

From Phase Space to Integrable Representations and Level-Rank Duality



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- If M is a Hermitian $N \times N$ matrix then the partition function can be re-written as

$$\mathcal{Z} = \int \prod_{i=1}^N d\lambda_i \prod_{i < j}^N (\lambda_i - \lambda_j)^2 e^{-\frac{1}{g_s} \sum_{i=1}^N W(\lambda_i)}$$

- Or equivalently $\mathcal{Z} = \int \prod_{i=1}^N d\lambda_i e^{-\frac{1}{g_s} W_{\text{eff}}(\lambda)}$, with $W_{\text{eff}}(\lambda_i) = W(\lambda_i) - \frac{Ng_s}{N} \sum_{j \neq i}^N \ln |\lambda_i - \lambda_j|$

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- The thermal partition function of a YM theory on S^p is given by the Euclidean path integral on $S^p \times S^1$. Integrating out all the massive modes this path integral reduces to an integral

$$\mathcal{Z}_{YM} = \int [\mathcal{D}U] \exp[-V_{YM}(U)] = \prod_{i=1}^N \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} d\theta_i \prod_{i < j} \sin^2 \left(\frac{\theta_i - \theta_j}{2} \right) e^{-V_{YM}(U)}$$

$$\text{where } U = e^{i\beta\alpha} \text{ and } \alpha = \frac{1}{V_p} \int_{S^p} A_0.$$

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- Phases can also be equivalently captured by Young diagrams corresponding to different representations of $U(N)$. Therefore one can associate one additional information of box number distribution $\rightarrow u(\{h_i\})$.
- UMM also has an interpretation in the language of free fermions where eigenvalues behaves like position of the free fermions and the number of boxes in Young diagram behaving like momentum.

$$\begin{aligned}\rho(\{\theta_i\}) &\rightarrow \text{Position distribution} \\ u(\{h_i\}) &\rightarrow \text{Momentum distribution}\end{aligned}$$

- Thus a relation between them defines a Fermi surface (phase space distribution/ droplet) in two dimensions for different phases of the UMM under consideration.
- Different phases are distinguished by different shapes of fermi surfaces/droplets.

Why phase space description?

Goal of our programme

- Phase space/Young diagrams provide a useful labelling of different operators in the gauge theory.
- According to AdS/CFT correspondence, these operators have a description in a dual bulk geometry.
- Goal is to understand how dual string geometry emerges from phase droplets in spirit of LLM.

A Phase Space Description for Chern-Simons Matter Theory on $S^2 \times S^1$

Goal of this talk

- To provide a phase space description for different phases of CS-matter theory on $S^2 \times S^1$.
- To show how phase space construction imposes constraints on large N representations.
- Level-rank duality in phase space.

Outline

- Chern-Simons matter systems
- Young Distribution for Unitary Matrix Models
- Young Distribution for GW potential
- Relation Between the Eigenvalue and Young Tableaux side
- Young Distribution for Chern-Simons matter theory
 - Representation for upper cap phase
 - level-rank duality
- Phase space droplets for Chern-Simons matter theory
- Summary

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- Consider CS theory on $S^2 \times S^1$ interacting with matter in fundamental representations. Partition function of this theory is

$$\mathcal{Z} = \int [\mathcal{D}A][\mathcal{D}\mu] e^{i\frac{k}{4\pi} \text{Tr} \int (AdA + \frac{2}{3}A^3) - S_{matter}} \quad \mathcal{D}\mu \rightarrow \text{the matter field measure}$$

- Result of Integrating out the matter fields

[S. Jain et al, JHEP09(2013)009]

$$\mathcal{Z} = \int [\mathcal{D}A] e^{i\frac{k}{4\pi} \text{Tr} \int (AdA + \frac{2}{3}A^3) - S_{eff}(U(x))}$$

where $U(x) \rightarrow$ 2 dimensional holonomy fields around the thermal circle S^1 .

- The thermal partition function for Chern-Simons matter system on $S^2 \times S^1$ can be written as a discretized sum over the holonomy matrix U as

$$\mathcal{Z}_{CS} = \prod_{m=1}^N \sum_{n_m=-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\prod_{l \neq m} 2 \sin \left(\frac{\theta_l(\vec{n}) - \theta_m(\vec{n})}{2} \right) e^{-V(U)} \right]$$

$$V(U) = T^2 V_2 v(U); \quad \theta_m(\vec{n}) = \frac{2\pi n_m}{k}, \quad n_m \in \mathbb{Z}$$

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- Eigenvalue density in large N limit

$$\rho(\theta) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{N} \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta\theta}$$

has a maximum value

$$0 \leq \rho(\theta) \leq \frac{1}{2\pi\lambda}; \quad \lambda = \frac{N}{k}$$

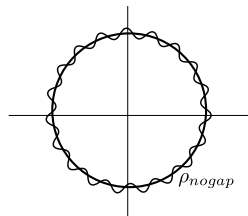
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$$V(U) = -N\beta_1(\text{Tr}U + \text{Tr}U^\dagger) \quad \mapsto \text{(Gross-Witten potential)}$$

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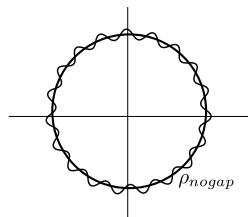


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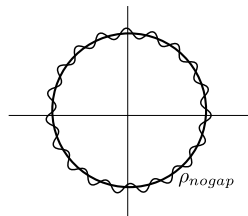


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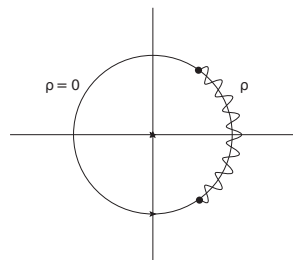
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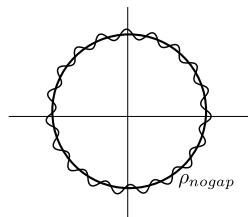


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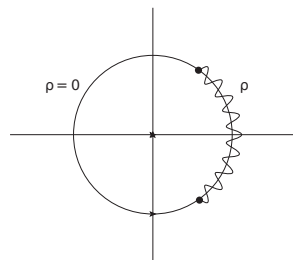


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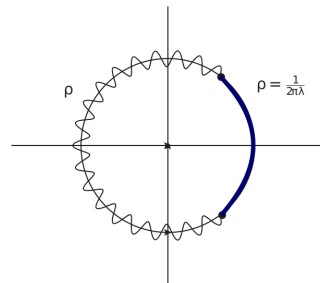
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- Spectral density have an upper bound $0 \leq \rho(\theta) \leq \frac{1}{2\pi\lambda}$
- No gap phase is allowed if
 - $\beta_1 < \frac{1}{2\lambda} - \frac{1}{2}$ for $\lambda > \frac{1}{2}$.
 - $\beta_1 < \frac{1}{2}$ for $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$.
- Similarly the lower gap phase exists in the parameter range
 - $\beta_1 < \frac{1}{8\lambda^2}$ and $\lambda \leq \frac{1}{2}$
 - For $\lambda > \frac{1}{2}$ the solution does not exist.
- Capping the allowed value of $\rho(\theta)$ introduces two new phases in the system.

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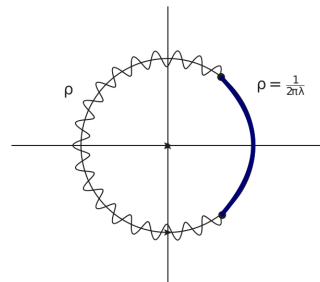
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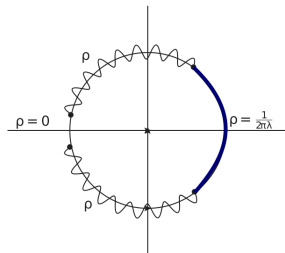
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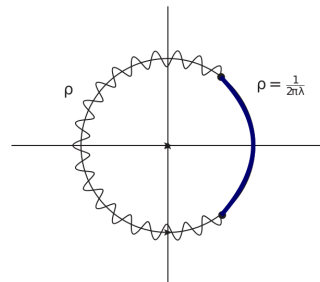
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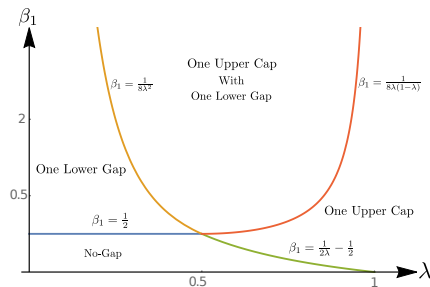
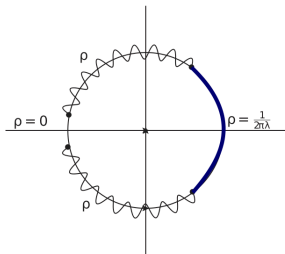
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- Under this duality the eigenvalues of lower-gap and upper-cap phase are related by

