

Solving tetrahedron and 3D reflection equations by quantum cluster algebras

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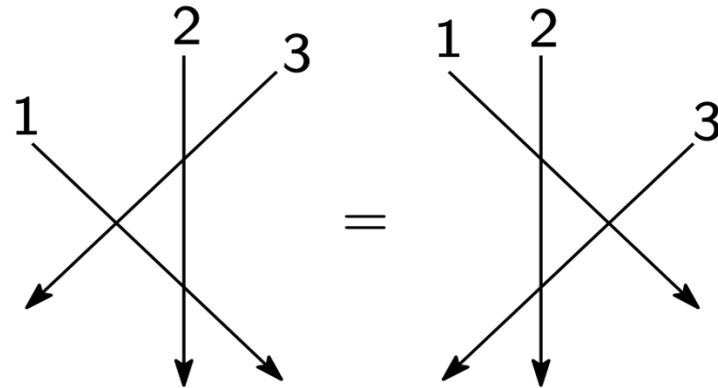
0. Integrability in 2D

Yang-Baxter equation

$$R_{12}R_{13}R_{23} = R_{23}R_{13}R_{12} \in \text{End}(V^{\otimes 3}),$$

where R_{ij} acts on the i th and j th components:

$$R_{12} : V \otimes V \otimes V, \quad R_{23} : V \otimes V \otimes V, \quad R_{13} : V \otimes V \otimes V$$



Braid Move
Wiring diagram

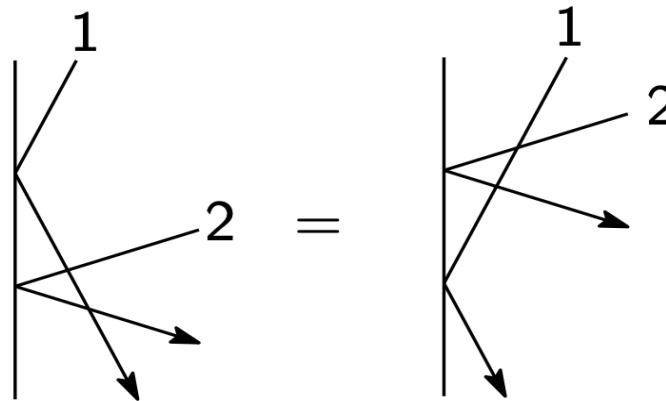
- Factorization of 3 particle scattering amplitude into 2 body ones
- Commutativity of row transfer matrices in lattice models

Key to quantum integrability in 2D

Integrability in the presence of boundary reflections

$$K = \left| \begin{array}{c} \diagup \\ | \\ \diagdown \end{array} \right. : V \rightarrow V \quad (\text{reflection amplitude matrix})$$

Reflection equation



Reflection move
Wiring diagram

$$R_{21}K_2R_{12}K_1 = K_1R_{21}K_2R_{12} \in \text{End}(V^{\otimes 2})$$

$$(K_1 = K \otimes 1, \quad K_2 = 1 \otimes K)$$

... Factorization condition at the boundary

1. Tetrahedron and 3D reflection equations

(3D analogue of the Yang-Baxter and reflection eqs.)

Tetrahedron eq. [A.B. Zamolodchikov 80]

$$R_{124}R_{135}R_{236}R_{456} = R_{456}R_{236}R_{135}R_{124} \text{ on } V^{\otimes 6} \quad R_{ijk} \in \text{End}(V^i \otimes V^j \otimes V^k)$$

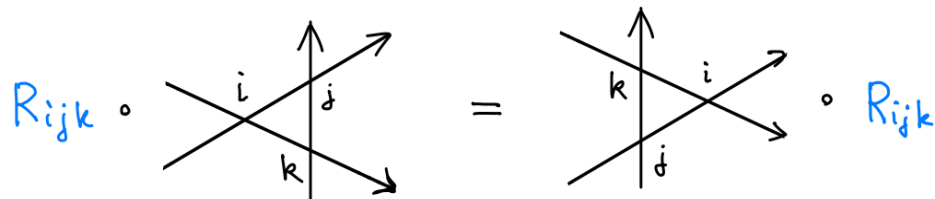
3D reflection eq. [Isaev-Kulish 97]

$$R_{689}K_{3579}R_{249}R_{258}K_{1478}K_{1236}R_{456} = R_{456}K_{1236}K_{1478}R_{258}R_{249}K_{3579}R_{689}$$

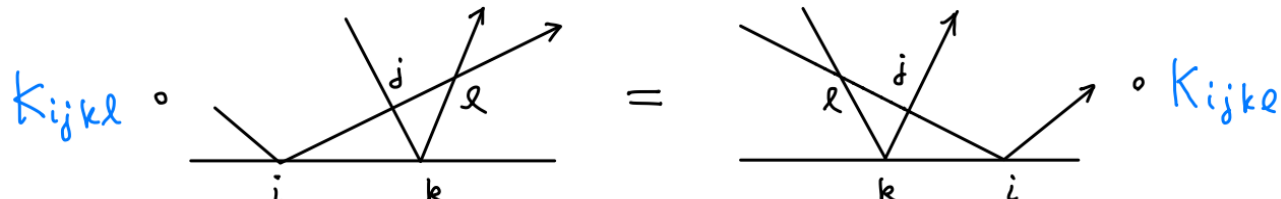
on $W \otimes V \otimes W \otimes V \otimes V \otimes V \otimes W \otimes V \otimes V$

$$K_{ijkl} \in \text{End}(W^i \otimes V^j \otimes W^k \otimes V^l)$$

They are compatibility conditions of the **quantized** Yang-Baxter eq. and **quantized** reflection eq., which are the *usual* Yang-Baxter and reflection equations up to **conjugation**.

