

# Deformation theory of morphisms

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Trends in Noncommutative Geometry

# 1 Paradigm : Associative algebras

- Let  $V$  be a  $\mathbb{K}$ -module, consider  $\text{End}V := \{\text{Hom}(V^{\otimes n}, V)\}_{n \geq 0}$ .  
For  $f \in \text{Hom}(V^{\otimes n}, V)$  and  $g \in \text{Hom}(V^{\otimes m}, V)$ , binary product

$$f \star g := \sum_{i=1}^n \pm \begin{array}{c} \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \boxed{g} \\ | \\ \boxed{f} \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ | \end{array} = \sum_{i=1}^n \pm f \circ_i g.$$

Degree convention :

$|f| = n - 1$ ,  $|g| = m - 1$ , so  $|f \star g| = |f| + |g|$ , that is  $|\star| = 0$ .

**Theorem (Gerstenhaber).**

$$(f \star g) \star h - f \star (g \star h) = (f \star h) \star g - f \star (h \star g)$$

$$\text{Assoc}(f, g, h) = \text{Assoc}(f, h, g)$$

$(\text{End}V, \star)$  is a preLie algebra.

$\implies$  with  $[f, g] := f \star g - (-1)^{|f| \cdot |g|} g \star f$ ,

$(\text{End}V, [ \ ])$  is a Lie algebra.

- Associative algebra structure on  $V$  :

$$\mu : V^{\otimes 2} \rightarrow V, \quad \begin{array}{c} \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ | \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ | \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ | \end{array} = 0 \quad \text{in} \quad \text{Hom}(V^{\otimes 3}, V)$$

$$\iff \boxed{\mu \star \mu = 0} \iff \boxed{[\mu, \mu] = 0}$$

In this case,

$$d_\mu(f) := [\mu, f] \text{ verifies } d_\mu(f)^2 = 0.$$

Explicitly, for  $f \in \text{Hom}(V^{\otimes n}, V)$

$$d_\mu(f) = \sum_{i=1}^n \pm \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \diagup \quad \text{---} \diagdown \\ \boxed{\mu} \\ | \\ \text{---} \diagdown \quad \text{---} \diagup \\ \boxed{f} \\ | \\ \text{---} \end{array} \pm \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \diagup \quad \text{---} \diagdown \\ \boxed{f} \\ | \\ \text{---} \diagdown \quad \text{---} \diagup \\ \boxed{\mu} \\ | \\ \text{---} \end{array} \pm \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \diagup \quad \text{---} \diagdown \\ \text{---} \diagdown \quad \text{---} \diagup \\ \boxed{\mu} \\ | \\ \text{---} \end{array} \pm \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \diagup \quad \text{---} \diagdown \\ \text{---} \diagdown \quad \text{---} \diagup \\ \boxed{f} \\ | \\ \text{---} \end{array}$$

$\in \text{Hom}(V^{\otimes n+1}, V)$

$$\text{Hom}(\mathbb{K}, V) \xrightarrow{d_\mu} \text{Hom}(V, V) \xrightarrow{d_\mu} \text{Hom}(V^{\otimes 2}, V) \xrightarrow{d_\mu} \dots$$

Hochschild cohomology of the associative algebra  $V$  “with coefficients into itself”  
 $(C^\bullet(\mathcal{A}ss, V), d_\mu, [, ]) \text{ dg Lie algebra (twisted by } \mu).$

Deformation complex of the associative structure  $\mu$

(Interpretation of  $H^0, H^1, H^2$  in terms of formal deformations : see Konsevich)

Operations on  $C^\bullet(\mathcal{A}ss, V)$  :

- ▷ Cup product  $\cup$  : associative operation
- ▷ Deligne Conjecture

•  $(V, d)$  dg module,  $\text{End}V$  is a dg module

$$D(f) := \sum_{i=1}^n \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \diagup \quad \text{---} \diagdown \\ | \\ \text{---} \diagdown \quad \text{---} \diagup \\ \boxed{f} \\ | \\ \text{---} \end{array} \begin{array}{c} d \\ | \\ i \end{array} - (-1)^{|f|} \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \diagup \quad \text{---} \diagdown \\ \boxed{f} \\ | \\ \text{---} \\ d \end{array}$$

$(\text{End}V, D, \star)$  is a dg preLie algebra and  $(\text{End}V, D, [ \ ])$  is a dg Lie algebra.

$(V, d, \mu)$  is a dg associative algebra  $\iff$

$$\boxed{D\mu + \mu \star \mu = 0} \iff \boxed{D\mu + \frac{1}{2}[\mu, \mu] = 0} : \text{Maurer-Cartan equation}$$

General solutions :

$\mu \in \{\text{Hom}(V^{\otimes n}, V)\}_{n \geq 1}$ ,  $\mu_n : V^{\otimes n} \rightarrow V$  with  $\mu_1 = d$ .

