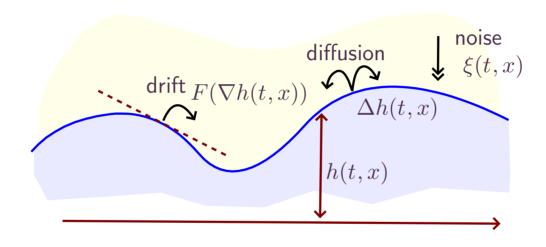
### Kardar-Parisi-Zhang equation

Kardar, Parisi and Zhang ('80) introduced an equation for the large scale dynamics of a growing interface. It takes into account three effects: drift, diffusion, noise:

$$\partial_t h(t,x) = \Delta h(t,x) + F(\partial_x h(t,x)) + \xi(t,x), \qquad x \in \mathbb{T}, t \geqslant 0$$



$$\langle \xi(t,x)\xi(s,y)\rangle = \delta(t-s)\,\delta(x-y)$$

Expansion aroung a flat interface :

$$F(\partial_x h(t,x)) = c_0 + c_1 \partial_x h(t,x) + c_2 (\partial_x h(t,x))^2 + \cdots$$

#### KPZ and the Stochastic Burgers Equation

$$\partial_t h(t,x) = \Delta h(t,x) + c_0 + c_1 \partial_x h(t,x) + c_2 (\partial_x h(t,x))^2 + \dots + \xi(t,x), \qquad x \in \mathbb{T}, t \geqslant 0$$

The  $c_0$  and  $c_1$  contributions can be eliminated by the Galileian transformation

$$h(t,x) \rightarrow h(t,x-c_1t) + c_0t$$

and fix  $c_2 = 1$  by rescaling. Finally drop all the higher order contributions to get the **KPZ** equation

$$\partial_t h(t,x) = \Delta h(t,x) + (\partial_x h(t,x))^2 + \xi(t,x), \qquad x \in \mathbb{T}, t \geqslant 0$$

Setting  $u = \partial_x h$  we get the **stochastic Burgers equation** 

$$\partial_t u(t,x) = \Delta u(t,x) + \partial_x (u(t,x))^2 + \partial_x \xi(t,x), \qquad x \in \mathbb{T}, t \geqslant 0$$

which is equivalent to KPZ.

### First order approximation

ightharpoonup Invariant measure: Formally the SBE leaves invariant the space white noise: if  $u_0$  has a Gaussian distribution with covariance  $\mathbb{E}[u_0(x)u_0(y)] = \delta(x-y)$  then for all  $t \geqslant 0$  the random function  $u(t,\cdot)$  has a Gaussian law with the same covariance.

 $\triangleright$  First order approximation: Let X(t,x) be the solution of the linear equation

$$\partial_t X(t,x) = \Delta X(t,x) + \partial_x \xi(t,x), \qquad x \in \mathbb{T}, t \geqslant 0$$

given by

$$X(t,x) = \int_{-\infty}^{t} dr \int_{\mathbb{T}} dy \, \partial_x p_{t-r}(x-y) \xi(r,y)$$

Then X is a stationary Gaussian process with covariance

$$\mathbb{E}[X(t,x) X(s,y)] = p_{|t-s|}(x-y).$$

A computation gives that, almost surely  $X(t,\cdot) \in \mathscr{C}^{\gamma}$  for any  $\gamma < -1/2$  and any  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ . Note also that for any  $t \in \mathbb{R}$   $X(t,\cdot)$  has the law of the white noise over  $\mathbb{T}$ .

## Higher order approximations

ightharpoonup Let  $u=X+u_1$  and  $L=\partial_t-\Delta$  then  $L\,u=\partial_x u^2+\partial_x \xi$ ,  $L\,X=\xi$  and

$$Lu_1 = \partial_x (u_1 + X)^2 = \underbrace{\partial_x X^2}_{-2 -} + 2\partial_x (u_1 X) + \partial_x u_1^2$$

