Asymptotic Analysis of Random Matrices and Orthogonal Polynomials

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Two starting and ending points

- In case of two (or more) starting and two (or more) end points, the positions of non-intersecting Brownian motions, are not a MOP ensemble in the sense that we discussed.
- There is an extension using MOPs of mixed type that applies here.
- There is still a RH problem but with jump condition

$$Y_{+}(x) = Y_{-}(x) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & * & * \\ 0 & 1 & * & * \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

and a Christoffel-Darboux formula for the correlation kernel.

Critical separation



- Two tangent ellipses and limiting density at each time consists of two semicircle laws.
- New scaling limits at the point where ellipses meet, called tacnode.

Delvaux, K, Zhang (2011) Adler, Ferrari, Van Moerbeke (2012) Johansson (arXiv)

Random matrix model with external source

• Hermitian matrix model with external source

$$\frac{1}{Z_n}e^{-n\operatorname{Tr}(V(M)-AM)}\,dM$$

• Assume *n* is even and external source is

$$A = \operatorname{diag}(\underbrace{a, \ldots, a}_{n/2 \text{ times}}, \underbrace{-a, \ldots, -a}_{n/2 \text{ times}}), \qquad a > 0.$$

• Assume V is an even polynomial

Asymptotic analysis in this case is taken from the paper P. Bleher, S. Delvaux, and A.B.J. Kuijlaars, Random matrix model with external source and a vector equilibrium problem, Comm. Pure Appl. Math. 64 (2011), 116–160

Reminder: MOP ensemble

• Eigenvalues are MOP ensemble with weights

$$w_1(x) = e^{-n(V(x)-ax)}, \qquad w_2(x) = e^{-n(V(x)+ax)}$$

and $\vec{n} = (n/2, n/2)$.

• Eigenvalue correlation kernel is

$$\mathcal{K}_n(x,y) = \frac{1}{2\pi i (x-y)} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & w_1(y) & w_2(y) \end{pmatrix} Y_+^{-1}(y) Y_+(x) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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where Y is the solution of a RH problem.

Reminder: RH problem

RH-Y1 $Y : \mathbb{C} \setminus \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{C}^{3 \times 3}$ is analytic. RH-Y2 Y has boundary values for $x \in \mathbb{R}$, denoted by $Y_{\pm}(x)$, and

$$Y_{+}(x) = Y_{-}(x) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & e^{-n(V(x)-ax)} & e^{-n(V(x)+ax)} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

RH-Y3 As $z \to \infty$,

$$Y(z) = \left(I + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)\right) \begin{pmatrix} z^n & 0 & 0\\ 0 & z^{-n/2} & 0\\ 0 & 0 & z^{-n/2} \end{pmatrix}$$

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Simplifying assumptions (for convenience)

- *n* is a multiple of four.
- The eigenvalues of *M* accumulate as n→∞ on at most 2 intervals.
- We are in a non-critical situation.

By second assumption and symmetry, limiting support of eigenvalues is either one interval

$$[-q,q], \qquad q>0$$

or union of two symmetric intervals

$$[-q,-p] \cup [p,q], \qquad q > p > 0$$

• The assumption on support is satisfied if $x \mapsto V(\sqrt{x})$ is convex on $[0, \infty)$.

First transformation

• lump for x > 0

Define X by

$$X(z) = Y(z) imes \begin{cases} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -e^{-2naz} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, & ext{ for } \operatorname{Re} z > 0, \\ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -e^{2naz} & 1 \end{pmatrix}, & ext{ for } \operatorname{Re} z < 0. \end{cases}$$

$$X_{-}^{-1}(x)X_{+}(x) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & e^{-2nax} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} Y_{-}(x)^{-1}Y_{+}(x) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -e^{2nax} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Jump for x > 0 (cont.)

$$\begin{aligned} X_{-}^{-1}(x)X_{+}(x) &= \\ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & e^{-2nax} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & e^{-n(V(x)-ax)} & e^{-n(V(x)+ax)} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -e^{2nax} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & e^{-n(V(x)-ax)} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

