

# Outline of talks — [Talk 2]

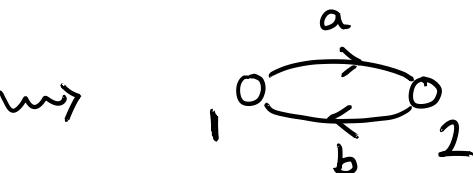
- What is a Bridgeland stability condition.
  - └ Definition
  - └ How choosing a  $\mathcal{V}$  allows to construct one
  - └ Examples
  - └ The stability manifold.
  - └  $\mathbb{C}$  action.
  - └ Mass of an object
- $\mathcal{T} = \text{Zigzag category.}$
- The projective embedding (for a compactification)
  - └ motivation from Teichmüller theory
  - └ Definition of the map.
  - └ injectivity.
- Boundary
  - └ map from objects.
  - └ The image lies in the closure.
- Main conjectures → Generality?
  - └ precompactness
  - └ homeomorphic embedding.
  - └ closure = stab/ $\mathbb{C}$   $\cup$  closure of obj.
  - └ Closure is a manifold with boundary.
- $Q$ -analogy.

# Compactifying Stab : $A_2$ case

## § 1. The Category

$$\mathcal{C} = K(\text{Proj } \mathbb{Z}(A_2))$$

$$A_2 = \bullet \longrightarrow$$



$\mathbb{Z}(A_2)$  = Path Algebra / (aba, bab)

$e_1$  = empty path at 1       $e_1^2 = e_1$

$e_2$  = empty path at 2       $e_2^2 = e_2$

$P_1 = \mathbb{Z}e_1$       } Indecomposable  
 $P_2 = \mathbb{Z}e_2$       } projective.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hom}_e^n(P_i, P_i) &= \text{Hom}_e(P_i, P_i[n]) \\ &= \begin{cases} \mathbb{C} & n=0 \text{ or } 2 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Hom}_{e_i}^n(P_i, P_j) = \begin{cases} \mathbb{C} & n=1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$\mathcal{C}$  is 2-CY

is characterised by

- 2-CY
- (classically) generated by  $P_1$  &  $P_2$  satisfying Hom conditions above.

## E The Standard Heart

$\heartsuit = \text{Ext. closure of } P_1 \text{ and } P_2.$   
 $= \text{Category of "Linear complexes"}$

Simple objects =  $P_1, P_2$  (spherical)  
 Two other spherical objects -

$$\begin{aligned} P_1 \rightarrow P_2 &= P_1 \rightarrow P_2 \{1\} \\ &= \text{Cone}_1(P_1 \rightarrow P_2[1]) \\ &= \overline{\sigma_{P_2}}^{-1}(P_1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P_2 \rightarrow P_1 &= \text{Cone}(P_2 \rightarrow P_1[1]), \\ &= \overline{\sigma_{P_1}}^{-1}(P_2). \end{aligned}$$

## E Spherical Twists

$$G = \text{Spherical twist group} \stackrel{\sim}{=} \langle \sigma_1, \sigma_2 \rangle / \sigma_1 \sigma_2 \sigma_1 = \sigma_2 \sigma_1 \sigma_2$$

$\cong$  3 Strand Braid group  $B_3$ .

$$G / \langle \sigma_1 \sigma_2 \rangle^3 = [1] = \text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{Z}) = \overline{G}$$

$$\sigma_1 \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_2 \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

## E Spherical Objects

$$\text{Sphericals} = G \cdot P_1 = G \cdot P_2$$

$S = \text{Sphericals} / \text{Shift}$

$$\overline{G} \text{ set } S = \text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{Z}) \text{ set } \overline{\mathbb{P}}^1(\mathbb{Q})$$

$$P_i \longleftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} ! \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

