

MOTIVIC BAR COMODULES ASSOATED TO POLYLOGARITHMS AND AOMOTO POLYLOGARITHM

1. AOMOTO POLYLOG AND BLOCH-KRIZ HOPF ALGEBRA

1.1. Aomoto polylog and associate mixed Hodge structure.

Setting: $\mathbf{A}^n = \mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{C}}^n$: the n dimensional affine space. $D = \bigcup_{i=1}^n D_i \subset \mathbf{A}^n$, $E = \bigcup_{i=0}^n E_i \subset \mathbf{A}^n$ be hyperplane arrangement (=union of hyperplane). In the following, we assume that $D \cup E$ is a normal crossing divisor.

We set

$$\begin{aligned} H_{dR}^n(\mathbf{A} - D, E - D/\mathbf{C}) &= H^n(\mathbf{A}^n - D, j_! \mathbf{C}), \\ H_B^n(\mathbf{A} - D, E - D, \mathbf{Q}) &= H^n(\mathbf{A}^n - D, j_! \mathbf{Q}) \end{aligned}$$

where $j : \mathbf{A} - D - D \subset \mathbf{A} - D$ is the natural inclusion. We choose a linear form f_i on \mathbf{A}^n such that $D_i = Z(f_i)$ (=the zero locus of f_i). Then

$$\Omega = \bigwedge_{i=1}^n d \log f_i$$

defines a relative cohomology group $H_{dR}^n(\mathbf{A} - D, E - D/\mathbf{C})$

We choose a n -dimensional topological cycle $\sigma \in \mathbf{A}^n$ such that $\sigma \subset (\mathbf{A}^n - D)$ and $\partial\sigma \subset E$. Then σ defines an element in the relative homology group

$$H_n(\mathbf{A} - D, E - D, \mathbf{Q})$$

The integral

$$L(D, E) = \int_{\sigma} \Omega$$

is called a Aomoto polylogarithm. Its motivic nature is studied in [BGSV].

Proposition 1.1. (1)

$$H_B^i(\mathbf{A} - D, E - D, \mathbf{Q}) = 0$$

if $i \neq n$.

(2) We have the weight filtration W_{\bullet} on $H_B^i(\mathbf{A} - D, E - D, \mathbf{Q})$ and

$$\text{Gr}_{2p}^W(H_B^n(\mathbf{A} - D, E - D, \mathbf{Q})) = \mathbf{Q}(-p)^{b_p}$$

$$b_p := \binom{n}{p} \binom{n}{n-p}$$

So, it is equipped with a (natural) mixed Tate Hodge structure.

We set $A_{Hg}(D, E) = H_B^n(\mathbf{A} - D, E - D, \mathbf{Q})$ (a mixed Hodge structure.)

1.2. Bloch Kriz Hopf algebra.

$$Z^i(\text{pt}, j) = \text{Bloch (cubical) } j\text{-th cycle complex of codimension} = i \\ + (\text{admissibility condition})$$

Admissibility = admissibility for the faces of $\square^i = (\mathbf{P}^1 - \{\infty\})^n$. We set

$$N^i(j) = Z^j(\text{pt}, 2j - i), \quad N(j) = N^\bullet(j) = \bigoplus_i N^i(j), \quad N = N^\bullet = \bigoplus_j N(j)$$

Then N becomes a DGA.

Augmentation: $\epsilon : N \rightarrow N^0(0) = \mathbf{Q}$. becomes an augmentation. Bar complex $B(N)$

$$B(N) = \begin{array}{ccccccc} \mathbf{Q} & \oplus & N & \oplus & N \otimes N & \oplus & N \otimes N \otimes N & \oplus \dots \\ \parallel & & \parallel & & \parallel & & \parallel & \\ \mathbf{Q} & & [N] & & [N | N] & & [N | N | N] & \dots \end{array}$$

+ bar differential Then

Proposition 1.2. $H_{BK} = H^0(B(N))$ becomes a Hopf algebra, which is called Bloch-Kriz Hopf algebra.

