

Updates on Precision Holography

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Precision Holography

- Usually refers to the comparison of classical supergravity solutions and large- N QFT computations.
- In early days of AdS/CFT, anomaly coefficients and CFT quantities which are independent of coupling constants.
- Can account for more non-trivial quantities, now using supersymmetric localization results.

Free energy of ABJM using Localization

Saddle point approx. makes us treat the integration variables as particles on complex plane under 1-particle and 2-particle interactions

$$Z_{ABJM} = \frac{1}{N_1! N_2!} \int \prod_i^{N_1} \frac{d\mu_i}{2\pi} \prod_j^{N_2} \frac{d\nu_j}{2\pi} e^{\frac{ki}{4\pi} (\sum \mu_i^2 - \sum \nu_j^2)} \\ \times \frac{\prod_{i < j} (2 \sinh(\mu_i - \mu_j))^2 \prod_{i < j} (2 \sinh(\nu_i - \nu_j))^2}{\prod_{i,j} (2 \cosh(\mu_i - \nu_j)/2)^2}$$

1. A perturbative approach in holography

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Sphere Partition Functions with Mass terms

- Localization formula is independent of superpotential interactions, but does depend on mass.
- Exhibits interesting phase transition.
- For small mass, the free energy ($\ln Z$) calculation is not too difficult and the results are available.

ABJM

$$F = \frac{4\sqrt{2}\pi N^{3/2}}{3} \sqrt{\Delta_1 \Delta_2 \Delta_3 \Delta_4} \text{ with constraint } \sum \Delta_i = 2.$$

N=2* deformation of N=4 SYM

$$\frac{d^3 F_{S^4}}{d(ma)^3} = -2N^2 \frac{ma(m^2 a^2 + 3)}{(m^2 a^2 + 1)^2},$$

Brandhuber-Oz D4-D8, USp(2N) with massless hyper and massive fundamental

$$F(\mu) = \frac{\pi}{135} \left((N_f - 1) |\mu|^5 - \sqrt{\frac{2}{8 - N_f}} (9 + 2\mu^2)^{5/2} \right) N^{5/2}$$

- For all the field theory side considerations in the last slide, we know of the holographic side BPS equations in certain Einstein-scalar systems.

Example: Dual of N=1*

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4}R + 3\frac{(\partial\eta_1)^2}{\eta_1^2} + \frac{(\partial\eta_2)^2}{\eta_2^2} + \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{K}_{a\bar{b}}\partial_\mu z^a \partial^\mu \bar{z}^{\bar{b}} - \mathcal{P},$$

$$\mathcal{P} = \frac{1}{8}e^\kappa \left(\frac{\eta_1^2}{6}\partial_{\eta_1}\mathcal{W}\partial_{\eta_1}\widetilde{\mathcal{W}} + \frac{\eta_2^2}{2}\partial_{\eta_2}\mathcal{W}\partial_{\eta_2}\widetilde{\mathcal{W}} + \mathcal{K}^{\bar{b}a}\nabla_a\mathcal{W}\nabla_{\bar{b}}\widetilde{\mathcal{W}} - \frac{8}{3}\mathcal{W}\widetilde{\mathcal{W}} \right),$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{W} &= \eta_1^{-2}\eta_2^{-2} (1 + z_1z_2 + z_1z_3 + z_1z_4 + z_2z_3 + z_2z_4 + z_3z_4 + z_1z_2z_3z_4) \\ &+ \eta_1^{-2}\eta_2^2 (1 - z_1z_2 + z_1z_3 - z_1z_4 - z_2z_3 + z_2z_4 - z_3z_4 + z_1z_2z_3z_4) \\ &+ \eta_1^4 (1 + z_1z_2 - z_1z_3 - z_1z_4 - z_2z_3 - z_2z_4 + z_3z_4 + z_1z_2z_3z_4),\end{aligned}$$

10 real scalars and 1 warp factor
Regular solutions parametrized by
3 mass parameters

