

# Remodeling Conjecture with Descendants

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This Talk is about...

all-genus mirror symmetry

of

toric Calabi-Yau 3-folds

via

topological recursion

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- Higher-genus mirror symmetry is usually quite challenging
- For  $X$  **toric**, ideas:
  - mirror B-model can be given by families of **curves**
  - topological recursion provides **quantization** to higher genus

## Remodeling the B-Model

- For  $X$  toric, can use Hori-Vafa mirror

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- Idea 1: reduce genus-0 B-model on 3d Hori-Vafa mirror to 1d mirror curves

$$C_q = \{0 = H(X, Y, q)\} \subset (\mathbb{C}^*)_{(X,Y)}^2$$

- Idea 2: use [Chekhov-Eynard-Orantin] topological recursion invariants

$$\omega_{g,n}$$

on  $C_q$  as higher-genus B-model

- Remodeling Conjecture [Bouchard-Klemm-Mariño-Pasquetti]

# Remodeling Conjecture

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 $\omega_{0,1}$ : 1-form  
complex parameters  $q$

all-genus Gromov-Witten invariants

topological recursion invariants  $\omega_{g,n}$

open-closed GW invariants

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local expansions of  $\omega_{g,n}$

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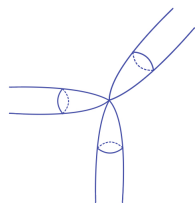
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Laplace transforms of  $\omega_{g,n}$

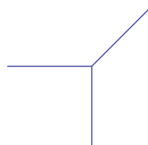
- I: original BKMP proposal [Eynard-Orantin, Fang-Liu-Zong]
- II: this work [Fang-Liu-Y-Zong]

# Toric Calabi-Yau 3-Folds

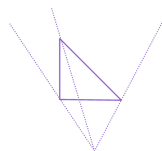
- $X$ : complex toric Calabi-Yau 3-fold (manifold or orbifold)
  - E.g.  $\mathbb{C}^3$



$\mathbb{C}$  coordinate axes



toric graph  
(image under moment map  
of real CY 2-subtorus  $T'_{\mathbb{R}}$ )

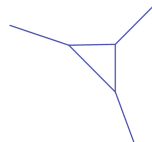
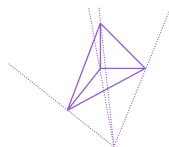
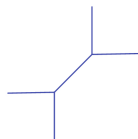
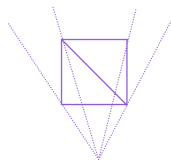


toric fan



# Toric Calabi-Yau 3-Folds

- Additional examples



resolved conifold  $\mathcal{O}(-1) \oplus \mathcal{O}(-1)/\mathbb{P}^1$

$\mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^2}(-3)$

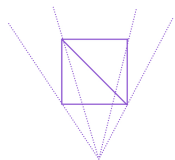
- more general examples come from canonical bundles of toric surfaces
  - toric fan = cone over polytope with regular triangulation
  - toric graph = dual graph of triangulated polytope
- We assume that  $X$  is **semi-projective**, i.e. a GIT quotient
    - equivalently:  $X$  is a symplectic quotient, support of fan is convex

# Mirror Curves

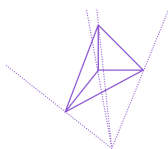
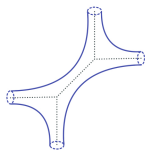
- Affine algebraic curve

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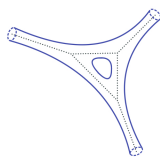
- Examples



$$H = X + Y + 1 + qXY$$



$$H = X + Y + 1 + qX^{-1}Y^{-1}$$



- tropicalization of  $C_q \leftrightarrow$  toric graph of  $X$
- $g$  = genus of  $C_q = \#$  compact divisors in  $X$
- $n$  =  $\#$  punctures of  $C_q = \#$  non-compact axes in  $X$
- $N$  =  $\#$  patches of  $C_q = \#$  torus fixed points in  $X = \dim H^*(X; \mathbb{C})$

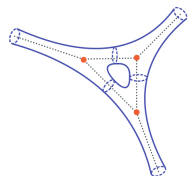
$$N = 2g - 2 + n$$

## Topological Recursion - (0, 1)

- Take  $(u_1, u_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}$  and let

$$\hat{\chi} = -u_1 \log X - u_2 \log Y$$

- meromorphic (multivalued) function on  $C_q$
- $N$  simple ramification points, one on each patch
- later,  $u_1, u_2$  will serve as equivariant parameters of Calabi-Yau torus  $T'$
- $\text{Re}(\hat{\chi})$  will serve as **superpotential** of  $T'$ -equivariant Landau-Ginzburg model



