

Weingarten calculus and counting paths on Weingarten graphs

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Weingarten calculus

It is a method for computations of mixed moments

$$\mathbb{E}[x_{i_1 j_1} x_{i_2 j_2} \cdots x_{i_n j_n}] \quad \text{or} \quad \mathbb{E}[x_{i_1 j_1} x_{i_2 j_2} \cdots x_{i_n j_n} \overline{x_{k_1 l_1} x_{k_2 l_2} \cdots x_{k_m l_m}}]$$

where $X = (x_{ij})$ is a random matrix picked up from a classical compact Lie group.

History:

Don Weingarten (1978), Benoît Collins (2003), B.C. & Piotr Śniady (2006), ...

Today's topics:

- Weingarten calculus on Lie groups $U(d)$, $O(d)$, $Sp(d)$;
- Weingarten calculus on symmetric spaces G/K (COE, chiral unitary matrix);
- Weingarten graphs (joint work with Benoît Collins).

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Any compact Lie group G has the **normalized Haar measure** $\mu = \mu_G$ such that

$$\int_G f(g_1 g g_2) \mu(dg) = \int_G f(g) \mu(dg), \quad \int_G \mu(dg) = 1,$$

where f is any continuous function on G , and g_1, g_2 are any elements in G .

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Let $U = (u_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq d}$ be a random matrix distributed with respect to $\mu_{\mathrm{U}(d)}$. Consider

$$\mathbb{E}[u_{i_1 j_1} u_{i_2 j_2} \cdots u_{i_n j_n} \overline{u_{i'_1 j'_1} u_{i'_2 j'_2} \cdots u_{i'_m j'_m}}]$$

where i_p, j_p, i'_p, j'_p are entries in $\{1, 2, \dots, d\}$. Here \mathbb{E} stands for the expectation (with respect to $\mu_{\mathrm{U}(d)}$). For example, we will compute $\mathbb{E}[u_{11} u_{22} u_{33} \overline{u_{12} u_{23} u_{31}}]$.

Fact

The expectation $\mathbb{E}[\cdots]$ vanishes unless $n = m$.

Weingarten calculus for unitary groups

Theorem (Collins, 2003)

Given four sequences

$$\mathbf{i} = (i_1, \dots, i_n), \quad \mathbf{j} = (j_1, \dots, j_n), \quad \mathbf{i}' = (i'_1, \dots, i'_n), \quad \mathbf{j}' = (j'_1, \dots, j'_n)$$

in $\{1, 2, \dots, d\}^{\times n}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbb{E} \left[u_{i_1 j_1} u_{i_2 j_2} \cdots u_{i_n j_n} \overline{u_{i'_1 j'_1} u_{i'_2 j'_2} \cdots u_{i'_n j'_n}} \right] \\ &= \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n} \sum_{\tau \in \mathfrak{S}_n} \delta_{\sigma}(\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{i}') \delta_{\tau}(\mathbf{j}, \mathbf{j}') \text{Wg}^{\text{U}}(\sigma^{-1} \tau, d). \end{aligned}$$

Here \mathfrak{S}_n is the symmetric group on $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ and

$$\delta_{\sigma}(\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{i}') = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (i_{\sigma(1)}, i_{\sigma(2)}, \dots, i_{\sigma(n)}) = (i'_1, i'_2, \dots, i'_n), \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

The function $\text{Wg}^{\text{U}}(\cdot, d)$ on \mathfrak{S}_n is given in the next slide.

Unitary Weingarten function

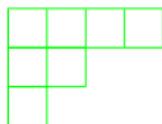
Fourier expansion of Wg^U

$$Wg^U(\sigma, d) = \frac{1}{n!} \sum_{\substack{\lambda \vdash n \\ \ell(\lambda) \leq d}} \frac{f^\lambda}{\prod_{i=1}^{\ell(\lambda)} \prod_{j=1}^{\lambda_i} (d+j-i)} \chi^\lambda(\sigma) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n).$$

- $\lambda \vdash n$: The sum runs over all partitions $\lambda = (\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_l)$ of n with length $l = \ell(\lambda)$.

$$\lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_l > 0, \quad \lambda_i \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$$

We identify λ with its **Young diagram**. Example: $(4, 2, 1) =$



- χ^λ : the (unnormalized) irreducible character of \mathfrak{S}_n associated with λ .
- f^λ : the degree of χ^λ i.e. $f^\lambda = \chi^\lambda(\text{id}_n) \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$.
- The product in the denominator runs over all boxes of the Young diagram λ . The quantity $j - i$ is called the **content** of the box (i, j) .

Example: unitary Weingarten functions

$$\text{Wg}^U(\sigma, d) = \frac{1}{n!} \sum_{\substack{\lambda \vdash n \\ \ell(\lambda) \leq d}} \frac{f^\lambda}{\prod_{i=1}^{\ell(\lambda)} \prod_{j=1}^{\lambda_i} (d+j-i)} \chi^\lambda(\sigma) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n).$$

Example

Consider $n = 3$ and $\sigma = [3, 1, 2] = \left(\frac{1}{3} \frac{2}{1} \frac{3}{2}\right) = (1 \ 3 \ 2)$. Suppose $d \geq 3$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Wg}^U([3, 1, 2], d) \\ &= \frac{1}{3!} \left(\underbrace{\frac{1}{d(d+1)(d+2)}}_{\begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline \square & \square & \square \\ \hline \end{array}} \cdot 1 + \underbrace{\frac{2}{d(d+1)(d-1)}}_{\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline \square & \square \\ \hline \end{array}} \cdot (-1) + \underbrace{\frac{1}{d(d-1)(d-2)}}_{\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \square \\ \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array}} \cdot 1 \right) \\ &= \frac{2}{d(d^2-1)(d^2-4)}. \end{aligned}$$

Here we use one-row notation for a permutation. We also use cycle expressions.

