

# Operatorial subordination in free probability and loop products of graphs

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Aspects of addition of noncommutative random variables:

- 1 independence  $\mathcal{I}$
- 2 addition of random variables  $X + Y$
- 3 additive convolution  $\mu +_{\mathcal{I}} \nu$
- 4 product of graphs  $\mathcal{G}_1 \mathcal{I} \mathcal{G}_2$
- 5 Addition Theorem: moments of  $\mu +_{\mathcal{I}} \nu = \#$  (walks in  $\mathcal{G}_1 \mathcal{I} \mathcal{G}_2$ )

Let  $\mu$  – probability measure on  $\mathbb{R}$  and  $z \in \mathbb{C}^+$ . Useful transforms:

① Cauchy transform

$$\begin{aligned}G_{\mu}(z) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\mu(dx)}{z-x} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mu(X^n) z^{-n-1} \quad (\text{if } \mu \text{ has moments})\end{aligned}$$

② Reciprocal Cauchy transform

$$F_{\mu}(z) = \frac{1}{G_{\mu}(z)}$$

③ K-transform

$$K_{\mu}(z) = z - F_{\mu}(z)$$

Theorem [Voiculescu 1993 -compact, Biane 1998 -general]

For probability measures  $\mu, \nu$  on  $\mathbb{R}$ , it holds that

$$F_{\mu \boxplus \nu}(z) = F_{\mu}(F_1(z)) = F_{\nu}(F_2(z))$$

where  $z \in \mathbb{C}_+$  and  $F_1, F_2$  are reciprocal Cauchy transforms of some probability measures on  $\mathbb{R}$ .

## Definition

The functions  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  define unique probability measures on  $\mathbb{R}$ . Therefore, we propose to introduce a binary operation  $\boxplus$  on  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{R}}$ , namely

$$F_1(z) = F_{\nu \boxplus \mu}(z) \quad \text{and} \quad F_2(z) = F_{\mu \boxplus \nu}(z).$$

The convolution  $\mu \boxplus \nu$  ('half' of  $\mu \oplus \nu$ ) will be called the *s-free additive convolution*.

## Proposition

Subordination equations can then be written in terms of  $s$ -free convolutions:

$$\mu \boxplus \nu = \mu \triangleright (\nu \boxplus \mu) = \nu \triangleright (\mu \boxplus \nu)$$

where  $\triangleright$  – monotone additive convolution since we have  $F_{\mu \triangleright \nu}(z) = F_{\mu}(F_{\nu}(z))$ .

Assumptions:

- 1  $(\mathcal{A}, \varphi, \psi)$  – unital algebra with a pair of linear normalized functionals
- 2  $\mathcal{A}_1$  – unital subalgebra of  $\mathcal{A}$
- 3  $\mathcal{A}_2$  – non-unital subalgebra with an ‘internal’ unit  $1_2$ , i.e.  $1_2 b = b = b 1_2$  for every  $b \in \mathcal{A}_2$ .



## Definition

The pair  $(\mathcal{A}_1, \mathcal{A}_2)$  is *free with subordination*, or *s-free*, with respect to  $(\varphi, \psi)$ , where  $\psi(1_2) = 1$ , if

(ii)  $\varphi(a_1 a_2 \dots a_n) = 0$  whenever  $a_j \in \mathcal{A}_{i_j}^0$  and  $i_1 \neq i_2 \neq \dots \neq i_n$

(ii)  $\varphi(w_1 1_2 w_2) = \varphi(w_1 w_2) - \varphi(w_2)\varphi(w_1)$  for any  $w_1, w_2 \in \text{alg}(\mathcal{A}_1, \mathcal{A}_2)$ ,

where  $\mathcal{A}_1^0 = \mathcal{A}_1 \cap \ker\varphi$  and  $\mathcal{A}_2^0 = \mathcal{A}_2 \cap \ker\psi$ .

