

# Kleine Seminar

## A motivating example

Consider the braid group  $\underline{B}_m$   
given by the generators

$$\{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_{m-1}\}$$

and the relations

$$\sigma_i \sigma_{j+1} \sigma_j = \sigma_{j+1} \sigma_j \sigma_{j+1} \quad \text{braiding rel}$$

$$\sigma_i \sigma_j = \sigma_j \sigma_i \quad |i-j| > 1$$

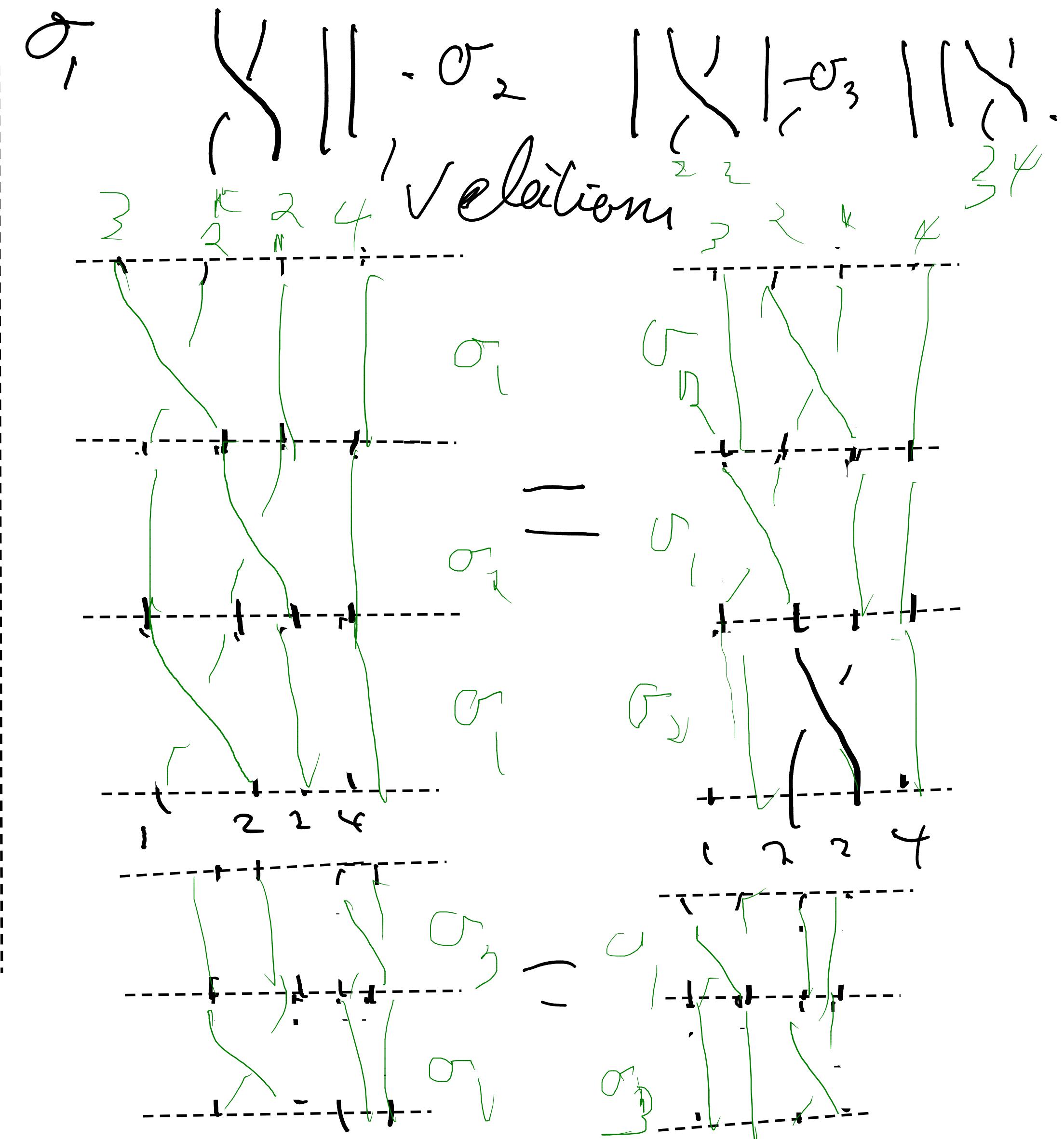
$$S_m + \sigma_j^2 = 1$$

$$B_m \rightarrow S_m$$

$$(B_m) \cong \mathbb{Z} \quad |S_m| = m!$$

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Diagrammatical  $m=4$



We want to categorify this group.

Consider the braid category  $B$

It is a monoidal category generated by

obj:  $\underline{1}, \underline{2}$  (IN since  $\otimes: \underline{1} \otimes \underline{1} = \underline{2}$ )

Morph:  $\text{id}: \underline{1} \rightarrow \underline{1}$   
 $b: \underline{2} \rightarrow \underline{2}$

and relations:

