

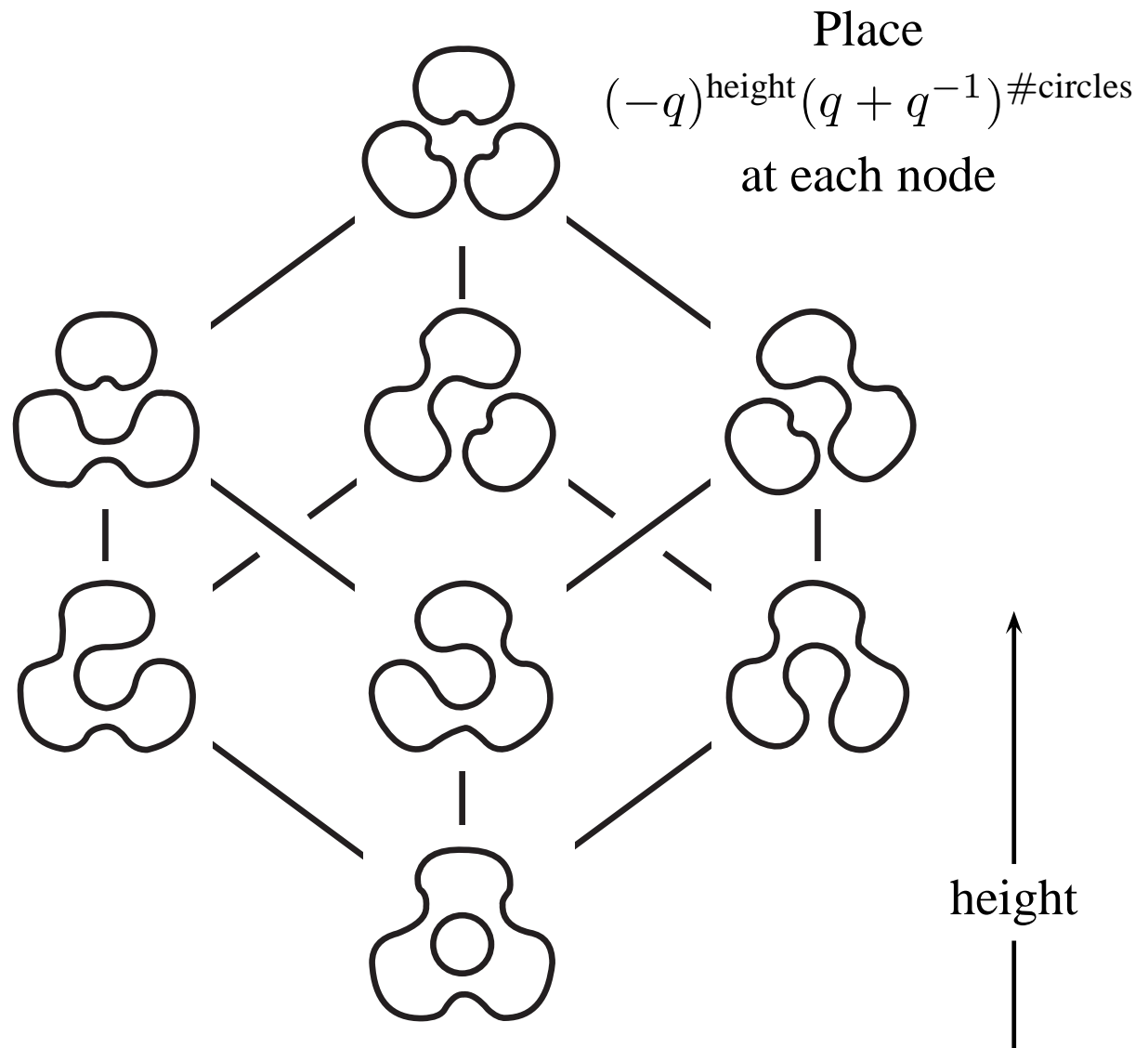
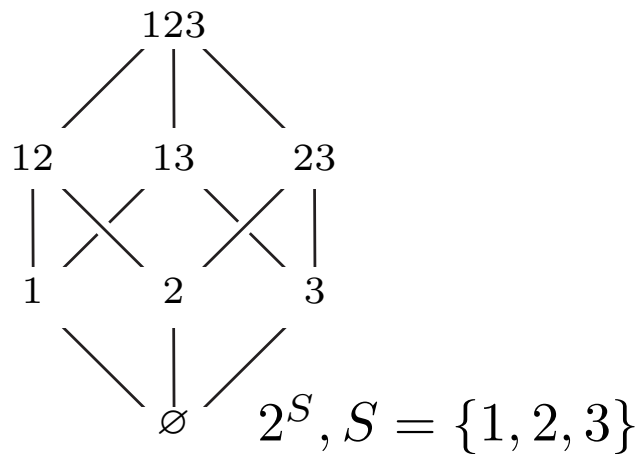
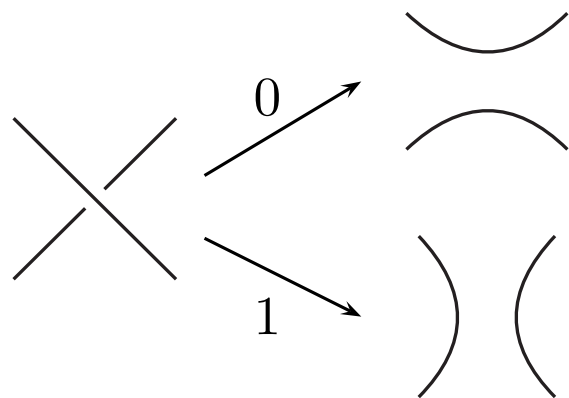
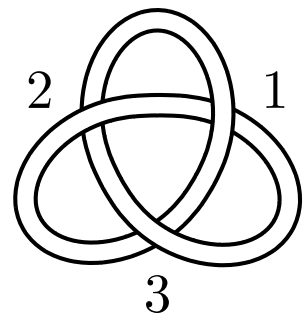
# Coloured poset homology