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RH problem for X

RH-X1 $X : \mathbb{C} \setminus (\mathbb{R} \cup i\mathbb{R}) \to \mathbb{C}^{3 \times 3}$ is analytic. RH-X2 X has boundary values for $x \in \mathbb{R} \cup i\mathbb{R}$, and

$$\begin{aligned} X_{+}(x) &= X_{-}(x) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & e^{-n(V(x)-ax)} & 0\\ 0 & 1 & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{for } x > 0, \\ X_{+}(x) &= X_{-}(x) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & e^{-n(V(x)+ax)}\\ 0 & 1 & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{for } x < 0, \\ X_{+}(z) &= X_{-}(z) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0\\ 0 & 0 & e^{-2naz}\\ 0 & -e^{2naz} & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{for } z \in i\mathbb{R}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathsf{RH}\text{-X3} \ X(z) &= \left(I + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)\right) \begin{pmatrix} z^{n} & 0 & 0\\ 0 & z^{-n/2} & 0\\ 0 & 0 & z^{-n/2} \end{pmatrix} \text{ as } z \to \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Equilibrium problem

- Recall: in RH analysis for orthogonal polynomials an important role is played by the equilibrium measure.
- This is the probability measure μ_V on $\mathbb R$ that minimizes

$$\iint \log \frac{1}{|x-y|} d\mu(x) d\mu(y) + \int V(x) d\mu(x)$$

- The *g*-function $g(z) = \int \log(z s) d\mu_V(s)$ is used to normalize the RH problem at infinity.
- For a 3 × 3 RH problem we need two equilibrium measures and two *g* functions

Vector equilibrium problem

Minimize

$$egin{aligned} & \int\int\lograc{1}{|x-y|}d\mu_1(x)d\mu_1(y) + \int\int\lograc{1}{|x-y|}d\mu_2(x)d\mu_2(y) \ & -\int\int\lograc{1}{|x-y|}d\mu_1(x)d\mu_2(y) + \int\left(V(x)-a|x|
ight)d\mu_1(x) \end{aligned}$$

among all vectors of measures (μ_1, μ_2) such that (a) μ_1 is a measure on \mathbb{R} with total mass 1, (b) μ_2 is a measure on $i\mathbb{R}$ with total mass 1/2, (c) $\mu_2 \leq \sigma$ where σ has constant density

$$\frac{d\sigma}{|dz|} = \frac{a}{\pi}, \qquad z \in i\mathbb{R}$$

Results 1

Proposition

There is a unique minimizer (μ_1, μ_2) and it satisfies

(a) The support of μ_1 is bounded and consists of a finite union of intervals on the real line

$$\operatorname{supp}(\mu_1) = \bigcup_{j=1}^{N} [a_j, b_j].$$

(b) The support of μ_2 is the full imaginary axis and there exists $c \ge 0$ such that

$$\operatorname{supp}(\sigma - \mu_2) = (-i\infty, -ic] \cup [ic, i\infty).$$

• We assumed at most two intervals: $N \le 2$

Results 2

Theorem

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}\frac{1}{n}K_n(x,x)=\frac{d\mu_1}{dx},\qquad x\in\mathbb{R},$$

where μ_1 is the first component of the minimizer of the vector equilibrium problem.

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We find sine kernel in the bulk and Airy kernel at regular edge points.

Variational conditions

Notation:
$$U^{\mu}(x) = \int \log \frac{1}{|x-s|} d\mu(s)$$

 Equilibrium measures are characterized by variational conditions

$$\begin{split} & 2U^{\mu_1}(x)=U^{\mu_2}(x)-V(x)+a|x|+\ell, \quad x\in \text{supp}(\mu_1),\\ & 2U^{\mu_1}(x)\geq U^{\mu_2}(x)-V(x)+a|x|+\ell, \quad x\in \mathbb{R}\setminus \text{supp}(\mu_1), \end{split}$$

for some ℓ , and

$$2U^{\mu_2}(z) = U^{\mu_1}(z), \qquad z \in \operatorname{supp}(\sigma - \mu_2), \ 2U^{\mu_2}(z) \leq U^{\mu_1}(z), \qquad z \in i\mathbb{R} \setminus \operatorname{supp}(\sigma - \mu_2).$$

