

# Various curvature conditions on weighted Ricci curvature and geometric analysis

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# Overview

# Weighted Ricci curvature

$(M, d, m)$  : weighted Riemannian manifold, i.e.,

- $M = (M, g)$  :  $n$ -dim. complete Riemannian manifold
- $d$  : Riemannian distance function
- $m := e^{-f} \text{ vol}$  for  $f \in C^\infty(M)$

$N$ -weighted Ricci curvature

$N \in (-\infty, \infty]$  : effective dimension

$$\text{Ric}_f^N := \text{Ric} + \nabla^2 f - \frac{df \otimes df}{N-n}$$

# Setting

$$N \in (-\infty, 1] \cup [n, \infty]$$

## $\varepsilon$ -range

- $\varepsilon = 0$  for  $N = 1$
- $\varepsilon \in \left( -\sqrt{\frac{N-1}{N-n}}, \sqrt{\frac{N-1}{N-n}} \right)$  for  $N \neq 1, n$
- $\varepsilon \in \mathbb{R}$  for  $N = n$
- $c := \frac{1}{n-1} \left( 1 - \varepsilon^2 \frac{N-n}{N-1} \right)$

## Setting ([Lu-Minguzzi-Ohta, 22])

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Interpolation between...

Curvature-dimension condition

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Geometric analysis on projectively equivalent affine connection

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# Goal

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- ▷ [Lu-Minguzzi-Ohta, 22], [Kuwae-Sakurai, 21] :  
Comparison geometry of manifolds without boundary
- ▷ [Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint] :  
Comparison geometry of manifolds with boundary
- ▷ [Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint] : Characterization via optimal transport theory

## Background (Curvature-dimension condition)

# Curvature-dimension condition

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$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq Kg \quad \text{for } K \in \mathbb{R}, N \in [n, \infty]$$

- ▷ [Qian, 97], [Lott, 03], [Wei-Wylie, 09], ... : Weighted Riemannian manifold
- ▷ [Ohta, 09] : Finsler manifold
- ▷ [Sturm, 06], [Lott-Villani, 09] :  $\text{CD}(K, N)$
- ▷ [Ambrosio-Gigli-Savaré, 14], [Erbar-Kuwada-Sturm, 15] :  $\text{RCD}(K, N)$
- ♣ “ $\text{Ric}_f^N \geq Kg \iff \text{Ric} \geq Kg + \dim M \leq N$ ”

# Effective dimension

## Curvature-dimension condition

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq Kg \quad \text{for } K \in \mathbb{R}, N \in [n, \infty]$$

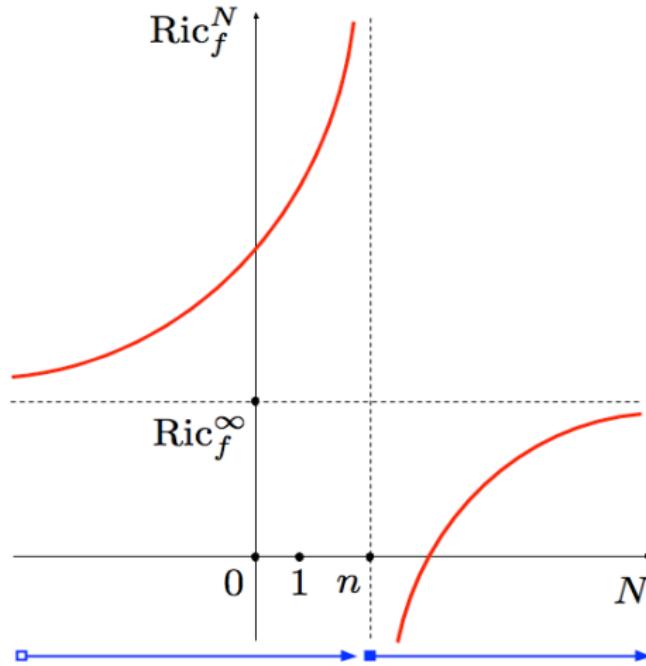
- $N \in [n, \infty]$  : traditional case  $\implies$  “ $N$  : upper bound of the dimension”

$$[\text{Qian, 97}] : N \in [n, \infty), \text{Ric}_f^N \geq 0 \implies \frac{m(B_r(x))}{r^N} \downarrow \quad (r \rightarrow \infty)$$

- $N \in (-\infty, n)$  : complementary case, e.g.,

- ▷ [Ohta, 16] : Curvature-dimension condition ( $N \in (-\infty, 0)$ )
- ▷ [Kolesnikov-Milman, 17] : Poincaré-type inequalities ( $N \in (-\infty, 0)$ )
- ▷ [Klartag, 17] : Needle decomposition ( $N \in (-\infty, 1)$ )
- ▷ [Milman, 17] : Isoperimetric inequalities ( $N \in (-\infty, 1)$ )
- ▷ [Wylie, 17] : Cheeger-Gromoll splitting theorem ( $N = 1$ )

# Monotonicity of $\text{Ric}_f^N$ with respect to $N$



♣  $K \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $N_1 \in [n, \infty]$ ,  $N_2 \in (-\infty, n)$  ;  $\text{Ric}_f^{N_1} \geq Kg \implies \text{Ric}_f^{N_2} \geq Kg$

# Splitting theorem

**Theorem ([Wylie, 17]).**

$$\sup f < \infty, \quad \text{Ric}_f^1 \geq 0$$

Then

$$\exists \gamma : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow M : \text{line} \implies M \equiv \text{warped product over } \mathbb{R} \times \exists \widetilde{M}$$

Moreover,  $\exists f_1 : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \quad \exists f_2 : \widetilde{M} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  s.t.

