Interacting Hopf Algebras

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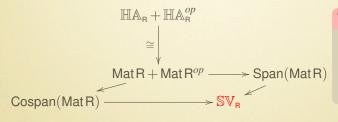
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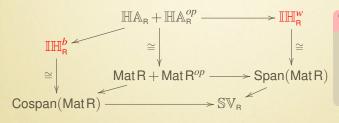
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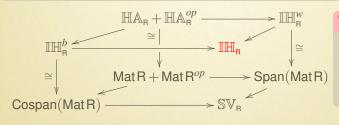


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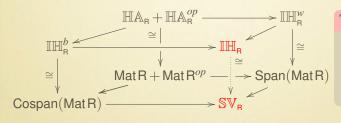


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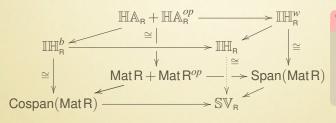


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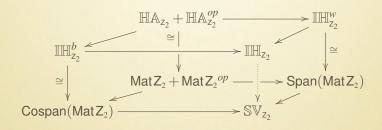
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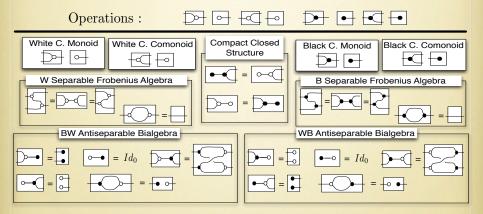
Compositional understanding of theories of string diagrams appearing in various fields (concurrency, control theory, physics, ...).

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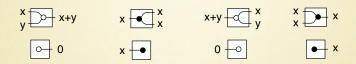


Theories of string diagrams featuring both Bialgebras and Frobenius Algebras:

- o Quantum information: ZX-calculus [Coecke & Duncan '08]
- Concurrency: algebra of stateless connectors [Bruni, Lanese, Montanari
 '07], algebra of Petri Nets with boundaries [Sobocinski '10].

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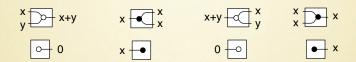


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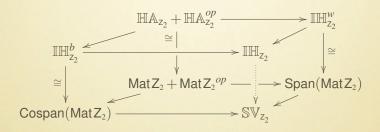
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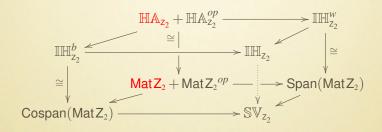
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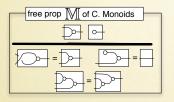
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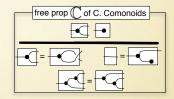


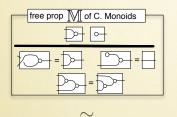
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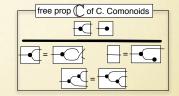


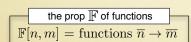
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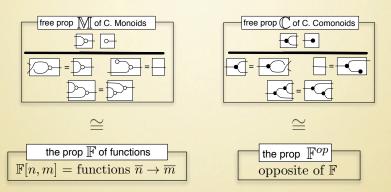






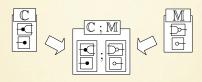




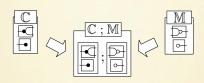








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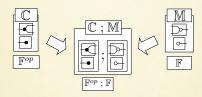
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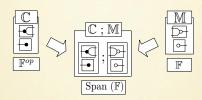
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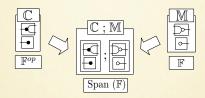
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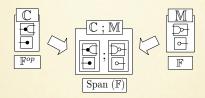
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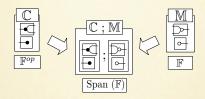
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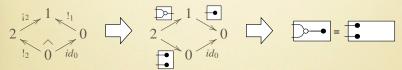
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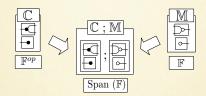


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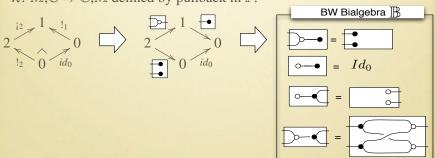


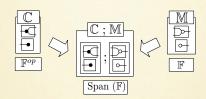
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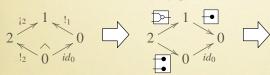


