

Spheres as constraint satisfaction problem

(a) GENERAL FORMULATION

Perception:

$$\begin{cases} \vec{X} = \{x_1 \dots x_N\} & \sum_{i=1}^N x_i^2 = N \\ h_\mu(\vec{X}) = \sum_{\mu=1}^M \vec{x}_\mu \cdot \vec{X} - \sigma \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$z_i^M \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1/N)$$

$$Z = \int \mathcal{D}\vec{X} \prod_{\mu=1}^M \pi e^{-\beta v(h_\mu(\vec{X}))}$$

Thermodynamic limit  
 $N, M \rightarrow \infty$   
 $\alpha = \frac{M}{N}$

Control parameters  $\{\alpha, \sigma\}$

Spheres:

$$\vec{X} = \{\vec{x}_1 \dots \vec{x}_N\} \quad \vec{x}_i \in V \subset \mathbb{R}^d \quad [\text{or } \vec{x}_i \in \mathbb{R}^{d+1}, |\vec{x}_i|^2 = R^2]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu = \langle ij \rangle \\ = 1 \dots \frac{N(N-1)}{2} \\ h_\mu(\vec{X}) = |\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_j| - \sigma \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$Z = \int \mathcal{D}\vec{X} \prod_{\langle ij \rangle} \pi e^{-\beta v(|\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_j| - \sigma)}$$

Thermodynamic limit

$$N, V \rightarrow \infty$$

$$N, R \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\varphi = \frac{N}{V} v_d(\sigma/2)$$

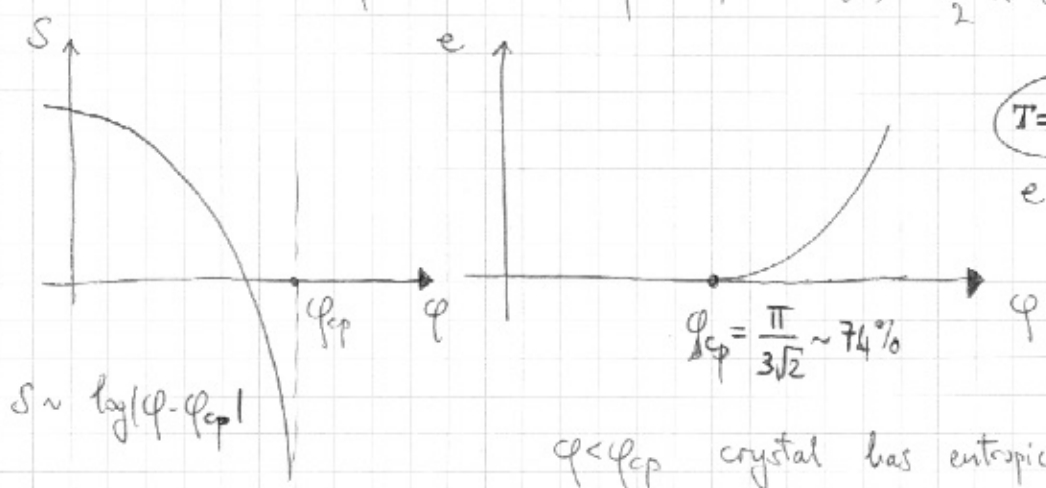
$$\varphi = \frac{N v_d(\sigma/2)}{\Omega_d(R)}$$

One control parameter  $\varphi$ .

(b) DIFFERENCES. Spheres: {no quenched disorder, crystal state}

Example:  $d=2,3$  (4,5,...?) the sat/unsat transition is the densest packing  $\rightarrow$  crystal

Consider soft harmonic spheres,  $v(h) = \frac{\epsilon}{2} h^2 \Theta(-h)$



$$S \sim \log|\varphi - \varphi_{cp}|$$

$\varphi < \varphi_{cp}$  crystal has entropic rigidity:  $p \propto T, \mu \propto T$

$\varphi > \varphi_{cp}$  crystal is mechanically rigid.

Solution 1

Reintroduce disorder:  $h_p(\vec{x}) = |\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_j + \vec{A}_{ij}| - \sigma$

$\vec{A}_{ij}$  random vector

{ Kraichnan 1962 (liquid)  
 Mari-Kozakata-Kurchan 2008 (glass-jamming)  
 Mari-Kurchan 2010

Solution 2

Get rid of the crystal as usual (polydispersity)  $h_p = |\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_j| - \sigma_{ij}$

Solution 3

Increase dimension: above  $d=4$  no crystallization is observed

( $\rightarrow$  Henry Cohn, very hard to find crystals in large  $d$ )

In both cases, there is a bunch of crystalline solutions, but impossible to find  $\Rightarrow$  restrict the study to amorphous ones

© What about replicas? Why replicas if there is no quenched disorder?

