## Line defects in O(N) and Yukawa CFTs

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### Motivation

• See Davide's and Julien's talk!

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$$f^{1\hat{a}1\hat{b}}(\chi) = \delta^{\hat{a}\hat{b}} \chi^{\Delta_{\hat{\phi}^1} + \Delta_t} + \varepsilon \delta^{\hat{a}\hat{b}} \frac{\kappa_2}{\kappa_1(N+8)} \left( \chi \log(1-\chi) + \frac{\chi^2}{1-\chi} \log \chi \right) \ .$$

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$$\begin{split} f_{12,34}^{ijkl}(\chi) &= \delta^{ij} \delta^{kl}(\bar{s}_1 \gamma^0 s_2) (\bar{s}_3 \gamma^0 s_4) + \frac{\varepsilon}{64\kappa_1} \delta^{ij} \delta^{kl}(\bar{s}_1 \Sigma^a \gamma^0 s_2) (\bar{s}_3 \Sigma^a \gamma^0 s_4) \\ &\times \frac{\chi}{(1-\chi)^2} \left( (1-\chi)(2-\chi) + \chi^2(2-\chi) \log \chi + \chi(1-\chi)^2 \log(1-\chi) \right) \,. \end{split}$$

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$\Delta_V$	$2+1.18\epsilon$	$2+1.100\epsilon$	$2 + 0.49\overline{09}\epsilon$
$\lambda_{tt\hat{\phi}}$	$0.947226\epsilon$	$2.1893\epsilon$	$1.6075\epsilon$
$\lambda_{\hat{\phi}\hat{\phi}\hat{\phi}}$	$2.84168\epsilon$	$6.56789\epsilon$	$4.82249\epsilon$

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# Defect OPE and defect blocks

Besides the usual bulk OPE:

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we gain access to the bulk-to-defect OPE

$$\mathcal{O}(x) \sim \sum_{k} \frac{b_{\mathcal{O}\hat{\mathcal{O}}}}{|x^{\perp}|^{\Delta - \hat{\Delta}}} C\left(|x^{\perp}|^{2} \hat{\partial}^{2}\right) \hat{\mathcal{O}}_{k}(\hat{x})$$

to expand bulk operators in defect operators. With the two OPEs, the 2-point function can be expanded in defect channel or bulk channel blocks:

$$\mathcal{F}(r,w) = \sum_{\hat{\mathcal{O}}_k} \hat{b}_{1k} \hat{b}_{2k} \hat{f}_{\hat{\Delta}_k,\hat{j}_k,s_k}(r,w), \quad \mathcal{F}(r,w) = \sum_{\mathcal{O}_k} \lambda_{12k} a_k f_{\Delta_k,\ell_k}^{\Delta_{12}}(r,w).$$

# **One-dimensional CFTs**

- Operators ordered on the line:  $\tau_1 < \tau_2 < \tau_3 < \tau_4$ .
- Crossing symmetry follows from cyclicity.



$$\sum_{\mathcal{O}} \lambda_{ij\mathcal{O}} \lambda_{kl\mathcal{O}} (1-\xi)^{\Delta_k + \Delta_j} g_{\Delta}^{\Delta_{ij}, \Delta_{kl}}(\xi) = \sum_{\mathcal{O}} \lambda_{kj\mathcal{O}} \lambda_{il\mathcal{O}} \xi^{\Delta_i + \Delta_j} g_{\Delta}^{\Delta_{kj}, \Delta_{il}} (1-\xi) \,.$$

• No parallel spin  $\ell$ . Instead, there is parity (and transverse spin s)  $S: \quad \tau \to -\tau$ ,  $S(\psi(\tau)) = (-1)^{S_{\psi}}\psi(-\tau)$ ,  $S_{\psi} = 0, 1$ .

#### The numerical bootstrap

Functionals to rule out possible solutions

$$\lambda_{\mathcal{O}'}^2 \alpha \Big( \mathcal{F}_{\Delta_{\mathcal{O}'}} \Big) = -\alpha \Big( \mathcal{F}_0 \Big) - \sum_{\mathcal{O}} \lambda_{\mathcal{O}}^2 \alpha \Big( \mathcal{F}_{\Delta_{\mathcal{O}}} \Big) \,.$$

• Upper bound if you can find  $\alpha$  s.t.

$$\alpha \Big( \mathcal{F}_{\Delta_{\mathcal{O}'}} \Big) = 1 , \quad \alpha \Big( \mathcal{F}_{\Delta_{\mathcal{O}}} \Big) \ge 0 .$$

- Allowed and disallowed solutions for conformal dimensions.
- Upper and lower bounds for OPE coefficients.

