

# Double affine Hecke algebras and applications

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# The Calogero-Moser system

The **classical Calogero-Moser system** is a system of  $n$  particles of unit mass on the line with interaction potential  $K/r^2$ , where  $r$  is the distance between two particles. Thus the Hamiltonian is

$$H_{\text{cl}} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n p_i^2 + \sum_{1 \leq i \neq j \leq n} \frac{K}{(x_i - x_j)^2} \right),$$

To quantize this system, we are supposed to replace  $p_j$  with  $-i\hbar\partial_j$ , so setting  $\hbar = 1$ , we get the **quantum Calogero-Moser Hamiltonian**

$$H = \Delta - \sum_{1 \leq i \neq j \leq n} \frac{K}{(x_i - x_j)^2},$$

where  $\Delta := \sum_{j=1}^n \partial_j^2$  is the Laplace operator (and we drop the physical factor  $-1/2$  for brevity).

# The integrability theorem

## Theorem (Calogero-Sutherland-Moser)

*H defines a quantum integrable system. That is, there are unique differential operators  $L_1, \dots, L_n$  such that*

- $L_2 = H$ ;
- $[L_i, L_j] = 0$  for all  $i, j$ ;
- $L_i$  is homogeneous and the symbol of  $L_i$  is  $\sum_{j=1}^n \partial_j^i$ .

## Remark

Quantum integrability is good because it reduces the stationary Schrödinger equation

$$H\psi = \Lambda\psi$$

to the joint eigenvalue problem

$$L_i\psi = \Lambda_i\psi, \quad i = 1, \dots, n,$$

which is holonomic and therefore reduces to ODE.

Let us prove the existence of  $L_i$ . Let  $K = c(c + 1)$ . Define the **Dunkl operators** on  $\mathbb{C}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$

$$D_i = \partial_i + c \sum_{j \neq i} \frac{1}{x_i - x_j} s_{ij},$$

where  $s_{ij} \in S_n$  is the permutation of  $i$  and  $j$ .

**Lemma (Dunkl)**

$$[D_i, D_j] = 0.$$

The proof is by an easy computation.

Now define  $L_i$  to be the restriction of  $\sum_{j=1}^n D_j^i$  to symmetric functions. A short computation shows that  $L_2 = H$ , and it is easy to see that the operators  $L_i$  have the required properties.

# Generalization to any finite Coxeter group

Let  $W$  be a finite Coxeter group with reflection representation  $\mathfrak{h}$ . Then by the Chevalley-Sheppard-Todd theorem, we have  $(S\mathfrak{h})^W = \mathbb{C}[P_1, \dots, P_r]$  for some homogeneous polynomials  $P_1, \dots, P_r$ . The above constructions can be generalized to this case, and are recovered in the special case  $W = S_n$ . Namely, assume for simplicity that  $W$  is irreducible and let  $s \mapsto c_s$  be a  $W$ -invariant function on the set of reflections of  $W$ . Then the Hamiltonian of the quantum CM system is the differential operator on  $\mathfrak{h}$  given by

$$H = \Delta - \sum_s \frac{c_s(c_s + 1)(\alpha_s, \alpha_s)}{\alpha_s^2(x)},$$

where  $\alpha_s \in \mathfrak{h}^*$  defines the reflection hyperplane of  $s$ .

## Theorem (Olshanetsky-Perelomov, Heckman)

*The operator  $H$  defines a unique quantum integrable system  $L_1, \dots, L_r$  such that  $L_1 = H$ ,  $[L_i, L_j] = 0$ , and  $L_i$  is homogeneous with symbol  $P_i(\partial)$ .*

## Generalization to any finite Coxeter group

The proof is again by using Dunkl operators. Namely, to each  $y \in \mathfrak{h}$  we attach the Dunkl operator

$$D_y := \partial_y + \sum_s c_s \frac{\alpha_s(y)}{\alpha_s} s,$$

Then by Dunkl's lemma  $[D_y, D_{y'}] = 0$ , and  $L_i$  may be defined as the restrictions of  $P_i(D)$  to  $W$ -invariant functions on  $\mathfrak{h}$ .

