

Defects and D-branes as integrable boundary states

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Based on:

- M. de Leeuw, T. Gombor, C.K., G. Linardopoulos & B. Pozsgay
ArXiv:1912.09338[hep-th], JHEP 01, (2020) 176
- C.K., D. Müller & K. Zarembo, arXiv:2106.08116[hep-th], JHEP 09 (2021) 004
- Earlier work
- Work in progress

Strings, Fields and Branes

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AdS/CFT

$\mathcal{N} = 4$ SYM in 4D \longleftrightarrow IIB strings on $AdS_5 \times S^5$

- Conformal symmetry
- Supersymmetry
- Planar integrability

AdS/dCFT

$\mathcal{N} = 4$ SYM in 4D
with 3D domain wall \longleftrightarrow IIB strings on $AdS_5 \times S^5$
with probe brane

- Conformal symmetry partially broken
- Supersymmetry partially or completely broken

Motivation

- Insights on the interplay between conformal symmetry, supersymmetry and integrability
- Novel examples of integrable boundary states, novel characterization at the discrete level
- Exact results for novel types of observables such as one-point functions and three-point functions -- via overlaps
- Novel microscopic duality relations for correlation functions
- Interesting connections to statistical physics: matrix product states and quantum quenches – via overlaps
- Positive tests of AdS/CFT dictionary for set-ups with supersymmetry partially or completely broken
- Possible cross-fertilization with the boundary conformal bootstrap program.

Plan of the talk

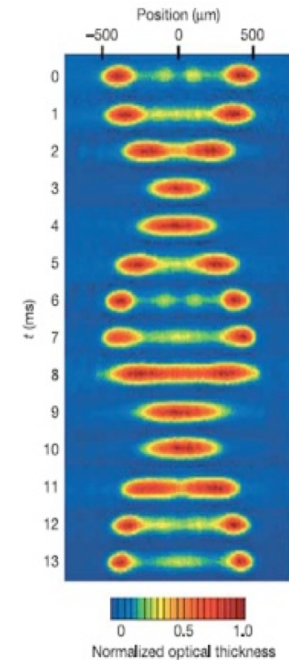
- I. Quantum Quenches and overlaps
- II. Overlaps and AdS/dCFT
- III. Integrable boundary states in AdS/dCFT
- IV. Exact results for overlaps
- V. Duality relations for overlaps
- IV. Future directions

Overlaps and Quantum Quenches

Set out quantum system in initial state $|\Psi_0\rangle$
which is not an eigenstate of its Hamiltonian \mathcal{H}_0

Study time development of local observable

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \mathcal{O}(t) \rangle &= \langle \Psi_0 | e^{i\mathcal{H}_0 t} \mathcal{O} e^{-i\mathcal{H}_0 t} | \Psi_0 \rangle \\ &= \sum_{\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}} \langle \Psi_0 | \mathbf{u} \rangle \langle \mathbf{u} | \mathcal{O} | \mathbf{v} \rangle \langle \mathbf{v} | \Psi_0 \rangle e^{-i(E_{\mathbf{v}} - E_{\mathbf{u}})t}, \\ \mathcal{H}_0 | \mathbf{u} \rangle &= E_{\mathbf{u}} | \mathbf{u} \rangle\end{aligned}$$



Assume \mathcal{H}_0 Hamiltonian of an integrable system

When and how can $\langle \Psi_0 | \mathbf{u} \rangle$ be calculated in closed form?

Of relevance for

- Time development after quantum quench
- Correlation functions in AdS/dCFT

AdS/CFT

$\mathcal{N} = 4$ SYM in 4D \longleftrightarrow IIB strings on $AdS_5 \times S^5$

Conformal operators \longleftrightarrow String states



Eigenstates of integrable super spin chain: $|\mathbf{u}\rangle$ Minahan.
Zarembo '02

AdS/dCFT

$\mathcal{N} = 4$ SYM in 4D \longleftrightarrow IIB strings on $AdS_5 \times S^5$
with co-dimension one defect Karch-Randall probe brane

$|\Psi_0\rangle$ (integrable) boundary state describing defect / probe brane

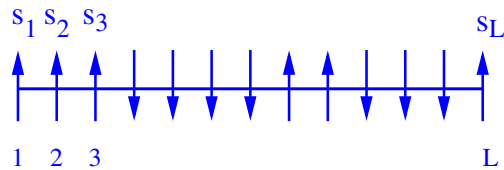
$\langle\Psi_0|\mathbf{u}\rangle$ is a one-point function

De Leeuw, C.K.
Zarembo '15

Similar idea: $|\Psi_0\rangle \sim$ determinant operators/giant graviton

Jiang, Komatsu
Vescovi '19

Integrable boundary states



$$S_{L+m} = S_m \quad |\Psi\rangle = |s_1 s_2 s_3 \dots s_L\rangle$$

Eigenstates: $H_0|\mathbf{u}\rangle = E_0|\mathbf{u}\rangle$

Integrable boundary state: $\langle\Psi_0|\mathbf{u}\rangle$ computable in closed form

Identified types of relevance for AdS/dCFT:

Matrix product states

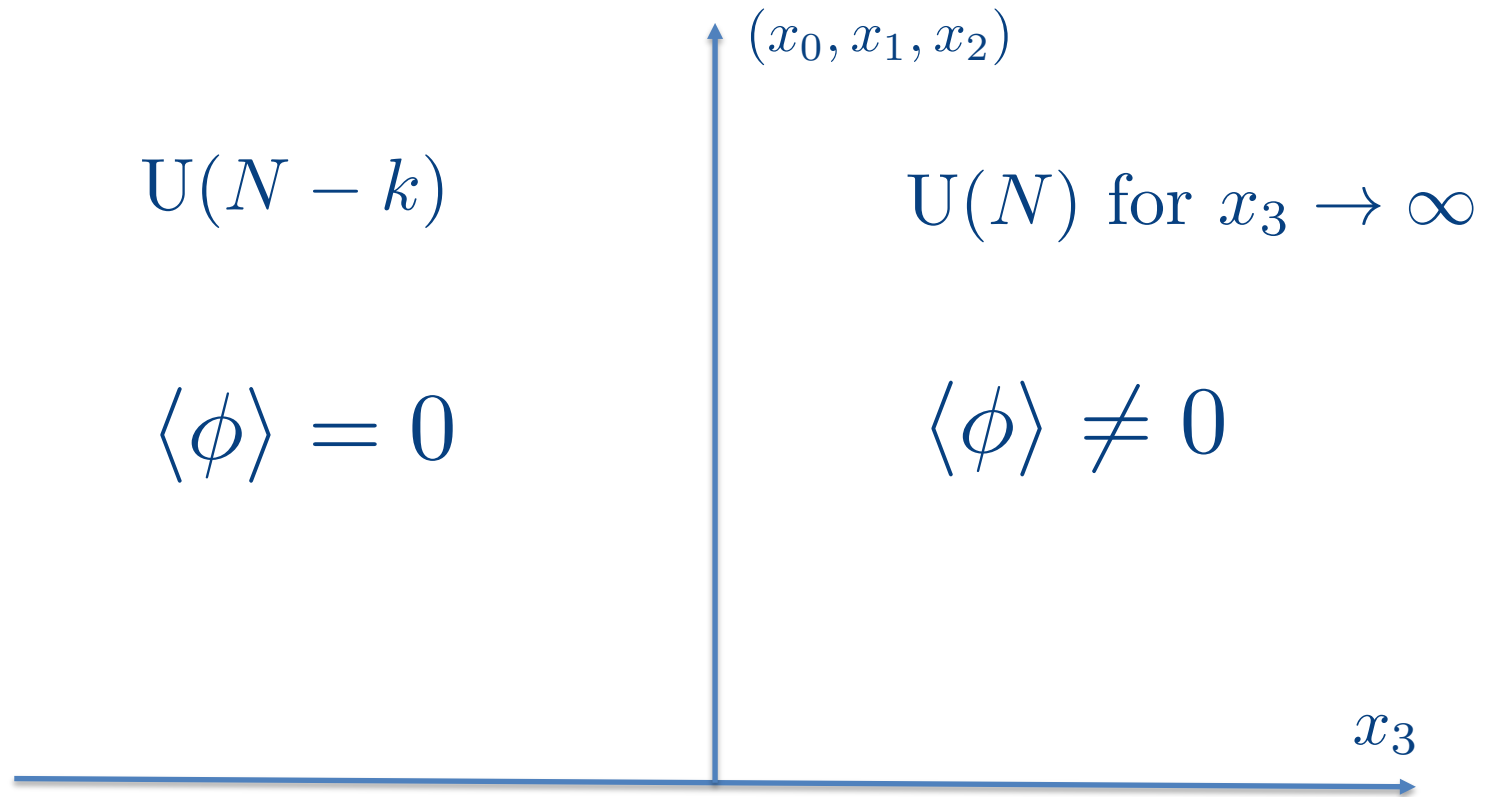
$$|B\rangle = |\text{MPS}\rangle = \sum_{\{s_i\}} \text{Tr}(t_{s_1} \dots t_{s_L}) |s_1 \dots s_L\rangle$$

Valence Bond States

$$|\text{VBS}\rangle = |K\rangle^{\otimes \frac{L}{2}}, \quad K = \sum_{s_1, s_2} K_{s_1, s_2} |s_1 s_2\rangle$$

The defect set-up of $|\text{MPS}\rangle$

$$\mathcal{N} = 4 \quad \text{SYM}$$



Classical Fields (simplest case)

Assume only x_3 -dependence and $x_3 > 0$, $A_\mu^{\text{cl}} = 0$, $\Psi_A^{\text{cl}} = 0$

Classical e.o.m.:
(x_3 is distance to defect)

$$\frac{d^2 \phi_i^{\text{cl}}}{dx_3^2} = [\phi_j^{\text{cl}}, [\phi_j^{\text{cl}}, \phi_i^{\text{cl}}]] .$$

Solution:

$$\phi_i^{\text{cl}} = \frac{1}{x_3} \begin{pmatrix} (t_i)_{k \times k} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad i = 1, 2, 3$$

Constable, Myers
& Tafjord '99

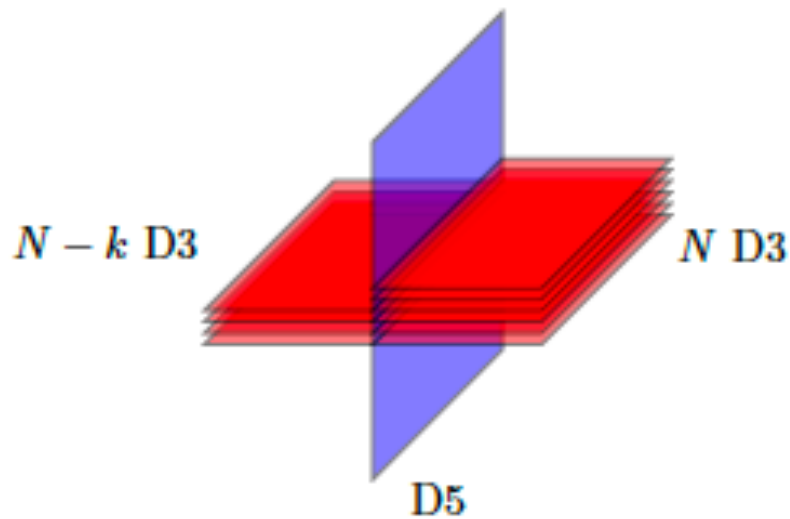
$$\phi_4^{\text{cl}} = \phi_5^{\text{cl}} = \phi_6^{\text{cl}} = 0$$

where t_i , $i=1,2,3$, constitute a k -dimensional irreducible repr. of $SU(2)$. (Nahm eqns. also fulfilled.)

Set-up $\frac{1}{2}$ BPS (for appropriate choice b.c. for zero-modes, Gaiotto & Witten '08)

AdS/dCFT --- The string theory side

	x^0	x^1	x^2	x^3	x^4	x^5	x^6	x^7	x^8	x^9
D3	×	×	×	×						
D5	×	×	×		×	×	×			

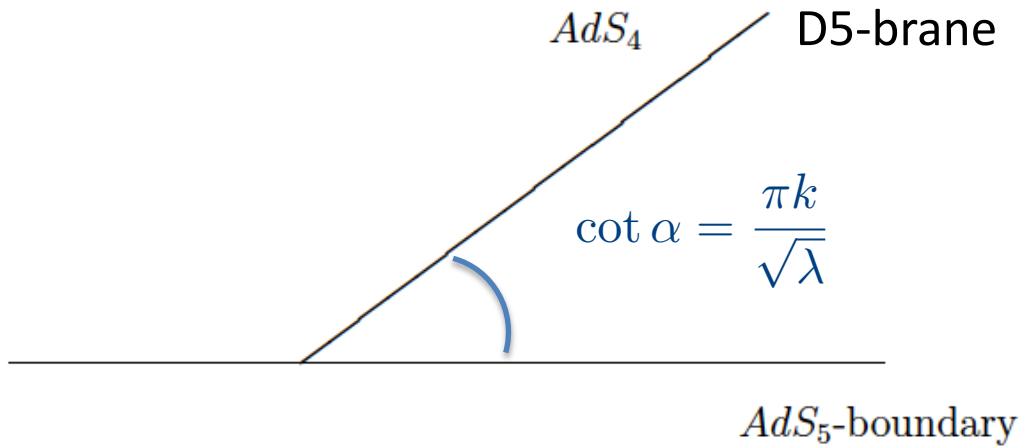


Geometry of D5 brane: $AdS_4 \times S^2$

Karch & Randall '01,

Background gauge field: k units of magnetic flux on S^2

String embedding



D3-D5 probe brane system suggests a new double scaling limit

Nagasaki &
Yamaguchi '12,

$$\lambda \rightarrow \infty, \quad k \rightarrow \infty, \quad \frac{\lambda}{k^2} \text{ finite} \quad (N \rightarrow \infty)$$

One can compare perturbative gauge theory to semi-classical string theory (or sugra).