Solution: Frant-Parisi potential.

Reference equilibrium configuration  $\vec{R}$

Coupled equilibrium configuration  $\vec{X}$

$$f_g(q_1, T | q_g, T_g; \Phi) = -\frac{T}{N} \int d\vec{R} \frac{e^{-\beta H(\vec{R})}}{Z} \log \int d\vec{X} e^{-\beta H(\vec{X})} \delta(\Phi - \Phi(\vec{X}, \vec{R}))$$

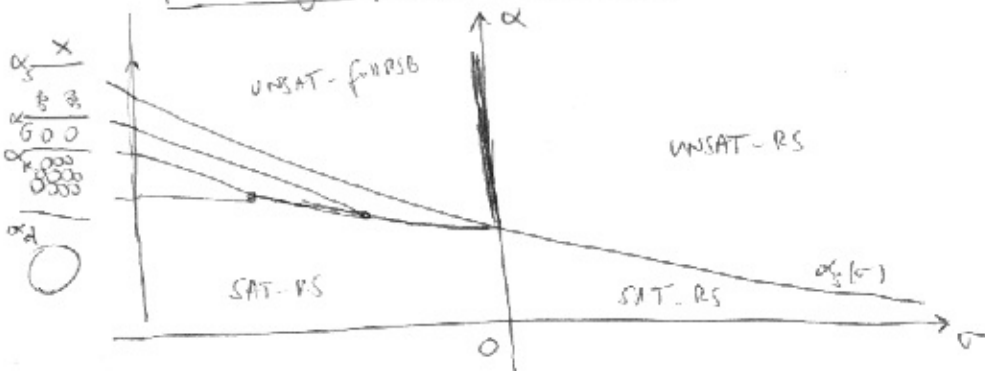
Note:  $q_1, q_g$  are controlled by  $\sigma, \sigma_g$

Alternative solution: the Monasson method (Monasson, PRL 1995)

We are going to discuss the problem in  $d \rightarrow \infty$  using the Frant-Parisi potential as our main tool.

$\rightarrow$  does not need any quenched disorder

# Summary of ~~RS~~ lecture 2



Perceptron

$$\exists \vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^N, \vec{x} \cdot \vec{x} = N, \text{ s.t. } h_p(\vec{x}) = \vec{x} \cdot \vec{\phi}_p - \sigma \geq 0$$

$p = 1 \dots M$   
 $N, M \rightarrow \infty$   
 $\alpha = N/M$

## Spheres

$$X = \{\vec{x}_1 \dots \vec{x}_N\} \begin{cases} \vec{x}_i \in V \subset \mathbb{R}^d \\ \vec{x}_i \in S_d(R) \subset \mathbb{R}^{d+1} \end{cases}$$

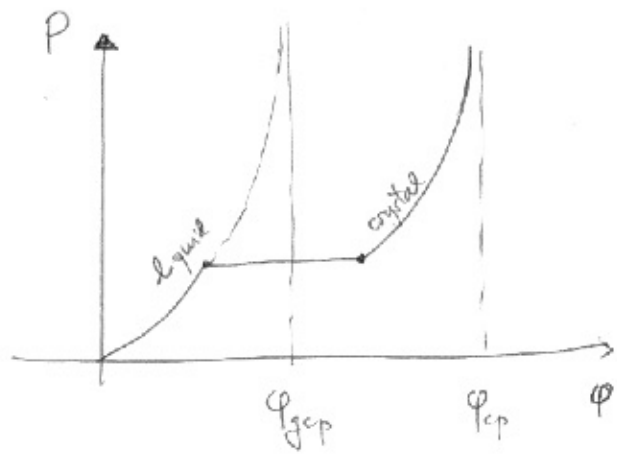
Satisfy  $h_p(\vec{x}) = |\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_j| - \sigma \geq 0$   
 $\mu = \langle ij \rangle = 1 \dots \frac{N(N-1)}{2}$

Thermodynamic limit  $\begin{cases} N, V \rightarrow \infty \\ \varphi = \frac{N}{V} v_d(\sigma/2) \end{cases}$

