

# ADHM Construction of Instantons (Review)

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# 1. Introduction

- Instantons are global solutions of Anti-Self-Dual (ASD) Yang-Mills eqs. with finite action.
- Instantons play crucial roles in quantum field theory (QFT) and geometry.
- ADHM(=Atiyah-Drinfeld-Hitchin-Manin) construction is a powerful method to construct the instanton solutions which is based on one-to-one correspondence between moduli spaces of the instantons and ADHM data.

# ASDYM eq. in 4-dim. with $G=U(N)$

- **ASDYM eq. (real rep.)**

$$F_{12} = -F_{34}, \quad F_{\mu\nu} := \partial_\mu A_\nu - \partial_\nu A_\mu + A_\mu A_\nu - A_\nu A_\mu$$

$$F_{13} = -F_{42}, \quad \text{Field strength}$$

$$F_{14} = -F_{23}. \quad A_\mu: \text{Gauge field}$$

$(N \times N \text{ anti-Hermitian})$

$$(\Leftrightarrow F_{z_1\bar{z}_1} + F_{z_2\bar{z}_2} = 0, \quad F_{z_1z_2} = 0 \quad (\text{cpx. rep.}))$$

- **Instanton number (2<sup>nd</sup> Chern number):**

$$C_2[A_\mu] = \frac{1}{8\pi^2} \int \text{Tr} F \wedge F \quad \in \mathbb{Z}$$

## 2. Atiyah-Drinfeld-Hitchin-Manin Construction based on duality for the instanton moduli space

4dim. ASD Yang-Mills eq.  
(Difficult)

$$\begin{aligned} F_{z_1\bar{z}_1} + F_{z_2\bar{z}_2} &= 0 \\ F_{z_1z_2} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

N × N PDE

ADHM eq. ( $\doteq$  0dim. ASDYM)  
(Easy)

$$\begin{aligned} [B_1, B_1^+] + [B_2, B_2^+] + II^+ - J^+J &= 0 \\ [B_1, B_2] + IJ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

k × k Matrix eqs.

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Sol.= instantons  
(G=U(N), C<sub>2</sub>=k)

$$A_\mu : N \times N$$

Sol.=ADHM data  
(G='U(k)')

$$B_{1,2} : k \times k, \quad I : k \times N, \quad J : N \times k$$

Gauge trf.:

$$\begin{aligned} A_\mu &\mapsto g^{-1}A_\mu g + g^{-1}\partial_\mu g \\ g &\in U(N) \end{aligned}$$

Gauge trf.:

$$\begin{aligned} B_{1,2} &\mapsto \tilde{g}^{-1}B_{1,2}\tilde{g}, \quad \tilde{g} \in U(k) \\ I &\mapsto \tilde{g}^{-1}I, \quad J \mapsto J\tilde{g} \end{aligned}$$

# Fourier-Mukai-Nahm transformation

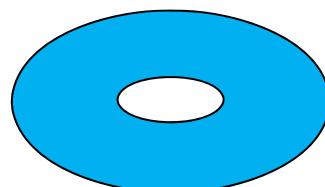
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on a 4-torus

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On a 4-torus

$$\begin{array}{c} G \\ \longleftrightarrow \\ F \end{array}$$

4dim. ASD Yang-Mills eq.  
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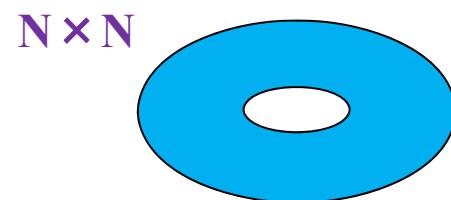
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$$A_\mu(x) = \left\langle V, \partial_\mu V \right\rangle_\xi \xleftarrow{\text{map } F \text{ (Dirac eq.)}}$$



On a 4-torus :  $x_\mu$

$$\nabla^+ V = \bar{e}^\mu \otimes \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial \xi^\mu} + \tilde{A}_\mu - i x_\mu \right) V = 0$$

$$V : 2k \times \underline{N}$$

Family index thm.

