

Si Li B-model

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- Classical aspects of B-model
- Quantum aspects of B-model
- Open-closed and large N duality
- Worldsheet B-model

§ 1. Introduction

Mirror symmetry: duality of SCFT



Symplectic Geometry (A-model) $\xleftrightarrow{\text{Fourier}}$ Complex Geometry (B-model)

$\int_{\text{Map}(\Sigma, X)} (\text{A-model})$

↓ localize

$\int_{\text{Holom}(\Sigma, X)}$

Gromov-Witten type

$\int_{\text{Map}(\Sigma, \tilde{X})} (\text{B-model})$

↓ localize

$\int_{\text{Const.}(\Sigma, \tilde{X})}$

Hodge type theory

String description (world-sheet theory)



String field theory: describe string in the lagrangian of QFT.

String Fock space $\longrightarrow$ String field

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dynamics



String field

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$S[\gamma]$ string field action



Zwiebach 1992 Closed string field theory is described by a string action

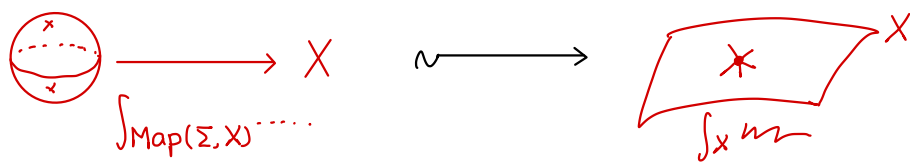
which contains ∞ number of vertices, s.t. BV master eqt.

In particular, $g=0$ string field $\implies L_\infty$ -alg.

Zwiebach 1997 Open string field via A_∞ -alg. & open-closed quantum master eqt. via moduli of bordered Riemann surfaces.

B-model: B-twisted TFT/topo. string

"localized around const. maps" $\rightsquigarrow$ "local" string field action.



Witten 1992: A-model open string field = CS + instantons
B-model open string field = Hol CS on CY3
 (and speculate that theory is finite).

BCOV 1994 B-model on CY3 as gauge theory. "Kodaira-Spencer gravity"

Egt. of motion = deformatⁿ of cpx. str. $\xrightarrow[\text{Calabi conj.}]{\text{Yau.}}$ Ricci flat metrics

- leading cubic vertex of Zwiebach's string action in topo. B-model.
- Barannikov-Kontsevich construction of Frobenius mfd.
 (via polyvector fields)

Costello-Li 2012. Full string action B-model on CY of arbitrary dim.
 s.t. BV master egt. (odd version of Hamilton-Jacobi) $\leadsto$ BCOV.

Costello-Li 2015, 2016 B-model open-closed coupling in large N limit
 and twisted supergravity.

Convention $\mathbb{Z}$ -graded v.s. $V = \bigoplus_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} V_m \ni a$ $\deg |a| = m$

deg. shift $V[n]$ w/ $V[n]_m = V_{n+m}$: $\leftarrow$ move left

$$\text{Sym}^m(V) = V^{\otimes m} / a \otimes b - (-1)^{|a||b|} b \otimes a$$

$$\wedge^m(V) = V^{\otimes m} / a \otimes b + (-1)^{|a||b|} b \otimes a$$

$$\text{Sym}^m(V[1]) = \wedge^m(V)[m]$$

$$\text{Sym}(V) = \bigoplus_m \text{Sym}^m(V) \quad \widehat{\text{Sym}}(V) = \prod_m \text{Sym}^m(V)$$

§2 Calabi-Yau Geometry X^{dc} w/ T_X holo. tangent bdl

$$PV(X) = \bigoplus_{i,j} PV^{i,j}(X) := \Omega^{0,j}(X, \wedge^i T_X)$$

$$\mu \stackrel{\text{loc}}{=} \sum_{\substack{I=1 \\ |I|=i}}^{\text{loc}} \mu_I^i d\bar{z}^I \otimes \partial_{\bar{z}^I} \quad \begin{array}{l} I = \{k_1, \dots, k_i\} \\ J = \{s_1, \dots, s_j\} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \partial_{\bar{z}^I} = \partial_{\bar{z}^{k_1}} \wedge \dots \wedge \partial_{\bar{z}^{k_i}} \\ d\bar{z}^J = d\bar{z}^{s_1} \wedge \dots \wedge d\bar{z}^{s_j} \end{array}$$

$$|\mu| = i + j \quad \text{total deg.}$$

$$(\text{wedge}) \text{ product} \quad PV^{i_1, j_1}(X) \otimes PV^{i_2, j_2}(X) \xrightarrow{\wedge} PV^{i_1+i_2, j_1+j_2}(X)$$

$$(PV(X), \wedge) \text{ graded comm. alg.} \quad \alpha \wedge \beta = (-1)^{|\alpha||\beta|} \beta \wedge \alpha$$

$$\bar{\partial} : PV^{i,j}(X) \longrightarrow PV^{i,j+1}(X) \quad \bar{\partial}(\alpha \wedge \beta) = (\bar{\partial}\alpha) \wedge \beta + (-1)^{|\alpha|} \alpha \wedge \bar{\partial}\beta$$

Def: Calabi-Yau manifold (X, Ω_X) w/ Ω_X nowhere vanishing holo. vol. form

$$\Omega_X = e^{q(z)} dz^1 \wedge \dots \wedge dz^d \quad \text{in loc. holo. coord. on } X$$

$$\leadsto \text{linear isom.} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} PV^{i,j} & \xrightarrow[\sim]{\lrcorner \Omega_X} & \Omega^{d-i,j} \\ \mu & \mapsto & \mu \lrcorner \Omega_X \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} PV^{i,j} & \xrightarrow{\partial_{\bar{\Omega}}} & PV^{i-1,j} \\ \lrcorner \Omega_X \downarrow \S & & \S \downarrow \lrcorner \Omega_X \end{array}$$

$$\leadsto \text{divergent} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} \partial_{\bar{\Omega}} : PV^{i,j} & \longrightarrow & PV^{i-1,j} \\ \Omega^{d-i,j} & \xrightarrow{\partial} & \Omega^{d-i+1,j} \end{array}$$

Note: $PV^{i,j} \xrightarrow{\partial_{\bar{\Omega}}} PV^{i-1,j}$ NOT a derivation

$$\begin{aligned} \{\alpha, \beta\} &:= \partial_{\bar{\Omega}}(\alpha \wedge \beta) - (\partial_{\bar{\Omega}}\alpha) \wedge \beta - (-1)^{|\alpha|} \alpha \wedge \partial_{\bar{\Omega}}\beta \quad \text{BV alg.} \\ &= -(-1)^{|\alpha|} [\alpha, \beta]_{SN} \quad \text{Schouten-Nijenhuis bracket.} \end{aligned}$$

Note: $\{-, -\} : PV^{i_1, j_1}(X) \otimes PV^{i_2, j_2}(X) \longrightarrow PV^{i_1+i_2-1, j_1+j_2}(X)$

intrinsically def^d. (indep. of Ω_X)

From $\{-, -\}$ to $\partial_{\bar{\Omega}}$, or Ω_X , $\sim$ BV quantizatⁿ.

Properties: $\{\alpha, \beta\} = (-1)^{|\alpha||\beta|} \{\beta, \alpha\}$

$$\{\alpha, \beta \wedge \gamma\} = \{\alpha, \beta\} \wedge \gamma + (-1)^{|\alpha||\beta|} \{\alpha, \gamma\} \wedge \beta$$

$$\{\{\alpha, \beta\}, \gamma\} = -(-1)^{|\alpha|} \{\alpha, \{\beta, \gamma\}\} + (-1)^{(|\alpha|+1)|\beta|} \{\beta, \{\alpha, \gamma\}\}$$

Namely, $(PV, \bar{\partial}, \partial_{\bar{\Omega}}, \{-, -\})$ is dGBV alg.

Trace $\text{Tr} : PV(X) \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$

$$\text{Tr}(\mu) = \int_X (\mu \lrcorner \Omega_X) \wedge \Omega_X, \text{ only non-trivial for } PV^{d,d}$$

$$\text{Ex. } \text{Tr}((\bar{\partial}\alpha)\beta) = -(-1)^{|\alpha|} \text{Tr}(\alpha(\bar{\partial}\beta))$$

$$\text{Tr}((\partial_{\bar{\Omega}}\alpha)\beta) = (-1)^{|\alpha|} \text{Tr}(\alpha(\partial_{\bar{\Omega}}\beta))$$

Deformation theory and local moduli

X cpt Kähler $\mathcal{M}^{cx} \stackrel{\text{locally}}{=} \{ \mu \in PV^u(X)_{|| \cdot || < \epsilon} \mid \bar{\partial} \mu + \frac{1}{2} \{ \mu, \mu \} = 0, \bar{\partial}^* \mu = 0 \}$ $\swarrow$ gauge fixing

[Bogomolov-Tian-Todorov]

X cpt. Kähler CY $\Rightarrow \mathcal{M}^{\text{cx}}$ smooth, tangent sp. $H^1(X, T_X)$.

