

On the Huang-Yang energy correction for the dilute Fermi gas

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The Setting

- N interacting spin 1/2 fermions in a box $\Lambda_L := [0, L]^3$, with **periodic** boundary conditions.

$$H_N = - \sum_{i=1}^N \Delta_{x_i} + \sum_{i < j=1}^N V(x_i - x_j), \quad \mathfrak{h}(N_\uparrow, N_\downarrow) := L_a^2(\Lambda_L^{N_\uparrow}) \otimes L_a^2(\Lambda_L^{N_\downarrow})$$

- ▶ $N_\sigma = \#$ particles with spin $\sigma \in \{\uparrow, \downarrow\} \Rightarrow N = N_\uparrow + N_\downarrow$.
- ▶ $L_a^2(\Lambda_L^{N_\sigma})$ is the antisymmetric sector of $L^2(\Lambda_L)^{\otimes N_\sigma}$.
- ▶ $V \geq 0$ is the ‘periodization’ on Λ_L of a potential V_∞ on \mathbb{R}^3 , **compactly supported** and **regular** enough:

$$V(x - y) = \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{p \in \frac{2\pi}{L} \mathbb{Z}^3} e^{ip \cdot (x - y)} \hat{V}_\infty(p), \quad \hat{V}_\infty(p) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} dx e^{-ip \cdot x} V_\infty(x)$$

The Setting

- The **ground state energy** (g.s.e.) of the system is

$$E_L(N_\uparrow, N_\downarrow) := \inf_{\psi \in \mathfrak{h}(N_\uparrow, N_\downarrow)} \frac{\langle \psi, H_N \psi \rangle}{\langle \psi, \psi \rangle}$$

- The **ground state energy density** is

$$e_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) := \frac{E_L(N_\uparrow, N_\downarrow)}{L^3},$$

$\rho_\sigma = N_\sigma/L^3$ denotes the density of particles with spin σ
($\rho = \rho_\uparrow + \rho_\downarrow$ total density).

- We are interested in the **thermodynamic limit**: $N_\sigma, L \rightarrow \infty$ with ρ_σ fixed.
- We focus on the **dilute regime**, i.e, $\rho^{1/3}a \ll 1$.

What is expected?

Huang-Yang conjecture (1957)

$$e_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) = \frac{3}{5}(6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}(\rho_\uparrow^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_\downarrow^{\frac{5}{3}}) + 8\pi a \rho_\uparrow \rho_\downarrow \\ + \frac{4(11 - 2\log 2)}{35\pi^2} \left(\frac{3}{4\pi}\right)^{4/3} a^2 \rho^{7/3} + o(\rho^{7/3}).$$

- The first term $\propto \rho^{\frac{5}{3}}$ is a purely kinetic term (Free Fermi Gas)
- The second and the third order corrections depend on the interaction via the *scattering length* a , which describes the effective range of the interaction:

$$8\pi a = \int dx V(x)f(x), \quad -\Delta f + \frac{1}{2}Vf = 0, \quad \lim_{|x| \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 1$$

Remark: $\hat{V}(0) > 8\pi a \rightsquigarrow$ correlations play a role (see the next slide).

The Hartree Fock energy

$$H_N = - \sum_{i=1}^N \Delta_{x_i} + \sum_{i < j=1}^N V(x_i - x_j)$$

- H_N is spin indep. \rightsquigarrow fully antisymmetrized Slater determinant

$$\Phi_{\text{FFG}}(x_1, \dots, x_N) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N!}} \det(f_{k_i}^{\sigma_i}(x_j))_{1 \leq i, j \leq N}$$

$$f_k^{\sigma_i}(x) = L^{-3/2} e^{ik \cdot x} \text{ with } k \in \mathcal{B}_F^{\sigma_i}$$

$$\sigma_i = \uparrow \text{ for } i \in [1, N_{\uparrow}], \sigma_i = \downarrow \text{ for } i \in [N_{\uparrow} + 1, N_{\downarrow}]$$

- **Energy** of Φ_{FFG} : $\langle \Phi_{\text{FFG}}, H_N \Phi_{\text{FFG}} \rangle = E_{\text{HF}}(\omega)$ (**Hartree-Fock**)

$$E_{\text{HF}}(\omega) = -\text{tr} \Delta \omega + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\sigma, \sigma'} \int dx dy V(x - y) (\omega_{\sigma, \sigma}(x; x) \omega_{\sigma', \sigma'}(y; y) - |\omega_{\sigma, \sigma'}(x; y)|^2)$$

$$\det(f_i(x_j))_{1 \leq i, j \leq N} = \sum_{\pi \in S_N} \text{sgn } \pi f_1(x_{\pi(1)}), \dots, f_N(x_{\pi(N)})$$

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$$\frac{E_L(N_\uparrow, N_\downarrow)}{L^3} \leq \frac{E_{\text{HF}}(\omega)}{L^3} = \frac{3}{5} (6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}} (\rho_\uparrow^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_\downarrow^{\frac{5}{3}}) + \underbrace{\widehat{V}(0) \rho_\uparrow \rho_\downarrow}_{\neq 8\pi a} + \mathcal{O}(\rho^{\frac{7}{3}})$$

\rightsquigarrow we are **missing correlations** between particles

Rigorous Results

Previous Rigorous Results

- It is well-known that [in units s.t. $\hbar = 1$, $m = 1/2$]

$$e_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) = \underbrace{\frac{3}{5}(6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}(\rho_\uparrow^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_\downarrow^{\frac{5}{3}})}_{\text{purely kinetic (Free Fermi Gas)}} + \underbrace{8\pi a \rho_\downarrow \rho_\uparrow}_{\text{interaction term}} + o(\rho^2) \quad (*)$$

- The first proof of (*) was done by Lieb-Seiringer-Solovej in [2].
- Extension to positive temperature Fermi gases by Seiringer in [3].
- Interacting lattice fermions (Hubbard model):
Giuliani [4] (upper bound) and Seiringer-Yin [5] (lower bound).

