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1 Introduction

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1.1 Elementary Particles

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p - uud
n - ddu
u – upper quark, d – down quark
c - s -
t - top b -
Gen1 – e^-/\nu_e/u/d
Gen2 - \mu^-/\nu_\mu/c/s
Gen3 – \tau^-/\nu_\tau/t/b
all have spin 1/2
charge: u,c,t 2/3; d,s,b -1/3
mass: m_t \approx 170 m_p
Electromagnetic\ Interaction,\ EM-proton
Strong-gluon \\
Weak – W^{\pm}/Z^0
Gravity - Higgs boson
m_g = 125 GeV, m_Z = 91 GeV, m_W = 80 GeV - EW scale
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1.2 Feynman Diagrams

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EM \alpha_{EM} = 1/137
strong \alpha_s = 1
weak \alpha_w = 1/30
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small α enables perturbative calculation Feynman rules

2 Underlying Concepts

2.1 Natural Units

$$\begin{split} [kg,m,s] \rightarrow & [\mathrm{GeV},\hbar,c] \\ \hbar = c = 1 \text{ mass: } \mathrm{GeV}/c^2 - \mathrm{GeV} \\ \mathrm{length: } \hbar c/\,\mathrm{GeV} - \mathrm{GeV}^{-1} \\ \mathrm{time: } \hbar/\mathrm{GeV} - \mathrm{GeV}^{-1} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} E, \mathbf{p}, m &\longrightarrow \mathrm{GeV} \\ t, l &\longrightarrow \mathrm{GeV}^{-1} \\ \sigma &\longrightarrow \mathrm{GeV}^{-2} \end{split}$$

e.g.
$$\left\langle r^2 \right\rangle^{1/2} = 4.1 \, \mathrm{GeV}^{-1} = ?$$

 $[L] = [E]^{-1} [\hbar] [c]$
 $\mathrm{GeV}^{-1} = 1.6 \times 10^{-10} \, \mathrm{J}^{-1} \cdot 3 \times 10^8 \, \mathrm{m \, s}^{-1} \cdot 1.055 \times 10^{-34} \, \mathrm{J \, s} \approx 0.8 \, \mathrm{fm}$

Heaviside-Lorentz Units

$$\epsilon_0 = \mu_0 = 1 \tag{2.1}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0\hbar c} \Rightarrow \frac{e^2}{4\pi} = \frac{1}{137} \tag{2.2}$$

2.2 Special Relativity

2.2.1 The Lorentz Transformation

$$\mathbf{X}' = \mathbf{\Lambda}\mathbf{X} \tag{2.3}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} t' \\ x' \\ y' \\ z' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma & 0 & 0 & -\gamma\beta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\gamma\beta & 0 & 0 & \gamma \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} t \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.4)

where $\gamma = (1 - \beta^2)^{-1/2}$.

$$\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{\Lambda}^{-1} \mathbf{X}' \tag{2.5}$$

$$\mathbf{\Lambda}\mathbf{\Lambda}^{-1} = \mathbf{I} \tag{2.7}$$

2.2.2 4-Vectors & Lorentz Invariant

 ${\bf contravariant}\ 4\text{-}{\bf vector}$

$$X^{\mu} = (t, x, y, z) \tag{2.8}$$

when $\mu \to \mu'$,

$$X^{\mu'} = \Lambda^{\mu}_{\nu} X^{\nu} \tag{2.9}$$

$$t^{2} - x^{2} - y^{2} - z^{2} = t'^{2} - x'^{2} - y'^{2} - z'^{2}$$
(2.10)

covariant 4-vector $X_{\mu}=(t,-x,-y,-z)$ $X^{\mu}X_{\mu}=X^{\mu'}X_{\mu'}$ # Ein sum convention thus $X^{\mu}X_{\mu}=\mathscr{L}.I.$ # Lorentz invariant

$$X_{\mu} = G^{\nu}_{\mu} X^{\nu} \tag{2.11}$$

$$G^{\nu}_{\mu} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.12}$$

4-momentum

$$P^{\mu} = (E, p_x, p_y, p_z) \tag{2.13}$$

$$P^{\mu}P_{\mu} = E^2 - \mathbf{p}^2 = m^2 \tag{2.14}$$

4-derivative

$$\begin{pmatrix}
\partial_{t'} \\
\partial_{x'} \\
\partial_{y'} \\
\partial_{z'}
\end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix}
\gamma & 0 & 0 & \gamma\beta \\
0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\
\gamma\beta & 0 & 0 & \gamma
\end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix}
\partial_{t} \\
\partial_{x} \\
\partial_{y} \\
\partial_{z}
\end{pmatrix}$$
(2.15)

i.e.

$$\partial_{\mu'} = \Lambda^{\nu}_{\mu} \partial_{\nu} \tag{2.16}$$

$$\partial^{\mu}\partial_{\mu} = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - \nabla^2 \equiv \Box \tag{2.17}$$

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3 Decay Rates and Cross Sections

3.1 Fermi's Golden Rule ★

Transition rate

$$\Gamma_{fi} = 2\pi |T_{fi}|^2 \rho(E_i) \tag{3.1}$$

3.2 Phase Space and Wavefxn Normalization ★

 $\alpha \rightarrow 1 + 2$

1st order:

$$T_{fi} = \langle f \mid H' \mid i \rangle = \langle \psi_1^* \psi_2^* \mid H' \mid \psi_a \rangle \tag{3.2}$$

Born approx.:

$$\psi(\mathbf{x},t) = A e^{i(\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{x} - Et)}$$
(3.3)

