

# **Hirzebruch–Riemann–Roch in genus–0 quantum K–theory**

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## Quantum K-theory

K-theoretic genus-0 *descendant potential*:

$$\mathcal{F}_K(t) := \sum_{n,d} \frac{Q^d}{n!} \langle t(L), \dots, t(L) \rangle_{n,d}$$

The “big” J-function,  $\mathcal{J}_K(t) :=$

$$1 - q + t(q) + \sum_a \Phi_a \sum_{n,d} \frac{Q^d}{n!} \langle \frac{\Phi^a}{1 - qL}, t(L), \dots, t(L) \rangle_{n+1,d}$$

The symplectic loop space  $(\mathcal{K}, \Omega)$ ,  $\mathcal{K} := K(q, q^{-1})$ ,

$$\Omega_K(f, g) = [\text{Res}_{q=0} + \text{Res}_{q=\infty}] (f(q), g(q^{-1})) \frac{dq}{q}$$

$$\mathcal{K}_+ = K[q, q^{-1}], \quad \mathcal{K}_- = \{f \in \mathcal{K} \mid f(0) \neq \infty, f(\infty) = 0\}$$

**Proposition.**

$$\mathcal{J}_K(t) = 1 - q + t(q) + d_t \mathcal{F}_K$$

## Quantum cohomology theory

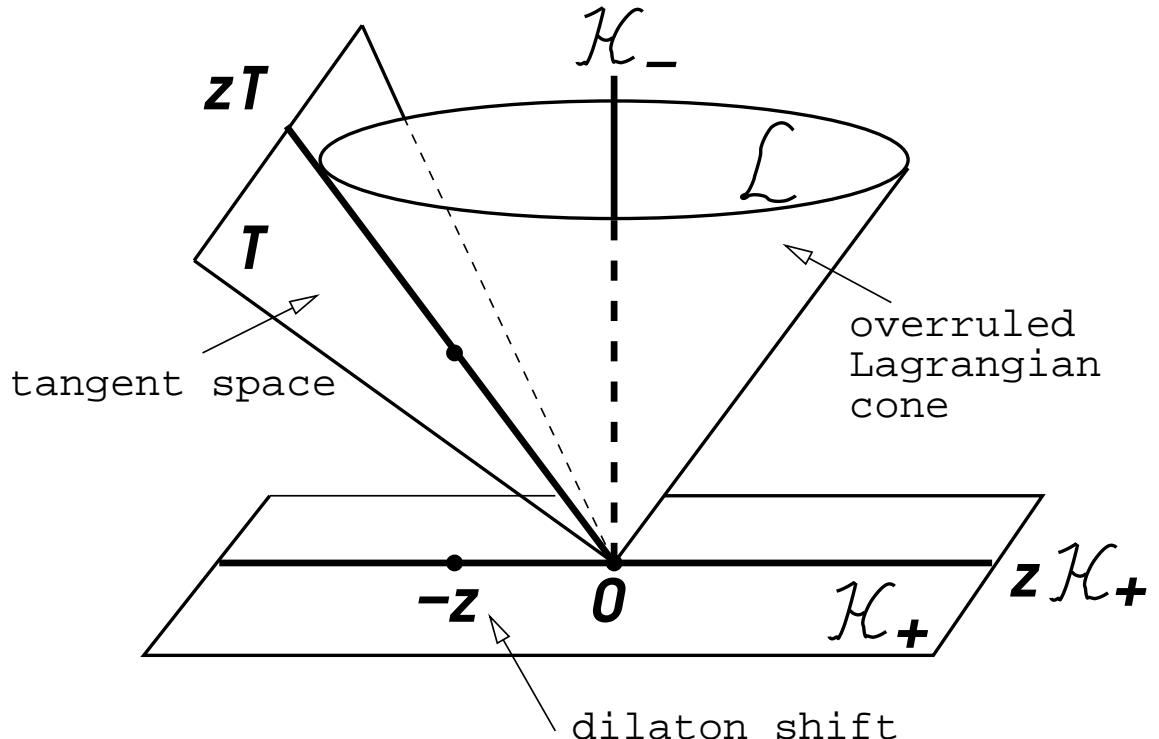
The “big” J-function  $\mathcal{J}_H(t) :=$

$$-z + t(z) + \sum_a \phi_a \sum_{n,d} \frac{Q^d}{n!} \langle \frac{\phi^a}{-z - \psi}, t(\psi), \dots, t(\psi) \rangle_{n+1,d}$$

$$\psi = c_1(L), \quad z = \log q$$

$$\mathcal{H} = H((z^{-1})), \quad \Omega_H(f, g) = \text{Res}_{z=0} (f(-z), g(z)) dz$$

