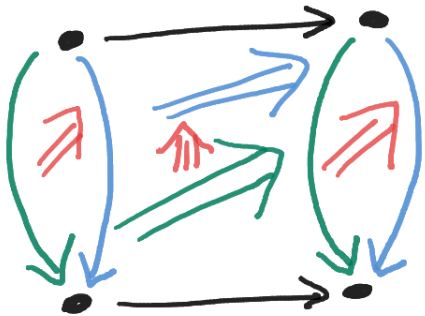
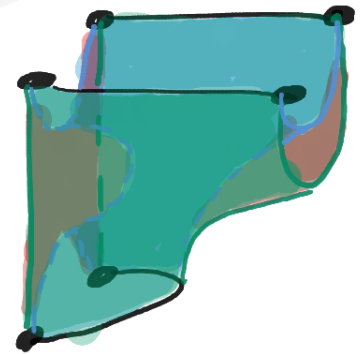


Non-semisimple WRT AS  
non-compact fully extended  
Relative TQFTs



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# Overview:

$\mathcal{V}$  (non-semisimple) modular

3D

extends to the point  
Baire-Kuratowski  
(2+1)  $\uparrow$

4D

(3+1)

Explicit constructions of TQFTs  
low dimensional topology

Witten Reshetikhin Turaev  
DGGPR

Turaev Viro  
 $\mathcal{V} = \mathbb{Z}(e)$   
CGPV

Crane Yetter  
CGHP

Classification of TQFTs by the  
Cobordism Hypothesis  
Higher Algebra

TODAY

Daglas - Spence - Snyder  
e is 3-dualizable  
in Tens

Braid - Jordan - Snyder  
 $\mathcal{V}$  is 4-dualizable  
in BrTens  
BJSJ?

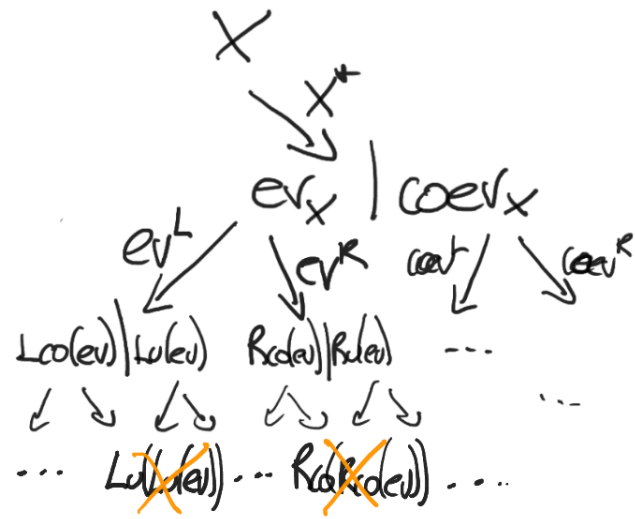
Tens = {  
tensor categories  
bimodule categories  
functors  
natural transformations

BrTens = {  
braided tensor cocomplete qt.  
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bimodules  
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natural transformations

# Non-compact Cobordism Hypothesis:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Non-compact fully extended} \\ \text{framed } n\text{-TQFTs } \mathbb{Z}: \text{Bord}_n^{\text{fr}} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \end{array} \right\} \xrightarrow[\text{ev}_{\text{pe}}]{\sim} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Non-compact-} n\text{-dualizable} \\ \text{object } X \in \mathbb{C} \end{array} \right\}$$

Idea (Lurie):



**Non-compact:** top-dimensional bordisms have outgoing boundary in every c.c.  
 $\leadsto$  Disallow  $B^n: S^{n-1} \rightarrow \emptyset$

# Can we get WRT from the Cobordism Hypothesis?

⚠ WRT needs cobordisms with extra structure

Freed  
Teleman

WRT relative to CY

Walker



①  $M \xrightarrow{W} \emptyset$

$\mathbb{C} \xrightarrow{\partial} \text{SU}(n) \xrightarrow{\alpha(W)} \mathbb{C}$

