^{-i} u/z)} [u]_i$$

$$\psi^-(z) [u]_i = \frac{(1 - q_1^{-i} q_3^{-1} z/u) (1 - q_1^{-i} q_2^{-1} z/u)}{(1 - q_1^{-i} z/u) (1 - q_1^{-i+1} z/u)} [u]_i$$

Thm: Those formulas define a structure of level  $(1, 1)$   $\mathcal{E}$ -module on  $V(u)$ .

Remark:  $\psi_{\pm}^{\pm}(z)$  acts on  $[u]_i$  via multiplication by expansion at  $z = \infty$  and  $z = 0$  of the function

$$\frac{(1 - q_1^i q_3^{-1} z/u) (1 - q_1^{-i} q_2^{-1} z/u)}{(1 - q_1^i z/u) (1 - q_1^{-i+1} z/u)}$$

Remark: Useful observation:

$$f(z) \delta(z/w) = f(w) \delta(z/w)$$

Proof of theorem is straightforward.

# Tensor products

- It turns out that formulas (7-9) define an action of  $E$  on  $V(u_1) \otimes \dots \otimes V(u_N)$  for generic values  $u_1, \dots, u_N$
- ! However there are some problems with poles
- For  $a = (a_1, \dots, a_N) \in \mathbb{Z}^N$  let  $u_a := \bigotimes_{s=1}^N [u_s]_{a_s} \in \bigotimes_{s=1}^N V(u_s)$ .

Lemma: Let  $A \subset \mathbb{Z}^N$  be a subset, s.t.

- $\forall a \in \mathbb{Z}^N, a' \in A$  matrix els of  $\langle u_{a'} | \frac{e(z)}{f(z)} | u_a \rangle$  are well defined
- $\forall a \in A, b \notin A$  the matrix coef.  $\langle u_b | \frac{e(z)}{f(z)} | u_a \rangle$  vanish.

Then there is a natural action of  $E$  on  $\text{span}\{u_a\}_{a \in A}$ .

Proof straightforward.

Lemma: Let  $u_1, \dots, u_N \in \mathbb{C}$ , s.t.  $\frac{u_i}{u_j} \neq q^k \forall 1 \leq i < j \leq N, k \in \mathbb{Z}$

Then the formulas (7-9) define the structure of  $E$ -module on  $V(u_1) \otimes \dots \otimes V(u_N)$ .

# Submodules of tensor products

Let  $V^N(u) := V(u) \otimes V(uq_2^{-1}) \otimes \dots \otimes V(uq_2^{-N+1})$

Set  $P^N := \{\lambda = (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_N) \in \mathbb{Z}^N \mid \lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_N\}$

Let  $W^N(u) \hookrightarrow V^N(u)$  be the subspace spanned by

$$|\lambda\rangle_u = [u]_{\lambda_1} \otimes [uq_2^{-1}]_{\lambda_2-1} \otimes \dots \otimes [uq_2^{1-N}]_{\lambda_N+1-N}.$$

Lemma:  $W^N(u)$  is a level  $(1,1)$  submodule of  $V^N(u)$ .

Upshot: So we get a representation with basis indexed by "Young diagrams of length  $\leq N$ ".  
With probably negative lengths

Our goal: Want to take  $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} W^{N,+}(u)$  to get representation with basis indexed by all Young diagrams.

To achieve this subtle changes are required.

$W^{N,+}(u)$  denotes the subspace of  $W^N(u)$  spanned by vectors  $|\lambda\rangle_u \in P^{N,+}$ , where  $P^{N,+} = \{\lambda \in P^N \mid \lambda_N \geq 0\}$

# Fock modules

• Let  $\tau_N: \mathcal{P}^{N,+} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}^{N+1,+}$  be the mapping given by  $\tau_N(\lambda) = (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_N, 0)$  (Recall  $\mathcal{P}^{N,+} = \{(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_N) \in \mathbb{Z}^N \mid \lambda_1 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_N \geq 0\}$ )

They induce the embedding  $\tau_N: W^{N,+}(u) \hookrightarrow W^{N+1,+}(u)$

Define  $\mathcal{F}(u) := \varinjlim_{N \rightarrow \infty} W^{N,+}(u)$

This space is spanned by  $\mathcal{P}^+ = \{(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots) \mid \lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \dots, \lambda_i \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall i > 0\}$  (∃ N: λ<sub>N+1</sub> = 0)

Define:

$$e^{[N]}(z) = e(z), \quad f^{[N]}(z) = \frac{1 - q_2 q_3^N u/z}{1 - q_3^N u/z} f(z),$$

$$\psi^{+[N]}(z) = \frac{1 - q_2 q_3^N u/z}{1 - q_3^N u/z} \psi^+(z), \quad \psi^{-[N]}(z) = q_2 \cdot \frac{1 - q_2^{-1} q_3^{-N} u/z}{1 - q_3^{-N} u/z} \psi^-(z)$$

Lemma: Suppose  $\lambda \in \mathcal{P}^{N,+}$ , s.t.  $\lambda_N = 0$ . Then for  $x = e, f, \psi^+, \psi^-$  we have  $x^{[N]}(z)|\lambda\rangle \in W^{N,+}(u)$  and  $\tau_N(x^{[N]}(z)|\lambda\rangle) = x^{[N+1]}(z)\tau_N(|\lambda\rangle)$ .

• Now we endow  $\mathcal{F}(u)$  with a structure of  $\mathcal{E}$ -module.

For any  $\lambda = (\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots) \in \mathcal{P}^+$  we set for  $x = e, f, \psi^+, \psi^-$

$$x(z)|\lambda\rangle = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} x^{[N]}(z)|\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_N\rangle \quad (*)$$

Theorem: Formula (\*) endows  $\mathcal{F}(u)$  with the structure of level  $(1, q_2)$   $\mathcal{E}$ -module

Corollary: The module  $\mathcal{F}(1)$  is isomorphic to the module from [FT]

Resonance case

Now assume for some  $k \geq 1, z \geq 2 (k, z \in \mathbb{Z})$   
 resonance condition  $q_1^{1-z} q_3^{k+1} = 1$  is hold.

But except for this  $q_1, q_3$ -general, i.e.  
 $q_1^n q_3^m = 1$  iff  $\exists d \in \mathbb{Z} : n = (1-z)d, m = (k+1)d.$

What is a difference?

In this case the action of  $E$  on  $W^N(u)$  becomes ill-defined.

However there is a subspace on which the action is defined.