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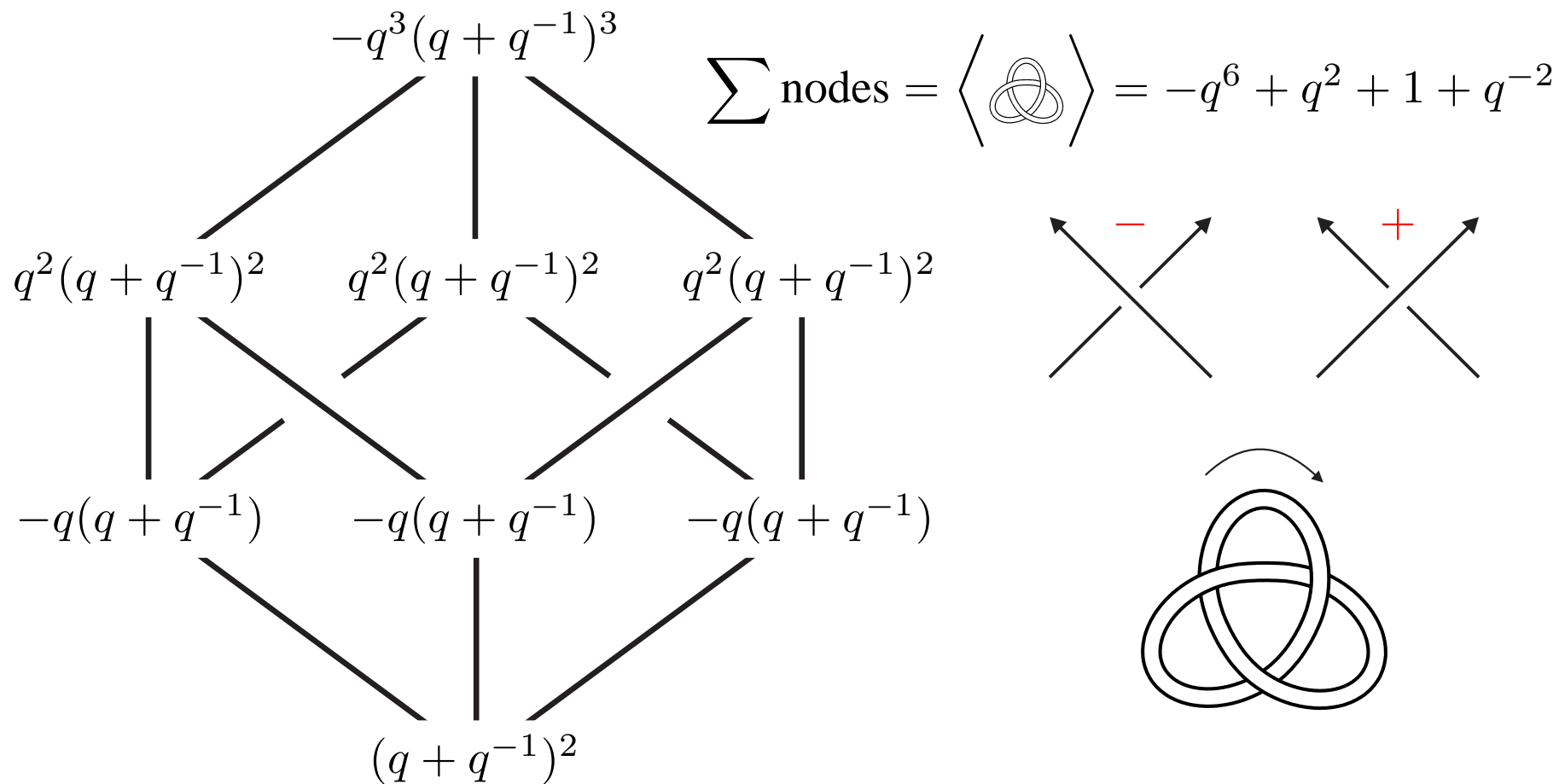
# Example: Jones polynomial



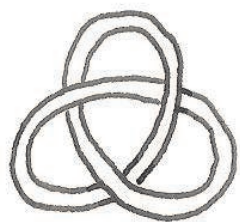
# Example: Jones polynomial

$$J\left(\text{trefoil}\right) = \frac{1}{(q + q^{-1})} \hat{J}\left(\text{trefoil}\right) \longleftarrow (-1)^{n_-} q^{n_+ - 2n_-} \left\langle \text{trefoil} \right\rangle$$

(Jones)
(unnormalized Jones)
(Kauffman bracket)

