

Hypercommutative algebras
and differential forms

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Poisson manifold (M, π)

$\pi \in \Gamma(\wedge^2 T(M))$ s.t. $[\pi, \pi] = 0$ in $\Gamma(\wedge^4 T(M))$

bivector field

Gerstenhaber algebra
of polyvector fields

The interior product
(contraction)

Gerstenhaber = commutative
+ Lie

$[a, bc] = [a, b]c + b[a, c]$ + compatibility

$i_\pi: \Omega(M) \longrightarrow \Omega(M)$

$\Omega(M) = \Gamma(\wedge^* T^*(M))$

is a differential operator
of degree -2 and order ≤ 2

de Rham complex
(commutative algebra)
differential forms

A commutative algebra over a field k of char $k=0$

M, N A -modules

Differential operator $\phi: M \rightarrow N$ of order $\leq m$:

$$m = -1 \quad \phi = 0$$

$$m \geq 0 \quad \text{the operator } [\phi, a]: A \longrightarrow A$$
$$x \mapsto \phi(ax) - a\phi(x)$$

is a differential operator of order $\leq m-1 \forall a \in A$

Example:

- $m=0$ A -module morphism

- $\phi: A \rightarrow A$ unital + Leibniz \Rightarrow order ≤ 1

\Leftarrow
if $\phi(1) = 0$ normalization

(M, π) Poisson manifold

← exterior differential

$$\Delta := [i_\pi, d] = i_\pi d - d i_\pi : \Omega(M) \longrightarrow \Omega(M)$$

Batalin - Vilkovisky operator

is a differential operator of degree -1 and order ≤ 2

Batalin - Vilkovisky (BV) algebra

≡ commutative algebra

+ differential operator Δ of degree -1 and order ≤ 2

$$+ \Delta^2 = 0$$

Example: $\Omega(M)$

Koszul bracket

$$[x, y] = \Delta(xy) - \Delta(x)y - (-1)^{1 \times 1} x \Delta(y)$$

deviation from Leibniz rule

$\Omega(\mathcal{M})$ Gerstenhaber algebra

$$d\Delta + \Delta d = 0 \Rightarrow \Delta : H^*(\mathcal{M}) \longrightarrow H^*(\mathcal{M})$$

de Rham
cohomology

$$[d, \Delta]$$

$$[-, -] : H^*(\mathcal{M}) \otimes H^*(\mathcal{M}) \longrightarrow H^*(\mathcal{M})$$

Lie
algebra

But $\Delta = 0$ on $H^*(\mathcal{M}) \Rightarrow H^*(\mathcal{M})$ abelian Lie algebra

Theorem [Sharygin and Tolokov '08]

The Lie algebra $\Omega(M)$ is formal

Corollary

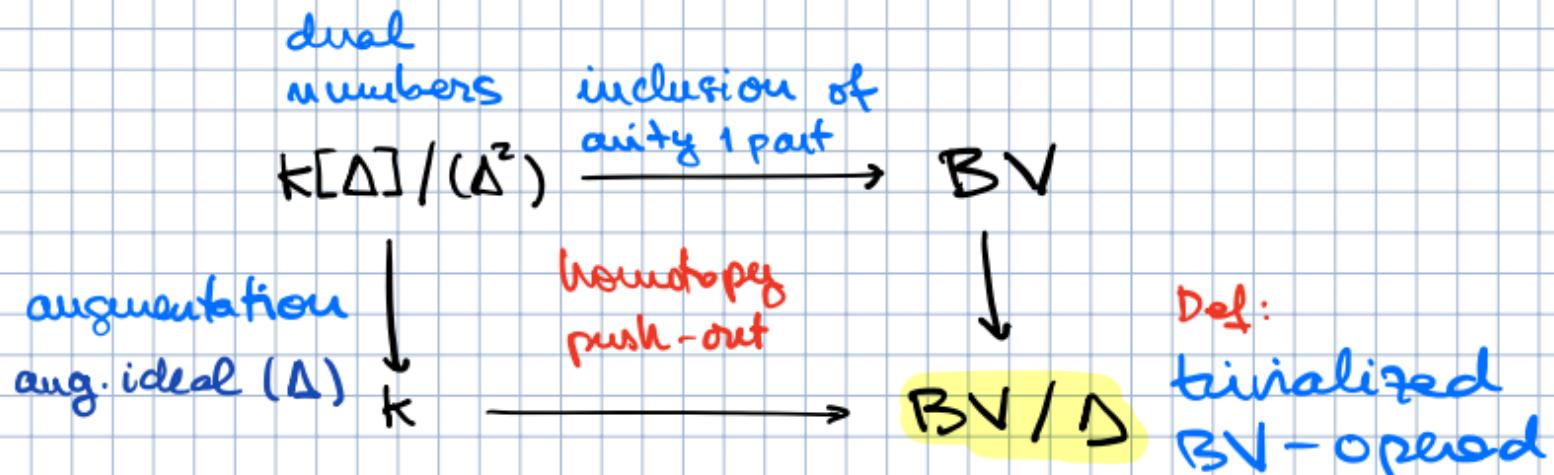
The Lie algebra $\Omega(M)$ is homotopy abelian
in the L_∞ sense