Normalization in a box of side a:

$$\langle \psi \,|\, \psi \rangle = 1 \Rightarrow A^2 = 1/a^3 \tag{3.4}$$

PBC gives

$$\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{n} \frac{2\pi}{a} \tag{3.5}$$

thus

$$d^3 \mathbf{p} = d^3 \mathbf{n} \frac{(2\pi)^3}{V} \tag{3.6}$$

$$dn \equiv d^3 \mathbf{n} d^3 p \frac{V}{(2\pi)^3} = 4\pi p^2 dp \frac{V}{(2\pi)^3}$$
 (3.7)

$$\rho(E) = \frac{\mathrm{d}n}{\mathrm{d}E} = \frac{\mathrm{d}n}{\mathrm{d}p} \left| \frac{\mathrm{d}p}{\mathrm{d}E} \right| \tag{3.8}$$

Set V = 1, and there are N particles, thus N - 1 indep momenta

$$dn = \prod_{i=1}^{N-1} dn_i = \prod_{i=1}^{N-1} \frac{d^3 \mathbf{p}_i}{(2\pi)^3}$$
(3.9)

(3.10)

3.2.1 LI Phase Space

$$\Gamma_{fi} = \frac{1}{2E_a} \int |\mathcal{M}_{fi}|^2 \left[(2\pi)^4 \delta^4 (\mathbf{p}_a - \mathbf{p}_1 - \mathbf{p}_2) \right] \frac{\mathrm{d}^3 \mathbf{p}_1}{(2\pi)^3 2E_1} \frac{\mathrm{d}^3 \mathbf{p}_2}{(2\pi)^3 2E_2}$$
(3.11)

3.2.2 Fermi G R Revisited

$$\Gamma_{fi} = \tag{3.12}$$

In CoM, $E_a \rightarrow m_a$ next subsec.

3.3 Particle Decays ★

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$$p_a = (m_a, 0) (3.13)$$

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$$\delta^3(\mathbf{p}_a - \mathbf{p}_1 - \mathbf{p}_2)d^3\mathbf{p}_2 = \tag{3.14}$$

$$\Gamma = \frac{1}{2m_a} \int |\mathcal{M}|^2 (2\pi)^4 \delta(m_a - E_1 - E_2) \frac{\mathrm{d}^3 \mathbf{p}_1}{(2\pi)^6 4E_1 E_2}$$
(3.15)

where $\mathbf{p}_2 = -\mathbf{p}_1$. thus $E_2 = \sqrt{m_2^2 + p_1^2}$. and $d^3\mathbf{p}_1 = p_1^2 dp_1 \sin\theta d\theta d\phi$

$$\Gamma = \frac{1}{8\pi^2 m_a} \int |\mathcal{M}|^2 \delta(m_a - \sqrt{m_1^2 + p_1^2} - \sqrt{m_2^2 + p_1^2}) \frac{p_1^2 dp_1 d\Omega}{4E_1 E_2}$$
(3.16)

Since

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta[f(x)]g(x)dx = \sum_{i} \frac{g(x_i)}{|f'(x_i)|} \quad \text{w}/f(x_i) = 0$$
(3.17)

thus

$$\Gamma_{fi} = \frac{p^*}{32\pi^2 m_o^2} \int |\mathcal{M}_{fi}|^2 d\Omega \tag{3.18}$$

where $m_a - \sqrt{m_1^2 + p^{*2}} - \sqrt{m_2^2 + p^{*2}} = 0$

3.4 Interaction Cross Sections ★

tot # of target particles

$$\delta N = n_b v \delta t A \tag{3.19}$$

interaction prob.

$$\delta P = \frac{\delta N \sigma}{A} = n_b v \sigma \delta t \tag{3.20}$$

interaction rate per target particle

$$\Gamma_b = \frac{\mathrm{d}P}{\mathrm{d}t} = nv\sigma = \sigma\phi_a \tag{3.21}$$

$$\phi_a = \frac{\mathrm{d}N_a}{\mathrm{d}A\mathrm{d}t} = \frac{n\mathrm{d}Av\mathrm{d}t}{\mathrm{d}A\mathrm{d}t} = nv \tag{3.22}$$

total rate

$$\Gamma_a n_a V = (n_a v)(n_b V)\sigma = \text{flux} \times \# \text{ target} \times \sigma$$
 (3.23)

3.4.1 \mathscr{L} . I. Flux

 $a + b \longrightarrow 1 + 2$

$$\Gamma_{fi} = \frac{v_a + v_b}{V} \sigma \tag{3.24}$$

$$\sigma = \frac{1}{4E_a E_b (v_a + v_b)} \int |\mathcal{M}|^2 (2\pi)^4 \delta^4 (p_a + p_b - p_1 - p_2) \frac{\mathrm{d}^3 \mathbf{p}_1}{(2\pi)^3 2E_1} \frac{\mathrm{d}^3 \mathbf{p}_2}{(2\pi)^3 2E_2}$$
(3.25)

which is \mathcal{L} . I..

 \mathcal{L} . I. flux factor $F = 4E_a E_b (v_a + v_b)$.

