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" A tensorial description of the Turaev cobracket on genus 0 compact surfaces "

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Turaev cobracket

S : compact connected oriented surface

$\hat{\pi} = \hat{\pi}(S) := [S^1, S] = \pi_1(S) / \text{conj.}$ the free homotopy set of free loops on S

$p \in S$, $|\cdot| : \pi_1(S, p) \rightarrow \hat{\pi}(S)$, $x \mapsto |x|$, forgetful map of the basepoint p

$\mathbb{1} := |1| \in \hat{\pi}(S)$ trivial loop

$|\cdot|' : \mathbb{Z}\pi_1(S, p) \xrightarrow{|\cdot|} \mathbb{Z}\hat{\pi}(S) \xrightarrow{\text{quotient map}} \mathbb{Z}\hat{\pi}'(S) := \mathbb{Z}\hat{\pi}(S) / \mathbb{Z}\mathbb{1}$

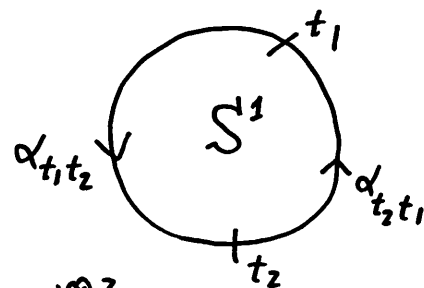
$\alpha \in \hat{\pi}$ in general position

$D_\alpha := \{ (t_1, t_2) \in S^1 \times S^1 ; t_1 \neq t_2, \alpha(t_1) = \alpha(t_2) \}$

$\delta(\alpha) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \sum_{(t_1, t_2) \in D_\alpha} \varepsilon(\dot{\alpha}(t_1), \dot{\alpha}(t_2)) |\alpha_{t_1 t_2}|' \otimes |\alpha_{t_2 t_1}|' \in (\mathbb{Z}\hat{\pi}'(S))^{\otimes 2}$

Turaev cobracket

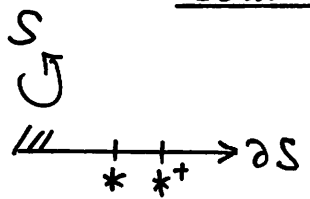
$\varepsilon(\dot{\alpha}(t_1), \dot{\alpha}(t_2)) \in \{\pm 1\}$ local intersection number



$$\delta \left(\text{figure} \right) = \text{figure}_1 \otimes \text{figure}_2 - \text{figure}_3 \otimes \text{figure}_4$$

(Turaev (1) δ is well-defined
 (2) $\mathbb{Z}\hat{\pi}'(S)$: Lie bialgebra

Coaction Assume $\partial S \neq \emptyset$.



$*, *^+ \in \partial S$, $\pi := \pi_1(S, *) \cong \pi_1(S, *^+)$ a free group of finite rank

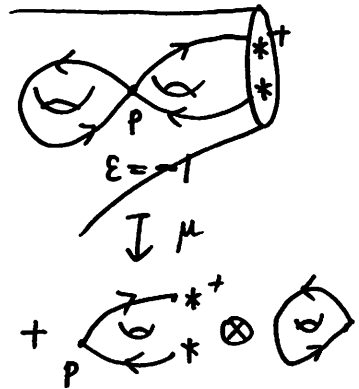
$\gamma \in \pi_1(S, *) \cong \pi$ in general position

$\Gamma_\gamma :=$ (the set of double points of γ) $\subset S$

$$p \quad 0 \leq t_1^p < t_2^p \leq 1 \quad \gamma(t_1^p) = \gamma(t_2^p) = p$$

$$\mu(\gamma) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} - \sum_{p \in \Gamma_\gamma} \varepsilon(\dot{\gamma}(t_1^p), \dot{\gamma}(t_2^p)) (\gamma_{0t_1^p} \gamma_{t_2^p 1}) \otimes |\gamma_{t_1^p t_2^p}|' \in \mathbb{Z}\pi \otimes \mathbb{Z}\hat{\pi}'$$

(inspired by Turaev's μ)



(Kuno-K. (1) μ is well-defined
 (2) $\mathbb{Z}\pi$: $\mathbb{Z}\hat{\pi}'$ -bimodule

$$\delta(|x|) = \text{alt} \circ (| \cdot | \otimes 1) \mu(x) \quad (\forall x \in \pi)$$

where $\text{alt} : \mathbb{Z}\hat{\pi}' \otimes \mathbb{Z}\hat{\pi}' \hookrightarrow \mathbb{Z}\hat{\pi}'$ $\text{alt}(u \otimes v) := u \otimes v - v \otimes u$.

group-like expansion

$\pi = \pi, (S, *)$: free group of finite rank

$\mathbb{Q}\pi := \left\{ \sum_{x \in \pi} a_x x ; a_x \in \mathbb{Q}, a_x = 0 \text{ for all but finite } x \in \pi \right\}$ group ring

