# Genus-0 K-theoretic FJRW invariants 

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## Introduction

Quantum K-theory is a version of Gromov-Witten theory introduced by Y.P. Lee [Lee22], in which the usual intersection numbers are replaced by Euler characteristic of $K^{0}$-classes on the moduli space of stable maps.

The Grothendieck-Riemann-Roch theorem

$$
\begin{equation*}
\chi(X, F)=\int_{X} \operatorname{ch}(F) \operatorname{td}\left(T_{X}\right) \tag{1}
\end{equation*}
$$

naturally connects quantum K-theory and quantum cohomology. Since the moduli space of stable maps is a stack, this formula must be generalized as in Kawasaki [Kaw79], or Toën [Toe98]. The integral now takes place over the inertia stack of $X$, rather than $X$ itself. As a consequence, the computations in quantum K-theory are highly non-trivial: the moduli space of stable maps is already difficult to handle, and its inertia stack is worse.

Over the last decade, a parallel theory known as the Landau-Ginzburg model was built, in which the relevant spaces are much more tractable. This theory was built by Fan-Jarvis-Ruan [FJR12], and Polishchuk-Vaintrob [PV14] in K-theory, and depends on a homogeneous singularity $W$. The Landau-Ginzburg/Calabi-Yau correspondence relates the Gromov-Witten invariants of a projective hypersurface defined by a polynomial $W$, to the LG model of the singularity defined by $W$ in the affine space, and has been shown to hold in many instances ([CR10], [CIR14], [PLS14],[Cla13], A FINIR).

In this paper, we fully compute the genus-0 quantum K-theory of the singularity $\sum_{i=1}^{r} X^{r}$, with symmetry group $\mu_{r}$. This computation is inspired by [GT11], with some changes which are interesting to survey.

For the stack of stable maps $\overline{\mathcal{M}}(X)$, the inertia stack possesses a distinguished component isomorphic to $\overline{\mathcal{M}}(X)$ classifying points of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}(X)$ alongside with the identity morphism

$$
I \overline{\mathcal{M}}(X)=\overline{\mathcal{M}}(X) \sqcup \text { other components. }
$$

Therefore, the formula (1) should be interpreted as one of the contributions of $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}(X)$ to the GRR formula. This contributions is usually called the "fake Euler characteristics", or the "fake invariant" [GT11]. Computing the fake invariants
is a crucial step in the general computation of the "true" K-theoretic invariants. This definition of the fake invariants must be adapted to our setting.

In the case of the LG model, the relevant moduli stack is the space of $r$-spin curves $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, n}^{r}$, that is, curves with an $r$ th root $\mathcal{L}$ of the log-canonical bundle. In genus 0 , this stack is simply $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}$, modified by iterated applications of the so-called $r$ th root construction (see 3.1 below), which associates to a scheme $X$ (or a stack) the universal stack where a given line bundle $L$ admits an $r$ th root, compatible with a section $s$ of $L$ (see [BC10] ET AUTRE).

This construction applies in two ways. If the section $s$ vanishes globally, it transforms the initial scheme into a $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$-gerbe over $X$. If the section vanishes along a Cartier divisor $D$, the construction yields a stack $X[D / r]$ over $X$, with an open substack isomorphic to $X \backslash D$.

This description of the moduli space of $r$-spin curves also provides a simple description of its inertia stack (prop. 3.5). As a result, we see that the moduli stack $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ is simply a $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$-gerbe over $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}\left[\sum_{D} D / r\right]$ where the divisors are all boundary divisors. Thus, the inertia stack is the disjoint union of $r$ main components, isomorphic to $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$, and boundary components

$$
\begin{equation*}
I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}=\bigsqcup_{\xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}} X_{\xi} \sqcup \text { lower dimension strata. } \tag{2}
\end{equation*}
$$

The K-theoretic FJRW invariants are defined as the Euler characteristics of the $K^{0}$ class

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left(\Lambda_{-1}\left(R^{1} \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}^{\vee}\right)\right)^{\otimes r} \bigotimes \operatorname{ev}_{i}^{*} E_{i}, \tag{3}
\end{equation*}
$$

where

1) $\pi: \overline{\mathcal{C}} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ is the universal curve,
2) $\mathcal{L}$ is the universal $r$ th root,
3) $\mathrm{ev}_{i}$ are evaluation maps to $I B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ defined on some gerbe over $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ (see 1.2),
4) $E_{i}$ are K-classes in $K^{0}\left(I B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)$.

We define the $\xi$-fake theories as the contribution of the main component $X_{\xi}$ to the GRR formula, which yields

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left\langle\gamma_{1}, \ldots, \gamma_{n}\right\rangle^{\text {fake }, \xi}=r \operatorname{ch}\left(\Lambda_{-\xi} R^{1} \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}^{\vee}\right)^{r} \prod_{i} \operatorname{ev}_{i}^{*}\left(\gamma_{i}\right) \operatorname{td}(T) \cap\left[\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}\right], \tag{4}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $\gamma_{i}$ are cohomology classes in $H^{*}\left(I B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)$.
Notice that these theories coincide (up to the Todd class) with the Cohomological Field theories (CohFTs) constructed by Polishchuk and Vaintrob [PV14].

Each of these fake theories is a twisted theory, in the sense that it is obtained by capping the trivial CohFT with an obstruction class of the form $\exp \left(\sum s_{k} \operatorname{ch}_{k}\left(R \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}\right)\right)$. Such theories have been studied by Chiodo-Zvonkine in
[CZ07], where it is shown that their Lagrangian cone is obtained from the trivial cone by applying an explicit symplectomorphism.

Finally, we reconstruct the true K-theoretic invariants from the fake invariants. The only non-trivial automorphisms of a genus-0 stable twisted curve are ghost automorphisms ([ACV01], Section 7), which only exist on reducible curves. These automorphisms fix the coarse curve, but rescale the spin structure $\mathcal{L}$ (see 3.12), just as the generic automorphisms of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ do. Thus, the contribution of the lower-dimensional strata are recovered by assembling different $\xi$-fake invariants on different components of the curve. The adelic characterization of Givental-Tonita is ideally suited to express this result.

Theorem 0.1. The J-function of the K-theoretic FJRW invariants satisfies the properties
(1) $J(t)$ has no poles outside of $0, \infty$ and the $r$-th roots of unity,
(2) the localization of $\underline{f} e_{\xi}$ at 1 lies in the fake cone $\mathcal{L}^{\xi, \text { fake }}$,
(3) $f-\underline{f} \in \mathcal{K}_{+}$.

Conversely, these 3 conditions yield a recursive algorithm allowing to compute all the correlators of the $J$-function in terms of the fake invariants.

Interestingly, we obtain $r^{2} I$-functions, one for each fake theory. $r(r-1)$ of them assemble in an $I$-function for the FJRW invariants (thm 3.24). We hope that these functions could shed new light on the $5^{2}$ difference equation satisfied by the permutation-equivariant $I$-function of the quintic threefold (Givental [Giv]). More precicsely, we expect that the $I$-functions of the permutationequivariant FJRW theory coincide with the solutions found in [Wen22].

## Notations and conventions

All schemes and stacks are of finite type over $\mathbb{C}$.
A sheaf on a Deligne-Mumford stack $\mathcal{X}$, is a sheaf on the small étale site of $\mathcal{X}$. Note that all stacks considered in this paper have the resolution property, which allows us to consider classes of coherent sheaves in the $K^{0}$ ring.

## Notations

- $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ : the group of $r$-th roots of unity,
- $B G$ : for a finite group $G, B G=[\operatorname{Spec}(\mathbb{C}) / G]$,
- $\hat{G}$ : the group of characters of a group $G$,
- $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, n}$ : the stack of stable curves of genus $g$ with $n$ marked points,
- $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, n}(r)$ : the stack of twisted stable curves of genus $g$ with $n$ marked gerbes,
- $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, \underline{a}}^{r}$ : for a multi-index $\underline{a}=\left(a_{1}, \ldots, a_{n}\right)$, the stack of $r$ th roots of the line bundle $\omega_{\log }\left(-\sum a_{i} x_{i}\right)$,
- $I \mathcal{X}$ : when $\mathcal{X}$ is a stack, $I \mathcal{X}$ is the inertia stack of $\mathcal{X}$,
- $\Lambda_{t} E$ : for a vector bundle $E$ on $X, \Lambda_{t} E=\sum_{k \geq 0} t^{k} \Lambda^{k} E \in K^{0}(X)[t]$,
- $T_{X}, \mathcal{N}$ : Tangent sheaf and normal sheaf of a regular embedding,
- ch, td : Chern character and Todd class.


## 1 Quantum K-theory

In this section, we give a review of quantum K-theory as defined in [Lee22], and define the analog invariants for the FJRW theory.

### 1.1 Quantum K-theory

Let $X$ be a smooth projective variety, and $X_{g, n, d}$ be the moduli space of stable maps into $X$ with genus $g$, degree $d$, and $n$ marked points. This space is equipped with the so-called "fundamental structure sheaf" $\mathcal{O}^{\text {vir }}$ (see [BF97], [Lee22]), which is related to the virtual fundamental class by the formula $\operatorname{ch}\left(\mathcal{O}^{\text {vir }}\right) \operatorname{td}\left(\mathcal{T}^{\text {vir }}\right)=$ $[X]^{\text {vir }}$.

Let $L_{i}$ be the line bundle $\sigma_{i}^{*} \omega_{\mathcal{C} / X_{g, n, d}}$, where $\sigma_{i}: X_{g, n, d} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_{g, n, d}$ is the section corresponding to the $i$-th marked point. Then, given a sequence $E_{1}, \ldots, E_{n}$ of elements of $K^{0}(X)$, we define the quantum K-invariants by

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left\langle E_{1} L_{1}^{k_{1}}, \ldots, E_{n} L_{n}^{k_{n}}\right\rangle_{g, n, d}^{X}=\chi\left(X_{g, n, d}, \mathcal{O}^{\mathrm{vir}} \bigotimes e v_{i}^{*}\left(E_{i}\right) L_{i}^{k_{i}}\right) \tag{5}
\end{equation*}
$$

The genus-0 quantum K-theory invariants are organized in a generating function called the $J$-function. In [GT11], the Grothendieck-Rimemann-Roch theorem was used to compute this generating function in terms of the quantum cohomology of $X$.

