

Quantum Harish-Chandra bimodules at roots of unity

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Harish-Chandra $U(\mathfrak{g})$ -bimodules

Enveloping algebra $U(\mathfrak{g})$, simply connected algebraic group G .

Definition

Harish-Chandra $U(\mathfrak{g})$ -bimodules are $U(\mathfrak{g})$ -bimodules having rational adjoint $\mathfrak{g}$ -actions, equivalently, (weakly) G -equivariant $U(\mathfrak{g})$ -modules.

Typical objects are $V \otimes U(\mathfrak{g})$ for some G -representation V .

Harish-Chandra $U(\mathfrak{g})$ -bimodules are related to

- Infinite dimensional representations of complex Lie groups as real groups.
- Category $\mathcal{O}$ (Bernstein-Gelfand equivalence)
- Character sheaves (Bezrukavnikov-Finkelberg-Ostrik)
- ...

Harish-Chandra bimodules are defined for filtered quantizations, for the affine Lie algebras, ...

Goal

Define Harish-Chandra bimodules for quantum groups, connect them to affine Soergel bimodules and related objects.

Quantum groups

Quantum group $U_q(\mathfrak{g})$ is the Hopf $\mathbb{C}(q)$ -algebra, a deformation of $U(\mathfrak{g})$.

Example

$U_q(\mathfrak{sl}_2)$ is generated by $\{E, F, K, K^{-1}\}$ subject to relations

$$KK^{-1} = K^{-1}K = 1, \quad KE = q^2EK, \quad KF = q^{-2}FK, \quad [E, F] = (K - K^{-1})/(q - q^{-1}).$$

- Lusztig form: $U_q^L(\mathfrak{sl}_2)$ is the Hopf $\mathbb{C}[q^{\pm}]$ -subalgebra generated by

$$\left\{ E^{(n)} := \frac{E^n}{[n]_q!}, \quad F^{(n)} := \frac{F^n}{[n]_q!}, \quad K^{\pm} \right\}$$

- De Concini-Kac form: $U_q^{DK}(\mathfrak{sl}_2)$ is the Hopf $\mathbb{C}[q^{\pm}]$ -subalgebra generated by $\{E, F, K^{\pm}\}$

$$U_q^L(\mathfrak{g}) \leftrightarrow G$$

$$U_q^{DK}(\mathfrak{g}) \leftrightarrow U(\mathfrak{g})$$

Quantum HC bimodules

$\text{Rep}(G) = \text{rational reps of } G \rightsquigarrow \text{Rep}(G_q) = \text{rational reps of Lusztig form } U_q^L(\mathfrak{g})$

- $\text{Rep}(G_q)$ is braided, i.e, $\sigma_{V,W} : V \otimes W \rightarrow W \otimes V$.

Definition

$O_q[G] \cong \bigsqcup_{X \in \text{Rep}(G_q)} X^* \otimes X / \sim$, spanned by matrix coeff of reps in $\text{Rep}(G_q)$.

- $\text{Rep}(G) \rightsquigarrow$ Peter-Weyl theorem $\mathbb{C}[G] \cong \bigoplus_{V \in \text{Irr}(G)} V^* \otimes V$.
- The algebra structure on $O_q[G]$:

$$(V^* \otimes V) \otimes (W^* \otimes W) \xrightarrow{\sigma_{V^* \otimes V, W^*}} W^* \otimes V^* \otimes V \otimes W \cong (V \otimes W)^* \otimes V \otimes W$$

$\Rightarrow O_q[G]$ becomes an algebra in $\text{Rep}(G_q)$.

Definition of HC_q

Quantum HC bimodules are right $O_q[G]$ -modules in $\text{Rep}(G_q)$.

Example: $V \otimes O_q[G]$ belongs to HC_q for any $V \in \text{Rep}(G_q)$.

Quantum HC bimodules

The categories HC_q showed up in works about TQFT of surfaces via factorization homology (D. Ben-Zvi, A. Brochier, D. Jordan)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Disk} & \longrightarrow & \mathrm{Rep}(G_q) \\ \text{Annulus} & \longrightarrow & \int_{\text{point}} \mathrm{Rep}(G_q) = \mathrm{HC}_q \end{array}$$

Remark

There is an embedding of $U_q^L(\mathfrak{g})$ -module algebras $O_q[G] \hookrightarrow U_q^{ev}(\mathfrak{g})$, a modification of $U_q^{DK}(\mathfrak{g})$. Moreover, $O_q[G] \xrightarrow{\sim} U_q^{fin}$, the $U_q^L(\mathfrak{g})$ -locally finite part of $U_q^{ev}(\mathfrak{g})$.