$$\text{id} \otimes b \circ b \otimes \text{id} \circ \text{id} \otimes b$$

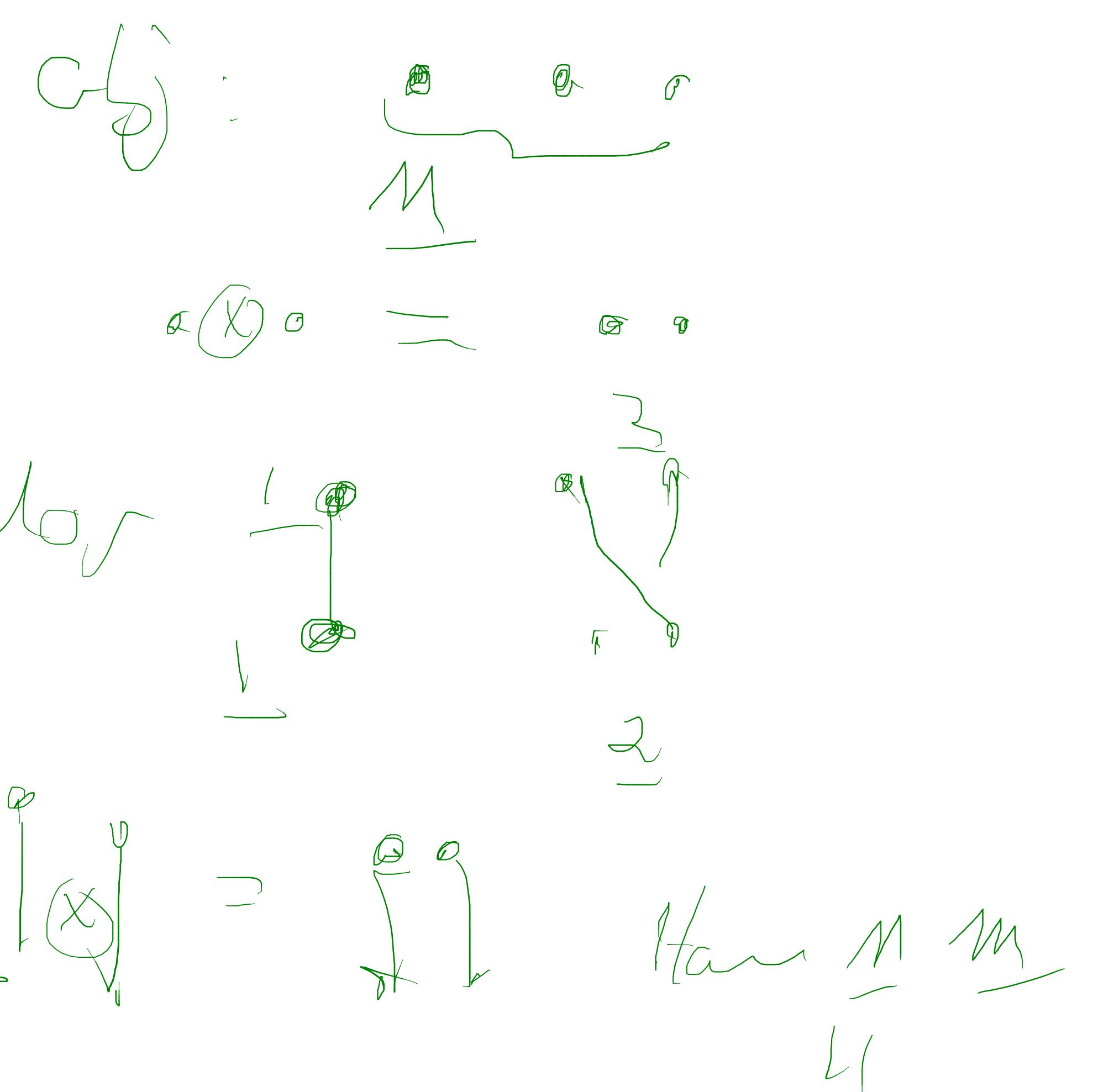
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$$b \otimes \text{id} \circ \text{id} \otimes b \circ b \otimes \text{id}$$

and

$$b \circ \text{id} \circ \text{id} = \text{id} \circ \text{id} \circ b$$

$$b \circ \text{id} \circ \text{id} \circ \text{id} = \text{id} \circ \text{id} \circ \text{id} \circ b$$



Braids

$B_m$  if  $n=m$   
 $\not\propto$  else

Intertwining

Goals:

- ① Define a category following those properties
- ② Show a coherence theorem: "You need only to look at braids!"
- ③ Links with Hopf algebras



# Braided Cats



Monocat

Syriacat



Braiding



# I Braided Category

coherence properties.

DEFINITION 8.1.1. A braiding (or a commutativity constraint) on a monoidal category  $\mathcal{C}$  is a natural isomorphism  $c_{X,Y} : X \otimes Y \xrightarrow{\sim} Y \otimes X$  such that the hexagonal diagrams

(8.1)

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & X \otimes (Y \otimes Z) & \xrightarrow{c_{X,Y \otimes Z}} & (Y \otimes Z) \otimes X & \\
 a_{X,Y,Z} \nearrow & \nearrow & & \searrow & a_{Y,Z,X} \swarrow \\
 (X \otimes Y) \otimes Z & & & & Y \otimes (Z \otimes X) \\
 c_{X,Y} \otimes \text{id}_Z \searrow & & & & \swarrow \text{id}_Y \otimes c_{X,Z} \\
 & (Y \otimes X) \otimes Z & \xrightarrow{a_{Y,X,Z}} & Y \otimes (X \otimes Z) &
 \end{array}$$

and  
(8.2)

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & (X \otimes Y) \otimes Z & \xrightarrow{c_{X \otimes Y, Z}} & Z \otimes (X \otimes Y) & \\
 a_{X,Y,Z}^{-1} \nearrow & \nearrow & & \searrow & a_{Z,X,Y}^{-1} \swarrow \\
 X \otimes (Y \otimes Z) & & & & (Z \otimes X) \otimes Y \\
 \text{id}_X \otimes c_{Y,Z} \searrow & & & & \swarrow c_{X,Z} \otimes \text{id}_Y \\
 & X \otimes (Z \otimes Y) & \xrightarrow{a_{X,Z,Y}^{-1}} & (X \otimes Z) \otimes Y &
 \end{array}$$

commute for all objects  $X, Y, Z$  in  $\mathcal{C}$ .

DEFINITION 8.1.2. A braided monoidal category is a pair consisting of a monoidal category and a braiding.

$a$ : associator

$c$ : braiding

$\mathcal{C}$  is strict

monoidal

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & c_{X,Y,Z} & \\
 X \otimes Y \otimes Z & \xrightarrow{\quad} & Y \otimes Z \otimes X
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 c_{X,Y} & \searrow & c_{X,Z} \\
 & Y \otimes Z &
 \end{array}$$

in braids

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 M \otimes M & \longrightarrow & M \otimes M
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 M & \xrightarrow{\quad} & M
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 M & & M
 \end{array}$$

Def  $C_{x,y}^{-l}$  - the inverse of  $C_{xy}$  define  
the inverse braided category of  $(\mathcal{C}, c)$

Def Let  $\mathcal{C}_1, C$  and  $\mathcal{C}_2, C^2$  be two  
braided categories, a braided functor  $F_j$   
is a monoidal functor with

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F(X) \otimes F(Y) & \xrightarrow{c_{F(X), F(Y)}^2} & F(Y) \otimes F(X) \\ \downarrow J_{X,Y} & \curvearrowleft & \downarrow J_{Y,X} \\ F(X \otimes Y) & \xrightarrow{F(c_{X,Y}^1)} & F(Y \otimes X) \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C_{\mathcal{C}} & & C^{\text{Rel bnr}} \circ C^{-1} \\ C : \times & \curvearrowleft & C^{-1} \times \\ & & = \\ & & \curvearrowright \end{array}$$

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Monoidal functor:  
add the structure  $J$ .  
Braided monoidal functor:  
a property.

