

Machine Learning and Algebraic Approaches towards Complete Matter Spectra in 4d F-theory

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Gauge potential for field strength G_4

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[Anderson/Heckman/Katz, 13], [Intriligator, Jockers, Mayr, Morrison, Plesser '12]
 - Consider $\mathcal{L}_R = \pi^*(A_3 \cdot S_R) \otimes \mathcal{O}_{C_R, \text{spin}} \in \text{Pic}(C_R)$
- $\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}_R$ counts vector-like spectra [M.B. Mayrhofer Pehle Weigand '14], [M.B. Mayrhofer Weigand '17], [M.B. '18]
- chiral fields $\leftrightarrow H^0(C_R, \mathcal{L}_R)$, anti-chiral fields $\leftrightarrow H^1(C_R, \mathcal{L}_R)$.

Typically, $h^i(C_R, \mathcal{L}_R)$ hard to determine:

- Non-topological, i.e. deformation $C_R \rightarrow C'_R$ can lead to jumps
- $$h^i(C_R, \mathcal{L}_R) = (h^0, h^1) \rightarrow h^i(C'_R, \mathcal{L}'_R) = (h^0 + a, h^1 + a)$$
- \Rightarrow Higgs pairs/exotic matter

Example: Line bundles in F-theory (MS)SM

curve	g	\mathcal{L}	d	BN-theory		
$C_{(3,2)_{1/6}} = V(s_3, s_9)$	10	$\mathcal{L}_{(3,2)_{1/6}}^{\otimes 36} = K_{C_{(3,2)_{1/6}}}^{\otimes 24}$	12	h^0	h^1	ρ
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$C_{(1,2)_{-1/2}} =$ $V(s_3, s_2 s_5^2 + s_1(s_1 s_9 - s_5 s_6))$	82	$\mathcal{L}_{(1,2)_{-1/2}}^{\otimes 36} = K_{C_{(1,2)_{-1/2}}}^{\otimes 22} \otimes \mathcal{O}_{C_{(1,2)_{-1/2}}}(-30 \cdot Y_1)$	84	h^0	h^1	ρ
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[M.B., 17], [M.B./Posur, 19]

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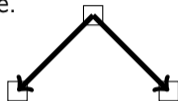
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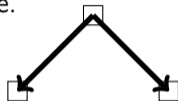
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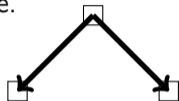


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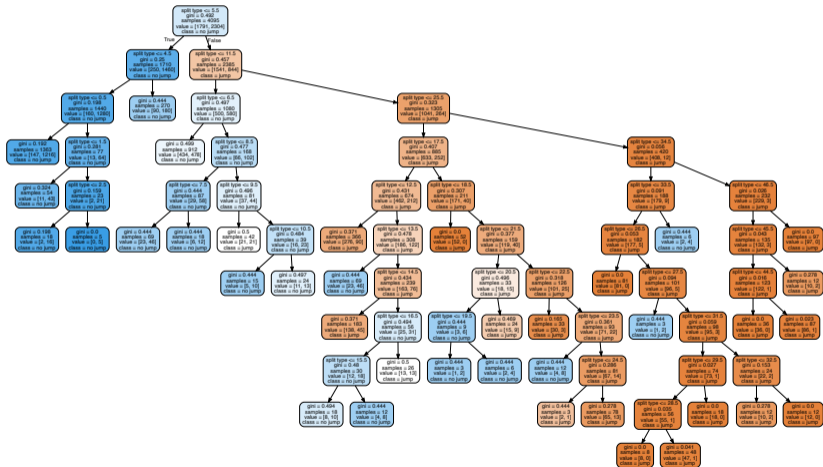
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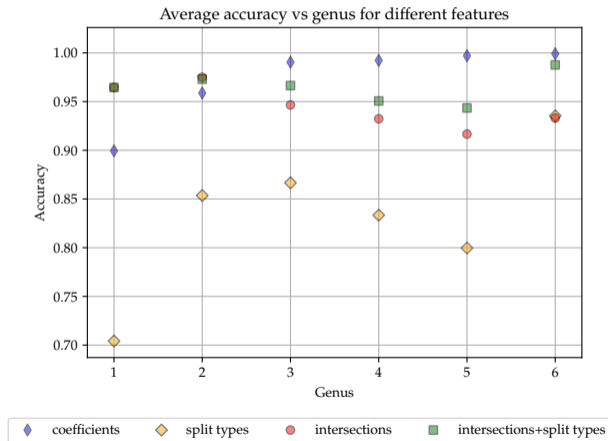
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⇒ Train tree to make implication 'feature' ⇒ 'class' (training-testing ratio: 90:10).

