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STARTING POINT of NCG:

the identification of points in a space is bound up with the commutativity of the algebra of coordinates on the space

TWO PIECES OF EVIDENCE IN SUPPORT OF THIS

- Gelfand-Naimark theorem

X a locally compact Hausdorff space
it can be reconstructed from

$C_0(X)$ continuous fcts vanishing at ∞

as the space of characters $\mu: C_0(X) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$

$$\mu(fg) = \mu(f)\mu(g)$$

$\mu = \varepsilon_x : f \mapsto f(x)$ evaluation at
some point $x \in X$

- Heisenberg uncertainty principle

$$\Delta q \Delta p \geq 4\pi \hbar \quad \text{when } [q, p] = i\hbar$$

thus localization at $(q, p) \in \{\text{phase space}\}$
is ruled out

$C_0(X)$ is a commutative C^* -algebra

- C^* -algebras, commutative or not, are the substitutes for topological spaces

To bring in differential geometry one needs to identify a NC analogue of smooth functions

$\mathcal{A} = C^\infty(X)$ is a pre- C^* -algebra.

- it is dense in $A = C(X)$
- it is 'stable under holomorphic functional calculus': it is complete in some stronger topology and if $a \in \mathcal{A}$ is invertible in A then $a^{-1} \in \mathcal{A}$
- pre- C^* -algebras, commutative or not, are the substitutes for smooth spaces

f. r. pre- C^* algebra

$X: = K_0(\mathcal{A})$

act as a twisted convolution

$$f \in C^\infty(\mathbb{T}^2)$$

$$f = \sum_{\nu_1, \nu_2} f_{\nu_1, \nu_2} e^{2\pi i (\nu_1 x + \nu_2 y)}$$

pulling back the product from $A_\theta^\mathbb{Z}$

$$f * g = \sum_{\nu_1, \nu_2} (f * g)_{\nu_1, \nu_2} e^{2\pi i (\nu_1 x + \nu_2 y)}$$

$$(f * g)_{\nu_1, \nu_2} = \sum_{s_1, s_2} f_{s_1, s_2} g_{\nu_1 - s_1, \nu_2 - s_2} e^{\pi i (\nu_1 s_2 - \nu_2 s_1) \theta}$$

a $U(1)$ -valued 2-cocycle on \mathbb{Z}^2

$$\lambda(\nu, s) = \exp \pi i (\nu_1 s_2 - \nu_2 s_1) \theta$$

the deformed product depends only on its cohomology class in

$$H^2(\mathbb{Z}^2, U(1))$$

Bundle theory comes from

- Serre - Swan theorem

A vector bundle $E \rightarrow X$ is characterized by its sections $\Gamma(E, X)$ which form a module over $C(X)$

$$\begin{array}{l} \lambda \in \Gamma(E, X) \\ f \in C(X) \end{array} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \lambda f \in \Gamma(E, X)$$

a special kind of module:

projective module of finite type

$$\Gamma(E, X) \oplus (\dots) = C(X)^N$$

$$\Gamma(E, X) = e C(X)^N$$

$$e \in \text{Mat}_N(C(X))$$

$$e^2 = e \quad ; \quad e^* = e$$

- projective modules of finite type over an algebra A are the substitutes for vector bundles over A

Noncommutative spaces



Noncommutative $*$ algebras of functions A

Vector bundles



Projective modules of finite type over A

s.a. idempotent $e \in \text{Mat}_N(A)$
 $e^2 = e = e^*$

$\xi = e \cdot A^N \equiv$ sections of vector bundles

Spaces are constructed out of bundles
defined on them

spheres are constructed out of
instanton bundles

* instanton *

a bundle of bundles on S^4 sphere

a $U(1)$ connection

higher dimensional generalizations

An Instanton must have the right characteristic classes

$$ch_k(e) = 0 \quad k=0,1$$

$ch_2(e)$ is volume form

These are components of a Chern-character

$$ch_j(e) = \langle (e^{-1/2}) (\delta e)^{2j} \rangle \in A \otimes \underbrace{\bar{A} \otimes \dots \otimes \bar{A}}_{2j \text{ times}}$$

$$\bar{A} = A / \mathbb{C}I$$

They form a cycle in the (b, B) bicomplex of cyclic homology

$$b ch_{j+1}(e) = B ch_j(e)$$

$$ch_j(e) = \sum (e_{i_0 i_1} - \frac{1}{2} \delta_{i_0 i_1}) \otimes e_{i_1 i_2} \otimes \dots \otimes e_{i_{2j} i_0}$$

- The Hochschild boundary b

$$\begin{aligned}
 b(a_0 \otimes a_1 \otimes \dots \otimes a_n) &= \\
 &= \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (-1)^j a_0 \otimes a_1 \otimes \dots \otimes (a_j a_{j+1}) \otimes \dots \otimes a_n \\
 &\quad + (-1)^n (a_n a_0) \otimes a_1 \otimes \dots \otimes a_{n-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$b^2 = 0$ $HH_*(A)$ is the homology of
this complex

