

Yang-Baxter Equation

from SUSY Gauge Theories

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Happy 10th anniversary, IGST!



mostly based on

M.Y. 1307.1128

D. Xie + M.Y. 1207.0811

M.Y. 1203.5784

Y. Terashima + M.Y. 1203.579

earlier works by

V. V. Bazhanov - S. M. Sergeev 1006.0651, 1106.5874

V. P. Spiridonov 1011.3798

yesterday

T. Bargheer, Y. Huang & F. Loebbert + M.Y. 1407.4449

Introduction

ocean of integrability



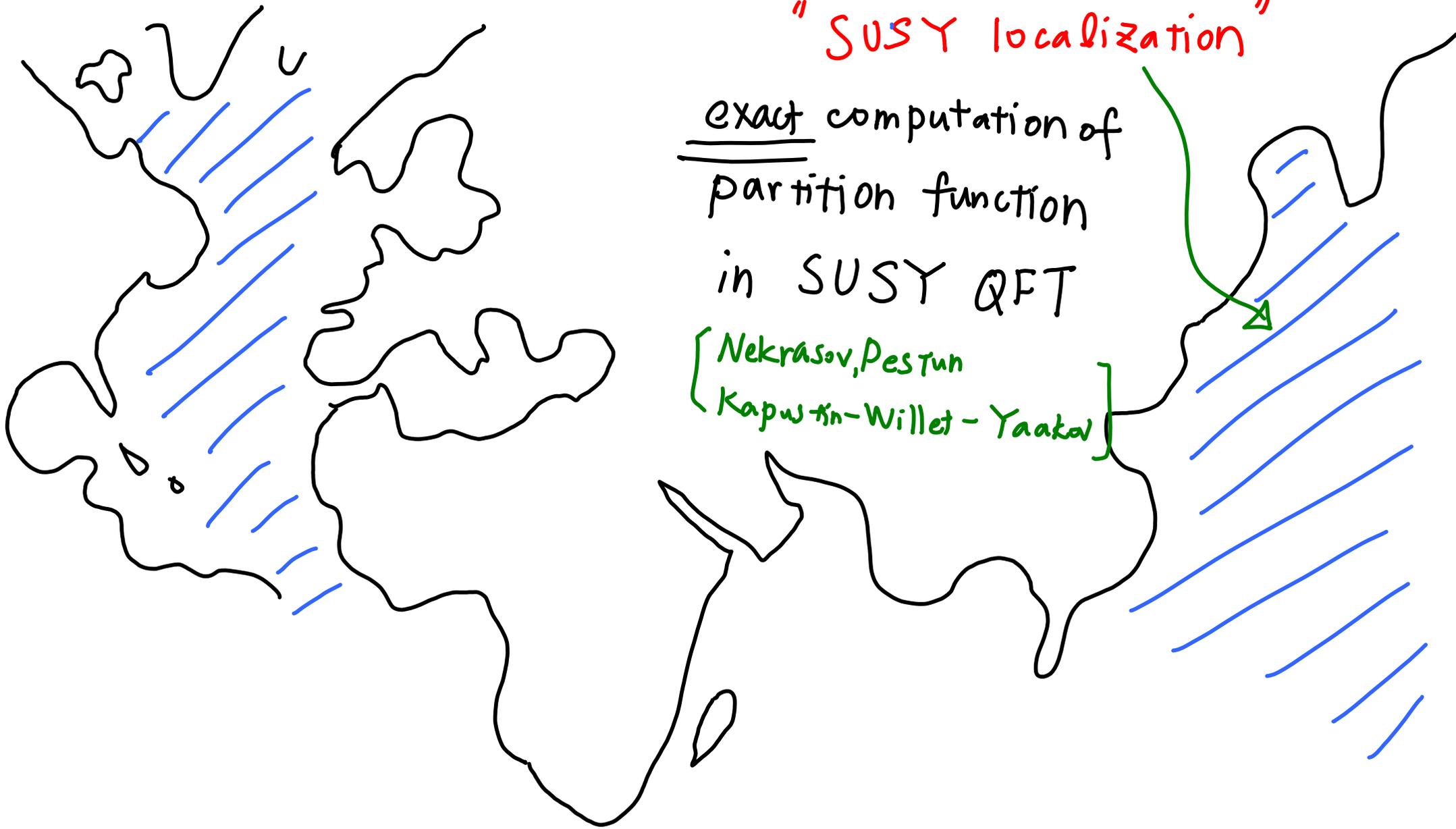
beautiful developments in
understanding 4d $N=4$, 3d ABJM,

& their gravity duals

"SUSY localization"

exact computation of
partition function
in SUSY QFT

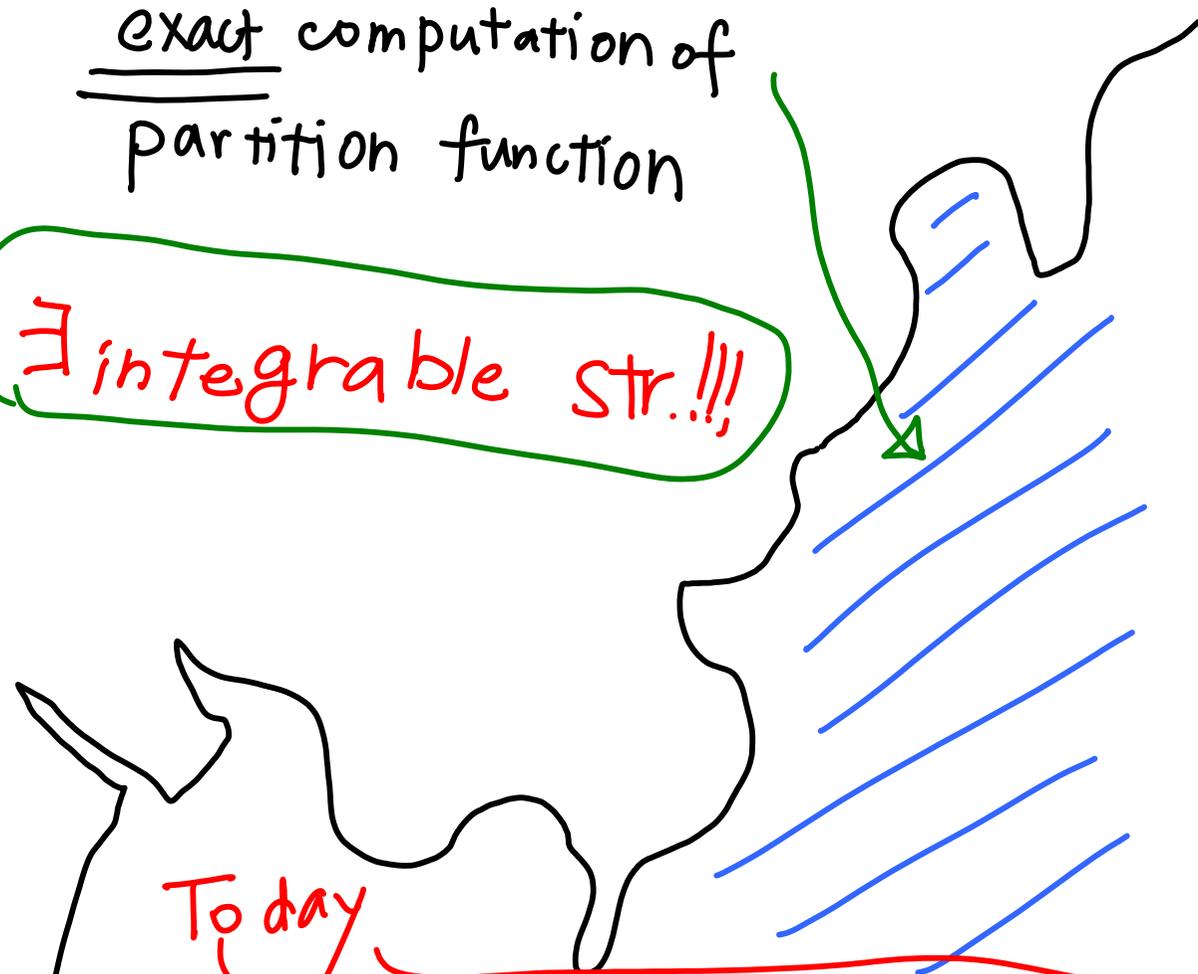
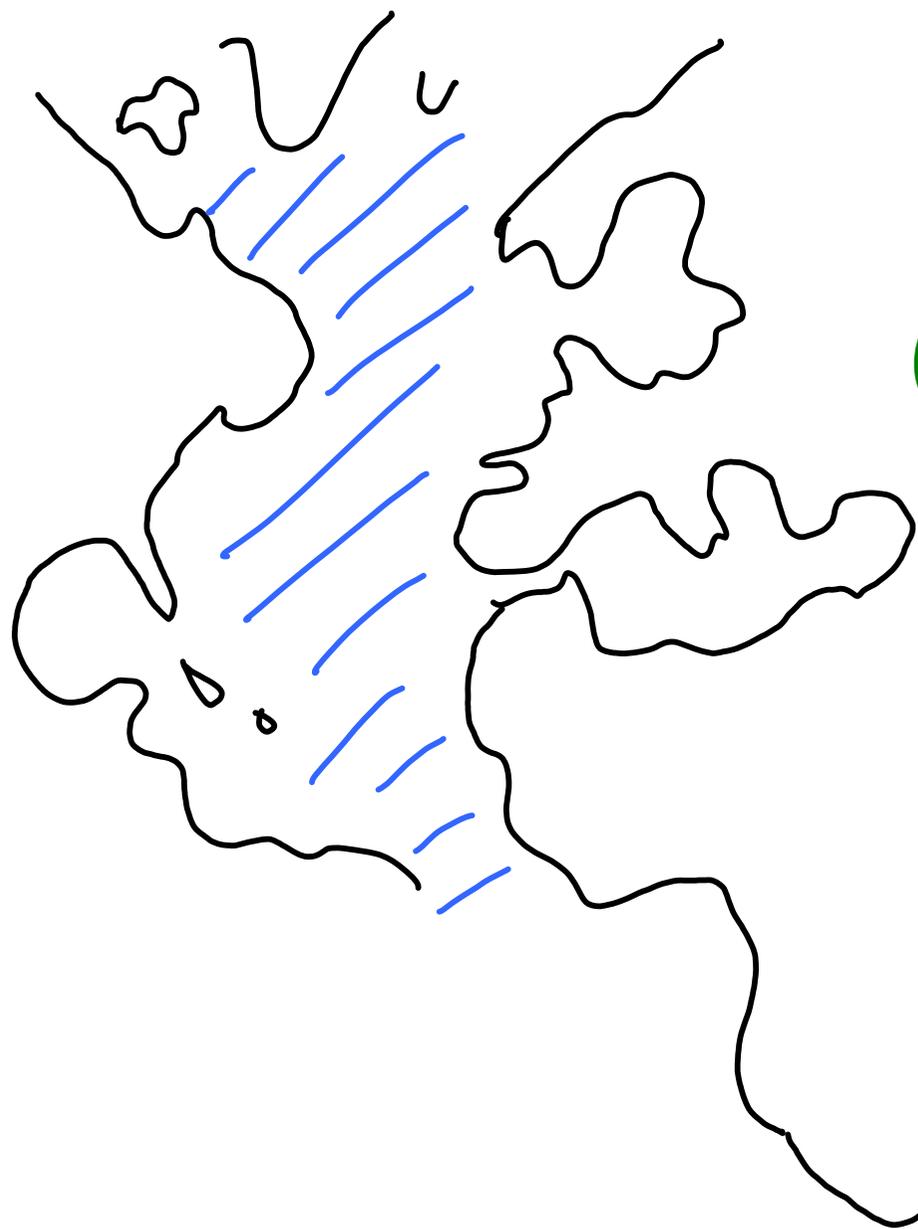
[Nekrasov, Pestun
Kapustin-Willet-Yaakov]



