

Reconstructing spectral densities from integral transforms II

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Outline

- ▶ Spectral densities via Mehler-Fock and Kontorovich-Lebedev transforms
- ▶ Incomplete Mehler-Fock transform
- ▶ Incomplete smeared spectral densities
- ▶ Bounds on the systematic errors
- ▶ Examples of reconstructions

Motivation

- ▶ Spectral densities $\rho(\omega)$ in QCD (smeared with kernels $\kappa(\omega)$)
 $\implies$ Relevant phenomenological observables
 1. R-ratio
 2. Inclusive semi-leptonic decays, cross-sections
 3. Properties of the QGP
 4. ...
- ▶ In Lattice QCD we compute $C(t)$, but thanks to the Källen-Lehmann decomposition:

$$C(t) = \int_0^{+\infty} \rho(\omega) e^{-\omega t} d\omega$$

$\implies$ Inverse Laplace Transform

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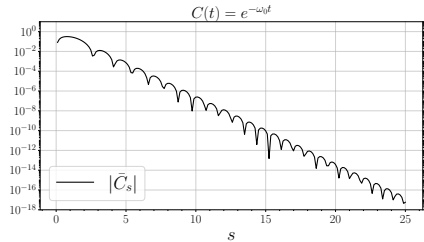
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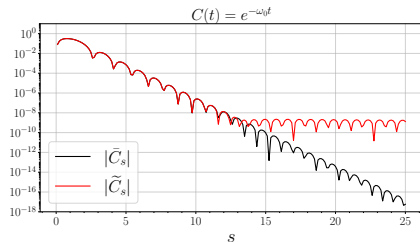


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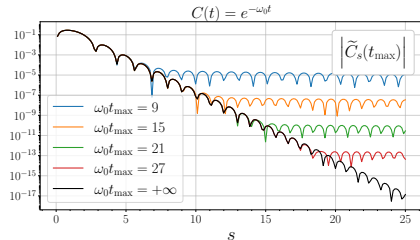


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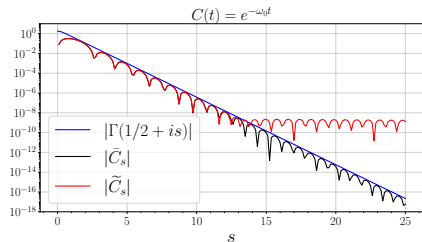
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- ▶ $\tilde{C}_s(t_{\max})/|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|$ well behaved up to $s_{\max}$

The solution: incomplete smeared spectral densities

Definition

This suggests us to introduce:

- ▶ the *incomplete spectral density*:

$$\rho_{\kappa}(s_{\max}) = \int_0^{s_{\max}} \frac{\bar{C}_s}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds$$

- ▶ the *approximated, incomplete spectral density*:

$$\tilde{\rho}_{\kappa}(s_{\max}) = \int_0^{s_{\max}} \frac{\tilde{C}_s(t_{\max})}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds$$

For $C(t)$ with $t \in [t_0, t_{\max}]$, we can compute only $\tilde{\rho}_{\kappa}(s_{\max})$
 $\implies$ We need to bind the **systematic errors**

Spectral density from the incomplete ones

Strategy

Decomposition of the difference between ρ_κ and $\tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})$:

$$\rho_\kappa - \tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max}) = [\rho_\kappa(s_{\max}) - \tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})] + [\rho_\kappa - \rho_\kappa(s_{\max})]$$

Two systematic errors:

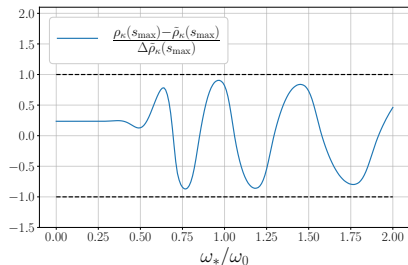
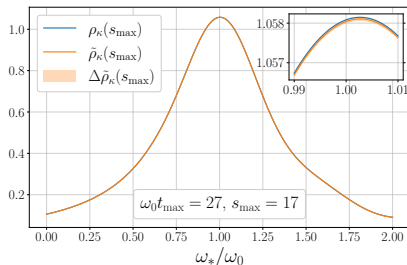
1. Difference between incomplete spectral density and approximated one $|\rho_\kappa(s_{\max}) - \tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})| \leq \Delta\tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})$
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$$|\rho_\kappa - \tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})| \leq \Delta\tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max}) + \Delta\rho_\kappa(s_{\max})$$

