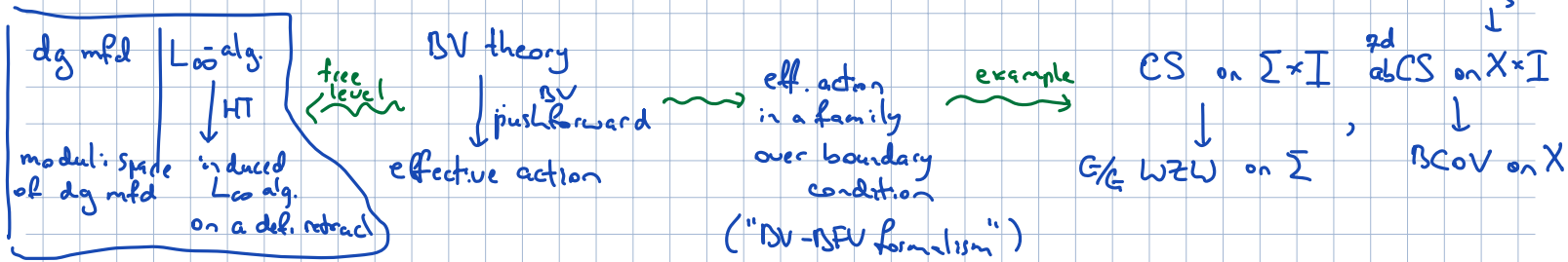


# Examples of bulk-boundary correspondences of field theories from BV pushforwards

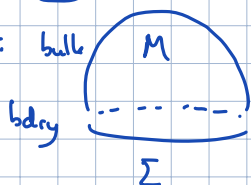
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## BV-BFV formalism

classically: bulk



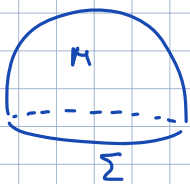
$$\rightarrow (\mathcal{F}, Q, \omega, S), \quad Q^2 = 0$$

$$\boxed{\delta S = L_{\mathcal{Q}} S + \pi^* \alpha_{\partial}}$$

$$\rightarrow (\mathcal{F}_{\partial}, Q_{\partial}, \omega_{\partial} = \delta \alpha_{\partial}, S_{\partial})$$

↑ definition for  $Q_{\partial}$

quantum BV-BFV:



$\cdot (\mathcal{V}_{res}, \omega_{res})$  - space of residual fields

mQME

$$\cdot Z \in H_2 \otimes \text{Dens}^{1/2} \mathcal{V}_{res} \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \boxed{\left(\frac{i}{\hbar} \Omega_{\partial} - \pi^* \Delta_{res}\right) Z = 0}$$

$$\rightarrow (H_2^+, \Omega_{\partial}) \quad \cdot \text{chern ex.}$$

idea of quantization: bdry:

$$\mathcal{F} \supset \mathcal{F}^b \quad \text{- fields subject to b.c. } b.$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{\partial} \supset p^{-1}(b) \text{ Lag.}$$

$p \downarrow$  ← fibration with Lag. leaves; require

$$\mathcal{B}_{\partial} \ni b$$

$$\boxed{\alpha_{\partial} |_{\text{fiber of } p} = 0} \quad (*)$$

Then:  $H_2 = \text{Dens}^{1/2} \mathcal{B}_{\partial}$ ,  $\Omega_{\partial} = \widehat{S}_{\partial}$

bulle: write  $\mathcal{F} \simeq \mathcal{B}_{\partial} \times \underbrace{\mathcal{Y}}_{\mathcal{V}_{res} \times \mathcal{Y}'}$

$$Z(b, \varphi_{res}) := \int_{\text{Lag } \mathcal{Y}'} e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} S(b + \varphi_{res} + \varphi_{\mathcal{Y}'})} \mathcal{D}\varphi_{\mathcal{Y}'}$$

$\in H_2 \otimes \text{Dens}^{1/2} \mathcal{V}_{res}$

Rem: one can change the cl. BV-BFV package by an "f-transformation",  $f_{\partial} \in C^{\infty}(\mathcal{F}_{\partial})$ :

$$S \rightarrow S + \pi^* f_{\partial}$$

$\alpha_{\partial} \rightarrow \alpha_{\partial} + \delta f_{\partial}$  - can use it to adapt the theory to satisfy (\*) for a preferred polarization  $p$ .