WRT

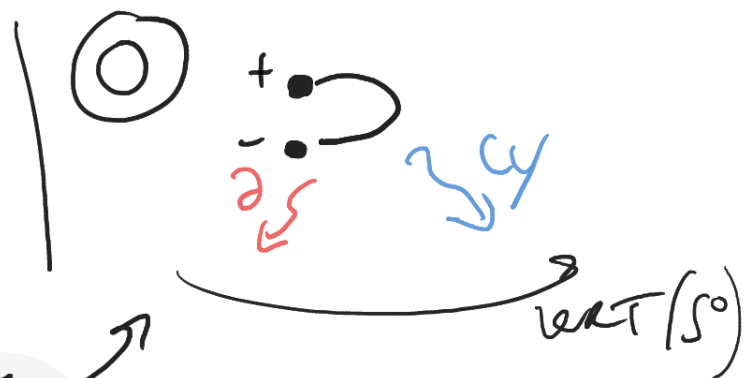
Annotations:  $\partial$  (red),  $\alpha(W)$  (blue),  $\text{CY}$  (blue)

②  $\Sigma \xrightarrow{H} \emptyset$

$\text{Vect} \xrightarrow{\partial(\Sigma)} \text{CY}(\Sigma) \xrightarrow{\text{CY}(H)} \text{Vect}$

WRT

Annotations:  $\partial$  (red),  $\partial(\Sigma)$  (red),  $\text{CY}(\Sigma)$  (blue),  $\text{CY}(H)$  (blue)

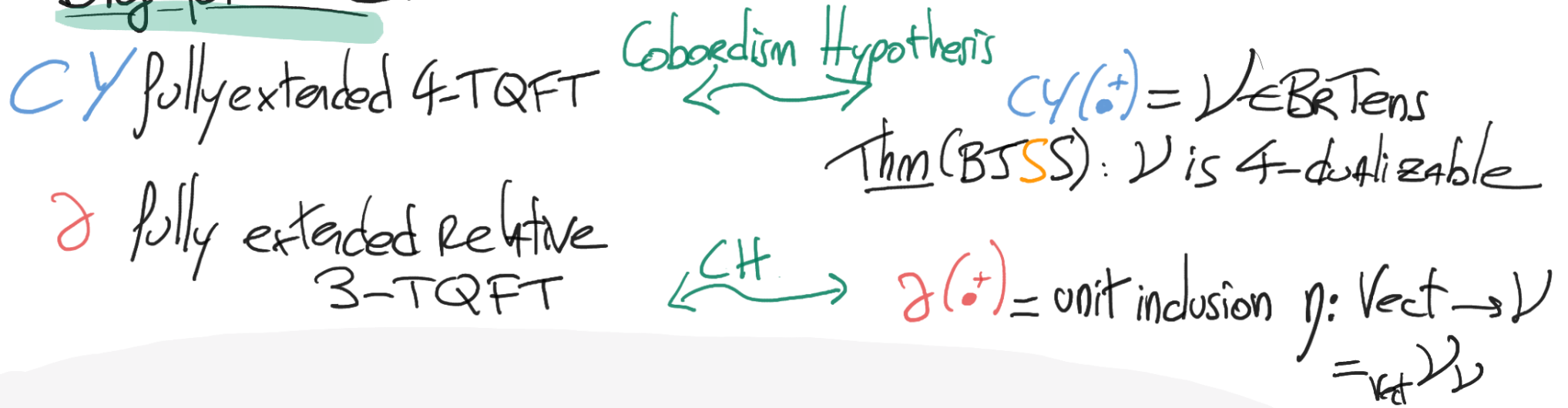


⚠ WRT does not extend to the point

⚠ DGPR only defined on admissible cobordisms

Non-compact  
Cobordism Hypothesis

# Big picture:

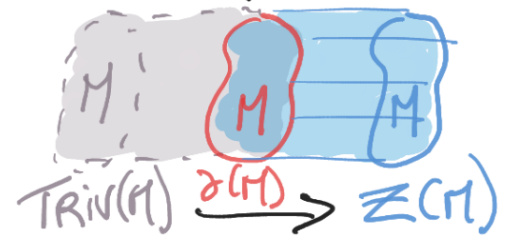


Theorem (H.)  $\eta$  is **non-c-3-dualizable**  
in the non-semisimple case  $\uparrow$  in the sense of SS

