

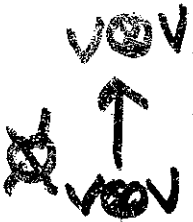
# Quantum Topological Computation

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I. Braiding Operators as Universal Quantum Gates

II. Knot Theoretic Models for Anyonic Quantum Computing based on TQFT

## I. Braiding Operators as Universal Quantum Gates



$V = \{ \alpha |0\rangle + \beta |1\rangle \mid \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C} \}$   
space for single qubit.

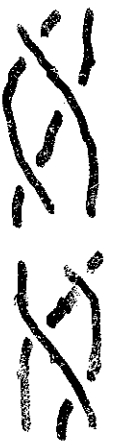
For our purpose a braiding operator is a (unitary) transformation

$$R: V \otimes V \longrightarrow V \otimes V \text{ that}$$

satisfies the braid identity

$$(R \otimes I)(I \otimes R)(R \otimes I) = (I \otimes R)(R \otimes I)(I \otimes R)$$

(Yang-Baxter Equation)



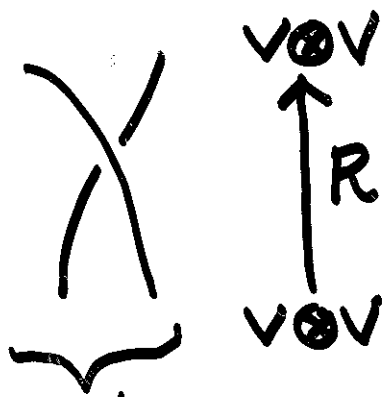
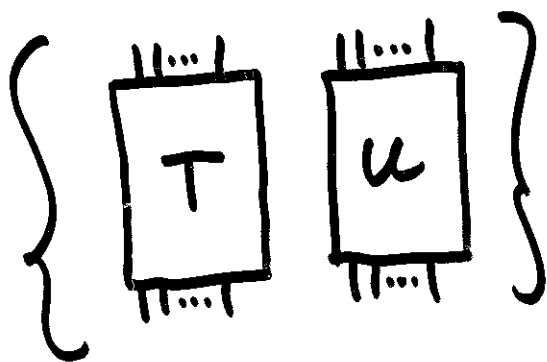
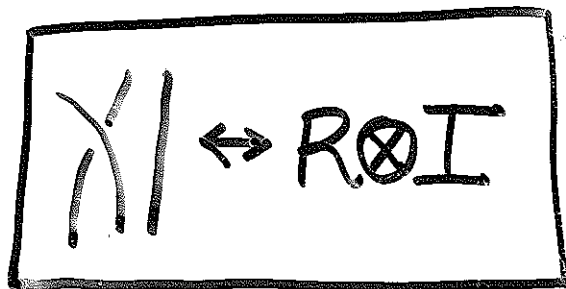


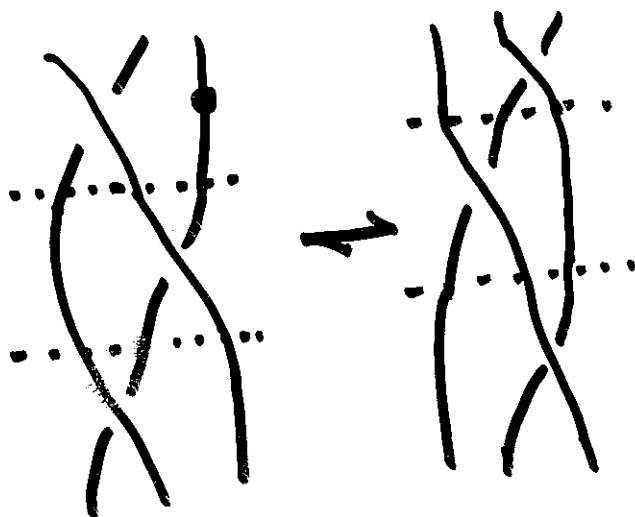
Diagram for Braiding Operator

diagram for  $R$

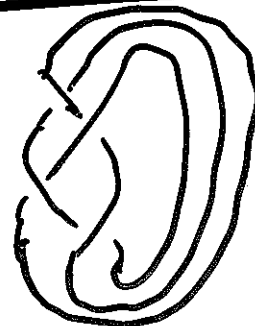


$T \otimes U$

Diagram for tensor product.



Braid Relation

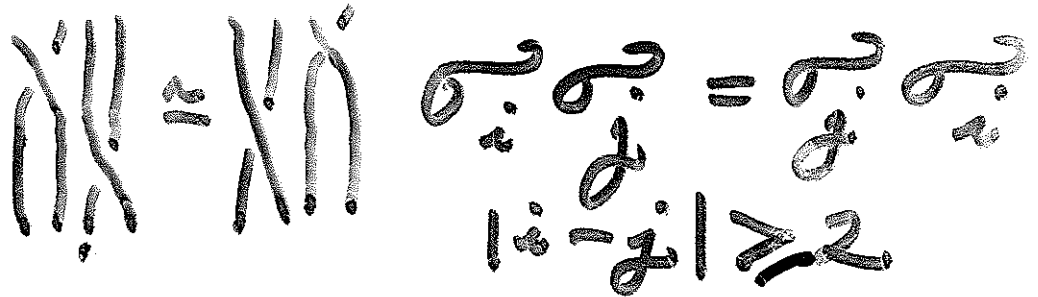
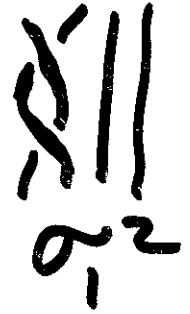


$$(R \otimes I)(I \otimes R)(R \otimes I) = (I \otimes R)(R \otimes I)(I \otimes R)$$

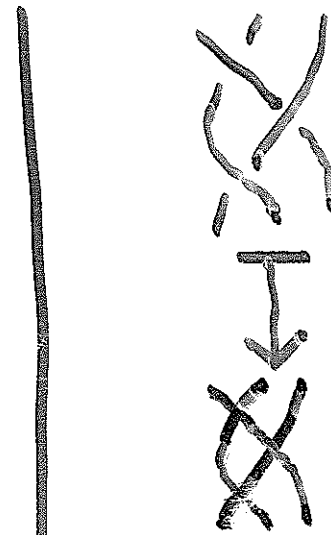
Each invertible braiding operator gives rise to a representation of the Artin Braid groups  $B_n$  (for each  $n$ ).

# Braids and Braid Group

n=4



$$B_n = (\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_{n-1} \mid \sigma_i \sigma_{i+1} \sigma_i = \sigma_{i+1} \sigma_i \sigma_{i+1}, [\sigma_i, \sigma_j] = 0 \text{ for } |i-j| \geq 2)$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S_n = (\tau_1, \dots, \tau_{n-1} \mid \tau_i \tau_{i+1} \tau_i = \tau_{i+1} \tau_i \tau_{i+1}, \tau_i \tau_j = \tau_j \tau_i \text{ for } |i-j| \geq 2)$$

A well-known example of a "universal gate" is CNOT =  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .



CNOT + {Local Unitary Transforms  $V \rightarrow V$ }

generates all unitary transforms.

(Hence generates quantum computing)

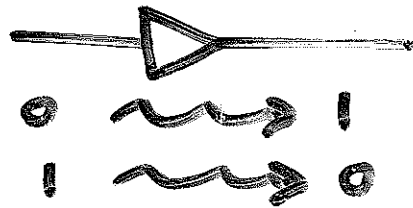
Theorem (The Brylinskis). A gate  $G: V \otimes V \rightarrow V \otimes V$  is universal (i.e. can replace CNOT above) if and only if  $G$  is entangling.  $\frac{|01\rangle + |10\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$

A gate  $G$  is entangling if  $G|\psi\rangle \in V \otimes V$  is not decomposable, as  $|\lambda\rangle \otimes |\mu\rangle$  for some  $|\psi\rangle$  that is decomposable.

(Fact:  $a_{00}|00\rangle + a_{01}|01\rangle + a_{10}|10\rangle + a_{11}|11\rangle$  is entangled  $\iff \text{Det} \begin{pmatrix} a_{00} & a_{01} \\ a_{10} & a_{11} \end{pmatrix} \neq 0$ .)

# Classical Bits

NOT



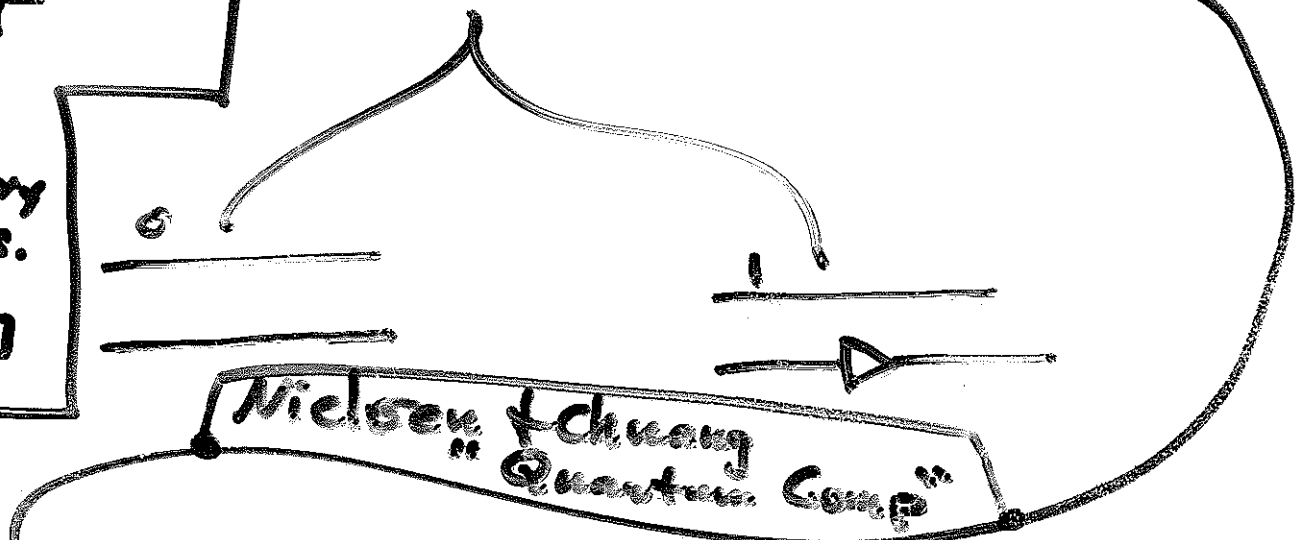
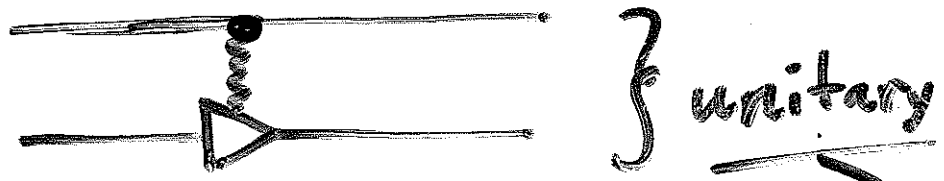
CNOT is entangling

$|\psi\rangle$  unentangled st.

$CNOT|\psi\rangle$  entangled st.

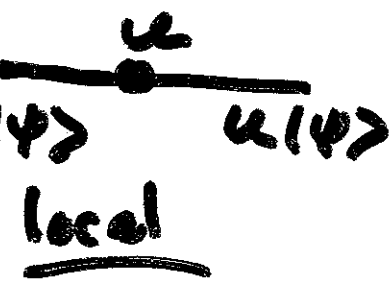
CNOT - controlled NOT

Suff for Quantum Comp:  
CNOT + local unitary transfs. (on one qubit)  $U(2)$



[CNOT]  
 $|01\rangle = |0\rangle \otimes |1\rangle$

	00	01	10	11
00	1	0	0	0
01	0	1	0	0
10	0	0	0	1
11	0	0	1	0



- CNOT  $|00\rangle = |100\rangle$
- CNOT  $|01\rangle = |101\rangle$
- CNOT  $|10\rangle = |110\rangle$
- CNOT  $|11\rangle = |110\rangle$

Examples of universal gates that are also solutions to the Yang-Baxter - Equation:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & b & 0 \\ 0 & b & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|a| = |b| = 1 \\ a^2 \neq b^2$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ (Bell Basis Matrix)}$$

This one can detect non-trivial linking such as the Borromean Rings.

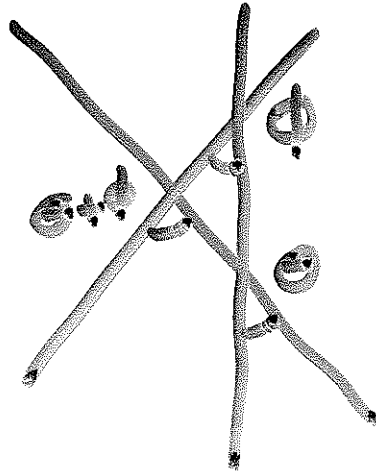
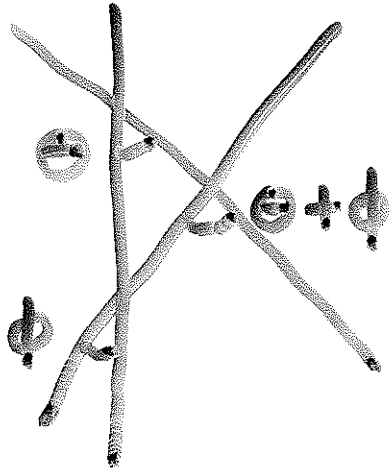


See <http://arxiv.org/abs/quant-ph/0401090>: "Braiding Operators are Univ Quantum Gates" + New J. Physics



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# Yang-Baxter Equation with spectral parameter

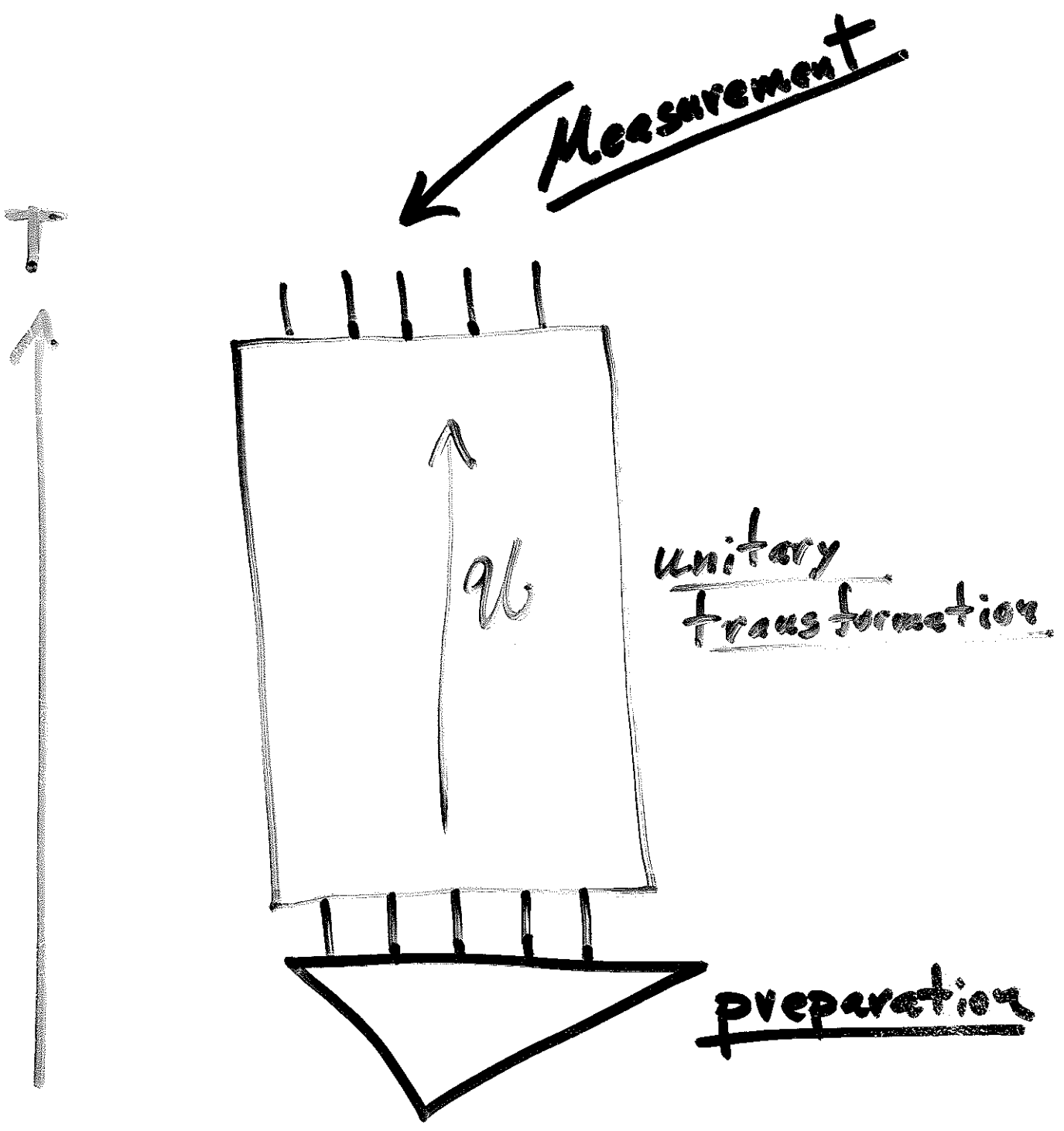


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(or  $\theta, \theta\gamma, \gamma$  or  $\gamma, \gamma\theta, \theta$ )