HC_q : Monoidal structure

- By concatenating annuli
- By an algebraic way:
 - A Hopf algebra H is a H -module algebra via the left adjoint action

$$\text{ad}_l(h)(g) = \sum h_{(1)}gS(h_{(2)})$$

Define $H\text{-Rmod}^H = \{\text{right } H\text{-modules in } \text{Rep}(H)\}$.

- Any $M \in H\text{-Rmod}^H$ is a H -bimodule:

$$hm = \sum (h_{(1)} \cdot m)h_{(2)}$$

- For any $V \in \text{Rep}(G_q)$, then $V \otimes U_q^{\text{ev}}$ is a U_q^{ev} -bimodule.
 - $\Rightarrow V \otimes O_q[G]$ is a $O_q[G]$ -bimodule in $\text{Rep}(G_q)$.
 - $\Rightarrow$ Any object in HC_q is $O_q[G]$ -bimodule in $\text{Rep}(G_q)$.

Both monoidal structures should be related.

Some results on $O_\epsilon[G]$

Assume $q = \epsilon$ a root of unity of order ℓ (odd). Let Z be the center of $O_\epsilon[G]$

Theorem (Losev, Tsymbaliuk, V.)

$$Z \cong \mathcal{O}(G \times_{T/W} T/W)$$

- $G \rightarrow G//G \cong T/W$ and $T/W \rightarrow T/W : t \mapsto t^\ell$
- $\mathrm{Fr}^* : \mathrm{Rep}(G) \rightarrow \mathrm{Rep}(G_\epsilon) \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{O}[G] \hookrightarrow O_\epsilon[G], \quad O_\epsilon[G]^{U_\epsilon^L} \cong \mathbb{C}[T/W]$

The component T/W in Z is called Harish-Chandra center $Z_{\epsilon, \mathrm{HC}}$ of $O_\epsilon[G]$.

Let $G_0^{\mathrm{reg}} = \{\text{regular elements in Bruhat cell in } G\} \subset G$.

Theorem (L-T-V)

$O_\epsilon[G]$ is a finitely generated module over Z , Azumaya over $G_0^{\mathrm{reg}} \times_{T/W} T/W$.

Principal block $HC_\epsilon(0, 0)$

Any object in HC_ϵ is a $O_\epsilon[G]$ -bimodule. For any $M \in HC_\epsilon$,

$$Z_{\epsilon, HC} \curvearrowright M \curvearrowleft Z_{\epsilon, HC}$$

The counit $O_\epsilon[G] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ gives the trivial character of $Z_{\epsilon, HC}$. Let $Z_{\epsilon, HC}^{\wedge_0}$ be the completion of $Z_{\epsilon, HC}$ at this trivial character.

Definition

$HC_\epsilon(0, 0)$ is the completed version of HC_ϵ where the left and right action of $Z_{\epsilon, HC}$ on any object of $HC_\epsilon(0, 0)$ can be extended to actions of $Z_{\epsilon, HC}^{\wedge_0}$.

Example

$$O_\epsilon^\wedge[G] := O_\epsilon[G] \otimes_{Z_{\epsilon, HC}} Z_{\epsilon, HC}^{\wedge_0}.$$

Affine Soergel bimodules

$W_{\text{aff}} := W \ltimes Q \curvearrowright \mathbb{C}\hbar \oplus \mathfrak{h}$, where $\mathfrak{h}$ is the Cartan subspace of $\mathfrak{g}$.

$$w(a, x) = (a, wx), \quad t_\lambda(a, x) = (a + \langle \lambda, x \rangle, x), \quad \lambda \in Q, x \in \mathfrak{h}, w \in W, a \in \mathbb{C}.$$

$R := S[[\mathbb{C}\hbar \oplus \mathfrak{h}]]$, a completion of the symmetric power.

R-bimod : the category of R-bimodules.

Example

Bott-Samelson bimodule $R \otimes_{R^s} R$ for a simple reflection $s \in W_{\text{aff}}$.

Definition

$\text{SB}_{\hbar}$ is the full Karoubian monoidal subcategory of the category R-bimod generated by Bott-Samelson bimodules BS_s .