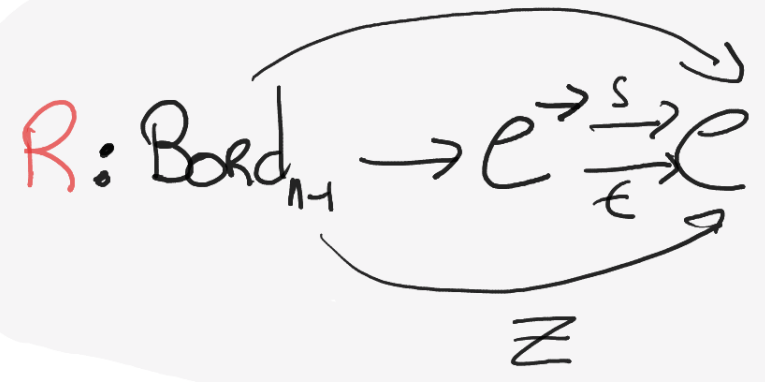
Conjecture:  $\mathcal{V} + \eta \xleftrightarrow[\text{BSS} + \text{H}]{\text{CH}} \mathcal{Z} \approx \mathcal{V} + \mathcal{Z} \xrightarrow{\text{compose}} \text{WRT}$

# I Relative TQFTs

Freed-Tekman: boundary condition for  $\mathbb{Z}$ :  
 "transformation"  $R: \text{TRIV} \Rightarrow \mathbb{Z}|_{n-1}$

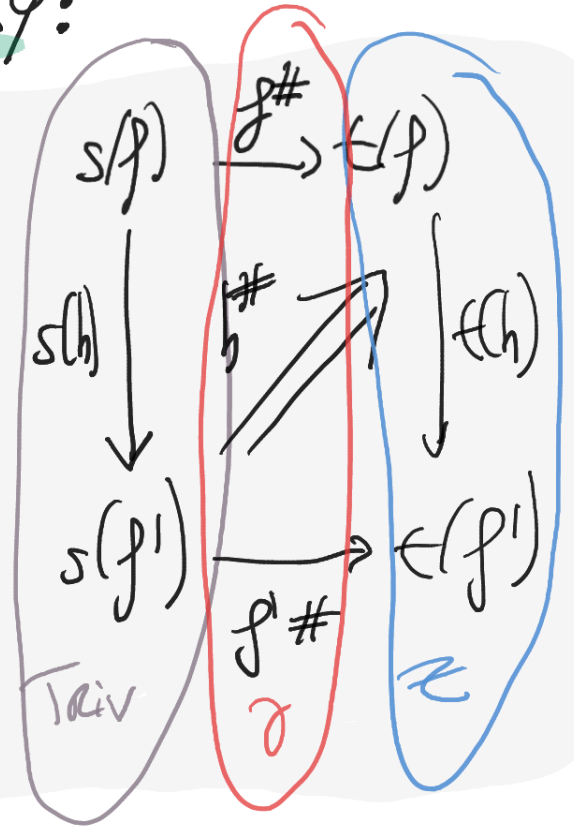


Johnson-Freyd - Scheimbauer's model:  
 $\text{opnx}$   $\text{TRIV}$



## ARROW CATEGORY:

- $\mathcal{C}^{\rightarrow} =$
- ARROW "f"
  - opnx
  - SQUARE "h"
  - $f \rightarrow f'$
  - ...



$R_k: R \xleftarrow{\mathcal{C}^{\#}} R(\bullet^+): \text{TRIV}(\bullet^+) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}(\bullet^+)$   
 (n-1)-dualizable  
 in  $\mathcal{C}^{\rightarrow}$

Main Result: We can use the Cobordism Hypothesis on  $\eta$ !

