

# Categorified Crystal Bases on Localized Quantum Coordinate Rings and Cellular Crystals

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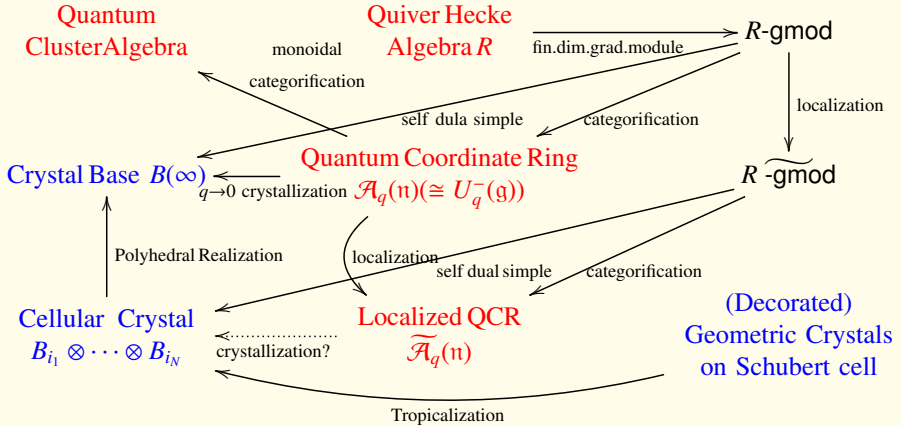
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# Introduction



## Preliminaries

- $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{n} \oplus \mathfrak{t} \oplus \mathfrak{n}_- = \langle e_i, h_i, f_i \rangle$ : Simple Lie algebra,  
 $A = (a_{ij})_{i,j \in I := \{1,2,\dots,n\}}$ : Cartan matrix for  $\mathfrak{g}$
- $\{\alpha_i : i \in I\}$ : set of simple roots,  $\{h_i : i \in I\}$ : set of simple coroots such that  $a_{ij} = \alpha_j(h_i)$ . Define the **root lattice**  $Q := \bigoplus_i \mathbb{Z}\alpha_i \supset Q_+ := \bigoplus_i \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}\alpha_i$ . For  $\beta = \alpha_{i_1} + \dots + \alpha_{i_k} \in Q_+$ , define the **height of  $\beta$**  by  $|\beta| = k$ .
- $(, )$ : symm.bilinear form on  $\mathfrak{t}^*$  s.t.  $(\alpha_i, \alpha_i) \in 2\mathbb{Z}_{>0}$  and  $\lambda(h_i) = \frac{2(\alpha_i, \lambda)}{(\alpha_i, \alpha_i)}$  for  $\lambda \in \mathfrak{t}^*$ .  
(We shall use the notation  $\langle h_i, \lambda \rangle$  for  $\lambda(h_i)$ .)
- $P := \{\lambda \in \mathfrak{t}^* \mid \langle h_i, \lambda \rangle \in \mathbb{Z} (\forall i \in I)\}$ : weight lattice  $\supset P_+$ : dominant weights
- $P^* := \{h \in \mathfrak{t} \mid \langle h, P \rangle \subset \mathbb{Z}\}$ : dual weight lattice
- $W = \langle s_i \mid i \in I \rangle$ : Weyl group ass.  $P$ .
- $U_q(\mathfrak{g}) := \langle e_i, f_i, q^h \rangle_{i \in I, h \in P^*}$ : quantum algebra/ $\mathbb{Q}(q)$
- $U_q^-(\mathfrak{g}) := \langle f_i \rangle_{i \in I}$ ,  $U_q^+(\mathfrak{g}) := \langle e_i \rangle_{i \in I}$ : nilpotent subalgebras

# Quantum coordinate ring I

(Unipotent) quantum coordinate ring  $\mathcal{A}_q(\mathfrak{n})$  is defined as a restricted dual of  $U_q^+(\mathfrak{g})$ :

$$\mathcal{A}_q(\mathfrak{n}) = \bigoplus_{\beta \in Q_-} \mathcal{A}_q(\mathfrak{n})_\beta \quad \mathcal{A}_q(\mathfrak{n})_\beta := \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Q}(q)}(U_q^+(\mathfrak{g})_{-\beta}, \mathbb{Q}(q))$$

$\exists$  Embedding of algebra  $\mathcal{A}_q(\mathfrak{n}) = \langle F_i^* \mid i \in I \rangle \hookrightarrow \mathcal{F}^*$  (=quantum shuffle algebra).  
Note that we get the isomorphism of  $\mathbb{Q}(q)$ -algebras

$$U_q^-(\mathfrak{g}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{A}_q(\mathfrak{n}) \quad (f_i \mapsto F_i^*).$$

The  $\mathbb{Z}$ -form  $\mathcal{A}(\mathfrak{n})_{\mathbb{Z}[q, q^{-1}]}$  is defined by:

$$\mathcal{A}(\mathfrak{n})_{\mathbb{Z}[q, q^{-1}]} := \{a \in \mathcal{A}(\mathfrak{n}) \mid \langle a, U_{\mathbb{Z}[q, q^{-1}]}^+(\mathfrak{g}) \rangle \subset \mathbb{Z}[q, q^{-1}]\}.$$

## Crystal Base of $U_q^-(\mathfrak{g}) \cong \mathcal{A}_q(n)$

- Define the **Kashiwara operators**  $\tilde{e}_i, \tilde{f}_i \in \text{End}_{\mathbb{Q}(q)}(U_q^-(\mathfrak{g}))$  by

$$\tilde{e}_i \left( \sum_{k=0}^l f_i^{(k)} u_k \right) = \sum_{k=1}^l f_i^{(k-1)} u_k, \quad \tilde{f}_i \left( \sum_{k=0}^l f_i^{(k)} u_k \right) = \sum_{k=0}^l f_i^{(k+1)} u_k, \quad (u_k \in \text{Ker}(e'_i) \cap U_q^-(\mathfrak{g}))$$

### Theorem (Kashiwara)

The **crystal base**  $(L(\infty), B(\infty))$  of  $U_q^-(\mathfrak{g})$  is defined by

$$L(\infty) := \sum_{k \geq 0, i_1, \dots, i_k \in I} \mathbb{A} \tilde{f}_{i_1} \cdots \tilde{f}_{i_k} u_\infty \quad (u_\infty := 1 \in U_q^-(\mathfrak{g})),$$

$(\mathbb{A} \subset \mathbb{Q}(q))$  is the local subring at  $q = 0$

$$B(\infty) = \{ \tilde{f}_{i_1} \cdots \tilde{f}_{i_k} u_\infty \bmod qL(\infty) \mid k \geq 0, i_1, \dots, i_k \in I \} \setminus \{0\},$$

$$\varepsilon_i(b) = \max\{k : \tilde{e}_i^k b \neq 0\}, \quad \varphi_i(b) = \varepsilon_i(b) + \langle h_i, \text{wt}(b) \rangle,$$

which satisfies:  $U_q^-(\mathfrak{g}) \cong \mathbb{Q}(q) \otimes_{\mathbb{A}} L(\infty)$ ,  $B(\infty)$  is a  $\mathbb{Q}$ -basis of  $L(\infty)/qL(\infty)$ ,

$\tilde{e}_i B(\infty) \subset B(\infty) \sqcup \{0\}$ ,  $\tilde{f}_i B(\infty) \subset B(\infty)$  and  $\tilde{e}_i u = v \Leftrightarrow \tilde{f}_i v = u$  for  $\forall u, v \in B(\infty)$ ,  $\forall i \in I$ .