Set  $S^{k,z,N} := \{ \lambda \in \mathcal{P}^N \mid \lambda_i - \lambda_{i+k} \geq z (1 \leq i \leq N-k) \}$

Def: Partitions  $\lambda$  satisfying this condition are called  $(k, z)$ -admissible partitions.

Let  $W^{k,z,N}(u) \hookrightarrow W^N(u)$  be the subspace spanned by  $|\lambda\rangle_{\lambda \in S^{k,z,N}}$ .

Lemma: The comultiplication rule makes  $W^{k,z,N}(u) \hookrightarrow W^N(u)$  into level  $(1, 1)$   $E$ -module.

Analogy of Fock space in resonance case

It turns out similarly to construction of Fock space one can twist the  $E$ -action on  $W^{k,z,N}$  a bit in such a way that  $W_c^{k,z}(u) := \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} W_c^{k,z,N^+}(u)$  has an  $E$ -action of level  $(1, q_3^k)$ .

Here we fix firstly a sequence of integers  $c = (c_1, \dots, c_{k-1}), j \geq 0$  s.t.  $0 = c_0 \leq c_1 \leq \dots \leq c_{k-1} \leq z$  and define the tail  $\lambda_{i+k+i}^0 = -jz - c_i (0 \leq i \leq k-1)$   
 We define  $S_c^{k,z,N^+} = \{ \lambda \in \mathcal{P} \mid \lambda_j - \lambda_{j+k} \geq z (j \geq 1), \lambda_j = \lambda_j^0 \text{ for sufficiently large } j, \lambda_j \geq \lambda_j^0 \}$   
 $W_c^{k,z}(u)$  - the subspace spanned by  $|\lambda\rangle_{\lambda \in S_c^{k,z}}$ .

# Macdonald polynomials and spherical DAHA

Definition: DAHA of type  $G_{LN}$  is a  $\mathbb{C}(q, v)$ -algebra, generated by elts  $T_i^{\pm 1}, X_j^{\pm 1}, Y_j^{\pm 1}$  ( $1 \leq i \leq N-1, 1 \leq j \leq N$ ) with rel:

$$(T_i + v^{-1})(T_i - v) = 0, \quad T_i T_{i+1} T_i = T_{i+1} T_i T_{i+1}$$

$$T_i T_k = T_k T_i \quad \text{if } |i - k| > 1$$

$$X_j X_k = X_k X_j, \quad Y_j Y_k = Y_k Y_j$$

$$T_i X_i T_i = X_{i+1}, \quad T_i^{-1} Y_i T_i^{-1} = Y_{i+1}$$

$$T_i X_k = X_k T_i, \quad T_i Y_k = Y_k T_i \quad \text{if } k \neq i, i+1$$

$$Y_1 X_1 \dots X_N = q X_1 \dots X_N Y_1$$

$$X_1^{-1} Y_2 = Y_2 X_1^{-1} T_1^{-2}$$

denote this algebra by  $\ddot{H}_N$

$$S := \frac{1}{[N]!} \sum_{w \in \mathfrak{S}_N} v^{l(w)} T_w, \quad T_w = T_{i_1} \dots T_{i_l} \quad \text{for a reduced decomposition } w$$

$\uparrow$   
idempotent

$$[N]! = \prod_{i=1}^N \frac{v^{2i} - 1}{v^2 - 1}$$

$$S \ddot{H}_N := S \ddot{H}_N S \quad \text{- spherical DAHA.}$$

Thm: For any  $N \neq 2$  surjective homomorphism of algebras  $\mathcal{E} \rightarrow S \ddot{H}_N$ , where  $q_{(\text{DAHA})} = q^{-1}, v_{(\text{DAHA})}^2 = q^{-3}$

(Proof is based on 4 facts:

• DAHA is generated by 4 elts (see [SV] & [FFJMM])

•  $\mathcal{E}$  is generated by  $e_0, \psi_i^+, f_0, \psi_i^-$  for  $c^\pm \in \mathbb{C}^*$

•  $S \ddot{H}_N$  can be faithfully represented on space  $\mathbb{C}(q, t)[X_1^{\pm 1}, \dots, X_N^{\pm 1}]^{S_N}$

•  $W^N \cong \mathbb{C}[X_1^{\pm 1}, \dots, X_N^{\pm 1}]^{S_N}$  and the action of  $e_0, f_0, \psi_i^+$  is known  
 $| \lambda \rangle \mapsto P_\lambda(x)$  - Macdonald polynomial

**Tensor products of Fock modules and  $W_n$  characters**

• Lemma: Assume that  $g_1, g_2, u_1, \dots, u_n$  -generic. Then the commultiplication rule defines on  $F(u_1) \otimes \dots \otimes F(u_n)$  a structure of an irreducible graded  $E$ -module of level  $(1, q_2^n)$ .

• However, it turns out that resonance case is of particular interest.

The resonance case usually refers to such choice of parameters, s.t. there occurs 0 in denominators. So usually the technique is following: we want to choose subrepresentation (or quotient repr.), s.t. the formulas are well defined on it.

$F(u_1) \otimes \dots \otimes F(u_n), u_i = u_{i+1} q_1^{a_i+1} q_3^{b_i+1}, a_i, b_i \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}, i = \overline{1, n-1}$

Let  $a = (a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}), b = (b_1, \dots, b_{n-1}), u_1 = u$

Define  $\mathcal{M}_{a,b}(u) := \text{span} \{ |\lambda^{(1)}\rangle, \dots, |\lambda^{(n)}\rangle \mid \lambda_s^{(i)} \geq \lambda_{s+b_i}^{(i+1)} - a_i, s \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}, i = \overline{1, n-1} \}$

Lemma: We have  $|\lambda^{(1)}\rangle, \dots, |\lambda^{(n)}\rangle \in \mathcal{M}_{a,b}(u)$  iff  $\forall i, j, s.t.$

$1 \leq i < j \leq n \quad |\lambda^{(i)}\rangle \otimes |\lambda^{(j)}\rangle \in \mathcal{M}_{a_{ij}, b_{ij}}(u_i)$ , where  $a_{ij} = \sum_{e=i}^{j-1} (a_e+1) - 1$

(Proof - straightforward).

$b_{ij} = \sum_{e=i}^{j-1} (b_e+1) - 1$

$u_i = u_j q_1^{a_{ij}+1} q_3^{b_{ij}+1}$

We define the action of operators  $\psi^\pm(z), e(z), f(z)$  on  $\mathcal{M}_{a,b}(u)$  using the action of  $E$  on the tensor product  $F(u_1) \otimes \dots \otimes F(u_n)$ .

