

## A LINK BETWEEN TWO ELLIPTIC QUANTUM GROUPS\*

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**Abstract.** We consider the category  $\mathcal{C}_B$  of meromorphic finite-dimensional representations of the quantum elliptic algebra  $\mathcal{B}$  constructed via Belavin's R-matrix, and the category  $\mathcal{C}_F$  of meromorphic finite-dimensional representations of Felder's elliptic quantum group  $\mathcal{E}_{\tau, \frac{\gamma}{2}}(\mathfrak{gl}_n)$ . For any fixed  $c \in \mathbb{C}$ , we use a version of the Vertex-IRF correspondence to construct two families of (generically) fully faithful functors  $\mathcal{H}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_B \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$  and  $\mathcal{F}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_F \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$  where  $\mathcal{D}_B$  is a certain category of infinite-dimensional representations of  $\mathcal{B}$  by difference operators. We use this to construct an equivalence between the abelian subcategory of  $\mathcal{C}_B$  generated by tensor products of vector representations and the abelian subcategory of  $\mathcal{C}_F$  generated by tensor products of vector representations.

**1. Categories of meromorphic representations.** In this section, we recall the definitions of various categories of representations of quantum elliptic algebras.

**Notations:** Let us fix  $\tau \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\text{Im}(\tau) > 0$ ,  $\gamma \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$  and  $n \geq 2$ . Denote by  $(v_i)_{i=1}^n$  the canonical basis of  $\mathbb{C}^n$  and by  $(E_{ij})_{i,j=1}^n$  the canonical basis of  $\text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n)$ , i.e.  $E_{ij}v_k = \delta_{jk}v_i$ . Let  $\mathfrak{h} = \{\sum_i \lambda_i E_{ii} \mid \sum_i \lambda_i = 0\}$  be the space of diagonal traceless matrices. We have a natural identification  $\mathfrak{h}^* = \{\sum_i \lambda_i E_{ii}^* \mid \sum_i \lambda_i = 0\}$ . In particular, the weight of  $v_i$  is  $\omega_i = E_{ii}^* - \frac{1}{n} \sum_k E_{kk}^*$ .

**Classical theta functions:** The theta function  $\theta_{\kappa, \kappa'}(t; \tau)$  with characteristics  $\kappa, \kappa' \in \mathbb{R}$  is defined by the formula

$$\theta_{\kappa, \kappa'}(t; \tau) = \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} e^{i\pi(m+\kappa)((m+\kappa)\tau + 2(t+\kappa'))}.$$

It is an entire function whose zeros are simple and form the (shifted) lattice  $\{\frac{1}{2} - \kappa + (\frac{1}{2} - \kappa')\tau\} + \mathbb{Z} + \tau\mathbb{Z}$ .

Theta functions satisfy (and are characterized up to renormalization by) the following fundamental monodromy relations

$$\theta_{\kappa, \kappa'}(t + 1; \tau) = e^{2i\pi\kappa} \theta_{\kappa, \kappa'}(t; \tau), \tag{1}$$

$$\theta_{\kappa, \kappa'}(t + \tau; \tau) = e^{-i\pi\tau - 2i\pi(t+\kappa')} \theta_{\kappa, \kappa'}(t; \tau). \tag{2}$$

Theta functions with different characteristics are related to each other by shifts of  $t$ :

$$\theta_{\kappa_1 + \kappa_2, \kappa'_1 + \kappa'_2}(t; \tau) = e^{i\pi\kappa_2^2\tau + 2i\pi\kappa_2(t+\kappa'_1+\kappa'_2)} \theta_{\kappa_1, \kappa'_1}(t + \kappa_2\tau + \kappa'_2; \tau). \tag{3}$$

In particular, we set  $\theta(t) = \theta_{\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}}(t; \tau)$ .

**1.1. Meromorphic representations of the Belavin quantum elliptic algebra.** Consider the two  $n \times n$  matrices

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \xi & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & \xi^{n-1} \end{pmatrix} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \vdots & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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where  $\xi = e^{2i\pi/n}$ . We have  $A^n = B^n = Id$ ,  $BA = \xi AB$ , i.e  $A, B$  generate the Heisenberg group. Belavin ([3]) introduced the matrix  $R^B(z) \in \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n) \otimes \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n)$ , uniquely determined by the following properties:

1. Unitarity:  $R^B(z)R_{21}^B(-z) = 1$ ,
2.  $R^B(z)$  is meromorphic, with simple poles at  $z = \gamma + \mathbb{Z} + \tau\mathbb{Z}$ ,
3.  $R^B(0) = P : x \otimes y \mapsto y \otimes x$  for  $x, y \in \mathbb{C}^n$  (permutation),
4. Lattice translation properties:

$$R^B(z + 1) = A_1 R^B(z) A_1^{-1} = A_2^{-1} R^B(z) A_2,$$

$$R^B(z + \tau) = e^{-2i\pi \frac{n-1}{n} \gamma} B_1 R^B(z) B_1^{-1} = e^{-2i\pi \frac{n-1}{n} \gamma} B_2^{-1} R^B(z) B_2.$$

In particular,  $R^B(z)$  commutes with  $A \otimes A$  and  $B \otimes B$ . The matrix  $R^B(z)$  satisfies the quantum Yang-Baxter equation with spectral parameters:

$$R_{12}^B(z - w) R_{13}^B(z) R_{23}^B(w) = R_{23}^B(w) R_{13}^B(z) R_{12}^B(z - w).$$

**The category  $\mathcal{C}_B$ :** Following Faddeev, Reshetikhin, Takhtajan and Semenov-Tian-Shansky, one can define an algebra  $\mathcal{B}$  from  $R^B(z)$ , using the RLL formalism-see [4], [12]. However, we will only need to consider a certain category of modules over this algebra, defined as follows.

