

Symmetry Breaking in Quantum Curves & Super Chern-Simons Matrix Models

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Main References:

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Matrix Model = Spectral Theory

- M-Theory, Mother, Membrane (M2), Mystery

- ABJM Theory for Multiple M2-branes

[Aharony-Bergman-Jafferis-Maldacena 2008]

- Partition Function is Localized to Matrix Model

[Kapustin-Willett-Yaakov 2009]

- Large N Expansion = $N^{3/2}$, Airy Function

[Drukker-Marino-Putrov 2010, Fuji-Hirano-M 2011]

- Matrix Model as Spectral Det, $\text{Det}(1 + z H^{-1})$

(Fermi Gas Formalism) [Marino-Putrov 2011]

Matrix Model = Topological String

- Matrix Model by **Topological Strings**

[Hatsuda-Marino-M-Okuyama 2013]

- Many Generalizations

[... .. 2013-2019]

But, Why Interesting? What is New?

No More Matrix Models

- **ST** / **TS** Correspondence

(**S**pectral **T**Theories / **T**opological **S**trings)

[Grassi-Hatsuda-Marino 2014]

- On one hand,

Matrix Model = **Spectral Theory**

- On the other hand,

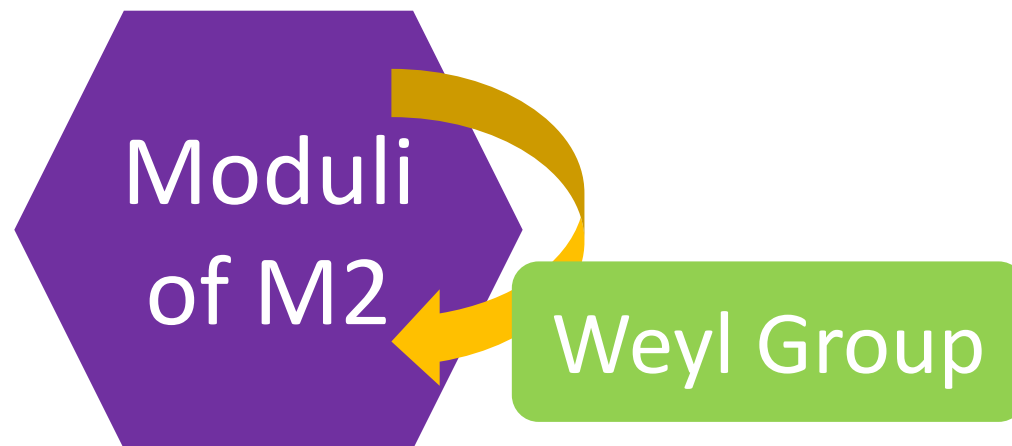
Matrix Model = **Topological String**

Advantages of ST / TS

- At Least Technically,

Group Theoretical Structure

- So Far, Free Energy of Topological Strings in **Kahler Parameters**
... Complicated & Ambiguous ...
- With Group Theoretical Structure, in **Characters**
- Conceptually, replace MM by ST / TS?



Especially, in "Strings & Fields 2017"

- Free Energy of Topological Strings

$$F = \sum N [(\text{characters}) e^{-\mu/k} + \{ (\text{characters}) \mu + \partial(\text{characters}) \} e^{-\mu}]$$

N : Multiplicities of Representations (BPS indices)

- (2,2) Model, $so(10) \rightarrow so(8)$
- Rank Deformations, $so(10) \rightarrow [su(2)]^3$

For D5[= $so(10)$] Del Pezzo Geometry

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Question: Explain the Symmetry Breaking!

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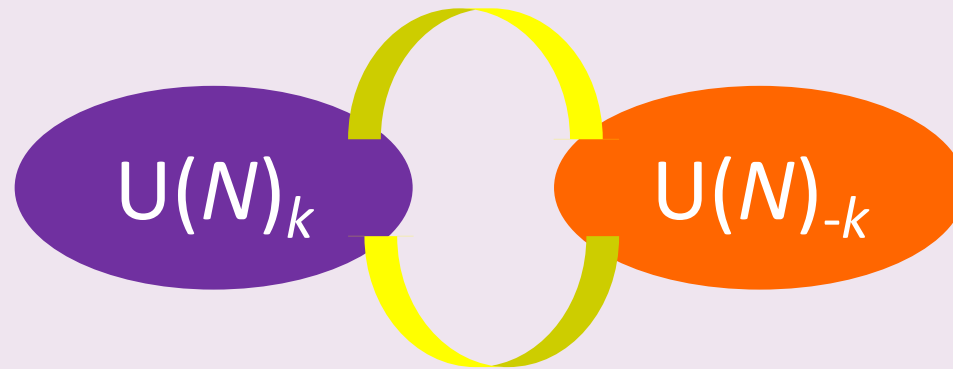
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1. ABJM Theory

(Background)