# Crystals

A **crystal** is a combinatorial object obtained by abstracting the properties of crystal bases.

## Definition (Crystal)

A 6-tuple  $(B, \text{wt}, \{\varepsilon_i\}, \{\varphi_i\}, \{\tilde{e}_i\}, \{\tilde{f}_i\})_{i \in I}$  is a **crystal** if  $B$  is a set and  $\exists 0 \notin B$  and maps:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{wt} : B &\rightarrow P, & \varepsilon_i : B &\rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \sqcup \{-\infty\}, & \varphi_i : B &\rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \sqcup \{-\infty\} & (i \in I) \\ \tilde{e}_i : B \sqcup \{0\} &\rightarrow B \sqcup \{0\}, & \tilde{f}_i : B \sqcup \{0\} &\rightarrow B \sqcup \{0\} & (i \in I), \end{aligned}$$

satisfying :

- 1  $\varphi_i(b) = \varepsilon_i(b) + \langle h_i, \text{wt}(b) \rangle$ .
- 2 If  $b, \tilde{e}_i b \in B$ , then  $\text{wt}(\tilde{e}_i b) = \text{wt}(b) + \alpha_i$ ,  $\varepsilon_i(\tilde{e}_i b) = \varepsilon_i(b) - 1$ ,  $\varphi_i(\tilde{e}_i b) = \varphi_i(b) + 1$ .
- 3 If  $b, \tilde{f}_i b \in B$ , then  $\text{wt}(\tilde{f}_i b) = \text{wt}(b) - \alpha_i$ ,  $\varepsilon_i(\tilde{f}_i b) = \varepsilon_i(b) + 1$ ,  $\varphi_i(\tilde{f}_i b) = \varphi_i(b) - 1$ .
- 4 For  $b, b' \in B$  and  $i \in I$ , one has  $\tilde{f}_i b = b' \iff b = \tilde{e}_i b'$ .
- 5 If  $\varphi_i(b) = -\infty$  for  $b \in B$ , then  $\tilde{e}_i b = \tilde{f}_i b = 0$  and  $\tilde{e}_i(0) = \tilde{f}_i(0) = 0$ .

## Definition

For a crystal  $B$ , its **crystal graph** is an oriented  $I$ -colored graph defined by

$$b \xrightarrow{i} b' \iff \tilde{f}_i b = b'$$

## Examples of Crystals

### Example

For  $i \in I$ , set  $B_i := \{(n)_i \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$  and its crystal structure is given by

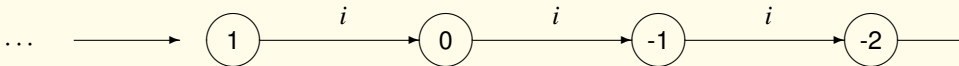
$$\text{wt}((n)_i) = n\alpha_i, \quad \varepsilon_i((n)_i) = -n, \quad \varphi_i((n)_i) = n,$$

$$\varepsilon_j((n)_i) = \varphi_j((n)_i) = -\infty \quad (i \neq j),$$

$$\tilde{e}_i((n)_i) = (n+1)_i, \quad \tilde{f}_i((n)_i) = (n-1)_i,$$

$$\tilde{e}_j((n)_i) = \tilde{f}_j((n)_i) = 0 \quad (i \neq j)$$

Crystal graph of  $B_i$ :





# Explicit Crystal Structure of $B_{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes B_{i_m}$ I

It is well-known that crystals hold a natural tensor product structure. Then, for crystals  $B_{i_1}, \dots, B_{i_m}$ , their **tensor product**  $B_{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes B_{i_m}$  is defined.

Remark. As a set  $B_{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes B_{i_m} = B_{i_1} \times \cdots \times B_{i_m}$ .

Fix a sequence of indices  $\mathbf{i} = (i_1, \dots, i_m) \in I^m$  and write

$$(x_1, \dots, x_m) := \tilde{f}_{i_1}^{x_1}(0)_{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes \tilde{f}_{i_m}^{x_m}(0)_{i_m} = (-x_1)_{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes (-x_m)_{i_m},$$

where if  $n < 0$ , then  $\tilde{f}_i^n(0)_i$  means  $\tilde{e}_i^{-n}(0)_i$ .

The crystal structure on  $B_{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes B_{i_m}$  is given by: for  $x = (x_1, \dots, x_m)$ , define

$$\sigma_k(x) := x_k + \sum_{j < k} \langle h_{i_k}, \alpha_{i_j} \rangle x_j \quad (k \in [1, m]),$$

$$\tilde{\sigma}^{(i)}(x) := \max\{\sigma_k(x) \mid 1 \leq k \leq m \text{ and } i_k = i\}, \quad (i \in I),$$

$$\tilde{M}^{(i)} = \tilde{M}^{(i)}(x) := \{k \mid 1 \leq k \leq m, i_k = i, \sigma_k(x) = \tilde{\sigma}^{(i)}(x)\} \quad (i \in I),$$

$$\tilde{m}_f^{(i)} = \tilde{m}_f^{(i)}(x) := \max \tilde{M}^{(i)}(x), \quad \tilde{m}_e^{(i)} = \tilde{m}_e^{(i)}(x) := \min \tilde{M}^{(i)}(x) \quad (i \in I).$$

Now, we have the Kashiwara operators  $\tilde{e}_i, \tilde{f}_i$  and the functions  $\varepsilon_i, \varphi_i$  and  $\text{wt}$  as

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{f}_i(x)_k &:= x_k + \delta_{k, \tilde{m}_f^{(i)}}, & \tilde{e}_i(x)_k &:= x_k - \delta_{k, \tilde{m}_e^{(i)}}, \\ \text{wt}(x) &:= - \sum_{k=1}^m x_k \alpha_{i_k}, & \varepsilon_i(x) &:= \tilde{\sigma}^{(i)}(x), & \varphi_i(x) &:= \langle h_i, \text{wt}(x) \rangle + \varepsilon_i(x). \end{aligned}$$

## Function $\beta_k$

For  $\mathbf{i} = i_1, \dots, i_m \in I^m$  and  $k \in [1, m]$ , define

$k^+ := \min(\{l \in [1, m] \mid i_k = i_l, k < l\} \sqcup \{m+1\})$ . For  $x = (x_1, \dots, x_m)$ , define

$$\beta_k(x) := \sigma_{k^+}(x) - \sigma_k(x) = x_k + \sum_{k < j < k^+} \langle h_i, \alpha_{i_j} \rangle x_j + x_{k^+} \quad (k^+ \leq m)$$

Then,  $\tilde{m}_f^{(i)}$  and  $\tilde{m}_e^{(i)}$  are determined by  $\{\beta_k(x) \mid i_k = i\}$ .

