

Universality in the two matrix model with one quartic potential

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Eigenvalue density

The transformed functions $Q_{j;n}$ and $P_{k;n}$

- Introduce the transformed functions

$$Q_{j;n}(x) = e^{-nV(x)} \int q_{j;n}(y) e^{-nW(y) - xy} dy$$
$$P_{k;n}(y) = e^{-nW(y)} \int p_{k;n}(x) e^{-nV(x) - xy} dx$$

- Note that we have the orthogonality relations

$$\int p_{k;n}(x) Q_{j;n}(x) dx = 0; \quad j \neq k$$
$$\int P_{k;n}(y) q_{j;n}(y) dy = 0; \quad j \neq k$$

- Let

$$h_{k;n}^2 = \iint p_{k;n}(x) q_{k;n}(y) e^{-nV(x) + W(y) - xy} dx dy$$

Four kernels

Define kernels by

$$K_{11}(x_1; x_2) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{h_{k;n}^2} p_{k;n}(x_1) Q_{k;n}(x_2);$$

$$K_{22}(y_1; y_2) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{h_{k;n}^2} P_{k;n}(y_1) q_{k;n}(y_2)$$

$$K_{12}(x; y) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{h_{k;n}^2} p_{k;n}(x) q_{k;n}(y)$$

$$K_{21}(y; x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{h_{k;n}^2} P_{k;n}(y) Q_{k;n}(x) - e^{-n} V(x) + W(y) - xy$$

Eynard-Metha Theorem

- Denote the eigenvalues of M_1 by $x_1; \dots; x_n$ and of M_2 by $y_1; \dots; y_n$. The probability density function can be written as

$$P(x_1; \dots; x_n; y_1; \dots; y_n) = \frac{1}{n!^2} \det K$$

Averaging over M_2

- When averaged over M_2 we see that the eigenvalues of M_1 describe a determinantal point process with kernel K_{11} .

$$\int_{\mathbb{Z}} \int_{\mathbb{Z}} P(x_1; \dots; x_n) dx_{k+1} \dots dx_n = \frac{(n-k)!}{n!} \det K_{11}(x_i; x_j)_{i,j=1}^k$$

$\int_{\mathbb{Z}} \{ \mathbb{Z} \}$
 $n-k$ times

- This is a particular example of a so-called biorthogonal ensemble.

Asymptotic analysis

Question: Find a full asymptotic description of the biorthogonal polynomials and the associated kernels.

- | There exist several Riemann-Hilbert characterizations of the biorthogonal polynomials
Ercolani-McLaughlin '01, Kapaev '03, Bertola-Eynard-Harnad '03, Kuijlaars-McLaughlin '05
- | Except for the special in which both V and W are quadratic
Ercolani-McLaughlin '01, a steepest descent analysis turns out to be complicated.

Multiple Orthogonality

- The main idea in **Kuijlaars-McLaughlin '05** is to interpret the polynomials as multiple orthogonal polynomials.
- Define the weight function w_j by

$$w_j(x) = e^{-nV(x)} \int_{\mathbb{R}} y^j e^{-n(W(y)-xy)} dy; \quad j = 0; 1; \dots; d-2;$$

where $d = \text{degree}(W)$.

- The polynomials $p_{k,n}$ are multiple orthogonal polynomials of type II with respect to the weights w_j on \mathbb{R} . For $p_{n,n}$ this means that

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} p_{n,n}(x) x^l w_j(x) dx = 0; \quad l = 0; \dots; n_j - 1; \quad j = 0; 1; \dots; d-2;$$

where n_j is the integer part of $(n + d - 2 - j)/(d - 1)$.

The solution of the Riemann-Hilbert problem

- The solution exists and is unique. Moreover

$$Y_{11}(z) = p_{n;n}(z)$$

Van Assche-Geronimo-Kuijlaars '01

- Also the kernel $K_{11}^{(n)}$ can be expressed in Y

$$K_{11}^{(n)}(x; y) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{i(x-y)} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & w_0(y) \\ w_2(y) & Y_+(y)^{-1} Y_+(x) \end{pmatrix}$$

Daems-Kuijlaars '04

- A steepest descent analysis for the RH problem in the general situation is still an important open problem!