### 1.2 K-theoretic FJRW invariants

Definition 1.1. Let $r$ be a positive integer, and $n \geq 3$. $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, n}^{r}$ is the moduli space of balanced twisted curves (with orbifold structure at the marked points), equipped with an $r$-th root of $\omega_{\text {log }}$. Explicitly, objects over $S$ are triples $\left(\mathcal{C},\left(\Sigma_{i}\right)_{i \leq n}, \mathcal{L}, \phi\right)$ where $\left(\mathcal{C},\left(\Sigma_{i}\right)_{i \leq n}\right)$ is a balanced twisted curve over $S$ [AV00], $\mathcal{L}$ is a line bundle over $\mathcal{C}$ and $\phi: \mathcal{L}^{\otimes r} \rightarrow \omega_{\text {log }}$ is an isomorphism.

The universal curve $\pi: \overline{\mathcal{C}}_{g, n}^{r} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, n}^{r}$ is equipped with the universal $r$ th root $\mathcal{L}_{g, n}$ (or $\mathcal{L}$ if the context is clear). Let $\Sigma_{i} \subset \overline{\mathcal{C}}_{g, n}^{r}$ denote the $i$-th marked gerbe. The restriction $\mathcal{L}_{\mid \Sigma_{i}}$ defines a character of $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r_{i}}$, which we denote $a_{i} \in \mathbb{Z} / r_{i} \mathbb{Z}$.

When $r$ is prime, the band of a marked gerbe is either trivial, or $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$. In that case, the moduli space $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, n}^{r}$ is a disjoint union over multi-indexes $\underline{a}=$ $\left(a_{1}, \ldots, a_{n}\right)$ with $a_{i} \in \mathbb{Z} / r \mathbb{Z}$

$$
\begin{equation*}
\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, n}^{r}=\bigsqcup_{\underline{a}} \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, \underline{a}}^{r}, \tag{6}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, \underline{a}}^{r}$ denotes the substack of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, n}^{r}$ made of the curves such that the character induced by $\mathcal{L}$ at $\Sigma_{i}$ is given by $a_{i}$. The universal curve over $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, \underline{a}}^{r}$ is denoted $\overline{\mathcal{C}}_{g, \underline{a}}^{r}$, and the universal root is $\mathcal{L}_{g, \underline{a}}$.

Alternatively, the stack $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, a}^{r}$ may be defined as the moduli space of curves, with an $r$-th root of $\omega_{\log }\left(-\sum a_{i} x_{i}\right)$, without orbifold structure at the marked points ([Chi07]). We will use both definitions as convenient.

From now on, we assume that $r$ is prime.
Definition 1.2. The restriction of the universal root $\mathcal{L}$ to the marked gerbe $\Sigma_{i}$ is an $r$-th root of $\mathcal{O}_{\Sigma_{i}}$, which defines the $i$-th evaluation map

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathrm{ev}_{i}: \Sigma_{i} \rightarrow I\left(B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right) \tag{7}
\end{equation*}
$$

Let $\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ be the stack of $r$-spin curves with a section of each marked gerbe $\Sigma_{i}$. There is a natural isomorphism

$$
\begin{equation*}
\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}=\Sigma_{1} \times \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r} \Sigma_{2} \times \cdots \times \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r} \Sigma_{n} \tag{8}
\end{equation*}
$$

The universal curve $\pi: \widetilde{\mathcal{C}}_{0, n}^{r} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ has sections $\sigma_{i}$, and we define $\mathcal{L}_{i}=\sigma_{i}^{*} \omega_{\pi}$. There is a canonical projection $p: \widetilde{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$. The evaluation maps extend to

$$
\mathrm{ev}_{i}: \widetilde{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r} \rightarrow I\left(B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)
$$

Definition 1.3. A multi-index $\underline{a}$ is called concave, if for any closed point of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, a}^{r}$, the corresponding curve satisfies $H^{0}(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{L})=0$. In that case, Grauert's theorem implies that $R^{1} \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}$ is a vector bundle.

Proposition 1.4 ([CR10]). Let $b_{1}, \ldots, b_{n} \in \mathbb{N}$ be integers such that $b_{i}>0$ for $i>1$, and let $\mathcal{L}$ be the universal $r$-th root of $\omega_{\log }\left(-\sum b_{i} x_{i}\right)$. Then for any genus-0 curve $C$, we have $H^{0}(C, \mathcal{L})=0$.

The ring $K^{0}\left(I\left(B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)\right)$ is isomorphic to a direct sum of copies of $K^{0}\left(B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)$ with basis $\phi_{a}$ :

$$
\begin{equation*}
K^{0}\left(I\left(B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)\right)_{\mathbb{C}}=\bigoplus_{a=0}^{r-1} \mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right] \phi_{a} \tag{9}
\end{equation*}
$$

We decompose this ring according to the band of the marked gerbe.

$$
\begin{aligned}
V_{1} & =\mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right] \phi_{a} \\
V_{r} & =\bigoplus_{a=1}^{r-1} \mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right] \phi_{a}
\end{aligned}
$$

Definition 1.5. The state space of the FJRW invariants is the vector space $V=K^{0}\left(I\left(B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)\right)$. It is equipped with the orbifold pairing, which is defined on characters $\eta_{1}, \eta_{2}$ by

$$
\left(\eta_{1} \phi_{i} ; \eta_{2} \phi_{j}\right)=\left\{\begin{array}{cl}
\chi\left(B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} ; \eta_{1} \eta_{2}\right) & \text { if } i+j=0 \bmod r  \tag{10}\\
0 & \text { otherwise }
\end{array}\right.
$$

Remark 1.6. The restriction of the scalar product to the subspace $V$ spanned by $\left\{\phi_{i}\right\}_{i \neq 0}$ is non-degenerated.

Following [PV14] and [Gué21], we now define the genus-0 K-FJRW invariants in the concave case.
Definition 1.7. The fundamental class $\Lambda_{0, n} \in K^{0}\left(\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}\right)$ is defined on each component of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ by

$$
\Lambda_{0, \underline{a}}=\left\{\begin{array}{cl}
\Lambda_{-1}\left(\left(R^{1} \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}_{a}(-E)\right)^{\vee}\right)^{\otimes r} & \text { if } a_{i} \neq 0 \forall i  \tag{11}\\
0 & \text { otherwise }
\end{array}\right.
$$

Let $E_{1}, \ldots, E_{n}$ be vector bundles on $I B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$, and $k_{1} \ldots, k_{n} \in \mathbb{Z}$ be integers. The K-FJRW invariants are

$$
\begin{align*}
\left\langle E_{1} \mathcal{L}_{1}^{k_{1}}, \ldots, E_{n} \mathcal{L}_{n}^{k_{n}}\right\rangle_{0, n}^{K} & =\chi\left(\widetilde{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r} ; p^{*} \Lambda_{0, n} \bigotimes \operatorname{ev}_{i}^{*} E_{i} \mathcal{L}_{i}^{k_{i}}\right)  \tag{12}\\
& =\chi\left(\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r} ; \Lambda_{0, n} \bigotimes_{i}\left(\pi_{i}\right)_{*}\left(\operatorname{ev}_{i}^{*} E_{i} \otimes \mathcal{N}_{i}^{-k_{i}}\right)\right), \tag{13}
\end{align*}
$$

where $\mathcal{N}_{i}$ denotes the normal line bundle to the $i$-th gerbe, and $\pi_{i}: \Sigma_{i} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ is the projection (there is a slight abuse of notation in using the same symbol $\mathrm{ev}_{i}$ to denote different applications).

Define $\mathcal{K}_{+}:=V_{1}\left[q, q^{-1}\right] \oplus V_{r}\left[q^{1 / r}, q^{-1 / r}\right]$. We extend the correlator notation to elements of $\mathcal{K}_{+}$by linearity.

The genus-0 potential is the formal function of $t \in \mathcal{K}_{+}$given by

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{F}^{0}(t)=\sum_{n \geq 3} \frac{1}{n!}\langle t, \ldots, t\rangle_{0, n} \tag{14}
\end{equation*}
$$

Remark 1.8. One can further decompose the expression (13) by

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left\langle\eta_{1} \phi_{a_{1}} \mathcal{L}_{1}^{k_{1}}, \ldots, \eta_{n} \phi_{a_{n}} \mathcal{L}_{n}^{k_{n}}\right\rangle_{0, n}^{K}=\chi\left(\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, a}^{r} ; \Lambda_{0, \underline{a}} \bigotimes_{i} \pi_{i *}\left(\operatorname{ev}_{i}^{*} \eta_{i} \otimes \mathcal{N}_{i}^{-k_{i}}\right)\right) \tag{15}
\end{equation*}
$$

This invariant vanishes unless $\eta_{i}^{a_{i}}(\xi)=\xi^{k_{i}}, \forall \xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}, \forall i$.
Proposition 1.9. The $K$-theoretic FJRW invariants satisfy the dilaton equation.

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left\langle\left(\mathcal{L}_{1}^{r}-1\right) \phi_{1}[1], t, \ldots, t\right\rangle_{0, n+1}^{K}=(n-2)\langle t, \ldots, t\rangle_{0, n}^{K} \tag{16}
\end{equation*}
$$

The dilaton equation implies that $\mathcal{F}$ is quadratic with respect to the shifted origin $q-1$.

