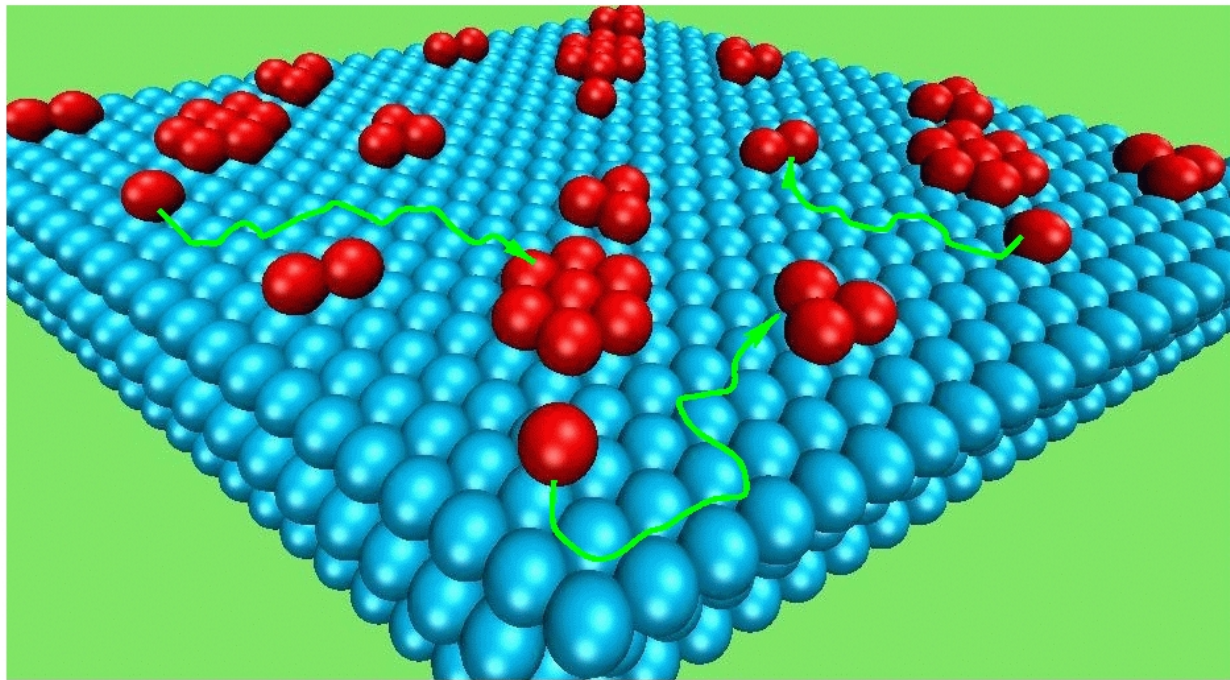


Integrable (solvable) particle systems for  
surface diffusion arising from structure and  
representation of Hecke algebras

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## Physical phenomenon: surface diffusion

Surface diffusion involves the movement of particles at solid material surfaces. Hopping or jumping is the most basic mechanism for diffusion of particles. The total number of particles is conserved.



Picture shows a surface with a 2-dimensional substrate, but we will focus on surfaces with **1-dimensional** substrate.

## Types of models for surface diffusion

- **Continuous models:** diffusion processes, stochastic differential systems
- **Discrete models:** Markov jump processes

# A continuous model for surface diffusion and its scaling limit (Savu, 2006)

## Kawasaki dynamics

Quadratic form: 
$$N^4 D_N(f) = \frac{N^4}{2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^N} \sum_{i=1}^N a_i(x) (\partial_{i+1} f - 2\partial_i f - \partial_{i-1} f)^2(x) \frac{e^{-H_N(x)}}{Z^N} dx.$$

Generator: 
$$N^4 L_N(f) = \frac{N^4}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N a_i(x) (\partial_{i+1} - 2\partial_i + \partial_{i-1})^2 f + w_i(x) (\partial_{i+1} - 2\partial_i + \partial_{i-1}) f,$$

SDS: 
$$dx_i = \frac{N^4}{2} (w_{i-1} - 2w_i + w_{i+1}) dt + N^2 (\sqrt{a_{i-1}} dB_{i-1} - 2\sqrt{a_i} dB_i + \sqrt{a_{i+1}} dB_{i+1}), \quad i = 1, \dots, N$$

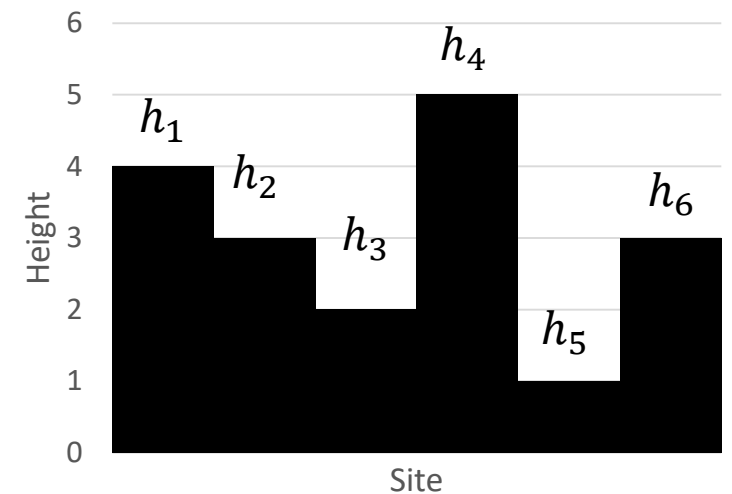
Hydrodynamic scaling limit of continuum  
solid-on-solid model

$$\frac{1}{N} (x_1(t) \delta_{\frac{1}{N}} + \dots + x_N(t) \delta_{\frac{N}{N}}) \xrightarrow{N \rightarrow \infty} m(t, \theta) d\theta \quad \forall \theta \in \mathbb{T} \forall t \geq 0$$

$$\partial_t m = -\frac{1}{2} \partial_\theta^2 (\hat{a}(m) \partial_\theta^2 m)$$

$$m(0, \theta) = m_0(\theta)$$

$h_i$  height of the surface at site  $i$   
 $x_i = h_{i+1} - h_i$



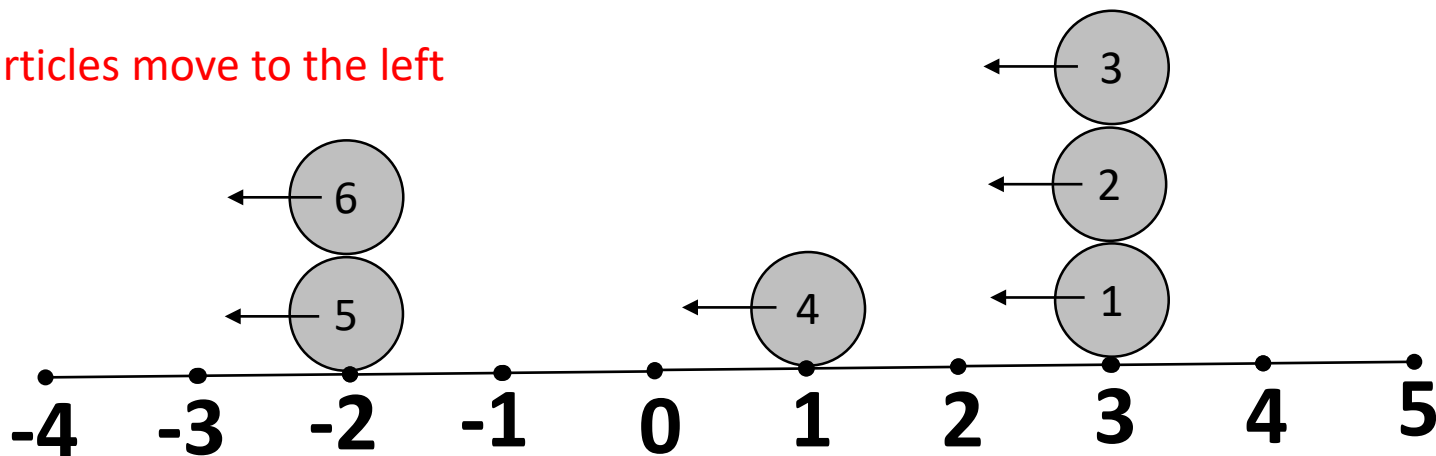
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Pros: integrable system

several particles can leave a site simultaneously

Cons: all particles move to the left



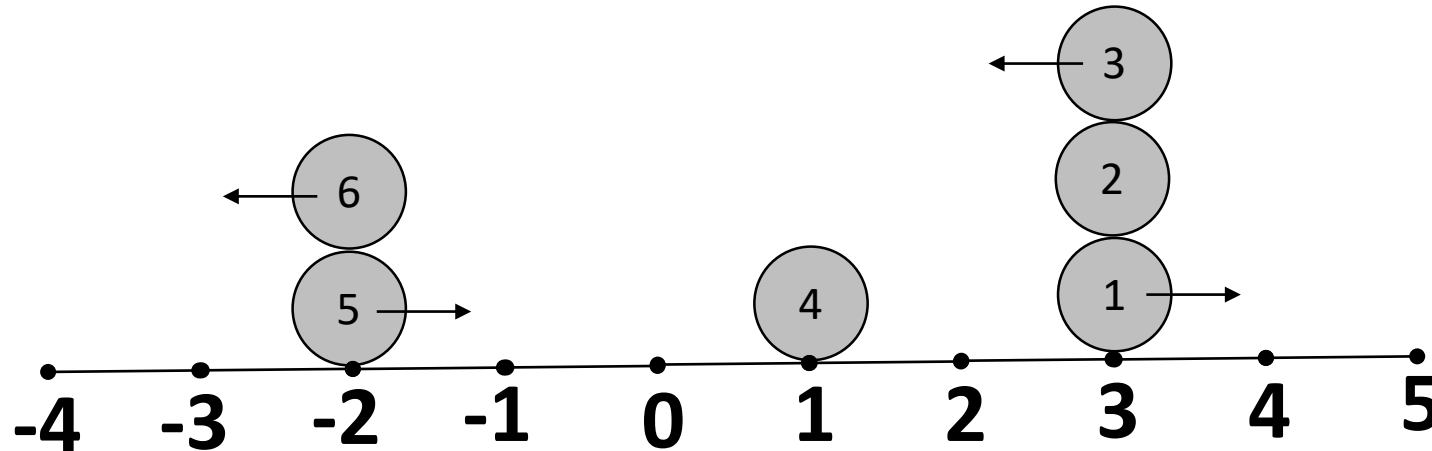
Allowed transitions

- Particle 3 moves left
- P3 left + P2 left
- P3 left + P2 left + P1 left
- Particle 4 moves left
- Particle 6 moves left
- P6 left + P5 left

**All particles move left**

Can we construct a discrete model for surface diffusion that incorporates left and right particle movement?

