

# § 1 Grouplike elements of $D(H)$ or $D(H)^*$

$$Z(\text{Rep}(H)) \cong \text{Rep}(D(H))$$

braided  
 monoidal  
 equivalence

$$G(D(H)^*) = \begin{array}{l} \text{1-dim representation of } D(H) \\ \text{invertible objects of } Z(\text{Rep}(H)) \end{array}$$

{ algebraic } \* categorical

Let  $H$  be a f.d. Hopf alg over  $\mathbb{K}$

$$D(H) = H^* \otimes H \text{ as vector space}$$

- $(f \otimes a)(g \otimes b) = f * g (S^{-1}(a_{(3)} ? a_{(1)}) \otimes a_{(2)} b)$

$$= f * (a_{(1)} \rightarrow g \leftarrow S^{-1}(a_{(3)}) \otimes a_{(2)} b)$$

- $\Delta(f \otimes a) = (f_{(2)} \otimes a_{(1)}) \otimes (f_{(1)} \otimes a_{(2)})$

- $\varepsilon_{D(H)}(f \otimes a) = f(1) \varepsilon(a)$

- $\begin{aligned} \tau_1 : H &\hookrightarrow D(H) \\ a &\mapsto \varepsilon \otimes a \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} \text{Hopf algebra embeddings}$
- $\begin{aligned} \tau_2 : (H^*)^* &\hookrightarrow D(H) \\ f &\mapsto f \otimes 1 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} \text{Hopf algebra embeddings}$

where  $H^* = (H, m_H^{\text{op}}, 1_H, \Delta, \varepsilon, S_H^{-1})$

$$D(H)^* \equiv H \otimes H^* \text{ as vector space}$$

$$\langle a \otimes f, g \otimes b \rangle = g(a) \otimes f(b)$$

$\downarrow$

$H^* \otimes H$

Thm: [Radford]

- (i) Every grouplike element of  $D(H)^*$  is of the form  $g \otimes \alpha$  where  $g \in G(H)$  and  $\alpha \in G(H^*)$
- (ii) If  $g \otimes \alpha \in G(D(H)^*)$ , then  $\alpha \otimes g \in G(D(H)) \cap \text{Center}(D(H))$   
( i.e. algebra homo  $D(H) \rightarrow \mathbb{K}$  are in center of  $D(H)$ )

If  $g \otimes \alpha \in G(D(H))$ ,  $g \otimes \alpha$  defines an algebra homomorphism from  $D(H) \rightarrow \mathbb{K}$   
 If  $W \in \text{Rep}(D(H))$  irreducible s.t.  
 $\chi_W = g \otimes \alpha$

$$\chi_{\text{Res}_{H^*}^{D(H)} W}(\hbar) = \alpha(\hbar)$$

$$\text{Then } \text{Res}_{H^*}^{D(H)} W \cong \mathbb{1}_L \iff \alpha = \varepsilon$$

- If  $W \in \text{Rep}(D(H))$  is 1-dim and  $[W: \mathbb{1}]_H \neq 0$ , then  
 $\chi_W = g \otimes \varepsilon$   
 Converse is also true

Lemma: There is 1-1 correspondence between  $G(H) \cap Z(H)$  and 1-dimensional rep  $W$  of  $D(H)$  s.t.  $\text{Res}_{H^*}^{D(H)} W = \mathbb{1}$   
 In particular,  $W \cong \mathbb{1}_{D(H)} \iff 1_H \in G(H)$

Thm: <sup>Masouka</sup> Let  $H$  be a f.d. <sup>s.s.</sup> Hopf algebra over  $\mathbb{C}$  of dim.  $p^n$  where  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  &  $p$  a prime, then  $H$  has a nontrivial central group-like element  
 i.e.  $G(H) \cap \text{Center}(H) \neq \{1\}$

Proof: (this follows from the correspondence)

By the class equation for s.s. Hopf alg,  
 $\dim H = \sum_{W \in \text{Irr}(D(H))} (\dim W) [W : 1]_H$

$$\text{But } [1_{D(H)}, 1]_H = 1$$

Then we get

$$p^n = 1 + \sum_{W \neq 1} (\dim W) [W : 1]_H$$

$$\dim W \mid \dim H = p^n$$

If  $\dim W = p^k$ ,  $k > 1$  &  $W$ , then  
 the equality can't hold.