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Main Result

Theorem (M. Falconi, C. Hainzl, E.G., M. Porta, (Ann. Henri Poincaré (2021)))

There exist $L_0 > 0$ such that, for $V \in C^\infty(\Lambda_L)$, V compactly supported, $V \geq 0$ and for $L \geq L_0$, the following holds:

$$e_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) = \frac{3}{5}(6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}(\rho_\uparrow^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_\downarrow^{\frac{5}{3}}) + 8\pi a\rho_\uparrow\rho_\downarrow + r_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow),$$

where a is the scattering length of the potential V , and for some constant C only dependent on V :

$$-C\rho^{2+\frac{1}{9}} \leq r_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) \leq C\rho^{2+\frac{2}{9}}$$

- W.r.t. [2], we treat more regular interactions (no hard-core)
- Improved error est. w.r.t. [2]: $-C\rho^{2+\frac{1}{39}} \leq r_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) \leq C\rho^{2+\frac{2}{27}}$

Towards the Huang-Yang Energy Correction

Optimal rate (E.G., C. Hainzl, P.T. Nam, M. Porta)

Under the same assumptions as before, the following holds:

$$e_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) = \frac{3}{5}(6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}(\rho_\uparrow^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_\downarrow^{\frac{5}{3}}) + 8\pi a\rho_\uparrow\rho_\downarrow + r_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow),$$

where a is the scattering length of the potential V , and for some constant C only dependent on V :

$$r_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) = C\rho^{\frac{7}{3}}$$

- The optimal rate result allows to improve some of the a priori estimates & has to be thought as a toy model for the proof of the Huang-Yang conjecture.

Previous Results: Comparison with Bosons

- Consider now a dilute Bose gas ($3D$):
 - ▶ In the **bosonic** case, the interaction contribution to the ground state energy is at the leading order.
 - ▶ Bosons minimize the energy occupying the **lowest momentum state**, **forbidden** for fermions (Pauli principle).
- **Lee-Huang-Yang** (LHY) formula ($3D$)

$$e(\rho) = 4\pi a \rho^2 \left(1 + (128/15\sqrt{\pi})(\rho a^3)^{\frac{1}{2}} + o(\sqrt{\rho a^3}) \right), \quad \text{as } \rho a^3 \rightarrow 0,$$

- ▶ Leading order: upper bound Dyson [6], lower bound Lieb-Yngvason [7]
- ▶ LHY correction: upper bound Yau-Yin [8] & Basti-Cenatiempo-Schlein [9], lower bound Fournais-Solovej [10, 11]

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Some ideas for the proofs

Particle - Hole Transformation

$$\mathcal{H} = \sum_{\sigma} \sum_k |k|^2 a_{k,\sigma}^* a_{k,\sigma} + \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{k,p,q} \hat{V}(k) a_{p+k}^* a_{q-k}^* a_q a_p$$

$$\omega_{\sigma,\sigma'} = \delta_{\sigma,\sigma'} \sum_{k \in \mathcal{B}_F^{\sigma}} |f_k\rangle \langle f_k| \quad \text{1PDM free Fermi gas}$$

$$f_k = \frac{e^{ik \cdot x}}{L^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

$$u, v : L^2(\Lambda_L; \mathbb{C}^2) \rightarrow L^2(\Lambda_L; \mathbb{C}^2) \text{ s.t. } \bar{v}v = w, \quad u\bar{v} = 0$$

- $R : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$ (unitary) to compare **many-body g.s.e.** \leftrightarrow **FFG energy**

$$(R\Omega)^{(N)} = \Phi_{\text{FFG}}, (R\Omega)^{(n)} = 0 \text{ if } n \neq N \Rightarrow \langle R\Omega, \mathcal{H}R\Omega \rangle = E_{\text{HF}}(\omega).$$

$$R^* a_{k,\sigma}^* R = \begin{cases} a_{k,\sigma}^* & k \notin \mathcal{B}_F^{\sigma} \\ a_{k,\sigma} & k \in \mathcal{B}_F^{\sigma} \end{cases}$$

(implementing **particle-hole** transformation)

