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Fuzzy Objects in Noncommutative Geometry and Their Applications

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Motivation

- Resolution of singularity
- String inspired
 - non-BPS D2/D0-system
 - 2-dimensional space with constant magnetic flux
- (an effective theory of) quantum gravity

Realization of Noncommutativity

- Noncommutativity between space coordinates

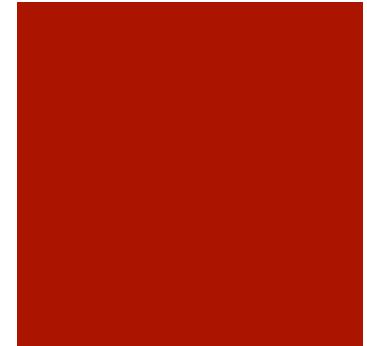
$$[x, y] = i\theta, \quad \theta \text{ : constant parameter}$$

- a realization: Wick-Voros product

$$(f \star g)(z, \bar{z}) = \exp \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}'} \frac{\partial}{\partial z''} \right) f(z', \bar{z}') g(z'', \bar{z}'') \Big|_{z' = z'' = z}$$

$$[z, \bar{z}] = z \star \bar{z} - \bar{z} \star z = 1 \quad \left(z = \frac{x + iy}{\sqrt{2\theta}}, \quad \bar{z} = \frac{x - iy}{\sqrt{2\theta}} \right)$$

Field Theory on noncommutative space



commutative:

$$S = \int dt d^2x \left(\partial_z \phi \partial_{\bar{z}} \phi + \frac{m}{2} \phi^2 + \dots \right)$$



noncommutative:

$$S = \int dt d^2x \left(\partial_z \phi \star \partial_{\bar{z}} \phi + \frac{m}{2} \phi \star \phi + \dots \right)$$

Fuzzy Objects

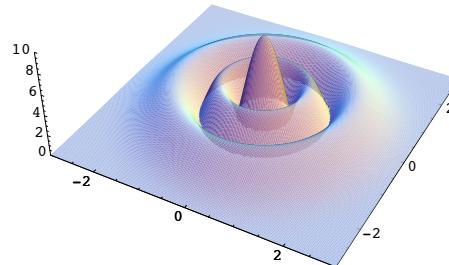
Nontrivial Solutions
in Noncommutative Geometry

Noncommutative Solitons

- scalar field theory on NC plane: GMS solitons
[Gopakumar- Minwalla- Strominger, Kraus-Larsen, ...]

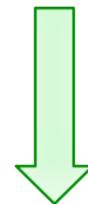
$$E = \int_D d^2z V_\star(\Phi)$$
$$V_\star(\Phi) = \frac{b_2}{2} \Phi \star \Phi + \frac{b_3}{3} \Phi \star \Phi \star \Phi + \dots$$

- circular symmetric, connection to D-branes



Weyl-Wigner Correspondence

$$\text{function } f(\bar{z}, z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f_{mn}^{\text{Tay}} \bar{z}^m z^n$$



Weyl projection

$$\text{operator } \hat{f}(\hat{a}^\dagger, \hat{a}) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f_{mn}^{\text{Tay}} \hat{a}^{\dagger m} \hat{a}^n$$

Weyl-Wigner Correspondence

algebra

function: $f(x, y)$

star product: $f \star g$



algebra

operator: $\hat{f}(\hat{x}, \hat{y})$

product
with an ordering: $\hat{f} \cdot \hat{g}$

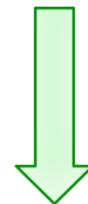
$$[x, y] = i\theta$$

$$[\hat{x}, \hat{y}] = i\theta \quad [\hat{a}, \hat{a}^\dagger] = 1$$

operators which act
on the Fock space
of a harmonic oscillator

Weyl-Wigner Correspondence

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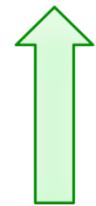


