

$\mathbb{P}^n \xrightarrow{v_d} \mathbb{P}^N$   $d$ -Veronese  
 $(z_0, \dots, z_n) \mapsto (\dots, \text{all degree-}d\text{-monoms}, \dots)$   
 has coord. rings:  $\mathbb{P}^n \subseteq \mathbb{A}^S = S$   
 $v_d(\mathbb{P}^n) = \bigoplus_{v=0}^d S_{d-v}$   
 Segre embdd.:  $\mathbb{P}^a \times \mathbb{P}^b \xrightarrow{s} \mathbb{P}^{(a+1)(b+1)-1}$   
 $(z, w) \mapsto (\dots, z_i w_j, \dots)$   
 $v_2: \mathbb{P}^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^2$   
 $(z_0, z_1) \mapsto (z_0^2, z_0 z_1, z_1^2)$   
 $w_0 w_2 - w_1^2 = 0$   
 $v_2: \mathbb{P}^2 \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}^5$   
 $(z_0, z_1, z_2) \mapsto (z_0^2, z_0 z_1, z_0 z_2, z_1^2, z_1 z_2, z_2^2)$   
 $w_{12} w_{03} = w_{02}^2$

dual descrip.  $N \hookrightarrow \mathbb{Z}^H = \mathbb{Z}^k$   $(\mathbb{Z}$ -linear,  $(\beta \in N_{\mathbb{R}}) \xrightarrow{L_R} \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}^k$   
 $a \mapsto \langle a, h_1 \rangle, \dots, \langle a, h_k \rangle$   
 $TV(\Sigma) \hookrightarrow TV(\mathbb{A}^1)$   
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 $\sim \text{gluing of all } TV(\mathbb{A}^1) | \beta \in \bar{\Sigma}$   
 $TV(\Sigma) \subset \mathbb{A}^k$   
 no gluing,  $\sim \Sigma = \text{fan in } N_{\mathbb{R}}$   
 $\sim TV(\Sigma) = \text{gluing of all } TV(\mathbb{A}^1) | \beta \in \bar{\Sigma}$

Projective toric varieties  $N = \mathbb{Z}^n$   $M = (\mathbb{Z}^n)^*$   
 $\delta^v M \supseteq H = \text{Hilbert basis (finite)}$   $\beta \in N_{\mathbb{R}} = \mathbb{R}^n$   
 $\downarrow$  (unique set of min. gens)  $\beta^v \in M_{\mathbb{R}} \mapsto \beta^v \in M_{\mathbb{R}} \mapsto \beta^v M = \text{sg.}$   
 $\downarrow$   $\{ \tau \in \delta^v M \mid \tau \neq \tau_1 + \tau_2, \tau_i \in \delta^v M, \tau_i \neq 0 \}$   $\text{polyh. cone}$   
 $N^e \rightarrow \delta^v M \rightarrow \mathbb{A}^e \leftarrow TV(\Sigma)$   
 $e \mapsto h$   
 $\cdot \mathbb{C}[\delta^v M]$   
 $\cdot \text{Span}_{\mathbb{C}}[\delta^v M] = TV(\Sigma)$

Let  $\Delta \subseteq M_{\mathbb{R}}$  be a lattice polytope, i.e. polyhedron with:  
 • Vertices  $\in M = \mathbb{Z}^n$   
 • Bounded, i.e. compact  
 Ex-ple.  $\mathbb{P}^1$   $\mathbb{A}^1$   $\mathbb{A}^2$   $\mathbb{A}^3$   $\mathbb{A}^4$   
 $\cdot P(\Delta) \hookrightarrow P(\Delta \cap M) = \mathbb{P}^{\#\Delta \cap M - 1}$   
 $\cdot$  equations:  $q_i \in \Delta \cap M \sim (a_i, 1) \in M \oplus \mathbb{Z}$   
 $\sim z_i = z_{a_i} = \text{convex hull coord}$   
 Ex  $A+C=2B$  (1)  $\sim z_A \cdot z_C = z_B^2$   
 Ex  $A+C=B+D$  (2)  $\sim z_A \cdot z_C = z_B \cdot z_D$   
 Formally:  $\mathbb{1} \in \sum_{i \in I} (a_i, 1) = \sum_{j \in J} (a_j, 1) \Rightarrow \prod_{i \in I} z_i = \prod_{j \in J} z_j$   
 $(a_i, a_j \in \Delta \cap M)$