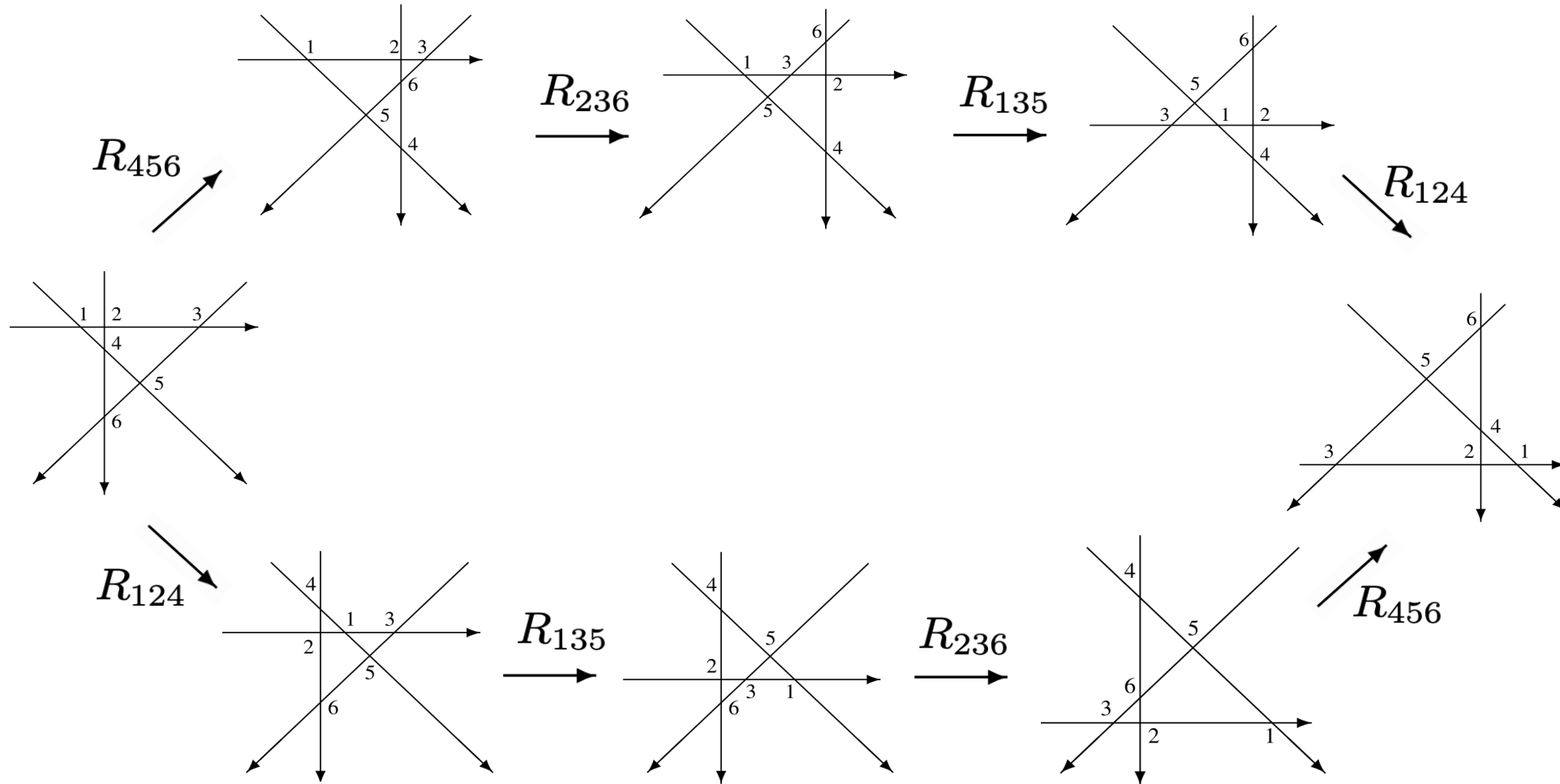


Braid move



Reflection move

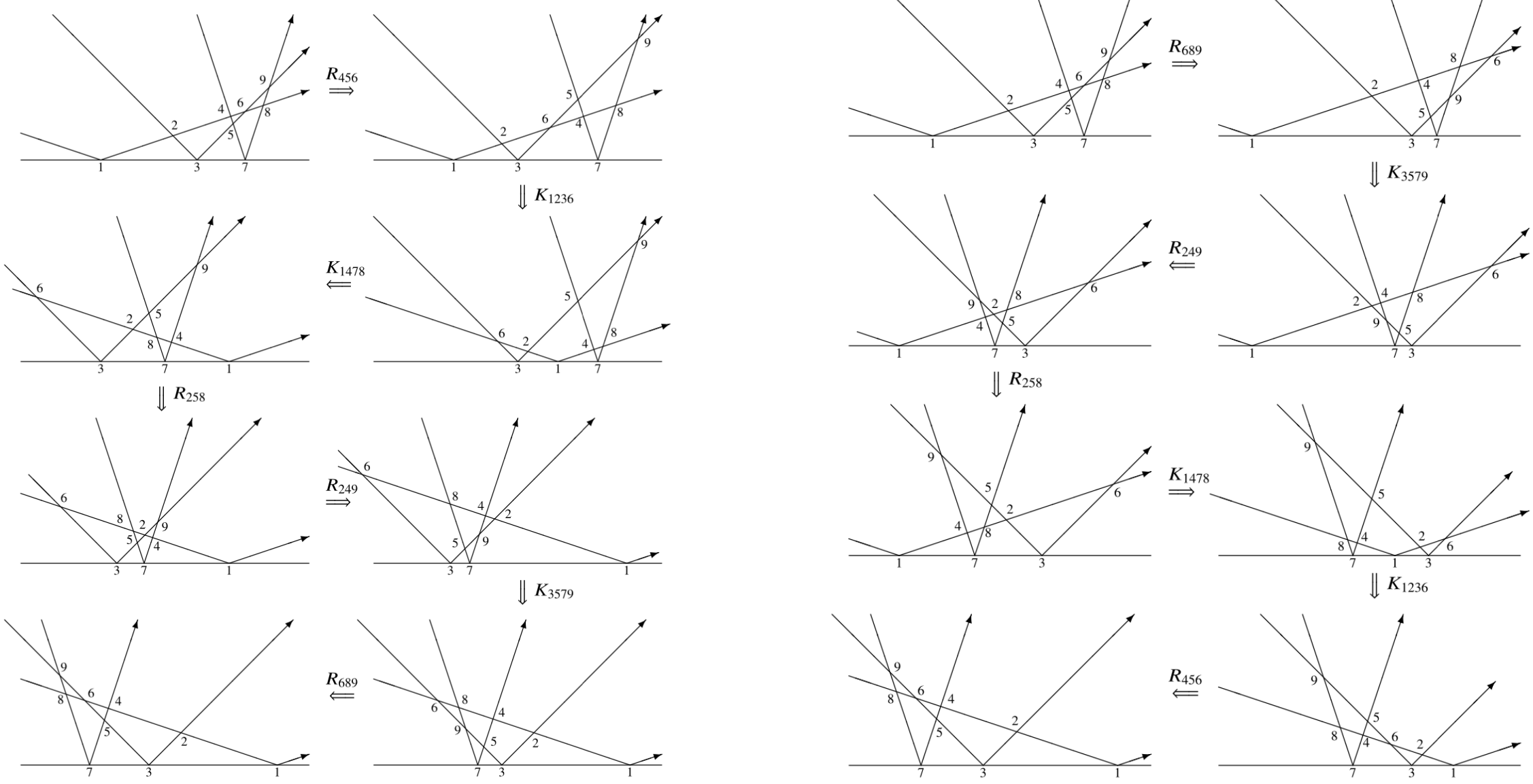
Now that R and K play the role of *structure constants*, they have to satisfy the compatibility condition under introducing one more arrow:



$$R_{689}K_{3579}R_{249}R_{258}K_{1478}K_{1236}R_{456} = R_{456}K_{1236}K_{1478}R_{258}R_{249}K_{3579}R_{689}$$

LHS

RHS



Several interesting solutions are known for the tetrahedron equation by Zamolodchikov, Baxter, Kapranov-Voevodsky, Bazhanov, Kashaev, Korepanov, Maillet, Mangazeev, Sergeev, Stroganov, Bytsko-Volkov, K-Matsuike-Yoneyama, etc.

Only a few solutions are known for the 3D reflection equation by K-Okado, Yoneyama. (as of 2022)

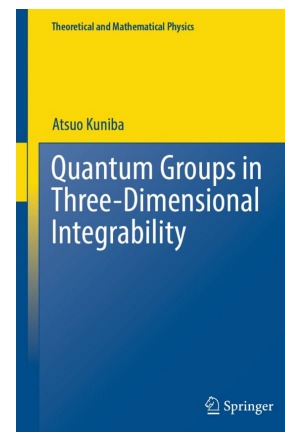
There are quantum group theoretical approaches based on [quantized coordinate rings](#) by [Kapranov-Voevodsky 94] and [PBW basis of \$U_q^+\$](#) by [Sergeev 08].

They are equivalent beyond type A [K-Okado-Yamada 13] and have been developed extensively with many applications.

In the approach, the diagrams in the previous pages emerge as [wiring diagrams](#) for the reduced expressions of the longest element of the Weyl groups A_3 and C_3 .

The aim of this talk is to develop another approach [Sun-Yagi 22], where these diagrams are complemented by [quivers](#) that facilitate the efficient operation of [quantum cluster algebras](#).

We focus on the [Fock-Goncharov quivers](#), devise a new realization of quantum Y-variables using q -Weyl algebras, and obtain a new solution.



