

ϕ^4 THEORY (REAL SCALAR FIELD)

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

LET'S WRITE, FOR COMPLETENESS, EQUATION OF MOTION FOR THIS THEORY

E-L $\delta_\mu \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi)} \right) - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} = 0$

$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi)} = \partial^\mu \phi$ $\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} = -m^2 \phi - \frac{\lambda}{3!} \phi^3$

$\partial_\mu \partial^\mu \phi + m^2 \phi + \frac{\lambda}{3!} \phi^3 = 0$

$(\square + m^2) \phi = -\frac{\lambda}{3!} \phi^3$

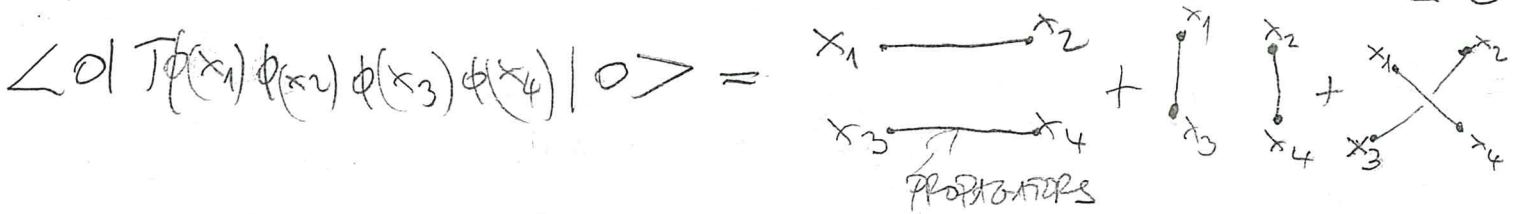
LAST TIME WE DISCUSSED TIME ORDERED PRODUCTS OF FIELD
 $\langle 0 | T \phi_1 \phi_2 | 0 \rangle \rightarrow$ FEYNMANN PROPAGATOR

WICK THEOREM: \rightarrow PUTS CREATION OPERATORS TO THE LEFT !! (NORMAL ORDERING)

$T(\phi(x_1) \phi(x_2) \dots \phi(x_n)) = N(\phi(x_1) \phi(x_2) \phi(x_3) \dots \phi(x_n) + \text{CONTRACTIONS})$

So $T(\phi(x_1) \phi(x_2) \phi(x_3) \phi(x_4)) = N(\phi(x_1) \phi(x_2) \phi(x_3) \phi(x_4) + \overbrace{\phi(x_1) \phi(x_2) \phi(x_3)} + \overbrace{\phi(x_1) \phi(x_2) \phi(x_4)} + \overbrace{\phi(x_1) \phi(x_3) \phi(x_4)} + \overbrace{\phi(x_2) \phi(x_3) \phi(x_4)} + \dots)$

$\phi \phi = \Delta_F(x-y) \rightarrow$ FEYNMANN PROPAGATOR
 terms with fields that are not all contracted vanish because $\langle 0 | a^\dagger a | 0 \rangle = 0$ \rightarrow OR THE LEFT



$[-1-]$ - NO INTERACTION

IF YOU WANT TO CONSIDER INTERACTIONS, IT IS THE FAMILIAR PART
 NEEDS TO BE ADDED (THIS IS JUST ONE PART OF THE FULL STORY -
 DYSON FORMULA (DENOMINATOR IS FOR OUR PURPOSES IGNORED))
 THERE IS AN $[-i \int d^4 z \mathcal{L}_I]$ SO 1 + ... , THE FIRST TERM BEING INTERACTION
 LESS

nd term in expansion:

$$\langle 0 | T(\phi(x_1)\phi(x_2)\phi(x_3)\phi(x_4) [-i \int d^4 z \mathcal{L}_I]) | 0 \rangle = \int d^4 z \frac{(-i\lambda)^4}{4!} \Delta_F(x_1-z)\Delta_F(x_2-z)\Delta_F(x_3-z)\Delta_F(x_4-z)$$

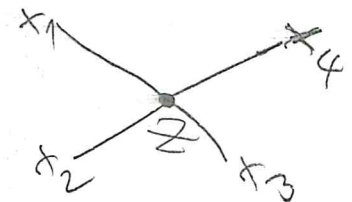
Annotations: 3 POSSIBILITIES (for the first three fields), 4 POSSIBILITIES (for the fourth field), 2 POSSIBILITIES (for the interaction term), 1 POSSIBILITY (for the integration).