Approximate Ground State

Let $\psi \in \mathcal{F}$ be a normalized state s.t. $\langle \psi, \mathcal{N}_\sigma \psi \rangle = N_\sigma$, $N = N_\uparrow + N_\downarrow$:

$$\langle \psi, \mathcal{H} \psi \rangle = E_{\text{HF}}(\omega) + \langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{H}_0 R^* \psi \rangle + \langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{X} R^* \psi \rangle + \sum_{i=1}^4 \langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{Q}_i R^* \psi \rangle$$

$$\mathbb{H}_0 = \sum_{k, \sigma} ||k|^2 - \mu_\sigma| \hat{a}_{k, \sigma}^* \hat{a}_{k, \sigma}, \quad \mu_\sigma = (k_F^\sigma)^2$$

$$\mathbb{Q}_1 = \frac{1}{2L^3} \sum_{\sigma, \sigma'} \sum_{p, p+k \notin \mathcal{B}_F^\sigma} \sum_{p', p'-k \notin \mathcal{B}_F^{\sigma'}} \hat{V}(k) a_{p+k, \sigma}^* a_{p'-k, \sigma'}^* a_{p', \sigma'} a_{p, \sigma}$$

$$\mathbb{Q}_4 = \frac{1}{2L^3} \sum_{\sigma, \sigma'} \sum_{p \in \mathcal{B}_F^\sigma, p+k \notin \mathcal{B}_F^\sigma} \sum_{p' \in \mathcal{B}_F^{\sigma'}, p'-k \notin \mathcal{B}_F^{\sigma'}} \hat{V}(k) a_{p+k, \sigma}^* a_{p, \sigma}^* a_{p'-k, \sigma'}^* a_{p', \sigma'} + \text{h.c.}$$

- If ψ is an **approximate ground state** (ψ a.g.s.), i.e.,

$$\left| \frac{\langle \psi, \mathcal{H} \psi \rangle}{L^3} - \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{\sigma=\uparrow\downarrow} \sum_{k \in \mathcal{B}_F^\sigma} |k|^2 \right| \leq C\rho^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad \langle \psi, \mathcal{H} \psi \rangle \sim E_{\text{HF}}(\omega) + \langle R^* \psi, (\mathbb{H}_0 + \mathbb{Q}_1 + \mathbb{Q}_4) R^* \psi \rangle$$

The Correlation Structure: Pseudo-bosonic Operators

- **Pseudo-bosonic operators:**

$$b_{p,\sigma}^* = \sum_{\substack{k: k+p \notin \mathcal{B}_F^\sigma \\ k \in \mathcal{B}_F^\sigma}} a_{k,\sigma}^* a_{k+p,\sigma}^*$$

- **Almost** canonical commutation relation (**CCR**)

$$[b_{p,\sigma}, b_{q,\sigma'}^*] = \delta_{p,q} \delta_{\sigma,\sigma'} \underbrace{|\mathcal{B}_F^\sigma|}_{=\mathcal{O}(\rho_\sigma)} + \underbrace{\text{Error}}_{\substack{\psi \text{ a.g.s.} \\ \Rightarrow \text{Error} = o(\rho) \\ [\rho = \rho_\sigma + \rho_{\sigma'}]}}, \quad [b_{p,\sigma}, b_{q,\sigma'}] = [b_{p,\sigma}^*, b_{q,\sigma'}^*] = 0$$

- We rescale the b operators:

$$c_{p,\sigma} = \rho_\sigma^{-1/2} b_{p,\sigma} \Rightarrow [c_{p,\sigma}, c_{q,\sigma'}^*] \sim \delta_{\sigma,\sigma'} \delta_{p,q}$$

$$\text{Error} = -\delta_{\sigma,\sigma'} \sum_{\{k, k' \in \mathcal{B}_F^\sigma, k+p, k'+q \notin \mathcal{B}_F^\sigma\}} (\delta_{k,k'} \hat{a}_{k'+q,\sigma'}^* \hat{a}_{k+p,\sigma} + \delta_{k+p,k'+q} \hat{a}_{k',\sigma'}^* \hat{a}_{k,\sigma})$$

The Correlation Structure: \mathbb{H}_0 , \mathbb{Q}_1 , \mathbb{Q}_4

- \mathbb{Q}_4 is quadratic w.r.t. $c_{p,\sigma}, c_{q,\sigma'}^*$:

$$\mathbb{Q}_4 = \frac{1}{2L^3} \sum_{\sigma, \sigma'} \sum_p \rho_{\sigma}^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho_{\sigma'}^{\frac{1}{2}} \hat{V}(p) c_{p,\sigma}^* c_{-p,\sigma'}^* + \text{h.c.}$$

- If ψ a.g.s. $\Rightarrow L^{-3} \langle R^* \psi, \mathcal{N} R^* \psi \rangle = o(\rho) \Rightarrow R^* \psi$ state with few particles

$$\rightsquigarrow \langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{H}_0 R^* \psi \rangle \simeq \langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{K}_B R^* \psi \rangle,$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightsquigarrow \langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{Q}_1 R^* \psi \rangle &\simeq \frac{1}{2L^3} \sum_{p, \sigma, \sigma'} \hat{V}(p) \langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{G}_{p,\sigma} \mathbb{G}_{-p,\sigma'} R^* \psi \rangle \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2L^3} \sum_{p, \sigma} \hat{V}(p) \langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{G}_{0,\sigma} R^* \psi \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbb{K}_B = \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{\sigma} \sum_p |p|^2 c_{p,\sigma}^* c_{p,\sigma}$$

$$\mathbb{G}_{p,\sigma} = \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{\sigma} \sum_q c_{q-p,\sigma}^* c_{q,\sigma}$$

