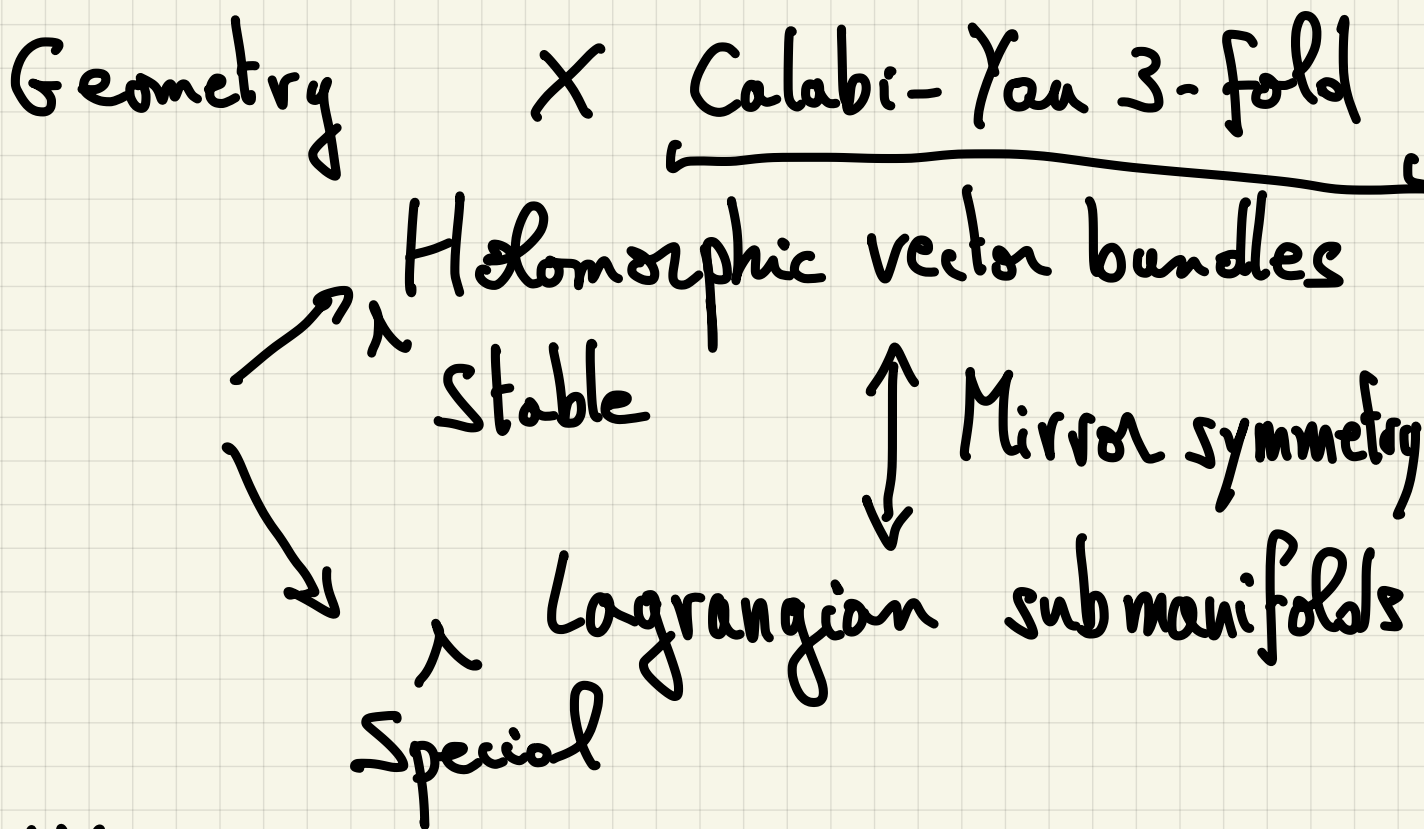


Quivers, flow trees, and log curves. (Pierrick Bousseau <sup>14/06/2023</sup>)

Symplectic Zoominar Joint work with H. Arguz 2302.02068

① Donaldson-Thomas invariants.



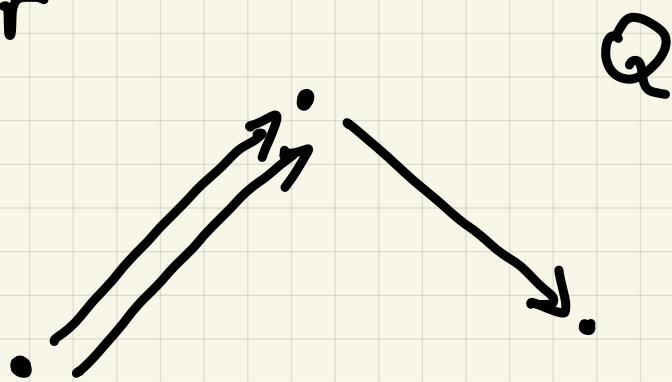
TODAY: ALGEBRAIC TOY MODEL

# Stable quiver representations.

QUIVER

# ② COUNTING HOLOMORPHIC CURVES ~ GROMOV-WITTEN IN TORIC VARIETIES

## ① Quiver



Quiver representation:

$$V = (V_i, f_\alpha : V_i \rightarrow V_j)$$

$\uparrow$   $\uparrow$   
 $V_\alpha: i \rightarrow j$

f.d  $\mathbb{C}$  vector space  
 for each vertex  $i$

Abelian category

$$\dim V = (\dim V_i) \in N = \bigoplus_i \mathbb{Z} e_i$$

$$\gamma \in N \quad \gamma = (\gamma_i) \quad \mathbb{Z}^d \quad \begin{matrix} \text{d vertices} \\ \downarrow \end{matrix}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Representations} \\ \text{of dim } \gamma \end{array} \right\} / \text{Isom} = \left( \bigoplus_{\alpha: i \rightarrow j} \text{Hom}(\mathbb{C}^{\gamma_i}, \mathbb{C}^{\gamma_j}) \right)$$

