# Flavored anisotropic black holes

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Flavor in AdS-CFT and smeared sources

The D3-D5 system

Backreaction of the chemical potential

Black holes with and without charge

Thermodynamics and applications

Summary and discussion

1st version of the gauge/gravity correspondence (Maldacena '97):

 $\mathcal{N} = 4$  SYM,  $SU(N) \Leftrightarrow$  type IIB strings on  $AdS_5 \times S^5$ 

• Only adjoint matter

Fundamentals?  $\Rightarrow$  Add  $N_f$  flavor D-branes (Karch '01)

- $\blacktriangleright$  N<sub>f</sub> small  $\rightarrow$  Flavors as probes  $\rightarrow$  Non-dynamical, infinitely massive quarks
- ▶  $N_f$  large  $\rightarrow$  Backreaction of flavor branes!  $\rightarrow$   $S_{SUGRA} + S_{branes}$
- flavor branes = sources to sugra eoms  $\rightarrow$  violation of Bianchi id. for fluxes  $dF \neq 0$
- If the sources are localized  $\rightarrow dF \sim \delta(x)$  Challenging equations!

 $\Rightarrow$  Use smeared sources: a continuous distribution of branes  $\rightarrow$  avoids  $\delta(x)$ 

### D3-D5 setup

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
D3	x	х	x	х	-	-	-	-	-	-
D5	х	х	х	-	х	х	х	-	-	-

• Defect in  $(x^0, x^1, x^2)$  where fundamentals live

- (2+1)-d fundamentals coupled to gauge theory in (3+1)-d
- ▶ Veneziano limit:  $N_c \to \infty, N_f \to \infty, \frac{N_f}{N_c} \sim \text{finite}$
- D3 branes on the tip of a cone over a Sasaki-Einstein space
- ► Flavor backreaction  $\rightarrow M_5$  deformation  $ds_{SE}^2 = ds_{KE}^2 + [...](d\tau + A)^2$

#### **Previous works**

• 1607.04998 (Conde, Lin, J. M. P., Ramallo, Zoakos): massless anisotropic bckg. Scaling solution:

$$ds^{2} = \frac{r^{2}}{R^{2}} \left[ dx_{1,2}^{2} + \left(\frac{4Q_{f}}{3}\right)^{\frac{4}{3}} \frac{(dx_{3})^{2}}{r^{\frac{4}{3}}} \right] + R^{2} \frac{dr^{2}}{r^{2}} + \bar{R}^{2} \left[ ds_{KE}^{2} + \frac{9}{8} (d\tau + A)^{2} \right]$$
(1)

• 1710.00548 (J. M. P., Ramallo, Zoakos): massless black hole:

$$ds^{2} = \frac{r^{2}}{R^{2}} \left[ -\left(1 - \frac{r_{h}^{\frac{10}{3}}}{r_{3}^{\frac{10}{3}}}\right) (dx^{0})^{2} + (dx^{1})^{2} + (dx^{2})^{2} + \left(\frac{4Q_{f}}{3}\right)^{\frac{4}{3}} \frac{(dx_{3})^{2}}{r_{3}^{\frac{4}{3}}} \right] \\ + R^{2} \left(1 - \frac{r_{h}^{\frac{10}{3}}}{r_{3}^{\frac{10}{3}}}\right)^{-1} \frac{dr^{2}}{r^{2}} + \bar{R}^{2} \left[ ds_{KE}^{2} + \frac{9}{8} (d\tau + A)^{2} \right]$$
(2)

• 1901.02020 (Jokela, J. M. P., Ramallo, Zoakos): massive bckg.  $Q_f \rightarrow Q_f p(r)$ .  $p(r < r_q) = 0$ .  $r_q$  'cavity' ~ quark mass

• 2001.08218 (Hoyos, Jokela, J. M. P., Ramallo): bckg with non-monotonic 'flavor' profiles

#### In this work we address

- Backreaction of a chemical potential
- Analytic solution for  $N_f \rightarrow 0$

