# Current distribution for a two-species particle model from first principles

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### KPZ growth

- Stochastic growth normal to the surface
- Kardar-Parisi-Zhang (KPZ) 1986
- Basic object: (random) height function h(x, t)

KPZ equation (nonlinear stochastic PDE):

#### **KPZ** equation

 $\partial_t h(t,x) = \frac{1}{2} \partial_x^2 h(t,x) + \frac{1}{2} \left( \partial_x h(t,x) \right)^2 + \xi(t,x)$ 

Claim: Diffusion + non-linearity + space-time Gaussian white noise correctly describes 1+1D surface growth

Realisation in liquid crystal growth: Takeuchi lab

KPZ growth

# 1+1D Growth



Takeuchi and Sasamoto, Tokyo 2017

# 1+1D Growth

Flat

Flat initial conditions

# KPZ growth

Theorem (Non-Gaussian fluctuations)

 $h\sim \nu t+ct^{1/3},\quad t\to\infty$ 

Transformation to Stochastic Heat Equation (SHE):

 $h(t, x) := \log z(t, x).$ 

#### SHE equation

$$\partial_t z(t,x) = \frac{1}{2} \partial_x^2 z(t,x) + \xi(t,x) z(t,x)$$

#### KPZ growth

### Fluctuations

The Laplace transform formula for z(t, x) can be written as a Fredholm determinant

Theorem (Laplace transform of SHE)

$$\begin{split} \mathbb{E}[e^{-\zeta z(t,0)}] &= det(I-K_{\zeta})_{L^{2}(\mathbb{R}_{+})}\\ K_{\zeta}(\eta,\eta') &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{\zeta}{\zeta + e^{-\xi t^{1/2}}} Ai(\xi + \eta) Ai(\xi + \eta') d\xi. \end{split}$$

Theorem (Fluctuations of SHE)

$$\lim_{t \to \infty} P\left(\frac{h(t, x) - t}{t^{1/3}} < s\right) = F_{\text{GUE}}(s).$$

 $\mathsf{F}_{\mathsf{GUE}}(s)$  is the Tracy-Widom distribution of the Gaussian Unitary Ensemble of random matrix theory.

#### Exclusion Proces

# Universality

The Tracy-Widom distribution also appears in the asymmetric exclusion process on Z.



FIGURE 4. ASEP particle configuration with possible jumps and rates denoted by arrows.

Let  $N_{y}(t)$  be the number of particles to have crossed a given site y after time t.

Let 
$$Q_y(t)=\tau^{N_y(t)}$$
 with  $\tau=\frac{p}{q}$  and 
$$\widetilde{Q}_y(t)=\frac{Q_y(t)-Q_{y-1}(t)}{\tau-1}.$$

### Fundamental solution of ASEP

Theorem (Fundamental solution of ASEP)

$$\mathbb{E}[\widetilde{Q}_{x_1}(t)\cdots\widetilde{Q}_{x_k}(t)] = \oint \cdots \oint \prod_{1 \leqslant i < j \leqslant k} \frac{z_i - z_j}{z_i - \tau z_j} \prod_{j=1}^k e^{-\lambda(z_j)t} \left(\frac{1 + z_j/\tau}{1 + z_j}\right)^{x_j+1} dz_j$$

Fluctuations of particle flow across the origin follow KPZ statistics given by the Tracy-Widom distribution:

Theorem (Fluctuations of ASEP)

$$\lim_{t\to\infty} P\left(\frac{N_0(t)-\nu t}{t^{1/3}}>-s\right)=F_{\mathsf{GUE}}(s).$$

### Summary

### Ingredients:

- Integrable stochastic lattice model
- Observable expressed in terms of k-fold integral
- Asympotics for large  $k \rightarrow$  Fredholm determinant
- Saddle point analysis

### New results:

- Rank two model
- Dynamic poles in integral (from nested Bethe ansatz)
- Combination of Gaussian and GUE modes

#### Multi-species model

### AHR model

Introduced by Arndt-Heinzl-Rittenberg, the transition rates are

$$\begin{aligned} p: & (\bullet, \cdot) \to (\cdot, \bullet) \\ p': & (\cdot, \circ) \to (\circ, \cdot) \\ 1: & (\bullet, \circ) \to (\circ, \bullet) \end{aligned}$$

Throughout we will take  $p + p' = 1 \rightarrow$  factorised steady state.