Definition 1.3. A comodule over H_{BK} is called a mixed Tate motif (in the sense of Bloch-Kriz). The category of mixed Tate motives are denoted by (MTM). A natural realization functor to the category MTHS of mixed Tate Hodge structures

$$\omega_{Hg} : (\text{MTM}) \rightarrow (\text{MTHS})$$

is defined in [BK].

Problem 1.4. It there an object $A_M(D, E)$ in (MTM) such that

$$\omega_{Hg}(A_M(D, E)) = A_{Hg}(D, E)$$

The related problem for polylogarithms [BK], [T], multiple polylogarithms [GGL], [FJ] are previously studied.

1.3. Main theorem. We have the following main theorem.

Theorem 1.5. There exists explicit (combinatorial) construction of $A_M(D, E)$. It is constructed as follows.

Underlying space $V = \bigoplus V_{-p}$ with $\dim V_{-p} = \mathbf{Q}^{b_p}$. We define ∇

$$\nabla : V = V_{-p} \rightarrow V_{-q} \otimes N^1(p - q).$$

with the coefficients in Bloch cycle algebra which can be computed combinatorially.

A coefficient is obtained by using a linear sequence of codimension one affine inclusions, for example

$$S : W_0 \xrightarrow{f_0} W_1 \xrightarrow{f_1} W_2 \xleftarrow{f_2} W_3 \xrightarrow{f_3} W_4 \xleftarrow{f_4} W_5$$

whose arrows are codimension one affine inclusions.

$$\theta_i =: \square^1 \times W_i \rightarrow W_i$$

is a homotopy to a contraction to a point, i.e. by choosing a coordinate $\theta_i(t_i, x_i) = t_i x_i$. Note that $\theta_i(1, *) = \text{id}$ and $\theta_i(0, *) = 0$.

For this diagram, we associate the equation

$$x_0 = f_0^{-1} \theta_1 f_1^{-1} \theta_2 f_2 \theta_3 f_3^{-1} \theta_4 f_4(0)$$

This is really a set of equations. We rewrite this using $x = f^{-1}(y) \leftrightarrow f(x) = y$.

$$\begin{aligned} f_0(x_0) &= \theta_1 f_1^{-1} \theta_2 f_2 \theta_3 f_3^{-1} \theta_4 f_4(0) \\ &= \theta_1(x_1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(x_1) &= \theta_2 f_2 \theta_3 f_3^{-1} \theta_4 f_4(0) \\ &= \theta_2 f_2 \theta_3(x_3) \end{aligned}$$

$$f_3(x_3) = \theta_4 f_4(0)$$

By forgetting the variable x_0 , we obtain a codimension 3 subvariety Z_S in $\square^4 = \{(t_1, \dots, t_4)\}$. Thus we get $Z_S \in Z^3(\text{pt}, 4)$.

2. DG COMPLEX AND HOMOTOPICAL MODIFICATION

Recall \mathcal{C} : DG-category. i.e.

- (1) $\text{Hom}^\bullet(A, B) = (\text{Hom}^\bullet(A, B), \partial) = \text{Hom-complex}$ for $A, B \in \text{ob}(\mathcal{C})$
- (2) $A, B, C \in \text{ob}$, the data called composite homomorphism

$$\text{tot}(\text{Hom}^\bullet(B, C) \otimes \text{Hom}^\bullet(A, B)) \rightarrow \text{Hom}^\bullet(A, C)$$

as a homomorphism of complexes are given.

- (3) Associativity, etc. for composite homomorphisms.

Definition 2.1. [BK2]

- (1) Pair (V^\bullet, d_\bullet) , where $V^i \in \text{ob}(\mathcal{C}), d_{ij} \in \text{Hom}(V^j, V^i)$ for $j < i$ is called a DG-complex if $d^2 = \partial d$ (with a suitable sign convention) holds, where $d = \sum_{i>j} d_{ij}$
- (2) If all d_{ij} 's are degree 1, it is called concentrated at zero.

