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Entanglement holography

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Holography

AdS/CFT provides the best understood example of the holographic principle.

QG theory in $(d+1)$ -dim = QM theory in d -dim

Within AdS/CFT, emergent direction z is related to energy scale in a dual QFT:

$$ds^2 = \boxed{\frac{1}{z^2} dz^2} + \frac{1}{z^2} \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu \quad \text{with} \quad (z, x^\mu) \rightarrow (\lambda z, \lambda x^\mu)$$

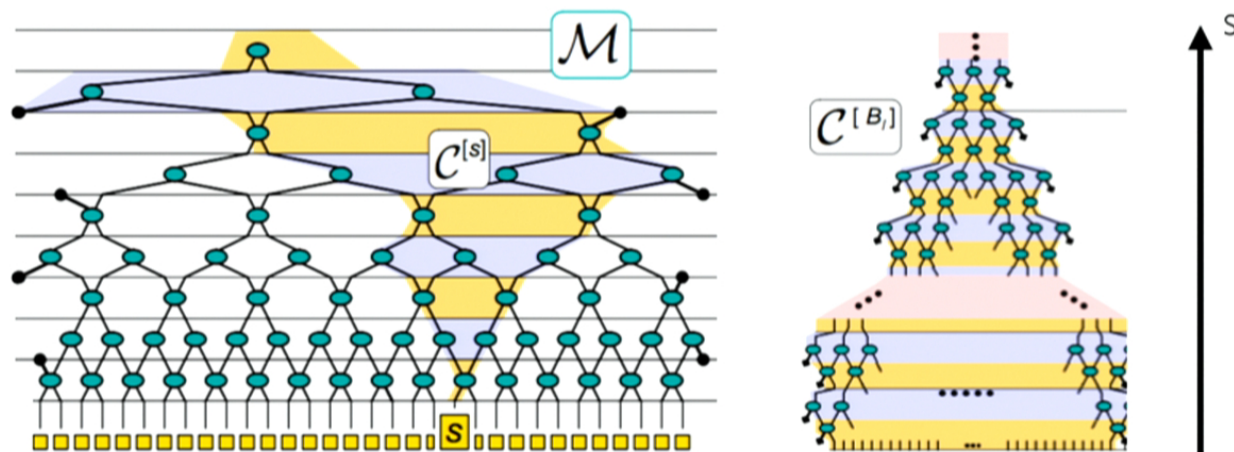
Bulk: Wilsonian RG-flow with z playing the role of $(\text{the energy scale})^{-1}$.

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MERA

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MERA is an example of real-space RG-flow

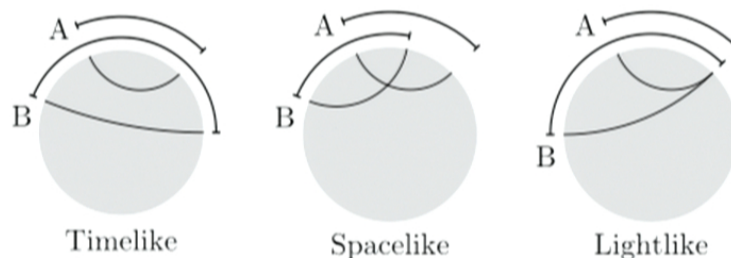


MERA has “Lorentzian causal structure”. The coarse-graining direction is “timelike”.

Bény | 10.4872; Evenbly et al. | 307.083 |, Czech et al. | 505.055 | 5

Integral geometry Czech, Lamprou, McCandlish & Sully 1505.05515

One can introduce a partial order on the set of intervals for which we calculate EE



This motivates introducing the light-cone coordinates $u = \theta - \alpha$ and $v = \theta + \alpha$ and considering space with the volume form $\omega = \partial_u \partial_v S du \wedge dv$

SSA guarantees $\partial_u \partial_v S \geq 0$. For the vacuum we obtain

$$\omega = \frac{c}{12 \sin^2(\alpha)} du \wedge dv$$

Unique conformally-invariant metric compatible with these is

$$ds^2 = \frac{c}{12 \sin^2(\alpha)} du dv = \frac{c}{12 \sin^2(\alpha)} (-d\alpha^2 + d\theta^2) \quad \leftarrow \text{de Sitter}_2$$

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Question behind this work

Is there a setup in which:

- 1) scale appears as an emergent time-like direction
and
- 2) local DOFs in the emergent spacetime can be identified ?

