

Topologically Twisted SUSY Gauge Theory, Gauge-Bethe Correspondence and Quantum Cohomology

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Relations among

Integrable System

Supersymmetric Gauge Theory

Quantum Cohomology

Today:

Integrable System

\rightsquigarrow $XXX_{1/2}$ Heisenberg Spin Chain Model

Supersymmetric Gauge Theory

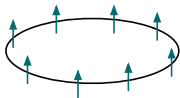
\rightsquigarrow 2d $\mathcal{N} = (2, 2)$ theory
with an adjoint chiral multiplet
in addition to the same number of
fund. and anti-fund. chiral multiplet

Quantum Cohomology

\rightsquigarrow Equivariant Quantum Cohomology
of Cotangent Bundle of Grassmanian

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XXX_{1/2} Heisenberg Spin Chain Model



- Degree of freedom: Spin 1/2 of $SU(2)$ at each M lattice sites
- Hamiltonian: $H = J \sum_{a=1}^M (S_a^x S_{a+1}^x + S_a^y S_{a+1}^y + S_a^z S_{a+1}^z)$
 - $\vec{S}_a = \frac{i}{2} \vec{\sigma}_a$
 - quasi-periodic boundary condition: $\vec{S}_{M+1} = e^{i\vartheta\sigma_3} \vec{S}_1 e^{-i\vartheta\sigma_3}$
 - $J > 0$: ferromagnet, $J < 0$: anti-ferromagnet
 - position ν_i of the lattice sites with respect to symmetric round lattice configuration
- Hilbert space: $\mathcal{H}_M^\vartheta = \underbrace{\mathbb{C}^2 \otimes \dots \otimes \mathbb{C}^2}_M$
- $[S^z, H] = 0$ for any ϑ where $S^z = \sum_{a=1}^M S_a^z$
- N -particle sector: subspace $\mathcal{H}_M^{\vartheta, N} \subset \mathcal{H}_M^\vartheta$ where $S^z = N - \frac{1}{2}M$
 - pseudo-vacuum: $|0\rangle = \underbrace{|\downarrow \dots \downarrow\rangle}_M$ annihilated by all S_a^-

Algebraic Bethe Ansatz for $XXX_{1/2}$

- Monodromy Matrix: $T(\lambda) = \begin{pmatrix} A(\lambda) & B(\lambda) \\ C(\lambda) & D(\lambda) \end{pmatrix}$
 - acting on the 2-dimensional auxiliary space
 - λ are called spectral parameter
- Transfer Matrix: $\tau(\lambda) = A(\lambda) + D(\lambda)$
 - $\tau(\lambda) = A(\lambda) + e^{i\vartheta} D(\lambda)$ for quasi-periodic boundary condition

- R-Matrix: $R(\lambda, \mu) = \begin{pmatrix} f(\mu, \lambda) & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & g(\mu, \lambda) & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & g(\mu, \lambda) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & f(\mu, \lambda) \end{pmatrix}$

- $f(\mu, \lambda) = 1 + \frac{ic}{\mu - \lambda}$, $g(\mu, \lambda) = \frac{ic}{\mu - \lambda}$
- auxiliary parameter c , which can take arbitrary value
- acting on the 2×2 -dimensional auxiliary space

- Yang-Baxter Equation:

$$R_{12}(\lambda, \mu)R_{13}(\lambda, \nu)R_{23}(\mu, \nu) = R_{23}(\mu, \nu)R_{13}(\lambda, \nu)R_{12}(\lambda, \mu)$$

acting on auxiliary space $V_1 \otimes V_2 \otimes V_3$ where R-matrix R_{ab} acts on $V_a \otimes V_b$

$$\rightsquigarrow R_{ab}(\lambda, \mu)(T_a(\lambda) \otimes T_b(\mu)) = (T_b(\mu) \otimes T_a(\lambda))R_{ab}(\lambda, \mu)$$

\Rightarrow providing the commutation relations of the matrix elements, A, B, C , and D , of monodromy matrix T