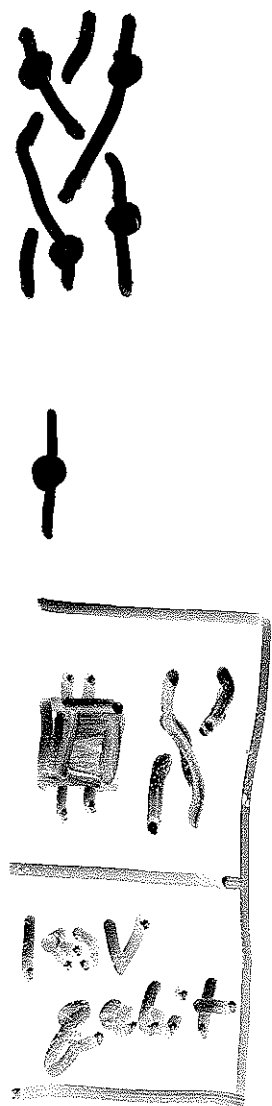
e.g. 
$$\begin{pmatrix} \gamma - \theta/\gamma & & & \\ & (-\frac{1}{\gamma} + \theta) \gamma & 1 - \gamma & \\ & 1 - \gamma & -\frac{1}{\gamma} + \theta & \\ & & & -\frac{1}{\gamma} + \theta \gamma \end{pmatrix}$$

unitary for  $|\gamma|=1$

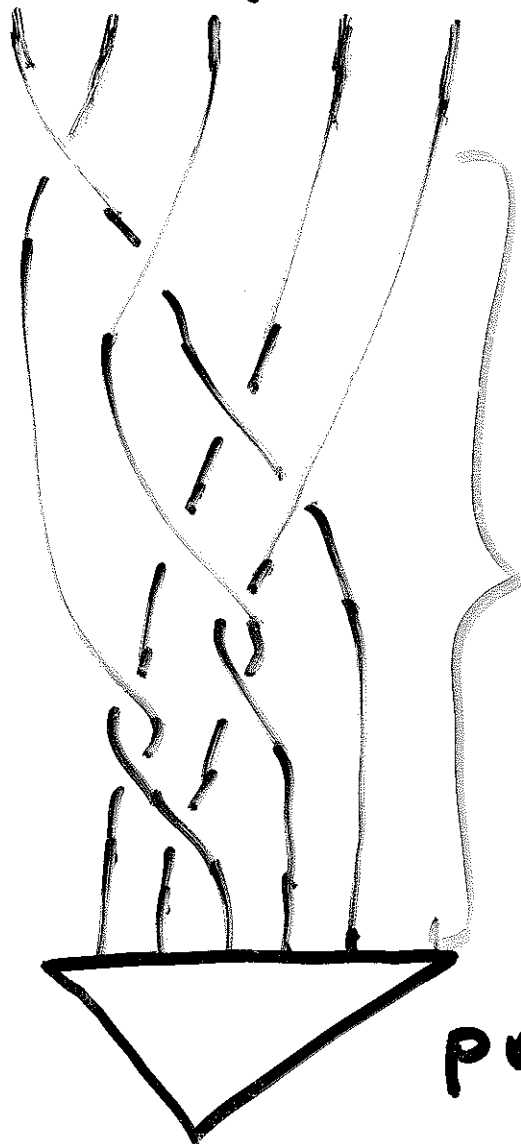


# A Quantum Computer





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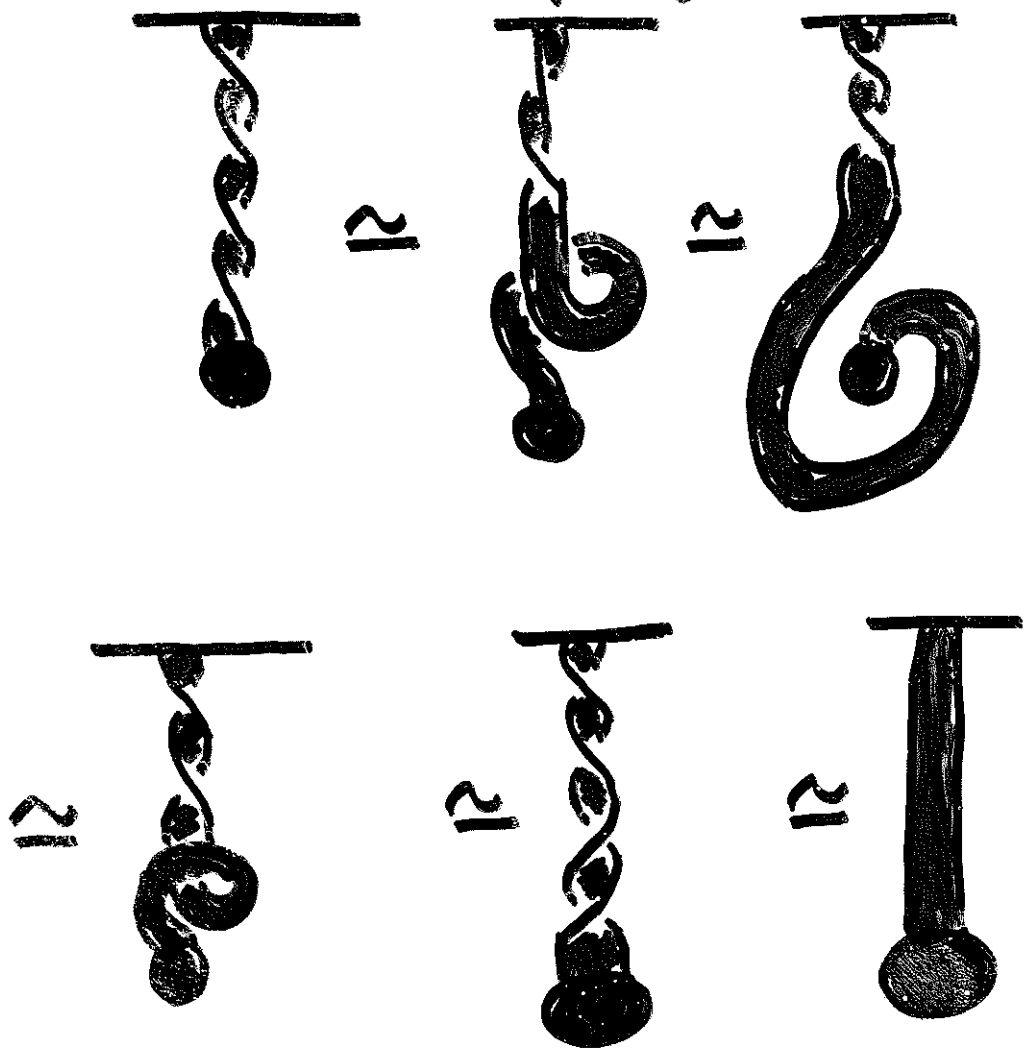


unitary  
braiding

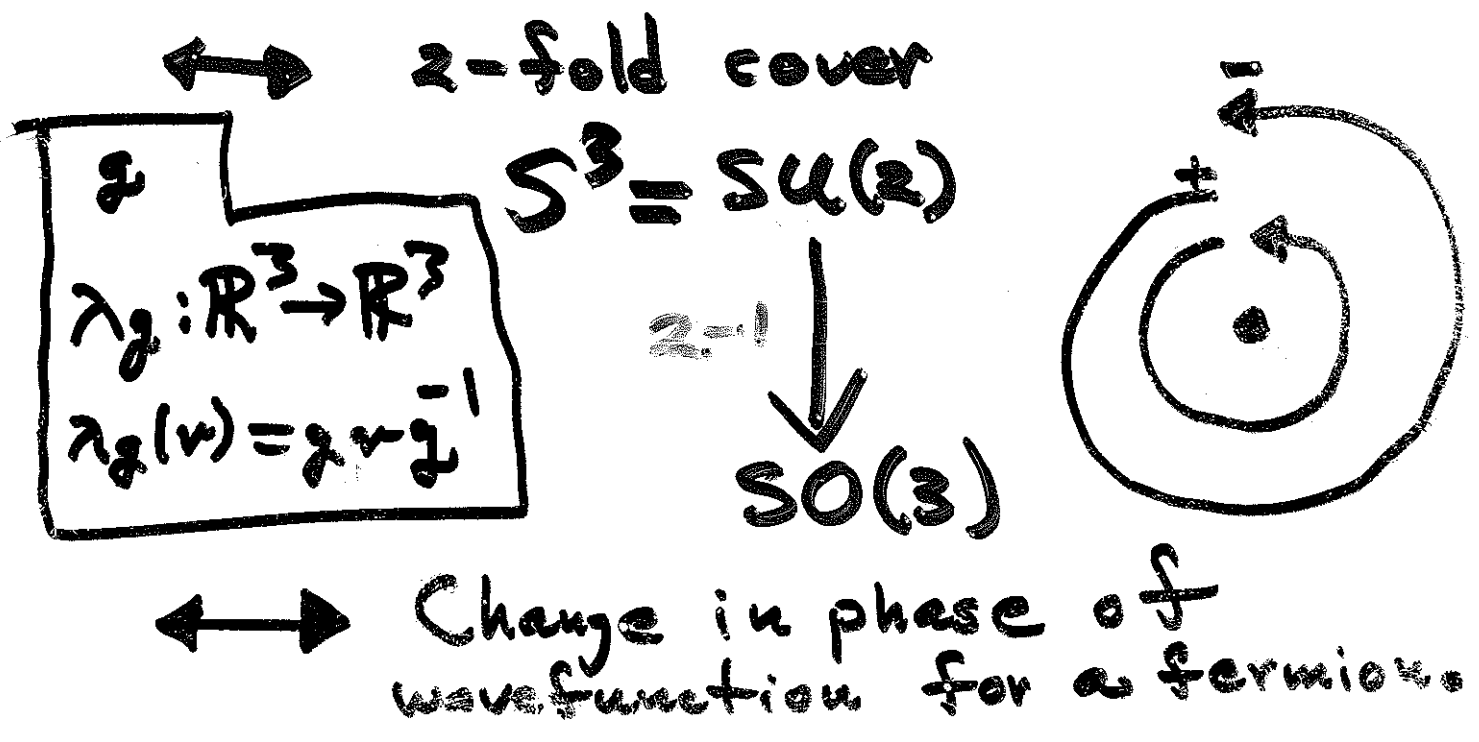
preparation

A Topological Quantum  
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Topology



Dirac String Trick



# Quaternions of Rotations

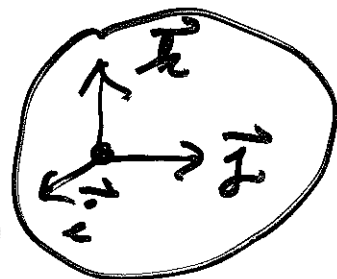
$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{a+bi}{c+di} & \frac{c+di}{a-bi} \\ -\frac{c+di}{a-bi} & \frac{a+bi}{c+di} \end{pmatrix} \in SU(2) \quad \begin{pmatrix} a+bi & c+di \\ -c+di & a-bi \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\longleftrightarrow a+bi + (c+di)j \\ &\parallel \\ &\boxed{a+bi+ej+dk} \end{aligned}$$

$$i^2 = j^2 = k^2 = ij = ji = -1$$

Quaternions can be written in form  $a + b\vec{u}$   $a^2 + b^2 = 1$   
 $e^{i\theta} \implies \vec{u} = u_1 i + u_2 j + u_3 k \in S^2 \subset \mathbb{R}^3$

$$\boxed{\vec{u}\vec{v} = -\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} + \vec{u} \times \vec{v}}$$



$$\pi: SU(2) \longrightarrow SO(3)$$

$$\pi(g)\vec{v} = g\vec{v}\bar{g}$$

$$g = a + b\vec{u}, \quad \bar{g} = a - b\vec{u}$$

$$a = \cos(\theta/2)$$

$\pi(g) =$  rotation about  $\vec{u}$  by angle  $\theta$ .

$$g\vec{v}\bar{g} = (a^2 - b^2)\vec{v} + 2ab\vec{v} \times \vec{u} + 2(\vec{v} \cdot \vec{u})b^2\vec{u}$$



# Solving Braid Relation in $SU(2)$

$g, h \in SU(2) =$  unit length  
quaternions.

$$|x| \leftrightarrow g \quad |y| \leftrightarrow h$$

$$\text{Want } g h g = h g h$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \bar{h}^{-1} g h = g h g^{-1}$$

$$\text{If } g = a + b u, \quad a^2 + b^2 = 1, u \in \mathbb{R}^3 \\ h = c + d v, \quad c^2 + d^2 = 1, v \in \mathbb{R}^3 \\ \|u\| = \|v\| = 1$$

$$g h g^{-1} = a + b u^g, \\ \bar{h}^{-1} g h = c + d v^{\bar{h}^{-1}}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = c, d = \pm b. \text{ Take } d = b.$$

$$\text{So } \begin{cases} g = a + b u \\ h = a + b v \end{cases} \quad (u^g = v^{\bar{h}^{-1}})$$



$\leftrightarrow$  (some calculation)

$$u \cdot v = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{2b^2}$$

So lots of representations

$B_3 \xrightarrow{\text{can be}} SU(2)$   
even dense in  $SU(2)$

$$\boxed{g = a + bu, \quad h = a + bv}$$

$$ghg = (a + bu)(a + bv)(a + bu)$$

$$= (a^2 + abv + abu + b^2uv)(a + bu)$$

$$= a^3 + a^2bv + a^2bu + ab^2uv$$

$$- ab^2 + a^2bu + ab^2vu$$

$$+ b^3uvu$$

$$= a^3 - ab^2 + 2a^2bu + a^2bv$$

$$+ ab^2(uv + vu)$$

$$+ b^3 \underbrace{uvu}_{-2(u \cdot v) + v}$$

$$- 2u \cdot v$$

$$= (a^3 - ab^2 - 2ab^2u \cdot v)$$

$$+ (2a^2b - 2b^3u \cdot v)u$$

$$+ (a^2b + b^3)v$$

$$ghg = hgh \iff a^2b + b^3 = 2a^2b - 2b^3(u \cdot v)$$

$$\iff b^3 = a^2b - 2b^3u \cdot v$$

$$2u \cdot v = \frac{a^2b - b^3}{b^3} = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{b^2}$$

$$\boxed{u \cdot v = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{2b^2}}$$

# Example

$$g = e^{i\theta} = a + bi$$

$$a = \cos(\theta)$$

$$b = \sin(\theta)$$

$$h = a + b[(c^2 - s^2)i + 2csk]$$

$$c^2 + s^2 = 1$$

$$\nabla \text{ require } c^2 - s^2 = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{2b^2}$$

$$\text{Then } g \leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\theta} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-i\theta} \end{pmatrix} = G$$

$$H = FGF^*$$

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} ic & is \\ is & -ic \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Then } \underline{GHG = HGH}$$

Deformed Spin Nets and the Jones Poly  
Bracket Polynomial Model (of Jones polynomial) (16)  
Later!

$$\begin{aligned} \diagdown = A \cup + A^{-1} \cap \\ \bigcirc = -A^2 - A^{-2} = \delta \end{aligned}$$

e.g.  $\infty = A \infty + A^{-1} \bigcirc \bigcirc$   
 $= A\delta + A^{-1}\delta^2$

$$\diagup = A^{-1} \cup + A \cap$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (A + A^{-1}\delta)\delta \\ &= (-A^{-3})\delta = \langle \infty \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$K \longmapsto \langle K \rangle$   
 invariant under

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} \bigcirc &\leftrightarrow \bigcirc \\ \diagdown &\leftrightarrow \diagup \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Normalize by powers of  $(-A^3)$   
 to get invariance under  $\cong \leftrightarrow \cong$

$$\langle 00 \rangle = \delta = -A^2 - A^{-2}$$

(16.1)

$$\langle \text{cross} \rangle = A \langle \text{cup} \rangle + A^{-1} \langle \text{cap} \rangle$$

$K^*$  = mirror image

$\Rightarrow$

$$f_{K^*}(A)$$

$$= f_K(A^{-1})$$

$$= A(-A^3) + A^{-1}(-A^{-3})$$

$$= -A^4 - A^{-4}$$

$$\omega(K) = 3$$

$K$

$$\langle \text{cross}^2 \rangle = A \langle \text{cross} \rangle + A^{-1} \langle \text{cross} \rangle$$

$$= A(-A^4 - A^{-4}) + A^{-1}(-A^{-3})^2$$

$$= -A^5 - A^{-3} + A^{-7}$$

$$f_K = (-A^3)^{-3} (-A^5 - A^{-3} + A^{-7}) = A^{-4} + A^{-12} - A^{-16}$$

$$\langle \dots | \dot{\lambda} | \dots \rangle = A \langle \dots | \dot{\lambda} | \dots \rangle$$

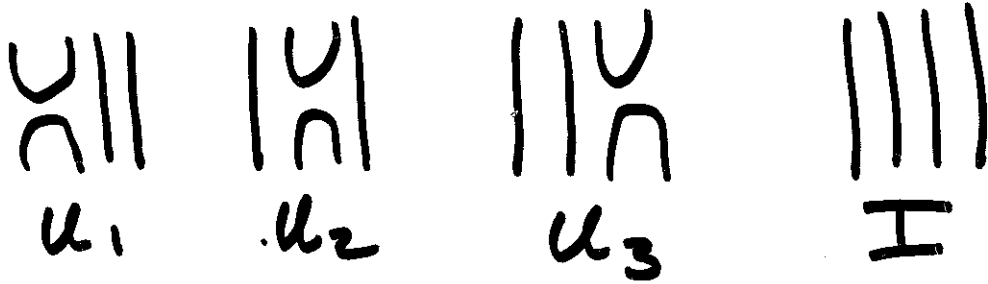
$$+ A^{-1} \langle \dots | \dots | \dots \rangle$$

$$\langle \sigma_i \rangle = A \langle u_i \rangle + A^{-1} \langle \mathbb{1} \rangle$$

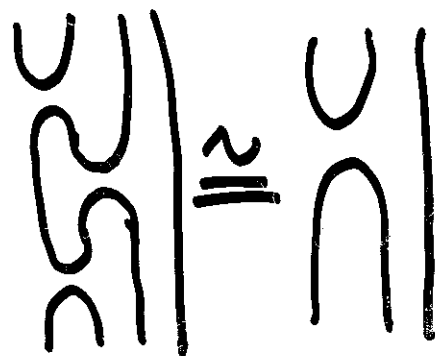
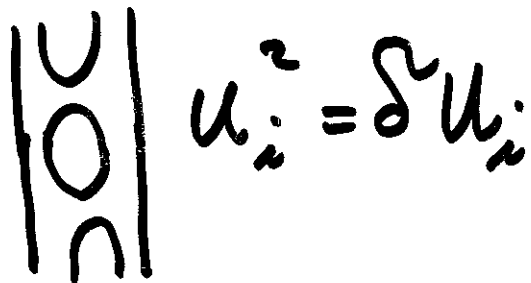
Representation of Braid Group  
to Temperley-Lieb Algebra.



