

Rigorous nonperturbative results related to p -adic AdS/CFT

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QFT basics:

A quantum field theory model on \mathbb{R}^d (example) can be seen as a sequence indexed by $n \geq 0$ of (correlation) functions $\langle \phi(x_1) \cdots \phi(x_n) \rangle$ which depend on n points in \mathbb{R}^d . Such functions would be given nonrigorously by

$$\langle \phi(x_1) \cdots \phi(x_n) \rangle = \frac{1}{\mathcal{Z}} \int_{\Omega} \phi(x_1) \cdots \phi(x_n) \times \\ \exp \left(- \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \{ (\partial\phi)^2(x) + \mu\phi^2(x) + g\phi^4(x) \} d^d x \right) D\phi$$

where Ω (probability space) is a space of functions from \mathbb{R}^d to \mathbb{R} , $D\phi$ is the Lebesgue measure on Ω and \mathcal{Z} (the partition function) is a normalization constant. Namely,

$$\mathcal{Z} = \int_{\Omega} \exp \left(- \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \{ (\partial\phi)^2(x) + \mu\phi^2(x) + g\phi^4(x) \} d^d x \right) D\phi$$

Of particular interest is the case where the correlations satisfy **conformal invariance**, i.e., the QFT is a CFT.

There is no $D\phi$ because Ω is infinite dimensional. To make sense of the wanted probability measure: discretize, work in finite volume, and then take weak limits. Fix some number $L > 1$. For $r, s \in \mathbb{Z}$, replace \mathbb{R}^d by a finite set of points, namely, the points in a lattice of mesh L^r , which fit in a box of linear size L^s . This replaces Ω by a finite dimensional space $\mathbb{R}^{L^{d(s-r)}}$.

The goal is to obtain the wanted probability measure ν , whose moments are the $\langle \phi(x_1) \cdots \phi(x_n) \rangle$ as a (double) weak limit of well defined probability measures $\nu_{r,s}$, namely

$$\nu = \lim_{r \rightarrow -\infty} \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \nu_{r,s} .$$

Similar in spirit to numerical approximations by Monte-Carlo methods...

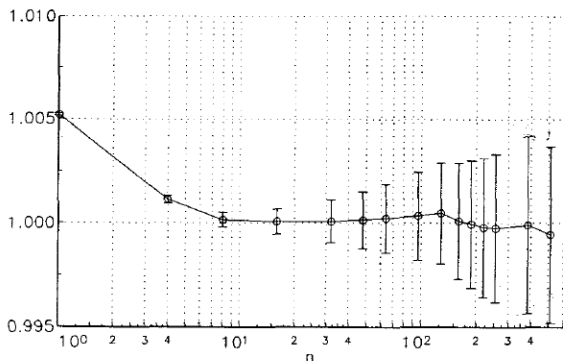


Fig. 17. Ratio of the SPP computed correlation function to the exact continuum limit function for $L = 1024$.

From Talapov et al. IJMP 1993 (Thanks to S. Rychkov for this reference)

A touristic view of AdS/CFT:

Let $\widehat{\mathbb{R}}^d = \mathbb{R}^d \cup \{\infty\} \simeq \mathbb{S}^d$.

The Möbius group $\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is the group of bijective transformations of $\widehat{\mathbb{R}}^d$ generated by isometries, dilations and the unit sphere inversion $J(x) = |x|^{-2}x$.

This is also the invariance group of the **absolute cross-ratio**

$$CR(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = \frac{|x_1 - x_3| |x_2 - x_4|}{|x_1 - x_4| |x_2 - x_3|}.$$

Conformal ball model: $\widehat{\mathbb{R}}^d \simeq \mathbb{S}^d$ seen as boundary of \mathbb{B}^{d+1} with metric $ds = \frac{2|dx|}{1-|x|^2}$.

Half-space model: \mathbb{R}^d seen as boundary of $\mathbb{H}^{d+1} = \mathbb{R}^d \times (0, \infty)$ with metric $ds = \frac{|dx|}{x_{d+1}}$.

Bijection: $f \in \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^d) \leftrightarrow$ hyperbolic isometry of the interior \mathbb{B}^{d+1} or \mathbb{H}^{d+1} , the **Euclidean AdS space**.

A scalar field \mathcal{O} of scaling dimension Δ in a CFT on \mathbb{R}^d has pointwise correlations which satisfy

$$\langle \mathcal{O}(x_1) \cdots \mathcal{O}(x_n) \rangle = \left(\prod_{i=1}^n |J_f(x_i)|^{\frac{\Delta}{d}} \right) \times \langle \mathcal{O}(f(x_1)) \cdots \mathcal{O}(f(x_n)) \rangle$$

for all $f \in \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ and all collection of distinct points in $\mathbb{R}^d \setminus \{f^{-1}(\infty)\}$.