# Nonlinear Fluctuating Hydrodynamics

Continuity equation

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{t})}{\partial \mathbf{t}} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{j}(\mathbf{u}(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{t}))}{\partial \mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{0},$$

where  $u(x,t)=(\rho_+,\rho_-)$  and  $\boldsymbol{j}(u)=(j_+,j_-)$  given by non-linear flows

$$\begin{split} j_+(u) &= \rho_+(1-\rho_+-\rho_-)+2\rho_+\rho_-,\\ j_-(u) &= -(1-\rho_+-\rho_-)\rho_--2\rho_+\rho_-\,. \end{split}$$

Adding diffusion and noise, heuristic non-linear fluctuating hydrodynamics (NLFHD) leads to

$$P_{\text{crossing}}(t) \sim F_{\text{GUE}}(s_{+})F_{\text{Gauss}}(s_{-}),$$

where  $s_{\pm}$  are eigenmodes.

Aim of this talk is to rigorously prove this.

### Green's function

Let  $\vec{z} = \vec{x} \cup \vec{y}$  be coordinates of + and - particles.

### Definition

The Green function satisfies the master equation

$$\frac{\mathsf{d}}{\mathsf{d}\,\mathsf{t}}\,\mathsf{G}\,(\vec{z};\mathsf{t}) = \sum_{\vec{z}'}\,\mathsf{M}_{\vec{z};\vec{z}'}\,\mathsf{G}\,(\vec{z}',\mathsf{t});\qquad\mathsf{t}>\mathsf{0},$$

and initial condition

$$G(\vec{x};\vec{y};\mathbf{0}) = \prod_{i=1}^n \delta_{x_i,x_i^0} \prod_{j=1}^m \delta_{y_j,y_j^0}$$

Explicit form can be determined by Bethe ansatz using boundary conditions:

Exclusion:  $G(x, x; \vec{y}; t) = G(x, x + 1; \vec{y}; t)$ ,

 $\label{eq:scattering: G(y;y+1;t) = qG(y+1;y+1;t) + pG(y;y;t).$ 

### Green's function

Initial conditions: assume  $x_i^0 < y_{k'}^0$  i.e. at t = 0 all • particles are to the left of all • particles.

**Final condition**:  $x_i > y_{k'}$  i.e. at time t all  $\circ$  particles are to the left of all  $\bullet$  particles.

Then

$$\begin{split} G(x_j,y_k,t) = & \oint \prod_{j=1}^n d\, z_j \prod_{k=1}^m d\, w_k \, \boldsymbol{e^{At}} \prod_{k=1}^m \prod_{j=1}^n \frac{1}{qz_j + pw_k} \\ & \times \det\left(\left(\frac{z_j-1}{z_i-1}\right)^{j-1} z_i^{x_j}\right) z_j^{-x_j^0-1} \\ & \quad \times \det\left(\left(\frac{w_k-1}{w_\ell-1}\right)^{m-k} w_\ell^{-y_k}\right) w_k^{y_k^0-1}, \end{split}$$

with all contours around the origin, and with eigenvalue

$$\Lambda = p \sum_{j=1}^{n} (z_j^{-1} - 1) + q \sum_{k=1}^{m} (w_k^{-1} - 1).$$

# Current distribution: step initial condition

Given the following step initial condition



#### Then

$$\mathbb{P}(x_{1}(t) \ge s) = \sum_{x_{1}=s}^{\infty} \cdots \sum_{x_{n}=x_{n-1}+1}^{\infty} \sum_{y_{1}=-\infty}^{-n} \cdots \sum_{y_{n}=y_{n-1}+1}^{-1} G(\{x_{j}\}; \{y_{k}\}; t),$$

### Proposition

 $\mathbb{P}(x_1(t) \geqslant 0) =$ 

$$\oint \prod_{j=1}^{n} dz_{j} \prod_{k=1}^{m} dw_{k} e^{\Lambda t} \frac{\prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} (z_{i} - z_{j}) \prod_{1 \leq k < l \leq m} (w_{l} - w_{k}) \prod_{j=1}^{n} z_{j}^{n-j+s} \prod_{k=1}^{m} w_{k}^{k-1}}{\prod_{j=1}^{n} (z_{j} - 1)^{n+1-j} \prod_{k=1}^{m} (w_{k} - 1)^{k} \prod_{j=1}^{n} \prod_{k=1}^{m} (qz_{j} + pw_{k})},$$

with all contours around the origin.