# Temperley Lieb Algebra



$0 \approx$



$u_i u_{i+1} u_i \approx u_i$

$u_i u_j = u_j u_i$   
 $|i - j| \geq 2$

But Also

$P = |\omega\rangle\langle\omega|$  ,  $Q = |\omega\rangle\langle\omega|$

$\Rightarrow P Q P = \kappa P$



# Making Unitary Braid Group (a)

## Representations

$$\rho(\sigma) = AU + A^{-1}I$$

$$U \leftrightarrow \bigwedge, I \rightarrow \parallel$$

$$\text{If } U = \bigwedge_{a,b} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & iA \\ -iA^{-1} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

then  $\rho(\sigma)$  unitary just for  $A = \pm i$

Needed: other reps of TL.

$$\text{N.B. } P = \triangleright \triangleleft, Q = \lrcorner \llcorner$$

$$P^2 = \diamond P, Q^2 = \square Q$$

$$PQP = \triangleright \diamond \triangleleft = \diamond \diamond P$$

So can use

$$P = |\psi\rangle\langle\psi|$$

$$Q = |\omega\rangle\langle\omega|$$

$$\text{N.B. } \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ b & a \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a^2 & ab \\ ab & b^2 \end{pmatrix} = \underline{\underline{|\psi\rangle\langle\psi|}}$$

$a^2 + b^2 = 1$  and use  
to make  $P$ 's,  $Q$ 's.

$$u_1 = \delta \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b)

$$u_2 = \delta \begin{bmatrix} a^2 & ab \\ ab & b^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a^2 + b^2 = 1$$

$$\delta = a^{-2}$$

$$e_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = |(\uparrow)\rangle \langle (\uparrow)|$$

$$e_2 = \begin{bmatrix} a^2 & ab \\ ab & b^2 \end{bmatrix} = |(\downarrow)\rangle \langle (\downarrow)|$$

$$e_1^2 = e_1, \quad e_2^2 = e_2$$

$$e_1 e_2 e_1 = a^2 e_1$$

$$e_1 e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} a^2 & ab \\ a & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$e_2 e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} a^2 & 0 \\ ab & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Tr}(u_1) = \delta$$

$$\text{Tr}(u_2) = \delta$$

$$\text{Tr}(u_1 u_2) = 1$$

$$u_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \delta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad u_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \delta^{-1} & \sqrt{1-\delta^{-2}} \\ \sqrt{1-\delta^{-2}} & \delta^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$\frac{u_1}{n_1}$	$\frac{u_2}{n_2}$	$\frac{u_1 u_2}{n}$
$u_1$	$u_2$	$u_1 u_2$

$$\rho(X|) = A U_1 + A^{-1} I$$

$$\rho(|X) = A U_2 + A^{-1} I$$

(c)

$$\delta = -A^2 - A^{-2}, A = e^{i\theta}$$

$$= -2 \cos(2\theta)$$

$$\text{Need } \delta^2 \geq 1 : \underline{\underline{\cos^2(2\theta) \geq \frac{1}{4}}}$$

$\rho$  gives unitary rep of  $f$   
3-strand braids  $\longrightarrow U(2)$   
 $B_3$

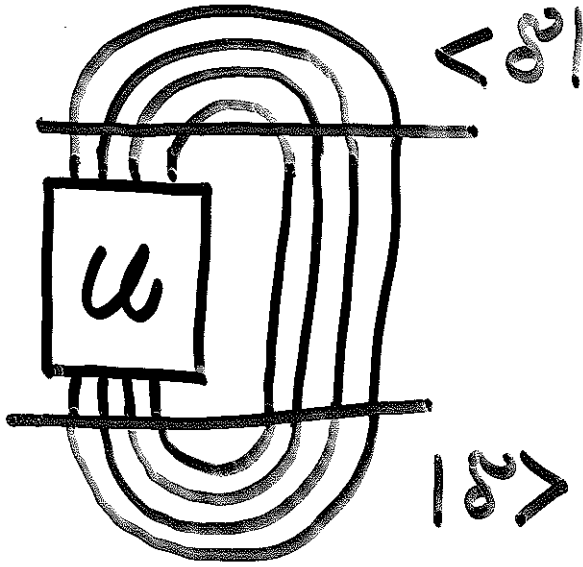
and bracket poly given by

$$\langle b \rangle = \text{tr}(\rho(b)) + A^{\uparrow(b)} (\delta^2 - 2)$$

$\uparrow(b)$  = sum of exponents of  $b$  mid

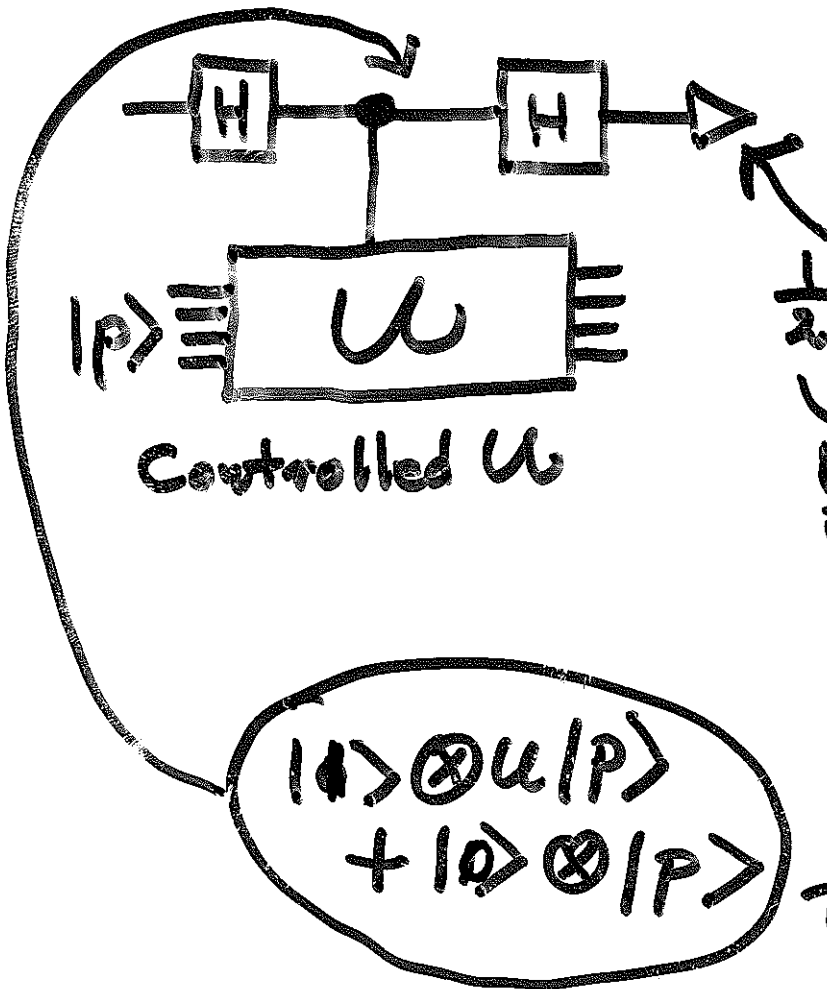
Calculate the trace by "interferometry".  
Jones Poly for  $B_3$  via quantum computation.

# Trace



$$|\delta\rangle = \sum_{\alpha} |\alpha\rangle \langle \alpha| / \sqrt{2^n}$$

$$\langle \delta | u | \delta \rangle = |\text{tr}(u)| / 2^n$$



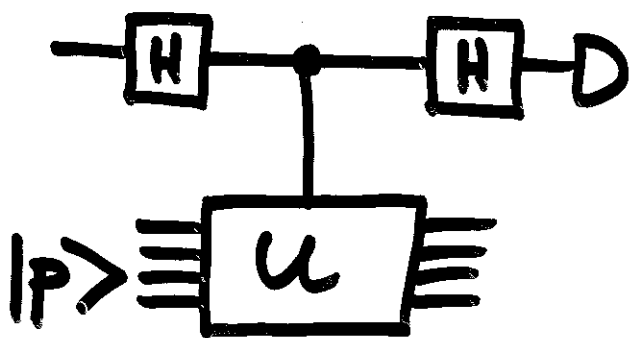
Controlled  $u$

$$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \text{Re}(\langle P | u | P \rangle)$$

Expectation  
Value of  
the process

$$|0\rangle \otimes u | P \rangle + |1\rangle \otimes | P \rangle$$

Then apply H.



$$H|0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$$

$$H|1\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$$

$$(H|0\rangle) \otimes |P\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes |P\rangle$$

controlled  $U$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle \otimes |P\rangle + |1\rangle \otimes U|P\rangle)$$

$\downarrow H \otimes id$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes |P\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \otimes U|P\rangle \right)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle \otimes (|P\rangle - U|P\rangle) + |1\rangle \otimes (|P\rangle + U|P\rangle))$$

$\downarrow$  measure

$$|0\rangle : \frac{| |P\rangle + U|P\rangle |^2}{4} = \frac{\langle P|U^*|P\rangle + \langle P|P\rangle + \langle P|P\rangle + \langle P|U|P\rangle}{4}$$

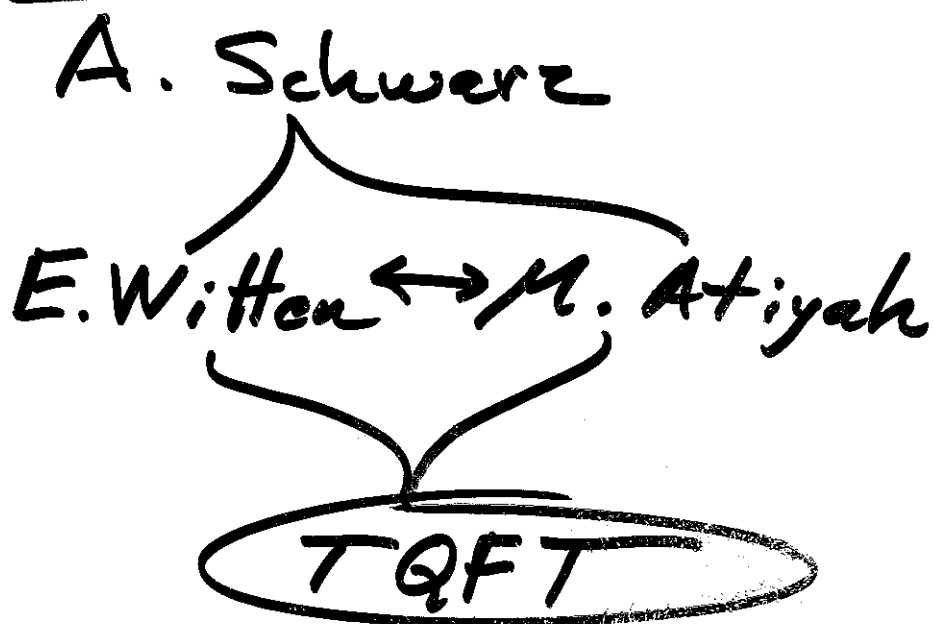
$$= \frac{1}{2} + 2 \text{Re} \langle P|U|P\rangle$$

Braiding Operators still ⑤  
need arbitrary elts of  $U(2)$   
for local unitary transts.  
(but see previous remark)

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Freedman, Kitaev, Larsen,  
Wang suggest using  
topological quantum field theory  
to make deeper models.  
These theories can be used  
to produce unitary braid  
group representations.

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# II. Fibonacci Anyons and Knot Theoretic

## Models (For Fibonacci Anyons, see notes of Kitaev and notes of Preskill)

Very simple particle theory.

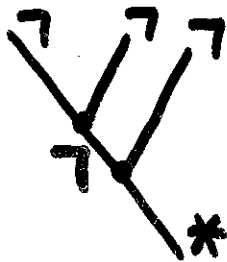
Two particles:  $\top$  "marked"  
                   $*$  "unmarked"

$*$  acts as an empty word.

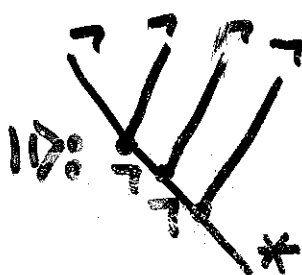
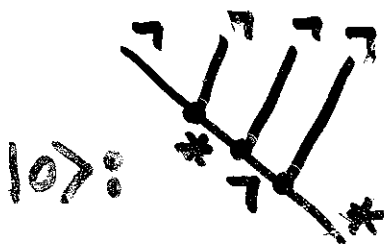
$\top$  can interact with itself to produce  $*$  or  $\top$ .



Consider spaces of multiple interactions:



$$\dim V_{*}^{\top\top\top} = 1$$

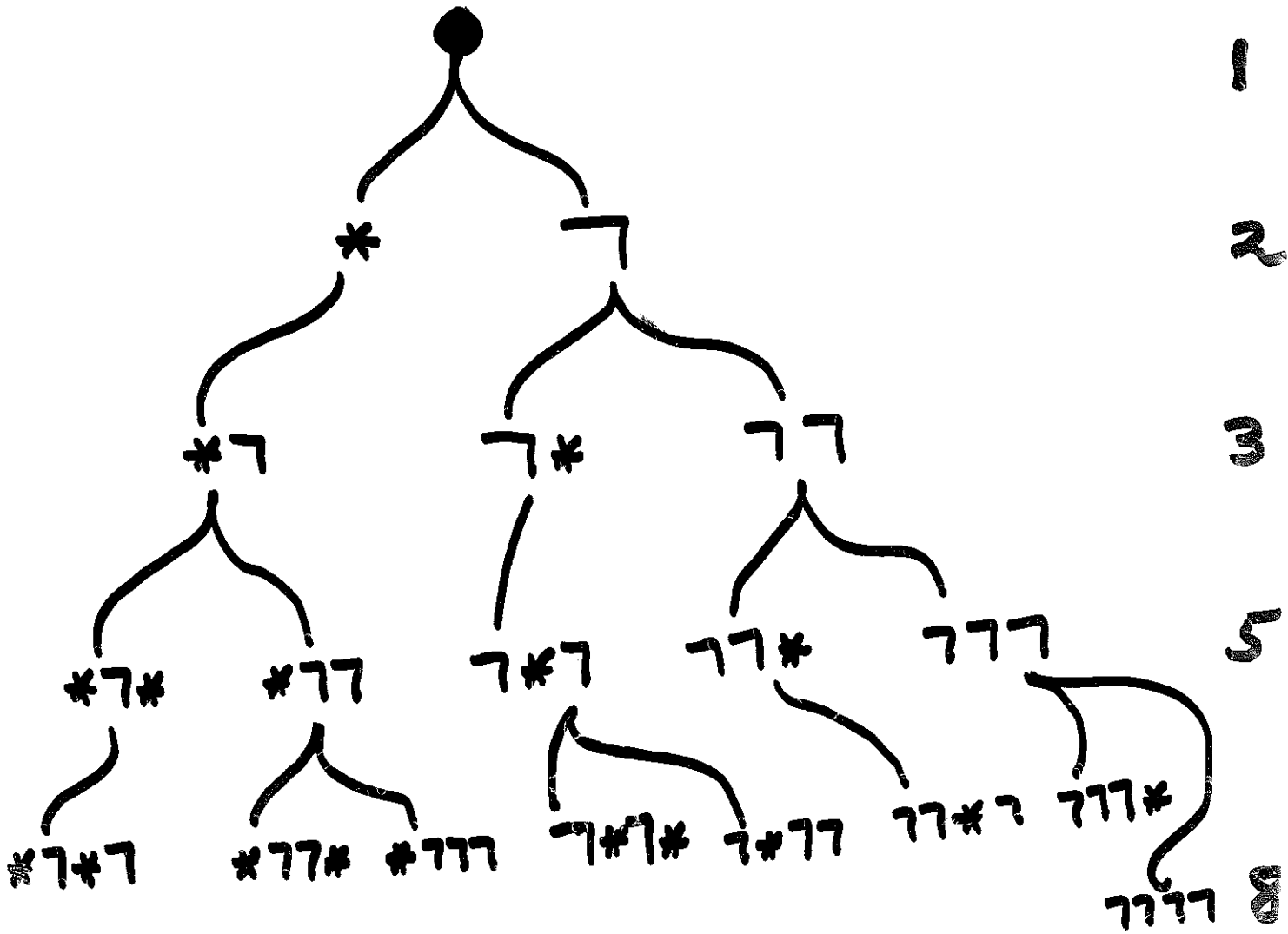


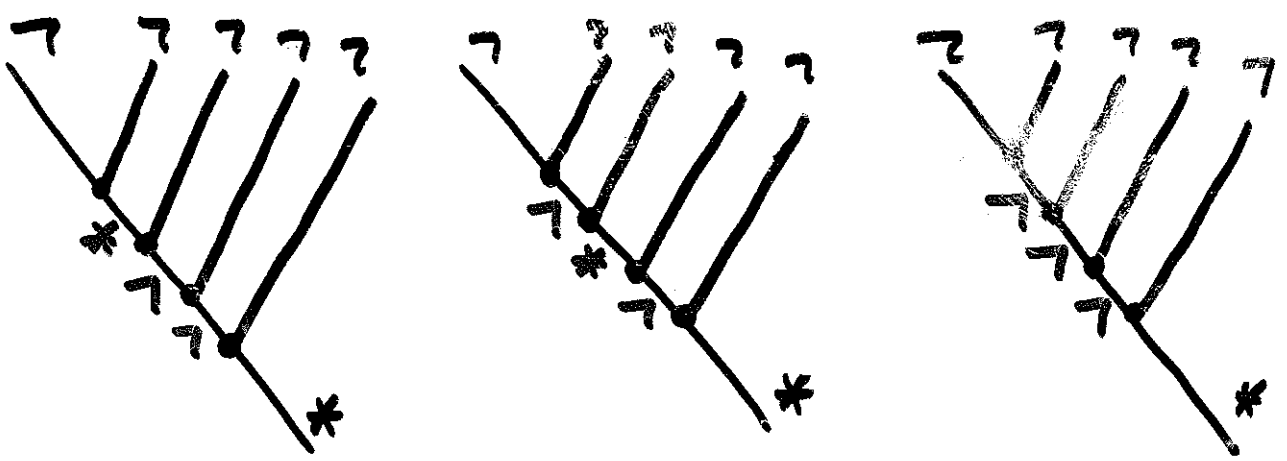
$$\dim V_{*}^{\top\top\top\top} = 2$$



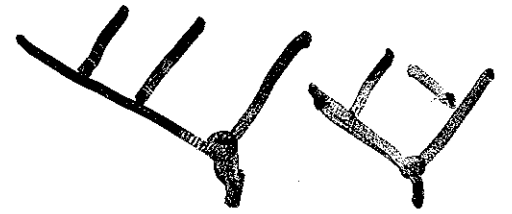
Seq in 7, \*

\*\* forbidden





$\dim V_*^{7^5} = 3$

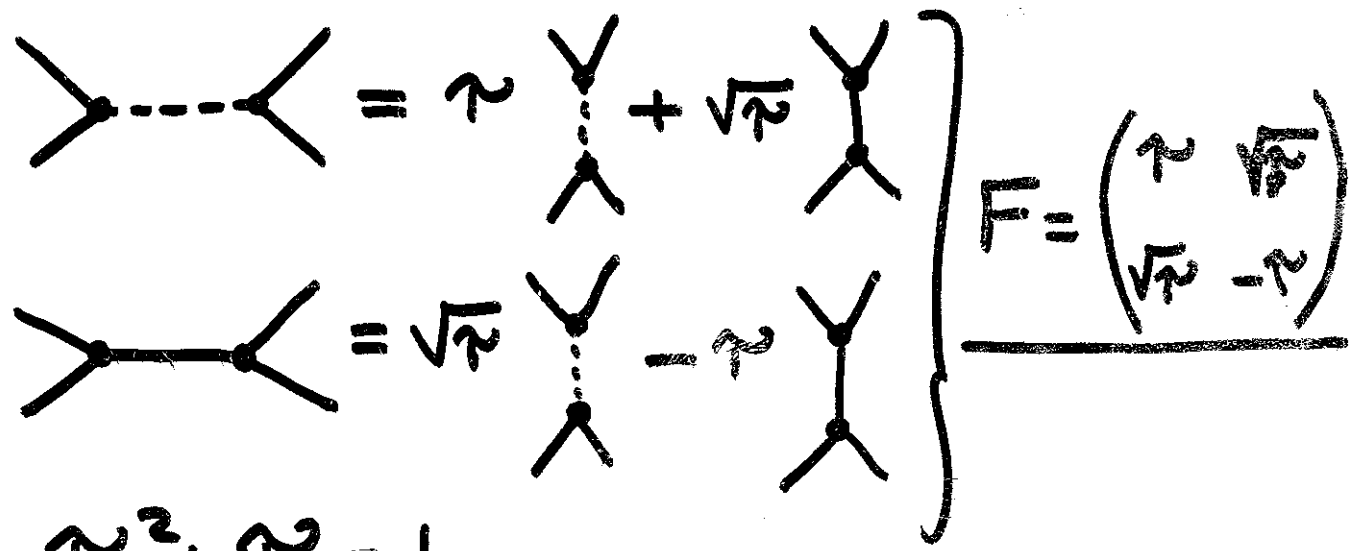
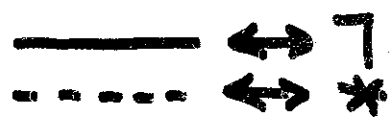


Generally:  $\dim V_*^{(n)}$

$n$	3	4	5	6	7
$\dim$	1	2	3	5	8

Fibonacci numbers

Recoupling



$\tau^2 + \tau = 1$   
 $(\tau = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2})$

# Braiding

(13)

$$\text{Y} = -e^{i2\pi/5} \text{Y}$$

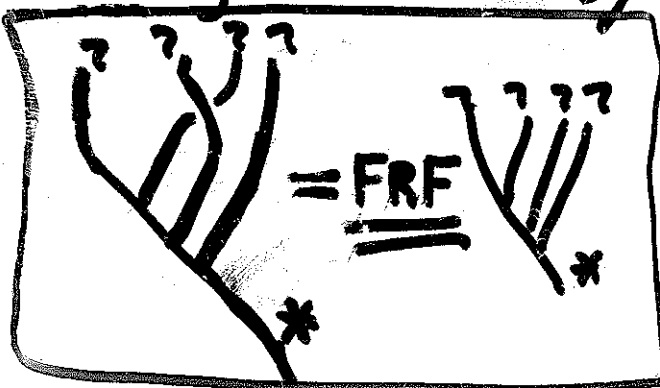
$$\text{Y} = e^{i4\pi/5} \text{Y}$$

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} e^{4\pi i/5} & 0 \\ 0 & -e^{2\pi i/5} \end{pmatrix}$$

$V = \sqrt{7777}$  is acted on by  $B_3 = 3$  strand braids

generated by  $\swarrow \equiv S_1 \leftrightarrow R$

$\searrow \equiv S_2 \leftrightarrow FRF$



In the Fibonacci Model,  
braids act on the single  
qubit space and

these representations of  
the braid groups

$$\rho: B_{f_{n+1}} \rightarrow \text{Aut}(V_*^{f_{n+2}})$$

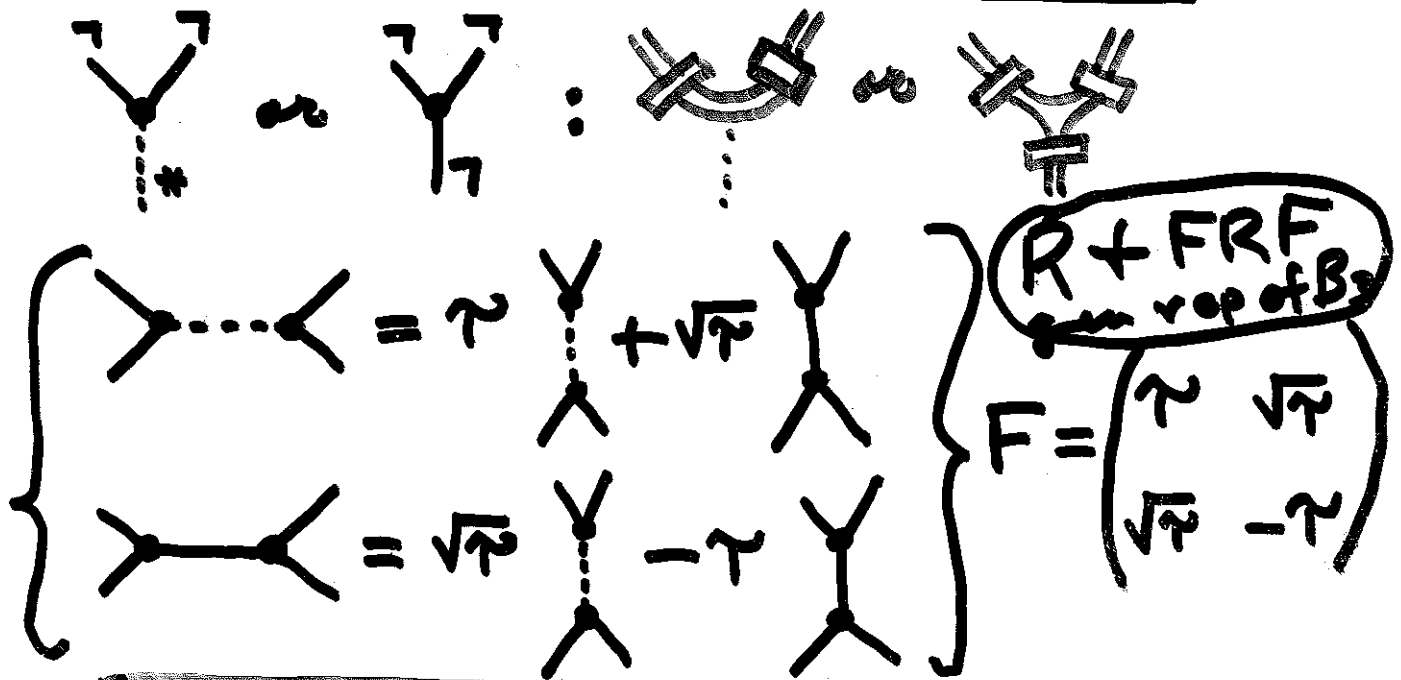
1	1	2	3	5	8	13	...
$f_0$	$f_1$	$f_2$	$f_3$	$f_4$	$f_5$	$f_6$	...

are dense in the corresponding  
unitary groups.

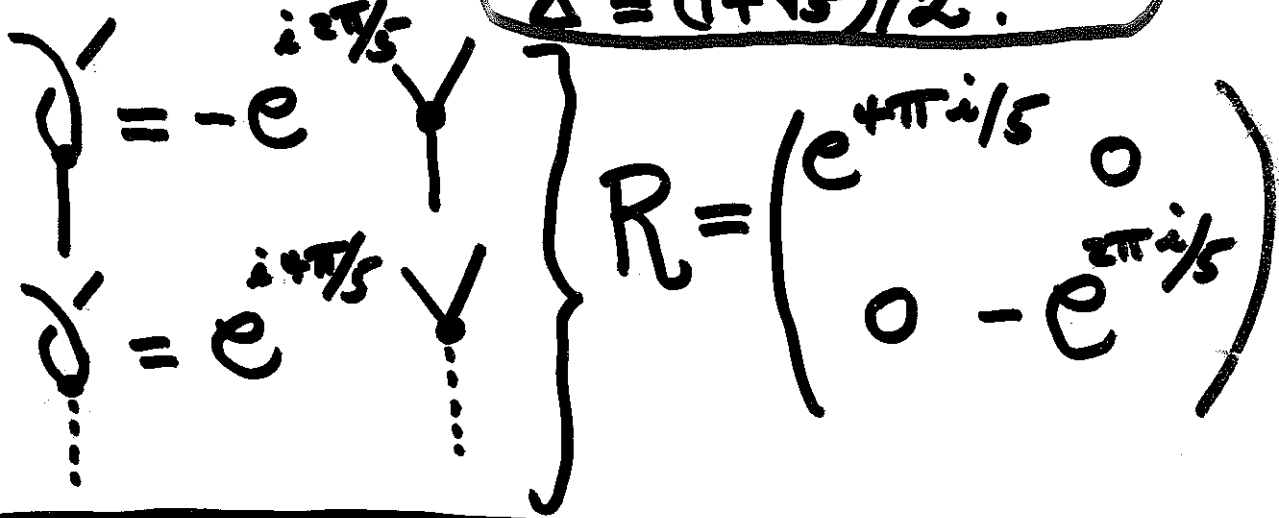
$$\rho(B_{f_{n+1}}) \text{ dense in } U(f_n)$$

This provides an in-principle  
representation of quantum  
computing in terms of braid groups.

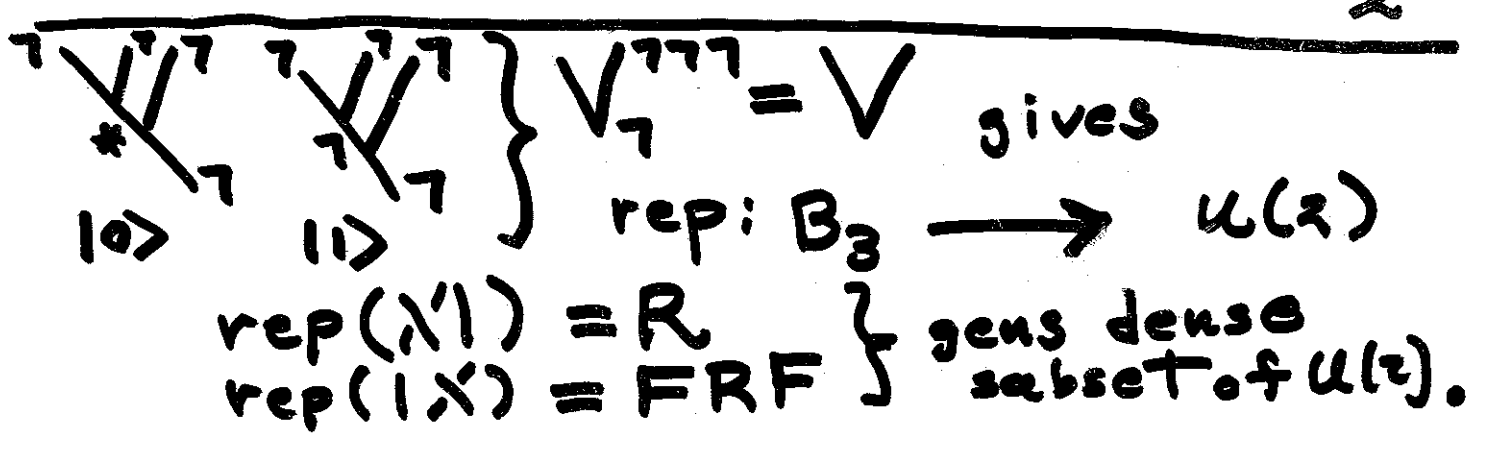
# Fibonacci Model in a Natshell



$\tau^2 + \tau = 1, \tau = \frac{1}{\Delta}, \Delta^2 = 1 + \Delta$   
 $\Delta = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$



$A = e^{3\pi i/5}, \delta = -A^2 - A^{-2} = -2 \cos(6\pi/5) = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$



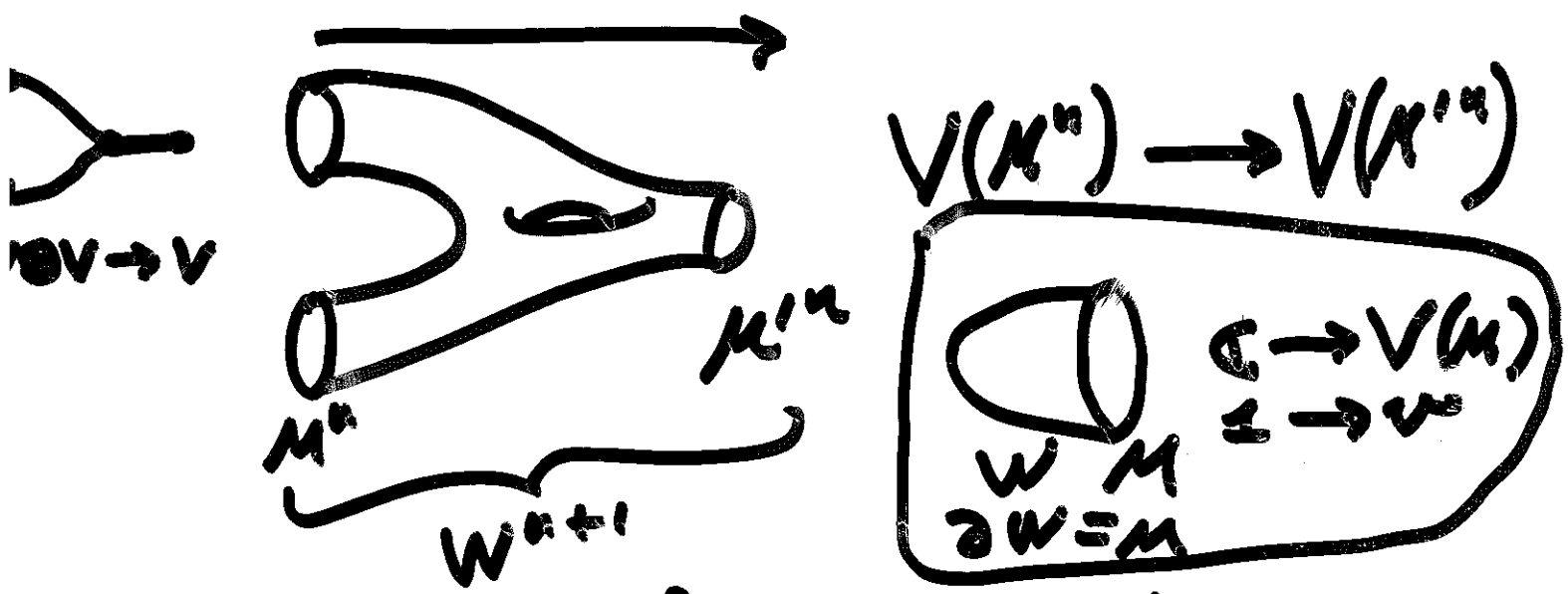
TQFT

Spin Net Works


*and*

...

