Conformal to Flat Weyl in DeSitter Background

$$\Omega^2 g_{\mu\nu} = \bar{g}_{\mu\nu}$$
$$\Omega^{-2} g^{\mu\nu} = \bar{g}^{\mu\nu}$$

Gauge condition:

$$\bar{\nabla}_N \bar{K}^{MN} = 4\Omega^{-1} \bar{K}^{MN} \partial_N \Omega.$$

Dropping the bars, this implies

$$\nabla_N K^N{}_M = 4\Omega^{-1} K^N{}_M \partial_N \Omega = 4\Omega^{-3} \eta^{NR} \partial_N \Omega K_{MR}$$

First order Weyl tensor:

$$\delta W_{MN} = \frac{1}{2} [\nabla_A \nabla^A - 4H^2] [\nabla_B \nabla^B - 2H^2] K_{MN} - \frac{1}{2} [\nabla_B \nabla^B - 4H^2] [\nabla_M \nabla_L K^L{}_N + \nabla_N \nabla_L K^L{}_M]$$
$$+ \frac{1}{6} [g_{MN} \nabla_A \nabla^A + 2\nabla_M \nabla_N - 6H^2 g_{MN}] \nabla_K \nabla_L K^{KL}$$

Mannheim (56)

$$\begin{split} \nabla_{B}\nabla^{B}K_{MN} &= \Omega^{-1}\left(-2\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{M} - 2\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{N}\right) \\ &+ \Omega^{-2}\left(\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}K_{MN}\right) \\ &+ \Omega^{-3}\left(-2\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}\Omega K_{MN} - 2\eta^{BR}\partial_{R}\Omega\partial_{B}K_{MN} + 2\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{M}K_{NR} + 2\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{N}K_{MR}\right) \\ &+ \Omega^{-4}\left(2\eta^{ER}\eta^{BT}\eta_{MN}\partial_{E}\Omega\partial_{T}\Omega K_{BR}\right) \end{split}$$

Note the trace of an Ω^{-4} term has been dropped. We see that there are six symmetric terms in $\nabla_B \nabla^B K_{MN}$. Below is (56) with different indicies:

$$\begin{split} \nabla_{A}\nabla^{A}K_{MN} &= \\ \Omega^{-1} \left[-2\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{C}K^{C}{}_{M} - 2\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{C}K^{C}{}_{N} \right] \\ &+ \Omega^{-2} \left[\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}K_{MN} \right] \\ &+ \Omega^{-3} \left[-2\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}\Omega K_{MN} - 2\eta^{CD}\partial_{D}\Omega\partial_{C}K_{MN} \right. \\ &\left. + 2\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{M}K_{ND} + 2\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{N}K_{MD} \right] \\ &+ \Omega^{-4} \left[2\eta^{DQ}\eta^{CX}\eta_{MN}\partial_{Q}\Omega\partial_{X}\Omega K_{CD} \right] \end{split}$$

Term 1:

$$K_{MN} \equiv -2(\Omega^{-1}\partial_N \Omega \nabla_B K^B{}_M + \Omega^{-1}\partial_M \Omega \nabla_B K^B{}_N)$$

$$\begin{split} \nabla_{A}\nabla^{A}[-2\Omega^{-1}(\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{M} + \partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{N})] &= \\ &\Omega^{-1}\left[4\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-1}\partial^{C}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{M} + \Omega^{-1}\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{BC}) + 4\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-1}\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{BC} + \Omega^{-1}\partial^{C}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{N})\right] \\ &+ \Omega^{-2}\left[-2\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}(\Omega^{-1}\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{M} + \Omega^{-1}\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{N})\right] \\ &+ \Omega^{-3}\left[4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}\Omega(\Omega^{-1}\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{M} + \Omega^{-1}\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{N}) + 4\eta^{CD}\partial_{D}\Omega\partial_{C}(\Omega^{-1}\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{M} + \Omega^{-1}\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{N}) \\ &- 4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{M}(\Omega^{-1}\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{D} + \Omega^{-1}\partial_{D}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{N}) - 4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{N}(\Omega^{-1}\partial_{D}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{M} + \Omega^{-1}\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{B}K^{B}{}_{D}) \end{split}$$

$$+ \Omega^{-4} \left[-4 \eta^{DQ} \eta^{CX} \eta_{MN} \partial_Q \Omega \partial_X \Omega (\Omega^{-1} \partial_D \Omega \nabla_B K^B{}_C + \Omega^{-1} \partial_C \Omega \nabla_B K^B{}_D) \right]$$

Term 2:

$$K_{MN} \equiv (\Omega^{-2} \eta^{BR} \partial_B \partial_R K_{MN})$$

$$\nabla_{A}\nabla^{A}(\Omega^{-2}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}K_{MN}) =$$

$$\Omega^{-1} \left[-2\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-2}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}K^{C}{}_{M}) - 2\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-2}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}K^{C}{}_{N}) \right]$$

$$+ \Omega^{-2} \left[\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}(\Omega^{-2}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}K_{MN}) \right]$$

$$+ \Omega^{-3} \left[-2\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}\Omega(\Omega^{-2}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}K_{MN}) - 2\eta^{CD}\partial_{D}\Omega\partial_{C}(\Omega^{-2}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}K_{MN}) \right]$$

$$+ 2\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{M}(\Omega^{-2}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}K_{DN}) + 2\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{N}(\Omega^{-2}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}K_{DM}) \right]$$

$$+ \Omega^{-4} \left[2\eta^{DQ}\eta^{CX}\eta_{MN}\partial_{Q}\Omega\partial_{X}\Omega(\Omega^{-2}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}K_{CD}) \right]$$

Term 3:

$$K_{MN} \equiv -2(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_B\partial_R\Omega K_{MN})$$

$$\begin{split} \nabla_{A}\nabla^{A}[-2(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}\Omega K_{MN})] &= \\ \Omega^{-1}\left[4\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}\Omega K^{C}{}_{M}) + 4\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}\Omega K^{C}{}_{N})\right] \\ &+ \Omega^{-2}\left[-2\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}\Omega K_{MN})\right] \\ &+ \Omega^{-3}\left[4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}\Omega(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}\Omega K_{MN}) + 4\eta^{CD}\partial_{D}\Omega\partial_{C}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}\Omega K_{MN}) \\ &- 4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{M}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}\Omega K_{DN}) - 4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{N}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}\Omega K_{DM})\right] \\ &+ \Omega^{-4}\left[-4\eta^{DQ}\eta^{CX}\eta_{MN}\partial_{Q}\Omega\partial_{X}\Omega(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\partial_{R}\Omega K_{CD})\right] \end{split}$$