Pseudo-bosonic Bogoliubov Transformation

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle \psi, \mathcal{H} \psi \rangle \simeq & E_{\text{HF}}(\omega) + \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{p, \sigma} |p|^2 \langle R^* \psi, \hat{c}_{p, \sigma}^* \hat{c}_{p, \sigma} R^* \psi \rangle \\
 & + \frac{1}{2L^3} \sum_{p, \sigma, \sigma'} \rho_{\sigma}^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho_{\sigma'}^{\frac{1}{2}} \hat{V}(p) \langle R^* \psi, \hat{c}_{-p, \sigma'}^* \hat{c}_{p, \sigma}^* R^* \psi \rangle + \text{h.c.} \\
 & + \frac{1}{2L^9} \sum_{\substack{p, q, q' \\ \sigma, \sigma'}} \hat{V}(p) \langle R^* \psi, \hat{c}_{q-p, \sigma}^* \hat{c}_{q, \sigma} \hat{c}_{q'+p, \sigma'}^* \hat{c}_{q', \sigma'} R^* \psi \rangle \\
 & - \frac{1}{2L^6} \sum_{p, q, \sigma} \hat{V}(p) \langle R^* \psi, \hat{c}_{q, \sigma}^* \hat{c}_{q, \sigma} R^* \psi \rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{■} \simeq \mathbb{H}_0, \text{■} \simeq \mathbb{Q}_4, \text{■} \simeq \mathbb{Q}_1$$

- **Pseudo-bosonic Bogoliubov transformation**

$$T(\equiv T(\varphi)) = \exp \left\{ \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_p \hat{\varphi}(p) \rho_{\uparrow}^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho_{\downarrow}^{\frac{1}{2}} \hat{c}_{p, \uparrow} \hat{c}_{-p, \downarrow} - \text{h.c.} \right\}$$

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Extracting $8\pi a\rho_{\uparrow}\rho_{\downarrow}$

$$\langle\psi,\mathcal{H}\psi\rangle=E_{\text{HF}}(\omega)+\langle R^*\psi,(\mathbb{H}_0+\mathbb{Q}_1+\mathbb{Q}_4)R^*\psi\rangle+o(L^3\rho^2)$$

$$T_{\lambda}:=\exp\left\{\frac{\lambda}{L^3}\sum_p\hat{\varphi}(p)\rho_{\uparrow}^{\frac{1}{2}}\rho_{\downarrow}^{\frac{1}{2}}\hat{c}_{p,\uparrow}\hat{c}_{-p,\downarrow}-\text{h.c.}\right\}\equiv\exp\{\lambda B\},\qquad T\equiv T_1$$

$$\langle R^*\psi,(\mathbb{H}_0+\mathbb{Q}_1+\mathbb{Q}_4)R^*\psi\rangle=\quad \langle T^*R^*\psi,(\mathbb{H}_0+\mathbb{Q}_1)T^*R^*\psi\rangle-\int_0^1d\lambda\,\langle T_{\lambda}^*R^*\psi,[\mathbb{H}_0+\mathbb{Q}_1,B]T_{\lambda}^*R^*\psi\rangle$$

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$$[\psi = \text{appr. g.s. (lower bound)}] / [\psi = R T \Omega \text{ (upper bound)}, \text{ i.e. } \psi = \tilde{T} R \Omega = N\text{-part. state}]$$

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$$\begin{aligned} (-\Delta(1-\varphi) + V(1-\varphi) = 0) \quad &- \langle T^*R^*\psi, [\mathbb{H}_0 + \mathbb{Q}_1, B]T^*R^*\psi \rangle + \langle T^*R^*\psi, \mathbb{Q}_4T^*R^*\psi \rangle \\ &+ \int_0^1 \int_1^{\lambda} d\lambda d\lambda' \langle T_{\lambda}^*R^*\psi, [\mathbb{H}_0 + \mathbb{Q}_1, B]T_{\lambda'}^*R^*\psi \rangle \\ (8\pi a\rho_{\uparrow}\rho_{\downarrow} + \text{error} \rightsquigarrow) \quad &- \int_0^1 d\lambda \langle T_{\lambda}^*R^*\psi, [\mathbb{Q}_4, B]T_{\lambda}^*R^*\psi \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$[\psi = \text{appr. g.s. (lower bound)} / \psi = RT\Omega \text{ (upper bound)}, \text{ i.e. } \psi = \tilde{T}R\Omega = N\text{-part. state}]$$

Comments

$$T = \exp \left\{ \frac{\lambda}{L^3} \sum_p \hat{\varphi}(p) \rho_{\uparrow}^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho_{\downarrow}^{\frac{1}{2}} \hat{c}_{p,\uparrow} \hat{c}_{-p,\downarrow} - \text{h.c.} \right\}, \quad \hat{c}_{p,\uparrow} = \sum_k \hat{u}_{\uparrow}(k+p) \hat{v}_{\uparrow}(k) \hat{a}_{k+p,\uparrow} \hat{a}_{k,\uparrow}$$

- All the bosonic properties of T are only almost true:
 - ★ we work in the thermodynamic limit \rightsquigarrow we cannot approximate T as

$$T^*(\varphi) a_{p,\sigma}^* T(\varphi) = \cosh(\varphi) a_{p,\sigma} + \sinh(\varphi) a_{-p,-\sigma}^* + \text{Err}$$

\rightsquigarrow several error terms not trivial to control.

