

CURRENT FLUCTUATIONS IN DIFFUSIVE SYSTEMS

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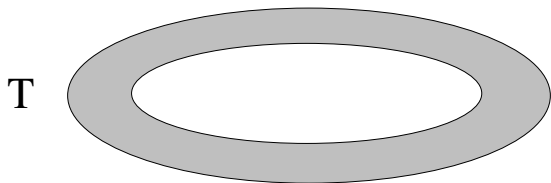
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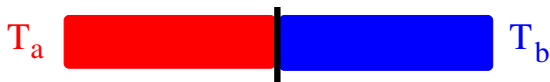
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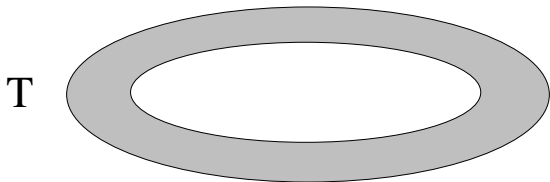
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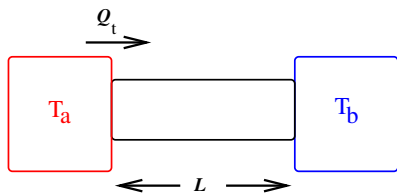
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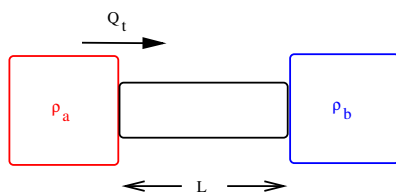
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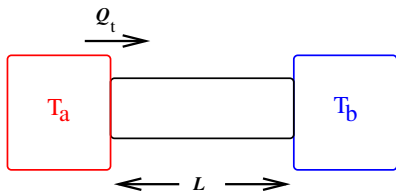


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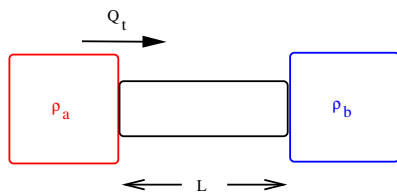
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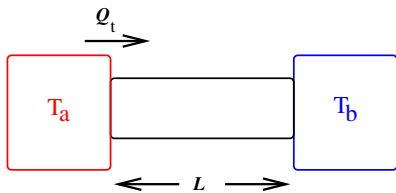
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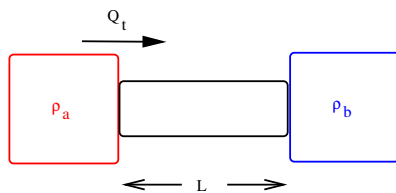
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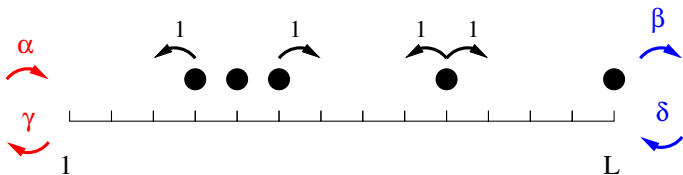
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This talk

$P(Q)$?

EXCLUSION PROCESSES

SSEP (Symmetric simple exclusion process)



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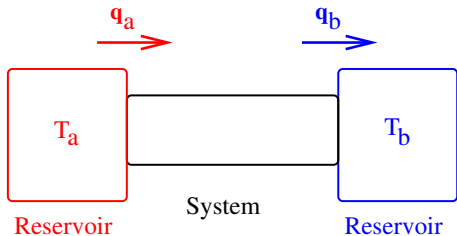
Detailed balance $T_a = T_b = T$

$$W(C', C) e^{-\frac{E(C)}{kT}} = W(C, C') e^{-\frac{E(C')}{kT}}$$

$$q = E(C') - E(C)$$

$$W_q(C', C) = W_{-q}(C, C') e^{-\frac{q}{kT}}$$

Generalized detailed balance $T_a \neq T_b$

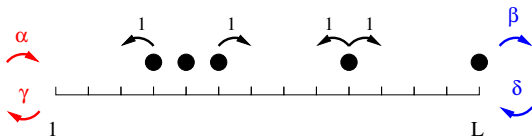


$$q_a - q_b = E(C') - E(C)$$

$$W_{q_a, q_b}(C', C) = W_{-q_a, -q_b}(C, C') e^{-\frac{q_a}{kT_a} + \frac{q_b}{kT_b}}$$