$$\rho_{uc}(\lambda^D, \beta_1^D, \theta) = \frac{\lambda}{1 - \lambda} \left[\frac{1}{2\pi\lambda} - \rho_{lg}(\lambda, \beta_1, \theta + \pi) \right]$$

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- Expanding the exponential

$$\mathcal{Z} = \int [\mathcal{D}U] \sum_{\vec{k}} \frac{\epsilon(\vec{\beta}, \vec{k})}{z_{\vec{k}}} \Upsilon_{\vec{k}}(U) \sum_{\vec{l}} \frac{\epsilon(\vec{\beta}, \vec{l})}{z_{\vec{l}}} \Upsilon_{\vec{l}}(U)$$

where

$$\epsilon(\vec{\beta}, \vec{k}) = \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} N^{k_n} \beta_n^{k_n}, \quad z_{\vec{k}} = \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} k_n! n^{k_n}, \quad \text{and} \quad \Upsilon_{\vec{k}} = \prod_n (\text{Tr}U^n)^{k_n}.$$

- Here, n runs from over positive integers and $\vec{k} = (k_1, k_2, \dots)$. k_n can be 0 or any positive integer.

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From Partition function to Young Diagram

- In the large N limit one can in principle extremize the partition function w.r.t λ_i 's and find dominant representations.
- Characters are difficult to find.
- For simpler model (**Gross-Witten model**) where $\beta_1 \neq 0$ and $\beta_{n>1} = 0$, we are only left with the trivial conjugacy class, for which character is just the dimension of the representation

$$\chi_{\vec{h}}(C_{k_1}) = \frac{k_1!}{\prod_{i=1}^N h_i!} \prod_{i < j} (h_i - h_j) \text{ where } h_i = \lambda_i + N - i$$

- Defining the young tableaux density in the Large N limit

$$u(h) = -\frac{\partial x}{\partial h}, \quad \frac{h_i}{N} = h(x), \quad x = \frac{i}{N} \quad \text{with } x \in [0, 1].$$

- In the large N limit the saddle point equation is given by

$$\int_{h_L}^{h_U} dh' \frac{u(h')}{h - h'} = \ln \left[\frac{h}{\beta_1} \right].$$

Now the task is to find $u(h)$ for the most dominant representation.

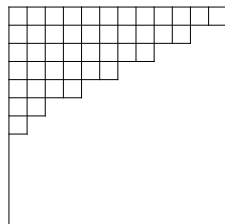
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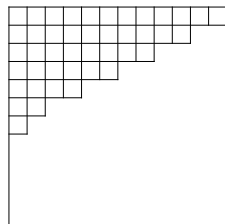


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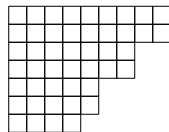
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- for $\beta_1 > 1/2$, $u(h)$ never saturates the upper bound

$$u(h) = \frac{2}{\pi} \cos^{-1} \left[\frac{h + \beta_1 - 1/2}{2\sqrt{\beta_1 h}} \right]$$
$$\beta_1 + \frac{1}{2} - \sqrt{2\beta_1} \leq h \leq \beta_1 + \frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{2\beta_1}$$



- There exists a Douglas-Kazakov type phase transition between these saddle points as one varies the parameter β_1 .

