



Analytic calculation --traditional methods for integrals

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Catalog



- Introduction to analytic calculation
- Traditional methods for integrals
 - (Feynman) parameterization
 - Mellin-Barnes representation
 - Asymptotic expansions
- More examples
- Summary



Calculation

- Numerical methods:
 - Powerful
 - Time and resource consuming
 - Analytic methods:
 - “Time” and resource saving
 - Phenomenological analysis friendly
 - Determining its fundamental parameters
 - Determining limit behavior
 - More difficult
- Firstly, integrals
Then, amplitudes

We can do more!
We can do faster!

Analytic calculation

- Total cross sections:

Anti-unitarity relation

$$\hat{\sigma} \sim \left[\prod d^d p_f \delta^+(p_f^2 - m_f^2) \right] \delta^{(d)} \left(\sum p_i - \sum p_f \right) \left[\prod d^d p_l \right] |\mathcal{A}|^2$$

- Differential cross sections:

$$d\hat{\sigma} \sim \left[\prod d^d p_f \delta^+(p_f^2 - m_f^2) \right] \delta^{(d)} \left(\sum p_i - \sum p_f \right) \left[\prod d^d p_l \right] |\mathcal{A}|^2 F(p_i, p_f, \dots)$$

- Distributions: $M_{f_1 f_2}$, p_T , $p_{f_i, T}$, y_{f_i} , $\Delta\phi$, τ ...

- Polarized distributions.

δ – functions

θ – functions

...

Squared amplitudes and integrals

Loop- and phase-space integrals

Squared amplitudes

- Squared directly:
 - Low orders and few (vector and/or fermion) legs
 - Projection:
 - few (vector and/or fermion) legs
- $g_a^\mu(p_1) + g_b^\nu(p_2) \rightarrow H(p_3) + H(p_4)$
- $\mathcal{M}_{ab} \sim \epsilon_\mu \epsilon_\nu \mathcal{M}_{ab}^{\mu\nu}$ $\mathcal{M}_{ab}^{\mu\nu} \sim A_1^{\mu\nu} F_1 + A_2^{\mu\nu} F_2$ $|\mathcal{M}|^2 \sim |F_1|^2 + |F_2|^2$
- $$A_1^{\mu\nu} = g^{\mu\nu} - \frac{2p_1^\nu p_2^\mu}{\hat{s}}$$
- $$A_2^{\mu\nu} = g^{\mu\nu} + \frac{2m_H^2 p_1^\nu p_2^\mu + 2\hat{s}p_3^\mu p_3^\nu + 2\hat{u}_1 p_1^\nu p_3^\mu + 2\hat{t}_1 p_2^\mu p_3^\nu}{p_T^2 \hat{s}}$$
- Polarized information
- Scalar integrals

 IBP

Integrals

- Loop integrals:

$$\int \left[\prod_{j=1}^L \frac{d^d l_j}{(2\pi)^d} \right] \frac{\mathcal{N}(l_a^2, l_a \cdot l_b, l_c \cdot p_d)}{\prod_{i=1}^n D_i^{\alpha_i}}$$

UV and IR divergence:
dimensional regularization

- Quadratic: $D_i = (l_j - p_k)^2 - m_i^2 + i\epsilon$

- Linear: $D_i = \pm l_j \cdot p_k + i\epsilon$

- Potential: $D_i = q_0 l_0 \pm \mathbf{l}^2 \pm y + i\epsilon$

SCET_I

SCET_{II}

Rapidity divergence

- Phase-space integrals:

$$\int \left[\prod_{j=1}^N \frac{d^d l_j}{(2\pi)^d} (2\pi) \delta^+(l_j^2 - m_j^2) \right] \delta^{(d)} \left(\sum p_i - \sum l_f \right) \frac{\mathcal{N}(l_a^2, l_a \cdot l_b, l_c \cdot p_d)}{\prod_{i=1}^n D_i^{\alpha_i}} F(p_i, p_f, \dots)$$

$$\delta^+(l_j^2 - m_j^2) \rightarrow \frac{1}{l_j^2 - m_j^2 \pm i\epsilon}$$

Before integrating loop momenta



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$$\frac{8\epsilon\Gamma(1-4\epsilon)\omega^{1+4\epsilon}}{\pi^{2-2\epsilon}\Gamma^2(-\epsilon)} \int [dk_1] [dk_2] \frac{\delta(\omega - v_0 \cdot (k_1 + k_2))}{(k_1 + k_2)^2 v_1 \cdot k_2 v_2 \cdot k_1}$$

$$= -\frac{4\Gamma(-2\epsilon)\Gamma(1-2\epsilon)}{\Gamma(1-\epsilon)\Gamma(-3\epsilon)} {}_3F_2(-\epsilon, -\epsilon, -\epsilon; 1-\epsilon, -3\epsilon; 1).$$



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- ✓ the integral of a linear combination of integrands equals the same linear combination of the corresponding integrals
- ✓ one may cancel the same factors in the numerator and denominator of integrands.
- ✓ a derivative of an integral with respect to a mass or momentum equals the corresponding integral of the derivative.
- ✓ any diagram with a detachable massless subgraph is zero.

