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# Gauge choices, kinematic algebras, and (A)dS

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# Structure

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### Self-dual sector:

- invitation to homotopy algebras via kinematic algebras
- a toy model for curved space

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# Kinematic Algebras in YM

- Color-kinematic duality observed in scattering amplitudes [Bern, Carrasco, Johansson]
- Kinematic factors  $n_i$  (momenta, polarisation vectors) obey the same relations as color factors  $c_i$  (structure constants)

$$c_i + c_j + c_k = 0 \tag{1}$$

$$n_i + n_j + n_k = 0 \tag{2}$$

- (1) follows from Jacobi identity of gauge Lie algebra of YM
- Another algebra giving (2)? "kinematic algebra"

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# The self-dual sector is a great toy model

- Subsector of a theory where only one of the helicities survives (e.g. YM +1, gravity +2).
- Integrable: infinite tower of charges/symmetries.
- Relation to  $w_{1+\infty}$  (talk [Raclariu]) and sub<sup>n</sup>-leading soft theorems.
- Very simple expressions for (a subset) of scattering amplitudes.
- Alternative perturbation scheme.

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# Self-dual YM in light-cone gauge[Monteiro,O'Connell]

Self-duality relation

$$F_{\mu\nu} = \frac{\sqrt{g}}{2} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\lambda} F^{\rho\lambda},$$

- Work in light-cone coordinates: u = it + z, v = it z, w = x + iy,  $\overline{w} = x - iy$ ,
- Then, choosing light-cone gauge , we are left with

$$A_w = 0, \quad A_{\bar{w}} = \partial_u \Phi, \quad A_v = \partial_w \Phi,$$

where

$$\Box_{\mathbb{R}^4} \Phi + i \left[ \partial_u \Phi, \partial_w \Phi \right] = 0$$

Introduce Poisson bracket

$$\{f,g\} := \partial_w f \partial_u g - \partial_u f \partial_w g$$

and notice that it appears naturally in the scalar equation of motion:

$$\Box_{\mathbb{R}^4}\Phi-\frac{i}{2}[\{\Phi,\Phi\}]=0,$$

· Poisson bracket automatically satisfies Jacobi,

$$\{f, \{g, h\}\} + \{g, \{h, f\}\} + \{h, \{f, g\}\} = 0$$

kinematic algebra (area preserving diffeomorphisms).

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# Kinematic algebras

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 Chern Simons [Ben-Shahar, Johansson] - volume preserving diffeo, Hopf algebras in YM from Heavy Mass EFT [Brandhuber, Browna, Chen, Gowdy, Johansson, Lin, Travaglini, Wen], via twistor theory and/or pure spinors [Borsten, Jurco, Kim, Macrelli, Saemann, Wolf], beyond MHV

[Chen, Johansson, Teng, Wang], [Lee, Mafra, O. Schlotterer], [Ben-Shahar, Guillen], self-dual extensions/deformations [Chacon, Garcia-Compean, Luna,

Monteiro, White, Armostrong-Williams, Wikeley ]...

• Role of the gauge choice in constructing a (proper) kinematic algebra ?

# Homotopy algebras

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- Color-kinematics, double copy[Reiterer], [Zwiebach], [Lada, Stasheff], [Hohm, Zwiebach], [Borsten, Jurco, Kim, Macrelli, Saemann, Wolf], [Bonezzi, Chiaffrino, Diaz-Jaramillo, Hohm], [Szabo, Trojani].
- Connections to holography [Chiaffrino,Ersoy,Hohm], higher spins [Sharapov,Skvortsov], etc...
- Can think of them as generalisations of BV (BRST) formalism, but can be simpler in some ways.
- Give a general way to construct kinematic algebras.

# Self-dual general

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Applications to curved space • General SD relation

$$F_{\mu
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ho\sigma} \; ,$$

fully gauge covariant.

