

Effective integration of Lie type algebras

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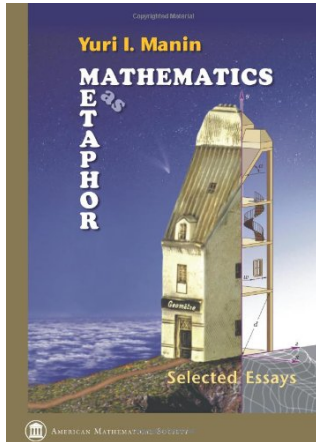
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Mathematics as metaphor



“The revival of operad theory [...] seems to be a major recent event in the somewhat backwaterish domain of general algebra.”

Operads

“GENERAL ALGEBRA”:

- **generating operations:** binary product \star or skew-symm. bracket $[\ , \]$.
- **relations:** associativity $(a \star b) \star c = a \star (b \star c)$ or Jacobi identity $[a, [b, c]] + [b, [c, a]] + [c, [a, b]] = 0$.

PROBLEM:

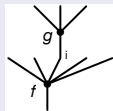
How many different iterations, other structural relations? \leftrightarrow **free algebra**

- ASSOCIATIVE: $a^{\star n} = a \star a \star \cdots \star a$, $\text{Ass}(x, y) \cong \mathbb{K}\langle\langle x, y \rangle\rangle$.
- LIE: $[[a, b], c] \neq [a, [b, c]], \dots$ **Lie**(x, y) $\cong \dots$.

PARADIGM SHIFT: encode the entire set of operations with compositions.

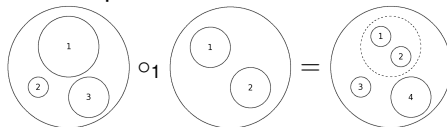
Definition (Operad)

- OPERATIONS: $\{\mathcal{P}(n)\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ of \mathbb{S}_n -modules
- COMPOSITIONS: $\circ_i : \mathcal{P}(n) \otimes \mathcal{P}(m) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(n + m - 1)$



Operads

EXAMPLE: Little discs operad D^2



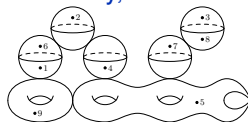
Theorem (May, 1972)

$$Y \sim \Omega^2 X := \text{Top}_*(S^2, X) \iff Y : D^2\text{-algebra}$$

RENAISSANCE OF OPERADS (EARLY 1990'S):

Topology \rightarrow Algebra, Geometry, Mathematical Physics, etc.

DELIGNE–MUMFORD $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g,n}$:



Definition (Kontsevich–Manin, 1994)

$H_\bullet(\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g,n})$ -algebra : Cohomological Field Theories (CohFT)

Renaissance of operads

→ structure of the Gromov–Witten invariants on $H^\bullet(X)$.



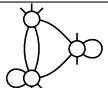

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Proposition

\mathcal{P} operad $\Rightarrow (\prod_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \mathcal{P}(n), \star = \sum_i \circ_i)$ is a *pre-Lie algebra*:
$$(a \star b) \star c - a \star (b \star c) = (a \star c) \star b - a \star (c \star b).$$

associative alg. \subset pre-Lie alg. $\xrightarrow{-}$ Lie alg.

Generalised operads

type of operations	type of Operads	examples of representations
	associative algebras	Steenrod squares, multicomplexes, ...
	operads	associative alg., Lie alg., pre-Lie alg., Poisson alg., Batalin–Vilkovisky alg., ...
	modular operads	CoFTs, Frobenius algebras, ...
	properads	associative bialg., Frobenius bialg., (involutive) Lie bialg., double Poisson (bi)alg., pre-Calabi–Yau (bi)alg., Airy structures, ...

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Quadratic data

THEORY OF “PRESENTATIONS” for (associative, commutative, Lie) algebras: *quadratic data* (V, R) s.t. $R \subset V^{\otimes 2} \Rightarrow A = T(V)/(R)$.
→ category structure, monoidal products (black and white), etc.

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- Yuri I. Manin, *Quantum groups and noncommutative geometry*, Université de Montréal Centre de Recherches Mathématiques, 1988.

MIX THE TWO APPROACHES: *operadic structure on quadratic data*.

- Yuri I. Manin and Bruno Vallette, *Monoidal structures on the categories of quadratic data*, Doc. Math., 25:1727–1786, 2020.