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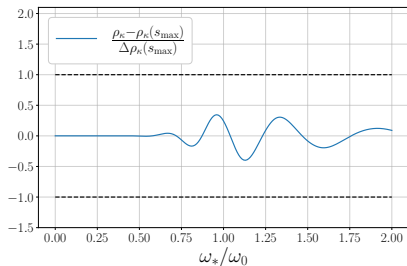
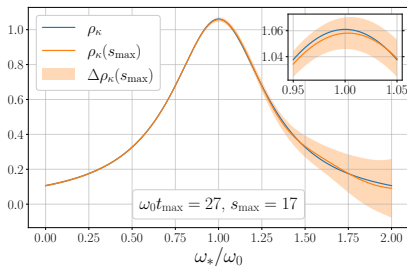


$$\kappa(\omega) = \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{\sigma}{(\omega - \omega_*)^2 + \sigma^2}$$

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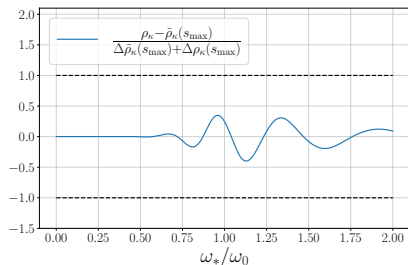
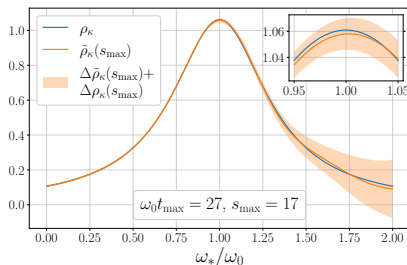
$$\Delta\rho_\kappa(s_{\max}) = r \int_{s_{\max}}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{2s \sinh(\pi s)}}{\pi} \max_{\omega \in \mathbb{R}^+} |K_{is}(\omega t_0)| |\hat{\kappa}_s| ds$$



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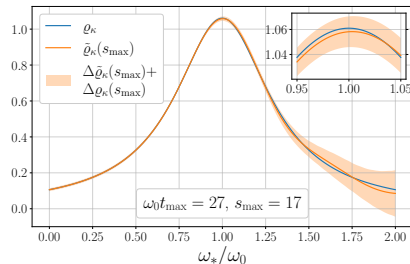
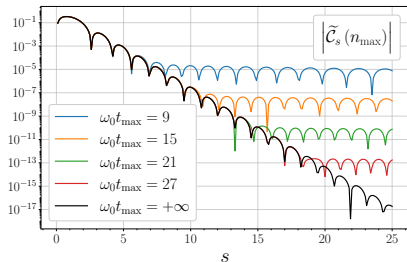
Full reconstruction

$$|\rho_\kappa - \tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})| \leq \Delta\tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max}) + \Delta\rho_\kappa(s_{\max})$$



- ▶ We have access only to $\tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})$, but we can put bounds on the unknowns $\Rightarrow$ *rigorous estimate* of ρ_κ
- ▶ $\tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})$, $\Delta\rho_\kappa(s_{\max})$ and $\Delta\tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})$ can be obtained from the knowledge of $C(t)$ for $t \leq t_{\max}$

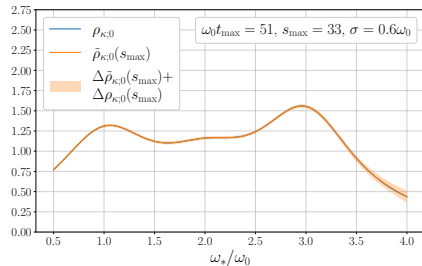
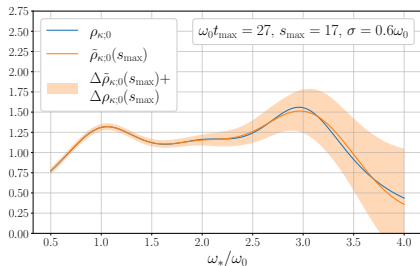
Discrete sampling