# Rational Cherednik algebra (rational DAHA)

Since Dunkl operators turned out to be so useful, let us consider the algebra they define.

**Definition (Drinfeld, Cherednik, E.-Ginzburg)**

The **rational Cherednik algebra (rational DAHA)**  $H_c(W, \mathfrak{h})$  is the algebra generated inside  $\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}\mathbb{C}(\mathfrak{h})$  by  $W$ ,  $\mathfrak{h}^*$ , and the Dunkl operators  $D_y, y \in \mathfrak{h}$ .

It turns out that this algebra can also be defined by generators and relations.

**Proposition (Drinfeld, E.-Ginzburg)**

*The algebra  $H_c(W, \mathfrak{h})$  is the quotient of  $\mathbb{C}W \ltimes T(\mathfrak{h} \oplus \mathfrak{h}^*)$  by the relations*

$$[x, x'] = 0, [y, y'] = 0, [y, x] = (y, x) + \sum_s c_s (y, (s-1)x)s,$$

where  $x, x' \in \mathfrak{h}^*, y, y' \in \mathfrak{h}$ .

# Adding the Planck constant

In fact, it is useful to introduce one more parameter  $\hbar$  (the Planck constant), replacing the last relation by

$$[y, x] = \hbar(y, x) - \sum_s c_s(y, (s-1)x)s.$$

This defines the most general rational Cherednik algebra,  $H_{\hbar,c}(W, \mathfrak{h})$ , and the above theory extends to this setting (namely, in the Dunkl operators one needs to replace  $\partial_y$  by  $\hbar\partial_y$ ). In particular, it is interesting to set  $\hbar = 0$ , replacing  $\hbar\partial_y$  by classical momenta  $p_y$ ; then the above construction gives the integrals of the classical Calogero-Moser system.

## Example

If  $W = \mathbb{Z}/2$  and  $\mathfrak{h}$  is the sign representation of  $W$  then  $H_{\hbar,c}(W, \mathfrak{h})$  is generated by  $x, y, s$  with relations

$$sx = -xs, \quad sy = -ys, \quad s^2 = 1, \quad [y, x] = \hbar - 2cs.$$

## Example

The algebra  $H_{\hbar,c}(S_n, \mathbb{C}^n)$  is generated by  $S_n, x_1, \dots, x_n, y_1, \dots, y_n$ , with relations

$$sx_i = x_{s(i)}s, \quad sy_i = y_{s(i)}s, \quad [x_i, x_j] = 0, \quad [y_i, y_j] = 0,$$

$$[y_i, x_j] = cs_{ij}, \quad [y_i, x_i] = \hbar - c \sum_{j \neq i} s_{ij},$$

where  $s \in S_n$  and  $i \neq j$ .

## Example

$H_{0,0}(W, \mathfrak{h}) = \mathbb{C}W \rtimes S(\mathfrak{h} \oplus \mathfrak{h}^*)$  and  $H_{1,0}(W, \mathfrak{h}) = W \rtimes D(\mathfrak{h})$ . The algebra  $H_{\hbar,c}$  has a filtration with  $\deg \mathfrak{h}^* = \deg W = 0$ ,  $\deg \mathfrak{h} = 1$ , and  $\text{gr}H_{\hbar,c} = H_{0,0}$ .

