

# Decorated trees and arborification for dispersive PDEs normal form

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# Nonlinear Schrödinger equation

We recall the following cubic nonlinear Schrödinger equation (NLS) on the one dimensional torus  $\mathbb{T}$ :

$$\begin{cases} i\partial_t u + \partial_x^2 u = |u|^2 u \\ u|_{t=0} = u_0, \end{cases} \quad (x, t) \in \mathbb{T} \times \mathbb{R}.$$

Duhamel's formula

$$u(t) = e^{it\Delta} u_0 + e^{it\Delta} \left( -i \int_0^t e^{-is\Delta} (|u(s)|^2 u(s)) ds \right)$$

With the change of variable  $v(t) = e^{-it\Delta} u(t)$ , one has

$$\partial_t v = -ie^{-it\Delta} \left( |e^{it\Delta} v|^2 e^{it\Delta} v \right)$$

## In Fourier space

One has

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_t v_k &= - \sum_{k=-k_1+k_2+k_3} ie^{itk^2} (e^{itk_1^2} \bar{v}_{k_1}) (e^{-itk_2^2} v_{k_2}) (e^{-itk_3^2} v_{k_3}) \\ &= -i \sum_{k=-k_1+k_2+k_3} e^{it\Phi(\bar{k})} \bar{v}_{k_1} v_{k_2} v_{k_3}.\end{aligned}$$

with  $\Phi(\bar{k}) := k^2 + k_1^2 - k_2^2 - k_3^2$ . Decomposition into resonant and non-resonant part:

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_t v_k &= -i \sum_{\substack{k=-k_1+k_2+k_3 \\ k_1 \neq k_2, k_3}} e^{i\Phi(\bar{k})t} \bar{v}_{k_1} v_{k_2} v_{k_3} - 2i \sum_{k_1 \in \mathbb{Z}} \bar{v}_{k_1} v_{k_1} v_k + i|v_k|^2 v_k \\ &=: \mathcal{N}^{(1)}(v)(k) + \mathcal{R}^{(1)}(v)(k).\end{aligned}$$

## Integration by parts

We decompose  $\mathcal{N}^{(1)}$  into

$$\mathcal{N}^{(1)} = \mathcal{N}_1^{(1)} + \mathcal{N}_2^{(1)},$$

where  $\mathcal{N}_1^{(1)}$  is the restriction of  $\mathcal{N}^{(1)}$  onto  $\Phi(\bar{k}) \leq N$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{N}_2^{(1)}(v)(k) &= \sum_{A_1(k)^c} \partial_t \left( \frac{e^{i\Phi(\bar{k})t}}{\Phi(\bar{k})} \right) \bar{v}_{k_1} v_{k_2} v_{k_3} \\ &= \sum_{A_1(k)^c} \partial_t \left[ \frac{e^{i\Phi(\bar{k})t}}{\Phi(\bar{k})} \bar{v}_{k_1} v_{k_2} v_{k_3} \right] - \sum_{A_1(k)^c} \frac{e^{i\Phi(\bar{k})t}}{\Phi(\bar{k})} \partial_t (\bar{v}_{k_1} v_{k_2} v_{k_3}) \\ &=: \partial_t \mathcal{N}_0^{(2)}(v)(k) + \tilde{\mathcal{N}}^{(2)}(v)(k).\end{aligned}$$

## Substitution via solutions of NLS

One replaces  $\partial_t \bar{v}_{k_1}, \partial_t v_{k_2}, \partial_t v_{k_3}$  by

$$\partial_t v_k = \mathcal{N}^{(1)}(v)(k) + \mathcal{R}^{(1)}(v)(k)$$

to get

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\mathcal{N}}^{(2)}(v)(k) &= \mathcal{N}^{(2)}(v)(k) + \mathcal{R}^{(2)}(v)(k) \\ &= - \sum_{A_1(k)^c} \frac{e^{i\Phi(\bar{k})t}}{\Phi(\bar{k})} \left( \overline{\mathcal{N}^{(1)}(v)(k_1)} v_{k_2} v_{k_3} + \bar{v}_{k_1} \mathcal{N}^{(1)}(v)(k_2) v_{k_3} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \bar{v}_{k_1} v_{k_2} \mathcal{N}^{(1)}(v)(k_3) + \overline{\mathcal{R}^{(1)}(v)(k_1)} v_{k_2} v_{k_3} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \bar{v}_{k_1} \mathcal{R}^{(1)}(v)(k_2) v_{k_3} + \bar{v}_{k_1} v_{k_2} \mathcal{R}^{(1)}(v)(k_3) \right) \end{aligned}$$

## Normal form decomposition

With the previous computations, one writes up the decomposition:

$$v(t) = v(0) + \mathcal{N}_0^{(2)}(v)(t) - \mathcal{N}_0^{(2)}(v)(0) \\ + \int_0^t \left\{ \mathcal{N}_1^{(1)}(v)(t') + \sum_{j=1}^2 \mathcal{R}^{(j)}(v)(t') \right\} dt' + \int_0^t \mathcal{N}^{(2)}(v)(t') dt'.$$

Many applications:

- Unconditional well-posedness.
- Study of quasi-invariant Gaussian measures.
- Stochastic context: three dimensional Zakharov system.

