

① GAUGE THEORY

QED

MINIMAL SUBSTITUTION

$$\vec{F} = q (\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B})$$

Orsted + Ampère 1820
↓
1892 for Lorentz to derive

$$S = \int L dt \quad L = \frac{1}{2} m |\dot{\vec{x}}|^2 + q \dot{\vec{x}} \cdot \vec{A} - q\phi$$

$$\vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{A}}{\partial t} - \nabla \phi, \quad \vec{B} = \nabla \times \vec{A}$$

Remember: $\frac{d}{dt} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \dot{\vec{x}} \cdot \nabla$

$$\dot{\vec{x}} \times \nabla \times \vec{A} = \nabla (\dot{\vec{x}} \cdot \vec{A}) - (\dot{\vec{x}} \cdot \nabla) \vec{A}$$

$$\vec{p}_{\text{gen}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\vec{x}}} = m \dot{\vec{x}} + q \vec{A} \quad \text{"minimal sub"}$$

IN 4-VECTOR FORM

$$A^\mu = (\phi, \vec{A})$$

$$F^{\mu\nu} = \partial^\mu A^\nu - \partial^\nu A^\mu \sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & E & E & E \\ -E & 0 & B & B \\ -E & -B & 0 & B \\ -E & B & -B & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\xi^\mu = q \underset{\gamma(c, \vec{v})}{u^\mu} F^{\mu\nu}$$

$$\& \quad p^\mu = m u^\mu + q A^\mu$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{on}} i(\partial^\mu - iq A^\mu)$$

"ad hoc rule"

ONE NOTES GAUGE INVARIANCE
OF, $\vec{E}, \vec{B}$ & $F^{\mu\nu}$

$$A^\mu \rightarrow A^\mu + \frac{1}{q} \partial^\mu \omega(x^\mu)$$

GLOBAL TRANSFORMATIONS OF DIRAC ACTION

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\Psi} (i \gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - m) \Psi$$

$$\Psi \rightarrow e^{i\omega} \Psi = (1 + i\omega + \dots) \Psi$$

$$\delta \Psi = i\omega \Psi$$

$$\bar{\Psi} \rightarrow e^{-i\omega} \bar{\Psi} = (1 - i\omega + \dots) \bar{\Psi}$$

$$\delta \bar{\Psi} = -i\omega \bar{\Psi}$$

If ω is independent of x^μ then this is an invariance of the action.

$$\text{NB } e^{i\alpha} e^{i\beta} = e^{i(\alpha+\beta)} = e^{i\beta} e^{i\alpha}$$

"abelian" transformations

GAUGE TRANSFORMATIONS

$$\Psi \rightarrow e^{i\alpha(x^\mu)} \Psi \quad (\text{local or gauge})$$

$$\text{Get extra term } \delta \mathcal{L} = -\bar{\Psi} \gamma^\mu (\partial_\mu \omega) \Psi$$

In full QED it does work though

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\Psi} [i \gamma^\mu (\partial_\mu - iq A_\mu)] \Psi$$

$$\Psi \rightarrow e^{i\omega} \Psi \quad \& \quad A^\mu \rightarrow A^\mu + \underbrace{\frac{1}{q} \partial_\mu \omega}_{\delta A^\mu}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta \mathcal{L} &= -\bar{\Psi} \gamma^\mu (\partial_\mu \omega) \Psi + \bar{\Psi} \gamma^\mu \frac{q}{q} (\partial_\mu \omega) \Psi \\ &= 0 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

Now reverse the logic: the symmetry requires an A^μ with the gauge invariance transformation. QED appears by magic!

We must write down all gauge invariant terms - an extra Lorentz invariant term in $F^{\mu\nu}$

$$L = -\frac{1}{4} F^{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{normalization is} \\ \text{conventional normalization} \\ \text{as 2} \end{array} \right)$$

Up to dimension 4 terms we uniquely have

$$L = -\frac{1}{4} F^{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu} + \bar{\psi} (i\not{D} - m) \psi$$

$$D_\mu = \partial_\mu - iqA_\mu \quad \text{"Covariant derivative"}$$

NB/ We have predicted $M_\gamma = 0$

$M_\gamma^2 A^\mu A_\mu$ is not gauge invariant.

$$\begin{aligned} F_{\mu\nu}^{\text{op}} &= +\frac{i}{q} [D_\mu, D_\nu] = +\frac{i}{q} [\cancel{d_\mu}, \cancel{d_\nu}] + [d_\mu, A_\nu] \\ &\quad + [A_\mu, d_\nu] + ie [\cancel{A_\mu}, \cancel{A_\nu}] \\ &= d_\mu A_\nu - A_\nu d_\mu + A_\mu d_\nu - d_\nu A_\mu \\ &\quad \quad \quad \uparrow \quad \quad \uparrow \\ &\quad \quad \quad 0 \quad \quad 0 \\ &\quad \quad \quad \text{when act on right} \end{aligned}$$

NON-ABELIAN GAUGE INVARIANCE

If there are 2 or more identical particles then QMly we can change basis

eg u & d look the same to the strong force
so $\psi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (u \pm d)$ are good basis vectors too.

Transform:
generally

$$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix} \psi_i \xrightarrow{\text{or } 2} \left(e^{i \omega_a T^a} \right)_i^j \psi_j$$

$\underbrace{\omega_a}_{\text{real parameters}} \quad \underbrace{T^a}_{\text{generators}}$

eg for $SU(2)$ $T^1 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $T^2 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 $T^3 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (T^i = T^{i\dagger})$

Note $[T^a, T^b] = i f^{abc} T^c$

$$\& \left(e^{i \omega_1^a T^a} \right)_i^k \left(e^{i \omega_2^b T^b} \right)_k^j \neq \left(e^{i \omega_2^b T^b} \right)_i^k \left(e^{i \omega_1^a T^a} \right)_k^j$$

$\uparrow$
 $1 + i \omega_1^a T^a + \dots$

The transformations do not commute: "non-abelian"

Global versions of these transformations are an invariance of

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\psi}^i \left(i \gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - m \right) \psi_i$$

$\psi^\dagger = \psi^{-1}$
 $\downarrow$
 ψ

$$\psi^\dagger \psi = 1$$

If we make symmetry local get a term

$$\bar{\Psi} U^{-1} i \gamma^\mu (d_\mu U) \Psi$$

⌊ note there are 3 $\omega^a(k)$ in here for $su(2)$. We need 3 A^μ 's to get rid of these terms.

Introduce

$$A^\mu = A^a_\mu T^a$$

← summed over generators

We are going to add terms like

$$-\bar{\Psi} i \gamma^\mu \underbrace{T^a A^a_\mu}_{\substack{\downarrow \quad \downarrow \\ U \quad U^{-1} \\ \text{need}}} \Psi$$

(Arrows from $\bar{\Psi}$ and Ψ point to U^{-1} and U respectively)

For this term alone to be invariant we need

$$A_\mu \rightarrow U A_\mu U^{-1} + \frac{i}{g} (d_\mu U) U^{-1}$$

this extra term allows us to cancel the unwanted terms above.

note this places A_μ in the adjoint rep since
 $N \otimes \bar{N} = \text{Adj} + 1$

So our gauge invariant theory is

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\Psi}^i (i \not{D} - m \mathbb{1})^j_i \Psi_j$$

(flavour diagonal)

$$D_\mu = d_\mu \mathbb{1} + i g T^a A^a_\mu$$

sign is convention on g

Note under GT $D_\mu \rightarrow U D_\mu U^{-1}$

We then construct

$$F^{\mu\nu} = \frac{-i}{g} [D_\mu, D_\nu]$$
$$= \frac{-i}{g} [\cancel{\partial_\mu \partial_\nu}] + [\partial_\mu, A_\nu] + [A_\mu, \partial_\nu] + ig [A_\mu^\alpha A_\nu^\beta]$$

$$F_{\mu\nu}^a = \partial_\mu A_\nu^a - \partial_\nu A_\mu^a - g f^{abc} A_\mu^b A_\nu^c$$

Note $F^{\mu\nu} \xrightarrow{GT} U F^{\mu\nu} U^{-1}$

To make an invariant

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} F^{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4} F^{a\mu\nu} F_{a\mu\nu}$$

cyclic

$$\text{Tr} \overbrace{U^{-1} B U}^{\text{cyclic}}$$
$$\text{Tr} T^a T^b = \frac{1}{2} \delta^{ab}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{NAET}} = -\frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} F^{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu} + \bar{\Psi} (i \not{D} - m \mathbb{1}) \Psi$$

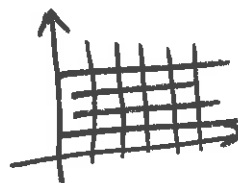
② GAUGE FIXING

The Fadeev-Popov procedure is quite subtle - here I try a first introduction - but it's well understood.

A (Dumb?) Warm Up

Consider the area integral

$$\int_0^L \int_0^L dx dy = L^2$$



We can turn it into a line integral by inserting $\delta(y)$

$$\int_0^L \int_0^L \delta(y) dx dy = \int_0^L dx = L$$

Now let's turn to polar coords

$$\begin{matrix} r(x,y) & \theta(x,y) \\ \delta y \delta x \longrightarrow \delta r \delta \theta & \text{in general some parallelogram} \\ & \text{area} = \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \end{matrix}$$

The area changes by a "Jacobian" factor
(a determinant)

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} \\ \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -r \sin \theta & r \cos \theta \end{vmatrix} = r$$

$$\iint dx dy \rightarrow \iint J dr d\theta \rightarrow \iint r dr d\theta$$

Now you might try to get the line integral along x by inserting $\delta(\theta)$ but...

$$\iint \delta\theta \, r \, dr \, d\theta = \int_0^L x \, dx = L^2/2$$

To correct this we need to change the normalization of the δ -fn when we change coordinates

$$\delta(y) \rightarrow \frac{1}{J} \Big|_{\theta=\theta_0} \delta(\theta - \theta_0)$$

this removes
the r

need to remove x at $\theta=0$
or y at $\theta=\pi$

NAGT

Gauge freedom

$$A^\mu \rightarrow U A^\mu U^{-1} + \frac{i}{g} (\partial_\mu U) U^{-1}$$

For small transforms $U = 1 + i\omega^a T^a$

$$\delta A^\mu_\nu = g^{abc} A^\mu_\nu \omega^c - \frac{1}{g} (\partial_\nu \omega^a)$$

This is a redundancy of description - you change A^μ but $\vec{E}$ & $\vec{B}$ are the same.... this over counting causes trouble in the path integral

$$S = \int d^4x \, -\frac{1}{4} F^{a\mu\nu} F^a_{\mu\nu}$$

$\underbrace{\phantom{F^{a\mu\nu} F^a_{\mu\nu}}}_{\partial^\mu A^{a\nu} - \partial^\nu A^{a\mu} + \dots}$

$$= \int d^4x \, -\frac{1}{4} \left(\overbrace{\partial^\mu A^{a\nu} \partial_\mu A^a_\nu} - \overbrace{\partial^\nu A^{a\mu} \partial_\nu A^a_\mu} \right. \\ \left. - \underbrace{\partial^\nu A^{a\mu} \partial_\mu A^a_{\nu}}_{-} + \underbrace{\partial^\nu A^{a\mu} \partial_\nu A^a_\mu}_{-} \right)$$

$$= \int d^4x \, \frac{1}{2} A^a_\mu \underbrace{O^{\mu\nu}_{ab}}_{(g^{\mu\nu} \partial^2 - \partial^\mu \partial^\nu) \delta_{ab}} A^b_\nu$$

The propagator is the inverse of $O^{\mu\nu}$ but here there is no inverse because there's a zero eigenvector

$$O^{\mu\nu} \partial_\nu \omega(x) = 0$$

So we should restrict to solutions in some fixed gauge

$$D[A_\mu] \rightarrow D[A_\mu^{w=0}] D[\omega] \delta(\omega)$$

But we normally fix a gauge through a condition like

$$\partial^\mu A_\mu = \xi(x)$$

so we're tempted to include

$$\delta[\partial^\mu A_\mu - \xi]$$

which we can as long as we include a "functional determinant" $\mathcal{J}$

$$Z = \int D[A_\mu] \delta(\partial^\mu A_\mu - \xi) \mathcal{J}|_{w=0} e^{iS}$$

↑ this means we only need infinitesimal transformation

Now

$$\delta(\partial^\mu A_\mu^a) = f^{abc} \partial^\mu A_\mu^b \omega^c - \frac{1}{g} \partial^\mu \partial_\mu \omega^a$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{\delta(\partial^\mu A_\mu^a)(x)}{\delta \omega^b(y)} &= f^{abc} \partial^\mu A_\mu^b \delta^a(x-y) - \frac{1}{g} \partial^\mu \partial_\mu \delta^a(x-y) \delta^a_b \\ &= -\frac{1}{g} \delta^a(x-y) \partial^\mu D_\mu^{ab}(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$D_\mu^{ab} = \partial_\mu \delta^{ab} - g f^{abc} A_\mu^c$$

since f^{abc} are adjoint generators.

We want the determinant as this.... here's a trick

$$\det M = \int D[\eta] D[\bar{\eta}] e^{-\int d^4x \bar{\eta}(x) M \eta(x)}$$

$\uparrow \quad \uparrow$
 Grassman fields

write η in eigenstates as $M \phi_n = \lambda_n \phi_n$

$$\eta = \sum_n c_n \phi_n$$

$\uparrow$ Grassmanian $\int dc_n = 0$

$\int dc_n c_n = 1$

~~$$\det M = \int d\bar{c}_n dc_n e^{-\sum \lambda_n \bar{c}_n c_n}$$~~

by completeness

$$= \prod \lambda_n = \det M \quad \checkmark$$

So we enact $\mathcal{J}$ by adding to the action

$$iS = i \int d^4x \bar{\eta}^a \partial^\mu D_\mu^{ab} \eta^b \quad \left(-\frac{1}{g} \text{ absorbed into norms of } \eta \text{ \& } \bar{\eta} \right)$$

The η & $\bar{\eta}$ fields are "Faddeev-Popov" ghosts

They are not physical so don't occur as in or out states in Feynman diagrams - only in loops.

They are Grassmanian scalars - they get a minus sign on their loops.



One final trick... any choice of $\xi(x)$ gives the same answer... pick two & add the answers & you'll get double Z ... why not pick a smeared distribution?

$$Z = \int D[\xi] e^{i \int d^4x \frac{1}{2(1-\xi)} \xi^2(x)} \int D[A_\mu] \delta[2A - \xi] \mathcal{J} e^{iS}$$

OK upto a constant... do the ξ integral...

$$Z = \int D[A_\mu] \mathcal{J} e^{iS} e^{i \int d^4x \frac{1}{2(1-\xi)} (\partial^\mu A_\mu)^2}$$

↳ integrate by parts
- $A_\mu \partial^\mu \partial^\nu A_\nu$

Now $O_{ab}^{\mu\nu} = i \delta_{ab} \left(g^{\mu\nu} \partial^2 + \frac{\xi}{(1-\xi)} \partial^\mu \partial^\nu \right)$

which has an inverse

$$= \delta_{ab} \left(g_{\mu\nu} - \xi \frac{p_\mu p_\nu}{p^2} \right) \frac{i}{p^2}$$

$\xi = 0$ is a good choice! "Feynman gauge"

Gluon (Feynman gauge)

$$a \begin{array}{c} p \\ \text{-----} \\ \mu \text{ } \text{ooooo} \text{ } \nu \end{array} b \quad -i \delta_{ab} g_{\mu\nu} / p^2$$

Fermion

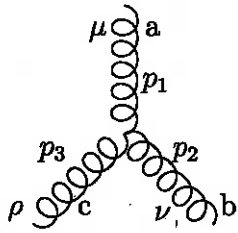
$$i \text{-----} p \text{-----} j \quad i \delta_{ij} (\gamma^\mu p_\mu + m) / (p^2 - m^2)$$

Faddeev-Popov ghost

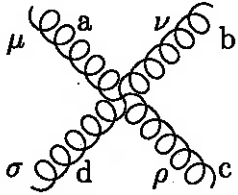
$$a \text{---} p \text{---} b \quad i \delta_{ab} / p^2$$

Vertices:

(all momenta are flowing into the vertex).



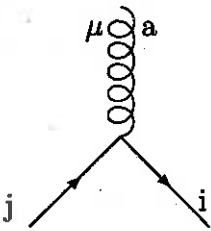
$$-g f_{abc} (g_{\mu\nu} (p_1 - p_2)_\rho + g_{\nu\rho} (p_2 - p_3)_\mu + g_{\rho\mu} (p_3 - p_1)_\nu)$$



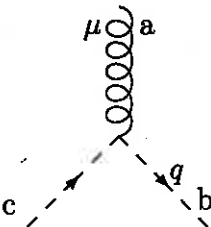
$$-i g^2 f_{eab} f_{ecd} (g_{\mu\rho} g_{\nu\sigma} - g_{\mu\sigma} g_{\nu\rho})$$

$$-i g^2 f_{eac} f_{ebd} (g_{\mu\nu} g_{\rho\sigma} - g_{\mu\sigma} g_{\nu\rho})$$

$$-i g^2 f_{ead} f_{ebc} (g_{\mu\nu} g_{\rho\sigma} - g_{\mu\rho} g_{\nu\sigma})$$

