

# Topological Strings and Condensed Matter Physics

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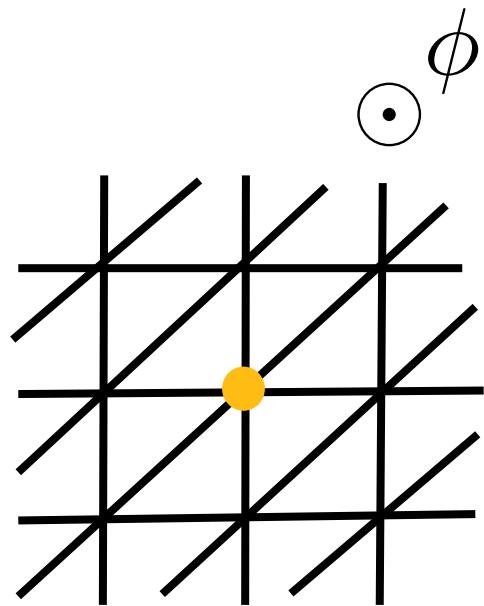
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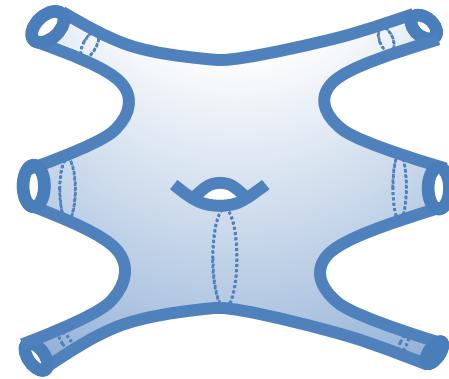
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Electron  
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Non-perturbative  
Topological string

From Cond. Mat. Phys. to String

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# 1. Introduction

# Topological String (TS)

- Toy model of superstring



capture some information of superstring on  $R^4 \times CY_3$

- Mirror symmetry

A-model TS

on CY<sub>A</sub>

$t$

Kahler moduli



$t = t(\mathcal{E})$

Mirror map

B-model TS

on CY<sub>B</sub>

$\mathcal{E}$

Complex moduli

# Topological String (TS)

- Toy model of superstring
- In non-compact toric CY,  
TS relates some fields

M theory

[Gopakumar, Vafa(1998)]

Quantum Mechanics

[Grassi, Hatsuda, Marino (2014)]

A model TS

B model TS

$$H(x, y; \mathcal{E}) = 0$$

Susy. gauge theory

[Hollowood, Iqbal, Vafa(2008)]

Cond. Mat. Phys.

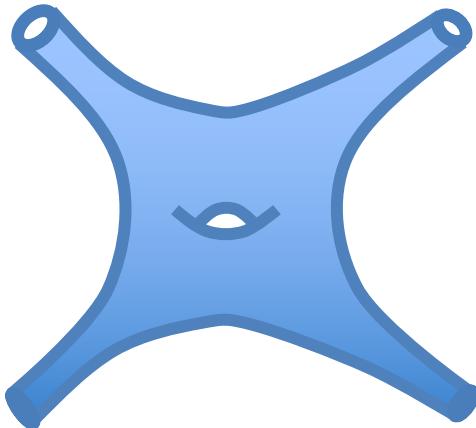
My talk

## 2. (Non-perturbative) topological string

## B-model TS

Toric CY :  $uv + H(x, y; \mathcal{E}) = 0$

TS: encoded into the curve,  $H(x, y; \mathcal{E}) = 0$



$$t(\mathcal{E}) = \oint_A dx \ y(x; \mathcal{E})$$

$$\partial_t F_0(t) = \oint_B dx \ y(x; \mathcal{E})$$

$$H = e^x + e^y + e^{-x} + e^{-y} - \varepsilon \quad \left[ F(t, g_s) = \sum_{g \geq 0} g_s^{2g-2} F_g(t) \right]$$
$$= 0$$

Local  $P_1 \times P_1$

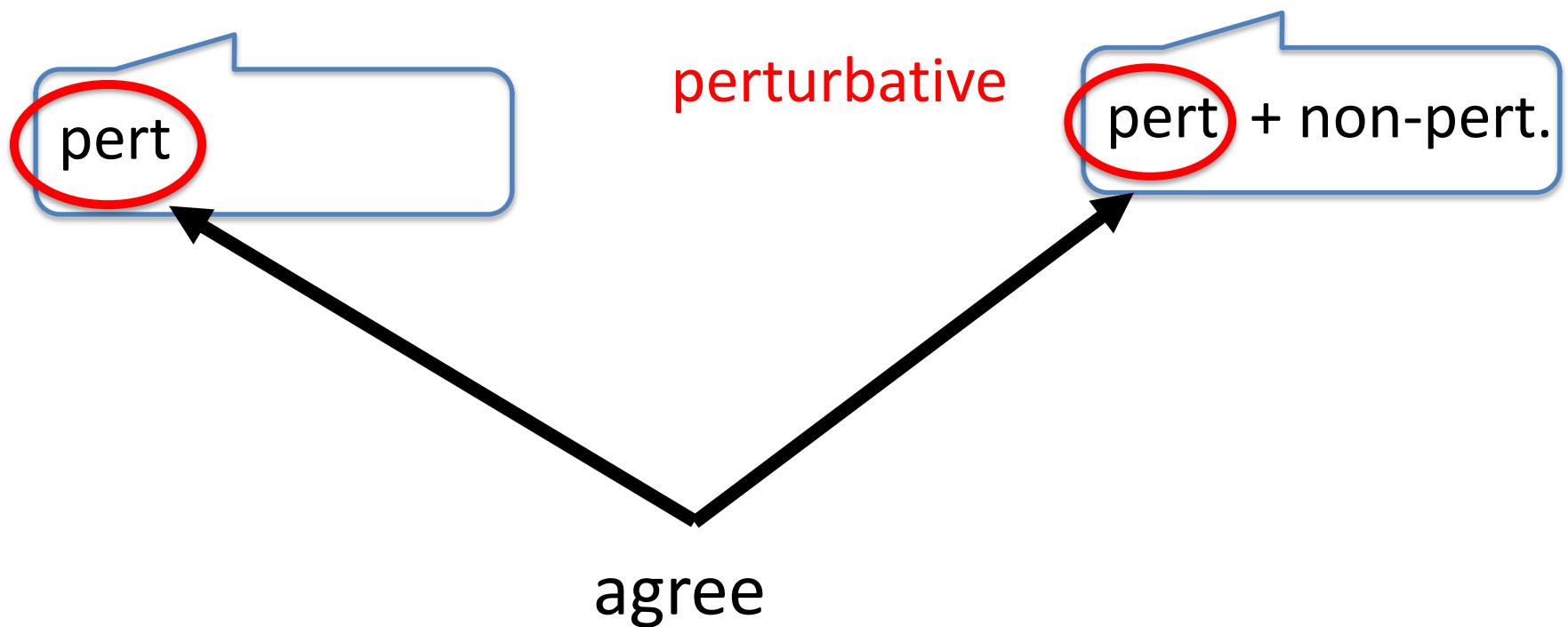
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Hatsuda, Moriyama, Okuyama(2013)