2. New solution (emerging from quantum cluster algebra associated with the Fock-Goncharov quiver)

$$\mathcal{R}_{ijk} = \Psi_q(e^{p_i+u_i+p_k-u_k-p_j+\lambda_{ik}}) \rho_{jk} e^{\frac{1}{\hbar} p_i (u_k - u_j)} e^{\frac{\lambda_{jk}}{\hbar} (u_k - u_i)},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{K}_{ijkl} = & \Psi_{q^2}(e^{p_j+u_j+p_l-u_l-2p_k+\lambda_{jl}}) \Psi_q(e^{p_i+u_i+p_k-u_k-p_j+\lambda_{ik}}) \Psi_{q^2}(e^{p_j+u_j+p_l-u_l-2p_k+\lambda_{jl}})^{-1} \\ & \times \rho_{jl} e^{\frac{1}{\hbar} p_i (u_l - u_j)} e^{\frac{\lambda_{jl}}{2\hbar} (2u_k - 2u_i + u_l - u_j)}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\Psi_q(X) = \frac{1}{(-qX; q^2)_\infty} : \text{quantum dilogarithm} \quad (z; q)_m = (1-z)(1-qz) \cdots (1-zq^{m-1})$$

Key properties

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi_q(q^2 U) \Psi_q(U)^{-1} &= 1 + qU, \\ \Psi_q(U) \Psi_q(W) &= \Psi_q(W) \Psi_q(q^{-1} U W) \Psi_q(U) \quad \text{if } UW = q^2 WU \quad (\text{pentagon identity}) \end{aligned}$$

$$[p_i, u_j] = \begin{cases} 2\delta_{ij}\hbar & i, j \in \{3, 6, 9\} \\ \delta_{ij}\hbar & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} [p_i, u_j] = \delta_{ij}\hbar \\ \text{for tetrahedron eq.} \end{array} \right) \quad [p_i, p_j] = [u_i, u_j] = 0 : \text{canonical variables}$$

$$\rho_{ij} = \text{transposition } p_i \leftrightarrow p_j, u_i \leftrightarrow u_j \quad q = e^{\hbar}, \quad \lambda_{ij} = \lambda_i - \lambda_j$$

3. Derivation from quantum cluster algebra (Fock-Goncharov(09) q-deforming Fomin-Zelevinsky(07))

Seed = (B, \mathbf{Y})

$B \leftrightarrow Q$: quiver with vertices $1, \dots, n$

$B = (b_{ij})_{i,j=1}^n$, $b_{ij} = -b_{ji} \in \mathbb{Z}/2$: Exchange matrix (Type A only)

$b_{ij} = 1$

$\mathbf{Y} = (Y_1, \dots, Y_n)$, $Y_i Y_j = q^{2b_{ij}} Y_j Y_i$: Y-variables

$i \longrightarrow j$

$\mathbb{F}(\mathbf{Y}) = \mathbb{F}(B, \mathbf{Y})$: non-commutative fraction field generated by \mathbf{Y}

$b_{ij} = 1/2$

$i \cdots \longrightarrow j$

Mutation

$$\mu_k(B, \mathbf{Y}) = (B', \mathbf{Y}') \quad k \in \{1, \dots, n\}$$

$$b'_{ij} = \begin{cases} -b_{ij} & \text{if } i = k \text{ or } j = k \\ b_{ij} + [b_{ki}]_+ b_{kj} + [b_{kj}]_+ b_{ik} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad [x]_+ = \max(x, 0)$$

$$Y'_i = \begin{cases} Y_k^{-1} & i = k \\ q^{b_{ik}[b_{ki}]_+} Y_i Y_k^{[b_{ki}]_+} \prod_{m=1}^{|b_{ki}|} (1 + q^{-\text{sgn}(b_{ki})(2m-1)} Y_k)^{-\text{sgn}(b_{ki})} & i \neq k \end{cases}$$

μ_k on \mathbf{Y} is decomposed into monomial part and dilog (automorphism) part in two $(+, -)$ ways so that the following diagram becomes commutative:

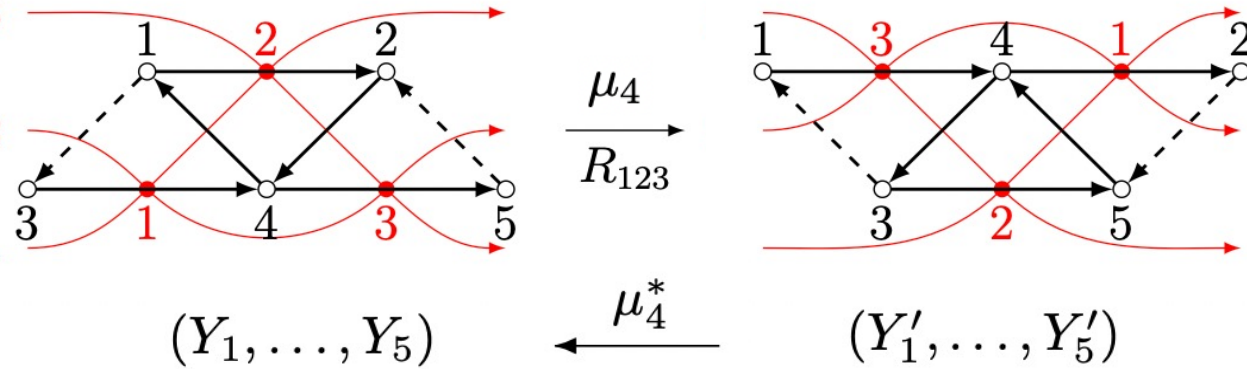
$$\begin{array}{ccc}
Y_i \in \mathbb{F}(\mathbf{Y}) & \xrightarrow{\mu_k} & \mathbb{F}(\mathbf{Y}) \\
\downarrow & & \uparrow \mu_{k,\pm}^\# \text{ dilog part} \\
Y'_i \in \mathbb{F}(\mathbf{Y}') & \xrightarrow{\tau_{k,\pm}} & \mathbb{F}(\mathbf{Y}) \\
& & \text{monomial part}
\end{array}
\quad
\begin{array}{l}
\tau_{k,\varepsilon}(Y'_i) = q^{b_{ki}[\varepsilon b_{ik}]_+} Y_i Y_k^{[\varepsilon b_{ik}]_+} \quad (\varepsilon = \pm : \textit{sign}) \\
\mu_{k,\varepsilon}^\# = \text{Ad}(\Psi_q(Y_k^\varepsilon)^\varepsilon), \text{ i.e. } \mu_{k,\varepsilon}^\#(Y_i) = \Psi_q(Y_k^\varepsilon)^\varepsilon Y_i \Psi_q(Y_k^\varepsilon)^{-\varepsilon}
\end{array}$$

Compositions of $\mu_k^* := \text{Ad}(\Psi_q(Y_k^\varepsilon)^\varepsilon) \tau_{k,\varepsilon} : \mathbb{F}(\mathbf{Y}') \rightarrow \mathbb{F}(\mathbf{Y})$ are called **cluster transformations**.