What can we say about $\Omega(M)$ as a BV-algebra?

(It's not formal, not even as a commutative algebra)

To which extent is Δ homotopically trivial?

Operads



[Drummond-Cole - Vallette '13,
Khoroshkin - Markarian - Shadrin '13,
Dotsevko - Shadrin - Vallette '15]

Theorem:

BV/Δ is formal and $H^*(BV/\Delta) = H_{\text{hypercomm}}$

Kostul operad

Theorem:

$\Omega(M)$ is a BV/Δ -algebra for (M, π) Poisson manifold and hence a hypercommutative algebra

Corollary:

$H^*(M)$ is an H_∞ -algebra ∞ -quasi-isomorphic to $\Omega(M)$

Hypercommutative algebra A :

$$\mu_n: A \otimes \cdots \otimes A \longrightarrow A \quad n \geq 2$$

$$|\mu_n| = 2(2 - k)$$

μ_n totally symmetric

such that for each $a \in A$ the operation

$$\mu_a: A \otimes A \longrightarrow A \quad \mu_a(x, y) := \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n-2)!} \mu_n(x, y, a, \dots, a)$$

is associative. In particular (A, μ_2) is the underlying commutative algebra.

BV/ Δ -algebra A is a BV-algebra equipped with:

$$\phi_n : A \longrightarrow A \quad n \geq 1 \quad |\phi_n| = -2n$$

such that

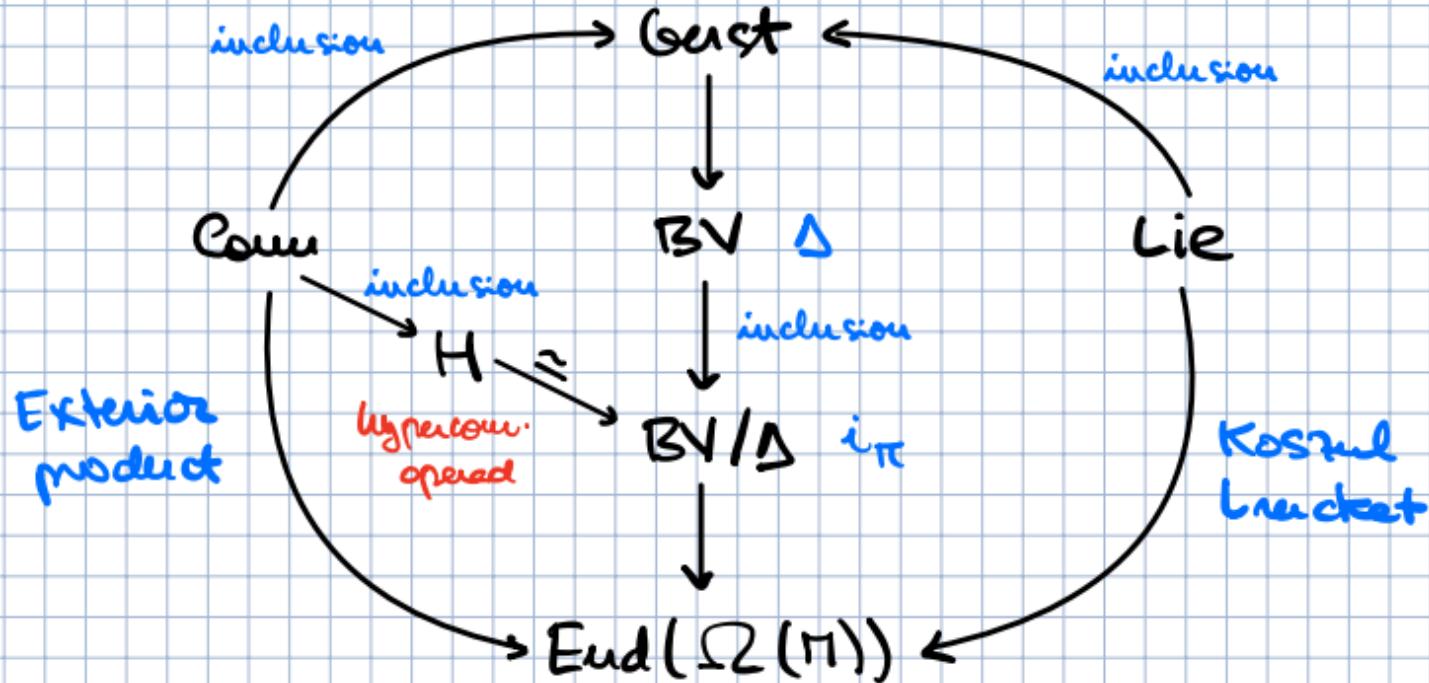
$$[\phi_1, d] = \Delta$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j_1 + \dots + j_i = m} \frac{1}{i!} [\phi_{j_1}, [\phi_{j_2}, \dots [\phi_{j_i}, d] \dots]] = 0 \quad m \geq 2$$