- We need uniform bounds w.r.t. the volume \rightsquigarrow cut-off of the momenta of the quantities involved in T , i.e., $\hat{\varphi}, \hat{u}, \hat{v}$ (*we do not need to use any localization, our result is self-contained*)
- In the constant term we extract using T we have to remove all the cut-off in the momenta \Rightarrow the interaction V has to be regular

The Role of the Cut-off

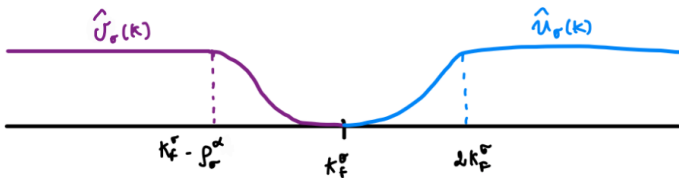
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- To induce a cut-off over $\hat{\varphi}(p)$ ($|p| \geq \rho^\gamma$) we take φ as the solution of the scattering equation in a ball centered at zero and with radius $\rho^{-\gamma}$ ($0 \leq \gamma \leq 1/3$), satisfying Neumann boundary conditions:

$$8\pi a_\gamma \rightsquigarrow 8\pi a + \mathcal{O}(\rho^\gamma)$$

- The cut-off over $\hat{u}, \hat{v} \rightsquigarrow \hat{u}^r, \hat{v}^r$:

$$\hat{u}_\sigma^r(k) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } |k| \leq k_F^\sigma, \\ 1 & \text{for } 2k_F^\sigma \leq |k| \leq \rho^{-\beta}, \\ 0 & \text{for } |k| \geq 2\rho^{-\beta}, \end{cases} \quad \hat{v}_\sigma^r(k) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } |k| \leq k_F^\sigma - \rho^\alpha, \\ 0 & \text{for } |k| \geq k_F^\sigma, \end{cases} \quad (\alpha \geq 1/3).$$



Towards the Huang-Yang Energy Correction

Huang-Yang Conjecture

$$\begin{aligned} e_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) &= \frac{3}{5}(6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}(\rho_\uparrow^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_\downarrow^{\frac{5}{3}}) + 8\pi a\rho_\uparrow\rho_\downarrow \\ &\quad + \frac{4(11 - 2\log 2)}{35\pi^2} \left(\frac{3}{4\pi}\right)^{4/3} a^2 \rho^{7/3} + o(\rho^{7/3}). \end{aligned}$$

- A first step towards the proof of the Huang-Yang correction it is to prove (*optimal rate*)

$$e_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) = \frac{3}{5}(6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}(\rho_\uparrow^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_\downarrow^{\frac{5}{3}}) + 8\pi a\rho_\uparrow\rho_\downarrow + C\rho^{7/3}.$$

(upper & lower bound)

Upper Bound (Optimal Rate)

Upper bound (E.G., C. Hainzl, P.T. Nam, M. Porta)

There exist $L_0 > 0$ such that, for $V \in C^\infty(\Lambda_L)$, V compactly supported, $V \geq 0$ and for $L \geq L_0$, the following holds:

$$e_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) \leq \frac{3}{5}(6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}(\rho_\uparrow^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_\downarrow^{\frac{5}{3}}) + 8\pi a \rho_\uparrow \rho_\downarrow + C\rho^{\frac{7}{3}},$$

- We use again an almost bosonic Bogoliubov transformation of the form

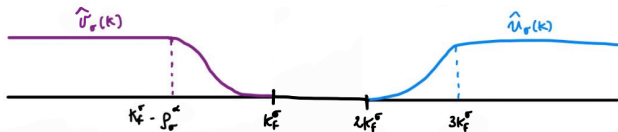
$$T(\equiv T(\varphi)) = \exp \left\{ \frac{\lambda}{L^3} \sum_p \hat{\varphi}(p) \rho_\uparrow^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho_\downarrow^{\frac{1}{2}} \hat{c}_{p,\uparrow} \hat{c}_{-p,\downarrow} - \text{h.c.} \right\}, \quad \hat{c}_{p,\uparrow} = \sum_k \hat{u}_\uparrow(k+p) \hat{v}_\uparrow(k) \hat{a}_{k+p,\uparrow} \hat{a}_{k,\uparrow}$$

- The proof is a refinement of the one of the previous Theorem:
 - ① Better way to choose the cut-off
 - ② Technical improvements in estimating the error terms

Some Remarks - Upper Bound (Optimal Rate)

- The new cut-off over $\hat{u}(k)$, $\hat{v}(k)$ are

$$\hat{u}_\sigma^r(k) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } |k| \leq 2k_F^\sigma, \\ 1 & \text{for } 3k_F^\sigma \leq |k| \leq \rho^{-\beta}, \\ 0 & \text{for } |k| \geq 2\rho^{-\beta}, \end{cases} \quad \hat{v}_\sigma^r(k) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } |k| \leq k_F^\sigma - \rho^\alpha, \\ 0 & \text{for } |k| \geq k_F^\sigma, \end{cases} \quad (\alpha \geq 1/3).$$



