

Representations of rational Cherednik algebras

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ABSTRACT. This paper surveys the representation theory of rational Cherednik algebras. We also discuss the representations of the spherical subalgebras. We describe in particular the results on category \mathcal{O} . For type A , we explain relations with the Hilbert scheme of points on \mathbf{C}^2 . We insist on the analogy with the representation theory of complex semi-simple Lie algebras.

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1. Introduction

Let G be a complex reductive algebraic group, T a maximal torus and $W = N_G(T)/T$ the Weyl group. Let $\mathfrak{t} = \text{Lie } T$.

There are several ‘‘Hecke’’ algebras associated to G (or to W):

finite Hecke algebra \mathcal{H}	affine Hecke algebra $\mathbf{C}[\mathbf{T}^\vee] \otimes \mathcal{H}$	double affine Hecke algebra $\mathbf{C}[\mathbf{T}] \otimes \mathbf{C}[\mathbf{T}^\vee] \otimes \mathcal{H}$	<i>Degeneration</i> \downarrow
	degenerate affine Hecke $\mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{t}^*] \otimes \mathbf{C}[W]$	degenerate (trigonometric) daha $\mathbf{C}[\mathbf{T}] \otimes \mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{t}^*] \otimes \mathbf{C}[W]$	
		doubly degenerate (rational) daha $\mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{t}] \otimes \mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{t}^*] \otimes \mathbf{C}[W]$	

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Here, ‘‘daha’’ stands for double affine Hecke algebra (also called Cherednik algebra) and the structure is given as a \mathbf{C} -vector space. These algebras have various incarnations:

- The finite Hecke algebra is a quotient of the group algebra of the braid group, which is the fundamental group of \mathfrak{t}_{reg}/W . There is a similar description of the affine Hecke algebra (use the space \mathbf{T}_{reg}/W) as well as of the double affine Hecke algebra [Che5].

- The finite Hecke algebra appears as a coset algebra for a group of the same type as G , over a finite field. There are similar realizations of the affine Hecke algebra (use a 1-dimensional local field) and of the double affine Hecke algebra (2-dimensional local field, cf [Kap]).

- There is a geometric realization of (a quotient of) the daha as the equivariant K -theory of the loop Steinberg variety [Vas] (cf also [GarGr, GiKapVas]), generalizing the realization of the affine Hecke algebra as the equivariant K -theory of the ordinary Steinberg variety. As pointed out in [BerEtGi2, §7.1], it is likely that there is an analogous description of the degenerate daha obtained by using homology instead of K -theory (generalizing the realization of the degenerate affine Hecke algebra as the equivariant homology of the Steinberg variety). There is no hint of existence of a geometric realization of the rational daha.

- When W has type A_{n-1} , there are Schur-Weyl dualities between any of the six types of Hecke algebras and corresponding Lie algebras: \mathfrak{sl}_n in the finite case, quantum \mathfrak{sl}_n and Yangian \mathfrak{sl}_n in the affine and degenerate affine case, toroidal quantum \mathfrak{sl}_n [VarVas1] in the daha case, toroidal Yangian \mathfrak{sl}_n in the degenerate daha case, and a subalgebra of the latter in the rational case [Gu2].

After suitable completions, the daha and the degenerate daha can be viewed as *trivial* deformations of the rational daha ([EtGi, p. 283], [Che6, p.65], [BerEtGi2, §7.1]). As a consequence, the categories of finite dimensional modules for ordinary, degenerate and rational daha’s are equivalent ([Che6], [BerEtGi2, Proposition 7.1], [VarVas2]). The categories \mathcal{O} for the ordinary and degenerate daha’s are related [VarVas2]. Finally, category \mathcal{O} for the rational daha can be realized as a full subcategory of category \mathcal{O} for the degenerate daha [Su].

Double affine Hecke algebras are related to combinatorics and they were introduced by Cherednik as a crucial instrument in the proof of the Macdonald’s constant term conjectures. The degenerations (trigonometric and rational) were obtained in a straightforward way.

In this survey, we are concerned with the representation theory of rational *daha*'s. Rational Cherednik algebras are connected to

- Finite Hecke algebras
- Resolutions and deformations of symplectic singularities
- Hilbert schemes of points on surfaces.

There are also the following connections, which we won't discuss in this survey:

- Integrable systems: rings of quasi-invariants and quantum Calogero-Moser systems (cf [EtSt] for a survey)
- Analytic representation theory, Bessel functions, unitary representations (cf the book [Che7]).

Many of these aspects actually make sense in the framework of symplectic reflection algebras [EtGi].

The rational Cherednik algebra is a deformation of the algebra $\mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{t} \times \mathfrak{t}^*] \rtimes W$ depending on parameters t, c .

The main idea in the study of representations of rational Cherednik algebras (at $t = 1$) is to handle them like universal enveloping algebras of semi-simple complex Lie algebras and study in particular a "category \mathcal{O} ". We emphasize this in these notes, by expounding the analogies (cf also the table in §9). The (finite) Hecke algebra controls a large part of the representation theory, via the construction of Knizhnik-Zamolodchikov connections. Another important feature of category \mathcal{O} is that it generalizes, for any Weyl group (or even any complex reflection group), the construction of q -Schur algebras.

The usual interplay between representation theory and geometry is incomplete in general. In type A , there are more geometric objects at hand and the Hilbert scheme of points in \mathbf{C}^2 plays the role of the cotangent bundle of the flag variety.

The representation theory is quite different for $t = 0$. It is related to (generalized) Calogero-Moser spaces.

Section §2 is independent from the rest of the text. It explains how the rational Cherednik algebras occur naturally in the study of a commuting family of operators deforming the partial derivatives.

Although the theory has been developed quite intensively over the last few years, many problems remain and we have listed a number of them.

I have tried to give detailed references for most results, I apologize in advance for possible omissions.

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2. A motivation via Dunkl operators

2.1. Dimension 1.

2.1.1. Fix $k \in \mathbf{R}$. Given $f : \mathbf{R} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ a function of class C^1 , consider the function

$$T(f) : x \mapsto f'(x) + k \frac{f(x) - f(-x)}{x}.$$

The operator T deforms the ordinary derivation, and presents new features for special values of k .

For example, one shows easily that there exists a non-constant polynomial killed by T if and only if $k \in -\frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}_{\leq 0}$.

2.1.2. Let us now study the spectrum of T . We consider the Banach algebra of functions $B = \{f = \sum_{n \geq 0} a_n X^n :]-1, 1[\rightarrow \mathbf{R}, \sum_n |a_n| < \infty\}$.

We want to solve the equation

$$(1) \quad T(f) = \lambda f \text{ and } f(0) = 1$$

for some $\lambda \in \mathbf{R}$ and $f \in B$.

Assume $k > 0$. Define

$$\chi : B \rightarrow B, \quad f \mapsto (x \mapsto \alpha \int_{-1}^1 f(xt)(1-t)^{k-1}(1+t)^k dt)$$

where $\alpha = \left(\int_{-1}^1 (1-t)^{k-1}(1+t)^k dt \right)^{-1}$ (so that $\chi(1) = 1$). Then, one shows that

$$T \circ \chi = \chi \circ \frac{d}{dx}.$$

So, $\chi(\exp(\lambda x))$ is the unique solution of (1) (it can be expressed in terms of Bessel functions).

More classical would be the study of the eigenfunctions of the operator T^2 acting on even functions: given f with $f(-x) = f(x)$, then $T^2(f) = \frac{d^2 f}{dx^2} + \frac{2k}{x} \frac{df}{dx}$.

We refer to [CheMa] and [Che7, §2] for a more detailed study, in particular of the analytic aspects (Hankel transform, truncated Bessel functions).

2.2. Dimension n .

2.2.1. We are now going to generalize the previous construction to the case of $n \geq 2$ variables. We will focus on the algebraic aspects (polynomial functions) and work with complex coefficients. In particular, we take now $k \in \mathbf{C}$.

Let $V = \bigoplus_n \mathbf{C}\xi_i$ and $V^* = \bigoplus_n \mathbf{C}x_i$ with the dual basis. Let \mathfrak{S}_n be the symmetric group on $\{1, \dots, n\}$. It acts on V by permutation of the coordinates, hence it acts on functions $V \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$. We denote by ρ_{ij} the endomorphism of the space of functions $V \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$ given by the transposition (ij) .

Given $1 \leq i \leq n$ and $f : V \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$ smooth, we define

$$T_i(f) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial \xi_i} + k \sum_{j \neq i} \frac{f - \rho_{ij}(f)}{X_i - X_j}.$$

We have a family of operators (the Dunkl operators) deforming the ordinary partial derivatives. What makes this deformation interesting is Dunkl's result:

$$T_i \circ T_j = T_j \circ T_i \text{ for all } i, j.$$

Note also that T_i sends a polynomial to a polynomial.

Let \mathcal{E} be the set of values of k for which there are non-constant polynomials killed by T_1, \dots, T_n .

The case $n = 2$ here is related to the 1-dimensional case of §2.1 by restricting functions $\mathbf{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$ to the subspace $x_1 + x_2 = 0$.

Note that the study of functions, in a space similar to B above, that are simultaneous eigenvectors for all T_i 's can be done similarly, when $k \in \mathbf{R}_{>0}$. The endomorphism χ can be constructed first for polynomials, and then extended to B by continuity. Nevertheless, there is no explicit integral form for χ .

2.2.2. We denote by $\mathbf{C}[V] = \mathbf{C}[X_1, \dots, X_n]$ the algebra of polynomial functions on V . Let H be the subalgebra of $\text{End}_{\mathbf{C}}(\mathbf{C}[V])$ generated by $T_1, \dots, T_n, X_1, \dots, X_n$ (acting by multiplication), and \mathfrak{S}_n (acting by permutation on the X_i 's). This is the rational Cherednik algebra.

One shows that $k \in \mathcal{E}$ if and only if $\mathbf{C}[V]$ is not an irreducible representation of H . Let us now say more about the structure of H .

When $k = 0$, then $H = D(V) \rtimes \mathfrak{S}_n$, where $D(V)$ is the algebra of polynomial differential operators on V . In general, there is a vector space decomposition

$$H = \mathbf{C}[T_1, \dots, T_n] \otimes \mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{S}_n] \otimes \mathbf{C}[X_1, \dots, X_n].$$

This shows that H (which depends on the parameter k) is a deformation of $D(V) \rtimes \mathfrak{S}_n$.

This is analogous to the decomposition $\mathfrak{gl}_n(\mathbf{C}) = \mathfrak{n}^+ \oplus \mathfrak{h} \oplus \mathfrak{n}^-$, where \mathfrak{n}^+ (resp. \mathfrak{n}^-) are strictly upper (resp. lower) triangular matrices and \mathfrak{h} diagonal matrices, or rather analogous to the decomposition of the enveloping

algebra (Poincaré-Birkhoff-Witt Theorem)

$$U(\mathfrak{gl}_n(\mathbf{C})) = U(\mathfrak{n}^+) \otimes U(\mathfrak{h}) \otimes U(\mathfrak{n}^-).$$

This analogy is a guide for the study of the representation theory of H .

First, one defines a category \mathcal{O} of finitely generated H -modules on which the T_i 's act locally nilpotently. Given E a complex irreducible representation of \mathfrak{S}_n , one gets $\Delta(E) = \text{Ind}_{\mathbf{C}[T_1, \dots, T_n] \rtimes \mathfrak{S}_n}^H E$, an object of \mathcal{O} . It has a unique simple quotient $L(E)$, and one obtains this way all simple objects of \mathcal{O} . Note that $\Delta(\mathbf{C}) = \mathbf{C}[V]$ is the original faithful representation. Outside a countable set of values of k , then \mathcal{O} is semi-simple.

2.2.3. We now relate \mathcal{O} to the Hecke algebra \mathcal{H} of \mathfrak{S}_n , at $q = \exp(2i\pi k)$.

Let $V_{reg} = \{(z_1, \dots, z_n) \in V \mid z_i \neq z_j \text{ for } i \neq j\}$. Note that $T_i \in D(V_{reg}) \rtimes \mathfrak{S}_n$ and one gets an embedding $H \subset D(V_{reg}) \rtimes \mathfrak{S}_n$. This induces an isomorphism of algebras

$$H \otimes_{\mathbf{C}[V]} \mathbf{C}[V_{reg}] \xrightarrow{\sim} D(V_{reg}) \rtimes \mathfrak{S}_n$$

After localization, the deformation becomes trivial!