Are such models integrable?



Allowed transitions

- P1 right
- P3 left
- P3 left + P1 right
- P5 right
- P6 left
- P6 left + P5 right

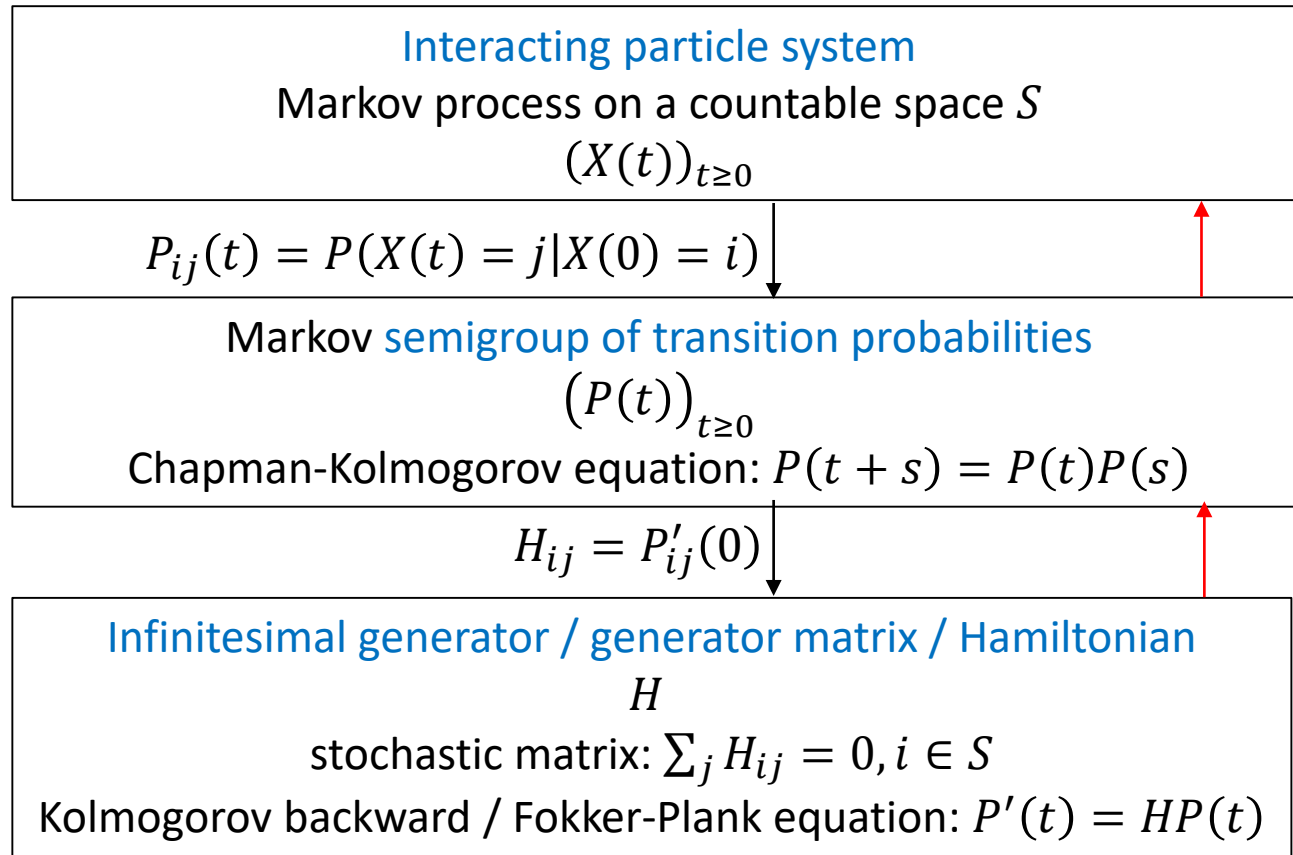
**Particles move left and right. Two particles move at the same time.**

# Basic facts on Markov jump processes with continuous time on a countable configuration space, $S$

- The **infinitesimal generator / generator matrix / Hamiltonian** is an operator  $H: F(S) \rightarrow F(S)$  that is stochastic (  $\sum_j H_{ij} = 0, i \in S$  ).
- The **Markov semigroup of transition probabilities**  $(P(t))_{t \geq 0}$  satisfies the Chapman-Kolmogorov:  $P(t + s) = P(t)P(s)$  and the Kolmogorov backward / Fokker-Planck equation:  $P'(t) = HP(t)$ .
- If the eigenfunctions of the Hamiltonian can be calculated then the system is referred to as **completely integrable / exactly solvable / or solvable**.

**Transition probabilities and steady states can be calculated for solvable systems**

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# Hamiltonian (Y. Takeyama 2014)

$$(H_{1/2} f)(x) = -a(x)f(x) + \sum_{r=1}^k \sum_{1 \leq j_1 \leq \dots \leq j_r \leq k} b(x, j_1, \dots, j_r) \underbrace{(\hat{X}_{j_1} \cdots \hat{X}_{j_r} f)}_{\parallel} (x)$$

$f(x - (v_{j_1} + \dots + v_{j_r}))$

- $a(x) = \sum_{r=1}^k a(x, r) = \alpha\gamma \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{[d_r^+(x)]}{1 + \beta\gamma[d_r^+(x)]}$ 
  - $[n] = \frac{1 - q^n}{1 - q}$
  - $d_r^+(x)$  count of  $r$  with the properties  $r < p \leq k$  and  $x_p = x_r$

$f$  is a symmetric function defined on the entire lattice  $L$

- $b(x, j_1, \dots, j_r) = \frac{(-\beta\gamma)^{r-1} [r-1]! q^{-\frac{r(r-1)}{2}} q^{d_{j_1}^-(x) + \dots + d_{j_r}^-(x)}}{\prod_{p=0}^{r-1} (1 + \beta\gamma [d_{j_p}^+(x) + d_{j_p}^-(x) - p])} \delta_{j_1, \dots, j_r}$ 
  - $\delta_{j_1, \dots, j_r} = 1$  if  $x_{j_1} = \dots = x_{j_r}$ , otherwise = 0
  - $d_r^-(x)$  count of  $r$  with the properties  $1 \leq p < r$  and  $x_p = x_r$

$$q = 1 + \beta\gamma - \alpha\delta$$



## Reminder: simple facts on matrices

- Let  $A$ ,  $G$ , and  $\Delta$  be  $n$  by  $n$  matrices such that  $G$  is invertible, and  $\Delta$  admits  $n$  linearly independent eigenvectors. Then the following are equivalent
  - $A = G\Delta G^{-1}$
  - $AG = G\Delta$
  - If  $v$  is an eigenvector of  $\Delta$  with eigenvalue  $\mu$  then  $Gv$  is an eigenvector of  $A$  with eigenvalue  $\mu$ .
- A square matrix ( $A$ ) is diagonalizable if it is similar to a diagonal matrix ( $\Delta$ ). There exists an invertible matrix  $G$  such that

$$A = G\Delta G^{-1} \text{ or equivalently } AG = G\Delta.$$



## A method to construct solvable systems

Takeyama's method (generalization of matrix diagonalization to operator setting)

- Identify a “simple/diagonal” operator ( $\Delta$ ) such that the eigenvectors of  $\Delta$  can be calculated
- Identify a propagator operators  $G$
- Identify the Hamiltonian  $H$  that solves the equations  $HG = G\Delta$
- Transform the eigenvectors of  $\Delta$  into eigenvectors of  $H$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & & \mathbf{H} & & \\ & & \rightarrow & & \\ F(S) & & & & F(S) \\ \mathbf{G} \uparrow & & comm & & \uparrow \mathbf{G} \\ & & \Delta & & \\ F(S) & & \rightarrow & & F(S) \end{array}$$

## Mathematical encoding of the particle configuration

- “common-sense”

For each site record the height of the surface,  $h_i$ . Encode each surface by the sequence of heights  $(\dots, h_{-2}, h_{-1}, h_0, h_1, h_2, \dots)$ . Heights are non-negative integers. If the number of particles is fixed only finitely many of the heights are non-zero and the sum of the heights is constant.

$$\left\{ h: \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2, \dots\} \mid \sum_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} h_i = C \right\}$$

## Mathematical encoding of the particle configuration

- “transformed”

From right to left number the particles,  $1, 2, 3, \dots$  and record the positions of the particles:  $x_i$  is the position of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  particle. Sites are integers. If we have  $k$  particles then we have  $k$  sites:  $(x_1, \dots, x_k)$  and  $x_1 \geq \dots \geq x_k$ .