Extended moduli space $\mathcal{M} \stackrel{\text{loc.}}{=} \{ \bar{\partial} \mu + \frac{1}{2} \{ \mu, \mu \} = 0, \bar{\partial}^* \mu = 0 \}$, not nec. type (1,1)

[Barannikov - Kontsevich] $\mathcal{M}$ smooth

Pf. $\alpha, \beta \in \text{Ker } \partial_\Omega \subset \text{PV}$

$$\{d, \beta\} = \partial_\Omega(d \wedge \beta) - \cancel{(\partial_\Omega d) \wedge \beta} - (-1)^{|\alpha|} d \wedge \cancel{\partial_\Omega \beta} \in \text{Im } \partial_\Omega \subset \text{Ker } \partial_\Omega$$

$$(Ker \partial, \bar{\partial}, \{-, -\}) \xhookrightarrow{\quad} (PV, \bar{\partial}, \{-, -\})$$

dgla (shifted) dgla

$$\mathcal{P}V(X) \stackrel{\text{harmonic}}{=} \mathbb{H} \simeq \text{Ker } \partial_\Omega / \text{Im } \partial_\Omega \simeq \text{Ker } \bar{\partial} / \text{Im } \bar{\partial} \quad (\because \text{Kähler})$$

$$\overline{\partial}(\text{Ker } \partial_\Omega) \subset \text{Im } \partial_\Omega \quad (\partial\overline{\partial}\text{-lemma})$$

$$(Ker \partial, \bar{\partial}, \{-, -\}) \xrightarrow[\text{harmonic proj.}]{\pi} (H, 0, 0) \quad \text{dgl a homo.}$$

$$(PV, \bar{\partial}, \{-, -\}) \xrightarrow[\text{q. isom.}]{j} (Ker \partial, \bar{\partial}, \{-, -\}) \xrightarrow[\text{q. isom.}]{\pi} (H, \circ, \circ)$$

§3 Period map (X, Ω_X) cpt. Kähler CY

$$\begin{array}{l} \mu \in PV^{1,1}(X) \\ \text{s.t. } \bar{\partial}\mu + \frac{1}{2}\{\mu, \mu\} = 0 \end{array} \mapsto [X_\mu] \in \mathcal{M}_X^{\text{cpx}} \quad \text{local moduli of cpx str. on } X$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mu = \sum_{i,j} \mu_{\bar{j}}^i d\bar{z}^j \otimes \partial_{z^i} & \implies & dz^i + \mu \lrcorner dz^i = dz^i + \sum_j \mu_{\bar{j}}^i dz^j = e^\mu \lrcorner dz^i \\ \text{wrt } \{z^i\} \text{ loc. holo. coord. on } X & & \text{loc. basis of (1,0)-forms in } X_\mu \end{array}$$

$$H^d_{\text{ét}}(X) \supset H^d(X_{\mu}) \quad \exists \text{ Gauss-Manin (flat) connection } \nabla^{\text{GM}}$$

$$\downarrow \quad \quad \downarrow$$

$$\mathcal{M}_X^{\text{cx}} \quad \ni \quad [X_\mu] \quad \leadsto \text{identify } H^d(X_\mu) \simeq H^d(X) = H^d(X, \mathbb{C}) \text{ loc. on } \mathcal{M}_X^{\text{cx}}$$

$$\mathcal{H}^d \supset F^p \mathcal{H}^d \text{ holom. subbd. w/ fiber } \bigoplus_{k \geq p} H^{k, d-k}(X_\mu)$$

In particular, $L = F^n H^d$ holo. line bdl., called vacuum line bdl.

period map

period map

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{M}_X^{cx} & \xrightarrow{\text{Loc. Torelli}} & \mathbb{P}(H^d(X, \mathbb{C})) \\ [X_\mu] & \mapsto & [\Omega_{X_\mu}] \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Tot}(L \setminus \{0\}) = \hat{\mathcal{M}}^{cx} & \xrightarrow{[X_\mu, \Omega_{X_\mu}] \mapsto [\Omega_{X_\mu}]} & H^d(X, \mathbb{C}) \\ \mathbb{C}^x\text{-bdl.} / \mathcal{M}_X^{cx} \downarrow & & \\ \mathcal{M}^{cx} & & \end{array}$$

CY3 $(X, \Omega_X) \leadsto H^3(X, \mathbb{C})$ w/ cx. sympl. form $\omega(d, \beta) = \int_X d \wedge \beta$
 $F^2 H^3 = H^{3,0} \oplus H^{2,1} \subset H^3$ Lagr. subsp.

$\leadsto$ Lagr. subbd. $F^2 \mathcal{H}^3 \subset \mathcal{H}^3, \omega$ sympl. vector bdl.
 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow$
 $\mathcal{M}^{cx} = \mathcal{M}^{cx}$ $\nabla^{GM} \omega = 0$

Prop. $\hat{\mathcal{M}}^{cx} \hookrightarrow H^3(X, \mathbb{C})$ Lagr. submfd.
 (reason: Griffiths transversality)

Choose linear Lagr. $\mathcal{L} \subset H^3(X, \mathbb{C})$, transverse to $F^2 H^3$

$\Rightarrow H^3 = T^*(F^2 H^3)$ as sympl. v.s.
 $\uparrow$ Lagr.
 $\hat{\mathcal{M}}^{cx} \Rightarrow \hat{\mathcal{M}}^{cx} = \text{Graph}(d\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_0) \quad \exists \text{ holo. } \hat{\mathcal{F}}_0: \underbrace{H^{3,0} \oplus H^{2,1}}_{F^2 H^3} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$

Eg. $\mathcal{L} = H^{1,2} \oplus H^{0,3}$ cpx. conjugate splitting.

$\leadsto \hat{\mathcal{M}}^{cx} = \{(t^0, t^i, \partial_{t^i} \hat{\mathcal{F}}_0, \partial_{t^0} \hat{\mathcal{F}}_0)\}$
 $\hat{\mathcal{F}}_0$ has homog. deg. 2 wrt $\mathbb{C}^x \curvearrowright \hat{\mathcal{M}}^{cx}, \hat{\mathcal{M}}^{cx}/\mathbb{C}^x = \mathcal{M}^{cx}$

$\Rightarrow \hat{\mathcal{F}}_0 = (t^0)^2 \mathcal{F}_0(\tau^i)$ where $\tau^i := t^i/t^0$ loc. coord on $\mathcal{M}^{cx}$

Geometrically, $\mathcal{F}_0 \in \Gamma(\mathcal{M}^{cx}, L^{\otimes(-2)})$, called **prepotential**

$\leadsto \hat{\mathcal{M}}^{cx} = \{t^0(1, \tau^i, \partial_{\tau^i} \mathcal{F}_0, 2\mathcal{F}_0 - \tau^i \partial_{\tau^i} \mathcal{F}_0)\}$

i.e. $[\Omega_{\mathcal{L}}] = (1, \tau^i, \partial_{\tau^i} \mathcal{F}_0, 2\mathcal{F}_0 - \tau^i \partial_{\tau^i} \mathcal{F}_0)$

Yukawa coupling $c_{ijk}(\tau) = \int_X \nabla_{\tau^i}^{GM} [\Omega_{\mathcal{L}}] \wedge \nabla_{\tau^j}^{GM} \nabla_{\tau^k}^{GM} [\Omega_{\mathcal{L}}] \stackrel{Ex}{=} \partial_{\tau^i} \partial_{\tau^j} \partial_{\tau^k} \mathcal{F}_0(\tau)$

Deformation theory for pairs (X, Ω_X) , any dim d

deform $X \sim \mu \in PV^{1,1}(X)$, $\bar{\partial}\mu + \frac{1}{2}\{\mu, \mu\} = 0$

$\leadsto X_\mu$ w/ holo. (1,0)-form $e^\mu \lrcorner dz^i$'s

$\leadsto$ non-vanishing (d,0)-form $e^\mu \lrcorner \Omega_X$ ($\because e^\mu \lrcorner (d \wedge \beta) = (e^\mu \lrcorner d) \wedge (e^\mu \lrcorner \beta)$)

$\leadsto \exists$ smooth fu. ρ , $d(e^\rho e^\mu \lrcorner \Omega_X) = 0 \leadsto$ holom. vol. form

$\Leftrightarrow \bar{\partial}\mu + \frac{1}{2}\{\mu, \mu\} = 0 \quad \& \quad \bar{\partial}\rho + \partial_\Omega \mu + \{\mu, \rho\} = 0 \quad (*)$

§4 Extended period map

$Q = \bar{\partial} + t \partial_{\Omega}$ w/ t formal variables, $\deg t = 2$ ($\sim$ gravitational descendant)

$$(*) \iff Q \hat{\mu} + \frac{1}{2} \{ \hat{\mu}, \hat{\mu} \} = 0 \quad \text{w/} \quad \hat{\mu} = \mu + t \rho \quad (\mu \in PV^1, \rho \in PV^{0,0})$$

$(PV, \bar{\partial}, \{ -, - \}) \leadsto$ extended moduli of X

$(PV[[t]], Q, \{ -, - \}) \leadsto$ extended moduli of CY geometry

Remark: $(PV[[t]], Q)$ homological replacement of $(Ker \partial, \bar{\partial})$.

$$Ker \partial \longrightarrow [PV \xrightarrow{t\partial} tPV \xrightarrow{t\partial} t^2PV \xrightarrow{t\partial} \dots]$$

Question: $(*)$ as Euler-Lagrange eqt. ?

$\overline{BCOV}$ on CY3 for $\mu \in Ker \partial \leftarrow$ not local!

$\bar{\partial}\mu + \frac{1}{2} \{ \mu, \mu \} = 0$ as EL-eqt. of KS Kodaira-Spencer action

$$Q \hat{\mu} + \frac{1}{2} \{ \hat{\mu}, \hat{\mu} \} = 0 \quad (\text{not EL-eqt})$$

$\downarrow \exists L_{\infty}$ -transf. of dgla (Costello-Li) uses period map

$$Q \hat{\mu} + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} l_k(\mu^{\otimes k}) = 0 \quad \text{EL-eqt, } \exists \text{ action fcl.}$$

Def. $S(X) = S_+(X) \oplus S_-(X)$ as

$$PV(X)((t))[2] = PV(X)[[t]][2] \oplus t^{-1}PV(X)[t^{-1}][2]$$

Note: $(S_+(X), Q) \subset (S(X), Q)$ sub-cpx.

Def: $\omega: S(X) \otimes S(X) \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$

$$\begin{aligned} \omega(f(t)\alpha, g(t)\beta) &:= \text{Tr} \alpha \beta \cdot \text{Res}_{t=0} f(t)g(-t)dt \\ &= -(-1)^{|\alpha||\beta|} \omega(g(t)\beta, f(t)\alpha) \end{aligned}$$

Only nontrivial if total deg. is $2d-2$

$\leadsto (S(X), \omega)$ is $(6-2d)$ -shifted sympl. v.s.