$D\mu + \mu \star \mu = 0 \iff$

$$\underline{n = 2} : \begin{array}{c} d \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \text{---} \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ d \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \quad \quad \quad d \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \text{---} \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \quad \quad \quad d \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \quad \quad \quad \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \text{---} \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \quad \quad \quad d \end{array}$$

$$\underline{n = 3} : \begin{array}{c} \quad \quad \quad \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \text{---} \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \quad \quad \quad \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \quad \quad \quad \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \text{---} \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \quad \quad \quad \end{array} = D(\mu_3)$$

$\mu_2$  is associative up to the homotopy  $\mu_3$

$$\underline{n} : \sum_{\substack{i+j=n+1 \\ i, j \geq 2}} \pm \begin{array}{c} \quad \quad \quad i \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \text{---} \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \quad \quad \quad j \\ \text{---} \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \quad \quad \quad \end{array} = D(\mu_n)$$

**Definition (Stasheff).**

A Maurer-Cartan element  $\mu$  is an *associative algebra up to homotopy* or  $A_\infty$ -algebra structure on  $(V, d, \mu = \{\mu_n\}_n)$ .

Viewpoint : An associative algebra = very particular  $A_\infty$ -algebra.

Once again,  $d_\mu(f) := D(f) + [\mu, f]$  verifies  $d_\mu^2 = 0$ .  
 $(C^\bullet(\mathcal{A}ss, V), d_\mu, [, ]) dg Lie algebra (twisted by  $\mu$ )$   
 defines the cohomology of an  $A_\infty$ -algebra.

Same interpretation of **all** the  $H^\bullet$  in terms of deformations of  $\mu$ .

• Homological perturbation lemma

$$(V, d_V) \begin{matrix} \xrightarrow{i} \\ \xleftarrow{p} \end{matrix} (W, d_W) \left. \vphantom{(W, d_W)} \right\} h$$

$$p \circ i = Id_V \quad \text{and} \quad i \circ p - Id_W = d_W \circ h + h \circ d_W$$

$V$  is a deformation retract of  $W$ .

**Theorem (Kadeishvili, Merkulov, Kontsevich-Soibelman, Markl).**

If  $\nu = \{\nu_n\}_n$  is an  $A_\infty$ -algebra structure on  $W$ , then

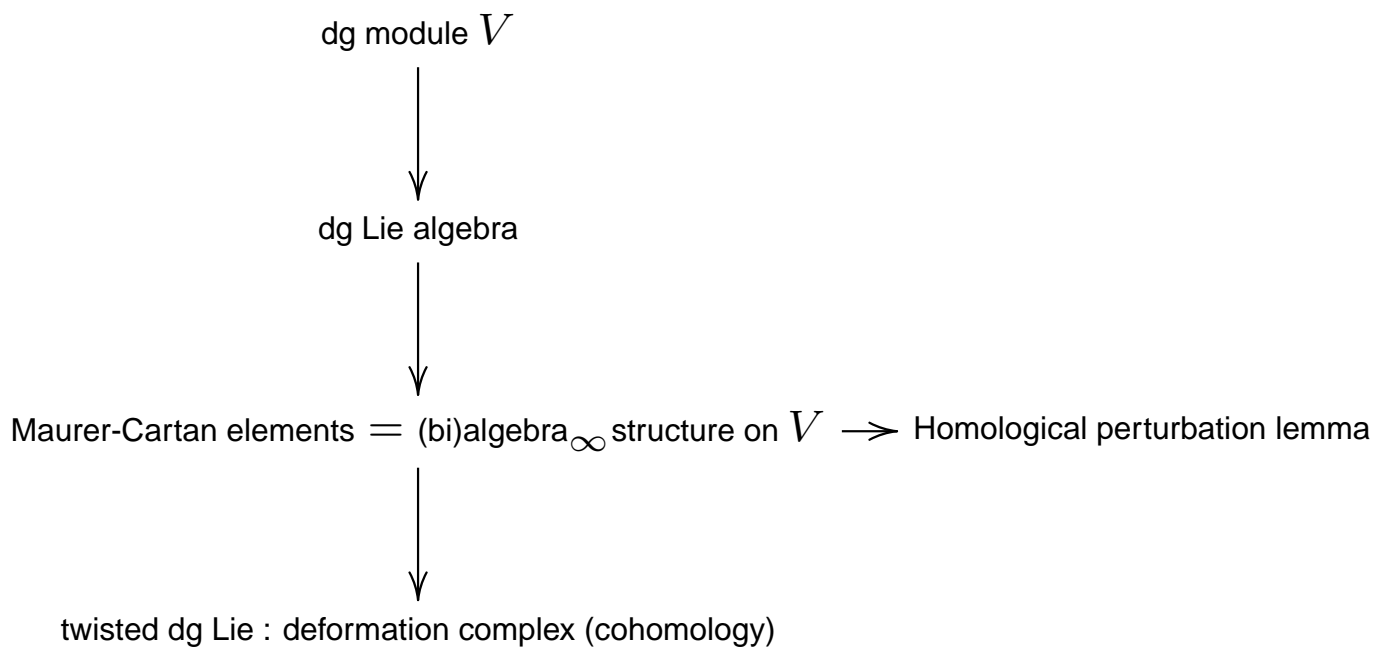
$$\mu_n = \sum_{\substack{\text{planar trees with} \\ n \text{ leaves}}} \text{Diagram}$$

defines an  $A_\infty$ -algebra on  $V$  such that  $i, p$  and  $h$  extends to morphisms and homotopy in the category of  $A_\infty$ -algebras.