- **fundamental chamber of the lattice** generated by  $k$  orthonormal vectors

$$L_+ = \{x_1 v_1 + \dots + x_k v_k \mid x_1 \in \mathbb{Z}, \dots, x_k \in \mathbb{Z}, x_1 \geq \dots \geq x_k\}$$

- clusters of a set of  $k$  elements

$$C = \{(c_1, \dots, c_M) \in \{1, \dots, k\}^M \mid 1 \leq M \leq k, c_1 + \dots + c_M = k\}$$

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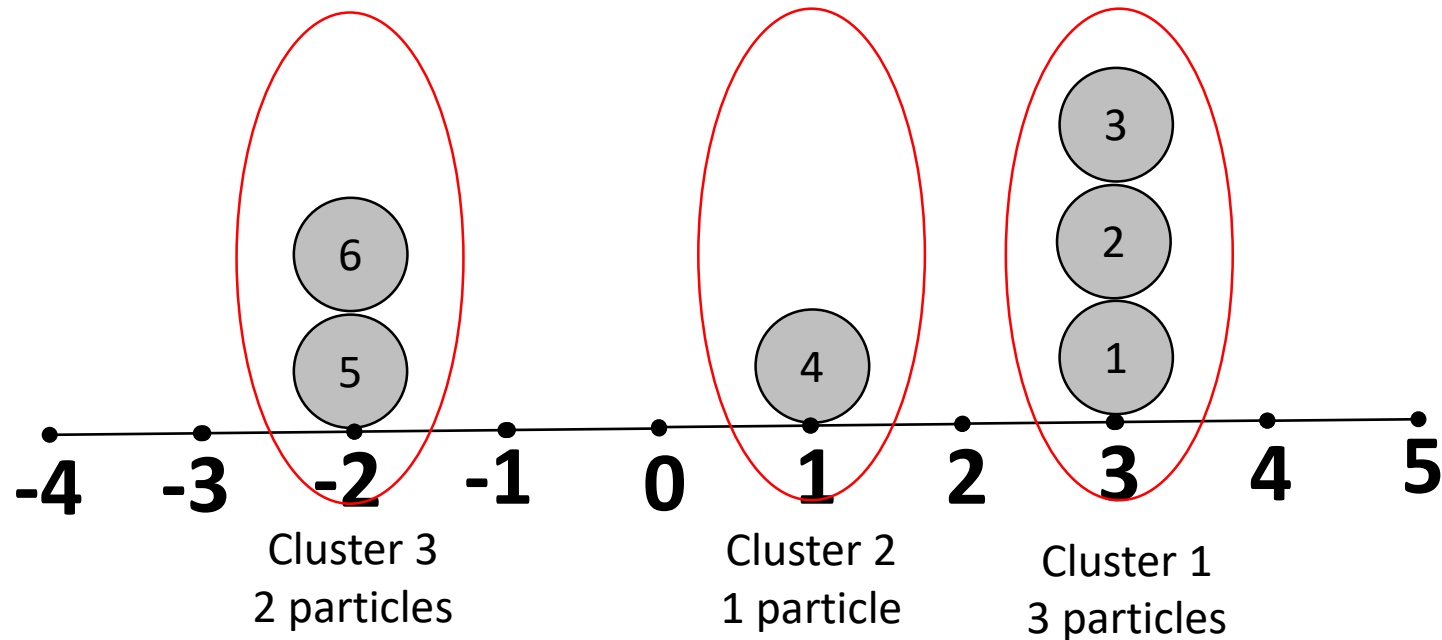
- “transformed, amenable to computations”

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- **Lattice** generated by  $k$  orthonormal vectors

$$L = \{x_1 v_1 + \dots + x_k v_k \mid x_1 \in Z, \dots, x_k \in Z \}$$

# Mathematical encoding of the particle configuration



Sequence of heights:  $\dots, 0, 0, 0, \dots, 3, 0, 1, 0, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, \dots$

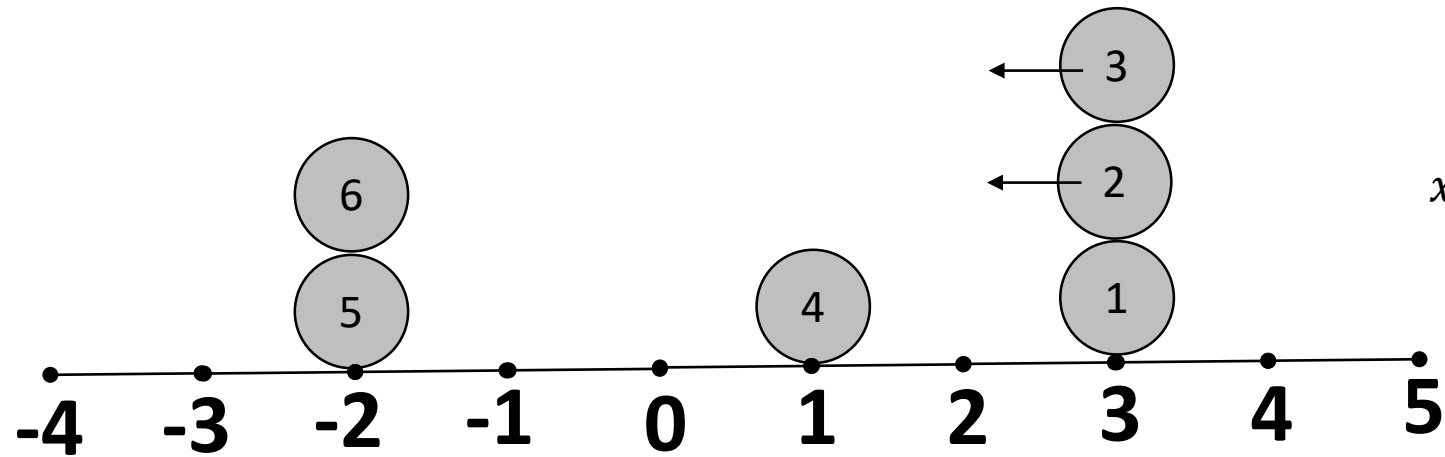
Sequence of sites:  $3, 3, 3, 1, -2, -2$

Lattice point in the fundamental chamber:  $3v_1 + 3v_2 + 3v_3 + v_4 - 2v_5 - 2v_6$

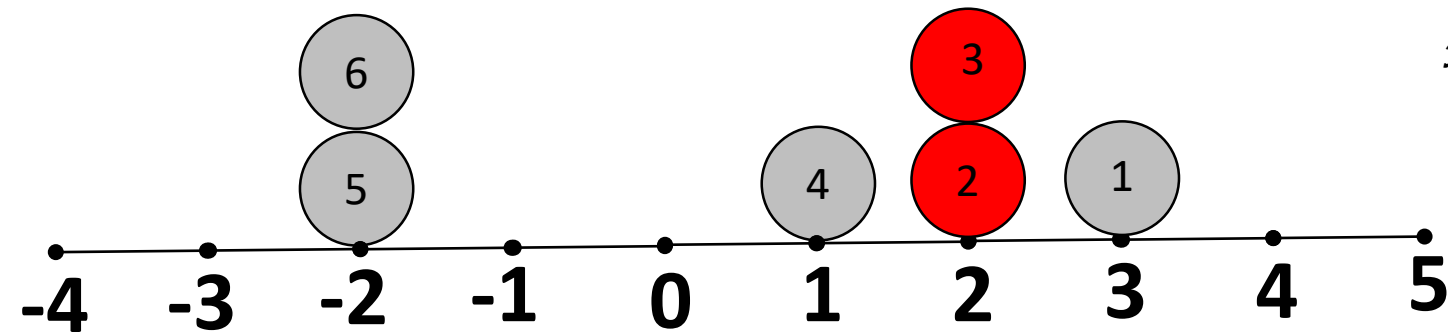
Cluster sizes:  $c_1 = 3, c_2 = 1, c_3 = 2$        $c_1 + c_2 + c_3 = 6$

Orbit in the lattice due to symmetric group action:  $(3, 3, 3, 1, -2, -2) (1, 3, -2, 3, 3, -2) \dots 6!$  points

## Mathematical encoding of the dynamics



$$x_{start} = 3v_1 + 3v_2 + 3v_3 + v_4 - 2v_5 - 2v_6$$



$$x_{end} = 3v_1 + 2v_2 + 2v_3 + v_4 - 2v_5 - 2v_6$$

$$= x_{start} - v_2 - v_3$$

Dynamics (particle  $i$  moves one site to the left) is described by operators:  $(\hat{X}_i f)(x) = f(x - v_i)$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq k$





## Reminder: Time-independent Schrodinger equation and eigenfunction problem for the Laplacian (n=1)

- $-\varphi''(x) + 2c \delta(x)\varphi(x) = E\varphi(x)$  Schrodinger equation

$\varphi$  is continuous on  $R$ ,  $\varphi'$ ,  $\varphi''$  are continuous on  $R \setminus \{0\}$ ,  $\varphi'$  has a jump of size  $c\varphi(0)$  at 0

$\delta$ : delta function       $E$ : negative constant, energy level

- $-u''(x) = Eu(x)$  eigenfunction problem for the Laplacian

$$\varphi(x) = \begin{cases} \varphi_L(x) = A_1 e^{kx} + A_2 e^{-kx}, & x \leq 0 \\ \varphi_R(x) = B_1 e^{kx} + B_2 e^{-kx}, & x \geq 0 \end{cases} \quad k = \sqrt{-E}$$

$\varphi$  is continuous:  $\varphi_R(0) = \varphi_L(0)$ ,  $A_1 + A_2 = B_1 + B_2$

$\varphi'$  has a jump at 0:  $-(\varphi'_R(0) - \varphi'_L(0)) + 2c\varphi(0) = 0$ ,  $-k(A_1 - A_2 - B_1 + B_2) + 2c(A_1 + A_2) = 0$

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$$\varphi(x) = Ae^{-kx} + Be^{kx} + (A + B) \frac{e^{kx} - e^{-kx}}{k} \begin{cases} -c, & x \leq 0 \\ 0, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\varphi(x) = u(x) + \left( \int_{-x}^x u(t) dt \right) \begin{cases} -c, & x \leq 0 \\ 0, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

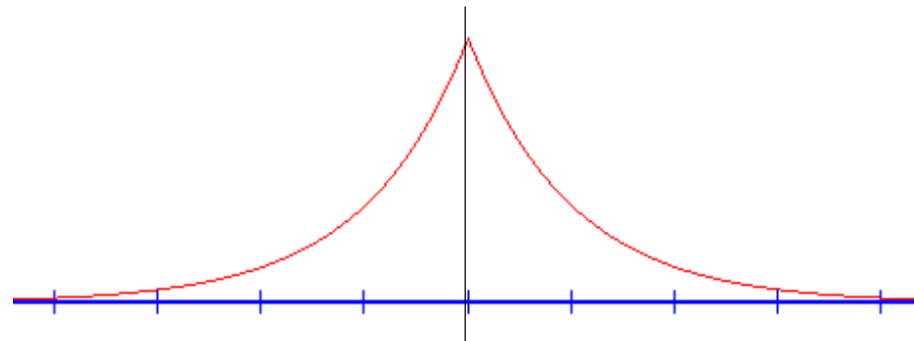
$$\varphi = Pu = u + c \begin{cases} Iu \\ 0 \end{cases}$$

Bounded solution for  $c = -k = \sqrt{-E}$

$$\varphi(x) = P(Ae^{-kx}) = \begin{cases} Ae^{kx}, & x \leq 0 \\ Ae^{-kx}, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

After reflecting the eigenfunction of the Laplacian in the wall  $x = 0$  we obtain an eigenfunction of the delta potential.