- $(M, g) \equiv \left( \mathbb{R} \times \widetilde{M}, dt^2 + \exp\left(2 \frac{f(\gamma_z(t)) - f(z)}{n-1}\right) g_{\widetilde{M}} \right)$
- $f(\gamma_z(t)) = f_1(t) + f_2(z)$

where  $\gamma_z : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow M$  is the line with  $\gamma_z(0) = z$  that is orthogonal to  $\widetilde{M}$

▷ [Wylie, 17] :  $N \in (-\infty, 1) \implies$  Direct product splitting

## Example (Splitting theorem)

### Example ([Wylie, 17]).

- $\mathbb{S}_L^{n-1}$  :  $(n-1)$ -dim. standard sphere of constant curvature  $L$
- $\phi : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} : C^2$ , bounded,  $\phi'' : \text{bounded}$

$$M_{L,\phi} := \left( \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}_L^{n-1}, dt^2 + e^{\frac{2\phi(t)}{n-1}} g_{\mathbb{S}_L^{n-1}} \right), \quad f_{L,\phi} := \phi \circ \pi$$

Then

- $\text{Ric}_{f_{L,\phi}}^1(\partial_t) = 0$
- $L$  : sufficiently large  $\implies \text{Ric}_{f_{L,\phi}}^1(v) \geq 0, \quad \forall v \perp \partial_t$

Background (Geometric analysis on projectively equivalent affine connection)

# 1-weighted Ricci curvature bound

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$$\text{Ric}_f^1 \geq (n-1) \kappa e^{-\frac{4f}{n-1}} g \quad \text{for } \kappa \in \mathbb{R}$$

♣  $f = 0$  : unweighted case  $\implies \text{Ric} \geq (n-1)\kappa g$

- ▷ [Wylie, 17]
  - ▶ Cheeger-Gromoll splitting theorem ( $\kappa = 0$ )
- ▷ [Wylie-Yeroshkin, 16, preprint]
  - ▶ Bonnet-Myers theorem ( $\kappa > 0$ )
  - ▶ Cheng maximal diameter theorem ( $\kappa > 0$ )
  - ▶ Bishop-Gromov volume comparison theorem ( $\kappa \in \mathbb{R}$ )

# Interpretation

- $\nabla$  : Levi-Civita connection
- $\alpha \in \Lambda^1(M)$

## Weighted affine connection

$$\nabla_X^\alpha Y := \nabla_X Y - \alpha(X) Y - \alpha(Y) X$$

- ♣  $\nabla^\alpha$  : torsion free, affine, projectively equivalent to  $\nabla$

## Interpretation

$$\text{Ric}_f^1 \geq (n-1) \kappa e^{-\frac{4f}{n-1}} g \iff \text{“Ric}^{\nabla^\alpha} \geq (n-1)\kappa g”$$

# Curvature tensor for weighted affine connection

## Weighted affine connection

$$\nabla_X^\alpha Y := \nabla_X Y - \alpha(X) Y - \alpha(Y) X$$

- $R^{\nabla^\alpha}(X, Y)Z := \nabla_X^\alpha \nabla_Y^\alpha Z - \nabla_Y^\alpha \nabla_X^\alpha Z - \nabla_{[X, Y]}^\alpha Z$
- $\text{Ric}^{\nabla^\alpha}(X, Y) := \text{trace}_g [Z \mapsto R^{\nabla^\alpha}(Z, X)Y]$

## Curvature tensor for weighted affine connection

$$\alpha_f := \frac{df}{n-1} \implies \text{Ric}^{\nabla^{\alpha_f}} = \text{Ric}_f^1$$

# Geodesic for weighted affine connection

## Weighted affine connection

$$\nabla_X^\alpha Y := \nabla_X Y - \alpha(X) Y - \alpha(Y) X$$

$x \in M, v \in U_x M$

- $\gamma_v : [0, \infty) \rightarrow M$  : geodesic with  $\gamma_v(0) = x, \gamma'_v(0) = v$
- $s_{f,v} : [0, \infty] \rightarrow [0, s_{f,v}(\infty)]$  ;  $s_{f,v}(t) := \int_0^t e^{-\frac{2f(\gamma_v(\xi))}{n-1}} d\xi$
- $\hat{\gamma}_v : [0, s_{f,v}(\infty)) \rightarrow M$  ;  $\hat{\gamma}_v := \gamma_v \circ s_{f,v}^{-1}$

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  - ♣  $\alpha_f := \frac{df}{n-1} \implies \begin{cases} \text{Ric}^{\nabla^{\alpha_f}} = \text{Ric}_f^1 \\ \hat{\gamma}_v : \nabla^{\alpha_f}\text{-geodesic} \end{cases}$

## Interpretation

$$\text{Ric}_f^1(\gamma'_v(t)) \geq (n-1)\kappa e^{-\frac{4f(\gamma_v(t))}{n-1}} \iff \text{Ric}^{\nabla^{\alpha_f}}(\hat{\gamma}'_v(s)) \geq (n-1)\kappa$$

## Related works (weighted sectional curvature)

$\Phi \in C^\infty(M)$ ,  $X, Y \in T_x M$ ,  $X \perp Y$ ,  $\|X\| = \|Y\| = 1$

### Weighted sectional curvature ([Wylie, 15])

- $\sec_\Phi^X(Y) := \sec(X, Y) + \nabla^2\Phi(X, X)$
- $\overline{\sec}_\Phi^X(Y) := \sec(X, Y) + \nabla^2\Phi(X, X) + (d\Phi \otimes d\Phi)(X, X)$