WARM-UP: 1d ab. CS

v. sp. w/ inner product (,)

$$S(\psi + A) = \int \frac{1}{2} (\psi, d\psi)$$

$$\psi + A \in \Omega^0(I) \oplus \Pi V$$

Q:  $\psi \rightarrow A \rightarrow d\psi$

$$I \hookrightarrow \int (\delta\psi, \delta A)$$

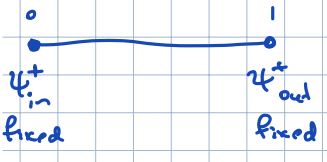
$$\Phi_{pt} = \Pi V$$

$$\alpha_{pt} = \frac{1}{2} (\psi, \delta\psi), \quad Q_{\partial} = \int_{\partial} = 0$$

fix a cr. str. on V:

$$V_{\mathbb{C}} = V^+ \oplus V^-$$

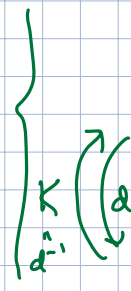
"hol"      "antihol"



$$Y = \Omega^0(I, \mathbb{R}; \Pi V^+) \oplus \Omega^0(I; \Pi V^-)$$

$$(\text{dt} \cdot \Pi V^+ \oplus \mathbb{1} \cdot \Pi V^-) \leftarrow Y_{res}$$

Hodge decomposition of Y



$$\Omega^0(I, \mathbb{R}; \Pi V^+) \oplus \Omega^0_{\neq 0}(I; \Pi V^-) \leftarrow Y'_{k-ex}$$

$$\Omega^1_{\neq 0}(I, \Pi V^+) \oplus \Omega^1(I, \Pi V^-) \leftarrow Y'_{d-ex}$$

chain homotopy  $K: Y \rightarrow Y^{-1}$

-int. op. with kernel  $\eta(t, t') = \pi^+ \otimes (\theta(t-t') - t) + \pi^- \otimes (t' - \theta(t'-t))$

$$Z(\psi_{in}^+, \psi_{out}^+; \psi_{res}^+, A_{res}^+) = \int_{Y'_{k-ex} \subset Y} D\psi_{\ell 1}^+ D\psi_{\ell 1}^- e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} S_{\ell}^f(\tilde{\psi}_{in}^+ \rightarrow \tilde{\psi}_{out}^+ + \psi_{res}^+ + \psi_{\ell 1}^- + \text{dt} A_{res}^+)} =$$

$f = \frac{1}{2} (\psi^+, \psi^-) \Big|_{t=1} - \frac{1}{2} (\psi^+, \psi^-) \Big|_{t=0}$  - f-trace adapting to chosen polariz.

$$= \dots = \int D\psi_{\ell 1}^+ D\psi_{\ell 1}^- e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \left( \int_1^0 (\psi_{\ell 1}^-, d\psi_{\ell 1}^+) + (\psi_{out}^+, \psi_{res}^+ + \psi_{\ell 1}^-(1)) - (\psi_{in}^+, \psi_{res}^+ + \psi_{\ell 1}^-(0)) \right)} = e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} (\psi_{out}^+ - \psi_{in}^+, \psi_{res}^+)}$$

Gaussian integral

$$H_{pt} = \text{Fun}(\psi^+) = \Lambda(V^+)^*, \quad \Omega_{pt} = 0$$

Remi: another choice of bdrz polarization:



choice of retract of Y (res. fields)

$$Y^I = \text{dt} \cdot V \oplus (1-t) \cdot \Pi V^+ \oplus t \cdot \Pi V^-$$

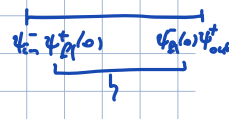
$$Z \left( \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\text{Ares}} \\ \psi_{in}^- \quad \psi_{res}^+, \psi_{res}^- \quad \psi_{out}^+ \end{array} \right) = e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \left( \frac{1}{2} (\psi_{res}^-, \psi_{res}^+) + (\psi_{out}^+, \psi_{res}^-) - (\psi_{in}^-, \psi_{res}^+) + (\psi_{in}^-, \psi_{out}^+) \right)}$$