Start with an eigenfunction of the Laplacian on  $x > 0$ , this function is uniquely propagated on  $x < 0$  so that the resulting function is continuous at 0 and its derivative has a jump of  $2c\varphi(0)$  at 0.



## Lascoux and Schutzenberger operators on a polynomial ring

- Ring of Laurent polynomials in  $k$  variables, with complex coefficients  $\mathbb{C} \left[ \frac{1}{z_1}, z_1, \dots, \frac{1}{z_k}, z_k \right]$

Let  $P$  be a Laurent polynomial

$$P\check{X}_i = \frac{1}{z_i} P, \quad i = 1, \dots, k$$

$$P\check{T}_i = P \cdot s_i + \frac{(\alpha z_i + \beta)(\gamma z_{i+1} + \delta)}{z_i - z_{i+1}} (P - P \cdot s_i), \quad i = 1, \dots, k - 1$$

$$P \left( \dots, \frac{1}{z_i}, z_i, \frac{1}{z_{i+1}}, z_{i+1}, \dots \right) \cdot s_i = P \left( \dots, \frac{1}{z_{i+1}}, z_{i+1}, \frac{1}{z_i}, z_i, \dots \right)$$

## Example: Lascoux and Schutzenberger operators case: exponent of $z_1 >$ exponent of $z_2$

- Ring of Laurent polynomials in 2 variables, with complex coefficients  $\mathbb{C} \left[ \frac{1}{z_1}, z_1, \frac{1}{z_2}, z_2 \right]$

$$(z_1^6 z_2^2) \check{X}_1 = z_1^5 z_2^2$$

$$(z_1^6 z_2^2) \check{X}_2 = z_1^6 z_2^1$$

$$(z_1^6 z_2^2) \cdot s_1 = z_1^2 z_2^6$$

$$(z_1^6 z_2^2) \check{T}_1 = z_1^2 z_2^6 + \frac{(\alpha z_1 + \beta)(\gamma z_2 + \delta)}{z_1 - z_2} (z_1^6 z_2^2 - z_1^2 z_2^6)$$

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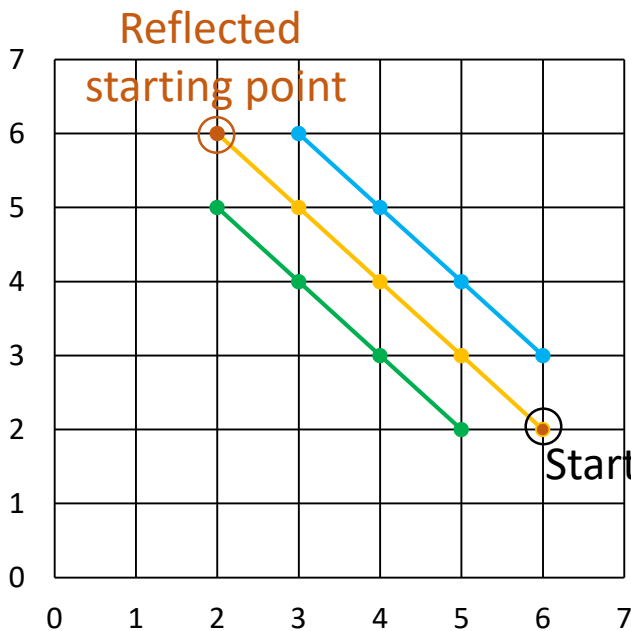
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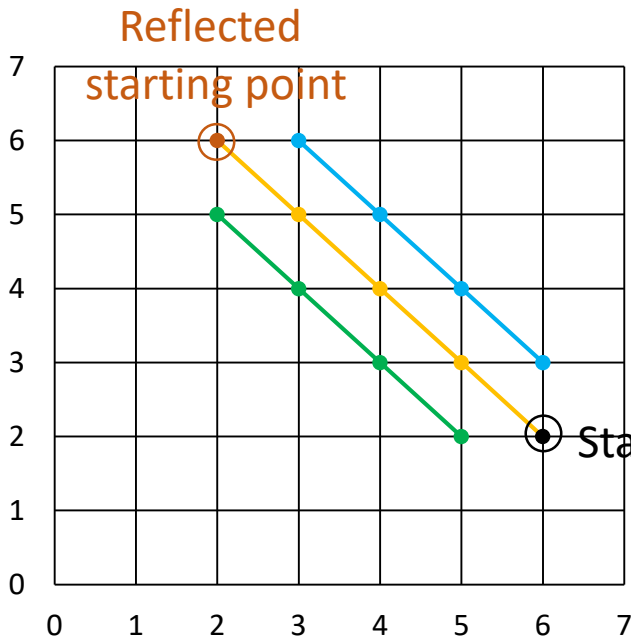
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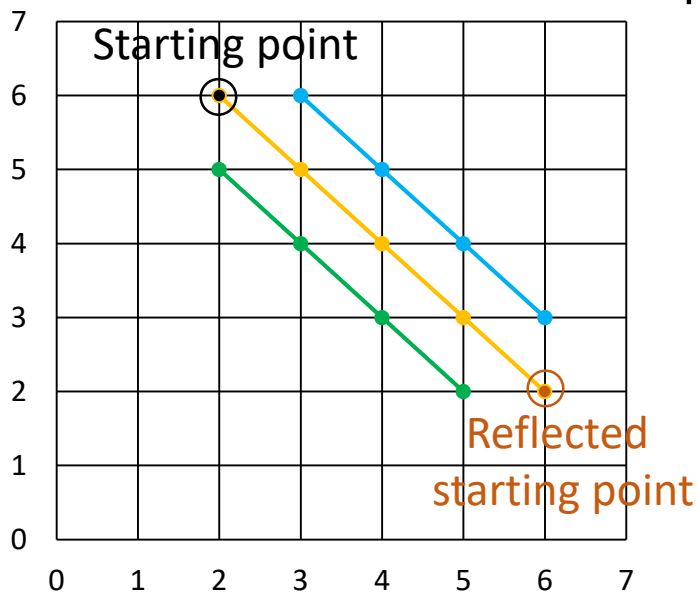
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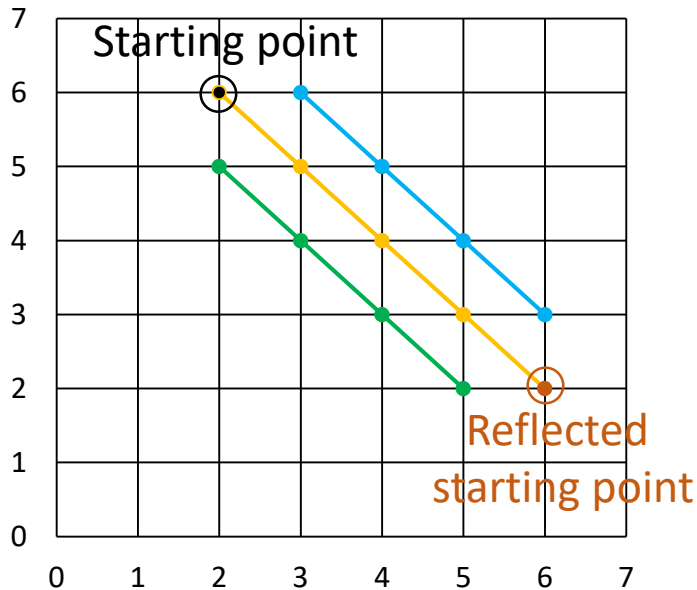
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## Integral reflection operators on function space

- Vector space,  $F(L)$ , of complex-valued functions defined on the  $k$ -dimensional, orthogonal lattice  $L = \{x_1 v_1 + \dots + x_k v_k \mid x_1 \in Z, \dots, x_k \in Z\}$ . Let  $f \in F(L)$ ,  $f: L \rightarrow C$ . Define the operators

$$(\hat{X}_i f)(x) = f(x - v_i), \quad i = 1, \dots, k$$

$$(\hat{T}_i f)(x) = (\hat{T}_i f)(x_1 v_1 + \dots + x_k v_k), \quad i = 1, \dots, k - 1$$

is a linear combination of the values of  $f$  at the exponents of those monomials identified in  $(z^{x_1} \dots z^{x_k}) \check{T}_i$

$$\begin{aligned} & (s_i f)(x_1 v_1 + \dots + x_i v_i + x_{i+1} v_{i+1} + \dots + x_k v_k) \\ &= f(x_1 v_1 + \dots + x_{i+1} v_i + x_i v_{i+1} + \dots + x_k v_k), \quad i = 1, \dots, k - 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$(\widehat{T}_i f)(x) =$$

$$\alpha\gamma \sum_{j=1}^{x_i - x_{i+1}} f(s_i x + j(v_i - v_{i+1}) + v_{i+1}) \quad |x|_1 + 1^{\text{st}} \text{ line}$$

$$\alpha\delta f(x) + (\alpha\delta + \beta\gamma) \sum_{j=1}^{x_i - x_{i+1} - 1} f(s_i x + j(v_i - v_{i+1})) + (1 + \beta\gamma)f(s_i x) \quad |x|_1^{\text{th}} \text{ line}$$

$$+\beta\delta \sum_{j=1}^{x_i - x_{i+1} - 1} f(s_i x + j(v_i - v_{i+1}) - v_{i+1}) \quad |x|_1 - 1^{\text{th}} \text{ line}$$

if  $x_i - x_{i+1} > 0$ ,

$s_i x$  permutes the  $i^{\text{th}}$  and  $i+1^{\text{th}}$  coordinates of  $x$

$$|x|_1 = x_1 + \cdots + x_k$$

# Deformed affine Hecke algebra of type $A_{k-1}$ (Y. Takeyama 2014)

## Hecke algebra of type $A_{k-1}$

deformation of the group algebra of the symmetric group  $S_k$

- Eigenvalue relations:  $(T_i - 1)(T_i + q) = 0$ ,  $q = 1 + \beta\gamma - \alpha\delta$
- Braid relations:  $T_i T_{i+1} T_i = T_{i+1} T_i T_{i+1}$  and  $T_i T_j = T_j T_i$  if  $|i - j| > 1$

