

Notes V1.2

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0.1 2-component

To begin with, consider

$$L_g(x) = g(x)\phi_{1_g}(x)\phi_{2_g}(x)$$

Equations of motion:

$$\begin{aligned}(\square + m_1^2)\phi_{1_g}(x) &= g(x)\phi_{2_g}(x), \\(\square + m_2^2)\phi_{2_g}(x) &= g(x)\phi_{1_g}(x).\end{aligned}$$

Dyson expansion for the fields

$$\begin{aligned}\phi_{1_g}(x) &= \phi_1(x) + \int dy_1 g(y_1) G_{m_1}^{ret}(x - y_1) \phi_{1_g}(y_1) \\ \phi_{2_g}(x) &= \phi_2(x) + \int dy_1 g(y_1) G_{m_2}^{ret}(x - y_1) \phi_{2_g}(y_1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\phi_{1_g}(x) &= \phi_1(x) + \int dy_1 g(y_1) G_{m_1}^{ret}(x - y_1) \phi_2(y_1) + \int \int dy_1 dy_2 g(y_1) G_{m_1}^{ret}(x - y_1) g(y_2) G_{m_2}^{ret}(y_1 - y_2) \phi_1(y_2) \dots O(g^3) \\ \phi_{2_g}(x) &= \phi_2(x) + \int dy_1 g(y_1) G_{m_2}^{ret}(x - y_1) \phi_1(y_1) + \int \int dy_1 dy_2 g(y_1) G_{m_2}^{ret}(x - y_1) g(y_2) G_{m_1}^{ret}(y_1 - y_2) \phi_2(y_2) \dots O(g^3)\end{aligned}$$

In the Fourier representation,

$$\begin{aligned}\phi_{1_g}(x) &= \int d^4k \left[\left(1 + \int dq_1 \frac{\hat{g}(q_1)e^{-iq_1x}}{m_1^2 - k_1^2 - i\varepsilon k_1^0} \int dq_2 \frac{\hat{g}(q_2)e^{-iq_2x}}{m_2^2 - k_2^2 - i\varepsilon k_2^0} + \dots O(g^4) \right) \hat{\phi}_1(k)e^{-ikx} + \left(\int dq_1 \frac{\hat{g}(q_1)e^{-iq_1x}}{m_1^2 - k_1^2 - i\varepsilon k_1^0} + \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. \int dq_1 \frac{\hat{g}(q_1)e^{-iq_1x}}{m_1^2 - k_1^2 - i\varepsilon k_1^0} \int dq_2 \frac{\hat{g}(q_2)e^{-iq_2x}}{m_2^2 - k_2^2 - i\varepsilon k_2^0} \int dq_3 \frac{\hat{g}(q_3)e^{-iq_3x}}{m_1^2 - k_3^2 - i\varepsilon k_3^0} + \dots O(g^5) \right) \hat{\phi}_2(x)e^{-ikx} \right] \\ \phi_{2_g}(x) &= \int d^4k \left[\left(1 + \int dq_1 \frac{\hat{g}(q_1)e^{-iq_1x}}{m_2^2 - k_1^2 - i\varepsilon k_1^0} \int dq_2 \frac{\hat{g}(q_2)e^{-iq_2x}}{m_1^2 - k_2^2 - i\varepsilon k_2^0} + \dots O(g^4) \right) \hat{\phi}_2(k)e^{-ikx} + \left(\int dq_1 \frac{\hat{g}(q_1)e^{-iq_1x}}{m_2^2 - k_1^2 - i\varepsilon k_1^0} + \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. \int dq_1 \frac{\hat{g}(q_1)e^{-iq_1x}}{m_2^2 - k_1^2 - i\varepsilon k_1^0} \int dq_2 \frac{\hat{g}(q_2)e^{-iq_2x}}{m_1^2 - k_2^2 - i\varepsilon k_2^0} \int dq_3 \frac{\hat{g}(q_3)e^{-iq_3x}}{m_2^2 - k_3^2 - i\varepsilon k_3^0} + \dots O(g^5) \right) \hat{\phi}_1(x)e^{-ikx} \right].\end{aligned}$$