$$\text{King's stability} \quad \prod_i GL(\gamma_i, \mathbb{C})$$

$$M = \text{Hom}(N, \mathbb{Z})$$

$$M_{\mathbb{R}} = M \otimes \mathbb{R} = \text{Hom}(N, \mathbb{R})$$

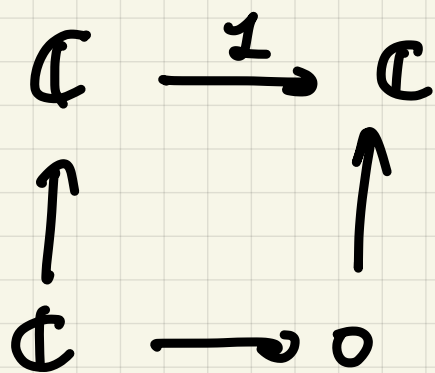
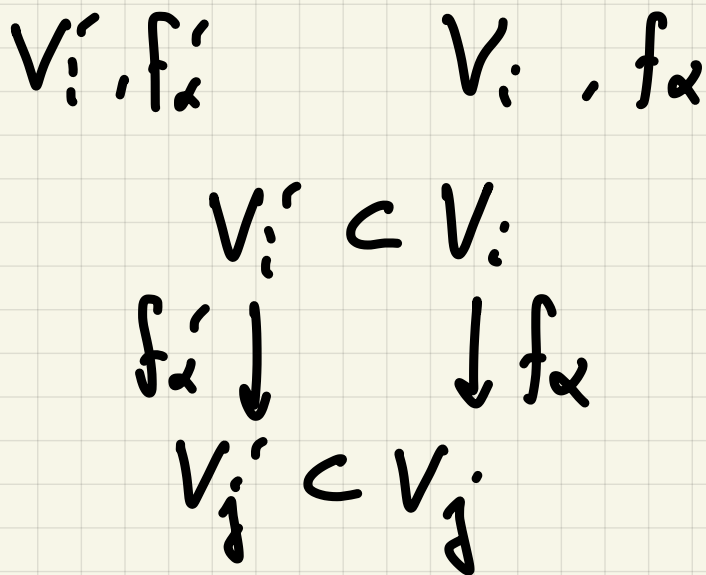
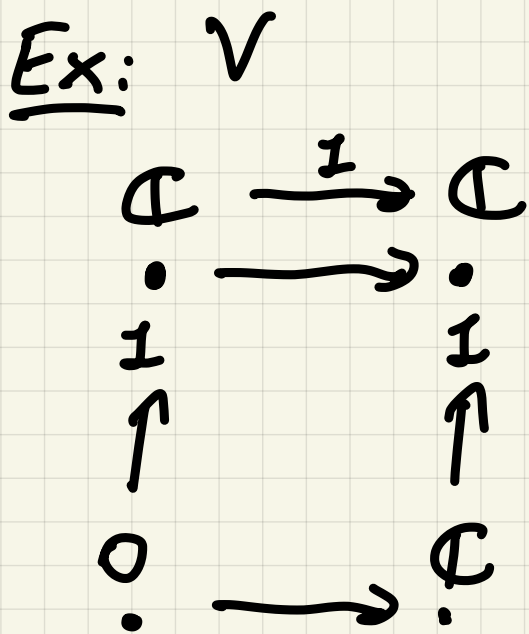
$$\gamma \in N$$

$$\theta \in \gamma^\perp = \{ \theta \mid \theta(\gamma) = 0 \} \subset M_{\mathbb{R}}$$

"Stability parameter"

$$\forall \dim V = \gamma$$

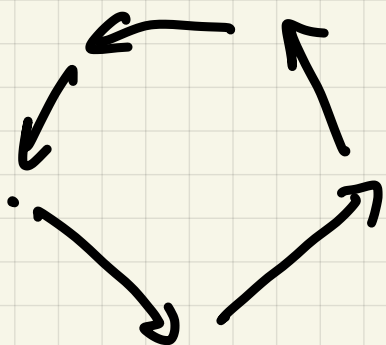
$$\forall \theta\text{-semistable if } \theta(\dim V') \leq 0 \quad \forall V' \subset V.$$



$M_\gamma^\theta = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \theta\text{-semistable} \\ \text{representations} \\ \text{of dim } \gamma \end{array} \right\}$

Quasiprojective variety /  $\mathbb{C}$   
GIT

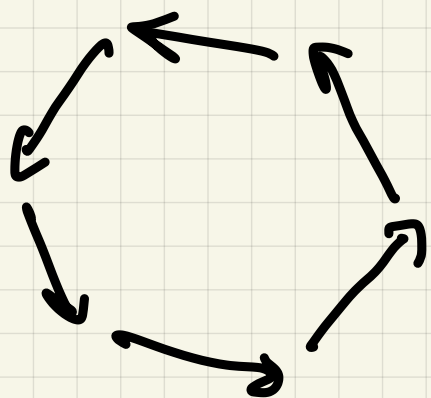
Projective if  $Q$  is acyclic  
If  $Q$  has oriented cycles



Pick a potential  $W$   
formal linear combination

of oriented cycles in  $Q$ .

$$\text{Tr } W: M_\gamma^\theta \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$