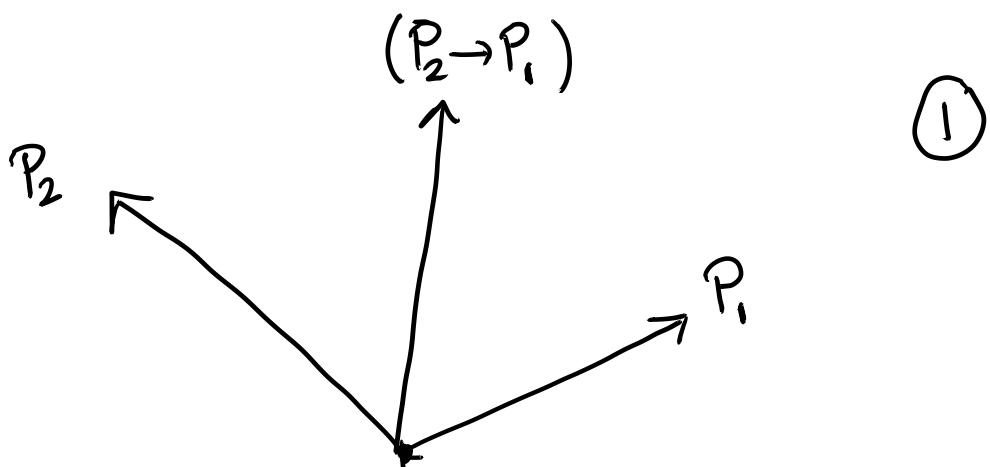
## E Stability conditions

$$\text{Stab} = \text{Heart} + \mathbb{Z}.$$

$$K_0(E) = \mathbb{Z}[P_1] \oplus \mathbb{Z}[P_2]$$

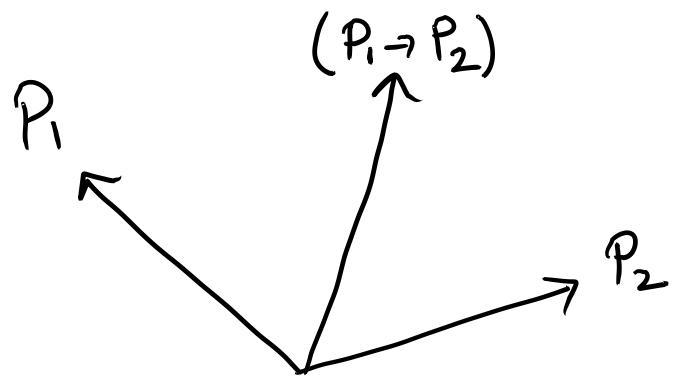
$$\text{Heart} = \heartsuit$$

$\mathbb{Z}:$



$$(P_1 \rightarrow P_2) \xrightarrow{P_2} (P_1 \rightarrow P_2) \rightarrow P_1$$
$$(P_1 \rightarrow P_2) \sim_{HN} P_1 + P_2.$$

Z:



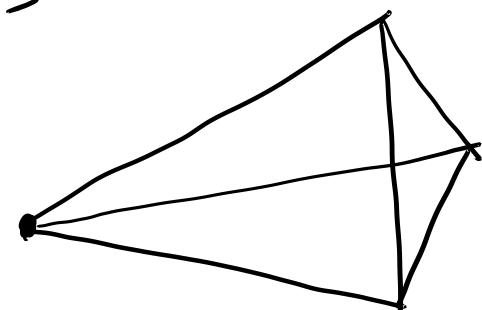
②

$$P_2 \rightarrow P_1 \sim_{HN} P_1 + P_2.$$

Stab. cond. of type ① is determined uniquely, up to rotation, by

$m(P_1)$   
 $m(P_2)$   
 $m(P_1 \rightarrow P_2)$

} positive real numbers satisfying the triangle inequality.



$\subset \mathbb{R}^3$ .

type ① up to rotation & scaling  $\cong$



$\subset \mathbb{P}^2(\mathbb{R})$

$$\tau \mapsto [m_\tau(P_1) : m_\tau(P_2) : m_\tau(P_2 \rightarrow P_1)]$$

Similarly  
type ② up to rotation & scaling  $\cong$



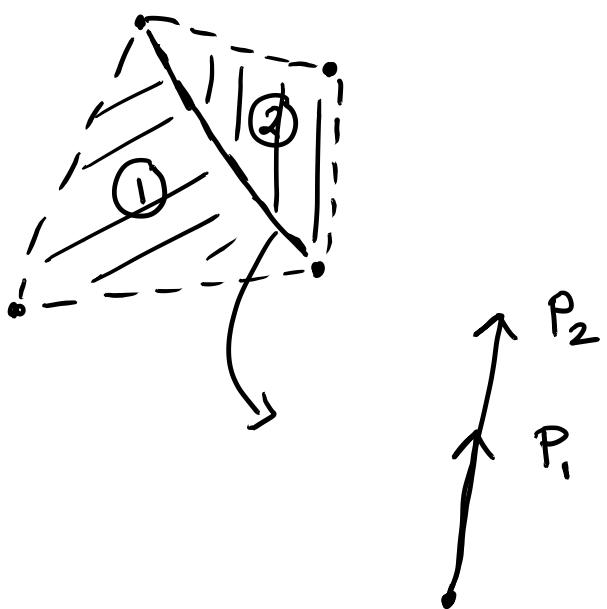
$$\hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}^2(\mathbb{R})$$

