

# 1 Figure of a graph

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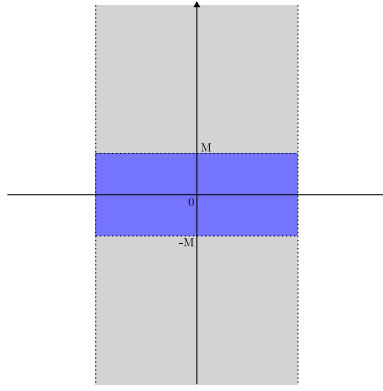


Figure 1: Test

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## 2 Result 01

**Theorem 2.1** (Model 01: connected). *Let  $\Omega := \{(x', x_n) \text{ s.t. } |x'| \leq 1, |x_n| \leq M\}$  and  $E_0 := \{(x', x_n) \text{ s.t. } |x'| \leq R, |x_n| \geq M\}$  for some  $R, M > 0$ . Then there exists an  $M_0$  s.t. for all  $M \leq M_0$  the minimizer of the fractional perimeter is connected and given by  $E_M = \Omega \cup E_0$ .*

*Proof.* Proof by contradiction. Assume  $E_M$  is not  $E_0 \cup \Omega$ , then we can slide a ball of radius  $r$  down and at some point it will touch  $E_M$ . We consider the

ball  $B_r(te_n)$ . Since  $E_M$  not cylindrical, there exists  $r_0 \in (0, 1)$  and  $t_0 > 0$  s.t.  $\partial B_{r_0}(t_0 e_n) \cap \partial E_M \neq \emptyset$  and  $B_{r_0}(te_n) \subset E_M$  for all  $t > t_0$ .

Since  $E_M$  is a minimizer it is also a variational solution and the inequality holds

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{\chi_{E_M^c}(y) - \chi_{E_M}(y)}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \geq 0$$

whereas  $q \in \partial B_{r_0}(t_0 e_n) \cap \partial E_M$ .

We show that the left hand side is negative. Split the domain into four parts, as seen in the Figure:

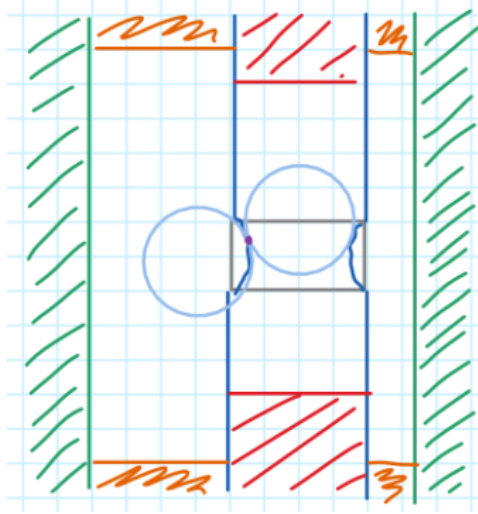


Figure 2:

We define

$$A := \{(x', x_n) \text{ s.t. } |x' - q'| \geq R + 1\} \text{ Green Area}$$

$$B := \{(x', x_n) \text{ s.t. } |x'| < R, |x_n - q_n| > 2M\}$$

$$C := \{(x', x_n) \text{ s.t. } |x'| \geq R, |x' - q'| \leq R + 1, |x_n - q_n| > \Lambda M\}$$

$$\text{Everything else } \subset S := \{(x', x_n) \text{ s.t. } |x' - q'| \leq R + 1, |x_n - q_n| \leq \Lambda M\}$$

Integration over the first part:

$$\int_A \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \stackrel{A \subseteq E^c}{=} \int_{|y'| > R+1} \frac{1}{|y|^{n+s}} dy \leq c(n) \int_{R+1}^{\infty} r^{-s-2} dy \leq c(n, s) R^{-(1+s)}$$

Integration over the second part:

$$\int_B \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \stackrel{B \subseteq E}{=} - \int_B \frac{1}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \leq -c(n, s) M^{-s} \quad \text{Idea: Consider ball with factor } 2^{-n}$$

Integration over the third part:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_C \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \stackrel{C \subseteq E^c}{=} \int_C \frac{1}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \leq c(n) \int_{R-1}^{R+1} \int_{\Lambda M}^\infty \frac{r^{n-2}}{(r^2 + y_n^2)^{\frac{n+s}{2}}} dy_n dr \\
& \stackrel{r^2 \leq r^2 + y_n^2}{\leq} c(n) \int_{R-1}^{R+1} \int_{2\Lambda M}^\infty \frac{1}{(r^2 + y_n^2)^{\frac{s+2}{2}}} dy_n dr \stackrel{\text{convexity}}{\leq} \int_{R-1}^{R+1} \int_{\Lambda M}^\infty \frac{1}{(r + y_n)^{s+2}} dy_n dr \\
& \leq c(n, s) \int_{R-1}^{R+1} \frac{1}{(r + \Lambda M)^{s+1}} \leq c(n, s)(R - 1 + \Lambda M)^{-s} \leq c(n, s)(\Lambda M)^{-s}
\end{aligned}$$

Integration over the fourth part:

Justification that we can estimate with  $S$ : Only negative part of the integration is fully in the set we want to estimate and the rest in  $S$  is positive.

We split  $S$  into four parts:

- i)  $S \cap B_{\Lambda M}(q) \cap B_{r_0}(z)$
- ii)  $S \cap B_{\Lambda M}(q) \cap B_{r_0}(\bar{z})$
- iii)  $S \cap (B_{\Lambda M}(q) \setminus (B_{r_0}(z) \cup B_{r_0}(\bar{z})))$
- iv)  $S \setminus B_{\Lambda M}(q)$

where  $\bar{z} := z + 2(q - z)$  and  $\Lambda > 4$  chosen big enough and  $M$  chosen small enough s.t.  $\Lambda M \leq 1$ .

We estimate the first and second part:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_{S \cap B_{\Lambda M}(q) \cap B_{r_0}(z) \cup S \cap B_{\Lambda M}(q) \cap B_{r_0}(\bar{z})} \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \\
& \leq \int_{S \cap B_{\Lambda M}(q) \cap B_{r_0}(z)} \frac{1}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy - \int_{S \cap B_{\Lambda M}(q) \cap B_{r_0}(\bar{z})} \frac{1}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \leq 0
\end{aligned}$$

These two integrals cancel because of symmetry.

We estimate the third part:

$$\int_{S \cap (B_{\Lambda M}(q) \setminus (B_{r_0}(z) \cup B_{r_0}(\bar{z})))} \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \leq \int_{P_{1, \Lambda M}} \frac{1}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \leq C \Lambda^{1-s} M^{1-s}$$

where we used lemma 3.1 in 2016 dipierro-savin-valdinoci with  $R = r_0 = 1$  and  $\lambda = \Lambda M$  (we can choose  $r_0 = 1$ , since if we can show the bound for  $r_0 = 1$  then it holds for all smaller balls as well).

We estimate the fourth part:

$$\int_{S \setminus B_{\Lambda M}(q)} \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \leq \int_{B_{R+2} \setminus B_{\Lambda M}} \frac{1}{|y|^{n+s}} dy = c(n, s)((\Lambda M)^{-s} - (R + 2)^{-s})$$

since  $S \subset B_{R+2}$  for  $R \geq 1$  since  $((\Lambda M)^2 + (R+1)^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq (R^2 + 4R + 4)^{\frac{1}{2}} = R+2$ .

Thus in total we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy &\leq -c_1 M^{-s} + c_0 (R^{-(1+s)} + (\Lambda M)^{-s} + (\Lambda M)^{-s} - (R+2)^{-s} + \Lambda^{1-s} M^{1-s}) \\ &\leq -c_1 M^{-s} (1 - \frac{c_0}{c_1} (R^{-(1+s)} M^s + 2\Lambda^{-s} - (R+2)^{-s} M^s + \Lambda^{1-s} M)) \end{aligned}$$

Choose  $\Lambda$  large and  $M$  small enoguh

$$\leq -c_2 M^{-s} < 0$$

□

### 3 Result 02

**Theorem 3.1** (Model 01: disconnected). *Let the setting be as in theorem theorem 2.1, then there exists an  $M_0$  s.t. for all  $M \geq M_0$  the minimizer of the fractional perimeter is disconnected.*

*Proof.* Proof analogous to theorem 1.2 in 2016 dipierro-onoue-valdinoci.

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### 4 Result 03

**Theorem 4.1** (Model 02: connected). *Let  $\Omega := \{(x', x_n) \text{ s.t. } |x'| \leq 1, |x_n| \leq M\}$  and  $E_0 := \{(x', x_n) \text{ s.t. } M \leq |x_n| \leq R + M\}$ . For every  $R > 0$  there exists a  $M_0$  s.t. for all  $M \leq M_0$  the minimizer of the fractional perimeter is connected. (We need  $R > M$ )*

**Note.** *To prove this we need to show that minimizers are always connected to  $\Omega^c$  and i.e.  $d(E_0, \Omega) = d(E \setminus E_0, \Omega)$ .*

*Proof.* We show that for every  $R > 0$  at least the tube  $\{|x_n| < r_0\}$  is in the minimizer for some  $r_0 > 0$ .

We do that analogously to theorem theorem 2.1 by contradiction. We assume that  $E_M$  is disconnected, thus we can slide a ball of radius  $r$  down and for all  $r_0 \in (0, 1)$  there exists a  $t_0 > 0$  s.t.  $\partial B_{r_0}(t_0 e_n) \cap \partial E_M \neq \emptyset$ . If we can show that there exists a  $r_0$  s.t. this conntradicts then the tube is in the minimizer. It is enough to show that for one  $r_0$  since if we can contradict

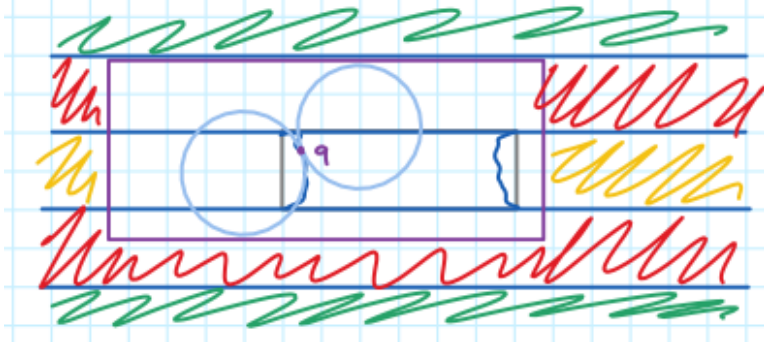


Figure 3:

this for one  $r_0$  then for all smaller there is no touching as well.  
For that we split into four parts as seen in the figure:

We define

$$\begin{aligned} A &:= \{(x', x_n) \text{ s.t. } |x_n| \geq M + R\} \\ B &:= \{(x', x_n) \text{ s.t. } |x_n| \leq M, |x' - q'| > 2\} \\ C &:= E_0 \setminus S \\ S &:= \{(x', x_n) \text{ s.t. } |x_n - q_n| \leq M + R, |x' - q'| \leq 2\} \end{aligned}$$

Integration over the first part:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_A \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy &\stackrel{A \subset E^c}{\leq} \int_{|y_n| \geq R} \frac{1}{|y|^{n+s}} dy \leq c(n) \int_0^\infty \int_R^\infty \frac{r^{n-2}}{(r^2 + y_n^2)^{\frac{n+s}{2}}} dy_n dr \\ &\leq c(n) \int_0^\infty \int_R^\infty \frac{1}{(r^2 + y_n^2)^{\frac{s+2}{2}}} dy_n dr \leq c(n) \int_0^\infty \int_R^\infty \frac{1}{(r + y_n)^{s+2}} dy_n dr \\ &= c(n, s) \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{(r + R)^{s+1}} dr = c(n, s) R^{-s} \end{aligned}$$