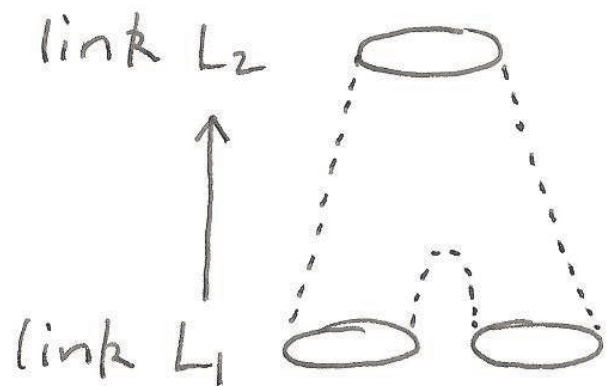


# Categorification



*Jones*

$$f \in \mathbb{Z}[q, q^{-1}]$$



*functor*

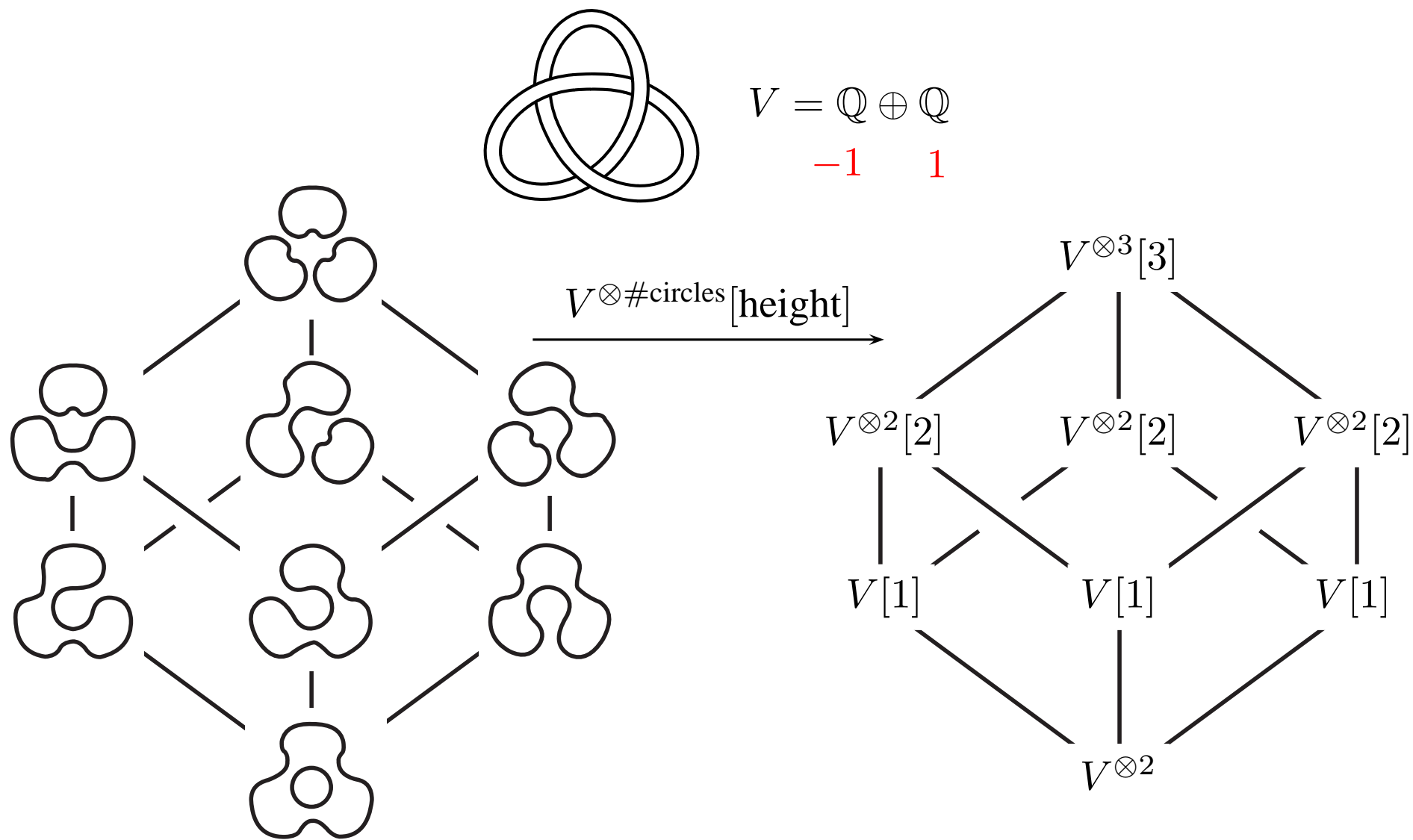
$$\bigoplus_i \bigoplus_j M_{ij}$$

$$\bigoplus_i \bigoplus_j N_{ij}$$

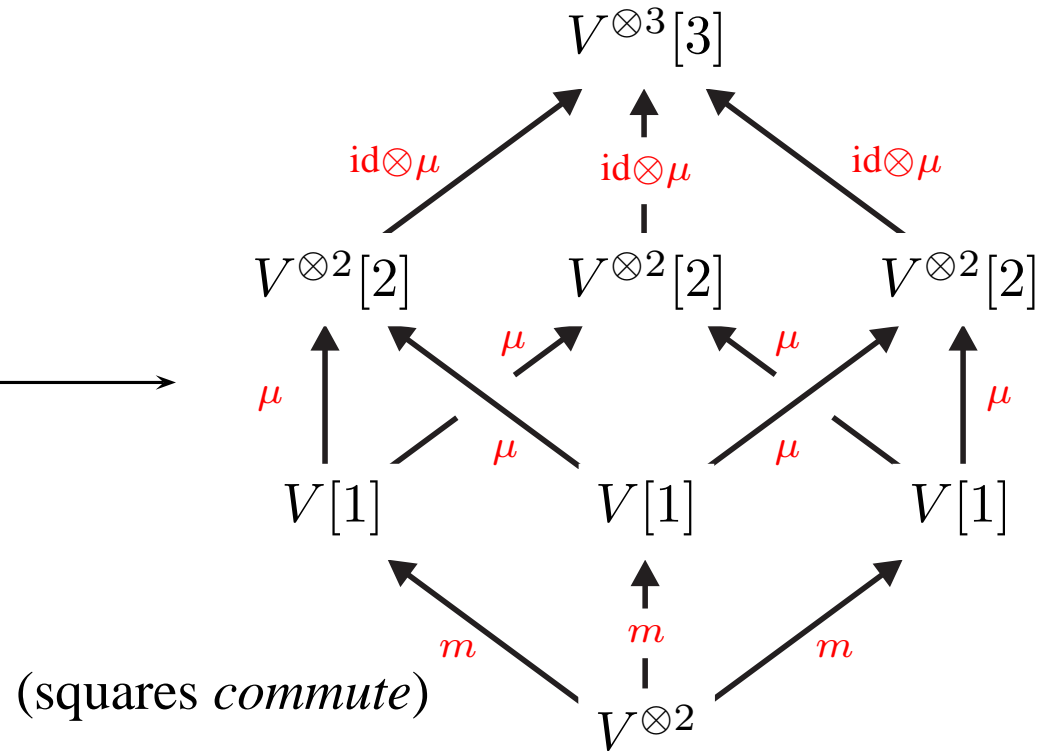
