

# Fermionic DIS from a deformed string/ gauge correspondence model

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## Summary of the talk:

- **Brief Review: AdS/CFT correspondence and AdS/QCD;**
- **Motivations**
- **The deformed string/ gauge model;**
- **Holographic description of the DIS within the deformed string/ gauge model.**
- **Numerical results.**

# Quantum Chromodynamics - QCD

✓ used as the standard theory to explain the phenomenology of strong interactions.

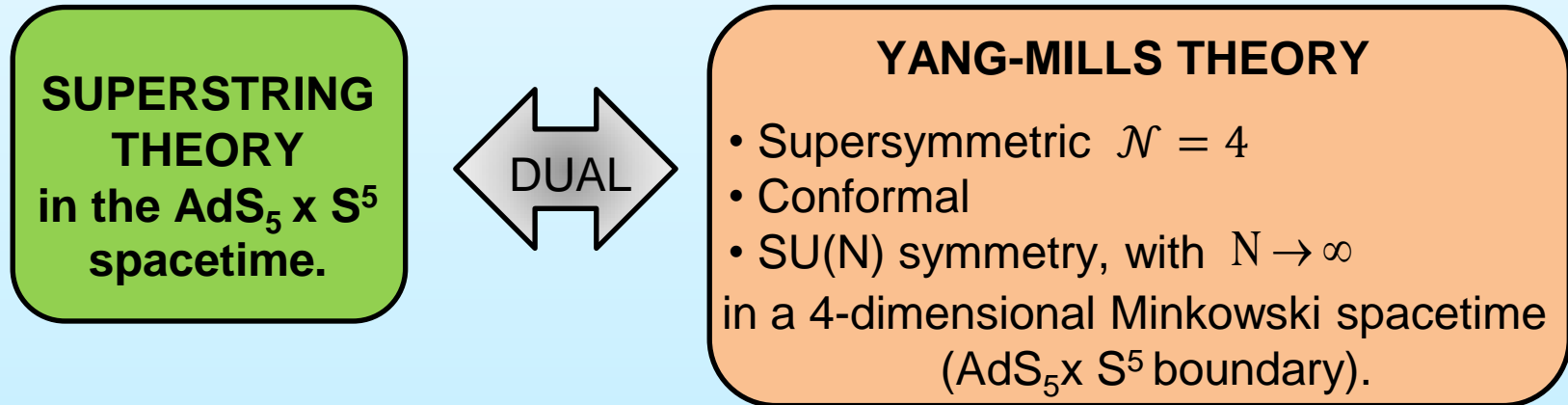
❑ at the low-energy limit ( $g_{\text{YM}} > 1$ ) the QCD cannot be treated perturbatively.



## AdS/CFT correspondence

# AdS/CFT correspondence, J. Maldacena, 1997

(simplified version of a particular useful case)



At low energies string theory is represented by an effective supergravity theory  $\rightarrow$  **gauge / gravity duality**

Other versions of the Correspondence:  $AdS_4 \times S^7$  or  $AdS_7 \times S^4$  (M-theory in 11 dimensions)

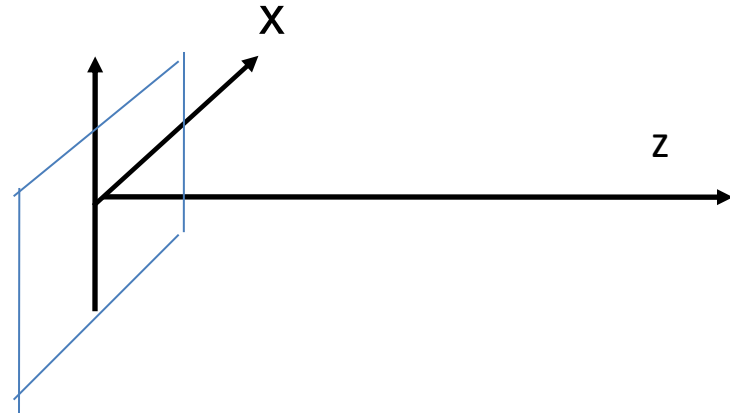
- After breaking the conformal symmetry one can build phenomenological models that describe approximately QCD. So, AdS/QCD models.
- Strong coupling theory  $\Leftrightarrow$  Weak coupling theory.