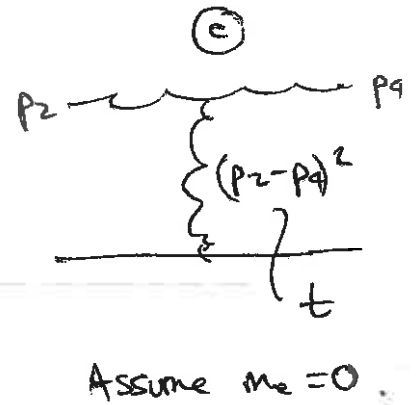
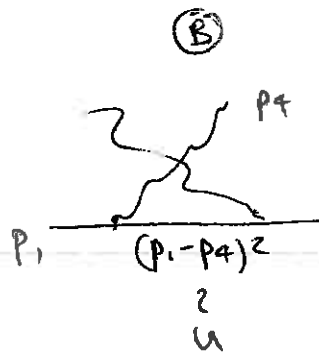
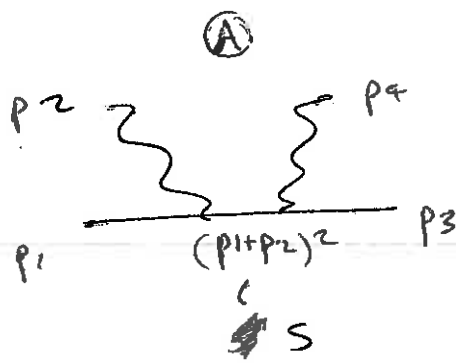


$$-i g \gamma^\mu (T^a)_{ij}$$



$$g f_{abc} q_\mu$$

EG NA COMPTON SCATTERING



$$\textcircled{A} \quad \epsilon_\mu(\lambda_2) \epsilon_\nu(\lambda_4) \bar{u}^j(p_3) (-ig \gamma_\mu^\dagger (T^b)^k_j) \left(\frac{i \cancel{p_2 + p_1}}{S} \right) (-ig \gamma_\nu^\dagger (T^a)^i_R)$$

$$= -\frac{ig^2}{S} \epsilon_\mu(\lambda_2) \epsilon_\nu(\lambda_4) \bar{u}(p_3) (\gamma^\mu (\cancel{p_1 + p_2}) \gamma^\nu) (T^b T^a) u(p_1)$$

$$\textcircled{B} = -\frac{ig^2}{u} \epsilon_\mu(\lambda_2) \epsilon_\nu(\lambda_4) \bar{u}(p_3) (\gamma^\nu (\cancel{p_1 - p_4}) \gamma^\mu) (T^a T^b) u(p_1)$$

$\textcircled{C}$ p_4 out is $-p_4$ flowing into the 3 pt vertex; $p_4 - p_2$ flows in; p_2 flows in

$$-g f_{abc} [g_{\mu\nu} (p_2 + p_4)_\rho + g_{\rho\nu} (p_2 - 2p_4)_\mu + g_{\rho\mu} (p_4 - 2p_2)_\nu]$$

$$\times \epsilon^\mu(\lambda_2) \epsilon^\nu(\lambda_4) \bar{u}^j(p_3) (ig \gamma_\rho (T^c)^i_j) u_i(p_1) \left(\frac{-ig \cancel{p_2}}{t} \right)$$

$$if_{abc} T^c = [T^a, T^b]$$

$$= -\frac{ig^2}{t} \epsilon^\mu(\lambda_2) \epsilon^\nu(\lambda_4) \bar{u}(p_3) [T^a, T^b] \gamma^\rho u(p_1)$$

$$(g_{\mu\nu} (p_2 + p_4)_\rho - 2p_{4\mu} g_{\rho\nu} - 2p_{2\nu} g_{\rho\mu})$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} p_2 \cdot \epsilon(\lambda_2) = 0 \\ p_4 \cdot \epsilon(\lambda_4) = 0 \end{array} \right.$$

$$p_4 \cdot \epsilon(\lambda_4) = 0$$

③ BEYOND TREE LEVEL

Our main job now is to go beyond tree level in perturb. theory which will involve self interactions for particles. This is a tricky issue even in classical theory!

eg What acceleration does an e^- feel in an $\vec{E}$ field?