BPS equations

$$\partial_r z^a = -\frac{3}{2}(\partial_r A \pm 1/r)\mathcal{K}^{a\bar{b}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}^b} \log(\mathcal{W}\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}e^\mathcal{K}),$$

$$\partial_r \bar{z}^{\bar{b}} = -\frac{3}{2}(\partial_r A \mp 1/r)\mathcal{K}^{a\bar{b}} \frac{\partial}{\partial z^a} \log(\mathcal{W}\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}e^\mathcal{K}),$$

$$\partial_r \eta_1 = -\frac{\eta_1^2}{72} \frac{e^{2A}}{r^2 \partial_r A} \frac{\partial}{\partial \eta_1} (\mathcal{W}\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}e^\mathcal{K}),$$

$$\partial_r \eta_2 = -\frac{\eta_2^2}{24} \frac{e^{2A}}{r^2 \partial_r A} \frac{\partial}{\partial \eta_2} (\mathcal{W}\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}e^\mathcal{K}),$$

$$(\partial_r A)^2 = \frac{1}{r^2} + \frac{1}{9} \frac{e^{2A}}{r^2} (\mathcal{W}\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}e^\mathcal{K}),$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \eta_i} \mathcal{W} = \frac{\partial_r A \pm 1/r}{\partial_r A \mp 1/r} \frac{\mathcal{W}}{\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \eta_i} \widetilde{\mathcal{W}}.$$

Expansion near AdS boundary

$$\begin{aligned}
 (z_1 + z_2 + z_3 + z_4 + \bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2 + \bar{z}_3 + \bar{z}_4)/4 &= (1 - s^2) (2\mu_1\rho + v_1 - s\mu_2\mu_3) e^{-2\rho} + \mathcal{O}(\rho^2 e^{-4\rho}), \\
 (z_1 - z_2 + z_3 - z_4 + \bar{z}_1 - \bar{z}_2 + \bar{z}_3 - \bar{z}_4)/4 &= (1 - s^2) (2\mu_2\rho + v_2 - s\mu_1\mu_3) e^{-2\rho} + \mathcal{O}(\rho^2 e^{-4\rho}), \\
 (z_1 + z_2 - z_3 - z_4 + \bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2 - \bar{z}_3 - \bar{z}_4)/4 &= (1 - s^2) (2\mu_3\rho + v_3 - s\mu_1\mu_2) e^{-2\rho} + \mathcal{O}(\rho^2 e^{-4\rho}), \\
 (z_1 - z_2 - z_3 + z_4 + \bar{z}_1 - \bar{z}_2 - \bar{z}_3 + \bar{z}_4)/4 &= 2s - \frac{s}{2} (1 - s^2) (\mu_1^2 + \mu_2^2 + \mu_3^2) e^{-2\rho} + \mathcal{O}(\rho e^{-4\rho}), \\
 (z_1 - z_2 - z_3 + z_4 - \bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2 + \bar{z}_3 - \bar{z}_4)/4 &= -\frac{1}{2} (1 - s^2) \left[2w - (1 - 3s^2) \mu_1\mu_2\mu_3 \right. \\
 &\quad \left. - 2s (\mu_1 v_1 + \mu_2 v_2 + \mu_3 v_3) - 4s (\mu_1^2 + \mu_2^2 + \mu_3^2) \rho \right] e^{-3\rho} + \mathcal{O}(\rho e^{-5\rho}).
 \end{aligned}$$

Holographic Renormalization

(Gravity action after regularization and including counterterm)

$$\frac{\partial^3 F}{\partial \mu_i^3} = -\frac{N^2}{2} \frac{\partial^2 v_i}{\partial \mu_i^2}.$$

Our result

**Numerical method is too demanding because there are many DOF.
We can treat the integration constants as small perturbation and
Impose regularity at each order (in IR)**

$$v_i = -2\mu_i + \left(\frac{16\pi^4}{525} - \frac{1}{5}\right) \mu_i^3 + \left(\frac{3}{5} - \frac{8\pi^4}{525}\right) \mu_i (\mu_1^2 + \mu_2^2 + \mu_3^2) + \mathcal{O}(\mu_i^5).$$

Prediction of AdS/CFT, to be verified in QFT

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Gaugino condensate

$$w = 2\mu_1\mu_2\mu_3 + \mathcal{O}(\mu_i^5),$$

Results of other models

- ABJM: exact solutions are known, which can be constructed using our method.
- D4-D8: the series form of F can be summed. Disagrees with the field theory prediction.
- Mass deformed ABJM (An $N=2$ Fixed point when one bifundamental in ABJM is given mass): Consistent with field theory and numerical results.