♣  $\overline{\sec}_\Phi^X(Y) = g(R^{\nabla^{d\Phi}}(Y, X)X, Y)$

- ▷ [Wylie, 15] : Radial curvature equation, Second variation formula,...
- ▷ [Kennard-Wylie, 17] :  $\sec_\Phi > 0$ ,  $\overline{\sec}_\Phi > 0$
- ▷ [Kennard-Wylie-Yeroshkin, 19] :  $\overline{\sec}_\Phi \geq \kappa e^{-4\Phi}$ ,  $\overline{\sec}_\Phi \leq \kappa e^{-4\Phi}$

## Related works (generalized weighted affine connection)

$a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\Phi \in C^\infty(M)$

### Generalized weighted affine connection ([Li-Xia, 17])

$$\nabla_X^{a,b,\Phi} Y := \nabla_X Y - a d\Phi(X) Y - a d\Phi(Y) X - b g(X, Y) \nabla \Phi$$

- $\Phi = 0 \implies \nabla^{a,b,\Phi} = \nabla$
  - $a = -b \implies \nabla^{a,b,\Phi} = \nabla^{e^{-2a\Phi}} g$
  - $a = 1, b = 0 \implies \nabla^{a,b,\Phi} = \nabla^{d\Phi}$
  - $a = 0, b = 1 \implies \text{Ric}^{\nabla^{a,b,\Phi}} = \text{Ric} - \frac{\nabla^2 e^{-\Phi}}{e^{-\Phi}} - \frac{\Delta e^{-\Phi}}{e^{-\Phi}} g$
- ▷ [Li-Xia, 17] : Bochner formula, Reilly formula for  $\text{Ric}^{\nabla^{a,b,\Phi}}$

## Background (Interpolation)

## Question

### Curvature-dimension condition

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### Geometric analysis on projectively equivalent affine connection

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## Question

Can we study two curvature bounds in a unified way???

## First step

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## Special cases

- $N \in [n, \infty)$  and  $\varepsilon = 1$  ( $c = (N-1)^{-1}$ )  $\implies \text{Ric}_f^N \geq (N-1)\kappa g$
  - $N = 1$  and  $\varepsilon = 0$  ( $c = (n-1)^{-1}$ )  
 $\implies \text{Ric}_f^1 \geq (n-1)\kappa e^{-\frac{4f}{n-1}} g$  ([Wylie-Yeroshkin, 16, preprint])
  - $N \in (-\infty, 1)$  and  $\varepsilon = \sqrt{\frac{N-1}{N-n}}$  ( $c = (n-N)^{-1}$ )  
 $\implies \text{Ric}_f^N \geq (n-N)\kappa e^{-\frac{4f}{n-N}} g$  ([Kuwae-Li, 21])
- ♣ CD( $K, \infty$ ) is not included

## Comparison geometry of manifolds without boundary

# Laplacian comparison

- $\Delta_f := \Delta + g(\nabla f, \nabla \cdot)$  : weighted Laplacian
- $\rho_x : M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  ;  $\rho_x := d(\cdot, x)$  : distance function
- $s_{f,v} : [0, \infty] \rightarrow [0, s_{f,v}(\infty)]$  ;  $s_{f,v}(t) := \int_0^t e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f(\gamma_v(\xi))}{n-1}} d\xi$
- $\tau(v) := \sup\{t > 0 \mid \rho_x(\gamma_v(t)) = t\}$
- $\mathfrak{s}_\kappa(s)$  : sol. to  $\psi''(s) + \kappa \psi(s) = 0$  with  $\psi(0) = 0$  and  $\psi'(0) = 1$

## Theorem.

For  $\kappa \in \mathbb{R}$ , we assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g$$

Then

$$\Delta_f \rho_x(\gamma_v(t)) \geq -\frac{\mathfrak{s}'_\kappa(s_{f,v}(t))}{\mathfrak{s}_\kappa(s_{f,v}(t))} e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f(\gamma_v(t))}{n-1}} \quad \text{for } \forall t \in (0, \tau(v))$$

▷ [Lu-Minguzzi-Ohta, 22]

# Rigidity of Laplacian comparison

## Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 21]).

Assume that the equality in Laplacian comparison holds at  $t_0 \in (0, \tau(v))$

- $\{Y_{v,i}\}_{i=1}^{n-1}$  : Jacobi fields along  $\gamma_v$  with  $Y_{v,i}(0) = 0_x$ ,  $Y'_{v,i}(0) = e_{v,i}$
- $\{E_{v,i}\}_{i=1}^{n-1}$  : parallel vector fields along  $\gamma_v$  with  $E_{v,i}(0) = e_{v,i}$

Then the following properties hold on  $[0, t_0]$ :

- ① If  $N = n$ , then  $f$  is constant, and

$$Y_{v,i}(t) = \mathfrak{s}_{\frac{\kappa}{e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}}}(t) E_{v,i}(t)$$

- ② if  $N \neq 1, n$ , then

$$\varepsilon = 0, \quad f(\gamma_v(t)) \equiv f(x), \quad Y_{v,i}(t) = \mathfrak{s}_{\frac{\kappa}{e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f(x)}{n-1}}}}(t) E_{v,i}(t)$$

- ③ if  $N = 1$ , then

$$\varepsilon = 0, \quad Y_{v,i}(t) = \exp\left(\frac{f(\gamma_v(t)) + f(x)}{n-1}\right) \mathfrak{s}_\kappa(s_{f,v}(t)) E_{v,i}(t)$$

## Re-parametrized distance comparison

- $d_f : M \times M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  ;  $d_f(x, y) := \inf_{\gamma} \int_0^{d(x,y)} e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f(\gamma(\xi))}{n-1}} d\xi$

Here inf. is taken over all min. geod.  $\gamma : [0, d(x, y)] \rightarrow M$  from  $x$  to  $y$

### Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 21]).

