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E1

ENERGY CORRELATION FUNCTIONS.

Q: - WHY ARE WE COMPUTING AMPLITUDES?

- WOULDN'T IT BE NICE TO COMPUTE DIRECTLY FINITE QUANTITIES?
- PHYSICAL QUANTITIES SHOULD BE NICER....

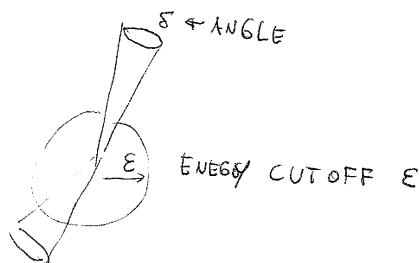
- VARIOUS IR FINITE OBSERVABLES.

- JET AMPLITUDES.
- EVENT SHAPE VARIABLES.
- "THRUST DISTRIBUTIONS"

$$T = \max_N \frac{\sum_i |P_i^{\text{cm}}|}{\sum_i |P_i|} \rightarrow \frac{dG(T)}{dT}$$

- ENERGY CORRELATIONS.

• JET AMPLITUDES.

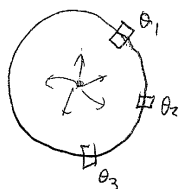


$$G \sim \sim e^{-\Gamma_{\text{cusp}} \log \delta \log Q/\epsilon} + \dots$$

$T \sim 1$ ALSO SUPPRESSED BY Γ_{cusp} .

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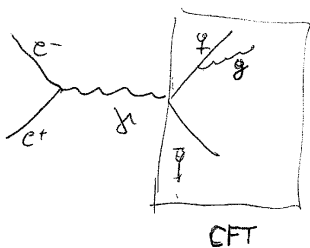
- ENERGY CORRELATORS



- DETECTORS ON A SPHERE AT ∞ .
- MEASURE ENERGY PER UNIT ANGLE AT ∞ . TOTAL ENERGY FLOW FOR ALL TIME.
- EACH EVENT $\rightarrow$ SERIES OF TICKS. $\rightarrow$ ENERGY DISTRIBUTION $E(\theta)$.

$\langle E(\theta_1) \dots E(\theta_n) \rangle =$ AVERAGE OVER ALL EVENTS.

- SIMPLEST CASE $\rightarrow$ WELL DEFINED INITIAL STATE $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma \rightarrow f\bar{f} \rightarrow$ CFT



$$E(\theta_1) = \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} R^2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt T_0 \cdot \hat{M}^i$$

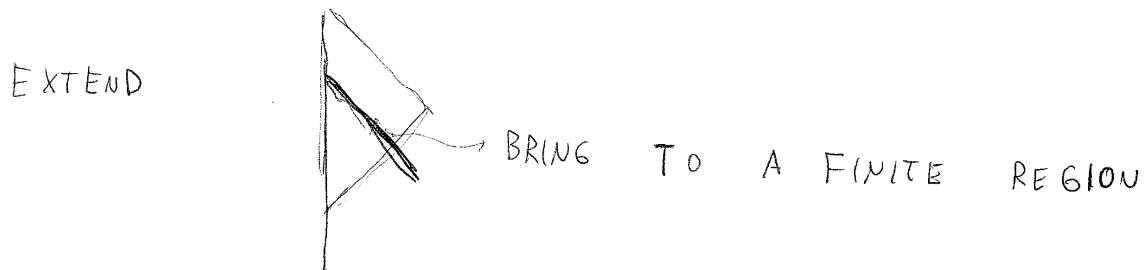
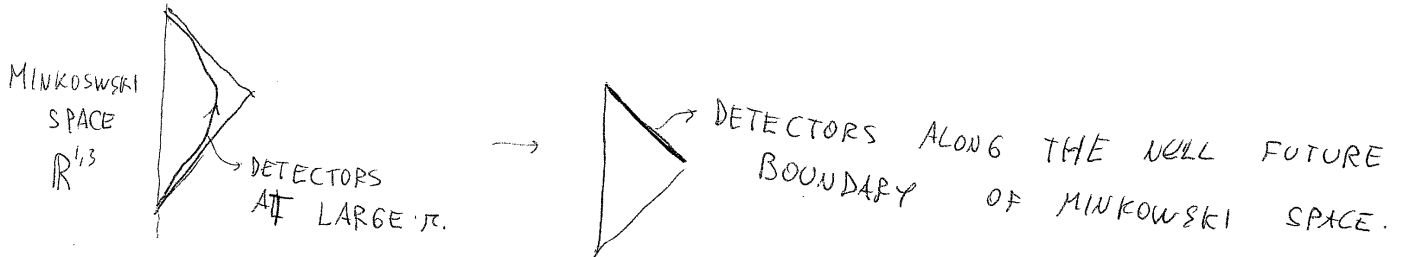
UNIT VECTOR IN DIRECTION $\hat{\theta}$ $ON S^2$

- DEFINED IN TERMS OF STRESS TENSOR CORRELATORS

$$\langle \Psi | E(\theta_1) \dots E(\theta_n) | \Psi \rangle = \langle 0 | \underbrace{\theta^\dagger E(\theta_1) \dots E(\theta_n)}_{\substack{\text{PROBE THE STATE} \\ \text{NOT TIME ORDERED}}} \underbrace{\theta}_{\substack{\text{CREATES THE STAT.}}} | 0 \rangle$$

E3

. TO UNDERSTAND THE NATURE OF THE OPERATORS
IT IS CONVENIENT TO DO A CONFORMAL TRANSFORMATION.