Theorem (H.)  $\forall \mathcal{B} \in \text{RTens}$ , enough compact projectives  
 $\eta = \text{Vect}_{\mathcal{B}} \in \text{RTens}^{\rightarrow}$ , then:

$\eta$  3-dualizable  $\Leftrightarrow \forall \mathcal{B}$  cp-rigid with cp unit

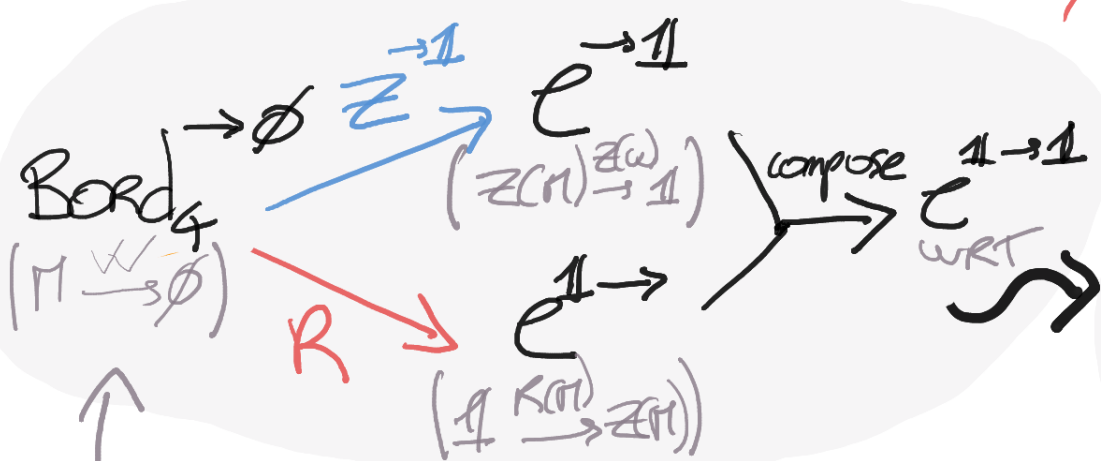
$\eta$  non-compact-3-dualizable  $\Leftrightarrow \forall \mathcal{B}$  cp-rigid

$\forall$  (non-semisimple) modular: semisimple:  $\eta$  is 3-dualizable  
non-ss:  $\eta$  is NOT 3-d but it is n-c-3-d.

# Rebuilding WRT:

$\mathcal{V} + \mathcal{H}$

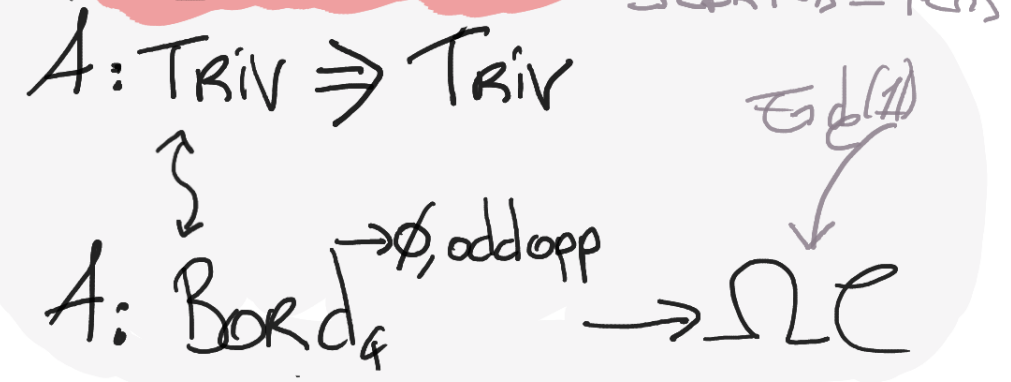
$$\begin{aligned} & \xrightarrow{\text{BSSS} + \mathcal{H}} \mathcal{C} - \mathcal{H} \\ & + \text{ORIENTATION ISSUES} \triangle \\ \mathcal{Z} &: \text{Bord}_4 \rightarrow \mathcal{C} \\ + \\ \mathcal{R} &: \text{Bord}_3 \rightarrow \mathcal{C} \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{cases} \mathcal{Z} : \mathcal{Z}|_{n-1} \Rightarrow \text{TRIV} \\ \mathcal{R} : \text{TRIV} \Rightarrow \mathcal{Z}|_{n-1} \end{cases}$$

