

# The Izergin–Korepin model at roots of unity

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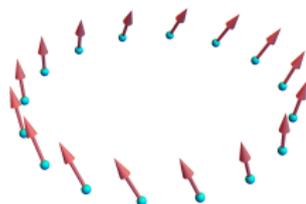
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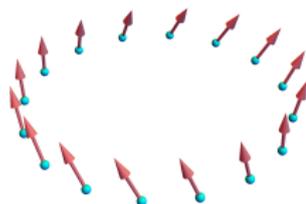
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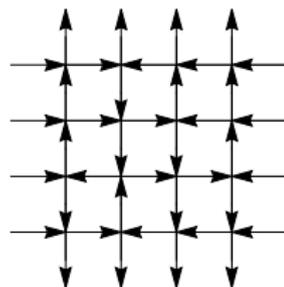
- Reducing anisotropy in the XY plane we get the XXZ spin chain

$$H_{XXZ} = J \sum_{i=1}^N \{ \sigma_i^x \sigma_{i+1}^x + \sigma_i^y \sigma_{i+1}^y + \Delta (\sigma_i^z \sigma_{i+1}^z - 1) \}.$$

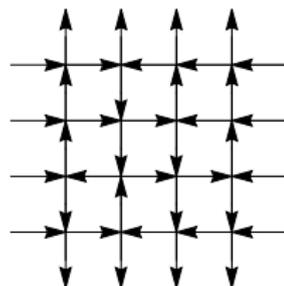
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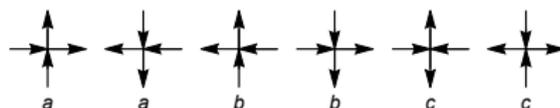
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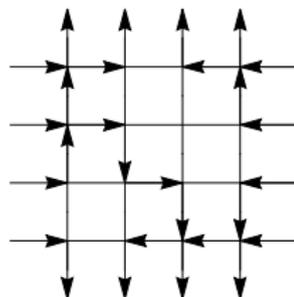
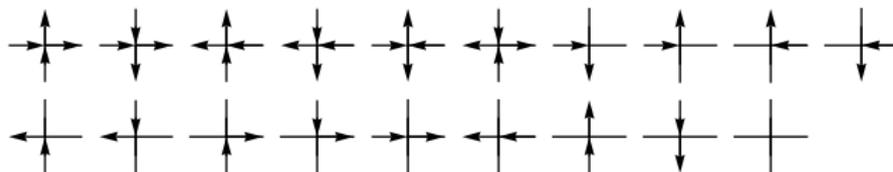
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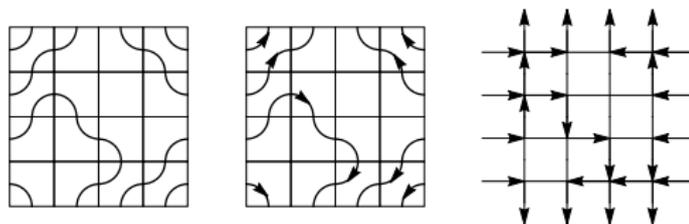
In particular, the six vertex model provides a very powerful technique for diagonalizing  $H_{XXZ}$  which is called the Algebraic Bethe Ansatz