# Kashiwara embedding and Polyhedral Realization

## Theorem (Kashiwara embedding)

For the crystal  $B(\infty)$  of  $U_q^-(\mathfrak{g})$  and any  $i \in I$ ,  $\exists$  strict embedding of crystals:

$$\Psi_i : B(\infty) \hookrightarrow B(\infty) \otimes B_i, \quad u_\infty \mapsto u_\infty \otimes (0)_i.$$

Iterating these according to  $i_1, i_2, \dots, i_l$  ( $i_j \in I$ ), we obtain the embedding:

$$\Psi_{i_1, \dots, i_l} := \Psi_{i_1} \circ \dots \circ \Psi_{i_l} : B(\infty) \hookrightarrow B(\infty) \otimes B_{i_1} \otimes \dots \otimes B_{i_l}.$$

In (semi-)simple setting, for any reduced longest word  $\mathbf{i} = i_1 \cdots i_N$ , we obtain ([N2])

$$\Psi_{\mathbf{i}} : B(\infty) \hookrightarrow u_\infty \otimes B_{i_1} \otimes \dots \otimes B_{i_N} \cong \mathbb{Z}^N \quad (N := \text{length}(w_0))$$

## Polyhedral Realization [N-Zelevinsky]

The image  $\text{Im}(\Psi_{\mathbf{i}}) \cong B(\infty)$  is described by “polyhedral realization” method.

## Example

$A_2$ -case: for  $\mathbf{i} = 121$ ,  $B(\infty) \cong \text{Im}(\Psi_{121}) = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{Z}^3 \mid 0 \leq x \leq y, z \geq 0\}$ .

## Braid-type isomorphisms

### Proposition (Braid-type isomorphisms [N1])

There exist the following isomorphisms of crystals  $\phi_{ij}^{(k)}$  ( $k = 0, 1, 2, 3$ ):

$$\phi_{ij}^{(0)} : B_i \otimes B_j \xrightarrow{\sim} B_j \otimes B_i, \quad a_{ij}a_{ji} = 0,$$

$$\phi_{ij}^{(1)} : B_i \otimes B_j \otimes B_i \xrightarrow{\sim} B_j \otimes B_i \otimes B_j, \quad a_{ij}a_{ji} = 1,$$

$$\phi_{ij}^{(2)} : B_i \otimes B_j \otimes B_i \otimes B_j \xrightarrow{\sim} B_j \otimes B_i \otimes B_j \otimes B_i, \quad a_{ij}a_{ji} = 2,$$

$$\phi_{ij}^{(3)} : (B_i \otimes B_j)^{\otimes 3} \xrightarrow{\sim} (B_j \otimes B_i)^{\otimes 3}, \quad a_{ij}a_{ji} = 3.$$

They also satisfy  $\phi_{ij}^{(k)} \circ \phi_{ji}^{(k)} = \text{id}$ .

For any  $w \in W$  and its reduced words  $i_1 \cdots i_l$  and  $j_1 \cdots j_l$ ,

$$B_{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes B_{i_l} \cong B_{j_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes B_{j_l}$$

## Cellular Crystal $\mathbb{B}_{\mathbf{i}} = \mathbb{B}_{i_1 i_2 \dots i_k} = B_{i_1} \otimes \dots \otimes B_{i_k}$

For a reduced word  $\mathbf{i} = i_1 i_2 \dots i_k$ , we call the crystal  $\mathbb{B}_{\mathbf{i}} := B_{i_1} \otimes \dots \otimes B_{i_k}$  a **cellular crystal** associated with  $\mathbf{i}$ . Indeed, it is obtained by the tropicalization from the positive geometric crystal on the Langlands dual **Schubert cell**  $X_w^\vee$  ( $w = s_{i_1} \dots s_{i_k}$ ).

### Theorem ([Kanakubo-N])

For any simple Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  and any reduced word  $i_1 i_2 \dots i_k$ ,  
the cellular crystal  $\mathbb{B}_{i_1 i_2 \dots i_k} = B_{i_1} \otimes B_{i_2} \otimes \dots \otimes B_{i_k}$  is connected (as a crystal graph).

$N = l(w_0)$  : the length of the longest element. For  $\forall k \leq N$ ,

$$\mathbb{B}_{i_1 i_2 \dots i_N} \text{ is connected} \implies \mathbb{B}_{i_1 i_2 \dots i_k} \text{ is connected}$$

since  $B_1 \otimes B_2$  is connected  $\implies$  both  $B_1$  and  $B_2$  are connected.

## Cellular Crystal $\mathbb{B}_i$ – Subspace $\mathcal{H}_i$

Fix a longest reduced word  $\mathbf{i} = i_1 \cdots i_N$  and take the function  $\beta_k$  as above:

$$\beta_k(x) = x_k + \sum_{k < j < k^+} \langle h_{i_k} \alpha_{i_j} \rangle x_j + x_{k^+} \quad (1 \leq k \leq N)$$

Now, we define  $\mathcal{H}_i \subset \mathbb{Z}^N$ , which is the key object for this talk.

$$\mathcal{H}_i := \{x \in \mathbb{Z}^N (= \mathbb{B}_i) \mid \beta_k(x) = 0 (\forall k \text{ s.t. } k^+ \leq N)\} \subset \mathbb{B}_i$$

### Proposition (Kanakubo-N)

For  $\mathbf{i} = i_1 i_2 \cdots i_N$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots, N$  and a fundamental weight  $\Lambda_i$ , we define

$$h_i^{(k)} := \langle h_{i_k}, s_{i_{k+1}} \cdots s_{i_N} \Lambda_i \rangle, \quad \mathbf{h}_i := (h_i^{(1)}, h_i^{(2)}, \dots, h_i^{(N)}) \in \mathbb{B}_i$$

$$\implies \mathcal{H}_i = \mathbb{Z}\mathbf{h}_1 \oplus \mathbb{Z}\mathbf{h}_2 \oplus \cdots \oplus \mathbb{Z}\mathbf{h}_n$$

By the fact that  $B(\infty)$  is connected and  $B(\infty) \subset \mathbb{B}_i = \mathbb{Z}^N$  ( $\forall i$ ), we obtain

### Lemma (Kanakubo-N, N3)

For  $h \in \mathcal{H}_i$ , define

$$B^h(\infty) := \{x + h \in \mathbb{Z}^N = \mathbb{B}_i \mid x \in B(\infty)\}.$$

① For any  $x + h \in B^h(\infty)$  and  $i \in I$ , we obtain

$$\tilde{e}_i(x + h) = \tilde{e}_i(x) + h, \quad \tilde{f}_i(x + h) = \tilde{f}_i(x) + h,$$

and then  $B^h(\infty)$  is connected.