2. GK geometry

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Wrapped D3 and M2

- In 2005, I found the general form of supergravity solutions for D3 wrapped on 2-cycles. (M2 case essentially the same in higher dimensions)

$$ds^2 = e^{-B/2} [ds^2(AdS_3) + ds_7^2]$$

$$F_5 = -\frac{1}{4} [Vol(AdS_3) \wedge F - *_7 F],$$

$$ds_{2n+1}^2 = c^2 (dz + P)^2 + e^B ds_{2n}^2.$$

$$e^B = c^2 \left(\frac{R}{2} \right)$$

$$F = -\frac{1}{c} J_T + cd [e^{-B} (dz + P)].$$

$$\square R + R_{ij} R^{ij} - \frac{1}{2} R^2 = 0.$$

vs. Sasaki-Einstein

- The construction is similar to the relation between CY with conical singularity, whose base space is Sasaki-Einstein, which is in turn a twisted $U(1)$ fibration over Kahler-Einstein
- In this case of wrapped branes, the metric cone is not Kahler, although the base of the $U(1)$ fibration is Kahler

Example Solutions

$$ds^2(Y_7) = \frac{y^2 - 2y + a}{4y^2} Dz^2 + \frac{9dy^2}{4q(y)} + \frac{q(y)D\psi^2}{16y^2(y^2 - 2y + a)} + \frac{9}{4y} ds^2(KE_4^+)$$

where $D\psi = d\psi + 3B$, $Dz = dz - g(y)D\psi$ and

$$q(y) = 4y^3 - 9y^2 + 6ay - a^2$$

$$g(y) = \frac{a - y}{2(y^2 - 2y + a)}$$

And many more.

Interpreted as

**Lower-dim SCFTs and their central charge
or Near horizon geometry of AdS BHs**

$$a = \frac{m^2 q^2 (3p + mq)^2 (3p + 2mq)^2}{4(3p^2 + 3mpq + m^2 q^2)^3},$$

**J. Gauntlett et al
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Volume Minimization

- Recently, a “master-volume” formula was devised whose minimization, given toric data and choosing magnetic flux, gives the **central charge/BH entropy**. [Couzens, Gauntlett, Martelli, Sparks 2018-2019](#)
- Since it is a generalization of “volume minimization” for toric Sasaki-Einstein, let me sketch [Martelli, Sparks, Yau 2005](#) instead.

Toric geometry

- Definition: Symplectic manifold $(M, 2n\text{-dim})$ with $U(1)^n$ Killing isometry
- Symplectic 2-form (ω) is closed ($d\omega = 0$) and its n -th power is Volume form ($1/n!\omega^n = \text{Vol}(M)$).
- Hamiltonian mechanics is described in terms of symplectic geometry: when X is time-evolution vector field, $\iota_X\omega = dH$
- Thus having n Killing vector means we have n “Hamiltonians”, and their range gives **toric data**.

$$\begin{aligned}dH(q, p) &= \frac{\partial H}{\partial q}dq + \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}dp \\ &= -\dot{p}dq + \dot{q}dp \\ &= X^q\omega_{qp}dp + X^p\omega_{pq}dq\end{aligned}$$

$$X = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} = \dot{q}\frac{\partial}{\partial q} + \dot{p}\frac{\partial}{\partial p}$$

$$\omega = dq \wedge dp$$

Moment map

- S^2 (CP1) is symplectic (Kähler in fact) and the moment map y (Hamiltonian) is easily obtained
- Toric diagram for S^2 is an interval; For $S^2 \times S^2$ etc, one has the square. In general, polygons or polytopes (Δ), and its area is related to the volume of toric manifold

$$\omega = -d\phi \wedge \sin \theta d\theta$$

$$X = \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iota_X \omega &= -\sin \theta d\theta \\ &= d(\cos \theta) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Vol}(M) &= \int dy_1 d\phi_1 \dots \\ &= (2\pi)^n \text{Vol}(\Delta) \end{aligned}$$

Toric Cone and Sasakian manifold

- One application is for vacuum moduli space of supersymmetric gauge field theory
 - The description is modified: (1) toric manifold is non-compact, and (2) we use the normal vector to the faces of the polytope
- D-term conditions and identification of gauge orbits lead to **Kahler quotient**: GLSM (gauged linear sigma model)
- One considers theories with $U(1)$ vector multiplets and charged chiral multiplets
- For each $U(1)$, D-term condition and gauge redundancy reduces the dimensionality by 2.

