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# Finite-size effects of *β*-deformed AdS<sub>5</sub>/CFT<sub>4</sub> at strong coupling

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# article info abstract

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We compute both classical and quantum finite-size corrections at leading order in the strong coupling limit for the (dyonic) giant magnon in the Lunin–Maldacena background. Based on the exact *S*-matrix conjectured for the deformed theory, we generalize the Lüscher formula to include twisted boundary conditions and show that the results match with those derived both by finite-size classical solutions of the giant magnon and by algebraic curve analysis.

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#### **1. Introduction**

Integrability discovered in the AdS/CFT duality between type IIB string theory on  $AdS_5 \times S^5$  and  $\mathcal{N}=4$  super-Yang–Mills (SYM) theory [\[1\]](#page-3-0) led to many exciting developments and to understanding non-perturbative structures of both string and gauge theories [\[2\].](#page-3-0) This duality has been generalized to a one-parameter marginal deformation of SYM, the so-called *β*-deformed SYM theory, which still preserves  $\mathcal{N} = 1$  supersymmetry [\[3,4\],](#page-3-0) and even to a threeparameter deformed theory which has no supersymmetry [\[5,6\].](#page-3-0) The deformed SYM theory is obtained by replacing the original  $\mathcal{N} = 4$  superpotential for the chiral superfields by:

$$
W = i h \operatorname{tr} \left( e^{i \pi \beta} \phi \psi Z - e^{-i \pi \beta} \phi Z \psi \right). \tag{1.1}
$$

The deformation breaks the supersymmetry down to  $\mathcal{N}=1$  but still maintains the conformal invariance in the planar limit to all perturbative orders [\[3,4,7\],](#page-3-0) since the deformation becomes exactly marginal for real *β* if

$$
h\bar{h} = g_{\rm YM}^2,\tag{1.2}
$$

where *g*<sub>YM</sub> is the Yang–Mills coupling constant. When *β* is real, this deformed SYM theory is dual to a type-IIB string theory on the Lunin–Maldacena background [\[8\],](#page-3-0) which is obtained by a socalled TsT transformation.

In the weak coupling limit  $\lambda = g_{\text{YM}}^2 N_c \ll 1$ , various perturbative analysis of the deformed SYM has been studied [\[6\]](#page-3-0) and, in particular, anomalous dimensions for the one and two magnon states in the  $su(2)$  sector have been computed up to four loops  $[9]$ . There have been several indications that the anomalous dimensions of the *β*-deformed SYM are exactly solvable. Perturbative dilatation operators are mapped to some integrable spin chains [\[10\]](#page-4-0) and all-loop Bethe ansatz equations have been proposed [\[11\].](#page-4-0) A first non-trivial check about the perturbative four-loop anomalous dimension of the Konishi operator in the deformed gauge theory has been done recently in [\[17\]](#page-4-0) by computing it from the Lüscher formula [\[12–14,16\]](#page-4-0) based on some twisted *S*-matrix elements.

Finite-size corrections for this and other operators of the deformed theory have been then obtained by using few different methods. One way is to introduce "operatorial" twisted boundary conditions (BCs) [\[18\],](#page-4-0) another is to consider the untwisted Y-system with twisted asymptotic conditions [\[19\].](#page-4-0) Instead, our approach in this Letter will be to combine both a Drinfeld– Reshetikhin twisted *S*-matrix with ordinary twisted BCs [\[20\].](#page-4-0) In the developments of AdS/CFT duality, the *S*-matrix has been playing an essential role [\[21,22\].](#page-4-0) This approach has been recently applied to compute next-to-leading order Lüscher (double wrapping) corrections to the vacuum of the three parameters non-supersymmetric deformed AdS<sub>5</sub>/CFT<sub>4</sub> [\[24,25\]](#page-4-0) (see also [\[26\]](#page-4-0) for a recent generalization to orbifolds and deformations of the AdS<sub>5</sub> sector).