ABJM Theory

$\mathcal{N}=6$ Chern-Simons Theory



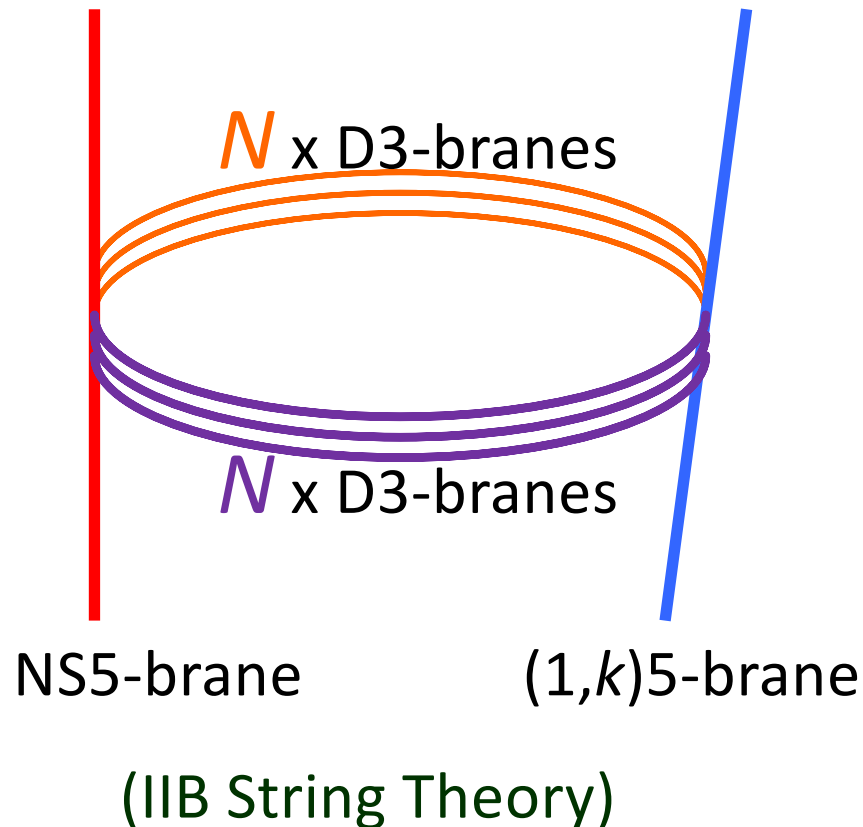
[Aharony-Bergman-Jafferis-Maldacena 2008]

N x M2 on C^4 / Z_k

Brane Configuration in IIB

From Large Supersymmetries

[Kitao-Ohta-Ohta 1998, ...]



→ T-duality to IIA

→ Lift to M-Theory

Grand Canonical Ensemble

- Partition Function $Z_k(N)$ & Grand Partition $\Xi_k(z)$

[Marino-Putrov 2011]

$$\Xi_k(z) = \sum_{N=0}^{\infty} z^N Z_k(N)$$

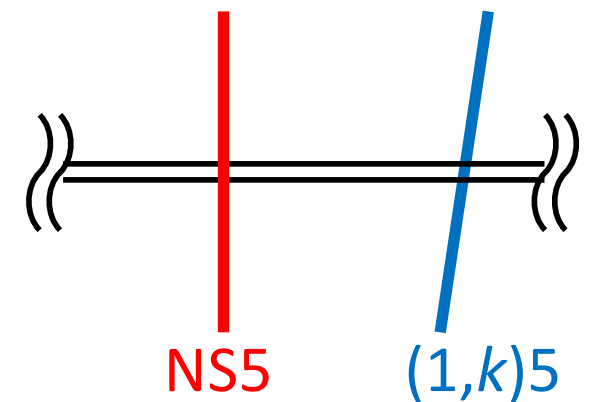
(N : Particle Number, z : Dual Fugacity)

- Spectral Determinant $\Xi_k(z) = \text{Det}(1 + z H^{-1})$

$$H^{-1} = (P^{1/2} + P^{-1/2})^{-1} (Q^{1/2} + Q^{-1/2})^{-1}$$

or $H = (Q^{1/2} + Q^{-1/2}) (P^{1/2} + P^{-1/2})$

($Q = e^q$, $P = e^p$, $[q, p] = i 2\pi k$)



From Matrix Models To Curves

[Marino-Putrov 2011]

[..., Hatsuda-Marino-M-Okuyama 2013]

Grand Partition Function $\Xi_k(z)$

Spectral Det
Det $(1 + z H^{-1})$

Free Energy of Top Strings
 $\exp [\sum N_{j_L, j_R}^d F_{j_L, j_R}^d (T)]$

$H = (Q^{1/2} + Q^{-1/2}) (P^{1/2} + P^{-1/2})$
(Curve Eq of **Local $P^1 \times P^1$**)

N_{j_L, j_R}^d : BPS index on
Local $P^1 \times P^1$
 d : degree, (j_L, j_R) : spins

$T = T(z)$: Kahler Parameters

From Matrix Models To Curves

(Without Referring To Matrix Model)

[Grassi-Hatsuda-Marino 2014]

Spectral Det
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Free Energy of Top Strings
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$H = (\text{Curve Eq})$
 $Q = e^q, P = e^p, [q,p] = i 2\pi k$

$N_{jL,jR}^d$: BPS index
on the **Curve**

2. Super Chern-Simons Theories

(Questions)