Example: Weingarten calculus for $U(d)$

Example

Let $U = (u_{ij})$ be a Haar-distributed unitary matrix from $U(d)$. Then

$$\mathbb{E}[u_{12}u_{23}u_{31}\overline{u_{11}u_{22}u_{33}}] = \frac{2}{d(d^2-1)(d^2-4)}.$$

Input $n = 3$, $\mathbf{i} = \mathbf{i}' = (1, 2, 3)$. $\mathbf{j} = (2, 3, 1)$, $\mathbf{j}' = (1, 2, 3)$.

$$\mathbb{E}[u_{12}u_{23}u_{31}\overline{u_{11}u_{22}u_{33}}] = \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_3} \sum_{\tau \in \mathfrak{S}_3} \delta_{\sigma}(\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{i}') \delta_{\tau}(\mathbf{j}, \mathbf{j}') \text{Wg}^U(\sigma^{-1}\tau, d)$$

Recall

$$\delta_{\sigma}(\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{i}') = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (i_{\sigma(1)}, i_{\sigma(2)}, \dots, i_{\sigma(n)}) = (i'_1, i'_2, \dots, i'_n), \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Only term for $\sigma = \text{id}_3$ and $\tau = [3, 1, 2]$ contributes (i.e. $\delta_{\sigma}(\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{i}')\delta_{\tau}(\mathbf{j}, \mathbf{j}') = 1$).

$$= \text{Wg}^U([3, 1, 2], d) = \frac{2}{d(d^2-1)(d^2-4)}.$$

Unitary Weingarten functions

An important invariance for $\text{Wg}^{\text{U}}(\sigma, d)$

The function $\mathfrak{S}_n \ni \sigma \mapsto \text{Wg}^{\text{U}}(\sigma, d) \in \mathbb{Q}$ is **central** (another name is **class function**). Namely,

$$\text{Wg}^{\text{U}}(\tau^{-1}\sigma\tau, d) = \text{Wg}^{\text{U}}(\sigma, d) \quad (\forall\sigma, \forall\tau \in \mathfrak{S}_n)$$

Equivalently,

- It is constant on each conjugacy class of \mathfrak{S}_n .
- It depends on only the **cycle-type** of σ (\rightarrow a partition of n).

We will see that Weingarten functions for other Lie groups $O(d)$ and $\text{Sp}(d)$ have different invariances.

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Preparations: Pair partitions

Definition

Denote by \mathcal{M}_{2n} the set of all **pair partitions** on $\{1, 2, \dots, 2n\}$.

Example

\mathcal{M}_4 consists of three elements

$$\{1, 2\}\{3, 4\}, \quad \{1, 3\}\{2, 4\}, \quad \{1, 4\}\{2, 3\}$$

Every element p in \mathcal{M}_{2n} is uniquely expressed as

$$\{p_1, p_2\}\{p_3, p_4\} \cdots \{p_{2n-1}, p_{2n}\} \\ p_{2j-1} < p_{2j} \quad (j = 1, \dots, n), \quad 1 = p_1 < p_3 < \cdots < p_{2n-1}.$$

We then regard p as a permutation in \mathfrak{S}_{2n} :

$$\mathcal{M}_{2n} \subset \mathfrak{S}_{2n}, \quad p = [p_1, p_2, \dots, p_{2n-1}, p_{2n}].$$

Preparations: Hyperoctahedral groups

Definition

Denote by $\mathfrak{B}_n \subset \mathfrak{S}_{2n}$ the **hyper-octahedral group**, which is generated by permutations

$$(2i - 1 \ 2i) \ (i = 1, 2, \dots, n), \quad (2i - 1 \ 2j - 1)(2i \ 2j) \ (1 \leq i < j \leq n).$$

Example (in cycle notation)

$$\mathfrak{B}_2 = \{\text{id}_4, \quad (1 \ 2), \quad (3 \ 4), \quad (1 \ 2)(3 \ 4), \\ (1 \ 3)(2 \ 4), \quad (1 \ 4)(2 \ 3), \quad (1 \ 3 \ 2 \ 4), \quad (1 \ 4 \ 2 \ 3)\}$$

The set \mathcal{M}_{2n} forms representatives of left cosets of \mathfrak{B}_n in \mathfrak{S}_{2n} :

$$\mathfrak{S}_{2n} = \bigsqcup_{p \in \mathcal{M}_{2n}} p\mathfrak{B}_n, \quad \text{i.e.} \quad \mathcal{M}_{2n} \cong \mathfrak{S}_{2n}/\mathfrak{B}_n$$

(Recall that $p \in \mathcal{M}_{2n}$ is regarded as a permutation in \mathfrak{S}_{2n} .)

Weingarten calculus for $O(d)$

Real orthogonal group $O(d) = \{g \in GL(d, \mathbb{R}) \mid gg^T = I_d\}$.

Theorem ((Collins-Śniady, 2006), (Collins-M, 2009))

Let $R = (r_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq d}$ be a Haar-distributed orthogonal matrix. Given two sequences $\mathbf{i} = (i_1, \dots, i_{2n})$, $\mathbf{j} = (j_1, \dots, j_{2n})$, we have

$$\mathbb{E}[r_{i_1 j_1} r_{i_2 j_2} \cdots r_{i_{2n} j_{2n}}] = \sum_{\mathfrak{p} \in \mathcal{M}_{2n}} \sum_{\mathfrak{q} \in \mathcal{M}_{2n}} \Delta_{\mathfrak{p}}(\mathbf{i}) \Delta_{\mathfrak{q}}(\mathbf{j}) Wg^O(\mathfrak{p}^{-1} \mathfrak{q}, d).$$

Here

$$\Delta_{\mathfrak{p}}(\mathbf{i}) = \prod_{\{a, b\} \in \mathfrak{p}} \delta_{i_a, i_b}.$$

Moments of odd degree $\mathbb{E}[r_{i_1 j_1} \cdots r_{i_{2n+1} j_{2n+1}}]$ always vanish.

Recall $\mathcal{M}_{2n} \subset \mathfrak{S}_{2n}$ (so $\mathfrak{p}^{-1} \mathfrak{q}$ does make sense as permutations).

The orthogonal Weingarten function $Wg^O(\cdot, d)$ on \mathfrak{S}_{2n} is described as follows.

Orthogonal Weingarten functions

In order to study $Wg^O(\cdot, d)$, we review (finite) **Gelfand pairs**.

