# La fonction à deux points et à trois points des quadrangulations et cartes 

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Maps
Def. Planar map $=$ connected graph embedded on the sphere


Easier to draw in the plane (by choosing a face to be the outer face)


## Maps as random discrete surfaces

Natural questions:

- Typical distance between (random) vertices in random maps the order of magnitude is $n^{1 / 4}\left(\neq n^{1 / 2}\right.$ in random trees)
random $\{-$ [Chassaing-Schaeffer'04] probabilistic
quadrang. $\{$ - [Bouttier Di Francesco Guitter'03] exact GF expressions
- How does a random map (rescaled by $n^{1 / 4}$ ) "look like" ?
convergence to the "Brownian map"
[Le Gall'13, Miermont'13]



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But this bijection does not preserve distance-parameters (only bounds)

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## Refinement by distances :

For $D=\left(d_{i, j}\right)_{1 \leq i<j \leq k}$ any $\binom{k}{2}$-tuple of positive integers
let $\mathcal{M}_{D}^{(k)}:=$ subfamily of $\mathcal{M}^{(k)}$ where $\operatorname{dist}\left(v_{i}, v_{j}\right)=d_{i j}$ for $1 \leq i<j \leq k$
The counting series $G_{D} \equiv G_{D}(g)$ of $\mathcal{M}_{D}^{(k)}$ with respect to the size is called the $k$-point function of $\mathcal{M}$

quadrangulation

general map

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- quadrangulations
[Bouttier Guitter'08]
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[F Guitter'14]


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- For the two-point functions:
(1)-quadrangulations
[Bouttier Di Francesco Guitter'03] uses Schaeffer's bijection
- maps with prescribed (bounded) face-degrees
(2) quadrangulations uses Miermont's bijection [Bouttier Guitter'08]
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based on clever observation on Miermont's bijection
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# Computing the two-point function of quadrangulations using the Schaeffer bijection 

## Well-labelled trees

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Pointed quadrangulations, geodesic labelling Pointed quadrangulation $=$ quadrangulation with a marked vertex $v_{0}$ Geodesic labelling with respect to $v_{0}: \ell(v)=\operatorname{dist}\left(v_{0}, v\right)$


Rk: two types of faces


confluent

## The Schaeffer bijection [Schaeffer'99], also [Cori-Vauquelin'81]

Pointed quadrangulation $\Rightarrow$ well-labelled tree with min-label $=1$ $n$ faces $n$ edges


Local rule in each face:


## The 2-point function of quadrangulations (1)

 Denote by $G_{d} \equiv G_{d}(g)$ the two-point function of quadrangulations bijection $\Rightarrow G_{d}(g)=$ GF of well-labelled trees with min-label=1 and with a marked vertex of label $d$
$\mathbf{R k}: G_{d}=F_{d}-F_{d-1}=\Delta_{d} F_{d}$ where $F_{d} \equiv F_{d}(g)=$ GF of well-labelled trees with positive labels and with a marked vertex of label $d$

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with the notation $[i]_{x}=\frac{1-x^{i}}{1-x}$
with $R \equiv R(g)$ and $x \equiv x(g)$ given by $\left\{\begin{array}{l}R=1+3 g R^{2} \\ x=g R^{2}\left(1+x+x^{2}\right)\end{array}\right.$
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Convergence in the two cases "follows" from (proof by Hankel contour) [Banderier, Flajolet, Louchard, Schaeffer'03]: for $0<s<1$,

$$
x(g) \underset{g \rightarrow 1}{\sim} 1-(1-g)^{s} \Rightarrow\left[g^{n}\right] x^{\alpha n^{s}} \sim \frac{1}{2 \pi n} \int_{0}^{\infty} e^{-t} \operatorname{Im}\left(\exp \left(-\alpha t^{s} e^{i \pi s}\right)\right) \mathrm{d} t
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Computing the two-point and three-point function of quadrangulations using Miermont's bijection

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Rk: Well-labelled tree = well-labelled map with one face

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Def: local $\min =$ vertex with all neighbours of larger label
$\mathbf{R k}$ : Geodesic labelling $\Leftrightarrow$ there is just one local min, of label 0

