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DW/CFT dualities Itzhaki et. al.'98, Boonstra et. al.'98; Skenderis'99

- $AdS \Leftrightarrow DW$ ,  $CFT \Leftrightarrow QFT$ ,
  - $AdS$  isometry group  $\Leftrightarrow$  Poincaré isometry group of DW
  - a restoration of the conformal symmetry only at UV and/or IR fixed points

$$S = M_p^{d-1} \int d^d x \int dr \sqrt{-g} \left[ R - \frac{1}{2} (\partial\phi)^2 - V(\phi) \right] + S_{YH}.$$

### The domain wall solution

$$ds^2 = e^{2A(r)} \eta_{ij} dx^i dx^j + dr^2, \quad \phi = \phi(r)$$

- The scale factor  $e^A$  – measures the field theory energy scale
  - The scalar field  $e^\phi$  – the running coupling  $\lambda$
  - The  $\beta$ -function

$$\beta = \frac{d\lambda}{d \log E} = \frac{d\phi}{dA}$$

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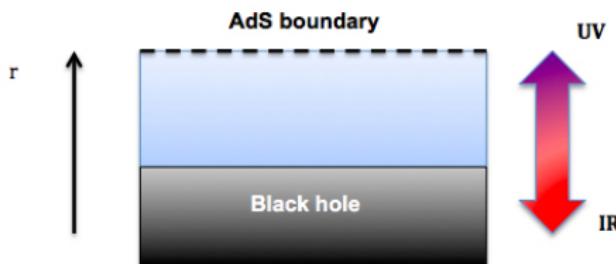
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  - $V = \sum C_i e^{k_i \phi}$ , in particular,  $V(\phi) = C_1 e^{k_1 \phi} + C_2 e^{k_2 \phi} - ?$

# RG flow at finite temperature

## Thermal gas solution

$$ds^2 = e^{2A(r)} \eta_{ij} dx^i dx^j + dr^2, \quad \phi = \phi(r).$$



## The black hole

$$ds^2 = e^{2A(r)} (-f(r)dt^2 + \delta_{ij}dx^i dx^j) + \frac{dr^2}{f(r)}, \quad f(r) = 1 - C_2 \lambda^{-\frac{4(1-x^2)}{3x}}.$$

## Gubser's bound for singular solutions (2000)

$$V(\phi_h) < 0, \quad V(\phi_h) \leq V(\phi_{UV}).$$

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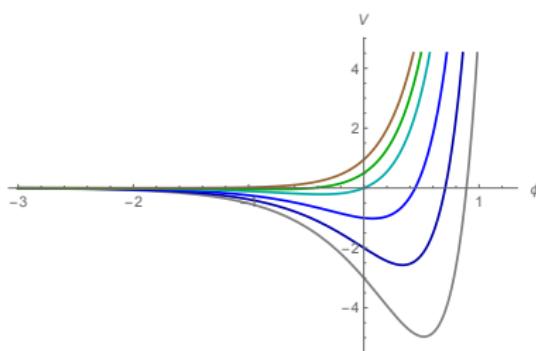
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## Set up

The action reads

$$S = \frac{1}{2\kappa^2} \int d^4x \int du \sqrt{-g} \left( R - \frac{4}{3}(\partial\phi)^2 + V(\phi) \right) - \frac{1}{\kappa^2} \int_{\partial} d^4x \sqrt{-\gamma},$$

$V(\phi) = C_1 e^{2k_1\phi} + C_2 e^{2k_2\phi}$ ,  $C_i$ ,  $k_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2$  are some constants.



**Figure:** The behaviour of the potential  $V(\phi)$  for  $C_1 < 0$ ,  $C_2 > 0$ .

## The ansatz for the metric

$$ds^2 = -e^{2A(u)}dt^2 + e^{2B(u)}\sum_{i=1}^3 dy_i^2 + e^{2C(u)}du^2,$$

## The gauge

$$C = A + 3B,$$

The sigma-model

$$L = \frac{1}{2}G_{MN}\dot{x}^M\dot{x}^N - V, \quad V = -\frac{1}{2}\sum_{s=1}^2 C_s e^{2(x^1+3x^2+k_s x^3)}, \cdot \equiv \frac{d}{du}.$$

$$x^1 = A, x^2 = B, x^3 = \phi, x = C.$$

$$(G_{MN}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -3 & 0 \\ -3 & -6 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{4}{3} \end{pmatrix}, \quad M, N = 1, 2, 3.$$

$(G_{MN})$  – minisuperspace metric on the target space  $\mathcal{M}$

$$L = \frac{1}{2} \langle \dot{x}, \dot{x} \rangle + \frac{C_1}{2} e^{\langle \textcolor{red}{V}, x \rangle} + \frac{C_2}{2} e^{\langle \textcolor{red}{W}, x \rangle}.$$