 $\triangleright$  Let  $X^{\mathbf{V}}$  be the solution to

$$LX^{\mathbf{V}} = \partial_x X^2 \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad X^{\mathbf{V}} \in \mathscr{C}^{0-}$$

and decompose further  $u_1 = X^{\mathbf{V}} + u_2$ . Then

$$Lu_2 = \underbrace{2\partial_x(X^{\mathbf{V}}X)}_{-3/2-} + 2\partial_x(u_2X) + \underbrace{\partial_x(X^{\mathbf{V}}X^{\mathbf{V}})}_{-1-} + 2\partial_x(u_2X^{\mathbf{V}}) + \partial_x(u_2)^2$$

 $\triangleright$  Define  $LX^{\mathbf{V}} = 2\partial_x(X^{\mathbf{V}}X)$  and  $u_2 = X^{\mathbf{V}} + u_3$  then  $X^{\mathbf{V}} \in \mathscr{C}^{1/2-1}$ 

$$Lu_3 = \underbrace{2\partial_x(u_3X)}_{-3/2-} + \underbrace{2\partial_x(X^{\mathbf{V}}X)}_{-1-} + \underbrace{\partial_x(X^{\mathbf{V}}X^{\mathbf{V}})}_{-1-} + 2\partial_x(u_2X^{\mathbf{V}}) + \partial_x(u_2)^2$$

## Binary trees

 $\triangleright$  Binary trees. The expansion generates a certain number of explicit terms, obtained via various combinations of X and of a bilinear map B given by

$$LB(f,g) = \partial_x(fg)$$

These terms can be described in terms of binary trees. A binary tree  $\tau \in \mathcal{T}$  is either the root  $\bullet$  or the combination of two smaller binary trees  $\tau = (\tau_1 \tau_2)$ . The natural grading  $d: \mathcal{T} \to \mathbb{N}$  is given by  $d(\bullet) = 0$  and  $d((\tau_1 \tau_2)) = 1 + d(\tau_1) + d(\tau_2)$ .

Define recursively a map  $X: \mathcal{T} \to C(\mathbb{R}_+; \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{T}))$  by

$$X^{\bullet} = X, \qquad X^{(\tau_1 \tau_2)} = B(X^{\tau_1}, X^{\tau_2})$$

giving

$$X^{\mathbf{V}} = B(X, X), \quad X^{\mathbf{V}} = B(X, X^{\mathbf{V}}), \quad X^{\mathbf{V}} = B(X, X^{\mathbf{V}}), \quad X^{\mathbf{V}} = B(X^{\mathbf{V}}, X^{\mathbf{V}})$$

and so on, where

$$(\bullet \bullet) = V, \quad (V \bullet) = V, \quad (\bullet V) = V, \quad (V V) = V, \quad \dots$$

#### Formal expansion

$$u = \sum_{\tau \in \mathcal{T}} c(\tau) X^{\tau}$$

where  $c(\tau)$  is a combinatorial factor counting the number of planar trees which are isomorphic (as graphs) to  $\tau$ . For example  $c(\bullet)=1$ ,  $c(\mathbf{V})=1$ ,  $c(\mathbf{V})=2$ ,  $c(\mathbf{V})=4$ ,  $c(\mathbf{V})=4$  and in general  $c(\tau)=\sum_{\tau_1,\tau_2\in\mathcal{T}}\mathbb{I}_{(\tau_1\tau_2)=\tau}c(\tau_1)c(\tau_2)$ .

> We can also write an equation for the truncated series. Setting

$$u = \sum_{\tau \in \mathcal{T}, d(\tau) < n} c(\tau) X^{\tau} + U$$

we have that the equation satisfied by U is obtained from the fixed point equation

$$u = X + B(u, u)$$

and reads

$$U = \sum_{\substack{\tau_1, \tau_2 : d(\tau_1) < n, d(\tau_2) < n \\ d((\tau_1, \tau_2)) > n}} c(\tau_1)c(\tau_2)B(X^{\tau_1}, X^{\tau_2}) + \sum_{\substack{\tau : d(\tau) < n \\ d(\tau_1, \tau_2) > n}} c(\tau)B(X^{\tau_1}, U) + B(U, U).$$