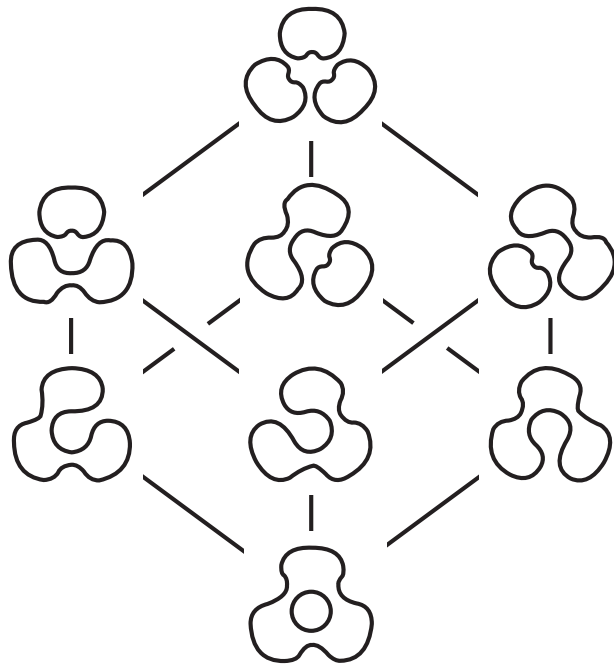
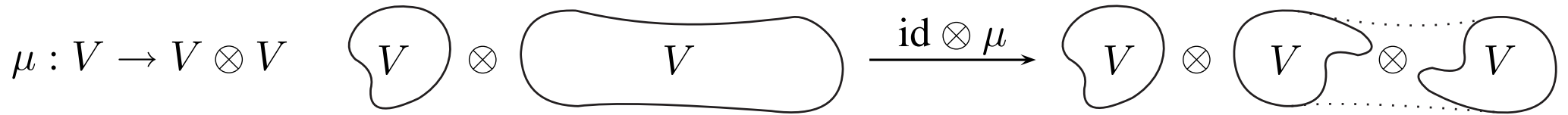
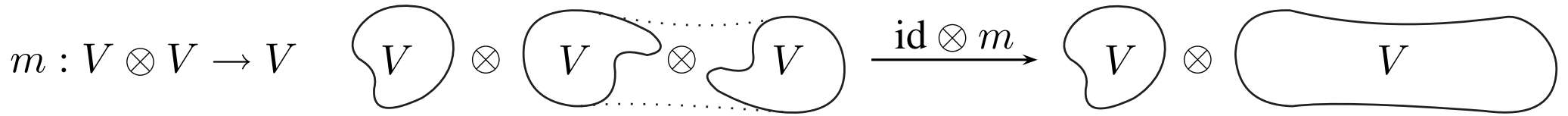
(bi-graded spaces)

$$\chi\left(\bigoplus_i \bigoplus_j N_{ij}\right) = \sum_i (-1)^i q \dim\left(\bigoplus_j N_{ij}\right) = \sum_i (-1)^i \sum_j (\dim N_{ij}) q^j = \text{“Jones”}$$

