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All order asymptotics for β -ensembles
in the multi-cut regime

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1. Beta-ensembles and random matrices
2. Applications to orthogonal polynomials
3. Ideas about the proof
4. Perspectives

The 1d beta-ensemble is ...

- ... the probability measure on $A^N \subseteq \mathbb{R}^N$

$$d\mu_N^A = \frac{1}{Z_N^A} \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq N} |\lambda_i - \lambda_j|^\beta \prod_{i=1}^N e^{-N(\beta/2)V(\lambda_i)} \mathbf{1}_A(\lambda_i) d\lambda_i \quad \beta > 0$$

- It is the measure induced on eigenvalues of a random matrix M

$$dM e^{-N(\beta/2) \text{Tr} V(M)} \begin{cases} \beta = 1 & \text{real symmetric matrices} \\ \beta = 2 & \text{hermitian matrices} \\ \beta = 4 & \text{quaternionic self-dual matrices} \end{cases}$$

**Wigner, Dyson, Mehta
(50s-60s)**

M = triangular

all $\beta > 0$, V quadratic

Dumitriu, Edelman '02

We would like to study when $N \rightarrow \infty \dots$

- the (random) empirical measure

$$L_N = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \delta_{\lambda_i}$$

Example : what kind of random variable is $\sum_{i=1}^N f(\lambda_i)$?

- the partition function

$$Z_N^A = \int_{A^N} \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq N} |\lambda_i - \lambda_j|^\beta \prod_{i=1}^N e^{-N(\beta/2)V(\lambda_i)} d\lambda_i$$

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The leading order ... is given by a continuous approximation

Classical result

Anderson, Guionnet, Zeitouni (book '09)

Mhaskar, Saff '85 Boutet de Monvel, Pastur, Shcherbina '95

Assume V continuous and confining $\left(\liminf_{|x| \rightarrow \infty} \frac{V(x)}{2 \ln |x|} > 1 \right)$

- $\mathcal{E}[\mu] = \iint \ln |x - y| d\mu(x) d\mu(y) - \int V(x) d\mu(x)$

has a unique maximizer $\mu_{\text{eq}} \in \mathcal{M}^1(A)$ characterized by

- $\exists C \quad 2 \int_A \ln |x - y| d\mu_{\text{eq}}(y) - V(x) \leq C$ with equality μ_{eq} everywhere

- $L_N \longrightarrow \mu_{\text{eq}}$ almost surely and in expectation

- $Z_N^A = \exp \left\{ N^2 (\beta/2) (\mathcal{E}[\mu_{\text{eq}}] + o(1)) \right\}$

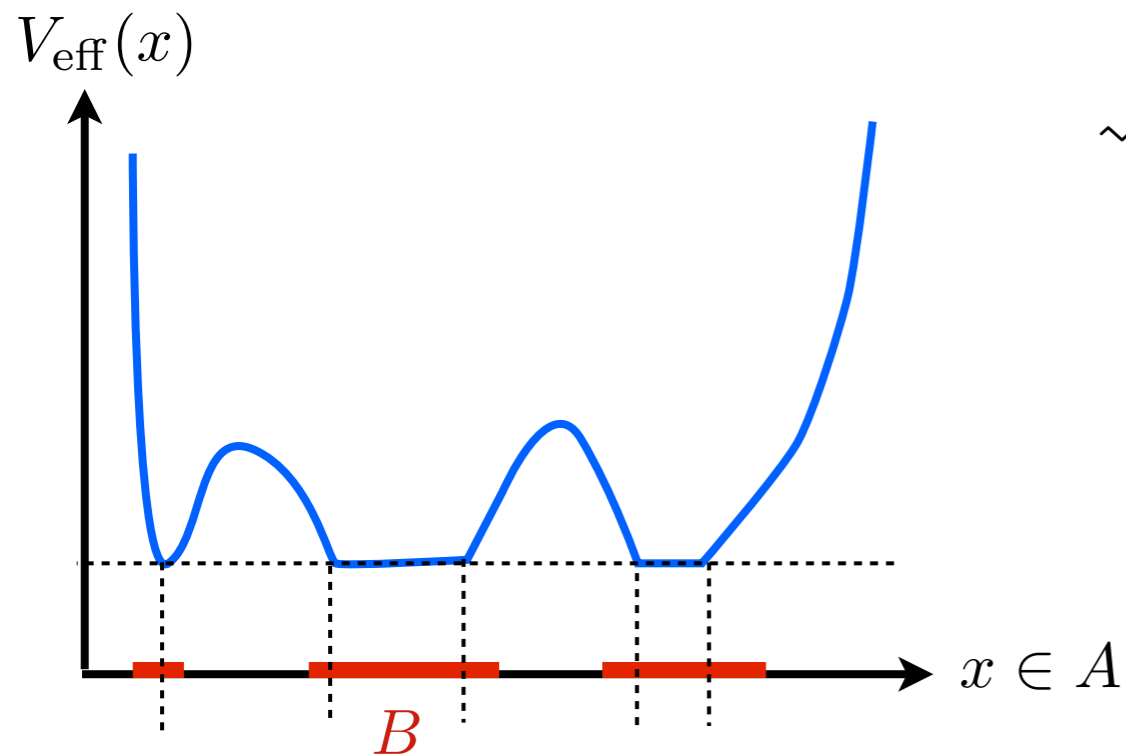
Large deviations (local result)

- λ_i 's feel the effective potential

$$V_{\text{eff}}(x) = V(x) - 2 \int \ln |x - y| d\mu_{\text{eq}}(y) - C \geq 0$$

- For any closed $F \subseteq A$

$$\text{Prob}_N^A [\exists i \lambda_i \in F] \leq \exp \left(-N(\beta/2) \left\{ \min_{x \in F} V_{\text{eff}}(x) + o(1) \right\} \right)$$



\rightsquigarrow One can restrict to a compact $B \subseteq A$ neighborhood of $\{V_{\text{eff}}(x) = 0\}$

$$Z_N^B = Z_N^A (1 + o(e^{-cN}))$$

Large deviations (global result)

- $\mathfrak{D}[\mu_1, \mu_2] = - \int \ln |x - y| d(\mu_1 - \mu_2)(x) d(\mu_1 - \mu_2)(y) = \int_0^\infty \frac{|\text{FT}[\mu_1 - \mu_2](k)|^2}{k}$

defines a distance $\in [0, +\infty]$ on $\mathcal{M}^1(A)$

such that $\left| \int f(x) d(\mu_1 - \mu_2)(x) \right| \leq \sqrt{2} \left(\int_{\mathbb{R}} k |\text{FT}[f](k)|^2 dk \right)^{1/2} \mathfrak{D}^{1/2}[\mu_1, \mu_2]$

- Let us pick a nice regularization $L_N = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \delta_{\lambda_i} \rightsquigarrow \tilde{L}_N$

Proposition

Borot, Guionnet ('11)

If V is \mathcal{C}^3 , we have for N large enough

$$\text{Prob}_N^A [\mathfrak{D}^{1/2}[\tilde{L}_N, \mu_{\text{eq}}] \geq t] \leq \exp(CN \ln N - N^2(\beta/2)t^2)$$

More on the equilibrium measure ...

