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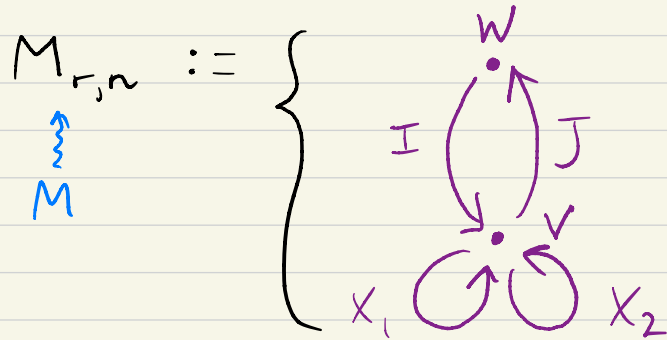


# Nekrasov's gauge origami and Oh-Thomas's virtual cycles

Motivation: ADHM quiver

$$V := \mathbb{C}^n, W := \mathbb{C}^r$$

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$X_1, X_2, I, J$  linear maps s.t.

$$[X_1, X_2] + IJ = 0$$

stable

$$\langle \langle X_1, X_2 \rangle \rangle IW = V$$

$/ GL(V)$   
↑  
free

Special case:

$$r=1 \Rightarrow J=0, M \cong \text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{C}^2)$$

# Facts:

(I)  $M$  smooth of dim.  $2rn$ ,  $T_M \cong \Omega_M$  symplectic

scale  $x_1, x_2$    
 diag. action on  $W$

(II)  $T := (\mathbb{C}^*)^2 \times (\mathbb{C}^*)^r \curvearrowright M$ ,  $M^T$  0-dim. and reduced   
 non-compact

$$\sum_n q^n \int_{M_{r,n}} 1$$

Nekrasov partition function

$$\longrightarrow = \sum_{P \in M_{r,n}^T} \frac{1}{e(T_M|_P)}$$

Atiyah-Bott

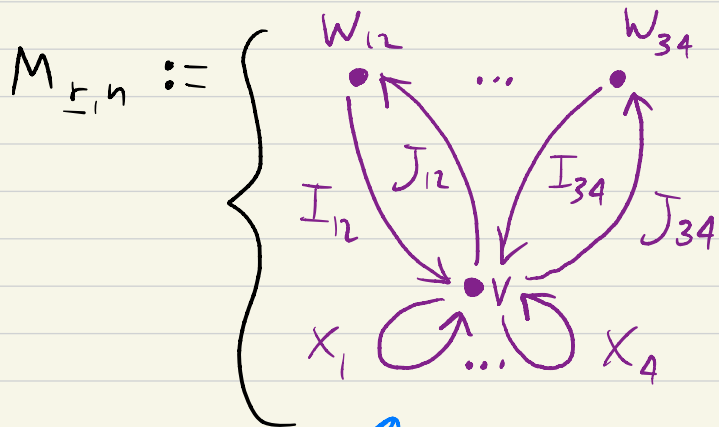
(III) sheaf description:

$$M_{r,n} \cong \left\{ (E, \phi) \mid \begin{array}{l} E \text{ rk } r \text{ torsion free sheaf } / \mathbb{P}^2 \\ \phi : E|_{\ell_{\infty}} \cong \mathcal{O}^r, c_2(E) = n \end{array} \right\} / \cong$$

Barth  $\ell_{\infty} \subseteq \mathbb{P}^2$  line

Nekrasov  $\underline{6} := \{\{a,b\} \mid 1 \leq a < b \leq 4\}$ ,  $\underline{4} := \{1,2,3,4\}$

$$\forall A \in \underline{6} : \bar{A} = \underline{4} \setminus A, V := \mathbb{C}^n, \{W_A := \mathbb{C}^{\bar{A}}\}_{A \in \underline{6}}$$



$X_a, I_A, J_A$  linear maps s.t.

