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Abstract: I will discuss the construction of a holographic dictionary for theories with non-relativistic conformal symmetry, relating the field theory to the dual spacetime. I will focus on the case of Lifshitz spacetimes, giving a definition of asymptotically locally Lifshitz spacetimes and discussing the calculation of field theory observables and holographic renormalization.

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- Stress tensor complex for non-relativistic theories
- Asymptotically locally Lifshitz spacetimes
- Stress tensor, boundary geometry
- Linearised theory
- Holographic renormalization
- Discussion

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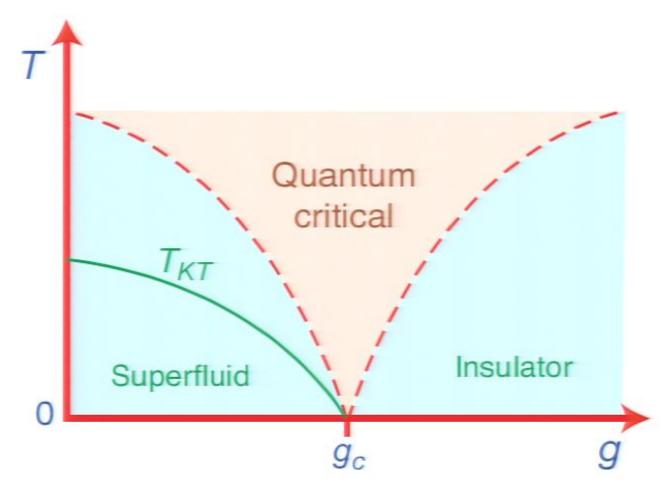
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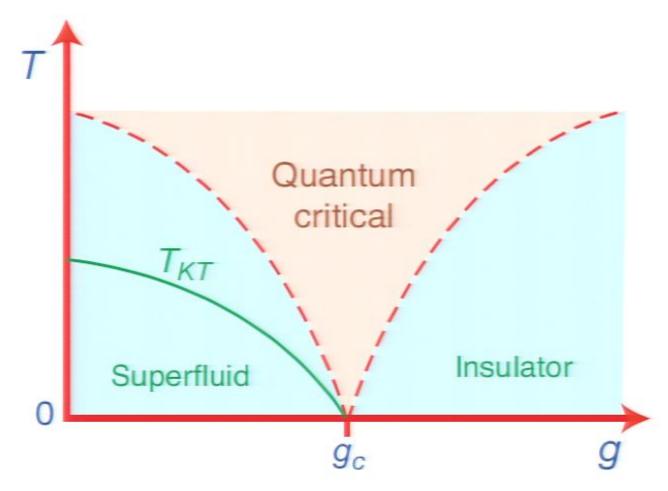
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- Regular expansion exists
  - For arbitrary sources for z < 2</li>
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### iscussion

- NRCFT is an interesting and challenging extension of AdS/CFT.
- Lifshitz has a simple spacetime dual, now embedded in string theory.
- Holographic dictionary similar to familiar AdS/CFT case.
- Pretty much under control for 1 < z < 2
- For z > 2, some issues remain:
  - Check counterterms also cancel divergences from fast fall-off modes.
  - ▶ Understand divergences in  $\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle$  for z > 2.
  - Flow between boundary conditions for z > 4.

### tress tensor

Soundary geometry  $\hat{e}^{(0)}(r,t,\vec{x})$ ,  $\hat{e}^I(r,t,\vec{x}) \Rightarrow$  sources for stress tensor. Issume we have an action S finite on-shell,  $\delta S = 0$  for variations reserving boundary data. Define  $T_B^{\alpha}$  by  $(\alpha = t, x^1, x^2; i = x^1, x^2)$ 

$$\delta S = \int_{\partial M} d^3x \sqrt{-h} (T^{\alpha}_{B} \delta e^{(B)}_{\alpha} + \pi^{A} \delta A_{A}).$$

- Variation at fixed  $A_A$  implies  $T_{AB}$  not a symmetric tensor.
  - $\triangleright$   $A_I$  provides additional vector components;  $A_I = 0$  by choice of frame.
  - ▶ Remaining scalar dof  $\psi = A_0 \alpha$ .
- Identify with stress tensor complex:  $T^{\alpha}_{0} = \mathcal{E}, \mathcal{E}^{i}; T^{\alpha}_{J} = \mathcal{P}_{j}, \Pi^{i}_{j}.$
- Invariance of S under boundary diffeomorphisms t'(t, x<sup>i</sup>), x<sup>i'</sup>(t, x<sup>i</sup>)
   Hollands
   implies conservation equations

$$\nabla_{\alpha} T^{\alpha}_{\beta} - \pi^{\alpha} \nabla_{\beta} A_{\alpha} = 0.$$

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