Let $M \in \mathcal{O}$. Then, $M \otimes_{\mathbf{C}[V]} \mathbf{C}[V_{reg}]$ is an \mathfrak{S}_n -equivariant vector bundle on V_{reg} with a flat connection, that is shown to have regular singularities (along the hyperplanes and at infinity). This provides us with a system of differential equations, and taking solutions we obtain an \mathfrak{S}_n -equivariant local system on V_{reg} , *i.e.*, a local system on V_{reg}/\mathfrak{S}_n . This corresponds to a finite dimensional representation of the braid group $B_n = \pi_1(V_{reg}/\mathfrak{S}_n, (1, 2, \dots, n))$. That representation is shown to come from a representation of \mathcal{H} and this defines a functor

$$\text{KZ} : \mathcal{O} \rightarrow \mathcal{H}\text{-mod}$$

(actually, a contravariant functor; one needs to dualize or equivalently use the de Rham functor instead of the solution functor in order to have a covariant functor). This functor has good homological properties and there is an equivalence $\mathcal{O} \simeq \text{End}_{\mathcal{H}}(P)\text{-mod}$, where P is a certain \mathcal{H} -module.

When $k \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$, P can be identified as the q -tensor space $L^{\otimes q n}$, where L is an n -dimensional vector space, and this identifies \mathcal{O} with the category of modules over the q -Schur algebra, *i.e.*, a full subcategory of the category of modules over the quantum general linear group $U_q(\mathfrak{gl}_n)$. The knowledge of character formulas for simple modules in that setting allows to deduce the multiplicities $[\Delta(E) : L(F)]$ for the algebra H . This is nicely described in terms of canonical basis for the Fock space, under the action of $\hat{\mathfrak{sl}}_d$, where d is the order of k in \mathbf{C}/\mathbf{Z} .

Let us finally describe the set \mathcal{E} :

$$\mathcal{E} = \left\{ -\frac{r}{s} \mid 2 \leq s \leq n, r \in \mathbf{Z}_{>0} \text{ and } (s, r) = 1 \right\}.$$

The space of polynomials killed by the T_i 's and its structure as a representation of \mathfrak{S}_n can be determined (cf [DuDeJOp, Du4]).

The analytic aspects, which we are not considering here, are very interesting: multi-dimensional Bessel functions, Hankel transform [Op, DuDeJOp], and unitary representations of rational Cherednik algebras. It sheds new light on a number of classical results (cf [Du2], [Che7, Chapter 2]).

3. Structure

Let us start with the definition of the rational Cherednik algebras and some important subalgebras, and their main properties, following [EtGi, Part 1].

3.1. The rational Cherednik algebra.

3.1.1. Let W be a finite reflection group on a finite dimensional real vector space $V_{\mathbf{R}}$ and let $V = \mathbf{C} \otimes_{\mathbf{R}} V_{\mathbf{R}}$. Let $n = \dim_{\mathbf{C}} V$. Let \mathcal{S} be the set of reflections of W and $\bar{\mathcal{S}} = \mathcal{S}/W$. Given $s \in \mathcal{S}$, let $v_s \in V$ (resp. $\alpha_s \in V^*$) be a -1 eigenvector for s acting on V (resp. V^*).

Let $\mathbf{c} = \{c_s\}_{s \in \bar{\mathcal{S}}}$ be a family of variables and $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{C}[\{c_s\}, \mathbf{t}]$. Note that for types ADE, we have $|\bar{\mathcal{S}}| = 1$.

The *rational Cherednik algebra* \mathbf{H} associated to (W, V) is the quotient of $\mathbf{A} \otimes_{\mathbf{C}} (T(V \oplus V^*) \rtimes W)$ by the relations¹

$$[\xi, \eta] = 0 \text{ for } \xi, \eta \in V, \quad [x, y] = 0 \text{ for } x, y \in V^*$$

$$[\xi, x] = \mathbf{t} \langle \xi, x \rangle - 2 \sum_{s \in \mathcal{S}} \frac{\langle \xi, \alpha_s \rangle \langle v_s, x \rangle}{\langle v_s, \alpha_s \rangle} c_s s$$

There is a filtration on \mathbf{H} given by

$$F^0 \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{A}[W], \quad F^1 \mathbf{H} = (V \oplus V^*) \otimes_{\mathbf{C}} \mathbf{A}[W] \oplus \mathbf{A}[W], \quad \text{and } F^i \mathbf{H} = (F^1 \mathbf{H})^i \text{ for } i \geq 2.$$

Let $\text{gr} \mathbf{H} = \bigoplus_{i \geq 0} F^i \mathbf{H} / F^{i-1} \mathbf{H}$. The canonical morphism of \mathbf{A} -modules $(V \oplus V^*) \otimes_{\mathbf{C}} \mathbf{A}[W] \rightarrow \text{gr} \mathbf{H}$ extends to a surjective morphism of \mathbf{A} -algebras $\mathbf{A} \otimes_{\mathbf{C}} (S(V) \otimes S(V^*)) \rtimes W \rightarrow \text{gr} \mathbf{H}$. The following result asserts it is actually an isomorphism. This gives a triangular decomposition of \mathbf{H} (Cherednik, [EtGi, Theorem 1.3]):

THEOREM 3.1. *We have a canonical isomorphism of \mathbf{A} -modules $S(V) \otimes_{\mathbf{C}} \mathbf{A}[W] \otimes_{\mathbf{C}} S(V^*) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbf{H}$. In particular, the canonical map of \mathbf{A} -algebras*

$$\mathbf{A} \otimes_{\mathbf{C}} (S(V) \otimes S(V^*)) \rtimes W \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{gr} \mathbf{H}$$

is an isomorphism.

ABOUT THE PROOF. Note that it is enough to prove the isomorphism after applying $- \otimes_{\mathbf{A}} \mathbf{C}$ for any morphism $\mathbf{A} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$, *i.e.*, for specialized parameters. Then, one can use the faithful representation by Dunkl operators (cf §4.2.1 and 5.1.1). \square

Given $t \in \mathbf{C}$ and $c = \{c_s\}_{s \in \bar{\mathcal{S}}} \in \mathbf{C}^{\bar{\mathcal{S}}}$, we put $H_{t,c} = \mathbf{H} \otimes_{\mathbf{A}} \mathbf{C}$, where the morphism $\mathbf{A} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$ is given by $\mathbf{t} \mapsto t$ and $c_s \mapsto c_s$. Theorem 3.1 shows that \mathbf{H} is a deformation of $H_{t,c}$.

ANALOGY 1. Let G be a semi-simple complex algebraic group, T a maximal torus, B a Borel subgroup containing T , U^+ its unipotent radical and U^- the opposite unipotent subgroup. Let $\mathfrak{g} = \text{Lie} G$, $\mathfrak{h} = \text{Lie} T$, $\mathfrak{n}^+ = \text{Lie} U^+$ and $\mathfrak{n}^- = \text{Lie} U^-$. We have (Poincaré-Birkhoff-Witt Theorem)

$$U(\mathfrak{g}) = U(\mathfrak{n}^+) \otimes U(\mathfrak{h}) \otimes U(\mathfrak{n}^-).$$

We have a filtration of $U(\mathfrak{g})$ given by $F^0 U(\mathfrak{g}) = \mathbf{C}$, $F^1 U(\mathfrak{g}) = \mathfrak{g} \oplus \mathbf{C}$ and $F^i U(\mathfrak{g}) = (F^1 U(\mathfrak{g}))^i$. There is a canonical isomorphism $S(\mathfrak{g}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{gr} U(\mathfrak{g})$.

REMARK 3.2. If $W = W_1 \times W_2$ and $V = V_1 \oplus V_2$ are compatible decompositions, then there are canonical isomorphisms $\mathbf{H}_1 \otimes \mathbf{H}_2 \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbf{H}$, where \mathbf{H}_i is the rational Cherednik algebra of (W_i, V_i) .

Let \mathcal{S}' be a W -invariant subset of \mathcal{S} such that $c_s = 0$ for $s \in \mathcal{S} - \mathcal{S}'$. Let W' be the reflection subgroup of W generated by \mathcal{S}' . Then, there is an embedding $\mathbf{H}' \subset \mathbf{H}$ and \mathbf{H} is a twisted group algebra of W/W' over \mathbf{H}' .

¹In [GGOR], we use $\gamma_H = -2c_s s$ and $\mathbf{k}_{H,1} = -c_s$, where H is the reflecting hyperplane of s

3.1.2. *Specializations.* For $t \neq 0$, we have $H_{t,c} \xrightarrow{\sim} H_{1,t^{-1}c}$. We put $H_c = H_{1,c}$.

Consider the case $c = 0$:

- We have $H_{0,0} = S(V \oplus V^*) \rtimes W$. So, $H_{0,c}$ is a deformation of $S(V \oplus V^*) \rtimes W$.
- We have $H_{1,0} = D(V) \rtimes W$, where $D(V)$ is the Weyl algebra of V (algebra of algebraic differential operators on V). So, $H_{1,c}$ is a deformation of $D(V) \rtimes W$.

ANALOGY 2. The parameter space $\mathbf{C}^{\mathcal{S}}$ corresponds to \mathfrak{h}^*/W and the analog of $H_{1,c}$ is $\bar{U}_\lambda(\mathfrak{g}) = U(\mathfrak{g})/U(\mathfrak{g})\mathfrak{m}_\lambda$, where $\lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^*/W$, and \mathfrak{m}_λ is the maximal ideal of $Z(U(\mathfrak{g}))$ image of λ by the canonical isomorphism $\mathfrak{h}^*/W \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Spec } Z(U(\mathfrak{g}))$.

Consider the induced filtration on $\bar{U}_\lambda(\mathfrak{g})$. Let \mathcal{N} be the nilpotent cone of \mathfrak{g} . Then, there is a canonical isomorphism $\mathbf{C}[\mathcal{N}] \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{gr}\bar{U}_\lambda(\mathfrak{g})$.

3.1.3. *Fourier transform.* Cf [EtGi, §4,5].

Fix an isomorphism of $\mathbf{C}[W]$ -modules $F : V \xrightarrow{\sim} V^*$. This extends to an automorphism F of \mathbf{H}_c given by

$$V \ni \xi \mapsto F(\xi), \quad V^* \ni x \mapsto -F^{-1}(x) \quad \text{and} \quad W \ni w \mapsto w.$$

More generally, there is an action of $\text{SL}_2(\mathbf{A})$ on \mathbf{H} . The action of $\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$ is given by

$$V \ni \xi \mapsto a_{22}\xi + a_{21}F(\xi), \quad V^* \ni x \mapsto a_{11}x + a_{12}F^{-1}(x) \quad \text{and} \quad W \ni w \mapsto w.$$

3.1.4. *Twist by characters.* Let $c \in \mathbf{C}^{\mathcal{S}}$ and $t \in \mathbf{C}$. Let $\zeta : W \rightarrow \{\pm 1\}$ be a character. There is an isomorphism of \mathbf{C} -algebras

$$H_{t,c} \xrightarrow{\sim} H_{t,c\zeta}, \quad V \ni \xi \mapsto \xi, \quad V^* \ni x \mapsto x, \quad W \ni w \mapsto \zeta(w)w.$$

3.1.5. *Deformed Euler vector field and canonical grading.* We consider in the remaining part of §3.1 the algebra $\mathbf{H}_c = \mathbf{H}_{1,c} = \mathbf{H} \otimes_{\mathbf{C}[t]} \mathbf{C}[t]/(t-1)$.

Let B be a basis of V and $(b^\vee)_{b \in B}$ be the dual basis. Let $\text{eu}' = \sum_{b \in B} b^\vee b$ be the “deformed” Euler vector field, $z = \sum_{s \in \mathcal{S}} \mathbf{c}_s(s-1)$ and $\text{eu} = \text{eu}' - z$. Let $h = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{b \in B} (bb^\vee + b^\vee b)$. Then, $h = \text{eu} + \frac{1}{2} \dim V - \sum_{s \in \mathcal{S}} \mathbf{c}_s$. An easy computation in \mathbf{H}_c shows that

$$[\text{eu}, \xi] = -\xi, \quad [\text{eu}, x] = x \quad \text{and} \quad [\text{eu}, w] = 0 \quad \text{for } \xi \in V, \quad x \in V^* \quad \text{and} \quad w \in W.$$

So, the eigenspace decomposition of \mathbf{H}_c under the action of $[\text{eu}, -]$ puts a grading on \mathbf{H}_c : W is in degree 0, V^* in degree 1 and V in degree -1 (note that this defines a grading on \mathbf{H} as well, before specializing t to 1).

Let M be an \mathbf{H}_c -module. We denote by M_α is the generalized α -eigenspace for eu acting on M . For certain modules, we have a decomposition $M = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \mathbf{C}} M_\alpha$ and this gives a *canonical \mathbf{C} -grading* on M .

3.1.6. *\mathfrak{sl}_2 -triple.* Cf [De, §4], [BerEtGi3, §3].