# Properties of RCA

Corollary (Drinfeld, Cherednik, E. Ginzburg)

*(the PBW theorem) The multiplication map  $S\mathfrak{h}^* \otimes \mathbb{C}W \otimes S\mathfrak{h} \rightarrow H_c(W, \mathfrak{h})$  is a linear isomorphism.*

Theorem (Losev)

*If  $W$  is irreducible then  $H_{\hbar,c}(W, \mathfrak{h})$  is the universal filtered deformation of  $\mathbb{C}W \rtimes S(\mathfrak{h} \oplus \mathfrak{h}^*)$ .*

Theorem (E.-Ginzburg)

*If  $W$  is irreducible then  $H_{1,c}(W, \mathfrak{h})$  for formal  $c$  is the universal formal deformation of  $H_{1,0}(W, \mathfrak{h}) = \mathbb{C}W \rtimes D(\mathfrak{h})$ .*

Remark

These results extend verbatim to the case when  $W$  is a finite complex reflection group, except the corresponding integrable systems will not have a quadratic Hamiltonian, since  $\deg P_1 > 2$ .

# Trigonometric deformation

If  $W$  is crystallographic (i.e., a Weyl group) and corresponds to a reduced root system  $R$ , then the CM system attached to  $W$  admits a integrable trigonometric deformation

$$H = \Delta - \sum_s \frac{c_s(c_s + 1)(\alpha_s, \alpha_s)}{4 \sinh^2 \frac{1}{2} \alpha_s(x)},$$

where  $\alpha_s$  is the positive root corresponding to  $s$ . This deformation is integrated using the **trigonometric Dunkl-Cherednik operators**

$$D_y^{\text{trig}} := \partial_y + \sum_s c_s \frac{\alpha_s(y)}{e^{\alpha_s} - 1} s,$$

which give rise to the **trigonometric Cherednik algebra**  $H_{\hbar, c}^{\text{trig}}(W, \mathfrak{h}, R)$ , a deformation of  $H_{\hbar, c}(W, \mathfrak{h})$ .

# Trigonometric deformation

The trigonometric Cherednik algebra is generated by two subalgebras  $A_x, A_y$  which deform  $\mathbb{C}W \rtimes S\mathfrak{h}^*$  and  $\mathbb{C}W \rtimes S\mathfrak{h}$ , respectively. The first subalgebra  $A_x$  is generated by  $W$  and commuting elements  $X_i = e^{\omega_i}$  corresponding to fundamental weights, and is simply the group algebra  $\mathbb{C}[\widehat{W}]$  of the extended affine Weyl group  $\widehat{W}$ . The second subalgebra  $A_y$  is the **degenerate (or graded) affine Hecke algebra** studied by Drinfeld and Lusztig. It is generated by  $W$  and  $y \in \mathfrak{h}$  with relations

$$s_i(y)s_i - s_i y = c_s \alpha_i(y), \quad [y, y'] = 0,$$

where  $s_i$  are the simple reflections,  $\alpha_i$  the corresponding positive simple roots, and  $y, y' \in \mathfrak{h}$ .

There is also an **elliptic Cherednik algebra**, leading to the integrable elliptic deformation of the CM system, with Hamiltonian

$$H = \Delta - \sum_s c_s (c_s + 1) (\alpha_s, \alpha_s) \wp(\alpha_s(x), \tau).$$

# The $q$ -deformation

The trigonometric Cherednik algebra  $H_{\hbar,c}^{\text{trig}}$  has a  $q$ -deformation with parameters  $q = e^{\varepsilon\hbar}$  and  $t_s = e^{\varepsilon c_s}$ , which degenerates to the trigonometric algebra as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ . This deformation is Cherednik's **double affine Hecke algebra (DAHA)**  $HH_{q,t}(W, \mathfrak{h}, R)$ . To define it, it is best to use the topological language. Namely, recall that the usual Hecke algebra  $\mathcal{H}_t(W)$  is the quotient of the group algebra of the braid group  $B_W$  by the Hecke relations

$$(T_i - t_i)(T_i + t_i^{-1}) = 0.$$

This is a special case of the following general definition of the **orbifold Hecke algebra**, which in particular also includes affine and double affine Hecke algebras.