An example: the conifold

- In terms of gauge theory, in abelian version one has $U(1) \times U(1)$, A_1, A_2 with charge $(1, -1)$ and B_1, B_2 with charge $(-1, 1)$.
- D-term condition $|A_1|^2 + |A_2|^2 - |B_1|^2 - |B_2|^2 = 0$
- Gauge redundancy:
 $(A_1, A_2, B_1, B_2) \simeq (e^{i\alpha} A_1, e^{i\alpha} A_2, e^{-i\alpha} B_1, e^{-i\alpha} B_2)$
- The result is conifold: $ds^2 = dr^2 + r^2 ds_{T^{1,1}}^2$

Moment map of the conifold (0411238)

$$ds^2 = \frac{1}{6}(d\theta_1^2 + \sin^2 \theta_1 d\phi_1^2 + d\theta_2^2 + \sin^2 \theta_2 d\phi_2^2) + \frac{1}{9}(d\psi + \cos \theta_1 d\phi_1 + \cos \theta_2 d\phi_2)^2 .$$

- Metric (Sasaki-Einstein, with $SU(2) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$ isometry)

$$e_1 = \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi_1} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial \nu}$$

- 3 commuting Killing vectors
($\psi = 2\nu$)

$$e_2 = \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi_2} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial \nu}$$

$$e_3 = \frac{\partial}{\partial \nu} .$$

- Moment maps, giving a “convex rational polyhedral cone”, generated by 4 edge vectors

$$\vec{\mu} = \left(\frac{1}{6} r^2 (\cos \theta_1 + 1), \frac{1}{6} r^2 (\cos \theta_2 + 1), \frac{1}{3} r^2 \right) .$$

- Alternatively defined by “outward pointing primitive normal vectors”

Toric Data

$$v_1 = [1, 0, -1], \quad v_2 = [0, 1, -1], \quad v_3 = [0, -1, 0], \quad v_4 = [-1, 0, 0] .$$

How to relate toric data to gauge theory

- The kernel of a matrix made of toric data gives charge assignment for Kahler quotient (GLSM). [Delzant construction](#)
- For the 3×4 matrix for conifold, the kernel is $(1, 1, -1, -1)$ and matches the matter contents of gauge theory dual.
- Calculating the volume of the base space requires choosing $r = \text{const}$ slice, or equivalently the Reeb vector
- Shown to equal to the extremized value of Ricci scalar. [Martelli, Sparks, Yau 0503183](#)

(Master) Volume formulas for 5d Sasaki-Einstein

$$\mathcal{V}(\vec{b}; \{\lambda_a\}) = \frac{(2\pi)^3}{2} \sum_{a=1}^d \lambda_a \frac{\lambda_{a-1}(\vec{v}_a, \vec{v}_{a+1}, \vec{b}) - \lambda_a(\vec{v}_{a-1}, \vec{v}_{a+1}, \vec{b}) + \lambda_{a+1}(\vec{v}_{a-1}, \vec{v}_a, \vec{b})}{(\vec{v}_{a-1}, \vec{v}_a, \vec{b})(\vec{v}_a, \vec{v}_{a+1}, \vec{b})}$$

$$0 = A \sum_{a,b=1}^d \frac{\partial^2 \mathcal{V}}{\partial \lambda_a \partial \lambda_b} - 2\pi n_1 \sum_{a=1}^d \frac{\partial \mathcal{V}}{\partial \lambda_a} + 2\pi b_1 \sum_{a=1}^d \sum_{i=1}^3 n_i \frac{\partial^2 \mathcal{V}}{\partial \lambda_a \partial b_i},$$

$$\frac{2(2\pi \ell_s)^4 g_s}{L^4} N = - \sum_{a=1}^d \frac{\partial \mathcal{V}}{\partial \lambda_a}, \quad \text{\#D3}$$

$$\frac{2(2\pi \ell_s)^4 g_s}{L^4} M_a = \frac{A}{2\pi} \sum_{b=1}^d \frac{\partial^2 \mathcal{V}}{\partial \lambda_a \partial \lambda_b} + b_1 \sum_{i=1}^3 n_i \frac{\partial^2 \mathcal{V}}{\partial \lambda_a \partial b_i} \cdot \text{Flux}$$

Volume of SE5 and cycles

$$\text{Vol}(Y_5) = \frac{\pi^3}{b_1} \sum_a \frac{(\vec{v}_{a-1}, \vec{v}_a, \vec{v}_{a+1})}{(\vec{v}_{a-1}, \vec{v}_a, \vec{b})(\vec{v}_a, \vec{v}_{a+1}, \vec{b})},$$

$$\text{Vol}(S_a) = 2\pi^2 \frac{(\vec{v}_{a-1}, \vec{v}_a, \vec{v}_{a+1})}{(\vec{v}_{a-1}, \vec{v}_a, \vec{b})(\vec{v}_a, \vec{v}_{a+1}, \vec{b})},$$