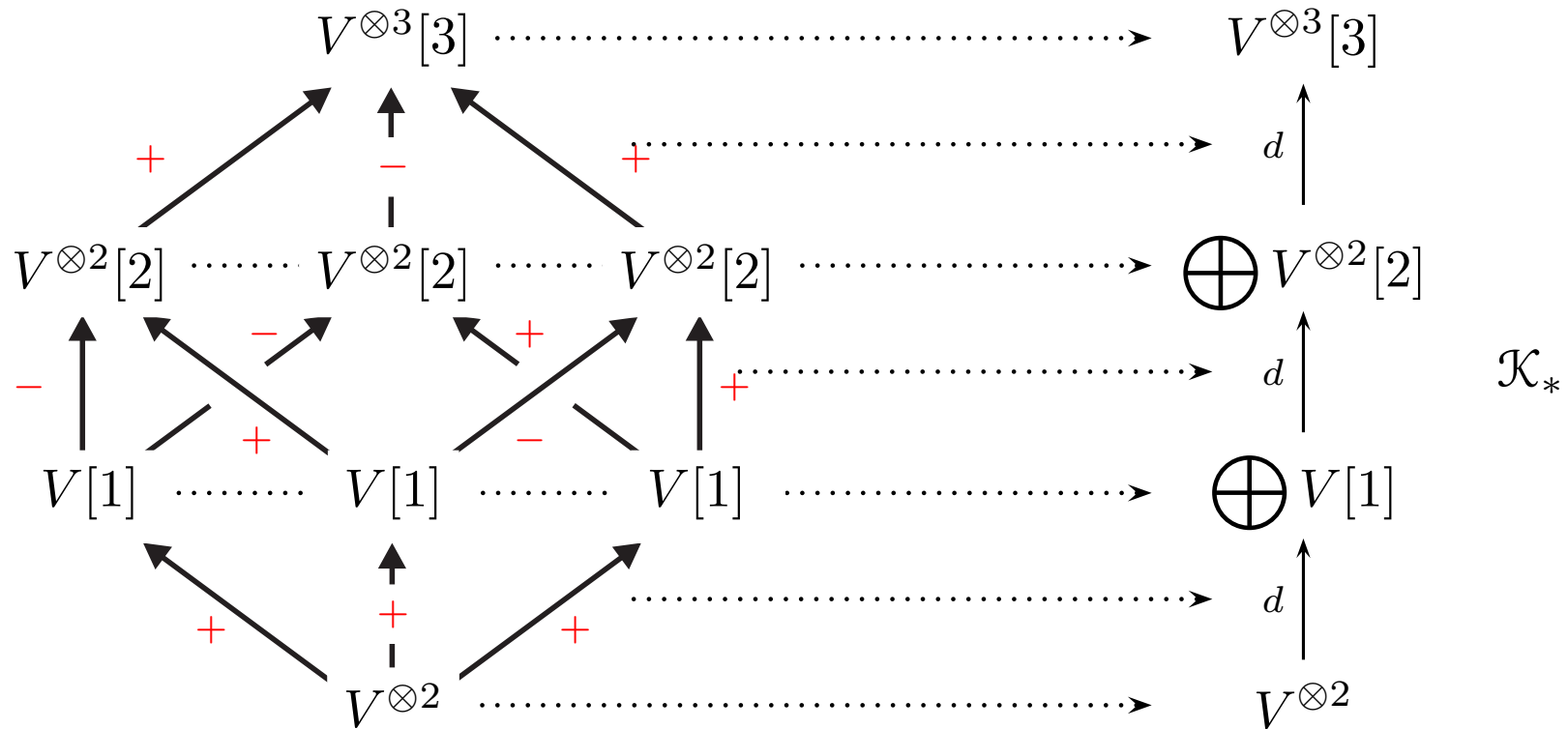
# Example: Khovanov complex 1



# Example: Khovanov complex 2



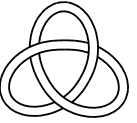
# Example: Khovanov complex 3



add  $\pm$ 's to edge maps so squares *anticommute*

**Khovanov homology**  $KH_* \left( \text{link diagram}, \mathbb{Q} \right) = H_*(\mathcal{K}_*)$

# Example: Khovanov homology 1

	6	4	2	0	-2	$q\dim$
$KH_0$	$\mathbb{Q}$					$q^6$
$KH_1$			$\mathbb{Q}$			$q^2$
$KH_2$						0
$KH_3$				$\mathbb{Q}$	$\mathbb{Q}$	$1 + q^{-2}$

Euler characteristic  $\chi(\mathcal{K}_*)$

$$= \sum (-1)^i q^{\dim} KH_i \left( \text{trefoil}, \mathbb{Q} \right)$$

$$= q^6 - q^2 - 1 - q^{-2}$$

key property 1, essentially by construction:

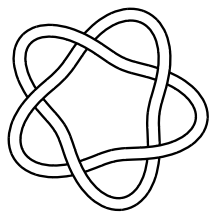
$$(-1)^{1+n-} q^{n+ -2n-} \chi(\mathcal{K}_*) = \widehat{J}(K)$$

key property 2, and minor miracle:  $KH_*$  an invariant (after a bit of nudging)



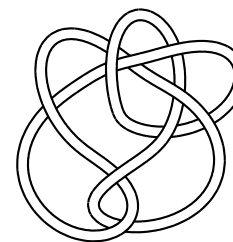
# Example: Khovanov homology 2

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		Q				
		Q				
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					Q	Q



$$J\left(\text{trefoil}\right) = J\left(\text{trefoil}\right)$$

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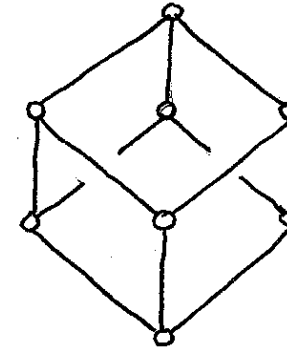


...similarly...