Let $p : V \times V \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$ and $q : V^* \times V^* \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$ be the W -equivariant perfect pairings induced by F . If \mathcal{B} is orthonormal for p , then $p = \sum_b (b^\vee)^2$ and $q = \sum_b b^2$. An easy computation shows that $\langle \frac{1}{2}p, h, -\frac{1}{2}q \rangle$ is an \mathfrak{sl}_2 -triple in \mathbf{H}_c .

3.2. The spherical subalgebra.

3.2.1. Cf [EtGi, §2].

Let $e = \frac{1}{|W|} \sum_{w \in W} w$, an idempotent of $Z(\mathbf{C}[W])$. Let $\mathbf{B} = e\mathbf{H}e$ be the *spherical subalgebra* of \mathbf{H} . Theorem 3.1 gives a canonical isomorphism $\mathbf{A} \otimes_{\mathbf{C}} \mathbf{C}[(V^* \times V)/W] \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{gr}\mathbf{B}$ (for the induced filtration on \mathbf{B}).

We have canonical isomorphisms $B_{1,0} \xrightarrow{\sim} D(V)^W$ and $B_{0,0} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbf{C}[(V^* \times V)/W]$. So, \mathbf{B} is a deformation of $D(V)^W$ and of $\mathbf{C}[(V^* \times V)/W]$.

ANALOGY 3. The analogy between \mathbf{B} and $U(\mathfrak{g})$ is more accurate than that with \mathbf{H} : instead of the smooth orbifold $[(V^* \times V)/W]$, one gets the singular variety $(V^* \times V)/W$ as corresponding to the nilpotent cone. Also, for a Cherednik algebra of type A_1 , then $B_{1,c}$ is isomorphic to an algebra $\bar{U}_\lambda(\mathfrak{sl}_2)$, cf §7.3.3.

3.2.2. The center and the spherical subalgebra have different behaviours, depending on t .

We have $Z(H_{t,c}) = \mathbf{C}$ if $t \neq 0$ [BrGo, Proposition 7.2].

The algebra $B_{t,c}$ is commutative if and only if $t = 0$ [EtGi, Theorem 1.6]. In particular, we get a structure of Poisson algebra on $B_{0,c}$.

We have [EtGi, Theorem 3.1]:

THEOREM 3.3 (“Satake isomorphism”). *We have an isomorphism $Z(H_{0,c}) \xrightarrow{\sim} B_{0,c}$, $z \mapsto ze$.*

The Calogero-Moser space associated to W is $\mathcal{CM}_c = \text{Spec } Z(H_{0,c})$. It is a Gorenstein normal Poisson variety [EtGi, Theorem 1.5 and Lemma 3.5] and a symplectic variety when smooth [EtGi, Theorem 1.8].

There is an inclusion $S(V)^W \otimes S(V^*)^W \subset Z(H_{0,c})$ and $Z(H_{0,c})$ is a free $(S(V)^W \otimes S(V^*)^W)$ -module of rank $|W|$ [EtGi, Proposition 4.15]. This gives a finite surjective map $\Upsilon : \mathcal{CM}_c \rightarrow V^*/W \times V/W$.

3.2.3. There is a “double centralizer Theorem”:

THEOREM 3.4 ([EtGi, Theorem 1.5]). *We have canonical isomorphisms $\mathbf{B} \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{End}_{\mathbf{H}}(\mathbf{H}e)$ and $\mathbf{H} \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{End}_{\mathbf{B}^\circ}(\mathbf{H}e)$.*

The bimodule $H_{t,c}e$ induces a Morita equivalence between $H_{t,c}$ and $B_{t,c}$ (i.e., $H_{t,c}e \otimes_{B_{t,c}} - : B_{t,c}\text{-mod} \rightarrow H_{t,c}\text{-mod}$ is an equivalence) if and only if $H_{t,c} = H_{t,c}eH_{t,c}$. Cf Theorems 4.14 and 6.6 for cases of Morita equivalence. Note that $H_{0,0}$ is not Morita equivalent to $B_{0,0}$ for $W \neq 1$ (the first algebra has finite global dimension while the second one doesn't).

4. Representation theory at $t \neq 0$

4.1. Category \mathcal{O} . Cf [DuOp, §2], [Gu1], [GGOR, §2,3], [BerEtGi3, §2], [Gi, Corollary 6.7].

4.1.1. *Decomposition.* Fix a specialization $H = H_c$ (i.e., $t = 1$). Let \mathcal{O}' be the category of finitely generated H -modules that are locally finite for $S = S(V)$.

Let $\bar{\lambda} \in V^*/W$, i.e., $\bar{\lambda}$ is a morphism of algebras $S^W \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$. Let $\mathcal{O}_{\bar{\lambda}}$ be the subcategory of objects M in \mathcal{O}' such that for any $m \in M$ and any $\xi \in S^W$, then $(\xi - \bar{\lambda}(\xi))^n \cdot m = 0$ for $n \gg 0$.

Then,

$$\mathcal{O}' = \bigoplus_{\bar{\lambda} \in V^*/W} \mathcal{O}_{\bar{\lambda}}$$

4.1.2. *Principal block.* We focus our study on $\mathcal{O} = \mathcal{O}'_0$ (similar descriptions for arbitrary $\bar{\lambda}$ have been partially worked out). We write also \mathcal{O}_c for the category \mathcal{O} of H_c .

Let $\text{Irr}(W)$ be the set of isomorphism classes of irreducible complex representations of W . Given $E \in \text{Irr}(W)$, let $N_E = \sum_{s \in S} \frac{\text{Tr}(s|E)}{\dim E} c_s = \frac{\text{Tr}(z|E)}{\dim E} + \sum_{s \in S} c_s$. We define an order on $\text{Irr}(W)$ by $E < F$ if $N_F - N_E \in \mathbf{Z}_{>0}$.

Given $E \in \text{Irr}(W)$, let

$$\Delta(E) = \text{Ind}_{S \rtimes W}^H E$$

where E is viewed as an $(S \rtimes W)$ -module with V acting as 0.

Then, we have

THEOREM 4.1 ([GGOR, Theorem 2.19]). *\mathcal{O} is a highest weight category with standard objects the $\Delta(E)$'s.*

ABOUT THE PROOF. The approach is similar to the one for affine Lie algebras and makes crucial use of the canonical grading. \square

In particular, $\Delta(E)$ has a unique simple quotient $L(E)$ and $\{L(E)\}_{E \in \text{Irr}(W)}$ is a complete set of representatives of isomorphism classes of simple objects of \mathcal{O} .

It follows also that if no two distinct elements of $\text{Irr}(W)$ are comparable, then \mathcal{O} is semi-simple.

COROLLARY 4.2. *For generic values of c , then \mathcal{O} is semi-simple and $\Delta(E) = L(E)$ for all $E \in \text{Irr}(W)$.*

The costandard object $\nabla(E)$ is the H -submodule of $\text{Hom}_{S(V^*) \times W}(H, E)$ of elements that are locally nilpotent for S (where E is viewed as an $(S(V^*) \times W)$ -module with V^* acting as 0).

Simple objects don't have self-extensions:

PROPOSITION 4.3 ([**BerEtGi2**, Proposition 1.12]). *We have $\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{O}}^1(L(E), L(E)) = 0$ for any $E \in \text{Irr}(W)$.*

4.1.3. *Dualities.* Cf [**GGOR**, §4].

Let $M \in \mathcal{O}$. Let M' be the k -submodule of $S(V^*)$ -locally nilpotent elements of $\text{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(M, \mathbf{C})$. Consider the anti-involution on H_c :

$$\psi : H_c \xrightarrow{\sim} H_c^{\text{opp}}, \quad \xi \ni V \mapsto -F(\xi), \quad V^* \ni x \mapsto -F^{-1}(x), \quad W \ni w \mapsto w^{-1}.$$

Then $M^\vee = \psi_* M' \in \mathcal{O}$ and this defines a duality

$$\mathcal{O} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{O}^{\text{opp}}, \quad M \mapsto M^\vee.$$

We have $L(E)^\vee \simeq L(E)$ and $\Delta(E)^\vee \simeq \nabla(E)$.

The anti-involution

$$H_c \xrightarrow{\sim} H_c^{\text{opp}}, \quad \xi \ni V \mapsto -\xi, \quad V^* \ni x \mapsto x, \quad W \ni w \mapsto w^{-1}$$

provides H_c with a structure of $(H_c \otimes H_c)$ -bimodule and we obtain a duality

$$R\text{Hom}_{H_c}(-, H_c[n]) : D^b(H_c\text{-mod}) \xrightarrow{\sim} D^b(H_c\text{-mod})^{\text{opp}}.$$

It restricts to a duality

$$D : D^b(\mathcal{O}) \xrightarrow{\sim} D^b(\mathcal{O})^{\text{opp}}.$$

We have $D(\Delta(E))^\vee \simeq \nabla(E \otimes \det)$ and $D(P(E))^\vee \simeq T(E \otimes \det)$ (a tilting module). As a consequence, \mathcal{O} is equivalent to its Ringel dual.

4.1.4. *Dihedral groups.* The structure of the standard modules for $W = I_2(d)$ a dihedral group is given in [**Chm**]. Let us explain the results, in the simpler case $d = 2m + 1$ is odd. We denote by τ_l the 2-dimensional irreducible representation whose first occurrence in $S(V)$ is in degree l (where $1 \leq l \leq m$). We assume $c > 0$ (cf §3.1.4 to deduce the case $c < 0$).

- Assume first $c = \frac{r}{d}$ for some $r \in \mathbf{Z}_{>0}$, $d \nmid r$. Let $l \in \{1, \dots, m\}$ such that $r \equiv \pm l \pmod{d}$.

We have $L(\rho) = \Delta(\rho) = P(\rho)$ if $\rho \neq \mathbf{C}, \det, \tau_l$ (they form simple blocks of category \mathcal{O}).

We give now the Loewy series of various modules in \mathcal{O} (socle and radical series coincide):

$$\Delta(\mathbf{C}) = P(\mathbf{C}) = \begin{matrix} L(\mathbf{C}) \\ L(\tau_l) \end{matrix}, \quad \Delta(\det) = L(\det) = T(\det), \quad \Delta(\tau_l) = \begin{matrix} L(\tau_l) \\ L(\det) \end{matrix}$$

$$P(\det) = T(\tau_l) = \begin{matrix} L(\det) \\ L(\tau_l) \end{matrix}, \quad P(\tau_l) = T(\mathbf{C}) = L(\det) \oplus L(\mathbf{C}) \\ L(\det) \qquad \qquad \qquad L(\tau_l)$$

The only simple finite dimensional module is $L(\mathbf{C})$.

- Assume now $c \in \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}_{\geq 0}$.

We have $L(\rho) = \Delta(\rho) = P(\rho)$ if $\rho \neq \mathbf{C}, \det$ (they form simple blocks of category \mathcal{O}).

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$$\Delta(\mathbf{C}) = P(\mathbf{C}) = \begin{matrix} L(\mathbf{C}) \\ L(\det) \end{matrix}, \quad \Delta(\det) = T(\det) = L(\det), \quad P(\det) = T(\mathbf{C}) = \begin{matrix} L(\det) \\ L(\mathbf{C}) \\ L(\det) \end{matrix}.$$

- If $c \in \mathbf{Z}_{>0}$ or neither $2c$ nor dc are integers, then \mathcal{O} is semi-simple.

The structure is more complicated when d is even, for special values of the parameter. In particular, finite dimensional modules need not be semi-simple (this occurs as well for W of type D_4 with parameter $c = \frac{1}{2}$ [BerEtGi2, Example 6.4]).

4.1.5. In view of the analogy with complex semi-simple Lie algebras, finite-dimensional representations are particularly interesting. A particular class of finite dimensional quotients of $\mathbf{C}[V] = \Delta(\mathbf{C})$ has been studied (“perfect representations”): these are naturally commutative algebras, and they generalize the Verlinde algebras [Che6].

- PROBLEM 1. • Find the multiplicities $[\Delta(E) : L(F)]$. They are known when W is dihedral (cf §4.1.4) and when has type A_n and $c \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$ (cf Corollary 6.3).
- Describe the category of finite dimensional representations of H . For which values of c does H have non-zero finite dimensional representations ? Cf [Che6, De, BerEtGi2, Go2, ChmEt, Vas] for studies of finite dimensional representations. These questions are solved in type A_n , cf Theorem 6.5.
 - Is \mathcal{O} Koszul ? If so, is it its own Koszul dual (up to a change of parameters) ?