Proof. Let us fix a multi-index $\underline{a}=\left(a_{1}, \ldots, a_{n}\right)$ and let $\underline{a}^{\prime}=\left(1, a_{1}, \ldots, a_{n}\right)$. There is a diagram

Such that $\rho^{*} \mathcal{L}_{\underline{a}}=\mathcal{L}_{\underline{a}^{\prime}}$, and $R \pi_{*}^{\prime} \mathcal{L}_{\underline{a}^{\prime}}=p^{*} R \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}_{\underline{a}}$. The result then follows from the classical dilaton equation [Lee $\overline{2} 2]$.

## 2 Twisted cohomological field theories

In this section, we define the fake theories, which will be the building blocks for the K-theoretic invariants. The name "fake" is used in analogy with [GT11], and consists in some cohomological field theories twisted by the Todd class of the tangent space of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$.

Definition 2.1. Let $\underline{a}=\left(a_{1}, \ldots, a_{n}\right)$ be a multi-index, and let $E$ be the divisor $E=\sum_{a_{i}=0} \Sigma_{i}$ of the universal curve. For any multiplicative transformation $\mathcal{A}: K^{0} \rightarrow H^{*}$ (or to the Chow ring), we define the collection of classes

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{A}_{g, \underline{a}}=r^{1-g} \mathcal{A}\left(R \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}_{g, \underline{a}}(-E)\right) \in H^{*}\left(\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{g, \underline{a}}^{r}, \mathbb{Q}\right) . \tag{18}
\end{equation*}
$$

Let $q: \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, \underline{a}}^{r} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}$ be the forgetful map. If $\mathcal{A}(\mathcal{O})=1$, then the classes

$$
\begin{equation*}
\Omega_{g, \underline{a}}=q_{*} \mathcal{A}_{g, \underline{a}} \tag{19}
\end{equation*}
$$

form a CohFT over the state space $V$, with unit $\phi_{1}$.
If $\mathcal{A}(\mathcal{O}) \neq 1$, then we make the following modification to the scalar product on $V$,

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left(\phi_{a}, \phi_{0}\right):=\delta_{a, 0} \mathcal{A}(\mathcal{O})^{-1} \tag{20}
\end{equation*}
$$

and the result is again a CohFT.
Following [Giv03], we associate to the genus-0 $\operatorname{CohFT} \mathcal{A}_{0, n}$ an overruled Lagrangian cone as follows. Let $\left.\mathcal{H}=V \otimes \mathbb{C} \llbracket z, z^{-1}\right]$. This is a symplectic vector space with symplectic form

$$
\begin{equation*}
\Omega(f(z), g(z))=\operatorname{Res}_{z=0}[(f(-z) ; g(z)) d z] \tag{21}
\end{equation*}
$$

This space has a natural polarization

$$
\mathcal{H}_{+}=V \otimes \mathbb{C} \llbracket z \rrbracket \quad \mathcal{H}_{-}=V \otimes z^{-1} \mathbb{C}\left[z^{-1}\right]
$$

This polarization identifies $\mathcal{H}$ with $T^{*} \mathcal{H}_{+}$. The genus-0 invariants are assembled in the genus-0 potential, which is a formal function on $\mathcal{H}_{+}$.

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{F}^{0}(t(z))=\sum_{n} \frac{1}{n!}\langle t(\psi), \ldots, t(\psi)\rangle_{0, n}^{\mathcal{A}} \tag{22}
\end{equation*}
$$

Definition 2.2. The Lagrangian cone of $\mathcal{L}^{\mathcal{A}}$ the $\operatorname{CohFT} \mathcal{A}_{0, n}$ is the graph of $d \mathcal{F}^{0}$ inside $\mathcal{H}$ shifted by $-z$. Explicitly, this is the image of the big $J$-function.

$$
\begin{equation*}
J(t,-z)=-z \phi_{1}+t(z)+\sum_{n, a} \frac{\phi^{a}}{n!}\left\langle\frac{\phi_{a}}{-z-\psi}, t(\psi), \ldots, t(\psi)\right\rangle_{0, n+1}^{\mathcal{A}} \tag{23}
\end{equation*}
$$

We now recall recall how to compute the cone of the $\operatorname{CohFT} \mathcal{A}_{0, n}$.
Theorem 2.3 (Chiodo - Zvonkine [CZ07, thm. 1.2.2]). Let $\left(w_{n}\right)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be formal variables, and $\mathcal{A}_{w}$ the multiplicative class given by $\mathcal{A}_{w}(E)=\exp \left(\sum_{i \geq 0} w_{i} \operatorname{ch}_{i}(E)\right)$. Let $\Omega$ be a genus-0 CohFT with unit. We consider the deformation $\Omega_{w}=$ $\Omega \mathcal{A}_{w, 0, n}$, which induces a family of cones $\mathcal{L}_{w}$. Then we have

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{L}_{w}=\exp \left(\sum w_{i} L_{i}\right) \mathcal{L}_{0} \tag{24}
\end{equation*}
$$

with

$$
\begin{equation*}
L_{i}=\frac{z^{i}}{(i+1)!} \operatorname{diag}\left[B_{i+1}(1), B_{i+1}\left(\frac{1}{r}\right), \ldots, B_{i+1}\left(\frac{r-1}{r}\right)\right] \tag{25}
\end{equation*}
$$

Lemma 2.4. For $\mathcal{A}(E)=\operatorname{ch}\left(\Lambda_{-\lambda}\left(-E^{\vee}\right)\right)^{r}$, the coefficients are given by

$$
\begin{equation*}
w_{i}=r \sum_{m>0}(-m)^{i} \frac{\lambda^{m}}{m} \tag{26}
\end{equation*}
$$

Definition 2.5. The untwisted cone $\mathcal{L}^{\text {un }}$ is the overruled cone inside $\mathcal{H}$ of the CohFT obtained by choosing $\mathcal{A}=1$.

Corollary 2.6. Let $w_{i}$ be defined as in lemma 2.4.
The cone $\mathcal{L}^{H, \lambda}$ of the CohFT associated to the class $\mathcal{A}(E)=\operatorname{ch}\left(\Lambda_{-\lambda} E^{\vee}\right)^{r}$ is

$$
\mathcal{L}^{H, \lambda}=\exp \left(\sum w_{i} L_{i}\right) \mathcal{L}^{u n}
$$

for $w_{i}$ as above.

### 2.1 The fake theories

In view of applying the Grothendieck-Riemann-Roch theorem, one needs to modify the correlators to include the Todd class of the tangent space. The class of the tangent space in $K^{0}\left(\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}\right)$ is

$$
\begin{equation*}
T=\pi_{*}\left(\omega^{\otimes 2}\left(\sum x_{i}\right)\right)^{\vee}-\pi_{*}\left(\mathcal{O}_{Z}\right)^{\vee} \tag{27}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $Z$ is the substack of singular points in $\overline{\mathcal{C}}_{0, n}^{r}$. These two terms are treated separately.

It was shown in [Ton14], that the first term induces a change in the dilaton shift (ie a translation of the potential), and that the second term induces a change of polarization of the ambient space.

Recall that if $r$ is prime, $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ has two kinds of nodes. If the multiplicity of $\mathcal{L}_{\underline{a}}$ at a node $\eta$ is trivial, then $\eta$ has trivial relative automorphism group. If the multiplicity is non trivial, then the relative automorphism group of $\eta$ is isomorphic to $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$. Thus the singular locus $\mathcal{Z} \subset \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, \underline{\underline{a}}}^{r}$ has a decomposition

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{Z}=\mathcal{Z}_{1} \sqcup \mathcal{Z}_{r} \tag{28}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $\mathcal{Z}_{i}$ is the substack of nodes whose relative automorphism group has order $i$.

Definition 2.7. Let $\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C}_{1}, \mathcal{C}_{r}$ be invertible multiplicative classes. Define

$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{B}_{0, n} & =\mathcal{B}\left(\pi_{*}\left(\omega_{\log }^{-1}-1\right)\right) \\
\mathcal{C}_{0, n} & =\mathcal{C}_{1}\left(\pi_{*} \mathcal{O}_{Z_{1}}\right) \mathcal{C}_{r}\left(\pi_{*} \mathcal{O}_{Z_{r}}\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

The twisted invariants are defined by

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left\langle\phi_{a_{1}} \psi^{k_{1}}, \ldots, \phi_{a_{n}} \psi^{k_{n}}\right\rangle_{0, n}^{\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C}}=\int_{\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, a}^{r}} \mathcal{A}_{0, \underline{\underline{a}}} \mathcal{B}_{0, n} \mathcal{C}_{0, n} \prod \psi_{i}^{k_{i}} \tag{29}
\end{equation*}
$$

The twisted potential is the formal function

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{F}^{\mathcal{A B C}}(t)=\sum_{n} \frac{1}{n!}\langle t(\psi), \ldots, t(\psi)\rangle_{0, n}^{\mathcal{A B C}} \tag{30}
\end{equation*}
$$

Theorem 2.8 (Tonita, [Ton14]). The $\mathcal{B}$-type twist translates the potential.

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{F}^{g, \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C}}(t)=\mathcal{F}_{\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{C}}^{g}\left(t+z-z \mathcal{B}\left(L_{z}^{-1}\right)\right) \tag{31}
\end{equation*}
$$

When $\mathcal{B}=t d^{-1}$, as in our example, the translation is responsible for the change in dilaton shift, which becomes $1-e^{z}$, instead of $-z$.

We now describe the effect of twisting by the class $\mathcal{C}$ on the Lagrangian cone.
As follows from the dilaton equation, the potentials of CohFTs are quadratic with respect to the shifted origin $z$. Thus the twisted potential is quadratic with respect to the new origin $z \mathcal{B}\left(L_{z}^{-1}\right)$, and the twisted $J$ function should have the form $J^{\mathrm{tw}}(t,-z)=-z \mathcal{B}\left(L_{z}^{-1}\right)+t+d_{t} \mathcal{F}^{0, \text { tw }}$. In order to define such a graph in $\mathcal{H}$, we need to choose a polarization. The content of the next theorem is that there exists a polarization adapted to our needs.