$$[X_a, X_b] + I_A J_A = 0$$

$$J_{\bar{A}} I_A = 0$$

$$X_{\bar{a}} I_A = 0 = J_A X_{\bar{a}} \quad \forall A = \{a < b\} \in \underline{6}$$

stable  $\bar{a} \in \bar{A}$

$$\sum_A \langle \langle X_1, \dots, X_4 \rangle I_A W_A = V$$

$GL(V)$

free



Related space:  $\text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{C}^4) := \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Diagram: } \mathbb{C} \xrightarrow{I} \bullet \xrightarrow{V} \mathbb{C}^4 \\ \text{with } x_1, \dots, x_4 \text{ and arrows } \circlearrowleft, \circlearrowright \\ \text{Diagram: } \mathbb{C} \xrightarrow{I} \bullet \xrightarrow{V} \mathbb{C}^4 \\ \text{with } x_1, \dots, x_4 \text{ and arrows } \circlearrowleft, \circlearrowright \end{array} \right. \left. \begin{array}{l} X_a, I \text{ s.t.} \\ [X_a, X_b] = 0 \quad \forall a, b \\ \text{stab.} \\ \uparrow \\ \mathbb{C}\langle x_1, \dots, x_4 \rangle \cdot I \mathbb{C} = V \\ V = \mathbb{C}^n \end{array} \right\} / \text{GL}(V)$

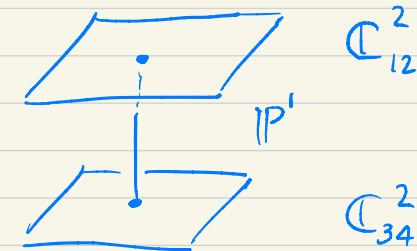
Goal: find analogs (I), (II), (III)

$$\mathbb{C}\langle x_1, \dots, x_4 \rangle \cdot I \mathbb{C} = V \\ V = \mathbb{C}^n$$

Rep. thy. direction: Kimura, Rapčák-Soibelman-Yang-Zhao

Issue: spaces very singular

Ex. 1  $r_{12} = r_{34} = 1$ , else  $r_A = 0$ ,  $n=1$ :  
 $\Rightarrow J_A = 0 \quad \forall A$



Ex. 2  $\text{Hilb}^{\geq 4}(\mathbb{C}^4)$  all singular

↓ j/w J. Rennemo

Extra structure  $M_{r,n}, \text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{C}^4)$

$(E, q)$  \* quadratic v.b.,  $q: E \otimes E \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathcal{A}}$  non-deg., symm.

↓  $\int_s$  \*  $\text{rk } E = \text{even}$ ,  $s$  isotropic section  $q(s,s) = 0$

$\mathcal{A}$  \* smooth conn. variety,  $M := Z(s)$ ,  $I := I_M/\mathcal{A}$

$T_{\mathcal{A}}|_M \xrightarrow{ds} E|_M \xrightarrow{q} E|_M^* \xrightarrow{(ds)^*} \Omega_{\mathcal{A}}|_M$   $\Omega_M^{\text{vir}}$  cx. of v.b.s.

$s^* \downarrow \parallel \downarrow$   
 $I/I^2|_M \xrightarrow{d} \Omega_{\mathcal{A}}|_M$   $\cong^{-1} \mathbb{L}_M$  cotangent cx.

$T_M^{\text{vir}} := (\Omega_M^{\text{vir}})^\vee$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $T_M^{\text{vir}}[2] \overset{\theta}{\cong} \Omega_M^{\text{vir}}$   
 $\Theta^\vee[2] = \theta$

3-term symmetric obstruction theory  
 “-2 symplectic”

$\mathcal{A}$ : moduli of reps of same quiver w/o relations

$s: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow E$  : relations

Claim:  $\exists q$  s.t.  $q(s, s) = 0$

Ex. For  $P = [(X_1, \dots, X_4, \mathbb{I})] \in \mathcal{A}$

$E|_P \cong \bigoplus_{1 \leq a < b \leq 4} \text{End}(V)$  ,  $s_P = \{ [X_a, X_b] \}_{a < b}$

$q_P(\{v_{ab}\}_{a < b}) = \text{tr}(v_{12}v_{34} - v_{13}v_{24} + v_{14}v_{23})$

$\rightsquigarrow M_{\Sigma, n}$ ,  $\text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{C}^4)$  “-2 symplectic”  $\leftarrow$  analog  $\textcircled{I}$

No Behrend-Fantechi virtual cycle...