ANALOGY 4. The category \mathcal{O}' of finitely generated $U(\mathfrak{g})$ -modules that are diagonalizable for $U(\mathfrak{h})$ and locally finite for $U(\mathfrak{n}^+)$ splits into a sum of subcategories corresponding to a fixed central character. The finite dimensional representations are semi-simple and the simple ones correspond to dominant weights. The principal block \mathcal{O} is a highest weight category with standard objects being Verma modules. The parametrizing set is W , with the Bruhat order. The multiplicities of simple objects in standard objects are given by evaluation at 1 of the Kazhdan-Lusztig polynomials for W (Kazhdan-Lusztig conjecture, proven by Beilinson-Bernstein and Brylinski-Kashiwara). The principal block \mathcal{O} is Koszul and it is equivalent to its Koszul dual (Beilinson-Ginzburg-Soergel).

4.2. Dunkl operators and KZ functor.

4.2.1. *Dunkl operators.* Cf [Che7], [EtGi, §4], [DuOp, §2.2], [GGOR, §5.2].

Denote by \mathbf{C} the trivial representation of W . Via the canonical isomorphism $\mathbf{C}[V] \xrightarrow{\sim} \Delta(\mathbf{C})$, we obtain an action of H on $\mathbf{C}[V]$. The action of W is the natural action, the action of $\mathbf{C}[V]$ is given by multiplication, and the action of $\xi \in V$ is given by the Dunkl operator (for type A , this is the same as §2)

$$T_\xi = \partial_\xi + \sum_{s \in \mathcal{S}} \frac{\langle \xi, \alpha_s \rangle}{\alpha_s} c_s (s - 1).$$

This gives a morphism $\rho : H \rightarrow D(V_{reg}) \rtimes W$, where $V_{reg} = V - \bigcup_{s \in \mathcal{S}} \ker \alpha_s$.

A fundamental property is the faithfulness of that representation (Cherednik and [EtGi, Proposition 4.5]):

THEOREM 4.4. *The morphism ρ is injective and induces an isomorphism $H \otimes_{\mathbf{C}[V]} \mathbf{C}[V_{reg}] \xrightarrow{\sim} D(V_{reg}) \rtimes W$.*

ABOUT THE PROOF. One puts a filtration on H with W and V^* in degree 0, and V in degree 1. Then, ρ is compatible with the filtration on $D(V_{reg})$ given by the order of differential operators and the associated graded map is injective. \square

Note that $\rho(\text{eu}) = \sum_{b \in \mathcal{B}} b^\vee b \in D(V) \rtimes W$ is the ordinary Euler vector field.

REMARK 4.5. Via the canonical isomorphism $D(V_{reg})^W \xrightarrow{\sim} eD(V_{reg})e$, $f \mapsto ef$, the restriction of ρ to $B_{1,c}$ gives an injective morphism $B_{1,c} \rightarrow D(V_{reg})^W$.

4.2.2. *Knizhnik-Zamolodchikov functor.* Cf [GGOR, §5.3-5.4].

We are going to associate a vector bundle with a connection on V_{reg} associated to an object of \mathcal{O} . In the case of a standard object $\Delta(E)$, this is essentially the Knizhnik-Zamolodchikov-Cherednik connection [Che2, Che4, Op] (cf the affine equation in the trigonometric setting in [Che4]). For generic values of the parameter, every object of \mathcal{O} is a sum of $\Delta(E)$'s and this is used in the constructions below via deformation arguments.

Let $M \in \mathcal{O}$ and $M_{reg} = \rho_*(M \otimes_{\mathbf{C}[V]} \mathbf{C}[V_{reg}])$. This corresponds to a W -equivariant vector bundle on V_{reg} with a flat connection. It is shown to have regular singularities, by treating first the case $M = \Delta(E)$.

Applying the de Rham functor $\mathrm{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}(V_{reg})}(\mathcal{O}_{V_{reg}}, -)$ gives a W -equivariant locally constant sheaf on V_{reg} . This corresponds to a locally constant sheaf on V_{reg}/W , hence to a finite dimensional representation $F(M)$ of $B = \pi_1(V_{reg}/W)$ (relative to some base point). Fixing a base point in $(V_{\mathbf{R}})_{reg}$ provides a description of W as a finite Coxeter group, with set of simple reflections \mathcal{S}_0 . It also provides an identification of B as the corresponding braid group with set of generators $\{\sigma_s\}_{s \in \mathcal{S}_0}$.

Let \mathcal{H} be the Hecke algebra of W with parameters $\{1, -\exp(2i\pi c_s)\}$, *i.e.*, the quotient of $\mathbf{C}[B_W]$ by the relations $(\sigma_s - 1)(\sigma_s + \exp(2i\pi c_s)) = 0$.

Then, the representation $F(M)$ of B factors through a representation $\mathrm{KZ}(M)$ of \mathcal{H} . This is proven by first computing the eigenvalues of monodromy when M is a standard module and for generic values of the parameter. A deformation argument shows the result in general.

Let \mathcal{O}_{tor} be the full subcategory of \mathcal{O} of objects M such that $M_{reg} = 0$. The main properties of KZ are given in the following Theorem [GGOR, Theorem 5.14, Theorem 5.16, and Proposition 5.9]:

THEOREM 4.6. *The functor KZ is exact and it induces an equivalence $\mathcal{O}/\mathcal{O}_{tor} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{H}\text{-mod}$.*

Given $M, N \in \mathcal{O}$, the canonical map $\mathrm{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}}(M, N) \rightarrow \mathrm{Hom}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathrm{KZ}(M), \mathrm{KZ}(N))$ is an isomorphism in the following cases:

- *when N is projective*
- *when $c_s \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$ for all $s \in \mathcal{S}$ and N is Δ -filtered.*

ABOUT THE PROOF. One shows that $\mathcal{O} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}/\mathcal{O}_{tor}$ is fully faithful on projective objects by using the duality D . The fully faithfulness of $\mathcal{O}/\mathcal{O}_{tor} \rightarrow \mathcal{H}\text{-mod}$ is a consequence of the Riemann-Hilbert correspondence (Deligne). The essential surjectivity follows from a deformation argument. The statement in the case where N is Δ -filtered is obtained by a computation of residues. \square

Let P be a progenerator for \mathcal{O} . Then, $\mathcal{O} \simeq \mathrm{End}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathrm{KZ}(P))\text{-mod}$. The algebra $\mathrm{End}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathrm{KZ}(P))$ should be viewed as a “generalized q -Schur algebra” associated to W , cf Theorem 6.2.

COROLLARY 4.7. *The category \mathcal{O} is semi-simple if and only if \mathcal{H} is semi-simple.*

PROBLEM 2. • Provide an explicit construction of a progenerator.

- What is the image of a progenerator P of \mathcal{O} ? What is $\mathrm{End}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathrm{KZ}(P))$? This is understood when W has type A_n and $c \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$, cf §6.2.1.

ANALOGY 5. Let W be the Weyl group of G and let $C = \mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{h}]/(\mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{h}]\mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{h}]_+^W)$ be the algebra of coinvariants. Note that there is a canonical isomorphism $C \xrightarrow{\sim} H^*(G/B)$. Let $P = P(w_0)$ be the “antidominant” projective of \mathcal{O} . There is an isomorphism $C \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{End}_{\mathcal{O}}(P)$, the functor $\mathrm{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}}(P, -) : \mathcal{O} \rightarrow C\text{-mod}$ is fully faithful when restricted to projectives, and the image of a suitable progenerator is

$$\bigoplus_{w \in W} \mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{h}] \otimes_{\mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{h}]^{s_1}} \mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{h}] \otimes_{\mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{h}]^{s_2}} \cdots \otimes_{\mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{h}]^{s_{r-1}}} \mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{h}] \otimes_{\mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{h}]^{s_r}} C,$$

where $w = s_1 \cdots s_r$ is a reduced decomposition (Soergel).

REMARK 4.8. When $s \mapsto c_s$ is constant (equal parameter case), the \mathcal{H} -modules $\mathrm{KZ}(\Delta(E))$ are the “standard” modules occurring in Kazhdan-Lusztig theory [GGOR, Theorem 6.8] (cf §6.2.1 for type A).

4.3. Primitive ideals and supports. Cf [Gi, §6].

4.3.1. Given M a finitely generated H -module, there is a structure of filtered H -module on M such that $\text{gr}M$ is a finitely generated $\text{gr}H$ -module (a “good filtration”). It is in particular a finitely generated $S(V \oplus V^*)$ -module (cf §3.1.1). Let $\text{Supp}(M)$ be the support of that module, a W -stable closed subvariety of $V^* \times V$. It is independent of the choice of a good filtration of M .

If $M \in \mathcal{O}$, then $\text{Supp}(M) \subseteq \{0\} \times V$. When $c = 0$, Bernstein’s inequality asserts that $\dim \text{Supp}(M) \geq \dim V$. But there are values of c and objects $M \in \mathcal{O}_c$ with $\dim \text{Supp}(M) < \dim V$, cf §7.2.

We have of course $\text{Supp}(\Delta(E)) = \{0\} \times V$, since the restriction of $\Delta(E)$ to P is free.

4.3.2. Recall that an ideal of H is *primitive* if it is the annihilator of a simple H -module.

THEOREM 4.9 ([Gi, Corollary 6.6]). *Every primitive ideal of H is the annihilator of a simple object of \mathcal{O} .*

Let I be an ideal of H . Give I the filtration induced by the canonical filtration on H . Then, $\text{gr}I$ is an ideal of $\text{gr}H = \mathbf{C}[V^* \times V] \rtimes W$, hence defines a W -invariant closed subvariety of $V^* \times V$, the *associated variety* of I .

A *parabolic subgroup* of W is the pointwise stabilizer in W of a subspace of V . We denote by $\text{Par}(W)$ the set of parabolic subgroups of W .

THEOREM 4.10 ([Gi, Proposition 6.4]). *The associated variety of a primitive ideal of H is of the form $W \cdot (V^* \times V)^{W'}$ for some $W' \in \text{Par}(W)$. In particular, its image in $(V^* \times V)/W$ is irreducible.*

4.3.3.

THEOREM 4.11 ([Gi, Theorem 6.8]). *Given M simple in \mathcal{O} , there is $W' \in \text{Par}(W)$ such that $\text{Supp}(M) = \{0\} \times (W \cdot V^{W'})$.*

PROBLEM 3. • Determine $\text{Supp} L(E)$. This generalizes the problem about finite dimensional $L(E)$ ’s (Problem 1), they correspond to the case $\text{Supp} L(E) = 0$.

• Study the order on $\text{Irr}(W)$ defined by $E \prec E'$ if $\text{Supp} L(E) \subset \text{Supp} L(E')$.

ANALOGY 6. The associated variety of a primitive ideal of $U(\mathfrak{g})$ is the closure of a nilpotent class, hence it is irreducible (Borho-Brylinski, Joseph, Kashiwara-Tanisaki).

Every primitive ideal of $U(\mathfrak{g})$ is the annihilator of some simple object of \mathcal{O}' (Duflo).

The annihilator of $L(w)$ is contained in the annihilator of $L(w')$ if and only if w is smaller than w' for the “left cell order” (Joseph, Vogan).

4.4. Harish-Chandra bimodules.

4.4.1. The definitions and results of this section 4.4.1 follow [BerEtGi3, §3 and §8].

Let $c, c' \in \mathbf{C}^S$.

DEFINITION 4.12. *A $(H_c, H_{c'})$ -bimodule is a Harish-Chandra bimodule if it is finitely generated and the action of $a \otimes 1 - 1 \otimes a$ is locally nilpotent for every $a \in S(V)^W \cup S(V^*)^W$.*

Such a bimodule is finitely generated as a left H_c -module, as a right $H_{c'}$ -module, as a $(S(V)^W, S(V^*)^W)$ -bimodule and as a $(S(V^*)^W, S(V)^W)$ -bimodule.

We denote by $\mathcal{HC}_{c,c'}$ the category of Harish-Chandra $(H_c, H_{c'})$ -bimodules. The inclusion functor $\mathcal{HC}_{c,c'} \rightarrow (H_c \otimes H_{c'}^{\text{opp}})\text{-mod}$ has a right adjoint $M \mapsto M_{\text{fin}}$.

Given $M \in \mathcal{HC}_{c,c'}$ and $N \in \mathcal{HC}_{c',c''}$, then $M \otimes_{H_{c'}} N \in \mathcal{HC}_{c,c''}$.

