

# On the neighbor exclusion model on the CAYLEY tree

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*Interplay between statistical mechanics, graph theory,  
computational complexity and holomorphic dynamics*

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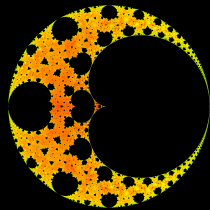


Figure: By Nuria FAGELLA.

## Independence polynomial

$G = (V, E)$ : Finite graph.

**Independent set:**  $I \subset V$  such that  $v, v' \in I \Rightarrow \{v, v'\} \notin E$ ;

**Independence polynomial:**  $Z_G(\lambda) := \sum_{\substack{I \subset V \\ \text{independent}}} \lambda^{|I|}$ .



Independence polynomial:  $1 + 4\lambda + 2\lambda^2$ .

## Statistical mechanics

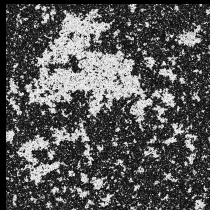


Figure: ISING model configuration at critical temperature, Mario ULLRICH.

## Statistical mechanics

**Phase transitions:** Failure of analytic dependence.

$G = (V, E)$ : Finite graph;

$\Omega$ : Finite space.

**Spin:** Element of  $\Omega$ ;

**Configuration:** Element of  $\Omega^V$ ;

**Interaction:**  $X \mapsto \Phi(X); \Omega^X \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \cup \{+\infty\}$ .

Finite isomorphly

subset of  $V$

## Statistical mechanics

**HAMILTONIAN:**

$$H_G(\Phi) := \sum_{X \subset G} \Phi(X);$$

**Partition function:**

$$Z_G(\Phi) := \sum_{\omega \in \Omega^V} \exp(-H_G(\Phi)(\omega));$$

Divergence,  $P(\Phi) := \lim_{G \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{|G|} \log Z_G(\Phi)$ .

**GIBBS measure:**

$$\frac{1}{Z_G(\Phi)} \exp(-H_G(\Phi)) \cdot \mu_0.$$

$\mu_0 :=$  normalized counting measure on  $\Omega^V$ .

## ISING model

$$\Omega = \{+1, -1\};$$

$$\Phi(X)(\omega) = \begin{cases} -J\omega_v\omega_{v'} & \text{if } X = \{v, v'\} \in E; \\ -h\omega_v & \text{if } X = \{v\}; \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$J$  = "interaction" constant.  
 $h$  = "magnetization" constant.

$Z_G$  is a LAURENT polynomial in  $\lambda := \exp(-h)$ .

**Theorem (LEE-YANG, 1952)**

Assume  $J > 0$ . Then all zeros of  $Z_G(\lambda)$  are in the unit circle.

FISHER's predictions on the limit distribution of zeros and the phase transition.

## Neighbor exclusion model

$$\Omega = \{0, 1\};$$

$$\Phi(X)(\omega) = \begin{cases} +\infty & \text{if } X = \{v, v'\} \in E \text{ and } \omega_v = \omega_{v'} = 1; \\ h\omega_v & \text{if } X = \{v\}; \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$h$  = "magnetization" constant.

Partition function = Independence polynomial;

$\lambda = \exp(-h)$  in  $(0, +\infty)$ .

$Z_G(\lambda)$  may vanish outside the unit circle.

The LEE-YANG theorem does not apply.

## Regular trees



Figure: Bonsai Diurno - estado II, by Jorge MARTÍNEZ GARCÍA 2009.

## Regular trees

$d$ : Integer  $\geq 2$ .

$\mathcal{T}_{d,k}$ :  $d$ -regular tree of depth  $k \geq 0$ ;  
 $v_k$ : root of  $\mathcal{T}_{d,k}$ .



## Phase transition

Phase transition at

$$\lambda_{cr} := \frac{d^d}{(d-1)^{d+1}}.$$

Birth of a "percolated"  $\mathcal{P}$  Gibbs state:  
 Clustering of independent sets in odd/even sites.  
 Also detected computationally:  
 Polynomial time algorithm for approximating  $Z_{\mathcal{P}}(d)$ , for  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ .  
 NP-hard to approximate  $Z_{\mathcal{P}}(d)$ , for  $k > k_{cp}$ .