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Application to F-theory GUT model

- Geometry of 4-fold:
 - $SU(5)$ supported on $S \cong dP_3 \subseteq B_3$ [Beasley Heckman Vafa I&II '09]
 - $U(1)$ -restricted Tate model Grimm/Weigand, '10]
 - ⇒ Explicit fourfold $Y_4 \rightarrow B_3$ with $SU(5) \times U(1)$ gauge symmetry in [M.B., '17]

- Chiral spectrum:

$$\chi(\mathbf{10}_1) = 3, \quad \chi(\mathbf{5}_{-2}) = -18, \quad \chi(\mathbf{5}_3) = 15.$$

- Focus on $C_{5_3} \equiv C$:

$$g = 24, \quad \deg(\mathcal{L}_{5_3}) = 38, \quad 44 \text{ coefficients } c_i.$$

- Study splittings $C \rightarrow \tilde{C} \cup \mathbb{P}^1$ where \mathbb{P}^1 is one of the 6 rigid divisors in dP_3 .
 - $E_{1,2}$ lead to jumps. They satisfy $L \cdot E_{1,2} < -1$.
 - Splitting off combinations of $E_{1,2}$ gives $h^0 \in \{15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21\}$.
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⇒ Answers follow from Koszul resolution, h^0 -stratifications and Brill-Noether theory.

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- ① Pullback line bundle admits Koszul resolution:

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{dP_3}(D_L - D_C) \xrightarrow{P(\mathbf{c})} \mathcal{O}_{dP_3}(D_L) \rightarrow \mathcal{L} \rightarrow 0$$

- ② Obtain long exact sequence in sheaf cohomology:

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- ③ Sometimes: $0 \rightarrow H^0(\mathcal{L}) \rightarrow H^1(D_L - D_C) \xrightarrow{M_\varphi(\mathbf{c})} H^1(D_L) \rightarrow H^1(\mathcal{L}) \rightarrow 0$

- ④ By exactness: $h^0(\mathcal{L}) = \ker(M_\varphi(\mathbf{c}))$

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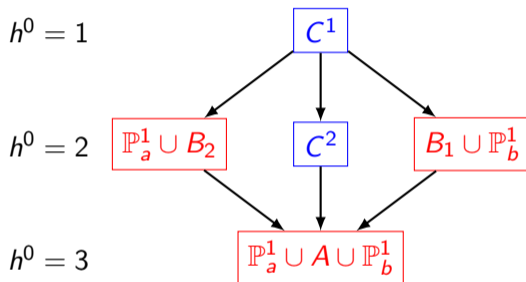
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$\text{rk}(M_\varphi)$	explicit condition	curve splitting
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Stratification diagram