"SUSY localization"

exact computation of
partition function

\exists integrable str.!!!



To day

New integrable model
from 4d $N=1$ quiver
gauge theory

"SUSY localization"

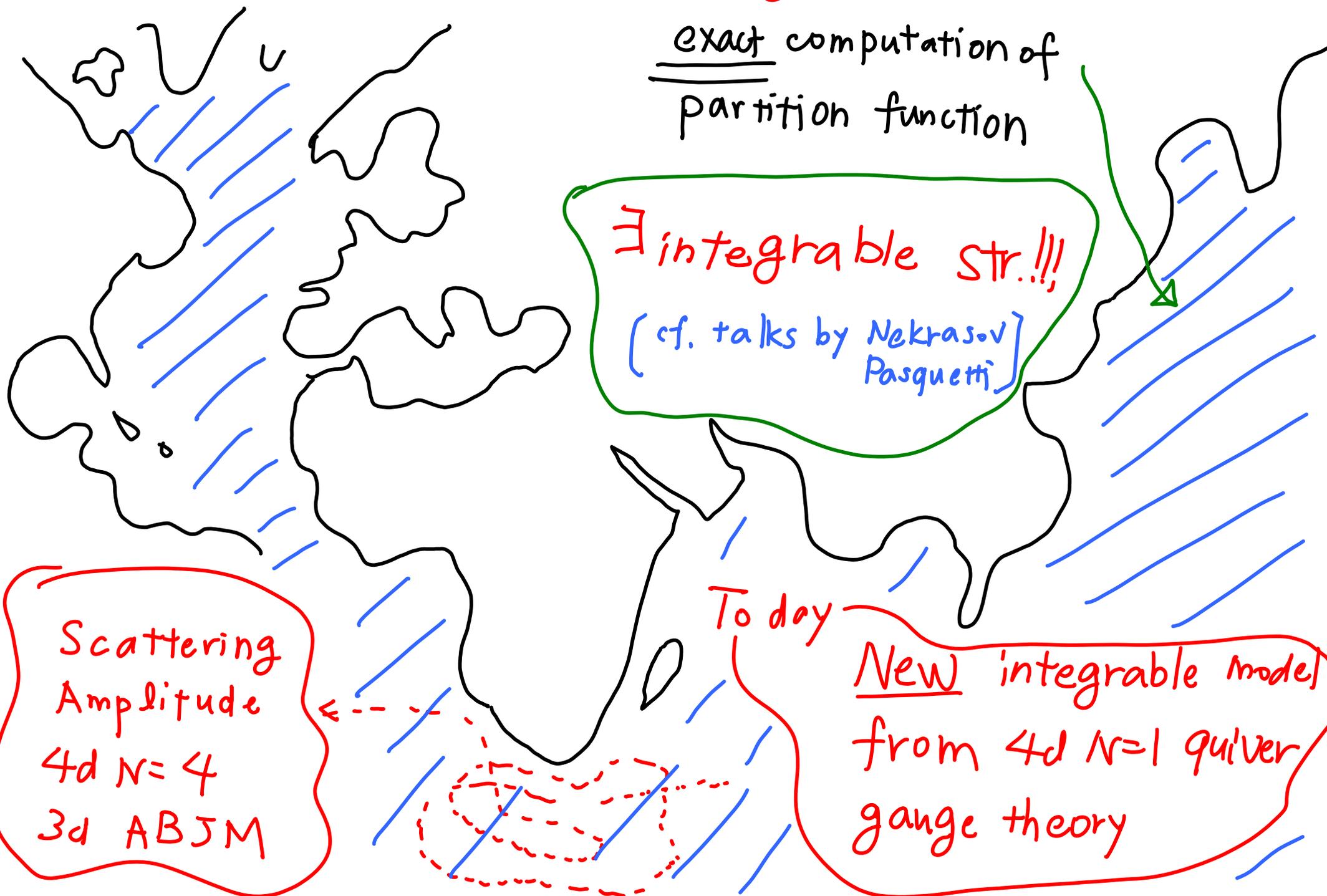
exact computation of
partition function

\exists integrable str.!!!
(cf. talks by Nekrasov
Pasquetti)

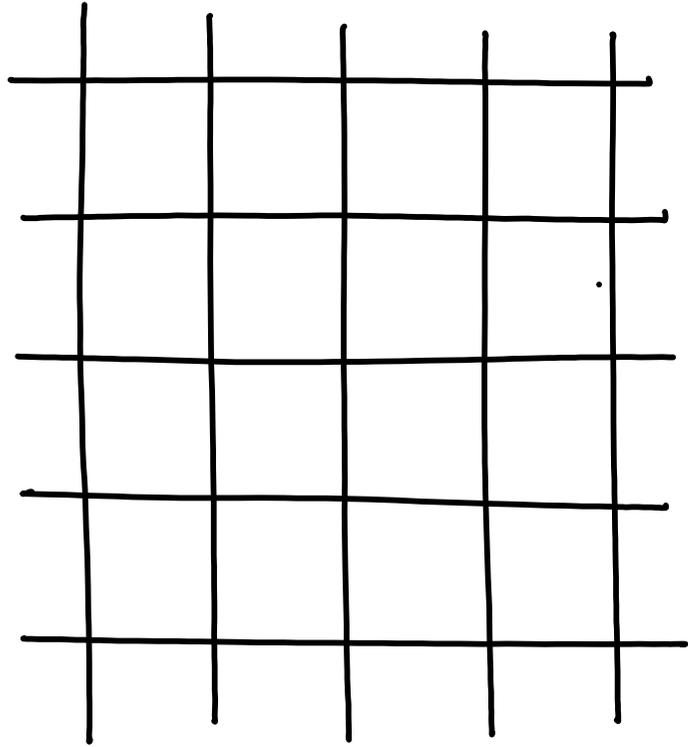
Scattering
Amplitude
4d $N=4$
3d ABJM

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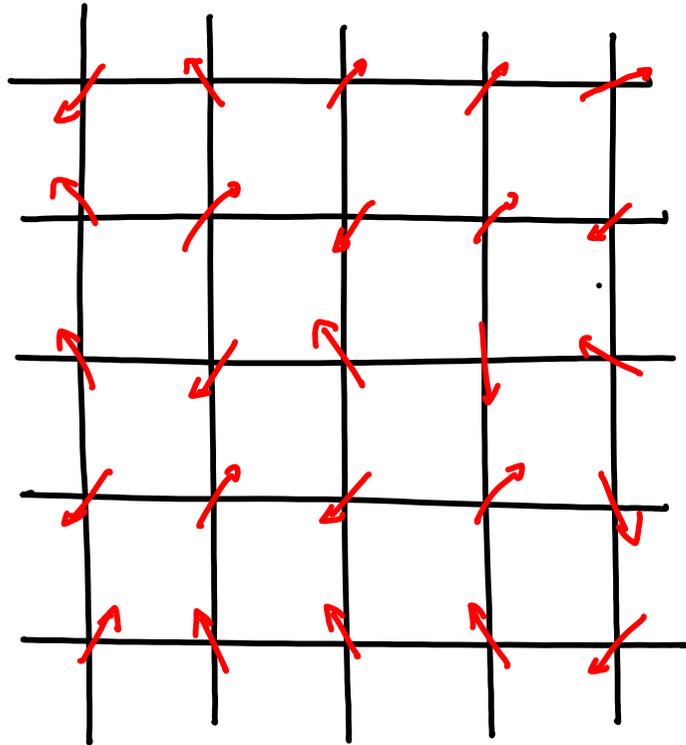