A-model Topological String  
on local  $P_1 \times P_1$

ABJM theory

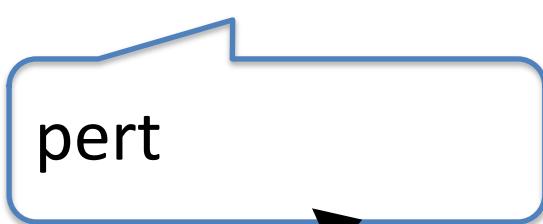


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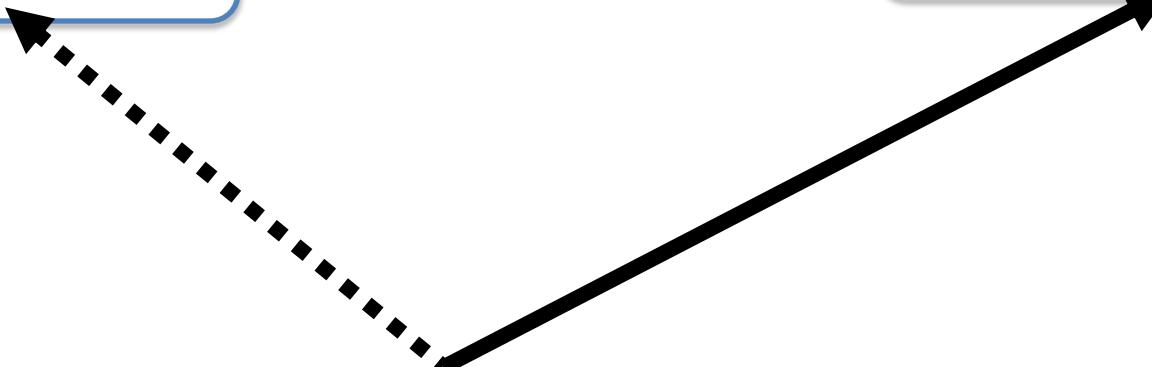
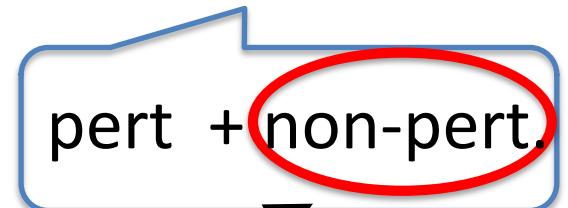
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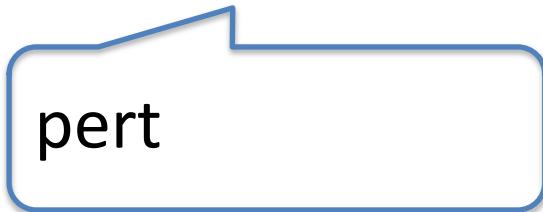
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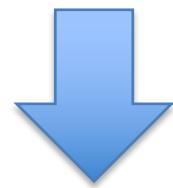
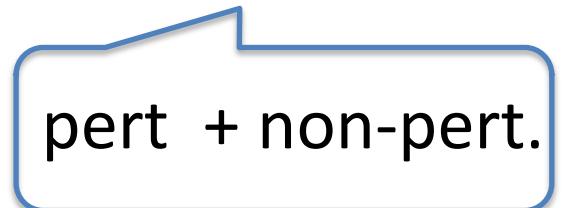
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A-model Topological String  
on local  $P_1 \times P_1$

ABJM theory



perturbative



If agree non-perturbatively

$$F^{(\text{n.p.})}(\mathbf{t}, g_s) = F(\mathbf{t}, g_s) + \frac{1}{2\pi i} \frac{\partial}{\partial g_s} \left[ g_s F_{\text{NS}} \left( \frac{\mathbf{t}}{g_s}, \frac{1}{g_s} \right) \right]$$

$$F_{\text{NS}}(\mathbf{t}, \hbar) = \sum_{j_L, j_R} \sum_{w, \mathbf{d}} N_{j_L \ j_R}^{\mathbf{d}} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\hbar w}{2}(2j_L + 1)\right) \sin\left(\frac{\hbar w}{2}(2j_R + 1)\right)}{2w^2 \sin^3\left(\frac{\hbar w}{2}\right)} e^{-w\mathbf{d} \cdot \mathbf{t}}$$