Types of jumps

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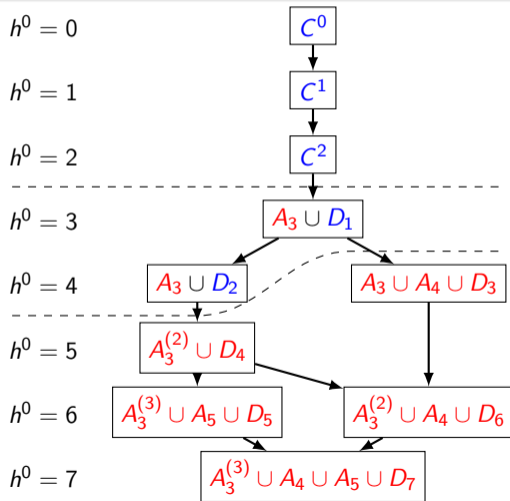
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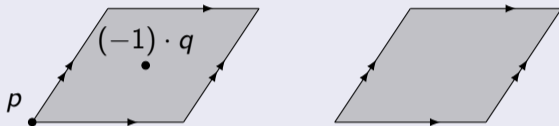
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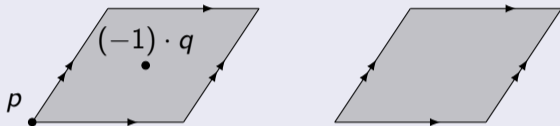
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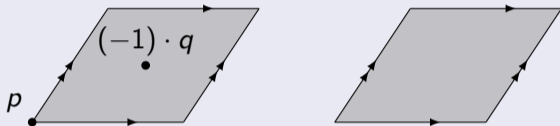