Theorem (Manin–V., 2020)

Drinfeld–Khono quadratic data forms the smallest sub-operad of the Kontsevich graph operad.

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Lie theory

- LIE THIRD THEOREM: Lie group $G \xrightarrow{T_e} \text{Lie algebra } \mathfrak{g}$
- DEFORMATION THEORY: differential graded Lie algebra $(\mathfrak{g}, [\cdot, \cdot], d)$

Definition (Maurer–Cartan elements)

$$\text{MC}(\mathfrak{g}) := \{ \alpha \in \mathfrak{g}_{-1} \mid d\alpha + \frac{1}{2}[\alpha, \alpha] = 0 \}$$

→ PHILOSOPHY: “any deformation problem over a field of characteristic 0 can be encoded by a dg Lie algebra.”

structures of type \mathcal{P} on a “space” A	\longleftrightarrow	$\text{MC}(\mathfrak{g}_{\mathcal{P}, A})$
equivalence	\longleftrightarrow	G

Theorem (Pridham & Lurie, 2010)

equivalence of ∞ -categories: formal moduli problems $\xleftarrow{\cong} \text{dg Lie alg.}$

→ characteristic $p > 0$ (Brantner–Mathew, 2019), characteristic $p \geq 0$
overall operadic proof (Roca i Lucio–Le Grignou, 2023).

Deformation theory

→ **complete** dg Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g} = \mathcal{F}_1 \mathfrak{g} \supset \mathcal{F}_2 \mathfrak{g} \supset \cdots$ s.t. $\mathfrak{g} \cong \varprojlim_k \mathfrak{g} / \mathcal{F}_k \mathfrak{g}$.

gauges: $\lambda \in \mathfrak{g}_0 \mapsto$ **vector fields:** $-d\lambda + \text{ad}_\lambda \in \Gamma(\text{TMC}(\mathfrak{g}))$

Definition (Gauge equivalence)

$\alpha \sim \beta \in \text{MC}(\mathfrak{g})$: $\exists \lambda \in \mathfrak{g}_0$, $\gamma'(t) = \text{ad}_\lambda(\gamma(t)) - d\lambda$, $\gamma(0) = \alpha$, $\gamma(1) = \beta$.

SOLUTION: $\gamma(t) = \exp(t \text{ad}_\lambda) \Rightarrow \beta = \exp(\text{ad}_\lambda)(\alpha) + \frac{\text{id} - \exp(\text{ad}_\lambda)}{\text{ad}_\lambda}(d\lambda)$.

SPECIAL CASE: $[a, b] = a \star b - (-1)^{|a||b|} b \star a$, (\mathfrak{g}, \star, d) dg **associative** alg.

- Maurer–Cartan equation: $d\alpha + \alpha \star \alpha = 0$.
- **Gauge group action:** $\lambda \cdot \alpha = \exp(\text{ad}_\lambda)(\alpha) = \exp(\lambda) \star \alpha \star \exp(-\lambda)$.

Definition (Deformation gauge group)

Group-like elements: $\mathfrak{G} := (1 + \mathfrak{g}_0, \star, 1)$.

Baker–Campbell–Hausdorff formula

$$(\mathfrak{g}_0, \log(\exp \star \exp), 0) \xrightleftharpoons[\log]{\exp} \mathfrak{G} = (1 + \mathfrak{g}_0, \star, 1)$$

Theorem (Baker–Campbell–Hausdorff, 1902-1906)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{BCH}(x, y) &:= \log(\exp(x) \cdot \exp(y)) \\ &= x + y + \frac{1}{2}[x, y] + \frac{1}{12}[x, [x, y]] + \frac{1}{12}[y, [x, y]] + \cdots \\ &\in \widehat{\text{Lie}}(x, y) \subset \widehat{\text{Ass}}(x, y). \end{aligned}$$

Definition (Gauge group)

\mathfrak{g} complete Lie algebra: $G := (\mathfrak{g}_0, \text{BCH}, 0)$ topological group.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{BCH}(x, y) &\stackrel{(\text{Dynkin, 1947})}{=} \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n} \sum_{i=\{1, \dots, n-1\}} \frac{\text{ad}_x^{p_1} \circ \text{ad}_y^{q_1} \circ \dots \circ \text{ad}_x^{p_{n-1}} \circ \text{ad}_y^{q_{n-1}}(x)}{(1 + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} p_i + q_i) p_1! q_1! \dots p_{n-1}! q_{n-1}!} + \\ &\quad \sum_{p_n \geq 0} \frac{\text{ad}_x^{p_1} \circ \text{ad}_y^{q_1} \circ \dots \circ \text{ad}_x^{p_{n-1}} \circ \text{ad}_y^{q_{n-1}} \circ \text{ad}_x^{p_n}(y)}{(p_n + 1 + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} p_i + q_i) p_1! q_1! \dots p_{n-1}! q_{n-1}! p_n!}. \end{aligned}$$