Lemma: If  $g_1, g_2, u$  -generic then the action of  $\psi^\pm(z), e(z), f(z)$  in  $\mathcal{M}_{a,b}(u)$  is well-defined and gives an  $E$ -module

Thm: Assume  $g_1, g_2, u$ -generic. Then  $\mathcal{M}_{a,b}(u)$  is an irred., highest weight  $\mathcal{E}$ -module.

### Resonance in $g_1, g_3$

Now we already assume  $u_i = u_{i+1} g_1^{a_{i+1}} g_3^{b_{i+1}}$   
 want to impose one more degeneration.

Assume  $p, p'$  are such integers, s.t.

$$a_n = p' - 1 - \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (a_{i+1}), \quad b_n = p - 1 - \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (b_{i+1})$$

belong to  $\mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ .

Now we impose one more degeneration condition:

$$g_1^{p'} g_3^p = 1, \quad p \neq p'. \quad (\text{i.e. } g_1^x g_3^y = 1 \text{ iff } x = p'x, y = py, x \in \mathbb{Z})$$

Let  $\mathcal{M}_{a,b}^{p,p'}(u) := \text{span} \{ |\lambda^{(1)}\rangle, \dots, |\lambda^{(n)}\rangle \mid \lambda_s^{(i)} \geq \lambda_{s+b_i}^{(i+1)} - a_i, s \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}, i = \overline{1, n} \}$

Remark: We use a cyclic modulo  $n$  convention, i.e.

$$u_{n+1} = u_1, \quad \lambda^{(0)} = \lambda^{(n)} \text{ etc.}$$

Lemma: We have  $|\lambda^{(1)}\rangle, \dots, |\lambda^{(n)}\rangle \in \mathcal{M}_{a,b}^{p,p'}(u)$  iff  $\forall i, j$ , s.t.  
 $1 \leq i < j \leq n \quad |\lambda^{(i)}\rangle \otimes |\lambda^{(j)}\rangle \in \mathcal{M}_{a_{ij}, b_{ij}}^{p,p'}(u_i)$

(Proof - straightforward)

Remark: There is an obvious surj. map of linear spaces  
 $\mathcal{M}_{a,b}(u) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{a,b}^{p,p'}(u)$  sending  $|\lambda^{(1)}\rangle \rightarrow |\lambda^{(n)}\rangle$  to either  
 0 or to  $|\lambda^{(1)}\rangle \rightarrow |\lambda^{(n)}\rangle$ .

We define the action of operators  $\psi^\pm(z), e(z), f(z)$  on  $\mathcal{M}_{a,b}^{p,p'}(u)$  as the factorized action of  $\mathcal{E}$  on  $\mathcal{M}_{a,b}(u)$ .

Thm: The action of operators  $\psi^\pm(z), e(z), f(z)$  in  $M_{a,b}^{p,p'}(u)$  is well-defined and gives a structure of a graded  $E$ -module.

Thm: Assume in addition  $p > n$ . Then the  $E$ -module  $M_{a,b}^{p,p'}(u)$  is an irred. highest weight  $E$ -module.

## Characters

So to sum up the above business:

We have constructed a family of  $E$ -modules  $M_{a,b}^{p,p'}$ , where  $p, p'$  - positive integers, s.t.  $p, p' \geq n$ ,  $p' \neq p$  and  $a = (a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}), b = (b_1, \dots, b_{n-1}) \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}^{n-1}$  are such that  $\exists a_n, b_n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$  satisfying

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (a_i + 1) = p', \quad \sum_{i=1}^n (b_i + 1) = p.$$

Rmk: In force coming we will assume  $b$ -fixed,  $p' > n$  and  $a_n, b_n$  are determined from  $a, b$  as above.

The module  $M_{a,b}^{p,p'}$  has a basis labeled by the set of  $n$ -tuples of partitions:

$$P_{a,b}^{p,p'} := \{ (\lambda^{(1)}, \dots, \lambda^{(n)}) \mid \lambda^{(j)} \in \mathcal{P}^+, \lambda_j^{(i)} \geq \lambda_{j+b_i}^{(i+1)} - a_i, i=1, \dots, n, j \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} \},$$

where  $\lambda^{(i)} = (\lambda_j^{(i)})_{j \geq 0}, \lambda^{(n+1)} = \lambda^{(n)}$

In the following we study their characters

$$\chi_{a,b}^{p,p'} := \sum_{(\lambda^{(1)}, \dots, \lambda^{(n)}) \in P_{a,b}^{p,p'}} q^{\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} j \lambda_j^{(i)}}$$

• Goal: Show the characters  $\chi_{a,b}^{p,p}$  coincide with the characters of modules from the  $V_n$ -minimal series of  $sl_n$ -type, up to an overall factor corresponding to the presence of an extra Heisenberg algebra.

• For  $N \in \mathbb{Z}^n$  define the subset

$$P_{a,b}^{p,p}[N] := \{(\lambda^{(1)}, \dots, \lambda^{(n)}) \in P_{a,b}^{p,p} \mid \lambda_{N_{i+1}}^{(i)} = 0, i = \overline{1, n}\}.$$

and its character

$$\chi_{a,b}^{p,p}[N] := \sum_{(\lambda^{(1)}, \dots, \lambda^{(n)}) \in P_{a,b}^{p,p}[N]} q^{\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \lambda_j^{(i)}}$$

We set also:

o)  $\chi_{a,b}^{p,p}[N] = 0$  if  $N_i < 0$  for some  $i$ .

Lemma: The finitized characters  $\chi_{a,b}^{p,p}[N]$  satisfy

the following recursion relations for each  $i = \overline{1, n}$ :

$$(*) \chi_{a,b}^{p,p}[N] = \chi_{a,b}^{p,p}[N - \mathbf{1}_i] + q^{N_i} \chi_{a - \mathbf{1}_{i-1} + \mathbf{1}_i, b}^{p,p}[N] \quad \text{if } N_{i+1} - N_i \leq b_i \text{ \& } a_{i-1} \geq 1$$

$$(**) \chi_{a,b}^{p,p}[N] = \chi_{a,b}^{p,p}[N - \mathbf{1}_i] \quad \text{if } N_i - N_{i-1} = b_{i-1} + 1 \text{ and } a_{i-1} = 0$$

Proof: .....