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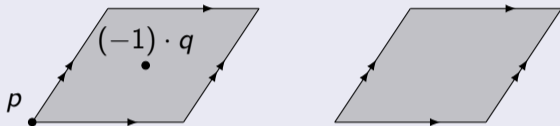
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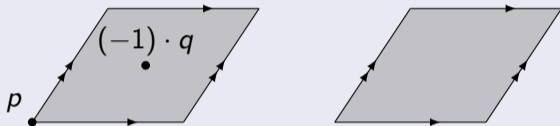
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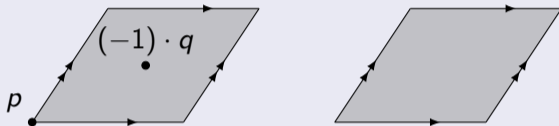
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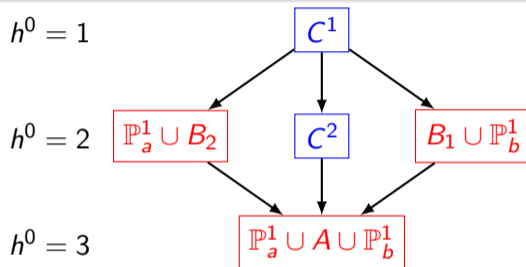
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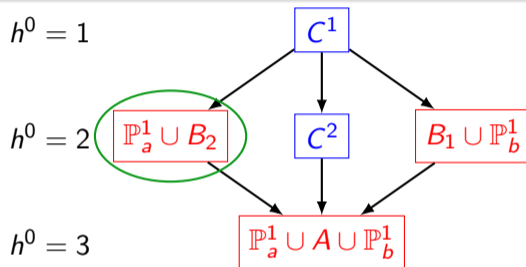
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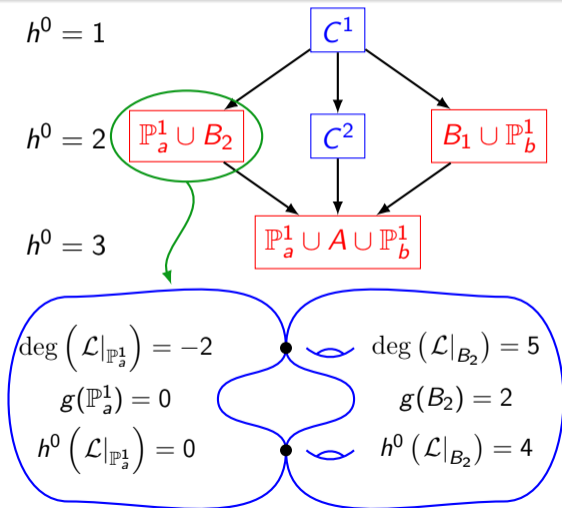
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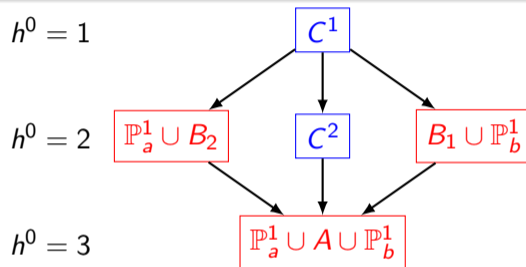
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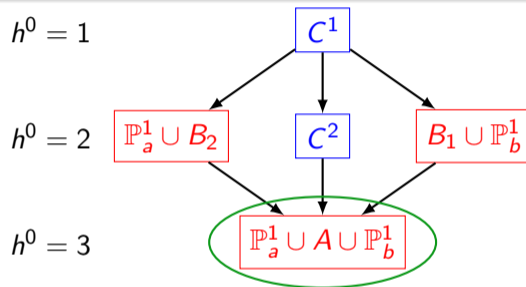
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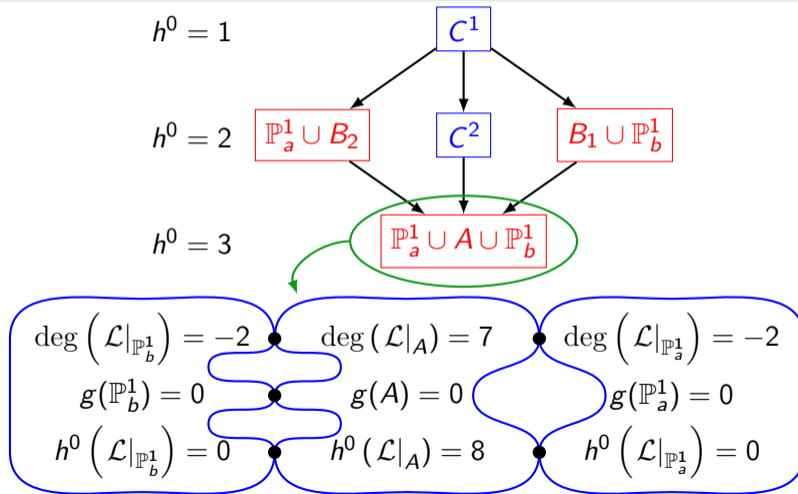
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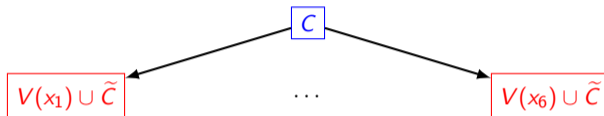