DT invariants

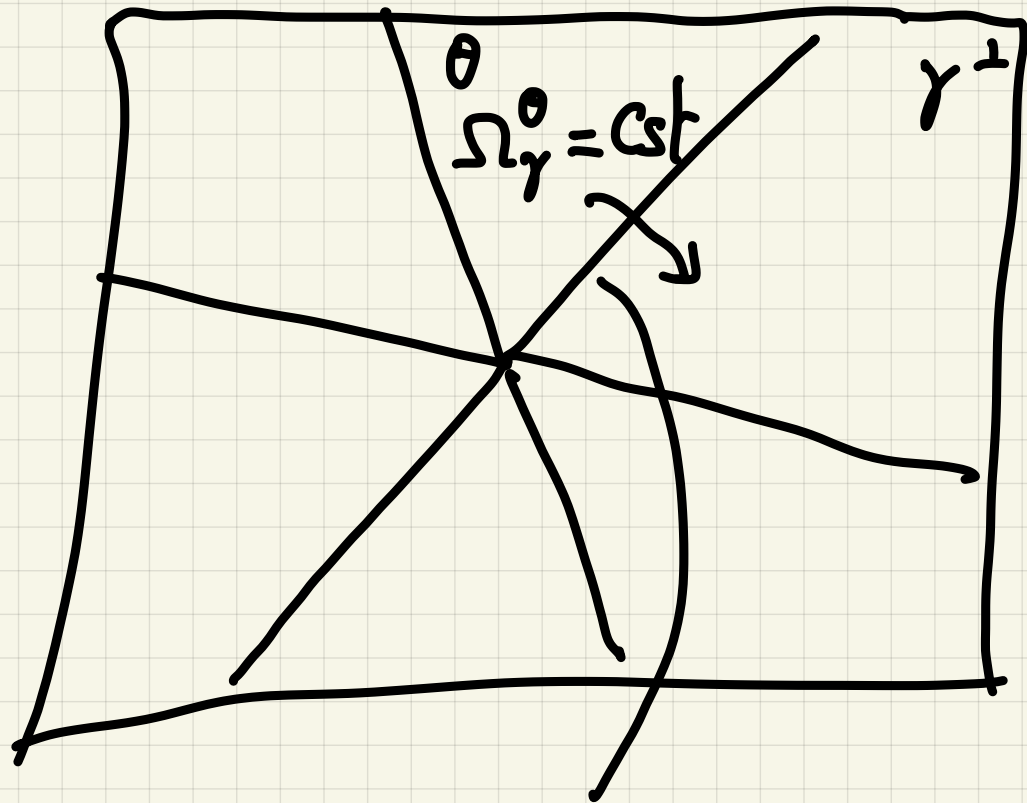
$\Omega_\gamma^\theta =$  "Virtual counts of critical points of  $\text{Tr } W$  on  $M_\gamma^\theta$ "

$$\Omega_\gamma^\theta = e(M_\gamma^\theta, \phi_{\text{Tr } W}(\text{IC}_{M_\gamma^\theta})) \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$Q$   $W$   
 $\gamma$   $\theta$

$$\bar{\Omega}_\gamma^\theta = \sum_{\substack{\gamma = k\gamma' \\ k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}}} \frac{(-1)^{k-1}}{k^2} \Omega_{\gamma'}^\theta \in \mathbb{Q}$$

$\Omega_\gamma^\theta$  Stability  $\theta \in \gamma^\perp \subset M_{\mathbb{R}} \simeq \mathbb{R}^d$



WALL-CROSSING  
STORY

KONTSEVICH-SOIBELMAN

WALL-CROSSING FORMULA

Express general DT invariants

$\Omega_\gamma^\theta$  in terms of attractor

DT invariants

$$N = \bigoplus_i \mathbb{Z} e_i$$

$$\gamma \in M_{\mathbb{R}} = \text{Hom}(N, \mathbb{R})$$

$$\omega : N \times N \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\omega(e_i, e_j) = a_{ij} - a_{ji}$$

$$a_{ij} = \# i \rightarrow j$$

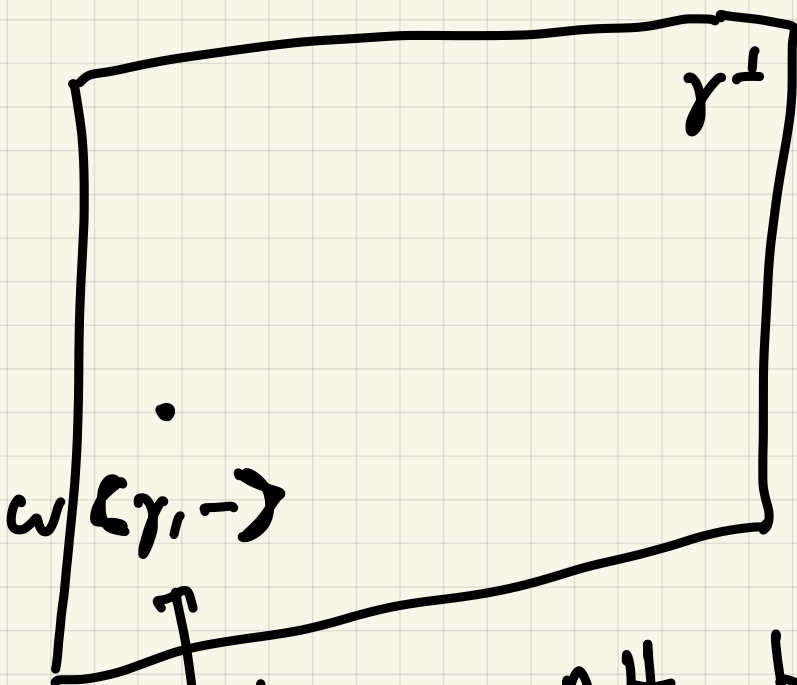
$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} X \text{ CY 3-fold} \\ [C] \in H_3(X) \\ H_3(X) \times H_3(X) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\gamma \in N$$

