

# 1) Hopf alg.

$k$ : field

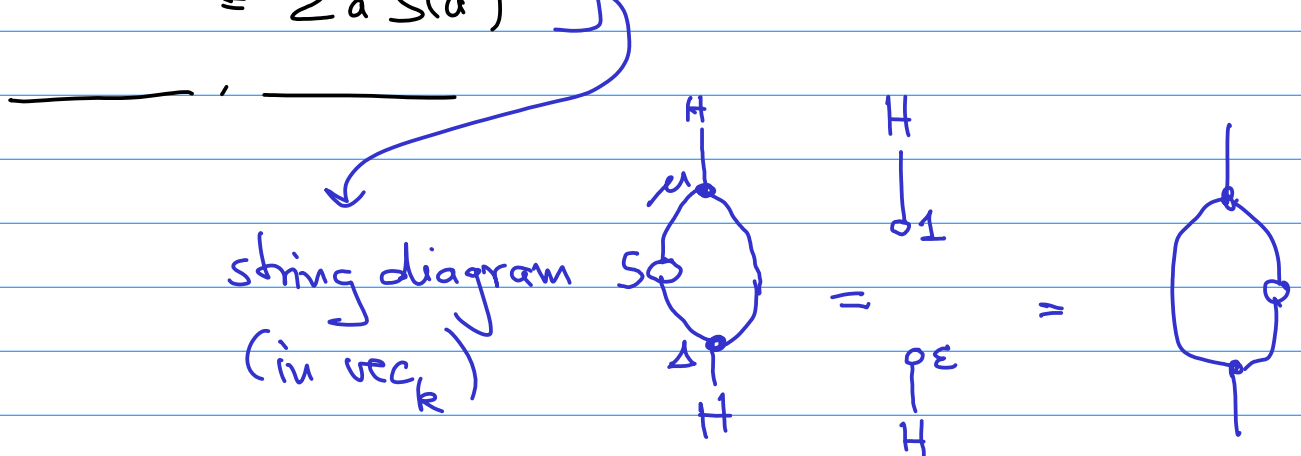
Def Hopf alg  $H$  is

- unital assoc.  $k$ -alg
  - $\Delta: H \rightarrow H \otimes H$  coproduct (coassoc.)
  - $\varepsilon: H \rightarrow k$  counit
  - $S: H \rightarrow H$  antipode
- s.t.  $\forall a \in H$ :

$$\sum S(a')a'' = \varepsilon(a) \cdot 1$$

$$= \sum a'S(a'')$$

alg. hom.  $\left. \begin{array}{l} \Delta(ab) = \Delta(a)\Delta(b) \\ \Delta(a) = \sum a' \otimes a'' \\ \Delta(a)\Delta(b) = \sum a'b' \otimes a''b'' \end{array} \right\}$



Prop  $S$  is an alg. antihom.

$$S(ab) = S(b)S(a)$$

## Examples

- 1) group alg.  $k[G]$   $G$ : finite group
- $\uparrow$   $k$ -v.sp. with basis  $G$
- $\{e_g\}_{g \in G}$

$$e_g \cdot e_h = e_{g \cdot h}$$

$$\Delta(e_g) = e_g \otimes e_g \quad \varepsilon(e_g) = 1$$

$$S(e_g) = e_{g^{-1}} \quad \leadsto \text{cocomm.}$$

2) function alg  $\text{Fun}(G, k)$   $\varphi, \psi \in \text{Fun}(G, k)$

$$(\varphi \cdot \psi)(g) := \varphi(g) \psi(g) \quad \leadsto \text{comm.}$$

$$1(g) = 1$$

$$(\Delta(\varphi))(g, h) := \varphi(gh) \quad \varepsilon(\varphi) = \varphi(e)$$

