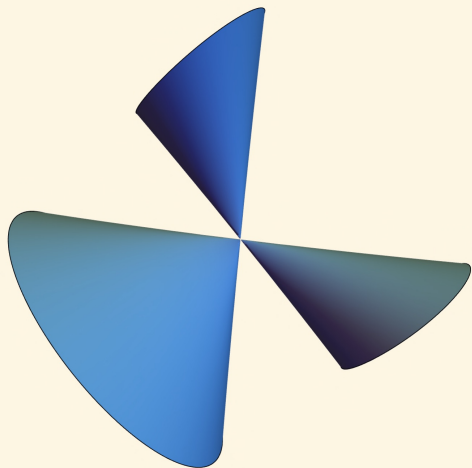




An application of
homotopy theory to
singularity theory.

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R local noetherian ring

$D^b(R)$ derived category of bounded complexes
of finitely generated R -modules

$D^c(R) = \text{Perf}(R) \dots$ projective R -modules
compact perfect same as above

$$R \text{ regular} \iff D^c(R) \xrightarrow{\sim} D^b(R)$$

$D^{sg}(R) := D^b(R) / D^c(R)$ derived category of singularities
Verdier quotient

Hypersurface in $\mathbb{C}^4$ (given at the origin)

$$R = \mathbb{C}[[u, v, x, y]] / (h) \quad h \text{ non-constant polynomial}$$

$D^{sg}(R)$ has many good properties: it's rather small in all possible ways

- $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} \operatorname{Hom}_{D^{sg}(R)}(X, Y) < \infty \quad \forall X, Y$ [Buchweitz '86, Yoshino '90]
- $\Sigma^2 X \cong X$ naturally $\forall X \in D^{sg}(R)$ [Eisenbud '80]
- $\operatorname{Hom}_{D^{sg}(R)}(X, Y)^* \cong \operatorname{Hom}_{D^{sg}(R)}(Y, \Sigma^2 X)$ [Auslander '78]
naturally $\forall X, Y$

Compound Du Val singularity (cDV)

$$h = f(u, v, x) + y \cdot g(u, v, x, y)$$

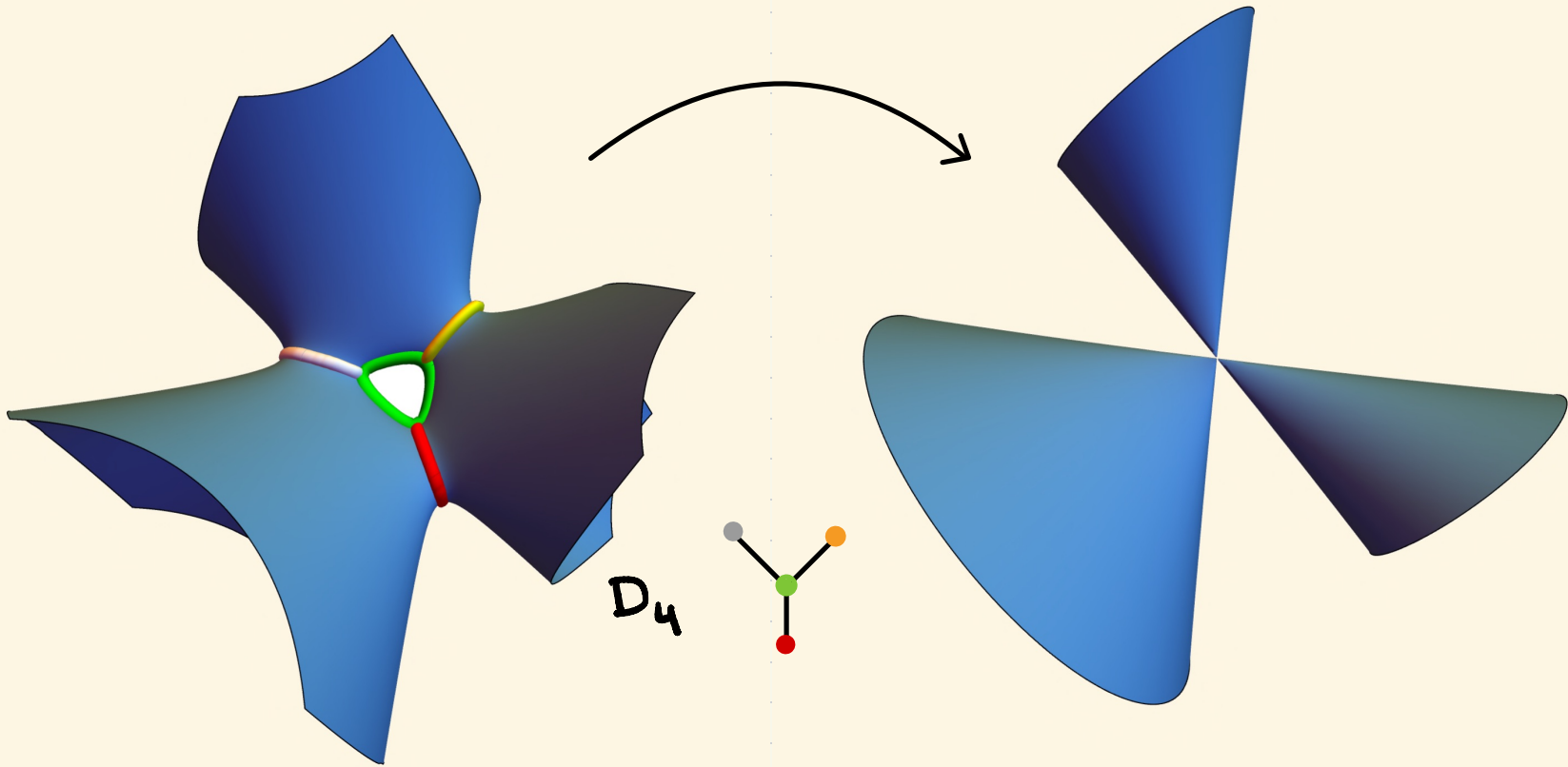
with $\mathbb{C}[[u, v, x]] / (f)$ a Du Val singularity

