

ASPECTS OF MIRROR SYMMETRY

FOR ORBIFOLD CFTs ON K3

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2dim. $N=2$ SCA with central charge c :

energy momentum tensor T :

$$T(z)T(w) \sim \frac{c/2}{(z-w)^4} + \frac{2}{(z-w)^2} T(w) + \frac{1}{z-w} \partial T(w)$$

$U(1)$ current J ($h_J=1$):

$$J(z)J(w) \sim \frac{c/3}{(z-w)^2}$$

supercharges G^\pm ($h_{G^\pm} = \frac{1}{2}, Q_{G^\pm} = \pm 1$)

$$G^\pm(z)G^\mp(w) \sim \frac{2c/3}{(z-w)^3} + \frac{2}{(z-w)^2} J(w) + \frac{1}{z-w} (2T(w) + \partial J(w)) - G^\mp(w)G^\pm(z)$$

MIRROR AUTOMORPHISM:

$$(T, J, G^\pm) \mapsto (T, -J, G^\mp); \quad (\bar{T}, \bar{J}, \bar{G}^\pm) \mapsto (\bar{T}, \bar{J}, \bar{G}^\pm)$$

MIRROR SYMMETRY:

An equivalence of $N=(2,2)$ SCFTs which induces the mirror automorphism on the SCA.

Free field realization of $N=2$ SCA:

$$c = \frac{3d}{2}, \quad d \in 2\mathbb{N}$$

j^1, \dots, j^d generators of $u(1)^d$ (or d free bosons)

ψ^1, \dots, ψ^d Majorana fermions

$$T = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^d :j^k j^k: + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^d :\psi^k \partial \psi^k:$$

$$\psi_{\pm}^{(k)} := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\psi^k \pm i \psi^{k+d}), \quad j_{\pm}^{(k)} := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (j^k \pm i j^{k+d})$$

$$T = \sum_{k=1}^{d/2} : \psi_+^{(k)} \psi_-^{(k)} :; \quad G^{\pm} = \sqrt{2} \sum_{k=1}^{d/2} : \psi_{\pm}^{(k)} j_{\mp}^{(k)} :$$

The mirror automorphism can be induced by

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \psi^k \mapsto -\psi^k \\ j^k \mapsto -j^k \end{array} \right\} \text{ for } k \leq d.$$

$N=(4,4)$ SCFT with $c=6$

T : torus, $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} T = 2$; X : K3 surface

$$\mathcal{M}^{\text{tori}} = \underbrace{O^+(\mathcal{H}^{\text{odd}}(T, \mathbb{Z}))}_{\cup} \backslash O^+(\mathcal{H}^{\text{odd}}(T, \mathbb{R})) / SO(4) \times O(4)$$

MIRROR SYMMETRY
can be induced by
fiberwise T-duality

TRIALITY [Nahm / M. '98]

$$\left(\underbrace{O^+(\mathcal{H}^{\text{even}}(T, \mathbb{Z}))}_{\cup} \backslash O^+(\mathcal{H}^{\text{even}}(T, \mathbb{R})) / SO(4) \times O(4) \right)^{\mathbb{Z}_2}$$

"MIRROR SYMMETRY"

G-ORBITFOLD [Nahm / V. '99, U. '02]

$$\mathcal{M}^{\text{K3}} = \underbrace{O^+(\mathcal{H}^{\text{even}}(X, \mathbb{Z}))}_{\cap} \backslash O^+(\mathcal{H}^{\text{even}}(X, \mathbb{R})) / SO(4) \times O(20)$$

[Seiberg '98, Cecotti '91; Aspinwall / Morrison '97]

ORBIFOLD LIMITS OF K3

$X \xrightarrow{\text{minimal resolution}} T/G \xrightarrow{T} \mathcal{S}$
algebraic G action, $G \subset \text{SU}(2)$ finite
singularities of ADE type

e.g. $G = \mathbb{Z}_M$, $M \in \{2, 3, 4, 6\}$:
 $\mathcal{S}: T = \square \times \square$

minimal resolution of A_{M-1} type singularity se \mathcal{S} :



$\hat{E}_s^{(i)}$: Poincaré duals of irreducible components of exceptional divisors in the resolution

span root lattice \hat{E}_s , $\hat{E} := \bigoplus_{s \in \mathcal{S}} \hat{E}_s \subset H^2(X, \mathbb{Z})$

THE MIRROR MAP FOR TORI

e_1, \dots, e_4 : standard $\mathbb{Z}^4 \subset \mathbb{R}^4$ generators, $\mathbb{R}^4 \cong H^4(T, \mathbb{R})$; $v \in H^4(T, \mathbb{Z})$
 $v^0 \in H^0(T, \mathbb{Z})$ generators

$$T_0 = \mathbb{R}^4 / \bigoplus_{i=1}^4 \mathbb{Z} e_i,$$

$$\mu_i = \frac{1}{\pi i} e_i,$$

$$\gamma(T_0): \begin{cases} v^0 \mapsto \mu_1 \wedge \mu_2 \mapsto -v^0 \\ v \mapsto \mu_3 \wedge \mu_4 \mapsto -v \\ \mu_1 \wedge \mu_3 \mapsto \mu_2 \wedge \mu_3 \mapsto -\mu_1 \wedge \mu_3 \\ \mu_4 \wedge \mu_2 \mapsto \mu_1 \wedge \mu_4 \mapsto -\mu_4 \wedge \mu_2 \end{cases}$$

