

Geomet - Witten invariants (zero-point)

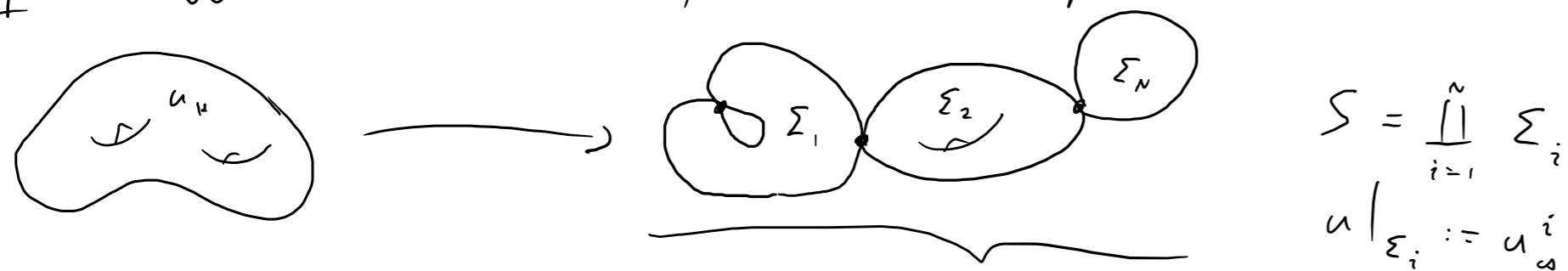
$(W^{2n}, \omega)$  closed      vir-dim  $\mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J, A) = (n-3)(2-2g) + 2 \underbrace{c_1(A)}_i$

$A \in H_2(W), J \in \mathcal{J}(W, \omega) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \boxed{c_1(A) = (n-3)(g-1)}$        $\{c_1(TW, J), A\}$

assumption (since fiction): transversality is always satisfied

thm:  $\mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J, A)$  is finite.

pf: discrete since vir-dim = 0; need to show cpt.



For  $i=1, \dots, N$ , let

$u_{\infty} = [ (S, j, \Theta, \Delta, u) ]$

$\hat{u}_i \in \mathcal{M}_{g_i, m_i}(J, A_i)$  denote  $u_{\infty}^i$  w/ a marked pt. at every pt. in  $\Sigma_i \cap \Delta$

$\Delta = \{ \{z_1^+, z_1^-\}, \dots, \{z_p^+, z_p^-\} \}$        $\sum_{i=1}^N m_i = 2p = 2(\# \text{ nodes})$

$\mathcal{M}_{g_1, m_1}(J, A_1) \times \dots \times \mathcal{M}_{g_N, m_N}(J, A_N) \xrightarrow{ev} \underbrace{W \times \dots \times W}_{2p}$

Let  $D := \{ (w_1, \dots, w_{2p}) \in W^{2p} \mid w_i = w_j \text{ whenever the } i\text{th \& } j\text{th factors correspond to a node } \{z_k^+, z_k^-\} \in \Delta \}$

$D \subseteq W^{2p}$  has codim. =  $2np$ .  $(\hat{u}_1, \dots, \hat{u}_N) \in ev^{-1}(D)$ . Assume  $ev \pitchfork D$ , so  $ev^{-1}(D)$  is a mfld of

$dim = \sum_{i=1}^N [\text{vir-dim } \mathcal{M}_{g_i, m_i}(J, A_i)] - 2np$       (note:  $\sum_{i=1}^N (2-2g_i - m_i) = 2-2g$ )  
 $\sum_{i=1}^N A_i = A$   
 $= \sum_{i=1}^N [ (n-3)(2-2g_i) + 2c_1(A_i) + 2m_i ] - 2np = \sum_{i=1}^N [ (n-3)(2-2g_i - m_i) + (n-3)m_i + 2c_1(A_i) + 2m_i ] - 2np$

$= (n-3)(2-2g) + (n-3)2p + 2c_1(A) + 4p - 2np = \text{vir-dim } \mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J, A) + [2(n-3) + 4 - 2n]p$   
 $= \text{vir-dim } \mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J, A) - 2(\# \text{ nodes})$