Non-perturbative completion of topological string

# Non-perturbative ??

Hatsuda, Moriyama, Okuyama(2013)

A-model Topological String  
on local  $P^1 \times P^1$   $\longleftrightarrow$  ABJM theory

$$Z(N, k) = \int d^N x \sum_{\sigma \in S_N} \frac{(-1)^{\epsilon(\sigma)}}{N!} \prod_{i=1}^N \langle x_i | \rho(p, q) | x_{\sigma(i)} \rangle$$

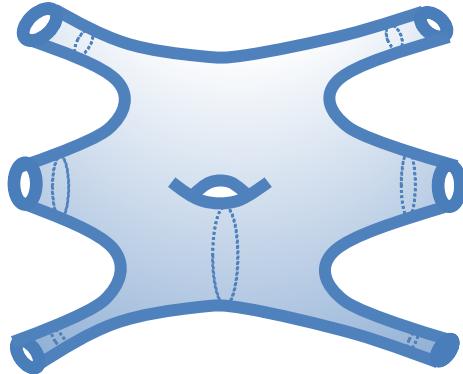
$$\begin{aligned} \rho(p, q) &= \frac{1}{(2\cosh[\frac{q}{2}])^{\frac{1}{2}}} \frac{1}{(2\cosh[\frac{p}{2}])} \frac{1}{(2\cosh[\frac{q}{2}])^{\frac{1}{2}}}, \quad [q, p] = 2\pi i k \\ &= (e^q + e^p + e^{-q} + e^{-p})^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

(Mirror curve)<sup>-1</sup> of local  $P^1 \times P^1$

 B-model

# Non-perturbative from the curve ??

Aganagic, Cheng, Dijkgraaf, Krefl, Vafa(2012), Grassi, Hatsuda, Marino(2014)



$$H = e^x + e^y + e^{-x-y} + e^{-x} \\ + e^{-y} + e^{-x-y} - \mathcal{E} = 0$$

Local  $B_3$



## Quantization of the curve

$$\mathcal{E} = e^x + e^{-x} + e^y + e^{-y} \\ + e^{x+y} + e^{-x-y}$$

$$[x, y] = i\hbar \quad \hbar = 4\pi^2/g_s$$

Quantum mirror map  
 $t(\mathcal{E}, \hbar)$

# How to define $t(\mathcal{E}, \hbar)$

Aganagic, Cheng, Dijkgraaf, Krefl, Vafa(2012)

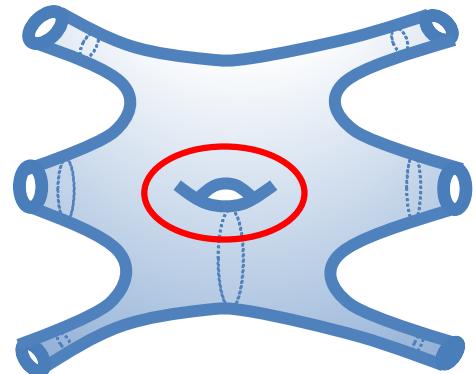
$$(e^x + e^y + e^{-x-y} + e^{-x} + e^{-y} + e^{-x-y} - \mathcal{E})\Psi(x) = 0$$

$$\Psi(x, \hbar) = \exp\left[\frac{1}{\hbar}S(x, \hbar)\right], \quad S(x, \hbar) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} S_n(x)\hbar^n$$



$$t(\mathcal{E}, \hbar) = \oint_A \partial S(x, \hbar) dx$$

order by order

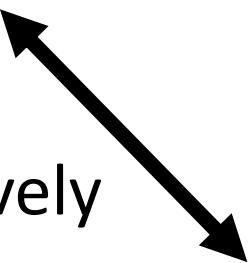


$$\begin{aligned} & e^x + e^y + e^{-x-y} + e^{-x} \\ & + e^{-y} + e^{-x-y} - \mathcal{E} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

perturbative  
A-model TS  
on local  $P_1 \times P_1$

perturbatively

ABJM theory



Non-perturbative  
A-model TS  
on local  $P_1 \times P_1$

Explicit  
computation

ABJM theory

Non-perturbative  
B-model TS  
on local  $P_1 \times P_1$

quantized  
mirror curve



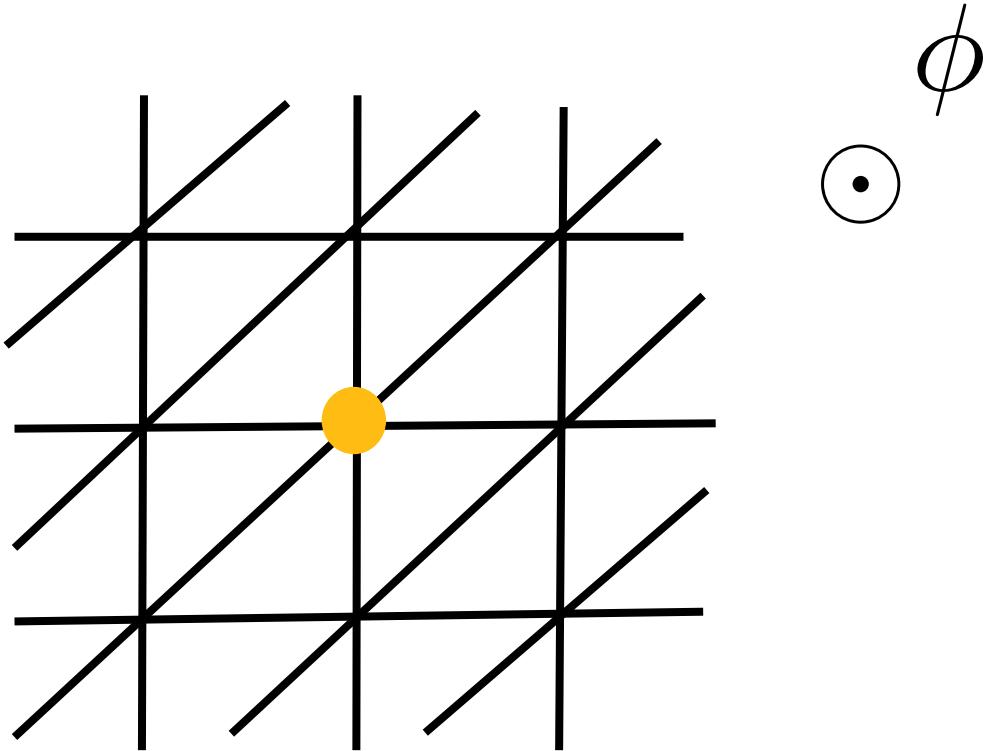
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Non-perturbative A/B-model TS  
on arbitrary CY