Let  $\mathcal{C}_B$  be the category whose objects are pairs  $(V, L(z))$  where  $V$  is a finite dimensional vector space and  $L(z) \in \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n) \otimes \text{End}(V)$  is an invertible meromorphic function (the L-operator) such that  $L(z + n) = L(z)$  and  $L(z + n\tau) = L(z)$ , satisfying the following relation in the space  $\text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n) \otimes \text{End}(V) \otimes \text{End}(V)$ :

$$R_{12}^B(z - w) L_{13}(z) L_{23}(w) = L_{23}(w) L_{13}(z) R_{12}^B(z - w) \tag{4}$$

(as meromorphic functions of  $z$  and  $w$ ); morphisms  $(V, L(z)) \rightarrow (V', L'(z))$  are linear maps  $\varphi : V \rightarrow V'$  such that  $(1 \otimes \varphi)L(z) = L'(z)(1 \otimes \varphi)$  in the space  $\text{Hom}(\mathbb{C}^n \otimes V, \mathbb{C}^n \otimes V')$ . The quantum Yang-Baxter relation for  $R^B$  implies that  $(\mathbb{C}^n, \chi(z)R^B(z - w)) \in \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_B)$  for all  $w \in \mathbb{C}$ , where we set  $\chi(z) = \frac{\theta(z - (1 - \frac{1}{n})\gamma)}{\theta(z)}$ . This object is called the vector representation and will be denoted simply by  $V_B(w)$ .

The category  $\mathcal{C}_B$  is naturally a tensor category with tensor product

$$(V, L(z)) \otimes (V', L'(z)) = (V \otimes V', L_{12}(z)L'_{13}(z)) \tag{5}$$

at the level of objects and with the usual tensor product at the level of morphisms.

There is a notion of a dual representation in the category  $\mathcal{C}_B$ : the (right) dual of  $(V, L(z))$  is  $(V^*, L^*(z))$  where  $L^*(z) = L^{-1}(z)^{t_2}$  (first apply inversion, then apply the transposition in the second component  $t_2$ ). If  $V, W \in \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_B)$  and  $\varphi \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_B}(V, W)$  then  $\varphi^t \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_B}(W^*, V^*)$ , and the functor  $\mathcal{C}_B \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_B, V \mapsto V^*$  is a contravariant equivalence of categories. Moreover, for  $V, W, Z \in \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_B)$ , we have canonical isomorphisms  $(V \otimes W)^* \simeq (W^* \otimes V^*)$  and  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_B}(V \otimes W, Z) \simeq \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_B}(V, Z \otimes W^*)$ .

We will also need an extended category  $\mathcal{C}_B^x$  defined as follows: objects of  $\mathcal{C}_B^x$  are objects of  $\mathcal{C}_B$  but we set

$$\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_B^x}(V, V') = \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_B}(V, V') \otimes M_C$$

where  $M_C$  is the field of meromorphic functions of a complex variable  $x$ . In other words, morphisms in  $\mathcal{C}_B^x$  are meromorphic 1-parameter families of morphisms in  $\mathcal{C}_B$ .

**The category  $\mathcal{D}_B$ :** We now define a difference-operator variant of the categories  $\mathcal{C}_B, \mathcal{C}_B^x$ . Let us denote by  $M_{\mathfrak{h}^*}$  the field of  $(n\omega_i)$ -periodic meromorphic functions  $\mathfrak{h}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  and by  $D_{\mathfrak{h}^*}$  the  $\mathbb{C}$ -algebra generated by  $M_{\mathfrak{h}^*}$  and shift operators  $T_\mu : M_{\mathfrak{h}^*} \rightarrow M_{\mathfrak{h}^*}, f(\lambda) \mapsto f(\lambda + \mu)$  for  $\mu \in \mathfrak{h}^*$ . If  $V$  is a finite-dimensional vector space, we set  $V_{\mathfrak{h}^*} = M_{\mathfrak{h}^*} \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} V$ , and  $D(V) = D_{\mathfrak{h}^*} \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} \text{End}(V)$ . Let  $\mathcal{D}_B$  be the category whose objects are pairs  $(V, L(z))$  where  $V$  is a finite-dimensional  $\mathbb{C}$ -vector space and  $L(z) \in \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n) \otimes D(V)$  is an invertible operator with meromorphic coefficients satisfying (4) in  $\text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n) \otimes D(V) \otimes D(V)$ ; morphisms  $(V, L(z)) \rightarrow (V', L'(z))$  are  $(n\omega_i)$ -periodic meromorphic functions  $\varphi : \mathfrak{h}^* \rightarrow \text{Hom}(V, V')$  such that  $(1 \otimes \varphi)L(z) = L(z)(1 \otimes \varphi)$  in  $\text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}^n \otimes V_{\mathfrak{h}^*}, \mathbb{C}^n \otimes V'_{\mathfrak{h}^*})$  (i.e morphisms are  $M_{\mathfrak{h}^*}$ -linear).

The category  $\mathcal{D}_B$  is a right-module category over  $\mathcal{C}_B$ , i.e we have a (bi)functor  $\otimes : \mathcal{D}_B \times \mathcal{C}_B \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$  defined by (5), and for any  $V, W \in \text{Ob}(\mathcal{D}_B), Z \in \text{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_B)$ , we have a canonical isomorphism  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(V \otimes Z, W) \simeq \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(V, W \otimes Z^*)$ . The category  $\mathcal{D}_B^x$  is defined in an analogous way: objects are pairs  $(V, L(z, x))$  as in  $\mathcal{D}_B$  but the L-operator is now a meromorphic function of  $z$  and  $x$ , and morphisms  $(V, L(z, x)) \rightarrow (V', L'(z, x))$  are meromorphic maps  $\varphi(\lambda, x) : \mathfrak{h}^* \times \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(V, V')$  satisfying  $(1 \otimes \varphi)L(z, x) = L(z, x)(1 \otimes \varphi)$ .

**1.2. Meromorphic representations of the elliptic quantum group**

$\mathcal{E}_{\tau, \gamma/2}(\mathfrak{gl}_n)$ .

