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Theory :

1. SYMM.
2. PARTICLES
3. \mathcal{L}

↑
shows up in

$$e^{iS}$$



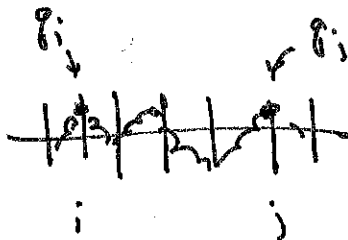
like a partition function
this is a weight

$\sim m$, amplitude (amplitude)

eg: $\langle \phi_i \phi_j \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \int d\phi_1 \dots d\phi_N \phi_i \phi_j e^{\text{[diagonal lines]}}$

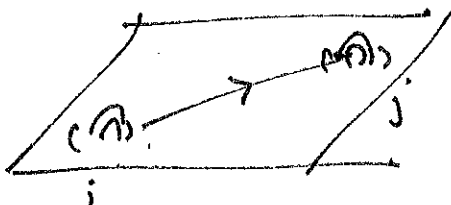
↑
normaliz.

correlation function
(wiggles of field @ different places)



HOW DO WIGGLES @ i
PROPAGATE TO WIGGLES @ j

↑ comes from explicitly (exactly) solving
quadratic part of S
(kinetic terms)



What about vertices?

$$\langle \dots \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \int \underbrace{dg_1 \dots dg_N}_{\equiv \mathcal{D}g} (\dots) e^{iS_{(2)}} e^{iS_{int}}$$

integ over
field
config.

☺ solvable

screws it up

eg $S_{int} = \int d^4x \underbrace{c}_{\uparrow} g(x)^3 + \dots$

coupling, want "small"

$$e^{iS_{int}} = 1 + \int d^4x c g(x)^3 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\int d^4x c g(x)^3 \right) \left(\int d^4y c g(y)^3 \right) + \dots$$

different spacetime points

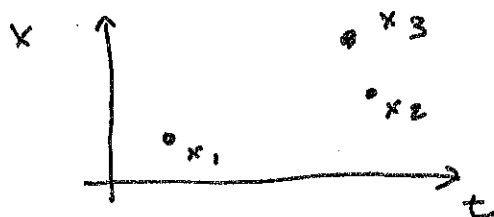
$$\langle \dots \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \int \mathcal{D}g (\dots) \left[1 + \int d^4x c g(x)^3 + \dots \right] e^{iS_{(2)}}$$

EACH TERM IS SOLVABLE!!

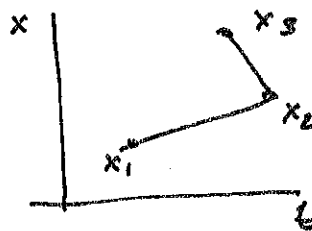
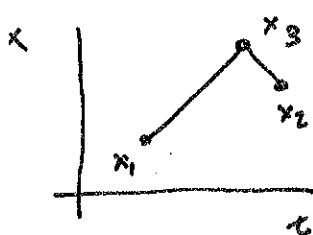
eg: $\langle g(x_1) g(x_2) g(x_3) \rangle \checkmark \leftarrow \langle g_1 g_2 g_3 \rangle$ for short

correlation of seeing "wriggle in g "
@ spacetime points x_1, x_2, x_3

if completely unrelated $\rightarrow 0$
[nb: connected correlation function]



1st term $\langle g_1 g_2 g_3 \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \int \mathcal{D}g \ g_1 g_2 g_3 e^{iS(g)}$



2nd term: $\langle g_1 g_2 g_3 \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \int \mathcal{D}(g) \ g(x_1) g(x_2) g(x_3)$

$$\times c \int d^4x \ g(x)^3$$

$$\times e^{iS(g)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \mathcal{D}g \int d^4x \ c \left[g(x_1) g(x) \right.$$

$$\times g(x_2) g(x)$$

$$\times g(x_3) g(x) \left. \right] e^{iS(g)}$$

"cluster decomposition"

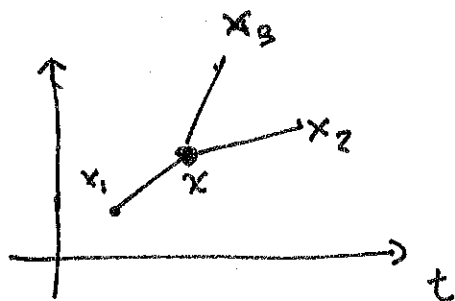
$$\xrightarrow{\text{coupling}} c \int d^4x \ \langle g(x_1) g(x) \rangle \langle g(x_2) g(x) \rangle$$

$$\times \langle g(x_3) g(x) \rangle$$

integ
over
vertex
point.

