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Algebra and Algebraic Geometry

**Dimer Models and Calabi-Yau Algebras**

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This item will also be of interest to those working in mathematical physics.

**Contents:** Introduction; Introduction to the dimer model; Consistency; Zig-zag flows and perfect matchings; Toric algebras and algebraic consistency; Geometric consistency implies algebraic consistency; Calabi-Yau algebras from algebraically consistent dimers; Non-commutative crepant resolutions; Bibliography.

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**Mathematics Subject Classification:** 14M25, 14A22; 82B20

Individual member US$36, List US$60, Institutional member US$48, Order code MEMO/215/1011

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**On \( L \)-Packets for Inner Forms of \( SL_n \)**

Kaoru Hiraga, Kyoto University, Japan, and Hiroshi Saito

**Contents:** Introduction; Restriction of representations; Whittaker normalization over local fields; Restriction of cusp forms; Whittaker normalization over global fields; Endoscopy and its automorphisms; A conjectural formula for endoscopic transfer; Descent to Levi subgroups; Relevance conditions for Langlands parameters; Endoscopy for inner forms of \( GL_n \); Local Langlands correspondence for inner forms of \( GL_n \); \( L \)-packets for inner forms of \( SL_n \); \( L \)-packets for inner forms of \( SL_n \) over Archimedean fields; Multiplicity formula for \( SL_n \); Multiplicity formula for inner forms of \( SL_n \); Lemmas for trace formula; Trace formula; Transfer factors; Bibliography.

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**Mathematics Subject Classification:** 22E50; 11F70, 22E55

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**Chevalley Supergroups**

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**Contents:** Introduction; Preliminaries; Chevalley bases and Chevalley algebras; Kostant superalgebras; Chevalley supergroups; The cases \( A(1, 1) \), \( P(3) \) and \( Q(n) \); Appendix A. Sheafification; Bibliography.

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**Mathematics Subject Classification:** 14M30, 14A22; 58A50, 17B50

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Subgroup Complexes

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This book is intended as an overview of a research area that combines geometries for groups (such as Tits buildings and generalizations), topological aspects of simplicial complexes from $p$-subgroups of a group (in the spirit of Brown, Quillen, and Webb), and combinatorics of partially ordered sets. The material is intended to serve as an advanced graduate-level text and partly as a general reference on the research area. The treatment offers optional tracks for the reader interested in buildings, geometries for sporadic simple groups, and $G$-equivariant equivalences and homology for subgroup complexes.

Contents: Introduction; Background material and examples: Background: Posets, simplicial complexes, and topology; Examples: Subgroup complexes as geometries for simple groups; Fundamental techniques: Contractibility; Homotopy equivalence; Basic applications: The reduced Euler characteristic $\chi$ and variations on vanishing; The reduced Lefschetz module $\Lambda$ and projectivity; Group cohomology and decompositions; Some more advanced topics: Spheres in homology and Quillen's Conjecture; Connectivity, simple connectivity, and sphericality; Local-coefficient homology and projectivity; Group fundamental $\pi$ and decompositions; Big pieces $Rg$ of $D\sigma$ of the

Mathematical Surveys and Monographs, Volume 179


Analysis

Reifenberg Parameterizations for Sets with Holes

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Contents: Introduction; Coherent families of balls and planes; A partition of unity; Definition of a mapping $f$ on $\Sigma_0$; Local Lipschitz graph descriptions of the $\Sigma_k$; Reifenberg-flatness of the image; Distortion estimates for $D\sigma$; Hölder and Lipschitz properties of $f$ on $\Sigma_0$; $C^2$-regularity of the $\Sigma_k$ and fields of linear isometries defined on $\Sigma_0$; The definition of $g$ on the whole $\mathbb{R}^n$; Hölder and Lipschitz properties of $g$ on $\mathbb{R}^n$; Variants of the Reifenberg theorem; Local lower-Ahlfors regularity and a better sufficient bi-Lipschitz condition; Big pieces of bi-Lipschitz images and approximation by bi-Lipschitz domains; Uniform rectifiability and Ahlfors-regular Reifenberg-flat sets; Bibliography.

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Applications

Tomography and Inverse Transport Theory

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This volume contains research and review articles written by participants of two related international workshops "Mathematical Methods in Emerging Modalities of Medical Imaging" (October 2009) and "Inverse Transport Theory and Tomography" (May 2010), which were held at the Banff International Research Station in Banff, Canada. These workshops brought together mathematicians, physicists, engineers, and medical researchers working at the cutting edge of medical imaging research and addressed the demanding mathematical problems arising in this area.

The articles, written by leading experts, address important analytic, numerical, and physical issues of the newly developing imaging modalities (e.g., photoacoustics, current impedance imaging, hybrid imaging techniques, elasticity imaging), as well as the recent progress in resolving outstanding problems of more traditional modalities, such as SPECT, ultrasound imaging, and inverse transport theory. Related topics of invisibility cloaking are also addressed.

A. Tamasan, and A. Timonov, Current density impedance imaging; F. Natterer, Possibilities and limitations of time domain wave equation imaging; L. V. Nguyen, On singularities and instability of reconstruction in thermoacoustic tomography; D. R. Eaker, S. M. Jorgensen, C. Cui, and E. L. Ritman, Micro-tomography of coherent x-ray scatter using an x-ray collimator and spectral imaging array.

Contemporary Mathematics, Volume 559

Boolean Functions in Coding Theory and Cryptography
O. A. Loginov, A. A. Salnikov, and V. V. Yashchenko, Moscow State University, Russia

This book offers a systematic presentation of cryptographic and code-theoretic aspects of the theory of Boolean functions. Both classical and recent results are thoroughly presented. Prerequisites for the book include basic knowledge of linear algebra, group theory, theory of finite fields, combinatorics, and probability. The book can be used by research mathematicians and graduate students interested in discrete mathematics, coding theory, and cryptography.

This item will also be of interest to those working in logic and foundations.

Contents: Arithmetics of finite fields and polynomials; Boolean functions; Classifications of Boolean functions; Linear codes over the field $F$; Reed-Muller codes; Nonlinearity; Correlation immunity and resiliency; Codes, Boolean mappings and their cryptographic properties; Basics of cryptanalysis; Bibliography; Index.

Translations of Mathematical Monographs, Volume 241

Differential Equations

Asymptotic Analysis for Periodic Structures
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This is a reprinting of a book originally published in 1978. At that time it was the first book on the subject of homogenization, which is the asymptotic analysis of partial differential equations with rapidly oscillating coefficients, and as such it sets the stage for what problems to consider and what methods to use, including probabilistic methods. At the time the book was written the use of asymptotic expansions with multiple scales was new, especially their use as a theoretical tool, combined with energy methods and the construction of test functions for analysis with weak convergence methods. Before this book, multiple scale methods were primarily used for non-linear oscillation problems in the applied mathematics community, not for analyzing spatial oscillations as in homogenization.

In the current printing a number of minor corrections have been made, and the bibliography was significantly expanded to include some of the most important recent references. This book gives systematic introduction of multiple scale methods for partial differential equations, including their original use for rigorous mathematical analysis in elliptic, parabolic, and hyperbolic problems, and with the use of probabilistic methods when appropriate. The book continues to be interesting and useful to readers of different backgrounds, both from pure and applied mathematics, because of its informal style of introducing the multiple scale methodology and the detailed proofs.

This item will also be of interest to those working in applications.

Contents: Introduction; Elliptic operators; Evolution operators; Probabilistic problems and methods; High frequency wave propagation in periodic structures; Bibliography.

AMS Chelsea Publishing, Volume 374
A Moscow Math Circle
Week-by-week Problem Sets

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Moscow has a rich tradition of successful math circles, to the extent that many other circles are modeled on them. This book presents materials used during the course of one year in a math circle organized by mathematics faculty at Moscow State University, and also used at the mathematics magnet school known as Moscow School Number 57.

Each problem set has a similar structure: it combines review material with a new topic, offering problems in a range of difficulty levels. This time-tested pattern has proved its effectiveness in engaging all students and helping them master new material while building on earlier knowledge.

The introduction describes in detail how the math circles at Moscow State University are run. Dorichenko describes how the early sessions differ from later sessions, how to choose problems, and what sorts of difficulties may arise when running a circle. The book also includes a selection of problems used in the competition known as the Mathematical Maze, a mathematical story based on actual lessons with students, and an addendum on the San Jose Mathematical Circle, which is run in the Russian style.

Titles in this series are co-published with the Mathematical Sciences Research Institute (MSRI).

Contents: Problem sets 0–13; Winter competition; Problem sets 14–28; Solutions to problem sets 0–13; Solutions to the winter competition; Solutions to problem sets 14–28; Mathematical maze; Two and two is more than four; A story; Addendum: The San Jose experience; Problem set SJ1; Solutions to problem set SJ1; Problem set SJ2; Solutions to problem set SJ2; Problem set SJ3; Solutions to problem set SJ3.

MSRI Mathematical Circles Library, Volume 8


Topology and Geometry in Dimension Three

Triangulations, Invariants, and Geometric Structures

Weiping Li, Loretta Bartolini, and Jesse Johnson, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, OK; Feng Luo, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, Robert Myers, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, OK, and J. Hyam Rubinstein, University of Melbourne, Parkville, Victoria, Australia, Editors

This volume contains the proceedings of a conference held from June 4–6, 2010, at Oklahoma State University, in honor of William (Bus) Jaco’s 70th birthday. His contributions to research in low dimensional geometry and topology and to the American mathematical community, especially through his work for the American Mathematical Society, were recognized during the conference.

The focus of the conference was on triangulations and geometric structures for three-dimensional manifolds. The papers in this volume present significant new results on these topics, as well as in geometric group theory.

Contents: I. Agol, Ideal triangulations of pseudo-Anosov mapping tori; F. Luo, A note on complete hyperbolic structures on ideal triangulated 3-manifolds; T. Kobayashi and Y. Rieck, A linear bound on the tetrahedral number of manifolds of bounded volume (after Jørgensen and Thurston); J. Johnson, Layered models for closed 3-manifolds; Z. Liu, Triangulations and nonorientable incompressible surfaces; B. Foozwell and H. Rubinstein, Introduction to the theory of Haken n-manifolds; H. Segerman and S. Tillmann, Pseudo-developing maps for ideal triangulations I: Essential edges and generalised hyperbolic gluing equations; P. B. Shalen, A generic Margulis number for hyperbolic 3-manifolds; J. E. Grigsby and S. M. Wehrli, On gradings in Khovanov homology and sutured Floer homology; R. Myers, Hyperbolic knots in irreducible Heegaard surfaces; D. Calegari and D. Zhuang, Stable W-length; N. Brady, M. Clay, and M. Forester, Turn graphs and extremal surfaces in free groups; F. Bonahon and H. Wong, Kauffman brackets, character varieties and triangulations of surfaces; J. H. Rubinstein, Problems at the Jacofest.

Contemporary Mathematics, Volume 560

New AMS-Distributed Publications

Logic and Foundations

Model Theoretic Methods in Finite Combinatorics
Martin Grohe, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany, and Johann A. Makowsky, Technion-Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa, Israel, Editors

This volume contains the proceedings of the AMS-ASL Special Session on Model Theoretic Methods in Finite Combinatorics, held January 5–8, 2009, in Washington, DC.

Over the last 20 years, various new connections between model theory and finite combinatorics emerged. The best known of these are in the area of 0-1 laws, but in recent years other very promising interactions between model theory and combinatorics have been developed in areas such as extremal combinatorics and graph limits, graph polynomials, homomorphism functions and related counting functions, and discrete algorithms, touching the boundaries of computer science and statistical physics.

This volume highlights some of the main results, techniques, and research directions of the area. Topics covered in this volume include recent developments on 0-1 laws and their variations, counting functions defined by homomorphisms and graph polynomials and their relation to logic, recurrences and spectra, the logical complexity of graphs, algorithmic meta theorems based on logic, universal and homogeneous structures, and logical aspects of Ramsey theory.

This item will also be of interest to those working in discrete mathematics and combinatorics.


Contemporary Mathematics, Volume 558

Mathematical Physics

A von Neumann Algebra Approach to Quantum Metrics/Quantum Relations
Greg Kuperberg, University of California, Davis, CA, and Nik Weaver, Washington University, St. Louis, MO

This item will also be of interest to those working in analysis.

Contents: A von Neumann Algebra Approach to Quantum Metrics by Greg Kuperberg and Nik Weaver: Introduction; Measurable and quantum relations; Quantum metrics; Examples; Lipschitz operators; Quantum uniformities; Bibliography; Quantum Relations by Nik Weaver: Introduction; Measurable relations; Quantum relations; Bibliography; Notation index; Subject index.

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New AMS-Distributed Publications

Algebra and Algebraic Geometry

A Course on Topological Groups
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The presentation in this text is clear and to the point. The methods used are good classical ones. This is a good text for a student who knows little about locally compact groups and wants to get an
introduction to some of the fundamental ideas needed to begin the study of them.

– Mathematical Reviews

This book contains the author’s notes for a course that he taught at ETH, Zürich. The aim is to lead the reader to a proof of the Peter-Weyl theorem, the basic theorem in the representation theory of compact topological groups. The topological, analytical, and algebraic groundwork needed for the proof is provided as part of the course.

This item will also be of interest to those working in geometry and topology.

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Contents: Topological preliminaries; The Haar measure on a locally compact group; Hilbert spaces and the spectral theorem; Compact groups and their representations.

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Lectures on Algebraic Geometry I
Second Edition

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This book and the second volume provide an introduction to modern algebraic geometry. In this volume, the methods of homological algebra, theory of sheaves, and sheaf cohomology are developed. These methods are indispensable for modern algebraic geometry, but they are also fundamental for other branches of mathematics and of great interest in their own right.

In the last chapter, these concepts are applied to the theory of compact Riemann surfaces. In this chapter the author emphasizes how influential the ideas of Abel, Riemann, and Jacobi were and discusses their impact on many modern methods.

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Contents: Categories, products, projective and inductive limits; Basic concepts of homological algebra; Sheaves; Cohomology of sheaves; Compact Riemann surfaces and Abelian varieties.

Vieweg Aspects of Mathematics, Volume 35


Representations of Finite Groups

C. Musili, University of Hyderabad, India

The book under review presents an interesting approach to certain aspects of the representation theory of finite groups over the complex field.

– Mathematical Reviews

This book serves several purposes. The first and foremost is to give an elementary introduction to the basic concepts of the theory of ordinary representations to finite groups with a minimum of prerequisites.

The second purpose, which is also the main theme of this exposition, is to be able to do the theory rather explicitly for the important special case of the symmetric groups $S_n$ of permutations on $n$ letters.

The third purpose is to use the preparatory material of the first two parts, coupled with the $S_n$ theory, to do the same for some other important special groups, namely, the alternating group $A_n$ and the hyperoctahedral groups $B_n$ and $D_n$.

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Contents: Part I. The Structure of Semi-simple Rings: Preliminaries; Semi-simple rings and Brauer group; Part II. Representations of Finite Groups: Representations of finite groups; Induced representations; Part III. Representations of Symmetric and Alternating Groups: Representations of the symmetric group $S_n$; Representations of the alternating group $A_n$; Part IV. Representations of the Hyperoctahedral Groups $B_n$ and $D_n$: Representations of the hyperoctahedral group $B_n$; Representations of the hyperoctahedral group $D_n$.

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Representations of Algebras and Related Topics

Andrzej Skowroński, Nicolaus Copernicus University, Torun, Poland, and Kunio Yamagata, Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology, Fuchu, Japan, Editors

This book, which explores recent trends in the representation theory of algebras and its exciting interaction with geometry, topology, commutative algebra, Lie algebras, combinatorics, quantum algebras, and theoretical field, is conceived as a handbook.
to provide easy access to the present state of knowledge and stimulate further development.

The many topics discussed include quivers, quivers with potential, bound quiver algebras, Jacobian algebras, cluster algebras and categories, Calabi-Yau algebras and categories, triangulated and derived categories, and quantum loop algebras.

This book consists of thirteen self-contained expository survey and research articles and is addressed to researchers and graduate students in algebra as well as a broader mathematical community. The articles contain a large number of examples and open problems and give new perspectives for research in the field.

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Contents: C. Amiot, On generalized cluster categories; D. J. Benson, S. B. Iyengar, and H. Krause, Module categories for finite group algebras; B. Keller, On cluster theory and quantum dilogarithm identities; B. Leclerc, Quantum loop algebras, quiver varieties, and a tame-wild dichotomy problem; D. Simson, Classification problems in noncommutative algebraic geometry and representation theory; T. Nakanishi, Periodicities in cluster algebras and dilogarithm identities; J. A. de la Peña, and A. Skowroński, Algebras with separating Auslander–Reiten components; I. Mori, Classification problems in noncommutative algebraic geometry and representation theory; T. Nakanishi, Periodicities in cluster algebras and dilogarithm identities; J. A. de la Peña and A. Skowroński, The Tits forms of tame algebras and their roots; C. M. Ringel, The minimal representation-infinite algebras which are special biserial; D. Simson, Coalgebras of tame comodule type, comodule categories, and a tame-wild dichotomy problem; G. Zwaras, Singularities of orbit closures in module varieties.

EMS Series of Congress Reports, Volume 5


This book on integration theory is based on the lecture notes for courses that the author gave at the Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai, and at ETH, Zürich. The subject matter is classical. The goal of the notes is to provide a concise, clear, and accurate treatment of the basic ideas of the subject. A publication of Hindustan Book Agency; distributed within the Americas by the American Mathematical Society.

Contents: Integration on a measure space; The Lebesgue spaces; The outer measure and its applications; The Lebesgue measure; Product measures and multiple integrals; Set functions and their derivatives.