3.4.2 Scattering in the CoM frame

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$$\sigma = \frac{|\mathbf{p}_f|}{64\pi^2 s|\mathbf{p}_i|} \int |\mathcal{M}|^2 d\Omega \tag{3.26}$$

3.5 Diff. Xsec. ★

$$\sigma = \int \frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega} \mathrm{d}\Omega \tag{3.27}$$

3.5.1 CoM Frame

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega^*} = \frac{1}{64\pi^2} \frac{p_f^*}{p_i^*} |\mathcal{M}_{fi}|^2 \tag{3.28}$$

$$t = (p_i - p_3)^2 \quad \mathcal{L}.I. \tag{3.29}$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}t} = \frac{1}{64\pi s} \frac{\left|\mathcal{M}_{fi}\right|^{2}}{p_{i}^{*2}} \quad \mathcal{L}.\mathrm{I}.$$
(3.30)

3.5.2 Lab Frame

$$e^- + p \longrightarrow e^- + p$$

$$p_1 \approx (E_1, 0, 0, E_1)$$

 $p_2 = (m_p, 0, 0, 0)$ (3.31)

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$$p_i^* \approx \frac{(s - m_p^2)^2}{4s} \tag{3.32}$$

where $s = (p_1 + p_2)^2 = m_p^2 + 2E_1m_p$

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4 The Dirac Equation

4.1 The Klein-Gordon Eq.

$$\widehat{\mathbf{H}}^2 = \widehat{\mathbf{p}}^2 + m^2 \tag{4.1}$$

where $\hat{\mathbf{H}} = \mathbf{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial t}$, thus

$$\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial t^2} = (\nabla^2 - m^2)\psi \tag{4.2}$$

in $\mathscr{L}.$ I. form

$$(\partial^{\mu}\partial_{\mu} + m^2)\psi = 0 \tag{4.3}$$

4.2 The Dirac Eq. ★

$$E\psi = (\boldsymbol{\alpha} \cdot \widehat{\mathbf{p}} + \beta m)\psi \tag{4.4}$$

$$-\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial t^2} = (-i \boldsymbol{\alpha} \cdot \boldsymbol{\nabla} + \beta m)^2 \psi$$

$$= \dots$$
(4.5)

must satisfy

$$\alpha_x^2 = \alpha_y^2 = \alpha_z^2 = \beta^2 = I$$

$$\alpha_i \beta + \beta \alpha_i = 0$$

$$\alpha_i \alpha_j + \alpha_j \alpha_i = 0$$

$$(4.6)$$

$$Tr(\alpha_i) = Tr(\beta) = 0 (4.7)$$

$$\lambda_{\alpha_i} = \pm 1 \tag{4.8}$$

$$len(\alpha_i) = len(\beta) = \text{evennumber}$$
 (4.9)

$$\alpha_i^{\dagger} = \alpha_i \quad \beta^{\dagger} = \beta \tag{4.10}$$

Dirac spinor

$$\psi = \begin{pmatrix} \psi_1 \\ \psi_2 \\ \psi_3 \\ \psi_4 \end{pmatrix} \tag{4.11}$$

There are infinite choices of α and β .

Dirac-Pauli representation:

$$\beta = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & -I \end{pmatrix} \quad \alpha_i = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sigma_i \\ \sigma_i & 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{4.12}$$

$$\sigma_x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_y = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (4.13)

4.3 Prob. Dens. & Prob. Curr.

$$i\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} = -i\boldsymbol{\alpha} \cdot \boldsymbol{\nabla} \psi + m\beta\psi \tag{4.14}$$

$$-i\frac{\partial \psi^{\dagger}}{\partial t} = i \nabla \psi^{\dagger} \cdot \boldsymbol{\alpha}^{\dagger} + m\psi^{\dagger} \beta^{\dagger}$$
(4.15)

$$\psi^{\dagger}(-i\boldsymbol{\alpha}\cdot\boldsymbol{\nabla}\psi+m\beta\psi)-\left(i\boldsymbol{\nabla}\psi^{\dagger}\cdot\boldsymbol{\alpha}^{\dagger}+m\psi^{\dagger}\beta^{\dagger}\right)\psi=i\psi^{\dagger}\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t}+i\frac{\partial\psi^{\dagger}}{\partial t}\psi$$
(4.16)

$$\nabla \cdot (\psi^{\dagger} \alpha \psi) + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\psi^{\dagger} \psi) = 0 \tag{4.17}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{j} + \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = 0 \tag{4.18}$$

4.4 Spin ★

$$[\widehat{\mathbf{H}}_D, \widehat{\mathbf{L}}] = [\boldsymbol{\alpha} \cdot \widehat{\mathbf{p}}, \widehat{\mathbf{r}} \times \widehat{\mathbf{p}}] = -i\,\boldsymbol{\alpha} \times \widehat{\mathbf{p}} \neq 0$$
(4.19)

$$\widehat{\mathbf{S}} = \frac{1}{2} \widehat{\mathbf{\Sigma}} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \boldsymbol{\sigma} & 0 \\ 0 & \boldsymbol{\sigma} \end{pmatrix} \tag{4.20}$$

$$[\alpha_i, \Sigma_j] = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & [\sigma_i, \sigma_j] \\ [\sigma_i, \sigma_j] & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(4.21)$$

$$[\widehat{H}_D, \widehat{\Sigma}] = 2 i(\alpha \times \widehat{\mathbf{p}}) \Rightarrow [\widehat{H}_D, \widehat{\mathbf{S}}] = i(\alpha \times \widehat{\mathbf{p}})$$
 (4.22)

def

$$\widehat{\mathbf{J}} = \widehat{\mathbf{L}} + \widehat{\mathbf{S}} \tag{4.23}$$

$$[\widehat{\mathbf{H}}_D, \widehat{\mathbf{J}}] = 0 \tag{4.24}$$

 $\widehat{\mathbf{J}}$ is a conserved quantity.