Example $\begin{array}{ccc} \textcircled{1} & \longrightarrow & \textcircled{2} \\ Y_1 & & Y_2 \end{array} \xrightarrow{\mu_2} \begin{array}{ccc} \textcircled{1} & \longleftarrow & \textcircled{2} \\ Y_1(1+qY_2^{-1})^{-1} & & Y_2^{-1} \end{array} \quad b_{12} = 1 = -b_{21}, Y_1 Y_2 = q^2 Y_2 Y_1$

$$\begin{array}{l}
\tau_{2,+} \\
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\begin{array}{ccc}
q^{-1} Y_1 Y_2 & \xrightarrow{\mu_{2,+}^\#} & q^{-1} Y_1 \Psi_q(q^{-2} Y_2) \Psi_q(Y_2)^{-1} Y_2 = q^{-1} Y_1 (1 + q^{-1} Y_2)^{-1} Y_2 \\
Y_1 & \xrightarrow{\mu_{2,-}^\#} & \Psi_q(Y_2^{-1})^{-1} Y_1 \Psi_q(Y_2^{-1}) = Y_1 \Psi_q(q^2 Y_2^{-1})^{-1} \Psi_q(Y_2^{-1})
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Y_1 (1 + q Y_2^{-1})^{-1}$$

Wiring diagrams (red) and the Fock-Goncharov (FG) quivers (black): Type A_2



FG quiver \cong dual of wiring diagram

FG quivers are designed in such a way that the braid move R_{123} and the mutation μ_4 are compatible.

$$\mu_4^* : \begin{pmatrix} Y'_1 \\ Y'_2 \\ Y'_3 \\ Y'_4 \\ Y'_5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\tau_{4,+}} \begin{pmatrix} Y_1 \\ q^{-1}Y_2Y_4 \\ q^{-1}Y_3Y_4 \\ Y_4^{-1} \\ Y_5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{Ad}(\Psi_q(Y_4))} \begin{pmatrix} Y_1(1 + qY_4) \\ Y_2(1 + qY_4^{-1})^{-1} \\ Y_3(1 + qY_4^{-1})^{-1} \\ Y_4^{-1} \\ Y_5(1 + qY_4) \end{pmatrix}$$

Associated cluster transformation

The transformation R_{123} of the wiring diagram satisfies the tetrahedron equation (as noted earlier)

$$R_{124}R_{135}R_{236}R_{456} = R_{456}R_{236}R_{135}R_{124}$$

Key idea: Upgrade it into an equality of cluster transformations

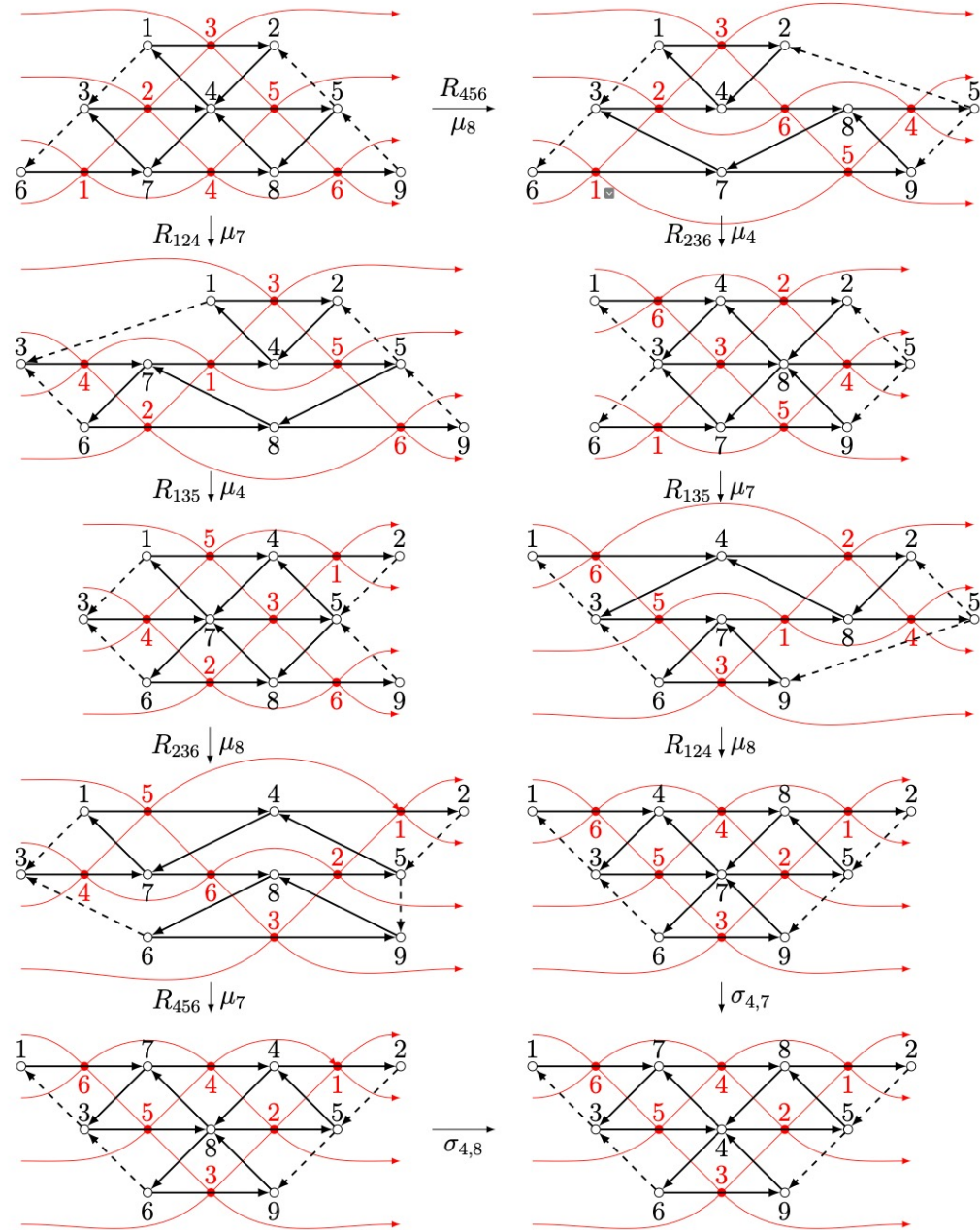
$$A_2 \hookrightarrow A_3$$

Wiring diagrams (red) which are successively transformed by braid moves denoted by R_{ijk}

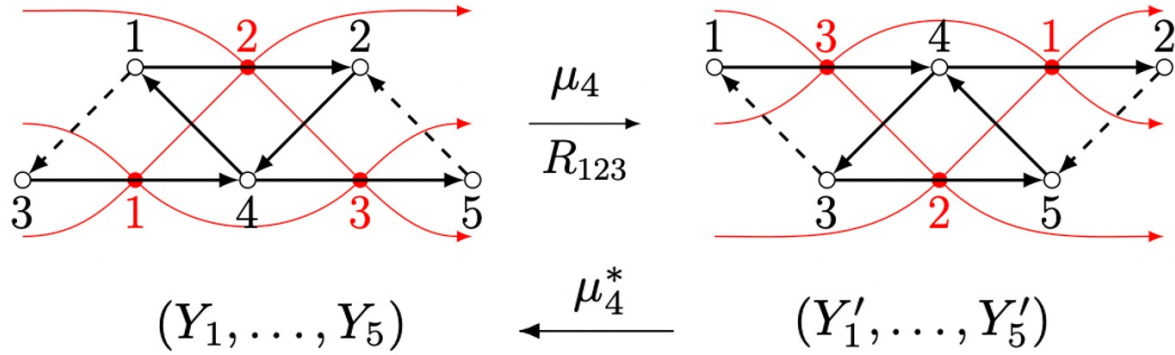
They are associated with the FG quivers (black) which are transformed by mutations μ_r

The figure shows that R_{ijk} satisfies the tetrahedron equation (as noted before).

Our solution is extracted as an operator whose adjoint induces the corresponding equality of cluster transformations.