$V$  – time-like,  $W$  - spacelike vectors on  $\mathcal{M}$  ([the basis](#) is  $(e_1, e_2, e_3)$ )

$$\langle V, V \rangle = 3 \left( k_1^2 - \frac{16}{9} \right), \langle W, W \rangle = 3 \left( k_2^2 - \frac{16}{9} \right), \langle V, \textcolor{red}{W} \rangle = 3 \left( k_1 k_2 - \frac{16}{9} \right).$$

$$\text{LET} \quad \langle V, W \rangle = 0 \Leftrightarrow k_1 k_2 = \frac{16}{9}, \quad k_1 = k, \quad k_2 = \frac{16}{9k}, \quad 0 < k < 4/3.$$

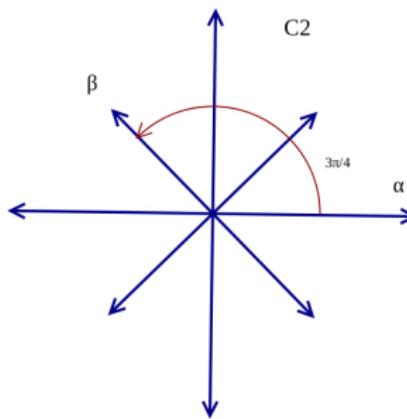
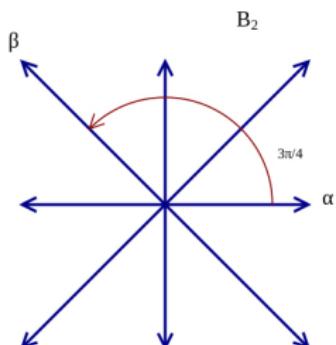
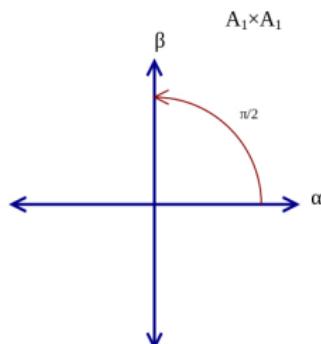
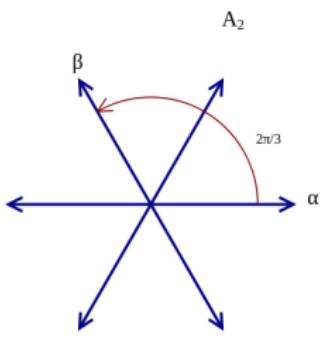
## The new basis

$$e_1' = \frac{V}{\|V\|}, \quad e_2' = \frac{W}{\|W\|}, \quad \langle e_i', e_j' \rangle = \eta_{ij}, \quad (\eta_{ij}) = \text{diag}(-1, 1, 1).$$

$$X^i = \eta_{ii} \left\langle e_i^{'}, x \right\rangle, \quad x^i = \sum_{j=1}^3 S_j^i X^j, \quad e_j^{'} = \sum_{i=1}^3 S_j^i e_i$$

$S_j^i$  – components of general Lorentz transformations.

## Root systems



## The $A_1 \times A_1$ -mechanical model

Let  $V$  and  $W$  vectors to root vectors of  $su(2) \oplus su(2)$  Lie algebra

$$L = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^3 \eta_{ij} \dot{X}^i \dot{X}^j + \frac{C_1}{2} e^{\eta_{11} |\langle V, V \rangle|^{1/2} X^1} + \frac{C_2}{2} e^{\eta_{22} |\langle W, W \rangle|^{1/2} X^2},$$

$$E_0 = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^3 \eta_{ij} \dot{X}^i \dot{X}^j - \frac{C_1}{2} e^{\eta_{11} |\langle V, V \rangle|^{1/2} X^1} - \frac{C_2}{2} e^{\eta_{22} |\langle W, W \rangle|^{1/2} X^2}$$

## Liouville equations for $sl(2)$ -Toda chains ( $sl(2) \cong su(2)$ )

$$\begin{aligned}\ddot{X}^s &= -\sqrt{|\langle R_s, R_s \rangle|} \tilde{C}_s e^{\eta_{ss} |\langle R_s, R_s \rangle|^{1/2} X^s}, \quad s = 1, 2, \\ \ddot{X}^3 &= 0, \quad \text{with} \quad \langle R_1, R_1 \rangle = \langle V, V \rangle, \quad \langle R_2, R_2 \rangle = \langle W, W \rangle.\end{aligned}$$

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### The solution to the $A_1 \times A_1$ - mechanical model