- Alexander polynomial: Heegaard-Floer homology (Ozsváth and Szabó)
- HOMFLY polynomial: Khovanov-Rozansky homology
- chromatic polynomial: graph homology (Helme-Guizon and Rong)

# Posets

- Eg:  $X$  set,  $\mathcal{B}(X) :=$  Boolean lattice on  $X$

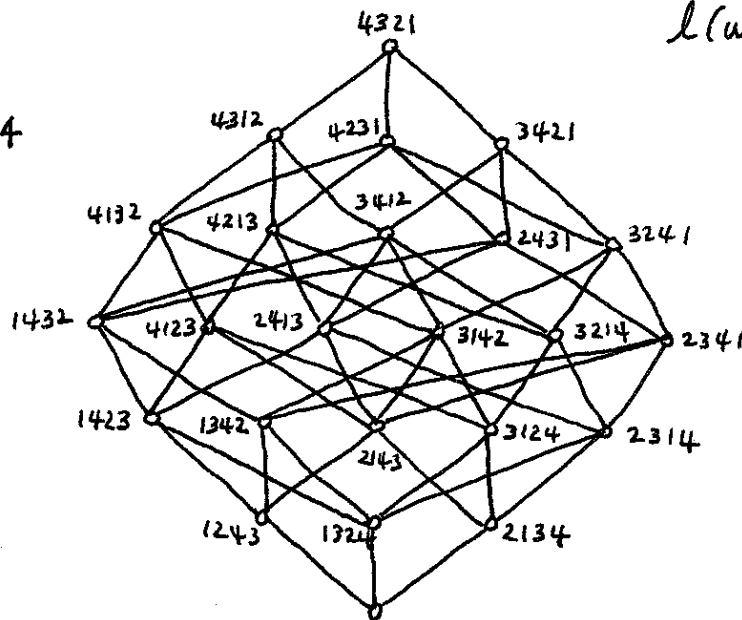


$$X = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

- Eg:  $(W, S)$  Coxeter group  $:= \langle s_\alpha \in S \mid (s_\alpha s_\beta)^{m_{\alpha\beta}} = 1 \rangle$   
 $(m_{\alpha\beta} = m_{\beta\alpha}, m_{\alpha\alpha} = 1 \iff \alpha = \beta)$

Bruhat order:  $w < w' \iff$   $wit = w_{i+1} \ (t \in W^{-1}SW)$   
 $w = w_0 \rightarrow w_1 \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow w_i \rightarrow w_{i+1} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow w_k = w'$   
 $l(w_i) < l(w_{i+1})$

- Eg:  $W = G_4$

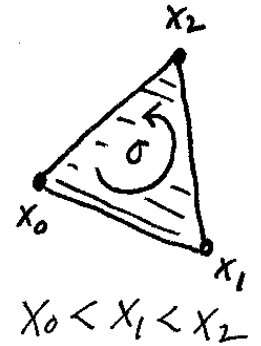


$(\mathcal{B}(X) = \text{Bruhat poset for } \mathbb{Z}_2^{1 \times 1})$

# Poset homology

• Poset  $P \rightsquigarrow$  order (simplicial) complex  $\Delta(P)$

(oriented)  
n-cells  
 $\sigma = x_0 < \dots < x_n$



• poset homology  $H_*(P, R) := H_*(\Delta(P - \hat{0}, \hat{1}), R)$   
 $\uparrow$   
 Folkman complex

• Eg: [Folkman]  $P$  finite geometric lattice rank  $r$

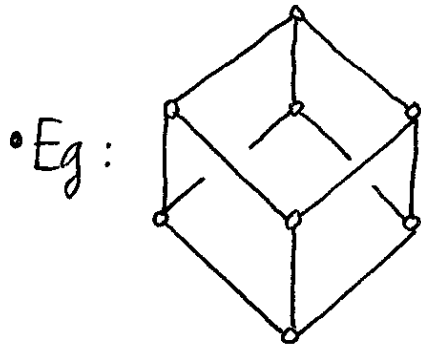
$$H_n(P, \mathbb{Z}) = \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z}, & n=0 \\ \mathbb{Z}^{|\mu(\hat{0}, \hat{1})|}, & n=r-2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

( $\mu =$  Möbius  $f^{cn}$  on  $P$ )

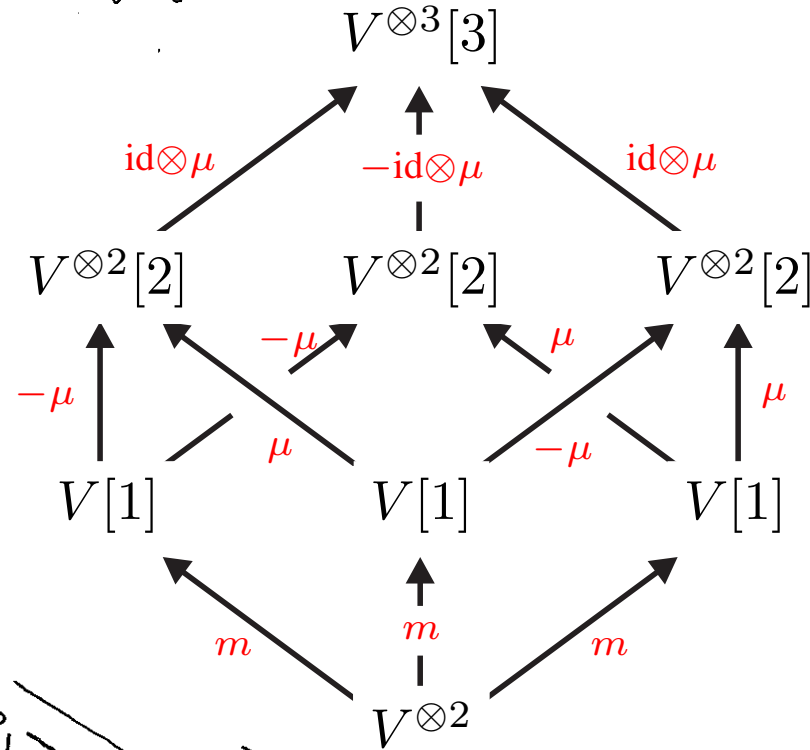
# Coloured posets

- (covariant) functor  $\mathcal{F}: \mathcal{P} \rightarrow R\text{-mod}$   
 $\uparrow$  poset as category

