

# Anyon condensation in mixed-state topological order

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[Ellison-Cheng '24] also conjectured **topological invariants** of mixed-state TOs by condensing all transparent bosonic anyons.

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Clarified **how to** condense  
general anyons including

- **non-invertible** anyons,
- **successive** condensation.

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=analogue of **representation**

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2-dim. irrep. of  $SU(2)$  obeys

$$2 \otimes 2 = 4 = 1 \oplus 3.$$

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Analogously, fusion category  $C$  has

- simple objects  $c_i \in C$ ,
- dual objects  $c_i^*$  of  $c_i \in C$   $(c_i \otimes c_i^* = 1 \oplus \dots)$
- fusion product  $\otimes$ ,
- direct sum  $\oplus$ .

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Example: Ising fusion category (FC)

$$\text{Ising FC} = \{1, \eta, N\}$$

i.e., rank=3

It has **fusion product**

$$\eta \otimes \eta = 1, \quad \eta \otimes N = N = N \otimes \eta, \quad N \otimes N = 1 \oplus \eta.$$

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Example: Ising FC

The product  $\eta \otimes \eta = 1$ ,  $\eta \otimes N = N = N \otimes \eta$ ,  $N \otimes N = 1 \oplus \eta$   
is described by **fusion matrices** (in the basis  $\{1, \eta, N\}$ )

**Definition.**  $i \otimes j = \bigoplus_{k \in C} (N_i)_j^k k$

$$N_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad N_\eta = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad N_N = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

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$$d_i d_j = \sum_{k=1}^{\text{rank}(C)} N_{ij}^k d_k.$$

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From fusions  $\eta \otimes \eta = 1$ ,  $\eta \otimes N = N = N \otimes \eta$ ,  $N \otimes N = 1 \oplus \eta$ , we get

$$d_1 = 1, \quad d_\eta = 1, \quad d_N = \pm \sqrt{2}.$$

# Preliminary: pre-modular fusion category

- Fusion category  $C$  may have **braiding**  $c_{c_1,c_2} : c_1 \otimes c_2 \rightarrow c_2 \otimes c_1$ .  
 $(c_1, c_2 \in C)$
- **Braided fusion category (BFC)**:=fusion category w/ braiding  $c$ .  
(w/ consistency conditions)
- **Pre-modular fusion category (Pre-MFC)**:=spherical BFC.

# Preliminary: modular fusion category

- The braiding is characterized by **conformal dimension**  $h_i$  of  $c_i$ :

$$\tilde{S}_{ij} := \mathbf{tr}(c_{c_j, c_i} c_{c_i, c_j}) = \sum_{k=1}^{\mathbf{rank}(C)} N_{ij}^k \frac{e^{2\pi i h_k}}{e^{2\pi i(h_i + h_j)}} d_k.$$

- **Modular fusion category** (MFC):=pre-MFC w/  $\det(\tilde{S}) \neq 0$ .

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Example: Ising FC

The FC has (in basis  $\{1, \eta, N\}$ )

$$\tilde{S} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & \sqrt{2} \\ 1 & 1 & -\sqrt{2} \\ \sqrt{2} & -\sqrt{2} & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The full Ising FC is an MFC,  
but fusion subcategory  $\{1, \eta\}$  is **not** modular.

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*Proof.*

Use mathematical

Theorem. [Bruguières '00][Mueger '98, '12]

A connected étale algebra  $A \in P$  gives a surjective

functor  $F : P \rightarrow M$  if all transparent objects have

$e^{2\pi i h} = 1$  and  $A$  condenses all transparent simple  
objects.  $\square$

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- Preservation of **quantum dim.**,
- Consistency w/ original **fusion**,
- **Associativity**,
- **Duality**, etc

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[2406.14320 (KK-Kam-Huang)]

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Quantum dimensions:  $(d_1, d_X, d_Y) = (1, 1, 2)$

Conformal dimensions:  $(h_1, h_X, h_Y) = (0, 0, 0)$ , all bosons

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$\text{Rep}(S_3)$  has 4 connected étale algebras