$$\mathbb{C}^2 / G \quad G \subset \mathrm{SL}_2(\mathbb{C}) \quad |G| < \infty$$

The latter are classified by Dynkin diagrams of type A_n, D_n, E_6, E_7, E_8 .

The former are not classified. We will assume they are isolated and have smooth minimal models.
in the sense of algebraic geometry

Du Val singularity resolution



$$X = \text{Spec}(R) \text{ cDV}$$

Minimal models $Y \rightarrow X$ $\longleftrightarrow$ [Wemyss'18] basic $\mathbb{Z}$ -cluster tilting object $T \in D^{sa}(R)$

The contraction algebra of a minimal model

$$\Lambda := \text{End}_{D^{sa}(R)}(T) \text{ finite-dimensional } \mathbb{C}\text{-algebra}$$

Conjecture: [Donovan-Wemyss'16]

Let $X_1 = \text{Spec}(R_1)$ and $X_2 = \text{Spec}(R_2)$ be cDVs equipped with minimal models

$$D(\Lambda_1) \cong D(\Lambda_2) \iff R_1 \cong R_2 \text{ i.e. } X_1 \cong X_2$$

← Follows from [Dugas'15, Wemyss'18]

Theorem: [August '20]

The Donovan - Wemyss conjecture is equivalent to

$$\Lambda_1 \cong \Lambda_2 \Rightarrow R_1 \cong R_1$$

Since the contraction algebras of a given cDV form a whole derived equivalence class of finite-dimensional basic algebras.

The **derived contraction algebra** of a minimal model

$$\Lambda := \mathbb{R} \operatorname{End}_{D^{\operatorname{sg}}(R)}(T)$$

It is a differential graded algebra (DGA) with

$$H^0(\Lambda) = \Lambda, \quad H^*(\Lambda) = \Lambda[t^{\pm 1}], \quad |t| = 2.$$

concentrated in $2\mathbb{Z}$

Theorem: [Hua-Keller'23]

$$\Lambda_1 \cong \Lambda_2 \Rightarrow R_1 \cong R_2$$

Corollary: The Donovan-Wemyers conjecture is equivalent to

$$H^*(\Lambda_1) \cong H^*(\Lambda_2) \Leftrightarrow \Lambda_1 \cong \Lambda_2 \Rightarrow \Lambda_1 \cong \Lambda_2$$

When is a DGA determined by its cohomology?