$\widehat{\mathbb{Q}\pi} := \varprojlim_{p \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{Q}\pi / (I\pi)^p$, $I\pi := \left\{ \sum a_x x \in \mathbb{Q}\pi : \sum a_x = 0 \right\}$
 completed group ring augmentation ideal

$\Delta : \widehat{\mathbb{Q}\pi} \rightarrow \widehat{\mathbb{Q}\pi} \hat{\otimes} \widehat{\mathbb{Q}\pi}$, $x \in \pi \mapsto \Delta x = x \hat{\otimes} x$, coproduct

$\iota : \widehat{\mathbb{Q}\pi} \rightarrow \widehat{\mathbb{Q}\pi}$, $x \in \pi \mapsto \iota(x) = x^{-1}$, antipode $\rightsquigarrow \widehat{\mathbb{Q}\pi}$: complete Hopf algebra.

$H := H, (S; \mathbb{Q}) = (\pi / [\pi, \pi]) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Q}$

$x \in \pi \mapsto [x] := (x \bmod [\pi, \pi]) \otimes 1 \in H$

$\hat{T} = \hat{T}(H) := \prod_{m=0}^{\infty} H^{\otimes m}$, the completed tensor algebra over H

$\hat{T}_{\geq p} := \prod_{m=p}^{\infty} H^{\otimes m}$, two-sided ideal in \hat{T} ($p \geq 1$)

$\Delta : \hat{T} \rightarrow \hat{T} \hat{\otimes} \hat{T}$, $x \in H \mapsto \Delta x = x \hat{\otimes} 1 + 1 \hat{\otimes} x$ coproduct

$\iota : \hat{T} \rightarrow \hat{T}$, $x \in H \mapsto \iota(x) = -x$ antipode $\rightsquigarrow \hat{T}$: complete Hopf algebra

Definition $\theta : \pi \rightarrow \hat{T}$ group-like expansion

- $\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} \left[\begin{array}{l} 1) \forall x \in \pi \quad \theta(x) = 1 + [x] + \text{higher degree terms} \\ 2) \forall x, y \in \pi \quad \theta(xy) = \theta(x) \theta(y) \\ 3) \forall x \in \pi \quad \Delta \theta(x) = \theta(x) \hat{\otimes} \theta(x) \quad _ \end{array} \right.$

$\Rightarrow \theta: \widehat{Q\pi} \xrightarrow{\cong} \widehat{T}, \quad \sum a_x x \in Q\pi \mapsto \sum a_x \theta(x),$ isomorphism of complete Hopf algebras

$\widehat{Q\pi} := \varprojlim_{P \rightarrow \infty} Q\widehat{\pi} / (Q\mathbb{1} + |(I\pi)P|)$ completion of $Q\widehat{\pi}$ w.r.t. to $I\pi$.

$\delta: \widehat{Q\pi} \rightarrow \widehat{Q\pi} \widehat{\otimes} \widehat{Q\pi}$ Turaev cobracket

$N: \widehat{T} = \prod_{m=0}^{\infty} H^{\otimes m} \hookrightarrow$ linear endomorphism, cyclic symmetrizer
(cyclicizer)

$$N|_{H^{\otimes 0}} := 0$$

$$N(x_1 x_2 \cdots x_m) := \sum_{i=1}^m x_i \cdots x_m x_1 \cdots x_{i-1} \quad (x_j \in H)$$

Kuno-K. $\forall \theta: \pi \rightarrow \widehat{T}$ group-like expansion

$-N\theta: \widehat{Q\pi} \xrightarrow{\cong} N(\widehat{T}), \quad |x| \in \widehat{\pi} \mapsto -N\theta(x),$

is a linear isomorphism.

$$\delta^\theta := (-N\theta)^{\widehat{\otimes} 2} \circ \delta \circ (-N\theta)^{-1}: N(\widehat{T}) \rightarrow N(\widehat{T}) \widehat{\otimes} N(\widehat{T})$$

tensorial description of the Turaev cobracket

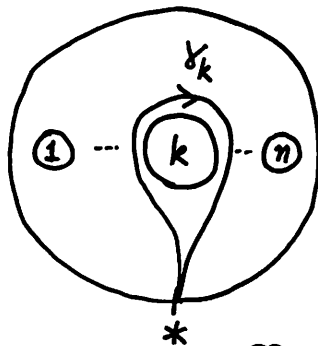
Massuyeau - Turaev, Kuno-K. If $S = \Sigma_{g,1} = \langle \text{diagram} \rangle$ and θ is "symplectic",

then the lowest degree term of δ^θ equals Schedler's cobracket.