Embedding into q-Weyl algebras



$$\begin{aligned}
 Y_1 Y_2 &= q^2 Y_2 Y_1 \\
 Y_1 Y_3 &= q Y_3 Y_1 \\
 Y_1 Y_4 &= q^{-2} Y_4 Y_1 \\
 Y_1 Y_5 &= Y_5 Y_1, \text{ etc}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Y'_1 Y'_2 &= Y'_2 Y'_1 \\
 Y'_1 Y'_3 &= q^{-1} Y'_3 Y'_1 \\
 Y'_1 Y'_4 &= q^2 Y'_4 Y'_1 \\
 Y'_1 Y'_5 &= Y'_5 Y'_1, \text{ etc}
 \end{aligned}$$

canonical commutation relations

The q-commutativity becomes automatic in the following parameterization using q-Weyl algebra

Introduce canonical variables:

$$[p_i, u_j] = \hbar \delta_{ij}, \quad [p_i, p_j] = [u_i, u_j] = 0$$

$e^{\pm p_i}, e^{\pm u_i}$ are generators of q-Weyl algebra

with the relation $e^{p_i} e^{u_j} = q^{\delta_{ij}} e^{u_j} e^{p_i}$

$$(q = e^{\hbar}, \quad \kappa_j = e^{\lambda_j}, \quad \lambda_{ij} = \lambda_i - \lambda_j)$$

$$Y_1 = \kappa_2^{-1} e^{p_2 - u_2 - p_1}$$

$$Y'_1 = \kappa_3^{-1} e^{p_3 - u_3}$$

$$Y_2 = \kappa_2 e^{p_2 + u_2 - p_3}$$

$$Y'_2 = \kappa_1 e^{p_1 + u_1}$$

$$Y_3 = \kappa_1^{-1} e^{p_1 - u_1}$$

$$Y'_3 = \kappa_2^{-1} e^{p_2 - u_2 - p_3}$$

$$Y_4 = \kappa_1 \kappa_3^{-1} e^{p_1 + u_1 + p_3 - u_3 - p_2}$$

$$Y'_4 = \kappa_1^{-1} \kappa_3 e^{p_3 + u_3 + p_1 - u_1 - p_2}$$

$$Y_5 = \kappa_3 e^{p_3 + u_3}$$

$$Y'_5 = \kappa_2 e^{p_2 + u_2 - p_1}$$

Moreover, in the q-Weyl algebra, not only the dilogarithm part but also the monomial part of the cluster transformation

$$\begin{pmatrix} Y'_1 \\ Y'_2 \\ Y'_3 \\ Y'_4 \\ Y'_5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\tau_{4,+}} \begin{pmatrix} Y_1 \\ q^{-1}Y_2Y_4 \\ q^{-1}Y_3Y_4 \\ Y_4^{-1} \\ Y_5 \end{pmatrix} \text{ is realized as an adjoint as } \tau_{4,+} = \text{Ad}(P_{123})$$

$$P_{123} = \rho_{23} e^{\frac{1}{\hbar}p_1(u_3-u_2)} e^{\frac{\lambda_{23}}{\hbar}(u_3-u_1)} e^{-\frac{1}{\hbar}p_1(u_3-u_2)} \rho_{23}$$

Example

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ad}(P_{123})(e^{p_3}) &= \rho_{23} e^{\frac{1}{\hbar}p_1(u_3-u_2)} \underline{e^{\frac{\lambda_{23}}{\hbar}(u_3-u_1)} e^{p_3} e^{-\frac{\lambda_{23}}{\hbar}(u_3-u_1)}} e^{-\frac{1}{\hbar}p_1(u_3-u_2)} \rho_{23} \\ &= \rho_{23} \underline{e^{\frac{1}{\hbar}p_1(u_3-u_2)}} e^{-\lambda_{23}} \underline{e^{p_3} e^{-\frac{1}{\hbar}p_1(u_3-u_2)}} \rho_{23} \\ &= \rho_{23} e^{-p_1-\lambda_{23}} e^{p_3} \rho_{23} = e^{p_2-p_1-\lambda_{23}}. \end{aligned}$$

Underlined parts are treated by the Baker-Campbell-Hausdorff formula

Therefore, the cluster transformation μ_4^* becomes totally an adjoint as

$$\mu_4^* = \text{Ad}(\Psi_q(Y_4))\tau_{4,+} = \text{Ad}(\Psi_q(Y_4))\text{Ad}(P_{123}) = \text{Ad}(\mathcal{R}_{123})$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{R}_{123} &= \Psi_q(Y_4)P_{123} = \Psi_q(e^{p_1+u_1+p_3-u_3-p_2+\lambda_{13}})\rho_{23}e^{\frac{1}{\hbar}p_1(u_3-u_2)}e^{\frac{\lambda_{23}}{\hbar}(u_3-u_1)} \\ &= \mathcal{R}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3)_{123}\end{aligned}$$

Theorem. The tetrahedron equation with spectral parameters is valid:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{R}(\lambda_4, \lambda_5, \lambda_6)_{456}\mathcal{R}(\lambda_2, \lambda_3, \lambda_6)_{236}\mathcal{R}(\lambda_1, \lambda_3, \lambda_5)_{135}\mathcal{R}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_4)_{124} \\ = \mathcal{R}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_4)_{124}\mathcal{R}(\lambda_1, \lambda_3, \lambda_5)_{135}\mathcal{R}(\lambda_2, \lambda_3, \lambda_6)_{236}\mathcal{R}(\lambda_4, \lambda_5, \lambda_6)_{456}\end{aligned}$$

Outline

Braid moves of wiring diagrams satisfy the tetrahedron equation.

Associating FG quivers to the wiring diagrams, it can be upgraded to an equality of cluster transformations, which is a rational transformations of q -commuting Y variables.

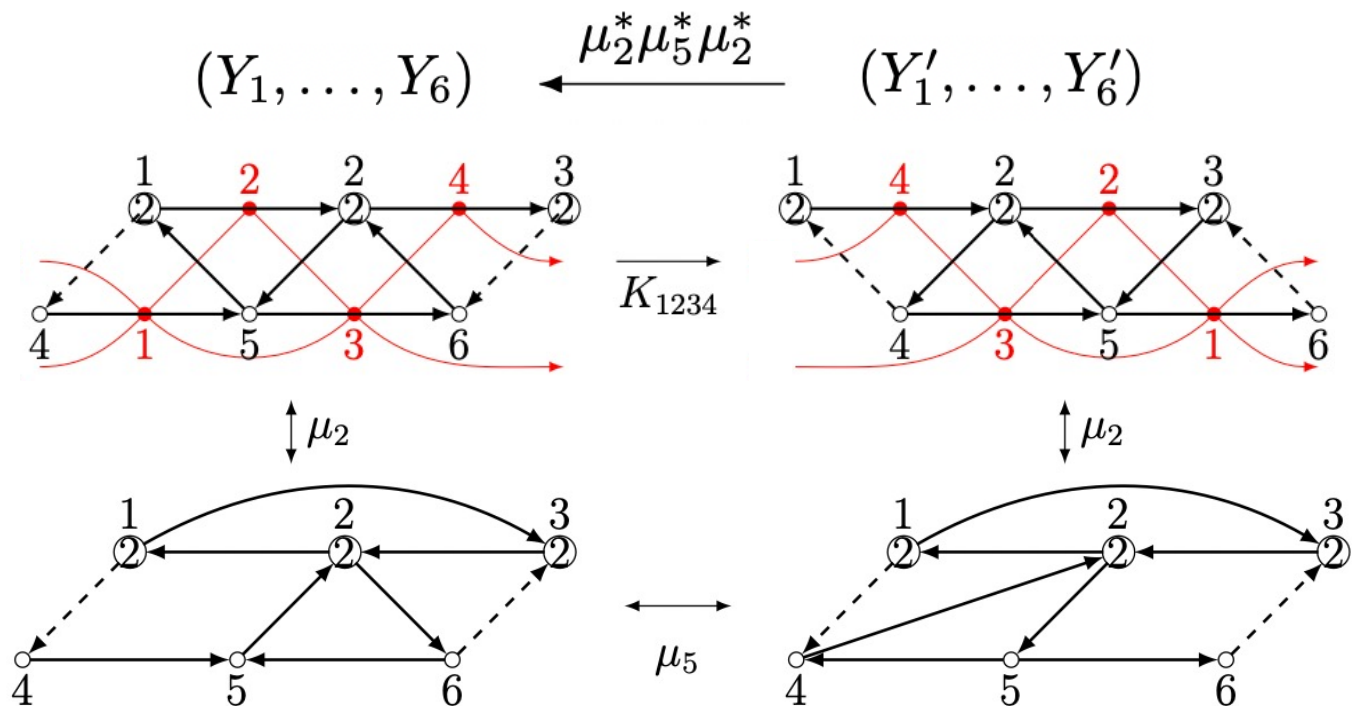
Embedding into the q -Weyl algebra makes the cluster transformation into the form $\text{Ad}(\mathcal{R})$

(\mathcal{R} = product of quantum dilogarithm and the monomial part.)