# Duhamel's formulation

Mild solution given by Duhamel's formula for NLS:

$$u(t) = e^{it\Delta} v + e^{it\Delta} \left( -i \int_0^t e^{-is\Delta} (|u(s)|^2 u(s)) ds \right)$$

In Fourier space, one gets

$$u_k(t) = e^{-itk^2} v_k - \sum_{k=-k_1+k_2+k_3} ie^{-itk^2} \int_0^t e^{isk^2} \bar{u}_{k_1}(s) u_{k_2}(s) u_{k_3}(s) ds$$

where  $e^{i\tau\Delta}$  is sent to  $e^{-i\tau k^2}$  in Fourier space.

# Iterating Duhamel and decorated trees

One wants to replace  $u_{k_j}(s)$  for  $j \in \{1, 2, 3\}$  by

$$u_{k_j}(s) = e^{-isk_j^2} v_{k_j} + \mathcal{O}(s).$$

We obtain

$$u_k(t) = e^{-itk^2} v_k - \sum_{k=-k_1+k_2+k_3} ie^{-itk^2} \int_0^t e^{isk^2} (e^{isk_1^2} \bar{v}_{k_1})(e^{-isk_2^2} v_{k_2})(e^{-isk_3^2} v_{k_3}) ds + \mathcal{O}(t^2),$$

and define a map  $\Pi : \text{Decorated trees} \rightarrow \text{Oscillatory integrals}$

$$(\Pi \text{ (root)})(t) = e^{-itk^2}, \quad (\Pi \text{ (tree)})(t) = \int_0^t e^{is(k^2+k_1^2-k_2^2-k_3^2)} ds.$$

## B-series type expansion

Fourier coefficient  $U_k^r$  up to order  $r$  (error  $t^{r+1}$ ) :

$$U_k^r(t, \nu) = \sum_{T \in \mathcal{T}_0^{\leq r, k}} \frac{\Upsilon(T)(\nu)}{S(T)} (\Pi T)(t)$$

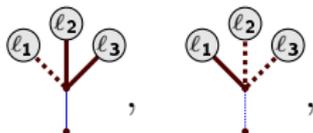
- $(\Pi T)(t)$  are oscillatory integrals.
- $\mathcal{T}_0^{\leq r, k}$ : decorated trees up to order  $r$ .
- $\Upsilon(T)$ : elementary differentials.
- $S(T)$ : symmetry factor.

One has

$$u_k(t) - U_k^r(t, \nu) = \mathcal{O}(t^{r+1}).$$

# Decorated trees and words

Let  $A$  be the alphabet with letters:



The associated phase is given by

$$\mathcal{F}(\text{tree}) = (-\ell_1 + \ell_2 + \ell_3)^2 + \ell_1^2 - \ell_2^2 - \ell_3^2.$$

Then, one defines the character

$$\tilde{\Psi}(T_k \cdots T_1)(t) = \frac{e^{i \sum_{j=1}^k \mathcal{F}(T_j)t}}{\prod_{m=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^m \mathcal{F}(T_j)}, \quad \tilde{\Psi}(w \sqcup \tilde{w}) = \tilde{\Psi}(w) \tilde{\Psi}(\tilde{w}).$$

## Shuffle Hopf algebra

Let  $A$  be an alphabet and  $T(A)$  the words on  $A$ . The shuffle product is defined for  $a, b \in A$  and  $u, v \in T(A)$

$$\varepsilon \sqcup v = v \sqcup \varepsilon = v, \quad (au \sqcup bv) = a(u \sqcup bv) + b(au \sqcup v).$$

Given a smooth path  $t \mapsto X_t^a$  indexed by  $a \in A$ , one defines:

$$X_{st}(a_1 \cdots a_n) = \int_{s < t_1 < \cdots < t_n < t} dX_{t_1}^{a_1} \cdots dX_{t_n}^{a_n}.$$

### Proposition

One has for  $u, v \in T(A)$ :

$$X_{st}(u)X_{st}(v) = X_{st}(u \sqcup v).$$

# Arborification

$$\begin{aligned}
 a(\text{Diagram}) &= \left( a(\text{Diagram}_1) \sqcup a(\text{Diagram}_2) \right) \cdot a(\text{Diagram}_3) \\
 &= \text{Diagram}_4 + \text{Diagram}_5 + \text{Diagram}_6
 \end{aligned}$$

The diagram on the left shows a tree structure with a blue root and two blue children. The left child has two children (k1, k2) connected by a dotted line, and a child (k3) connected by a solid line. The right child has a child (k4) connected by a dotted line, and two children (k5, k6) connected by a dotted line, with k7 connected to k6 by a solid line.