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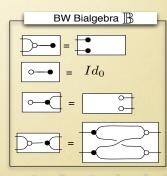


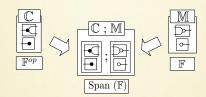
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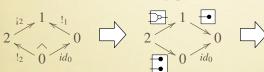
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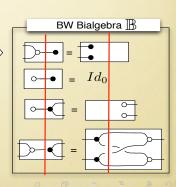


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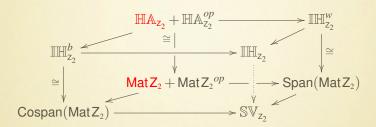


B as composed PROP

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- factorisation for B-circuits



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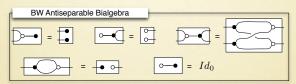
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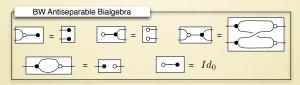
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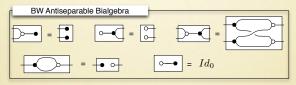
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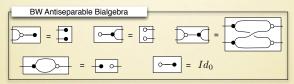


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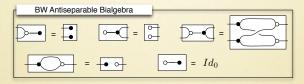


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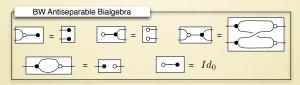


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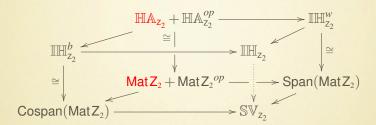
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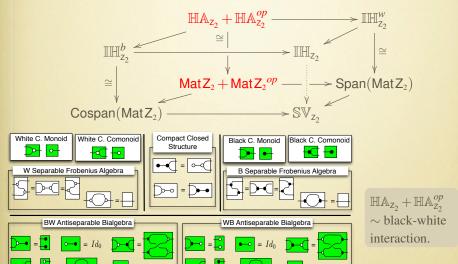
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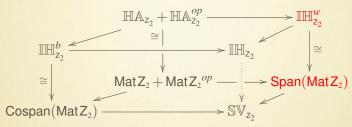


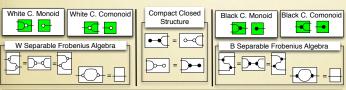
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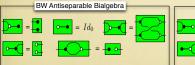


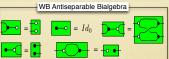
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Composing $\mathbb{H}\mathbb{A}_{\mathsf{Z}_2}$, $\mathbb{H}\mathbb{A}_{\mathsf{Z}_2}^{op}$: black-black & white-white interaction.

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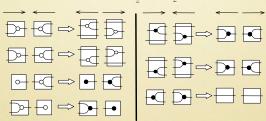


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Read (in Mat Z_2) the equations of $\mathbb{H}A_{Z_2}^{op}$; $\mathbb{H}A_{Z_2}$ out of pullback squares:



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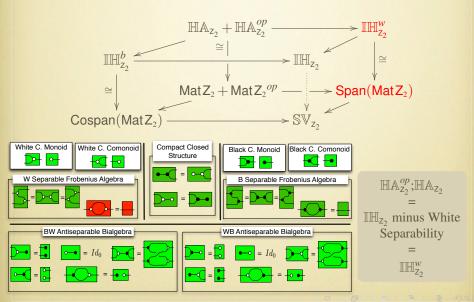
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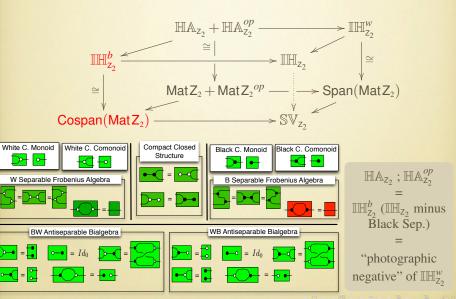
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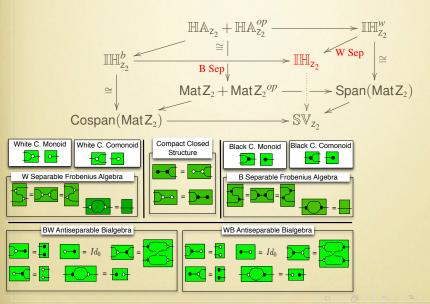
- All the equations arising by pullback squares are derivable by the axioms.
 - \Rightarrow Pullbacks in Mat Z₂ are constructed essentially by computing kernels of matrices.
 - ⇒ The linear algebraic calculations yielding the kernel can be mimicked at the syntactic level (using the equational theory).
 - ⇒ Graphical linear algebra!

