

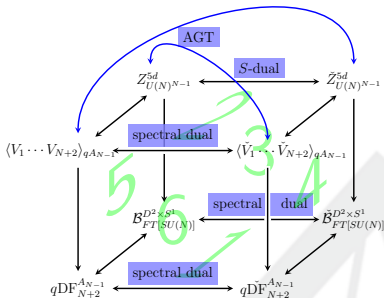
$T[SU(N)]$ duality webs II: Gauge/CFT correspondence and $2d$ limit

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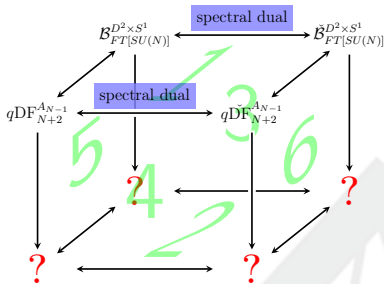
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Summary of Saras talk:

- $FT[SU(N)]$ theory and its spectral dual $FT[SU(N)]^\vee$.
- $FT[SU(N)]$ as a codimension-two defect theory.
- $3d$ spectral duality from fiber-base duality via Higgsing.



In this talk:

- Forget about $5d$ web.
- Details of $3d$ gauge/CFT correspondence (face 1)
- *What is duality web obtained after circle reduction of $3d$ web? (face2).*

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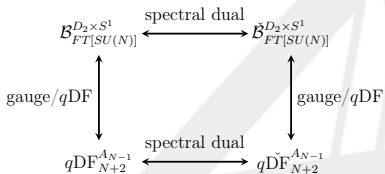
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- Gauge/CFT correspondence
 - Toda CFT
 - Dotsenko-Fateev representation of the conformal blocks
 - q -deformation and gauge/CFT correspondence
- $2d$ limit of $3d$ duality web
 - Coulomb and Higgs limits
 - Reduction of mirror dual holomorphic blocks
 - Bonus: d -Virasoro and its conformal blocks
- Conclusions and Outlook

Part I:

3d gauge/CFT duality web



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$$V_{\vec{\alpha}}(z) = : e^{\frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta}}(\vec{\alpha}, \vec{\phi}(z))} : \quad \vec{\alpha} \text{ is momentum.}$$

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- Free field correlators are non-trivial only if *momenta conservation condition* is satisfied

$$2\sqrt{\beta}Q_{\beta}\vec{\rho} = \vec{\alpha}^{(0)} + \vec{\alpha}^{(\infty)} + \sum_{j=1}^l \vec{\alpha}^{(j)} + \beta \sum_{a=1}^n N_a \vec{e}_{(a)}$$

Dotsenko, Fateev '84; Fateev, Litvinov '07

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 &\prod_{a=1}^{n-1} \prod_{i=1}^{N_a} \prod_{j=1}^{N_{a+1}} \left(1 - \frac{x_j^{(a+1)}}{x_i^{(a)}}\right)^{-\beta} \times \prod_{\rho=1}^l \prod_{a=1}^n \prod_{i=1}^{N_a} \left(1 - \frac{x_i^{(a)}}{z_\rho}\right)^{\alpha_a^{(\rho)} - \alpha_{a+1}^{(\rho)}}
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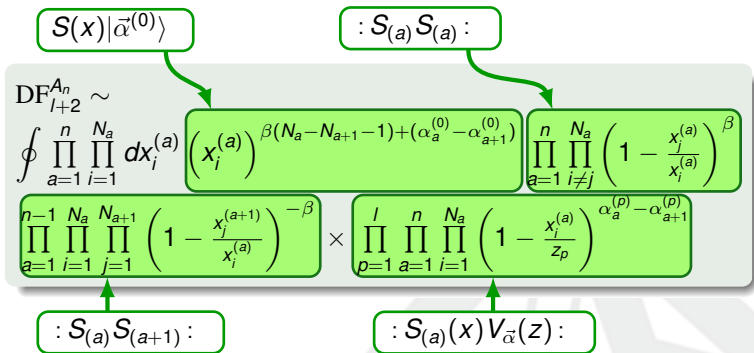
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 \end{array}$$

- In Liouville case ($n = 1$) - *Selberg integral*, can be evaluated
- For Toda case ($n > 1$) answers are known only for the cases of 2 arbitrary + (semi-)degenerate operators.

Degenerate: $\vec{\alpha} = \beta \vec{\omega}_n$

Semi-degenerate: $\vec{\alpha} = \kappa \vec{\omega}_n$

Shiraishi, Kubo, Awata, Odake '95; Frenkel, Reshetikhin '95;

Generators T_n of $\mathcal{Vir}_{q,t}$ algebra satisfy commutation relations

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- Generalization to qW_n case is derived using *bosonization*.