T'_0 : \mathbb{Z}_3 symmetric torus,

$$\mu_1 = e_1, \mu_2 = \frac{1}{2} e_1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} e_2,$$

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$$\gamma(T'_0): \begin{cases} v^0 \mapsto \mu_1 \wedge \mu_2 \mapsto -v^0 \\ v \mapsto \mu_3 \wedge \mu_4 \mapsto -v \\ \mu_1 \wedge \mu_3, \mu_2 \wedge \mu_3 \\ \mu_4 \wedge \mu_2, \mu_1 \wedge \mu_4 \text{ invariant} \end{cases}$$

Mirror map γ for \mathbb{Z}_M orbifold limits of K3

$$E = \bigoplus_{s \in S} E_s, \quad E_s = \text{span}_{\mathbb{R}} \{ E_s^{(c)}; (c \in \{1, \dots, n_s-1\}) \}$$

$$E_s := \sum_{c=1}^{n_s-1} c E_s^{(c)}$$

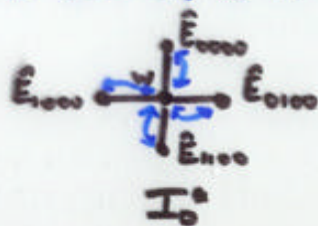
$$E_s^{(c)} := - \sum_{c=1}^{n_s-1} E_s^{(c)}$$

$$s = (s_1, s_2) \text{ with } \begin{cases} s_i \in \mathbb{F}_2 & \text{for } \mathbb{Z}_2, \mathbb{Z}_4 \text{ type fixed pts.} \\ s_i \in \mathbb{F}_3 & \text{for } \mathbb{Z}_3 \text{ type fixed pts.} \\ s_i := 0 \in \mathbb{F}_c \cup \mathbb{F}_3 / \sim & \text{for } \mathbb{Z}_6 \text{ type fixed pts.} \end{cases}$$

$$\gamma(E_s^{(c)}) = -\frac{1}{M} \sum_{\substack{t \in \mathbb{F}_c \cup \mathbb{F}_3 / \sim \\ \text{gcd}(n_t, n_s) \neq 1}} \sum_{\substack{0 \leq l < M, \\ c \equiv l \pmod{n_s}}} \mathcal{D}^{c+l, s} (E_{(t, s_2)})$$

$$\text{ord}(\gamma) : 4, 12, 8, 12 \quad \text{if } M : 2, 3, 4, 6$$

up to $E \otimes G, \pi_k (H^k(\tau, \mathbb{Z})^{\otimes k})$:



The mirror map \mathcal{F} for \mathbb{Z}_m orbifold CFTs on $K3$

$s = (s_1, s_2) \in \mathcal{F}$, $s_i \in \mathbb{H}_2 \cup \mathbb{H}_2 / \mathbb{Z}_{n_i}$, $e \in \{1, \dots, n_2 - 1\}$:

$$\mathcal{F}(T_s^e) = \sum_{\substack{t \in \mathbb{H}_2 \cup \mathbb{H}_2 / \mathbb{Z}_{n_1} \\ n_2 | \ell n_t}} a_{n_1, n_2}^e T_{(t, s_2)}^{\ell n_1 / n_2} \zeta_{n_2}^{e + s_2}$$

$$a_{n_1, n_2}^e = \sqrt{\frac{n_2}{n_1}} (1 - \zeta_{n_1}^e)^{-1},$$
$$\zeta_{n_1} = e^{2\pi i / n_1}$$

RESULTS [Nahm/N'01]

- explicit calculation of mirror map $y \in \mathcal{O}^*(\text{Hess}_M(X, Z))$ as induced by fiberwise T-duality for \mathbb{Z}_M orbifold limits X of $K3$
- for \mathbb{Z}_M orbifold CFTs on $K3$:
mirror symmetry acts by fiberwise \mathbb{Z}_M type discrete Fourier transform F on the twisted ground states
- map C with $Cy = FC$
gives a CFT realization of the McKay correspondence which is compatible with the Weyl algebra representation of the vertex operator algebra on the underlying toroidal theory.
- for $(\tilde{2})^4 = (2)^4 / \mathbb{Z}_2^2$:
our mirror map agrees with the one given by Greene and Plesser [Greene/Plesser '90] and the semitoric approach [Batyrev '94, Aspinwall/Morrison '94, Dolgachev '96, Rains '01] (Wu)