$$= \frac{(-i\lambda)^4}{4!} \int d^4 z \Delta_F(x_1-z)\Delta_F(x_2-z)\Delta_F(x_3-z)\Delta_F(x_4-z)$$

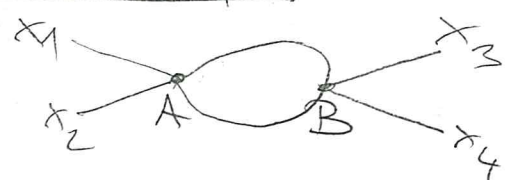
WAYS OF DOING THIS, ALL GIVE IDENTICAL EXPRESSIONS

$-i\lambda \int d^4 z \rightarrow$ FERMION RULE FOR THE VERTEX IN COORDINATE SPACE

DIAGRAMMATICALLY:



CONSIDER 1-LOOP DIAGRAM



THERE IS AN ADDITIONAL $\frac{1}{2!}$ FROM EXP. EXPANSION BUT IS CANCELLED BY THE FACTOR FROM INTERCHANGING VERTICES

3rd term in the expansion of exponential

$$\langle 0 | T(\phi(x_1)\phi(x_2)\phi(x_3)\phi(x_4) [-i \int d^4 A \mathcal{L}_I] [-i \int d^4 B \mathcal{L}_I]) | 0 \rangle = \frac{(-i\lambda)^2}{(4!)^2} \int d^4 A \int d^4 B \Delta_F(x_1-A)\Delta_F(x_2-A)\Delta_F(x_3-B)\Delta_F(x_4-B) \Delta_F(A-B)\Delta_F(A-B)$$

Annotations: 4 POSS. (for A), 3 POSS. (for B), 4 POSS. (for A), 3 POSS. (for B).

$$= 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot (-i\lambda)^2 \frac{1}{(4!)^2} \int d^4 A \int d^4 B \Delta_F(x_1-A)\Delta_F(x_2-A)\Delta_F(x_3-B)\Delta_F(x_4-B) \Delta_F(A-B)\Delta_F(A-B)$$

$$= \frac{12 \cdot 4!}{(4!)^2} (-i\lambda)^2 \dots = \frac{1}{2} (-i\lambda)^2 \dots$$

SYMMETRY FACTOR

SO, WE GO! Δ THINIKI TACIK = Δ WHICH MEANS THAT THE DIAGRAM IS SYMMETRIC UNDER THE INTERCHANGE OF 2 PROPAGATORS a and b (LINES)



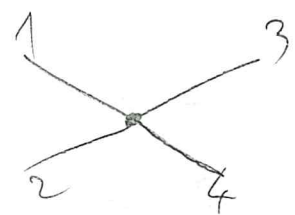
THIS FEYNMAN DIAGRAMS WERE FOR CORRELATION FUNCTIONS, IN PRINCIPLE WE NEED S-MATRIX ELEMENTS \rightarrow AMPLITUDES FOR PROCESSES

$$\langle \mu_1 \mu_2 | T \left(-i \frac{\lambda}{4!} \int d^4 z \phi^4(z) \right) | \mu_3 \mu_4 \rangle$$

FEYNMAN RULES FOR ϕ^4 THEORY (IN MOMENTUM SPACE)

- 1) PROPAGATOR $\frac{i}{k^2 - m^2}$
- 2) VERTEX $-i\lambda$
↓
 TAKE \downarrow REMOVE FIELDS \rightarrow ADD i
- 3) EXTERNAL LINE 1
- 4) INTEGRATE OVER EACH UNDETERMINED LOOP MOMENTUM $\int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4}$
- 5) DIVIDE BY SYMMETRY FACTOR

EXAMPLE: $2 \rightarrow 2$ SCATTERING TREE-LEVEL LEADING CONTRIBUTION



MAYBE NOT USED IN THEORETICAL PHYSICS CONNECTION

$$i\mathcal{M} = -i\lambda$$

$$-i\mathcal{M}^\dagger = i\lambda$$

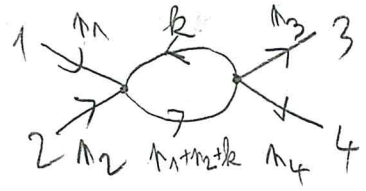
$$\Rightarrow \boxed{(\mathcal{M})^2 = \lambda^2}$$

IF YOU WANT TO INCLUDE 1-LOOP CONTRIBUTION, INCLUDE s , t and u DIAGRAMS

$$i\mathcal{M} = \text{tree diagram} + \underbrace{\text{1-loop diagrams}}_{\text{1-LOOP CONTRIBUTION}} + (\text{COUNTERTERM})$$