\mathcal{R} itself satisfies the tetrahedron equation.

Wiring diagrams (red) and the FG quivers (black) for K : Type C_2

FG quivers are *weighted*. ($\textcircled{2}$ = weight 2 node, Exchange matrices are only skew-symmetrizable)



A single reflection move corresponds to the composition of three mutations

The transformation K_{1234} of the wiring diagram induces the following cluster transformation:

$$\mu_2^* \mu_5^* \mu_2^* = \text{Ad}(\Psi_{q^2}(Y_2) \Psi_q(Y_5) \Psi_{q^2}(Y_2)^{-1}) \tau_{2,+} \tau_{5,+} \tau_{2,-}$$

The cluster transformation induced by \mathbf{K}_{1234}

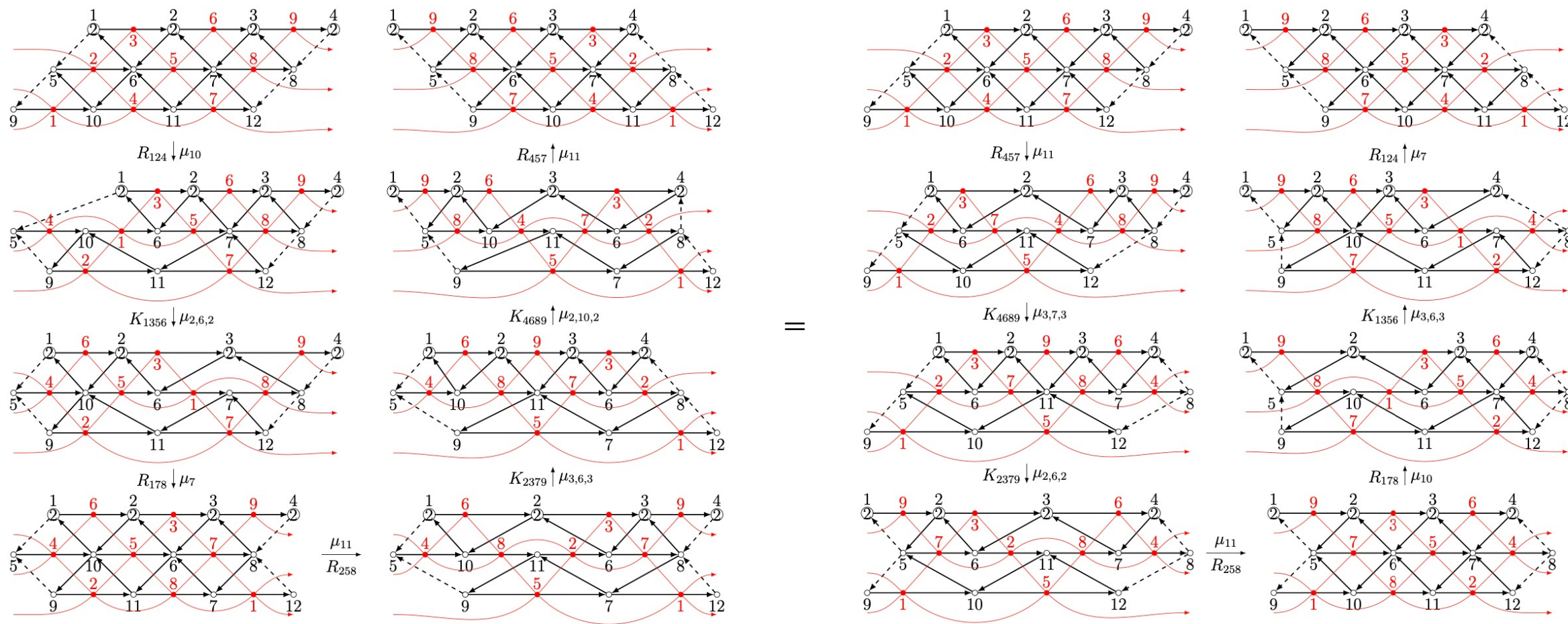
$$\mu_2^* \mu_5^* \mu_2^* : \begin{pmatrix} Y_1' \\ Y_2' \\ Y_3' \\ Y_4' \\ Y_5' \\ Y_6' \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\tau_{2,+} \tau_{5,+} \tau_{2,-}} \begin{pmatrix} Y_1 \\ Y_2 \\ Y_3 \\ q^{-1} Y_4 Y_5 \\ q^2 Y_5^{-1} Y_2^{-1} \\ q^{-1} Y_2 Y_5 Y_6 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{Ad}(\Psi_{q^2}(Y_2) \Psi_q(Y_5) \Psi_{q^2}(Y_2)^{-1})} \begin{pmatrix} Y_1 \Lambda_0 \\ \Lambda_1^{-1} \Lambda_2^{-1} Y_2 \\ \Lambda_0^{-1} Y_3 \Lambda_1 \Lambda_2 \\ q^{-1} \Lambda_0^{-1} Y_4 Y_5 \Lambda_1 \\ q^2 Y_5^{-1} Y_2^{-1} \Lambda_0 \\ q^{-1} \Lambda_1^{-1} Y_2 Y_5 Y_6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Lambda_0 = 1 + (q + q^3)Y_5 + q^4 Y_5^2 (1 + q^2 Y_2), \quad \Lambda_1 = 1 + q Y_5 (1 + q^2 Y_2), \quad \Lambda_2 = 1 + q^3 Y_5 (1 + q^2 Y_2)$$

Our solution (appearing after 3 pages) is an operator whose adjoint induces this rational transformation of q -commuting Y variables.

