

*Vortices, ergodicity and chaos from a holographic
perspective*

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Why vortices?

Developments in ultra-cold-atom physics: new twists in the physics of near-perfect neutral fluids fast rotating in normal or superfluid phase

Below BEC-transition: rotation (~ 100 Hz) creates networks of vortices

He^4 $\bar{a} \sim 10^{-5} \mu\text{m}$, $T_c \approx 2.17$ K, $a_v \sim 1$ mm \Rightarrow a few highly populated vortices

(1995) BEC $\bar{a} \sim 0.25 \mu\text{m}$, $T_c \sim 100$ nK, $a_v \sim 2 \mu\text{m}$ \Rightarrow 100 to 200 vortices

\rightarrow *new challenges in strong-coupling regimes*

Rotation for neutral particles \cong magnetic field for charged particles

Dilute rotating Bose gases in harmonic traps

- ▶ Landau levels with small filling factor (particles/vortices ≈ 1)
- ▶ Fractional-quantum-Hall effect
- ▶ Topological (anyonic) quasi-particle spectra

[e.g. Cooper et al. '10, Chu et al. '10, Dalibard et al. '11]

Foreseeable progress in the measurement of transport coefficients calls for a better understanding of the strong-coupling dynamics of vortices

Aim

Use AdS/CFT for

- ▶ *The description of rotating fluids as the hydrodynamic approximation of a boundary theory*
- ▶ *As a spin-off: the ergodicity breakdown in magnetic flows*

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Holographic duality

*Applied beyond the original framework – maximal susy YM in $D = 4$
– usually in the classical gravity approximation without backreaction*

- ▶ Bulk with $\Lambda = -3k^2$: asymptotically AdS $d = D + 1$ -dim \mathcal{M}
- ▶ Conformal boundary at $r \rightarrow \infty$

Holography: determination of $\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle_{\text{bry. F.T.}}$ as a response to a boundary source perturbation $\delta\phi_{(0)}$

Where is the fluid and where are its data?

Via holography: boundary field theory at finite T and μ

Fluid \equiv hydrodynamic approximation of the boundary theory

- ▶ stationary \rightarrow local thermodynamic equilibrium – no dissipation
- ▶ disturbed \rightarrow dissipative response – alternative to kinetic theory

Fluid described in terms of \mathbf{u} , ε , \mathbf{p} , T in $T_{\mu\nu}$ s.t. $\nabla_{\mu} T^{\mu\nu} = 0$ in a background $g_{(0)\mu\nu}$ – data read off from the large- r expansion of θ^{μ}

[Palatini formulation and $\mathfrak{3} + \mathfrak{1}$ split – Leigh, Petkou '07, Mansi, Petkou, Tagliabue '08]

θ^a : bulk orthonormal coframe ($\eta : + - ++$)

$$ds^2 = \eta_{ab} \theta^a \theta^b$$

with a gauge choice s.t. $\theta^r = \frac{dr}{kr}$, $\theta^{\mu} = \theta^{\mu}_{\nu} dx^{\nu}$, $\mu = 0, 1, 2$

Holography: Hamiltonian evolution from data on the boundary – captured in Fefferman–Graham expansion for large r [Fefferman, Graham '85]

$$\theta^\mu(r, x) = kr E^\mu(x) + \frac{1}{kr} F_{[2]}^\mu(x) + \frac{1}{k^2 r^2} F^\mu(x) + \dots$$

Independent 2 + 1 boundary data: vector-valued 1-forms E^μ and F^μ

- ▶ E^μ : boundary orthonormal coframe – allows to determine

$$ds_{\text{bry.}}^2 = g_{(0)\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu = \eta_{\mu\nu} E^\mu E^\nu$$

- ▶ F^μ : stress current one-form – allows to construct the boundary stress tensor ($\kappa = 3k/8\pi G$)

$$T = \kappa F^\mu e_\mu = T^\mu_\nu E^\nu \otimes e_\mu$$

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Basic ingredients

Reminder: $u \rightarrow \nabla_\mu u_\nu \rightarrow \{a_\mu, \sigma_{\mu\nu}, \Theta, \omega_{\mu\nu}\}$

$$\omega = \frac{1}{2} (du + u \wedge a)$$

- ▶ **Global rigid rotation:** AdS Kerr (M, a) – boundary fluid on a squashed two-sphere in cyclonic motion *i.e.* with

$$\omega \sim a \cos \vartheta \sin \vartheta d\vartheta \wedge d\varphi \sim a \cos \vartheta E^\vartheta \wedge E^\varphi$$

- ▶ **Local rotation:** nut-like charge – fluid in homogeneous *monopolar* rotation on S^2 or H_2 with *constant* vorticity

AdS Taub–NUT: the nut charge

The bulk data [Taub '51, Newman, Tamburino, Unti '63]

$$\begin{aligned} ds^2 &= (\theta^r)^2 - (\theta^t)^2 + (\theta^\vartheta)^2 + (\theta^\varphi)^2 \\ &= \frac{d\tilde{r}^2}{V(\tilde{r})} - V(\tilde{r}) [dt - 2n \cos \vartheta d\varphi]^2 + \rho^2 [d\vartheta^2 + \sin^2 \vartheta d\varphi]^2 \end{aligned}$$

$V(\tilde{r}) = \Delta/\rho^2$ with

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta &= (\tilde{r}^2 - n^2) (1 + k^2 (\tilde{r}^2 + 3n^2)) + 4k^2 n^2 \tilde{r}^2 - 2M\tilde{r} \\ \rho^2 &= \tilde{r}^2 + n^2 \end{aligned}$$

Horizon, no angular velocity a but nut charge n – one of the most peculiar solutions to Einstein's Eqs. [Misner '63]