As a simple generalization

- (2,2) Model

[M-Nosaka 2014]

Spectral Det

$$\text{Det} (1 + z H^{-1})$$

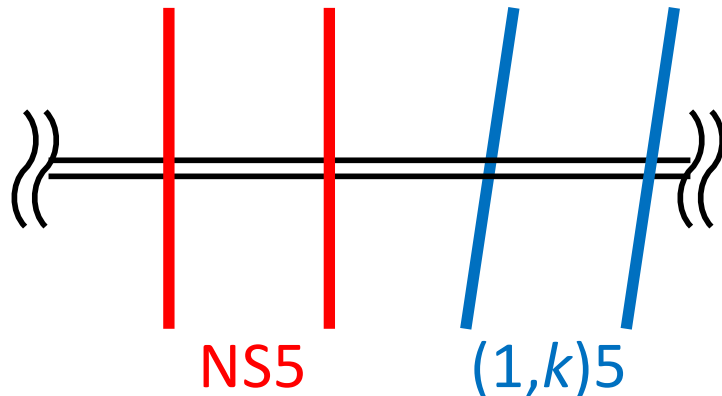


Free Energy of Top Strings

$$\exp [\sum N_{jL,jR}^d F_{jL,jR}^d (T)]$$

$$H = (Q^{1/2} + Q^{-1/2})^2 (P^{1/2} + P^{-1/2})^2$$

$N_{jL,jR}^d$: BPS index on
Local D5 Del Pezzo



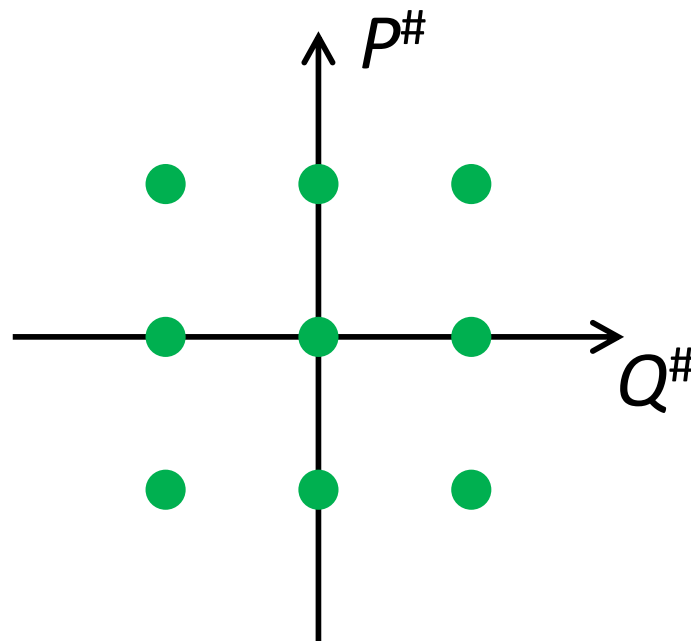
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For (2,2) Model

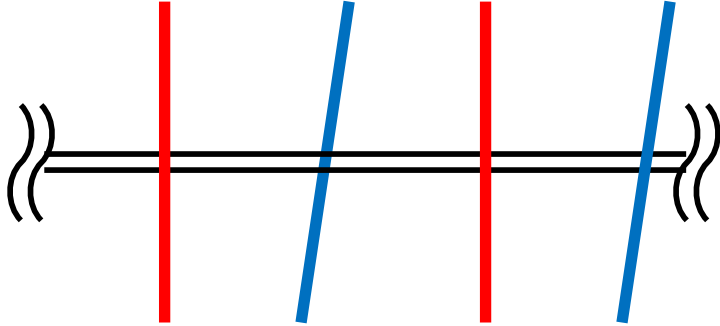
$$H = (Q^{1/2} + Q^{-1/2})^2 (P^{1/2} + P^{-1/2})^2$$

$$= Q^1 P^1 + 2P^1 + Q^{-1} P^1 + 2Q^1 + 4 + 2Q^{-1} + Q^1 P^{-1} + 2P^{-1} + Q^{-1} P^{-1}$$

Well-known Newton Polygon of $D5$ [=so(10)] Curve



Also

- $(1,1,1,1)$ Model  [Honda-M 2014]

$$H = (Q^{1/2} + Q^{-1/2})^1 (P^{1/2} + P^{-1/2})^1 (Q^{1/2} + Q^{-1/2})^1 (P^{1/2} + P^{-1/2})^1$$

$$= Q^{1/2} P^{1/2} Q^{1/2} P^{1/2} + \dots$$

$$= q^{-1/4} Q P + \dots$$

$$\text{(Since } P^\alpha Q^\beta = q^{-\alpha\beta} Q^\beta P^\alpha, q = e^{2\pi i k}\text{)}$$

The Same $D5$ Curve

Furthermore, **Two** Models are

- **connected** by Rank Deformations (M_1, M_2)



- described by Topological Strings

in **A Single Function:**

Free Energy of Top Strings

$$\exp \left[\sum N^d_{jL,jR} F^d_{jL,jR} (T) \right]$$

- Prepare **Six Kahler Parameters** $T_i^\pm = \dots$ ($i = 1, 2, 3$)
- **Total BPS indices** are distributed by Various Combinations