The solution reads

$$\begin{aligned} X^1 &= |\langle V, V \rangle|^{-1/2} \ln(F_1^2(u - u_{01})), \\ X^2 &= -|\langle W, W \rangle|^{-1/2} \ln(F_2^2(u - u_{02})), \\ X^3 &= p^3 u + q^3, \end{aligned}$$

with

$$F_s(u - u_{0s}) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{\left|\frac{C_s}{2E_s}\right|} \sinh \left[ \sqrt{\frac{|E_s \langle R_s, R_s \rangle|}{2}} (u - u_{0s}) \right], & \eta_{ss} C_s > 0, \eta_{ss} E_s > 0, \\ \sqrt{\left|\frac{C_s}{2E_s}\right|} \sin \left[ \sqrt{\frac{|E_s \langle R_s, R_s \rangle|}{2}} (u - u_{0s}) \right], & \eta_{ss} C_s > 0, \eta_{ss} E_s < 0, \\ \sqrt{\frac{|\langle R_s, R_s \rangle \tilde{C}_s|}{2}} (u - u_{0s}), & \eta_{ss} C_s > 0, E_s = 0, \\ \sqrt{\left|\frac{C_s}{2E_s}\right|} \cosh \left[ \sqrt{\frac{|E_s \langle R_s, R_s \rangle|}{2}} (u - u_{0s}) \right], & \eta_{ss} C_s < 0, \eta_{ss} E_s > 0, \end{cases}$$

$u_{0s}, E_s, E_s, p^3, q^3$  are constants of integration.

## Lorenz transformations

$$S_1^i = \frac{V^i}{|\langle V, V \rangle|^{1/2}}, \quad S_2^i = \frac{W^i}{\langle W, W \rangle^{1/2}}, \quad \alpha^i = S_3^i p^3, \quad \beta^i = S_3^i q^3$$

## The general solution

$$\begin{aligned} ds^2 &= F_1^{\frac{8}{9k^2-16}} F_2^{\frac{9k^2}{2(16-9k^2)}} \left( -e^{2\alpha^1 u} dt^2 + e^{-\frac{2}{3}\alpha^1 u} d\vec{y}^2 \right) + F_1^{\frac{32}{9k^2-16}} F_2^{\frac{18k^2}{16-9k^2}} du^2 \\ \phi &= -\frac{9k}{9k^2-16} \ln F_1 + \frac{9k}{9k^2-16} \ln F_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$F_s(u - u_{0s}) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{\frac{|C_s|}{2|E_s|}} \sinh [\mu_s(u - u_{0s})], & \text{if } \eta_{ss}C_s > 0, \eta_{ss}E_s > 0, \\ \sqrt{\frac{|C_s|}{2|E_s|}} \sin [\mu_s(u - u_{0s})], & \text{if } \eta_{ss}C_s > 0, \eta_{ss}E_s < 0, \\ \sqrt{\frac{C_s}{2}} |\mu_s(u - u_{0s})|, & \text{if } \eta_{ss}C_s > 0, E_s = 0, \\ \sqrt{\frac{|C_s|}{2|E_s|}} \cosh [\mu_s(u - u_{0s})], & \text{if } \eta_{ss}C_s < 0, \eta_{ss}E_s > 0, \end{cases}$$

$$s = 1, 2, \quad \mu_1 = \sqrt{\left| \frac{3E_1}{2} \left( k^2 - \frac{16}{9} \right) \right|}, \quad \mu_2 = \sqrt{\left| \frac{3E_2}{2} \left( \left( \frac{16}{9} \right)^2 \frac{1}{k^2} - \frac{16}{9} \right) \right|}.$$

# Constraints

$$E_1 + E_2 + \frac{2(\alpha^1)^2}{3} = 0.$$

- ➊  $\alpha^1 = 0$  Vacuum solutions, Poincaré invariant,  $|E_1| = |E_2|$
- ➋  $\alpha^1 \neq 0$  Non-vacuum ones, no Poincaré invariance  $|E_1| \neq |E_2|$
- Conditions from the  $V(\phi)$ :  $C_1 < 0, C_2 > 0, 0 < k < 4/3$ .
- Constants of integration  $u_{02} < u_{01}$

left:	$u < u_{02}$
middle:	$u_{02} < u < u_{01}$
right:	$u > u_{01}$

- The degenerate case with  $u_{01} = u_{02} = u_0$ ,

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Behaviour of solutions  $u_{01} \neq u_{02}$ ,  $\alpha^1 = 0$ 

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The dilaton

$$\phi = \frac{9k}{9k^2 - 16} \log \frac{F_2}{F_1}$$

and its potential

$$V = C_1 e^{2k\phi} + C_2 e^{32\phi/(9k)} = C_1 \left( \frac{F_2}{F_1} \right)^{\frac{18k^2}{9k^2-16}} + C_2 \left( \frac{F_2}{F_1} \right)^{\frac{32}{9k^2-16}}.$$