For  $\kappa > 0$ , we assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g$$

Then we have

$$\sup_{x,y \in M} d_f(x, y) \leq \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{\kappa}}$$

- ♣  $g_f := e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g \implies d_{g_f}(x, y) \leq d_f(x, y)$

# Maximal diameter theorem

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 21]).**

For  $\kappa > 0$ , we assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g$$

Then we have

$$\text{diam}_{g_f} M \leq \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{\kappa}}$$

Moreover, if the equality holds for some  $x, y \in M$ , then

- ① If  $N = n$ , then  $f$  is constant, and  $M$  is isometric to a sphere with constant curvature  $\kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}$
- ② if  $N \neq 1, n$ , then  $\varepsilon = 0$ ,  $f$  is constant, and  $M$  is isometric to a sphere with constant curvature  $\kappa e^{-\frac{4f}{n-1}}$
- ③ if  $N = 1$ , then  $\varepsilon = 0$ ,  $f$  is radial, and  $M$  is homeomorphic to a sphere, and

$$g = dt^2 + \exp \left( 2 \frac{f(\gamma_v(t)) + f(x)}{n-1} \right) \mathfrak{s}_\kappa^2(s_{f,v}(t)) g_{\mathbb{S}^{n-1}}$$

# Maximal diameter theorem with bounded density

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 21]).**

For  $\kappa > 0$  and  $\delta \in \mathbb{R}$ , we assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad (1-\varepsilon)f \leq (n-1)\delta$$

Then

$$\text{diam } M \leq \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{\kappa e^{-4\delta}}}$$

Moreover, if the equality holds, then

- ① If  $N = n$ , then  $(1-\varepsilon)f \equiv (n-1)\delta$ , and  $M$  is isometric to a sphere of constant curvature  $\kappa e^{-4\delta}$
- ② if  $N \neq n$ , then  $\varepsilon = 0$ ,  $f \equiv (n-1)\delta$ , and  $M$  is isometric to a sphere of constant curvature  $\kappa e^{-4\delta}$

# Absolute volume comparison

- $B_{f,r}(x) := \{ y \in M \mid d_f(x, y) < r \}$

- $\mathfrak{m} := e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} m$

- $\mathcal{S}_\kappa(r) := \int_0^{\min\{r, \pi/\sqrt{\kappa}\}} \mathfrak{s}_\kappa^{c^{-1}}(\xi) d\xi$

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 21]).**

For  $\kappa \in \mathbb{R}$ , we assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad c = (n-1)^{-1}$$

Then

$$\mathfrak{m}(B_{f,r}(x)) \leq \omega_{n-1} \mathcal{S}_\kappa(r) \text{ for } \forall r > 0$$

Here  $\omega_{n-1}$  is the volume of the  $(n-1)$ -dimensional unit sphere

# Relative volume comparison

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 21]).**

For  $\kappa \in \mathbb{R}$ , we assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g$$

Then

$$\frac{\mathfrak{m}(B_{f,R}(x))}{\mathfrak{m}(B_{f,r}(x))} \leq \frac{\mathcal{S}_\kappa(R)}{\mathcal{S}_\kappa(r)} \quad \text{for } \forall r \leq \forall R$$

# Rigidity of volume comparison

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 21]).**

For  $\kappa \leq 0$ , we assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad c = (n-1)^{-1}$$

If

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{\mathfrak{m}(B_{f,r}(x))}{\mathcal{S}_\kappa(r)} \geq \omega_{n-1},$$

then  $M$  is diffeomorphic to  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , and

- ① If  $N = n$ , then  $f$  is constant, and  $g = dt^2 + \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}} (t) g_{\mathbb{S}^{n-1}}$
- ② if  $N \neq 1, n$ , then  $\varepsilon = 0$ ,  $f$  is constant, and  $g = dt^2 + \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa e^{-\frac{4f}{n-1}}} (t) g_{\mathbb{S}^{n-1}}$
- ③ if  $N = 1$ , then  $\varepsilon = 0$ , and

$$g = dt^2 + \exp \left( 2 \frac{f(\gamma_v(t)) + f(x)}{n-1} \right) \mathfrak{s}_\kappa^2(s_{f,v}(t)) g_{\mathbb{S}^{n-1}}$$

## Comparison geometry of manifolds with boundary

# Setting

- $z \in \partial M$ ,  $u_z$  : unit inner normal vector
- $H_{f,z} := H_z + g(\nabla f, u_z)$  : weighted mean curvature

## Setting ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint])

$\kappa, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $N \in (-\infty, 1] \cup [n, \infty]$

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad H_{f,\partial M} \geq c^{-1} \lambda e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}$$

## Special cases

- ▷ [Heintze-Karcher, 78], [Kasue, 83, 84] : unweighted
- $N \in [n, \infty)$  and  $\varepsilon = 1$  ( $c = (N - 1)^{-1}$ )  
 $\implies \text{Ric}_f^N \geq (N - 1)\kappa g, \quad H_{f,\partial M} \geq (N - 1)\lambda$  ([Sakurai, 19])
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 $\implies \text{Ric}_f^N \geq (n - 1)\kappa e^{-\frac{4f}{n-1}} g, \quad H_{f,\partial M} \geq (n - 1)\lambda e^{-\frac{2f}{n-1}}$  ([Sakurai, 20])

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- $\gamma_z : [0, T] \rightarrow M$  : geodesic with  $\gamma_z(0) = z$ ,  $\gamma'_z(0) = u_z$
- $s_{f,z} : [0, T] \rightarrow [0, s_{f,z}(T)]$  ;  $s_{f,z}(t) := \int_0^t e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f(\gamma_z(\xi))}{n-1}} d\xi$
- $\tau(z) := \sup\{t > 0 \mid \rho_{\partial M}(\gamma_z(t)) = t\}$
- $\mathfrak{s}_{\kappa,\lambda}(s)$  : sol. to  $\psi''(s) + \kappa \psi(s) = 0$  with  $\psi(0) = 1$  and  $\psi'(0) = -\lambda$