Since vir-dim  $\mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J, A) = 0$ ,  $ev^{-1}(D) = \emptyset$  unless  $\# \text{ nodes} = 0$ .  $\Rightarrow$  compactness.  $\square$

defn:  $GW_{g,0,A}^{(W,\omega)} := \sum_{u \in \mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J,A)} \epsilon(u) \in \mathbb{Z}$  where  $\epsilon(u) := \pm 1$  depending on the canonical orientation of  $\mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J,A)$ .

independence of J: Given  $J_0, J_1 \in \mathcal{J}(W,\omega)$ , choose generic fam.  $\{J_s \in \mathcal{J}(W,\omega)\}_{s \in [0,1]}$

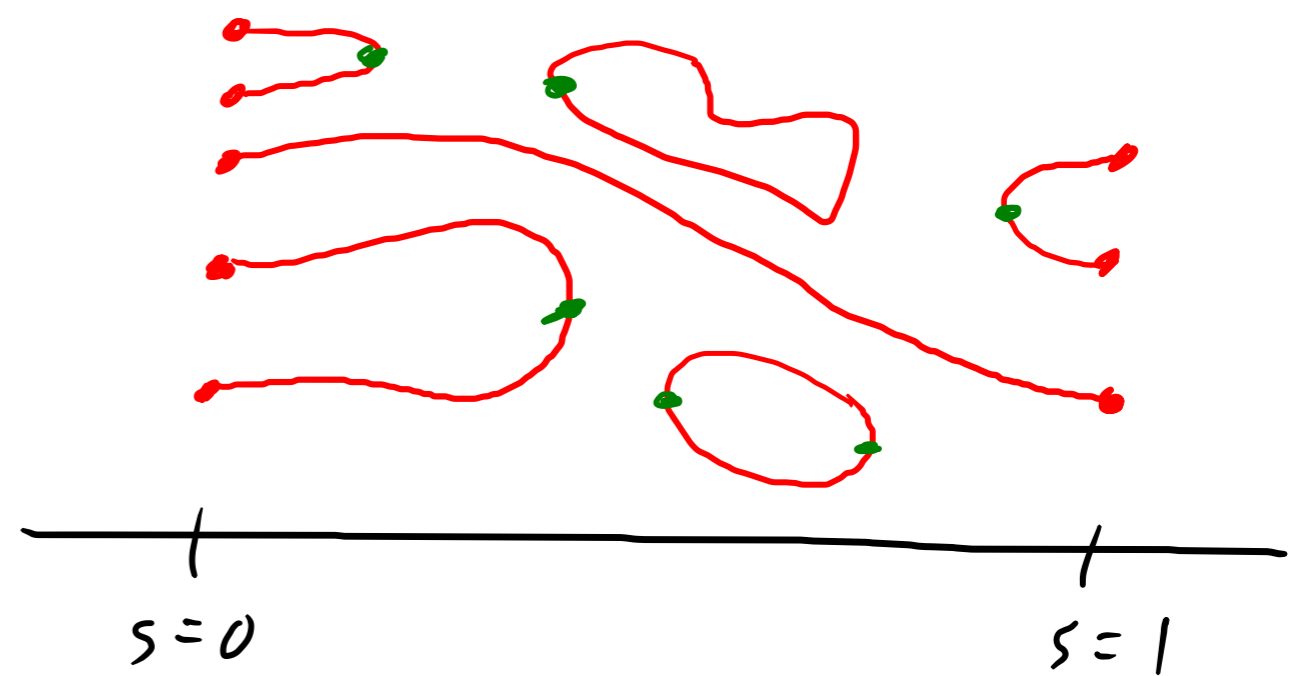
$\leadsto$  parameter moduli space  $\mathcal{M}_{g,0}(\{J_s\}, A) := \{(u, s) \mid s \in [0,1], u \in \mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J_s, A)\}$ .