[M-Nakayama-Nosaka 2017]

Decomposition of BPS index

- Explicitly, 6 Degrees for 6 Kahler Parameters

$$\sum N^d_{(j_L, j_R)} (d_1^+, d_2^+, d_3^+; d_1^-, d_2^-, d_3^-) \cdot (T_1^+, T_2^+, T_3^+; T_1^-, T_2^-, T_3^-)$$

- BPS Index

- $d=1, (j_L, j_R)=(0,0)$

$$16 \rightarrow 2(1,0,0;0,0,0) + 4(0,1,0;0,0,0) + 2(0,0,1;0,0,0) \\ + 2(0,0,0;1,0,0) + 4(0,0,0;0,1,0) + 2(0,0,0;0,0,1)$$

From Tables in
[Huang-Klemm-Poretschkin 2013]

How About Higher Degrees?

Decomposition of BPS index

$ \mathbf{d} $	$\{\mathbf{d} = (d_1^+, d_2^+, d_3^+; d_1^-, d_2^-, d_3^-)\}$		$\pm N_{j_L, j_R}^{\mathbf{d}}(j_L, j_R)$
1	$(1, 0, 0; 0, 0, 0)$	$(0, 0, 0; 1, 0, 0)$	$2(0, 0)$
	$(0, 1, 0; 0, 0, 0)$	$(0, 0, 0; 0, 1, 0)$	$4(0, 0)$
	$(0, 0, 1; 0, 0, 0)$	$(0, 0, 0; 0, 0, 1)$	$2(0, 0)$
2	$(0, 2, 0; 0, 0, 0), (1, 0, 1; 0, 0, 0)$	$(0, 0, 0; 0, 2, 0), (0, 0, 0; 1, 0, 1)$	$(0, \frac{1}{2})$
	$(1, 0, 0; 0, 1, 0), (0, 1, 0; 0, 0, 1)$	$(0, 1, 0; 1, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1; 0, 1, 0)$	$2(0, \frac{1}{2})$
	$(1, 0, 0; 1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0; 0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1; 0, 0, 1)$		$4(0, \frac{1}{2})$
3	$(2, 0, 0; 1, 0, 0), (0, 2, 0; 0, 0, 1), (1, 1, 0; 0, 1, 0), (1, 0, 1; 0, 0, 1)$	$(1, 0, 0; 2, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1; 0, 2, 0), (0, 1, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1; 1, 0, 1)$	$2(0, 1)$
	$(0, 2, 0; 0, 1, 0), (1, 0, 1; 0, 0, 1), (1, 1, 0; 1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 1; 0, 0, 1)$		$4(0, 1)$
	$(0, 0, 2; 0, 0, 1), (0, 2, 0; 0, 0, 1), (0, 1, 1; 0, 1, 0), (1, 0, 1; 0, 0, 1)$		$2(0, 1)$

Decompositions Not Unique
Due to Relations among T 's

$$2T_2^\pm = T_1^\pm + T_3^\pm,$$

$$T_1^+ + T_1^- = T_2^+ + T_2^- = T_3^+ + T_3^-, \dots$$

Ambiguous, A Trouble

Organizing BPS Index Differently

[M-Nosaka-Yano 2018]

In $(M_1, M_2) = (M, 0)$ Deformation,

d	(j_L, j_R)	BPS	$(-1)^{d-1} \sum_{d_I} \left(\sum_{d_{II}} N_{j_L, j_R}^{(d, d_I, d_{II})} \right)_{d_I}$
1	$(0, 0)$	16	$8_{+1} + 8_{-1}$
2	$(0, \frac{1}{2})$	10	$1_{+2} + 8_0 + 1_{-2}$
3	$(0, 1)$	16	$8_{+1} + 8_{-1}$
4	$(0, \frac{1}{2})$	1	1_0
	$(0, \frac{3}{2})$	45	$8_{+2} + 29_0 + 8_{-2}$
	$(\frac{1}{2}, 2)$	1	1

Reminiscent of $45 \rightarrow 28_0 + 8_{+2} + 8_{-2} + 1_0$
in $\mathfrak{so}(10) \rightarrow \mathfrak{so}(8)$