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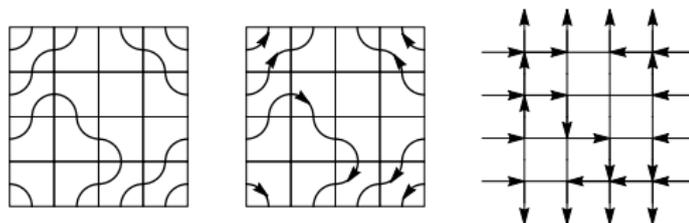
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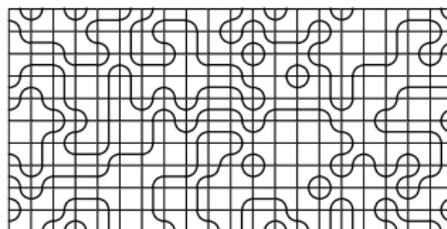
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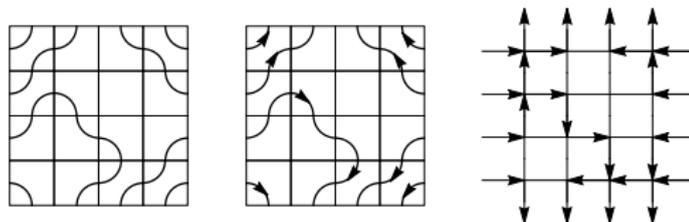
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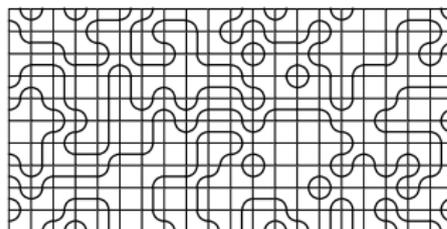
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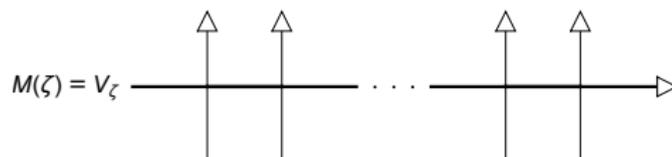
The IK 19v model is defined through its  $R$ -matrix,  $R \in \text{End}(V \otimes V)$

$$R(x_2/x_1) = \sum_{a,b,c,d} r_{a,b}^{c,d}(x_2/x_1) e_{a,c} \otimes e_{b,d}.$$

$$r_{a,b}^{c,d}(x_2/x_1) = x_2 \begin{array}{c} \uparrow d \\ \hline \xrightarrow{a} \\ \hline \downarrow b \\ x_1 \end{array} \rightarrow c$$

We define  $R_i$  by the action of  $R$  on the  $i, i+1$  part of  $\mathcal{H}_L = \mathbb{C}^3 \otimes \dots \otimes \mathbb{C}^3$ . The basis in  $\mathbb{C}^3$  is represented by  $v_1 = \uparrow$ ,  $v_2 = \circ$ ,  $v_3 = \downarrow$ . The  $R$ -matrix satisfies the Yang–Baxter equation

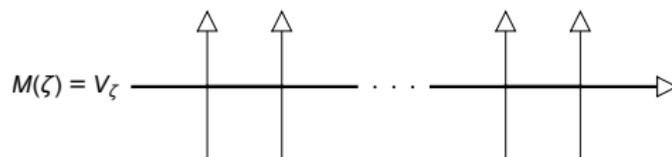
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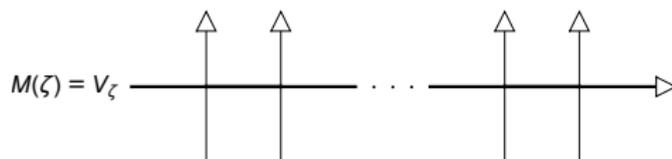
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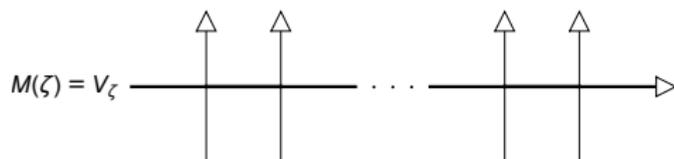
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- The (untwisted) transfer matrix  $T$  can be written in terms of YB algebra

$$T(\zeta) = A_1(\zeta) + A_2(\zeta) + A_3(\zeta).$$

The eigenvectors of  $T$  are given as polynomials in the YB algebra elements which can be shown using the RMM equation and assuming additional conditions (Bethe equations)