IBP
DEs

EFTs



Regularization

- UV and IR divergence:

- Dimensional regularization
- Pauli-Villars regularization
- Mass regularization

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- Rapidity divergence:

- Analytic regularization $D_i^{\alpha_i} \rightarrow (\nu^2)^\alpha D_i^{\alpha_i - \alpha}$ T. Becher, *et al.* 1112.3907
- Eta-regularization add $\omega^2 \nu^\eta |n \cdot l|^{-\eta}$ Jui-yu Chiu, *et al.* 1202.0814
- Exponential regularization add $\exp(-b_0 \tau l^0)$ Y. Li, *et al.* 1604.00392

Scheme independent!



Methods for integrals

- Parameterizations:

- Alpha Parameterization

$$\frac{i}{A} = \int_0^\infty ds e^{isA}, \quad \text{Im}(A) > 0$$

- Feynman Parameterization

$$\frac{1}{AB} = \int_0^1 dx dy \delta(1-x-y) \frac{1}{(xA+yB)^2}$$

- Mellin-Barnes representation:

$$\frac{1}{(X+Y)^\lambda} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} dz \frac{\Gamma(\lambda+z)\Gamma(-z)}{\Gamma(\lambda)} \frac{Y^z}{X^{\lambda+z}}$$

- Asymptotic expansions:

$$\frac{1}{(q-l)^2} = \frac{1}{q^2} + \frac{2q \cdot l - l^2}{(q^2)^2} + \dots$$

- Residue theorem.

For some boundaries of differential equations

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V. A. Smirnov, *Analytic Tools for Feynman Integrals*
J. Blümlein, et al. 1809.02889



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$$\frac{1}{AB} = \int_0^\infty d\tau \frac{1}{(A+B\tau)^2} \quad \tau = \frac{x}{1-x}$$

$$\begin{aligned}&\int d^d k_1 \dots d^d k_h \exp \left[i \left(\sum_{i,j} A_{ij} k_i \cdot k_j + 2 \sum_i q_i \cdot k_i \right) \right] \\ &= e^{i\pi h(1-d/2)/2} \pi^{hd/2} (\det A)^{-d/2} \exp \left[-i \sum_{i,j} A_{ij}^{-1} q_i \cdot q_j \right]\end{aligned}$$

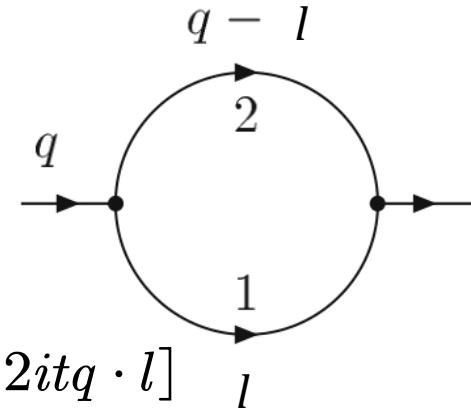
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Example 1

$$I(m_1^2, m_2^2, q^2; \lambda_1, \lambda_2; d) = \mathcal{C} \int \frac{d^d l}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{(l^2 - m_1^2 + i\varepsilon)^{\lambda_1} [(l+q)^2 - m_2^2 + i\varepsilon]^{\lambda_2}}$$

$$\mathcal{C} = -i(4\pi)^{2-\epsilon}, \quad d = 4 - 2\epsilon$$

$$I = \frac{\mathcal{C}(-i)^{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}}{\Gamma(\lambda_1)\Gamma(\lambda_2)} \int_0^\infty ds dt s^{\lambda_1} t^{\lambda_2} \exp[i(tq^2 - tm_2^2 - sm_1^2)] \int \frac{d^d l}{(2\pi)^d} \exp[i(s+t)l^2 + 2itq \cdot l]$$



↓ Gauss integral

$$I = \frac{\mathcal{C}(-i)^{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + 1}}{\Gamma(\lambda_1)\Gamma(\lambda_2)} \frac{e^{i\pi\epsilon/2}}{(4\pi)^{2-\epsilon}} \int_0^\infty ds dt s^{\lambda_1} t^{\lambda_2} (s+t)^{(-2+\epsilon)} \exp\left[i\left(\frac{st}{s+t}q^2 - tm_2^2 - sm_1^2\right)\right]$$