$$\vec{F} = m\vec{a} = q\vec{E}$$

BUT

$$\left(\frac{4\pi}{3} \frac{e}{R} \right)$$

$$\rho = \frac{e}{4/3\pi R^3}$$

$$\delta E = \int_0^R \frac{4\pi r^2 dr \rho \cdot 4/3\pi r^3 \rho}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r}$$

$$= \frac{e^2}{(4/3\pi R^3)^2} \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \frac{4}{3}\pi \int_0^R r^4 dr$$

$$= \frac{e^2}{(4/3\pi R^3)^2} \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \frac{4}{3}\pi \frac{R^5}{5}$$

$$= \frac{3}{5} \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r}$$

Presumably $R \rightarrow 0 \dots$ so $E = mc^2 \rightarrow \infty ??$

Well no... this isn't a correct theory as m_e - it doesn't apply at quantum scales... so we use the physical m_e & it works.... that's basically renormalization which we'll see in field theory

Q⁴ THEORY (BRIEFLY)

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial^\mu \phi)(\partial_\mu \phi) - \frac{1}{2} m^2 \phi^2 - \frac{\lambda}{4!} \phi^4$$

Consider the 2-pt Green's function

$$G^2(x, 0) = \langle 0 | T \phi(x) \phi(0) | 0 \rangle$$

$$= \Delta_0(x) + \frac{1}{2} \int D[\phi] e^{iS_0} \left(\frac{-i\lambda}{4!} \right) \int d^4z \phi^4(z) \phi(x) + O(\lambda^2)$$



Wick
contract:

consider the term

$$\phi(\frac{x}{2}) \phi(\frac{x}{2}) \phi(\frac{x}{2}) \phi(\frac{x}{2}) \phi(x) \phi(0)$$

There's also $\frac{0}{\infty}^x$
which is part of vacuum
& cancels vs $1/2$



There are 4×3 such contractions

$$\tilde{G}^2(p) = \Delta_0(p) - \frac{i\lambda}{2} \int d^4x e^{-ip \cdot x} \int \frac{d^4k_1}{(2\pi)^4} \Delta_0(x-z) \Delta_0(z) \Delta_0(0)$$

$$\frac{-i\lambda}{2} \int d^4x e^{-ip \cdot x} \int d^4z \int \frac{d^4k_1}{(2\pi)^4} \int \frac{d^4k_2}{(2\pi)^4} \int \frac{d^4k}{(2\pi)^4} e^{ik_1(x-z)} e^{ik_2z} \\ \times \frac{i^3}{(k_1^2 - m^2)(k_2^2 - m^2)(k^2 - m^2)}$$

$$z \text{ integration} \Rightarrow (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(k_1 - k_2) \Rightarrow k_2 \text{ integral easy}$$
$$x \text{ integration} \Rightarrow (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(k_1 - p) \Rightarrow k_1 \text{ integral easy}$$

$$G^2(p) = \Delta_0(p) - \frac{i}{2} \frac{1}{p^2 - m^2} \left[\int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{i}{k^2 - m^2} \right] \frac{i}{p^2 - m^2} + \dots$$

Diagrammatic equation for the self-energy Σ (shaded circle):

$$\text{Shaded Circle} \equiv \text{Line with arrow} + \text{Line with arrow and loop} + \dots$$

The loop term is labeled: $k \in \text{any } k \text{ allowed in loop}$

Now remove the external propagators $\times \bigcirc \times$

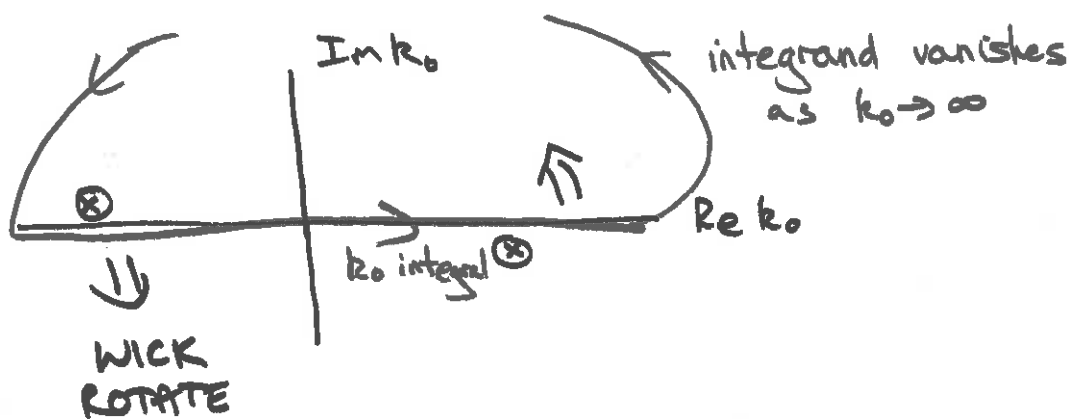
$$= -\frac{i\lambda}{2} \int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{i}{k^2 - m^2}$$