## Overruled Lagrangian Cones in Symplectic Loop Spaces



In K-theory:  $\mathcal{K} \mapsto \mathcal{K}, \quad -z \mapsto 1-q$

### References:

- B. Dubrovin (1992)
- S. Barannikov (2000)
- T. Coates – A.G. (2001)
- A.G. (2003)

**Example:**  $\mathbb{C}P^{n-1}$

$$J_H = -ze^{-p\tau/z} \sum_{d=0}^{\infty} \frac{Q^d e^{d\tau}}{(p-z)^n (p-2z)^n \dots (p-dz)^n}$$

$$p^n = 0, \quad t = p\tau$$

Differential equation:  $(-z\partial_\tau)^n J_H = Qe^\tau J_H$

$$J_K = (1-q) \sum_{d=0}^{\infty} \frac{Q^d}{(1-qP)^n (1-q^2P)^n \dots (1-q^dP)^n}$$

$$q = e^z, \quad ch(P) = e^{-p}, \quad (1-P)^n = 0, \quad t = 0$$

Finite-difference equation:

$$D^n(P^{\log Q / \log q} J_K) = Q(P^{\log Q / \log q} J_K),$$

where  $(DF)(Q) = F(Q) - F(qQ)$

In K-theory:

- No analogue of the divisor equation
- No place for finite difference equations
- Lack of regular ways of computing invariants

Using Hirzebruch–Riemann–Roch theory, ***we will show that  $\mathcal{L}_K \supset \mathcal{D}J_K$ , where  $\mathcal{D}$  is the algebra of finite difference operators acting by  $(DJ)(Q) = J(Q) - PJ(qQ)$ .***

## Hirzebruch–Riemann–Roch (for manifolds)

$$\chi(M, E) := \dim H^\bullet(M, E) = \int_M \text{td}(T_M) \text{ ch}(E)$$

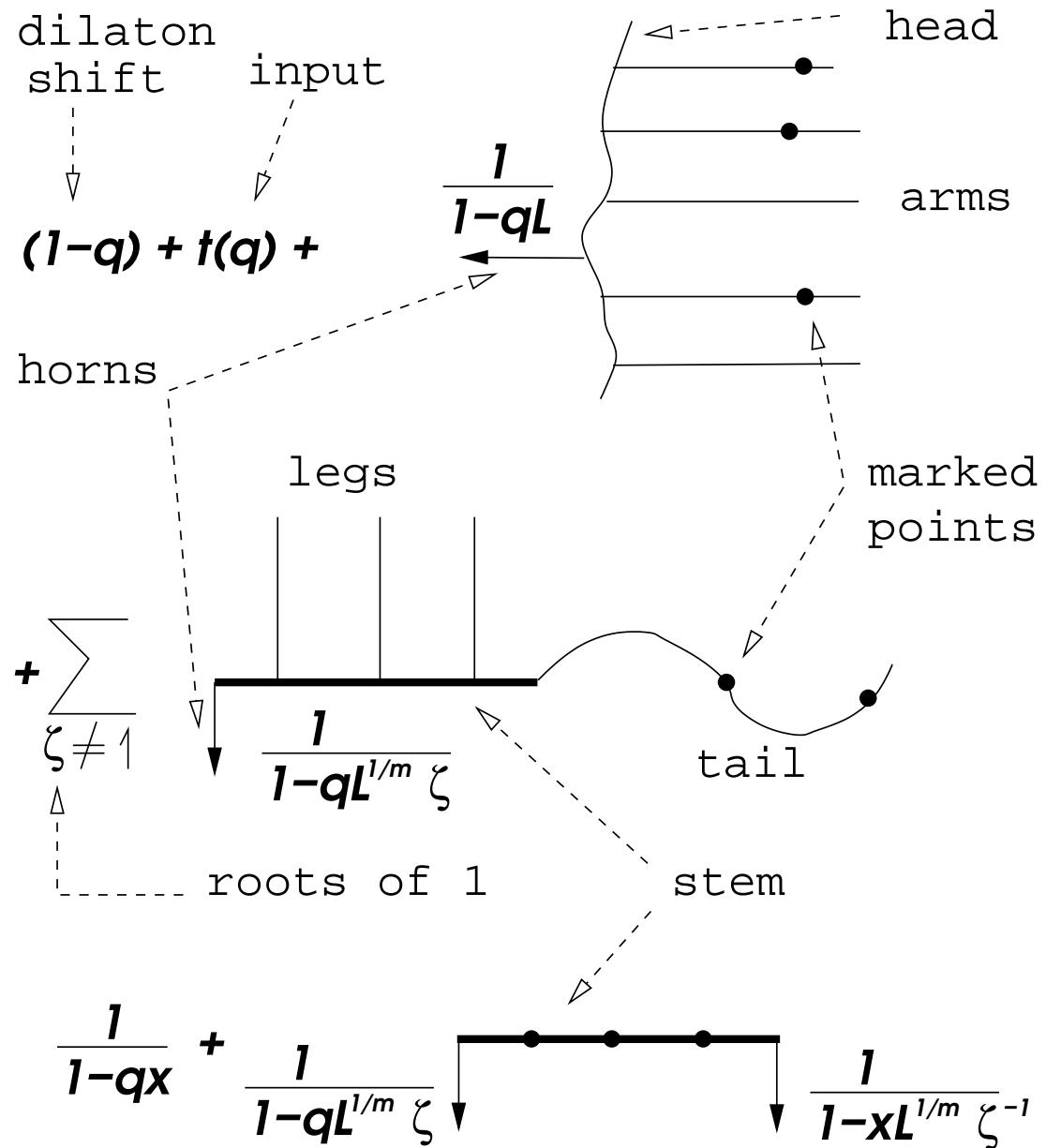
## Fake holomorphic Euler characteristics (for orbifolds)

