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The **Stein-Dirichlet-Malliavin method**

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New directions in Stein's method



MONSIEUR JOURDAIN: *By my faith! For more than forty years I have been speaking prose without knowing anything about it.*

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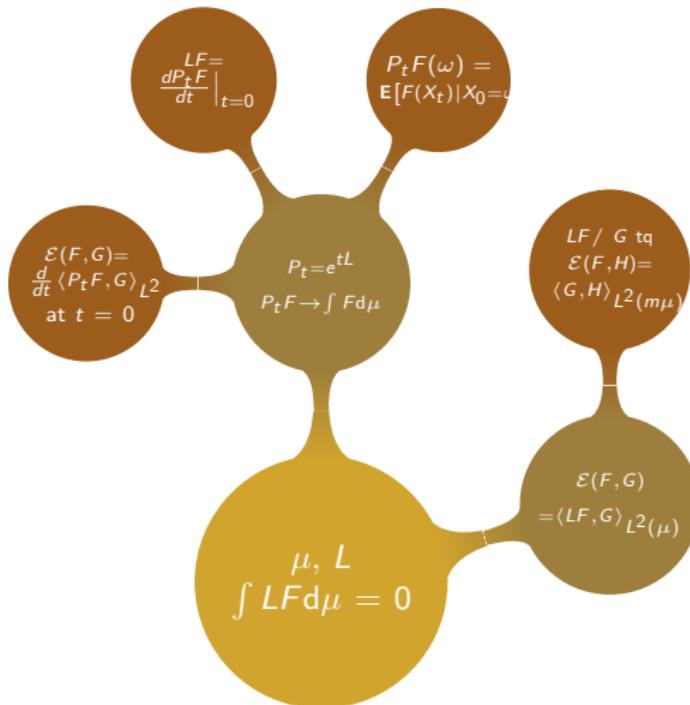
- ▶ Identify \mathbf{P} as a solution of the functional problem

$$\int LF d\mu = 0 \iff \mu = \mathbf{P}$$

- ▶ Solve "Stein's equation" : $\exists ? F, LH = F$ for $F \in \mathcal{F}$
- ▶ Regularity properties of H_F
- ▶ Size-biased coupling, exchangeable pair, etc.

$$\mathbf{E}[X H_F(X)] = \mathbf{E}[T_1 H'_F(X + T_2)]$$

What is a Dirichlet structure ?



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Standard Gaussian measure

- ▶ $\mathfrak{F} = \mathbf{R}^n$, $\mu = \mathcal{N}(0, \text{Id})$
- ▶ $LF(x) = x \cdot \nabla F(x) - \Delta F(x)$
- ▶ Semi-group (Mehler formula)

$$P_t F(x) = \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} F(e^{-t} u + \sqrt{1 - e^{-2t}} v) \, d\mu(v)$$

- ▶ $X = (X_1, \dots, X_n)$ where X_k = Ornstein-Uhlenbeck process on \mathbf{R}

$$dX_k(t) = -X_k(t)dt + \sqrt{2} \, dB_k(t)$$

- ▶ $D = \nabla$

Absolutely continuous measures

$\nu \ll \mu$

- ▶ μ = standard Gaussian measure on \mathbf{R}^n

$$d\nu(x) = e^{-V(x)} d\mu(x)$$

- ▶ $L^\nu F(u) = L^\mu F(x) - \nabla V(x) \cdot \nabla F(x)$
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Poisson

- $\mathfrak{F} = \mathbf{N}$, $\mu = \text{Poisson } [\lambda]$
- $LF(n) = \lambda(F(n+1) - F(n)) + n(F(n-1) - F(n))$
- $X(t) = \text{nb of occupied servers in M/M}/\infty$
- Dist. $X(t) = \text{Poisson}[\theta(t, X(0))]$ where

$$\theta(t, n) = e^{-t}n + (1 - e^{-t})\lambda$$

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$$P_t F(n) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} F(k) e^{-\theta(t,n)} \frac{\theta(t,n)^k}{k!}$$

- $DF(n) = F(n+1) - F(n)$

Poisson point process

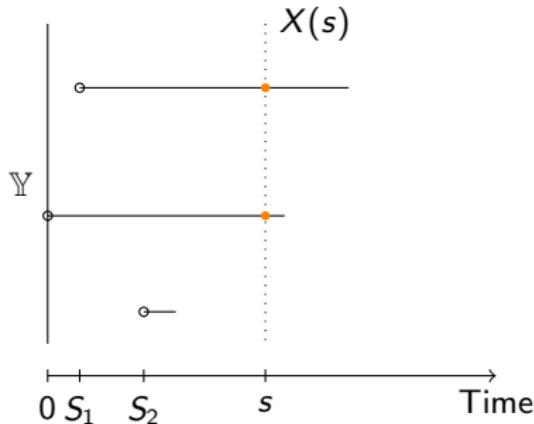
PPP over \mathbb{Y}

- ▶ \mathfrak{F} = configuration space over \mathbb{Y}
- ▶ μ =dist. of $\text{PPP}(\Lambda)$
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- ▶ X : Glauber process
- ▶ Dist. $X(t) = \text{PPP}((1 - e^{-t})\lambda) + e^{-t}\text{-thinning of the I.C.}$

Realization of a Glauber process



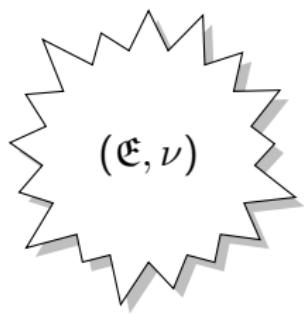
- ▶ S_1, S_2, \dots : Poisson process of intensity $\Lambda(\mathbb{Y}) ds$
- ▶ Lifetimes : Exponential rv of param. 1
- ▶ Remark : Nb of particles $\sim M/M/\infty$

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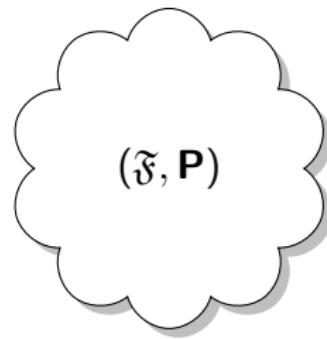
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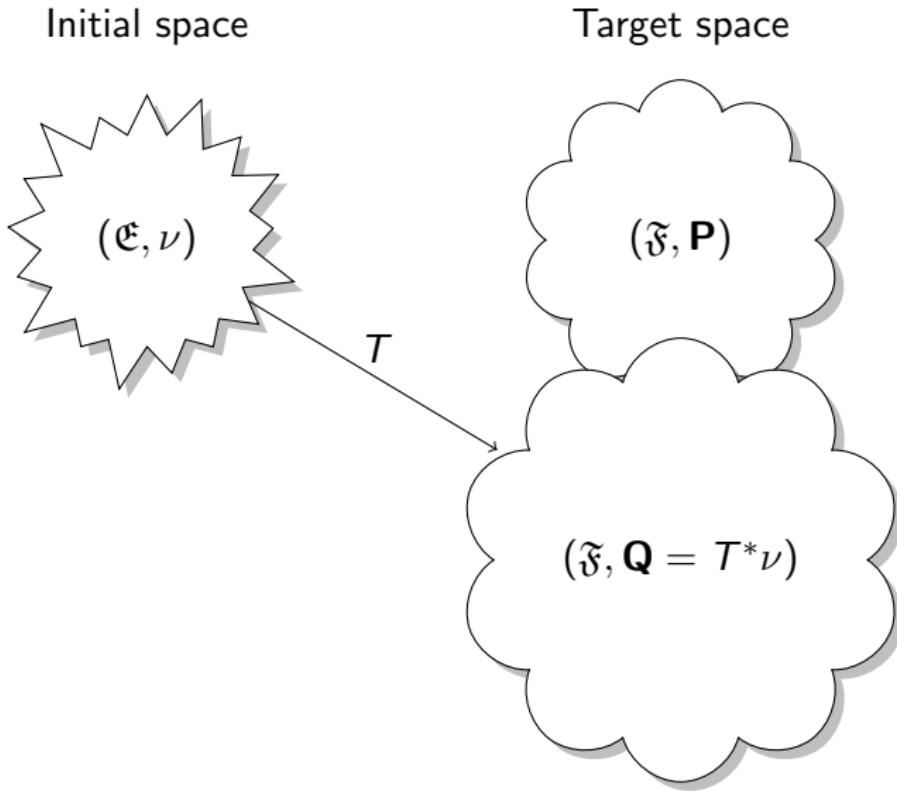
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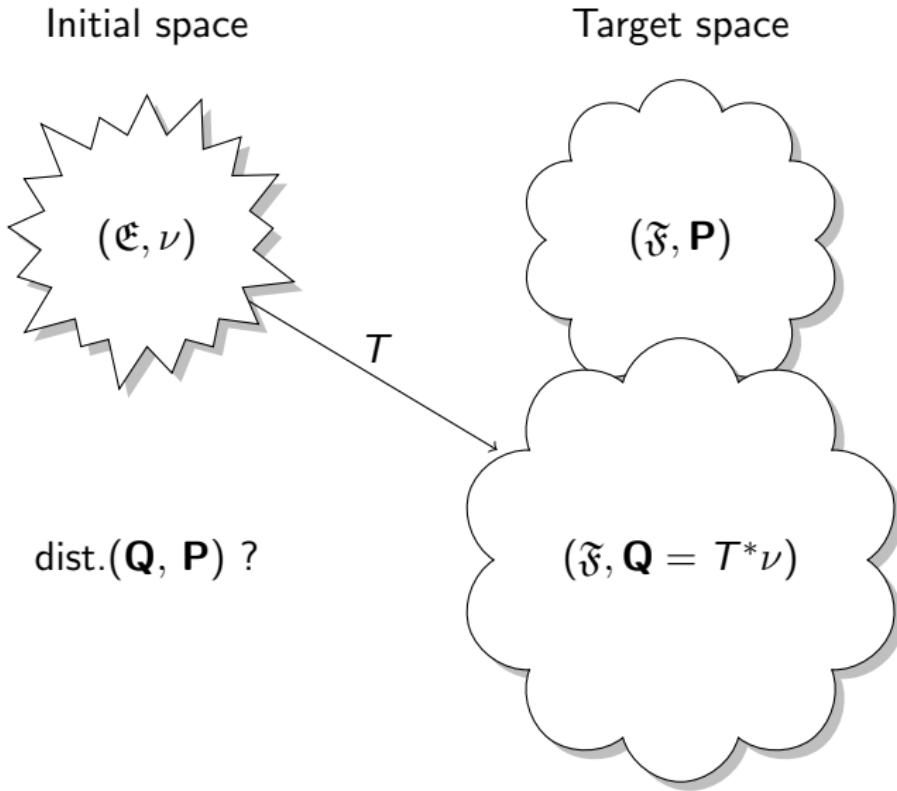
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Theorem (LD-Flint)

For any bounded function F on $\mathfrak{N}_{\mathbb{Y}}$,

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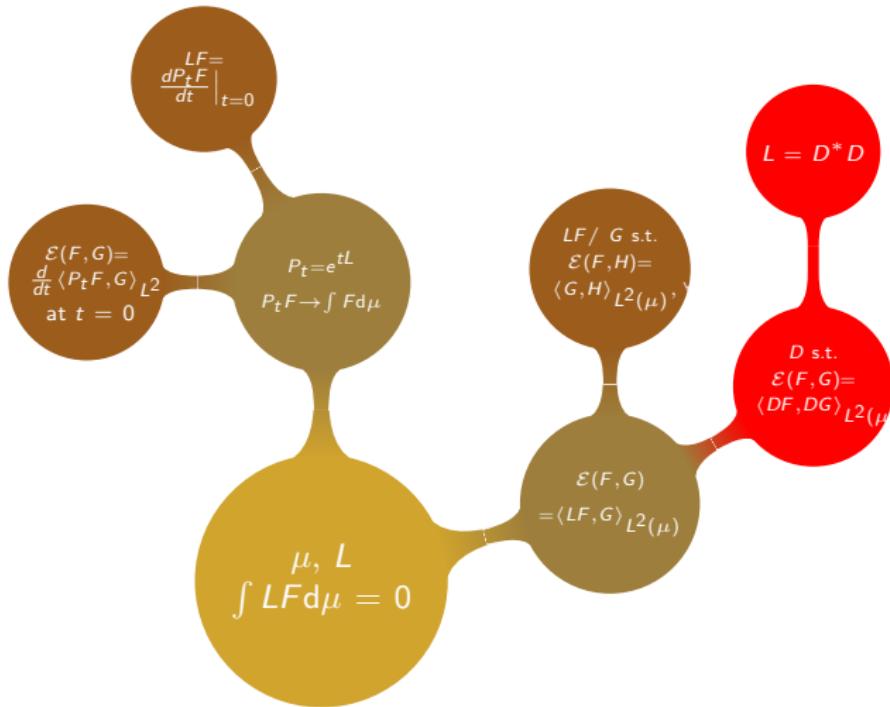
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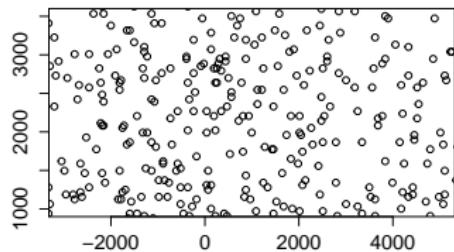
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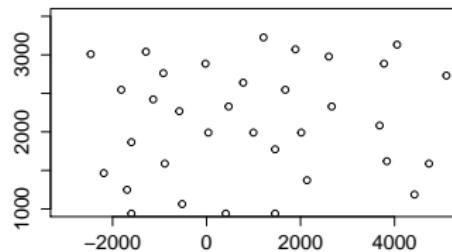
Hence

We need a Dirichlet-Malliavin structure on both *initial* and *target* spaces.

BTS deployment



Paris, all frequency bands



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Related works

- ▶ Deng, Zhou, Haenggi. THE GINIBRE POINT PROCESS AS A MODEL FOR WIRELESS NETWORKS WITH REPULSION
- ▶ Li, Baccelli, Dhillon, Andrews. STATISTICAL MODELING AND PROBABILISTIC ANALYSIS OF CELLULAR NETWORKS WITH DPP

Ginibre process

Random matrices

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Definition (Correlation functions)

$$\rho^{(n)}(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \det(K(x_i, x_j), 1 \leq i, j \leq n)$$

where

$$K(x, y) = \frac{1}{\pi} \exp\left(x\bar{y} - \frac{1}{2}(|x|^2 + |y|^2)\right), \quad x, y \in \mathbf{C}$$



Repulsion

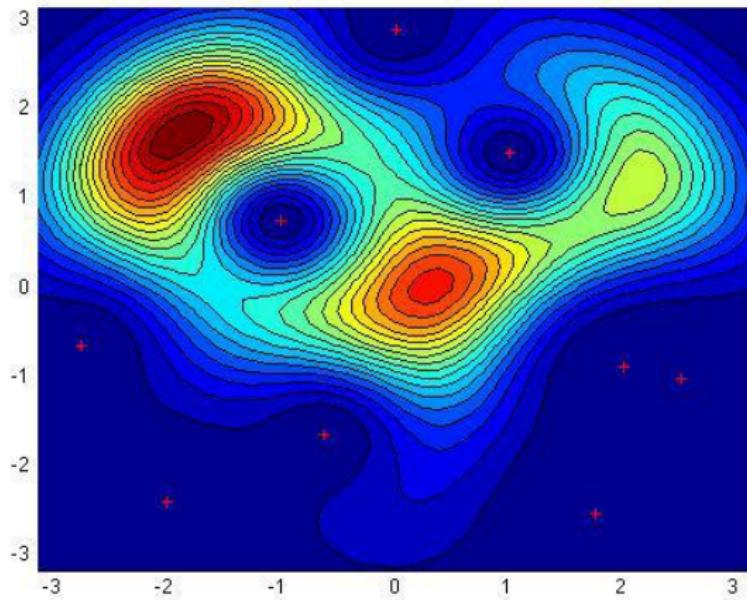


Figure: $c(x, \omega)$ where $|\omega| = 9$ (I. Flint ©)

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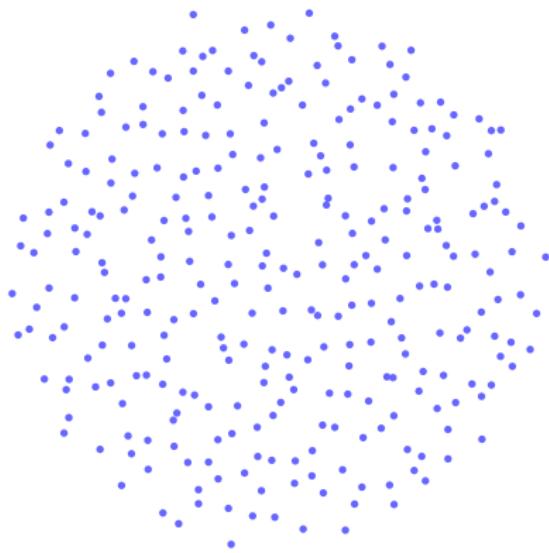
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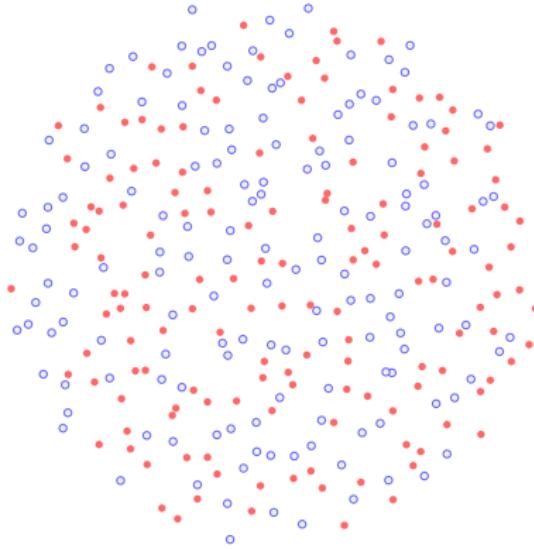
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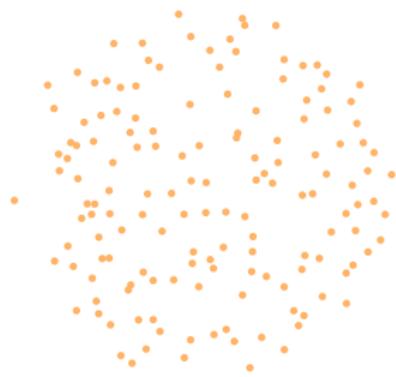
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Poisson as a $(\lambda, 0)$ -Ginibre

$$(\lambda, \beta) - \text{Ginibre} \xrightarrow{\beta \rightarrow 0} \text{Poisson}(\pi^{-1}\lambda \, dy)$$





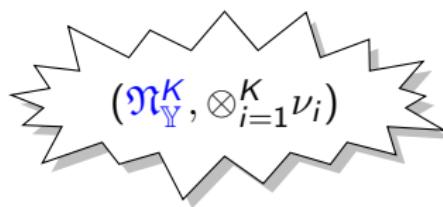


Results [Gomez et al.]

