Homes' law in holographic superconductors





Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology Motivation:

What is Homes' law?

Why is Homes' law interesting?

A universal scaling relation in hightemperature superconductors

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History for finding universality: Uemura's law



Another universality: resistivity



Universal properties in cuprates

Cuprate phase diagram



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arXiv.org > hep-th > arXiv:1002.1722

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Introduction to Holographic Superconductors

Gary T. Horowitz

8.1 Open problems

We close with a list of open problems¹⁵. They are roughly ordered in difficulty with the easier problems listed first. (Of course, this is my subjective impression. With the right approach, an apparently difficult problem may become easy!)

1. In the probe limit below the critical temperature, there is an infinite discrete set

10. The high temperature cuprate superconductors satisfy a simple scaling law relating the superfluid density, the normal state (DC) conductivity and the critical temperature [36]. Can this be given a dual gravitational interpretation?

Homes' law in Holographic context

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arXiv.org > hep-th > arXiv:1501.00446

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A Simple Holographic Superconductor with Momentum Relaxation

Keun-Young Kim, Kyung Kiu Kim, Miok Park

Homes' relation for q=6 & $\kappa=0$

Goals and method

Goals

Homes' law
$$\rho_s(T=0) = C\sigma_{DC}(T_c)T_c$$
Uemura's law $\rho_s(T=0) = BT_c$

Holographer's tool box

- 1. Need a holographic superconductor ~ hairy black hole (0803.3295: Hartnoll, Herzog, Horowitz)
- 2. Conductivity?



Original holographic superconductor: HHH

[Hartnoll, Herzog, Horowitz: 0803.3295]

The first holographic superconductor

$$S_{HHH} = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[R + 6 - \frac{1}{4}F^2 - |(\partial - iqA)\Phi|^2 - m_{\Phi}^2 \Phi \Phi^* \right]$$

• Homes' law
$$\rho_s(T=0) = C\sigma_{DC}(T_c)T_c$$



 $\Phi \neq 0 \label{eq:phi}$ Holographic superconductor







Optical conductivity



• Homes' law
$$ho_s(T=0)=C\sigma_{DC}(T_c)T_c$$

 $\operatorname{Im} \sigma \sim 1/\omega \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \operatorname{Re} \, \sigma(\omega) \sim \delta(\omega)$

Kramers-Kronig relation

$$\chi(\omega) = \chi_R(\omega) + i\chi_I(\omega)$$

$$\chi_R(\omega) = \frac{1}{\pi} \mathcal{P} \int \frac{\chi_I(\omega')}{\omega' - \omega} d\omega', \qquad \chi_I(\omega) = -\frac{1}{\pi} \mathcal{P} \int \frac{\chi_R(\omega')}{\omega' - \omega} d\omega'$$

Translation invariance + finite density

Gauntlett' talk on Monday

Holographic superconductor with momentum relaxation

The first holographic superconductor + momentum relaxation

$$S_{HHH} = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[R + 6 - \frac{1}{4}F^2 - |(\partial - iqA)\Phi|^2 - m_{\Phi}^2 \Phi \Phi^* \right]$$





1106.4324: Hartnoll

Optical conductivity



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 $\begin{array}{l} \mbox{Massless scalar} & [\mbox{Andrade, Withers: 1311.5157}] \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \mbox{Andrade, Gentle: 1412.6521} \\ & [\mbox{KYK, Kim, Park: 1501.00446}] \end{bmatrix} \\ & S_{MS} = \int \mathrm{d}^4 x \sqrt{-g} \left[-\frac{1}{2} \sum_{I=1,2} (\partial \psi_I)^2 \right] & \psi_I = (\beta x, \beta y) \end{bmatrix} \\ \hline & \psi_I = (\beta x, \beta y) \end{bmatrix} \\ \hline & \mathbf{Q}$ $\begin{array}{l} \mbox{Q-lattice} & [\mbox{Donos, Gauntlett: 1311.3292}] & \qquad \begin{bmatrix} \mbox{Ling, Lin, Nin, Wn, Xian: 1410.6761} \\ & \mbox{Andrade, Gentle: 1412.6521} \end{bmatrix} \\ & S_Q = \int \mathrm{d}^4 x \sqrt{-g} \left[-|\partial \Psi|^2 - m_{\Psi}^2 |\Psi|^2 \right] & \qquad \Psi = e^{ikx} z \psi(z) \\ & \psi(0) = \lambda \end{bmatrix} \end{array}$

Helical lattice:[Erdmenger, Herwerth, Klug, Meyer, Schalm: 1501.07615]Erdmenger's talk on TuesdayMassive gravity:[Zeng, Wu: 1404.532][Baggioli and Goykhman: 1504.05561]

More on momentum relaxation: Gauntlett' talk on Monday

• Homes' law $\rho_s(T=0) = C\sigma_{DC}(T_c)T_c$

We want to check if C is universal (independent of momentum relaxation parameters)

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Action
$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[R + 6 - \frac{1}{4} F^2 - |(\partial - iqA)\Phi|^2 - m_{\Phi}^2 \Phi \Phi^* - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{l=1,2} (\partial \psi_l)^2 \right]$$

Ansatz $A = A_l(r)dt \Phi = \Phi(r) \psi_l = (\beta x, \beta y)$
 $ds^2 = -U(r)e^{-\chi(r)}dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{U(r)} + r^2(dx^2 + dy^2)$
Solutions $0 \frac{d\theta}{dy} \frac{\theta}{dy} \frac{$