↓ $s = \eta\xi, \quad t = \eta(1-\xi)$

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\downarrow $m_1 = 0, m_2 = 0$

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$$I(m_1^2, m_2^2, q^2; \lambda_1, \lambda_2; d)$$

$$I(m^2, m^2, q^2; 1, 1; d)$$

$$I(m^2, m^2, q^2; 2, 1; d)$$

\downarrow $q^2 = 4m^2$

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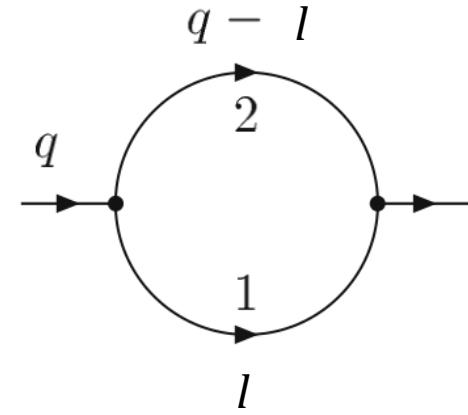
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- Linear propagators

$$I_1 = C \int \frac{d^d l}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{(l^2)^{\lambda_1} [-2n \cdot l]^{\lambda_2} [(q + r_\perp)^2]^{\lambda_3} (2\bar{n} \cdot l)^{\lambda_4}}$$

→ Analytic regulator

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Some formulas

$$\frac{1}{A^\alpha B^\beta} = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + \beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^{\alpha-1}(1-x)^{\beta-1}}{\{xA + (1-x)B\}^{\alpha+\beta}} ,$$

$$\frac{1}{A^\alpha B^\beta C^\gamma} = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + \beta + \gamma)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)\Gamma(\gamma)} \int_0^1 xdx \int_0^1 dy \frac{u_1^{\alpha-1} u_2^{\beta-1} u_3^{\gamma-1}}{\{u_1 A + u_2 B + u_3 C\}^{\alpha+\beta+\gamma}}$$

$$(u_1 = xy, u_2 = x(1-y), u_3 = 1-x) ,$$

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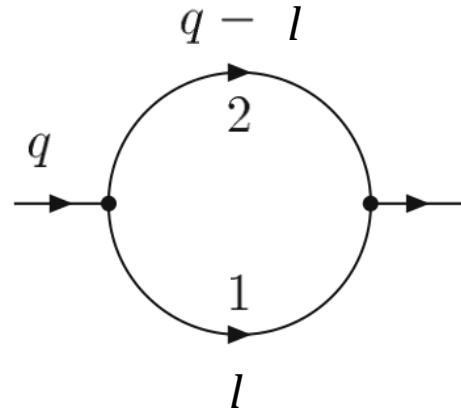


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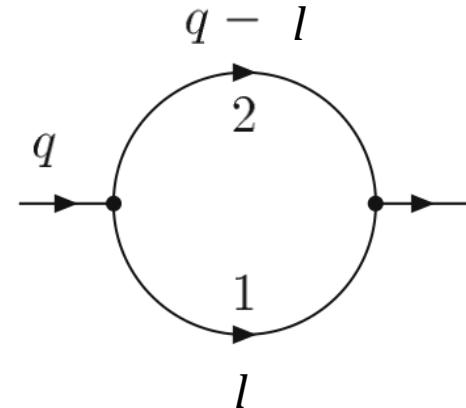


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- Applied to integrals of Feynman parameters:

$$X = \xi m_1^2 + (1 - \xi) m_2^2, Y = -q^2 \xi (1 - \xi)$$

- The poles from $\Gamma(\dots + z)$ and $\Gamma(\dots - z)$ at different sides of contour.

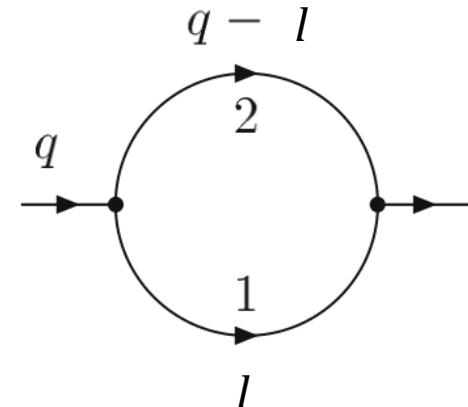
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$$\Gamma(2+x) = \frac{2^{1+x}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \Gamma\left(1 + \frac{x}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{3}{2} + \frac{x}{2}\right)$$

$$\frac{\left(4m^2 - q^2\right)^{\frac{1}{2}-\text{eps}} \left(-\text{Beta}\left[\frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \sqrt{-\frac{q^2}{4m^2-q^2}}\right), 1-\text{eps}, 1-\text{eps}\right] + \text{Beta}\left[\frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \sqrt{-\frac{q^2}{4m^2-q^2}}\right), 1-\text{eps}, 1-\text{eps}\right]\right) \text{Gamma}\left[\text{eps}\right]}{\sqrt{-q^2}}$$

