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Quantum Geometric Langlands and Gauge Theory

$$N=4 \text{ SYM} \xrightarrow{\text{GL-limit}} 4d \text{ TFT}_{t \in \mathbb{C}P^1}$$

$$Q = Q_L + t Q_R$$

$$\text{parameters: } t, e^2, \theta; \quad \tau = \frac{\theta}{2\pi} + \frac{4\pi i}{e^2}$$

$$\text{"Relevant" parameter: } \psi = \frac{\theta}{2\pi} + \frac{t^2 - 1}{t^2 + 1} \frac{4\pi i}{e^2}$$

"Classical" geometric Langlands:

$$L_G \quad t=i \quad \xleftrightarrow{S} \quad G, \quad t=1, \quad \theta=0$$

( $\psi = \infty$ )

$$M_4 = \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{R}^2$$

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$$\text{B-branes in } \mathcal{M}_{\text{flat}}(L_G, \mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow{\text{①}} \text{A-branes in } \mathcal{M}_{\text{flat}}(G, \mathbb{C})_K$$

$$\mathcal{M}_{\text{flat}}(L_G, \mathbb{C})$$

$$\omega_K \sim \int_C \text{Tr} S A S \phi$$

$$\omega = \text{Im} \tau \cdot \omega_K$$

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D-modules  
in  $\text{Bun}_G \mathbb{C}$

② Canonical coordinates A-brane

$$F \sim \frac{\text{Im } \tau \omega_J}{\omega_I} \sim \int_C \text{Tr}(\delta A_z \delta A_{\bar{z}} + \delta \phi_z \delta \phi_{\bar{z}})$$

$$\boxed{B = -\frac{\theta}{2\pi} \omega_I} \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$(\omega^{-1} F)^2 = -1$$

$$\omega^{-1} F = I$$

$$\mathcal{M}_{\text{Higgs}}(G, C)_I \cong \mathcal{M}_{\text{Higgs}}^{\text{saddle}}(G, C)$$

Observables on c.c. brane are holomorphic functions on

$$\mathcal{M}_{\text{Higgs}}(G, C)$$

$$[f, g] = \frac{\text{Im } \tau}{\omega_I} \{f, g\}_{\Omega_I} + \dots$$

$$\Omega_I = \omega_K + i \omega_J \sim \int \text{Tr} \delta A_{\bar{z}} \delta \phi_z$$

$t=1$ ,  $\theta$  arbitrary

$$\psi = \frac{\theta}{2\pi}, \quad B = -\frac{\theta}{2\pi} \omega_I, \quad (\omega^{-1}(F+B))^2 = -1.$$

$$F = \alpha \omega_J \quad (\text{c.c. A-brane})$$

$$\omega^{-1}(F+B) = \alpha I + \beta J, \quad \alpha^2 + \beta^2 = 1.$$

" $I \oplus \theta$ "

$$\beta = \frac{\text{Re } z}{\text{Im } z}$$

$$\omega = \text{Im } z \omega_K$$

$$\mathcal{M}_{\text{Hil}}(G, C)_{\mathbb{Z}_0} \cong \mathcal{M}_{\text{flat}}^{\lambda\text{-connections}}(G_{\mathbb{C}}, C) = \text{"twisted cotangent bundle" over } \text{Bun}_G(C) \quad (3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{Q} &: \Gamma(E) \rightarrow \Gamma(E \otimes \mathbb{R}^1) \\ \mathcal{Q}(f \otimes s) &= \lambda \partial_t \otimes s + f \otimes \partial_s \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} \mathcal{Q} &: \Gamma(E) \rightarrow \Gamma(E \otimes \mathbb{R}^1) \\ \mathcal{Q}(f \otimes s) &= \lambda \partial_t \otimes s + f \otimes \partial_s \end{aligned}} \right\} \lambda\text{-connections}$$

twisted bundle:  $P_i^{(k)} dg^i = P_i^{(1)} dg^i + \underbrace{\delta_{d,s}}_n C(\mathbb{R}^1_d)$

$\Rightarrow$  sheaf of diff. eqns in  $\mathcal{L}_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \hbar \nabla$

$$S: \psi \rightarrow \dot{\psi} = -\frac{1}{\psi \cdot n_g} \quad t \rightarrow \psi_t = e^{i\varphi t}$$

$$n_g = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

Another approach: consider  $t=0$ .

$$Q = Q_{\lambda} \quad z = \frac{\theta}{2\pi} + \frac{4\pi i}{eL}$$

$$S = \{Q, \psi\} + \frac{i\bar{c}}{4\pi} \int \text{Tr} F \wedge F$$

BPS equations:  $(F - \frac{1}{2}[\varphi, \varphi])^{\#} = 0, (D\varphi)^{\#} = 0, D_{\mu} \varphi^{\mu} = 0.$

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$$M_4 = \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{R}^2$$

A-model with target  $\mathcal{M}_{\text{Higgs}}(G, C)_{\mathbb{I}}$

$$\Downarrow$$

A-branes on  $\mathcal{M}_{\text{Higgs}}(G, C) \longleftrightarrow$  A-branes on  $\mathcal{M}_{\text{Higgs}}(LG, C)$

$$B + i\omega = -\bar{z} \omega_{\mathbb{I}}$$

$$S: z \rightarrow Lz = -\frac{1}{ng} z \quad (A, B, A)$$

Analogue of cc brane for  $\theta = 0$

$$F = \text{Im } z \omega_{\mathbb{I}} \quad (\text{d.c. brane})$$

$(A, A, B)$

(doesn't solve  $(\omega^{-1}(F+B))^2 = -1$ )

$$\mathcal{M}_{\text{Higgs}}(G, C)_{\mathbb{I}} \cong \mathcal{M}_{\text{flat}}(G_{\mathbb{C}}, C)$$

$\Rightarrow$  algebra of observables on the d.c. brane is the quantization of holomorphic functions on  $\mathcal{M}_{\text{flat}}(G_{\mathbb{C}}, C) \supset$  twisted cotangent bundle on  $\text{Bun}_G(C)$

$\Rightarrow$  sheaf of diff. operators on  $\mathcal{L}_0^{-h^{\vee} - i(\text{Im } z)^{-1}}$

$$(\text{Im } z)^{-1} = \frac{e^z}{4\pi}$$

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Loop operators at  $t=0$ .

Only 1 exists

1) Wilson operators: not BRST-invariant.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} S A_\mu &= i \psi_\mu \\ S \phi_\mu &= i \tilde{\psi}_\mu \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \text{no BRST-inv. connection.}$$

2) 't Hooft operators

$$F_{ij} = \frac{\Phi}{2} \epsilon_{ijk} \frac{x^k}{r^3}$$

$$F_{4k} = \frac{P}{2} \frac{x^k}{r^3}$$

$\Rightarrow$  no 't Hooft op.

3) Reduce 4d TFT on  $S^2$ , get a 2d TFT.  
Look for branes in this 2d TFT

Surface operators do exist