# Boundaries for $u_{01} \neq u_{02} \neq 0$

The left solution  $u < u_{02}$  (**conformally flat**)

- $u \rightarrow -\infty$   $ds^2 \sim z^{2/3} (-dt^2 + dy_1^2 + dy_2^2 + dy_3^2 + dz^2)$ ,  
 $z \sim e^{-\frac{3\mu_1 u}{4+3k}}$ ,  $\phi \sim \frac{9k}{16-9k^2}(\mu_2 - \mu_1)u \sim \log z \rightarrow -\infty$
- $u \rightarrow u_{02} - \epsilon$   $ds^2 \sim z^{\frac{18k^2}{64-9k^2}} (-dt^2 + dy_1^2 + dy_2^2 + dy_3^2 + dz^2)$ ,  
 $z \sim \frac{64-9k^2}{4(16-9k^2)}(u - u_{02})^{\frac{64-9k^2}{4(16-9k^2)}}, \phi \sim -\frac{36k}{64-9k^2} \log z \rightarrow +\infty$ .

The middle solution  $u_{02} < u < u_{01}$  (**conformally flat**)

- $u \rightarrow u_{02} + \epsilon$  the same as at  $u \rightarrow u_{02} - \epsilon$
- $u \rightarrow u_{01} - \epsilon$   $ds^2 \sim z^{\frac{8}{9k^2-4}} (-dt^2 + dy_1^2 + dy_2^2 + dy_3^2 + dz^2)$ ,  
 $\phi \sim \frac{9k}{4-9k^2} \log z \rightarrow -\infty$ ,  $z \sim \frac{16-9k^2}{9k^2-4}(u - u_{01})^{\frac{4-9k^2}{16-9k^2}}$ .

The right solution  $u > u_{01}$  (**conformally flat**)

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 $\phi \sim \log z \rightarrow -\infty$

Boundaries:  $u_{01} = u_{02} = u_0$ ,  $\alpha^1 = 0$

- In the UV  $u \rightarrow u_0$  we obtain the ***AdS*-spacetime**

$$ds^2 \sim \frac{1}{z^2}(-dt^2 + dy_1^2 + dy_2^2 + dy_3^2 + dz^2), \quad z \sim 4u^{1/4}.$$

The dilaton is constant in the UV

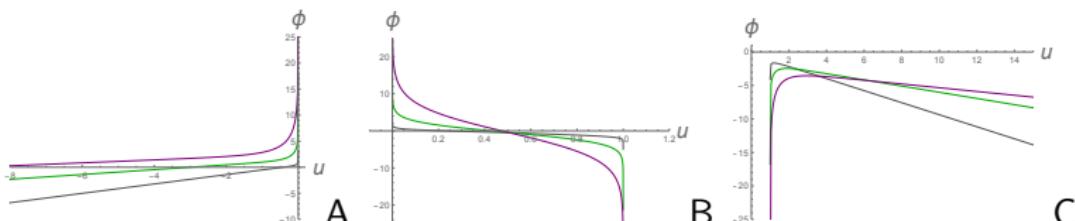
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- In the IR  $u \rightarrow +\infty$  we obtain the **conformally flat** spacetime

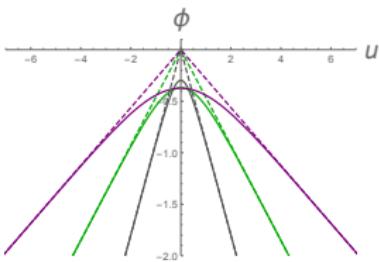
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The dilaton in the IR

$$\phi \sim \log z \rightarrow -\infty$$



**Figure:** Dilaton as a function of  $u$ : A)  $u < u_{02}$ , B)  $u_{02} < u < u_{01}$ , C) the dilaton for  $u > u_{01}$ ,  $u_{01} = 1$ . For all  $u_{01} = 1$ ,  $u_{02} = 0$ ,  $E_1 = -E_2 = -1$ ,  $C_1 = -C_2 = -1$ ,  $k = 0.4, 1, 1.2$ .



**Figure:** The behaviour of the dilaton (solid lines) and its asymptotics at infinity (dashed lines) for  $u_{01} = u_{02} = 0$ ,  $C_1 = -C_2 = -1$ ,  $E_1 = -E_2 = -1$  and different values of  $k$ . From bottom to top  $k = 0.4, 1, 1.2$ .

# Non-vacuum solutions, black holes

## The metric

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$$\mu_1 = \sqrt{\left| \frac{3E_1}{2} \right|} \sqrt{\frac{16}{9} - k^2}, \quad \mu_2 = \sqrt{\left| \frac{3E_2}{2} \right|} \frac{4}{3k} \sqrt{\frac{16}{9} - k^2} = \frac{4}{3k} \sqrt{\frac{E_2}{E_1}} \mu_1.$$

$$E_1 + E_2 + \frac{2}{3}(\alpha^1)^2 = 0.$$

# Dilaton at boundaries $u_{01} \neq u_{02}$ , $\alpha^1 \neq 0$

- The left solution  $u < u_{02}$

- $u \rightarrow -\infty \phi_{u \rightarrow -\infty} \sim \frac{9k}{16-9k^2} \left[ (\mu_2 - \mu_1) u + \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \frac{C_2 E_1}{C_1 E_2} \right| \right]$
- $u \rightarrow u_{02} - \epsilon$   

$$\phi_{u \rightarrow u_{02} - \epsilon} \sim -\frac{9k}{16-9k^2} \log \left[ \sqrt{\frac{C_2 E_1}{C_1 E_2}} \frac{\mu_2 \epsilon}{\sinh(\mu_1 (u_{01} - u_{02}))} \right] \rightarrow +\infty.$$

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- The right solution  $u > u_{01}$

- $u \rightarrow u_{01} + \epsilon$  the same as for the middle solution at  $u \rightarrow u_{01} + \epsilon$
- $u \rightarrow +\infty \phi_{u \rightarrow \infty} \sim -\frac{9k}{16-9k^2} \left[ (\mu_2 - \mu_1) u + \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \frac{C_2 E_1}{C_1 E_2} \right| \right].$

- $\mu_1 = \mu_2, \quad E_2 = \frac{6k^2(\alpha^1)^2}{16 - 9k^2}.$
- $\mu_1 > \mu_2$

# Dilaton at boundaries $u_{01} = u_{02}$ , $\alpha^1 \neq 0$

$$\phi|_{u \rightarrow \pm\infty} \sim \frac{9k}{9k^2 - 16} \left[ \pm (\mu_2 - \mu_1) u + \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \frac{C_2 E_1}{C_1 E_2} \right| \right]$$

$$\phi|_{u \rightarrow u_0} \sim \frac{9k}{16 - 9k^2} \left[ \log \left( \frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \frac{C_1 E_2}{C_2 E_1} \right| \right].$$

- $\mu_1 = \mu_2$ ,  $E_2 = \frac{6k^2(\alpha^1)^2}{16 - 9k^2}$ .
- $\mu_1 > \mu_2$

# Black hole, solutions with $u \in [u_{01}, +\infty)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 ds^2 &= \mathcal{C} \mathcal{X}(u) e^{\kappa u - \frac{2}{3}\alpha^1 u} \left( -e^{\frac{8}{3}\alpha^1 u} dt^2 + d\bar{y}^2 + \mathcal{X}(u)^3 \mathcal{C}^3 e^{3\kappa + \frac{2}{3}\alpha^1 u} du^2 \right) \\
 \mathcal{X}(u) &= (1 - e^{-2\mu_1(u-u_{01})})^{-\frac{8}{16-9k^2}} (1 - e^{-2\mu_2(u-u_{02})})^{\frac{9k^2}{2(16-9k^2)}} \\
 \kappa &\equiv \frac{8}{\sqrt{6(16-9k^2)}} \left( -\sqrt{E_2 + \frac{2}{3}(\alpha^1)^2} + \frac{3}{4}k\sqrt{E_2} \right), \\
 \mathcal{C} &\equiv \left( \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left| \frac{C_1}{2E_1} \right|} e^{-\mu_1 u_{01}} \right)^{\frac{8}{9k^2-16}} \left( \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left| \frac{C_2}{2E_2} \right|} e^{-\mu_2 u_{02}} \right)^{\frac{9k^2}{2(16-9k^2)}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

The absence of conic singularity

- $\kappa - \frac{2}{3}\alpha^1 = 0$ ,  $E_2 = \frac{6k^2(\alpha^1)^2}{16-9k^2}$ ,  $\mu_2 = \mu_1$
- $\frac{4}{3\mathcal{C}^{3/2}}\alpha^1\beta = 2\pi$

Null geodesics  $ds^2 = 0$ , for the light moving in the radial direction

$$t - t_0 = \int_{u_0}^u d\bar{u} \mathcal{C}^{3/2} \left( 1 + \dots \right) \xrightarrow[u \rightarrow \infty]{} \infty.$$

# Black hole solution

$$ds^2 = \mathcal{C} \mathcal{X} \left( -e^{\frac{8}{3}\alpha^1 u} dt^2 + d\bar{y}^2 \right) + \mathcal{C}^4 \mathcal{X}(u)^4 e^{\frac{8}{3}\alpha^1 u} du^2,$$

$$\mathcal{X} = (1 - e^{-2\mu(u - u_{01})})^{-\frac{8}{16 - 9k^2}} (1 - e^{-2\mu(u - u_{02})})^{\frac{9k^2}{2(16 - 9k^2)}},$$

$$\mathcal{C} \equiv \left( \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left| \frac{C_1}{2E_1} \right|} e^{-\mu u_{01}} \right)^{\frac{8}{9k^2 - 16}} \left( \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left| \frac{C_2}{2E_2} \right|} e^{-\mu u_{02}} \right)^{\frac{9k^2}{2(16 - 9k^2)}}.$$

$$\phi = \frac{9k}{9k^2 - 16} \log \left[ \sqrt{\left| \frac{E_1 C_2}{E_2 C_1} \right|} \frac{\sinh(\mu(u - u_{02}))}{\sinh(\mu(u - u_{01}))} \right].$$

and near horizon

$$\lim_{u \rightarrow +\infty} \phi_u = \frac{9k}{2(16 - 9k^2)} \log \left( \left| \frac{E_2 C_1}{E_1 C_2} \right| \right).$$

The Hawking temperature

$$T = \frac{2}{3\pi} \frac{|\alpha^1|}{\mathcal{C}^{3/2}}$$

Special case:  $u_{01} = u_{02} = u_0$

$$ds^2 = \mathcal{C} \left(1 - e^{-2\mu(u-u_0)}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left(-e^{-2\mu u} dt^2 + d\vec{y}^2\right) + \mathcal{C}^4 \left(1 - e^{-2\mu(u-u_0)}\right)^{-2} e^{-2\mu u} du^2,$$

$$\mu = -\frac{4}{3}\alpha^1, \quad \mathcal{C} = (2\sqrt{2})^{1/2} e^{\mu u_0} \left(\frac{C_1}{E_1}\right)^{\frac{4}{9k^2-16}} \left(\frac{C_2}{E_2}\right)^{\frac{9k^2}{4(16-9k^2)}}.$$

The dilaton

$$\phi = \frac{9k}{2(16-9k^2)} \log \left| \frac{C_1 E_2}{C_2 E_1} \right|.$$

The curvature

$$R = -\frac{5\mu^2}{\mathcal{C}^4}.$$

$$z = z_h \left(1 - e^{-2\mu u}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}, \quad \mathcal{C} = z_h^{-2}, \quad ds^2 = \frac{1}{z^2} \left(-f(z)dt^2 + d\vec{y}^2 + \frac{dz^2}{f(z)}\right),$$

$$f = 1 - \left(\frac{z}{z_h}\right)^4.$$

The saturation of the Gubser's bound  $V(\phi(u_h)) = V_{UV}$ .

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# Holographic RG equations

The solution in the domain wall coordinates

$$ds^2 = dw^2 + e^{2\mathcal{A}(w)} (-dt^2 + \eta_{ij}dx^i dx^j).$$

$\phi(w)$ ,  $\lambda = e^\phi$  – the running coupling.

The  $\beta$ -function

$$\beta(\lambda) = \frac{d\lambda_{QFT}}{d\log E} = \frac{d\lambda}{d\mathcal{A}}$$

The  $\beta$ -function satisfies the holographic RG eqs. [Kiritsis et al.'08](#) 12.0792

$$\frac{dX}{d\phi} = -\frac{4}{3} (1 - X^2) \left( 1 + \frac{3}{8X} \frac{d\log V}{d\phi} \right),$$

where  $X(\phi)$  is related with the  $\beta$ -function

$$X(\phi) = \frac{\beta(\lambda)}{3\lambda}$$

The energy scale

$$\mathcal{A} = e^{\mathcal{A}}$$

## RG equations at $T = 0$

The domain wall coordinates  $dw \equiv E_1^{\frac{16}{9k^2-16}} E_2^{\frac{9k^2}{16-9k^2}} du$ .

