



Deriving the action for the lattice

Continuum action:

$$S[\phi] = \int d^4x dt \left[ \phi^* \left( \partial_t - \mu - \frac{\nabla^2}{2m} - \frac{m}{2} \omega_{tr}^2 \left( r_{\perp}^2 \right) - i\omega_z (x dy - y dx) \right) \phi + \lambda (\phi^* \phi)^2 \right]$$

$r_{\perp}^2 = (x^2 + y^2)$

Discrete derivatives:

$$\partial_j \phi = \frac{1}{a} (\phi_{r,j} - \phi_r) \quad \text{and} \quad \nabla^2 \phi = \sum_{j=1}^d \frac{1}{a^2} (\phi_{r,j} - 2\phi_r + \phi_{r+j})$$

$$\phi^* \partial_t \phi = \frac{1}{dt} (\phi_r^* \phi_{r,t} - \phi_r^* \phi_r)$$

$$\phi^* \nabla^2 \phi = \frac{1}{a^2} \sum_{j=1}^d (\phi_r^* \phi_{r,j} - 2\phi_r^* \phi_r + \phi_r^* \phi_{r+j})$$

$$\phi^* \partial_x \phi = \frac{1}{a} (\phi_r^* \phi_{r,x} - \phi_r^* \phi_r)$$

$$\phi^* \partial_y \phi = \frac{1}{a} (\phi_r^* \phi_{r,y} - \phi_r^* \phi_r)$$

$$\int d^4x dt \rightarrow \sum_{\vec{r}, t} a^d dt \quad (a \text{ is spatial lattice spacing, } dt \text{ is temp.})$$

So our discrete (lattice) action is:

$$S = \sum_{\vec{r}, t} \left[ a^d \phi_r^* \phi_{r,t} - a^d \phi_r^* \phi_r - a^d dt \mu \phi_r^* \phi_r - \frac{a^{d-2} dt}{2m} \sum_{j=1}^d (\phi_r^* \phi_{r,j} - 2\phi_r^* \phi_r + \phi_r^* \phi_{r+j}) \right. \\ \left. - \frac{m a^d dt}{2} \omega_{tr}^2 r_{\perp}^2 \phi_r^* \phi_r - i\omega_z a^{d-1} dt (x \phi_r^* \phi_{r,y} - x \phi_r^* \phi_r - y \phi_r^* \phi_{r,x} + y \phi_r^* \phi_r) + a^d dt \lambda (\phi_r^* \phi_r)^2 \right]$$

Let's update our parameters to incorporate  $dt$  and  $a$

$$x = a\tilde{x} \quad y = a\tilde{y} \quad r^2 = a^2 \tilde{r}^2 \quad \mu = \frac{\tilde{\mu}}{dt} \quad m = \frac{\tilde{m} dt}{a^2} \quad \omega_{tr} = \tilde{\omega}_{tr} \frac{a^2}{dt}$$

$$\omega_z = \frac{\tilde{\omega}_z}{dt} \quad \lambda = \frac{\tilde{\lambda}}{dt}$$

$$S = \sum_{\vec{r}, \tau} \left[ a^d \phi_r^* \phi_{r+\tau} - a^d \phi_r^* \phi_r - a^d \tilde{\mu} \phi_r^* \phi_r - \frac{a^d}{2\tilde{m}} \sum_{i=1}^d (\phi_r^* \phi_{r+\hat{i}} - 2\phi_r^* \phi_r + \phi_r^* \phi_{r-\hat{i}}) \right. \\ \left. - a^d \frac{\tilde{m}}{2} \tilde{\omega}_{\tau\tau}^2 \tilde{r}_\perp^2 \phi_r^* \phi_r - i\omega_z a^d (\tilde{x} \phi_r^* \phi_{r-\hat{y}} - \tilde{x} \phi_r^* \phi_r - \tilde{y} \phi_r^* \phi_{r-\hat{x}} + \tilde{y} \phi_r^* \phi_r) \right. \\ \left. + a^d \tilde{\lambda} (\phi_r^* \phi_r)^2 \right]$$

we can pull out a constant factor of  $a^d$  now:

$$S = a^d \sum_{\vec{r}, \tau} \left[ \phi_r^* \phi_{r+\tau} - \phi_r^* \phi_r - \tilde{\mu} \phi_r^* \phi_r - \frac{1}{2\tilde{m}} \sum_{i=1}^d (\phi_r^* \phi_{r+\hat{i}} - 2\phi_r^* \phi_r + \phi_r^* \phi_{r-\hat{i}}) \right. \\ \left. - \frac{\tilde{m}}{2} \tilde{\omega}_{\tau\tau}^2 \tilde{r}_\perp^2 \phi_r^* \phi_r - i\omega_z (\tilde{x} \phi_r^* \phi_{r-\hat{y}} - \tilde{x} \phi_r^* \phi_r - \tilde{y} \phi_r^* \phi_{r-\hat{x}} + \tilde{y} \phi_r^* \phi_r) \right. \\ \left. + \tilde{\lambda} (\phi_r^* \phi_r)^2 \right]$$