- V real-analytic $\implies \begin{cases} \mu_{\text{eq}} \text{ is supported on a finite number of segments} \\ S = \bigcup_{h=0}^g [a_h, b_h] \end{cases}$

- $\alpha \in \partial S$ is a hard edge if $\alpha \in \partial A$, is a soft edge otherwise

$$d\mu_{\text{eq}}(x) = \frac{\mathbf{1}_S(x)dx}{2\pi} M(x) \prod_{\alpha \text{ soft}} |x - \alpha|^{1/2} \prod_{\alpha \text{ hard}} |x - \alpha|^{-1/2}$$

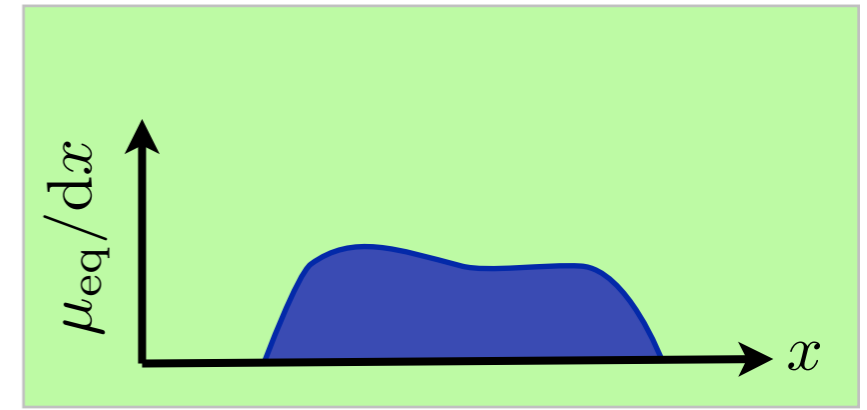


- We say that μ_{eq} is **off-critical** when $M(x) > 0$ on A

Finite size corrections : we assume ...

- $V = V_0 + (1/N)V_1 + \dots$ $\begin{cases} V_0 \text{ real analytic on } A \\ V_1 \text{ complex analytic on } A \end{cases}$
- Control of large deviations $V_{\text{eff}}(x) > 0$ for $x \in A \setminus S$
- μ_{eq} is off-critical
- f = test function, analytic on A

Result in the 1-cut regime



■ 1/N asymptotic expansion

$$Z_N^A = N^{\gamma N + \gamma'} \exp \left[\sum_{k \geq -2} N^{-k} F_k + O(N^{-\infty}) \right]$$

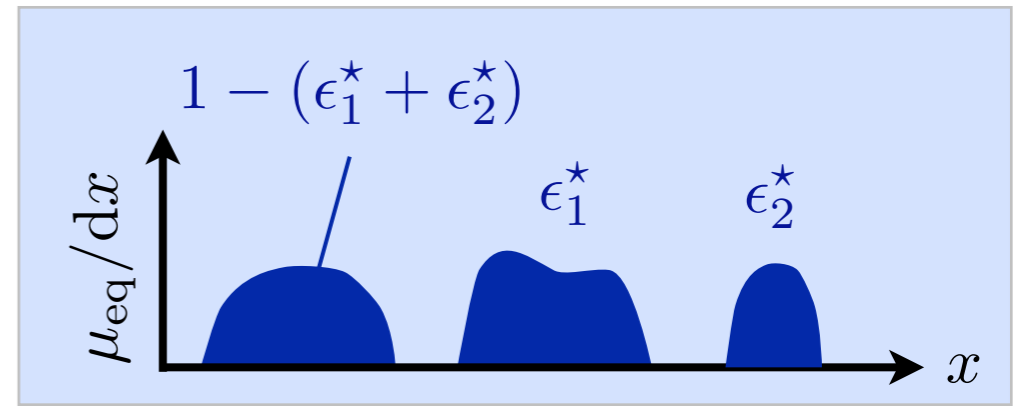
γ, γ' depend only on β and the nature of the edges

$$F_k = \sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor k/2 \rfloor + 1} \left(\frac{\beta}{2} \right)^{1-h} \left(1 - \frac{2}{\beta} \right)^{k+2-2h} F_{[h]; k+2-2h}$$

■ Central limit theorem

$$\left(\sum_{i=1}^N f(\lambda_i) - N \int_A f(\xi) d\mu_{\text{eq}}(\xi) \right) \longrightarrow \text{(non-centered) gaussian}$$

Result in the $(g + 1)$ -cuts regime



- Oscillatory asymptotic expansion

$$Z_N^A = N^{\gamma N + \gamma'} (\mathcal{D}_N \Theta_{-N\epsilon_\star}) (F'_{-1} | F''_{-2}) \exp \left[\sum_{k \geq -2} N^{-k} F_k + O(N^{-\infty}) \right]$$

where
$$\mathcal{D}_N = \sum_{r \geq 0} \frac{1}{r!} \sum_{\substack{l_1, \dots, l_r \geq 1 \\ k_1, \dots, k_r \geq -2 \\ \sum_i (k_i + l_i) > 0}} N^{-(\sum_i k_i + l_i)} \prod_{i=1}^r \frac{F_{k_i}^{(l_i)} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{w}}^{\otimes l_i}}{l_i!}$$

acts as a differential operator on the Siegel theta function

$$\Theta_\mu(\mathbf{w} | \mathbf{Q}) = \sum_{\mathbf{m} \in \mathbb{Z}^g} e^{\mathbf{w} \cdot (\mathbf{m} + \mu) + \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{m} + \mu) \cdot \mathbf{Q} \cdot (\mathbf{m} + \mu)}$$

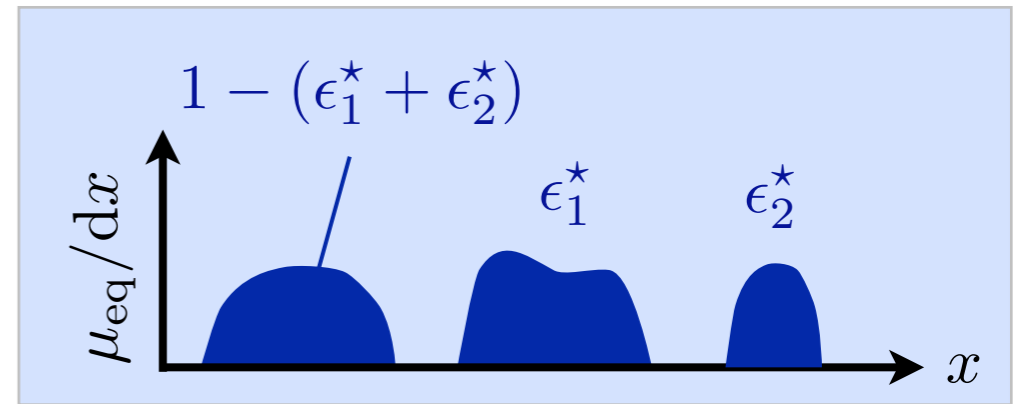
- Moving characteristics

$$\mu = -N\epsilon_\star \bmod \mathbb{Z}^g$$

Quadratic form

$$\mathbf{Q} = F''_{-2} = 2i\pi (\beta/2) \times (\text{period matrix}) < 0$$

Result in the $(g + 1)$ -cuts regime



- No central limit theorem in general ...

$$\mathbb{E} \left[e^{is \left(\sum_{i=1}^N f(\lambda_i) - N \int f(x) d\mu_{\text{eq}}(x) \right)} \right] \underset{N \rightarrow \infty}{\sim} e^{is m_1[f] - m_2[f] s^2 / 2} \frac{\Theta_{-N\epsilon^*} (F'_{-1} + is v[f] | F''_{-2})}{\Theta_{-N\epsilon^*} (F'_{-1} | F''_{-2})}$$

(non-centered) gaussian

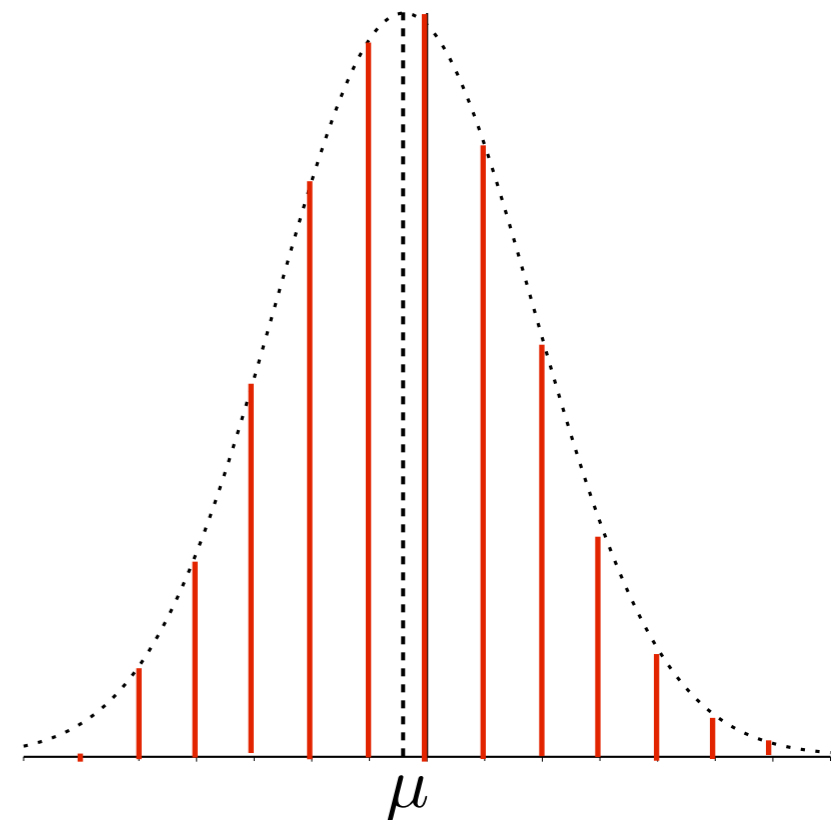
+ discrete Gaussian, centered at $\mu = -N\epsilon_\star \text{ mod } \mathbb{Z}^g$

$$\text{step } v[f] \propto \left(\int_S \frac{f(x) x^i dx}{\prod_\alpha |x - \alpha|^{1/2}} \right)_{0 \leq i \leq g-1}$$

Corollary

$$\left(\sum_{i=1}^N f(\lambda_i) - N \int_A f(\xi) d\mu_{\text{eq}}(\xi) \right)$$

converges in law along subsequences



History in the 1-cut regime

- $\beta = 2$
- If $1/N$ expansion exists, then $Z_N = N^{\gamma N + \gamma'} \exp \left(\sum_{h \geq 0} N^{2-2h} F_{[h]} \right)$
and $F_{[h]}$ can be computed by the moment method
Ambjørn, Chekhov, Kristjansen, Makeenko, 90s
 - Rewriting of $F_{[h]}$ in terms of a universal topological recursion
Eynard, '04
 - Existence of $1/N$ expansion by
 - analysis of SD equations **Albeverio, Pastur, Shcherbina '01**
 - RH techniques **Ercolani, McLaughlin '02**
 - analysis of int. system **Bleher, Its, '05**

History in the 1-cut regime

- $\beta > 0$ ■ if $1/N$ expansion exists, then

$$F_k = \sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor k/2 \rfloor + 1} \left(\frac{\beta}{2}\right)^{1-h} \left(1 - \frac{2}{\beta}\right)^{k+2-2h} F_{[h];k+2-2h}$$

and $F_{[h];m}$ computed by a β -topological recursion

Chekhov, Eynard '06

- Central limit theorem

Johansson '98

- Existence of $1/N$ expansion (analysis of SD eqn)

Borot, Guionnet '11

History in the $(g + 1)$ -cuts regime

- $\beta = 2$
- numerous observations of oscillatory behavior
physicists, '90s
 - asymptotics of $\langle \det(x - M) \rangle_{N \times N}$ up to $o(1)$ (RH techniques)
Deift, Kriecherbauer, McLaughlin, Venakides, Zhou '99
 - heuristic derivation up to $o(1)$
Bonnet, David, Eynard '00
 - generalization to all orders
Eynard '07
 - observation of “no CLT”
Pastur '06
- $\beta > 0$
- Proof of “no CLT” and asymptotics of Z_N^A up to $o(1)$
Shcherbina '12
 - General proof
Borot, Guionnet '13

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Orthogonal polynomials and random matrices

For $\beta = 2$

measure over the space of
 $N \times N$ hermitian matrices

$$V(x) = V_0(x) + \sum_{j \geq 1} \frac{t_j}{j} x^j$$

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

- $P_{N,n} = \mathbb{E}_{N \times N} [\det(x - M)]$

is the Nth orthogonal polynomial for the weight $dx e^{-nV(x)}$ on \mathbb{R}

- Let $h_{N,n} = \text{norm of } P_{N,n}$

$\hat{P}_{N,n} = P_{N,n} / \sqrt{h_{N,n}}$ satisfies a 3-term recurrence relation

$$(x - \beta_{N,n}) \hat{P}_{N,n}(x) = \sqrt{h_{N,n}} \hat{P}_{N+1,n}(x) + \sqrt{h_{N-1,n}} \hat{P}_{N-1,n}(x)$$

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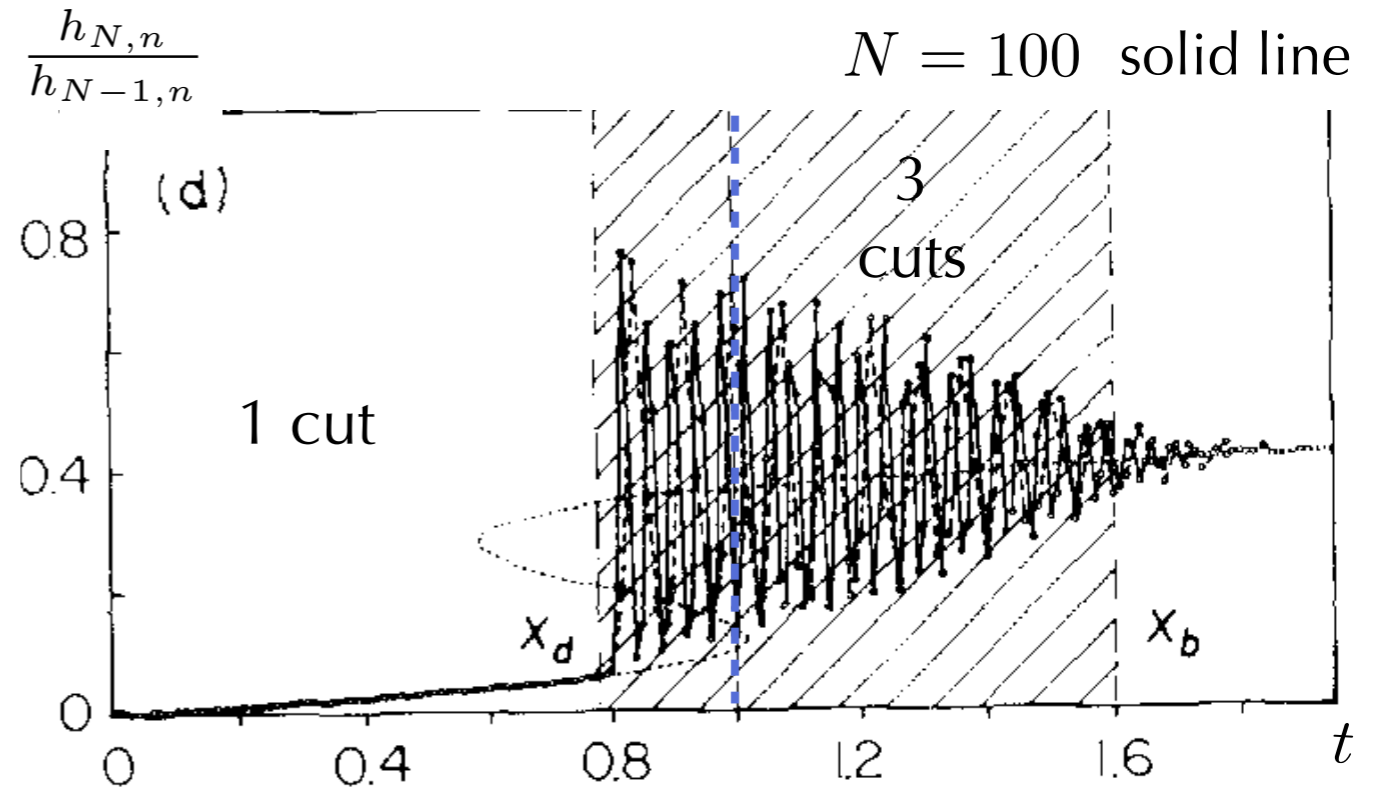
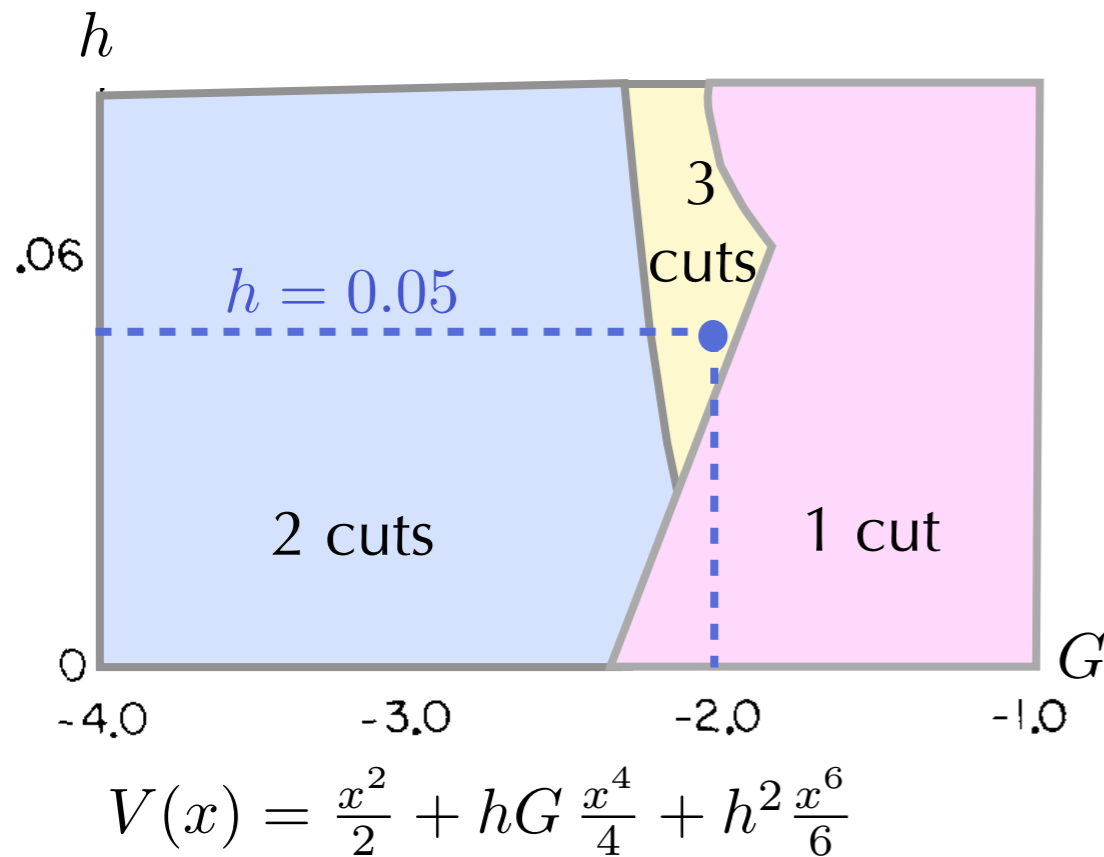
- The coefficients are solutions of a Toda chain :

$$\begin{cases} u_{N,n} = \ln h_{N,n} \\ v_{N,n} = -\beta_{N,n} \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} \partial_{t_1} u_{N,n} = v_{N,n} - v_{N-1,n} \\ \partial_{t_1} v_{N,n} = e^{u_{N+1,n}} - e^{u_{N,n}} \end{cases}$$

- ∂_{t_j} are the higher Toda flows
- initial condition prescribed by the string equations
- $Z_{N,n} = N! \prod_{j=0}^{N-1} h_{j,n}$ is the Tau function

The continuum limit of Toda

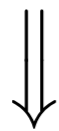
$$N, n \rightarrow \infty \quad N/n = t \text{ fixed}$$



from Jurkiewicz '91 Phys. Lett. B, 261, 3

- if the model with V/t has $(g + 1)$ -cuts and is off-critical

main result &
$$h_{N,n} = \frac{1}{N+1} \frac{Z_{N+1, nN/(N+1)}}{Z_{N,n}}$$



all-order oscillatory asymptotics for $u_{N,n} = \ln h_{N,n}$

Asymptotics of orthogonal polynomials

$$N, n \rightarrow \infty$$

$$N/n = t \text{ fixed}$$

■ main result +
$$P_{N,n}(x) = \frac{Z_{N,n}^{V - (1/N) \ln(x - \bullet)}}{Z_{N,n}^V}$$

\implies all-order asymptotics of $P_{N,n}(x)$ for x away from its zero locus

■ $\beta = 1, 4$ are related to skew orthogonal polynomials/Pfaff lattice

$$\langle P_{j,n} | P_{k,n} \rangle = (\delta_{j,k-1} - \delta_{j-1,k}) h_{j,n}$$

$$\beta = 1 \quad \begin{cases} M = \text{real symmetric} \\ \langle f | g \rangle_{\beta=1} = \int_{\mathbb{R}^2} dx dy e^{-n(V(x)+V(y))} \text{sgn}(x-y) f(x)g(y) \\ N_{\beta=1} = 2N \end{cases}$$

$$\beta = 4 \quad \begin{cases} M = \text{quaternionic self-dual} \\ \langle f | g \rangle_{\beta=4} = \int_{\mathbb{R}} dx e^{-nV(x)} (f(x)g'(x) - f'(x)g(x)) \\ N_{\beta=4} = N \end{cases}$$

$$P_{2N,n}(x) = \mathbb{E}_{N_{\beta} \times N_{\beta}} [\det(x - M)]$$

$$P_{2N+1,n}(x) = \mathbb{E}_{N_{\beta} \times N_{\beta}} [(x + \text{Tr } M) \det(x - M)]$$

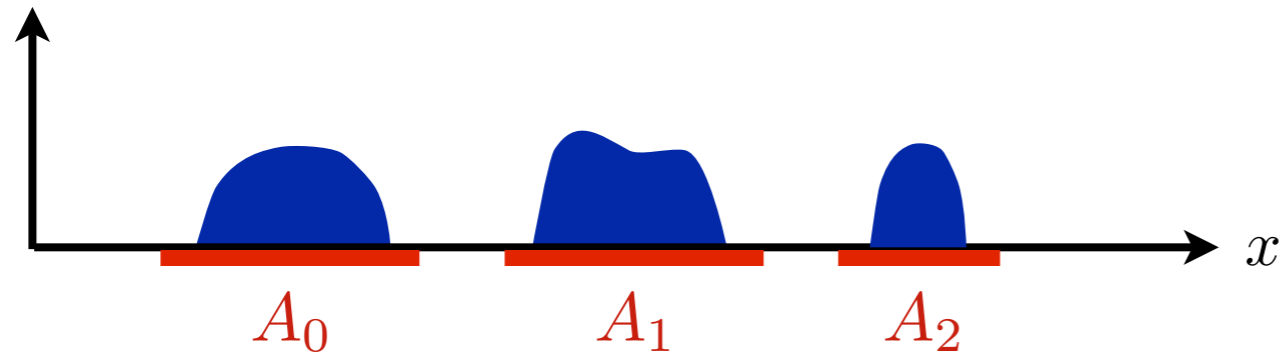
\implies similar asymptotic results

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Conditioning on the filling fractions