Lemma: The set  $\{\chi_{a,b}^{p,p}[N] \mid N_i, a_i \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}, N_{i+1} - N_i \leq b_{i+1} \ i = \overline{1, n}\}$ .

is uniquely determined by the recursion relations  $(*)$ ,  $(**)$  along with the initial condition  $\chi_{a,b}^{p,p}[0] = 1$  and the boundary condition  $(o)$ .

# Bosonic formulas and comparison to $W_n$ -characters

• Consider  $\widehat{sl}_n$ . Denote the simple roots by  $\alpha_0, \dots, \alpha_{n-1}$  and the fundamental weights by  $\omega_0, \dots, \omega_{n-1}$ .

Set  $\rho = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \omega_i$ . Let  $W = S_n \ltimes Q$  - affine Weyl group of type  $A_{n-1}^{(1)}$ , where  $Q = \bigoplus_{i=1}^{n-1} \mathbb{Z} \alpha_i$  - classical root lattice.

Also let  $L := \bigoplus_{i=0}^{n-1} \mathbb{Z} \omega_i$  - weight lattice,

$L_p^+ = \{ \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} c_i \omega_i \mid c_0, \dots, c_{n-1} \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}, \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} c_i = p \}$  - dominant weights of level  $p$ .

The characters of the irred. modules from  $W_n$ -minimal series of  $sl_n$ -type are parametrized by a pair of dominant integral weights  $(\eta, \xi) \in L_{p-n}^+ \times L_{p-n}^+$ .

Explicitly they are given by the formulas:

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\chi}_{\eta, \xi}^{p/p} &= \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{\ell(w)} q^{\frac{p/p}{2} \left| \frac{w \cdot \xi - \eta}{p} \right|^2 + \left( \frac{w \cdot \xi - \eta}{p}, p(\xi + \rho) - p(\eta + \rho) \right)} \\ &= \sum_{\sigma \in S_n} (-1)^{\ell(\sigma)} \sum_{\alpha \in Q} q^{\frac{p/p}{2} (\alpha, \alpha) + (p\sigma(\xi + \rho) - p(\eta + \rho), \alpha) - (\xi + \rho - \sigma(\xi + \rho), \eta + \rho)} \end{aligned}$$

Here  $w \cdot \xi = w(\xi + \rho) - \rho = \sigma(\xi + \rho) - \rho + p\alpha$ , where  $w = (\sigma, \alpha)$ .

We also need their q-imitization. For  $N \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}^n$ ,  $\eta, \xi \in L$  define

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\chi}_{\eta, \xi}^{p/p} [N] &= \sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{\ell(w)} q^{\frac{p/p}{2} \left| \frac{w \cdot \xi - \eta}{p} \right|^2 + \left( \frac{w \cdot \xi - \eta}{p}, p(\xi + \rho) - p(\eta + \rho) \right)} \\ &\quad \cdot (q)_{|N|} \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(q)_{N_i - (w \cdot \xi - \eta, \omega_i - \omega_{i-1})}} \end{aligned}$$

Here  $(q)_m = \prod_{i=1}^m (1 - q^i)$  for  $m \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ ,  $|N| = \sum_{i=1}^n N_i$ ,

$1/(q)_m = 0$  if  $m < 0$ .

Lemma:

(i) For all  $\xi, \eta \in L$  and  $i = \overline{1, n}$  we have

$$\overline{\chi}_{\eta, \xi}^{p_i, p} [N] = q^{N_i} \overline{\chi}_{\eta - \omega_{i+1} + \omega_i, \xi}^{p_i, p} [N] + (1 - q^{N_i}) \overline{\chi}_{\eta, \xi}^{p_i, p} [N - 1_i].$$

(ii) If  $N_{i+1} = N_i + (\xi + \rho, \alpha_i)$  and  $(\eta + \rho, \alpha_i) = 0$  for  $i = \overline{1, n}$  then

$$\overline{\chi}_{\eta, \xi}^{p_i, p} [N] = 0$$

(iii) If  $\xi \in L_{p-n}^+$  then  $\overline{\chi}_{\eta, \xi}^{p_i, p} [0] = 1$ .

Lemma: For all  $N, a, b$ , s.t.  $N_i, a_i, b_i \geq 0$  and

$N_{i+1} - N_i \leq b_{i+1}$  for  $i = \overline{1, n}$  we have:

$$\chi_{a, b}^{p_i, p} [N] = \frac{1}{(q)_{|N|}} \overline{\chi}_{\eta, \xi}^{p_i, p} [N]$$

$$\eta = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \omega_i, \quad \xi = \sum_{i=1}^n b_i \omega_i.$$

$$a_n = p' - n - \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} a_i$$

$$b_n = p - n - \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} b_i$$

Thm: The character of the module  $M_{a, b}^{p_i, p}$  is given by

$$\chi_{a, b}^{p_i, p} = \frac{1}{(q)_{\infty}} \overline{\chi}_{\eta, \xi}^{p_i, p}, \quad \eta = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \omega_i, \quad \xi = \sum_{i=1}^n b_i \omega_i$$

The module  $M_{a, b}$  has a basis labeled by the set of

$n$ -tuples of partitions  $P_{a, b} = \{(\lambda^{(1)}, \dots, \lambda^{(n)}) \mid \lambda^{(i)} \in \mathcal{P}, \lambda_j^{(i)} \geq \lambda_{j+b_i}^{(i+1)} - a_i \text{ for } j \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}, i = \overline{1, n-1}\}$

Define their characters  $\chi_{a, b} := \sum_{(\lambda^{(1)}, \dots, \lambda^{(n)}) \in P_{a, b}} q^{\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \lambda_j^{(i)}}$

Thm: We have:

$$\chi_{a, b} = \frac{1}{(q)_{\infty}} \sum_{w \in S_n} (-1)^{l(w)} q^{(\xi + \rho - w(\xi + \rho), \eta + \rho)}$$

Proof: Since  $P_{a, b}$  as a set is a limit of the set  $P_{a, b}^{p_i, p}$  as  $p_i \rightarrow \infty$  the thm follows from the previous thm.

Hilbert scheme of points, correspondences, torus

General definition of Hilbert scheme

If  $X$ -proj. scheme over  $k$  with an ample line bundle  $\mathcal{O}_X(1)$ .

