# Phase coexisting heat conduction in the Hamilton Potts model

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# What we want to show

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Phase coexistence separated by the interface

Non-equilibrium (with current)



- Temperature gradient appears
- Interface temperature  $\theta$  differs from  $\mathcal{T}_{\rm c}$
- $\bullet$   $\Rightarrow$  Supercooled (or heated) is stabilized
- $\theta \neq T_c$ : Violation of local equilibrium thermodynamics.

#### Order-disorder coexistence separated by an interface



- Order-disorder coexistence (1st ordered transition) separated by an interface.
- Energy conserving system with equal heat injection and release.

We try to numerically show the violation of the local equilibrium thermodynamics by confirming  $\theta \neq T_c$  with the dynamical field model.

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We try to numerically detect global thermodynamic prediction by using the continuous and dynamical field theory : *"Hamilton-Potts model"* 

# Hamilton-Potts model

#### Potts model

q-state Potts model as statistical model showing phase transition –

$$\mathcal{H} = -J \sum_{\langle i,j 
angle} \delta_{a_i,a_j} \qquad a_i = 1, \cdots, q^{-1}$$



#### Extension to dynamical model

q-state Potts model is not dynamical model -

$$\mathcal{H} = -J \sum_{\langle i,j 
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Extension to dynamical model as continuous-field theory

$$\mathcal{H}(\phi, \pi) = \int_{D} d^{2}r \left[ \frac{1}{2} \sum_{a=1}^{q-1} \left\{ \pi^{a}(\mathbf{r})^{2} + |\nabla \phi^{a}(\mathbf{r})|^{2} \right\} + V(\phi) \right]$$
$$(\phi^{1}(\mathbf{r}), \phi^{2}(\mathbf{r}), \cdots, \phi^{q-1}(\mathbf{r})) : (q-1) \text{-dimensional real field}$$
$$(\pi^{1}(\mathbf{r}), \pi^{2}(\mathbf{r}), \cdots, \pi^{q-1}(\mathbf{r})) : \text{Momentum field conjugate to } \phi$$

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Potential  $V(\phi)$  has q symmetric minima  $V(\phi) = \frac{1}{2} \prod_{k=1}^{q} \sum_{a=1}^{q-1} (\phi^a - \mu_k^a)^2 \qquad \mu_{1 \le k \le q}^a : q$ -vertices of (q-1)-regular simplex

# (q-1) regular simplex





## q = 2 case : Continuous extension of Ising model

1-simplex : line segment on a 1D line  

$$\mu_1 = -1$$
  $\mu_2 = +1$ 

Real Ginzburg-Landau model  

$$\mathcal{H}(\phi, \pi) = \int_{D} d^{2}r \left[ \frac{1}{2} \sum_{a=1}^{q-1} \left\{ (\pi^{a})^{2} + |\nabla \phi^{a}|^{2} \right\} + \frac{1}{2} \prod_{k=1}^{q} \sum_{a=1}^{q-1} (\phi^{a} - \mu_{k}^{a})^{2} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{q=2}{\longrightarrow} \int_{D} d^{2}r \left[ \frac{1}{2} \left( \pi^{2} + |\nabla \phi|^{2} \right) + \frac{1}{2} (\phi^{2} - 1)^{2} \right]$$

## q = 3 case : Continuous extension of 3-state Potts (or 3-state clock) model

2-dimensional real field  $(\phi^1, \phi^2) \Rightarrow$  complex field  $\phi = \phi^1 + i\phi^2$ 



$$\mathcal{H}(\phi,\pi) \xrightarrow{q=3} \int_{D} d^{2}r \left[ \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \pi \pi^{*} + |\nabla \phi| |\nabla \phi^{*}| \right\} + \frac{1}{2} |\phi^{3} - 1|^{2} \right] \qquad \phi^{3} = 1 \rightarrow \phi = 1, \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

- Model shows the 1st ordered phase transition in 2-dimensional space with  $q \ge 5$
- We can consider the natural dynamics with the Hamilton's equation:

$$rac{\partial \phi^a}{\partial t} = rac{\delta \mathcal{H}}{\delta \pi^a} \qquad rac{\partial \pi^a}{\partial t} = -rac{\delta \mathcal{H}}{\delta \phi^a}$$

• Energy injection and release can be easily introduced by the energy flux:

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial t} = \int_D d^2 r \, \sum_{a=1}^{q-1} \nabla \cdot (\pi^a \nabla \phi^a) \, \Rightarrow \, \boldsymbol{j} = \sum_{a=1}^{q-1} \pi^a \nabla \phi^a$$

Numerical simulation – Fixing phase diagram with isothermal system – Number of stateq = 11: Strong 1st ordered transitionSystem size $L_x = L_y = 64$ Grid spacing $\Delta x = 1/8$  $\Rightarrow$  Number of grids $(64 \times 8) \times (64 \times 8) = 512 \times 512$ Boundary conditionPeriodicTreatment of spatial differentialSpectral decomposition

