

Calabi-Yau manifolds realizing symplectically rigid monodromy tuples

Andreas Malmendier
Utah State University

F-theory at 20
Burke Institute, Caltech
February 22, 2016

(joint work with Chuck Doran,
arXiv:1503.07500 + work in progress)

Irreducible Calabi-Yau operators $L \in \mathbb{C}[\theta, t]$

Irreducible **Calabi-Yau operators** $L \in \mathbb{C}[\theta, t]$ satisfy:

- ① $t = 0$ point of maximal unipotent monodromy.
- ② L is self-dual: $\exists g \in \mathbb{Q}(t)^{\text{alg}} : Lg = gL^* \Rightarrow \text{Aut}(L/\mathbb{C}(t)) \subset \text{Sp}_n(\mathbb{C})$.
- ③ P has N -integral holomorphic solution at $t = 0$.
- ④ Further integrality properties (q -coordinate of mirror-map, Yukawa-coupling, instanton numbers).

CY-operators of order four intend to axiomatize properties of the Picard-Fuchs operator and periods for a family $\pi : X \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$ of Calabi-Yau threefolds, which has a large structure limit and $h^{2,1} = 1$ on its generic fibers.

But families of this type are quite difficult to find!

Irreducible Calabi-Yau operators $L \in \mathbb{C}[\theta, t]$

Irreducible **Calabi-Yau operators** $L \in \mathbb{C}[\theta, t]$ satisfy:

- ① $t = 0$ point of maximal unipotent monodromy.
- ② L is self-dual: $\exists g \in \mathbb{Q}(t)^{\text{alg}} : Lg = gL^* \Rightarrow \text{Aut}(L/\mathbb{C}(t)) \subset \text{Sp}_n(\mathbb{C})$.
- ③ P has N -integral holomorphic solution at $t = 0$.
- ④ Further integrality properties (q -coordinate of mirror-map, Yukawa-coupling, instanton numbers).

For **rank** 4, G. Almkvist et al. have a list of 565 CY-operators satisfying properties 1), 2), and 3).

*Are there corresponding one-parameter families of **Calabi-Yau threefolds** with $h^{2,1} = 1$ that realize L as Picard-Fuchs operators?*

Irreducible Calabi-Yau operators $L \in \mathbb{C}[\theta, t]$

- The first 14 entries of the list are **hypergeometric functions** of the form (a_i : certain rational numbers)

$${}_4F_3 \left(\begin{matrix} a_1, a_2, 1 - a_2, 1 - a_1 \\ 1, 1, 1 \end{matrix} \middle| t \right) .$$

- Candelas et al. ['91] computed periods (and much more) for mirror of quintic family in \mathbb{P}^4 ($\Rightarrow a_1 = \frac{1}{5}, a_2 = \frac{2}{5}$):

$$x_0^5 + x_1^5 + x_2^5 + x_3^5 + x_4^5 - 5t x_0 x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4 = 0 .$$

- Doran and Morgan ['06] derived all 14 classifying weight-3 VHS with deformation space $\mathbb{P}^1 \setminus \{0, 1, \infty\}$ that resemble quintic family of Calabi-Yau threefolds; subsequently toric realizations were found by Doran et al.

What is a rigid monodromy tuple?

Fuchsian differential operator L of rank n with sing. locus $S \subset \mathbb{P}^1$

\Leftrightarrow **Local system** $\mathbb{L}(U) := \{f \in \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1 \setminus S}(U) \mid L(f) = 0\}$ of rank n ,

\Leftrightarrow **Monodromy representation**

$$\rho : \pi_1(\mathbb{P}^1 \setminus S, x_0) \rightarrow \mathrm{GL}(\mathbb{L}_{x_0}) \cong \mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{C}),$$

\Leftrightarrow **Monodromy tuple** of rank n (up to simultaneous conjugation)

$$T = (T_1, T_2, \dots, T_r) := \left(\rho(\gamma_1), \rho(\gamma_2), \dots, \rho(\gamma_r) \right) \in \mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{C})^r$$

$$\text{s.t. } \prod_{i=1}^r T_i = \mathbb{I}.$$

Call a monodromy tuple **linearly rigid** if T is irreducible and up to conjugation in $\mathrm{GL}_n(\mathbb{C})$ uniquely determined by Jordan form of its elements.