One considers the functor  $Hilb_X : Schemes \rightarrow Sets$

$$Hilb_X^P(U) = \left\{ Z \subset X \times U \left| \begin{array}{l} 1. Z \text{ -closed subscheme} \\ 2. \begin{array}{ccc} Z & \xrightarrow{\quad} & X \times U \\ \downarrow \pi & & \downarrow \pi \\ U & \xrightarrow{\quad} & U \end{array} \text{ } \pi\text{-flat} \\ 3. \chi(\mathcal{O}_{Z/U} \otimes \mathcal{O}_X(m)) = P_U(m)\text{-fixed} \end{array} \right. \right\}$$

Thm (Grothendieck): This functor is represented by a proj. scheme  $Hilb_X^P$ .

Case  $\mathbb{C}^2$

We will be interested only in the simplest case  $X = \mathbb{C}^2$ .

In this case

$$(\mathbb{C}^2)^{[n]} = \{ I \subset \mathbb{C}[x, y] \mid I\text{-ideal, } \dim_{\mathbb{C}} \mathbb{C}[x, y]/I = n \}$$

Correspondences

One considers correspondences  $P[i] \subset \coprod_n X^{[n]} \times X^{[n+i]}$  ( $i > 0$ ) consisting of all pairs of ideals  $(J_1, J_2)$  of codim  $n$  and  $n+i$  resp., s.t.  $J_2 \subset J_1$  and  $J_2/J_1$  is supported at a single point.

Analogously we define  $P[-i] \subset \coprod_n X^{[n+i]} \times X^{[n]}$  ( $i > 0$ ).

Torus action and fixed points

$T := \mathbb{C}^* \times \mathbb{C}^* \curvearrowright X^{[n]}$  for any  $n$  by  $((t_1, t_2) f)(x, y) = f(t_1^{-1}x, t_2^{-1}y)$ .

The set of fixed points  $(X^{[n]})^T$  is parametrized by Young diagrams of size  $n$ , namely  $\lambda \mapsto J_\lambda = (t_1^{\lambda_1}, t_1^{\lambda_2} t_2, \dots, t_1^{\lambda_k} t_2^{k-1}, t_2^k) \in (X^{[n]})^T$

• Equivariant K-groups

Let  $M := \bigoplus_n K^T(X^{[n]})$  it is a module over

$K^T(\cdot) = \mathbb{C}[T] = \mathbb{C}[t_1, t_2]$ . We define:

$$M := M \otimes_{K^T(\cdot)} \text{Frac}(K^T(\cdot)) = M \otimes_{\mathbb{C}[t_1, t_2]} \mathbb{C}(t_1, t_2) - \text{sum of localized K-groups}$$

There is an evident grading

$$M = \bigoplus_n M_n, M_n = K^T(X^{[n]}) \otimes_{K^T(\text{pt})} \text{Frac}(K^T(\cdot)).$$

According to the Thomason localization theorem:

$$K^T(X^{[n]}) \otimes_{K^T(\cdot)} \text{Frac}(K^T(\cdot)) \xrightarrow{\sim} K^T(X^{[n]})^T \otimes_{K^T(\cdot)} \text{Frac}(K^T(\cdot)),$$

i.e. restriction to the fixed points set induces isomorphism.

Corollary: The structure sheaves  $[\lambda]$  of T-fixed points  $J_\lambda$  form a basis in  $M$ , i.e.  $[\lambda] := (i_\lambda)_* \mathcal{O}_{J_\lambda}$ ,  $i_\lambda: J_\lambda \hookrightarrow X^{[n]}$

## Nakajima's construction

Let me recall the well known result of Nakajima.

Let us be given  $\alpha \in H_*(X)$ ,  $\beta \in H_*(X)$ .

Define for  $i > 0$ :

$$P_\alpha[i] := \pi^* \alpha \cap [P[i]], \quad P_\beta[-i] := \pi^* \beta \cap [P[-i]], \quad \text{where}$$

$\pi: P[i] \rightarrow X$  is defined by  $\pi((J_1, J_2)) = \text{Supp } J_1/J_2$ .

Thm: For any surface  $X$  we have:

$$\begin{aligned} [P_\alpha[i], P_\beta[j]] &= (-1)^{i-1} i \delta_{i+j,0} \langle \alpha, \beta \rangle \text{id} \quad \text{if } (-1)^{\deg \alpha \deg \beta} = 1 \\ \{P_\alpha[i], P_\beta[j]\} &= (-1)^{i-1} i \delta_{i+j,0} \langle \alpha, \beta \rangle \text{id} \quad \text{otherwise} \end{aligned}$$

In particular, if  $\alpha, \beta \in H_2(X)$ ,  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle \neq 0$  we get a representation of Heisenberg algebra in  $\bigoplus_n H_*(X^{[n]})$ .

Question: What about  $K$ -theory?

Motivation: In Nakajima's works on quiver varieties the role of  $K$ -theory is crucial for construction of representations of quantum groups.

Obstruction: The correspondences  $P[i]$  are not smooth generally. Hence, this construction doesn't work.

Main construction

Recall: we have 
$$\mathbb{A}^1 X^{[n]} \xleftarrow{p} P[1] \xrightarrow{q} \mathbb{A}^1 X^{[n+1]}$$

There is also the tautological vector bundle  $\underline{\mathcal{F}}$  on  $X^{[n]}$ , whose fiber at a point corresp. to ideal  $J$  equals  $\mathbb{C}[x, y]/J$ .

Introduce:  $a(z) := \Lambda^{-1/2}(\mathcal{F}) = \sum_{i \geq 0} \Lambda^i \mathcal{F} \cdot (-1/2)^i$

$$c(z) := a(zt_1) a(zt_2) a(zt_1^{-1}t_2^{-1}) a(zt_1^{-1})^{-1} a(zt_2^{-1})^{-1} a(zt_1t_2)^{-1}$$

Define:

$$e_i := q_* (L^{\otimes i} \otimes p^*): M_n \longrightarrow M_{n+1}$$

$$f_i := p_* (L^{\otimes (i-1)} \otimes q^*): M_n \longrightarrow M_{n-1}$$

Here  $L$ -tautological line bundle on  $P[1]$  with fiber  $L_{(J_1, J_2)} = \mathbb{A}^1/J_2$ .

$$e(z) = \sum_{z=-\infty}^{\infty} e_z z^{-z}: M_n \longrightarrow M_{n+1} [[z, z^{-1}]]$$

$$f(z) = \sum_{z=-\infty}^{\infty} f_z z^{-z}: M_n \longrightarrow M_{n-1} [[z, z^{-1}]]$$

$$\psi^+(z)|_{M_n} = \sum_{z=0}^{\infty} \psi_z^+ z^{-z} := \left( - \frac{1-t_1^{-1}t_2^{-1}z^{-1}}{1-z^{-1}} c(z) \right)^+ \in M_n [[z^{-1}]]$$

$$\psi^-(z)|_{M_n} = \sum_{z=0}^{\infty} \psi_z^- z^z := \left( - \frac{1-t_1^{-1}t_2^{-1}z^{-1}}{1-z^{-1}} c(z) \right)^- \in M_n [[z]]$$

Thm: The operators  $e_i, f_i, \psi_j^\pm$  define a representation of algebra  $E$  in  $M$ .

