

# Earthquake theorem for cluster algebras of finite type

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## § 0. Intro

What is the earthquake ?

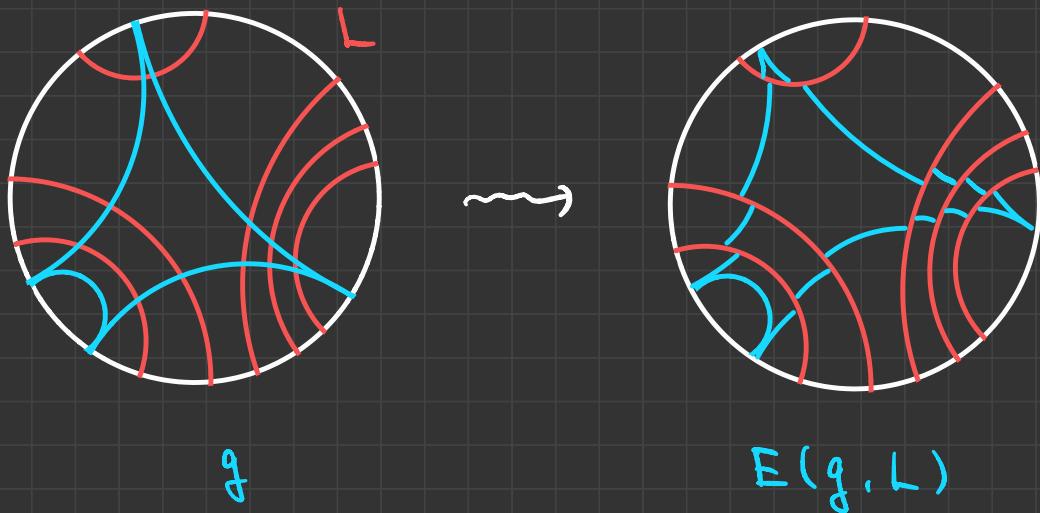
↔ A generalization of

the Fenchel-Nielsen twist .



i.e. The FN twist is the deformation  
of hyperbolic str. along a (weighted)  
simple closed curve .

On the other hand, the earthquake  
is the deformation of hyp. str.  
along a measured lamination.



Theorem (Thurston's earthquake theorem)

$\Sigma$  : a surface

$$g_0 = [X_0, f_0] \in \mathcal{T}(\Sigma) : \text{fix.}$$

Then, for  $\forall g \in \mathcal{T}(\Sigma)$ ,  $\exists! L \in \text{ML}(X_0)$

$$\text{s.t. } g = E(g_0, L).$$

More precisely,

$$E(g_0, -) : \mathcal{ML}(X_0) \longrightarrow \mathcal{T}(\Sigma)$$
$$L \longmapsto E(g_0, L)$$

is a homeomorphism.

### Remark

By considering the measured lamination bundle

$$\mathcal{ML}(X) \hookrightarrow \mathcal{ML}_\Sigma$$

$$\downarrow \qquad \qquad \downarrow$$

$$\{(X, f)\} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{T}(\Sigma)$$

one can think the earthquake is  
the continuous map

$$E : \mathcal{ML}_\Sigma \longrightarrow \mathcal{T}(\Sigma)$$
$$\downarrow \qquad \qquad \downarrow$$
$$(g, L) \longmapsto E(g, L)$$

and one can verify that  $E$  is  
 $MC(\Sigma)$ -equivariant.

$$\downarrow \\ \phi$$

(i.e.,  $E(\phi(g), \phi(L)) = E(g, L)$ ).

- ④ The popular application of this theorem  
is solving the Nielsen realization problem by Kerckhoff ('83).

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$\mathcal{X}_\alpha$ : the cluster variety associated  
with a mutation class  $\alpha$ .

Fact.

If  $\alpha$  is obtained from a marked surf  $\Sigma$

$T(\Sigma) \subset \mathcal{X}_\Sigma(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$  enhanced Teichmüller sp

$MZ(X) \subset \mathcal{X}_\Sigma(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}})$  the set of  
semifield  
valued points

## Problem

Does the earthquake theorem hold  
for any mutation class?

Namely,  $\exists ?$  continuous & cluster modular  
group equivariant map

$$E : \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0}) \times \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}}) \rightarrow \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$$

s.t. for each  $g_0 \in \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$ ,

$$E(g_0, -) : \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}}) \rightarrow \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$$

is a homeomorphism.

Thm [Bonsante-Krasnov-Shenker '16]

If  $\alpha$  is obtained from a punctured surface  
(i.e. it has no boundary comp), then  
the earthquake theorem holds.

Main theorem [ Asaka - Ishibashi - K.]

If  $\kappa$  is of finite, then the earthquake theorem holds.