## The running coupling

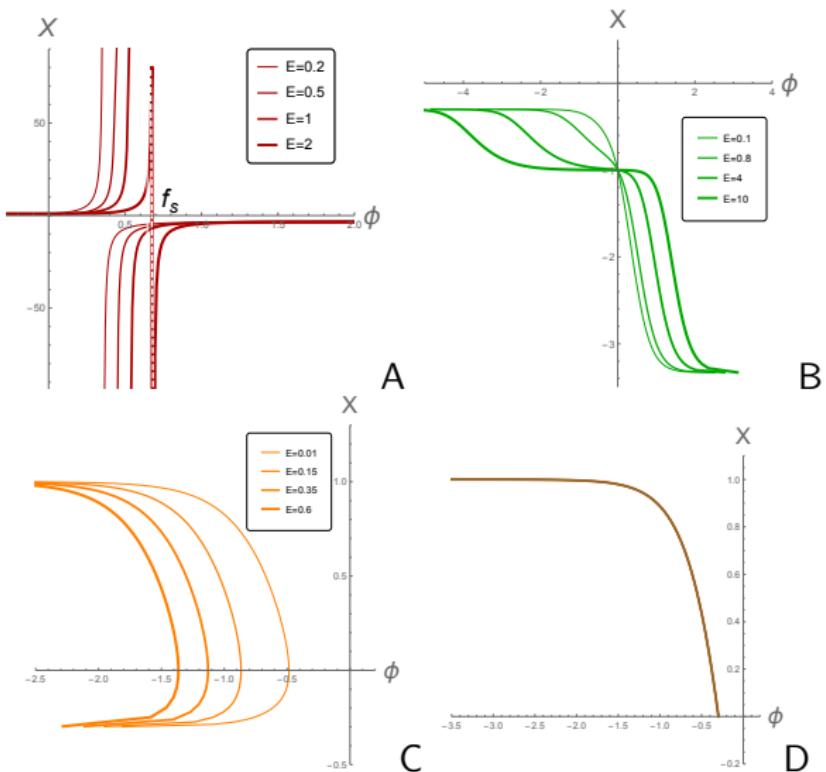
$$\lambda = e^\phi = \left( \frac{F_2}{F_1} \right)^{\frac{9k}{9k^2 - 16}}.$$

## The energy scale

$$A = e^{\mathcal{A}} = F_1^{\frac{4}{9k^2-16}} F^{\frac{9k^2}{4(16-9k^2)}}.$$

## The X-function

$$X = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{F_2}{F_1} \right)^{\frac{9k}{16-9k^2}} \frac{\lambda'}{\mathcal{A}'}.$$



**Figure:** The behaviour of the  $X$ -function with the dependence on the dilaton plotted using the solutions for  $\mathcal{A}$ . A) left B) middle C) right D)  $u_{01} = u_{02}$

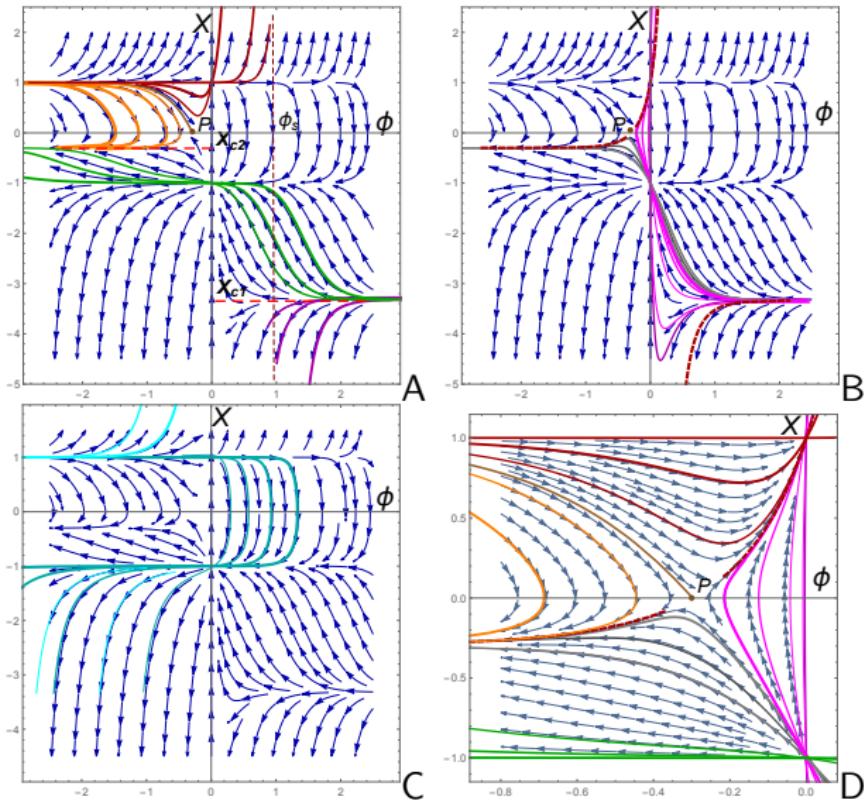
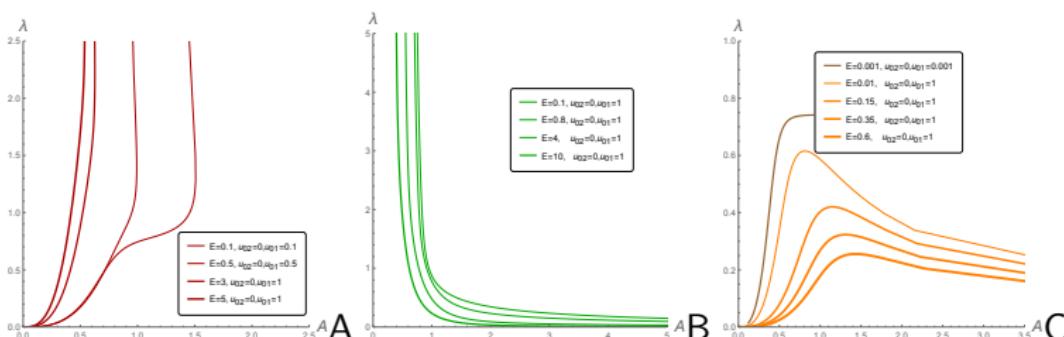