Assuming  $\hbar +$  trivial aut. grps.,  $\mathcal{M}_{g,0}(\{J_s\}, A)$  is a smooth cpt oriented 1-mfd w/  $\partial \mathcal{M}_{g,0}(\{J_s\}, A) = -\mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J_0, A) \sqcup \mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J_1, A)$

$\Rightarrow GW_{g,0,A}^{(W,\omega)}$  is the same for  $J_0$  &  $J_1$

thm: If  $n = 2$  (i.e.  $\dim W = 4$ ),  $g = 0$

a  $A \in H_2(W)$  is primitive, then for any generic  $J \in \mathcal{J}(W,\omega)$ ,  $GW_{g,0,A}^{(W,\omega)}$  is the actual number of  $J$ -hol. curves in  $\mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J,A)$ ,



$s=0$

$s=1$

i.e.  $\epsilon(u) = +1 \quad \forall u$ .

"pb": Lemma 1: For generic  $J$ , non-immersed  $J$ -hol. curves (in  $\dim W \geq 4$ )

live in a submfld of  $\text{codim} \geq 2$  in the moduli space

$\Rightarrow$  if  $\text{vir-dim } \mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J,A)$ , then all  $u \in \mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J,A)$  are immersed for generic  $J$ .

Assume this.  $u: \Sigma \hookrightarrow W \Rightarrow u^*TW \cong T\Sigma \oplus \underbrace{N_u}_{\text{normal bundle}}$

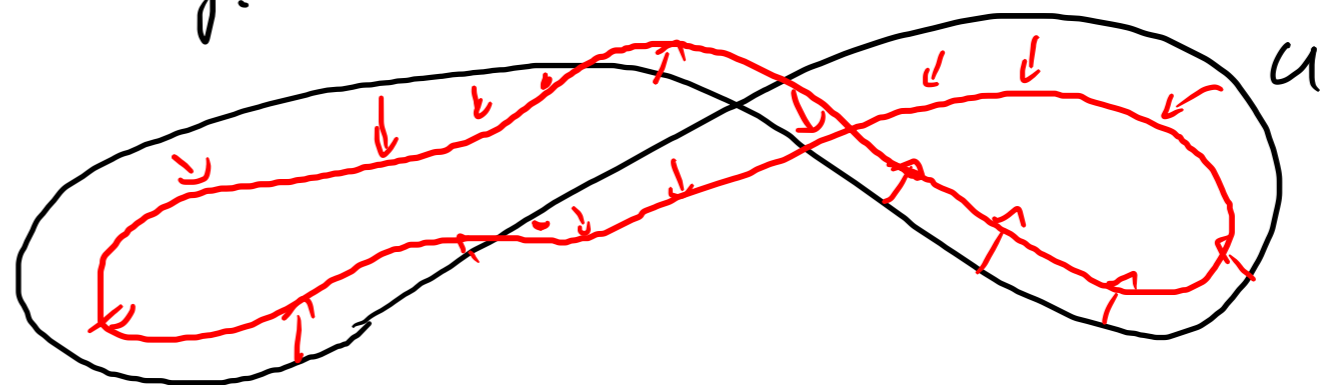
$\leadsto$  linearized CR-ops.  $D_u = \begin{pmatrix} D_u^T & D_u^{TN} \\ D_u^{NT} & D_u^N \end{pmatrix} \leadsto$  normal CR-ops.

$D_u^N: W^{k,p}(N_u) \rightarrow W^{k-1,p}(\text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(T\Sigma, N_u))$ .

Lemma 2: For  $u$  immersed,  $u$  is regular iff  $D_u^N$  is surj.  $\square$

$\exists$  natural iso.  $T_u \mathcal{M}(J) = \ker D_u^N$ .

note:  $\text{ind } D_u^N = (n-1)\chi(\Sigma) + 2c_1(N_u)$   
 $= (n-3)\chi(\Sigma) + 2[\chi(\Sigma) + c_1(N_u)]$   
 $= \text{vir-dim } \mathcal{M}_{g,0}(J,A)$   $c_1(u^*TW) = c_1(A)$



looking for  $v = \exp_u \eta$   
for  $\eta \in \Gamma(N_u)$  s.t.  $\text{im } dv(z)$   
 $J$ -invl  $\forall z \in \Sigma$ .

