Localisation and Non-perturbative dynamics in supersymmetric theories

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• Localization formula:

$$Q_{\xi} \equiv d + i_{\xi} \qquad \qquad i_{\xi} dx^{i} \equiv \delta_{\xi} x^{i} \qquad \qquad Q_{\xi}^{2} = \delta_{\xi}$$



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$$S_{\rm eff} = \int d^4x \Phi \mathcal{F}(\Phi)$$
 Prepotential

$$\mathcal{F} = \mathcal{F}_0 + \mathcal{F}_{1-loop} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \mathcal{F}_k q^k$$

Gauge instantons

 $q = e^{2\pi \mathrm{i}\tau}$ gauge coupling

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Squashed parameter

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 $e^{-A_{WA}[C]}$

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 $\langle W[C] \rangle_{\rm SVM}$

conjecture.







Large representations



Dual Geometry









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Minimal action: Fundamental string

$$\begin{split} ds^2 &= f_1^2 ds_{AdS_2}^2 + f_2^2 ds_{S^2}^2 + f_4^2 ds_{S^4}^2 + d\Sigma^2 \,. \\ \text{given in terms of two polynomials} \\ H_{2g+2}(z)^2 &= \prod_{i=1}^{2g+2} (z) e_i) \end{split} \qquad P_{g+1}(z) \end{split}$$

$$S = \frac{1}{2\pi\alpha'} \int d^2\sigma \sqrt{\det(G_{MN}\partial_{\alpha}X^M\partial_{\beta}X^N)} + \frac{1}{2\pi\alpha'} \int B$$

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• Fundamental string action

$$S = \frac{1}{2\pi\alpha'} \int d\phi \, d\rho \, \sinh \rho \, e^{\frac{\Phi(z)}{2}} f_1(z)^2 \sqrt{1 + \frac{4\,\sigma(z)^2}{f_1(z)^2}} |z'|^2 + \frac{1}{2\pi\alpha'} \int d\phi \, d\rho \, \sinh \rho \, b_1(z) \,,$$

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$$\text{Agree with Sugra}$$

$$\text{large N and large} \quad \lambda$$

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Exact formula

• t'Hooft loop $q \approx 1$

strong coupling



t'Hooft loop operators

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with
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$$= \frac{\int da \ e^{-\text{tr}a^{2}} \cdot S_{\text{int}}(a)}{\int da \ e^{-\text{tr}a^{2}} - S_{\text{int}}(a)} \qquad \text{normal ordered operators}$$

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