Definition

Let G be a finite group and H its subgroup. Consider the **Hecke algebra**

$$\mathcal{H}(G, H) = \{f : G \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \mid f(\zeta_1 \sigma \zeta_2) = f(\sigma) \ (\forall \sigma \in G, \forall \zeta_1, \zeta_2 \in H)\}$$

with convolution product $(f_1 * f_2)(\sigma) = \sum_{\tau \in G} f_1(\sigma \tau^{-1}) f_2(\tau)$. The pair (G, H) is called a **Gelfand pair** if $\mathcal{H}(G, H)$ is *commutative*: $g * f = f * g$.

Fact (well known)

$(\mathfrak{S}_{2n}, \mathfrak{B}_n)$ is a Gelfand pair.

- The unitary Weingarten function $Wg^U(\cdot, d)$ belongs to the center $\mathcal{Z}\mathbb{C}[\mathfrak{S}_n] = \bigoplus_{\lambda \vdash n} \mathbb{C}\chi^\lambda$.
- The orthogonal Weingarten function $Wg^O(\cdot, d)$ belongs to the Hecke algebra

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}_n &:= \mathcal{H}(\mathfrak{S}_{2n}, \mathfrak{B}_n) \\ &= \{f : \mathfrak{S}_{2n} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \mid f(\zeta_1 \sigma \zeta_2) = f(\sigma) \ (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_{2n}, \zeta_1, \zeta_2 \in \mathfrak{B}_n)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Orthogonal Weingarten functions

- **Zonal spherical functions** ω^λ ($\lambda \vdash n$) form a linear basis of \mathcal{H}_n .

$$\omega^\lambda(\sigma) = \frac{1}{2^n n!} \sum_{\zeta \in \mathfrak{B}_n} \chi^{2\lambda}(\sigma\zeta) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_{2n}),$$

where $2\lambda = (2\lambda_1, 2\lambda_2, \dots)$. $\mathcal{H}_n = \bigoplus_{\lambda \vdash n} \mathbb{C}\omega^\lambda$.

- They are constant on each double cosets $\mathfrak{B}_n\sigma\mathfrak{B}_n$.

Theorem (Collins-M, 2009)

$$\text{Wg}^{\text{O}}(\sigma, d) = \frac{2^n n!}{(2n)!} \sum_{\substack{\lambda \vdash n \\ \ell(\lambda) \leq d}} \frac{f^{2\lambda}}{\prod_{i=1}^{\ell(\lambda)} \prod_{j=1}^{\lambda_i} (d + 2j - i - 1)} \omega^\lambda(\sigma) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_{2n}).$$

$$\text{Wg}^{\text{U}}(\sigma, d) = \frac{1}{n!} \sum_{\substack{\lambda \vdash n \\ \ell(\lambda) \leq d}} \frac{f^\lambda}{\prod_{i=1}^{\ell(\lambda)} \prod_{j=1}^{\lambda_i} (d + j - i)} \chi^\lambda(\sigma) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n).$$

Example. Weingarten calculus for $O(d)$

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Let $R = (r_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq d}$ be a Haar-distributed orthogonal matrix in $O(d)$.

Let us compute

$$\mathbb{E}[r_{11}r_{12}r_{21}r_{22}r_{32}r_{32}].$$

Input $n = 3$, $\mathbf{i} = (1, 1, 2, 2, 3, 3)$. $\mathbf{j} = (1, 2, 1, 2, 2, 2)$.

Contributions: $\mathbf{p}_1 = \{1, 2\}\{3, 4\}\{5, 6\}$ and

$$q_1 = \{1, 3\}\{2, 4\}\{5, 6\}, \quad q_2 = \{1, 3\}\{2, 5\}\{4, 6\}, \quad q_3 = \{1, 3\}\{2, 6\}\{4, 5\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[r_{11}r_{12}r_{21}r_{22}r_{32}r_{32}] &= \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathcal{M}_6} \sum_{\mathbf{q} \in \mathcal{M}_6} \Delta_{\mathbf{p}}(\mathbf{i}) \Delta_{\mathbf{q}}(\mathbf{j}) \text{Wg}^O(\mathbf{p}^{-1}\mathbf{q}, d) \\ &= \text{Wg}^O(\mathbf{p}_1^{-1}\mathbf{q}_1, d) + \text{Wg}^O(\mathbf{p}_1^{-1}\mathbf{q}_2, d) + \text{Wg}^O(\mathbf{p}_1^{-1}\mathbf{q}_3, d) \\ &= \frac{-1}{d(d+4)(d-1)(d-2)} + \frac{2}{d(d+2)(d+4)(d-1)(d-2)} \times 2 \\ &= -\frac{1}{d(d+2)(d+4)(d-1)}.\end{aligned}$$

Diagrams

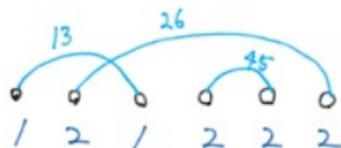
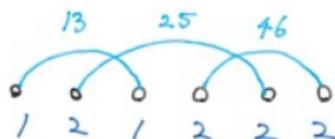
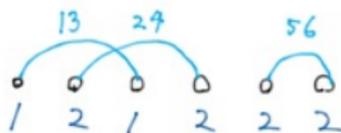
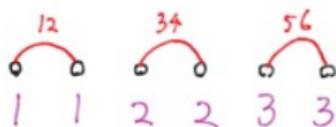
Observation

$i = (1, 1, 2, 2, 3, 3)$, $j = (1, 2, 1, 2, 2, 2)$.