Eg CY3

$$\begin{array}{c} \Omega^{3,0} \oplus \Omega^{2,1} \oplus \Omega^{1,2} \oplus \Omega^{0,3} \\ \text{period} \updownarrow \text{ } {}^1\Omega_X \\ tPV^{0,0} \oplus PV^{1,1} \oplus t^{-1}PV^{2,2} \oplus t^{-2}PV^{3,3} \end{array}$$

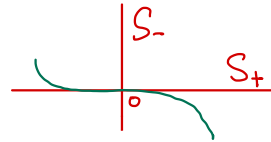
Q (graded) skew-symm. w.r.t. ω .

Cochain period map: (a map on formal schemes)

$$\mathcal{P} : S_+(X) \longrightarrow S(X) \quad \mathcal{P}(\mu) = t(1 - e^{\mu/t})$$

$$d\mathcal{P}(0) : T_0 S_+(X) \longrightarrow T_0 S(X)$$

$$\text{is } S_+(X) \xrightarrow{(-1)} S(X)$$



(In particular, $\mathcal{P}$ is a formal embedding)

$$\text{Ex. } Q(t(1 - e^{\mu/t})) = -(Q\mu + \frac{1}{2}\{\mu, \mu\})e^{\mu/t}$$

$$\text{That is } \mathcal{P} : (S_+(X), Q, \{-, -\}) \longrightarrow (S(X), Q, 0)$$

If we view Q as a vector field on $S(X)$,
then Q is tangent to $\text{Im}(\mathcal{P})$.

• $\text{Im}(\mathcal{P}) \subset S(X)$ is a formal shifted Lagr. submfd.

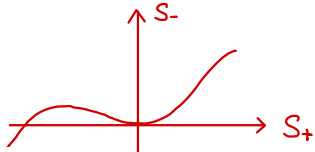
§5 Classical BCOV Equation

Geometry of gravitational descendant. Consider $X = \text{pt.}$

$$S = \mathbb{C}((t)) \supset S_+ = \mathbb{C}[[t]], \quad S_- = t^{-1}\mathbb{C}[[t^{-1}]]$$

$$\omega(f(t), g(t)) = \text{Res}_{t=0} f(t) g(-t) dt$$

symp. form

$$\xrightarrow{\quad} S_+ \xrightarrow{\mathcal{P}(f) = t(1 - e^{f/t})} \begin{array}{c} S_- \\ \nearrow \\ S_+ \end{array}$$


$\text{Im}(\rho) \subset S$ is a formal Lagr. submanifold.

$$S \xrightarrow[\text{sum}]{\text{Lagr.}} S_+ \oplus S_- \Rightarrow S = T^*S_+ \supset \text{Im} \mathcal{P} = \text{Graph}(dI_0) \quad \exists I_0 \in \mathcal{O}(S_+)$$

$$\text{Write } \tau = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \tau_k t^k \in S_+$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\tau) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \tau_k t^k + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \partial_{\tau_k} I_0 (-t)^{-(k+1)}$$

Goal: Compute $I_0(\tau)$

• String equation Let $\hat{t} : S \rightarrow S$, $\hat{t}(t^k) = t^{k+1}$

View $\hat{t}^{-1}$ as a vector field on S , denote L_{-1}

L_{-1} preserves ω i.e. $\omega(L_{-1}f, g) = -\omega(f, L_{-1}g)$

$$L_{-1} = \sum_i \tau_{i+1} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau_i} \quad \& \quad \omega = \sum_{k \geq 0} (-1)^{k+1} d\tau_k \wedge d\tau_{-k-1} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i+j=-1} (-1)^j d\tau_i \wedge d\tau_j$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow L_{-1} \omega &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i+j=-1} (-1)^j \tau_{i+1} \wedge d\tau_j = \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i+j=0} (-1)^j \tau_i \tau_j \right) \\ &= d \left(\frac{1}{2} \tau_0^2 + \sum_{k \geq 1} (-1)^k \tau_k \tau_{-k} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\leadsto \text{Hamiltonian } h_{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \tau_0^2 + \sum_{k \geq 1} (-1)^k \tau_k \tau_{-k}$$

Lemma: L_{-1} is tangent to $\text{Im} \mathcal{P} - t$ (dilaton shift)

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \text{Pf: Let } \alpha = \mathcal{P}(f) - t = -t e^{f/t} \\ T_\alpha(\text{Im} \mathcal{P} - t) = \{-\delta f e^{f/t}\} = e^{f/t} S_+ \\ L_{-1}|_\alpha = L_{-1}(\alpha) = -e^{f/t} \subset T_\alpha(\text{Im} \mathcal{P} - t) \end{array} \right. \quad \#$$

By Hamilton-Jacobi eqt. $h_{-1}|_{\text{Im} \mathcal{P} - t} = \text{Const.} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \tau_0^2 + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \tau_{k+1} \partial_{\tau_k} I_0 - \partial_{\tau_0} I_0 = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } \partial_{\tau_0} I_0 = \frac{1}{2} \tau_0^2 + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \tau_{k+1} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau_k} I_0 \quad \text{String eqt.}$$

• Dilaton eqt. $L_0: S \longrightarrow S$, $L_0(t^k) = (k + \frac{1}{2}) t^k$ st. $\omega(L_0 f, g) = -\omega(f, L_0 g)$

$\leadsto$ Hamiltonian $h_0 = \sum_{k \geq 0} (k + \frac{1}{2}) (-1)^{k-1} \tau_k \tau_{-k-1}$

Lemma: L_0 is tangent to $\text{Im } \mathcal{P} - t$ (similar pf.)

By Hamilton-Jacobi eqt. $h_0|_{\text{Im } \mathcal{P} - t} = \text{Const.} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} I_0 = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (k + \frac{1}{2}) \tau_k \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau_k} I_0 \quad \text{Dilaton eqt.}$$

• Grading eqt. $G: S \longrightarrow S$, $G(t^k) = (2k - 2) t^k$

Lemma: G is tangent to $\text{Im } \mathcal{P}$

i.e. $\text{Im } \mathcal{P}$ is preserved by $\mathbb{C}^\times$ -action $\lambda \cdot t^k = \lambda^{2k-2} t^k$.

$\leadsto$ grading on $\mathbb{C}((t))[2]$ $\deg t^k = 2k - 2$ $\deg \tau_k = 2 - 2k$

$\leadsto I_0$ homog. of degree 6

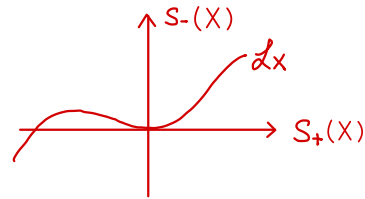
string eqt., dilaton eqt., grading $\Rightarrow$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \tau_{k_1}} \cdots \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau_{k_n}} \Big|_{\tau=0} I_0 = \binom{n-3}{k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n} = \int_{\overline{m}_{0,n}} \psi^{k_1} \cdots \gamma^{k_n}$$

• Classical BCOV action $\times$

$$S_+(X) = \mathcal{P}V(X)[[t]][2]$$

$$\mathcal{P}(f) = t(1 - e^{\mu/t})$$



$$S(X) = S_+(X) \oplus S_-(X) = T^* S_+(X)$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}_X := \text{Im } \mathcal{P} = \text{Graph}(dI_0^X) \ni I_0^X \in \mathcal{O}(S_+(X))$$

$$\text{Denote } \langle t^{k_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes t^{k_n} \rangle_0 := \int_{\overline{m}_{0,n}} \psi^{k_1} \cdots \gamma^{k_n} = \binom{n-3}{k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n}$$

which extends $\mathcal{P}V(X)$ -linearly to

$$\langle - \rangle_0 : \text{Sym}^\bullet(S_+(X)) \longrightarrow \mathcal{P}V(X)$$

Theorem (Costello-Li) $I_0^X(\mu) = \text{Tr} \langle e^\mu \rangle_0 = \sum_{n \geq 3} \frac{1}{n!} \text{Tr} \langle \mu^{\otimes n} \rangle_0$ classical BCOV action

If we write $\mu = \mu_0 + \mu_1 t + \mu_2 t^2 + \dots$ w/ $\mu_k \in \mathcal{P}V(X)$

$$I_0^X(\mu) = \frac{1}{3!} \text{Tr} \mu_0^3 \pmod{\mu_{>0}}$$

For CY3, BCOV's Kodaira-Spencer gravity,

fields $\mu \in \text{Ker } \partial \subset \mathcal{P}V(X)$ (non-local)

$$\text{action } KS[\mu_0] = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \mu_0 \bar{\partial} \mu_0 + \frac{1}{6} \text{Tr} \mu^3$$

§ 6 Hodge structure and primitive forms

$(S_+(X), Q = \bar{\partial} + t\partial, \{-, -\}) \leftarrow \mathcal{P} \rightsquigarrow$ pass to cohomology (Maurer-Cartan functor)

$$\rightsquigarrow \mathcal{M}_X = \{ \mu \in S_+(X) \mid Q\mu + \frac{1}{2}\{\mu, \mu\} = 0 \} / \text{Gauge}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{P} : \mathcal{M}_X & \hookrightarrow & H^*(S(X), Q) \xleftarrow{(6-2d)\text{-shifted sympl.}} \\ \text{extended} & & \cup \text{isotropic subsp.} \\ \text{period map.} & & H^*(S_+(X), Q) \quad (\because (S_-(X), Q) \subset (S(X), Q) \text{ sub-cpx.}) \end{array}$$

but $S_+(X) \subset S(X)$ not preserve by Q .

