

Arithmetic of decay walls through continued fractions

A new exact dyon counting solution in $\mathcal{N} = 4$ CHL models

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Introduction

Understanding the microscopic origin of **Black Hole entropy** remains a central question in **Quantum Gravity**.

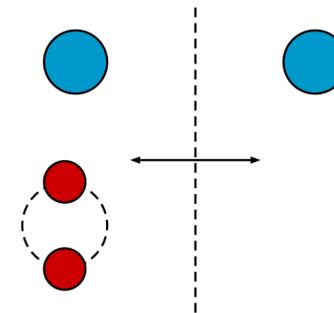
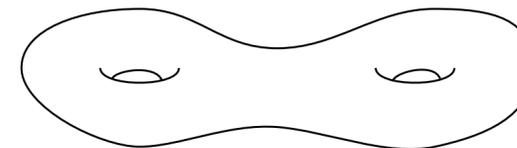
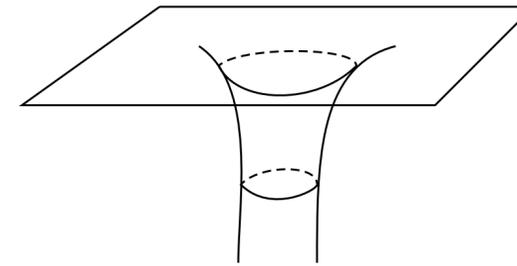
$$S_{stat}(Q) = \ln d(Q) \leftrightarrow S_{BH}(Q)$$

Address it in the context of $\mathcal{N} = 4$ supersymmetric **String Theory**. Concretely: study the degeneracies of a special type of 1/4–BPS dyons, namely decadent dyons.

Our work has been inspired by the recent results of [[Chowdhury, Kidambi, Murthy, Reys, Wrase '19](#)]. Here we propose a new systematic way to tackle these issues.

Introduction

- Dyonic degeneracies
- Siegel modular forms
- Wall-crossing
- Continued fractions



$$a_0 + \frac{1}{a_1 + \frac{1}{a_2 + \frac{1}{a_3 + \ddots}}}$$

CHL models

Consider $\mathcal{N} = 4$ CHL models obtained by compactifying heterotic string theory on $T^5 \times S^1 / \mathbb{Z}_N$ with $N = 1, 2, 3, 5, 7$. These models have $r = \frac{48}{N+1} + 4$ Abelian gauge fields. The S -duality group is

$$\Gamma_1(N) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in PSL(2, \mathbb{Z}) \text{ s.t. } \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & * \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{N} \right\}$$

and the T -duality group is a subgroup $T(\mathbb{Z})$ of $O(r-6, 6; \mathbb{Z})$.

The U -duality group is

$$\Gamma_1(N) \times T(\mathbb{Z})$$

[Chaudhuri, Hockney, Lykken '95]

[...]

Dyons in CHL models

A generic 1/4-BPS state carries **electric**, \vec{Q} , and **magnetic**, \vec{P} , charge w.r.t. the r Abelian gauge fields. Dyonic degeneracies are functions of the T -duality invariants

$$m = P \cdot P/2 \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad n = Q \cdot Q/2 \in \mathbb{Z}/N, \quad \ell = P \cdot Q \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$d(\vec{P}, \vec{Q}) = d(m, n, \ell)$$

We differentiate between two types of dyons:

- Single centre 1/4-BPS dyonic black holes with finite or zero horizon area in two-derivative gravity **Immortal**
- Two-centred bound states of 1/2-BPS constituents **Can decay**

Dyons in CHL models

Dyons in \mathbb{Z}_N CHL models with $N = 1, 2, 3, 5, 7$ have two discrete U -duality invariants

Area $\sim \sqrt{\Delta}$ $\Delta = Q^2 P^2 - (Q \cdot P)^2 = 4mn - \ell^2$ Discriminant

(In this talk $I = 1$) $I = \gcd(Q_i P_j - Q_j P_i), \quad 1 \leq i, j \leq r$ Torsion

[Banerjee, Sen '07]

Single centre 1/4-BPS black holes with finite horizon area have $\Delta > 0$. Will focus on

$$\Delta \leq 0$$

$\Delta < 0$ are always **two-centred** states

$\Delta = 0$ can be **two-centred** and **single centred** states

Siegel modular forms

The **generating function** for **dyonic degeneracies** in these CHL models is a modular form of a subgroup of the genus-2 modular group $Sp(2, \mathbb{Z})$

$$\Omega \rightarrow (A\Omega + B)(C\Omega + D)^{-1} \quad \Omega = \begin{pmatrix} \rho & v \\ v & \sigma \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{Im}(\Omega) > 0$$

$$\Phi_k(\Omega) \rightarrow \det(C\Omega + D)^k \Phi_k(\Omega) \quad \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{pmatrix} \in \tilde{G} \subset Sp(2, \mathbb{Z})$$

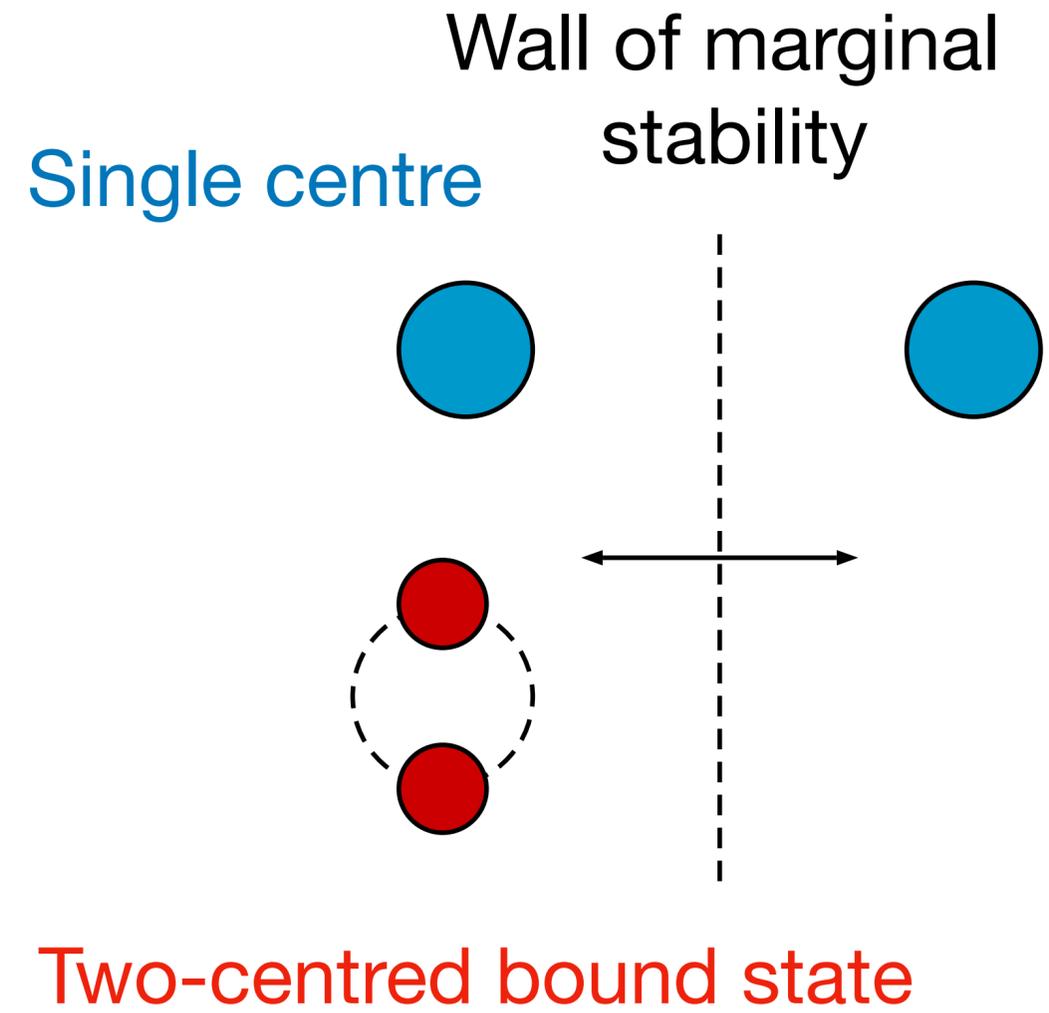
[Dijkraaf, Verlinde, Verlinde '96]
[Jatkar, Sen '05]

$$k = \frac{24}{N+1} - 2 \quad \frac{1}{\Phi_k(\rho, \sigma, v)} = \sum_{\substack{m, nN \geq -1 \\ m, nN, \ell \in \mathbb{Z}}} (-1)^{\ell+1} d(m, n, \ell) e^{2\pi i(m\rho + n\sigma + \ell v)}$$

For $N = 1, 2, 3, 5, 7,$
 $k = 10, 6, 4, 2, 1$

Invariant under $\Gamma_0(N)$

Wall-crossing



Poles in the Siegel modular form

$$\longleftrightarrow d(m, n, \ell) = (-1)^{\ell+1} \int_C d\rho d\sigma dv p^{-m} q^{-n} y^{-\ell} \Phi_k^{-1}$$

$$p = e^{2\pi i \rho}, q = e^{2\pi i \sigma}, y = e^{2\pi i v}$$

Changing the contour C

$$\text{Ex: } \frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{n \geq 0} x^n \text{ or } - \sum_{n \geq 1} x^{-n}$$

$|x| < 1$ $|x| > 1$

[Sen, '07]
[Dabholkar, Gaiotto
Nampuri '07]

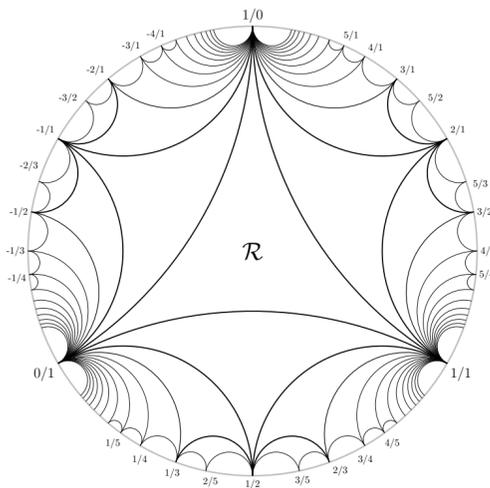
Poles and walls

$\frac{1}{\Phi_k}$ has an infinite family of second order **poles** in the (ρ, σ, ν) space