Organizing BPS Index Differently

In General (M_1, M_2) Deformation,

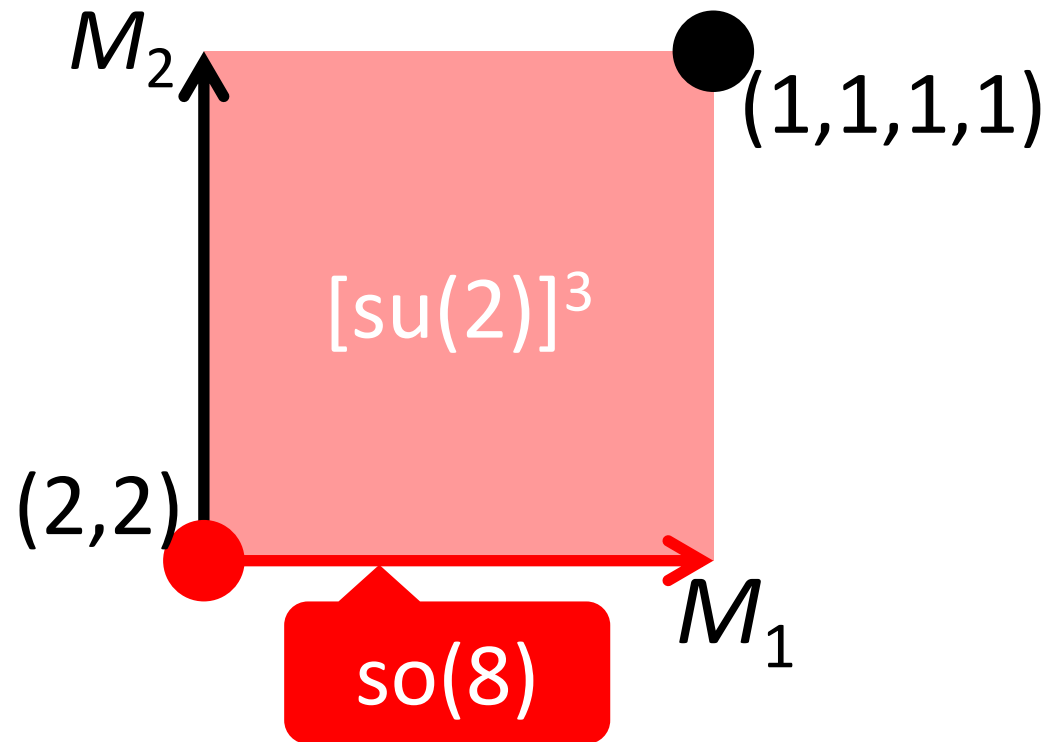
d	(j_L, j_R)	d_I	BPS	$(-1)^{d_I} \sum_{d_{II}} \left(N_{j_L, j_R}^{(d, d_I, d_{II})} \right)_{d_{II}}$
1	(0, 0)	± 1	8	$2_{+1} + 4_0 + 2_{-1}$
2	(0, $\frac{1}{2}$)	0	8	$2_{+1} + 4_0 + 2_{-1}$
		± 2	1	1_0
3	(0, 1)	± 1	8	$2_{+1} + 4_0 + 2_{-1}$
4	(0, $\frac{1}{2}$)	0	1	1_0
	(0, $\frac{3}{2}$)	0	29	$1_{+2} + 8_{+1} + 11_0 + 8_{-1} + 1_{-2}$

Interpreted As Further Decomposition $so(8) \rightarrow [su(2)]^3$

e.g. $28 \rightarrow (3, 1, 1, 1) + (1, 3, 1, 1) + (1, 1, 3, 1) + (1, 1, 1, 3) + (2, 2, 2, 2)$

in $so(8) \rightarrow [su(2)]^4$

Finally,



A Natural Question

Nice to Summarize Numerical Results by

$$\text{so}(10) \rightarrow \text{so}(8) \text{ \& } \text{so}(8) \rightarrow [\text{su}(2)]^3$$

- But Why ? Any Explanations ?

[Also Raised by Y.Hikida & S.Sugimoto, "Strings & Fields 2017"]

- Now We Have Answer From **Curve** Viewpoint

3. Symmetry, Symmetry Breaking

(Answer)

Strategy

- ① D5 Weyl Action on D5 Curve
- ② (2,2) Model in D5 Curve
- ③ Unbroken Symmetry for Models

Quantum Curve

As Classical Curves are Defined
by Zeros of Polynomial Rings

- Definition: Spectral Problem of

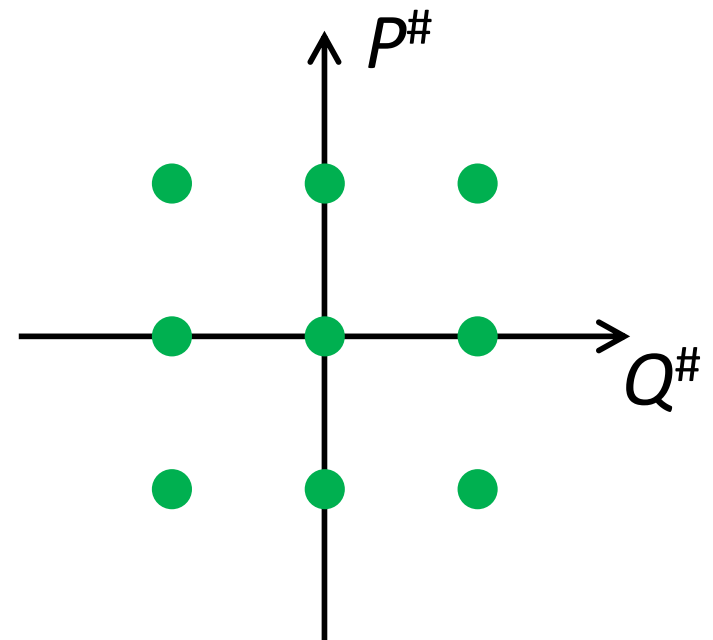
$$H = \sum c_{mn} Q^m P^n$$
$$(P^\alpha Q^\beta = q^{-\alpha\beta} Q^\beta P^\alpha, q = e^{2\pi i k})$$