Pressure function:

$$\mathcal{P} := \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{|\mathcal{T}_{d,k}|} \log |Z_{\mathcal{T}_{d,k}}|.$$

Thermodynamic limit as  $k \rightarrow \infty$ ,  
 with free boundary conditions.

## Phase transition

$$\mathcal{P} := \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{|\mathcal{T}_{d,k}|} \log |Z_{\mathcal{T}_{d,k}}|.$$

Theorem (RL, SOMBRA)

1. The pressure function  $\mathcal{P}$  is real analytic on  $(0, +\infty) \setminus \{\lambda_{cr}\}$ , and infinitely differentiable at  $\lambda_{cr}$ .
2. The limit holds as electrostatic potentials on  $\mathbb{C}$ , and for every  $\alpha > 0$ :

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta \mathcal{P}(B(\lambda_{cr}, r))}{r^\alpha} = 0.$$

$\Delta \mathcal{P} = \text{Laplacian of } \mathcal{P}$ .  
 $\rightarrow \Delta \mathcal{P}$  has zero potential distribution at  $\lambda_{cr}$ .  
 Consistent with FISHER's predictions.

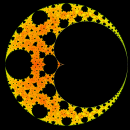


Figure: Support of  $\Delta\mathcal{P}$  for  $d = 2$ , by Nuria FAGELLA.

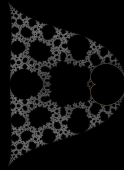


Figure: Support of  $\Delta\mathcal{P}$  for  $d = 4$ , by Bernat ESPIGULE.

Plan:

1. Recursive relation and complex dynamics;

SCOTT-SOKAL, 2005.

2. Speed of converge towards the thermodynamic limit;

Quantitative equidistribution.

3. Zero free region and pointwise dimension;

4. Smoothness of the pressure function.

## Recursive relation and complex dynamics

$$R_{d,k} := \frac{Z_{T_{d,k}}}{Z_{T_{d,k} \setminus \{v_k\}}}; \quad f_{d,\lambda}(z) := 1 + \frac{\lambda}{z^d}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} R_{d,k}(\lambda) &= f_{d,\lambda}(R_{d,k-1}(\lambda)) \\ &= f_{d,\lambda}^k(1 + \lambda). \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta_{d,k} = f_{d,k} \circ \dots \circ f_{d,2}$$

Dynamics of  $f_{d,\lambda}$ :

- Critical points: 0 and  $\infty$ ;
- $0 \mapsto \infty \mapsto 1 \mapsto 1 + \lambda$ .

$$\Lambda_{d,k} := \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C} : Z_{T_{d,k}}(\lambda) = 0\} = \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C} : f_{d,\lambda}^{k+3}(0) = 0\}.$$

Centers of hyperbolic components of period  $k+3$ .

## Speed of converge towards the thermodynamic limit

$\mu_{\text{bif}}$ : Bifurcation measure of  $(f_{d,\lambda})_{\lambda \in \mathbb{C}}$ .

$\mu_{d,k} := \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \dots \frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=1}^k f_{d,\lambda}^j \circ f_{d,\lambda} \circ \dots \circ f_{d,\lambda}^k$ ,  $f_{d,\lambda}(z) := f_{d,\lambda}^k(z)$ ,  $\nu$  uniform measure on  $\mathbb{C}$ .

Proposition

There is  $C > 0$  such that for every LIPSCHITZ function

$\varphi: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , and  $k \geq 3$ ,

$$\left| \frac{1}{|\Lambda_{d,k}|} \sum_{\lambda \in \Lambda_{d,k}} \varphi(\lambda) - \int \varphi d\mu_{\text{bif}} \right| \leq C \text{Lip}(\varphi) \left( \frac{\log k}{d^k} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

Arithmetic height function of  $(f_{d,\lambda})_{\lambda \in \mathbb{C}}$ ;  
+ arithmetic equidistribution (PINKA-SIL).

In particular,

$$\frac{1}{|\Lambda_{d,k}|} \sum_{\lambda \in \Lambda_{d,k}} \delta_{\lambda} \xrightarrow[k \rightarrow \infty]{} \mu_{\text{bif}}.$$

LEVIN, BL-THIEN, DUJICHOVIC-DUBIC, OKUNOVA, GARTLAND-PHOEN, ...

## Speed of converge towards the thermodynamic limit

Equidistribution  $\Leftrightarrow$

$$\mathcal{P} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{|\mathcal{T}_{d,k}|} \log |Z_{\mathcal{T}_{d,k}}|.$$

exists as electrostatic potentials on  $\mathbb{C}$ .