$$S(\varphi) := (g \mapsto \varphi(g^{-1}))$$

$\swarrow$  for  $G$  finite

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Fun}(G, k) \otimes \text{Fun}(G, k) &\xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Fun}(G \times G, k) \\ \varphi \otimes \psi &\mapsto (g, h) \mapsto \varphi(g) \psi(h) \end{aligned}$$

$$\underbrace{\sum S(\varphi') \varphi''}_{\quad} = \varepsilon(\varphi) \cdot 1$$

$$\varphi \in \text{Fun}(G, k)$$

$$\left( \sum S(\varphi') \cdot \varphi'' \right)(g) = \sum \underbrace{(S(\varphi'))(g)}_{= \varphi'(g^{-1})} \varphi''(g)$$

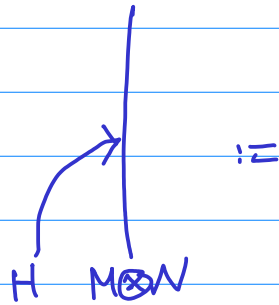
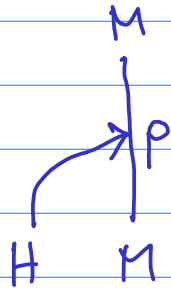
$$= \Delta(\varphi)(g^{-1}, g) = \varphi(g^{-1}g) = \varphi(e) = \varepsilon(\varphi)$$

$$g \mapsto \varepsilon(\varphi)$$

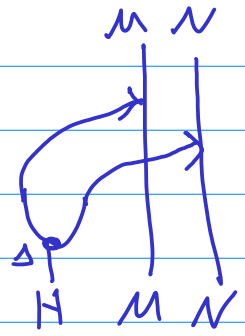
$$\varepsilon(\varphi) \cdot 1$$



sh. diag.



$\cong$



$$(f, g) \longmapsto f \otimes_k g$$

Is an isomorphism:

$$\forall h \in H, m \in M, n \in N,$$

$$\begin{aligned} (f \otimes g)(h \cdot (m \otimes n)) &= \sum (f \otimes g)(h'_{im} \otimes h''_n) \\ &= \sum \underbrace{f(h'_{im})}_{f(h'_{im})} \otimes \underbrace{g(h''_n)}_{g(h''_n)} = h \cdot (f(m) \otimes g(n)) \\ &= h \cdot (f \otimes g)(m \otimes n) \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

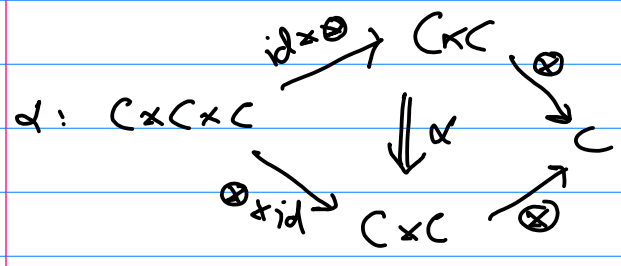
## 2) Monoidal cat.

Def: A monoidal cat. is  $(C, \otimes, 1, \alpha, \lambda, \rho)$

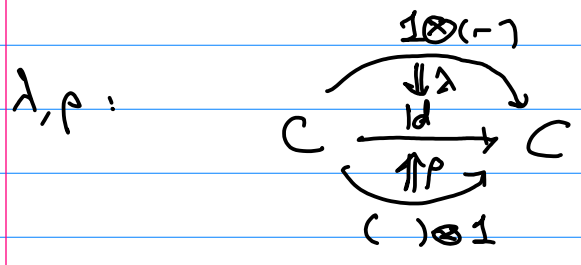
$C$ : cat

$\otimes : C \times C \rightarrow C$  functor,  $1 \in C$

E.g.  $H$ -mod,  $M \otimes N$  as before  
 $1 = k$  with action  $x \in k, h \in H$   
 $h \cdot x := \varepsilon(h)x$



$$\alpha_{u,v,w} : u \otimes (v \otimes w) \xrightarrow{\sim} (u \otimes v) \otimes w$$