In the strong coupling regime, the string theory on this deformed background maintains the classical integrability [\[5,27\],](#page-3-0) and has identical excitations such as giant magnons [\[28\],](#page-4-0) whose finitesize effects have been obtained by transforming the  $AdS_5 \times S^5$ background under a TsT transformation [\[27\]:](#page-4-0)

$$
E - J = 2g \sin \frac{p}{2} - \frac{8}{e^2} g \sin^3 \frac{p}{2} \cos \Phi \, e^{-\frac{f}{g \sin p/2}} + \cdots,
$$
 (1.3)

where  $g = \frac{\sqrt{\lambda}}{2\pi}$  and the effect of the deformation  $\beta$  appears only through the phase *Φ*:

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$$
\Phi = \frac{2\pi (n_2 - \beta J)}{2^{3/2} \cos^3 \frac{p}{4}}.\tag{1.4}
$$

Here  $n_2$  corresponds to the untwisted boundary conditions of the isometric angles  $\phi_2$  and is the integer closest to  $\beta$  *J*, such that  $2\pi(n_2 - \beta I)$  is restricted between  $-\pi$  and  $\pi$ . We recall that in the string classical limit one has  $J \sim g \gg 1$  and the deformation parameter scales like *β* ∼ 1*/g*. For the dyonic case, the second angular momentum *Q* scales like *Q* ∼ *g*.

Recently, a reanalysis of this calculation has led to a different result for the phase *Φ* [\[29,30\].](#page-4-0) <sup>1</sup> For the case of the dyonic giant magnon, the finite-size effect turns out to be

$$
E - J = \epsilon_{Q}(p) - \frac{16g^{2} \sin^{4}(p/2)}{\epsilon_{Q}(p)} \cos \Phi
$$
  
 
$$
\times \exp\left[-\frac{2 \sin^{2} \frac{p}{2} \epsilon_{Q}(p)[J + \epsilon_{Q}(p)]}{Q^{2} + 4g^{2} \sin^{4} \frac{p}{2}}\right],
$$
 (1.5)

$$
\Phi = 2\pi (n_2 - \beta J) + \frac{Q[J + \epsilon_Q(p)]\sin p}{Q^2 + 4g^2 \sin^4 \frac{p}{2}},
$$
\n(1.6)

where  $\epsilon_0$  (*p*) is the dyonic dispersion relation

$$
\epsilon_{Q}(p) = \sqrt{Q^2 + 4g^2 \sin^2 \frac{p}{2}},
$$
\n(1.7)

and  $n_2$  now is allowed to be any integer number. In the non-dyonic limit  $(Q/\sqrt{\lambda} \rightarrow 0)$ , the phase  $\Phi$  becomes

$$
\Phi = 2\pi (n_2 - \beta J) \tag{1.8}
$$

which differs from (1.4). One of the main purposes of this Letter is to confirm Eqs.  $(1.6)$  and  $(1.8)$  by calculating Lüscher  $\mu$ -term formula based on the twisted *S*-matrix and the twisted BCs. This computes a shift in the energy due to the finite size of spatial length from the *S*-matrix for all values of the 't Hooft coupling constant. This method has been successfully applied to the undeformed AdS/CFT duality in [\[13,14,31,32,16,33\].](#page-4-0) Differently from the undeformed case, we will modify the formula to include the twisted BCs. We will also study a leading one-loop correction in the strong coupling regime using the Lüscher *F* -term formula and compare with the algebraic curve analysis.

### **2. Finite-size effects from the Lüscher formulas**

It has been noticed that the three-parameter deformed Yang– Mills theory can be described by a Drinfeld–Reshetikhin twisted *S*-matrix with ordinary twisted BCs [\[20\].](#page-4-0) The twisted *S*-matrix is given by

$$
S(p_1, p_2) = FS(p_1, p_2)F,
$$
  
\n
$$
S(p_1, p_2) = S(p_1, p_2) \otimes S(p_1, p_2),
$$
\n(2.1)

where  $S(p_1, p_2)$  is the  $su(2|2)$  *S*-matrix [\[22\]](#page-4-0) and the twist matrix *F* is given by

$$
F = e^{i\gamma_1(h\otimes \mathbb{I}\otimes h - \mathbb{I}\otimes h\otimes h\otimes \mathbb{I})},\tag{2.2}
$$

with a diagonal matrix *h* given by

$$
h = \text{diag}\left(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, 0, 0\right). \tag{2.3}
$$