② For any  $h \in \mathcal{H}_i$ , we have  $B(\infty) \cap B^h(\infty) \neq \emptyset$ .

③

$$\mathbb{B}_i = \bigcup_{h \in \mathcal{H}_i} B^h(\infty)$$

By this lemma, we can show that  $\mathbb{B}_i$  is connected.

# Quiver Hecke Algebra I

For a finite index set  $I$  and a field  $\mathbf{k}$ , let  $(Q_{i,j}(u, v))_{i,j \in I} \subset \mathbf{k}[u, v]$  be polynomials satisfying:  $Q_{i,j}(u, v) = Q_{j,i}(v, u)$ ,  $Q_{i,i}(u, v) = 0$  for any  $i, j \in I$  and some other conditions. For  $\beta = \sum_i m_i \alpha_i \in Q_+$  with  $|\beta| := \sum_i m_i = m$ .

## Definition

For  $\beta \in Q_+$ , the **quiver Hecke algebra**  $R(\beta)$  associated with a Cartan matrix  $A = (a_{ij})_{i,j=1,2,\dots,n}$  and polynomials  $(Q_{ij}(u, v))_{i,j \in I}$  is the algebra generated by

$$\{e(\mathbf{v}) | \mathbf{v} \in I^\beta := \{((v_1, \dots, v_m) \mid \sum_{k=1}^m \alpha_{v_k} = \beta)\}, \quad \{x_k | 1 \leq k \leq n\}, \quad \{\tau_i | 1 \leq i \leq n-1\}$$

with the relations:

$$e(\mathbf{v})e(\mathbf{v}') = \delta_{\mathbf{v},\mathbf{v}'} e(\mathbf{v}), \quad \sum_{\mathbf{v} \in I^\beta} e(\mathbf{v}) = 1, \quad e(\mathbf{v})x_k = x_k e(\mathbf{v}), \quad x_k x_l = x_l x_k, \\ \tau_l e(\mathbf{v}) = e(s_l(\mathbf{v}))\tau_l, \quad \tau_k \tau_l = \tau_l \tau_k \text{ if } |k - l| > 1,$$



## Quiver Hecke Algebra II

$$\tau_k^2 e(v) = Q_{v_k, v_{k+1}}(x_k, x_{k+1})e(v),$$

$$(\tau_k x_l - x_{s_k(l)} \tau_k) e(v) = \begin{cases} -e(v) & \text{if } l = k, v_k = v_{k+1}, \\ e(v) & \text{if } l = k + 1, v_k = v_{k+1}, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

$$(\tau_{k+1} \tau_k \tau_{k+1} - \tau_k \tau_{k+1} \tau_k) e(v) = \begin{cases} \bar{Q}_{v_k, v_{k+1}}(x_k, x_{k+1}, x_{k+2})e(v) & \text{if } v_k = v_{k+2}, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

where  $\bar{Q}_{i,j}(u, v, w) = \frac{Q_{i,j}(u,v) - Q_{i,j}(w,v)}{u-w} \in \mathbf{k}[u, v, w]$  and set  $R := \bigoplus_{\beta \in Q_+} R(\beta)$ .

### Grading

The relations above are homogeneous if we define

$$\deg(e(v)) = 0, \quad \deg(x_k e(v)) = (\alpha_{v_k}, \alpha_{v_k}), \quad \deg(\tau_l e(v)) = -(\alpha_{v_l}, \alpha_{v_{l+1}}).$$

Thus,  $R(\beta)$  becomes a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -graded algebra. Here we define the weight of  $R(\beta)$ -module  $M$  as  $\text{wt}(M) = -\beta$ .

# R-modules I

## R-modules

- 1 Define a *grading shift functor*  $q$  on a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -graded  $R(\beta)$ -module  $M = \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} M_k$  by:

$$qM := \bigoplus_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} (qM)_k, \quad \text{where } (qM)_k = M_{k-1}.$$

- 2 For  $M \in R(\beta)\text{-Mod}$  and  $N \in R(\beta')\text{-Mod}$ , define the *convolution product* by

$$M \circ N := R(\beta + \beta')e(\beta, \beta') \otimes_{R(\beta) \otimes R(\beta')} (M \otimes N) \quad (e(\beta, \beta') := \sum_{v \in I^\beta, v' \in I^{\beta'}} e(v, v'))$$

- 3  $M \nabla N := \text{hd}(M \circ N)$  (**head**),  $M \Delta N := \text{soc}(M \circ N)$  (**socle**), where the head of a module is the quotient by its radical and the socle of a module is the summation of all its simple submodules.
- 4 A simple  $R$ -module  $M$  is *real*  $\iff M \circ M$  is simple.
- 5 If  $M \cong M^*$ , we say  $M$  is *self-dual*.

## Categorification of $U_q^-(\mathfrak{g})$ and $\mathcal{A}_q(\mathfrak{n})$

$R(\beta)$ -gmod: Category of finite-dimensional graded  $R(\beta)$ -modules

$R(\beta)$ -gproj: Category of finitely generated graded projective  $R(\beta)$ -modules

\* N.B. These categories are **monoidal categories** by the convolution product.

### Theorem ([Khovanov-Lauda, Rouquier])

Let  $\mathcal{K}(R\text{-gmod})$  (resp.  $\mathcal{K}(R\text{-gproj})$ ) be the Grothendieck ring of the monoidal category  $R\text{-gmod}$  (resp.  $R\text{-gproj}$ ). Then we obtain

$$\mathcal{K}(R\text{-gproj}) \cong U_q^-(\mathfrak{g})_{\mathbb{Z}}, \quad \mathcal{K}(R\text{-gmod}) \cong \mathcal{A}_q(\mathfrak{n})_{\mathbb{Z}}$$

Define the functors

$$E_i : R(\beta)\text{-gmod} \rightarrow R(\beta - \alpha_i)\text{-gmod} \text{ by } E_i(M) := e(\alpha_i, \beta - \alpha_i)M$$

$$F_i : R(\beta)\text{-gmod} \rightarrow R(\beta + \alpha_i)\text{-gmod} \text{ by } F_i(M) = L(i) \circ M,$$

where  $e(\alpha_i, \beta - \alpha_i) := \sum_{\nu \in I^\beta, \nu_1 = i} e(\nu)$  and  $L(i)$  is a 1-dim. simple  $R(\alpha_i)$ -module. They satisfy e.g.,  $E_i F_i = q_i^{-2} F_i E_i + \text{id}$  ( **$q$ -boson relation**) and  **$q$ -Serre relations**.