## Definition

Let  $\mu$  and  $\nu$  be probability measures. The *orthogonal additive convolution* is defined by the reciprocal Cauchy transform

$$F_{\mu \upharpoonright \nu}(z) = F_{\mu}(F_{\nu}(z)) - F_{\nu}(z) + z$$

Equivalently,

$$K_{\mu \upharpoonright \nu}(z) = K_{\mu}(F_{\nu}(z)) = K_{\mu}(z - K_{\nu}(z))$$

## Definition

Let  $(\mathcal{A}, \varphi, \psi)$  be unital algebra with a pair of linear normalized functionals and let  $\mathcal{A}_1, \mathcal{A}_2$  be non-unital subalgebras of  $\mathcal{A}$ . We say that  $\mathcal{A}_2$  is *orthogonal* to  $\mathcal{A}_1$  with respect to  $(\varphi, \psi)$  if

$$\begin{aligned}\varphi(bw_2) &= \varphi(w_1b) = 0 \\ \varphi(w_1a_1ba_2w_2) &= \psi(b)\varphi(w_1a_1a_2w_2) \\ &\quad - \psi(b)\varphi(w_1a_1)\varphi(a_2w_2)\end{aligned}$$

for any  $a_1, a_2 \in \mathcal{A}_1$ ,  $b \in \mathcal{A}_2$  and any elements  $w_1, w_2$  of the unital algebra  $\text{alg}(\mathcal{A}_1, \mathcal{A}_2)$ .

# Decompositions of $\mu \boxplus \nu$ and $\mu \boxplus \nu$

Theorem [R.L. 2006]

If  $\mu, \nu \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{R}_+}$  are compactly supported, then we have 'complete' decompositions

$$\mu \boxplus \nu = \mu \vdash (\nu \vdash (\mu \vdash (\nu \vdash \dots)))$$

$$\mu \boxplus \nu = \mu \triangleright (\nu \vdash (\mu \vdash (\nu \vdash \dots)))$$

where the right hand side is understood as the weak limit.

## Corollary

The transforms of  $\mu \boxplus \nu$  and  $\mu \boxplus \nu$  can be written in the ‘continued composition form’

$$K_{\mu \boxplus \nu}(z) = K_{\mu}(z - K_{\nu}(z - K_{\mu}(\dots)))$$

$$F_{\mu \boxplus \nu}(z) = F_{\mu}(z - K_{\nu}(z - K_{\mu}(\dots)))$$

where the right-hand side is understood as the uniform limit on compact subsets of  $\mathbb{C}_+$ .

## Theorem [R.L. 2006]

If  $X, Y \in \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{H})$  are free and self-adjoint, where  $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}_1 * \mathcal{H}_2$ , then one can construct self-adjoint operators  $s, S \in \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{H})$  such that

- (i)  $X + Y = s + S$
- (ii)  $\varphi$ -distribution of  $s$  is  $\mu$
- (iii)  $\varphi$ -distribution of  $S$  is  $\nu \boxplus \mu$
- (iv)  $(s, S)$  is monotone independent w.r.t.  $\varphi$ .

Moreover, there exists a sequence of orthogonally independent operators corresponding to the 'complete' decomposition of  $\mu \boxplus \nu$ .

We have the following correspondence between additive convolutions or probability measures on the real line and products of rooted graphs''

- 1 monotone -  $\mu \triangleright \nu$  - comb product
- 2 boolean -  $\mu \oplus \nu$  - star product
- 3 free -  $\mu \boxplus \nu$  - free product
- 4 orthogonal -  $\mu \vdash \nu$  - orthogonal product
- 5 s-free -  $\mu \boxboxplus \nu$  - s-free product

Theorem [Accardi, R.L., Sałapata 2006]

Let  $\mathcal{G}_1\mathcal{I}\mathcal{G}_2$  be naturally colored and let  $\mu, \nu$  be spectral distributions of  $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$ . If  $\mathcal{I}$  stands for monotone, boolean, orthogonal, s-free and free, and  $Z$  is the adjacency matrix of  $\mathcal{G}_1\mathcal{I}\mathcal{G}_2$ , then

$$\varphi(Z^n) = M_{\mu+\mathcal{I}\nu}(n) = |W_n(e)|.$$

where  $W_n(e)$  is the set of rooted walks on  $\mathcal{G}_1\mathcal{I}\mathcal{G}_2$  of length  $n$ . Moreover, if  $Z = S_1 + S_2$  is the decomposition induced by the coloring, then  $(S_1, S_2)$  is  $\mathcal{I}$ -independent.