Proof: Straightforward computing at fixed points basis.

# Shuffle Algebra

Definition: The shuffle algebra  $S$  is an associative graded algebra  $S = \bigoplus_{n \geq 0} S_n$ , each graded component  $S_n$  consisting of rational functions of the form  $F(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \frac{f(x_1, \dots, x_n)}{\prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} (x_i - x_j)^2}$ , where  $f(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  - symmetric Laurent polynomial.

For  $F \in S_m, G \in S_n$  the product  $F * G \in S_{m+n}$  is defined by:

$$(F * G)(x_1, \dots, x_{m+n}) := \text{Sym} \left( F(x_1, \dots, x_m) G(x_{m+1}, \dots, x_{m+n}) \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq m+n} \lambda(x_i, x_j) \right)$$

Here  $\lambda(x, y) = \frac{(x - q_1 y)(x - q_2 y)(x - q_3 y)}{(x - y)^3}$

## Relation to positive part of $E$

Let  $A_+$  be algebra, generated by  $e_i$  ( $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ ) with relations  $e(z)e(w)(z - q_1 w)(z - q_2 w)(z - q_3 w) = -e(w)e(z)(w - q_1 z)(w - q_2 z)(w - q_3 z)$

Remark:  $A_+$  can be viewed as a "positive part" of  $E'$  (which is defined by the same relations as  $E$ , except Serre rel.)

Thm 1: For general parameters  $q_1, q_2, q_3$  there is a natural isomorphism  $\square: A_+ \rightarrow S$ , which takes  $A_+ \ni e_a \mapsto x^a \in S$ . In particular,  $S$  is generated by  $S_1$ .

Thm 2: In case  $q_1, q_2$  - generic,  $q_1 q_2 q_3 = 1$  the subalgebra  $S$ , generated by  $S_1$  consists of  $F(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ , s.t.  
 $F(x_1, \dots, x_n) = 0$  if  $x_1/x_2 = q_1, x_2/x_3 = q_2$  for  $j = 2$  or  $3$ .

Thm 3: For each  $n \geq 1$  define  $K_n \in S_n$  by  $K_1(z) = 1, K_2(z_1, z_2) = \frac{(z_1 - q_1 z_2)(z_2 - q_1 z_1)}{(z_1 - z_2)^2}, K_n(z_1, \dots, z_n) := \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} K_2(z_i, z_j)$   
 If  $q_1 q_2 q_3 = 1$  the els  $K_n \in S_n$  commute.

# Action of shuffle algebra. Macdonald ~~operators~~ polynomials

Thm: The representation of  $A_+$  in  $M$  (coming from repr. of  $\mathcal{E}$ ) in fact factors through the repr. of  $S$  in  $M$ .

## Macdonald polynomials

Let  $F := \mathbb{Q}(q, t)$ ,  $\Lambda_{(F)}$ -symmetric polynomials over  $F$ .

$\Lambda_{(F)} = F[p_1, p_2, \dots]$ , where  $p_k = \sum x_i^k$ .

For any diagram  $\lambda = (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k) = (1^{m_1} 2^{m_2} \dots)$  define

$$p_\lambda := p_{\lambda_1} \dots p_{\lambda_k}, \quad z_\lambda := \prod_{z \geq 1} z^{m_z} \cdot m_z!$$

Consider the Macdonald inner product  $(\cdot, \cdot)_{q,t}$ , s.t.

$$(p_\lambda, p_\mu)_{q,t} := \delta_{\lambda,\mu} z_\lambda \prod_{1 \leq i \leq k} \frac{1 - q^{\lambda_i}}{1 - t^{\lambda_i}}$$

Def: Macdonald polynomials  $P_\lambda$  are characterized by:

1)  $P_\lambda = m_\lambda + \text{lower terms}$  (say  $m_{(2,1)}(x_1, x_2) = x_1^2 x_2 + x_1 x_2^2$ )

2)  $(P_\lambda, P_\mu)_{q,t} = 0$  if  $\lambda \neq \mu$ .

Let  $e_z$  -  $z^{\text{th}}$  elementary symmetric function

Pieri formula:  $P_\mu e_z = \sum_\lambda \psi_{\lambda/\mu} P_\lambda$ , where the sum is taken over  $\lambda$ , s.t.  $\lambda/\mu$  is a vertical  $z$ -strip. The values  $\psi_{\lambda/\mu}$  are following

$$\psi_{\lambda/\mu} = \prod \frac{(1 - q^{m_i - m_j} t^{j-i-1}) (1 - q^{\lambda_i - \lambda_j} t^{j-i+1})}{(1 - q^{m_i - m_i} t^{j-i}) (1 - q^{\lambda_i - \lambda_j} t^{j-i})}, \quad \text{where the}$$

product is taken over all pairs  $(i, j)$ , s.t.  $i < j$  &  $\lambda_i = m_i, \lambda_j = m_j + 1$ .

# Operators $K_i$ : Heisenberg action

## • Action of $K_i$

It turns out the action of  $K_i$  looks very similar to Pieri formulas. This is not a coincidence, since after renormalizing

$$[\lambda] \mapsto \langle \lambda \rangle := C_\lambda \cdot [\lambda], \quad C_\lambda = \left( \frac{t_2}{1-t_2} \right)^{|\lambda|} \frac{1}{t_1} \sum_{\nu} \frac{\chi(\lambda, \nu)}{z} \prod_{\alpha \in \lambda} (1-t_1^{l(\alpha)} t_2^{-a(\alpha)-1})^{-1}$$

Thm: Let  $\mu, \lambda$  be two Young diagrams, s.t.  $|\lambda| - |\mu| = n$ .