- One can show $[\tau(\lambda), H] = 0$

- $\tau(\lambda)$ is a generating function of conserved charges

- Pseudo-vacuum:

$$A(\lambda)|0\rangle = a(\lambda)|0\rangle, \quad D(\lambda)|0\rangle = d(\lambda)|0\rangle, \quad C(\lambda)|0\rangle = 0$$

where $a(\lambda)$ and $d(\lambda)$ are called vacuum eigenvalues

- Bethe Eigenstates: $|\Psi_N(\lambda)\rangle = \prod_{a=1}^N B(\lambda_a)|0\rangle$

- dual vector: $\langle\Psi_N(\lambda)| = \langle 0| \prod_{a=1}^N C(\lambda_a)$

- Bethe Ansatz Equation:

$$\prod_{j=1}^M \frac{\lambda_a - \nu_j - i\frac{c}{2}}{\lambda_a - \nu_j + i\frac{c}{2}} = e^{i\vartheta} \prod_{\substack{b=1 \\ b \neq a}}^N \frac{\lambda_b - \lambda_a + ic}{\lambda_b - \lambda_a - ic},$$

- Norm of Bethe Eigenstates $\langle \Psi_N(\lambda) | \Psi_N(\lambda) \rangle$: [Korepin '82]

$$\sum_{(\lambda) \in P_{XXX}} \langle \Psi_N(\lambda) | \Psi_N(\lambda) \rangle^{-1} = \sum_{(\lambda) \in P_{XXX}} (ic)^{-N} \prod_{a \neq b} \frac{\lambda_a - \lambda_b}{\lambda_a - \lambda_b + ic} \prod_{a=1}^N \prod_{j=1}^M \frac{1}{(\lambda_a - \nu_j - i\frac{c}{2})(\lambda_a - \nu_j + i\frac{c}{2})} \det(\tilde{\varphi}')^{-1}$$

where

$$\tilde{\varphi}'_{ab} = \delta_{ab} \left[\left(\sum_{l=1}^M \left(\frac{ic}{(\lambda_a - \nu_l - i\frac{c}{2})(\lambda_a - \nu_l + i\frac{c}{2})} \right) + \sum_{s=1}^N \left(\frac{2ic}{(\lambda_s - \lambda_a + ic)(\lambda_a - \lambda_s + ic)} \right) \right) - \left(\frac{2ic}{(\lambda_a - \lambda_b + ic)(\lambda_b - \lambda_a + ic)} \right) \right]$$

P_{XXX} : the set of the independent solutions of $(\lambda) = (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_N)$ satisfying the Bethe ansatz equations.

2d $\mathcal{N} = (2, 2)$ Theories

- SUSY representations
 - Vector Multiplet: $V = (v_\mu, \sigma, \bar{\sigma}, \lambda, \bar{\lambda}, D)$
 - Chiral Multiplet: $Q = (\phi, \psi, F)$
 - Anti-Chiral Multiplet: $\tilde{Q} = (\tilde{\phi}, \tilde{\psi}, \tilde{F})$
- Theory we are interested in:
 - gauge group: $U(N)$
 - N_f fund. and N_f anti-fund. chiral multiplet, $Q, \tilde{Q} \rightsquigarrow SU(N_f)_Q \times SU(N_f)_{\tilde{Q}}$ flavor symmetries
 - an adjoint chiral multiplet $\Phi \rightsquigarrow U(1)_D$ flavor symmetry

	$U(N_c)$	$SU(N_f)_Q$	$SU(N_f)_{\tilde{Q}}$	$U(1)_D$	$U(1)_R$
Q	N_c	\bar{N}_f	$\mathbf{1}$	$-1/2$	r_1
\tilde{Q}	\bar{N}_c	$\mathbf{1}$	N_f	$-1/2$	r_2
Φ	adj	$\mathbf{1}$	$\mathbf{1}$	1	R