Let $\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{A}}$ be the polarized symplectic space associated with the Cohft $\mathcal{A}_{g, n}$. We introduce a new polarized symplectic space $\mathcal{H}^{\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{C}}$. As symplectic spaces we have $\mathcal{H}^{\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{C}}=\mathcal{H}^{\mathcal{A}}$, and $\mathcal{H}_{+}^{\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{C}}=\mathcal{H}_{+}^{\mathcal{A}}$. Darboux coordinates on $\mathcal{H}^{\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{C}}$ are constructed as follows. Let $L$ be a line bundle with $c_{1}(L)=z$. Define

$$
\begin{equation*}
\frac{z}{u_{i}(z)}=\mathcal{C}_{i}\left(-L^{\vee}\right) \tag{32}
\end{equation*}
$$

Then, one expands the following function

$$
\frac{1}{u_{i}(-x-y)}=\sum_{k \geq 0}\left(u_{i}(x)\right)^{k} v_{i, k}(y)
$$

Darboux coordinates on $\mathcal{C}$ are given by

$$
\begin{aligned}
f & =\sum_{\substack{k \geq 0 \\
\alpha \neq 0}} q_{k}^{\alpha}(f) u_{r}(z)^{k} \phi_{\alpha}+\sum_{\substack{l \geq 0 \\
\beta \neq 0}} p_{l}^{\beta}(f) v_{r, l}(z) \phi^{\beta} \\
& +\sum_{k \geq 0} q_{k}^{0} u_{0}(z)^{k} \phi_{0}+\sum_{l \geq 0} p_{l}^{0}(f) v_{0, l}(z) \phi^{0} .
\end{aligned}
$$

Theorem 2.9 (Tonita [Ton14]). Let $\mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{A}}$ be the cone of the Cohft $\mathcal{A}_{g, n}$ in $\mathcal{H}^{\mathcal{A}}$, and let $\mathcal{L}^{\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{C}}$ be the cone of the twisted CohFT in $\mathcal{H}^{\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{C}}$. Then $\mathcal{L}^{\mathcal{A}}=\mathcal{L}^{\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{C}}$.

In the remaining part of this paper, we fix

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{A}(E)=\operatorname{ch}\left(\Lambda_{\lambda}\left(-E^{\vee}\right)\right)^{r} \in H^{*} \llbracket \lambda \rrbracket \\
& \mathcal{B}(E)=\operatorname{td}(-E) \\
& \mathcal{C}_{r}(L)=\operatorname{td}\left(-L^{-1 / r}\right) \\
& \mathcal{C}_{0}(L)=\operatorname{td}\left(-L^{\vee}\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

Thus, a Darboux basis of $\mathcal{K}$ is given by $\left\{\phi_{a}\left(q^{1 / r}-1\right)^{k}, \frac{1}{r} \phi^{a} \frac{q^{k / r}}{\left(1-q^{1 / r}\right)^{k+1}}\right\}_{a \neq 0}$ and $\left\{\phi_{0}(q-1)^{k}, \phi^{0} \frac{q^{k}}{(1-q)^{k+1}}\right\}$. Notice that $\mathcal{B}_{0, n} \mathcal{C}_{0, n}=\operatorname{td}(T)$.

Definition 2.10. Let $V$ be the $\mathbb{C}$-vector space with basis $\phi_{0}, \ldots, \phi_{r-1} . V$ is the direct sum $V=V_{0} \oplus V_{r}$, where $V_{0}$ is generated by $\phi_{0}$, and $V_{r}$ by $\left\{\phi_{1}, \ldots, \phi_{r-1}\right\}$.

Let $\mathcal{K}^{\text {fake, } \lambda}$ be the free $\mathbb{C} \llbracket \lambda \rrbracket$ module of Laurent series in $(q-1)$

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{K}^{\text {fake }, \lambda}=V \otimes \mathbb{C} \llbracket(1-q),(1-q)^{-1} \rrbracket \otimes \mathbb{C} \llbracket \lambda \rrbracket . \tag{33}
\end{equation*}
$$

We endow $\mathcal{K}^{\text {fake, } \lambda}$ with the polarization prescribed by 2.9 , that is,

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{K}_{+}^{\text {fake }, \lambda}=V_{r} \otimes \mathbb{C} \llbracket \lambda \rrbracket \llbracket q^{1 / r}-1 \rrbracket \oplus V_{1} \otimes \mathbb{C} \llbracket \lambda \rrbracket \llbracket q-1 \rrbracket \\
& \mathcal{K}_{-}^{\text {fake }, \lambda}=\operatorname{Span}\left(\left\{\left.\phi_{a} \frac{q^{k / r}}{\left(1-q^{1 / r}\right)^{k+1}} \right\rvert\, a \neq 0, k \in \mathbb{N}\right\} \cup\left\{\left.\phi_{0} \frac{q^{k}}{(1-q)^{k+1}} \right\rvert\, k \in \mathbb{N}\right\}\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

We define the fake correlators by

$$
\begin{aligned}
\left\langle\tau_{j_{1}}\left(e_{a_{1}}\right), \ldots, \tau_{j_{n}}\left(e_{a_{n}}\right)\right\rangle_{0, n}^{\mathrm{fake}} & =\int_{\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, a}^{r}} \prod_{i} \operatorname{ch}\left(L_{i}\right)^{j_{i}} \mathcal{A}_{0, n}(\underline{a}) \mathcal{B}_{0, n} \mathcal{C}_{0, n} \\
& =\int_{\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, a}^{r}} \prod_{i} \operatorname{ch}\left(L_{i}\right)^{j_{i}} \mathcal{A}_{0, n}(\underline{a}) \operatorname{td}\left(T_{\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, a}^{r}}\right) ;
\end{aligned}
$$

where $L_{i}$ denotes the $i$-th cotangent line bundle to the coarse curve. We extend the corelators as $n$ linear forms over $\mathcal{K}_{+}^{\text {fake }}$, and define the genus- 0 fake potential, by

$$
\mathcal{F}^{\text {fake }, \lambda}(t(q))=\sum_{n} \frac{1}{n!}\langle t(L), \ldots, t(L)\rangle_{0, n}^{\text {fake }} .
$$

The fake $J$ function is the graph of the (shifted) differential of the fake potential.

$$
\begin{aligned}
J^{\text {fake }, \lambda}(t) & =1-q+t+\sum_{a \neq 0} \frac{1}{r} \frac{\phi^{a}}{n!}\left\langle\frac{\phi_{a}}{1-q^{1 / r} L^{1 / r}}, t(L), \ldots, t(L)\right\rangle_{0, n+1}^{\text {fake }, \lambda} \\
& +\frac{\phi^{0}}{n!}\left\langle\frac{\phi_{0}}{1-q L}, t(L), \ldots, t(L)\right\rangle_{0, n+1}^{\text {fake }, \lambda}
\end{aligned}
$$

Proposition 2.11. Let $\mathcal{L}^{\text {fake, } \lambda}$ be the range of the big fake J-function in $\mathcal{K}^{\text {fake }}$, and $\mathcal{L}^{\mathcal{A}} \subset \mathcal{H}$ be the cone of the CohFT $\mathcal{A}$. Then

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{L}^{\text {fake }}=\operatorname{ch}^{-1}\left(\mathcal{L}^{\mathcal{A}}\right) \tag{34}
\end{equation*}
$$

We summarize the situation in the following diagram.


Since the Chern character map is an isomorphism, we will abuse notations and write $q=e^{z}$.

Evaluation In the next section we need to evaluate the class $\mathcal{A}(F)=\operatorname{ch}\left(\Lambda_{\lambda}\left(-F^{\vee}\right)\right)$ at specific values of $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$. If $\lambda=-1$, then the result is well defined only if $-F$ is the isomorphism class of a vector bundle. It is shown in [CR10] that $R^{1} \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}(-E)$ is indeed a vector bundle. The evaluation of a correlator at $\lambda=-\xi \in \mathbb{C}$ will be denoted

$$
\begin{equation*}
\operatorname{ev}_{-\xi}\left\langle\phi_{a_{1}}, \ldots, \phi_{a_{n}}\right\rangle^{\text {fake }, \lambda}=\left\langle\phi_{a_{1}}, \ldots, \phi_{a_{n}}\right\rangle^{\text {fake }, \xi} \tag{35}
\end{equation*}
$$

## 3 The $J$-function

In this section we define a $J$-function for the FJRW-invariants, which has values in $K^{0}\left(I B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)$, and we apply the Grothendieck-Riemann-Roch theorem to express this function in terms of the fake invariants. For notational reasons, we restrict to the case where $r$ is prime. Thus, the marked gerbes are either isomorphic to $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, \underline{a}}^{r}$, or $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$-gerbes.