Hochschild homology

- The Connes' boundary B

$$B = B \circ A$$

$$B_0(a_0 \otimes \dots \otimes a_n) = \mathbb{I} \otimes a_0 \otimes \dots \otimes a_n$$

$$A(a_0 \otimes \dots \otimes a_n) = \frac{1}{n+1} \sum_{j=0}^n (-1)^{nj} a_j \otimes a_{j+1} \otimes \dots \otimes a_n \otimes a_0 \otimes \dots \otimes a_{j-1}$$

$$bB + Bb = 0$$

Hochschild homology class for $A = C^\infty(M)$
correspond to differential forms on M

$$HH_k(C^\infty(M)) = \Omega^k(M)$$

In particular n -cycles c $n = \dim M$

$$bc = 0$$

gives volume forms

There is no general formulae for hochschild
cycles of suitable dimension

For spheres we can use the formula for the Chern-character

EVEN S^{2n}

$$\text{ch}(e) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{k!} \text{tr} [e(d e)^{2k}] = 1 + \frac{i^n (2n)!}{2^{n+1} n!} \mu$$

↑
volume element

e a projection in $\text{Mat}_{2n}(C^\infty(S^{2n}))$

$$e^2 = e, \quad e^* = e$$

Redefine

$$\text{ch}_k(e) \sim \text{tr} \left[\left(e - \frac{1}{2} \right) (d e)^{2k} \right] \in \Omega_{dR}^{2k}(S^{2n})$$

ODD S^{2n+1}

a similar formula

$$\text{ch}_{k+1/2}(u) \sim \text{tr} \left[(u^{-1} du)^{2k+1} \right] \in \Omega_{dR}^{2k+1}(S^{2n+1})$$

u a unitary in $\text{Mat}_{2n}(C^\infty(S^{2n+1}))$

$$u \cdot u^* = u^* \cdot u = 1$$

For spheres the top components

$$ch_n(p) \quad \text{or} \quad ch_{n+1/2}(u)$$

are Hochschild cycles

$$bch_n(e) = 0$$

$$bch_{n+1/2}(u) = 0$$

In general we shall impose

$$ch_k(e) = 0 \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$$

for e a suitable projection in
 $\text{Mat}_N(A)$ A a deformed algebra

or

$$ch_{k+1/2}(u) = 0 \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$$

for u a suitable unitary in
 $\text{Mat}_N(A)$ A a deformed algebra

This will determine us to a good extent.

$2n=2$

2-dim sphere S^2

The volume form

$$\mu = x dy \wedge dz + y dz \wedge dx + z dx \wedge dy$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$$

corresponds to the 2-cycle

$$c = \frac{1}{2} [x \otimes (y \otimes z - z \otimes y) + y \otimes (z \otimes x - x \otimes z) + z \otimes (x \otimes y - y \otimes x)]$$

$$bc = 0$$

Start with $F = \mathbb{C}\langle x, y, z \rangle$ free \ast -algebra

take $e = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+z & x-iy \\ x+iy & 1-z \end{pmatrix} \in \text{Mat}_2(F)$

Impose

$$e = e^* \Rightarrow x, y, z \text{ self-adjoint}$$

$$e^2 = e \Rightarrow \begin{cases} xy = yx & yz = zy & zx = xz \\ x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

Thus

$$A := F / \begin{matrix} e = e^* \\ e^2 = e \end{matrix} \simeq \mathcal{A}(S^2) \quad \begin{matrix} \text{polynomial functions} \\ \text{on } S^2 \end{matrix}$$

The component of the Chern-character

$$\text{ch}_0(e) := \text{tr}(e - \frac{1}{2}) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ch}_1(e) &:= \text{tr}(e - \frac{1}{2}) \delta e \delta e = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} x \otimes (y \otimes z - z \otimes y) + \text{cyc. perm.} \end{aligned}$$

In fact in order to identify $C^\infty(S^2)$
one needs also the Dirac operator

$$D \text{ on } \mathcal{H} = L^2(\text{spinors})$$

Imposing

$$\pi_D \text{ch}_1(p) = \delta_5$$

$$D = \gamma^\mu (\partial_\mu + \dots) \text{ Dirac}$$

$$\langle (p - \gamma_2) [D, p] [D, p] \rangle = \delta_5$$

a partial trace

$$\pi_D : \int f \mapsto [D, f] \in \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{H})$$

shows that $\text{ch}_1 = c$ of the volume form μ .

Since μ has support on all of S^2 one concludes that $X = S^2$

Then $A = C^\infty(S^2)$.