Deformation theory of \mathcal{P} -algebras

→ Endomorphism operad: $\text{End}_A := (\{\text{Hom}(A^{\otimes n}, A)\}, \{\circ_i\})$.

Definition (\mathcal{P} -algebra structure)

A representation of \mathcal{P} : a morphism of dg operads $\mathcal{P} \rightarrow \text{End}_A$.

DEFORMATION THEORY OF \mathcal{P} -ALGEBRAS:

→ Koszul resolution: $\mathcal{P}_\infty := \Omega \mathcal{P}^i \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{P}$, with **Koszul dual cooperad \mathcal{P}^i** .

$$\{\mathcal{P}_\infty\text{-alg. on } A\} \cong \text{Hom}_{\text{dg op.}}(\mathcal{P}_\infty, \text{End}_A) \cong \text{MC} \left(\underbrace{\text{Hom}_{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{P}^i, \text{End}_A)}_{\text{convolution operad}} \right)$$

⇒ Deformation theory of \mathcal{P} -alg. controlled by a complete dg **pre-Lie** alg.

$$\text{associative alg.} \subset \text{pre-Lie alg.} \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Lie alg.}$$

Pre-Lie exponential/logarithm maps

$$G = (\mathfrak{g}_0, \text{BCH}, 0) \xrightleftharpoons[\text{?}]{\text{?}} \mathfrak{G} = (1 + \mathfrak{g}_0, \text{?}, 1)$$

Definition (Pre-Lie exponential/logarithm maps)

- $\exp_\star(\lambda) := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \underbrace{(\dots ((\lambda \star \lambda) \star \lambda) \dots)}_{n \text{ times}} \star \lambda$
- $\log_\star(1 + \lambda) := \lambda - \frac{1}{2}\lambda \star \lambda + \frac{1}{4}\lambda \star (\lambda \star \lambda) + \frac{1}{12}(\lambda \star \lambda) \star \lambda + \dots$

Definition (Circle product)

$$(1 + x) \odot (1 + y) := 1 + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \{x; \underbrace{y, \dots, y}_{n \text{ times}}\} \text{ associative}$$

symmetric braces:

$$\{x;\} := x$$

$$\{x; y_1\} := x \star y_1$$

$$\{x; y_1, y_2\} := \{\{x; y_1\}; y_2\} - \{x; \{y_1; y_2\}\} = (x \star y_1) \star y_2 - x \star (y_1 \star y_2)$$

$$\{x; y_1, \dots, y_n\} := \{\{x; y_1, \dots, y_{n-1}\}; y_n\} - \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \{x; y_1, \dots, y_{i-1}, \{y_i; y_n\}, y_{i+1}, \dots, y_{n-1}\}.$$

Integration of pre-Lie algebras

Proposition (Dotsenko–Shadrin–V., 2016)

Complete *dg* pre-Lie algebra (\mathfrak{g}, \star, d) :

$$\bullet \quad G = (\mathfrak{g}_0, \text{BCH}, 0) \xrightleftharpoons[\log_\star]{\exp_\star} \mathfrak{G} := (1 + \mathfrak{g}_0, \odot, 1)$$

• Action of the deformation gauge group \mathfrak{G} on $\text{MC}(\mathfrak{g})$:

$$(1 + \lambda) \cdot \alpha = ((1 + \lambda) \star \alpha) \odot (1 + \lambda)^{-1} - d\lambda \odot (1 + \lambda)^{-1}.$$

→ DELIGNE GROUPOID:

- Objects: \mathcal{P}_∞ -algebras,
- Morphisms: ∞ -morphisms with 1st component = id .

