

# Supergravity geometries dual to $\mathcal{N} = 2$ SCFTs

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## Recipe for $\mathcal{N} = 2$ SCFT duals

- AdS/CFT:  $D = 10$  (IIB),  $D = 11$  supergravity
- $D = 4$  SCFTs  $\longleftrightarrow$   $AdS_5$
- half-maximal SUSY - 16 supercharges
- Killing spinors charged under  $SU(2) \times U(1)$  R-symmetry

$$ds_D^2 = e^{2\lambda} [ds^2(AdS_5) + e^{2A} ds^2(S^2) + ds^2(M_{D-7})]$$

# What to expect in next 25 mins?

- Review various constructions
- Killing spinor bilinears
- Introduce Lin, Lunin, Maldacena (LLM)

*“The most general geometry dual to  $\mathcal{N} = 2$  SCFTs”*

- Small loophole? - ÓC, Wu, Yavartanoo JHEP 1104 (2011) 002
- LLM in type IIB - ÓC, Stefanski JHEP 1110 (2011) 061

## Some common constructions

- Orientifold of  $AdS_5 \times S^5$  [Aharony, Fayyazuddin, Maldacena \(1998\)](#)

$$ds_{S^5}^2 = d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2 + \cos^2 \theta ds_{S^3}^2$$

$\phi \sim \phi + 2\pi(1 - \frac{\alpha}{2})$ , singularity depends on  $\alpha$

- Dimensional reduction and twist in  $D = 7$  sugra [Maldacena, Nuñez \(2000\)](#)
- Killing spinor bilinears [LLM \(2004\)](#) . Also [Gaiotto, Maldacena \(2009\)](#), [Stefanski, Reid-Edwards \(2010\)](#)
- Non-Abelian T-duality [Sfetsos, Thompson \(2010\)](#) - [talk at IStr 2011](#).  $S^3$  fibration of  $S^5$ , where  $SO(4) \simeq SU(2) \times SU(2)$ . More generally, [Lozano, ÓC, Sfetsos, Thompson \(2011\)](#)

# Killing Spinor (KS) Bilinears

- Preserved SUSY  $\longleftrightarrow$  KS
- Via  $\bar{\epsilon}\gamma^{(n)}\epsilon$ , convert KSE into differential conditions
- $\mathcal{N} = 1$  SCFT duals  $ds^2 = e^{2\lambda}[ds_{AdS_5}^2 + ds_{M_6}^2]$  Gauntlett, Martelli, Sparks, Waldram (2004),  $Y^{p,q}$  discovered
- $U(1)$  R-symmetry isometry “emerges”  $\nabla_{(m}\tilde{K}_{n)} = 0$
- More concretely...

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla_m \tilde{\zeta} &= -\frac{1}{2} im \gamma_m \gamma_7 \tilde{\zeta} + \frac{1}{24} e^{-3\lambda} \gamma^{n_1 n_2 n_3} G_{mn_1 n_2 n_3} \tilde{\zeta}, \\ \tilde{K}_m &= \frac{1}{2} \tilde{\zeta} \gamma_m \gamma_7 \tilde{\zeta}, \quad e^{-6\lambda} d(e^{6\lambda} \tilde{K}) = e^{-3\lambda} * G + 4mY\end{aligned}$$

## $\mathcal{N} = 1 \rightarrow \mathcal{N} = 2$ SCFT duals

- Further  $S^2$  ansatz LLM (2004) (\*)

$$\begin{aligned} ds_{M_6}^2 &= e^{2A} ds^2(S^2) + ds^2(M_4), \\ G_4 &= e^{-3\lambda-2A} \mathcal{I} \text{vol}(M_4) + \mathcal{F} \wedge \text{vol}(S^2). \end{aligned}$$

- Split spinor across  $S^2$   $\xi = \chi_+ \otimes \epsilon_+ + \chi_- \otimes \epsilon_-$ ,  
 $\nabla_\alpha \chi_\pm = \frac{i}{2} \sigma_\alpha \chi_\pm$ ,  $\chi_- = i\sigma_3 \chi_+$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_\mu \epsilon_\pm &= \frac{i}{4} \gamma_5 \gamma_\mu e^{-6\lambda-2A} \mathcal{I} \epsilon_\pm \\ &\mp \left( \frac{m}{2} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 + \frac{1}{4} e^{-3\lambda-2A} \gamma^\nu \mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu} \right) \epsilon_\mp. \end{aligned}$$

- LLM noted if  $\mathcal{I} = 0$ , then KSEs decouple using  $\epsilon_- = \pm \gamma_5 \epsilon_+$ . Show LLM solutions are not perturb. connected to  $\mathcal{I} \neq 0$  solutions.