#### Chaotic representation

 $\triangleright$  The process X has the integral representation

$$X(t,x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}\times E} e^{i\xi x} H_{t-s}(\xi) W(\mathrm{d}\eta)$$

where  $\eta = (s, \xi) \in \mathbb{R} \times E$ ,  $E = \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$ ,  $h_t(\xi) = e^{-\xi^2 t} \mathbb{I}_{t \geqslant 0}$ ,  $H(t, \xi) = i\xi h_t(\xi)$  and  $W(\mathrm{d}\eta)$  is the complex Gaussian process on  $\mathbb{R} \times E$  defined by the covariance

$$\mathbb{E}\left(\int_{\mathbb{R}\times E} f(\eta)W(\mathrm{d}\eta)\int_{\mathbb{R}\times E} g(\eta')W(\mathrm{d}\eta')\right) = \int_{\mathbb{R}\times E} g(\eta_1)f(\eta_{-1})\mathrm{d}\eta_1$$

where  $\eta_a = (s_a, \, \xi_a)$ ,  $s_{-a} = s_a$ ,  $\xi_{-a} = -\xi_a$ ,  $d\eta_a = ds_a d\xi_a$  is the product of the Lebesgue measure  $ds_a$  on  $\mathbb R$  and of the counting measure  $d\xi_a$  on  $E = \mathbb Z \setminus \{0\}$ . The function f, g are complex functions in  $L^2(\mathbb R \times E)$  satisfying  $f(\eta_{-1}) = f(\eta_1)^*$ .

 $\triangleright$  **Example.** The covariance of X can be computed as

$$\mathbb{E}[X(t,x)X(s,y)] = \int_E d\xi_1 e^{i\xi_1(x-y)} \int_{\mathbb{R}} H_{t-s_1}(\xi_1) H_{s-s_2}(-\xi_1) ds_1$$

$$= \int_{E} e^{i\xi_{1}(x-y)} \frac{e^{-\xi_{1}^{2}|t-s|}}{2} d\xi_{1} = \frac{1}{2} p_{|t-s|}(x-y)$$

 $\triangleright$  Recall that  $X^{\bullet} = X$  and  $X^{(\tau_1 \tau_2)} = B(X^{\tau_1}, X^{\tau_2})$ . Then

$$X^{\tau}(t,x) = \int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^n} G^{\tau}(t,x,\eta_{\tau}) \prod_{i=1}^n W(\mathrm{d}\eta_i)$$

where  $n = d(\tau) + 1$ ,  $\eta_{\tau} = \eta_{1\cdots n} = (\eta_1, \dots, \eta_n) \in (\mathbb{R} \times E)^n$  and  $d\eta_{\tau} = d\eta_{1\cdots n} = d\eta_1 \cdots d\eta_n$ . Here we mean that each of the  $X^{\tau}$  is a polynomial in the Gaussian variables  $W(d\eta_i)$ .

 $\triangleright$  The kernels  $G^{\tau}$  are defined recursively by

$$G^{\bullet}(t, x, \eta) = e^{i\xi x} H_{t-s}(\xi)$$

$$G^{(\tau_1 \tau_2)}(t, x, \eta_{(\tau_1 \tau_2)}) = B(G^{\tau_1}(\cdot, \cdot, \eta_{\tau_1}), G^{\tau_2}(\cdot, \cdot, \eta_{\tau_2}))(t, x)$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{t} d\sigma \, \partial_x P_{t-s}(G^{\tau_1}(\sigma, \cdot, \eta_{\tau_1}), G^{\tau_2}(\sigma, \cdot, \eta_{\tau_2}))(x)$$

# Kernels (cont.)

> In the first few cases this gives

$$G^{\mathbf{V}}(t, x, \eta_{12}) = \int_0^t d\sigma \, \partial_x P_{t-\sigma}(G^{\bullet}(\sigma, \cdot, \eta_1), G^{\bullet}(\sigma, \cdot, \eta_2))(x)$$
$$= e^{i\xi_{[12]}x} \int_0^t H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[12]}) H_{\sigma-s_1}(\xi_1) H_{\sigma-s_2}(\xi_2) d\sigma$$

where we set  $\xi_{[1\cdots n]} = \xi_1 + \cdots + \xi_n$ .

$$G^{\mathbf{V}}(t, x, \eta_{123}) = \int_0^t d\sigma \, \partial_x P_{t-\sigma}(G^{\mathbf{V}}(\sigma, \cdot, \eta_{12}), G^{\bullet}(\sigma, \cdot, \eta_3))(x)$$

$$= e^{i\xi_{[123]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma' \, H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[123]}) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[12]}) H_{\sigma'-s_1}(\xi_1) H_{\sigma'-s_2}(\xi_2) H_{\sigma-s_3}(\xi_3)$$

and ...