# 3. Relation

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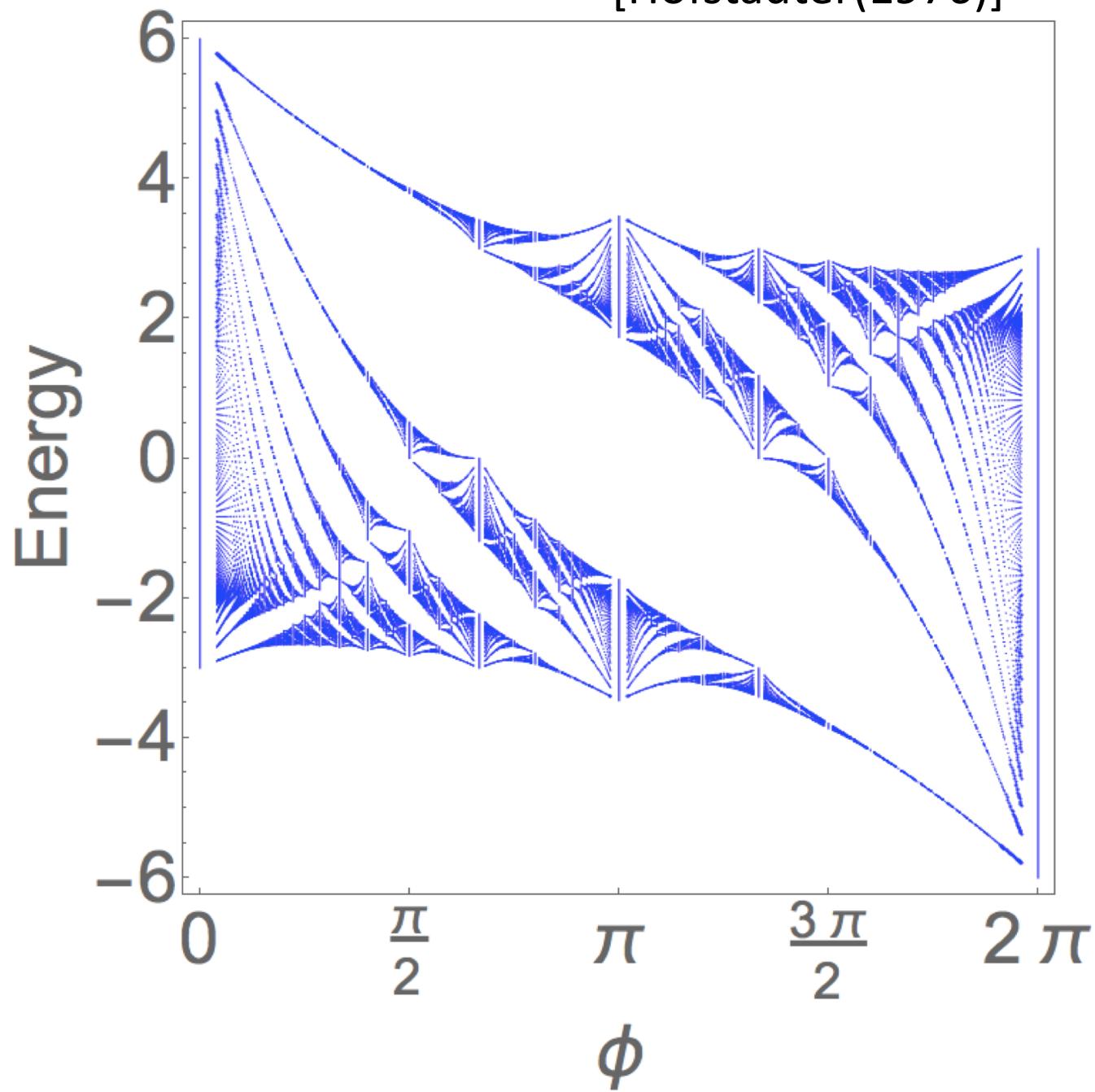