$$\chi^{\text{fake}}(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{E}) := \int_{\mathcal{M}} \text{td}(T_{\mathcal{M}}) \text{ ch}(\mathcal{E})$$

## Kawasaki–Riemann–Roch (for orbifolds)

$$\begin{aligned} \chi(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{E}) &= \int_{I\mathcal{M}} \text{td}(T_{I\mathcal{M}}) \text{ ch} \left( \frac{I\mathcal{E}}{\text{Euler}(I\mathcal{N}^*)} \right) \\ &=: \chi^{\text{fake}} \left( I\mathcal{M}, \frac{I\mathcal{E}}{\text{Euler}(I\mathcal{N}^*)} \right) \end{aligned}$$

# Kawasaki's formula on $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0,n}^{X,d}$



## Quantum HRR (adelic version)

$$\widehat{\cdot}: \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \widehat{\mathcal{L}} = \prod_{\zeta \neq 0, \infty} \mathcal{L}^\zeta \subset \widehat{\mathcal{K}} \subset \prod_{\zeta \neq 0, \infty} \mathcal{K}^\zeta$$

$$\widehat{\Omega}(f, g) := \sum_{\zeta \neq 0, \infty} \text{Res}_{q=\zeta^{-1}}(f(q^{-1}), g(q)) \frac{dq}{q}$$

**Theorem** (A.G.–V. Tonita).

A point  $f \in \mathcal{K}$  lies in  $\mathcal{L}$  if and only if its localizations  $f^\zeta$  near  $q = \zeta^{-1}$  satisfy the following four conditions:

- (i)  $f^\zeta$  is regular unless  $\zeta$  is a root of 1;
- (ii)  $f^1 \in \mathcal{L}^{\text{fake}}$ ;
- (iii) when  $\zeta \neq 1$  is a primitive  $m$ th root of 1, then  $f^\zeta(q\zeta^{-1})$  lies in the  $\zeta$ -twisted sector of the tangent space, at a certain untwisted point  $g$ , to the overruled Lagrangian cone of the fake quantum K-theory of the orbifold  $E_m/\mathbb{Z}_m$ , where  $E_m$  is the total space of the  $\mathbb{Z}_m$ -bundle  $T_X \otimes \mathbb{C}_0[\mathbb{Z}_m]$  over  $X$ ;
- (iv) if  $f_+$ ,  $f_+^1$ , and  $g_+$  denote the projections of  $f$ ,  $f^1$ , and  $g$  to the positive spaces of respective Lagrangian polarizations, then

$$\frac{g_+(q\zeta)}{1-q} = \Psi^m \left( \frac{f_+^1(q)}{1-q} \right), \text{ provided that } f_+ = 1-q.$$