Decomposition of linearly-rigid monodromy tuples

Example of CY-operator with linearly rigid monodromy

$$L^{(n+1)} \text{ for } {}_{n+1}F_n \left(\begin{array}{c} a_1, \dots, a_{n+1} \\ 1, \dots, 1 \end{array} \middle| t \right) = P \left\{ \left. \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 1 & \infty & \\ \hline 0 & 0 & a_1 & \\ \vdots & & \vdots & \\ 0 & n-1 & a_n & \\ 0 & n - \sum a_i & a_{n+1} & \end{array} \right| t \right\},$$

with certain $a_j \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \mathbb{Z}$ for all j .

Decomposition of linearly-rigid monodromy tuples

Example of CY-operator with linearly rigid monodromy

$$L^{(n+1)} \text{ for } {}_{n+1}F_n \left(\begin{array}{c} a_1, \dots, a_{n+1} \\ 1, \dots, 1 \end{array} \middle| t \right) = P \left\{ \left. \begin{array}{ccc} 0 & 1 & \infty \\ 0 & 0 & a_1 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & n-1 & a_n \\ 0 & n - \sum a_i & a_{n+1} \end{array} \right| t \right\},$$

with certain $a_j \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \mathbb{Z}$ for all j .

Hadamard product on hypergeometric functions functions:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n t^n \star_H \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} B_n t^n := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n B_n t^n,$$

$${}_{n+1}F_n \left(\begin{array}{c} a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n, \alpha \\ c_1, \dots, c_{n-1}, 1 \end{array} \middle| t \right) \doteq \underbrace{{}_1F_0(\alpha; | t)}_{= \frac{1}{(1-t)^\alpha}} \star_H {}_nF_{n-1} \left(\begin{array}{c} a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \\ c_1, \dots, c_{n-1} \end{array} \middle| t \right)$$

(Similar for differential operators: **middle Hadamard product**.)

Decomposition of linearly-rigid monodromy tuples

Example of CY-operator with linearly rigid monodromy

$$L^{(n+1)} \text{ for } {}_{n+1}F_n \left(\begin{array}{c} a_1, \dots, a_{n+1} \\ 1, \dots, 1 \end{array} \middle| t \right) = P \left\{ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 1 & \infty & \\ \hline 0 & 0 & a_1 & \\ \vdots & & \vdots & \\ 0 & n-1 & a_n & \\ 0 & n - \sum a_i & a_{n+1} & \end{array} \middle| t \right\},$$

with $a_j \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \mathbb{Z}$ for all j .

Decomposition into rank-1 tuples:

$$\begin{aligned} {}_{n+1}F_n \left(\begin{array}{c} a_1, \dots, a_{n+1} \\ 1, \dots, 1 \end{array} \middle| t \right) &= \underbrace{{}_1F_0(a_1; |t)}_1 \star_H \cdots \star_H {}_1F_0(a_{n+1}; |t) . \\ &= \frac{1}{(1-t)^{a_1}} \end{aligned}$$

A similar procedure always works for any linearly-rigid monodromy.

Decomposition of linearly-rigid monodromy tuples

Decomposition into rank-1 tuples:

$${}_{n+1}F_n \left(\begin{array}{c} a_1, \dots, a_{n+1} \\ 1, \dots, 1 \end{array} \middle| t \right) = {}_1F_0(a_1; |t) \star_H \dots \star_H {}_1F_0(a_{n+1}; |t).$$

Proposition (N. Katz ['96])

If T is linearly rigid, it can be constructed via tensor- and middle Hadamard products of ${}_1F_0(\alpha; |\cdot)$'s.

Deligne, N. Katz gave an arithmetic description of linear rigidity that generalizes to any reductive complex algebraic group.

Bogner, Reiter ['11] generalized decomposition result to Sp_4 -rigid tuples.

*But how **geometric** are these decomposition results?*

Proposition (M.-Doran)

All rank-4 Calabi-Yau operators L of degree ≤ 2 and index ≤ 2 are the Picard-Fuchs operators of one-parameter families of K3-fibered ($\rho = 18, 19$) EFS Calabi-Yau threefolds.

There are 120 examples of this kind.