$$\omega(\gamma, -) \in M_{\mathbb{R}}$$

$$\in \gamma^\perp \ominus$$

$$\text{because } \omega(\gamma, \gamma) = 0$$



$$\Omega_\gamma^+ = \Omega_\gamma^{\omega(\gamma, -)}$$

Attraction Point

Attraction  
DT invariant

Geometric:  $X$  Calabi-Yau 3-folds

$$\gamma \in H_3(X) = \mathbb{N} \cdot [L]$$

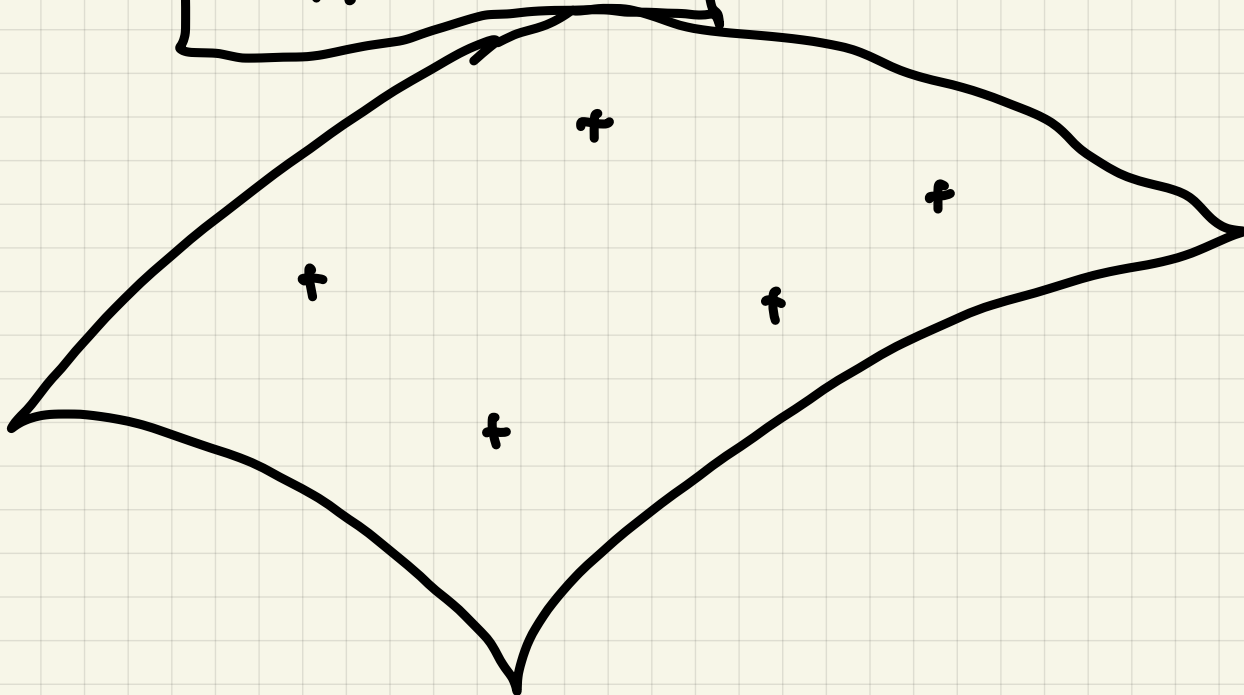
{ Complex structures on  $X$  }

$$\uparrow \dim_{\mathbb{C}} = h^{1,2}(X)$$

Attractor condition:  $\gamma \in H^3(X)$

$$= H^{3,0} \oplus H^{2,1} \oplus H^{1,2} \oplus H^{0,3}$$

$$\gamma|_{H^{2,1}} = 0$$





Q  $\Omega_\gamma^*$

Often simple:

. If Q acyclic,  $\Omega_\gamma^* = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \gamma \neq e_i \\ \pm 1 & \text{if } \gamma = e_i \end{cases}$

→ Conj (Mozgovoy-Pioline)  
 $X$  toric Calabi-Yau 3-fold  
 $(\mathbb{Q}, W)$   $D^b \text{Coh}(X)$

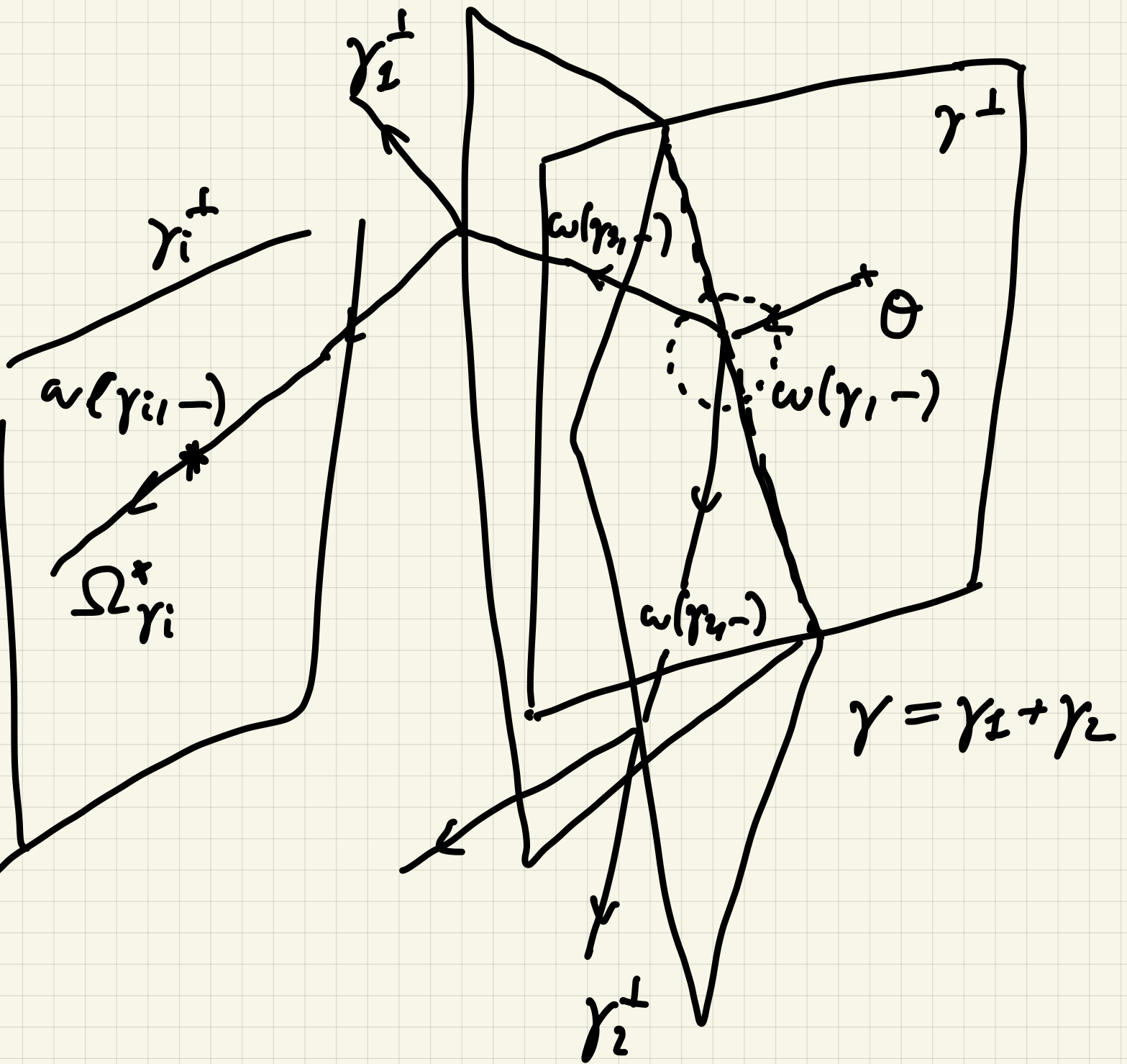
$\Omega_\gamma^* = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{unless } \gamma = e_i \\ & \text{or } \gamma \in \text{Ker } \langle, \rangle \end{cases}$