... and

$$G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{1234}) = e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) H_{\sigma-s_4}(\xi_4) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[123]}) \times e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) H_{\sigma-s_4}(\xi_4) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[123]}) \times e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) H_{\sigma-s_4}(\xi_4) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[123]}) \times e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) H_{\sigma-s_4}(\xi_4) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[1234]}) + e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) H_{\sigma-s_4}(\xi_4) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[1234]}) + e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) H_{\sigma-s_4}(\xi_4) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[1234]}) + e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma'' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) H_{\sigma-s_4}(\xi_4) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[1234]}) + e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma'' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) H_{\sigma-s_4}(\xi_4) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[1234]}) + e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) H_{\sigma-s_4}(\xi_4) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[1234]}) + e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) + e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} + e^{$$

$$\times H_{\sigma'-s_{3}}(\xi_{3})H_{\sigma'-\sigma''}(\xi_{[12]})H_{\sigma''-s_{1}}(\xi_{1})H_{\sigma''-s_{2}}(\xi_{2})$$

and

$$G^{\mathbf{y}}(t,x,\eta_{1234}) = e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma' \int_0^{\sigma} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) H_{\sigma-\sigma''}(\xi_{[34]}) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[12]}) \times e^{i\xi_{[1234]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1234]}) H_{\sigma-\sigma''}(\xi_{[34]}) H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[34]}) H$$

$$\times H_{\sigma'-s_1}(\xi_1)H_{\sigma'-s_2}(\xi_2)H_{\sigma''-s_3}(\xi_3)H_{\sigma''-s_4}(\xi_4)$$

and so on: you get the idea...

## Chaotic decomposition of Gaussian polynomials

> The general explicit formula for the chaos decomposition of a polynomial

$$\int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^n} f(\eta_{1\cdots n}) \prod_{i=1}^n W(\mathrm{d}\eta_i)$$

is given by

$$\int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^n} f(\eta_{1\cdots n}) \prod_{i=1}^n W(\mathrm{d}\eta_i) = \sum_{k=0}^n \int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^k} f_k(\eta_{1\cdots k}) W(\mathrm{d}\eta_{1\cdots k})$$

with  $f_k(\eta_{1\cdots k})=0$  if n-k is odd and if n-k=2m for some m then

$$f_k(\eta_{1\cdots k}) = \sum_{\sigma \in \mathcal{S}_n} \int_{(\mathbb{R} \times E)^m} f(\sigma \eta_{1\cdots n}) d\eta_{(k+1)\cdots(k+m)}$$

with the understanding that  $\eta_{k+m+l} = \eta_{-(k+l)}$  for l=1,...,m and where  $\sigma\eta_{1\cdots n} = \eta_{\sigma(1)\cdots\sigma(n)}$ .

$$W(\mathrm{d}\eta_1)W(\mathrm{d}\eta_2) = W(\mathrm{d}\eta_1\mathrm{d}\eta_2) + \delta(\eta_1 + \eta_{-2})\mathrm{d}\eta_1\mathrm{d}\eta_2.$$

### Chaotic decomposition (cont.)

 $\triangleright$  In general we will denote with  $G_k^{\tau}$  the kernel of the n-th chaos arising from the decomposition of  $X^{\tau}$ :

$$X^{\tau}(t,x) = \sum_{k=0}^{n} \int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^{k}} G_{k}^{\tau}(t,x,\eta_{1\cdots k}) W(\mathrm{d}\eta_{1\cdots k}).$$