A DGA A is **formal** if $A \simeq H^*(A)$

A graded algebra B is **intrinsically formal** if
 $H^*(A) \cong B \Rightarrow A$ is formal

Theorem: [Kadeishvili '88] **Intrinsic formality criterion**
 $HH^{n, 2-n}(B) = 0, n \geq 2 \Rightarrow B$ intrinsically formal

Theorem: R CDV with contraction algebra Λ , TFAE:

a) $\Lambda[t^{\pm 1}]$, $|t| = 2$, intrinsically formal

b) $\Lambda = \mathbb{C}$

c) $R = \mathbb{C}[[u, v, x, y]] / (uv - xy)$

d) the minimal model is the Atiyah flop

k perfect ground field (e.g. $k = \bar{k}$ or $|k| < \infty$)

$\mathcal{T}$ algebraic triangulated category ^{closed under retracts} with $\dim_k \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathcal{T}}(X, Y) < \infty$ $\forall X, Y \in \mathcal{T}$

A basic object $T \in \mathcal{T}$ is $d\mathbb{Z}$ -cluster tilting (CT) if:

- $\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathcal{T}}(T, \Sigma^i T) = 0$ if $i \notin d\mathbb{Z}$ gaps of length $d-2$
- $\Sigma^d T \cong T$ d -periodicity
- $\forall X \in \mathcal{T} \exists C_i \rightarrow Y_{i-1} \rightarrow Y_i \rightarrow \Sigma C_i$ exact triangle

$1 \leq i \leq d$, such that:

$$\mathcal{T} = \langle T \rangle$$

- $Y_0 = 0$ T is like a 0-sphere
- $Y_d = X$ X is like a connected CW-complex of $\dim = d-1$
- C_i is a retraction of $\Sigma^{i-2}(T \oplus \dots \oplus T)$ for some $n \geq 0$

Example: $\mathcal{T} = D^c(K(n)) \ni T = K(n) \pmod p$ Morava K -theory
is $d\mathbb{Z}$ -CT for $d = 2(p^n - 1)$

If $\mathcal{T}$ is algebraic and $T \in \mathcal{T}$ is $d\mathbb{Z}$ -CT and $\Lambda := R\text{End}_{\mathcal{T}}(T)$
derived Lambda

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{T} & \xrightarrow{\sim} & D^c(\Lambda) \\ T & \longmapsto & \Lambda \end{array}$$

Moreover

$$H^*(\Lambda) = \frac{\text{concentrated in } d\mathbb{Z} \quad \Lambda\langle t^{\pm 1} \rangle}{(t\lambda - \sigma(\lambda)t)} \quad \text{graded Lambda} \quad =: \Lambda(\sigma, d), \quad |t| = -d, \quad \sigma \in \text{Aut}(\Lambda).$$

where $\Lambda := H^0(\Lambda)$ and

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \sigma: \Lambda = \text{End}_{\mathcal{T}}(T) & \xrightarrow[\cong]{\Sigma^d} & \text{End}_{\mathcal{T}}(\Sigma^d T) \xrightarrow[\cong]{\text{choice of } f: \Sigma^d T \xrightarrow{\cong} T} \text{End}_{\mathcal{T}}(T) = \Lambda \\ g & \longmapsto & \Sigma^d g \longmapsto f \circ (\Sigma^d g) \circ f^{-1} \end{array}$$

$[\sigma] \in \text{Out}(\Lambda)$ is well defined and determines $\Lambda(\sigma, d)$ up to iso.

An A_∞ -algebra $(A, m_1, m_2, m_3, \dots)$ is a graded vector space A equipped with maps