Integration over the second part:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_B \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy &\stackrel{B \subset E^c}{\leq} c(n) \int_0^M \int_2^\infty \frac{r^{n-2}}{(r^2 + y_n^2)^{\frac{n+s}{2}}} dr dy_n \\ &\leq c(n) \int_0^M \int_2^\infty \frac{1}{(r + y_n)^{s+2}} dr dy_n = c(n, s) \int_0^M \frac{1}{(2 + y_n)^{s+1}} dy_n \\ &= c(n, s) (2^{-s} - (2 + M)^{-s}) \leq c(n, s) 2^{-s} \end{aligned}$$

Integration over the third part (here we need  $R > M$ ):

$$\int_C \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy = - \int_C \frac{1}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \leq -c(n) \int_{B_M(\dots)} \frac{1}{|y|^{n+s}} dy \leq -c(n, s)M^{-s}$$

Idea: Move part of the stripe outside, restrict to ball with radius  $M$  and multiply with  $\frac{1}{2}$  since not whole ball may be in the set.

Integration over the fourth part:

We split  $S$  into four parts:

- i)  $S \cap B_{\Lambda M}(q) \cap B_{r_0}(z)$
- ii)  $S \cap B_{\Lambda M}(q) \cap B_{r_0}(\bar{z})$
- iii)  $S \cap (B_{\Lambda M}(q) \setminus (B_{r_0}(z) \cup B_{r_0}(\bar{z})))$
- iv)  $S \setminus B_{\Lambda M}(q)$

where  $\bar{z} := z + 2(q - z)$  and  $\Lambda > 4$  chosen big enough and  $M$  chosen small enough s.t.  $\Lambda M \leq 1$ .

Again the first and second part are in sum smaller than zero.

We estimate the third part:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{S \cap (B_{\Lambda M}(q) \setminus (B_{r_0}(z) \cup B_{r_0}(\bar{z})))} \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \\ & \leq \int_{P_{r_0,1}} \frac{1}{|y|^{n+s}} dy + \int_{B_{\Lambda M} \setminus B_{r_0}} \frac{1}{|y|^{n+s}} dy \leq c(n, s)(r_0^{-s} - (\Lambda M)^{-s}) \end{aligned}$$

We estimate the fourth part:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{S \setminus B_{\Lambda M}(q)} \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \\ & \leq c(n) \int_{\Lambda M}^{R+3} \frac{1}{r^{s+1}} dr \leq c(n, s)((\Lambda M)^{-s} - (R+3)^{-s}) \end{aligned}$$

Thus we estimate the domain  $S$  with

$$\int_S \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy \leq c(n, s)(r_0^{-s} - (R+3)^{-s}) \leq c(n, s)r_0^{-s}$$

Thus in total we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{\chi_{E^c} - \chi_E}{|y - q|^{n+s}} dy & \leq -c_0 M^{-s} + c_1 (R^{-s} + 2^{-s} + r_0^{-s}) \\ & \leq -c_0 M^{-s} (1 - \frac{c_1}{c_0} (R^{-s} M^s + 2^{-s} M^s + r_0^{-s} M^s)) \end{aligned}$$

Now choose  $r_0 = \frac{R}{2}$  and at most 2

$$\leq -c_0 M^{-s} \left( 1 - \frac{c_1}{c_0} (R^{-s} M^s + 2^{-s} M^s + \left( \frac{2M}{R} \right)^s) \right)$$

Choose  $\Lambda$  large and  $M$  small enough

$$\leq -c_2 M^{-s} < 0$$

□

## 5 Result 04

**Theorem 5.1** (Model 02: disconnected). *Let the setting be as in theorem 4.1, then there exists an  $M_0$  s.t. for all  $M \geq M_0$  the minimizer of the fractional perimeter is disconnected.*

*Proof.* Proof analogous to theorem 1.2 in 2016 dipierro-onoue-valdinoci. (I think)

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## 6 Result 05