## affine Hecke algebra of type $A_{k-1}$

universal, unital, associative  $\mathbb{C}$ -algebra generated by the elements

$T_1, \dots, T_{k-1}, X_1, \dots, X_k, X_1^{-1}, \dots, X_k^{-1}$  subject to eigenvalue relations, braid relations and

- Laurent relations:  $X_i X_j = X_j X_i$  and  $X_i X_i^{-1} = X_i^{-1} X_i = 1$
- Action relations:  $T_i X_i T_i = q X_{i+1}$  and  $T_i X_j = X_j T_i$  if  $i \neq j, j - 1$

## deformed affine Hecke algebra of type $A_{k-1}$

universal, unital, associative  $\mathbb{C}$ -algebra

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$T_1, \dots, T_{k-1}, X_1, \dots, X_k, X_1^{-1}, \dots, X_k^{-1}$  subject to

eigenvalue relations, braid relations, Laurent relations and

- Action relations:  $X_{i+1} T_i - T_i X_i = T_i X_{i+1} - X_i T_i = (\alpha + \beta X_i)(\gamma + \delta X_i)$  and  $T_i X_j = X_j T_i$  if  $i \neq j, j - 1$

If  $\beta = \gamma = 0$  then  
deformed affine Hecke algebra =  
affine Hecke algebra

# Representations of deformed affine Hecke algebra

**deformed affine Hecke algebra of type  $A_{k-1}$**

Right representation on the ring of Laurent polynomials in  $k$  variables, with complex coefficients

$$\mathbb{C} \left[ \frac{1}{z_1}, z_1, \dots, \frac{1}{z_k}, z_k \right]$$

Left representation on the vector space,  $F(L)$ , of complex-valued functions defined on the  $k$ -dimensional, orthogonal lattice  $L$

## Propagation operator

$$G(f)(x) = (\hat{T}_{w_x} f)(w_x x)$$

For  $x \in L$  there exists the shortest sequence  $s_{i_1}, \dots, s_{i_l}$  selected from permutations  $s_1 = (12), s_2 = (23), \dots, s_{k-1} = (k-1k)$  such that  $s_{i_1} \circ \dots \circ s_{i_l}(x)$  belongs to the fundamental chamber  $L_+ = \{x_1 v_1 + \dots + x_k v_k \mid x_1 \in Z, \dots, x_k \in Z, x_1 \geq \dots \geq x_k\}$  of the orthogonal lattice. Then

$$\hat{T}_{w_x} = \hat{T}_{i_1} \circ \dots \circ \hat{T}_{i_l}$$

# Propagation operator

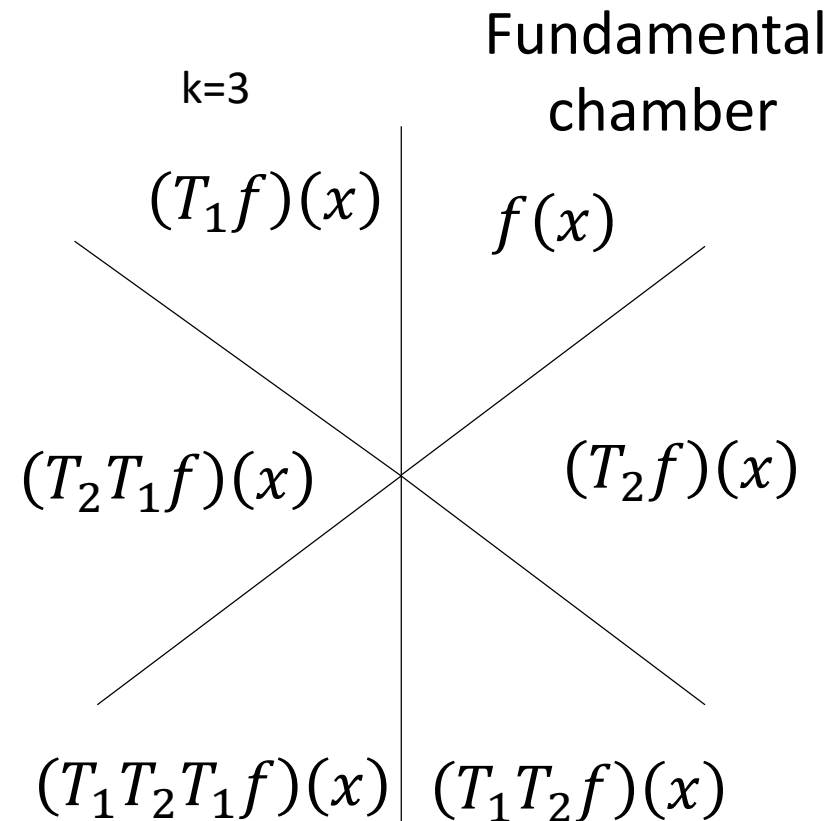
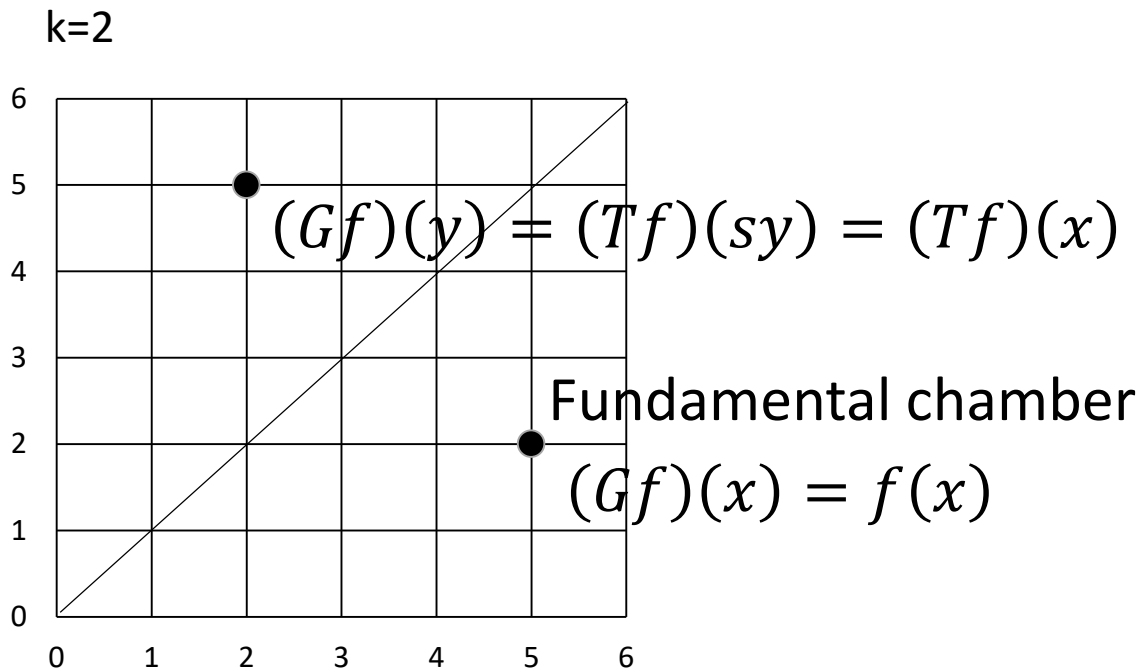
$x$	$\sigma_1$	...	$\sigma_j$	...	$\sigma_{k!}$
$\hat{T}_{\sigma_1}$	$\hat{T}_{\sigma_1}f(\sigma_1 x)$		$\hat{T}_{\sigma_1}f(\sigma_j x)$		$\hat{T}_{\sigma_1}f(\sigma_{k!} x)$
$\vdots$					
$\hat{T}_{\sigma_j}$	$\hat{T}_{\sigma_j}f(\sigma_1 x)$		$\hat{T}_{\sigma_j}f(\sigma_j x)$		$\hat{T}_{\sigma_j}f(\sigma_{k!} x)$
$\vdots$					
$\hat{T}_{\sigma_{k!}}$	$\hat{T}_{\sigma_{k!}}f(\sigma_1 x)$		$\hat{T}_{\sigma_{k!}}f(\sigma_j x)$		$\hat{T}_{\sigma_{k!}}f(\sigma_{k!} x)$

$$\hat{T}_{\sigma} = \hat{T}_{s_{i_1}} \circ \dots \circ \hat{T}_{s_{i_l}} \quad \text{with } \sigma = s_{i_1} \circ \dots \circ s_{i_l} \text{ being shortest path in the symmetric group}$$