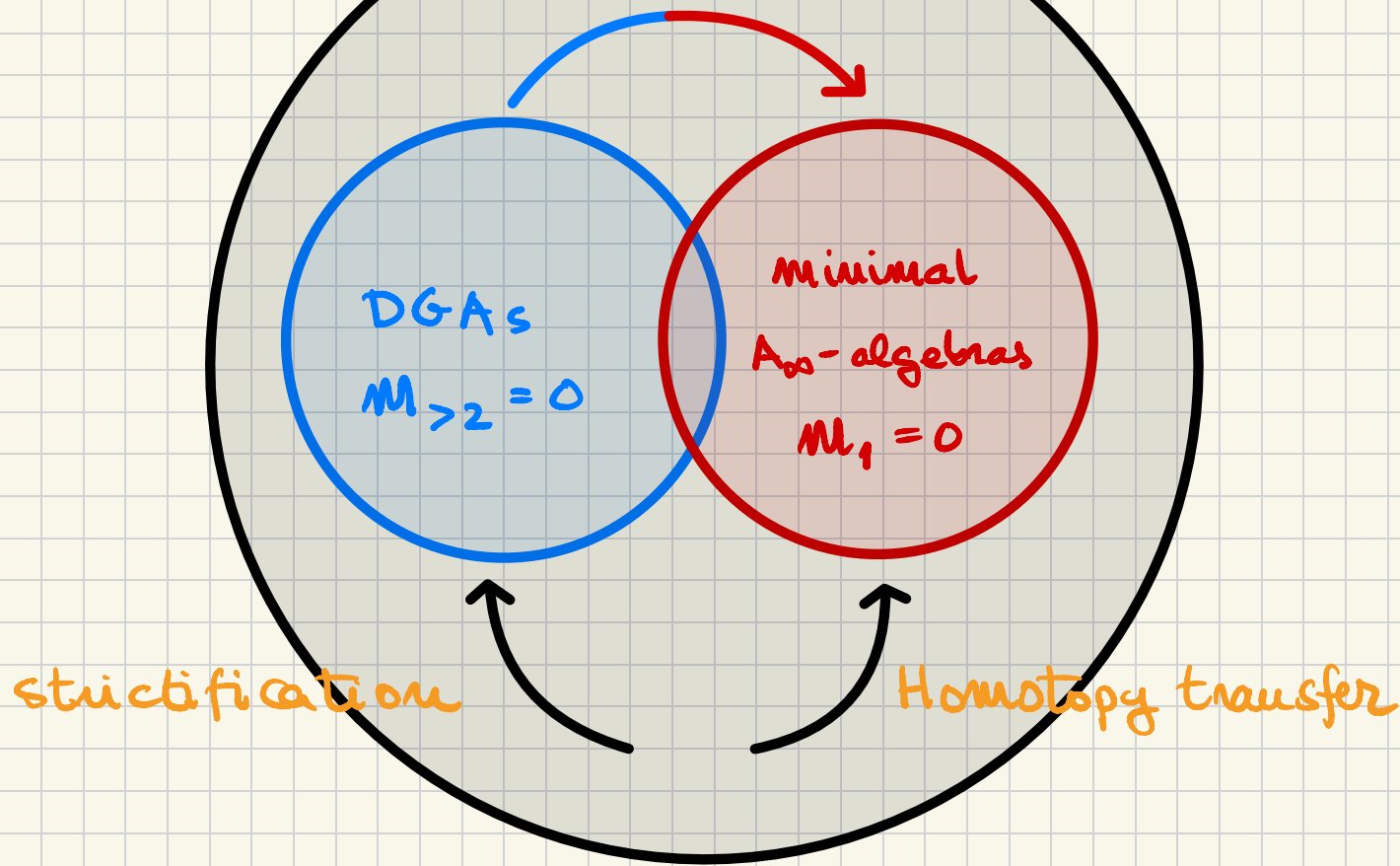
$$m_n: A \otimes \dots \otimes A \longrightarrow A \quad |m_n| = 2-n$$

such that:

- m_1 is a differential $m_1^2 = 0$ $xy = m_2(x, y)$
- m_1 satisfies the Leibniz rule w.r.t. the product m_2
- m_2 is homotopy associative w/ cochain homotopy m_3
 $x(yz) = (xy)z$
- ...

In particular $H^*(A)$ is a graded algebra with product induced by m_2 .