- \Rightarrow we can take φ as the solution of the zero energy scattering equation $-\Delta(1 - \varphi) + V(1 - \varphi) = 0 \rightsquigarrow$ effectively this is supported for $|k| \geq \rho^{\frac{1}{3}}$
- \Rightarrow we then can improve several error estimates using that

$$\sum_{|k| \geq 2k_F} \hat{a}_{k,\sigma}^* \hat{a}_{k,\sigma} \leq C \rho^{-\frac{2}{3}} \sum_k ||k|^2 - k_F^2| \hat{a}_{k,\sigma}^* \hat{a}_{k,\sigma} \equiv \rho^{-\frac{2}{3}} \mathbb{H}_0$$

Lower Bound (Optimal Rate)

Lower bound (E.G., C. Hainzl, P.T. Nam, M. Porta)

There exist $L_0 > 0$ such that, for $V \in C^\infty(\Lambda_L)$, V compactly supported, $V \geq 0$ and for $L \geq L_0$, the following holds:

$$e_L(\rho_\uparrow, \rho_\downarrow) \geq \frac{3}{5}(6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}(\rho_\uparrow^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_\downarrow^{\frac{5}{3}}) + 8\pi a \rho_\uparrow \rho_\downarrow + C\rho^{\frac{7}{3}},$$

1. The first step is to proceed as for the upper bound, using the Bogoliubov transformation quadratic w.r.t. the almost bosonic operators.

$$\Rightarrow \langle \psi, \mathcal{H}\psi \rangle \geq E_{\text{HF}} + \langle T^* R^* \psi, (\mathbb{H}_0 + \mathbb{Q}_1) T^* R^* \psi \rangle + 8\pi a \rho_\uparrow \rho_\downarrow L^3 + \tilde{\mathbb{Q}}_4 + \mathcal{E},$$

$$\tilde{\mathbb{Q}}_4 = \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{2L^3} \sum_{\sigma, \sigma'} \sum_p \rho_\sigma^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho_{\sigma'}^{\frac{1}{2}} (\hat{V}(p) - \hat{V} * \hat{\varphi}) c_{p, \sigma}^* c_{-p, \sigma'}^* + \text{h.c.} \right)}_{\text{same structure of } \mathbb{Q}_4 \text{ (quadratic in the } \hat{c}, \hat{c}^*)} \Big|_{ck_F \leq |p| \leq Ck_F}$$

$$|\mathcal{E}| \leq CL^3 \rho^{\frac{7}{3}}$$

Lower Bound (Optimal Rate)

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2. To show that $\tilde{\mathbb{Q}}_4$ is $\mathcal{O}(\rho^{\frac{7}{3}}L^3)$ is not trivial in the lower bound
(*not good a priori estimates as for the upper bound*)

\rightsquigarrow one has to cancel it using a modified scattering equation

\rightsquigarrow this induces several technical problems.

3. One has to deal more carefully with the non-bosonizable term of the form “ $\hat{c}^* \hat{a}^* \hat{a}$ ”

Work in Progress

Rigorous Proof of the Huang-Yang Formula

$$e_L(\rho_{\uparrow}, \rho_{\downarrow}) = \frac{3}{5}(6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}(\rho_{\uparrow}^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_{\downarrow}^{\frac{5}{3}}) + 8\pi a \rho_{\uparrow} \rho_{\downarrow} + \frac{4(11 - 2 \log 2)}{35\pi^2} \left(\frac{3}{4\pi}\right)^{4/3} a^2 \rho^{7/3} + o(\rho^{7/3})$$

- An adaptation of the proof of the optimal rate should give the right upper bound
- The lower bound is more involved (already true at the level of the optimal rate)
- A long term project is to go beyond $\rho^{\frac{7}{3}}$.

Thank you for your attention!

How to calculate higher-order corrections?

Work in progress with C. Hainzl, P.T. Nam, M. Porta

- One has to use a different transformation:

$$T = \exp \left\{ \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_k \sum_{\substack{r \in \mathcal{B}_F^\uparrow \\ r+k \notin \mathcal{B}_\uparrow^F}} \sum_{\substack{r' \in \mathcal{B}_F^\downarrow \\ r'-k \notin \mathcal{B}_F^\downarrow}} \hat{\varphi}_{r,r'}(k) a_{k+r,\uparrow} a_{k,\uparrow} a_{k-r',\downarrow} a_{r',\downarrow} - \text{h.c.} \right\}$$

where $\hat{\varphi}_{r,r'}(k)$ satisfies

$$(|k|^2 + 2k \cdot (r - r')) \hat{\varphi}_{r,r'}(k) + \hat{V}(k) - \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_q \hat{V}(p - q) \hat{\varphi}_{k,k'}(q) = 0,$$

known as *Bethe-Goldstone* equation \rightsquigarrow the leading term is now

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Thank you for the attention!

