

# Some examples of universality

1. CLT  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  iid  $EX_i = 0$   
 $EX_i^2 = 1$   $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \xrightarrow{d} N(0,1)$

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 $S_n(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum_{i=1}^{\lfloor nt \rfloor} X_i$   $0 \leq t \leq 1$   
 $S_n \xrightarrow{d} BM$

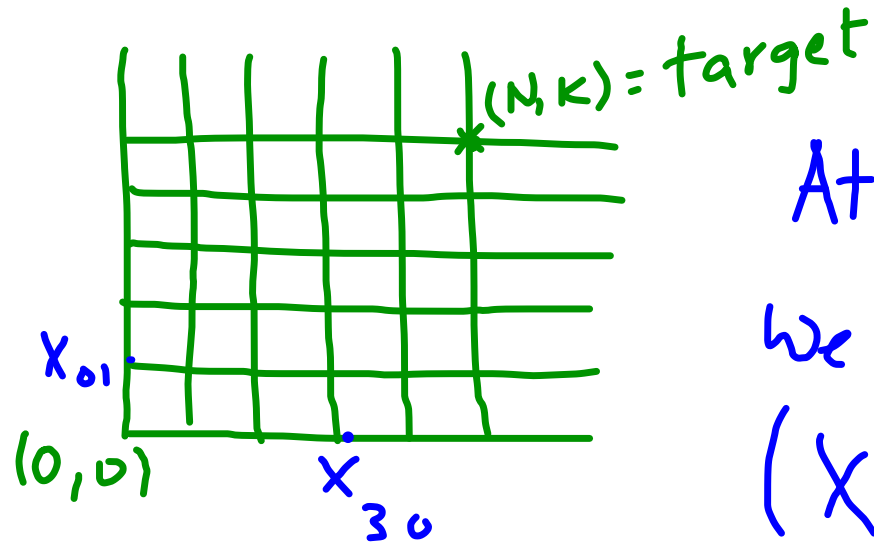
2. Wigner's semicircle law:  $X_{ij}$  iid  $1 \leq i, j \leq n$

$\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} ((X_{ij})) \rightarrow$  eigenvalues  $\lambda_1^{(n)}, \dots, \lambda_n^{(n)}$   $EX_{ij} = 0$   
 $EX_{ij}^2 = 1$

Then  $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \delta_{\lambda_k^{(n)}} \xrightarrow{R} W.S.L.$

$X_{ij} = X_{ji}$

### 3. Last passage percolation:



At each vertex  $(i,j)$   
we have an independent rv  $X_{ij}$   
( $X_{ij}$  iid)

For each NE going path  $\pi$  from  $(0,0)$  to  $(N,K)$

define the time along  $\pi$  to be  $\sum_{(i,j) \in \pi} X_{ij}$

$$L_{(N,K)} = \max_{\pi: (0,0) \nearrow (N,K)} \sum_{v \in \pi} X_v$$

Fact (Johanson): If  $X_{ij}$  are iid Geometric( $v$ )  
 $(P(k) = v^{k-1}(1-v))$

Then

$$\frac{L(N, [PN]) - (\star)}{\star N^{1/3}} \xrightarrow{d} TW_2$$

Q: Other iid random variables?

Also: Thin rectangles.  $E|X_{ij}|^3 < \infty$

if  $k = o(N^a)$  and  $a < \frac{1}{7}$

$$\frac{L(N, k) - (\star)}{k^{-1/6} N^{1/2}} \xrightarrow{d} TW_2$$

4. Circular law:

$$X_{ij} \text{ iid } \begin{cases} E X_{ij} = 0 \\ E X_{ij}^2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

$\lambda_1^n, \dots, \lambda_n^n \rightarrow$  eigenvalues

of  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} ((X_{ij}))_{i,j \leq n}$

$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \delta_{\lambda_k^n}$$

$\xrightarrow{P}$

Uniform measure

on the unit disk in  $\mathbb{C}$

Lindeberg (1929)  
Chatterjez (2004)  
Rotar; Mossel et al.