#### Current distribution

### Current distribution

- $e^{\Lambda t}$  produces an essential singularity at origin:  $\Lambda = p \sum_{j=1}^{n} (z_j^{-1} 1) + q \sum_{k=1}^{m} (w_k^{-1} 1)$ .
- Deform w-contours to lie around poles other than the origin
- Only (simple) poles at w = 1 give nonzero contribution

### After evaluating the residues in w, we get

### Proposition

$$\mathbb{P}(\mathbf{x}_{1}(t) \ge \mathbf{0}) = \oint \prod_{j=1}^{n} \frac{\mathsf{d} z_{j}}{2\pi i} \, \mathbf{e}^{\mathbf{\tilde{A}}t} \, \frac{\prod_{1 \le i < j \le n} (z_{i} - z_{j}) \prod_{j=1}^{n} z_{j}^{n-j}}{\prod_{j=1}^{n} (z_{j} - 1)^{n+1-j} \prod_{j=1}^{n} \left(qz_{j} + p\right)^{m}}$$

### TASEP limit

### Corollary

When n = m and p = q = 1/2 we retrieve the same distribution as for the single species TASEP under step initial condition, i.e.

$$P_{n,n,1}(t) = \frac{1}{n!} \oint \prod_{j=1}^{n} dx_j e^{\mathcal{E}t} \frac{\prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} (x_i - x_j)^2}{\prod_{j=1}^{n} (x_j - 1)^n},$$

where the contours are still around the origin and  $\mathcal{E} = \sum_{j=1}^{n} (x_j^{-1} - 1)$ .

This is made explicit by symmetrising and the simple change of variable  $z_j = x_j/(2 - x_j)$ .

From known analysis (Tracy-Widom) this probability converges to the GUE distribution as  $n,t \rightarrow \infty.$ 

# Step-Bernoulli condition



Let the distance among positive particles be independently distributed with parameter  $\rho'$ ,

#### Proposition

The total exchange probability  $P_{n,m,\rho}(t)$  with Bernoulli initial data is given by

$$\begin{split} P_{n,m,\rho}(t) = \oint \prod_{j=1}^{n} dz_{j} \prod_{k=1}^{m} dw_{k} e^{\Lambda_{n,m} t} \times \\ & \frac{\rho^{n} \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} (z_{i} - z_{j}) \prod_{1 \leq k < l \leq m} (w_{l} - w_{k}) \prod_{j=1}^{n} z_{j}^{n-j} \prod_{k=1}^{m} w_{k}^{k-1}}{\prod_{j=1}^{n} (z_{j} - 1)^{n+1-j} (1 - \rho' z_{j}) \prod_{k=1}^{m} (w_{k} - 1)^{k} \prod_{j=1}^{n} \prod_{k=1}^{m} (qz_{j} + pw_{k})}, \end{split}$$

with all contours around the origin.

### The *w*-contours can be readily evaluated if n > m but not when n < m

# Exchange



#### Asymptotic

### Asymptotics

Non-linear fluctuating hydrodynamics (KPZ formalism) suggests a scaling limit of the form

$$\begin{split} n &= j_1 t + \alpha t^{1/3} + \beta t^{1/2}, \\ m &= j_2 t + \gamma t^{1/3} + \delta t^{1/2}, \end{split}$$

where  $j_{1,2}$ ,  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$ ,  $\delta$  are known functions of  $\rho'$ , and n < m.

Need to analyse

$$P_{n,m,\rho}(t) = \underbrace{\oint \dots \oint}_{n \times m} \text{ factorised integrand}$$

where n, m, t are large.

Trick: Convert to Fredholm determinant:

$$P_{n,m,\rho}(t) = \det(\mathbb{I} - AB)_{m \times m} = \det(\mathbb{I} - BA)_{L^{2}(\mathbb{R})},$$

where n, m, t all occur as parameters in BA.

#### Asymptotic

# Example

After symmetrising and deforming contours, P involves integrals of the form

$$\mathbb{I} = \frac{1}{m!} \oint_{0,1,-1} d^m \, w \, \frac{e^{\tilde{\Lambda}_m t} \prod_{1 \leqslant k < \ell \leqslant m} (w_\ell - w_k)^2}{\prod_{k=1}^m w_k^m (w_k - 1)^m \prod_{k=1}^m (\frac{1}{2}(1 + 1/w_k))^n}$$

where  $\tilde{\Lambda}_m = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^{m} (w_k - 1)$ .