Gänge / YBE



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- Spin \vec{s}_v at vertex $v \in V$

- energy

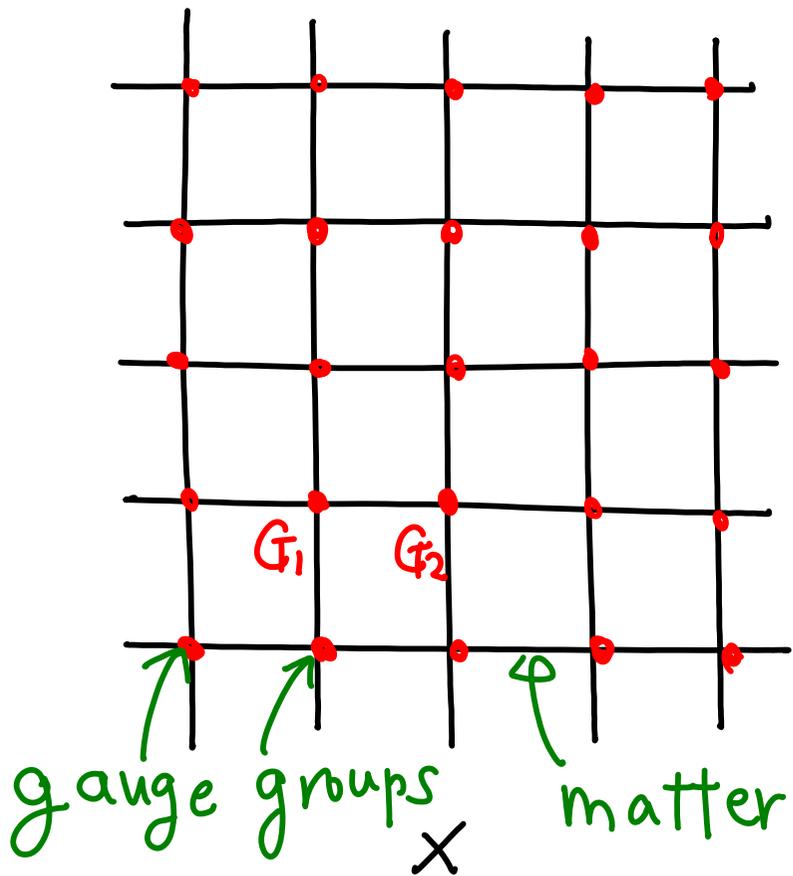
$$\mathcal{E} = \sum_{v \in V} \mathcal{E}_v(\vec{s}_v) + \sum_{e \in E} \mathcal{E}_e(\vec{s}_v, \vec{s}_{v'})$$

↑ edge e between v & v'

- partition function

$$\mathcal{Z} = \sum_{\{\vec{s}_v\}} e^{-\beta \mathcal{E}(\{\vec{s}_v\})}$$

(quiver) gauge theory



$\mathbb{R}^{d,1}$

- gauge group G_v at vertex $v \in V$
 $A_\mu^v(x)$

- matter charged under $G_v \times G_{v'}$ for an edge e between v, v'
 $\Phi_e(x)$

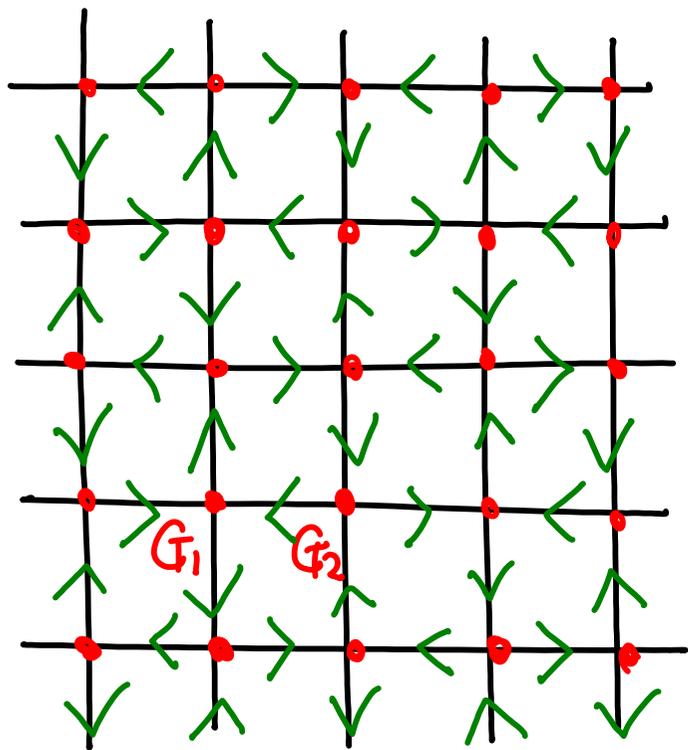
- Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L} = \sum_{v \in V} \mathcal{L}_v(A_\mu^v) + \sum_{e \in E} \mathcal{L}(\Phi_e, A_\mu^v, A_\mu^{v'})$$

- partition function

$$Z = \int \prod_{v \in V} \pi \delta A_\mu^v \prod_{e \in E} \pi \delta \Phi_e e^{i\mathcal{L}}$$

4d $N=1$
 quiver gauge theory

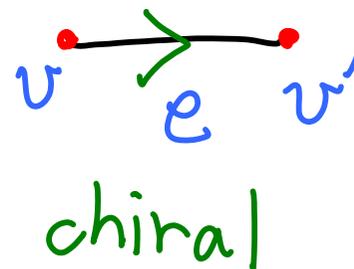


x

$\mathbb{R}^{3,1}$

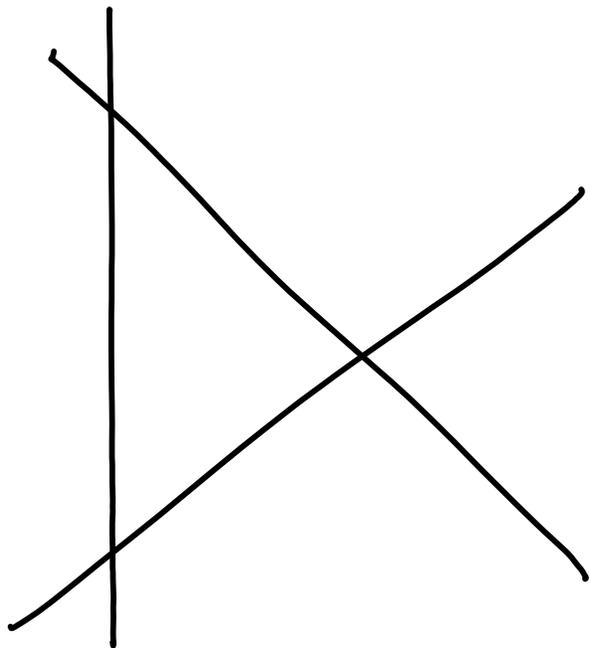
For concreteness we choose

- $G_v = SU(N_v)$ vector multiplet
 at vertex $v \in V$
 mostly $N \equiv N_v$
- bifundamental chiral multiplet
 $(N_v, \overline{N_{v'}})$ under $SU(N_v) \times su(N_{v'})$

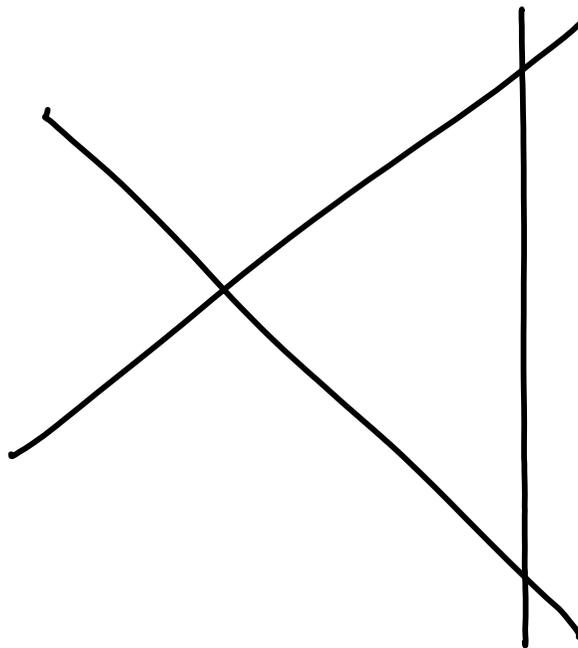


integrability?