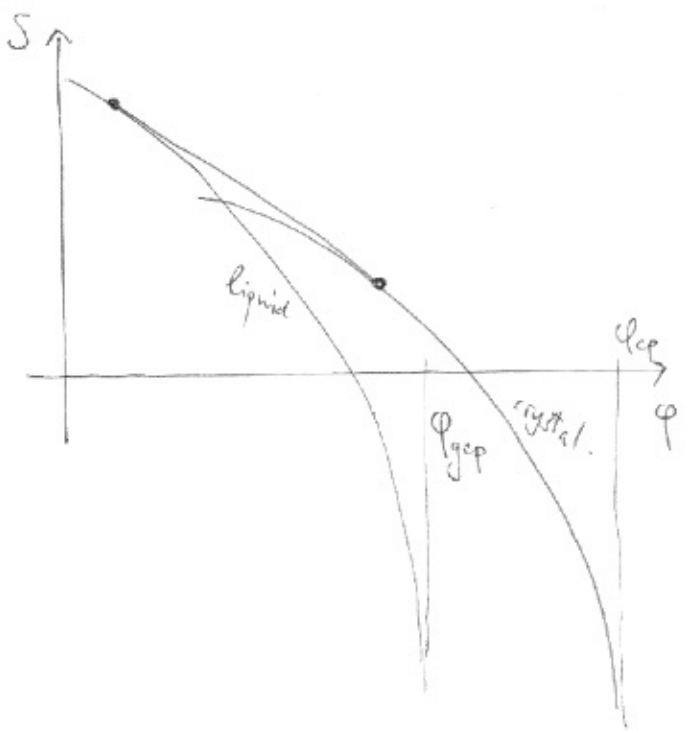
Hamiltonian:  
 $H = \sum_{ij} v(|\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_j| - \sigma)$

Problems. Differences: crystal, no disorder  $\Rightarrow$  close packing is ordered, hyperstatic

- Focus on amorphous states:
- ①  $h_p(x) = |\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_j + A_j| - \sigma$
  - ②  $h_p(x) = |\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_j| - \sigma_{ij}$
  - ③ Look at  $d \geq 4$  monodisperse



$\uparrow$   
 sat-unsat  
 transition  
 when crystal  
 is not allowed



② Spheres in infinite dimension.  
[a physicist perspective]

(book, can be sent privately)

① Liquid [Fisch, Rivier, Klein, Wyler '80s]  
[Fisch-Percus PRE '99]

Virial expansion.

$$-\beta F[\rho(x)] = \int dx \rho(x) [1 - \log \rho(x)] + \text{diagrams}$$

$f(x) = e^{-\beta \phi(x)} - 1$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $\rho(x)$

Specialize to  $\rho(x) = \rho$  [eliminate crystal]

Define  $\bar{\varphi} = 2^d \varphi$  and specialize to hard spheres  $\Rightarrow$  SAT phase.

\* The series converges for  $\bar{\varphi}_{low} \geq \frac{(w(e/2) - 1)^2}{w(e/2)} = 0.144 \dots$

$$(w(x) e^{w(x)} = x) \quad [\text{Lebowitz Penrose '64}]$$

[Remember Minkowski bound  $2^d \varphi = \bar{\varphi} \geq 1$   
and best upper bound  $\bar{\varphi} \leq 2^{(1-0.5390 \dots)d} = 2^{0.461 \dots d}$ ]

\* Ring diagrams dominate at each order

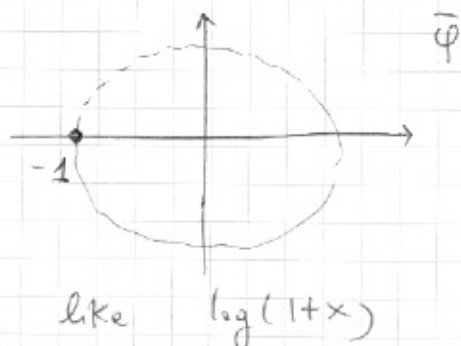
$$-\beta f(\rho) = \text{diagrams} + \dots$$

~~$$\dots$$~~

$\Rightarrow$  exact resummation, closed expression for  $f(\rho)$

Three important results:

- Strongly suggests that  $\bar{\varphi}_{low} = 1$   
i.e. the liquid realizes at least the Minkowski bound.
- The pole that makes the series divergent is at  $\bar{\varphi} < 0$