- From local large deviations : up to $o(e^{-cN})$, we can choose



$$A = \bigcup_{h=0}^g A_h$$

- We will study $\mu_{(N_0, \dots, N_g)}^{(A_0, \dots, A_g)} = \mu_N^A$ conditioned to have $\begin{cases} N_0 \text{ first } \lambda\text{'s in } A_0 \\ N_1 \text{ next } \lambda\text{'s in } A_1 \\ \text{etc.} \end{cases}$

The partition function decomposes

$$Z_N^A = \sum_{N_0 + \dots + N_g = N} \frac{N!}{\prod_{h=0}^g N_h!} Z_{(N_0, \dots, N_g)}^{(A_0, \dots, A_g)}$$

Correlators and partition function

- We will show a $1/N$ expansion for the m -point correlators :

$$W_m(x_1, \dots, x_m) = \mu_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A}}\text{-cumulant} \left(\sum_{i_1=1}^N \frac{1}{x_1 - \lambda_{i_1}}, \dots, \sum_{i_m=1}^N \frac{1}{x_m - \lambda_{i_m}} \right)$$

$$x_i \in \mathbb{C} \setminus A$$

- If $(V_t)_t$ is a smooth family of potentials respecting our assumptions

$$\frac{Z_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A};V_1}}{Z_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A};V_0}} = \exp \left[-N(\beta/2) \oint_A \frac{dx}{2i\pi} \partial_t V_t(x) W_1^{V_t}(x) \right] \quad \text{will have a large } N \text{ expansion}$$

- We need a reference V_0 where $Z_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A};V_0}$ can be exactly computed

The Schwinger-Dyson equations

- Integration by parts \implies exact relations between $\mu_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A}}$ -cumulants

$$\int \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq N} |\lambda_i - \lambda_j|^\beta \prod_{i=1}^N e^{-N(\beta/2)V(\lambda_i)} d\lambda_i$$

- E.g :

$$\mu_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A}} \left[\sum_{i=1}^N \frac{1}{(x - \lambda_i)^2} + \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq N} \frac{\beta}{(x - \lambda_i)(x - \lambda_j)} - \frac{N\beta}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{V'(\lambda_i)}{x - \lambda_i} \right] + \sum_{a \in \partial A} \frac{\partial_a \ln Z_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A}}}{x - a} = 0$$

which can be rewritten :

$$W_2(x, x) + (W_1(x))^2 + (1 - 2/\beta)W_1'(x) - \oint_A \frac{d\xi}{2i\pi} \frac{V'(\xi) W_1(\xi)}{x - \xi} + \sum_{a \in \partial A} \frac{\partial_a \ln Z_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A}}}{x - a} = 0$$

- For any $n \geq 1$, there is a quadratic relation between W_{n+1}, W_n, \dots, W_1

A priori control on correlators

For the conditioned measure $\mu_N^{\mathbf{A}}$

consider $N, (N_h)_h \rightarrow \infty$ with $\epsilon_h = N_h/N$ fixed, close enough to ϵ_h^*

- There is an equilibrium measure μ_{eq}^ϵ (depending smoothly on ϵ)

$$\text{So : } N^{-1}W_1(x) \xrightarrow{N \rightarrow \infty} \int \frac{d\mu_{\text{eq}}^\epsilon(\xi)}{x - \xi}$$

- From global large deviations :

$$\left| W_1(x) - N \int \frac{d\mu_{\text{eq}}^\epsilon(\xi)}{x - \xi} \right| \leq c_1 [d(x, A)] (N \ln N)^{1/2}$$

$$|W_m(x_1, \dots, x_m)| \leq \left(\prod_{i=1}^m c_m [d(x_i, A)] \right) (N \ln N)^{m/2}$$

Rigidity of the Schwinger-Dyson equations

By recursive analysis of the Schwinger-Dyson equation :

$$\left| W_1(x) - N \int \frac{d\mu_{\text{eq}}^\varepsilon(\xi)}{x-\xi} \right| \leq c_1 [d(x, A)] (N \ln N)^{1/2}$$

$$|W_m(x_1, \dots, x_m)| \leq \left(\prod_{i=1}^m c_m [d(x_i, A)] \right) (N \ln N)^{m/2}$$

\Downarrow thanks to off-criticality

$$\left(W_1(x) - N \int \frac{d\mu_{\text{eq}}^\varepsilon(\xi)}{x-\xi} \right) \longrightarrow W_1^{[0]}(x)$$

$$|W_m(x_1, \dots, x_m)| \leq \left(\prod_{i=1}^m c'_m [d(x_i, A)] \right) N^{2-m} \quad \text{concentration phenomenon}$$

\Downarrow

$$W_m(x_1, \dots, x_m) = \sum_{k \geq m-2} N^{-k} W_m^{[k]}(x_1, \dots, x_m) + O(N^{-K}) \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{for all } K \\ \text{(no uniformity)} \end{array}$$

Back to the partition function

$$\frac{Z_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A};V_1}}{Z_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A};V_0}} = \exp \left[- (\beta/2) \sum_{k \geq -2} N^{-k} \oint_A \frac{dx}{2i\pi} \partial_t V_t(x) W_1^{V_t;[k+1]}(x) + O(N^{-(K-1)}) \right]$$

To deduce an expansion for $Z_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A};V}$, we need

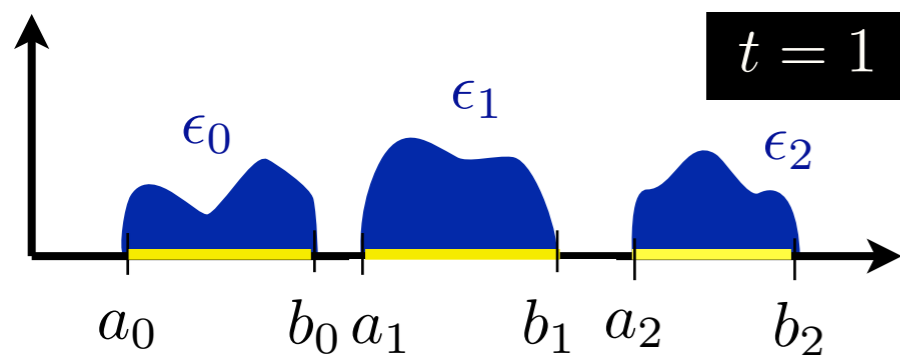
- V_0 such that $Z_{\mathbf{N}}^{\mathbf{A};V_0}$ is exactly known
- an interpolation $(V_t)_{t \in [0,1]}$ from $V_{t=1} = V$ staying uniformly $(g+1)$ -cuts and off-critical