• Rewrite as:

$$(1-\star)F\equiv 2P_{-}F=0$$
,

• Separating the orders

$$2P_-dA+P_-[A,A]=0$$

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# $L_\infty$ algebras and homotopy

- An L<sub>∞</sub> algebra is a graded vector space X = ⊕<sub>i</sub> X<sub>i</sub> equipped with a (possibly infinite) set of graded symmetric multilinear maps B<sub>n</sub> : X<sup>⊗n</sup> → X.
- The maps obey a (possibly infinite) set of quadratic relations.
- Nilpotency:

$$B_1(B_1(\psi)) \equiv \mathrm{d}(\mathrm{d}(\psi)) = 0$$

• Leibniz rule

$$\mathrm{d}B_2(\psi_1,\psi_2)+B_2\big(\mathrm{d}(\psi_1),\psi_2\big)+(-1)^{\psi_1}B_2\big(\psi_1,\mathrm{d}(\psi_2)\big)=0$$

• Jacobi up to homotopy :

 $B_2 \Big( B_2(\psi_1,\psi_2),\psi_3 \Big) + (-1)^{\psi_1(\psi_2+\psi_3)} B_2 \Big( B_2(\psi_2,\psi_3),\psi_1 \Big) + (-1)^{\psi_3(\psi_1+\psi_2)} B_2 \Big( B_2(\psi_3,\psi_1),\psi_2 \Big) + (-1)^{\psi_3(\psi_1+\psi_2)} B_2 \Big( B_2(\psi_2,\psi_3),\psi_1 \Big) + (-1)^{\psi_3(\psi_2+\psi_3)} B_2 \Big( B_2(\psi_2,\psi_3),\psi_2 \Big) + (-1)^{\psi_3(\psi_2+\psi_3)} B_2 \Big( B_2(\psi_2,\psi_3),\psi_3 \Big) + (-1)^{\psi_3(\psi_2+\psi_3)} B_2 \Big( B_2(\psi_2,\psi_3),\psi_3 \Big) + (-1)^{\psi_3(\psi_3)} B_2 \Big( B_2(\psi_3,\psi_3),\psi_3 \Big) + (-1)^{\psi_3(\psi_3)} B_2 \Big( B_2(\psi_3,\psi_3),\psi_3 \Big) + (-1)^{\psi_3(\psi_3)} B_2 \Big( B_2(\psi_3),\psi_3 \Big) + (-1)^{\psi_3(\psi_3)} B_2 \Big) + (-$ 

$$\begin{split} &= -dB_3(\psi_1,\psi_2,\psi_3) - B_3(d(\psi_1),\psi_2,\psi_3) - (-1)^{\psi_1}B_3(\psi_1,d(\psi_2),\psi_3) \\ &- (-1)^{\psi_1+\psi_2}B_3(\psi_1,\psi_2,d(\psi_3)) \end{split}$$

higher order relations...

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# Explicit realisation for self-dual YM

• We have 3 vector spaces: gauge parameters, gauge fields, equations:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X_{-1} \stackrel{\mathrm{d}}{\longrightarrow} X_0 \stackrel{\mathrm{d}}{\longrightarrow} X_1 \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & A & E \end{array}$$

• We extract the explicit expressions for  $B_1 \equiv d$ ,  $B_2...$  from the e.o.m., symmetry transformations, gauge algebra:

$$d(A) = 2 P_{-} dA \in X_{1} , \qquad d(\Lambda) = d\Lambda \in X_{0}$$
  
$$B_{2}(A_{1}, A_{2}) = 2 P_{-}[A_{1}, A_{2}] \in X_{1} , \qquad B_{2}(A, \Lambda) = [A, \Lambda] \in X_{0} .$$

- B<sub>3</sub> and above vanish in this case
- Consistency relations ensure gauge covariance of e.o.m., closure of gauge algebra.