Feynman diag.

min choice

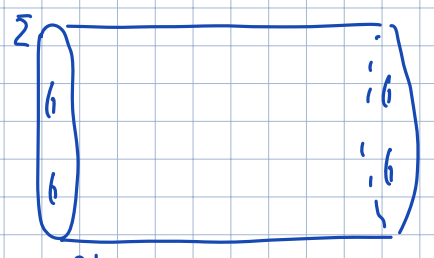
$$Y^{\text{II}} = 0$$

$$Z \left( \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\quad} \\ \psi_{in}^- \quad \psi_{out}^+ \end{array} \right) = e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} (\psi_{out}^+, \psi_{in}^-)}$$



3d abelian Chern-Simons

$M = \Sigma \times I$



$C_{in}, A_{in}^{0,1}$        $I$        $C_{out}, A_{out}^{1,0}$

$S = \int_M \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L} \wedge d\mathcal{L} = \int_{\Sigma \times I} \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L} \wedge d_I \mathcal{L} + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L} \wedge d_\Sigma \mathcal{L}$   
 "kin term"      "perturbation"

$\bar{\mathcal{F}} = \Omega^1(\mathcal{H})[\Gamma] = \Omega^1(I, \Omega_\Sigma^{1,0} \oplus \Omega_\Sigma^{0,1} \oplus \Omega_\Sigma^0[\Gamma] \oplus \Omega_\Sigma^2[-\Gamma])$

part {  
 $\mathcal{B} = (\Omega_\Sigma^{0,1} \oplus \Omega_\Sigma^0[\Gamma]) \oplus (\Omega_\Sigma^{1,0} \oplus \Omega_\Sigma^0[-\Gamma])$   
 in      out

fiber of part :  $\mathcal{Y} = \Omega^1(I, \{0\}; \Omega^{0,1}) \oplus \Omega^1(I, \{1\}; \Omega^{1,0}) \oplus \Omega^1(I, \partial I; \Omega^0[\Gamma]) \oplus \Omega^1(I; \Omega^2[-\Gamma])$

def. retract

$\mathcal{V}_{res} = H^1(I, \partial I; \Omega^0[\Gamma]) \oplus H^1(I; \Omega^2[-\Gamma]) \ni (dt \cdot \mathcal{G}, A_{res}^*)$   
 $gh=0$        $gh=-1$

$\mathcal{L}$ : set to zero 1-form components in the fiber of  $\mathcal{Y}$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $\mathcal{V}_{res}$

on  $\mathcal{L}$ :  $gh=0: \mathcal{L} = \tilde{A}_{out}^{1,0} + \tilde{A}_{in}^{0,1} + a^{1,0} + a^{0,1} + dt \cdot \mathcal{G}$   
 fluctuations

$gh=1: \mathcal{L}^{(0)} = \tilde{C}_{in} + \tilde{C}_{out} + C_{\mathcal{P}1}$

$gh=-1: \mathcal{L}^{(2)} = A_{res}^* + A_{\mathcal{P}1}^*$

$gh=-2: \mathcal{L}^{(3)} = 0$

$S^f|_{\mathcal{L}} = \int_{\Sigma \times I} (a^{1,0} d_I a^{0,1} + A_{\mathcal{P}1}^* d_I C_{\mathcal{P}1} + dt(a^{1,0} + a^{0,1}) d_\Sigma \mathcal{G}) + \int A_{out}^{1,0} a^{0,1}|_{t=1} - (A_{res}^* + A_{\mathcal{P}1}^*|_{t=1}) C_{out} - \int_\Sigma A_{in}^{0,1} a^{1,0}|_{t=1} - (A_{res}^* + A_{\mathcal{P}1}^*|_{t=0}) C_{in}$

propagators:  $\langle a^{0,1}(t, z) a^{1,0}(t', z') \rangle = \Theta(t-t') \delta^{(2)}(z-z') \frac{i}{2} d\bar{z} dz'$  ———  
 $\langle C_{\mathcal{P}1}(t, z) A_{\mathcal{P}1}^*(t', z') \rangle = (\Theta(t-t') - t) \delta^{(2)}(z-z') \frac{i}{2} dz' d\bar{z}'$  - - - - -

free 2d boson CFT!