Entanglement first law

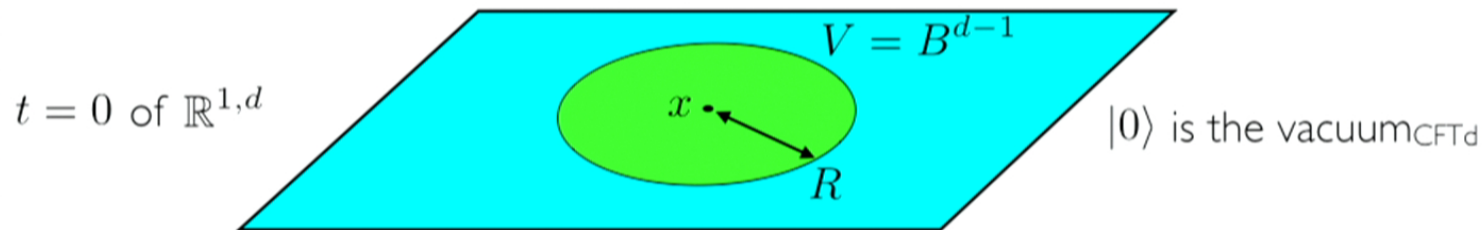
Consider small perturbation of some reference density matrix $\rho = \rho_0 + \delta\rho$

The change in the entropy is equal to the change in <the modular Hamiltonian>

$$\delta S = -\text{tr}(\rho \log \rho) - S_0 = \delta \langle H_{mod} \rangle$$

In general, we expect $H_{mod} \equiv \log \rho_0$ to be nonlocal, but for $\rho_0 = \text{tr}_V |0\rangle\langle 0|$:

$$H_{mod} = c' + 2\pi \int_{|\vec{x}-\vec{x}'|^2 \leq R^2} d^{d-1}x' \frac{R^2 - |\vec{x} - \vec{x}'|^2}{2R} T_{tt}(x')$$



Casini, Huerta & Myers 1102.0440

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Propagation on de Sitter

As a result, the change in the entanglement entropy for small perturbations of $|0\rangle$ is

$$\delta S_B = 2\pi \int_{|\vec{x}-\vec{x}'|^2 \leq R^2} d^{d-1}x' \frac{R^2 - |\vec{x} - \vec{x}'|^2}{2R} \langle T_{tt} \rangle(x')$$

see e.g. Xiao 1402.7080

This is the bulk-to-boundary propagator in dS_d : $ds^2 = -\frac{L^2}{R^2}dR^2 + \frac{L^2}{R^2}d\vec{x}^2$

This implies that δS is a local field in dS_d and obeys the Klein-Gordon equation:

$$\nabla_a \nabla^a \big|_{dS_d} \delta S_B - m^2 \delta S_B = 0 \quad \text{with} \quad m^2 L^2 = -d$$

Note that the scale R appears here as an emergent time-like coordinate.

How does it work?

$R = 0$ corresponds to one of the timelike bdaries in dS_d (say to the future one).