. MORE EXPLICITLY:

$$y^+ = -\frac{1}{x^+} \quad y^- = x^- - \frac{x_1^2 + x_2^2}{x^+} \quad y^{1,2} = \frac{x^{1,2}}{x^+}$$

$$dx^\mu dx_\mu = \frac{dy^\mu dy_\mu}{(y^+)^2}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 y^+ = 0 \text{ IS } x^+ = \infty & E(\theta) \xrightarrow{\text{RELATED TO}} & E(\vec{y}_\perp) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dy^- T_-(y^-, y^+ = 0, y_1, y_2) \\
 \begin{array}{c} y^-, \frac{\vec{y}_\perp}{y^+} \\ \uparrow \\ \text{NULL DIRECTION} \end{array} & & \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \text{DEPENDS} \\ \text{ON } y_1, y_2 \\ \downarrow \\ \text{ON A PLANE.} \end{array}
 \end{array}$$

ALL COMPONENTS OF P_μ ARE DETERMINED IN TERMS OF $E(\vec{y})$.

E4

CONFORMAL MINK. SPACE

$$-(z^1)^2 - (z^0)^2 + (z^1)^2 + \dots + (z_4)^2 = 0.$$

IDENTIFICATION: $z^\mu \sim \lambda z^\mu$

GENERATORS:

$$\Theta_{MN} = z_M \frac{\partial}{\partial z^N} - z_N \frac{\partial}{\partial z^M}.$$

$$P_\mu \sim z_\mu \frac{\partial}{\partial z^-} - z_- \frac{\partial}{\partial z^\mu}$$

THE BOUNDARY OF MINK. SPACE IS AT $z^+ = 0$.

$$P_\mu \Big|_{z^+=0} \approx z_\mu \frac{\partial}{\partial z^-}$$

ALL PROPORTIONAL TO THIS GENERATOR

IN $\mathbb{R}^{2,4}$

WITH METRIC

$$ds^2 = -(dz^0)^2 - (dz^1)^2 + (dz^2)^2 + \dots + (dz_4)^2$$

$$z^\pm = z^{(-)} \pm z^4$$

$$\mu = 0, 1, \dots, 3$$

$$x^\mu = \frac{z^\mu}{z^+}$$

(Metric $\rightarrow$ net $f(z) = 0$ eg $z^+ = 1$)

• LORENTZ SYMMETRY = $SO(1,3) = SL(2, \mathbb{C})$ = GROUP OF

CONFORMAL TRANSFORMATIONS ON S^2 = SPHERE AT ∞

$\mathcal{E} \rightarrow$ PRIMARY OPERATOR OF DIMENSION 3

$$\left(\int dy^- T_{--} \right) \text{ HAS DIM 3}$$

SYMMETRIES

• $B_{x^+x^-} \rightarrow$ DILATATION IN y^μ .

• $D_x \rightarrow B_{y^+y^-}$ IN y COORDINATES

• $SO(1,3)_x \rightarrow SL(2, \mathbb{C})$ IN y_1 PLANE $\approx$ SPHERE S^2 BY USUAL RIEMANN MAP.

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CONCLUSION

CONFORMAL TRANSFORMATION

ENERGY CORRELATORS
(ON S^2 AT ∞)



$\int dy^- T_{--}$
DISTRIBUTIONS ON y^-
(DENSITY)

SIMPLE IN LIGHT CONE GAUGE:

$y^+ = \text{TIME}$ $\int dy^- T_{--} = P_{--}(y^+, y^+) = \text{DENSITY OF } P_{--} \text{ in } y^-$

RECALL: IN LIGHT-CONE GAUGE WE HAVE A NON-RELATIVISTIC PROBLEM:

$$H \sim -P_+ \sim \frac{P_{\perp}^2}{(-P_-)} \quad (\text{DLCQ: } P_- \sim N/R, \dots)$$

WE ARE MEASURING THE P_{--} DENSITY OR MASS DENSITY (~~IN~~ IN THE NON RELATIVISTIC SETTING

• IS POSITIVE

(NOTE THAT $T_{--}(x^-)$ IS NOT POSITIVE)

• E IS A POSITIVE OPERATOR. (WILL IMPOSE ~~CONSTRAINTS~~ CONSTRAINTS).

• $E(y) E(y')$ COMMUTE FOR $y \neq y'$

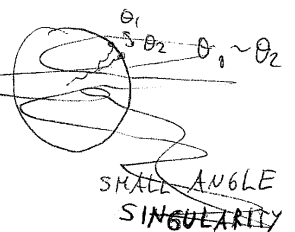
• VERY "LORENTZIAN" OBSERVABLE.

• WE WILL STUDY $E(y) E(y')$ AS $y_1 \rightarrow y'_1$

• WE CAN THINK OF DIAGONALIZING $E(y)$.

~~STATE~~ STATE $|k\rangle \rightarrow \rho[E(y)]$

$$\langle E(y_1) \dots E(y_n) \rangle = \int \rho[E(y_1)] \rho[E(y_2)] \dots$$



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- IN PRINCIPLE:

OTHER ~~EXCEPT~~ INCLUSIVE VARIABLES. CAN BE COMPUTED IF WE KNEW ALL ENERGY CORRELATORS.

$$\bullet \mathcal{F}(\mathcal{E}(\theta)) \quad \frac{dG}{dF} \sim \int \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{E}(\theta)) \mathcal{P}[\mathcal{E}(\theta)] \delta(\mathcal{F}(\mathcal{E}(\theta)) - F)$$

- IN PRACTICE

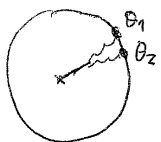
• ONLY A FEW ENERGY CORRELATORS ARE COMPUTED

• SO THEY ARE DIFFERENT OBSERVABLES.