True for  $X = K_{\mathbb{P}^2}$  [B-Descombes-  
Le Floch-Pioline]

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↳  $\overline{\Omega}_\gamma^\Theta = \sum_{\gamma = \gamma_1 + \dots + \gamma_n} \sum_{\text{Trees}} F_{n,T}^0(\gamma_1, \dots, \gamma_n) \prod_{i=1}^n \overline{\Omega}_{\gamma_i}^*$

$E \in \mathbb{Z}$

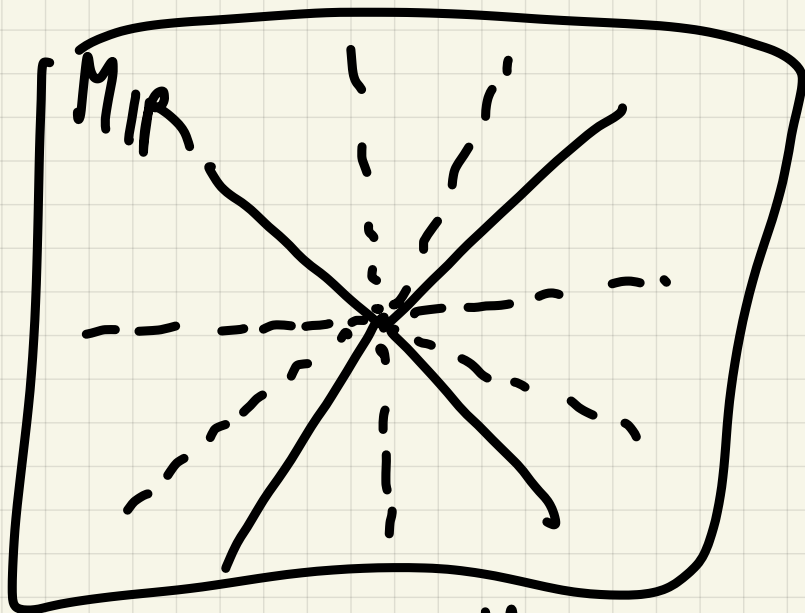


Toric variety  $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} = d$   $d = \# \text{ vertices}$

FAN in  $M_{\mathbb{R}} = \text{Hom}(N, \mathbb{R})$

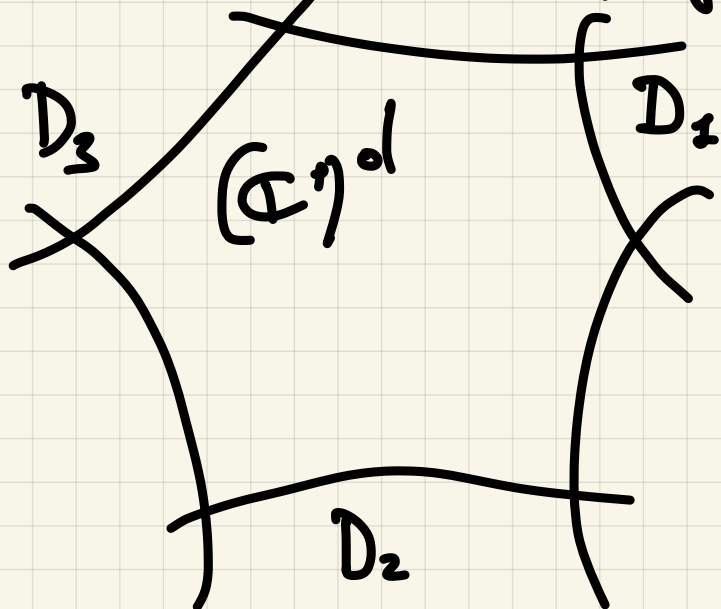
$\Sigma$  containing rays  $\cong \mathbb{R}^d$   $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} = h^{3,2}$