• Variational conditions can be reformulated in terms of *g*-functions

$$g_1(z) = \int \log(z-s)d\mu_1(s), \quad g_2(z) = \int \log(z-s)d\mu_2(s)$$

Three regular cases

We distinguish three regular, non-critical cases Case I: N = 2 and c = 0. In this case

 $\operatorname{supp}(\mu_1) = [-q, -p] \cup [p, q], \quad \operatorname{supp}(\sigma - \mu_2) = i\mathbb{R}.$

Constraint is not active. Case II: N = 2 and c > 0. In this case

 $\operatorname{supp}(\mu_1) = [-q, -p] \cup [p, q], \quad \operatorname{supp}(\sigma - \mu_2) = (-i\infty, -ic] \cup [ic, i\infty)$

Constraint is active on [-ic, ic]. Case III: N = 1 and c > 0. In this case

 $\operatorname{supp}(\mu_1) = [-q, q], \qquad \operatorname{supp}(\sigma - \mu_2) = (-i\infty, -ic] \cup [ic, i\infty)$

We put p = 0 in case III.

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Riemann surface

• Define three-sheeted Riemann surface

$$\mathcal{R} = \mathcal{R}_1 \cup \mathcal{R}_2 \cup \mathcal{R}_3$$

$$\mathcal{R}_1 = \overline{\mathbb{C}} \setminus \operatorname{supp}(\mu_1),$$

$$\mathcal{R}_2 = \mathbb{C} \setminus (\operatorname{supp}(\mu_1) \cup \operatorname{supp}(\sigma - \mu_2)),$$

$$\mathcal{R}_3 = \mathbb{C} \setminus \operatorname{supp}(\sigma - \mu_2).$$

• Compact Riemann surface of genus N-2 or N-1

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- Genus = 0 in our cases I and III,
- Genus = 1 in our case II.

Riemann surface in Case II



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Meromorphic function

Define
$$F_j(z) = g_j'(z) = \int \frac{d\mu_j(s)}{z-s}$$
 for $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \operatorname{supp}(\mu_j)$

Proposition

The function

$$\xi_1(z) = V'(z) - F_1(z), \qquad z \in \mathcal{R}_1$$

has a meromorphic continuation to the full Riemann surface. On other sheets it is given by

$$egin{aligned} &\xi_2(z)=\pm a+F_1(z)-F_2(z), & z\in\mathcal{R}_2, &\pm\operatorname{Re} z>0,\ &\xi_3(z)=\mp a+F_2(z), & z\in\mathcal{R}_3, &\pm\operatorname{Re} z>0. \end{aligned}$$

The only pole is at the point at infinity on the first sheet. This is a pole of order deg V - 1.

Recall RH problem for X

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$$\begin{aligned} X_{+}(x) &= X_{-}(x) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & e^{-n(V(x)-ax)} & 0\\ 0 & 1 & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{for } x > 0, \\ X_{+}(x) &= X_{-}(x) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & e^{-n(V(x)+ax)}\\ 0 & 1 & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{for } x < 0, \\ X_{+}(z) &= X_{-}(z) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0\\ 0 & 0 & e^{-2naz}\\ 0 & -e^{2naz} & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \text{for } z \in i\mathbb{R}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathsf{RH}\text{-X3} \ X(z) &= \left(I + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)\right) \begin{pmatrix} z^{n} & 0 & 0\\ 0 & z^{-n/2} & 0\\ 0 & 0 & z^{-n/2} \end{pmatrix} & \text{as} \\ z \to \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Second transformation $X \mapsto T$

We use *g*-functions to define T

$$T(z) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{n\ell} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} X(z)$$

$$\times \begin{cases} \begin{pmatrix} e^{-n(g_1(z)+\ell)} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{n(g_1(z)-g_2(z))} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{ng_2(z)} \end{pmatrix} & \text{for } \operatorname{Re} z > 0, \\ \begin{pmatrix} e^{-n(g_1(z)+\ell)} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{ng_2(z)} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{n(g_1(z)-g_2(z))} \end{pmatrix} & \text{for } \operatorname{Re} z < 0. \end{cases}$$

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• Then T(z) = I + O(1/z) as $z \to \infty$.