$$\hat{\mathbf{S}}^2 = \tag{4.25}$$

EM – magnetic moment ★

$$E = -\boldsymbol{\mu} \cdot \mathbf{B} \tag{4.26}$$

$$E\psi = (\boldsymbol{\alpha} \cdot \widehat{\mathbf{p}} + \beta m)\psi \tag{4.27}$$

minimal substitution

$$E \to E - q\phi$$

$$\widehat{\mathbf{p}} \to \widehat{\mathbf{p}} - q\mathbf{A}$$
(4.28)

where $A = (\phi, \mathbf{A})$

$$(E - q\phi)\psi = [\boldsymbol{\alpha} \cdot (\hat{\mathbf{p}} - q\mathbf{A}) + \beta m]\psi \tag{4.29}$$

$$(E - q\phi - m)\psi_A = \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot (\widehat{\mathbf{p}} - q\mathbf{A})\psi_B (E - q\phi + m)\psi_B = \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot (\widehat{\mathbf{p}} - q\mathbf{A})\psi_A$$

$$(4.30)$$

Non-Rela limit: $E \approx m >> q\phi$

$$2m\psi_B = \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot (\widehat{\mathbf{p}} - q\mathbf{A})\psi_A \quad \psi_B << \psi_A \tag{4.31}$$

$$(E - q\phi - m)\psi_{A} = \frac{1}{2m} [\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot (\widehat{\mathbf{p}} - q\mathbf{A})]^{2} \psi_{A}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2m} [(\widehat{\mathbf{p}} - q\mathbf{A})^{2} + i \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot (\widehat{\mathbf{p}} - q\mathbf{A}) \times (\widehat{\mathbf{p}} - q\mathbf{A})] \psi_{A}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2m} [(\widehat{\mathbf{p}} - q\mathbf{A})^{2} + q\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot (\boldsymbol{\nabla} \times \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A} \times \boldsymbol{\nabla})] \psi_{A}$$

$$(4.32)$$

$$(\mathbf{\nabla} \times \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{\nabla})\psi_A = \mathbf{B}\psi_A \tag{4.33}$$

$$E\psi_A = \left[m + \frac{1}{2m} (\widehat{\mathbf{p}} - q\mathbf{A})^2 + q\phi - \frac{q}{2m} \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{B} \right] \psi_A$$
 (4.34)

From (4.26),

$$\boldsymbol{\mu} = \frac{q}{2m}\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \frac{q}{m}\,\widehat{\mathbf{S}}\tag{4.35}$$

which is spin magnetic moment.

Or,

$$\boldsymbol{\mu} = g \frac{q}{2m} \, \hat{\mathbf{S}} \tag{4.36}$$

Dirac Eq. explained g = 2. orbital magnetic moment

$$\mu = \frac{q}{2m} \,\hat{\mathbf{L}} \tag{4.37}$$

In fact, Schwinger gave a correction on g in 1948

$$a = \frac{g-2}{2} = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} \tag{4.38}$$

4.5 Covariant Form of the Dirac Eq.

$$\beta(i\frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \boldsymbol{\alpha} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{p}} - \beta m)\psi = 0 \tag{4.39}$$

def

$$\gamma^0 = \beta \quad \gamma^1 = \beta \alpha_x \quad \gamma^2 = \beta \alpha_y \quad \gamma^3 = \beta \alpha_z \tag{4.40}$$

and since $\beta^2 = I$

$$(i\gamma^{\mu}\partial_{\mu} - m)\psi = 0 \tag{4.41}$$

where $\partial_{\mu} = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial}{\partial z}\right)$

Note: γ is not usual 4-vector, but (4.41) is Lorentz covariant.

4.5.1

4.6 Sol. to the Dirac Eq. ★

Suppose

$$\psi(\mathbf{r},t) = u(E,\mathbf{p}) e^{i(\mathbf{p}\cdot\mathbf{r} - Et)}$$
(4.42)

where u is a 4-component Dirac spinor with (4.41)

$$(\beta E - \beta \alpha \cdot \mathbf{p} - m)u(E, \mathbf{p}) e^{i(\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{r} - Et)} = 0$$
(4.43)

$$(\gamma^{\mu}P_{\mu} - m)u = 0 \tag{4.44}$$

4.6.1 Particles at Rest

Since $\mathbf{p} = 0$

$$(E\beta - m)u = 0 \tag{4.45}$$

$$E\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \\ \phi_3 \\ \phi_4 \end{pmatrix} = m \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \\ \phi_3 \\ \phi_4 \end{pmatrix}$$
(4.46)

the eigenvectors are

$$u_1 = N \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad u_2 = N \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{4.47}$$

with E=m

$$u_3 = N \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad u_4 = \tag{4.48}$$

with E = -m

How to explain negative energy?

Feynman-Stueckelberg:

$$e^{-iEt} \equiv e^{iE(-t)} \tag{4.49}$$

E.g. holes in solid state physics. Holes "move" oppositely as the electrons move, like propagating "backward" in time.

or anti-particles, like positron.

4.6.2 General Free-particle Sol.

$$(\gamma^{\mu}P_{\mu} - m)u = 0 \tag{4.50}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & -I \end{pmatrix} E - \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p} \\ -\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p} & 0 \end{pmatrix} - m \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & I \end{pmatrix} \end{bmatrix} u = 0$$
(4.51)

$$\begin{pmatrix} (E-m)I & -\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p} \\ \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p} & -(E+m)I \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_A \\ u_B \end{pmatrix} = 0$$
 (4.52)

$$u_A = \frac{\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p}}{E - m} u_B u_B = \frac{\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p}}{E + m} u_A \tag{4.53}$$

$$u_A = \dots = u_A \tag{4.54}$$

thus we can choose $u_A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

4.7 Antiparticles ★

4.7.1

4.7.2 the Feynman-Stückelberg Interpretation

$$(\gamma^{\mu}P_{\mu} + m)v = 0 \tag{4.55}$$

$$\psi = v(p) e^{i Et - i \mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{x}}$$
(4.56)

...

$$v_1 = N \begin{pmatrix} \dots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad v_2 = N \begin{pmatrix} \dots \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{4.57}$$

kick out v_3 , v_4 , u_3 , u_4 whose energy are negative.