Borisov-Joyce / Oh-Thomas virtual cycle:

pick  $\det E|_M \stackrel{o}{\cong} \mathcal{O}_M$  s.t.  $o \otimes o = \det q|_M$  orientation

e.g.  $\forall \Lambda \subseteq E$  :  $0 \rightarrow \Lambda \rightarrow E \rightarrow \Lambda^* \rightarrow 0$   
max isotropic  $\leadsto \det E|_M \stackrel{o}{\cong} \mathcal{O}_M$  orientation induced by  $\Lambda$

then  $\exists [M]^{\text{vir}} \in \text{CH}_{\text{vd}}(M)_{\mathbb{Q}}$   
depending on  $o!$   $\text{vd} := \text{rk } T_M^{\text{vir}} / 2$

for  $o = o_{\Lambda}$  :  $\lfloor_* [M]^{\text{vir}} = e(\Lambda) \cap [\mathcal{A}]$   $\iota: M \subseteq \mathcal{A}$

But  $M_{E,n}$ ,  $\text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{C}^4)$  non-compact... back to general setup:

suppose:  $X \ni T \curvearrowright \mathcal{A}$ :  $E, s$   $T$ -equivariant;  $q$   $T$ -invariant  
 $X$   $M^T$  0-dim. and reduced

Oh-Thomas

$$\int_{[M]^{\text{vir}}} 1 = \sum_{P \in M^T} \frac{1}{\sqrt{(-1)^{\text{vd}} e(T_M^{\text{vir}}|_P)}}$$

$T$ -equiv.  
 max. isotropic  
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where  $\sqrt{\cdot}$  induced by ori. ; suppose  $E = \Lambda \oplus \Lambda^*$

$$\leadsto \text{ori. } \circ_{\Lambda} ; \sqrt{(-1)^{\text{vd}} e(T_M^{\text{vir}}|_P)} = \pm e\left(\frac{T}{\mathcal{A}}|_P - \Lambda|_P\right)$$

!

Note:  $\Lambda|_P^{\text{fix}} \subseteq E|_P^{\text{fix}} \xleftarrow{ds} T_{\mathcal{A}}|_P^{\text{fix}}$  both max. isotropic

Fact:  $\pm = \begin{cases} + & \text{if } \Lambda|_P^f, T_{\mathcal{A}}|_P^f \text{ in same component} \\ - & \text{else} \end{cases}$   $OGr(E|_P^f, q|_P)$

$\Rightarrow$   $\boxed{\pm = (-1)^{\dim \text{cok}(pr_{\Lambda|_P} \circ ds|_P)^f}$   $K$ -Rennemo

$T := \{ (t_1, \dots, t_4) \in (\mathbb{C}^*)^4 \mid t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4 = 1 \} \times \prod_{A \in \underline{6}} (\mathbb{C}^*)^{r_A} \hookrightarrow M_{r,n}$

$\underbrace{t_i}_{\uparrow} \cdot X_a = t_a X_a$

then  $q$   $T$ -inv.!

$\underbrace{(\mathbb{C}^*)^{r_A}}_{\uparrow} \hookrightarrow M_{r,n}$   
diag. action on  $\overline{W}_A$   
coordinates  $w_{A,\alpha}$

Easy to find explicit  $\Lambda \subset E$  maximal isotropic

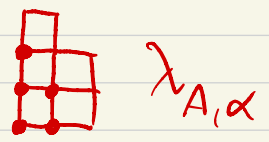
Ex. For  $P = [(X_1, \dots, X_4, I)] \in \mathcal{A}$ :  $\Lambda|_P = \bigoplus_{a < b = 4} \text{End}(V)$

Hilb<sup>n</sup>(C<sup>4</sup>)<sup>T</sup> : 4D partitions  $\pi \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}^4$  s.t.  $|\pi| = n$