Hindustan Book Agency


Spectral Theory of Dynamical Systems

M. G. Nadkarni, University of Mumbai, India

... compile and communicate in a unique way a lot of mathematics that is of current interest but is otherwise not so readily at hand.

– Ergodic Theory and Dynamical Systems

This book treats some basic topics in the spectral theory of dynamical systems. The treatment is at a general level, but two more advanced theorems, one by H. Nelson and W. Parry and the other by B. Host, are presented. Moreover, Ornstein’s family of mixing rank one automorphisms is described with construction and proof. Systems of imprimitivity and their relevance to ergodic theory are discussed, and Baire category theorems of ergodic theory, scattered in the literature, are derived in a unified way. Riesz products are considered and they are used to describe the spectral types and eigenvalues of rank one automorphisms.

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Contents: The Hahn-Hellinger theorem; The spectral theorem for unitary operators; Symmetry and denseness of the spectrum; Multiplicity and rank; The Skew product; A theorem of Nelson and Parry; Probability measures on the circle group; Baire category theorems of ergodic theory; Translations of measures on the circle; B. Host’s theorem; L-eigenvalues of non-singular automorphisms; Generalities on systems of imprimitivity; Dual systems of imprimitivity; Saturated subgroups of the circle group; Riesz products as spectral measures; Additional topics.

Hindustan Book Agency


As the author asserts, the material presented in this slim volume is classical; his goal has been “concision, clarity, and accuracy”. The author is extraordinarily careful in detail, for example in showing that the integrals of simple functions and integrable functions are well-defined.

– Mathematical Reviews
General Interest

The Mathematical Writings of Évariste Galois

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Before he died at the age of twenty, shot in a mysterious early-morning duel at the end of May 1832, Évariste Galois created mathematics that changed the direction of algebra. This book contains English translations of almost all the Galois material. The translations are presented alongside a new transcription of the original French and are enhanced by three levels of commentary. An introduction explains the context of Galois' work, the various publications in which it appears, and the vagaries of his manuscripts. Then there is a chapter in which the five mathematical articles published in his lifetime are reprinted. After that come the testamentary letter and the first memoir (in which Galois expounded on the ideas that led to Galois Theory), which are the most famous of the manuscripts. These are followed by the second memoir and other lesser known manuscripts.

This book makes available to a wide mathematical and historical readership some of the most exciting mathematics of the first half of the nineteenth century, presented in its original form. The primary aim is to establish a text of what Galois wrote. The details of what he did, the proper evidence of his genius, deserve to be well understood and appreciated by mathematicians as well as historians of mathematics.

This item will also be of interest to those working in number theory.

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Contents: Introduction; The published articles; The testamentary letter of 29 May 1832; The first memoir; The second memoir; The testamentary letter and the first memoir (in which Galois expounded on the ideas that led to Galois Theory), which are the most famous of the manuscripts. These are followed by the second memoir and other lesser known manuscripts.

Heritage of European Mathematics, Volume 6

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Logic and Foundations

The Blind Spot

Lectures on Logic

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These lectures on logic, more specifically proof theory, are basically intended for postgraduate students and researchers in logic.

The question at stake is the nature of mathematical knowledge and the difference between a question and an answer, i.e., the implicit and the explicit.

The problem is delicate mathematically and philosophically as well: the relation between a question and its answer is a sort of equality where one side is “more equal than the other”: one thus discovers essentialist blind spots.

Starting with Gödel’s paradox (1931)—so to speak, the incompleteness of answers with respect to questions—the book proceeds with paradigms inherited from Gentzen’s cut-elimination (1935). Various settings are studied: sequent calculus, natural deduction, lambda calculi, category-theoretic composition, up to geometry of interaction (GoI), all devoted to explicitation, which eventually amounts to inverting an operator in a von Neumann algebra.

Mathematical language is usually described as referring to a preexisting reality. Logical operations can be given an alternative procedural meaning: typically, the operators involved in GoI are invertible, not because they are constructed according to the book, but because logical rules are those ensuring invertibility. Similarly, the durability of truth should not be taken for granted: one should distinguish between imperfect (perennial) and perfect modes. The procedural explanation of the infinite thus identifies it with the unfinished, i.e., the perennial. But is perenniality perennial? This questioning yields a possible logical explanation for algorithmic complexity.

This highly original course on logic by one of the world’s leading proof theorists challenges mathematicians, computer scientists, physicists, and philosophers to rethink their views and concepts on the nature of mathematical knowledge in an exceptionally profound way.

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