4.7.3 Normalization

$$\rho = \psi^{\dagger} \psi = u_1^{\dagger} u_1 = |N|^2 \frac{2E}{E + m} \tag{4.58}$$

def

$$\rho = 2E \quad N = \sqrt{E + m} \tag{4.59}$$

4.7.4 Operators for Antiparticles

$$\widehat{\mathbf{H}}^{(v)} = -i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \quad \widehat{\mathbf{p}}^{(v)} = +i \nabla$$
 (4.60)

thus

$$\widehat{\mathbf{L}}^{(v)} = -\widehat{\mathbf{L}}^{(u)} \quad \widehat{\mathbf{S}}^{(v)} = -\widehat{\mathbf{S}}^{(u)}$$

$$(4.61)$$

4.7.5 Charge Conjugation

$$E \to E - q\phi \quad \mathbf{p} \to \mathbf{p} - q\mathbf{A}$$
 (4.62)

$$p_{\mu} \rightarrow p_m u - q A_{\mu} \text{ i.e. } i \partial_{\mu} \rightarrow i \partial_{\mu} - q A_{\mu}$$
 (4.63)

for electron, q = -e

$$\gamma^{\mu}(\partial_{\mu} - i e A_{\mu})\psi + i m\psi = 0 \tag{4.64}$$

take complex conj and pre-multiply $-\operatorname{i} \gamma^2$

$$-i\gamma^{2}(\gamma^{\mu})^{*}(\partial_{\mu} + ieA_{\mu})\psi^{*} - m\gamma^{2}\psi^{*} = 0$$
(4.65)

since

$$\gamma^2 \gamma^\mu = -\gamma^\mu \gamma^2 \tag{4.66}$$

for $\mu \neq 2$

4.8 Spin and Helicity States ★

 $\{u_1,u_2,v_1,v_2\}$ are not $\widehat{\mathbf{S}}_z$ eigenstates except $\mathbf{p}=\pm p\,\widehat{\mathbf{k}}$ and $[\widehat{\mathbf{H}}_D,\widehat{\mathbf{S}}_z]\neq 0$, thus we can't find a basis of simultaneous eigenstates. def: helicity operator

$$\hat{\mathbf{h}} \equiv \frac{\hat{\mathbf{S}} \cdot \mathbf{p}}{p} \tag{4.67}$$

$$\widehat{\mathbf{h}} = \frac{1}{2p} \begin{pmatrix} \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p} & 0\\ 0 & \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p} \end{pmatrix} \tag{4.68}$$

$$[\widehat{\mathbf{h}}, \widehat{\mathbf{H}}_D] = 0 \tag{4.69}$$

suppose $\hat{\mathbf{h}} u = \lambda u$

$$\frac{1}{2p} \begin{pmatrix} \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p} & 0 \\ 0 & \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p} \end{pmatrix} u = \lambda u \tag{4.70}$$

$$(\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p})u_A = 2p\lambda u_A \tag{4.71}$$

since $(\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p})^2 = p^2$

$$\lambda = \pm \frac{1}{2} \tag{4.72}$$

according to (4.53)

$$(\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p})u_A = (E+m)u_B \tag{4.73}$$

∴.

$$u_B = \frac{2\lambda p}{E+m} u_A \tag{4.74}$$

To solve (4.71), let

$$\mathbf{p} = \dots \tag{4.75}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{h}} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \, \mathrm{e}^{-\mathrm{i}\,\phi} \\ \sin \theta \, \mathrm{e}^{\mathrm{i}\,\phi} & -\cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \tag{4.76}$$

assume $u_A = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$

$$\frac{b}{a} = e^{i\phi} \tan \frac{\theta}{2} \tag{4.77}$$

thus

$$u_{\uparrow} = N \begin{pmatrix} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \\ e^{i \phi} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \\ \dots \\ \dots \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(4.78)$$

4.9 Intrinsic Parity of Dirac Fermions ★

parity transformation

$$t' = t \quad x' = -x \tag{4.79}$$

parity operator

$$\psi' = \widehat{\mathbf{P}} \,\psi \,\widehat{\mathbf{P}}^2 = I \tag{4.80}$$

(4.81)

$$\gamma^0 \, \widehat{\mathbf{P}} \propto I \tag{4.82}$$

5 Interaction by Particle Exchange

- 5.1 1st and 2nd Order Perturbation Theory
- 5.1.1 Time-Ordered Perturbation Theory
- 5.2 Feynman Diagrams and Virtual Particles
- 5.3 Intro to QED

 ${\bf Dirac~Eq.~+~minimal~substitution}$

$$\partial_{\mu} \to \partial_{\mu} + i \, q A_{\mu} \tag{5.1}$$

$$i\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} + i\gamma^0\boldsymbol{\gamma}\cdot\boldsymbol{\nabla}\psi - q\gamma^0\gamma^{\mu}A_{\mu}\psi - m\gamma^0\psi = 0$$
 (5.2)

$$\widehat{\mathbf{H}} = (m\gamma^0 - i\,\gamma^0\boldsymbol{\gamma}\cdot\boldsymbol{\nabla}) + q\gamma^0\gamma^\mu A_\mu \tag{5.3}$$

这一节的例子可以不看。

5.4 Feynman Rules for QED

$$e^-e^- \longrightarrow e^-e^-$$

$$e^-e^+ \longrightarrow -+$$

$$-i\mathcal{M} = \tag{5.4}$$

6 e-p Annihilation



计算 matrix element

- 6.1 Perturbation Theory
- 6.2 e-p Annihilation

$$\mathcal{M} = \dots \tag{6.1}$$

6.3 Spin Sums

$$\langle |\mathcal{M}|^2 \rangle = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{\text{spins}} |\mathcal{M}|^2$$
 (6.2)

- 6.4 Helicity Amplitudes
- 6.5 The μ and e Currents
- 6.6 Cross Section

$$\mathcal{M}_{RL \to RL} = e^2 (1 + \cos \theta) \tag{6.3}$$

$$\langle |\mathcal{M}|^2 \rangle = e^4 (1 + \cos^2 \theta)$$
 (6.4)

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega} = \frac{e^4(1+\cos^2\theta)}{64\pi^2s} \tag{6.5}$$

$$\sigma = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{3s} \tag{6.6}$$

total spin = $\pm 1 \Rightarrow$ contribution to helicity amplitude. (because photon has spin 1)

6.7

6.8 Spin in e-p Anni.

$$|1,+1\rangle_{\theta} = \frac{1}{2}(1-\cos\theta)|1,-1\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\sin\theta|1,0\rangle + \frac{1}{2}(1+\cos\theta)|1,+1\rangle$$
 (6.7)

thus

$$\mathcal{M}_{RL \to RL} \propto \langle 1, +1 | 1, +1 \rangle_{\theta} = \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos \theta)$$
(6.8)

6.9 Chirality ★

def

$$\gamma^5 = i \gamma^0 \gamma^1 \gamma^2 \gamma^3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & I \\ I & 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{6.9}$$

in the limit E>>m

$$\gamma^5 u_{\uparrow} = +u_{\uparrow} \quad \gamma^5 u_{\downarrow} = -u_{\downarrow} \tag{6.10}$$

def: left- and right-handed chiral states

$$\gamma^5 u_R = +u_R \quad \gamma^5 u_L = -u_L \tag{6.11}$$

$$u_R = N \begin{pmatrix} c \\ s e^{i \phi} \\ c \\ s e^{i \phi} \end{pmatrix} \quad u_L = \tag{6.12}$$

chiral states are identical to massless helicity states.

6.9.1 Chiral Projection Operators

$$P_{R} = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \gamma^{5})$$

$$P_{L} = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \gamma^{5})$$
(6.13)

features

$$P_R + P_L = 1$$
 $P_R P_R = 1$ $P_R P_L = 0$ (6.14)

$$P_R u_R = u_R \quad \dots \tag{6.15}$$

$$P_L u_R = 0 \quad P_L u_L = u_L \tag{6.16}$$

thus any spinor can be decomposed with

$$u = a_R u_R + a_L u_L = P_R u + P_L u (6.17)$$

6.9.2 Chirality in QED

$$\bar{\psi}\,\gamma^{\mu}\,\phi\tag{6.18}$$

7 E-p Elastic Scattering

7.1 Probing ...

7.2 Rutherford and Mott Scattering *

$$\mathcal{M}_{fi} = \frac{e^2}{g^2} \bar{u}_3 \, \gamma^{\mu} \, u_1 g_{\mu\nu} \bar{u}_4 \, \gamma^{\nu} \, u_2 \tag{7.1}$$

Helicity states

$$u_{\uparrow} = \dots \qquad u_{\downarrow} = \dots \tag{7.2}$$

where

$$\kappa = \frac{p}{E + m_e} = \frac{\beta_e \gamma_e}{\gamma_e + 1} \tag{7.3}$$

NR: $\kappa \to 0$, R: $\kappa \approx 1$ init e⁻: $(\theta, \phi) = (0, 0)$ fin e⁻: $(\theta, \phi) = (\theta, 0)$

$$j_{\uparrow\uparrow}^e = (E + m_e)[(\kappa^2 + 1)c, 2\kappa s, 2i\kappa s, 2\kappa c]$$

$$- (7.4)$$

 $\kappa=1 \Rightarrow j^e_{\uparrow\downarrow}=j^e_{\downarrow\uparrow}=0$, the same with last week. Helicity is effectively conserved at vertices in high energy limits.

init p: $\theta = 0, \phi = 0, \kappa = 0$ fin p: $\theta = \eta, \phi = 0, \kappa \approx 0$

$$j_{\uparrow\uparrow}^p = j_{\downarrow\downarrow}^p = 2m_p[c_{\eta}, 0, 0, 0]
 j_{\uparrow\downarrow}^p = j_{\downarrow\uparrow}^p = -2m_p[s_{\eta}, 0, 0, 0]$$
(7.5)

all NR.

$$\left\langle |\mu|^2 \right\rangle = \frac{1}{4} \sum \left| \mathcal{M}_{fi}^2 \right| = \frac{4m_p^2 m_e^2 e^4 (\gamma_e + 1)^2}{q^4} [(1 - \kappa^2)^2 + 4\kappa^2 c^2]$$

$$= \frac{16m_p^2 m_e^2 e^4}{q^4} \left[1 + \beta_e^2 \gamma_e^2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right]$$
(7.6)

$$q^4 = \dots (7.7)$$

i) e⁻ is NR,
$$1 + \beta_e^2 \gamma_e^2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \approx 1$$
 (Rutherford)
ii) e⁻ is R, $1 + \beta_e^2 \gamma_e^2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \approx \beta_e^2 \gamma_e^2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$ (Mott)

7.2.1 Rutherford Scattering

$$\langle |\mu|^2 \rangle = \frac{m_p^2 m_e^2 e^4}{p^4 \sin^4(\theta/2)}$$
 (7.8)

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega} = \frac{1}{64\pi^2} \left(\frac{1}{m_p + E_1 - E_1 \cos \theta} \right) \left\langle |\mu|^2 \right\rangle \tag{7.9}$$

Since

$$E_1 \sim m_e \ll m_p \tag{7.10}$$

we have

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega} = \dots \tag{7.11}$$

7.2.2 Mott Scattering

 $E \approx p_e$

$$\langle |\mu|^2 \rangle = \frac{m_p^2 e^4}{E^2 \sin^4(\theta/2)} \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$$
 (7.12)