Let  $X$  be a simply connected complex manifold and  $G$  be a discrete group of automorphisms of  $X$  acting on  $X$  properly discontinuously (i.e., we have a complex orbifold  $X/G$ ). Let  $X^\circ \subset X$  be the set of points with trivial stabilizer. The **braid group** of  $X$ ,  $G$  is the group  $B := \pi_1(X^\circ/G)$ . We have a surjective homomorphism  $\phi : B \rightarrow G$  corresponding to gluing back points with nontrivial stabilizer. Let us describe the kernel of  $\phi$ . To this end, define a **reflection hypersurface** to be a codimension 1 connected component of  $X^g$  for some  $g \in G$ . For every reflection hypersurface  $Y \subset X$ , we have a small counterclockwise loop  $T_Y \subset X^\circ/G$  around the image of  $Y$  in  $X/G$ , which defines a conjugacy class in  $B$ . Then the Seifert-van Kampen theorem yields

## Proposition

*Ker  $\phi$  is generated by the relations  $T_Y^{n_Y} = 1$ , where  $n_Y$  is the order of the stabilizer  $G_Y$  of a generic point of  $Y$ .*

# Orbifold Hecke algebras

Now to each reflection hypersurface  $Y$  attach nonzero parameters  $\mathbf{t}_j(Y)$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, n_Y$  which are the same for conjugate reflection hypersurfaces  $Y$ .

## Definition (E.)

The orbifold Hecke algebra  $\mathcal{H}_{\mathbf{t}}(G, X)$  is the quotient of  $\mathbb{C}B$  by the relations

$$\prod_{j=1}^{n_Y} (T_Y - \mathbf{t}_j(Y)) = 0.$$

This is clearly a deformation of the group algebra  $\mathbb{C}G$  of  $G$ , which, by the above proposition, is recovered when  $\mathbf{t}_j(Y) = e^{2\pi ij/n_Y}$ .

## Theorem (E.)

*(Formal PBW theorem) If  $H^2(X, \mathbb{C}) = 0$  then this deformation is flat in the formal sense (i.e., when  $\mathbf{t}_j(Y) = e^{\tau_{j,Y}} e^{2\pi ij/n_Y}$ , where  $\tau_{j,Y}$  are formal parameters).*

## Example

Let  $X = \mathfrak{h}$ .

1. If  $G = W$  then  $\mathcal{H}_t(G, X)$  is the usual Hecke algebra  $\mathcal{H}_t(W)$ .
2. If  $G = \widehat{W} = W \ltimes P^\vee$ , where  $P^\vee$  is the coweight lattice (in the crystallographic case) then  $\mathcal{H}_t(G, X)$  is the affine Hecke algebra  $\mathcal{H}_t(\widehat{W})$ .

## Definition (Cherednik)

If  $G = W \ltimes (P^\vee \oplus \tau P^\vee)$ , where  $\text{Im}\tau > 0$ , then  $\mathcal{H}_t(G, X)$  is the double affine Hecke algebra  $\mathbb{H}_{q,t}(W, \mathfrak{h}, R)$ .

From this description it is easy to see that as the trigonometric Cherednik algebra is  $q$ -deformed, the two subalgebras  $A_x, A_y$  deform into two copies of the affine Hecke algebra  $\mathcal{H}_t(\widehat{W})$ .

## Explicit presentation

Let us describe by explicit generators and relations the DAHA for  $W = S_n$ ,  $\mathfrak{h} = \mathbb{C}^n$  (i.e.,  $G = S_n \ltimes \mathbb{Z}^{2n}$ ), which we call  $\mathcal{H}_{q,t}(n)$ .