• Turn on worldvolume gauge field on D5s

$$\mathcal{F} = A_t'(\rho) d\rho \wedge dt \tag{3}$$

(
ightarrow dual to a baryon density)  $S = S_{IIB} + S_{branes}$ 

$$S_{IIB} = \frac{1}{2\kappa_{10}^2} \int d^{10}x \sqrt{-g} \left( R - \frac{1}{2} (\partial \phi)^2 - \frac{e^{-\phi}}{2 \cdot 3!} H_3^2 - \frac{e^{2\phi}}{2} F_1^2 - \frac{e^{2\phi}}{2} F_1^2$$

 $\Xi$  smearing form, encondes distribution of the D5 charge

$$ds_{SE}^2 = ds_{KE}^2 + (d\tau + \mathcal{A})^2$$
(5)

Canonical basis  $e^i$  for the KE. Kähler form:

$$J_{KE} = e^{1} \wedge e^{2} + e^{3} \wedge e^{4}, \ J_{KE} = \frac{d\mathcal{A}}{2}, \ \hat{\Omega}_{2} = e^{3i\tau}(e^{1} + ie^{2}) \wedge (e^{3} + ie^{4})$$
(6)

#### Ansatz

$$ds_{10}^{2} = h^{-\frac{1}{2}} [-bdt^{2} + (dx^{1})^{2} + (dx^{2})^{2} + \alpha^{2}(dx^{3})^{2}] + h^{\frac{1}{2}} [\frac{F^{2}S^{8}\alpha^{2}}{b\rho^{10}}d\rho^{2} + S^{2}ds_{KE}^{2} + F^{2}(d\tau + A)^{2}]$$
(7)

$$F_1 = H_3 = 0$$
  

$$F_5 = F_5^{(0)} + F_5^{cp} + \star F_5^{cp}$$
(8)

$$F_5^{(0)} = \mathcal{K}(\rho)(1+\star)d^4x \wedge d\rho \tag{9}$$

$$F_{5}^{(0)} \text{ closed fixes } \mathcal{K}(\rho)$$

$$F_{5}^{cp} = dC_{4}^{cp}, \quad C_{4}^{cp} = J(\rho)dx^{1} \wedge dx^{2} \wedge \operatorname{Re}(\hat{\Omega}_{2})$$
(10)
$$D5s \rightarrow F_{2}$$

 $D5s \rightarrow F_3$ 

$$F_3 = Q_f dx^3 \wedge \operatorname{Im}(\hat{\Omega}_2) + F_{123} dx^1 \wedge dx^2 \wedge dx^3$$
(11)

We obtain the smearing form:

$$dF_3 = 2\kappa_{10}^2 T_5 \Xi \tag{12}$$

$$2\kappa_{10}^2 T_5 \Xi = -3Q_f dx^3 \wedge \operatorname{Re}(\hat{\Omega}_2) \wedge (d\tau + \mathcal{A})$$
(13)

• Zero chemical potential case:  $J = A_t = F_{123} = 0$ 

• Strategy to solve the system of equations for the geometry:  $(\{g_{\mu\nu}, \mathcal{F}_2, F_1, H_3, F_5, \phi\} \rightarrow \{h, b, \phi, F, S, \alpha, J, A_t\})$ ?

 $\Rightarrow$  Define perturbative parameters  $\epsilon = \frac{Q_f}{5\rho_h}$  and  $\delta$  such that

$$F_{123} = \epsilon \delta, \quad J(\rho) = \epsilon \delta j(\rho)$$
 (14)

• At 
$$\epsilon = \delta = 0$$
, we impose  $AdS_5 \times M_5$ 

- $\Rightarrow$  Two kinds of **analytic** solutions:
  - 1. Black hole with  $J = A_t = F_{123} = 0$
  - 2. Black hole with non zero  $J, A_t, F_{123}$

• Case 
$$J = A_t = F_{123} = 0$$
: define  $\tilde{\rho} = \frac{\rho}{\rho_h}$  and  $\Omega(\tilde{\rho})$ .

$$\Omega(\tilde{\rho}) \equiv \frac{5}{4} \left[ 2 \arctan \tilde{\rho} + \log \left( \frac{\tilde{\rho}^4}{(\tilde{\rho}+1)^2 (\tilde{\rho}^2+1)} \right) - \pi \right].$$
(15)