Idea: Category of cobordisms of manifolds  $M^n$



Functor from Cobordisms to Vect.

For 3-manifolds, one thinks of  $M^3 = M^3_- \cup M^3_+$  +   
 $M^3_- \cap M^3_+ = S$ , a surface  
 $V(S) =$  vector space assoc with  $S$ .

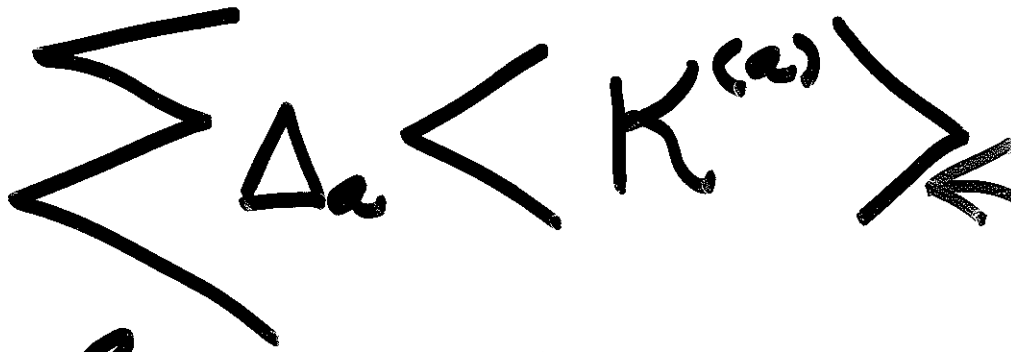
$M^3_+ : V(S) \rightarrow \mathbb{C} = \langle M^3_+ |$   
 $M^3_- : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow V(S) = | M^3_- \rangle$   
 $I(M^3) = \langle M^3_+ | M^3_- \rangle$  the invariant.

# 3-Manifold Invariants

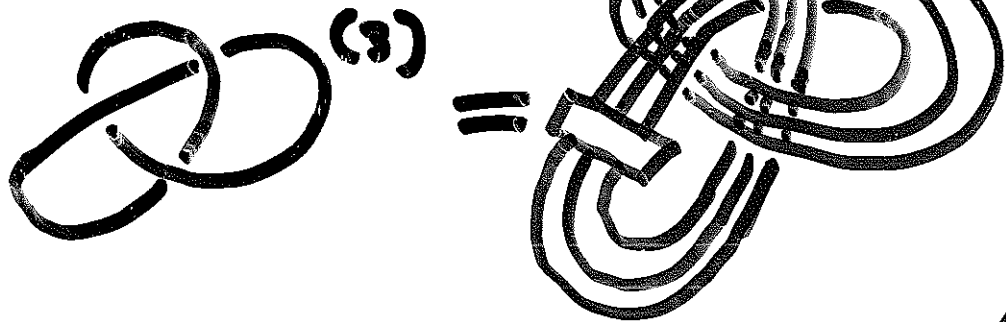
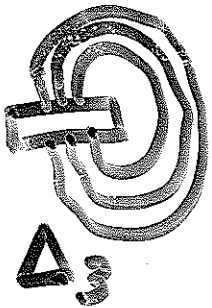
$$\int_{\mathcal{D}A \subset \mathcal{C}} \frac{ik}{4\pi} \int_{M^3} \text{tr}_0(A \wedge dA + \frac{2}{3} A \wedge A \wedge A)$$



$M^3 = M^3(K)$   
surgery along  $K$



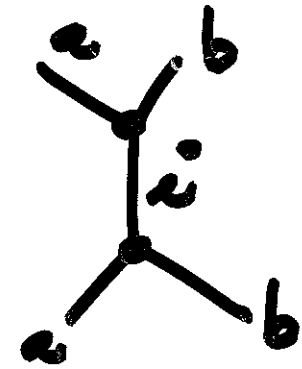
$a \in \text{admissible}$



un-normalized 3 mfd invar

Question: Direct Heuristics??

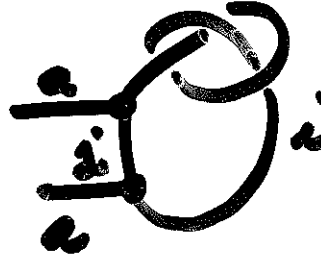


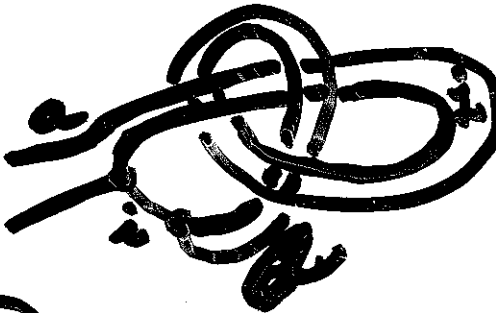
$$a) \left( b \right) = \sum_{i_1} \frac{\Delta_{i_1}}{\Theta(a, b, i_1)}$$


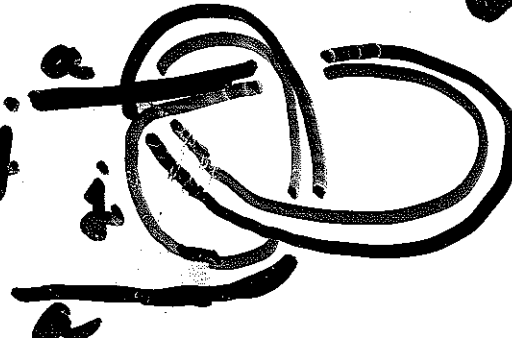
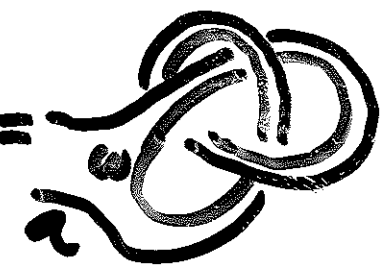
$$\mathcal{D}^a = \sum_{i_1} \Delta_{i_1} \mathcal{D}_{i_1}^a$$

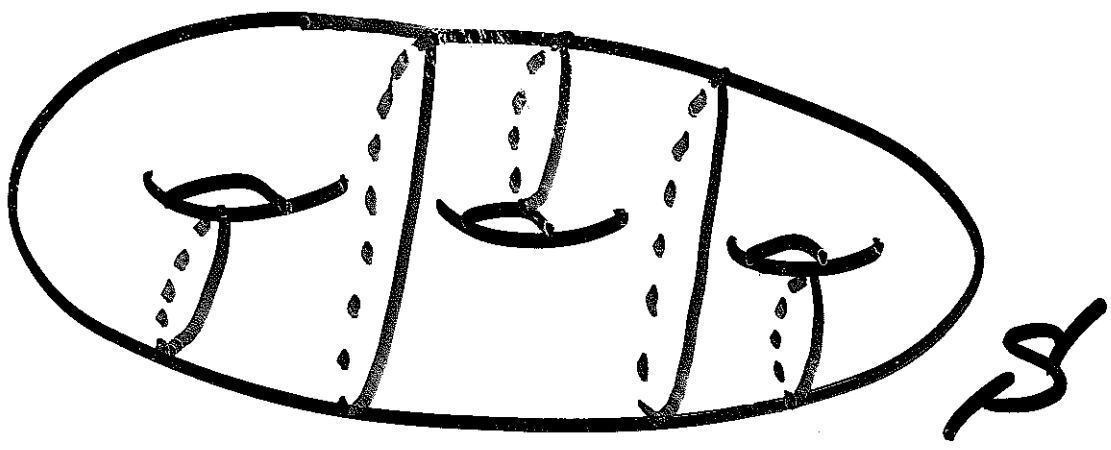

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$$\vec{\mathcal{D}}^a = \sum_{i_1} \Delta_{i_1} \vec{\mathcal{D}}_{i_1}^a$$

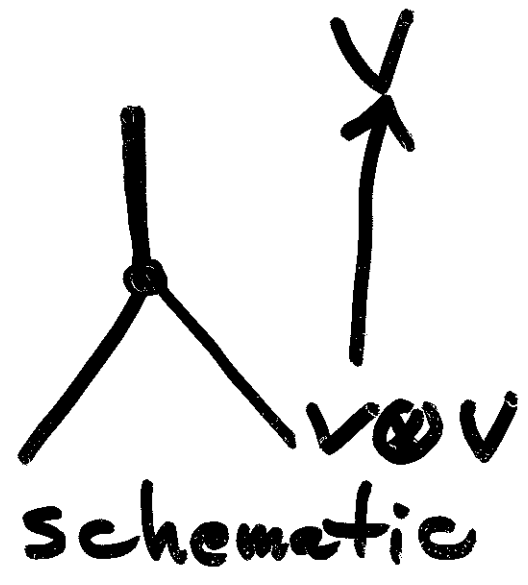
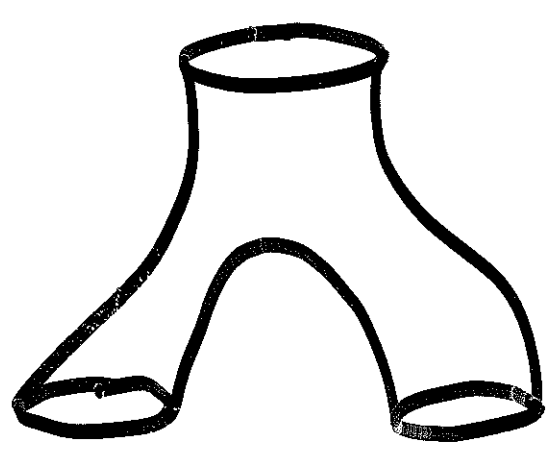
$$= \sum_{i_1, j_1} \frac{\Delta_{i_1} \Delta_{j_1}}{\Theta(a, i_1, j_1)}$$


$$= \sum_{i_1, j_1} \frac{\Delta_{i_1} \Delta_{j_1}}{\Theta(a, i_1, j_1)}$$


$$= \sum_{i_1, j_1} \Delta_{j_1}$$



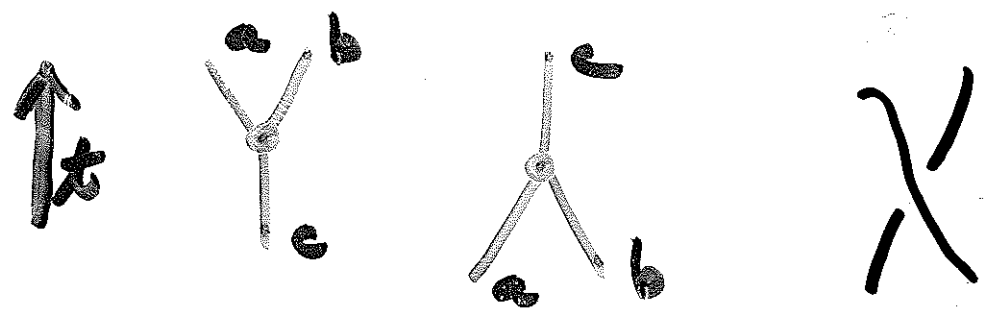


Surfaces can be decomposed into "pairs of pants"



Underlying the structure of  $V(S)$  is a theory of "particle interactions" with fusion and reaction vertices

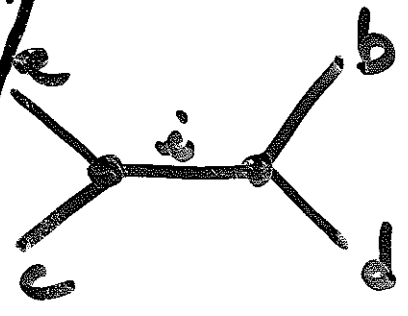




These "particle interactions" need to satisfy certain compatibility conditions to make the TQFT work:

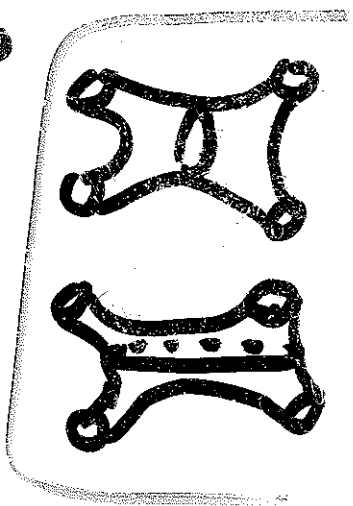
$$\begin{array}{c} a \\ \diagdown \\ \text{---} \\ \diagup \\ b \\ | \\ c \end{array} = R_{ab}^c \begin{array}{c} a \\ \diagdown \\ \text{---} \\ \diagup \\ b \\ | \\ c \end{array}$$

braiding operators

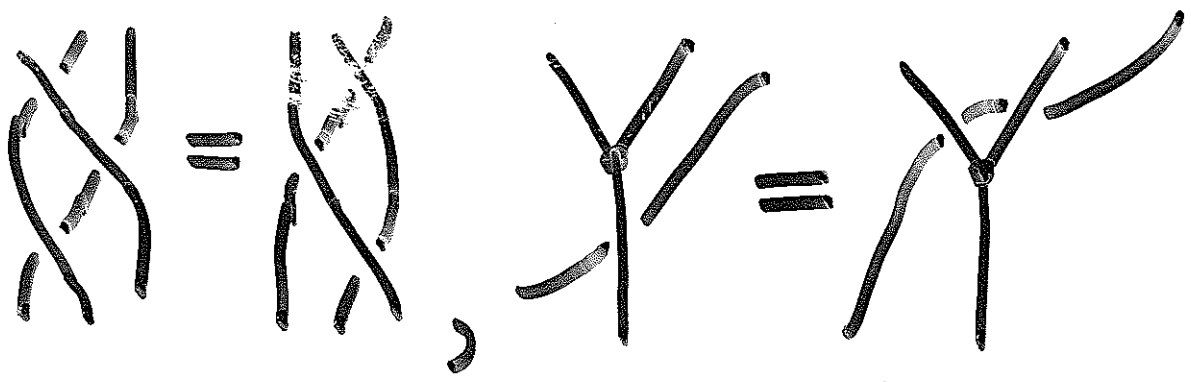


$$\sum_j \begin{Bmatrix} a & b & i \\ c & d & j \end{Bmatrix} \begin{array}{c} a \\ \diagdown \\ \text{---} \\ \diagup \\ b \\ | \\ c \\ | \\ d \end{array}$$