- ▶ The *incomplete discrete transform* has the same behaviour of the continuous one $\implies$ We can apply the same strategy
- ▶ We have access only to $\tilde{\varrho}_\kappa(s_{\max})$, but we can put bounds on the unknowns $\implies$ *rigorous estimate* of ϱ_κ

Dependence on $t_{\max}$

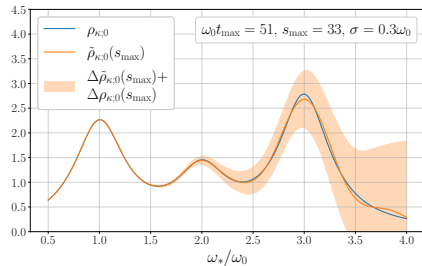
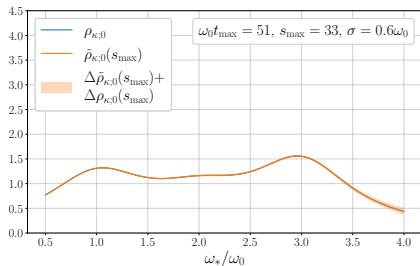
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Higher $t_{\max} \implies$ Higher $s_{\max} \implies$ Better reconstructions

Dependence on the width of the kernel: constant σ

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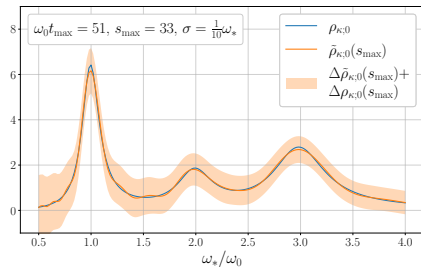
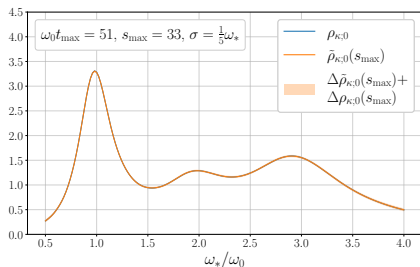


If we lower the width σ

- ▶ Emergence of peak structure
- ▶ Higher systematic errors $\implies$ We need higher $t_{\max}$

Dependence on the width of the kernel: variable σ

$$C(t) = c_0 e^{-\omega_0 t} + c_1 e^{-\omega_1 t} + c_2 e^{-\omega_2 t}$$



Width $\sigma \propto \omega_*$ $\implies$ Uniform systematic error

Real data: the vector-vector correlator

- ▶ Light, connected component of the vector-vector correlator

$$C(an) = -\frac{a^3}{3} \sum_{\mathbf{n}, k} \langle V_k^{ud}(an, a\mathbf{n}) V_k^{du}(0, \mathbf{0}) \rangle$$

- ▶ Data obtained via multi-level Monte Carlo simulations
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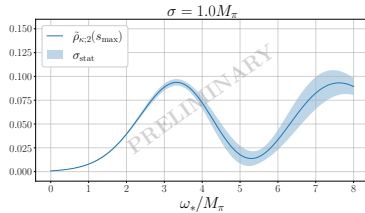
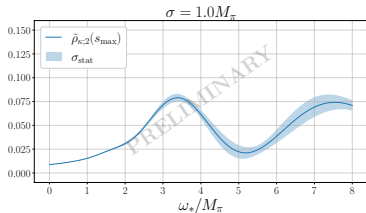
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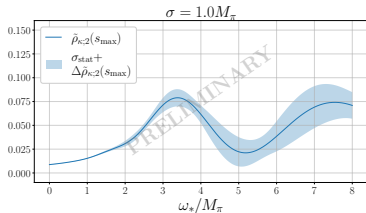
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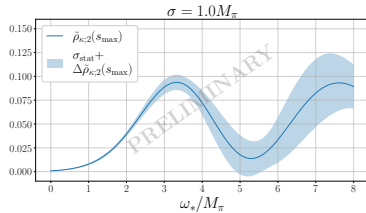
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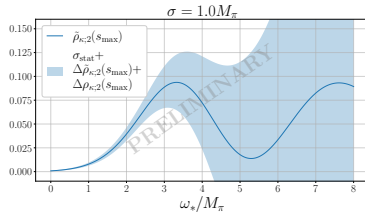
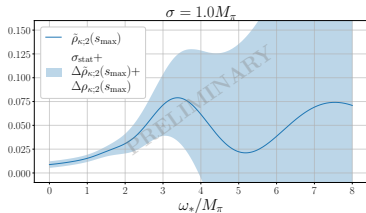
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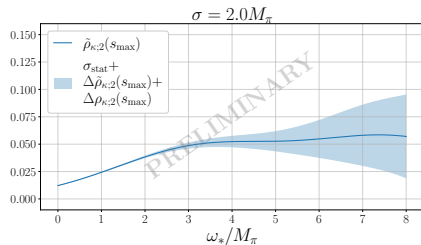
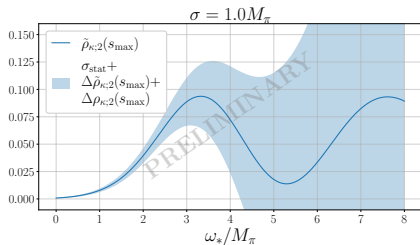
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Thank you!