* MENTION LATER

LET US CONSIDER 1-1 channel process (1, 2 INCOMING, 3, 4 OUTGOING PARTICLES)



USING FEYNMAN RULE WE HAVE

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

\downarrow SYMMETRY FACTOR
 \downarrow $n = n_1 + n_2$ (WITH ABBREVIATION)

TAKE A LOOK AT THE INTEGRAL

$$\sim \int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{(k^2 - m^2)(k+n)^2 - m^2}$$

FOR $k \gg m$ \rightarrow $\int \frac{d^4 k}{k^4} = \ln k$ (LOGARITHMICALLY DIVERGENT)

AVOIDING THE POTENTIALLY BIG

TREATING THE INTEGRAL:

So, we have $iM_S = +\frac{1}{2} \lambda^2 \int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{k^2 - m^2} \frac{1}{(k+n)^2 - m^2}$

FIRST STEP: FEYNMAN PARAMETRIZATION

2 DENOMINATORS REWRITE AS ONE RAISED TO THE 2nd POWER

$$\frac{1}{A_1 A_2} = \int_0^1 dx \frac{1}{[xA_1 + (1-x)A_2]^2} = \int_0^1 dx \int_0^1 dy \delta(x+y-1) \frac{1}{(xA_1 + yA_2)^2}$$

PROOF: $\int_0^1 dx \frac{1}{(xA_1 + (1-x)A_2)^2} = \int_0^1 dx \frac{1}{(xA_1 + A_2 - xA_2)^2} = \int_0^1 dx \frac{1}{(xA_1 - A_2 + A_2)^2}$

$\left\{ \begin{aligned} x(A_1 - A_2) + A_2 &= y \\ (A_1 - A_2)dx &= dy \end{aligned} \right\} = \int_{A_2}^{A_1} dy \frac{1}{A_1 - A_2} \frac{1}{y^2} = \frac{1}{A_1 - A_2} \left(-\frac{1}{y} \right) \Big|_{A_2}^{A_1} = -\frac{1}{A_1 - A_2} \left(\frac{1}{A_1} - \frac{1}{A_2} \right) = -\frac{1}{A_1 - A_2} \frac{A_2 - A_1}{A_1 A_2} = \frac{1}{A_1 A_2}$

IN OUR CASE

$$\frac{1}{k^2 - m^2} \frac{1}{(k+n)^2 - m^2} = \int_0^1 dx \frac{1}{[(k+n)^2 - m^2]x + (1-x)(k^2 - m^2)}$$

$$= \int_0^1 dx \frac{1}{(k^2 + 2knx + xn^2 - xm^2 + k^2 - m^2 - xk^2 + xm^2)^2}$$

$$= \int_0^1 dx \frac{1}{(k^2 + 2knx + xn^2 - m^2)^2} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{COMPLETE THE SQUARE} \\ \text{ADD } \frac{x^2 n^2}{2} - \frac{x^2 m^2}{2} \\ l = k + xn \\ dl = dx \end{array} \right\}$$

$$= \int_0^1 dx \frac{1}{(l^2 + xn^2(1-x) - m^2)^2}$$

SO INTEGRAL NOW LOOKS LIKE

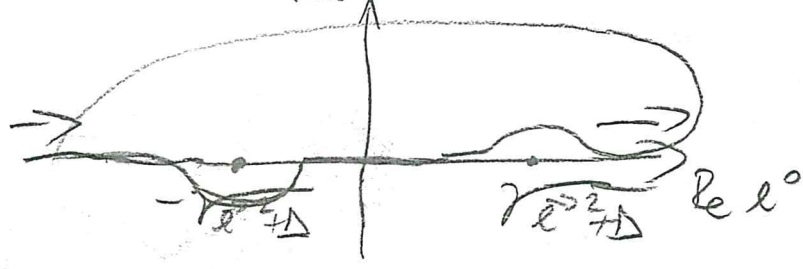
$$I = \int_0^1 dx \int \frac{d^4 l}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{(l^2 + \underbrace{xn^2(1-x)}_{-\Delta} - m^2)^2}$$