THEOREM 4.13. *Assume $c, c' \in \mathbf{Z}_{\geq 0}^S$. There is a parametrization $\{V_{c,c'}(E)\}_{E \in \text{Irr}(W)}$ of the set of isomorphism classes of simple objects of $\mathcal{HC}_{c,c'}$ such that given $E_1, E_2 \in \text{Irr}(W)$, then*

$$\text{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(\Delta_{c'}(E_1), \Delta_c(E_2))_{\text{fin}} \simeq \bigoplus_{E \in \text{Irr}(W)} \text{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}[W]}(E \otimes E_1, E_2) \otimes_{\mathbf{C}} V_{c,c'}(E).$$

Furthermore, $E \mapsto V_{c,c}(E)$ extends to an equivalence of monoidal categories

$$\mathbf{C}[W]\text{-mod} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{HC}_{c,c}.$$

PROBLEM 4. Describe the structure of the 2-category with set of objects $\bar{\mathcal{S}}$, 1-arrows the objects of $\mathcal{HC}_{c,c'}$ and 2-arrows the morphisms of $\mathcal{HC}_{c,c'}$.

4.4.2.

THEOREM 4.14 ([BerEtGi3, Theorem 3.1]). *Assume \mathcal{H} is semi-simple. Then, H_c is a simple algebra and H_{ce} gives a Morita equivalence between H_c and B_c .*

ABOUT THE PROOF. The key point is Theorem 4.9. It says in particular that H_{ce} gives a Morita equivalence if and only if e kills no simple object of category \mathcal{O} . \square

Let $\varepsilon : W \rightarrow \{\pm 1\}$ be a one-dimensional representation of W . Let $e_\varepsilon = \frac{1}{|W|} \sum_{w \in W} \varepsilon(w)w$. Define $1_\varepsilon : \mathcal{S} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$, $s \mapsto \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \varepsilon(s) = -1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$

PROPOSITION 4.15 ([BerEtGi3, Proposition 4.11]). *Assume \mathcal{H} is semi-simple. Then, the algebras $e_\varepsilon H_c e_\varepsilon$ and $e_{H_{c-1_\varepsilon}} e$ are isomorphic.*

THEOREM 4.16 ([BerEtGi3, Theorem 8.1]). *Assume \mathcal{H} is semi-simple. Let $m \in \mathbf{Z}^{\bar{\mathcal{S}}}$. Then, the algebras H_c and H_{c-m} are Morita equivalent.*

PROBLEM 5 ([BerEtGi3, Conjecture 8.12]). Assume \mathcal{H} is semi-simple and let $c' \in \mathbf{C}^{\bar{\mathcal{S}}}$. If H_c and $H_{c'}$ are Morita equivalent, show that there is $\zeta : W \rightarrow \{\pm 1\}$ a character such that $c\zeta - c' \in \mathbf{Z}^{\bar{\mathcal{S}}}$. Cf Theorem 6.8 for a partial answer in type A .

ANALOGY 7. Two blocks of category \mathcal{O}' associated to regular weights are equivalent via a translation functor.

5. Representation theory at $t = 0$

5.1. General representations.

5.1.1. *Limit Dunkl operators.* Following [EtGi, §4], the construction of §4.2.1 can be done for the algebra $H_{t,c}$, $t \neq 0$, and it then possible to pass to the limit $t = 0$. One obtains an injective algebra morphism

$$H_{0,c} \hookrightarrow \mathbf{C}[V^* \times V_{reg}] \rtimes W, \quad x \mapsto x, \quad \xi \mapsto \xi + \sum_{s \in \mathcal{S}} c_s \frac{\langle \xi, \alpha_s \rangle}{\alpha_s} s, \quad w \mapsto w.$$

5.1.2. Since $H_{0,c}$ is a finitely generated module over its centre $Z(H_{0,c})$, it follows that all simple $H_{0,c}$ -modules are finite dimensional. Furthermore, the category of finite dimensional $H_{0,c}$ -modules decomposes into a sum of subcategories according to the central character (a point of \mathcal{CM}_c).

The smoothness of the Calogero-Moser space is related to representation theory of $H_{0,c}$:

THEOREM 5.1 ([BrGo, Theorem 7.8], [EtGi, Theorems 1.7 and 3.7, and Proposition 3.8], [GoSm, Lemma 2.8]). *Let $m \in \mathcal{CM}_c$. The following assertions are equivalent*

- m is a smooth point of \mathcal{CM}_c
- the Poisson bracket of \mathcal{CM}_c is non-degenerate at m
- there is a unique simple $H_{0,c}$ -module with central character m
- the simple $H_{0,c}$ -modules with central character m have dimension $\geq |W|$
- the simple $H_{0,c}$ -modules with central character m are isomorphic to the regular representation of W , as $\mathbf{C}[W]$ -modules.

In particular, if \mathcal{CM}_c is smooth, then its points parametrize the (isomorphism classes of) simple $H_{0,c}$ -modules.

5.1.3. There is a stratification of \mathcal{CM}_c by *symplectic leaves* [BrGo, §3]. Given I a Poisson prime ideal of $B_{0,c}$, the associated symplectic leaf is the set of points $m \in \mathcal{CM}_c$ such that I is a maximal Poisson ideal contained in m . There are only finitely many symplectic leaves [BrGo, Theorem 7.8].

The representation theory of $H_{0,c}$ doesn't change inside a symplectic leaf:

THEOREM 5.2 ([BrGo, Theorem 4.2]). *Let $m, m' \in \mathcal{CM}_c$ be two points in the same symplectic leaf. Then, $H_{0,c}/H_{0,c}m \simeq H_{0,c}/H_{0,c}m'$.*

One has an irreducibility statement for associated varieties of Poisson ideals:

THEOREM 5.3 ([Ma, Corollary 3]). *The associated variety in $(V^* \times V)/W$ of a Poisson prime ideal of $B_{0,c}$ is irreducible.*

5.2. 0-fiber.

5.2.1. Cf [Go1].

Let I be the ideal of $H_{0,c}$ generated by $\mathbf{C}[V]_+^W$ and $\mathbf{C}[V^*]_+^W$ and let $\bar{H}_{0,c} = H_{0,c}/I$. The $\bar{H}_{0,c}$ -modules are $H_{0,c}$ -modules whose central character is in $\Upsilon^{-1}(0)$ and every simple $H_{0,c}$ -module with such a central character is a $\bar{H}_{0,c}$ -module. The blocks of $\bar{H}_{0,c}$ are given by the central character, *i.e.*, are in bijection with $\Upsilon^{-1}(0)$:

$$\bar{H}_{0,c} = \bigoplus_{m \in \Upsilon^{-1}(0)} \bar{H}_{0,c} b_m,$$

where b_m is the primitive central idempotent of $\bar{H}_{0,c}$ corresponding to m . Let $Z_m = \Gamma(\Upsilon^*(0)_m)$, where $\Upsilon^*(0)$ is the scheme theoretic fiber.

We have a vector space decomposition $\bar{H}_{0,c} = C \otimes \mathbf{C}[W] \otimes C'$, where $C = \mathbf{C}[V^*]/(\mathbf{C}[V^*]\mathbf{C}[V^*]_+^W)$ and $C' = \mathbf{C}[V]/(\mathbf{C}[V]\mathbf{C}[V]_+^W)$ are the coinvariant algebras.

5.2.2. The *Baby-Verma module* associated to $E \in \text{Irr}(W)$ is $M(E) = \text{Ind}_{C \rtimes W}^{\bar{H}_{0,c}} E$. It has a unique simple quotient $L(E)$ and $\{L(E)\}_{E \in \text{Irr}(W)}$ is a complete set of representatives of isomorphism classes of simple $\bar{H}_{0,c}$ -modules. Define a map $\text{Irr}(W) \rightarrow \Upsilon^{-1}(0)$, $E \mapsto m_E$, by the property that $L(E)$ is in the block $\bar{H}_{0,c} b_{m_E}$.

The blocks corresponding to smooth points can be described precisely:

THEOREM 5.4 ([Go1, Corollary 5.8]). *Let $m \in \Upsilon^{-1}(0)$ be a smooth point of \mathcal{CM}_c . Then, $\bar{H}_{0,c} b_m \simeq \text{Mat}_{|W|}(Z_m)$.*

If all points in $\Upsilon^{-1}(0)$ are smooth, then the canonical map $\text{Irr}(W) \rightarrow \Upsilon^{-1}(0)$ is bijective and $\dim Z_{m_E} = (\dim E)^2$.

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- Find the (graded) multiplicities $[M(E) : L(F)]$. In particular, what is the block distribution of the $M(E)$'s ?

REMARK 5.5. It is known ([EtGi, Proposition 16.4], [Go1, Proposition 7.3]) that \mathcal{CM}_c is singular for all values of c , when W has type different from A_n , B_n and D_{2n+1} . It is conjectured that it will always be singular in type D_{2n+1} ($n \geq 2$).

Let us give an example where $E \mapsto m_E$ is not bijective [Go1, §7.4]. Let $W = G_2$ and fix a generic value of c . Given $E \neq F \in \text{Irr}(W)$, then $m_E = m_F$ if and only if E and F are the two distinct 2-dimensional representations.

6. Type A

6.1. Structure.

6.1.1. In this section, let $W = \mathfrak{S}_n$ be the symmetric group on $\{1, \dots, n\}$ in its permutation representation on $V = \mathbf{C}^n$. We consider the canonical bases (ξ_1, \dots, ξ_n) of V and (x_1, \dots, x_n) of V^* . Then, \mathbf{H} is the $\mathbf{C}[\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{c}]$ -algebra with generators $\mathfrak{S}_n, x_1, \dots, x_n$ and ξ_1, \dots, ξ_n and relations

$$\begin{aligned} [\xi_i, \xi_j] &= [x_i, x_j] = 0 \text{ for all } i, j \\ wx_iw^{-1} &= x_{w(i)}, w\xi_iw^{-1} = \xi_{w(i)}, \\ [\xi_i, x_j] &= \mathbf{c} \cdot (ij) \text{ if } i \neq j \text{ and } [\xi_i, x_i] = \mathbf{t} - \mathbf{c} \sum_{k \neq i} (ik). \end{aligned}$$

One can also consider the action of W on the hyperplane $V' = \ker(x_1 + \dots + x_n)$. The rational Cherednik algebra of (W, V') is canonically isomorphic to the subalgebra \mathbf{H}' of \mathbf{H} generated by $\xi_i - \xi_j, x_i - x_j$ and W , for $1 \leq i, j \leq n$ and we have a decomposition $\mathbf{H} = \mathbf{H}' \otimes \mathbf{H}^1$, where \mathbf{H}^1 is generated by $\xi_1 + \dots + \xi_n$ and $x_1 + \dots + x_n$, and is isomorphic to the first Weyl algebra.

The algebra H'_c is interesting since it carries finite dimensional non-zero representations for certain values of c , while H_c is the one that relates most directly to Hilbert schemes of points on the plane. Note that the categories \mathcal{O} for H_c and H'_c are canonically equivalent.

6.1.2. The variety \mathcal{CM}_1 is isomorphic to the ‘‘usual’’ Calogero-Moser space (a smooth symplectic variety)

$$\{(M, M') \in \text{Mat}_n(\mathbf{C}) \times \text{Mat}_n(\mathbf{C}) \mid \text{rank}([M, M'] + \text{Id}) = 1\} / \text{GL}_n(\mathbf{C}),$$

where $\text{GL}_n(\mathbf{C})$ acts diagonally by conjugation [EtGi, Theorem 11.16].

At the level of points, this isomorphism is constructed as follows [EtGi, Theorem 11.16]: let L be a simple representation of $H_{0,1}$. Fix a basis of the n -dimensional space $L^{\mathfrak{S}_n}$. The actions of ξ_n and x_n on that space give matrices M and M' such that $\text{rank}([M, M'] + \text{Id}) = 1$.

The morphism Υ sends (M, M') to the pair of roots of the characteristic polynomials of M and M' .

REMARK 6.1 (Etingof). Let $w \in W - \{1\}$. Then, there is $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ such that $w(i) = j \neq i$. We have $[\xi_i, x_j(ij)w] = [\xi_i, x_j](ij)w = w$, hence $w \in [H_{0,1}, H_{0,1}]$. It follows that the restriction to W of a representation of $H_{0,1}$ is a multiple of the regular representation. This proves the smoothness of \mathcal{CM}_1 , via Theorem 5.1.

6.2. Category \mathcal{O} .

6.2.1. Let $q = \exp(2i\pi c)$. The Hecke algebra \mathcal{H} of \mathfrak{S}_n with parameters $(1, -q)$ is the \mathbf{C} -algebra with generators T_1, \dots, T_{n-1} and relations

$$T_i T_j = T_j T_i \text{ if } |i - j| > 1, T_i T_{i+1} T_i = T_{i+1} T_i T_{i+1} \text{ and } (T_i - 1)(T_i + q) = 0.$$

We use the standard parametrization of $\text{Irr}(W)$ by partitions of n .