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

For  $\kappa, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ , we assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad H_{f,\partial M} \geq c^{-1} \lambda e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}$$

Then

$$\Delta_f \rho_{\partial M}(\gamma_z(t)) \geq -\frac{\mathfrak{s}'_{\kappa,\lambda}(s_{f,z}(t))}{\mathfrak{s}_{\kappa,\lambda}(s_{f,z}(t))} e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f(\gamma_z(t))}{n-1}} \quad \text{for } \forall t \in (0, \tau(z))$$

# Rigidity of Laplacian comparison

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

Assume that the equality in Laplacian comparison holds at  $t_0 \in (0, \tau(z))$

- $\{Y_{z,i}\}_{i=1}^{n-1}$  : Jacobi fields along  $\gamma_z$  with  $Y_{z,i}(0) = e_{z,i}$ ,  $Y'_{z,i}(0) = -A_{u_z} e_{z,i}$
- $\{E_{z,i}\}_{i=1}^{n-1}$  : parallel vector fields along  $\gamma_z$  with  $E_{z,i}(0) = e_{z,i}$

Then the following properties hold on  $[0, t_0]$ :

- ① If  $N = n$ , then  $f$  is constant, and

$$Y_{z,i}(t) = \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}, \lambda e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}}(t) E_{z,i}(t)$$

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- ① If  $N \neq 1, n$ , then

$$f(\gamma_z(t)) = f(z) - \varepsilon \frac{N-n}{N-1} c^{-1} \log \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa,\lambda}(s_{f,z}(t)),$$

$$Y_{z,i}(t) = \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa,\lambda}^{\frac{c-1}{n-1} \left(1 - \varepsilon \frac{N-n}{N-1}\right)}(s_{f,z}(t)) E_{z,i}(t)$$

- ② if  $N = 1$ , then

$$\varepsilon = 0, \quad Y_{z,i}(t) = \exp \left( \frac{f(\gamma_z(t)) - f(z)}{n-1} \right) \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa,\lambda}(s_{f,z}(t)) E_{z,i}(t)$$

# Splitting theorem

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

Let  $\kappa \leq 0$  and  $\lambda := \sqrt{|\kappa|}$ . We assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad H_{f,\partial M} \geq c^{-1} \lambda e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}$$

Suppose that  $(1 - \varepsilon)f$  is bounded from above. If  $\tau(z_0) = \infty$  for some  $z_0 \in \partial M$ , then  $M$  is diffeomorphic to  $[0, \infty) \times \partial M$ , and

① If  $N \neq 1, n$ , then for any  $z \in \partial M$

$$f(\gamma_z(t)) = f(z) - \varepsilon \frac{N-n}{N-1} c^{-1} \log \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa, \lambda}(s_{f,z}(t)),$$

$$g = dt^2 + \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa, \lambda}^{2 \frac{\varepsilon^{-1}}{n-1} (1 - \varepsilon \frac{N-n}{N-1})} (s_{f,z}(t)) g_{\partial M};$$

② if  $N = 1$ , then

$$\varepsilon = 0, \quad g = dt^2 + \exp \left( 2 \frac{f(\gamma_z(t)) - f(z)}{n-1} \right) \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa, \lambda}^2 (s_{f,z}(t)) g_{\partial M}.$$

# Model spaces

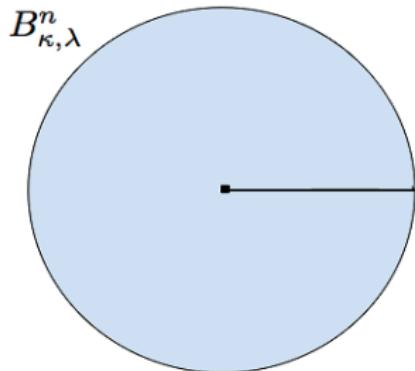
## Model spaces

$\kappa, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $M_\kappa^n : n\text{-dim. space form with constant curvature } \kappa$

$\kappa, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$  : **ball-condition**  $\iff \exists B_{\kappa, \lambda}^n \subset M_\kappa^n$  : closed ball with  $\mathcal{H}_{\partial B_{\kappa, \lambda}^n} \equiv (n-1)\lambda$

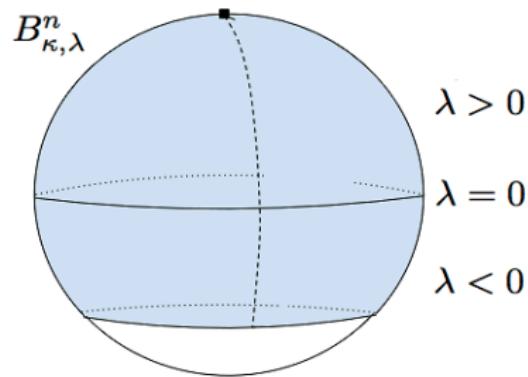
- $\kappa \leq 0$  ( $\lambda > \sqrt{|\kappa|}$ )

$\mathbb{R}^n$  or  $\mathbb{H}^n(\kappa)$



- $\kappa > 0$  ( $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ )

$\mathbb{S}^n(1/\sqrt{\kappa})$



# Maximal inscribed radius theorem

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

Let  $\kappa$  and  $\lambda$  satisfy the ball-condition. We assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad H_{f,\partial M} \geq c^{-1} \lambda e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}$$

