

# Pearl Complex With Local Coefficients: The Chiang Lagrangian and $\mathbb{R}P^3$

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## The Pearl Complex with Local Coefficients

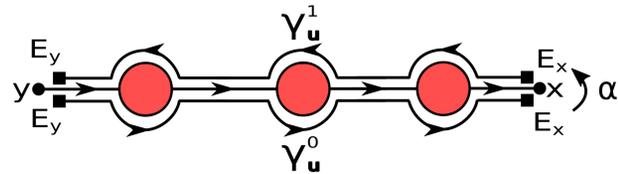
### Setup

Let  $L$  be a compact monotone Lagrangian, equipped with a local system  $E \rightarrow L$  of vector spaces over  $\mathbb{F}_2$ . We twist the coefficients of the Biran-Cornea pearl complex by this local system. For a Morse function  $f: L \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  one defines:

$$C_f^*(L; \text{End}(E)) = \bigoplus_{x \in \text{Crit}(f)} \text{End}_{\mathbb{F}_2}(E_x)$$

### The Differential

A differential on  $C_f^*(L; \text{End}(E))$  is defined using rigid pearly trajectories for parallel transport.



$$d(\alpha) = \sum_{\substack{y \in \text{Crit}(f) \\ |y|=|x|-kN_L+1}} \sum_{\mathbf{u} \in \mathcal{P}(y,x,kN_L)} P_{\gamma_{\mathbf{u}}^1} \circ \alpha \circ P_{\gamma_{\mathbf{u}}^0}$$

Whenever  $d^2 = 0$  we define:

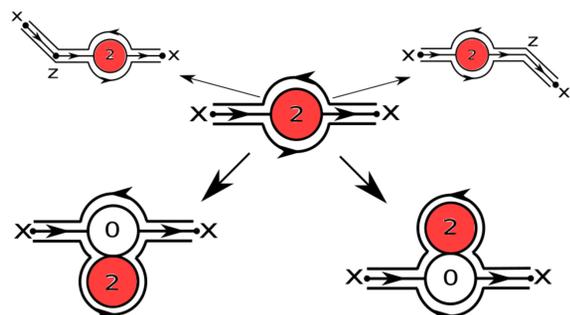
$$HF((L, E), (L, E)) := H(C_f^*(L; \text{End}(E)), d)$$

### The Obstruction

One does not necessarily get  $d^2 = 0$ . Instead:

$$d^2(\alpha) = \alpha \circ m_0(E)(x) + m_0(E)(x) \circ \alpha,$$

where  $m_0(E)(x) := \sum_{u \in \mathcal{M}_{0,1}(x,2,L)} P_{\partial u}$ .



## The Chiang Lagrangian

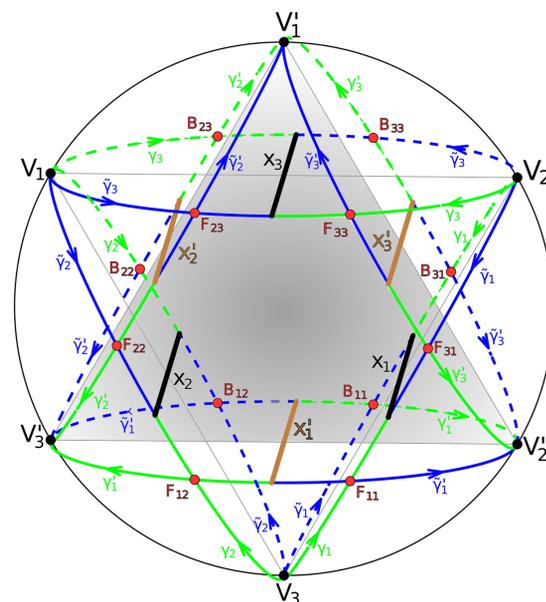
The Chiang Lagrangian  $L_\Delta$  is a Lagrangian submanifold of  $\mathbb{C}P^3 = \text{Sym}^3(\mathbb{C}P^1)$ . It is the orbit of the polynomial  $x^3 - y^3$  under the natural  $SU(2)$  action. The stabiliser is the binary dihedral group of order 12, i.e.  $\pi_1(L_\Delta) = \langle a, b \mid a^6 = 1, b^2 = a^3, ab = ba^{-1} \rangle$ , where  $a = \exp(\mathbf{i}\pi/3)$  and  $b = \exp(\mathbf{k}\pi/2)$ . The Chiang Lagrangian intersects  $\mathbb{R}P^3$  cleanly in two disjoint circles. Our main result is the following:

The Chiang Lagrangian and  $\mathbb{R}P^3$  are not Hamiltonianly displaceable.

