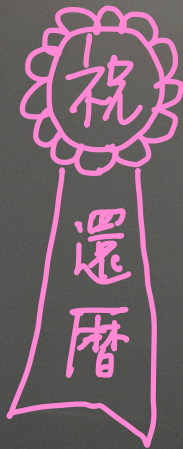


# Singularity

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## 0. Memorial Facts



① 2017.7.15 @ Yokohama  
At an event for female students  
in Science. 1st time in person.

② 2017.9.1 @ Kavli IPMU  
I became a member.  
- 10th anniversary  
"Beethoven's 9th" Chorus  
- Art activity Photos

③ 2019.10.28 @ Kavli IPMU  
Original & New Tshirts  
on 12th anniversary

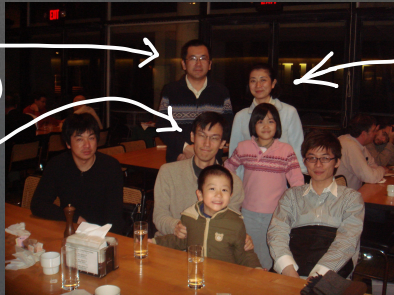
# 1. Institute for Advanced Study in Princeton ~2007~



Hiraku  
Nakajima (Kyoto)



Yuji Tachikawa  
(IAS Postdoc)



Yukari Ito  
(Nagoya)

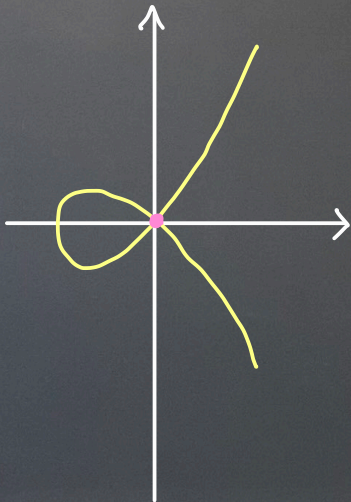


← Picture at IAS  
restaurant.

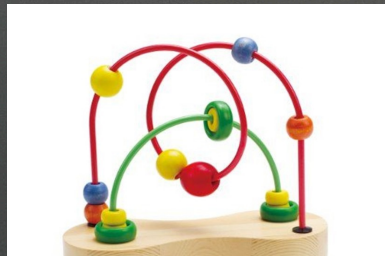
We were invited to a special dinner with director of IAS and met President of U.Tokyo Komiyama in October 2007. He asked the most important thing at the Institute, we answered Good Restaurant with Good foods! We are still waiting for it!

## 2. Singularity

something different  
from other points.



non-singular



### 3. Mathematics @ Kavli IPMU "singularity of Kavli IPMU"

When I came to Kavli IPMU



Prof. Kyoji Saito

who was my host  
when I was a PD at RIMS.



Dr. Yusuke Nakajima

Came as Postdoc.  
now ass. prof. of  
Kyoto-Sangyo Univ.



Dr. Yusuke Sato  
Came as PhD student  
Now, Lecturer of  
Osaka Inst. of Tech.

and nice postdocs !!!

"McKay conferences" & Book.



2020



2023

## 4. Other activities @ Kavli IPM U

- Colloquium Organizer
- Exhibition of Mathematics
- Outreach talks

### Women in Math & Physic

- Women's Lunch (Every Wed)
- 3 conferences

"The world of..."

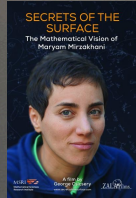
with Ikkatai, Yamazaki



and Choir, Piano, Ikebana!

- Add Japanese subtitles on a movie of a female Fields Laureate. with Ikkatai & Yamazaki.

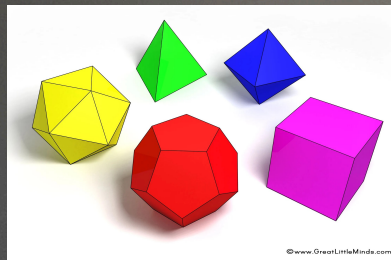
- Internship of undergraduate female students.



## 5. Finite groups

A finite subgroup of  $SL(2, \mathbb{C})$  is isomorphic to one of the following groups:

- $A_n$  cyclic group
- $D_n$  binary dihedral group
- $E_6$  binary tetrahedral group
- $E_7$  binary octahedral group
- $E_8$  binary icosahedral group



Platonic solids  
(= regular polyhedron)

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polyhedral group  $\subset SO(3)$

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binary polyhedral group  
 $E_6, E_7, E_8 \subset SU(2)$

# 6. McKay quiver

Quiver =  $\{Q_0, Q_1\}$   
 vertex  $\uparrow$  arrows

$\rho_i =$  irreducible representation of  $G/n$

$\rho_{nat} : G \rightarrow GL(n, \mathbb{C})$  : natural rep.

$$\rho_{nat} \otimes \rho_i = \sum a_{ij} \rho_j$$

Theorem (J. McKay)

$G \subset SL(2, \mathbb{C})$  finite group

$$a_{ij} = a_{ji} = 0 \text{ or } 1$$

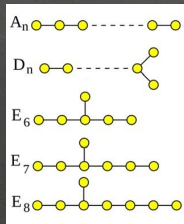
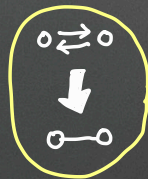
McKay quiver  $\rightarrow$  Dynkin diagram of A, D, E.