Then we have

$$\text{InRad}_{g_f} M \leq C_{\kappa, \lambda}$$

If  $\rho_{\partial M}^{g_f}(x_0) = C_{\kappa, \lambda}$  for some  $x_0 \in M$ , then  $M$  is diffeomorphic to a closed ball centered at  $x_0$ , and

- ① If  $N \neq 1, n$ , then  $f$  is constant, and

$$\varepsilon = 0, \quad g = dt^2 + \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa e^{-\frac{4f}{n-1}}}^2(t) g_{\mathbb{S}^{n-1}}$$

- ② if  $N = 1$ , then  $f$  is radial with respect to  $x_0$ , and

$$\varepsilon = 0, \quad g = dt^2 + \exp\left(2\frac{f(\gamma_v(t)) + f(x_0)}{n-1}\right) \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa}^2(s_{f,v}(t)) g_{\mathbb{S}^{n-1}}$$

# Maximal inscribed radius theorem with bounded density

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

Let  $\kappa$  and  $\lambda$  satisfy the ball-condition. We assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad H_{f,\partial M} \geq c^{-1} \lambda e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}, \quad (1-\varepsilon)f \leq (n-1)\delta$$

for  $\delta \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then we have

$$\text{InRad } M \leq C_{\kappa e^{-4\delta}, \lambda e^{-2\delta}}$$

If  $\rho_{\partial M}(x_0) = C_{\kappa e^{-4\delta}, \lambda e^{-2\delta}}$  for some  $x_0 \in M$ , then  $(1-\varepsilon)f = (n-1)\delta$  and

- ① If  $N = n$ , then  $M$  is isometric to  $B_{\kappa e^{-4\delta}, \lambda e^{-2\delta}}^n$
- ② if  $N \neq n$ , then  $\varepsilon = 0$ , and  $M$  is isometric to  $B_{\kappa e^{-4\delta}, \lambda e^{-2\delta}}^n$

# Absolute volume comparison

- $\rho_{\partial M, f} : M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  ;  $\rho_{\partial M, f}(x) := \inf_{z \in \partial M} \int_0^{\rho_{\partial M}(x)} e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f(\gamma_z(\xi))}{n-1}} d\xi$

Here inf. is taken over all foot points  $z \in \partial M$  of  $x$  (i.e.,  $\rho_{\partial M}(x) = d(x, z)$ )

- $B_{f,r}(\partial M) := \{x \in M \mid \rho_{\partial M, f}(x) < r\}$

- $\mathcal{S}_{\kappa, \lambda}(r) := \int_0^{\min\{r, C_{\kappa, \lambda}\}} \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa, \lambda}^{c^{-1}}(\xi) d\xi$

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For  $\kappa, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ , we assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad H_{f, \partial M} \geq c^{-1} \lambda e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}$$

Let  $\partial M$  be compact. Then

$$\mathfrak{m}(B_{f,r}(\partial M)) \leq \mathcal{S}_{\kappa, \lambda}(r) m_{\partial M}(\partial M) \text{ for } \forall r > 0$$

# Relative volume comparison

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

For  $\kappa, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ , we assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad H_{f,\partial M} \geq c^{-1} \lambda e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}$$

Let  $\partial M$  be compact. Then

$$\frac{\mathfrak{m}(B_{f,R}(\partial M))}{\mathfrak{m}(B_{f,r}(\partial M))} \leq \frac{\mathcal{S}_{\kappa,\lambda}(R)}{\mathcal{S}_{\kappa,\lambda}(r)} \quad \text{for } \forall r \leq \forall R$$

# Rigidity of volume comparison

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

Assume that  $\kappa$  and  $\lambda$  do not satisfy the ball-condition. Let  $\partial M$  be compact. If

$$\liminf_{r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\nu(B_{f,r}(\partial M))}{\mathcal{S}_{\kappa,\lambda}(r)} \geq m_{\partial M}(\partial M),$$

then  $M$  is diffeomorphic to  $[0, \infty) \times \partial M$ , and

- ① if  $N \neq 1, n$ , then

$$f(\gamma_z(t)) = f(z) - \varepsilon \frac{N-n}{N-1} c^{-1} \log \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa,\lambda}(s_{f,z}(t)),$$

$$g = dt^2 + \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa,\lambda}^{2 \frac{\varepsilon^{-1}}{n-1} \left(1 - \varepsilon \frac{N-n}{N-1}\right)}(s_{f,z}(t)) g_{\partial M}$$

- ② if  $N = 1$ , then

$$\varepsilon = 0, \quad g = dt^2 + \exp \left( 2 \frac{f(\gamma_z(t)) - f(z)}{n-1} \right) \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa,\lambda}^2(s_{f,z}(t)) g_{\partial M}$$

# Dirichlet Eigenvalue comparison

$$\bullet \nu_{m,p}(M) := \inf_{\psi \in W_0^{1,p}(M,m) \setminus \{0\}} \frac{\int_M \|\nabla \psi\|^p dm}{\int_M |\psi|^p dm}$$

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

Let  $p \in (1, \infty)$ . Let  $\kappa$  and  $\lambda$  satisfy the ball-condition, and  $\lambda \geq 0$ . Assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad H_{f,\partial M} \geq c^{-1} \lambda e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}, \quad (1-\varepsilon)f \leq (n-1)\delta$$

for  $\delta \in \mathbb{R}$ . Let  $M$  be compact. Then

$$\nu_{m,p}(M) \geq \nu_p(B_{\kappa e^{-4\delta}, \lambda e^{-2\delta}}^n)$$

If the equality holds, then  $(1-\varepsilon)f = (n-1)\delta$  on  $M$ , and

- ① If  $N = n$ , then  $M$  is isometric to  $B_{\kappa e^{-4\delta}, \lambda e^{-2\delta}}^n$
- ② if  $N \neq n$ , then  $\varepsilon = 0$ , and  $M$  is isometric to  $B_{\kappa e^{-4\delta}, \lambda e^{-2\delta}}^n$