$$\tilde{A}_\mu(\xi) : k \times k$$



On the dual 4-torus :  $\xi_\mu$

$$\bar{e}^\mu := (i\sigma_a, 1_2)$$

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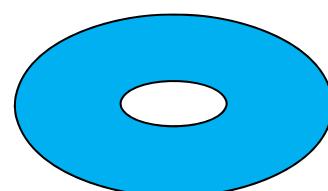
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$$A_\mu(x) : N \times N$$

map G (Dirac eq.)

$$\tilde{A}_\mu(\xi) = \langle \psi, \tilde{\partial}_\mu \psi \rangle_\xi$$



$$\bar{e}_\mu D_\mu \psi = \bar{e}^\mu \otimes \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x^\mu} + A_\mu - i\xi_\mu \right) \psi = 0$$



k × k

$$\psi : 2N \times \underline{k}$$

On a 4-torus :  $x_\mu$

Family index thm.

On the dual 4-torus :  $\xi_\mu$

# Fourier-Mukai-Nahm transformation

## Beautiful reciprocity between instanton moduli on 4-tori and instanton moduli on the dual tori

4dim. ASD Yang-Mills eq.  
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$$\begin{aligned} F_{z_1\bar{z}_1} + F_{z_2\bar{z}_2} &= 0 \\ F_{z_1z_2} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

N × N PDE

Dirac eq.  
 $\xrightarrow{G}$   
 $\xleftarrow{F}$   
 Dirac eq.

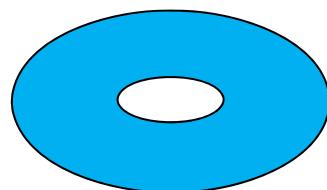
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k × k PDE

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( $G=U(N)$ ,  $C_2=N$ )

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On a 4-torus

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(reciprocity)



Sol.=the dual instantons  
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On the dual 4-torus

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# Fourier-Mukai-Nahm trf. (radii of the torus $\rightarrow \infty$ )

reciprocity between instanton moduli on  $\mathbb{R}^4$

and instanton moduli on ``1pt.'' [cf. van Baal, hep-th/9512223]

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$N \times N$  PDE

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0dim. ASD Yang-Mills eq.

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**Matrix eq. !**  
 ~~$k \times k$  PDE~~

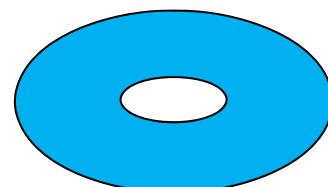
Sol.=instantons  
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Sol.=``dual instantons''  
( $G=U(k)$ , `` $C_2=N'$  '')

$$A_\mu = V^+ \partial_\mu V$$

map F (0dim Dirac eq.)

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On a 4-torus  $\rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$

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Linear alg.



On the dual 4-torus  $\rightarrow 1$  pt.

**Matrix eq. !**

# Atiyah-Drinfeld-Hitchin-Manin (ADHM) Construction based on the following reciprocity

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$\xleftarrow{1:1}$   
 Proved in the  
same way as  
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Sol.=ADHM data  
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# Other limits and related works

- $3\text{radii} \rightarrow \infty \& 1\text{radius} \rightarrow 0$ : [Nahm, Hitchin, Nakajima,...]  
**monopole on 3-dim  $\longleftrightarrow$  Nahm data on 1-dim**
- $2\text{radii} \rightarrow \infty \& 2\text{radii} \rightarrow 0$ :  
**Hitchin system on 2dim  $\longleftrightarrow$  Hitchin system 2dim**
- $3\text{radii} \rightarrow \infty \& \text{finite } 1\text{radius}$ : [Hurtubise-Murray,...]  
**caloron on  $R^2 \times S^1$   $\longleftrightarrow$  Nahm data on  $S^1$**
- $2\text{radii} \rightarrow \infty \& \text{finite } 2\text{radii}$ : [Jardim, Mochizuki, ...]  
**instanton on  $R^2 \times T^2$   $\longleftrightarrow$  Hitchin system on  $T^2$**
- $1\text{radii} \rightarrow \infty \& \text{finite } 3\text{radii}$ : [Charbonneau, Yoshino,...]  
**instanton on  $R \times T^3$   $\longleftrightarrow$  monopole on  $T^3$**

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RHS is in fact  $[z_1, \bar{z}_1] + [z_2, \bar{z}_2]$

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(Polyakov)

“The first time abstract modern mathematics had been of any use!”