[KK '23]

$$A = 1, 1 \oplus X, 1 \oplus Y, 1 \oplus X \oplus 2Y.$$

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$X \otimes Y = Y$  reduces to

$$X \oplus (X \otimes_A Y_1) = \underline{0} \oplus Y_1.$$

Since  $X$  is **not** condensed,  $X \neq \underline{0} \Rightarrow X = Y_1, Y_1 \otimes_A Y_1 = \underline{0}.$

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With  $Y \rightarrow \underline{0} \oplus X$ ,  $Y \otimes Y = 1 \oplus X \oplus Y$  reduces to

$$(\underline{0} \oplus X) \oplus_A (\underline{0} \oplus X) = 2\underline{0} \oplus 2X,$$

consistent.

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X		0

$\mathbb{Z}_2$  (a.k.a.  $\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{Z}_2}^1$ ).

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Example 2.  $1 \oplus X \oplus 2Y \in \text{Rep}(S_3)$

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$Y \otimes Y = 1 \oplus X \oplus Y$  reduces to

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We need  $Y_1 = \underline{0}$ .

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Trivial (a.k.a.  $\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{C}}$ ).

(This can also be obtained from the last example by  $X \rightarrow \underline{0}$ .)

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Pre-MFC $\mathcal{B}$	Condensable anyon $A$	New phase $\mathcal{B}_A^0$	Topological invariant $\mathcal{A}^{\min}$
$\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{Z}_2}^1 \boxtimes \text{Fib}$	$1 \oplus X$	Fib	Fib
$\text{Rep}(D_7)$	$1 \oplus X \oplus 2Y \oplus 2Z \oplus 2W$	$\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{C}}$	$\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{C}}$
$\text{Rep}(S_4)$	$1 \oplus X$ $1 \oplus Y$ $1 \oplus X \oplus 2Y$ $1 \oplus X \oplus 2Y \oplus 3Z \oplus 3W$	$\mathcal{C}(\text{FR}^{4,2})$ $\text{TY}(\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2)$ $\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2}$ or $\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{Z}_4}$ $\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{C}}$	$\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{C}}$
$\text{TY}(\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2)$	$1 \oplus X$	$\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2}$ or $\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{Z}_4}$	$\begin{cases} \text{Vec}_{\mathbb{Z}_2}^{-1} \boxtimes \text{Vec}_{\mathbb{Z}_2}^{-1} & (h_W = \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}), \\ \text{ToricCode} & (h_W = 0, \frac{1}{2}), \\ \text{Vec}_{\mathbb{Z}_4}^\alpha & (h_W = \frac{1}{8}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{5}{8}, \frac{7}{8}). \end{cases}$ (mod 1)

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$$d_1 = d_X = d_Y = d_Z = 1, \quad d_W = 2$$

$$(h_1, h_X, h_Y, h_Z, h_W) = (0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{n}{8}) \text{ w/ } n = 0, 1, \dots, 7$$

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The pre-MFC has  $A = 1 \oplus X$ .

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$$\begin{aligned}1 &\rightarrow \underline{0}, \\X &\rightarrow \underline{0}.\end{aligned}$$

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$$0 \otimes_A Y = Z,$$

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$W \otimes W = 1 \oplus X \oplus Y \oplus Z$  reduces to

$$W \otimes_A W = 2\underline{0} \oplus 2Y.$$

We find  $W$  must **split**. Why?

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**Claim.**  $W$  splits.

*Proof.*

Assume the opposite. Since  $W$  is self-dual,

the RHS contains only one vacuum  $\underline{0}$ , contradiction.  $\square$

$$\Rightarrow W \rightarrow W_1 \oplus W_2 \text{ w/ } d_{W_1} = 1 = d_{W_2}.$$

(Recall  $d_W = 2$ .)

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The fusion is now

$$(W_1 \oplus W_2) \otimes_A (W_1 \oplus W_2) = 2\underline{0} \oplus 2Y.$$

There are 2 possibilities.