## Categorification of $B(\infty)$ by Lauda and Vazirani

For a simple module  $M \in R(\beta)\text{-gmod}$ , define

$$\text{wt}(M) = -\beta,$$

$$\varepsilon_i(M) = \max\{n \in \mathbb{Z} \mid E_i^n M \neq 0\}, \quad \varphi_i(M) = \varepsilon_i(M) + \langle h_i, \text{wt}(M) \rangle,$$

$$\widetilde{E}_i M := q_i^{1-\varepsilon_i(M)} \text{soc}(E_i M) \cong q_i^{\varepsilon_i(M)-1} \text{hd}(E_i M) \quad (q_i := q^{\frac{\langle \alpha_i, \alpha_i \rangle}{2}}),$$

$$\widetilde{F}_i M := q_i^{\varepsilon_i(M)} \text{hd}(F_i M).$$

Set  $\mathbb{B}(R\text{-gmod}) := \{S \mid S \text{ is a self-dual simple module in } R\text{-gmod}\}$

### Theorem (Lauda-Vazirani)

The 6-tuple,  $(\mathbb{B}(R\text{-gmod}), \{\widetilde{E}_i\}, \{\widetilde{F}_i\}, \text{wt}, \{\varepsilon_i\}, \{\varphi_i\})$  holds a crystal structure and there exists the following isomorphism of crystals:

$$\Psi : \mathbb{B}(R\text{-gmod}) \xrightarrow{\sim} B(\infty)$$

# Braiders and Real Commuting Family I

Let  $\Lambda$  be  $\mathbb{Z}$ -lattice and  $\mathcal{T} = \bigoplus_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \mathcal{T}_\lambda$  be a  $\mathbf{k}$ -linear  $\Lambda$ -graded monoidal category with  $1 \in \mathcal{T}_0$  and the bifunctor  $\circ : \mathcal{T}_\lambda \times \mathcal{T}_\mu \rightarrow \mathcal{T}_{\lambda+\mu}$ . (Later  $\Lambda$  will be the root lattice  $Q$ )

## Definition ([KKOP])

$q$ : grading shift functor on  $\mathcal{T}$ . A **graded braider** is a triple  $(C, R_C, \phi)$ , where  $C \in \mathcal{T}$ ,  $\mathbb{Z}$ -linear map  $\phi : \Lambda \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$  and a morphism:

$$R_C : C \circ X \rightarrow q^{\phi(\lambda)} X \circ C \quad (X \in \mathcal{T}_\lambda),$$

which is functorial in  $X$  and satisfying the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 C \circ X \circ Y & \xrightarrow{R_C(X \circ Y)} & q^{\phi(\lambda)} X \circ C \circ Y & (X \in \mathcal{T}_\lambda, Y \in \mathcal{T}_\mu) \\
 & \searrow^{R_C(X \circ Y)} & \downarrow^{X \circ R_C(Y)} & \\
 & & q^{\phi(\lambda+\mu)} (X \circ Y) \circ C & 
 \end{array}$$

## Braiders and Real Commuting Family II

Let  $I$  be an index set and  $\Gamma := \bigoplus_{i \in I} \mathbb{Z}e_i$  and  $\Gamma_+ := \bigoplus_{i \in I} \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}e_i$ . (Later  $\Gamma$  will be the weight lattice  $P$  and  $\Gamma_+$  be the set of dominant weights  $P_+$ .)

### Definition ([KKOP])

We say  $(C_i, R_{C_i}, \phi_i)_{i \in I}$  a **real commuting family of graded braiders** in  $\mathcal{T}$  if

- 1  $C_i \in \mathcal{T}_{\lambda_i}$  for some  $\lambda_i \in \Lambda$ , and  $\phi_i(\lambda_i) = 0$ ,  $\phi_i(\lambda_j) + \phi_j(\lambda_i) = 0$  ( $i, j \in I$ ).
- 2  $R_{C_i}(C_i) \in \mathbf{k}^\times \text{id}_{C_i \circ C_i}$  ( $i \in I$ ),  $R_{C_i}(C_j) \circ R_{C_j}(C_i) \in \mathbf{k}^\times \text{id}_{C_i \circ C_j}$  ( $i, j \in I$ ).  
(Note:  $R_{C_i}(C_j)$ 's satisfy the "Yang-Baxter equation" on  $C_i \circ C_j \circ C_k$ .)

### Lemma ([KKOP])

For a real commuting family  $(C_i, R_{C_i}, \phi_i)_{i \in I}$ ,  $\exists$  bilinear map  $H : \Gamma \times \Gamma \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$  such that  $\phi_i(\lambda_j) = H(e_i, e_j) - H(e_j, e_i)$  and there exist

- 1 an object  $C^\alpha$  for any  $\alpha \in \Gamma_+$ .
- 2 an isomorphism  $\xi_{\alpha, \beta} : C^\alpha \circ C^\beta \xrightarrow{\sim} q^{H(\alpha, \beta)} C^{\alpha + \beta}$  for any  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma_+$

such that  $C^0 = 1$  and  $C^{e_i} = C_i$  and satisfying some commutative diagrams.

## Localization I

Let  $(C_i, R_{C_i}, \phi_i)_{i \in I}$  be a real commuting family in  $\mathcal{T}$  and  $\{C^\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Gamma_+}$  be objects as in the previous lemma. We define a partial order  $\leq$  on  $\Gamma$  by

$$\alpha \leq \beta \iff \beta - \alpha \in \Gamma_+$$

For  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots \in \Gamma$ , define

$$\mathcal{D}_{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots} := \{\delta \in \Gamma \mid \alpha_i + \delta \in \Gamma_+ \ \forall i = 1, 2, \dots\}$$

For  $(X, \alpha), (Y, \beta) \in \text{Ob}(\mathcal{T}) \times \Gamma$  ( $X \in \mathcal{T}_\lambda, Y \in \mathcal{T}_\mu, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ ) and  $\delta \in \mathcal{D}_{\alpha, \beta}$ , set

$$H_\delta((X, \alpha), (Y, \beta)) := \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{T}}(C^{\delta+\alpha} \circ X, q^{H(\delta, \beta-\alpha)+\phi(\delta+\beta, \mu)} Y \circ C^{\beta+\delta}),$$

where  $\phi : \Gamma \times \Lambda \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$  ( $e_i, \lambda \mapsto \phi_i(\lambda)$ ). For  $\delta \leq \delta'$  define the map

$$\zeta_{\delta, \delta'} : H_\delta((X, \alpha), (Y, \beta)) \rightarrow H_{\delta'}((X, \alpha), (Y, \beta))$$

by some proper way.