Term 4:

$$K_{MN} \equiv -2(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_R\Omega\partial_BK_{MN})$$

$$\nabla_{A}\nabla^{A}[-2(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{R}\Omega\partial_{B}K_{MN})] =$$

$$\Omega^{-1}\left[4\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{R}\Omega\partial_{B}K^{C}{}_{M}) + 4\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{R}\Omega\partial_{B}K^{C}{}_{N})\right]$$

$$+\Omega^{-2}\left[-2\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{R}\Omega\partial_{B}K_{MN})\right]$$

$$+\Omega^{-3}\left[4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}\Omega(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{R}\Omega\partial_{B}K_{MN}) + 4\eta^{CD}\partial_{D}\Omega\partial_{C}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{R}\Omega\partial_{B}K_{MN})\right]$$

$$-4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{M}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{R}\Omega\partial_{B}K_{DN}) - 4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{N}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{R}\Omega\partial_{B}K_{DM})\right]$$

$$+\Omega^{-4}\left[-4\eta^{DQ}\eta^{CX}\eta_{MN}\partial_{Q}\Omega\partial_{X}\Omega(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{R}\Omega\partial_{B}K_{CD})\right]$$

Term 5:

$$K_{MN} \equiv 2(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_B\Omega\partial_M K_{NR} + \Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_B\Omega\partial_N K_{MR})$$

$$\begin{split} \nabla_{A}\nabla^{A}[2(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{M}K_{NR} + \Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{N}K_{MR})] &= \\ \Omega^{-1}\bigg[-4\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{M}K^{C}{}_{R} + \Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial^{C}K_{MR}) \\ -4\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial^{C}K_{NR} + \Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{N}K^{C}{}_{R}) \bigg] \\ +\Omega^{-2}\left[2\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{M}K_{NR} + \Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{N}K_{MR}) \right] \\ +\Omega^{-3}\bigg[-4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}\Omega(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{M}K_{NR} + \Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{N}K_{MR}) \\ -4\eta^{CD}\partial_{D}\Omega\partial_{C}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{M}K_{NR} + \Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{N}K_{MR}) \\ +4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{M}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{D}K_{NR} + \Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{N}K_{DR}) \\ +4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{N}(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{M}K_{DR} + \Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{D}K_{MR}) \bigg] \\ +\Omega^{-4}\bigg[4\eta^{DQ}\eta^{CX}\eta_{MN}\partial_{Q}\Omega\partial_{X}\Omega(\Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{C}K_{DR} + \Omega^{-3}\eta^{BR}\partial_{B}\Omega\partial_{D}K_{CR}) \bigg] \end{split}$$

Term 6:

$$K_{MN} \equiv 2(\Omega^{-4}\eta^{ER}\eta^{BT}\eta_{MN}\partial_E\Omega\partial_T\Omega K_{BR})$$

$$\begin{split} \nabla_{A}\nabla^{A}[2(\Omega^{-4}\eta^{ER}\eta^{BT}\eta_{MN}\partial_{E}\Omega\partial_{T}\Omega K_{BR})] &= \\ \Omega^{-1}\left[-4\partial_{N}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-4}\eta^{ER}\eta^{BT}\delta^{C}{}_{M}\partial_{E}\Omega\partial_{T}\Omega K_{BR}) - 4\partial_{M}\Omega\nabla_{C}(\Omega^{-4}\eta^{ER}\eta^{BT}\delta^{C}{}_{N}\partial_{E}\Omega\partial_{T}\Omega K_{BR})\right] \\ &+ \Omega^{-2}\left[2\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}(\Omega^{-4}\eta^{ER}\eta^{BT}\eta_{MN}\partial_{E}\Omega\partial_{T}\Omega K_{BR})\right] \\ &+ \Omega^{-3}\left[-4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\partial_{D}\Omega(\Omega^{-4}\eta^{ER}\eta^{BT}\eta_{MN}\partial_{E}\Omega\partial_{T}\Omega K_{BR}) - 4\eta^{CD}\partial_{D}\Omega\partial_{C}(\Omega^{-4}\eta^{ER}\eta^{BT}\eta_{MN}\partial_{E}\Omega\partial_{T}\Omega K_{BR}) \\ &+ 4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{M}(\Omega^{-4}\eta^{ER}\eta^{BT}\eta_{DN}\partial_{E}\Omega\partial_{T}\Omega K_{BR}) + 4\eta^{CD}\partial_{C}\Omega\partial_{N}(\Omega^{-4}\eta^{ER}\eta^{BT}\eta_{DM}\partial_{E}\Omega\partial_{T}\Omega K_{BR})\right] \\ &+ \Omega^{-4}\left[4\eta^{DQ}\eta^{CX}\eta_{MN}\partial_{Q}\Omega\partial_{X}\Omega(\Omega^{-4}\eta^{ER}\eta^{BT}\eta_{CD}\partial_{E}\Omega\partial_{T}\Omega K_{BR})\right] \end{split}$$

$$R^{\lambda}{}_{\mu\nu\kappa} = \partial_{\kappa}\Gamma^{\lambda}{}_{\mu\nu} - \partial_{\nu}\Gamma^{\lambda}{}_{\mu\kappa} + \Gamma^{\eta}{}_{\mu\nu}\Gamma^{\lambda}{}_{\kappa\eta} - \Gamma^{\eta}{}_{\mu\kappa}\Gamma^{\lambda}{}_{\nu\eta}.$$

We will need an expression for the Christoffel symbol:

$$\Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\nu} = \Omega^{-1} \left(\delta^{\lambda}_{\nu} \partial_{\mu} \Omega + \delta^{\lambda}_{\mu} \partial_{\nu} \Omega - n_{\mu\nu} n^{\lambda\rho} \partial_{\rho} \Omega \right).$$