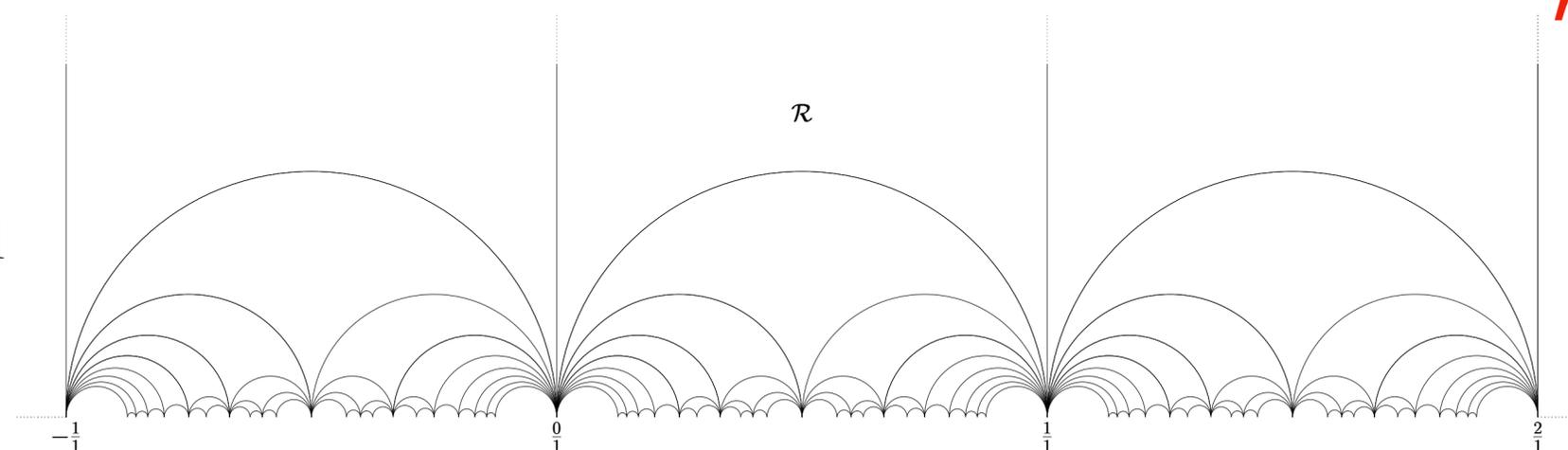
$$pq\sigma_2 + r\rho_2 + (ps + qr)\nu_2 = 0, \quad \begin{pmatrix} p & q \\ r & s \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma_0(N)$$

$$\Gamma_0(N) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} p & q \\ r & s \end{pmatrix} \in PSL(2, \mathbb{Z}) \mid r \equiv 0 \pmod{N} \right\}$$

Represent **walls** in the $(\nu_2/\sigma_2, \rho_2/\sigma_2)$ plane by lines joining $\frac{p}{r}$ and $\frac{q}{s}$



$N = 1$



[Sen, '07]

Dyonic decay

The **decay modes** at each **wall of marginal stability** are determined by the corresponding matrix in $\Gamma_0(N)$

$$\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} p & q \\ r & s \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma_0(N) : \begin{pmatrix} Q \\ P \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} p(sQ - qP) \\ r(sQ - qP) \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} q(-rQ + pP) \\ s(-rQ + pP) \end{pmatrix}.$$

The decay corresponding to the identity matrix is the ‘elementary’ split

$$\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} : \begin{pmatrix} Q \\ P \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} Q \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ P \end{pmatrix}, \quad v_2 = 0$$

[Sen, '07]

'Elementary' split

The **change** in the **degeneracy** from the 'elementary' split

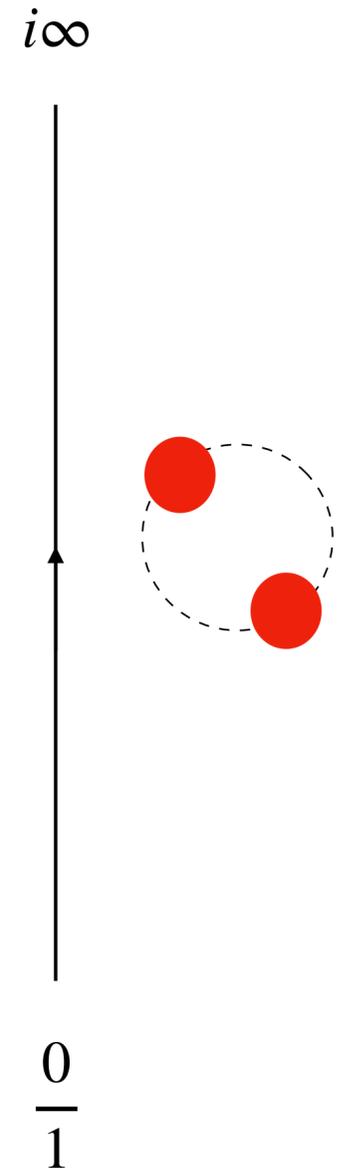
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$$\frac{1}{\Phi_k(\rho, \sigma, \nu)} \xrightarrow{\nu \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\nu^2} \frac{1}{f^{(k)}(\rho)} \frac{1}{f^{(k)}(\frac{\sigma}{N})}$$

where $f^{(k)}(\rho) = \eta(\rho)^{k+2} \eta(N\rho)^{k+2}$,

$$\frac{1}{f^{(k)}(\rho)} = \sum_{m=-1}^{\infty} d_1(m) e^{2\pi i m \rho}, \quad \frac{1}{f^{(k)}(\sigma/N)} = \sum_{n=-1/N}^{\infty} d_2(n) e^{2\pi i n \sigma}.$$

is $\Delta d(m, n, \ell) = (-1)^{\ell+1} |\ell| d_1(m) d_2(n)$



[Sen, '07]

Generic split

This is extended to the other walls by mapping a generic **dyon decay** to the elementary T-wall

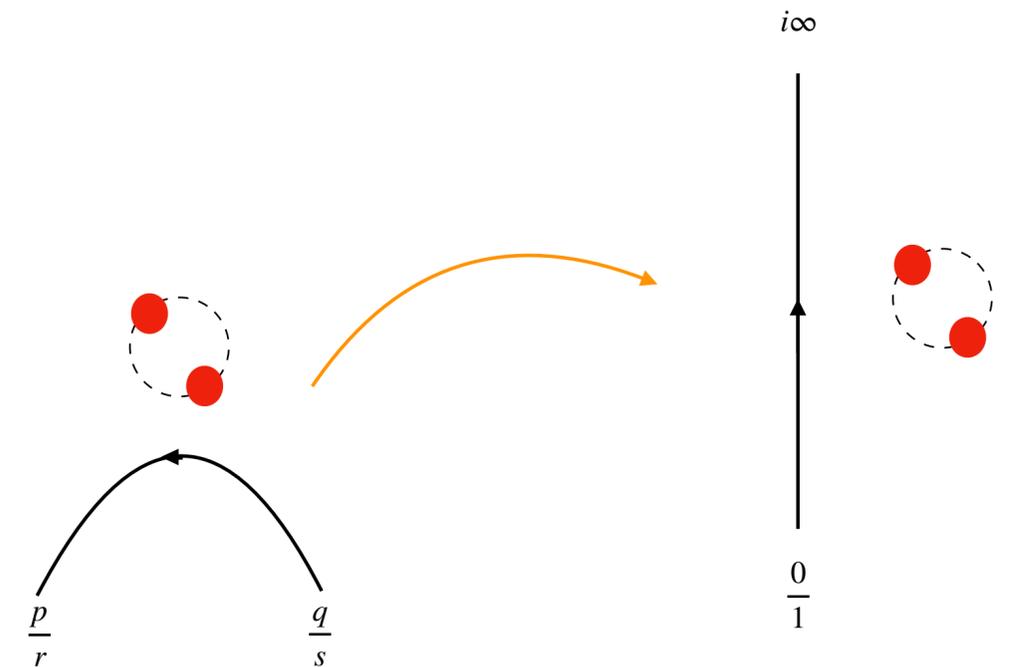
$$\gamma^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} Q \\ P \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Q_\gamma \\ P_\gamma \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} sQ - qP \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -rQ + pP \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Q_\gamma \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ P_\gamma \end{pmatrix} .$$