(LEP GRAPHS...)



SMALL ANGLE SINGULARITIES:

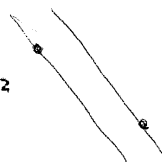


• DOMINATED BY COLINEAR RADIATION.

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{E}(\vec{y}_1) \mathcal{E}(\vec{y}_2) \quad \text{As } \vec{y}_1 \rightarrow \vec{y}_2 \\ & \downarrow \\ & \int dy T_{-} \quad \int dy T_{-} \end{aligned}$$

- THE DISTANCE IS SPACELIKE :

ANY 2-POINTS $\rightarrow$ SAME DISTANCE : $d^2 = (\vec{y}_1 - \vec{y}_2)^2$



- LIGHT-CONE OPE :

$$\mathcal{E}(\vec{y}_1) \mathcal{E}(\vec{y}_2) = \sum_n \int \mathcal{E}(\vec{y}_1) \mathcal{E}(\vec{y}_2) \sum_n |\vec{y}_1 - \vec{y}_2|_{\mathcal{E}_n - 2-2} \mathcal{O}_n(\vec{y}_2)$$

TWIST = $\Delta - S$

TWIST $[y^-] = 0$.

TWIST $[\mathcal{E}] = 2$.

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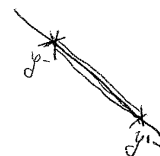
• σ_n = NON-LOCAL IN y^-

• LOCAL IN $y^+, \vec{y}_\perp$

• ROUGHLY

$$\sigma_n \sim \int dy^- \int dy'^- f(y, y') \text{Tr} [F_{-i}(y) W(y, y') F_{-i}(y')]$$

(TWIST 2 AT LEADING ORDER).



↑
WILSON
LINE

~~WHAT ARE THE PROPERTIES~~

①

10 PROPERTIES
OBSERVATIONS

- THESE OPERATORS ARE NATURAL IN LORENTZIAN SITUATIONS

- FAST MOVING PARTICLES..., ETC.

- APPEAR ALL OVER THE PLACE.

- IS THE NEW THING RELATIVE TO ORDINARY EUCLIDEAN OPE'S.

• PROPERTIES OF THESE OPERATORS.

Müller
Beilitsky
Kondensky.

• DEFINED ALONG A LINE

• TRANSFORMATIONS THAT LEAVE THE LINE FIXED

• COLINEAR CONFORMAL GROUP

$$P_-, K^-, D + B_{+-} \rightarrow SL(2, \mathbb{R}).$$

$$D - B_{+-} = \text{TWIST. (COLINEAR TWIST} \rightarrow \text{ONLY SPIN IN } \pm \text{ DIRECTIONS NOT TOTAL SPIN}).$$

$$= L - S$$

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- USE THESE SYMMETRIES TO CLASSIFY THE OPERATORS.

- ~~Diagonalize~~ DIAGONALIZE THE CONFORMAL SPIN $j = \frac{l+s}{2}$.

- LOWEST TWIST @ LOWEST ORDER.

2 INSERTIONS $(\phi(x) \phi(x'))$

→ DE COMPOSE INTO $SL(2, \mathbb{R})$ REPRESENTATIONS → 1-FOR EACH SPIN j .
(NOT HIGHEST WEIGHT REPRESENTATIONS).

- FOR EACH REPRESENTATION → FIX MOMENTUM ALONG x^- FOR CM.

• IN OUR CASE IT WILL BE ZERO.

SIDE REMARK

- e.g.:

$$\int dx' \bar{q}(x') e^{i(XP_-)(x-x')} q(x') = \hat{f}(x).$$

PDF: $f(x) = \langle P | \hat{f} | P \rangle$

- EVOLUTION → AP EQN → KERNEL → DIAGONALIZED BY GOING TO BASIS WITH FIXED $SL(2)$ SPIN.

- MOMENTS OF PDF'S → ~~SCALAR~~ OPERATORS w/ DEFINITE SPIN → (NOT NECESSARILY EVEN INTEGERS.).

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• BACK TO OUR CASE

$$\mathcal{E}(\vec{y}) \mathcal{E}(0) \sim \sum_n |\vec{y}|^{\tau_n - 2 - 2} \mathcal{O}_n.$$

SPIN IN $y^+ y^-$ PLANE: $\oint dy^- T_{--} \rightarrow \text{SPIN } 1.$

$$1 + 1 = 2.$$

• TOTAL SPIN OF $\mathcal{O} = 2$. $\rightarrow$ INTEGRAL OF SPIN 3 OPERATOR.

$$\mathcal{O} = \int dx^- \mathcal{O}_{---}$$

NOTHING LOCAL CAN BE CONSTRUCTED

NON-LOCAL

$$\sim \int_0^\infty \frac{d\alpha^-}{(\alpha^-)^2} \text{Tr} [F_{-i}(\alpha^-) F_{-i}(-\alpha^-)]$$

• $\tau_n =$ TWIST OF THE SPIN 3 OPERATOR

~~W.C.~~

• AMONG THE TWIST 2 OPERATORS ~~ALGEBRAIC~~ $\tau_n \approx 2 + \frac{1}{2} g^2 N \times \text{conf} > 0.$

• ONLY ~~ONE~~ A FEW WITH SPIN 3.