McKay quiver

is given by

$$a_{ij} \leftrightarrow \begin{matrix} \textcircled{i} & \xrightarrow{1} & \textcircled{j} \\ & \vdots & \\ & \xrightarrow{1} & \end{matrix}$$

$a_{ij} = \#$  arrows from  $i \rightarrow j$



Simple Lie algebra  $\leftrightarrow$





## 7. Quotient Singularity

finite group  $G \curvearrowright \mathbb{C}^n$

quotient space  $\mathbb{C}^n/G$  may have **singularity**.

Example  $G = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon & 0 \\ 0 & \varepsilon^{-1} \end{pmatrix} \mid \varepsilon^n = 1 \right\rangle$

invariant ring

$$\mathbb{C}[u, v]^G = \mathbb{C} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} u^n & v^n & uv \\ \parallel & \parallel & \parallel \\ x & y & z \end{array} \right]$$

$$= \mathbb{C}[x, y, z] / (xy - z^n)$$

$\therefore \mathbb{C}^2/G$  is defined by  $xy - z^n = 0$  in  $\mathbb{C}^3$

$\rightsquigarrow A_{n-1}$  singularity

$G \subset SL(2, \mathbb{C})$  : finite.

$\mathbb{C}^2/G$  is defined by the following equations and have a singularity at  $(0,0,0) \in \mathbb{C}^3$ .

$$A_n : x^2 + y^2 + z^{n+1} = 0 \quad (n \geq 1),$$

$$D_n : x^2 + y^2z + z^{n-1} = 0 \quad (n \geq 4),$$

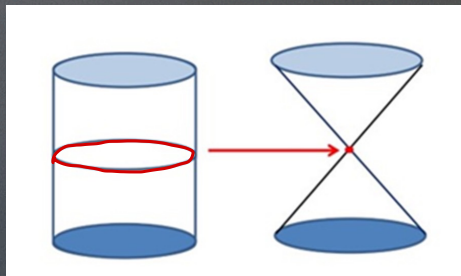
$$E_6 : x^2 + y^3 + z^4 = 0,$$

$$E_7 : x^2 + y^3 + yz^3 = 0,$$

$$E_8 : x^2 + y^3 + z^5 = 0$$

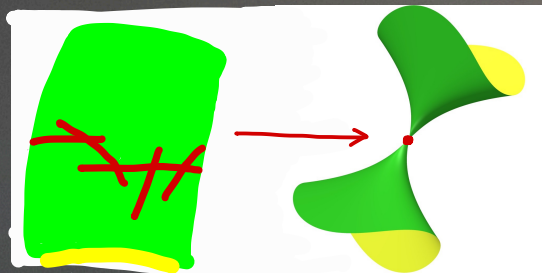
## 8. Resolution of singularity (blow-up)

The minimal singularity of  $\mathbb{C}^2/G$  gives exceptional curves  $\cong \mathbb{P}^1$

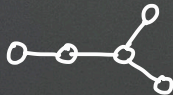


the minimal resolution of  
 $A_1$  singularity.  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 0$

$D_5$  singularity  $x^2 + y^2 z + z^4 = 0$



↕ dual graph



$D_5$  Dynkin diagram.

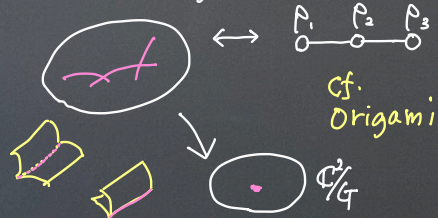
# 9. McKay correspondence

Theorem 1 (Gonzalez-Sprinberg & Verdier)

$\Gamma \subset SL(2, \mathbb{C})$  finite,

$\exists$  bijection

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{irreducible} \\ \text{exceptional curve} \end{array} \right\} \leftrightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{non-trivial} \\ \text{irreducible rep.} \end{array} \right\}$



$\rightsquigarrow$  Derived McKay corresp. (Kapranov et al)

## $\rightarrow$ 3-dim McKay correspondence

- Construction of crepant resolution (I, Markushevich, Roan)
- McKay corresp.  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{I. Reid} \\ \text{I. Nakajima} \end{array} \right.$

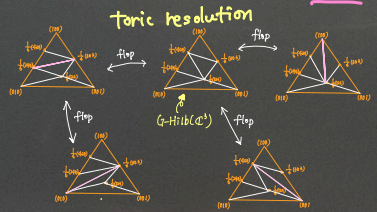
$\rightsquigarrow$  Derived McKay correspondence

[Bondal et al]  $\rightarrow$  Bridgeland-King-Reid

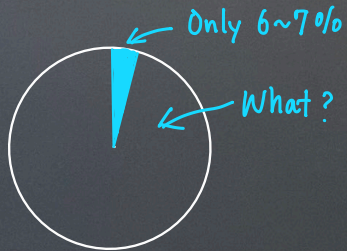
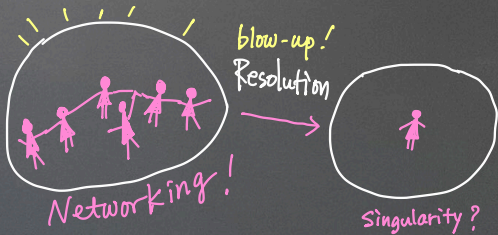
cf. Toda.

$\rightsquigarrow$  Mirror Symmetry Milanov, Abe

Dimer model  
McKay quiver



# 10. Resolution of Singularity for Women in STEM



- ★ AOWM  
(Asian-Oceanian Women in Math)  
Ec → President (Aug. 2025)
- ★ AASSA WISE Committee.  
(Women In Science & Eng.)  
WISE Symposium on DEI in STEM



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Dear Murayama-san,  
Thank you and  
Happy 60th Birthday!