Now form the Riemann tensor

$$\begin{split} R_{\lambda\mu\nu\kappa} &= g_{\lambda\rho}(\partial_{\kappa}\Gamma^{\rho}_{\mu\nu} - \partial_{\nu}\Gamma^{\rho}_{\mu\kappa} + \Gamma^{\eta}_{\mu\nu}\Gamma^{\rho}_{\kappa\eta} - \Gamma^{\eta}_{\mu\kappa}\Gamma^{\rho}_{\nu\eta}) \\ &= \Omega\left(\eta_{\lambda\nu}\partial_{\mu}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \eta_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\nu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega - \eta_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\lambda}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega - \eta_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\right) + \eta_{\mu\kappa}\eta_{\lambda\nu}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\partial^{\alpha}\Omega - \eta_{\kappa\lambda}\eta_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\partial^{\alpha}\Omega \\ &+ 2\eta_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega\partial_{\lambda}\Omega - 2\eta_{\lambda\nu}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega - 2\eta_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\nu}\Omega + 2\eta_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\partial_{\nu}\Omega \end{split}$$

Conformal transformation:

$$\Omega^{2} g_{\mu\nu} = \bar{g}_{\mu\nu}$$

$$\Omega^{-2} g^{\mu\nu} = \bar{g}^{\mu\nu}$$

$$h^{\mu}{}_{\nu} = g^{(0)}_{\rho\nu} h^{\mu\rho} = (\Omega^{-2} \bar{g}^{(0)}_{\rho\nu}) (\Omega^{2} \bar{h}^{\mu\rho}) = \bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\nu}$$

The following will be useful within our gauge transformation:

$$\Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\nu} = \bar{\Gamma}^{\lambda}_{\mu\nu} - \Omega^{-1} \left(\delta^{\lambda}_{\nu} \partial_{\mu} \Omega + \delta^{\lambda}_{\mu} \partial_{\nu} \Omega - n_{\mu\nu} n^{\lambda\rho} \partial_{\rho} \Omega \right)$$

$$\begin{split} \nabla_{\mu}h^{\mu}{}_{\nu} - \frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\nu}h^{\mu}{}_{\mu} &= \partial_{\mu}h^{\mu}{}_{\nu} + \Gamma^{\mu}{}_{\mu\rho}h^{\rho}{}_{\nu} - \Gamma^{\rho}{}_{\mu\nu}h^{\mu}{}_{\rho} - \frac{1}{2}\partial_{\nu}h^{\mu}{}_{\mu} \\ &= \partial_{\mu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\nu} + \bar{\Gamma}^{\mu}{}_{\mu\rho}\bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu} - \bar{\Gamma}^{\rho}{}_{\mu\nu}h^{\mu}{}_{\rho} - \frac{1}{2}\partial_{\nu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\mu} - 4\Omega^{-1}\bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega + \Omega^{-1}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\rho}\left(\delta^{\rho}{}_{\nu}\partial_{\mu}\Omega + \delta^{\rho}{}_{\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega - \eta^{\rho\alpha}\eta_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\right) \\ &= \bar{\nabla}_{\mu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\nu} - \frac{1}{2}\bar{\nabla}_{\nu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\mu} - 4\Omega^{-1}\bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega + \Omega^{-1}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\rho}\left(\delta^{\rho}{}_{\nu}\partial_{\mu}\Omega + \delta^{\rho}{}_{\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega - \eta^{\rho\alpha}\eta_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\right) \\ &= \bar{\nabla}_{\mu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\nu} - \frac{1}{2}\bar{\nabla}_{\nu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\mu} - 4\Omega^{-1}\bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega + \Omega^{-1}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega \end{split}$$

In a conformal to flat space, we need to work in the gauge

$$\bar{\nabla}_{\mu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\nu} - \frac{1}{2}\bar{\nabla}_{\nu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\mu} = 4\Omega^{-1}\bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega - \Omega^{-1}h^{\mu}{}_{\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega$$

Perturbation of Ricci Tensor:

$$R_{\mu\nu} = T_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2}g_{\mu\nu}T^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \equiv S_{\mu\nu}$$
$$\delta R_{\mu\nu} = \delta S_{\mu\nu}$$

Weinberg (10.9.3)

$$\begin{split} \delta R_{\mu\nu} &= (\delta \Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\lambda})_{;\nu} - (\delta \Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\nu})_{;\lambda} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left[(h_{\lambda\rho})_{;\mu;\nu} - (h_{\rho\mu})_{;\nu;\lambda} - (h_{\rho\nu})_{;\mu;\lambda} + (h_{\mu\nu})_{;\rho;\lambda} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} - \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla_{\nu} h^{\lambda}{}_{\mu} - \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla_{\mu} h^{\lambda}{}_{\nu} + \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} \right) \\ \delta R_{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} - \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla_{\nu} h^{\lambda}{}_{\mu} - \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla_{\mu} h^{\lambda}{}_{\nu} + \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} \right) \\ \bar{\nabla}_{\mu} \bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\nu} - \frac{1}{2} \bar{\nabla}_{\nu} \bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\mu} = 4 \Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\mu}{}_{\mu} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \end{split}$$

Referring to Mannheim (35), we may use the covariant interchange identity to express the Ricci variation as

$$\delta R_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} h^{\lambda}_{\ \lambda} - \nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\lambda} h^{\lambda}_{\ \mu} - \nabla_{\mu} \nabla_{\lambda} h^{\lambda}_{\ \nu} + \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} \right) + \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(h^{\sigma}_{\ \rho} R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}_{\ \rho} R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\ \mu} R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\ \nu} R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda} \right).$$

Substituting our gauge choice for the middle two covariant derivative terms

$$\begin{split} \delta R_{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} - \nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\lambda} h^{\lambda}{}_{\mu} - \nabla_{\mu} \nabla_{\lambda} h^{\lambda}{}_{\nu} + \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} \right) + \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\mu} R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\nu} R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} - \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} - \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\mu} \nabla_{\nu} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} + \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} \right) + \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\mu} R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\nu} R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda} \right) \\ &- \nabla_{\nu} \left(4\Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\mu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\mu} \Omega \right) - \nabla_{\mu} \left(4\Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\mu} R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\nu} R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda} \right) \\ &- \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\nu} \left(4\Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\mu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\mu} \Omega \right) - \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\mu} \left(4\Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \right) \end{split}$$