$$\Rightarrow \neq H^*(S_-(X), Q)$$

Def. An **opposite filtration** of $H^*(S(X), Q)$ is a linear isotropic subspace

$$\mathcal{L} \subset H^*(S(X), Q) \text{ s.t. } H^*(S(X), Q) = H^*(S_+(X), Q) \oplus \mathcal{L} \text{ and } t^{-1}\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}.$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \mathcal{L} \hookrightarrow H^*(S(X), Q) \twoheadrightarrow H^*(S_+(X), Q) / t H^*(S_+(X), Q)$$

$$\downarrow \text{SI} \\ \rightarrow H^*(PV(X), \bar{\partial})$$

$$\rightsquigarrow B^\mathcal{L} := H^*(S_+(X), Q) \cap t\mathcal{L} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^*(PV(X), \bar{\partial})$$

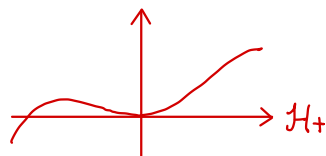
$$\text{denote } \mathcal{H} := H^*(S(X), Q) = B^\mathcal{L}((t))$$

$$\mathcal{H}_+ := H^*(S_+(X), Q) = B^\mathcal{L}[[t]]$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \mathcal{L} = t^{-1}B^\mathcal{L}[[t]] ; \quad t^k B^\mathcal{L} \text{ \& } t^{-(k+1)} B^\mathcal{L} \text{ are } \omega\text{-conjugate to each other.}$$

$$\mathcal{M}_X \xrightarrow{\mathcal{P}} \mathcal{H} \xrightarrow{\text{via } \mathcal{L}} T^*\mathcal{H}_+$$

$$\mathcal{P}(\mathcal{M}_X) = \text{Graph}(d\mathcal{F}_0^{X, \mathcal{L}})$$



$\exists$ fu. $\mathcal{F}_0^{X, \mathcal{L}}$ on $\mathcal{H}_+ = H^*(PV(X), \bar{\partial})[[t]]$, $g=0$ B-model invariants.

Geometry of the opposite filtration $\mathcal{L}$

$$\text{Define } \Gamma_\Omega : S(X) = PV(X)((t)) \longrightarrow \Omega(X)((t))$$

$$\Gamma_\Omega(t^k \mu) = t^{k+i-1} \mu \lrcorner \Omega \quad \mu \in PV^{i,j}$$

$$Q = \bar{\partial} + t\partial \longleftrightarrow d = \bar{\partial} + \partial$$

$$\Gamma_\Omega(S_+(X)) = \prod_{p \in \mathbb{Z}} t^{d-p-1} \mathcal{F}^p \Omega(X)$$

where $\mathcal{F}^p \Omega(X) = \Omega^{\geq p, *}(X)$, the Hodge filtration

$$\Rightarrow \Gamma_\Omega(t^k PV^{i, *}) = t^{k+i-1} \Omega^{d-i, *}(X) \xrightarrow{p=d-i-k} t^{d-p-1} \Omega^{p+k, *}(X)$$

In particular, $\Gamma_{\Omega}: S_+(X)/t S_+(X) \xrightarrow{\sim} \prod_p t^{d-p-1} \text{Gr}^p \Omega(X)$
 $\bar{\partial} \longleftrightarrow \bar{\partial}$

$\leadsto \mathcal{L}$ is a splitting of Hodge filtratⁿ.

Eg.1. $\mathcal{L} = \bar{\mathcal{F}}^p$ Harmonic splitting $\leadsto H^n(X) = \bigoplus_{p+q=n} H^{p,q}(X)$

Eg.2. $\mathcal{L}$ = monodromy splitting arise from LCSL

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$$\Gamma_{\Omega} \left(\begin{array}{l} \cong \\ \downarrow \end{array} \right. \begin{array}{l} tPV^{0,0} \oplus PV^{1,1} \oplus t^2 PV^{2,2} \oplus t^3 PV^{3,3} \\ \xrightarrow{\text{sympl. subsp}} PV(X)[[t]] \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Omega^{3,0} \oplus \Omega^{2,1} \oplus \Omega^{1,2} \oplus \Omega^{0,3}$$

• Primitive form (K. Saito) / J-function (Givental)

Fix splitting $\mathcal{L} \leadsto B^d := H^*(S_+(X), \mathbb{Q}) \cap \mathcal{L} \xrightarrow{\sim} H^*(PV(X), \bar{\partial})$
 choose basis φ_{α} 's

Defⁿ. $K: \mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{H} \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}[[t]]$ Higher residue pairing

$$K(\alpha f(t), \beta g(t)) = \text{Tr}(\alpha\beta) \cdot f(t)g(t)$$

$$\omega(\mu, \nu) = \oint K(\mu, \nu) dt$$

$$\text{modulo } t, \quad K = \text{Tr} \quad H^*(PV(X), \bar{\partial}) = H^*(X, \wedge^* T_X)$$

$\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}_+ \oplus \mathcal{L} : \omega$ -isotropic splitting

$$K(\mathcal{H}_+, \mathcal{H}_+) = 0, \quad K(\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}) \subset t^{-2} \mathbb{C}[[t^{-1}]]$$

$$K: B^d \otimes B^d \longrightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad \text{where } B^d = \mathcal{H}_+ \cap t\mathcal{L}.$$

$K(\varphi_{\alpha}, \varphi_{\beta}) = \eta_{\alpha\beta}$ w/o higher t , such is called a 'good basis'.

define $\mathcal{M}_X^{\circ}: \mathcal{M}_X^{\circ} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}_X$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \cong \downarrow & \square & \cong \downarrow \pi_X^{\circ, \mathcal{P}} \\ B^d & \hookrightarrow & \mathcal{H}_+ \end{array} \quad \left(\pi_+^d: \underbrace{\mathcal{H}}_{B^d[[t]]} = \mathcal{H}_+ \oplus \mathcal{L} \xrightarrow{\text{proj.}} \underbrace{\mathcal{H}_+}_{B^d[[t]]} \right)$$

$$\{\tau_0^d, \tau_{\geq 1}^d = 0\} \quad \{\tau_k^d\}_{k \geq 0}$$

$\leadsto$ family $\mu^d(\tau_0^d) \in PV(X)[[t]]$

st. $Q\mu^d(\tau_0^d) + \frac{1}{2} \{\mu^d(\tau_0^d), \mu^d(\tau_0^d)\} = 0$

$$\pi_+^d [t(1 - e^{\mu^d/t})]_Q = \sum_{\alpha} \tau_0^d \varphi_{\alpha}$$

ζ means $\mathbb{Q}$ -cohom. class.

$$[t(1 - e^{\mu^\alpha/t})]_Q = \sum_\alpha \tau_\alpha^\alpha \varphi_\alpha + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-t)^{k-1} \eta^{\alpha\beta} \frac{\partial \mathcal{F}_0^\alpha}{\partial \tau_\beta^\alpha} \varphi_\beta \Big|_{\tau_0} =: J(\tau_0^\alpha, t) \quad \text{J-function}$$

$$[e^{\mu^\alpha/t}]_Q = 1 - t^{-1} J \quad \text{primitive form}$$

$$\text{Prop: } K(\partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} J, \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} J) = \eta_{\alpha\beta} \quad (\text{indep. of } t)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Pf. } K(\partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} J, \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} J) &= K(\varphi_\alpha + O(t^{-1}), \varphi_\beta + O(t^{-1})) = \eta_{\alpha\beta} + O(t^{-1}) \\ &= K(\partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} [t(1 - e^{\mu^\alpha/t})], \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} [t(1 - e^{\mu^\alpha/t})]) \\ &= K((\partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} \mu^\alpha) e^{\mu^\alpha/t}, (\partial_{\tau_0^\beta} \mu^\beta) e^{\mu^\beta/t}) \in \mathbb{C}[[t]] \xrightarrow{\quad} \eta_{\alpha\beta} \\ &\quad (\because \mu^k = \mu_0 + t\mu_1 + \dots)^\downarrow \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow \partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} J$'s defines a family of 'good basis' param. by $\{\tau_0^\alpha\}$

$$\text{Geometrically, } \text{Span}\{\partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} J\}_{\tau_0} = T_{\tau_0} \mathcal{M}_X \cap t\mathcal{L}$$

$$\text{At } \tau_0^\alpha = 0, \quad T_0 \mathcal{M}_X \cap t\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{H}_+ \cap t\mathcal{L} = B^\mathcal{L}$$

$$\mathcal{H} = T_0 \mathcal{M}_X \oplus \mathcal{L} \implies \mathcal{H} = T_{\tau_0} \mathcal{M}_X \oplus \mathcal{L} \text{ for nearby } \tau_0^\alpha$$

$$\{\partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} J\} \text{ forms a basis of } T_{\tau_0} \mathcal{M}_X \cap t\mathcal{L}$$

Compute $\partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} J$: (1) $\partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} J \in \mathcal{L}$ by the expression of J

$$(2) \partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} J = \partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} [t - t e^{\mu^\alpha/t}]_Q = -[(\frac{1}{t} \partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} \mu^\alpha \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} \mu^\beta + \partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} \mu^\alpha) e^{\mu^\alpha/t}]_Q \in \frac{1}{t} T_{\tau_0} \mathcal{M}_X$$

$$\implies \partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} J \in \frac{1}{t} T_{\tau_0} \mathcal{M}_X \cap \mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{t} (T_{\tau_0} \mathcal{M}_X \cap t\mathcal{L}) = \frac{1}{t} \text{Span}\{\partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} J\}$$

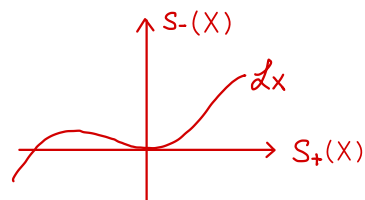
$$\implies \exists A_{\alpha\beta}^r(\tau_0) \text{ s.t. } \partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} J + \frac{1}{t} A_{\alpha\beta}^r(\tau_0) \partial_{\tau_0^\gamma} J = 0 \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Quantum Differential Eq.} \\ \text{solve WDVV eq.} \end{array}$$

$$\text{Equivalently, } (\partial_{\tau_0^\alpha} \partial_{\tau_0^\beta} + \frac{1}{t} A_{\alpha\beta}^r(\tau_0) \partial_{\tau_0^\gamma}) [e^{\mu^\alpha/t}] = 0$$

Remark: Perturbative algorithm for LG model by Li-Li-Saito.