$$\lambda_u : 1 \otimes u \xrightarrow{\sim} u$$

$$\rho_u : u \otimes 1 \xrightarrow{\sim} u$$

E.g.  $H$ -mod  $\alpha$  is from  $vec_k$   
 $\lambda, \rho$   $\parallel$

$$\lambda_M : k \otimes_k M \rightarrow M$$

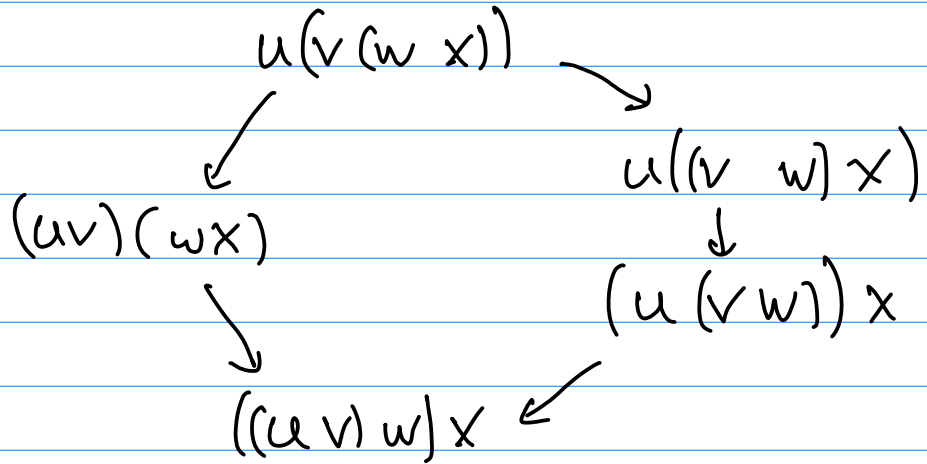
$$x \otimes m \mapsto xm$$

intertw.  $\lambda_M(h \cdot (x \otimes m))$   
 $= h'x \otimes h''m$

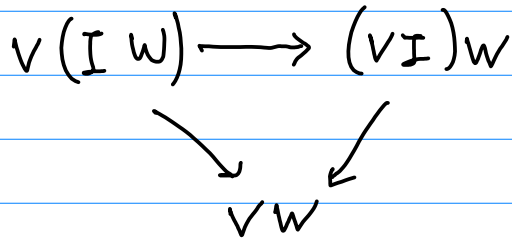
$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \varepsilon(h')x \otimes h'm \\
 &= x \otimes h'm \\
 \lambda_M(x \otimes h.m) &= x h.m = h.(xm) \\
 &= h. \lambda_M(x \otimes m) \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

s.th.

Pentagon



Triangle



Prop H-mod is a mon. cat.

$$\left( \left( \left( X_1 \ 1 \right) X_2 \right) \left( \left( X_3 \ 1 \right) \left( 1 \ X_4 \right) \ X_5 \right) \right) X_6 \right) 1$$

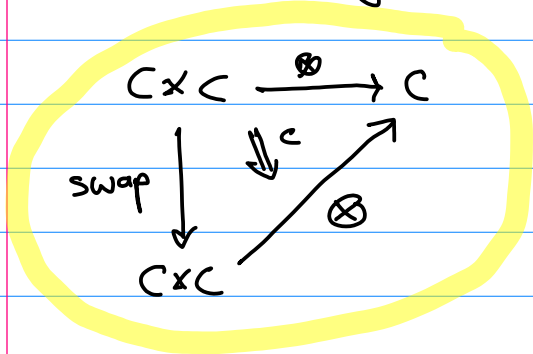
$\alpha, \lambda, \rho$

MacLane  
coherence thm.

$$\left( \left( 1 \ 1 \right) \left( X_1 \ 1 \right) X_2 \right) \left( X_3 \ X_4 \right) \left( X_5 \ 1 \right) X_6$$