(... pre-sheaf modules over small category...)

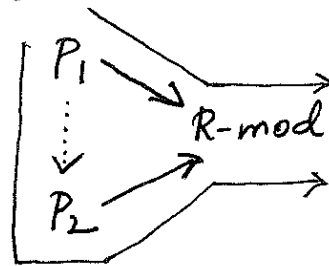


$\mathcal{F}_{\text{Kh}}(\mathcal{P})$   
 (a) Khovanov colouring



(category  $\mathcal{C} \mathcal{P}_R$  with morphisms

natural transformations:



# Coloured poset homology

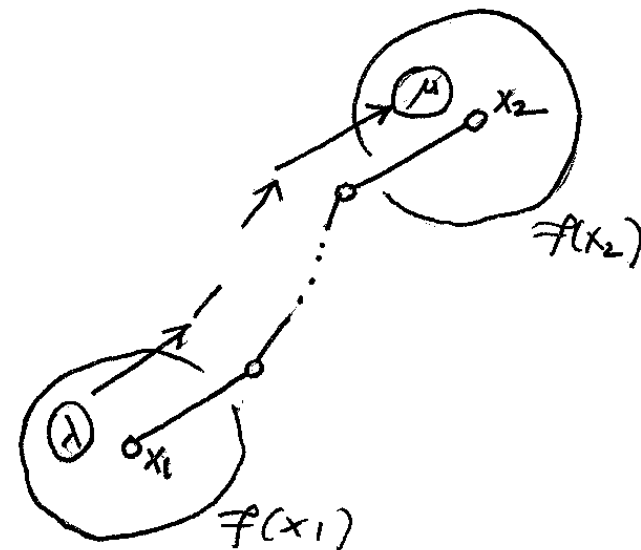
(all  $P$  have a  $\hat{1}$ )

- complex  $\mathcal{S}_*$ :  $\mathcal{S}_k(P, \mathcal{F}) := \bigoplus_{x_1 \leq \dots \leq x_k \leq \hat{1}} \mathcal{F}(x_i)$ ,  $\mathcal{S}_0(P, \mathcal{F}) := \mathcal{F}(\hat{1})$

differential  $\lambda(x_1 \leq \dots \leq x_k) \xrightarrow{d} \mu(\hat{x}_1 \leq x_2 \leq \dots \leq x_k)$   
 $(\lambda \in \mathcal{F}(x_1))$   $-\sum_{i=2}^k (-1)^i \lambda(x_1 \leq \dots \leq \hat{x}_i \leq \dots \leq x_k)$

- coloured poset homology  $H_*(P, \mathcal{F}) := H(\mathcal{S}_*(P, \mathcal{F}))$

(... homology with coefficients in the pre-sheaf...)



• Th<sup>m</sup> 1 [E-T]:  $KH_*(\mathbb{B}, \mathbb{F}) \xrightarrow{\cong} H_*(\mathbb{B}, \mathbb{F})$

$\uparrow$  Boolean  $\uparrow$

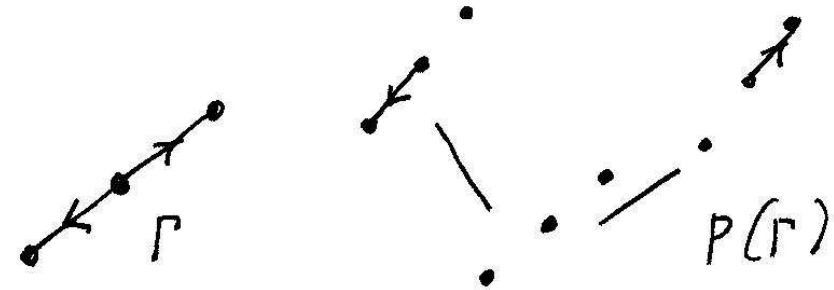
i.e.:  $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Khovanov} \\ \text{Heegaard-Floer} \\ \dots \end{array} \right\} \text{homologies} = \text{sheaf homology}$

• extension: Th<sup>m</sup> 2 [E-T]:  $KH_*(P, \mathbb{F}) \xrightarrow{\cong} H_*(P, \mathbb{F})$

$\uparrow$   $\in$  "large class" of  $\uparrow$   
 posets including  
 all Bruhat posets

# Application: Hochschild homology

- $A$  (associative)  $R$ -algebra
- $P(\Gamma) =$  quiver poset of directed graph  $\Gamma$



•  $P(\Gamma) \xrightarrow[\mathcal{F}_A]{\text{colour}} A \otimes A$

$A \otimes A$        $A \otimes A$   
 $\swarrow$        $\nearrow$   
 $A \otimes A \otimes A$