recoupling formulas

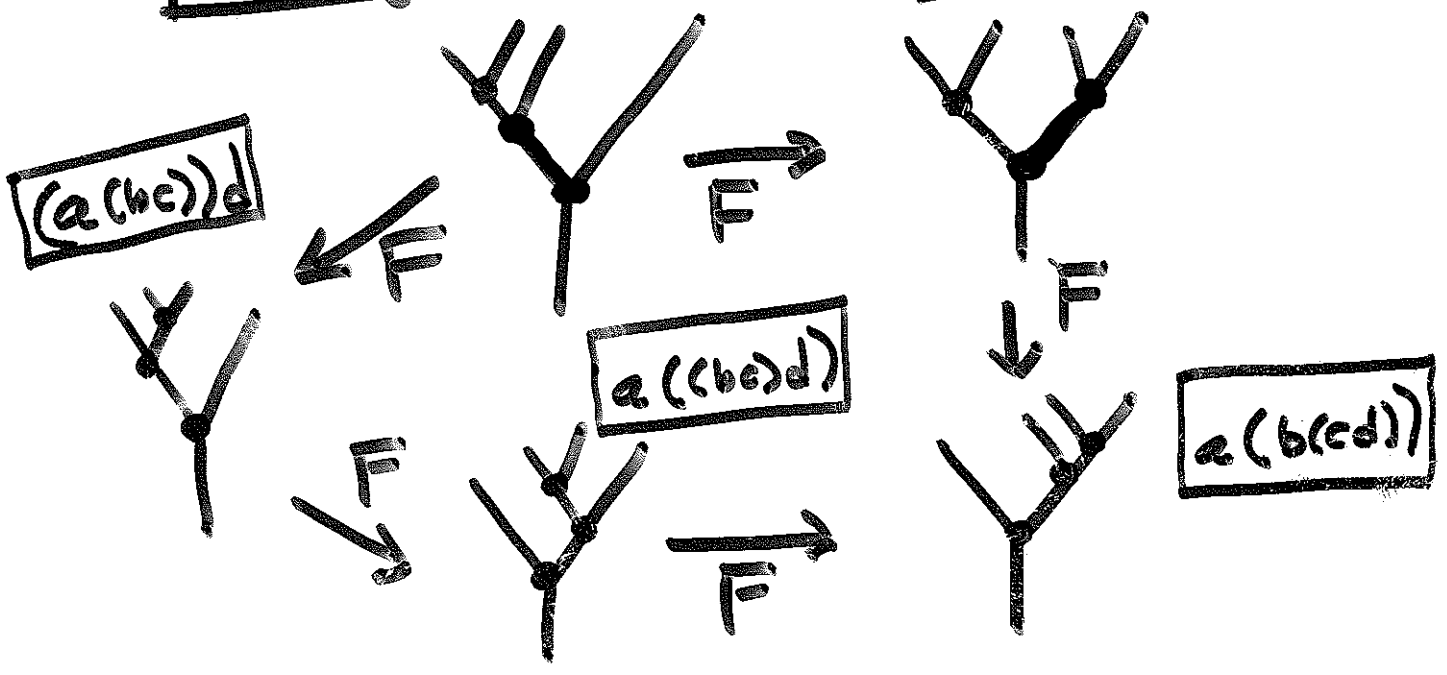


Identities : { braiding, pentagon, naturality, hexagon }

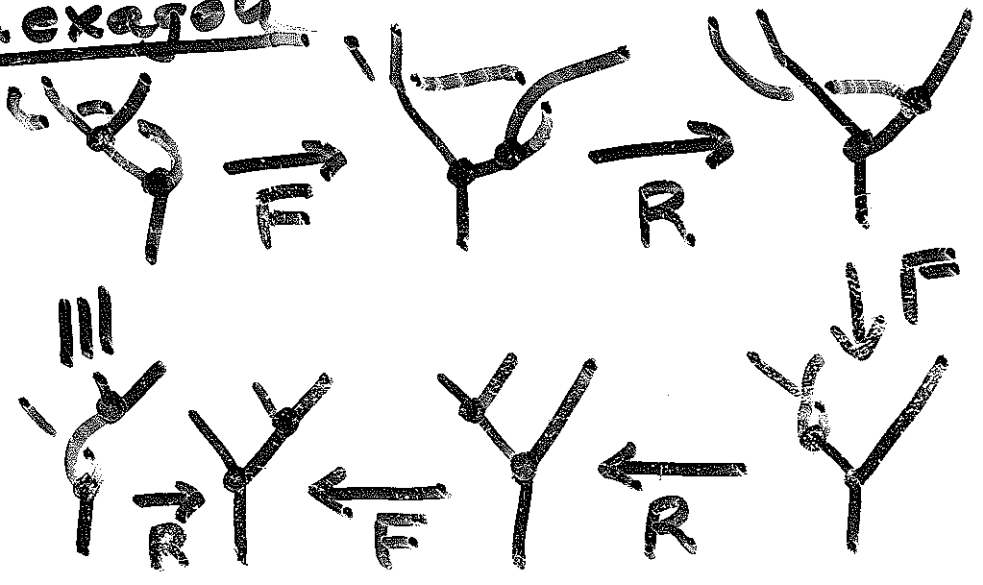


• braiding and naturality

• pentagon  $(a(b)c)d$   $(ab)(cd)$



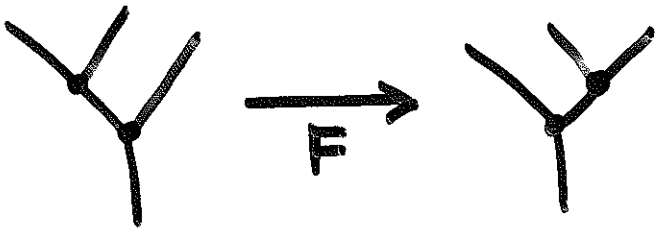
• hexagon



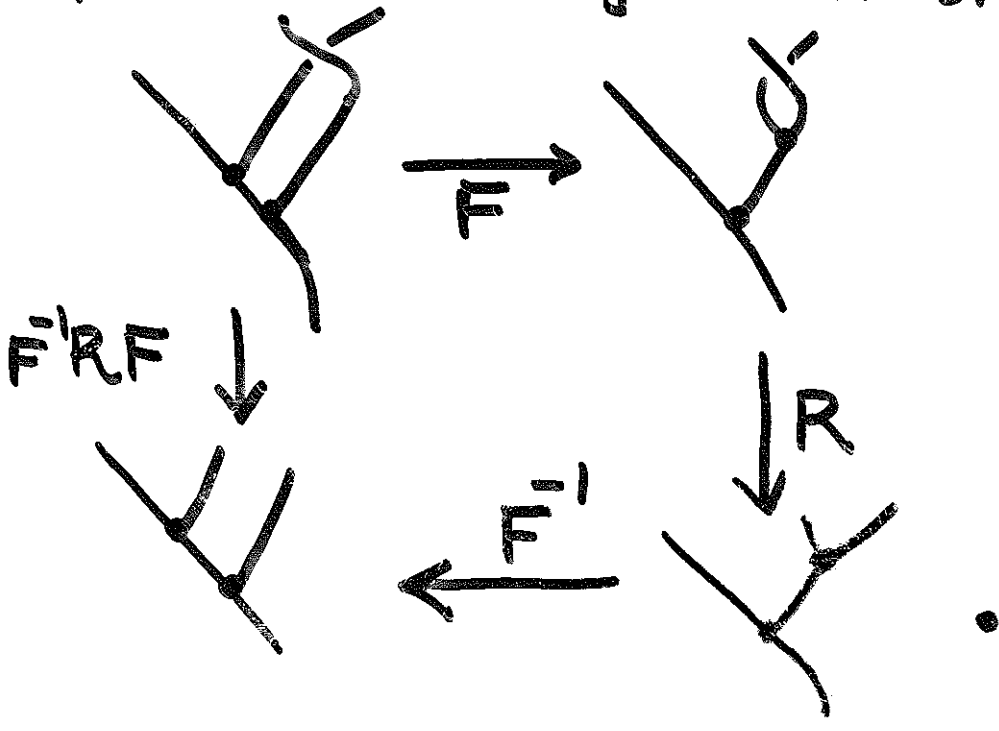
The purpose for TQFT in the present discussion is to produce a flexible source of representations of the braid groups.

Local braiding  $\check{\sigma} = R\gamma$

plus recoupling



produces more general braiding



# Temperley - Lieb

## Recoupling Theory

(See Book by Kauffman & Lins, PUP 1994)

- version of  $q$ -deformed spin-net work theory based on the bracket polynomial model for the Jones polynomial.

$$\overline{\searrow} = A \overline{\nearrow} + A^{-1} \subset C$$

$$\kappa O = \kappa \delta^{\cup}, \delta^{\cup} = -A^2 - A^{-2}$$

- all the architecture of this theory is based on knot polynomial evaluations.
- pentagon, hexagon, naturality are all automatic consequences of the topological structure of the models.
- leads to many unitary reps of braid group
- Fibonacci model is simplest case

# Penrose Spin Networks

$$\epsilon = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$SL(2, \mathbb{C}) = \left\{ A \mid A \text{ } 2 \times 2 \text{ matrix } \neq \right. \\ \left. A \epsilon A^T = \epsilon \right\}$$

$$\text{Let } \overset{a}{\parallel} \overset{b}{\parallel} = \underset{a}{\parallel} \overset{b}{\parallel} = \epsilon_{ab}$$

$$\textcircled{v}^a = \text{vector } v^a$$

$$\langle v, w \rangle = \textcircled{v} \textcircled{w} = \epsilon_{ab} v^a w^b$$

$$\overset{a}{\parallel} \overset{b}{\parallel} = \underset{a}{\parallel} \overset{b}{\parallel} : \epsilon^{ab} \epsilon_{cd} = \delta_c^a \delta_d^b - \delta_d^a \delta_c^b$$

Wanted diagrammatic representation that is convenient and topologically invariant in the plane.



$$\left. \begin{aligned} \chi &= -\pi \\ \pi &= -\chi \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} \pi &= \epsilon_{ab} \\ \chi &= \delta^a_b \end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \# &= -\chi \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\Pi = \sum_{a,b} \epsilon_{ab} \epsilon^{ab} = 2$$


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Penrose:  $\cup = \sqrt{-1} \#$   
adjusts  $\cap = \sqrt{-1} \pi$   
the  
tensors  $X \mapsto -X$

(i.e.  $X^a_b = -\delta^a_b \delta^c_c$ )

Then:  $\left\{ \begin{aligned} \cup + \cap + X &= \emptyset \\ 0 &= -2 \end{aligned} \right\}$



$$X = -\frac{u}{\lambda} - ) ($$

16.3

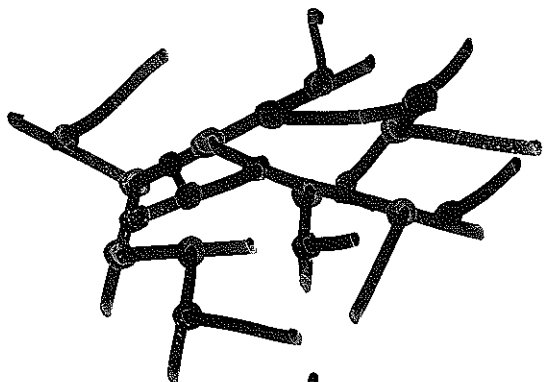
# Recoupling calculus for Spin Nets

Version of  $su(2)$  angular momentum recoupling theory.

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} = \sum_{\sigma \in S_n} (-1)^{t(\sigma)} \frac{1}{n!}$$

$$c^a \gamma_c^b = \dots$$

Spin Nets:



$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} = \frac{1}{2!} [11 - X]$$

Arbitrary trivalent graphs... (labeled with  $su(2)$  reps...)

## Penrose

### Spin Geometry Theorem

$$\sum_{\lambda} (+) (-) X = \Phi$$

Spin net evaluations can be used to define angles between free-ends. For appropriate (experimentally repeatable) spin nets the angles satisfy restrictions of a set of directions in 3-space.

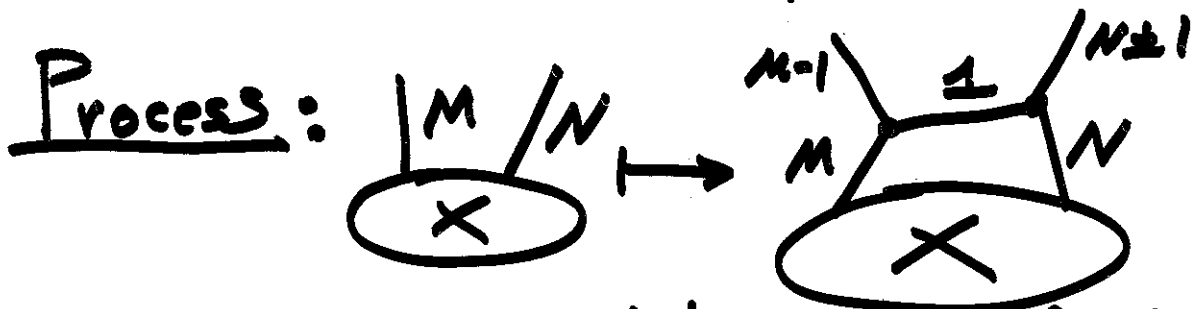
# Spin Geometry

$$\text{Prob}("P") = \frac{\| \text{Diagram 1} \|}{\| \text{Diagram 2} \|} \frac{\| |P\rangle \|}{\| \text{Diagram 3} \|}$$

Diagram 1: A circle with an 'X' inside. Two lines, labeled 'm' and 'n', enter from the left and meet at a point. A line labeled 'P' exits from that point towards the top right.

Diagram 2: A circle with an 'X' inside. Two lines, labeled 'm' and 'n', enter from the left and meet at a point. A line labeled 'P' exits from that point towards the top right.

Diagram 3: A circle with an 'X' inside. Two lines, labeled 'm' and 'n', enter from the left and meet at a point. A line labeled 'P' exits from that point towards the top right.



Assume probability unaffected by iteration.

$$\text{Then } \frac{1}{2} \cos(\theta) \approx \frac{\| \text{Diagram 4} \|}{\| \text{Diagram 5} \|}$$

Diagram 4: A circle with an 'X' inside. Two lines, labeled 'M' and 'N', enter from the left and meet at a point. A line labeled '2' exits from that point towards the top right.

Diagram 5: A circle with an 'X' inside. Two lines, labeled 'M' and 'N', enter from the left and meet at a point.

satisfies  $\&S$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$   
 for {
 

- large  $M, N$
- iteration independence.

}



# A) A-Deformed Spin Nets

Replace

$$\begin{aligned} X + \frac{U}{n} + \gamma & (= \phi) \\ 0 & = -2 \end{aligned}$$

by

$$\begin{aligned} X - A \frac{U}{n} - A^{-1} & (= \phi) \\ 0 = \delta & = -A^2 - A^{-2} \end{aligned}$$

Underly calculations  
replaced by bracket  
polynomial evaluations.



# B) Projectors

$$\begin{array}{|c} \hline n \\ \hline \end{array} = \frac{1}{\{n\}!} \sum_{\alpha \in S_n} (A^{-3})^{\alpha(\alpha)} \begin{array}{|c} \hline n \\ \hline \end{array}$$

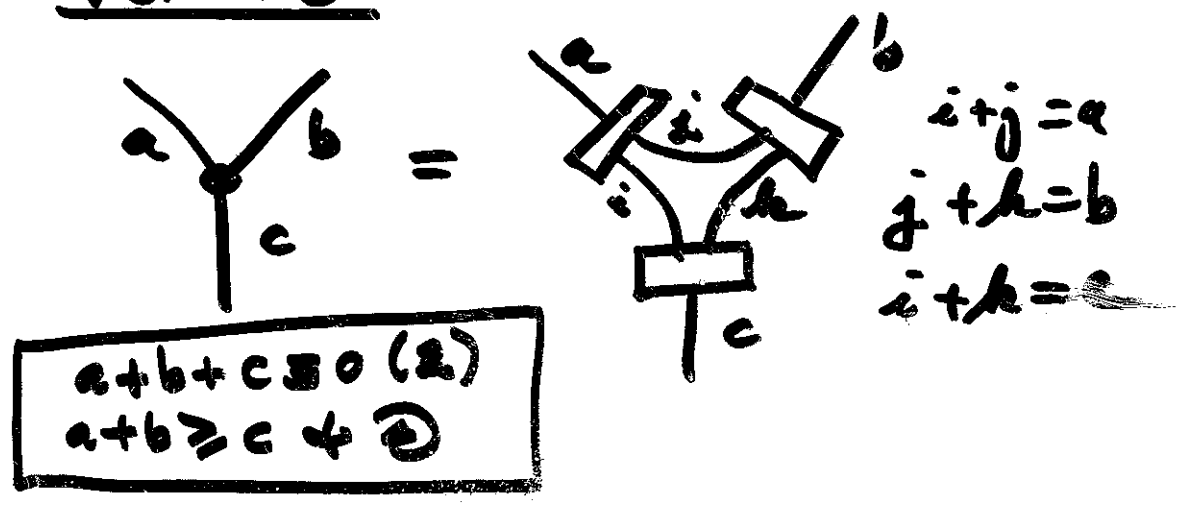
$$\{n\}! = \sum_{\alpha \in S_n} (A^{-n})^{\alpha(\alpha)} \quad \boxed{\tilde{\chi} = \chi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{array}{|c} \hline n \\ \hline \end{array} = \begin{array}{|c} \hline n \\ \hline \end{array}, \quad \begin{array}{|c} \hline \dots \\ \hline \end{array} = 0$$

example:  $\begin{array}{|c} \hline \hline \\ \hline \end{array} = \begin{array}{|c} \hline \hline \\ \hline \end{array} - \frac{1}{2} \cup \cap$

after simplification

# C) Vertices



$$\frac{1}{\{n\}!} = \frac{1}{\{n\}!} \sum_{\sigma \in S_n} (A^{-3})^{\tau(\sigma)} \frac{1}{\sigma} \quad \square$$

$$\{n\}! = \sum_{\sigma \in S_n} (A^{-4})^{\tau(\sigma)} \quad \boxed{\tilde{\chi} = \chi'}$$

$$\{2\}! = 1 + A^{-4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\{n\}!} &= \frac{1}{1+A^{-4}} \left[ 1 + A^{-3} \chi' \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{1+A^{-4}} \left[ 1 + A^{-3} [A \cup + A^{-1}] \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{1+A^{-4}} \left[ (1+A^{-4}) \right] \left[ + A^{-2} \cup \right] \\ &= ) \left( + \frac{1}{A^2 + A^{-2}} \cup \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{\{n\}!} = ) \left( - \frac{1}{\sigma} \cup \right)$$

$$\Delta_n = \text{Diagram of } n \text{ strands with a box} \quad n\text{-strands}$$

$$\Delta_{-1} = 0, \Delta_0 = 1$$

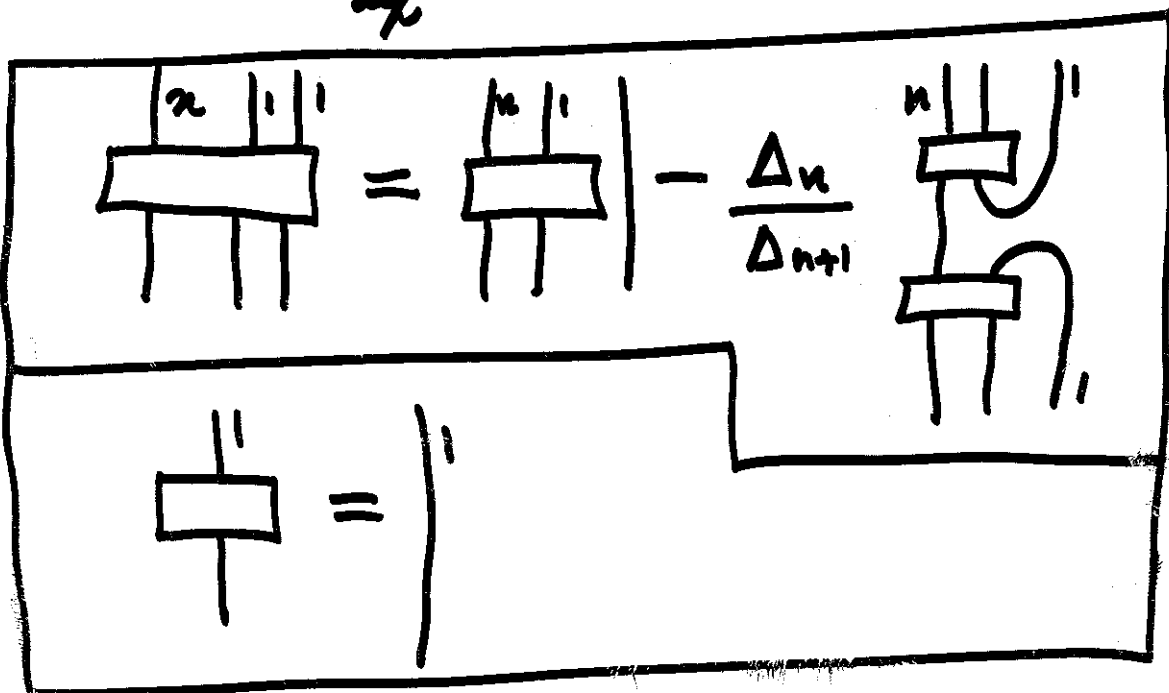
$$\Delta_{n+1} = \delta \Delta_n - \Delta_{n-1}, \quad \delta = -A^2 - A^{-2}$$

$$\Delta_n = (-1)^n \frac{A^{2n+2} - A^{-2n-2}}{A^2 - A^{-2}}$$

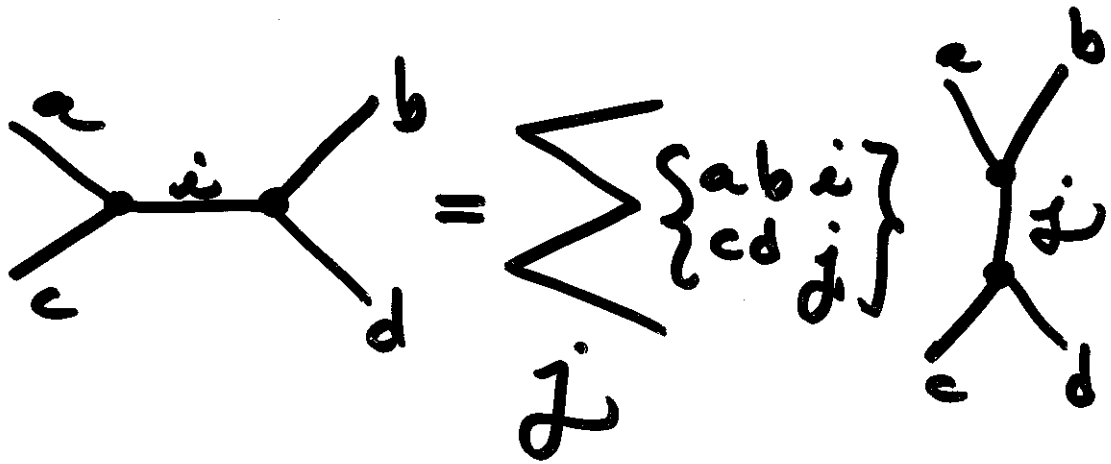
$$A = e^{i\pi/2r} \Rightarrow \Delta_n = (-1)^n \frac{\sin((n+1)\pi/r)}{\sin(\pi/r)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \Delta_n \neq 0 & 0 \leq n \leq r-2 \\ \Delta_{r-1} = 0 \end{cases}$$