M<sub>cin</sub><sup>T</sup> : 2D part.  $\underline{\lambda} = \{ \lambda_A = \{ \lambda_{A,\alpha} \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}^2 \}_{\alpha=1}^{r_A} \}_{A \in \underline{6}}$   
 s.t.  $|\underline{\lambda}| = n$

o-dim. reduced

Define:  $Z_\pi := \sum_{(i,j,k,l) \in \pi} t_1^i t_2^j t_3^k t_4^l$



$Z_{\lambda_A} := \sum_{\alpha=1}^{r_A} \sum_{(i,j) \in \lambda_{A,\alpha}} t_a^i t_b^j w_{A,\alpha} \quad \forall A = \{a < b\} \in \underline{6}$

Thm. (Cao-Zhao-Zhou, K-Rennemo, in physics: Nekrasov-Piazzalunga)

$$\sum_n q^n \int_{[\text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{C}^4)]^{\text{vir}}} 1 = e^{-\frac{(s_1+s_2)(s_1+s_3)(s_2+s_3)}{s_1 s_2 s_3 s_4}} q$$

$vd = n$

$$\stackrel{\star}{=} \sum_{\pi} q^{|\pi|} (-1)^{M_{\pi}} e^{-V_{\pi}}$$

w/  $\star \mu_{\pi} := |\pi| + |\{(a, a, a, b) \in \pi \mid a < b\}|$   $t_a \mapsto t_a^{-1}$

$\star V_{\pi} := Z_{\pi} + \frac{(1-t_1)(1-t_2)(1-t_3)}{t_1 t_2 t_3} Z_{\pi} Z_{\pi}^{\star}$ ,  $s_1 + s_2 + s_3 + s_4 = 0$   
 $\downarrow$   $s_a = c_1^T(t_a)$

$\star \star$  conj. by **Nekrasov-Piazzalunga**  $\leftarrow$  **SUSY Yang-Mills th.**  
 $\mathbb{C}^4$

$\star$   $\dagger$  by degeneration: **Cao-Zhao-Zhou** (no sign formula)

$\star$  analogue for  $\text{Hilb}^n(X)$ ,  $X$  compact CY4: **Bojko, Park**



Note  $\text{vd}(M_{\underline{r},n}) = - \sum_{A \in \underline{3}} r_A r_{\bar{A}}$ ,  $\underline{3} = \{\{1,2\}, \{1,3\}, \{2,3\}\}$

perturbative term:  $C := \int [M_{\underline{r},0}]^{\text{vir}}$

↓ following Nekrasov...

more notation:  $\forall \underline{\lambda} \in M_{\underline{r},n}^T \quad \forall A = \{a < b\} \in \underline{3}$ :

$\leadsto$   $Z_{\lambda_A}$ ,  $N_A := \sum_{\alpha=1}^{r_A} w_{A,\alpha}$ ,  $\phi(A) := \min \bar{A}$

$P_A := (1-t_a)(1-t_b)$ ,  $P_{1234} := (1-t_1)(1-t_2)(1-t_3)(1-t_4)$

$T_{\lambda_A} := N_A Z_{\lambda_A}^* + t_a t_b N_A^* Z_{\lambda_A} - P_A Z_{\lambda_A} Z_{\lambda_A}^*$

↑  $t_a t_b \times$  (tangent rep. ADHM moduli space at  $\lambda_A$ !)

Thm. (Arbesfeld-K-Lim, in physics: Nekrasov)

$$\frac{1}{C} \sum_n q^n \int_{[M_{r,n}]^{vir}} 1 = \sum_{\underline{\lambda}} q^{|\underline{\lambda}|} e(-V_{\underline{\lambda}})$$

$$w/ * V_{\underline{\lambda}} = \sum_{A \in \underline{G}} \left( P_{\phi(A)} T_{\lambda_A} + P_{\bar{A}} N_A \sum_{B \neq A} Z_{\lambda_B}^* \right) - P_{1234} \sum_{A < B} Z_{\lambda_A} Z_{\lambda_B}^*$$

\* weight  $e(-V_{\underline{\lambda}})$  : in **Nekrasov's** BPS/CFT papers

"origami partition function"  $Z_r(q)$   $\leftarrow$  analog  $\textcircled{\text{II}}$  ~ 2017