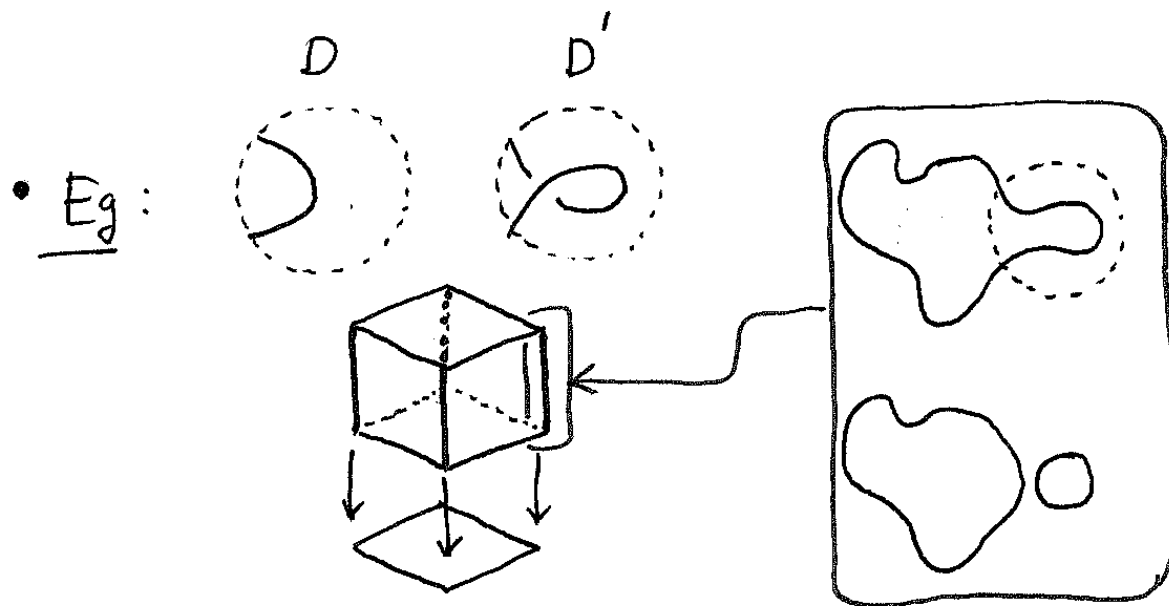
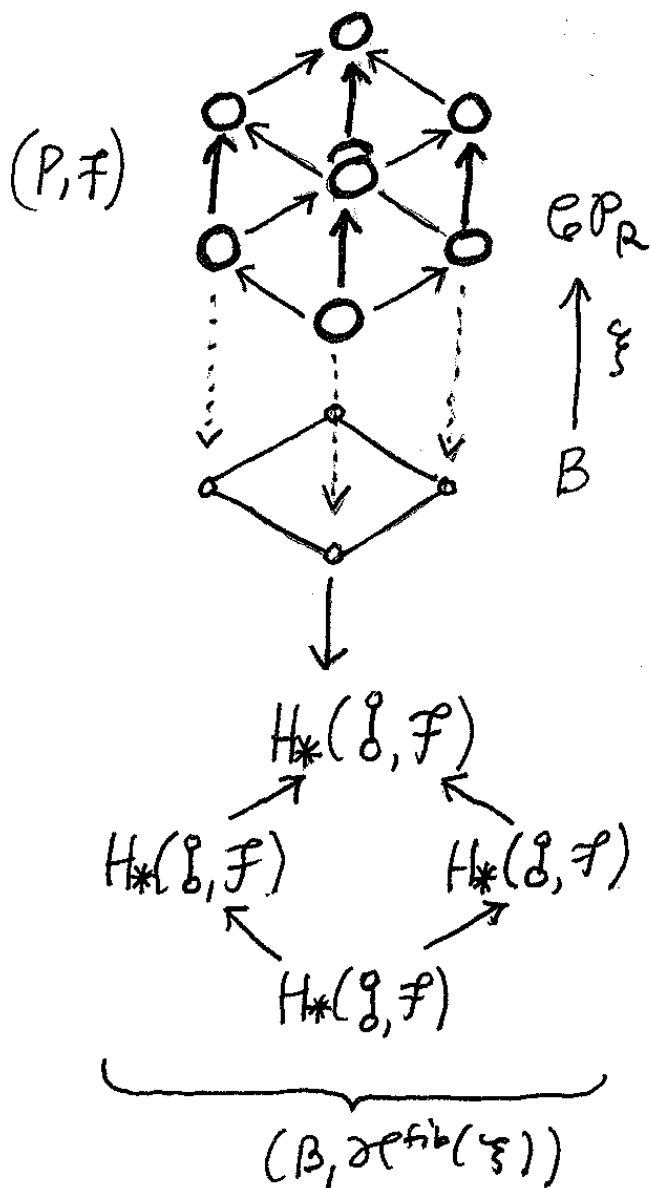
- Corollary (T-Wagner):

$$H_i \left( P \left( \text{n-gon} \right), \mathcal{F}_A \right) \cong HH_i(A, \mathbb{Z})$$

(Hochschild)



# Bundles (of coloured posets)



•  $\underline{Th}^m_3[E-T]$ : for a "large class" of bases  $B$ , there is a Leray-Serre style spectral sequence

$$E_{pq}^2 = H_p(B, \mathcal{R}_q^{fib}(\mathcal{F})) \Rightarrow H_*(P, \mathcal{F})$$