Similar idea works for the two D3-D7 set-ups

C.K., Semenoff &
Young '12,

One-point functions and MPS

$$\langle \mathcal{O}_{\Delta}^{\text{bulk}}(x) \rangle = \frac{C}{|x_3|^{\Delta}}$$

Cardy '84

McAvity & Osborn '95

Due to vevs scalar operators can have non-zero 1-pt fcts at tree-level

$$\langle \mathcal{O}_{\Delta}(x) \rangle = (\text{Tr}(\phi_{i_1} \dots \phi_{i_{\Delta}}) + \dots) \big|_{\phi_i \rightarrow \phi_i^{\text{cl}} = \frac{t_i}{x_3}}$$

$\mathcal{O}_{\Delta}(x) \sim$ eigenstate of integrable $SO(6)$ spin chain

Minahan &
Zarembo '02

$$\text{Tr}(\phi_{i_1} \phi_{i_2} \dots \phi_{i_L}) \sim |s_{i_1} s_{i_2} \dots s_{i_L}\rangle$$

Matrix Product State associated with the defect:


deLeeuw, C.K.
& Zarembo '15,

$$|\text{MPS}_k\rangle = \sum_{\vec{i}} \text{tr}[t_{i_1} \dots t_{i_L}] |\phi_{i_1} \dots \phi_{i_L}\rangle,$$

Object to calculate:

$$C_k(\mathbf{u}) = \frac{\langle \text{MPS}_k | \mathbf{u} \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{u} | \mathbf{u} \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

Bethe eigenstate



One-point functions and VBS

For $k = 1$: No vevs

Gaiotto & Witten, '08

Quantum fields $A_\mu, \Phi_i, \Psi_\alpha =$

	1	$N - 1$		
	x	y	y	y
	y	z	z	z
	y	z	z	z
	y	z	z	z

Boundary conditions (supersymmetric)

	$\Phi_{4,5,6}$	$\Phi_{1,2,3}$
x, y	Dirichlet	Neumann
z	no BCs	no BCs

Propagators

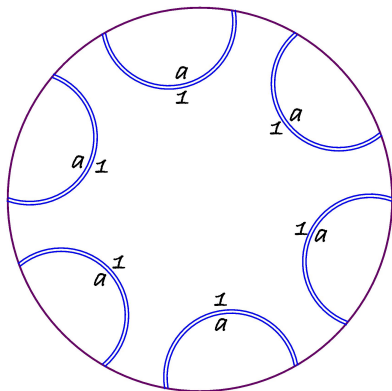
$$D_\kappa(x, y) = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \left(\frac{1}{|x - y|^2} + \frac{\kappa}{|\bar{x} - y|^2} \right), \quad \kappa = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{Neumann} \\ -1 & \text{Dirichlet} \\ 0 & \text{no BCs.} \end{cases}$$

$$\bar{x} = (x_0, x_1, x_2, -x_3)$$

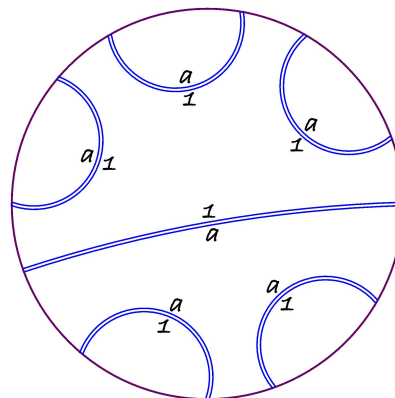
For complex scalars ($X = \Phi_1 + i\Phi_4$, etc.)

$$\langle X^{1a}(x) X^{b1}(y) \rangle = \frac{g_{\text{YM}}^2 \delta^{ab}}{2} \left(D_1(x, y) - D_{-1}(x, y) \right) = \frac{g_{\text{YM}}^2 \delta^{ab}}{4\pi^2 |\bar{x} - y|^2}$$

Feynman diagrams



Leading for large-N
 $\sim (g_{\text{YM}}^2 N)^6$



Sub-leading for large-N
 $\sim \frac{1}{N^2} (g_{\text{YM}}^2 N)^6$

Object to calculate $C_{k=1} = \frac{\langle \text{VBS} | \mathbf{u} \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{u} | \mathbf{u} \rangle^{1/2}}$

$\langle \text{VBS} | = (\langle XX | + \langle YY |)^{\otimes L/2}, \quad SU(2) \text{ sector}$

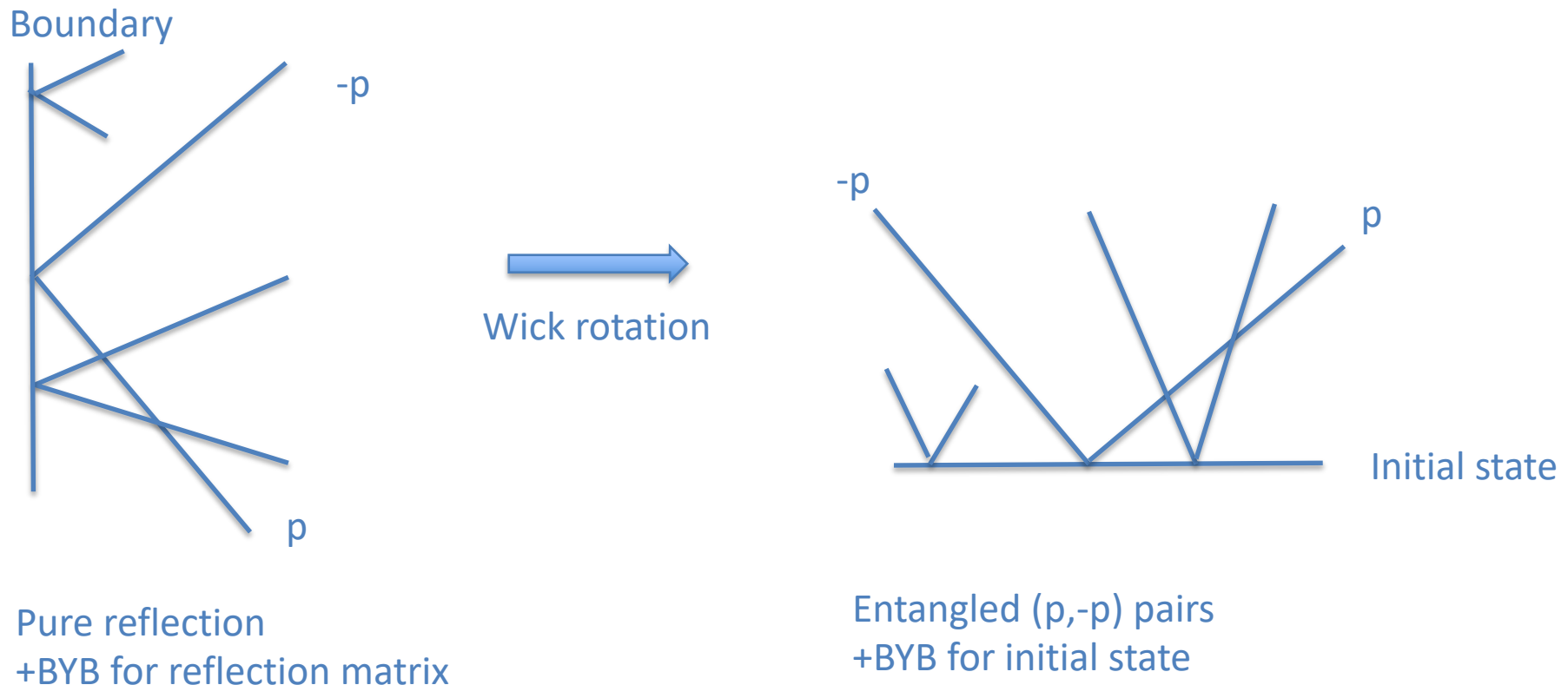
$\langle \text{VBS} | = (\langle XX | + \langle YY | + \langle ZZ | + \langle \Psi_1 \Psi_2 | - \langle \Psi_2 \Psi_1 |)^{\otimes L/2}, \quad SU(2|3) \text{ sector}$

$|\text{VBS}\rangle$'s also of importance as initial steps in proofs of overlap formulas for $|\text{MPS}\rangle$'s

C.K., Müller,
 Zarembo '20

de Leeuw, Gombor, C.K.,
 Linardopoulos, Pozsgay '19
 Gombor & Bajnok '20

- No particle production or annihilation
- Pure reflection, possibly change of internal quantum numbers
- Yang-Baxter relations fulfilled (order of reflection does not matter)



Integrable spin chain boundary states

Piroli, Pozsgay
Vernier '17

Heisenberg spin chain encodes conformal single trace operators built from two complex fields X (vacuum, \uparrow) and Y (excitation, \downarrow)

$$H = \sum_{n=1}^L (1 - P_{n,n+1})$$

Eigenstates: $|\{u_i\}_{i=1}^K\rangle \equiv |\mathbf{u}\rangle$, K excitations

$$u_i = \frac{1}{2} \cot \left(\frac{p_i}{2} \right)$$

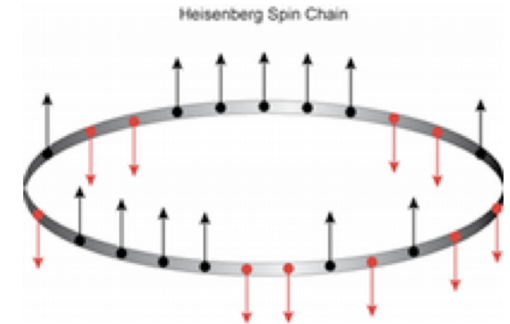
L conserved charges, \hat{Q}_n , with eigenvalues Q_n

$$Q_n(\{p_i\}) = (-1)^n Q_n(\{-p_i\})$$

Integrable initial state

$$Q_{2m+1} |\Psi_0\rangle = 0$$

(BYB observed to be fulfilled for all cases considered)



Integrability of $|\text{MPS}\rangle$

	D3-D5	D3-D7	D3-D7
Supersymmetry	1/2 BPS	None	None
Brane geometry	$\text{AdS}_4 \times \text{S}^2$	$\text{AdS}_4 \times \text{S}^2 \times \text{S}^2$	$\text{AdS}_4 \times \text{S}^4$
Symmetry of vev's	$SU(2)$	$SU(2) \times SU(2)$	$SO(5)$
Dim. of rep./ Flux	k	k_1, k_2	$d = \frac{(n+1)(n+2)(n+3)}{6}$
$ \text{MPS}\rangle$	Integrable	Non-integrable	Integrable
Overlaps	Exact formula derived	—	Exact formula derived

Overlap Formulas

Selection rule

$$\langle \Psi_0 | \mathbf{u} \rangle \neq 0 \iff \{\mathbf{u}_j\} = \{-\mathbf{u}_i, \mathbf{u}_i\} \quad \text{Parity invariance}$$

Ingredients: de Leeuw, C.K. & Zarembo '15 de Leeuw, C.K. & Mori '16 de Leeuw, C.K. & Linardopoulos '18 de Leeuw, Gombor, C.K., Linardopoulos, Pozsgay '19

For $|\text{MPS}_k\rangle$:

- Superdeterminant of Gaudin matrix: $\frac{\det(G_+)}{\det(G_-)}$
- Ratios of Baxter polynomials (reduced): $Q(u) = \prod_i (u^2 - u_i^2)$
- “Transfer matrices”: Sums of ratios of Baxter polynomials: $\sum_{a=-\frac{k}{2}}^{a=\frac{k}{2}}$

For $|\text{VBS}\rangle$:

- No sums involved Poszgay '18 Gombor '21

Gaudin matrix

Eigenstates: $|\mathbf{u}\rangle = |\{u_i\}_{i=1}^K\rangle$

$$1 = \left(\frac{u_k - \frac{i}{2}}{u_k + \frac{i}{2}} \right)^L \prod_{j \neq k}^K \frac{u_k - u_j + \frac{i}{2}}{u_k - u_j - \frac{i}{2}} = e^{i\chi_k}, \quad k = 1, \dots, K$$

$$\langle \mathbf{u} | \mathbf{u} \rangle \propto \det G, \quad G_{kj} = \frac{\partial \chi_k}{\partial u_j}$$

For parity invariant states: block structure

$$\begin{aligned} \det G &= \begin{vmatrix} A & B \\ B & A \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} A+B & B \\ B+A & A \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} A+B & B \\ 0 & A-B \end{vmatrix} = \det(A+B) \cdot \det(A-B) \\ &= \det G_+ \cdot \det G_- \end{aligned}$$

Quantity entering overlap formulas

$$\text{SDet } G = \frac{\det G_+}{\det G_-} \equiv \mathbb{D}$$

One-point functions of D3-D5 set-up

Operators built from two scalar fields, X and Y

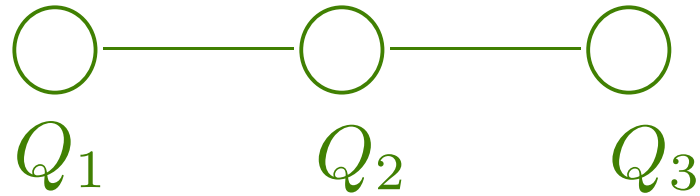
$$C_k(\mathbf{u}) = \frac{\langle \text{MPS}_k | \mathbf{u} \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{u} | \mathbf{u} \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}}} = \mathbb{T}_k \cdot Q\left(\frac{ik}{2}\right) \sqrt{Q(0) Q\left(\frac{i}{2}\right) \frac{\det G_+}{\det G_-}}$$

$$\mathbb{T}_k = \sum_{a=-\frac{k-1}{2}}^{\frac{k-1}{2}} \frac{a^L}{Q\left(\frac{2a+1}{2}i\right) Q\left(\frac{2a-1}{2}i\right)}, \quad k \geq 2$$

Buhl-Mortensen, de
Leeuw, C.K. &
Zarembo '16

The full scalar sector of the D3-D5 set-up

$SO(6)$ spin chain



$$C_k(\mathbf{u}) = \frac{\langle \text{MPS}_k | \mathbf{u} \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{u} | \mathbf{u} \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}}} = \mathbb{T}_k \cdot Q_2 \left(\frac{ik}{2} \right) \sqrt{\frac{Q_2(0)Q_2(\frac{i}{2})}{Q_1(0)Q_1(\frac{i}{2})Q_3(0)Q_3(\frac{i}{2})}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{\det G_+}{\det G_-}}$$

$$\mathbb{T}_k = \sum_{a=-\frac{k-1}{2}}^{\frac{k-1}{2}} a^L \frac{Q_1(ia)Q_3(ia)}{Q_2(\frac{2a+1}{2}i)Q_2(\frac{2a-1}{2}i)}, \quad k \geq 2$$

This is the complete answer at tree level

Higher loops & other sectors: Start with |VBS⟩

Poszgay '18

$$SU(2) : \quad |VBS\rangle = (|XX\rangle + |YY\rangle)^{\otimes L/2}, \quad C = \frac{Q(0)}{Q(\frac{i}{2})} S \det G$$

$$SO(6): \quad |VBS\rangle = (|XX\rangle + |YY\rangle + |ZZ\rangle + |\bar{X}\bar{X}\rangle + |\bar{Y}\bar{Y}\rangle + |\bar{Z}\bar{Z}\rangle)^{\otimes L/2},$$

$$C = \frac{Q_1(0)Q_2(0)Q_3(0)}{Q_1(\frac{i}{2})Q_2(\frac{i}{2})Q_3(\frac{i}{2})} S \det G$$



de Leeuw, Gombor, C.K.,
Linardopoulos, Pozsgay '19

Gombor '21

$$SU(2|1) : \quad |VBS\rangle = (|XX\rangle + |\uparrow\downarrow\rangle - |\downarrow\uparrow\rangle)^{\otimes L/2}$$



C.K., Müller,
Zarembo '20

$$C = \frac{Q_1(0)}{Q_1(\frac{i}{2})Q_2(0)} S \det G$$

All loops & all sectors by bootstrap

Making use of:

- Symmetries: $PSU(2, 2|4)$
- Knowledge of the S-matrix from the spectral problem
- Consistency requirements (BYB, unitarity, crossing)

From the string theory perspective

Komatsu &
Wang, '20

- Assume integrability (factorization into two-particle overlaps)
- Input from one-loop perturbative calculation
- Obtain the result in the $SU(2)$ sub-sector

Buhl-Mortensen,
de Leeuw, Ipsen,
Wilhelm '17

Proof at the
classical level:
Linardopoulos,
Zarembo '21

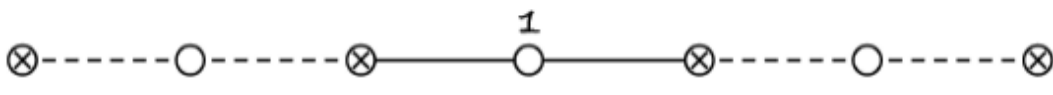
From the gauge theory (spin chain) perspective

Gombor &
Bajnok '20 I & II

- Assume factorized from of overlaps for $|\text{VBS}\rangle$
- Obtain the result for the entire theory

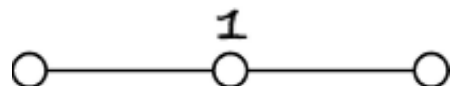
The leading order result for $|\text{VBS}\rangle$

Bajnok &
Gombor '20

$PSU(2, 2|4) :$ 

$$C = \frac{Q_1(0)Q_3(0)Q_4(0)Q_5(0)Q_7(0)}{Q_2(0)Q_2(\frac{i}{2})Q_4(\frac{i}{2})Q_6(0)Q_6(\frac{i}{2})} S \det G$$

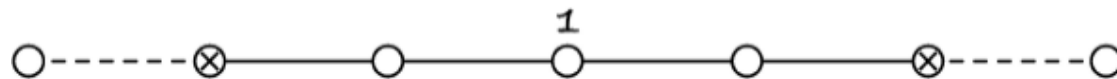
- How to compare to previous results ?



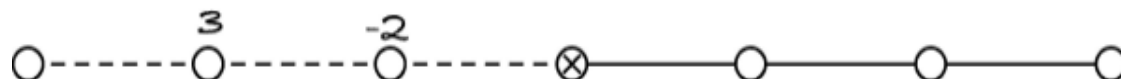
- What does the expression look like for other gradings ?

– The Beauty

Beisert &
Staudacher '04



– The Beast



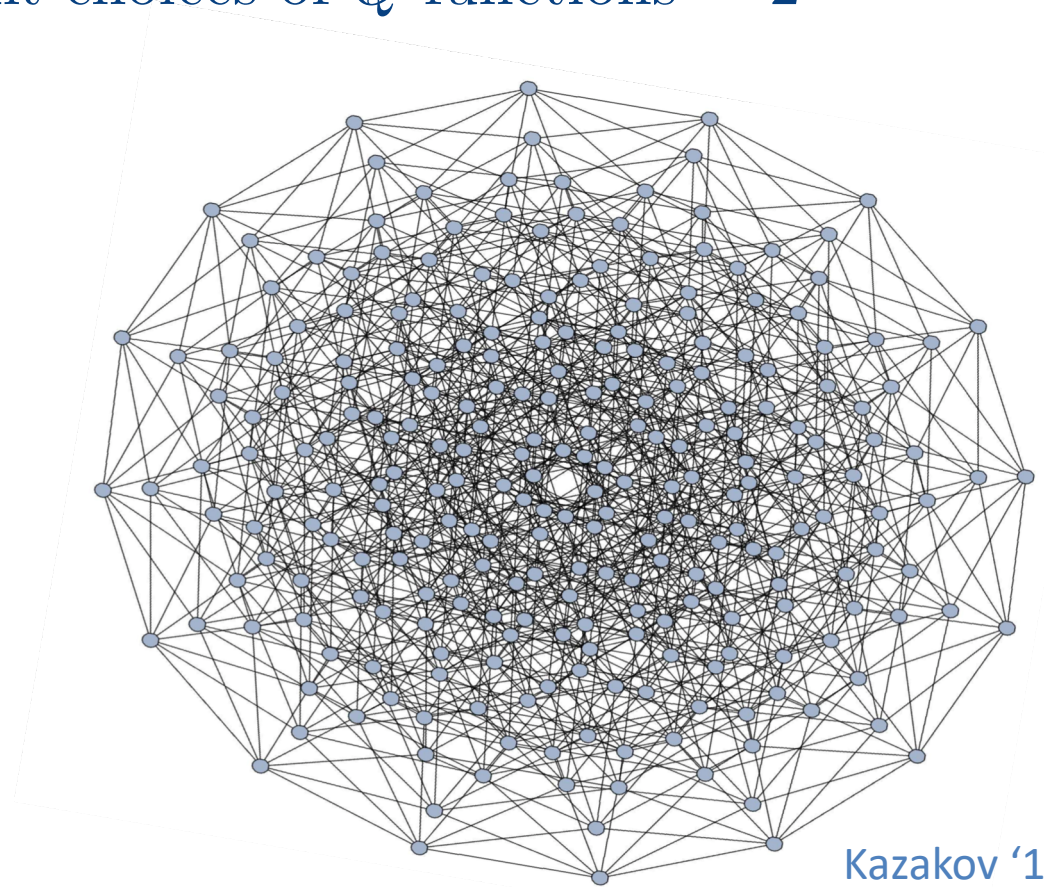
QQ-system

Many equivalent ways of writing the Bethe equations

For $\mathcal{N} = 4$ SYM, # different choices of Q -functions = 2^8

Connected via dualities

- Fermionic (Change of Dynkin diagram)
- Bosonic



Kazakov '18

$|\text{VBS}\rangle$ of relevance for AdS/dCFT singled out
by transforming covariantly under fermionic duality

Integrable Super Spin Chains (of type $SU(M|N)$)

Cartan matrix M_{ab} , Dynkin labels q_a

$a, b = 1, \dots, M + N - 1 = n = \#$ nodes in Dynkin diagram

Q -functions: $Q_a(u) = \prod_{j=1}^{K_a} (u - u_{a,j})$

Bethe equations:

$$(-1)^{M_{aa}+1} = \left(\frac{u_{a,j} - \frac{iq_a}{2}}{u_{a,j} + \frac{iq_a}{2}} \right)^L \prod_{b,k} \frac{u_{a,j} - u_{b,k} + \frac{iM_{ab}}{2}}{u_{a,j} - u_{b,k} - \frac{iM_{ab}}{2}} \equiv e^{i\chi_{a,j}}$$

Can also be expressed in terms of Q -functions

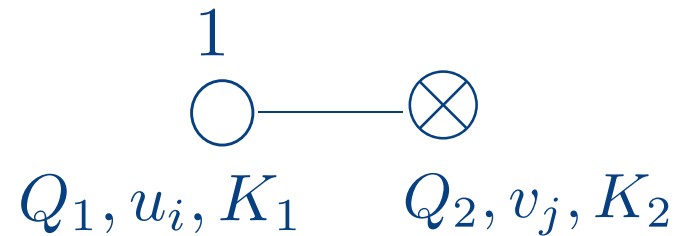
Gaudin matrix: $G_{aj,bk} = \frac{\partial \chi_{aj}}{\partial u_{bk}}$, of size $\sum_a K_a \times \sum_a K_a$

Example: $SU(2|1)$ super spin chain

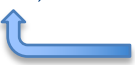
Encodes conformal single trace operators built from fields X (bosonic), Ψ_1, Ψ_2 (fermionic) in $\mathcal{N} = 4$ SYM

Cartan matrix Dynkin label

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad q = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$H = \sum_{n=1}^L (1 - \Pi_{n,n+1})$$


 graded permutation

Baxter polynomials

$$Q_1(u) = \prod_{i=1}^{K_1} (u - u_i), \quad Q_2(u) = \prod_{j=1}^{K_2} (v - v_j) \quad (\text{plus two trivial ones})$$

Vacuum: $|\Psi_1 \Psi_1 \dots\rangle$, Excitations at level 1 and 2: Ψ_2, X

Fermionic Duality: Ex: $SU(2|1)$

Beisert, Kazakov, ,
Sakai, Zarembo '05

$$\bigcirc \text{---} \bigotimes \quad M = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, q = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \bigotimes \text{---} \bigotimes \quad \widetilde{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \tilde{q} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$Q_1, u_i, K_1 \quad Q_2, v_j, K_2 \qquad Q_1, u_i, K_1 \quad \tilde{Q}_2, \tilde{v}_j, \tilde{K}_2$

Change of variables (from v_j to \tilde{v}_j)

K_2 roots v_j



$$Q_1^-(v) - Q_1^+(v) = Q_2(v) \cdot \tilde{Q}_2(v)$$

$$\tilde{K}_2 = K_1 - K_2 - 1 \text{ roots } \tilde{v}_j$$

$$1 = \frac{Q_1^-(v_k)}{Q_1^+(v_k)} \longrightarrow \frac{Q_1^+(\tilde{v}_k)}{Q_1^-(\tilde{v}_k)} = 1$$

$$-1 = \frac{Q_1^{++}(u_k)}{Q_1^{--}(u_k)} \cdot \frac{Q_2^-(u_k)}{Q_2^+(u_k)} \left(\frac{Q_\theta^-(u_k)}{Q_\theta^+(u_k)} \right)^L \longrightarrow \frac{\tilde{Q}_2^+(u_k)}{\tilde{Q}_2^-(u_k)} \left(\frac{Q_\theta^-(u_k)}{Q_\theta^+(u_k)} \right)^L = 1$$

A Web of Dualities: Ex: $SU(1|2)$

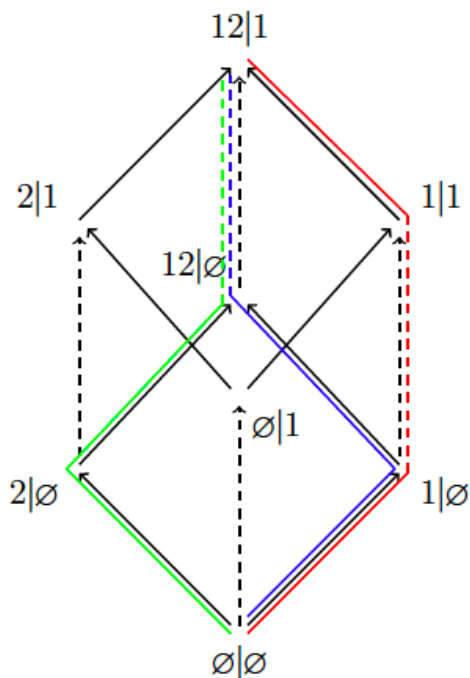
Tsuboi '98

2^3 Q -functions, 2 fixed

$$Q_{\emptyset|\emptyset} = u^L, \quad Q_{12|1} = 1$$

$6 = 3 \times 2$ versions of the BE's (\sim paths)

Standard choice: Blue path $\bigcirc \text{---} \bigotimes$



Fermionic Duality

(Change of variables
in the Bethe equations)



$$Q_{12|\emptyset} Q_{1|1} = Q_{1|\emptyset}^- - Q_{1|\emptyset}^+$$

Bosonic duality



$$Q_{1|\emptyset}^+ Q_{2|\emptyset}^- - Q_{1|\emptyset}^- Q_{2|\emptyset}^+ = Q_{\emptyset|\emptyset} Q_{12|\emptyset}$$

Transformation formula: Ex: $SU(2|1)$

$$\begin{array}{c} \bigcirc \text{---} \bigotimes \\ K_1 \quad K_2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \bigotimes \text{---} \bigotimes \\ K_1 \quad \tilde{K}_2 \end{array}$$

K_1, K_2 even $\implies \tilde{K}_2 = K_1 - K_2 - 1$ odd, i.e. \tilde{v} 's contain a single zero
 $\text{Det } \tilde{G}$ still factorizes

$Q_1^+(u) - Q_1^-(u) = iK_1 u Q_2(u) \tilde{Q}_2(u)$, with reduced Baxter polynomials

$$\boxed{\tilde{\mathbb{D}} = K_1 \frac{\tilde{Q}_2(0)Q_2(0)}{Q_1(\frac{i}{2})} \mathbb{D}}$$

Found numerically C.K., Müller,
Zarembo '20
 Analytical proof in progress

Notice:

- Holds semi-on-shell (the $\{u_i, -u_i\}$'s can be chosen at random)
- Covariance of overlap formula which involves $Q_2(0)\mathbb{D}$
- Factor K_1 signals that a hws is mapped to a descendent

Fermionic dualities in general

- Allow one to move between any two Dynkin diagrams of a super Lie algebra (of type $GL(N|M)$)

- Involve a fermionic node and its neighbours only



- Changes the nature of neighbouring nodes $\otimes \longleftrightarrow \bigcirc$
and the connections $\text{---} \longleftrightarrow \text{---}$

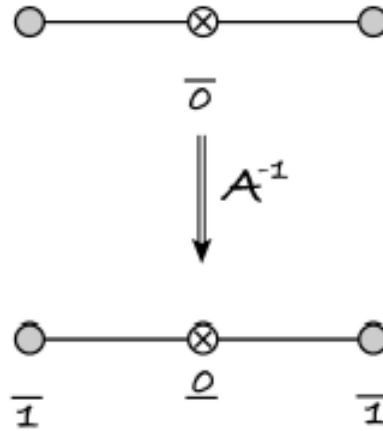
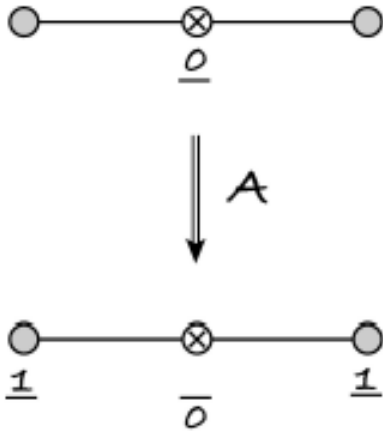
- Dualized node non-momentum carrying \implies Dynkin labels unchanged

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ V \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} V \pm 1 \\ -V \\ V \mp 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{for} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \otimes \text{---} \\ \text{---} \otimes \text{---} \end{array}$$

Most general case

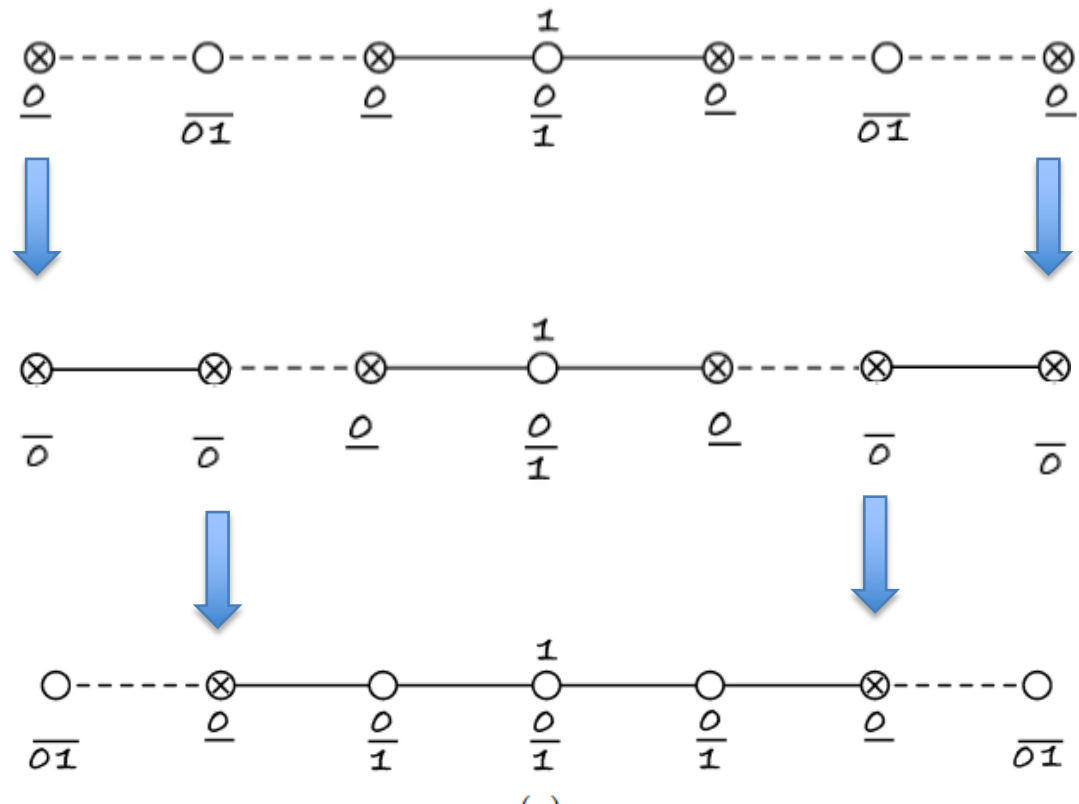
$$\mathbb{D} \propto \frac{Q_{a-1}\left(\frac{i}{2}\right) Q_{a+1}\left(\frac{i}{2}\right)}{\tilde{Q}_a(0) Q_a(0)} \tilde{\mathbb{D}}$$