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recover the Schaeffer bijection (case of one local min, of label 0 )
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Drawing above $\Rightarrow f \leq p$
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Hence $k=1$ ( $M$ connected) $f=p$, and there is exactly one local min of $Q$ in each face of $M$
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Proof: $\forall v \in \Gamma$, a shortest path $v_{1} \rightarrow v \rightarrow v_{2}$ has length $2 \ell(v)-\ell\left(v_{1}\right)-\ell\left(v_{2}\right)$ (because of the existence of a label-decreasing path on each side)


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We conclude that, for $d=s+t(s, t \geq 1) G_{d}(g)$ is the series of

$\operatorname{Or}(\Delta:=$ discrete differentiation $) G_{d}=\Delta_{s} \Delta_{t} F_{s, t}$, where $F_{s, t}$ counts


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Then by the link between cyclic and sequential excursions:


Equation for $X_{s, t}: X_{s, t}=1+g R_{s} R_{t} X_{s, t}\left(1+g R_{s+1} R_{t+1} X_{s+1, t+1}\right)$ solution (guessing/checking): $X_{s, t}=\frac{[3]_{x}[s+1]_{x}[t+1]_{x}[s+t+3]_{x}}{[1]_{x}[s+3]_{x}[t+3]_{x}[s+t+1]_{x}}$
$\Rightarrow$ recover $G_{d}=\log \left(\frac{[s+t]_{x}^{2}[s+t+3]_{x}}{[s+t-1]_{x}[s+t+2]_{x}^{2}}\right)$

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Hence $G_{s+t, s, t}(g)=\Delta_{s} \Delta_{t} X_{s, t} \quad$ where $X_{s, t}=\frac{[3]_{x}[s+1]_{x}[t+1]_{x}[s+t+3]_{x}}{[1]_{x}[s+3]_{x}[t+3]_{x}[s+t+1]_{x}}$


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- 3 points are distinct $\Rightarrow$ at most one of $s, t, u$ is zero
- One of $s, t, u($ say $u)$ is zero $\Leftrightarrow$ aligned points (preceding slide)
- Generic case: $s, t, u>0$ (non-aligned points)

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$\Rightarrow$ expression of $G_{d_{12}, d_{13}, d_{23}}(g)$ as $\Delta_{s} \Delta_{t} \Delta_{u} F_{s, t, u}$, with $F_{s, t, u}(g)$ explicit

Computing the two-point function of general maps using the Ambjørn-Budd bijection

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## The case of two local min

Let $M$ a well-labelled map with two local $\min v_{1}, v_{2}$
Let $M^{\prime}=\Lambda(M)$, let $f_{1}, f_{2}$ the two faces of $M^{\prime}$
Let $\Gamma$ the (cycle) boundary of $M^{\prime}, i:=\min _{\Gamma}$

## Two cases:

A): no edge of labels $i-i$ on $\Gamma$

$$
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B): $\exists$ an edge of labels $i-i$ on $\Gamma$

$$
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## 2 other ways to compute the 2-point function

[F, Guitter'14] For $d \geq 1$, let $M$ a bi-pointed map with $d_{12}=d$
A) Write $d$ as $s+t$ with $s, t \geq 1$. Endow $M$ with unique well-labelling where $v_{1}, v_{2}$ are unique local min and $\ell\left(v_{1}\right)=-s, \ell\left(v_{2}\right)=-t$

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$\Rightarrow$ exact expression for $N_{s, t}$
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Re: $\Delta_{s} \Delta_{t} N_{s, t}$ gives GF of tri-pointed maps with aligned points: $d_{12}, d_{13}, d_{23}=(s+t, s, t)$


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## Examples

Case A:


## Case B:



## Conclusion and remarks

- There are exact expressions for the 2-point and 3-point functions of quadrangulations and general maps (bijections + GF calculations)
- Asymptotically the limit laws (rescaling by $n^{1 / 4}$ ) are the same for the random quad. $Q_{n}$ of size $n$ as for the random map $M_{n}$ of size $n$

Rk: also follows from [Bettinelli, Jacob, Miermont'13] ( $Q_{n}$, dist $/ n^{1 / 4}$ ) and ( $M_{n}$, dist $/ n^{1 / 4}$ ) are close as metric spaces, when coupling $\left(M_{n}, Q_{n}\right)$ by the AB bijection

- We can also obtain similar expressions for bipartite maps (associated well-labelled maps are restricted to have no edge $i-i$ )
- The GF expressions $G_{D}(g)$ for maps/bipartite maps can be extended to expressions $G_{D}(g, z)$ where $z$ marks the number of faces