Here, $J_f(x)$ denotes the Jacobian of f at x .

The **AdS/CFT correspondence**, discovered by Maldacena 1997 and made more precise by Gubser, Klebanov, Polyakov and Witten 1998, postulates a relation of the form:

$$\left\langle e^{\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} j(x) \mathcal{O}(x) d^d x} \right\rangle_{\text{CFT}} = e^{-S[\phi_{\text{ext}}]}$$

where $S[\phi]$ is an action for a field $\phi(x, x_{d+1})$ on AdS space and ϕ_{ext} makes it extremal for a boundary condition $\phi(x, x_{d+1}) \sim (x_{d+1})^{d-\Delta} j(x)$ when $x_{d+1} \rightarrow 0$.

AdS/CFT or holographic correspondence not yet known explicitly, i.e., exact $S[\phi]$ still mysterious. However, physicists have been experimenting with toy actions of the form:

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^d \times (0, \infty)} d^d x dx_{d+1} \sqrt{\det g_{\mu\nu}} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} g^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \phi \partial_\nu \phi + \frac{1}{2} m^2 \phi^2 + \dots \right\}$$

where m^2 is related to Δ and is allowed to be (not too) negative.

This gives an expansion for connected CFT correlations in terms of tree-level Feynman diagrams (**Witten diagrams**). The simplest “Mercedes logo” 3-point Witten diagram reproduces the correct CFT prediction

$$\frac{O(1)}{|x_1 - x_2|^{\Delta_1 + \Delta_2 - \Delta_3} |x_1 - x_3|^{\Delta_1 + \Delta_3 - \Delta_2} |x_2 - x_3|^{\Delta_2 + \Delta_3 - \Delta_1}}$$

for $\langle \mathcal{O}_1(x_1) \mathcal{O}_2(x_2) \mathcal{O}_3(x_3) \rangle$ by a calculation of Freedman, Mathur, Matusis and Rastelli 1999.

The good news:

All of the above makes sense for the hierarchical model, i.e., p -adic analogue.

See in particular:

- Melzer, IJMP 1989.
- Lerner, Missarov, LMP 1991.
- Gubser et al. “ p -Adic AdS/CFT”, CMP 2017.
- Gubser et al. “ $O(N)$ and $O(N)$ and $O(N)$ ”, JHEP 2017.

The calculations of the last reference for scaling dimensions of Φ and Φ^2 , for $N = 1$ in hierarchical case were made nonperturbatively rigorous in:

“Rigorous quantum field theory functional integrals over the p -adics I: anomalous dimensions”, arXiv 2013, by A.A., Ajay Chandra (Imperial College), Gianluca Guadagni (UVa).

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The hierarchical or p -adic continuum:

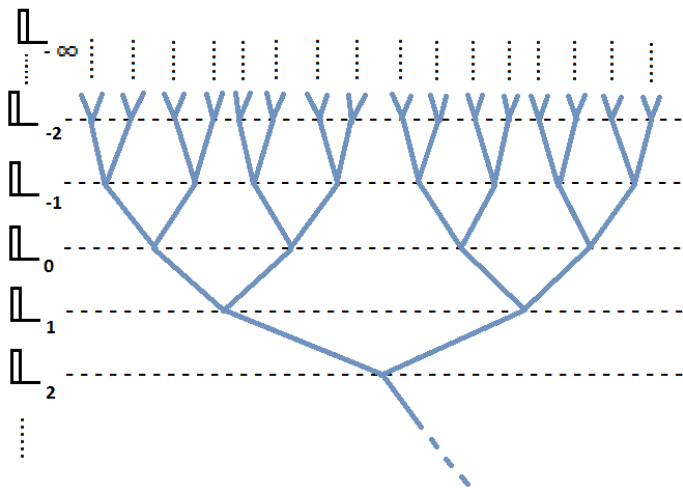
Let p be a prime number. We will replace \mathbb{R}^d by \mathbb{Q}_p^d , so now Ω becomes a space of functions from \mathbb{Q}_p^d to \mathbb{R} . For $x = (x_1, \dots, x_d) \in \mathbb{Q}_p^d$ we let

$$|x|_p = \max(|x_1|_p, \dots, |x_d|_p) .$$

We equip \mathbb{Q}_p^d with the distance $|x - y|_p$.

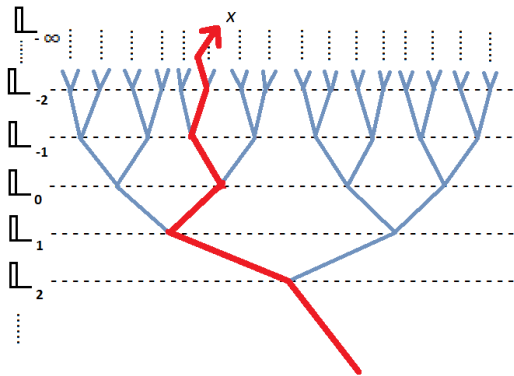
Let \mathbb{L}_k , $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, be the set of closed balls of radius p^k in \mathbb{Q}_p^d , i.e., $\mathbb{L}_k = \mathbb{Q}_p^d / p^{-k} \mathbb{Z}_p^d$.

Hence $\mathbb{T} = \cup_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{L}_k$ naturally has the structure of a **doubly** infinite tree which is organized into layers or generations \mathbb{L}_k :



Picture for $d = 1, p = 2$

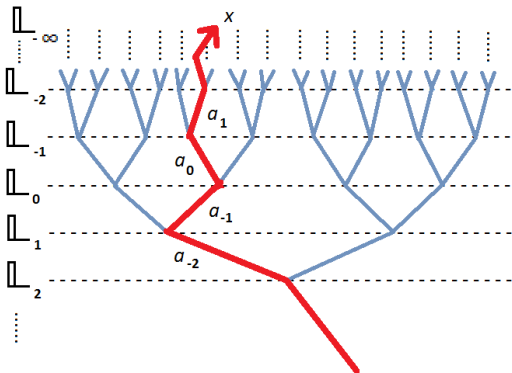
The **hierarchical continuum** $\mathbb{Q}_p^d = \text{leafs at infinity } \mathbb{L}_{-\infty}$.
 More precisely, these leafs at infinity are the infinite bottom-up paths in the tree. \mathbb{T} , with the graph distance, will play the role of hyperbolic space \mathbb{H}^{d+1} of AdS bulk space.



A path representing an element $x \in \mathbb{Q}_p^d$

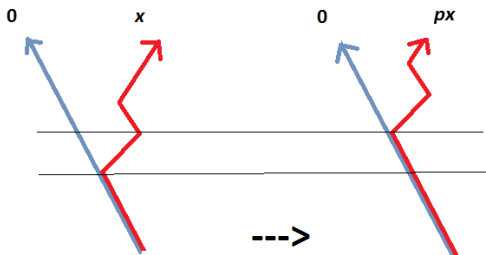
A point $x = (x_1, \dots, x_d) \in \mathbb{Q}_p^d$ is encoded by a sequence $(a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}$, $a_n \in \{0, 1, \dots, p-1\}^d$. For each n , $a_n = (a_{n,1}, \dots, a_{n,d})$ and these are the digits of the p -adic expansions $x_i = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} a_{n,i} p^n$.

a_n represents the local coordinates for a cube of \mathbb{L}_{-n-1} inside a cube of \mathbb{L}_{-n} .



Moreover, **rescaling** is defined as follows.

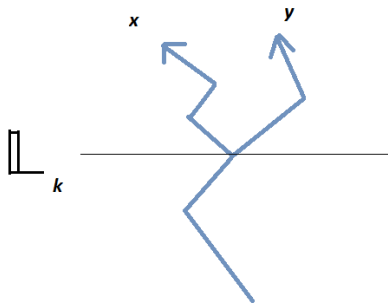
If $x = (a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}$ then $px := (a_{n-1})_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}$, i.e., **upward shift**.



Likewise $p^{-1}x$ is downward shift, and so on for the definition of $p^k x$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Distance:

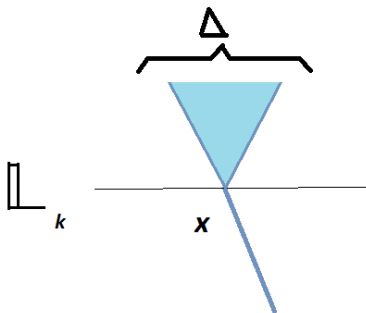
If $x, y \in \mathbb{Q}_p^d$, their distance can be visualized as $|x - y|_p = p^{-k}$ where k is the depth where the two paths merge.



Keep in mind that

$$|px|_p = p^{-1}|x|_p$$

Closed balls Δ of radius p^k correspond to the nodes $x \in \mathbb{L}_k$



Lebesgue measure:

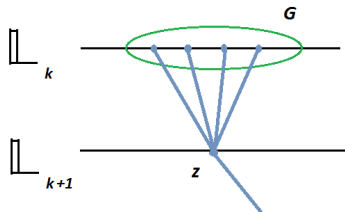
Metric space $\mathbb{Q}_p^d \rightarrow$ Borel σ -algebra \rightarrow Lebesgue (or additive Haar) measure $d^d x$ which gives a volume p^{dk} to closed balls of radius p^k .

The hierarchical unit lattice:

Truncate the tree at level zero and take $\mathbb{L} := \mathbb{L}_0$. Using the identification of nodes with balls, define the hierarchical distance as

$$d(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = \inf\{|x - y|_p \mid x \in \mathbf{x}, y \in \mathbf{y}\} .$$

The massless Gaussian measure:



To every group of offsprings G of a vertex $z \in \mathbb{L}_{k+1}$ associate a centered Gaussian random vector $(\zeta_x)_{x \in G}$ with $p^d \times p^d$ covariance matrix made of $1 - p^{-d}$'s on the diagonal and $-p^{-d}$'s everywhere else. We impose that Gaussian vectors corresponding to different layers or different groups are independent. We have $\sum_{x \in G} \zeta_x = 0$ a.s.

The ancestor function: for $k < k'$, $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{L}_k$, let $\text{anc}_{k'}(\mathbf{x})$ denote the ancestor in $\mathbb{L}_{k'}$.

Ditto for $\text{anc}_{k'}(x)$ when $x \in \mathbb{Q}_p^d$.

The massless Gaussian field $\phi(\mathbf{x})$, $x \in \mathbb{Q}_p^d$ of scaling dimension $[\phi]$ is given by

$$\phi(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} p^{-k[\phi]} \zeta_{\text{anc}_k(\mathbf{x})}$$

$$\langle \phi(\mathbf{x}) \phi(\mathbf{y}) \rangle = \frac{c}{|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}|^{2[\phi]}}$$

This is heuristic since ϕ is not well-defined in a pointwise manner. **We need random Schwartz(-Bruhat) distributions.**

I will now drop the p from $|\cdot|_p$.

Test functions:

$f : \mathbb{Q}_p^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is smooth if it is locally constant.

Define $S(\mathbb{Q}_p^d)$ as the space of compactly supported smooth functions.

Take locally convex topology generated by the set of all semi-norms on $S(\mathbb{Q}_p^d)$.

Distributions:

$S'(\mathbb{Q}_p^d)$ is the dual space with strong topology (happens to be same as weak-*).

$$S(\mathbb{Q}_p^d) \simeq \bigoplus_{\mathbb{N}} \mathbb{R} .$$

Thus

$$S'(\mathbb{Q}_p^d) \simeq \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{N}}$$

with product topology. $\Omega := S'(\mathbb{Q}_p^d)$ is a Polish space.

The p-adic CFT toy model:

$d = 3$, $[\phi] = \frac{3-\epsilon}{4}$, $L = p^\ell$ zooming-out factor

$r \in \mathbb{Z}$ UV cut-off, $r \rightarrow -\infty$

$s \in \mathbb{Z}$ IR cut-off, $s \rightarrow \infty$

The regularized Gaussian measure μ_{C_r} is the law of

$$\phi_r(x) = \sum_{k=\ell r}^{\infty} p^{-k[\phi]} \zeta_{\text{anc}_k(x)}$$

Sample fields are true **fonctions** that are locally constant on scale L^r . These measures are scaled copies of each other.

If the law of $\phi(\cdot)$ is μ_{C_0} , then that of $L^{-r[\phi]}\phi(L^r\cdot)$ is μ_{C_r} .

The same Gaussian measures can be defined using (the less intuitive) Fourier representation:

$$\langle \phi(x_1)\phi(x_2) \rangle_{\mu_{C_{-\infty}}} = \int_{\mathbb{Q}^d} \frac{e^{2\pi i \{ \xi(x_1 - x_2) \}_p}}{|\xi|^{d-2[\phi]}} d^d \xi$$

and

$$\langle \phi(x_1)\phi(x_2) \rangle_{\mu_{C_r}} = \int_{\mathbb{Q}^d} \frac{\chi_r(\xi) e^{2\pi i \{ \xi(x_1 - x_2) \}_p}}{|\xi|^{d-2[\phi]}} d^d \xi$$

where $\chi_r(\xi) = \mathbb{1}\{|\xi| \leq L^{-r}\}$ is a sharp UV cutoff.

Fix the dimensionless parameters g, μ and let $g_r = L^{-(3-4[\phi])r} g$ and $\mu_r = L^{-(3-2[\phi])r} \mu$. Same as strict scaling limit of fixed critical probability measure on unit lattice. Bare/dimensionful couplings g_r, μ_r go to ∞ .

Let $\Lambda_s = \overline{B}(0, L^s)$, IR (or volume) cut-off.

Let

$$V_{r,s}(\phi) = \int_{\Lambda_s} \{g_r : \phi^4 :_r(x) + \mu_r : \phi^2 :_r(x)\} d^3x$$

where $: \phi^k :_r$ is Wick ordering using $d\mu_{C_r}$.

Define the probability measure

$$d\nu_{r,s}(\phi) = \frac{1}{Z_{r,s}} e^{-V_{r,s}(\phi)} d\mu_{C_r}(\phi) .$$

Let $\phi_{r,s}$ be the random distribution in $S'(\mathbb{Q}_p^3)$ sampled according to $\nu_{r,s}$ and define the **squared field** $N_r[\phi_{r,s}^2]$ which is a **deterministic** function(al) of $\phi_{r,s}$, with values in $S'(\mathbb{Q}_p^3)$, given by

$$N_r[\phi_{r,s}^2](j) = (Z_2)^r \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p^3} \{Y_2 : \phi_{r,s}^2 :_r(x) - Y_0 L^{-2r[\phi]}\} j(x) d^3x$$

for suitable parameters Z_2, Y_0, Y_2 . We also need a Y_1 .

Our main result concerns the limit law of the pair $(Y_1 \phi_{r,s}, N_r[\phi_{r,s}^2])$ in $S'(\mathbb{Q}_p^3) \times S'(\mathbb{Q}_p^3)$ when $r \rightarrow -\infty, s \rightarrow \infty$ (in any order).

For the precise statement we need the approximate fixed point value

$$\bar{g}_* = \frac{p^\epsilon - 1}{36L^\epsilon(1 - p^{-3})}.$$

Theorems:

Theorem 1: A.A.-Chandra-Guadagni 2013

$\exists \rho > 0$, $\exists L_0$, $\forall L \geq L_0$, $\exists \epsilon_0 > 0$, $\forall \epsilon \in (0, \epsilon_0]$, $\exists [\phi^2] > 2[\phi]$,
 \exists fonctions $\mu(g)$, $Y_0(g)$, $Y_2(g)$ on $(\bar{g}_* - \rho\epsilon^{\frac{3}{2}}, \bar{g}_* + \rho\epsilon^{\frac{3}{2}})$ such
that if one lets $\mu = \mu(g)$, $Y_0 = Y_0(g)$, $Y_2 = Y_2(g)$ and
 $Z_2 = L^{-([\phi^2]-2[\phi])}$ then the joint law of $(Y_1\phi_{r,s}, N_r[\phi^2_{r,s}])$ con-
verge weakly and in the sense of moments to that of a pair
 $(\phi, N[\phi^2])$ such that:

- 1 $\forall k \in \mathbb{Z}$, $(L^{-k[\phi]}\phi(L^k \cdot), L^{-k[\phi^2]}N[\phi^2](L^k \cdot)) \stackrel{d}{=} (\phi, N[\phi^2])$.
- 2 $\langle \phi(\mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{Z}_p^3}), \phi(\mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{Z}_p^3}), \phi(\mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{Z}_p^3}), \phi(\mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{Z}_p^3}) \rangle^T < 0$ i.e., ϕ is
non-Gaussian. Here, $\mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{Z}_p^3}$ denotes the indicator function of
 $\overline{B}(0, 1)$.
- 3 $\langle N[\phi^2](\mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{Z}_p^3}), N[\phi^2](\mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{Z}_p^3}) \rangle^T = 1$.
- 4 $\langle \phi(\mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{Z}_p^3})^2 \rangle = 1$.

The mixed correlation functions satisfy, in the sense of distributions,

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle \phi(L^{-k}x_1) \cdots \phi(L^{-k}x_n) N[\phi^2](L^{-k}y_1) \cdots N[\phi^2](L^{-k}y_m) \rangle \\ &= L^{-(n[\phi]+m[\phi^2])k} \langle \phi(x_1) \cdots \phi(x_n) N[\phi^2](y_1) \cdots N[\phi^2](y_m) \rangle \end{aligned}$$

For our hierarchical version of the 3D fractional ϕ^4 model we also proved $[\phi^2] - 2[\phi] = \frac{1}{3}\epsilon + o(\epsilon)$.