Proposition (M.-Doran)

All families are obtained through an **iterative construction** that produces families of EFS Calabi-Yau n -folds from families of EFS Calabi-Yau varieties of one dimension lower using a **generalized functional invariant**. In particular, all families are iteratively constructed from a single geometric object, the deformed Fermat quadric given by

$$X_0^2 + X_1^2 + 2tX_0X_1 = 0.$$

(Lian's period computations for surfaces of general type/Fano varieties have the same starting point.)

Calabi-Yau n -folds related by Hadamard twists

- Euler integral transform:

$${}_{n+1}F_n \left(\begin{matrix} \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \dots, \frac{1}{2} \\ 1, \dots, 1 \end{matrix} \middle| t \right) \doteq \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}} {}_nF_{n-1} \left(\begin{matrix} \frac{1}{2}, \dots, \frac{1}{2} \\ 1, \dots, 1 \end{matrix} \middle| tx \right)$$

- Hierarchy of twisted **Legendre pencils**:

$$EC_t \quad y_1^2 = (1 - tx_1) x_1 (1 - x_1),$$

$$K3_t \quad y_2^2 = (1 - tx_1 x_2) x_1 (1 - x_1) x_2 (1 - x_2),$$

$$CY3_t \quad y_3^2 = (1 - tx_1 x_2 x_3) x_1 (1 - x_1) x_2 (1 - x_2) x_3 (1 - x_3).$$

- Compute their **periods**:

$$\int_A \frac{dx_1}{y_1} = \int_0^1 \frac{dx_1}{\sqrt{x_1(1-x_1)}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-tx_1}} \doteq {}_2F_1 \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1 \middle| t \right),$$

$$\iint_S \frac{dx_1 \wedge dx_2}{y_2} = \int_0^1 \frac{dx_2}{\sqrt{x_2(1-x_2)}} \int_0^1 \frac{dx_1}{y_1} \doteq {}_3F_2 \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \middle| t \right),$$

$$\iiint_C \frac{dx_1 \wedge dx_2 \wedge dx_3}{y_3} = \int_0^1 \frac{dx_3}{\sqrt{x_3(1-x_3)}} \iint_S \frac{dx_1 \wedge dx_2}{y_2} \doteq {}_4F_3 \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \middle| t \right).$$

(2) Results

(2.1) Twisted Legendre Pencils

Calabi-Yau n -folds related by Hadamard twists

- Hierarchy of twisted **Legendre pencils**:

$$\begin{aligned}
 pt_t \quad y_0^2 &= 1 - t && \text{(quadric pencil) ,} \\
 E_t \quad y_1^2 &= (1 - t x_1) x_1 (1 - x_1) && \text{(extremal) ,} \\
 K3_t \quad y_2^2 &= (1 - t x_1 x_2) x_1 (1 - x_1) x_2 (1 - x_2) && (\rho = 19) , \\
 CY3_t \quad y_3^2 &= (1 - t x_1 x_2 x_3) x_1 (1 - x_1) x_2 (1 - x_2) x_3 (1 - x_3) && (h^{2,1} = 1) .
 \end{aligned}$$

- Compute their **periods**:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{1}{y_0} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-t}} = {}_1F_0\left(\frac{1}{2}; | t\right) , \\
 \int_A \frac{dx_1}{y_1} &= {}_1F_0\left(\frac{1}{2}; | t\right) \star_H {}_1F_0\left(\frac{1}{2}; | t\right) = {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1 | t\right) , \\
 \iint_S \frac{dx_1 \wedge dx_2}{y_2} &= {}_1F_0\left(\frac{1}{2}; | t\right) \star_H {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1 | t\right) = {}_3F_2\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \mid t\right) , \\
 \iiint_C \frac{dx_1 \wedge dx_2 \wedge dx_3}{y_3} &= {}_1F_0\left(\frac{1}{2}; | t\right) \star_H {}_3F_2\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \mid t\right) = {}_4F_3\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \mid t\right) .
 \end{aligned}$$

What about rk-2 rigid systems with 3 sing's?