Recall  $N^e \rightarrow \delta^v M \rightarrow \mathbb{C}[N^e] = \mathbb{C}[z_1, \dots, z_n] \xrightarrow{T} \mathbb{C}[\delta^v M]$   
 $H = \{h_1, \dots, h_n\}$   
 "polyh. cone":  $C = \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} v_i, v_i \in M$   
 Vert.  $\pi \triangleq$  linear relations among the  $h_i \in H$   
 ex  $\begin{matrix} c \\ | \\ B \\ | \\ A \\ | \\ 0 \end{matrix} \in M_{\mathbb{R}}$   $A+C=2B$   $A+C-2B=0$   
 $\delta^v$   $z_A z_C = z_B^2$   
 Minkowski is allowed:  $\Delta \in \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}^2$   
 $\Delta \sim \Delta^c + (\text{conv} C)$   
 $\Delta^c$  (compact) polytope  
 $H \subseteq C$  Hilbert basis  $\{a, b\}$   
 $\Delta^c M$  has coord.  $z_A, z_B$   
 $P(\Delta) \subseteq \mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{A}^2 = \{(c_0, c_1), (d_0, d_1)\}$   
 $(z_0, z_1), (x_0, x_1)$   
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 $A+b_0 = B+a_1 \Rightarrow z_A x_0 = z_B x_1$

Class of examples  $\Delta^n = n$ -dim. unit simplex =  $\text{conv} \{0, e_1, \dots, e_n\} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$   
 $n=1$   $\mathbb{A}^1$   
 $n=2$   $\mathbb{A}^2$   
 $\text{conv} \{e_0, e_1, \dots, e_n\} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$   
 Segre  $P(\Delta_1) \times P(\Delta_2) = P(\Delta_1 + \Delta_2)$   
 $\mathbb{P}^0 \times \mathbb{P}^1$   
 Veronese  $P(\Delta) \sim$  Veronese  $v_d$  (of degree  $d$ )  $\sim P(d \cdot \Delta)$   
 $X \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}^N$   
 $v_d(\Sigma) \sim S(X) = S[z_0, \dots, z_N] / (z_i^d - z_j^d)$   $(z_i, z_j \in \Sigma)$   $\text{homog. coord.}$   
 Q: What is the defining ideal of  $P(\Delta)$ ?  
 $S[z_p \mid p \in \Delta \cap M] / (\prod z_p - \prod z_q)$   
 $z_p \mapsto z_q$   
 $\mathbb{A}[M \oplus N]$

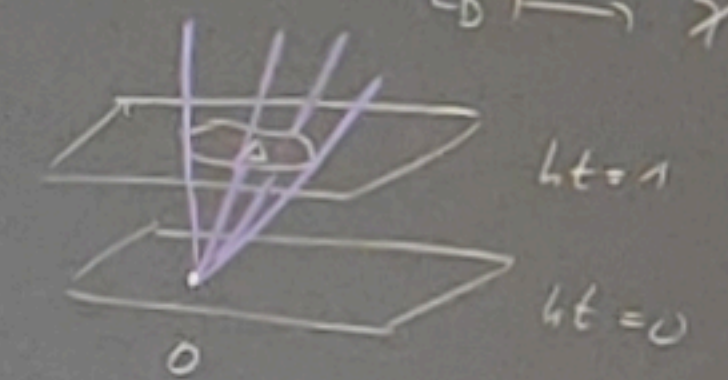


$\mathbb{R}[z_p \mid P \in \Delta \cap M] \xrightarrow{\Phi} \mathbb{R}[M \oplus N]$  Example  $\Delta = \square$   
 $z_p \longmapsto \chi^{[P,1]} \in \mathbb{R}[M \oplus N]$   
 $\mathbb{R}[z_A, z_B, z_C, z_D] \xrightarrow{\Phi} \mathbb{R}[x, y, t]$

$\text{im}(\Phi) = \mathbb{R}[t, xt, yt, xyt] \subseteq \mathbb{R}[x, y, t]$

$\mathbb{R}[z_p] / \text{Ker } \Phi = S(P(\Delta))$   
 $(\text{Ker } \Phi \supseteq (z_A z_C - z_B z_D))$

$z_A \mapsto \chi^{[0,1]} = t$   
 $z_B \mapsto \chi^{[1,0]} = x$   
 $z_C \mapsto \chi^{[1,1]} = xy$   
 $z_D \mapsto \chi^{[0,0]} = y$



Q: What is the image of  $\Phi$ ?