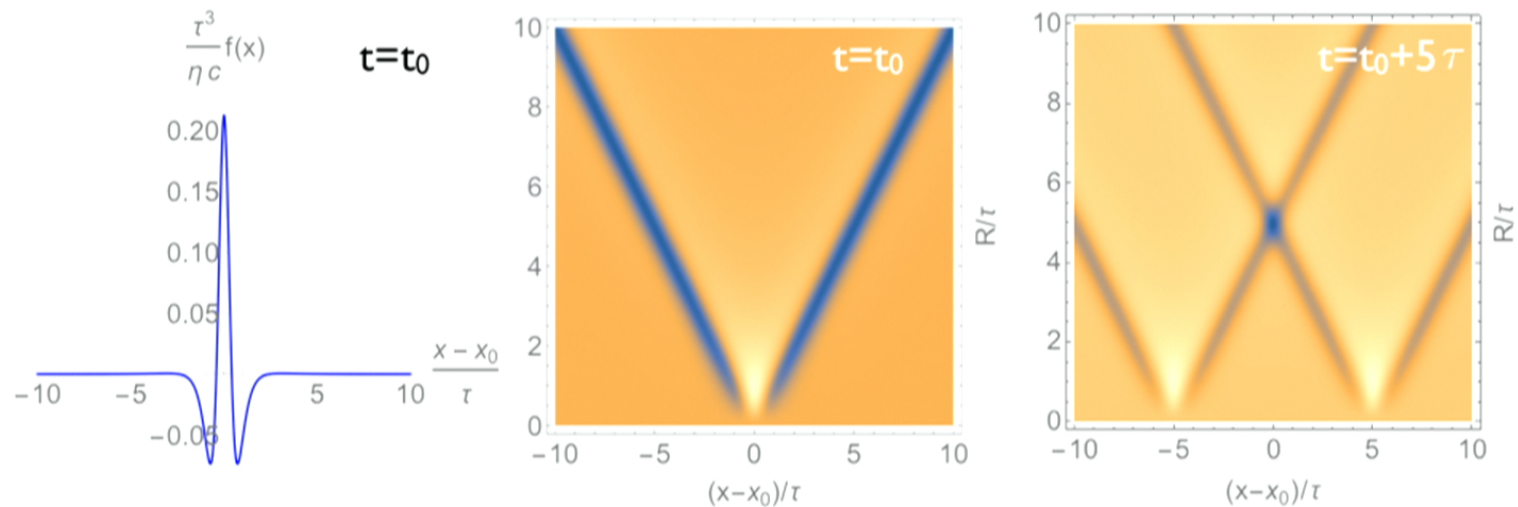
Bdry data:

$$\delta S \stackrel{R \rightarrow 0}{\equiv} F(x)/R + f(x) R^d + \dots$$

with

$$F(x) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad f(x) = \frac{\pi^{\frac{d+1}{2}}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{d+3}{2}\right)} \langle T_{tt}(x) \rangle$$

Explicit example in CFT_2 : $\delta\rho = \eta (|0\rangle\langle\phi| + |\phi\rangle\langle 0|)$ with $|\phi\rangle = T_{tt}(t_0 + i\tau, x_0)|0\rangle$