## Localization II

### Lemma ([KKOP])

In the setting above, we obtain

$$\zeta_{\delta,\delta'} \circ \zeta_{\delta',\delta''} = \zeta_{\delta,\delta''} \text{ for } \delta \leq \delta' \leq \delta''$$

and then we find that  $\{H_\delta((X, \alpha), (Y, \beta))\}_{\delta \in \mathcal{D}_{\alpha,\beta}}$  becomes an *inductive system*.

### Definition (Localization [KKOP])

We define the **localization** of monoid.cat.  $\mathcal{T}$  denoted by  $\widetilde{\mathcal{T}}$  or  $\mathcal{T}[C_i^{\circ-1} \mid i \in I]$ :

$$\text{Ob}(\widetilde{\mathcal{T}}) := \text{Ob}(\mathcal{T}) \times \Gamma,$$

$$\text{Hom}_{\widetilde{\mathcal{T}}}((X, \alpha), (Y, \beta)) := \varinjlim_{\delta \in \mathcal{D}(\alpha,\beta), \lambda+L(\alpha)=\mu+L(\beta)} H_\delta((X, \alpha), (Y, \beta)),$$

$$(X, \alpha) \circ (Y, \beta) := (q^{-\phi(\beta,\lambda)+H(\alpha,\beta)}(X \circ Y), \alpha + \beta),$$

where  $X \in \mathcal{T}_\lambda$ ,  $Y \in \mathcal{T}_\mu$  and  $L : \Gamma \rightarrow \Lambda$  ( $e_i \mapsto \lambda_i$ )



## Localization III

### Theorem ([KKOP])

$\widetilde{\mathcal{T}}$  becomes a monoidal category. Moreover, there exists an **exact monoidal functor**  $\Upsilon : \mathcal{T} \rightarrow \widetilde{\mathcal{T}}$  with certain **universality** s.t.

- 1  $\Upsilon(C_i)$  is **invertible** ( $\Leftrightarrow X \mapsto X \circ \Upsilon(C_i)$  and  $X \mapsto \Upsilon(C_i) \circ X$  are equiv. of cat.)
- 2  $\forall i \in I$  and  $\forall X \in \mathcal{T}$ ,  $\Upsilon(R_{C_i}(X)) : \Upsilon(C_i \circ X) \rightarrow \Upsilon(X \circ C_i)$  is an isomorphism.

### Proposition ([KKOP])

Under the setting above, we obtain

- 1  $(X, \alpha + \beta) \cong q^{-H(\beta, \alpha)}(C^\alpha \circ X, \beta)$ ,  $(1, \beta) \circ (1, -\beta) \cong q^{-H(\beta, \beta)}(1, 0)$  for  $\alpha \in \Gamma_+$ ,  $\beta \in \Gamma$  and  $X \in \widetilde{\mathcal{T}}$ .
- 2  $\mathcal{T}$  is an abelian category  $\implies$  so is  $\widetilde{\mathcal{T}}$ .
- 3 If the functor  $- \circ Y$  and  $Y \circ -$  are exact for any  $Y$  in  $\mathcal{T}$ , then the functors  $\widetilde{\mathcal{T}} \rightarrow \widetilde{\mathcal{T}}$  ( $X \mapsto X \circ Y$  (resp.  $X \rightarrow Y \circ X$ )) are exact for any  $Y$  in  $\widetilde{\mathcal{T}}$ .

## Determinantal Modules

Let us find "real commuting family of graded braidings" in  $R\text{-gmod}$ . Let

$L(i^n) := q_i^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} L(i)^{\text{on}}$  be a simple  $R(n\alpha_i)$ -module satisfying  $\text{qdim}(L(i^n)) = [n]_i!$ .

### Definition

For  $M \in R\text{-gmod}$ , define

$$\widetilde{F}_i^n(M) := L(i^n) \nabla M.$$

For a Weyl group element  $w$ , let  $s_{i_1} \cdots s_{i_l}$  be its reduced expression.

For  $\Lambda \in P_+$  and  $w$ , set

$$m_k := \langle h_{i_k}, s_{i_{k+1}} \cdots s_{i_l} \Lambda \rangle \quad (k = 1, \dots, l).$$

We define the **determinantal module** associated with  $w$  and  $\Lambda$  by

$$\mathbf{M}(w\Lambda, \Lambda) := \widetilde{F}_{i_1}^{m_1} \cdots \widetilde{F}_{i_l}^{m_l} \mathbf{1},$$

which does not depend on the choice of  $i_1 \dots i_l$ .

# Localization $R\text{-gmod}$ I

## Definition (KKOP)

$M$ : simple  $R$ -module. A graded braider  $(M, R_M, \phi)$  is **non-degenerate** if  $R_M(L(i)) : M \circ L(i) \rightarrow q^{\phi(\alpha_i)} L(i) \circ M$  is non-zero.

Set  $C_\Lambda := \mathbf{M}(w_0\Lambda, \Lambda)$ . In particular, for  $i \in I$  set  $C_i = C_{\Lambda_i}$ . Then we obtain

## Theorem ([KKOP])

Define the function  $\phi_{C_i} : Q \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$  by  $\phi_{C_i}(\beta) := -(\beta, w_0\Lambda_i + \Lambda_i)$   
 $\implies \exists \{(C_i, R_{C_i}, \phi_{C_i})\}_{i \in I}$  a **non-deg. real comm. family of graded braidings in  $R\text{-gmod}$** .  
Take  $\Gamma = P$  and  $\Gamma_+ = P_+$ . Then, we obtain the localization of  $R\text{-gmod}$

$$R\widetilde{\text{gmod}} := R\text{-gmod}[C_i^{\circ-1} \mid i \in I]$$

by  $\{(C_i, R_{C_i}, \phi_{C_i})\}_{i \in I}$ .

Its Grothendieck ring  $\mathcal{K}(R\widetilde{\text{gmod}})$  defines the **localized quantum coordinate ring**  $\mathcal{A}_q(\mathfrak{n}) := \mathbb{Q}(q) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}[q, q^{-1}]} \mathcal{K}(R\widetilde{\text{gmod}})$ .