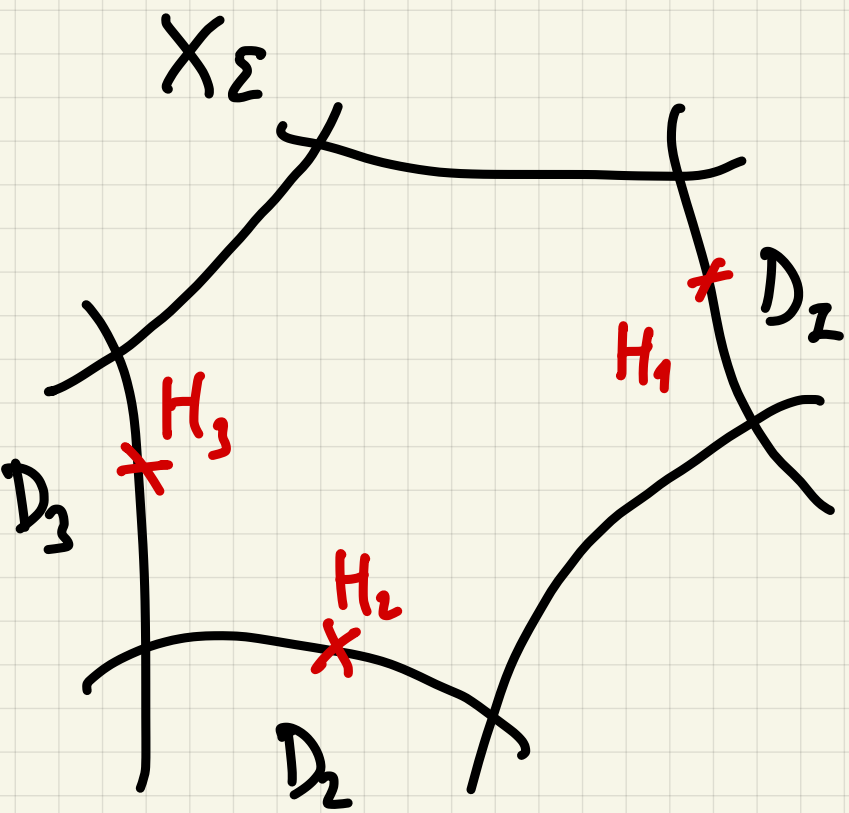
$\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \omega(\gamma_i, -) \leftrightarrow D_i$



Fix  $\gamma$   
 $\gamma = \gamma_1 + \dots + \gamma_n$

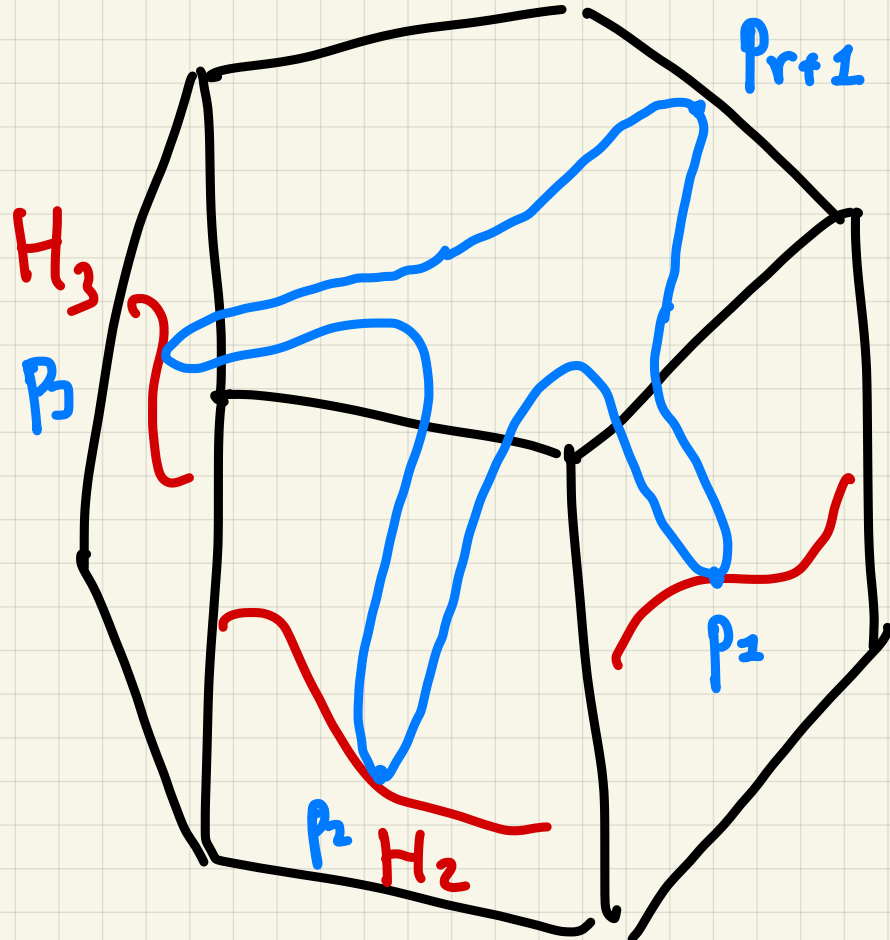
$X_{\Sigma}$  smooth proj  $d$ -dim toric variety





$D_i$   
 $U \leftarrow$  Hypersurface  
 in  $D_i$   
 $H_i$

$$\left\{ \left( z \frac{x_i}{|y_i|} = c_i \right) \Big|_{D_i} \right\}$$



$\mathcal{M} = \{ f:$   
 $(C, p_1, \dots, p_r, p_{r+1})$   
 $\uparrow$   
 $g=0 \rightarrow X_\Sigma,$

