

Supergravity Localization & AdS Black Holes

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- Corrections to Bekenstein-Hawking probe the quantum gravity regime.
- A natural question: can we give a Boltzmann interpretation of the exact entropy \mathcal{S} in terms of microscopic degeneracies?

$$\mathcal{S} \stackrel{?}{=} k_B \log d_{\text{micro}}$$

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- In fact, brane picture is very powerful: also allows for the computation of sub-leading corrections to the entropy. [Maldacena, Strominger, Witten '97]
[Dijkgraaf, Verlinde, Verlinde '97], [Maldacena, Moore, Strominger '99]
- For certain supersymmetric black holes, microscopic degeneracies are fully known as functions of the charges carried by the brane system.
- Generating functions obtained from topological invariants (elliptic genus and generalizations).

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- Followed (a lot of) generalizations to other models, other dimensions, etc...

[Azzurli, Bobev, Cabo-Bizet, Cricigno, Hosseini, Liu, Min, Nedelin, Giraldo-Rivera, Pando Zayas, Passias, Pilch, Rathee, Zhao...]

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 - ▶ The quantum entropy of asymptotically AdS black holes
 - ▶ Localization in gauged supergravity (gSUGRA)
[Dabholkar, Drukker, Gomes '14], [Nian, Zhang '17]
- See also talks by [B. de Wit](#) and [I. Jeon](#).

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- Focus on the entropy contribution from the **near-horizon**.
- Allows to consider a large class of asymptotically AdS BHs at once, namely all those with near-horizon attractor geometry $\text{AdS}_2 \times S^2$.
 See also talk by [K. Hristov](#).

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- Holographically, corresponds to a Witten index in the dual CFT_1 counting the number of ground states (microstates).

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- Specify the near-horizon 1/2-BPS field configuration, and look for off-shell BPS fluctuations around this background satisfying the attractor b.c.'s.

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- The (on-shell) compensating hypermultiplet:

$$\mathbb{H} = (A_i^\alpha, \zeta^\alpha)$$

- The gauging is specified by $(\xi_I, \xi^I = 0)$ and generators $t^\alpha{}_\beta$,

$$\mathcal{D}_\mu A_i^\alpha = (\partial_\mu - b_\mu) A_i^\alpha + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{V}_\mu^i{}_j A_j^\alpha - \xi_I W_\mu^I t^\alpha{}_\beta A_i^\beta$$

- In the gauge-fixed Poincaré theory, the gravitini are electrically charged.

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- $SU(2)_R$ gauge field fixed in terms of the vectors, $\dot{V}_\mu^{ij} = -2\xi_I \dot{W}_\mu^I t^{ij}$.

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- Among the 4 supercharges of the attractor background, we pick

Algebra of the localizing supercharge

$$(Q_{\text{loc}})^2 = \mathcal{L}_\tau + \delta_{SU(2)}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{v_1}} t^i_j\right) + \delta_{\text{gauge}}(X_\pm)$$

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$$X_{\pm}^I = \dot{X}_{\pm}^I + x_{\pm}^I \quad F_{ab}^I = \dot{F}_{ab}^I + f_{ab}^I \quad Y_{ij}^I = \dot{Y}_{ij}^I + y_{ij}^I$$

- The localizing equations constrain the fluctuations $(x_{\pm}^I, f_{ab}^I, y_{ij}^I)$.

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- Here we assumed smoothness of the BPS solutions. Additional singular configurations may contribute, similar to the orbifolded geometries $\text{AdS}_2/\mathbb{Z}_c$ in the asymptotically flat case. Set aside for now.

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- One-loop determinants currently being investigated.

[Hristov, Lodato, VR - WIP]

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- The value of \mathcal{Z}/\mathcal{L} at the **extremum** is the **Bekenstein-Hawking** entropy.
- Strong hint that the product of one-loop and perp. factors does not contribute at the level of the saddle-point.
Otherwise, would spoil the leading order agreement.
- At least for one-loop, reminiscent of the flat BH case where $Z_{1\text{-loop}}$ contributes at order $\log A_H$ and beyond.

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- At large N , the index $Z(p, \Delta) = \text{Tr}(-1)^F e^{-\beta H + \Delta_a J_a}$ can be evaluated in a variety of examples, including ABJM.
- Again setting aside the one-loop and perp. factors, integrand of \widehat{W} matches the one of d_{CFT} at large N upon identifying ϕ_+^I with the chemical potentials Δ_a and using the holographic dictionary.

- An observation: we obtained, in gauged SUGRA,

$$\widehat{W}_{\text{AdS}}(p, q) \sim \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \prod_I d\phi^I \delta(\xi_I \phi^I - 1) \exp[q_I \phi^I - p^I \mathcal{F}_I] Z_{1\text{-loop}}(\phi^I) Z_{\perp}$$

- Compare with the ungauged SUGRA result [Dabholkar, Gomes, Murthy '10]

$$\widehat{W}_{\text{flat}}(p, q) \sim \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \prod_I d\phi^I \exp[q_I \phi^I - \text{Im}\mathcal{F}(\phi^I + ip^I)] Z_{1\text{-loop}}(\phi^I)$$

with (see talk by I. Jeon) [Murthy, VR '15], [Gupta, Ito, Jeon '15], [Jeon, Murthy '18]

$$Z_{1\text{-loop}}(\phi^I) = \exp\left[-\left(2 - \frac{n_v + 1 - n_h}{12}\right)\mathcal{K}(\phi^I)\right]$$

- For specific models (IIB@ T^6), $\widehat{W}_{\text{flat}}$ can be computed exactly. Precise non-perturbative match with exact string theory results. Beautiful connection to number theory (Rademacher expansion).

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Thank you for your attention