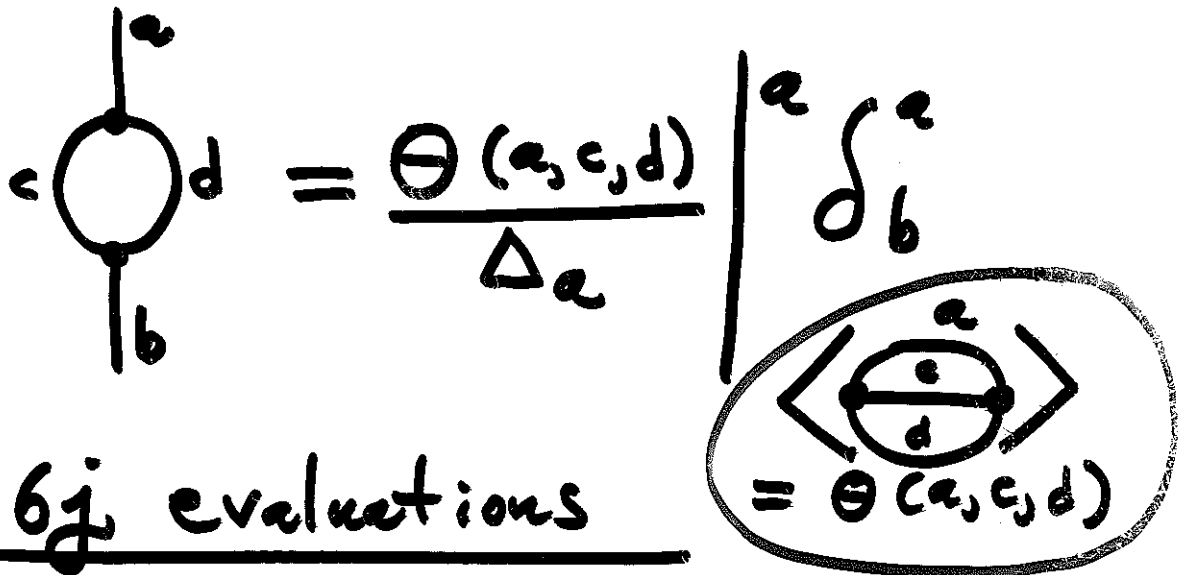
$$[n] \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (-1)^{n-2} \Delta_{n-1}$$



# D) Recoupling

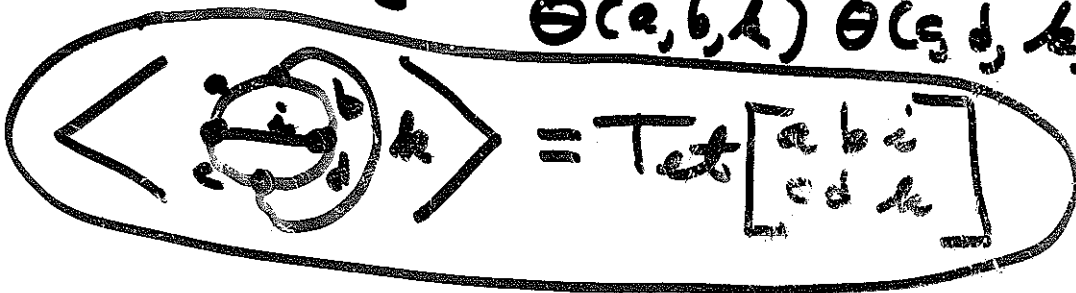


# E) "Schur's Lemma"



# F) 6j evaluations

$$\left\{ \begin{matrix} a & b & i \\ c & d & k \end{matrix} \right\} = \frac{\text{Tet} \begin{bmatrix} a & b & i \\ c & d & k \end{bmatrix} \Delta_k}{\Theta(a, b, k) \Theta(c, d, k)}$$



# 6) Braiding



$$\lambda_c^{ab} = (-1)^{(a+b-c)/2} A^{(a'+b'-c')/2}$$

$$x' = x(x+2)$$

All the TQFT identities follow directly from the underlying topological invariance of the theory.

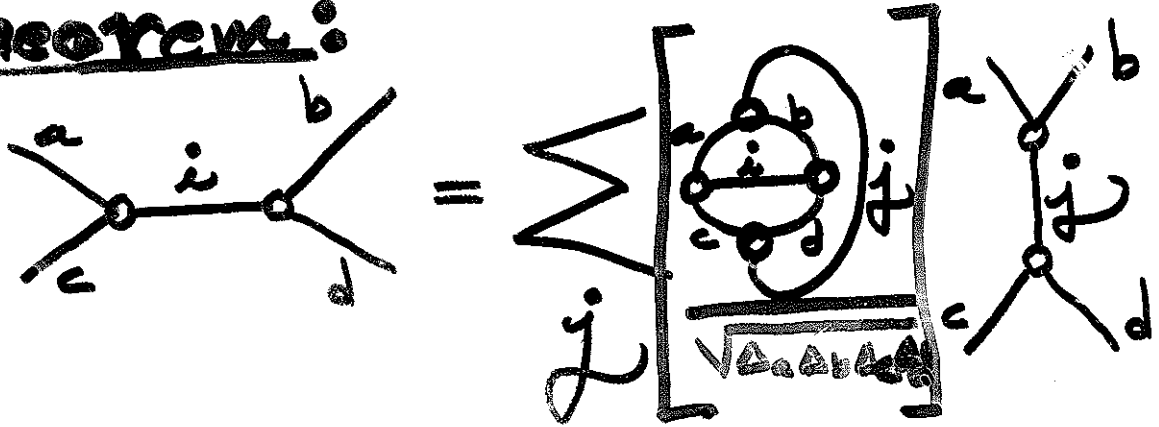




# Symmetry and Unitarity

Note: Let  $\begin{array}{c} a \quad b \\ \diagdown \quad / \\ \circ \\ | \\ c \end{array} = \frac{\sqrt{\Delta_a \Delta_b \Delta_c}}{\sqrt{\Theta(a, b, c)}} \begin{array}{c} a \quad b \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \circ \\ | \\ c \end{array}$   
 (Re-weight the vertices.)

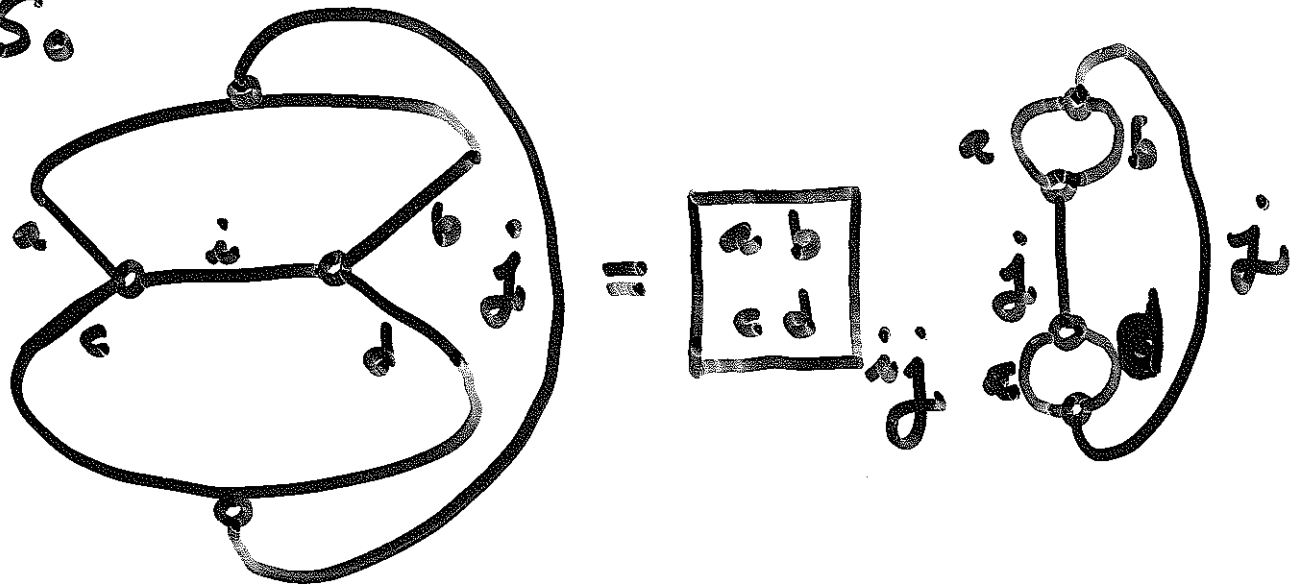
## Theorem:



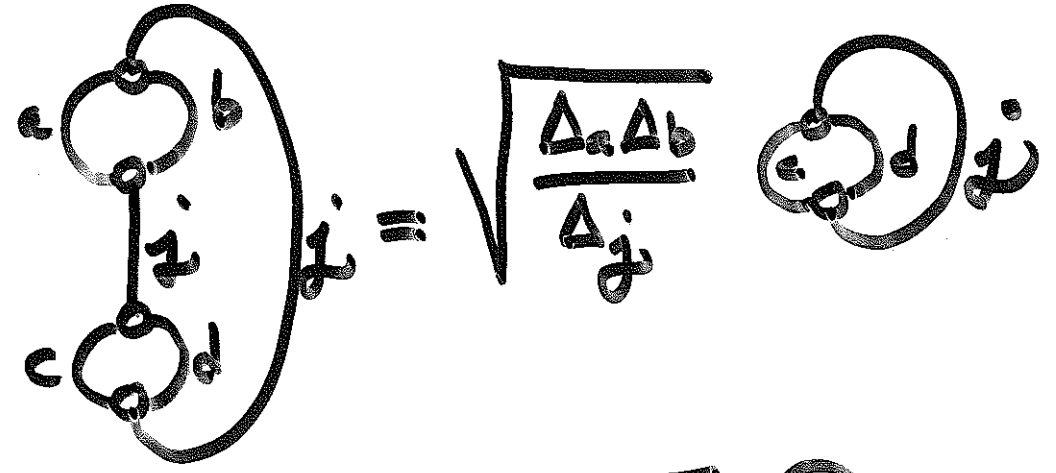
## Proof.

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{array}{c} a \\ | \\ \circ \\ / \quad \backslash \\ b \quad c \end{array} &= \frac{\sqrt{\Delta_a \Delta_b \Delta_c}}{\Theta(a, b, c)} \begin{array}{c} a \\ | \\ \circ \\ / \quad \backslash \\ b \quad c \end{array} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{\Delta_a \Delta_b \Delta_c}}{\Theta(a, b, c)} \frac{\Theta(a, b, c)}{\Delta_a} \begin{array}{c} a \\ | \\ \circ \\ | \\ a \end{array} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{\Delta_b \Delta_c}{\Delta_a}} \begin{array}{c} a \\ | \\ \circ \\ | \\ a \end{array} \end{aligned}$$

$S_0$



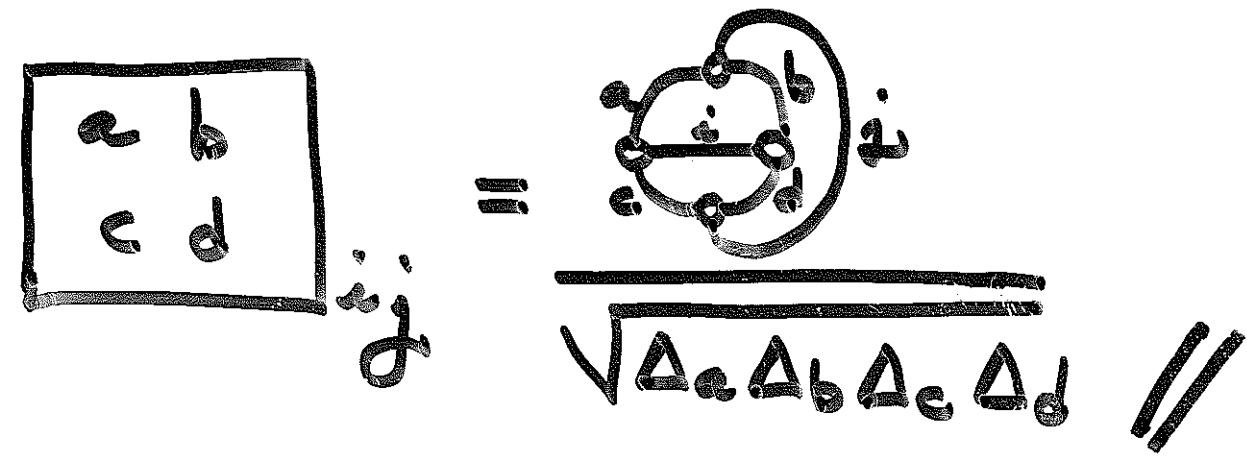
and



$$= \sqrt{\frac{\Delta_a \Delta_b}{\Delta_j}} \sqrt{\frac{\Delta_c \Delta_d}{\Delta_j}} \bigcirc_j$$

$$= \sqrt{\Delta_a \Delta_b \Delta_c \Delta_d}$$

$\Rightarrow$



With this adjustment,

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}^T$$

So when the recoupling coeffs are real, the recoupling transformations are unitary.

$$= \sum_j \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} i_j \text{ (diagram with } j \text{)}$$

$$= \sum_j \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} i_j \text{ (diagram with } j \text{)}$$


$$= \sum_k \begin{bmatrix} b & d \\ a & c \end{bmatrix} j_k \text{ (diagram with } k \text{)}$$

$$\sqrt{\Delta_a \Delta_b \Delta_c \Delta_d} \text{ (left diagram)} = \sqrt{\Delta_a \Delta_b \Delta_c \Delta_d} \text{ (right diagram)}$$

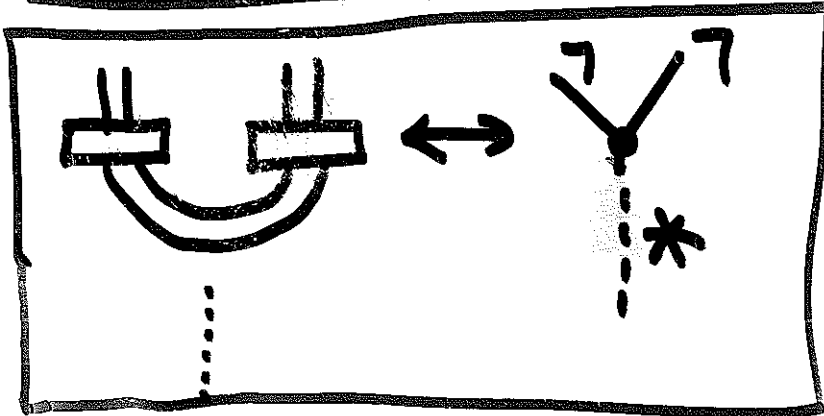
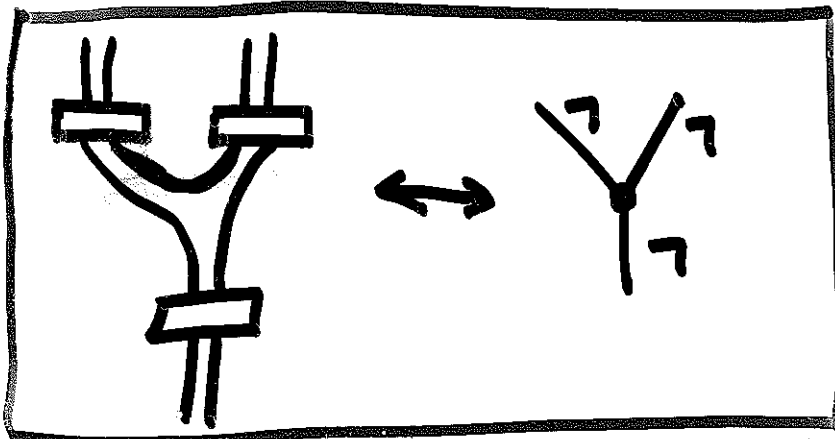
$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}^T$$



Corollary. Lots of unitary braid group representations at roots of unity via the Temperley-Lieb Recoupling Theory.