Definition

SB has same objects as $\text{SB}_{\hbar}$ but the morphisms are defined by

$$\text{Hom}_{\text{SB}}(M, N) := \text{Hom}_{\text{SB}_{\hbar}}(M, N) / \hbar \text{Hom}_{\text{SB}_{\hbar}}(M, N).$$

Affine Soergel bimodules

The category $\mathbf{SB}$ and $\mathbf{SB}_{\hbar}$ are categorification of $\mathbb{Z}[W_{\text{aff}}]$, i.e.,

$$\begin{array}{lll} K_0(\mathbf{SB}) & \cong & \mathbb{Z}[W_{\text{aff}}] \\ \text{indecomposable object } [B_x] & \leftrightarrow & C_x \quad \text{Kazhdan-Lusztig basis} \end{array}$$

- Two-sided cells: $y \stackrel{LR}{\sim} x$ for $x, y \in W_{\text{aff}}$ iff

$$C_h C_x C_{h'} = a C_y + \dots, \quad C_k C_y C_{k'} = b C_x + \dots$$

for some nonzero $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$.

- $W_{\text{aff}} = \{\text{two-sided cells}\}$. There is the smallest two-sided cell under a certain order.

This smallest two-sided cell corresponds to a full subcategory $\mathcal{C} \subset \mathbf{SB}$.

Main results

Let ϵ a root of unity of order ℓ (odd + some mild restrictions)

Let us assume the weights of objects in $\mathrm{HC}_\epsilon(0,0)$ are contained in the root lattice.

Let $\mathrm{Proj}_\epsilon(0,0) = \{\text{projective objects in } \mathrm{HC}_\epsilon(0,0)\}$.

Theorem (V.)

- There is an embedding of additive monoidal categories

$$\mathrm{SB} \hookrightarrow \mathrm{HC}_\epsilon(0,0),$$

which restricts to an equivalence

$$\mathcal{C} \cong \mathrm{Proj}_\epsilon(0,0).$$

- There is an equivalence of triangulated categories

$$K^b(\mathrm{SB}) \cong D^b(\mathrm{HC}_\epsilon(0,0)).$$

Compare to Soergel results

$V(\nu)$: the irreducible G -rep with the highest weight contained in the orbit $W\nu$.

Z : the center of $U(\mathfrak{g}) \cong \mathbb{C}[\mathfrak{h}^*/(W, \bullet)]$.

$Z^{\wedge_0}$: the completion of Z at the trivial central character then

$$Z^{\wedge_0} \cong \mathbb{C}[[\mathfrak{h}^*]] := S.$$

$U^0 := U(\mathfrak{g}) \otimes_Z Z^{\wedge_0}$.

$\mathrm{HC}(0, 0)$:= category of U^0 -bimodules having rational adjoint $\mathfrak{g}$ -actions.

Weyl group $W \curvearrowright \mathfrak{h}^*$.

$\mathrm{BS}_s := S \otimes_{S^s} S$ for simple reflection $s \in W$

$\rightsquigarrow$ The category of finite Soergel bimodules $\mathrm{SB}^{\mathrm{fin}}$.

Theorem (Soergel 92)

There is a full embedding of monoidal categories

$$\mathbb{V} : \mathrm{SB}^{\mathrm{fin}} \hookrightarrow \mathrm{HC}(0, 0)$$

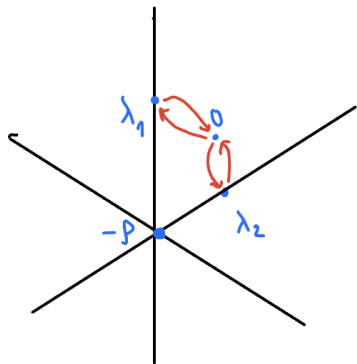
Compare to Soergel results

The category $\mathcal{O} : (\mathfrak{g}, B)$ -modules, contains the Verma modules.

The principal block $\mathcal{O}_{[0]}$ containing the trivial representation.

$$\mathrm{HC}(0, 0) \curvearrowright \mathcal{O}_{[0]}$$

Choose a ρ -dominant weight λ_i in the hyperplane of $\mathfrak{h}_{\mathbb{R}}^*$ defined by simple reflection $s_i \in W$. Consider irreducible representations $V(\lambda_i)$ and $V(-\lambda_i)$.