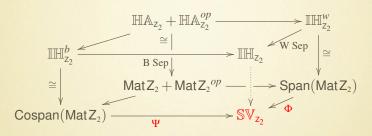
A glance at the equational theory of $Span(Mat Z_2)$

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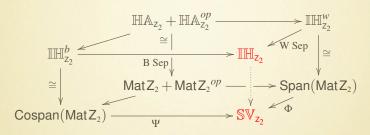








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- \mathbb{IH}_{z_2} and \mathbb{SV}_{z_2} are pushout objects.

- Unique arrow
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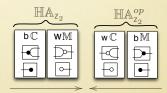
Benefits

- Cube construction revealing the modular structure of IH_{z₂}.
- Functorial semantics $S_{\mathbb{IH}_{Z_2}} : \mathbb{IH}_{Z_2} \to SV_{Z_2}$.
- Factorisation properties of IH_{z2}

Factorisation of $\mathbb{IH}_{Z_2}^w$ (span)

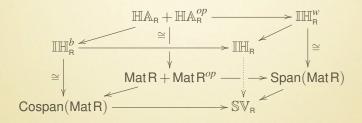
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Factorisation of $\mathbb{IH}_{Z_2}^b$ (cospan)



The general case

The cube for an arbitrary PID

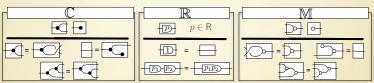


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Modular construction of $\mathbb{H}\mathbb{A}_{\mathsf{R}}$

∘ C;R;M is the composite of three PROPs



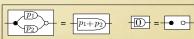
formed (equivalently, by $\lambda_{\mathbb{R}}$; $\mathbb{C}\sigma$ or $\mathbb{R}\lambda$; $\tau_{\mathbb{M}}$) via distributive laws

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$$\tau: \mathbb{R}; \mathbb{C} \Rightarrow \mathbb{C}; \mathbb{R}$$

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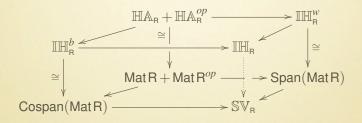


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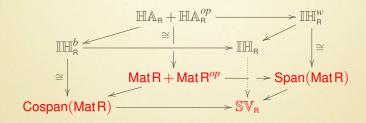
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(Y. Lafont 2003 - over fields)

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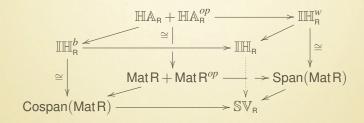
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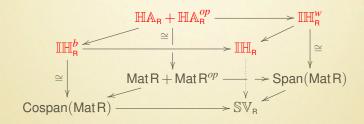
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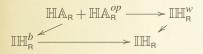
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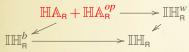
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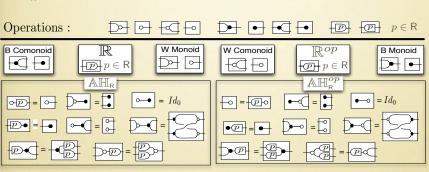


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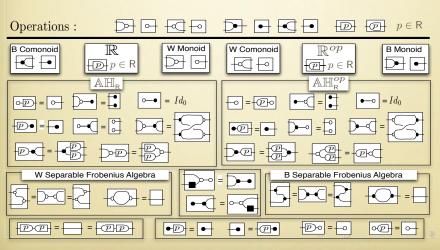


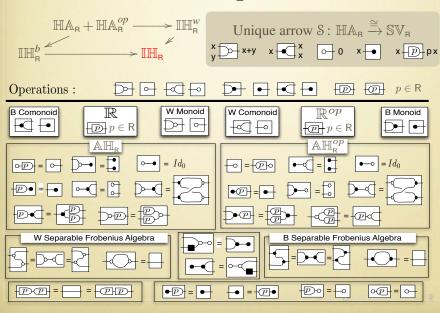




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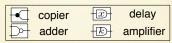
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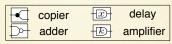
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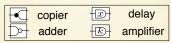
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