# Hyperbolic Hole Probabilities. 

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The distribution of the zero set is invariant under automorphisms of the disc.
$f_{L}$ the only GAF with this property (up to trivialities).

Hyperbolic geometry


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The average number of zeroes of this GAF is given by

$$
\frac{1}{4 \pi} \Delta \log K_{L}(z, z) d m(z)=\frac{L}{\pi} \frac{d m(z)}{\left(1-|z|^{2}\right)^{2}}
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Different $L$ give genuinely different processes

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\mathbb{E}\left[n_{L}(r)\right]=\frac{L r^{2}}{1-r^{2}} .
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No scaling!

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Corollary

- $\mathbb{V}\left[n_{1}(r)\right]=\frac{r^{2}}{1-r^{4}}$
- $\mathbb{P}\left[n_{1}(r)=0\right]=\exp \left(-\frac{\pi^{2}}{12} \frac{1}{1-r}(1+o(1))\right)$ as $r \rightarrow 1$


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Wild speculation:

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