Bosonization of qW_n algebra

Shiraishi, Kubo, Awata, Odake '95;

- Expand scalar fields in modes

$$\phi^{(a)}(z) = Q^{(a)} + P^{(a)} \log z + \sum_{k \neq 0} c_k^{(a)} \frac{z^{-k}}{k},$$

$$[c_k^{(a)}, c_m^{(b)}] = k \delta_{k+m,0} \delta_{a,b}$$

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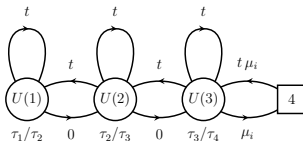
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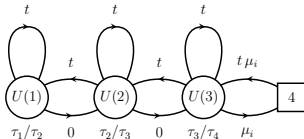
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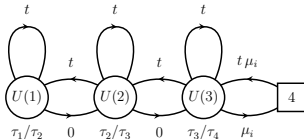
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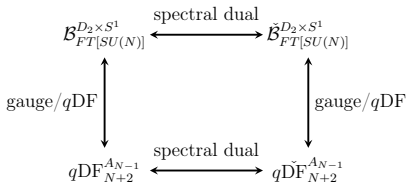
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Ranks of gauge groups	Screening charges $N_a = a$
Parameter $q = e^{\hbar} = e^{R\epsilon}$	Deformation parameter q
Axial mass $m_A = t = q^\beta$	Central charge parameter β
Vector masses μ_p	Positions of the vertex operators z_p
FI parameters T_a	Initial state momentum $\vec{\alpha}^{(0)}$

3d duality web



- Horizontal lines \Leftrightarrow dualities. Complicated integral identities.
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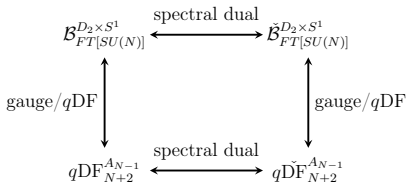
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Spectral duality of q-Toda conformal blocks

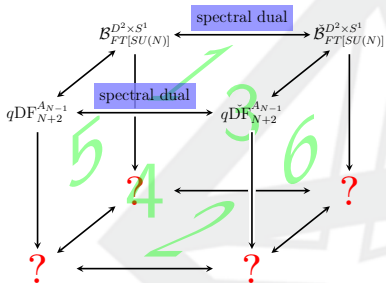
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Spectral duality exchanges external momentum $\vec{\alpha}^{(0)}$ with the coordinates of vertex operator insertions z_p

$$\alpha_p^{(0)} \leftrightarrow \log_q z_p$$

Part II:

What happens when we reduce $3d$ web down to $2d$ ($q \rightarrow 1$)?



- Long known result: *3d abelian mirror pair* reduces to *2d Hori-Vafa duals pair*.
Aganagic, Hori, Karch, Tong '01
- Recent detailed discussion of the topic:
Aharony, Razamat, Willett '17
 - It is crucial to *turn on all possible mass deformations* keeping vacua of $2d$ theories isolated. Massless limit is very subtle and we avoid it.
 - It is important to define *scaling of 3d mass parameters* with S^1 radius R . Depending on this one can obtain either $2d$ gauge theories or Landau-Ginzburg (LG) theory.
 - One can also obtain *direct sums of 2d theories*.

Higgs limit:

$$q = e^{\hbar} = e^{R\epsilon} \rightarrow 1$$

- 3d *FI parameters* T_a scale as $1/R$ and lift Coulomb branch.
- 3d *Vector mass* parameters M_a do not scale and matter fields become light.
- *Axial mass* always does not scale.

$$\tau_a = e^{RT_a} - \text{fixed!}; \quad \mu_a = e^{RM_a} = q^{f_a}; \quad m_A = q^\beta;$$

- *Vacua* are at finite distances $x_i^{(a)} = q^{w_i^{(a)}}$
- Higgs limit is *natural* from gauge theory point of view.