Critical temperature

• Homes' law
$$\rho_s(T=0) = C\sigma_{DC}(T_c)T_c$$



Optical electric conductivities: superconducting phase



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Conductivities

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Action
$$S = \int d^{4}x \sqrt{-g} \left[R + 6 - \frac{1}{4}F^{2} - |(\partial - iqA)\Phi|^{2} - m_{\Phi}^{2}\Phi\Phi^{*} - \frac{1}{2}\sum_{I=1,2}(\partial\psi_{I})^{2} \right]$$

Background
$$A = A_{t}(r)dt \quad \Phi = \Phi(r) \qquad \psi_{I} = (\beta x, \beta y)$$
$$ds^{2} = -U(r)e^{-x(r)}dt^{2} + \frac{dr^{2}}{U(r)} + r^{2}(dx^{2} + dy^{2})$$

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Fluctuations
$$4A_{x}(t, r) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\omega}{2\pi}e^{-i\omega t}a_{x}(\omega, r)$$
$$\delta g_{tx}(t, r) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\omega}{2\pi}e^{-i\omega t}r^{2}h_{tx}(\omega, r)$$
$$\delta \psi_{1}(t, r) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\omega}{2\pi}e^{-i\omega t}\xi(\omega, r)$$
$$\xi = \xi^{(0)} + \frac{1}{r^{2}}\xi^{(2)} + \frac{1}{r^{3}}\xi^{(3)} + \cdots,$$

$$S_{\rm ren}^{(2)} = \frac{V_2}{2} \int_0^\infty \frac{\mathrm{d}\omega}{2\pi} \left(-\rho \bar{a}_x^{(0)} h_{tx}^{(0)} - \epsilon \bar{h}_{tx}^{(0)} h_{tx}^{(0)} + \bar{a}_x^{(0)} a_x^{(1)} - 3\bar{h}_{tx}^{(0)} h_{tx}^{(3)} + 3\bar{\xi}^{(0)} \xi^{(3)} \right)$$

Numerical method for multi fields

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Structure

Structure

$$S_{\text{ren}}^{(2)} = \frac{V_2}{2} \int_0^\infty \frac{d\omega}{(2\pi)} \left[\bar{J}^a \mathbb{A}_{ab} J^b + \bar{J}^a \mathbb{B}_{ab} R^b \right]$$

$$R^a = \mathbb{M}_b^a J^b$$

$$J^a = \begin{pmatrix} a_x^{(0)} \\ h_{tx}^{(0)} \\ \xi^{(0)} \end{pmatrix}, \quad R^a = \begin{pmatrix} a_x^{(1)} \\ h_{tx}^{(3)} \\ \xi^{(3)} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbb{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\rho & 0 \\ 0 & -\epsilon & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbb{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S_{\text{ren}}^{(2)} = \frac{V_2}{2} \int_0^\infty \frac{d\omega}{(2\pi)} \left[\bar{J}^a \mathbb{A}_{ab} + \mathbb{B}_{ac} \mathbb{M}_b^c \right] J^b \right]$$

$$\left[\begin{pmatrix} \sigma & \alpha T \\ \bar{\alpha} T & \bar{\kappa} T \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{-iG_{11}}{\omega} & \frac{i(G_{11\mu} - G_{12})}{\omega} \\ \frac{i(G_{22} + \mu(-G_{12} - G_{21} + G_{11\mu}))}{\omega} \end{pmatrix} \right]$$
How to compute \mathbb{M}_b^a

Entrance: Four quick Digressions

Digression1: thermoelectric conductivities and DC limits

[KYK, Kim, Sin, Seo: 1409.8346]



Digression2: coherent vs incoherent



First numerical evidence of coherent/incoherent transition with [Davison and Gouteraux: 1411.1062]

Digression3: FGT sum rule

Sum rule works!

$$\mathrm{FGT} \equiv \int_{0^+}^{\infty} \mathrm{d}\omega \mathrm{Re}[\sigma_n(\omega) - \sigma_s(\omega)] - \frac{\pi}{2} K_s = 0$$

Ferrell-Glover-Tinkham(FGT)



Digression3: FGT sum rule





Digression4: Ward identities

Derivation from field theory

Ward 4:
$$\alpha + \frac{\mu}{T}\sigma - i\frac{n}{\omega T} + \beta \frac{\langle JS \rangle}{\omega^2 T} = 0$$
,
Ward 5: $\bar{\kappa} + 2\mu\alpha + \frac{\mu^2\sigma}{T} - i\frac{\epsilon'}{\omega T} + \beta \frac{\langle QS \rangle}{\omega^2 T} + \beta \frac{\mu \langle JS \rangle}{\omega^2 T} = 0$
Ward 6: $\langle ST \rangle + i\beta \frac{\langle SS \rangle}{\omega} = 0$,

Confirmation by numerical holography



Digression4: Ward identities



Exit: Four quick Digressions

Homes' law and Uemura's law

Are we ready?

Homes' law
$$\rho_s(T=0) = C\sigma_{DC}(T_c)T_c$$
Uemura's law $\rho_s(T=0) = BT_c$

$$\sigma_{DC} = \sigma(\omega = 0)$$
$$\sigma(\omega) \sim i \frac{\rho_s}{\omega}$$











 $\lambda/\mu = 4.5, 4.8, 5.1, 5.4, 5.7$

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Comparison: Helical lattice and Q-lattice

[KYK, Niu: 1605.XXXXX]



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k/μ



Uemura's law: Q-lattice



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 Homes' law Uemura's law

Massless scalar model





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Physical understanding



Helical lattice model





 $\kappa = 0$