We obtain translation functors:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{O}_{[0]} &\rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{[\lambda_i]} & M &\mapsto \mathrm{pr}_{[\lambda_i]}(V(\lambda_i) \otimes M) \\ \mathcal{O}_{[\lambda_i]} &\rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{[0]} & N &\mapsto \mathrm{pr}_{[0]}(V(-\lambda_i) \otimes N), \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightsquigarrow P^{\lambda_i, 0} \in \mathrm{HC}(\lambda_i, 0) \text{ and } P^{0, \lambda_i} \in \mathrm{HC}(0, \lambda_i).$$

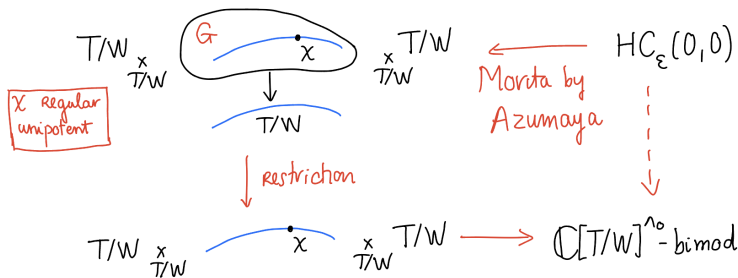
We define

$$\Theta_i := P^{0, \lambda_i} \otimes_{U\lambda_i} P^{\lambda_i, 0}.$$

$$\text{Then } \mathbb{V}(\mathrm{BS}_{s_i}) = \Theta_i$$

The functor $\bullet_{\dagger}$: idea

- Any object in HC_{ϵ} is a module over $\mathcal{O}_{\epsilon}[G] \otimes_{\mathcal{O}[G]} \mathcal{O}_{\epsilon}^{\mathrm{op}}[G]$
- The center of $\mathcal{O}_{\epsilon}[G] \otimes_{\mathcal{O}[G]} \mathcal{O}_{\epsilon}^{\mathrm{op}}[G]$ is $\mathcal{O}(T/W \times_{T/W} G \times_{T/W} T/W)$.
- Recall that $\mathcal{O}_{\epsilon}[G]$ is Azumaya over $G_0^{\mathrm{reg}} \times_{T/W} T/W$



- $\exists$ Poisson structure on Z . Let deform $\epsilon \in \mathbb{C} \mapsto q = \epsilon e^{\hbar} \in \mathbb{C}[[\hbar]]$:
 $Z_{\epsilon, \mathrm{HC}}^{\wedge_0} \rightsquigarrow Z_{q, \mathrm{HC}}^{\wedge_0} = \mathbb{C}[[\hbar]][T/W]^{\wedge_0} \cong R, \quad \mathrm{HC}_{\epsilon}(0,0) \rightsquigarrow \mathrm{HC}_q(0,0)$

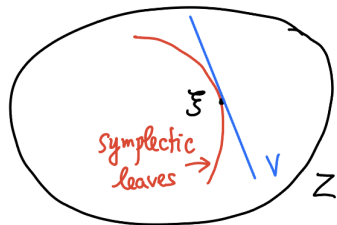
So we have the functor

$$\bullet_{\dagger} : \mathrm{HC}_q(0,0) \rightarrow Z_{q, \mathrm{HC}}^{\wedge_0}\text{-bimod} \cong R\text{-bimod} \supset \mathrm{SB}_{\hbar}$$

The functor $\bullet_{\dagger}$: construction

$\xi := (\chi, 0) \in G \times_{T/W} T/W$ with a regular unipotent χ in G_0 and the trivial character 0 of $Z_{\epsilon, HC}$. Let $\mathfrak{m}_{\xi}$ be the maximal ideal in Z

$\phi: O_q[G] \xrightarrow{/\hbar} O_{\epsilon}[G]$. Let $J_{\xi} := \phi^{-1}(O_{\epsilon}[G]\mathfrak{m}_{\xi})$.



Let $O_{\epsilon}[G]^{\wedge_{\xi}}$ and $O_q[G]^{\wedge_{\xi}}$ be the completions of the algebras at $O_{\epsilon}[G]\mathfrak{m}_{\xi}$ and J_{ξ} .

$$O_{\epsilon}[G]^{\wedge_{\xi}} \cong \text{Mat}_d(\mathbb{C}) \otimes \mathbb{C}[[V]] \hat{\otimes} Z_{\epsilon, HC}^{\wedge_0},$$

$$O_q[G]^{\wedge_{\xi}} \cong \text{Mat}_d(\mathbb{C}) \otimes \mathcal{A}_{\hbar} \hat{\otimes} Z_{q, HC}^{\wedge_0},$$

Here $\mathcal{A}_{\hbar}$ is the complete formal Weyl algebra, e.g.,

$$\mathbb{C}\langle\langle \hbar, x, y \rangle\rangle / (xy - yx = \hbar)$$

The functor $\bullet_{\dagger}$: construction

$$O_q[G]^{\wedge \xi} \cong \text{Mat}_d(\mathbb{C}) \otimes \mathcal{A}_{\hbar} \widehat{\otimes} Z_{q,HC}^{\wedge_0}$$