$S^{eff} = \int_\Sigma A_{out}^{1,0} A_{in}^{0,1} + A_{out}^{1,0} \bar{\partial} \mathcal{G} + A_{in}^{0,1} \partial \mathcal{G} - \frac{1}{2} \partial \mathcal{G} \bar{\partial} \mathcal{G} - A_{res}^* (C_{out} - C_{in})$



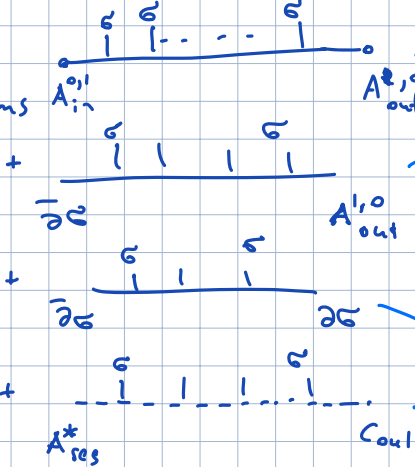
Non-abelian 3d Chern-Simons

$d \in \Omega^1(M) \otimes \mathfrak{g}[\hbar]$

polarization, gauge-fixing as before

$S = \int_{\Sigma \times I} \frac{1}{2} (d, d) + \frac{1}{6} (d, [d, d])$

$S^{eff} = \sum$   
F. diagrams

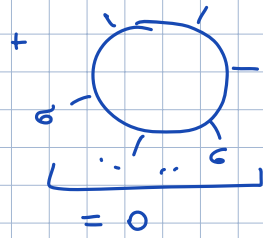


$\int_{\Sigma} (A_{out}^{1,0}, e^{-ad_{\sigma}} A_{in}^{0,1})$   
 $\int_{\Sigma} (A_{out}^{1,0}, \frac{1-e^{-ad_{\sigma}}}{ad_{\sigma}} \circ \bar{\partial} \sigma)$   
 $-\int_{\Sigma} (\bar{\partial} \sigma, \frac{e^{-ad_{\sigma}} + ad_{\sigma}^{-1}}{(ad_{\sigma})^2} \circ \partial \sigma)$   
 $-\int_{\Sigma} (A_{res}^*, \frac{ad_{\sigma}}{1-e^{-ad_{\sigma}}} \circ C_{out})$

vertex in Feynman diagrams

$\int_{\Sigma \times I} \text{det}(a^{1,0}, ad_{\sigma} a^{0,1}) + \int_{\Sigma \times I} \text{det}(C_{in}, ad_{\sigma} (A_{res}^* + A_{gl}^*))$

calculated via Bernoulli polynomials



ghost wheels  
 $-\sum_{z \in \Sigma} \text{tr} \log \frac{\sinh \frac{ad_{\sigma}(z)}{2}}{\frac{ad_{\sigma}(z)}{2}}$   
 $j(ad_{\sigma}(z))$

$\exp^* \mu_G^{Hoar} = e^{\int} \mu_j$

Group-valued parametrization of res. fields

$g = e^{-\sigma} : \Sigma \rightarrow G$ ,  $g^* = -g^{-1} \left( \frac{ad_{\log g}}{1-g} \circ A_{res}^* \right) \in \Omega^2(\Sigma, \mathfrak{g}^{-1})^*(TG)$