YBE

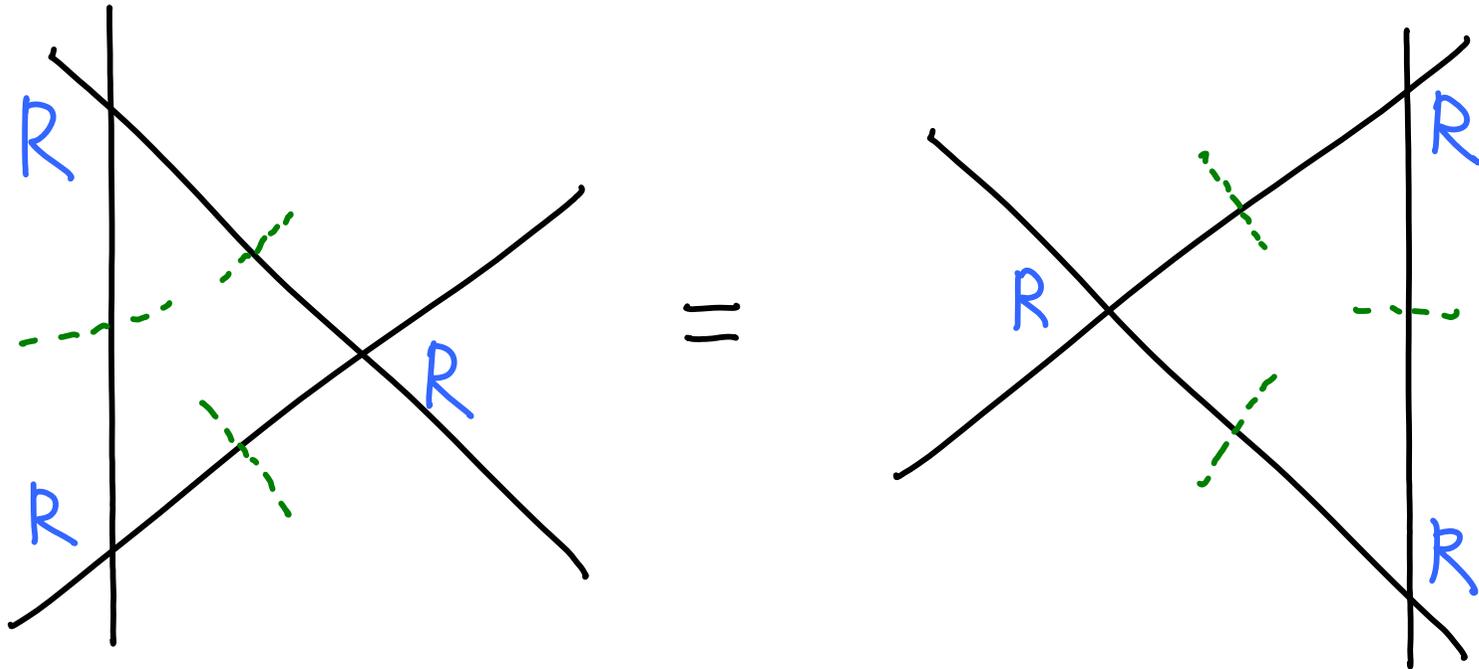


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integrability?

YBE



$$\begin{array}{c}
 d \\
 | \\
 a \text{ --- } c \\
 | \\
 b
 \end{array}
 = R_{a \ b}^{\ d \ c}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 d \qquad g \\
 | \qquad | \\
 a \text{ --- } c \text{ --- } f \\
 | \qquad | \\
 b \qquad e
 \end{array}
 = \sum_c R_{a \ b}^{\ d \ c} R_{c \ e}^{\ g \ f}$$

$$= (R \circ R)_{a \ b}^{\ d \ g}$$

$$R: V_1 \otimes V_2 \rightarrow V_3 \otimes V_4$$

lift to gauge theory?

spin

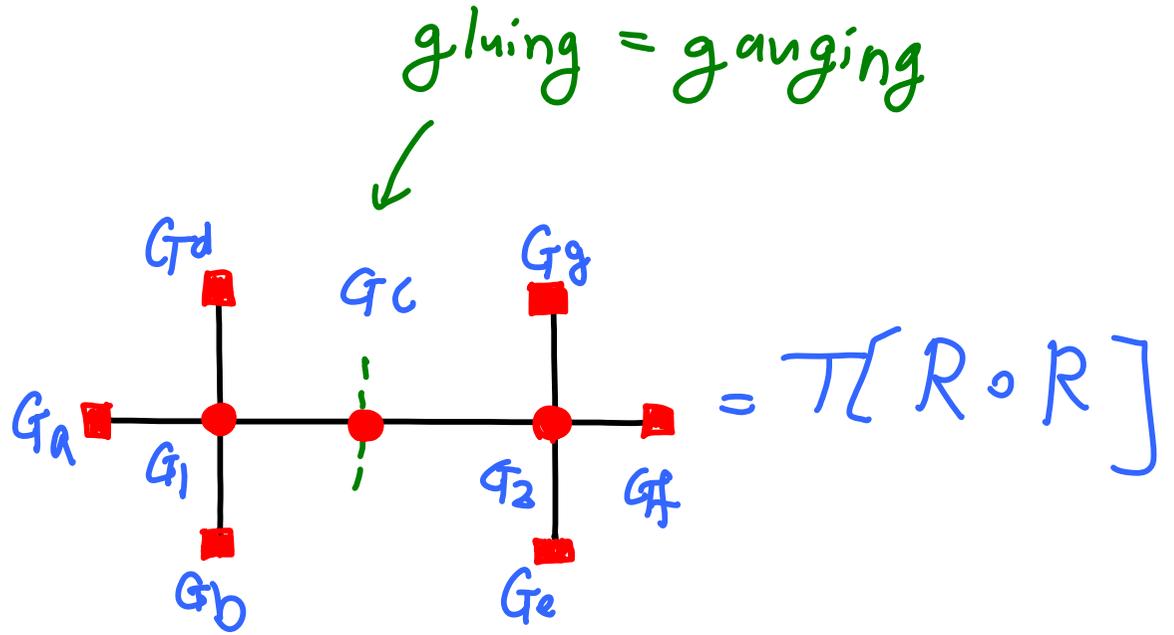
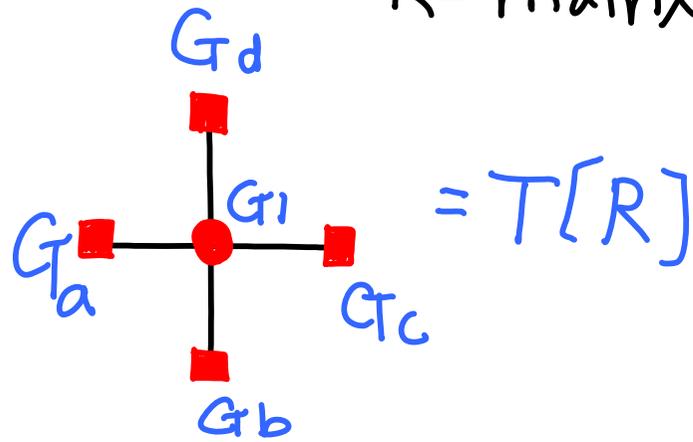
V



gauge group (vect mult.)

G

" the theory for the " R-matrix "

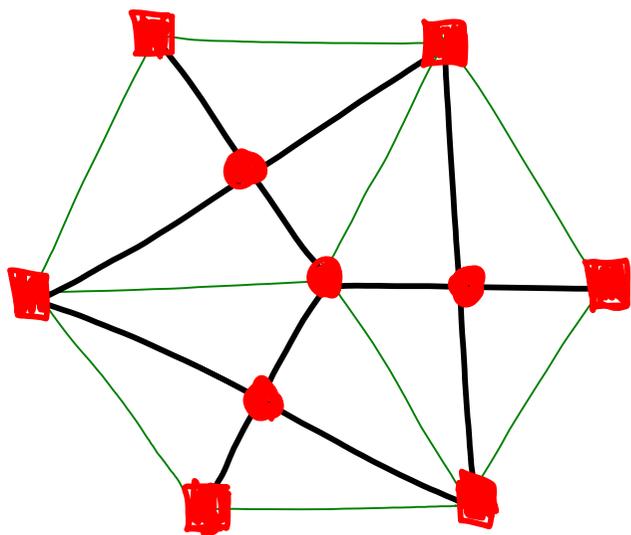
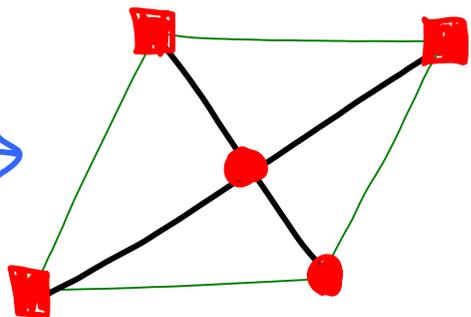


● = gauge sym ; dynamical ; sum in \mathbb{Z}

■ = flavor sym ; non-dynamical ; fixed parameter in \mathbb{Z}

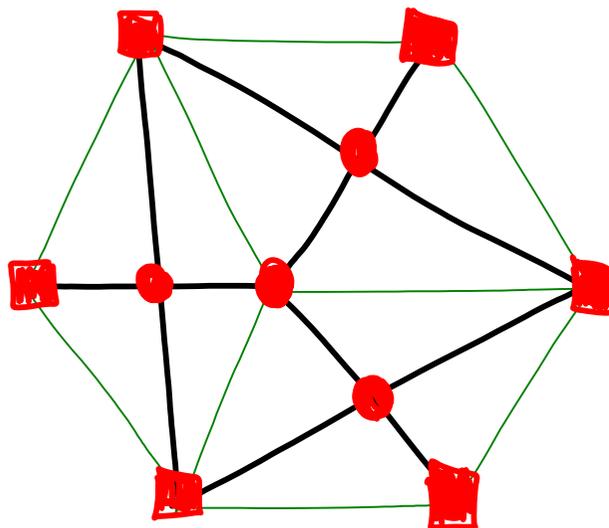
YBE as a duality?

