

Correlations and fluctuations in a thermal system with non-abelian charges

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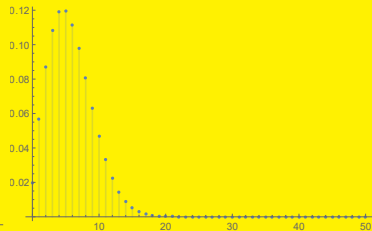
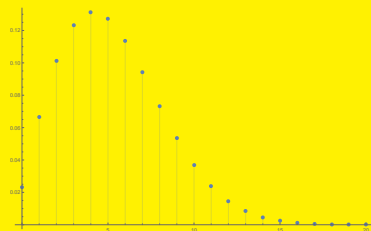
Some common intuitive beliefs...

... are not quite true, as e.g.

- Uniform mixture of π^+ , π^- , and π^0 would prefer to be in the isosinglet state.
- Uniform mixture of protons and neutrons would prefer to be in the isosinglet state

$$\# \pi^+ = \# \pi^0 = \# \pi^- = 15$$

$$\# \text{ protons} = \# \text{ neutrons} = 50$$



- These are expansions of these states into corresponding irreducible representations $SU(2)$.

Statistical ensembles of high energy physics

The thermodynamic system of volume V and temperature T composed of charged particles and their antiparticles carrying charge ± 1 .

The partition functions of the canonical and grand canonical statistical system

$$Z_Q^C(V, T) = \text{Tr}_Q e^{-\beta \hat{H}} = \sum_{N_+ - N_- = Q}^{\infty} \frac{z^{N_- + N_+}}{N_-! N_+!} = I_Q(2Vz_0),$$

$$Z^{GC}(V, T) = \text{Tr} e^{-\beta(\hat{H} - \mu \hat{Q})} = \exp\left(2Vz_0 \cosh \frac{\mu}{T}\right).$$

Vz_0 is the sum over all one-particle partition functions

$$z_0^{(i)}(T) = \frac{1}{V} \frac{V}{(2\pi)^3} g_i \int d^3p e^{-\beta \sqrt{p^2 + m_i^2}} = \frac{1}{2\pi^2} T g_i m_i^2 K_2\left(\frac{m_i}{T}\right),$$

g_i – the spin degeneracy factor.

Example

Perform and compare results of the statistical system: nucleons (n, p) and pions (π^\pm, π^0) with an exact isospin $SU(2)$ and $U(1)_B$ symmetry.

- Abelian approach based on $U(1)_{I_3} \times U(1)_B$ symmetry. Abelian canonical partition function is given as

$$\mathcal{Z}_{B, I_3}^{(a)} = \text{Tr}_{B, I_3} e^{-\beta H}$$

with the trace-sum over all states with the given value I_3 of the third component of the isospin.

- Nonabelian approach based $SU(2) \times U(1)_B$ symmetry. Nonabelian canonical partition function is given as

$$\mathcal{Z}_{B, I}^{(na)} = \text{Tr}_{B, I} e^{-\beta H}$$

with the trace-sum over all states with the given value I of the total isospin.

General projective approach

A generating function is given as

$$\tilde{Z}(g) = \text{Tr}\{U(g) e^{-\beta H}\} = \sum_{\Lambda} \frac{\chi_{\Lambda}(g)}{\dim(\Lambda)} Z_{\Lambda}^{(na)}$$

$$Z_{\Lambda}^{(na)} = \text{Tr}_{\Lambda} e^{-\beta H} .$$

Then

$$Z_{\Lambda}^{(na)} = \dim(\Lambda) \int d\mu(g) \chi_{\Lambda}(g) \tilde{Z}(g) .$$

Technical details

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Thermal models calculations - in principle

$$\epsilon = \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \sum_{i=1}^l (2s_i + 1) \int_0^{\infty} dp \frac{p^2 E_i}{\exp \left\{ \frac{E_i - \mu_i}{T} \right\} \pm 1},$$

$$n_B = \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \sum_{i=1}^l (2s_i + 1) \int_0^{\infty} dp \frac{p^2 B_i}{\exp \left\{ \frac{E_i - \mu_i}{T} \right\} \pm 1},$$

$$n_S = \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \sum_{i=1}^l (2s_i + 1) \int_0^{\infty} dp \frac{p^2 S_i}{\exp \left\{ \frac{E_i - \mu_i}{T} \right\} \pm 1},$$

$$n_Q = \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \sum_{i=1}^l (2s_i + 1) \int_0^{\infty} dp \frac{p^2 Q_i}{\exp \left\{ \frac{E_i - \mu_i}{T} \right\} \pm 1}.$$

where

$$\mu_j = b_j \mu_b + s_j \mu_s + + q_j \mu_q$$

One can compare analytically abelian and nonabelian approach
Characters of irreducible representation are given as

$$\chi_J(\gamma) = \frac{\sin\left(J + \frac{1}{2}\right)\gamma}{\sin\frac{\gamma}{2}} = \sum_{j_3=-J}^J e^{ij_3\gamma}$$

with the measure

$$d\mu(\gamma) = \sin^2\frac{\gamma}{2} d\gamma = \frac{1 - \cos\gamma}{2} d\gamma$$

and the integration domain $\{0, 2\pi\}$.