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Hori, Romo '13; Honda, Okuda '13;

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- Calculation works similarly for **other 3d multiplets** reducing them to 2d multiplets.
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- *Higgs limit* of FT[SU(N)] holomorphic block $\mathcal{B}_{FT[SU(N)]}^{D^2 \times S^1}$

3d vector mult.

$$\prod_{i \neq j} \frac{\left(q^{w_j^{(a)} - w_i^{(a)}} ; q \right)_{\infty}}{\left(q^{w_j^{(a)} - w_i^{(a)} + \beta} ; q \right)_{\infty}}$$

$\xrightarrow{q \rightarrow 1}$

2d vector mult.

$$\prod_{i \neq j} (-\hbar)^\beta \frac{\Gamma(w_j^{(a)} - w_i^{(a)} + \beta)}{\Gamma(w_j^{(a)} - w_i^{(a)})}$$

Hori, Romo '13; Honda, Okuda '13;

- Calculation works similarly for other 3d multiplets reducing them to 2d multiplets.
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- Summarizing we find 3d holomorphic block reduces to 2d block of the same theory

$$\lim_{q \rightarrow 1} \mathcal{B}_{FT[SU(N)]}^{D_2 \times S^1}(\vec{\tau}, \vec{\mu}, t) = (-\hbar)^{-\beta \frac{N(N-1)}{2}} \mathcal{B}_{FT[SU(N)]}^{D_2}(\vec{\tau}, \vec{f}, \beta)$$

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- Notice exactly the same power of \hbar as in the Higgs limit!

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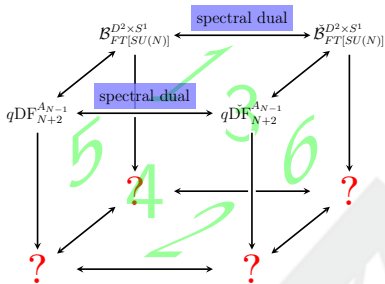
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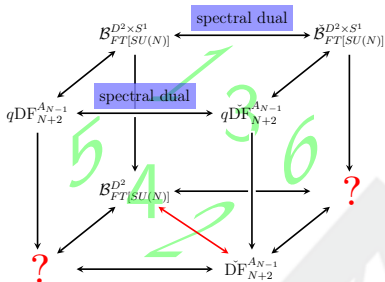
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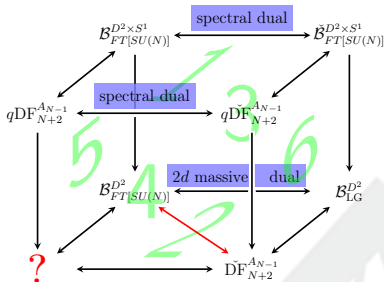
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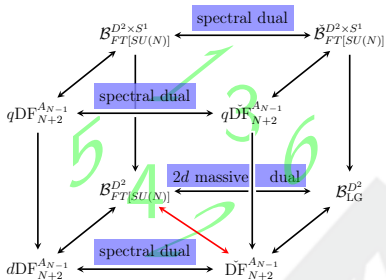
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- $dDF_{N+2}^{A_{N-1}}$ is a correlator of vertex operators in **theory with $d\mathcal{W}_N$ current algebra**, an **un-natural limit** of $q\mathcal{W}_N$.

Bonus: d -Virasoro algebra

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- Start from the $\mathcal{V}ir_{q,t}$ commutation relation. $T(z) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} T_n z^n$

$$f\left(\frac{w}{z}\right) T(z)T(w) - f\left(\frac{z}{w}\right) T(w)T(z) = -\frac{(1-q)(1-t^{-1})}{1-\frac{q}{t}} \left(\delta\left(\frac{q}{t} \frac{w}{z}\right) - \delta_{\times}\left(\frac{t}{q} \frac{w}{z}\right) \right)$$

- Take *Higgs-like limit* $z = q^u$, $w = q^v$ (*un-natural from q CFT point of view*)

$$g(v-u)t(u)t(v) - g(u-v)t(v)t(u) = -\frac{\beta}{1-\beta} (\delta(v-u+1-\beta) - \delta(v-u-1+\beta))$$

$$t(u) \equiv \lim_{q \rightarrow 1} T(q^u) \quad g(u) = \frac{2(1-\beta)}{u} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{u+2-\beta}{2(1-\beta)}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{u+1-2\beta}{2(1-\beta)}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{u+1}{2(1-\beta)}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{u-\beta}{2(1-\beta)}\right)}$$

- Bosonize** this algebra: find screening currents and vertex operators.
- Derive d DF conformal blocks

- Generalize to other dual pairs. First step - **abelian quivres**.
Work in progress with *Aprile, Pasquetti, Sacchi and Zenkevich*
- **Fix subtleties**, e.g. mapping of integration contours, boundary conditions on D^2 .
- Work out $2d$ gauge/CFT correspondence without relying on $3d$ mirror symmetry.
- Understand better relation between **LG theories** and **DF** representations of conformal blocks.
- Study **d -Virasoro algebra** and related issues (conformal blocks, integrable hamiltonians etc.)

Thank you!