## QHRR in fake quantum K-theory

**References:**

- T. Coates – A. G. (2003) — QHRR (in complex cobordisms, for manifold target spaces)
- T. Coates – A. G. (2001) — *QRR, Lefschetz, and Serre* (manifolds)
- H. Tseng (2005) — *QRR, Lefshetz, and Serre for orbifolds*
- T. Coates – A. Corti – H. Iritani – H. Tseng (2007)

**Example: QHRR for  $\mathbb{C}P^{n-1}$  (humane form)**

Start with  $J_H(\tau) \in \mathcal{L}_H$  written by degrees:

$$J_H = -ze^{-p\tau/z} \sum_{d \geq 0} Q^d e^{d\tau} J_d(z)$$

Modify  $Q^d$ -terms:

$$\begin{aligned} Q^d &\mapsto Q^d \prod_{r=1}^d \frac{(p - rz)^n}{(1 - e^{-p+rz})^n}, \\ Q^d &\mapsto Q^{md} \prod_{r=1}^d \frac{(p - rz)^n}{(1 - e^{-mp+rmz})^n}, \\ Q^d &\mapsto Q^{md} \frac{\prod_{r=1}^d (p - rz)^n}{\prod_{r=1}^{md} (1 - \zeta^r e^{-p+rz})^n}. \end{aligned}$$

The resulting series  $h^1, h^\zeta$  and  $(-z)h$  represent points in:  $\mathcal{L}^1$ , in the untwisted sector of  $\mathcal{L}^\zeta$ , and the  $\zeta$ -twisted sector of  $zT$ , where  $T$  is the tangent space to  $\mathcal{L}^\zeta$  at  $h^\zeta$ .

Put  $P = e^{-p}$  (where  $p^n = 0$ ), and  $q = e^z$ .

Since  $J_d(z) = 1/\prod_{d=1}^r (p - rz)^n$ , we find:

$$\begin{aligned} h^1 &= (1-q)e^{-p\tau/z} \sum_{d \geq 0} \frac{Q^d e^{d\tau}}{(1-qP)^n(1-q^2P)^n \dots (1-q^dP)^n}, \\ h^\zeta &= (1-q)e^{-p\tau/z} \sum_{d \geq 0} \frac{Q^{md} e^{d\tau}}{(1-q^m P^m)^n(1-q^{2m} P^m)^n \dots (1-q^{md} P^m)^n}, \\ h(q\zeta) &= (1-q)e^{-p\tau/mz} \sum_{d \geq 0} \frac{Q^{md} e^{d\tau}}{(1-qP)^n(1-q^2P)^n \dots (1-q^{md} P)^n}. \end{aligned}$$

Take

$$J_K := (1-q) \sum_{d \geq 0} \frac{Q^d}{(1-qP)^n(1-q^2P)^n \dots (1-q^dP)^n}$$

We have:

$$(J_K)^1 = h^1|_{\tau=0}, \quad \frac{h^\zeta|_{\tau=0}}{1-q} = \Psi^m \left( \frac{h^1|_{\tau=0}}{1-q} \right).$$

Since  $J_K$  lies in  $1 - q + \mathcal{K}_-$  and has poles only at roots of 1, it satisfies (i), (ii), and (iv). To prove (iii), we use properties of overruled cones. Put

$$\Delta = \sum_{\delta=0}^{m-1} \frac{Q^\delta}{(1-qe^{mz\partial_\tau})^n(1-q^2e^{mz\partial_\tau})^n \dots (1-q^\delta e^{mz\partial_\tau})^n}.$$

and note that  $(J_K)^\zeta(q\zeta^{-1}) = [\Delta h]_{\tau=0}(q)$ . We conclude that  $J_K \in \mathcal{L}_K$ .

The same works for  $P^k J_K(q^k Q) = (e^{kz\partial_\tau} h^1)_{\tau=0}$ .