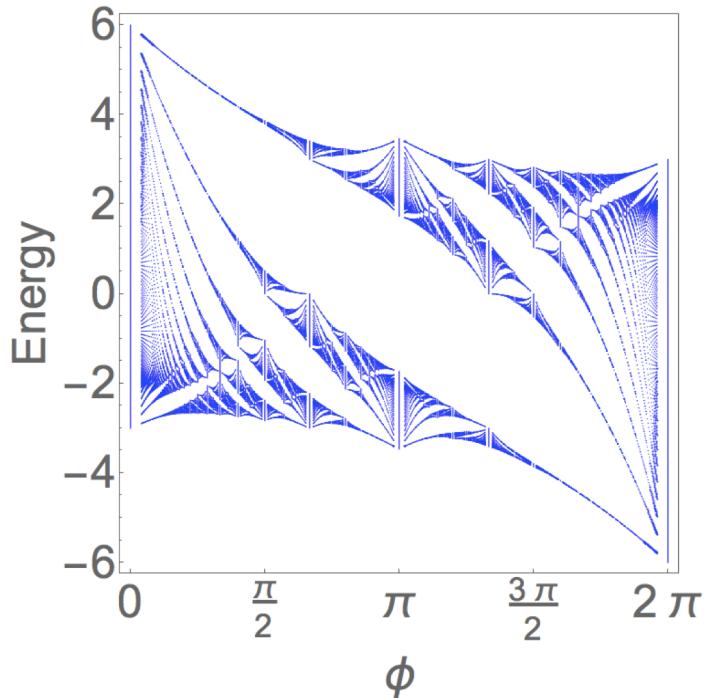
$$\begin{aligned} H_{\text{tri.}} = & T_x + T_x^\dagger + T_y + T_y^\dagger \\ & + e^{-\frac{i\phi}{2}} T_x T_y + e^{\frac{i\phi}{2}} T_y^\dagger T_x^\dagger \end{aligned}$$
$$T_x T_y = e^{i\phi} T_y T_x$$

$$a, b \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}, b \neq 0$$

$$\phi = 2\pi \frac{a}{b}$$

[Hofstadter(1976)]





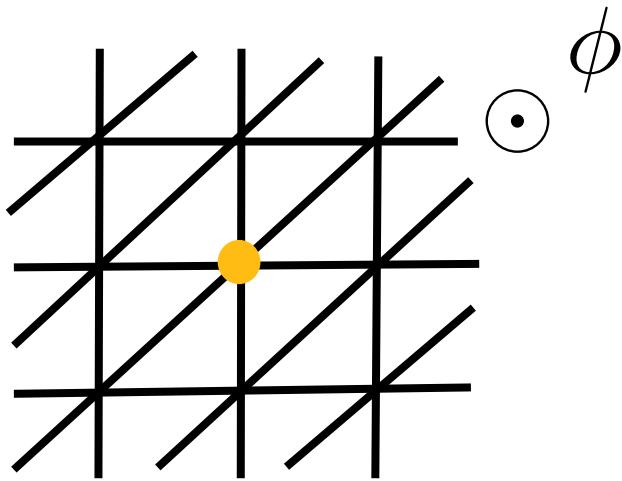
$$H_{\text{tri.}} = T_x + T_x^\dagger + T_y + T_y^\dagger + e^{-\frac{i\phi}{2}} T_x T_y + e^{\frac{i\phi}{2}} T_y^\dagger T_x^\dagger \quad T_x T_y = e^{i\phi} T_y T_x$$

$$\phi = 2\pi \frac{a}{b} \quad a, b \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}, b \neq 0$$

$$\det[D_{a/b}(E)] = 0$$

$$D_{a/b}(E) = \begin{pmatrix} A_1 - E & B_1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & B_b^* e^{-ibk_y} \\ B_1^* & A_2 - E & B_2 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & B_{b-2}^* & A_{b-1} - E & B_{b-1} \\ B_b e^{ibk_y} & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & B_{b-1}^* & A_b - E \end{pmatrix}$$

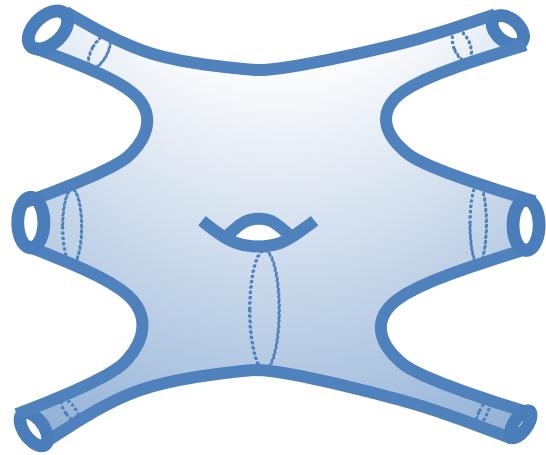
$$A_j = -2\cos(k_x + 2\pi\phi j), \quad \tilde{B}_j = -e^{ik_y} B_j, \quad B_j = 1 + e^{i(k_x + 2\pi\phi j)}$$



Electron  
on 2d lattice

$$H_{\text{tri.}} = T_x + T_x^\dagger + T_y + T_y^\dagger + e^{-\frac{i\phi}{2}} T_x T_y + e^{\frac{i\phi}{2}} T_y^\dagger T_x^\dagger$$

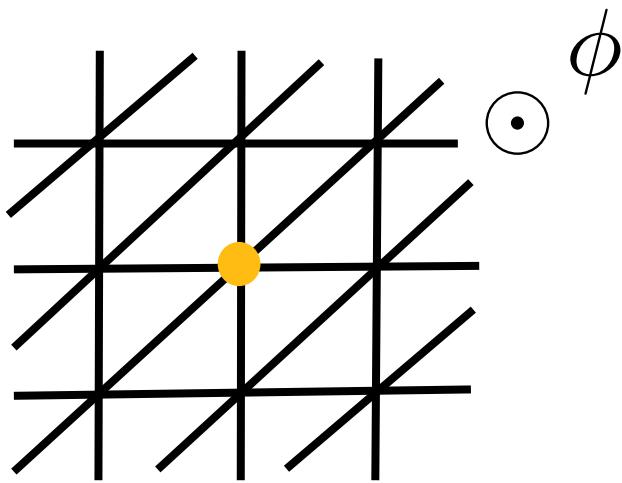
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Non-perturbative  
Topological string