## § 1 Earthquake map

$\Sigma$  : a marked surface.

$\hat{\mathcal{T}}(\Sigma)$  : the enhanced Teichmüller sp.

$\downarrow$   
 $[X, f] : \left\{ \begin{array}{l} X : \text{hyperbolic surf.} \\ \text{homeomorphic to } \Sigma. \\ f : X \rightarrow \Sigma : \text{homeo.} \\ (+ \text{ signing}) \end{array} \right.$

$\widehat{mL}(X)$ : the space of the enhanced measured geodesic laminations on  $X$ .

$\downarrow$

$(G, \mu) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} G : \text{unbounded geodesic lamination on } X \\ \mu : \text{transverse measure of } G \\ (\text{+ signing}) \end{array} \right.$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \tilde{G} & \subset & \tilde{X} \subset H \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \curvearrowleft \text{the universal cover} \\ G & \subset & X \end{array}$$

$$\text{Fix } S_0 \subset \tilde{X} \setminus \tilde{G}$$

For  $S \subset \tilde{X} \setminus \tilde{G}$ ,

define  $E_S \in PSL(2, \mathbb{R})$  as

- $E_{S_0} := id$
- $E_S$  is a hyperbolic element w/

the translation length =  $\tilde{\mu}(\alpha)$



- the axis of  $E_{S'}^{-1} E_S$  weakly separates  $S$  &  $S' \subset \tilde{X} \setminus \tilde{G}$

$$\sim \tilde{F}_{(G, \mu)} := \bigcup_S E_S |_S$$

$$\partial_\infty \tilde{E}_{(G, \mu)} : \partial_\infty \tilde{X} \rightarrow \partial_\infty \mathbb{H} \subset \overline{\mathbb{H}}$$

↑ contin. ext. of  $\tilde{E}_{(G, \mu)}$ .

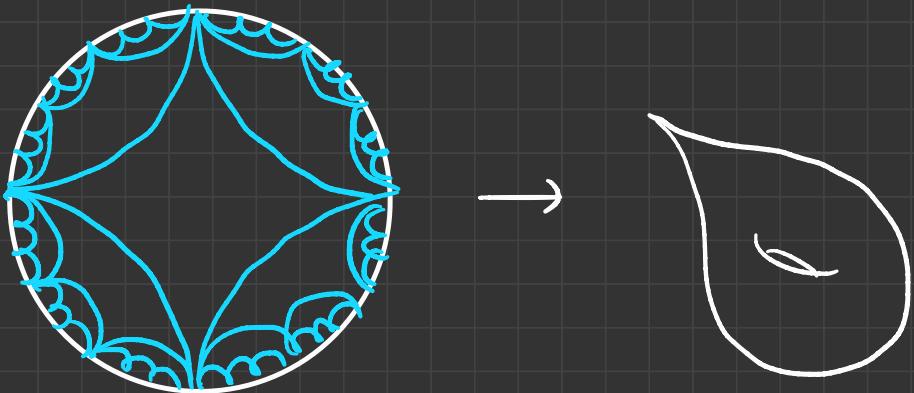
$\hat{\mathcal{T}}(\Sigma)$  is parametrized by

monodromy

$$(p, \psi) : \left\{ \begin{array}{l} p : \pi_1(\Sigma) \rightarrow PSL(2; \mathbb{R}) \\ \psi : F_\infty(\Sigma) \rightarrow \partial_\infty \mathbb{H}. \end{array} \right.$$

↑  
ord. p.v.s.

Farey set of  $\Sigma$



For  $g = (\rho, \psi) \in \hat{\mathcal{T}}(\Sigma)$ ,

define  $E(g, (G, \mu)) = (\rho', \psi')$  as

$$\circ \quad \tilde{E}_{(G, \mu)} \circ \rho(x) = \rho'(x) \circ \tilde{E}_{(G, \mu)}$$

for  $\forall x \in \pi_1(\Sigma)$

$$\circ \quad \psi' := \partial_\infty \tilde{E}_{(G, \mu)} \circ \psi.$$

$$\rightsquigarrow E : \hat{\mathcal{ML}}_{\Sigma} \longrightarrow \hat{\mathcal{T}}(\Sigma)$$

||? ||?

$$\mathcal{X}_{\Sigma}(\mathbb{R}_{>0}) \times \mathcal{X}_{\Sigma}(\mathbb{R}^{top})$$

$$\mathcal{X}_{\Sigma}(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$$

Prop 1

$\gamma \subset \Sigma$  ; an ideal arc ,  $t \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}$

