

$\lambda \phi^4$

$$W[J] \propto \exp \left( -i \int dx \mathcal{L}_I \left( -i \frac{\delta}{\delta J(x)} \right) \right) W_0[J]$$

$$\mathcal{L}_I(\phi(x)):$$

$$\phi(x) \rightarrow -i \frac{\delta}{\delta J(x)}$$

Vacuum diagonal ( $J=0$ ):

$$1 + \frac{1}{8} \text{ (loop) } + \dots$$

$$W[J] = \frac{e^{i \int dx \mathcal{L}_{\text{INT}}(-i \frac{\delta}{\delta J(x)})} W_0[J]}{e^{i \int dx \mathcal{L}_{\text{INT}}(-i \frac{\delta}{\delta J(x)})} W_0[J]|_{J=0}}$$

for 2, 4-point Green function

$$G^{(2)}(x_1, x_2) = \text{diagram 1} + \frac{1}{2} \text{diagram 2}$$

$$G^{(4)}(x_1, \dots, x_4) = \sum_{\text{term}} \text{diagram 3} + \sum_{\text{term}} \frac{1}{2} \text{diagram 4} + \text{diagram 5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{diagram 1} &: \Delta_F(x_1 - x_2) \\ \text{diagram 2} &: (-i\lambda) \int dx \Delta_F(x - x_i) \dots \\ \text{diagram 3} &: \Delta_F(x - x) \end{aligned}$$

Connected diagrams:

$$W[J] = \{ \exp \{ \dots \} \cdot W_0$$

$$iX[J] = \ln(W[J])$$

$$iX[J] = \ln(\{ \exp \{ \dots \} + \ln(W_0)$$

$$iX_{\text{INT}}$$

$$iX_0$$

$$\Theta(\lambda): \quad iX_{\text{INT}} = \ln \left[ 1 + \frac{i\lambda}{4!} \int dx \left[ 6 \Delta_F(0) \left( \int \Delta J \right)^2 - \left( \int \Delta J \right)^4 \right] \right]$$

for  $\ln(1+x) = x$

$$iX_{\text{INT}} = \frac{(-i\lambda)}{4!} \left[ -6 \int dx dx_1 dx_2 \Delta_F(x_1-x) \Delta_F(x-x) \Delta_F(x-x_2) J(x_1) J(x_2) \right. \\ \left. + \int dx dx_1 \dots dx_4 \Delta_F(x_1-x) \dots \Delta_F(x_4-x) \cdot J(x_1) J(x_2) J(x_3) J(x_4) \right]$$

Then, the connected diagrams:

$$i^n g^{(n)} = \frac{i \delta^n X[J]}{\delta J(x_1) \dots \delta J(x_n)}$$

$$g^{(2)}(x_1, x_2) = \text{---} + \frac{1}{2} \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---}$$

$$g^{(4)}(x_1, \dots, x_4) = \text{---} \times \text{---}$$

In the moment space.

$$g^{(n)}(p_1, \dots, p_n) (2\pi)^4 \delta(p_1 + \dots + p_n) = \int dx_1 \dots dx_n g^{(n)}(x_1, \dots, x_n) e^{-i \sum p_i x_i}$$

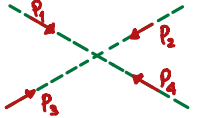
$$g^{(2)}(p, -p) = \tilde{\Delta}_F(p) + \frac{1}{2} (-i\lambda) \int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \tilde{\Delta}_F(p) \tilde{\Delta}_F(k) \tilde{\Delta}_F(p)$$

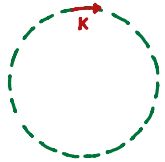
Feynman diagram:

$$\text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} = \text{---} \overset{\vec{p}}{\longrightarrow} \text{---} + \frac{1}{2} \text{---} \overset{\vec{p}}{\longrightarrow} \bigcirc \overset{\vec{p}}{\longrightarrow} \text{---}$$

Feynman rules:  $\lambda \phi^4$

$$1. \text{ line propagator } \text{---} \overset{\vec{p}}{\longrightarrow} \text{---} \doteq \frac{i}{p^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} = \tilde{\Delta}_F(p)$$

II. Vertex :  :  $-i\lambda$  ( $\sum p_i = 0$ )

IV. Loop :  :  $\int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4}$

## OPI functions

$$\varphi_c(x) = \delta X[J] \quad ; \quad iX = iX_0 + iX_{\text{INT.}}$$

$$iX_0 = -\frac{1}{2} \int dx dy J(x) \Delta_F(x-y) J(y).$$

$$iX_{\text{INT}} = \frac{(-i\lambda)}{4!} \int dx \left[ -6 \Delta_F(0) \left( \int \Delta_F J \right)^2 + \left( \int \Delta_F J \right)^4 \right] + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^2)$$

then

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_c(x) = & i \int dy \Delta_F(x-y) J(y) + \frac{\lambda}{2} \int dx_1 dx_2 \Delta_F(x-x_1) \Delta_F(x_1-x_2) \Delta_F(x_2-x) J(x_2) \\ & - \frac{\lambda}{6} \int dx_1 \left[ \int dx_2 \Delta_F(x_1-x_2) J(x_2) \right]^3 \Delta_F(x-x_1) + \dots \end{aligned}$$

computing,  $(\square_x + m^2) \varphi_c(x)$  and using  $(\square_x + m^2) \Delta_F(x-y) = -i\delta(x-y)$ , we may write

$$J(x) = (\square + m^2) \varphi_c(x) + \frac{1}{2} \lambda \Delta_F(0) \varphi_c(x) + \frac{1}{6} \lambda (\varphi_c(x))^3 + \dots$$

self-interaction

Effective action:

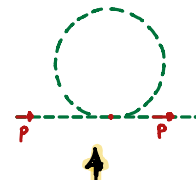
$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma[\varphi_c] = & -\frac{1}{2} \int dx \varphi_c (\square_x + m^2) \varphi_c - \frac{\lambda}{4} \int dx \Delta_F(x-x) (\varphi_c(x))^2 \\ & - \frac{1}{4!} \lambda \int dx (\varphi_c(x))^4 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{F}[\varphi_c^2, \varphi_c^4] \rightarrow \Gamma^{(2)}; \Gamma^{(4)} \quad \text{non-null.}$$

then,

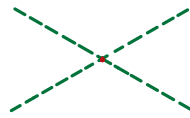
$$i \tilde{F}^{(2)}(p, -p) = i(p^2 - \mu^2) + \frac{1}{2}(-i\lambda) \Delta_F(0)$$

$$= \left( \text{---} \xrightarrow{p} \text{---} \right)^{-1} + \frac{1}{2} \text{---} \xrightarrow{p} \text{---} \text{---} \xrightarrow{p} \text{---}$$



$$(-i\lambda) \int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \tilde{\Delta}_F(k)$$

$$i \tilde{F}^{(4)}(p_1, \dots, p_4) = (-i\lambda) :$$



Propagators of external legs "cutted".