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega} = \dots \tag{7.13}$$

7.3 Form Factors ★

形状因子

charge density $Q\rho(\mathbf{r}')$, where $\int \rho(\mathbf{r}') = 1$ potential

$$V(\mathbf{r}) = \int \frac{Q\rho(\mathbf{r}')}{4\pi |\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|} d^3 \mathbf{r}'$$
 (7.14)

In the Born approx.,

$$\psi_i = e^{i(\mathbf{p}_1 \cdot \mathbf{r} - Et)} \quad \psi_f = e^{i(\mathbf{p}_3 \cdot \mathbf{r} - Et)}$$
 (7.15)

$$\mathcal{M}_{fi} = \langle \psi_f | V(\mathbf{r}) | \psi_i \rangle = \int e^{i \mathbf{q} \cdot \mathbf{r}} \int \frac{Q \rho(\mathbf{r}')}{4\pi |\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|} d^3 \mathbf{r}' d^3 \mathbf{r}$$

$$= \int e^{i \mathbf{q} \cdot \mathbf{R}} \int \frac{Q}{4\pi |\mathbf{R}|} d^3 \mathbf{R} \int \rho(\mathbf{r}') e^{i \mathbf{q} \cdot \mathbf{r}'} d^3 \mathbf{r}'$$

$$\equiv \mathcal{M}_{fi}^{\text{pt}} F(\mathbf{q}^2)$$
(7.16)

pt: point-like Form factor

$$F(\mathbf{q}^2) = \int \rho(\mathbf{r}') \,\mathrm{e}^{\mathrm{i}\,\mathbf{q}\cdot\mathbf{r}'} \,\mathrm{d}^3\mathbf{r}' \tag{7.17}$$

i.e. Fourier transform of chg density distribution.

$$F(0) = 1 \quad F(\infty) = 0 \tag{7.18}$$

Note 7.8 留数定理 ★

7.4 Relativistic e-p Elastic Scattering

$$p_1 = (E_1, 0, 0, E_1) \tag{7.19}$$

$$q^2 = -2E_1 E_3 (1 - \cos \theta) \tag{7.20}$$

 $\operatorname{def} Q^2 = -q^2$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega} = \frac{1}{64\pi^2} \left(\frac{E_3}{m_p E_1}\right)^2 \left\langle \left| \mathcal{M}_{fi} \right|^2 \right\rangle
= \frac{\alpha^2}{4E_1^2 \sin^4(\theta/2)} \frac{E_3}{E_1} \left(\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{Q^2}{2m_p^2} \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$
(7.21)

when $Q^2 \ll m_p^2$ and $E_3 \approx E_1$, reduced to Mott.

7.5 the Rosenbluth Formula

7.5.1 Measuring G

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega} / \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega}\right)_{Mott} = \frac{G_E^2 + \tau G_M^2}{1 + \tau} + 2\tau G_M^2 \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$$
(7.22)

G can be fit by a dipole function

$$G_E^2(Q^2) = \frac{1}{(1 + Q^2/Q_0^2)^2}$$
(7.23)

$$G_M^2(Q^2) = 2.79G_E^2(Q^2) (7.24)$$

charge distr.

$$\rho(r) = \rho_0 e^{-r/a} \tag{7.25}$$

a = 0.24 fm

7.5.2 Elastic Scattering at high Q^2

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8 Deep Inelastic Scattering (DIS)

8.1 E-p Inelastic Scattering

 $\mathrm{e^-} + p \rightarrow \mathrm{e^-} + \mathrm{X}$

invariant mass of the hadronic system X: $W^2 = p_4^2$ elastic: $W^2 = m_p^2$

8.1.1 Kinematic Variables

$$Q^{2} = -(p_{1} - p_{3})^{2} = -(2m_{e}^{2} - 2p_{1}p_{3}) = -2m_{e}^{2} + 2E_{1}E_{3} - 2\mathbf{p}_{1} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{3}$$
(8.1)

inelastic -> high E, thus

$$Q^2 = 2E_1 E_3 (1 - \cos \theta) = \tag{8.2}$$

def

$$x \equiv \frac{Q^2}{2p_2q} \quad y \equiv \frac{p_2q}{p_2p_1} \quad \nu \equiv \frac{p_2q}{m_p}$$
 (8.3)

$$W^{2} = (q + p_{2})^{2} = m_{p}^{2} + q^{2} + 2p_{2}q$$
(8.4)

$$W^2 + Q^2 - m_p^2 = 2p_2 q (8.5)$$

$$x \equiv \frac{Q^2}{Q^2 + W^2 - m_p^2} = \frac{Q^2}{2p_2q} \tag{8.6}$$

elastic: x = 1

inelastic: $0 \le x \le 1$, since ... x expresses the elasticity.

$$y = \frac{p_2 q}{p_2 p_1} = \dots = 1 - \frac{E_3}{E_1} \tag{8.7}$$

y expresses the inelasticity, or fractional energy loss of e^- .

$$\nu = \dots = E_1 - E_3 \tag{8.8}$$

the kinematics of inelastic scattering can be described by any two of the Lorentz-invariant quantities x, Q^2 , y and ν , except $\{y, \nu\}$.

8.1.2 IS at Low Q^2

$$W^{2} = m_{p}^{2} + q^{2} + 2p_{2}q = m_{p}^{2} + (p_{1} - p_{3})^{2} + 2p_{2}(p_{1} - p_{3})$$

$$= m_{p}^{2} - 2E_{1}E_{3}(1 - \cos\theta) + 2m_{p}(E_{1} - E_{3})$$

$$= [m_{p}^{2} + 2m_{p}E_{1}] - [2m_{p} + 2E_{1}(1 - \cos\theta)]E_{3}$$
(8.9)

...