Recall that $K^{0}\left(I B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right) \otimes \mathbb{C}=\bigoplus_{a=0}^{r-1} \mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right] \phi_{a} \simeq V \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} \mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right]$.
Definition 3.1. Let $\mathcal{K}_{1}, \mathcal{K}_{r}$ be the spaces

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{K}_{1}=V_{1} \otimes \mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right] \otimes \mathbb{C}(q) \\
& \mathcal{K}_{r}=V_{r} \otimes \mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right] \otimes \mathbb{C}\left(q^{1 / r}\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

The loop space of the FJRW theory is

$$
\begin{equation*}
\mathcal{K}=\mathcal{K}_{1} \oplus \mathcal{K}_{r} . \tag{36}
\end{equation*}
$$

The scalar product on $V \otimes \mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right]$ is

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left(E \phi_{a} ; F \phi_{b}\right)=\chi\left(B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} ; E \otimes F\right) \delta_{a+b, r} \tag{37}
\end{equation*}
$$

and the symplectic form $\Omega$ is

$$
\begin{aligned}
\Omega\left(f(q) \phi_{0}, g(q) \phi_{0}\right) & =\left[\operatorname{Res}_{q=0}+\operatorname{Res}_{q=\infty}\right]\left(\left(f(q) ; g\left(q^{-1}\right)\right) \frac{d q}{q}\right) \\
\Omega\left(f\left(q^{1 / r}\right) \phi_{a}, g\left(q^{1 / r}\right) \phi_{b}\right) & =\left[\operatorname{Res}_{q^{1 / r}=0}+\operatorname{Res}_{q^{1 / r}=\infty}\right]\left(\left(f\left(q^{1 / r}\right) \phi_{a} ; g\left(q^{-1 / r}\right) \phi_{b}\right) \frac{d q^{1 / r}}{q^{1 / r}}\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

The polarization is given by

$$
\begin{aligned}
\left(\mathcal{K}_{i}\right)_{+} & =V_{i}\left[q^{1 / i}, q^{-1 / i}\right] \otimes \mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right] \text { for } i=1, r \\
\mathcal{K}_{-} & =\{f \in \mathcal{K} \text { such that } f(0) \neq \infty \text { and } f(\infty)=0\}
\end{aligned}
$$

There is a morphism of localization at $q^{1 / r}=1$

$$
\left.\left.\mathcal{K} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}^{\text {fake }}=V_{1} \otimes \mathbb{C} \llbracket q^{-1},(q-1)^{-1}\right] \oplus V_{r} \otimes \mathbb{C} \llbracket q^{1 / r}-1,\left(q^{1 / r}-1\right)^{-1}\right]
$$

Definition 3.2. The $J$-function is the formal function $\mathcal{K}_{+} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}$ given by

$$
\begin{equation*}
J(t(q))=1-q+t+\sum_{n} \frac{1}{n!}\left(\mathrm{ev}_{1}\right)_{*}\left(\frac{\pi_{1}^{*}\left(\Lambda_{0, n+1} \bigotimes_{i=2}^{n+1} t\left(\mathcal{L}_{i}\right)\right)}{1-q^{1 / r} \mathcal{L}_{1}}\right) \tag{38}
\end{equation*}
$$

Remark 3.3. The Grothendieck ring $K^{0}\left(B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)$ is the representation ring of $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$, which is isomorphic to $\mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right]$. This ring has two natural $\mathbb{C}$-bases. The first is given by the characters $[\chi] \in \mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right]$, and the second is the basis of idempotents $e_{\xi}=\frac{1}{r} \sum_{\chi \in \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}} \chi^{-1}(\xi)[\chi]$. For $E=\sum_{\chi} \lambda_{\chi}[\chi]$, we have that $E=\sum_{\xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}} E \otimes e_{\xi}$ and $E \otimes e_{\xi}=\sum_{\chi} \lambda_{\chi} \chi(\xi) e_{\xi}$.

On the other hand, let $p: I B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} \rightarrow B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ be the projection from the inertia stack. The cohomology of $I B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ is $H^{*}\left(I B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)=\bigoplus_{\xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}} \mathbb{C} . v_{\xi}$. Then $\operatorname{ch}\left(\rho\left(p^{*} E\right)\right)=\sum_{\xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}} \sum_{\chi} \chi(\xi) v_{\xi}$. Thus the coefficients of $\operatorname{ch}\left(\rho\left(p^{*} E\right)\right)$ coincide with the coefficients of $E$ in the basis $e_{\xi}$, and are given by the Riemann-Roch theorem [Toe98].

## $3.1 \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, \underline{a}}^{r}$ and its inertia stack

We describe the inertia stack of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$, and how the stabilizers act on the universal root.

We fix a multi-index $\underline{a}=\left(a_{1}, \ldots, a_{n}\right)$, and let $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, a}^{r}$ be the stack of $r$ th roots of $\omega_{\log }\left(-\sum_{i} a_{i} x_{i}\right)$. An object of this stack over a scheme $S$ is a family of twisted curves $\mathcal{C} \rightarrow S$ equipped with a line bundle $\mathcal{L}$, and an isomorphism $\mathcal{L}^{\otimes r} \rightarrow \omega_{\log }\left(-\sum_{i} a_{i} x_{i}\right)$, such that each node is balanced. Moreover, for any geometric point $x$ of $\mathcal{C}$, the representation $\operatorname{Aut}(x) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^{*}$ induced by $\mathcal{L}_{x}$ must
be faithful. These conditions determine the order of the automorphism group of every point of $\mathcal{C}$.

Indeed, a boundary divisor $D$ of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}$ is given by a partition $\{1, \ldots, n\}=$ $A \sqcup B$. The universal curve over $D$ is the union of two components $\mathcal{C}_{A} \cup \mathcal{C}_{B}$, and the restriction of $\mathcal{L}$ to $\mathcal{C}_{A}$ has degree $d_{A}=\frac{1}{r}\left(-2+1-\sum_{i \in A} a_{i}\right) \in \mathbb{Z}\left[\frac{1}{r}\right]$. Thus the order of the automorphism group of the node is $\rho_{D}=\#\left\langle r d_{A}\right\rangle$, where $\left\langle r d_{A}\right\rangle \subset \mathbb{Z}_{r}$ is the subgroup of $\mathbb{Z}_{r}$ generated by $r d_{A}$.

Let $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}(r, \underline{a})$ be the stack of twisted $n$-pointed stable curves of genus 0 such that each node defining a divisor $D$ has order $\rho_{D}$. There is a map $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, \underline{a}}^{r} \rightarrow$ $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}(r, \underline{a})$, which is a $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$-gerbe.

Definition 3.4. Let $\underline{a}$ be a multi-index, and let $\rho$ be the function on boundary divisors defined above. An inertial stable graph is a pair ( $\Gamma, \nu$ ), where

- $\Gamma$ is a stable graph with $n$ legs,
- $\nu: E(\Gamma) \rightarrow \mu_{\infty}$ is a function with values in the roots of unity, such that for all $e \in E(\Gamma)$, we have $\nu(e) \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{\rho(e)} \backslash\{1\}$,
where $\rho: E(\Gamma) \rightarrow \mathbb{N}_{+}$is the function on edges of $\Gamma$ induced by $\rho$.
The set of isomorphism classes of inertial stable graphs relatively to $\underline{\underline{a}}$ is $G_{\underline{a}}$.
One associates an inertial stable graph to each connected component of $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}(r, \underline{a})$ as follows. A closed point of such a component is given by $(\mathcal{C}, g)$, where $g$ is an automorphism of $\mathcal{C}$. The only automorphisms of a twisted, genus0 stable curve are the ghost automorphisms (see [ACV01, Section 7]). Thus a generic curve of a connected component of $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}(r, \underline{a})$ has a dual graph $\Gamma$ such that $\rho(e) \neq 1$ for all edges $e \in E(\Gamma)$. We orient the edges of $\Gamma$ in the direction going away from the first marked point $x_{1}$. The orientation of $\Gamma$ yields an isomorphism $\operatorname{Aut}(\mathcal{C}) \simeq \prod_{e \in E(\Gamma)} \boldsymbol{\mu}_{\rho(e)}$. Explicitly, given a node $p \in \mathcal{C}, \zeta \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{\rho(e)}$ corresponds to the ghost automorphism $\left(z_{-}, z_{+}\right) \mapsto\left(\zeta z_{-}, z_{+}\right)$

With this isomorphism fixed, one defines $\nu$ such that the isomorphism of $\mathcal{C}$ induced by $g$ is $(\nu(e))_{e \in E(\Gamma)}$.

Proposition 3.5. The correspondence described above induces a bijection between $G_{\underline{a}}$, and the set of connected components of $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}(r, \underline{a})$.

The component corresponding to $\Gamma$ is denoted $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}(r, \underline{a})_{\Gamma}$.
Proof. The moduli space $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}(r, \underline{a})$ is obtained from $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}$ by performing the $r_{D}$-th root construction at each boundary divisor $D$ ([BC10]). Writing $\mathcal{M}$ for $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}$, we have

$$
\begin{equation*}
\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}(r, \underline{a})=\mathcal{M}\left[D_{1} / r_{D_{1}}\right] \times_{\mathcal{M}} \mathcal{M}\left[D_{2} / r_{D_{2}}\right] \times_{\mathcal{M}} \cdots \tag{39}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $D_{i}$ are the boundary divisors. The inertia stack of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}[D / r]$ is $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}[D / r]=$ $\mathcal{M}_{0, n} \bigsqcup_{\xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r_{D}} \backslash 1} \mathcal{D}_{\xi}$, where $\mathcal{D}_{\xi}$ is a stack whose coarse space is isomorphic to $D$. Finally, $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}$ is a scheme, so the inertia stack of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}(r, \underline{a})$ is the fiber product over $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}$ of all the $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}\left[D / r_{D}\right]$.

Let $p: \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\underline{a}}^{r} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{M}}(r, \underline{a})$ be the forgetful map, and $I p: I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\underline{a}}^{r} \rightarrow I \overline{\mathcal{M}}(r, \underline{a})$ be the induced map.

Definition 3.6. Define

$$
\begin{equation*}
I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\Gamma}^{r}:=(I p)^{-1}\left(I \overline{\mathcal{M}}(r, \underline{a})_{\Gamma}\right) \tag{40}
\end{equation*}
$$

We get a decomposition of $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\underline{a}}^{r}$ into open and closed substacks

$$
\begin{equation*}
I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\underline{a}}^{r}=\bigsqcup_{\Gamma \in G_{\underline{a}}} I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\Gamma}^{r} . \tag{41}
\end{equation*}
$$

The map $p$ is a gerbe banded by $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$, and for any closed point $(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{L})$ of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}^{r}$, it induces an exact sequence

$$
\begin{equation*}
1 \rightarrow \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} \rightarrow \operatorname{Aut}((\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{L})) \rightarrow \operatorname{Aut}(\mathcal{C}) \rightarrow 1 \tag{42}
\end{equation*}
$$

Recall that an automorphism of the object $(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{L})$ is the data of an automorphism $g$ of $\mathcal{C}$, and an isomorphism $\alpha: g^{*} \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}$ compatible with the $r$-th root structure. Since the restriction of $g$ to the component containing $x_{1}$ is the identity map, $\alpha$ acts on $\mathcal{L}_{\mid x_{1}}$ by multiplication by some $r$-th root of unity $\xi(g, \alpha) \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$. The map $(g, \alpha) \mapsto \xi(g, \alpha)$ splits the exact sequence 42.