Some Comments on the scattering equation

- $\mathbb{H}_0, \mathbb{Q}_1$ can be written in terms of c, c^* provided they act on state with few particles, with momenta $|q| \gg \rho^{1/3}$
- $R^*\psi \simeq T\Omega$ which is a superposition of states with momenta supported in the support of $\hat{\varphi}(p)$

\rightsquigarrow we need to regularise $\hat{\varphi}$ so that it is supported on a ball

of radius $1 \ll R \ll \rho^{-1/3}$

$\rightsquigarrow \varphi_\gamma$ sol. of the scattering equation in the ball $B_{\rho^{-\gamma}}(0)$, $0 \leq \gamma \leq 1/3$

$$-\Delta(1-\varphi_\gamma) + \frac{1}{2}V_\infty(1-\varphi_\gamma) = \lambda_\gamma(1-\varphi_\gamma), \quad \varphi_\gamma = \nabla\varphi_\gamma = 0 \quad \text{on } \partial B_{\rho^{-\gamma}}(0)$$

- The φ we take is the periodization of φ_γ , i.e.,

$$\varphi(x) = \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{p \in \frac{2\pi}{L}\mathbb{Z}^3} e^{ip \cdot x} \hat{\varphi}_\gamma(p)$$

Scattering equation in a ball

⚠ Remember that we are looking to states with $|q| \gg \rho^{1/3}$

$$T = \exp \left\{ \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_p \hat{\varphi}(p) \rho_{\uparrow}^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho_{\downarrow}^{\frac{1}{2}} \hat{c}_{p,\uparrow} \hat{c}_{-p,\downarrow} - \text{h.c.} \right\}, \quad \hat{\varphi} \text{ s.t. } 2|p|^2 \hat{\varphi}(p) - \hat{V}(p) + (V * \hat{\varphi})(p) = 0$$

$$\frac{\langle R^* \psi, \mathcal{H} R^* \psi \rangle}{L^3} = \frac{3}{5} (6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}} (\rho_{\uparrow}^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_{\downarrow}^{\frac{5}{3}}) + 8\pi a \rho_{\uparrow} \rho_{\downarrow} + o(\rho^2)$$

- $R^* \psi \simeq T \Omega \rightsquigarrow$ momenta of $R^* \psi$ in the support of $\hat{\varphi}(p) \Rightarrow$ we would like $\hat{\varphi}(p)$ to be supported for $|p| \gg \rho^{1/3}$

\Downarrow

we take into account φ_{∞} : sol. of the scat. eq. in the ball $B_{\rho^{-\gamma}}(0)$ ($0 \leq \gamma \leq 1/3$, $\varphi_{\infty} = \nabla \varphi_{\infty} = 0$ on $\partial B_{\rho^{-\gamma}}(0)$). In p -space the eq. is:

$$2|p|^2 \hat{\varphi}(p) - \hat{V}_{\infty}(p) + (\hat{V}_{\infty} * \hat{\varphi}_{\infty})(p) = \lambda_{\gamma}(1 - \hat{\varphi}_{\infty}),$$

$$\varphi(x) := \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{p \in \frac{2\pi}{L} \mathbb{Z}^3} e^{ip \cdot x} \hat{\varphi}_{\infty}(p), \quad \int dx V_{\infty}(x)(1 - \varphi_{\infty}(x)) = 8\pi a_{\gamma}, \quad |a - a_{\gamma}| \leq C \rho^{\gamma}$$

$$V(x - y) = \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{p \in \frac{2\pi}{L} \mathbb{Z}^3} e^{ip \cdot (x - y)} \hat{V}_{\infty}(p)$$

Ideas for the rigorous proof

$$\langle \psi, \mathcal{H}\psi \rangle = E_{\text{HF}}(\omega) + \langle R^* \psi, (\mathbb{H}_0 + \mathbb{Q}_1 + \mathbb{Q}_4) R^* \psi \rangle + o(L^3 \rho^2)$$

$$T_\lambda := T = \exp \left\{ \frac{\lambda}{L^3} \sum_p \hat{\varphi}(p) \rho_\uparrow^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho_\downarrow^{\frac{1}{2}} \hat{c}_{p,\uparrow} \hat{c}_{-p,\downarrow} - \text{h.c.} \right\} \equiv \exp\{\lambda B\}, \quad T \equiv T_1$$

- We can discard the interaction between particles with the same spin
- We need to regularized (cut-off in the momenta) the quantities involved in T , i.e., φ, u, ω

$$\begin{aligned} \langle R^* \psi, (\mathbb{H}_0 + \mathbb{Q}_1 + \mathbb{Q}_4) R^* \psi \rangle &= \langle T^* R^* \psi, (\mathbb{H}_0 + \mathbb{Q}_1) T^* R^* \psi \rangle - \int_0^1 \langle T_\lambda^* R^* \psi, [\mathbb{H}_0 + \mathbb{Q}_1, B] T_\lambda^* R^* \psi \rangle \\ &\quad + \langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{Q}_4 R^* \psi \rangle \\ &= \langle T^* R^* \psi, (\mathbb{H}_0 + \mathbb{Q}_1) T^* R^* \psi \rangle \quad (\geq 0 \rightsquigarrow \text{useful to est. the errors}) \\ &\quad - \int_0^1 d\lambda \langle T_\lambda^* R^* \psi, ([\mathbb{H}_0 + \mathbb{Q}_1, B] - \mathbb{Q}_4) T_\lambda^* R^* \psi \rangle \\ &\quad + \langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{Q}_4 R^* \psi \rangle - \int_0^1 d\lambda \langle T_\lambda^* R^* \psi, \mathbb{Q}_4 T_\lambda^* R^* \psi \rangle \\ &\quad (\simeq 0 \text{ due to the scat. eq.}) \\ &\quad (8\pi a \rho_\uparrow \rho_\downarrow + \text{error} \rightsquigarrow) \end{aligned}$$