Example 2.2. Four terms case. Then d_{ij} is given as a homomorphisms

$$V^0 \xrightarrow{d_{10}} V^1 \xrightarrow{d_{21}} V^2 \xrightarrow{d_{32}} V^3$$

and $d_{20} : V^0 \rightarrow V^2, d_{31} : V^1 \rightarrow V^3, d_{30} : V^0 \rightarrow V^3$. The condition $d^2 = \partial d$ is equal to

$$d_{21}d_{10} + \partial d_{20} = 0, \quad d_{32}d_{21} + \partial d_{31} = 0, \quad d_{32}d_{20} + d_{31}d_{10} + \partial d_{30} = 0,$$

Example 2.3. \mathcal{C}_{MTM} : DG-category of mixed Tate motives. Objects are finite direct sum of $\mathbf{Q}(i)$. Morphisms are characterized by

$$\text{Hom}^\bullet(\mathbf{Q}, \mathbf{Q}(i)) = N^\bullet(i)$$

Composite = multiplication of N .

Proposition 2.4. *Let $V = \{V^\bullet, \nabla_{\bullet, \bullet}\}$ be a DG-complex concentrated at degree 0. We set $V = \oplus V^\bullet$ and $\nabla = \sum \nabla_{\bullet, \bullet}$. We set*

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_V &= \text{id} + [\nabla] + [\nabla | \nabla] + [\nabla | \nabla | \nabla] + \dots \\ &: V \rightarrow V \otimes B \end{aligned}$$

induces a coproduct structure on V over $H_{BK} = H^0(B)$.

2.1. Homotopical modification. We use the situation in the previous subsection. $\{V^\bullet, \alpha_{\bullet, \bullet}\}$ DG-complex in \mathcal{C} . Suppose that the following data are given

- (1) For each i , $P^i \in \mathcal{C}$.
- (2) For each i two closed degree zero morphisms $P^i \xrightarrow{\pi^*} K^i$ and $K^i \xrightarrow{i^*} P^i$ satisfying $i^* \pi^* = \text{id}$.
- (3) For each i morphisms $\theta \in \text{Hom}^{-1}(K^i, K^i)$ satisfying $\pi^* i^* = \text{id} - \partial \theta$.

P^\bullet is called a retraction of K^\bullet . Sums of i^* and π^* for \bullet , it is also denoted by i^*, π^* .

Theorem 2.5. *We set*

$$\begin{aligned} \beta &= i^* \alpha \pi^* + i^* \alpha \theta \alpha \pi^* + i^* \alpha \theta \alpha \theta \alpha \pi^* + \dots \\ &= \sum_{n \geq 0} i^* \alpha (\theta \alpha)^n \pi^* \\ &= \sum \beta_{\bullet, \bullet} \end{aligned}$$

Then $\{P^\bullet, \beta_{\bullet, \bullet}\}$ is a DG-complex and it is called a homotopical modification of K^\bullet .

Example 2.6. *We consider the following situation.*

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & & \theta & & \\ K^0 & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & K^1 & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & K^2 \\ \pi^* \uparrow & & i^* \downarrow \uparrow \pi^* & & \downarrow i^* \\ K^0 & \xrightarrow{\beta_{10} = i^* \alpha \pi^*} & K^1 & \xrightarrow{\beta_{21} = i^* \alpha \pi^*} & K^2 \end{array}$$

and set $\beta_{20} : K^0 \xrightarrow{i^ \alpha \theta \alpha \pi^*} K^2$. Then $\{P^\bullet, \beta_{\bullet, \bullet}\}$ becomes a DG-complex.*

3. HIGHER ALGEBRAIC CORRESPONDENCES AND HOMOTOPICAL MODIFICATION

3.1. Higher correspondences. X, Y smooth varieties. Algebraic correspondence $Z \in \text{Hom}(h(Y), h(X))$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} Z & \subset & X \times Y \\ \text{proper} \searrow & & \downarrow \\ & & X \end{array}$$

Higher algebraic correspondence $Z \in \text{Hom}^i(h(Y), h(X))$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} Z & \subset & \square^i \times X \times Y \\ \text{proper} \searrow & & \downarrow \\ & & \square^i \times X \end{array}$$

+ admissibility condition.

Definition 3.1. “DG-category” with homomorphism complex $= \text{Hom}^\bullet(h(X)(i)[2i], h(Y))$ is denoted by \mathcal{C}_{MM} and called the “DG-category” of mixed motives.