$$\tau \mapsto [m_\tau(p_1) : m_\tau(p_2) : m_\tau(p_1 \rightarrow p_2)]$$

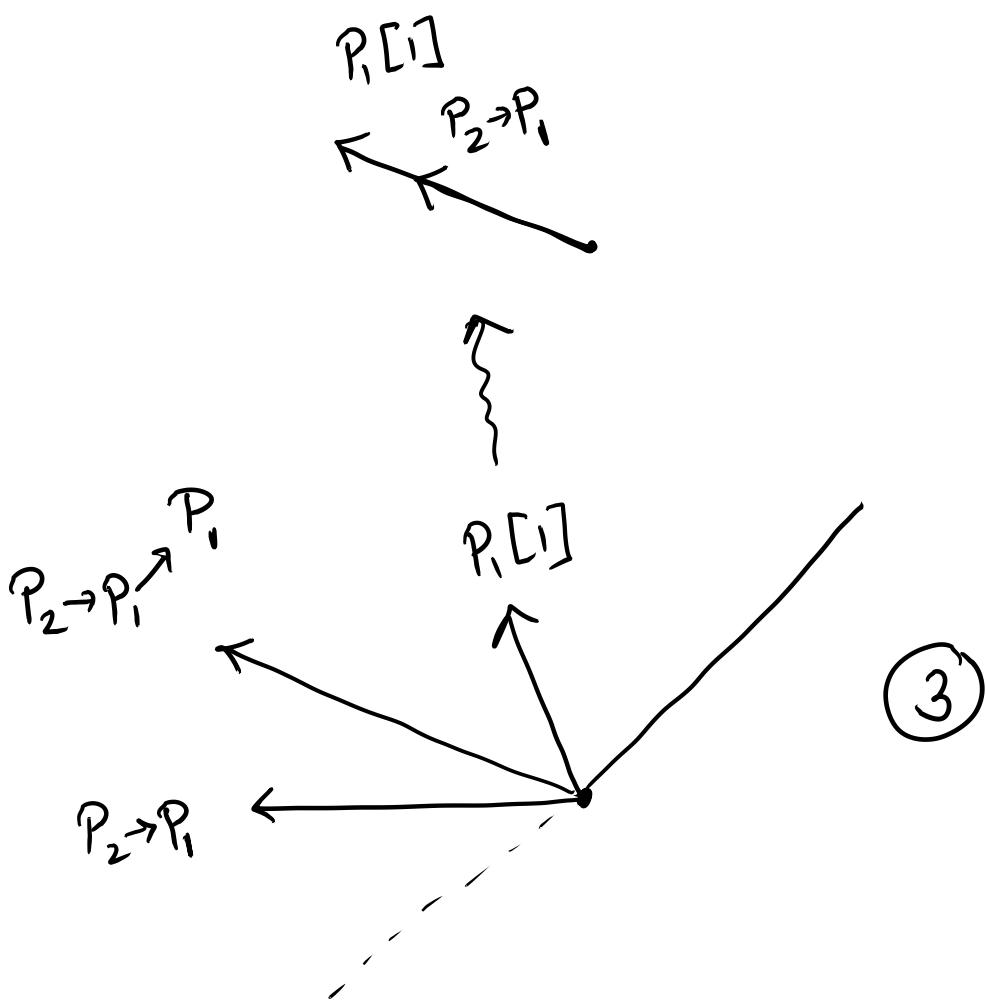
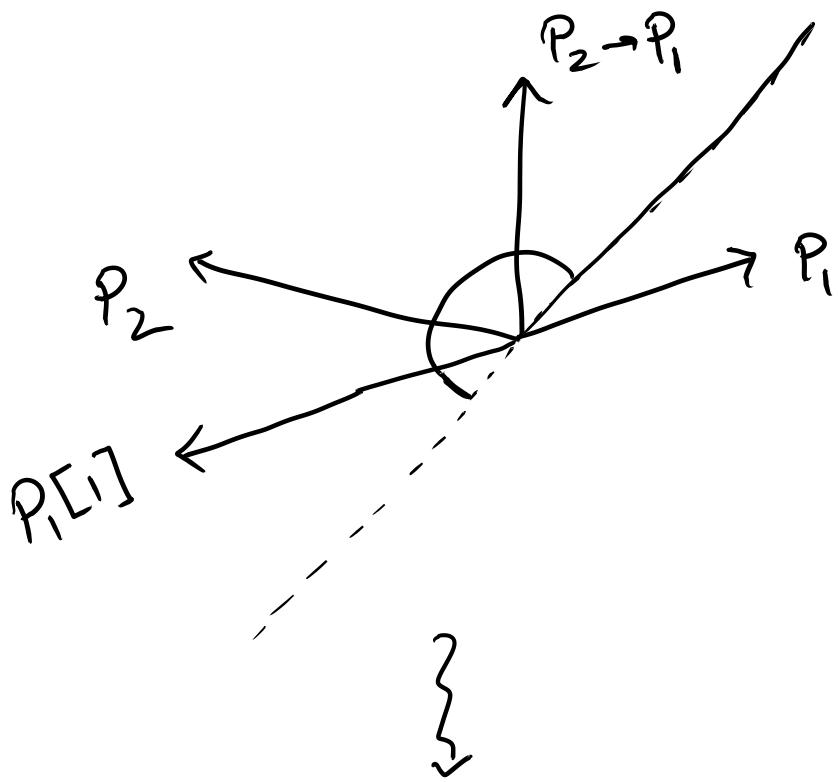
Type ① or type ②

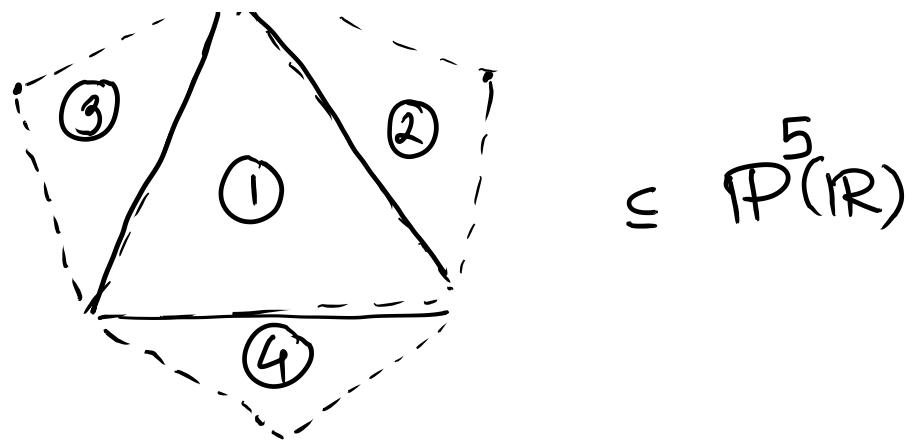
$$\tau \mapsto \mathbb{P}^3(\mathbb{R})$$

$$[m_\tau(p_1) : m_\tau(p_2) : m_\tau(p_2 \rightarrow p_1) : m_\tau(p_1 \rightarrow p_2)]$$



Both  $P_1 \rightarrow P_2$  &  $P_2 \rightarrow P_1$  are semistable





Obs : Type ② =  $\sigma_1$  (Type ①)  
 ③ =  $\sigma_1^{-1}$  (①)  
 ④ =  $\sigma_2$  (①)

Thm  $\text{Stab}(A_2)/_{\mathbb{C}}$   $\xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}^5)$

is a homeomorphism onto its image

### The Stability manifold

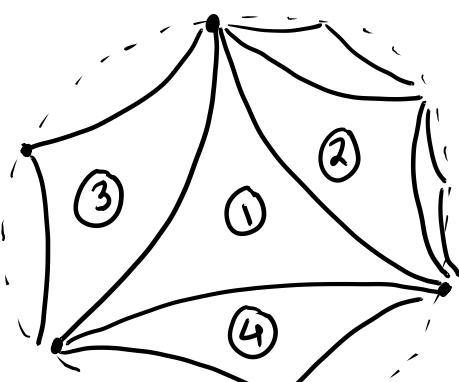
$(\text{Stab}(A_2) = \text{conn. comp. containing std})$

Thm (Bridgeland, Sutherland, Qiu; — )

We have a homeomorphism

$$\text{Stab}(A_2)/_{\mathbb{C}} \cong \text{Open unit disk}$$

compatible with  $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{Z})$  actions such that  
 type ①  $\cong$  An ideal triangle.