• OTHER SYMMETRIES.

• SPIN IN y_1, y_2 PLANE $\rightarrow$ ALLOWS $\rightarrow S_{12} = 0, \pm 2$
 $\downarrow \frac{1}{|\vec{y}|}$ $\downarrow \frac{\partial(\frac{y_i}{|\vec{y}|})}{|\vec{y}|}$

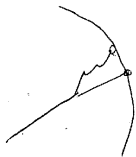
• $X^\pm \rightarrow -X^\pm \rightarrow \text{CPT}$ (EVEN OPERATORS ONLY).

~~W.C.~~

• IN $N=4$ SYM.

$$\text{Tr}[\phi\phi] \quad \text{Tr}[\psi\psi] \quad \text{Tr}[F_{-i}F_{-i}] \rightarrow S_{12}=0 \quad S_{12}=\pm 2, \quad \text{Tr}[F_{-i}F_{-j}]$$

E10



IN PERT THEORY

$$E(\theta) E(0) \sim \alpha \frac{\theta^{\gamma}}{\theta^2}$$

$\gamma \sim c$; $c > 0$ $\uparrow$ $\theta^2 \sim$ IR SAFE VERSION OF ~~θ^2~~ ϵ^2

$$\sim \alpha \frac{\theta^{dc}}{\theta^2}$$

$\theta \cdot \theta$

$$\int d^2\theta E(\theta) E(0) \sim \alpha \int d^2\theta \frac{\theta^{dc}}{\theta^2} \sim \frac{1}{\epsilon} \delta^{dc} \sim \text{cut}$$

NOT DIVERGENT AT ZERO

THE CONSTANT IS SUCH THAT WE ARE SIMPLY GETTING

$$\int d^2\theta E(\theta) E(0) \sim \langle E(0) \rangle^2$$

THE TOTAL ENERGY OF THE JET -

• OPENING ANGLE :

FRACTION $f < 1$ OF TOTAL ENERGY

$$f \sim \delta^{dc}$$

$$\sim \delta \sim f^{\frac{1}{dc}} \sim e^{-\frac{1}{dc} \log f}$$

KONISHI
OKAWA

VENEZIANO

→ 1-LOOP ANALYSIS IN QCD

MORE

PRECISE :

→ SEVERAL

OPERATORS

WITH

SIMILAR DIMENSIONS
 $\bar{\psi}\psi$, FF

L4

E10.5

- Start with some simple remarks about 1-pt functions
- Theoretical application of ~~collected~~ energy correlation functions

E II

1- POINT FUNCTIONS

$$\langle 0 | \theta^\dagger \epsilon(\theta) \theta | 0 \rangle$$

~~SCALAR~~ 4-MOMENTUM OF OPERATOR θ $q^\mu = (q^0, 0, 0, 0)$

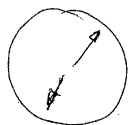
$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \theta \rightarrow$ ~~STATE~~ STATE IN CFT

(CFT $\approx$ UNPARTICLES)

SCALAR OPERATOR θ

SO(3) INVARIANCE $\rightarrow \epsilon(\theta) = \frac{q^0}{4\pi}$

UNIFORM.



S-WAVE

2-POINT FUNCTION WOULD NOT NECESSARILY BE $\left(\frac{q^0}{4\pi}\right)^2$.
(AT WEAK COUPLING IT IS NOT!).

CURRENT OPERATOR $\theta \sim \vec{J} \cdot \vec{J}$

$$\rightarrow \langle \epsilon(\theta) \rangle \sim \frac{q_0}{4\pi} \left[1 + a_2 \left(\cos^2 \theta - \frac{1}{3} \right) \right]$$

$\nwarrow$ INTEGRAL IS ZERO

1. UNDETERMINED COEFFICIENT a_2

$\rightarrow$ BOSONS $\rightarrow \sin^2 \theta$

FERMIONS $\rightarrow$ ~~$\cos^2 \theta$~~ $\cos^2 \theta$

$\rightarrow$ DETERMINED BY 3PT FUNCTIONS OF

~~$\langle J J T \rangle$~~ $\langle J J T \rangle \rightarrow 2$ POSSIBLE STRUCTURES.

E12

1 OF THEM FIXED BY THE WARD
IDENTITY OF THE STRESS TENSOR
(ENERGY CONSERVATION).

2nd DEPENDS ON THE THEORY

DEMANDING THAT $E(0) > 0$

WE GET SOME BOUNDS ON a_2

→ BOUNDS ON PROPERTIES OF OPE'S

$$\left(-\frac{3}{2} \leq a_2 \leq 3 \right)$$

↑ ↑
BOSONS FERMIONS

STRONG COUPLING → $a_2 = 0$ (UNIFORM).

J = GLOBAL SYMMETRY OF SUSY THEORY → UNIFORM. $a_2 = 0$. ALL COUPLING

J = R-CURRENT OF $d=1$ SUSY THEORY.