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Since  $W_1^* \oplus W_2^* = W_1 \oplus W_2$ , 1)  $W_{1,2}$  are self-dual, or 2)  $W_1^* = W_2$ .

$$1) W_1 \otimes_A W_1 = \underline{0} = W_2 \otimes_A W_2 \Rightarrow W_1 \otimes_A W_2 = Y = W_2 \otimes_A W_1.$$

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**Claim.**  $Y \otimes_A W_1 = W_2, Y \otimes_A W_2 = W_1$ .

*Proof.*

Consider when  $W_{1,2}$  are self-dual, i.e.,  $W_1 \otimes_A W_1 = \underline{0}$ .

Assume the opposite  $Y \otimes_A W_1 = W_1$ ,

and fuse  $W_1$  from the right to get  $Y = \underline{0}$ , a contradiction.

Similarly for  $W_1^* = W_2$  case.  $\square$

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$\text{TY}(\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2)$

into

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or

$\text{Vec}_{\mathbb{Z}_4}$ .

(The difference originated from duality.)

# Summary

- Pure-state TO  $\Rightarrow$  fault-tolerant computation.
- Real computer interacts w/ environment  $\Rightarrow$  Mixed-state TO.
- $\{\text{Mixed-state TOs}\} \cong \{\text{Pre-MFC}\}$ . [Sohal-Prem '24][Ellison-Cheng '24]
- Topological inv. are obtained by condensation.
- Studied anyon condensation in mixed-state TOs.  
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[2406.14320 (KK-Kam-Huang)]

- Condensable anyon = connected étale algebra.
- Clarified how to condense general anyons.
- Clarified when Mixed-state TO  $\Rightarrow$  Pure-state TO.
- Computed topological invariants:

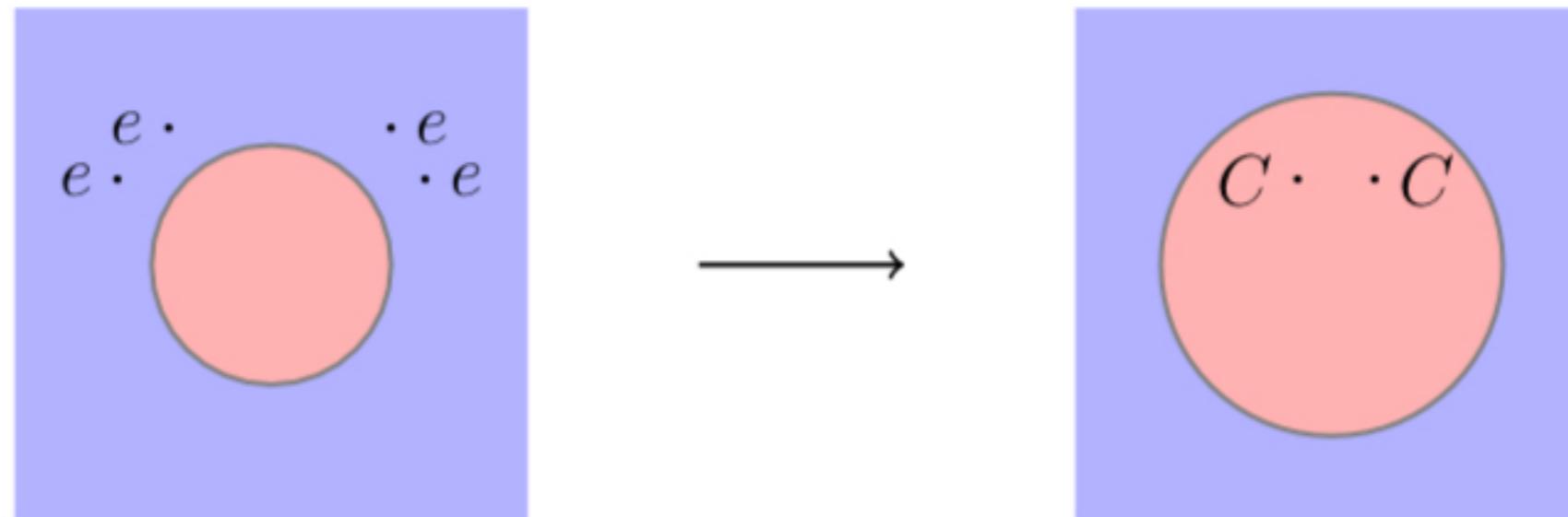
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# Appendix