QUANTUM SPHERES

Woronowicz

$$S_q^3 \simeq SU_q(2)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} z_0 & -q z_1^* \\ z_1 & z_0^* \end{pmatrix}$$

$$z_0 z_1^* = q^{-1} z_1^* z_0$$

$$z_1 z_0^* = q^{-1} z_0^* z_1$$

$$z_0 z_1 = q^{-1} z_1 z_0$$

$$z_1^* z_0^* = q^{-1} z_0^* z_1^*$$

$$z_1 z_1^* = z_1^* z_1$$

$$z_0 z_0^* + z_1 z_1^* = 1$$

$$z_0^* z_0 + q^2 z_1 z_1^* = 1$$

I'll use the counit

$$\epsilon : S_q^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

$$\epsilon(z_0) = \epsilon(z_0^*) = 1$$

$$\epsilon(z_1) = \epsilon(z_1^*) = 0$$

A Quantum $U(1)$ -Principal Bundle

$$U(1) = \langle [w, w^*] \rangle, \quad w^* = w^{-1}$$

A coaction

$$\Delta_R: S^3_q \times U(1) \rightarrow S^3_q \otimes U(1)$$

$$\Delta_R(w) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} z_0 & -q z_1^* \\ z_1 & z_0^* \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} z_0 \otimes w & -q z_1^* \otimes w^* \\ z_1 \otimes w & z_0^* \otimes w^* \end{pmatrix}$$

The base space (the space of coinvariants)

$$\begin{aligned} S^2_q &= S^3_q \otimes U(1) \\ &= \{ a \in S^3_q : \Delta_R(a) = a \otimes 1 \} \\ &= \{ z_0 z_1^*, z_1 z_0^*, z_1 z_1^* \} \end{aligned}$$

Podles quantum 2-sphere
standard

THE PROJECTION OF CHARGE -1

$$p = |\psi\rangle\langle\psi|$$

$$|\psi\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} z_0 \\ qz_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\langle\psi|\psi\rangle = z_0^* z_0 + q^2 z_1^* z_1 = 1$$

$$p^2 = p = p^*$$

$$p = \begin{pmatrix} z_0 z_0^* & q z_0 z_1^* \\ q z_1 z_0^* & q^2 z_1 z_1^* \end{pmatrix} \in \text{Mat}_2(S_q^2)$$

$$\text{tr } p = q^2 + (1 - q^2) z_0 z_0^* = 1 - q^2$$

$$\text{ch}_0(p) = (q^2 - 1) z_1^* z_1$$

$$\text{rank } \epsilon_0 \text{tr}(p) = 1$$

$$\text{charge } z_1^* \text{tr}(p) = (q^2 - 1)(1 - q^2)^{-1} = -1$$

THE PROJECTION OF CHARGE +1

$$q = |\varphi\rangle\langle\varphi|$$

$$|\varphi\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} z_0^* \\ z_1^* \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\langle\varphi|\varphi\rangle = z_0 z_0^* + z_1 z_1^* = 1$$

$$q^2 = q = q^*$$

$$q = \begin{pmatrix} z_0^* z_0 & z_0^* z_1 \\ z_1^* z_0 & z_1^* z_1 \end{pmatrix} \in \text{Mat}_2(S_q)$$

$$\text{tr}(q) = q^2 + (1 - q^{-2}) z_0^* z_0 = 1 + (1 - q^{-2}) z_0^* z_0$$

rank $\epsilon = \text{tr}(q) = 1$

charge $z_0^2 \text{tr}(q) = (1 - q^2)(1 - q^2)^{-1} = 1$

A NON TRIVIAL CYCLIC 0-COCYCLE

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A basis of the algebra S^2_q as a \mathbb{C} -vector space

$$X(m) \zeta(n) \quad m \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}_0$$

$$X(m) = \begin{cases} (z_0 \bar{z}_1)^m & m \geq 0 \\ (z_1 \bar{z}_0)^{-m} & m < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\zeta(n) = (z_1 \bar{z}_1)^n \quad n \geq 0$$

The 0-cocycle: a trace (singular)

$$\tau^1: S^2_q \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

$$\tau^1(X(m) \zeta(n)) = \begin{cases} (1 - q^{2n})^{-1} & m=0, n > 0 \\ 0 & m \neq 0 \text{ or } m=n=0 \end{cases}$$

It is in degree zero because of the structure of the (even) cyclic cohomology $HC^*(S^2_q)$. The latter is obtained by acting with the periodicity operator on $HC^0(S^2_q)$.

$$HC^0(S^2_q) = \mathbb{C}[\varepsilon] \oplus \mathbb{C}[\tau^1] \oplus \text{Ker } S$$

Instantons on the Euclidean sphere S_q^4

$$S_q^4 = "SO_q(5)/SO_q(4)"$$

The generators of the algebra S_q^4 are

$$x^i = (x_2^*, x_1^*, x_0, x_1, x_2).$$

with $(x_0)^* = x_0$; and commutation relations

$$x_i x_j = q x_j x_i, \quad i < j; \quad x_i^* x_j = q x_j x_i^*, \quad i \neq j,$$

$$[x_1, x_1^*] = (1 - q^{-2}) x_0^2,$$

$$[x_2, x_2^*] = (1 - q^{-2}) (q x_1 x_1^* + x_0^2 + x_1^* x_1)$$

The element

$$r^2 = q^3 x_2 x_2^* + q x_1 x_1^* + x_0^2 + x_1^* x_1 + x_2^* x_2$$

is central and can be diagonalized.