From here we would like to evaluate the Riemann tensor for a conformal to flat metric. From Weinberg (6.1.5) we have

$$R_{\lambda\mu\nu\kappa} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\partial_{\kappa} \partial_{\mu} g_{\lambda\nu} - \partial_{\kappa} \partial_{\lambda} g_{\mu\nu} - \partial_{\mu} \partial_{\nu} g_{\lambda\kappa} + \partial_{\nu} \partial_{\lambda} g_{\mu\kappa} \right) + g_{\rho\sigma} \left(\Gamma^{\rho}_{\nu\lambda} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\kappa} - \Gamma^{\rho}_{\kappa\lambda} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} \right).$$

$$\Omega^{2} g_{\mu\nu} = \bar{g}_{\mu\nu}$$

$$\Omega^{-2} g^{\mu\nu} = \bar{g}^{\mu\nu}$$

We will need an expression for the Christoffel symbol:

$$\Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\nu} = \frac{g^{\lambda\rho}}{2} \left(\partial_{\mu} g_{\rho\nu} + \partial_{\nu} g_{\rho\mu} - \partial_{\rho} g_{\mu\nu} \right)$$
$$= n^{\lambda\rho} \Omega^{-1} \left(\eta_{\rho\nu} \partial_{\mu} \Omega + \eta_{\rho\mu} \partial_{\nu} \Omega - \eta_{\mu\nu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega \right)$$
$$= \Omega^{-1} \left(\delta^{\lambda}_{\nu} \partial_{\mu} \Omega + \delta^{\lambda}_{\mu} \partial_{\nu} \Omega - n_{\mu\nu} n^{\lambda\rho} \partial_{\rho} \Omega \right)$$

$$\Gamma^{\rho}_{\nu\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\kappa} - \Gamma^{\rho}_{\kappa\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} = \Omega^{-2} \left(\delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\Omega - n_{\nu\lambda}n^{\rho\sigma}\partial_{\sigma}\Omega \right) \left(\delta^{\sigma}_{\mu}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \delta^{\sigma}_{\kappa}\partial_{\mu}\Omega - n_{\mu\kappa}n^{\sigma\alpha}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega \right) \\ - \Omega^{-2} \left(\delta^{\rho}_{\kappa}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega - n_{\kappa\lambda}n^{\rho\alpha}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega \right) \left(\delta^{\sigma}_{\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega + \delta^{\sigma}_{\nu}\partial_{\mu}\Omega - \eta_{\mu\nu}\eta^{\sigma\beta}\partial_{\beta}\Omega \right)$$

$$\begin{split} \Omega^{2}\Gamma^{\rho}_{\nu\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\kappa} &= \left(\delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\Omega - n_{\nu\lambda}n^{\rho\sigma}\partial_{\sigma}\Omega\right)\left(\delta^{\sigma}_{\mu}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \delta^{\sigma}_{\kappa}\partial_{\mu}\Omega - n_{\mu\kappa}n^{\sigma\alpha}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\right) \\ &= \left(\delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\delta^{\sigma}_{\mu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\delta^{\sigma}_{\kappa}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega - \delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\eta_{\mu\kappa}\eta^{\sigma\alpha}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\right) \\ &+ \left(\delta^{\rho}_{\lambda}\delta^{\sigma}_{\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda}\delta^{\sigma}_{\kappa}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega - \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda}\eta_{\mu\kappa}\eta^{\sigma\alpha}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\right) \\ &- \eta_{\mu\kappa}\eta^{\sigma\alpha}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\left(\delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\Omega - n_{\nu\lambda}n^{\rho\sigma}\partial_{\sigma}\Omega\right) \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \Omega^2 \Gamma^{\rho}_{\kappa\lambda} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} &= \left(\delta^{\rho}_{\kappa} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda} \partial_{\kappa} \Omega - n_{\kappa\lambda} n^{\rho\alpha} \partial_{\alpha} \Omega \right) \left(\delta^{\sigma}_{\mu} \partial_{\nu} \Omega + \delta^{\sigma}_{\nu} \partial_{\mu} \Omega - \eta_{\mu\nu} \eta^{\sigma\beta} \partial_{\beta} \Omega \right) \\ &= \left(\delta^{\rho}_{\kappa} \delta^{\sigma}_{\mu} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\nu} \Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\kappa} \delta^{\sigma}_{\nu} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\mu} \Omega - \delta^{\rho}_{\kappa} \eta_{\mu\nu} \eta^{\sigma\beta} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\beta} \Omega \right) \\ &+ \left(\delta^{\rho}_{\lambda} \delta^{\sigma}_{\mu} \partial_{\kappa} \Omega \partial_{\nu} \Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda} \delta^{\sigma}_{\nu} \partial_{\kappa} \Omega \partial_{\mu} \Omega - \delta^{\rho}_{\kappa} \eta_{\mu\nu} \eta^{\sigma\beta} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\beta} \Omega \right) \\ &- \eta_{\mu\nu} \eta^{\sigma\beta} \partial_{\beta} \Omega \left(\delta^{\rho}_{\kappa} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda} \partial_{\kappa} \Omega - n_{\kappa\lambda} n^{\rho\alpha} \partial_{\alpha} \Omega \right) \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} g_{\rho\sigma}\Gamma^{\rho}_{\nu\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\kappa} &= g_{\rho\sigma}[\left(\delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\delta^{\sigma}_{\mu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\delta^{\sigma}_{\kappa}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega - \delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\eta_{\mu\kappa}\eta^{\sigma\alpha}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\right) \\ &+ \left(\delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\delta^{\sigma}_{\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\delta^{\sigma}_{\kappa}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega - \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda}\eta_{\mu\kappa}\eta^{\sigma\alpha}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\right) \\ &- \eta_{\mu\kappa}\eta^{\sigma\alpha}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\left(\delta^{\rho}_{\nu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\Omega - n_{\nu\lambda}n^{\rho\sigma}\partial_{\sigma}\Omega\right)] \\ &= \eta_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \eta_{\nu\kappa}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega - \eta_{\mu\kappa}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\nu}\Omega \\ &+ \eta_{\lambda\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \eta_{\lambda\kappa}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega - \eta_{\mu\kappa}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\lambda}\Omega \\ &- 2\eta_{\mu\kappa}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\lambda}\Omega + 4\eta_{\mu\kappa}\eta_{\nu\lambda}\partial_{\sigma}\Omega\partial^{\sigma}\Omega \end{split}$$

$$= \eta_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \eta_{\nu\kappa}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega + \eta_{\lambda\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \eta_{\lambda\kappa}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega - 4\eta_{\mu\kappa}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\lambda}\Omega + 4\eta_{\mu\kappa}\eta_{\nu\lambda}\partial_{\sigma}\Omega\partial^{\sigma}\Omega$$