Jumps on the real line

The jumps for T on the real axis are

$$egin{aligned} T_+ &= T_- egin{pmatrix} e^{-n(g_{1,+}-g_{1,-})} & 1 & 0 \ 0 & e^{n(g_{1,+}-g_{1,-})} & 0 \ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & ext{ on } [p,q], \ T_+ &= T_- egin{pmatrix} 1 & e^{n(g_{1,+}+g_{1,-}-g_2-V+ax+\ell)} & 0 \ 0 & 1 & 0 \ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & ext{ on } \mathbb{R}^+ \setminus [p,q], \end{aligned}$$

$$T_{+} = T_{-} \begin{pmatrix} e^{-n(g_{1,+}-g_{1,-})} & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{n(g_{1,+}-g_{1,-})} \end{pmatrix} \text{ on } [-q,-p],$$

$$T_{+} = T_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & e^{n(g_{1,+}+g_{1,-}-g_{2,+}-V-ax+\ell)} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ on } \mathbb{R}^{-} \setminus [-q,-p],$$

Simplication of jumps

Use
$$2\varphi_1(z) = V(z) \mp az - 2g_1(z) + g_2(z) - \ell$$

 $T_+ = T_- \begin{pmatrix} e^{2n\varphi_{1,+}} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{2n\varphi_{1,-}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ on $[p,q]$,
 $T_+ = T_- \begin{pmatrix} 1 & e^{-2n\varphi_1} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ on $\mathbb{R}^+ \setminus [p,q]$,
 $T_+ = T_- \begin{pmatrix} e^{2n\varphi_{1,+}} & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{2n\varphi_{1,-}} \end{pmatrix}$ on $[-q, -p]$,
 $T_+ = T_- \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & e^{-2n\varphi_1} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ on $\mathbb{R}^- \setminus [-q, -p]$,

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Jumps on the imaginary axis

The jumps for T on the imaginary axis are

$$T_{+} = T_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{-n(g_{2,+}-g_{2,-}+2az)} \\ 0 & -e^{n(g_{2,+}-g_{2,-}+2az)} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

on $i\mathbb{R} \setminus (-ic, ic),$
$$T_{+} = T_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & e^{n(g_{1}-g_{2,+}-g_{2,-})} \end{pmatrix}$$

on $(-ic, ic)$

• The right lower 2×2 block is

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & e^{-n(g_{2,+}-g_{2,-}+2az)} \ -e^{n(g_{2,+}-g_{2,-}+2az)} & e^{n(g_{1}-g_{2,+}-g_{2,-})} \end{pmatrix}$$

which reduces to above forms. For 3, 3 entry

 $g_1-g_{2,+}-g_{2,-}=-U^{\mu_1}+2U^{\mu_2}$ + variational (in)equalities

Simplication of jumps

$$\begin{aligned} \mathsf{Jse} & \left[2\varphi_2(z) = -g_1(z) + 2g_2(z) \mp 2az \right] \\ & T_+ = T_- \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{2n\varphi_{2,-}} \\ 0 & -e^{2n\varphi_{2,+}} & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \mathsf{on} \ i\mathbb{R} \setminus (-ic, ic), \\ & T_+ = T_- \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & e^{-2n\varphi_2} \end{pmatrix} & \mathsf{on} \ (-ic, ic) \end{aligned}$$

• First jump matrix has factorization (we only show 2×2 block)

$$egin{pmatrix} 0 & e^{2narphi_{2,-}} \ -e^{2narphi_{2,+}} & 1 \end{pmatrix} = egin{pmatrix} 1 & e^{2narphi_{2,-}} \ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} egin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \ -e^{2narphi_{2,+}} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Third transformation

- In the third transformation $T \mapsto S$ we open up lenses around supp (μ_1) and supp $(\sigma - \mu_2)$.
- We use factorizations of the jump matrices for *T* on these parts.

• The lenses look different in the three cases.