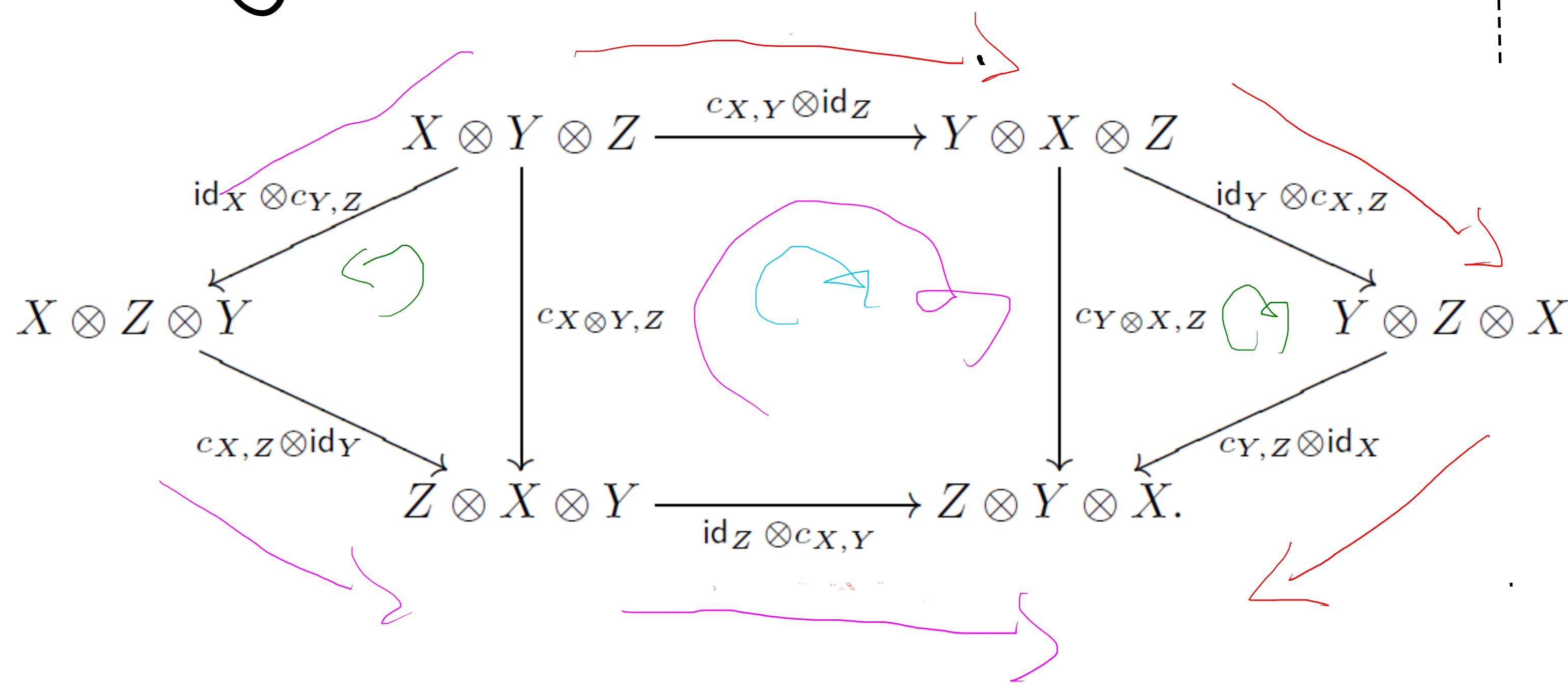
# Yang-Baxter equation

$\mathcal{C}$  strict monoidal category with braiding  $c$ . Then

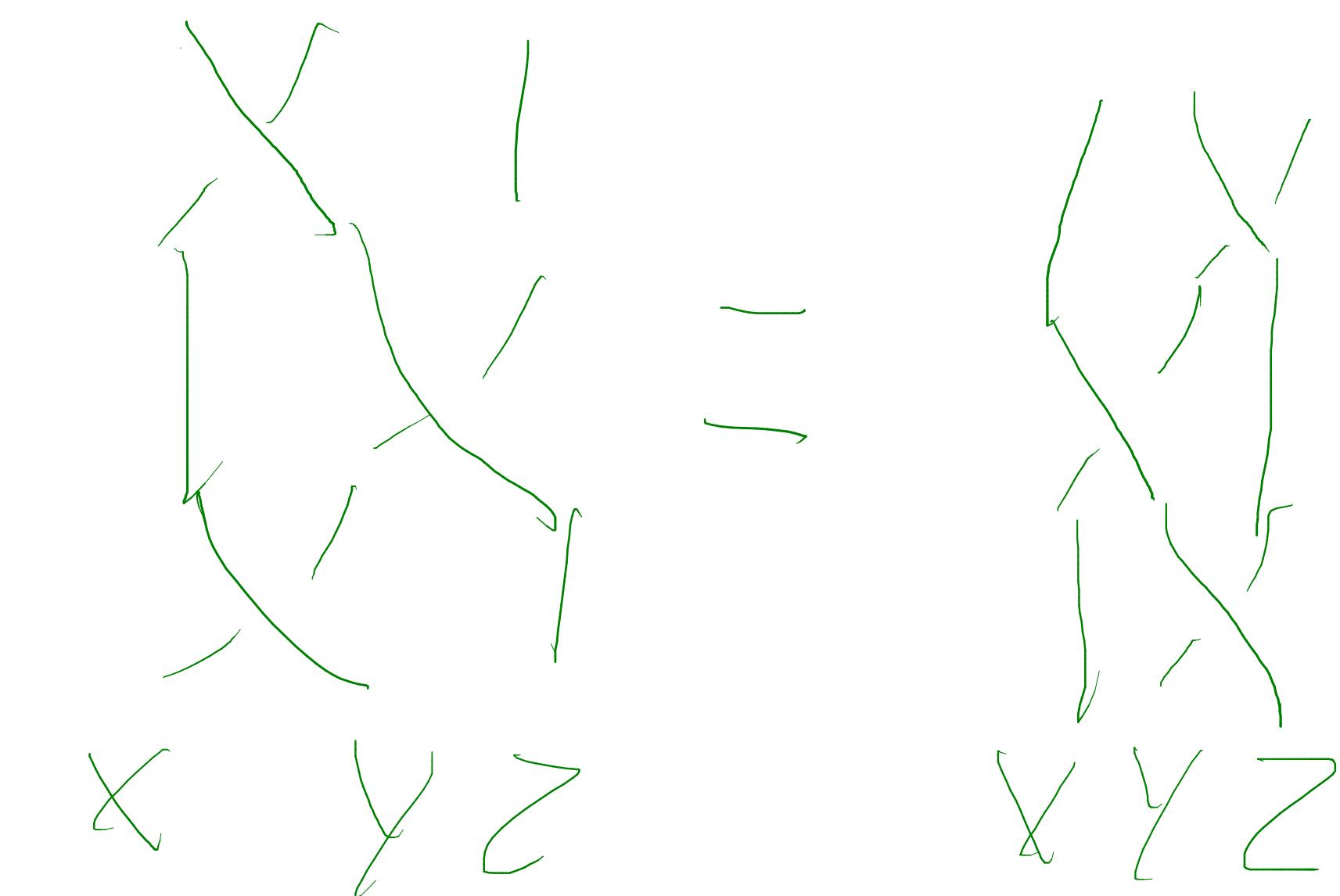
$$(c_{yz} \otimes \text{id}_x) \circ (\text{id}_y \otimes c_{xz}) \circ (c_{xy} \otimes \text{id}_z) \quad ||$$

$$(\text{id}_z \otimes c_{xy}) \circ (c_{xz} \otimes \text{id}_y) \circ (\text{id}_x \otimes c_{yz}) \quad ||$$