Thm (—)

② The homeomorphism

$$\text{Open disk} \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Stab}/\mathbb{C}$$

extends to a homeomorphism

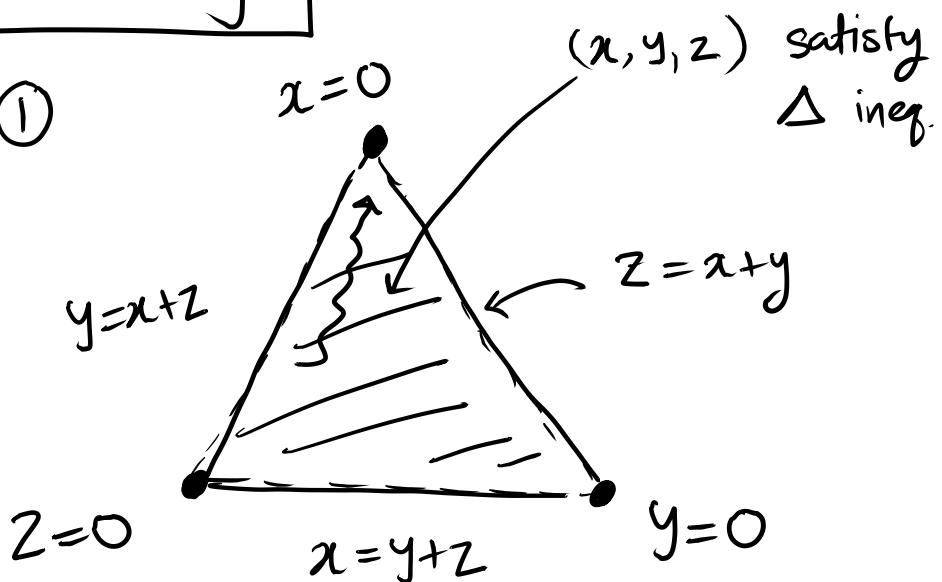
$$\text{Closed disk} \xrightarrow{\sim} \overline{\text{Stab}/\mathbb{C}}$$

and the boundary  $S^1 = \text{closure of hom functionals.}$

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### The Boundary

Type ①

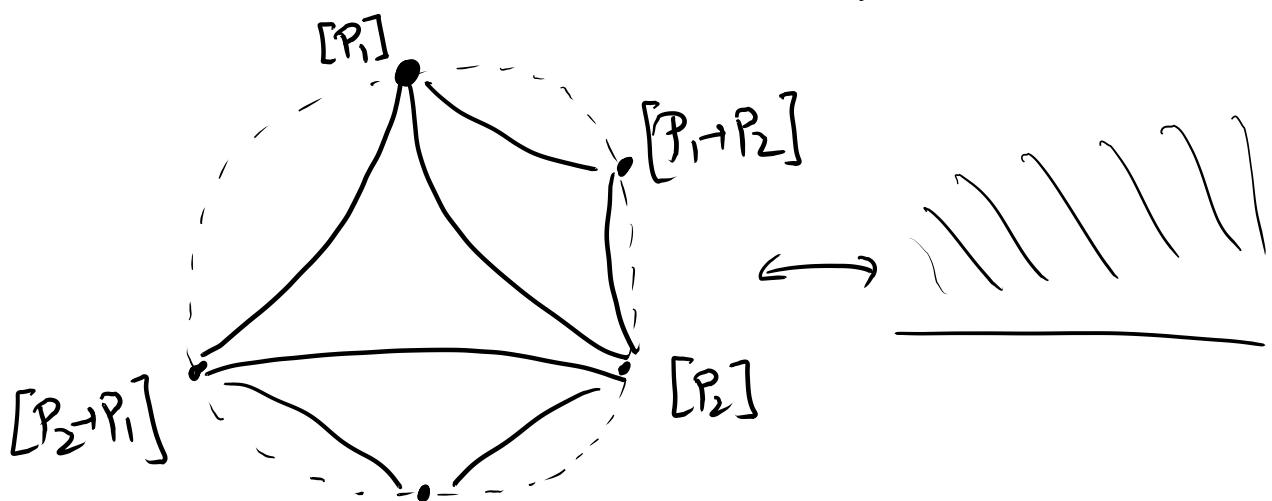


$$m_{\tau}(P_1) = x, \quad m_{\tau}(P_2) = y, \quad , m_{\tau}(P_2 \rightarrow P_1) = z$$

Say  $(x, y, z) \rightsquigarrow (0, 1, 1)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} m_{\tau}(x) &= \#(P_2) + \#(P_2 \rightarrow P_1) \text{ in HN} \\ &= \# P_2 \text{ in minimal complex} \\ &= \overline{\hom}(X, P_1) \quad (\text{Prop.}) \end{aligned}$$

Thus as  $(x, y, z) \rightsquigarrow (0, 1, 1)$   
 $\tau \rightsquigarrow \overline{\hom}(-, P_1)$  in  $\mathbb{P}^\infty$



The rational points of the boundary  
 $\overset{\parallel}{\hom}$  functionals.  $\leftrightarrow$  objects in  $\mathcal{C}$

Non-rational points = ?