Proposition

The element $e \in \text{Mat}_4(S_q^4)$ given by

$$e = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 + q^{-2} x_0 & q^{-1} x_1 & x_2 & 0 \\ q^{-1} x_1^* & 1 - q^{-1} x_0 & 0 & x_2 \\ x_2^* & 0 & 1 - q^{-1} x_0 & -x_1 \\ 0 & x_2^* & -x_1^* & 1 + x_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

which is hermitian by construction, is also idempotent, $e^2 = e$, if and only if all the relations which define S_q^4 are satisfied.

$$\text{ch}_0(e) = \frac{1}{2} (1 - q^{-1})^2 x_0$$

One needs two traces on the algebra

$$\tau^0 \rightarrow \text{rank}$$

$$\tau^2 \rightarrow \text{the topological number}$$

is a singular trace

The instanton

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 S^7 & & \\
 \pi \downarrow \text{SU}(2) & & \text{Hopf bundle} \\
 S^4 & &
 \end{array}$$

$$S^7 = \{(a, b) \in \mathbb{H}^2, |a|^2 + |b|^2 = 1\}$$

$$\text{SU}(2) \simeq \text{Sp}(1) = \{w \in \mathbb{H}, |w|^2 = 1\}$$

$$S^7 \times \text{Sp}(1) \rightarrow S^7 \quad (a, b)w = (aw, bw)$$

$$\Pi(a, b) = (x_\mu, \mu = 0, \dots, 4)$$

$$x_0 = |a|^2 - |b|^2$$

$$x_4 = a\bar{b} + b\bar{a}$$

$$\xi = x_1 i + x_2 j + x_3 k = a\bar{b} - b\bar{a}$$

$$\sum_{\mu=0}^4 (x_\mu)^2 = 1$$

The \mathbb{H}^1 -valued invariant functions on S^7

$$|a|^2 = \frac{1}{2}(1 + x_0) \quad |b|^2 = \frac{1}{2}(1 - x_0)$$

$$a\bar{b} = \frac{1}{2}x_4 + \xi$$

The instanton bundle

$$|\psi\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} \quad \langle\psi|\psi\rangle = 1$$

$$e = |\psi\rangle\langle\psi| \in \text{Mat}_2(\mathcal{A}) \quad e^2 = e = e^*$$

$$\mathcal{A} = C^\infty(S^4, \mathbb{H})$$

$$e = \begin{pmatrix} |a|^2 & a\bar{b} \\ b\bar{a} & |b|^2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} I + x_0 & x_4 + \mathbf{j} \\ x_4 - \mathbf{j} & I - x_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The sections of a vector bundle $E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$

$$\Gamma = e \cdot \mathcal{A}^2$$

$$\Gamma(S^4, E) \leftrightarrow \langle \mathcal{S}_{F(0)} \rangle (S^4, \mathbb{H})$$

$$\sigma = e \begin{pmatrix} f \\ g \end{pmatrix} \leftrightarrow \varphi_\sigma = \langle\psi|\begin{pmatrix} f \\ g \end{pmatrix}\rangle = \bar{a}f + \bar{b}g$$

$$f, g \in \mathcal{A}$$

$$\varphi_\sigma((a, b) \cdot w) = w^{-1} \varphi_\sigma(a, b)$$

$$\text{tr}(e) = 2 \quad (\text{over } \mathbb{C})$$

the rank of the bundle

the canonical connection

$$\nabla = e \circ d : P \rightarrow P \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} \Omega^1$$

its curvature

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla^2 &= e(d\psi)^2 \\ &= |\psi\rangle\langle\psi|d\psi\rangle^2 \langle\psi| + |\psi\rangle\langle d\psi|d\psi\rangle \langle\psi| \end{aligned}$$

The Chern classes

$$c_1(e) = +\frac{1}{2\pi i} \operatorname{tr} e(d\psi)^2 = \dots = 0$$

$$c_2(e) = +\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \operatorname{tr} e(d\psi)^4 = +\frac{3}{8\pi^2} d(\operatorname{vol}(S^4))$$

$$\int_{S^4} c_2(e) = +1$$

The connection 1-form

$$A = \langle\psi|d\psi\rangle = \tilde{a} da + \tilde{b} db$$

and is anti self dual

$$\begin{aligned} *A &= -A \\ \uparrow \\ &\text{Hodge map} \end{aligned}$$

Toward quantum spheres

$$e = \frac{1}{2} \begin{Bmatrix} (1+z)\mathbb{I} & \mathcal{Q} \\ \mathcal{Q}^* & (1-z)\mathbb{I} \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{Q} = \begin{Bmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ -q\beta^* & \alpha^* \end{Bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \alpha, \beta \text{ complex gen.} \\ z = z^* \end{array}$$

The requirement that $e^2 = e$ identifies

$$z\alpha = \alpha z$$

$$z\beta = \beta z$$

$$\beta\alpha = \bar{q}\alpha\beta$$

$$\beta^*\alpha = q\alpha\beta^*$$

$$\beta\beta^* = \beta^*\beta$$

$$\alpha\alpha^* + \beta\beta^* + z^2 = 1$$

$$\alpha^*\alpha + |q|^2\beta^*\beta + z^2 = 1$$

One can restrict the deformation parameter $q \in \mathbb{C}$ so that $|q| \in (0, 1]$