## Solutions with $\mathcal{I} \neq 0$ ? (arXiv:1010.5982)

- Motivation: Large class of new  $\mathcal{N} = 2$  SCFT quivers [Gaiotto \(2009\)](#); gravity duals based on LLM [Gaiotto, Maldacena \(2009\)](#)
- Good point to look for generalisation
- Using algebraic constraints can show  $\epsilon_- = \gamma_5 \epsilon_+ \Rightarrow \mathcal{I} = 0$ .
- Find two  $U(1)$  Killing vectors  $X, Y$  s.t.  $\mathcal{L}_X Y = 0$ .
- $\mathcal{I} \neq 0$  implies  $\epsilon_+ = \epsilon_- = 0$  **no solution**
- Could imagine more general  $\epsilon_- = a_1 \epsilon_+ + a_2 \gamma_5 \epsilon_+ + a_3 \epsilon_+^c + a_4 \gamma_5 \epsilon_+^c$  generic  $\epsilon_+$ ,  $a_i$  functions. However  $X \propto Y$  implies  $\epsilon_- = \gamma_5 \epsilon_+$
- **Interpolation to  $AdS_4 \times S^7$ ,  $AdS_7 \times S^4$ ?**

# LLM ansatz in type IIB (arXiv:1107.5763)

- $\mathcal{N} = 1$  SCFT duals classified [Gauntlett, Martelli, Sparks, Waldram \(2005\)](#)
- Recall solutions: i)  $SE_5$ ,  $(S^5, S^2 \times S^3)$  ii) Pilch-Warner  $(S^5)$
- Starting point

$$\begin{aligned} ds_{10}^2 &= e^{2\Delta} [ds^2(AdS_5) + ds^2(M_5)], \\ F_5 &= (\text{vol}_{AdS_5} + \text{vol}_{M_5})f. \end{aligned}$$

In addition

$$\begin{aligned} D_M \epsilon &= (\nabla_M - \frac{i}{2} Q_M) \epsilon, \\ P &= -iQ + \frac{1}{2} d\phi = \frac{i}{2} e^\phi dC^{(0)} + \frac{1}{2} d\phi, \\ G &= ie^{\phi/2} (\tau dB - dC^{(2)}). \end{aligned}$$



# KSE in $D = 5$

- Differential

$$D_m \tilde{\zeta}_1 + \frac{i}{4} \left( e^{-4\Delta} f - 2m \right) \gamma_m \tilde{\zeta}_1 + \frac{1}{8} e^{-2\Delta} G_{mnp} \gamma^{np} \tilde{\zeta}_2 = 0,$$
$$\bar{D}_m \tilde{\zeta}_2 - \frac{i}{4} \left( e^{-4\Delta} f + 2m \right) \gamma_m \tilde{\zeta}_2 + \frac{1}{8} e^{-2\Delta} G_{mnp}^* \gamma^{np} \tilde{\zeta}_1 = 0.$$

- Algebraic

$$\gamma^m \partial_m \Delta \tilde{\zeta}_1 - \frac{1}{48} e^{-2\Delta} \gamma^{mnp} G_{mnp} \tilde{\zeta}_2 - \frac{i}{4} \left( e^{-4\Delta} f - 4m \right) \tilde{\zeta}_1 = 0,$$
$$\gamma^m \partial_m \Delta \tilde{\zeta}_2 - \frac{1}{48} e^{-2\Delta} \gamma^{mnp} G_{mnp}^* \tilde{\zeta}_1 + \frac{i}{4} \left( e^{-4\Delta} f + 4m \right) \tilde{\zeta}_2 = 0,$$
$$\gamma^m P_m \tilde{\zeta}_2 + \frac{1}{24} e^{-2\Delta} \gamma^{mnp} G_{mnp} \tilde{\zeta}_1 = 0,$$
$$\gamma^m P_m^* \tilde{\zeta}_1 + \frac{1}{24} e^{-2\Delta} \gamma^{mnp} G_{mnp}^* \tilde{\zeta}_2 = 0.$$