# Holography in String theory

AdS Space in Poincaré coordinates

$$ds^2 = \frac{R^2}{(z)^2} (dz^2 + (d\vec{x})^2 - dt^2)$$

The 4-dim boundary is at  $z = 0$



Fifth dimension  $z \sim 1/E$  where  $E =$  Energy in 4-dim boundary

# AdS/CFT Dictionary

Isometries in the bulk  $\leftrightarrow$  Simmetries in the boundary field theory

Field ( $\phi, g_{\mu\nu} \dots$ )	$\leftrightarrow$	Operator ( $Tr F^2, T_{\mu\nu} \dots$ )
Radial distance, $u$	$\leftrightarrow$	Energy
Minimal area	$\leftrightarrow$	Wilson loop
$\vdots$		$\vdots$
Minimal volume	$\leftrightarrow$	Entanglement entropy

Bulk field mass  $\leftrightarrow$  boundary operator scaling dimension

$$\phi : \Delta(\Delta - d) = m^2$$

$$\psi : |m| = \Delta - \frac{d}{2}$$

$$A_\mu : m^2 = (\Delta - 1)(\Delta + 1 - d)$$

# A Bottom-up Approach: The Softwall Model

Soft cut off (Karch, Katz, Son, Stephanov PRD 2006)

$$S = \int d^{10}x \sqrt{-g} e^{-\phi(z)} \mathcal{L}, \quad \phi(z) = kz^2, \quad \text{With } k \sim \Lambda_{QCD}^2$$

spectrum of vector mesons  $m_{V_n}^2 = 4c(n + 1),$

# Motivations

- The original softwall works for mesons, however:

 it doesn't seem to work well for the glueball spectroscopy.;

 it does not produce a mass gap for the fermionic sector.

 modifications in the original softwall model.



# Deformed AdS/QCD or deformed string/ gauge model

**original SW:**  $S = \int d^5x \sqrt{-g} e^{-\Phi(z)} \mathcal{L}, \quad \Phi(z) = \pm kz^2, \text{ with } k \sim \Lambda_{QCD}^2$

**Deformed  
AdS space**



$$ds^2 = g_{mn} dx^m dx^n = \frac{R^2}{z^2} e^{\Phi} (dz^2 + \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu) = e^{2A(z)} (dz^2 + \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu),$$

$$A(z) = -\log(z) + \frac{kz^2}{2}.$$

$$S = \int d^5x \sqrt{-g} \mathcal{L},$$

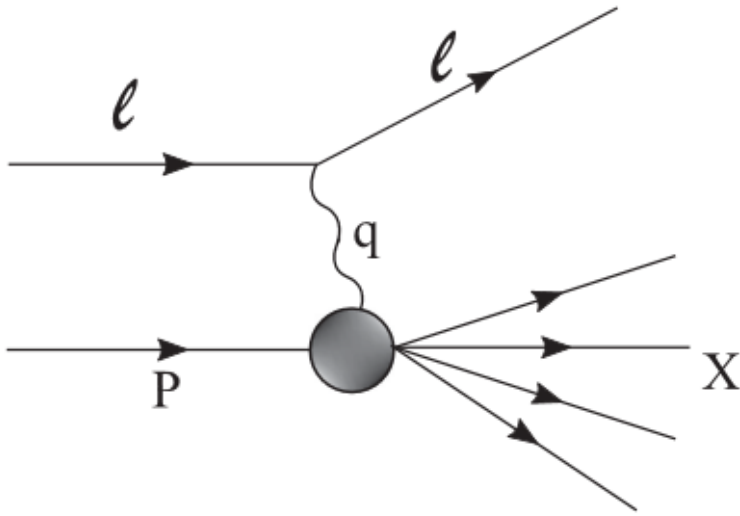
O. Andreev (PRD 2006);

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**an application (for  
instance) of the  
deformed string/gauge  
model.**

To study unpolarized spin 1/2 baryonic deep inelastic scattering (DIS) in the regime of large Bjorken parameter  $x$  and calculate the corresponding structure functions  $F_{1,2}(x, q^2)$ .

# Deep Inelastic scattering (DIS)



$$x = -\frac{q^2}{2P \cdot q} \quad \text{Bjorken parameter} \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

$M^2 = -P^2$  : Mass/momentun (inital hadron)

$$s = -P_X^2 = -(P + q)^2$$

$$d\sigma \propto \frac{\alpha^2}{q^4} L_{electron}^{\mu\nu} W_{\mu\nu}$$

$$W^{\mu\nu} = \frac{i}{4\pi} \sum_s \int d^4y e^{iq \cdot y} \langle P, s | T \{ J^\mu(y) J^\nu(0) \} | P, s \rangle$$

$$W^{\mu\nu} = W_1 \left( \eta^{\mu\nu} - \frac{q^\mu q^\nu}{q^2} \right) + \frac{2x}{q^2} W_2 \left( P^\mu + \frac{q^\mu}{2x} \right) \left( P^\nu + \frac{q^\nu}{2x} \right)$$

$$W_2(x, q^2) \approx 2x W_1(x, q^2)$$



**Callan-Gross relation**

# Holographic description of the DIS within the deformed AdS.

Polchinski e Strassler, JHEP (2003).