We now decompose the inertia stack according to this splitting.
Definition 3.7. For $\xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$, and $\Gamma \in G_{a}$, let $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\Gamma}^{r, \xi}$ be the open and closed substack of $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ made of the curves $(\mathcal{C}, \underline{\mathcal{L}}, g, \alpha) \in I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\Gamma}^{r}$ such that $\xi(g, \alpha)=\xi$. Then we have

$$
\begin{equation*}
I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}=\bigsqcup_{\substack{\Gamma \in G_{\underline{a}} \\ \xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}}} I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\Gamma}^{r, \xi} \tag{43}
\end{equation*}
$$

Let us denote the first marked gerbe by $\Sigma=\Sigma_{1}$, and let $\Sigma_{a}$ be the first maked gerbe of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, \underline{a}}^{r}$. If $a_{1} \neq 0$, the morphism, $\pi: \Sigma \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ is a gerbe banded by $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$, so for any closed point $x$ of $\Sigma$ we obtain an exact sequence

$$
\begin{equation*}
1 \rightarrow \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} \rightarrow \operatorname{Aut}(x) \rightarrow \operatorname{Aut}(\pi(x)) \rightarrow 1 \tag{44}
\end{equation*}
$$

This sequence splits canonically, yielding an isomorphism $\operatorname{Aut}(x) \simeq \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} \times \operatorname{Aut}(\pi(x))$. Thus $I \Sigma$ admits a first decomposition $I \Sigma=\bigsqcup_{\xi_{1} \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}} I \Sigma^{\xi_{1}}$.

Let $I \pi_{1}: I \Sigma \rightarrow I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$ be the morphism induced by $\pi_{1}$.
Definition 3.8. The inertia stack of $\Sigma_{\underline{a}}$ has a decomposition

$$
\begin{equation*}
I \Sigma_{\underline{a}}=\bigsqcup_{\Gamma \in G_{\underline{a}}} \bigsqcup_{\xi, \xi_{1} \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}} I \Sigma_{\Gamma}^{\xi, \xi_{1}} \tag{45}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $I \Sigma^{\xi, \xi_{1}}=I \Sigma^{\xi_{1}} \times_{I \Sigma}\left(I \pi_{1}\right)^{-1}\left(I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\Gamma}^{r, \xi}\right)$.

Let us also define

$$
\begin{aligned}
I \Sigma_{\underline{a}}^{\xi, \xi_{1}}:=\bigsqcup_{\Gamma \in G_{\underline{a}}} I \Sigma_{\Gamma}^{\xi, \xi_{1}} \\
I \Sigma_{0, n}^{\xi, \xi_{1}}:=\bigsqcup_{\underline{a}} I \Sigma_{\underline{a}}^{\xi, \xi_{1}}
\end{aligned}
$$

Lemma 3.9. Let $x$ be a $\mathbb{C}$-point of $I \Sigma_{0, \underline{a}}^{\xi, \xi_{1}}$, and let $I \mathrm{ev}_{1}: I \Sigma \rightarrow I B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ be the morphism induced by $\mathrm{ev}_{1}: \Sigma_{\underline{a}} \rightarrow B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$. Recall that $I \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} \simeq \bigsqcup_{\xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}}\left(B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)_{\xi}$.

Then $\operatorname{Iev}_{1}(x) \in\left(B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}\right)_{\xi \xi_{1}^{a_{1}}}$.
Proof. The morphism $\Sigma \rightarrow B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ is given by the restriction of $\mathcal{L}$ to $\Sigma_{1}$, which is an $r$-th root of $\mathcal{O}_{\Sigma_{1}}$. This functor induces a morphism between the generic automorphism groups, which is given by

$$
\begin{aligned}
\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} \times \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} & \rightarrow \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} \\
\left(\xi, \xi_{1}\right) & \mapsto \xi \xi_{1}^{a_{1}} .
\end{aligned}
$$

Ideed this corresponds to the action of $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} \times \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ on $\mathcal{L}_{\mid \Sigma}$.
We now describe the action of the automorphism groups of $\overline{\mathcal{M}}^{r}$ on $R^{1} \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}$ with the concavity assumption. We fix a connected component $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\Gamma}^{r, \xi} \subset I \overline{\mathcal{M}}^{r, \xi}$. Then $R^{1} \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}$ decomposes as a direct sum $\bigoplus_{v \in V(\Gamma)} E_{v}$. Let $v_{0}$ be the component containing $x_{1}$. By hypothesis, the automorphism $(g, \alpha)$ acts on $E_{v_{0}}$ by multiplication by $\xi$.

Lemma 3.10. There exists a unique function $f: V(\Gamma) \rightarrow \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ such that

- if $v_{1}$ and $v_{2}$ are two vertices connected by an edge e oriented from $v_{1}$ to $v_{2}$, then $\nu(e)^{\operatorname{mult}_{p_{+}}(\mathcal{L})} f\left(v_{1}\right)=f\left(v_{2}\right)$, where mult $p_{+}(\mathcal{L}) \in \mathbb{Z}_{\rho(e)}$ is the character of $\mathcal{L}$ at the node on the component given by $v_{2}$,
- $f\left(v_{0}\right)=\xi$.

Recall that if $\mathcal{M}$ is a Deligne-Mumford stack, and $E$ is a vector bundle on $I \mathcal{M}$, then $E$ is locally decomposed as $E=\bigoplus_{l=0}^{k-1} E^{l}$, where $k$ is the order of the isotropy subgroup generated by $g$. Then one defines the morphism $\rho$ : $K^{0}(I \mathcal{M})_{\mathbb{C}} \rightarrow K^{0}(I \mathcal{M})_{\mathbb{C}}$ by $\rho(E)=\sum_{l} e^{\frac{2 i \pi l}{k}} E^{l}($ see $[$ Toe 98$])$.

Proposition 3.11. Let $\underline{a}$ be a multi-index, and let $\Gamma \in G_{\underline{a}}$ be an inertial stable graph. Let $f$ be the function defined by lemma 3.10. Then, over $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\Gamma}^{r, \xi}$, one has

$$
\begin{equation*}
\rho\left(R^{1} \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}\right)=\sum_{v \in V(\Gamma)} f(v) E_{v} . \tag{46}
\end{equation*}
$$

Proof. For simplicity, let us assume that $\mathcal{C}=\mathcal{C}_{1} \cup \mathcal{C}_{2}$ is a curve with one node $p$, and $x_{1} \in \mathcal{C}_{1}$. Let $g$ be an automorphism of $\mathcal{C}$. Note that $g_{\mid \mathcal{C}_{i}} \simeq \operatorname{id}_{\mathcal{C}_{i}}$. Let
$\alpha: g^{*} \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}$ be an isomorphism such that $\alpha_{\mathcal{C}_{1}}$ is the multiplication by some root of unity $\xi$.

The local picture of $g$ at $p$ is given by $\left(z_{1}, z_{2}\right) \mapsto\left(\zeta z_{1}, z_{2}\right)$ (or any equivalent morphism). By [Chi07, prop. 2.5.3], we have

$$
\begin{equation*}
g^{*} \mathcal{L} \simeq \mathcal{L} \otimes T_{\mathcal{L}}, \tag{47}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $T_{\mathcal{L}}$ is the line bundle whose sections over $U$ are pairs of functions $\left(f_{1}, f_{2}\right) \in$ $\mathcal{O}_{\mathcal{C}_{1}}(U) \oplus \mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{C}_{2}}(U)$ such that $\zeta^{\text {mult }} p_{2}(\mathcal{L}) f_{1}(p)=f_{2}(p)$. Thus the morphism $\alpha_{\mid \mathcal{C}_{2}}$ is the multiplication by $\xi \zeta^{\text {mult }_{p_{2}}(\mathcal{L})}$.

Corollary 3.12. With the same setting as in the previous proposition, one has

$$
\begin{equation*}
\rho\left(\Lambda_{-1}\left(R^{1} \pi_{*} \mathcal{L}\right)^{\vee}\right)=\prod_{v \in V(\Gamma)} \Lambda_{-f(v)^{-1}}\left(E_{v}^{\vee}\right) . \tag{48}
\end{equation*}
$$

Proposition 3.13. In the same setting as above, suppose $a_{i}$ is prime to $r$, and let $T=\pi_{i *}\left(\operatorname{ev}_{i}^{*}\left[j / a_{i}\right] \otimes \mathcal{N}_{i}^{-j}\right)$. Let $v(i)$ be the vertex of $\Gamma$ supporting the $i$ th marked point. Then over $I \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{\Gamma}^{r, \xi}$ we have

$$
\begin{equation*}
\rho(T)=f(v(i))^{j / a_{i}} \tag{49}
\end{equation*}
$$

### 3.2 The $J$-function

We now apply the Grothendieck-Riemann-Roch theorem to compute the $J$ function of the K-theoretic invariants.

Proposition 3.14. The J-function is the (shifted) differential of the genus-0 potential. Thus, its image is a Lagrangian cone in $\mathcal{K}$.