Quartic potential

$$\underline{t = 0}$$

The equilibrium problem for $t = 0$

We seek to minimize the energy functional

$$I(\mu_1; \mu_2; \mu_3) = \int_{j=1}^3 \int \log|x-y|^{-1} d\mu_j(x) d\mu_j(y) \\ - \int_{j=1}^2 \int \log|x-y|^{-1} d\mu_j(x) d\mu_{j+1}(y) \\ + \int \left(V(x) - \frac{3}{4} |x|^{4=3} \right) d\mu_1(x)$$

among all measures $(\mu_1; \mu_2; \mu_3)$ satisfying

- ① μ_1 is a measure on \mathbb{R} with $\mu_1(\mathbb{R}) = 1$
- ② μ_2 is a measure on $i\mathbb{R}$ with $\mu_2(i\mathbb{R}) = 2=3$
- ③ μ_3 is a measure on \mathbb{R} with $\mu_3(\mathbb{R}) = 1=3$
- ④ μ_2 with

$$d\mu_2(z) = \frac{\rho_{\frac{3}{4=3}} |z|^{1=3}}{2} |dz|$$

The minimizer

The minimizer

Theorem (D-Kuijlaars '09)

The minimizer $(\mu_1; \mu_2; \mu_3)$ has the following properties

- 1 μ_1 is supported on finitely many intervals $\bigcup_{j=1}^r [a_j; b_j]$ and there exists real analytic h_j such that

$$\frac{d\mu_1(x)}{dx} = h_j(x) \sqrt{(b_j - x)(x - a_j)}; \quad x \in [a_j; b_j]$$

- 2 μ_2 is supported on $i\mathbb{R}$ and $\mu_2 = \nu$ on $i[-c; c]$. Moreover, there exists an analytic function h_2 such that

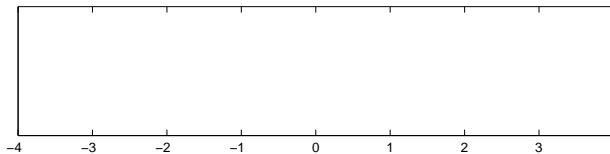
$$d(\mu_2 - \nu)(y) = h_2(y)|dy|$$

and h_2 vanishes as square root near $y = ic$.

- 3 μ_3 is supported on \mathbb{R} and there exists a function h_3 which is real analytic in $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$ and such that

$$d\mu_3(x) = h_3(x)dx$$

Example: $V(x) = x^2 = 2$ and $\epsilon = 1$



$t \neq 0$ and V even

The equilibrium problem for $t \notin 0$ and V even

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among all measures $(\mu_1; \mu_2; \mu_3)$ satisfying

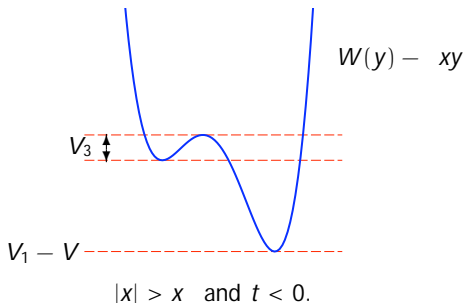
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Definition of V_1

- The external field V_1 is defined by

$$V_1(x) = V(x) + \min_{y \in \mathbb{R}} (W(y) - xy); \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$$

- The external field V_3 is the difference between the other two extreme values of $W(y) - xy$ (viewed as a function in y).



Definition of

Again we consider

$$W^0(t) - z = t^3 + t - z = 0;$$

but now for $z \in i\mathbb{R}$. Then

$$\frac{d \varphi_1(z)}{|dz|} = -\operatorname{Re} \varphi_1(z);$$

where φ_1 is the solution of the cubic equation $t^3 + t - z = 0$.