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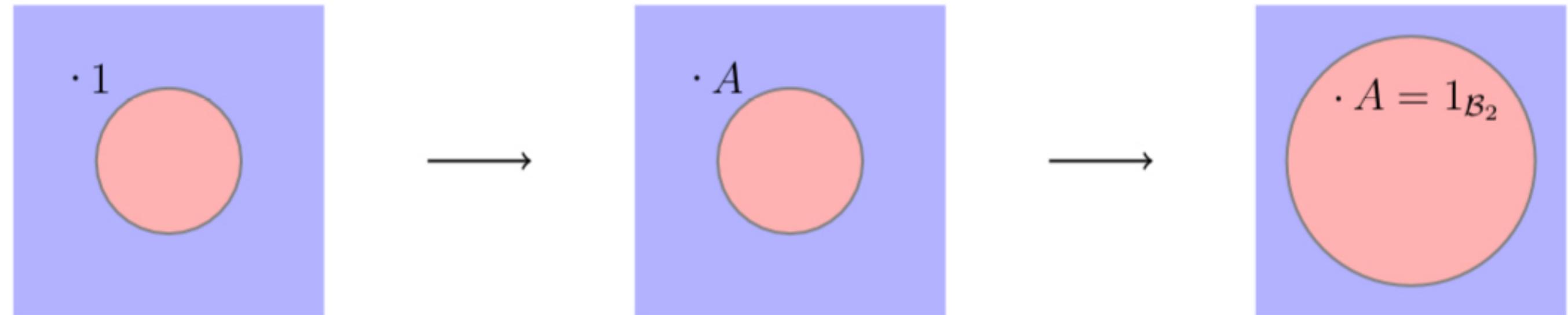