This expression can be written as

$$\mathbb{J} = \frac{1}{m!} \oint_{0,1,-1} \frac{\mathsf{d}^m w}{\prod_{k=1}^m w_k} \frac{\prod_{1 \leq k \neq \ell \leq m} (1 - w_k / w_\ell)}{\prod_{k,\ell=1}^m (1 - a_\ell / w_k)} \prod_{k=1}^m \frac{g_{n,m}(w_k, \mathbf{0})}{g_{n,m}(a_k, \mathbf{0})}$$

with

$$g_{n,m}(w,x) = \left(\frac{w}{w+1}\right)^n w^{x-m} e^{wt/2},$$

 $\text{ and } \alpha_k = 1, \quad 1 \leqslant k \leqslant m.$ 

Assuming first that  $|a_k| < 1$ , the integral I can be written as a Fredholm determinant

$$\mathcal{I} = \det(\mathbb{I} - \mathsf{K}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})).$$

# Example

### The kernel

$$K(x,y) = \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \varphi_k(x) \psi_k(y),$$

### with

$$\begin{split} \varphi_{k}(\mathbf{x}) &= \oint_{1} \mathsf{d} \, w \, \frac{1}{w^{x+1}} \left( \frac{1+w}{w} \right)^{n} \left( \frac{w}{1-w} \right)^{k+1} \mathsf{e}^{-wt/2}, \\ \varphi_{k}(\mathbf{x}) &= \oint_{0,-1} \mathsf{d} \, w \, w^{x-2} \left( \frac{w}{1+w} \right)^{n} \left( \frac{1-w}{w} \right)^{k} \mathsf{e}^{wt/2}, \end{split}$$

in which the pole at w = 1 is separated from the poles at w = -1, 0.

We rewrite this integral

$$\varphi_k(x) = \oint_1 \frac{dw}{2\pi i} \ e^{f(w)t}$$

with  $k \sim m$  and

$$f(w)\mathbf{t} = \mathbf{n}\log\left(\frac{1+w}{w}\right) + (\mathbf{m} - \kappa_1 \mathbf{t}^{1/3}\log\left(\frac{w}{1-w}\right) - \xi_1 \mathbf{t}^{1/3}\log(w) - \frac{1}{2}w\mathbf{t},$$

#### Asymptotics

In the scaling limit, f(w) has the **double saddle point** at  $w^* = \rho'/2$ :



Contours for  $\phi_k(x)$ , around 1, and  $\psi_k(x)$ ; joint saddle at  $w^* = \rho'/2$ .

$$f(w)t = f(w^*)t - c_1(w - w^*)t^{1/3} + c_2(w - w^*)^3t + \dots$$

Define the scaling variable v by

$$w - w^* = \frac{iv}{t^{1/3}}c_3$$

The function f(w) behaves asymptotically as

$$f(w)\mathbf{t} = f(w^*)\mathbf{t} - iv^3 - iv(\kappa + \xi) + O(\mathbf{t}^{-1/6}).$$

This leads to

$$\varphi_{\mathfrak{m}-\mathfrak{t}^{1/3}\kappa}(\mathfrak{t}^{1/3}\xi)\sim \!\!\!e^{f(\mathfrak{w}^*)\mathfrak{t}}\,\text{Ai}\,\Bigl(\kappa+\xi\Bigr).$$

The scaled kernel therefore has the long time limit

$$K_t(\xi,\zeta) \to \int_0^\infty Ai\left(\kappa + \xi\right) Ai\left(\kappa + \zeta\right) d\,\kappa := A(\xi,\zeta) \qquad \text{as } t \to \infty.$$

### Proposition

The functions  $\varphi_k$  and  $\psi_k$  behave asymptotically as Airy functions. In the scaling limit the integral I therefore satisfies

$$\mathbb{J} \sim det(1 - K(\xi t^{1/3}, \zeta t^{1/3}) = det(1 - K_t(\xi, \zeta)),$$

such that

$$\lim_{t\to\infty} K_t(\xi,\zeta) = \int_0^\infty Ai(\kappa+\xi)Ai(\kappa+\zeta) d\kappa.$$

### Non-Gaussian distribution function

#### Asymptotics

### Nested poles

The crossing probability involves mixed integrals of the form

$$\begin{split} \mathfrak{I}_{z} \times \mathfrak{I}_{w} &:= \frac{1}{n!} \oint_{1} \mathsf{d}^{n} \, z \, \frac{\mathsf{e}^{\Lambda_{n} t} \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} (z_{i} - z_{j})^{2} \prod_{j=1}^{n} (1 - \rho' z_{j})}{\prod_{j=1}^{n} (z_{j} - 1)^{n} (\frac{1}{2} (1 + z_{j}))^{m}} \times \\ & \frac{1}{m!} \oint_{0, \pm 1, -\rho'} \mathsf{d}^{m} \, w \, \mathsf{e}^{\tilde{\Lambda}_{m} t} \frac{\prod_{1 \leq k < l \leq m} (w_{l} - w_{k})^{2}}{\prod_{k=1}^{m} w_{k}^{m-n} (w_{k} - 1)^{m}} \times \\ & \prod_{k=1}^{m} \frac{1 + 1/\rho'}{1 + w_{k}/\rho'} \prod_{j=1}^{n-1} \prod_{k=1}^{m} \frac{1 + z_{j}}{1 + z_{j} w_{k}} \end{split}$$