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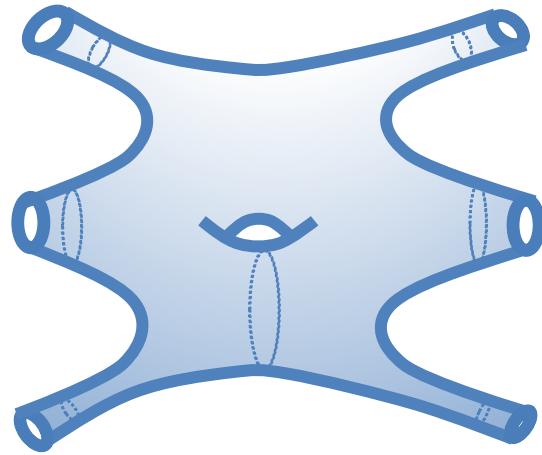
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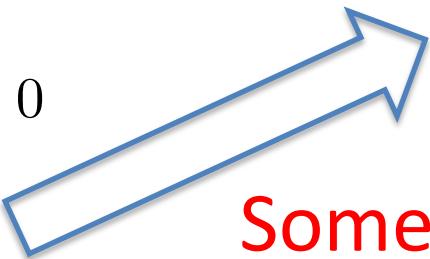
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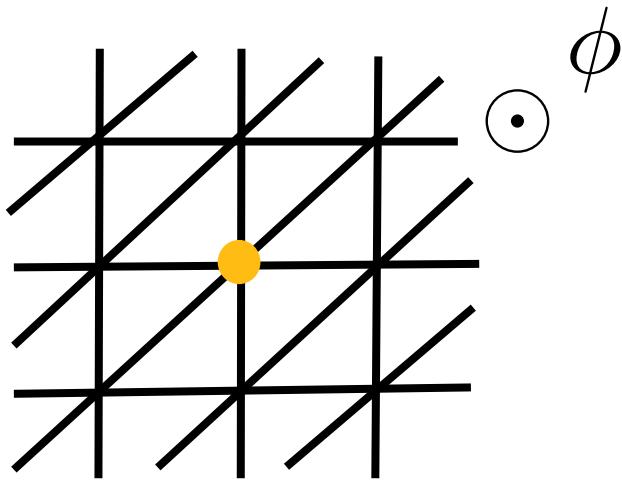
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Some implication ???



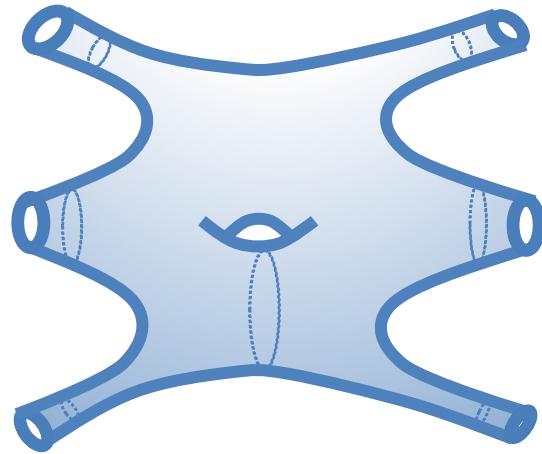
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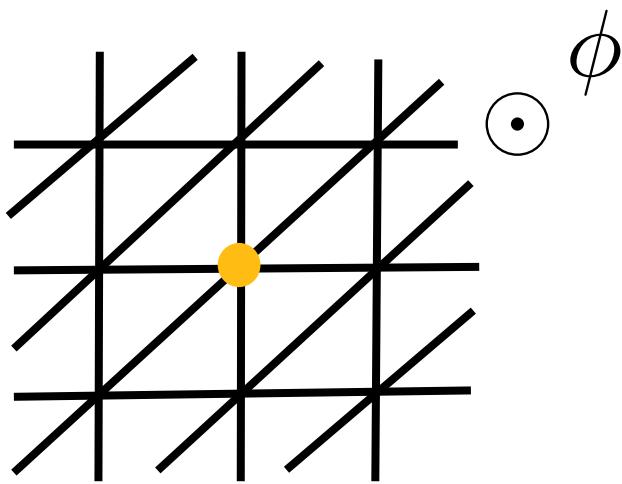


Non-perturbative  
Topological string

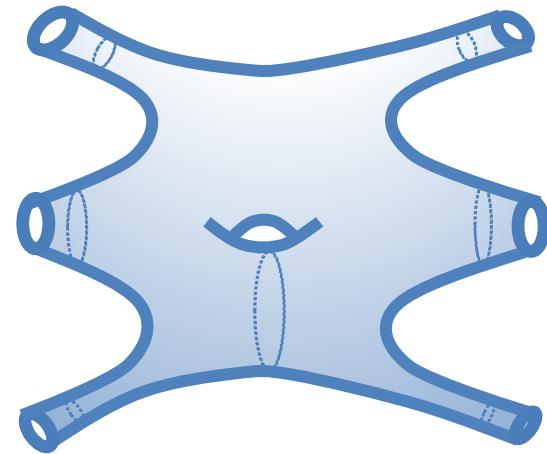
$$\text{when } \hbar = 2\pi \frac{a}{b}$$



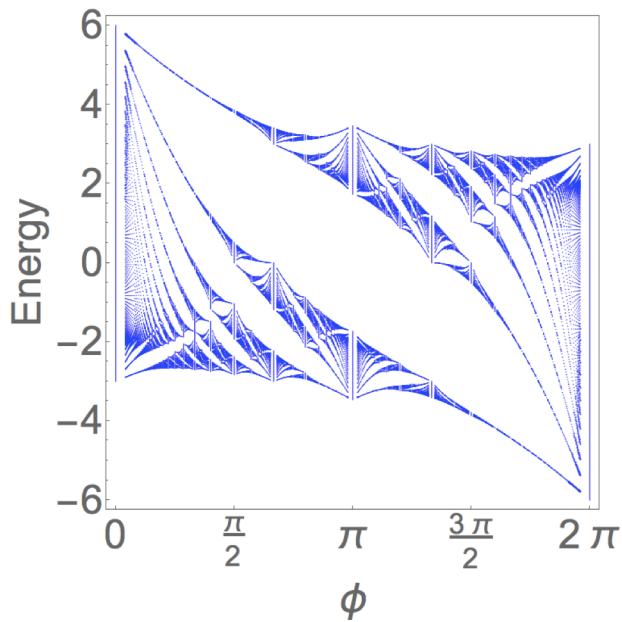
obtain  $t(\mathcal{E}, \hbar)$   
in closed form