To first order in  $\epsilon$ :

$$b = 1 - \frac{1}{\tilde{\rho}^4}, \quad \phi = \epsilon \,\Omega, \quad \alpha = 1 - \epsilon \,\Omega, \quad h = \frac{Q_c}{4\rho_h^4 \tilde{\rho}^4} \left(1 - \epsilon \,\Omega\right) ,$$
  

$$G \equiv b g_{\rho\rho} h^{-\frac{1}{2}} = 1 + \epsilon \left(\frac{1}{2} \,\tilde{\rho}^4 \Omega + \frac{5}{8} (4 \tilde{\rho}^3 - 1)\right) ,$$
  

$$F = \rho_h \,\tilde{\rho} \left(1 + \epsilon F_1\right), \qquad S = \rho_h \,\tilde{\rho} \left(1 + \epsilon \,S_1\right) , \qquad (16)$$

$$\begin{split} F_1 &= \frac{3\sqrt{2}\pi}{8} \left( P(\tilde{\rho}) \, \mathcal{I}_Q^{(1)}(\tilde{\rho}) + Q(\tilde{\rho}) \, \mathcal{I}_P^{(1)}(\tilde{\rho}) \right) + \frac{1}{2} \, \tilde{\rho}^3 - \frac{1}{8} \, + \, \frac{1}{10} \left( \tilde{\rho}^4 + 2 \right) \Omega \, , \\ S_1 &= -\frac{3\sqrt{2}\pi}{32} \left( P(\tilde{\rho}) \, \mathcal{I}_Q^{(1)}(\tilde{\rho}) + Q(\tilde{\rho}) \, \mathcal{I}_P^{(1)}(\tilde{\rho}) \right) + \frac{1}{2} \, \tilde{\rho}^3 - \frac{1}{8} \, + \, \frac{1}{10} \left( \tilde{\rho}^4 + 2 \right) \Omega \, . \end{split}$$

$$\mathcal{I}_{P}^{(1)}(x) = \int_{1}^{x} z^{2} P(z) dz , \qquad \mathcal{I}_{Q}^{(1)}(x) = \int_{x}^{\infty} z^{2} Q(z) dz .$$
With:  $P(\tilde{\rho}) = F[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}; 1, 1 - \tilde{\rho}^{4}], \quad Q(\tilde{\rho}) = (2\tilde{\rho}^{4} - 1)F[\frac{5}{4}, \frac{3}{4}; 2; (2\tilde{\rho}^{4} - 1)^{-2}]$ 
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• Case 
$$J = A_t = F_{123} \neq 0$$
:  $F_{123} = \epsilon \delta$ ,  $J(\tilde{\rho}) = \epsilon \delta j(\tilde{\rho})$ . Define  $\tilde{\delta} = \frac{Q_c}{10\sqrt{6}} \frac{\delta}{\rho_h^3}$   
 $b = \left(1 - \frac{1}{\tilde{\rho}^4}\right) \left[1 - 4\epsilon \tilde{\delta}^2 \left(\Omega + \frac{5}{\tilde{\rho}}\right)\right]$ ,  $\phi = \epsilon \Omega - \epsilon \tilde{\delta}^2 \left(\Omega + \frac{5}{\tilde{\rho}}\right)$ ,  
 $\alpha = 1 - \epsilon \Omega - \epsilon \tilde{\delta}^2 \left(\Omega + \frac{5}{\tilde{\rho}}\right)$ ,  $h = \frac{Q_c}{4\rho_h^4 \tilde{\rho}^4} \left[1 - \epsilon \Omega - 3\epsilon \tilde{\delta}^2 \left(\Omega + \frac{5}{\tilde{\rho}}\right)\right]$ ,  
 $G = 1 - \frac{1}{2}\epsilon \left(\frac{5}{4}\left(1 - 4\tilde{\rho}^3\right) - \tilde{\rho}^4 \Omega\right) - \epsilon \tilde{\delta}^2 \left(\frac{5}{8}\left(20\tilde{\rho}^3 - 5 + \frac{4}{\tilde{\rho}}\right) + \frac{5}{2}\tilde{\rho}^4 \Omega\right)$ ,  
 $F = \rho_h \tilde{\rho} \left(1 + \epsilon F_1 + \epsilon \tilde{\delta}^2 F_2\right)$ ,  $S = \rho_h \tilde{\rho} \left(1 + \epsilon S_1 + \epsilon \tilde{\delta}^2 S_2\right)$ , (17)