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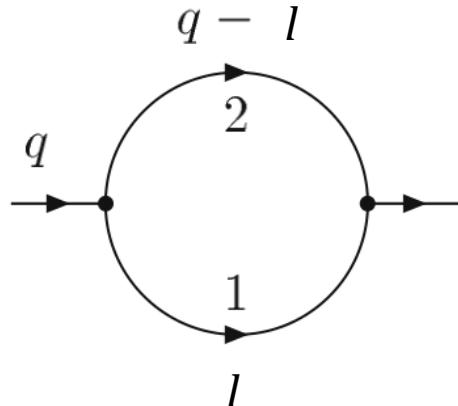
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$$I(m^2, m^2, q^2; \lambda, 1; d) = \frac{(-1)^{1+\lambda} \Gamma(\epsilon + \lambda - 1)}{(m^2 - i\varepsilon)^{\epsilon + \lambda - 1} \Gamma(1 + \lambda)} {}_3F_2\left(1, \lambda, \epsilon + \lambda - 1; \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\lambda}{2}, 1 + \frac{\lambda}{2}; \frac{q^2}{4m^2}\right)$$

$\lambda = 2$, $q^2 \rightarrow 4m^2$ singularity



$$\boxed{\frac{1}{(X+Y)^\lambda} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} dz \frac{\Gamma(\lambda+z)\Gamma(-z)}{\Gamma(\lambda)} \frac{Y^z}{X^{\lambda+z}}}$$

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Mellin-Barnes representation

- Resolving singularities

$$I = \frac{(-q^2 - i\varepsilon)^{-\epsilon}}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} dz \frac{\Gamma(\epsilon + z)\Gamma(-z)\Gamma^2(1 - \epsilon - z)}{\Gamma(2 - 2\epsilon - 2z)} \left[\frac{m^2}{-q^2 - i\varepsilon} \right]^z$$

- Strategy A: shift the contour

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C f(z, \varepsilon) dz &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_0} f(z, \varepsilon) dz \\ &\quad + \left(\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C f(z, \varepsilon) dz - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_0} f(z, \varepsilon) dz \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_0} f(z, \varepsilon) dz + \text{res}_{z=-\varepsilon} f(z, \varepsilon) \end{aligned}$$

$$I_\epsilon = \frac{\Gamma(\epsilon)}{(m^2)^\epsilon} = \frac{1}{\epsilon} - \gamma_E - \ln(m^2) + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon)$$

$$I_0 = 2 - \beta \ln\left(\frac{\beta+1}{\beta-1}\right) + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon)$$

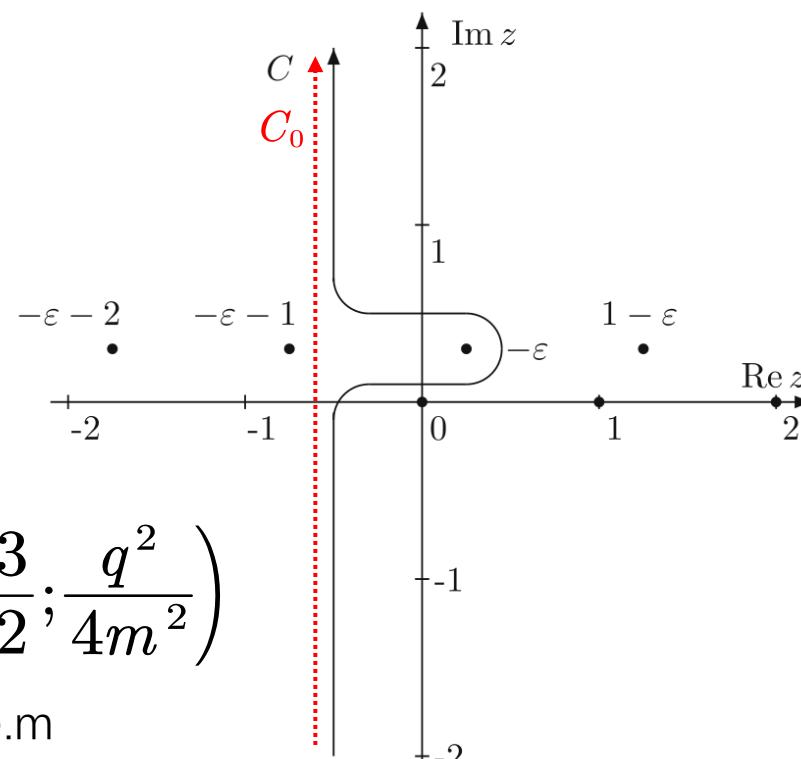
$$\beta = \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m^2}{q^2}}$$

$$I = \frac{\Gamma(\epsilon)}{(m^2 - i\varepsilon)^\epsilon} {}_2F_1\left(1, \epsilon, \frac{3}{2}; \frac{q^2}{4m^2}\right)$$

