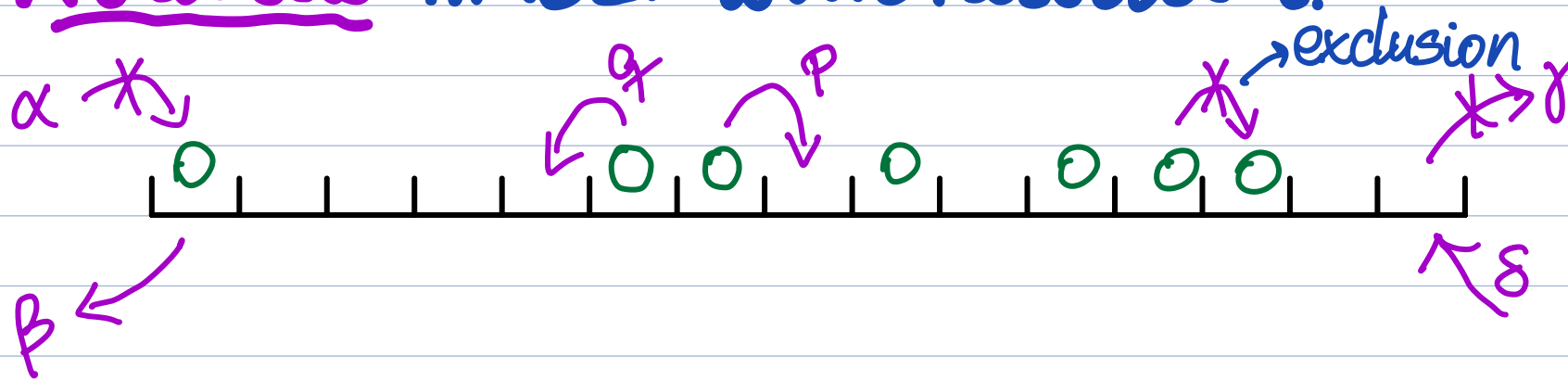


NESS for HPZ

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★ Model 1: WASEP with reservoirs.



KPZ scaling: $p = 1 + \frac{v}{\sqrt{n}}$, $q = 1 - \frac{v}{\sqrt{n}}$

$$\alpha = \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{a}{\sqrt{n}}\right)p, \quad \beta = \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{a}{\sqrt{n}}\right)q$$

$$\gamma = \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{b}{\sqrt{n}}\right)p, \quad \delta = \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{b}{\sqrt{n}}\right)q$$

$$\Lambda_n = \{1, \dots, n-1\}, \Omega_n = \{0, 1\}^{\Lambda_n}$$

$(\eta(t); t \geq 0)$: Markov chain WASEP(v, a, b, n)

Irreducible $\leadsto$ invariant measure π^n

Question: Scaling limit of density of particles under π^n

ρ_* := triple-point density
 $\rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$ for WASEP

* Density fluctuation field:

$$X^n(f) := \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum_{K \in \Lambda_n} (\eta(t) - \rho_*) f\left(\frac{x}{n}\right) ; f \in \mathcal{C}_c^\infty(0,1)$$

Zhm. (Corwin-Knizel, Bryc et al.)

The field $X^n(f)$ has a very complicated limit.
Moreover, it is a stationary solution of the
stochastic Burgers equation.

* SBE: $\partial_t X = D(p_*) \Delta X + v \lambda(p_*) \nabla X^2 + \sqrt{\chi(p_*)} \nabla \dot{w}$

* KPZ: $X = \nabla H$; $\partial_t H = D \Delta H + v \lambda (\nabla H)^2 + \sqrt{\chi} \dot{w}$

* SHE: $Z = e^{\gamma H}$; $\partial_t Z = D \Delta Z + \sqrt{\chi} Z \dot{w}$

Einstein relation [Gon-J]: $\lambda = \partial_p^2 (\chi D)$

Universality: Is the scaling limit of weakly asymmetric, conservative systems given by stationary solutions of SBE?? NESS for KPZ

Thm. (Arratia-J.) For gradient (quasilinear) systems, if $|b-a| \leq \varepsilon_0$, then X^n converges to NESS of SBE.

* Step 1: A priori bound.

f_t : density of $\eta(tn^2)$ w.r.t

$$\mu_p := \bigotimes_{x \in \Lambda_n} \text{Ber}\left(p_* + \frac{a + (b a) x}{\sqrt{n}}\right)$$

$$p_* + \frac{a}{\sqrt{n}}$$



$$p_* + \frac{b}{\sqrt{n}}$$

Lemma: If $|b-a| \leq \varepsilon_0$, then

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int f_{\pm}^2 d\mu_p \leq -\delta_0 \int f_{\pm}^2 d\mu_p + C$$

In particular,

$$\int \left(\frac{d\pi}{d\mu_p} \right)^2 d\mu_p \leq C/\delta_0$$

→ Quantitative Hydrodynamics

Scheme of proof: L_n : generator of $(\eta(t); t \geq 0)$

Γ_n : carré du champ of L_n

L_n^* : adjoint of L_n wrt μ

a) Fokker-Planck: $\frac{d}{dt} \int f_t^2 d\mu = -n^2 \int \Gamma_n f_t d\mu + \int n^2 L_n^* \mathbb{1} f_t^2 d\mu$

$\rightarrow =: \|f_t\|^2$

b) Main lemma (J.-Menezes):

$$\int n^2 L_n^* \mathbb{1} f^2 d\mu \leq \beta n^2 \int \Gamma_n f_t d\mu + \frac{C(b-a)\|f\|^2}{\beta}$$

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c) log-Sobolev + Poincare:

$$\frac{d}{dt} \|f_t\|^2 \leq -\frac{n^2}{C} (1 - C(1-b-a)) \|f_t\|^2 + C$$



* Step 2: Variational norms.

$$Q(V) := \sup_{\|f\|=1} \left\{ \int V f^2 d\mu_p - \frac{1}{4} n^2 \int \Gamma_n f d\mu_p \right\}$$

Lemma: Under the conditions of the previous lemma,

$$\log \mathbb{E} \left[e^{\int_0^t V_s ds} \right] \leq Ct + \int_0^t Q(V_s) ds$$

* Step 3: Gartner-Cole-Hopf transform.

$J(t)$: current of particles between the system and the left boundary

$$\mathcal{E}_n(t) := \exp \left\{ \frac{D}{v\lambda} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \left(J(t) + \sum_{y=1}^n (\eta_y(\sqrt{n}t) - \rho_*) \right) - Cnt \right\}$$

→ Gartner-Cole-Hopf

Exponential field:

$$\mathcal{Z}_t^n(F) := \frac{1}{n} \sum_{x \in \Lambda_n} F\left(\frac{x}{n}\right) \mathcal{E}_n(t)$$

Thm.: The field Z_t^n converges to a weak solution of SHE with Robin boundary conditions.

Obs.) For general models, we need a non-linear replacement to show that non-linear terms in the evolution of Z_t^n vanish in the limit.

↳ Boltzmann-Gibbs principle [Goncalves, J.]