$$\begin{split} F_2 &= -\frac{\pi}{4\sqrt{2}} \left( P(\tilde{\rho}) \, \mathcal{I}_Q^{(2)}(\tilde{\rho}) + Q(\tilde{\rho}) \, \mathcal{I}_P^{(2)}(\tilde{\rho}) \right) \, - \, \frac{5}{2} \, \tilde{\rho}^3 + \frac{5}{8} \, + \, \frac{9}{2\,\tilde{\rho}} + \frac{1}{2} (2 - \tilde{\rho}^4) \, \Omega \, , \\ S_2 &= \frac{\pi}{16\sqrt{2}} \left( P(\tilde{\rho}) \, \mathcal{I}_Q^{(2)}(\tilde{\rho}) + Q(\tilde{\rho}) \, \mathcal{I}_P^{(2)}(\tilde{\rho}) \right) \, - \, \frac{5}{2} \, \tilde{\rho}^3 + \frac{5}{8} \, + \, \frac{9}{2\,\tilde{\rho}} + \frac{1}{2} (2 - \tilde{\rho}^4) \, \Omega \, . \end{split}$$
  
Where:  $\mathcal{I}_P^{(2)}(x) \, = \, \int_1^x \frac{P(z)}{z^2} \, dz \, , \quad \mathcal{I}_Q^{(2)}(x) \, = \, \int_x^\infty \frac{Q(z)}{z^2} \, dz \, \end{split}$ 

And for J:

$$j(\tilde{\rho}) = -\frac{Q_c \left[ \Gamma(\frac{3}{4}) \right]^2}{8\sqrt{\pi} \rho_h} \left( J_1(\tilde{\rho}) \mathcal{I}_2(\tilde{\rho}) + J_2(\tilde{\rho}) \mathcal{I}_1(\tilde{\rho}) \right) .$$
(18)

where:

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{J}_1(\tilde{\rho}) &= \mathcal{F}\left(-\frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{4}; 1; 1 - \tilde{\rho}^4\right) \;, \quad \mathcal{J}_2(\tilde{\rho}) = \left(\tilde{\rho}^4 - 1\right)^{-3/4} \; \mathcal{F}\left(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{4}; \frac{5}{2}; \frac{1}{1 - \tilde{\rho}^4}\right) \;. \\ \mathcal{I}_1(\tilde{\rho}) &= \int_1^{\tilde{\rho}} \frac{\mathcal{J}_1(z)}{z^2} dz \;, \quad \mathcal{I}_2(\tilde{\rho}) = \int_{\tilde{\rho}}^{\infty} \frac{\mathcal{J}_2(z)}{z^2} dz \;. \end{split}$$

For the gauge field  $A_t$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \mathsf{A}'_{t}(\tilde{\rho}) &= 2\pi\alpha'\tilde{\delta}\left(\mathsf{a}_{0}(\tilde{\rho}) + \epsilon\,\mathsf{a}_{1}(\tilde{\rho})\right) \tag{19}\\ \mathsf{a}_{0} &= -\frac{\rho_{h}}{\sqrt{6}\pi\alpha'}\frac{1}{\tilde{\rho}^{2}} ,\\ \mathsf{a}_{1} &= -\frac{\sqrt{3}\,\rho_{h}}{16\,\alpha'\tilde{\rho}^{2}} \left(\mathsf{P}(\tilde{\rho})\,\mathsf{I}_{Q}(\tilde{\rho}) + \mathsf{Q}(\tilde{\rho})\,\mathsf{I}_{P}(\tilde{\rho}) - \frac{\sqrt{2}\left(3\left(1-4\tilde{\rho}^{3}\right) - \left(3\tilde{\rho}^{4}+1\right)\frac{4}{5}\Omega\right)}{3\pi} + \frac{80\sqrt{2}\,\rho_{h}}{\pi\,Q_{c}}j(\tilde{\rho})\right) . \end{aligned}$$