The **charge bilinears** (m, n, ℓ) transform as

$$Q_\gamma^2/2 = n_\gamma = s^2 n + q^2 m - qs \ell ,$$

$$P_\gamma^2/2 = m_\gamma = r^2 n + p^2 m - pr \ell$$

$$Q_\gamma \cdot P_\gamma = \ell_\gamma = -2rs n - 2pq m + (ps + qr) \ell .$$



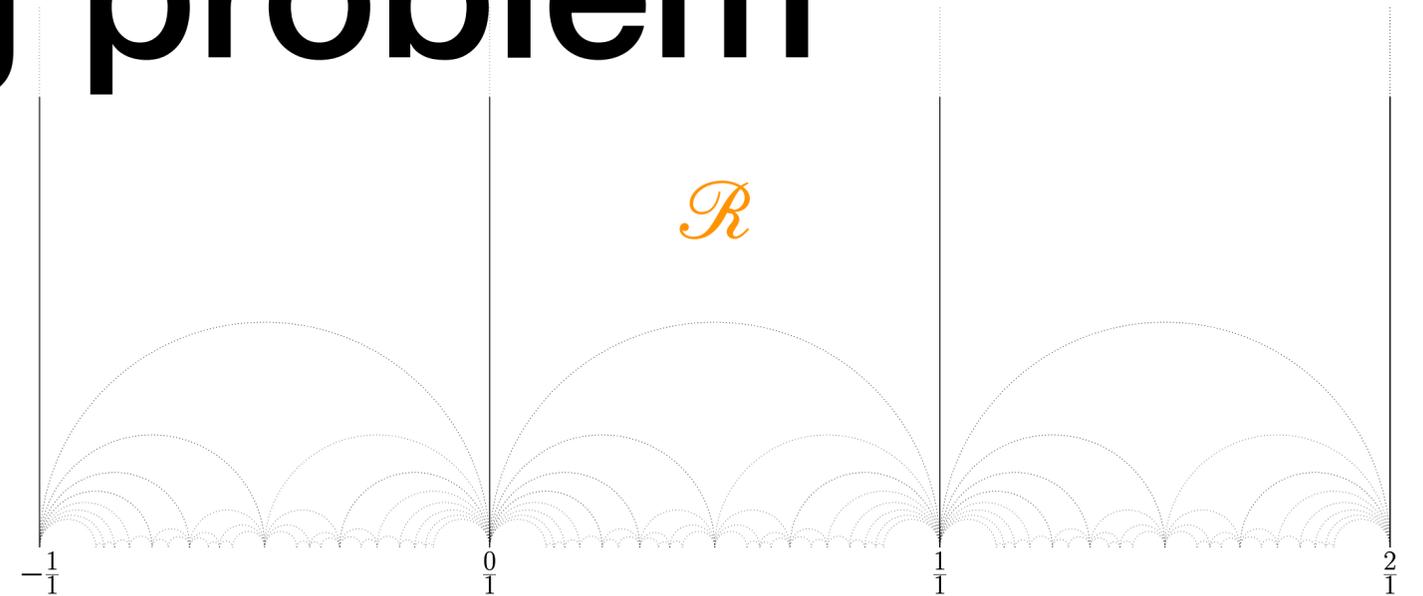
Wall-crossing formula

The **wall-crossing** jump contribution of a dyon $\begin{pmatrix} Q \\ P \end{pmatrix}$ across a generic **line of marginal stability**, labelled by a $\Gamma_0(N)$ matrix γ , to the **dyonic degeneracy formula** is equal to the **jump** contribution of the dyon $\begin{pmatrix} Q_\gamma \\ P_\gamma \end{pmatrix}$ across the elementary T-wall

$$\Delta_\gamma d(m, n, \ell) = (-1)^{\ell_\gamma + 1} |\ell_\gamma| d_1(m_\gamma) d_2(n_\gamma) .$$

Dyon counting problem

Consider the dyonic charge bilinears (m, n, ℓ) satisfying $\Delta = 4mn - \ell^2 \leq 0$ and $0 \leq \ell \leq m$. Want to compute $d(m, n, \ell)$ in the \mathcal{R} -chamber.



Want to find a decay path in the upper-half. Given (m, n, ℓ) construct a sequence of walls $W(m, n, \ell)$ crossed when going from the \mathcal{R} -chamber to a point $*$. Then,

$$d(m, n, \ell) = d_* + \sum_{i=1}^k \Delta_i = d_* + (-1)^{\ell+1} \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ \gamma_i \in W(m, n, \ell)}}^k |\ell_{\gamma_i}| d_1(m_{\gamma_i}) d_2(n_{\gamma_i}),$$

Hopefully known (i.e. 0) or computable

$k = 10$

Solution for $N = 1$

$\Delta < 0$

Downward trajectory given by consecutive **left-right** choice associated to the

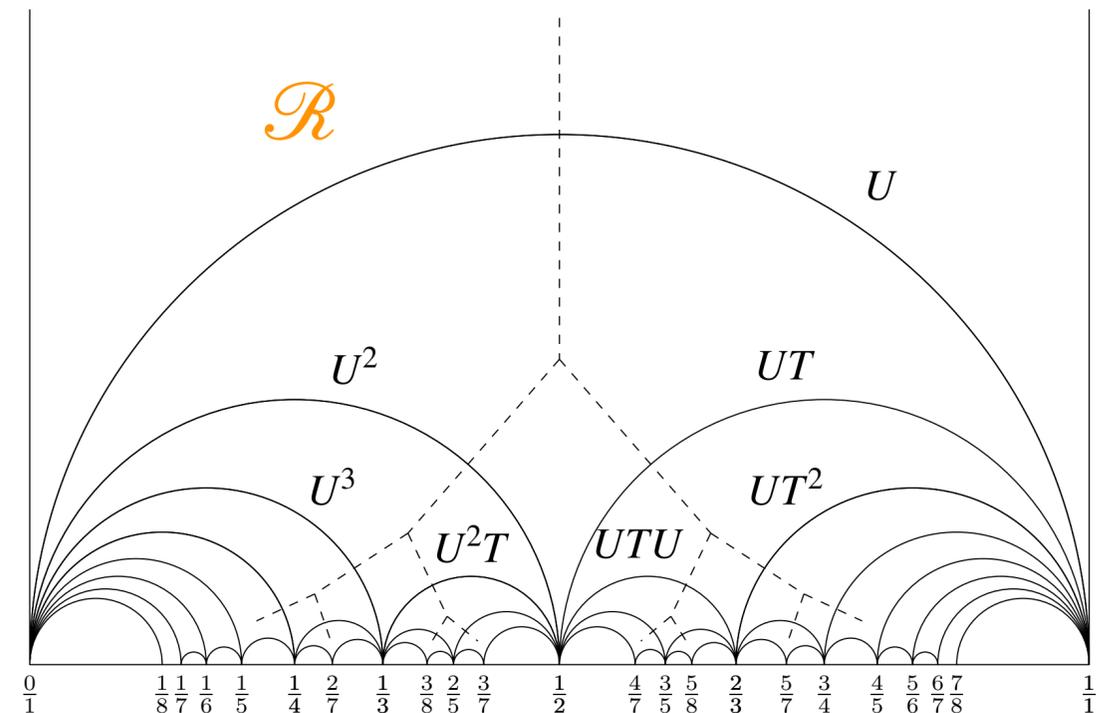
matrices $U = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

This defines our **arithmetic** of decay walls: multiply T and U matrices to generate the walls of marginal stability. Decompose **matrix** in $W(m, n, \ell)$ as

$$\gamma = U^{s_1} T^{s_2} U^{s_3} \dots T^{s_r}, \quad s_r \geq 0$$

$$W(m, n, \ell) = \{U, U^2, \dots, U^{s_1}, U^{s_1} T, \dots, U^{s_1} T^{s_2}, U^{s_1} T^{s_2} U, \dots, U^{s_1} T^{s_2} U^{s_3}, \dots, \gamma_*\}$$

γ_* determines all s_i : **Only need to determine γ_***



Solution for $N = 1$

$$\Delta < 0$$

To find γ_* , for $\Delta = 4mn - \ell^2 < 0$ and $0 \leq \ell \leq m$, we know that there is a γ_* such that

$$m_{\gamma_*} < -1 \text{ or } n_{\gamma_*} < -1$$

[Sen '11]

which implies $d_* = 0$.

Consider $m_{\gamma_*} < 0 \implies m_{\gamma_*} = r^2n + p^2m - pr\ell < 0$

$$\frac{\ell}{2m} - \frac{\sqrt{-\Delta}}{2m} < \frac{p}{r} < \frac{\ell}{2m} + \frac{\sqrt{-\Delta}}{2m}$$

For the conditions $r, s > 0$ and $\ell_{\gamma_*} > 0$ it is sufficient

$$0 \leq \frac{\ell}{2m} - \frac{q}{s} \leq \frac{1}{rs}$$

Solution for $N = 1$

$$\Delta < 0$$

Two conditions

$$\frac{\ell}{2m} - \frac{\sqrt{-\Delta}}{2m} < \frac{p}{r} < \frac{\ell}{2m} + \frac{\sqrt{-\Delta}}{2m}$$

$$0 \leq \frac{\ell}{2m} - \frac{q}{s} \leq \frac{1}{rs}$$

Solved by

$$\begin{pmatrix} p \\ r \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \ell/g \\ 2m/g \end{pmatrix}, \quad g = \gcd(\ell, 2m)$$

Find $\begin{pmatrix} q \\ s \end{pmatrix}$ satisfying
 $ps - qr = 1$

$$\gamma_* = \begin{pmatrix} \ell/g & q \\ 2m/g & s \end{pmatrix} \text{ with } \begin{aligned} m_{\gamma_*} &= m \Delta / g^2 \\ \ell_{\gamma_*} &= -s \Delta / g \\ n_{\gamma_*} &= q^2 m + s^2 n - q s \ell \end{aligned}$$

Continued fractions

$$N = 1 \quad \Delta < 0$$

Apply **Euclid's algorithm** to find the gcd of ℓ and $2m$:

The set of quotients $\{a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$ is elegantly encoded in the finite **continued fraction** representation of $\ell/2m$:

$$\frac{\ell}{2m} = a_0 + \frac{1}{a_1 + \frac{1}{a_2 + \frac{1}{\ddots + \frac{1}{a_n}}}}$$

and determines the matrices

$$\gamma_* = \begin{pmatrix} \ell/g & q \\ 2m/g & s \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ a_1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & a_2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ a_3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdots \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ a_n & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad n \text{ odd}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \ell &= a_0 2m + r_0, \\ 2m &= a_1 r_0 + r_1, \\ r_0 &= a_2 r_1 + r_2, \\ r_1 &= a_3 r_2 + r_3, \\ &\vdots \\ r_{n-3} &= a_{n-1} r_{n-2} + r_{n-1}, \\ r_{n-2} &= a_n r_{n-1}, \end{aligned}$$

