

Renormalization Theory, IV

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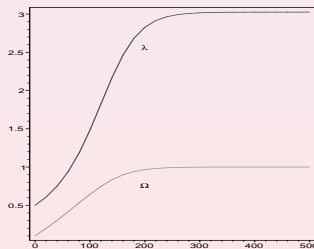
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Asymptotic safeness is truly a new unexpected phenomenon in NCQFT!

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Let Σ denote the amputated 1PI two point function (sum of two point connected graphs which cannot be cut in two by removing a single line, with external propagators omitted). The propagator at $\Omega = 1$ is:

$$C_{mn} = \frac{1}{m + n + A}; \quad G_{2,mn} = \frac{C_{mn}}{1 - C_{mn} \Sigma(m, n)}$$

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- The proof: inspired by the work of G. Benfatto and V. Mastropietro on the Thirring model.

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Let $U = e^{iM}$. One performs the "left" change of variables:

$$\phi \rightarrow \phi^U = \phi U \quad \bar{\phi} \rightarrow \bar{\phi}^U = U^\dagger \bar{\phi}$$

which leads to

$$\partial_\eta \partial_{\bar{\eta}} \frac{\delta \ln Z}{\delta M_{ba}} = 0$$

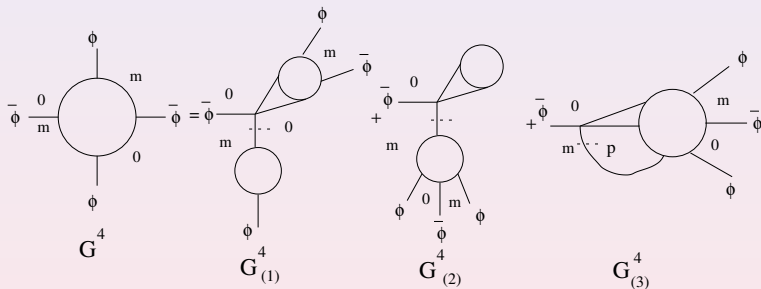
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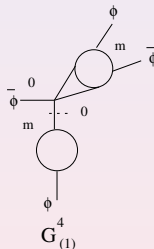
The diagrammatic equation shows three circular diagrams with external legs and vertices. The first diagram on the left has a triangle on its left side labeled $(a-b)$. It has an incoming leg at the top labeled $\phi_{\mu a}$ with index a and μ , and an outgoing leg at the bottom labeled ϕ_{bv} with index b and V . The second diagram in the middle has an incoming leg at the top labeled $\phi_{\mu b}$ with index b and μ , and an outgoing leg at the bottom labeled ϕ_{bv} with index b and V . The third diagram on the right has an incoming leg at the top labeled $\phi_{\mu a}$ with index a and μ , and an outgoing leg at the bottom labeled ϕ_{av} with index a and V . The equation is represented as: (Diagram 1) = (Diagram 2) - (Diagram 3).

Dyson's equations



- This is a classification of graphs (no combinatoric to check)!
- The second term has one "left tadpole insertion". It vanishes after mass renormalization.

The first term



$$G_{(1)}^4(0, m, 0, m) = \lambda C_{0m} G_2(0, m) G_{2,ins}(0, 0; m)$$

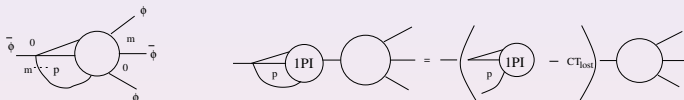
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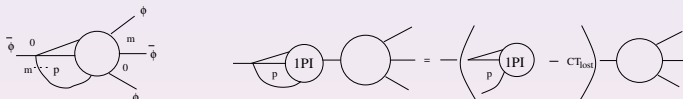
$$\begin{aligned}
 G_{2,ins}(0, 0; m) &= \lim_{\zeta \rightarrow 0} G_{2,ins}(\zeta, 0; m) = \lim_{\zeta \rightarrow 0} \frac{G_2(0, m) - G_2(\zeta, m)}{\zeta} \\
 &= -\partial_L G_2(0, m) \rightarrow \\
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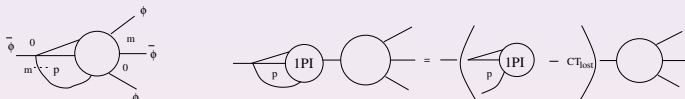
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$$G_{(3)}^4(0, m, 0, m) = -C_{0m} G^4(0, m, 0, m) \frac{1}{G_2(0, 0)} \frac{\partial \Sigma(0, 0)}{1 - \partial \Sigma(0, 0)}$$