If $\Delta_p(i) = \prod_{\{a,b\} \in p} \delta_{i_a, i_b} = 1$ and $\Delta_q(j) = \prod_{\{a,b\} \in q} \delta_{j_a, j_b} = 1$ then we can choose

$p_1 = \{1, 2\}\{3, 4\}\{5, 6\}$

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Symplectic groups

Consider a skew-symmetric bi-linear form on \mathbb{C}^{2d} given by

$$\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \rangle_J = \mathbf{v}^T J \mathbf{w}, \quad J = J_d = \begin{pmatrix} O_d & I_d \\ -I_d & O_d \end{pmatrix}$$

Definition ((unitary) symplectic group)

$$\mathrm{Sp}(d) = \{g \in \mathrm{U}(2d) \mid \langle g\mathbf{v}, g\mathbf{w} \rangle_J = \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \rangle_J \ (\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \in \mathbb{C}^{2d})\}.$$

Recall

$$\mathrm{O}(d) = \{g \in \mathrm{GL}(d, \mathbb{R}) \mid \langle g\mathbf{v}, g\mathbf{w} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \rangle \ (\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \in \mathbb{R}^d)\}$$

with the standard inner product $\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \rangle = \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{w}$.

Weingarten calculus for $\mathrm{Sp}(d)$

Theorem ((Collins-Stolz, 2008), (M, 2013))

Let $S = (s_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq 2d}$ be a Haar-distributed symplectic matrix. Given two sequences $\mathbf{i} = (i_1, \dots, i_{2n})$, $\mathbf{j} = (j_1, \dots, j_{2n})$,

$$\mathbb{E}[s_{i_1 j_1} s_{i_2 j_2} \cdots s_{i_{2n} j_{2n}}] = \sum_{\mathfrak{p} \in \mathcal{M}_{2n}} \sum_{\mathfrak{q} \in \mathcal{M}_{2n}} \Delta'_{\mathfrak{p}}(\mathbf{i}) \Delta'_{\mathfrak{q}}(\mathbf{j}) \mathrm{Wg}^{\mathrm{Sp}}(\mathfrak{p}^{-1} \mathfrak{q}, d).$$

Here

$$\Delta'_{\mathfrak{p}}(\mathbf{i}) = \prod_{\{a, b\} \in \mathfrak{p}} \langle \mathbf{e}_{i_a}, \mathbf{e}_{i_b} \rangle_J \in \{0, +1, -1\},$$

and $\{\mathbf{e}_1, \dots, \mathbf{e}_{2d}\}$ is a standard basis of \mathbb{C}^{2d} .

Moments of odd degree $\mathbb{E}[s_{i_1 j_1} \cdots s_{i_{2n+1} j_{2n+1}}]$ always vanish.

The symplectic Weingarten function $\mathrm{Wg}^{\mathrm{Sp}}(\cdot, d)$ on \mathfrak{S}_{2n} and \mathfrak{B}_n -twisted:

$$\mathrm{Wg}^{\mathrm{Sp}}(\zeta_1 \sigma \zeta_2, d) = \mathrm{sgn}(\zeta_1) \mathrm{sgn}(\zeta_2) \mathrm{Wg}^{\mathrm{Sp}}(\sigma, d) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_{2n}, \zeta_1, \zeta_2 \in \mathfrak{B}_n).$$

It is described by using the theory of a **twisted Gelfand pair**.

Comparison of three Weingarten functions

Unitary	Orthogonal	Symplectic
\mathfrak{S}_n	$\mathcal{M}_{2n}, (\mathfrak{S}_{2n}, \mathfrak{B}_n)$	$\mathcal{M}_{2n}, (\mathfrak{S}_{2n}, \mathfrak{B}_n, \text{sgn} _{\mathfrak{B}_n})$
center $\mathcal{Z}(\mathbb{C}[\mathfrak{S}_n])$	Hecke algebra \mathcal{H}_n	twisted Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}_n^{\epsilon_n}$
irr. char. χ^λ	zonal spherical ω^λ	twisted spherical π^λ
central	\mathfrak{B}_n-invariant	\mathfrak{B}_n-twisted

\mathcal{M}_{2n} : pair partitions, \mathfrak{B}_n : hyperoctahedral subgroup.

$$\text{Wg}^{\text{U}}(\sigma, d) = \frac{1}{n!} \sum_{\lambda \vdash n} \frac{f^\lambda}{\prod_{i=1}^{\ell(\lambda)} \prod_{j=1}^{\lambda_i} (d+j-i)} \chi^\lambda(\sigma) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n).$$

$$\text{Wg}^{\text{O}}(\sigma, d) = \frac{2^n n!}{(2n)!} \sum_{\lambda \vdash n} \frac{f^{2\lambda}}{\prod_{i=1}^{\ell(\lambda)} \prod_{j=1}^{\lambda_i} (d+2j-i-1)} \omega^\lambda(\sigma) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_{2n}).$$

$$\text{Wg}^{\text{Sp}}(\sigma, d) = \frac{2^n n!}{(2n)!} \sum_{\lambda \vdash n} \frac{f^{\lambda \cup \lambda}}{\prod_{i=1}^{\ell(\lambda)} \prod_{j=1}^{\lambda_i} (2d-2i+j+1)} \pi^\lambda(\sigma) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_{2n}).$$

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COE matrix

Let U be a $d \times d$ Haar-distributed unitary matrix picked up from $U(d)$. Then we call

$$V = UU^T$$

a **COE matrix**. (Note: U itself is also called a CUE matrix (circular unitary ensemble).)

An ensemble of such V is well known as the **circular orthogonal ensemble (COE)**. The random matrix V is **symmetric and unitary**, and has invariance

$$U_0 V U_0^T \stackrel{\text{dist}}{=} V \quad \text{for any } d \times d \text{ unitary matrix } U_0.$$

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Aim

- 1 We establish Weingarten calculus for a COE matrix.
- 2 We explain how the COE matrix arises from a framework of the compact symmetric space (CSS) $U(d)/O(d)$.
- 3 We consider random matrices associated with other CSS.