Determines the sequence $W(m, n, \ell)$

Result for $N = 1$

$$\Delta < 0$$

Given m, n, ℓ with $\Delta = 4mn - \ell^2 < 0$ and $0 \leq \ell \leq m$, compute

$$\ell/2m = [a_0, a_1, \dots, a_r].$$

This defines

$$W(m, n, \ell)$$

and then in the \mathcal{R} -chamber,

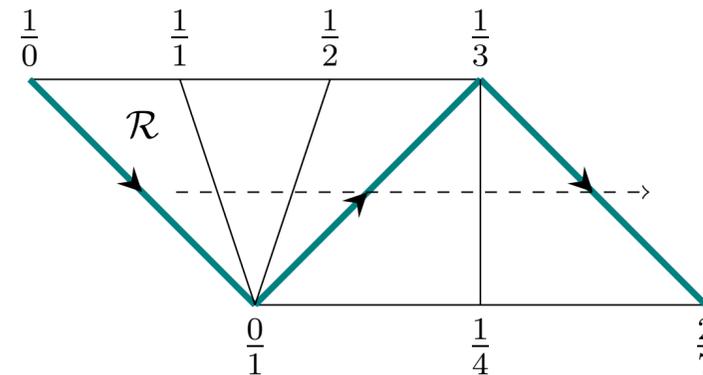
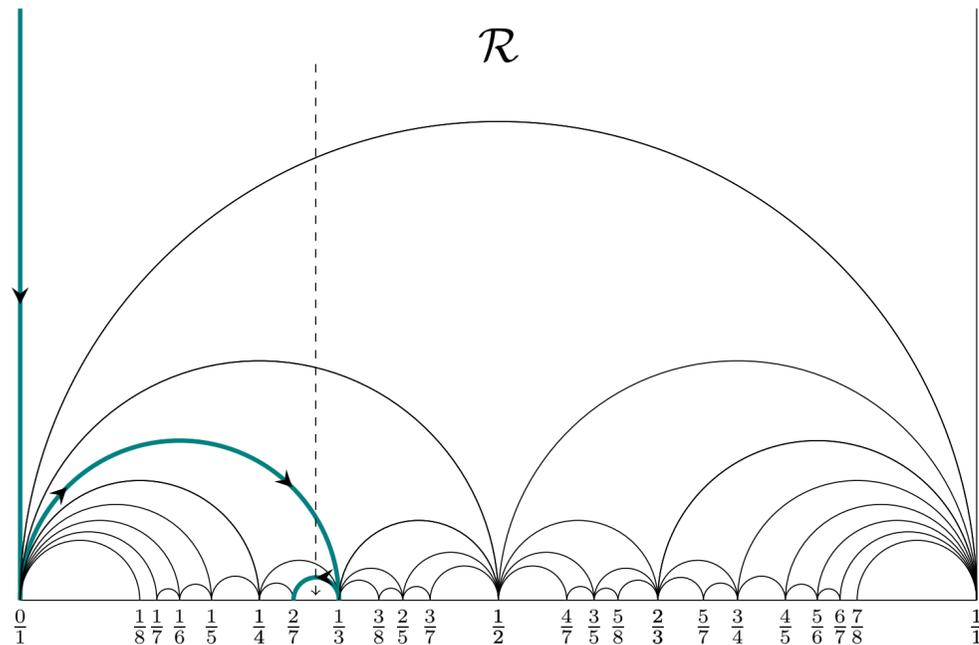
$$d(m, n, \ell) = d_* + \sum_{i=1}^k \Delta_i = d_* + (-1)^{\ell+1} \sum_{i=1}^k |\ell_{\gamma_i}| d_1(m_{\gamma_i}) d_2(n_{\gamma_i})$$

$\gamma_i \in W(m, n, \ell)$

The set $W(m, n, \ell)$ is determined by the the ratio
of the two numbers ℓ and $2m$

Diagrammatic representation $N = 1 \Delta < 0$

Take $\ell/2m = 2/7 = [0; a_1, a_2] = [0; 3, 2] = \frac{1}{3 + \frac{1}{2}}$ $\gamma_* = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ a_1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & a_2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$



$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

In general, from the \mathcal{R} -chamber to the chamber below $\ell/2m$, one crosses

$$\sum_{i=1}^n a_i \text{ walls}$$

Endpoint degeneracy $N = 1 \Delta < 0$

$$m_{\gamma_*} = m \Delta / g^2 < 0$$

Two options:

- $m_{\gamma_*} < -1 \Rightarrow d_* = 0$
- $m_{\gamma_*} = -1 \Rightarrow d_* \neq 0$ but can be computed:

Arbitrarily negative

$$(m, n, \ell)_{\gamma_*} = (-1, n_*, \ell_*) \xrightarrow{T^j \ (j > 0)} (-1, n_* - j^2 - j\ell_* = n_j, \ell_* + 2j = \ell_j)$$

$$d_* = \sum_{\mu \in \{T, T^2, \dots, T^{j_0}\}} \ell_{\gamma_*\mu} d_1(-1) d_1(n_{\gamma_*\mu}) = \sum_{j=1}^{j_0} (\ell_* + 2j) d_1(-1) d_1(n_* - j^2 - j\ell_*).$$

Equivalent to:

Extend continued fraction to $[0; a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n, j_0]$

$$\Delta = 0, N = 1$$

Same logic, but now have

$$m_{\gamma^*} = m \Delta / g^2 = 0,$$

$$\ell_{\gamma^*} = -s \Delta / g = 0.$$

Since $PSL(2, \mathbb{Z})$ action preserves $\tilde{g} = \gcd(m, n, \ell)$,

$$n_{\gamma^*} = q^2 m + s^2 n - q s \ell = \tilde{g}$$

New relevant
discrete invariant:
 $\gcd(m, n, \ell)$

We have a sequence of decay walls given by continued fraction of $\ell/2m$ and last wall yielding an immortal dyon with charge bilinears

$$(m_{\gamma^*}, n_{\gamma^*}, \ell_{\gamma^*}) = (0, \tilde{g}, 0) \text{ or } (\tilde{g}, 0, 0).$$

$$d(0, \tilde{g}, 0)?$$

$$\Delta = 0, N = 1$$

Expand the inverse Igusa cusp form,

[Dabholkar, Murthy, Zagier '12]

$$\frac{1}{\Phi_{10}(\rho, \sigma, \nu)} = \psi_{-1} e^{-2\pi i \rho} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (\psi_m^F(\sigma, \nu) + \psi_m^P(\sigma, \nu)) e^{2\pi i m \rho},$$

$$\psi_0^F(\sigma) = 2 \frac{E_2(\sigma)}{\eta^{24}(\sigma)} = -2 \sum_{n \geq -1} n d_1(n) q^n \quad \swarrow d(0, \tilde{g}, 0)$$

Therefore

$$d(m, n, \ell) = 2 \tilde{g} d_1(\tilde{g}) - \sum_{\gamma \in W(m, n, \ell)} |\ell_\gamma| d_1(m_\gamma) d_1(n_\gamma)$$

Note For $\Delta = 0$ the immortal degeneracy is only a function of \tilde{g} : $d_{\text{immortal}}(m, n, \ell) = 2\tilde{g}d_1(\tilde{g})$

$$N > 1$$

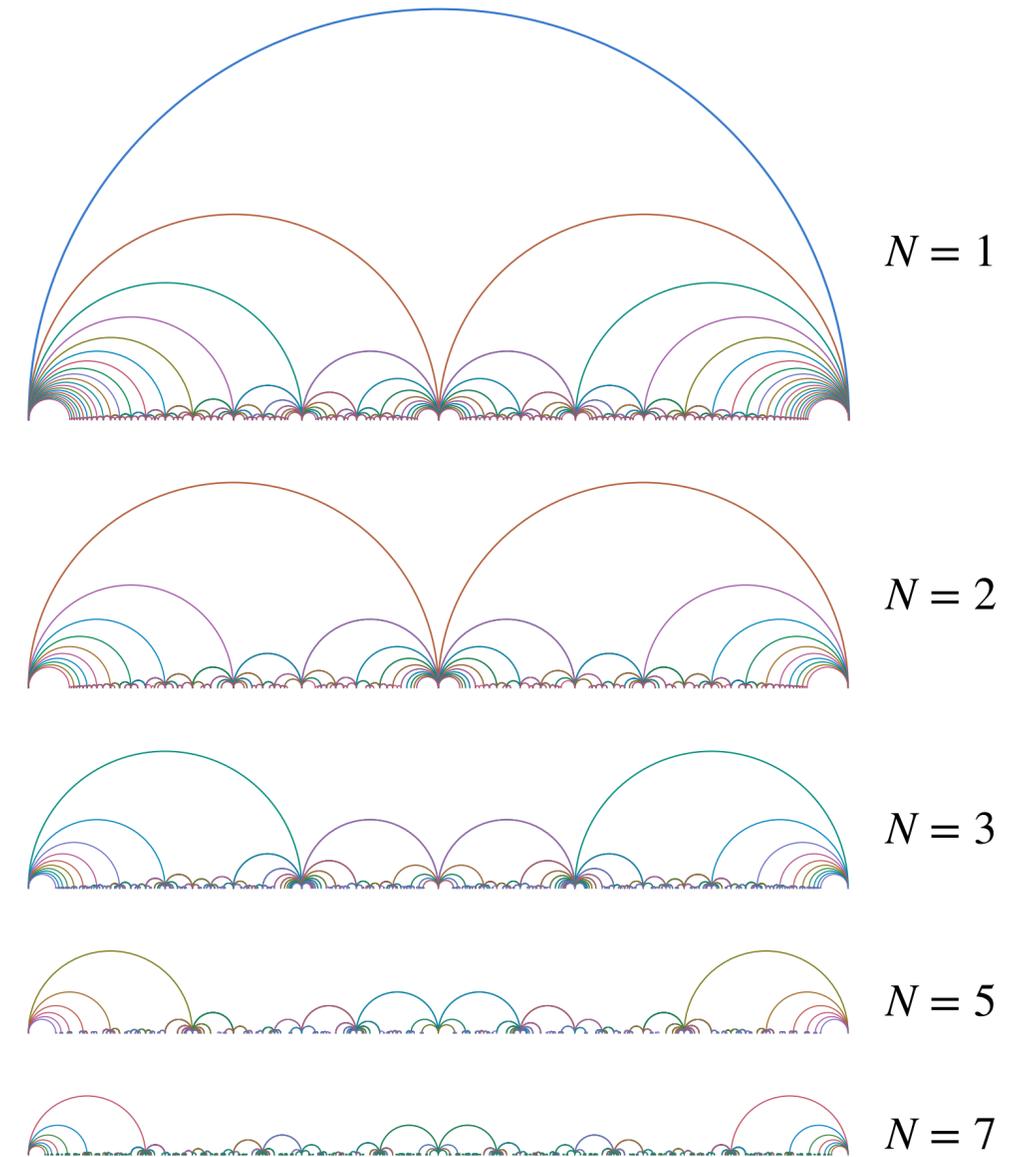
$$\Delta \geq 0$$

The logic is the same, but the details more intricate.