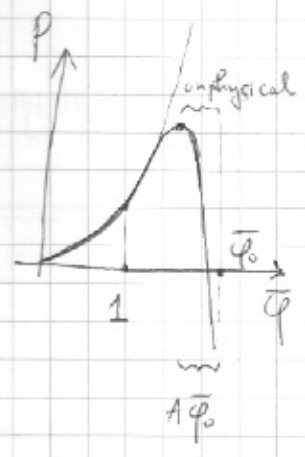
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The first singularity at  $\bar{\varphi} > 0$  is at

$$\bar{\varphi}_0 = \left(\frac{e}{2}\right)^{\frac{d}{2}} = e^{d \frac{1 - \log 2}{2}} = 2^d \frac{1}{2} [\log_2(e/2) - 1]$$

$$= 2^d \frac{1}{2} [\frac{1}{\ln 2} - 1]$$

$$= 2^{0.22135 d}$$



Same kind of liquid spinodal.

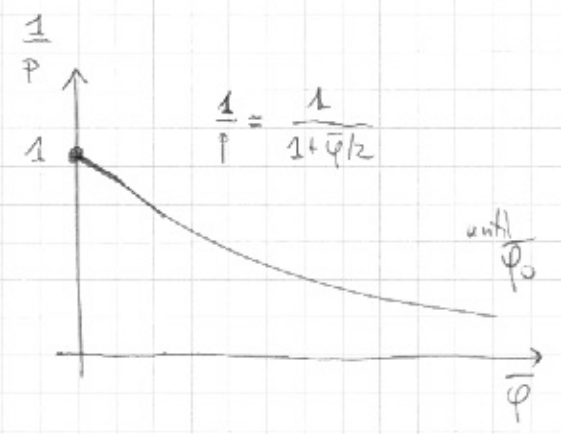
(remember KL  $\bar{\varphi} < 2$  <sup>0.601</sup>)

Aha! The liquid might exist up to  $\bar{\varphi}_0$  and beat exponentially the Minkowski bound. (Somehow this is Sal Torquato's perspective)

Conclusion. For any  $\bar{\varphi} < \bar{\varphi}_0$ , one can discard all virial diagrams except the first one

$$-\beta F[\rho(x)] = \int dx \rho(x) [1 - \log \rho(x)] + \frac{1}{2} \int dx dy \rho(x) \rho(y) f(x, y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho(\rho) = 1 + \frac{\bar{\varphi}}{2}$$



Liquid dynamics:

Exactly solvable [Stamel.]

MCT like, transition at  $\bar{\varphi} = 4.8 d$

Change scales:  $\bar{\varphi} = d \hat{\varphi}$      $\rho = 1 + \frac{\bar{\varphi}}{2} \sim d \hat{\varphi} / 2$      $\frac{P}{d} \sim \frac{\hat{\varphi}}{2}$

Note:

$$\rho = \frac{P}{e} = \frac{\partial \beta F}{\partial \bar{\varphi}} = 1 + \frac{\bar{\varphi}}{2} - \frac{d}{2\bar{\varphi}} \frac{V_a \rho_a}{(2\pi)^d} \int_0^\infty dy y^{d-1} \zeta_3[\bar{\varphi} J_a(y)]$$

$$+ \frac{d}{2\bar{\varphi}} \frac{V_a \rho_a}{(2\pi)^d} \int_0^\infty dy y^{d-1} \frac{[\bar{\varphi} J_a(y)]^3}{1 + \bar{\varphi} J_a(y)}$$

2(b)