The Connes-Chern classes

$$ch_j(e) = \langle (e - \frac{1}{2}) \int e^{tj} \rangle$$

$$e^2 = e$$

$$bch_{j+1}(e) = Bch_j(e)$$

For the previous idempotent

$$\bullet ch_0(e) = \langle e - \frac{1}{2} \rangle = 0$$

$$\text{rank} = 2$$

$$\bullet ch_1(e) \sim (1 - |q|^2) (\dots)$$

$$\bullet ch_2(e) \sim (1 - |q|^4) (\quad)$$

+

$$(1 - |q|^2) (\quad)$$

+

q-deformation of the
classical term

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$$q \in \mathbb{R} \quad S_q^4$$

a suspension of $S_q^3 \simeq SU_q(2)$

$$z\alpha = \alpha z$$

$$z\beta = \beta z$$

$$\beta\alpha = q\alpha\beta$$

$$\beta^*\alpha = q\alpha\beta^*$$

$$\beta\beta^* = \beta^*\beta$$

$$\alpha\alpha^* + \beta\beta^* + z^2 = 1$$

$$\alpha^*\alpha + q^2\beta^*\beta + z^2 = 1$$

$$\beta = z_1, \quad \alpha = z_0$$

S^4_θ S^{2n}_θ Connes
Dubois-Violette

take $q = e^{2\pi i \theta} = \lambda$

$$ch_1(e) = 0$$

$ch_2(e) =$ λ -deformation of the classical term

- it is λ -a twisted connection

- $ch_2(e) = 0$

the associated Hochschild class

is a volume form

$C(S^4_\theta)$ is the $*$ -algebra generated by $z, \alpha, \beta, \alpha^*, \beta^*$ $z^* = z$

$$z\alpha = \alpha z$$

$$z\beta = \beta z$$

$$\alpha\beta = \lambda\beta\alpha$$

$$\alpha\beta^* = \bar{\lambda}\beta^*\alpha$$

$$\alpha\alpha^* = \alpha^*\alpha$$

$$\beta\beta^* = \beta^*\beta$$

$$\lambda = e^{2\pi i \theta}$$

$$\alpha\alpha^* + \beta\beta^* + z^2 = 1$$

The θ -deformed spheres are noncommutative homogeneous spaces, i.e. subalgebra of coinvariants of suitable Hopf algebras which can be regarded as quantized symmetry groups

$$S_{\theta}^{N-1} = "SO_{\theta}(N) / SO_{\theta}(N-1)"$$

$$\delta: S_{\theta}^{N-1} \rightarrow SO_{\theta}(N) \otimes S_{\theta}^N$$

$$\delta(\text{radius}) = 1 \otimes \text{radius}$$

The groups $SO_{\theta}(N)$ are compact matrix quantum groups

THE NC GEOMETRY OF S^4

a spectral triple $\mathcal{A}_0 = C^\infty(S^4_0)$, \mathcal{H} , D

we shall deform the canonical triple of S^4

$$\mathcal{A} = C^\infty(S^4)$$

$$\mathcal{H} = L^2(S^4, S) \quad \text{spinors}$$

$$D = \gamma^\mu (\partial_\mu + \omega_\mu) \quad \text{Dirac operator}$$

The crucial operator equation for D will be

$$\langle (e - \frac{1}{2}) [D, e]^4 \rangle = \gamma_5$$

We shall keep \mathcal{H} and D the same while changing ONLY the algebra and the way it acts on \mathcal{H} .

AN ISOSYRIGAL DEFORMATION

• DEFORMING THE ALGEBRA \mathcal{A} ITS REPRESENTATION

A spectral decomposition

$$T^2 \subset \text{Isom}(S^4)$$

decompose $f \in C^\infty(S^4)$ $f = \sum_n f_n$ $n \in \mathbb{Z}^2$

$$e^{2\pi i \varphi_1} e^{2\pi i \varphi_2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{A}} = e^{2\pi i (\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)} \frac{1}{\sqrt{A}}$$

$$n = (n_1, n_2)$$

a \ast_θ product

$$f_n \ast_\theta g_m = e^{\pi i \theta (n_2 m_1 - n_1 m_2)} f_n g_m$$

The generators (p_1, p_2) of $U(\varphi)$ $\varphi \in T^2$
 the unitary reps on $\mathcal{H} = L^2(M, S)$

The left twist

$$e(f) = \sum_n f_n \lambda^{n_2 p_1} \quad \lambda = e^{2\pi i \theta}$$

$$e(f \ast g) = e(f) e(g)$$

The algebra $e(C^\infty(S^4))$ acts on \mathcal{H}
 and coincides with $\mathcal{A}_\theta = C^\infty(S^4_\theta)$

Parametrize the algebra generators
 α, β, z

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2} u \cos \varphi \cos \psi \quad \beta = \frac{1}{2} v \sin \varphi \cos \psi$$

$$z = \frac{1}{2} \sin \psi$$

$$0 \leq \varphi \leq \pi/2$$

$$-\pi/2 \leq \psi \leq \pi/2$$

$u, v \in C^\infty(T_\theta^2)$ the algebra of the
 nc torus

$$uv = \lambda vu \quad uu^* = u^*u = 1 = vv^* = v^*v$$

For $\theta = 0$ write

the metric, the volume form and D
 using the variable $\varphi, \psi, \dots, v^*$

then ...