⇒ $a_2 \propto a - c$ a, c → ANOMALY COEFFICIENTS

$$\langle T_{\mu}^{\mu} \rangle \sim c (W_{eff})^2 + a (\text{EULER})$$

GRAVITY DUAL - I WILL GIVE A MORE PRECISE
DESCRIPTION LATER



2- POSSIBLE ON SHELL COUPLINGS. IN THE BULK

$\text{Tr}[F^2]$
↳ not give uniform

$\text{Tr}[RFF]$

↳ Higher derivative

IF PRESENT
→ CAN'T TRUST GRAVITY

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• SIMILAR STORY W/ STRESS TENSOR.

$$\sigma = \gamma_{ij} T_{ij} \rightarrow \text{GRAVITON } \cancel{\text{SCATTER}} \text{ INTERMEDIATE STATE}$$

$$\langle 0 | \sigma^\dagger \epsilon \sigma | 0 \rangle \sim \frac{q_0}{4\pi} \left[1 + \tilde{a}_2 \epsilon_{ij} \epsilon_{ik}^* \eta_j \eta_k + \tilde{a}_4 \epsilon_{ij} \epsilon_{kl} \eta_i \eta_j \eta_k \eta_l \right]$$

• Bosons
Fermions
Vectors

↔ POSITIVITY CONDITIONS.

• IN $N=1$ SUSY THEORIES $\tilde{a}_4 = 0$.

$$\text{AND } \tilde{a}_2 \sim \frac{a-c}{c} \quad \left| \frac{a-c}{c} \right| \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

→ BOUND:



SATURATED BY PURE VECTORS
OR PURE CHIRAL
MULTIPLETS.

• GRAVITY:



3 TYPES OF ON SHELL GRAVITON VERTICES -

$$\begin{array}{c} \diagup \\ \diagdown \end{array} \sqrt{g} R + \sqrt{g} R^2 + \sqrt{g} R^3$$

CPT: 3 TYPES OF CONFORMAL STRUCTURES -

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CURRENTS -

3-PT FUNCTIONS:

$$\langle j_i j_j j_k \rangle$$

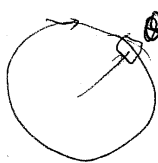
PARITY CONSERVING $\rightarrow$ 2 STRUCTURES

PARITY VIOLATING

~~NO~~ $\rightarrow$ 1 STRUCTURE

$\rightarrow$ ANOMALY -

CHARGE CORRELATORS.



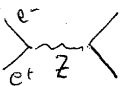
$Q(\theta)$ $\leftarrow$ CHARGE EXPECTATION VALUE AT THIS POINT

$$\langle 0 | \theta \quad Q(\theta) \quad \theta | 0 \rangle$$

$$\langle 0 | J^\dagger \int J \quad J | 0 \rangle \sim \text{Im} \left[\epsilon^{ijk} g_i g_j^* m^k \right]$$

ANOMALY
COEFFICIENT

$$\sim \sin \theta$$



$$\langle 0 | J_z^\dagger \quad Q_{em} \quad J_z | 0 \rangle \sim \text{ANOMALOUS PIECE}$$

IF WE RESTRICT TO
LEPTONS ONLY

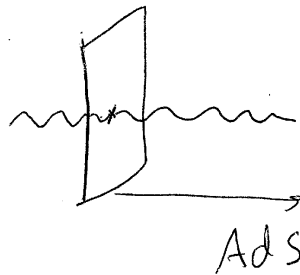
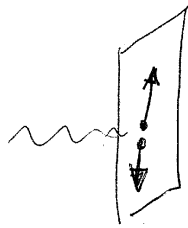
$\rightarrow$ FORWARD - BACKWARDS ASYMMETRIES $\rightarrow$ RELATED TO ANOMALIES
 $\rightarrow$ NO CHARGE ASYMMETRIES IF WE HAD QUARKS -

• Some theoretical applications of energy correlators
 $N=4$

(E 14.5)

• YANG MILLS VS. Gravity

gluons $\leftrightarrow$ strings.

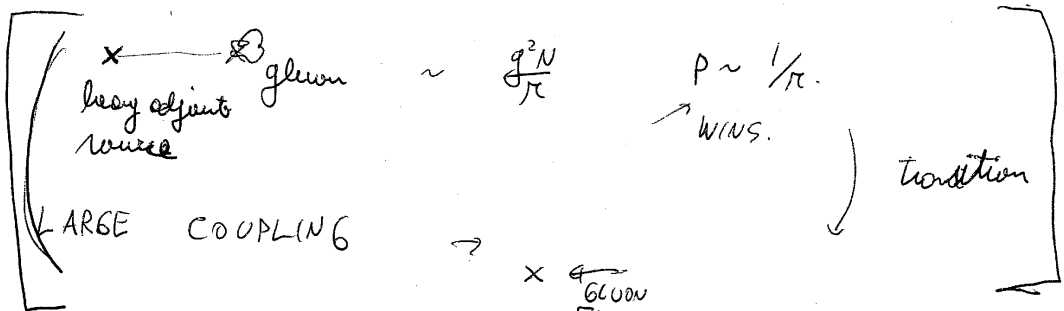


- Why are these pictures so different?

- What is the difference precisely

(is it ^{simply} that we have an S-wave for the $q \bar{q}$ ~~?~~?)

- Is there any kind of transition between one picture and the other



• How does the energy distribution change?

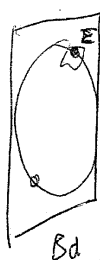
- Intuition: $\hookrightarrow$ LARGE AMOUNTS OF RADIATION
 $\rightarrow$ UNIFORM DISTRIBUTION OF ENERGY.

uniform energy

E 15

~~Complete~~

COMPUTATION OF ENERGY CORRELATION
FUNCTIONS ~~IN ADS~~ AT STRONG
COUPLING in $N=4$ SYM.