Backup slides

Continuum solution

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$$\bar{u}_s(t, t_0) = \sqrt{\frac{s \tanh(\pi s)}{t_0}} {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2} + is, \frac{1}{2} - is, 1; \frac{t_0 - t}{2t_0}\right)$$

$$\hat{u}_s(\omega, t_0) = \frac{\sqrt{2s \sinh(\pi s)}}{\pi} \frac{K_{is}(\omega t_0)}{\sqrt{\omega}}, \quad t \geq t_0 > 0, \quad s \in \mathbb{R}$$

related by:

$$\left| \Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2} + is\right) \right| \hat{u}_s(\omega, t_0) = \int_{t_0}^{+\infty} e^{-\omega t} \bar{u}_s(t, t_0) dt$$

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$$\begin{aligned}\bar{v}_s(n, t_0, a) &= \sqrt{\frac{s \tanh(\pi s)}{t_0}} \frac{|\Gamma(2t_0/a - 1/2 + is)|}{\sqrt{a/(2t_0)} \Gamma(2t_0/a)} \times \\ &\quad \times {}_3F_2\left(-n, \frac{1}{2} + is, \frac{1}{2} - is; 1, \frac{2t_0}{a}; 1\right) \\ \hat{v}_s(\omega, t_0, a) &= \frac{\sqrt{2s \sinh(\pi s)}}{\pi} \frac{|\Gamma(2t_0/a - 1/2 + is)|}{\sqrt{a/(2t_0)} \Gamma(2t_0/a)} \times \\ &\quad \times \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2t_0}} e^{-\omega t_0} \frac{a}{1 - e^{-a\omega}} {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2} + is, \frac{1}{2} - is; \frac{2t_0}{a}; -\frac{e^{-a\omega}}{1 - e^{-a\omega}}\right)\end{aligned}$$

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Bound on $[\rho_\kappa(s_{\max}) - \tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

1. We look at $\left| \bar{C}_s - \tilde{C}_s(t_{\max}) \right|$:

$$\left| \bar{C}_s - \tilde{C}_s(t_{\max}) \right| = \int_{t_{\max}}^{+\infty} C(t) \bar{u}_s(t, t_0)$$

We have, for $t \geq t_{\max}$:

$$|C(t)| \leq |C(t_{\max})| e^{-\omega_0(t-t_{\max})}$$

So we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \bar{C}_s - \tilde{C}_s(t_{\max}) \right| &\leq |C(t_{\max})| b_s(t_{\max}) \\ b_s(t_{\max}) &= \int_{t_{\max}}^{+\infty} e^{-\omega_0(t-t_{\max})} |\bar{u}_s(t, t_0)| \end{aligned}$$

Bound on $[\rho_\kappa(s_{\max}) - \tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

2. We use the definitions of the incomplete spectral densities:

$$\begin{aligned}\rho_\kappa(s_{\max}) &= \int_0^{s_{\max}} \frac{\bar{C}_s}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds, \\ \tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max}) &= \int_0^{s_{\max}} \frac{\tilde{C}_s(t_{\max})}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds\end{aligned}$$