(certain functionals)

$\sigma_r$  = Rotation.

Illustrates Atiyah's  
 statement.

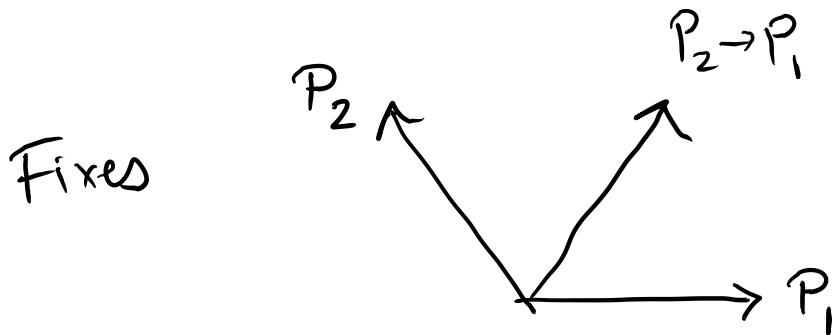


Categorical interpretation ?

## Nielson-Thurston Classification

① Periodic - Has an interior fixed point.

e.g.  $\sigma_1 \sigma_2$



② Reducible - Has no interior fixed points but a unique fixed point on the boundary

e.g.  $\sigma_1$

Fixes  $[P_1]$

③ Pseudo-Anosov - Has no interior fixed pts and two fixed points on the boundary

e.g.  $\sigma_1 \sigma_2^{-1}$   $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

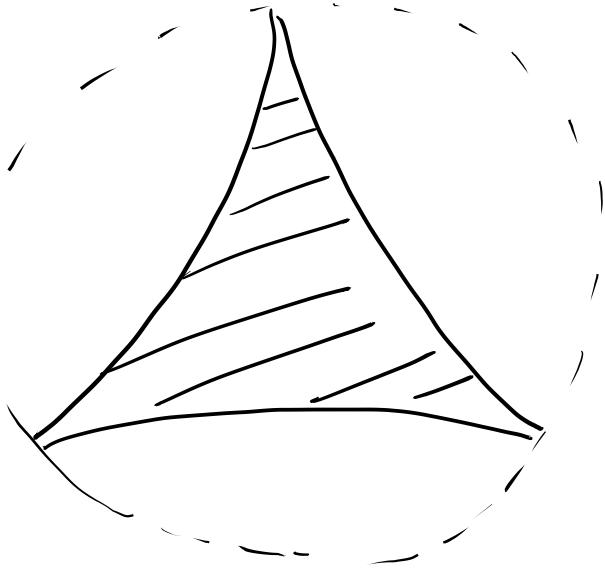
Fixes  $[\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2} : 1] \text{ & } [\frac{-\sqrt{5}-1}{2} : 1]$ .

attracting

repelling

"Pair of transverse foliations"

$q$ -analog



$i: PSL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \subset PSL_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \text{Disk}$

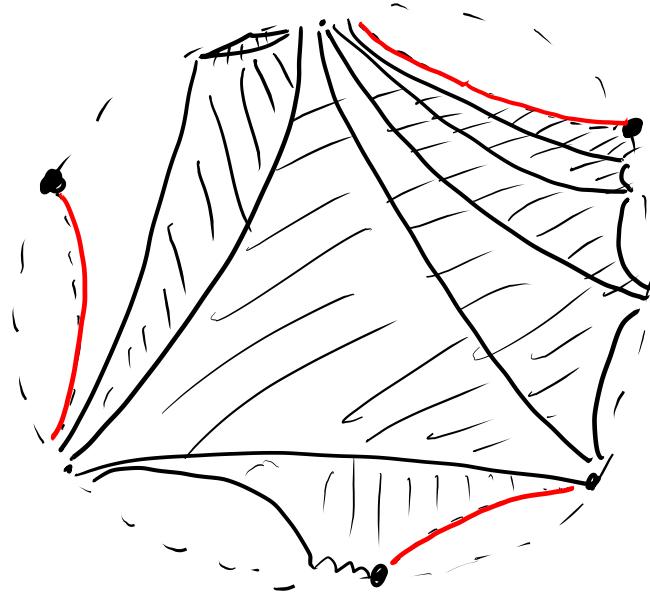
$i_q: PSL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \subset PSL_2(\mathbb{R})$

$i: \sigma_1 \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \\ & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_2 \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$i_q: \sigma_1 \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} & \\ & \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_2 \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} & \\ & \end{pmatrix}$

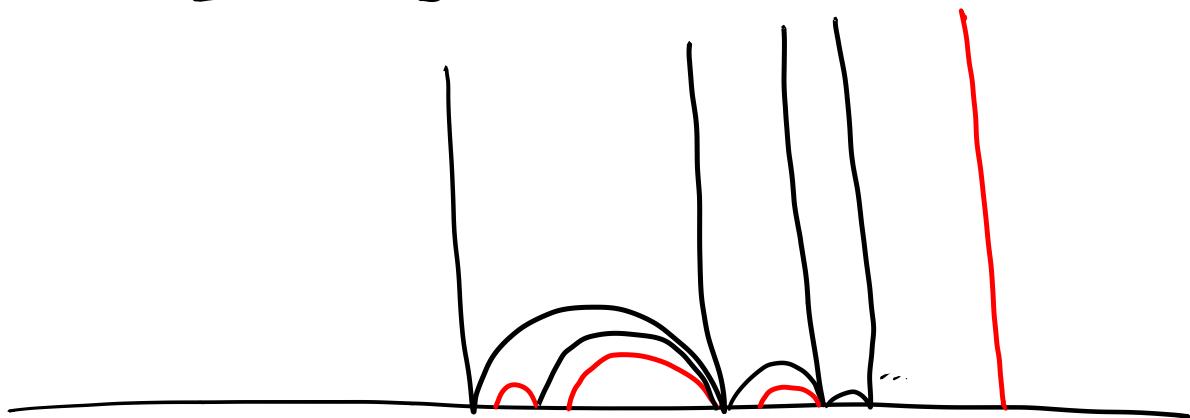
$PSL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \xrightarrow{i_q} \text{Disk.}$