R →



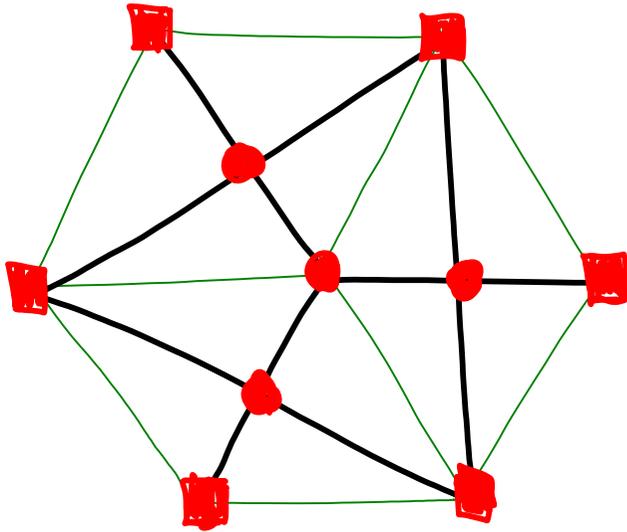
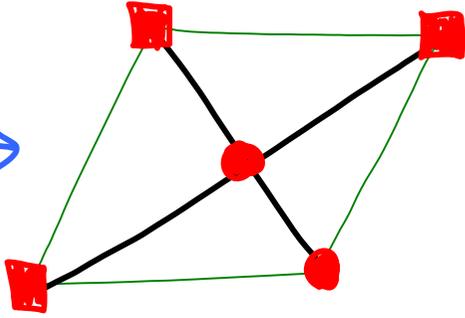
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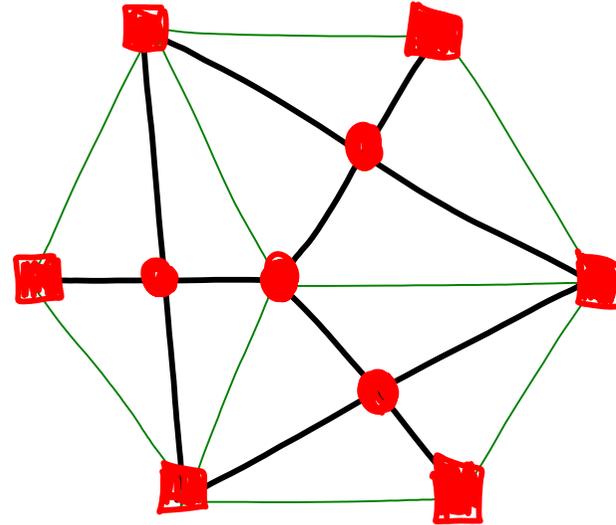
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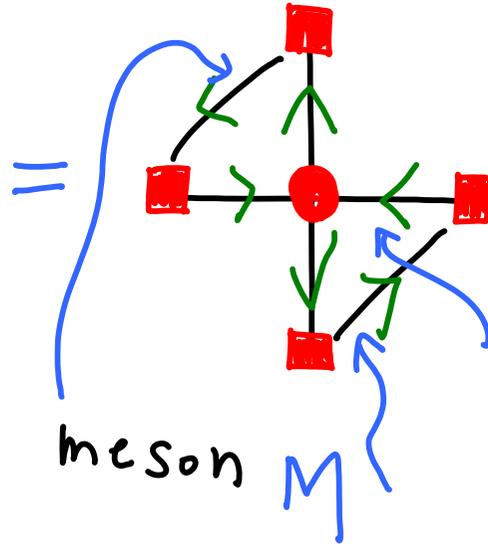
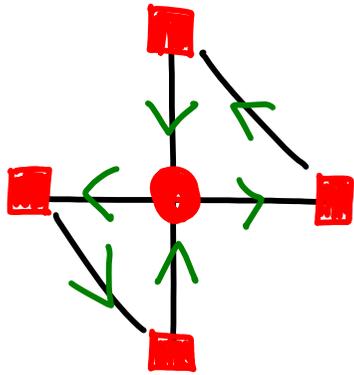


unfortunately there is no such known duality
a bit too naive so far...

the story works with a little modification,

with the help of **4d Seiberg duality**

[for $SU(N)$ $N_f = 2N$]

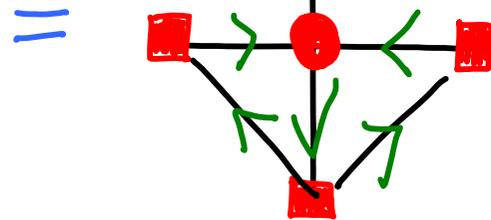
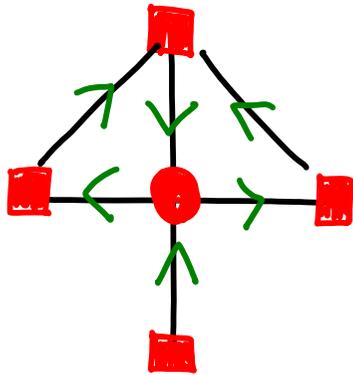


$= T[R]$

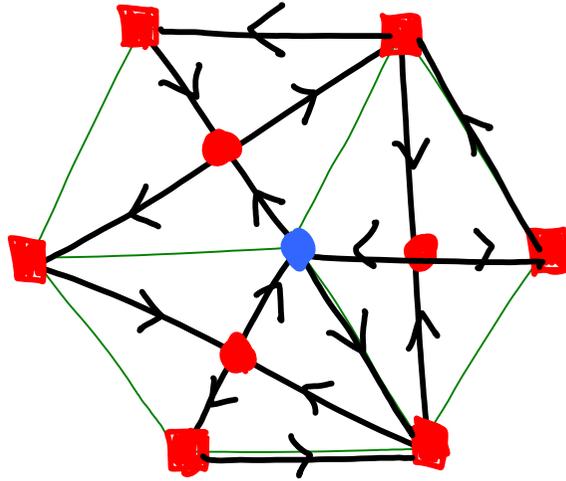
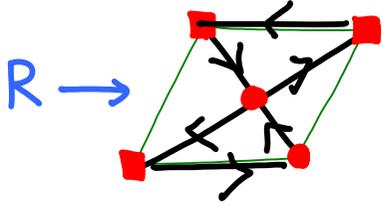
closed loop:

superpotential

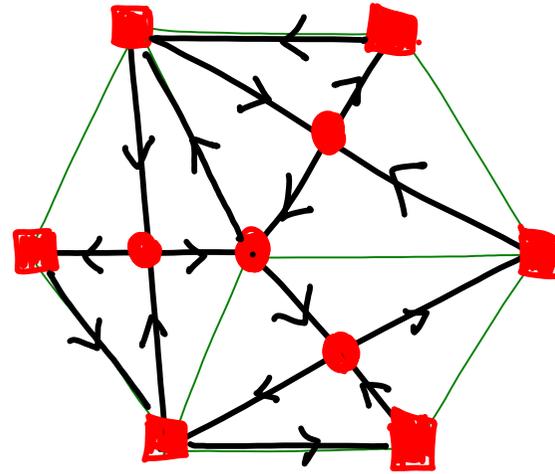
$$W = M q \tilde{q}$$



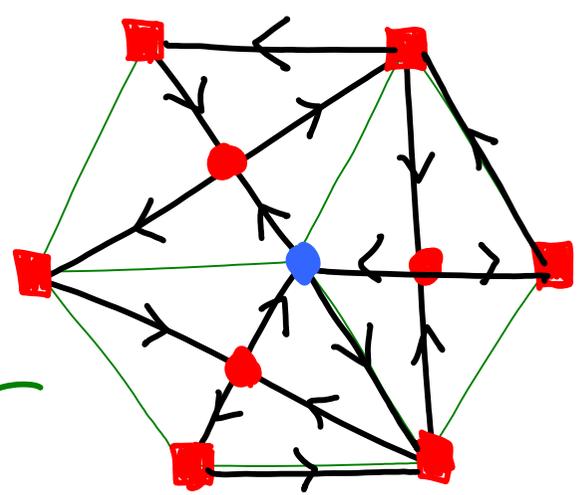
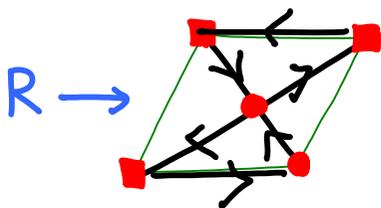
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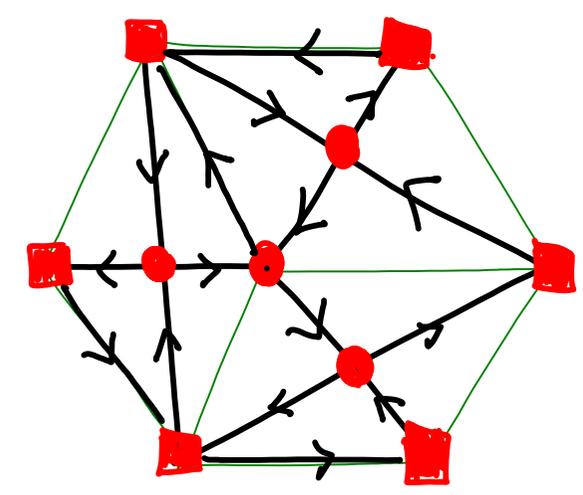
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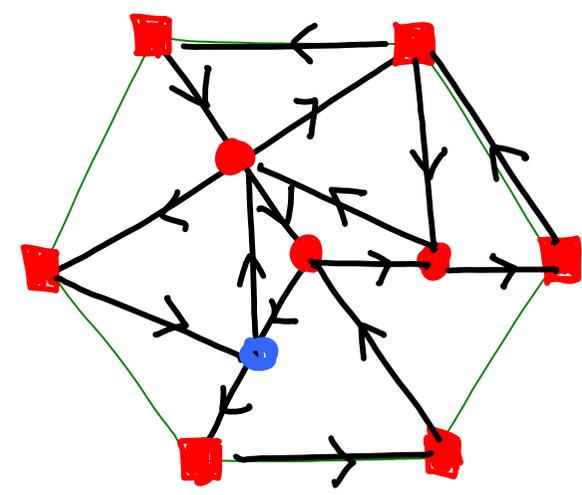


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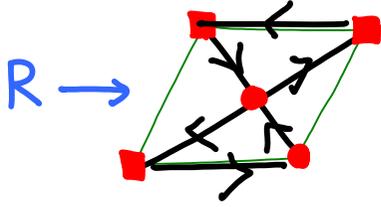
dual?

SD

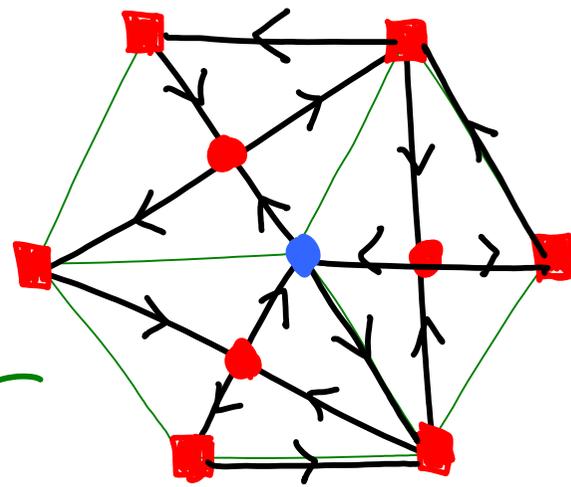


YBE \rightsquigarrow "YB duality" = (Seiberg duality)⁴ !!!

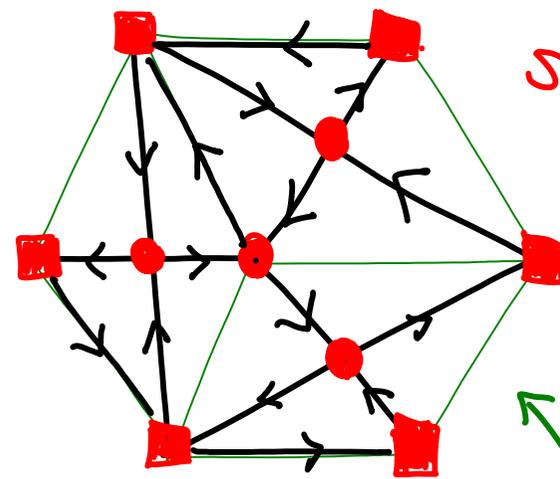
[cf. Baxter ('86)
Bazhanov-Baxter ('92)]



R \rightarrow



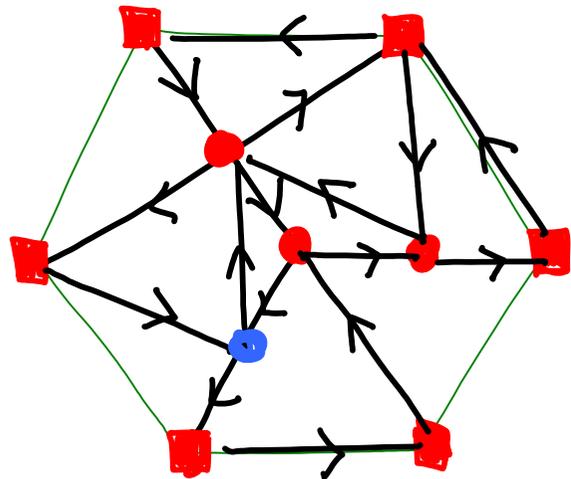
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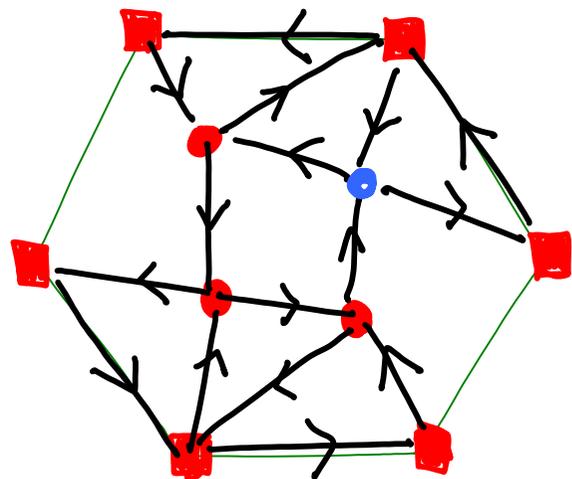
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relation
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YBE

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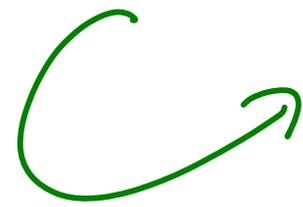
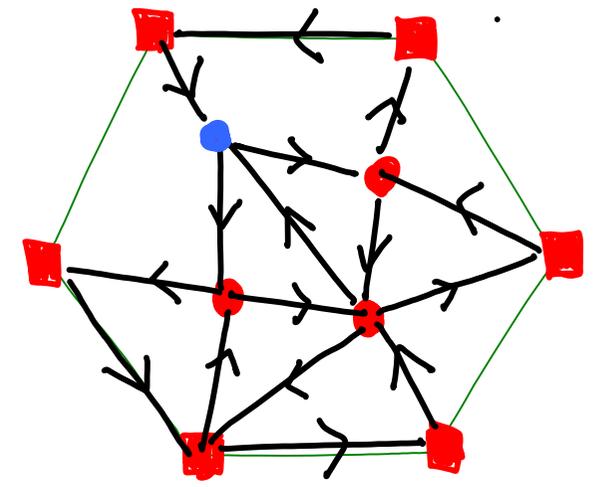
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back to integrable models

$$T[R_{12} \circ R_{13} \circ R_{23}] \overset{\text{dual}}{\longleftrightarrow} T[R_{23} \circ R_{13} \circ R_{12}] \quad \text{YB duality}$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \mathbb{Z}[T[R_{12} \circ R_{13} \circ R_{23}]] = \mathbb{Z}[T[R_{23} \circ R_{13} \circ R_{12}]]$$

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gauging \rightsquigarrow $Z[T[R_{12} \circ R_{13} \circ R_{23}]] = Z[T[R_{23} \circ R_{13} \circ R_{12}]]$ YBE

$$Z[\pi[R_{12}]] \cdot Z[T[R_{13}]] \cdot Z[T[R_{23}]] \quad Z[T[R_{23}]] \cdot Z[T[R_{13}]] \cdot Z[T[R_{12}]]$$

sum

$$Z = \int_{v+V} \prod_{e \in E} \Theta_{A_\mu^v} \prod_{e \in E} \Theta_{\Phi_e} e^{i\mathcal{L}} \xrightarrow{\text{localization}}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \sum_{v \in V} \mathcal{L}_v(A_\mu^v) + \sum_{e \in E} \mathcal{L}(\Phi_e, A_\mu^v, A_\mu^{v'}) \begin{pmatrix} A_\mu(x) \rightarrow \sigma \\ \Phi_e \rightarrow 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Z = \int_{v+V} \prod_{v \in V} d\sigma_v e^{i\mathcal{E}} \quad \text{"spin"}$$

$$\mathcal{E} = \sum_{v \in V} \mathcal{E}(\sigma_v) + \sum_{e \in E} \mathcal{E}(\sigma_v, \sigma_{v'})$$

$$Z = Z [S' \times S^3 / \mathbb{Z}_r] \quad [\text{Benini-Nishioka-Y (11)}]$$

$$= Z [N, r; P, q; \vec{R}_i] \quad (\text{R-charge}) = (\text{spectral parameter})$$

rk of $G = \text{SU}(N)$ \rightarrow N
 order of S^3 / \mathbb{Z}_r \rightarrow r
 P, q \rightarrow fugacity "quantum parameter"
 \vec{R}_i \rightarrow (R-charge) = (spectral parameter)