Theorem (M, 2012)

Let $V = (v_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq d}$ be a COE matrix. For two sequences $\mathbf{i} = (i_1, i_2, \dots, i_{2n})$ and $\mathbf{j} = (j_1, j_2, \dots, j_{2n})$, we have

$$\mathbb{E}[v_{i_1 i_2} v_{i_3 i_4} \cdots v_{i_{2n-1} i_{2n}} \overline{v_{j_1 j_2} v_{j_3 j_4} \cdots v_{j_{2n-1} j_{2n}}}] = \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_{2n}} \delta_{\sigma}(\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{j}) \text{Wg}^{\text{COE}}(\sigma, d).$$

The Weingarten function $\text{Wg}^{\text{COE}}(\sigma, d)$ coincides with the orthogonal Weingarten function with a parameter shift:

$$\text{Wg}^{\text{COE}}(\sigma, d) = \text{Wg}^{\text{O}}(\sigma, d + 1) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_{2n}).$$

Moments of the form $\mathbb{E}[v_{i_1 i_2} v_{i_3 i_4} \cdots v_{i_{2n-1} i_{2n}} \overline{v_{j_1 j_2} v_{j_3 j_4} \cdots v_{j_{2m-1} j_{2m}}}]$ with $n \neq m$ always vanish.

Note:

- Different from Lie group cases, the formula includes a single summation.

Compact symmetric spaces

G : a compact linear Lie group (We deal with only either $U(d)$, $O(d)$, or $Sp(d)$).
 $\Omega : G \rightarrow G$: an involutive automorphism (called a Cartan involution),
 $K = \{k \in G \mid \Omega(k) = k\}$.

$$G/K \cong \mathcal{S} := \{g \Omega(g)^{-1} \mid g \in G\} \subset G.$$

We take a Haar-distributed random matrix Z from G , and then consider an \mathcal{S} -valued random matrix

$$V := Z \Omega(Z)^{-1}$$

associated with the compact symmetric space G/K .

Example (COE)

$G = U(d)$, $K = O(d)$, $\Omega(g) = \bar{g}$.

$$U(d)/O(d) \cong \mathcal{S} = \{gg^T \mid g \in U(d)\} = \{d \times d \text{ symmetric unitary matrices}\}.$$

The random matrix $V = U\Omega(U)^{-1} = UU^T$ is a COE matrix.

Classification for CSS

Classical CSS are classified by E. Cartan (1927) as follows.

Class \mathcal{C}	CSS	random matrix
A I	$U(d)/O(d)$	circular orthogonal ensemble (COE)
A II	$U(2d)/Sp(d)$	circular symplectic ensemble (CSE)
A III	$U(d)/(U(a) \times U(b))$	chiral unitary ensemble (chUE)
BD I	$O(d)/(O(a) \times O(b))$	chiral orthogonal ensemble (chOE)
C II	$Sp(d)/(Sp(a) \times Sp(b))$ $(d = a + b)$	chiral symplectic ensemble (chSE)
D III	$O(2d)/U(d)$	Bogoliubov-de Gennes (BdG) ensemble
C I	$Sp(d)/U(d)$	

For each CSS, we have a matrix ensemble.

Theorem (M, 2013)

We have established Weingarten calculus for all of them, with an explicit Fourier expansion for each Weingarten function.

A III case – chiral unitary ensembles (chUE)

$$G = U(d), K = U(a) \times U(b), d = a + b.$$

$$\Omega(g) = I'_{ab} g I'_{ab}, \quad I'_{ab} = \text{diag}(\underbrace{1, \dots, 1}_a, \underbrace{-1, \dots, -1}_b) = \begin{pmatrix} I_a & O \\ O & -I_b \end{pmatrix}.$$

For a Haar-distributed unitary matrix U from $G = U(d)$, we consider a **Hermitian and unitary** random matrix

$$X = X^{\text{A III}} = UI'_{ab}U^*$$

rather than $V = U\Omega(U)^{-1} = UI'_{ab}U^*I'_{ab}$. The matrix X is called a **chiral unitary matrix**, or a random matrix of class **A III**.

Recall the Schur symmetric polynomial

$$s_\lambda(x_1, \dots, x_d) = \frac{\det(x_j^{\lambda_i + d - i})_{1 \leq i, j \leq d}}{\det(x_j^{d - i})_{1 \leq i, j \leq d}}$$

for partitions λ . This is a character for an irreducible representation of $U(d)$.

Weingarten calculus for chiral unitary matrix

Theorem (M, 2013)

Let $X = (x_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq d}$ be a chiral unitary matrix from $U(a+b)/(U(a) \times U(b))$. For two sequences $\mathbf{i} = (i_1, i_2, \dots, i_n)$ and $\mathbf{j} = (j_1, j_2, \dots, j_n)$, we have

$$\mathbb{E}[x_{i_1 j_1} x_{i_2 j_2} \cdots x_{i_n j_n}] = \sum_{\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n} \delta_{\sigma}(\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{j}) \text{Wg}^{\text{AIII}}(\sigma, a, b).$$

The Weingarten function $\text{Wg}^{\text{AIII}}(\sigma, a, b)$ ($\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n$) has the Fourier expansion

$$\text{Wg}^{\text{AIII}}(\sigma, a, b) = \frac{1}{n!} \sum_{\lambda \vdash n} f^{\lambda} \frac{s_{\lambda}(\overbrace{1, \dots, 1}^a, \overbrace{-1, \dots, -1}^b)}{s_{\lambda}(\overbrace{1, \dots, 1}^{d=a+b})} \chi^{\lambda}(\sigma) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n).$$

- Different from Weingarten function appeared so far, this Weingarten function Wg^{AIII} has two parameters a, b .

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Weingarten graph for $U(d)$

Joint work with Benoît Collins (2017)

Our goal is to reformulate various Weingarten functions via a *Weingarten graph*.

Definition (Weingarten graph for unitary groups)

We define an infinite directed graph $\mathcal{G}^U = (V, E^{\text{red}} \sqcup E^{\text{blue}})$ as follows.