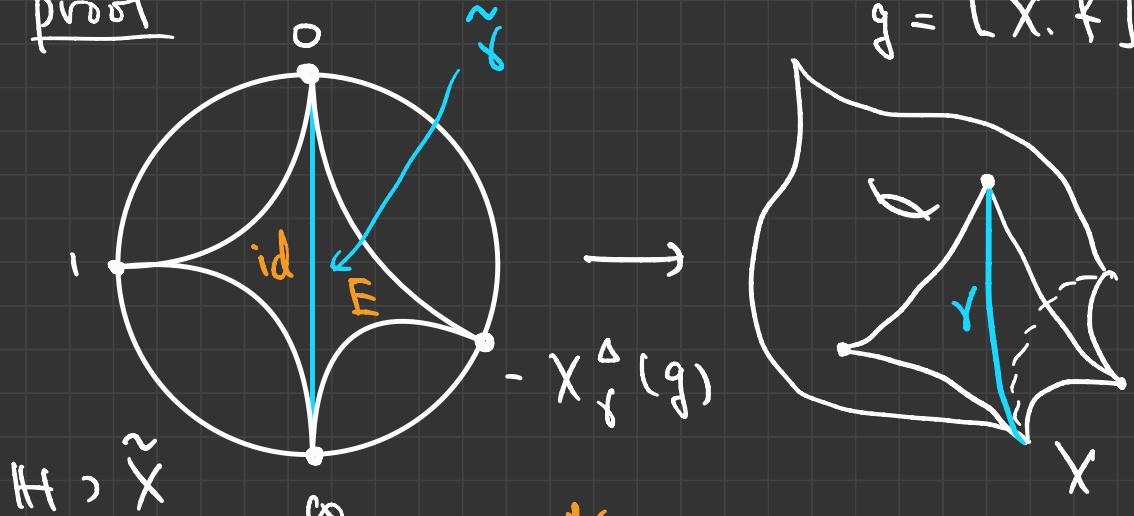
$$( t \cdot \gamma \in \hat{\mathcal{ML}}(\Sigma) )$$

then, for  $\mathfrak{t}, g \in \hat{\mathcal{G}}(\mathcal{I})$

$$X_\alpha^\Delta(E(g, t \cdot \gamma)) = \exp(t \delta_{\alpha\gamma}) \cdot X_\alpha^\Delta(g)$$

Here  $\Delta$  is an ideal tri. containing  $\gamma$ .

proof



$$E = \begin{pmatrix} e^{t/2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-t/2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(-X_r^\Delta \mapsto -e^t \cdot X_r^\Delta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore X_r^\Delta(E(g, t \cdot \gamma)) &= [0; 1; \infty; -e^t X_r^\Delta(g)] \\ &= -e^t X_r^\Delta(g) \quad \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$

## § 2. Cluster earthquake map.

$\mathbb{X}$ : a mutation class

$\Downarrow$

$$(\varepsilon, \mathbb{X}) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \varepsilon : (n \times n) \text{ skew-symmetrizable} \\ \text{matrix} \\ \mathbb{X} = (X_1, \dots, X_n) \end{array} \right.$$

$\rightsquigarrow \text{Exch}_{\mathbb{X}}$ : (labeled) exchange graph

i.e.  $(\varepsilon, \mathbb{X}) \xrightarrow{k} (\varepsilon', \mathbb{X}')$  then

$$\varepsilon'_{ij} = \begin{cases} -\varepsilon_{ij} & i = k \text{ or } j = k \\ \varepsilon_{ij} + \frac{1}{2}(|\varepsilon_{ik}| \varepsilon_{kj} + \varepsilon_{ik} |\varepsilon_{kj}|) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$X'_i = \begin{cases} X_k^{-1} & i = k \\ X_i(1 + X_k^{-\text{sgn}(\varepsilon_{ik})})^{-\varepsilon_{ik}} & i \neq k \end{cases}$$

$\rightsquigarrow \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$  : the cluster manifold  
ass. with  $\alpha$ .

the  $C^\infty$ -mfld homeo. to  $\mathbb{R}_{>0}^n$

equipped w/ an atlas consisting of

$$\mathbb{X}^{(v)} : \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{R}_{>0}^n$$

for  $v \in \text{Exch}_\alpha$ ,

s.t.  $v \xrightarrow{k} v'$

$\Rightarrow (\mathbb{X}^{(v)})^{-1} \circ \mathbb{X}^{(v')}$  : cluster  $\mathcal{X}$ -transf  
at  $k$

tropicalize  $\mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{\text{tmp}})$  : the tropical  
cluster manifold

the PL mfd homeo. to  $\mathbb{R}^n$  equipped w/  
an atlas consisting of

$$\chi^{(v)} : \mathcal{X}_\gg(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{R}^n$$

for  $v \in \text{Exch}_S$

$$\text{s.t., } v \xrightarrow{k} v'$$

$\Rightarrow (\chi^{(v)})^{-1} \circ \chi^{(v')} :$  tropicalized  
cluster transf. at  $k$ .