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Non-perturbative  
Topological string



$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \text{Im} \left[ \frac{\partial t(\mathcal{E}, \hbar = 2\pi a/b)}{\partial \mathcal{E}} \right]$$

# 4. Calculation detail

# mirror curve & mirror map

$$\mathcal{E} = e^x + e^{-x} + e^y + e^{-y} + e^{x+y} + e^{-x-y}$$

$$\frac{1}{\hbar} \oint_B \partial_x S(x, \hbar) dx = 2\pi \left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\Psi(x, \hbar) = \exp \left[ \frac{1}{\hbar} S(x, \hbar) \right], \quad S(x, \hbar) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} S_n(x) \hbar^n$$

J. Dunham(1932)

Quantization condition

# mirror curve & mirror map

$$\mathcal{E} = e^x + e^{-x} + e^y + e^{-y} + e^{x+y} + e^{-x-y}$$

$$\underline{\partial_t F_{\text{NS}}(t, \hbar)} = 2\pi \left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

Diverge at

Nekrasov-Shatashvili(2009)

$$\hbar = 2\pi a/b$$

$$F_{\text{NS}}(t, \hbar) = \sum_{j_L, j_R} \sum_{w, \mathbf{d}} N_{j_L \ j_R}^{\mathbf{d}} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\hbar w}{2}(2j_L + 1)\right) \sin\left(\frac{\hbar w}{2}(2j_R + 1)\right)}{2w^2 \sin^3\left(\frac{\hbar w}{2}\right)} e^{-w\mathbf{d} \cdot \mathbf{t}}$$

# mirror curve & mirror map

$$\mathcal{E} = e^x + e^{-x} + e^y + e^{-y} + e^{x+y} + e^{-x-y}$$

conjecture

$$\partial_t F_{\text{NS}}(t; \hbar) + \partial_{\tilde{t}} F_{\text{NS}}(\tilde{t}; \tilde{\hbar}) = 2\pi \left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

Wang, Zhang, Huang(2015)

$$\tilde{t} = \frac{2\pi}{\hbar} t, \quad \tilde{\hbar} = \frac{4\pi^2}{\hbar}$$

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Invariant under  $t \leftrightarrow \tilde{t}, \hbar \leftrightarrow \tilde{\hbar}$

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Mirror curve parametrized by  $(\hbar, \mathcal{E})$

$$t(\mathcal{E}, \hbar) = \oint_A \partial_x S(x, \hbar) dx, \quad \Psi(x, \hbar) = \exp \left[ \frac{1}{\hbar} S(x, \hbar) \right]$$

# mirror curve & mirror map

$$\tilde{\mathcal{E}} = e^{\tilde{x}} + e^{-\tilde{x}} + e^{\tilde{y}} + e^{-\tilde{y}} + e^{\tilde{x}+\tilde{y}} + e^{-\tilde{x}-\tilde{y}}$$

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$$\frac{\partial_t F_{\text{NS}}(t; \hbar) + \partial_{\tilde{t}} F_{\text{NS}}(\tilde{t}; \tilde{\hbar})}{\hbar} = 2\pi \left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$(\hbar, \mathcal{E})$ -mirror curve

$$t = t(\mathcal{E}, \hbar)$$

$(\tilde{\hbar}, \tilde{\mathcal{E}})$ -mirror curve

$$\tilde{t} = t(\tilde{\mathcal{E}}, \tilde{\hbar})$$

$$\tilde{t} = \frac{2\pi}{\hbar} t$$

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$$t(\mathcal{E}, \hbar) = t(\mathcal{E}, \hbar \pm 4\pi)$$

# mirror curve & mirror map

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# mirror curve & mirror map

$$t(\mathcal{E}, 2\pi a/b) = \frac{a}{b} t(\tilde{\mathcal{E}}, 2\pi b/a) \ S$$

$$t(\mathcal{E}, 2\pi a/b) = t(\mathcal{E}, 2\pi(a/b \pm 2)) \quad T$$

$$\hbar = 2\pi \frac{a}{b}$$

e.g.) a=2, b=5

$$2\pi \cdot \frac{2}{5} \rightarrow 2\pi \cdot \frac{5}{2} \rightarrow 2\pi \cdot \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow 2\pi \cdot 2 \rightarrow 0$$

classical

S              T              S              T

# mirror curve & mirror map

$$t(\mathcal{E}, 2\pi a/b) = \frac{a}{b} t(\tilde{\mathcal{E}}, 2\pi b/a) \text{ S}$$

$$t(\mathcal{E}, 2\pi a/b) = t(\mathcal{E}, 2\pi(a/b \pm 2)) \quad \text{T}$$

$$\hbar = 2\pi \frac{a}{b}$$



$$t(\mathcal{E}, 2\pi a/b) = \frac{1}{b} t(\tilde{\mathcal{E}}, 0) \quad ab \in 2\mathbb{Z}$$