- Vertex set V . $V = \bigsqcup_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathfrak{S}_n$ with $\mathfrak{S}_0 = \{\emptyset\}$. We call the vertex \emptyset the root.
- **Red edges.** (keep level)

$$\mathfrak{S}_n \ni \sigma \longleftrightarrow \tau \in \mathfrak{S}_n : \exists \text{ transposition } (i \ n) \text{ such that } \tau = (i \ n)\sigma.$$

- **Blue edges.** (lower level)

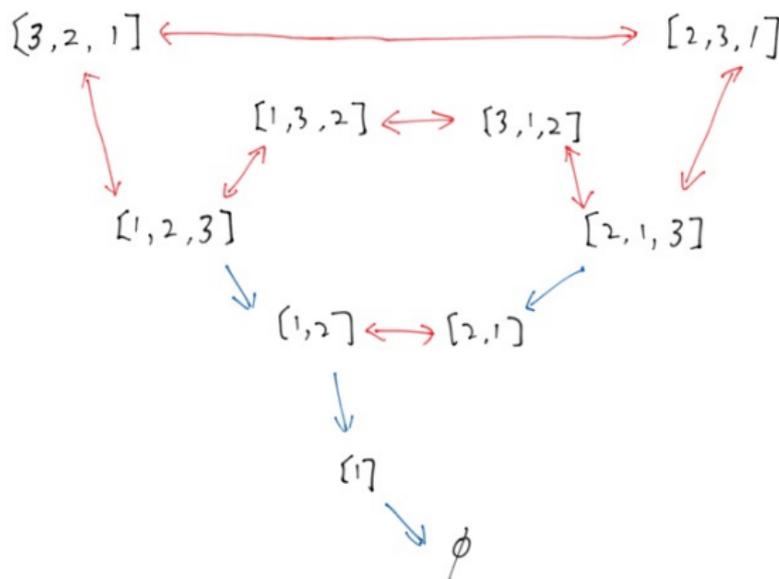
$$\mathfrak{S}_n \ni \sigma \longrightarrow \sigma' \in \mathfrak{S}_{n-1}$$

if

- the letter n is fixed by σ ;
- $\sigma' \in \mathfrak{S}_{n-1}$ is obtained from σ by removing the trivial cycle (n) .

Weingarten graph for $U(d)$

A part of Weingarten graph.



- $[3, 2, 1] \longleftrightarrow [2, 3, 1]$: they are switched by the transposition $(2\ 3)$.
- $[2, 1, 3] \rightarrow [2, 1]$: the letter 3 is fixed in $[2, 1, 3]$, and erasing 3 in it we obtain $[2, 1]$.

Asymptotics for $U(d)$

Theorem (Collins-M, 2017)

Let $\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n$ and let $p(\sigma, k)$ be the number of paths from σ to \emptyset going through exactly k red edges on the Weingarten graph \mathcal{G}^U . Assume $d \geq n$. Then

$$\text{Wg}^U(\sigma, d) = (-1)^{|\sigma|} \sum_{j \geq 0} p(\sigma, |\sigma| + 2j) d^{-(n+|\sigma|+2j)}.$$

Here $|\sigma| = n - \ell(\mu)$, where $\ell(\mu)$ is the length of the cycle-type μ of σ .

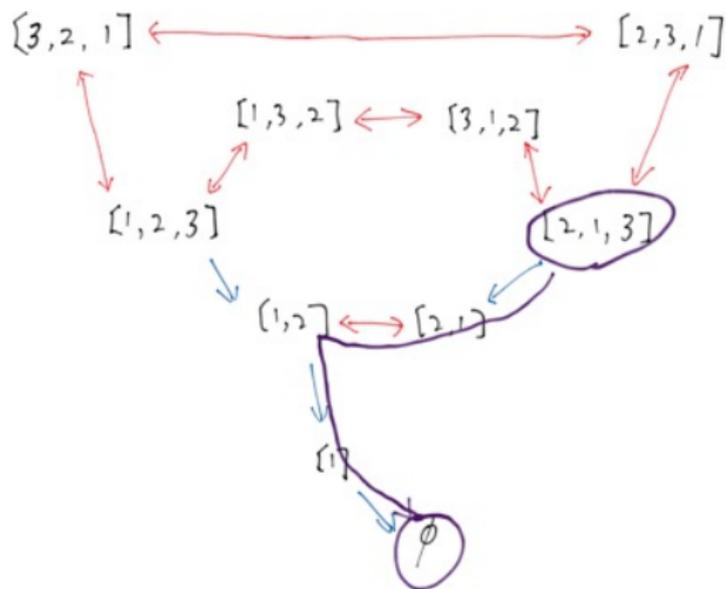
Example

Consider $\sigma = [2, 1, 3] \in \mathfrak{S}_3$. Then $|\sigma| = 1$.

$$\text{Wg}^U([2, 1, 3], d) = - \left(p([2, 1, 3], 1) d^{-4} + p([2, 1, 3], 3) d^{-6} + \dots \right).$$

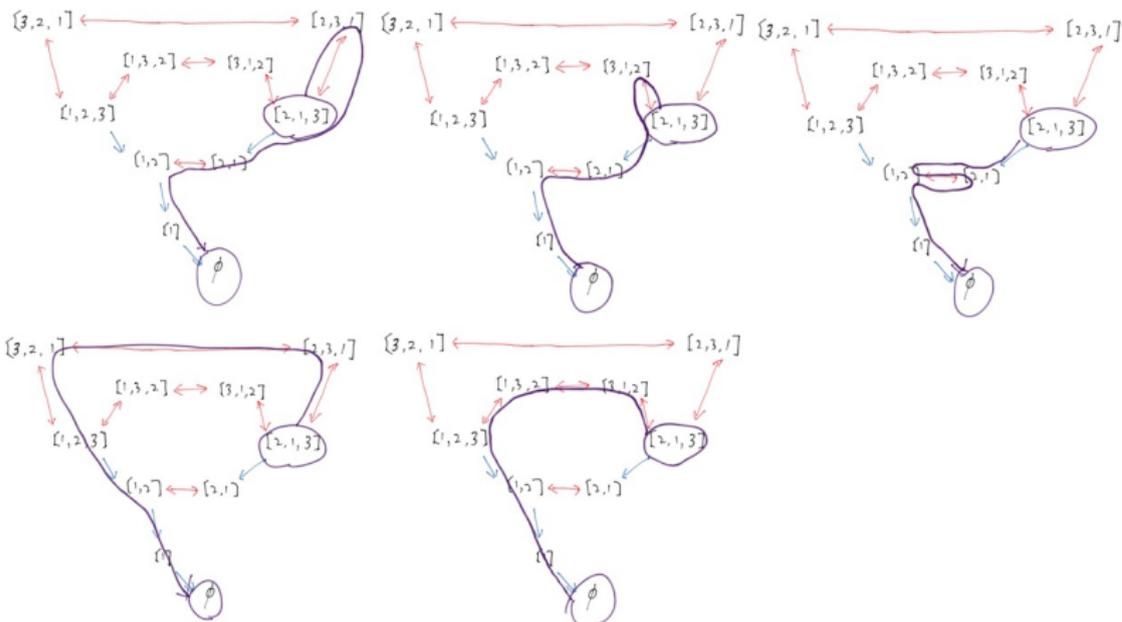
Let us compute the coefficients $p([2, 1, 3], 1)$ and $p([2, 1, 3], 3)$.