# Magnetic line bootstrap

• Feature for 
$$\Delta_{\phi_1} = 1.55$$
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Figure: Upper bounds on the OPE coefficient  $\lambda_{\phi_1\phi_1\phi_1}$  as a function of  $\lambda_{tt\phi_1}$ .

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# Crossing equations



• We obtain the following crossing equations:

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$$g_{\Delta}^{\Delta_{ij},\Delta_{kl}}(\xi) = \xi^{\Delta}_{2}F_{1}(\Delta - \Delta_{ij},\Delta + \Delta_{kl};2\Delta;\xi).$$

• Straightforward solutions: generalized free fields.

# O(N) line defect: more results



Figure: Bounds on the dimension of the S-parity odd scalar  $(t\bar{t})^-$  vs. the S-parity even scalar  $(t\bar{t})^+$  gap vs. the gap on  $t^2$ .  $\Lambda = 33$ .

# Magnetic line bootstrap

• We bootstrap the tilt and the fundamental scalar:

 $\begin{array}{l} \langle t(\tau_1)\overline{t}(\tau_2)t(\tau_3)\overline{t}(\tau_4)\rangle , \quad \langle \phi_1(\tau_1)\phi_1(\tau_2)\phi_1(\tau_3)\phi_1(\tau_4)\rangle , \\ \langle t(\tau_1)\overline{t}(\tau_2)\phi_1(\tau_3)\phi_1(\tau_4)\rangle . \end{array}$ 

Special feature: externals appear in OPE

$$\phi_1 \times \phi_1 \sim \mathbf{1} + \phi_1 + s_- + \cdots, \quad (t \times \overline{t})^+ \sim \mathbf{1} + \phi_1 + s_- + \cdots, \\ (t \times \overline{t})^- \sim A + \cdots, \quad t \times t \sim T + \cdots, \quad t \times \phi_1 \sim t + V + \cdots,$$

- Reminiscent of Ising model island!
- Gap assumptions from  $\varepsilon$ -expansion results at  $O(\varepsilon)$  :

$$\Delta_{s_-} = 2.36 \ , \qquad \Delta_{A} = 3 \ , \qquad \Delta_{T} = 2.18 \ , \qquad \Delta_{V} = 3.18 \ ,$$

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Figure: Bounds on the scaling dimensions  $\Delta_{\phi_1}$  and  $\Delta_t$  for  $\Lambda = 21$ .

- Close to rediscovering the tilt!
- Set  $\Delta_t = 1$  and bootstrap

$$(\lambda_{\phi_1\phi_1\phi_1})^2 + (\lambda_{tt\phi_1})^2 \,, \quad an heta = rac{\lambda_{\phi_1\phi_1\phi_1}}{\lambda_{tt\phi_1}} \,.$$

# Monodromy line defect

 Start from N = 2 real scalars combined in a complex scalar Φ that satisfies

$$\Phi(r, \theta+2\pi, \vec{x})=e^{2\pi i v}\Phi(r, \theta, \vec{x})\,,\quad v\sim v+1\,,\quad v\in [0,1)\;.$$

• The defect modes  $\Psi$  of  $\Phi$  will have fractional transverse spin  $s \in \mathbb{Z} + v$  and dimensions [Söderberg 2017][Giombi et al. 2021]

$$\Delta_{\Psi_s} = 1 + |s| - rac{arepsilon}{2} + rac{1}{5} rac{v(v-1)}{|s|} arepsilon + O(arepsilon^2) \,.$$

 Generalization of Z<sub>2</sub> Ising twist defect [Gaiotto et al. 2013] [Billó et al. 2013]
## Monodromy bootstrap

- D appears in the OPE of defect modes:  $\Psi_{\nu}\times\bar{\Psi}_{\nu-1}\sim \mathsf{D}+\cdots\,.$
- We bootstrap the defect modes of the fundamental scalar

$$\begin{array}{c} \left\langle \Psi_{\nu}(\tau_{1})\Psi_{\nu}(\tau_{2})\bar{\Psi}_{\nu}(\tau_{3})\bar{\Psi}_{\nu}(\tau_{4})\right\rangle, \quad \left\langle \Psi_{\nu-1}(\tau_{1})\Psi_{\nu-1}(\tau_{2})\bar{\Psi}_{\nu-1}(\tau_{3})\bar{\Psi}_{\nu-1}(\tau_{4})\right\rangle, \\ \left\langle \Psi_{\nu}(\tau_{1})\Psi_{\nu-1}(\tau_{2})\bar{\Psi}_{\nu-1}(\tau_{3})\bar{\Psi}_{\nu}(\tau_{4})\right\rangle. \end{array}$$

• Only information we give is appearance of D and the external dimensions of  $\Delta_{\Psi_{\nu}}, \Delta_{\Psi_{\nu-1}}$ .

## Monodromy bootstrap