Problem of universality:

$X = (X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$   $X_i$  independent  $\mathbb{R}$ -valued  
r.v.s.

$Y = (Y_1, \dots, Y_n)$   $Y_i$  independent  $\mathbb{R}$ -valued  
r.v.s.

$$EX_i = EY_i; EX_i^2 = EY_i^2$$

$T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  a fn.

$$U = T(X) \quad V = T(Y)$$

Want to say  $U$  and  $V$  are close in law.

$$\Leftrightarrow E[g(U)] \approx E[g(V)] \text{ for any } g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ (nice)}$$

Assumptions: 1)  $T$  is 3-times coordinatwise differe.

$$T: \mathbb{R}^h \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

2)  $g$  is 3-times differentiable

$$g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$h = g \cdot T$$

Construct  $X, Y$  on the same  
prob. space  
and ind.

$$h(X_1, \dots, X_n) - h(Y_1, \dots, Y_n)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n h(X_1, \dots, X_{i-1}, X_i, Y_{i+1}, \dots, Y_n) - h(X_1, \dots, X_{i-1}, Y_i, Y_{i+1}, \dots, Y_n)$$

$$h(X_1, \dots, X_{i-1}, X_i, Y_{i+1}, \dots, Y_n) - h(X_1, \dots, X_{i-1}, \underbrace{0}_{w_i}, Y_{i+1}, \dots, Y_n)$$

$$= \partial_i h(w_i) X_i + \partial_i^2 h(w_i) \frac{X_i^2}{2} + R_i$$

$$h(X_1, \dots, X_{i-1}, Y_i, \dots, Y_n) - h(w_i)$$

$$= \partial_i h(w_i) Y_i + \partial_i^2 h(w_i) \frac{Y_i^2}{2} + S_i$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& E \left[ h(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, x_i, y_{i+1}, \dots, y_n) - h(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, y_i, \dots, y_n) \right] \\
&= E \left[ \partial_i h(w_i) (x_i - y_i) \right] + E \left[ \frac{1}{2} (x_i^2 - y_i^2) \partial_i^2 h(w_i) \right] \\
&\quad + E[R_i - S_i] \\
&= E[R_i - S_i] \\
&\leq E[|R_i| + |S_i|]
\end{aligned}$$

$$R_i = h(\dots) - h(w_i) - \partial_i h(w_i) x_i - \partial_i^2 h(w_i) \frac{x_i^2}{2}$$

$$1) |R_i| = \left| \frac{1}{6} \partial_i^3 h(\tilde{w}_i) x_i^3 \right| \leq \frac{1}{6} \|\partial_i^3 h\|_\infty |x_i|^3$$

$$2) |R_i| = \left| \frac{1}{2} \partial_i^2 h(\tilde{w}_i) x_i^2 - \frac{1}{2} \partial_i^2 h(w_i) x_i^2 \right| \\ \leq \|\partial_i^2 h\|_\infty |x_i|^2$$

$$h = g \circ T$$

$$\partial_i h' = g' \circ T \cdot \partial_i T$$

$$h = g \cdot T$$

$$\partial_i h = (g' \cdot T) \partial_i T$$

$$\partial_i^2 h = (g'' \cdot T) (\partial_i T)^2 + (g' \cdot T) \partial_i^2 T$$

$$\|\partial_i^2 h\|_\infty \leq (\|g''\|_\infty + \|g'\|_\infty) \lambda_2(T) = C_1(g) \lambda_2(T)$$

$$\lambda_2(T) = \max\{(\partial_i T)_x^2, (\partial_i^2 T)_y; i, x\}$$

Similarly  $\|\partial_i^3 h\|_\infty \leq C_2(g) \cdot \lambda_3(T)$

$$\lambda_3(T) = \max\{(\partial_i T)_x^3, (\partial_i^2 T)_y^2, (\partial_i^3 T)_z\}$$