# Color-stripping

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Applications to curved space • The  $L_\infty$  algebra  $\mathcal{X}^{\mathrm{SDYM}}$  takes the form of a tensor product:

$$\mathcal{X}^{\mathrm{SDYM}} = \mathcal{K} \otimes \mathfrak{g} ,$$

• Expand an arbitrary element  $\psi(x)$  of  $\mathcal{X}^{\mathrm{SDYM}}$  in a basis  $\{T_a\}$  of  $\mathfrak{g}$ , and write it as

$$\psi(x) = u^a(x) \otimes T_a$$
,  $u^a(x) \in \mathcal{K}$ ,  $T_a \in \mathfrak{g}$ .

• Go from  $B_n$  to  $m_n$  maps via

$$\begin{split} \mathrm{d}(\psi(\mathbf{x})) &= \mathrm{d}(u^a(\mathbf{x})) \otimes T_a , \qquad B_1 = \mathrm{d} = m_1 \\ B_2(\psi_1, \psi_2) &= (-1)^{\psi_1} m_2(u_1^a, u_2^b) \otimes f_{ab}{}^c T_c \end{split}$$

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Now we have

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \mathcal{K}_0 & \stackrel{\mathrm{d}}{\longrightarrow} & \mathcal{K}_1 & \stackrel{\mathrm{d}}{\longrightarrow} & \mathcal{K}_2 \\ & & & & & \\ & \lambda & & \mathcal{A} & & \mathcal{E} \end{array},$$

with explicit maps

$$\begin{split} \mathrm{d}\mathcal{A} &= 2\,P_{-}\,d\mathcal{A} \in \mathcal{K}_{2}\;, \qquad \qquad \mathrm{d}\lambda = d\lambda \in \mathcal{K}_{1}\\ m_{2}(\mathcal{A}_{1},\mathcal{A}_{2}) &= 2\,P_{-}\,\big(\mathcal{A}_{1}\wedge\mathcal{A}_{2}\big) \in \mathcal{K}_{2}\;, \qquad m_{2}(\lambda,\mathcal{A}) = \lambda\wedge\mathcal{A} \in \mathcal{K}_{1} \end{split}$$

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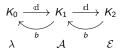
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# Constructing the kinematic algebra

Need to introduce another operator



We require b to be nilpotent:  $b^2 = 0$ , and to obey the defining relation

 $\mathrm{d} b + b \, \mathrm{d} = \Box \; ,$ 

In our case

 $b = d^{\dagger}$ 

• If *b* does not obey the Leibniz rule with respect to *m*<sub>2</sub>, its failure to do so can be used to define a graded symmetric bracket *b*<sub>2</sub> as

$$b_2(u_1, u_2) := b m_2(u_1, u_2) - m_2(bu_1, u_2) - (-1)^{u_1} m_2(u_1, bu_2) ,$$

In an amplitudes context, the bracket b<sub>2</sub>(A<sub>1</sub>, A<sub>2</sub>) between color-stripped fields gives the contribution to the kinematic numerator arising from a cubic vertex joining the external particles 1 and 2.

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# Constructing the kinematic algebra

- *b*<sub>2</sub> is our candidate for the generalisation of the Poisson bracket.
- Check Jacobi

$$\begin{split} b_2(b_2(u_1,u_2),u_3) + (-1)^{u_1(u_2+u_3)} b_2(b_2(u_2,u_3),u_1) + (-1)^{u_3(u_1+u_2)} b_2(b_2(u_3,u_1),u_2) \\ &= [\mathrm{d},[b,\theta_3]](u_1,u_2,u_3) - [\Box,\theta_3](u_1,u_2,u_3) \;, \end{split}$$

We can directly compute

$$egin{aligned} & heta_3(\mathcal{A}_1,\mathcal{A}_2,\mathcal{A}_3) = -\star ig(\mathcal{A}_1 \wedge \mathcal{A}_2 \wedge \mathcal{A}_3ig) \ , \ & heta_3(\mathcal{E},\mathcal{A}_1,\mathcal{A}_2) = 2 \, P_- ig\{\star ig(\mathcal{E} \wedge \mathcal{A}_{[1}ig) \wedge \mathcal{A}_{2]}ig\} \ , \end{aligned}$$

Jacobi follows from Leibniz rule.