### Proposition (Cherednik)

$\mathcal{H}_{q,t}(n)$  is generated by invertible elements  $X_i, Y_i, i = 1, \dots, n$ , and  $T_i, i = 1, \dots, n - 1$ , with relations

$$(T_i - t^{1/2})(T_i + t^{-1/2}) = 0,$$

$$T_i T_{i+1} T_i = T_{i+1} T_i T_{i+1}, \quad T_i T_j = T_j T_i \quad (|i - j| \geq 2),$$

$$T_i X_i T_i = X_{i+1}, \quad T_i X_j = X_j T_i \quad (j \neq i, i + 1), \quad [X_i, X_j] = 0,$$

$$T_i Y_i T_i = Y_{i+1}, \quad T_i Y_j = Y_j T_i \quad (j \neq i, i + 1), \quad [Y_i, Y_j] = 0,$$

$$X_1^{-1} Y_2^{-1} X_1 Y_2 = T_1^2, \quad Y_i \tilde{X} = q \tilde{X} Y_i, \quad X_i \tilde{Y} = q^{-1} \tilde{Y} X_i,$$

where  $\tilde{X} := \prod_i X_i$  and  $\tilde{Y} = \prod_i Y_i$ .

# Polynomial representation of DAHA

The DAHA contains two Laurent polynomial subalgebras  $\mathbb{C}[X^{\pm 1}] \subset A_x$  and  $\mathbb{C}[Y^{\pm 1}] \subset A_y$  isomorphic to the group algebra  $\mathbb{C}P^V$ , and we have the PBW decomposition

$$\mathbb{H}_{q,t} = \mathbb{C}[X^{\pm 1}] \otimes \mathcal{H}_t(W) \otimes \mathbb{C}[Y^{\pm 1}] = A_x \otimes \mathbb{C}[Y^{\pm 1}] = \mathbb{C}[X^{\pm 1}] \otimes A_y$$

(the multiplication map is a linear isomorphism). This allows us to define the **polynomial representation  $\mathbf{P}$**  of  $\mathbb{H}_{q,t}$  by

$\mathbf{P} := \mathbb{H}_{q,t} \otimes_{A_y} \mathbb{C}$ , where  $\mathbb{C}$  is the trivial representation of the affine Hecke algebra  $A_y$ , and we have a linear isomorphism  $\mathbf{P} \cong \mathbb{C}[X^{\pm 1}]$ .

Moreover, the center of  $A_x$  is  $\mathbb{C}[X^{\pm 1}]^W$  and the center of  $A_y$  is  $\mathbb{C}[Y^{\pm 1}]^W$ .

## Proposition (Cherednik)

*For generic  $q, t$ :*

- (i) The algebra  $\mathbb{C}[Y^{\pm 1}]$  acts with simple spectrum on  $\mathbf{P}$ .*
- (ii) The algebra  $\mathbb{C}[Y^{\pm 1}]^W$  acts with simple spectrum on  $\mathbf{P}^W$  by difference operators.*

# Macdonald polynomials and operators

## Definition

The eigenvectors of  $\mathbb{C}[Y^{\pm 1}]^W$  in  $\mathbf{P}^W$  are the **Macdonald polynomials**  $P_{\lambda}^{q,t}$  ( $\lambda \in P_+^V$ ). The difference operators defined by  $\mathbb{C}[Y^{\pm 1}]^W$  are the **Macdonald operators**. The eigenvectors of  $\mathbb{C}[Y^{\pm 1}]$  in  $\mathbf{P}$  are the **nonsymmetric Macdonald polynomials**  $E_{\lambda}^{q,t}$  ( $\lambda \in P^V$ ).

Macdonald operators define a quantum integrable system which is a relativistic deformation of the trigonometric Calogero-Moser system. It is called the **Macdonald-Ruijsenaars system**.

## Example (Macdonald)

Macdonald operators for  $S_n$  have the form

$$M_r = \sum_{I \subset [1,n]: |I|=r} \prod_{i \in I, j \notin I} \frac{tx_i - x_j}{x_i - x_j} T_I,$$

where  $T_I$  replaces  $x_i$  with  $qx_i$  for  $i \in I$ .

## Remark

Cherednik used this structure to prove Macdonald's conjectures about Macdonald polynomials, and this served as a motivation for introducing DAHA.