- Effective twisted superpotential $\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}_{\text{eff}}$:

$$\begin{aligned} \widetilde{\mathcal{W}}_{\text{eff}} = & \tau \sum_{a=1}^{N_c} \sigma_a - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{1 \leq a < b \leq N_c} (\sigma_a - \sigma_b) - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \left[\sum_{a=1}^{N_c} \sum_{i=1}^{N_f} (\sigma_a - m_i^y - \frac{1}{2} m^z) (\log(\sigma_a - m_i^y - \frac{1}{2} m^z) - 1) \right. \\ & \left. + (-\sigma_a + m_i^{\tilde{y}} - \frac{1}{2} m^z) (\log(-\sigma_a + m_i^{\tilde{y}} - \frac{1}{2} m^z) - 1) + \sum_{a,b=1}^{N_c} (\sigma_a - \sigma_b + m^z) (\log(\sigma_a - \sigma_b + m^z) - 1) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

- Condition for supersymmetric vacua:

From the effective superpotential, the condition for supersymmetric vacua, $\exp(2\pi i \partial_{\sigma_a} \widetilde{\mathcal{W}}_{\text{eff}}) = 1$, is given by

$$\prod_{i=1}^{N_f} \frac{(\sigma_a - m_i^y - \frac{1}{2} m^z)}{(\sigma_a - m_i^{\tilde{y}} + \frac{1}{2} m^z)} = (-1)^{N_f} e^{2\pi i \tau} \prod_{b \neq a}^{N_c} \frac{\sigma_b - \sigma_a + m^z}{\sigma_b - \sigma_a - m^z}.$$

- the mass parameter and flux of Cartan of global symmetries

$$SU(N_f)_Q : (m_i^y, n_i), \quad SU(N_f)_{\tilde{Q}} : (m_i^{\tilde{y}}, \tilde{n}_i), \quad U(1)_D : (m^z, l).$$

- complexified FI parameter τ : $\tau = \frac{\theta}{2\pi} + i\xi$

- This is one of key ingredient in Gauge-Bethe Correspondence

- 2d $\mathcal{N} = (2, 2)$ theory on S^2
 - SUSY theory on curved manifold can be understood by considering off-shell supergravity background, which has non-trivial generalized Killing spinors
 - Among others, we are interested in the case where there is nonzero magnetic flux for background $U(1)_R$ gauge field $A^{(R)}$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int dA^{(R)} = -1$$

- Above case corresponds to actually topological A-twisted theory.

[Closset-Cremonesi '14]

- Partition function and Correlation function

- They are obtained by using localization technique in [Closset-Cremonesi-Park '15, Benini-Zaffaroni '15]
- Choosing poles in contour integral is prescribed by Jeffery-Kirwan residue formula

$$Z^{2d} = \frac{1}{N_c!} \sum_{\vec{k} \in \mathbb{Z}^{N_c}} q^{\sum_{a=1}^{N_c} k_a} \oint \prod_{a=1}^{N_c} \frac{d\sigma_a}{2\pi i} Z_{\text{total}}^{1\text{-loop}}(k)$$

where $Z_{\text{total}}^{1\text{-loop}}(k) = Z_{\text{vector}}^{1\text{-loop}}(k) Z_Q^{1\text{-loop}}(k) Z_{\tilde{Q}}^{1\text{-loop}}(k) Z_{\Phi}^{1\text{-loop}}(k)$.

- Gauge Invariant Operators $\mathcal{O}(\sigma)$

- σ is scalar component of vector multiplet
- $\mathcal{O}(\sigma)$ is provided by symmetric polynomials of σ_a , $a = 1, \dots, N_c$
- When the Omega deformation is turned off on S^2 , gauge invariant operator $\mathcal{O}(\sigma)$ can be put any place on S^2