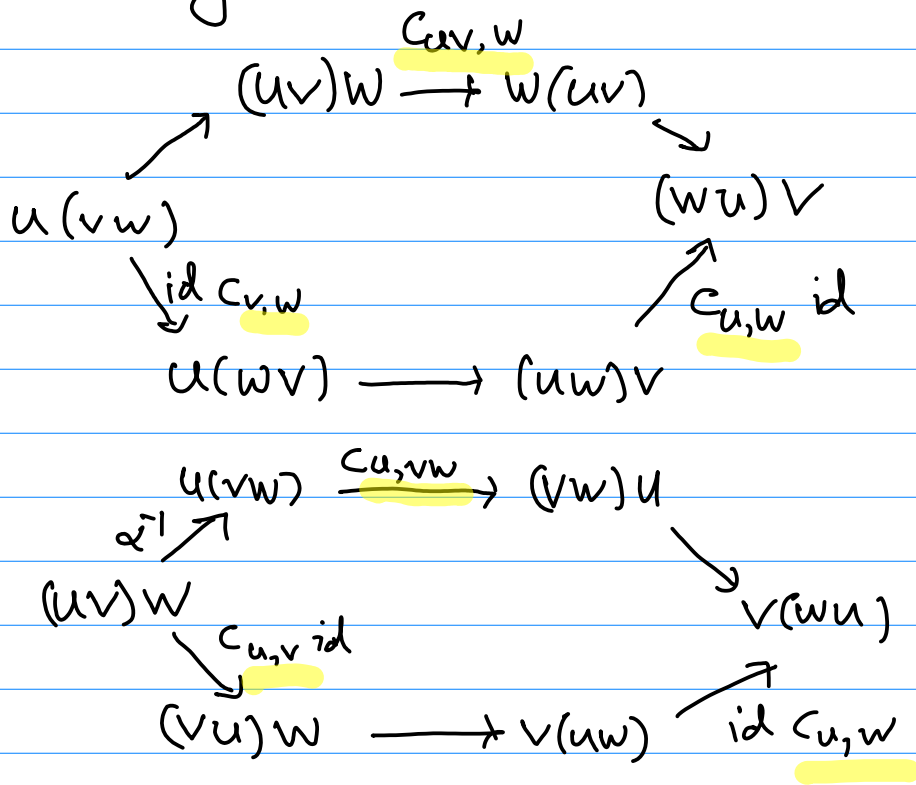
### 3) Braided mon. cat.

Def: A braiding on a mon. cat. is a nat iso.



$$c_{u,v} : u \otimes v \xrightarrow{\sim} v \otimes u$$

s.t. two hexagons hold





E.g.  $H$ -mod:

Want  $M \otimes_k N \longrightarrow N \otimes_k M$

Try 1  $\tau_{M,N} : M \otimes_k N \rightarrow N \otimes_k M$   
 $m \otimes n \mapsto n \otimes m$

Intertw. ?  $\tau_{M,N}(h \cdot (m \otimes n))$   
 $= \sum h' m \otimes h'' n$   
 $= \sum h'' n \otimes h' m \quad (**)$

$$h \cdot \tau(m \otimes n) = \sum h' n \otimes h'' m \quad (***)$$

Choose  $M = N = H \leftarrow h, a \in H \quad h \cdot a = h \circ a$   
 $m = 1 \in H, n = 1$   $\begin{matrix} H \\ H \end{matrix}$