\*  $\triangle!$  sign always +

\* AKL: K-theoretic version

Key ingredient: for  $P = [(X_1, \dots, X_4, \{\mathbb{I}_A, \mathbb{J}_A\}_{A \in \underline{6}})] \in M_{\underline{r}, n}^T$

$$\text{cok} \left( T_{\mathcal{A}}|_P \xrightarrow{ds} E|_P = \Lambda|_P \oplus \Lambda|_P^* \xrightarrow{pr_{\Lambda}} \Lambda|_P \right)^{\text{fix !}} =$$

$$\text{cok} \left( \bigoplus_{a=1}^3 \text{End}(V) \rightarrow \bigoplus_{A=\{a < b < 4\} \in \underline{6}} \text{End}(V) \right)^{\text{fix}}$$

← calculated mod 2 by K-Rennemo

$$\bigcup_{a=1}^3 \{Y_a\} \mapsto \bigcup_{A=\{a < b < 4\}} \{[X_a, Y_b] + [Y_a, X_b]\}$$

Rem. Similar reduction to signs  $\text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{C}^4)$ :  
tetrahedron inv. Fasola-Monavari, Pomoni-Yan-Zhang

(classical) ADHM moduli  
w/ equiv. parameters  
 $t_1, t_2, w_{12, \alpha}, \alpha = 1, \dots, r$

Back to origami ...

Ex. 1 Take  $r_2 = r, r_A = 0$  else;  $M_{\underline{r}, n} = M_{r, n}$

$$\Rightarrow Z_{\underline{r}}(q) = \sum_n q^n \int_{M_{r, n}} e(T_{M_{r, n}} \otimes t_3^{-1})$$

equiv. Euler char. of  
ADHM moduli  
"Vafa-Witten inv.  $\mathbb{C}_{x_1, x_2}^2$ "

Ex. 2 Take  $r_{a4} = 0 \quad \forall a = 1, 2, 3$

$\exists A_0 \xrightarrow{\Phi} \mathbb{C}$  sm. variety w/ regular function:  $M_{r,n} \stackrel{\text{RSYZ}}{\downarrow} = \text{Crit}(\Phi)$

Fact:  $\int_{[M_{r,n}]_{\text{OT}}^{\text{vir}}} 1 = \int_{[M_{r,n}]_{\text{BF}}^{\text{vir}}} 1$  ← Behrend-Fantechi virtual cycle

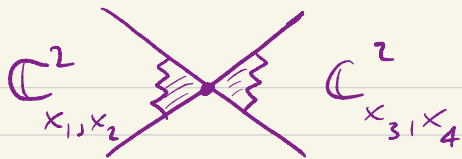
Restrict to:  $T_0 := \{ (t_1, \dots, t_4, \{w_{A,\alpha}\}_{A,\alpha}) \in T \mid t_1 t_2 t_3 = 1 \}$

COHA: Rapčák-Soibelman-Yang-Zhao  $\nearrow \Phi T_0$ -inv.

On  $T_0$ :  $Z_{\square}(q) = \tilde{\eta}(q)^{-r}$ ,  $r := \sum_{A \in \underline{6}} r_A$   
normalized Dedekind eta,  $\tilde{\eta}(q) = \prod_{n>0} (1 - q^n)$

Thm. (Arbesfeld-K-Lim)

Let  $r_{12} = r_{34} = 1$ ,  $r_A = 0$  else



$$Z_r(q) = \bar{\eta}(q) \frac{-(s_2 + s_3)(s_1 + s_3)}{s_1 s_2} \cdot \bar{\eta}(q) \frac{-(s_3 + s_1)(s_4 + s_1)}{s_3 s_4}$$

Key ingredient:  $M_{r,n} \xrightarrow{\text{projective}} M_{r,n}^{\text{semisimple}} \cong \text{Sym}^n(\mathbb{C}^4)$

Towards sheaf description:

$X$  smooth proj. 4-fold s.t.  $\exists D > 0 : 2D \in |-K_X|$

$v = (0, 0, \gamma, *, *) \in H^{2*}(X, \mathbb{Q})$ , fix  $F$  pure 1-dim. sheaf on  $D$

$$M_X^{fr}(v) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (E, \phi) : E \text{ pure } \underline{2\text{-dim. sheaf}} \text{ on } X \\ \phi : E|_D \xrightarrow{\sim} F \\ \text{ch}(E) = v \end{array} \right\} / \cong$$

$\uparrow$   
 $M^{fr}$

quasi-proj. scheme w/ univ. family

$\uparrow$  use Huybrechts-Lehn stab. of pairs

$\exists$  3-term symmetric obstruction theory:

$$\Omega_{Mfr}^{vir} \rightarrow \tau^{\gg -1} \mathbb{L}_{Mfr}$$

s.t.  $\tau_{Mfr}^{vir} |_{(E, \phi)} \cong \mathbb{R} \mathrm{Hom}_X(E, E(-D)) [1]$

← selfdual  
3-term b/c  
 $\mathrm{Hom}(E, E(-D)) = 0$ !

each choice of orientation gives  $[Mfr]^{vir} \in \mathrm{CH}_{vd}(M)_{\mathbb{Q}}$



$$vd = -\frac{1}{2} \gamma^2$$

[this uses:  
Spaide's work  $\Rightarrow$  isotropic condition for normal cone]

we consider  $T$ -equivariant settings ...

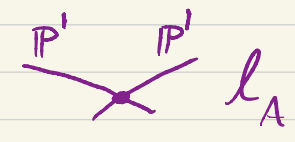


Take  $X := \mathbb{P}^1_{x_i} \times \mathbb{P}^1_{y_i} \times \mathbb{P}^1_{z_i} \times \mathbb{P}^1_{w_i}$ ,  $D := \{x_0 y_0 z_0 w_0 = 0\}$

$S_{12} = \{z_i = w_i = 0\}$      $S_{23} = \{x_i = w_i = 0\}$   
 $S_{13} = \{y_i = w_i = 0\}$      $S_{24} = \{x_i = z_i = 0\}$   
 $S_{14} = \{y_i = z_i = 0\}$      $S_{34} = \{x_i = y_i = 0\}$

} all  $\cong \mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1$

$\mathcal{L}_A = S_A \cap D$ ,  $F_{\underline{r}} := \bigoplus_{A \in \underline{6}} \mathcal{O}_{\mathcal{L}_A}^{r_A}$ ,  $\underline{r} := \{r_A\}_{A \in \underline{6}}$



$v := \sum_{A \in \underline{6}} r_A \text{ch}(\mathcal{O}_{S_A}) - n \cdot [\text{pt}]$ ,  $vd = - \sum_{A \in \underline{3}} r_A r_{\bar{A}}$  acts on framing  $F_{\underline{r}}$

note:  $T \mathcal{Q} M_{\underline{r}, n}^{\text{fr}} := M_X(v)$ ,  $T \cong (\mathbb{C}^*)^3 \times T^{\text{fr}}$  acts on  $(X, D)$

Fact:

sheaf side

quiver side

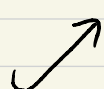
$$M_{r,n}^{\text{fr}}$$

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$$(M_{r,n}^{\text{fr}}) \cong (M_{r,n})$$

let  $\dot{M}_{r,n}^{\text{fr}}$ ,  $\dot{M}_{r,n}$  connected comp. containing  $T^{\text{fr}}$ -fx loci

Expectation:  $\exists \dot{M}_{r,n}^{\text{fr}} \xrightarrow{\sim} \dot{M}_{r,n}$   $T$ -equiv. iso. ↖ analog (III)

compatible w/ virtual structures & above inclusions

Prop. (AKL)

$$\forall P \in (M_{r,n}^{\text{fr}})^T \cong (M_{r,n})^T :$$

$$T_{M_{r,n}^{\text{fr}}|_P}^{\text{vir}} = T_{M_{r,n}|_P}^{\text{vir}} \in K_0^T(\text{pt})$$

Compact case:  $(X, H)$  smooth polarized Calabi-Yau 4-fold

$$v = (0, 0, \gamma, *, *) \in H^{2,*}(X, \mathbb{Q}) \quad \text{algebraic}$$

$$M_X^H(v) := \left\{ E \text{ Gieseker } H\text{-stable pure 2-dim. sheaf } / X \right\} / \cong$$