Table: Numerical values of β and λ per technology and operator

		Orange	SFR	Bouygues	Free
GSM 900	β	0.81	0.76	0.65	NA
	λ	2.39	2.65	2.63	NA
GSM 1800	β	0.84	0.85	0.71	NA
	λ	3.00	2.39	3.59	NA
LTE 800	β	1.00	0.93	0.67	NA
	λ	0.67	1.65	1.87	NA
LTE 2600	β	0.93	0.67	0.63	0.89
	λ	2.80	2.76	2.46	1.05

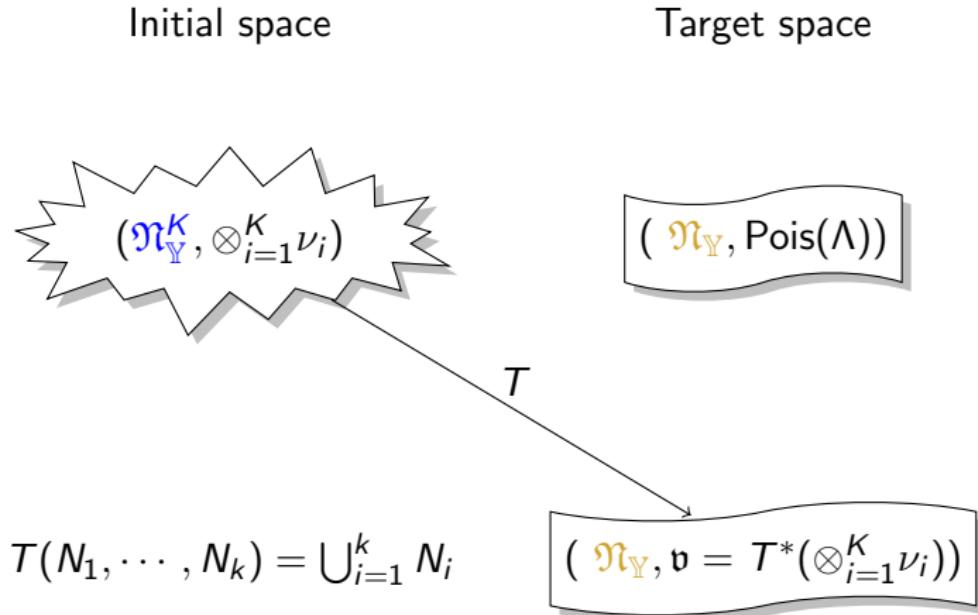
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Framework



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Our situation

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- ▶ $\mathbf{P} = \text{Poisson}(\Lambda)$ with $\Lambda = \sum_{i=1}^K \Lambda_i$
- ▶ $\mathfrak{v} = T^* \otimes_{i=1}^K \nu_i$ has PI

$$c^\Lambda(y, \bigcup_{i=1}^K N_i) = \sum_{i=1}^K c_i^\Lambda(y, N_i)$$

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Definition (Kantorovitch-Rubinstein distance)

$$d_{\text{KR}}(\mathbf{P}, \mathbf{Q}) := \sup_{F \in \text{TV–Lip}_1} (\mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{P}}[F] - \mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{Q}}[F]),$$

Second step

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}_b \left[\sum_{y \in N} P_t F(N \setminus \{y\}) - P_t F(N) \right] \\ &= -\mathbf{E}_b \left[\sum_{y \in N} D_y P_t F(N) \textcolor{red}{c}(y, N) d\Lambda(y) \right] \\ &= -\sum_{i=1}^K \mathbf{E}_{\nu_i} \left[\int_{\mathbb{Y}} D_y P_t F(\cup_{i=1}^K N_i) \textcolor{red}{c}_i^\wedge(y, N_i) d\Lambda(y) \right]\end{aligned}$$

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Conclusion

*One could put them first of all as you said them:
"Beautiful marchioness, your lovely eyes make me die of
love." Or else: "Of love to die make me, beautiful
marchioness, your beautiful eyes." Or else: "Your lovely
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