The twisted BCs are imposed by a matrix *M* which appears in the definition of the (inhomogeneous) transfer matrix

$$
t(\lambda) = \mathrm{STr}_{a\dot{a}}\, M_{a\dot{a}}\tilde{\mathcal{S}}_{(a\dot{a})(a_1\dot{a}_1)}(\lambda, p_1)\cdots \tilde{\mathcal{S}}_{(a\dot{a})(a_N\dot{a}_N)}(\lambda, p_N),\tag{2.4}
$$

where the matrix  $M_{a\dot{a}}$  is given by

$$
M = e^{i(\gamma_3 - \gamma_2)Jh} \otimes e^{i(\gamma_3 + \gamma_2)Jh}, \qquad (2.5)
$$

and *J* is the angular momentum charge which is related to the length of spin chain by  $J = L - N$ . We will restrict our analysis to the *β*-deformed case given by  $\gamma_1 = \gamma_2 = \gamma_3 \equiv 2\pi \beta$ .

# *2.1. Lüscher F -term and μ-term formulas*

We propose that the Lüscher *F* -term formula for a generic physical bound state with twisted BCs, is given by<sup>2</sup>

$$
\delta E_{(a\dot{a})_Q}^F = -\int \frac{dq}{2\pi} \left( 1 - \frac{\epsilon'_Q(p)}{\epsilon'_1(q_\star)} \right) e^{-iq_\star J} \times \sum_{b,b,b',b'} (-1)^{F_b + F_b} [M_{b'b'}^{bb}(\tilde{S}_{(bb)(a\dot{a})_Q}^{(b'b')(a\dot{a})_Q}(q_\star(q), p) - 1)].
$$
\n(2.6)

In the derivation of the *F*-term formula [\[12,14,15\],](#page-4-0) there is a step where the integration contour is shifted from complex to real axis. When the *S*-matrix has a pole corresponding to a physical bound state, the shift of contour can generate an extra term, which is the so-called *μ*-term:

$$
\delta E_{(a\dot{a})_Q}^{\mu} = -i \left( 1 - \frac{\epsilon_Q'(p)}{\epsilon_1'(\tilde{q}_\star)} \right) e^{-i\tilde{q}_\star J}
$$
  
 
$$
\times \sum_{b, \dot{b}, b', \dot{b'}} (-1)^{F_b + F_{\dot{b}}} \operatorname{Res}_{q = \tilde{q}} [M_{b'b'}^{b\dot{b}}, \tilde{\mathcal{S}}_{(bb)(a\dot{a})_Q}^{(b'b')(a\dot{a})_Q} (q_\star(q), p)],
$$
(2.7)

where  $\tilde{q}$  is the location of *S*-matrix the pole(s) and we use a short notation  $\tilde{q}_\star = q_\star(\tilde{q})$ . In the strong coupling limit, the  $\mu$ -term gives the leading classical contribution, while the *F* -term correspond to the first quantum finite-size correction.

The Lüscher corrections need only the *S*-matrix elements which have the same incoming and outgoing *SU(*2|2*)* quantum numbers after scattering with a virtual particle. In particular, we consider a bound state of *Q su(*2*)* magnons in the physical particle state, namely  $(11)_0$ . It has momentum p and energy given by  $(1.7)$ , while the momentum of the virtual particle,  $q_{\star}$ , satisfies the following on-shell relation

$$
q^2 = -\epsilon_1^2(q_\star). \tag{2.8}
$$

In this case, the twisted *S*-matrix elements can be written as

$$
\tilde{S}_{(bb)(11)_Q}^{(b'b')(11)_Q} = \left[e^{i\pi \beta Q(h_b + h_{b'})} S_{b1_Q}^{b'1_Q}\right] \times \left[e^{-i\pi \beta Q(h_b + h_{b'})} S_{b1_Q}^{b'1_Q}\right].
$$
 (2.9)