- Rational elliptic surfaces \mathbf{S}

$$\bar{\mathbf{S}} : y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(t)x - g_3(t), \quad \begin{array}{l} g_2 \in H^0(\mathcal{O}(4)), \\ g_3 \in H^0(\mathcal{O}(6)), \end{array} \quad [t : 1] \in \mathbb{P}^1.$$

- Consider extremal families of elliptic curves with $\text{rk}(\text{MW}) = 0$, classified by Miranda, Persson ['86].
- Extremal rational surfaces (up to *-transfer w/ 3 sing.'s):

gen. modular			μ	G
I_4	I_1	I_1^*	$1/2$	$\Gamma_0(4)$
I_3	I_1	IV^*	$1/3$	$\Gamma_0(3)$
I_2	I_1	III^*	$1/4$	$\Gamma_0(2)$
I_1	I_1	II^*	$1/6$	$\Gamma_0(1)^*$

Picard-Fuchs operators are rank-2 Calabi-Yau operators with holomorphic solution:

$$\omega = \oint_A \frac{dx}{y} = {}_2F_1(\mu, 1 - \mu; 1|t)$$

What about rk-2 rigid systems with 3 sing.'s?

- Rational elliptic surfaces \mathbf{S}

$$\bar{\mathbf{S}} : y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(t)x - g_3(t), \quad \begin{array}{l} g_2 \in H^0(\mathcal{O}(4)), \\ g_3 \in H^0(\mathcal{O}(6)), \end{array} \quad [t : 1] \in \mathbb{P}^1.$$

- Consider extremal families of elliptic curves with $\text{rk}(\text{MW}) = 0$, classified by Miranda, Persson ['86].
- Extremal rational surfaces (up to *-transfer w/ 3 sing.'s):

gen. modular			μ	G
I_4	I_1	I_1^*	$1/2$	$\Gamma_0(4)$
I_3	I_1	IV^*	$1/3$	$\Gamma_0(3)$
I_2	I_1	III^*	$1/4$	$\Gamma_0(2)$
I_1	I_1	II^*	$1/6$	$\Gamma_0(1)^*$

Picard-Fuchs operators are rank-2 Calabi-Yau operators with holomorphic solution:

$$\omega = \oint_A \frac{dx}{y} = {}_2F_1(\mu, 1 - \mu; 1|t) = \cancel{{}_1F_0(\mu; |t)} \star \cancel{{}_1F_0(1 - \mu; |t)}$$

What about rk-2 rigid systems with 3 sing.'s?

- Rational elliptic surfaces **S**

$$\bar{S} : y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(t)x - g_3(t), \quad \begin{array}{l} g_2 \in H^0(\mathcal{O}(4)), \\ g_3 \in H^0(\mathcal{O}(6)), \end{array} \quad [t : 1] \in \mathbb{P}^1.$$

- Consider extremal families of elliptic curves with $\text{rk}(\text{MW}) = 0$, classified by Miranda, Persson ['86].
- Extremal rational surfaces (up to *-transfer w/ 3 sing.'s):

gen. modular			μ	G
I_4	I_1	I_1^*	$1/2$	$\Gamma_0(4)$
I_3	I_1	IV^*	$1/3$	$\Gamma_0(3)$
I_2	I_1	III^*	$1/4$	$\Gamma_0(2)$
I_1	I_1	II^*	$1/6$	$\Gamma_0(1)^*$

Picard-Fuchs operators are rank-2 Calabi-Yau operators with holomorphic solution:

$$\omega = \oint_A \frac{dx}{y} = {}_2F_1(\mu, 1 - \mu; 1|t) = {}_2F_1\left(\begin{matrix} \mu, 1 - \mu \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{matrix} \middle| t\right) \star_H {}_1F_0\left(\frac{1}{2}; |t\right)$$

Extremal rational surfaces and their periods

- **generalized functional invariant:** specifying integers (i, j, α) with $i \in \{1, 2\}$, $\alpha \in \{\frac{1}{2}, 1\}$, and $1 \leq j \leq 2\alpha$ such that

$${}_2F_1 \left(\begin{matrix} \mu, 1 - \mu \\ 1 \end{matrix} \middle| t \right) \doteq \oint_{|x|=\epsilon} \frac{dx}{x(x+1)^\alpha} {}_1F_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}; \middle| \frac{c_{ij}t}{x^i(x+1)^j} \right).$$

- min. **Weierstrass model** by twist *and* base transformation

$$pt_t : y^2 = 1 - t$$

$\downarrow (i, j, \alpha)$

$$EC_t : y^2 = \left(1 - \frac{c_{ij}t}{x^i(x+1)^j} \right) x^2(x-1)^{2\alpha},$$

$$\Delta \doteq t^n(1-t).$$

with	(n, μ)	$(4, \frac{1}{2})$	$(3, \frac{1}{3})$	$(2, \frac{1}{4})$	$(1, \frac{1}{6})$
	(i, j, α)	$(1, 1, 1)$	$(1, 2, 1)$	$(1, 1, \frac{1}{2})$	$(2, 1, \frac{1}{2})$

(2) Results

(2.3) Families of K3 surfaces with high Picard rank

What about rk-3 rigid systems with 3 sing's?

