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Paper

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Long-Time Tails: (A bit of) History

- Conserved currents relax exponentially in time on long time scales $t \sim k^{-2}$
- MD Simulations for hard-disk/hard-sphere fluids in two/three dimensions
[Alder, Wainwright 1960s]
- Surprise: autocorrelations live much longer than exponential relaxation time
($t \sim k^{-2}$) implicated by diffusion

Long-time tails and Mode-coupling:

- The existence of a back flow for a labeled particle
- Low-densities: particle is pushed along the initial motion also scatterings are rare: building up long-time positive correlation in the velocity field
- Vortex like pattern develops. After a few mean collision time, it matches the prediction of the Navier-Stokes equations
- High-densities: initial motion rapidly randomizes. The long-time autocorrelation will be lost

Long-time tails and Mode-Coupling

- Positive long-time autocorrelation: **coupling** between the particle motion and the hydrodynamic response of the fluid
- Momentum $p^i(0)$ after time t gets re-distributed
- Evolution of $V(t)$ is due to diffusion of the transverse component of the $p^i(0)/nV(t)$ momentum $R(t) = (\gamma_\eta t)^{\frac{1}{2}}$
- If there is charge diffusion $R(t) = ((\mathcal{D} + \gamma_\eta)t)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

Long-time tails: Numerical experiments

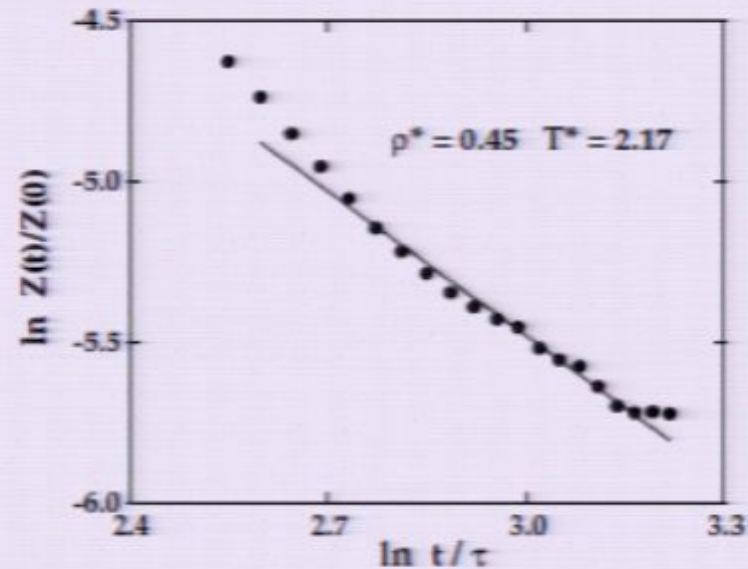


FIG. 8.5. Log-log plot of the velocity autocorrelation function versus time for a system of particles interacting through a truncated Lennard-Jones potential. The points are molecular-dynamics results and the line is drawn with a slope equal to $-\frac{3}{2}$. The unit of time is $\tau = (m\sigma^2/48\epsilon)^{1/2}$. After Levesque and Ashurst.²²

Long-time tails in an actual experiment

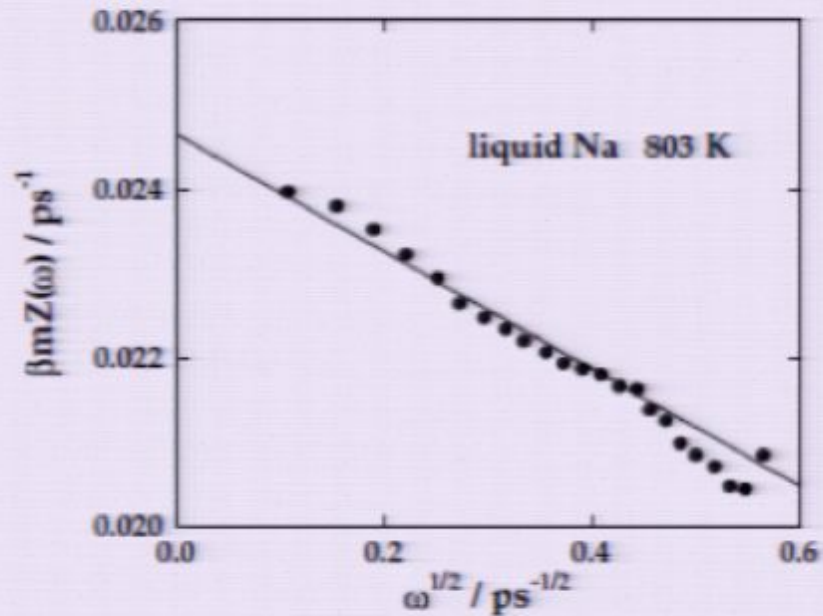


FIG. 8.6. Power spectrum of the velocity autocorrelation function of liquid sodium as a function of $\omega^{1/2}$. The points are derived from inelastic neutron-scattering measurements and the line is a least-squares fit to the data. After Morkel *et al.*²³

Long-time tails and Mode-Coupling

- **Mode-coupling formalism:** decay of fluctuations into to a pair of hydrodynamic modes
- No Kubo formula in 2+1 dimensions for shear viscosity

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- Classical limit: states are highly populated $\omega/T, k/T \ll 1$
- Hydrodynamic variables : conserved currents
- Conservation laws: familiar Navier-Stokes equation and continuity in the **NR**-limit
- Constitutive relations to close the system of equations

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- Effective field theory philosophy: add any operator consistent with symmetries to the constitutive relations with unknown couplings

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Long-time tail phenomenon

- Phenomenon associated with mode-coupling
- Long-time tails at $k = 0$ power law fall offs in correlation functions of conserved currents

$$\int d^{d-1}x \langle j^a(\tau, x) j^b(0, 0) \rangle \propto \frac{\delta^{ab}}{\tau^{\frac{d-1}{2}}}$$

Hydrodynamic perturbation theory

- Hydrodynamic propagators and interactions

$$V^{-1}\langle\rho(\tau, k)\rho(0, -k)\rangle = \Xi e^{-Dk^2|\tau|},$$
$$V^{-1}\langle u^i(\tau, k)u^j(0, -k)\rangle = \frac{T}{\epsilon+p} \left[\left(\delta^{ij} - \frac{k^i k^j}{k^2} \right) e^{-\gamma_\eta k^2|\tau|} + \frac{k^i k^j}{k^2} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\gamma_\eta k^2|\tau|} \cos(kc_s\tau) \right]$$

$$j^a \simeq -D\nabla^a \delta\rho + \delta\rho \delta u^a + \dots$$

Long-Time Tails: Hydrodynamic Perturbation Theory

- Hydrodynamic loop diagram
- Using propagators in the long-time limit

$$\int d^{d-1}x \langle j^a(\tau, x) j^b(0) \rangle \simeq \int d^{d-1}x \langle \rho(\tau, x) u^a(\tau, x) \rho(0) u^b(0) \rangle$$

$$\langle \rho(\tau, x) u^a(\tau, x) \rho(0) u^b(0) \rangle = \langle \rho(\tau, x) \rho(0) \rangle \langle u^a(\tau, x) u^b(0) \rangle$$



$$\int d^{d-1}x \langle j^a(\tau, x) j^b(0) \rangle = \frac{T \Xi \delta^{ab} d - 2}{\epsilon + p} \frac{1}{d - 1} \frac{1}{[4\pi(D + \gamma_\eta) |\tau|]^{\frac{d-1}{2}}}$$

- Long-time tail is suppressed by (entropy) density

Long-time tail: Gravity dual

- What **gravitational phenomenon** is dual to this effect?
- In $N = 4$ SYM , this will be an $\mathcal{O}(1/N_c^2)$ effect
- In the bulk, it appears at the order g_s^2
- The bulk AdS (quantum) gravity captures this effect at **one-loop**
- **Real-time** signature perturbation theory is more transparent

Things (not) to worry about!

- The region $k \ll 1/\sqrt{t}$ dominates the loop momentum integral
- Non-renormalizability of perturbative quantum gravity in AdS is not an issue. The UV region's contribution is negligible so cutoff can be removed safely and still remain finite

What to Compute

- Hydrodynamic correlators are real so the symmetric function is what to compute

$$\frac{1}{2} \int d^{d-1}x \langle \{j^x(\omega, x), j^x(0)\} \rangle = (1 + 2n_B(\omega)) \text{Im}^{(1)} G_R^{xx}(\omega)$$

- Related to the retarded correlator in equilibrium

$$\begin{aligned} {}^{(1)}G_R^{xx}(\tau) &\equiv \int d^{d-1}x \langle j^x(\tau, x, r \rightarrow \infty) j^x(0, r \rightarrow \infty) \rangle_R, \\ {}^{(1)}G_R^{xy,xy}(\tau) &\equiv \int d^{d-1}x \langle t^x_y(\tau, x, r \rightarrow \infty) t^x_y(0, r \rightarrow \infty) \rangle_R \end{aligned}$$

- We use Schwinger-Keldysh formalism in **ra-basis**

Setup: Bulk Spacetime

- Bulk theory: Einstein or Einstein/Maxwell (Yang-Mills)+ cosmological constant: we do not need the full supergravity on AdS5
- Bulk geometry is an AdS_{d+1} -Schwarzschild black hole

$$ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu}^{(0)} dx^\mu dx^\nu = \left(\frac{4\pi T \ell}{d}\right)^2 dr^2 + p(r)(-q(r)dt^2 + \delta_{ij}dx^i dx^j)$$

$$p(r) = \cosh^{\frac{4}{d}}(2\pi T r), \quad q(r) = \tanh^2(2\pi T r)$$

- In perturbation theory, we gauge-fix to Gaussian normal coordinate

$$h_{r\mu} = 0, \quad h_{rr} = 0$$

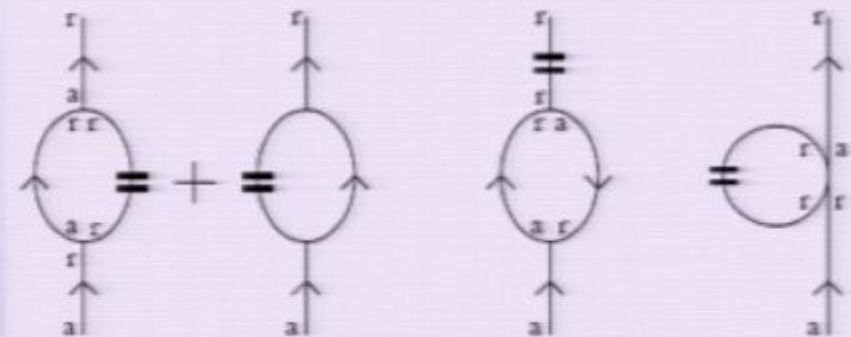
- Space-like axial gauge for the gauge field $A_r = 0$.

Diagrams

- In Schwinger-Keldysh formalism in **ra**-basis

$$\phi_r = \frac{1}{2}(\phi_1 + \phi_2), \quad \phi_a = \phi_1 - \phi_2.$$

$$G = \begin{pmatrix} G_{rr} & G_{ra} \\ G_{ar} & G_{aa} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -i(G_R - G_A) \left(\frac{1}{2} + n_B(\omega)\right) & -iG_R \\ -iG_A & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



Bulk counter-terms

The Symanzik procedure [Symanzik '85]

$$\langle \mathcal{O}^{i_1}(x_1) \cdots \mathcal{O}^{i_n}(x_n) \rangle_{\text{bdy}} = \lim_{r_1, \dots, r_n \rightarrow r_c} \langle \Pi^{i_1}(r_1, x_1) \cdots \Pi^{i_n}(r_n, x_n) \rangle_{\text{bulk}}$$

We do not keep track of the contact terms. They are irrelevant at long times

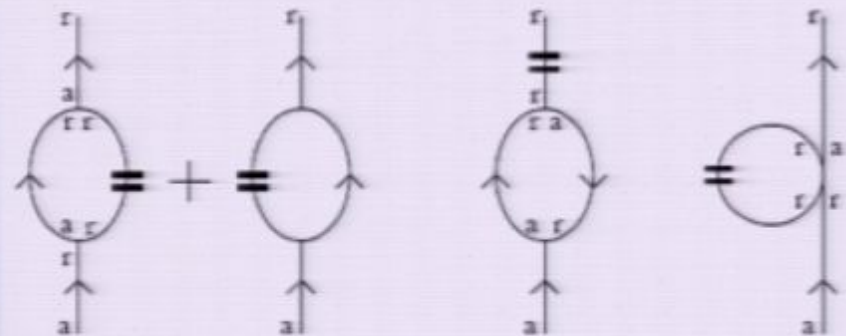
Play no-role at long times : stuck to the boundary (surface interactions)

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The origin of the boundary KMS conditions

- In QFT in curved space limit of QG: BH is in Thermal equilibrium with the environment to all orders in perturbation theory
- [Gibbons-Perry '76]

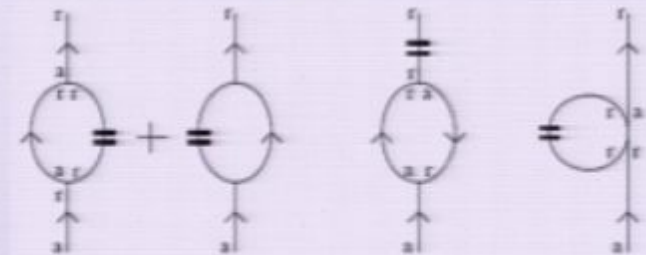
$$G_{12}(r, r'; p) = -in_B(p)(G_R(r, r'; p) - G_A(r, r'; p)), \quad \text{etc.}$$

- Fluctuations around H-H state are thermal to all order in perturbation theory
- The **KMS** conditions are obeyed in the bulk
- So in an AdS/CFT setting, the boundary **KMS** conditions are inherited from the bulk

Dominant fields in the hydrodynamic regime

- Both perturbations in the loop: long-lived and diffusive
- Charge fluctuations dominate over current perturbations
where $A_t/A_z \sim k/\omega$
- h_{tx} dominates over h_{zx} : momentum fluctuation dominates over stress
- Spin-2 fluctuations are negligible: the boundary data for non-trace part of $\delta t_{\text{bdy}}^{ij}$
i.e., $\delta t_{\text{bdy}}^{ij} \simeq \delta p \delta^{ij} + \eta \nabla^{(i} u^{j)} + \mathcal{O}(\nabla^2)$

is suppressed by viscous contributions .



Bulk Variable

- The bulk computation is best organized in momentum variables rather than in field space.

$$t_{\nu}^{\mu} = 2 \frac{\delta S_{\text{bulk}}}{\delta \gamma_{\mu\nu}} = \frac{\sqrt{-\gamma}}{8\pi G_N} (\delta^{\mu}_{\nu} K - K^{\mu}_{\nu}),$$
$$j^{\mu} = \frac{\delta S_{\text{bulk}}}{\delta A_{\mu}} = \frac{\sqrt{-\gamma}}{g_{d+1}^2} F^{\mu r},$$

- Consider them as extending in the bulk: local density of the currents

$$t_{\nu}^{\mu} = t_{\nu}^{\mu}(r), \quad j^{\mu} = j^{\mu}(r)$$

Gravity Vertices: j^x

- Rewriting in terms of the bulk local currents

$$\begin{aligned} V_{A-A-g} &= \int d^{d-1}x \delta j^t(\tau) \delta t^t_x(\tau) \int \frac{dr 16\pi G g^{rx}}{\sqrt{-g} |g^{tt}|} + \mathcal{O}(1/\tau) \\ &= \int d^{d-1}x \frac{\delta j^t(\tau) \delta t^t_x(\tau)}{\epsilon+p}, \end{aligned}$$

- Gauge-gauge-gauge vertices are also sub-leading: $\delta A^x \partial_r \delta A^t$
- and $\delta A^t \partial_r \delta A^x$ involve current fluctuation

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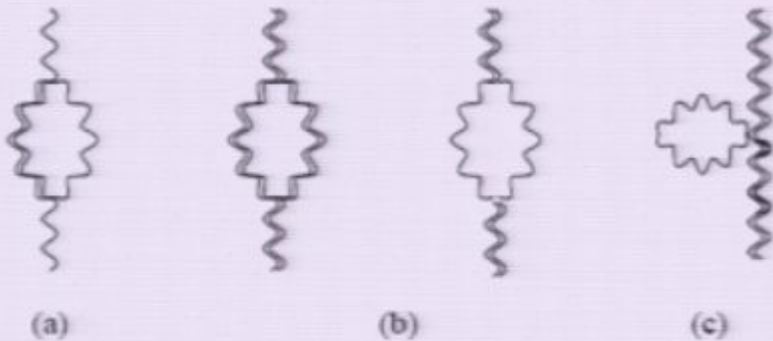
- Recasting it in the bulk stress tensor variables

$$\begin{aligned} V_{g-g-g} &= \int d^{d-1}x \delta t^t_x \delta t^t_y \int dr \frac{16\pi G g^{xx}}{\sqrt{-g} |g^{tt}|} + \mathcal{O}(1/\tau) \\ &= \frac{1}{\epsilon+p} \int d^{d-1}x \delta t^t_x \delta t^t_y, \end{aligned}$$

- Graviton-gauge-gauge is sub-leading: couples to $F^{xr} F^{yr} \sim j^x j^y$ which is sub-dominant

Diagrams

- At one loop



Feynman diagrams contributing to (a) current correlator (b) stress tensor correlator. Four-point vertices (c) will be found to have negligible effects. Wavy lines are bulk Yang-Mills fields and double lines are gravitons.

External Wavefunctions

- Let us focus on $\langle \hat{j}_x \hat{j}_x \rangle$
- External wave function for A_x : boundary conditions

$$\frac{1}{\mathcal{G}} \partial_r [\mathcal{G} \partial_r \psi_\omega(r)] + |g^{tt}| \omega^2 \psi_\omega(r) = 0, \quad \mathcal{G} = \sqrt{-g} g^{rr}$$

$$\psi_\omega(r) \propto r^{-i \frac{\omega}{2\pi T}} \text{ as } r \rightarrow 0 \quad \psi_\omega(r) = 1 \text{ when } r \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\psi_\omega^{\text{ret}}(r) = \frac{{}_2F_1\left(-\frac{(1+i)\omega}{2}, -\frac{(-1+i)\omega}{2}; 1 - i\omega; \tanh^2(\pi T r)\right)}{{}_2F_1\left(-\frac{(1+i)\omega}{2}, -\frac{(-1+i)\omega}{2}; 1 - i\omega, 1\right)} \tanh^{-i\omega}(\pi T r)$$

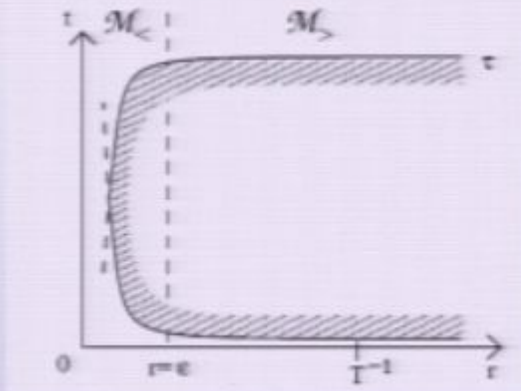
- Spectrum of the quasi-normal modes: gapped and off the imaginary axis

$$\omega_n = n(\pm 1 - i), \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

External Wavefunction

- A_x relaxes microscopically. A_x dissipates on time scale T^{-1}
- The field profile falls into the horizon along a null ray

$$A_x^{\text{ret}}(r, t) \rightarrow A_x^{\text{ret}}(t - r_*(r))$$



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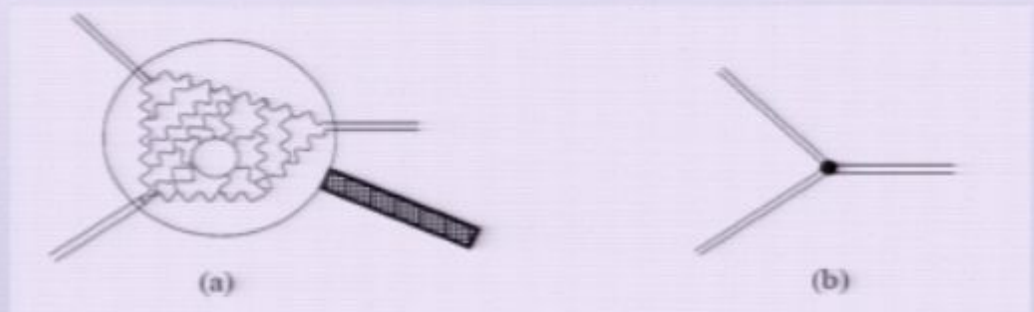
$$[\partial_r(C\partial_r) + (|g^{tt}|\omega^2 - g^{zz}k^2)C] \left[G_{\text{R}}^{tt}(r, r'; p) + \frac{\delta(r-r')}{Cg^{zz}} \right] = -k^2\delta(r-r')$$

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- The combination with Neumann boundary condition

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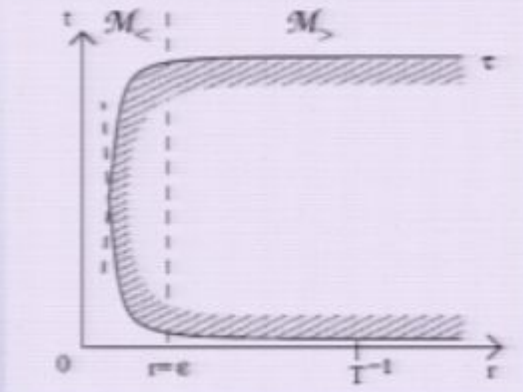
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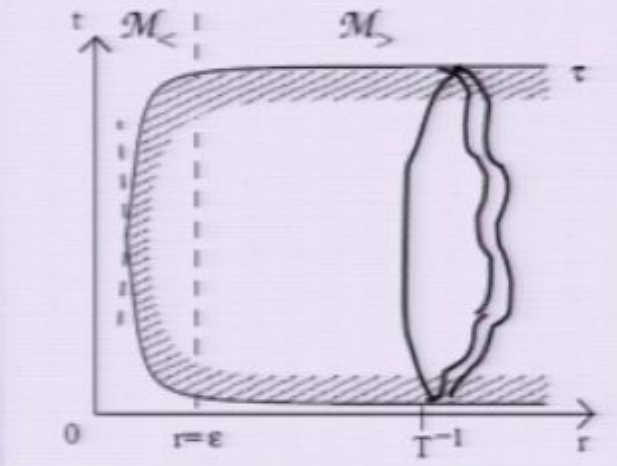
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Emergence of Hydrodynamics from Anti de Sitter Space

- $r-t$ plane : the causal diamond: insertions at 0 and τ



Bulk-bulk correlators

- The full bulk-bulk propagator

$$\begin{aligned} G_{\text{R}}^{\text{tt}}(r, r'; p) + \frac{\delta(r-r')}{C(r)g^{zz}} &= i\sigma k^2 \frac{G(r)F(r')\theta(r-r') + F(r)G(r')\theta(r'-r)}{2(\omega + i\frac{\sigma}{\ell}k^2)} \\ &= \frac{i\sigma k^2}{\omega + i\frac{\sigma}{\ell}k^2} + \mathcal{O}\left(\omega \log \frac{1}{r}, k^2\right). \end{aligned}$$

- It loses its radial dependence up to corrections which are only large in $\mathcal{M}_<$

Radial Flow equation for the Hydrodynamic Variable

- Bulk Hamiltonian (Einstein and Yang-Mills) : the radial evolution of the momenta. It can be organized written as a derivative expansion

$$\partial_r(\delta t^\mu_\nu) = \frac{1}{8\pi G} \delta(\sqrt{-g}^{(d)} R^\mu_\nu) = 0 + \mathcal{O}(\omega^2, q^2) \quad \mu \neq \nu,$$

$$\partial_r(\delta j^\mu) = \frac{1}{g_{d+1}^2} \delta(\partial_\nu \sqrt{-g} F^{\nu\mu}) = 0 + \mathcal{O}(\omega^2, q^2),$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{g}} \partial_r(\sqrt{g} K^\mu_\nu) = {}^{(d)}R^\mu_\nu + \frac{d}{\ell^2} \delta^\mu_\nu.$$

- Holds up to exponentially close to the horizon due to oscillations

$$r \sim e^{-2\pi T/\omega}$$

Relation to Long-time tails in Black hole Physics

- Evolution of probe fields on black hole spacetimes
- Late-time power-law tails in flat space $\Phi \sim t^{-n}$
- In AdS space they do not exist. Dirichlet boundary condition kill it
- We have argue that they do exist even in AdS but at quantum level!
- The argument for their existence comes from an unlikely (to the eyes of a relativist in the 70s) source: hydrodynamics!

Summary and outlook

- Emergence of hydrodynamic long-time tails from Anti de Sitter space
- Depends on very few entries of the AdS/CFT dictionary: Universality
- Counter-intuitive: must have come from deep IR. Hydro fluctuations are tied to the horizon but the scale of vertices are microscopic since they are local in time
- Mode coupling theory of the critical systems from gravity: diverging transport coefficients
- Log-running of the shear viscosity as the universal property of 2+1 dimensional horizons