$$D = \bigcup_{\tau \in PSL_2(\mathbb{Z})} i_q(\tau) \cdot \Delta \stackrel{\cong}{=} \text{Disk} \cong \text{Stab}/\mathbb{C}$$



$$\begin{array}{c}
 D \subset \overline{D} \subset \overline{\text{Disk}} \\
 \downarrow z \quad \downarrow z \quad \downarrow z \\
 \text{Stab}/\mathbb{C} \quad \overline{\text{Stab}/\mathbb{C}} \\
 \int p^\infty = \int p^\infty
 \end{array}$$

$S$  not dense in  $\overline{D}$ .



## Compactifying Stab : $A_2$

### The $A_2$ -Category

$$\mathcal{T} = \mathcal{T}(\longrightarrow)$$

- Triangulated  $\mathbb{C}$ -linear
- 2CY i.e.  $\text{Hom}(A, B) = \text{Hom}(B, A[2])^*$
- Classically generated by  $P_1$  &  $P_2$

$$\text{Hom}^n(P_i, P_i) = \begin{cases} \mathbb{C} & n=0,2 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Hom}^n(P_i, P_j) = \begin{cases} \mathbb{C} & n=1 \\ 0 & \text{else.} \end{cases}$$

### Spherical twist group

$$G = \langle \sigma_1, \sigma_2 \rangle / \sigma_1 \sigma_2 \sigma_1 = \sigma_2 \sigma_1 \sigma_2$$

$\cong$  3 strand braid group.

$$\sigma_i \mapsto \sigma_{P_i}$$

$$(\sigma_1 \sigma_2)^3 = [-2] \in \mathbb{Z}(G)$$

$$G / (\sigma_1 \sigma_2)^3 \cong \text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{Z})$$

$$\sigma_1 \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_2 \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

## Spherical Objects

Sphericals =  $G \cdot P_i$

$S = \text{Spherical} / \text{shift}$   
 $= PSL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \cdot [P_i]$

Stabilizer of  $[P_i] = \langle \sigma_i \rangle$

so  $S \cong \overset{\circ}{RP}(\mathbb{Q})$   
as a  $PSL_2(\mathbb{Z})$  set.

## Standard Heart

$\mathcal{O} = \text{Ext closure of } P_1 \text{ & } P_2$   
 $= \text{Finite length Abelian category}$   
 $\text{with two simples, } P_1 \text{ & } P_2$

Two other spherical obj.

" $P_1 \rightarrow P_2$ " = Unique ext<sup>n</sup> of  $P_1$  by  $P_2$   
=  $\sigma_1(P_2)$

" $P_2 \rightarrow P_1$ " = Unique ext<sup>n</sup> of  $P_2$  by  $P_1$   
=  $\sigma_2(P_1)$

## Stability Conditions

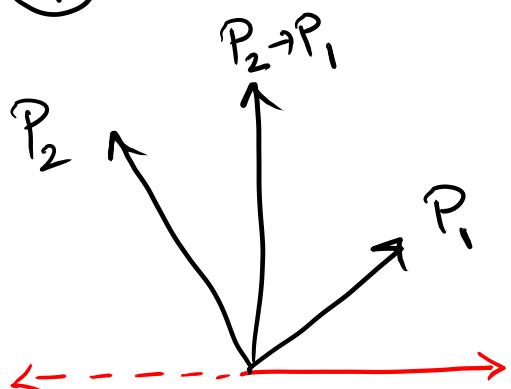
$$\text{Stab} = \text{Heart} + \text{Charge}$$

$$\text{Heart} = \emptyset$$

$$\text{Charge} = Z : K_0(T) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

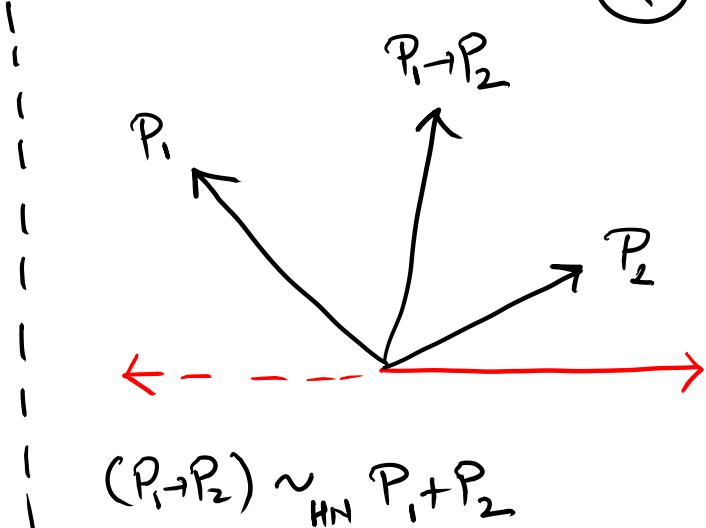
$$\mathbb{Z}[P_1] \oplus \mathbb{Z}[P_2]$$

