

Introduction to Generalised Hydrodynamics in integrable field theories

Disordered Systems Advanced Lectures Series 3nd lecture

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[Rigol et al. (2007)]

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GHD in a nutshell



Outline of the lectures

- I. Elements of Hydrodynamics
- II. Integrable field theories
- **III. Soliton gas and Generalised Hydrodynamics**
 - 1) Mise en bouche: Zakharov's rarefied gas (1971).
 - 2) Thermodynamics of the KdV gas: quasi-particle (heurisitic) approach.
 - 3) Soliton gas from finite gap theory: non-linear dispersion relations (sketch of derivation).
 - 4) (Generalised) Hydrodynamics of the KdV gas.
- IV. Specific examples and potential extensions

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• Relation between asymptotic states given by scattering shift



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Constraint / Entropy

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change of metric due to interactions

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• Thermodynamic limit: large deviations theory

[Varadhan (1966), Touchette (2009)]

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[El (2003)]

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where $g(\zeta; \eta)$ are functional degrees of freedom.

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