$$p([2, 1, 3], 1) = 1$$



$p([2, 1, 3], 1)$ is the number of path(s) from $[2, 1, 3]$ to \emptyset going through red edge(s) **exactly 1 time** on the Weingarten graph.

$$p([2, 1, 3], 3) = 5$$



$p([2, 1, 3], 3)$ is the number of paths from $[2, 1, 3]$ to \emptyset going through red edges **exactly 3 times** on the Weingarten graph.

$$\text{Wg}^U([2, 1, 3], d) = -(1d^{-4} + 5d^{-6} + \dots).$$

Uniform bound for Wg^U

It is well known that

$$p(\sigma, |\sigma|) = \prod_{i=1}^{\ell(\mu)} \text{Cat}(\mu_j - 1)$$

with Catalan numbers $\text{Cat}(n) = \frac{1}{n+1} \binom{2n}{n}$.

Theorem (Collins-M, 2017)

For any $\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n$ and nonnegative integer j , we have

$$(n-1)^j p(\sigma, |\sigma|) \leq p(\sigma, |\sigma| + 2j) \leq (6n^{7/2})^j p(\sigma, |\sigma|).$$

Corollary

For any $\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n$ and $d > \sqrt{6}n^{7/4}$,

$$\frac{1}{1 - \frac{n-1}{d^2}} \leq \frac{(-1)^{|\sigma|} d^{n+|\sigma|} Wg^U(\sigma, d)}{p(\sigma, |\sigma|)} \leq \frac{1}{1 - \frac{6n^{7/2}}{d^2}}.$$

Connection to monotone factorizations

The expansion

$$\text{Wg}^U(\sigma, d) = (-1)^{|\sigma|} \sum_{j \geq 0} p(\sigma, |\sigma| + 2j) d^{-(n+|\sigma|+2j)}.$$

is equivalent to the result in [M-Novak (2013)].

Definition (Monotone factorizations)

Let σ be a permutation in \mathfrak{S}_n . A sequence $f = (\tau_1, \dots, \tau_k)$ of k transpositions is called a **monotone factorization** of length k for σ if:

- $\tau_i = (s_i, t_i)$ with $1 \leq s_i < t_i \leq n$;
- $\sigma = \tau_1 \tau_2 \cdots \tau_k$;
- $n \geq t_1 \geq t_2 \geq \cdots \geq t_k \geq 1$ (monotonicity).

Example

$$f = ((3, 5), (2, 5), (2, 4), (1, 2))$$

is a monotone factorization of length 4 of $\sigma = [4, 1, 5, 3, 2]$.

Connection to monotone factorizations

Proposition

The number of monotone factorizations of length k for σ is equal to $p(\sigma, k)$. Specifically, we have one-to-one correspondence between the following two objects:

- monotone factorizations of length k for σ ;
- paths from σ to \emptyset going through k red edges on the Weingarten graph \mathcal{G}^U .

Example

$$\begin{aligned} & \bullet \\ & [4, 1, 5, 3, 2] \xrightarrow{(3,5)} [4, 1, 3, 5, 2] \xrightarrow{(2,5)} [4, 1, 3, 2, 5] \longrightarrow [4, 1, 3, 2] \\ & \xrightarrow{(2,4)} [2, 1, 3, 4] \longrightarrow [2, 1, 3] \longrightarrow [2, 1] \xrightarrow{(1,2)} [1, 2] \longrightarrow [1] \longrightarrow \emptyset. \end{aligned}$$

$$\bullet \quad f = ((3, 5), (2, 5), (2, 4), (1, 2))$$

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Chiral unitary matrix – class A III

Let us consider the compact symmetric space $U(d)/(U(a) \times U(b))$, with $d = a + b$, of class A III again. The corresponding random matrix is, the **chiral unitary matrix**, which is a unitary and Hermitian matrix given by

$$X = (x_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq d} := U \cdot \begin{pmatrix} I_a & O \\ O & -I_b \end{pmatrix} \cdot U^*,$$

where U is a $d \times d$ Haar-distributed unitary matrix.

(Recall the Fourier expansion for $Wg^{A III}$.)

We now change the parameters

$$d = a + b, \quad e = a - b \quad \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

The corresponding Weingarten function

$$Wg^{A III}(\sigma, d, e) = \frac{1}{n!} \sum_{\lambda \vdash n} f^\lambda \frac{s_\lambda(\overbrace{1, \dots, 1}^{(d+e)/2}, \overbrace{-1, \dots, -1}^{(d-e)/2})}{s_\lambda(\underbrace{1, \dots, 1}_d)} \chi^\lambda(\sigma) \quad (\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n).$$

is a class function on a symmetric space \mathfrak{S}_n . Suppose $d \geq n$.

Weingarten graph for A III

Definition (Weingarten graph for A III)

We define an infinite directed graph $\mathcal{G}^{\text{A III}} = (V, E^{\text{red}} \sqcup E^{\text{blue}} \sqcup E^{\text{green}})$ as follows.