$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} R^2 \int dt T_{00} = E(\theta)$$

COORDINATE
CHANGE

$$E(\vec{y}) = \int dy^- T_{--}(y^-)$$

AT $y^+ = 0$.

$E(\vec{y}) \rightarrow$ GRAVITON INSERTION IN THE BULK.

$$g_{\mu\nu} + h_{\mu\nu} \sim \frac{z^{\otimes 2}}{((y-y')^2 + z^2)^4} \longrightarrow S_h = \frac{\delta(y^+) z^{\otimes 2} (dy^+)^3}{((\vec{y}-\vec{y}') + z^2)^3} \leftrightarrow E(\vec{y})$$

SHOCK WAVE $\rightarrow$ PROBES
THE STATE AS IT CROSSES
 $y^+ = 0$

$y^+, \vec{y}, z =$ BULK
COORDINATES

$$-W_0^{(4)^2} - W_0^2 + W_1^2 + \dots + W_3^2 + W_4^2 = -1$$

GO BACK & FORTH BETWEEN VARIOUS COORDINATE

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SYSTEMS BY EXPRESSING W^μ
IN DIFFERENT WAYS.

• IN SOME COORDINATES:

$$\delta(y^+) \rightarrow \delta(w^+) \rightarrow -(w^0)^2 + (w^1)^2 + \dots + (w_4)^2 = -1$$

$\downarrow$ H_3

$$E(\vec{m}) \rightarrow \frac{\delta(w^+) (dw^+)^2}{(w^0 + \vec{w} \cdot \vec{m})^3} \approx \int_{H_3} dx^1 dx^2 dx^3$$



S^2 = SPHERE AT ∞ IN POINCARÉ
COORDINATES

• $H_3 \times W^- \rightarrow$ HORIZON OF ADS IN USUAL
POINCARÉ PATCH
 $\left(\frac{dx^2 + dr^2}{r^2} \quad (r = \infty) \right)$

• ~~SP~~

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• STATE FALLING IN:

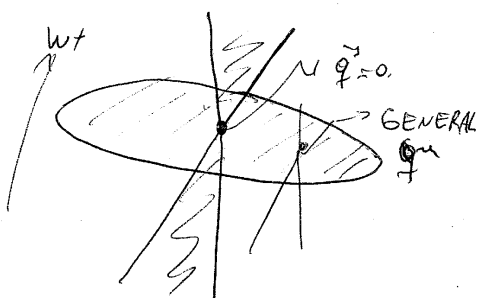
$$\sigma_q |0\rangle_{\text{CFT}} \longrightarrow \sigma_q = \int d^4x e^{iq \cdot x} \sigma(x).$$

IF WE HAVE A STATE WITH
FIXED 4-MOMENTUM:

• IT CROSSES $w^+ = 0$, AT A
PARTICULAR POINT IN w^μ & $P_- = \frac{\partial}{\partial w^-}$

WILL BE RELATED TO q^2 .

$$P_\mu \Big|_{w^+=0} \approx \underbrace{w_\mu \frac{\partial}{\partial w^-}}_{P_-} - \cancel{w^+ \frac{\partial}{\partial w^+}}$$



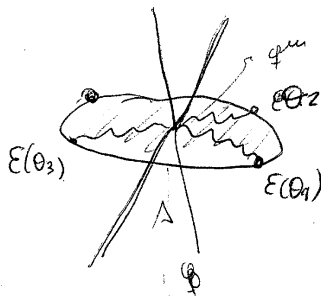
• IF $q^\mu = (q^0, \vec{q}=0)$

→ CROSSES AT THE
"CENTER" OF $\mathbb{H}^3$.

$SL(2, \mathbb{C}) \simeq SO(4, 1)$ BOOSTS

→ ISOMETRIES OF $\mathbb{H}^3$ → MORE GENERAL q^μ

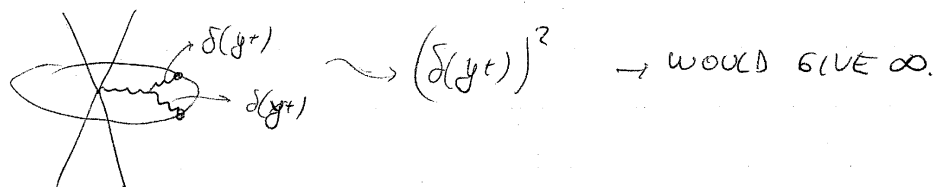
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- PROBE THE STATE AT $y^+ = 0$

- CHECK THAT IT MAKES SENSE

①



(a) : IN GRAV $\rightarrow$ PLANE WAVES $\rightarrow$ EXACT SOLUTIONS
 $\rightarrow$ NO SUCH DIAGRAMS.

REAL REASON (b) $\rightarrow$ IN STRING THEORY $\rightarrow (\delta(y^+))^2 \rightarrow$ REPLACED

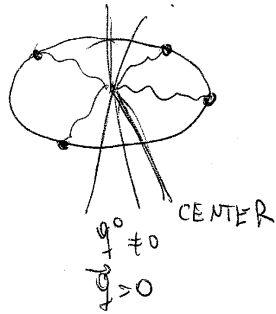
BY SOMETHING SMOOTHER

$\times$ REGGE BEHAVIOR $\sim \frac{1}{s^{2+\frac{\alpha' t}{2}}}$

$$S(y^+) \rightarrow \int ds A(s, t).$$

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GRAVITY RESULT:



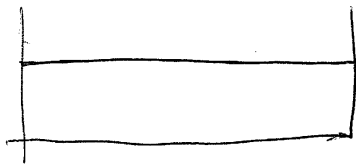
ALL INDEPENDENT

EACH $\epsilon(\theta) \rightarrow$ INDEP OF θ .