each $\langle \rangle$: propagate from x_i to x

$$\left(\int d^4x \right)$$



$$(x \ c)$$

coupling

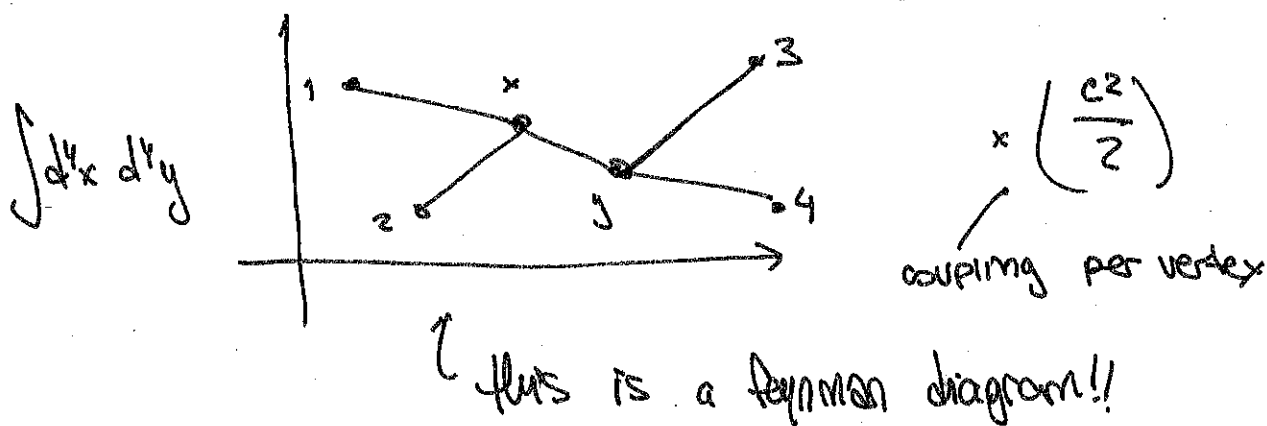
$$\text{eg. } \langle \phi_1 \phi_2 \phi_3 \phi_4 \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \int \mathcal{D}\phi \, \phi_1 \dots \phi_4 \, e^{iS_{int}} e^{iS_{(2)}} \quad \uparrow \text{Taylor exp}$$

2nd order term:

$$\frac{1}{2} \int \mathcal{D}\phi \, \phi_1 \phi_2 \phi_3 \phi_4 \times \frac{1}{2} \int d^4x \, c\phi(x)^3 \int d^4y \, c\phi(y)^3 e^{iS_{(2)}}$$

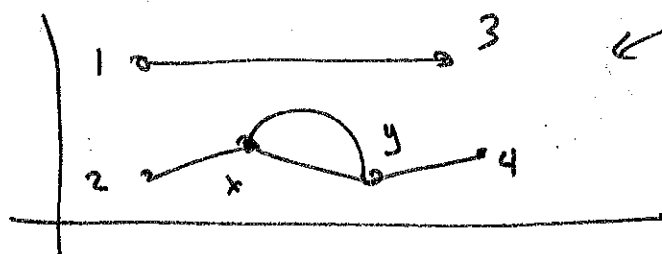


$$= \frac{c^2}{2} \underbrace{\langle \phi_1 \phi(x) \rangle}_{\text{ext. line}} \underbrace{\langle \phi_2 \phi(x) \rangle}_{\text{ext. line}} \underbrace{\langle \phi(x) \phi(y) \rangle}_{\substack{\text{PROPAGATOR} \\ \text{FROM } x \rightarrow y}} \underbrace{\langle \phi_3 \phi(y) \rangle}_{\text{ext. line}} \underbrace{\langle \phi_4 \phi(y) \rangle}_{\text{ext. line}}$$



(rule: chop off propagator for external legs)

not allowed



DISCONNECTED DIAGRAM ✓

LOOP IS OK

✗: not allowed: asking for 2 separate correlations, not one single correlation

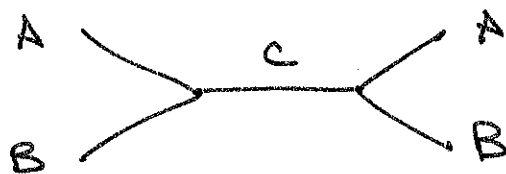
eg. ABC theory

$$S_{int} = \int d^4x g A(x) B(x) C(x)$$

$$e^{iS_{int}} = 1 + \int d^4x g ABC + \frac{1}{2} (\int d^4x g ABC) (\int d^4y g ABC) + \dots$$