This was predicted by Wilson in “Renormalization of a scalar field theory in strong coupling”, PRD 1972.

This is also what is expected for the Euclidean model on \mathbb{R}^3 .

Not too far, if one boldly extrapolates to $\epsilon = 1$, from the most precise available estimates concerning the short range 3D Ising model: $[\phi^2] - 2[\phi] = 0.376327 \dots$ (JHEP 2016 by Kos, Poland, Simmons-Duffin and Vichi, using conformal bootstrap).

We also proved the law $\nu_{\phi \times \phi^2}$ of $(\phi, N[\phi^2])$, is independent of g in the interval $(\bar{g}_* - \rho\epsilon^{\frac{3}{2}}, \bar{g}_* + \rho\epsilon^{\frac{3}{2}})$. This also holds if one also adds ϕ^6, ϕ^8, \dots terms in the potential, with small couplings. **We proved strong local universality for a non-Gaussian scaling limit.**

Theorem 2: A.A.-Chandra-Guadagni 2013

$\nu_{\phi \times \phi^2}$ is **fully** scale invariant, i.e., invariant under the action of the scaling group $p^{\mathbb{Z}}$ instead of the subgroup $L^{\mathbb{Z}}$. Moreover, $\mu(g)$ and $[\phi^2]$ are independent of the arbitrary factor L .

The two-point correlations are given in the sense of distributions by

$$\langle \phi(x)\phi(y) \rangle = \frac{c_1}{|x - y|^{2[\phi]}}$$

$$\langle N[\phi^2](x) N[\phi^2](y) \rangle = \frac{c_2}{|x - y|^{2[\phi^2]}}$$

Note that $2[\phi^2] = 3 - \frac{1}{3}\epsilon + o(\epsilon) \rightarrow$ still $L^{1,loc}$!

Theorem 3: A.A., May 2015

Use ψ_i to denote the scaling limits ϕ or $N[\phi^2]$. Then, for all mixed correlation \exists a smooth (i.e., locally constant) function $\langle \psi_1(z_1) \cdots \psi_n(z_n) \rangle$ on $(\mathbb{Q}_p^3)^n \setminus \text{Diag}$ which is locally integrable (on the big diagonal Diag) and such that

$$\mathbb{E} \psi_1(f_1) \cdots \psi_n(f_n) = \int_{(\mathbb{Q}_p^3)^n \setminus \text{Diag}} \langle \psi_1(z_1) \cdots \psi_n(z_n) \rangle f_1(z_1) \cdots f_n(z_n) d^3 z_1 \cdots d^3 z_n$$

for all test functions $f_1, \dots, f_n \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{Q}_p^3)$.

This hinges on showing the BNNFB (**basic nearest neighbor factorized bound**) of A.A., “A Second-Quantized Kolmogorov-Chentsov Theorem via the Operator Product Expansion”, CMP 2020. The BNNFB is

$$| \langle \psi_1(z_1) \cdots \psi_n(z_n) \rangle | \leq O(1) \times \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{|z_i - \text{n.n.}[\psi_i]|}$$

when z_1, \dots, z_n are confined to a compact set.

This follows from the use of the **SDRG (space-dependent renormalization group)** to derive an explicit representation of **pointwise** correlations in terms of **very close analogues of tree Witten diagrams**. Hence, the emergent connection to the AdS/CFT correspondence.

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The renormalization group idea in a nutshell:

Want to study feature $\mathcal{Z}(\vec{V})$ of some object $\vec{V} \in \mathcal{E}$ but too hard!

Find “simplifying” transformation $RG : \mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}$, such that $\mathcal{Z}(RG(\vec{V})) = \mathcal{Z}(\vec{V})$, and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} RG^n(\vec{V}) = \vec{V}_*$ with $\mathcal{Z}(\vec{V}_*)$ easy.

Example: $\vec{V} = (a, b) \in \mathcal{E} = (0, \infty)^2$

$$\mathcal{Z}(\vec{V}) = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{d\theta}{\sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta}} .$$

Take $RG(a, b) = \left(\frac{a+b}{2}, \sqrt{ab} \right)$.