Figure: All solutions  $X$  with potential fixed as  $C_1 = -C_2 = -2$  and  $k = 0.4$

The behaviour of the running coupling  $\lambda$  on the energy scale



**Figure:**  $\lambda$  on the energy A on the dilaton plotted using the solutions for  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\phi$ . A) the left branch with  $u_{02} > u$ , B) the middle branch  $u_{02} < u < u_{01}$ ; C) the right branch  $u > u_{01}$ . For all plots  $k = 0.4$ ,  $C_1 = -2$ ,  $C_2 = 2$ , different curves on the same plot corresponds to the different values of  $|E_1| = |E_2|$ , labeled as  $E$  on the legends and different  $u_{01}$  and  $u_{02}$  also indicated on the legends.

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The black brane

$$ds^2 = e^{2\mathcal{A}(w)} \left( -f(w)dt^2 + \delta_{ij}dx^i dx^j \right) + \frac{dw^2}{f(w)},$$

**Ex.** The Chamblin-Reall solution  $f = 1 - C_2 \lambda^{-\frac{4(1-x^2)}{3x}}$ ,  $\lambda = e^\phi$ .

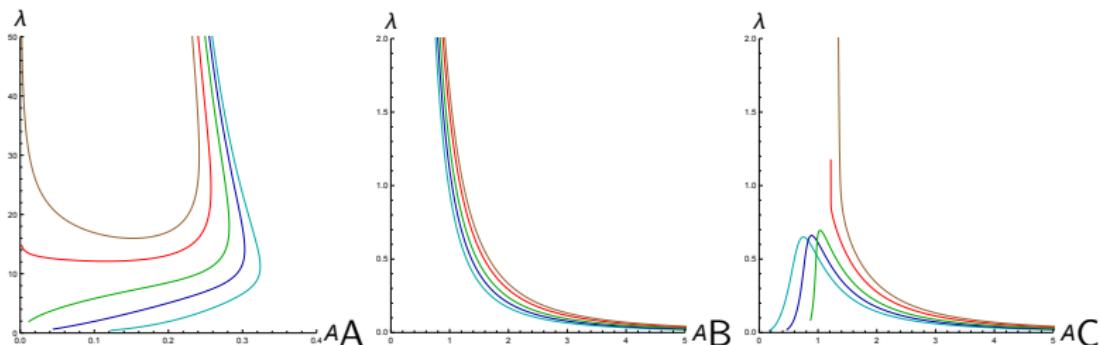
The  $Y$ -variable is defined through the function  $f$

$$Y(\phi) = \frac{1}{4} \frac{g'}{A'}, \quad g = \log f,$$

$$\frac{dX}{d\phi} = -\frac{4}{3}(1-X^2+Y)\left(1+\frac{3}{8X}\frac{d \log V}{d\phi}\right),$$

$$\frac{dY}{d\phi} = -\frac{4}{3}(1-X^2+Y)\frac{Y}{X}.$$

The running coupling on the energy scale ( $u_{01} \neq 0, u_{02} \neq 0$ )



**Figure:** The dependence of  $\lambda$  on the energy scale  $A = e^A$  at the left solution A), the middle solution B) and the right one C).  $\alpha^1 = 0$  (cyan),  $\alpha^1 = -0.25$  (blue),  $\alpha^1 = -0.5$  (green),  $\alpha^1 = -0.8$  (red),  $\alpha^1 = -1$  (brown).

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- Careful studies of the behaviour  $\lambda = e^\phi$  on the energy scale at  $T \neq 0$
- Analysis of confinement-deconfinement phase transition (Polchinski-Strassler model?).
- Holographic  $c$ -theorem?
- Full supergravity picture?

Thank you for attention!