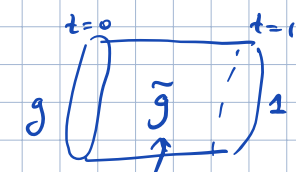
$C_{res} = \int_{\Sigma} (S\sigma, SA_{res}^*) = \int_{\Sigma} (Sg, Sg^*)$

transformation of  $S^{eff}$  as a log-half-density  $\leftarrow Z = e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} S_{\sigma, A_{res}^*}^{eff}} D^{\frac{1}{2}}_{\Sigma} D^{\frac{1}{2}}_{A_{res}^*} = e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} S_{g, g^*}^{eff}} D^{\frac{1}{2}}_g D^{\frac{1}{2}}_{g^*}$

$S_{g, g^*}^{eff} = \int_{\Sigma} \langle A_{out}^{1,0}, g A_{in}^{0,1} g^{-1} \rangle - \langle A_{out}^{1,0}, \bar{\partial} g \cdot g^{-1} \rangle - \langle A_{in}^{0,1}, g^{-1} \partial g \rangle + WZW(g) - \langle C_{out}, g g^* \rangle - \langle C_{in}, g^* g \rangle$

$\text{II} = S_{G/G} WZW + \text{ghost terms}$

where  $WZW(g) = -\frac{1}{2} \int_{\Sigma} \langle \partial g \cdot g^{-1}, \bar{\partial} g \cdot g^{-1} \rangle - \frac{1}{12} \int_{\Sigma \times I} \langle d\tilde{g} \cdot \tilde{g}^{-1}, [d\tilde{g} \cdot \tilde{g}^{-1}, d\tilde{g} \cdot \tilde{g}^{-1}] \rangle$



interpolation between g and 1

Properties • no quantum corrections in  $S_{g, g^*}^{\text{eff}}$ !

• satisfies mQME  $\left( \frac{i}{\hbar} \Omega_{\partial} - i\hbar \Delta_{\text{res}} \right) Z = 0$

where

$$\Omega_{\partial} = \int_{\Sigma} \left\langle C_{\text{out}}, \bar{\partial} A_{\text{out}}^{1,0} - i\hbar (\partial + [A_{\text{out}}^{1,0}, -]) \frac{\delta}{\delta A_{\text{out}}^{1,0}} \right\rangle - i\hbar \left\langle \frac{1}{2} [C_{\text{out}}, C_{\text{out}}], \frac{\delta}{\delta C_{\text{out}}} \right\rangle$$

$$+ \int_{\Sigma} \left\langle C_{\text{in}}, -\partial A_{\text{in}}^{0,1} - i\hbar (\bar{\partial} + [A_{\text{in}}^{0,1}, -]) \frac{\delta}{\delta A_{\text{in}}^{0,1}} \right\rangle - i\hbar \left\langle \frac{1}{2} [C_{\text{in}}, C_{\text{in}}], \frac{\delta}{\delta C_{\text{in}}} \right\rangle$$

$$\Delta_{\text{res}} = \int_{\Sigma} \left\langle \frac{\delta}{\delta g}, \frac{\delta}{\delta g^*} \right\rangle$$

• mQME (mod  $\hbar, g^*$ ) corresponds to Polyakov-Wiegmann f-la for  $\mathbb{I}$ :

$$\mathbb{I}(A_{\text{out}}^{1,0}, A_{\text{in}}^{0,1}; h_{\text{out}}, h_{\text{in}}^{-1}) = \mathbb{I}(A_{\text{out}}^{1,0}, A_{\text{in}}^{0,1}; g) - \mathbb{I}(A_{\text{out}}^{1,0}, 0, h_{\text{out}}^{-1}) - \mathbb{I}(0, A_{\text{in}}^{0,1}, h_{\text{in}})$$

•  $\mathbb{I}$  is a 'generalized gen. gen.' for the evol. Lagrangian

↔  $\mathbb{I}$  is a "Hamilton-Jacobi action" for CS

$$L = \{ (A_{\text{out}}, A_{\text{in}}) \mid \exists A \in \text{FlatConn}(\Sigma \times \mathbb{I}) \} \subset \text{Conn}(\Sigma) \times \text{Conn}(\Sigma)$$