- Twist EC_t with generalized functional invariant (i, j, α) :

$$\begin{aligned}
 EC_t : y^2 &= 4x^3 - g_2(t)x - g_3(t) \\
 &\quad \downarrow (i, j, \alpha) \\
 K3_t : y^2 &= 4x^3 - g_2(T)h(u)^2x - g_3(T)h(u)^3
 \end{aligned}$$

- Base change: double cover $T = \frac{c_{ij}t}{u^i(u+1)^j}$, twist $h(u) = u^2(u+1)^{2\alpha}$.
- Example* ($\mu = 1/4, (i, j, \alpha) = (1, 1, 1)$): 1-param. family of K3 surfaces with M_2 -polarization (Picard rank 19),

E_{sing}	I_2	I_1	III^*
t	0	1	∞

srfc. is rational

E_{sing}	I_4	$2 I_1$	$2 III^*$
s	∞	$T_t^{-1}(1)$	$0, -1$

srfc. is K3

- K3's are one-parameter families with $n = 1, 2, 3, 4$ and $M_n = H \oplus E_8 \oplus E_8 \oplus \langle -2n \rangle$ lattice polarization for $\mu = \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{2}$.

One-parameter families of M_n -polarized K3 surfaces

- Twist EC_t with generalized functional invariant (i, j, α) :

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 EC_t : y^2 & = & 4x^3 - g_2(t)x - g_3(t) \\
 & \downarrow (i, j, \alpha) & \\
 K3_t : y^2 & = & 4x^3 - g_2(T)h(u)^2x - g_3(T)h(u)^3
 \end{array}$$

- Base change: double cover $\tau = \frac{c_{jt}}{u'(u+1)^j}$, twist $h(u) = u^2(u+1)^{2\alpha}$.

Picard-Fuchs operators are rank-3 Calabi-Yau operators with holomorphic solution for $(i, j, \alpha) = (1, 1, 1)$:

$$\Omega = {}_3F_2 \left(\begin{matrix} \mu, \frac{1}{2}, 1-\mu \\ 1, 1 \end{matrix} \middle| t \right) = {}_1F_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}; |t \right) \star_H {}_2F_1 (\mu, 1-\mu; 1|t)$$

- RHS can be interpreted as modular form for $\Gamma_0(n)^+$ with $n = 1, 2, 3, 4$ for $\mu = \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{2}$.

What about rk-4 rigid systems with 3 sing's?

Example: *iterated* quadratic twists of extremal families of EC's

- Twist EC_t ($g_2(t), g_3(t)$) from modular surface for $\Gamma_0(n)$:

$$EC_t : y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(t)x - g_3(t)$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$K3_t : y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(tu)(u(1-u))^2x - g_3(tu)(u(1-u))^3$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$CY3_t : y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(tuv)(uv(1-u)(1-v))^2x - g_3(tuv)(uv(1-u)(1-v))^3$$

- Homogeneous Weierstrass equation over $\mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1$:

$$Y^2 Z = 4X^3 - G_2(t, U_0, U_1, V_0, V_1) X Z^2 - G_3(t, U_0, U_1, V_0, V_1) Z^3$$

with $(\mathbb{C}^*)^3$ -action (satisfying $\sum \deg(\text{var}_i) = \deg(\text{WEq})$).

- Canonical bundle formula for total space \Rightarrow total space is CY.
- **Calabi-Yau threefold:**

$$= \left((\text{WEq}) - \{X = Y = Z = 0\} - \{U_1 = U_2 = 0\} - \{V_1 = V_2 = 0\} \right) / (\mathbb{C}^*)^3$$

What about rk-4 rigid systems with 3 sing's?