- obj:  $S^0 \xrightarrow{\mathcal{C}} \emptyset$
- 1-m:  $\mathcal{R} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{Z}} \emptyset$
- 2-m:  $\mathbb{H} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{H}} \emptyset$
- 3-m:  $M \xrightarrow{\mathcal{W}} \emptyset$

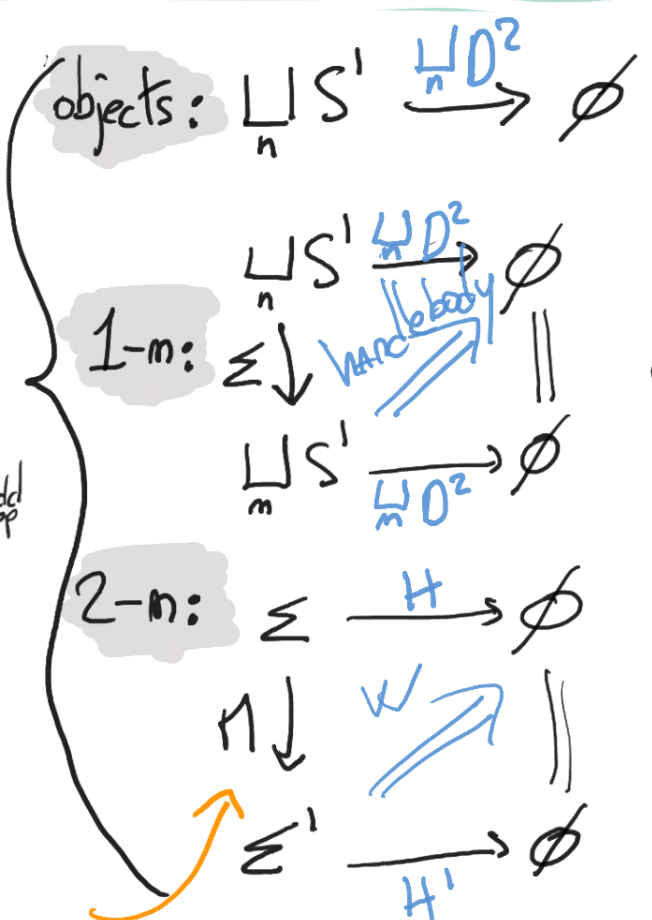
## Anomalous theory





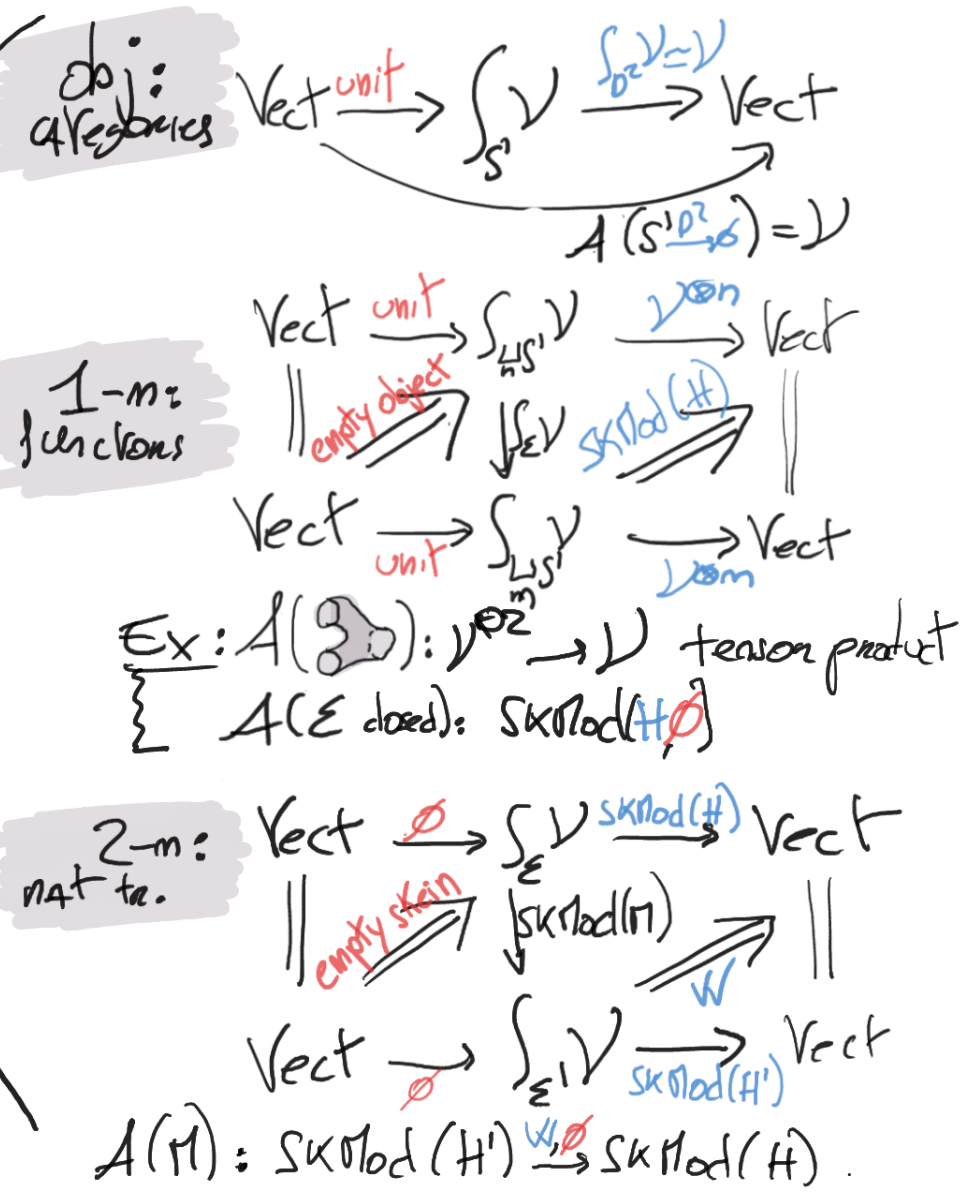
# WRT AS AN ANOMALOUS THEORY:

filled  
 $\text{Cob}_{321} =$   
 $\Omega \text{Bord}_4 \rightarrow \text{add}_{\text{opp}}$