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# Making the right gauge choices

• Obstruction to proper ("strict") algebra

$$egin{aligned} & heta_3(\mathcal{A}_1,\mathcal{A}_2,\mathcal{A}_3) = -\star ig(\mathcal{A}_1\wedge\mathcal{A}_2\wedge\mathcal{A}_3ig)\;, \ & heta_3(\mathcal{E},\mathcal{A}_1,\mathcal{A}_2) = 2\,P_-ig\{\starig(\mathcal{E}\wedge\mathcal{A}_{[1}ig)\wedge\mathcal{A}_{2]}ig\}\;, \end{aligned}$$

In LC gauge, the self-duality constraint A<sub>u</sub> = 0 additionally implies A<sub>w</sub> = 0, i.e. two of the components vanish, so

$$\theta_3 = 0$$

e.g. 
$$\star (A_1 \wedge A_2 \wedge A_3) \propto \varepsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} A_{1\nu} A_{2\rho} A_{3\sigma}$$

 One can extract the Poisson bracket of area-preserving diffeos [Monteiro,O'Connell]

$$b^lpha_2(\mathcal{A}_1,\mathcal{A}_2)=-2\,\epsilon^{lphaeta}\partial_etaig\{\Phi_1,\Phi_2ig\}\,.$$

 Apply to other theories to find the best gauge choice, or extract kinematic algebra without gauge fixing.

# Curved space

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- Add a non-zero cosmological constant Λ
- cosmology (dS), holography (AdS)
- Everything is more difficult!
- Amplitudes → correlators (see talks Wed-Fri)
- Self-dual toy model: integrability, simple kinematic algebras,  $w_{1+\infty}$ , closed-form for amplitudes/correlators ... ?
- See related works [Przanowski,Krasnov,Skvortsov,Neiman,Tran,Shaw,Herfray,] and relation to twistors [Adamo,Mason,Sharma]

### Self-dual YM

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Applications to curved space • Consider four dimensional Euclidean AdS<sub>4</sub> with unit radius in the Poincaré patch:

$$ds_{\rm AdS}^2 = \frac{dt^2 + dx^2 + dy^2 + dz^2}{z^2},$$

SD condition

$$F_{\mu\nu} = \frac{\sqrt{g}}{2} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\lambda} F^{\rho\lambda},$$

- Reduces to flat equation in AdS<sub>4</sub> (due to conformal flatness).
- In light cone coordinates u = it + z, v = it z, w = x + iy, w
   = x iy,
   the metric is

$$ds_{\mathrm{AdS}}^2 = rac{4\left(dw\,dar{w} - du\,dv
ight)}{\left(u - v
ight)^2},$$

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# Self-dual YM in light-cone gauge

• In LC gauge, the self-duality constraint is solved by

$$A_u = 0, \quad A_w = 0, \quad A_{\bar{w}} = \partial_u \Phi, \quad A_v = \partial_w \Phi$$

with

$$\Box_{\mathbb{R}^4} \Phi + i \left[ \partial_u \Phi, \partial_w \Phi \right] = 0$$

Split spacetime as

$$x^i = (u, w), \qquad y^{\alpha} = (v, \overline{w})$$

Introduce the operators

$$\Pi_{\alpha} = (\Pi_{v}, \Pi_{\bar{w}}) = (\partial_{w}, \partial_{u})$$

then

$$A_i = 0, \quad A_\alpha = \Pi_\alpha \Phi$$

Poisson bracket

$$\{f,g\}:=\partial_w f\partial_u g-\partial_u f\partial_w g=\varepsilon^{\alpha\beta}\Pi_\alpha f\Pi_\beta g,$$

so finally

$$\Box_{\mathbb{R}^4}\Phi-\frac{i}{2}[\{\Phi,\Phi\}]=0,$$

where we introduced the notation

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# Self-dual gravity in curved backgrounds