Proceed as earlier, build set $W(m, n, \ell)$ from the continued fraction of $\ell/2m$ but now select the matrices in $\Gamma_0(N)$.

For $\Delta = 0$ immortal counting function different,

$$\psi_{-k, 0}^F(\sigma) = \frac{k+2}{12(N-1)} \frac{E_2(\sigma/N) - E_2(\sigma)}{\eta^{k+2}(\sigma/N) \eta^{k+2}(\sigma)} = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0} d_N(n) q^n$$



Summary

We use continued fractions to set up an arithmetic of decay walls which we used to explicitly compute all the polar coefficients of

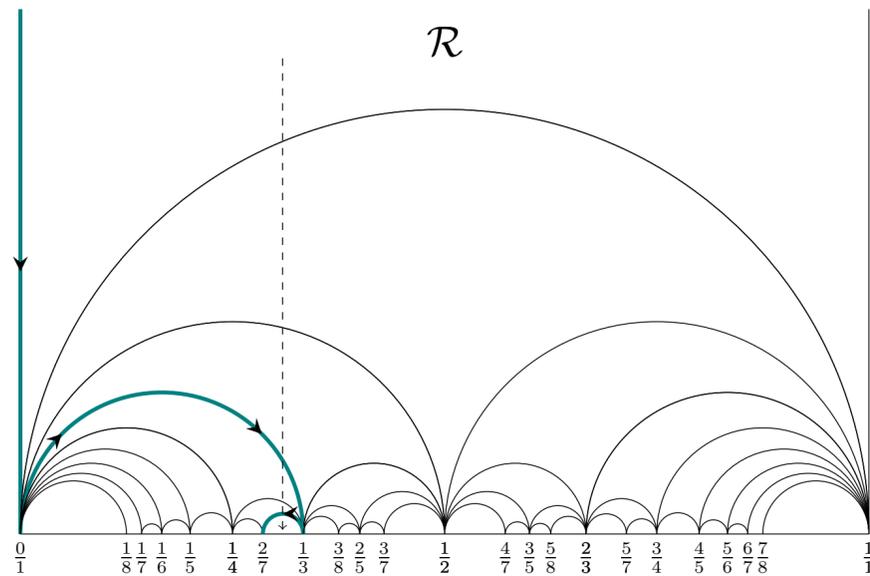
$$\frac{1}{\Phi_k}$$

The appearance of continued fractions is naturally explained by the theory of Binary Quadratic Forms $(m, n, \ell) \leftrightarrow mx^2 - \ell xy + ny^2$.

Consistent with [Moore '98]

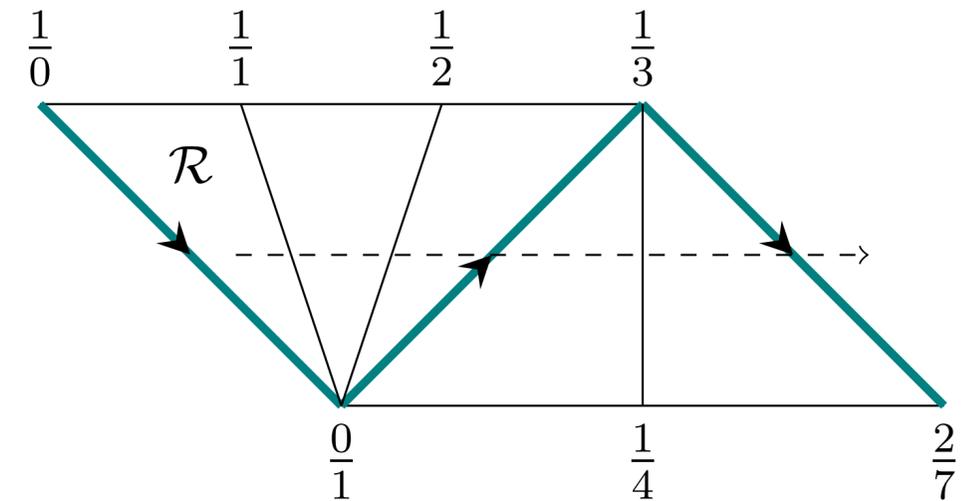
[Benjamin, Kachru, Ono, Rolin '18], [Banerjee, Bhand, Dutta, Sen, Singh '20], [Borsten, Duff, Marrani '20] ...

Thank you



Example

$$N = 1$$



$$\ell/2m = 2/7 = [0; 3, 2] \text{ with walls } \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(m, n, \ell) = (49, 4, 28), \Delta = 0 \longleftarrow d_*(49, 4, 28) = d(1, 0, 0) = 2d_1(1) = 648$$

$$(25, 4, 20), (9, 4, 12), (1, 4, 4), (1, 1, 2), (1, 0, 0).$$

$$d(49, 4, 28) = 648 - (20d_1(25)d_1(4) + 12d_1(9)d_1(4) + 4d_1(1)d_1(4) + 2d_1(1)d_1(1)) \\ = -459\ 542\ 242\ 945\ 399\ 203\ 613\ 080.$$

$$c[49, 4, 28] = 459\ 542\ 242\ 945\ 399\ 203\ 613\ 080$$

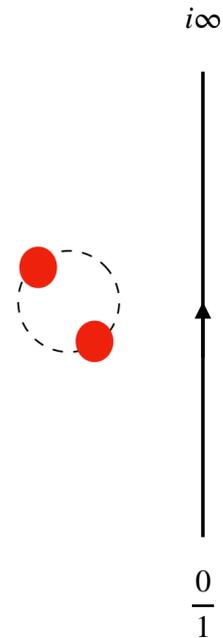


Orienting the walls

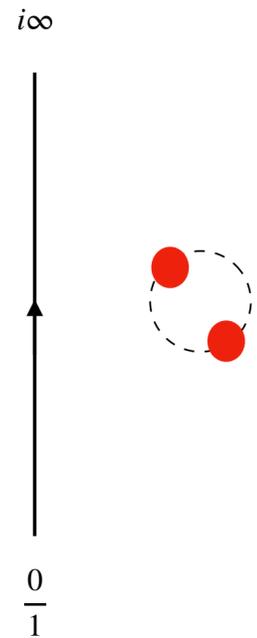
We give an **orientation** to the walls: **from q/s to p/r** . Then,

[Sen; 1104.1498]

For $\ell > 0$ the bound states exists to the **left** of the elementary T-wall



For $\ell < 0$ the bound states exists to the **right** of the elementary T-wall



This is extended to the other walls by mapping a generic dyon decay to the elementary T-wall

$$\gamma^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} Q \\ P \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Q_\gamma \\ P_\gamma \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} sQ - qP \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -rQ + pP \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Q_\gamma \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ P_\gamma \end{pmatrix} .$$

Wall distinction

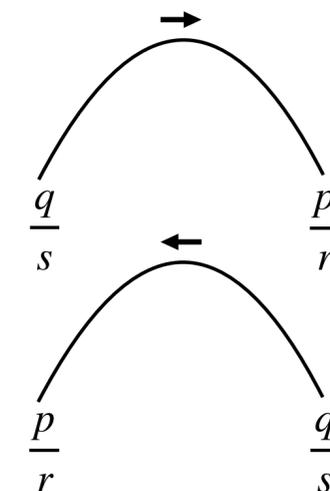
$$\frac{p}{r} - \frac{q}{s} = \frac{1}{rs}$$

$$ps - qr = 1$$

Define sets

$$\Gamma_+(N) = \left\{ \gamma = \begin{pmatrix} p & q \\ r & s \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma_0(N) \mid rs > 0 \right\}$$

$$\Gamma_-(N) = \left\{ \gamma = \begin{pmatrix} p & q \\ r & s \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma_0(N) \mid rs < 0 \right\}$$



Note that, for $N = 1$, $S = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma_0(1)$ and $\Gamma_+(1) = \Gamma_-(1)S$

Want: $\gamma \in \Gamma_+(N)$ with $\ell_\gamma > 0$
 or $\gamma \in \Gamma_-(N)$ with $\ell_\gamma < 0$

$$\begin{pmatrix} p & q \\ r & s \end{pmatrix} S = \begin{pmatrix} -q & p \\ -s & r \end{pmatrix}$$

Explicit formula

$$N = 1 \quad \Delta < 0$$

Continued fractions give the following **explicit formula** for (m, n, ℓ) with $4mn - \ell^2 < 0$ and $0 \leq \ell \leq m$:

Compute $\ell/2m = [0; a_1, \dots, a_r]$. Define from these r numbers $m_{ij}, n_{ij}, \ell_{ij}$

$$d(m, n, \ell) = d_* + (-1)^{\ell+1} \sum_{i=1}^r \sum_{j=1}^{a_i} |\ell_{ij}| d_1(m_{ij}) d_1(n_{ij}) .$$