fn. T^2 acts by rotation on S_θ^4
 $u \rightarrow e^{2\pi i \varphi_1} u \quad v \rightarrow e^{2\pi i \varphi_2} v$

The no Dirac operator is

$$D = \frac{1}{\cos \varphi \cos \psi} \delta_1 \delta_1 + \frac{1}{\sin \varphi \cos \psi} \delta_2 \delta_2$$
$$+ \frac{\sqrt{-1}}{\cos \psi} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \varphi} + \frac{1}{2} \omega \tan \varphi - \frac{1}{2} \tan \varphi \right) \delta_3$$
$$+ \sqrt{-1} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \psi} - \frac{3}{2} \tan \psi \right) \delta_4$$

$\delta_3, \delta_2, \delta_3, \delta_4$ are n.c.t. derivations

δ_1, δ_2 the n.c.t. derivations

$$\delta_1(u) = u \quad \delta_1(v) = 0$$

$$\delta_2(u) = 0 \quad \delta_2(v) = v$$

One finds that

$$\langle (e^{-1/2}) [D, e]^4 \rangle = \delta_5$$

$$\delta_5 = \delta_1 \delta_2 \delta_3 \delta_4$$

- The spectral triple $(C^\infty(S^4_\theta), \mathcal{H}, D)$ fulfills all axioms of ncg.
- If $e \in C^\infty(S^4_\theta, M_4(\mathbb{C}))$ is the canonical idempotent the Dirac operator D fulfills

$$\langle (e - \frac{1}{2}) [D, e]^4 \rangle = \delta_5$$

The metric is the 'round one'.

One can extend this theorem to any metric on S^4 invariant under rotation of u, v and whose volume form $\sqrt{g} dx$ is the one of the round one.

More generally

Let M be a compact spin Riemannian mfd whose isometry group has rank ≥ 2 .

Then M admits a natural 1-parameter family of isospectral deformation to ncg M_θ

MORE EXAMPLES FROM THE NC TORUS

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$A_\theta = C(\mathbb{T}_\theta^n)$ the algebra of the nct \mathbb{T}_θ^n
generated by n unitary elements

$$U^\mu \quad \mu = 1, \dots, n$$

$$U^\nu U^\mu = \lambda^{\nu\mu} U^\mu U^\nu$$

$$\lambda^{\mu\nu} = -\lambda^{\nu\mu} \quad |\lambda^{\mu\nu}| = 1$$

$$n = 2$$

$$\lambda = e^{2\pi i \theta}$$

$$U^2 U^1 = e^{2\pi i \theta} U^1 U^2$$

An action of commutative \mathbb{T}^n on nct \mathbb{T}_θ^n

$$\mathbb{T}^n \ni s \mapsto \tau_s \in \text{Aut}(A_\theta)$$

$$\tau_s(U^\mu) = e^{2\pi i s_\mu} U^\mu$$

$$s = (s_\mu; \mu = 1, \dots, n)$$

M a mfd with a \mathbb{T}^m action

$$\mathbb{T}^m \ni s \longmapsto \sigma_s \in \text{Aut}(C(M))$$

Take $C(M \times \mathbb{T}_\theta^n) = C(M) \hat{\otimes} A_\theta$

there is a diagonal action

$$\sigma \times \tau^{-1} : \mathbb{T}^n \rightarrow \text{Aut}(C(M \times \mathbb{T}_\theta^n))$$

The deformed algebra is the invariant subalgebra

$$C(M_\theta) = C(M \times \mathbb{T}_\theta^n)^{\sigma \times \tau^{-1}}$$

SMOOTH STRUCTURE

$C^\infty(\mathbb{T}^n_\theta)$ the completion of $C(\mathbb{T}^n_\theta)$ in the l. convex topology generated by seminorms

$$|a|_r = \sup_{r_1 + \dots + r_n \leq r} \|X_1^{r_1} \dots X_n^{r_n}(a)\|$$

$\|\cdot\|$ C^* -norm

X_μ the infinitesimal generators of the action of \mathbb{T}^n on \mathbb{T}^n_θ

$$X_\mu(\cup^\nu) = 2\pi i \delta_\mu^\nu \cup^\nu$$

$C_c^\infty(M_\theta)$ is the fixed point subalgebra of the diagonal action of \mathbb{T}^n on the completed top. product

$$C_c^\infty(M) \widehat{\otimes} C^\infty(\mathbb{T}^n_\theta)$$

$$C_c^\infty(M_\theta) = C_c^\infty(M) \widehat{\otimes} C^\infty(\mathbb{T}^n_\theta) \sigma_{\times \tau^{-1}}$$