- Partition function of A-twisted 2d $\mathcal{N} = (2, 2)$ theory: [HJC-Yoshida '16]

$$Z^{2d} = (-1)^{\frac{N_c(N_c+1)}{2}} (m^z)^{N_c(R-1-l)} \sum_{\sigma \in P_{2d}} \det(\mathcal{M}^{2d})^{-1} \prod_{a \neq b} (\sigma_a - \sigma_b)(\sigma_a - \sigma_b + m^z)^{R-1-l}$$

$$\times \prod_{a=1}^{N_c} \prod_{i=1}^{N_f} (\sigma_a - m_i^y - \frac{1}{2}m^z)^{r_1-1+n_i+\frac{1}{2}l} (-\sigma_a + m_i^{\tilde{y}} - \frac{1}{2}m^z)^{r_2-1-\tilde{n}_i+\frac{1}{2}l}$$

where

$$P_{2d} := \{(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_{N_c}) \mid \exp(2\pi i \partial_{\sigma_a} \widetilde{\mathcal{W}}_{\text{eff}}) = 1 \text{ for all } a = 1, \dots, N_c\}$$

$$\mathcal{M}_{ab}^{2d} := (-2\pi i) \partial_{\sigma_a} \partial_{\sigma_b} \widetilde{\mathcal{W}}_{\text{eff}}$$

and

$$-2\pi i \partial_{\sigma_a} \partial_{\sigma_b} \widetilde{\mathcal{W}}_{\text{eff}} = \delta_{ab} \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_a - m_i^y - \frac{1}{2}m^z} + \frac{1}{-\sigma_a + m_i^{\tilde{y}} - \frac{1}{2}m^z} + \sum_{l=1}^{N_c} (S_{lb} - S_{bl}) \right) - S_{ab} - S_{ba}$$

with

$$S_{kl} = \frac{1}{\sigma_k - \sigma_l + m^z}$$

In P_{2d} , we removed solutions which are same up to the permutations of $(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_{N_c})$.

Gauge-Bethe Correspondence

- Gauge-Bethe Correspondence:

supersymmetric gauge theories

and

quantum integrable system

[Nekrasov-Shatashvili '09]

- It states that

the SUSY parameter condition \leftrightarrow Bethe Ansatz equation

effective twisted superpotential \leftrightarrow Yang-Yang function

• Correspondence [Nekrasov-Shatashvili '09]

With

$$\begin{aligned} N_c &= N \\ N_f &= M \\ m^y / m^z &= m^{\tilde{y}} / m^z = \nu / ic \\ (-1)^{N_f} e^{2\pi i \tau} &= e^{i\vartheta} \end{aligned}$$

the SUSY parameter condition \leftrightarrow Bethe Ansatz equation
 effective twisted superpotential \leftrightarrow Yang-Yang function

reminder:

- $$\prod_{j=1}^M \frac{\lambda_a - \nu_j - i\frac{\epsilon}{2}}{\lambda_a - \nu_j + i\frac{\epsilon}{2}} = e^{i\vartheta} \prod_{\substack{b=1 \\ b \neq a}}^N \frac{\lambda_b - \lambda_a + ic}{\lambda_b - \lambda_a - ic},$$
- $$\begin{aligned} \widetilde{\mathcal{W}}_{\text{eff}} &= \tau \sum_{a=1}^{N_c} \sigma_a - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{1 \leq a < b \leq N_c} (\sigma_a - \sigma_b) - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \left[\sum_{a=1}^{N_c} \sum_{i=1}^{N_f} (\sigma_a - m_i^y - \frac{1}{2} m^z) (\log(\sigma_a - m_i^y - \frac{1}{2} m^z) - 1) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + (-\sigma_a + m_i^{\tilde{y}} - \frac{1}{2} m^z) (\log(-\sigma_a + m_i^{\tilde{y}} - \frac{1}{2} m^z) - 1) + \sum_{a,b=1}^{N_c} (\sigma_a - \sigma_b + m^z) (\log(\sigma_a - \sigma_b + m^z) - 1) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Such correspondence with explicit identification was only made at the level of vacua and effective twisted superpotential.