$$f^{-1}(\partial X_\Sigma) = \{ p_1, \dots, p_r, p_{r+1} \}$$

$$f(p_i) \in H_i \quad 1 \leq i \leq r$$

At  $p_i$ , contact order of  $C$  with  $D_i = |\omega(y_i, -)|$

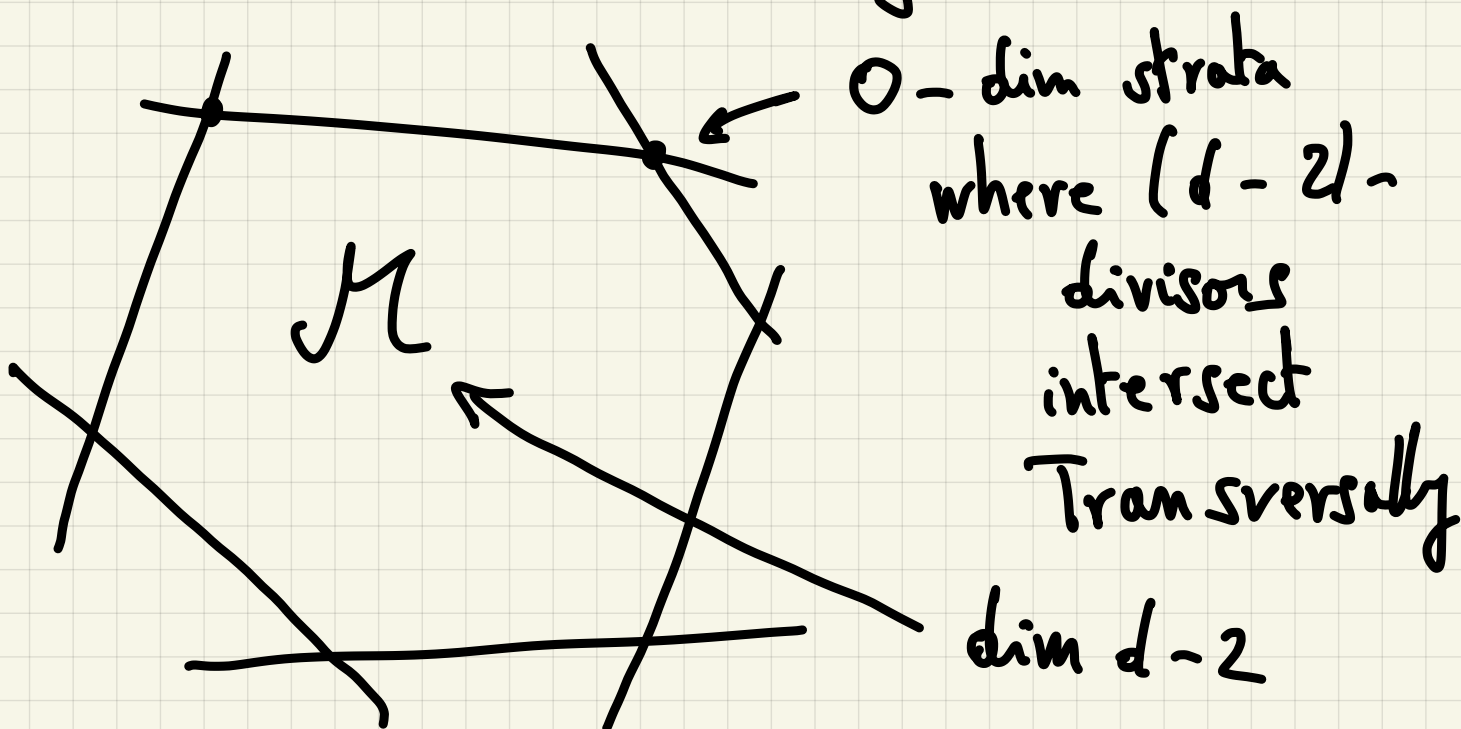
$$\exp \dim \mathcal{M} = d - 2$$

$\mathcal{M}$  is not compact.

$\bar{\mathcal{M}}$  obtained as moduli space of stable  
log maps (Abramovich-  
Chen  
Gross-Siebert)

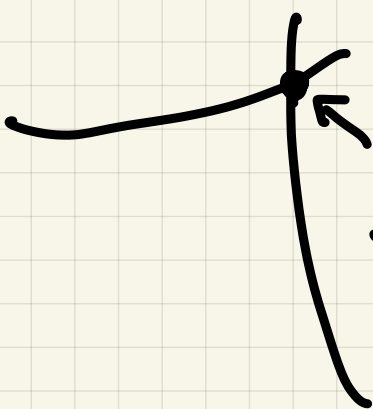
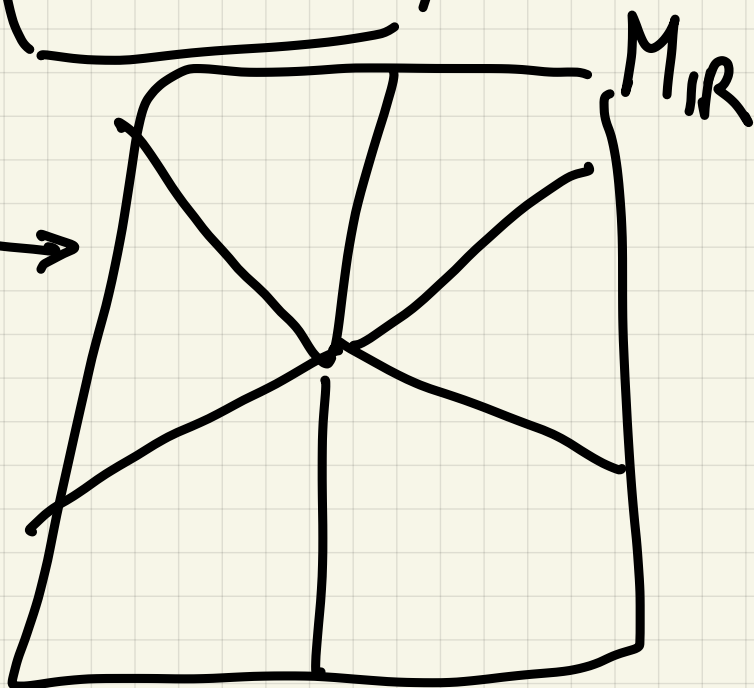
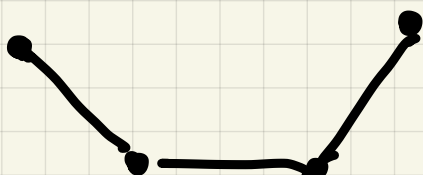
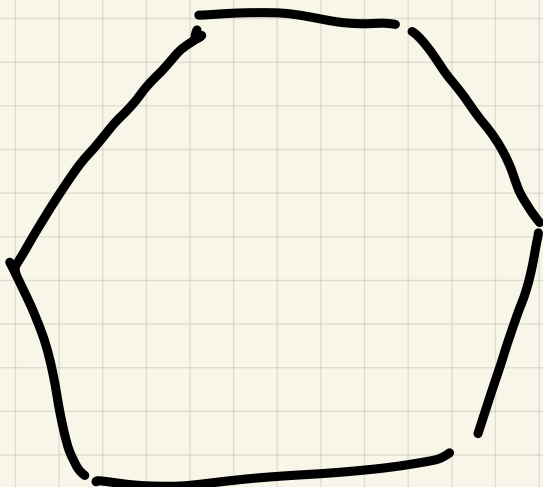
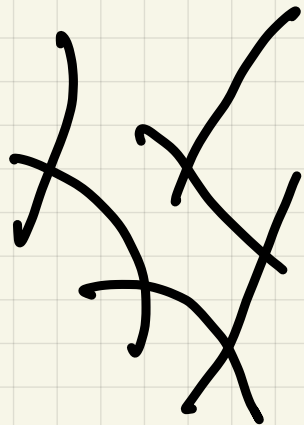
Log Gromov-  
Witten  
theory

