

# Families of algebraic structures

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- **Family** Rota-Baxter algebra :  $(A, (R_\omega)_{\omega \in \Omega})$  with  $\Omega$  semigroup and

$$R_\alpha(a)R_\beta(b) = R_{\alpha\beta}(R_\alpha(a)b + aR_\beta(b) + \lambda ab).$$

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- **Simplest example**, coming from minimal subtraction scheme (with  $\Omega = \mathbb{Z}$ ) : Algebra of Laurent series  $A = \mathbf{k}[z^{-1}, z]$ .

Rota-Baxter family algebra of weight  $-1$ , with  $\Omega = (\mathbb{Z}, +)$ .  
Here  $R_\omega =$  projection onto the subspace  $A_{<\omega}$  generated by  $\{z^k, k < \omega\}$  parallel to the supplementary subspace  $A_{\geq\omega}$  generated by  $\{z^k, k \geq \omega\}$ .

- **Another interesting example in weight zero** :  $\Omega = (\mathbb{R}, +)$ , and let  $A$  be the  $\mathbb{R}$ -algebra of continuous functions from  $\mathbb{R}$  to  $\mathbb{R}$ . For any  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ , define  $R_\alpha : A \rightarrow A$  by

$$R_\alpha(f)(x) = e^{-\alpha a(x)} \int_0^x e^{\alpha a(t)} f(t) dt,$$

where  $a$  is a fixed nonzero element of  $A$ . Then  $(R_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \Omega}$  is a Rota-Baxter family of weight zero.

## Family dendriform algebras

X. Gao - Y. Y. Zhang

- $\Omega$  semigroup,
- $(D, \langle_\omega, \rangle_\omega)_{\omega \in \Omega}$  such that for  $x, y, z \in D$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Omega$ ,

$$(x \langle_\alpha y) \langle_\beta z = x \langle_{\alpha\beta} (y \langle_\beta z + y \rangle_\alpha z),$$

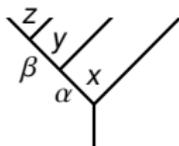
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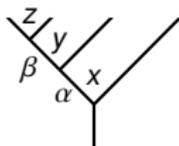
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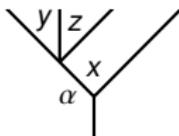
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- The free  $\Omega$ -family Rota-Baxter algebra of weight  $\lambda$  generated by a set  $X$  can be described in terms of planar rooted trees with internal node angles decorated by  $X$  and edges typed by  $\Omega$  (X. Gao - DM - Y. Y. Zhang).



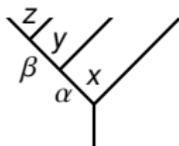
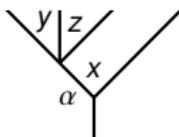
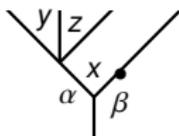
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- Any  $\Omega$ -family Rota-Baxter of weight zero (resp. one) is an  $\Omega$ -family dendriform (resp. tridendriform) algebra (family version a well-known result of M. Aguiar, resp. K. Ebrahimi-Fard).
- The natural embedding of planar binary trees into planar rooted trees is the embedding of the free  $\Omega$ -family dendriform algebra into its enveloping Rota-Baxter algebra of weight zero.
- The natural embedding of Schröder trees into planar rooted trees is the embedding of the free  $\Omega$ -family dendriform algebra into its enveloping Rota-Baxter algebra of weight one.

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DM - Y. Y. Zhang

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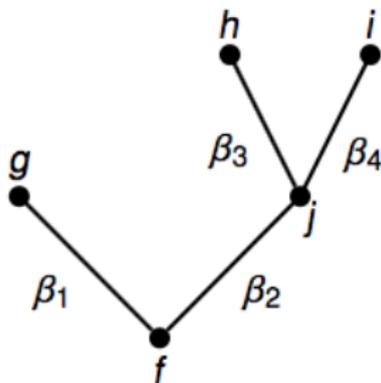
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- If  $A$  is an  $\Omega$ -family dendriform algebra with  $\Omega$  commutative, it is an  $\Omega$ -family pre-Lie algebra with

$$x \triangleright_\omega y := x \succ_\omega y - y \prec_\omega x, \text{ for } \omega \in \Omega.$$

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- These examples call for a general approach.
- **What is a family  $\mathcal{P}$ -algebra for an operad  $\mathcal{P}$  ?**

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- The semigroup  $\Omega$  must be commutative unless the operad is **non-sigma**, e.g. Assoc, Dup or Dend.

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This immediately yields the commutativity of the semigroup  $\Omega$ .

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- In the color-mixing operad, the color of the output is obtained by combining the  $n$  input colors by means of an operation of arity  $n$  in  $\mathbb{P}$ .

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**Main results**

**Thank you for your attention !**