

Decomposition to connected parts

Here we explain

$$(i) \quad Z_{\text{pert}}/Z_{\text{free}} \stackrel{!}{=} \exp(\text{sum of connected vacuum diagrams})$$

$$(ii) \quad \langle \Phi_1 \dots \Phi_s \rangle_{\text{pert}}$$

$$\stackrel{!!}{=} \sum_{\{1, \dots, s\}} \pm \langle \prod_{i \in I_1} \Phi_{i_1} \rangle_{\text{conn}} \dots \langle \prod_{i \in I_\ell} \Phi_{i_s} \rangle_{\text{conn}}$$

$$= I_1 \cup \dots \cup I_\ell$$

permutation of fermionic Φ_i 's

Sum over decompositions of

$\{1, \dots, s\}$ to non-empty

subsets $I_1, \dots, I_\ell \subset \{1, \dots, s\}$

* In particular, no term has a vacuum diagram factor.

(ii) follows from (i) Define

$$Z_{\text{pert}}(J) := \left[\int \mathcal{D}\bar{\Phi} e^{-S_{\text{free}}(\bar{\Phi}) - S_{\text{int}}(\bar{\Phi}) + J \cdot \bar{\Phi}} \right]_{\text{pert}}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \int \mathcal{D}\bar{\Phi} e^{-S_{\text{free}}(\bar{\Phi})} \left(-S_{\text{int}}(\bar{\Phi}) + \underbrace{J \cdot \bar{\Phi}} \right)^n$$

a part of interaction

Then,

$$\langle \Phi_1 \dots \Phi_s \rangle_{\text{pert}} = \frac{1}{Z_{\text{pert}}(J)} \frac{\partial}{\partial J_1} \dots \frac{\partial}{\partial J_s} Z_{\text{pert}}(J) \Big|_{J=0}$$

On the other hand, (i) implies

$$Z_{\text{pert}}(J) = Z_{\text{free}} \cdot \exp(Z_{\text{conn}}(J)), \text{ where}$$

$Z_{\text{conn}}(J) =$ sum of connected vacuum diagrams

$\left(\begin{array}{l} J \cdot \Phi \text{ is a part of interaction and corresponds} \\ \text{to a vertex of the form } J \text{---} \end{array} \right)$

Thus,

$$\langle \Phi_1 \dots \Phi_s \rangle_{\text{pert}} = e^{-Z_{\text{conn}}(J)} \frac{\partial}{\partial J_1} \dots \frac{\partial}{\partial J_s} e^{Z_{\text{conn}}(J)} \Big|_{J=0}$$

$$= \sum_{\{1, \dots, s\}} \pm \prod_{i_1 \in I_1} \frac{\partial}{\partial J_{i_1}} Z_{\text{conn}}(J) \dots \prod_{i_2 \in I_2} \frac{\partial}{\partial J_{i_2}} Z_{\text{conn}}(J) \Big|_{J=0}$$
$$= I_1^{\cup} \dots \cup I_2$$

$$= \sum_{\{1, \dots, s\}} \pm \langle \prod_{i_1 \in I_1} \Phi_{i_1} \rangle_{\text{conn}} \dots \langle \prod_{i_2 \in I_2} \Phi_{i_2} \rangle_{\text{conn}}$$
$$= I_1^{\cup} \dots \cup I_2 \quad //$$

Thus, it remains to show (i)

Notation in this discussion: for a diagram D , we write $[D]$ for the contribution of D to $Z_{\text{pert}}/Z_{\text{free}}$.

$$\text{Thus } Z_{\text{pert}}/Z_{\text{free}} = \sum_D [D]$$

Case 1 $-S_{\text{int}} = V$, a single type of vertex

e.g. ϕ^4 theory without source term.

$$\text{Then } Z_{\text{pert}}/Z_{\text{free}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \langle V^n \rangle_{\text{free}}$$

Suppose a connected diagram C has v_C vertices.

Then $[C]$ is a term in $\frac{1}{v_C!} \langle V^{v_C} \rangle_{\text{free}}$.