Idea : interpolate in the space of equilibrium measures

$$(\mu_{\text{eq}}^t)_{t \in [0,1]} \longleftrightarrow (V_t)_{t \in [0,1]}$$

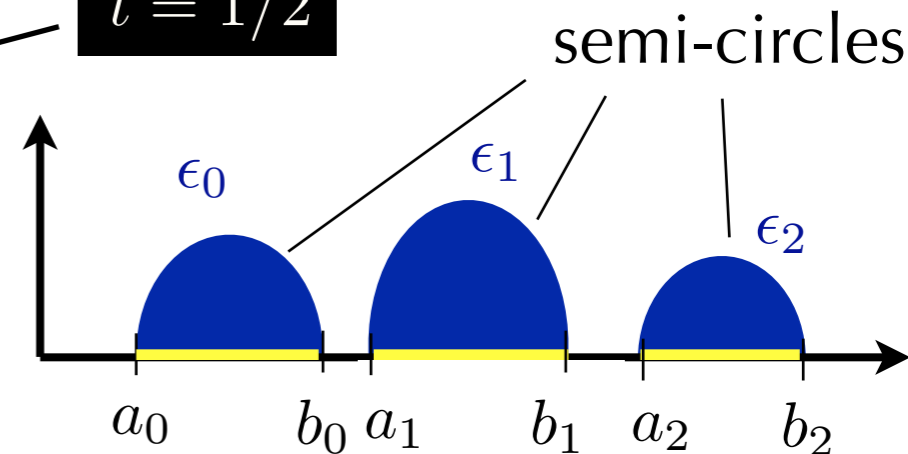
$$\int_A \ln |x - y| d\mu_{\text{eq}}^t(y) - V_t(x) = C_t \quad \text{with equality } \mu_{\text{eq}}^t \text{-everywhere}$$

An interpolation path ...



convex linear combination with semi-circles

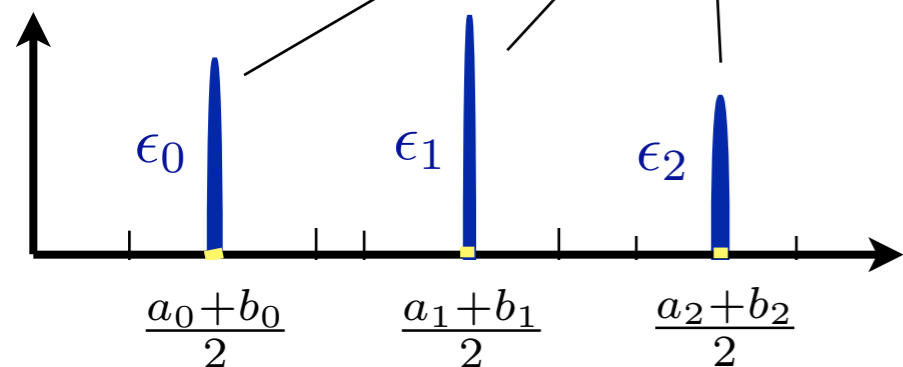
$t = 1/2$



squeezing the supports

$t \rightarrow 0$

semi-circles



$$Z_N^A[V_t] \underset{t \rightarrow 0}{\sim} \prod_{0 \leq h < h' \leq g} \left| \frac{a_h + b_h - a_{h'} - b_{h'}}{2} \right|^{N^2 \epsilon_h \epsilon_{h'} \beta} \prod_{h=0}^g \left(\text{Selberg } \beta\text{-Gaussian integral over } \mathbb{R}^{N_h} \right)$$

Sums and interferences - 1/3

We initially wanted to compute $Z_N^A = \sum_{N_0 + \dots + N_g = N} \frac{N!}{\prod_{h=0}^g N_h!} Z_{(N_0, \dots, N_g)}^{(A_0, \dots, A_g)}$

- From global large deviations :

$$Z_N^A = \left(\sum_{|\mathbf{N} - N\epsilon^*| \leq \ln N} \frac{N!}{\prod_{h=0}^g N_h!} Z_{\mathbf{N}}^A \right) (1 + O(e^{-cN}))$$

- For $\mathbf{N} - N\epsilon^* \in o(N)$, we just proved, with $\epsilon = (N_h/N)_{1 \leq h \leq g}$

$$\frac{N!}{\prod_{h=0}^g N_h!} Z_{\mathbf{N}}^A = N^{\gamma N + \gamma'} \exp \left[\sum_{k \geq -2} N^{-k} F_k(\epsilon) + O(N^{-K}) \right]$$

- Extra lemma : $F_k(\epsilon)$ are smooth functions of $\epsilon \approx \epsilon^*$

$$F'_{-2}(\epsilon^*) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad F''_{-2}(\epsilon^*) < 0$$

Sums and interferences - 2/3

We plug the asymptotic formula and use a Taylor expansion at $\epsilon \approx \epsilon^*$

- E.g. up to $o(1)$:

$$Z_N^A = N^{\gamma N + \gamma'} e^{N^2 F_{-2}(\epsilon^*) + N F_{-1}(\epsilon^*) + F_0(\epsilon^*)} \\ \times \left(\sum_{|\mathbf{N} - N\epsilon^*| \leq \ln N} e^{\frac{1}{2} F''_{-2}(\epsilon^*) \cdot (\mathbf{N} - N\epsilon^*)^{\otimes 2} + F'_{-1}(\epsilon^*) \cdot (\mathbf{N} - N\epsilon^*)} \right) (1 + O(e^{-c(\ln N)^3/N}))$$

It is the general term of a super-exponentially fast converging series :

$$Z_N^A = N^{\gamma N + \gamma'} e^{N^2 F_{-2}(\epsilon^*) + N F_{-1}(\epsilon^*) + F_0(\epsilon^*)} \\ \times \left(\sum_{\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{Z}^g} e^{\frac{1}{2} F''_{-2}(\epsilon^*) \cdot (\mathbf{N} - N\epsilon^*)^{\otimes 2} + F'_{-1}(\epsilon^*) \cdot (\mathbf{N} - N\epsilon^*)} \right) (1 + O(e^{-c(\ln N)^2}))$$

