

P1.

$$(a) \text{ Given : } \mathcal{L} = (\partial_m \phi^*) (\partial^m \phi) - m^2 \phi^* \phi = (\partial^m \phi^*) (\partial_m \phi) - m^2 \phi^* \phi$$

We will use E-L equations :

$$(i) \quad \partial_m \left( \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_m \phi)} \right) - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} = 0 \quad (ii) \quad \partial_m \left( \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_m \phi^*)} \right) - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi^*} = 0$$

$$\partial_m (\partial^m \phi^*) + m^2 \phi^* = 0 \quad \partial_m (\partial^m \phi) + m^2 \phi = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\partial_m \partial^m + m^2) \phi^* = 0 \quad \Rightarrow (\partial_m \partial^m + m^2) \phi = 0$$

∴ We can see that we have two copies of KG eqn.

(b) (1) Check what happens under global U(1) Symmetry

$$\mathcal{L} = (\partial_m \phi^*) (\partial^m \phi) - m^2 \phi^* \phi$$

$$\downarrow \boxed{\phi \rightarrow e^{iqx} \phi \quad \& \quad \phi^* \rightarrow e^{-iqx} \phi^*}$$



$$= (\partial_m (e^{-iqx} \phi^*)) (\partial^m (e^{iqx} \phi)) - m^2 (e^{-iqx} \phi^*) (e^{iqx} \phi)$$

$$= [(\partial_m e^{-iqx}) \phi^* + e^{-iqx} (\partial_m \phi^*)] [(\partial^m e^{iqx}) \phi + e^{iqx} (\partial^m \phi)] - m^2 \phi^* \phi$$

Both = 0 as  $q^x$  is a constant.

$$= (\partial_m \phi^*) (\partial^m \phi) - m^2 \phi^* \phi$$

which means  $\mathcal{L}$  is conserved under U(1) global symmetry.

(2) Check what happens under local U(1) Symmetry

$$\mathcal{L} = (\partial_m \phi^*) (\partial^m \phi) - m^2 \phi^* \phi$$

$$\downarrow \boxed{\phi \rightarrow e^{iqx} \phi \quad \& \quad \phi^* \rightarrow e^{-iqx} \phi^*}$$



$$= \partial_m (e^{-iqx} \phi^*) \partial^m (e^{iqx} \phi) - m^2 e^{-iqx} \phi^* e^{iqx} \phi$$

$\underbrace{\quad}_{\text{As } x \text{ is a constant.}}$

$$= (\partial_\mu \phi^*) (\partial^\mu \phi) - m^2 \phi^* \phi$$

$$\mathcal{L} = (\partial^\mu \phi^*) (\partial_\mu \phi) - m^2 \phi^* \phi$$

$$\downarrow \quad \boxed{\phi \rightarrow e^{i q X(x)} \phi \quad \& \quad \phi^* \rightarrow e^{-i q X(x)} \phi^*}$$

$$= \underbrace{\partial^\mu (e^{-i q X(x)} \phi^*)}_{\textcircled{I}} \underbrace{\partial_\mu (e^{i q X(x)} \phi)}_{\textcircled{II}} - m^2 e^{-i q X(x)} \phi^* e^{i q X(x)} \phi$$

mass term unchanged.

Let us figure out how does term  $\textcircled{I}$  &  $\textcircled{II}$  transform

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{I} \quad \partial_\mu (e^{i q X(x)} \phi) &= \partial_\mu (e^{i q X(x)}) \phi + e^{i q X(x)} (\partial_\mu \phi) \\ &= i q (\partial_\mu X(x)) e^{i q X(x)} \phi + e^{i q X(x)} (\partial_\mu \phi) \\ &= e^{i q X(x)} [\partial_\mu + i q \partial_\mu X] \phi \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \textcircled{II} \quad \partial^\mu \phi^* \rightarrow e^{-i q X(x)} [\partial^\mu - i q \partial^\mu X] \phi^*$$

$\textcircled{I} + \textcircled{II}$  transformation gives us the following first term in the transformation:

$$\begin{aligned} (\partial^\mu \phi^*) (\partial_\mu \phi) &\rightarrow (\partial^\mu \phi^*) (\partial_\mu \phi) - i q (\partial^\mu X(x)) (\partial_\mu \phi) + i q (\partial^\mu \phi^*) (\partial_\mu X(x)) \phi \\ &\quad + (\partial^\mu \phi) (\partial_\mu \phi^*) \phi^* \phi \end{aligned}$$

which is not what we started with.