Also, $[\underbrace{C \dots C}_m]$ is a term in $\frac{1}{(mv_C)!} \langle V^{mv_C} \rangle_{\text{free}}$,

and is included in its part

$$\frac{1}{(mv_C)!} \underbrace{\langle V^{v_C} \rangle_{\text{free}} \dots \langle V^{v_C} \rangle_{\text{free}}}_m \times \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{number of ways to} \\ \text{decompose } mv_C \text{ elements} \\ \text{to } m \text{ groups of } v_C \text{ elements} \end{array} \right)$$

(number of ways to decompose $m v_c$ elements to m groups of v_c elements)

$$= \binom{m v_c}{v_c} \binom{m v_c - v_c}{v_c} \dots \binom{2 v_c}{v_c} \binom{v_c}{v_c} \times \frac{1}{m!}$$

number of ways to put $m v_c$ elements to m labeled boxes

forget the labels of the boxes

$$= \frac{(m v_c)!}{(v_c!)^m m!}$$

$\therefore [C \dots C]$ is a term in

$$\frac{1}{(m v_c)!} \langle V^{v_c} \rangle_{\text{free}} \dots \langle V^{v_c} \rangle_{\text{free}} \times \frac{(m v_c)!}{(v_c!)^m m!}$$

$$= \frac{1}{m!} \left(\frac{1}{v_c!} \langle V^{v_c} \rangle_{\text{free}} \right)^m$$

$[C] + \text{others}$

$$\therefore [C \dots C] = \frac{1}{m!} [C]^m$$

If C_1, \dots, C_k are connected diagrams of V_{C_1}, \dots, V_{C_k} vertices,

$$\left[\underbrace{C_1 \dots C_1}_{m_1} \underbrace{C_2 \dots C_2}_{m_2} \dots \underbrace{C_k \dots C_k}_{m_k} \right]$$

is a term in $\frac{1}{(m_1 V_{C_1} + \dots + m_k V_{C_k})!} \langle V^{m_1 V_{C_1} + \dots + m_k V_{C_k}} \rangle_{\text{free}}$

and is included in

$$\frac{1}{(m_1 V_{C_1} + \dots + m_k V_{C_k})!} \langle V^{V_{C_1}} \rangle_{\text{free}}^{m_1} \dots \langle V^{V_{C_k}} \rangle_{\text{free}}^{m_k}$$

\times (number of ways to decompose $m_1 V_{C_1} + \dots + m_k V_{C_k}$ elements to m_1 groups of V_{C_1} elements, \dots , \dots , m_k groups of V_{C_k} elements)

$$\frac{(m_1 V_{C_1} + \dots + m_k V_{C_k})!}{(V_{C_1}!)^{m_1} \dots (V_{C_k}!)^{m_k}} \frac{1}{m_1! \dots m_k!}$$

$$= \frac{1}{m_1!} \left(\frac{1}{V_{C_1}!} \langle V^{V_{C_1}} \rangle_{\text{free}} \right)^{m_1} \dots \frac{1}{m_k!} \left(\frac{1}{V_{C_k}!} \langle V^{V_{C_k}} \rangle_{\text{free}} \right)^{m_k}$$

$$\therefore \left[\underbrace{C_1 \dots C_1}_{m_1} \dots \underbrace{C_k \dots C_k}_{m_k} \right] = \frac{1}{m_1!} [C_1]^{m_1} \dots \frac{1}{m_k!} [C_k]^{m_k}$$

Thus

$$Z_{\text{part}} / Z_{\text{free}} = \sum_D [D]$$

$$= \sum_{\substack{C_1, \dots, C_h \\ \text{connected}}} [C_1 \dots C_1 \dots C_h \dots C_h]$$

$$= \underbrace{[C_1 \dots C_1]}_{m_1} \dots \underbrace{[C_h \dots C_h]}_{m_h} = \frac{1}{m_1!} [C_1]^{m_1} \dots \frac{1}{m_h!} [C_h]^{m_h}$$

$$= \prod_{C \text{ connected}} \underbrace{\sum_{m_C=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m_C!} [C]^{m_C}}_{\text{exp}([C])}$$

$$= \exp \left(\sum_{C \text{ connected}} [C] \right) \quad //$$

Case 2 $-S_{\text{int}} = V_1 + \dots + V_N$: multiple types of vertices

e.g. ϕ^4 theory with a source $J \cdot \phi$

e.g. QCD with or without a source.

$$\text{Then, } Z_{\text{part}}/Z_{\text{free}} = \sum_{n_1, \dots, n_N} \frac{1}{n_1! \dots n_N!} \langle V_1^{n_1} \dots V_N^{n_N} \rangle_{\text{free}}$$

Suppose a connected diagram C has V_C^1 vertices of type V_1 ,
 V_C^2 vertices of type V_2 , \dots , V_C^N vertices of type V_N .