(1)



$$(P_1 \rightarrow P_2) \sim_{HN} P_1 + P_2$$

(2)



$$(P_1 \rightarrow P_2) \sim_{HN} P_1 + P_2$$

## Type (1) conditions

$T$  of type (1) determined (up to rotation)

by

$$\begin{aligned} x &= m(P_1) \\ y &= m(P_2) \\ z &= m(P_2 \rightarrow P_1) \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} (x,y,z) \in (\mathbb{R}_+)^3 \\ \text{satisfy triangle inequality} \end{array}$$

$$\{\text{Type (1) / rot.}\} = \begin{array}{c} \text{triangle} \\ \text{with vertices at } (x,y,z) \end{array} \subset \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$\{\text{Type (1) / rot + scaling}\} = \begin{array}{c} \text{triangle} \\ \text{with vertices at } (x,y,z) \end{array} \subset \mathbb{RP}^2(\mathbb{R})$$

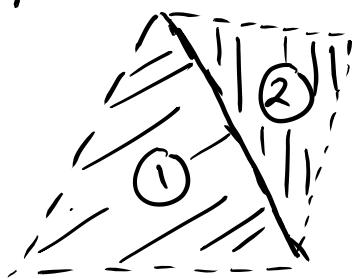
Similarly

$$\{\text{Type } ②/\mathbb{C}\} = \begin{array}{c} \diagup \\ \diagdown \end{array} \subset \overset{2}{\mathbb{P}}(\mathbb{R})$$

$$\tau \mapsto [m_{\tau}(P_1) : m_{\tau}(P_2) : m_{\tau}(P_1 \rightarrow P_2)]$$

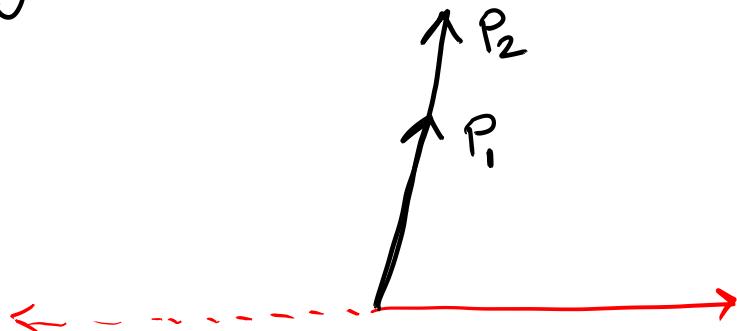
two together by  $\tau \mapsto [m_{\tau}(P_1) : m_{\tau}(P_2) : m_{\tau}(P_1 \rightarrow P_2) : m_{\tau}(P_2 \rightarrow P_1)]$

$$\{\textcircled{1} \text{ or } \textcircled{2}/\mathbb{C}\} \subset \overset{3}{\mathbb{P}}(\mathbb{R})$$

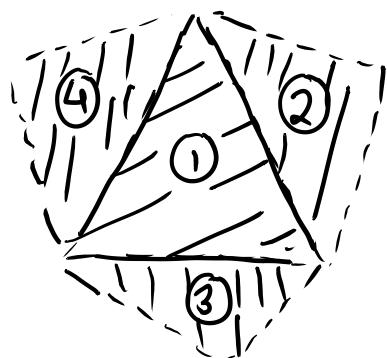
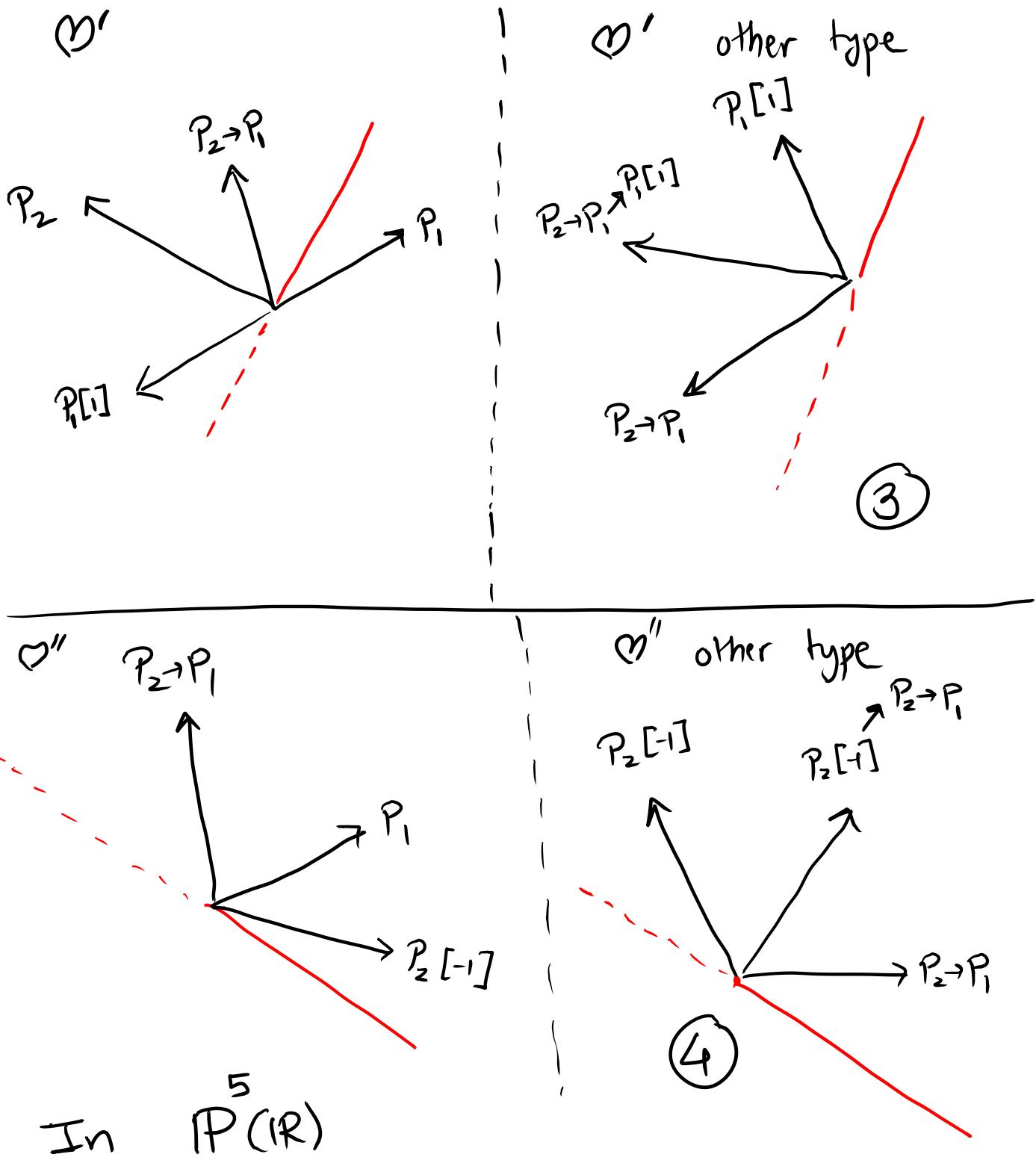