↓  $\text{Re}(\hat{\chi})$



- Let

$$\hat{y} = -\frac{\log Y}{u_1}, \quad \omega_{0,1} = \hat{y} d\hat{\chi}$$

## Topological Recursion - (0, 2)

- $\omega_{0,2}$  = fundamental bidifferential of second kind of compactified mirror curve  $\overline{C}_q$ 
  - symmetric, meromorphic form on  $\overline{C}_q^2$  with double pole along diagonal, locally

$$\omega_{0,2}(p_1, p_2) = \frac{dz_1 dz_2}{(z_1 - z_2)^2} + \text{hol'c} \quad \text{as } p_1 \rightarrow p_2$$

- Torelli marking: pick symplectic basis

$$A_1, \dots, A_g, \quad B_1, \dots, B_g$$

of  $H_1(\overline{C}_q; \mathbb{Z})$  such that the “A-periods” give mirror maps

$$\int_{A_i} \omega_{0,1} = \tau_i = \log q_i + O(q)$$

and use the A-cycles to normalize  $\omega_{0,2}$

$$\int_{p_1 \in A_i} \omega_{0,2}(p_1, p_2) = 0$$

## Topological Recursion - $(g, n)$

- On spectral curve

$$(C_q, \hat{x}, \hat{y}, \omega_{0,2})$$

run [Chekhov-Eynard-Orantin] topological recursion to obtain

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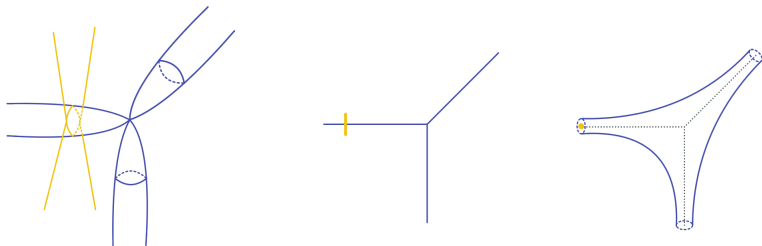
- B-model graph sum [Dunin-Barkowski-Orantin-Shadrin-Spitz]

$$\omega_{g,n} = \sum_{\vec{\Gamma} \in \mathcal{G}_{g,n}} \frac{w_B(\vec{\Gamma})}{|\text{Aut}(\vec{\Gamma})|}$$

- $\mathcal{G}_{g,n}$ : collection of decorated stable graphs of genus  $g$  and with  $n$  leaves
- $w_B$ : B-model weight of graphs
- quantization of genus-0 B-model

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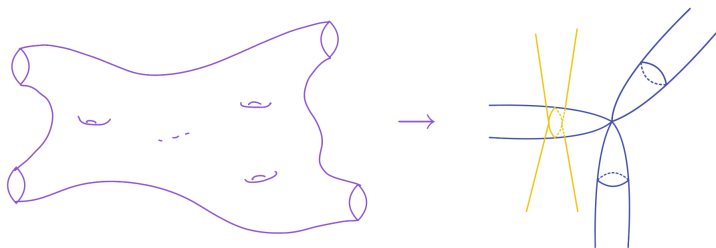
- Remodeling Conjecture relates  $\omega_{g,n}$ ,  $\omega_g$  to Gromov-Witten theory of  $X$
- Boundary condition for open theory: [Aganagic-Vafa Lagrangian  \$L\$](#)



- preserved under action of real CY 2-subtorus  $T'_\mathbb{R}$
- non-compact, topologically  $S^1 \times \mathbb{R}^2$
- intersects a unique axis in  $X$
- we assume this axis is non-compact, corresponding to a puncture on  $C_q$

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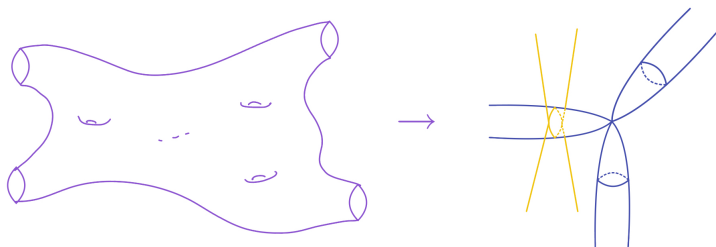
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- Consider generating function