K. If $S = \Sigma_{0,n+1} = \langle \text{diagram} \rangle$ and θ is "special", then the lowest degree

term of a regular homotopy version of δ^θ includes the divergence cocycle in the Kashiwara - Vergne problem.

$$n \geq 1, S = \Sigma_{0, n+1} =$$



$\pi = \langle \delta_1, \delta_2, \dots, \delta_n \rangle$
free group of rank n

$$x_k := [\delta_k] \in H, \quad 1 \leq k \leq n$$

$$H = \bigoplus_{k=1}^n \mathbb{Q} x_k$$

$$\theta^{\text{std}}: \pi \rightarrow \hat{T}, \quad \delta_k \mapsto \exp(x_k) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} x_k^m$$

$$\delta^{\text{std}} := \delta^{\theta^{\text{std}}}: N(\hat{T}) \rightarrow N(\hat{T}) \hat{\otimes} N(\hat{T})$$

$$s(z) := \frac{1}{e^{-z}-1} + \frac{1}{z} = -\frac{1}{z} - \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{B_{2m}}{(2m)!} z^{2m-1} = -\frac{1}{z} - \frac{1}{12} z + \frac{1}{720} z^3 - \dots \quad B_{2m}: \text{Bernoulli number}$$

Theorem (K.) $\forall m \geq 1, \forall k_1, \dots, k_m \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$

$$\begin{aligned} & \delta^{\text{std}}(N(x_{k_1}, x_{k_2}, \dots, x_{k_m})) \\ &= \text{alt}(N \hat{\otimes} N) \left(\sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq m} \left((1 \hat{\otimes} 1) \Delta \left(\varepsilon_{k_i k_j} x_{k_i} x_{k_j} - \delta_{k_i k_j} \frac{x_{k_i}^2}{e^{-x_{k_i}} - 1} \right) \right) (x_{k_{j+1}} \dots x_{k_m} x_{k_i} \dots x_{k_{j-1}} \hat{\otimes} x_{k_{i+1}} \dots x_{k_{j-1}}) \right. \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^m x_{k_{i+1}} \dots x_{k_m} x_{k_i} \dots x_{k_{i-1}} \hat{\otimes} x_{k_i} \\ & \quad \left. - \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{q=1}^{\infty} \frac{B_{2q}}{(2q)!} \sum_{p=0}^{2q-1} (-1)^p \binom{2q}{p} x_{k_1} \dots x_{k_{i-1}} x_{k_i}^p x_{k_{i+1}} \dots x_{k_m} \hat{\otimes} x_{k_i}^{2q-p} \right) \end{aligned}$$

where $\varepsilon_{k\ell} := \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } k > \ell \\ 0 & \text{if } k \leq \ell \end{cases}$

2 Lemmas \oplus Massuyeau-Turaev's description of homotopy intersection form
 (geometric)

Lemma 1 (conjectured by Kuno) If $x \in \pi_1(S, *)$ is represented by a simple loop with $\varepsilon(\dot{x}(0), \dot{x}(1)) = +1$, then

$$\mu(\log x) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 \otimes |\log x|' + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{B_{2m}}{(2m)!} \sum_{p=0}^{2m-1} \binom{2m}{p} (-1)^p (\log x)^p \otimes |(\log x)^{2m-p}|'$$

(algebraic)

$\leadsto: \hat{T}_{\geq 1} \times \hat{T}_{\geq 1} \rightarrow \hat{T}_{\geq 1}$. Massuyeau-Turaev's pairing

$$x_{i_1} \cdots x_{i_{l-1}} x_{i_l} \leadsto x_{j_1} x_{j_2} \cdots x_{j_m} := -\delta_{i_l j_1} x_{i_1} \cdots x_{i_{l-1}} x_{i_l} x_{j_2} \cdots x_{j_m} \quad (l, m \geq 1)$$

\leadsto : associative with unit $x_0 := -\sum_{k=1}^n x_k \in H$

$u, v \in \hat{T}_{\geq 1}$, $u * v := \log(\exp u)(\exp v)$ Baker-Campbell-Hausdorff series

$$\boxed{F} := x_1 * x_2 * \cdots * x_n \in \hat{T}_{\geq 1}$$

$$\boxed{F}^{-1} := (\text{the inverse element of } \boxed{F} \text{ with respect to } \leadsto) \in \hat{T}_{\geq 1}$$

Lemma 2

$$-\boxed{F}^{-1} + x_0 s(\boxed{F}) x_0 = x_0 - \sum_{k > \ell} x_k x_\ell + \sum_{k=1}^n s(x_k) x_k^2$$

Remarks (1) θ^{std} is group-like, but not "special"

(2) If $n=2$, there is an extra class of "special" expansions:
solutions to the Kashiwara-Vergne problem in a formulation
by Alekseev-Torossion.

(Conjecture If $n=2$ and θ is a solution to the Kashiwara-Vergne problem,
then $\delta^\theta \stackrel{(\text{?})}{=} \text{the lowest degree term of } \delta^\theta \text{ —}$

(Problem For $\Sigma_{g,1}$, does there exist a "symplectic" expansion θ
such that $\delta^\theta = \text{Schedler's cobracket ?}$

--- positive genus Kashiwara-Vergne problem ???

(cf) Kuno's computation for $\Sigma_{1,1}$.)