**Felder’s dynamical R-matrix:** let us consider the functions of two complex variables

$$\alpha(z, l) = \frac{\theta(l + \gamma)\theta(z)}{\theta(l)\theta(z - \gamma)}, \quad \beta(z, l) = \frac{\theta(z - l)\theta(\gamma)}{\theta(l)\theta(z - \gamma)}.$$

As functions of  $z$ ,  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  have simple poles at  $z = \gamma + \mathbb{Z} + \tau\mathbb{Z}$  and satisfy

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha(z + 1, l) &= \alpha(z, l), & \alpha(z + \tau, l) &= e^{-2i\pi\gamma}\alpha(z, l), \\ \beta(z + 1, l) &= \beta(z, l), & \beta(z + \tau, l) &= e^{-2i\pi(\gamma-l)}\beta(z, l). \end{aligned}$$

Felder introduced in [5] the matrix  $R^F(z, \lambda) : \mathbb{C} \times \mathfrak{h}^* \rightarrow \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n) \otimes \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n)$ :

$$R^F(z, \lambda) = \sum_i E_{ii} \otimes E_{ii} + \sum_{i \neq j} \alpha(z, \lambda_i - \lambda_j) E_{ii} \otimes E_{jj} + \sum_{i \neq j} \beta(z, \lambda_i - \lambda_j) E_{ji} \otimes E_{ij}$$

where  $\lambda = \sum_i \lambda_i E_{ii}^* \in \mathfrak{h}^*$ .

This matrix is a solution of the quantum dynamical Yang-Baxter equation with spectral parameters

$$\begin{aligned} R_{12}^F(z - w, \lambda - \gamma h_3) R_{13}^F(z, \lambda) R_{23}^F(w, \lambda - \gamma h_1) \\ = R_{23}^F(w, \lambda) R_{13}^F(z, \lambda - \gamma h_2) R_{12}^F(z - w, \lambda) \end{aligned}$$

where we have used the following convention: if  $V_i$  are diagonalizable  $\mathfrak{h}$ -modules with weight decomposition  $V_i = \bigoplus_{\mu} V_i^{\mu}$  and  $a(\lambda) \in \text{End}(\bigotimes_i V_i)$  then

$$a(\lambda - \gamma h_l)|_{\bigotimes_i V_i^{\mu_i}} = a(\lambda - \gamma \mu_l).$$

As usual, indices indicate the components of the tensor product on which the operators act.

In addition,  $R^F(z, \lambda)$  satisfies the following two conditions:

1. Unitarity:  $R_{12}^F(z, \lambda) R_{21}^F(-z, \lambda) = Id$ ,

2. Weight zero:  $\forall h \in \mathfrak{h}, [h_1 + h_2, R^F(z, \lambda)] = 0$ .

**The category  $\mathcal{C}_F$ :** It is possible to use  $R^F(z, \lambda)$  to define an algebra by the RLL-formalism (see [5]): the elliptic quantum group  $\mathcal{E}_{\tau, \gamma/2}(\mathfrak{gl}_n(\mathbb{C}))$ . However, we will only need the following category of its representations  $\mathcal{C}_F$ , introduced by Felder in [5] and studied by Felder and Varchenko in [6]: objects are pairs  $(V, L(z, \lambda))$  where  $V$  is a finite-dimensional diagonalizable  $\mathfrak{h}$ -module and  $L(z, \lambda) : \mathbb{C} \times \mathfrak{h}^* \rightarrow \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n) \otimes \text{End}(V)$  is an invertible meromorphic function which is  $(n\omega_i)$ -periodic in  $\lambda$  and which satisfies the following two conditions:

$$[h_1 + h_2, L(z, \lambda)] = 0,$$

$$\begin{aligned} R_{12}^F(z - w, \lambda - \gamma h_3) L_{13}(z, \lambda) L_{23}(w, \lambda - \gamma h_1) \\ = L_{23}(w, \lambda) L_{13}(z, \lambda - \gamma h_2) R_{12}^F(z - w, \lambda). \end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

Morphisms  $(V, L(z, \lambda)) \rightarrow (V', L'(z, \lambda))$  are  $(n\omega_i)$ -periodic meromorphic weight zero maps  $\varphi(\lambda) : V \rightarrow V'$  such that  $L'(z, \lambda)(1 \otimes \varphi(\lambda - \gamma h_1)) = (1 \otimes \varphi(\lambda))L(z, \lambda)$ . The quantum dynamical Yang-Baxter relation for  $R^F(z, \lambda)$  implies that we have  $(\mathbb{C}^n, R^F(z - w, \lambda)) \in \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_F)$  for all  $w \in \mathbb{C}$ . This is the vector representation and it will be denoted by  $V_F(w)$ .

The category  $\mathcal{C}_F$  is naturally equipped with a tensor structure: it is defined on objects by

$$(V, L(z, \lambda)) \otimes (V', L'(z, \lambda)) = (V \otimes V', L_{12}(z, \lambda - \gamma h_3) L'_{13}(z, \lambda)),$$

and if  $\varphi \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_F}(V, W), \varphi' \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_F}(V', W')$  then

$$(\varphi \otimes \varphi')(\lambda) = \varphi(\lambda - \gamma h_2) \otimes \varphi'(\lambda) \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_F}(V \otimes V', W \otimes W').$$

There is a notion of a dual representation in the category  $\mathcal{C}_F$ : the (right) dual of  $(V, L(z, \lambda))$  is  $(V^*, L^*(z, \lambda))$  where  $L^*(z, \lambda) = L^{-1}(z, \lambda + \gamma h_2)^{t_2}$  (apply inversion, shifting and then apply the transposition in the second component  $t_2$ ). If  $V, W \in \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_F)$  and  $\varphi(\lambda) \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_F}(V, W)$  then  $\varphi^*(\lambda) := \varphi(\lambda + \gamma h_1)^t \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_F}(W^*, V^*)$ , and the functor  $\mathcal{C}_F \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_F, V \mapsto V^*$  is a contravariant equivalence of categories. Moreover, for any  $V, W \in \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_F)$ , there is a canonical isomorphism  $(V \otimes W)^* \simeq (W^* \otimes V^*)$ .

The extended category  $\mathcal{C}_F^x$  is defined by  $\mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_F^x) = \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_F)$  and

$$\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_F^x}(V, V') = \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_F}(V, V') \otimes M_{\mathbb{C}}$$

i.e morphisms in  $\mathcal{C}_F^x$  are meromorphic 1-parameter families of morphisms in  $\mathcal{C}_F$ .