Proof. For $h, t \in \mathcal{K}_{+}$, the differential of $\mathcal{F}$ at $t$ is $d_{t} \mathcal{F}(h)=\sum \frac{1}{n!}\langle h, t, \ldots, t\rangle_{n+1}$. Let us suppose that $t \in V_{r}\left[q^{1 / r}, q^{-1 / r}\right] \otimes \mathbb{C}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_{r}\right]$. Notice that $\left(\phi_{a} e_{\xi} ; \phi_{r-a} e_{\xi^{\prime}}\right)=$ $\frac{1}{r} \delta_{\xi, \xi^{\prime}}$, thus the dual of $\phi_{a} e_{\xi}$ is $r \phi^{a} e_{\xi}$. Then we have

$$
\begin{equation*}
d_{t} \mathcal{F}=\sum_{n, a \neq 0} \sum_{\xi \in \mu_{r}} \frac{r \phi^{a} e_{\xi}}{n!}\left\langle\frac{\phi_{a} e_{\xi}}{\left(1-q^{1 / r}\right) \mathcal{L}_{1}}, t(\mathcal{L}), \ldots, t(\mathcal{L})\right\rangle_{0, n+1} . \tag{50}
\end{equation*}
$$

On the other hand, for any class $F \in K^{0}(\Sigma)$, we have

$$
\begin{aligned}
\left(\mathrm{ev}_{1}\right)_{*}(F) & =\sum_{a, \xi} r \chi\left(I B \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r} ;\left(\mathrm{ev}_{1}\right)_{*}(F) \otimes \phi_{a} e_{\xi}\right) \phi_{a} e_{\xi} \\
& =\sum_{a, \xi} r \chi\left(\Sigma ; F \otimes\left(\mathrm{ev}_{1}\right)^{*}\left(\phi_{a} e_{\xi}\right)\right) \phi_{a} e_{\xi}
\end{aligned}
$$

Taking $F$ to be $\Lambda \otimes \otimes t\left(\mathcal{L}_{i}\right)$ yields the result.

We define a linear action of $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ on $\mathcal{K}_{r}$ by

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \zeta \cdot\left(q^{j / r} \phi_{a} e_{\xi}\right)=\zeta^{j} q^{j / r} \phi_{a} e_{\xi \zeta^{a}} \text { over } \mathcal{K}_{r,+} \\
& \zeta \cdot\left(q^{j / r} \phi^{a} e_{\xi}\right)=\zeta^{j} q^{j / r} \phi^{a} e_{\xi \zeta^{a}} \text { over } \mathcal{K}_{r,-}
\end{aligned}
$$

This action is related to the action of the relative automorphism group of $\Sigma$ on $I \Sigma$.
Proposition 3.15. The action of $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ on $\mathcal{K}_{r}$ is symplectic.
Lemma 3.16. Let $[d]$ be the character $\xi \mapsto \xi^{d}$. The invariant subspace of $\mathcal{K}_{r,+}$ is generated by the elements $q^{j / r} \phi^{a}[j / a]$ for $a \neq 0$.
Proof. One computes that

$$
\begin{aligned}
\zeta \cdot\left(q^{j / r} \phi_{a}[d]\right) & =q^{j / r} \phi_{a} \sum_{\xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}} \zeta^{j} \xi^{d} e_{\xi \zeta^{a}} \\
& =q^{j / r} \phi_{a} \zeta^{j-a d} \sum_{\xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}}\left(\xi \zeta^{a}\right)^{d} e_{\xi \zeta^{a}} \\
& =q^{j / r} \phi_{a} \zeta^{j-a d}[d]
\end{aligned}
$$

Thus $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ acts diagonally on $\mathcal{K}_{r,+}$ with respect to the basis $\phi_{a} q^{j / r}[d]$, and the subspace of invariants has basis $\left\{q^{j / r} \phi^{a}[j / a]\right\}$ for $a \neq 0$.

Let $t$ be an element of $\mathcal{K}_{r,+}$, and denote $\underline{t}=\frac{1}{r} \sum_{\zeta \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}} \zeta \cdot t\left(q^{1 / r}\right)$. The map $t \mapsto \underline{t}$ is a projection onto the subspace of invariant elements. Then by remark 1.8, we have that $\langle t, \ldots, t\rangle_{0, n}=\langle\underline{t}, \ldots, \underline{t}\rangle_{0, n}$ and

$$
\begin{equation*}
J(t)=1-q+t+\sum \frac{1}{n!} \operatorname{ev}_{1 *}\left(\frac{\Lambda_{0, n+1}}{1-q^{1 / r} \mathcal{L}_{1}} \bigotimes_{i=2}^{n+1} t\left(\mathcal{L}_{i}\right)\right) \tag{51}
\end{equation*}
$$

Proposition 3.17. Suppose that $t=\underline{t} \in \mathcal{K}_{+}$. Then $J(t)$ is a $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$-invariant point of $\mathcal{K}$.
Proof. We only need to check that the $\mathcal{K}_{-}$part of $J(t)$ is invariant. Recall that

$$
J_{-}(t)=\sum_{a, n, \xi_{0}, \xi_{1}} \frac{r \phi^{a} e_{\xi_{0}}}{n!} \int_{I \Sigma_{0, n+1}^{\xi_{0} \xi^{-a}, \xi_{1}}} \frac{\operatorname{ch}\left(\rho \Lambda_{0, n+1}\right)}{\operatorname{ch}\left(1-\xi_{1}^{-1} q \mathcal{L}_{1}\right)} \bigotimes \operatorname{ch}\left(\rho t\left(\mathcal{L}_{i}\right)\right),
$$

where we consider $a_{i}$ as locally constant functions on $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$.
The stacks $I \Sigma_{0, n+1}^{\xi_{0} \xi_{1}^{-a}, \xi_{1}}$ and $I \Sigma_{0, n+1}^{\xi_{0} \xi_{1}^{-a}, \zeta \xi_{1}}$ are naturally isomorphic, since $\Sigma$ is a $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$-gerbe over $\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, n}^{r}$. Moreover, if $t$ is $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$-invariant, then proposition 3.13 implies that this isomorphism does not change the trace on $t\left(\mathcal{L}_{i}\right)$. Thus,

$$
\begin{aligned}
\zeta^{-1} \cdot J_{-}(t) & =\sum_{a, n, \xi_{0}, \xi_{1}} \frac{r \phi^{a} e_{\xi_{0} \zeta^{-a}}}{n!} \int_{I \Sigma_{0, n+1}^{\xi_{0} \xi^{-a}, \xi_{1}}} \frac{\operatorname{ch}\left(\rho \Lambda_{0, n+1}\right)}{\operatorname{ch}\left(1-\left(\zeta \xi_{1}\right)^{-1} q \mathcal{L}_{1}\right)} \prod \operatorname{ch}\left(\rho t\left(\mathcal{L}_{i}\right)\right) \\
& =\sum_{a, n, \xi_{0}, \xi_{1}} \frac{r \phi^{a} e_{\xi_{0} \zeta^{-a}}^{n!}}{n!} \int_{I \Sigma_{0, n+1}^{\xi_{0} \xi^{-a}, \xi_{1} \zeta}} \frac{\operatorname{ch}\left(\rho \Lambda_{0, n+1}\right)}{\operatorname{ch}\left(1-q \rho \mathcal{L}_{1}\right)} \prod \operatorname{ch}\left(\rho t\left(\mathcal{L}_{i}\right)\right. \\
& =J_{-}(t)
\end{aligned}
$$

Proposition 3.18. Suppose that $t=\underline{t} \in \mathcal{K}_{+}$. Then the localization at 1 of $J(t)$ is a point of the fake cone

$$
\begin{equation*}
J(t)_{(1)} \in \mathcal{L}^{\text {fake }} \tag{52}
\end{equation*}
$$

Proof. The argument follows the adelic characterization of [GT11]. It consists in applying the Grothendieck-Riemann-Roch theorem for stacks (or GRR for short), and relating the different integrals with the fake theories introduced in section 2.

Let us decompose $J(t)=\sum_{\xi_{0}} J^{\xi_{0}} e_{\xi_{0}}$. We fix $\xi_{0} \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$, and show that the function $J^{\xi_{0}}$ lies on the fake cone $\mathcal{L}^{\xi_{0}, \text { fake }}$. According to the GRR formula [Toe98], the component $J^{\xi_{0}}$ is given by

$$
\begin{equation*}
1-q+t+\sum_{\xi_{1} \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}, a \neq 0} \frac{r \phi^{a}}{n!} \int_{I \Sigma^{\xi_{0} \xi_{1}^{-a}, \xi_{1}}} \frac{\operatorname{ch}\left(\rho\left(\Lambda_{0, n} \bigotimes t\left(\mathcal{L}_{i}\right)\right)\right.}{\left(1-\xi_{1}^{-1} q^{1 / r} e^{\psi_{1} / r}\right) \operatorname{ch}\left(\rho \Lambda_{-1} \mathcal{N}^{\vee}\right)} \operatorname{td}(T) \tag{53}
\end{equation*}
$$

Let us denote $\tilde{t}$ the terms of the sum with $\xi_{1} \neq 1$. Explicitly, $\tilde{t}$ is the sum of the contributions of $I \Sigma^{\xi_{0} \xi_{1}^{-a}, \xi_{1}}$ for $\xi_{1} \neq 1$. Notice that $\tilde{t} \in \mathcal{K}_{+}^{\xi, \text { fake }}$, thus we want to show that $J^{\xi_{0}}(t)_{(1)}=J^{\xi, \text { fake }}(t+\tilde{t})$.

Let $(C, g)$ be a geometric point of $I \Sigma^{\xi_{0}, 1}$. For such a curve, the head of $C$ is the maximal connected subcurve containing $\Sigma_{1}$ (the first marked gerbe), and such that the restriction of $g$ to the head is the identity. The head has marked gerbes which are either nodes of $C$ with non-trivial action of the ghost automorphism, or marked gerbes of $C$. In the first case, the connected component attached to the node is called an arm. An arm comes with a distinguished marked gerbe, called its horn.