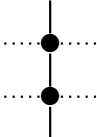
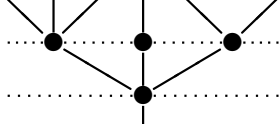
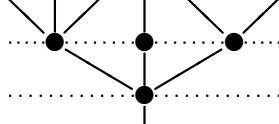
● Other kind of algebraic structures :

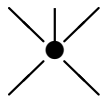
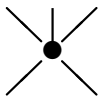
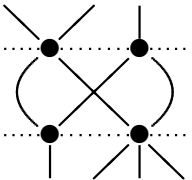
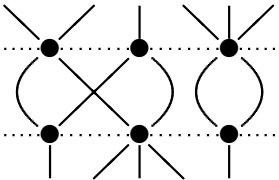
- ▷ Lie, commutative, Poisson, Gerstenhaber, PreLie, BV algebras.
- ▷ Lie bialgebras, associative bialgebras.

For any type of (bi)algebras




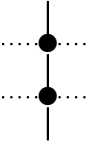
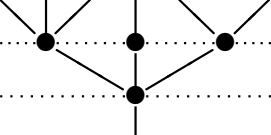
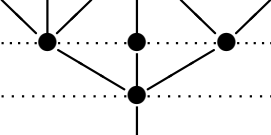




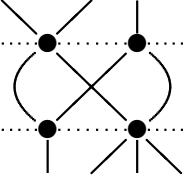
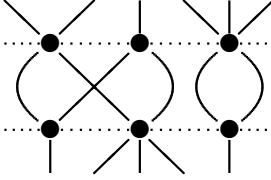
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<b>Operations</b>		 no symmetry	
<b>Composition</b>		 planar	 non-planar
<b>Monoidal category</b>	$(\text{Vect}, \otimes)$	$(\text{gVect}, \circ)$	$(\mathbb{S}\text{-Mod}, \circ)$
<b>Monoid</b>	$A \otimes A \rightarrow A$	$\mathcal{P} \circ \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$	$\mathcal{P} \circ \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$
<b>Modules</b>	Modules	Non-symmetric algebras	Algebras
<b>Examples</b>		associative algebras	Lie, commutative, Gerstenhaber algebras
<b>Free monoid</b>	Ladders (Tensor module)	Planar trees	Trees

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<b>Composition</b>		
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<b>Monoid</b>	$\mathcal{P} \boxtimes_c \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$	$\mathcal{P} \boxtimes \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}$
<b>Modules</b>	(Bial)gebras	(Bial)gebras
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<b>Free monoid</b>	Connected graphs	Graphs

## 2 Operads, properads, props

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### 3 Homological algebra for prop(erad)s

- Recall for associative (co)algebras [Cartan, Eilenberg, MacLane, Moore, ...].

Pair of adjoint functors :

bar construction  $B : \{\text{dg algebras}\} \rightleftharpoons \{\text{dg coalgebras}\} : \Omega$  cobar construction

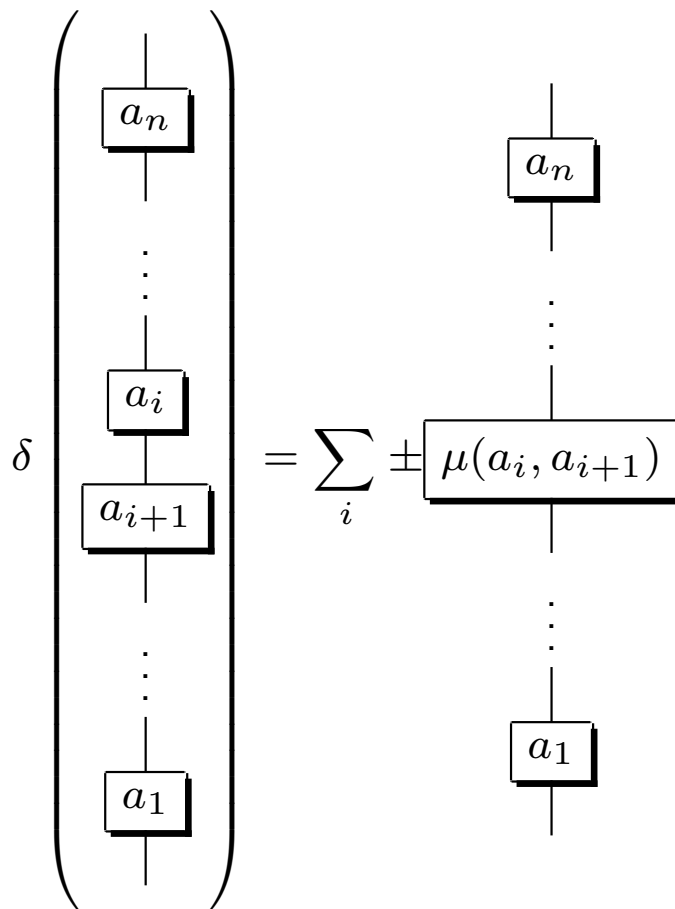
$B(A) := (T^c(s\bar{A}), \delta)$ , where