# Spectrum rigidity

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

Let  $p \in (1, \infty)$ . Let  $\kappa < 0$  and  $\lambda := \sqrt{|\kappa|}$ . Assume

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g, \quad H_{f,\partial M} \geq c^{-1} \lambda e^{-\frac{2(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}}, \quad (1-\varepsilon)f \leq (n-1)\delta$$

for  $\delta \in \mathbb{R}$ . Let  $\partial M$  be compact. Then

$$\nu_{m,p}(M) \geq e^{-2p\delta} \left( \frac{c^{-1}\lambda}{p} \right)^p$$

If the equality holds, then  $M$  is diffeomorphic to  $[0, \infty) \times \partial M$ , and

① If  $N \neq 1, n$ , then

$$f(\gamma_z(t)) = f(z) - \varepsilon \frac{N-n}{N-1} c^{-1} \log \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa,\lambda}(s_{f,z}(t)),$$

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If the equality holds, then  $M$  is diffeomorphic to  $[0, \infty) \times \partial M$ , and

① If  $N = 1$ , then

$$\varepsilon = 0, \quad g = dt^2 + \exp \left( 2 \frac{f(\gamma_z(t)) - f(z)}{n-1} \right) \mathfrak{s}_{\kappa,\lambda}^2(s_{f,z}(t)) g_{\partial M}$$

Characterization via optimal transport theory

# Wasserstein space

- $P(M)$  : the set of all Borel probability measures on  $M$
- $\pi \in P(M \times M)$  : coupling of  $(\mu, \nu)$   
 $\iff \pi(X \times M) = \mu(X), \pi(M \times X) = \nu(X), \quad \forall X \subset M : \text{Borel}$
- $\Pi(\mu, \nu)$  : the set of all coupling of  $(\mu, \nu)$
- $P_2(M) := \left\{ \mu \in P(M) \mid \exists x_0 \in M ; \int_M d(x, x_0)^2 d\mu(x) < \infty \right\}$
- $\mu, \nu \in P_2(M)$

$$W_2(\mu, \nu) := \inf_{\pi \in \Pi(\mu, \nu)} \left( \int_{M \times M} d(x, y)^2 d\pi(x, y) \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} : \text{Wasserstein distance}$$

- $P_2(M) := (P_2(M), W_2)$  : Wasserstein space
- $\pi \in \Pi(\mu, \nu)$  : optimal coupling of  $(\mu, \nu)$   $\iff \pi$  attains the infimum

# Entropy

- $\mathcal{DC}$  : the set of all  $U : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  : continuous, convex,  $U(0) = 0$  s.t.

$$\varphi_U(r) := r^{\frac{c+1}{c}} U(r^{-\frac{c+1}{c}}) : \text{convex}$$

♣  $H(r) := \frac{c+1}{c} r (1 - r^{-\frac{c}{c+1}}) \implies H \in \mathcal{DC}$

- $\mu = \rho m \in P_2(M)$ ,  $U \in \mathcal{DC}$ ,

$$U_m(\mu) := \int_M U(\rho) dm$$

- $U = H \implies H_m := U_m$  : Rényi entropy

# Twisted coefficient

- $t \in [0, 1], \quad d_{f,t} : M \times M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}; \quad d_{f,t}(x, y) := \inf_{\gamma} \int_0^t d(x, \gamma(\xi)) \, d\xi,$   
Here inf. is taken over all min. geod.  $\gamma : [0, d(x, y)] \rightarrow M$  from  $x$  to  $y$

- ♣  $t = 1 \implies d_{f,1}(x, y) = d_f(x, y)$  (Bonnet-Myers type theorem holds for  $d_f$ )
- ♣  $t \neq 0, 1 \implies d_{f,t}(x, y) \neq d_{f,t}(y, x)$  in general

Twisted coefficient ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint])

$$\beta_{\kappa, f, t}(x, y) := \left( \frac{\mathfrak{s}_\kappa(d_{f,t}(x, y))}{t \mathfrak{s}_\kappa(d_f(x, y))} \right)^{c^{-1}}$$

# Twisted curvature-dimension condition

**Definition ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

$(M, d, m) : \text{Twisted curvature-dimension condition TwCD}(\kappa, N, \varepsilon) :\iff$

$\forall \mu_i = \rho_i m \in P_2^{ac}(M) \ (i = 0, 1),$

$$\begin{aligned} U_m(\mu_t) &\leq (1-t) \int_{M \times M} U\left(\frac{\rho_0(x)}{\beta_{\kappa, f, 1-t}(y, x)}\right) \frac{\beta_{\kappa, f, 1-t}(y, x)}{\rho_0(x)} d\pi(x, y) \\ &\quad + t \int_{M \times M} U\left(\frac{\rho_1(y)}{\beta_{\kappa, f, t}(x, y)}\right) \frac{\beta_{\kappa, f, t}(x, y)}{\rho_1(y)} d\pi(x, y) \end{aligned}$$

for  $\forall U \in \mathcal{DC}$ ,  $\forall t \in (0, 1)$ , where

- $\pi$  : unique optimal coupling of  $(\mu_0, \mu_1)$
  - $(\mu_t)_{t \in [0, 1]}$  : unique minimal geodesic in  $P_2(M)$  from  $\mu_0$  to  $\mu_1$
- ▷ [Lott-Villani, 09] :  $N \in [n, \infty)$ ,  $\varepsilon = 1$   $\text{CD}((N-1)\kappa, N) = \text{TwCD}(\kappa, N, 1)$
- ▷ [Sakurai, 20] :  $N = 1$ ,  $\varepsilon = 0$