$$\begin{split} g_{\rho\sigma}\Gamma^{\rho}_{\kappa\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} &= g_{\rho\sigma} \big[\big(\delta^{\rho}_{\kappa} \delta^{\sigma}_{\mu} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\nu} \Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\kappa} \delta^{\sigma}_{\nu} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\mu} \Omega - \delta^{\rho}_{\kappa} \eta_{\mu\nu} \eta^{\sigma\beta} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\beta} \Omega \big) \\ &\quad + \big(\delta^{\rho}_{\lambda} \delta^{\sigma}_{\mu} \partial_{\kappa} \Omega \partial_{\nu} \Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda} \delta^{\sigma}_{\nu} \partial_{\kappa} \Omega \partial_{\mu} \Omega - \delta^{\rho}_{\kappa} \eta_{\mu\nu} \eta^{\sigma\beta} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\beta} \Omega \big) \\ &\quad - \eta_{\mu\nu} \eta^{\sigma\beta} \partial_{\beta} \Omega \left(\delta^{\rho}_{\kappa} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega + \delta^{\rho}_{\lambda} \partial_{\kappa} \Omega - n_{\kappa\lambda} n^{\rho\alpha} \partial_{\alpha} \Omega \right) \big] \\ &= \eta_{\mu\kappa} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\nu} \Omega + \eta_{\kappa\nu} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\mu} \Omega - \eta_{\mu\nu} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\kappa} \Omega \\ &\quad + \eta_{\lambda\mu} \partial_{\kappa} \Omega \partial_{\nu} \Omega + \eta_{\lambda\nu} \partial_{\kappa} \Omega \partial_{\mu} \Omega - \eta_{\mu\nu} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\kappa} \Omega \\ &\quad - 2 \eta_{\mu\nu} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\kappa} \Omega + 4 \eta_{\mu\nu} \eta_{\lambda\kappa} \partial_{\sigma} \Omega \partial^{\sigma} \Omega \\ &= \eta_{\mu\kappa} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\nu} \Omega + \eta_{\kappa\nu} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\mu} \Omega + \eta_{\lambda\mu} \partial_{\kappa} \Omega \partial_{\nu} \Omega + \eta_{\lambda\nu} \partial_{\kappa} \Omega \partial_{\mu} \Omega \\ &\quad - 4 \eta_{\mu\nu} \partial_{\lambda} \Omega \partial_{\kappa} \Omega + 4 \eta_{\mu\nu} \eta_{\lambda\kappa} \partial_{\sigma} \Omega \partial^{\sigma} \Omega \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} g_{\rho\sigma}(\Gamma^{\rho}_{\nu\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\kappa} - \Gamma^{\rho}_{\kappa\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu}) &= 5\eta_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\kappa}\Omega - 5\eta_{\mu\kappa}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\lambda}\Omega + \eta_{\lambda\kappa}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega + \eta_{\lambda\nu}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega + 4\eta_{\mu\kappa}\eta_{\nu\lambda}\partial_{\sigma}\Omega\partial^{\sigma}\Omega - 4\eta_{\mu\nu}\eta_{\lambda\kappa}\partial_{\sigma}\Omega\partial^{\sigma}\Omega \\ &\Omega^{2}g_{\mu\nu} &= \bar{g}_{\mu\nu} \\ &\Omega^{-2}g^{\mu\nu} &= \bar{g}^{\mu\nu} \end{split}$$

$$R^{\lambda}{}_{\mu\nu\kappa} = \partial_{\kappa}\Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\nu} - \partial_{\nu}\Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\kappa} + \Gamma^{\eta}_{\mu\nu}\Gamma^{\lambda}_{\kappa\eta} - \Gamma^{\eta}_{\mu\kappa}\Gamma^{\lambda}_{\nu\eta}.$$

We will need an expression for the Christoffel symbol:

$$\Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\nu} = \Omega^{-1} \left(\delta^{\lambda}_{\nu} \partial_{\mu} \Omega + \delta^{\lambda}_{\mu} \partial_{\nu} \Omega - n_{\mu\nu} n^{\lambda\rho} \partial_{\rho} \Omega \right).$$

Now form the Riemann tensor

$$\begin{split} R_{\lambda\mu\nu\kappa} &= g_{\lambda\rho}(\partial_{\kappa}\Gamma^{\rho}_{\mu\nu} - \partial_{\nu}\Gamma^{\rho}_{\mu\kappa} + \Gamma^{\eta}_{\mu\nu}\Gamma^{\rho}_{\kappa\eta} - \Gamma^{\eta}_{\mu\kappa}\Gamma^{\rho}_{\nu\eta}) \\ &= \Omega\left(\eta_{\lambda\nu}\partial_{\mu}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega + \eta_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\nu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega - \eta_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\lambda}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega - \eta_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\right) + \eta_{\mu\kappa}\eta_{\lambda\nu}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\partial^{\alpha}\Omega - \eta_{\kappa\lambda}\eta_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\partial^{\alpha}\Omega \\ &+ 2\eta_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega\partial_{\lambda}\Omega - 2\eta_{\lambda\nu}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega - 2\eta_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\nu}\Omega + 2\eta_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\partial_{\nu}\Omega \end{split}$$

$$\delta R_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\mu} R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\nu} R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda} \right) - \nabla_{\nu} \left(4\Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\mu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\mu} \Omega \right) - \nabla_{\mu} \left(4\Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \right)$$

$$\nabla_{\nu} \left(4\Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\mu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\mu} \Omega \right) = 4\Omega^{-1} \left(\nabla_{\nu} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\mu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega + \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\mu} \nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\mu} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \partial_{\rho} \Omega \right)$$

$$- \Omega^{-1} \left(\partial_{\nu} \bar{h}^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\mu} \Omega + \bar{h}^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \partial_{\mu} \Omega \right)$$

$$= 4\Omega^{-3} \eta^{\rho \kappa} \left(\nabla_{\nu} \bar{h}_{\kappa \mu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega + \bar{h}_{\kappa \mu} \nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} \bar{h}_{\kappa \mu} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \partial_{\rho} \Omega \right)$$

$$- \Omega^{-3} \eta^{\lambda \kappa} \left(\partial_{\nu} \bar{h}_{\kappa \lambda} \partial_{\mu} \Omega + \bar{h}_{\kappa \lambda} \nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} \bar{h}_{\kappa \lambda} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \partial_{\mu} \Omega \right)$$