DIFFERENTIAL FORMS

$$\Omega(M_\theta) = \Omega(M) \hat{\otimes} C^\infty(\mathbb{T}_\theta^n)^{\sigma \times \tau^{-1}}$$

$$d = d \otimes \text{Id}$$

HODGE THEORY

$\omega \mapsto * \omega$ the Hodge operator on M
w.r.t. to a σ invariant metric on M

it can be extended to an endomorphism
 $*_\theta$ of $\Omega(M_\theta)$ as a bimodule over $C^\infty(M_\theta)$

$$*_\theta : \Omega^p(M_\theta) \rightarrow \Omega^{n-p}(M_\theta)$$

$$*_\theta = * \circ \text{Id}$$

$$M = \mathbb{R}^{2n}$$

$z_{(0)}^\mu$ $\mu = 1, \dots, n$ generator of $C(\mathbb{R}^{2n})$

$C(\mathbb{R}_\theta^{2n})$ is generated by

$$z^\mu = z_{(0)}^\mu \otimes \cup^\mu \quad \mu = 1, \dots, n$$

$$z^\mu z^\nu = \lambda^{\mu\nu} z^\nu z^\mu$$

$$\bar{z}^\mu \bar{z}^\nu = \lambda^{\mu\nu} \bar{z}^\nu \bar{z}^\mu$$

$$\bar{z}^\mu z^\nu = \lambda^{\nu\mu} z^\nu \bar{z}^\mu$$

$\sum_{\mu=1}^n z^\mu \bar{z}^\mu$ is central

$$C(S_\theta^{2n-1}) = C(\mathbb{R}_\theta^{2n}) / \sum_{\mu} z^\mu \bar{z}^\mu - 1$$

A unitary $u \in \text{Mat}_{2^{n-1}}(C(S_\theta^{2n-1}))$

$$ch_{k+1/2}(u) = 0 \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, n-2$$

$$u = \sum_{\mu=1}^n \bar{\sigma}^\mu z^\mu + \sigma^\mu \bar{z}^\mu$$

For $C(\mathbb{R}_\theta^{2n+1})$ an additional central element $x = \bar{x}$

$$x z^\mu = z^\mu x \quad ; \quad x \bar{z}^\mu = \bar{z}^\mu x \quad \mu = 0, 1, \dots, n$$

$$C(S_\theta^{2n}) = C(\mathbb{R}_\theta^{2n+1}) / \sum_{\mu} z^\mu \bar{z}^\mu + x^2 - 1$$

A projection $e \in \text{Mat}_{2n}(C(S_\theta^{2n}))$

$$\text{ch}_\kappa(e) = 0 \quad \kappa = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$$

$$e = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \sum_{\mu=1}^n (\bar{\Gamma}^\mu z^\mu + \Gamma^\mu \bar{z}^\mu) + \gamma x \right)$$

$$\Gamma^\mu = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sigma^\mu \\ \bar{\sigma}^\mu & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\bar{\Gamma}^\mu = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \bar{\sigma}^\mu \\ \sigma^\mu & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

THM. Let S^{2n} be endowed with its usual (round) metric; let $*_{\theta}$ be the corresponding operator on $\Omega(S^{2n}_{\theta})$;

Then the 'defining' projection e is self-dual, i.e.,

$$*_{\theta} e (de)^n = i^n e (de)^n$$

The classical limit ($\theta=0$) of this equation describes an instanton for a conformally invariant generalization of the classical Y-M action on S^{2n}

on S^4 we have the usual YM action

Let g any \mathbb{T}^n -invariant metric on S^{2n} whose volume form is the same as for the round metric; D its Dirac operator on $\mathcal{H} = L^2(S^{2n}, \text{Spinor})$

Then

- the spectral triple $(C(S^{2n}_\theta), \mathcal{H}, D)$ fulfills all axioms of n.c.g.
- if e is the defining projection; it fulfills

$$\langle (e - \frac{1}{2}) [D, e]^{2n} \rangle = \gamma_5$$

The topological charge of e can be computed by an index

$$K_0(\) \ni [e] \longmapsto \text{Index } D_e^+ \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$D_e^+ = e D^+ e \quad D^+ = D \left(\frac{1 + \gamma_5}{2} \right)$$

As a consequence of the fact that only the top component of the Chern character is $\neq 0$, i.e.

$$\text{ch}_j(e) = 0 \quad j=0,1,\dots,n$$

the local expression for the index is simply

$$\text{Index } D_e^+ = (-1)^n \int \delta(e - \frac{1}{2}) [D, e]^{2n} |D|^{-2n}$$

For the defining projection

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Index } D_e^+ &= (-1)^n \int \delta \cdot \delta |D|^{-2n} \\ &= (-1)^n \end{aligned}$$

From the definition of δ we can see that the index is independent of the choice of the metric g and the connection ∇ .

$$\text{Index } D_e^+ = (-1)^n \int \delta \cdot \delta |D|^{-2n} = (-1)^n$$

Monopoles over projective spaces

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 S^{2n+1} & & S^{2n+1} \\
 \downarrow \cup(1) & \dashrightarrow & \downarrow \cup(1) \\
 \mathbb{C}P^n & & \mathbb{C}P^n_{\oplus}
 \end{array}$$

$$p = |\psi\rangle\langle\psi| \quad |\psi\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} z^1 \\ \vdots \\ z^n \end{pmatrix}, \quad \langle\psi|\psi\rangle = 1$$

p_{ij} generators for $\mathbb{C}P^n_{\oplus}$

$$p^2 = p^* = p \quad \text{a line bundle over } \mathbb{C}P^n_{\oplus}$$

$$bch_1 = 0$$

in particular $n=2$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 S^5_{\oplus} & & \lambda = \lambda^{01} \lambda^{12} \lambda^{20} \\
 \downarrow & & \\
 \mathbb{C}P^2_{\oplus} & & \lambda = e^{2\pi i \theta}
 \end{array}$$