s.t.  $A|_{t=1} = A_{\text{out}}$   
 $A|_{t=0} = A_{\text{in}}$

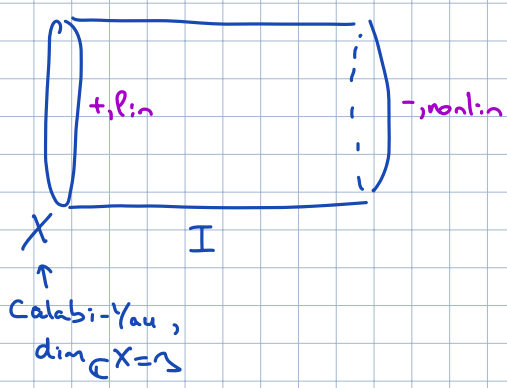
i.e.  $L = \{ (A_{\text{out}}^{1,0}, A_{\text{out}}^{0,1} = \frac{\partial \mathbb{I}}{\partial A_{\text{out}}^{1,0}}; A_{\text{in}}^{1,0} = \frac{\partial \mathbb{I}}{\partial A_{\text{in}}^{0,1}}, A_{\text{in}}^{0,1}) \mid \frac{\partial \mathbb{I}}{\partial g} = 0 \}$

$$\int_{\mathcal{L}_{\text{res}} \subset \mathcal{V}_{\text{res}}} \langle \psi_{\text{out}} \mid Z \mid \psi_{\text{in}} \rangle = \int Dg e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} S_{\text{WZW}}(g)} \leftarrow \text{(pure) WZW partition function}$$

$A_{\text{out}}^{1,0} = 0$   
 $C_{\text{out}} = 0$        $A_{\text{in}}^{0,1} = 0$   
 $C_{\text{in}} = 0$

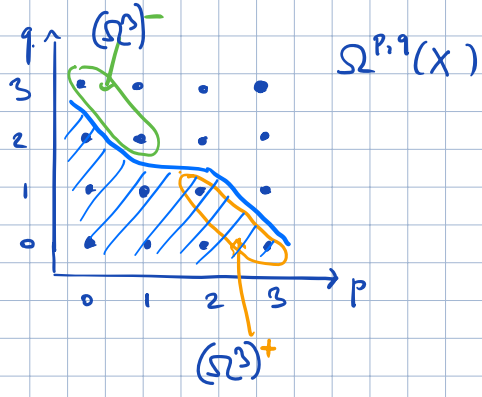
7d abelian CS

(elaboration on Gerasimov-Shatashvili hep-th/0409278)



$$M = X \times I, \quad S = \int_M \frac{1}{2} \omega \wedge d\omega, \quad \omega \in \Omega^2(M)[\mathfrak{g}]$$

on  $X \times \{0\}$ : "holomorphic" (linear) polarization



on  $X \times \{1\}$ : fix ghosts  $\oplus \Omega^{p,q}$   
 $p+q \leq 2$   
 non-linear!!  
 and "Hitchin polarization" for  $\Omega^3(X)$ :

$$A = A^{+,nl} + \boxed{A^{-,nl}} \leftarrow \text{base of polarization}$$

↑  
decomposable 3-forms

$$A^{+,nl} = E_1 \wedge E_2 \wedge E_3$$

$$A^{-,nl} = \bar{E}_1 \wedge \bar{E}_2 \wedge \bar{E}_3$$

parametrization:

$$A^{+,nl} = \mu e^{\mu} \omega_0$$

$$A^{-,nl} = \bar{\mu} e^{\bar{\mu}} \bar{\omega}_0$$

↑  
Cl forms

$\mu \in \Omega^{1,1}(X)$

$\bar{\mu} \in \Omega^{1,1}(X)$

$$\frac{\Omega^{1,1}}{\sigma_0} \rightarrow \frac{(\partial \bar{b})^2 \omega_0}{\sigma_0}$$