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$$I = \Gamma(\epsilon) \int_0^1 d\xi \frac{1}{[-q^2 \xi(1-\xi) + m^2 - i\varepsilon]^\epsilon}$$



Mellin-Barnes representation

- Resolving singularities

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- Strategy B: shift the regulator ϵ

a) choose a straight contour and fixed ϵ

$$\Re(z) = -\frac{1}{4}, \quad \epsilon = \frac{1}{2}$$

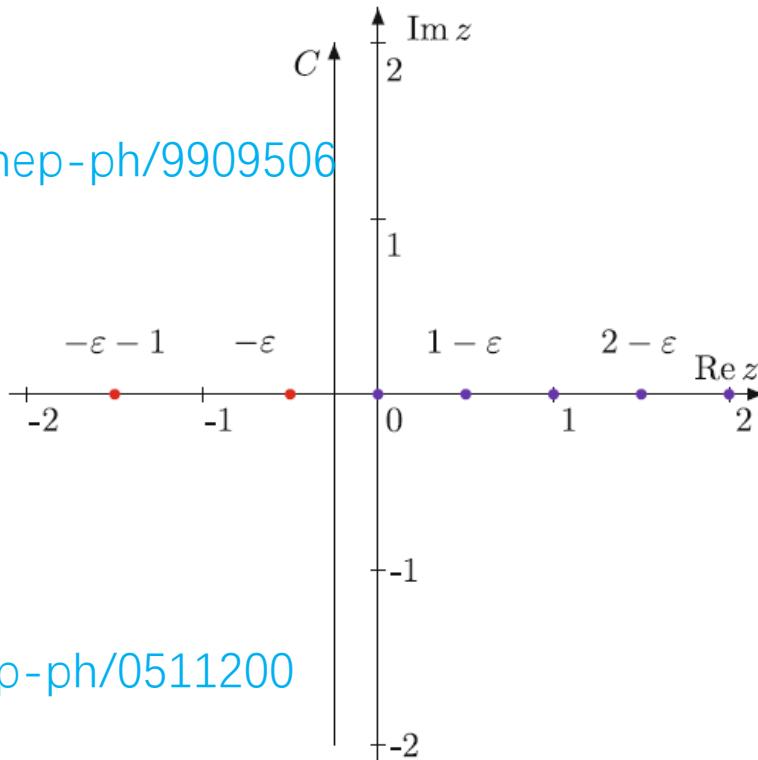
b) keep contour fixed and tend ϵ to zero: [J.B. Tausk: hep-ph/9909506](#)

the first pole of $\Gamma(\epsilon + z)$ cross the contour,

add the residue $I_\epsilon = \frac{\Gamma(\epsilon)}{(m^2)^\epsilon}$

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Mellin-Barnes representation

- the first Barnes lemma:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} dz \Gamma(\lambda_1 + z) \Gamma(\lambda_2 + z) \Gamma(\lambda_3 - z) \Gamma(\lambda_4 - z) \\ &= \frac{\Gamma(\lambda_1 + \lambda_3) \Gamma(\lambda_1 + \lambda_4) \Gamma(\lambda_2 + \lambda_3) \Gamma(\lambda_2 + \lambda_4)}{\Gamma(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_3 + \lambda_4)}. \end{aligned}$$

- the second Barnes lemma:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} dz \frac{\Gamma(\lambda_1 + z) \Gamma(\lambda_2 + z) \Gamma(\lambda_3 + z) \Gamma(\lambda_4 - z) \Gamma(\lambda_5 - z)}{\Gamma(\lambda_6 + z)} \\ &= \frac{\Gamma(\lambda_1 + \lambda_4) \Gamma(\lambda_2 + \lambda_4) \Gamma(\lambda_3 + \lambda_4) \Gamma(\lambda_1 + \lambda_5)}{\Gamma(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_4 + \lambda_5) \Gamma(\lambda_1 + \lambda_3 + \lambda_4 + \lambda_5)} \\ & \quad \times \frac{\Gamma(\lambda_2 + \lambda_5) \Gamma(\lambda_3 + \lambda_5)}{\Gamma(\lambda_2 + \lambda_3 + \lambda_4 + \lambda_5)}, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} K = & \frac{1}{(2\pi i)^4} \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} d\xi_1 \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} d\xi_2 \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} d\alpha \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} d\beta \quad \lambda_6 = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_3 + \lambda_4 + \lambda_5. \\ & \times (-s)^{-3-2\epsilon-\xi_1-\xi_2} (-t)^{\xi_1} (-u)^{\xi_2} \frac{\Gamma_1 \Gamma_2 \Gamma_3 \Gamma_4 \Gamma_5 \Gamma_6 \Gamma_7 \Gamma_8 \Gamma_9 \Gamma_{10} \Gamma_{11} \Gamma_{12} \Gamma_{13}}{\Gamma_{14}^2} \end{aligned}$$