- $T^c$  : cofree connected coalgebra (tensor module)
- $s$  homological suspension
- $\bar{A}$  augmentation ideal
- $\delta$  unique coderivation which extends the product of  $A$

$$T^c(s\bar{A}) \twoheadrightarrow (s\bar{A})^{\otimes 2} \xrightarrow{s^{-1}} s(\bar{A} \otimes \bar{A}) \xrightarrow{s\mu} s\bar{A}$$

Explicitly,

$$\delta(a_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes a_n) = \sum_i \pm a_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes \mu(a_i, a_{i+1}) \otimes \cdots \otimes a_n.$$



Contracting internal edges : Graph homology à la Kontsevich

- For operads, pair of adjoint functors [Ginzburg-Kapranov, Getzler-Jones]

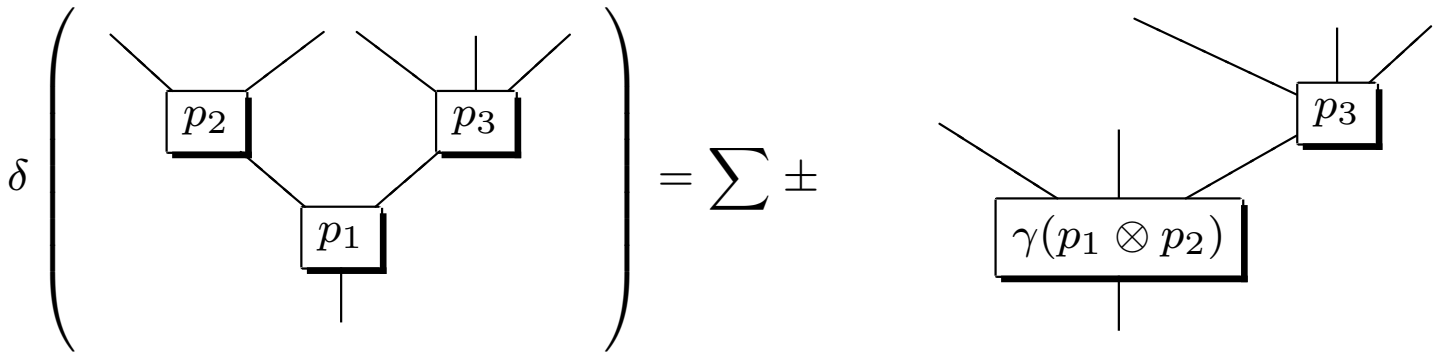
bar construction  $B : \{\text{dg operads}\} \rightleftharpoons \{\text{dg cooperads}\} : \Omega$  cobar construction

$B(\mathcal{P}) := (\mathcal{F}^c(s\bar{\mathcal{P}}), \delta)$ , where

- $\mathcal{F}^c$  : cofree connected cooperad (trees)
- $s$  homological suspension
- $\bar{\mathcal{P}}$  augmentation ideal
- $\delta$  unique coderivation which extends the partial product of  $\mathcal{P}$  (composition of two operations)

$$\mathcal{F}^c(s\bar{\mathcal{P}}) \twoheadrightarrow (s\bar{\mathcal{P}})^{\otimes 2} \xrightarrow{s^{-1}} s(\bar{\mathcal{P}} \otimes \bar{\mathcal{P}}) \xrightarrow{s\gamma} s\bar{\mathcal{P}}$$

Explicitely,



Contracting internal edges : Graph homology à la Kontsevich

- Where do these constructions come from conceptually ?

$(C, \Delta)$  coalgebra,  $(A, \mu)$  algebra;  $f, g : C \rightarrow A$

$$f \star g := C \xrightarrow{\Delta} \begin{array}{c} C \xrightarrow{g} A \\ \otimes \\ C \xrightarrow{f} A \end{array} \xrightarrow{\mu} A$$

$(\text{Hom}(C, A), \star)$  associative *convolution* algebra.

**Theorem (Merkulov-V.).**

For  $\mathcal{C}$  a dg coprop(erad) and  $\mathcal{P}$  a dg prop(erad),

$\text{Hom}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{P})$  is a dg prop(erad) called the convolution prop(erad).

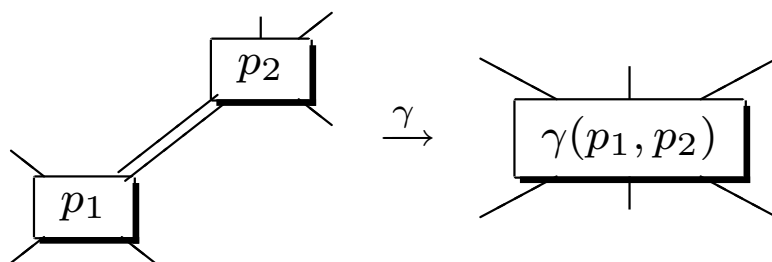
**Corollary (Merkulov-V.).**  $(\text{Hom}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{P}), [ , ])$  is a dg Lie algebra.