For the ease of typing, define

$$\frac{1}{m_{1,2}^2 - k^2 \pm i\varepsilon k^0} = \frac{1}{X_{1,2}^\pm}$$

and take the limit

$$\lim_{\hat{g}(q) \rightarrow \kappa \delta(q)} \int dq \frac{\hat{g}(q)e^{-iqx}}{X_{1,2}^\pm} = \frac{\kappa}{X_{1,2}^\pm}.$$

Set them in matrices

$$\varphi_\kappa(x) = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{1\kappa}(x) \\ \phi_{2\kappa}(x) \end{pmatrix} = \int d^4k \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \dots O(\kappa^4) & \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \dots O(g^5) \\ \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \dots O(g^5) & 1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \dots O(g^4) \end{pmatrix}}_{L_\kappa} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\phi}_1(k) e^{-ikx} \\ \hat{\phi}_2(k) e^{-ikx} \end{pmatrix}.$$

The two-point function

$$\lim_{g(x) \rightarrow \kappa} \langle \varphi_g(x) \varphi_g(x') \rangle = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{1\kappa}(x) \\ \phi_{2\kappa}(x) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{1\kappa}(x') & \phi_{2\kappa}(x') \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle = \int \int d^4k d^4k' \langle L_\kappa \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\phi}_1(k) \\ \hat{\phi}_2(k) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\phi}_1(-k') & \hat{\phi}_2(-k') \end{pmatrix} L_\kappa^\dagger \rangle e^{-ikx + ik'x'}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \int \int d^4k d^4k' \langle L_\kappa \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\phi}_1(k) \\ \hat{\phi}_2(k) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\phi}_1(-k') & \hat{\phi}_2(-k') \end{pmatrix} L_\kappa^\dagger \rangle e^{-ikx + ik'x'} = \int \int d^4k d^4k' \\ & \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \dots O(\kappa^4) & \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \dots O(\kappa^5) \\ \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \dots O(\kappa^5) & 1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \dots O(\kappa^4) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\phi}_1(k) \hat{\phi}_1(-k') & \hat{\phi}_1(k) \hat{\phi}_2(-k') \\ \hat{\phi}_2(k) \hat{\phi}_1(-k') & \hat{\phi}_2(k) \hat{\phi}_2(-k') \end{pmatrix} \right. \\ & \quad \times \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} + \dots O(\kappa^4) & \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} + \dots O(\kappa^5) \\ \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} + \dots O(\kappa^5) & 1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} + \dots O(\kappa^4) \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{At this step, these X's have k' inside them.}} \left. \right\rangle e^{-ikx + ik'x'} \end{aligned}$$

Writing

$$L_\kappa = \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \int \int d^4k d^4k' \langle L_\kappa \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\phi}_1(k) \\ \hat{\phi}_2(k) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\phi}_1(-k') & \hat{\phi}_2(-k') \end{pmatrix} L_\kappa^\dagger \rangle e^{-ikx + ik'x'} = \\ & \left(\begin{array}{cc} \int d\mu_{m_1} (AA^T) + \int d\mu_{m_2} (BB^T) & \int d\mu_{m_1} (AC^T) + \int d\mu_{m_2} (BD^T) \\ \int d\mu_{m_1} (CA^T) + \int d\mu_{m_2} (DB^T) & \int d\mu_{m_1} (CC^T) + \int d\mu_{m_2} (DD^T) \end{array} \right)_* e^{-ik(x-x')} \end{aligned}$$

Recalling the formula (which makes sense only order by order in perturbation theory)

$$\frac{a}{X} \delta(X) \frac{a}{X} = \delta(X - a),$$

$$A\delta(m_1^2 - k^2)A^T = \left(1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \dots O(\kappa^4)\right) \left[\frac{1}{X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+}\right] \left(1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} + \dots O(\kappa^4)\right)$$

$$B\delta(m_2^2 - k^2)B^T = \left(\frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \dots O(\kappa^5)\right) \left[\frac{1}{X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+}\right] \left(\frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} + \dots O(\kappa^5)\right)$$

$$C\delta(m_1^2 - k^2)C^T = \left(\frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \dots O(\kappa^5)\right) \left[\frac{1}{X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+}\right] \left(\frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} + \dots O(\kappa^5)\right)$$