A_∞ -algebras



in the sense of homotopy theory

The **minimal model** of a DGA A with $H^*(A)$ concentrated in $d\mathbb{Z}$ looks like

$$(\underbrace{H^*(A)}_{\text{graded algebra}}, m_2, m_{d+2}, m_{2d+2}, m_{3d+2}, \dots)$$

The **universal Massey product of length $d+2$ ($(d+2)$ -UMP)** is
or Toda bracket

$$\{m_{d+2}\} \in HH^{d+2, -d}(H^*(A)) \text{ well defined by } A$$

For $d=1$ [Bauer-Dreckmann'89, Benson-Krause-Schwede'04]

Proposition:

$$\text{If } A \text{ is formal} \Rightarrow \{m_{d+2}\} = 0$$

A **d-Massey algebra** (B, m) is a graded algebra B concentrated in $d\mathbb{Z}$ equipped with

$$m \in HH^{d+2, -d}(B)$$

such that:

$$\frac{1}{2}[m, m] = 0 \quad \text{Gerstenhaber Lie bracket}$$

Example: $(H^*(A), \{m_{d+2}\})$ A DGA w/ $H^*(A)$ concentrated in $d\mathbb{Z}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{part of the data} \\ \downarrow \\ \{ \text{DGAs } A \text{ w/ } H^*(A) \cong B \} & \longrightarrow & HH^{d+2, -d}(B) \\ A & \longmapsto & \{m_{d+2}\} \end{array}$$

Source and target carry a compatible action of $\text{Aut}(B)$.

All DGAs in an orbit are quasi-isomorphic.

A d -Massey algebra (B, μ) is **intrinsically formal** if,
 given DGAs A_1, A_2

$$H^*(A_1) \cong H^*(A_2) \cong B \implies A_1 = A_2$$

$$\{\mu_{d+2}^{A_1}\} \mapsto \{\mu_{d+2}^{A_2}\} \mapsto \mu$$

↑ induced isomorphisms in Hochschild cohomology ↑

The **Hochschild cohomology** of a d -Massey algebra (B, μ)

$$HH^{*,*}(B, \mu)$$

is the cohomology of the complex

$$(HH^{*,*}(B), [\mu, -])$$

Gerstenhaber Lie bracket again

Theorem: Intrinsic formality criterion for d -Massey algebras

$$HH^{m+2, -m}(B, \mu) = 0 \text{ for } m > d \implies (B, \mu) \text{ intrinsically formal}$$

Main results

Theorem:

Given two DGAs Λ_1, Λ_2 such that $\Lambda_1 \in D^c(\Lambda_1)$ and $\Lambda_2 \in D^c(\Lambda_2)$ are $d\mathbb{Z}$ -CT

$$H^*(\Lambda_1) \cong H^*(\Lambda_2) \Rightarrow \Lambda_1 \simeq \Lambda_2.$$

Corollary:

The Donovan - Wemyss conjecture holds.

Proof:

The proof consists of two steps:

Let $\Lambda(\sigma, d) \cong H^*(\Lambda_1) \cong H^*(\Lambda_2)$.

1. Show that the $(d+2)$ -UMP's of Λ_1 and Λ_2

$$\{\mu_{d+2}^{\Lambda_1}\}, \{\mu_{d+2}^{\Lambda_2}\} \in HH^{d+2, -d}(\Lambda(\sigma, d))$$

belong to the same $\text{Aut}(\Lambda(\sigma, d))$ -orbit.

2. Show that the Hochschild cohomology of the d -Massey algebras of Λ_1 and Λ_2 satisfy

$$HH^{u+2, *}(\Lambda(\sigma, d), \{\mu_{d+2}^{\Lambda_i}\}) = 0, \quad u > d, \quad i=1, 2.$$



What's behind the intrinsic formality criteria?

B graded algebra concentrated in $d \in \mathbb{Z}$

$X_\infty :=$ classification space of DGAs A w/ $H^*(A) \cong B$
 $= \varinjlim_n X_n$ homotopy limit of a tower of fibrations

$X_n :=$ classification space of A_{n+2} -algebras A w/ $H^*(A) = B$
 $0 \leq n \leq \infty$ truncated A_∞ -algebras

Bousfield-Kan spectral sequence $E_n^{pq} \Rightarrow \pi_{q-p}(X_\infty)$

Base point a DGA A . It carries obstructions by [Bousfield '89]

$E_2^{pq} = HH^{p+1, -q}(B) \Rightarrow$ [Kadeishvili '88]
 mostly

$E_3^{pq} = HH^{p+1, -q}(B, \{m_{d+2}\}) \Rightarrow$ Intrinsic formality criterion for d -Massey algebras.
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