The moduli space of heads is the union of all the first marked gerbes of the moduli space of spin curves,

$$
\begin{equation*}
\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{n}^{\text {head, }, \xi_{0}}=\bigsqcup_{n \geq 3} \bigsqcup_{b_{1}, \ldots, b_{n} \neq 0} \Sigma_{\underline{b}}, \tag{54}
\end{equation*}
$$

while the moduli space of arms is

$$
\begin{equation*}
\overline{\mathcal{M}}^{\mathrm{arm}, \xi_{0}}=\bigsqcup_{n \geq 3} \bigsqcup_{c_{1} \neq 0, \xi_{1} \neq 1} \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{0, \underline{c}^{r}}^{r} \tag{55}
\end{equation*}
$$

Let us fix $\underline{a}=\left(a_{1}, \ldots, a_{n}\right)$, and let $\Gamma \in G_{\underline{a}}$ be an inertial graph. Let $m$ be the number of legs of the vertex carrying the first marked point in $\Gamma$. The decomposition of curves into head and arms induces a morphism

$$
\begin{equation*}
I \Sigma_{\Gamma}^{\xi_{0}, 1} \rightarrow \overline{\mathcal{M}}^{\mathrm{head}, \xi_{0}} \times\left(\overline{\mathcal{M}}^{\mathrm{arm}, \xi_{0}}\right)^{m} \tag{56}
\end{equation*}
$$

This morphism allows us to express the content of the GRR formula as a product of integrals over the moduli spaces of heads and arms, except for the normal bundle at nodes joining the head to an arm. Such a node of $C$ contributes to
the conormal bundle $\mathcal{N}^{\vee}$ by $\mathcal{L}_{+} \otimes \mathcal{L}_{-}$. Thus the contribution of $I \Sigma^{\xi_{0}, 1}$ to the $J$-function is exactly

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{m, n} \frac{1}{r} \frac{\phi^{a}}{m!n!}\left\langle\frac{\phi_{a}}{1-q^{1 / r} \mathcal{L}^{1 / r}}, t\left(\mathcal{L}^{1 / r}\right), \ldots, t\left(\mathcal{L}^{1 / r}\right), \tilde{t}\left(\mathcal{L}^{1 / r}\right), \ldots, \tilde{t}\left(\mathcal{L}^{1 / r}\right)\right\rangle^{\xi_{0}, \text { fake }} \\
& =\sum \frac{1}{r} \frac{\phi^{a}}{n!}\left\langle\frac{\phi_{a}}{1-q^{1 / r} \mathcal{L}^{1 / r}}, t\left(\mathcal{L}^{1 / r}\right)+\tilde{t}\left(\mathcal{L}^{1 / r}\right), \ldots, t\left(\mathcal{L}^{1 / r}\right)+\tilde{t}\left(\mathcal{L}^{1 / r}\right)\right\rangle_{0, n+1}^{\xi_{0}, \text { fake }}
\end{aligned}
$$

Theorem 3.19. For all $t \in \mathcal{K}_{+}$, we have that,
(1) $J(t)$ has no poles outside of $0, \infty$ and the fifth roots of unity,
(2) the localization of $\underline{f} e_{\xi}$ at 1 lies in the fake cone $\mathcal{L}^{\xi, \text { fake }}$,
(3) $f-\underline{f} \in \mathcal{K}_{+}$.

Conversely, the J function is uniquely determined by these 3 conditions, and can be recursively computed from the correlators of the fake theories.

Proof. It is clear that the $J$-function satisfies the three conditions above. Conversely, let us show that these conditions determine the $J$-function. We will construct all the correlators of $J_{-}$, and $\tilde{t}$ (the arm contribution) by recursion on the number of marked points. Let us first remark, that if we write $J_{-}=\sum J_{-}^{a, \xi_{0}} \phi^{a} e_{\xi_{0}}$ then the first condition implies that the partial fraction decomposition of $J_{-}$has the form $J_{-}^{a, \xi_{0}}=\sum_{\xi_{1} \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r .}} J_{-}^{a, \xi_{0}, \xi_{1}}$, where $J_{-}^{a, \xi_{0}, \xi_{1}}$ is the part with pole at $\xi_{1}$. Then, the third condition implies that for all $\zeta \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$ we have

$$
\begin{equation*}
J_{-}^{a, \xi_{0}, \xi_{1}}\left(\zeta^{-1} q^{1 / r}\right)=J_{-}^{a, \xi_{0} \zeta^{-a}, \xi_{1} \zeta}\left(q^{1 / r}\right) \tag{57}
\end{equation*}
$$

We define $\tilde{t}$ to be

$$
\begin{equation*}
\tilde{t}=\sum_{a \neq 0, \xi_{0} \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}, \xi_{1} \neq 1} \sum J_{-}^{a, \xi_{0}} \phi^{a} e_{\xi_{0}} \tag{58}
\end{equation*}
$$

The previous equation shows that $\tilde{t}$ is determined by the functions $J_{-}^{a, \xi_{0}, 1}$.
By definition, $J_{-}$has no terms of degree 0 and 1 in $t$, and the terms of degree 2 coincide with the fake invariants.

Suppose now that all correlators involving at most $n$ marked points have been computed, and let us compute the correlators with $n+1$ marked points. The correlator $\left\langle\frac{\phi_{a}}{1-q^{1 / r} \mathcal{L}^{1 / r}}, t, \ldots, t\right\rangle_{0, n+1}$ is made of integrals over $I \Sigma_{0, n+1}$. Because of condition (3), we need only compute the contribution of $I \Sigma_{0, n+1}^{\xi, 1}$, where the stability imposes that the arms have at most $n$ marked points. By the recursion hypothesis, the arm contribution $\tilde{t}$ has been computed up to degree $n-1$ in $t$, which corresponds to $n$ marked points.

Corollary 3.20. Let $W$ be a vector space, and $I$ be a formal function from $W$ to $\mathcal{K}$ such that $I(0)=1-q$. If

- $I(t)$ has poles only at $0, \infty$ and the fifth roots of 1 ,
- $I e_{\xi}$ is a function on $\mathcal{L}^{\xi}$,fake,
- I is $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}$-invariant,
then I lies on $\mathcal{L}$.


### 3.3 A function on the Lagrangian cone

## 3.4 $I$-functions for the fake theories

We now find a particular one-dimensional subvariety on $\mathcal{L}^{\lambda, \text { fake }}$.
We recall the following computation from [CCIT09] and [CR10]. Given a sequence of scalars $w_{d}$, we define the following formal function :

$$
\begin{equation*}
G_{y}(x, z)=\sum_{m, l \geq 0} w_{l+m-1} \frac{B_{m}(y) x^{l}}{m!l!} z^{m-1} \tag{59}
\end{equation*}
$$

It satisfies the equations

$$
\begin{aligned}
G_{y}(x, z) & =G_{0}(x,+y z, z) \\
G_{0}(x+z, z) & =G_{0}(x, z)+s(x)
\end{aligned}
$$

Let $\nabla$ be a vector field on $V$.
Proposition 3.21. Let $\tilde{J}$ be any formal function from $V$ to $\mathcal{H}$. Suppose that $\tilde{J}(t,-z)$ lives on the untwisted cone. Then, for any sequence $\left(w_{i}\right)$ and for any $y \in \mathbb{C}$, the function

$$
\begin{equation*}
\tilde{J}_{w, y}(t,-z)=\exp \left(-G_{y}(z \nabla, z)\right) \tilde{J}(t,-z) \tag{60}
\end{equation*}
$$

also lives on the untwisted cone.
Recall that the small $J$-function of a point is $J(\tau)=(1-q) \exp \left(\frac{\tau}{1-q}\right)$. We extend the notation $\phi_{n}$ to all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ by $\phi_{n}=\phi_{n} \bmod r$, and define an "untwisted" $I$-function by

$$
\begin{equation*}
I^{\mathrm{un}}(\tau)=(1-q) \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{\tau^{n}}{(1-q)^{n}} \phi_{n+1} \tag{61}
\end{equation*}
$$

Lemma 3.22. The function $I^{\text {un }}$ lies on the untwisted cone $\mathcal{L}^{\mathrm{un}} \subset \mathcal{K}^{\text {fake }}$.
Proof. This is a consequence of 2.9.
Thus we can apply 3.21 to $I^{\mathrm{un}}$ with the vector field $\nabla=\frac{\tau}{r} \partial_{\tau}$.

Corollary 3.23. The following function lies on the cone $\mathcal{L}^{\text {fake, } \lambda}$.

$$
\begin{equation*}
I^{\lambda}(\tau)=(1-q) \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{\prod_{0 \leq m<\lfloor n / r\rfloor}\left(1+\lambda q^{\frac{1}{r}+\left\{\frac{n}{r}\right\}+m}\right)^{r} \tau^{n}}{(1-q)^{n}} \phi_{n+1} \tag{62}
\end{equation*}
$$

Evaluating at $\lambda=-\xi$, we obtain the function

$$
\begin{equation*}
I^{\xi}(\tau)=(1-q) \sum_{n \geq 0} \prod_{0 \leq m<\left\lfloor\frac{n}{r}\right\rfloor}\left(1-\xi q^{\frac{1}{r}+\left\{\frac{n}{r}\right\}+m}\right)^{r} \frac{\tau^{n}}{(1-q)^{n}} \phi_{n+1} \tag{63}
\end{equation*}
$$

Proof. See [CCIT09] and [CR10].
Theorem 3.24. Let $\tilde{I}^{\xi}$ be the projection of $I^{\xi}$ on $V_{r}$ parallel to $V_{1}$. The function

$$
\begin{equation*}
I=\bigoplus_{\xi \in \boldsymbol{\mu}_{r}} \tilde{I}^{\xi} e_{\xi} \tag{64}
\end{equation*}
$$

has values in $\mathcal{L}$.
Proof. We apply 3.20 .

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