Example: $\Omega(\Pi)$ for (M, π) Poisson

$$\phi_1 = i_\pi \quad \text{and} \quad \phi_n = 0, \quad n \geq 2$$

Operadic viewpoint



A hypercommutative algebra A is trivial if it reduces to the underlying commutative algebra (A, μ_2) i.e. $\mu_n = 0$ for $n > 2$

Operadically:

$$H \longrightarrow \text{Com} \longrightarrow \text{End}(A)$$

$$\mu_2 \longmapsto \mu \text{ generator}$$

$$n > 2 \quad \mu_n \longmapsto 0$$

Main theorem:

The previous hypercommutative algebra structure on $\Omega(M)$ is quasi isomorphic to the trivial one.

One can similarly say that:

- A BV-algebra is trivial if $\Delta = 0$
- A Gerstenhaber algebra is trivial if its underlying Lie algebra is abelian

Corollary:

The previous BV and Gerstenhaber algebra structures on $\Omega(M)$ are quasi isomorphic to the trivial ones.

The operad maps

$$\text{Com} \xrightarrow{\text{incl.}} H \longrightarrow \text{Com}$$

induce

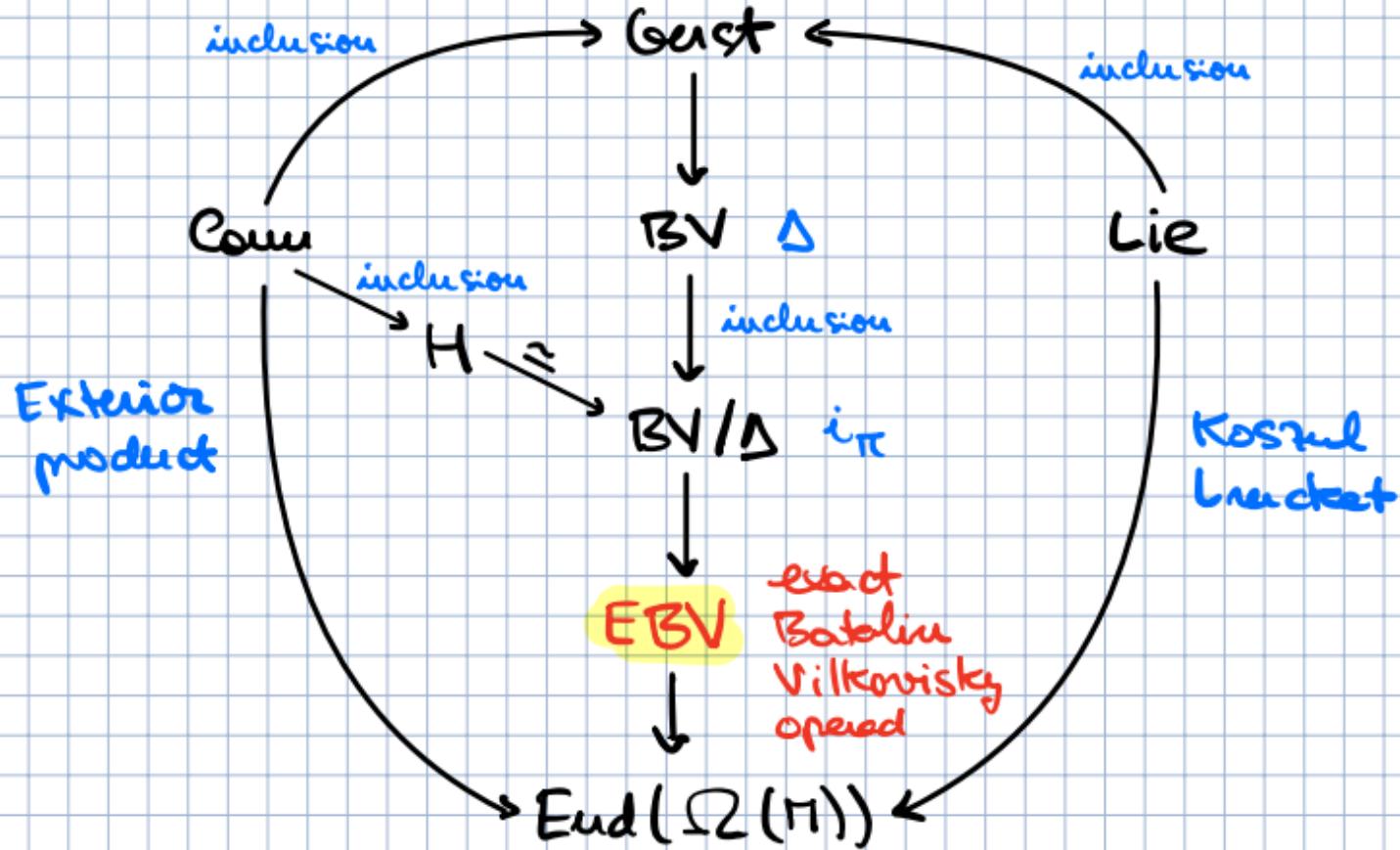
$$\text{Com}_\infty \xrightarrow{\text{incl.}} H_\infty \longrightarrow \text{Com}_\infty$$