$$\chi'_i = \begin{cases} -x_k & i = k \\ x_i - \epsilon_{ik} \cdot \min(0, -\text{sgn}(\epsilon_{ik}) x_k) & i \neq k \end{cases}$$

For  $v \in \text{Exch}_\alpha$

$$\mathcal{C}_{(v)}^+ := \left\{ L \mid x_i^{(v)}(L) \geq 0, \forall i \right\}$$

$$C \subset \mathbb{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}})$$

The cones  $\mathcal{C}_{(v)}^+$ ,  $v \in \text{Exch}_\alpha$

forms a fan  $\mathcal{F}_\alpha^+$  on  $\mathbb{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}})$

called Fock - Goncharov fan.

Prop. 1 is rewritten as follows;

for  $\forall L \in \mathcal{C}_\alpha^+ \subset \mathbb{X}_\Sigma(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}})$ ,

$$X_\alpha^\Delta(E(g, L)) = \exp(x_\alpha^\Delta(L)) \cdot X_\alpha^\Delta(g)$$

For  $g_0 \in \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$  and  $v \in \text{Exch}_\alpha$

define  $\exp_{g_0}^{(v)} : \mathcal{L}_{(v)}^+ \rightarrow \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$

by  $X_i^{(v)}(\exp_{g_0}^{(v)}(L))$

$$:= \exp(X_i^{(v)}(L)) \cdot X_i^{(v)}(g)$$

Lem

For  $v_1, v_2$  in  $\text{Exch}_\alpha$ ,

$$\exp_{g_0}^{(v_1)} = \exp_{g_0}^{(v_2)} \text{ on } \mathcal{L}_{(v_1)}^+ \cap \mathcal{L}_{(v_2)}^+$$

$$\leadsto \exp_{g_0} := \bigcup_v \exp_{g_0}^{(v)}$$

Def

$$E_{\text{pre}}: \mathcal{X}_n(\mathbb{R}_{>0}) \times |\mathcal{F}_n^+| \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathcal{X}_n(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$$

$$(g, L) \mapsto \exp_g(L)$$

When  $n$  is of finite type.

$\mathcal{F}_n^+$  is complete

$$\text{i.e., } |\mathcal{F}_n^+| = \mathcal{X}_n(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}})$$

$$\leadsto E := E_{\text{pre}}$$

: cluster earthquake map

Main thm

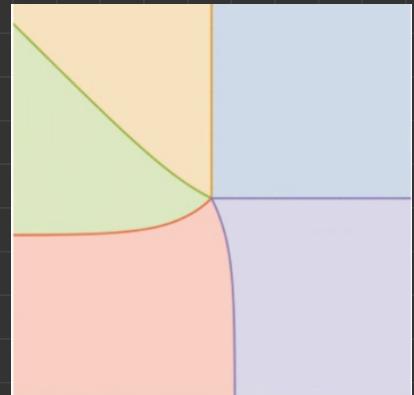
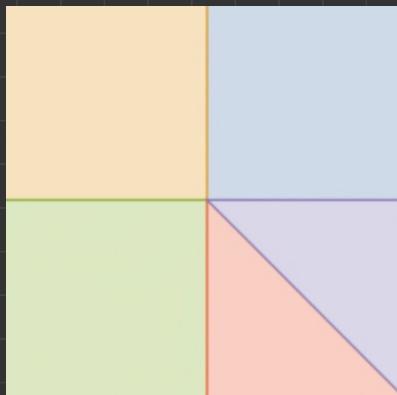
①  $E$  is cluster modular group equiv.

②  $E(g_0, -): \mathcal{X}_n(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{X}_n(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$   
is a homeo.

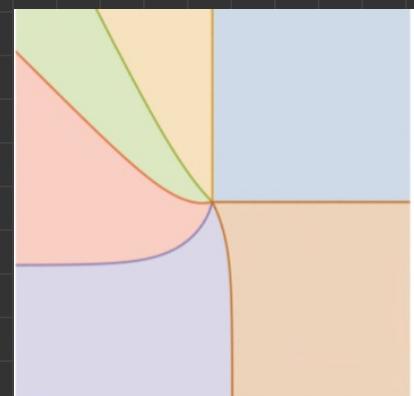
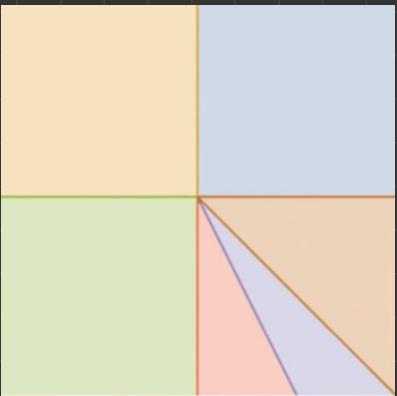
$$\mathcal{X}^{(v)}(\mathcal{F}_\lambda^+)$$