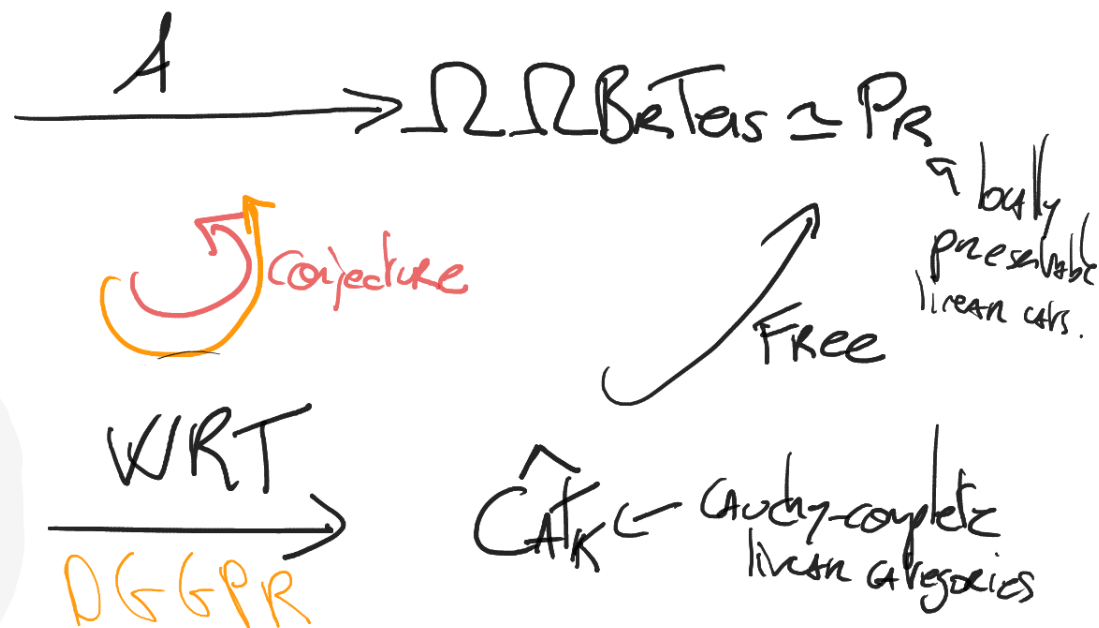
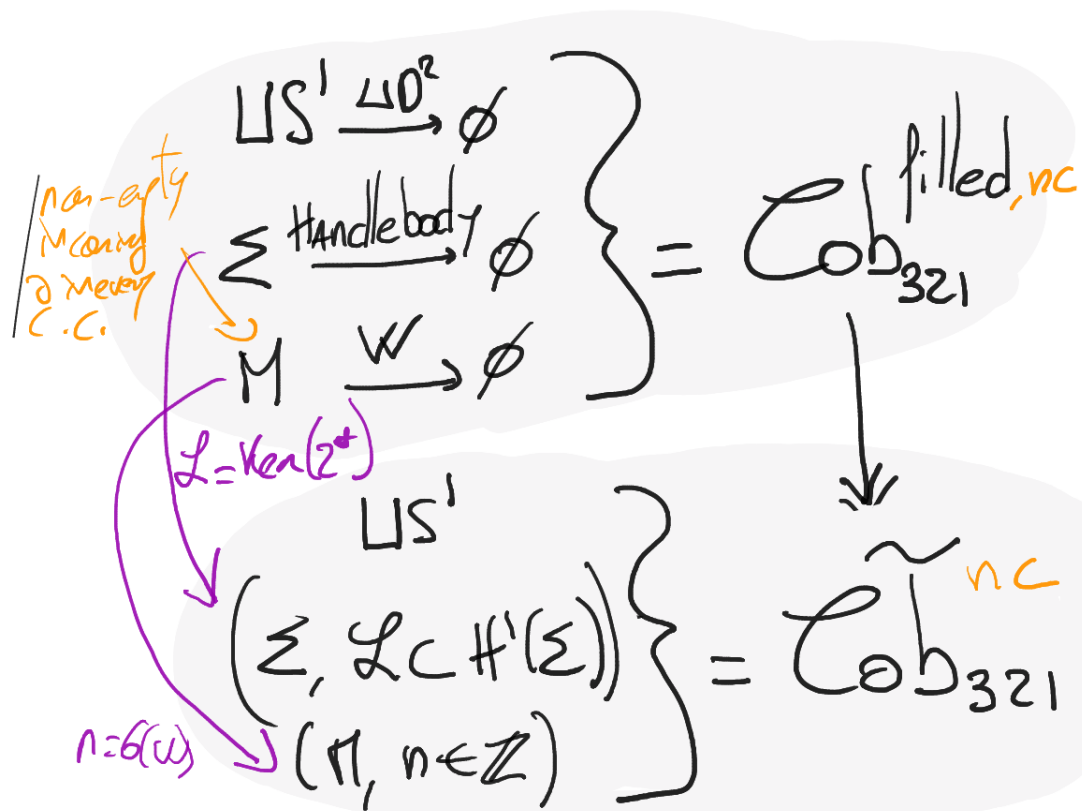


$\mathbb{A}$

$\Omega \Omega \text{BaTens} = \text{PR}$



$\mathcal{V}$  (non-semisimple) modular  
Conjecture:  $\exists Z_{\mathcal{V}}: \text{Bord}_4^{\text{OR}} \rightarrow \text{BR Tens}$ ,  $R_{\mathcal{V}}: \text{Bord}_3^{\text{OR/PC}} \rightarrow \text{BR Tens} \rightarrow$   
 such that:  $Z_{\mathcal{V}}(\bullet^+) = \mathcal{V}$   $R_{\mathcal{V}}(\bullet^+) = \eta$   
 $\epsilon \circ R_{\mathcal{V}} = Z_{\mathcal{V}}|_{\text{Bord}_3}$



Thank you!

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