# So Where are the Fibonacci Anyons?

Answer:  = "7"  
 for  $A = e^{i3\pi/5}$   
 $\phi = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$

Note:



The root of unity makes  =  $\emptyset$   
 so  is forbidden.

# A sketch of the derivation 30.1

$$\# = 1 - \frac{1}{\delta} u, \quad Y = \text{[diagram]}, \quad Y = \text{[diagram]}$$

$$\Delta = \text{[diagram]} = \text{[diagram]} - \frac{1}{\delta} \text{[diagram]} = \delta^2 - 1$$

$$\Theta = \text{[diagram]} = (\delta - \frac{1}{\delta})^2 \delta - \Delta / \delta$$

$$T = \text{[diagram]} = (\delta - \frac{1}{\delta})^2 (\delta^2 - 2) - 2 \Theta / \delta$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{[diagram]} = a \text{[diagram]} + b \text{[diagram]} \\ \text{[diagram]} = c \text{[diagram]} + d \text{[diagram]} \end{array} \right\} F = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow F = \begin{pmatrix} 1/\Delta & \Delta/\Theta \\ \Theta/\Delta^2 & \Delta T/\Theta^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\Delta^2 = \Delta + 1$   
 So  $\Delta^2 = \delta^2 - 1$   
 Take  $\Delta = \delta^2$

$$F^2 = I \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\Delta} + \frac{1}{\Delta^2} = 1$$

With  $\delta^2 = \delta + 1$  (So  $\delta = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$ )

$\Delta = \delta^2 - 1 = \delta$  and above ok.

$$\text{Then } F = \begin{pmatrix} 1/\Delta & \Theta/\Delta^2 \\ \Delta/\Theta & -1/\Delta \end{pmatrix}$$

Replace each vertex by  $\alpha, \nu$  where  $\alpha^2 = \Delta^2/\Theta^2$ . Then

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\alpha} & \sqrt{\alpha} \\ \sqrt{\alpha} & -\sqrt{\alpha} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \nu = \frac{1}{\Delta}$$

$$\# = 11 - \frac{1}{\partial} \cup$$

1.  $\frac{\#}{\cup} = \frac{\cup}{\cup} - \frac{1}{\partial} \frac{\cup}{\cup} = \cup - \frac{1}{\partial} \partial \cup = \emptyset$  ✓

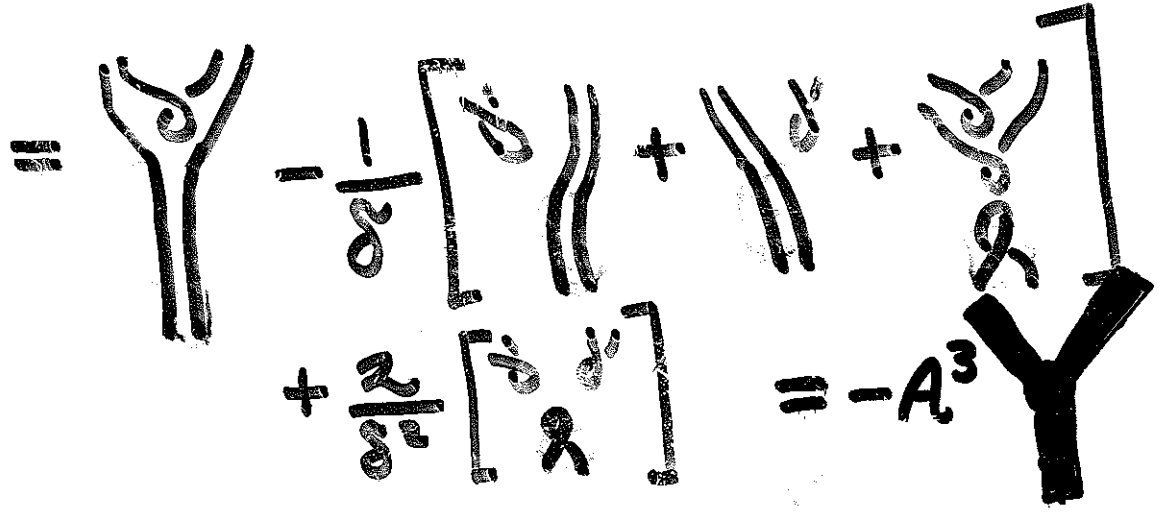
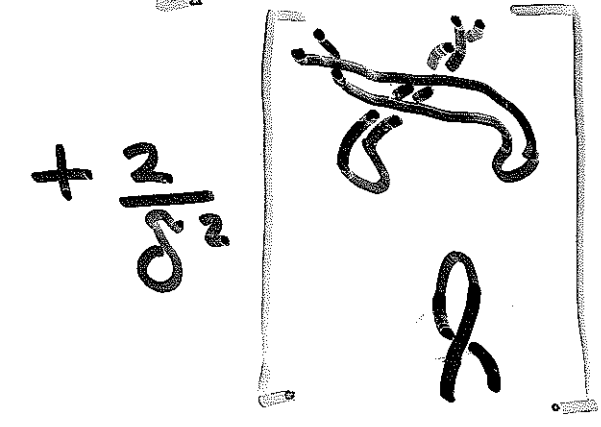
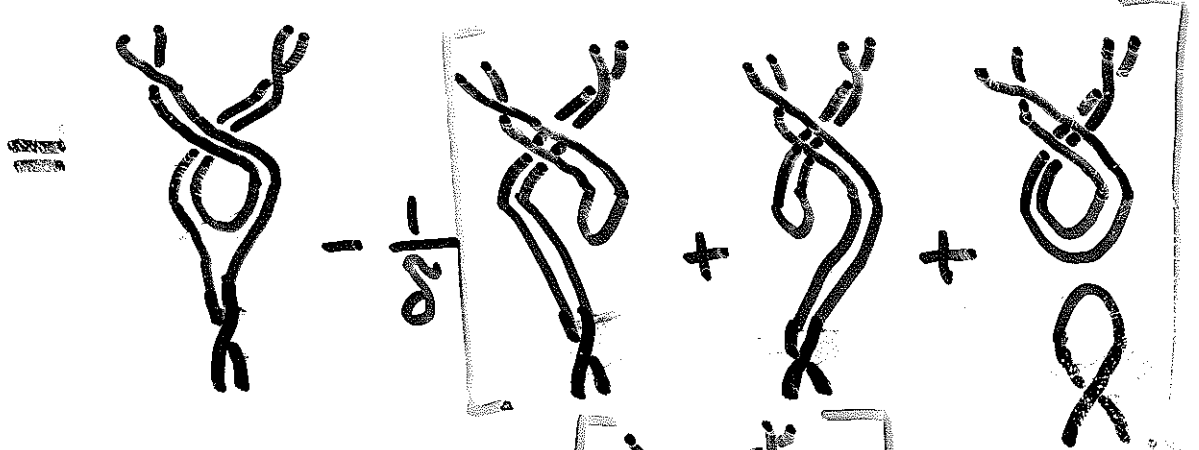
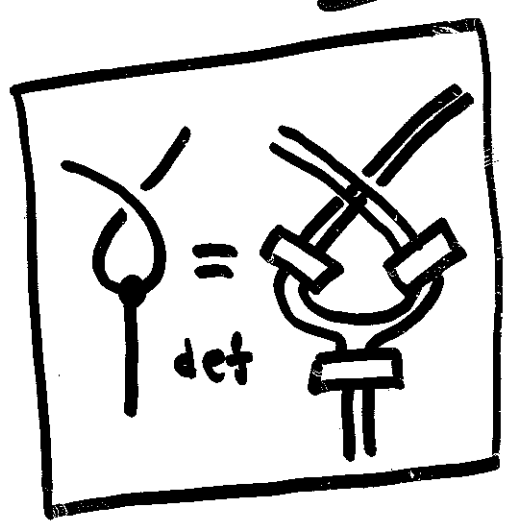
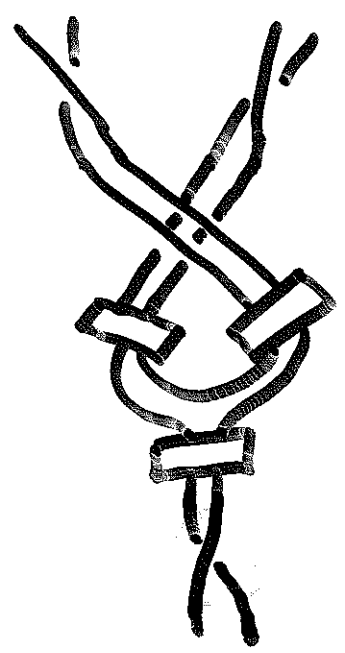
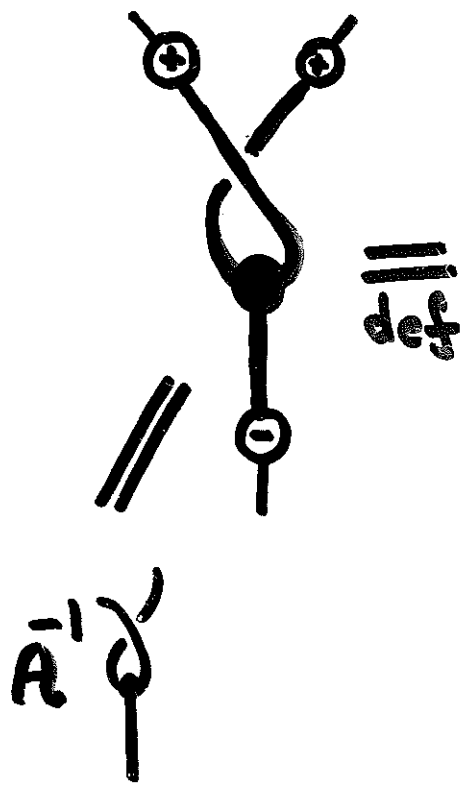
2.  $\# = \# - \frac{1}{\partial} \# = \# - \emptyset = \#$

3. The 2-strand invariant

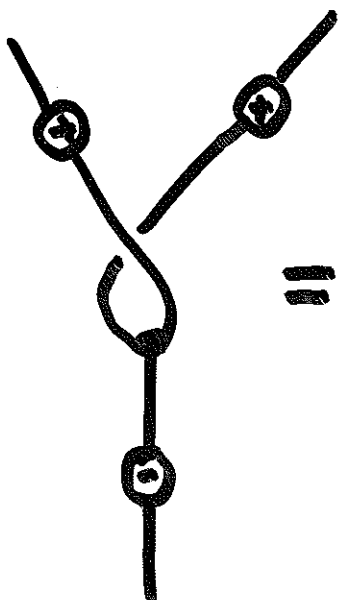
$$\langle \bigcirc \rangle_2 = \langle \bigcirc \rangle$$

4.  $Y = \# \# \#$  (n=2)

$$Y = \# - \frac{1}{\partial} \left[ \# + \# + \# \right] + \frac{2}{\partial^2} \left[ \# \# \right]$$





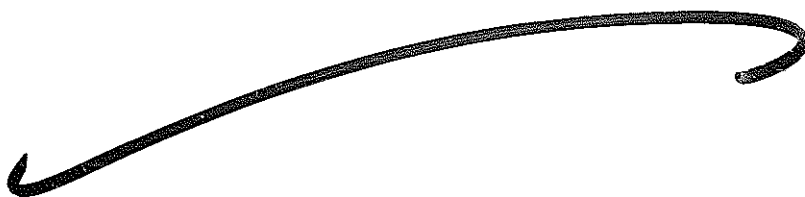


A Feynman diagram showing a fermion loop. Two external fermion lines enter from the top, each with a circled plus sign. They meet at a vertex, forming a loop. The loop contains a fermion propagator and a boson propagator. The loop then meets another vertex, from which a single fermion line exits downwards, with a circled minus sign.

$$= -A^3 Y$$

$$A^{-1} Y = -A^3 Y$$

$$Y = -A^4 Y$$



# Questions

1. Do there exist physical realizations for these anyonic braiding representations?

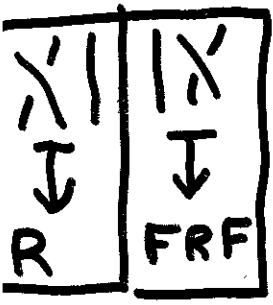
2. How efficiently can standard gates be made or approximated from  $R, F$  and the recoupling apparatus? (Solovay Kitaev <sub>Thm</sub>)



3. How do questions about topological entanglement versus quantum entanglement resurface in this context?



4. Spin Nets and  $q$ -deformed spin nets have been used a "substitutes" for spacetime and measurement operators in quantum gravity. Reexamine quantum gravity from this point of view (that unitary transformations are generated by spin network braiding ...)

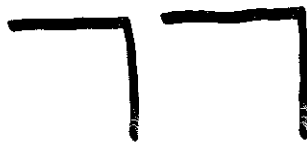


5. Express quantum algorithms in recoupling language.

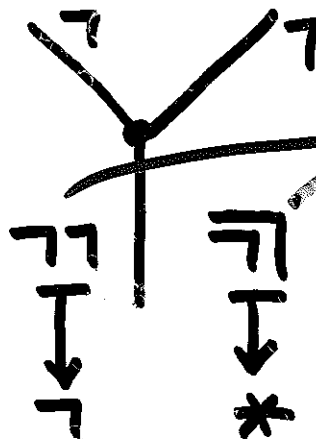
# Digression on Laws of Form

One "logical particle"  $\neg$

Two forms of self-interaction



We will "quantize" in sense that



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Boolean algebra arises in the calculus of the mark:  $\overline{\overline{a}} = a$ ,  $a\neg = \neg$ ,  $\overline{\overline{a}b} = \overline{a}b$

etc. where  $\overline{\quad}$  fixes  $\neg$  as an operator.

Remark on the knot invariant

$$\mathcal{L}(K) = \langle K^{(2)} \rangle$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\bigcirc) = \langle \text{link diagram} \rangle$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\text{crossing}) = A^+ \mathcal{L}(+) + A^- \mathcal{L}(\ominus) + \mathcal{L}(X)$$

where  $X =$  

$$\mathcal{L}(X) = \langle \text{crossing diagram with slash} \rangle$$

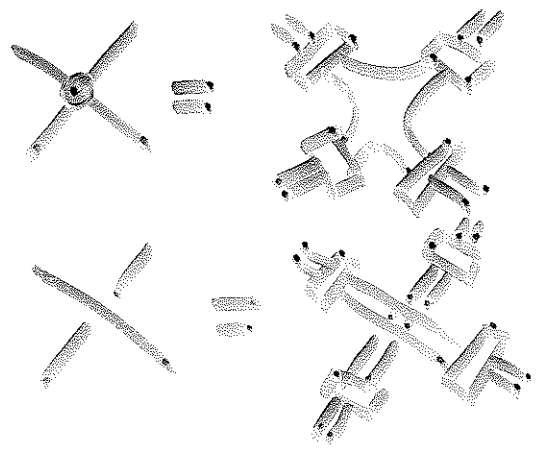
$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \mathcal{L}(\text{crossing}) - \mathcal{L}(\text{crossing with slash}) = (A^+ - A^-) [\mathcal{L}(+) - \mathcal{L}(\ominus)] \\ \mathcal{L}(\bigcirc) = A^2 \mathcal{L}(\sim) \\ \mathcal{L}(-\bigcirc) = A^{-2} \mathcal{L}(\sim) \end{cases}$$

Special case of the "Dubrovnik" 2-variable polynomial.

For  $A = e^{i3\pi/5}$ ,

$\mathcal{L}_K(A) = \mathcal{L}(K)$  is an (unnormalized) invariant of 3-manifolds.

$$Z(\Sigma) = A^{\#} Z(=) + \bar{A}^{\#} Z(\supset c) + \mathcal{J} Z(\times)$$



Is a state sum for this invariant and extends naturally to virtual knots and links.

Hence this specialization of Dubrovinik polynomial extends to virtuals.

(In general there is a problem having invariance under  $\mathcal{P} \rightarrow \cup$  for extensions of quantum invariants)

$$\mathcal{L}_{\sigma'} - \mathcal{L}_{\sigma} = z(\mathcal{L}_{\sigma} - \mathcal{L}_{\sigma'})$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\sigma'} = \alpha \mathcal{L}_{\sigma}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\sigma'} = \bar{\alpha}' \mathcal{L}_{\sigma}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{0K} = \delta \mathcal{L}_K, \quad \delta = \frac{\alpha - \bar{\alpha}'}{z} + 1$$

$$\Phi = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}, \quad A = e^{3\pi i/5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = A^8 = -e^{\pi i/5}$$

$$\bar{\alpha}' = -\Phi$$

$$\delta = \Phi$$

$$\mathcal{L}_\sigma = \left( = \frac{1}{\Delta} \cup + \frac{\Theta}{\Delta^2} \chi \right)$$

$$\frac{1}{\Delta} = \delta^{-1} \quad \frac{\Theta}{\Delta^2} = \frac{\delta - 1}{\delta^2} = -\delta^{-3}$$

So

$$\mathcal{L}_\sigma = r \cup + s \chi$$

This makes  $\mathcal{L}_\sigma$  into a 3-fold invariant