$$\log \mathbb{X}^{(v)}(E(g_0, \mathcal{F}_\lambda^+))$$

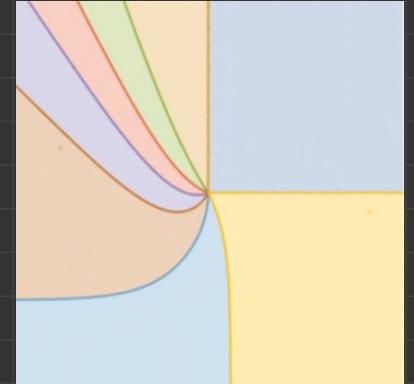
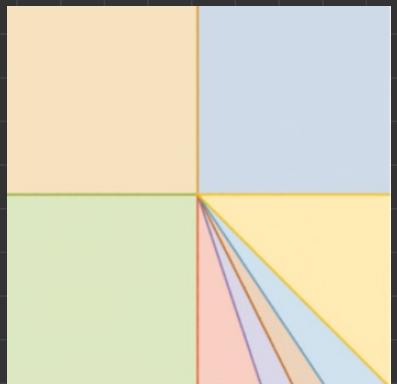
A<sub>2</sub>



B<sub>2</sub>



C<sub>2</sub>



## Sketch of proof

① : Easy.

② : By induction on the rank of  $\alpha$ .

•  $n = 2$  : direct calculation

•  $n \geq 3$  :

$E(g_0, -)$  is a local homeo. at

each  $L \in \text{int } \mathcal{C}_{(v)}^+$

We want to prove that it is also

a loc. homeo. at  $L \in \partial \mathcal{C}_{(v)}^+$ .

If  $L \in F \subset \mathcal{C}_{(v)}^+$  : face of dim  $\geq 1$

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$\exists J \subset \{L' \mid x_j^{(v)}(L) \neq 0, \forall j \in J\}$

$\{1, \dots, n\}$

$\rightsquigarrow \mathcal{M}_F$  : the mutation class

$$\left( (\varepsilon_{ij}^{(v)})_{i,j \in J}, (X_j^{(v)})_{j \in J} \right)$$

$$\pi_F^{\text{top}}: \mathcal{X}_{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}_{>0}) \rightarrow \mathcal{X}_{\alpha_F}(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$$

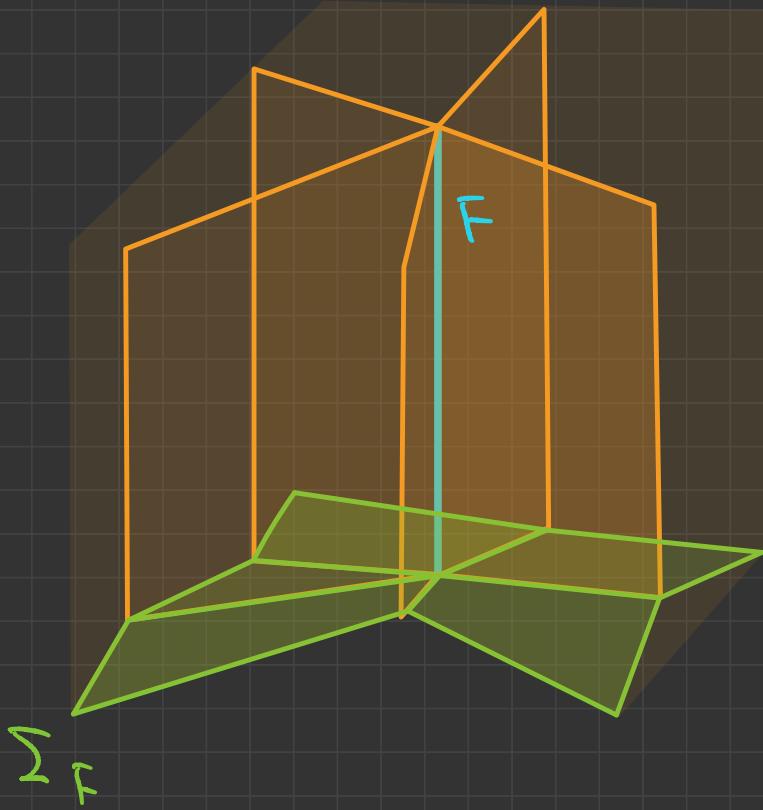
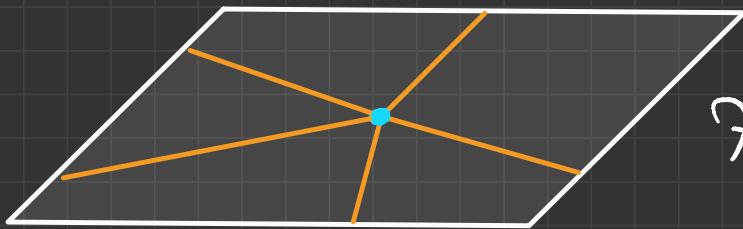
$$(X_i^{(v)})_{i=1}^n \mapsto (X_j^{(v)})_{j \in J}$$