Proof:



Braid



A braided category is symmetric

if  $c_{yx} \circ c_{xy} = \text{id}_{x \otimes y}$

Examples of symmetric  
braided cat

①  $\text{Vec}$ ,  $\text{Set}$ ,  $\text{RegGr}$

braided: transpari<sup>t</sup>ti of factors

②  $\mathbb{K}$  with  $\text{char } \mathbb{K} \neq 2$ .

$\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}}$  is braided:

$$c_{x,y}(x \otimes y) = (-1)^{\deg x \deg y} y \otimes x$$

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$x, y$  homogeneous

$$c_{yx} \circ c_{xy} = \text{id}_{x \otimes y}$$

( $S_n$ )

Yang-Baxter give in  
fact a group homo

$$B_m \rightarrow \text{Aut}_{\mathcal{C}}(V^{\otimes m})$$

for every object  $V$  in  $\mathcal{C}$ , strict  
monoidal braided cat.

$$\sigma_i \mapsto \underline{id}_{V^{\otimes(i-1)} \otimes C_V \otimes V^{\otimes(m-i-1)}}$$

Remark

Mac Lane  
Coherence Th  
on monocats  
we can consid

strict ( monad)

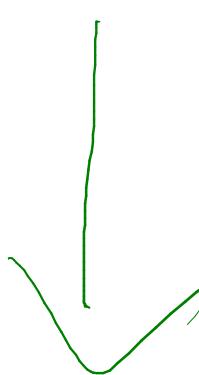
EXERCISE 8.2.7. Let  $\mathcal{C}$  be a braided tensor category (not necessarily strict), and let  $X_1, \dots, X_n \in \mathcal{C}$ . Let  $P_1, P_2$  be any parenthesized products of  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  (in any orders) with arbitrary insertions of unit objects  $\mathbf{1}$ . Let  $f = f_{\mathcal{C}} : P_1 \rightarrow P_2$  be an isomorphism, obtained as a composition  $C$  of associativity, braiding, and unit isomorphisms and their inverses possibly tensored with identity morphisms. Explain how  $C$  defines a braid  $b_{\mathcal{C}}$ . Show that if  $b_{\mathcal{C}} = b_{\mathcal{C}'}$  in  $B_n$  then  $f_{\mathcal{C}} = f_{\mathcal{C}'}$ . This statement is called Mac Lane's braided coherence theorem.

*Joyal's Street*

Step 1: go for Street by Mac Lane

*monocat*

Step 2:  $F : \mathcal{B} \longrightarrow \mathcal{C}$



a  $\mathcal{C}_0$

*in category*  
*forget braiding*

### Exercise 8.2.7

$\text{Hom}_{\text{BMS}}(B, M) \xrightarrow{\phi} M_0$

$\hookrightarrow \text{out of } M$

$$M = C$$

functors of  $B \rightarrow M$   
braided  
evaluate at 1

i): We send each functor  $F$  to  $F(1)$ .

2) For each  $a \in M_0$  we want to find a functor with  $F(1) = a$

i)  $\otimes$  must be preserved so

$$F(\underline{m}) = a^n$$

ii) for  $\alpha$ : we want

$$\text{send it to } \alpha^*$$

$$F(\alpha) = c_{\alpha}$$

and more generally

$$F(\sigma_{nm}) = c_{nm}$$

$$\sigma_{xy} =$$

So, for  $\sigma_i = \text{id}_{i-1} \otimes \sigma_i \otimes \text{id}_{n-i-1}$

$$F(\sigma_i) = l_{i-1} + c_{a,i} + l_{n-i}$$

iii) Check this functor preserves the relation of  $B$  (Yang-Baxter)

(v) find a map

$$\rightarrow J(m,n) = F_m \otimes F_n \rightarrow F_{m+n}$$

$$\text{so } a^m \cdot a^n = a^{m+n}$$

So, for braid, identity

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & \\ \nearrow & \searrow & \\ S(\sigma_1) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & C_{qq} \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \\ & & \end{array}$$

Now, prove "evalut at 1" is an equivalence of cat.

i) faithful

ii) full

Given  $F, G$  mon and  $F \xrightarrow{\delta} G$ :

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F(1)^n & \xrightarrow{\delta^n} & G(1)^n \\ F_n \downarrow \lrcorner \nearrow & & \downarrow \lrcorner \searrow \\ F(n) & \xrightarrow[\epsilon_n]{\cong} & G(n) \end{array}$$

$F_n$  and  $G_n$  are from the monoidal structure

$$F(1)^2 = F(1) F(1) \xrightarrow{\exists} F(1 \otimes 1) = F(2) \checkmark$$

and they are also.