The integral  $\mathcal{I}_w$  now depends on  $\{z_j\}$ . The Fredholm kernel is

$$K(x,y) = \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \varphi_k(x) \psi_k(y),$$

and

$$\phi_{k}(x) = \oint_{1} dw \, \frac{1 + w/\rho'}{w^{x+1}(w-1)} \prod_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{1 + z_{j}w}{w} \left(\frac{w}{1-w}\right)^{k} e^{-wt/2}.$$

#### Asymptotic

### Dominant contribution

Consider the contributions arising from the **combined** poles at  $z_j = 1$  and  $w_k = 1$  in  $\mathcal{I}_z \times \mathcal{I}_w$ 

$$\oint_1 \mathsf{d}^n z \, \frac{\prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} (z_i - z_j)^2}{\prod_{j=1}^n (z_j - 1)^n} \times \oint_1 \mathsf{d}^m w \, \frac{\prod_{1 \leq k < l \leq m} (w_l - w_k)^2}{\prod_{k=1}^m (w_k - 1)^m} \prod_{j=1}^{n-1} \prod_{k=1}^m \frac{1 + z_j}{1 + z_j w_k}.$$

• The mixed factors in  $\phi_k$  expand near z = 1

$$\frac{1+z}{1+zw} = \frac{2}{w+1} + O((z-1)(w-1)).$$

- For the combined poles, we can set  $z_j = 1$  in  $\varphi_k(x)$
- $\Rightarrow$  the *z* and *w* integration factorises

#### Asymptotics

### Final result

### The *z*-integration produces a Gaussian and the *w*-integration a GUE distribution.

#### Theorem

In the appropriate scaling limit

$$\lim_{t \to \infty} P_{n,m,\rho}(t) = F_{\text{GUE}}(s_+)F_{\text{Gauss}}(s_-),$$

$$s_{-}(n,m;t) =: \frac{1}{c_{2}t^{1/3}} \left( (1+\rho)n - (3-\rho)m + \frac{1}{2}(1-\rho)(1-(1-\rho)^{2}/4)t \right)$$
  
$$s_{+}(n,m;t) =: \frac{1}{c_{g}t^{1/2}} \left( -2(2-\rho)n + 2\rho m + (2-\rho)(1-\rho)\rho t \right),$$



### Conclusion

- (First) proof of Nonlinear Fluctuating Hydrodynamics for a two-component mixture
- Using integrability
- Mix of Gaussian and KPZ modes
- Dynamic poles in integrand

# Universality in Nagel-Schreckenberg model

Joint work with Andreas Schadschneider, Johannes Schmidt, Gunter Schütz.

### NaSch definition:

Acceleration:

 $\nu_n \rightarrow \min{(\nu_n + 1, \nu_{max})}$ 

 $\textcircled{0} \quad \text{Deceleration: If } \nu_n > d_n \text{ i.e.}$ 

 $\nu_n \rightarrow \min(\nu_n, d_n)$ 

Randomisation:

 $\nu_n \xrightarrow{p_s} \max(\nu_n - 1, 0)$ .

Vehicle movement:

 $x_n \to x_n + \nu_n$ 

At  $v_{max} = 1$  this is equivalent to (discrete time) TASEP.

Does KPZ universality survive when  $v_{max} > 1$ ?

$$S(x,t) = \langle u(x,t)u(0,0)\rangle \simeq t^{-2/3}f_{\mathsf{PS}}\left(t^{-2/3}(x-\nu t)\right)$$

with the Prähofer-Spohn scaling function  $f_{\mbox{\scriptsize PS}}.$ 



#### Nagel-Schreckenberg

# Integrated current

$$J_t = \int_0^t [j(0,s) - j(\rho)] ds - \int_0^{v_{col}t} u(x,0) dx$$

$$\mathcal{P}(J,t) \simeq t^{-1/3} F_{\mathsf{BR}} \left( -J \cdot t^{-1/3} \right)$$

with the Baik-Rains scaling function  $F_{\mathsf{BR}}(\mathbf{x}).$ 

For  $v_{max} = 3$ :

