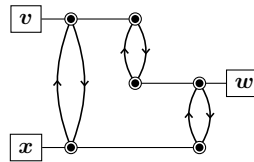


1. Give an example of each of the following.

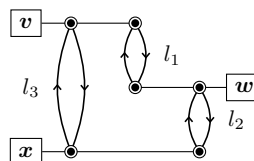
- (a) A closed, connected graph of at least two operators.

Answer:



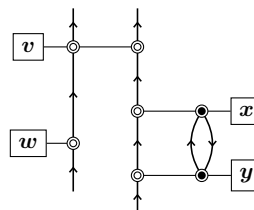
- (b) A Hugenholtz path of at least three lines that doesn't qualify as a Goldstone path.

Answer: The sequence of lines (l_1, l_2, l_3) in the following graph.



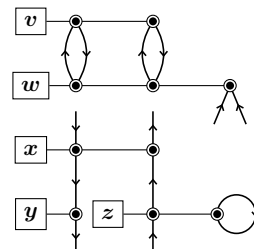
- (c) Non-equivalent, interchangeable subgraphs, where at least one subgraph contains multiple operators.

Answer: The subgraphs $G[\{w\}]$ and $G[\{x, y\}]$ in the following.

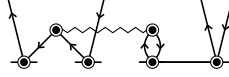


- (d) A graph that is disconnected and linked.

Answer:



2. Interpret the following graph algebraically, and then simplify your expression as much as possible.¹



Answer:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Diagram} &= \sum_{abcd} \text{Diagram with labels } a, b, c, d \text{ and indices } i, j, k, l \\
 &= \sum_{abcd} \bar{g}_{ik}^{\text{bc}} c_a^i c_b^j c_{cd}^{kl} :a_{b\bullet c}^{i^\circ k^\circ\circ} a_{i^\circ}^a a_j^{b\bullet} a_{k^\circ\circ l}^{c^{\bullet\bullet} d}: \\
 :a_{b\bullet c}^{i^\circ k^\circ\circ} a_{i^\circ}^a a_j^{b\bullet} a_{k^\circ\circ l}^{c^{\bullet\bullet} d}: &= \tilde{a}_{b\bullet c}^{i^\circ k^\circ\circ ab^{\bullet} c^{\bullet\bullet} d} = -\tilde{a}_{b\bullet c}^{i^\circ k^\circ\circ ab^{\bullet} c^{\bullet\bullet} d} = -\gamma_i^i \gamma_k^k (-\eta_b^b) (-\eta_c^c) \tilde{a}_{jl}^{ad} = -\tilde{a}_{jl}^{ad}
 \end{aligned}$$

Substituting the second equation into the first gives the final answer.

$$\text{Diagram} = - \sum_{abcd} \bar{g}_{ik}^{\text{bc}} c_a^i c_b^j c_{cd}^{kl} \tilde{a}_{jl}^{ad}$$

¹The operators in this graph are defined as follows.

$$\text{Diagram} \equiv \left(\frac{1}{2!}\right)^2 \sum_{pqrs} \bar{g}_{pq}^{rs} \tilde{a}_{rs}^{pq}$$

$$\text{Diagram} \equiv \sum_{ia} c_a^i \tilde{a}_i^a$$

$$\text{Diagram} \equiv \left(\frac{1}{2!}\right)^2 \sum_{ijab} c_{ab}^{ij} \tilde{a}_{ij}^{ab}$$

3. Write the following algebraic expression as a graph.²

$$\sum_{\substack{abcd \\ ijkl}} \overline{v}_{ij}^{ab} \overline{w}_{bcd}^{jkl} :: a_{ab}^{ij \circ} \cdot a_{j^{\circ}kl}^{b \bullet cd} ::$$

Answer: This is a contraction of the following two diagrams

$$\boxed{v} \begin{array}{c} \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \bullet \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \bullet \end{array} = \left(\frac{1}{2!}\right)^2 \sum_{ijab} \bar{v}_{ij}^{ab} \tilde{a}_{ij}^{ab} \quad \boxed{w} \begin{array}{c} \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \bullet \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \bullet \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \bullet \\ \diagup \quad \diagdown \\ \bullet \end{array} = \left(\frac{1}{3!}\right)^2 \sum_{ijkabc} \bar{w}_{abc}^{ijk} \tilde{a}_{abc}^{ijk}$$

joining them by a hole line and a particle line. The labeled graph looks as follows.

$$\overline{v}_{ij}^{ab} \overline{w}_{bcd} : a_{ab}^{ij^\circ} a_{j^\circ kl}^{b \bullet cd} :: =$$

Noting that \mathbf{w} has two pairs of equivalent lines leads to the final result.

$$\sum_{\substack{abcd \\ ijkl}} \bar{v}_{ij}^{ab} \bar{w}_{bcd}^{jkl} a_{ab}^{ij\circ} a_{j\circ kl}^{b\bullet cd} = 4.$$

²Use the following to denote the operators in your graph.

$$\left(\frac{1}{2!}\right)^2 \sum_{pqrs} \bar{v}_{pq}^{rs} \tilde{a}_{rs}^{pq} \equiv \boxed{v} \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \bigcirc$$