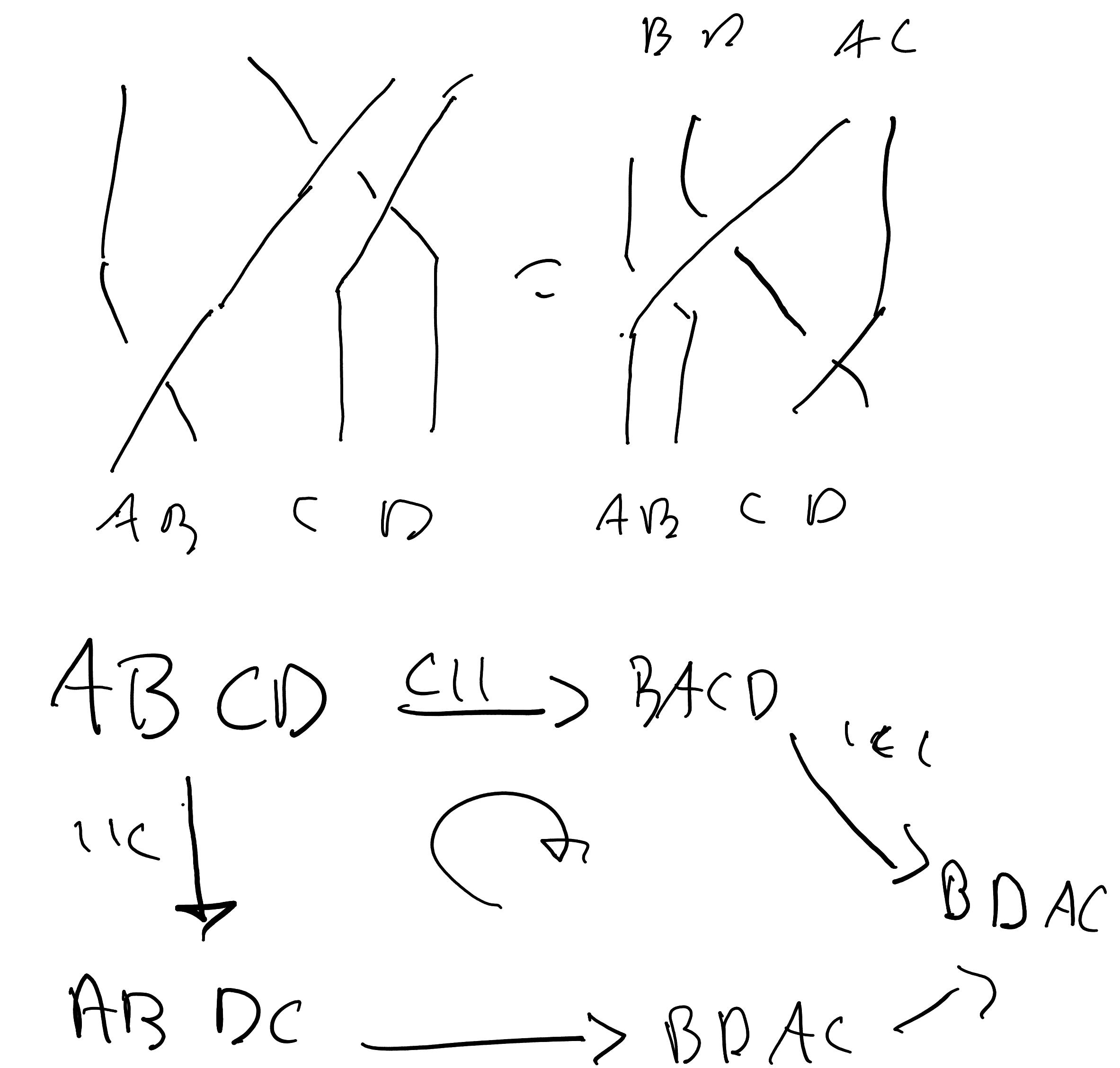
by induction

The  $\Theta_n = \underline{G_n f_n F_n^{-1}}$   
and we have the equivalence of categories.

So if  $f: P_1 \rightarrow P_2$   
and  $f_{C_L}: P_{C_L} \rightarrow P_2$   
are linked by the same braid, then  
they are equal.

The importance of  
 this result is that  
 it enables to use  
 the intuition of braids  
 when looking at the  
 $n$  fold tensor product  
 in a braided monoidal  
 category and that  
 simplify some proofs

Ex: (Joyal Street)



instead of working  
 with americal

Part on Hopf algebras.

→ Goal is to introduce a generalization of  
cocommutative Hopf algebras and give  
Braiding there

# Reminder on Hopf algebras

— bialgebra  $H, \mu, \nu, \Delta, \epsilon, S$

$$\mu: H \otimes H \rightarrow H$$

$$\nu: K \rightarrow H$$

$$\Delta: H \rightarrow H \otimes H$$

$$\epsilon: H \rightarrow K$$

$$S: H \rightarrow H$$

$$\mu \circ (\text{id} \otimes S) \circ \Delta = \text{id} \circ \epsilon = \mu \circ (S \otimes \text{id}) \circ \Delta$$

## 8.3 Quasitriangular Hopf algebras

Def  $H$  Hopf algebra and

$R \in H \otimes H$  satisfying

$$\Delta \otimes \text{id} R = R^{13} R^{23}$$

$$\text{id} \otimes \Delta R = R^{13} R^{12}$$

$$\Delta^{\sigma} = \sigma \Delta \Delta h = R \Delta h R^{-1} \quad \text{which}$$

called the universal  $R$ -matrix.

We have quantum YB

$$R^{12} R^{13} R^{23} = R^{23} R^{13} R^{12}$$

$(H, R)$  is a quasitriangular Hopf algebra

Suppose  $\text{Rep}(H) (=C)$  is  
braided with braiding  $C_{xy}$ .

Defin  $C_{H,H}^V = \sigma_C C_{H,H} : H \otimes H \rightarrow H \otimes H$   
with  $\sigma$  permutation of components.

$C_{H,H}^V$  commutes with right  
multiplication so it is determined  
by a  $R \in H \otimes H$  invertible.

$$R^{12} = a' \otimes b' \otimes 1 \quad \text{if } R(a \otimes b) = a' \otimes b'$$

$$R^{23} = 1 \otimes a' \otimes b'$$

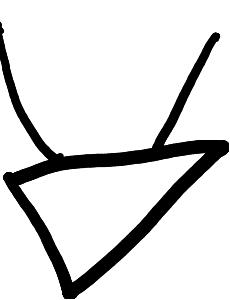
$$R^{13} = a' \otimes 1 \otimes b'$$

$$R = a' \otimes b'$$

In pictograms

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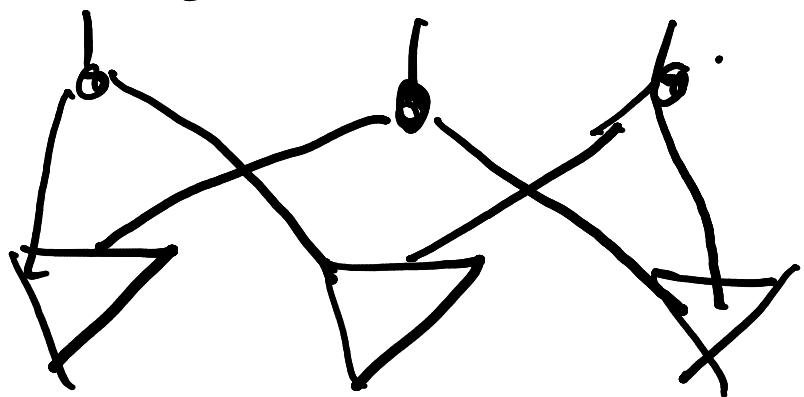
$$R =$$