- For any $M \in \text{HC}_q(0,0)$, the completion $M^{\wedge} := \varprojlim M/MJ_{\xi}^k$ is a bimodule over $O_q[G]^{\wedge \xi}$ equipped with Poisson structures.
- Let $e := E_{11} \in \text{Mat}_d(\mathbb{C})$ then $eM^{\wedge}e$ is a bimodule over $\mathcal{A}_{\hbar} \widehat{\otimes} Z_{q,HC}^{\wedge_0}$ with Poisson structures.
- The Poisson structure allows to decompose

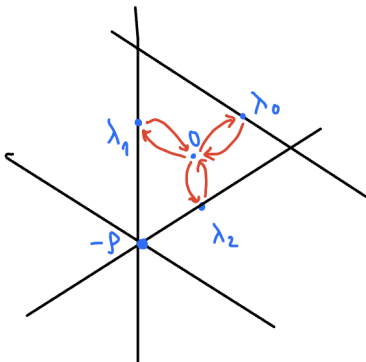
$$eM^{\wedge}e \cong \mathcal{A}_{\hbar} \widehat{\otimes} M_{\dagger}$$

so that $M_{\dagger}$ is a bimodule over $Z_{q,HC}^{\wedge_0}$.

Hence the functor $\bullet_{\dagger}$ is constructed by

$$M \mapsto M^{\wedge} \mapsto eM^{\wedge}e \mapsto M_{\dagger}.$$

The embedding $SB \hookrightarrow HC_\epsilon(0,0)$



For any simple reflection s_i of W_{aff} , there is a bimodule $\Theta_{\hbar,i}$ such that

$$(\Theta_{\hbar,i})_{\dagger} \cong BS_{s_i}$$

By proving a fully faithfulness property of $\bullet_{\dagger}$, we obtain an embedding

$$SB_{\hbar} \hookrightarrow HC_q(0,0).$$

This induces the desired embedding

$$SB \hookrightarrow HC_\epsilon(0,0).$$

Equivalence $\mathcal{C} \cong \text{Proj}_\epsilon(0,0)$

- Let w_0 be the longest element in W , then $\mathcal{C}$ contains the indecomposable Soergel bimodule B_{w_0} . Indecomposable objects in $\mathcal{C}$ are direct summands of

$$P_1 \star B_{w_0} \star P_2,$$

for some $P_1, P_2 \in \text{SB}$.

- Construct projective object Θ such that B_{w_0} is sent to Θ .
- The category $\text{HC}_\epsilon(0,0)$ is Krull-Schmidt so that we can talk about projective covers of simple objects.
- Classify simple objects in $\text{HC}_\epsilon(0,0)$. Prove that for any simple L_1, L_2 then L_1 is a subquotient of $P_1 \star L_2 \star P_2$ for some $P_1, P_2 \in \text{SB}$. Use this to show that $\text{Proj}_\epsilon(0,0)$ can be recovered from Θ and the action of SB as in the first bullet point.

Non-commutative Springer resolution

Let $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$ be the Grothendieck-Springer resolution.

Let $\text{St} := \tilde{\mathfrak{g}} \times_{\mathfrak{g}} \tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$ be the Steinberg variety

There is a vector bundle $\mathcal{E}$ on $\tilde{\mathfrak{g}}$ so that we have an equivalence, $A = \text{End}(\mathcal{E})^{\text{op}}$,

$$D^b(\text{Coh}(\tilde{\mathfrak{g}})) \cong D^b(A\text{-mod}), \quad \mathcal{F} \mapsto \text{RHom}(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{F}).$$

So A is called the Non-commutative Springer resolution.

The last part is included in the following result

Theorem (V.)

There are equivalences of triangulated categories:

$$K^b(\text{SB}) \cong D^b(\text{HC}_{\epsilon}(0, 0)) \cong D^b((A \otimes_{\mathbb{C}[\mathfrak{g}]} A^{\text{op}})^{\wedge}\text{-mod}^G) \cong D^b\text{Coh}^G(\text{St}^{\wedge}),$$

in which the middle equivalence is t -exact with the standard t -structures.

- Study other blocks of quantum Harish-Chandra bimodules
- Study its relation with quantum category $\mathcal{O}$, quantum character sheaves, ...
- In positive characteristics,

Conjecture

When characteristic p is good and ϵ has a large enough odd order, there is an equivalence of triangulated categories:

$$D^b(\mathrm{HC}_\epsilon(0,0)) \cong D^b(\mathrm{Coh}^G(\mathrm{St}_m^\wedge)).$$

Here St_m is the Steinberg variety for the unipotent cone of the algebraic group G .

Thank you!