 $\triangleright$  Terms  $X^{\tau}$  of odd degree have zero mean by construction while the terms of even degree have zero mean due to the fact that if  $d(\tau) = 2n$  we have

$$\mathbb{E}[X^{\tau}(t,x)] = \sum_{\sigma \in \mathcal{S}_{2n}} \int_{(\mathbb{R} \times E)^n} G^{\tau}(t,x,\sigma(\eta_{1\cdots n(-1)\cdots(-n)})) d\eta_{1\cdots n}$$

where  $\sigma(\eta_{1\cdots(2n)})=\eta_{\sigma(1)\cdots\sigma(2n)}$ . But now  $\xi_{[1\cdots n(-1)\cdots(-n)]}=\xi_1+\cdots+\xi_n-\xi_1\cdots-\xi_n=0$  and we always have  $G^{\tau}(t,x,\eta_{1\cdots 2n})\propto \xi_{[1\cdots(2n)]}$  which implies that

$$G^{\tau}(t, x, \sigma(\eta_{1\cdots n(-1)\cdots (-n)})) = 0.$$

This is a simplification of SBE with respect to KPZ.

#### Wick contractions

 $\triangleright$  Applying these considerations to the first nontrivial case given by  $X^{\mathbf{V}}$  we obtain:

$$X^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x) = \int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^2} G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{12})W(d\eta_1 d\eta_2) + G_0^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x)$$

with

$$G_0^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x) = \int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^2} G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{1(-1)}) d\eta_1$$

but as already remarked

$$G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{1(-1)}) = e^{i\xi_{[1(-1)]}x} \int_0^t H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[1(-1)]}) H_{\sigma-s_1}(\xi_1) H_{\sigma-s_2}(\xi_{-1}) d\sigma = 0$$

since  $H_{t-\sigma}(0) = 0$ .

Consider the next term

$$X^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x) = \int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^3} G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{123})W(\mathrm{d}\eta_1\mathrm{d}\eta_2\mathrm{d}\eta_3) + \int_{\mathbb{R}\times E} G_1^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_1)W(\mathrm{d}\eta_1)$$

in this case we have three possible contractions contributing to  $G_1^{\mathbf{V}}$  which results in

$$G_1^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_1) = \int_{\mathbb{R}\times E} \left(G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{12(-2)}) + G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{21(-2)}) + G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{2(-2)1})\right) d\eta_2,$$

but note that  $G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{2(-2)1})=0$  since, as above, this kernel is proportional to  $\xi_{2(-2)}=0$ , moreover by symmetry  $G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{12(-2)})=G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{21(-2)})$  so we remains with

$$G_1^{\mathbf{V}}(t, x, \eta_1) = G^{\mathbf{V}}(t, x, \eta_1) = \int_{\mathbb{R} \times E} G^{\mathbf{V}}(t, x, \eta_{12(-2)}) d\eta_2$$

where we introduced the intuitive notation  $G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_1)$  which is useful to keep track graphically of the Wick contration on the structure of the kernels  $G^{\tau}$  by representing them as arcs between leaves of the binary tree.

## Wick contractions (cont.)

Now an easy computation gives

$$G^{\mathbf{y}}(t, x, \eta_1) = e^{i\xi_1 x} \int_0^t d\sigma \int_0^\sigma d\sigma' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_1) H_{\sigma'-s_1}(\xi_1) V^{\mathbf{y}}(\sigma - \sigma', \xi_1)$$

where

$$V^{\mathbf{V}}(\sigma,\xi_1) = 2 \int H_{\sigma}(\xi_{[1(-2)]}) H_{\sigma-s_2}(\xi_2) H_{-s_2}(\xi_{-2}) d\eta_2 = 2 \int d\xi_2 H_{\sigma}(\xi_{[1(-2)]}) \frac{e^{-|\sigma|\xi_2^2}}{2}.$$

We call the functions  $V_n^{\tau}$  vertex functions they are useful to compare the behaviour of different kernels.

## Wick contraction (end)

By similar arguments we can estabilish the decomposition for the last two terms: that is

$$X^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x) = \int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^3} G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{1234}) W(\mathrm{d}\eta_{1234}) + \int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^2} G^{\mathbf{V}}_2(t,x,\eta_{12}) W(\mathrm{d}\eta_{12})$$

and

$$X^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x) = \int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^3} G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{1234})W(\mathrm{d}\eta_{1234}) + \int_{(\mathbb{R}\times E)^2} G_2^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{12})W(\mathrm{d}\eta_{12})$$

with

$$G_2^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{12}) = \int_{\mathbb{R}\times E} \left(G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{123(-3)}) + 2G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{132(-3)}) + 2G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{132(-3)})\right) d\eta_3$$

$$=G^{(0)}(t,x,\eta_{12})+G^{(0)}(t,x,\eta_{12})+G^{(0)}(t,x,\eta_{12})$$

and

$$G_2^{\mathbf{W}}(t, x, \eta_{12}) = 4 \int_{\mathbb{R} \times E} G^{\mathbf{W}}(t, x, \eta_{132(-3)}) d\eta_3 = G^{\mathbf{W}}(t, x, \eta_{12}).$$