$$D\delta(m_2^2 - k^2)D^T = \left(1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \dots O(\kappa^4)\right) \left[\frac{1}{X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+}\right] \left(1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} + \dots O(\kappa^4)\right)$$

$$A\delta(m_1^2 - k^2)C^T = \left(1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \dots O(\kappa^4)\right) \left[\frac{1}{X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+}\right] \left(\frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} + \dots O(\kappa^5)\right)$$

$$B\delta(m_2^2 - k^2)D^T = \left(\frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \dots O(\kappa^5)\right) \left[\frac{1}{X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+}\right] \left(1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} + \dots O(\kappa^4)\right)$$

$$C\delta(m_1^2 - k^2)A^T = \left(\frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} + \dots O(\kappa^5) \right) \left[\frac{1}{X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+} \right] \left(1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} + \dots O(\kappa^4) \right)$$

$$D\delta(m_2^2 - k^2)B^T = \left(1 + \frac{\kappa}{X_2^-} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} + \dots O(\kappa^4) \right) \left[\frac{1}{X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+} \right] \left(\frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} + \dots O(\kappa^5) \right)$$

The **first entry** of the matrix:

$$\begin{aligned} \kappa^0 &: \left(\frac{1}{X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+} \right) \\ \kappa^2 &: \frac{\kappa^2}{X_1^- X_2^-} \left(\frac{1}{X_1^-} - \cancel{\frac{1}{X_1^+}} \right) + \left(\cancel{\frac{1}{X_1^-}} - \frac{1}{X_1^+} \right) \frac{\kappa^2}{X_1^+ X_2^+} + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \left(\cancel{\frac{1}{X_2^-}} - \cancel{\frac{1}{X_2^+}} \right) \frac{\kappa}{X_1^+} \\ &\rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+} \right) + \kappa^2 \left(\frac{1}{X_1^- X_2^- X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+ X_2^+ X_1^+} \right) + O(\kappa^4) \end{aligned}$$

The **second entry** of the matrix:

$$\begin{aligned} \kappa &: \left(\cancel{\frac{1}{X_1^-}} - \frac{1}{X_1^+} \right) \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \left(\frac{1}{X_2^-} - \cancel{\frac{1}{X_2^+}} \right) \\ \kappa^3 &: \frac{\kappa^2}{X_1^- X_2^-} \left(\cancel{\frac{1}{X_1^-}} - \cancel{\frac{1}{X_1^+}} \right) \frac{\kappa}{X_2^+} + \left(\cancel{\frac{1}{X_1^-}} - \frac{1}{X_1^+} \right) \frac{\kappa^3}{X_2^+ X_1^+ X_2^+} + \frac{\kappa}{X_1^-} \left(\cancel{\frac{1}{X_2^-}} - \cancel{\frac{1}{X_2^+}} \right) \frac{\kappa^2}{X_2^+ X_1^+} + \frac{\kappa^3}{X_1^- X_2^- X_1^-} \left(\frac{1}{X_1^-} - \cancel{\frac{1}{X_1^+}} \right) \\ &\rightarrow \kappa \left(\frac{1}{X_1^- X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+ X_2^+} \right) + \kappa^3 \left(\frac{1}{X_1^- X_2^- X_1^- X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+ X_2^+ X_1^+ X_2^+} \right) + O(\kappa^5) \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, the **third entry**

$$\kappa \left(\frac{1}{X_2^- X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+ X_1^+} \right) + \kappa^3 \left(\frac{1}{X_2^- X_1^- X_2^- X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+ X_1^+ X_2^+ X_1^+} \right) + O(\kappa^5),$$

and the **fourth entry**

$$\left(\frac{1}{X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+} \right) + \kappa^2 \left(\frac{1}{X_2^- X_1^- X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+ X_1^+ X_2^+} \right) + O(\kappa^4).$$