Invariant under Similarity Transf.

$$H \sim G H G^{-1}$$

- For D5 Quantum Curve

$$H = \sum_{(m,n) \in \{-1,0,1\} \times \{-1,0,1\}} c_{mn} Q^m P^n$$



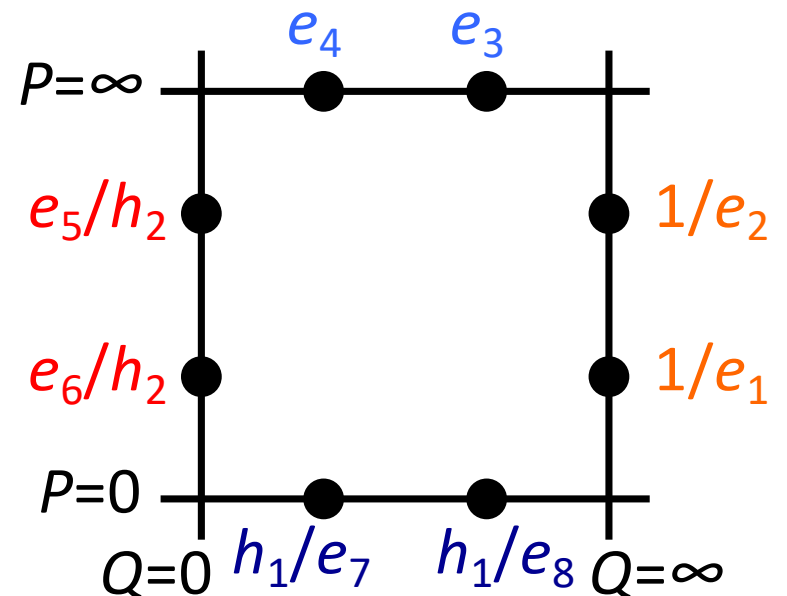
Parameterization

Parameterize D5 Curve by “Asymptotic Values”

$$\begin{aligned}
 H/\alpha = & \quad Q P & - (e_3 + e_4) P & + e_3 e_4 Q^{-1} P \\
 & - (e_1^{-1} + e_2^{-1}) Q & + E/\alpha & - \dots Q^{-1} \\
 & + (e_1 e_2)^{-1} Q P^{-1} & - \dots P^{-1} & + \dots Q^{-1} P^{-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

Subject to Vieta's Formula

解と係数の関係 $(h_1 h_2)^2 = e_1 \dots e_8$



① D5 Weyl Transformation

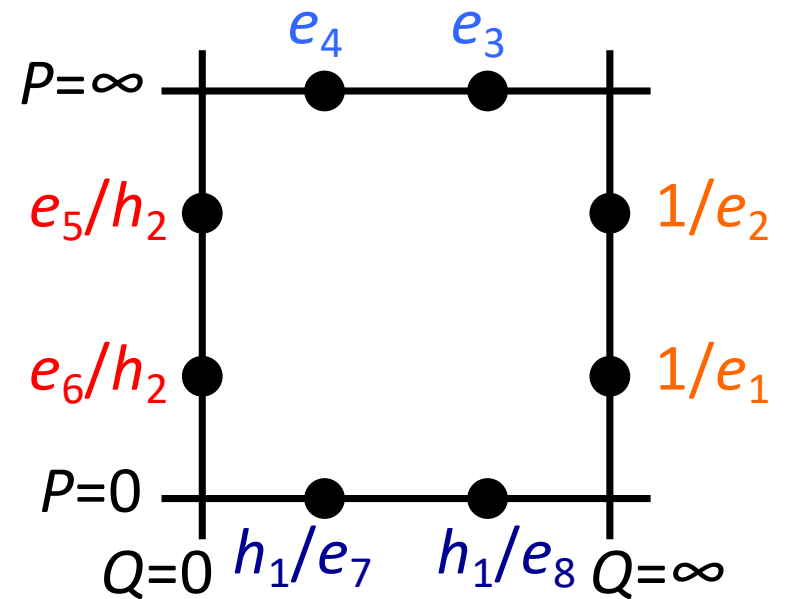
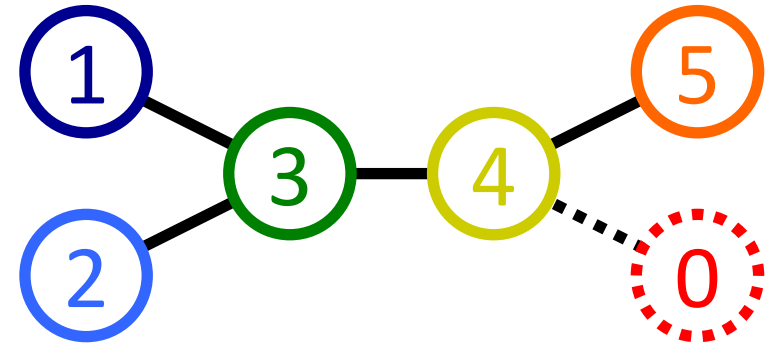
Trivial Transformations
(Switching Asymptotic Values)

