

# Some results on Gaussian beta ensembles at high temperature

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## 1. Gaussian beta ensembles

**Gaussian beta ensembles (G $\beta$ E).** Ensembles of real points with joint density

$$(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n) \propto \prod_{i < j} |\lambda_i - \lambda_j| e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\lambda_i^2 + \lambda_j^2)}$$

They are generalizations of GOE, GUE and GSE, and can also be viewed as the equilibrium meas. of a one dim. Coulomb log-gas at the inverse temperature  $\beta$ .

**Jacobi matrix models (Dumitriu and Edelman 2002).**

$$T_n = \begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & & & \\ & \textcircled{2} & & \\ & & \dots & \\ & & & \textcircled{n} \end{pmatrix}; \quad \begin{matrix} N(0;1) \\ \sim \\ N(0;1) \\ \dots \\ N(0;1) \end{matrix}$$

where  $\textcircled{k} \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ : Gaussian distribution with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ ;  
 $\textcircled{k} \sim \text{Gamma}(k, 1)$ : Gamma distribution with parameter  $k$ .

The eigenvalues  $(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n)$  of  $T_n$  are distributed as G $\beta$ E.

Let  $q_j = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda_j}} v_j$ , where  $v_1, \dots, v_n$  are the corresponding normalized eigenvectors. Then  $(q_1^2, \dots, q_n^2)$  have Dirichlet distribution with parameter  $(\frac{1}{2}, \dots, \frac{1}{2})$ , and are independent of  $(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n)$ .

We are interested in the following quantities.

- 1 Empirical distribution/measure:  $L_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \delta_{\lambda_j}$
- 2 Spectral measure (to be defined on the right):  $\mu_n = \sum_{j=1}^n q_j^2 \delta_{\lambda_j}$
- 3 Bulk statistics:  $\mu_n(E) = \sum_{j=1}^n \mathbb{1}_{\lambda_j \in E}$  for fixed  $E$ .

## 2. Spectral measures of Jacobi matrices

**Jacobi matrices (finite and infinite):**

$$J = \begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & & & & \\ & \textcircled{2} & & & \\ & & \dots & & \\ & & & \dots & \\ & & & & \textcircled{n} \end{pmatrix}; \quad J = \begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & & & & \\ & \textcircled{2} & & & \\ & & \dots & & \\ & & & \dots & \\ & & & & \textcircled{\infty} \end{pmatrix}$$

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