Applications

Theorem (Campos–Petersen–Robert–Nicoud–Wierstra, 2024)

- The universal enveloping algebra functor \mathfrak{U} :
nilpotent Lie algebras \rightarrow associative algebras
 $\mathfrak{g} \mapsto \mathfrak{U}(\mathfrak{g}) := T(\mathfrak{g})/(x \otimes y - y \otimes x - [x, y])$
detects isomorphisms.
- The singular cochains algebra $(C_{\text{sing}}^{\bullet}(X, \mathbb{Q}), \cup, d)$ *encodes faithfully the rational homotopy type of X .*

Theorem (Dotsenko–Shadrin–Vaintrob–V., 2024)

- Notion of *quantum CohFT* $_{\infty}$.
- *Universal symmetry group.*
- *contains Grothendieck–Teichmüller GRT_1 and Givental group.*

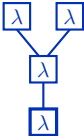
Limits of “general algebra”

- DEFORMATION GAUGE GROUP ACTION:

$$((1 + \lambda) \star \alpha) \odot (1 + \lambda)^{-1} - d\lambda \odot (1 + \lambda)^{-1}$$

- PARADIGM SHIFT:

free pre-Lie algebra given by rooted trees [Chapoton–Livernet, 2001]

$$(1 - \lambda)^{-1} = \sum_{\tau \in \text{RT}} \frac{1}{|\text{Aut } \tau|} \tau(\lambda), \quad \text{where } \tau(\lambda) =$$


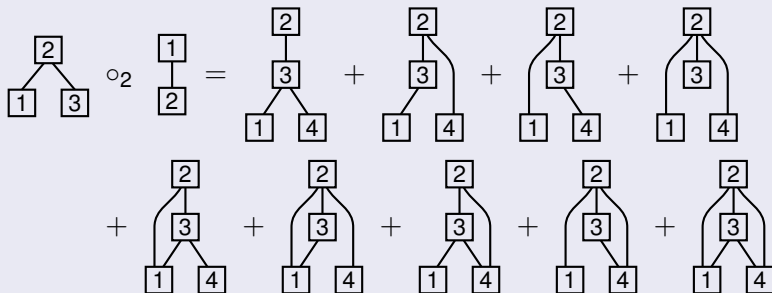
- \mathcal{P} properad $\Rightarrow \left(\prod_{n,m \in \mathbb{N}} \mathcal{P}(m, n), \star = \sum_{i,j} \circ_{i,j}^j \right)$ Lie-admissible algebra:
 $[a, b] = a \star b - b \star a$ satisfies the Jacobi identity.

→ Its iterations do not recover "all" the operations.

Lie-graph algebras

Definition (Operad Lie-graph)

top-to-bottom **directed simple graphs** (dsGra) with compositions:



→ **different** from the Kontsevich graph operad: **creates edges**.

Deformation theory of \mathcal{P} -bialgebras

Proposition (Campos-V., 2025)

- \mathcal{P} properad $\Rightarrow \left(\prod_{n,m \in \mathbb{N}} \mathcal{P}(m, n), \{ \star_\gamma \}_{\gamma \in \text{dsGra}} \right)$ is a *Lie-graph algebra* s.t. $\star_{\begin{smallmatrix} \boxed{1} \\ | \\ \boxed{2} \end{smallmatrix}} = \star$ is the Lie-admissible product.
- The operad Lie-graph is *not* finitely generated.

DEFORMATION THEORY OF \mathcal{P} -BIALGEBRAS: representations $\mathcal{P} \rightarrow \text{End}_A$ encoded by the complete dg Lie-graph algebra $\mathfrak{g}_{\mathcal{P},A} = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{P}^i, \text{End}_A)$,

Maurer–Cartan equation $d\alpha + \alpha \star \alpha = 0$.

associative alg. \subset pre-Lie alg. \subset Lie-graph alg. $\xrightarrow{-} \text{Lie alg.}$

Lie-graph exponential/logarithm maps

Definition (Lie-graph exponential/logarithm maps)

$$\bullet \exp_{\gamma}(\lambda) = 1 + \sum_{\gamma \in \text{dsGra}} \frac{\ell_{\gamma}}{|\gamma|!} \gamma(\lambda) = 1 + \boxed{\lambda} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \\ | \\ \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} + \frac{1}{6} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \\ / \quad \backslash \\ \boxed{\lambda} \quad \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} +$$