Opening of lenses in case I



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Opening of lenses in case II



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Opening of lenses in case III



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Third transformation

We define *S* in lenses around $[-q, -p] \cup [p, q]$

$$S = T egin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \ -e^{2narphi_1} & 1 & 0 \ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \ S = T egin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \ e^{2narphi_1} & 1 & 0 \ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \ S = T egin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \ e^{2narphi_1} & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \ S = T egin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \ 0 & 1 & 0 \ -e^{2narphi_1} & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \ S = T egin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \ 0 & 1 & 0 \ e^{2narphi_1} & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \ \end{array}$$

in upper part of lens around [p, q],

in lower part of lens around [p, q],

in upper part of lens around [-q, -p],

in lower part of lens around [-q, -p],

Third transformation (cont.)

We define S in lenses around $(-i\infty, -ic] \cup [ic, i\infty)$

$$S = T egin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \ 0 & 1 & 0 \ 0 & e^{2n\varphi_2} & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

 $S = T egin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \ 0 & 1 & e^{2n\varphi_2} \ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$

in left part of lens around $(-i\infty, -ic] \cup [ic, i\infty),$

in right part of lens around $(-i\infty, -ic] \cup [ic, i\infty),$

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and

S = T elsewhere

RH problem for S, part 1

RH-S1 *S* is analytic on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \Sigma_S$. RH-S2 The jumps for *S* on the real axis are

$$S_{+} = S_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{on } [p, q],$$

$$S_{+} = S_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{on } [-q, -p],$$

$$S_{+} = S_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & e^{-2n\varphi_{1}} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{on } \mathbb{R}^{+} \setminus [p, q],$$

$$S_{+} = S_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & e^{-2n\varphi_{1}} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{on } \mathbb{R}^{-} \setminus [-q, -p],$$

RH problem for S, part 2

RH-S2 The jumps for *S* on the imaginary axis

$$S_{+} = S_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & e^{-2n\varphi_{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$
$$S_{+} = S_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -e^{2n(\varphi_{1}-\varphi_{2})} & -1 & e^{-2n\varphi_{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

on (-ic, ic) and, in case III, outside the lens around (-q, q)on (-ic, ic) but inside the lens around (-q, q)(only in case III)

All entries in red are exponentially decaying as n→∞ !!

RH problem for S, part 3

RH-S2 The jumps for S on the lips of the lenses

 $S_{+} = S_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ e^{2n\varphi_{1}} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ on lips of lens around [p, q], $S_{+}=S_{-}egin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \ 0 & 1 & 0 \ e^{2narphi_{1}} & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $S_{+} = S_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -e^{2n\varphi_2} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{on left lip of lens around} \quad (-i\infty, -ic] \cup [ic, i\infty),$ $S_{+} = S_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & e^{2n\varphi_2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{on right lip of lens around} \\ (-i\infty, -ic] \cup [ic, i\infty),$

on lips of lens around [-q, -p],

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RH-S3 S(z) = I + O(1/z) as $z \to \infty$.

Parametrices

Global parametrix N should satisfy RH-N1 N is analytic on C \ ([-q, -p] ∪ [p, q] ∪ [-ic, ic]), RH-N2 The jumps for N are

$$N_{+} = N_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{on } (p,q),$$
$$N_{+} = N_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{on } (-q,-p),$$
$$N_{+} = N_{-} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{on } (-ic, ic).$$

RH-N3 $N(z) = I + \mathcal{O}(1/z)$ as $z \to \infty$

Parametrices

- Construction of *N* is not entirely straightforward.
- It can be done with the help of the Riemann surface.
- Local parametrices P around each of the endpoints $\pm q$, $\pm p$ (not in case III), $\pm ic$ (not in case I) are constructed with the help of Airy functions

Final transformation

The final transformation $S \mapsto R$ is

 $R(z) = \begin{cases} S(z)N(z)^{-1} & \text{away from the branch points,} \\ S(z)P(z)^{-1} & \text{near the branch points.} \end{cases}$

All jump conditions in the RH problem for R satisfy

$${\it R}_+ = {\it R}_-(I + {\cal O}(1/n)),$$
 as $n o \infty$

It follows that

$$R(z) = I + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{n(|z|+1)}\right)$$
 as $n \to \infty$,

uniformly for $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \Sigma_R$.