The minimizer

Theorem (D-Geudens-Kuijlaars '10, D-Kuijlaars-Mo '10)

There is unique minimizer $(\mu_1; \mu_2; \mu_3)$ of the energy functional I . Moreover, the measure μ_1 is the weak limit of the normalized zero distribution of the polynomial $p_{n,n}$,

$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{x: p_{n,n}(x)=0} \delta_x$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

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Theorem (D-Kuijlaars-Mo '10)

Let $W(y) = y^4 + 4y^2 = 2$ and V even. Let μ_1 be the first component of the minimizer of I . Then

- | The measure μ_1 also describes the limiting mean eigenvalues density for the matrix M_1 , i.e.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} K_{11}^{(n)}(x; x) = \frac{d\mu_1(x)}{dx}$$

- | *Universality:*
For x in the bulk:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{cn} K_{11} \left(x + \frac{u}{cn}; x + \frac{v}{cn} \right) = \frac{\sin(u-v)}{(u-v)}$$

For x at regular endpoints: Airy kernel.

Supports of the measure

In the analysis we distinguish the cases

Case I: $0 \leq S(\nu_1)$, $0 \leq S(\nu_2)$ and $0 \leq S(\nu_3)$

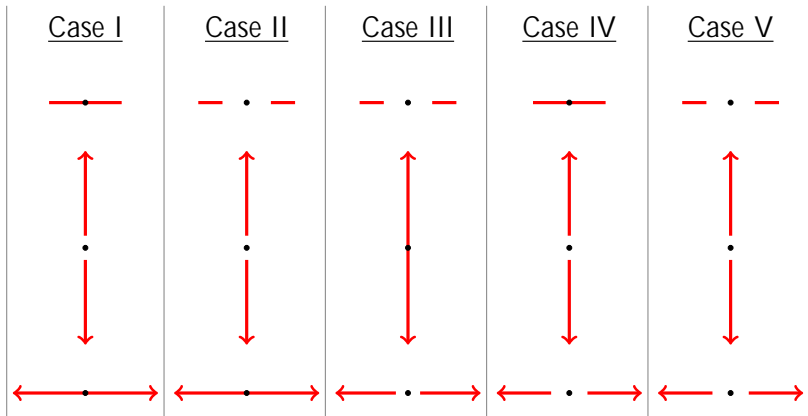
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Case V: $0 \leq S(\nu_1)$, $0 \leq S(\nu_2)$ and $0 \leq S(\nu_3)$

Critical phenomena occur when going from one case to the other.



On top of each the supports $S(-1)$, $S(-2)$ and $S(-3)$
 (also the cuts of the corresponding Riemann surface)

Derivation of the equilibrium problem

- | If $V(x) = x^2 - 2$ then $q_{k;n}$ are orthogonal polynomials on the real line. The asymptotics of these polynomials is well-known. In particular the asymptotics for the recurrence coefficients
- | The polynomials $p_{k;n}$ satisfy a five term recurrence and the coefficients can be expressed in terms of the recurrence coefficients of the other family. So we know the asymptotic behavior of the recurrence coefficients.
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Banded Toeplitz matrices

Let $T_n(a)$ be a Toeplitz matrix

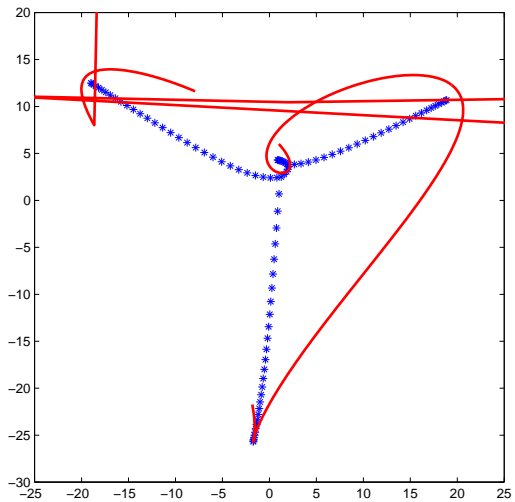
$$T_n(a)_{jk} = a_{j-k}; \quad j, k = 1; \dots; n$$