For  $x \in L$  identify  $\sigma_j \in S_k$  such that  $\sigma_j x$  belongs to the fundamental chamber. Then

$$G(x) = \hat{T}_{\sigma_j} f(\sigma_j x)$$

# Propagation operator



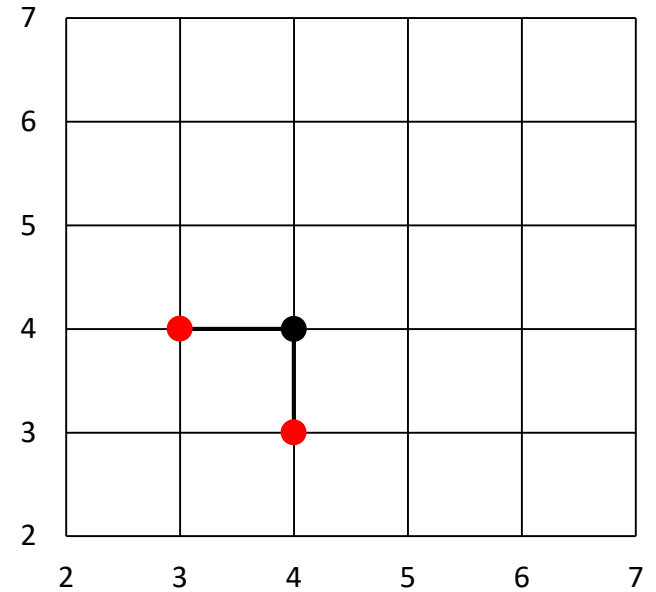
Fundamental chamber of the lattice generated by  $k$  orthonormal vectors

$$L_+ = \{x_1v_1 + \dots + x_kv_k \mid x_1 \in \mathbb{Z}, \dots, x_k \in \mathbb{Z}, x_1 \geq \dots \geq x_k\}$$



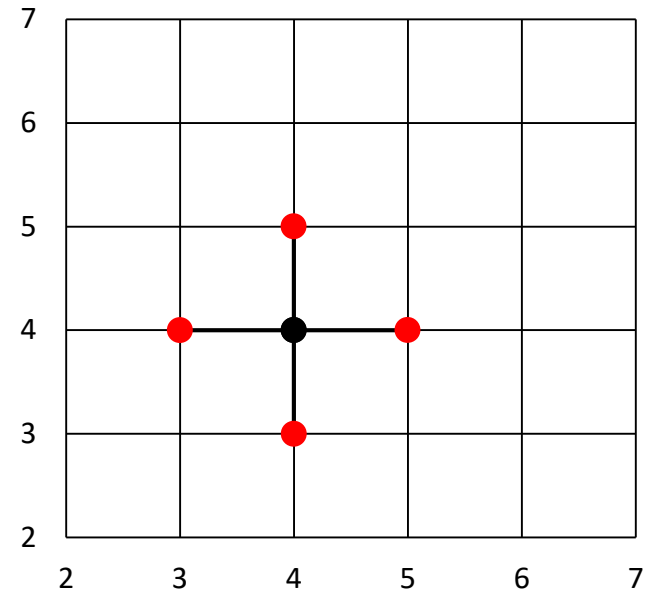
## Half Laplacian

- $(\Delta_{1/2}f)(x) = \left( (\hat{X}_1 + \dots + \hat{X}_k)f \right)(x)$   
 $= f(x - v_1) + \dots + f(x - v_k)$
- Eigenvectors of half Laplacian are  $f(x) = \sum_{\sigma \in S_k} p_{\sigma(1)}^{x_1} \dots p_{\sigma(k)}^{x_k}$   
with  $p_1 > 0, \dots, p_k > 0$



## Laplacian

- $(\Delta_1 f)(x) = \left( (\hat{X}_1 + \hat{X}_1^{-1} + \dots + \hat{X}_k + \hat{X}_k^{-1})f \right)(x)$   
 $= f(x - v_1) + f(x + v_1) + \dots + f(x - v_k) + f(x + v_k)$
- Eigenvectors of Laplacian are  $f(x) = \sum_{\sigma \in S_k} p_{\sigma(1)}^{x_1} \dots p_{\sigma(k)}^{x_k}$   
with  $p_1 > 0, \dots, p_k > 0$



## Hamiltonian (Y. Takeyama 2014)

$$(H_{1/2} f)(x) = -a(x)f(x) + \sum_{r=1}^k \sum_{1 \leq j_1 \leq \dots \leq j_r \leq k} b(x, j_1, \dots, j_r) (\hat{X}_{j_1} \cdots \hat{X}_{j_r} f)(x)$$

$$q = 1 + \beta\gamma - \alpha\delta$$

$$f(x - (v_{j_1} + \dots + v_{j_r}))$$

$f$  is a symmetric function  
defined on the entire lattice  $L$

- $a(x) = \sum_{r=1}^k a(x, r) = \alpha\gamma \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{[d_r^+(x)]}{1 + \beta\gamma [d_r^+(x)]}$ 
  - $[n] = \frac{1 - q^n}{1 - q}$
  - $d_r^+(x)$  count of  $p$  with the properties  $r < p \leq k$  and  $x_p = x_r$
- $b(x, j_1, \dots, j_r) = \frac{(-\beta\gamma)^{r-1} [r-1]! q^{-\frac{r(r-1)}{2}} q^{d_{j_1}^-(x) + \dots + d_{j_r}^-(x)}}{\prod_{p=0}^{r-1} (1 + \beta\gamma [d_{j_p}^+(x) + d_{j_p}^-(x) - p])} \delta_{j_1, \dots, j_r}$ 
  - $\delta_{j_1, \dots, j_r} = 1$  if  $x_{j_1} = \dots = x_{j_r}$ , otherwise = 0
  - $d_r^-(x)$  count of  $p$  with the properties  $1 \leq p < r$  and  $x_p = x_r$

## Takeyama model for surface diffusion depends on 2 parameters (s,q)

$r$  particles move one site to the left from a cluster with  $c$  particles at a rate given by

$$\frac{s^{r-1}}{[r]} \prod_{p=0}^{r-1} \frac{[c-p]}{1+s[c-1-p]} \quad [n] = \frac{1-q^n}{1-q}$$

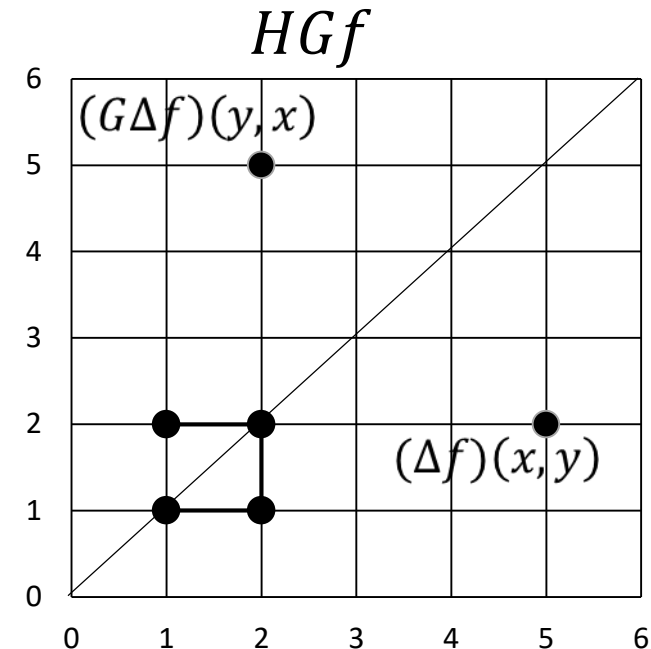
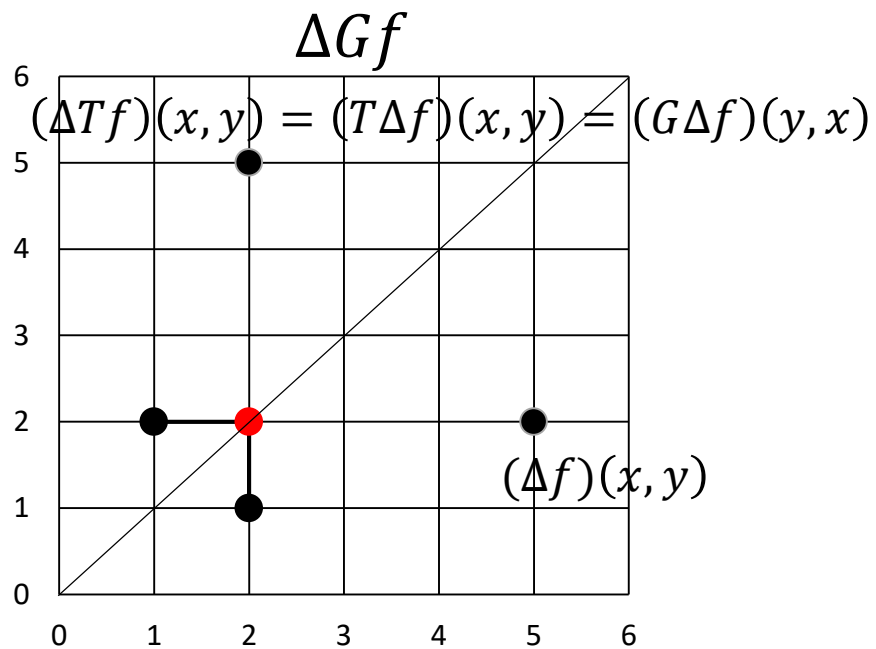
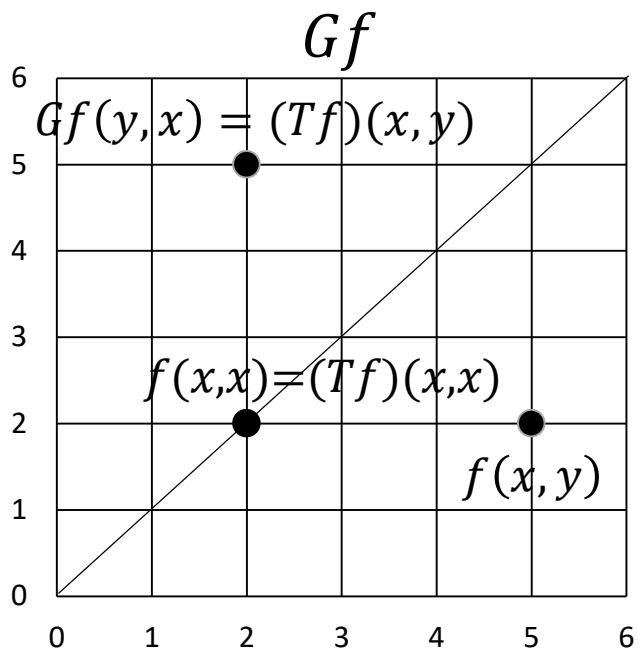
## Properties of Takeyama's Hamiltonian

- $H_{1/2}(F(L)^W)$  is included in  $F(L)^W$
- Commutation relation of  $H_{1/2}$  and propagation operator

$$H_{1/2}G = G \left( \sum_{i=1}^k \hat{X}_i \right) = G\Delta_{1/2}$$

- **Some** eigenvectors of  $H_{1/2}$  can be found. The Bethe wave functions, the eigenfunctions of  $\Delta_{1/2}$  transformed under the propagation operator  $G$  to become eigenfunctions of  $H$
- Hamiltonian  $H_{1/2} - \theta I$  is stochastic if  $(\alpha + \beta)(\gamma + \delta) = 0$ .