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Weyl-Wigner Correspondence

$$\text{function } f(\bar{z}, z) = \langle z | \hat{f} | z \rangle$$



inverse Weyl projection

$$\hat{a} | z \rangle = z | z \rangle : \text{coherent state}$$

$$\text{operator } \hat{f}(\hat{a}^\dagger, \hat{a}) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f_{mn}^{\text{Tay}} \hat{a}^{\dagger m} \hat{a}^n$$

Weyl-Wigner Correspondence

In operator formalism:

$$\hat{N} | n \rangle = n | n \rangle$$

$$\hat{a} = \frac{\hat{x} + i\hat{y}}{\sqrt{2\theta}} \quad \hat{a}^\dagger = \frac{\hat{x} - i\hat{y}}{\sqrt{2\theta}} \quad \hat{N} = \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} = \frac{\hat{x}^2 + \hat{y}^2}{2\theta}$$

$$\mathcal{H} = \text{span}\{|0\rangle, |1\rangle, |2\rangle, \dots\}$$

Projection operators as NC solitons

[GMS (2000)]

- EOM: $0 = \frac{\partial V_\star}{\partial \Phi} = b_2 \Phi + b_3 \Phi \star \Phi + b_4 \Phi \star \Phi \star \Phi + \dots$
- non-trivial sln: $\Phi = \lambda_* p_n(z, \bar{z})$ with $p_n^2(z, \bar{z}) = p_n(z, \bar{z})$



projection operator
 $\hat{p}_n = | n \rangle \langle n |$



$$p_n(r) = \langle z | n \rangle \langle n | z \rangle = e^{-\frac{r^2}{2\theta}} \frac{r^{2n}}{n!(2\theta)^n}$$

:circular symmetric

Fuzzy Disc

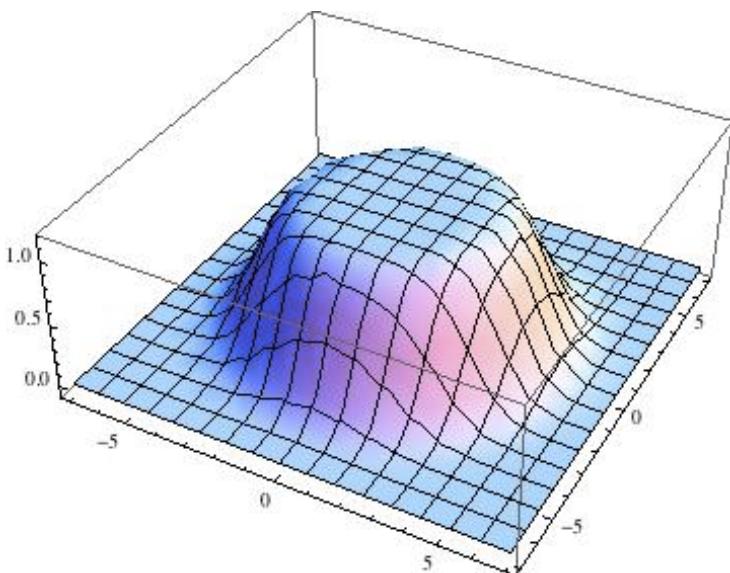
[Lizzi, Vitale, Zampini (2003)]

- Def.: finite dim. truncation of a noncommutative plane

$$\mathcal{H}_N = \text{span}\{|0\rangle, |1\rangle, |2\rangle, \dots, |N-1\rangle\}$$

- Two parameters:
 - noncommutativity: θ
 - fuzzyness : N
- applications:
 - matrix model
 - quantum Hall effect