$\tilde{\mathcal{E}} = \mathcal{F}_{a/b}(\mathcal{E})$  : polynomial of degree-b

# Mirror map

$$t(\mathcal{E}, 2\pi a/b) = \frac{1}{b} \tilde{t}(\tilde{\mathcal{E}}, 0) \quad ab \in 2\mathbb{Z}$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{E}} = \mathcal{F}_{a/b}(\mathcal{E})$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{a/b}(\mathcal{E}) = \mathcal{D}_{a/b}(\mathcal{E}) + 2\left\{1 + (-1)^{(a-1)b} + (-1)^b\right\}$$

$$\mathcal{D}_{a/b}(\mathcal{E}) = \det \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{A}_1 + \mathcal{E} & B_1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \mathcal{B}_b^* \\ \mathcal{B}_1^* & \mathcal{A}_2 + \mathcal{E} & \mathcal{B}_2 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \mathcal{B}_{b-2}^* & \mathcal{A}_{b-1} + \mathcal{E} & \mathcal{B}_{b-1} \\ \mathcal{B}_b & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & \mathcal{B}_{b-1}^* & \mathcal{A}_b + \mathcal{E}' \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{A}_j = 2\cos\left(\frac{2\pi aj}{b}\right), \quad \mathcal{B}_j = -1 + e^{\frac{2\pi i a}{b}}$$

# Mirror map

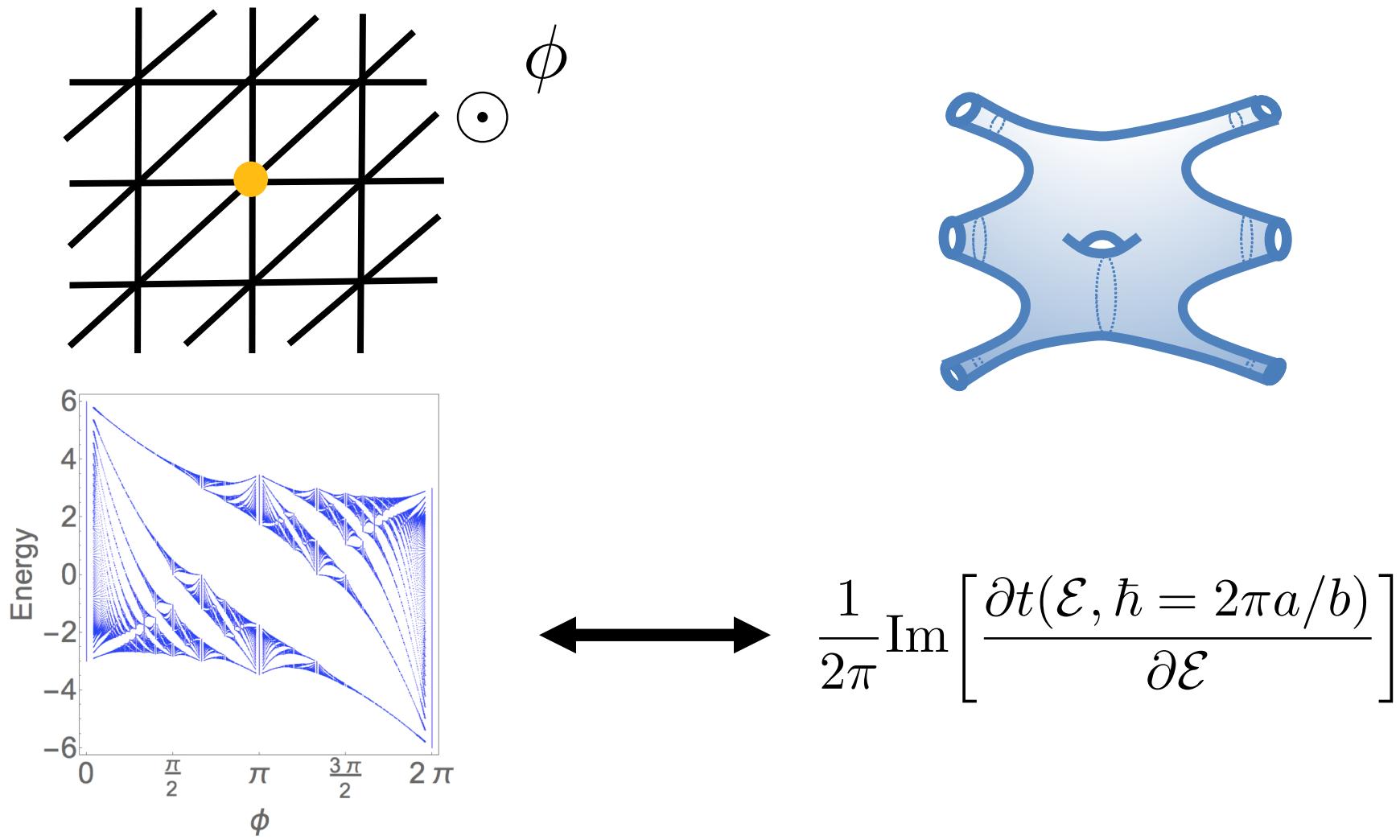
$$\frac{\partial t(\mathcal{E}; 2\pi a/b)}{\partial \mathcal{E}} = \frac{2\mathcal{F}'(\mathcal{E})}{\pi b \sqrt{\mathcal{F}^2(\mathcal{E}) - 12 + 8\sqrt{3 + \mathcal{F}(\mathcal{E})}}} \mathbb{K}\left(\frac{16\sqrt{3 + \mathcal{F}(\mathcal{E})}}{\mathcal{F}^2(\mathcal{E}) - 12 + 8\sqrt{3 + \mathcal{F}(\mathcal{E})}}\right),$$
$$\mathcal{F}(\mathcal{E}) = (-1)^{ab} \mathcal{F}_{a/b}(\mathcal{E})$$

exact form

Hatsuda-YS-Xu(2017)

obtain Hofstadter butterfly from it

# Summary



From Cond. Mat. Phys. to String

## Future work

Higher genus mirror curve ??

Non-Hermitian ??

From string to cond.mat.phys ??

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End.