Let  $\mu$  be a probability measure on  $\mathbb{R}_+ = [0, \infty)$  and  $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \mathbb{R}_+$ .  
Useful transforms for multiplicative convolutions:

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$$\psi_\mu(z) = \int_{\mathbb{R}_+} \frac{zt}{1-zt} d\mu(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mu(X^n) z^n$$

2

$$\eta_\mu(z) = \frac{\psi_\mu(z)}{1 + \psi_\mu(z)}$$

3

$$\rho_\mu(z) = \frac{\eta_\mu(z)}{z}$$

## Theorem [Biane 1998]

For probability measures  $\mu, \nu$  on  $\mathbb{R}_+$  it holds that

$$\eta_{\mu \boxtimes \nu} = \eta_{\mu}(\eta_1(z)) = \eta_{\nu}(\eta_2(z))$$

for  $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \mathbb{R}_+$ , where  $\eta_1, \eta_2$  are  $\eta$ -transforms of some probability measures on  $\mathbb{R}_+$ .

## Definition

The functions  $\eta_1$  and  $\eta_2$  define unique probability measures on  $\mathbb{R}_+$  which are not concentrated at zero. This gives a binary operation  $\boxtimes$  on  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{R}_+} \setminus \{\delta_0\}$ , namely

$$\eta_1(z) = \eta_{\nu \boxtimes \mu}(z) \quad \text{and} \quad \eta_2(z) = \eta_{\mu \boxtimes \nu}(z).$$

The convolution  $\mu \boxtimes \nu$  is called the *s-free multiplicative convolution*.

## Proposition

The subordination equations can be written in terms of s-free multiplicative convolutions as

$$\mu \boxtimes \nu = \mu \circlearrowleft (\nu \boxtimes \mu) = \nu \circlearrowleft (\mu \boxtimes \nu)$$

since the monotone multiplicative convolution (Bercovici) is defined by the equation

$$\eta_{\mu \circlearrowleft \nu}(z) = \eta_{\mu}(\eta_{\nu}(z))$$

for  $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \mathbb{R}_+$  and  $\mu, \nu \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{R}_+}$ .

# Decomposition of $\mu \boxtimes \nu$ and $\mu \boxdot \nu$

## Theorem [R.L. 2007]

For compactly supported  $\mu, \nu \in \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{R}_+}$ , we have complete decompositions

$$\mu \boxdot \nu = \mu \angle (\nu \angle (\mu \angle (\nu \angle (\dots))))),$$

$$\mu \boxtimes \nu = \mu \circlearrowleft (\nu \angle (\mu \angle (\nu \angle (\dots))))),$$

and their transforms can be written in the ‘continued composition form’:

$$\rho_{\mu \boxdot \nu}(z) = \rho_{\mu}(z \rho_{\nu}(z \rho_{\nu}(z \rho_{\mu}(\dots))))),$$

$$\eta_{\mu \boxtimes \nu}(z) = \eta_{\mu}(z \rho_{\nu}(z \rho_{\mu}(z \rho_{\nu}(\dots))))),$$

where the right-hand sides are understood as the uniform limits on compact subsets of  $\mathbb{C} \setminus \mathbb{R}_+$ .

## Theorem [R.L. 2007]

If  $X, Y \in \mathcal{B}(\mathcal{H})$  are positive and free, where  $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}_1 * \mathcal{H}_2$ , then there exist positive  $z, Z$  such that

(i)  $\sqrt{X}Y\sqrt{X} = \sqrt{z} Z\sqrt{z}$

(ii)  $\varphi$ -distribution of  $z$  is  $\mu$

(iii)  $\varphi$ -distribution of  $Z$  is  $\nu \boxtimes \mu$

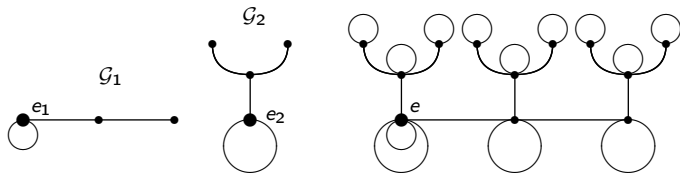
(iv)  $(z - 1, Z - 1)$  is monotone independent w.r.t.  $\varphi$ .