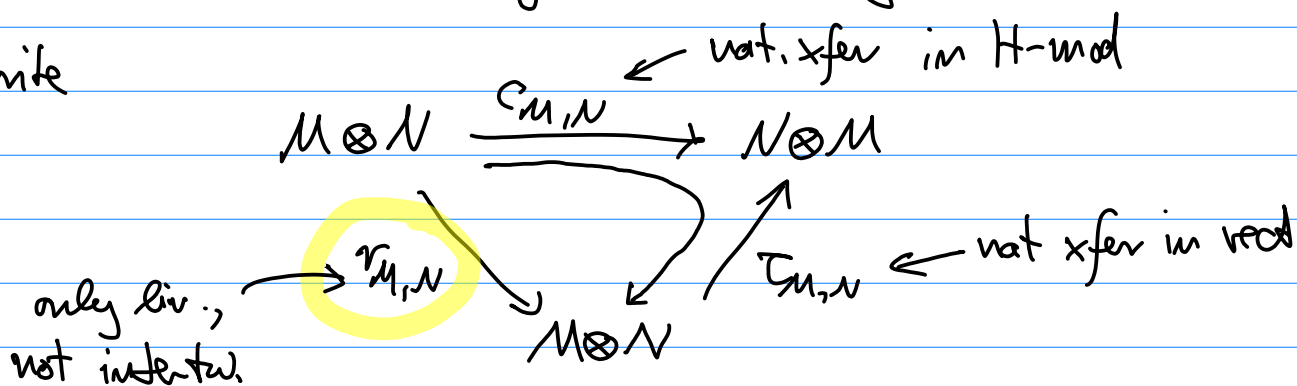
$$(**) = \sum h'' \otimes h' = \Delta^{\text{op}}(h)$$

$$(***) = \Delta(h)$$

$\leadsto$  would need  $H$  cocomm.

Try 2 Suppose we are given braiding  $c$  on  $H$ -mod.

Write



$r_{M,N}$ ?

$$r_{H,H} : H \otimes H \longrightarrow H \otimes H$$

$$1 \otimes 1 \longmapsto R$$

$$c_{H,H}(1 \otimes 1) = \tau(R) = R_{21}$$

$$R = \sum_i R_i^1 \otimes R_i^2$$

$$R_{21} = \sum_i R_i^2 \otimes R_i^1$$

let  $M, N$  be in  $H$ -mod.