Claim:

$$\int_{\mathcal{V}_{res}} \langle \psi_{in} | Z \left( \begin{array}{c} \text{7d CS} \\ \vdots \end{array} \right) | \psi_{out} \rangle = \int_{\Omega_X^{1,1}} Db e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \int_X \frac{1}{2} \partial \bar{b} \bar{\omega}_0 + \frac{1}{6} \langle \partial \bar{b}, \partial \bar{b}, \partial \bar{b} \rangle}$$

lin. hol.      Hitchin

$b \in \Omega_X^{1,1}$

$A_{\mathbb{I} res}^{1,1}$  - res. field of Chern-Simons

"BCOV theory"  
 (aka Kodaira-Spencer gravity)

$$OR: \psi(A_{in}^{3,0}, A_{in}^{2,1}) = Z \left( \begin{array}{c} \text{7d CS} \\ \vdots \end{array} \right) | \psi_{out} \rangle$$

$$\psi(\omega_0, \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \Omega_X^{2,1}\text{-harmonic}}}{x}) \sim \int Db e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \int_X \frac{1}{2} \partial \bar{b} \bar{\omega}_0 + \frac{1}{6} \langle \partial \bar{b} + x, \partial \bar{b} + x, \partial \bar{b} + x \rangle}$$

Some More details:

$$Z_{CS} = e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} S^{\text{eff}}}$$

$$S^{\text{eff}} = \int_X \frac{1}{2} \partial A_{I \text{ res}}^{1,1} \bar{\partial} A_{I \text{ res}}^{1,1} + A_{in}^{+,l} d A_{I \text{ res}}^{0,2} + A_{in}^{2,1} \bar{\partial} A_{I \text{ res}}^{1,1} - G(A_{in}^{+,l} + d A_{I \text{ res}}^{2,0} + \partial A_{I \text{ res}}^{1,1}, A_{out}^{+,nl}) + (A_{out}^{[>0]} - A_{in}^{[>0]}) A_{res}^{[<0]} + A_{res}^{[<-1]} d A_{I \text{ res}}^{[>0]}$$

Here  $G(A^{3,0}, A^{2,1}, \bar{p}, \bar{\mu}) = \int_X \bar{p} (A^{3,0} \bar{\omega}_0 + A^{2,1} \bar{\mu} \bar{\omega}_0) + \bar{p}^2 \langle \bar{\mu}^3 \rangle \omega_0 \bar{\omega}_0 - \frac{\langle (A^{2,1} - \frac{1}{2} \bar{p} \bar{\mu}^2 \bar{\omega}_0)^{\vee 3} \rangle}{(A^{3,0})^{\vee} - \bar{p} \langle \bar{\mu}^3 \rangle} \omega_0 \bar{\omega}_0$

Relations:  $\Omega^{p,q} \rightarrow \Omega^{p-3,q}$   
 $A \mapsto A^{\vee} = A \omega_0^{-1}$

$$\langle \bar{\mu}^3 \rangle = \frac{1}{c} \frac{\mu^3 \omega_0}{\bar{\omega}_0}$$

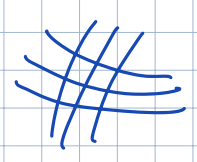
$$A^{-l} \delta A^{+l} = A^{+nl} \delta A^{-nl} + \delta G$$

generating function for the change of polarization

$$\Psi_{out}(A^{nl}) = \delta(\bar{\mu}) \delta(A^{[>0]}) e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \int_X \bar{p} \omega_0 \bar{\omega}_0}$$

Toy situation: 1d CS with nonlin. polarization

Map(T[1]I,  $\tau^0$ )  
 Gohm ex,  $\omega_Y$  -symp str.    lin:  $\tau^0 = \tau^+ \oplus \tau^-$   
 nonlin:  $\tau^0 \simeq \tau^{nl,Q} \times \tau^{nl,P}$   
 gen. fun.     $G(\psi^{l,+}, \psi^{nl,Q})$   
 $\psi^{l,-} = \frac{\partial G}{\partial \psi^{l,+}}$



Trick: write

$$F \simeq \mathcal{B} \times \mathcal{Y}$$

$(\psi_{in}^+, \psi_{out}^Q)$     same as for  $(\psi_{in}^+, \psi_{out}^-)$  - pol.

$$S^F(\psi_{in}^+, \psi_{out}^Q, \psi_{fl}^+, \psi_{fl}^-; dt \cdot A_{res}) = \dots + G(\psi^+(1), \psi_{out}^Q)$$

"bdry observable"