# How can we construct Takeyama's Hamiltonian? Case k=2



$$f(x, x-1) + (Tf)(x, x-1) = ((X_1 + X_2 T)f)(x, x) \neq ((X_1 + X_2)f)(x, x)$$

$$af(x, x-1) + b(Tf)(x, x-1) + cf(x, x) + df(x-1, x-1) = ((aX_1 + bX_2 T + c1 + dX_1 X_2)f)(x, x) = ((X_1 + X_2)f)(x, x)$$

$\Delta Gf = G\Delta f$  except on  $x_1 = x_2$

Choose the coefficients  $a, b, c, d$  such that  $HGf = G\Delta f$

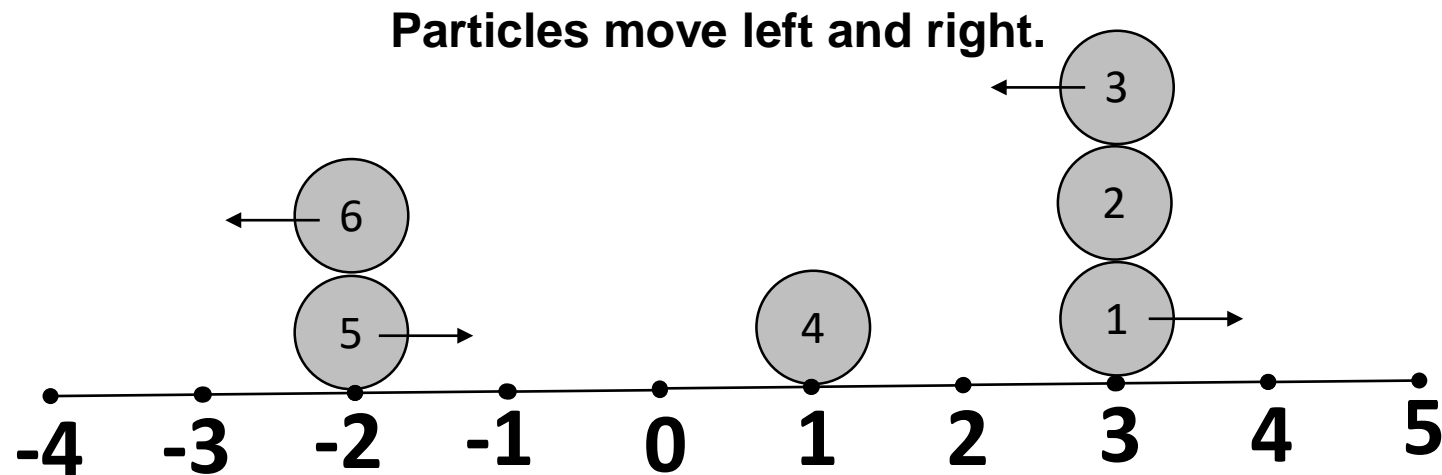
Use action relation

$$X_2 T = T X_1 + (\alpha + \beta X_1)(\gamma + \delta X_1)$$

Can we construct a discrete model for surface diffusion that incorporates left and right particle movement?

Are such models integrable?

Are there other Hamiltonians that are integrable?



## Result for k=2 (two particles)

Let  $L$  be the 2-dimensional lattice. There exists an operator  $H_1: F(L) \rightarrow F(L)$  such that

- $H_1 G = G \Delta_1$  (commutation relation involving the propagator operator and the full Laplacian)
- has  $F(L)^W$  as an invariant subspace
- has the form

$$(H_1 f)(x, y) = \begin{cases} ((\hat{X}_1 + \hat{X}_2 + \hat{X}_1^{-1} + \hat{X}_2^{-1})f)(x, y) & \text{if } x \neq y \\ ((a_0 + a_1 \hat{X}_1 + a_2 \hat{X}_2 + a_3 \hat{X}_1 \hat{X}_2 + b_1 \hat{X}_1^{-1} + b_2 \hat{X}_2^{-1} + b_3 \hat{X}_1^{-1} \hat{X}_2^{-1})f)(x, y) & \text{if } x = y \end{cases}$$

Proof. We identify the coefficients  $a$  and  $b$  such that  $H_1 G = G \Delta_1$

$$\begin{cases} a_0 + a_1 \alpha \gamma + b_2 \beta \delta & = 0 \\ a_1 (1 + \beta \gamma) & = 1 \\ a_2 + a_1 \alpha \delta & = 1 \\ a_3 + a_1 \beta \delta & = 0 \\ b_1 + b_2 \alpha \delta & = 1 \\ b_2 (1 + \beta \gamma) & = 1 \\ b_3 + b_2 \alpha \gamma & = 0 \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} a_0 & = -\frac{\alpha \gamma + \beta \delta}{1 + \beta \gamma} \\ a_1 & = \frac{1}{1 + \beta \gamma} \\ a_2 & = 1 - \frac{\alpha \delta}{1 + \beta \gamma} = \frac{\alpha}{1 + \beta \gamma} \\ a_3 & = -\frac{\beta \delta}{1 + \beta \gamma} \\ b_1 & = 1 - \frac{\alpha \delta}{1 + \beta \gamma} = \frac{\alpha}{1 + \beta \gamma} \\ b_2 & = \frac{1}{1 + \beta \gamma} \\ b_3 & = -\frac{\alpha \gamma}{1 + \beta \gamma} \end{cases}$$

$a_1 + a_2$  rate for one particle to leave a cluster of two particles  
 $a_3$  rate for two particles to leave a cluster of two particles

## Result for k=2 (two particles)

- An equivalent form for the Hamiltonian  $H_1$  is

$$H_1 = H_{1/2} + H_{1/2} \hat{X}_1^{-1} \hat{X}_2^{-1}$$

Proof. Let  $g(x) = f(x + e_1 + e_2) = (\hat{X}_1^{-1} \hat{X}_2^{-1} f)(x)$ , then  $\Delta_1 f = (X_1 +$

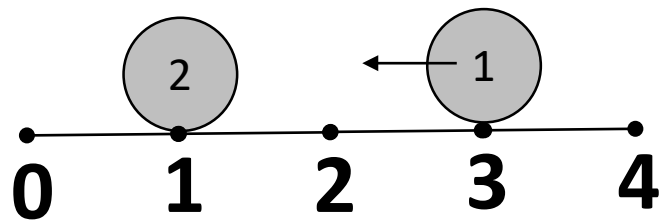
Propagator and symmetric  
polynomials in  $\hat{X}_1, \hat{X}_2$  commute.



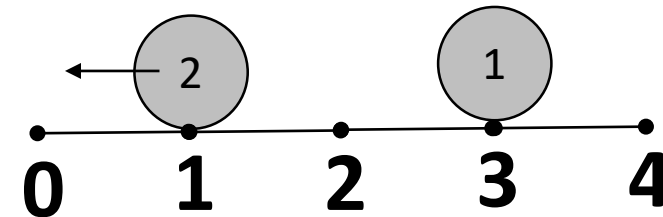
# Dynamics of 2 particles

$$q = 1 + \beta\gamma - \alpha\delta$$

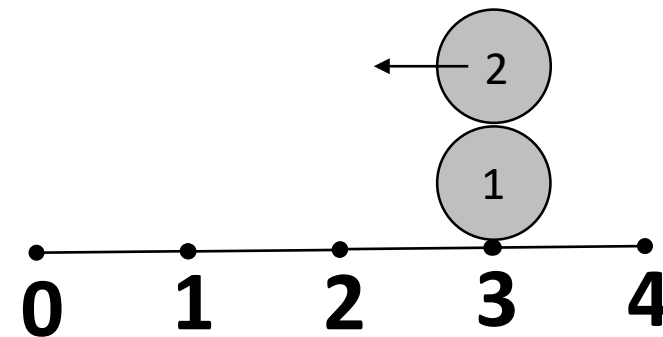
$$(\alpha + \beta)(\gamma + \delta) = 0$$



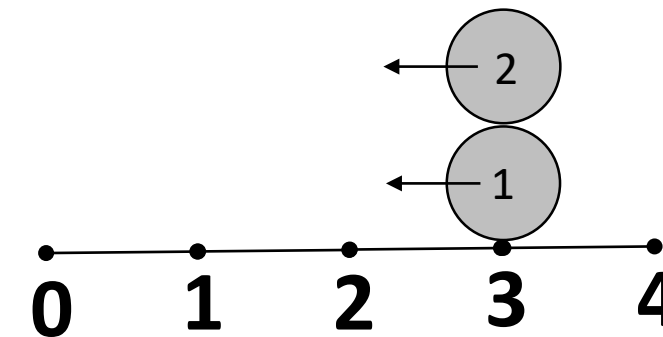
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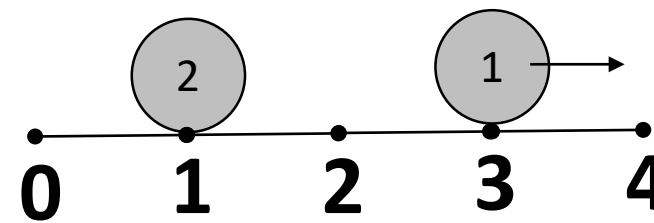
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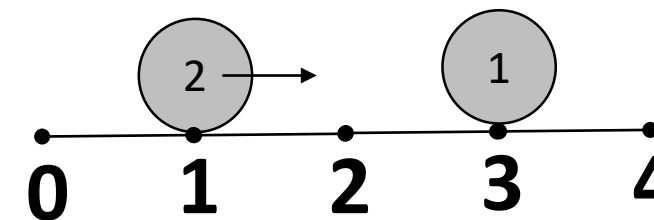
$$\text{Rate} = \frac{1+q}{1+\beta\gamma} = 1 + \frac{1-\alpha\delta}{1+\beta\gamma}$$