#### Langevin equation for isothermal system

Langevin equation with temperature T  $\frac{\partial \phi^a}{\partial t} = \frac{\delta \mathcal{H}}{\delta \pi^a}$   $\frac{\partial \pi^a}{\partial t} = -\frac{\delta \mathcal{H}}{\delta \phi^a} - \gamma \pi^a + \sqrt{2\gamma T} \xi^a$  $\langle \xi^a(\mathbf{x}, t) \xi^b(\mathbf{x}', t') \rangle = \delta^{ab} \delta(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}') \delta(t - t')$ 

#### Temperature dependence of order parameter



$$\bar{m}_{T} = \left\langle \int \frac{d^2 \boldsymbol{r}}{L_x L_y} \sum_{a=1}^{q-1} \phi^a(\boldsymbol{r}) \mu_1^a \right\rangle_{T}$$

Transition temperature is ambiguous due to hysteresis (metastability)

## Accelerated Langevin equation with duplicated systems

M. Ohzeki and A. Ichiki, PRE 92, 012105 (2015)



Duplication is originally introduced to accelerate canonical ensemble averaging

$$\rho_{\mathcal{T}}(\phi,\pi) = \frac{1}{\mathcal{Z}} e^{-\mathcal{H}(\phi,\pi)/\mathcal{T}}$$

Case of XY model:  $z \sim 2$  (simple Langevin)  $\Rightarrow z \lesssim 1.2$  (duplicated Langevin)

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Initial condition

- $(\phi_1, \pi_1)$ : Snapshot for heating process (maybe superheated)
- $(\phi_2, \pi_2)$ : Snapshot for cooling process (maybe supercooled)



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# Equilibrium in isolated system

Number of state System size Grid spacing  $\Rightarrow$  Number of grids Boundary condition (y) Boundary condition (x) Treatment of spatial differential

q = 11: Strong 1st ordered transition  $L_x = 6 \times 64 = 384$  and  $L_y = 64$   $\Delta x = 1/8$   $(384 \times 8) \times (64 \times 8) = 3072 \times 512$ Periodic Neumann (differential controlled) Spectral decomposition Initial state : connecting isothermal snapshots

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#### Dynamics of interface and temperature

One-dimensional local order parameter and local temperature  $m(x) = \int \frac{dy}{L_y} \sum_{a=1}^{q-1} \phi^a \mu_1^a \qquad T(x) = \int \frac{dy}{L_y} \frac{\sum_a \pi^a(r) \pi^a(r)}{2(q-1)}$ 



## Checking for equivalence of ensembles



Non-equilibrium steady state under heat conduction

# Heat conduction



J is set to be J = -0.00002(linear-response region)

#### Interface dynamics: interface under current



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$$A^{mc} \equiv \langle A \rangle_E$$
: equilibrium with  $J = 0$   $A^{ss} \equiv \langle A \rangle_{E,J}$ : steady state with  $J \neq 0$ 

• 
$$T^{ss}(x) = \frac{1}{L_y} \int_0^{L_y} dy \left\langle \sum_{a=1}^{q-1} \frac{(\pi^a)^2}{2(q-1)} \right\rangle_{E,J}$$

- Interface position  $X_{\theta}^{ss}$  deviates from the position for  $T_{c} = T^{ss}(x = X_{c})$ 
  - $\Rightarrow \text{Stable superheated region appears} \\ \text{(Violation of local equilibrium)}$



#### Comparison with global thermodynamics prediction

$$\theta^{\mathsf{Th}} = T_{\mathsf{c}} - \frac{X(L_x - X)}{2L_x} J\left(\frac{1}{\kappa^{\mathsf{o}}} - \frac{1}{\kappa^{\mathsf{d}}}\right) + O(\varepsilon^2) \ (> T_{\mathsf{c}} \text{ for Potts model with } \kappa^{\mathsf{o}} < \kappa^{\mathsf{d}})$$



# Quantitative agreement between theory and numerical simulation

#### Finite-size and finite-"smoothness" effects

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Local equilibrium recovers with not only decreasing the system size  $L_x \times L_y$ but also increasing the grid spacing  $\Delta x$ .

 $\Rightarrow$  Smoothness of fields is also needed for the violation of local equilibrium.

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- We have obtained violation of local equilibrium thermodynamics and the confirmation with theoretical prediction by global thermodynamics by the Hamilton Potts model.
- Violation of local equilibrium strongly depends on not only the finite-size effect but also finite-smoothness effect of fields.



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## Is J = -0.00002 small enough for linear-response theory to be established?

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Heat conductivity  $\kappa$  should be obtained



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Global thermodynamics prediction for water with heat bathes at 94°C and 105°C (Liquid-gas interface)



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