$\text{Tw}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{P}) := \text{set of Maurer-Cartan elements in } (\text{Hom}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{P}), [ , ])$  :  
 set of *Twisting morphisms (cochains)*.

$\text{Tw}(-, -)$  is a bifunctor, try to represent it.

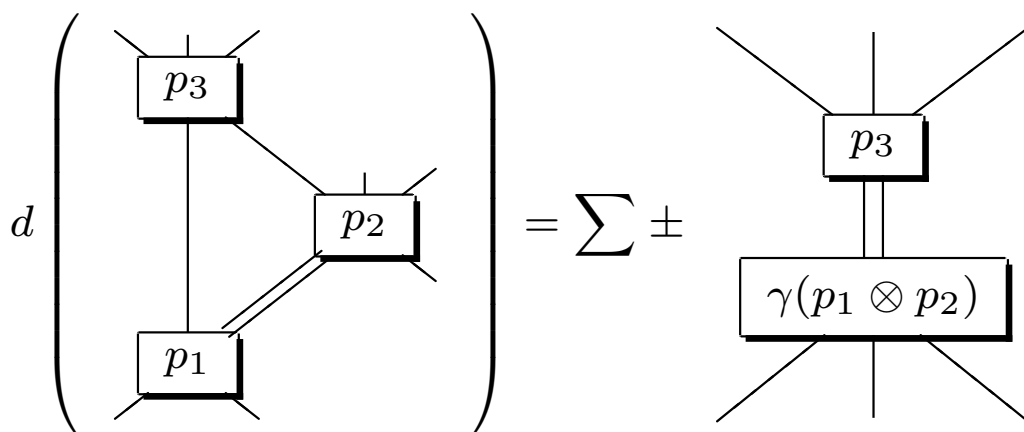
**Definition.** *Bar construction of a prop(erad)* :  $B(\mathcal{P}) := (\mathcal{F}^c(s\bar{\mathcal{P}}), \delta)$ , where

- $\mathcal{F}^c$  : cofree connected coprop(erad) (graphs)
- $s$  homological suspension
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- $\delta$  unique coderivation which extends the partial product of  $\mathcal{P}$ , composition of two operations



**Remark :** The number of internal edges is not relevant.

Explicitly,



Recover particular cases : Associative algebras, operads.

Cobar construction  $\Omega(\mathcal{C})$  is dual.

**Theorem (Merkulov, V.).**

$$\mathrm{Hom}_{\mathrm{dg\ prop}(\mathrm{erad})_s}(\Omega(\mathcal{C}), \mathcal{P}) \cong \mathrm{Tw}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{P}) \cong \mathrm{Hom}_{\mathrm{dg\ coprop}(\mathrm{erad})_s}(\mathcal{C}, B(\mathcal{P}))$$

Representation of  $\mathrm{Tw}(-, -)$  and adjunction.

PROOF.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathrm{Hom}_{\mathrm{prop}(\mathrm{erad})_s}(\Omega(\mathcal{C}), \mathcal{P}) &= \mathrm{Hom}_{\mathrm{prop}(\mathrm{erad})_s}(\mathcal{F}(s^{-1}\bar{\mathcal{C}}), \mathcal{P}) \\ &\cong \mathrm{Hom}_{-1}^{\mathbb{S}}(\bar{\mathcal{C}}, \mathcal{P}) \subset \mathrm{Hom}_{-1}^{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{P}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathrm{Hom}_{\mathrm{dg\ prop}(\mathrm{erad})_s}(\Omega(\mathcal{C}), \mathcal{P}) = \mathrm{MC}(\mathrm{Hom}^{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{P})) = \mathrm{Tw}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{P})$$

□

**Theorem (V.).** *Canonical bar-cobar resolution*

$$\Omega(B(\mathcal{P})) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{P}$$

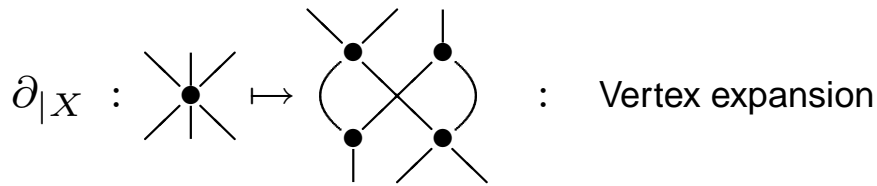
• Minimal models

**Definition.** *Minimal model for  $\mathcal{P}$*

$$(\mathcal{F}(X), \partial) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{P}$$

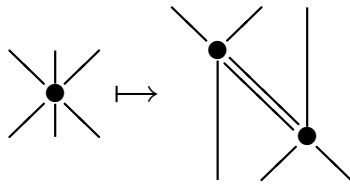
where

- ▷  $\mathcal{F}(X)$  is a (quasi)-free properad
- ▷  $\partial$  is a derivation  $\longleftrightarrow \partial|_X : X \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(X)$



**Definition.** A quadratic model is a minimal model  $(\mathcal{F}(X), \partial) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{P}$  such that

$\partial|_X : X \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(X)^{(2)} \quad : \quad \text{graphs with 2 vertices}$



**The number of vertices is relevant, not the number of internal edges.**

If  $\mathcal{P}$  has a quadratic model, it is called a *Koszul* properad.