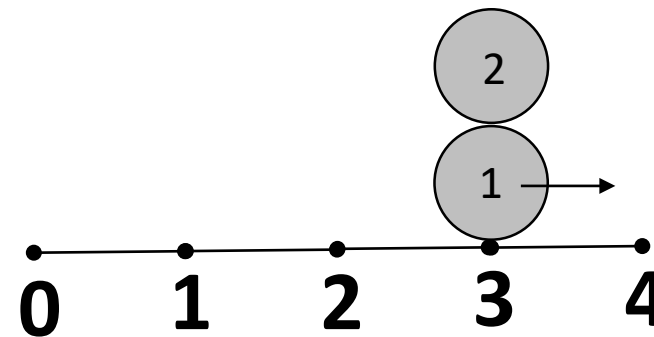
$$\text{Rate} = \frac{-\beta\delta}{1+\beta\gamma}$$



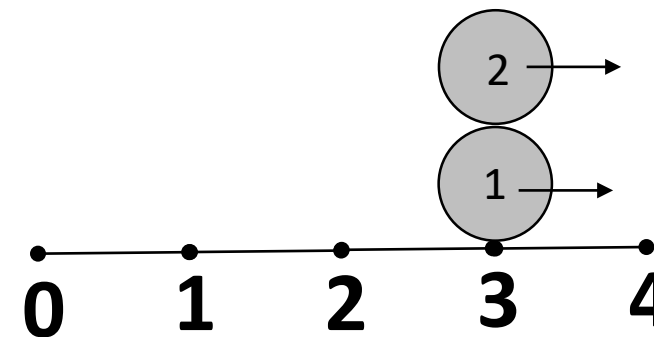
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$$\text{Rate} = \frac{1+q}{1+\beta\gamma}$$



$$\text{Rate} = \frac{-\alpha\gamma}{1+\beta\gamma}$$

# Dynamics of 2 particles

Rate		Case 1	Case 2	Case 3
Parametrization	$(\alpha + \beta)(\gamma + \delta) = 0$ $q = 1 + \beta\gamma - \alpha\delta$	$\alpha + \beta = 0$ $\gamma + \delta = 0$ $s = \beta\gamma = -\alpha\gamma$ $q = 1$	$\alpha + \beta = 0$ $s = \beta\gamma$ $u = -\beta\delta$ $q = 1 + \beta(\gamma + \delta)$	$\gamma + \delta = 0$ $s = \beta\gamma$ $u = -\alpha\gamma$ $q = 1 - \delta(\alpha + \beta)$
Parameters		One: s	Three: s, q, u	Three: s, q, u
1 particle / 1 cluster	1	1	1	1
1 particle / 2 cluster	$\frac{1 + q}{1 + \beta\gamma}$	$\frac{2}{1 + s}$	$\frac{1 + q}{1 + s}$	$\frac{1 + q}{1 + s}$
2 particle / 2 cluster / left	$\frac{-\beta\delta}{1 + \beta\gamma}$	$\frac{s}{1 + s}$	$\frac{u}{1 + s}$	$\frac{s}{1 + s}$
2 particle / 2 cluster / right	$\frac{-\alpha\gamma}{1 + \beta\gamma}$	$\frac{s}{1 + s}$	$\frac{s}{1 + s}$	$\frac{u}{1 + s}$

# Eigenfunctions of the Laplacian can be propagated into eigenfunctions of the Hamiltonian

Bethe ansatz (educated guess to find the eigenfunctions)

$$f_{a,b}(x,y) = a^{-x}b^{-y}$$

$$(\Delta_{1/2}f_{a,b}) = (a+b)f_{a,b}$$

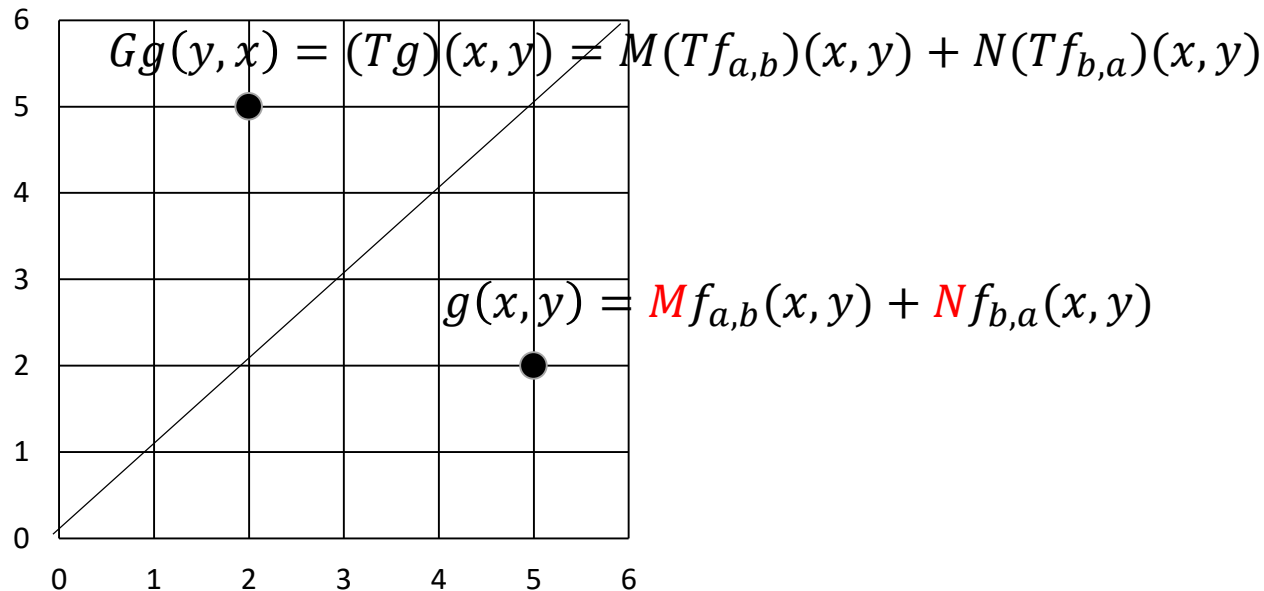
$$(\Delta_1f_{a,b}) = (a+a^{-1}+b+b^{-1})f_{a,b}$$

$$f_{b,a}(x,y) = b^{-x}a^{-y}$$

$$(\Delta_{1/2}f_{b,a}) = (a+b)f_{b,a}$$

$$(\Delta_1f_{b,a}) = (a+a^{-1}+b+b^{-1})f_{b,a}$$

$$Tf_{a,b} = Cf_{a,b} + Df_{b,a} = -\frac{(\alpha + \beta a)(\gamma + \delta b)}{a - b}f_{a,b} + \left(1 + \frac{(\alpha + \beta a)(\gamma + \delta b)}{a - b}\right)f_{b,a}$$



Choose M and N such that  
 $(Tg)(x,y) = g(x,y)$

$$M = 1 + \frac{(\alpha + \beta b)(\gamma + \delta a)}{b - a}$$

$$N = 1 + \frac{(\alpha + \beta a)(\gamma + \delta b)}{a - b}$$



$Gg$  is symmetric and an eigenfunction of  $H_{1/2}$  and  $H_1$

## Proposition (work in progress)

- $H^+ = H_{1/2}$  Takeyama's Hamiltonian,
- $H^-$  **reverse** of Takeyama's Hamiltonian
- $(H^- f)(x)$

$$= -a(x)f(x) + \sum_{r=1}^k \sum_{1 \leq j_1 \leq \dots \leq j_r \leq k} b(x, j_1, \dots, j_r) (\hat{X}_{j_1}^{-1} \dots \hat{X}_{j_r}^{-1} f)(x)$$

- $X_2 T - T X_1 = (\alpha + \beta X_1)(\gamma + \delta X_2)$      $X_1^{-1} T - T X_2^{-1} = (\delta + \gamma X_2^{-1})(\beta + \alpha X_1^{-1})$
- $T X_2 - X_1 T = (\alpha + \beta X_1)(\gamma + \delta X_2)$      $T X_1^{-1} - X_2^{-1} T = (\delta + \gamma X_2^{-1})(\beta + \alpha X_1^{-1})$

$$H^+ = H(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta) \quad H^- = H(\delta, \gamma, \beta, \alpha)$$

Replace

- $X_1$  by  $X_2^{-1}$
- $X_2$  by  $X_1^{-1}$
- $\alpha\gamma$  by  $\beta\delta$
- $\beta\delta$  by  $\alpha\gamma$

$$\begin{aligned} & (Hf)(x) \\ &= -a(x)f(x) \\ &+ \sum_{r=1}^k \sum_{\substack{1 \leq j_1 \leq \dots \leq j_r \leq k \\ 1 \leq l_1 \leq \dots \leq l_r \leq k}} b(x, j_1, \dots, j_r, l_1, \dots, l_r) (\hat{X}_{j_1}^{-1} \dots \hat{X}_{j_r}^{-1} \hat{X}_{l_1} \dots \hat{X}_{l_r} f)(x) \end{aligned}$$

## Questions ?

- Check that  $H_1 = H_{1/2} + H^- = H(\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta) + H(\delta, \gamma, \beta, \alpha)$  satisfies  $H_1 G = G \Delta_1$  for any  $n$ .
- To incorporate simultaneous left and right movement the Laplacian operator needs to be replaced.
- Can we find all eigenfunctions of  $H_{1/2}$ ?
- Can we calculate transition probabilities of  $H_{1/2}$ ?
- Can we establish asymptotic results for  $H_{1/2}$ ?

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