8.2 Deep Inelastic Scattering

Elastic Rosenbluth formula

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega} = \dots \tag{8.10}$$

Using def of Q^2 and y

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{Q^4} \left[\frac{G_E^2 + \tau G_M^2}{1+\tau} \left(1 - y - \frac{m_p^2 y^2}{Q^2} \right) + \frac{1}{2} y^2 G_M^2 \right]$$
(8.11)

def: $f_1(Q^2) = ..., f_2(Q^2) = ...$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dQ^2} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{Q^4} \left[\left(1 - y - \frac{m_p^2 y^2}{Q^2} \right) f_2(Q^2) + \frac{1}{2} y^2 f_1(Q^2) \right]$$
(8.12)

8.2.1 Structure Func.

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx}Q^2 = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{Q^4} \left[\left(1 - y - \frac{m_p^2 y^2}{Q^2} \right) \frac{F_2(x, Q^2)}{x} + y^2 F_1(x, Q^2) \right]$$
(8.13)

deep IS: $Q^2 >> m_p^2 y^2$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx}Q^2 = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{Q^4} \left[(1-y)\frac{F_2(x,Q^2)}{x} + y^2 F_1(x,Q^2) \right]$$
(8.14)

SLAC's 2 striking features Bjorken scaling

$$F_1(x, Q^2) \to F_1(x)$$
 $F_2(x, Q^2) \to F_2(x)$ (8.15)

almost independent of Q^2 . point-like constituents within the proton.

Callan-Gross relation

$$F_2(x) = 2xF_1(x) (8.16)$$

8.3 Elec-quark Scattering

[e-p scat. cross sect.] = [pdf(slow)] \times [e-q scat. cross sect.(fast)] pdf: parton distribution function

e-q scat. in CoM frame

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{Q_q^2 e^4}{8\pi^2 s} \frac{1 + \frac{1}{4} (1 + \cos\theta)^2}{1 - \cos\theta)^2}$$
(8.17)

 \mathscr{L} . I. form

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}q^2} = \frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega} \left| \frac{\mathrm{d}\Omega}{\mathrm{d}q^2} \right| = \dots \tag{8.18}$$

8.4 The Quark Model

Infinite Momentum Frame the struck quark

 $E_p >> m_p$

$$p_q = \xi p_2 = (\xi E_2, 0, 0, \xi E_2) \tag{8.19}$$

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$$(\xi p_2 + q)^2 = m_q^2 \quad (\xi p_2)^2 = m_q^2 \tag{8.20}$$

$$\xi = \frac{-q^2}{2p_2q} = x \tag{8.21}$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}q^2} = \frac{2\pi\alpha^2 Q_q^2}{q^4} \left[1 + \left(1 + \frac{q^2}{s_q} \right)^2 \right] \tag{8.22}$$

where $s_q = (p_1 + xp_2)^2 = xs$

$$y_q = \frac{xp_2q}{xp_2p_1} = y \quad x_q = 1 \text{(e-q is elastic)}$$
 (8.23)

$$\frac{q^2}{s_q} = \frac{-(s_q - m_q^2)x_q y_q}{s_q} = -y \tag{8.24}$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dq^2} = \frac{2\pi\alpha^2 Q_q^2}{q^4} \left[1 + (1-y)^2 \right]$$
 (8.25)

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dQ^2} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 Q_q^2}{Q^4} \left[1 - y + \frac{y^2}{2} \right]$$
 (8.26)

8.4.1 PDF

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx}Q^2 = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{Q^4} \left[(1-y) + \frac{y^2}{2} \right] \sum_i Q_i^2 q_i(x)$$
 (8.27)

which predicts Bjorken scaling and CG relation.

8.4.2 Determination of the PDFs

But PDFs cannot be computed in QFT.

$$F_2^{ep} = x \left(\frac{4}{9} u^p(x) + \frac{1}{9} d^p(x) + \frac{4}{9} \bar{u}^p(x) + \frac{1}{9} \bar{d}^p(x) \right)$$
 (8.28)

valence quark: p = uud, n = udd

sea quark: any flavor can be produced via gluon, so anti-quark be taken into the eq above.

$$F_2^{en} = x \left(\frac{4}{9} u^n(x) + \frac{1}{9} d^n(x) + \frac{4}{9} \bar{u}^n(x) + \frac{1}{9} \bar{d}^n(x) \right)$$
 (8.29)

From symm

$$u^n(x) = d^p(x) \tag{8.30}$$

thus, def

$$F_2^{ep} = x \left(\frac{4}{9} u(x) + \frac{1}{9} d(x) + \frac{4}{9} \bar{u}(x) + \frac{1}{9} \bar{d}(x) \right) \tag{8.31}$$

$$F_2^{en} = x \left(\frac{4}{9} d(x) + \frac{1}{9} u(x) + \frac{4}{9} \bar{d}(x) + \frac{1}{9} \bar{u}(x) \right) \tag{8.32}$$

$$\int_0^1 F_2^{ep}(x) dx = \dots \equiv \frac{4}{9} f_u + \frac{1}{9} f_d$$
 (8.33)

$$\int_0^1 F_2^{en}(x) dx \equiv \frac{4}{9} f_d + \frac{1}{9} f_n \tag{8.34}$$

By experiment

$$f_u = 0.36 \quad f_d = 0.18 \tag{8.35}$$

8.4.3 Valence and Sea Quarks

$$x \to 0, \ R \to 1$$

 $x \to 1, \ R \to 1/4$, while $R_{naive} = 2/3$. why?