When $d_* \neq 0$, formula is actually simpler: it imposes $\ell = m$ and $n = \frac{1}{4}(m - 1)$

$$d(m, n, \ell) = \left(\sum_{q=1}^{\left\lfloor \sqrt{\frac{m}{4} + 1} - \frac{1}{2} \right\rfloor} (2q + 1) d_1(n - q^2 - q) \right) + \frac{1}{2}(m + 1) (d_1(n))^2 + d_1(n) .$$

$$N > 1, \Delta = 0$$

For $\Delta = 0$ dyons, need to compute $d_* = d(0, \hat{g}, 0)$

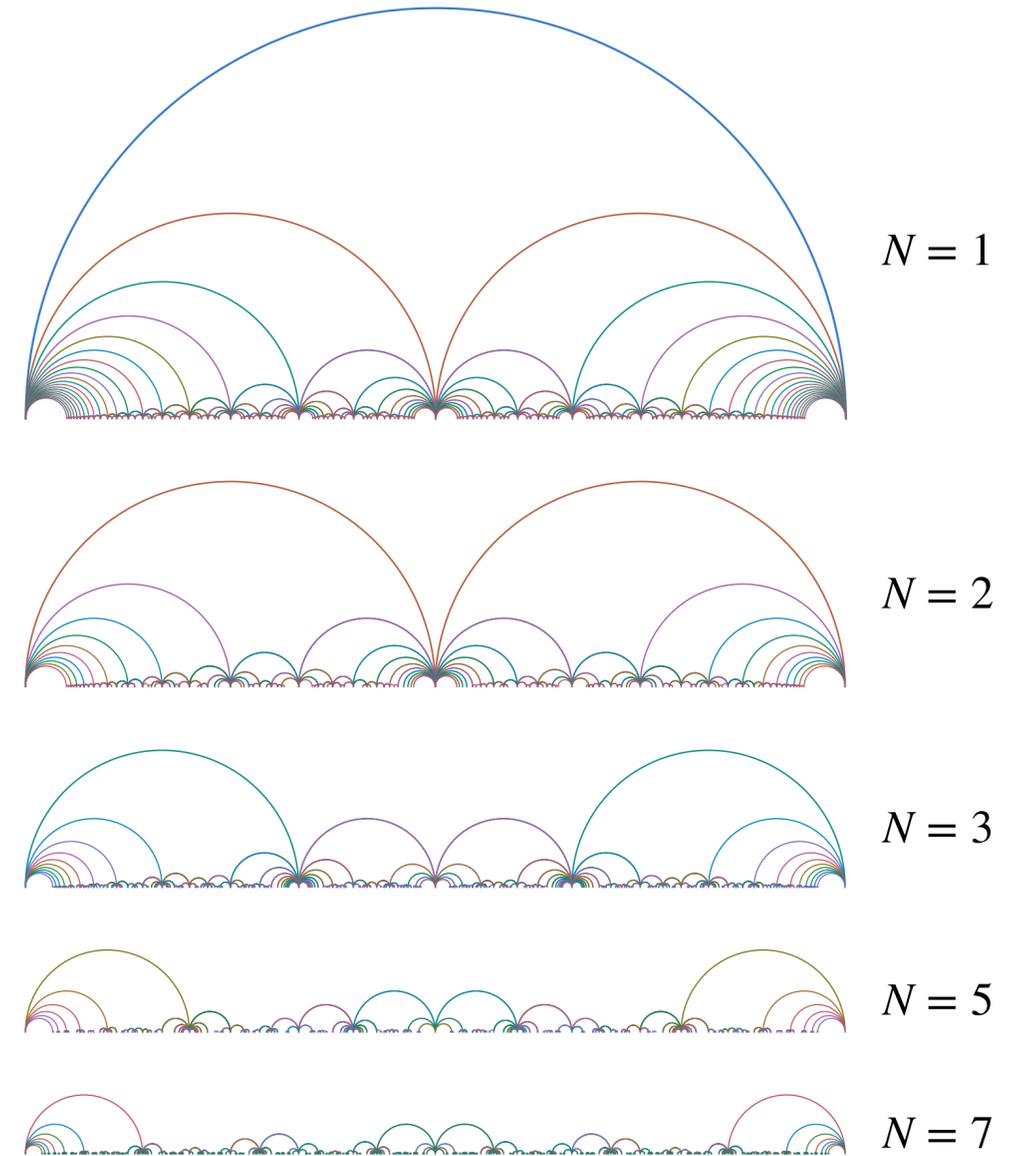
where $\hat{g} = \frac{\gcd(m, nN, \ell)}{N}$. Expand $1/\Phi_k$ and find

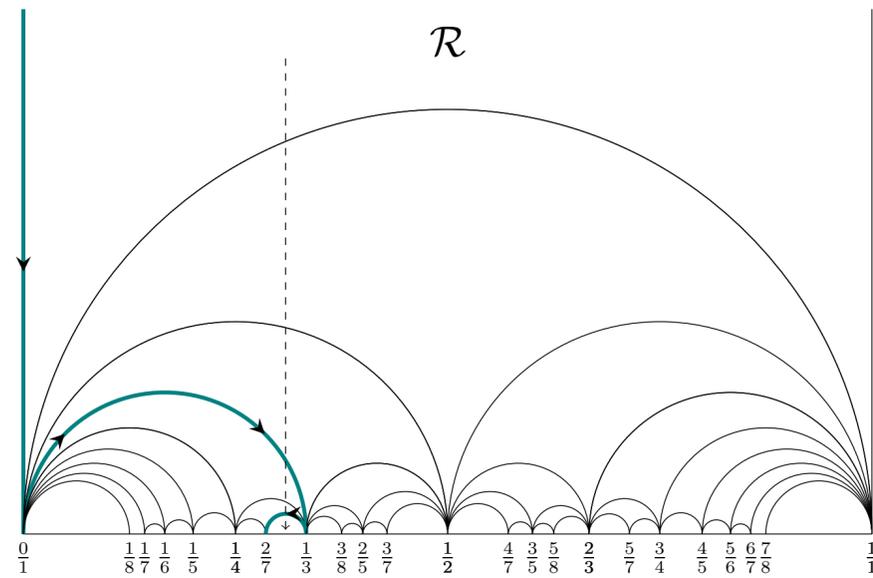
$$\psi_{-k, 0}^F(\sigma) = \frac{k+2}{12(N-1)} \frac{E_2(\sigma/N) - E_2(\sigma)}{\eta^{k+2}(\sigma/N) \eta^{k+2}(\sigma)} = \sum_{nN \in \mathbb{N}_0} d_N(n) q^n$$

giving the final formula

$$d(m, n, \ell) = - \left(d_N(\hat{g}) + \sum_{\gamma \in W_N(m, n, \ell)} |\ell_\gamma| d_1(m_\gamma) d_2(n_\gamma) \right)$$

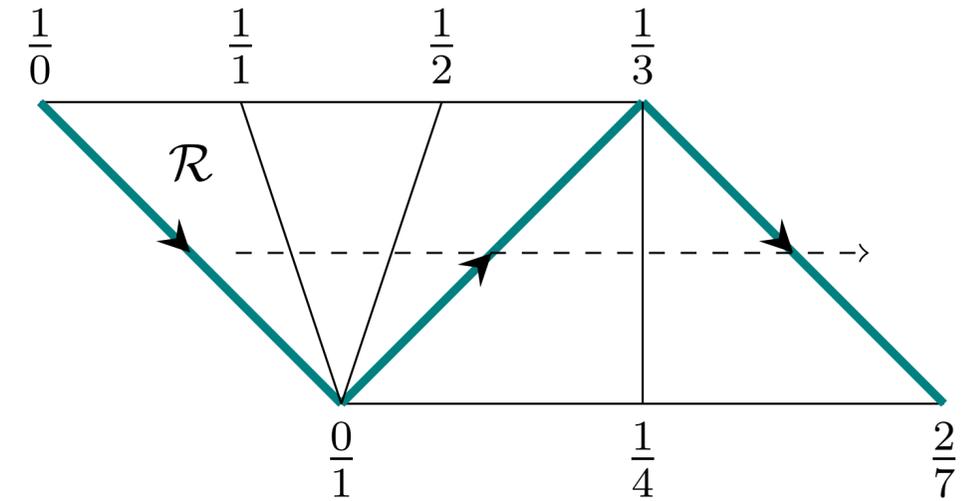
Immortal part





Examples

$$N = 1$$



$\ell/2m = 2/7 = [0; 3, 2]$ with walls $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$

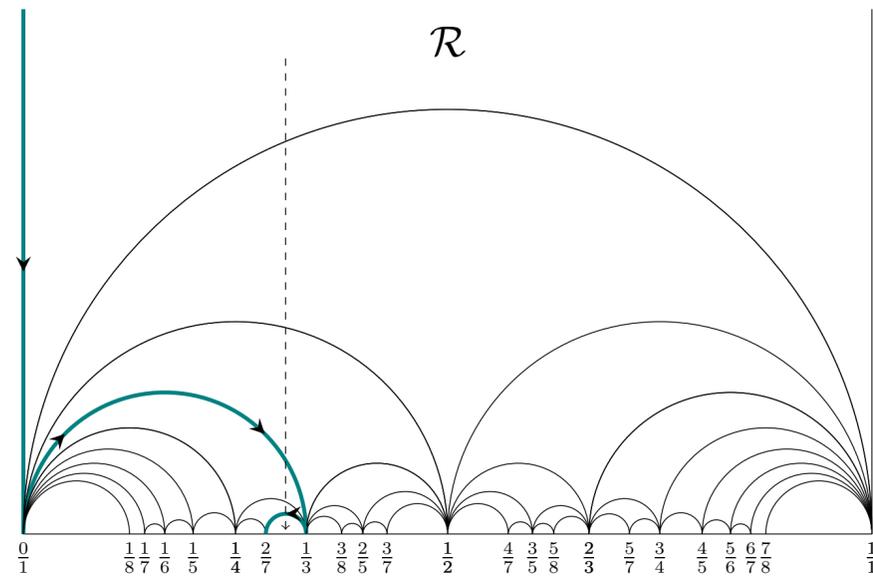
1. a) $(m, n, \ell) = (14, 1, 8), \Delta = -8$

$(7, 1, 6), (2, 1, 4), (-1, 1, 2), (-1, -2, 4), (-1, -7, 6)$.

$$d(14, 1, 8) = (-1)(6d_1(7)d_1(1) + 4d_1(2)d_1(1) + 2d_1(-1)d_1(1)) = -58\,671\,297\,648.$$