So for orientability, suff. to orient the determinant lines of  $D_u^N \forall u \in \mathcal{M}(J)$ .

Let  $D^c := \mathbb{C}$ -linear part of  $D_u^{\mathbb{N}}$ ,  $D_s := s D_u^{\mathbb{N}} + (1-s) D^c$ ,  $0 \leq s \leq 1$ .

$E := N_u$ ,  $F := \overline{\text{Hom}}(\pi^* \Sigma, E)$ ,  $D_s: W^{k,1,p}(E) \rightarrow W^{k-1,p}(F)$  CR-type.

Lemma 3: If  $n=2$ ,  $g=0$ ,  $D_s$  is surjective  $\forall s \in [0,1]$ .

pf:  $E$  is cpx line bundle over  $S^2$ , and  $D_s = 0 \quad \forall s \Rightarrow$   
 suff. to prove all injective.  $0 = \text{ind } D_s = \chi(S^2) + 2c_1(E)$

$\Rightarrow c_1(E) = -1$ . If  $\eta \neq 0 \in \ker D_s$ , similarly prove.  $\Rightarrow$

$\# \eta^{-1}(0) \geq 0$ , contra!

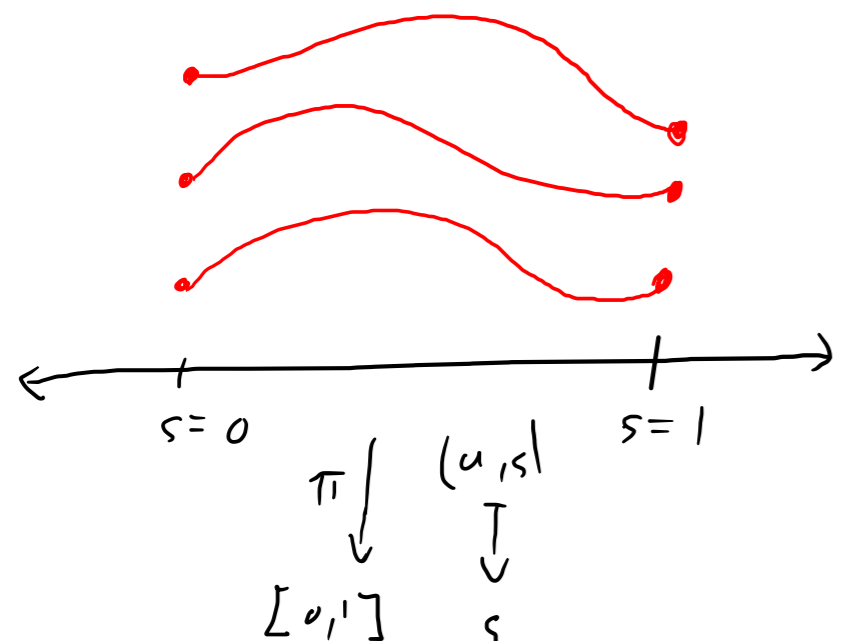
$\Downarrow$   
 $c_1(E)$

$\Rightarrow$  the canonical cpx orientation of  $D^c$  (which matches the pos. orientation of  $\mathbb{R}$ )  
 determines the pos. orientation of  $\det(D_u^{\mathbb{N}}) = \mathbb{R}$ .

false for  $g > 0$ : no contradiction by counting zeroes

false for  $n > 2$ :  $\text{rk } E > 1 \Rightarrow$  cannot count zeroes of  $\eta \in \ker D_s$ .

sanity check: why  $\mathcal{M}_{g,0}(\mathbb{J}_0, A)$  &  $\mathcal{M}_{g,0}(\mathbb{J}_1, A)$  have same # curves:



Our pf shows:  $\forall (u,s) \in \mathcal{M}_{g,0}(\{\mathbb{J}_s\}, A)$   
 in this setting,  $D_u^{\mathbb{N}}$  always surj.  
 $\Rightarrow \pi$  is a submersion.