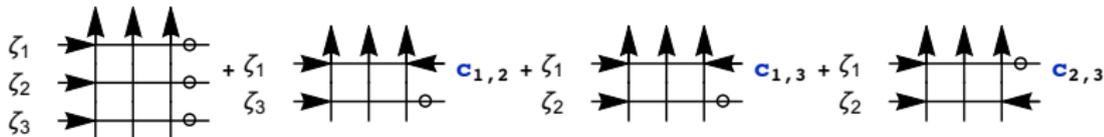
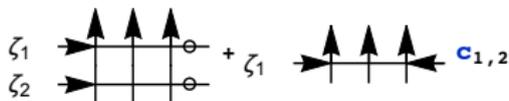
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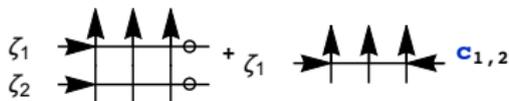
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- Remark: This also holds for  $sl(2)$  spin-1 (FZ) and  $osp(2|1)$  models

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- There are three regimes ( $\phi$  is the twist parameter)

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$$c = \frac{3}{2} - \frac{3\phi^2}{\pi(\pi + \theta)}, \quad \text{for } -\pi < \theta < \pi/3$$

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(Nienhuis, Blöte, Warnaar, Batchelor, ..)

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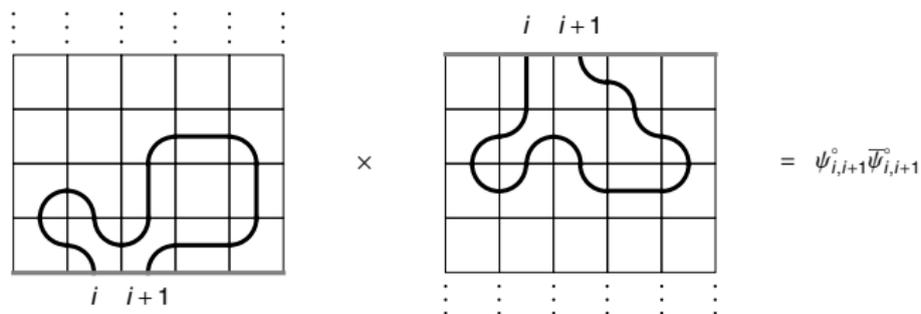
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The components  $\psi_\pi^\circ$  are labeled by the connectivity  $\pi$  of the loops on the rim of the cylinder (for periodic b.c.)

As an application consider the partition function of a single closed loop

$$Z_1(z_1, \dots, z_L) = \sum_{\alpha, \beta} \psi_{\alpha}^{\circ}(z_1, \dots, z_L) \bar{\psi}_{\beta}^{\circ}(z_1, \dots, z_L),$$

where  $\bar{\psi}_{\beta}^{\circ}$  is a component of the dual ground state and the sum runs over all matching connectivities which form a single closed loop, for example



The partition function  $Z_1^{(L)}$  is a polynomial in  $z_i$ . It is possible to derive a recurrence relation in size  $L$  for  $Z_1^{(L)}$ . Pick a horizontal position  $i$  and set two inhomogeneities proportional  $z_i = e^\theta z$ ,  $z_{i+1} = e^{-\theta} z$

$$Z_1^{(L)}(\dots, e^\theta z, e^{-\theta} z, \dots) = \text{const}(\theta) \prod (z_i^2 + z^2) Z_1^{(L-1)}(\dots, z, \dots) \\ + \psi_{i,i+1}^\circ(\dots, e^\theta z, e^{-\theta} z, \dots) \bar{\psi}_{i,i+1}^\circ(\dots, e^\theta z, e^{-\theta} z, \dots)$$

Where the  $\psi_{i,i+1}^\circ$  is the component corresponding to the link pattern with the points  $i$  and  $i+1$  connected

The above equation determines  $Z_1$  together with a simple additional equation which occurs at  $z_i = 0$ .

The component  $\psi_{i,i+1}^\circ$  can be written in terms of two components of the IK model

$$\psi_{i,i+1}^\circ = (z_1/z_2)^{1/2} \psi_{+-} - e^{2\theta} (z_1/z_2)^{-1/2} \psi_{-+}$$

Using the vertex operators we get

$$\psi_{i,i+1}^\circ \propto \oint \dots \oint \prod_{i>2} \frac{dw_i}{(z_i + qw_i)(w_i + qz_i)} \prod_{i<j} \frac{(w_i - w_j)(w_i - q^2 w_j)}{(z_i + qw_j)(w_i + qz_j)(w_i - qw_j)} \Big|_{w_1=w_2=a}$$

where  $a = -e^{2\theta} z_1^2$ . (Fehér, Nienhuis, A G)

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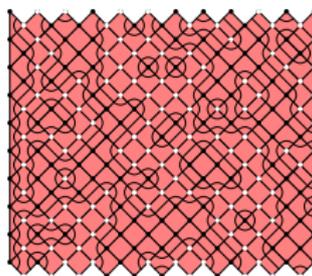
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Thank you!