⇒ Cooper pairs are **bosons**

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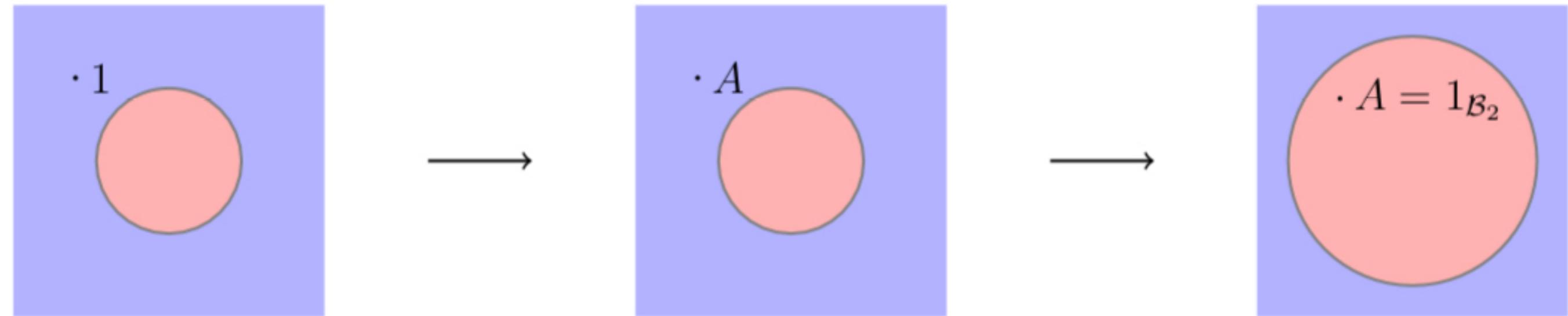
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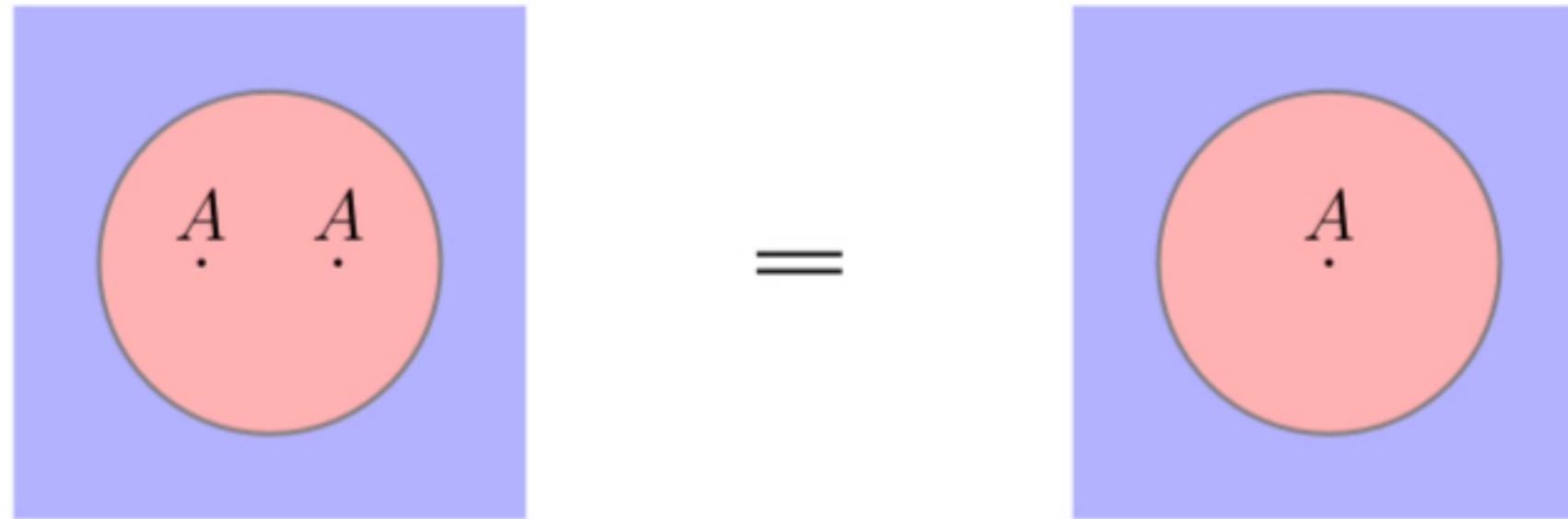
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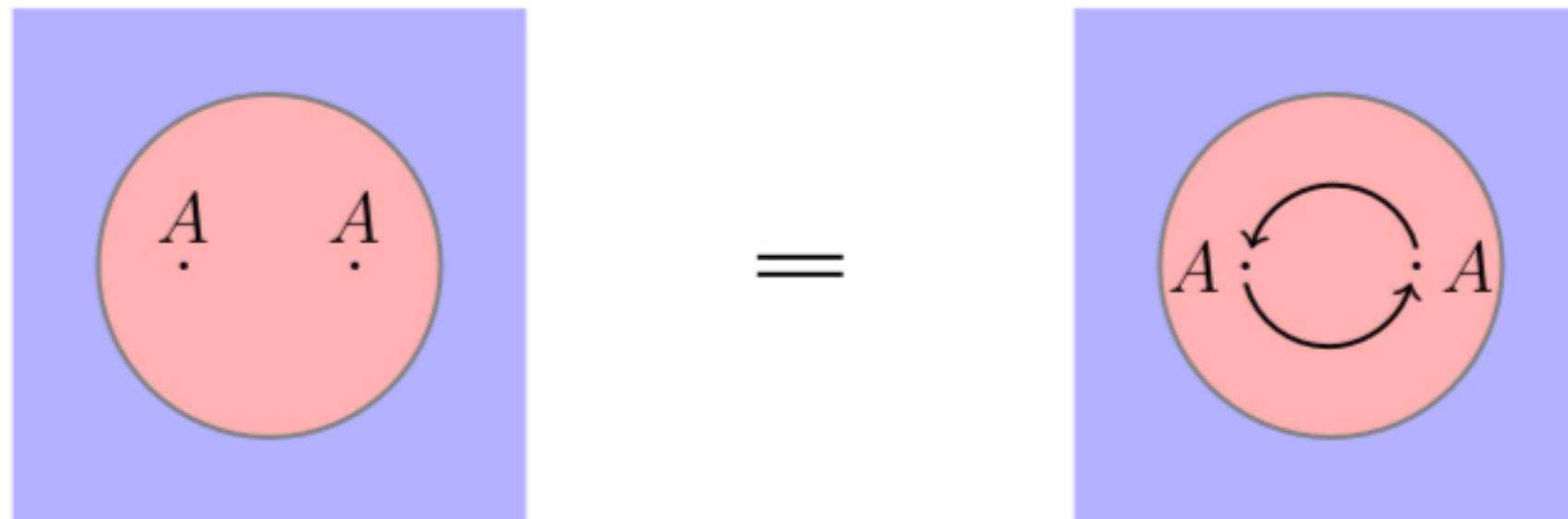