$$\begin{array}{c} \diagup \\ \diagdown \end{array} =$$

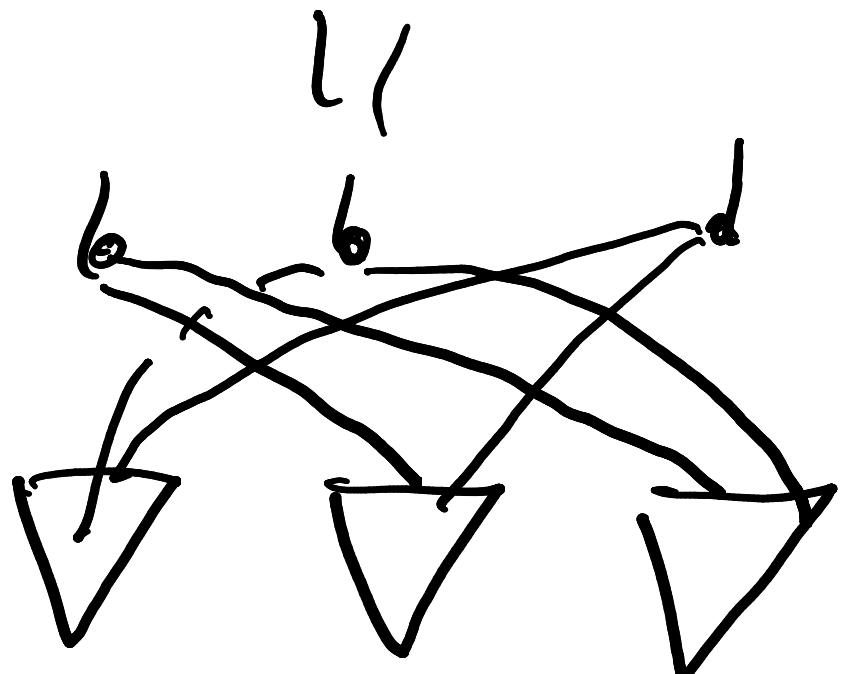
$$(\Delta \otimes \text{id}) \circ R = R_{13} \cdot R_{23}$$

Quinton & B



$$\begin{array}{c} \diagdown \\ \diagup \end{array} =$$

$$\text{id} \otimes \Delta \circ R = R_{13} \cdot R_{12}$$



$$=$$

$$R_{12} R_{33} R_{23}$$

$$\Delta^{\text{cr}} \circ R = R \cdot \Delta$$

$$R_{23} R_{33} R_{12}$$



Def If  $H \otimes R$  is a quasi-triangular Hopf algebra and  $R^{-1} = R^{21}$  then  $R$  is called unitary and  $(H, R)$  is called a triangular Hopf algebra.

Prop (Drinfeld double)

$D(H) = H \otimes H^{\text{cop}}$ , for  $H$  a quasi-Hopf algebra. is a quasi-triangular Hopf algebra with  $R = \sum_i h_i \otimes h_i^*$  with multiplicative structure  $\begin{cases} \text{mult}_H & \text{on } H \\ \text{mult}_{H^{\text{cop}}} & \text{on } H^{\text{cop}} \end{cases}$  the unique ext. of mult. in  $H^{\text{cop}}$  making  $R$  left & right

This happens for example when  $C$  is symmetric.

Ex: If cocommutative then  $R = 1 \otimes 1$  making triangular structure

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{8.3.6 } K \cong \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} \text{ clock } \pm 1 \\ \hookrightarrow & R = 1 \otimes 1 \quad \langle g \rangle = \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} \\ \hookrightarrow & R' = \frac{1}{2}((1 \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes g + g \otimes 1 - g \otimes g)) \\ R \rightarrow & \text{Use } \leftarrow \\ R' \rightarrow & \text{Use } \leftarrow \end{aligned}$$

Prop Let  $J$  be a twist,  
 $\mathbb{H}(H, R)$  is quasitriangular  
Hopf algebra, then

$$(H^J, R^J = (J^{21})^{-1}RJ)$$

is also and

$$\underline{\text{Rep } H} \simeq \text{Rep } H^J$$

as braided category

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Coquasitriangular Hopf  
algebra  $\rightarrow$  invert  
the arrows

Thus, a bialgebra twist for  $H$  is an invertible element  $J \in H \otimes H$  such that  $(\varepsilon \otimes \text{id})(J) = (\text{id} \otimes \varepsilon)(J) = 1$ , and  $J$  satisfies the *twist equation*

$$(5.30) \quad (\text{id} \otimes \Delta)(J)(\text{id} \otimes J) = (\Delta \otimes \text{id})(J)(J \otimes \text{id}).$$

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This means  
that two (braided) triangular  
Hopf algebras can have  
equivalent categories of  
modules (braided) while  
being different.

*Coquasitriangular* Hopf algebras are duals to quasitriangular Hopf algebras and thus generalize commutative Hopf algebras.

Suppose that  $(A, R)$  is a finite dimensional quasitriangular Hopf algebra, and  $H = A^*$ . Then  $R \in A \otimes A$  induces a bilinear form  $H \otimes H \rightarrow \mathbb{k}$  (which we will also denote by  $R$ ), and the properties of  $R \in A \otimes A$  can be rewritten in terms of this form. This motivates the following definition.

**DEFINITION 8.3.19.** A *coquasitriangular* Hopf algebra is a pair  $(H, R)$ , where  $H$  is a Hopf algebra over  $\mathbb{k}$  and  $R : H \otimes H \rightarrow \mathbb{k}$  (the *R-form*) is a convolution-invertible bilinear form on  $H$  satisfying the following axioms:

$$R(h, lg) = \sum R(h_1, g)R(h_2, l), \quad R(gh, l) = \sum R(g, l_1)R(h, l_2)$$

and

$$\sum R(h_1, g_1)h_2g_2 = \sum g_1h_1R(h_2, g_2) \quad (h, g, l \in H).$$

If  $\sum R(h_1, g_1)R(g_2, h_2) = \varepsilon(g)\varepsilon(h)$  then  $(H, R)$  is called *cotriangular*.

Ex! Commutative Hopf algebras are cotriangular P-EGE

Abelian group & by  $R : A \otimes A \rightarrow \mathbb{k}$   
 $(\mathbb{k}A, R)$  coquasitriangular  
 &  $R$  symmetric cotriangular

Example of  $\mathfrak{U}(sl_2)$

$$V_L = \underline{W_L} \otimes \underline{1-d\text{-rep}} \begin{cases} E \rightarrow 0 \\ F \rightarrow 0 \\ K \rightarrow \{+,-\} \end{cases}$$

$\rightarrow$  for  $q$  not a root of unity. Category of semi-di rep of Type I (Highest weight with  $K \rightarrow +$ )

$$R = R_0 \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} q^{\frac{m(m-1)}{2}} \frac{(q-q^{-1})^n}{[n]_q!} L^n \otimes F^n$$

$$R_C = \sum_{i,j \in \mathbb{Z}} q^{i-j} \underline{1}_i \otimes \underline{1}_j$$

$\underline{1}_j$ : proj to weight  $j$

This define a braiding on  $\text{Rep}(\mathfrak{U}_q(sl_2))$

## 8.4 Premetric group and pointed braided monic categories

G abelian group.