GRAVITY

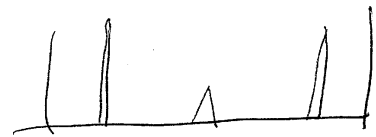
COMPLETELY UNIFORM WITH NO FLUCTUATIONS

$\epsilon(\theta)$



?

PERT THEORY



DIFFERENT EVENTS
LOOK DIFFERENT

COMPLETELY INDEPENDENT OF THE SPIN OF THE PARTICLE

LOCALIZED PARTICLE IN BULK $\rightarrow$ UNIFORM
POINTLIKE
(DELOCALIZED)
DISTRIBUTION ON THE BOUNDARY
(MOVING POINT $\rightarrow$ BOOSTING)
 $\rightarrow$ SL(2,C)

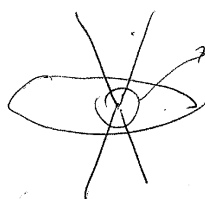
WHAT GIVES A NON-UNIFORM DISTRIBUTION?

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• STRINGY CORRECTIONS.

OBS:

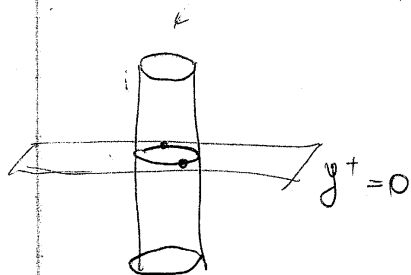
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LOCALIZED



zoom $\rightarrow$ 10-d SPACE

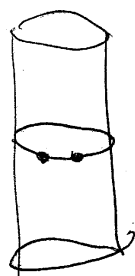


• $\uparrow$ FALLING STRING

• LIGHT-CONE GAUGE $y^+ = \tau$.

• PROBED AT $y^+ = 0$ OR $\tau = 0$

• VERTEX OPERATORS $\rightarrow$ WAVEFUNCTION OF GRAVITONS $\rightarrow$ LOCALIZED AT $y^+ = 0, \tau = 0$.



2-pt FN.

TRANSVERSE 3-d SPACE $\vec{x}^{\perp} = 0$

$$\int d\sigma_1 d\sigma_2 \left\langle P_- e^{i k_1 X(\sigma_1)} P_- e^{i k_2 X(\sigma_2)} \right\rangle$$

$$P_-^2 \frac{1}{|\ln(\sigma_1 - \sigma_2)|} \alpha' \vec{k}_1 \cdot \vec{k}_2$$

$$\delta(y^+) (2\alpha')^2 e^{i k \cdot x}$$

$$y^+ = P_- z \rightarrow P_- \delta(z) e^{i k \cdot x}$$

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FACTORS OF $P_L \rightarrow$ TOTAL SPIN IN y^+y^- PLANE $\rightarrow$ (CONSERVED---)

→

DO INTEGRALS.

$$\frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\alpha' k_1 \cdot k_2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{\alpha' k_1 \cdot k_2}{2}\right)} 2^{\alpha' k_1 \cdot k_2}$$

$$\approx 1 + \frac{\pi^2}{24} (\alpha' k_1 \cdot k_2)^2.$$

FIRST CORRECTION: ↗

↓

INSERT IN FULL WAVE FUNCTIONS & INTEGRATE.

→ GET:

$$\langle \mathcal{E}(\theta_1) \mathcal{E}(\theta_2) \rangle \sim \left(\frac{g_0}{4\pi}\right)^2 \left[1 + \underbrace{\alpha'^2}_{\frac{1}{\lambda^2} = \frac{1}{g_{UV}^2}} (\cos\theta^2 - \frac{1}{3}) + \dots \right]$$

→ COMPUTE HIGHER POINT FUNCTIONS.

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• OPE

$$\langle \mathcal{E}(\theta_1) \mathcal{E}(\theta_2) \rangle$$

$$\text{AS } \theta_1 \rightarrow \theta_2$$

→ POLES IN Γ FUNCTIONS $\frac{\alpha' k_1 \cdot k_2}{2} \sim$

$$t = -(k_1 + k_2)^2 = \frac{2 + qM}{\alpha'}$$

→ NO ON SHELL ~~OPEN~~ CLOSED STRINGS

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \bullet \text{ VENEZIANO } \int ds A_g(s, t) \sim \int ds \frac{1}{s^2} s^{\frac{\alpha' t}{2}} \end{array} \right)$$

• WORLD SHEET OPE :

$$p_-^2 e^{ik_1 \cdot X_1} e^{ik_2 \cdot X_2} \sim p_-^2 |\sigma|^{-1} e^{i(k_1 + k_2) \cdot X}$$

$$\textcircled{\bullet} p_-^2 \rightarrow \frac{\delta(y^+) (\partial_\sigma y^+)^3}{(\partial_\sigma y^+ \partial_\sigma y^+)^{3/2}}$$

→ SPIN 3 STATE

& NON-LOCAL → NON-LOCAL ^{LIGHT RAY} OPERATORS IN STRING THEORY

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• MASS SHELL CONDITION.