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The edge :



Other two edges of  $\textcircled{1}$  ?



continue...

Thm(-) We have an embedding

$$\text{Stab}(A_2)/\mathbb{C} \hookrightarrow \text{IP}(\mathbb{R}^S)$$

The image is tessellated by clipped triangles.  $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{Z})$  acts transitively on these triangles.

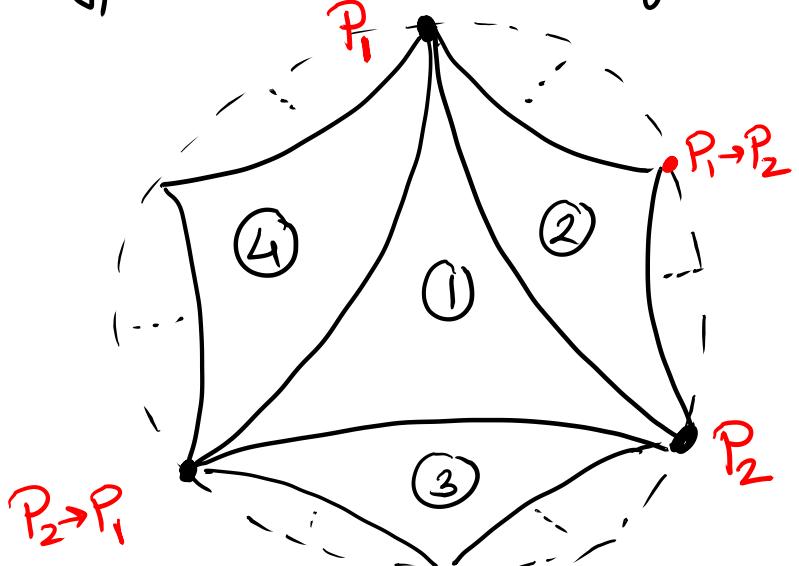
Global Picture ?

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Thm (Thomas, Bridgeland-Qiu-Sutherland, Ikeda, —)

There is a  $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{Z})$  equivariant homeomorphism

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Stab}/\mathbb{C} &\cong \text{Open Unit disc in } \mathbb{C} \\ \text{s.t. type ①} &\cong \text{interior of an ideal triangle} \end{aligned}$$



## Compactification -

Let  $B \subset \text{RP}(\mathbb{R}^S)$  be the homeomorphic image of  $\text{Stab}/\mathbb{C}$

$$\bar{B} = \text{closure of } B.$$

Thm (—) : The homeomorphism

$$B \cong \text{unit disk}$$

extends to a homeomorphism

$$\bar{B} \cong \text{closed disk.}$$

The points of  $S \subset \bar{B} \setminus B$  correspond to the vertices of the ideal triangulation.

Boundary only emerges if you take all  $\text{Stab}$  ;  
 Cannot restrict to finitely many hearts

In the picture,  $\sigma_x = \text{"Rotation about } x"$

$$\text{So } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sigma_x^{+n} \tau) = [x]$$

as discussed in talk 2.

## Nielsen-Thurston classification

$g \in \text{Aut}(\tau) \rightsquigarrow \text{Fix}(g) \subset \overline{\text{Stab}} \rightsquigarrow$  dynamical classification.

①  $g$  has an interior fixed pt.

ex.  $g = \sigma_1 \sigma_2$   $\rightsquigarrow$  finite order.

②  $g$  has a unique fixed pt on boundary

ex.  $g = \sigma_1$  or  $\sigma_x$ .  $\rightsquigarrow$  "reducible"

③  $g$  has two fixed pts on boundary "pseudo Anosov"

ex.  $g = \sigma_1 \sigma_2^{-1}$   $\begin{matrix} 1/2 \\ 1 \end{matrix}$   
 $\text{TP}(\mathbb{R}) \supset \text{TP}(\mathbb{Q})$

fixed points are

$$\left[ \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2} : 1 \right] \quad \& \quad \left[ -\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2} : 1 \right]$$

Categorical interpretation ??