A Fuzzy Disc ($N=10$, $\theta = 1$)



$$\hat{\mathcal{A}}_{10} = \hat{P}_{10} \hat{\mathcal{A}} \hat{P}_{10}$$

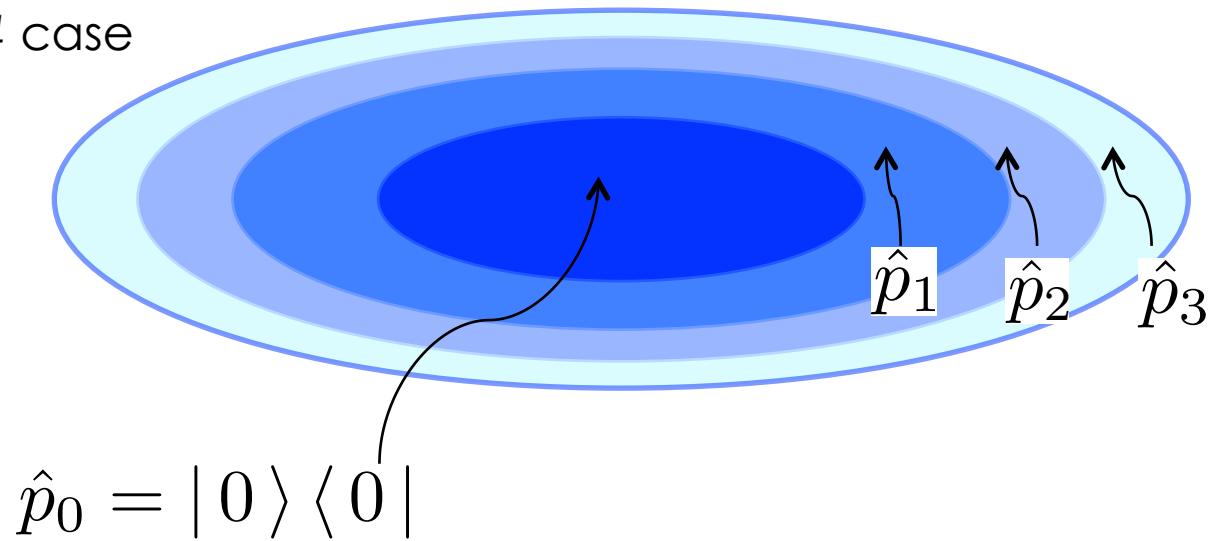
$$\hat{P}_{10} = \hat{p}_0 + \hat{p}_1 + \cdots + \hat{p}_9$$

$$\begin{aligned} p_0 + p_1 + \cdots + p_9 \\ = \sum_{n=0}^9 e^{-\frac{r^2}{2\theta}} \frac{r^{2n}}{n!(2\theta)^n} \end{aligned}$$

GMS solitons and fuzzy disc



$N=4$ case



Another orthonormal basis : angle states?

- number basis: concentric cutting of space
 - $\hat{N} \sim$ radius ($\hat{N} \sim \sqrt{\hat{x}^2 + \hat{y}^2}$)
- another basis: radial cutting of space
 - $\hat{\varphi} \sim$ angle

Angles in the fuzzy disc

SK-Asakawa, arXiv:1206.6602

Angle Operator and States

- The angle operator: $\hat{\varphi} = \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} \varphi_m |\varphi_m\rangle\langle\varphi_m|$ with help of Pegg-Barnett phase operator
- Eigen states of the angle operator: $\hat{\varphi} |\varphi_m\rangle = \varphi_m |\varphi_m\rangle$
- Relation to the number state $|\varphi_m\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} e^{in\varphi_m} |n\rangle$
- Orthonormality: $\langle \varphi_m | \varphi_n \rangle = \delta_{mn}$
- Angular projection operators:

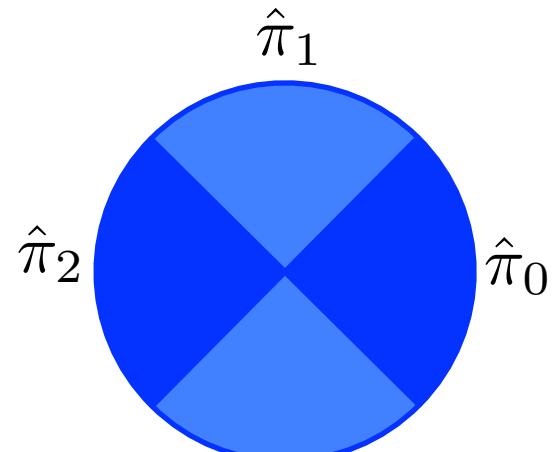
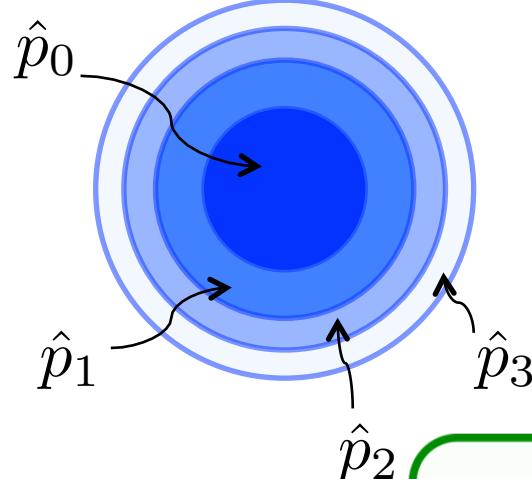
$$\hat{\pi}_m = |\varphi_m\rangle\langle\varphi_m|$$

→ angular “delta function” peaked at $\varphi_m = \frac{2\pi}{N}m$

Two descriptions of fuzzy disc

- baum-kuchen vs shortcake

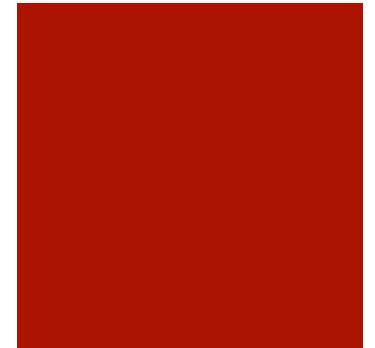
$$N = 4, \mathcal{H}_4 = \{|0\rangle, |1\rangle, |2\rangle, |3\rangle\}$$



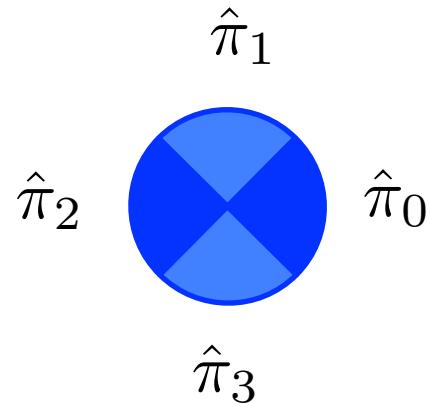
$$\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \hat{p}_n = \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} \hat{\pi}_m$$



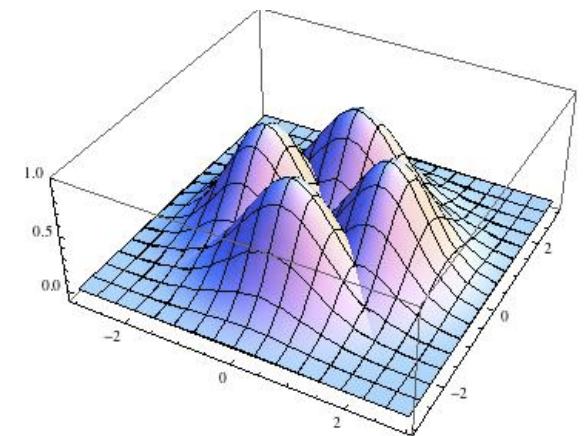
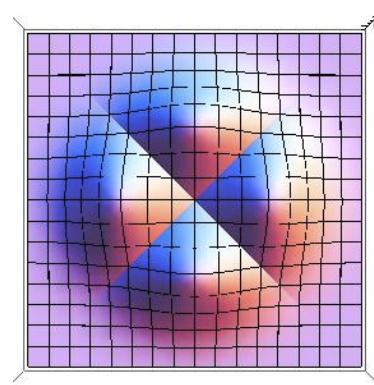
angular projection operators