Conclusion of proof

 Following the transformations in the steepest descent analysis one may now prove the limiting mean eigenvalue density

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}\frac{1}{n}K_n(x,x)=\rho(x):=\frac{d\mu_1(x)}{dx}$$

in the same as for one matrix model

• We also find the local scaling limit for

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{1}{n\rho(x_0)} \widehat{K}_n\left(x_0 + \frac{x}{n\rho(x_0)}, x_0 + \frac{y}{n\rho(x_0)}\right) = \frac{\sin \pi(x - y)}{\pi(x - y)}$$

whenever $\rho(x_0) > 0$, where
 $e^{\frac{\pi}{n}(V(y) - ay + g_0(y))}$

$$\widehat{K}_{n}(x,y) = \frac{e^{\frac{i}{2}(V(y) - ay + g_{2}(y))}}{e^{\frac{n}{2}(V(x) - ax + g_{2}(x))}} K_{n}(x,y),$$

is an equivalent kernel, which generates the same determinantal process as K_n .

Explicit calculations

• Recall: meromorphic function on Riemann surface

$$\begin{split} \xi_1(z) &= V'(z) - F_1(z), & z \in \mathcal{R}_1, \\ \xi_2(z) &= \pm a + F_1(z) - F_2(z), & z \in \mathcal{R}_2, \pm \operatorname{Im} z > 0, \\ \xi_3(z) &= \mp a + F_2(z), & z \in \mathcal{R}_3, \pm \operatorname{Im} z > 0 \end{split}$$

• They are solutions of a cubic equation

$$\xi^3 - V'(z)\xi^2 + p_1(z)\xi + p_0(z) = 0$$

with polynomial coefficients (spectral curve).

• We can make explicit calculations for low degree V.

Quadratic potential

• Suppose
$$V(z) = \frac{1}{2}z^2$$

• Then spectral curve is (Pastur's equation)

$$\xi^3 - z\xi^2 + (1 - a^2)\xi + a^2z = 0.$$

- Always four branch points, so Case II does not happen
- If a > 1 then four real branch points, and we are in Case I.
- If 0 < a < 1 then two branch points on imaginary axis, and we are in Case III.

Pearcey transition

- Transition from Case I to Case III is Pearcey transition as in the case for non-intersecting Brownian motions.
- Density vanishes at the origin

 $\rho(x) \sim |x|^{1/3}$



Quartic potential

• Suppose
$$V(z) = \frac{1}{4}z^4 - \frac{t}{2}z^2$$
.

• Spectral curve (McLaughlin's equation)

$$\xi^3 - (z^3 - tz)\xi^2 + p_1(z)\xi + p_0(z) = 0.$$

with

$$p_1(z) = z^2 + \alpha, \qquad p_0(z) = a^2 z^3 + \beta z$$

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• Two undetermined parameters.

Discriminant analysis

- Discriminant of spectral curve w.r.t. ξ is a degree 12 polynomial in z.
- Branch points are among the zeros of this polynomial. Other zeros have higher even multiplicity.
- In Case II there should be a 6 fold zero at 0. This implies $\alpha = \beta = 0$.
- Zero is an 8 fold zero if $\alpha = \beta = 0$ and

$$-27a^4 + (18t - 4t^3)a^2 - 4 + t^2 = 0$$

• The Case II region in t - a plane is bounded by two branches of this curve.



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 Transition from Case II to one of the other cases gives a change in genus. It is a Painlevé II transition

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• If you move up in phase diagram you go to Case I.

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• If you move the left in phase diagram you go to Case III.

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- Within the genus zero region there is a transition from Case I to Case III.
- This happens on the curve

$$54a^4 + (72t - t^3)a^2 - (t^4 - 16t^2 + 64) = 0$$

• This is a Pearcey transition



• One special point in the phase diagram

$$t_c = 3^{1/2}$$
 and $a_c = 3^{-3/4}$

- For these values there is a 10-fold zero of the discriminant at 0.
- New local eigenvalue behavior at 0. Scaling limits are unknown.



That's all

Thank you for your attention