## Localization $R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}$ II

### Proposition (KKOP)

We get  $\mathcal{K}(R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}) \cong \mathcal{S}^{-1}\mathcal{K}(R\text{-gmod}) =$  the left ring of quotients of the ring  $\mathcal{K}(R\text{-gmod}) (\cong \mathcal{A}_q(n)_{\mathbb{Z}[q, q^{-1}]})$  with respect to the multiplicative set  $\mathcal{S} := \{q^k \prod_{i \in I} [C_i]^{a_i} \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}, (a_i)_{i \in I} \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}^I\}$

### Proposition (KKOP)

Let  $\Phi : R\text{-gmod} \rightarrow R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}$  be the canonical functor. Then,

- ①  $R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}$  is an abelian category and the functor  $\Phi$  is exact.
- ②  $\widetilde{C}_i := \Phi(C_i)$  ( $i \in I$ ) is invertible central graded braider in  $R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}$ .
- ③  $S \in R\text{-gmod}$  is simple  $\implies \Phi(S)$  is simple in  $R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}$ .

For  $\nu \in P$ , define  $\widetilde{C}_\nu$  by  $\widetilde{C}_{\lambda+\mu} = \widetilde{C}_\lambda \circ \widetilde{C}_\mu$  (up to grading) and  $\widetilde{C}_{-\Lambda_i} = C_i^{\circ-1}$

- ④ For  $\forall$  simple  $M \in R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}$ , simple  $\exists S \in R\text{-gmod}$  and  $\exists \Lambda \in P$  s.t.  $M \cong \widetilde{C}_\Lambda \circ \Phi(S)$  (not necessarily unique).

# Crystal Structure on $R\text{-}\widetilde{\mathfrak{gmod}}$ I

## Lemma ([KOPP])

For  $\forall$  simple  $M \in R\text{-}\widetilde{\mathfrak{gmod}}$ ,  $\exists!$   $n \in \mathbb{Z}$  s.t.  $q^n M$  is self-dual simple, denoted by  $\delta(M)$ .

For a simple object  $\widetilde{C}_\Lambda \circ \Phi(S) \in R\text{-}\widetilde{\mathfrak{gmod}}$  we write simply  $C_\Lambda \circ S$ .  
Set  $\mathbb{B}(R\text{-}\widetilde{\mathfrak{gmod}}) := \{S \mid S \text{ is a self-dual simple module in } R\text{-}\widetilde{\mathfrak{gmod}}\}$

## The actions of the Kashiwara operators [N3]

Define the Kashiwara operators  $\widetilde{F}_i$  and  $\widetilde{E}_i$  ( $i \in I$ ) on  $\mathbb{B}(R\text{-}\widetilde{\mathfrak{gmod}})$  :

$$\begin{aligned} \widetilde{F}_i(C_\Lambda \circ S) &= q^{\delta(C_\Lambda \circ \widetilde{F}_i S)} C_\Lambda \circ \widetilde{F}_i S, \\ \widetilde{E}_i(C_\Lambda \circ S) &= \begin{cases} q^{\delta(C_\Lambda \circ \widetilde{E}_i S)} C_\Lambda \circ \widetilde{E}_i S & \text{if } E_i S \neq 0, \\ q^{\delta(C_{\Lambda-\Lambda_{i^*}} \circ (\widetilde{E}_i C_{\Lambda_{i^*}} \circ S))} C_{\Lambda-\Lambda_{i^*}} \circ (\widetilde{E}_i C_{\Lambda_{i^*}} \circ S) & \text{if } E_i S = 0, \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

where  $\delta$  is given in the above lemma and  $i^* \in I$  is the index satisfying  $\Lambda_{i^*} = -w_0 \Lambda_i$ .

## Crystal Structure on $R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}$ II

Crystal structure:  $\varepsilon_i$  and  $\text{wt}$  [N3]

Let  $\Psi : \mathbb{B}(R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}) \xrightarrow{\sim} B(\infty)$  (Lauda-Vazirani). For  $C_\Lambda \circ S \in \mathbb{B}(R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}})$ , define

$$\text{wt}(C_\Lambda \circ S) = \text{wt}(\Psi(S)) + w_0\Lambda - \Lambda,$$

$$\varepsilon_i(C_\Lambda \circ S) = \varepsilon_i(\Psi(S)) - \langle h_i, w_0\Lambda \rangle,$$

$$\varphi_i(C_\Lambda \circ S) = \varepsilon_i(\Psi(C_\Lambda \circ S)) + \langle h_i, \text{wt}(C_\Lambda \circ S) \rangle.$$

### Theorem ([N3])

The 6-tuple  $(\mathbb{B}(R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}), \text{wt}, \{\varepsilon_i\}, \{\varphi_i\}, \{\widetilde{E}_i\}, \{\widetilde{F}_i\})_{i \in I}$  is a crystal.

Indeed, we should show that well-definedness, i.e., all data do not depend on the presentation  $C_\Lambda \circ S \cong C_{\Lambda'} \circ S'$  and for  $b = C_\Lambda \circ S$ ,

$$\widetilde{E}_i \widetilde{F}_i b = \widetilde{F}_i \widetilde{E}_i b = b,$$

$$\varepsilon_i(\widetilde{F}_i(b)) = \varepsilon_i(b) + 1, \quad \varepsilon_i(\widetilde{E}_i(b)) = \varepsilon_i(b) - 1,$$

$$\text{wt}(\widetilde{E}_i b) = \text{wt}(b) + \alpha_i, \quad \text{wt}(\widetilde{F}_i b) = \text{wt}(b) - \alpha_i.$$

# Cellular Crystal $\mathbb{B}_i$ and $\widetilde{\mathbb{B}}(R\text{-gmod})$ I

As we have seen above that the set  $\mathcal{H}_i \subset \mathbb{B}_i$  is presented by

$$\mathcal{H}_i = \bigoplus_{i \in I} \mathbb{Z} \mathbf{h}_i, \quad \mathbf{h}_i = ((h_i^{(k)} := \langle h_{i_k}, s_{i_{k+1}} \cdots s_{i_N} \Lambda_i \rangle))_{k=1, \dots, N}$$

For  $\Lambda \in P_+$  set  $m_k := \langle h_{i_k}, s_{i_{k+1}} \cdots s_{i_N} \Lambda \rangle$  we get

## Lemma ([N3])

For any reduced longest word  $\mathbf{i} = i_1 i_2 \cdots i_N$  and  $\Lambda \in P_+$ , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{f}_{i_1}^{m_1} \tilde{f}_{i_2}^{m_2} \cdots \tilde{f}_{i_N}^{m_N} ((0)_{i_1} \otimes (0)_{i_2} \otimes \cdots \otimes (0)_{i_N}) &= \tilde{f}_{i_1}^{m_1} (0)_{i_1} \otimes \tilde{f}_{i_2}^{m_2} (0)_{i_2} \otimes \cdots \otimes \tilde{f}_{i_N}^{m_N} (0)_{i_N} \\ &= (m_1, m_2, \dots, m_N) =: \mathbf{h}_\Lambda \in \mathcal{H}_i, \end{aligned}$$

where note that for  $\Lambda = \Lambda_i$ , one has  $m_k = h_i^{(k)}$ . Then in this case we obtain

$$\tilde{f}_{i_1}^{m_1} \tilde{f}_{i_2}^{m_2} \cdots \tilde{f}_{i_N}^{m_N} ((0)_{i_1} \otimes (0)_{i_2} \otimes \cdots \otimes (0)_{i_N}) = \mathbf{h}_i$$