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Mellin-Barnes representation

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$$\begin{aligned} {}_2F_1(a, b; c; x) &= \frac{\Gamma(c)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} \frac{\Gamma(a+z)\Gamma(b+z)\Gamma(-z)}{\Gamma(c+z)} (-x)^z dz \\ &= \frac{\Gamma(c)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(c-a)\Gamma(c-b)} \\ &\quad \times \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} \Gamma(a+z)\Gamma(b+z)\Gamma(c-a-b-z)\Gamma(-z)(1-x)^z dz. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} \Gamma(a+z)\Gamma(b+z)\Gamma(c-z)\Gamma(-z)x^z dz \\ = \Gamma(a+c)\Gamma(b+c) \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} \frac{\Gamma(a+z)\Gamma(b+z)\Gamma(-z)}{\Gamma(a+b+c+z)} (x-1)^z dz. \end{aligned}$$

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$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} S_1(n-1)S_2(n-1) \frac{z^n}{n} = -\frac{1}{2} \text{Li}_2(z)^2 + \ln(1-z)(S_{1,2}(z) - \text{Li}_3(z)) + \frac{1}{2} \ln^2(1-z)\text{Li}_2(z),$$

$$S_i(n) = \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{1}{j^i},$$

$$\psi(n) = S_1(n-1) - \gamma_E,$$

$$\psi^{(k)}(n) = (-1)^k k! (S_{k+1}(n-1) - \zeta(k+1)), \quad k = 1, 2, \dots,$$

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 - Integrate every expanded integrand and sum them all.

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|------------|--|
| hard: | $q^\mu \sim \hat{s},$ |
| soft: | $q^\mu \sim \hat{s}\lambda,$ |
| collinear: | $q^\mu \sim \hat{s}(1, \lambda^2, \lambda),$ |
| Glauber: | $q^\mu \sim \hat{s}(\lambda^2, \lambda^2, \lambda),$ |

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Integrate

$$I = \frac{\Gamma(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \epsilon - 2)}{(-1)^{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2} \Gamma(\lambda_1) \Gamma(\lambda_2)} \frac{\Gamma(2 - \lambda_1 - \epsilon) \Gamma(2 - \lambda_2 - \epsilon)}{\Gamma(4 - \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 - 2\epsilon)} (-q^2 - i\varepsilon)^{2 - \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 - \epsilon}$$

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If $\lambda_1 = 1, \lambda_2 = 2$

V. A. Smirnov, *Applied asymptotic expansions in momenta and masses*



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$$F(q, m, \varepsilon) = -\frac{\pi}{\sin \pi \varepsilon} \frac{q^{-\varepsilon} - m^{-\varepsilon}}{q - m}$$

$$F(q, m, 0) = \frac{\ln(q/m)}{q - m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F_{\text{large}} &\sim \int_0^\infty dk \frac{k^{-\varepsilon-1}}{k+q} - m \int_0^\infty dk \frac{k^{-\varepsilon-2}}{k+q} + \dots \quad k > m \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n m^n \int_0^\infty \frac{k^{-n-\varepsilon-1} dk}{k+q} = \frac{-\pi}{q^{1+\varepsilon} \sin \pi \varepsilon} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{m}{q}\right)^n \\ F_{\text{small}} &\sim \frac{1}{q} \int_0^\infty dk \frac{k^{-\varepsilon}}{k+m} - \frac{1}{q^2} \int_0^\infty dk \frac{k^{-\varepsilon+1}}{k+m} + \dots \quad k < q \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{q^{n+1}} \int_0^\infty \frac{k^{n-\varepsilon} dk}{k+m} = \frac{\pi}{qm^\varepsilon \sin \pi \varepsilon} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{m}{q}\right)^n \end{aligned}$$



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$$F \sim F_{\text{small}} + F_{\text{large}}$$

$$m < \Lambda < q$$

$$F = f_{\text{small}} + f_{\text{large}}$$

$$f_{\text{small}}(q, m, \Lambda) = \int_0^\Lambda \frac{k^{-\varepsilon} dk}{(k+m)(k+q)}$$

$$f_{\text{large}}(q, m, \Lambda) = \int_\Lambda^\infty \frac{k^{-\varepsilon} dk}{(k+m)(k+q)}$$