Now, since the twisted BC matrix is a diagonal matrix which, in the case of *β*-deformation, becomes

$$
M = \mathbb{I} \otimes e^{4i\pi\beta Jh}, \tag{2.10}
$$

then the sum in Eq.  $(2.6)$  results to be

 $\mathbb{R}^2$ 

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This result was originally derived for the spectrum of the  $CP^3_\beta$  giant magnon [\[29\]](#page-4-0) and for the three-point correlation function of the  $S^5_\beta$  giant magnon [\[30\]](#page-4-0) but it still holds for its energy since basically the same computation is involved.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The indexes *a*, *a*<sup> $d$ </sup> denote the *SU*(2|2) ⊗ *SU*(2|2) labels.

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$$
\sum_{b=1}^{4} [(-1)^{F_b} e^{2i\pi \beta Q h_b} S_{b1_Q}^{b1_Q}] \times \sum_{b=1}^{4} [(-1)^{F_b} e^{2i(2J-Q)\pi \beta h_b} S_{b1_Q}^{b1_Q}].
$$
\n(2.11)

The explicit matrix elements are given by

$$
S_{\dot{b}1_{\mathcal{Q}}}^{\dot{b}1_{\mathcal{Q}}}(y^{\pm}, X^{\pm}) = S_{b1_{\mathcal{Q}}}^{\dot{b}1_{\mathcal{Q}}}(y^{\pm}, X^{\pm}) = S_0(y^{\pm}, X^{\pm})s_b(y^{\pm}, X^{\pm}),
$$
\n(2.12)

where [\[32\]](#page-4-0)

$$
S_0^2(y^{\pm}, X^{\pm}) = \sigma_{\text{BES}}(y^{\pm}, X^{\pm})^2 \frac{X^+}{X^-} \left(\frac{y^-}{y^+}\right)^0 \frac{y^+ - X^-}{y^- - X^+}
$$

$$
\times \frac{1 - \frac{1}{y^+ X^-}}{1 - \frac{1}{y^- X^+}} \frac{y^- - X^-}{y^+ - X^+} \frac{1 - \frac{1}{y^- X^-}}{1 - \frac{1}{y^+ X^+}},
$$
(2.13)

*σ*BES being the BES [\[23\]](#page-4-0) dressing factor, and

$$
s_1(y^{\pm}, X^{\pm}) = 1, \t s_2(y^{\pm}, X^{\pm}) = \frac{y^{\pm} - X^{\pm}}{y^{\pm} - X^{-}} \frac{1 - \frac{1}{y^{-}}}{1 - \frac{1}{y^{-}}}}{1 - \frac{1}{y^{-}}},
$$
  

$$
s_{3,4}(y^{\pm}, X^{\pm}) = \frac{y^{\pm} - X^{\pm}}{y^{\pm} - X^{-}} \sqrt{\frac{X^{-}}{X^{+}}}.
$$
 (2.14)

Here we are using the usual kinematic variables for the virtual particle, solutions of the conditions

$$
\frac{y^{-}}{y^{+}} = e^{iqx}; \qquad y^{+} + \frac{1}{y^{+}} - y^{-} - \frac{1}{y^{-}} = \frac{i}{g}, \qquad (2.15)
$$

and for the dyonic magnon:

$$
\frac{X^{+}}{X^{-}} = e^{ip}; \qquad X^{+} + \frac{1}{X^{+}} - X^{-} - \frac{1}{X^{-}} = \frac{iQ}{g}.
$$
 (2.16)

*2.2. Twisted algebraic curve and quantum finite-size correction from the F -term*

The (dyonic) giant magnon solution on the deformed  $S_\beta^5$  can be described by the following set of twisted quasi-momenta

$$
p_{\hat{1}}(x) = \frac{\alpha x}{x^2 - 1} + \phi_{\hat{1}}, \qquad p_{\hat{2}}(x) = \frac{\alpha x}{x^2 - 1} + \phi_{\hat{2}},
$$
  