**2. The functor  $\mathcal{F}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_F \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$ .** In this section, we define a family of functors from meromorphic (finite-dimensional) representations of  $\mathcal{E}_{\tau, \gamma/2}(\mathfrak{gl}_n(\mathbb{C}))$  to infinite-dimensional representations of the quantum elliptic algebra  $\mathcal{B}$ .

**2.1. Twists by difference operators.** For any finite-dimensional diagonalizable  $\mathfrak{h}$ -module  $V$ , let  $e^{\gamma D} \in \text{End}(V_{\mathfrak{h}^*})$  denote the shift operator:  $e^{\gamma D} \cdot \sum_{\mu} f_{\mu}(\lambda) v_{\mu} = \sum_{\mu} f(\lambda + \gamma \mu) v_{\mu}, v_{\mu} \in V_{\mu}$ . Now let  $(V, L(z, \lambda)) \in \mathcal{C}_F$ , and let  $S(z, \lambda), S'(z, \lambda) : \mathbb{C} \times \mathfrak{h}^* \rightarrow \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n)$  be meromorphic and nondegenerate. Define the difference-twist of  $(V, L(z, \lambda))$  to be the pair  $(V, L^{S, S'}(z))$  where

$$L^{S, S'}(z) = S_1(z, \lambda - \gamma h_2) L(z, \lambda) e^{-\gamma D_1} S'_1(z, \lambda)^{-1} \in \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n) \otimes D(V). \tag{7}$$

This is a difference operator acting on  $\mathbb{C}^n \otimes V_{\mathfrak{h}^*}$ .

LEMMA 1. *The difference operator  $L^S(z, \lambda)$  satisfies the following relation in  $\text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n) \otimes D(V) \otimes D(V)$ :*

$$T_{12}(z, w, \lambda - \gamma h_3)L_{13}^{S,S'}(z)L_{23}^{S,S'}(w) = L_{23}^{S,S'}(w)L_{13}^{S,S'}(z)T'_{12}(z, w, \lambda)$$

where

$$T(z, w, \lambda) = S_2(w, \lambda)S_1(z, \lambda - \gamma h_2)R_{12}^F(z - w, \lambda)S_2(w, \lambda - \gamma h_1)^{-1}S_1(z, \lambda)^{-1}, \tag{8}$$

$$T'(z, w, \lambda) = S'_1(z, \lambda)S'_2(w, \lambda + \gamma h_1)R_{12}^F(z - w, \lambda)S'_1(z, \lambda + \gamma h_1)^{-1}S'_2(w, \lambda)^{-1}. \tag{9}$$

*Proof.* The proof is straightforward, using relation (6) for  $L(z, \lambda)$  and the weight zero property of  $R^F(u, \lambda)$  and  $L(u, \lambda)$ .  $\square$

**2.2. The Vertex-IRF transform.** Let  $\phi_l(u) = e^{2i\pi(\frac{l^2\tau}{n} + \frac{lu}{n})}\theta_{0,0}(u + l\tau; n\tau)$  for  $l = 1, \dots, n$ . Then the vector  $\Phi(u) = (\phi_1(u), \dots, \phi_n(u))$  is, up to renormalization, the unique holomorphic vector in  $\mathbb{C}^n$  satisfying the following monodromy relations:

$$\Phi(u + 1) = A\Phi(u), \tag{10}$$

$$\Phi(u + \tau) = e^{-i\pi\frac{\tau}{n} - 2i\pi\frac{u}{n}}B\Phi(u). \tag{11}$$

Now let  $S(z, \lambda) : \mathbb{C} \times \mathfrak{h}^* \rightarrow \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n)$  be the matrix whose columns are  $(\Phi_1(z, \lambda), \dots, \Phi_n(z, \lambda))$  where  $\Phi_j(z, \lambda) = \Phi(z - n\lambda_j)$ . Using (10)-(11), it is easy to see that we have  $\det(S(z, \lambda)) = \text{Const}(\lambda)\theta(z)$  where  $\text{Const}(\lambda) \neq 0$  and hence that  $S(z, \lambda)$  is invertible for  $z \neq 0$  and generic  $\lambda$ .

LEMMA 2. *We have*

$$R^B(z - w)S_1(z, \lambda)S_2(w, \lambda - \gamma h_1) = S_2(w, \lambda)S_1(z, \lambda - \gamma h_2)R^F(z - w, \lambda),$$

$$R^B(z - w)S_2(w, \lambda)S_1(z, \lambda + \gamma h_2) = S_1(z, \lambda)S_2(w, \lambda + \gamma h_1)R^F(z - w, \lambda).$$

*Proof.* The first relation is equivalent to the following identities for  $i, j = 1, \dots, n$ :

$$\begin{aligned} R^B(z - w)\Phi_i(z, \lambda) \otimes \Phi_i(w, \lambda - \gamma\omega_i) &= \Phi_i(z, \lambda - \gamma\omega_i) \otimes \Phi_i(w, \lambda), \\ R^B(z - w)\Phi_i(z, \lambda) \otimes \Phi_j(w, \lambda - \gamma\omega_i) &= \alpha(z - w, \lambda_i - \lambda_j)\Phi_i(z, \lambda - \gamma\omega_j) \otimes \Phi_j(w, \lambda) \\ &\quad + \beta(z - w, \lambda_i - \lambda_j)\Phi_j(z, \lambda - \gamma\omega_i) \otimes \Phi_i(w, \lambda). \end{aligned}$$

These identities are proved by comparing poles and transformation properties under lattice translations as functions of  $z$  and  $w$ , and using the uniqueness of  $\Phi$ . The second relation of the lemma is proved in the same way. These identities are essentially the Vertex/Interaction-Round-a-Face transform of statistical mechanics (see [9],[11] and [7] for the case  $n = 2$ ).  $\square$

The Vertex-IRF transform first appeared in the work of Baxter [1] and was subsequently generalized to the Belavin R-matrix by Jimbo, Miwa and Okado in [10].