For three reflecting wires (red), there are two ways to reverse the order of reflections:

$$C_2 \hookrightarrow C_3$$

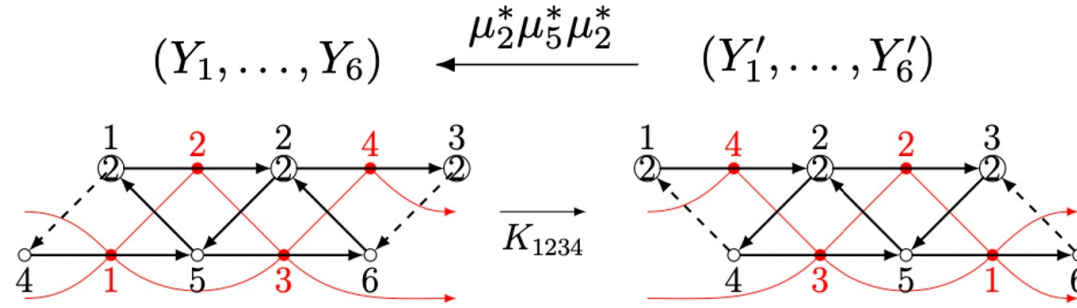


The corresponding transformations K and R satisfy the 3D reflection equation (as noted earlier)

$$R_{457} K_{4689} K_{2379} R_{258} R_{178} K_{1356} R_{124} = R_{124} K_{1356} R_{178} R_{258} K_{2379} K_{4689} R_{457}$$

A key step for upgrading into an identity of cluster transformations is an embedding of Y-variables into q-Weyl algebras (p_i and u_i obey the canonical commutation relation)

$$\begin{aligned}
 Y_1 &\mapsto \kappa_2^{-1} e^{p_2 - u_2 - 2p_1}, \\
 Y_2 &\mapsto \kappa_2 \kappa_4^{-1} e^{p_2 + u_2 + p_4 - u_4 - 2p_3}, \\
 Y_3 &\mapsto \kappa_4 e^{p_4 + u_4}, \\
 Y_4 &\mapsto \kappa_1^{-1} e^{p_1 - u_1}, \\
 Y_5 &\mapsto \kappa_1 \kappa_3^{-1} e^{p_1 + u_1 + p_3 - u_3 - p_2}, \\
 Y_6 &\mapsto \kappa_3 e^{p_3 + u_3 - p_4},
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 Y'_1 &\mapsto \kappa_4^{-1} e^{p_4 - u_4}, \\
 Y'_2 &\mapsto \kappa_4 \kappa_2^{-1} e^{p_4 + u_4 + p_2 - u_2 - 2p_3}, \\
 Y'_3 &\mapsto \kappa_2 e^{p_2 + u_2 - 2p_1}, \\
 Y'_4 &\mapsto \kappa_3^{-1} e^{p_3 - u_3 - p_4}, \\
 Y'_5 &\mapsto \kappa_3 \kappa_1^{-1} e^{p_3 + u_3 + p_1 - u_1 - p_2}, \\
 Y'_6 &\mapsto \kappa_1 e^{p_1 + u_1}.
 \end{aligned}$$

The embedding makes the q-commutativity of Y_i and Y'_i variables automatic.

Under this embedding, the cluster transformation for K_{1234} becomes totally an adjoint as

$$\mu_2^* \mu_5^* \mu_2^* = \text{Ad}(\mathcal{K}_{1234})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{K}_{1234} &= \mathcal{K}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3, \lambda_4)_{1234} \\ &= \Psi_{q^2}(e^{p_2+u_2+p_4-u_4-2p_3+\lambda_{24}}) \Psi_q(e^{p_1+u_1+p_3-u_3-p_2+\lambda_{13}}) \Psi_{q^2}(e^{p_2+u_2+p_4-u_4-2p_3+\lambda_{24}})^{-1} \\ &\quad \times \rho_{24} e^{\frac{1}{\hbar} p_1 (u_4 - u_2)} e^{\frac{\lambda_{24}}{2\hbar} (2u_3 - 2u_1 + u_4 - u_2)} \end{aligned}$$

Theorem. The 3D reflection equation with spectral parameters is valid:

$$\mathcal{R}_{457} \mathcal{K}_{4689} \mathcal{K}_{2379} \mathcal{R}_{258} \mathcal{R}_{178} \mathcal{K}_{1356} \mathcal{R}_{124} = \mathcal{R}_{124} \mathcal{K}_{1356} \mathcal{R}_{178} \mathcal{R}_{258} \mathcal{K}_{2379} \mathcal{K}_{4689} \mathcal{R}_{457}$$

where $\mathcal{R}_{ijk} = \mathcal{R}(\lambda_i, \lambda_j, \lambda_k)_{ijk}$ and $\mathcal{K}_{ijkl} = \mathcal{K}(\lambda_i, \lambda_j, \lambda_k, \lambda_l)_{ijkl}$.

4. Tetrahedron equality as duality

A representation of the q -Weyl algebra $e^{p_i} e^{u_j} = q^{2\delta_{ij}} e^{u_j} e^{p_i}$ on $\bigoplus_{m_1, m_2, m_3 \in \mathbb{Z}^3} \mathbb{C} |m_1, m_2, m_3\rangle$

$$e^{p_i} |m_1, m_2, m_3\rangle = |m_1, m_2, m_3\rangle |_{m_i \rightarrow m_i - 1}, \quad e^{u_i} |m_1, m_2, m_3\rangle = q^{2m_i} |m_1, m_2, m_3\rangle$$

Matrix elements :
$$R_{i,j,k}^{a,b,c} := \langle a, b, c | \mathcal{R}_{123} | i, j, k \rangle = \delta_{i+j}^{a+b} \delta_{j+k}^{b+c} \left(-\frac{\kappa_1}{\kappa_3} \right)^{b-k} \left(\frac{\kappa_2}{\kappa_3} \right)^{k-i} \frac{q^{(b-k)(i-k+1)}}{(q^2; q^2)_{b-k}}$$

Substitution of this into the tetrahedron equality

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{b_1, \dots, b_6 \in \mathbb{Z}} R_{b_1, b_2, b_4}^{a_1, a_2, a_4}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_4) R_{c_1, b_3, b_5}^{b_1, a_3, a_5}(\lambda_1, \lambda_3, \lambda_5) R_{c_2, c_3, b_6}^{b_2, b_3, a_6}(\lambda_2, \lambda_3, \lambda_6) R_{c_4, c_5, c_6}^{b_4, b_5, b_6}(\lambda_4, \lambda_5, \lambda_6) \\ &= \sum_{b_1, \dots, b_6 \in \mathbb{Z}} R_{b_4, b_5, b_6}^{a_4, a_5, a_6}(\lambda_4, \lambda_5, \lambda_6) R_{b_2, b_3, c_6}^{a_2, a_3, b_6}(\lambda_2, \lambda_3, \lambda_6) R_{b_1, c_3, c_5}^{a_1, b_3, b_5}(\lambda_1, \lambda_3, \lambda_5) R_{c_1, c_2, c_4}^{b_1, b_2, b_4}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_4). \end{aligned}$$

is distilled into the *duality* of q -series under the interchange $r \longleftrightarrow s$:

$$\frac{1}{(q^2)_{s+t}} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{(-1)^n q^{n(n+1+2s)}}{(q^2)_n (q^2)_{t-n} (q^2)_{n+r}} = \frac{1}{(q^2)_{r+t}} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{(-1)^n q^{n(n+1+2r)}}{(q^2)_n (q^2)_{t-n} (q^2)_{n+s}}$$

Possible connections with dualities in supersymmetric gauge theories (see Yagi arXiv:2405.02870)

A similar duality is present also in the *modular double* setting, where the matrix elements involve non-compact quantum dilogarithm (NCQD).

$$\Phi_b(u) = \exp \left(\frac{1}{4} \int_{\mathbb{R}+i0} \frac{e^{-2iuw}}{\sinh(wb) \sinh(w/b)} \frac{dw}{w} \right) \quad q = e^{i\pi b^2}$$

The duality in that case emerges as an identity of integrals, which is also reproduced by a NCQD analogue of a classical Heine transformation.

5. Outlook

3D R for symmetric butterfly quiver

(Inoue-K-Sun-Terashima-Yagi, 24)

Consists of 4 mutations.