In this case,  $X = \mathcal{C}$  is a coperad and  $(\mathcal{F}(X), \partial) = \Omega(\mathcal{C})$

● Koszul duality theory

(associative algebras [Priddy], operads [Ginzburg-Kapranov], properads [V.])  
provides a method to

- ▷ compute  $X = \mathcal{P}^i$  : Koszul dual
- ▷ make  $\partial$  explicit
- ▷ criterion to prove the quasi-isomorphism  $F(X) = \Omega(\mathcal{P}^i) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{P}$ .  
(acyclicity of a small chain complex : the Koszul complex)

$\implies$  Graph homology [Kontsevich, Markl-Voronov]

# 4 Deformation complex of a morphism

$\mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{f} \mathcal{Q}$  morphism of prop(erad)s ( $\mathcal{Q}$  is a *representation* of  $\mathcal{P}$ ).

**Example.**

$V$  dg module,  $\text{End}V := \{\text{Hom}(V^{\otimes n}, V^{\otimes m})\}_{n,m}$  is a dg prop(erad) (composition of multilinear functions)

**Definition.**

A structure of  $\mathcal{P}$ -gebra on  $V$  is a morphism of prop(erad)s  $\mathcal{P} \rightarrow \text{End}V$ .

Recall Quillen : “(commutative) algebraic geometry”

deformation complex of morphisms of commutative algebras (cotangent complex, model category structure).

comm. algebras  $\rightarrow$  ass. algebras  $\rightarrow$  operads  $\rightarrow$  prop(erad)s  
 $\mapsto$  Noncommutative geometry **[Nonlinear]**

**Theorem (Merkulov-V.).**

- *The category of dg prop(erad)s is a cofibrantly generated model category structure*
- *Quasi-free prop(erad)s are cofibrant*

PROOF.

$$\mathcal{F} : \text{dg } \mathbb{S}\text{-bimodules} \rightleftharpoons \text{dg prop(erad)s} : U$$

□

**Definition (Deformation complex).**

$$\text{cofibrant resolution : } (\mathcal{R}, \partial) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{P} \begin{array}{c} \searrow \\ \downarrow f \\ \mathcal{Q} \end{array}$$

$$C^\bullet(\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{Q}) := (\text{Der}(\mathcal{R}, \mathcal{Q}), \partial^*)$$

• Well defined :

Extension of Quillen theory of commutative rings to prop(erad)s

To

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \mathcal{O} & \\ & \downarrow & \\ I \longrightarrow & \mathcal{P} & \longrightarrow Q \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Der}_I(\mathcal{O}, \mathcal{Q}) &\cong \text{Hom}_{\text{dg prop(erad)s} / \mathcal{P}}(\mathcal{O}, \underbrace{\mathcal{P} \times \mathcal{Q}}_{\text{Eilenberg-MacLane space}}) \\ &\cong \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{P}\text{-bimodules}}(\underbrace{\mathcal{P} \boxtimes_{\mathcal{O}} \Omega_{\mathcal{O}/I} \boxtimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathcal{P}}_{\text{Cotangent complex}}, \mathcal{Q}), \end{aligned}$$

where  $\Omega_{\mathcal{O}/I}$  is the module of Kähler differentials of the prop(erad)  $\mathcal{O}$ .

(Read the properties of the morphism  $\mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{f} \mathcal{Q}$  on the cotangent complex)

Quillen adjunction  $\implies$  Total derived functor (non-additive)

$\implies$  well defined in the homotopy categories

• Explicitly,

When  $\mathcal{P}$  is Koszul :  $\mathcal{R} = \Omega(\mathcal{P}^i) = \mathcal{F}(s^{-1}\bar{\mathcal{P}}^i) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{P}$  quadratic model

In this case,

$$C^\bullet(\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{Q}) = \text{Der}(\mathcal{F}(s^{-1}\bar{\mathcal{P}}^i), \mathcal{Q}) = \text{Hom}_{\bullet-1}^{\mathbb{S}}(\bar{\mathcal{P}}^i, \mathcal{Q}) \subset \text{Hom}^{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{P}^i, \mathcal{Q})$$



**Theorem (Merkulov-V.).**

$\text{Hom}^{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{P}^i, \mathcal{Q})$  is a non-symmetric dg prop(erad)

$\implies$  it is a dg Lie algebra.