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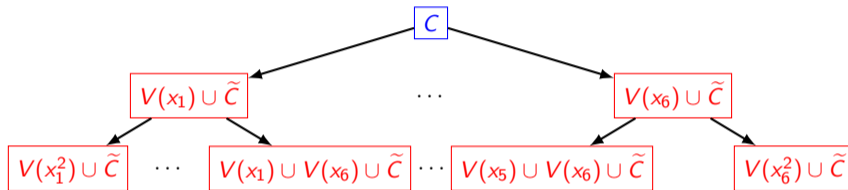
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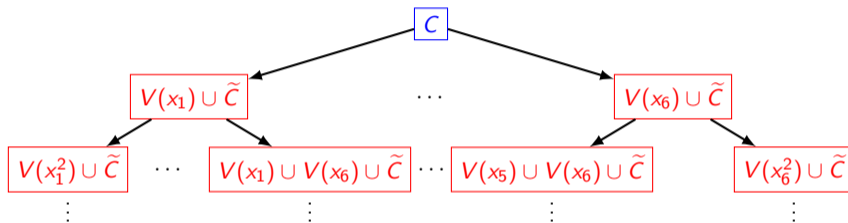
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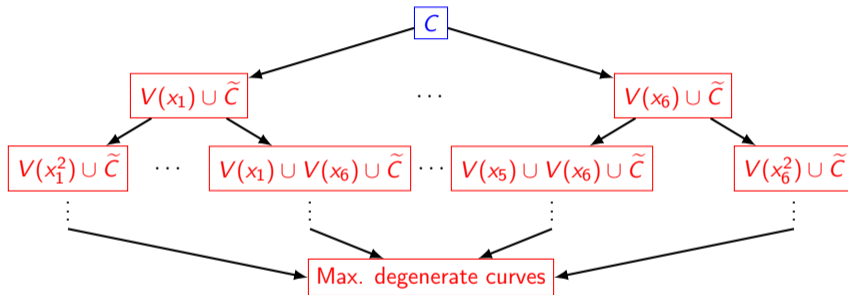
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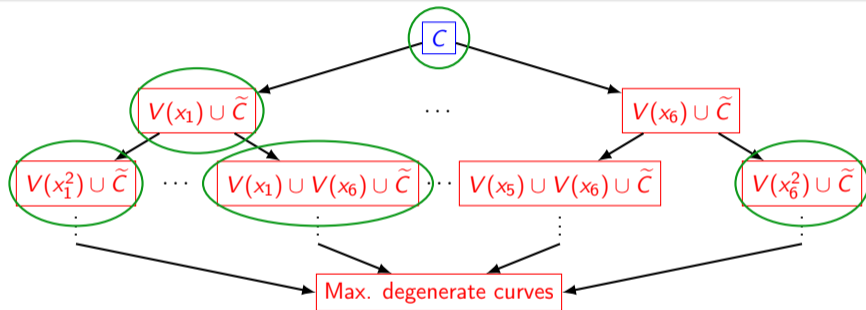
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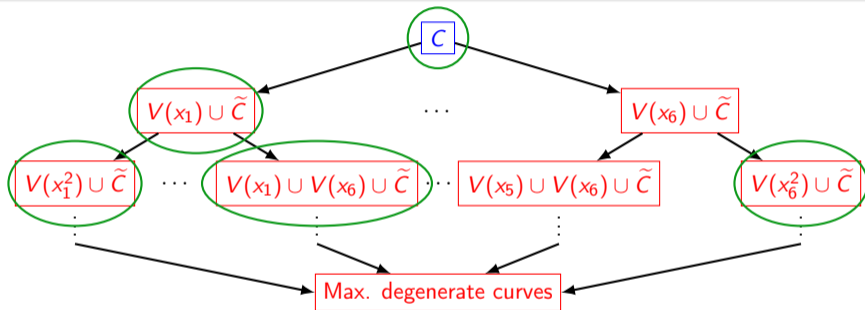
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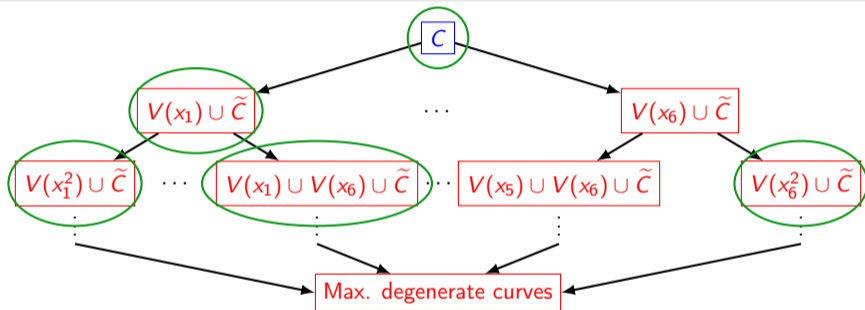
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Broader outlook

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 - (Geometric) symmetries protecting vector-like pairs
- Further applications:
 - (S)CFTs
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Thank you for your attention!