SECOND STEP: WICK ROTATION

→ BRUTE FORCE METHOD: SEPARATELY INTEGRATE OVER l^0 AND \vec{l}

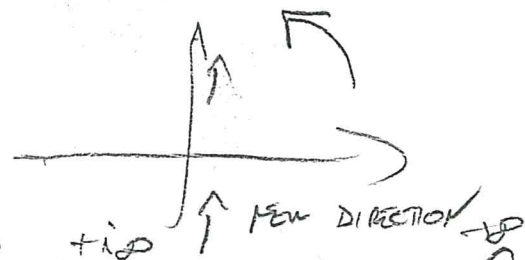
MORE ELEGANT → WICK ROTATION

WE ARE IN PRINCIPLE "REMOVING" -SIGNS IN METRIC



POLES: $l^2 - \Delta = 0$
 $l^0^2 - \vec{l}^2 - \Delta = 0$
 $l^0^2 = \vec{l}^2 + \Delta$
 $l_0 = \pm \sqrt{\vec{l}^2 + \Delta}$

ROTATE CONTOUR COUNTERCLOCKWISE BY 90°



$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} dl^0 \rightarrow \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} dl^0 = i \int_{-E}^{+E} dl_E^0$$

↑
EUCLIDEAN

THEREFORE, DEFINE $dl^0 = i dl_E^0$

SPATIAL PART:

$$\int_0^\infty dl_E \frac{l_E^{d-1}}{(l_E^2 + \Delta)^2} = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\infty d(l_E^2) \frac{(l_E^2)^{\frac{d}{2}-1}}{(l_E^2 + \Delta)^2} =$$

SUBSTITUTION

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x &= \frac{\Delta}{l_E^2 + \Delta} \\ dx &= -\frac{\Delta}{(l_E^2 + \Delta)^2} d(l_E^2) \\ l_E^2 &= \Delta \frac{1-x}{x} \end{aligned} \right\} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_1^0 (-) \frac{(l_E^2 + \Delta)^2}{\Delta} dx \cdot \left(\Delta \frac{1-x}{x} \right)^{\frac{d}{2}-1} \frac{1}{(l_E^2 + \Delta)^2} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\Delta)^{\frac{d}{2}-2} \int_0^1 dx (1-x)^{\frac{d}{2}-1} x^{1-\frac{d}{2}} = \frac{\Gamma(2-\frac{d}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{d}{2})}{\Gamma(2)}$$

$\int_0^1 dx x^{d-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1} = \frac{\Gamma(d)\Gamma(\beta)}{\Gamma(d+\beta)}$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\Delta)^{\frac{d}{2}-2} \frac{\Gamma(2-\frac{d}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{d}{2})}{\Gamma(2)}$$

TOGETHER WITH ANGULAR PART: \rightarrow FRIDAY

$$\int \frac{d^d l_E}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{(l_E^2 + \Delta)^2} = \frac{2\pi^{\frac{d}{2}}}{\Gamma(\frac{d}{2})} \cdot \frac{1}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{2} (\Delta)^{\frac{d}{2}-2} \frac{\Gamma(2-\frac{d}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{d}{2})}{\Gamma(2)}$$

$S_{d-1} R_{d-1}$

$$= \frac{\pi^{\frac{d}{2}}}{(2\pi)^d} (\Delta)^{\frac{d}{2}-2} \Gamma(2-\frac{d}{2}) = \frac{1}{(4\pi)^{\frac{d}{2}}} (\Delta)^{\frac{d}{2}-2} \Gamma(2-\frac{d}{2})$$

POLES AT $d=4, 6, 8, \dots$

FDL FUNCTION:

$$\Gamma(z)^{-1} = z e^{\gamma z} \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 + \frac{z}{n}\right) e^{-z/n} =$$

$$= z e^{\gamma z} (1+z) e^{-z} + \text{HIGHER ORDER IN } z =$$

$$\approx z (1+\gamma z) (1+z) (1-z) + \dots =$$

$$= z (1+\gamma z) (1-z^2) = z (1-z^2 + \gamma z - \gamma z^3)$$

$$\Gamma(z) \approx \frac{1}{z(1+\gamma z)} = \frac{1}{z} (1 - \gamma z) =$$

$$\frac{1}{z} - \gamma$$

$\frac{1}{1+x} \approx 1-x$

SO $\Gamma(z) \approx \frac{1}{z} - \gamma + O(z)$

$z \approx 0$ $\gamma = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{n} - \ln n\right)$ ≈ 0.577 Euler-Mascheroni