Let $\lambda = (\lambda_1 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_r > 0)$ be a partition of n . Let $\mathcal{H}(\lambda)$ be the subalgebra of \mathcal{H} generated by $T_1, \dots, T_{\lambda_1-1}, T_{\lambda_1+1}, \dots, T_{\lambda_1+\lambda_2-1}, \dots$. It is isomorphic to the tensor product of the Hecke algebras of $\mathfrak{S}_{\lambda_1}, \dots, \mathfrak{S}_{\lambda_r}$. Given λ a partition of n , let $d(\lambda)$ be the number of r -uples $(\beta_1, \dots, \beta_r)$ whose associated multiset is that of λ . Let $M(\lambda) = \text{Ind}_{\mathcal{H}(\lambda)}^{\mathcal{H}} \mathbf{C}$, where \mathbf{C} is the one-dimensional representations of \mathcal{H} where the T_i 's act as 1 and let $M = \bigoplus_{\lambda} M(\lambda)^{d_{\lambda}}$.

The q -Schur algebra of \mathfrak{S}_n is $S(n) = \text{End}_{\mathcal{H}}(M)$. Note that $S(n)$ -mod is a highest category with parametrizing set the set of partitions of n .

The q -Schur algebra occurs also as a quotient of the quantum general linear group $U_q(\mathfrak{gl}_m)$ for $m \geq n$ (via its action on quantum tensor space $(\mathbf{C}^m)^{\otimes q^n}$) and when q is a prime power, as a quotient of the group algebra of the finite group $\text{GL}_n(\mathbf{F}_q)$.

The category \mathcal{O} is described as follows, as conjectured in [GGOR, Remark 5.17]:

THEOREM 6.2 ([Rou]). Assume $c \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$. Then, there is an equivalence $\mathcal{O} \xrightarrow{\sim} S(n)$ -mod making the following diagram commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{O} & \xrightarrow{\sim} & S(n)\text{-mod} \\ & \searrow \text{KZ} & \swarrow M^{\otimes S(n)} \\ & & \mathcal{H}\text{-mod} \end{array}$$

and sending $\Delta(\lambda)$ to the standard object of $S(n)\text{-mod}$ associated to λ if $c \leq 0$ and to the transposed partition of λ if $c > 0$.

ABOUT THE PROOF. The proof proceeds by deformation: the parameter ring becomes a discrete valuation ring and at the generic point the categories are semi-simple. Then, one shows that the image of the Δ -filtered objects under the Schur and KZ-functors is a full subcategory closed under extensions. \square

In particular, there is a progenerator P of \mathcal{O} such that $\text{KZ}(P) = M$. Furthermore, the modules $\text{KZ}(\Delta(\lambda))$ are the q -Specht modules.

Assume $c \in \mathbf{Q}$ and let d be the order of c in \mathbf{Q}/\mathbf{Z} .

Let Sym be the space of symmetric functions. Given λ a partition of n , let s_λ be the corresponding Schur function.

The Fock space Sym has a natural action of the affine Lie algebra $\hat{\mathfrak{sl}}_d$. There is a lower canonical basis $\{G_\lambda^-\}_{\lambda \text{ a partition of } n}$ of Sym [LeThi]. By [VarVas2], the multiplicity $[\Delta_{S(n)}(\lambda) : L_{S(n)}(\mu)]$ is the coefficient of G_μ^- in a decomposition of s_λ in the lower canonical basis (a generalisation of the Lascoux-Leclerc-Thibon conjecture on Hecke algebras, proven by Ariki). So, we deduce the corresponding result for category \mathcal{O} :

COROLLARY 6.3. *Assume $c \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$. Then, $[\Delta(\lambda) : L(\mu)]$ is the coefficient of G_μ^- in a decomposition of s_λ in the lower canonical basis.*

REMARK 6.4. There is a counterpart of Theorem 6.2 in the trigonometric case [VarVas2], which builds on an explicit computation of monodromy (this can't be done in the rational case). It might be possible to deduce Theorem 6.2 from the trigonometric case by using [Su].

6.2.2. *Finite dimensional representations.* They are completely understood ([BerEtGi2, Theorem 1.2], cf also [Che6, §7.1]):

THEOREM 6.5. *The algebra H'_c has non-zero finite dimensional representations if and only if $c = \pm \frac{r}{n}$ for some $r \in \mathbf{Z}_{>0}$ with $(r, n) = 1$. When c takes such a value, all finite dimensional representations are semi-simple and the only irreducible representation is $L(\mathbf{C})$ when $c > 0$ and $L(\det)$ when $c < 0$.*

6.3. Shift functors.

6.3.1. We have $\rho(\delta^{-1}e_{\det}H_{c+1}e_{\det}\delta) = \rho(eH_c e)$ [BerEtGi2, Proposition 4.1]. So, left and right multiplication make $Q_c^{c+1} = \rho(eH_{c+1}e_{\det}\delta)$ into a (B_{c+1}, B_c) -bimodule. Let $S_c = Q_c^{c+1} \otimes_{B_c} - : B_c\text{-mod} \rightarrow B_{c+1}\text{-mod}$ (“Heckmann-Opdam shift functor”).

The following result generalizes [BerEtGi2, Proposition 4.3].

THEOREM 6.6 ([GoSt1, Theorem 3.3 and Proposition 3.16]). *If $c \in \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}$ and $c \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$, then*

- $eH_c \otimes_{H_c} - : H_c\text{-mod} \rightarrow B_c\text{-mod}$ is an equivalence
- $S_c : B_c\text{-mod} \rightarrow B_{c+1}\text{-mod}$ is an equivalence
- $M \mapsto H_{c+1}e_{\det}\delta \otimes_{B_c} eM : H_c\text{-mod} \rightarrow H_{c+1}\text{-mod}$ is an equivalence. It restricts to an equivalence $\mathcal{O}_c \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{O}_{c+1}$ sending $\Delta_c(E)$ to $\Delta_{c+1}(E)$.

ABOUT THE PROOF. The key point is to show that $H_{c+1}e_{\det}H_{c+1} = H_{c+1}$ and $H_c e H_c = H_c$ for $c \geq 0$. Let us consider the first equality, the second one has a similar proof. If the equality fails, then e_{\det} will kill some simple object of \mathcal{O} by Theorem 4.9. One uses the canonical \mathbf{C} -grading on $\Delta(\lambda)$, λ a partition. One shows that the lowest weight where the representation \det of W appears in $\Delta(\lambda)$ is strictly larger than the lowest weight where it appears in $\Delta(\mu)$ whenever $\lambda < \mu$ (this is where the assumption $c \geq 0$ enters). As a consequence, \det occurs in $L(\mu)$, for any μ , hence $e_{\det}L(\mu) \neq 0$ and we deduce the first equality. Note that the assumption $c \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$ comes from the use of Theorem 4.6. To check that $\Delta_c(E)$ goes to $\Delta_{c+1}(E)$, one proves this after localizing to V_{reg} and then show that the equivalence $\mathcal{O}_c \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{O}_{c+1}$ must preserve the highest weight structure. \square

REMARK 6.7. Note that, by Theorem 4.14 and §3.1.4, we deduce that H_c and B_c are Morita equivalent for every $c \in \mathbf{C}$ satisfying the conditions

$$c \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z} \text{ and } c \notin \left\{ -\frac{m}{d} \mid m, d \in \mathbf{Z}, 2 \leq d \leq n, 0 < m < d \right\}.$$

6.3.2. There is a Morita equivalence classification of the algebras H_c , when c is not algebraic.

THEOREM 6.8 ([BerEtGi1, Theorem 2]). *Let $c \notin \bar{\mathbf{Q}}$ and $c' \in \mathbf{C}$. The algebras H_c and $H_{c'}$ are*

- *isomorphic if and only if $c' = \pm c$*
- *Morita equivalent if and only if $c \pm c' \in \mathbf{Z}$.*

ABOUT THE PROOF. The criterion is obtained by computing the traces $K_0(H_c) \rightarrow HH_0(H_c)$. \square

6.4. Hilbert schemes. The existence of a link between Hilbert schemes of points on \mathbf{C}^2 and rational Cherednik algebras of type A was pointed out in [EtGi] and [BerEtGi2, §7.2]. We describe here some of the constructions and results of [GoSt1, GoSt2].

6.4.1. *Quantization.* Cf [GoSt1, §4–6].

Let $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2$ be the Hilbert scheme of n points in \mathbf{C}^2 . Let X_n be the reduced scheme of $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2 \times_{S^n \mathbf{C}^2} \mathbf{C}^{2n}$ (the isospectral Hilbert scheme). Following Haiman, we have a diagram

$$(2) \quad \begin{array}{ccc} X_n & \xrightarrow{f} & \mathbf{C}^{2n} = V^* \times V \\ \text{flat} \downarrow p & & \downarrow \\ \text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2 & \xrightarrow[\text{resolution}]{\tau} & S^n \mathbf{C}^2 = (V^* \times V)/W \end{array}$$

Denote by $\mathcal{Z}_n = \tau^{-1}(0)$ the punctual Hilbert scheme.

Fix $c \in \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}$, $c \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$.

Given $i > j \in \mathbf{Z}_{\geq 0}$, let $\mathcal{B}^{jj} = B_{c+j}$ and $\mathcal{B}^{ij} = Q_{c+i-1}^{c+i} \otimes_{B_{c+i-1}} Q_{c+i-2}^{c+i-1} \otimes \cdots \otimes Q_{c+j}^{c+j+1}$. Let $\mathcal{B} = \bigoplus_{i,j \geq 0} \mathcal{B}^{ij}$. This is a non-unital algebra. We denote by 1_i the unit of \mathcal{B}^{ii} . We denote by $\mathcal{B}\text{-mod}$ the category of finitely generated \mathcal{B} -modules M such that $M = \bigoplus_{i \geq 0} 1_i M$. We denote by $\mathcal{B}\text{-qmod}$ the abelian category quotient of $\mathcal{B}\text{-mod}$ by the Serre subcategory of objects \bar{M} such that $1_i \bar{M} = 0$ for $i \gg 0$.

The filtration by the order of differential operators on $D(V_{\text{reg}}) \rtimes W$ induces a filtration on \mathcal{B} and we denote by $\text{ogr } \mathcal{B} = \bigoplus_{i \geq j \geq 0} \text{ogr } \mathcal{B}^{ij}$ the associated graded (non-unital) algebra. We define a category $(\text{ogr } \mathcal{B})\text{-qmod}$ as above.

THEOREM 6.9 ([GoSt1, Theorem 6.4]). *There are equivalences*

$$B_c\text{-mod} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{B}\text{-qmod}$$

$$\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2\text{-coh} \xrightarrow{\sim} (\text{ogr } \mathcal{B})\text{-qmod}.$$

ABOUT THE PROOF. The first equivalence is an immediate consequence of the fact that the \mathcal{B}^{ij} 's induce Morita equivalences (Theorem 6.6).

Consider $A^1 = \mathbf{C}[\mathbf{C}^{2n}]^{\det}$, the det-isotypic part for the action of W on $\mathbf{C}[\mathbf{C}^{2n}]$ and let A^1 be the ideal of $\mathbf{C}[\mathbf{C}^{2n}]$ generated by A^1 . Let $A^d = (A^1)^d$ and $A'^d = (A'^1)^d$ (inside $\mathbf{C}[\mathbf{C}^{2n}]$) for $d \geq 1$ and let $A^0 = \mathbf{C}[\mathbf{C}^{2n}]^{\mathfrak{S}_n}$ and $A'^0 = \mathbf{C}[\mathbf{C}^{2n}]$. Let $A = \bigoplus_{d \geq 0} A^d$ and $A' = \bigoplus_{d \geq 0} A'^d$.

Then, there are isomorphisms $X_n \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Proj } A'$ and $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2 \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Proj } A$ so that the diagram (2) above becomes the following diagram, with canonical maps (Haiman)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Proj } \bigoplus_{d \geq 0} A'^d & \longrightarrow & \text{Spec } A'^0 \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \text{Proj } \bigoplus_{d \geq 0} A_d & \longrightarrow & \text{Spec } A_0 \end{array}$$

Now, the Theorem follows from the equalities $\text{ogr } \mathcal{B}^{ij} = eA^{i-j}\delta^{i-j}e$ between subspaces of $\mathbf{C}[\mathbf{C}^{2n}]^{\mathfrak{S}_n}$, whose delicate proof involves understanding the graded structure of these two subspaces. \square

6.4.2. *Localization.* Cf [GoSt2].

Consider the order filtration on H_c : $\text{ord}^0 H_c = \mathbf{C}[V] \rtimes W$, $\text{ord}^1 H_c = V \cdot \text{ord}^0 H_c + \text{ord}^0 H_c$ and $\text{ord}^i H_c = (\text{ord}^1 H_c)^i$ for $i \geq 2$. This induces a filtration on B_c .

Theorem 6.9 gives a functor Φ_c from the category B_c -filt of B_c -modules with a good filtration (for the order filtration) to the category $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2$ -coh of coherent sheaves over $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2$.