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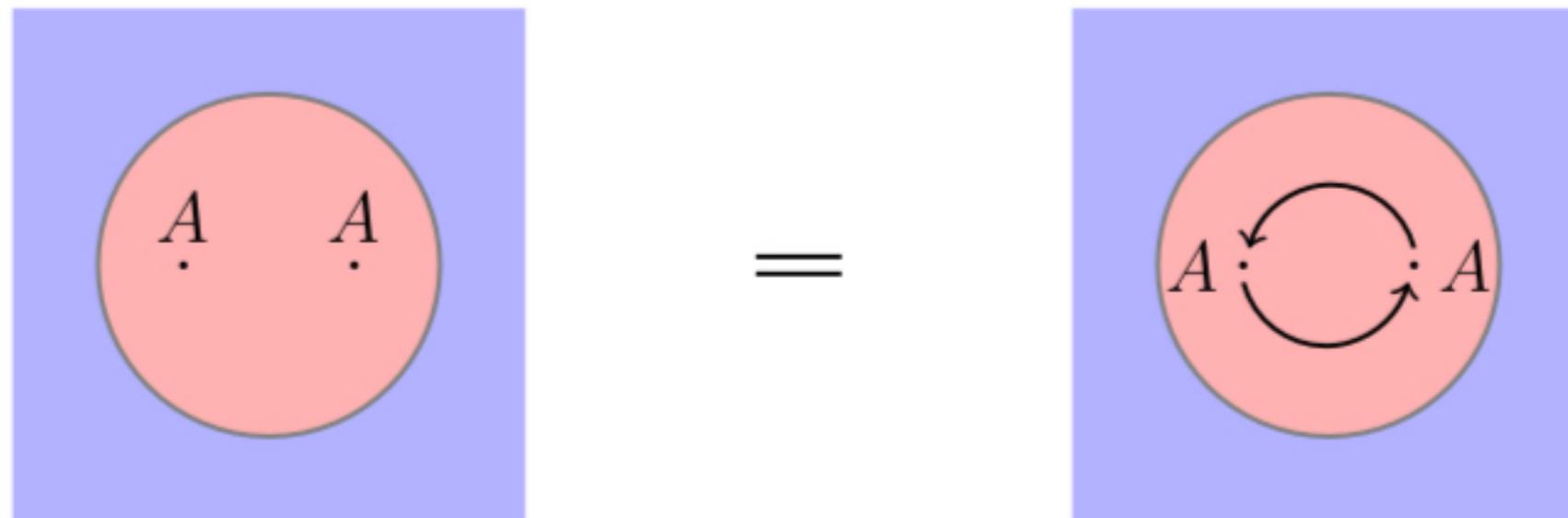
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connected étale algebra

:=commutative separable alg.

w/ unique vacuum

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Theorem 1.

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Condensable anyon

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