\n
$$
p_{\hat{3}}(x) = \frac{-\alpha x}{x^2 - 1} + \phi_{\hat{3}}, \qquad p_{\hat{4}}(x) = \frac{-\alpha x}{x^2 - 1} + \phi_{\hat{4}},
$$
  
\n
$$
p_{\hat{1}}(x) = \frac{\alpha x}{x^2 - 1} + i \log \left( \frac{1/x - x^+}{1/x - x^-} \right) + \phi_{\hat{1}},
$$
  
\n
$$
p_{\hat{2}}(x) = \frac{\alpha x}{x^2 - 1} - i \log \left( \frac{x - x^+}{x - x^-} \right) + \phi_{\hat{2}},
$$
  
\n
$$
p_{\hat{3}}(x) = \frac{-\alpha x}{x^2 - 1} + i \log \left( \frac{x - x^+}{x - x^-} \right) + \phi_{\hat{3}},
$$
  
\n
$$
p_{\hat{4}}(x) = \frac{-\alpha x}{x^2 - 1} - i \log \left( \frac{1/x - x^+}{1/x - x^-} \right) + \phi_{\hat{4}},
$$
  
\n(2.17)

where  $\alpha = \Delta/g$ ,  $\Delta = J - Q + \frac{g}{i}(X^+ - X^-)$  and, since the deformation does not affect  $AdS_5$ ,  $\phi_1$ , ...,  $\phi_4$  = 0. The twists  $\phi_1$ , ...,  $\phi_4$ can be fixed by observing that, in the language of [\[34\],](#page-4-0) the twists  $(\phi_1, \phi_1, \phi_2, \phi_2, \phi_3, \phi_4, \phi_5, \phi_6)$  correspond to  $(\phi_1, \phi_2, \phi_3, \phi_4, \phi_5, \phi_6)$  $\phi_7$ ,  $\phi_8$ ) [\[31\],](#page-4-0) and then by comparing the twisted BAEs of [\[34\]](#page-4-0) to the Beisert–Roiban BAEs [\[11,20\]](#page-4-0) with  $\gamma_1 = \gamma_2 = \gamma_3 = 2\pi \beta$ ,  $L = J + Q$ . For giant magnon states, we set all the numbers of Bethe roots in the "*SU(*2*)*" grading to zero except the *SU(*2*)* Bethe roots with

 $K_4 \equiv Q$  and used the condition  $\prod_{j=1}^{Q}$  $\frac{x_j^+}{x_j^-}$  = *e<sup>ip</sup>*. Then the resulting twists are

$$
\phi_{\tilde{1}} = p/2 + \pi \beta Q, \qquad \phi_{\tilde{2}} = -p/2 - \pi \beta Q, \n\phi_{\tilde{3}} = p/2 + \pi \beta (2L - 3Q), \n\phi_{\tilde{4}} = -p/2 - \pi \beta (2L - 3Q).
$$
\n(2.18)

Another possible way is to use the twisted boundary conditions for the worldsheet excitations set by [\[5,18\]](#page-3-0)

$$
Z \leftrightarrow e^{i2\pi\beta Q}
$$
,  $Y_{1\dot{1}} \leftrightarrow e^{i2\pi\beta J}$ ,  $Y_{2\dot{1}} \leftrightarrow e^{i2\pi\beta(J-Q)}$  (2.19)

for the scalars, and

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$$
\theta_{1\dot{\alpha}} \leftrightarrow e^{i\pi\beta Q}, \qquad \theta_{2\dot{\alpha}} \leftrightarrow e^{-i\pi\beta Q}, \qquad \eta_{1\alpha} \leftrightarrow e^{i\pi\beta(2J-Q)},
$$
  

$$
\eta_{2\alpha} \leftrightarrow e^{-i\pi\beta(2J-Q)} \tag{2.20}
$$

for the fermions with  $\alpha = 3, 4$ . Then one can obtain the twists (2.18), up to the terms depending on the momentum *p*, by mapping the worldsheet excitations to the various physical polarizations of the algebraic curve fluctuations [\[35\]:](#page-4-0)

$$
(ij)_{AdS_5} = (\hat{1}\hat{3}), (\hat{1}\hat{4}), (\hat{2}\hat{3}), (\hat{2}\hat{4}) \leftrightarrow (Z_{3\hat{4}}, Z_{3\hat{3}}, Z_{4\hat{4}}, Z_{4\hat{3}}),
$$
  
