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Spherical functors (R. Anno, T. Logvinenko)

$B \xrightleftharpoons[f^*]{f} \mathcal{C}$ triang. w/ (dg) enhancement
right adjoint

$$\text{Cone} (f \circ f^* \xrightarrow{e} \text{Id}_{\mathcal{C}}) : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$$

$$\swarrow \text{Cone} (\text{Id}_B \xrightarrow{e} f^* \circ f) : B \rightarrow B$$

equivalences

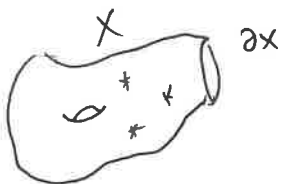
Ex. $D^b \text{Vect}_k \xrightarrow{f} \mathcal{C}$
 $k \longmapsto E$ called n -spherical if $\text{Ext}^j(E, E) = \begin{cases} k, & j=0, n \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

\Downarrow

then f spherical

Perverse schober $\stackrel{?}{=}$ categorified perov. sheaf

On a stratified Riem. surf. (X, A)
 \downarrow
 finite subset



Naively:

- A "local sys" of cat. on $X - A$
- a spherical functor near $\forall x \in A$ (glued)

Localization on a skeleton

Prop. $F \in D_{\text{const}}^b(X) \in \text{Per}$

$\Leftrightarrow \forall \text{ graph } K \subset X, \underline{H}_K^j(F) = 0, j \neq 0$

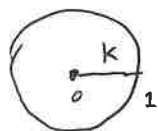
$R_K(F) := i^! F \simeq \underline{H}_K^0(F)$ single sheaf

$R_K : \text{Per}(X) \rightarrow \text{Sh}_K$ exact functor of abelian cat.

Kontsevich : localization of Fukaya cat. on Lagrangian skeleton K

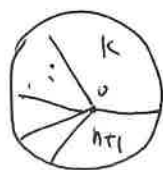
? gives a sheaf of cat. on K

On $X = \text{disk}$



$|K| = \text{diameter}$

$R_K(F)_o = \mathbb{I} \rightarrow R_K(F)_1 = \mathbb{I}$



$R_K(F)_o = \mathbb{I}_{\geq n+1}(F)$

$\simeq \mathbb{I}^{\oplus n} \oplus \mathbb{I}$

\cup
 $\sqrt[n+1]{\tau}$

Want: cat. analog of this.

(Para) cyclic symmetry

$\psi \xrightarrow{b} \Phi$ any linear map

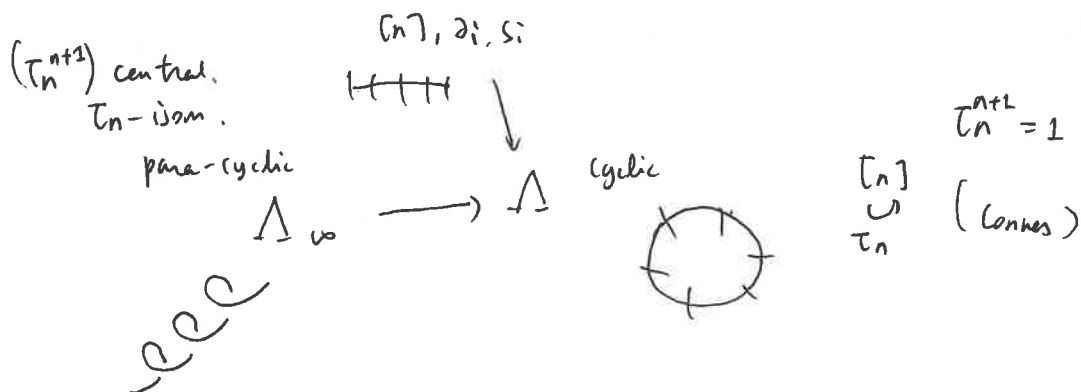
$[\psi \rightarrow \phi]$ Picard cat.

$\psi \times \phi \xrightarrow{M_n} \Phi = 0$

$N. [\psi \rightarrow \phi]$ nerve
simplicial vect. space

$$N_n = \psi^{\oplus n} \oplus \Phi$$

$$\Delta \longrightarrow \text{Vect}$$



Prop. Extending simpl. str. on $N[\psi \xrightarrow{b} \phi] \iff$ maps $a: \phi \rightarrow \psi$ s.t. $\begin{matrix} 1-ab \\ 1-ba \end{matrix}$ inv.

I.e. $\text{Per}(\mathbb{G}, 0) \approx \text{Paracyclic vec. sp.}$ which as simplicial ones, are nerves of sth.