Twistor spaces \mathcal{E} , principal bdl.s

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 S^7 & \xrightarrow{U(1)} & \mathbb{C}P^3 \\
 \searrow & & \downarrow S^2 \\
 SU(2) & \rightarrow & S^4
 \end{array}
 \longrightarrow
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 S^7_\theta & \xrightarrow{U(1)} & \mathbb{C}P^3_\theta \\
 \searrow & & \downarrow S^2 \\
 SU(2) & \rightarrow & S^4_\theta
 \end{array}$$

a suitable coaction of
 $C^\infty(SU(2))$ on $C^\infty(S^7_\theta)$

An analogous construction on $\mathbb{C}P^2$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathbb{F}^6 = SU(3)/U(1) \times U(1) & & \mathbb{F}^6_\theta \\
 \downarrow S^2 & \longrightarrow & \downarrow S^2 \\
 \mathbb{C}P^2 = SU(3)/U(2) & & \mathbb{C}P^2_\theta
 \end{array}$$

the \mathbb{T}^2 action on $\mathbb{C}P^2$ is lifted to
the Kähler mfd \mathbb{F}^6

- A homological construction of nc 4D geometries
 $(A_\theta, \mathcal{H}, D, \delta)$

$$\text{ch}_\kappa(e) = 0 \quad \kappa = 0, 1$$

$$e^2 = e = e^*$$

$$\pi_D \text{ch}_2(e) = \delta$$

$$\pi_D(a_0 \delta a_1 \cdots \delta a_n) = a_0 [D, a_1] \cdots [D, a_n] \in \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{H})$$

- An isospectral deformation:
 all spectral data, including the dimension
 (e.g. \dots) are unchanged

- A nc instanton bundle

$$\mathbb{E} = e A_\theta^4 \quad \text{the module of sections}$$

$$\nabla = e \circ d \quad \text{a preferred connection}$$

The starting ingredients for Yang-Mills theory on S_θ^4

- The Yang-Mills action

$$YM(\nabla) = \int F^2 ds^4$$

$$F = \nabla^2 \quad \text{curvature}$$

$$ds = |D|^{-1}$$

with a strictly positive lower bound given by

$$Top(e) = \int \gamma(e - \frac{1}{2}) [D, e]^4 ds^4$$

The defining projection is

$$\text{a. self-dual} \quad * \nabla^2 = - \nabla^2$$

$$\text{and} \quad Top(e) = 1$$

- $\nabla^2 = \nabla^2$

- $\nabla^2 = \nabla^2$

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The basic quartic equation for D

$$\langle (e^{-1/2}) [D, e]^4 \rangle = \delta_5$$

does not fix the metric but only the volume form $\sqrt{g} dx$

any metric with the fixed volume form yields a solution

volume preserving variations of the metric

different solutions could be compared using the SPECTRAL ACTION

$$\text{tr}(\chi(D/\Lambda)) = \Lambda^4 \int ds^4 + \Lambda^2 \int R + \dots$$

which could select the 'CORRECT ONE'

(modulo Diff, of course) .

CL

CD-B

and only one ... (only a class of ...)

a spin non commutative geometry

$$(A, H, D, \gamma)$$

$$A = C^{\infty}(S^4 \times \mathbb{R})$$

solution of

$$\text{ch}_k(e) = 0 \quad k=0,1$$

$$\Pi_D(\text{ch}_2(e)) = \gamma$$

$e = e^2 = e^*$ a projection in $M_4(A)$

$$\Pi_D(a_0 da_1 \dots da_n) = a_0 [D, a_1] \dots [D, a_n]$$

$$\text{ch}_j(e) = \langle (e - \frac{1}{2}) de^{2j} \rangle \in A \otimes \underbrace{A \otimes \dots \otimes A}_{2n}$$

A partial trace $\bar{A} = A / \langle \mathbb{I} \rangle$

a cycle in the (b, B) bicomplex of cyclic homology

$$B \text{ch}_j(e) = b \text{ch}_{j+1}(e)$$

$$ch_0(e) = \langle (e - \gamma/2) \rangle = 0$$

$$\text{rank}(e) = 2$$

$$ch_1(e) = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$bch_2(e) = 0$$

The cycle $ch_2(e)$ can be used as a volume form
 $ch_2(e)$ is a Hochschild cycle

	Classical	CL	DLM S BG	BCT LM (ambid.)
ch_0	0	0	0	$\neq 0$
ch_1	0	0	$\neq 0$	
ch_2	1	1		

Connes Dubois-Violette S^{2m}

$$ch_k = 0 \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, m-1$$

ch_m is the volume form.

The classical points

1-dim \mathbb{R} , characters

$$\varphi: A \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \quad \varphi(ab) = \varphi(a)\varphi(b)$$

BCT

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HS

LM

S^1

S

BG

$S^1 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$

DL

DLM

S^2

CL

CD-V

$S^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$

the 2-spheres intersect
at the poles