**2.3. Construction of the functor  $\mathcal{F}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_F \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$ .** Let us fix some  $c \in \mathbb{C}$ . We now define the family of functors  $\mathcal{F}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_F \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_B$  indexed by  $x \in \mathbb{C}$ : for  $(V, L(z, \lambda)) \in \mathcal{C}_F$ , set  $\mathcal{F}_x^c((V, L(z, \lambda))) = (V, L^{S_x, S_{x+c}}(z))$  with  $S_u(z, \lambda) = S(z - u, \lambda)$  as above and let  $\mathcal{F}_x^c$  be trivial at the level of morphisms.

PROPOSITION 1.  *$\mathcal{F}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_F \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$  is a functor.*

*Proof.* It follows from Lemma 2 that  $(V, L^{S_x, S_{x+c}}(z)) \in \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{D}_B)$ . Furthermore, if  $\varphi(\lambda) \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_F}((V, L(z, \lambda)), (V', L'(z, \lambda)))$  then by definition we have  $L'(z, \lambda)(1 \otimes \varphi(\lambda - \gamma h_1)) = (1 \otimes \varphi(\lambda))L(z, \lambda)$ , so that

$$\begin{aligned} S_1(z-x, \lambda - \gamma h_2)L'(z, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1}S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1}(1 \otimes \varphi(\lambda)) \\ = S_1(z-x, \lambda - \gamma h_2)L'(z, \lambda)(1 \otimes \varphi(\lambda - \gamma h_1))e^{-\gamma D_1}S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1} \\ = S_1(z-x, \lambda - \gamma h_2)(1 \otimes \varphi(\lambda))L'(z, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1}S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1} \\ = (1 \otimes \varphi(\lambda))S_1(z-x, \lambda - \gamma h_2)L'(z, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1}S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

since  $\varphi(\lambda)$  is of weight zero. Thus  $\mathcal{F}_x^c(\varphi(\lambda))$  is an intertwiner in the category  $\mathcal{D}_B$ .  $\square$

We can also think of the family of functors  $\mathcal{F}_x^c$  as a single functor  $\mathcal{F}^c : \mathcal{C}_F^x \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B^x$ .

REMARK. We can think of the difference-twist and the relations in Lemma 2 as a dynamical analogue of the notion of equivalence of R-matrices due to Drinfeld and Belavin-see [2].

**3. The image of the trivial representation and the functor  $\mathcal{H}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_B \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$ .** Applying the functor  $\mathcal{F}_x^c$  to the trivial representation  $(\mathbb{C}, \text{Id}) \in \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_F)$  yields

$$\mathcal{F}_x^c((\mathbb{C}, \text{Id})) = (\mathbb{C}, S(z-x, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1}S(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1}).$$

We will denote this object by  $I_x^c$ . For instance, when  $n = 2$ , we obtain a representation of the Belavin quantum elliptic algebra as difference operators acting on the space of periodic meromorphic functions in one variable  $\lambda$ , i.e given by an L-operator

$$L(z) = \begin{pmatrix} a(z) & b(z) \\ c(z) & d(z) \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $a(z), b(z), c(z), d(z)$  are operators of the form  $f(z)T_{-\gamma} + g(z)$  where  $T_{-\gamma}$  is the shift by  $-\gamma$ .

Such representations of  $\mathcal{B}$  by difference operators already appeared in the work of Krichever, Zabrodin ([11]) (for  $n = 2$ ) and Hasegawa ([8],[9])(for the general case), where they were also derived by some Vertex-IRF correspondence.

DEFINITION. Let  $c \in \mathbb{C}$  and let  $\mathcal{H}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_B \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$  be the functor defined by the assignment  $V \rightarrow I_x^c \otimes V$  and which is trivial at the level of morphisms. The family of functors  $\mathcal{H}_x^c$  gives rise to a functor  $\mathcal{H}^c : \mathcal{C}_B^x \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B^x$ .

**4. Full faithfulness of the functor  $\mathcal{H}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_B \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$ .** In this section, we prove the following result

PROPOSITION 2. *Let  $V, V' \in \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_B)$ . Then for all but finitely many values of  $x \bmod \mathbb{Z} + \mathbb{Z}\tau$ , the map*

$$\mathcal{H}_x^c : \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_B}(V, V') \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(\mathcal{H}_x^c(V), \mathcal{H}_x^c(V'))$$

*is an isomorphism.*

*Proof.* Since  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_B}(V, V') \simeq \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_B}(\mathbb{C}, V' \otimes V^*)$ ,  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(I_x^c \otimes V, I_x^c \otimes V') \simeq \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(I_x^c, I_x^c \otimes V' \otimes V^*)$ , it is enough to show that the map  $\mathcal{H}_x^c : \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_B}(\mathbb{C}, W) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(I_x^c, I_x^c \otimes W)$  is an isomorphism for all  $W \in \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_B)$ . Since  $\mathcal{H}_x^c$  is trivial at the level of morphisms, this map is injective. Now let  $W \in \mathcal{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_B)$  and let  $\varphi(\lambda) \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(I_x^c, I_x^c \otimes W)$ , that is,  $\varphi(\lambda)$  is a  $(n\omega_i)$ -periodic meromorphic function  $\mathfrak{h}^* \rightarrow W$  satisfying the equation

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_2(\lambda)S_1(z-x, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1}S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1} \\ = S_1(z-x, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1}S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1}L_{12}(z)\varphi_2(\lambda) \end{aligned}$$

where  $L(z)$  is the L-operator of  $W$ . This is equivalent to

$$L_{12}(z)\varphi_2(\lambda) = S_1(z - x - c, \lambda)\varphi_2(\lambda + \gamma h_1)S_1(z - x - c, \lambda)^{-1} \tag{12}$$

Now  $L(z)$  is an elliptic function (of periods  $n$  and  $n\tau$ ) so it is either constant or it has a pole. Restricting  $W$  to the subrepresentation  $\text{Span}(\varphi(\lambda), \lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^*)$ , we see that the latter case is impossible for generic  $x$  as the RHS of (12) has a pole at  $z = x + c$  only; hence  $L(z)$  is constant. Furthermore, from (12) we see that the matrix

$$M(\lambda) = S_1(z - x - c, \lambda)^{-1}L_{12}S_1(z - x - c, \lambda)$$

is independent of  $z$ . In particular, setting  $z \mapsto z + 1$  and using the transformation properties (10) of  $S(z, \lambda)$ , we obtain  $[A_1, L_{12}] = 0$ . This implies that  $L = \sum_i E_{ii} \otimes D_i$  for some  $D_i \in \text{End}(W)$ .