Projections

A generating function is given as

$$\tilde{Z} = \text{Tr}\{U(g) e^{-\beta H}\} = \sum_{J=0}^{\infty} \frac{\chi_J(\gamma)}{2J+1} Z_J^{(na)}; \quad Z_J^{(na)} = \text{Tr}_J e^{-\beta H}.$$

So we have

$$Z_J^{(na)} = \frac{2J+1}{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} d\gamma \chi_J(\gamma) \tilde{Z}(\gamma) \sin^2 \frac{\gamma}{2}.$$

The abelian canonical partition function

$$Z_{j_3}^{(a)} = \text{Tr}_{j_3} e^{-\beta H} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} d\gamma \tilde{Z}(\gamma) e^{-ij_3\gamma} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} d\gamma \tilde{Z}(\gamma) \cos j_3\gamma.$$

Projections from trigonometry

For the abelian canonical partition function $Z_{j_3}^{(a)}$

$$Z_{j_3}^{(a)} = \text{Tr}_{j_3} e^{-\beta H} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} d\gamma \tilde{Z}(\gamma) e^{-ij_3\gamma} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} d\gamma \tilde{Z}(\gamma) \cos j_3\gamma.$$

But

$$\chi_J(\gamma) \sin^2 \frac{\gamma}{2} = \frac{\sin \left(J + \frac{1}{2} \right) \gamma}{\sin \frac{\gamma}{2}} \sin^2 \frac{\gamma}{2} = \frac{1}{2} (\cos J\gamma - \cos (J+1)\gamma).$$

This allows to express a nonabelian $SU(2)$ partition function by means of abelian partition functions

$$Z_J^{(na)} = (2J+1) \left(Z_J^{(a)} - Z_{J+1}^{(a)} \right).$$

Direct variables

The chemical potential μ determines **the average** charge in the grand canonical ensemble

$$\langle Q \rangle = T \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} \ln \mathcal{Z}^{GC}.$$

This allows to eliminate the chemical potential from further formulae for the grand canonical probabilities distributions

$$\frac{\mu}{T} = \operatorname{arcsinh} \frac{\langle Q \rangle}{2Vz_0} = \ln \frac{\langle Q \rangle + \sqrt{\langle Q \rangle^2 + 4(Vz_0)^2}}{2Vz_0}.$$

Probabilities in ensembles

To have N_- negative particles in **the canonical ensemble**

$$\mathcal{P}_Q^C(N_-, V) = \frac{(Vz_0)^{2N_- + Q}}{N_-!(N_- + Q)! I_Q(2Vz_0)}.$$

To have N_- negative particles in **the grand canonical ensemble**

$$\mathcal{P}_{\langle Q \rangle}^{GC}(N_-, V) = \frac{1}{N_-!} \left[\frac{2(Vz_0)^2}{\langle Q \rangle + \sqrt{\langle Q \rangle^2 + 4(Vz_0)^2}} \right]^{N_-} \exp \left[-\frac{2(Vz_0)^2}{\langle Q \rangle + \sqrt{\langle Q \rangle^2 + 4(Vz_0)^2}} \right]$$

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Canonical functions

For the pion gas

$$Z_{I_3} = \exp \left[\lambda_0 Z_\pi^{(1)} \right] \left(\frac{\lambda_+}{\lambda_-} \right)^{I_3/2} I_{I_3} \left(2Z_\pi^{(1)} \sqrt{\lambda_+ \lambda_-} \right) \quad (1)$$

For the $\pi - N$ system

$$Z_{B, I_3} = \exp \left[\lambda_0 Z_\pi^{(1)} \right] \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\lambda_p}{\lambda_{\bar{p}}} \right)^{n/2} \left(\frac{\lambda_n}{\lambda_{\bar{n}}} \right)^{(B-n)/2} \left(\frac{\lambda_+}{\lambda_-} \right)^{(B/2 + I_3 - n)/2} \\ \times I_n \left(2Z_N^{(1)} \sqrt{\lambda_p \lambda_{\bar{p}}} \right) I_{B-n} \left(2Z_N^{(1)} \sqrt{\lambda_n \lambda_{\bar{n}}} \right) I_{B/2 + I_3 - n} \left(2Z_\pi^{(1)} \sqrt{\lambda_+ \lambda_-} \right)$$

Conclusions

- In the thermodynamic limit **relevant probabilities are density distributions**.
- Density probability distributions obtained from different statistical ensembles have **the same thermodynamical limit**.
- Finite volume effect **more relevant for higher moments**.
- Canonical suppression factor for particles depends on **densities**.
- Canonical ensembles based on the nonabelian symmetries are different from ensembles based on the direct product of abelian subgroups.
- Quantitative results are also different.
- There is a hope to calculate canonical "nonabelian" partition function without using poorly defined oscillating integrals - also for higher internal symmetries, beyond $SU(2)$.
- ... work in progress.