$$\pi_k^{(N)}(r, \varphi) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{m,n=0}^{N-1} e^{-\frac{r^2}{2\theta}} \frac{r^{m+n}}{\sqrt{m!n!(2\theta)^{m+n}}} e^{-i(m-n)(\varphi - \varphi_k)}$$

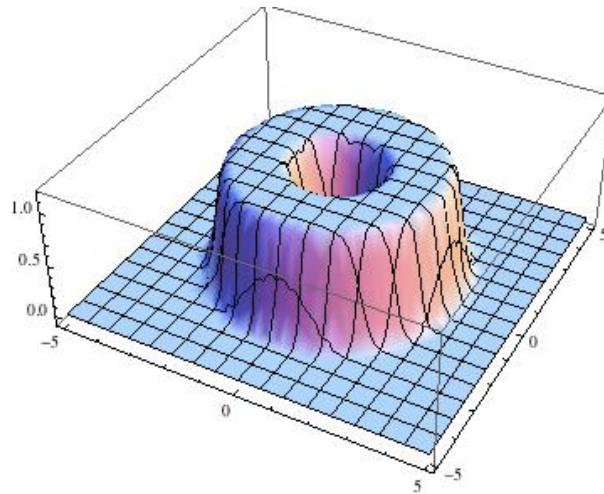


N=4 case



not concentric, but fan-shaped, like pieces of cake

Other fuzzy objects: e.g.) fuzzy Annulus

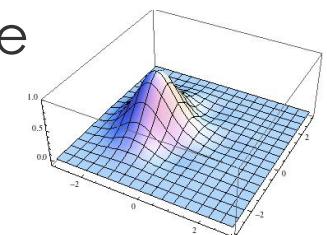
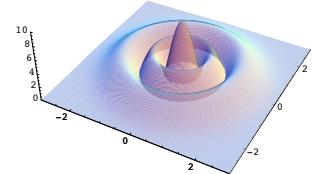
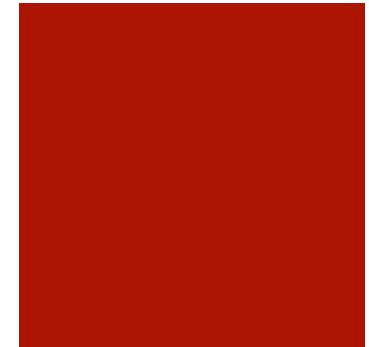


$$\hat{P}_N^M := \hat{p}_M + \hat{p}_{M+1} + \cdots + \hat{p}_{M+N-1}$$

any set of N orthonormal operators is allowed for truncation

Noncommutative Solitons as D0-branes

- scalar field on the NC plane
= tachyon filed on a non-BPS D2-brane
- The solution $\Phi = \lambda_* \hat{p}_n$
= a D0-brane (rank $\hat{p}_n = 1 \rightarrow$ same tension)
- Same thing can be said to our case:
the solution $\Phi = \lambda_* \hat{\pi}_m$ also can be seen as a D0-brane
with very different shape (fan-shaped)
- Commutative limit (with $N\theta$ fixed),
angular NC soliton becomes thinner and thinner
(A D0-brane is twisted into a string!)