## Reducible contractions

 $\triangleright$  Here the contributions associated to  $G^{(0)}(t,x,\eta_{12})$  and  $G^{(0)}(t,x,\eta_{12})$  are "reducible" since they can be conveniently factorized as follows

$$G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{12}) = \int_{\mathbb{R}\times E} G^{\mathbf{V}}(t,x,\eta_{123(-3)}) d\eta_3$$

$$= e^{i\xi_{[12]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma \int_0^\sigma d\sigma' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[12]}) H_{\sigma''-\sigma''}(\xi_{[12]}) H_{\sigma''-s_1}(\xi_1) H_{\sigma''-s_2}(\xi_2) V^{\mathbf{V}}(\sigma-\sigma',\xi_{[12]})$$

and

$$G^{\mathbf{V}}(t, x, \eta_{12}) = 2 \int_{\mathbb{R} \times E} G^{\mathbf{V}}(t, x, \eta_{13(-3)2}) d\eta_{3}$$

$$= e^{i\xi_{[12]}x} \int_{0}^{t} d\sigma H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[12]}) H_{\sigma-s_{2}}(\xi_{2}) \int_{0}^{\sigma} d\sigma' \int_{0}^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{1}) H_{\sigma''-s_{1}}(\xi_{1}) V^{\mathbf{V}}(\sigma' - \sigma'', \xi_{[12]})$$

$$= e^{i\xi_{[12]}x} \int_{0}^{t} d\sigma H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[12]}) H_{\sigma-s_{2}}(\xi_{2}) e^{-\xi_{1}x} G^{\mathbf{V}}_{1}(\sigma, x, \eta_{1})$$

#### Irreducible contractions

 $\triangleright G^{(0)}(t,x,\eta_{12})$  cannot be reduced to a form involving  $V^{(0)}$  and instead we have for it:

$$G^{(0)}(t, x, \eta_{12}) = 2 \int_{\mathbb{R} \times E} G^{(0)}(t, x, \eta_{132(-3)}) d\eta_3$$

$$=e^{i\xi_{[12]}x} \int_0^t d\sigma \int_0^\sigma d\sigma' \int_0^{\sigma'} d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[12]}) H_{\sigma'-s_2}(\xi_2) H_{\sigma''-s_1}(\xi_1) V^{(0)}(\sigma-\sigma',\sigma-\sigma'',\xi_{12})$$

with

$$V^{\mathbf{v}}(\sigma - \sigma', \sigma - \sigma'', \xi_{12}) = 2 \int_{E} d\xi_{3} H_{\sigma - \sigma'}(\xi_{[132]}) H_{\sigma' - \sigma''}(\xi_{[13]}) \frac{e^{-\xi_{3}^{2}|\sigma - \sigma''|}}{2}$$

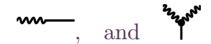
Similarly for  $G^{\heartsuit}$  we have

$$G^{\nabla}(t, x, \eta_{12}) = 4 \int_{\mathbb{R} \times E} G^{\nabla}(t, x, \eta_{132(-3)}) d\eta_3$$

$$=e^{i\xi_{[12]}x}\int_0^t d\sigma \int_0^\sigma d\sigma' \int_0^\sigma d\sigma'' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_{[12]}) H_{\sigma''-s_1}(\xi_1) H_{\sigma'-s_2}(\xi_2) V^{\bigvee}(\sigma-\sigma',\sigma-\sigma'',\xi_{12})$$