EFC, MAMC, DL, AV, HBF, PRD(2020).

$$\eta_\mu \langle P + q, s_X | J^\mu(0) | P, s \rangle = S_{\text{int}} = g_V \int dz d^4 y \sqrt{-g} \phi^\mu \bar{\Psi}_X \Gamma_\mu \Psi_i$$

**Step#1: Computing the electromagnetic field**

$$S = - \int d^5 x \sqrt{-g} \frac{1}{4} F^{mn} F_{mn} \implies \partial_m [\sqrt{-g} F^{mn}] = 0.$$

$$\partial_\mu \phi^\mu + e^{-A} \partial_z (e^A \phi_z) = 0 \implies \text{gauge fixing}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \square \phi_\mu + A' \partial_z \phi_\mu + \partial_z^2 \phi_\mu &= 0 \\ \square \phi_z - \partial_z (\partial_\mu \phi^\mu) &= 0, \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} \eta_\mu q^\mu &= 0. \\ \phi_\mu(z, y) \Big|_{z=0} &= \check{\eta}_\mu e^{iq \cdot y}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_\mu(z, q) &= -\frac{\eta_\mu e^{iq \cdot y}}{2} k z^2 \Gamma \left[ 1 - \frac{q^2}{2k} \right] \mathcal{U} \left( 1 - \frac{q^2}{2k}; 2; -\frac{k z^2}{2} \right) \\ &\equiv -\frac{\eta_\mu e^{iq \cdot y}}{2} B(z, q) \end{aligned}$$

**Step#2: Computing the baryonic states**

$$S = \int_{AdS} d^5x \sqrt{g} \bar{\Psi} (\not{D} - m_5) \Psi. \quad \not{D} \equiv g^{mn} e_n^a \gamma_a \left( \partial_m + \frac{1}{2} \omega_m^{bc} \Sigma_{bc} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow (\not{D} - m_5) \Psi = 0,$$

After some algebra....



$$-\psi_{R/L}''(z) + \left[ m_5^2 e^{2A(z)} \pm m_5 e^{A(z)} A'(z) \right] \psi_{R/L}(z) = M_n^2 \psi_{R/L}^n(z),$$

$$|m_5| = \Delta_{\text{can}} + \gamma - 2.$$

$$\Psi_i = e^{iP \cdot y} z^2 e^{-kz^2} \left[ \left( \frac{1+\gamma_5}{2} \right) \psi_L^i(z) + \left( \frac{1-\gamma_5}{2} \right) \psi_R^i(z) \right] u_{s_i}(P)$$

$$\Psi_X = e^{iP_X \cdot y} z^2 e^{-kz^2} \left[ \left( \frac{1+\gamma_5}{2} \right) \psi_L^X(z) + \left( \frac{1-\gamma_5}{2} \right) \psi_R^X(z) \right] u_{s_X}(P_X).$$

**This model requires numerical solution!**

### Step#3: Computing $S_{\text{int}}$

$$\eta_\mu \langle P + q, s_X | J^\mu(0) | P, s \rangle = S_{\text{int}} = g_V \int dz d^4 y \sqrt{-g} \phi^\mu \bar{\Psi}_X \Gamma_\mu \Psi_i$$

$$\eta_\mu \eta_\nu W^{\mu\nu} = \frac{g_{\text{eff}}^2}{4} \sum_{M_X^2} \delta(M_X^2 - (P + q)^2) \left\{ (\mathcal{I}_L^2 + \mathcal{I}_R^2) \left[ (P \cdot \eta)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \eta \cdot \eta (P^2 + P \cdot q) \right] + \mathcal{I}_L \mathcal{I}_R M_X^2 M_0^2 \eta \cdot \eta \right\}$$