The k_0 integral is subtle and we need to be more careful about poles $\rightarrow +i\epsilon$ prescription

$$\frac{1}{k^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} = \frac{1}{k_0^2 - (\vec{k}^2 + m^2) + i\epsilon}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(k_0 - \omega_k + i\epsilon')(k_0 + \omega_k - i\epsilon')}$$

$$\omega_k = \sqrt{k^2 + m^2}$$



$$*\text{D}^* = \frac{\lambda}{2} \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} \frac{dk_0}{2\pi} \int \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{k_0^2 - \underline{k}^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon}$$

$$\text{Let } l_0 = -ik_0: \quad = \frac{i\lambda}{2} \int \frac{d l_0}{(2\pi)} \int \frac{d^5 k}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{-l_0^2 - \underline{k}^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon}$$

$$= -\frac{i\lambda}{2} \int \frac{d^4 k_E}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{(k_E^2 + m^2)}$$

$\vec{k}_E = (k_0, \mathbf{k})$ is a Euclidean 4-vector

Integration $d^4 k$:

$$\int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} = \int \frac{k^3 \sin^2 \theta \sin \chi}{(2\pi)^4} dk d\theta d\chi d\phi \quad \begin{matrix} \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow \\ 0 \dots \Lambda & 0 \dots \pi & 0 \dots \pi & 0 \dots 2\pi \end{matrix}$$

1D: $\int dr$

2D: $\int r dr d\theta$

3D:

$\int r^2 \sin \theta dr d\theta d\phi$

$$\frac{dk^2}{dk} = 2k$$

$$\int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} = \int \frac{k^2 dk^2}{2^5 \pi^4} \int \underbrace{\sin^2 \theta \sin \chi d\theta d\chi d\phi}_{2\pi^2}$$

when integrating something angular independent

$$= \int \frac{k^2 dk^2}{16\pi^2}$$

Back to ϕ^4 :

$$\text{*O*} = -\frac{i\lambda}{2} \int_0^{\Lambda^2} \frac{k_E^2 dk_E^2}{16\pi^2} \frac{1}{k_E^2 + m^2}$$

$$= -\frac{i\lambda}{2} \int_0^{\Lambda^2} \frac{dk_E^2}{16\pi^2} + i \int_0^{\Lambda^2} \frac{m^2}{k_E^2 + m^2} dk_E^2$$

$$= \frac{-i}{16\pi^2} \frac{\lambda}{2} \Lambda^2 + \text{logs.}$$

As $\Lambda^2 \rightarrow \infty \dots$

Here where there is no p dependence we have computed a contribution to the "self energy"

$$\text{---}\text{X}\text{---} \equiv -i\Sigma$$

It's a correction to the mass

$$\text{---}\text{X}\text{---} \equiv -im^2$$

For example consider the full propagator at all orders

$$\text{---} + \frac{-i\Sigma}{\text{---}\text{X}\text{---}} + \frac{-i\Sigma}{\text{---}\text{X}\text{---}} \frac{-i\Sigma}{\text{---}\text{X}\text{---}} + \dots$$

$$= \frac{i}{p^2 - m^2} + \frac{i}{p^2 - m^2} (-i\Sigma) \frac{i}{p^2 - m^2} + \dots$$

$$= \frac{i}{p^2 - m^2} \left(1 + \frac{\Sigma}{p^2 - m^2} + \frac{\Sigma^2}{(p^2 - m^2)^2} + \dots \right)$$

$$= \frac{i}{p^2 - m^2} \left(1 - \frac{\Sigma}{p^2 - m^2} \right)^{-1}$$

$$= \frac{i}{p^2 - m^2 - \Sigma}$$

So the physical mass is $m^2 + \Sigma = M_P^2$

↑
"bare mass"
is $-\infty$!!!

↓
"renormalized mass"
is what we observe