**Proposition (Merkulov-V.).**  $\mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{f} \mathcal{Q}$  is a morphism of dg prop(erad)s iff

$\bar{f} : \mathcal{P}^i \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{f} \mathcal{Q}$  is a Maurer-Cartan element in  $\text{Hom}^{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{P}^i, \mathcal{Q})$

In this case,

$$(C^\bullet(\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{Q}), d) \subset \underbrace{(\text{Hom}^{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{P}^i, \mathcal{Q}), [\bar{f}, -])}_{\text{twisted dg Lie algebra}}$$

● Examples

$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{A}ss, \mathcal{P}^i = \mathcal{A}ss^\vee$  and  $C^\bullet(\mathcal{A}ss, \text{End}V) = \text{End}V :$

Hochschild cohomology of associative algebras

$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{A}ss, \mathcal{P}^i = \mathcal{A}ss^\vee$  and  $C^\bullet(\mathcal{A}ss, \mathcal{P}oisson) :$

Invariant of knots [Vassiliev, Turchine]

$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{L}ie, \mathcal{P}^i = \mathcal{C}om^\vee$  and  $C^\bullet(\mathcal{L}ie, \text{End}V) :$

Chevalley-Eilenberg cohomology of Lie algebras

$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{C}om, \mathcal{P}^i = \mathcal{L}ie^\vee$  and  $C^\bullet(\mathcal{C}om, \text{End}V) :$

Harrison cohomology of commutative algebras

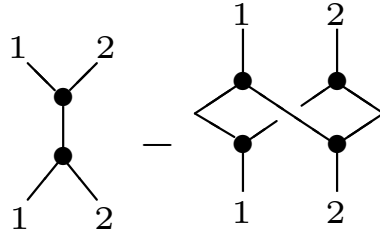
$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{B}i\mathcal{L}ie, \mathcal{P}^i = \mathcal{F}rob_{\diamond}^\vee$  and  $C^\bullet(\mathcal{B}i\mathcal{L}ie, \text{End}V) :$

Ciccoli-Guerra cohomology of Lie bialgebras

$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{BiAss}$ , **not Koszul** and  $C^\bullet(\mathcal{BiAss}, \text{End}V)$  :

Gerstenhaber-Shack bicomplex ???

$\mathcal{P}$  Koszul  $\implies \mathcal{P}$  quadratic but  $\mathcal{BiAss}$  not quadratic



Interpretation of  $H^0, H^1, H^2$  in terms of formal deformations

**Definition.** A  $\mathcal{P}_\infty$ -gebra (or homotopy  $\mathcal{P}$ -gebra structure) on  $V$  is a Maurer-Cartan element in  $\text{Hom}^{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{P}^i, \text{End}V)$

• Examples

$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{Ass}$ , homotopy associative algebra [Stasheff]

$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{Lie}$ , homotopy Lie algebra [Stasheff, Hinich-Schetchman, Kontsevich]

$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{Com}, \mathcal{C}_\infty$ -algebra [Stasheff]

$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{Gerstenhaber}, \mathcal{G}_\infty$ -algebra [Getzler-Jones]

$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{BiLie}$ , homotopy Lie bialgebra [Gan]

$\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{BiAss} \dots$

$(\text{Hom}^{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{P}^i, \text{End}V), [f, -])$  : cohomology of  $\mathcal{P}_\infty$ -algebras

Interpretation of  $H^\bullet$  in terms of deformations

• Operations on the deformation complex of  $\mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{f} \mathcal{Q}$

When  $\mathcal{P}$  is a Koszul operad,

$$\text{Hom}(\mathcal{P}^i, \mathcal{Q}) \leftarrow \text{Hom}(\mathcal{P}^i, \mathcal{P}) \cong \underbrace{\mathcal{P}^! \otimes \mathcal{P}}_{\substack{\text{Manin complex} \\ \text{tangent complex}}} \leftarrow \underbrace{\mathcal{P}^! \circ \mathcal{P}}_{\text{Manin products}}$$

Example :  $\mathcal{Ass} \circ \mathcal{Ass} = \mathcal{Ass} \implies$  cup product

**Theorem (V.).**  $\mathcal{P}$  finitely generated binary non-symmetric Koszul operad

$$\text{Little disk operad} \longleftarrow \bullet \longrightarrow C^\bullet(\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{Q})$$

Generalized Deligne conjecture ( $\mathcal{P} = \mathcal{A}ss, \mathcal{Q} = \text{End}V$ )

PROOF.