- We recognize $\Theta_{-N\epsilon^*}(F'_{-1} | F''_{-2})$

Sums and interferences - 3/3

- Including higher orders yields terms of the form

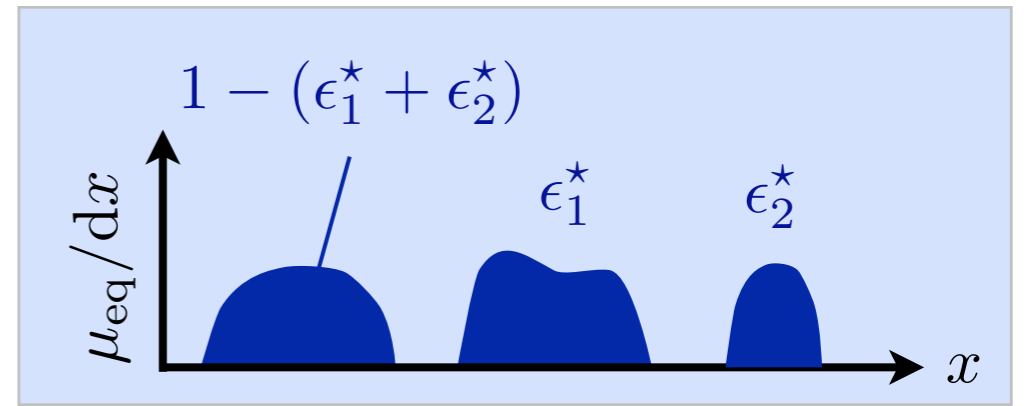
$$\sum_{\mathbf{N} \in \mathbb{Z}^g} \left(\frac{1}{r!} \prod_{i=1}^r \frac{F_{k_i}^{(\ell_i)}(\epsilon^*) \cdot (\mathbf{N} - N\epsilon^*)^{\otimes \ell_i}}{\ell_i!} \right) e^{\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{Q} \cdot (\mathbf{N} - N\epsilon^*)^{\otimes 2} + \mathbf{w} \cdot (\mathbf{N} - N\epsilon^*)}$$

We recognize $\left(\frac{1}{r!} \prod_{i=1}^r \frac{F_{k_i}^{(\ell_i)}(\epsilon^*) \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{w}}^{\otimes \ell_i}}{\ell_i!} \right) \Theta_{-N\epsilon^*}(\mathbf{w} | \mathbf{Q})$

Here $\mathbf{Q} = F''_{-2}(\epsilon^*)$ and $\mathbf{w} = F_{-1}(\epsilon^*)$

- We justified step by step the heuristics of **Bonnet, David, Eynard '00, Eynard '07**

Summary : the $(g + 1)$ -cuts regime



- Oscillatory asymptotic expansion

$$Z_N^A = N^{\gamma N + \gamma'} (\mathcal{D}_N \Theta_{-N\epsilon_\star}) (F'_{-1} | F''_{-2}) \exp \left[\sum_{k \geq -2} N^{-k} F_k + O(N^{-\infty}) \right]$$

where
$$\mathcal{D}_N = \sum_{r \geq 0} \frac{1}{r!} \sum_{\substack{l_1, \dots, l_r \geq 1 \\ k_1, \dots, k_r \geq -2 \\ \sum_i (k_i + l_i) > 0}} N^{-(\sum_i k_i + l_i)} \prod_{i=1}^r \frac{F_{k_i}^{(l_i)} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{w}}^{\otimes l_i}}{l_i!}$$

acts as a differential operator on the Siegel theta function

$$\Theta_\mu(\mathbf{w} | \mathbf{Q}) = \sum_{\mathbf{m} \in \mathbb{Z}^g} e^{\mathbf{w} \cdot (\mathbf{m} + \mu) + \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{m} + \mu) \cdot \mathbf{Q} \cdot (\mathbf{m} + \mu)}$$

- Moving characteristics

$$\mu = -N\epsilon_\star \bmod \mathbb{Z}^g$$

Quadratic form

$$\mathbf{Q} = F''_{-2} = 2i\pi (\beta/2) \times (\text{period matrix}) < 0$$

All order asymptotics for β -ensembles in the multi-cut regime

1. Beta-ensembles and random matrices
2. Applications to orthogonal polynomials
3. Ideas about the proof
4. Perspectives

Generalization ...

... to real-analytic k-body interactions

$$d\mu_N^A = \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq N} |\lambda_i - \lambda_j|^\beta \exp \left(\sum_{k=1}^r \frac{N^{2-k}}{k!} \sum_{i_1, \dots, i_k=1}^N T_k(\lambda_{i_1}, \dots, \lambda_{i_k}) \right) \prod_{i=1}^N d\lambda_i$$

- Equilibrium measure & local large deviations provided

$$\mathcal{E}[\mu] = \frac{\beta}{2} \iint \ln |x_1 - x_2| d\mu(x_1) d\mu(x_2) + \sum_{k=1}^r \frac{1}{k!} \int T_k(x_1, \dots, x_k) \prod_{i=1}^k d\mu(x_i)$$

has a unique minimum

- Global large deviations provided $\mathcal{E}''[\mu_{\text{eq}}] < 0$
 - Similar asymptotic results
- in progress with
Guionnet, Kozłowski**

- Coefs. of expansions are given by a “blobbed” topological recursion

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General ideas

- Nature of expansion depends on the topology of the spectrum

connected \longrightarrow $1/N$ expansion

gaps \longrightarrow ... + interference patterns

- Structure of expansion is influenced by singularities of the measure on the “moduli space” $\mathfrak{M} = A^N / \mathfrak{S}_N$

$$\prod_{i < j} |\lambda_i - \lambda_j|^\beta = \text{non-analyticity on } \partial\mathfrak{M}$$

Open problems

- Singular V 's and uniform asymptotics around critical points
 - asymptotics of (skew) orthogonal polynomials in the bulk
 - universality and computing tails of universal laws
- Complex-valued V
 - Berry-Esséen type estimates in CLT
- Same questions for $\lambda_i \in \mathbb{C}$
- Same questions for multi-matrix models
 - asymptotics of biorthogonal polynomials