# Cellular Crystal $\mathbb{B}_i$ and $\mathbb{B}(R\text{-gmod})$ II

Observation: Determinantal modules  $\{C_\Lambda = \mathbf{M}(w_0\Lambda, \Lambda)\} \longleftrightarrow \mathcal{H}_i$

$$\{C_\Lambda \mid \Lambda \in P_+\} \subset R\text{-gmod} \longleftrightarrow \mathcal{H}_i$$

$$C_\Lambda = \widetilde{F}_{i_1}^{m_1} \cdots \widetilde{F}_{i_N}^{m_N} \mathbf{1} \longleftrightarrow \mathbf{h}_\Lambda = \widetilde{f}_{i_1}^{m_1} \widetilde{f}_{i_2}^{m_2} \cdots \widetilde{f}_{i_N}^{m_N} ((0)_{i_1} \otimes (0)_{i_2} \otimes \cdots \otimes (0)_{i_N})$$

## Theorem ([N3])

For any reduced longest word  $\mathbf{i} = i_1 i_2 \cdots i_N$ ,  $\exists$  isomorphism of crystals:

$$\widetilde{\Psi} : \mathbb{B}(R\text{-gmod}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{B}_i = \bigcup_{h \in \mathcal{H}_i} B^h(\infty)$$

$$C_\Lambda \circ S \mapsto \mathbf{h}_\Lambda + \Psi(S) \in B^{\mathbf{h}_\Lambda}(\infty),$$

where  $\Psi : \mathbb{B}(R\text{-gmod}) \xrightarrow{\sim} B(\infty)$  (Lauda-Vazirani),  $S$  is simple in  $\mathbb{B}(R\text{-gmod})$  and for  $\Lambda = \sum_i a_i \Lambda_i$  we have  $\mathbf{h}_\Lambda = \sum_i a_i \mathbf{h}_i$ .



## Problems I

### Definition

Let  $X, Y$  be objects in a monoidal category  $\mathcal{T}$ , and  $\varepsilon : X \otimes Y \rightarrow 1$  and  $\eta : 1 \rightarrow Y \otimes X$  morphisms in  $\mathcal{T}$ . We say that a pair  $(X, Y)$  is **dual pair** or  $X$  is a **left dual** to  $Y$  or  $Y$  is a **right dual** to  $X$  if the following compositions are identities:

$$X \simeq X \otimes 1 \xrightarrow{\text{id} \otimes \eta} X \otimes Y \otimes X \xrightarrow{\varepsilon \otimes \text{id}} 1 \otimes X \simeq X, \quad Y \simeq 1 \otimes Y \xrightarrow{\eta \otimes \text{id}} Y \otimes X \otimes Y \xrightarrow{\text{id} \otimes \varepsilon} Y \otimes 1 \simeq Y$$

We denote a right dual to  $X$  by  $\mathcal{D}(X)$  and a left dual to  $X$  by  $\mathcal{D}^{-1}(X)$ .

### Theorem ([KKOP, KKOP2])

For a quiver Hecke algebra  $R$  associated with an arbitrary symmetrizable Kac-Moody Lie algebra,  $R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}$  is **rigid**, i.e.,  $\forall X \in R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}}, \exists \mathcal{D}(X), \mathcal{D}^{-1}(X)$ .

### Problem 1

Let  $R$  be of finite type. For a simple object  $C_\Lambda \circ S \in \mathbb{B}(R\text{-}\widetilde{\text{gmod}})$ , describe the right and left duals explicitly:  $\widetilde{\Psi}(\mathcal{D}(C_\Lambda \circ S)), \widetilde{\Psi}(\mathcal{D}^{-1}(C_\Lambda \circ S)) \in \mathbb{B}_i$

## Problems II

### Theorem (Kashiwara)

Define the involution  $*$  :  $U_q(\mathfrak{g}) \rightarrow U_q(\mathfrak{g})$  by  $(q^h)^* = q^{-h}$ ,  $e_i^* = e_i$ ,  $f_i^* = f_i$ .  
Set  $L^*(\infty) := \{u^* \mid u \in L(\infty)\}$ ,  $B^*(\infty) := \{b^* \mid b \in B(\infty)\}$ . Then we have

$$L^*(\infty) = L(\infty), \quad B^*(\infty) = B(\infty).$$

### Theorem (N3)

There exists the operation  $\tilde{\alpha} : R\text{-}\widehat{\mathfrak{g}}\text{mod} \rightarrow R\text{-}\widehat{\mathfrak{g}}\text{mod}$  such that  
 $\tilde{\alpha}(C_i) = C_{i^*}$  ( $\forall i \in I$ ),  $\tilde{\alpha}^2 \cong \text{id}$  and  $\tilde{\alpha}(X \circ Y) \cong \tilde{\alpha}(Y) \circ \tilde{\alpha}(X)$ , we obtain

$$\tilde{\alpha}(\mathbb{B}(R\text{-}\widehat{\mathfrak{g}}\text{mod})) = \mathbb{B}(R\text{-}\widehat{\mathfrak{g}}\text{mod}).$$

### Problem 2

Describe  $\tilde{\alpha}$  on  $\mathbb{B}_{\mathbf{i}} = B_{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes B_{i_N}$  explicitly.

## Problems III

### Problem 3

In an arbitrary symmetrizable Kac-Moody setting, for any Weyl group element  $w \in W$ , there exists the full subcategory  $\mathcal{C}_w$  of  $R\text{-gmod}$  and it admits a localization

$$\tilde{\mathcal{C}}_w = \mathcal{C}_w[C_i^{\circ-1} \mid i \in I], \quad (C_i = M(w\Lambda_i, \Lambda_i)).$$

Indeed, for semi-simple  $\mathfrak{g}$ ,  $\mathcal{C}_{w_0} = R\text{-gmod}$ .

**Q:** Does the localization  $\tilde{\mathcal{C}}_w$  have a crystal  $\mathbb{B}(\tilde{\mathcal{C}}_w)$ ? If so,

$$\mathbb{B}(\tilde{\mathcal{C}}_w) \xrightarrow{\sim} B_{i_1} \otimes \cdots \otimes B_{i_m} ?$$

where  $i_1 \cdots i_m$  is a reduced word of  $w$ . (Almost done by collaboration with M.Kashiwara)

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