We have

$$\Phi_c(B_c) \simeq \mathcal{O}_{\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2}$$

The image of eH_c with the order filtration is the Procesi bundle [GoSt2, Theorem 4.5]:

$$\Phi_c(eH_c) \simeq p_* \mathcal{O}_{X_n}.$$

We have [GoSt2, Proposition 5.4] (this relates to [BerEtGi2, Conjectures 7.2 and 7.3]):

$$\Phi_{1/n}(L_{1/n}(\mathbf{C})) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{O}_{Z_n}.$$

Given $M \in B_c$ -filt, there is an induced tensor product filtration on $S_c(M) = Q_c^{c+1} \otimes_{B_c} M$. Let \mathcal{L} be the determinant of the universal rank n vector bundle on $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2$ (an ample line bundle). The geometric importance of S_c is provided by the next result, which explains the constructions of Gordon-Stafford.

THEOREM 6.10 ([GoSt2, Lemma 4.4]). *There is an isomorphism of functors B_c -filt \rightarrow $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2$ -coh:*

$$\Phi_{c+1} \circ S_c(-) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{L} \otimes \Phi_c(-).$$

PROBLEM 7 ([GoSt2, Question 1]). Let M be an H_c -module with a good filtration. Then, $\text{gr} M$ is a finitely generated $(\mathbf{C}[V^* \times V] \rtimes W)$ -module. Let $\tilde{\Phi}(M) \in D^b(\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2\text{-coh})$ be its image under the equivalence of derived categories (Bridgeland-King-Reid, Haiman):

$$(p_* Lf^*(-))^W : D^b((\mathbf{C}[V^* \times V] \rtimes W)\text{-mod}) \xrightarrow{\sim} D^b(\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2\text{-coh}).$$

Is there an isomorphism $\tilde{\Phi}(M) \xrightarrow{\sim} \Phi(eM)$? Gordon and Stafford construct a morphism which is surjective on \mathcal{H}^0 . A related question is to understand which $(\mathbf{C}[V^* \times V] \rtimes W)$ -modules can be quantized to H_c -modules for some value of $c \in \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}$.

REMARK 6.11. Gordon and Stafford actually work with H'_c and they consider the W -Hilbert scheme $\text{Hilb}(n)$ of $(V')^* \times V'$. There is an isomorphism $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2 \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Hilb}(n) \times \mathbf{C}^2$, so the geometric properties of $\text{Hilb}(n)$ and $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2$ are easily related [GoSt1, §4.9].

6.4.3. *Characteristic cycles.* Cf [GoSt2, §6].

Let $Z = Z(n) = \tau^{-1}(\{0\} \times V/W)$. Let $\lambda = (\lambda_1 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_r > 0)$ be a partition of n and $S^\lambda \mathbf{C}^2$ be the subvariety of $S^n \mathbf{C}^2$ of 0-cycles of \mathbf{C}^2 of the form $\sum_i \lambda_i x_i$, where $x_1, \dots, x_r \in \mathbf{C}^2$ are distinct.

Let Z_λ be the closure of $Z \cap \tau^{-1}(S^\lambda \mathbf{C}^2)$. This is a Lagrangian subvariety of $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2$ and the Z_λ 's, where λ runs over the partitions of n , are the irreducible components of Z (Grojnowski, Nakajima).

Given λ a partition of n , let $m_\lambda \in \text{Sym}$ be the corresponding monomial symmetric function. There is an isomorphism (Grojnowski, Nakajima)

$$\xi : \bigoplus_{n \geq 0} H_n(Z(n)) \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Sym}, \quad [Z_\lambda] \mapsto m_\lambda$$

where H_n is the Borel-Moore homology with complex coefficients.

Recall that the cycle support of a coherent sheaf \mathcal{F} is the cycle $\sum_i n_i [Z_i]$, where Z_i runs over irreducible components of the support of \mathcal{F} and n_i is the dimension of \mathcal{F} at the generic point of Z_i .

Let $M \in \mathcal{O}_c$. Fix a good filtration of eM and consider the part of the cycle support of $\Phi(eM)$ involving only subvarieties of dimension n . This is independent of the choice of the good filtration and this gives an isomorphism [GoSt2, Corollary 6.10]

$$\gamma : K(\mathcal{O}_c) \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}} \mathbf{C} \xrightarrow{\sim} H_n(Z)$$

The following Theorem describes the characteristic cycle of $\Delta(\mu)$.

THEOREM 6.12 ([GoSt2, Theorem 6.7]). *Let μ be a partition of n . The support of $\Phi(e\Delta(\mu))$ is a union of Z_λ 's. We have*

$$\xi\gamma([\Delta(\mu)]) = s_\mu.$$

PROBLEM 8 ([GoSt2, Question 4.9 and §6.8]). From Corollary 6.3, one deduces that $\xi\gamma([L(\mu)])$ is the lower canonical basis element of the Fock space corresponding to μ . Are the irreducible components of the support of $\Phi(eL(\mu))$ all of dimension n ? If so, this would completely describe the characteristic cycle of $L(\mu)$.

PROBLEM 9 ([GoSt2, Problem 7.7]). Gordon and Stafford show [GoSt2, Lemma 7.7] that the top Borel-Moore homology of $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2 \times_{S^n \mathbf{C}^2} \text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2$ with the convolution product is isomorphic to the representation ring of W . The determination of the $(\mathbf{C}^\times)^2$ -equivariant K -theory ring under convolution remains to be done.

REMARK 6.13. There is a different geometric approach started in [GanGi], which also leads to the construction of characteristic cycles on the Hilbert scheme.

6.4.4. Let us summarize

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{B} & \overset{\sim}{\longleftrightarrow} & B_c \\ \text{quantization} \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{quantization} \\ \text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2 & \xrightarrow{\text{resolution}} & (V^* \times V)/W \end{array}$$

The algebra H_c is a “quantization” of the orbifold $[(V^* \times V)/W]$. Furthermore, X_n , viewed as a scheme over $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2$ and over $[(V^* \times V)/W]$, becomes after “quantization” the (B_c, H_c) -bimodule eH_c .

The transform with kernel \mathcal{O}_{X_n} gives an equivalence of triangulated categories (“McKay correspondence”) $D^b(\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2\text{-coh}) \xrightarrow{\sim} D^b([(V^* \times V)/W]\text{-coh})$. This is simpler in the non-commutative case, where eH_c gives an equivalence of abelian categories $B_c\text{-mod} \xrightarrow{\sim} U_c\text{-mod}$ (for suitable c 's).

ANALOGY 8. Let $\mathcal{B} = G/B$ be the flag variety of G . Given $w \in W$, we put $\mathcal{B}_w = BwB/B$. We have the Springer resolution of singularities $T^*\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$. We have a canonical isomorphism $\bar{U}_0(\mathfrak{g}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \Gamma(\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{B}})$ and we

have $\Gamma(\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{B}})\text{-mod} \simeq \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{B}}\text{-coh}$ (Beilinson-Bernstein). We have $\text{gr}\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{B}} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{O}_{T^*\mathcal{B}}$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{B}} & \overset{\sim}{\dashrightarrow} & \bar{U}_0(\mathfrak{g}) \\
 \text{quantization} \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{quantization} \\
 T^*\mathcal{B} & \xrightarrow{\text{resolution}} & \mathcal{N}
 \end{array}$$

Given an object M of \mathcal{O}' , we can consider the characteristic cycle of the corresponding $\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{B}}$ -module, an element of $\bigoplus_{w \in W} \mathbf{Z}[\overline{T_{\mathcal{B}_w}^* \mathcal{B}}]$.

There is a canonical isomorphism of algebras between the top homology of the Steinberg variety $Z = T^*\mathcal{B} \times_{\mathcal{N}} T^*\mathcal{B}$ and $\mathbf{C}W$ (Kazhdan-Lusztig). The images of the components of Z give a basis $(b_w)_{w \in W}$ of $\mathbf{C}W$. Define $(\beta_{w,w'})_{w,w'}$ by $w = \sum_{w'} \beta_{w,w'} b_{w'}$. Then, the characteristic cycle of $\Delta(w)$ is $\sum_{w'} \beta_{w,w'} [\overline{T_{\mathcal{B}_{w'}}^* \mathcal{B}}]$ (Kashiwara-Tanisaki).

The $(G \times \mathbf{C}^\times)$ -equivariant K -theory of Z is isomorphic to the affine Hecke algebra of type W (Kazhdan-Lusztig, Chriss-Ginzburg).

PROBLEM 10. Can one deform the category of W -equivariant mixed Hodge modules on V ?

7. Type A_1

7.1. Presentation. Take $W = A_1 = \langle s \rangle$ acting on $V = \mathbf{C}\xi$ and put $V^* = \mathbf{C}x$ where $\langle \xi, x \rangle = 1$. Then, \mathbf{H} is the $\mathbf{C}[\mathfrak{t}, \mathfrak{c}]$ -algebra with generators s, x, ξ and relations

$$s^2 = 1, \quad sxs = -s, \quad s\xi s = -\xi, \quad [\xi, x] = \mathfrak{t} - 2\mathfrak{c}s.$$

We have $e = \frac{1}{2}(1 + s)$.

Fix $t, c \in \mathbf{C}$. Recall that $H_{t,c} \simeq H_{1,t^{-1}c}$ if $t \neq 0$ and $H_{0,c} \simeq H_{0,1}$ if $c \neq 0$. So, there are three types of algebras in the family : $H_{1,c}$, $H_{0,1}$ and $H_{0,0}$.

7.2. Category \mathcal{O} and KZ.

7.2.1. We take $t = 1$.

We identify $\Delta(\mathbf{C})$ with $\mathbf{C}[x]$. The action of the generators is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 x : x^i &\mapsto x^{i+1} \\
 s : x^i &\mapsto (-1)^i x^i \\
 \xi : x^i &\mapsto \begin{cases} ix^{i-1} & \text{if } i \text{ is even} \\ (i - 2c)x^{i-1} & \text{if } i \text{ is odd} \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, $\Delta(\mathbf{C}) = L(\mathbf{C})$ if and only if $c \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}_{\geq 0}$. If $c = \frac{1}{2} + n$ with $n \geq 0$, then $x^{2n+1}\mathbf{C}[x]$ is the radical of $\Delta(\mathbf{C})$ and $L(\mathbf{C}) = \mathbf{C}[x]/(x^{2n+1})$.

The Dunkl operator is $T_\xi = \frac{d}{dx} + \frac{c}{x}(s - 1)$. The connection on the trivial line bundle over V_{reg} is $\frac{d}{dx}$. The solutions are constant functions, the monodromy operator is trivial.

7.2.2. We identify $\Delta(\det)$ with $\mathbf{C}[x]$. The action of the generators is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 x : x^i &\mapsto x^{i+1} \\
 s : x^i &\mapsto (-1)^{i+1} x^i \\
 \xi : x^i &\mapsto \begin{cases} ix^{i-1} & \text{if } i \text{ is even} \\ (i + 2c)x^{i-1} & \text{if } i \text{ is odd} \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, $\Delta(\det) = L(\det)$ if and only if $c \notin -(\frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}_{\geq 0})$. If $c = -(\frac{1}{2} + n)$ with $n \geq 0$, then $x^{2n+1}\mathbf{C}[x]$ is the radical of $\Delta(\det)$ and $L(\det) = \mathbf{C}[x]/(x^{2n+1})$.

The connection on the trivial line bundle over V is $\frac{d}{dx} + \frac{2c}{x}$. In a neighborhood of $x = 1$, we have the solution $f = x^{-2c}$ with $f(1) = 1$. Analytical continuation in a tubular neighborhood of the path $t \in [0, 1] \mapsto \exp(i\pi t)$ gives a function with value $\exp(-2i\pi c)$ at -1 . The action of the monodromy operator is $-\exp(-2i\pi c)$. The KZ-construction involves the de Rham functor while here we considered the solution functors (=horizontal sections). We pass from one to the other by dualizing the representation of the fundamental group. So, the generator σ_s of the braid group acts now by $-\exp(2i\pi c)$ on $\text{KZ}(\Delta(\det))$.

7.2.3. When $c \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$, then \mathcal{O} is semi-simple.

When $c \in -(\frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}_{\geq 0})$, then we have an exact sequence $0 \rightarrow \Delta(\mathbf{C}) \rightarrow \Delta(\det) \rightarrow L(\det) \rightarrow 0$. We have $P(\det) = \Delta(\det)$ and we have an exact sequence $0 \rightarrow \Delta(\det) \rightarrow P(\mathbf{C}) \rightarrow \Delta(\mathbf{C}) \rightarrow 0$.