$$\text{Then } [C] \text{ is a term in } \frac{1}{V_C^1! \dots V_C^N!} \langle V_1^{V_C^1} \dots V_N^{V_C^N} \rangle_{\text{free}}.$$

$$\text{Also } \underbrace{[C \dots C]}_m \text{ is a term in } \frac{1}{(mV_C^1)! \dots (mV_C^N)!} \langle V_1^{mV_C^1} \dots V_N^{mV_C^N} \rangle_{\text{free}}$$

and is included in its part

$$\frac{1}{(mV_C^1)! \dots (mV_C^N)!} \left(\langle V_1^{V_C^1} \dots V_N^{V_C^N} \rangle_{\text{free}} \right)^m$$

\times (number of ways to distribute mV_C^1 elements of type 1,
 mV_C^2 elements to type 2, \dots , mV_C^N elements of type N
to m unlabeled boxes, where each box admit
 V_C^1 elements of type 1, \dots , V_C^N elements of type N)

$$\frac{(mV_C^1)!}{(V_C^1!)^m} \dots \frac{(mV_C^N)!}{(V_C^N!)^m} \cdot \frac{1}{m!}$$

$$= \frac{1}{m!} \left(\frac{1}{V_1^1! \dots V_N^N!} \left\langle V_1^1 \dots V_N^N \right\rangle_{\text{free}} \right)^m$$

$$\therefore \underbrace{[C \dots C]}_m = \frac{1}{m!} [C]^m$$

For $i=1, \dots, k$, let C_i be a connected diagram with $V_{C_i}^j$ vertices of type V_j ($j=1, \dots, N$). Then

$$\left[\underbrace{C_1 \dots C_1}_{m_1} \dots \underbrace{C_k \dots C_k}_{m_k} \right] \text{ is a term in}$$

$$\prod_{j=1}^N \frac{1}{\left(\sum_{i=1}^k m_i V_{C_i}^j \right)!} \left\langle V_1^{\sum_{i=1}^k m_i V_{C_i}^1} \dots V_N^{\sum_{i=1}^k m_i V_{C_i}^N} \right\rangle_{\text{free}}$$

and is included in its part

$$\prod_{j=1}^N \frac{1}{\left(\sum_{i=1}^k m_i V_{C_i}^j \right)!} \prod_{i=1}^k \left\langle V_1^{V_{C_i}^1} \dots V_N^{V_{C_i}^N} \right\rangle_{\text{free}}^{m_i}$$

\times (number of ways to distribute $\sum_{i=1}^k m_i V_{C_i}^j$ elements of type j ($j=1, \dots, N$) to m_i unlabeled boxes, where each box admit $V_{C_i}^1$ elements of type 1, \dots , $V_{C_i}^N$ elements of type N ($i=1, \dots, k$).)

$$= \prod_{j=1}^N \frac{1}{\left(\sum_{i=1}^k m_i V_{C_i}^j\right)!} \prod_{i=1}^k \left\langle V_1^{V_{C_i}^j} \dots V_N^{V_{C_i}^j} \right\rangle_{\text{free}}^{m_i}$$

$$\times \prod_{j=1}^N \left(\frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^k m_i V_{C_i}^j\right)!}{\prod_{i=1}^k (m_i V_{C_i}^j)!} \cdot \prod_{i=1}^k \frac{(m_i V_{C_i}^j)!}{(V_{C_i}^j!)^{m_i}} \right) \frac{1}{m_1! \dots m_k!}$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^k \frac{1}{m_i!} \left(\frac{1}{V_{C_i}^1! \dots V_{C_i}^N!} \left\langle V_1^{V_{C_i}^1} \dots V_N^{V_{C_i}^N} \right\rangle_{\text{free}} \right)^{m_i}$$

Thus,

$$\left[\underbrace{C_1 \dots C_1}_{m_1} \dots \underbrace{C_k \dots C_k}_{m_k} \right] = \frac{1}{m_1!} [C_1]^{m_1} \dots \frac{1}{m_k!} [C_k]^{m_k} \quad \text{---}^*$$

$$Z_{\text{part}} / Z_{\text{free}} = \sum_D [D] = \sum_{C_1, \dots, C_k \text{ Conn}} [C_1 \dots C_1 - C_k \dots C_k]$$

$$\stackrel{*}{=} \prod_{C \text{ Conn}} \sum_{m_C=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m_C!} [C]^{m_C}$$

$$= \prod_{C \text{ Conn}} \exp[C] = \exp\left(\sum_{C \text{ Conn}} [C]\right)$$

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