Taub–NUT: rich geometry – foliation over squashed 3-spheres with $\mathbb{R} \times SU(2)$ isometry (homogeneous and axisymmetric)

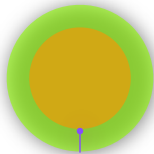


Figure: horizon (bolt), nut and Misner string (coordinate singularity)

Following FG \rightarrow boundary metric and stress tensor

$$\begin{aligned} ds_{\text{bry.}}^2 &= \eta_{\mu\nu} E^\mu E^\nu = g_{(0)\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu \\ &= - (dt - 2n(\cos\vartheta - 1)d\varphi)^2 + \frac{1}{k^2} (d\vartheta^2 + \sin^2\vartheta d\varphi^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$T = T_{\mu\nu} E^\mu E^\nu = \frac{\kappa M k}{3} \left(2(E^t)^2 + (E^\vartheta)^2 + (E^\varphi)^2 \right)$$

Fluid interpretation: perfect-like stress tensor

- ▶ conformal with $\varepsilon = 2p = 2\kappa M k/3$
- ▶ velocity field $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{e}_t = \partial_t$: comoving & inertial ($\nabla_{\partial_t} \partial_t = 0$)

no expansion, no shear but vorticity

The vorticity on the boundary of AdS Taub–NUT ($u = -dt + b$)

$$b = -2n(1 - \cos \vartheta)d\varphi = -2n \frac{1 - \cos \vartheta}{\sin \vartheta} E^\varphi$$

$$\omega = \frac{1}{2} db = -n \sin \vartheta d\vartheta \wedge d\varphi = -nk^2 E^\vartheta \wedge E^\varphi$$

Dirac-monopole-like vortex (“hedgehog” or homogeneous)

*Taub–NUT is well designed for describing “monopolar” vortices
(Kerr produces a dipole without nut charge: $\int \omega = 0$ – solid rotation)*

Reminder

Rotation in flat space (spherical coordinates)

Data: \vec{v} $\vec{\omega} = 1/2 \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v}$

▶ Solid rotation ($\ell = 2$):

▶ $\vec{v} = \Omega \partial_\varphi$ and $\|\vec{v}\| = \Omega r \sin \vartheta$ (regular)

▶ $\vec{\omega} = \Omega \cos \vartheta \partial_r - \frac{\Omega \sin \vartheta}{r} \partial_\vartheta = \Omega \partial_z$ (uniform)

▶ Ordinary vortex ($\ell = 0$):

▶ $\vec{v} = \frac{\beta}{r^2 \sin^2 \vartheta} \partial_\varphi$ and $\|\vec{v}\| = \frac{\beta}{r \sin \vartheta}$ (singular at $\vartheta = 0, \pi$)

▶ $\vec{\omega} = 0$ (irrotational) – up to a δ -function contribution

▶ Dirac-monopole vortex ($\ell = 1$):

▶ $\vec{v} = \alpha \frac{1 - \cos \vartheta}{r^2 \sin^2 \vartheta} \partial_\varphi$ and $\|\vec{v}\| = \alpha \frac{1 - \cos \vartheta}{r \sin \vartheta}$ (singular at $\vartheta = \pi$)

▶ $\vec{\omega} = \frac{\alpha}{2r^2} \partial_r$ (hedgehog)

Spherical vs. hyperbolic Taub–NUT

Similar bulk solution exists with hyperbolic horizon, nut charge sent away and no Misner string – similar holographic fluid interpretation

- ▶ **Boundary metric:** squashed AdS_3 ($\mathbb{R} \times \text{SL}(2, \mathbb{R})$ isometry)

$$ds_{\text{bry.}}^2 = - (dt - 2n(\cosh \sigma - 1)d\varphi)^2 + \frac{1}{k^2} (d\sigma^2 + \sinh^2 \sigma d\varphi^2)$$

- ▶ **Vorticity:** homogeneous (“hedgehog” on H_2 – Poincaré plane)

$$\omega = n \sinh \sigma d\sigma \wedge d\varphi = nk^2 E^\sigma \wedge E^\varphi$$

Paradigm for magnetic flows

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Papapetrou–Randers time fibrations

Stationary bulk solutions lead to boundaries of the generic form

$$ds_{\text{bry.}}^2 = - \left(dt - b_k dx^k \right)^2 + a_{ij} dx^i dx^j$$

with inertial, shear- and expansion-less fluid s.t. $\omega = 1/2 db$

- ▶ Not always globally hyperbolic: \exists regions on the base where constant- t surfaces are *not* space-like – happens wherever

$$a^{ij} b_i b_j > 1$$

- ▶ Mapped to *magnetic flows*

Geodesic flows on PR \leftrightarrow magnetic flows on $d\ell^2 = a_{ij} dx^i dx^j$

Geodesics and magnetic mapping

PR is stationary: ∂_t is Killing and “energy” is conserved

- ▶ In proper time τ

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{E} &= \dot{t} - b_i \dot{x}^i \\ \mathcal{E}^2 - \kappa &= a_{ij} \dot{x}^i \dot{x}^j\end{aligned}$$

$\kappa = 0, 1$ for light- or time-like geodesics

- ▶ In time $\zeta = \mathcal{E}\tau$: dynamics captured by the Newtonian system

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{L} &= \frac{1}{2} a_{ij} x'^i x'^j + b_k x'^k \\ \tilde{\mathcal{E}} &= \frac{1}{2} a_{ij} x'^i x'^j = \frac{1}{2} (1 - \kappa/\mathcal{E}^2)\end{aligned}$$

Charged particle on $d\ell^2 = a_{ij} dx^i dx^j$ in a magnetic field $F = db$ ($m = e = 1$) with the following mapping of “Newtonian” energy

$$\tilde{\mathcal{E}} = 1/2 \leftrightarrow \text{light-like} \quad 0 \leq \tilde{\mathcal{E}} < 1/2 \leftrightarrow \text{time-like}$$

Application: squashed AdS₃

Geodesic congruence on squashed AdS₃



Magnetic flow on Poincaré plane with uniform magnetic field

Playground for ergodicity analysis – reminder

- ▶ Dynamical system: $\{\mathcal{M}, \Phi_\zeta, \mu\}$
- ▶ Ergodic iff for any observable f

$$\int_{\mathcal{M}} f d\mu = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T f(\Phi_\zeta(x)) d\zeta \quad \text{almost } \forall x \in \mathcal{M}$$

In practice: flow sufficiently unstable to guarantee that any open subset of \mathcal{M} be mapped onto the entire \mathcal{M}

Geodesic flows on negative-curvature spaces are ergodic [Hadamard; Hopf; '30s]
(positive-entropy, mixing, infinite-multiplicity Lebesgue spectrum)

Poincaré plane is the simplest

- ▶ 2-dim
- ▶ constant-curvature
- ▶ $SL(2, \mathbb{R})$ -invariant

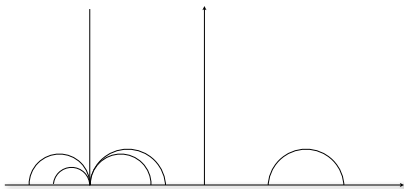


Figure: Geodesic flow on Poincaré plane

Magnetic flow on Poincaré plane: ergodic for small magnetic field w.r.t. the energy [Hedlund, 1936]

With a *uniform* magnetic field $2nk^2$ – still $SL(2, \mathbb{R})$ -invariant

- ▶ ergodic if $2nk < \sqrt{2\mathcal{E}}$
- ▶ non-ergodic otherwise (periodic)

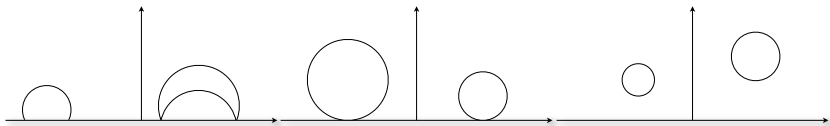


Figure: Magnetic flow on Poincaré plane: $2nk \begin{cases} \leq \\ \geq \end{cases} \sqrt{2\mathcal{E}}$

Competition magnetic field / negative curvature: absent in flat space or on S^2

Squashed-AdS₃ perspective and holography

For light- or time-like geodesics on squashed AdS₃ $0 \leq \tilde{\mathcal{E}} < 1/2$

Those correspond to ergodic magnetic flow on the Poincaré plane iff

$$2kn < \sqrt{2\tilde{\mathcal{E}}} \leq 1$$

- ▶ $2nk < 1$ is precisely the requirement for **global hyperbolicity in squashed AdS₃**
- ▶ $2nk = 1$ seems to be the endpoint of a **transition/bifurcation line** in the thermodynamics of the holographic dual – the hyperbolic Taub–NUT [under investigation]

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A web of relations

Around a class of 4-dim bulk solutions with nut charge – usually considered as a curiosity

- ▶ *Appearance of vortices*
- ▶ *Ergodicity and its breakdown – valid also for the Schrödinger spectrum*

Yet to be unravelled

- ▶ *Transport coefficients s.t. Hall viscosity*
- ▶ *Thermodynamic properties*
- ▶ *Analogue-gravity paradigm*

Workshop on holographic applications, out-of-equilibrium phenomena, gravity & analogue gravity

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- ▶ Bulk: “asymptotically AdS” d -dim \mathcal{M} ($d = D + 1$)

$$ds^2 = \frac{dr^2}{k^2 r^2} + k^2 r^2 H(kr) (-dt^2 + dx^2)$$

- ▶ Boundary at $r \rightarrow \infty$: $ds^2 \approx \frac{dr^2}{k^2 r^2} + k^2 r^2 g_{(0)\mu\nu}(x) dx^\mu dx^\nu$
- ▶ Dynamical field ϕ with action $I[\phi]$ and boundary value $\phi_{(0)}(x)$

The basic relation

$$Z_{\text{bulk}}[\phi] = \langle 1 \rangle_{\text{bry. F.T.}}$$

gives access to the data of the boundary theory

$$\left\langle \exp i \int_{\partial\mathcal{M}} d^D x \sqrt{-g_{(0)}} \delta\phi_{(0)} \mathcal{O} \right\rangle_{\text{bry. F.T.}} = Z_{\text{bulk}}[\phi + \delta\phi_{(0)}]$$

- ▶ $\phi_{(0)} \leftrightarrow \mathcal{O}$: conjugate variables
- ▶ $\delta\phi_{(0)}$: boundary perturbation \rightarrow source
- ▶ \mathcal{O} : observable functional of $\phi_{(0)}$ \rightarrow response

*Semi-classically around a classical solution ϕ_**

$$Z_{\text{bulk}}[\phi] = \exp -I_E[\phi_*]$$

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \left. \frac{\delta I}{\delta \phi_{(0)}} \right|_{\phi_*}$$

Hamiltonian interpretation of $\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle$

- ▶ $\pi = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \partial_r \phi} \Rightarrow I = \int dr \int d^D x [\pi \partial_r \phi - \mathcal{H}(\pi, \phi, \partial_\mu \phi)]$
- ▶ on-shell variation

$$\delta I|_{\phi_*} = \int_{\partial \mathcal{M}} d^D x \pi_{(0)} \delta \phi_{(0)} \Rightarrow \langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \pi_{(0)}$$

What is holography? How do we get $\pi_{(0)} = \pi_{(0)} [\phi_{(0)}]$?

$$\partial\mathcal{M} = \begin{cases} \text{boundary } r \rightarrow \infty \\ \text{horizon } r_H \end{cases}$$

- ▶ $\phi_{(0)}(x)$ and $\pi_{(0)}(x)$ are *independent* data set at large r

$$\phi(r) = r^{\Delta-d} \phi_{(0)}(x) + \frac{r^{-\Delta}}{k(2\Delta - D)} \pi_{(0)}(x) + \dots$$

(non-normalizable and normalizable modes)

- ▶ become related if a *regularity condition* is imposed at r_H

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \pi_{(0)} [\phi_{(0)}]$$

In summary

Holography: determination of $\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle_{\text{bry. F.T.}}$ – unknown microscopic theory – as a response to a boundary source perturbation $\delta\phi_{(0)}$

- ▶ Dynamical field ϕ with action $I[\phi]$ and boundary value $\phi_{(0)}(x)$
- ▶ Momentum $\pi(r, x)$ with boundary value $\pi_{(0)}(x)$
- ▶ On-shell variation

$$\delta I|_{\phi_*} = \int_{\partial\mathcal{M}} d^D x \pi_{(0)} \delta\phi_{(0)}$$

- ▶ Holography: regularity on $r_H \Rightarrow \pi_{(0)} = \pi_{(0)}[\phi_{(0)}] \longrightarrow$
semiclassically

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \left. \frac{\delta I}{\delta\phi_{(0)}} \right|_{\phi_*} = \pi_{(0)}[\phi_{(0)}]$$

Examples

Electromagnetic field in $d = 4, D = 3$

- ▶ Field $A_r, A_\mu \rightarrow A_{(o)\mu}$: boundary electromagnetic field – source
- ▶ Momentum $\mathcal{E}_\mu \rightarrow \mathcal{E}_{(o)\mu}$: $\langle \rho \rangle, \langle j_i \rangle$ – response
- ▶ Bulk gauge invariance \rightarrow continuity equation

Gravitation in $d = D + 1$

- ▶ Field $g_{rr}, g_{\mu\nu} \rightarrow g_{(o)\mu\nu}$: boundary metric – source
- ▶ Momentum $T_{\mu\nu} \rightarrow T_{(o)\mu\nu}$: $\langle T_{(o)\mu\nu} \rangle$ – response
- ▶ Bulk diffeomorphism invariance \rightarrow conservation equation

Gravity in $d = 4$

Palatini formulation and 3 + 1 split [Leigh, Petkou '07, Mansi, Petkou, Tagliabue '08]

$$I_{\text{EH}} = -\frac{1}{32\pi G} \int_{\mathcal{M}} \epsilon_{abcd} \left(\mathcal{R}^{ab} - \frac{\Lambda}{3} \theta^a \wedge \theta^b \right) \wedge \theta^c \wedge \theta^d$$

θ^a an orthonormal frame $ds^2 = \eta_{ab} \theta^a \theta^b$ ($\eta : + - ++$)

► Vierbein: $\theta^r = N \frac{dr}{kr}$ $\theta^\mu = N^\mu dr + \tilde{\theta}^\mu$ $\mu = 0, 1, 2$

$$ds^2 = N^2 \frac{dr^2}{k^2 r^2} + \eta_{\mu\nu} (N^\mu dr + \tilde{\theta}^\mu) (N^\nu dr + \tilde{\theta}^\nu)$$

► Connection: $\omega^{r\mu} = q^{r\mu} dr + \mathcal{K}^\mu$ $\omega^{\mu\nu} = -\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho} (Q_\rho \frac{dr}{kr} + \mathcal{B}_\rho)$

(note: $\Lambda = -3k^2$)

Aim: Hamiltonian evolution from data on the boundary $r \rightarrow \infty$

Question: what are the field and momentum variables?

- ▶ Gauge choice: $N = 1$ and $N^\mu = q^{r\mu} = Q_\rho = 0$

$$ds^2 = \frac{dr^2}{k^2 r^2} + \eta_{\mu\nu} \tilde{\theta}^\mu \tilde{\theta}^\nu$$

- ▶ Fields and momenta: $\tilde{\theta}^\mu, \mathcal{K}^\mu, \mathcal{B}_\rho$ one-forms

What are the independent boundary data? Answer in asymptotically AdS: Fefferman–Graham expansion for large r [Fefferman, Graham '85]

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{\theta}^\mu(r, x) &= kr E^\mu(x) + \frac{1}{kr} F_{[2]}^\mu(x) + \frac{1}{k^2 r^2} F^\mu(x) + \dots \\ \mathcal{K}^\mu(r, x) &= -k^2 r E^\mu(x) + \frac{1}{r} F_{[2]}^\mu(x) + \frac{2}{kr^2} F^\mu(x) + \dots \\ \mathcal{B}^\mu(r, x) &= B^\mu(x) + \frac{1}{k^2 r^2} B_{[2]}^\mu(x) + \dots\end{aligned}$$

Independent 2 + 1 boundary data: E^μ and F^μ

Upon canonical transformations (i.e. boundary terms or holographic renormalization)

$$\delta I_{\text{EH}}|_{\text{on-shell}} = \int_{\partial\mathcal{M}} T^\mu \wedge \delta \Sigma_\mu$$

- ▶ $\Sigma_\mu = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho} E^\nu \wedge E^\rho$: field – source
- ▶ $T^\mu = \kappa F^\mu$: momentum – response

Application: Schwarzschild AdS

The bulk data

$$ds^2 = \frac{d\tilde{r}^2}{V(\tilde{r})} - V(\tilde{r})dt^2 + \tilde{r}^2 (d\vartheta^2 + \sin^2 \vartheta d\varphi^2)$$

- ▶ $V(r) = 1 + k^2\tilde{r}^2 - 2M/\tilde{r}$
- ▶ $\theta^r = d\tilde{r}/\sqrt{V(\tilde{r})} = dr/kr$

The Fefferman–Graham expansion

$$\begin{aligned}\theta^t &= \sqrt{V(\tilde{r})}dt = \left(kr + \frac{1}{4kr} - \frac{2M}{3kr^2} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{r^3}\right)\right) dt \\ \theta^\vartheta &= \tilde{r} d\vartheta = \left(r - \frac{1}{4k^2r} + \frac{M}{3k^2r^2} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{r^3}\right)\right) d\vartheta \\ \theta^\varphi &= \tilde{r} \sin \vartheta d\varphi = \left(r - \frac{1}{4k^2r} + \frac{M}{3k^2r^2} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{r^3}\right)\right) \sin \vartheta d\varphi\end{aligned}$$

The boundary data

- ▶ coframe: $E^t = dt$ $E^\vartheta = \frac{d\vartheta}{k}$ $E^\varphi = \frac{\sin \vartheta d\varphi}{k}$
- ▶ stress current: $F^t = -\frac{2Mk}{3} dt$ $F^\vartheta = \frac{M}{3} d\vartheta$ $F^\varphi = \frac{M}{3} \sin \vartheta d\varphi$

The boundary metric

$$\begin{aligned} ds_{\text{bry.}}^2 &= \eta_{\mu\nu} E^\mu E^\nu = g_{(0)\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu \\ &= -dt^2 + \frac{1}{k^2} (d\vartheta^2 + \sin^2 \vartheta d\varphi^2) \end{aligned}$$

- ▶ Einstein universe
- ▶ $e_t = \partial_t$
- ▶ $\nabla_{e_t} e_t = 0$: observers at rest are inertial

The boundary stress tensor $\kappa F^\mu e_\mu$

$$T = T_{\mu\nu} E^\mu E^\nu = \frac{\kappa M k}{3} \left(2(E^t)^2 + (E^\theta)^2 + (E^\varphi)^2 \right)$$

- ▶ traceless: conformal fluid with $\varepsilon = 2p = 2\kappa M k/3$
- ▶ velocity field $\mathbf{u} = e_t = \partial_t$: comoving & inertial
- ▶ velocity one-form: $u = -E^t = -dt$

Static fluid without expansion, shear or vorticity

Notes

The fluid may be perfect or not

$$T_{\text{visc}} = - (2\eta\sigma^{\mu\nu} + \zeta h^{\mu\nu}\Theta) e_{\mu} \otimes e_{\nu}$$

$T_{\text{visc}} = 0$ if the congruence is shear- and expansion-less

A shear- and expansion-less isolated fluid is geodesic if [Caldarelli et al. '08]

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{u}}\varepsilon = 0$$

$$\nabla p + u\nabla_{\mathbf{u}}p = 0$$

fulfilled here with ε, p csts.

Only $\delta g_{(o)\mu\nu}$ give access to η and ζ via $\langle \delta T_{(o)\mu\nu} \rangle$

More general examples

We can exhibit backgrounds with stationary boundaries and fluids

$$T = (\varepsilon + p)\mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{u} + p\eta^{\mu\nu} e_\mu \otimes e_\nu$$

- ▶ $\varepsilon = 2p$: conformal
- ▶ $\nabla_{\mathbf{u}}\mathbf{u} = 0$: inertial
- ▶ $\mathbf{u} = e_0$: at rest (comoving)

On vector-field congruences [Ehlers '61]

Vector field \mathbf{u} with $u_\mu u^\mu = -1$ and space-time variation $\nabla_\mu u_\nu$

$$\nabla_\mu u_\nu = -u_\mu a_\nu + \sigma_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{D-1} \Theta h_{\mu\nu} + \omega_{\mu\nu}$$

- ▶ $h_{\mu\nu} = u_\mu u_\nu + g_{\mu\nu}$: projector/metric on the orthogonal space
- ▶ $a_\mu = u^\nu \nabla_\nu u_\mu$: acceleration – transverse
- ▶ $\sigma_{\mu\nu}$: symmetric traceless part – shear
- ▶ $\Theta = \nabla_\mu u^\mu$: trace – expansion
- ▶ $\omega_{\mu\nu}$: antisymmetric part – vorticity

$$\omega = \frac{1}{2} \omega_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu \wedge dx^\nu = \frac{1}{2} (du + u \wedge a)$$

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AdS Kerr: the solid rotation

The bulk data

$$\begin{aligned} ds^2 &= (\theta^r)^2 - (\theta^t)^2 + (\theta^\vartheta)^2 + (\theta^\varphi)^2 \\ &= \frac{d\tilde{r}^2}{V(\tilde{r}, \vartheta)} - V(\tilde{r}, \vartheta) \left[dt - \frac{a}{\Xi} \sin^2 \vartheta d\varphi \right]^2 \\ &\quad + \frac{\rho^2}{\Delta_\vartheta} d\vartheta^2 + \frac{\sin^2 \vartheta \Delta_\vartheta}{\rho^2} \left[a dt - \frac{r^2 + a^2}{\Xi} d\varphi \right]^2 \end{aligned}$$

$V(\tilde{r}, \vartheta) = \Delta/\rho^2$ with

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta &= (\tilde{r}^2 + a^2) (1 + k^2 \tilde{r}^2) - 2M\tilde{r} \\ \rho^2 &= \tilde{r}^2 + a^2 \cos^2 \vartheta \\ \Delta_\vartheta &= 1 - k^2 a^2 \cos^2 \vartheta \\ \Xi &= 1 - k^2 a^2 > 0 \end{aligned}$$

The boundary metric – following FG expansion

$$\begin{aligned} ds_{\text{bry.}}^2 &= \eta_{\mu\nu} E^\mu E^\nu = g_{(0)\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu \\ &= - \left(dt - \frac{a \sin^2 \vartheta}{\Xi} d\varphi \right)^2 + \frac{1}{k^2 \Delta_\vartheta} \left(d\vartheta^2 + \left(\frac{\Delta_\vartheta \sin \vartheta}{\Xi} \right)^2 d\varphi^2 \right) \end{aligned}$$

- ▶ spatial section: **squashed 2-sphere**
- ▶ $\nabla_{\partial_t} \partial_t = 0$: observers at rest are *inertial*
- ▶ **note**: conformal to **Einstein universe in a rotating frame**
(requires $(\vartheta, \varphi) \rightarrow (\vartheta', \varphi')$)

The boundary stress tensor $\kappa F^\mu e_\mu$ [see also Caldarelli, Dias, Klemm '08]

$$T = T_{\mu\nu} E^\mu E^\nu = \frac{\kappa M k}{3} \left(2(E^t)^2 + (E^\theta)^2 + (E^\varphi)^2 \right)$$

perfect-fluid-like ($T = (\varepsilon + p)u \otimes u + p\eta_{\mu\nu} E^\mu \otimes E^\nu$)

- ▶ traceless: conformal fluid with $\varepsilon = 2p = 2\kappa M k/3 \propto T^2$
- ▶ velocity field $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{e}_t = \partial_t$: comoving & inertial

Vorticity but no expansion or shear – the viscosity η, ζ is not felt

$$\omega = \frac{1}{2} du = \frac{1}{2} db = \frac{a \cos \vartheta \sin \vartheta}{\Xi} d\vartheta \wedge d\varphi = k^2 a \cos \vartheta E^\theta \wedge E^\varphi$$

Reminder: $u \rightarrow \nabla_\mu u_\nu \rightarrow \{a_\mu, \sigma_{\mu\nu}, \Theta, \omega_{\mu\nu}\}$

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AdS Taub–NUT: the nut charge

Reminder: the bulk data [Taub '51, Newman, Tamburino, Unti '63]

$$ds^2 = \frac{d\tilde{r}^2}{V(\tilde{r})} - V(\tilde{r}) [dt - 2n \cos \vartheta d\varphi]^2 + \rho^2 [d\vartheta^2 + \sin^2 \vartheta d\varphi]^2$$

$V(\tilde{r}) = \Delta/\rho^2$ with

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta &= (\tilde{r}^2 - n^2) (1 + k^2 (\tilde{r}^2 + 3n^2)) + 4k^2 n^2 \tilde{r}^2 - 2M\tilde{r} \\ \rho^2 &= \tilde{r}^2 + n^2\end{aligned}$$

The Fefferman–Graham expansion with r s.t. $dr/kr = d\tilde{r}/\sqrt{V(\tilde{r})}$

- ▶ boundary coframe and frame

$$\begin{aligned} E^t &= dt - b & E^\vartheta &= \frac{d\vartheta}{k} & E^\varphi &= \frac{\sin\vartheta d\varphi}{k} \\ e_t &= \partial_t & e_\vartheta &= k \partial_\vartheta & e_\varphi &= -\frac{2kn(1-\cos\vartheta)}{\sin\vartheta} \partial_t + \frac{k}{\sin\vartheta} \partial_\varphi \end{aligned}$$

$$b = -2n(1 - \cos\vartheta)d\varphi$$

- ▶ boundary stress current

$$F^t = -\frac{2Mk}{3} E^t \quad F^\vartheta = \frac{Mk}{3} E^\vartheta \quad F^\varphi = \frac{Mk}{3} E^\varphi$$

For comparison: AdS Kerr

The Fefferman–Graham expansion of $\theta^t, \theta^\vartheta, \theta^\varphi$

- ▶ boundary orthonormal coframe and frame

$$\begin{aligned} E^t &= dt - b & E^\vartheta &= \frac{d\vartheta}{k\sqrt{\Delta_\vartheta}} & E^\varphi &= \frac{\sqrt{\Delta_\vartheta} \sin \vartheta d\varphi}{k\Xi} \\ e_t &= \partial_t & e_\vartheta &= k\sqrt{\Delta_\vartheta} \partial_\vartheta & e_\varphi &= \frac{ka \sin \vartheta}{\sqrt{\Delta_\vartheta}} \partial_t + \frac{k\Xi}{\sin \vartheta \sqrt{\Delta_\vartheta}} \partial_\varphi \end{aligned}$$

$$b = \frac{a \sin^2 \vartheta}{\Xi} d\varphi$$

- ▶ boundary stress current

$$F^t = -\frac{2Mk}{3} E^t \quad F^\vartheta = \frac{Mk}{3} E^\vartheta \quad F^\varphi = \frac{Mk}{3} E^\varphi$$

The boundary metric and stress tensor

$$\begin{aligned} ds_{\text{bry.}}^2 &= \eta_{\mu\nu} E^\mu E^\nu = g_{(0)\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu \\ &= - (dt + 2n(1 - \cos \vartheta) d\varphi)^2 + \frac{1}{k^2} (d\vartheta^2 + \sin^2 \vartheta d\varphi^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$T = T_{\mu\nu} E^\mu E^\nu = \frac{\kappa M k}{3} \left(2(E^t)^2 + (E^\vartheta)^2 + (E^\varphi)^2 \right)$$

Fluid interpretation: perfect-like stress tensor

- ▶ conformal fluid with $\varepsilon = 2p = 2\kappa M k/3$
- ▶ velocity field $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{e}_t = \partial_t$: comoving & inertial

Fluid without expansion and shear but *with vorticity*

$$\omega = \frac{1}{2} db = -n \sin \vartheta d\vartheta \wedge d\varphi = -k^2 n E^\vartheta \wedge E^\varphi$$

How does vorticity i.e. rotation get manifest?

Boundary geometries are stationary of Randers form [Randers '41]

$$ds^2 = - (dt - b)^2 + a_{ij} dx^i dx^j$$

and the fluid is at rest: $\mathbf{u} = \partial_t$

- ▶ $\nabla_{\partial_t} \partial_t = 0$: the fluid is inertial and carries vorticity $\omega = \frac{1}{2} db$
- ▶ $\nabla_{\partial_t} \partial_i = \omega_{ij} a^{jk} (\partial_k + b_k \partial_t)$: frame and fluid dragging

Other privileged frames exist where the observers experience differently the rotation of the fluid – e.g. Zermelo dual frame

AdS Taub–NUT: more on the boundary and CTCs

Homogenous boundary space–time: Lorentzian squashed 3-sphere

$$\begin{aligned} ds_{\text{bry.}}^2 &= \frac{1}{k^2} \left((\sigma^1)^2 + (\sigma^2)^2 \right) - 4n^2 (\sigma^3)^2 \\ &= - (dt - 2n(\cos \vartheta - 1)d\varphi)^2 + \frac{1}{k^2} (d\vartheta^2 + \sin^2 \vartheta d\varphi^2) \end{aligned}$$

- ▶ Stationary foliation in 2-spheres with a *time fiber*
- ▶ Gödel-like space sourced by dust distribution [classification in Raychaudhuri *et al.* '80, Rebouças *et al.* '83]
- ▶ CTCs of angular opening $< 2\vartheta_0$ ($g_{\varphi\varphi}(\vartheta_0) = 0$) – *no closed time-like geodesics*
- ▶ Special point: south pole of the 2-sphere – track of the Misner string – can be moved anywhere by homogeneity

Around the poles: Som–Raychaudhuri and cosmic spinning string

- ▶ **North pole:** Som–Raychaudhuri space – sourced by rigidly rotating charged dust [Som, Raychaudhuri '68]

$$ds^2 = - (dt + \Omega \varrho^2 d\varphi)^2 + \varrho^2 d\varphi^2 + d\varrho^2$$

$$\Omega = k^2 n \text{ and } \varrho = \vartheta/k$$

- ▶ **South pole:** spinning cosmic string [vortex in analogue gravity]

$$ds^2 = - (dt + A d\varphi)^2 + \varrho^2 d\varphi^2 + d\varrho^2$$

$$A = 4n - \Omega \varrho^2 \text{ and } \varrho = \pi - \vartheta/k$$

Around the poles of Kerr: Som–Raychaudhuri with $\Omega = -k^2 a$

Kerr vs. Taub–NUT “rotation” [Dowker '74, Bomror '75, Hunter '98]

- ▶ Kerr: rigid rotation with angular momentum and velocity
 - ▶ horizon at $r = r_+$: fixed locus of $\partial_t + \Omega_H \partial_\varphi \rightarrow$ bolt
 - ▶ pair of nut–anti-nut at $r = r_+, \vartheta = 0, \pi$ (fixed points of ∂_φ)
connected by a Misner string [Argurio, Dehouck '09]

asymptotically $\Omega_\infty = -ak^2$

- ▶ Taub–NUT: “non-rigid rotation” with angular momentum distribution along the Misner string (vanishing integral) – asymptotically:
 - ▶ north pole: angular velocity $\Omega_\infty = nk^2$
 - ▶ south pole: no angular velocity

Pictorially: nuts and Misner strings



Figure: Kerr vs. Taub–NUT

How is Taub–NUT related to rotation?

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The Zermelo problem

What is the minimal-time trajectory of a non-relativistic ship sailing on a space with positive-definite metric $dt^2 = h_{ij}dx^i dx^j$ and velocity $U^i = dx^i/dt$ s.t. $\|\mathbf{U}\|^2 = 1$?

- ▶ time functional is

$$T = \int dt \sqrt{h_{ij} U^i U^j}$$

- ▶ minimization is realized with geodesics of dt^2

What happens in the presence of a lateral drifting flow $\mathbf{W} = W^i \partial_i$ (“wind” or “tide”)? [Zermelo '31]

- ▶ velocity: $U^i = dx^i/dt = V^i + W^i$
 - ▶ \mathbf{U} : vector tangent to the trajectory
 - ▶ \mathbf{V} : “propelling” velocity with $\|\mathbf{V}\|^2 = 1$
 - ▶ no longer aligned with the trajectory
 - ▶ instantaneous navigation road – velocity of the ship with respect to a local frame dragged by the drifting flow
- ▶ norm: $U^2 = 1 + W^2 + 2\mathbf{V} \cdot \mathbf{W}$

- ▶ time functional is

$$\begin{aligned} T &= \int dt \left(\sqrt{\frac{\mathbf{U}^2}{1-\mathbf{W}^2} + \left(\frac{\mathbf{W}\cdot\mathbf{U}}{1-\mathbf{W}^2}\right)^2} - \frac{\mathbf{W}\cdot\mathbf{U}}{1-\mathbf{W}^2} \right) \\ &= \int dt \left(\sqrt{\left(\frac{h_{ij}}{\lambda} + \frac{W_i W_j}{\lambda^2}\right) U^i U^j} - \frac{W_k U^k}{\lambda} \right) \end{aligned}$$

with $\lambda = 1 - \mathbf{W}^2$

- ▶ minimization is realized with **null geodesics** of the Zermelo metric

$$ds^2 = \frac{1}{\lambda} (-dt^2 + h_{ij} (dx^i - W^i dt) (dx^j - W^j dt))$$

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Note: the time functional is of Randers type with Finsler Lagrangian

$$T = \int dt F(x^i, U^i)$$

with

$$F(x^i, U^i) = \sqrt{a_{ij} U^i U^j} + b_i U^i$$

and

$$a_{ij} = \frac{h_{ij}}{\lambda} + \frac{W_i W_j}{\lambda^2} \quad b_i = -\frac{h_{ij} W^j}{\lambda}$$

the data of the Randers form

Randers forms and Zermelo metrics [Zermelo '31, Randers '41]

The boundary geometries describing vorticity are stationary metrics of the Randers–Papapetrou form

$$ds^2 = - (dt - b)^2 + a_{ij} dx^i dx^j$$

Breaking of global hyperbolicity if $\exists x$ s.t. $b^2 > 1$ ($b^2 = a^{ij} b_i b_j$)

Potential closed time-like curves – not geodesics

- ▶ Kerr: globally hyperbolic
- ▶ Taub–NUT: \exists CTCs
 - ▶ equivalent to studying charged particles on S^2 in a Dirac monopole background – QHE [Haldane '83]
 - ▶ horizon around the vortex – local thermodynamic equilibrium questionable in the *chronologically unprotected region*

Equivalently recast as Zermelo metrics $(a, b) \leftrightarrow (h, W)$

$$ds^2 = \frac{1}{1 - W^2} (-dt^2 + h_{ij} (dx^i - W^i dt) (dx^j - W^j dt))$$

Analogue-gravity geometries originating from bulk solutions of Einstein's equations via holography

- ▶ Zermelo metrics are acoustic: null geodesics describe **sound propagation in (non-)relativistic fluids** moving on geometries $h_{ij} dx^i dx^j$ with velocity field $\mathbf{W} = W^i \partial_i$; [see e.g. Visser '97]
- ▶ **CTCs & horizons** capture physical effects: sound propagation in supersonic-flow regions ($W^2 > 1$)

Similar approaches exist for light propagation in moving media such as (non-)relativistic (conformal) fluids

Analogue gravity picture

Zermelo metrics are acoustic [see e.g. Visser '97, Chapline, Mazur '04]

Propagation in $D - 1$ -dim moving media



Waves or rays in D -dim “analogue” curved space-times

$$ds^2 = \frac{\rho}{c_s} (-c_s^2 dt^2 + h_{ij} (dx^i - W^i dt) (dx^j - W^j dt))$$

Null geodesics describe sound propagation in non-relativistic fluids moving on geometries $h_{ij} dx^i dx^j$ with velocity fields $\mathbf{W} = W^i \partial_i$

- ▶ inviscid, isolated, barotropic ($dh = dp/\rho$)
- ▶ local mass density ρ and pressure p
- ▶ local sound velocity $c_s = 1/\sqrt{\partial\rho/\partial p}$

Alternatively the whole boundary set up could be a gravitational analogue of sound propagating in moving fluids or light in moving dielectrics – acoustic/optical black holes

As such our examples fall in a larger class of backgrounds studied in analogue systems [Gibbons et al. '08] – here equipped with a stress tensor

Randers & Zermelo backgrounds address the problems of

- ▶ motion of charged particles in magnetic fields
- ▶ sailing in the presence of a drift force
- ▶ sound propagation in moving media

and are dual to each other

Where are we?

Exploratory tour of some properties of conformal holographic fluids moving in non-trivial gravitational backgrounds

- ▶ inertial
- ▶ carrying vorticity

Vorticity appears in various fashions

- ▶ Kerr → solid rotation on the boundary: dipole
- ▶ Taub–NUT → vortex on the boundary: monopole

More general multipoles?

More general "multipolar" vortices on the boundary

$$b = 2(-1)^\ell \alpha (1 - P_\ell(\cos \vartheta)) d\varphi$$
$$\omega = (-1)^\ell \alpha P'_\ell(\cos \vartheta) \sin \vartheta d\vartheta \wedge d\varphi$$

- ▶ for odd ℓ there is indeed a vortex around the track of the Misner string at the south pole with a nut-like charge

$$\alpha = -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int \omega$$

- ▶ for even ℓ the Misner string does not reach the poles and the total charge vanishes – e.g. Kerr as a dipole with $\alpha = a/3\Xi$

Bulk realization for $\ell \geq 3$: generalization of Weyl multipoles [Weyl '19]
($\ell = 0$ is Schwarzschild with $dt \rightarrow dt + d\varphi$) [work in progress]

Conformal fluids with vorticity

Class of bulk solutions describing conformal fluids in 2 + 1 dim with vorticity – backgrounds still to be unravelled for $\ell \geq 3$ and most importantly perturbations to be understood [see e.g. Bakas '08]

- ▶ Spectrum of bulk excitations \rightarrow *anyons* on the boundary – like in exotic BEC phases (under experimental investigation)
- ▶ Transport coefficients like shear viscosity

$$\eta \sim \frac{\varepsilon + p}{\Omega} = \frac{sT}{\Omega}$$

(reminiscent of response in magnetized plasmas)

Bonus: alternative analogue interpretation of the boundary theories
propagation of sound/light in moving media (Randers vs. Zermelo)

More ambitious

Recast the superfluid phase transition and the appearance of vortices

Combine Kerr and nut charge in AdS Kerr Taub–NUT

- ▶ add a $U(1)$ and a scalar field (order parameter)
- ▶ analyse the phase diagramme (M temperature, $\{a, n\}$ rotation)
- ▶ study the formation of a vortex as nut–anti-nut dissociation

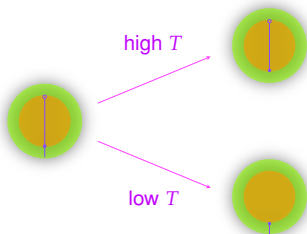


Figure: high- T vs. low- T stable phase

Bonus

*Alternative analogue interpretation of the boundary backgrounds:
propagation of sound/light in moving media (Randers & Zermelo)*

- ▶ provides holographic AdS/analogue-gravity correspondence
- ▶ evades the CTCs caveats within supersonic/superluminal flows

Bulk for general Randers–Papaterou geometries?