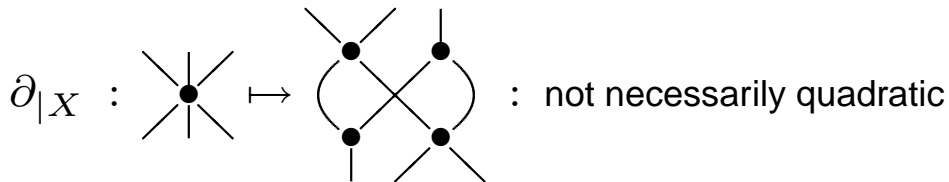
- ▷  $C^\bullet(\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{Q}) = \text{Hom}(\mathcal{P}^i, \mathcal{Q})$  non-symmetric operad  $\implies$  braces operations
- ▷  $\mathcal{A}ss \rightarrow \mathcal{P}^! \circ \mathcal{P} \implies$  cup product  $\cup$
- ▷  $\partial = [\cup, -]$
- ▷ (McClure-Smith)

□

Examples : 4 infinite families of operads (Koszul by poset method)

# 5 Beyond the Koszul case

Minimal model for  $\mathcal{P} : (\mathcal{F}(X), \partial) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{P}$   
 where  $\partial|_X : X \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(X)$



$\partial^2 = 0 \implies X$  is a **homotopy** coprop(erad).  
 (coassociative of the coprop(erad) holds ‘up to homotopy’)

**Theorem (Merkulov-V.).**

For  $\mathcal{C}$  a **homotopy** coprop(erad) and  $\mathcal{P}$  a dg prop(erad),  
 $\text{Hom}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{P})$  is a **homotopy** prop(erad)  
 $\implies (\text{Hom}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{P}), [ , ])$  is a **homotopy** Lie algebra.

**Proposition (Merkulov-V.).**

In this case,  $\text{Hom}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{P})$  is a filtered homotopy Lie algebra  
 Maurer-Cartan elements :  $\sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{1}{n!} l_n(f, \dots, f) = 0$

$\mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{f} \mathcal{Q}$  is a morphism of dg prop(erad)s iff

$\bar{f} : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \xrightarrow{f} \mathcal{Q}$  is a Maurer-Cartan element in  $\text{Hom}^{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{P}^i, \mathcal{Q})$

In this case,

$$(C^\bullet(\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{Q}), d) \subset \underbrace{(\text{Hom}^{\mathbb{S}}(\mathcal{P}^i, \mathcal{Q}), l^{\bar{f}})}_{\text{twisted homotopy Lie algebra}}$$

**Theorem (Merkulov-V.).** *For every minimal model of  $\mathcal{BiAss}$ , the deformation complex*

$$C^\bullet(\mathcal{BiAss}, \mathcal{Q}) \cong \mathcal{Q}$$

*and*

$$\begin{aligned}
& \begin{array}{c} 1 \quad 2 \quad \dots \quad m-1 \quad m \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ 1 \quad 2 \quad \dots \quad n-1 \quad n \end{array} = \\
& \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} (-1)^{i+1} \begin{array}{c} 1 \quad 2 \quad \dots \quad m-1 \quad m \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ 1 \quad \dots \quad i \quad \bullet \quad \dots \quad n \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ i+1 \quad i+2 \end{array} + \frac{\begin{array}{c} 1 \quad 2 \quad \dots \quad m-1 \quad m \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \bullet \quad \bullet \quad \dots \quad \bullet \quad \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \end{array}}{m} \\
& \begin{array}{c} \dots \quad \dots \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ 1 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \dots \quad \dots \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ 2 \quad 3 \quad \dots \quad n-1 \quad n \end{array} \\
& + (-1)^{n+1} \frac{\begin{array}{c} 1 \quad 2 \quad \dots \quad m-1 \quad m \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \bullet \quad \bullet \quad \dots \quad \bullet \quad \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \end{array}}{m} \\
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& \begin{array}{c} 2 \quad 3 \quad \dots \quad m-1 \quad m \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ n \end{array} \\
& + (-1)^{m+1} \frac{\begin{array}{c} 1 \quad 1 \quad \dots \quad m-1 \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \dots \end{array}}{n} \quad \begin{array}{c} m \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \bullet \quad \bullet \quad \dots \quad \bullet \quad \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ n \end{array} \\
& \begin{array}{c} \dots \quad \dots \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \bullet \quad \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ 1 \quad 2 \quad \dots \quad n-1 \quad n \end{array}
\end{aligned}$$

**Corollary (Merkulov-V.).**

$C^\bullet(\mathcal{BiAss}, \text{End}V) = \text{Gerstenhaber-Shack bicomplex}$

*There is a homotopy Lie algebra structure on the Gerstenhaber-Shack bicomplex which measures the deformation of structures of bialgebras*

## 6 Homological perturbation lemma

Theorem (V.).

$$(V, d_V) \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{i} \\ \xleftarrow{p} \end{array} (W, d_W) \Big) h$$

If  $W$  is a homotopy  $\mathcal{P}$ -gebra, then there is an induced homotopy  $\mathcal{P}$ -gebra structure on  $V$ .

### • Examples

$\mathcal{P} = \mathit{Ass}$  (Kontsevich-Soibelman)

$\mathcal{P} = \mathit{Lie}$  (Costello, Goncharov, Mnev, ...)

$\mathcal{P} = \mathit{Com}$  (Cheng-Getzler)

$\mathcal{P} = \mathit{Gerstenhaber}$  'new'

$\mathcal{P} = \mathit{BiLie}$  'new'

$\mathcal{P} = \mathit{BiAss}$  TBC ...



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