### The Proof

We use the rank 2 local system  $E \rightarrow L_\Delta$  obtained from the representation  $\pi_1(L_\Delta) \rightarrow D_3 \cong GL(2, \mathbb{F}_2)$ , in order to make  $(L_\Delta, E)$  an essential object in an extension of the Fukaya category  $\mathcal{F}_{\mathbb{F}_2}(\mathbb{C}P^3)$ . This category is split-generated by  $\mathbb{R}P^3$  by a result of Tonkonog [1], which yields the conclusion. Checking that  $(L_\Delta, E)$  is essential is an explicit calculation using the pearl complex.

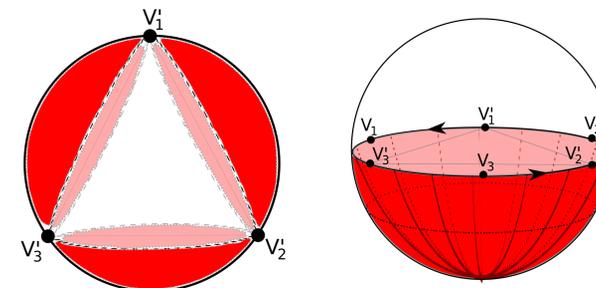
### A Morse Function



The minimum is at  $m' := \Delta V_1' V_2' V_3'$  and the maximum at  $m := \Delta V_1 V_2 V_3$ . Critical points of index one  $\{x'_i\}_{1 \leq i \leq 3}$  and index two  $\{x_i\}_{1 \leq i \leq 3}$  are triangles with one side along the respective segment.

### Axial Discs

In [2] Evans and Lekili show that all holomorphic discs counted by the differential come from the global  $SL(2, \mathbb{C})$ -action on  $\mathbb{C}P^3$ .



One reads off  $m_0(E)(m') = (1 + a^2 + a^4)b = 0$ , so  $HF((L_\Delta, E), (L_\Delta, E))$  is well-defined.

The rigid pearly trajectories entering  $d$  are:

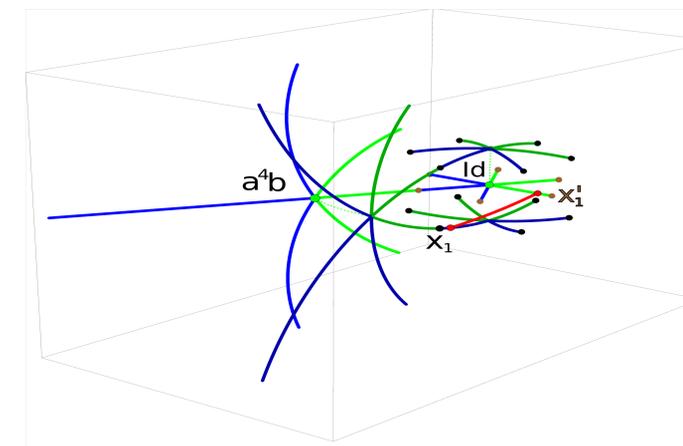
- three Maslov 2 trajectories through  $m'$  and three through  $m$
- twelve Maslov 2 trajectories containing a disc with axis  $F_{ij}$ ,  $B_{ij}$  and connecting  $x'_i$  to  $x_j$ .
- two Maslov 4 trajectories connecting  $m'$  to  $m$

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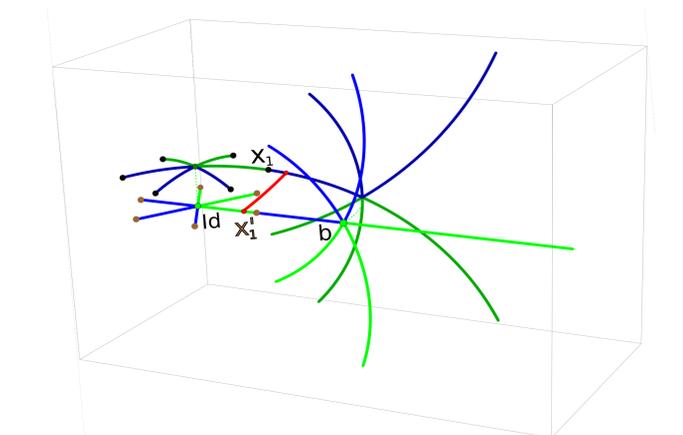
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## Lifting Paths

Parallel transport is calculated by lifting paths to the universal cover  $S^3 = SU(2) \rightarrow L_\Delta$ . A lift of  $\gamma_{B_{11}}^0$ , showing  $P_{\gamma_{B_{11}}^0} = a^4 b$ :



A lift of  $\gamma_{B_{11}}^1$ , showing  $P_{\gamma_{B_{11}}^1} = \text{Id}$ :



Applying this procedure to all trajectories yields the full differential and one directly computes

$$HF((L_\Delta, E), (L_\Delta, E)) \cong (\mathbb{F}_2)^4. \quad \square$$

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