Def quadratic form  $q: G \rightarrow K^\times$   
such that  
 $q(g) = q(g^{-1})$  (1)

and

$$b(g, h) = \frac{q(gh)}{q(g)q(h)} \quad (2)$$

$\Rightarrow$  a bicategory, so

$$\rightarrow b(g_1 g_2, h) = b(g_1, h) b(g_2, h)$$

$q$  is non-degenerate if  $b$  is non-degenerate

$(G, q)$  is a premetric group,  
metric group if  $q$  is non-degenerate

Schar  
ex. if  $B$  is a Schar,  
 $q(g) = B(g, g)$  is  
a quadratic form,  
furthermore, all form  
for  $|G|$  odd are like  
this.

For group of  
even and  
this demand  
hold

Let  $C$  be a fusion braided category  
with  $a g \in C$  (pointed)

$C \cong \text{Vec}_G^w$  a tensor cat

For  $g \in G = \{\text{nicely cancellable simple object}\}$

$$q(g) = c_{xx} \in \text{Aut}_C(x \otimes x) = K^\times$$

$x$  simple with no class  $= g$ .

Lemma  $q: G \rightarrow K^\times$  is a quadratic form

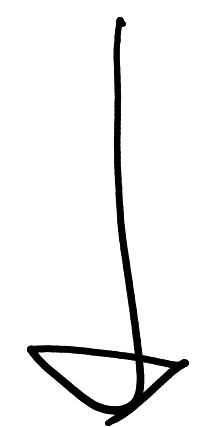
Proof:  $q(gh) = qgqh \underbrace{b(g,h)}$

The check with  $\overset{c_{yx}}{c_{xy}}$   
will aim

that it is a biderivative.

Goal of the section:  
Proof that

$F$ : Pointed braided fusion cat



The metric group  
is an epimorphism

$$b_{gh} = \frac{qgh}{qgqh}$$

Things I keeped

$c_1, c_2$  skeletal pointed braided functors onto discrete by  $G_1(G_2)$   
 with abe cocycle  $(\omega, c) \in Z^3(G, \mathbb{k})$ ,  $(\omega_1, c_1) \in Z^3(G_1, \mathbb{k})$

$$(8.12) \quad \begin{aligned} \omega(g_1, g_2, g_3) &= k(g_2, g_3)k(g_1g_2, g_3)^{-1}k(g_1, g_2g_3)k(g_1, g_2)^{-1}, \\ c(g_1, g_2) &= k(g_1, g_2)k(g_2, g_1)^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

where  $(\omega, c) = (\omega_1, c_1)^{-1}f^*(\omega_2, c_2)$ .

For an abelian group  $G$  let  $B_{ab}^3(G, \mathbb{k}^\times) \subset Z_{ab}^3(G, \mathbb{k}^\times)$  be the subgroup of *abelian coboundaries*, that is, of the abelian cocycles defined by (8.12) with  $f = \text{id}$  for all functions  $k : G \times G \rightarrow \mathbb{k}^\times$ .

DEFINITION 8.4.7. The group  $H_{ab}^3(G, \mathbb{k}^\times) := Z_{ab}^3(G, \mathbb{k}^\times)/B_{ab}^3(G, \mathbb{k}^\times)$  is called the *abelian cohomology group* of  $G$  with coefficients in  $\mathbb{k}^\times$ .

Let  $\text{Quad}(G)$  be the group of quadratic forms with values in  $\mathbb{k}^\times$  on a finite abelian group  $G$ . It is easy to check (and it follows from the discussion above) that the homomorphism  $H_{ab}^3(G, \mathbb{k}^\times) \rightarrow \text{Quad}(G)$ ,  $(\omega, c) \mapsto q(g) = c(g, g)$  is well defined. The following result is due to Eilenberg and Mac Lane. For our proof we will need some results which will be proved later.

THEOREM 8.4.9. *The above homomorphism  $H_{ab}^3(G, \mathbb{k}^\times) \rightarrow \text{Quad}(G)$  is an isomorphism.*

85 the center as a Braided cat

Center as braided category

Back to Z.C

↪ C monoidal category

$$Z(C) = \{ (Z, \gamma) \mid \gamma_x : x \otimes z \xrightarrow{\sim} z \otimes x \}$$

satisfying

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & & x \otimes z & & \\ & \gamma_y \nearrow & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & \searrow \gamma_x & \\ x(yz) & & (xz)y & & (zx)y \\ \text{---} & \curvearrowright & \text{---} & \curvearrowright & \text{---} \\ & \searrow \gamma_{xy} & & \nearrow \gamma & \\ & y(xz) & & z(xy) & \end{array}$$

Z(C)

JA is a braided category with

$$(Z, \gamma), Z', \gamma' = \gamma'_2$$

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We have

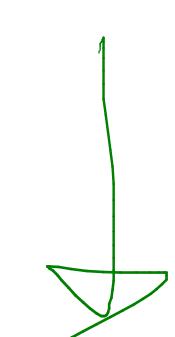
$$Z(C^{op}) \simeq Z(C)^{Rev}$$

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more braidy

as braid cat

$$\gamma'_2 = (\gamma'_2)^{-1}$$



Prop.  $\mathcal{C}$  has tensor cat

$M$  indecomposable exact

$\mathcal{C}$ -mod cat.

$$Z(\mathcal{C}_M^*) \simeq Z(C)^{inv}$$

as braided tensor cat

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Marcelo told us

$\exists A$  alg ch  $\mathcal{C}$  s.t.

$$M \stackrel{\sim}{\in} \mathcal{B}\text{-Mod}_{\mathcal{C}}(A)$$

$$\begin{aligned} (7.16.3) \quad Z(C) &\xrightarrow{\sim} Z(\mathcal{B}\text{-Mod}_{\mathcal{C}}(A)) \\ Z &\longrightarrow Z \otimes A \end{aligned}$$

But then, this equivalence  
respect braiding and  
 $\mathcal{C}_M^{op} \simeq \mathcal{B}\text{-Mod}_{\mathcal{C}}(A)$

$$Z(C)$$

$$Z(\mathcal{C}_M^*) \stackrel{\sim}{\in} Z(C^{op}) = Z(C)^{inv}_{\text{adher}}$$

## Finite group

EXAMPLE 8.3.9. Let  $G$  be a finite group. Then the underlying algebra of the Drinfeld double  $D(G) := D(\mathbb{k}G)$  of  $\mathbb{k}G$  is the semidirect product  $\text{Fun}(G, \mathbb{k}) \rtimes \mathbb{k}G$ , where  $G$  acts on  $\text{Fun}(G, \mathbb{k})$  by conjugation, and the universal R-matrix is  $R = \sum_{g \in G} g \otimes \delta_g$ , where  $\delta_g$  is the delta-function at  $g$ .