Let's look at the simplest case  $\theta = \pi/3$  or  $n = 1$  in the loop model description. In this case the ground state of dTL  $O(1)$  model describes critical site percolation



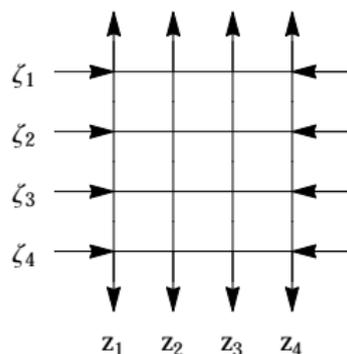
The ground state vector satisfies the reduced  $q$ KZ equations. It is possible to describe the solution and write the normalisation in a determinant form (Di Francesco, B. Nienhuis; A G).

$$Z_L^p = \det_{1 \leq i, j \leq L} E_{3j-2i}(z_1, \dots),$$

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Recently this allowed to calculate a simple correlation function in the open dTL( $n=1$ ) model (G. Fehér & B. Nienhuis).

In the IK model at this point it is possible to calculate the domain wall partition function



$$Z_N = \sum_{\epsilon \in \text{states}} \prod_{1 \leq i, j \leq N} w_{i,j}^{(\epsilon)}.$$

The solution is written in a determinant form

$$Z_N(\zeta_1, \dots, \zeta_N, z_1, \dots, z_N) = \det_{1 \leq i, j \leq N-1} \Delta_{3j-i, N}(\zeta_1, \dots, \zeta_N, z_1, \dots, z_N),$$

where  $\Delta_{i,N}$  is written in terms of elementary symmetric polynomials

$$\Delta_{2N-i, N} = 2 \sum_{\substack{1 \leq n_1, n_2 \leq N \\ n_1 + n_2 = i}}^N \cos(\theta(n_2 - n_1)) E_{N-n_1}(\zeta_1, \dots, \zeta_N) E_{N-n_2}(z_1, \dots, z_N),$$

We start with the algebra  $\mathcal{U} = U_q(A_2^{(2)})_0$  and its representations.  $\mathcal{U}$  is defined by the Drinfeld generators  $x_r^\pm$ ,  $h_{\pm m}$  and  $K, K^{-1}$  ( $r \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $m \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ ) and relations

$$KK^{-1} = K^{-1}K = 1, \quad Kh_m = h_mK, \quad h_m h_l = h_l h_m,$$

$$Kx_r^\pm K^{-1} = q^{\pm 1} x_r^\pm,$$

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[some more cubic relations],

where  $h_m$  and  $\psi_m^\pm$  are related by

$$\Psi^\pm(u) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \psi_{\pm k}^\pm u^{\pm k} = K^{\pm 1} \exp\left(\pm(q - q^{-1}) \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} h_{\pm l} u^l\right).$$

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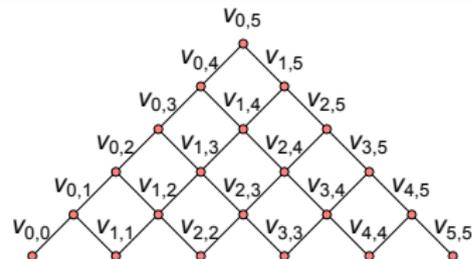
$$P(u) = (1 - u)(1 - q^2 u) \dots (1 - q^{2k-2} u).$$