(Landen-Gauss)

1st step: rescale to unit lattice/cut-off

$$\mathcal{S}_{r,s}^T(f) := \log \mathbb{E}_{\nu_{r,s}} e^{\phi(f)} = \log$$

$$\frac{\int d\mu_{C_r}(\phi) \exp\left(-\int_{\Lambda_s} \{g_r : \phi^4 :_r(x) + \mu_r : \phi^2 :_r\} dx + \int \phi(x) f(x) dx\right)}{\int d\mu_{C_r}(\phi) \exp\left(-\int_{\Lambda_s} \{g_r : \phi^4 :_r(x) + \mu_r : \phi^2 :_r\} dx\right)}$$
$$= \log \frac{\int d\mu_{C_0}(\phi) \mathcal{I}^{(r,r)}[f](\phi)}{\int d\mu_{C_0}(\phi) \mathcal{I}^{(r,r)}[0](\phi)} =: \log \frac{\mathcal{Z}(\vec{V}^{(r,r)}[f])}{\mathcal{Z}(\vec{V}^{(r,r)}[0])}$$

with

$$\mathcal{I}^{(r,r)}[f](\phi) = \exp\left(-\int_{\Lambda_{s-r}} \{g : \phi^4 :_0(x) + \mu : \phi^2 :_0\} d^3x\right. \\ \left.+ L^{(3-[\phi])r} \int \phi(x) f(L^{-r}x) d^3x\right)$$

2nd step: define inhomogeneous RG

Fluctuation covariance $\Gamma := C_0 - C_1$.

Associated Gaussian measure is the law of the fluctuation field

$$\zeta(x) = \sum_{0 \leq k < \ell} p^{-k[\phi]} \zeta_{\text{anc}_k(x)}$$

L -blocks (closed balls of radius L) are independent. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \int \mathcal{I}^{(r,r)}[f](\phi) d\mu_{C_0}(\phi) &= \int \int \mathcal{I}^{(r,r)}[f](\zeta + \psi) d\mu_{\Gamma}(\zeta) d\mu_{C_1}(\psi) \\ &= \int \mathcal{I}^{(r,r+1)}[f](\phi) d\mu_{C_0}(\phi) \end{aligned}$$

with new integrand

$$\mathcal{I}^{(r,r+1)}[f](\phi) := \int \mathcal{I}^{(r,r)}[f](\zeta + L^{-[\phi]} \phi(L \cdot)) d\mu_{\Gamma}(\zeta)$$

Need to extract vacuum renormalization \rightarrow better definition is

$$\mathcal{I}^{(r,r+1)}[f](\phi) = e^{-\delta b(\mathcal{I}^{(r,r)}[f])} \int \mathcal{I}^{(r,r)}[f](\zeta + L^{-[\phi]}\phi(L\cdot)) d\mu_{\Gamma}(\zeta)$$

so that we have the fundamental identity

$$\int \mathcal{I}^{(r,r)}[f](\phi) d\mu_{C_0}(\phi) = e^{\delta b(\mathcal{I}^{(r,r)}[f])} \int \mathcal{I}^{(r,r+1)}[f](\phi) d\mu_{C_0}(\phi)$$

Repeat: $\mathcal{I}^{(r,r)} \rightarrow \mathcal{I}^{(r,r+1)} \rightarrow \mathcal{I}^{(r,r+2)} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \mathcal{I}^{(r,s)}$

One must control

$$\mathcal{S}^T(f) = \lim_{\substack{r \rightarrow -\infty \\ s \rightarrow \infty}} \sum_{r \leq q < s} (\delta b(\mathcal{I}^{(r,q)}[f]) - \delta b(\mathcal{I}^{(r,q)}[0]))$$

limit of logarithms of characteristic functions.

Use a Brydges-Yau **lift**

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \vec{V}(r,q) & \xrightarrow{RG_{\text{inhom}}} & \vec{V}(r,q+1) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \mathcal{I}(r,q) & \longrightarrow & \mathcal{I}(r,q+1) \end{array}$$

$$\mathcal{I}^{(r,q)}(\phi) = \prod_{\substack{\Delta \in \mathbb{L}_0 \\ \Delta \subset \Lambda_{s-q}}} [e^{f_{\Delta} \phi_{\Delta}} \times$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \{ \exp(-\beta_{4,\Delta} : \phi_{\Delta}^4 :_{C_0} - \beta_{3,\Delta} : \phi_{\Delta}^3 :_{C_0} - \beta_{2,\Delta} : \phi_{\Delta}^2 :_{C_0} - \beta_{1,\Delta} : \phi_{\Delta}^1 :_{C_0}) \\ & \times (1 + W_{5,\Delta} : \phi_{\Delta}^5 :_{C_0} + W_{6,\Delta} : \phi_{\Delta}^6 :_{C_0}) \\ & + R_{\Delta}(\phi_{\Delta}) \} \end{aligned}$$

Dynamical variable is $\vec{V} = (V_{\Delta})_{\Delta \in \mathbb{L}_0}$ with

$$V_{\Delta} = (\beta_{4,\Delta}, \beta_{3,\Delta}, \beta_{2,\Delta}, \beta_{1,\Delta}, W_{5,\Delta}, W_{6,\Delta}, f_{\Delta}, R_{\Delta})$$

RG_{inhom} acts on $\mathcal{E}_{\text{inhom}}$, essentially,

$$\prod_{\Delta \in \mathbb{L}_0} \{\mathbb{C}^7 \times C^9(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})\}$$

Stable subspaces

$\mathcal{E}_{\text{hom}} \subset \mathcal{E}_{\text{inhom}}$: spatially constant data.

