

# Mirror Symmetry & Langlands Duality I

1. Review of mirror symmetry (today)
2. MS in hyperkähler case (tomorrow)
3. MS & Langlands Duality (end of week)

There are many forms of mirror symmetry,  
all closely related.

## I. MS in $\mathcal{N}=(2,2)$ SCFT (+ Topological field theory)

Perturbative Superstring thy: (late 80s)  
 $\rightarrow$  SCFT on the "worldsheet"  $\Sigma$

Worldsheet SUSY:  $\mathcal{N}=(p,q)$   
 $\mathcal{N}=(2,2)$  |  $\mathcal{N}=2$  in 2d is dim'l reduction of  
 $\mathcal{N}=1$  in 4d

susy algebra: 9112056

$\rightarrow$  representation thy

gauge multiplet

chiral, twisted chiral multiplets

### Discrete series

reps labeled by central charge  $\in \mathbb{Q}, < 1$

Gepner  $(\otimes D_i)^G$

$c \in \mathbb{Z}$  eg  $c=3, \dots$

$\updownarrow$   
 $\sigma$ -model on Fermat-type hypersurfaces  
 in proj. space

$\varphi: \Sigma \rightarrow X$  Kähler  
 $\int \text{Id} \varphi^2 + \int \varphi^* B + \dots$  geometric data: Riemannian metric  
 Z-form "B-field"  $\dots$

$$\text{eg) } \left( \bigotimes_{\mathbb{D}_5}^5 \right)^{\mathbb{Z}_5} \longleftrightarrow (x_1^5 + x_2^5 + x_3^5 + x_4^5 + x_5^5 = 0) \subseteq \mathbb{C}P^4$$

$\mathcal{N} = (2, 2)$  SCA has an outer automorphism

$U(1)$  R-symmetry (from dim red.)

for  $L, R$

$$\begin{aligned} (p, q) &\mapsto (-p, q) \\ &\mapsto (p, -q) \end{aligned}$$

$$(t_L, t_R) : \varphi \rightarrow t_L^p t_R^q \varphi$$

$\sigma$ -model action depends on choice of almost-cplx str.

$$X \rightarrow \bar{X} \quad \rightsquigarrow \quad (p, q) \mapsto (-p, -q)$$

$$X \rightarrow ??? \quad \rightsquigarrow \quad (p, q) \mapsto (-p, q)$$

$$\left( \text{conformal} \Rightarrow c_1(X) = 0 \right)$$

Greene-Plesser:

$$\text{outer} \left( \left( \bigotimes_{\mathbb{D}_i} \right)^6 \right) = \left( \bigotimes_{\mathbb{D}_i} \right)^{\tilde{6}}$$

$$\updownarrow \\ \sum x_i^{a_i} = 0$$

$$\updownarrow \\ \left( \sum x_i^{a_i} = 0 \right) / \Gamma$$

$$\text{eg) } \sum_{i=1}^5 x_i^5 = 0$$

$$h^{11} = 1, h^{21} = 101$$

$$\left( \sum_{i=1}^5 x_i^5 = 0 \right) / \mathbb{Z}_5^3$$

$$h^{11} = 101, h^{21} = 1$$

$\mathcal{N} = (2, 2)$  SCFT  
 $\updownarrow$   
 topological  $(2, 2)$  thys  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{A twist} \\ \text{B twist} \end{array} \right. \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{mirror symmetry} \end{array} \right.$

Candelas, de la Ossa, Green, Parkes:

A-twist on quintic

$$\sum_{\text{rational curves}} \text{⊙} e^{dt}$$

B-twist on quintic mirror

Variation of Hodge str,  
not rational curves

Batyrev's construction:

$$X \subseteq (\text{toric variety}) \text{ c.Y.} \longleftrightarrow X^{\text{mir}} \subseteq (\text{mirror toric variety})$$

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Witten's GLSM

$$\mathcal{Q}: \mathbb{P}^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^N$$

geometric data:

include gauge field(s)

superpot compatible w/  $\mathcal{N} = (2, 2)$

include argument why in IR, expect SCFT

How to do mirror constr for GLSMs

(related to Batyrev's combinatorics) is well understood.

## II. MS in $(2, 2)$ SQFT

work of Vafa & collaborators:

LG models,  $\sigma$ -models w/ non CY targets, ...

### III. Kontsevich's 1994 proposal

"homological mirror symmetry"

MS should be "about":

$$D^b(\text{Coh } X) \simeq \text{Fuk}(X^{\text{mirror}})$$

alg. of open string amplitudes

### IV. MS in type II string theory

IIA or IIB on  $X^6 \times M^{1,3}$

even & odd coh exchanged, so IIA & IIB exchanged

$$\text{IIA on } X \times M^{1,3} \simeq \text{IIB on } X^{\text{mirror}} \times M^{1,3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{IIA D-Branes on } X \times M^{1,3} \simeq \text{IIB D-Branes on } X^{\text{mir}} \times M^{1,3}$$

$$(\text{brane}) \cap X = \begin{cases} \text{holo. submfd} + \text{stable } \text{vector bundle} \\ \text{special Lagrangian submfd} \end{cases}$$

SYZ (1996):

$\dim_{\mathbb{R}} X = 6$ ,  $X$  is CY

$$\{ \text{D0-branes on } X \} \cong X$$



$$\{ \text{D3-branes in some class on } X^{\text{mir}} \} \cong X$$

↑ Lagrangian 3-tori on  $X^{\text{mir}}$

## V. SYZ duality:

$X = (CY)$  of arb. dim.

$X \cong \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Lagrangian } \mathbb{T}^n\text{-tori} \\ \text{data on } Y \end{array} + \text{bundle} \right\}$

$X$   
 $\downarrow \pi$   
 $B$

for general  $b$   $\pi^{-1}(b) = T^n$  flat bundles on a  $T^n$  in  $Y$

T-duality

$Y$   
 $\downarrow \pi$

$B'$

might hope  $B \cong B'$

if remove singular fibres,  ~~$B$~~

$(B \setminus \text{singular}) \cong (B' \setminus \text{singular})$

but interesting physics in singular fibres