## SE<sub>5</sub> Killing vectors

- Set  $\xi_2 = 0$ , then  $e^{-4\Delta}f = 4m$ ,  $G = 0$ ,  $P$  constant if  $M_5$  compact
- $ds^2(M_5) = e^{2B}ds^2(S^2) + ds^2(M_3)$ ,  $\xi_i = \chi_+ \otimes \epsilon_{i+} + \chi_- \otimes \epsilon_{i-}$ .
- KSE become

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla_m \epsilon_{\pm} + \frac{i}{2} m \sigma_m \epsilon_{\mp} &= 0, \\ \left[ \pm i e^{-B} + im \right] \epsilon_{\pm} + \sigma^m \partial_m B \epsilon_{\mp} &= 0.\end{aligned}$$

- Find 6 real Killing directions:  $K^1$ ,  $\Re(L^1)$ ,  $M^1$ ,  $N^1$

$$i_{K^1} dB = -e^{-B} \Im(T_1), \quad dT_1 = -imK^2$$

- Separately  $\Re(T_1) = 0$ . So  $K^1$  zero or global  $U(1) \Rightarrow K^1 = K^2 = 0 \Rightarrow$  no solution

## SE<sub>5</sub> Killing vectors

- Shown there is no global  $U(1)$
- Relax condition that warp  $B$  independent of Killing
- Suitable ansatz + solving constraints

$$\epsilon_+ = \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\phi_1} \\ e^{i\phi_2} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \epsilon_- = -i \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\phi_2} \\ e^{i\phi_1} \end{pmatrix}.$$

- Redefine  $\phi = \phi_1 - \phi_2$ ,  $\psi = \phi_1 + \phi_2$  to get

$$\begin{aligned} ds^2(M_3) &= d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta (d\phi^2 + \sin^2 \phi d\psi^2), \\ e^B &= \cos \theta. \end{aligned}$$

- Located fibration  $S^5$  **only example!**

## Away from $SE_5$ ...to boldly go...



- More generally have to decompose  $G$ . Assume  $P, Q$  just along  $M_3$ .

$$G = \mathcal{A} \wedge \text{vol}(S^2) + g\text{vol}(M_3).$$

- With full fields - 2 Killing directions  $X, Y$  by trial + error.  
As a check

$$K_5^{GMSW} = (\bar{\chi}_+ \sigma_3 \chi_+) X + (\bar{\chi}_+ \chi_+) Y.$$

- Good! For Killing global  $U(1)$   $K$  require  $\mathcal{L}_K \mathcal{F} = 0$ . After some work can show  $f = g = 0$  necessary. Ansatz now similar to LLM.

## Away from $SE_5$

- Without  $f$  and  $g$  can show  $\mathcal{L}_X Y = 0$  and  $X \cdot Y = 0$ .
- Further can show

$$dX = 2m * Y, \quad dY = 2m * X.$$

- Only one dimension left if  $X$  and  $Y$  are non-zero.
- However, possible to show that whether  $X$  or  $Y$  are chosen then  $X = Y = 0$  is implied.
- No suitable  $U(1)$ 's. Thus realising  $SU(2) \times U(1)$  is problematic!

## R-symmetry caveat

- Back in  $D = 5$  R-symmetry  $K_5$  emerges from KSE.
- This assumes all fields non-zero.
- Hidden  $U(1)$ 's that would become Killing just as in  $SE_5$ ?
- Using results of [Gauntlett, Martelli, Sparks, Waldram \(2005\)](#) possible to show  $K_5 = 0$  leads to no solution.
- No extra  $U(1)$ 's in  $D = 5$ .

# Non-geometric $SU(2)$

- Geometry corresponding to pure  $\mathcal{N} = 2$   $SU(N)$  SYM [Gauntlett, Kim, Martelli, Waldram \(2001\)](#)
- $SU(2)$  acts on the KS of type IIB - non-geometric
- Study of  $\mathcal{N} = 2$  SQCD, sub-critical  $AdS_5 \times S^1$  [Gadde, Pomoni, Rastelli \(2009\)](#)
- Return to  $\mathcal{N} = 1$  SCFT duals, set  $f = 0$ , find singular solutions with  $U(1) \times U(1)$  isometry [Gabella, ÓC, Martelli, Sparks](#).
- Continue “hide-n-seek” for IIB  $\mathcal{N} = 2$  SCFT dual geometries.

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