$\mathcal{E} \subset \mathcal{E}_{\text{hom}}$: even potential, i.e., g , μ 's only and R even function.

Let RG be induced action of RG_{inhom} on \mathcal{E} .

3rd step: stabilize bulk (homogeneous) evolution

Show that $\forall q \in \mathbb{Z}$, $\lim_{r \rightarrow -\infty} \vec{V}^{(r,q)}[0]$

exists, i.e.,

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow -\infty} RG^{q-r} \left(\vec{V}^{(r,r)}[0] \right)$$

exists.

$$RG \begin{cases} g' = L^\epsilon g - A_1 g^2 + \dots \\ \mu' = L^{\frac{3+\epsilon}{2}} \mu - A_2 g^2 - A_3 g \mu + \dots \\ R' = \mathcal{L}^{(g,\mu)}(R) + \dots \end{cases}$$

Tadpole graph with mass insertion

$$A_3 = 12L^{3-2[\phi]} \int_{\mathbb{Q}_p^3} \Gamma(0, x)^2 d^3x$$

is main culprit for anomalous scaling $[\phi^2] - 2[\phi] > 0$.

Irwin's proof \rightarrow stable manifold W^s

Restriction to $W^s \rightarrow$ contraction \rightarrow IR fixed point v_* .

Construct unstable manifold W^u , intersect with W^s ,
transverse at v_* .

Here, $\vec{V}^{(r,r)}[0]$ is independent of r : **strict scaling limit of fixed model on unit lattice. (We can also do the Gaussian to non-Gaussian crossover continuum limit).**

$\vec{V}^{(r,r)}[0]$ must be chosen in $W^s \rightarrow \mu(g)$ **critical mass.**

Thus

$$\forall q \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad \lim_{r \rightarrow -\infty} \vec{V}^{(r,q)}[0] = v_*$$

Tangent spaces at fixed point: E^s and E^u .

$E^u = \mathbb{C}e_u$, with e_u eigenvector of $D_{v_*}RG$ for eigenvalue $\alpha_u = L^{3-2[\phi]} \times Z_2 =: L^{3-[\phi^2]}$.

4th step: control deviation from homogeneous evolution

$\vec{V}^{(r,q)}[f] - \vec{V}^{(r,q)}[0]$, for all effective scale q , uniformly in r .

1) $\sum_{x \in G} \zeta_x = 0$ a.s. \rightarrow deviation is 0 for $q <$ local constancy scale of test function f .

2) Deviation resides in closed unit ball containing origin for $q >$ radius of support of $f \rightarrow$ exponential decay for large q .

For source term with ϕ^2 add

$$Y_2 Z_2^r \int : \phi^2 :_{C_r}(x) j(x) d^3x$$

to potential. $\mathcal{S}_{r,s}^T(f, j)$ now involves two test functions. After rescaling to unit lattice/cut-off

$$Y_2 \alpha_u^r \int : \phi^2 :_{C_0}(x) j(L^{-r}x) d^3x$$

to be combined with μ into $(\beta_2, \Delta)_{\Delta \in \mathbb{L}_0}$ **space-dependent mass.**

5th step: partial linearization

In order to replay same sequence of moves with j present, construct

$$\Psi(v, w) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} RG^n(v + \alpha_u^{-n} w)$$

for $v \in W^s$ and all direction w (especially $\int : \phi^2$:).

For v fixed, $\Psi(v, \cdot)$ is parametrization of W^u satisfying $\Psi(v, \alpha_u w) = RG(\Psi(v, w))$.

If there were no W^s directions (1D dynamics) then Ψ would be conjugation \rightarrow **Poincaré-Kœnigs Theorem**.

$\Psi(v, w)$ is **holomorphic** in v and w .

This is essential for probabilistic interpretation of $(\phi, N[\phi^2])$ as pair of random variables in $S'(\mathbb{Q}_p^3)$.

Thank you for your attention.