Center is a quantum group

Ex 8.5.4 Center of  $\text{Vec}_G$ .

$G$ -graded vector space.

An object in  $Z(\text{Vec}_G)$  is

$$U = \bigoplus_{g \in G} U_g, \quad \{ \gamma_x : S_x \otimes V \xrightarrow{\sim} V \otimes S_x \}$$

satisfying the hexagon

So we have

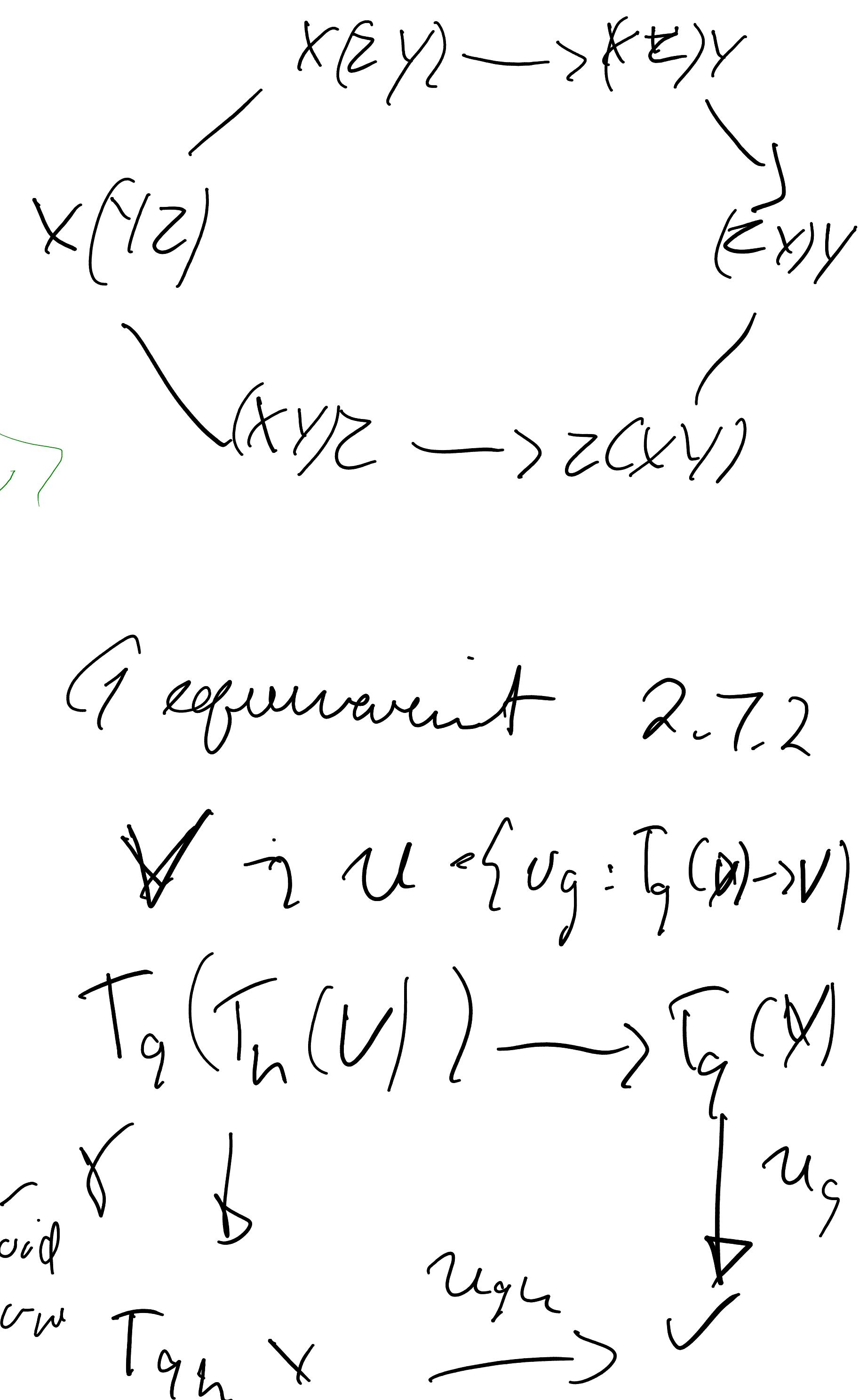
$$u_{gx} : S_{gx^{-1}} \rightarrow U_g \quad g \cdot x \in G$$

from the grading.

$$\text{Set } u_x : \bigoplus_{g \in G} U_{gx}. \quad \text{So } u_x : V \xrightarrow{\sim} V$$

$V$  is  $G$ -equivariant

So objects of  $Z(k_G)$  are identified with  $G$ -equivariant  $G$ -graded vector spaces



Single objects of  
 $Z(\text{Vec}_G)$  are in bijection  
 with  $(C, V)$

$C$ : fin. conjugacy class

$V$  irreducible Rep of  $\text{cent}(g)$

If  $G$  is finite then

$Z(\text{Vec}_G)$  is a finite set

then, the Frobenius-Perron  
 dimension of  $(C, V)$  is  $|C| \dim_k(V)$

the FPdim  $(Z(\text{Vec}_G)) = |G|^2$

$\text{FPdim}(C, V) = |C| \dim_k V$

Remark 4.15.8  
 $X$  simple.  $G \times G$  the  
 stabilizer of  $x$  is clear  
 of  $X$ .

$$1 \rightarrow K^\times \rightarrow \widehat{G}_x \rightarrow G_x \rightarrow 1$$

$$\widehat{G}_x := \{ u \in T_K(X) \mid u^2 = x \}$$

Set of iso classes in bijection  
 with  $\text{Irr}(\widehat{G}_x)$  of  $\mathbb{Q}_2$ -diagram.

→ Prop 4.15.9  
 Y wrapped to  $\text{Vec}_{\widehat{G}_x}$   
 the FPdim  $y \cdot \dim V$   
 $\times \cdot t \in \{ \widehat{G}_x \} \text{ of } \text{FPdim } y$   
 "  $|C|$

Recap

Braided categories