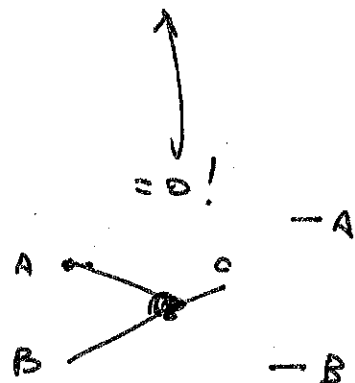
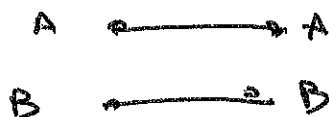
ASK: $AB \rightarrow AB$

FEYNMAN DIAGRAM:



$$M \sim \langle \underline{A(x_1) B(x_2)} \underline{A(x_3) B(x_4)} \rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \mathcal{D}A \mathcal{D}B \mathcal{D}C \underbrace{A_1 B_2 A_3 B_4}_{\text{over all field configurations}} (1 + \int d^4x g ABC + \dots) e^{iS_2}$$

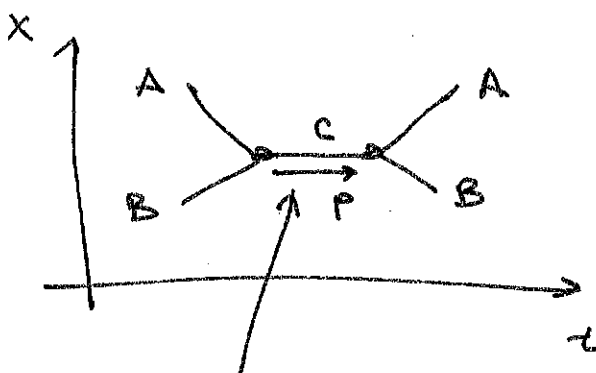


2nd term:

$$\frac{1}{2} \int \mathcal{D}A \mathcal{D}B \mathcal{D}C A_1 B_2 A_3 B_4 \frac{1}{2} (\int d^4x g ABC) (\int d^4y g ABC) e^{iS_2}$$

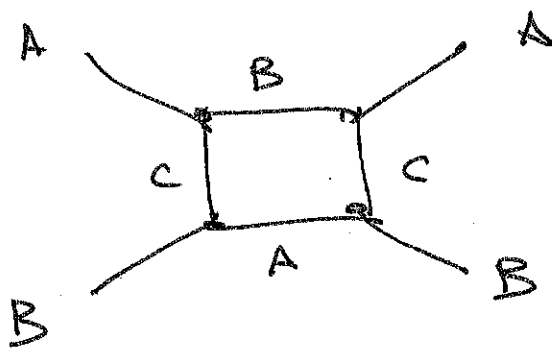
$$\frac{g^2}{2} \int d^4x d^4y \langle A_1 A_x \rangle \langle B_2 B_x \rangle \langle C_x C_y \rangle \langle A_3 A_y \rangle \langle B_3 B_y \rangle$$

$\rightarrow \int d^4x d^4y \times \frac{g^2}{2}$
 \uparrow
 integ over internal vertex positions



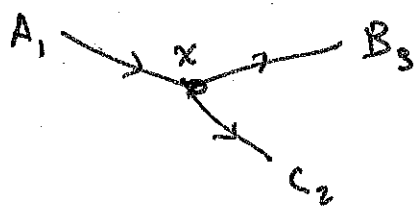
$\frac{1}{p^2 - m_c^2}$

CORRECTIONS: HIGHER ORDER TERMS



$\sim g^4 \times (\text{PROPAGATORS})$
 \uparrow
 PERT. IF $g^4 \ll g^2$

MOMENTUM CONSERVATION



Comes w/ $\int d^4x$ $A_1 A_x B_3 B_x C_2 C_x$
 $A_1 = \int e^{iP_1 x} \tilde{A}(P_1) dP_1$
 $A_x = \int e^{-iP_x x} \tilde{A}(P_x) dP_x$
 $B_3 = \int e^{iP_3 x} \tilde{B}(P_3) dP_3$
 $C_x = \int e^{iP_3 x} \tilde{C}(P_3) dP_3$

$\int d^4x$

RECALL: $\int dx e^{iP x} dx = \delta(P)$

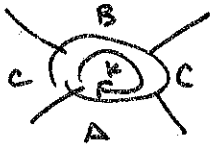
UP TO FACTORS OF 2π

$\int d^4x e^{-i(P_1 - P_2 - P_3)x} \tilde{A}(P_1) \tilde{B}(P_2) \tilde{C}(P_3) = \delta(P_1 - P_2 - P_3) \tilde{A} \tilde{B} \tilde{C}$

TREE DIAGRAM : (no loops)

the δ functions kill all integrals over momentum.

LOOP DIAGRAM :



one leftover momentum integral per loop.

\uparrow

$$\sim \int d^4k \frac{1}{k^2 - m_B^2} \left(\frac{1}{k^2 - m_C^2} \right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{k^2 - m_A^2} \right) g^4$$

\uparrow
Q: is this finite?