let  $m \in M, n \in N$

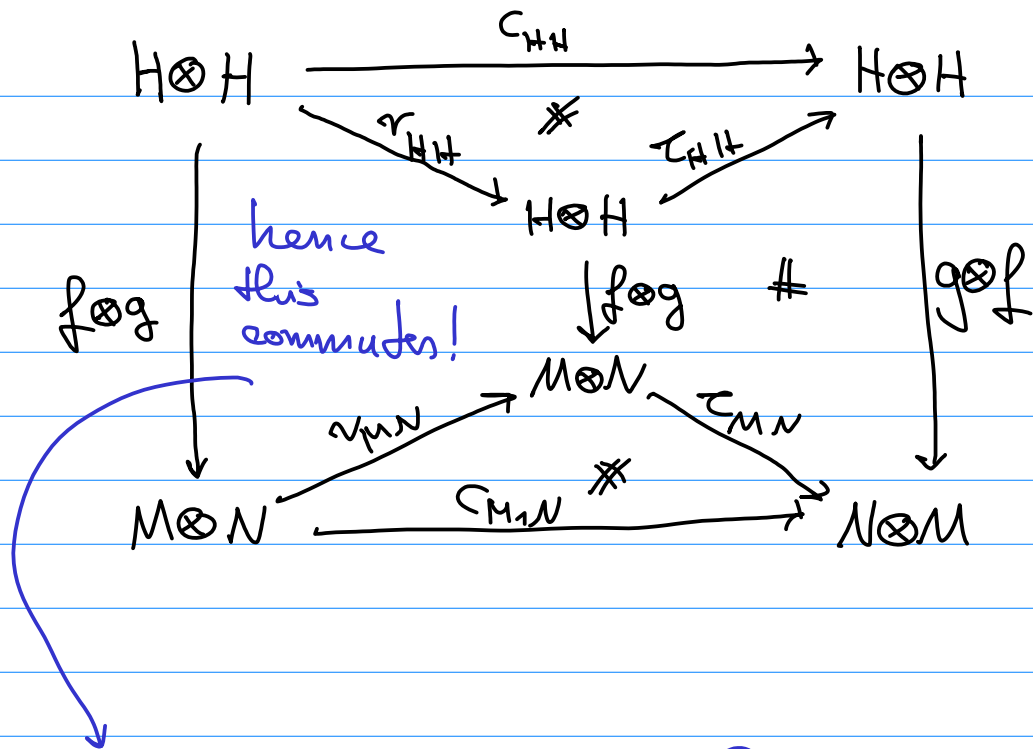
$$f : H \longrightarrow M$$

$$h \longmapsto h.m$$

$$g : H \longrightarrow N$$

$$h \longmapsto h.n$$

are interdw.



$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 1 \otimes 1 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & R = \sum R^i \otimes R^j \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 f(1) \otimes g(1) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \sum f(R^i) \otimes g(R^j) \\
 = m \otimes n & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \sum_{i,j} R^i \otimes R^j \\
 & & \text{with } R^i \otimes R^j \text{ }
 \end{array}$$

$$(*) \quad f(R^i) = f(R^i \cdot 1) = R^i \cdot f(1) = R^i \cdot m$$

Thus:  $r_{m,n}(m \otimes n) = R \cdot (m \otimes n)$

braiding is:  $c_{m,n}(m \otimes n) = \sum R_{2,n} \otimes R_{1,m}$

Def: A quasi-triangular Hopf alg is a Hopf alg. together with an R-matrix  $R \in H \otimes H$  s.th.

CMN is iso & invariant

- $R$  is invertible,  $\forall h: \Delta^p(h) = R \Delta(h) R^{-1}$
- $(\Delta \otimes \text{id})(R) = R_{13} R_{23} = \sum_{i,j} R_i^1 \otimes R_j^1 \otimes R_i^2 R_j^2$
- $(\text{id} \otimes \Delta)(R) = R_{13} R_{12}$

[ Prop  $H$  q.tr. H.alg  $\Rightarrow H$ -mod br. mod. with braiding  $(\neq)$ .

Prop If  $c$  is a braiding on  $H$ -mod, then  $\exists$  R-matrix  $R \in H \otimes H$  s.th.

$$c_{M,N}(m \otimes n) = \sum R_n^2 \otimes R_n^1 \quad (\neq)$$

E.g:

• group alg  $k[G]$   $\Delta(e_g) = e_g \otimes e_g = \Delta^p(e_g)$

Can choose  $R = 1 \otimes 1$

[ Criterion for non-existence of R-matrix: Find two  $H$ -mod.  $M, N$  s.th.  $M \otimes N \not\cong N \otimes M$  as  $H$ -mod.

$\triangle \exists H \text{ s.t. } M \otimes N \simeq N \otimes M \text{ for all } H\text{-mod } M, N$   
 but  $H\text{-mod}$  not braided

- function alg  $\text{Fun}(G, k)$  Ex braiding on  $H\text{-mod}$  exists iff  $G$  abelian.  
 so: let  $G$  be abelian

pick  $\gamma: G \times G \rightarrow k$  bihom.

$$R = \sum_{g, h \in G} \gamma(g, h) \delta_g \otimes \delta_h$$

$$\delta_g: G \rightarrow k$$

$$h \mapsto \begin{cases} 1 & : g=h \\ 0 & : \text{else} \end{cases}$$

•  $U_q \mathfrak{sl}_2$

A pivotal element  $g \in \bar{U}_q \mathfrak{sl}_2$  is given by  $g := K$ , and an  $R$ -matrix  $R \in \bar{U}_q \mathfrak{sl}_2 \otimes \bar{U}_q \mathfrak{sl}_2$  is given by

$$R := \frac{1}{r} \sum_{a, b, c=0}^{r-1} \frac{\{1\}^a}{[a]!} q^{\frac{a(a-1)}{2} - 2bc} K^b E^a \otimes K^c F^a.$$