In flat background

$$R_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{g} \epsilon_{\mu\nu}{}^{\eta\lambda} R_{\eta\lambda\rho\sigma}.$$

Upon contracting two of the idices

$$R_{\mu\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{\mu}^{\ \sigma\eta\lambda} R_{\eta\lambda\rho\sigma} = 0$$

i.e. e.o.m=Bianchi !

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# Self-dual gravity in curved backgrounds

• In flat background

$$R_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{g} \epsilon_{\mu\nu}{}^{\eta\lambda} R_{\eta\lambda\rho\sigma}.$$

Upon contracting two of the idices, get e.o.m=Bianchi

$$R_{\mu\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{\mu}^{\ \sigma\eta\lambda} R_{\eta\lambda\rho\sigma} = 0$$

In curved background, introduce the tensor

$$T_{\mu
u
ho\sigma} = R_{\mu
u
ho\sigma} - rac{1}{3}\Lambda(g_{\mu
ho}g_{
u\sigma} - g_{
u
ho}g_{\mu\sigma}),$$

Self-duality relation

$$T_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{g} \epsilon_{\mu\nu}{}^{\eta\lambda} T_{\eta\lambda\rho\sigma}.$$

Upon contracting two indices:

$$R_{\mu\rho} - \Lambda g_{\mu\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{g} \epsilon_{\mu}{}^{\sigma\eta\lambda} R_{\eta\lambda\rho\sigma} = 0$$

• LHS reproduces e.o.m.  $R_{\mu\nu} = \Lambda g_{\mu\nu}$ ,  $R = 4\Lambda$ , and RHS is again Bianchi.

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### Relation to Weyl tensor

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Recall $C_{\mu\nu}{}^{\rho\sigma} = R_{\mu\nu}{}^{\rho\sigma} - 2R_{[\mu}{}^{[\rho}g_{\nu]}{}^{\sigma]} + \frac{1}{3}Rg_{[\mu}{}^{[\rho}g_{\nu]}{}^{\sigma]}$ 

• In flat space, on the support of the e.o.m.  $R_{\mu
u}=R=0$ 

$$C_{\mu
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ightarrow R_{\mu
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• In curved space, on the support of the e.o.m.  $R_{\mu\nu} = \Lambda g_{\mu\nu}, R = 4\Lambda$ 

$$C_{\mu
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ightarrow T_{\mu
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# Scalar description flat

• Notation (recall 
$$x^i = (u, w), y^{\alpha} = (v, \bar{w})$$
)

$$\Pi_{\alpha} = (\Pi_{v}, \Pi_{\bar{w}}) = (\partial_{w}, \partial_{u})$$

• In flat space, write the metric as (non-perturbative)

$$ds^2 = dw \, d\bar{w} - du \, dv + h_{\mu\nu} \, dx^\mu dx^\nu$$

• In LC gauge ( $h_{u\mu} = 0$ ), the self-duality constraint is then solved by

$$h_{i\mu} = 0, \quad h_{\alpha\beta} = \Pi_{\alpha} \Pi_{\beta} \phi,$$

with  $\phi$  satisfying

$$\Box_{\mathbb{R}^4}\phi - \{\{\phi,\phi\}\} = \mathbf{0},$$

where we introduced the notation

$$\{\{f,g\}\} = \frac{1}{2} \varepsilon^{\alpha\beta} \{\Pi_{\alpha}f, \Pi_{\beta}g\},$$

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- Notation (recall  $x^{i} = (u, w), y^{\alpha} = (v, \bar{w})$ )  $\Pi_{\alpha} = (\Pi_{v}, \Pi_{\bar{w}}) = (\partial_{w}, \partial_{u})$
- In flat space, write the metric as (non-perturbative)