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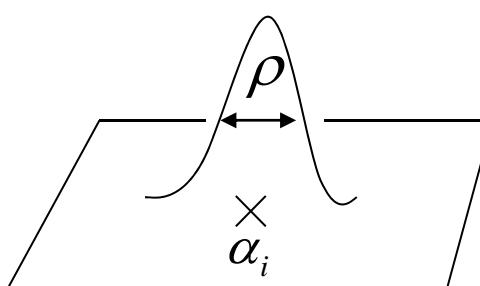
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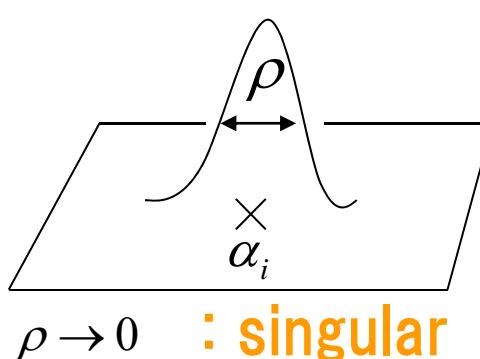
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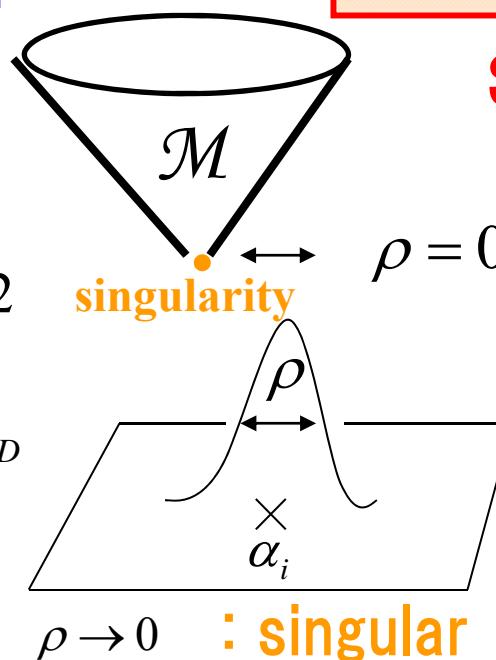
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## Ex.) NC BPST instanton (N=2, k=1)

NC ASD Yang-Mills eq.

$$\begin{aligned} F_{z_1\bar{z}_1} + F_{z_2\bar{z}_2} &= 0 \\ F_{z_1z_2} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

N × N PDE

NC BPST instanton  
(G=U(2), C<sub>2</sub>=1)

$A_\mu, F_{\mu\nu}$  : exact sol.

NC ADHM eq.

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_R &= [B_1, B_1^+] + [B_2, B_2^+] + II^+ - J^+J = \zeta \\ \mu_C &= [B_1, B_2] + IJ = 0 \end{aligned}$$

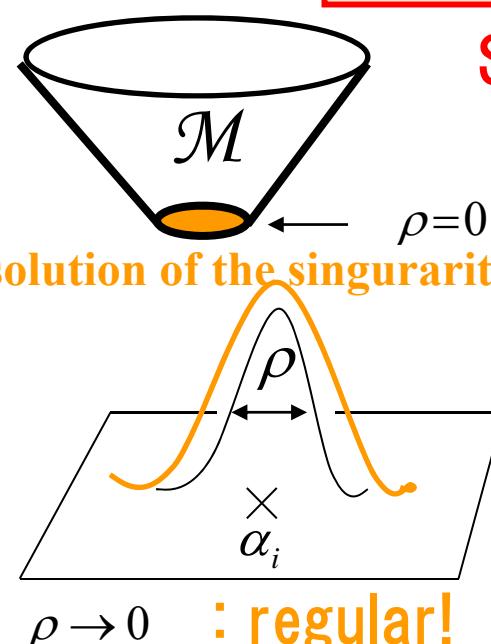
k × k matrix eq.