When $c \in \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}_{\geq 0}$, then we have an exact sequence $0 \rightarrow \Delta(\det) \rightarrow \Delta(\mathbf{C}) \rightarrow L(\mathbf{C}) \rightarrow 0$. We have $P(\mathbf{C}) = \Delta(\mathbf{C})$ and we have an exact sequence $0 \rightarrow \Delta(\mathbf{C}) \rightarrow P(\det) \rightarrow \Delta(\det) \rightarrow 0$.

So, when $c \in \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$, then \mathcal{O} is equivalent to the principal block of category \mathcal{O} for $\mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbf{C})$ (this is no miracle, cf §7.3.3).

7.2.4. We have $ex + xe = 2x$, $e\xi + \xi e = 2\xi$, so $\bigoplus_{i,j} \mathbf{C}x^i\xi^j \subset HeH$. Since $[\xi, x] = t - 2cs$, we have $t - 2cs \in HeH$. So, $2c + t \in HeH$. It follows that $HeH = H$ if $2c + t \neq 0$.

Assume now $2c = -t$. We put a structure of H -module on $L = \mathbf{C}$ by letting x and ξ act by 0 and s by -1 . Then, e acts by 0, so HeH annihilates L , hence $HeH \neq H$. So, we have $HeH = H$ if and only if $2c \neq -t$. Note that when $c = -\frac{1}{2}$ and $t = 1$, via the identification $\Delta(\det) = \mathbf{C}[x]$, then $L \simeq L(\det) = \mathbf{C}[x]/x\mathbf{C}[x]$. Note also that the algebra $B_{1, -\frac{1}{2}}$ is simple.

Finally, the following assertions are equivalent:

- $H_{t,c}eH_{t,c} = H_{t,c}$
- $H_{t,c}$ and $B_{t,c}$ are Morita equivalent
- $c \neq -\frac{1}{2}t$.

7.3. Spherical subalgebra.

7.3.1. One has $ex^i\xi^je = \begin{cases} ex^i\xi^j & \text{if } i+j \text{ is even} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ and $ex^i\xi^je = \pm ex^is\xi^je$. So, \mathbf{B} has a basis $(ex^i\xi^j)_{i,j \geq 0, i+j \text{ even}}$.

It is generated as a $\mathbf{C}[\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{c}]$ -algebra by $u = \frac{1}{2}ex^2e$, $v = -\frac{1}{2}e\xi^2e$ and $w = ex\xi e$. We obtain an isomorphism between \mathbf{B} and the $\mathbf{C}[\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{c}]$ -algebra generated by u, v and w with the relations $w(w - \mathbf{t} - 2\mathbf{c}) = -4uv$ and $[u, v] = \mathbf{t}w + \mathbf{t}(\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{t} - \mathbf{c})$.

7.3.2. We have $\mathbf{C}[u, v, w]/(w(w - 2c) + 4uv) \xrightarrow{\sim} B_{0,c}$. The variety $\text{Spec } B_{0,c}$ is smooth if and only if $c \neq 0$.

7.3.3. For $t = 1$, we have $[u, v] = w + \frac{1}{2} - c$, $[v, w] = 2v$ and $[u, w] = -2u$. Let e_+, e_- and h be the standard generators of $\mathfrak{sl}_2(\mathbf{C})$ and let $C = e_+e_- + e_-e_+ + \frac{1}{2}h^2$ be the Casimir element. We have an isomorphism [EtGi, Proposition 8.2]

$$U(\mathfrak{sl}_2)/\langle C - \frac{1}{2}(c - \frac{1}{2})(c + \frac{3}{2}) \rangle \xrightarrow{\sim} B_{1,c}, \quad e_+ \mapsto u, \quad e_- \mapsto v.$$

We have $B_{1,c}$ Morita equivalent to $B_{1,c+1}$ if and only if $c \neq -\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}$.

7.3.4. The representation theory of $U(\mathfrak{sl}_2)$ is related to $T^*\mathbf{P}^1$, since the flag variety of \mathfrak{sl}_2 is a projective line. Note that $\text{Hilb}^W(V^* \times V) \simeq T^*\mathbf{P}^1$, the minimal resolution of singularities of the cone $\text{Spec } B_{0,0}$.

7.4. Double affine Hecke algebra. We finish with some words on the daha and its relation with the rational daha.

7.4.1. The double affine Hecke algebra \mathbf{H}^{ell} is the $\mathbf{C}[\tau^{\pm 1}, q^{\pm 1}]$ -algebra with generators $X^{\pm 1}, Y^{\pm 1}, T$ and relations

$$(3) \quad (T - \tau)(T + \tau^{-1}) = 0, \quad TXT = X^{-1}, \quad TY^{-1}T = Y \quad \text{and} \quad Y^{-1}X^{-1}YXT^2 = q.$$

There is a triangular decomposition $\mathbf{H}^{ell} = \mathbf{C}[X^{\pm 1}] \otimes \mathcal{H} \otimes \mathbf{C}[Y^{\pm 1}]$ [Che7, §1.4.2]. Let us consider the \mathbf{H}^{ell} -module $\text{Ind}_{\mathbf{C}[Y^{\pm 1}] \otimes \mathcal{H}}^{\mathbf{H}^{ell}} \mathbf{C}$, where Y and T act on \mathbf{C} by multiplication by τ [Che7, Proof of Lemma 1.4.5].

We identify this module with $\mathbf{C}[X^{\pm 1}]$. This gives a faithful representation of \mathbf{H}^{ell} . The action of \mathbf{H}^{ell} is given by

$$\begin{aligned} X &: X^i \mapsto X^{i+1} \\ T &: X^i \mapsto X^{-i}T + (\tau^{-1} - \tau)(X^{i-2} + X^{i-4} + \cdots + X^{-i}) \\ YT^{-1} &: X^i \mapsto q^{-i}X^{-i} \end{aligned}$$

So, T acts by $\tau s + \frac{\tau - \tau^{-1}}{X^2 - 1}(s - 1)$ and Y acts by spT , where $p(f)(X) = f(q^{-1}X)$.

7.4.2. We follow [EtGi, Proposition 4.10].

Fix $c \in \mathbf{C}$. We consider the ring $\mathbf{C}[[h]]$ with its h -adic topology. Let \hat{H}^{ell} be the $\mathbf{C}[[h]]$ -algebra topologically generated by three elements s , x and y with relations (3) for $X = e^{hx}$, $Y = e^{hy}$, $T = se^{h^2cs}$, $q = e^{h^2}$ and $\tau = e^{h^2c}$.

The first relation, taken at order 0, gives $(s - 1)(s + 1) = 0$. The second and third relations, taken at order 1, give $sxs = -x$ and $sys = -y$. Finally, the last relation, taken at order 2, gives $yx - xy = 1 - 2cs$. This gives rise to an isomorphism of \mathbf{C} -algebras $H \xrightarrow{\sim} \hat{H}^{ell} \otimes_{\mathbf{C}[[h]]} \mathbf{C}[[h]]/(h)$. Note finally that \hat{H}^{ell} is actually a trivial deformation of H , *i.e.*, there is an isomorphism of topological $\mathbf{C}[[h]]$ -algebras $H \hat{\otimes} \mathbf{C}[[h]] \xrightarrow{\sim} \hat{H}^{ell}$ [Che6, p.65].

8. Generalizations

8.1. Complex and symplectic reflection groups.

8.1.1. The definition of the rational Cherednik algebra generalizes to the case where W is a complex reflection group on V and more generally, when W is a symplectic reflection group on a space L (which is $V \oplus V^*$ in the complex reflection case). Theorem 3.1 remains valid in that setting. The construction and the main results on category \mathcal{O} generalize to complex reflection groups.

Such deformations have been introduced and studied before in [CrBoHo] in the case of a symplectic reflection group acting on a symplectic space of dimension 2.

These constructions of symplectic reflection algebras are special cases of a more general construction [Dr]. An even more general construction is given in [EtGanGi], where finite groups are replaced by reductive groups.

Another direction of generalization is globalization, where V is replaced by an algebraic variety acted on by a finite group [Et].

8.1.2. Many results of §6 should generalize to the complex reflection groups $B_n(d) \simeq \mathbf{Z}/d \wr \mathfrak{S}_n$ (cf [Mu] for a generalization of some of the constructions of §6.4). Some geometric aspects (should) generalize even to $\Gamma \wr \mathfrak{S}_n$, where Γ is a finite subgroup of $\mathrm{SL}_2(\mathbf{C})$. For example, the Hilbert scheme to consider is $\mathrm{Hilb}^n(\mathrm{Hilb}^\Gamma \mathbf{C}^2)$. We refer to [Wa] for a survey on Hilbert schemes and wreath products. The description of multiplicities for $B_n(d)$ should generalize Corollary 6.3 using suitable canonical bases of higher level Fock spaces [Rou].

Some finite dimensional representations have been constructed in the case $\Gamma \wr \mathfrak{S}_n$. Those where the x_i 's and ξ_i 's act by zero have been classified in [Mo1]. More general finite dimensional simple representations have been shown to exist by cohomological methods [EtMo, Mo2]. These representations come from ones where the x_i 's and the ξ_i 's act by zero via reflection functors and every simple finite dimensional representation for parameters "close to 0" is of this form [Gan].

8.1.3. Assume $W = \Gamma \wr \mathfrak{S}_n$ acting on \mathbf{C}^{2n} , for some finite subgroup Γ of $\mathrm{SL}_2(\mathbf{C})$,

There is a crepant (=symplectic) resolution $X_c \rightarrow \mathcal{CM}_c$ and an equivalence [GoSm, Theorem 1.2]

$$D^b(H_{0,c}\text{-mod}) \xrightarrow{\sim} D^b(X_c\text{-coh})$$

The variety X_c is constructed as a moduli space of representations of H_c and the kernel of the equivalence is the universal bundle. The case $c = 0$ is the McKay correspondence.

The algebra $H_{0,c}$ is actually a non-commutative crepant resolution of \mathcal{CM}_c , in the sense of Van den Bergh [GoSm, Lemma 3.10].

Note that \mathcal{CM}_c is smooth for generic values of c [EtGi, Proposition 11.11] and it has then a description generalizing that of §6.1.2 [EtGi, Theorem 11.16].

8.2. Characteristic $p > 0$. The rational Cherednik algebra can be defined over \mathbf{Z} , and in particular over an algebraic closure $\bar{\mathbf{F}}_p$ of the field with p elements. The representation theory in characteristic $p > 0$ is quite different from that in characteristic 0, due to the presence of a big center: we have $\text{gr}Z(H_c) \xrightarrow{\sim} (\mathbf{C}[V^* \times V]^p)^W$ when $p > n$ (Etingof, cf [BezFiGi, Theorem 10.1.1]). In particular, H_c is a finite dimensional module over its center, hence all its simple representations are finite-dimensional.

There is a localization result in characteristic p .

THEOREM 8.1 ([BezFiGi, Theorem 7.3.2]). *Assume $c \leq 0$ and $c \notin \frac{1}{2} + \mathbf{Z}$. Assume p is large enough.*

Then, there is a sheaf \mathcal{F}_c of Azumaya algebras over the Frobenius twist $\text{Hilb}^{(1)}$ of $\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{A}^2$ and an equivalence

$$D^b(\mathcal{F}_c\text{-mod}) \xrightarrow{\sim} D^b(H_c\text{-mod}).$$

This comes from an isomorphism $H^0(\text{Hilb}^{(1)}, \mathcal{F}_c) \xrightarrow{\sim} H_c$ and from the vanishing $H^{>0}(\text{Hilb}^{(1)}, \mathcal{F}_c) = 0$.

Cf [La] for the determination of irreducible representations of Cherednik algebras associated to the rank 1 groups $W = \mathbf{Z}/d$, over a field of characteristic $p \nmid d$, making explicit results of [CrBoHo].

9. Table of analogies

H or B	$U(\mathfrak{g})$
$H_{t,c} = S(V) \otimes \mathbf{C}[W] \otimes S(V^*)$	$U(\mathfrak{g}) = U(\mathfrak{n}^+) \otimes U(\mathfrak{h}) \otimes U(\mathfrak{n}^-)$
$\mathbf{C}^{\mathcal{S}}$	\mathfrak{h}^*/W
$H_{1,c}$ or $B_{1,c}$	$U(\mathfrak{g})/U(\mathfrak{g})\mathfrak{m}_\lambda$
$(V^* \times V)/W$	\mathcal{N}
parabolic subgroups of W	nilpotent classes
$\text{Irr}(W)$	W
\mathcal{H}	$S(\mathfrak{h}^*)/S(\mathfrak{h}^*)S(\mathfrak{h}^*)_+^W \simeq H^*(G/B)$
?	dominant weights
$\text{Hilb}^n \mathbf{C}^2$ (type A_{n-1})	T^*G/B

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