To obtain:

$$\begin{aligned}|\rho_\kappa(s_{\max}) - \tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})| &\leq \int_0^{s_{\max}} \left| \bar{C}_s - \tilde{C}_s(t_{\max}) \right| \frac{|\hat{\kappa}_s|}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} ds \\ &\leq |C(t_{\max})| \int_0^{s_{\max}} b_s(t_{\max}) \frac{|\hat{\kappa}_s|}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} ds = \Delta \tilde{\rho}_\kappa(s_{\max})\end{aligned}$$

Bound on $[\rho_\kappa - \rho_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

1. We consider the following ratio:

$$\left| \frac{\bar{C}_s}{\Gamma(1/2 + is)} \right| \leq \int_0^{+\infty} |\rho(\omega)| |\hat{u}_s(\omega, t_0)| d\omega$$

Using the definition:

$$\hat{u}_s(\omega, t_0) = \frac{\sqrt{2s \sinh(\pi s)}}{\pi} \frac{K_{is}(\omega t_0)}{\sqrt{\omega}}$$

we get:

$$\left| \frac{\bar{C}_s}{\Gamma(1/2 + is)} \right| \leq \frac{\sqrt{2s \sinh(\pi s)}}{\pi} \max_{\omega \in \mathbb{R}^+} |K_{is}(\omega t_0)| \int_0^{+\infty} \left| \frac{\rho(\omega)}{\sqrt{\omega}} \right| d\omega$$

Bound on $[\rho_\kappa - \rho_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

2. Using the fact that:

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\omega}} = \frac{1}{\Gamma(1/2)} \int_0^{+\infty} e^{-\omega t} t^{-1/2} dt$$

and assuming $\rho(\omega) \geq 0$, we write:

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \int_0^{+\infty} d\omega \frac{\rho(\omega)}{\sqrt{\omega}} = \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(1/2)} \int_0^{+\infty} dt t^{-1/2} \int_0^{+\infty} d\omega \rho(\omega) e^{-\omega t} = \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(1/2)} \int_0^{+\infty} C(t) t^{-1/2} dt \end{aligned}$$

Bound on $[\rho_\kappa - \rho_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

3. For $t > t_{\max}$, we use:

$$|C(t)| \leq |C(t_{\max})| e^{-\omega_0(t-t_{\max})}$$

so we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} r &\leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(1/2)} \int_0^{t_{\max}} C(t) t^{-1/2} dt + \\ &+ \frac{e^{\omega_0 t_{\max}}}{\sqrt{\omega_0}} \frac{\Gamma(1/2, \omega_0 t_{\max})}{\Gamma(1/2)} |C(t_{\max})| \end{aligned}$$

Bound on $[\rho_\kappa - \rho_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

4. To conclude, using the definitions:

$$\rho_\kappa = \int_0^{+\infty} \frac{\bar{C}_s}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds$$

$$\rho_\kappa(s_{\max}) = \int_0^{s_{\max}} \frac{\bar{C}_s}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds$$

we have:

$$\begin{aligned} |\rho_\kappa - \rho_\kappa(s_{\max})| &\leq \int_{s_{\max}}^{+\infty} \left| \frac{\bar{C}_s}{\Gamma(1/2 + is)} \right| |\hat{\kappa}_s| ds \leq \\ &\leq r \int_{s_{\max}}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{2s \sinh(\pi s)}}{\pi} \max_{\omega \in \mathbb{R}^+} |K_{is}(\omega t_0)| |\hat{\kappa}_s| ds = \Delta \rho_\kappa(s_{\max}) \end{aligned}$$

Discrete incomplete smeared spectral densities

Definition

- ▶ the *incomplete, discrete Mehler-Fock transform*:

$$\tilde{\mathcal{C}}(n_{\max})_s = a \sum_{n=0}^{n_{\max}} \mathcal{C}(t_0 + an) \bar{v}_s(n, t_0, a), \quad n_{\max} = (t_{\max} - t_0)/a$$

- ▶ the *incomplete spectral density*:

$$\varrho_{\kappa}(s_{\max}) = \int_0^{s_{\max}} \frac{\bar{\mathcal{C}}_s}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds$$