## Remark

In the trigonometric limit the eigenvectors will be (nonsymmetric) Jack polynomials, which are limits of (nonsymmetric) Macdonald polynomials.

## Remark

For  $W$  of type  $B_n$ , there is a DAHA depending on 5 parameters for  $n = 1$  and 6 parameters for  $n \geq 2$ , introduced by Sahi and Stokman. The eigenvectors for the corresponding commutative subalgebras  $\mathbb{C}[Y^{\pm 1}]^W$  are Askey-Wilson polynomials for  $n = 1$  and Koornwinder polynomials for  $n \geq 2$ .

# The spherical subalgebra and the center

Let  $\mathbf{e}$  be the idempotent of the trivial representation of  $\mathcal{H}_t(W)$ . The algebra  $\mathbf{e}\mathcal{H}_{q,t}\mathbf{e}$  is called the **spherical subalgebra**.

Theorem (E.-Ginzburg, Oblomkov)

- (i)  $\mathbf{e}\mathcal{H}_{1,t}\mathbf{e}$  is commutative.
- (ii) Let  $Z_t \subset \mathcal{H}_{1,t}$  be the center of DAHA. Then the map  $Z_t \rightarrow \mathbf{e}\mathcal{H}_{1,t}\mathbf{e}$  given by  $z \mapsto ze$  is an isomorphism.
- (iii)  $Z_t$  is a finitely generated Cohen-Macaulay integral domain, and  $\mathcal{H}_{1,t}$  is a Cohen-Macaulay module over  $Z_t$ .

Thus, for each  $t$  we obtain an irreducible Cohen-Macaulay variety  $CM_t = \text{Spec}Z_t$ . Moreover, it carries a Poisson structure coming from varying  $q$ , which has finitely many symplectic leaves. In particular,  $CM_t$  is smooth outside codimension 2, hence normal, and the algebra  $\mathcal{H}_{q,t}$  is Azumaya on the smooth locus of  $CM_t$ , of degree  $|W|$ . The variety  $CM_t$  is called **the Calogero-Moser space** attached to  $\mathcal{H}_{1,t}$ . It is a flat deformation of  $CM_0 = (T \times T)/W$ , where  $T := \mathfrak{h}/P^\vee$  is the corresponding torus.

# Calogero-Moser spaces

Thus, the algebra  $e\mathcal{H}_{q,t}e$  (with  $q = e^{\hbar}$ ) may be viewed as a quantization of the Poisson variety  $CM_t$ .

The same theory applies in the trigonometric and rational limits, producing Calogero-Moser spaces  $CM_c^{\text{trig}}$ ,  $CM_c^{\text{rat}}$  and their quantizations given by the spherical subalgebras of trigonometric and rational Cherednik algebras.

Moreover, for  $W = S_n$  these spaces admit a quiver-theoretic description. Namely, we have (for generic  $t \in \mathbb{C}^*$ )

## Theorem (E.-Ginzburg, Oblomkov)

- (i)  $CM_1^{\text{rat}} = \{(X, Y) \in \mathfrak{gl}_n \times \mathfrak{gl}_n : \text{rk}(XY - YX + \text{Id}) = 1\} / GL_n$ ;
- (ii)  $CM_1^{\text{trig}} = \{(X, Y) \in GL_n \times \mathfrak{gl}_n : \text{rk}(XY - YX + X) = 1\} / GL_n$ ;
- (iii)  $CM_t = \{(X, Y) \in GL_n \times GL_n : \text{rk}(tXY - YX) = 1\} / GL_n$ .

These varieties are smooth, and are topologically trivial deformations of the Hilbert scheme  $\text{Hilb}_n(S)$ , where  $S = \mathbb{C}^2$  in (i),  $S = \mathbb{C}^* \times \mathbb{C}$  in (ii), and  $S = \mathbb{C}^* \times \mathbb{C}^*$  in (iii). The space in (i) was introduced by Kazhdan, Kostant and Sternberg in 1978.