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- Consider also generating function

$$F_g^X$$

of **closed** invariants counting stable maps from genus- $g$  **borderless** domains

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- A-model graph sum [Givental, Teleman, Zong]

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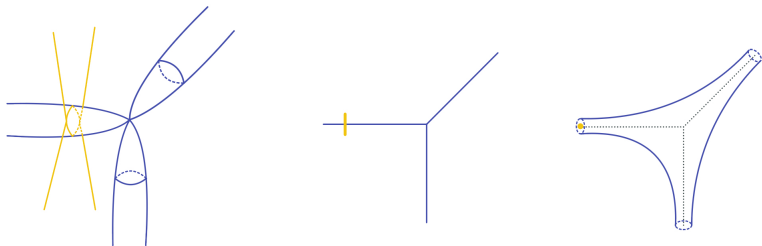
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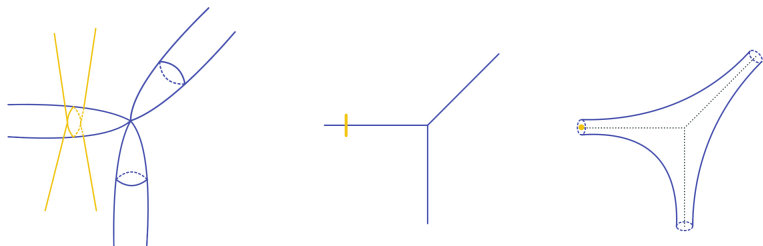
Theorem [Bouchard-Klemm-Mariño-Pasquetti, Eynard-Orantin, Fang-Liu-Zong]

Under the mirror map:

- $F_{g,n}^{X,L}$  can be obtained from local expansion of  $\omega_{g,n}$  near the puncture on  $C_q$  corresponding to  $L$
- $F_g^X$  can be obtained from free energy  $\omega_g$



# Remodeling Conjecture



- Proof idea: relate  $F_{g,n}^{X,L}$  and  $\omega_{g,n}$  by comparing A-/B-model graph sums
- **Leaf term** is given by (0,1)-case, i.e. **disk** mirror theorem

$$dF_{0,1}^{X,L} = \omega_{0,1}$$

- [Graber-Zaslow, Fang-Liu, Fang-Liu-Tseng]
- based on genus-0 **toric mirror theorem** [Givental, Coates-Corti-Iritani-Tseng, Cheong-Ciocan-Fontanine-Kim]

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- Can also be expressed by A-model graph sum formula
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- Goal: obtain  $\left\langle\left\langle \dots \right\rangle\right\rangle_{g,n}^{X, T'}$  from Laplace transform of  $\omega_{g,n}$  along suitable cycles

## Relative Cycles

- Consider exponential map  $\mathbb{C}_{(-\log X, -\log Y)}^2 \rightarrow (\mathbb{C}^*)_{(X, Y)}^2$  and induced  $\mathbb{Z}^2$ -covering

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- Consider group of integral **relative 1-cycles**

$$H_1(\tilde{\mathcal{C}}_q, \text{Re}(\hat{\chi}) \gg 0; \mathbb{Z})$$

- Laplace transform/oscillatory integral

$$\int_{\Gamma} e^{-\frac{\hat{\chi}}{z}} \omega_{0,1}$$

provides B-model **integral structure**

# Equivariant $K$ -groups and Central Charges

- For A-model, we will consider certain  $T'$ -equivariant  $K$ -group

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with framing (c.f. [Iritani])

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- Descendant potential/central charge

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# Remodeling Conjecture with Descendants

## Theorem [Fang-Liu-Y-Zong]

There is an isomorphism

$$\text{mir}^+ : K_{T'}^+(X) \rightarrow H_1(\tilde{C}_q, \text{Re}(\hat{x}) \gg 0; \mathbb{Z})$$

such that for  $\mathcal{E}_1, \dots, \mathcal{E}_n \in K_{T'}^+(X)$ , under the mirror map

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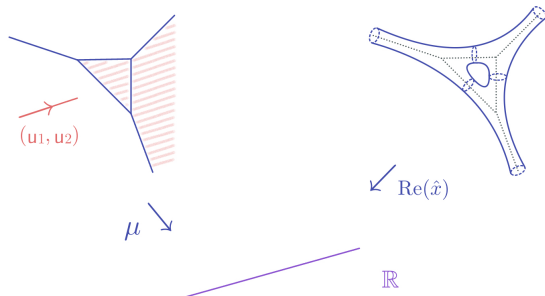
- $\text{mir}^+$  identifies the A-/B-model integral structures
- Proof is again based on comparing A-/B-model graph sums
- Reduces to comparing **leaf terms**