If  $\lambda/\mu$  is not a vertical  $n$ -strip then  $K_n \langle \mu, \lambda \rangle = 0$ . Otherwise,

$$\frac{1}{d_1 \dots d_n} K_n \langle \mu, \lambda \rangle = \psi_{\lambda/\mu} |_{q_i = t_1, t_i = t_2^i}. \quad (d_n = \frac{(-t_1)^{n-1}}{(1-t_1)(1-t_2)})$$

## • Heisenberg algebra action

Consider operators  $\tilde{K}_i := \frac{1}{d_1 \dots d_i} K_i$

The following identity of generalized functions is well-known

$$1 + \sum_{i \geq 1} e_i z^i = \exp \left( \sum_{i \geq 1} \frac{(-1)^{i-1}}{i} p_i z^i \right)$$

Hence if we identify  $M$  with Fock space over  $p_i$  then

$\tilde{K}_i$  are vertex operators over half of the Heisenberg alg.  $\{h_i\}_{i \geq 0}$

So we received an action of positive part of Heisenberg alg.

Starting from  $f_i$  instead of  $e_i$  will give  $\{h_i\}_{i \leq 0}$ .

Disadvantage: We don't know explicit formulas for  $K_i$  in terms of  $x^{j_1} * x^{j_2} * \dots * x^{j_i}$

Specialization: It was known that in case of equiv. homology the fixed points basis gets identified with Jack polynomials. However, it is straightforward to see that under specialization  $q_i = t^i, t \rightarrow 1$  we get the same formulas for normalization  $[\lambda] \mapsto \langle \lambda \rangle$ , which agrees with the fact that  $P_\lambda^{(q, t)} \xrightarrow{\text{degenerates}} J^{(\alpha)}$  under above specialization

## Whittaker vector

Consider  $v := \sum_{n \geq 0} [\partial_{x^{(n)}}] \in \hat{M}$  (completion of  $M$ ).

Consider  $\tilde{K}_{-n} := \frac{1}{d_1 \dots d_n} K_{-n}$

Thm:  $\tilde{K}_{-n}(v) = \tilde{C}_n \cdot v$ ,  $\tilde{C}_n = \frac{(1-t_2)^n}{(1-t_2) \dots (1-t_2^n)}$ .

Corollary:  $\eta_{-i}(v) = \alpha_i \cdot v$ ,  $\alpha_i = (-1)^{i-1} \frac{(1-t_2)^i}{1-t_2^i}$

Rmk: In case of cohomology we also get that  $v$ -eigenvector for  $\eta_{-i} \forall i \geq 0$ . However in that case  $\eta_{-i} v = 0 \forall i > 1$ .

We call  $v$  a "Whittaker vector".

# Schiffmann & Vasserot

Th 1: a) There is an isom. of a certain 1-dim central extension  $E_c$  of the spherical DAHA  $S\ddot{H}_\infty$  of type  $G_{L_\infty}$  and convolution subalg.  $H_k$ .

b) As an  $E_c$ -module,  $L_k$  is isom. to the standard repres. on the space of symmetric polynomials  $\Lambda_k = K[x_1, x_2, \dots]^{S_\infty}$

Th 2: a) For any  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$  the virtual class  $\Lambda(\nu_k)$  belongs to  $H_k$

b) Under the isom.  $L_k \cong \Lambda_k$  the action of these operators is:

$$1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} \tau_n^* \otimes \Lambda(\nu_n) z^n = \exp \left( - \sum_{n \geq 1} (-1)^n \frac{1-t_1^n t_2^n}{1-t_1^n} p_n \frac{z^n}{n} \right)$$

$$1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} \Lambda \left( \frac{t_1}{t_2} \nu_{-n}^* \right) z^n = \exp \left( - \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{1-t_1^n t_2^n}{1-t_2^n} \frac{\partial}{\partial p_n} \cdot \frac{z^{-n}}{n} \right).$$

So the elts  $\tau_n^* \otimes \Lambda(\nu_n)$ ,  $\Lambda \left( \frac{t_1}{t_2} \nu_{-n}^* \right)$  generate a Heis. subalgebra of  $H_k$ .

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Approach by Schiffmann & Vasserot

• In the previous papers the authors considered  $\overset{**}{SH}_\infty :=$  stable limit of  $\varprojlim SH_n^+$ .

Now let's consider a subalgebra of a convolution algebra:

$$H_K \subset E_K := \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \prod_n K^T(\text{Hilb}_{n+k} \times \text{Hilb}_n) \otimes_{K^*} K^{\text{localized}} = \mathbb{C}(t_1, t_2)$$

generated by  $e_i, f_i, \psi_i^\pm$

Thm: The subalgebra  $H_K$  (of a convolution algebra) is isomorphic to algebra  $E_{c=(1, \frac{q}{t_1} \pm t_2^{1/2})}$ , where  $E_c$  is defined by generators and relations and, it is proved in [SV]  $E_{c=(1,1)} \cong SH_{loc}$ .

Definition:  $\hat{E}$  - the  $K$ -alg., generated by  $u_x, z_x$  ( $x \in \mathbb{Z}^* = \mathbb{Z}^2 \setminus \{(0,0)\}$ ) modulo relations:  $\mathbb{C}(\delta^{1/2}, \tilde{\delta}^{1/2})$  ( $\delta, \tilde{\delta}$  - formal variables)

a)  $z_x$  - central  $\forall x$ ,  $z_{x+y} = z_x z_y$

b) If  $x, y$  belong to the same line in  $\mathbb{Z}^2$  then:

$$[u_y, u_x] = \frac{z_x - z_x^{-1}}{\alpha_{dx}}$$

if  $x = -y$ ,  $[u_y, u_x] = 0$  else, where

$d(x)$  - greatest common divisor of  $i, j$  ( $x = (i, j)$ ),  $\alpha_n = (1 - (\delta\tilde{\delta})^{-n})(1 - \delta^n)(1 - \tilde{\delta}^n)/n$

c) If  $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}^*$ , s.t.  $d(x) = 1$  and  $\Delta_{x,y}$  has no interior lattice point then

$$[u_y, u_x] = E_{x,y} z_{\alpha(x,y)} \frac{\partial_{x,y}}{\alpha^{\pm 1}}, \text{ where } \alpha(x,y) = \begin{cases} E_x(E_x X + E_y Y - E_{x+y}(X+Y))/2, & E_{x,y} = 1 \\ E_y(E_x X + E_y Y - E_{x+y}(X+Y))/2, & E_{x,y} = -1 \end{cases}$$

(where  $E_{x=(i,j)} = 1$  if  $i > 0$  or  $i = 0, j > 0$  and  $E_x = -1$  otherwise  
 $E_{x,y} := \text{sgn}(\det(x,y))$  for non-collinear elts  $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}^*$ )

and elts  $\partial_z$  ( $z \in \mathbb{Z}^*$ ) are given by  $\sum_i \partial_{ix} S^i = \exp(\sum_{z \in \mathbb{Z}^*} \alpha_z u_{zx} S^z)$   
 for any  $x_0 \in \mathbb{Z}^*$ , s.t.  $d(x_0) = 1$ . ( $C = (z_{0,1}, z_{1,0})$ )

# Virtual classes and their action on $K^T(\text{Hilb})$ - by Schiff & Vass.

- Consider the virtual vector bundle  $\mathcal{V}$  over  $\text{Hilb} \times \text{Hilb}$  with fiber  $\mathcal{V}|_{(I,J)} = \chi(\mathcal{O}) - \chi(I,J)$ , where  $\chi(F,G) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \text{Ext}^i(F,G)$  for any coh. sheaves  $F, G$  on  $\mathbb{A}^2$ .