Moreover, there exists a sequence of orthogonally independent operators corresponding to the 'complete' decomposition of  $\mu \boxtimes \nu$ .

We have the following correspondence:

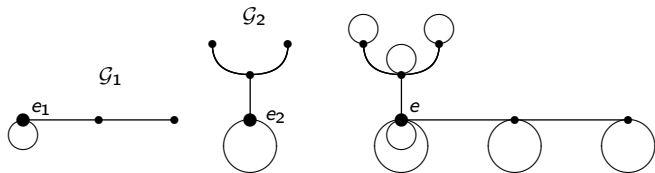
- 1 monotone independence -  $\mu \circlearrowleft \nu$  - comb loop product
- 2 boolean independence -  $\mu \boxtimes \nu$  - star loop product
- 3 freeness -  $\mu \boxtimes \nu$  - free product
- 4 orthogonal independence -  $\mu \angle \nu$  - orthogonal loop product
- 5 s-freeness -  $\mu \boxtimes \nu$  - s-free loop product

# Comb loop product of graphs

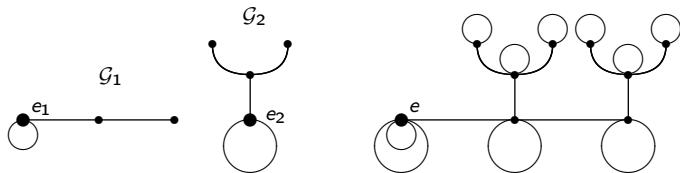




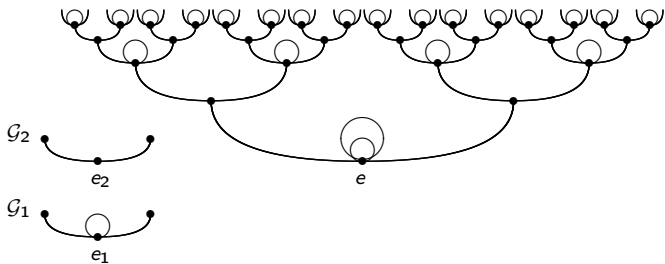
# Star loop product of graphs



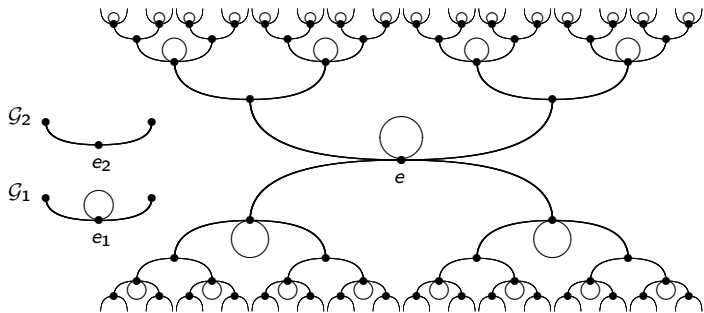
# Orthogonal loop product of graphs



# s-free loop product of graphs



# Free product of graphs



# Multiplication theorem

Notations:

- 1  $\mathcal{G}_1 \mathcal{I}_\ell \mathcal{G}_2$  naturally colored loop product of graphs corresponding to  $\mathcal{I}$ -independence
- 2  $\mu, \nu$  – spectral distributions of  $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2$
- 3  $D_{2n}(e)$  – rooted alternating double return walks on  $\mathcal{G}_1 \mathcal{I}_\ell \mathcal{G}_2$  of length  $2n$ .

Theorem [R.L. 2007]

If  $\mathcal{I}$  refers to monotone, boolean, orthogonal, s-free and free independence, and  $Z$  is the adjacency matrix of  $\mathcal{G}_1 \mathcal{I}_\ell \mathcal{G}_2$ , then

$$N_Z(n) = N_{\mu_1 \times_{\mathcal{I}} \mu_2}(n) = |D_{2n}(e)|.$$

Moreover, if  $Z = R_1 + R_2$  is the decomposition induced by the coloring, then  $(R_1 - 1, R_2 - 1)$  is  $\mathcal{I}$ -independent.

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