Sol.: ADHM data  
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$$B_{1,2} = \alpha_{1,2},$$

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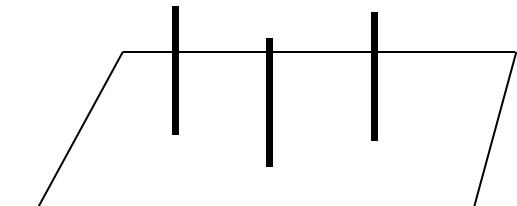
size Fat by  $\zeta$ !



# The instanton moduli space

- **in commutative spaces**

$$\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{k,N} = \mathcal{M}_{k,N} \cup (\mathcal{M}_{k-1,N} \times R^4) \cup (\mathcal{M}_{k-2,N} \times Sym^2 R^4) \cup \dots$$

$$\cup (\mathcal{M}_{1,N} \times Sym^{k-1} R^4) \cup \underbrace{Sym^k R^4}_{\text{Symmetric Product}} \quad \xleftrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} \quad \begin{matrix} k \text{ size-zero instantons} \\ \text{ } \\ \text{ } \end{matrix}$$


- **In noncommutative spaces**

$$\overline{\mathcal{M}}_{k,N} = \mathcal{M}_{k,N} \cup (\mathcal{M}_{k-1,N} \times R^4) \cup (\mathcal{M}_{k-2,N} \times \widetilde{Sym^2 R^4}) \cup \dots$$

$$\cup (\mathcal{M}_{1,N} \times \widetilde{Sym^{k-1} R^4}) \cup \underbrace{\widetilde{Sym^k R^4}}_{\text{Hilbert Scheme}} \quad \xleftrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} \quad \begin{matrix} k U(1) \text{ instantons} \\ \text{ } \\ \text{ } \end{matrix}$$

- **dim**  $\mathcal{M}_{k,N} = 2 \cdot 2k^2 + 2 \cdot 2Nk - 3k^2 - k^2 = 4Nk$  算数

# § 3 Nahm Construction of Monopoles (G=U(2))

## Duality between Bogomol'nyi eq. and Nahm eq. (cf. ADHM Construction of instanton)

Bogomol'nyi eq.(3d ASD)

非線形偏微分方程式(難)

$$B_i = D_i \Phi, \quad x \in R^3$$

$$\Phi \approx \left( a - \frac{k}{2r} \right) \sigma_3 + O(r^{-2})$$

1:1

Nahm eq.(=1次元ASDYM)

常微分方程式(易)

$$\frac{dT_i}{d\xi} = i\varepsilon_{ijk} T_j T_k, \quad \xi \in [-a, a]$$

$$T_i \approx \frac{\tau_i}{\xi \mp a} + (\text{reg.}), \quad [\tau_i, \tau_j] = i\varepsilon_{ijk} \tau_k$$

解:Monopole

G=SU(2)  $(\Phi, A_i) : 2 \times 2$

Gauge trf.:

$$A_i \mapsto g^{-1} A_i g + g^{-1} \partial_i g,$$

$$\Phi \mapsto g^{-1} \Phi g, \quad g \in U(2)$$

解:Nahm data

G=U(k)  $T_i : k \times k$

Gauge trf.:

$$T_i \mapsto \tilde{g}^{-1} T_i \tilde{g}, \quad \tilde{g} \in U(k)$$

# Nahm construction of (NC) monopoles

Nahm, in ``Monopoles in QFT'' (1982)

Nahm eq. ( $G = \text{``U}(k)\text{''}$ ):  $k \times k$  ODE

$$\frac{dT_i}{d\xi} = i\varepsilon_{ijk}[T_j, T_k]$$

Nahm data  $T_i : k \times k$

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monopoles  $\Phi, A_i : N \times N$