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One puts $G_{(3)}^4$ on the left side of Dyson's equation:

$$\begin{aligned} & G^4(0, m, 0, m) \left(1 + C_{0m} \frac{1}{G_2(0, 0)} \frac{\partial \Sigma(0, 0)}{1 - \partial \Sigma(0, 0)} \right) \\ &= \lambda [G_2(0, m)]^4 \frac{C_{0m}}{G_2(0, m)} [1 - \partial_L \Sigma(0, m)] \end{aligned}$$

and using $C_{0m} = 1/(m + A_{ren})$; $G_2(0, m) = 1/[m(1 - \partial \Sigma) + A_{ren}]$ one gets:

$$\frac{G^4}{1 - \partial \Sigma} \left(1 - \partial \Sigma + \frac{A_{ren}}{m + A_{ren}} \partial \Sigma \right) = \lambda [G_2]^4 (1 - \partial \Sigma) \left(1 - \frac{m}{m + A_{ren}} \partial \Sigma \right)$$

hence, since red terms are equal, amputating gives $\Gamma_4 = \lambda(1 - \partial \Sigma)^2$ hence $\beta = 0!$

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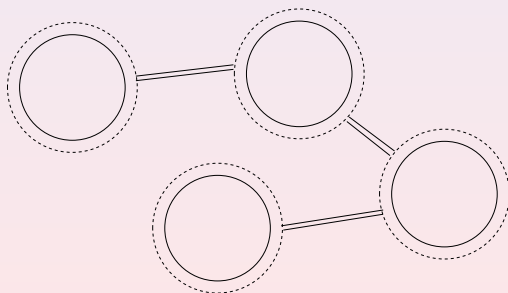
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Remark that **space-time has disappeared** and the dimension D is now a parameter.

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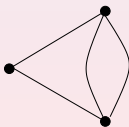
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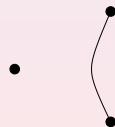
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where $HU_{G,\bar{v}}(t)$ is polynomial in the t variables and $HV_{G,\bar{v}}(t, x_e, p_{\bar{v}})$ is a quadratic form in the external variables $(x_e, p_{\bar{v}})$ whose coefficients are polynomials in the t variables.

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The incidence matrix of a ribbon graph contains roughly speaking twice as many variables as for an ordinary graph.

$$HU_{G,\bar{v}}(t) = \sum_{I,J} \Omega^{k_{IJ}-2g} (Pf_{IJ})^2 \prod_{\ell \in I} t_{\ell} \prod_{\ell' \in J} t_{\ell'}$$

$$k_{IJ} = |I| + |J| - L - F + 1$$

where Pf_{IJ} is the Pfaffian of a certain antisymmetric matrix with integer entries where lines and columns corresponding to two sets I and J have been deleted.

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$$HU_{G,\bar{v}}(t) = \sum_{J \text{ bitree}} (2/\Omega)^{2g(G_J)} \prod_{\ell \in J} t_\ell + \text{subleading terms}$$

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- Genus reduction, or deletion of a pair of "crossing lines" ($V \rightarrow V$, $L \rightarrow L - 2$, $F \rightarrow F - 1$, $g \rightarrow g - 1$). This third non trivial move requires a **reshuffling of the other lines**.

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- if G has l 1PI lines (bridges) and m tadpoles (loops) and no other edges, then $\mathcal{T}(G; x, y) = x^l y^m$
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- if G has l 1PI lines (bridges) and m tadpoles (loops) and no other edges, then $\mathcal{T}(G; x, y) = x^l y^m$
- If ℓ is a line which is neither a 1PI line nor a tadpole, then $\mathcal{T}(G; x, y) = \mathcal{T}_{G-e}(x, y) + \mathcal{T}_{G/e}(x, y)$.

The Kirchoff-Symanzik polynomial is a multivariable version of Tutte polynomial. A tree has only 1PI lines, hence $\mathcal{T}_T(x, 0) = x^L = x^{v-1}$, and for a general connected G (without tadpoles) $\mathcal{T}(x, 0) = \sum_{T \in G} x^{v-1}$, where v is the number of vertices.

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