Remark 3.2. Admissibility condition is not preserve by composite.

Example 3.3. (1) If $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is a morphism then the graph is a correspondence $\Gamma_f = \{(x, f(x))\}$ it is denoted by f^* .

(2) If $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is a closed immersion, then the transpose ${}^t\Gamma_f$ of the graph Γ_f is a correspondence $f_! = {}^t\Gamma_f \in \text{Hom}(h(X)(-d)[-2d], h(Y))$ is called the Gysin map.

3.2. Aomoto polylog complex. We recall the situation:

$$D = \cup_i D_i, E = \cup E_j \subset \mathbf{A}^n$$

For $I \subset \{1, \dots, n\}, J \subset \{0, \dots, n\}$, we set

$$D_I = \cap_{i \in I} D_i, \quad E_J = \cap_{j \in J} E_j$$

We consider the following codimension one embeddings:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} D_I \cap E_J & \subset & D_{I-\{p\}} \cap E_J \\ \cup & & \\ D_I \cap E_{J \cup \{q\}} & & \end{array}$$

We set $h(I, J) = h(D_I \cap E_J)(-\#I)[-2\#I]$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} h(I, J) & \rightarrow & h(I - \{p\}, J) \\ \downarrow & & \\ h(I, J \cup \{q\}) & & \end{array}$$

Thus we have the following “DG-complex” $\{K^\bullet, \alpha\}$ in \mathcal{C}_{MM} .

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \bigoplus_{\#J=0}^{\#I=n} h(I, J) & \rightarrow & \bigoplus_{\#J=0}^{\#I=n-1} h(I, J) & \rightarrow & \bigoplus_{\#J=0}^{\#I=n-2} h(I, J) \\ & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ & & \bigoplus_{\#J=2}^{\#I=n-2} h(I, J) & \rightarrow & \bigoplus_{\#J=1}^{\#I=n-2} h(I, J) \\ & & & & \downarrow \\ & & & & \bigoplus_{\#J=2}^{\#I=n-2} h(I, J) \end{array}$$

3.3. Retraction. We fix an identification:

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{A}^{n-\#I-\#J} \simeq D_I \cap E_J$$

The image of 0 is denoted by $p_{I,J}$. Then $\theta \in \text{Hom}^{-1}(h(D_I \cap E_J), h(D_I \cap E_J))$ defined by

$$\square^1 \times \mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{A} \supset \{(t, x, tx)\} = \theta$$

give a retraction of $h(D_I \cap E_J) \xrightarrow[\pi^*]{i^*} h(p_{I,J})$. (Since $\theta(0, *) = p_{I,J}, \theta(1, *) = \text{id}$ the face map induces $\text{id} - \pi^* i^*$). We set $P(I, J) = h(p_{I,J})(-\#I)[-2\#I]$.

Theorem 3.4. *Let (P^\bullet, β) be the homotopy modification of $\{K^\bullet, \alpha_{\bullet, \bullet}\}$. Then homomorphisms satisfies admissibility conditions. It defines a DG-complex in \mathcal{C}_{MTM}*

3.4. Conclusion, last step. Now we consider the homotopical modification which is concentrated in 0.

Proposition 3.5. *By restricting β to the vertical subset, the DG-complex is induced by morphisms of vector spaces and actually a complex*

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \bigoplus_{\#J=0}^{\#I=n} P(I, J) & \bigoplus_{\#J=0}^{\#I=n-1} P(I, J) & \bigoplus_{\#J=0}^{\#I=n-2} P(I, J) \\
 & \downarrow & \downarrow \\
 & \bigoplus_{\#J=2}^{\#I=n-2} P(I, J) & \bigoplus_{\#J=1}^{\#I=n-2} P(I, J) \\
 & & \downarrow \\
 & & \bigoplus_{\#J=2}^{\#I=n-2} P(I, J)
 \end{array}$$

More over the homology for the vertical arrow vanishes except for the last step.

We again apply the homotopical modification so that it becomes a DG-complex concentrated at degree zero.

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