A:  $\text{im } \Phi$  is generated, as a  $\mathbb{R}$ -vs by

$\chi^{[m,k]}$  for all monomials  $m \in M, k \in N$   
 $\mathbb{R}[N \cdot (\Delta \cap M, 1)]$   
 $N$ -linear combinations  $M \oplus N$

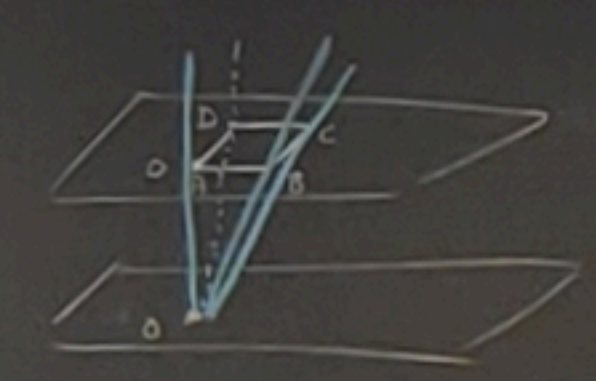
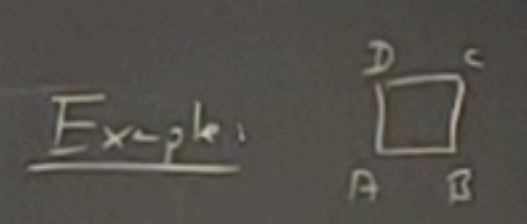
$m = (P_1, 1) + (P_2, 1) + \dots + (P_n, 1) \mid P_i \in \Delta \cap M$   
 $\uparrow \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow$   
 $z_{P_1} \quad z_{P_2} \quad z_{P_n}$

$C(\Delta) = \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \cdot (\Delta, 1) = \{ \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}\text{-linear combinations of } (\Delta, 1) \}$   
 $= \text{cone over } (\Delta, 1) \text{ inside } M_{\mathbb{R}} \times \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$

$\mathbb{R}[C(\Delta) \cap (M \times \mathbb{Z})] \ni \chi^{[P,1]} \mid P \in \Delta \cap M$

$\mathbb{R}[N \cdot (\Delta \cap M, 1)] = S(P(\Delta))$

Sometimes an equality, sometimes not.

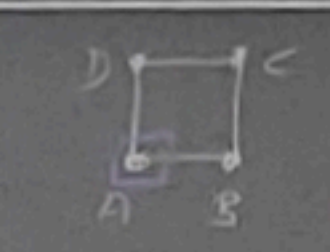


Remark  $(\Leftarrow)$   $S(P(\Delta)) = \mathbb{R}[C(\Delta) \cap (M \times \mathbb{Z})] \Leftrightarrow \text{Spec } S(P(\Delta)) = \text{TV}(C(\Delta)^\vee)$

affine cone over  $P(\Delta)$

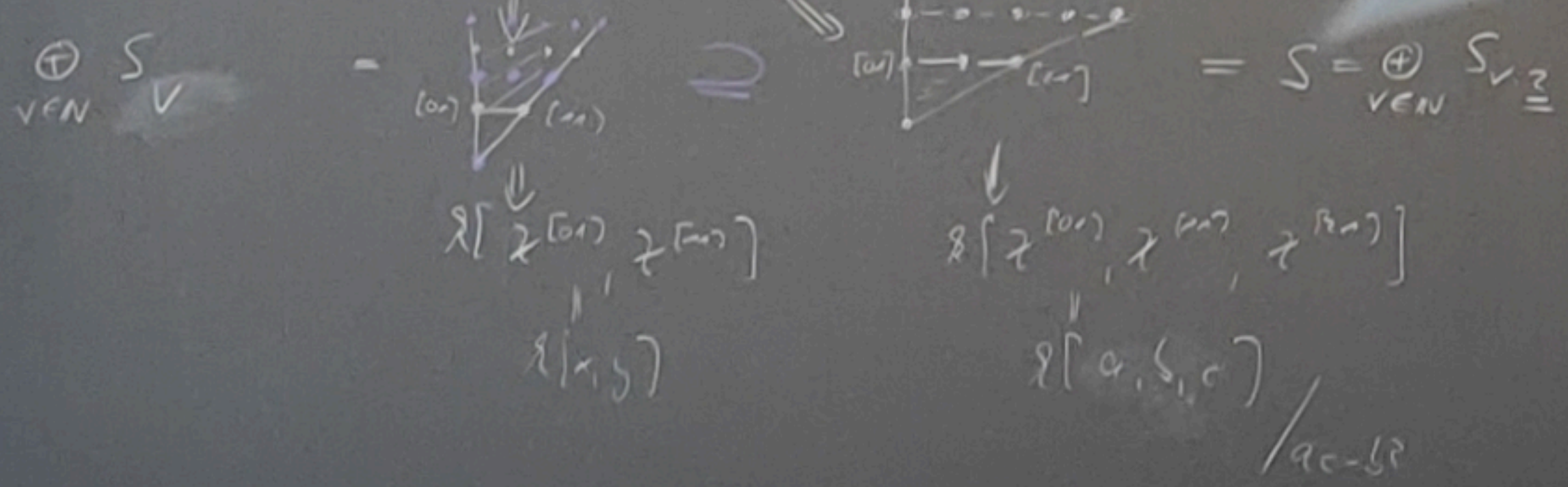
$(A^{\text{hom}}, 0 \rightarrow 1 \cdot P^i)$   
 $(c_0, \dots, c_n) \mapsto (c_0, \dots, c_n)$