As follows from the above discussion, in the case  $\hbar = 0$  the representation theory of DAHA and their degenerations is controlled by the geometry of the Calogero-Moser spaces. For example, we have:

## Theorem (E.-Ginzburg, Oblomkov)

*For  $W = S_n$  all irreducible representations of  $H_{0,1}^{\text{rat}}$ ,  $H_{0,1}^{\text{trig}}$ ,  $\mathbb{H}_{1,t}$  have dimension  $n!$  and are parametrized by the space  $CM_1^{\text{rat}}$ ,  $CM_1^{\text{trig}}$  and  $CM_t$ , respectively. (I.e., DAHA are Azumaya algebras).*

Let us now turn to the quantum case  $\hbar \neq 0$ . For simplicity consider the rational case (so we may assume  $\hbar = 1$ ). Recall that we have the factorization  $H_c(W) = S\mathfrak{h}^* \otimes \mathbb{C}W \otimes S\mathfrak{h}$ , analogous to the factorization  $U(\mathfrak{g}) = U(\mathfrak{n}_-) \otimes U(\mathfrak{h}) \otimes U(\mathfrak{n}_+)$  for a semisimple Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$ . This makes the representation theory of  $H_c(W)$  similar to the representation theory of  $\mathfrak{g}$ .

# Category $O_c$

## Definition (Ginzburg, Guay, Opdam, Rouquier)

The category  $O_c$  of  $H_c(W)$ -modules consists of finitely generated modules on which  $\mathfrak{h}$  acts locally nilpotently.

## Theorem (Ginzburg, Guay, Opdam, Rouquier)

*The category  $O_c$  is a highest weight category with highest weights being the irreducible representations  $\tau$  of  $W$ . Its standard objects are the Verma modules  $\Delta_c(\tau) := H_c(W) \otimes_{\mathbb{C}W \rtimes S\mathfrak{h}} \tau$ , where  $\mathfrak{h}$  acts on  $\tau$  by zero.*

This raises the question about multiplicities of simples in standards in  $O_c$ ; recall that such multiplicities for Lie algebras are given by the values at  $q = 1$  of Kazhdan-Lusztig polynomials.

## Theorem (Rouquier, Losev)

*If  $W = S_n$  then multiplicities in  $O_c$  are given by the values at  $q = 1$  of certain affine parabolic Kazhdan-Lusztig polynomials.*

For a general Coxeter group  $W$ , the story is even more complicated, but there has been significant progress recently. The problem is also solved in the case  $W = S_n \ltimes (Z/r)^n$  using the theory of Kac-Moody categorification. However, for a general complex reflection group  $W$  the problem is still open.

- DAHA arise in harmonic analysis on  $p$ -adic loop groups (Kapranov, Braverman, Kazhdan, Gaitsgory, Matnaik).
- DAHA are used to study quasiinvariants of reflection groups (Chalykh, Veselov, Feigin, Ginzburg, E., Rains)
- DAHA act on the equivariant  $K$ -theory of affine Springer fibers. Trigonometric DAHA act on their equivariant cohomology. Rational DAHA act on the associated graded of this cohomology (Varagnolo, Vasserot, Oblomkov, Yun).

- Khovanov-Rozansky homology of torus links and Poincare polynomials of compactified Jacobians of plane curve singularities express via characters of representations of rational Cherednik algebras for  $S_n$  (Gorsky, Oblomkov, Rasmussen, Shende, E., Losev).
- Representation categories of  $H_c(S_n \ltimes (\mathbb{Z}/r)^n)$  can be described in terms of parabolic categories  $\mathcal{O}$  for affine Lie algebras and provide examples of categorical  $\widehat{\mathfrak{sl}}_e$ -actions (Varagnolo, Vasserot, Shan, Rouquier, Losev).
- As  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , spherical DAHA of  $S_n$  stabilize to toroidal quantum groups, or elliptic Hall algebras (Varagnolo, Vasserot, Schiffmann).

Thank you!