Asymptotic expansions

$$f_{\text{small}} \sim F_{\text{small}} - \left(\frac{1}{q} \int_A^\infty dk \frac{k^{-\varepsilon}}{k+m} - \frac{1}{q^2} \int_A^\infty dk \frac{k^{-\varepsilon+1}}{k+m} + \dots \right), \quad \text{Expand with } m \text{ and } q, \text{ again}$$

$$f_{\text{large}} \sim F_{\text{large}} - \left(\int_0^A dk \frac{k^{-\varepsilon-1}}{k+q} - m \int_0^A dk \frac{k^{-\varepsilon-2}}{k+q} + \dots \right),$$

$$\frac{1}{q} \int_A^\infty dk k^{-\varepsilon-1} = \frac{1}{\varepsilon q A^\varepsilon},$$

$$\frac{1}{q} \int_0^A dk k^{-\varepsilon-1} = -\frac{1}{\varepsilon q A^\varepsilon},$$



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- Expansion by Subgraphs:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{R}^n F(q, m; \varepsilon) &= \int_0^\infty dk k^{-\varepsilon} \left(\frac{1}{k+m} - \frac{1}{k} + \frac{m}{k^2} - \dots - (-1)^n \frac{m^n}{k^{n+1}} \right) \\ &\times \left(\frac{1}{k+q} - \frac{1}{q} + \frac{k}{q^2} - \dots - (-1)^n \frac{k^n}{q^{n+1}} \right). \end{aligned}$$

$\propto \frac{1}{k^{n+2}}$

$\propto k^{n+1}$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{R}^n F(q, m; \varepsilon) &= \int_0^\infty dk k^{-\varepsilon} \left((1 - \mathcal{T}_m^n) \frac{1}{k+m} \right) \left((1 - \mathcal{T}_k^n) \frac{1}{k+q} \right) \rightarrow \mathcal{R}^n F(q, m; \varepsilon) = \left(\frac{m}{q} \right)^{n+1} F(q, m; \varepsilon) \\ \mathcal{R}^n &= (1 - \mathcal{M}_{\text{large}}^n)(1 - \mathcal{M}_{\text{small}}^n) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F &= (1 - \mathcal{R}^n) F + \mathcal{R}^n F \\ &\equiv (\mathcal{M}_{\text{large}}^n + \mathcal{M}_{\text{small}}^n - \mathcal{M}_{\text{large}}^n \mathcal{M}_{\text{small}}^n) F + \mathcal{R}^n F \end{aligned}$$



Example 3

- Expansion by Subgraphs: $I(m^2, 0, q^2; 2, 1; d) = \mathcal{C} \int \frac{d^d l}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{(l^2 - m^2 + i\varepsilon)^2 [(l + q)^2 + i\varepsilon]}$

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{(l+q)^2} \right\} = \frac{1}{q^2} + \frac{-l^2 - 2q \cdot l}{(q^2)^2} + \frac{(-l^2 - 2q \cdot l)^2}{(q^2)^3} + \dots$$

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{(l^2 - m^2)^2} \right\} = \frac{1}{(l^2)^2} + \frac{2m^2}{(l^2)^3} + \frac{3(m^2)^2}{(l^2)^4} + \dots$$

$$I = \mathcal{C} \int \frac{d^d l}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{(l^2 - m^2 + i\varepsilon)^2} \left\{ \frac{1}{(l+q)^2 + i\varepsilon} \right\} \\ + \left\{ \frac{1}{(l^2 - m^2 + i\varepsilon)^2} \right\} \frac{1}{(l+q)^2 + i\varepsilon}$$

$$I = -\Gamma(1+\epsilon) \int_0^1 d\xi \frac{\xi^{-\epsilon}}{[-q^2(1-\xi) + m^2 - i\varepsilon]^{1+\epsilon}}$$

$$I = -\frac{1}{q^2} \ln \left(\frac{m^2}{m^2 - q^2} \right)$$



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More examples

$$I_1 = \int_0^1 db (b^2)^{1-\epsilon} (1-b^2)^{\phi-2\epsilon} F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1, \frac{3}{2}-\epsilon, b^2\right) {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}-\epsilon, 1-\epsilon, \frac{3}{2}+\psi-\epsilon, b^2\right)$$