$\uparrow$   
 $M$

assume: stable = semistable,  $\rightsquigarrow M$  projective scheme

$$\tau_M^{\text{vir}}[\mathbb{Z}] \cong \Omega_M^{\text{vir}}, \quad \theta^v[\mathbb{Z}] = \theta$$

$\exists$  3-term symm. obstruction theory:  $\Omega_M^{\text{vir}} \longrightarrow \tau^{\mathbb{Z}^{-1}} \mathbb{L}_M$

$$\Omega_M^{\text{vir}} = \tau^{[-2,0]} \left( \mathbb{R}\mathcal{H}om_{\pi_M} (E, E) / [\mathbb{1}] \right)^{\vee}$$

$\uparrow$   
univ. sheaf  
on  $M \times X$

$$\begin{aligned} \leftarrow \text{Hom}(E, E) &\cong \text{Ext}^4(E, E)^* \cong \mathbb{C} \\ \text{Ext}^1(E, E) &\cong \text{Ext}^3(E, E)^* \\ \text{Ext}^2(E, E) &\text{ selfdual} \end{aligned}$$

Borisov-Joyce / Oh-Thomas :  $\exists [M]^{\text{vir}} \in \text{CH}_{\text{vd}}(M)_{\mathbb{Q}}$

$$\text{vd} := 1 - \frac{1}{2}\gamma^2$$

Ingredients : \*  $M$  is Zariski locally an isotropic zero locus (Brav-Bussi-Joyce, building on PTVV)

$$* \exists \det T_M^{\text{vir}} \stackrel{\sim}{=} \mathcal{O}_M : 0 \otimes 0 = \det \theta$$

(existence orientations : Cao-Gross-Joyce  
Joyce-Uppmeier)

... but often  $[M]^{\text{vir}} = 0$  :

Ex.  $X$  smooth sextic CY4 containing  $\mathbb{P}^2 \subseteq X$

$$\leadsto \text{vd} = -\frac{1g}{2}$$

$$\gamma = [\mathbb{P}^2] \in H^{2,2}(X) \cap H^4(X, \mathbb{Q})$$

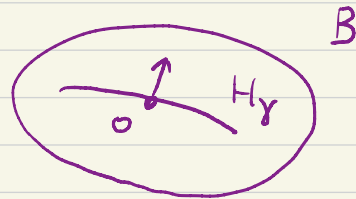
Explanation: let  $\begin{matrix} X & \rightarrow & 0 \\ \cap & & \cap \\ \mathcal{X} & \rightarrow & B \end{matrix}$  the family of smooth sextics

after restricting to contractible ngh. 0:

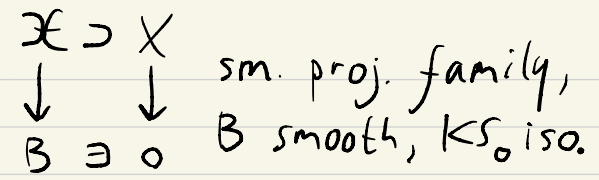
$$H_\gamma := \{ b \in B \mid \gamma \in H^4(\mathcal{X}_b, \mathbb{Q}) \text{ has type } (2,2) \}$$

$\cap$   
 $B$   $\swarrow$  Hodge locus  $\gamma$ ,  $\text{cod } H_\gamma = 1g!$

$[M]^{\text{vir}} = 0$  by deformation invariance



Back to any  $X, H, V = (0, 0, \gamma, *, *) \dots$



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“reducing”: remove  $\mathcal{O}^{\text{cod}(H_\gamma)}$  from  $Ob = h'(T_M^{\text{vir}})$

get 3-term symm. obstruction theory  $\Omega_M^{\text{red}} \rightarrow \tau^{\geq -1} \mathbb{L}_M$

and  $[M]^{\text{red}} \in CH_{\text{rvd}}(M)_{\mathbb{Q}}$

$$\text{rvd} = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \gamma^2 + \frac{1}{2} \text{cod}(H_\gamma)$$

deformation invariant along Hodge locus  $H_\gamma$ !

Compare to “reducing” for counting curves on K3 surface

Q: what is the significance in physics of  $[M]^{\text{red}}$ ?