Angular NC Solitons in Gravity

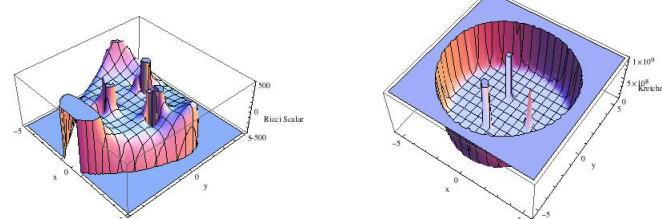
$$S = -\frac{\Lambda}{\kappa^2} \int dt d^2z \ E^\star \quad \quad E^\star = \det_\star E = \frac{1}{3!} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho} \epsilon_{abc} E_\mu^a \star E_\nu^b \star E_\rho^c$$

$$\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho} \epsilon_{abc} \{E_\nu^b, E_\rho^c\}_\star = 0$$

$$E_\mu^a = \begin{pmatrix} E_0^0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & E_1^1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & E_2^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_0 \pi_0^{(N)} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha_1 \pi_1^{(N)} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \alpha_2 \pi_2^{(N)} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$ds^2 = -\alpha_0^2 \pi_0^{(3)} dt^2 + \alpha_1^2 \pi_1^{(3)} dx^2 + \alpha_2^2 \pi_2^{(3)} dy^2$$

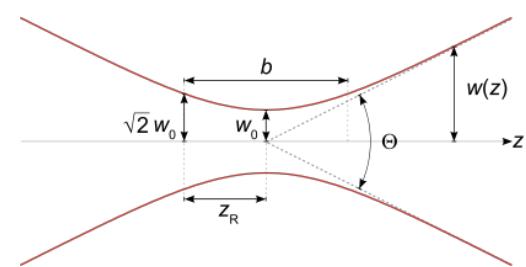
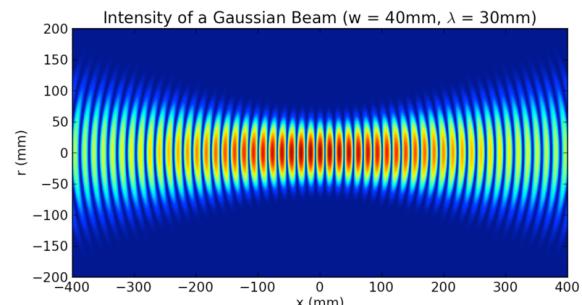
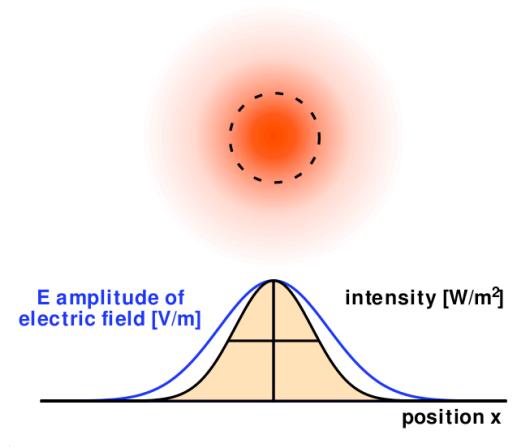
$$\pi_k^{(3)}(r, \varphi) = \frac{1}{3} e^{-r^2/\theta} \left[1 + \frac{2r}{\theta^{1/2}} \cos(\varphi - \varphi_k^{(3)}) + \frac{r^2}{\theta} \left\{ 1 + \sqrt{2} \cos[2(\varphi - \varphi_k^{(3)})] \right\} + \frac{\sqrt{2}r^3}{\theta^{3/2}} \cos(\varphi - \varphi_k^{(3)}) + \frac{r^4}{\theta^2} \right]$$



Experiment with laser

■ Gaussian beam

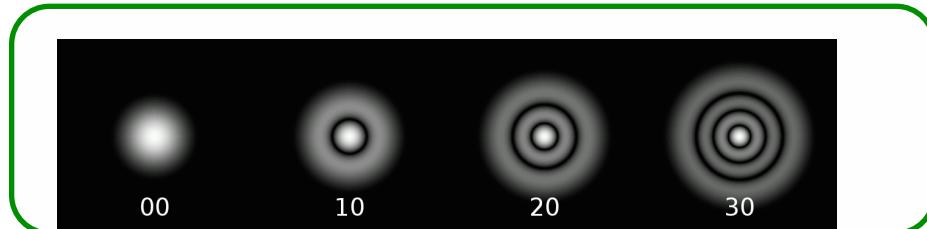
$$I(r, z) = \frac{|E(r, z)|^2}{2\eta} = I_0 \left(\frac{w_0}{w(z)} \right)^2 \exp \left(\frac{-2r^2}{w^2(z)} \right) ,$$