$$C_2(g) = 10(\|g''' \|_\infty + \|g'' \|_\infty + \|g' \|_\infty)$$

$$|E[h(x) - h(y)]| \leq \sum_{i=1}^n E[|R_i| + |S_i|]$$

$$\leq C_1(\varrho) \lambda_2(T) \sum_{i=1}^n E[X_i^2 \mathbb{1}(|X_i| > k)] + E[Y_i^2 \mathbb{1}(|Y_i| > k)] \\ + C_2(\varrho) \lambda_3(T) \sum_{i=1}^n E[|X_i|^3 \mathbb{1}(|X_i| \leq k)] + E[|Y_i|^3 \mathbb{1}(|Y_i| \leq k)]$$

$$E[|X_i|^3 \mathbb{1}(|X_i| \leq k)] \\ \leq k E[|X_i|^2]$$

$$1) \text{ CLT: } X = (X_1, \dots, X_n) \\ Y = (Y_1, \dots, Y_n)$$

$$U = T(X)$$

$$V = T(Y)$$

$$Y_i \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$T(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$\lambda_2(T) = \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\partial_i T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \quad \partial_i^2 T = 0$$

$$\lambda_3(T) = \frac{1}{n^{3/2}}$$

$$|E[g(U)] - E[g(V)]| \leq C_1(g) \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E[x_i^2 \mathbb{1}(|x_i| > \epsilon \sqrt{n})]$$

$$+ C_2(g) \frac{1}{n^{3/2}} \cdot \epsilon \sqrt{n} \cdot n$$

2) W.S.L:  $X_{ij}$  <sup>real valued</sup> iid  $X_{ij} = X_{ji}$   
 $i, j \leq n$

$\frac{X}{\sqrt{N}}$  has eigenvalues  $\lambda_1^n, \dots, \lambda_n^n$

we consider  $\frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^n \delta_{\lambda_k^n}$

Stieltjes transform:

Fix  $z \in \mathbb{H}$  Consider

$$T(X) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{1}{\lambda_k - z} = \frac{1}{N} \text{Tr} \left[ \left( \frac{X}{\sqrt{N}} - zI \right)^{-1} \right]$$

$$T(X) = \frac{1}{N} \text{Tr} \left[ \left( \frac{X}{\sqrt{N}} - zI \right)^{-1} \right] = \frac{1}{N} \text{Tr} \left( \underset{=}{\overset{=}{A^{-1}}} \right)$$

$$BA = I$$

$$\partial_{ij} B \cdot A + B \cdot \partial_{ij} A = 0$$

$$\partial_{ij} B = -B \partial_{ij} A B$$

$$\partial_{ij}^2 B = 2B \partial_{ij} A B \partial_{ij} A B - B \partial_{ij}^2 A B$$

$$\partial_{ij}^3 B = \dots$$

$$A = \frac{X}{\sqrt{N}} - zI$$

$$\partial_{ij} A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} (A_{ij} + A_{ji})$$

$$\partial_{ij}^2 A = 0$$

We can calculate:

$$\lambda_2(T) \leq \frac{4}{N^2} \cdot \max\left(\frac{1}{\nu^4}, \frac{1}{\nu^3}\right)$$

$$\lambda_3(T) \leq \frac{12}{N^{5/2}} \cdot \max\left(\frac{1}{\nu^4}, \frac{1}{\nu^4}\right)$$

$$\nu = \rho_m(z)$$

$$\begin{aligned} E g(T(x)) - E g(T(y)) &\leq \frac{C_1(\rho)}{N^2} \sum_j E X_{ij}^2 \mathbb{1}(|X_{ij}| > K) \\ &+ \frac{C_2(\rho)}{N^{5/2}} \sum_{ij} E |X_{ij}|^3 \mathbb{1}(|X_{ij}| < K) \end{aligned}$$

$$k = \epsilon \sqrt{N}$$

$$E\left[|X_{ij}|^3 \mathbb{1}(|X_{ij}| < \epsilon \sqrt{N})\right] \leq \epsilon \sqrt{N} \cdot E\left[|X_{ij}|^2\right]$$