Bogomol'nyi eq. ( $G = U(N)$ ,  $k$ ):  $N \times N$  PDE

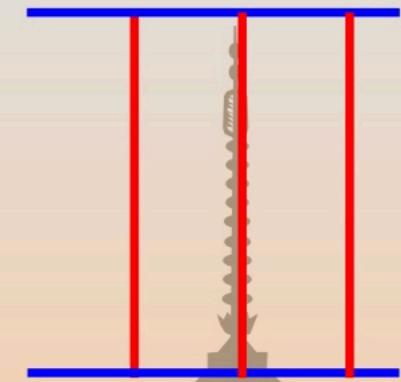
$$B_i = \partial_i \Phi$$

D-brane's interpretation

Diaconescu

BPS

$k$  D1-branes



$N$  D3-branes

BPS

A T-dualized configuration

# Nahm construction of Dirac monopoles

Nahm eq. ( $G=``U(1)"$ ):  $1 \times 1$  ODE

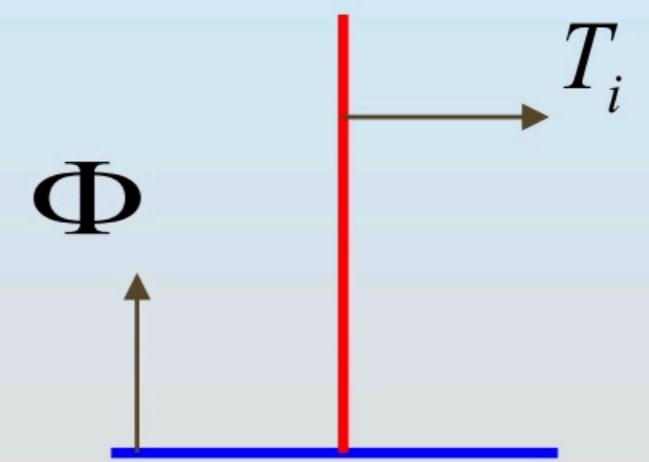
$$\frac{dT_i}{d\xi} = i\varepsilon_{ijk}[T_j, T_k]$$

Nahm data       $T_i = 0$   
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monopoles

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a D1-brane



a D3-brane



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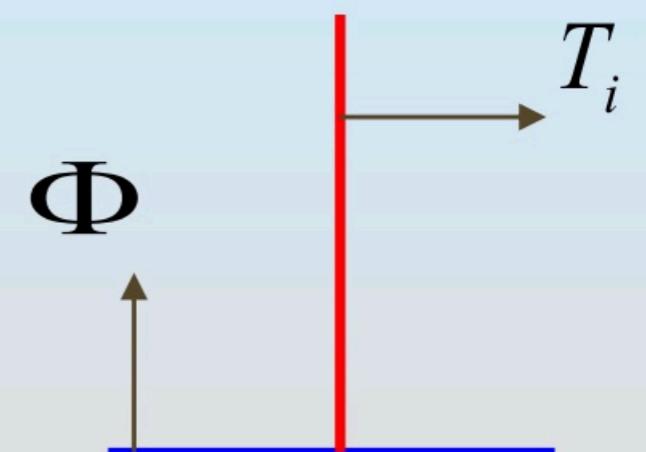
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monopoles     $\Phi = \frac{1}{2r}, A_r = A_\theta = 0, A_\varphi = \frac{i}{2r} \frac{1 + \cos \vartheta}{\sin \vartheta}$

Bogomol'nyi eq. ( $G=U(1)$ ,  $k=1$ ):  $1 \times 1$  PDE

$$B_i = \partial_i \Phi$$

a D1-brane



a D3-brane



$\Phi$  : represents position  
of D3-brane

# Nahm construction of NC Dirac monopoles

Gross&Nekrasov, JHEP[hep-th/0005204]