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u,$$

• In LC gauge  $(h_{u\mu} = 0)$ , the self-duality constraint is then solved by

$$h_{i\mu} = 0, \ h_{\alpha\beta} = \Pi_{\alpha}\Pi_{\beta}\phi, \qquad A_i = 0, \ A_{\alpha} = \Pi_{\alpha}\Phi$$

with  $\phi$  satisfying

$$\Box_{\mathbb{R}^4}\phi - \{\{\phi,\phi\}\} = 0, \qquad \Box_{\mathbb{R}^4}\Phi - \frac{i}{2}[\{\Phi,\Phi\}] = 0,$$

where we introduced the notation

$$\{\{f,g\}\} = \frac{1}{2} \varepsilon^{\alpha\beta} \{\Pi_{\alpha}f, \Pi_{\beta}g\}, \qquad [\{f,g\}] = \varepsilon^{\alpha\beta} \left[\Pi_{\alpha}f, \Pi_{\beta}g\right].$$

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# Scalar description $AdS_4$

• Notation (recall 
$$x^i = (u, w), y^{\alpha} = (v, \bar{w})$$
)

$$\tilde{\Pi} = (\tilde{\Pi}_v, \tilde{\Pi}_{\bar{w}}) = \left(\partial_w, \partial_u - \frac{4}{u-v}\right),$$

• Write the metric as (non-perturbative)

$$ds^{2} = rac{4}{(u-v)^{2}} \left( dw \ d\bar{w} - du \ dv + h_{\mu\nu} \ dx^{\mu} dx^{
u} 
ight)$$

• In LC gauge ( $h_{u\mu} = 0$ ), the self-duality constraint is then solved by

$$h_{i\mu} = 0, \quad h_{\alpha\beta} = \Pi_{(\alpha} \tilde{\Pi}_{\beta)} \phi$$

with  $\phi$  satisfying

$$\sqrt{g}\left(-\Box_{\rm AdS}+m^2\right)\phi+4\left\{\left\{\frac{\phi}{u-v},\frac{\phi}{u-v}\right\}\right\}_*=0$$

where  $m^2=-2$  corresponding to a conformally coupled scalar in  ${\rm AdS}_4$  and we introduced the notation

$$\{\{f,g\}\}_* = \frac{1}{2} \varepsilon^{\alpha\beta} \{\Pi_{\alpha} f, \Pi_{\beta} g\}_*$$

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# Modified Poisson bracket

• Notation (recall 
$$x^i = (u, w), y^{\alpha} = (v, \bar{w})$$
)

$$\Pi_{\alpha} = (\Pi_{\nu}, \Pi_{\bar{w}}) = (\partial_{w}, \partial_{u}), \quad \tilde{\Pi} = (\tilde{\Pi}_{\nu}, \tilde{\Pi}_{\bar{w}}) = \left(\partial_{w}, \partial_{u} - \frac{4}{u-\nu}\right)$$

• The modified Poisson bracket is given by

$$\{f,g\}_* = \frac{1}{2} \varepsilon^{\alpha\beta} (\Pi_{\alpha} f \tilde{\Pi}_{\beta} g - \Pi_{\alpha} g \tilde{\Pi}_{\beta} f).$$

- Note  $\{f,g\}_* |_{\Pi \to \Pi} = \{f,g\} = \varepsilon^{\alpha\beta} \Pi_{\alpha} f \Pi_{\beta} g$
- Alternative forumula

$$\{f,g\}_* = \{f,g\} + \frac{2}{u-v} (f\partial_w g - g\partial_w f).$$

- In the flat-space limit  $z = (u v) \rightarrow \infty$ , we get  $\tilde{\Pi} \rightarrow \Pi$ , and  $\{,\} \Rightarrow \{,\}_*$
- Crucially, it satifies jacobi

$$\left\{f, \{g, h\}_{*}\right\}_{*} + \left\{g, \{h, f\}_{*}\right\}_{*} + \left\{h, \{f, g\}_{*}\right\}_{*} = 0.$$