$[\psi = \text{appr. g.s. (lower bound)}] / \psi = RT\Omega \text{ (upper bound), i.e. } \psi = \tilde{T}R\Omega = N\text{-part. state}]$

The correlation structure: \mathbb{H}_0

- It is convenient to rescale the b operators:

$$\hat{c}_{p,\sigma} = \rho_\sigma^{-1/2} \hat{b}_{p,\sigma} \Rightarrow [\hat{c}_{p,\sigma}, \hat{c}_{q,\sigma'}^*] = \delta_{\sigma,\sigma'} \delta_{p,q}$$

- $\mathbb{H}_0, \mathbb{Q}_1$ do not have the same structure as \mathbb{Q}_4 **but** they behave as **almost bosonic operators** on a **suitable class of states**.

Recall that $\mathbb{H}_0 = \sum_{k,\sigma} (|k|^2 - (k_F^\sigma)^2) a_{k,\sigma}^* a_{k,\sigma}$. Moreover,

$$[\mathbb{H}_0, \hat{c}_{q,\sigma}^*] = \rho_\sigma^{-\frac{1}{2}} \sum_{\substack{k: k+q \notin \mathcal{B}_F^\sigma \\ k \in \mathcal{B}_F^\sigma}} (|k+q|^2 - |k|^2) \hat{a}_{k+q,\sigma}^* \hat{a}_{k,\sigma} \quad \underbrace{\simeq}_{\substack{|k| \leq C \rho_\sigma^{1/3} \\ |q| \gg \rho_\sigma^{1/3}}} |q|^2 \hat{c}_{q,\sigma}^*$$

$$\mathbb{K}_B = \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{p,\sigma} |p|^2 \hat{c}_{p,\sigma}^* \hat{c}_{p,\sigma}$$

$$\mathbb{H}_0 \hat{c}_{q,\sigma}^* \Omega = [\mathbb{H}_0, \hat{c}_{q,\sigma}^*] \Omega \simeq [\mathbb{K}_B, \hat{c}_{q,\sigma}^*] \Omega = \mathbb{K}_B \hat{c}_{q,\sigma}^* \Omega$$

\rightsquigarrow if $R^* \psi$ is a state with few particles (if the c operators are true bosonic operators $\Rightarrow \hat{c}_{q,\sigma}^* \Omega$ is a state with one boson)

$$\langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{H}_0 R^* \psi \rangle \simeq \langle R^* \psi, \mathbb{K}_B R^* \psi \rangle$$

Extracting $\mathcal{O}(\rho^2)$

$$T = \exp \left\{ \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_p \hat{\varphi}(p) \rho_{\uparrow}^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho_{\downarrow}^{\frac{1}{2}} \hat{c}_{p,\uparrow} \hat{c}_{-p,\downarrow} - \text{h.c.} \right\}$$

- If ψ a.g.s. $\Rightarrow L^{-3} \langle R^* \psi, \mathcal{N} R^* \psi \rangle = o(\rho) \rightsquigarrow R^* \psi \overset{L^{-3} \langle T\Omega, \mathcal{N} T\Omega \rangle = o(\rho)}{\simeq} T\Omega$
 $\langle R^* \psi, \mathcal{H} R^* \psi \rangle \simeq \langle T\Omega, \mathcal{H} T\Omega \rangle = E_{\text{HF}}(\omega) + 2L^3 \rho_{\uparrow} \rho_{\downarrow} e(\varphi)$

$$e(\varphi) = \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_p (|p|^2 \hat{\varphi}(p)^2 - \hat{V}(p) \hat{\varphi}(p) + \frac{1}{2} (\hat{V} * \hat{\varphi})(p) \hat{\varphi}(p))$$

- If φ is the sol. of: $2|p|^2 \hat{\varphi}(p) - \hat{V}(p) + (V * \hat{\varphi})(p) = 0$ (scatt. eq.)
 $\Rightarrow e(\varphi) = -\frac{1}{2L^3} \sum_p \hat{V}(p) \hat{\varphi}(p)$

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- If ψ a.g.s. $\Rightarrow L^{-3} \langle R^* \psi, \mathcal{N} R^* \psi \rangle = o(\rho) \rightsquigarrow R^* \psi \overset{\cong}{\simeq} T\Omega$
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- If φ is the sol. of: $\underline{2|p|^2 \hat{\varphi}(p) - \hat{V}(p) + (V * \hat{\varphi})(p) = 0}$ (scatt. eq.)

$$\frac{\langle R^* \psi, \mathcal{H} R^* \psi \rangle}{L^3} = \frac{3}{5} (6\pi^2)^{\frac{2}{3}} (\rho_{\uparrow}^{\frac{5}{3}} + \rho_{\downarrow}^{\frac{5}{3}}) + \rho_{\uparrow} \rho_{\downarrow} \left(\underbrace{\hat{V}(0) - \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_p \hat{V}(p) \hat{\varphi}(p)}_{= \int dx V_{\infty}(x) (1 - \varphi(x)) = 8\pi a, \quad L \rightarrow \infty} \right) + o(\rho^2)$$