LEMMA 3. *Let  $U$  be a finite dimensional vector space, let  $T \in \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n) \otimes \text{End}(U)$  be an invertible solution of the equation*

$$R_{12}^B(z)T_{13}T_{23} = T_{23}T_{13}R_{12}^B(z) \tag{13}$$

such that  $T = \sum_i E_{ii} \otimes D_i$  for some  $D_i \in \text{End}(U)$ . Then  $[D_i, D_j] = 0$  for all  $i, j$  and there exists  $X \in \text{End}(U)$  such that  $X^n = 1$  and  $D_{i+1} = XD_i$  for all  $i = 1, \dots, n$ .

*Proof.* Let us write  $R^B(z) = \sum_{p,q,r,s} R_{p,q,r,s}(z)E_{pq} \otimes E_{rs}$ . Then equation (13) is equivalent to  $R_{p,q,r,s}(z)D_p \times D_q = R_{p,q,r,s}(z)D_s D_r$  for all  $p, q, r, s$ . But it follows from the general formula for  $R^B(z)$  that  $R_{p,q,r,s}(z) \neq 0$  if and only if  $p + q \equiv r + s \pmod{n}$ . Thus we have  $[D_i, D_j] = 0$  for all  $i, j$  and  $X := D_i D_{i+1}^{-1}$  is independent of  $i$ , and satisfies  $X^n = 1$ .  $\square$

By the above lemma, there exists  $X \in \text{End}(W)$  such that  $X^n = 1$  and  $D_{i+1} = XD_i$ . Suppose that  $X \neq 1$  and choose  $e \in W$  such that  $X(e) = \xi^k e$  with  $\xi^k \neq 1$ . Now we apply the transformation  $z \mapsto z + \tau$  to the matrix  $M(\lambda)$ . Noting that, by (11),  $S(z - x - c + \tau, \lambda) = e^{-i\pi\tau/2 - 2i\pi(z-x-c)/n}BS(z - x - c, \lambda)F(\lambda)$  where  $F(\lambda) = \text{diag}(e^{-2i\pi\lambda}, \dots, e^{-2i\pi\lambda_n})$ , we obtain the equality

$$\begin{aligned} F(\lambda)^{-1}S_1(z - x - c, \lambda)^{-1}B_1^{-1}L_{12}B_1S_1(z - x - c, \lambda)F(\lambda) \\ = S_1(z - x - c, \lambda)^{-1}L_{12}S_1(z - x - c, \lambda). \end{aligned}$$

Applying this to the vector  $e$  yields  $\text{Ad}F(\lambda)(M(\lambda))(e) = \xi^{-k}M(\lambda)(e)$ . This is possible for all  $\lambda$  only if  $k \equiv 0 \pmod{n}$ . Hence  $X = 1$  and (12) reduces to the equation  $D\varphi_2(\lambda) = \varphi_2(\lambda + \gamma h_1)$ . In particular  $\varphi(\lambda)$  is  $\gamma(\omega_i - \omega_j)$ -periodic. But by our assumption,  $\varphi(\lambda)$  is  $(n\omega_i)$ -periodic and  $\gamma$  is real and irrational. Therefore  $\varphi(\lambda)$  is constant and it is a morphism in the category  $\mathcal{C}_B$ .  $\square$

Now, considering  $x$  as a parameter, we obtain:

COROLLARY 1. *The functor  $\mathcal{H}^c : \mathcal{C}_B^x \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B^x$  is fully faithful.*

REMARK. Equation (12) shows that  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(I_x^c, I_x^c \otimes V) = \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(V^*, I_{x+c}^0)$ . Thus the above proposition states that for any finite-dimensional representation  $V \in \text{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_F)$  and for all but finitely many  $x \pmod{\mathbb{Z} + \tau\mathbb{Z}}$ , we have  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(V^*, I_x^0) = \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_B}(V^*, \mathbb{C})$ , where the isomorphism is induced by the embedding  $\mathbb{C} \subset I_x^0$  (constant functions). However, for finitely many values of  $x \pmod{\mathbb{Z} + \tau\mathbb{Z}}$ , this may not be true: see [11] and [9] where some finite-dimensional subrepresentations of  $I_x^0$  are considered.

**5. Full faithfulness of the functor  $\mathcal{F}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_F \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$ .** In this section, we prove the following result:

**PROPOSITION 3.** *The functor  $\mathcal{F}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_F \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$  is fully faithful.*

*Proof.* We have to show that for any two objects  $V, V'$  in  $\mathcal{C}_F$  there is an isomorphism  $\mathcal{F}_x^c : \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}_F}(V, V') \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(\mathcal{F}_x^c(V), \mathcal{F}_x^c(V'))$ . Since  $\mathcal{F}_x^c$  is trivial at the level of morphisms, this map is injective. Now let  $V, W \in \text{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_F)$  and let  $\varphi(\lambda) \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}_B}(\mathcal{F}_x^c(V), \mathcal{F}_x^c(W))$ . By definition,  $\varphi(\lambda) : V \rightarrow W$  satisfies the relation

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_2(\lambda)S_1(z-x, \lambda-\gamma h_2)L_{12}^V(z, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1}S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1} \\ = S_1(z-x, \lambda-\gamma h_2)L_{12}^W(z, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1}S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1}\varphi_2(\lambda) \end{aligned}$$

where  $L^V(z, \lambda)$  (resp.  $L^W(z, \lambda)$ ) is the L-operator of  $V$  (resp.  $W$ ). This is equivalent to

$$\varphi_2(\lambda)S_1(z-x, \lambda-\gamma h_2)L_{12}^V(z, \lambda) = S_1(z-x, \lambda-\gamma h_2)L_{12}^W(z, \lambda)\varphi_2(\lambda-\gamma h_1) \quad (14)$$