so we also have a notion of trivial H_∞ -algebra

Corollary:

The previous H_∞ -algebra structure
on $H^*(\mathbb{N})$ is ∞ -isomorphic to the trivial one.

And similarly for BV_∞ and G_∞ .



Exact Batalin - Vilkovitsky algebra

\equiv Commutative algebra

+ differential operator i of degree -2 and order ≤ 2

$$+ [i, [i, d]] = 0$$

Example: $\Omega(M)$ with $i = i_\pi$

$$BV/\Delta \longrightarrow EBV$$

$$\phi_1 \longmapsto i$$

$$m > 2 \quad \phi_m \longmapsto 0$$

Theorem:

the operad map $\text{Com} \longrightarrow \text{EBV}$
is a quasi-isomorphism.

Operad quasi-isomorphism machine

Technical theorem:

Free operad on a Σ_* -module C
weighted

Θ operad, $P = \Theta \amalg F(C)$ coproduct
Weight 0 ↳ weight 1

operadic ideal (S)
↳ weight homogeneous, positive weight

$C \otimes h$ construction: $|h| = -1$, $dh + hd = 1$, $h^2 = 0$

$P \otimes h$ extension such that $h(\Theta) = 0$

$$h(x \circ_i y) = \frac{w(x)}{w(x) + w(y)} h(x) \circ_i y + (-1)^{|x|} \frac{w(y)}{w(x) + w(y)} x \circ_i h(y)$$

If $h(S) \subset (S) \Rightarrow \Theta \xleftarrow[\text{incl.}]{\cong} P/(S)$ is a quasi-isomorphism

Example :

EBN = $\text{Com} \amalg \mathbb{F}(C) / (S)$ with

C is the complex

$$\cdots \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow k \cdot i \xrightarrow{\quad \text{degree} \quad -2} k \cdot d(i) \xrightarrow{\quad -1 \quad} 0 \rightarrow \cdots$$

Concentrated in arity 1.

S has two elements:

$$h(1.) = h(2.) = 0 \in (S)$$

1. $i d(i) - d(i)i$ weight 2

2. $(\mu^2 \circ i) \cdot [(1) + (1\ 2) + (1\ 2\ 3)] + i \mu^2$ weight 1
 $+ \mu \circ (i \mu) \cdot [(1) + (2\ 3) + (1\ 3\ 2)]$

Thanks for
your attention!

Question:

Any operad map $f: \mathcal{O} \rightarrow \mathcal{Q}$ factors as

$$\mathcal{O} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{P} = \mathcal{O} \amalg \mathcal{F}_1(C) \xrightarrow{\quad} \mathcal{P}/(S) \cong \mathcal{Q}$$

trivial cofibration $C @ h$ fibration

Suppose f is an injective quasi-iso.

Can we always get h and S satisfying the theorem?