NOW WHAT WE KNOW THIS, LET'S SIT AT $d = 4 - \epsilon$ WHERE ϵ IS TINY AND EVALUATE THE PREVIOUS EXPRESSION

$$\int \frac{d^d \ell}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{(\ell^2 + \Delta)^2} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{ALSO } a^x = e^{x \ln a} \approx 1 + x \ln a \text{ FOR SMALL } x \\ \text{THEREFORE } (\Delta)^{\frac{d}{2}-2} = \Delta^{\frac{4-\epsilon}{2}-2} = \Delta^{-\frac{\epsilon}{2}} = 1 - \frac{\epsilon}{2} \ln \Delta \\ (4\pi)^{\frac{d}{2}} = (4\pi)^2 (4\pi)^{\frac{\epsilon}{2}} = (4\pi)^2 (1 - \frac{\epsilon}{2} \ln 4\pi) \end{array} \right\} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2 (1 - \frac{\epsilon}{2} \ln 4\pi)} \left(1 - \frac{\epsilon}{2} \ln \Delta\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{\epsilon}{2}\right) =$$

$$\approx \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2} \left(1 + \frac{\epsilon}{2} \ln 4\pi\right) \left(1 - \frac{\epsilon}{2} \ln \Delta\right) \left(\frac{2}{\epsilon} - \gamma\right) =$$

$$= \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2} \left(1 + \frac{\epsilon}{2} \ln 4\pi - \frac{\epsilon}{2} \ln \Delta + \frac{\epsilon^2}{2} \ln 4\pi \ln \Delta\right) \left(\frac{2}{\epsilon} - \gamma\right) =$$

$$= \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2} \left(\frac{2}{\epsilon} + \ln 4\pi - \ln \Delta - \gamma + O(\epsilon)\right)$$

PUTTING EVERYTHING TOGETHER

AFTER WICK ROTATION

$$I = i \int_0^1 dx \int \frac{d^4 l_E}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{(l_E^2 + \Delta)^2} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{LOW PUT} \\ \epsilon \rightarrow 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\frac{i}{(4\pi)^2} \int_0^1 dx \left(\frac{2}{\epsilon} - \sigma + \log 4\pi - \log \Delta \right)$$

SO WE JUST REWRITING EVERYTHING IN MORE CONVENIENT FORM BUT IF PRINCIPLE DIDN'T GET RID OF INFINITIES

SOLUTION → RENORMALIZATION

AGAIN LET'S START FROM LAGRANGIAN

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \phi_B) (\partial^\mu \phi_B) - \frac{1}{2} m_B^2 \phi_B^2 - \frac{\lambda_B}{4!} \phi_B^4$$

B → BARE MEANS NOT MEASURABLE QUANTITIES IN EXPERIMENTS (DIVERGENT)

RESCALING: $\phi_B = Z_\phi^{1/2} \phi$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (Z_\phi) (\partial_\mu \phi) (\partial^\mu \phi) - \frac{1}{2} (m_B^2 Z_\phi) \phi^2 - \frac{\lambda_B Z_\phi^2}{4!} \phi^4$$

now DEFINE: $\delta Z_\phi = Z_\phi - 1$ $\delta \lambda = \lambda_B Z_\phi^2 - \lambda$
 $\delta m = m_B Z_\phi - m$

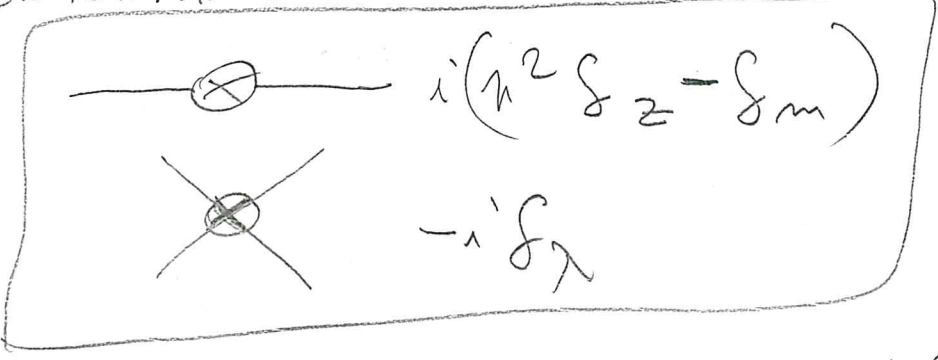
\mathcal{L} IS now
$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \phi) (\partial^\mu \phi) + \frac{1}{2} \delta Z_\phi (\partial_\mu \phi) (\partial^\mu \phi) - \frac{1}{2} \delta m \phi^2 - \frac{1}{2} m^2 \phi^2 - \frac{\delta \lambda}{4!} \phi^4 - \frac{\lambda}{4!} \phi^4 =$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \phi) (\partial^\mu \phi) - \frac{1}{2} m^2 \phi^2 - \frac{\lambda \phi^4}{4!} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} \delta Z_\phi (\partial_\mu \phi) (\partial^\mu \phi) - \frac{1}{2} \delta m \phi^2 - \frac{\delta \lambda}{4!} \phi^4 \right)$$