The corresponding vector space  $V^{(k)}$  is of dimension  $(k+1)(k+2)/2$

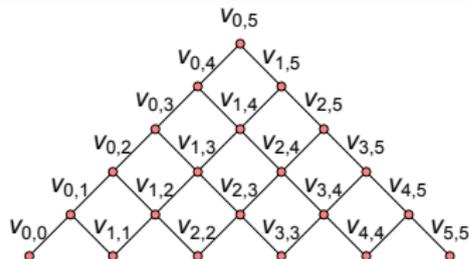
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- From here we see that there are two modes for each  $x_r^\pm$ , we can write

$$K = q^k \kappa_1^{-1} \kappa_2^{-1},$$

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$$x_r^- = (-1)^r a_1^\dagger \kappa_1^{-2r} + q^{-r} a_2^\dagger \kappa_2^{-2r},$$

where  $\{a_1, a_2, a_1^\dagger, a_2^\dagger, \kappa_1, \kappa_2\} \in \mathcal{A}$  is a new algebra which acts on  $V^{(k)}$  as

$$\kappa_1 v_{i,j} = q^j v_{i,j}, \quad \kappa_2 v_{i,j} = q^i v_{i,j}, \quad a_1 v_{i,j} = v_{i-1,j}, \quad a_2^\dagger v_{i,j} = v_{i,j+1}$$

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$$\mathcal{R} = \prod_{\alpha \in D^+} \exp_{q_\alpha} \left( (q - q^{-1}) e_\alpha \otimes f_\alpha \right) \mathcal{K},$$

where  $D^+$  is an ordered set of positive roots of  $\mathcal{U}$ ,  $\mathcal{K}$  is some simple element of the tensor product of two Cartan subalgebras,  $e_\alpha$  and  $f_\alpha$  are the Drinfeld–Jimbo root vectors (linear or quadratic functions of  $x_r^\pm$ ) and

$$\exp_q(x) = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{(2)_q!} + \frac{x^3}{(3)_q!} + \dots, \quad (n)_q = \frac{q^n - 1}{q - 1}.$$

Using the KT formula and KR modules we find  $R^{(k)}$  which we write as a matrix in the first tensor component  $V^{(1)} = \mathbb{C}^3$

$$R^{(k)}(\zeta) = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{A}_1 & \mathcal{B}_1 & \mathcal{B}_2 \\ \mathcal{C}_1 & \mathcal{A}_2 & \mathcal{B}_3 \\ \mathcal{C}_2 & \mathcal{C}_3 & \mathcal{A}_3 \end{pmatrix},$$

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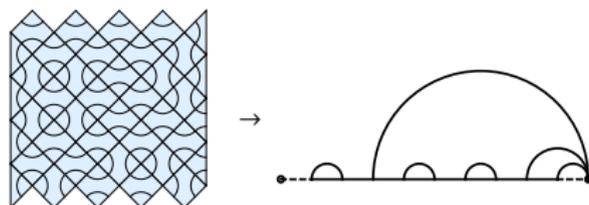
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Hamiltonian of the IK model in terms of Gell-Mann matrices reads

$$H = \sum_{j=1}^N H_{j,j+1}.$$

(write this in a nicer way)

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Introduce an algebra  $\mathcal{F}$  with elements  $\{f_i, \dots, f_N\}$  which satisfy

$$[f_i, f_j] = 0, \quad f_i^2 = 0, \quad {}_N \langle \tilde{0} | \prod_{i=1}^n f_i | \tilde{0} \rangle_N = \delta_{n,N}$$

- For example, one can choose the representation space  $\mathbb{C}^2 \otimes \dots \otimes \mathbb{C}^2$  for

$$f_i = I_1 \otimes \dots \otimes \sigma_i^+ \otimes \dots \otimes I_N, \quad |\tilde{0}\rangle_N = \otimes_{j=1}^N v_+, \quad {}_N \langle \tilde{0} | = \otimes_{j=1}^N v_-,$$

where  $I$  is the identity in  $\mathbb{C}^2$  and  $v_+ = (1, 0)$ ,  $v_- = (0, 1)$ .

- Using the algebra  $\mathcal{F}$  we define

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- We can write a similar representation for the dual state.  $S_N$  becomes

$$S_N = \oint \frac{dx dy}{x^{N+1} y^{N+1}} \langle 0 | : \prod_{i=1}^N e^{xC(\mu_i; x)} : : \prod_{i=1}^N e^{yB(\zeta_i; y)} : |0\rangle.$$