A ribbon element  $v \in \bar{U}_q \mathfrak{sl}_2$  is given by

$$v := \frac{i^{\frac{r-1}{2}}}{\sqrt{r}} \sum_{a, b=0}^{r-1} \frac{\{-1\}^a}{[a]!} q^{-\frac{a(a-1)}{2} + \frac{(r+1)(a-b-1)^2}{2}} F^a K^b E^a.$$

$$\{k\} := q^k - q^{-k}, \quad [k] := \frac{\{k\}}{\{1\}}, \quad [k]! := [k][k-1] \cdots [1].$$

# 4) Ribbon categories

Duals  $\mathcal{C}$ ; mon cat. ,  $X \in \mathcal{C}$

A (left) dual of  $X$  is  $X^* \in \mathcal{C}$

$$ev_X : X^* \otimes X \rightarrow 1 \quad \begin{array}{c} \curvearrowright \\ X^* \quad X \end{array}$$

$$coev_X : 1 \rightarrow X \otimes X^* \quad \begin{array}{c} X \quad X^* \\ \curvearrowleft \end{array}$$

s.th.

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$$\rightarrow id_X = \left[ \begin{array}{c} X \xrightarrow{\lambda^{-1}} 1 \otimes X \xrightarrow{coev_X \cdot id} (X \otimes X^*) \otimes X \xrightarrow{\alpha} X \otimes (X^* \otimes X) \\ \xrightarrow{id \otimes ev_X} X \otimes 1 \xrightarrow{\rho} X \end{array} \right]$$

E.g.  $H$ -mod.

$$M \quad M^* \ni \varphi \quad (h \circ \varphi)(m) \\ \text{dual v.sp.} \quad := \varphi(S(h).m)$$

Def A ribbon cat. is a br. mon. cat  $C$  s.t.h. every  $X$  has a left dual, together with

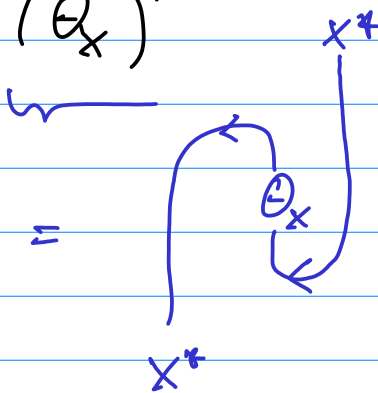
nat. iso.  $C \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\text{id}} \\ \downarrow \Theta \\ \xrightarrow{\text{id}} \end{array} C$  (i.e.  $\{\Theta_X : X \rightarrow X\}_{X \in C}$ )

$\downarrow$   
 ribbon twist

s.t.h.

1)  $\forall X, Y : C_{Y, X} \circ C_{X, Y} \circ (\Theta_X \otimes \Theta_Y) = \Theta_{X \otimes Y}$

2)  $\forall X : \Theta_{X^{**}} = (\Theta_X)^*$



Eq. H-mod

$$\Theta_M(m) = v^{-1} \cdot m \quad \text{for some invertible } v \in Z(H)$$

s.t.h. 1)  $\Delta(v) = (R_{21}R)^{-1}(v \otimes v)$

2)  $S(v) = v$

Def A ribbon Hopf alg. is a qdv. Hopf alg with  $v$  inv.,  $v \in Z(H)$  s.t.h. 1) & 2) hold.

Prop  $H$  rib. Hopf  $\Rightarrow H$ -mod ribbon cat.

• group alg  $k[G] : R = 1 \otimes 1, v = 1$

• funct. alg.  $\text{Fun}(G, k), G$  abelian

$$R = \sum_{g, h} \gamma(g, h) \zeta_g \otimes \zeta_h$$

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