Example: *iterated* quadratic twists of extremal families of EC's

- Twist EC_t ($g_2(t), g_3(t)$) from modular surface for $\Gamma_0(n)$:

$$EC_t: y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(t)x - g_3(t)$$

$$\downarrow (1,1,1)$$

$$K3_t: y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(tu)(u(1-u))^2x - g_3(tu)(u(1-u))^3$$

$$\downarrow (1,1,1)$$

$$CY3_t: y^2 = 4x^3 - g_2(tuv)(uv(1-u)(1-v))^2x - g_3(tuv)(uv(1-u)(1-v))^3$$

- 4 examples of Weierstrass models $W \rightarrow S$ over $S = \mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1$

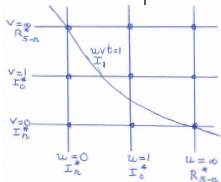
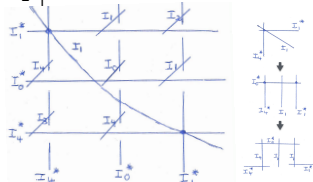
Picard-Fuchs operators are rank-4 Calabi-Yau operators with holomorphic solution:

$${}_4F_3 \left(\begin{matrix} \mu, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 1-\mu \\ 1, 1, 1 \end{matrix} \middle| t \right) = {}_1F_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}; |t \right) \star {}_1F_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}; |t \right) \star {}_2F_1 \left(\begin{matrix} \mu, 1-\mu \\ 1 \end{matrix} \middle| t \right)$$

Smooth models for Weierstrass models

- following Miranda ['83] we obtain **smooth models** from the Weierstrass models $W \rightarrow S$ as follows:
 - blow-up S until discriminant Δ_{red} has simple normal crossings,
 - continue until only small list of collisions of Kodaira-types left,
 - obtain birational Weierstrass model $W' \rightarrow S'$,
 - observe: only blowing up $(4, 6, 12)$ -points, so W' is still CY,
 - X', S' smooth; $f : X' \rightarrow W' \rightarrow S'$ flat, relat. minimal,
 - resolution of collision $II + IV$ must be handled separately.

- for $t \neq 0, 1$: $[EC_t : I_n, I_1, II^*/III^*/IV^*I_1^*]$


 $n=4$
 \Rightarrow


- $h^{1,1}(S') = T + 1 = 2 + 31/21/15/13$ for $n = 1/2/3/4$

Elliptic fibrations on mirror families

- 1-parameter family of **Fermat hypersurface** in \mathbb{P}^n ,

$$X_0^{n+1} + X_1^{n+1} + \dots + X_n^{n+1} + (n+1)\lambda X_0 X_1 \dots X_n = 0,$$

divide by $(\mathbb{Z}/(n+1)\mathbb{Z})^{n-1}$ to construct **mirror family**:

$$f_n(x_1, \dots, x_n, t) = x_1 \dots x_n \left(x_1 + \dots + x_n + 1 \right) + \frac{t}{(n+1)^{n+1}} = 0.$$

- Periods follow from **residue computation**:

$$\underbrace{\int \dots \int_{K_n}}_{n-1} \frac{dx_2 \wedge \dots \wedge dx_n}{\partial_{x_1} f_n(x_1, \dots, x_n, t)} \doteq {}_n F_{n-1} \left(\begin{matrix} \frac{1}{n+1} & \dots & \frac{n}{n+1} \\ 1, \dots, 1 \end{matrix} \middle| t \right).$$

- *Iterative* structure, e.g., mirror-quartic ($n = 3$) is fibered by cubics ($n = 2$), by setting $\tilde{x}_1 = \frac{x_1}{x_3+1}$, $\tilde{x}_2 = \frac{x_2}{x_3+1}$, $\tilde{t} = -\frac{27t}{256x_3(x_3+1)^3}$.