(3) Looking carefully at  $\textcircled{I}$  &  $\textcircled{II}$  transformations, we can guess that if

$$D_\mu = \partial_\mu + i q A_\mu(x) \quad \& \quad D^\mu = \partial^\mu - i q A^\mu(x)$$

but this will create additional terms due to  $A^\mu(x)$ . Just like we have a transf<sup>n</sup> for  $\phi, \phi^*$ , we need a transformation of the following form

$$A_\mu(x) \rightarrow A_\mu(x) - (\partial_\mu X(x))$$

to make sure that the new terms arising from  $A^\mu/A_m$  are cancelled out.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (D_\mu \phi) &= (\partial_\mu + iq A_\mu(x)) \phi \xrightarrow{\text{U(1)}} (\partial_\mu + iq (A_\mu(x) - \partial_\mu(\chi(x)))) e^{iq\chi(x)} \phi \\
 &= \partial_\mu (e^{iq\chi(x)} \phi) + iq A_\mu(x) e^{iq\chi(x)} \phi - iq \partial_\mu(\chi(x)) e^{iq\chi(x)} \phi \\
 &= \cancel{iq e^{iq\chi(x)} (\partial_\mu \chi(x)) \phi} + e^{iq\chi(x)} \partial_\mu \phi + iq A_\mu(x) e^{iq\chi(x)} \phi \\
 &\quad - \cancel{iq (\partial_\mu \chi(x)) e^{iq\chi(x)} \phi} \\
 &= e^{iq\chi(x)} (\partial_\mu + iq A_\mu(x)) \phi \\
 &= e^{iq\chi(x)} (D_\mu \phi)
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly  $\rightarrow (D^\mu \phi^*) \rightarrow e^{-iq\chi(x)} (D^\mu \phi^*)$

Together  $\rightarrow (D_\mu \phi) (D^\mu \phi^*) \xrightarrow{\text{U(1)}} \underbrace{e^{iq\chi(x)} (D_\mu \phi) e^{-iq\chi(x)} (D^\mu \phi^*)}$   
As long as  $[\chi, \phi] = 0$ .

This gives us our new Lagrangian.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{L} &= (D^\mu \phi^*) (D_\mu \phi) - m^2 \phi^* \phi \\
 &= (\partial^\mu \phi^* - iq A^\mu \phi^*) (\partial_\mu \phi + iq A_\mu \phi) - m^2 \phi^* \phi \\
 &= (\partial^\mu \phi^*) (\partial_\mu \phi) - m^2 \phi^* \phi \\
 &\quad + \underbrace{(-iq A^\mu \phi^* (\partial_\mu \phi) + iq (\partial^\mu \phi^*) A_\mu \phi + q^2 \phi^* \phi A^\mu A_\mu)}
 \end{aligned}$$

This term shows the coupling strength between  $A_\mu$  &  $\phi, \phi^*$  fields

$$\begin{aligned}
 S &= \partial_\mu \left( \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi)} \right) - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} \\
 &= \partial_\mu (\partial^\mu \phi^* - iq A^\mu \phi^*) - (-m^2 \phi^* + q^2 \phi^* A^\mu A_\mu)
 \end{aligned}$$

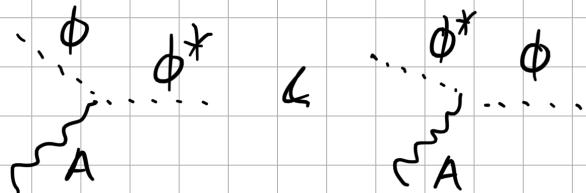
$$\begin{aligned}
 &= (\partial^m \partial_m + m^2) \phi^* - \partial_m (iq A^m \phi^*) - q^2 \phi^* A^m A_m \\
 &= \underbrace{[\partial^m \partial_m \phi^* + m^2 \phi^*]}_{\text{Together}} - iq (\partial_m A^m) \phi^* - iq A^m (\partial_m \phi^*) - q^2 \phi^* A^m A_m \\
 &= [(D_m + iq A_m)(\partial^m - iq A^m) + m^2] \phi^* \\
 &\Rightarrow [D_m D^m + m^2] \phi^* = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly the other E-L eqn gives us :

$$[D_m D^m + m^2] \phi = 0$$

- If  $\phi$  is a particle with charge  $q$  propagating in an EM field specified by  $A^m$ ,  $\phi^*$  corresponds to its antiparticle.
- The new EoM for  $\phi$  &  $\phi^*$  now comprise of source terms!

Specifically source terms like this :



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$$(D_m D^m + m^2) \phi^* = 0$$

$$[(\partial_m + iq A_m)(\partial^m - iq A^m) + m^2] \phi^* = 0$$

$$[\partial_m \partial^m - \partial_m (iq A^m) + iq A_m \partial^m + q^2 A_m A^m + m^2] \phi^* = 0$$

$$[\partial_m \partial^m + m^2] \phi - iq (\partial_m A^m) \phi^* + iq A_m (\partial^m \phi^*) + q^2 A_m A^m \phi^* = 0$$