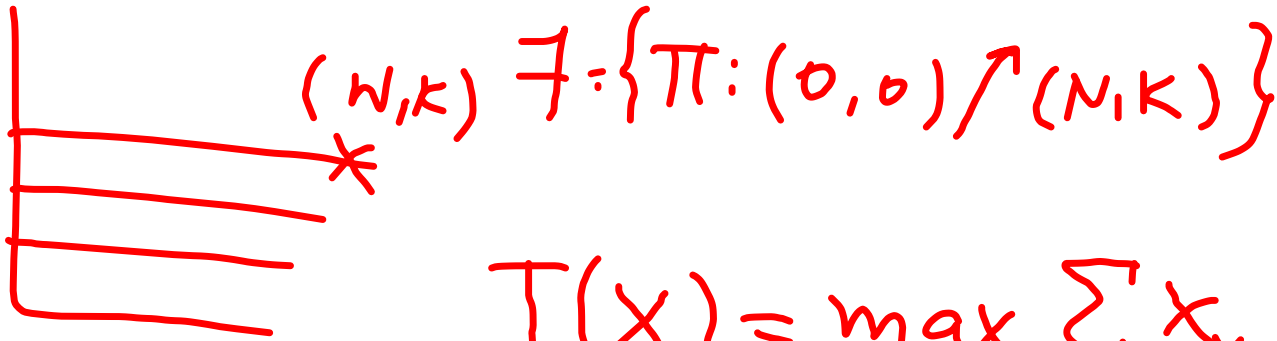
Pastur's condition:

$$\text{If } \frac{1}{N^2} \sum_{j=1}^n E\left[X_{ij}^2 \mathbb{1}(X_{ij} > \epsilon \sqrt{N})\right] \rightarrow 0$$

$\forall \epsilon > 0$

$\Rightarrow$  s.s.

# Last Passage percolation



$$(N, K) \mathcal{F} = \{ \pi : (0, 0) \nearrow (N, K) \}$$

$$T(x) = \max_{\pi \in \mathcal{F}} \sum_{v \in \pi} x_v$$

Trick:

$$e^{\beta \max_{\pi} \pi(x)} \quad \boxed{\begin{array}{c} \overset{\pi(x)}{=} \\ \max_{\pi \in \mathcal{F}} \pi(x) \end{array}}$$

$$\sum_{\pi \in \mathcal{F}} e^{\beta \pi(x)} \leq \#(\mathcal{F}) \cdot e^{\beta \max_{\pi} \pi(x)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(x) &\leq \frac{1}{\beta} \log \sum_{\pi} e^{\beta \pi(x)} && \leq T(x) + \frac{\log(\#\mathcal{F})}{\beta} \\ &= \frac{T}{\beta}(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & |E g(T(X)) - E g(T(Y))| && \frac{(\max_{\pi} P(X) - \pi)}{K^{1/6} N^{1/2}} \\
 & \leq |E [g(T_{\beta}(X))] - E [g(T_{\beta}(Y))]| \\
 & \quad + \frac{2}{\beta} \log(\# \mathcal{T}) \|g'\|_{\infty} \sum e^{\beta \pi(x)} / \sum e^{\beta \pi(x)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 T_{\beta}(X) &= \frac{1}{\beta} \log \sum_{\pi: (0,0) \uparrow (N,K)} e^{\beta \pi(x)} && \partial_{\nu} T_{\beta} = \frac{1}{\beta} \frac{1}{\sum e^{\beta \pi(x)}} \\
 \lambda_3(T_{\beta}) &\leq \frac{K^{1/6}}{N^{3/2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \partial_{\nu} T_{\beta} \\
 & \partial_{\nu}^2 T_{\beta} \\
 & \vdots
 \end{aligned}$$