\n
$$
(ij)_{S^5} = (\tilde{1}\hat{3}), (\tilde{1}\hat{4}), (\tilde{2}\hat{3}), (\tilde{2}\hat{4}) \leftrightarrow (Y_{1\hat{2}}, Y_{1\hat{1}}, Y_{2\hat{2}}, Y_{2\hat{1}}),
$$
  
\n
$$
(ij)_{Fermions} = (\hat{1}\hat{3}), (\hat{1}\hat{4}), (\hat{2}\hat{3}), (\hat{2}\hat{4}), (\tilde{1}\hat{3}), (\tilde{1}\hat{4}), (\tilde{2}\hat{3}), (\tilde{2}\hat{4})
$$
  
\n
$$
\leftrightarrow (\eta_{\hat{2}3}, \eta_{\hat{1}3}, \eta_{\hat{2}4}, \eta_{\hat{1}4}, \theta_{1\hat{4}}, \theta_{1\hat{3}}, \theta_{2\hat{4}}, \theta_{2\hat{3}}).
$$
\n(2.21)

If we use  $\tilde{\phi}_1(2\pi) - \tilde{\phi}_1(0) = p = p_{ws} + 2\pi \beta Q$  and  $\tilde{\phi}_2(2\pi)$  –  $\tilde{\phi}_2(0) = 2\pi (n_2 - \beta J)$  in the notations of [\[6\],](#page-3-0) our twists (2.18) also match the quasi-momentum asymptotic behaviors for the *SU*(2)<sub>β</sub> sector derived there<sup>3</sup>

$$
P(x) \xrightarrow[x \to \infty]{} \frac{p_{ws}}{2} + \pi \beta (J + Q) - \frac{2\pi (J - Q)}{\sqrt{\lambda} x} + \cdots,
$$
  

$$
P(x) \xrightarrow[x \to 0]{} \frac{p_{ws}}{2} + \pi \beta (J - Q) + \frac{2\pi (J + Q)}{\sqrt{\lambda}} x + \cdots,
$$

where  $P(x) = \frac{1}{2}(p_{\tilde{3}}(x) - p_{\tilde{2}}(x)) = \frac{1}{2}(p_{\tilde{1}}(1/x) - p_{\tilde{4}}(1/x)).$ <sup>4</sup>

While the twisted quasi-momenta are shifted by constants, the fluctuation frequencies *Ωij(x)* of the deformed theory are the same as those of the undeformed theory and polarization independent, i.e. same for all the *(i, j)* [\[31\]:](#page-4-0)

$$
\Omega_{ij}(x) = \frac{2}{x^2 - 1} \left( 1 - x \frac{X^+ + X^-}{X^+ + X^- + 1} \right). \tag{2.22}
$$

The one-loop quantum effects are the summation over all fluctuation frequencies,

$$
\delta \Delta_{\text{one-loop}} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ij} \sum_{n} (-1)^{F_{ij}} \Omega_{ij}^{n}
$$
  
= 
$$
\int \frac{dx}{2\pi i} \partial_x \Omega(x) \sum_{ij} (-1)^{F_{ij}} e^{-i(p_i - p_j)},
$$

where the sum runs over all the physical polarizations (2.21). The only change from the computations for the undeformed theory is the summand in the integral above, that is

 $3$  Actually it is not clear how to extend the analysis of [\[6\]](#page-3-0) to unphysical configurations, such as a single (dyonic) giant magnon, and to all the finite-gap solutions of the *β*-deformed theory. We thank S. Frolov for making this point.