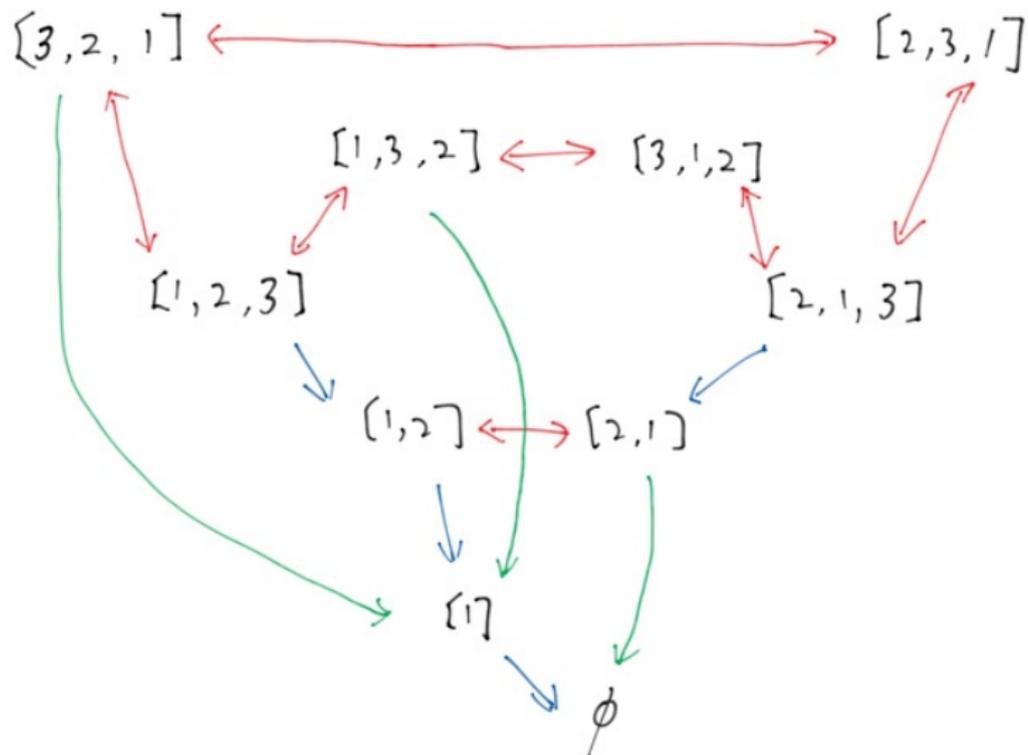
- Vertex set V . $V = \bigsqcup_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathfrak{S}_n$.
- **Red edges** and **Blue edges** are the same with the unitary case.
- **green edges**. (lower the level by two)

$$\mathfrak{S}_n \ni \sigma \xrightarrow{\text{green}} \sigma^b \in \mathfrak{S}_{n-2}$$

if

- the letter n belongs to a 2-cycle $(j \ n)$ of σ ;
- $\sigma^b \in \mathfrak{S}_{n-2}$ is obtained by removing the 2-cycle $(j \ n)$ from σ and by shifting letters $1, 2, \dots, \hat{j}, \dots, n-1$ to $1, 2, \dots, n-2$ while keeping order.

Weingarten graph for A III



Asymptotics for Wg^{AIII}

Theorem (Collins-M, 2017)

Let $\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n$. Assume $d \geq n$. Then

$$Wg^{AIII}(\sigma, d, e) = \sum_{p: \sigma \rightarrow \emptyset} (-1)^{\text{red}(p)} e^{\text{blue}(p)} d^{-(\text{red}(p) + \text{blue}(p) + \text{green}(p))}$$

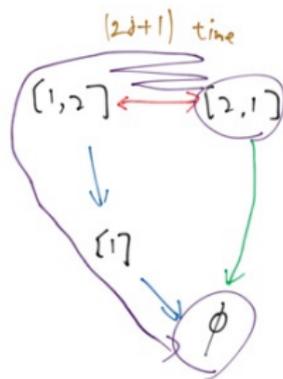
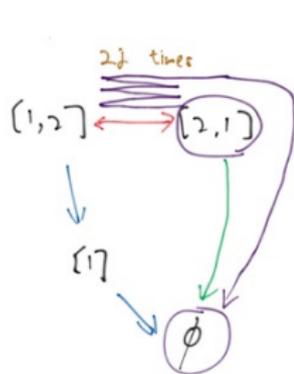
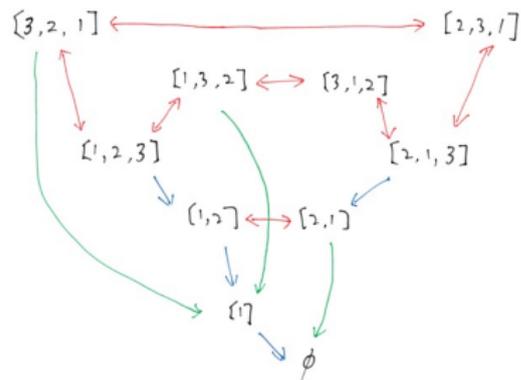
summed over all paths from σ to \emptyset on \mathcal{G}^{AIII} . Here $\text{red}/\text{blue}/\text{green}(p)$ stands for the number of the edges in p with the color.

Example

Let $X = (x_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq d} = U I_{ab} U^*$ be a chiral unitary matrix. Put $e = a - b$. Take $\sigma = [2, 1] \in \mathfrak{S}_2$.

$$\begin{aligned} Wg^{AIII}([2, 1], d, e) &= \mathbb{E}[x_{12}x_{21}] = \mathbb{E}[|x_{12}|^2] \\ &= \sum_{p: [2, 1] \rightarrow \emptyset} (-1)^{\text{red}(p)} e^{\text{blue}(p)} d^{-(\text{red}(p) + \text{blue}(p) + \text{green}(p))} \end{aligned}$$

Paths from $\sigma = [2, 1]$



Example

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Wg}^{\text{AIII}}([2, 1], d, e) &= \sum_{p: \sigma \rightarrow \emptyset} (-1)^{\text{red}(p)} e^{\text{blue}(p)} d^{-(\text{red}(p) + \text{blue}(p) + \text{green}(p))} \\
 &= \sum_{j \geq 0} (-1)^{2j} e^0 d^{-(2j+0+1)} + \sum_{j \geq 0} (-1)^{2j+1} e^2 d^{-(2j+1+2+0)} \\
 &= \frac{d^2 - e^2}{d(d^2 - 1)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Thank you!

Let's enjoy Weingarten calculus together.

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