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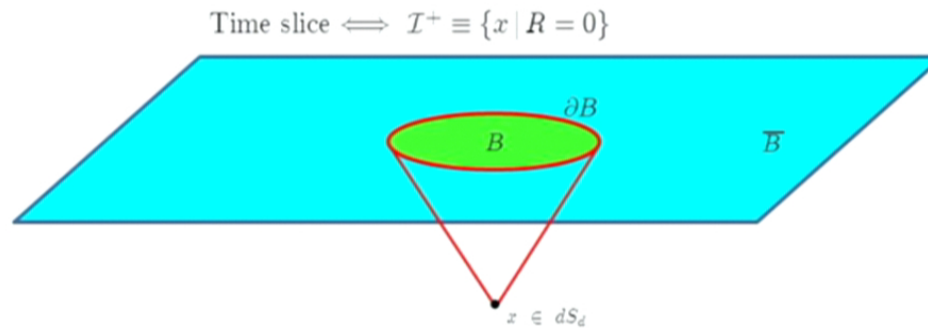
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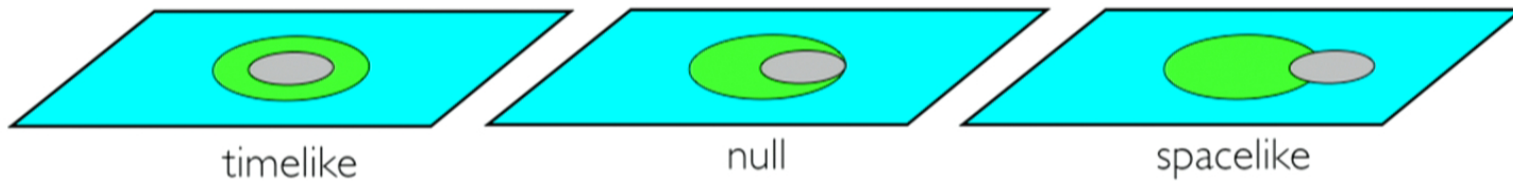
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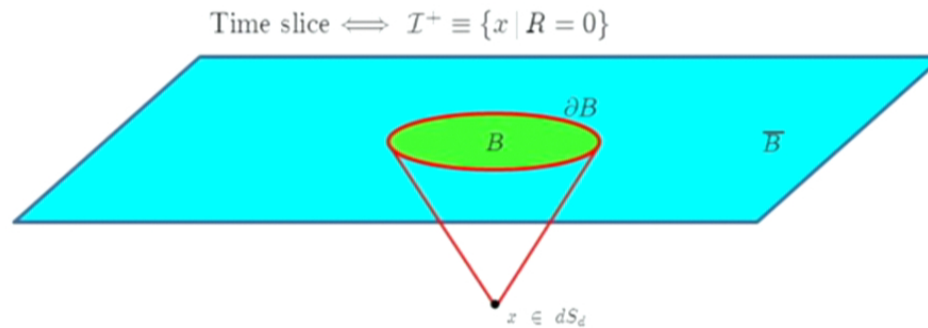
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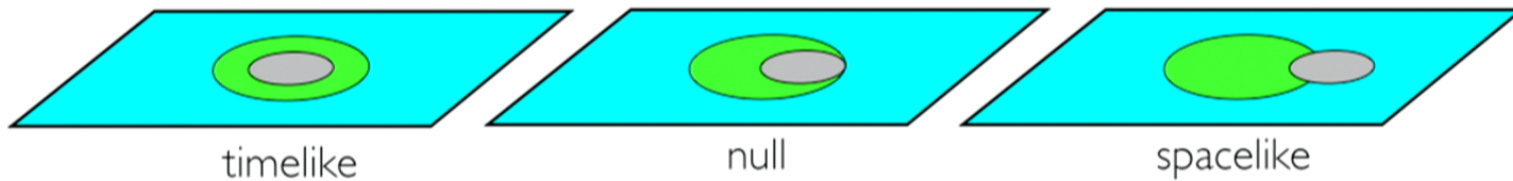
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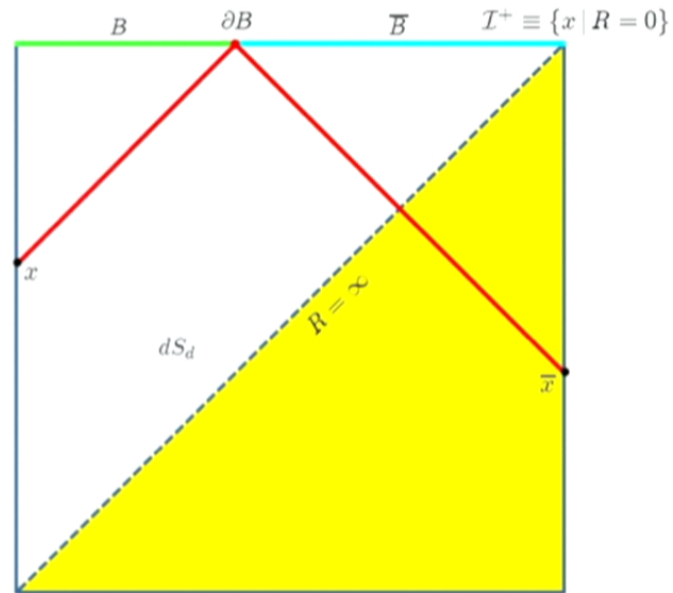
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Elliptic dS_d