 $4$  The twisted quasi-momenta (2.17) with the twists (2.18) satisfy the inversion symmetry  $p_{\tilde{1},\tilde{2},\tilde{3},\tilde{4}}(x) = -p_{\tilde{2},\tilde{1},\tilde{4},\tilde{3},}(1/x), p_{\hat{1},\hat{2},\hat{3},\hat{4}}(x) = -p_{\hat{2},\hat{1},\hat{4},\hat{3},}(1/x).$ 

*.*

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$$
\sum_{ij} (-1)^{F_{ij}} e^{-i(p_i - p_j)}
$$
\n
$$
= e^{-i \frac{2\alpha x}{x^2 - 1}} \left( e^{i\pi \beta (2J - Q)} \frac{x - X^{-}}{x - X^{+}} \sqrt{\frac{X^{+}}{X^{-}}} + e^{-i\pi \beta (2J - Q)} \frac{xX^{+} - 1}{xX^{+} - 1} \sqrt{\frac{X^{-}}{X^{+}}} - 2 \right)
$$
\n
$$
\times \left( e^{i\pi \beta Q} \frac{x - X^{-}}{x - X^{+}} \sqrt{\frac{X^{+}}{X^{-}}} + e^{-i\pi \beta Q} \frac{xX^{+} - 1}{xX^{+} - 1} \sqrt{\frac{X^{-}}{X^{+}}} - 2 \right)
$$

For the non-dyonic giant magnon, one should take a limit  $Q \rightarrow 1$ and then  $\beta Q \rightarrow 0$ ,  $X^{\pm} \rightarrow e^{\pm i p/2}$ .

It can be shown explicitly that this result matches exactly the S-matrix supertrace given by Eqs. [\(2.11\) and \(2.14\),](#page-2-0) once it is multiplied by the exponential factor  $e^{-iq_x}$   $\leq e^{-i\frac{2/x}{g(x^2-1)}}$ , in the strong coupling approximation  $y^{\pm} \simeq x$ . On the other hand, the matching of the kinematic part

$$
-\int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{dq}{2\pi} \left(1 - \frac{\epsilon'_0(p)}{\epsilon'_1(q_\star)}\right) \cdots = \int_{U^+} \frac{dx}{2\pi i} \partial_x \Omega(x) \cdots
$$
 (2.23)

is inherited without changes from the undeformed case [\[31\].](#page-4-0) This completes the matching and then confirms the validity of the quantum corrections calculated by using our *F* -term formula [\(2.6\)](#page-1-0) and the twisted quasi-momenta [\(2.17\).](#page-2-0)

# *2.3. The μ-term calculation*

In order to calculate explicitly the  $\mu$ -term from Eq. [\(2.7\),](#page-1-0) we shall follow basically the calculations of [\[32\].](#page-4-0) We just recall here that we need to compute the residues of the *S*-matrix [\(2.11\)–](#page-2-0) [\(2.14\)](#page-2-0) in both its *s*-channel pole at  $y^- = X^+$  and *t*-channel pole at  $y^+ = X^+$ . Then, since  $s_2$ ,  $s_3$  and  $s_4$  are negligible in the classical limit  $g \gg 1$ , we need to consider only the  $s<sub>1</sub>$  factors, multiplied by the respective twists  $e^{i2\pi \beta J - Q}$  and  $e^{i\pi \beta Q}$ , which will give a final overall factor  $e^{2i\pi\beta}$  *j* in front of the result of [\[32\].](#page-4-0)

Indeed, we have that, at both poles  $y = x^+$  and  $y^+ = x^+$ , the virtual particle momentum  $q<sub>+</sub>$  and the exponential factor become

$$
\tilde{q}^* = -\frac{i}{g \sin(\frac{p - i\theta}{2})} \quad \to \quad e^{-i\tilde{q}^*J} \approx \exp\bigg[-\frac{J}{g \sin(\frac{p - i\theta}{2})}\bigg], \quad (2.24)
$$

where we introduced *θ* defined by

$$
\sinh\frac{\theta}{2} \equiv \frac{Q}{2g\sin\frac{p}{2}}.
$$
\n(2.25)

From Eq. [\(2.8\)](#page-1-0) one obtains

$$
1 - \frac{\epsilon'_{Q}(p)}{\epsilon'_{1}(\tilde{q}^{*})} \approx \frac{\sin \frac{p}{2} \sin \frac{p - i\theta}{2}}{\cosh \frac{\theta}{2}},
$$
\n(2.26)

while the explicit evaluation of the residues at the leading order gives

$$
\frac{1}{(y^{\pm})'}\operatorname{Res}_{y^{\pm}=X^{+}}S_{0}^{2} = \pm \frac{4ig \sin^{2}\frac{p}{2}}{\sin\frac{p-i\theta}{2}}e^{2\pi i\beta J} \exp\left[-\frac{\epsilon_{Q}(p)}{g \sin\frac{p-i\theta}{2}}\right].
$$
 (2.27)

Combining all these contributions together, taking the difference of the contribution from the residue in  $y^- = X^+$  and  $y^+ = X^+$  [\[32\]](#page-4-0) and the real part of the final result, we get

$$
\delta E^{\mu}_{(1\dot{1})_Q} = -\frac{8g\sin^3\frac{p}{2}}{\cosh\frac{\theta}{2}}\operatorname{Re}\left\{e^{2\pi i\beta J}\exp\left[-\frac{J+\epsilon_Q(p)}{g\sin\frac{p-i\theta}{2}}\right]\right\}
$$

$$
= -\frac{16g^2 \sin^4 \frac{p}{2}}{\epsilon_Q(p)} \cos \phi
$$
  
 
$$
\times \exp\left[-\frac{2\sin^2 \frac{p}{2}[J + \epsilon_Q(p)]\epsilon_Q(p)}{Q^2 + 4g^2 \sin^4 \frac{p}{2}}\right],
$$
 (2.28)

that agrees with Eq. [\(1.5\),](#page-1-0) with *Φ* being exactly the same as Eq. [\(1.6\).](#page-1-0) In particular, in the non-dyonic limit  $\theta \to 0$ , the result reduces to

$$
\delta E^{\mu}_{(1\,1)_{Q=1}} = -\frac{8g}{e^2} \sin^3 \frac{p}{2} \cos(2\pi \beta J) \exp \left[ -\frac{J}{2g \sin(\frac{p}{2})} \right], \quad (2.29)
$$

that matches exactly Eq. [\(1.8\).](#page-1-0)

# **3. Concluding remarks**

In this Letter we have proposed Lüscher formulas for  $\mu$ -term and *F* -term corrections of a dyonic magnon state for the *β*deformed AdS<sub>5</sub>/CFT<sub>4</sub> theory.

It turns out that the resulting finite-size corrections depend on the parameter *β* only through an overall factor cos*(*2*πβ J)*, which has been observed for the first time in [\[29\]](#page-4-0) and [\[30\].](#page-4-0) The expression of the phase  $\Phi$  is then in contrast to that derived in [\[27\],](#page-4-0) and has been confirmed in this Letter both in the dyonic and non-dyonic cases, by classical and first quantum finite-size corrections calculated on the basis of the S-matrix proposed in [\[20\],](#page-4-0) but we checked that the same results can be derived by using the Y-system's asymptotic solutions of [\[19\]](#page-4-0) or the twisted transfer matrices derived by [\[18\].](#page-4-0) Then essentially we solved the long standing issue of matching string results for the finite-size effects of giant magnons on the *β*-deformed  $S^5_\beta$  and Lüscher corrections [7,15], that are derived by using the information of a twisted *S*-matrix with twisted BCs.

Now, it would be interesting to extend our analysis of the strong coupling finite-size corrections to all the orders in the volume *L*, along the lines of [\[36\].](#page-4-0) This would entail the formulation and the solution of a set of twisted TBA/Y-system equations for *SU(*2*)* excited states. Also the analysis of the three-parameters deformation would be an interesting generalization of our results.

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