# Relaxed twisted curvature-dimension condition

**Definition ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

$(M, d, m)$  : Relaxed twisted curv.-dim. condition  $\text{TwCD}_{\text{rel}}(\kappa, N, \varepsilon) \iff$

$\forall \mu_i = \rho_i m \in P_2^{ac}(M)$  ( $i = 0, 1$ ),

$$\begin{aligned} H_m(\mu_t) &\leq (1-t) \int_{M \times M} H \left( \frac{\rho_0(x)}{\beta_{\kappa, f, 1-t}(y, x)} \right) \frac{\beta_{\kappa, f, 1-t}(y, x)}{\rho_0(x)} d\pi(x, y) \\ &\quad + t \int_{M \times M} H \left( \frac{\rho_1(y)}{\beta_{\kappa, f, t}(x, y)} \right) \frac{\beta_{\kappa, f, t}(x, y)}{\rho_1(y)} d\pi(x, y) \end{aligned}$$

for  $\forall t \in (0, 1)$ , where

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- ▷ [Sturm, 06] :  $N \in [n, \infty)$ ,  $\varepsilon = 1$   $\text{CD}((N - 1)\kappa, N) = \text{TwCD}(\kappa, N, 1)$
- ▷ [Sakurai, 20] :  $N = 1$ ,  $\varepsilon = 0$

# Characterization via optimal transport theory

**Theorem ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

Assume that if  $N \neq 1, n$ , then  $\varepsilon \neq 0$ . TFAE:

- $\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g$
  - $(M, d, m) : \text{TwCD}(\kappa, N, \varepsilon)$
  - $(M, d, m) : \text{TwCD}_{\text{rel}}(\kappa, N, \varepsilon)$
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- ▷ [Sturm, 06], [Lott-Villani, 09] :  $N \in [n, \infty)$ ,  $\varepsilon = 1$
  - ▷ [Sakurai, 20] :  $N = 1$ ,  $\varepsilon = 0$

# Prékopa-Leindler inequality

- $t \in [0, 1]$ ,  $X, Y \subset M$

$$Z_t(X, Y) := \{\gamma(t) \mid \gamma : [0, 1] \rightarrow M \text{ s.t. } \gamma(0) \in X, \gamma(1) \in Y\}$$

**Corollary ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

- $\psi_i, \psi : M \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  ( $i = 0, 1$ )
- $X, Y : \text{bounded}$ ,  $\text{supp}[\psi_0] \subset X$ ,  $\text{supp}[\psi_1] \subset Y$

For  $t \in (0, 1)$ , we assume that  $\forall (x, y) \in X \times Y$  and  $\forall z \in Z_t(\{x\}, \{y\})$ ,

$$\psi(z) \geq \left( \frac{\psi_0(x)}{\beta_{\kappa, f, 1-t}(y, x)} \right)^{1-t} \left( \frac{\psi_1(y)}{\beta_{\kappa, f, t}(x, y)} \right)^t$$

For  $\kappa \in \mathbb{R}$ , if  $\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g$ , then

$$\int_M \psi dm \geq \left( \int_M \psi_0 dm \right)^{1-t} \left( \int_M \psi_1 dm \right)^t$$

# Borel-Brascamp-Lieb inequality

**Corollary ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

- $\psi_i, \psi : M \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  ( $i = 0, 1$ )
- $X, Y : \text{bounded}$ ,  $\text{supp} [\psi_0] \subset X$ ,  $\text{supp} [\psi_1] \subset Y$

We suppose  $\int_M \psi_0 dm = \int_M \psi_1 dm = 1$

For  $t \in (0, 1)$ , we assume that  $\forall (x, y) \in X \times Y$  and  $\forall z \in Z_t(\{x\}, \{y\})$ ,

$$\psi(z)^{-\frac{c}{c+1}} \leq (1-t) \left( \frac{\psi_0(x)}{\beta_{\kappa, f, 1-t}(y, x)} \right)^{-\frac{c}{c+1}} + t \left( \frac{\psi_1(y)}{\beta_{\kappa, f, t}(x, y)} \right)^{-\frac{c}{c+1}}$$

For  $\kappa \in \mathbb{R}$ , if  $\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g$ , then

$$\int_M \psi dm \geq 1$$

# Brunn-Minkowski inequality

**Corollary ([Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint]).**

Let  $X, Y \subset M$  denote two bounded Borel subsets with  $m(X), m(Y) \in (0, \infty)$

For  $\kappa \in \mathbb{R}$ , if  $\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g$ , then  $\forall t \in (0, 1)$

$$\begin{aligned} m(Z_t(x, y))^{\frac{c}{c+1}} &\geq (1-t) \left( \inf_{(x,y) \in X \times Y} \beta_{\kappa, f, 1-t}(y, x)^{\frac{c}{c+1}} \right) m(X)^{\frac{c}{c+1}} \\ &\quad + t \left( \inf_{(x,y) \in X \times Y} \beta_{\kappa, f, 1-t}(x, y)^{\frac{c}{c+1}} \right) m(Y)^{\frac{c}{c+1}} \end{aligned}$$

# Summary

## Setting ([Lu-Minguzzi-Ohta, 22])

$$\text{Ric}_f^N \geq c^{-1} \kappa e^{-\frac{4(1-\varepsilon)f}{n-1}} g \quad \text{for } \kappa \in \mathbb{R}, N \in (-\infty, 1] \cup [n, \infty]$$

- ▷ [Lu-Minguzzi-Ohta, 22], [Kuwae-Sakurai, 21] :  
Comparison geometry of manifolds without boundary
- ▷ [Kuwae-Sakurai, 20, preprint] :  
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Thank you for your attention!!!