Introduce the following notations: write  $W = \bigoplus_{\xi} W_{\xi}$ ,  $V = \bigoplus_{\mu} V_{\mu}$ ,  $\varphi(\lambda) = \sum_{\nu} \varphi_{\nu}(\lambda)$  for the weight decompositions (so that  $\varphi_{\nu} : V_{\xi} \rightarrow W_{\xi+\nu}$ ). Also let  $S(z-x, \lambda) = \sum_{i,j} S^{ij}(z-x, \lambda)E_{ij}$ ,  $L_{12}^V(z, \lambda) = \sum_{i,j} E_{ij} \otimes L_V^{ij}(z, \lambda)$  and use the same notation for  $L^W(z, \lambda)$ . Applying (14) to  $v_i \otimes \zeta_{\mu}$  for some  $i$  and  $\zeta_{\mu} \in V_{\mu}$  yields

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j,k,\nu} S^{kj}(z-x, \lambda-\gamma(\mu+\omega_i-\omega_j))v_k \otimes \varphi_{\nu}(\lambda)(L_V^{ji}(z, \lambda)\zeta_{\mu}) \\ = \sum_{l,k,\sigma} S^{kl}(z-x, \lambda-\gamma(\mu+\omega_i-\omega_l+\sigma))v_k \otimes L_W^{li}(z, \lambda)\varphi_{\sigma}(\lambda-\gamma\omega_i)\zeta_{\mu} \end{aligned} \quad (15)$$

where we used the weight-zero property of  $L^V(z, \lambda)$  and  $L^W(z, \lambda)$ . Applying  $v_k^*$  to (15) and projecting on the weight space  $W_{\mu+\omega_i+\xi}$  gives the relation

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{\substack{\nu,j \\ \nu-\omega_j=\xi}} S^{kj}(z-x, \lambda-\gamma(\mu+\omega_i-\omega_j))\varphi_{\nu}(\lambda)(L_V^{ji}(z, \lambda)\zeta_{\mu}) \\ = \sum_{\substack{\sigma,l \\ \sigma-\omega_l=\xi}} S^{kl}(z-x, \lambda-\gamma(\mu+\omega_i-\omega_j+\sigma))L_W^{li}(z, \lambda)(\varphi_{\sigma}(\lambda-\gamma\omega_i)\zeta_{\mu}) \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

for any  $i, k, \xi$  and  $\zeta_{\mu} \in V_{\mu}$ . Now let  $A = \{\chi \mid \varphi_{\chi}(\lambda) \neq 0\}$ . Fix some  $j$  and let  $\beta \in A$  be an extremal weight in the direction  $-\omega_j$  (i.e  $\beta - \omega_j + \omega_k \notin A$  for  $k \neq j$ ). Then (16) for  $\xi = \beta - \omega_j$  reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} S^{kj}(z-x, \lambda-\gamma(\mu+\omega_i-\omega_j))\varphi_{\beta}(\lambda)(L_V^{ji}(z, \lambda)\zeta_{\mu}) \\ = S^{kj}(z-x, \lambda-\gamma(\mu+\omega_i-\omega_j+\beta))L_W^{ji}(z, \lambda)\varphi_{\beta}(\lambda-\gamma\omega_i)\zeta_{\mu} \end{aligned} \quad (17)$$

**CLAIM.** *There exists  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ ,  $\mu$  and  $\zeta_{\mu} \in V_{\mu}$  such that  $\varphi_{\beta}(\lambda)(L_V^{ji}(z, \lambda)\zeta_{\mu}) \neq 0$  for generic  $z$  and  $\lambda$ .*

*Proof.* Recall the central element  $\text{Qdet}(z, \lambda) \in \mathcal{E}_{\tau, \frac{\gamma}{2}}(\mathfrak{gl}_n)$ . By definition, its action on  $V$  is invertible. Expanding  $\text{Qdet}(z, \lambda)$  along the  $j^{\text{th}}$ -line, we have  $\text{Qdet}(z, \lambda) = \sum_i L_V^{ji}(z, \lambda)P_i(z, \lambda)$  for some operators  $P_i(z, \lambda) \in \text{End}(V)$ . In particular,

$$\sum_i \text{Im } L^{ji}(z, \lambda) = V,$$

and the claim follows.

Thus, the ratio  $S^{kj}(z-x, \lambda - \gamma(\mu + \omega_i - \omega_j + \beta)) / S^{kj}(z-x, \lambda - \gamma(\mu + \omega_i - \omega_j))$  is independent of  $k$ . This is possible only if  $\beta \in \sum_{r \neq j} \mathbb{C}E_{rr}^*$ . Applying this to  $j = 1, \dots, n$ , we see that  $A = \{0\}$ . Hence  $\varphi(\lambda)$  is an  $\mathfrak{h}$ -module map. But then relation (14) reduces to  $\varphi_2(\lambda)L_{12}^V(z, \lambda) = L_{12}^W(z, \lambda)\varphi_2(\lambda - \gamma h_1)$ , and  $\varphi(\lambda)$  is an intertwiner in the category  $\mathcal{C}_F$ .  $\square$

COROLLARY 2. *The functor  $\mathcal{F}^c : \mathcal{C}_F^x \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B^x$  is fully faithful.*

**6. The image of the vector representation.** Let us denote

$$\tilde{V}_F(w) = (\mathbb{C}^n, \chi(w)R^F(w, \lambda)).$$

It is an object of  $\mathcal{C}_F$  which equals the tensor product of the vector representation  $V_F(w)$  by the one-dimensional representation  $(\mathbb{C}, \chi(z))$ .

