

Exact Quantum Entropy of Black Holes in String Theory

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Heterotic on T^6

- Total rank of the four dimensional theory is

$$\mathbf{16} (E_8 \times E_8) + \mathbf{12} (g_{\mu m} , B_{\mu m}) = \mathbf{28}$$

- **N=4** supersymmetry in **D=4**

- Duality group

$$SO(22, 6; \mathbf{Z}) \times SL(2; \mathbf{Z})$$

Charges and T-duality Invariants

- A charge vector is specified as

$$\Gamma = \begin{pmatrix} Q \\ P \end{pmatrix}$$

- Transforms as a vector of the T-duality group and a doublet of S-duality group.
- If the vectors Q and P are parallel, one can preserve eight susys (half-BPS)
otherwise only four susys (quarter-BPS)

Spectrum of Half-BPS States

- Degeneracies given by Fourier coefficients of a genus-one modular form

$$d(Q^2) \sim \oint_{\mathcal{C}} d\tau \frac{e^{-i\pi I Q^2 \tau}}{\psi_{12}(\tau)}$$

- Here $\psi_{12}(\tau) = \eta^{24}(\tau)$ is a well-known modular form of weight 12 of the group $SL(2, \mathbb{Z}) = Sp(1, \mathbb{Z})$. Genus one partition function of left-moving heterotic string.

Spectrum of quarter-BPS dyons

- Now the spectrum is expected to have a sensitive moduli dependence.
- There are many inequivalent duality orbits so we first need to classify them.
- Surprisingly, both these problems have been solved in the recent years and one now has a counting formula for ***all*** dyons at ***all*** points in the moduli space.

Duality Orbits

- Define an *arithmetic* duality invariant

$$I = \gcd(\mathbf{Q} \wedge \mathbf{P})$$

- All inequivalent duality orbits are labeled essentially by this single integer.

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Chemical potentials

- Define a matrix of T-duality invariants

$$\Lambda = \begin{pmatrix} Q \cdot Q & Q \cdot P \\ Q \cdot P & P \cdot P \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2n & l \\ l & 2m \end{pmatrix}$$

- Define the matrix of chemical potentials

$$\Omega = \begin{pmatrix} \tau & z \\ z & \rho \end{pmatrix}$$

Spectrum of quarter-BPS dyons

- For $l=1$, degeneracies are given by the Fourier coefficients

$$d(\Lambda; \mu) \sim \int_{\mathcal{C}} d\Omega \frac{e^{-i\pi(\Lambda, \Omega)}}{\Phi_{10}(\Omega)}$$

- Here Φ_{10} is a well-known Siegel modular form of weight 10 of group $Sp(2, \mathbb{Z})$ and is a genus two partition function of the left-moving heterotic string.

Moduli dependence

- The contour depends on moduli in a precise way. *All* dependence on the moduli μ is captured by dependence of contours on the moduli.
- Changing moduli deforms the contour. Degeneracy remains constant for smooth contour deformation but jumps if one encounters a pole of the Fourier integral.

Walls and Poles

- Moduli space divided into regions separated by walls of marginal stability where a quarter-BPS state decays into two half-BPS states.
- Walls correspond to poles the Fourier integral at the zeros of the Siegel form.
- Jumps in degeneracy upon crossing a wall precisely equals the residue of the Fourier integral at the poles. Nontrivial check.

General duality orbits

- Dyons with nontrivial values of the arithmetic duality invariant I can be mapped to charge vectors of the form $\Gamma = \begin{pmatrix} IQ_0 \\ P \end{pmatrix}$
- Define for s which divides I

$$\Lambda_s = \begin{pmatrix} Q \cdot Q / s^2 & Q \cdot P / s \\ Q \cdot P / s & P \cdot P \end{pmatrix}$$

Degeneracy of all dyons

$$d_{\mathbf{I}}(\Lambda, \mu) = \sum_{\mathbf{s}|\mathbf{I}} d(\Lambda_{\mathbf{s}}, \mu)$$

- Passes many nontrivial checks for small and large values of charges.

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Comparison with Entropy

- Comparison of $S = \log(d)$ is impressive for this and many other compactifications with N=4 supersymmetry—CHL orbifolds.
- Both macroscopic and microscopic entropy can be obtained by the minimum value of the *same* function F of two variables a and σ

Entropy function

- The entropy function is given by

$$F = \frac{\pi}{2} \left[\frac{a^2 + \sigma^2}{\sigma} P^2 + \frac{1}{\sigma} Q^2 - 2 \frac{a}{\sigma} Q \cdot P + 128\pi \phi(a, \sigma) + \dots \right]$$

$$\phi(a, \sigma) = -\frac{1}{64\pi^2} \left\{ (n+2) \log \sigma + \log |f^{(n)}(a + i\sigma)|^2 \right\}$$

$$f^{(n)}(\tau) \equiv \eta(\tau)^{n+2} \eta(N\tau)^{n+2}$$

- For our case $N=1$ and $n=10$.

Conclusions

- We have seen that for many models one can compute exactly the *quantum microscopic degeneracies of black holes*.
- Sub-leading corrections in the asymptotic expansion for large charges match beautifully with Wald entropy to that order.
- Such exact information can help deepen our understanding of nonperturbative quantum structure of gravity.

Work in progress

- It seems possible to define a full *quantum macroscopic partition function* given our knowledge on the microscopic side. One can view this as an instance of precision holography of AdS₂/CFT₁.
- This can shed light on a number of subtle questions about the nonperturbative string partition function in AdS backgrounds.