If $\delta S_B = \delta S_{\bar{B}}$, the field propagates on elliptic dS_d : $\delta\rho = \eta (|0\rangle\langle\phi| + |\phi\rangle\langle 0|)$

If $\delta S_B \neq \delta S_{\bar{B}}$, this is not the case, e.g. $\delta\rho = g e^{-\beta E_1} |E_1\rangle\langle E_1|$ Herzog 1407.1358

More dynamical scalar fields on dS_d

$$H_{mod} = c' + \int_B dB^\mu J_\mu^{(2)} \quad \text{with} \quad J_\mu^{(2)} \equiv T_{\mu\nu} K^\nu$$



$$Q^{(s)} = \int_B dB^\mu J_\mu^{(s)} \quad \text{with} \quad J_\mu^{(s)} = T_{\mu\nu_1 \dots \nu_{s-1}} K^{\nu_1} \dots K^{\nu_{s-1}}$$

see [Belin et al. 1310.4180](#) for $s=1$

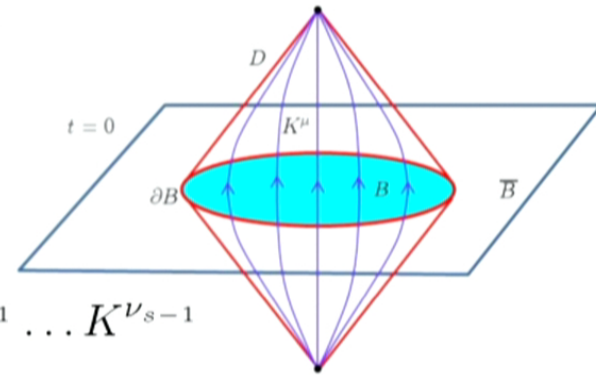
see [Hijano & Kraus 1406.1804](#) for $d=2$ & $s>2$

$$\delta S_B^{(s)} = (2\pi)^{s-1} \int_B d^{d-1}x' \left(\frac{R^2 - |\vec{x} - \vec{x}'|^2}{2R} \right)^{s-1} T_{tt\dots t}(x')$$

It is clear now that all $\delta S_B^{(s)}$ will be local scalar fields in dS_d and will obey

$$\nabla_a \nabla^a|_{dS_d} \delta S_B^{(s)} - m^2 \delta S_B^{(s)} = 0 \quad \text{with} \quad m^2 L^2 = -(s-1)(d+s-2)$$

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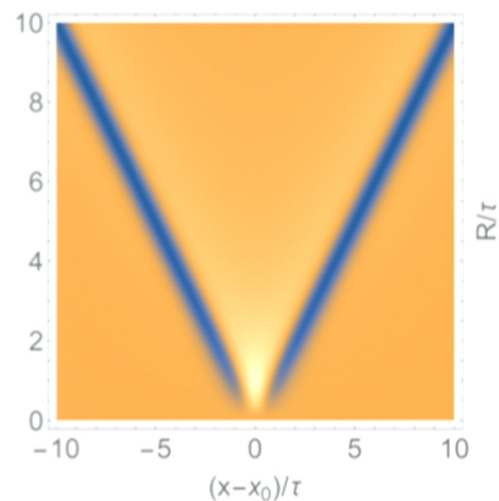
Summary

Entanglement in excited states is organized in a Lorentzian holographic way:

$$\nabla_a \nabla^a \big|_{dS_d} \delta S_B - m^2 \delta S_B = 0$$

$$\text{with } m^2 L_{dS_d}^2 = -d$$

example:



This statement applies to any CFT in any d provided the first law holds

The statement concerns constant time slices in a CFT

For theories with conserved charges: one dynamical field in dS_d for each charge

Some open problems

Can we describe full CFT in terms of local fields interacting in dS_d (novel dS/CFT)?

Geometry encapsulating time evolution between 2 constant time slices in a CFT?

Does dS_d play the role of the kinematic space / what fixes L_{dS_d} ?

Link with MERA / cMERA ?

Does the emergent local Lorentzian propagation persists if ~~conformal symmetry~~?