We calculated partition function Z^{2d} of topologically twisted version (A-type) of above 2d $\mathcal{N} = (2, 2)$ on S^2 and checked that it equals to the inverse norm of the Bethe eigenstate

$$Z^{2d} = \sum_{(\lambda) \in P_{XXX}} \langle \Psi_N(\lambda) | \Psi_N(\lambda) \rangle^{-1}$$

where P_{XXX} is the set of the independent solutions of $(\lambda) = (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_N)$ satisfying the Bethe Ansatz equations. *c.f.* [Okuda-Yoshida '12, Nekrasov-Shatashvili '14]

From above correspondence, we also have that

correlation functions of gauge invariant operator $\mathcal{O}(\sigma)$ \leftrightarrow the coefficient of expectation value of Baxter Q-operator $\mathbf{Q}(x)$ whose eigenvalue is $Q(x) = \prod_{a=1}^{N_c} (x - \lambda_a)$

The eigenvalue of transfer matrix $\tau(\mu)$ for $XXX_{1/2}$ model

$$\theta(\mu, \{\lambda_a\}) = a(\mu) \prod_{a=1}^N f(\mu, \lambda_a) + e^{i\theta} d(\mu) \prod_{a=1}^N f(\lambda_a, \mu)$$

which is also expressed in terms of symmetric polynomial of λ_a .

The eigenvalue of transfer matrix $\tau(\mu)$ is generating function of mutually commuting conserved charges (or Hamiltonians).

Accordingly, one can match the expectation value of conserved charges of $XXX_{1/2}$ spin chain model with the twisted GLSM correlators with appropriate coefficients.

Equivariant Quantum Cohomology

- Non-linear Sigma Model:

If FI parameter $\xi > 0$,

the IR theory of 2d $\mathcal{N} = (2, 2)^*$ theory (with superpotential

$W_{\tilde{Q}\Phi Q} = \sum_{a,b=1}^{N_c} \sum_{i=1}^{N_f} \tilde{Q}_i^a \Phi_a^b Q_b^i$) is described by non-linear sigma model with hyper-Kähler target space, which is the cotangent bundle of Grassmannian $T^*\text{Gr}(N_c, N_f)$

- Equivariant Quantum Cohomology Algebra

- Usual cup product of cohomology ring is replaced by “quantum” multiplication between generators of cohomology $H^*(X)$ of target space X
- It can be defined in terms of Gromov-Witten invariants
- Equivariant integration of equivariant quantum cohomology class was shown to agree with correlation functions in GLSM for several example.
- We worked on the cotangent bundle of Grassmannian $T^*\text{Gr}(N_c, N_f)$

Some detail: [Gorbounov-Rimányi-Tarasov-Varchenko '13]

- Equivariant Quantum Cohomology of the Cotangent Bundle of Grassmannian

$$QH_{GL_n(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathbb{C}^*}^*(T^*\text{Gr}(r, n); \mathbb{C}) = \mathbb{C}[\mathbf{z}, \Gamma, h]^{S_n \times S_{\lambda_1} \times S_{\lambda_2}} \otimes \mathbb{C}[[q]] / \mathcal{I}_q$$

- $G(r, n)$: $0 = F_0 \subset F_1 \subset F_2 = \mathbb{C}^n$ with $\dim F_1 = r$.
- $(\lambda_1, \lambda_2) := (r, n - r)$
- $\Gamma_i = \{\gamma_{i,1}, \dots, \gamma_{i,\lambda_i}\}$ with $i = 1, 2$: the set of Chern roots of bundles on $\text{Gr}(r, n)$ with fiber F_i/F_{i-1}
- $\mathbf{z} = \{z_1; \dots; z_n\}$: Chern roots corresponding to each factors of $(\mathbb{C}^*)^n \subset GL(n, \mathbb{C})$ action
- h : the Chern root corresponding to \mathbb{C}^* action on the fiber direction of $T^*\text{Gr}(r, n)$
- S_n, S_{λ_1} and S_{λ_2} : the symmetrization of variables $\{z_1, \dots, z_n\}$, $\{\gamma_{1,1}, \dots, \gamma_{1,\lambda_1}\}$ and $\{\gamma_{2,1}, \dots, \gamma_{2,\lambda_2}\}$, respectively.
- $\mathbb{C}[[q]]$ is the ring of formal series of q , which is the quantum parameter