The first row of the equation shows the arborification of the left child (k1, k2, k3) and the right child (k4, k5, k6, k7) separately, which are then combined via the  $\sqcup$  operation.

The second row shows the final result as a sum of three diagrams:
 

- Diagram 4: The left child (k1, k2, k3) is arborified, and the right child (k4, k5, k6, k7) is attached to its root.
- Diagram 5: The right child (k4, k5, k6, k7) is arborified, and the left child (k1, k2, k3) is attached to its root.
- Diagram 6: Both children are arborified separately.

# Main results

## Theorem (B. 24)

*The main components of the normal form are given in Fourier space by*

$$\mathcal{N}_0^{(n)}(v)(k) = \sum_{T \in \hat{\mathcal{T}}_0^{n,k}} \frac{\Upsilon(T)(v)}{S(T)} \Psi(\alpha(T)),$$

$$\mathcal{R}^{(n)}(v)(k) = \sum_{\hat{T} \in \hat{\mathcal{T}}_{res,0}^{n,k}} \frac{\Upsilon(\hat{T})(v)}{S(\hat{T})} \mathcal{F}(\hat{T}) \hat{\Psi}(\alpha(\hat{T}))(t),$$

$$\mathcal{N}^{(n)}(v)(k) = \sum_{T \in \hat{\mathcal{T}}_0^{n,k}} \frac{\Upsilon(T)(v)}{S(T)} \mathcal{F}(T) \hat{\Psi}(\alpha(T))(t).$$

# Cancellations for dispersive PDEs

## Metatheorem (B.-Tolomeo 24)

*Cancellations for dispersive PDEs with random initial data could be understood via words and some well-chosen arborification map.*

Two applications:

- Wave Turbulence, Full range of scaling laws.  
[Deng-Hani ; AMSM 25+]
- Invariance of the Gibbs measure for the three-dimensional cubic wave equation. [Bringmann-Deng-Nahmod-Yue ; Invent. Math. 24]

# Wave Turbulence

One consider cubic NLS

$$(\partial_t + i\Delta)u = i\mu^2 |u|^2 u, \quad u(0, x) = v(x).$$

where  $x \in \mathbb{T}_L^d = [0, L]^d$ ,  $v_k = \sqrt{w_k} \eta_k$  ( $\eta_k$  i.i.d complex Gaussian).

One uses

$$e^{i(s-t)k^2} = \mathbb{E}(e^{-itk^2} \overline{\eta_k} e^{-isk^2} \eta_k).$$

Then

$$\alpha\left( \begin{array}{c} (k_4) \quad (k_5) \quad (k_1) \\ \diagdown \quad \vdots \quad \diagup \\ \quad (k_1) \quad (k_2) \end{array} \right) = -i \begin{array}{c} (l_1) \quad (k_4) \quad (k_5) \quad (k_1) \\ \diagdown \quad \vdots \quad \diagup \\ \quad (l_1) \quad (k_1) \quad (k_2) \end{array}, \quad \alpha\left( \begin{array}{c} (k_5) \quad (k_4) \quad (l_1) \\ \diagdown \quad \vdots \quad \diagup \\ (l_1) \quad \quad (k_2) \end{array} \right) = i \begin{array}{c} (l_1) \quad (k_4) \quad (k_5) \quad (k_1) \\ \diagdown \quad \vdots \quad \diagup \\ (l_1) \quad (k_1) \quad (k_2) \end{array}.$$

Cancellation by swapping  $l_1$  and  $k_1$ .



- Connections between three different fields:
  - Dispersive PDEs, [Guo-Kwon-Oh ; CMP 13] .
  - Dynamical Systems, [Ecalle-Valuet ; Ann. Fac. Sci. Toulouse 04] , [Fauvet-Menous ; Annales Sc. de l'Ecole Normale Sup. 17].
  - Numerical Analysis, [B.-Schratz ; Forum Pi 22].
- Link with Modified Energy, I-method and Birkhoff normal forms.
- Combinatorics in Random Tensors, Wave Turbulence and stochastic dispersive equations.