"Spin"
 \vec{S}_V = holonomy of the gauge field along $S' \times S^3 / \mathbb{Z}_r$
 $= \vec{z}_V \in \text{U}(1)^{N-1}$ & $\vec{m}_V \in (\mathbb{Z}_r)^{N-1}$

The resulting model is one of the most general solutions to YBE known in the literature

$$\begin{aligned}
Z &= \sum_{s_v (v \in V)} \left(\prod_{v \in V} S^v(s) \right) \left(\prod_{e \in E} \mathbb{W}^e(R; s) \right) \\
&= \sum_{\underbrace{m_v}_{\text{wavy}} (v \in V)} \int_{\underbrace{|z_{v,m}|=1}_{\text{wavy}}} \prod_{v \in V} \prod_{i=1}^{N-1} \frac{dz_{v,i}}{2\pi\sqrt{-1}z_{v,i}} \left(\prod_{v \in V} \underbrace{S^v(z, m)}_{\text{wavy}} \right) \left(\prod_{e \in E} \underbrace{\mathbb{W}^e(R; z, m)}_{\text{wavy}} \right),
\end{aligned}$$

$$\underbrace{S^v(s)}_{\text{wavy}} = S^v(s_v) = \left(\prod_{a=0}^{r-1} \frac{1}{n_{v,a}!} \right) \underbrace{\mathcal{S}_0^v(s_v)}_{\text{wavy}} (\Gamma_{r,0}(1; p, q))^{-(N-1)} \prod_{i \neq j} \Gamma_{r, \llbracket m_i - m_j \rrbracket} \left(\frac{z_{v,i}}{z_{v,j}}; p, q \right)^{-1},$$

$$\mathcal{S}_0^v(s_v) = (pq)^{-\frac{1}{4r}} \sum_{i \neq j} \llbracket m_{v,i} - m_{v,j} \rrbracket \llbracket -m_{v,i} + m_{v,j} \rrbracket.$$

$$\underbrace{\Gamma_{r, \llbracket m \rrbracket}(x; p, q)}_{\text{wavy}} = \Gamma(xp^{\llbracket m \rrbracket}; pq, p^r) \Gamma(xq^{r - \llbracket m \rrbracket}; pq, q^r),$$

$$\underbrace{\Gamma(x; p, q)}_{\text{wavy}} = \prod_{n_1, n_2 \geq 0} \frac{1 - x^{-1}p^{n_1+1}q^{n_2+1}}{1 - xp^{n_1}q^{n_2}}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{W}^e(R; s) &= \mathbb{W}_{R_e}^e(s_{t(e)}, s_{h(e)}) \\
&= \mathcal{W}_0^e(s_{t(e)}, s_{h(e)}) \prod_{1 \leq i, j \leq N} \Gamma_{r, \llbracket m_{t(e), i} - m_{h(e), j} \rrbracket} \left((pq)^{\frac{R_e}{2}} \frac{z_{t(e), i}}{z_{h(e), j}}; p, q \right),
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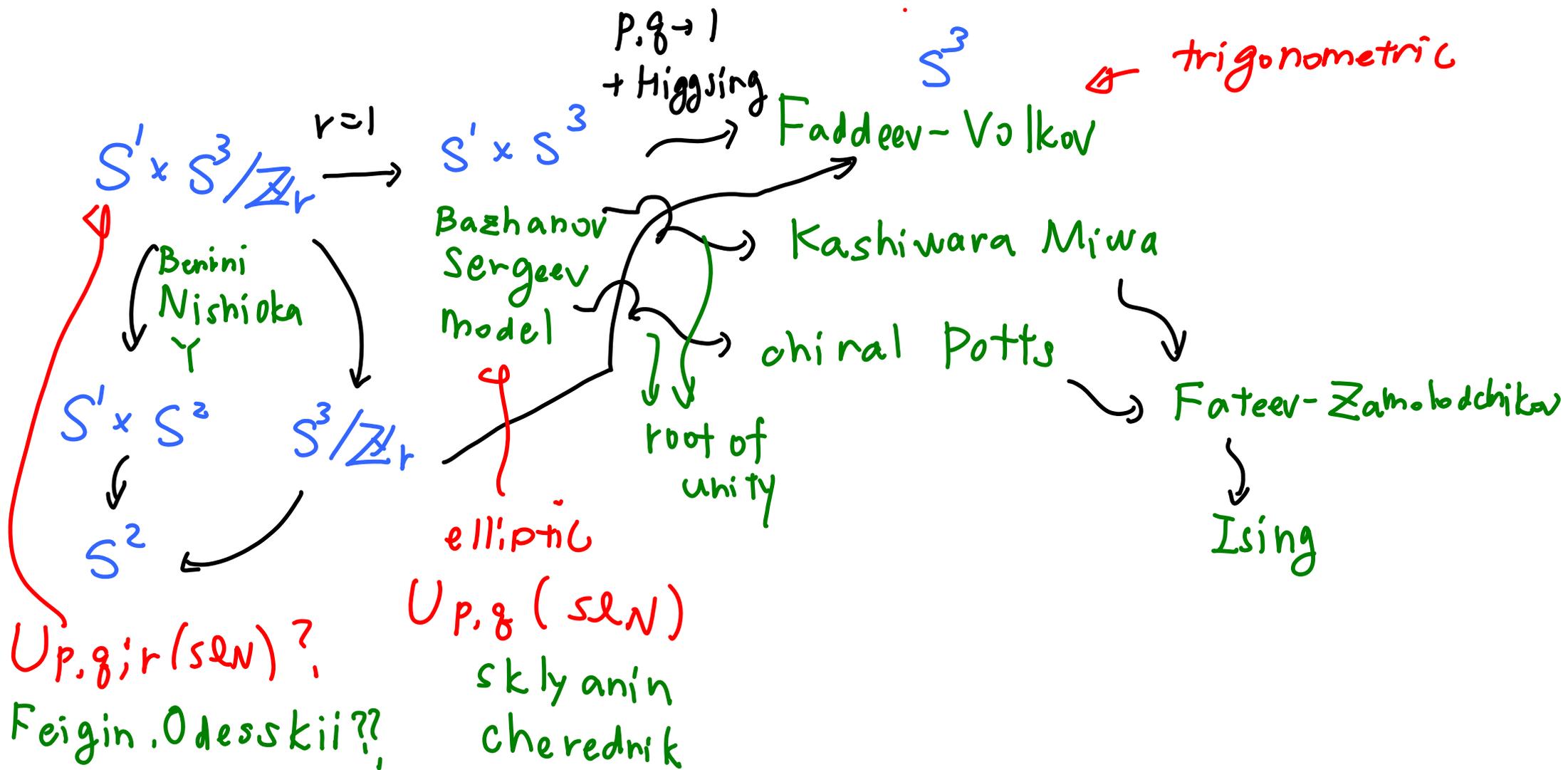
$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{W}_0^e(s_{t(e)}, s_{h(e)}) &= \prod_{1 \leq i, j \leq N} \left[(pq)^{\frac{1}{4r} \llbracket m_{t(e), i} - m_{h(e), j} \rrbracket} \llbracket -m_{t(e), i} + m_{h(e), j} \rrbracket (1 - R_e) \right. \\
&\quad \times \left(\frac{p}{q} \right)^{-\frac{1}{12r} \llbracket m_{t(e), i} - m_{h(e), j} \rrbracket} \llbracket -m_{t(e), i} + m_{h(e), j} \rrbracket (2 \llbracket m_{t(e), i} - m_{h(e), j} \rrbracket - r) \\
&\quad \left. \times \left(\frac{z_{t(e), i}}{z_{h(e), j}} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2r} \llbracket m_{t(e), i} - m_{h(e), j} \rrbracket} \llbracket -m_{t(e), i} + m_{h(e), j} \rrbracket \right].
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Comments

The model has parameters $N, r; p, q$
 We can consider specializations



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? We found $U_{p,q,r}(g)$

See however [Costello ('13)]

Gauge/YBE from 6d

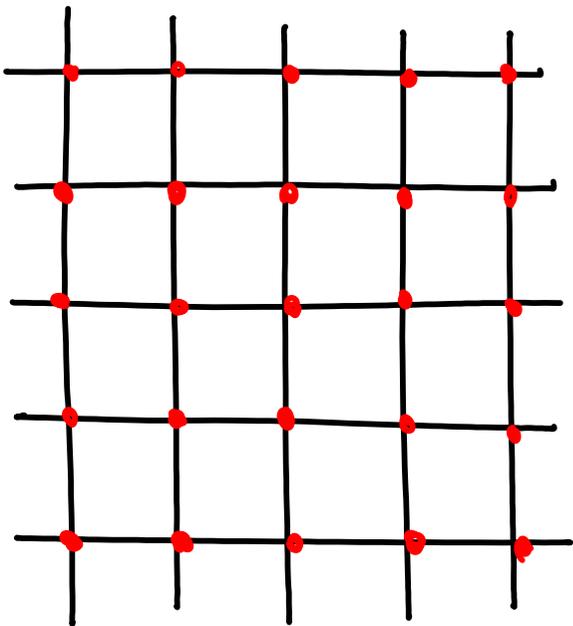
(Similar to AGT)