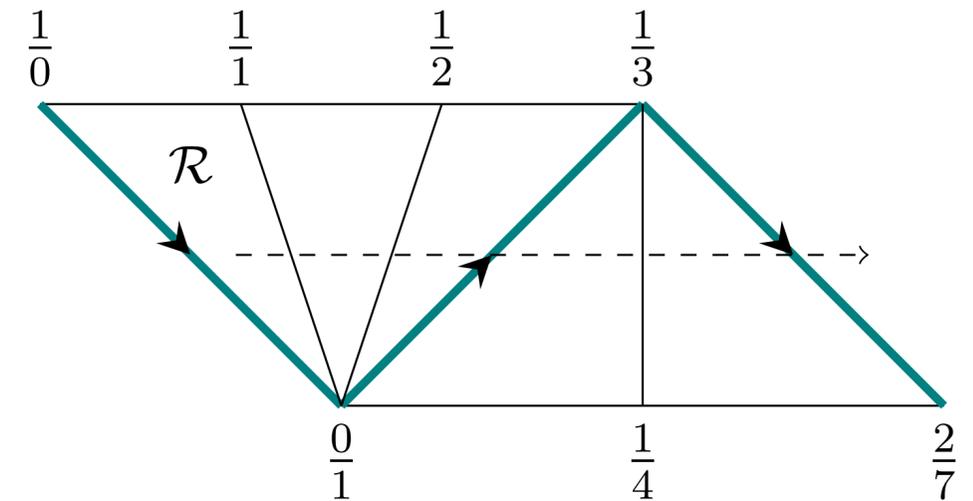
$$c[14, 1, 8] = 58\,671\,297\,648$$





Examples

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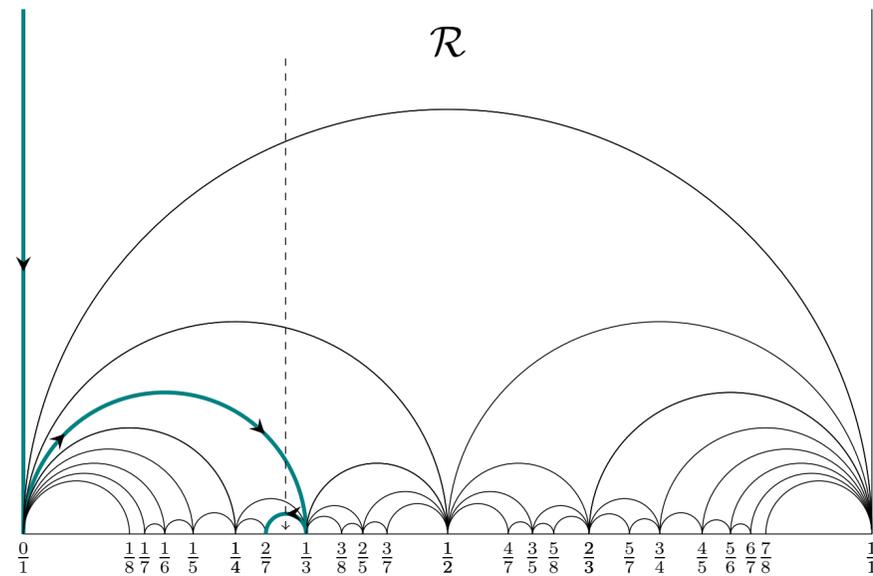
1. b) $(m, n, \ell) = (49, 4, 28), \Delta = 0 \rightarrow d_*(49, 4, 28) = d(1, 0, 0) = 2d_1(1) = 648$
 $(25, 4, 20), (9, 4, 12), (1, 4, 4), (1, 1, 2), (1, 0, 0).$

$$d(49, 4, 28) = 648 - (20d_1(25)d_1(4) + 12d_1(9)d_1(4) + 4d_1(1)d_1(4) + 2d_1(1)d_1(1))$$

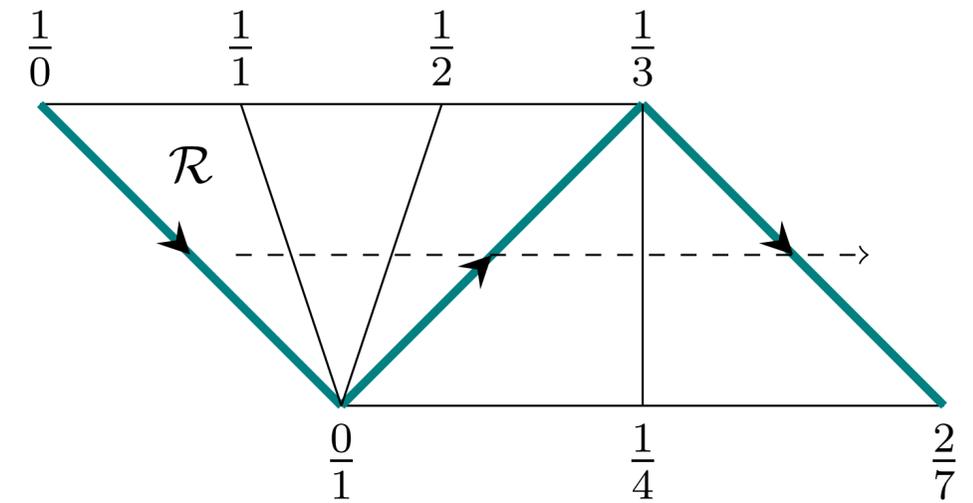
$$= -459\ 542\ 242\ 945\ 399\ 203\ 613\ 080.$$

$c[49, 4, 28] = 459\ 542\ 242\ 945\ 399\ 203\ 613\ 080$





Examples



$$N = 2$$

$\ell/2m = 2/7 = [0; 3, 2]$ with walls $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$

2. a) $(m, n, \ell) = (7, \frac{1}{2}, 4), \Delta = -2$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(1, \frac{1}{2}, 2), (-1, -\frac{1}{2}, -2).$$

$c[7, \frac{1}{2}, 4] = -5410$

$$d(7, \frac{1}{2}, 4) = -2d_1(1)d_2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) - 2d_1(-1)d_2\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = -5410$$



Discussion

$$N = 1$$

Consider

$$\frac{1}{\Phi_{10}(\rho, \sigma, \nu)} = \sum_{m=-1}^{\infty} \psi_m(\sigma, \nu) e^{2\pi i m \rho}$$

For $m \geq 0$ we can decompose

$$\psi_m = \psi_m^F + \psi_m^P$$

F: Finite

P: Polar

[DMZ, '11]

$$\psi_m^P(\sigma, \nu) = \frac{d(m)}{\eta^{24}(\sigma)} \mathcal{A}_{2,m}(\sigma, \nu) \quad \mathcal{A}_{2,m}(\sigma, \nu) = \sum_{s \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{q^{ms^2+s} y^{2ms+1}}{(1 - q^s y)^2}$$

Wall-crossing

Appel-Lerch

Discussion

$$N = 1$$

The finite part is a mock Jacobi form which captures the **single centre dyonic degeneracy**

[DMZ, '11]

$$\psi_m^F(\sigma, \nu) = \sum_{n, \ell \in \mathbb{Z}} c_m^F(n, \ell) q^n y^\ell \quad , \quad q = e^{2\pi i \sigma} \quad , \quad y = e^{2\pi i \nu}$$

$$d_{\text{immortal}}(m, n, \ell) = (-1)^{\ell+1} c_m^F(n, \ell)$$

for $\Delta > 0, m > 0$.

In the **\mathcal{R} -chamber** $c(m, n, \ell) = c_m^F(n, \ell)$ for $0 \leq \ell \leq m$

[CKMRW, '19]

Therefore, we have computed $c_m^F(n, \ell)$ for $\Delta \leq 0$.

Discussion

$$N = 1$$

The mixed Rademacher expansion

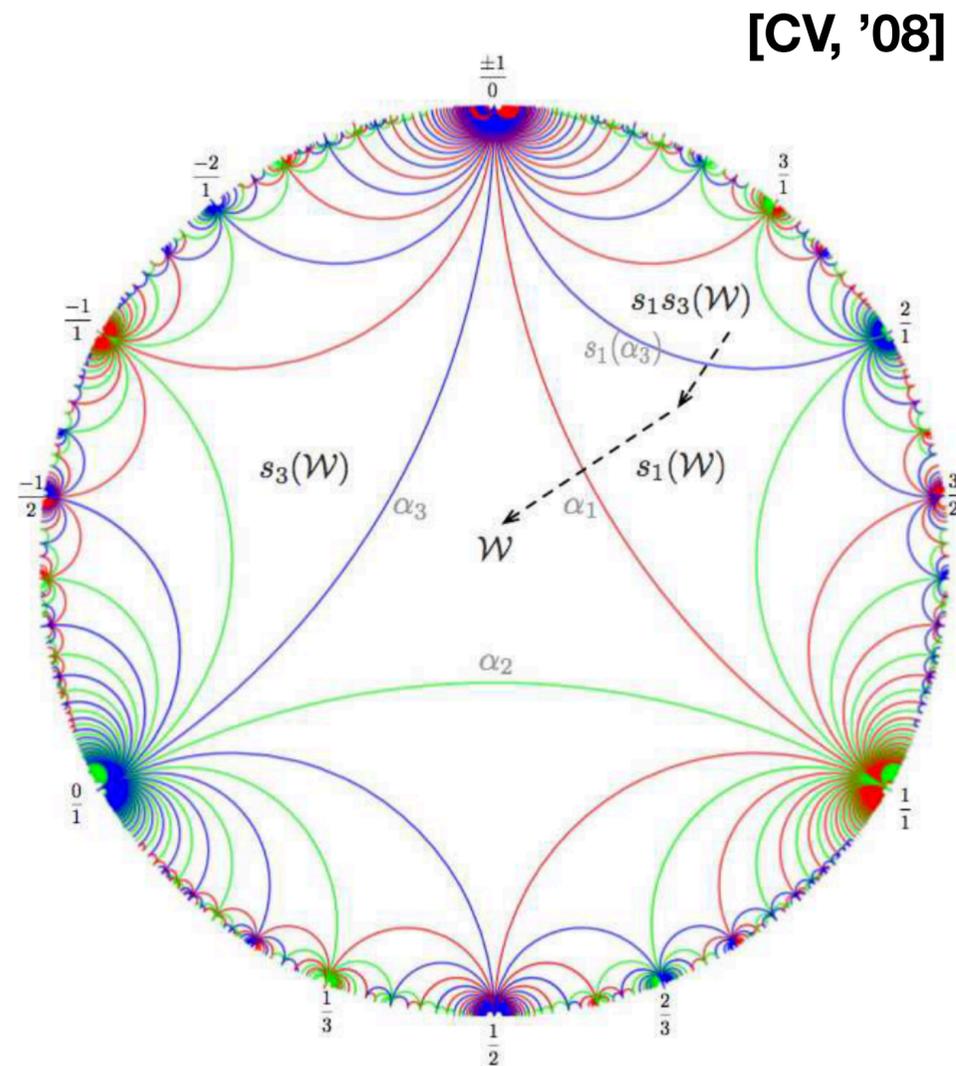
$$\begin{aligned}
 c_m^F(n, \ell) = & 2\pi \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{\substack{\tilde{\ell} \in \mathbb{Z}/2m\mathbb{Z} \\ 4m\tilde{n} - \tilde{\ell}^2 < 0}} c_m^F(\tilde{n}, \tilde{\ell}) \frac{Kl\left(\frac{\Delta}{4m}, \frac{\tilde{\Delta}}{4m}; k, \psi\right)_{\ell\tilde{\ell}}}{k} \left(\frac{|\tilde{\Delta}|}{\Delta}\right)^{23/4} I_{23/2}\left(\frac{\pi}{mk} \sqrt{|\tilde{\Delta}|\Delta}\right) \\
 & + \sqrt{2m} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{Kl\left(\frac{\Delta}{4m}, -1; k, \psi\right)_{\ell 0}}{\sqrt{k}} \left(\frac{4m}{\Delta}\right)^6 I_{12}\left(\frac{2\pi}{k\sqrt{m}} \sqrt{\Delta}\right) \\
 & - \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{\substack{j \in \mathbb{Z}/2m\mathbb{Z} \\ g \in \mathbb{Z}/2mk\mathbb{Z} \\ g \equiv j \pmod{2m}}} \frac{Kl\left(\frac{\Delta}{4m}, -1 - \frac{g^2}{4m}; k, \psi\right)_{\ell j}}{k^2} \left(\frac{4m}{\Delta}\right)^{25/4} \times \\
 & \times \int_{-1/\sqrt{m}}^{+1/\sqrt{m}} f_{k,g,m}(u) I_{25/2}\left(\frac{2\pi}{k\sqrt{m}} \sqrt{\Delta(1 - mu^2)}\right) (1 - mu^2)^{25/4} du,
 \end{aligned} \tag{A.12}$$