$$D_F := \bigcup_{v' \in \text{Exch}_{\alpha_F}} \mathcal{L}_{(v')}^+$$

$$= \bigcup \{ \mathcal{L}_{(v')}^+ \mid F \subset \mathcal{L}_{(v')}^+ \}$$

$$\Sigma_F := \bigcup_{v' \in \text{Exch}_{\alpha}} \left\{ L \in \mathcal{L}_{(v')}^+ \mid \underbrace{(x_i^{(v')}(L) = 0, \forall i \notin J)}_{\text{ }} \right\}$$

$$= \bigcup \{ F' \subset D_F : \text{face}(F' \cap \bar{F}) \}$$


 $\Sigma_F$ 

 $\mathcal{X}_{\mathbb{A}_F}(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}})$ 
 $\mathcal{X}_{\mathbb{A}}(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}})$ 
 $D_F$ 
 $I_2$ 
 $\Sigma_F \times F$ 
 $\pi_F^{\text{trop}}$

PL bundle  
with fiber  $F$ .

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 E(g_0, -) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0}) \\
 & \curvearrowleft & \downarrow \pi_F \\
 (\text{homeo. by induction hypothesis}) & & \\
 E(\pi_F(g_0, -)) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{X}_{\alpha_F}(\mathbb{R}_{>0})
 \end{array}$$

$$L \neq L' \in \mathcal{X}_{\alpha_F}(\mathbb{R}^{tmp})$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi_F^{tmp}(L) \cap \pi_F^{tmp}(L') = \emptyset$$

→  $E(g_0, -)$  is a local homeo. at each point of  $F$ .

→  $E(g_0, -)|_{\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}}$  :  $\mathcal{X}_n(\mathbb{R}^{\text{top}}) \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}_n(\mathbb{R}_{>0}) \setminus \{g_0\}$

is a proper local homeo.

→ This is a covering map.

$$\bullet \mathcal{X}_n(\mathbb{R}^{\text{top}}) \setminus \{0\} \cong S^{n-1}$$

is simply conn. since  $n \geq 3$

→ Filling missing point. 

Cor.

$$dE : \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0}) \times \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{\text{tmp}})$$

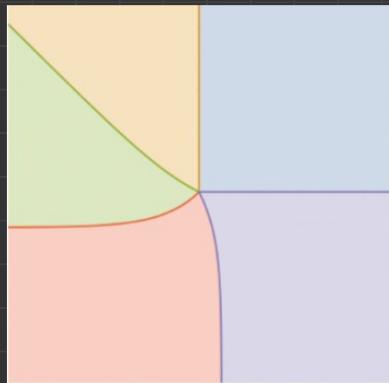
$$\rightarrow T \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$$

$$(g, L) \mapsto \left( g \cdot \frac{d}{dt} \Big|_{t=0^+}, E(g, t \cdot L) \right)$$

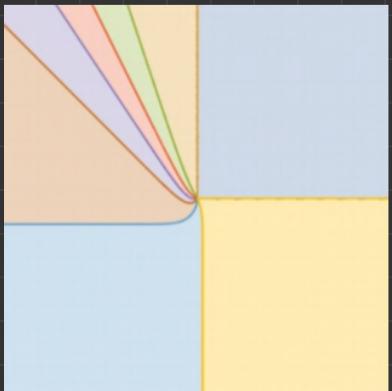
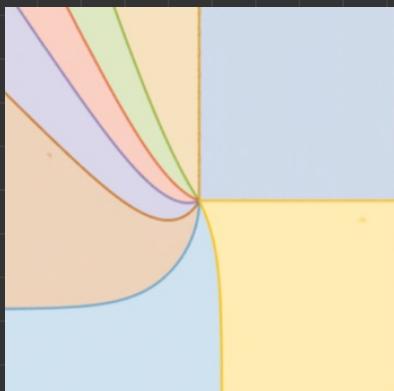
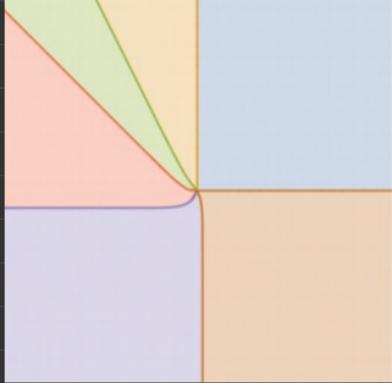
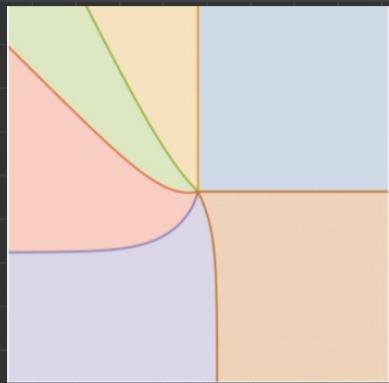
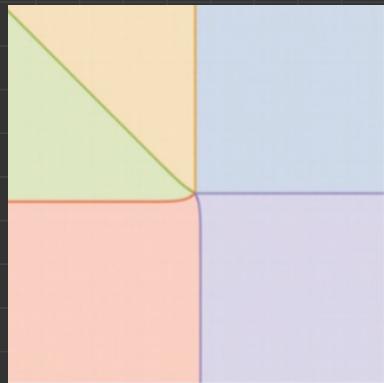
is a cluster modular group equivariant  
isomorphism of topological fiber bundle