$\Rightarrow \exists 1\text{-dim rep } W \in \text{Rep}(D(H))$   
 $W \neq 1_{D(H)}$  and  $[W : 1]_H \neq 0$

By the lemma,  $\exists$  a central group-like element  $g$ , i.e.

$$G(H) \cap \text{Center}(H) \neq \{1\}$$


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This allows an inductive way of classifying Hopf algebras of  $\dim = p^n$ .

So, want to classify Hopf of dim  $\neq$

Thm: [Zhu] Every  $\neq$ -dimensional Hopf alg  $H$  over  $\mathbb{C}$  is isomorphic to a group algebra, i.e.  $H \cong \mathbb{C}[G]$

Pf: (1) For 2-dim Hopf algebras, it can be proved directly.

(2) We only consider  $\neq > 2$  or  $\neq$  is odd.  
Suppose  $H$  and  $H^*$  don't have any nontrivial grouplike element.

Using Radford's formula,  $S^4 = \text{Id}$   
(since no grouplike element)

$\Rightarrow +1, -1$  are the only eigenvalues of  $S^2$ .

$\Rightarrow \text{trace}(S^2) \neq 0$

( $\text{trace}(S^2) \Rightarrow \dim(H)$  is even)

$\Rightarrow H$  is semisimple

$\Rightarrow H$  and  $H^*$  have nontrivial grouplike element by last result.

So, we get a contradiction

$\Rightarrow H$  or  $H^*$  has a grouplike element.

(3) If  $G(H) \neq \{1\}$ ,  $\mathbb{C}[G(H)] = H \cong H^*$

if  $G(H^*) \neq \{1\}$ ,  $\mathbb{C}[G(H^*)] = H^* \cong H$

Remark: If  $\dim H = p^2$ ,  $H$  can be non-semisimple  
 e.g.  $H \cong T_{p,w} \rightarrow$  Taft algebra  
 of  $\dim p^2$

What about the characteristic  $\neq 0$  case?  
 (assuming  $\mathbb{K} = \overline{\mathbb{K}}$ )

1)  $\text{char } \mathbb{K} \geq p = \dim(H)$ ,  $H \cong \mathbb{K} C_p$   
 (Etingof - Grelaki)

2)  $\text{char } \mathbb{K} = p = \dim H$   $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} H = \mathbb{K}[x]/(x^p) \\ H = \mathbb{K} C_p \quad \text{self} \\ H = \frac{\mathbb{K}[x]}{(x-x^p)} \quad \text{dual} \end{array} \right.$

3)  $\text{char } \mathbb{K} < p = \dim H$  (open, believed)  
 to be  $\mathbb{K} C_p$

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 to write this)

Cauchy Theorem for **s.s.** Hopf algebra  
 and values of indicators

(1) Cauchy's Thm for finite groups  
 If  $p \mid |G|$ , there exists  $g \in G$  s.t.  
 $\text{ord}(g) = p$ , which implies  $p \mid \exp(G)$ .

Does this hold for the exponent of s.s.  
 hopf algebra?

We know that  $\exp(H) \mid (\dim H)^3$  [EG]  
 $\therefore p \mid \exp(H) \Rightarrow p \mid \dim H$

But, we want

$$\mathbb{P} \nmid \dim H \Rightarrow \mathbb{P} \nmid \exp(H)$$

Answer: Yes, due to

(Kashima - Sommerhauser - Zhu)

generalizes to spherical fusion categories

Proof: Let  $H$  be a s.d.-Hopf algebra.

$\eta = \text{Drinfeld element of } D(H)$

then  $\eta^N = 1$  where  $N = \exp(H)$   
 $= \text{ord}(\eta)$

$u_w = u_w \cdot \text{Id}$ , this scalar is a  
scalar  $N^{\text{th}}$  root of unity  
for any irr. rep  $w$  of  
 $D(H)$ .

$$\text{and } \mathbb{Q}(u_w \mid w \in \text{Irr}(D(H))) = \mathbb{Q}(\zeta_N)$$

$$\text{where } \zeta_N = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{N}}$$