TWO APPROACHES

SSEP (Symmetric simple exclusion process)



Microscopic

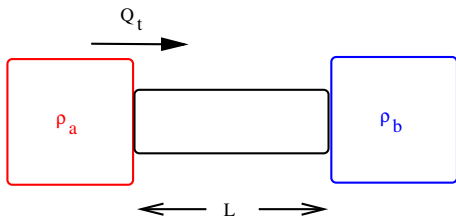
Bethe ansatz, Perturbation theory, Computer, ...

Macroscopic

Rescaled density ρ and current j (with $i = Lx$, $t = L^2\tau$)

$$\text{Pro}(\{\rho(x, \tau), j(x, \tau)\}) \sim \exp \left[-L \int_0^{T/L^2} dt \int_0^1 dx \frac{[j + \rho']^2}{4\rho(1 - \rho)} \right]$$

GENERATING FUNCTION OF THE CURRENT



$$\langle e^{\lambda Q_t} \rangle \sim e^{t \mu(\lambda)} \quad ?$$

The evolution

$$\frac{dP(\mathcal{C})}{dt} = \sum_{\mathcal{C}'} W(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{C}') P(\mathcal{C}') - W(\mathcal{C}', \mathcal{C}) P(\mathcal{C})$$

One can decompose

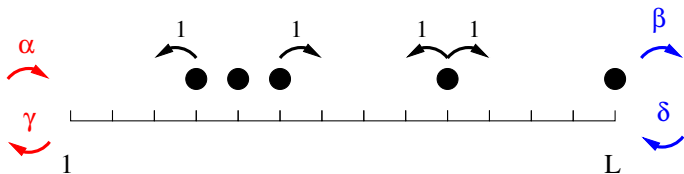
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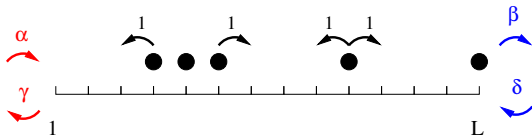
$$\rho_b = \frac{\delta}{\beta + \delta}$$

Steady state known

D. Domany Mukamel 1992
D. Evans Hakim Pasquier 1993
Schütz, Domany 1993

SSEP (Symmetric simple exclusion process)

D. Douçot Roche 2004



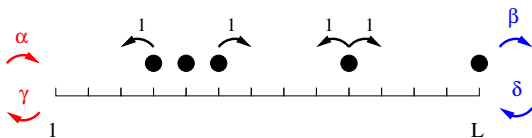
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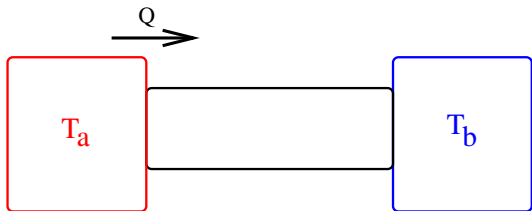
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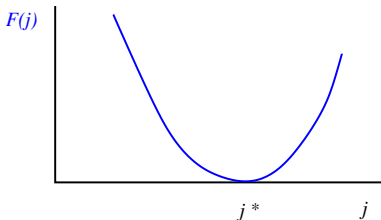
$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\langle Q^4(t) \rangle_c}{t} &\simeq \frac{1}{L} \left[\rho_a + \rho_b - \frac{2(7\rho_a^2 + \rho_a \rho_b + 7\rho_b^2)}{3} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{32\rho_a^3 + 8\rho_a^2 \rho_b + 8\rho_a \rho_b^2 + 32\rho_b^3}{5} - \frac{96\rho_a^4 + 64\rho_a^3 \rho_b - 40\rho_a^2 \rho_b^2 + 64\rho_a \rho_b^3 + 96\rho_b^4}{35} \right] \end{aligned}$$

CURRENT FLUCTUATIONS AND LARGE DEVIATIONS



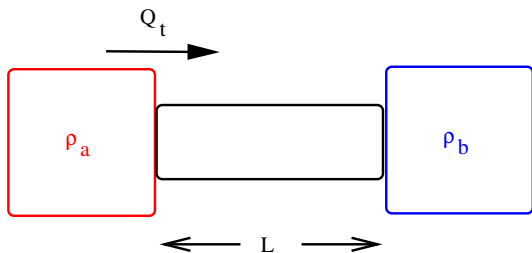
Q_t Energy transferred during time t

$$\text{Pro} \left(\frac{Q_t}{t} = j \right) \sim \exp[-t F(j)]$$



Expansion of $F(j)$ near j^* gives all cumulants of Q_t

DIFFUSIVE SYSTEM



Bodineau D. 2004

One assumes

- ▶ For $\rho_a - \rho_b$ small: $\frac{\langle Q_t \rangle}{t} = \frac{D(\rho)(\rho_a - \rho_b)}{L}$
- ▶ $\rho_a = \rho_b = \rho$: $\frac{\langle Q_t^2 \rangle}{t} = \frac{\sigma(\rho)}{L}$

One can then calculate

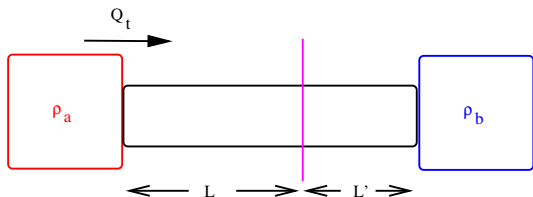
All cumulants of Q_t for arbitrary ρ_a and ρ_b

SSEP: $D = 1$ and $\sigma = 2\rho(1 - \rho)$

ADDITIVITY PRINCIPLE

$$\text{Pro} \left(\frac{Q_t}{t} = j, \rho_a, \rho_b \right) \sim \exp[-t F_{L+L'}(j, \rho_a, \rho_b)]$$

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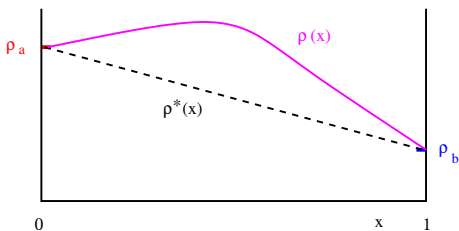


Additivity

$$P_{L+L'}(Q, \rho_a, \rho_b) \sim \max_{\rho} [P_L(Q, \rho_a, \rho) P_{L'}(Q, \rho, \rho_b)]$$

$$F_{L+L'}(j, \rho_a, \rho_b) = \min_{\rho} [F_L(j, \rho_a, \rho) + F_{L'}(j, \rho, \rho_b)]$$

$$F_L(j, \rho_a, \rho_b) = \frac{1}{L} \min_{\rho(x)} \int_0^1 dx \frac{[j L + \rho'(x) D(\rho(x))]^2}{2\sigma(\rho(x))}$$



Satisfies the fluctuation theorem

$$F(j) - F(-j) = j \int_{\rho_a}^{\rho_b} \frac{D(\rho)}{\sigma(\rho)} d\rho$$

Gallavotti Cohen 1995
 Evans Searls 1994
 Kurchan 1998
 Lebowitz Spohn 1999

CONSEQUENCES

$$\langle e^{\lambda Q_t} \rangle \sim e^{t \mu(\lambda)}$$

$$\mu(\lambda, \rho_a, \rho_b) = -\frac{K}{L} \left[\int_{\rho_b}^{\rho_a} \frac{D(\rho) d\rho}{\sqrt{1+2K\sigma(\rho)}} \right]^2$$
$$\lambda = \int_{\rho_b}^{\rho_a} d\rho \frac{D(\rho)}{\sigma(\rho)} \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+2K\sigma(\rho)}} - 1 \right]$$

Non universal cumulants

$$\frac{\langle Q_t \rangle_c}{t} = \frac{1}{L} \mathcal{I}_1$$

$$\frac{\langle Q_t^2 \rangle_c}{t} = \frac{1}{L} \frac{\mathcal{I}_2}{\mathcal{I}_1}$$

$$\frac{\langle Q_t^3 \rangle_c}{t} = \frac{1}{L} \frac{3 (\mathcal{I}_3 \mathcal{I}_1 - \mathcal{I}_2^2)}{\mathcal{I}_1^3}$$

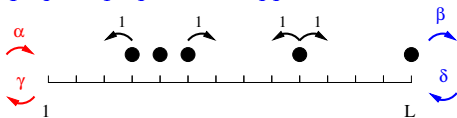
$$\frac{\langle Q_t^4 \rangle_c}{t} = \frac{1}{L} \frac{3 (5 \mathcal{I}_4 \mathcal{I}_1^2 - 14 \mathcal{I}_1 \mathcal{I}_2 \mathcal{I}_3 + 9 \mathcal{I}_2^3)}{\mathcal{I}_1^5}$$

where

$$\mathcal{I}_n = \int_{\rho_b}^{\rho_a} D(\rho) \sigma(\rho)^{n-1} d\rho$$

For the SSEP $D(\rho) = 1$ and $\sigma(\rho) = 2\rho(1 - \rho)$

CURRENT FLUCTUATIONS IN THE SSEP



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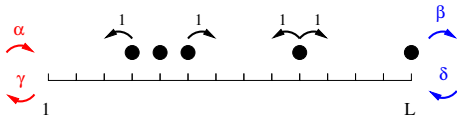
$$\mu(\lambda, \alpha, \gamma, \beta, \delta) = \frac{1}{L} R(\omega)$$

where $\omega = 1 - [1 - (e^\lambda - 1)\rho_a][1 - (1 - e^{-\lambda})\rho_b]$

Result:

$$R(\omega) = [\log(\sqrt{1 + \omega} + \sqrt{\omega})]^2$$

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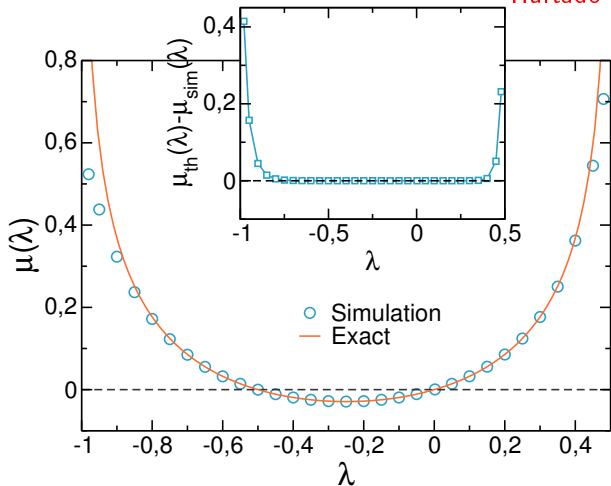
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Same as the **universal** statistics of transport in disordered conductors

The Kipnis Marchioro Presutti model

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Hurtado Garrido 2008



TRUE VARIATIONAL PRINCIPLE

Bertini De Sole Gabrielli
Jona-Lasinio Landim 2005

$$F(j) = \frac{1}{L} \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \min_{\rho(x,t), j(x,t)} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T dt \int_0^1 dx \frac{[j(x,t) + \rho'(x,t)D(\rho(x,t))]^2}{2\sigma(\rho(x,t))}$$

with $\frac{d\rho}{dt} = -\frac{dj}{dx}$ (conservation), $\rho_t(0) = \rho_a$, $\rho_t(1) = \rho_b$ and

$$j T = \int_0^T j_t(x) dt$$

- ▶ Sufficient condition for the optimal profile to be time independent
- ▶ Dynamical phase transition

Bodineau D. 2005-2007
Prohac Mallick 2009

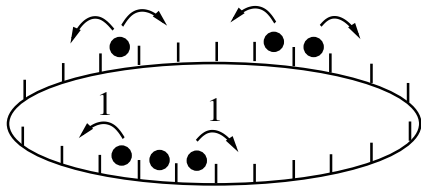
the optimal $\rho_t(x)$ starts to become time dependent

SSEP ON A RING

Appert D Lecomte Van Wijland 2008

N particles
 L sites

$$\rho = \frac{N}{L}$$



Q_t flux through a
bond during time t

CUMULANTS OF THE CURRENT FOR THE SSEP ON A RING

$$N \text{ particles and } L \text{ sites} \quad \sigma(\rho) = 2\rho(1 - \rho) = \frac{2N(L-N)}{L^2}$$

$$\frac{\langle Q^2 \rangle_c}{t} = \frac{\sigma}{L-1}$$

$$\frac{\langle Q^4 \rangle_c}{t} = \frac{\sigma^2}{2(L-1)^2}$$

$$\frac{\langle Q^6 \rangle_c}{t} = -\frac{(L^2-L+2)\sigma^3 - 2(L-1)\sigma^2}{4(L-1)^3(L-2)}$$

$$\frac{\langle Q^8 \rangle_c}{t} = \frac{(10L^4 - 2L^3 + 27L^2 - 15L + 18)\sigma^4 - 4(L-1)(11L^2 - L + 12)\sigma^3 + 48(L-1)^2\sigma^2}{24(L-1)^4(L-2)(L-3)}$$

$$\frac{\langle Q^2 \rangle_c}{t} = \frac{\sigma}{L}$$

Gaussian + Fick's law

$$\frac{\langle Q^{2n} \rangle_c}{t} \sim \frac{\sigma^n}{L^2}$$

for $n \geq 2$

UNIVERSAL CUMULANTS OF THE CURRENT

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$$\langle e^{\lambda Q_t} \rangle \sim e^{t \mu(\lambda)} \quad \text{with} \quad \mu(\lambda) - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} \frac{\langle Q^2 \rangle_c}{t} = \frac{1}{L^2} \mathcal{F} \left(-\frac{\sigma \lambda^2}{4} \right)$$

$$\mathcal{F}(u) = -4 \sum_{n \geq 1} \left[n\pi \sqrt{n^2 \pi^2 - 2u} - n^2 \pi^2 + u \right] = \frac{1}{3} u^2 + \frac{1}{45} u^3 + \frac{1}{378} u^4 + \dots$$

$$\mathcal{F} \text{ universal} \quad \text{Singularity as } u \rightarrow \frac{\pi^2}{2}$$

BETHE ANSATZ

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The evolution

$$\frac{dP(\mathcal{C})}{dt} = \sum_{\mathcal{C}'} M(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{C}') P(\mathcal{C}') - M(\mathcal{C}', \mathcal{C}) P(\mathcal{C})$$

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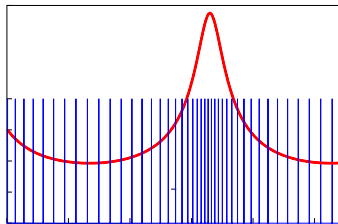
Define $s = \lambda/L$

$$z_i^L = \prod_{\substack{j=1 \\ j \neq i}}^N \left[-\frac{e^s - 2z_i + e^{-s}z_i z_j}{e^s - 2z_j + e^{-s}z_i z_j} \right],$$

Then

$$\mu(\lambda) = \sum_i^N z_i e^{-s} + \frac{1}{z_i} e^s - 2$$

- ▶ The z_i accumulate on a line
- ▶ Universality comes from the discrete nature of the z_i



FLUCTUATING HYDRODYNAMICS

Gaussian expansion of the **macroscopic fluctuation theory** around a constant current and a flat profile.

$$\rho(x, t) = \rho + \sum_{k, \omega} k [a_{k, \omega} e^{i\omega\tau + ikx} + a_{k, \omega}^* e^{-i\omega t - ikx}]$$

$$j = j_0 - \omega [a_{k, \omega} e^{i\omega\tau + ikx} + a_{k, \omega}^* e^{-i\omega t - ikx}].$$

Gaussian fluctuations

$$\text{Pro}(Q_t = j_0 t, \{a_{k, \omega}\}) \sim \exp \left[-\frac{j_0^2}{2\sigma} \frac{t}{L} - \frac{t}{L} \sum_{\omega, k} |a_{k, \omega}|^2 \left(\frac{(\sigma\omega + j_0\sigma'k)^2}{\sigma^3} + \frac{D^2 k^4}{\sigma} - \frac{j_0^2 \sigma'' k^2}{2\sigma^2} \right) \right]$$

- ▶ Integrate over the fluctuations
- ▶ Sum over the discrete modes k

RESULTS FOR A GENERAL DIFFUSIVE SYSTEM

$$\langle e^{\lambda Q_t} \rangle \sim e^{t \mu(\lambda)}$$

$$\mu(\lambda) - \frac{\lambda^2 \langle Q^2 \rangle}{2t} = \frac{1}{L^2} D \mathcal{F} \left(\frac{\sigma \sigma''}{16 D^2} \lambda^2 \right)$$

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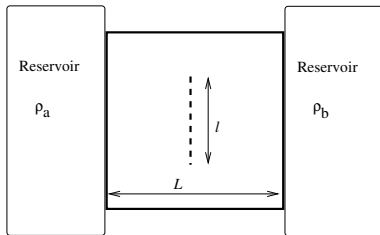
- ▶ Phase transition as $u \rightarrow \pi^2/2$
- ▶ For $n \geq 2$

$$\frac{\langle Q^{2n} \rangle_c}{t} \sim \frac{1}{L^2} \frac{(2n)! B_{2n-2}}{n! (n-1)!} D \left(\frac{\sigma \sigma''}{8 D^2} \right)^n$$

B_n Bernoulli numbers

DIFFUSIVE SYSTEM IN TWO DIMENSION

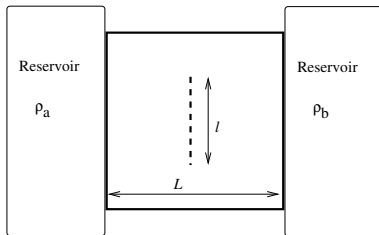
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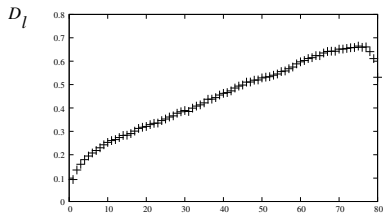
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Macroscopic fluctuation theory: $D_l = \infty$

SSEP IN TWO DIMENSION

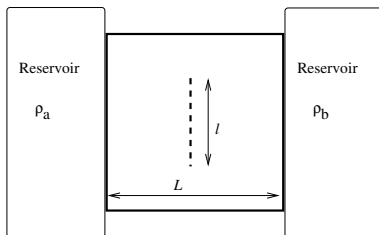


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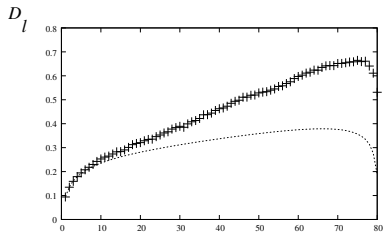
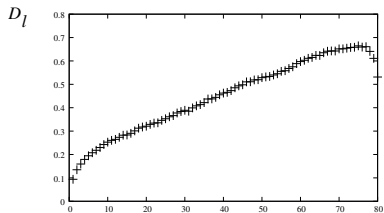
$$\rho_a = \rho_b$$

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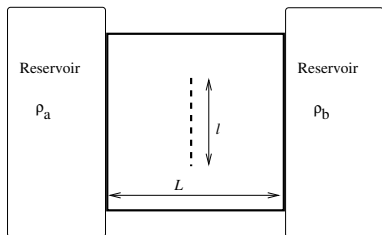


$$\frac{\langle Q^2 \rangle}{t} = D_l$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\langle Q^2 \rangle}{t} = D_l$$



VORTICES IN TWO DIMENSION

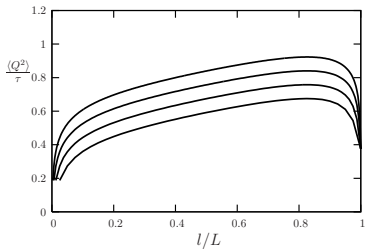
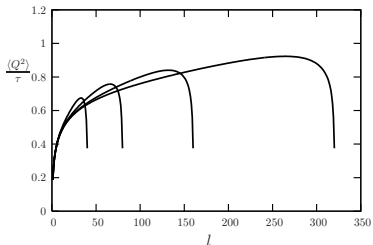


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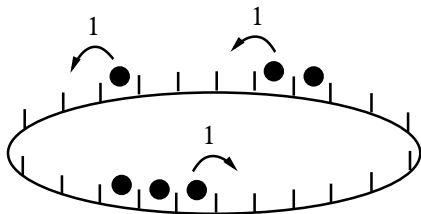
- ▶ For $\frac{l}{L} \neq 0, 1$

$$D_l \simeq A \log L + F\left(\frac{l}{L}\right)$$

- ▶ For $l \ll L$ $D_l \simeq G(l)$



TASEP (totally asymmetric exclusion process)- PHASE TRANSITION



N particles L sites

$$\rho = \frac{N}{L}$$

$$\langle Q \rangle = t\rho(1 - \rho)$$

D. Lebowitz 1998; Appert D. 1999

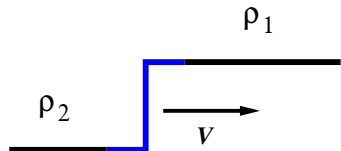
$$\langle e^{\lambda Q_t} \rangle \sim e^{t \mu(\lambda)}$$

For $\lambda < 0$

$$\mu(\lambda) = -\frac{(1 - e^{\lambda\rho})(1 - e^{\lambda(1-\rho)})}{1 - e^{\lambda}}$$

TASEP:

shocks



$$v = 1 - \rho_1 - \rho_2$$

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Current $j(\rho) = \rho(1 - \rho)$

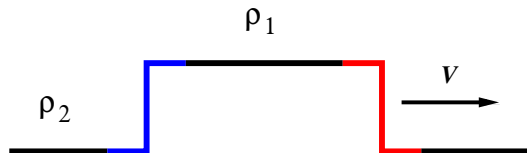
\Rightarrow

$$v = \frac{j(\rho_1) - j(\rho_2)}{\rho_1 - \rho_2}$$

TASEP:

shocks and anti shocks on the line

Jensen Varadhan 2000



$$v = 1 - \rho_1 - \rho_2$$

$$\text{Pro}(\text{anti shock}) = \exp[-t \Phi(\rho_1, \rho_2)]$$

where

$$\Phi(\rho_1, \rho_2) = \rho_2 - \rho_1 - \rho_1 \rho_2 \log \frac{\rho_2}{\rho_1} - (1 - \rho_1)(1 - \rho_2) \log \frac{1 - \rho_2}{1 - \rho_1}$$

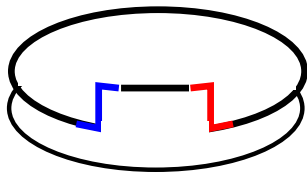
LARGE DEVIATION FUNCTION

Bodineau D. 2005

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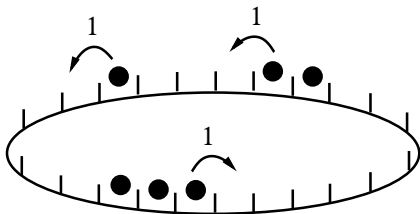


One can recover this expression by

$$\mu(\lambda) = \max_{\rho_1, \rho_2} \{ [\lambda [y \rho_1 (1 - \rho_1) + (1 - y) \rho_2 (1 - \rho_2)]] - \Phi(\rho_1, \rho_2) \}$$

where $\rho = y \rho_1 + (1 - y) \rho_2$

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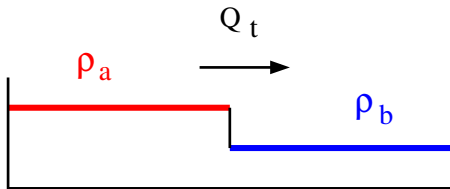
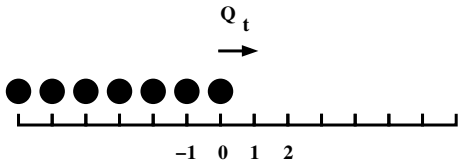
D. Lebowitz 1998; Appert D. 1999

$$\langle e^{\lambda Q_t} \rangle \sim e^{t \mu(\lambda)}$$

$$\mu(\lambda) - \frac{\lambda \langle Q \rangle}{t} = \sqrt{\frac{\rho(1 - \rho)}{L^3}} \mathcal{G} \left(\lambda \sqrt{L\rho(1 - \rho)} \right)$$

$$\mathcal{G}(x) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \sum_{n \geq 1} z^n n^{-3/2} \quad ; \quad x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \sum_{n \geq 1} z^n n^{-5/2}$$

STEP INITIAL CONDITION



ASEP

Schütz 98

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Johansson 2000

Prähofer Spohn 2000-2002

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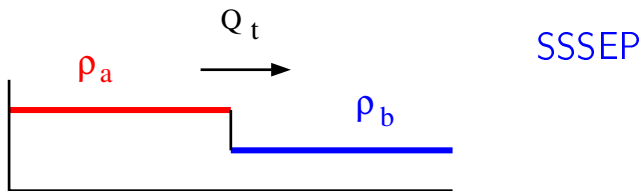
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SSSEP

D Gerschenfeld 2009

$$\langle e^{\lambda Q_t} \rangle = ?$$

STEP INITIAL CONDITION



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$$\langle e^{\lambda Q_t} \rangle \simeq \exp[\sqrt{t} F(\omega)]$$

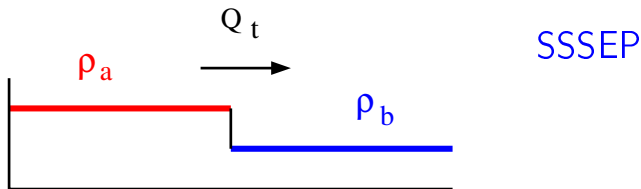
where

$$\omega = \rho_a(e^\lambda - 1) + \rho_b(e^{-\lambda} - 1) + \rho_a\rho_b(e^\lambda - 1)(e^{-\lambda} - 1)$$

and

$$F(\omega) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{(-)^{n+1}}{n^{3/2}} \omega^n \equiv \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dk \log [1 + \omega e^{-k^2}]$$

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For large Q_t

$$\text{Pro}(Q_t) \sim \exp[-Q_t^3/t]$$

CONCLUSION

Universality on the ring

Macroscopic fluctuation theory versus Bethe ansatz

OPEN QUESTIONS

Open system: ASEP

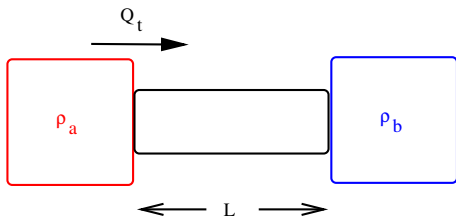
Ring: WASEP (bias $\sim L^{-1}$) and phase transition

More than one conserved quantity

Macroscopic fluctuation theory for a non-equilibrium initial condition

A. Gerschenfeld

GENERATING FUNCTION OF THE CURRENT



$$\langle e^{\lambda Q_t} \rangle \sim e^{t \mu(\lambda)} \quad ?$$

The evolution

$$\frac{dP(C)}{dt} = \sum_{C'} W(C, C') P(C') - W(C', C) P(C)$$

One can decompose

$$W(C, C') = W_1(C, C') + W_0(C, C') + W_{-1}(C, C')$$

$W_q(C, C')$ represents a jump $C' \rightarrow C$ with $Q_t \rightarrow Q_t + q$

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$$\sum_Q e^{\lambda Q} \left(\frac{dP(C, Q)}{dt} = \sum_q \sum_{C'} W_q(C, C') P(C', Q - q) - W_q(C', C) P(C, Q) \right)$$

Define $R(C, \lambda) = \sum_Q P(C, Q) e^{\lambda Q}$

$$\frac{dR(C, \lambda)}{dt} = \sum_q \sum_{C'} e^{\lambda q} W_q(C, C') R(C', \lambda) - W_q(C', C) R(C, \lambda)$$