$$s_1: h_1/e_7 \Leftrightarrow h_1/e_8$$

$$s_2: e_3 \Leftrightarrow e_4$$

$$s_5: 1/e_1 \Leftrightarrow 1/e_2$$

$$s_0: e_5/h_2 \Leftrightarrow e_6/h_2$$



① D5 Weyl Transformation

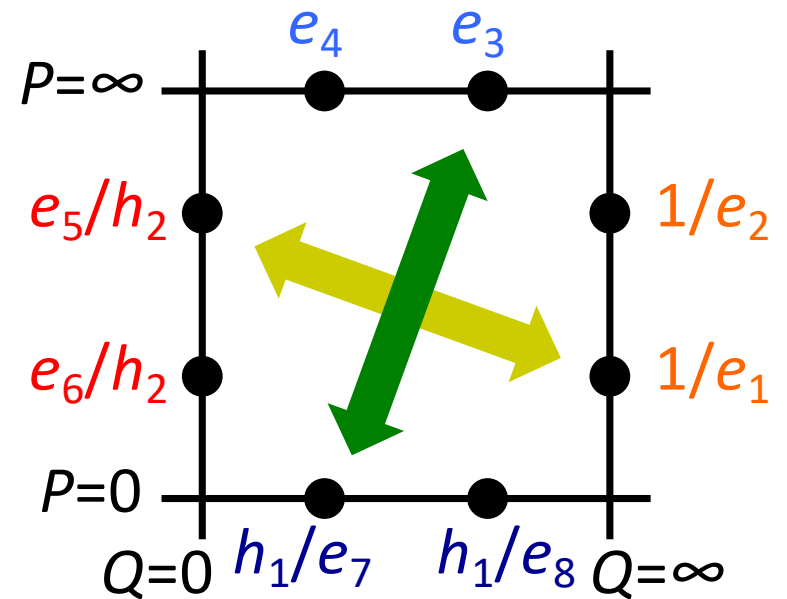
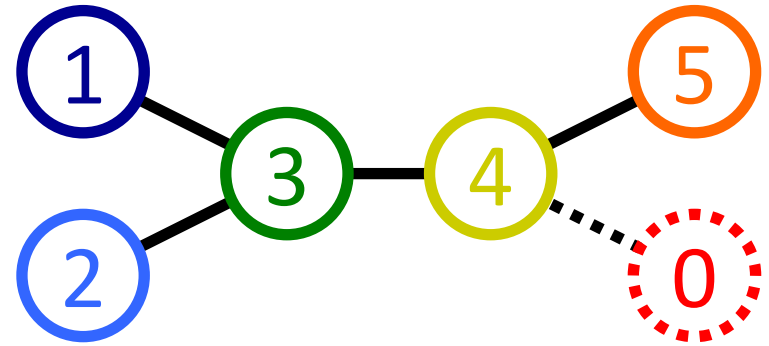
Nontrivial s_3 and s_4
by Suitable Similarity Transf.

$$Q' = GQG^{-1}, \quad P' = GPG^{-1}$$

$$s_3: e_3 \Leftrightarrow h_1/e_7$$

$$s_4: 1/e_1 \Leftrightarrow e_5/h_2$$

Totally, D5 Weyl Transf.



Gauge Fixing

- Redundancies in Parametrization
 - $(h_1, h_2, e_1, \dots, e_8)$: **10** Parameters for **8** Asymptotic Values
 - Similarity Transformation to Rescale Q & P

$$(Q, P) \sim (AQ, P), (Q, P) \sim (Q, BP)$$

- Totally, **4** Gauge Fixing Conditions

$$e_2 = e_4 = e_6 = e_8 = 1$$

- 6 Parameters Subject to 1 Vieta's Constraint

$$\rightarrow \text{5 DOF } (h_1, h_2, e_1, e_3, e_5)$$

$$s_1, s_2, s_3, s_4, s_5 : (h_1, h_2, e_1, e_3, e_5) \rightarrow (*, *, *, *, *)$$

② Matrix Models

- $(2,2), H = (Q^{1/2}+Q^{-1/2})^2 (P^{1/2}+P^{-1/2})^2$

$$(h_1, h_2, e_1, e_3, e_5) = (1, 1, 1, 1, 1)$$

- $(1,1,1,1), H = (Q^{1/2}+Q^{-1/2})(P^{1/2}+P^{-1/2})(Q^{1/2}+Q^{-1/2})(P^{1/2}+P^{-1/2})$

$$(h_1, h_2, e_1, e_3, e_5) = (1, 1, q^{-1/2}, q^{+1/2}, q^{-1/2}) \quad q = e^{2\pi i k}$$