§ 7 Classical BV master equation

$$S_+(X) = PV(X)[\pm][2] \quad \mathcal{P}(f) = \pm(1 - e^{\mu/\hbar})$$



$$\mathcal{L}_X := \text{Im } \mathcal{P} = \text{Graph}(dI_0^X) \quad \text{w/} \quad I_0^X(\mu) = \text{Tr} \langle e^\mu \rangle_0$$

Q preserves $\omega \implies$ quadratic Hamiltonian $h_Q|_{\mathcal{L}_X} = 0$

$$Q = \bar{\partial} + \pm \partial \cdot S(X) \longrightarrow S(X), \quad Q^2 = 0 \quad \text{cohomological v.f.}$$

$$Q: \begin{cases} S_+(X) \longrightarrow S_+(X) \\ S_-(X) \longrightarrow S_+(X) \oplus S_-(X) \end{cases}$$

Toy model (finite dim.)

Let (V, ω, Q) dg sympl. v.s.

$$\omega \text{ 0-sypl. } \omega \in \Lambda^2 V^*, \quad \omega^{-1} \in \Lambda^2 V$$

Q skew-symm. w.r.t. ω .

Assume Lagrangian splitting $V = V_+ \oplus V_-$

$$Q: \begin{cases} V_+ \longrightarrow V_+ \\ V_- \longrightarrow V_+ \oplus V_- \end{cases} \quad \rightsquigarrow \quad V = T^*V_+ \xrightarrow{\Pi_+} V_+$$

$$\omega^{-1} \in (V_+ \otimes V_-) \oplus (V_- \otimes V_+) \subset \Lambda^2 V$$

$$(Q \otimes 1) \omega^{-1} \in (V_+ \otimes V_-) \oplus (V_- \otimes V_+) \oplus (V_+ \otimes V_+)$$

$$P := (\Pi_+ \otimes \Pi_+) ((Q \otimes 1) \omega^{-1}) \in V_+ \otimes V_+$$

P measure the failure of Q preserving V_- .

Prop. $P \in \text{Sym}^2(V_+)$ of deg 1 & Q -compatible $((Q \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes Q)P = 0)$

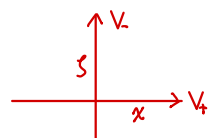
$$(\text{Pf}: (Q \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes Q) \omega^{-1} = 0 \implies (Q \otimes 1) \omega^{-1} \in \text{Sym}^2(V) \implies P \in \text{Sym}^2(V_+)$$

Geometrically, $(Q \otimes 1) \omega^{-1} \in \text{Sym}^2(V)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \downarrow \perp \omega & \simeq \downarrow \perp \omega & \\ \text{quad. Hamil. of } Q: & h_Q & \in \text{Sym}^2(V^*) \end{array}$$

$$(Q \otimes 1) \omega^{-1} \in (V_+ \otimes V_-) \oplus (V_- \otimes V_+) \oplus \text{Sym}^2(V_+)$$

$$\implies h_Q \in \underset{x \quad s}{(V_+^* \otimes V_-^*) \oplus (V_-^* \otimes V_+^*)} \oplus \underset{s \quad s}{\text{Sym}^2(V_+^*)}$$



Denote $\partial_P: \text{Sym}^n(V_+^*) \longrightarrow \text{Sym}^{n-2}(V_+^*)$, contracting w/ $P \in \text{Sym}^2(V_+^*)$

Define BV bracket $\{f, g\}_P := \partial_P(fg) - (\partial_P f)g - (-1)^{|f|} f \partial_P g$

Prop. $(\mathcal{O}(V_+) = \text{Sym}^*(V_+^*), Q, \partial_P, \{-, -\}_P)$ is a dGBV-alg.

$$[\text{Pf: } (Q \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes Q)P = 0 \implies [Q, \partial_P] = 0$$

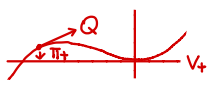
Given Lagrangian $\mathcal{L} = \text{Graph}(dI_0) \subset T^*V_+ = V$

Q tangent to $\mathcal{L}$

$$\iff Q I_0 + \frac{1}{2} \{I_0, I_0\}_P = 0 \quad (\text{reason: (odd) Hamilton-Jacobi } h_Q|_{\mathcal{L}} = 0.)$$

(classical master eqt.)

$$\iff \delta := Q + \{I_0, -\}_P : \mathcal{O}(V_+) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}(V_+) \quad \text{s.t. } \delta^2 = 0.$$

$$\delta = (\pi_+)_* [Q|_{\mathcal{L}}] \quad \text{geometrically}$$


Back to B-model on X

$$Q: S_-(X) \longrightarrow S_+(X) \oplus S_-(X)$$

$$\omega^{-1} = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \delta_{\Delta} t^k \otimes (-t)^{k+1} \quad (\text{as } \omega(-, -) = \text{Tr}(-, -) \text{ Res}_{t=0}(-, -))$$

where δ_{Δ} is distributional elt. of $PV(X) \otimes PV(X)$

δ_{Δ} is integral kernel for $1: PV(X) \longrightarrow PV(X)$

$$P = (\pi_+ \otimes \pi_+) ((Q \otimes 1) \omega^{-1}) \underset{(Q = \bar{\partial} + t \partial)}{=} (\partial \otimes 1) \delta_{\Delta} \in (PV(X) \otimes PV(X))_{\text{distrib.}}$$

Given a local fcl $I(\mu_k) = \int \dots$ on $\mu = \mu_0 + t \mu_1 + \dots \in S_+(X) = PV(X)[[t]]$

$$\delta I = \sum_k \text{Tr}(\delta \mu_k \frac{\delta I}{\delta \mu_k})$$

BV bracket $\{I_1, I_2\}_0 \triangleq \text{Tr}(\frac{\delta I_1}{\delta \mu_0} \partial (\frac{\delta I_2}{\delta \mu_0}))$ local

Theorem (Costello-Li) $I_0^X(\mu) = \text{Tr} \langle e^{\mu} \rangle_0$

$$\text{s.t. } Q I_0^X + \frac{1}{2} \{I_0^X, I_0^X\}_0 = 0 \quad \text{CME}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix} = \sum \begin{pmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix}$$

($\iff$ topo. recursion relation)

$$\text{So } Q \mu + \sum_{k \geq 2} \frac{1}{k!} l_k(\mu^{\otimes k}) = 0 \quad \text{where } \delta = Q + \{I_0^X, -\} = \sum_{k \geq 1} l_k$$

§ 8 Quantum BV master equation

Toy model (V, ω, Q) dg sympl. v.s.

w/ Lagrangian splitting $V = V_+ \oplus V_- \rightarrow Q: \begin{cases} V_+ \rightarrow V_+ \\ V_- \rightarrow V_+ \oplus V_- \end{cases}$

$$P = (\pi_+ \otimes \pi_+) ((Q \otimes 1) \omega^{-1}) \in \text{Sym}^2 V_+$$

$(O(V_+), Q, \partial_P, \{-, -\}_P)$ dGBV-alg.

Def. (formal) Weyl algebra $W(V) := \prod_{n \geq 0} (V^*)^{\otimes n} \mathbb{[[\hbar]]} / a \otimes b - (-1)^{|a||b|} b \otimes a - \hbar \omega^1(a \otimes b)$
 Note: $W(V)/\hbar W(V) = \hat{O}(V)$ ↑ formal quantum parameter

$\text{Ann}(V_+) := \{\varphi \in V^* \mid \varphi(V_+) = 0\}$, annihilator of V_+

$$\begin{aligned} Q: V &\rightarrow V \text{ preserving } V_+ \\ \xLeftrightarrow{\text{dually}} Q: V^* &\rightarrow V^* \text{ preserving } \text{Ann}(V_+) \end{aligned}$$

Prop. $\text{Ann}(V_+) \subset V^*$ is a subcomplex

Def. (formal) Fock space $\text{Fock}(V_+) := W(V)/W(V)\text{Ann}(V_+)$

Remark: Treat $\text{Ann}(V_+)$ as annihilation operators.

Q is compatible w/ $W(V)$

$(W(V), Q)$ defines a cochain complex

$W(V)\text{Ann}(V_+) \subset W(V)$ subcomplex

$$\leadsto Q: \text{Fock}(V_+) \rightarrow \text{Fock}(V_+)$$

Lagrangian splitting $V = V_+ \oplus V_- \simeq T^*V_+ \leadsto V_+^* \subset V^*$

$\hat{O}(V_+) \cong \prod_{n \geq 0} \text{Sym}^n(V_+^*)$ formal fu. on V_+

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \hat{O}(V_+) \mathbb{[[\hbar]]} & \hookrightarrow & W(V) \twoheadrightarrow \text{Fock}(V_+) \\ \text{creation} & \searrow \sim \Phi & \\ \text{operators} & & \end{array}$$

Q on $W(V)$ & $\text{Fock}(V_+) \leadsto \hat{Q}$ on $\hat{O}(V_+) \mathbb{[[\hbar]]}$

$$\hat{O}(V_+) \mathbb{[[\hbar]]} \xrightarrow[\sim]{\Phi} \text{Fock}(V_+)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \hat{Q} \downarrow & \curvearrowright & \downarrow Q \end{array}$$

$$\hat{O}(V_+) \mathbb{[[\hbar]]} \xrightarrow[\sim]{\Phi} \text{Fock}(V_+)$$

$$Q: V_+ \longrightarrow V_+ \rightsquigarrow Q: \hat{\mathcal{O}}(V_+) \longrightarrow \hat{\mathcal{O}}(V_+)$$

Prop. $\hat{Q} = Q + \hbar \partial_P$ (std. quant. of quadratic Hamiltonian)
 $\hat{Q}^2 = 0$ Pf: exercise.