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Applications to curved space • Scalar SD AdS equation dmits the following solutions, which are related to planewave solutions by a Weyl rescaling:

Correlators

$$\phi = (u - v)e^{ik \cdot x},$$

• Extract structure "constants":

$$\begin{cases} e^{ik_1 \cdot x}, e^{ik_2 \cdot x} \end{cases} = X(k_1, k_2) e^{i(k_1 + k_2) \cdot x}, \\ \begin{cases} e^{ik_1 \cdot x}, e^{ik_2 \cdot x} \end{cases}_* = \tilde{X}(k_1, k_2) e^{i(k_1 + k_2) \cdot x}, \end{cases}$$

where

$$X(k_{1}, k_{2}) = k_{1u}k_{2w} - k_{1w}k_{2u},$$
  
$$\tilde{X}(k_{1}, k_{2}) = X(k_{1}, k_{2}) - \frac{2i}{u - v}(k_{1} - k_{2})_{w}.$$

• computing three-point boundary correlators:

$$\begin{split} V_{\rm SDYM} &= \frac{1}{2} X \left( k_1, k_2 \right) f^{a_1 a_2 a_3}, \\ V_{\rm SDG} &= \frac{1}{2} X \left( k_1, k_2 \right) \tilde{X} \left( k_1, k_2 \right), \end{split}$$

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### Correlators

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$$0 = X(k_1, k_2) X(k_3, k_1 + k_2) + \text{cyclic}$$
  
=  $\tilde{X}(k_1, k_2) \tilde{X}(k_3, k_1 + k_2) + \text{cyclic}$ .

which follow from

$$\left\{f, \{g, h\}_{*}\right\}_{*} + \left\{g, \{h, f\}_{*}\right\}_{*} + \left\{h, \{f, g\}_{*}\right\}_{*} = 0.$$

Currently computing higher orders (with [Chowdhury,Lipstein,Monteiro,Singh])

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### • One can extract the $w_{1+\infty}$ from the Poisson breacket [Monteiro]

For an on-shell state, the momentum satisfies k<sub>w</sub>/k<sub>u</sub> = k<sub>v</sub>/k<sub>w</sub> = ρ, where ρ is some number. It is then possible to expand an on-shell plane wave as follows:

Deformed  $w_{1+\infty}$ 

$$e^{ik\cdot x} = \sum_{a,b=0}^{\infty} \frac{(ik_u)^a (ik_w)^b}{a!b!} \mathfrak{e}_{ab},$$

where  $\mathfrak{e}_{ab} = (u + \rho \bar{w})^a (w + \rho v)^b$ . This is naturally interpreted as an expansion in soft momenta. Letting  $w_m^p = \frac{1}{2}\mathfrak{e}_{p-1+m,p-1-m}$  and plugging this into the Poisson bracket:

$$\left\{w_{m}^{p}, w_{n}^{q}\right\} = (n(p-1) - m(q-1)) w_{m+n}^{p+q-2}$$

For our modified Poisson bracket

$$\left\{w_{m}^{p}, w_{n}^{q}\right\}_{*} = \left\{w_{m}^{p}, w_{n}^{q}\right\} + \frac{(m+q-p-n)}{u-v}w_{m+n+1/2}^{p+q-3/2}$$

 Local deformation, falls outside the classification of global deformations [Pope,Bittleston, Heuveline, Skinner, Bu, Etingof, Kalinov, Rains]

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# Conclusions and future directions

- Correlators simple formula at n points ?
- Connection to asymptotic symmetries.
- Integrability and connection to AdS/CFT.
- Full theory from expansion around self-dual sector.

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# Thank You !

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