$$= \Omega^{-3} \left(4\eta^{\rho \kappa} \nabla_{\nu} h_{\kappa \mu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega + 4\eta^{\rho \kappa} h_{\kappa \mu} \nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\rho} \Omega - \eta^{\lambda \kappa} \partial_{\nu} h_{\kappa \lambda} \partial_{\mu} \Omega - \eta^{\lambda \kappa} h_{\kappa \lambda} \nabla_{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} \Omega \right)$$

$$\Omega^{-4} \left(-4\eta^{\rho \kappa} h_{\kappa \mu} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \partial_{\rho} \Omega + \eta^{\lambda \kappa} h_{\kappa \lambda} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \partial_{\mu} \Omega \right)$$

$$\nabla_{\nu}h_{\kappa\mu} = \partial_{\nu}h_{\kappa\mu} + \Omega^{-1}\left(\eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta_{\mu\nu}h_{\kappa\alpha}\partial_{\beta}\Omega + \eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta_{\kappa\nu}h_{\mu\alpha}\partial_{\beta}\Omega - h_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega - h_{\kappa\nu}\partial_{\mu}\Omega - 2h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\right)$$

$$\nabla_{\nu}\nabla_{\rho}\Omega = \partial_{\rho}\partial_{\nu}\Omega + \Omega^{-1}(\eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta_{\nu\rho}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\partial_{\beta}\Omega - 2\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega)$$

$$\nabla_{\nu}\left(4\Omega^{-1}\bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\mu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega - \Omega^{-1}\bar{h}^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\right) =$$

$$\Omega^{-3}\left(4\eta^{\rho\kappa}\partial_{\nu}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega + 4\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\nu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega - \eta^{\lambda\kappa}\partial_{\nu}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\mu}\Omega - \eta^{\lambda\kappa}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\right)$$

$$+ \Omega^{-4}(-4\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega + \eta^{\lambda\kappa}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega + 4\eta^{\rho\kappa}\eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta_{\mu\nu}h_{\kappa\alpha}\partial_{\beta}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega$$

$$+ 4\eta^{\rho\kappa}\eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta_{\kappa\nu}h_{\mu\alpha}\partial_{\beta}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega - 4\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\kappa}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega - 4\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\kappa\nu}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega$$

$$- 8\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega + 4\eta^{\rho\kappa}\eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta_{\nu\rho}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\partial_{\beta}\Omega - 8\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega$$

$$- \eta^{\lambda\kappa}\eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta_{\mu\nu}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\partial_{\beta}\Omega + 2\eta^{\lambda\kappa}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega\right)$$

$$= \Omega^{-3}\left(4\eta^{\rho\kappa}\partial_{\nu}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega + 4\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\nu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega - \eta^{\lambda\kappa}\partial_{\nu}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\mu}\Omega - \eta^{\lambda\kappa}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\right)$$

$$+ \Omega^{-4}(3\eta^{\lambda\kappa}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega + 4\eta^{\rho\kappa}\eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta_{\mu\nu}h_{\kappa\alpha}\partial_{\beta}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega - 4\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\kappa\nu}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega$$

$$- 16\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega - \eta^{\lambda\kappa}\eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta_{\mu\nu}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\partial_{\beta}\Omega\right)$$

$$\delta R_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\mu} R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\nu} R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda} \right)$$
$$- \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\nu} \left(4\Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\mu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\mu} \Omega \right) - \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\mu} \left(4\Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \right)$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\mu}R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\nu}R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda}) = \\ &\Omega^{-3}\bigg(\eta^{\alpha\beta}h_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\beta}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega + 2\eta^{\alpha\beta}h_{\nu\alpha}\partial_{\beta}\partial_{\mu}\Omega + 2\eta^{\alpha\beta}h_{\mu\alpha}\partial_{\beta}\partial_{\nu}\Omega \\ & - \eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta^{\eta\gamma}\eta_{\mu\nu}h_{\alpha\gamma}\partial_{\eta}\partial_{\beta}\Omega - \eta^{\alpha\beta}h_{\alpha\beta}\partial_{\nu}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\bigg) \\ &+ \Omega^{-4}\bigg(-\eta^{\alpha\eta}\eta^{\gamma\beta}\eta_{\mu\nu}h_{\beta\gamma}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\partial_{\eta}\Omega + 2\eta^{\alpha\kappa}h_{\mu\nu}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\partial_{\kappa}\Omega \\ & - 4\eta^{\alpha\rho}h_{\nu\alpha}\partial_{\rho}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega - 4\eta^{\alpha\eta}h_{\mu\alpha}\partial_{\eta}\Omega\partial_{\nu}\Omega + 2\eta^{\alpha\beta}h_{\alpha\beta}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\partial_{\nu}\Omega \\ &+ 2\eta^{\alpha\lambda}\eta^{\beta\rho}\eta_{\mu\nu}h_{\alpha\beta}\partial_{\lambda}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega\bigg) \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} -\frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\nu}\left(4\Omega^{-1}\bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\mu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega-\Omega^{-1}h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\right) - \frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\mu}\left(4\Omega^{-1}\bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega-\Omega^{-1}h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\right) = \\ \Omega^{-3}\left(2\eta^{\rho\kappa}\partial_{\nu}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega+2\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\nu}\partial_{\rho}\Omega-\frac{1}{2}\eta^{\lambda\kappa}\partial_{\nu}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\mu}\Omega-\frac{1}{2}\eta^{\lambda\kappa}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\right) \\ + \Omega^{-4}\left(\frac{3}{2}\eta^{\lambda\kappa}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\mu}\Omega+2\eta^{\rho\kappa}\eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta_{\mu\nu}h_{\kappa\alpha}\partial_{\beta}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega-2\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\kappa\nu}\partial_{\mu}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega\right) \\ - 8\eta^{\rho\kappa}h_{\kappa\mu}\partial_{\nu}\Omega\partial_{\rho}\Omega-\frac{1}{2}\eta^{\lambda\kappa}\eta^{\alpha\beta}\eta_{\mu\nu}h_{\kappa\lambda}\partial_{\alpha}\Omega\partial_{\beta}\Omega\right) \\ + (\mu\leftrightarrow\nu) \end{split}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\Box\left(\Omega^{-2}\bar{h}_{\mu\nu}\right) = \frac{1}{2}\Omega^{-2}\Box\bar{h}_{\mu\nu} - \Omega^{-3}\bar{h}_{\mu\nu}\Box\Omega$$

