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Super-Schrödinger Symmetry and Holography

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Motivation

Condensed Matter Systems:

- Often non-relativistic and strongly coupled → non-relativistic holography
- SUSY in the lab: e.g. fermions at unitarity

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- Task: Check that the boundary supercurrent is indeed in a Super-Schrödinger mulitplet: holographic calculation with gravitino in the Schrödinger bulk

Thank you for your attention.