$\Delta \subseteq M_{\mathbb{R}}$  lattice polytope



$P(\Delta) \subseteq \mathbb{P}^N$   
 $S(\Delta) = \text{quotient of } \mathbb{R}[z_p \mid P \in \Delta \cap M]$   
 $= \mathbb{R}[N \cdot (\Delta, 1)]$

(ex:  $\mathbb{P}(\rightarrow), \mathbb{P}(\rightarrow, \rightarrow)$  look =  $\mathbb{P}^1$  define  $S(\dots)$ )

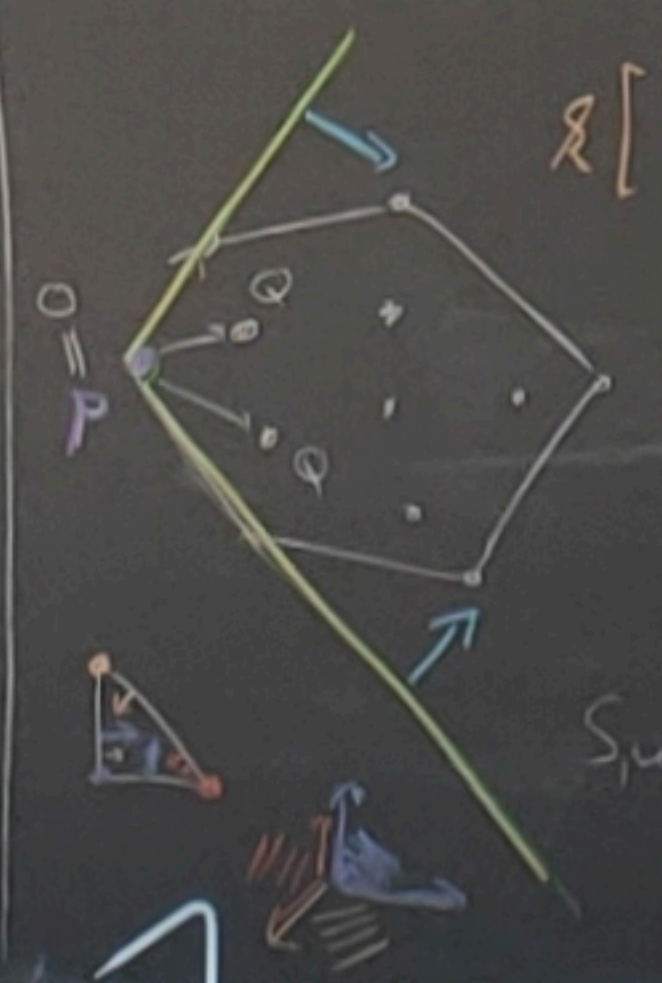


affine charts (of  $P(\Delta) \subseteq \mathbb{P}^N$ )

- look at affine charts of  $\mathbb{P}^N$
- choose a variable out of  $z_p, z_q$  out of  $z_p \mid P \in \Delta \cap M$
- choose a  $P \in \Delta \cap M$
- choose a vertex of  $\Delta$

$\mathbb{A}^1_{z_p}$ -chart of  $\mathbb{P}^N$ ,  $\mathbb{A}^1_{z_p} = \text{affine space, coord } z_q/z_p$  ( $Q \in \Delta \cap M$ )  
 $= \text{Spec } \mathbb{R}[z_q/z_p \mid Q \in \Delta \cap M] = \text{Spec } \mathbb{R}[z_q \mid Q \in \Delta \cap M]_{(z_p)}$

$\mathbb{A}^1_{z_p} \cap P(\Delta) = \text{Spec } S(\Delta)_{(z_p)} = \text{Spec } S(\Delta)_{(\chi^{[P,1]})}$   
 $= \text{Spec } \mathbb{R}[N \cdot (\Delta \cap M, 1)]_{(z_p)}$



$\mathbb{R}[z^Q/z^P \mid \dots] = \mathbb{R}[z^{[Q,1]} / z^{[P,1]} \mid Q \in \Delta \cap M]$   
 $= \mathbb{R}[z^{[Q-P,1]}]$

$\Delta^2 - P \subseteq \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \cdot (\Delta - P)$

pretend for a moment that  $\Delta^2 - P$  generates

$\text{Spec } \mathbb{R}[\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}(\Delta - P) \cap M] = \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}(\Delta - P) \cap M$  (i.e. Hilbert basis)  
 $\text{TV}(\sigma)$  with  $\sigma = (\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}(\Delta - P) \cap M)^\vee$