- $\bullet$  What is the meaning of this expansion?  $\rightarrow$  Let us define the:
- quark density:  $n_q = -\frac{N_c}{4\pi^2 g_s \alpha'} F_{123}$
- baryon density  $n_b = \frac{n_q}{N_c}$  (and defect density  $n_f = \frac{N_f}{L_3}$ )

$$\Rightarrow \quad \tilde{\delta} = -\frac{4\sqrt{2}\,\alpha'\,g_{s}}{\sqrt{3}}\,\frac{n_{b}}{n_{f}}\,\frac{1}{T^{2}}\left(1 + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{n_{f}}{T}\right)\right), \quad \epsilon\tilde{\delta}^{2} = \gamma\frac{n_{q}^{2}}{Q_{f}\rho_{h}^{5}} \tag{20}$$

Where T is the temperature (linearized gravity):

$$T = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{g_{\rho\rho}}} \partial_{\rho} \sqrt{-g_{tt}}|_{\rho \to \rho_h} = \frac{2\rho_h}{\pi Q_c^{\frac{1}{2}}} \left(1 - \frac{15}{8}\epsilon - \frac{5}{8}\epsilon\hat{\delta}^2\right)$$
(21)

 $\Rightarrow$  We can derive the **thermodynamics**:

• Entropy density s from Bekenstein-Hawking:

$$s = \frac{\text{Vol}(\mathcal{M}_5)}{(2\pi)^6 \alpha'^4 g_s^2} Q_c^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho_h^3 (1 + \frac{15}{8}\epsilon + \frac{5}{8}\epsilon \hat{\delta}^2)$$
(22)

- Internal energy  $\mathcal{E} = E_{ADM} V_3^{-1}$
- Free energy  $f = \mathcal{E} Ts$

We can rewrite the expansion parameters as:

$$\epsilon = \frac{\lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}}{20v_T N_c \bar{a}^{\frac{1}{2}}} \frac{n_f}{T} + \dots, \quad \epsilon \hat{\delta}^2 = \frac{4v_T}{5\pi^4} \frac{\lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}}{N_c \bar{a}^{\frac{1}{2}}} \frac{n_b^2}{n_f T^5} + \dots$$
(23)

with  $\bar{a} = rac{\pi^3}{\operatorname{Vol}(\mathcal{M}_5)}$ ,  $\lambda = 4\pi g_s N_c$ ,  $v_T = rac{\operatorname{Vol}(\mathcal{M}_2)}{\operatorname{Vol}(\mathcal{M}_5)}$ 

• What if # D5 branes change?  $\rightarrow$  allow  $n_f$  to vary. 1st law of thermo (Mateos, Trancanelli):

$$d\mathcal{E} = TdS + \Phi dn_f + \mu dn_q \tag{24}$$

- $\mu$ : baryon chemical potential
- Φ: 'brane' potential measuring cost of adding flavor branes

$$df = -sdT + \Phi dn_f + \mu dn_q \quad \Rightarrow s = -(\partial_T f)_{n_f, n_q} \text{ (consistency check)}$$
(25)

Similar computations for  $\Phi$ ,  $\mu$ . Pressures from Gibbs energy  $g = f - \Phi n_f - \mu n_q$ :

$$p_{xy} = -g - \Phi n_f, \quad p_z = -g \tag{26}$$

$$p_{xy} = \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{10}{9}(1 + \hat{\delta}^2)\epsilon\right)\mathcal{E} = \frac{\pi^2 N_c^2}{8}\bar{a}T^4 \left[1 + \frac{\lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}}{N_c\bar{a}^{\frac{1}{2}}} \left(\frac{n_f}{3\nu_T T} + \frac{8\nu_T n_b^2}{\pi^4 n_f T^5}\right)\right]$$
$$p_z = \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{20}{9}(1 + \hat{\delta}^2)\epsilon\right)\mathcal{E} = \frac{\pi^2 N_c^2}{8}\bar{a}T^4$$
(27)

Speeds of sound:

$$v_{xy,z}^2 = \partial_{\mathcal{E}} p_{xy,z} \tag{28}$$

Also:  $\partial_{\mu} p_{xy} = n_q, \ \partial_{\mu} p_z = 0$ 

Cross-checks of thermodynamics:

 $TS^{on-shell} = \Omega \equiv f - \mu n_q$ 

Energy density and pressures from Brown-York tensor

• Chemical potential  $\mu$  agrees with UV value of  $A_t$  to leading order in  $\hat{\delta}$ 