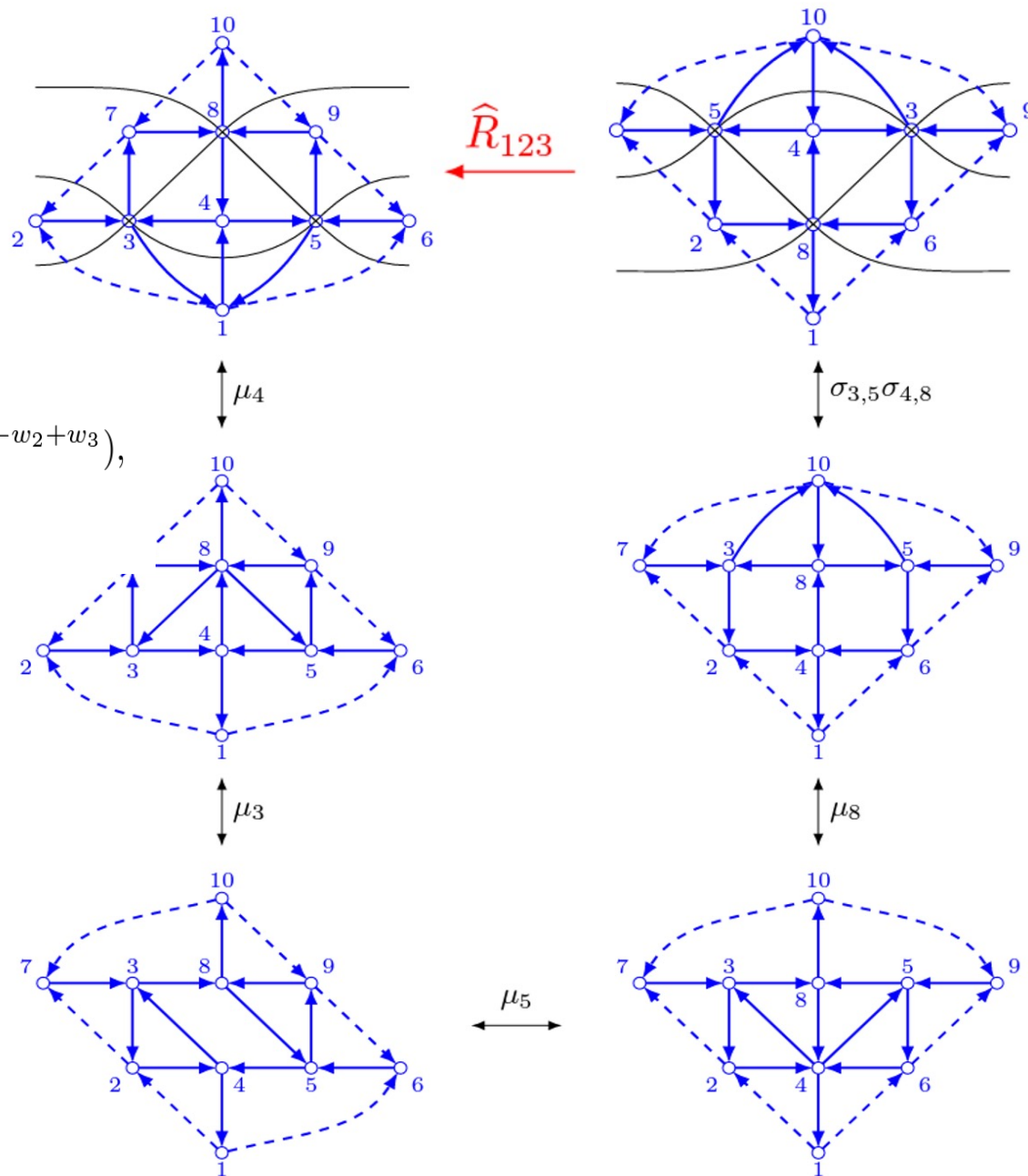
$$R = \Psi_q(e^{2C_7+u_1+u_3+w_1-w_2+w_3})^{-1} \Psi_q(e^{2C_5+u_1-u_3+w_1-w_2+w_3})^{-1} \\ \times P \Psi_q(e^{2C_2+2C_3-2C_6+2C_8+u_1-u_3+w_1-w_2+w_3}) \Psi_q(e^{2C_2+2C_3+u_1+u_3+w_1-w_2+w_3}),$$

$$P = e^{\frac{1}{\hbar}(u_3-u_2)w_1} e^{\frac{1}{\hbar}\lambda_0(-w_1-w_2+w_3)} e^{\frac{1}{\hbar}(\lambda_1 u_1 + \lambda_2 u_2 + \lambda_3 u_3)} \rho_{23},$$

Generalizes and unifies many known solutions as specializations of parameters in appropriate representations of q-Weyl algebras or their modular doubles.

- Kapranov-Voevodsky (94)
- Bazhanov-Mangazeev-Sergeev (09)
- K-Matsuike-Yoneyama (22)
- Inoue-K-Terashima (23, this talk)

q-oscillator representation
coordinate representation
momentum representation
specializing parameters



5. Outlook

Quantum cluster algebras encompass most of the prominent solutions of the tetrahedron equation.

Captured by quantum cluster algebra for **square quiver** [Inoue-K-Terashima 23]

$$\langle x|\mathcal{R}|x'\rangle \sim \delta(x_2+x_3-x'_2-x'_3) \times \frac{\Phi_b(x_2-x_1 \cdots)\Phi_b(x'_2-x'_1 \cdots)}{\Phi_b(x'_2-x_1 \cdots)\Phi_b(x_2-x'_1 \cdots)}$$

“quantum 2+1 evolution model”
[Sergeev 98, 10]

$$\downarrow q^N = 1$$

$$R_{j_1 j_2 j_3}^{i_1 i_2 i_3} \sim \delta_{j_2+j_3}^{i_2+i_3} \frac{w_{p_1}(i_2-i_1)w_{p_2}(j_2-j_1)}{w_{p_3}(j_2-i_1)w_{p_4}(i_2-j_1)}$$

“vertex formulation of ZBB model”
[Sergeev-Mangazeev-Stroganov 95]

Captured by quantum cluster algebra for **symmetric butterfly (SB) quiver** [I-K-Sun-T-Yagi 24]

Fock-Goncharov quiver (this talk) is the special case where only one of the four quantum dilogarithms Φ_b survives.

$$\langle x|R|x'\rangle \sim \frac{\Phi_b(z_1)\Phi_b(z_2)\Phi_b(z_3)\Phi_b(z_4)}{\Phi_b(z_3+z_4 \cdots)}$$

$(z_i = \text{linear form of } x_1, \dots, x'_3)$
modular double of [K-Matsuike-Yoneyama 23]

↕ Fourier transform

$$\langle \sigma|R|\sigma'\rangle \sim \delta_{\sigma'_1+\sigma'_2}^{\sigma_1+\sigma_2} \delta_{\sigma'_2+\sigma'_3}^{\sigma_2+\sigma_3} \int dz \frac{e^{\cdots} \Phi_b(z + \frac{\sigma_1-\sigma_3 \cdots}{2}) \Phi_b(z + \frac{\sigma_3-\sigma_1 \cdots}{2})}{\Phi_b(z + \frac{\sigma_1+\sigma_3 \cdots}{2}) \Phi_b(z - \frac{\sigma'_1+\sigma'_3 \cdots}{2})}$$

“quantum geometry R ”
[Bazhanov-Mangazeev-Sergeev 09]

$$\downarrow q^N = 1$$

“vertex-IRC” duality
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$$\langle n|R|n'\rangle \sim \delta_{n'_1+n'_2}^{n_1+n_2} \delta_{n'_2+n'_3}^{n_2+n_3} \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}_N} \frac{q^{\cdots} w_{p_1}(n + \frac{n_1-n_3 \cdots}{2}) w_{p_2}(n + \frac{n_3-n_1 \cdots}{2})}{w_{p_3}(n + \frac{n_1+n_3 \cdots}{2}) w_{p_4}(n - \frac{n'_1+n'_3 \cdots}{2})}$$

“Zamolodchikov-Bazhanov-Baxter (ZBB) model”
[Bazhanov-Baxter 92]

Thank you !