Nahm eq. ( $G=``U(1)"$ ):  $1 \times 1$  ODE

$$\frac{dT_i}{d\xi} = i\varepsilon_{ijk}[T_j, T_k] - \theta\delta_{i3}$$

Nahm data

$$T_{1,2} = 0, T_3 = -\theta\xi$$

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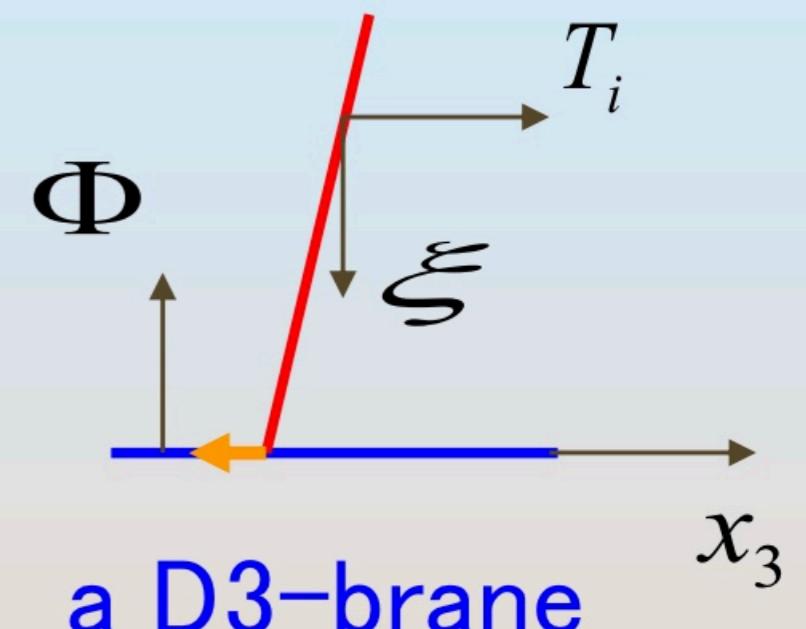
monopoles  $\Phi = \frac{1}{2r} + \frac{x_3}{\theta} \exp\left(-\frac{x_1^2 + x_2^2}{\theta}\right)$ ,  $A_i =$  (smooth config.)

Bogomol'nyi eq. ( $G=U(1)$ ,  $k=1$ ):  $1 \times 1$  PDE

$$B_i = \partial_i \Phi$$

$\Phi$  :represents position  
of D3-brane  
 $T_i$  :represents positions  
of D1-brane

a D1-brane



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monopoles

Slope of D1-brane

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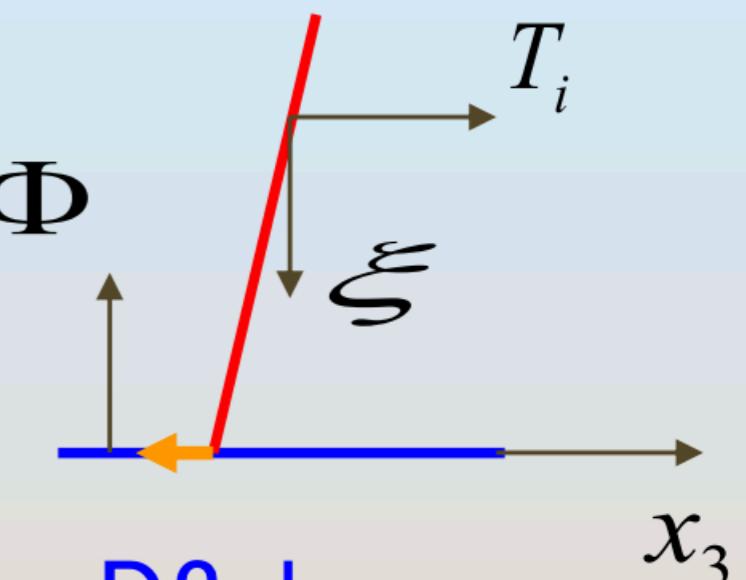
$\Phi$  : represents position of D3-brane