[FR, '17]

computes the coefficients $c_m^F(n, \ell)$ with $\Delta > 0$ in terms of $c_m^F(n', \ell')$ with $\Delta < 0$.

Single centre 1/4–BPS black hole degeneracies with $I = 1$ are determined in terms of the continued fraction of the rational number $\ell/2m$ (and some extra input for the case $d_* = -1$)

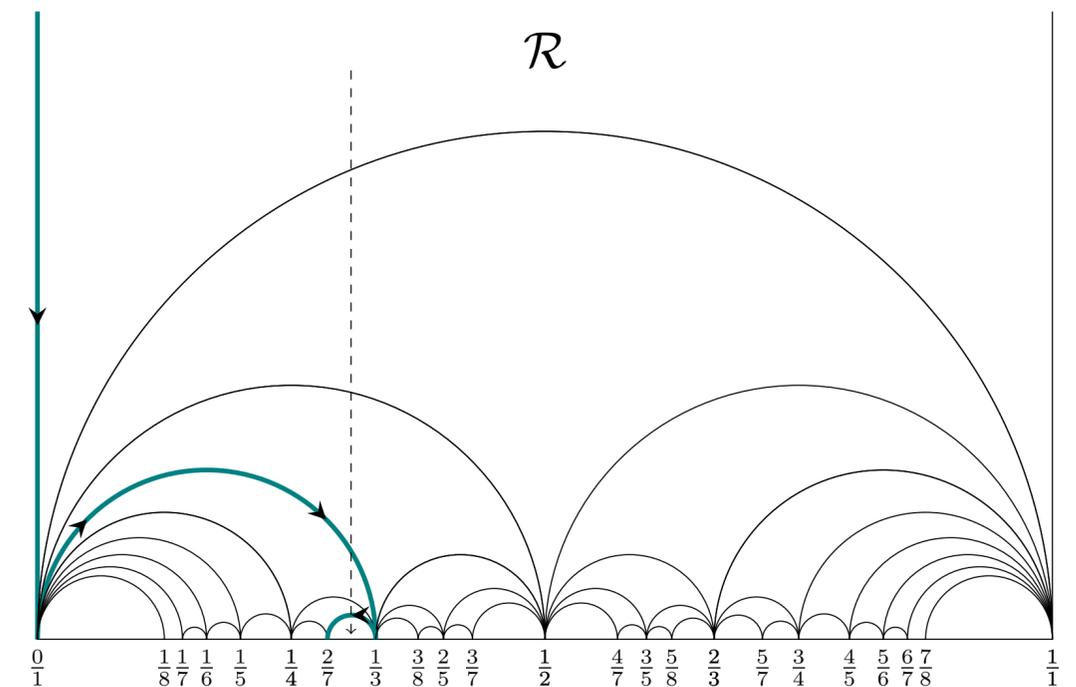
Extra: Discrete attractor flow



Discrete attractor flow related to **Stern-Brocot tree**

Stern-Brocot tree related to **continued fractions**

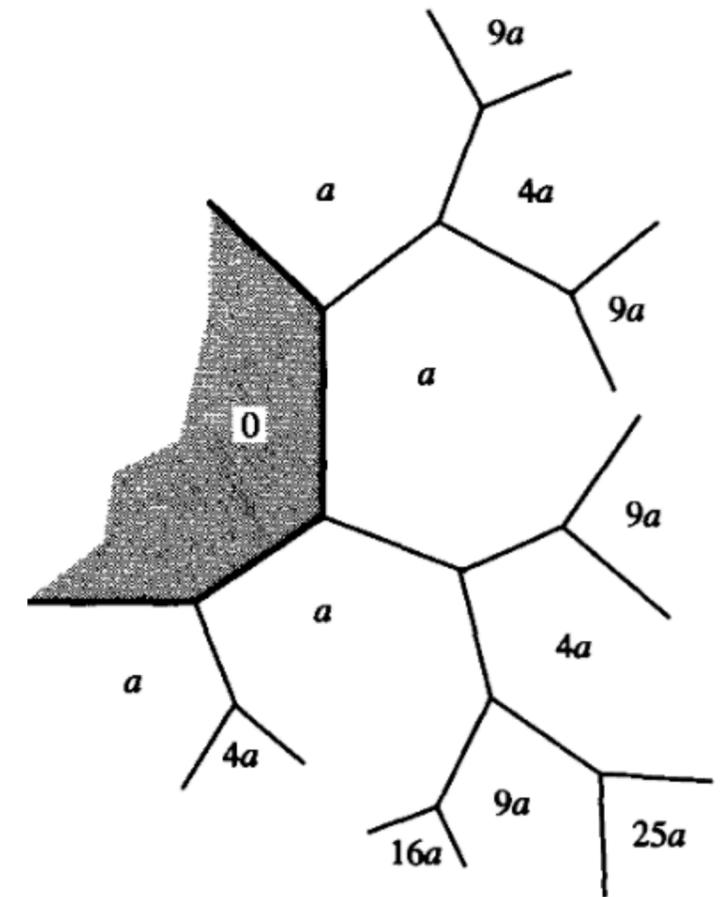
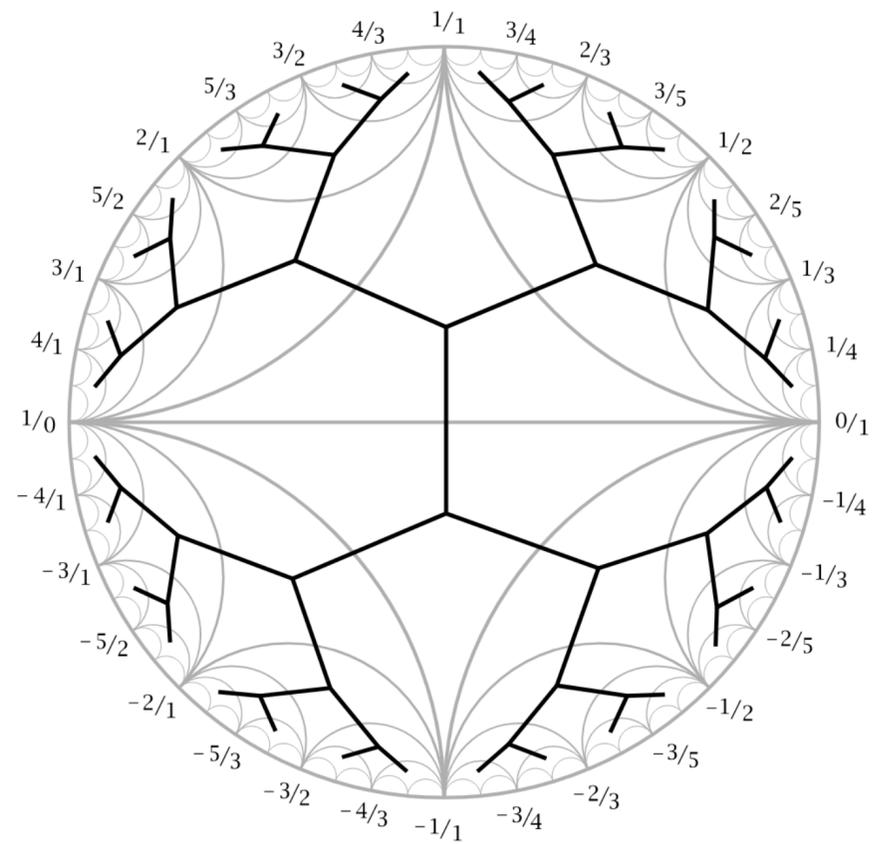
'Inverse discrete attractor flow'



Extra: BQF

Binary quadratic forms

$$x^2 - |\Delta|y^2 = 4$$



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