$$\Delta \sim mR ; m^2 \sim -k^2$$

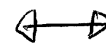
$$\Delta \approx \sqrt{z} \sqrt{j-2} \lambda^{1/4}$$

⇒ WE SEE THAT WE GET THIS LARGE
DIMENSION IF $\lambda \gg 1$

$$E(\theta) E(\theta) \sim \underbrace{\theta^{-2+2}}_{\text{LARGE}} \theta^{-2 + \underbrace{(2-2)}_{\text{LARGE}}} \rightarrow \text{NON SINGULAR}$$

• LARGE ANOMALOUS DIMENSIONS

FOR ~~SPIN 2 OPS~~
HIGHER SPIN OPERATORS

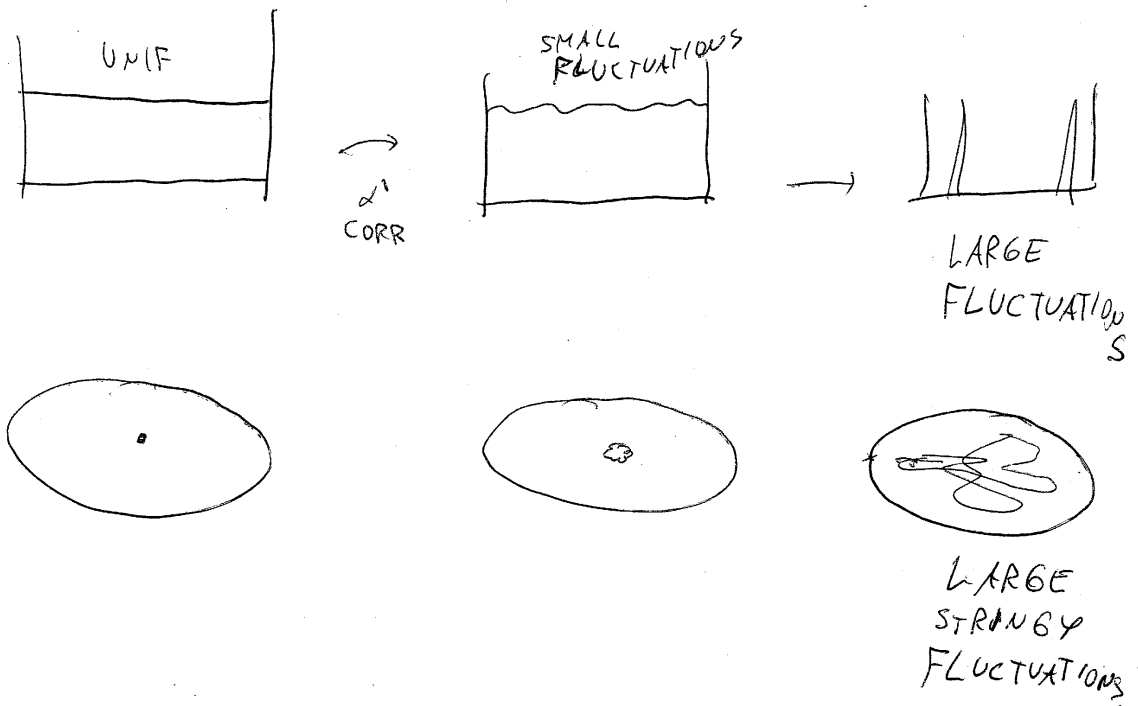


HOW
UNIFORM
THE
DISTRIBUTION
IS



VALIDITY OF
THE GRAVITY
APPROXIMATION.

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• RANDOM VARIABLES THAT DETERMINE THE FLUCTUATIONS.

→ WAVE FUNCTIONAL OF THE STRING.

→ POINT → PARTICLE → ONLY CM → FIXED BY TOTAL MOMENTUM REQUIREMENT

• MEASURING THE STATE AT ∞ IN THE GAUGE THEORY =

= "TAKING A SNAPSHOT OF THE STRING AS IT FALLS THROUGH THE HORIZON"

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• NON CONFORMAL / CONFINING.

→ FACTORIZATION?

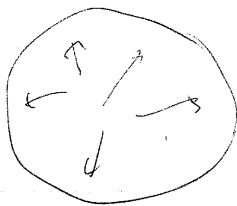
② → NOT VALID @ LARGE N IN CONFINING THEORIES

③ → WOULD NOT BE VALID IN NATURE IF QUARKS WERE HEAVY $m_q \gtrsim \text{FEW GeV}$.

→ PROVEN IN PERTURBATION THEORY

→ SEEMS TO WORK FOR $N=3$.

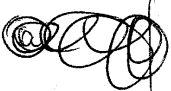
→ WHAT DO WE NEED?



PATTERN
FIXED DURING CONFORMAL EVOLUTION.

NEED

↓
RAPID TRANSITION TO HADRONS.

IN (a) & (b) → GET A STRING WHICH OSCILLATES A LOT  → INITIAL PATTERNS → GREATLY AFFECTED BY CONFINEMENT.

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• COSMOLOGY ANALOGY

• 2-d SPHERE $\rightarrow$ FLUCTUATIONS.

• HADRONIZATION & HORIZON REENTRY -

- ENERGY CORRELATIONS -

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PR D 19, 2018 (1979)

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- SMALL ANGLE OPE

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- ENERGY CORRELATORS @ STRONG COUPLING VIA GRAVITY

- SMALL ANGLE IN QCD (AT 1-LOOP)

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