6d origin:
D5/NS5 system

fixed boundary condition
[Heckman-Vafa-Xie-MY]
(12)

periodic boundary
condition

2d spin
system



$\times \mathbb{R}^{3,1}$

4d gauge
theory

[Imamura
Imamura-Kimura-Isono-Y
(07)]

Gauge / YBE

directly gives integrable model 😊

$$I_{S^1 \times S^3 / \mathbb{Z}_n} \left[\begin{array}{l} 4d \\ N=1 \end{array} \right] = \mathbb{Z} \left[\text{integrable model} \right]$$

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Gauge / Bethe [Nekrasov Shatashvili]

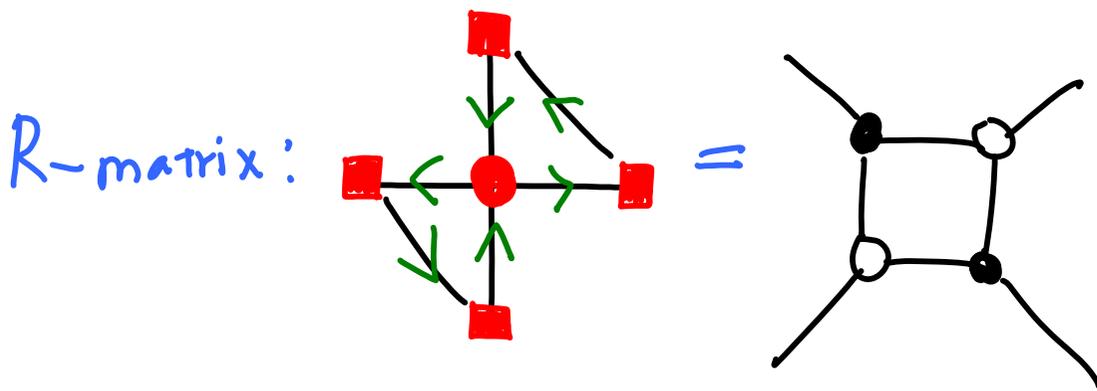
Yang-Yang function

$$W_{\text{twisted}} \left[\begin{array}{l} 2d \\ N=(2,2) \end{array} \right] = \mathbb{Y} \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{integrable} \\ \text{model} \end{array} \right]$$

(~~*~~ in both cases we have "integrability in theory space")

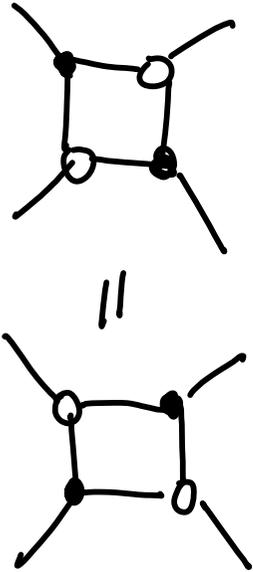
Scattering Amplitude

quivers \leftrightarrow bipartite graph \rightsquigarrow 4d $N=1$ gauge theory

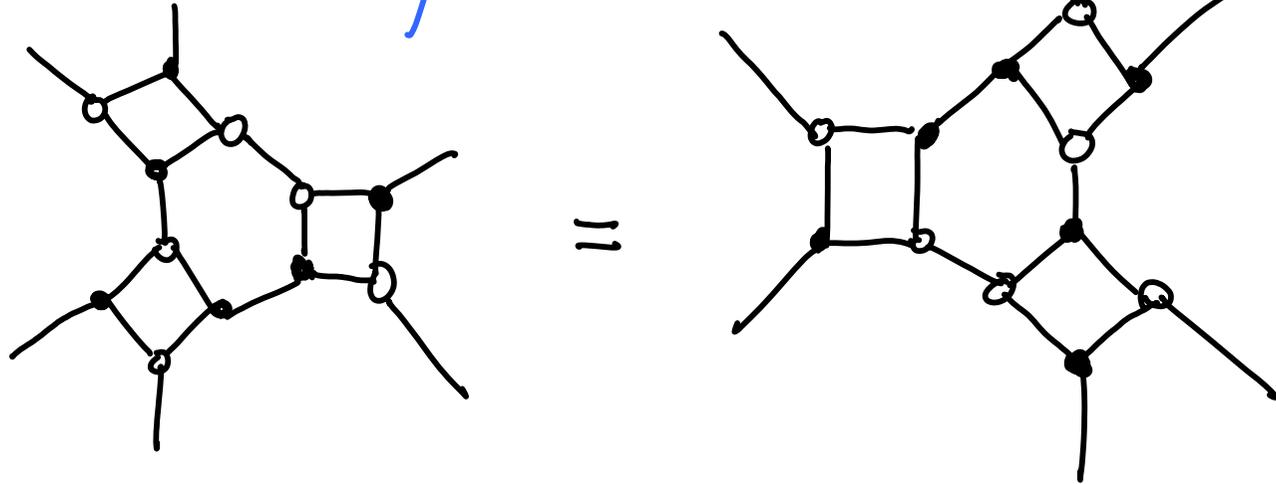


[Hanany-Kennaway, ...
"brane tilings"
Xie-Yamazaki, Franco ('12)]

Seiberg duality



YB-duality



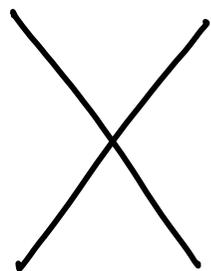
On-shell diagram for 4d $N=4$

[Arkani-Hamed, Bourjaily, Goncharov, Postnikov, Trnka ('12)]
[also Ferro-Lukowski-Meneghelli-Plefka-Staudacher]

The connection with YBE is simpler for

3d ABJM theory

building block: 4 pt [ABGPT, Huang-Wen('13)]



orthogonal Grassmannian
 $OG(2,4)$

$$A_4(\mathbb{Z}) = \frac{\delta^3(P)\delta^3(Q)}{\langle 12 \rangle^{1+\mathbb{Z}} \langle 3 \rangle^{1-\mathbb{Z}}} = \int \frac{d^{2 \times 4} C}{|GL(2)|} \frac{\delta^3(C \cdot C^T) \delta^4(C \cdot \Lambda)}{M_1^{1+\mathbb{Z}} M_2^{1-\mathbb{Z}}}$$

invariant under Yangian $Y[OSp(6|4)]$

with evaluation parameters $(\mathbb{Z}, 0, \mathbb{Z}, 0)$

[Bargheer - Loebbert - Huang - Y]
(yesterday)

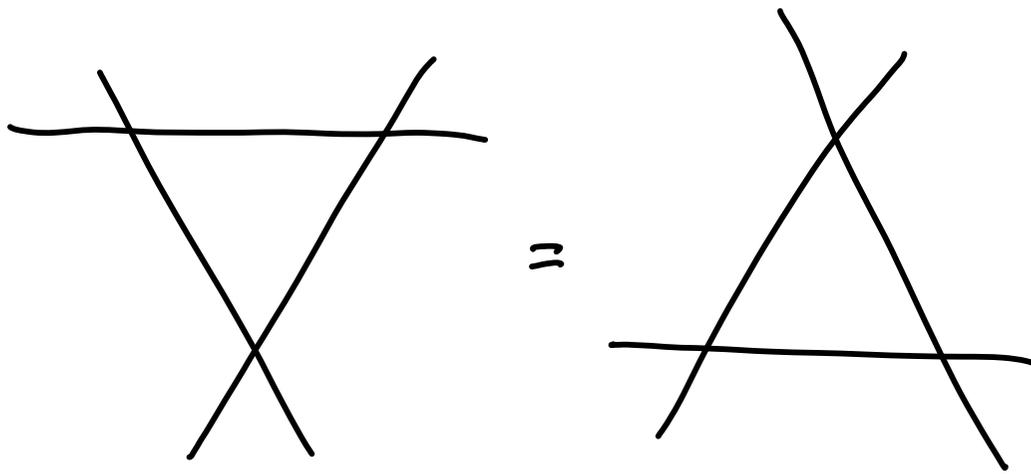
R-matrix: 4-pt

$$R(z) = A_4(z)$$

YBE: 6-pt / triangle move \leftarrow uniqueness of

top cell of

$$OG(3,6)$$



The Grassmannian integral $R(z)$

is an R-matrix for $Y[OSp(6|4)]$;

satisfy YBE / RLL = LLR relation

Conclusion

- $YB\text{-duality} = (\text{Seiberg duality})^4 \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}}$ YBE
(4d quiver gauge theory) (IM)

$$I_{S^1 \times S^3 / \mathbb{Z}_r} [4d, N=1] = \mathbb{Z} [\text{integrable model}]$$

- New, one of the most general solutions to YBE
- mysterious parallel w/ scattering amplitude

Q: We now understand R-matrix/YBE, but
can we lift the rest to SUSY gauge
theory?

[e.g. $RLL = LLR$ relation as a duality?
BAE?]

Q: Integrable structure in *space of QFTs*?

New formulation of QFTs?