Quantum Master Eqt. (QME) for $F = \sum_{g \geq 0} F_g \hbar^g \in \hat{\mathcal{O}}(V_+) \llbracket \hbar \rrbracket$

$$(Q + \hbar \partial_P) e^{F/\hbar} = 0$$

$$\iff (Q + \hbar \partial_P) F + \frac{1}{2} \{F, F\}_P = 0$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \hbar \rightarrow 0 \quad Q F_0 + \frac{1}{2} \{F_0, F_0\}_P = 0 \quad (\text{CME})$$

$$|F\rangle = \Phi(e^{F/\hbar}) \quad (\text{i.e. } e^{F/\hbar} |0\rangle)$$

$$\text{QME} \iff Q|F\rangle = 0 \text{ in } \mathcal{Fock}(V_+)$$

(quantum gauge consistency) $\implies$ pass to Q -cohomology.

$$[|F\rangle] \in H^*(\mathcal{Fock}(V_+), Q)$$

$$\text{Let } \mathcal{H} = H^*(V, Q) \supset \mathcal{H}_+ = H^*(V_+, Q)$$

symp. ω isotropic

Choose polarizatⁿ $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}_+ \oplus \mathcal{L}$ Lagr. splitting

$$\begin{array}{ccc} W(V) & & \text{Weyl}(\mathcal{H}_+) \longleftarrow \hat{\mathcal{O}}(\mathcal{H}_+) \llbracket \hbar \rrbracket \\ \downarrow & \rightsquigarrow^{Q\text{-coh}} \downarrow & \searrow \sim \\ \mathcal{Fock}(V_+) & & \mathcal{Fock}(\mathcal{H}_+) \\ Q|F\rangle = 0 & & [|F\rangle]_Q \longleftrightarrow e^{F^\mathcal{L}/\hbar} \end{array}$$

$$F^\mathcal{L} = \sum_{g \geq 0} F_g^\mathcal{L} \hbar^g$$

$$F_g^\mathcal{L} \in \hat{\mathcal{O}}(\mathcal{H}_+). \quad \text{quantum invariant.}$$

§9 Homotopic Renormalization (Toy model $(V_+, Q) \rightsquigarrow$) QFT $(\mathcal{E}, Q)$

Space of fields $\mathcal{E} = \Gamma(X, E^*)$ smooth sections of graded bundles

Q (elliptic) differential.

(shifted) Poisson kernel $P \in \Gamma(\text{Sym}^2(\mathcal{E}))_{\text{dist}}$ w/ support $\Delta_X \subset X \times X$

$(V_+^* \rightsquigarrow) \mathcal{E}^* = \text{Hom}(\mathcal{E}, \mathbb{C})$ continuous dual

$(V_+^* \otimes V_+^* \rightsquigarrow) \mathcal{E}^* \otimes \mathcal{E}^* = (\mathcal{E} \boxtimes \mathcal{E})^* \supset \text{Sym}^2 \mathcal{E}^*$ etc.

$$\mathcal{O}(\mathcal{E}) = \prod_{n \geq 0} \text{Sym}^n \mathcal{E}^*$$

$(\partial_P: \text{Sym}^n(V_+^*) \rightarrow \text{Sym}^{n-2}(V_+^*) \rightsquigarrow)$

$\partial_P: \text{Sym}^n(\mathcal{E}^*) \rightarrow \text{Sym}^{n-2}(\mathcal{E}^*)$ NOT well-def^d

Cannot multiply distributⁿ! (UV problem in QFT, need renormalizatⁿ)

Change notation: $P \rightsquigarrow K_0 \in \Gamma(\text{Sym}^2(\mathcal{E}))_{\text{dist}}$ (shifted) Poisson kernel

$$QK_0 := (Q \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes Q)K_0 = 0$$

Key observation: Elliptic regularity $H^*(\text{smooth}, Q) = H^*(\text{distribut}^n, Q)$

$$\rightsquigarrow \underset{\substack{\text{distrib.} \\ \text{kernel}}}{K_0} = \underset{\substack{\text{smooth} \\ \text{kernel}}}{K_r} + \underset{\substack{\text{distribut}^n \\ \text{'parametrix'}}}{Q(P_r)}$$

$\partial_{K_r}: \text{Sym}^n(\mathcal{E}^*) \rightarrow \text{Sym}^{n-2}(\mathcal{E}^*)$ well-def^d.

$\partial_{K_r}: \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{E}) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{E})$ (normalized BV operator).

$$[\partial_{K_r}, Q] = 0 \quad (\because Q(K_r) = 0)$$

Def. $(\mathcal{O}(\mathcal{E}), Q, \partial_{K_r})$ normalized dGBV alg. wrt. parametrix P_r .

Given 2 parametrices, $K_0 = K_{r_1} + Q(P_{r_1}) = K_{r_2} + Q(P_{r_2})$

$P_{r_1}^{r_2} := P_{r_2} - P_{r_1} \in \text{Sym}^2(\mathcal{E})$ smooth!

$\rightsquigarrow \partial_{P_{r_1}^{r_2}}: \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{E}) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{E})$ 2nd order op., contract w/ $P_{r_1}^{r_2}$

Prop.
$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{E})[[\hbar]] & \xrightarrow{Q + \hbar \partial_{K_{r_1}}} & \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{E})[[\hbar]] \\ \exp(\hbar \partial_{P_{r_1}^{r_2}}) \downarrow & \curvearrowright & \downarrow \exp(\hbar \partial_{P_{r_1}^{r_2}}) \\ \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{E})[[\hbar]] & \xrightarrow{Q + \hbar \partial_{K_{r_2}}} & \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{E})[[\hbar]] \end{array}$$
 i.e. gauge

Pf: $e^{\hbar \partial_{P_{r_1}^{r_2}}} Q e^{-\hbar \partial_{P_{r_1}^{r_2}}} = Q + \hbar [\partial_{P_{r_1}^{r_2}}, Q] + 0 = Q + \hbar (\partial_{K_{r_1}} - \partial_{K_{r_2}}) \quad \#$

Def. $\mathcal{O}^+(\mathcal{E})[[\hbar]] := \text{Sym}^{\geq 3}(\mathcal{E}^*) \oplus \hbar \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{E})[[\hbar]]$ "action at least cubic modulo $\hbar$ "

Homotopic renormalization group (HRG)

$$W(P_r^{\mathcal{E}}, -) : \mathcal{O}^+(\mathcal{E})[[\hbar]] \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}^+(\mathcal{E})[[\hbar]]$$

$$W(P_r^{\mathcal{E}}, I) = \hbar \log(e^{\hbar \partial_{P_r^{\mathcal{E}}}} e^{I/\hbar})$$

$$\text{i.e. } e^{W(P_r^{\mathcal{E}}, I)/\hbar} = e^{\hbar \partial_{P_r^{\mathcal{E}}}} e^{I/\hbar}$$

$$\leadsto W(P_r^{\mathcal{E}}, I) = \sum_{\Gamma \text{ connected}} W_{\Gamma}(P_r^{\mathcal{E}}, I) \quad \Gamma \quad \begin{array}{c} P_r^{\mathcal{E}} \\ \text{I} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} I : \text{vertex} \\ P_r^{\mathcal{E}} : \text{propagator.} \end{array}$$

Def: A Sol^n of effective QME is $I[r] \in \mathcal{O}^+(\mathcal{E})[[\hbar]]$ for each P_r s.t.

$$(1) \text{ Renormalized QME, } (Q + \hbar \partial_{K_r}) e^{I[r]/\hbar} = 0.$$

$$(2) \text{ Homotopy RG, } I[r_2] = W(P_{r_2}^{\mathcal{E}}, I[r_1])$$

(Earlier prop. $\Rightarrow$ (1) & (2) are compatible).

§10 Quantum BCOV theory

B-model on X : $\mathcal{E} = S_+(X) = \text{PV}(X)[[t]][2]$

shifted Poisson kernel $K_0 = (\partial \otimes 1) \delta_{\Delta} \in \text{PV}(X) \otimes \text{PV}(X)$

Choose Kähler metric g on $X \leadsto \bar{\partial}^* : \text{PV}^{i,\bar{\partial}} \longrightarrow \text{PV}^{i,\bar{\partial}-1}$

$\leadsto$ heat kernel $h_r^g \in \text{PV}(X) \otimes \text{PV}(X)$ for $r > 0$

$$(e^{-r[\bar{\partial}, \bar{\partial}^*]} \alpha)(x_1) = \text{Tr}_{x_2} h_r^g(x_1, x_2) \alpha(x_2)$$

$$\text{Let } K_r = (\partial \otimes 1) h_r^g \xrightarrow{r \rightarrow 0} K_0$$

Prop: $K_0 = K_r + Q(P_r)$ w/ $P_r = \int_0^r (\bar{\partial}^* \partial \otimes 1) h_u^g du$

Pf: This is the integral kernel repr. of the operator eqt.

$$\begin{aligned} \partial \neq \partial e^{-r[\bar{\partial}, \bar{\partial}^*]} + [Q, \int_0^r \bar{\partial}^* \partial e^{-u[\bar{\partial}, \bar{\partial}^*]} du] \\ Q = \bar{\partial} + t \partial, \quad [\bar{\partial}, \partial] = 0, \quad [\bar{\partial}^*, \partial] = 0 \\ \Rightarrow [Q, \int_0^r \bar{\partial}^* \partial e^{-u[\bar{\partial}, \bar{\partial}^*]} du] \\ = \int_0^r [\bar{\partial}, \bar{\partial}^*] \partial e^{-u[\bar{\partial}, \bar{\partial}^*]} du = \partial - \partial e^{-r[\bar{\partial}, \bar{\partial}^*]} \quad \# \end{aligned}$$

Def: Given parametrix P_r w/ renormalized Poisson kernel,

effective propagator $P_\varepsilon^L \in \text{Sym}^2(PV(X)) \subset \text{Sym}^2 \mathcal{E}$ for $0 < \varepsilon < L$

$$P_\varepsilon^L = \int_\varepsilon^L (\bar{\partial}^* \partial \otimes 1) h_u^g du \text{ smooth!}$$

(homotopy from regularizatⁿ K_ε to K_L)

Def (Costello-Li) perturbation quantization of BCOV theory on X is

$$\forall L > 0, \quad F[L] = \sum_{g=0}^{\infty} \hbar^g F_g[L] \in \mathcal{O}^+(S_+(X))[[\hbar]] \text{ st.}$$

(1) homotopy RG flow: $F[L] = W(P_\varepsilon^L, F[\varepsilon])$ (i.e. $e^{F[L]/\hbar} = e^{\hbar \partial_{P_\varepsilon^L}} e^{F[\varepsilon]/\hbar}$)

(2) renormalized QME $(Q + \hbar \Delta_L) e^{F[L]/\hbar} = 0$ (" $\Delta_L = \partial_{K_L}$ ")

(3) locality axiom: $F[L]$ has small L asym expansion via local functional.