(2) Results

(2.4) Families of EFS CY threefolds

Elliptic fibrations on mirror families

- families of EFS Calabi-Yau n -folds over $\mathbb{P}^1 \setminus \{0, 1, \infty\}$,
- fibrations generated using **generalized functional invariant**,
- CY-operator and holomorphic solution by Hadamard-twist.

n	mirror	fiber	construction	period
1	quadric	2 points WEq.: $Y^2 = 1 - t$	-	${}_1F_0\left(\frac{1}{2}; t\right)$
2	cubic	EC's form rational srfc. with sing's I_3, I_1, IV^* and $MW = \mathbb{Z}/3\mathbb{Z}$ WEq.: $y^2 = \left(1 - \frac{2^2 t}{3^3 x^2 (x+1)}\right) (x(x+1))^2 \Rightarrow$	$(2, 1, 1)$	${}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}; \frac{2}{3} t\right) \doteq {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}; \frac{2}{3} t\right) * {}_1F_0\left(\frac{1}{2}; t\right)$ $Y^2 = 4X^3 - g_2(t)X - g_3(t)$
3	quartic	K3's with M_2 -pol., with sing's $I_{12}, 4I_1, IV^*$ and $MW = \mathbb{Z}/3\mathbb{Z}$ WEq.: $Y^2 = 4X^3 - g_2\left(-\frac{3^3 t}{4^4 u^3 (u+1)}\right) (u(u+1))^4 X - g_3(\dots) (u(u+1))^6$	$\begin{cases} (3, 1, 1) \\ (2, 1, 1) \end{cases}$	${}_3F_2\left(\frac{1}{4}, \frac{2}{4}, \frac{3}{4}; \frac{3}{4} t\right) \doteq {}_3F_2\left(\frac{1}{4}, \frac{2}{4}, \frac{3}{4}; \frac{3}{4} t\right) * {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}; \frac{2}{3} t\right)$
4	quintic	CY3's over $\mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1$ with $h^{2,1} = 1, h^{1,1} = 101$, fibred by M_3 -pol. K3's WEq.: $Y^2 = 4X^3 - g_2\left(\frac{3^3 t}{2^2 5^3 v^3 (v+1)^2 u (u+1)}\right) (u(u+1)v(v+1))^4 X - g_3(\dots) (u(u+1)v(v+1))^6$	$\begin{cases} (3, 2, 1) \\ (1, 1, 1) \\ (2, 1, 1) \end{cases}$	${}_4F_3\left(\frac{1}{5}, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{3}{5}, \frac{4}{5}; \frac{4}{5} t\right) \doteq {}_4F_3\left(\frac{1}{5}, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{3}{5}, \frac{4}{5}; \frac{4}{5} t\right) * {}_1F_0\left(\frac{1}{2}; t\right) * {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}; \frac{2}{3} t\right)$

Summary

- Iterative procedure constructs families of EFS Calabi-Yau $(n+1)$ -folds with $h^{n,1} = 1$, holom. periods, and PF operators:

$$\begin{array}{cccccccc}
 pt_t & \xrightarrow{(i,j,\alpha)} & EC_t & \xrightarrow{(1,1,1)} & K3_t & \xrightarrow{(i',j',\alpha')} & CY3_t & \xrightarrow{(1,1,1)} & CY4_t \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 {}_1F_0 & \xrightarrow{*} & {}_2F_1 & \xrightarrow{*} & {}_3F_2 & \xrightarrow{*} & {}_4F_3 & \xrightarrow{*} & {}_5F_4
 \end{array}$$

- allows for construction of Miranda elliptic fibrations,
- contains all fibrations of the Calabi-Yau threefolds from Doran, Morgan ['06] by M or M_n polarized K3's,
- produces all known examples of degree-2, rank-4 Calabi-Yau operators as geometric Picard-Fuchs operators.

Summary

- Iterative procedure constructs families of EFS Calabi-Yau $(n+1)$ -folds with $h^{n,1} = 1$, holom. periods, and PF operators:

$$\begin{array}{cccccccc}
 pt_t & \xrightarrow{(i,j,\alpha)} & EC_t & \xrightarrow{(1,1,1)} & K3_t & \xrightarrow{(i',j',\alpha')} & CY3_t & \xrightarrow{(1,1,1)} & CY4_t \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 {}_1F_0 & \xrightarrow{*} & {}_2F_1 & \xrightarrow{*} & {}_3F_2 & \xrightarrow{*} & {}_4F_3 & \xrightarrow{*} & {}_5F_4
 \end{array}$$

- allows for construction of Miranda elliptic fibrations,
- contains all fibrations of the Calabi-Yau threefolds from Doran, Morgan ['06] by M or M_n polarized K3's,
- produces all know examples of degree-2, rank-4 Calabi-Yau operators as geometric Picard-Fuchs operators.

Thank your for your attention.