- ▶ the *approximated, incomplete spectral density*:

$$\tilde{\varrho}_{\kappa}(s_{\max}) = \int_0^{s_{\max}} \frac{\tilde{\mathcal{C}}_s(t_{\max})}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds$$

Bound on $[\varrho_\kappa(s_{\max}) - \tilde{\varrho}_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

1. We look at $\left| \bar{\mathcal{C}}_s - \tilde{\mathcal{C}}_s(n_{\max}) \right|$:

$$\left| \bar{\mathcal{C}}_s - \tilde{\mathcal{C}}_s(n_{\max}) \right| = a \sum_{n_{\max}+1}^{+\infty} \mathcal{C}(t_0 + an) \bar{v}_s(n, t_0, a)$$

We have, for $n \geq n_{\max}$:

$$|\mathcal{C}(t_0 + an)| \leq |\mathcal{C}(t_0 + an_{\max})| e^{-a\omega_0(n-n_{\max})}$$

So we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \bar{\mathcal{C}}_s - \tilde{\mathcal{C}}_s(n_{\max}) \right| &\leq |\mathcal{C}(t_0 + an_{\max})| \mathfrak{b}_s(n_{\max}) \\ \mathfrak{b}_s(t_{\max}) &= a \sum_{n_{\max}+1}^{+\infty} e^{-a\omega_0(n-n_{\max})} |\bar{v}_s(n, t_0, a)| \end{aligned}$$

Bound on $[\varrho_\kappa(s_{\max}) - \tilde{\varrho}_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

2. We use the definitions of the incomplete spectral densities:

$$\begin{aligned}\varrho_\kappa(s_{\max}) &= \int_0^{s_{\max}} \frac{\bar{\mathcal{C}}_s}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds \\ \tilde{\varrho}_\kappa(s_{\max}) &= \int_0^{s_{\max}} \frac{\tilde{\mathcal{C}}_s(n_{\max})}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds\end{aligned}$$

To obtain:

$$\begin{aligned}|\varrho_\kappa(s_{\max}) - \tilde{\varrho}_\kappa(s_{\max})| &\leq \int_0^{s_{\max}} \left| \bar{\mathcal{C}}_s - \tilde{\mathcal{C}}_s(n_{\max}) \right| \frac{|\hat{\kappa}_s|}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} ds \\ &\leq |\mathcal{C}(t_0 + an_{\max})| \int_0^{s_{\max}} \mathfrak{b}_s(n_{\max}) \frac{|\hat{\kappa}_s|}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} ds = \Delta \tilde{\varrho}_\kappa(s_{\max})\end{aligned}$$

Bound on $[\varrho_\kappa - \varrho_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

1. We consider the following ratio:

$$\left| \frac{\bar{\mathcal{C}}_s}{\Gamma(1/2 + is)} \right| \leq \int_0^{+\infty} |\varrho(\omega)| |\hat{v}_s(\omega, t_0, a)| d\omega$$

Using the definition of $\hat{v}_s(n, a, t_0)$, we get:

$$\left| \frac{\bar{\mathcal{C}}_s}{\Gamma(1/2 + is)} \right| \leq \frac{\sqrt{2s \sinh(\pi s)}}{\pi} \max_{\omega \in \mathbb{R}^+} |\mathcal{K}_{is}(\omega, t_0)| \int_0^{+\infty} \frac{a |\varrho(\omega)|}{\sqrt{1 - e^{-a\omega}}} d\omega$$

where:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{K}_{is}(\omega, t_0) = & \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{a}} \left| \Gamma\left(2t_0/a - 1/2 + is\right) \right| \sqrt{\frac{e^{-a\omega}}{1 - e^{-a\omega}}} \times \\ & \times P_{-\frac{1}{2} + is}^{1 - 2t_0/a} \left(\coth\left(\frac{a\omega}{2}\right) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Bound on $[\varrho_\kappa - \varrho_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

2. Using the fact that:

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - e^{-a\omega}}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \binom{-\frac{1}{2}}{n} e^{-a\omega n}$$

and assuming $\varrho(\omega) \geq 0$, we write:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{r} &= \int_0^{+\infty} \frac{a|\varrho(\omega)|}{\sqrt{1 - e^{-a\omega}}} d\omega = \\ &= a \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \binom{-\frac{1}{2}}{n} \int_0^{+\infty} \varrho(\omega) e^{-a\omega n} d\omega = \\ &= a \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \binom{-\frac{1}{2}}{n} \mathcal{C}(an) \end{aligned}$$