#### Hydrodynamics at zero $\mu$

Let's use the 4-d reduction (1710.00548), perturb the metric and get shear mode. Impose a relation:

$$\omega = -iD_{\eta}q^2(1+\tau_s D_{\eta}q^2) + \dots$$
<sup>(29)</sup>

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$$\frac{\eta}{s} = TD_{\eta} = \frac{1}{4\pi}, \quad \frac{\tau_s}{2\pi T} = 1 - \log 2 + \epsilon \frac{5}{2}(\pi - 3)$$
 (30)

•  $\eta$ : shear viscosity

• Increase in  $\tau$  relative to  $AdS_5$  value  $\Rightarrow$  Intersection between D3-D5  $\rightarrow$  (2+1)-d CFT  $\rightarrow AdS_4$ , ( $\tau_s^{CFT_{2+1}}$  is larger than  $\tau_s^{CFT_{3+1}}$ )

#### Quark-antiquark potentials

Take fundamental string with endpoints lying at the UV bdy:

$$S_{NG} = \frac{1}{2\pi\alpha'} = \int_{\Sigma} d\tau d\sigma e^{\frac{\phi}{2}} \sqrt{-\det(g_2)}$$
(31)

Two configurations:

1.  $\tau = x^{0}, \ \sigma = x^{1}, \ \rho = \rho(x^{1})$ , no dependence on  $x^{2}, x^{3}$ 2.  $\tau = x^{0}, \ \sigma = x^{3}, \ \rho = \rho(x^{3})$ , no dependence on  $x^{1}, x^{2}$ 

Integrals expanded as:  $d_{\parallel} = d_{\parallel}^{(0)} + \epsilon d_{\parallel}^{(\epsilon)} + \epsilon \tilde{\delta}^2 d_{\parallel}^{(\epsilon \tilde{\delta}^2)}, V_{q\bar{q}}^{\parallel} = V_{\parallel}^{(0)} + \epsilon V_{\parallel}^{(\epsilon)} + \epsilon \tilde{\delta}^2 V_{\parallel}^{(\epsilon \tilde{\delta}^2)}$ 

• Regularized with 2 straight strings from  $ho_h$  to UV  $(
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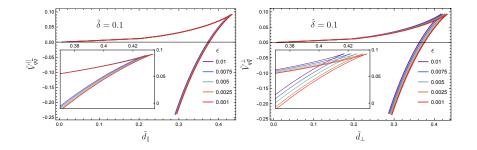


Figure: Quark-antiquark potential  $\tilde{V}_{q\bar{q}}^{a} = \frac{\operatorname{Vol}(\mathcal{M}_{5})^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\pi^{\frac{3}{2}} \lambda^{\frac{1}{2}} T} V_{q\bar{q}}^{a}$  vs  $\tilde{d}_{a} = \pi T d_{a}$   $(a = \parallel, \perp)$ , for fixed  $\delta \sim n_{q}$ , varying  $\epsilon \sim n_{f}$ 

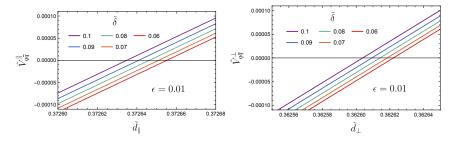


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### **Physical interpretation**

- At d small, V follows the coloured curves until it reaches horizontal line ⇒ disconnected configuration dominant and V is flat
- ▶  $n_f(\sim \epsilon)$  increases  $\Rightarrow$  separation where charges are screened is smaller (both  $\{\parallel, \bot\}$ )
- Enhanced screening in both  $\{\parallel, \perp\}$  due to more color non-singlet d.o.f. from fields at defects
- ▶ Increasing  $n_b(\sim \tilde{\delta})$  increases screening, since also more d.o.f. contribute to screening
- Effect of  $(n_b)$  enhanced in  $\parallel$  directions, along which charges localize

# Entanglement entropy for slabs (EE)

Ryu-Takayanagi: 'holographic EE between spatial region A in the gauge theory and its compliment

 $\Rightarrow$  find surface  $\Sigma$  with bdy coinciding with bdy of A minimizing  $S_A$ ':

$$S_{A} = \frac{1}{4G_{10}} \int_{\Sigma} d^{8}\xi \sqrt{g_{8}}$$
 (32)

Two configurations:

1. Parallel slab 
$$A \,=\, \{-\frac{l_\parallel}{2} < x^1 < \frac{l_\parallel}{2}, -\infty < x^2, x^3 < \infty\}$$
 ,

• Divergent quantity, needs regularization:

$$S_{\parallel}^{\rm div} = \frac{N_c^2}{2\pi} \bar{a} \frac{L_2 L_3}{\varepsilon_{UV}^2} + N_f N_c \bar{a}^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{2}{15} \frac{\lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\nu_\perp} \frac{L_2}{\varepsilon_{UV}}$$
(33)

Flavor part diverges with area law for (2+1)-d theory from fields at the defect

2. Transverse slab  $A = \left\{ -\frac{l_{\perp}}{2} < x^3 < \frac{l_{\perp}}{2}, -\frac{L_1}{2} \le x^1 < \frac{L_1}{2}, -\frac{L_2}{2} \le x^2 < \frac{L_2}{2} \right\},$ 

$$S_{\perp}^{\rm div} = \frac{N_c^2}{2\pi} \bar{a} \frac{L_1 L_2}{\varepsilon_{UV}^2} - N_c \bar{a}^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{30} \frac{\lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}}{v_{\perp}} \frac{n_f L_1 L_2}{\varepsilon_{UV}}$$
(34)

Similar area law (2+1)-d behaviour, but negative contribution

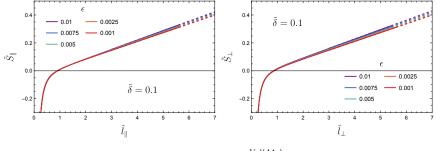


Figure: Rescaled || (left) and  $\perp$  (right) EE:  $\tilde{S} = \frac{\operatorname{Vol}(\mathcal{M}_5)}{8 \pi^4 L_2 L_3 Nc^2 T^2} S^{\operatorname{reg}}$  vs rescaled width.

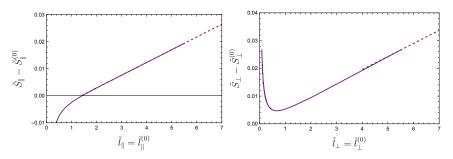


Figure: Differences in the finite contributions to the entanglement entropy between the flavored and unflavored theories. We have set  $\epsilon=0.01$  and  $\tilde{\delta}=0.1.$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  'Measure of correlation': Mutual information for regions A and B

$$I(A,B) = S(A) + S(B) - S(A \cup B)$$
 (35)

 $\Rightarrow$  Suggests that flavor d.o.f. are correlated in the transverse direction for small distances

# Summary

- Backreacted D3-D5 intersection with massless quarks at finite T and chemical potential µ with smeared D5s
- Construction of analytic, peturbative solution in 2 parameters. Regime of validity

$$\frac{n_f}{T} \gg \frac{n_b}{T^3}, \quad \frac{N_c}{\lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}} \gg \frac{n_f}{T}$$
 (36)

- In this regime we obtain consistent anisotropic thermodynamics and we computed quark-antiquark potentials, EE
- ▶ Results for *E*, *s* and pressures show additional d.o.f. along the (2+1)-d intersection
- These d.o.f. also increase EE
- These d.o.f. also contribute to the screening of color charges in  $q\bar{q}$  potentials
- ► Hydrodynamics show increase in transport coefficient. ⇒ Tending to (2+1)-d dynamics
- $\blacktriangleright$  EE show correlations between flavors in  $\perp$  directions for small distances

# What to do with this? Extensions

- Construct a numerical solution valid for any election of parameters
- Construct solutions interpolating between the black hole geometry in 1710.00548, non analytic in  $N_f$  and with Lifshitz-like scaling symmetry
- Classify all possible solutions studying different boundary conditions
- The regime of large µ and small T can be used to extract an equation of state to model neutron stars with anisotropic pressures (leading to more compact neutron stars. Connections with black hole no-hair relations)
- Add D7-brane probes to study anisotropic physics of holographic multilayer theories as in 1909.01864 (Gran, Jokela, Musso, Ramallo, Tornsö). Modelling 'graphene'
- Extend to other dimensions of defect and ambient theory: D2-D6 geometry of 1505.00210 (Faedo, Mateos, Tarrio) or D3-D3' geometry 2112.13677 (Jokela, J. M. P., Rigatos)

# Thanks for your attention!