Frant-Parisi potential, results for the transition densities

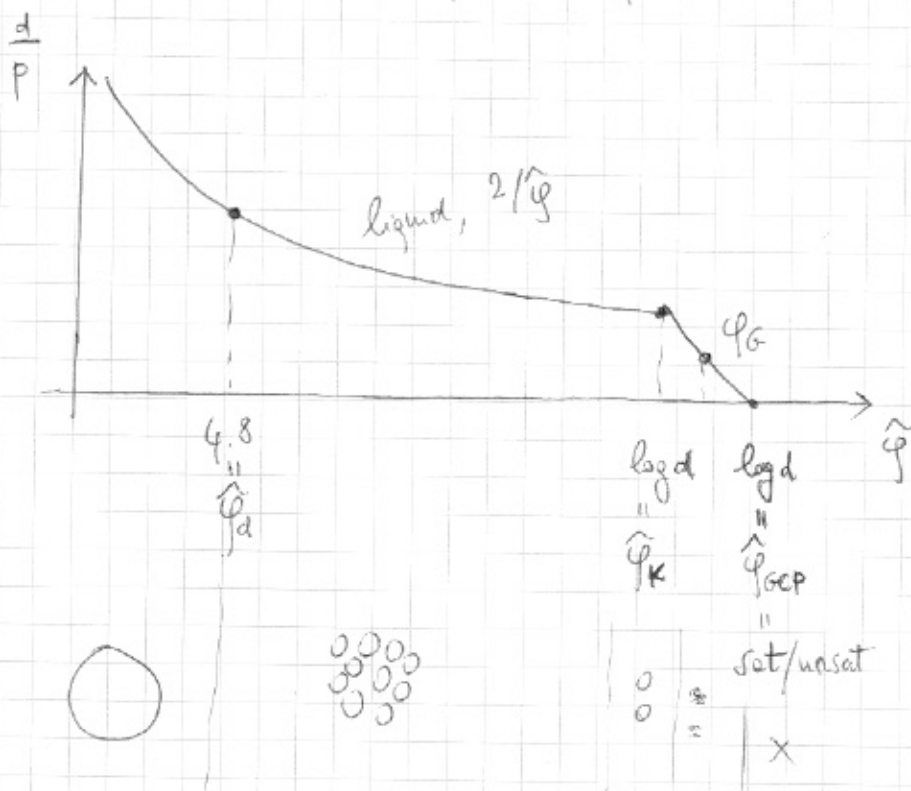
Replicas

$$F[p(x)] = \int dx p(x) [1 - \log p(x)] + \int dx dy p(x)p(y) f(x,y)$$

Rotational + translational invariance

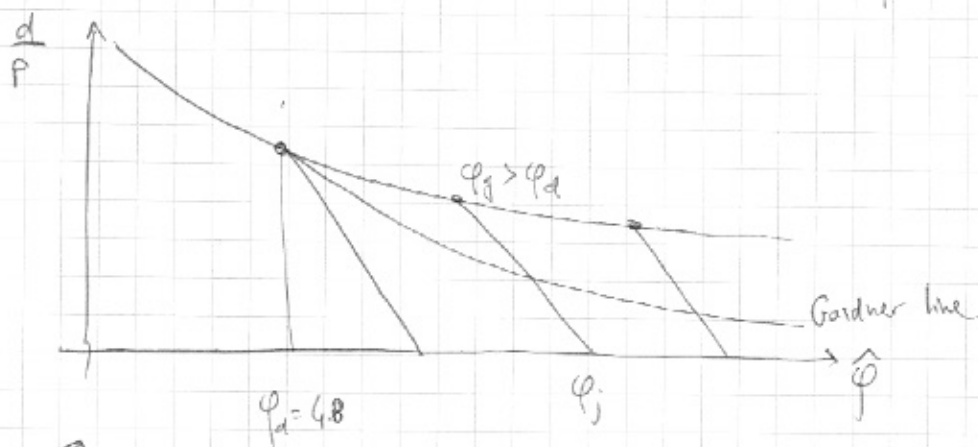
+ limit  $d \rightarrow \infty$  (central limit theorem)

$\rightarrow$  exact expression of the Frant-Parisi potential.



(c)

Out of equilibrium: following state in density/temperature with the Frant-Parisi potential



Landscape picture

J-line

All packings are in the full RSB phase



## ② Criticality of Jamming

- Very slow compression:  $\varphi \sim \frac{d \log d}{2d}$   
beats best lower bound (but not exponentially)
- Slow compression (but poly(N)):  $\varphi \sim \frac{7.2d}{2d}$   
also beats some lower bounds
- Very fast compression:  $\varphi \sim d/2d$  unknown prefactor
- Sampling of all solutions stops at  $\varphi \sim 0.6 d/2d$

## ③ Criticality of jamming only found at full RSB level ~ not true at any KR/SB ~

⊗ The jammed states are isotropic ~~only true at~~

⊗ ~~A~~  $P(h) \sim \delta(h) + h^{-\gamma}$

⊗  $P(p) \sim p^{\alpha}$

⊗ Away from jamming,  $\Delta \sim p^{-k}$

Three critical exponents, two scaling relations  $\Rightarrow$  one independent exponent

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## Conclusion:

- mention of theory in 3d [Retard-Paris]
- post doc openings
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