Setting everything in matrix

$$\langle \varphi_\kappa(x) \varphi_\kappa(x') \rangle = -i \int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \theta(k^0) \begin{pmatrix} s & t \\ u & v \end{pmatrix} e^{-ik(x-x')}$$

$$\begin{aligned} s &= \left(\frac{1}{X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+} \right) + \kappa^2 \left(\frac{1}{X_1^- X_2^- X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+ X_2^+ X_1^+} \right) + O(\kappa^4) \\ t &= \kappa \left(\frac{1}{X_1^- X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+ X_2^+} \right) + \kappa^3 \left(\frac{1}{X_1^- X_2^- X_1^- X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_1^+ X_2^+ X_1^+ X_2^+} \right) + O(\kappa^5) \\ u &= \kappa \left(\frac{1}{X_2^- X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+ X_1^+} \right) + \kappa^3 \left(\frac{1}{X_2^- X_1^- X_2^- X_1^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+ X_1^+ X_2^+ X_1^+} \right) + O(\kappa^5) \\ v &= \left(\frac{1}{X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+} \right) + \kappa^2 \left(\frac{1}{X_2^- X_1^- X_2^-} - \frac{1}{X_2^+ X_1^+ X_2^+} \right) + O(\kappa^4) \end{aligned}$$

The trace s+v matches with the result below $\delta A + \delta D$.

Well, one can form geometric progressions in the expressions for s, t, u, and v. (If we don't worry about series

convergence and the ratio of terms being ≤ 1 .)

$$\begin{aligned}
s &= \frac{X_2^-}{X_2^- X_1^- - \kappa^2} - \frac{X_2^+}{X_2^+ X_1^+ - \kappa^2} \\
t &= \kappa \left(\frac{1}{X_1^- X_2^- - \kappa^2} - \frac{1}{X_1^+ X_2^+ - \kappa^2} \right) \\
u &= \kappa \left(\frac{1}{X_2^- X_1^- - \kappa^2} - \frac{1}{X_2^+ X_1^+ - \kappa^2} \right) \\
t &= \frac{X_1^-}{X_1^- X_2^- - \kappa^2} - \frac{X_1^+}{X_1^+ X_2^+ - \kappa^2}
\end{aligned}$$

The matrix $\begin{pmatrix} s & t \\ u & v \end{pmatrix}$ is symmetric, and for an ensured non-zero determinant, this matrix can be diagonalized. The eigenvalues read

$$\lambda_{1/2} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{X_1^- X_2^- - \kappa^2} \left(X_1^- + X_2^- \pm \sqrt{(m_2^2 - m_1^2) - 4\kappa^2} \right) - \frac{1}{X_1^+ X_2^+ - \kappa^2} \left(X_1^+ + X_2^+ \pm \sqrt{(m_2^2 - m_1^2) - 4\kappa^2} \right) \right]$$

Exercise: Look at

$$\int f_1(x_1)f_2(x_2)g_\epsilon(x_1-x_2)$$

for $\epsilon \rightarrow 0$ and f's being smooth functions.

$$\begin{aligned} & \int \int dq_1 e^{iq_1 x_1} \hat{f}_1(q_1) \int dq_2 e^{iq_2 x_2} \hat{f}_2(q_2) \int dk e^{ik(x_1-x_2)} \left[2\pi \left(\frac{1}{k+i\epsilon} - \frac{1}{k-i\epsilon} \right) \right] \\ & \int dk \phi(k) \left(\frac{1}{k+i\epsilon} - \frac{1}{k-i\epsilon} \right), \quad \phi(k) = 2\pi \hat{f}_1(-k) \hat{f}_2(k) \\ & \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int dk \phi(k) \left(\frac{1}{k+i\epsilon} - \frac{1}{k-i\epsilon} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{k \mp i\epsilon} = P \frac{1}{k} \pm i\pi \underbrace{\frac{\epsilon}{\pi(k^2 + \epsilon^2)}}_{\delta_\epsilon(k)}, \quad P \frac{1}{k} = \frac{E}{E^2 + \epsilon^2}$$

$$\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int dk \phi(k) \left(\frac{1}{k+i\epsilon} - \frac{1}{k-i\epsilon} \right) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int dk \phi(k) (-2i\pi \delta_\epsilon(k)) \stackrel{?}{=} -2i\pi \phi(0)$$

The principle value function P/k avoids $k=0$ pole.

$$\delta_\epsilon(k) = \frac{\epsilon}{\pi(k^2 + \epsilon^2)}$$

Let

$$\phi(k) = e^{-k^2}$$

$$F(k) = \phi(k) \cdot \delta_\epsilon(k) = e^{-k^2} \cdot \frac{\epsilon}{\pi(k^2 + \epsilon^2)}$$