$$\delta R_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\mu} R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\nu} R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda} \right)$$
$$- \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\nu} \left(4\Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\mu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\mu} \Omega \right) - \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\mu} \left(4\Omega^{-1} \bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu} \partial_{\rho} \Omega - \Omega^{-1} h^{\lambda}{}_{\lambda} \partial_{\nu} \Omega \right)$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\lambda}\nabla^{\lambda}h_{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}\{\\ &[\partial_{\lambda}\partial_{\rho} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho}\partial_{\sigma}]h_{\mu\nu} + [\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu}\Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\nu} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu}\Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\mu}]h_{\kappa\sigma} + [\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu}\Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\sigma} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho}\Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\nu} - \partial_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\nu} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\nu}\partial_{\lambda} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\lambda\nu}\partial_{\rho}]h_{\kappa\mu}\\ &+ [\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu}\Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\sigma} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho}\Gamma^{\kappa}_{\sigma\mu} - \partial_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\mu} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\mu}\partial_{\lambda} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\lambda\mu}\partial_{\rho}]h_{\kappa\nu}\} \\ &\frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda}) = \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h_{\sigma\rho}R^{\sigma}_{\nu\mu\lambda})\\ &= \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}[\partial_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} - \partial_{\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} + \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\alpha}]h_{\sigma\rho}\\ \\ &\frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda}) = \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}[2\partial_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} - \partial_{\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} - \partial_{\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu} + 2\Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\nu\alpha}]h_{\sigma\rho}\\ \\ &\frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(-h^{\sigma}_{\mu}R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda}) = \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}[\partial_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} - \partial_{\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} - \partial_{\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu} + 2\Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\nu\alpha}]h_{\sigma\rho}\\ \\ &= \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}[\partial_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\rho} - \partial_{\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} + \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\nu\rho}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\nu\alpha}]h_{\sigma\rho}\\ \\ &= \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda}) = \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}[\partial_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\rho} - \partial_{\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} + \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\nu\rho}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\rho}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\alpha}]h_{\sigma\rho}\\ \\ &= \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\mu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\mu}R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\nu}R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda}) = \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h_{\sigma\mu}R^{\sigma}_{\nu\nu\lambda})\\ \\ &= \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\rho\mu\lambda}) = \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}[\partial_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\rho} - \partial_{\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} + \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu\rho}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\rho}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\alpha}]h_{\sigma\rho}\\ \\ &= \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\mu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\mu}R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\nu}R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda}) = \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h_{\sigma\mu}R^{\sigma}_{\nu\mu}) + h^{\sigma}_{\mu}R^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu}]h_{\sigma\rho}\\ \\ &= \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\rho\mu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\mu}R_{\rho\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\mu}R^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu}) + \mu^{\sigma}_{\mu}R^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu}R^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu}]h_{\sigma\rho}\\ \\ &= \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\rho\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\mu}R^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} - h^{\sigma}_{\mu}R^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu}) + \mu^{\sigma}_{\mu}R^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu}R^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu}\\ \\ &= \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}(h^{\sigma}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu} - h^{\sigma}_{\mu}R^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu}) + \mu^{\sigma}_{\mu}R$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\Box\left(\Omega^{-2}\bar{h}_{\mu\nu}\right) = \frac{1}{2}\Omega^{-2}\Box\bar{h}_{\mu\nu} - \Omega^{-3}\bar{h}_{\mu\nu}\Box\Omega$$

 $+ (\mu \leftrightarrow \nu)$

Gauge:

$$\begin{split} \bar{\nabla}_{\mu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\nu} &= \frac{1}{2}\bar{\nabla}_{\nu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\mu} + \bar{\Gamma}^{\mu}{}_{\mu\rho}\bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu} - \bar{\Gamma}^{\rho}{}_{\mu\nu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\rho} \\ \delta R_{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\lambda}\nabla^{\lambda}h_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}\left(h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\mu}R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\nu}R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda}\right) \\ &+ \frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\mu}(\Gamma^{\sigma}{}_{\rho\nu}h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} - \Gamma^{\sigma}{}_{\sigma\rho}h^{\rho}{}_{\nu}) + \frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\nu}(\Gamma^{\sigma}{}_{\rho\mu}h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} - \Gamma^{\sigma}{}_{\sigma\rho}h^{\rho}{}_{\mu}) \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \{ \\ & [\partial_{\lambda} \partial_{\rho} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} \partial_{\sigma}] h_{\mu\nu} + [\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\nu} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\mu}] h_{\kappa\sigma} + [\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\sigma} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\sigma\nu} - \partial_{\lambda} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\nu} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\nu} \partial_{\lambda} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\lambda\nu} \partial_{\rho}] h_{\kappa\mu} \\ & + [\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\sigma} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\sigma\mu} - \partial_{\lambda} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\mu} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\mu} \partial_{\lambda} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\lambda\mu} \partial_{\rho}] h_{\kappa\nu} \} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho} \big(h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho}R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\mu}R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\nu}R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda}\big) &= \frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho} \big\{ \\ & \big[2\partial_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} - \partial_{\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} - \partial_{\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu} + 2\Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\nu\alpha} \big] h_{\sigma\rho} \\ &+ \big[\partial_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\nu\rho} - \partial_{\nu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} + \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\nu\rho}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\rho}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\nu\alpha} \big] h_{\sigma\mu} \\ &+ \big[\partial_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\rho} - \partial_{\mu}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} + \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu\rho}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\rho}\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\alpha} \big] h_{\sigma\nu} \big\} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \big(h^{\sigma}_{\ \rho} R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}_{\ \rho} R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\ \mu} R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\ \nu} R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda} \big) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \big\{ [\partial_{\lambda} \partial_{\rho} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} \partial_{\sigma}] h_{\mu\nu} + [\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\nu} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\mu}] h_{\kappa\sigma} \\ &\quad + [2\partial_{\lambda} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} - \partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} - \partial_{\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu} + 2\Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\nu\alpha}] h_{\sigma\rho} \\ &\quad + [-\partial_{\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} + 2\Gamma^{\alpha}_{\nu\rho} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} \partial_{\lambda} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} \partial_{\rho}] h_{\sigma\mu} \\ &\quad + [-\partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} + 2\Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu\rho} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\mu} \partial_{\lambda} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu} \partial_{\rho}] h_{\sigma\nu} \big\} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\mu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} h^{\rho}{}_{\nu}) &= \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \nabla_{\mu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h_{\lambda\sigma} - \Gamma^{\rho}_{\rho\sigma} h_{\lambda\nu}) \\ \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \nabla_{\mu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h_{\lambda\sigma}) &= \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} (h_{\lambda\sigma} \nabla_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} \nabla_{\mu} h_{\lambda\sigma}) \\ \nabla_{\mu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma}) &\equiv \nabla_{\mu} T_{\nu} = \partial_{\mu} T_{\nu} - \Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\nu} T_{\lambda} \end{split}$$