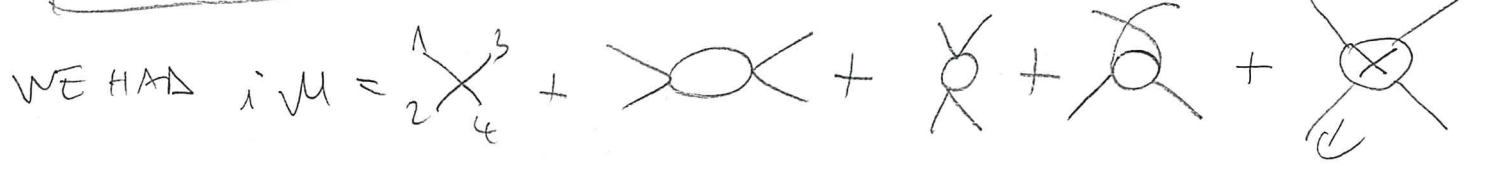
renormalized part → COUNTER TERMS

→ WE ABSORB INFINITIES INTO COEFFICIENTS

NEW FERMION RULES:



"NEW TERM"



AND HERE YOU PUT ∞

OUR IS FINALLY

$$iM_s = + \frac{\lambda^2}{2} \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2} \int_0^1 dx \left(\frac{2}{\epsilon} - \gamma + \log 4\pi - \log \Delta \right)$$

IN IT WILL BE THE SAME, ONLY

there is $\Delta = (m_1 + m_2)^2$ IN Δ

$\Delta(m) \rightarrow (m_1 - m_3)^2$

$\Delta(m) \rightarrow (m_1 - m_4)^2$

REQUIRE THAT δ_λ CANCELS INFINITIES:

$$-i\lambda + 3 \frac{\lambda^2}{2} \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2} i \int_0^1 dx \left(\frac{2}{\epsilon} - \gamma + \log 4\pi \right)$$

$$- \frac{\lambda^2}{2} \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2} i \int_0^1 dx \left[\log(m^2 - x(1-x)\Delta) + \log(m^2 - x(1-x)t) + \log(m^2 - x(1-x)u) \right]$$

$-i\delta_\lambda = \text{FINITE}$

$$\Rightarrow \delta_\lambda = + \frac{3\lambda^2}{32\pi^2} \int_0^1 dx \frac{2}{\epsilon}$$

→ MS SCHEME JUST ABSORB INFINITY

MS SCHEME ALSO ALSO γ AND $\ln 4\pi$, AND INTRODUCES
 RENORMALIZATION SCALE μ (UNPHYSICAL)

$$\delta_{\lambda \overline{MS}} = + \frac{3\lambda^2}{32\pi^2} \int_0^1 dx \left(\frac{2}{\epsilon} - \gamma + \ln 4\pi - \ln \mu^2 \right)$$

MOTIVATION: $\int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \rightarrow \int \frac{d^d k}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{(k^2 - m^2)(k^2 - n^2)}$
 \int INTEGRAL HAS DIM=0 DIM $d-4$

INTRODUCE $\int \frac{d^d k}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{(k^2 - \Delta)^2} = \dots$
 $\sim \int_0^1 dx \left(\frac{2}{\epsilon} - \gamma + \ln 4\pi - \ln \left(\frac{\Delta}{\mu^2} \right) \right)$
 DIMENSIONLESS

LOOK JUST THAT PART = 1
 $+ \frac{3\lambda^2}{32\pi^2} \int_0^1 dx \left(\ln(m^2 - x(1-x)\Delta) - \ln \mu^2 \right)$

~~ADDITION:~~
 IF WE HAD SPINORS AND GAMMA MATRICES FROM GAUGE BOSON COUPLINGS
 THERE ARE IDENTITIES IN $(4-\epsilon)$ DIMENSIONS

$$\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma_\mu = - (2 - \epsilon) \gamma^\nu$$

$$\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma_\mu = 4\gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho - \epsilon \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho$$

$$\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma_\mu = -2\gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho + \epsilon \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho$$

$$\gamma^\mu \gamma_\mu = 4 - \epsilon$$