## Feynman diagrams

 $\triangleright$  The explicit form of the kernels  $G^{\tau}$  can be described in terms of Feynman diagrams and the associated rules. To each kernel  $G^{\tau}$  we can associate a graph which is isomorphic to the tree  $\tau$  and this graph can be mapped with Feynman rules to the explicit functional form of  $G^{\tau}$ . The algorithm goes as follows: consider  $\tau$  as a graph where each edge and each internal vertex (i.e. not a leaf) are drawn as



ightharpoonup To the trees  $\c V, \c V, \c W$  we associate, respectively, the diagrams

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## Feynman rules

> These diagrams corresponds to kernels via the following rules:

Each internal vertex comes with an time integration and a factor  $(i\xi)$ ,

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
\eta_1 & \eta_2 \\
 & \sigma \\
\xi_{12} & \longrightarrow & (i\xi_{12}) \int_{\mathbb{R}} d\sigma
\end{array}$$

Each external wiggly line is associated to a variable  $\eta_i$  and a factor of  $H_{\sigma-s_i}(\xi_i)$  where  $\sigma$  is the integration variable of the internal vertex to which the line is attached.

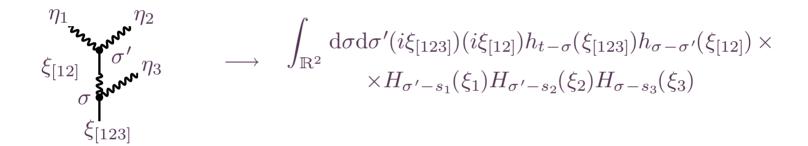
Response lines:

$$\sigma \xrightarrow{\xi} \sigma' \longrightarrow h_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi)$$

Note that these lines carry information about the casual propagation.

Finally the outgoing line always carries a factor  $h_{t-\sigma}(\xi)$  where  $\xi$  is the outgoing momentum and  $\sigma$  the time label of the vertex to which the line is attached.

## Feynman rules example



#### Contractions 1

 $\triangleright$  Once given a diagram the associated Wick contraction are obtained by all possible pairings of the wiggly lines. To each of these pairings we associate the corresponding correlation function of the field X and an integration over the momentum variable carried by the line:

$$\sigma \xrightarrow{\xi} \sigma' \qquad \longrightarrow \qquad \int_E d\xi \frac{e^{-\xi^2|\sigma-\sigma'|}}{2}$$

▷ For example we have :

$$G_1(t,x,\eta_1) = 2 \times \xi_2 \xi_1^{\frac{2}{\sigma'}} = 2 \int d\sigma d\sigma' H_{t-\sigma}(\xi_1) \int_E d\xi_2 \frac{e^{-\xi_2^2 |\sigma-\sigma'|}}{2} H_{\sigma-\sigma'}(\xi_{[1(-2)]}) H_{\sigma'-s_1}(\xi_1)$$

#### Contractions 2

 $\triangleright$  Contraction arising from  $G^{\mathsf{V}}$  and  $G^{\mathsf{V}}$  results in the following set of diagrams:

$$G_2^{\vee} = G^{\vee} = 2 \times \mathcal{C}_{\text{repair}}^{\text{repair}}, \quad G^{\vee} = 2 \times \mathcal{C}_{\text{repair}}^{\text{repair}}, \quad G^{\vee} = \mathcal{C}_{\text{repair}}^{\text{repair}}, \quad G^{\vee} = 2 \times \mathcal{C}_{\text{repair}}^{\text{repair}},$$

 $\triangleright$  The diagrammatic representation make pictorially evident what we already have remarked with explicit computations:  $G^{\lozenge}$  and  $G^{\lozenge}$  are formed by the union of two graphs:



while the kernel  $G^{\nabla}$  cannot be decomposed in such a way and it has a shape very similar to that of  $G^{\nabla}$ .