$$\frac{1}{6} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \quad \boxed{\lambda} \\ \backslash \quad / \\ \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} + \frac{1}{6} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \\ | \\ \boxed{\lambda} \\ | \\ \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} + \frac{1}{6} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \\ | \\ \boxed{\lambda} \\ | \\ \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} \text{ (with a loop on the middle node)} + \frac{1}{8} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \\ / \quad \backslash \\ \boxed{\lambda} \quad \boxed{\lambda} \\ | \quad \quad | \\ \boxed{\lambda} \quad \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} + \frac{1}{24} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \quad \boxed{\lambda} \\ / \quad \backslash \quad / \quad \backslash \\ \boxed{\lambda} \quad \boxed{\lambda} \quad \boxed{\lambda} \quad \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} + \dots$$

$$\bullet \log_{\gamma}(1 + \lambda) =$$

$$\boxed{\lambda} - \frac{1}{2} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \\ | \\ \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} + \frac{1}{12} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \\ / \quad \backslash \\ \boxed{\lambda} \quad \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} + \frac{1}{12} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \quad \boxed{\lambda} \\ \backslash \quad / \\ \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} + \frac{1}{3} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \\ | \\ \boxed{\lambda} \\ | \\ \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} + \frac{1}{3} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\lambda} \\ | \\ \boxed{\lambda} \\ | \\ \boxed{\lambda} \end{array} \text{ (with a loop on the middle node)} + \dots$$

Integration of Lie-graph algebras

Proposition (Campos-V., 2025)

Complete *dg* Lie-graph algebra $(\mathfrak{g}, \{\star_\gamma\}_{\gamma \in \text{dsGra}}, \mathbf{d})$:

- $G = (\mathfrak{g}_0, \text{BCH}, 0) \xrightleftharpoons[\log_\gamma]{\exp_\gamma} \mathfrak{G} := (1 + \mathfrak{g}_0, \odot, 1)$, where

$$(1 + x) \odot (1 + y) = 1 + \sum_{\gamma \in 2\text{-level dsGra}} \frac{1}{|\text{Aut}(\gamma)|} \gamma(x, y) =$$

$$1 + \boxed{x} + \boxed{y} + \begin{array}{c} \boxed{y} \\ | \\ \boxed{x} \end{array} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{y} \\ / \quad \backslash \\ \boxed{x} \quad \boxed{x} \end{array} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{y} \quad \boxed{y} \\ \backslash \quad / \\ \boxed{x} \end{array} + \frac{1}{4} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{y} \quad \boxed{y} \\ \backslash \quad / \\ \boxed{x} \quad \boxed{x} \end{array} + \dots$$

- Action of the deformation gauge group \mathfrak{G} on $\text{MC}(\mathfrak{g})$:

$$(1 + \lambda) \cdot \alpha = (1 + \lambda) \overset{\alpha}{\bowtie} (1 + \lambda)^{-1} - (1 + \lambda; \mathbf{d}\lambda) \odot (1 + \lambda)^{-1}, \text{ where}$$

$$(1 + x) \overset{\alpha}{\bowtie} (1 + y) = \sum_{\gamma \in \bowtie\text{-dsGra}} \frac{1}{|\text{Aut}(\gamma)|} \gamma(x, \alpha, y) =$$

$$\boxed{\alpha} + \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\alpha} \\ | \\ \boxed{x} \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \boxed{y} \\ | \\ \boxed{\alpha} \end{array} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\alpha} \\ / \quad \backslash \\ \boxed{x} \quad \boxed{x} \end{array} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{array}{c} \boxed{y} \quad \boxed{y} \\ \backslash \quad / \\ \boxed{\alpha} \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \boxed{y} \\ | \\ \boxed{\alpha} \\ | \\ \boxed{x} \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \boxed{y} \\ | \\ \boxed{\alpha} \\ \backslash \quad / \\ \boxed{x} \quad \boxed{x} \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \boxed{y} \\ | \\ \boxed{\alpha} \\ \backslash \quad / \\ \boxed{x} \quad \boxed{x} \end{array} + \dots$$

Applications

→ DELIGNE GROUPOID:

- Objects: \mathcal{P}_∞ -bigebras,
- Morphisms: ∞ -morphisms with 1st component = id .

Deformation gauge group $(1 + \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{P}^i, \text{End}_A)_0, \odot, 1)$: **any characteristic**.