Let  $V \in \text{Rep}(H)$ ,

$$v_n(V) = \underbrace{\frac{1}{\dim H} \sum_{w \in \text{Irr}(D(H))} (\dim w) [w:1] u_w^n}_{\in \mathbb{Q}} \underbrace{\in \mathbb{Q}(\zeta_N)}_{\in \mathbb{Q}}$$

Let  $p \nmid N = \exp(H)$ . There exists

$\sigma_p \in \text{Gal}(\mathbb{Q}(\zeta_N)/\mathbb{Q})$  s.t.

$$\sigma_p : \zeta_N \mapsto \zeta_N^p$$

$$\text{then } \sigma_p(v_n(V))$$

$$= \frac{1}{\dim H} \sum_w (\dim w) [w:1] u_w^{np}$$

$$= v_{n,p}(V)$$

$$\therefore \text{Gal}(\mathbb{Q}(\xi_N)) \supseteq \{v_n(v) \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

In particular

$$v_p(v) = v_1(v) = \chi_v(\lambda) = [v=1]_H$$

$$v_p(H) = [H=1]_H = 1 \quad (\text{since space of integrals in 1-dim})$$

$$\text{Also, } v_p(H) = \text{Tr}(\alpha)$$

$$\text{where } \alpha: \text{Hom}_H(1\mathbb{L}, H^{\otimes p}) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_H(1\mathbb{L}, H^{\otimes p})$$

$$\sum v_1 \otimes \dots \otimes v_p \mapsto \sum v_2 \otimes v_3 \otimes \dots \otimes v_p \otimes v_1$$

easy to see that  $\alpha^p = 1$

$$\text{Tr}(\alpha) = \sum_{i=0}^{p-1} m_i \leq m_i = \begin{matrix} \text{dimension of} \\ \text{eigenspace of} \\ \text{eigenvalue} \\ \xi_p^i \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= (\text{Tr}(\alpha))^p = \sum m_i^p \xi_p^{ip} \pmod{p} \\ &\equiv \sum_{i=0}^{p-1} m_i^p \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{Fermat's} \\ \text{little theorem}}}{\equiv} \sum_{i=0}^{p-1} m_i \\ &= \dim \text{Hom}_H(1\mathbb{L}, H^{\otimes p}) \pmod{p} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} H^{\otimes p} &= H \otimes H^{\otimes p-1} \text{ as left Hopf module} \\ &= \oplus \dim(H^{\otimes p-1}) \text{ copies of } H \\ &= \oplus (\dim H)^{p-1} \text{ copies of } H. \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \dim \text{Hom}_H(\mathbb{1}, H^{\otimes p}) = (\dim H)^{p-1} \cdot \dim \text{Hom}_H(\mathbb{1}, H)$$

$$= (\dim H)^{p-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \equiv (\dim H)^{p-1} \pmod{p}$$

$$\Rightarrow p \nmid \dim H$$

$\Rightarrow \infty$   
Contradiction

Remark: Generalized version of Cauchy's thm

$\Rightarrow$  Rank finiteness of Modular Tensor Categories

Another consequence is,

If  $p \nmid \dim H$ ,  $\mathcal{V}_p(H) = 1$

Theorem:  $\mathcal{V}_p(H) \neq 1 \iff p \nmid \dim H$

What's the point of this?

Kaplansky conjecture:  $\dim V \mid \dim H$

Weaker conjecture: If  $p \mid \dim V$ , then  $p \mid \dim(H)$ .

Let  $H, K$  s.s over  $\mathbb{C}$

$\text{Rep}(H)$  and  $\text{Rep}(K)$  are Morita equivalent if  
 $Z(\text{Rep}(H)) \underset{\substack{\cong \\ \text{braided} \\ \otimes}}{\sim} Z(\text{Rep}(K))$

$$\text{Rep}(D(H)) \underset{\substack{\cong \\ \text{braided} \\ \otimes}}{\sim} \text{Rep}(D(K))$$

Thm [N-Schopieray-Wang]

If  $H$  and  $K$  are s.s. over  $\mathbb{C}$  s.t-  
 $\text{Rep}(D(H)) \underset{\substack{\cong \\ \text{braided} \\ \otimes}}{\sim} \text{Rep}(D(K))$

$$\text{then } \mathcal{V}_n(H) = \mathcal{V}_n(K)$$

for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .