

**CRITICAL BEHAVIOR FOR AN ORIENTED PERCOLATION
 WITH LONG-RANGE INTERACTIONS IN DIMENSION $d > 2$**

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Abstract. We consider a model of oriented percolation on $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$, $d > 2$, with long-range interactions, in which the bond occupation probability decays as the α -stable distribution with $\alpha = 1$. We use the lace expansion to get an L^1 infrared bound estimate which implies several critical exponents via the triangle condition.

1. INTRODUCTION

The Model

In this paper we introduce a certain type of oriented percolation model which may be regarded as an *infinite layer long-range* model. It is defined as follows. We consider the graph $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$ and oriented bonds $((x, n), (y, n + 1))$, $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}^d$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$. Fix a parameter $\lambda > 0$, to each $((x, n), (y, n + 1))$ we associate a random variable taking value 1 (open) with probability $p_{x,y}^\lambda$ and 0 (close) with probability $1 - p_{x,y}^\lambda$; the random variables are assumed to be totally independent. We require that $p_{x,y}^\lambda = p_{y,x}^\lambda = p_{0,y-x}^\lambda$, and define $p_{0,x}^\lambda$ to be

$$(1.1) \quad p_{0,x}^\lambda = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda \mathbf{1}_{\{(l-1)L < \|x\|_\infty \leq lL\}}}{l^2 \sum_{y \in \mathbb{Z}^d} \mathbf{1}_{\{(l-1)L < \|y\|_\infty \leq lL\}}},$$

where $\|x\|_\infty = \max_{\{j=1,2,\dots,d\}} |x_j|$, $\mathbf{1}_{\{(l-1)L < \|x\|_\infty \leq lL\}}$ is the indicator function and L is a controlling factor. Note that $p_{0,x}^\lambda = O(\lambda \|x\|_\infty^{-d-1} L^{-d})$; thus it decays as the α -stable distribution with $\alpha = 1$. The factor L^{-d} is necessary to control the

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convergence of the lace expansion for the dimension $d = 3$. We believe that the results of this paper also hold without the factor L^{-d} for dimension d being large enough.

We write $(y, m) \longrightarrow (x, n)$ to denote the event that there is an oriented open connected path from (y, m) to (x, n) , i.e., there is a sequence of sites $(u_m, m) = (y, m), (u_{m+1}, m+1), \dots, (u_n, n) = (x, n)$ such that the oriented bonds $((u_{j-1}, j-1), (u_j, j)), j = m+1, \dots, n$ are all open. The joint probability distribution of the bond random variables is denoted P_λ , with corresponding expectation E_λ . Define

$$\psi_\lambda(x, n) = \begin{cases} P_\lambda((0, 0) \longrightarrow (x, n)) & \text{if } n > 0, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

and

$$(1.2) \quad \varphi_\lambda(x, n) = \delta(x, n) + \psi_\lambda(x, n),$$

where $\delta(x, n)$ is Kronecker's delta on $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$. For brevity we write in the sequel $\sum_{(x,n)} = \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^d, n \in \mathbb{Z}}$ and $\sum_x = \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^d}$ in this paper. The Fourier-Laplace transforms are

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{\psi}_\lambda(k, s + it) &= \sum_{(x,n)} e^{ik \cdot x} e^{n(s+it)} \psi_\lambda(x, n), \\ \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, s + it) &= \sum_{(x,n)} e^{ik \cdot x} e^{n(s+it)} \varphi_\lambda(x, n), \\ Z_{\lambda,n}(k) &= \sum_x e^{ik \cdot x} \varphi_\lambda(x, n), \quad n \in \mathbb{Z} \end{aligned}$$

for $(k, t) \in [-\pi, \pi]^d \times [-\pi, \pi]$ and $s \in \mathbb{R}$. Let $C(0, 0) = \{(x, n) : (0, 0) \longrightarrow (x, n)\}$ and denotes its cardinality by $|C(0, 0)|$. We have

$$(1.3) \quad \begin{aligned} E_\lambda(|C(0, 0)|) &= E_\lambda\left(\sum_{(x,n)} \mathbf{1}_{\{(x,n) \in C(0,0)\}}\right) \\ &= \sum_{(x,n)} E_\lambda(\mathbf{1}_{\{(x,n) \in C(0,0)\}}) = \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, 0), \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(1.4) \quad \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, 0) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} Z_{\lambda,n}(0)$$

For $(0, 0) \longrightarrow (x, n+m)$, there exists a vertex (y, m) such that $(0, 0) \longrightarrow (y, m)$ and $(y, m) \longrightarrow (x, n)$. Since the two events are independent, by translation invari-

ant, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 Z_{\lambda,n+m}(0) &= \sum_x \varphi_\lambda(x, n+m) \\
 (1.5) \quad &\leq \sum_x \sum_y \varphi_\lambda(y, m) \varphi_\lambda(x-y, n) \\
 &= Z_{\lambda,n}(0) Z_{\lambda,m}(0).
 \end{aligned}$$

From the subadditive limit theorem, see for Example [9, Theorem II.2], for every $\lambda > 0$, there exists m_λ such that

$$(1.6) \quad -m_\lambda = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\log Z_{\lambda,n}(0)}{n} \quad \text{and} \quad Z_{\lambda,n}(0) \geq e^{-nm_\lambda}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Clearly, e^{m_λ} is the radius of convergence of the power series $\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, z)$. Since $E_\lambda(|C(0, 0)|)$ is non-decreasing with respect to λ , there exists a critical point $\lambda_c = \sup\{\lambda : E_\lambda(|C(0, 0)|) < \infty\}$. It is seen that

$$\lambda_0 := \frac{6}{\pi^2} \leq \lambda_c,$$

due to $\sum_x p_{0,x}^\lambda = \frac{\pi^2 \lambda}{6}$. There is another critical value traditionally defined as $\lambda_T = \inf\{\lambda : P_\lambda(|C(0, 0)| = \infty) > 0\}$ [1,9]. For any $0 < \|x\|_\infty \leq L$,

$$p_{0,x}^\lambda = \frac{\lambda}{\sum_y \mathbb{1}_{\{0 < \|y\|_\infty \leq L\}}} \geq \frac{\lambda}{(2L+1)^d},$$

which implies $\lambda_T < (2L+1)^d$. Since our model is a kind of independent translation invariant bond percolation models, we have, by [1, Theorem 1.1], $\lambda_c = \lambda_T$.

Main Results

The paper is mainly on the infrared bond estimate; there is no general proof of infrared bound for a given percolation model. There are indications that the infrared bound is violated in less than dimension six for nearest-neighbor nonoriented percolation model [8]. In [14], it is obtained the infrared bound of the nearest-neighbor percolation model in high dimensions and spread-out model for dimension $d > 6$. We obtain in this paper the following infrared bound of our model for dimension $d > 2$.

Theorem 1.1. *For our infinite layer long-range model on $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$ with $d > 2$, there exists an L_0 (depending on d) such that for all $L \geq L_0$, $(k, t) \in [-\pi, \pi]^d \times [-\pi, \pi]$, $s \in (0, 1]$ and $\lambda \leq \lambda_c$ we have*

$$|\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, m_\lambda - s + it)| \leq \frac{1}{c_1|t| + c_2s + c_3\|k\|_1},$$

where $c_j, j = 1, 2, 3$, are constants depending on d and L .

As usual, the critical exponents γ, β, δ and Δ_{t+1} are defined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 E_\lambda(|C(0, 0)|) &\sim (\lambda_c - \lambda)^{-\gamma} && \text{as } \lambda \uparrow \lambda_c, \\
 P_\lambda(|C(0, 0)| = \infty) &\sim (\lambda - \lambda_c)^\beta && \text{as } \lambda \downarrow \lambda_c, \\
 (1.7) \quad \sum_{1 \leq n \leq \infty} P_{\lambda_c}(|C(0, 0)| = n)[1 - e^{-nh}] &\sim h^\delta && \text{as } h \downarrow 0, \\
 \frac{E_\lambda(|C(0, 0)|^{t+1})}{E_\lambda(|C(0, 0)|^t)} &\sim (\lambda_c - \lambda)^{-\Delta_{t+1}} && \text{as } \lambda \uparrow \lambda_c
 \end{aligned}$$

for $t \in \mathbb{N}$, where we write $A(r) \sim B(r)$ as $r \uparrow r_0$, resp. $r \downarrow r_0$, means that there are universal constants c_1, c_2 such that $c_1B(r) \leq A(r) \leq c_2B(r)$ as the parameter $r \uparrow r_0$, resp. $r \downarrow r_0$. It was proved in [18] that for the nearest-neighbor oriented percolation model in high dimensions and spread-out oriented model in dimension $d > 4$, the critical exponents β, γ, δ and Δ_{t+1} exist and take their mean-field values. The same results were extended to the contact process [22]. In the following theorem, we use Theorem 1.1 and the triangle condition to prove that $\gamma = 1$. Then the other critical exponents δ, β and Δ_{t+1} can be obtained (see [5],[26]).

Theorem 1.2. *For our infinite layer long-range model on $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$ with $d > 2$, there exists an L_0 (depending on d) such that for all $L \geq L_0$, the critical exponents are $\gamma = 1, \beta = 1, \delta = \frac{1}{2}$ and $\Delta_{t+1} = 2$ for $t \in \mathbb{N}$.*

Remark 1.1. Theorem 1.2 implies that there is no infinite cluster at the critical value $\lambda = \lambda_c$ for our model in dimension $d > 2$. There have been literatures[3, 4, 21] to discuss the cluster infinity and related properties at the critical values for non-oriented long-range percolation models with polynomial decays.

Remark 1.2. For each percolation model, there exists a upper critical dimension d_c such that the critical behavior is the same as the mean-field behavior when dimension $d > d_c$. If the random walk with one-step transition function $p_{o,x}^\lambda / \sum_x p_{o,x}^\lambda$ belongs to the domain of an α -stable law, then the upper critical dimension of the oriented percolation is believed to be 2α . For the case $\alpha = 2$, it is proved that, by using the *hyperscaling inequalities*, the upper critical dimension is four [23]. The upper critical dimension is two in our model; this will be the content of a coming paper.

To prove Theorem 1.1, we use the lace expansion which is introduced in a seminal paper of [7] for studying the weakly self-avoiding walk in dimension $d > 4$. The method has also been applied successfully to study the strictly self-avoiding walk

([12, 13]), percolation models ([14], [11]), oriented percolation models ([18, 19]), lattice trees and lattice animals ([15]), networks of self-avoiding walks ([20, 10]), etc. The basic idea of the present work is closely related to that in [18]; however, it should be emphasized that our infrared bound is an L^1 estimates, rather than the L^2 estimate as that appeared in [18] and other works. It is the L^1 estimate makes us to be significantly different from the L^2 arguments in [18]. An L^1 infrared bound estimate for self-avoiding random walks has been studied by Y. Cheng (a 2000 PhD thesis of Temple University).

From the lace expansion, there is a connected function $\Pi_\lambda(x, n)$ such that its Fourier-Laplace transform $\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, z)$ is defined by the renewal equation (see [17])

$$(1.8) \quad \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, z) = \frac{1 + \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, z)}{F_\lambda(k, z)}$$

for $\lambda \leq \lambda_c$, $\text{Re}(z) < m_\lambda$, where

$$(1.9) \quad F_\lambda(k, z) = 1 - \lambda_0^{-1} \lambda e^z \widehat{D}(k) (1 + \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, z)),$$

$$(1.10) \quad \widehat{D}(k) = \sum_x \varphi_{\lambda_0}(x, 1) e^{ik \cdot x}.$$

To prove Theorem 1.1, we need the following continuity of two-point functions.

Proposition 1.3. *For our infinite layer long-range model on $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$ with $d > 0$, we have*

- (a) $E_\lambda(|C(0, 0)|) < \infty$ if and only if $m_\lambda > 0$,
- (b) $E_\lambda(|C(0, 0)|) = \infty$ and $m_\lambda = 0$ if $\lambda = \lambda_c$,
- (c) $\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, r)$ is continuous at λ for $0 < \lambda < \lambda_c, r < m_\lambda$ and $\lim_{\lambda \uparrow \lambda_c} \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, r) = \widehat{\varphi}_{\lambda_c}(0, r)$ for $r < 0$.

From [18], we know that Proposition 1.3 holds for finite-range models, and we show that it can also be extended to our model.

Next, we need to estimate $\widehat{D}(k)$ as follows:

Proposition 1.4. *For our infinite layer long-range model on $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$ with $d > 2$, there exists an L_0 (depending on d) such that for $L \geq L_0$, we have*

- (a) $|\widehat{D}(k)| \leq 1 - \frac{0.12L}{d} \|k\|_1$ for $\|k\|_\infty \in [0, \frac{\pi}{4L+1}]$,
- (b) $|\widehat{D}(k)| < 0.95$ for $\|k\|_\infty \in (\frac{\pi}{4L+1}, \frac{\pi}{L}]$,
- (c) $|\widehat{D}(k)| < \frac{9}{10n}$ for $\|k\|_\infty \in (\frac{n\pi}{L}, \frac{(n+1)\pi}{L}]$ with $n = 1, 2, \dots, L - 1$.

Finally, we want to control $|\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, z)|$. The following two propositions give us that $|\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, z)|$ decays to zero as L tends to infinity for $\lambda = \lambda_0$ and satisfies a bootstrapping argument for $\lambda \leq \lambda_c$, respectively.

Proposition 1.5. *For our infinite layer long-range model on $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$ with $d > 2$, there exists an L_1 (depending on d) such that for $L \geq L_1$, we have*

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{(x,n)} |\Pi_{\lambda_0}(x, n)| &\leq \frac{\tau_0}{L}, \\ \sum_{(x,n)} |n\Pi_{\lambda_0}(x, n)| &\leq \frac{\tau_1}{L}, \\ \sum_{(x,n)} \|x\|_1 |\Pi_{\lambda_0}(x, n)| &\leq \frac{\tau_2(\log L)^{\frac{1}{3}}}{L} \end{aligned}$$

for some universal constants τ_0, τ_1 and τ_2 .

Proposition 1.6. *For our infinite layer long-range model on $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$ with $d > 2$, there exists an L_0 (depending on d) such that for $L \geq L_0, \lambda \leq \lambda_c$ and $r \leq m_\lambda, (P_4)$ implies (P_2) , where (P_α) means that the following inequalities hold*

$$(1.11) \quad \sum_{(x,n)} |\Pi_\lambda(x, n)e^{rn}| \leq \frac{\alpha\tau'_0}{L},$$

$$(1.12) \quad \sum_{(x,n)} |n\Pi_\lambda(x, n)e^{rn}| \leq \frac{\alpha\tau'_1}{L},$$

$$(1.13) \quad \sum_{(x,n)} \|x\|_1 |\Pi_\lambda(x, n)e^{rn}| \leq \frac{\alpha\tau'_2(\log L)^{\frac{1}{3}}}{L}$$

for some universal constants τ'_0, τ'_1 and τ'_2 with $\tau'_j \geq \tau_j, \tau_j$ as in Proposition 1.5.

We denote c to be a positive constant, whose precise value is not important to us and may vary from line to line. In **Section 2**, we prove the main theorems by assuming Propositions 1.3, 1.5 and 1.6. In **Section 3**, we define the Feynman diagrams which are the same as in [18]. Proposition 1.3 is proved in **Section 4** and Proposition 1.4 is proved in **Section 5**. In **Section 6**, we prove Proposition 1.5 and 1.6 by Proposition 1.4 and the inequalities in **Section 3**.

2. PROOF OF THE MAIN THEOREMS

The following inequality is used to prove Theorem 1.1.

Lemma 2.1. *For our infinite layer long-range model on $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$ with $d > 2$, there exists an L_0 (depending on d) such that for $L \geq L_0$, $\lambda \leq \lambda_c$ and $r \leq m_\lambda$, (P_4) and Proposition 1.4 imply*

$$|\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, r) - \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, r - s + it)e^{-s+it}\widehat{D}(k)| \leq \frac{1}{3}|1 - e^{-s+it}\widehat{D}(k)|$$

Proof. Since

$$\begin{aligned} & |\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, r) - \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, r - s + it)e^{-s+it}\widehat{D}(k)| \\ & \leq |\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, r) - \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, r - s + it)| \\ (2.1) \quad & + |\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, r - s + it) - \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, r - s + it)| \\ & + |\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, r - s + it)||1 - e^{-s+it}\widehat{D}(k)|, \end{aligned}$$

we have, by Mean-Value theorem and (P_4) ,

$$\begin{aligned} |\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, r - s + it) - \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, r - s + it)| & \leq \left[\sum_{(x,n)} \|x\|_1 |\Pi_\lambda(x, n)e^{r-s+it}| \right] \|k\|_1 \\ (2.2) \quad & \leq \frac{4\tau'_2(\log L)^{\frac{1}{3}}}{L} \|k\|_1, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} |\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, r) - \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, r - s + it)| & \leq \left[\sum_{(x,n)} |n\Pi_\lambda(x, n)e^{r+it}| \right] (|s - it|) \\ (2.3) \quad & \leq \frac{4\tau'_1}{L} (|s - it|). \end{aligned}$$

Then by (2.1)-(2.3),

$$\begin{aligned} |\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, r) - \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, r - s + it)e^{-s+it}\widehat{D}(k)| & \leq \frac{4\tau'_2(\log L)^{\frac{1}{3}}}{L} (\|k\|_1) \\ (2.4) \quad & + \frac{4\tau'_1}{L} (|s - it|) + \frac{4\tau'_0}{L} |1 - e^{-s+it}\widehat{D}(k)|. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, we have, by Proposition 1.4,

$$\begin{aligned} |1 - e^{-s+it}\widehat{D}(k)|^2 & = |(1 - e^{-s+it}) + e^{-s+it}[1 - \widehat{D}(k)]|^2 \\ (2.5) \quad & \geq |1 - e^{-s+it}|^2 + ce^{-2s}\|k\|_1^2 \\ & \geq \frac{(c'|s - it| + ce^{-s}\|k\|_1)^2}{2} \end{aligned}$$

for some universal constants $c, c' > 0$. From (2.4) and (2.5), let $L > 0$ large enough, this lemma follows. ■

Proof of Theorem 1.1. By Proposition 1.5, for $L \geq L_1$, (P_1) is satisfied at $\lambda = \lambda_0$ and $r = 0$. Then $\widehat{\varphi}_{\lambda_0}(0, 0) = E_{\lambda_0}(|C(0, 0)|) < \infty$, by (1.8). From Proposition 1.3 (a) and (b), we have $\lambda_c > \lambda_0$. According to (1.8)-(1.9) and Proposition 1.3 (c), the left-hand sides of (1.11)-(1.13) are continuous at λ for every $\lambda < \lambda_c$ and $r < m_\lambda$. Then from Proposition 1.6 and inductive method, (P_4) is satisfied for every $\lambda \in (0, \lambda_c)$ and $r < m_\lambda$. By the Dominated Convergence theorem, we have

$$\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda) = \lim_{s \downarrow 0} \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda - s)$$

which implies (P_4) is satisfied for every $\lambda \in (0, \lambda_c)$ and $r \leq m_\lambda$. From (1.4) and (1.6), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda) &= \lim_{s \downarrow 0} \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda - s) = 1 + \lim_{s \downarrow 0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} Z_{\lambda,n}(0) e^{(m_\lambda - s)n} \\ &\geq 1 + \lim_{s \downarrow 0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e^{-sn} = \infty, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$1 + \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda) = \lim_{s \downarrow 0} \frac{\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda - s)}{1 + \lambda_0^{-1} \lambda e^{m_\lambda - s} \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda - s)} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda)} + \lambda_0^{-1} \lambda e^{m_\lambda}} < \infty.$$

Then

$$(2.6) \quad F_\lambda(0, m_\lambda) = \lim_{s \downarrow 0} \frac{1 + \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda - s)}{\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda - s)} = 0$$

and $1 + \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda) = \lambda_0 \lambda^{-1} e^{-m_\lambda}$. (2.6) implies

$$\begin{aligned} F_\lambda(k, m_\lambda - s + it) &= F_\lambda(k, m_\lambda - s + it) - F_\lambda(0, m_\lambda) \\ &= \lambda_0^{-1} \lambda e^{m_\lambda} (1 - e^{-s+it} \widehat{D}(k)) + \lambda_0^{-1} \lambda e^{m_\lambda} [\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda) \\ &\quad - e^{-s+it} \widehat{D}(k) \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, m_\lambda - s + it)]. \end{aligned}$$

Since (P_4) is satisfied for all $\lambda \in (0, \lambda_c)$ with $r \leq m_\lambda$, there exists $L_0 > 0$ such that for $L \geq L_0$ and $\lambda \in (0, \lambda_c)$, $|\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda)| < \frac{1}{2}$, and from Lemma 2.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |F_\lambda(k, m_\lambda - s + it)| &\geq \frac{2\lambda e^{m_\lambda}}{3\lambda_0} |1 - e^{-s+it} \widehat{D}(k)| \\ (2.7) \quad &= \frac{2}{3[1 + \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, m_\lambda)]} |1 - e^{-s+it} \widehat{D}(k)| \\ &\geq \frac{4}{9} |1 - e^{-s+it} \widehat{D}(k)| \end{aligned}$$

with $s \in (0, 1)$. Besides, by Proposition 1.3, $\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, -s + it)$ is left continuous at $\lambda = \lambda_c$ for $s \in (0, 1)$. This completes the proof. \blacksquare

Proof of Theorem 1.2. Let

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_\lambda(x, n) &= \sum_{(u_1, n_1)} \sum_{(u_2, n_2)} P_\lambda((0, 0) \longrightarrow (u_1, n_1)) P_\lambda((u_1, n_1) \longrightarrow (u_2, n_2)) \\ &\quad \times P_\lambda((x, n) \longrightarrow (u_2, n_2)). \end{aligned}$$

Since the x -space is symmetric with respect to the origin, its Fourier transform is

$$\widehat{\nabla}_\lambda(k, it) = \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, it)^2 \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(-k, -it) = \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, it)^2 \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, -it).$$

Then, by Hausdorff-Young's inequality and infrared bound (we write $\int \int dkdt = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{d+1}} \int_{t \in [-\pi, \pi]} \int_{k \in [-\pi, \pi]^d} dkdt$ and $\int dk = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^d} \int_{k \in [-\pi, \pi]^d} dk$ in this paper),

$$\begin{aligned} \left\{ \sum_{(x, n)} |\nabla_\lambda(x, n)|^p \right\}^{\frac{1}{p}} &\leq \left\{ \int \int |\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, it)^2 \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, -it)|^q dkdt \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}} \\ &\leq \left\{ \int \int \frac{1}{c_1 m_\lambda + c_2 |t| + c_3 \|k\|_1} |^{3q} dkdt \right\}^{\frac{1}{q}}, \end{aligned}$$

where $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ and $0 < q \leq 2$. Then for any $d > 2$ and $1 < q < 1 + \frac{1}{3}$, there exists constant c_0 (depending on d and q) such that for all $\lambda < \lambda_c$, $\sum_{(x, n)} |\nabla_\lambda(x, n)|^p \leq c_0$. Since $\sum_{(x, n)} |\nabla_{\lambda_c}(x, n)|^p = \lim_{\lambda \uparrow \lambda_c} \sum_{(x, n)} |\nabla_\lambda(x, n)|^p$, which implies the triangle condition holds, that is,

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \sup \{ \nabla_{\lambda_c}(x, n) : \|x\|_2 + |n| \geq R \} = 0.$$

Then $\gamma = 1$, $\delta = \frac{1}{2}$, $\beta = 1$ and $\Delta = 2$ (see [5, 18, 16] etc.). This completes the proof. \blacksquare

3. ESTIMATES OF $\Pi_\lambda(x, n)$ AND ITS DERIVATIVES

As in [17], there are unique the lace parts $\Pi_\lambda^{(l)}(x, n)$ for $l = 0, 1, 2, \dots$, such that

$$\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, z) = \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} (-1)^l \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda^{(l)}(k, z).$$

In this section, we describe the Feynman diagrams which are adapted from [18] and use them to control the upper bound of $|\widehat{\Pi}_\lambda^{(l)}(k, z)|$ for each $l = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

Given sites $(x_1, n_1), (x_2, n_2), (x, n)$ and an oriented bond b , define the triangle function:

$$T_\lambda[(x_1, n_1), (x_2, n_2); ((x, n), b)] = P_\lambda(b : \text{open})P_\lambda(\text{top of } b \longrightarrow (x, n)) \\ \times P_\lambda((x_2, n_2) \longrightarrow \text{bottom of } b)\psi_\lambda(x - x_1, n - n_1).$$

Let the triangle function $T_\lambda[(u, n'); ((x, n), b)] = T_\lambda[(x_1, n_1), (x_2, n_2); ((x, n), b)]$ if $(x_1, n_1) = (x_2, n_2) = (u, n')$. We also assume

$$T_\lambda[(x_2, n_2), (x_1, n_1); (b, (x, n))] = T_\lambda[(x_1, n_1), (x_2, n_2); ((x, n), b)].$$

Define the bubble functions as follows

$$Q_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(x, n) = \varphi_\lambda(x, n)\varphi_\lambda(x - y, n - m), \\ Q_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,2)}(x, n) = \psi_\lambda(x, n) \left[\sum_u \psi_\lambda(x - u, 1)\varphi_\lambda(u - y, n - m - 1) \right], \\ Q_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,3)}(x, n) = \left[\sum_u \varphi_\lambda(u, n - 1)\psi_\lambda(x - u, 1) \right] \psi_\lambda(x - y, n - m).$$

They are represented by the diagrams in Figure 1.

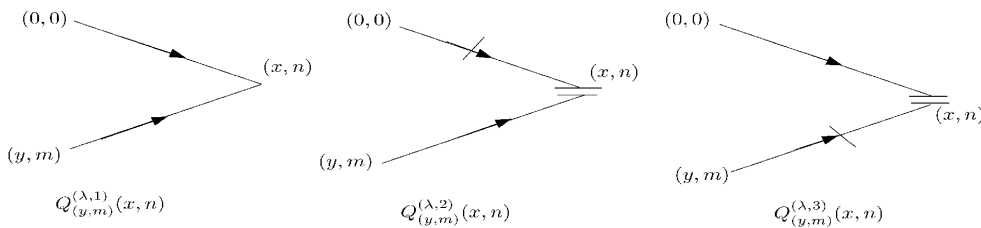


Fig. 1.

For l pairs of sites and bonds $\{((u_j, n_j), b_j), j = 1, 2, \dots, l\}$, set $\sigma_j((u_j, n_j), b_j) = ((u_j, n_j), b_j)$ or $(b_j, (u_j, n_j))$, $j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, l-1$ and $\sigma_l((u_l, n_l), b_l) = ((u_l, n_l), b_l)$. Let $\sigma = (\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_l)$, the diagram

$$D_\lambda^{(l)}[\sigma, (0, 0), (b_j, (u_j, n_j)), (x, n); j = 1, 2, \dots, l]$$

is defined by

$$(3.1) \quad T_\lambda[(0, 0); ((u_1, n_1), b_1)] \left\{ \prod_{j=2, \dots, l} T_\lambda[\sigma_{j-1}((u_{j-1}, n_{j-1}), b_{j-1}); \right. \\ \left. \sigma_j((u_j, n_j), b_j)] \right\} \times Q_{b_l}^{(\lambda,1)}(x - u_l, n - n_l).$$

The diagram $D_\lambda^{(l)}(x, n)$ is defined as the sum of $D_\lambda^{(l)}[\sigma, (0, 0), (b_j, (u_j, n_j)), (x, n); j = 1, 2, \dots, l]$ over $\{(b_j, (u_j, n_j)), j = 1, 2, \dots, l\}$ and σ such that $\sigma_l = \text{identity}$ and σ_i

is identity map or the permutation of sites and bonds for all $j = 1, 2, \dots, l - 1$ and $l \in \mathbb{N}$. Let $D_\lambda^{(0)}(x, n) = Q_{(0,0)}^{(\lambda,2)}(x, n)$. The following lemma states upper bounds of $\Pi_\lambda^{(l)}(x, n)$ and their Fourier-Laplace transforms which were proved in [18] by diagrams introduced above and Van Den Berg-Kesten's inequality (see [6]).

Lemma 3.1. For $l \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$, we have

$$\Pi_\lambda^{(l)}(x, n) \leq D_\lambda^{(l)}(x, n) \text{ for } (x, n) \in \mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}, \quad \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(0, s) \leq \widehat{D}_\lambda^{(l)}(0, s) \text{ for } s \in \mathbb{R}.$$

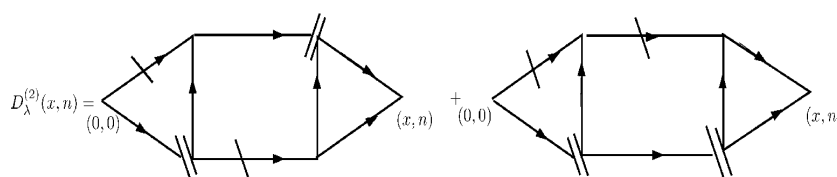


Fig. 2.

To estimate the upper bounds of the Feynman diagrams $\widehat{D}_\lambda^{(l)}(0, s)$ for all $l \in \mathbb{N}$, we have to introduce the triangle functions which are defined in [18].

$$\begin{aligned} T_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(x, n) &= \varphi_\lambda(x, n) \sum_{(u_1, n_1)} \varphi_\lambda(x - u_1, n - n_1) \varphi_\lambda(u_1 - y, n_1 - m), \\ T_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,2)}(x, n) &= \psi_\lambda(x, n) \left\{ \sum_{(u_1, n_1)} \sum_{u \in \mathbb{Z}^d} \varphi_\lambda(x - u_1, n - n_1) \psi_\lambda(u_1 - u, 1) \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times \varphi_\lambda(u - y, n_1 - 1 - m) \right\}, \\ T_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,3)}(x, n) &= \sum_{(u_1, n_1)} \sum_{u \in \mathbb{Z}^d} \varphi_\lambda(u, n - 1) \psi_\lambda(x - u, 1) \varphi_\lambda(x - u_1, n - n_1) \\ &\quad \times \psi_\lambda(u_1 - y, n_1 - m). \end{aligned}$$

They are represented by the diagrams in Figure 3. We have the following lemma which is the same as (32) in [18].

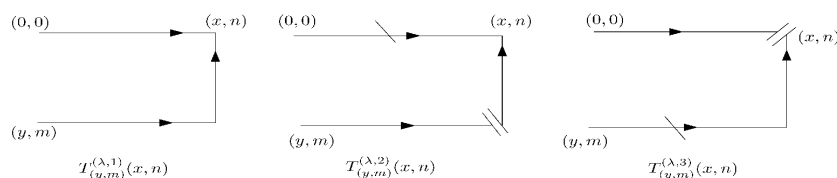


Fig. 3.

Lemma 3.2.

$$\widehat{D}_\lambda^{(l)}(0, s) \leq 2^{l-1} \left[\sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, s) \right] \left[\sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{\lambda,(y,m)}(0, s) \right]^l \quad \text{for } l \in \mathbb{N},$$

where

$$\widehat{T}_{\lambda,(y,m)}(0, s) = \max \left\{ \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,2)}(0, s), \quad \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,3)}(0, s) \right\}.$$

Define

$$\delta_{k_j} \widehat{f}(0, s) = \sum_{(x,n)} |x_j| f(x, n) e^{sn}, \quad \delta_z \widehat{f}(0, s) = \sum_{(x,n)} |n| f(x, n) e^{sn},$$

where $f(x, n)$ is any function on $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$ and $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, d\}$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} |\delta_{k_j} \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda^{(0)}(0, s)| &\leq \sup_{(y,m)} \left\{ \sum_{(x,n)} |x_j| Q_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,2)}(x, n) e^{sn} \right\} = \sup_{(y,m)} [\delta_{k_j} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,2)}(0, s)], \\ |\delta_z \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda^{(0)}(0, s)| &\leq \sup_{(y,m)} \left\{ \sum_{(x,n)} |n| Q_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,2)}(x, n) e^{sn} \right\} = \sup_{(y,m)} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial z} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,2)}(0, s) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Clearly, the upper bound of $\delta_a \widehat{D}_\lambda^{(l)}(0, s)$ is also an upper bound of $\delta_a \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda^{(l)}(0, s)$ with $l \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ for $a = k_1, \dots, k_d$ or $a = z$. To estimate $\delta_a \widehat{D}_\lambda^{(l)}(0, s)$, we need to distribute the factors such that $|x_j|$ or n is along the top of the diagram. Using the same technique as in Section 3.2 of [14], we have the following lemma.

Lemma 3.3. For $l \in \mathbb{N}$, $a \in \{k_1, \dots, k_d\}$ or $a = z$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |\delta_a \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda^{(l)}(0, s)| &\leq 2^{l-1} l \left[\sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{\lambda,(y,m)}(0, s) \right]^{l-1} \left[\sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, s) \right] \left[\sup_{(y,m)} \delta_a \widehat{Q}_{\lambda,(y,m)}(0, s) \right] \\ &\quad + 2^{l-1} \left[\sup_{(y,m)} \delta_a \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, s) \right] \left[\sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{\lambda,(y,m)}(0, s) \right]^l, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\widehat{Q}_{\lambda,(y,m)}(0, s) = \max \{ \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,2)}(0, s), \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,3)}(0, s) \}.$$

The upper bounds of the triangle functions and bubble functions in terms of related Fourier-Laplace transforms are stated in the following lemma which was proved in [17].

Lemma 3.4.

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, s) &\leq \int \int |\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, s + it)\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, it)|dkdt, \\ \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,2)}(0, s) &\leq \int \int |\widehat{D}(k)\widehat{\psi}_\lambda(k, s + it)\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, it)|dkdt, \\ \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,3)}(0, s) &\leq e^s \int \int |\widehat{D}(k)\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, s + it)\widehat{\psi}_\lambda(k, it)|dkdt, \\ \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, s) &\leq \int \int |\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, s + it)\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda^2(k, it)|dkdt, \\ \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,2)}(0, s) &\leq \int \int |\widehat{D}(k)\widehat{\psi}_\lambda(k, s + it)\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda^2(k, it)|dkdt, \\ \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,3)}(0, s) &\leq e^s \int \int |\widehat{D}(k)\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, it)\widehat{\psi}_\lambda(k, it)\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, s + it)|dkdt. \end{aligned}$$

Next, we want to estimate the derivatives of the bubble functions in terms of $\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, z)$ and its derivatives. Note that $\varphi_\lambda(x, n) = 0$ if $n < 0$. Using Hausdorff-Young's inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_z \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, s) &= \sup_{(y,m)} \sum_{(x,n)} |n|Q_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(x, n)e^{sn} = \sup_{(y,m)} \sum_{(x,n)} nQ_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(x, n)e^{sn} \\ &= \sup_{(y,m)} \varphi_{\lambda,s,z} * \varphi_\lambda(y, m) \leq \int \int |\widehat{\varphi}_{\lambda,s,z}(k, it)\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, it)|dkdt, \end{aligned}$$

where $\varphi_{\lambda,s,z}(x, n) = \varphi_\lambda(x, n)e^{sn}n$, and

$$\widehat{\varphi}_{\lambda,s,z}(k, it) = \sum_{(x,n)} \varphi_\lambda(x, n)e^{sn}ne^{ik \cdot x}e^{itn} = \frac{\partial}{\partial z}\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, s + it).$$

By this argument, we have the following lemma:

Lemma 3.5.

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_z \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, s) &\leq \int \int |\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, it)\frac{\partial}{\partial z}\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, s + it)|dkdt, \\ \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_z \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,2)}(0, s) &\leq \int \int |\widehat{D}(k)\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, it)\frac{\partial}{\partial z}\widehat{\psi}_\lambda(k, s + it)|dkdt, \\ \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_z \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,3)}(0, s) &\leq e^s \int \int |\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, it)\frac{\partial}{\partial z}[\widehat{D}(k)\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, s + it)]|dkdt. \end{aligned}$$

4. PROOF OF PROPOSITION 1.3

In order to prove Proposition 1.3, we need the following lemma.

Lemma 4.1. *In our infinite layer long-range model on $\mathbb{Z}^d \times \mathbb{Z}$ with $d > 0$, we have*

- (a) *for any n finite, $\varphi_\lambda(x, n)$ and $Z_{\lambda,n}(0)$ are continuous functions of λ on $\lambda \in (0, (2L + 1)^d)$,*
- (b) *m_λ is a continuous function of λ on $\lambda \in (0, \lambda_c]$.*

Proof of Proposition 1.3 (a). If $m_\lambda > 0$, by the definition of m_λ , $E_\lambda(|C(0, 0)|) < \infty$. On the other hand, if $E_\lambda(|C(0, 0)|) < \infty$, by (1.4), there exists $n_1 > 0$ such that $Z_{\lambda,n}(0) \leq u < 1$ for $n \geq n_1$. Then by (1.5), we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Z_{\lambda,n}(0) \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u^{\frac{n}{n_1}},$$

which implies $m_\lambda > 0$ by (1.6). This completes the proof. ■

Proof of Proposition 1.3 (b). From Proposition 1.5 (a) and Lemma 4.1 (c), we have $m_{\lambda_c} \geq 0$. Suppose $m_{\lambda_c} > 0$, since

$$\widehat{\varphi}_{\lambda_c}(0, 0) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{n_0} Z_{\lambda_c,n}(0) + \sum_{n=n_0+1}^{\infty} Z_{\lambda_c,n}(0),$$

and the second term can be made arbitrarily small since $Z_{\lambda_c,n}(0) \sim e^{-nm_{\lambda_c}}$ as n_0 large, by (1.6), and the first term is finite sum of the continuous functions, by Lemma 4.1(a), we have $\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, 0)$ is continuous at $\lambda = \lambda_c$. Then there exists $\lambda_1 > \lambda_c$ such that $\widehat{\varphi}_{\lambda_1}(0, 0) < \infty$, which is contradictory to the definition of λ_c . Hence, $m_{\lambda_c} = 0$. This completes the proof of (b). ■

Proof of Proposition 1.3 (c). For any $0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_c$, from Lemma 4.1 (b), there exists $\lambda_1 < \lambda' < \lambda_c$ such that $0 < m_{\lambda'} - r < m_{\lambda_1} - r$. This implies $\widehat{\varphi}_{\lambda'}(0, r) < \infty$, by the Dominated Convergence theorem and Lemma 4.1 (a), we have

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \lambda_1} \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, r) = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \lambda_1} \sum_{(x,n)} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) e^{rn} = \sum_{(x,n)} \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \lambda_1} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) e^{rn} = \widehat{\varphi}_{\lambda_1}(0, r),$$

Besides, by the Monotone Convergence theorem, for $r < 0$ we have $\lim_{\lambda \uparrow \lambda_c} \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(0, r) = \widehat{\varphi}_{\lambda_c}(0, r)$. This completes the proof of (c). ■

For any n , let $C_{\leq n}(0, 0) = \{x : (x, m) \in C_m(0, 0) \text{ for } m \leq n\}$, and denotes its cardinality by $|C_{\leq n}(0, 0)|$. To prove Lemma 4.1, we use the following lemma. The proof of Lemma 4.2 is the same as the one of Lemma A.5 [1].

Lemma 4.2. *In our infinite layer long-range model, for any finite number n and m , $P_\lambda(|C_{\leq n}(0, 0)| = m)$ is a continuous function of λ .*

Proof of Lemma 4.1. (a). Since for $n < \infty$, $P_\lambda(|C_{\leq n}(0, 0)| = \infty) = 0$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \lambda_1} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) &= \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \lambda_1} P_\lambda((x, n) \in C_n(0, 0)) \\ &= \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \lambda_1} P_\lambda((x, n) \in C(0, 0), |C_{\leq n}(0, 0)| < \infty) \\ &= \varphi_{\lambda_1}(x, n), \end{aligned}$$

where the last equality is by Lemma 4.2. Then $\varphi_\lambda(x, n)$ is a continuous function of λ for any (x, n) with $n < \infty$. Moreover, for any $\lambda \in (0, (2L + 1)^d)$ and $n < \infty$ we have

$$Z_{\lambda, n}(0) = \sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq m} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) + \sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty > m} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) < \infty,$$

where the second term can be made arbitrarily small uniformly, by choosing m large enough and the first term is finite sum of the continuous functions. The proof of (a) is completed. ■

Proof of Lemma 4.1. (b). For any $n < \infty$ and $\lambda_1 \in (0, \lambda_c)$, we have (i). $Z_{\lambda, n}(0) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq mL} \varphi_\lambda(x, n)$ pointwise on $\lambda \in [\lambda_1, \lambda_c]$, (ii). $\{\sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq mL} \varphi_\lambda(x, n)\}_{m < \infty}$ is a sequence of continuous functions on $[\lambda_1, \lambda_c]$ and $Z_{\lambda, n}(0)$ is also a continuous function on $[\lambda_1, \lambda_c]$, (iii) $\sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq mL} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) \leq \sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq (m+1)L} \varphi_\lambda(x, n)$ for all $m \in \mathbb{N}$ and $\lambda \in [\lambda_1, \lambda_c]$. Then, by (i) (ii) and (iii), for any $n < \infty$, we have

$$Z_{\lambda, n}(0) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq mL} \varphi_\lambda(x, n)$$

uniformly on $[\lambda_1, \lambda_c]$. This implies for any $n < \infty$, there exists a $M_n > 1$ which is independent of $\lambda \in [\lambda_1, \lambda_c]$ such that

$$(4.1) \quad \sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty > M_n L} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) \leq \sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq M_n L} \varphi_\lambda(x, n).$$

By the definition of $Z_{\lambda, n}(0)$, for any $\lambda \leq \lambda_c$ and $t \geq 1$,

$$(4.2) \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty > ntL} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Z_{\lambda, n}(0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq ntL} \varphi_\lambda(x, n).$$

By (4.1) – (4.2), there exists a constant $M > 1$ (depending only on λ_1) such that for any $\lambda \in [\lambda_1, \lambda_c]$ and $n \in \mathbb{Z}$,

$$\sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty > nML} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) \leq \sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq nML} \varphi_\lambda(x, n).$$

Then

$$(4.3) \quad Z_{\lambda, n}(0) \leq 2 \sum_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq nML} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) \leq 2(2nML + 1)^d \left\{ \sup_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq nML} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) \right\},$$

and

$$\sup_{\|x\|_\infty > nML} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) \leq 2(2nML + 1)^d \left\{ \sup_{\|x\|_\infty \leq nML} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) \right\}$$

with $n \in \mathbb{Z}$, $\lambda \in [\lambda_1, \lambda_c]$. By (1.5), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq (n+m)ML} \varphi_\lambda(x, n+m) &= \sup_{x: \|x+y\|_\infty \leq (n+m)ML} \varphi_\lambda(x+y, n+m) \\ &\leq \sup_{x: \|x+y\|_\infty \leq (n+m)ML} \sum_y \varphi_\lambda(y, n) \varphi_\lambda(x, m) \\ &\leq \sum_{y: \|y\|_\infty \leq nML} \varphi_\lambda(y, n) \left[\sup_x \varphi_\lambda(x, m) \right] \\ &\quad + \sum_{y: \|y\|_\infty > nML} \varphi_\lambda(y, n) \left[\sup_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq mML} \varphi_\lambda(x, m) \right] \\ &\leq c(2mML)^d \sum_y \varphi_\lambda(y, n) \left[\sup_{\|x\|_\infty \leq mML} \varphi_\lambda(x, m) \right] \\ &\leq c(2mML)^d (2nML)^d \left[\sup_{\|y\|_\infty \leq nML} \varphi_\lambda(y, n) \right] \\ &\quad \times \left[\sup_{\|x\|_\infty \leq mML} \varphi_\lambda(x, m) \right] \end{aligned}$$

for all n, m . Thus, there is a universal constant c such that

$$(4.4) \quad \gamma_{n+m}(\lambda) \leq cd[\log(2nML) + \log(2mML)] + \gamma_n(\lambda) + \gamma_m(\lambda),$$

where

$$\gamma_n(\lambda) = \log \left\{ \sup_{x: \|x\|_\infty \leq nML} \varphi_\lambda(x, n) \right\}.$$

Let $b_n(\lambda) = -\frac{\gamma_n}{n}$, then, by (4.4) and the Generalized Subadditive Limit theorem (see Appendix II in [9]), we have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n(\lambda)$ exists. From (1.6) and (4.3), we have

$$(4.5) \quad |m_\lambda - b_n(\lambda)| \leq \frac{cd \log(2MnL + 1)}{n},$$

for some universal constant c . Thus by (4.5), $b_n(\lambda) \rightarrow m_\lambda$ uniformly as $n \rightarrow \infty$. Also, $b_n(\lambda)$ is a continuous function of λ on $\lambda \in [\lambda_1, \lambda_c]$, by Lemma 4.1 (a) and $\{x : \|x\|_\infty \leq cnL\}$ be only the finite collection. Therefore, m_λ is a continuous function of λ on $\lambda \in [\lambda_1, \lambda_c]$. This completes the proof. ■

5. PROOF OF PROPOSITION 1.4

5.1 Estimates $\widehat{D}(k)$

To prove Proposition 1.4, we first need to analyze $\widehat{D}(k)$. Let $L > 0$ be fixed, and define $B_l = \{x \in \mathbb{Z}^d : (l-1)L < \|x\|_\infty \leq lL\}$ and denote its cardinality by $|B_l|$. Since all B_l are symmetric with respect to the origin, the part of sine in the following sum vanish. Thus we have

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{D}(k) &= \sum_x \sum_{l=1}^\infty \frac{\lambda_0 1_{\{(l-1)L < \|x\|_\infty \leq lL\}}}{l^2 |B_l|} e^{ik \cdot x} \\ &= \sum_{l=1}^\infty \sum_x \frac{\lambda_0 1_{\{(l-1)L < \|x\|_\infty \leq lL\}}}{l^2 |B_l|} [\cos(k \cdot x) + i \sin(k \cdot x)] \\ &= \sum_{l=1}^\infty \sum_{x \in B_l} \frac{\lambda_0 \cos(k \cdot x)}{l^2 |B_l|}, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} &\sum_{x \in B_l} \cos(k_1 x_1 + k_2 x_2 + \dots + k_d x_d) \\ &= \sum_{x \in B_l} \left\{ \cos(k_1 x_1 + k_2 x_2 + \dots + k_{d-1} x_{d-1}) \cos k_d x_d \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \sin(k_1 x_1 + k_2 x_2 + \dots + k_{d-1} x_{d-1}) \sin k_d x_d \right\} \\ &= \sum_{x \in B_l} \cos(k_1 x_1 + k_2 x_2 + \dots + k_{d-1} x_{d-1}) \cos k_d x_d \\ &= \sum_{x \in B_l} \prod_{j=1}^d \cos k_j x_j, \end{aligned}$$

so

$$\widehat{D}(k) = \sum_{l=1}^\infty \frac{\lambda_0}{l^2 |B_l|} \left\{ \sum_{x \in B_l} \prod_{j=1}^d \cos k_j x_j \right\}.$$

For $l \in \mathbb{N}$,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{x \in B_l} &= \sum_{\substack{(l-1)L < x_1 \leq lL \\ -lL \leq x_1 < -(l-1)L}} \sum_{x_2 = -lL}^{lL} \cdots \sum_{x_d = -lL}^{lL} \\ &+ \sum_{x_1 = -(l-1)L}^{(l-1)L} \sum_{\substack{(l-1)L < x_2 \leq lL \\ -lL \leq x_2 < -(l-1)L}} \sum_{x_3 = -lL}^{lL} \cdots \sum_{x_d = -lL}^{lL} \\ &+ \cdots \\ &+ \sum_{x_1 = -(l-1)L}^{(l-1)L} \cdots \sum_{x_{j-1} = -(l-1)L}^{(l-1)L} \sum_{\substack{(l-1)L < x_j \leq lL \\ -lL \leq x_j < -(l-1)L}} \sum_{x_{j+1} = -lL}^{lL} \cdots \sum_{x_d = -lL}^{lL} \\ &+ \cdots \\ &+ \sum_{x_1 = -(l-1)L}^{(l-1)L} \cdots \sum_{x_{d-1} = -(l-1)L}^{(l-1)L} \sum_{\substack{(l-1)L < x_d \leq lL \\ -lL \leq x_d < -(l-1)L}} \end{aligned}$$

and for $j = 1, 2, \dots, d$

$$\begin{aligned} &\sum_{x_1 = -(l-1)L}^{(l-1)L} \cdots \sum_{x_{j-1} = -(l-1)L}^{(l-1)L} \sum_{\substack{(l-1)L < x_j \leq lL \\ -lL \leq x_j < -(l-1)L}} \sum_{x_{j+1} = -lL}^{lL} \cdots \sum_{x_d = -lL}^{lL} \prod_{j=1}^d \cos k_j x_j \\ &= \left[\sum_{x_1 = -(l-1)L}^{(l-1)L} \cos k_1 x_1 \right] \cdots \left[\sum_{x_{j-1} = -(l-1)L}^{(l-1)L} \cos k_{j-1} x_{j-1} \right] \left[2 \sum_{x_j = (l-1)L+1}^{lL} \cos k_j x_j \right] \\ &\times \left[\sum_{x_{j+1} = -lL}^{lL} \cos k_{j+1} x_{j+1} \right] \cdots \left[\sum_{x_d = -lL}^{lL} \cos k_d x_d \right] \\ &= \left[1 + 2 \sum_{x_1 = 1}^{(l-1)L} \cos k_1 x_1 \right] \cdots \left[1 + 2 \sum_{x_{j-1} = 1}^{(l-1)L} \cos k_{j-1} x_{j-1} \right] \left[2 \sum_{m=0}^{L-1} \cos(lL - m)k_j \right] \\ &\times \left[1 + 2 \sum_{x_{j+1} = 1}^{lL} \cos k_{j+1} x_{j+1} \right] \cdots \left[1 + 2 \sum_{x_d = 1}^{lL} \cos k_d x_d \right]. \end{aligned}$$

We have

$$\widehat{D}(k) = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{x \in B_l} \frac{\lambda_0 \prod_{j=1}^d \cos(k_j x_j)}{l^2 |B_l|}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \lambda_0 \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{l^2 |B_l|} \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^d \left[\prod_{\mu=1}^{j-1} \left(1 + 2 \sum_{x_{\mu}=1}^{(l-1)L} \cos k_{\mu} x_{\mu} \right) \right] \left[2 \sum_{m=0}^{L-1} \cos(lL - m) k_j \right] \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \times \left[\prod_{\nu=j+1}^d \left(1 + 2 \sum_{x_{\nu}=1}^{lL} \cos k_{\nu} x_{\nu} \right) \right] \right\} \\
 (5.1) \quad &= \lambda_0 \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^d L}{|B_l|} \sum_{j=1}^d \left\{ \left[\sum_{m=0}^{L-1} \frac{\cos(lL - m) k_j}{l^2 L} \right] \prod_{\mu=1}^{j-1} \left[\frac{1}{2} + \sum_{x_{\mu}=1}^{(l-1)L} \cos k_{\mu} x_{\mu} \right] \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \times \prod_{\nu=j+1}^d \left[\frac{1}{2} + \sum_{x_{\nu}=1}^{lL} \cos k_{\nu} x_{\nu} \right] \right\} \\
 &= \lambda_0 \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^d \left[\sum_{m=0}^{L-1} \frac{\cos(lL - m) k_j}{L l^2} \right] J_l^j(k),
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$(5.2) \quad J_l^j(k) = \frac{\prod_{\mu=1}^{j-1} \left[\frac{1}{2} + \sum_{x_{\mu}=1}^{L(l-1)} \cos k_{\mu} x_{\mu} \right] \prod_{\nu=j+1}^d \left[\frac{1}{2} + \sum_{x_{\nu}=1}^{lL} \cos k_{\nu} x_{\nu} \right]}{A_l},$$

and

$$(5.3) \quad A_l = \frac{|B_l|}{2^d L} = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2} + lL \right)^d}{L} \left[1 - \left(\frac{\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L}{\frac{1}{2} + lL} \right)^d \right].$$

Let $g_l(r) = \frac{6}{\pi^2} \sum_{m=0}^{L-1} \frac{\cos(Ll-m)r}{Ll^2}$ for $l \in \mathbb{N}$ and $g_l(r) = 0$ for $l \leq 0$. By (5.1) and recall $\lambda_0 = \frac{6}{\pi^2}$, we have

$$(5.4) \quad \widehat{D}(k) = \frac{\pi^2 \lambda_0}{6} \sum_{j=1}^d \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} [g_l(k_j) J_l^j(k)] = \sum_{j=1}^d \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} [g_l(k_j) J_l^j(k)].$$

Suppose k with $\|k\|_{\infty}$ tends to 0, it is easy to see that $\sum_{j=1}^d J_l^j(k)$ tends to 1. Then we define $G(r) = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} g_l(r)$ for $r \in [-\pi, \pi]$ and use it to control $\widehat{D}(k)$. From trigonometric series [24], we have

$$(5.5) \quad G(r) = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} g_l(r) = f_1(r) f_2(r) + f_3(r) f_4(r)$$

with

$$(5.6) \quad f_1(r) = \frac{6}{\pi^2} \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(Llr)}{l^2} = 1 - \frac{3}{\pi}L|r| + \frac{3}{2\pi^2}L^2r^2,$$

$$(5.7) \quad f_3(r) = \frac{6}{\pi^2} \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(Llr)}{l^2} = \frac{6}{\pi^2} \left\{ -(\log 2)Lr - \int_0^{Lr} \log \left| \sin \frac{t}{2} \right| dt \right\},$$

$$(5.8) \quad f_2(r) = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{m=0}^{L-1} \cos(mr) = \frac{1}{L} \frac{\sin(\frac{2L-1}{2}r) + \sin(\frac{r}{2})}{2 \sin(\frac{r}{2})},$$

$$(5.9) \quad f_4(r) = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{m=0}^{L-1} \sin(mr) = \frac{1}{L} \frac{\cos(\frac{r}{2}) - \cos(\frac{2L-1}{2}r)}{2 \sin(\frac{r}{2})}.$$

The behavior of $f_1(r)$, $f_2(r)$, $f_3(r)$ and $f_4(r)$ is stated in the following three lemmas.

Lemma 5.1. (a). $f_1(r)$ is an even function and strictly decreasing for $|r| \leq \frac{\pi}{L}$ with $f_1(\frac{3-\sqrt{3}}{3L}) = 0$, $f_1(\frac{\pi}{L}) = \frac{-1}{2}$,
 (b). $f_3(r)$ is a odd function, strictly increasing for $r \in [0, \frac{\pi}{3L}]$ with $f_3(\frac{\pi}{3L}) \leq 0.64$ and strictly decreasing for $r \in [\frac{\pi}{3L}, \frac{\pi}{L}]$ with $f_3(\frac{\pi}{L}) \geq 0$,
 (c). For $|r| \leq \frac{\pi}{4L+1}$,

$$1 - \frac{3}{\pi}L|r| \leq f_1(r) \leq 1 - \frac{21L|r|}{8\pi},$$

and

$$\frac{6Lr}{\pi^2} \{1 - \log(Lr)\} \leq |f_3(r)| \leq \frac{6L|r|}{\pi^2} \{1.12 - \log(L|r|)\}.$$

Proof. (a) and (b) are obvious by (5.6) and (5.7). Since $0.89u \leq u - \frac{u^3}{6} \leq \sin u \leq u$ for $u \in [0, \frac{\pi}{4}]$, we have, by (5.7),

$$\begin{aligned} |f_3(r)| &\leq \frac{6}{\pi^2} \left\{ -(\log 2)Lr - \int_0^{Lr} \log(0.89 \frac{t}{2}) dt \right\} \\ &= \frac{6Lr}{\pi^2} \{ -\log 0.89 + 1 - \log(Lr) \} \leq \frac{6Lr}{\pi^2} \{ -\log(L|r|) + 1.12 \}, \end{aligned}$$

and $|f_3(r)| \geq \frac{6Lr}{\pi^2} \{1 - \log(Lr)\}$ for $r \in [0, \frac{\pi}{4L+1}]$. By (5.6), we have $\frac{21}{8\pi}L|r| \leq 1 - f_1(r) \leq \frac{3L|r|}{\pi}$ for $|r| \leq \frac{\pi}{4L+1}$. This completes the proof. ■

Lemma 5.2. For $|r| \leq \frac{\pi}{4L+1}$, we have $1 - \frac{(L-1)(2L-1)r^2}{12} \leq f_2(r) \leq 1 - \frac{0.94(L-1)(2L-1)r^2}{12}$ and $\frac{0.89r(L-1)}{2} \leq f_4(r) \leq \frac{r(L-1)}{2}$.

Proof. By Taylor's formula, $1 - \frac{u^2}{2} \leq \cos u \leq 1 - \frac{u^2}{2} + \frac{u^4}{24}$. For $|u| < \frac{\pi}{4}$, we have $1 - \frac{|u|^2}{2} \leq \cos u \leq 1 - 0.94\frac{|u|^2}{2}$. Then

$$1 - \frac{(L-1)(2L-1)r^2}{12} \leq \frac{1}{L} \sum_{m=0}^{L-1} \cos(mr) \leq 1 - \frac{0.94(L-1)(2L-1)r^2}{12}.$$

Similarly, by (5.9), $\frac{0.89r(L-1)}{2} \leq f_4(r) \leq \frac{r(L-1)}{2}$ for $|r| \leq \frac{\pi}{4L+1}$. This completes the proof. ■

Lemma 5.3.

- (a) $0 \leq f_2(r) \leq \frac{\sin Lr}{Lr(1-\frac{1}{L^2})} + \frac{1}{2L}$ for $r \in [\frac{\pi}{4L+1}, \frac{\pi}{L}]$,
- (b) $|f_4(r)| \leq \frac{1-\cos Lr}{Lr(1-\frac{1}{L^2})}$ for $r \in [\frac{\pi}{4L+1}, \frac{\pi}{L}]$,
- (c) $|f_2(r)| + |f_4(r)| \leq \frac{2}{n\pi} + \frac{1}{2L}$ for $r \in [\frac{n\pi}{L}, \frac{(n+1)\pi}{L}]$ and $n = 1, 2, \dots, L-1$.

The proof of Lemma 5.3 is similar to the one of Lemma 5.2 and is omitted.

5.2 Proposition 1.4

Let $K_l(r) = \frac{1}{2} + \sum_{m=1}^{Ll} \cos mr$ be the l -th Dirichlet kernel for $l \in \mathbb{N}$. The following lemma is the key lemma to show Proposition 1.4.

Lemma 5.4. *There is a large constant L_1 such that for $L \geq L_1$, we have*

- (a) for $\|k\|_\infty \in [0, \frac{\pi}{4L+1}]$, $|\widehat{D}(k)| \leq |G(\|k\|_\infty)| + 0.48L\|k\|_\infty$,
- (b) for $\|k\|_\infty \in (\frac{\pi}{4L+1}, \frac{\pi}{L}]$, $|\widehat{D}(k)| \leq |G(\|k\|_\infty)| + \frac{6}{\pi^3} + \frac{3}{L\pi^2}$, for $\|k\|_\infty \in (\frac{n\pi}{L}, \frac{(n+1)\pi}{L}]$, with $n = 1, 2, \dots, L-1$, $|\widehat{D}(k)| \leq |G(\|k\|_\infty)| + \frac{6}{n\pi^3} + \frac{3}{L\pi^2}$,
- (c) $|\frac{\partial}{\partial k_\nu} \widehat{D}(k)| \leq c|\frac{d}{dk_\nu} G(k_\nu)|$ with $k \in [-\pi, \pi]^d$, $\nu \in \{1, 2, \dots, d\}$ and $c > 0$.

Proof. Clearly, $\widehat{D}(0) = G(0) = 1$. For any $k \in [-\pi, \pi]^d$ with $\|k\|_\infty = |k_\mu|$, there exists k^∞ such that $k^\infty = \|k\|_\infty e_\mu$. Clearly, $|\widehat{D}(k)| \leq |\widehat{D}(k^\infty)|$. To estimate the upper bound of $|\widehat{D}(k)|$, it is sufficient to estimate $|\widehat{D}(k^\infty)|$.

Let $|k_\mu| = \|k\|_\infty$ for some $\mu \in \{1, 2, \dots, d\}$ and $k = \|k\|_\infty e_\mu$. Clearly, $g_l(k_j) = \frac{6}{\pi^2 l^2}$ for $j \neq \mu$. Then, by (5.2),

$$\begin{aligned}
\widehat{D}(k) &= \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} g_l(k_\mu) J_l^\mu(k) + \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1, j \neq \mu}^d g_l(k_j) J_l^j(k) \\
&= \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} g_l(k_\mu) \frac{(\frac{1}{2} + lL)^{d-\mu} (\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L)^{\mu-1}}{A_l} \\
(5.10) \quad &+ \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{6}{l^2 \pi^2} \left[\sum_{j=1, j \neq \mu}^d J_l^j(k) \right] \\
&= \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} g_l(k_\mu) \frac{(\frac{1}{2} + lL)^{d-1} (r_l)^{\mu-1}}{A_l} + \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{6}{l^2 \pi^2} \left[\sum_{j=1, j \neq \mu}^d J_l^j(k) \right],
\end{aligned}$$

where $r_l = \frac{\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L}{\frac{1}{2} + lL}$. By (5.2)-(5.3),

$$J_l^j(k) = \frac{(\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L)^{j-1} K_l(k_\mu) (\frac{1}{2} + lL)^{d-j-1}}{A_l} \quad \text{for } j < \mu,$$

and

$$J_l^j(k) = \frac{(\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L)^{j-2} K_{l-1}(k_\mu) (\frac{1}{2} + lL)^{d-j}}{A_l} \quad \text{for } j > \mu.$$

With $\frac{6}{l^2 \pi^2} [K_l(k_\mu) - K_{l-1}(k_\mu)] = L g_l(k_\mu)$ and $1 - r_l = \frac{L}{\frac{1}{2} + lL}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{6}{l^2 \pi^2} \left[\sum_{j=1, j \neq \mu}^d J_l^j(k) \right] \\
&= \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{6}{l^2 \pi^2} \left\{ \left[\sum_{j=1}^{\mu-1} (\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L)^{j-1} K_l(k_\mu) (\frac{1}{2} + lL)^{d-j-1} \right] \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \left[\sum_{j=\mu+1}^d (\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L)^{j-2} K_{l-1}(k_\mu) (\frac{1}{2} + lL)^{d-j} \right] \right\} (A_l)^{-1} \\
(5.11) \quad &= \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{6}{l^2 \pi^2} \left\{ \left[\sum_{j=1}^{\mu-1} (\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L)^{j-1} (K_l(k_\mu) - K_{l-1}(k_\mu)) (\frac{1}{2} + lL)^{d-j-1} \right] \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \left[\sum_{j=1}^{d-1} (\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L)^{j-1} K_{l-1}(k_\mu) (\frac{1}{2} + lL)^{d-j-1} \right] \right\} (A_l)^{-1} \\
&= \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} g_l(k_\mu) \frac{(\frac{1}{2} + lL)^{d-1} (1 - r_l^{\mu-1})}{A_l} \\
&\quad + \frac{6}{l^2 \pi^2 L} \frac{(\frac{1}{2} + lL)^{d-1} (1 - r_l^{d-1})}{A_l} K_{l-1}(k_\mu).
\end{aligned}$$

Since $A_l = \frac{(\frac{1}{2}+lL)^d(1-r_l^d)}{L}$, by (5.10)-(5.11), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \widehat{D}(k) &= \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{(\frac{1}{2}+lL)^{d-1}}{A_l} g_l(k_\mu) + \frac{6}{l^2\pi^2 L} \frac{(\frac{1}{2}+lL)^{d-1}(1-r_l^{d-1})}{A_l} K_{l-1}(k_\mu) \right\} \\
 &= \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{g_l(k_\mu)L}{(\frac{1}{2}+lL)(1-r_l^d)} + \frac{6}{l^2\pi^2} \frac{(1-r_l^{d-1})}{(\frac{1}{2}+lL)(1-r_l^d)} K_{l-1}(k_\mu) \right\}.
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.12}$$

Due to $g_l(k_\mu) = \frac{6}{l^2\pi^2 L} [K_l(k_\mu) - K_{l-1}(k_\mu)]$, by (5.12),

$$\begin{aligned}
 \widehat{D}(k) &= G(k_\mu) - \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \left(1 - \frac{1-r_l}{1-r_l^d}\right) g_l(k_\mu) - \frac{6}{l^2\pi^2} \frac{(1-r_l^{d-1})}{(\frac{1}{2}+lL)(1-r_l^d)} K_{l-1}(k_\mu) \right\} \\
 &= G(k_\mu) - \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{r_l(1-r_l^{d-1})}{1-r_l^d} g_l(k_\mu) - \frac{6}{l^2\pi^2} \frac{(1-r_l)(1-r_l^{d-1})}{L(1-r_l^d)} K_{l-1}(k_\mu) \right\} \\
 &= G(k_\mu) - \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{6(1-r_l^{d-1})}{l^2\pi^2 L(1-r_l^d)} [r_l K_l(k_\mu) - K_{l-1}(k_\mu)] \right\}.
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.13}$$

Then

$$\widehat{D}(k) - G(k_\mu) = \frac{6}{l^2\pi^2 L} S_1(k_\mu) - S_2(k_\mu),
 \tag{5.14}$$

where

$$S_1(k_\mu) = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{1-r_l^{d-1}}{1-r_l^d}\right) [r_l K_l(k_\mu) - K_{l-1}(k_\mu)],$$

and

$$S_2(k_\mu) = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{6}{\pi^2 l^2 L} [r_l K_l(k_\mu) - K_{l-1}(k_\mu)].$$

From $K_l(k_\mu) = \frac{\sin(lL+\frac{1}{2})k_\mu}{2\sin\frac{1}{2}k_\mu}$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 &r_l K_l(k_\mu) - K_{l-1}(k_\mu) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \cot\left(\frac{k_\mu}{2}\right) [\sin(lLk_\mu)(r_l - \cos Lk_\mu) + \cos(lLk_\mu) \sin(Lk_\mu)] \right. \\
 &\quad \left. - \sin(lLk_\mu) \sin(Lk_\mu) + \cos(lLk_\mu)(r_l - \cos Lk_\mu) \right\}.
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{5.15}$$

For $|k_\mu| \leq \frac{\pi}{4L+1}$, we have $r_l - \cos(Lk_\mu) = \frac{-L}{\frac{1}{2}+lL} + 1 - \cos(Lk_\mu)$. Then by

(5.15), (5.6) and (5.7),

$$\begin{aligned}
S_2(k_\mu) &= \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{3}{l^2 \pi^2 L} \left\{ \cot\left(\frac{k_\mu}{2}\right) \left[\left(\frac{-L}{\frac{1}{2} + lL} + 1 - \cos Lk_\mu\right) \sin lLk_\mu \right. \right. \\
&\quad \left. \left. + \sin Lk_\mu \cos lLk_\mu \right] - \sin Lk_\mu \sin lLk_\mu \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \left(\frac{-L}{\frac{1}{2} + lL} + 1 - \cos Lk_\mu\right) \cos lLk_\mu \right\} \\
&= \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{3}{l^2 \pi^2 L} \left\{ \frac{-L \sin(lL + \frac{1}{2})k_\mu}{(\frac{1}{2} + lL)(\sin \frac{k_\mu}{2})} + \cot \frac{k_\mu}{2} [(1 - \cos Lk_\mu) \sin lLk_\mu \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \sin Lk_\mu \cos lLk_\mu] - \sin Lk_\mu \sin lLk_\mu + (1 - \cos Lk_\mu) \cos lLk_\mu \right\} \\
&= \frac{-\int_0^{k_\mu} \left[\sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{3}{l^2 \pi^2} \cos(lL + \frac{1}{2})t \right] dt}{\sin \frac{k_\mu}{2}} + \frac{1}{2L} \left\{ \cot \frac{k_\mu}{2} [(1 - \cos Lk_\mu) f_3(k_\mu) \right. \\
(5.16) \quad &\quad \left. + \sin Lk_\mu f_1(k_\mu)] - \sin Lk_\mu f_3(k_\mu) + (1 - \cos Lk_\mu) f_1(k_\mu) \right\} \\
&= \frac{-\int_0^{k_\mu} [f_1(t) \cos \frac{t}{2} - f_3(t) \sin \frac{t}{2}] dt + \frac{\cos \frac{k_\mu}{2}}{L} \sin Lk_\mu f_1(k_\mu)}{2 \sin \frac{k_\mu}{2}} \\
&\quad + \frac{(1 - \cos Lk_\mu)}{2L} \left[\cot \frac{k_\mu}{2} f_3(k_\mu) - \frac{\sin Lk_\mu f_3(k_\mu)}{(1 - \cos Lk_\mu)} + f_1(k_\mu) \right] \\
&\geq \frac{-\int_0^{k_\mu} f_1(t) \cos \frac{t}{2} dt + \frac{\cos \frac{k_\mu}{2}}{L} \sin Lk_\mu f_1(k_\mu)}{2 \sin \frac{k_\mu}{2}} \\
&\geq \frac{-[k_\mu - \frac{3Lk_\mu^2}{2\pi} + \frac{L^2 k_\mu^3}{6\pi^2}] + \frac{1}{L} [Lk_\mu - \frac{(Lk_\mu)^3}{6}] [1 - \frac{3Lk_\mu}{\pi} + \frac{3L^2 k_\mu^2}{2\pi^2}]}{k_\mu} \\
&\geq -\frac{3Lk_\mu}{2\pi},
\end{aligned}$$

for $|k_\mu| \leq \frac{\pi}{4L+1}$. By the definition of the l -th Dirichlet's kernel $K_l(r)$ and r_l , it is easy to see that

$$r_1 K_1(k_\mu) - K_0(k_\mu) = \left(\frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2} + L}\right) \frac{\sin(\frac{1}{2} + L)k_\mu}{2 \sin \frac{k_\mu}{2}} - \frac{1}{2} \leq 0.$$

For $l > 1$, since $\frac{1}{r_l} = 1 + \frac{L}{\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L}$, let $u = Lk_\mu \in (0, \frac{\pi}{4}]$, we have

$$1 - \frac{1 - r_l^{d-1}}{1 - r_l^d} = \frac{r_l^{d-1}}{1 + r_l + r_l^2 + \dots + r_l^{d-1}} = \frac{L}{[\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L] [(1 + \frac{L}{\frac{1}{2} + (l-1)L})^d - 1]}$$

$$= \frac{1}{d + c_l},$$

with $c_l \geq 0$. For $|Lk_\mu| = |u| \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$, we have, by (5.15),

$$(5.17) \quad S_1(k_\mu) \leq \sum_{l=2}^{\infty} \frac{L}{u(d + c_l)} \left\{ \sin lu \left(\frac{-1}{l} + \frac{u^2}{2} \right) + \cos lu \left[u + \frac{u}{L} \left(\frac{-1}{l} + \frac{u^2}{2} \right) \right] \right\}$$

$$\leq \sum_{l=2}^{[\frac{\pi}{u}]} \frac{L}{ud} \left\{ \sin lu \left(\frac{-1}{l} + \frac{u^2}{2} \right) + \cos lu \left[u + \frac{u}{L} \left(\frac{-1}{l} + \frac{u^2}{2} \right) \right] \right\}$$

$$+ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left\{ \sum_{l=1}^{[\frac{\pi}{u}]} \frac{L}{u(d + c_{n[\frac{\pi}{u}] + l})} \times \left[\sin lu \left(\frac{-1}{n[\frac{\pi}{u}] + l} + \frac{u^2}{2} \right) \right. \right.$$

$$\left. \left. + \cos lu \left(u + \frac{u}{L} \left(\frac{-1}{n[\frac{\pi}{u}] + l} + \frac{u^2}{2} \right) \right) \right] \right\}$$

$$= \sum_{l=2}^{[\frac{\pi}{u}]} \frac{L}{ud} \left\{ \sin lu \left(\frac{-1}{l} + \frac{u^2}{2} \right) + \cos lu \left[u + \frac{u}{L} \left(\frac{-1}{l} + \frac{u^2}{2} \right) \right] \right\}$$

$$+ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n R_n(u).$$

For $lu \leq \pi$ with $l > 1$, we have

$$\sin lu \left(\frac{-1}{l} + \frac{u^2}{2} \right) + \cos lu \left[u + \frac{u}{L} \left(\frac{-1}{l} + \frac{u^2}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$\leq \left(lu - \frac{l^3 u^3}{6} \right) \left(\frac{-1}{l} + \frac{u^2}{2} \right) + u \left(1 - \frac{u^2 l^2}{2} + \frac{u^4 l^4}{24} \right) < 0.$$

Similarly, we have $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n R_n(u) < 0$ since $R_n(u)$ is positive and strictly decreasing of n . This implies $S_1(k_\mu) < 0$, by (5.17). Therefore, for $0 < k_\mu \leq \frac{\pi}{4L+1}$ and large L , we have, by (5.14) and (5.16)-(5.17),

$$(5.18) \quad |\widehat{D}(k) - G(k_\mu)| \leq \frac{3Lk_\mu}{2\pi} \leq 0.48Lk_\mu.$$

This completes the proof of (a).

To show (b), since

$$\frac{r_l}{l^2} \left(\frac{1 - r_l^{d-1}}{1 - r_l^d} \right) - \frac{1}{(l+1)^2} \left(\frac{1 - r_{l+1}^{d-1}}{1 - r_{l+1}^d} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{l^2} \left[1 - \frac{1}{1 + r_l + \dots + r_l^{d-1}} \right] - \frac{1}{(l+1)^2} \left[1 - \frac{r_{l+1}^d}{1 + r_{l+1} + \dots + r_{l+1}^{d-1}} \right],$$

we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{l^2} - \frac{1}{(l+1)^2} &\geq \frac{r_l}{l^2} \left(\frac{1-r_l^{d-1}}{1-r_l^d} \right) - \frac{1}{(l+1)^2} \left(\frac{1-r_{l+1}^{d-1}}{1-r_{l+1}^d} \right) \\ &\geq \frac{1}{l^2} - \frac{1}{(l+1)^2} - \frac{1}{l^2[1+r_l+\dots+r_l^{d-1}]}. \end{aligned}$$

This implies $\frac{r_l}{l^2} \left(\frac{1-r_l^{d-1}}{1-r_l^d} \right) - \frac{1}{(l+1)^2} \left(\frac{1-r_{l+1}^{d-1}}{1-r_{l+1}^d} \right)$ is non-negative and monotone decreasing sequence. For $k = \|k\|_\infty e_\mu$ and $\|k\|_\infty \in (\frac{\pi}{4L+1}, \frac{\pi}{L})$, we have, by (5.13),

$$\begin{aligned} (5.19) \quad |\widehat{D}(k) - G(k_\mu)| &= \left| - \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{6(1-r_l^{d-1})}{\pi^2(1-r_l^d)l^2L} [r_l K_l(k_\mu) - K_{l-1}(k_\mu)] \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{3}{L\pi^2} \frac{1-r_1^{d-1}}{1-r_1^d} - \frac{6}{L\pi^2} \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{r_l}{l^2} \left(\frac{1-r_l^{d-1}}{1-r_l^d} \right) \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. - \frac{1}{(l+1)^2} \left(\frac{1-r_{l+1}^{d-1}}{1-r_{l+1}^d} \right) \right] \times \frac{\sin(lL + \frac{1}{2})k_\mu}{2 \sin \frac{1}{2}k_\mu} \right| \\ &\leq \frac{3}{L\pi^2} + \frac{6}{L\pi^2} \sum_{l=2}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1}{l^2} - \frac{1}{(l+1)^2} \right] \frac{1}{k_\mu} \\ &\leq \frac{3}{L\pi^2} + \frac{6}{\pi^3}. \end{aligned}$$

By the same way, we have $|\widehat{D}(k) - G(k_\mu)| \leq \frac{3}{L\pi^2} + \frac{6}{n\pi^3}$ for $k = \|k\|_\infty e_\mu$ and $\|k\|_\infty \in (\frac{n\pi}{L}, \frac{(n+1)\pi}{L}]$ with $n = 1, 2, \dots, L-1$. This completes the proof of (b).

To prove (c), for $\nu \in \{1, 2, \dots, d\}$, clearly, $|\frac{\partial}{\partial \nu} \widehat{D}(k)| \leq |\frac{\partial}{\partial \nu} \widehat{D}(k^\nu)|$, where $k^\nu = k_\nu e_\nu$. Since $\frac{6}{\pi^2} K_{l-1}(r) = L[\frac{6}{2\pi^2} + \sum_{m=1}^{l-1} g_m(r)m^2]$, by (5.12) and Fubini's theorem, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |\frac{\partial}{\partial \nu} \widehat{D}(k^\nu)| &= \left| \frac{d}{d_\nu} \left\{ \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{g_l(k_\nu)L}{(\frac{1}{2} + lL)(1-r_l^d)} + \frac{6}{l^2\pi^2} \frac{(1-r_l^{d-1})}{(\frac{1}{2} + lL)(1-r_l^d)} K_{l-1}(k_\nu) \right\} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{d}{d_\nu} \left\{ \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{g_l(k_\nu)L}{(\frac{1}{2} + lL)(1-r_l^d)} + \frac{L(1-r_l^{d-1})}{l^2(\frac{1}{2} + lL)(1-r_l^d)} \left[\frac{6}{2\pi^2} + \sum_{m=1}^{l-1} g_m(k_\nu)m^2 \right] \right\} \right| \\ &\leq \left| \frac{d}{d_\nu} \left\{ \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \frac{g_l(k_\nu)L}{(\frac{1}{2} + lL)(1-r_l^d)} + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} [cg_m(k_\nu) + c'] \right\} \right| \leq c_1 \left| \frac{d}{d_\nu} G(k_\nu) \right| \end{aligned}$$

with some positive constants c, c' and c_1 . This completes the proof of (c). ■

Proof of Proposition 1.4. By Lemma 5.1 – 5.2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & |G(k_j)| \\ & \leq \left[1 - \frac{21}{8\pi}L|k_j|\right] \left[1 - 0.156(L-1)^2k_j^2\right] + \frac{3|k_j|^2L(L-1)}{\pi^2} [1.2 - \log |Lk_j|] \\ & \leq 1 - 0.6L|k_j| \end{aligned}$$

for $k \in \{k : \|k\|_\infty \leq \frac{\pi}{4L+1}\}$. By Lemma 5.4 (a), there exists $L_1 > 0$, for any $L \geq L_1$,

$$|\widehat{D}(k)| \leq 1 - 0.6L\|k_j\|_\infty + 0.48L\|k_j\|_\infty = 1 - 0.12L\|k\|_\infty \leq 1 - \frac{0.12L}{d}\|k\|_1.$$

Similarly, by Lemma 5.4 and Lemma 5.3,

$$\begin{aligned} |\widehat{D}(k)| & \leq \sup_{j \in \{1, 2, \dots, d\}} |G(k_j)| + \frac{3}{L\pi^2} + \frac{6}{\pi^3} \\ & \leq \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left[\frac{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}{\frac{\pi}{4}(1 - \frac{1}{L^2})} + \frac{1}{2L}\right] + 0.64 \left(\frac{1 - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}{\frac{\pi}{4}(1 - \frac{1}{L^2})}\right) + \frac{3}{L\pi^2} + \frac{6}{\pi^3} < 0.95 \end{aligned}$$

with $k \in \{k : \frac{\pi}{4L+1} < \|k\|_\infty < \frac{\pi}{L}\}$, and

$$\begin{aligned} |\widehat{D}(k)| & \leq |G(\|k\|_\infty)| + \frac{6}{n\pi^3} \leq |f_2(\|k\|_\infty)| + |f_4(\|k\|_\infty)| + \frac{6}{n\pi^3} \\ & \frac{2}{n\pi} + \frac{1}{2L} + \frac{6}{n\pi^3} \leq \frac{9}{10n} \end{aligned}$$

with $\|k\|_\infty \in (\frac{n\pi}{L}, \frac{(n+1)\pi}{L}]$, $n = 1, \dots, L-1$. This completes the proof. ■

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Proof of Proposition 1.5. We use the the following propositions to prove Proposition 1.5.

Proposition 6.1. *For any dimension $d > 2$, there exist constants L_0, c_1, c_2 and c_3 such that for $L \geq L_0$ and $n = 1, 2$, we have*

$$(6.1) \quad \int \frac{|\widehat{D}(k)|}{(1 - |\widehat{D}(k)|)^n} dk \leq \frac{c_1 \log L}{L},$$

$$(6.2) \quad \int \frac{|\widehat{D}(k)|^2}{(1 - |\widehat{D}(k)|)^n} dk \leq \frac{c_2}{L}.$$

Proof. Let $R_1 = [-\frac{\pi}{4L+1}, \frac{\pi}{4L+1}]^d$, $R_2 = [-\frac{\pi}{L}, \frac{\pi}{L}]^d$, by Proposition 1.6, for $d > 2$ there exists $\sigma \in (0, 1)$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{|\widehat{D}(k)|}{1 - |\widehat{D}(k)|} dk &= \left(\frac{1}{2\pi}\right)^d \left\{ \int_{k \in R_2} \frac{|\widehat{D}(k)|}{1 - |\widehat{D}(k)|} dk + \int_{k \in [-\pi, \pi]^d \setminus R_2} \frac{|\widehat{D}(k)|}{1 - |\widehat{D}(k)|} dk \right\} \\ &\leq \left(\frac{1}{2\pi}\right)^d \left\{ \int_{k \in R_1} \frac{1}{\frac{0.12L}{d} \|k\|_1} dk + \frac{1}{1 - 0.95} \int_{k \in R_2 \setminus R_1} |\widehat{D}(k)| dk \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \sum_{l=1}^{L-1} 2 \int_{\frac{l\pi}{L}}^{\frac{(l+1)\pi}{L}} \left(\frac{9(2\pi)^{d-1}}{10l(1 - \frac{9}{10l})}\right) dk_\mu \right\} \\ &\leq c \frac{\log L}{L}, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\int \frac{|\widehat{D}(k)|}{(1 - |\widehat{D}(k)|)^2} dk \leq \frac{c}{L^d} + \sum_{l=1}^{L-1} \frac{9}{10l(1 - \frac{9}{10l})^2 L} \leq c \frac{\log L}{L}.$$

By above argument, we obtain the inequalities (6.2) for $d > 2$. This completes the proof. ■

Proposition 6.2. *For any dimension $d > 2$, there exists $L_1 > 0$ and universal constant c such that for $L \geq L_1$, $r > 1$, $n = 1, 2$ and $\nu \in \{1, 2, \dots, d\}$, we have*

$$\int \frac{|\frac{\partial}{\partial k_\nu} \widehat{D}(k)|^r}{(1 - |\widehat{D}(k)|)^n} dk \leq \frac{c}{L}, \quad \int \frac{|\frac{\partial}{\partial k_\nu} \widehat{D}(k)|}{(1 - |\widehat{D}(k)|)^n} dk \leq \frac{c \log L}{L}$$

Proof. By (5.6)-(5.9), for $|r| \in [\frac{n\pi}{L}, \frac{(n+1)\pi}{L}]$, $n \in \{0, 1, \dots, L - 1\}$, we have $f_j(r) \leq 1$ with $j = 2, 4$

$$\begin{aligned} |f_j(r)| &\leq \min\left\{\frac{c}{Lr}, 1\right\}, \quad |f'_j(r)| \leq \frac{c}{|Lr|^2}, \\ |f'_1(r)| &\leq cL, \quad |f'_3(r)| \leq cL + c'L|\log L(r - \frac{n\pi}{L})|. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, for $|r| \leq \frac{\pi}{L}$, we have $|\frac{d}{dr}G(r)| \leq c_1 + c_2|\log Lr|$ with some constants c_1, c_2 . For $\frac{n\pi}{L} \leq r \leq \frac{(n+1)\pi}{L}$, we have $|\frac{d}{dr}G(r)| \leq \frac{c'_1}{n} + c'_2 \frac{|\log L(r - \frac{n\pi}{L})|}{n}$, $n \in$

$\{1, \dots, L - 1\}$. Then by Lemma 5.4 (c) and Proposition 1.6, for $d > 2$, there exists $\sigma_1 > 0$, such that

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{|\frac{\partial}{\partial k_\nu} \widehat{D}(k)|^r}{|1 - \widehat{D}(k)|} dk &\leq \left(\frac{1}{\pi}\right)^d \int_{k \in [0, \frac{\pi}{L}]^d} \frac{(c_1 + c_2 |\log Lk_\nu|)^r}{\frac{\sigma_1 L \|k\|_1}{d}} dk \\ &+ c \sum_{l=1}^{L-1} \int_{\frac{l\pi}{L}}^{\frac{(l+1)\pi}{L}} \frac{[c'_1 + c'_2 |\log L(k_\nu - \frac{l\pi}{L})|]^r}{l^r (1 - \frac{9}{10l})} dk_\nu \\ &\leq \frac{c}{L} \left\{ \int_0^\pi t^{d-2} [(c_1) + (c_2) |\log t|] dt + \sum_{l=1}^{L-1} \int_0^\pi \frac{(c'_1 + c'_2 |\log t|)^r}{l^r (1 - \frac{9}{10l})} dt \right\} \\ &\leq c \sum_{l=1}^{L-1} \frac{1}{l^r} (L)^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

By above argument, this lemma follows. ■

Let $S(x, n)$ denote the two-point function of the random walk on \mathbb{Z}^d with 1-step transition function $D(x)$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $S(x, n) = 0$ for all $x \in \mathbb{Z}^d$, $n \leq 0$ and $S_0(x, n) = S(x, n) + \delta(x, n)$. For $\lambda = \lambda_0$, we have, by Hölder's inequality,

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0,0) &= \sup_{(y,m)} \sum_{(x,n)} |x_\mu| \varphi_\lambda(x - y, n - m) \varphi_\lambda(x, n) \\ (6.3) \qquad \qquad \qquad &\leq \|\varphi_\lambda(x, n)\|_{\frac{3}{2}} \|x_\mu \varphi_\lambda(x, n)\|_3 \\ &\leq \|S_0(x, n)\|_{\frac{3}{2}} \|x_\mu S_0(x, n)\|_3. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\sum_x S(x, n) = 1$ for all n

$$\sum_{(x,n)} S(x, n)^{\frac{3}{2}} = \sum_{n=1}^\infty \left[\sum_x S(x, n)^{\frac{3}{2}} \right] \leq \sum_{n=1}^\infty \left\{ \sup_x S(x, n)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right\} = \sum_{n=1}^\infty \left\{ \sup_x S(x, n) \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}},$$

by Hausdorff-Young's inequality, let $R_1 = [-\frac{\pi}{4L+1}, \frac{\pi}{4L+1}]^d$ and $R_2 = [-\frac{\pi}{L}, \frac{\pi}{L}]^d$, we have, for $d > 2$,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{(x,n)} S(x, n)^{\frac{3}{2}} &\leq \sum_{n=1}^\infty \left\{ \int |\widehat{D}(k)|^n dk \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ (6.4) \qquad \qquad \qquad &= \sum_{n=1}^\infty \left(\frac{1}{2\pi}\right)^d \left\{ \int_{k_\mu \in R_1} |\widehat{D}(k)|^n dk + \int_{k_\mu \in R_2 \setminus R_1} |\widehat{D}(k)|^n dk \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \int_{k_\mu \in [-\pi, \pi]^d \setminus R_2} |\widehat{D}(k)|^n dk \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{c_0}{L^d(n+1) \cdots (n+d)} + \frac{c_1(0.95)^n}{L^d} + \frac{c_2}{L} \sum_{l=1}^L \left(\frac{9}{10l}\right)^n \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{c}{n^d L^d}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} + \left(\frac{c' \log L}{L}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq c \left(\frac{\log L}{L}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

with universal constants c . From (6.3), (6.4) and Hausdorff-Young’s inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0,0) &\leq \left\{ 1 + \tau_{\frac{3}{2}} \left(\frac{\log L}{L}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \right\} \|x_\mu S_0(x,n)\|_3 \\ (6.5) \qquad \qquad \qquad &\leq \left\{ 1 + \tau_{\frac{3}{2}} \left(\frac{\log L}{L}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \right\} \left\{ \iint \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial k_\mu} \widehat{S}_0(k,it) \right|^{\frac{3}{2}} dkdt \right\}^{\frac{2}{3}} \end{aligned}$$

for some universal constants $\tau_{\frac{3}{2}}$. By the same argument, we also have

$$(6.6) \quad \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0,0) \leq \tau_{\frac{3}{2}} \left(\frac{\log L}{L}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \left\{ \iint \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial k_\mu} \widehat{S}_0(k,it) \right|^{\frac{3}{2}} dkdt \right\}^{\frac{2}{3}}.$$

with $j = 2, 3$.

Remark 6.1. In (6.5), we obtain the upper bound of $\delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0,0)$ which is different from the upper bound of $\delta_z \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0,0)$ in Lemma 3.5. If we follows this method, we have

$$\sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0,0) = \sup_{(y,m)} \varphi_\lambda^\mu * \varphi_\lambda(y,m) \leq \iint |\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda^\mu(k,it) \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k,it)| dkdt,$$

where $\varphi_\lambda^\mu(x,n) = |x_\mu| \varphi_\lambda(x,n)$. We can not control $\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda^\mu(k,it)$ since $\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda^\mu(k,it)$ is not equal to $\frac{\partial}{\partial k_\mu} \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k,it)$ for any $\mu \in \{1, 2, \dots, d\}$. If we use Hausdorff-Young inequality

$$\sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0,0) \leq \left\{ \iint |\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k,it)|^2 dkdt \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \left\{ \iint \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial k_\mu} \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k,it) \right|^2 dkdt \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}},$$

this right hand side is divergence for the dimension $d = 3$.

Proof of Proposition 1.5 For $\lambda = \lambda_0$, by Proposition 6.2, (6.5)-(6.6) and Lemma 3.4 – 3.5, for any $d > 2$ there exists an L_1 (depending on d) and universal constant

c such that

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0,0) &\leq c, & \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0,0) &\leq c, \\ \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_z \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0,0) &\leq c \frac{\log L}{L}, & \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0,0) &\leq \frac{c}{L^{\frac{2}{3}}}, \\ \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0,0) &\leq c \frac{\log L}{L}, & \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0,0) &\leq \frac{c}{L}, \\ \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_z \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0,0) &\leq \frac{c}{L}, & \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0,0) &\leq c \frac{(\log L)^{\frac{1}{3}}}{L}, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0,0) \leq c \int \frac{\widehat{D}(k)^2}{[1 - \widehat{D}(k)]^2} dk \leq \frac{c}{L_1} < \frac{1}{2},$$

for $j \in \{2, 3\}$. By Lemma 3.1 – 3.3, we obtain Proposition 1.5. This completes the proof. ■

Proof of Proposition 1.6

Since (P_4) is satisfied, from (1.5), (2.7) and (6.3), $|\widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, m_\lambda - s + it)| \leq c|\widehat{S}_0(k, -s + it)|$ and $|\widehat{\psi}_\lambda(k, m_\lambda - s + it)| \leq c|\widehat{S}(k, -s + it)|$, moreover, from (1.17), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial k_\mu} \widehat{\varphi}_\lambda(k, m_\lambda - s + it) \right| &= \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial k_\mu} \left[\frac{1 + \widehat{\Pi}_\lambda(k, m_\lambda - s + it)}{F(k, m_\lambda - s + it)} \right] \right| \\ (6.7) \qquad \qquad \qquad &\leq \frac{c}{|1 - \widehat{D}(k)e^{-s+it}|^2} \\ &\leq c \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial k_\mu} \widehat{S}(k, -s + it) \right| \end{aligned}$$

with universal constant c for any $k \in [-\pi, \pi]^d$ and $s \in (0, 1)$. By Hölder’s inequality,

$$\begin{aligned} &\sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, m_\lambda - s) \\ (6.8) \qquad &= \sup_{(y,m)} \sum_{(x,n)} |x_\mu| \varphi_\lambda(x - y, n - m) \varphi_\lambda(x, n) e^{(m_\lambda - s)n} \\ &\leq \|\varphi_\lambda(x, n)\|_{\frac{3}{2}} \|x_\mu \varphi_\lambda(x, n) e^{(m_\lambda - s)n}\|_3. \end{aligned}$$

Since $m_\lambda > 0$ for $\lambda \in (0, \lambda_c)$, from (6.4),

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{(x,n)} \psi_\lambda(x,n)^{\frac{3}{2}} &= \lim_{s \uparrow m_\lambda} \sum_{(x,n)} \{\psi_\lambda(x,n)e^{(m_\lambda-s)n}\}^{\frac{3}{2}} \\
&\leq c \lim_{s \uparrow m_\lambda} \sum_{(x,n)} \{S(x,n)e^{-sn}\}^{\frac{3}{2}} \\
(6.9) \quad &= c \sum_{(x,n)} \{S(x,n)e^{-m_\lambda n}\}^{\frac{3}{2}} \\
&\leq c \sum_{(x,n)} \{S(x,n)\}^{\frac{3}{2}} \leq c \left(\frac{\log L}{L}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}},
\end{aligned}$$

By (6.7)-(6.9), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(6.10) \quad \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, m_\lambda - s) &\leq \left\{1 + \tau_{\frac{3}{2}}\right\} \left(\frac{\log L}{L}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \left\{\iint |\frac{\partial}{\partial k_\mu} \widehat{S}_0(k, it)|^{\frac{3}{2}} dk dt\right\}^{\frac{2}{3}} \\
\sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0, m_\lambda - s) &\leq \tau_{\frac{3}{2}} \left(\frac{\log L}{L}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \left\{\iint |\frac{\partial}{\partial k_\mu} \widehat{S}_0(k, it)|^{\frac{3}{2}} dk dt\right\}^{\frac{2}{3}}
\end{aligned}$$

with $j = 2, 3$. By Lemma 3.4 – 3.5, (6.7)-(6.9) and Proposition 6.2, for any $d > 2$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, 0) &\leq c, \quad \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, 0) \leq c, \\
\sup_{(y,m)} \delta_z \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, 0) &\leq c \frac{\log L}{L}, \quad \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,1)}(0, 0) \leq \frac{c}{L^{\frac{2}{3}}}, \\
\sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0, 0) &\leq \frac{c}{L}, \quad \sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0, 0) \leq \frac{c}{L}, \\
\sup_{(y,m)} \delta_z \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0, 0) &\leq \frac{c}{L}, \quad \sup_{(y,m)} \delta_{k_\mu} \widehat{Q}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0, 0) \leq c \frac{(\log L)^{\frac{1}{3}}}{L},
\end{aligned}$$

with $j \in \{2, 3\}$ and $\mu = 1, 2, \dots, d$. Let $L_0 \geq L_1$ sufficiently large such that

$$\sup_{(y,m)} \widehat{T}_{(y,m)}^{(\lambda,j)}(0, r) \leq \frac{c}{L} < \frac{1}{2},$$

for any $L \geq L_0$ and $j = 2, 3$. From Lemma 3.1 – 3.3, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{(x,n)} |\Pi_\lambda(x,n)e^{rn}| &\leq \frac{c_0}{L}, \quad \sum_{(x,n)} |n\Pi_\lambda(x,n)e^{rn}| \leq \frac{c_1}{L}, \\
\sum_{(x,n)} |x_\mu \Pi_\lambda(x,n)e^{rn}| &\leq \frac{c_2(\log L)^{\frac{1}{3}}}{L},
\end{aligned}$$

where c_0 , c_1 and c_2 are constants which are independent of τ'_0 , τ'_1 , τ'_2 for any $r < m_\lambda$ and $\lambda \in (0, \lambda_c)$. Let

$$\tau'_0 = \max\{\tau_0, \frac{c_0}{2}\}, \tau'_1 = \max\{\tau_1, \frac{c_1}{2}\}, \text{ and } \tau'_2 = \{\tau_2, \frac{c_2}{2}\},$$

where c_i as in the Proposition 1.6. Therefore (P_4) implies (P_2) . This completes the proof. ■

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