Theorem (Emprin, 2024)

- *complete formality classes for dg \mathcal{P} -bialgebras (after Kaledin)*

$$(A, \alpha) \xrightarrow{\sim} \cdot \xleftarrow{\sim} \cdot \dots \cdot \xleftarrow{\sim} \cdot \xrightarrow{\sim} (H(A), \bar{\alpha})$$
- *descent property, “purity implies formality” (automorphism lift), etc.*

Theorem (Emprin–Takeda, 2025)

- *Intrinsic rational (co)formality of spheres, i.e. $C_*(\Omega S^n, \mathbb{Q})$, as pre-Calabi–Yau (bi)algebras with vanishing copairing: includes Poincaré duality.*
- *Not true in characteristic 2.*

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L_∞ -algebras

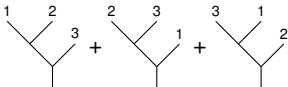
- DEFORMATION THEORY OF ∞ -MORPHISMS OF \mathcal{P}_∞ -(BI)ALGEBRAS:
encoded by L_∞ -algebras, i.e. “weak Lie algebras”.

Definition (L_∞ -algebra)

$(\mathfrak{g}, d, \{\ell_m\}_{m \geq 2})$: skew-symmetric operations $\ell_m: A^{\wedge m} \rightarrow A$, $|\ell_m| = m - 2$, s.t.

$$\partial(\ell_m) = d \circ \ell_m - (-1)^m \ell_m \circ d_{A^{\wedge m}} = \sum_{\substack{p+q=m \\ 2 \leq p, q \leq m}} \pm \sum_{\sigma \in \text{Sh}_{p,q}^{-1}} (\ell_{p+1} \circ_1 \ell_q)^\sigma .$$

IN ARITY 3: $\partial \ell_3 = \text{Jacobi}(\ell_2) =$

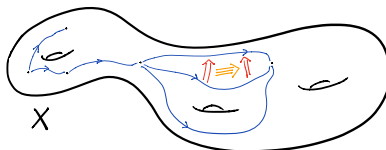


- MAURER–CARTAN EQUATION: $d\alpha + \sum_{m \geq 2} \frac{1}{m!} \ell_m(\alpha, \dots, \alpha) = 0$.
- GAUGE EQUIVALENCE:
gauges: $\lambda \in \mathfrak{g}_0 \mapsto$ vector fields $\alpha \mapsto \sum_{m \geq 1} \frac{1}{(m-1)!} \ell_m(\alpha, \dots, \alpha, \lambda) \in T_\alpha \text{MC}(\mathfrak{g})$.

∞ -groupoids

gauge equivalence (tree-wise formula) $\stackrel{?}{\Leftarrow}$ "group up to homotopy" action

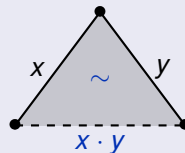
HEURISTIC: ∞ -groupoid \leftrightarrow topological space \leftrightarrow Kan complex



Definition (∞ -groupoid)

A Kan complex, i.e. a simplicial set X_\bullet s.t.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ccc} \Lambda_k^n & \longrightarrow & X_\bullet \\ \wr \downarrow & \nearrow \text{dashed} & \\ \Delta^n & & \end{array} \right\} \neq \emptyset$$



Integration of L_∞ -algebras

complete L_∞ -algebras $\xrightarrow{?}$ ∞ -groupoids

Definition (Sullivan algebra)

Simplicial dg commutative algebra of polynomial differential forms on $|\Delta^n|$:

$$\Omega_\bullet = \{\Omega^*(\Delta^n)\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$$

Theorem (Hinich, 1997)

$MC_\bullet(\mathfrak{g}) := MC(\mathfrak{g} \hat{\otimes} \Omega_\bullet) \infty\text{-groupoid}$ s.t. $MC_0(\mathfrak{g}) \cong MC(\mathfrak{g})$.

PROBLEM: $MC_1(\mathfrak{g}) \not\supseteq \text{gauges}$

SOLUTION: consider the simplicial Dupont contraction

$$h_\bullet \circlearrowleft \Omega^*(\Delta^\bullet) \begin{matrix} \xleftarrow{p_\bullet} \\ \xrightarrow{i_\bullet} \end{matrix} C^*(\Delta^\bullet)$$

Theorem (Getzler, 2009)

$\gamma_\bullet(\mathfrak{g}) := MC_\bullet(\mathfrak{g}) \cap \ker h_\bullet \sim MC_\bullet(\mathfrak{g}) \infty\text{-groupoid}$ s.t. $\gamma_1(\mathfrak{g}) = \text{gauges}$

Effective integration of L_∞ -algebras

ISSUE: **not explicit ...**

IDEA: transfer the simplicial commutative algebra structure from $\Omega^*(\Delta^\bullet)$ up to homotopy on $C^*(\Delta^\bullet)$ and consider its linear dual (finite dim.).