 $= \partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h^{\rho}_{\sigma} - \Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\lambda} h^{\rho}_{\sigma}$

Gauge:

$$\bar{\nabla}_{\mu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\nu} = \frac{1}{2}\bar{\nabla}_{\nu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\mu} + \bar{\Gamma}^{\mu}{}_{\mu\rho}\bar{h}^{\rho}{}_{\nu} - \bar{\Gamma}^{\rho}{}_{\mu\nu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\rho}$$

We can also write this as:

$$\bar{\nabla}_{\mu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\nu}=\frac{1}{2}\bar{\nabla}_{\nu}\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\mu}+(\bar{\nabla}_{\mu}-\partial_{\mu})\bar{h}^{\mu}{}_{\nu}$$

$$\begin{split} \delta R_{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\mu} R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\nu} R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda} \right) \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\mu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}{}_{\rho\nu} h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} - \Gamma^{\sigma}{}_{\sigma\rho} h^{\rho}{}_{\nu}) + \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\nu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}{}_{\rho\mu} h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} - \Gamma^{\sigma}{}_{\sigma\rho} h^{\rho}{}_{\mu}) \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \big(h^{\sigma}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\mu} R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}_{\nu} R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda} \big) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \big\{ [\partial_{\lambda} \partial_{\rho} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} \partial_{\sigma}] h_{\mu\nu} + [\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\nu} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\rho\mu}] h_{\kappa\sigma} \\ &\qquad + [2\partial_{\lambda} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} - \partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} - \partial_{\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu} + 2\Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\alpha} - \Gamma^{\alpha}_{\lambda\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\nu\alpha}] h_{\sigma\rho} \\ &\qquad + [-\partial_{\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} + 2\Gamma^{\alpha}_{\nu\rho} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} \partial_{\lambda} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} \partial_{\rho}] h_{\sigma\mu} \\ &\qquad + [-\partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\rho} + 2\Gamma^{\alpha}_{\mu\rho} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\alpha} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\mu} \partial_{\lambda} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\mu} \partial_{\rho}] h_{\sigma\nu} \big\} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\mu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} h^{\rho}{}_{\nu}) &= \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left[(\partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} \partial_{\mu} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\kappa} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\kappa\lambda}) h_{\sigma\rho} - (\partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\lambda} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\lambda} \partial_{\mu}) h_{\rho\nu} \right] \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \partial_{\mu} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} h_{\rho\sigma} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\lambda} h_{\rho\nu} \right) \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \nabla_{\mu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma}) & \equiv \nabla_{\mu} T_{\nu} = \partial_{\mu} T_{\nu} - \Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\nu} T_{\lambda} \\ & = \partial_{\mu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma}) - \Gamma^{\lambda}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\lambda} h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} \end{split}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\mu}(\nabla_{\rho}-\partial_{\rho})h^{\rho}_{\ \nu}=\frac{1}{2}g^{\lambda\rho}[\nabla_{\mu}\nabla_{\rho}h_{\lambda\nu}-\nabla_{\mu}(\partial_{\rho}g^{\lambda\rho}h_{\lambda\nu})]$$

$$\delta R_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\nu\mu\lambda} + h^{\sigma}{}_{\rho} R_{\sigma\mu\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\mu} R_{\rho\sigma\nu\lambda} - h^{\sigma}{}_{\nu} R_{\rho\sigma\mu\lambda} \right)$$
$$- \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\mu} (\nabla_{\lambda} - \partial_{\lambda}) h^{\lambda}{}_{\nu} - \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\nu} (\nabla_{\lambda} - \partial_{\lambda}) h^{\lambda}{}_{\mu}$$

$$\delta R_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} (\nabla_{\lambda} \nabla^{\lambda} h_{\mu\nu} - \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla_{\mu} h^{\lambda}_{\nu} - \nabla_{\lambda} \nabla_{\nu} h^{\lambda}_{\mu}) - \nabla_{\mu} \partial_{\lambda} h^{\lambda}_{\nu} - \nabla_{\nu} \partial_{\lambda} h^{\lambda}_{\mu}$$

$$\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h^{\rho}_{\sigma} = \Omega^{-1} h^{\sigma}_{\sigma} \nabla_{\nu} \Omega$$

$$\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} h^{\rho}_{\nu} = 4\Omega^{-1} h^{\rho}_{\nu} \nabla_{\rho} \Omega$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\mu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} h^{\rho}{}_{\nu}) &= \frac{1}{2} \left[\partial_{\mu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma}) - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\kappa} h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} - \partial_{\mu} (\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} h^{\rho}{}_{\nu}) + \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} h^{\rho}{}_{\kappa} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[(\partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} \partial_{\mu} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\kappa}) h^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} - (\partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} \partial_{\mu}) h^{\rho}{}_{\nu} + \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} h^{\rho}{}_{\kappa} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left[(\partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} \partial_{\mu} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\kappa}) h_{\lambda\sigma} - (\partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} \partial_{\mu}) h_{\lambda\nu} + \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} h_{\lambda\kappa} \right] \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \partial_{\mu} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\rho\nu} h_{\lambda\sigma} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\rho} h_{\lambda\nu} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \left[(\partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} \partial_{\mu} - \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\kappa} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^{\kappa}_{\kappa\lambda}) h_{\sigma\rho} - (\partial_{\mu} \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\lambda} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\lambda} \partial_{\mu}) h_{\rho\nu} \right] \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \partial_{\mu} g^{\lambda\rho} \left(\Gamma^{\sigma}_{\lambda\nu} h_{\rho\sigma} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{\sigma\lambda} h_{\rho\nu} \right) \end{split}$$