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- Inverting the no-gap distribution

$$h = 1 + 2\beta_1 \cos(\pi u(h))$$

- Eigenvalue distribution of this phase

$$2\pi\rho(\theta) = 1 + 2\beta_1 \cos(\theta)$$

- Thus we have the identification

$$u(h) = \frac{\theta}{\pi}, \quad \rho(\theta) = \frac{h}{2\pi}$$

- For one gap phase we have

$$h^2 - (1 + 2\beta_1 \cos \pi u(h))h + (\beta_1 - \frac{1}{2})^2 = 0$$

- We have the following Identity

$$\pi u(h) = \theta, \quad h_+ - h_- = 2\pi\rho(\theta)$$

h_+ and h_- are the solutions of the above equation.

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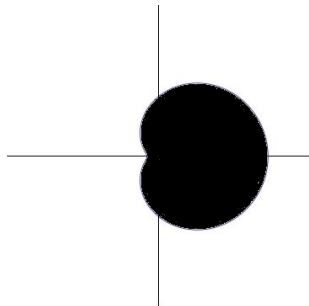
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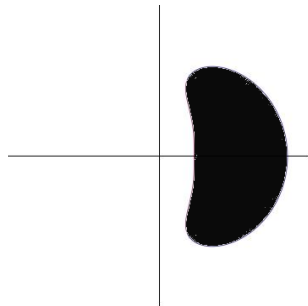
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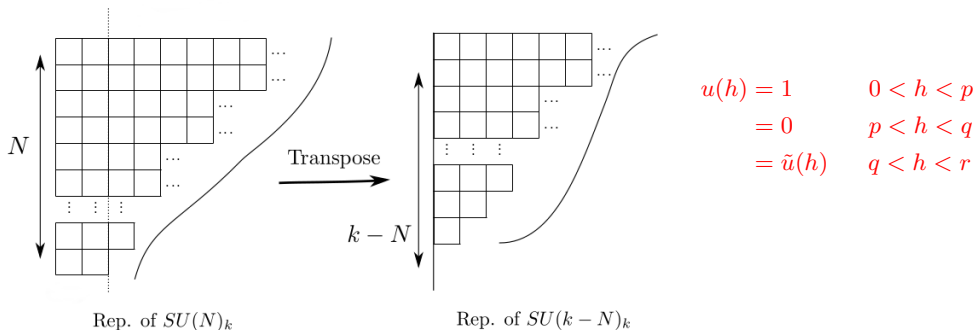
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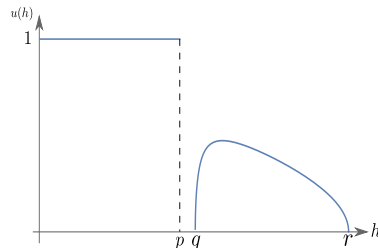
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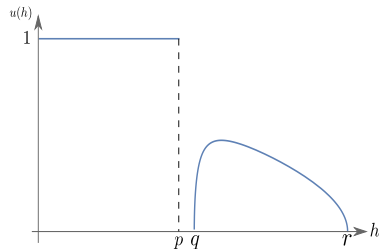
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Droplet picture for the upper cap phase

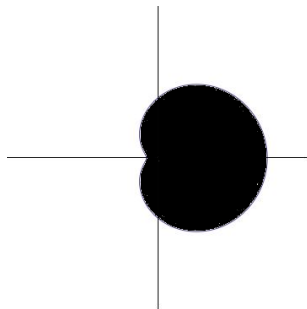
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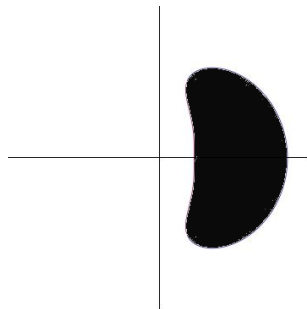
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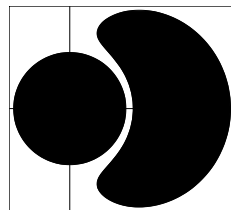
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Summary

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- Lower gap phase and upper cap phase are related to each other by level-rank duality.
- We also write down the partition function for CS-m theory in Young diagram basis and showed that large N phases can be equivalently classified in terms of young tableaux density.
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- Representations of lower and upper-cap are related to each other by level-rank duality.