Definition (Universal Maurer–Cartan L_∞ -algebra)

The cosimplicial complete L_∞ -algebra: $\mathbf{mc}^\bullet := \left(\widehat{L_\infty}(C_*(\Delta^\bullet)), d \right)$.

Definition (Integration functor)

$$L = \mathrm{Lan}_Y \mathbf{mc}^\bullet : \mathbf{sSet} \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\quad} \\ \perp \\ \xleftarrow{\quad} \end{array} L_\infty\text{-alg.} : R(g) := \mathrm{Hom}_{L_\infty\text{-alg}}(\mathbf{mc}^\bullet, g)$$

Theorem (Robert-Nicoud–V., '20)

$$\gamma(g) \cong R(g) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{ccc} \Lambda_k^n & \longrightarrow & R(g) \\ \wr \downarrow & \nearrow & \\ \Delta^n & & \end{array} \right\} \cong g_n \ni 0$$

\Rightarrow **algebraic** ∞ -groupoid [Nikolaus, 2011]: property \rightarrow **structure**

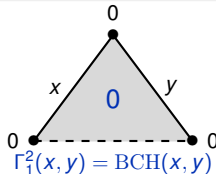
Higher Baker–Campbell–Hausdorff products

Definition (Higher Baker–Campbell–Hausdorff products)

The value at the missing $(n - 1)$ -simplex of the evaluation of the top dimensional cell of a horn in $R(\mathfrak{g})$ by 0:

$$\mathrm{Hom}_{\mathrm{sSet}}(\Lambda_k^n, R(\mathfrak{g})) \longrightarrow \mathfrak{g}_{n-1}, \quad x \longmapsto \Gamma_k^n(x)$$

EXAMPLE [Bandiera, 2014]:



$0 \in \mathrm{MC}(\mathfrak{g}), x, y \in \mathfrak{g}_0.$

Proposition (Robert-Nicoud–V., 2020)

$$\Gamma_k^n(x) = \sum_{\substack{\tau \in \mathrm{PaPRT} \\ \chi \in \mathrm{Lab}^{[\eta], k}(\tau)}} \prod_{\substack{\beta \text{ block of } \tau \\ \lambda_{[\eta]}^{\beta(x)} \neq 0}} \frac{(-1)^k}{\lambda_{[\eta]}^{\beta(x)} [\beta]!} \ell_\tau \left(x_{\chi(1)}, \dots, x_{\chi(p)}; \sum_{l \neq k} (-1)^{k+l+1} x_{\hat{l}} \right)$$

Applications

\Rightarrow homotopy invariance ($R(\text{quasi-isomorphism}) = \text{homotopy equivalence}$),
Berglund's Hurewicz theorem ($\pi_n(R(\mathfrak{g}), \alpha) \cong H_n(\mathfrak{g}^\alpha)$), etc.

Theorem (Robert-Nicoud–V., 2020)

X_\bullet pointed connected finite type simplicial set:

$RL(X_\bullet)$ homotopy equivalent to Bousfield–Kan \mathbb{Q} -completion of X_\bullet .

\rightarrow [Buijs–Felix–Murillo–Tanré, 2020] Lie alg. case: L_∞ -alg. are simpler.

Lie algebras $\subset L_\infty$ -algebras \subset absolute EL_∞ -algebras

\rightarrow “Koszul dual” to E_∞ -alg., point-set model for spectral partition Lie alg.

Theorem (Roca i Lucio, 2024)

X_\bullet a pointed connected finite type simplicial set

$\widetilde{RL}(X_\bullet)$ homotopy equivalent to Bousfield–Kan \mathbb{F}_p -completion of X_\bullet .

Poetry and mathematics ...

“Là, tout n’est qu’ordre et beauté,
Luxe, calme et volupté.”

Charles Baudelaire, *L’invitation au voyage*.

“What binds us to space-time is our rest mass, which prevents us from flying at the speed of light, when time stops and space loses meaning. In a world of light there are neither points nor moments of time; beings woven from light would live “nowhere” and “nowhen”; **only poetry and mathematics are capable of speaking meaningfully about such things.**”

Yuri. I. Manin, *Mathematics as metaphor*.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!