(4) classical limit: $\lim_{L \rightarrow 0} F[L] = I^*$

(5) degree axiom & Hodge weight axiom: $F_g[L]$ has Hodge wt. $(3-d)(g-1)$
(Hodge wt. of $t^m PV^k$ is $k+m-1$)

IR limit $L \rightarrow \infty$,

$$K_L = (\partial \otimes 1) e^{-L[\bar{\partial}, \bar{\partial}^*]} \xrightarrow{L \rightarrow \infty} (\partial \otimes 1) (\text{harmonic proj.}) = 0$$

$$\implies \Delta_L = \partial_{K_L} \xrightarrow{L \rightarrow \infty} 0$$

$$(Q + \hbar \Delta_L) e^{F[L]/\hbar} = 0 \implies Q e^{F[\infty]/\hbar} = 0 \implies QF[\infty] = 0$$

$$\implies [F[\infty]]_\infty \in H^*(\mathcal{O}(S_+(X))[[\hbar]], Q) \simeq \mathcal{O}(\underbrace{H^*(S_+(X), Q)}_{\text{via } g \text{ \& splitting of Hodge filt.}})[[\hbar]]$$

$$\text{via } g \text{ \& splitting of Hodge filt.} \leadsto H^*(S_+(X), Q) \simeq H^*(X, \wedge^\bullet T_X)[[\pm 1]]$$

$$\leadsto F_{g,n,X}^\alpha: \text{Sym}^n(H^*(X, \wedge^\bullet T_X)[[\pm 1]]) \longrightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad (\text{mirror to GW-invariants})$$

UV finiteness and locality

In practice, construct quantization

(1) Start w/ local fcl $I \in \mathcal{O}_{\text{loc}}^+(\mathcal{E})[[\hbar]]$ (classical interaction)

(2) Find ϵ -indep. local fcl $I^{\text{CT}}(\epsilon) \in \hbar \mathcal{O}_{\text{loc}}(\mathcal{E})[[\hbar]]$ (counter terms)

s.t. $e^{I[[L]]/\hbar} := \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} e^{\hbar \partial_{\epsilon}} e^{(I + I^{\text{CT}}(\epsilon))/\hbar}$ exists ($\leadsto \{I[[L]]\}_{\hbar}$ s.t. HRG)

(3) Further correction to solve QME.

(could be obstructed – gauge anomaly)

Def: UV finite if $\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} e^{\hbar \partial_{\epsilon}} e^{(I + I^{\text{CT}}(\epsilon))/\hbar}$ exists.

Assume UV finite

$$\hbar \Delta I + QI + \frac{1}{2}\{I, I\} = 0 \quad \text{ill def'd at } L=0$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{regularize}} \hbar \Delta_L I[[L]] + QI[[L]] + \frac{1}{2}\{I[[L]], I[[L]]\} = 0 \quad \text{well-def'd for } L > 0$$

$$\xrightarrow{L \rightarrow 0} QI + \frac{1}{2}\{I, I\} + l_3(I, I, I) + \dots = 0$$

$\leadsto$ renormalized local QME

- explicit formulae for l_k 's not known.

Thm (Li) 2d Chiral theories are UV finite.

Renormalized local QME $\iff$ MC egt. in Chiral VOA

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Diagram 1} & \xrightarrow{\text{renormalized}} & \text{Diagram 2} \\ \{I, I\} & & \\ \text{CME} & & \end{array}$$

ref: Vertex alg. and quantum master egt.

- Explicit canonical solⁿ of quantum B-model on elliptic curves and establish quantum mirror conjecture.

Thm (Wang-Yan) Chiral theories of any dim. are UV finite.

e.g. BCOV, HCS $\leadsto$ quantum BCOV has a local expression.

(Gui) Higher chiral OPE.

§11 Landau-Ginzburg B-model

$$f: (X, \Omega) \xrightarrow[\text{cpx. mfd.}]{\text{holo. fu.}} \mathbb{C}, \quad \text{Crit}(f) \text{ compact}$$

$\uparrow$ holo. vol. form

$$PV(X) = \Omega^{\bullet,*}(X, \wedge^* T_X) \supset PV_c(X) \quad \text{compact support}$$

$$\bar{\partial}_f = \bar{\partial} + \{f, -\} = \bar{\partial} + df \lrcorner \quad \& \quad \partial = \partial_\Omega$$

$$(PV_c(X), \bar{\partial}_f, \partial) \subset (PV(X), \bar{\partial}_f, \partial) \quad \text{dGBV}$$

$$\text{Lemma } (PV_c(X), \bar{\partial}_f) \subset (PV(X), \bar{\partial}_f) \quad \text{quasi-isom.}$$

$$[\text{Pf: } \{f, -\} \text{ acyclic outside a small nbd of } \text{Crit}(f) \#$$

To apply Barannikov-Kontsevich constr. for Frobenius mfd.str. on $H^*(PV, \bar{\partial}_f)$, need (1) Hodge-to-deRham E_1 -degen. of spectral seq. for t -adic filt of

$$(PV(X)[[t]], \bar{\partial}_f + t\partial) \quad (\text{or } (PV_c(X)[[t]], \bar{\partial}_f + t\partial))$$

($\leadsto$ smoothness, formality, hence a univ. period map

$$(2) \text{ Trace pairing } \text{Tr}(-, -) \text{ on } PV, \text{ compat. w/ } \bar{\partial}_f \& \partial.$$

$$\leadsto \text{symp. str. } \omega = \text{Tr}(-, -) \text{ Res}_{t=0}$$

$$(3) \text{ Splitting of } H^*(PV, \bar{\partial}_f) \longrightarrow H^*(PV_c(X)[[t]], \bar{\partial}_f + t\partial)$$

$$\text{compat. w/ } \text{Tr} \text{ (and higher residue)} \leadsto \text{"good basis"}$$

$$\text{Remark: } \text{Crit}(f) \text{ isolated} \Rightarrow H^*(PV, \bar{\partial}_f) = \text{Jac}(f) = \mathcal{O}(\text{Crit}(f))$$

$$\text{Hodge-to-deRham } E_1\text{-degen. } \checkmark$$

$$\text{Trace pairing } \text{Tr}: PV_c(X) \longrightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad \text{Tr}(\mu) = \int_X (\mu \lrcorner \Omega) \wedge \Omega$$

$$\text{Prop: } \text{Tr}((\bar{\partial}_f \lrcorner) \beta) = -(-1)^{|\beta|} \text{Tr}(\lrcorner \bar{\partial}_f \beta); \quad \text{Tr}((\partial \lrcorner) \beta) = (-1)^{|\beta|} \text{Tr}(\lrcorner \partial \beta)$$

$$\text{Cor. } \text{Tr} \text{ defines a pairing on cohomologies.}$$

$$\text{Tr}: H^*(PV_c, \bar{\partial}_f) \otimes H^*(PV_c, \bar{\partial}_f) \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

$$\text{More generally, } K_f: H^*(PV_c[[t]], Q_f) \otimes H^*(PV_c[[t]], Q_f) \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}[[t]]$$

$$K_f(\lrcorner f(t), \beta g(t)) = \text{Tr}(\lrcorner \beta) f(t) g(-t) \quad Q_f = \bar{\partial}_f + t\partial$$

$$\text{Eg. } f: (\mathbb{C}^n, \Omega = d^n z) \longrightarrow \mathbb{C} \text{ w/ } \text{Crit}(f) = \{0\}$$

$$H^*(PV_c, \bar{\partial}_f) = \text{Jac}(f) \xrightarrow{\Omega} \Omega_{\text{hol}}^n / df \wedge \Omega_{\text{hol}}^n =: \Omega_f$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Viewing Tr on } \Omega_f, \quad \text{Tr}(\lrcorner(z) d^n z, \beta(z) d^n z) \xrightarrow{\text{Li-Li-Saito}} \text{Res}_{z=0} \frac{d\beta d^n z}{\partial f_1 \dots \partial f_n}$$

$$\& \quad K_f(\lrcorner(z), \beta(z)) = K_0(\lrcorner, \beta) + K_1(\lrcorner, \beta)t + \dots$$

$\uparrow$ Res

$\uparrow$ higher residues of K.Saito

Hodge-to-deRham: (i) PV too big for Tr (ii) PV_c too small for Hodge decomp.
 (iii) PV_{L^2} 'bad' for nonlinear str., eg. product.

(Li-Wen) $PV_c(X) \subset PV_{f,\infty}(X) \subset PV(X)$ w/ $PV_{f,\infty}(X)$ solves (i) (ii) (iii).
 $PV_{f,\infty}(X) := \{\mu \in PV_{L^2}(X) \mid |\nabla f|^i \nabla^j \mu \in L^2 \quad \forall i, j\}$

Assume (X, g, Ω) Kähler w/ bounded CY geometry.