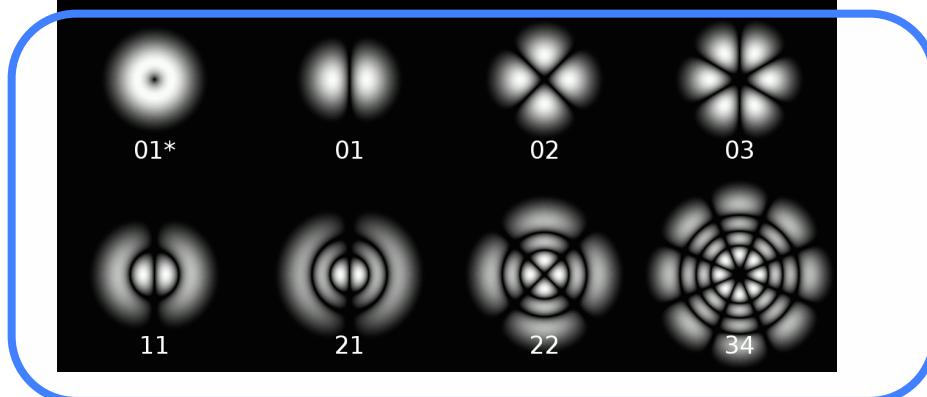
Experiment with laser

- Laguerre-Gaussian beam

$$u(r, \phi, z) = \frac{C_{lp}^{LG}}{w(z)} \left(\frac{r\sqrt{2}}{w(z)} \right)^{|l|} \exp \left(-\frac{r^2}{w^2(z)} \right) L_p^{|l|} \left(\frac{2r^2}{w^2(z)} \right) \exp \left(ik \frac{r^2}{2R(z)} \right) \exp(il\phi) \exp[-i(2p + |l| + 1)\zeta(z)],$$



GMS solitons



angular NC solitons

Noncommutative Solitons with Time-Dependence

Weyl-Wigner Correspondence

algebra

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product
with an ordering: $\hat{f} \cdot \hat{g}$

$$[x, y] = i\theta$$

$$[\hat{x}, \hat{y}] = i\theta \quad [\hat{a}, \hat{a}^\dagger] = 1$$

operators which act

no restriction as long as $[\hat{x}, \hat{y}] = i\theta^e$
or a ~~harmonic oscillator~~

Noncommutative Solitons with Time-Dependence

- Time-dependent Harmonic Oscillator

e.g.,

$$\hat{H}(x, p, t) = \frac{\hat{p}^2}{2m(t)} + \frac{1}{2}m(t)\omega^2(t)\hat{x}^2$$

→ we can solve this system analytically by the LR method

Lewis-Reisenfeld Method

- Time-dependent Schroedinger equation

$$i\hbar \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi = \hat{H} \psi$$

- Invariant operator \hat{I}

$$\frac{d\hat{I}}{dt} = \frac{\partial \hat{I}}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{i\hbar} [\hat{I}, \hat{H}] = 0$$

- Eigenvalue problem

$$\hat{I}\phi_n(x, p, t) = \lambda_n \phi_n(x, p, t)$$

$$\begin{cases} \psi(x, p, t) = e^{i\epsilon(t)} \phi(x, p, t) \\ \hbar\dot{\epsilon} = \langle \phi_n(t) | \left(i\hbar \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \hat{H} \right) | \phi_n(t) \rangle \end{cases}$$