- ideal \mathcal{I}_q is generated by the n coefficients p_l defined by

$$\sum_{l=1}^n p_l(\mathbf{z}, \Gamma, h, q) u^{n-l} := \prod_{a=1}^2 \prod_{b=1}^{\lambda_a} (u - \gamma_{a,b}) - q \prod_{a=1}^{\lambda_1} (u - \gamma_{1,a} - h) \prod_{b=1}^{\lambda_2} (u - \gamma_{2,b} + h) - (1 - q) \prod_{i=1}^n (u - z_i)$$

The coefficients p_l are degree l polynomials of each Γ and \mathbf{z} and invariant under the action of $S_n \times S_{\lambda_1} \times S_{\lambda_2}$.

Example: $T^*\mathbb{CP}^1$ ($N_c = 1, N_f = 2$)

$$\gamma_{1,1}^2 = (z_1 + z_2)\gamma_{1,1} + \frac{2hq}{1-q}\gamma_{1,1} + \frac{hq(h - z_1 - z_2) + qz_1z_2}{1-q}.$$

- Multiplication above are meant to be “quantum” multiplication;
 $\gamma_{1,1}^2 = \gamma_{1,1} \star \gamma_{1,1}$
- “Classical” or usual cup product of cohomology classes is obtained by $q \rightarrow 0$ (large volume limit)

- By massaging the equivariant quantum cohomology relations, we can obtain the SUSY vacua condition

$$q \prod_{\substack{a=1 \\ a \neq c}}^{\lambda_1} \frac{\gamma_{1,c} - \gamma_{1,a} + h}{\gamma_{1,c} - \gamma_{1,a} - h} = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{\gamma_{1,c} - z_i}{\gamma_{1,c} - z_i + h}$$

- From this, we have an identification of parameters between GLSM and quantum cohomology

$$r = N_c, \quad n = N_f, \quad \gamma_{1,a} = \sigma_a, \quad z_i = m_i + \frac{m^z}{2}, \quad h = m^z, \quad q = (-1)^{N_f} \tilde{q} = (-1)^{N_f} e^{2\pi i \tau}.$$

- “Classical” equivariant integration formula for $\langle \gamma \rangle := \int_{T^*\mathbb{C}P^1} \gamma$ is available in [Gorbounov-Rimányi-Tarasov-Varchenko '13]
- By using such formula, we calculated the equivariant integration of higher-order power of γ with nonzero q
- We showed that they agree with GLSM correlator for several examples, e.g.

$$\langle \sigma^l \rangle_{A\text{-twist}}^{N_c=1, N_f=2} = \langle \gamma_{1,1}^l \rangle_{T^*\mathbb{C}P^1}$$

- It was possible to check Seiberg-like duality between $U(N_c)$ with N_f hypers and $U(N_f - N_c)$ with N_f hypers

$$T^*\text{Gr}(r, n) \cong T^*\text{Gr}(n - r, n)$$

c.f. [Benini-Park-Zhao '14]

- Remark: Quantum cohomology corresponds to the integrable system.

In [Maulik-Okounkov '12], they construct Yangian acting on the equivariant cohomology of Nakajima quiver varieties.

In [Gorbounov-Rimányi-Tarasov-Varchenko '13], it was shown that the equivariant quantum cohomology of the cotangent bundle of partial flag varieties is isomorphic to the Bethe subalgebra of \mathfrak{gl}_N XXX spin chain model.

Summary

- We have checked that the norm of Bethe eigenstate agree with partition function of 2d $\mathcal{N} = (2, 2)$ theory.
- We also provided a way to calculate equivariant integration of quantum cohomology for $T^*Gr(r, n)$ and found agreement with GLSM correlator of 2d $\mathcal{N} = (2, 2)^*$.
- We also worked on $XXZ_{1/2}$, topological twisted 3d $\mathcal{N} = 2$ theories on $S^1 \times S^2$, and the equivariant quantum K -theory algebra.