## Regularity of the driving terms

□ Using Feymann diagrams we can compute quantities like

$$\mathbb{E}[(\Delta_q X^{\tau}(t,x))^2]$$

and obtain the pathwise regularity of the driving terms:

X	$X^{\mathbf{V}}$	$X^{\mathbf{V}}$	$X^{\mathbf{V}}$	$X^{\mathbf{V}}$
-1/2 -	0 —	1/2 -	1/2 -	1 –

 $\triangleright$  Note that in general B(X,f) for f very regular **cannot** be better than  $\mathscr{C}^{1/2-}$  so we cannot hope that higher order terms in the expansion get very regular. In particular for all  $\tau$  we have

$$X^{(\bullet \tau)} \in \mathscr{C}^{1/2-}$$

### Regularity of the partial expansion

> Recall our partial expansion for the solution

$$u = X + X^{\mathbf{V}} + 2X^{\mathbf{V}} + U$$

$$LU = 2\partial_x(UX) + 2\partial_x(X^{\mathbf{V}}X) + \partial_x(X^{\mathbf{V}}X^{\mathbf{V}}) + 2\partial_x((2X^{\mathbf{V}} + U)X^{\mathbf{V}}) + \partial_x(2X^{\mathbf{V}} + U)^2$$

$$LU = 2\partial_x(UX) + L(2X^{(4)} + X^{(2)}) + 2\partial_x((2X^{(4)} + U)X^{(4)}) + \partial_x(2X^{(4)} + U)^2$$

and the regularities for the driving terms

X	$X^{\mathbf{V}}$	X	$X^{\mathbf{V}}$	$X^{\mathbf{V}}$
-1/2 -	0 —	1/2 -	1/2 -	1 —

We can assume  $U \in \mathcal{C}^{1/2-}$  so that the terms  $2\partial_x((2X^{\mathbf{V}} + U)X^{\mathbf{V}}) + \partial_x(2X^{\mathbf{V}} + U)^2$  are well defined.

The remaining problem is to deal with  $2\partial_x(UX)$ .

 $\triangleright$  Make the following ansatz  $U = U' \prec Y + U^{\sharp}$ . Then

$$LU = LU' \prec Y + U' \prec LY - \partial_x U' \prec \partial_x Y + LU^{\sharp}$$

while

$$LU = 2\partial_x(UX) + \underbrace{L(2X^{\mathbf{V}} + X^{\mathbf{V}}) + 2\partial_x((2X^{\mathbf{V}} + U)X^{\mathbf{V}}) + \partial_x(2X^{\mathbf{V}} + U)^2}_{Q(U)}$$
$$= 2\partial_x(U \prec X) + 2\partial_x(U \circ X) + 2\partial_x(U \succ X) + Q(U)$$
$$= 2(U \prec \partial_x X) + 2(\partial_x U \prec X) + 2\partial_x(U \circ X) + 2\partial_x(U \succ X) + Q(U)$$

so we can set U' = 2U and  $LY = \partial_x X$  and get the equation

$$LU^{\sharp} = -LU' \prec Y + \partial_x U' \prec \partial_x Y + 2(\partial_x U \prec X) + 2\partial_x (U \circ X) + 2\partial_x (U \succ X) + Q(U)$$

 $\triangleright$  Observe that  $Y, U, U' \in \mathscr{C}^{1/2-}$  and we can assume that  $U^{\sharp} \in \mathscr{C}^{1-}$ .

- $\triangleright$  The difficulty is now concentrated in the resonant term  $U \circ X$  which is not well defined.
- > The paracontrolled ansatz and the commutation lemma give

$$U\circ X=(2U\prec Y)\circ X+U^{\sharp}\circ X=2\,U(Y\circ X)+\underbrace{C(2\,U,Y,X)}_{1/2-}+\underbrace{U^{\sharp}\circ X}_{1/2-}$$

- $\triangleright$  A stochastic estimate shows that  $Y \circ X \in \mathscr{C}^{0-}$
- > The final fixed point equation reads

$$LU^{\sharp} = 4\partial_x \left( U(Y \circ X) \right) + 4\partial_x C(U, Y, X) + 2\partial_x (U^{\sharp} \circ X) - 2LU \prec Y$$
$$+2\partial_x U \prec \partial_x Y + 2(\partial_x U \prec X) + 2\partial_x (U \succ X) + Q(U)$$

ightharpoonup This equation has a (local in time) solution  $U=\Phi(\mathbb{X}(\xi))$  which is a continuous function of the data  $\mathbb{X}(\xi)$  given by the collection of multilinear functions of  $\xi$  given by

$$\mathbb{X}(\xi) = (X, X^{\mathbf{V}}, X^{\mathbf{V}}, X^{\mathbf{V}}, X^{\mathbf{V}}, X \circ Y)$$

Thanks.