Thus we have an  $R$ -algebra  $E_R = \prod_n \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} K^T(\text{Hilb}_{n+k} \times \text{Hilb}_n)$  acts on the  $R$ -module  $L_R = \bigoplus_{n \geq 0} K^T(\text{Hilb}_n)$

Let  $\mathcal{V} = [\mathcal{V}]$  - class in  $E_R$ . Let  $\mathcal{V}_{n,m}$  be the restriction of  $\mathcal{V}$  to  $K^T(\text{Hilb}_n \times \text{Hilb}_m)$  and consider elts of  $E_R$ :

$$\mathcal{V}_k = \prod_n \mathcal{V}_{k+n,n}, \quad \mathcal{V}_{-k}^* = \prod_n \mathcal{V}_{n,n+k} \quad k > 0.$$

Lemma: These classes  $\Lambda(\mathcal{V}_k), \Lambda(\frac{t_1}{t_2} \mathcal{V}_{-k}^*)$  are supported on the union of nested Hilbert schemes  $\coprod_{n,m} Z_{n,m}$

Remark: The functor  $\Lambda: K^T(X) \rightarrow K^T(X)$  is defined on bundles  $\Lambda[\mathcal{V}] = \sum_{i \geq 0} (-1)^i [\Lambda^i(\mathcal{V})]$  and hence uniquely descends on  $K^T(X)$ .

Since  $R = \mathbb{C}[\frac{t_1}{t_2}, \frac{t_2}{t_1}]$ ,  $K = \mathbb{C}(\frac{t_1}{t_2}, \frac{t_2}{t_1})$  we have a natural embedding  $E_R \subset E_K$ .

Define:  $\Lambda^+(\mathcal{V})(z) = 1 + \sum_{k \geq 1} \Lambda(\mathcal{V}_k) z^k \in E_R[[z]]$

$$\Lambda^-(\mathcal{V})(z) = 1 + \sum_{k \geq 1} \Lambda(\frac{t_1}{t_2} \mathcal{V}_{-k}^*) z^{-k} \in E_R[[z^{-1}]]$$

$$a_{\ell,0} := \begin{cases} t_2^{-\ell/2} \Omega(u_{\ell,\ell}) & , \ell > 0 \\ t_1^{\ell/2} \Omega(u_{\ell,0}) & , \ell < 0 \end{cases}, \text{ where}$$

$$\Omega = \mathcal{E}_c \xrightarrow{\sim} H_k$$

# Main theorem on virtual classes

Thm: We have

$$\Lambda^+(\mathcal{V})(z) = \exp\left(-\sum_{n \geq 1} (-1)^n (1 - t_1^n t_2^n) a_{n,0} \frac{z^n}{n}\right)$$

$$\Lambda^-(\mathcal{V})(z) = \exp\left(-\sum_{n \geq 1} (1 - t_1^n t_2^n) a_{-n,0} \frac{z^n}{n}\right).$$

Corollary: As operators in  $L_K \cong \Lambda_K$  we have

$$1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} \tau_n^* \otimes \Lambda(\mathcal{V}_n) z^n = \exp\left(-\sum_{n \geq 1} (-1)^n \frac{1 - t_1^n t_2^n}{1 - t_1^n} p_n \frac{z^n}{n}\right)$$

$$1 + \sum_{n \geq 1} \Lambda(t_1 t_2 \mathcal{V}_{-n}^*) z^n = \exp\left(-\sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{1 - t_1^n t_2^n}{1 - t_2^n} \frac{\partial}{\partial p_n} \frac{z^{-n}}{n}\right)$$

Here  $\tau_n^* \otimes \Lambda(\mathcal{V}_n) = \prod_k \tau_{n+k,k}^* \otimes \Lambda(\mathcal{V}_{n+k,k})$ ,  $\tau_{n+k,k}$  w.r.t. to "nested Hib. scheme", i.e.  $\{I, J\}$  ideals, s.t.  $I \subset J$ , but not supp  $\frac{J}{I} = \emptyset$ .

Rmk: Here  $\Lambda_K = K[x_1, x_2, \dots]^{S_\infty}$  and we use the fact that

$L_K \cong \Lambda_K$  as an  $E_c$ -module.

Thm: The shuffle algebra  $\mathcal{S}$  is isomorphic to a "positive half" of  $E_c^{\geq 0}$  (the subalgebra of  $\hat{E}_c$  generated by  $u_{(i,j)}, j \in \mathbb{Z}$ )

Nakajima's formulas in cohomology:

$$1 + \sum_{k \geq 1} [z_k] z^k = \exp\left(-\sum_{n \geq 1} (-1)^n \frac{p_n}{n} z^n\right)$$

$$1 + \sum_{k \geq 1} [z_{-k}] z^k = \exp\left(-\sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{1}{n} \frac{\partial}{\partial p_n} z^n\right)$$

Gieseker moduli space:  $M(r, n)$  - the framed moduli space of torsion free sheaves on  $\mathbb{P}^2$  with rank  $r$  and  $c_2 = n$ , which parametrizes isom. classes  $(E, \mathcal{F})$ , s.t.

(1)  $E$  - torsion free sheaf of rk  $E = r$ ,  $\langle c_2(E), [\mathbb{P}^2] \rangle = n$ , which is loc. free in a nbhd of  $\ell_\infty = \{[0:z_1:z_2] \in \mathbb{P}^2\}$ .

(2)  $\mathcal{F}: E|_{\ell_\infty} \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathcal{O}_{\ell_\infty}^{\oplus r}$  is an isom., called "framing at infinity"