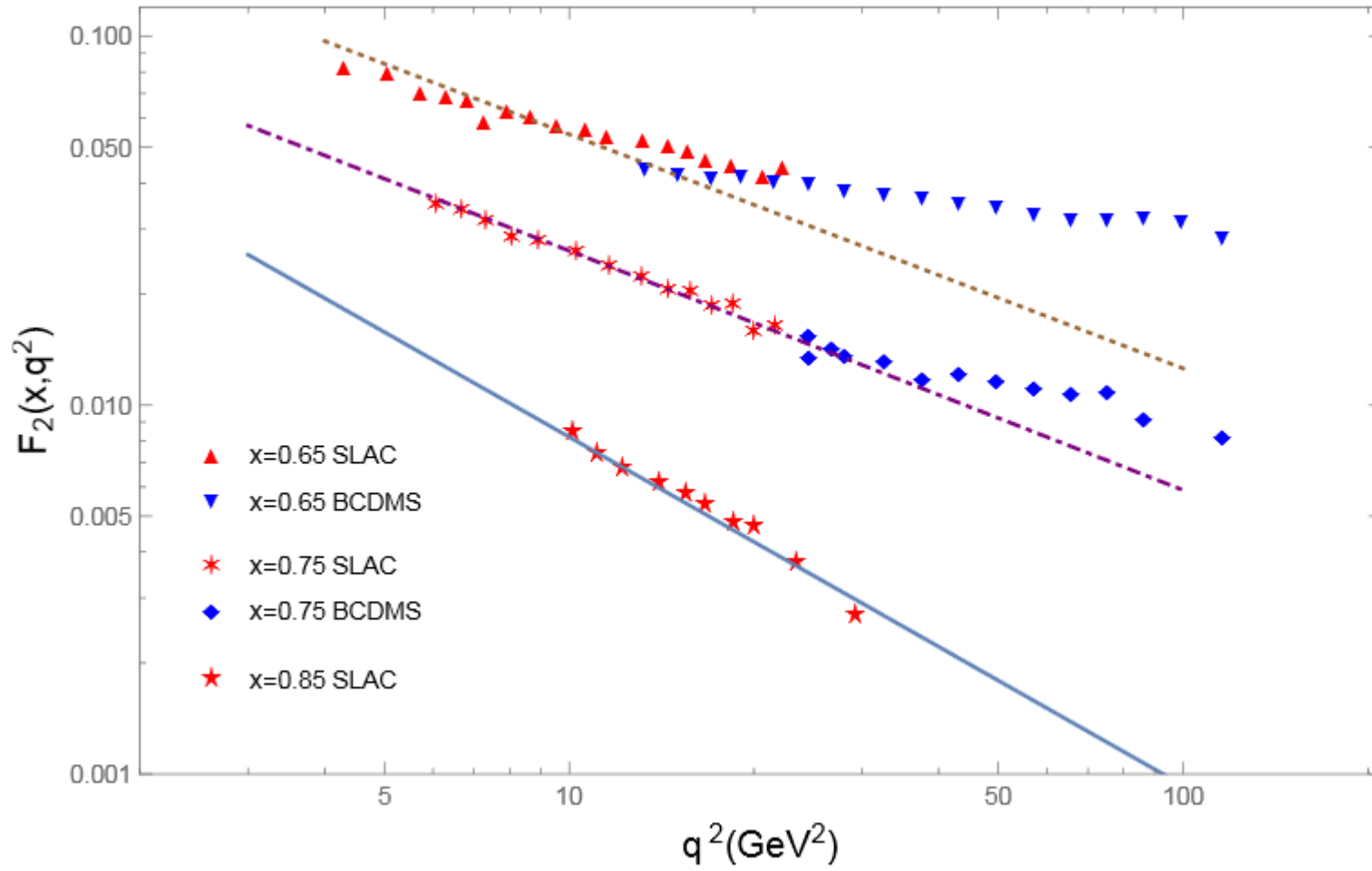
$$\mathcal{I}_{R/L} = \int dz B(z, q) \psi_{R/L}^X(z, P_X) \psi_{R/L}^i(z, P).$$

$$\eta_\mu \eta_\nu W^{\mu\nu} = \eta^2 F_1(q^2, x) + \frac{2x}{q^2} (\eta \cdot P)^2 F_2(q^2, x).$$

$$F_1(q^2, x) = \frac{g_{\text{eff}}^2}{4} \left[ M_0 \sqrt{M_0^2 + q^2 \left( \frac{1-x}{x} \right)} \mathcal{I}_L \mathcal{I}_R + (\mathcal{I}_L^2 + \mathcal{I}_R^2) \left( \frac{q^2}{4x} + \frac{M_0^2}{2} \right) \right] \frac{1}{M_X^2}$$

$$F_2(q^2, x) = \frac{g_{\text{eff}}^2}{8} \frac{q^2}{x} (\mathcal{I}_L^2 + \mathcal{I}_R^2) \frac{1}{M_X^2}$$

# Numerical Results (1)





Thank you for your attention!  
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