Not really, but morally true.

$$\Delta \mathcal{P} = \mu_{\text{bif}}.$$

## Zero free region and pointwise dimension

At  $\lambda = \lambda_{\text{cr}}$ :

- $f_{\lambda_{\text{cr}}}$  has  $\zeta_0 := \frac{d}{d-1}$  as a fixed point of multiplier  $-1$ ;
- $f_{\lambda_{\text{cr}}}^k(0) \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} \zeta_0$ .

EVANS' theorem.

**Proposition**

There is  $C' > 0$  such that for  $k \geq 3$ ,

$$\Lambda_{d,k} \cap B\left(\lambda_{\text{cr}}, \frac{C'}{k}\right) = \emptyset.$$

Approximate FATOU coordinates.

**Corollary**

There is  $\kappa \in (0, 1)$ , such that for every small  $\rho > 0$

$$\mu_{\text{bif}}(B(\lambda_{\text{cr}}, \rho)) \leq \kappa^{\frac{1}{\rho}}.$$

## Zero free region and pointwise dimension

**Proof.**

$\varphi: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow [0, 1]$  LIPSCHITZ, such that:

- $\text{Lip}(\varphi) \sim \frac{1}{\rho}$ ;
- $\varphi = 0$  on  $B(\lambda_{\text{cr}}, 2\rho)$ ;
- $\varphi = 1$  on  $B(\lambda_{\text{cr}}, \rho)$ .

Quantitative equidistribution  $\Rightarrow$  For  $k \geq 3$  so that  $k \sim \frac{C}{2\rho}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{\text{bif}}(B(\lambda_{\text{cr}}, \rho)) &\leq \int \varphi \, d\mu_{\text{bif}} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{|\Lambda_{d,k}|} \sum_{\lambda \in \Lambda_{d,k}} \varphi(\lambda) + C \text{Lip}(\varphi) \left(\frac{\log k}{d^k}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \square \\ &= C \text{Lip}(\varphi) \left(\frac{\log k}{d^k}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sim C \frac{1}{\rho} \left(\log \frac{1}{\rho}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(d^{-\frac{C}{\rho}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

## Smoothness of the pressure function

**Proposition**

$\tilde{\mu}$ : probability measure on  $\mathbb{C}$  such that

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log \tilde{\mu}(B(0, r))}{\log r} = 0,$$

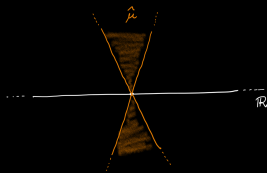
and for some  $\eta > 0$  is supported on

$$\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \exists(z) > \eta \Re(z)\},$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{P}(x) := \int \log |x - c| \, d\tilde{\mu}(c)$$

is infinitely differentiable on  $\mathbb{R}$ .

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$$\widehat{\mathcal{P}}(\lambda) = \int \log |\lambda - \zeta| d\widehat{\mu}(\zeta).$$

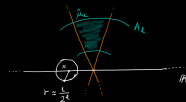
Divide and conquer:

$$A_\ell := \{ \lambda \in \mathbb{C} : 2^{-(\ell+1)} < |\lambda| \leq 2^{-\ell} \};$$

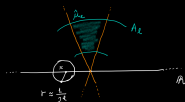
$$\widehat{\mu}_\ell := \widehat{\mu}|_{A_\ell};$$

$$\widehat{\mathcal{P}}_\ell(\lambda) := \int \log |\lambda - \zeta| d\widehat{\mu}_\ell(\zeta).$$

$$\Rightarrow \widehat{\mathcal{P}} = \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} \widehat{\mathcal{P}}_\ell.$$



## Smoothness of the pressure function



CAUCHY estimate:

$$\frac{1}{(m-1)!} |\widehat{\mathcal{P}}_\ell^{(m)}(x)| \leq \left| \int \frac{1}{(x-\zeta)^m} d\widehat{\mu}_\ell(\zeta) \right| \lesssim \frac{1}{2^{-\ell m}} \widehat{\mu}_\ell(A_\ell).$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{(m-1)!} \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} |\widehat{\mathcal{P}}_\ell^{(m)}(x)| \leq \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} 2^{\ell m} \widehat{\mu} \left( B \left( 0, 2^{-\ell} \right) \right) < +\infty.$$