$T_i$  : represents positions of D1-brane

a D1-brane

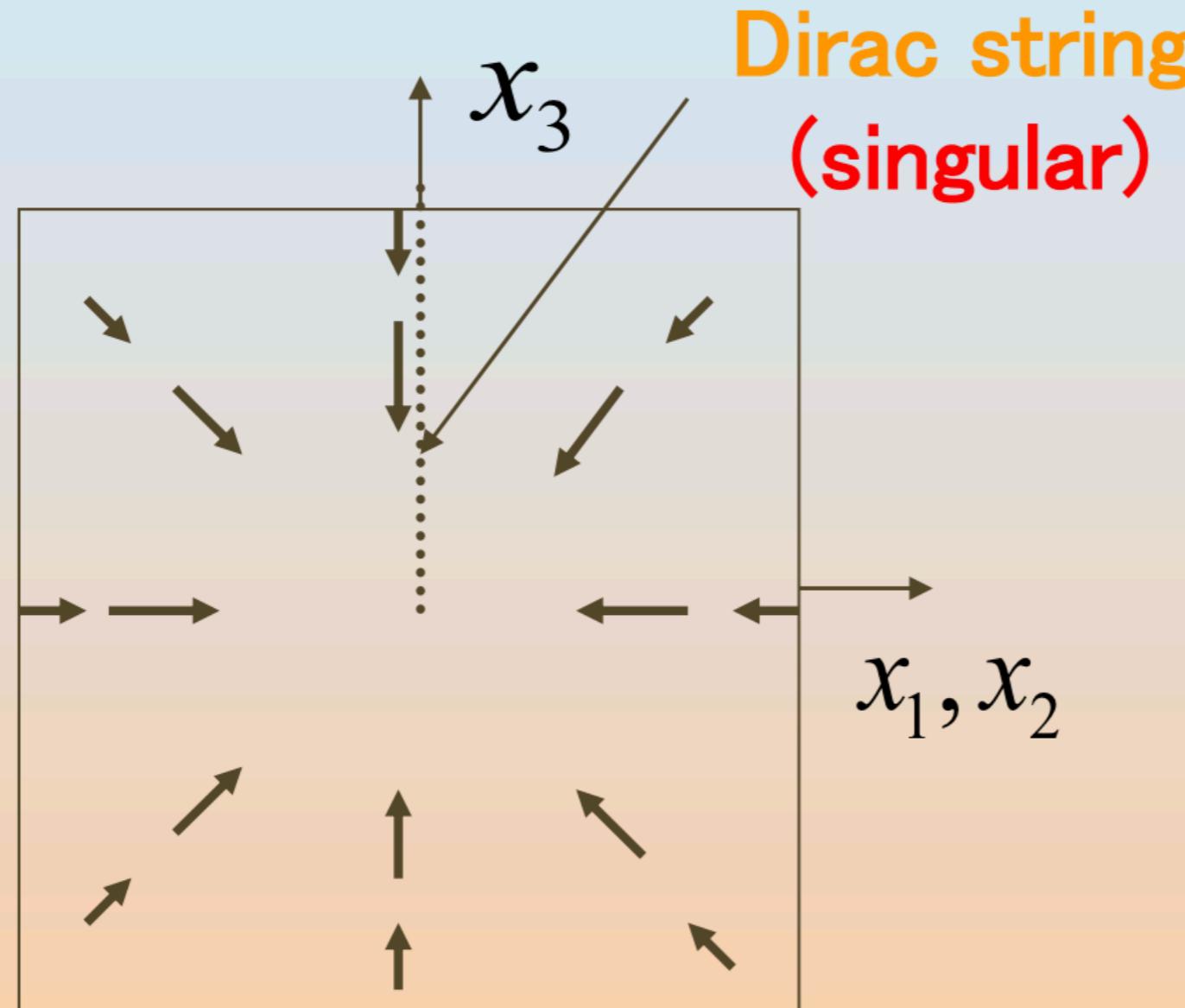
a D3-brane

Magnetic field  
pulls the end point  
of D1-brane

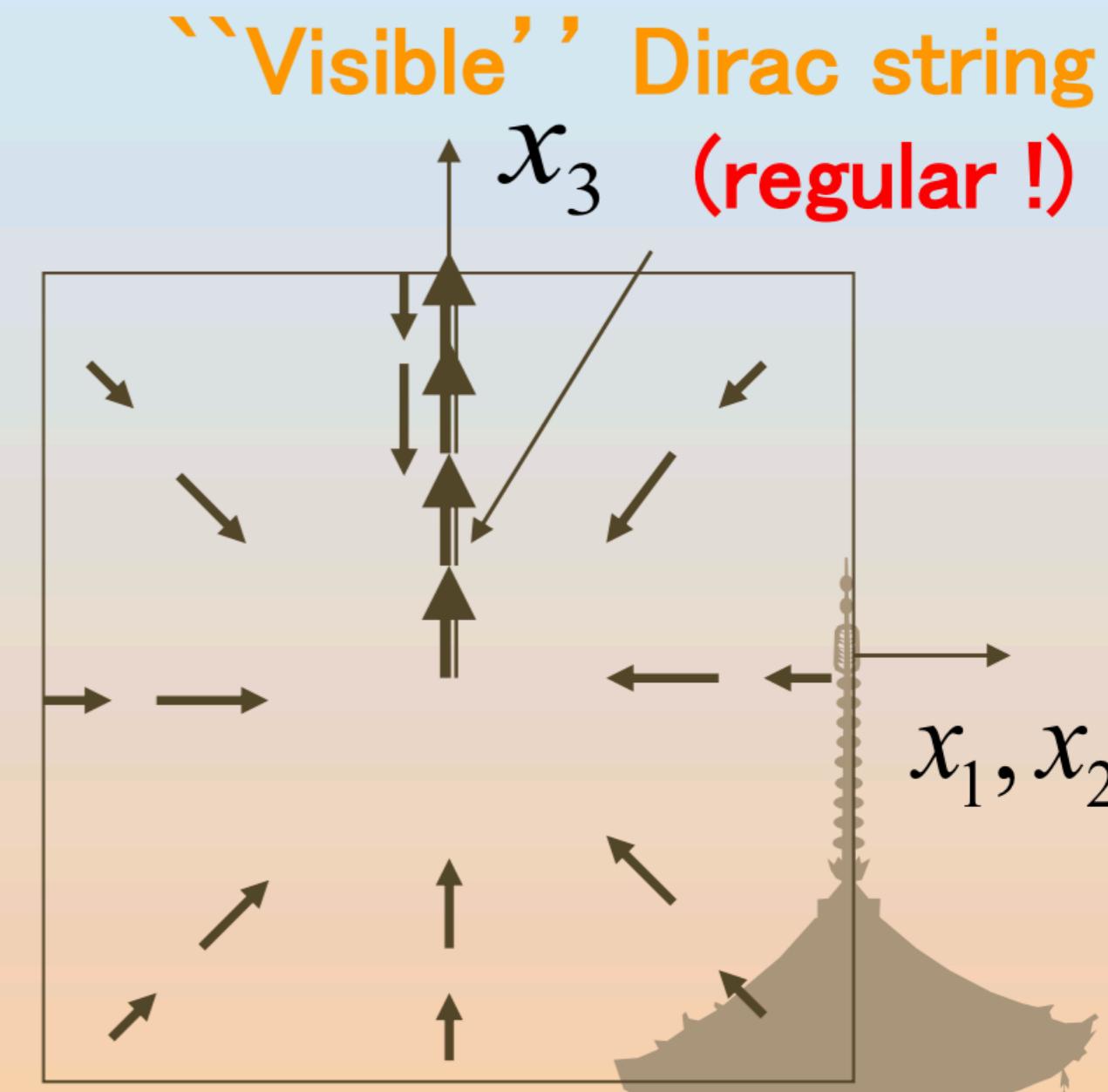


## ✿ Magnetic flux of Dirac monopoles

$$B_3 = \partial_3 \Phi = \frac{-x_3}{2r^3} + \frac{2}{\theta} \exp\left(-\frac{x_1^2 + x_2^2}{\theta}\right)$$



On commutative space



On NC space (roughly)

Solutions show interesting behaviors,  
though the moduli space is the same as commutative one.

## 4. Conclusion and Discussion

- We constructed instantons, global solutions of Anti-Self-Dual (ASD) Yang-Mills eqs.
- Extension to NC spaces corresponds to presence of background magnetic fields.
  - Resolution of singularity
  - new physical objects (U(1) instantons,...)
- Local solutions (KP-type soliton solutions) of ASDYM eqs. are also interesting (relates to integrable systems). Recent works:[MH, Shan-Chi Huang, Hiroaki Kanno and Shangshuai Li,-Changzheng Qu, Xiangxuan Yi, Da-Jun Zhang, ...]

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