③ Matrix Models

- $(2,2), H = (Q^{1/2}+Q^{-1/2})^2 (P^{1/2}+P^{-1/2})^2$

$$(h_1, h_2, e_1, e_3, e_5) = (1, 1, 1, 1, 1)$$

Unbroken
Symmetry

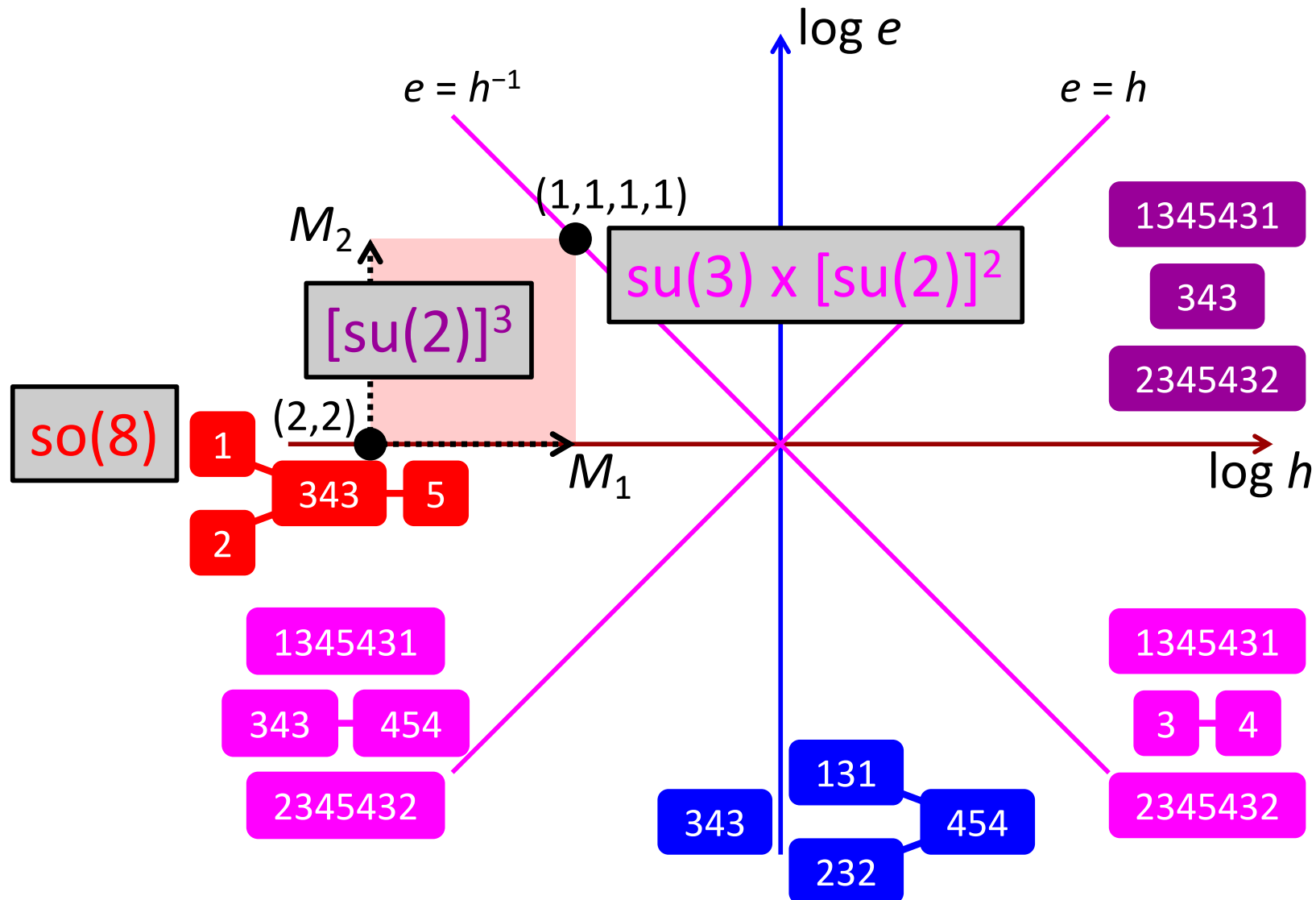
$$\rightarrow so(8)$$

- $(1,1,1,1), H = (Q^{1/2}+Q^{-1/2})(P^{1/2}+P^{-1/2})(Q^{1/2}+Q^{-1/2})(P^{1/2}+P^{-1/2})$

$$(h_1, h_2, e_1, e_3, e_5) = (1, 1, q^{-1/2}, q^{+1/2}, q^{-1/2}) \quad q = e^{2\pi i k}$$

$$\rightarrow su(3) \times [su(2)]^2 \neq [su(2)]^3$$

"Moduli Space of M2?"



$$(h_1, h_2, e_1, e_3, e_5) = (e/(qh), qh/e, 1/e, e, 1/e)$$

Conclusion & Further Progress

- Group-Theoretical Structure is useful
- **Weyl Group** acts on **M2-brane** configurations
- From **Matrix Models** To **Quantum Curves**
 - 3D Relative Ranks vs 5D Parameter Space
 - Group-Theoretical Structure works also for Mirror Map
 - Integrability Hierarchy also acts on M2-brane configurations
 - N. Kubo's, Y. Sugimoto's, T. Furukawa's talks and posters