(Segal condition)

Categorifies to: Waldhausen S-construction

\mathcal{B} : tr. cat. \hookrightarrow enhancement $\begin{cases} \text{dg} \\ \text{stable } \infty\text{-cat.} \end{cases}$

$$S.(\mathcal{B}) = "K(\mathcal{B}, 1)" \quad \text{simplicial dg-cat.}$$

$$S_n(B) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{diagrams of } B_{ij}, \quad 0 \leq i < j \leq n \\ \text{famous} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\text{Mor}[n] \rightarrow B \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\forall i < j < k, \quad B_{ij} \rightarrow B_{ik} \rightarrow B_{jk} \text{ is "exact"}$$

$$S_n(B) \xrightarrow{\sim} \{B_{01} \rightarrow B_{02} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow B_{0,n}\}$$

$$\text{size} \approx B^n$$

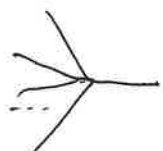
$$\text{Semorthogonal decomp. } \langle B, B, \dots, B \rangle.$$

$$f: B \rightarrow C \text{ dg functor}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S_n(f) & \longrightarrow & S_{n+1}(e) \\ \downarrow \nearrow & & \downarrow \partial_{n+1} \end{array} \quad \text{size} \approx B^n \times e$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S_n(B) & \longrightarrow & S_n(e) \\ \downarrow \times & & \end{array} \quad \langle B, \dots, B, e \rangle$$

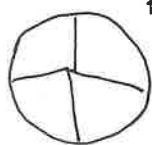
Thm $S_n(f)$ can be made into a paracyclic object $\Leftrightarrow f$ is spherical.



local model for R_k (a schobor assoc. to f) (cf. MacPherson, Fary Sheaves)

Perov. Schubers as data on Milnor pairs

(X, A)



thickening



U

$\begin{array}{c} X \\ \cup \\ U \supset U' \\ // \text{ open } \perp \text{ disks} \end{array}$

$$U' \approx \{ \text{Re } t(\beta) > \varepsilon \}$$

$U - U^*$ contractible

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 ≤ 1 off of A

$$F \in \text{Per}(X, A)$$

observe: $H^{\neq 0}(u, u', F) = 0$

$$E(u, u') := H^0(u, u', F)$$

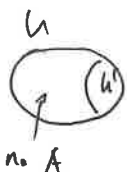
$$\text{Vect} \xleftarrow{E} (\text{Mix}(X, A), \leq)^{\text{op}}$$

not Grothendieck topology

Prop. $\text{Per}(X, A) \simeq \text{cat. of } E \text{ satisfying}$

(1) Homotopy invariance Rel A

(2) Normalize



$$E(u, u') = 0$$

(3) Exactness



$$0 \rightarrow E(u, u' \cup v) \rightarrow E(u, v) \rightarrow E(v, u' \cap v) \rightarrow 0 \text{ exact}$$

Def. A per. schobers on (X, A) is

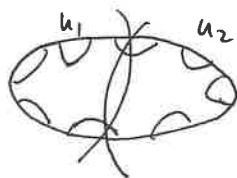
$$\infty\text{-functor } \tilde{G}: \text{Mix}(X, A)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \text{Cat}_{St}^{\infty} \text{ satisfying}$$

(1), (2),

(3) Replaced by recollement (SOD)

(with adjoints prescribed)

(4) Descent for



$$(u, u'), (u_1, u_1 \cap u')$$

$$(u_2, u_2 \cap u'), (u_{12}, u_{12} \cap u')$$



Thm 1) For $(\mathbb{C}, 0)$, this \longleftrightarrow sph. functors

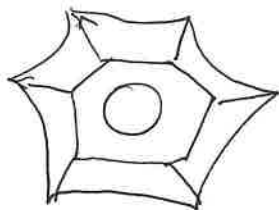
2) \forall graph $K \subset X$, such $\mathcal{G} \rightsquigarrow$ sheaf of (∞) -cat $R_k(\mathcal{G})$ on K

3) If K spans X ∂X
possibly corners

then $\Gamma(K, R_k(\mathcal{G}))$

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holim \leftarrow is coherently

indep. on K



$\mathbb{F}(X, \mathcal{G})$ topological Fukaya cat.

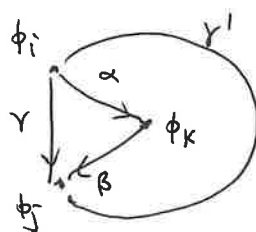
$H^0(X, \partial X\text{-corner}, \mathcal{G})$

(Categorified) Picard-Lefschetz

$F \vdash \text{Per}(\mathbb{C}, A)$
" $\{w_1, \dots, w_n\}$



$M_{ij}(\gamma) \quad \phi_i \rightarrow \psi_i \rightarrow \psi_j \rightarrow \phi_j$



$$M_{ik}(r') = M_{ik}(\gamma) + M_{jk}(\beta) \cdot M_{ij}(\alpha)$$

Classical PL for F assoc. to a Lefschetz pencil.

For $\beta \in \text{Schob}(\mathbb{C}, A)$

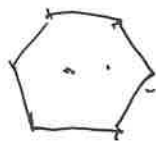
ϕ_i categ. $M_{ij}(r)$ functors

PL exact triangles

"Algebra of infrared" Gaiotto - Moore - Witten

$$W: Y \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

\cup
 A crit. values



cover hull of A

GMW: L_∞ -algebra

acting by deformation on A_∞ -alg.

joint w/ Seibelman (in progress)

$\forall \beta$, we have a similar formalism. & get by deformation

$\mathbb{F}(D, \beta)$