Covariance of overlap formulas very constraining

Dualizing the overlap formula

$PSU(2, 2|4)$ overlap formula, alternating grading Gombor & Bajnok '20

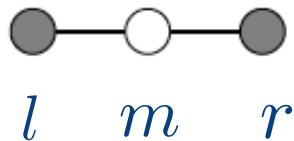


Agrees with field theory result in $SO(6)$ sector C.K., Müller, Zarembo '20

Covariance requirement fixes the overlap formula from $SO(6)$ result

Bosonic dualities in general

- Involve a bosonic node and its neighbours only



- Do not change the Dynkin diagram or the Dynkin labels
- Only involves Q -functions of the dualized node

$$\widetilde{\mathbb{D}} \sim \frac{Q_m(0) \widetilde{Q}_m(i/2)}{Q_m\left(\frac{i}{2}\right) \widetilde{Q}_m(0)} \mathbb{D}$$

- Overlaps in the scalar $SO(6)$ sector invariant (up to pre-factor)

Integrability of $|\text{MPS}\rangle$

	D3-D5	D3-D7	D3-D7
Supersymmetry	1/2 BPS	None	None
Brane geometry	$\text{AdS}_4 \times \text{S}^2$	$\text{AdS}_4 \times \text{S}^2 \times \text{S}^2$	$\text{AdS}_4 \times \text{S}^4$
Symmetry of vev's	$SU(2)$	$SU(2) \times SU(2)$	$SO(5)$
Dim. of rep./ Flux	k	k_1, k_2	$d = \frac{(n+1)(n+2)(n+3)}{6}$
$ \text{MPS}\rangle$	Integrable asymptotically	Non-integrable	Integrable at tree level
Overlaps	Exact formula derived	—	Exact formula derived

Solution SO(5) symmetric D3-D7 brane case. Tree level

$$\frac{\langle \mathbf{u} | \text{MPS}_n \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{u} | \mathbf{u} \rangle^{1/2}} = \Lambda_n \cdot \sqrt{\frac{Q_0(0) Q_0(\frac{1}{2})}{\bar{Q}_+(0) \bar{Q}_+(\frac{1}{2}) \bar{Q}_-(0) \bar{Q}_-(\frac{1}{2})}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{\det G_+}{\det G_-}}$$

$$\Lambda_n = 2^L \sum_{q=-\frac{n}{2}}^{\frac{n}{2}} q^L \left[\sum_{p=-\frac{n}{2}}^q \frac{Q_0(p - \frac{1}{2}) Q_-(q) Q_-(\frac{n}{2} + 1)}{Q_0(q - \frac{1}{2}) Q_-(p) Q_-(p - 1)} \right] \left[\sum_{r=q}^{\frac{n}{2}} \frac{Q_0(r + \frac{1}{2}) Q_+(q) Q_+(\frac{n}{2} + 1)}{Q_0(q + \frac{1}{2}) Q_+(r) Q_+(r + 1)} \right].$$

de Leeuw, C.K & Linardopoulos, '18. de Leeuw, Gombor C.K & Linardopoulos, Pozsgay '19.

Argument against higher loop integrability in Gombor & Bajnok, '20.

Perturbative program set up in:

Gimenez-Grau,
C.K, Volk &
Wilhelm '19

Match to next to leading order in d.s.l. for *chiral primary* of length L

D3-D7 set-up with SO(5) symmetry (non-supersymmetric and integrable)

$$\frac{\langle \text{Tr } Z^L \rangle}{\langle \text{Tr } Z^L \rangle|_{\text{tree}}} = 1 + \frac{\lambda}{4\pi^2 n^2} \frac{L(L+3)}{(L-1)} + \mathcal{O} \left(\left(\frac{\lambda}{4\pi^2 n^2} \right)^2 \right)$$

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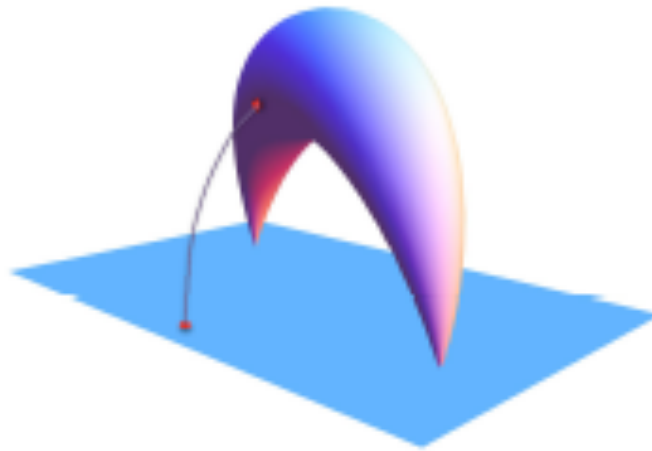
D3-D7 set-up with SO(3) × SO(3) symmetry (non-susy and non-integrable)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\langle \text{Tr } Z^L \rangle}{\langle \text{Tr } Z^L \rangle|_{\text{tree}}} = 1 + \frac{\lambda}{4\pi^2(k_1^2 + k_2^2)} \frac{1}{(L-1) \sin(L+2)\phi [k_1^2 + k_2^2]^3} \Big[\\ + 4Lk_1k_2 [(k_1)^4 + (k_2)^4 + (k_1k_2)^2(L+1)] \cos L\phi \\ + [(k_2)^2 - (k_1)^2] [4(k_1k_2)^2(L^2 + L - 1) + ((k_1)^4 + (k_2)^4)(L^2 + 3L - 2)] \sin L\phi \Big] \\ + \mathcal{O} \left(\left(\frac{\lambda}{4\pi^2(k_1^2 + k_2^2)} \right)^2 \right), \quad \phi = \arctan \left(\frac{k_1}{k_2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Gimenez-Grau, C.K,
Volk & Wilhelm, '18

Other integrable boundary states in AdS/CFT

Giant gravitons



Overlaps: \sim 3-point fcts

Bissi, C.K,
Young Zoubos '11

Two determinant operators and one single trace

Jiang, Komatsu
Vescovi, '19

$\mathcal{N} = 4$ SYM: Full non-perturbative expression by TBA (in principle)

ABJM: Leading order result

Yang, Jiang,
Komatsu, Wu '21

Hirano, C.K,
Young '12

Future directions

- Other integrable defect set-ups (ABJM, Coulomb branch, co-dimension-2 defects....)
- Constraining overlap formulas by fermionic duality
- Classification of integrable boundary states in $N=4$ SYM (VBS, MPS,...)
- Proof of duality transformation formulas
- Proof of factorized overlap formulas for super spin chains
- Higher loop integrability for D3-D7?
- Derive the TBA for overlaps (Finite size effects).

Thank you