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- previously obtained for compact toric case [Iritani, Fang]

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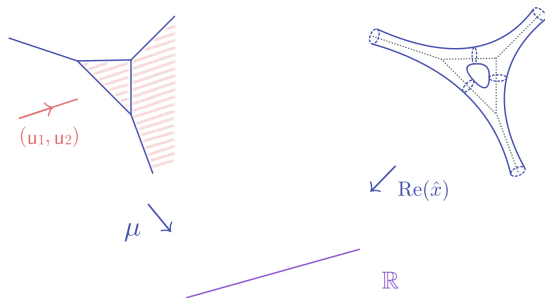
- $K_{T'}^+(X)$  accounts for  $T'$ -equivariant coherent sheaves with “bounded below support”



- choice of  $(u_1, u_2)$  determines 1-subtorus of  $T' \Rightarrow$  moment map  $\mu: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
- take  $K_{T'}^+(X) =$  Grothendieck group of certain subcategory of  $D^b(\text{Coh}_{T'}(X))$  of sheaves whose support is bounded below under  $\mu$
- generalizes [Borisov-Horja] on  $K$ -groups with compact support

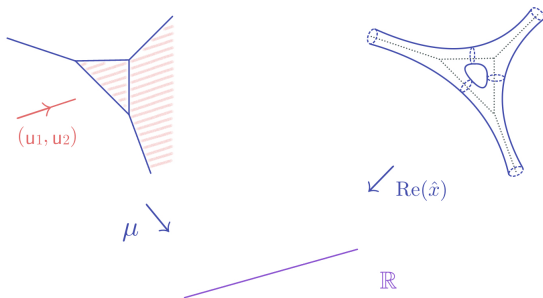
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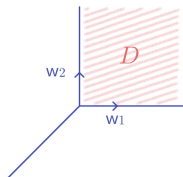


- To construct  $\text{mir}^+$ , we construct mirror cycles of these generators
  - here we focus on line bundles on toric divisors
- Intuition from toric geometry
  - toric graph of  $X \leftrightarrow$  tropicalization of  $C_q$
  - $\mathbb{C}^3$  charts of  $X \leftrightarrow$  pair-of-pants decomposition of  $C_q$

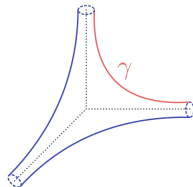


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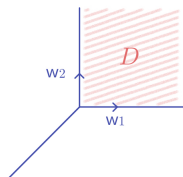
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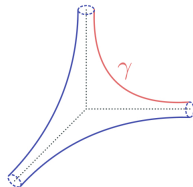
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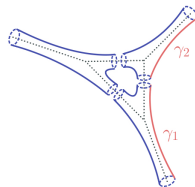
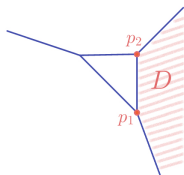
- Take **lift**  $\Gamma$  of  $\gamma$  to cover  $\tilde{C}_q$

$$\int_{\Gamma} e^{-\frac{\tilde{x}}{z}} \omega_{0,1} = e^{-\frac{\sqrt{-1}}{z}(aw_1 + bw_2)} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{w_1}{z})\Gamma(\frac{w_2}{z})}{\Gamma(1 + \frac{w_1 + w_2}{z})}$$

- matches restriction of central charge of **twist of  $\mathcal{O}_D$**  to vertex
- $\mathbb{Z}^2$  choices of lift  $\Gamma$ , coordinate has constant imaginary part  $(a, b)$
- correspond to  $\mathbb{Z}^2$  choices of  $T'$ -equivariant line bundles twisting  $\mathcal{O}_D$

# Construction of Mirror Cycles

- Back to global picture, to construct  $\text{mir}^+(\mathcal{O}_D \otimes \mathcal{L})$ , **patch** local cycles



- $T'$ -equivariant line bundle  $\mathcal{L}$  is determined by  $T'$ -characters after restriction to vertices and **compatibility condition** at adjacent vertices
  - locally, take cycles mirror to characters
  - compatibility condition  $\Rightarrow$  cycles can be patched together
- Construction for line bundles on toric curves is similar

Thank you!