### § 3 Asymptotic behavior

plots in  $[-6, 6]^2$



in  $[-25, 25]^2$



,  $\alpha$ : a mutation class

$\rightsquigarrow -\alpha$ : the opposite mutation class.

i.e.,  $(\varepsilon, (X_i)_{\pm}) \in \alpha$

$\Rightarrow (-\varepsilon, (X_i^{-1})_{\pm}) \in -\alpha$ .

$\rightsquigarrow \text{Exch}_{\alpha} \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Exch}_{-\alpha}$

$\nu \longmapsto -\nu$

,  $\overline{\mathcal{X}_{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}_{>0})} := \mathcal{X}_{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}_{>0}) \sqcup \$\mathcal{X}_{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}})$

$\nwarrow$  tropical compactification

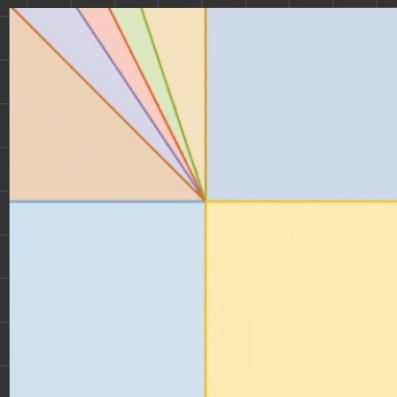
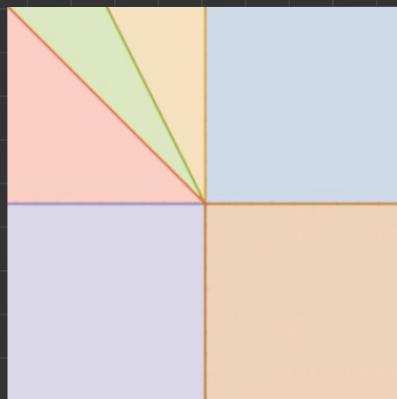
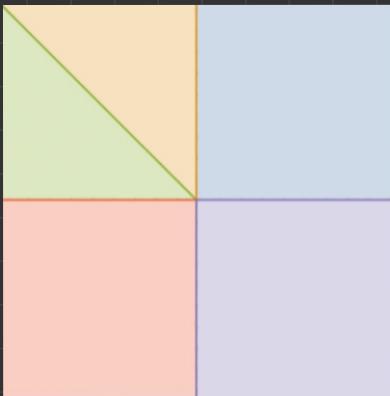
$(\$X_{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}}) := (\mathcal{X}_{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}}) \setminus \{0\}) /_{\mathbb{R}_{>0}}$

i.e.,  $\mathcal{X}_{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}_{>0}) \ni g_n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} [L] \in \$X_{\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^{\text{trop}})$

$\iff [\log X^{(v)}(g_n)] \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} [X^{(v)}(L)]$

in  $\mathbb{SR}^n = (\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}) /_{\mathbb{R}_{>0}}$

$$\mathfrak{A}^{(-n)} (\mathcal{F}_{-\lambda}^{\tau})$$



For  $g_0 \in \mathcal{F}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$ ,  $v \in \text{Exch}_\alpha$ ,

$$\mathcal{E}_{(v)}^+(g_0) := \left\{ \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} E(g_0, t \cdot L) \mid L \in \mathcal{L}_{(v)}^+ \right\}$$

$$\subset \$\mathcal{F}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{\text{top}})$$

Thm [Asaka - Ishibashi - k.]