Picture of  $\bar{\mathcal{M}}$ ? (virtually)



Strata of  $\mathcal{M} \rightsquigarrow$  Family of tropical curves  
in  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{R}}$

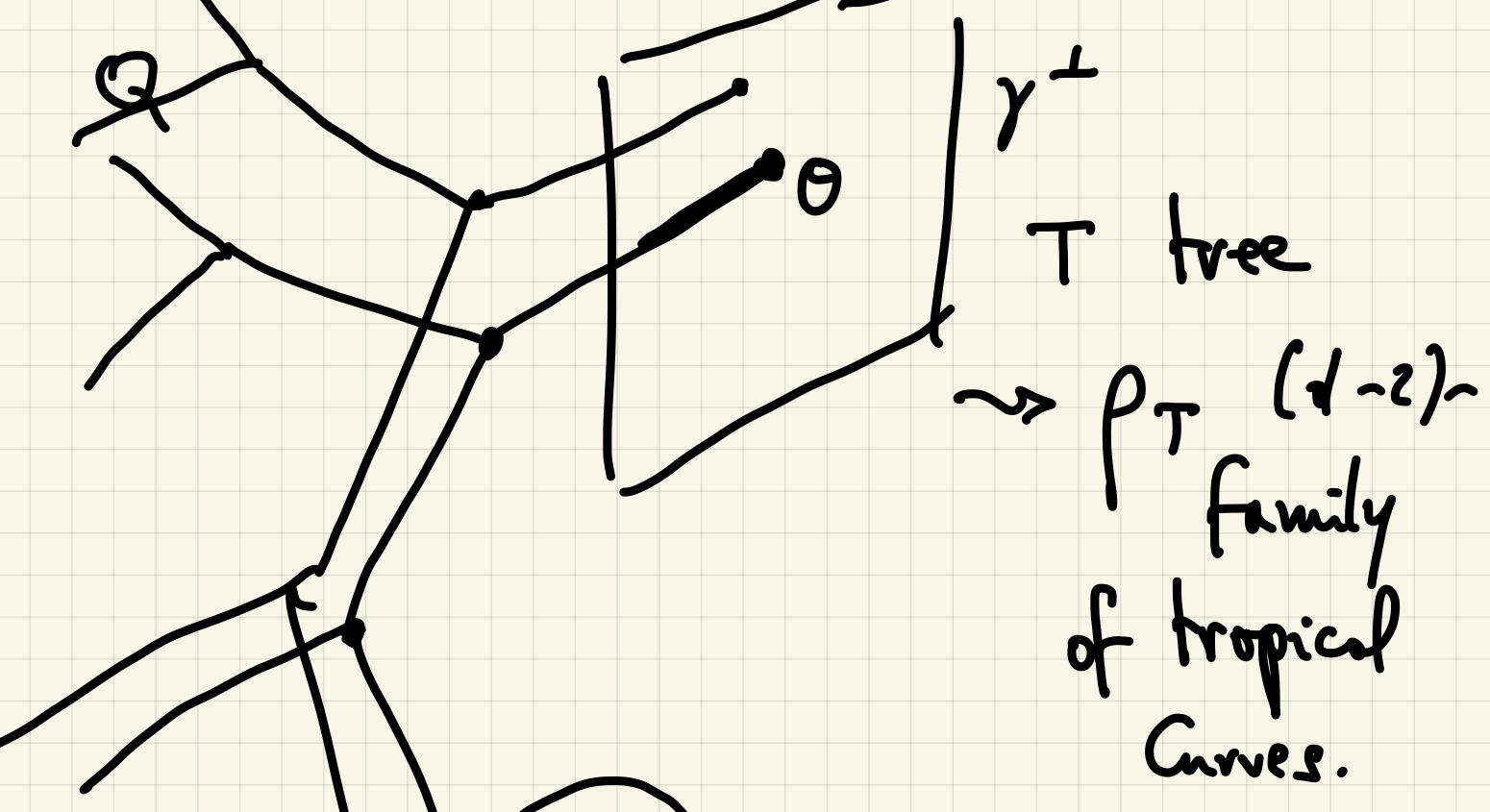
$C \rightarrow X_{\Sigma}, \partial X_{\Sigma}$



0-dim  
Strata



(d-2)-dim  
families of  
Tropical curves



$$N_{\rho_T}^{GW} = \# \text{ 0-dim strata in moduli space } \mathcal{M} \text{ with tropicalization } \rho_T$$

Thm. [Arquuz-B]

$$F_T = N_{\rho_T}^{GW}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \uparrow & \downarrow \\ e(\mathcal{M}_\gamma) & ??? \\ H^*(\mathcal{M}_\gamma) & \end{matrix}$$