Def: $f: X \xrightarrow{\text{holo}} \mathbb{C}$ 'strong elliptic' if $\forall \varepsilon > 0, \forall k \geq 2, \quad \varepsilon |\nabla f|^k - |\nabla^k f| \xrightarrow{\text{as } z \rightarrow \infty} +\infty$

Eg. $(\mathbb{C}^n, d^n z), g_{\text{std}}, f$ non-degen. quasi-homog. polyn.
 (~ mirror of FJRW theory)

Eg. $(\mathbb{C}^n, \frac{dz_1}{z_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \frac{dz_n}{z_n}), g_{\text{std}}, f$ convenient non-degen. Laurent polyn. (~ mirror of toric)

Eg. Crepant resolⁿ of $\mathbb{C}^n/\Gamma, d^n z$ w/ $\Gamma \stackrel{\text{finite}}{\leq} SU(n), g_{\text{ALE}}$ (orbifold LG B-model)

Thm (Li-Wen) $f: (X, g, \Omega) \xrightarrow{\text{holo.}} \mathbb{C}$, strong elliptic, cpt. $\text{Crit}(f)$
 bounded CY geometry

(1) $(PV_{f,\infty}(X), \bar{\partial}_f, \partial)$ dGBV, w/ pairing Tr , Hodge-to-deRham degen. $\checkmark$

(2) $(PV_c(X), \bar{\partial}_f) \subset (PV_{f,\infty}(X), \bar{\partial}_f) \subset (PV(X), \bar{\partial}_f)$ quasi-isom.

($\implies$ Hodge-to-deRham degen. $\checkmark$ for all)

(3) Poincaré duality

$Tr: H^*(PV_{f,\infty}(X), \bar{\partial}_f) \otimes H^*(PV_{f,\infty}(X), \bar{\partial}_f) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ non-degen.

($\leadsto K_f$ generalize K. Saito higher residue)

Cor. Frobenius str. on $H^*(PV(X), \bar{\partial}_f)$.

Remark: $\exists$ char. p approach.

§12 Open-closed B-model

closed string field B-model $\implies$ BCOV theory

Witten 1992

open string field B-model $\implies$ CS + instantons

open string field A-model $\implies$ Holom. CS

holo. v.b. $E \longrightarrow (X, \Omega_X)$ CY3

fields $\mathcal{E} = \Omega^{\bullet,*}(X, \text{End } E)[1] \ni A = \underset{\text{ghost}}{A} + \underset{\text{physical field}}{A} + \underset{\text{anti-ghost}}{A} + \underset{\text{anti-field}}{A}$

HCS

action $HCS(A) = \int_X \text{Tr}_E \left(\frac{1}{2} A \wedge \bar{\partial} A + \frac{1}{6} A \wedge [A, A] \right) \wedge \Omega_X$

EOM, for A_1 , $\bar{\partial} A_1 + \frac{1}{2} [A_1, A_1] = 0$

$\bar{\nabla} = \bar{\partial} + A_1$, $(\bar{\nabla})^2 = 0 \leadsto$ deform holo. v.b. str. on E .

HCS describes moduli of holom. v.b.

$\mathcal{E}$: (-1) -shifted sympl. w/ $\omega(\alpha, \beta) = \int_X \text{Tr}(\alpha \wedge \beta) \wedge \Omega_X$

$\omega^{-1} \leadsto$ shifted Poisson kernel $\delta_A \in (\mathcal{E} \otimes \mathcal{E})_{\text{dist.}}$

BV bracket $\{I_1, I_2\}_0$ for local fcl I 's.

HCS satisfies CME, $\{HCS, HCS\}_0 = 0$

Write $\delta_{HCS} := \{HCS, -\}_0$, $(\delta_{HCS})^2 = 0$ BRST-transf.

$\delta_{HCS} A = \bar{\partial} A + \frac{1}{2} [A, A]$, $\leadsto$ dgLa $\Omega^{\bullet,*}(X, \text{End } E)$

Large N perspective: $E \xrightarrow{\text{subndl.}} L^{\oplus N}$, L ample enough

$\longleftrightarrow$ idempotent $P \in \mathfrak{gl}_N(C^\infty(X))$, $P^2 = P$, $E = P(L^{\oplus N})$

$\Omega^{\bullet,*}(X, \text{End } E) \hookrightarrow \Omega^{\bullet,*}(X) \otimes \mathfrak{gl}_N = \mathcal{E}_N$

$\mathcal{E}_N \subset \mathcal{E}_{N+1} \subset \mathcal{E}_{N+2} \subset \dots$

Look for fcl. on $\mathcal{E}_N$, stable as $N \rightarrow \infty$, called "admissible fcl". Eg. $\int_X \text{Tr} A^3 \wedge \Omega_X$

Large N duality HCS on $\mathcal{E}_N$, $J = \delta(HCS)$ 1st order deformatⁿ, loc. adm.

$\xrightarrow{\text{CME}} \delta_{HCS} J = \{HCS, J\}_0 = 0 \implies J$ in loc. dual of $H_*^{\text{lie}}(\mathfrak{gl}_N(\Omega^{\bullet,*}(X)), \bar{\partial}, [-, \cdot])$

(Loday-Quillen-Tsygan) $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} H_*^{\text{lie}}(\mathfrak{gl}_N(R)) = \text{Sym}(HC_{-1}(R))$ ← cyclic homology

$HC_*(\Omega^{\bullet,*}(X)) \xrightarrow{\text{HKR}} \underbrace{(\Omega^{\bullet,*}(X)[\pm], \bar{\partial} + \pm \partial)}_{\Omega^{\bullet,*}(X)[[\pm]] / \pm \Omega^{\bullet,*}(X)[\pm]}$ $(HC_*(R) \sim (C_*(R)[\pm], b + \pm B))$



$$(\Omega^{\bullet,\bullet}(X)[\hbar], \bar{\partial} + \hbar \partial) \xleftrightarrow{\text{local dual}} (PV(X)[\hbar], Q = \bar{\partial} + \hbar \partial) \rightsquigarrow S_+$$

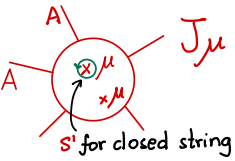
BCOV field (gravity) = single trace operator at $N \rightarrow \infty$
 ie Gauge / Gravity duality

Eg 1. $\mu \in PV^{k,\bullet}(X) \rightsquigarrow 1^{\text{st}}$ order deformatⁿ.

$$J_\mu = \int_X \text{Tr} (\mu \lrcorner A \wedge \partial A \wedge \dots \wedge \partial A) \wedge \Omega_X \quad (\text{HKR})$$

Eg 2. $\mu \in t^m PV^{k,\bullet}(X) \rightsquigarrow 1^{\text{st}}$ order deformatⁿ.

$$J_\mu = \sum_{\ell_1 + \dots + \ell_k = 2m} \int_X \text{Tr} (\mu \lrcorner A \wedge A^{\ell_1} \wedge \partial A \wedge A^{\ell_2} \wedge \partial A \wedge \dots \wedge A^{\ell_k} \wedge \partial A) \wedge \Omega_X$$



J_μ general formula for higher order deformatⁿ at the disk level
 by Willwacher-Calaque's cyclic extⁿ of Kontsevich formality.

$$\int \text{Conf}_{n,m}(D^2) \rightsquigarrow \text{Poisson } \sigma\text{-model.}$$

Open-closed Master Eqt for $I_{g,h}(\mu, A)$ g : genus
 h : # bdy. comp.

$\{I_{g,h}(\mu, A)\}$ needs to s.t. Zvievech's open-closed master eqt.,

$$\sim \partial(M_{\Sigma_{g,h}}) \sim \text{degenerat}^n \text{ of } \Sigma_{g,h}$$

$$\text{Eg } (g,h)=(0,1), \partial(\text{disk with 2 points}) \sim \text{disk with 1 point} + \text{disk with 3 points}$$

$$Q I_{0,1} + \frac{1}{2} \{I_{0,1}, I_{0,1}\}_o + \{I_{0,1}, I_{0,0}\}_c = 0$$

$\sim$ Kontsevich formality $\{-, I_{0,0}\}_c$. (symmetry) open BV bracket closed BV bracket

$$\text{Eg. } (g,h)=(2,0) \text{ (i.e. } (Q + \hbar \Delta_c) I + \frac{1}{2} \{I, I\}_c = 0)$$

$$\partial(\text{torus with 2 points}) \sim \text{torus with 1 point} \cup \text{torus with 3 points} \cup \text{torus with 5 points}$$

$$Q I_{2,0} + \Delta_c I_{1,0} + \frac{1}{2} \{I_{1,0}, I_{1,0}\}_c + \{I_{0,0}, I_{2,0}\}_c = 0$$

$$\text{Eg. } (g,h)=(0,2)$$

$$\partial(\text{cylinder}) \sim \text{cylinder with 1 point} + \text{cylinder with 3 points} + \text{cylinder with 5 points}$$

$$Q I_{0,2} + \{I_{0,0}, I_{0,2}\}_o + \Delta_o I_{0,1} + \frac{1}{2} \{I_{0,1}, I_{0,1}\}_c + \{I_{0,0}, I_{0,2}\}_c = 0$$

1-loop anomaly
 $\sim \text{Tr}_{\mathfrak{gl}_N}(\bigcirc) = N \neq 0$ ($\text{Tr}_{\mathfrak{gl}_N}(\bigcirc) = 0$ ~ virtual VB in K-th, rk 0)

Thm (Costello-Li) HCS on $\Omega^{\bullet,\bullet}(\mathbb{C}^n) \otimes \mathfrak{gl}_{N|N}[1]$ w/ 1st order deformatⁿ

$\exists$ canon. quantizatⁿ $I_{g,h}$'s s.t. Zvievech's open-closed master eqt.,

Remark: Such quantizatⁿ glue to local CY w/ nontrivial $\mathbb{C}^\times$ -action.

Remark: BCOV + HCS open-closed B-model is UV finite $\forall$ CY.