$$\mathcal{E}_{(v)}^+(g_0) = \iota (\$\mathcal{L}_{(-v)}^+)$$

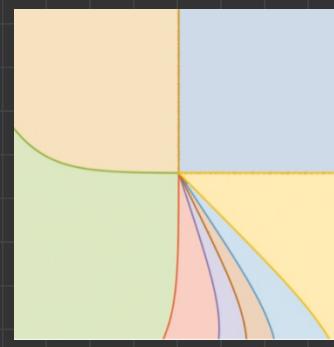
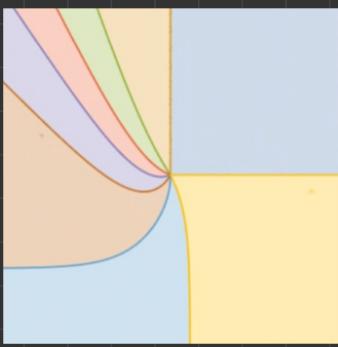
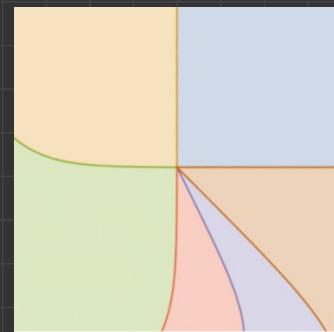
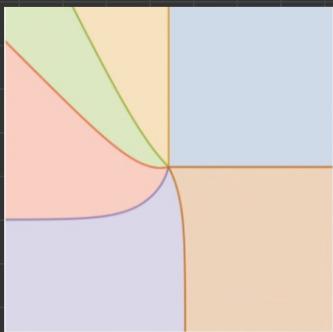
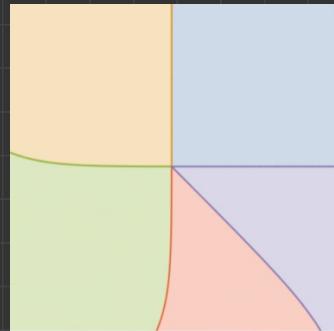
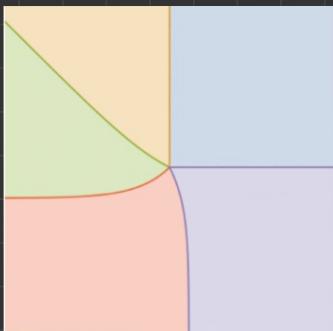
where  $\mathcal{F}_{-\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^{\text{top}}) \xrightarrow{\iota} \mathcal{F}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{\text{top}})$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{F}_{-\alpha}(\mathbb{R}^{\text{top}}) & \xrightarrow{\iota} & \mathcal{F}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{\text{top}}) \\ \pi^{(-v)} \downarrow & & \downarrow \pi^{(v)} \\ \mathbb{R}^n & \xrightarrow{(-1)} & \mathbb{R}^n \end{array}$$

This theorem describe the asymp.  
behavior of  $E(g_0, L)$  as  $L \rightarrow \infty$ .

Next, we consider the asymp. behavior  
of  $E(g_0, L)$  as  $g_0 \rightarrow \infty$ .

$$\chi^{(v)}(g_0) = (1, 1) \quad (500, 500)$$



For  $g \in \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}_{>0})$ ,  $v \in \text{Exch}_\alpha$ ,

$$u_g^{(v)} : \mathcal{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{\text{top}}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$$
$$L \mapsto \log \frac{\mathbb{X}^{(v)}(E(g, L))}{\mathbb{X}^{(v)}(g)}$$
$$(0 \longmapsto 0)$$

Thm [Asaka - Ishibashi - K]

$$u_g^{(v)}(\mathcal{F}_\alpha^+) \rightarrow \mathcal{U}^{(v)}(\mathcal{F}_\alpha^+)$$

as  $g$  diverges toward  $\text{int } \mathcal{C}_{(v)}^+$ .

$\rightsquigarrow E(g, \mathcal{F}_\alpha^+)$  is a continuous

deformation of  $\mathcal{F}_\alpha^+$ .

Prob.

How behave  $Ug^{(v)}(\tilde{F}_\lambda^+)$  when

$g$  diverges to  $\text{int } \mathcal{L}^+(v')$  for  $v' \neq v$ .

We observe that it is obtained  
by mutation for fan from  $v$  to  $v'$ .



## § 4 Future work

Thm [Yurikusa '20]

$\mathcal{B}$  obtained from a marked surf.

$|\mathcal{F}_\alpha^+| \mathcal{B}$  dense in  $\mathbb{X}_\alpha(\mathbb{R}^{tw})$ .

↑ “g-tame”

We hope that the earthquake them.

holds for the g-tame cluster alg's.

It is known that the cluster alg's

corresp. to affine Dynkin types

are g-tame.

We now trying to define the  
earthquake map and to prove  
the earthquake then for them.

Thank you for your attention !