PROPOSITION 4. *For any  $x, w, x + c \not\equiv w \pmod{\mathbb{Z} + \tau\mathbb{Z}}$ , we have  $\mathcal{F}_x^c(\tilde{V}_F(w)) \simeq \mathcal{H}_x^c(V_B(w))$ .*

*Proof.* By definition, we have

$$\mathcal{F}_x^c(\tilde{V}_F(w)) = (\mathbb{C}^n, \chi(z)S_1(z-x, \lambda - \gamma h_2)R^F(z-w, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1} \times S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1}),$$

$$I_x^c \otimes V_B(w) = (\mathbb{C}^n, \chi(z)S_1(z-x, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1} S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)R^B(z-w))$$

We claim that the map  $\varphi(\lambda) = e^{-\gamma D}(S(w-x-c, \lambda)^{-1})e^{\gamma D} \in \text{End}(\mathbb{C}^n)$  is an intertwiner  $\mathcal{H}_x^c(V_B(w)) \simeq I_x^c \otimes V_B(w) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{F}_x^c(\tilde{V}_F(w))$ . Indeed, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & S_1(z-x, \lambda - \gamma h_2)R^F(z-w, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1} S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1}(1 \otimes \varphi(\lambda)) \\ &= e^{-\gamma D_2} S_1(z-x, \lambda)e^{\gamma D_2} R^F(z-w, \lambda)e^{-\gamma(D_1+D_2)} \\ & \quad S_1(z-x-c, \lambda + \gamma h_2)^{-1} S_2(w-x-c, \lambda)^{-1} e^{\gamma D_2} \\ &= e^{-\gamma D_2} S_1(z-x, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1} R^F(z-w, \lambda) \\ & \quad S_1(z-x-c, \lambda + \gamma h_2)^{-1} S_2(w-x-c, \lambda)^{-1} e^{\gamma D_2} \\ &= e^{-\gamma D_2} S_1(z-x, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1} S_2(w-x-c, \lambda + \gamma h_1)^{-1} \\ & \quad S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1} R^B(z-w)e^{\gamma D_2} \\ &= e^{-\gamma D_2} S_1(z-x, \lambda)S_2(w-x-c, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1} S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1} R^B(z-w)e^{\gamma D_2} \\ &= (1 \otimes \varphi(\lambda))S_1(z-x, \lambda)e^{-\gamma D_1} S_1(z-x-c, \lambda)^{-1} R^B(z-w) \end{aligned}$$

where we used Lemma 2 and the zero-weight property of  $R^F(u, \lambda)$ .  $\square$

LEMMA 4. *Let  $V, V' \in \text{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_F)$ ,  $W, W' \in \text{Ob}(\mathcal{C}_B)$  and suppose that  $\mathcal{F}_x^c(V) \simeq \mathcal{H}_x^c(W)$  and  $\mathcal{F}_x^c(V') \simeq \mathcal{H}_x^c(W')$ . Then  $\mathcal{F}_x^c(V \otimes V') \simeq \mathcal{H}_x^c(W \otimes W')$ .*

*Proof.* If  $\varphi(\lambda) : V \rightarrow W$  and  $\varphi'(\lambda) : V' \rightarrow W'$  are intertwiners then it is easy to check using the methods above that  $\varphi'_2(\lambda - \gamma h_1)\varphi_1(\lambda) : V \otimes V' \rightarrow W \otimes W'$  is an intertwiner.  $\square$

Applying this to tensor products of the vector representations, we obtain

COROLLARY 3. *For any  $x \in \mathbb{C}$  and  $w_1, \dots, w_r \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{x + c + \mathbb{Z} + \tau\mathbb{Z}\}$ , we have*

$$\mathcal{F}_x^c(\tilde{V}_F(w_1) \otimes \dots \otimes \tilde{V}_F(w_r)) \simeq \mathcal{H}_x^c(V_B(w_1) \otimes \dots \otimes V_B(w_r)).$$

COROLLARY 4. For any  $w_1, \dots, w_r \in \mathbb{C}$ , we have

$$\mathcal{F}^c(\tilde{V}_F(w_1) \otimes \dots \tilde{V}_F(w_r)) \simeq \mathcal{H}^c(V_B(w_1) \otimes \dots V_B(w_r)).$$

Notice that in this case, we have a canonical intertwiner, given by the formula

$$\varphi_{1\dots r}(\lambda, w_1, \dots, w_r) = \tilde{S}_r^{-1}(w_r - x - c, \lambda - \gamma \sum_{i=1}^{r-1} h_i) \dots \tilde{S}_1^{-1}(w_1 - x - c, \lambda),$$

where we set  $\tilde{S}(z, \lambda) = e^{-\gamma D} S(z, \lambda) e^{\gamma D}$ .

**7. Equivalence of subcategories.** Let us summarize the results of sections 4-8. By proposition 2, we can identify  $\mathcal{C}_B^x$  with a full subcategory  $\mathcal{D}_1^x$  of  $\mathcal{D}_B^x$ . By proposition 3, we can identify  $\mathcal{C}_F^x$  with a full subcategory  $\mathcal{D}_2^x$  of  $\mathcal{D}_B^x$ . Moreover,  $\mathcal{D}_1^x$  and  $\mathcal{D}_2^x$  intersect (at least if we replace  $\mathcal{D}_B^x$  by the equivalent category  $\widehat{\mathcal{D}}_B^x$  whose objects are isomorphism classes of objects of  $\mathcal{D}_B^x$ ), and the intersection contains objects of the form  $\mathcal{F}^c(\otimes_i \tilde{V}_F(w_i)) \simeq \mathcal{H}^c(\otimes_i V_B(w_i))$ , where  $i = 1, \dots, r$  and  $w_i \in \mathbb{C}$ . Hence,

**THEOREM** *The abelian subcategory  $\mathcal{V}_B^x$  of  $\mathcal{C}_B^x$  generated by objects  $\otimes_i V_B(w_i)$  for  $i = 1, \dots, r$ ,  $r \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $w_i \in \mathbb{C}$  and the abelian subcategory  $\mathcal{V}_F^x$  of  $\mathcal{C}_F^x$  generated by objects  $\otimes_j \tilde{V}_F(w_j)$  for  $j = 1, \dots, s$ ,  $s \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $w_j \in \mathbb{C}$  are equivalent.*

Note that for numerical values of  $x$ ,  $\mathcal{F}_x^c : \mathcal{C}_F \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_B$  is always fully faithful, and  $\mathcal{F}_x^c(\mathcal{C}_F)$  a full subcategory of  $\mathcal{D}_B$ , but this is not true of  $\mathcal{H}_x^c$ , because of the existence of nontrivial finite-dimensional subrepresentations of  $I_x^0$ .

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