Time-Dependent NC Solitons

- general, quadratic, time-dependent Hamiltonian

[Choi-Gweon (2004)]

→ apply to NC solitons

$$\hat{H}(\hat{x}, \hat{y}, t)$$

$$= A(t)\hat{x}^2 + B(t)(\hat{x}\hat{y} + \hat{y}\hat{x}) + C(t)\hat{y}^2 + D(t)\hat{x} + E(t)\hat{y} + F(t)$$

- creation and annihilation operator

$$\hat{a} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\theta k^{1/2}}} \left\{ \left[\frac{\sqrt{k}}{2\rho} + i \frac{2B\rho - \dot{\rho}}{2A} \right] (\hat{x} - x_p(t)) + i\rho(\hat{y} - y_p(t)) \right\}$$

$$\hat{a}^\dagger = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\theta k^{1/2}}} \left\{ \left[\frac{\sqrt{k}}{2\rho} - i \frac{2B\rho - \dot{\rho}}{2A} \right] (\hat{x} - x_p(t)) - i\rho(\hat{y} - y_p(t)) \right\}$$

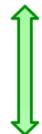
they satisfy $[\hat{a}, \hat{a}^\dagger] = 1$



Time-Dependent NC Solitons

- time-dependent circular symmetric solitons [SK, in progress]

$$| \phi_n, t \rangle \langle \phi_n, t |$$



$$e^{-|\zeta(t)|^2} \frac{|\zeta(t)|^2}{n!}$$

$$|\zeta(t)|^2 = \frac{1}{\theta k^{1/2}} \left\{ \frac{k}{4\rho^2} (x - x_p(t))^2 + \left[\left(\frac{2B\rho - \dot{\rho}}{2A} \right) (x - x_p(t)) + \rho (y - y_p(t)) \right]^2 \right\}$$

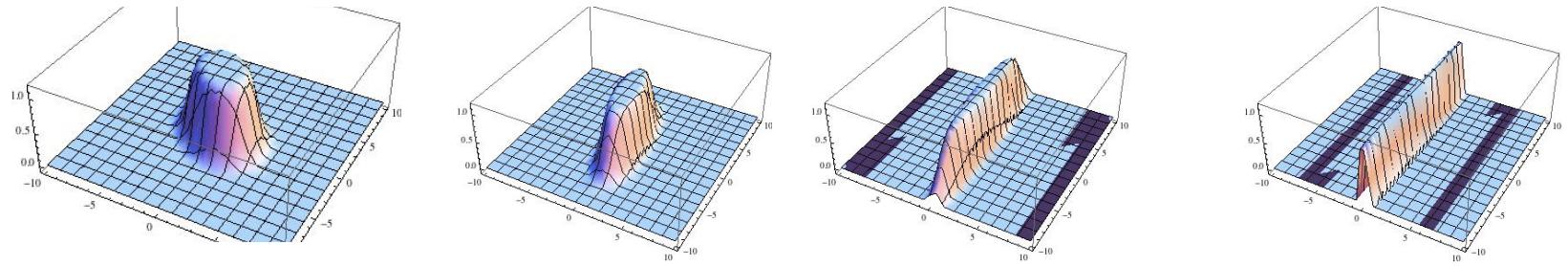


Time-Dependent NC Solitons

e.g., Caldirola-Kanai oscillator

[SK, in progress]

$$\hat{H} = e^{\gamma t} \hat{x}^2 + e^{-\gamma t} \hat{y}^2$$



$$t = 1/\gamma$$

Summary

- The fuzzy disc:
 - a disc-shaped, finite region in the NC plane
 - a fuzzy approximation by θ
- Introduction of angles to the fuzzy disc
 - angle projection operator and angle states
 - directly relates the boundary to the bulk
- Application
 - angular NC scalar solitons & fan-shaped D-branes
 - angular NC gravitational solitons
 - laser physics
- Time-dependent noncommutative solitons exist