Bound on $[\varrho_\kappa - \varrho_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

3. For $t > t_{\max}$, we use

$$|\mathcal{C}(an)| \leq |\mathcal{C}(an_{\max})| e^{-a\omega_0(n-n_{\max})}, \quad n_{\max} = t_{\max}/a$$

so we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{r} \leq & a \sum_{n=0}^{n_{\max}} (-1)^n \binom{-\frac{1}{2}}{n} \mathcal{C}(an) + \\ & + |\mathcal{C}(an_{\max})| a \sum_{n=n_{\max}+1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \binom{-\frac{1}{2}}{n} e^{-a\omega_0(n-n_{\max})} \end{aligned}$$

Bound on $[\varrho_\kappa - \varrho_\kappa(s_{\max})]$: derivation

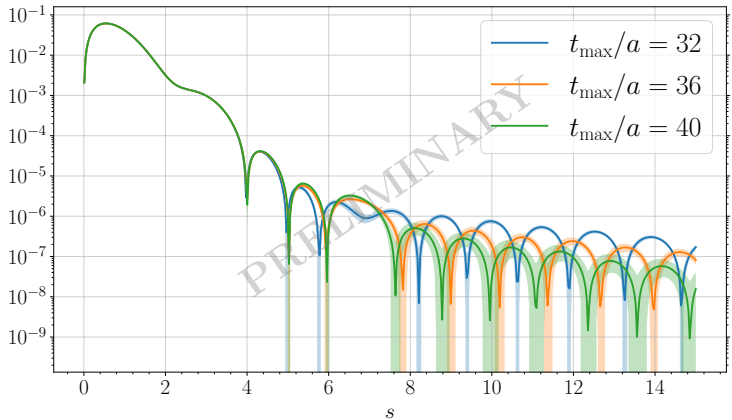
4. To conclude, using the definitions:

$$\begin{aligned}\varrho_\kappa &= \int_0^{+\infty} \frac{\bar{\mathcal{C}}_s}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds \\ \varrho_\kappa(s_{\max}) &= \int_0^{s_{\max}} \frac{\bar{\mathcal{C}}_s}{|\Gamma(1/2 + is)|} \hat{\kappa}_s ds\end{aligned}$$

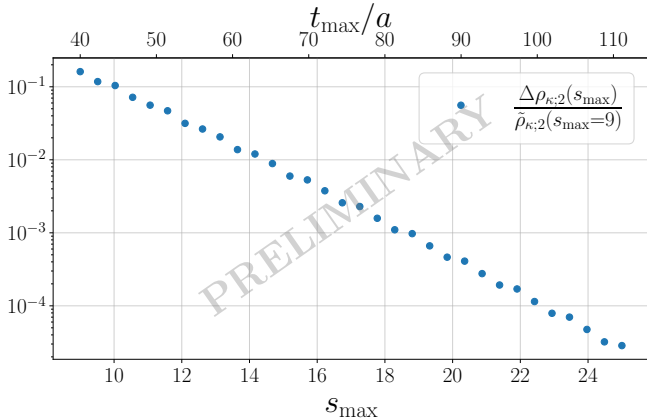
we have:

$$\begin{aligned}|\varrho_\kappa - \varrho_\kappa(s_{\max})| &\leq \int_{s_{\max}}^{+\infty} \left| \frac{\bar{\mathcal{C}}_s}{\Gamma(1/2 + is)} \right| |\hat{\kappa}_s| ds \leq \\ &\leq \mathfrak{r} \int_{s_{\max}}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{2s \sinh(\pi s)}}{\pi} \max_{\omega \in \mathbb{R}^+} |\mathcal{K}_{is}(\omega, t_0)| |\hat{\kappa}_s| ds = \Delta \varrho_\kappa(s_{\max})\end{aligned}$$

Discrete Mehler-Fock transform of the vector-vector correlator



Dependence of $\Delta\rho_{\kappa;m}(s_{\max})$ with $s_{\max} \propto t_{\max}$



Gaussian kernel, $\omega_* = 3M_\pi$, $\sigma = M_\pi$