for which the symbol a has only finitely many Fourier coefficients

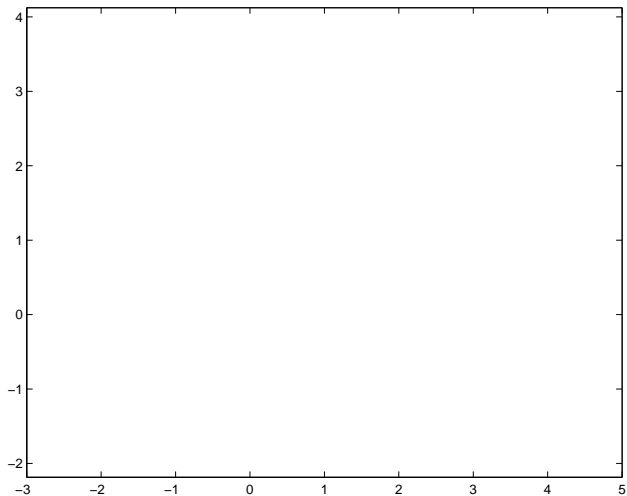
$$a(z) = \sum_{j=-q}^p a_j z^j; \quad p, q > 0; \quad a_{-p}; a_q \neq 0$$

What is the limiting behavior of the spectrum $\sigma(T_n(a))$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$?

Example



Example



An associated Riemann surface

The central object to study is the algebraic equation

$$a(z) = \sum_{j=-q}^p a_j z^j = 0:$$

For each z this equation has $p + q$ solutions which we order according to magnitude

$$0 < |z_1(z)| \leq \dots \leq |z_{p+q}(z)|$$

Define

$$k = \{ j \mid |z_{q+k}(z)| = |z_{q+k+1}(z)| \};$$

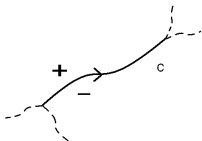
for $k = -q + 1; \dots; p - 1$.

(Assumption: $\gcd\{k \mid a_k \neq 0\} = 1$)

The contours γ_k and the measures μ_k

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- The contour γ_0 is bounded, the other are unbounded. All consist of finitely many analytic arcs



- Define the measure μ_k on γ_k by

$$d\mu_k(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\gamma_k} \frac{1}{z - t} d\mu(t)$$

Equilibrium problem for banded Toeplitz matrices

Theorem (D-Kuijlaars '08)

The vector of measures $(\mu_{-q+1}; \dots; \mu_{p-1})$ is the unique minimizer of the energy functional E defined by

$$E(\mu_{-q+1}; \dots; \mu_{p-1}) = \sum_{k=-q+1}^{p-1} \sum_{l=k+1}^{p-1} \log \frac{1}{|x-y|} d\mu_k(x) d\mu_l(y) - \sum_{k=-q+1}^{p-1} \sum_{l=k+1}^{p-1} \log \frac{1}{|x-y|} d\mu_k(x) d\mu_{l+1}(y)$$

where each measure μ_k is a measure on \mathbb{R} with total mass

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Generalization to Toeplitz matrices with rational symbols (Delvaux-D '10)

Back to the biorthogonal polynomials

The biorthogonal polynomials were defined by the relation

$$\iint \rho_{k;n}(x) q_{j;n}(y) e^{-n(V(x)+W(y)-xy)} dx dy = 0; \quad j \neq k$$

and we were interested in the case

$$W(y) = \frac{1}{4}y^4 + \frac{1}{2}ty^2 \quad \text{and} \quad V(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^2$$

and asymptotics for $\rho_{n;n}$ and K_{11} .

Recurrence coefficients (1)

- The orthogonal polynomials $q_{k;n}$ for $e^{-n} y^4 = 4 - 2y^2 = 2$ satisfy a recurrence relation

$$yq_{k;n}(y) = q_{k+1;n}(y) + a_{k;n}q_{k-1;n}(y)$$

- Bleher and Its proved that in the limit $k; n! \rightarrow 1$ and $k=n!$ we have

$$\lim_{n! \rightarrow 1; k=n!} a_{k;n} = \frac{2 + \sqrt{4 + 12}}{6}; \quad > \sqrt{4} = 2$$

and

$$\lim_{n! \rightarrow 1; k=n!} a_{k;n} = \begin{cases} < \frac{2 - \sqrt{4 - 4}}{2}; & k \text{ even}; \\ \frac{2 + \sqrt{4 - 4}}{2}; & k \text{ odd} \end{cases} < \sqrt{4} = 2$$