④ $\phi = \psi = 0$, just expand the integrand

$$\begin{aligned} I_1(\phi=0, \psi=0) &= \frac{\pi^2}{12} + \left(-\frac{\ln(2)\pi^2}{6} + \frac{7\zeta(3)}{2} \right) \epsilon \\ &\quad + \left(\frac{\pi^3}{3} + \frac{\pi^4}{9} + \frac{\ln^2(2)\pi^2}{6} - 7\ln(2)\zeta(3) \right) \epsilon^2 + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} H(n0; x) &= \frac{1}{n!} \log^n x \\ H(a, a_{1,\dots,k}; x) &= \int_0^x f_a(t) H(a_{1,\dots,k}; t) dt, \\ f_1(x) &= \frac{1}{1-x} \\ f_{-1}(x) &= \frac{1}{1+x} \end{aligned}$$

$$H(p_1, \dots, p_{w_1}; x) H(q_1, \dots, q_{w_2}; x) = H(\mathbf{p}; x) H(\mathbf{q}; x) = \sum_{r \in \mathbf{p} \sqcup \mathbf{q}} H(\mathbf{r}; x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} H(a, b; x) H(y, z; x) &= H(a, b, y, z; x) + H(a, y, b, z; x) \\ &\quad + H(a, y, z, b; x) + H(y, a, b, z; x) \\ &\quad + H(y, a, z, b; x) + H(y, z, a, b; x) \end{aligned}$$

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④ $\phi = -1$, $\psi = 0$, expand with plus-distribution

$$\frac{1}{(1-b)^{-1+\phi\epsilon}} = -\frac{1}{\phi\epsilon} \delta(1-b) + \left(\frac{1}{1-b} \right)_+ - \phi\epsilon \left(\frac{\ln(1-b)}{1-b} \right)_+ + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^2)$$

④ $\phi = 0$, $\psi = -1$, handle Hypergeometric function

$$\text{e.g. } {}_2F_1(a, b, c, z) = (1-z)^{c-a-b} {}_2F_1(c-a, c-b, c, z)$$

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More examples

$$\begin{aligned}
 I &= \int \frac{dq}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{q^2 + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{(q - p_1)^2 + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{(q + q_{\perp})^2 + 2q \cdot q_{\perp} + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{\bar{n} \cdot q + i\epsilon} \frac{\nu^q}{|\bar{n} \cdot q|^{\eta}} \\
 &\sim \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} dq + dq - d\bar{q}_{\perp} \frac{1}{q + q_{\perp}^2 + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{q + q_{\perp}^2 - q_{\perp}^2 - p_1^2 + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{q + q_{\perp}^2 + q_{\perp}^2 + 2q_{\perp} \cdot q_{\perp} + q_{\perp}^2 + q \cdot q_{\perp} + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{q + i\epsilon} \frac{\nu^q}{|\bar{n} \cdot q|^{\eta}} \\
 &\boxed{d^d q = \frac{1}{2} dq + dq - d\bar{q}_{\perp}^{d-2} \quad q^+ = n \cdot q \quad q^- = \bar{n} \cdot q} \\
 \text{Residue } &\left\{ \begin{array}{l} q^+ = * + \frac{i\epsilon}{-q^-} \\ q^+ = * + \frac{i\epsilon}{p_1^2 - q^-} \\ q^+ = * + \frac{i\epsilon}{q^-} \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} -q^- > 0 \\ p_1^2 - q^- < 0 \quad \because p_1^2 > 0 \\ p_1^2 - q^- > 0 \end{array} \right. \quad \text{or} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} -q^- < 0 \\ p_1^2 - q^- > 0 \quad \therefore 0 < q^- < p_1^2 \end{array} \right. \\
 &\sim \int_0^{p_1^-} dq - d\bar{q}_{\perp} \frac{1}{q_{\perp}^2 + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{q_{\perp}^2 + \frac{2}{p_1^2} (p_1^2 - q^-) q_{\perp} \cdot q_{\perp} + \frac{1}{p_1^2} (p_1^2 - q^-) (q_{\perp}^2 + q \cdot q_{\perp}) + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{q + i\epsilon} \frac{\nu^q}{(2\pi)^d} \quad q = y p_1^- \\
 &\sim \int_0^1 dy \int_0^1 dx \int d^2 \bar{q}_{\perp} \frac{1-y}{[q_{\perp}^2 - [y_{\perp}^2 x^2 (1-y)^2 - x(1-y)(y_{\perp}^2 + y p_1^2 - q_{\perp}^2)] + i\epsilon]^2} \frac{1}{y + i\epsilon} \frac{\nu^y}{(2\pi)^2} \\
 &\sim \left(\frac{p_1^-}{2}\right)^{\eta} \Gamma(1+\epsilon) \int_0^1 dy dx x^{-1-\epsilon} (1-y)^{-\epsilon} y^{1-\eta} [-y_{\perp}^2 (1-x)(1-y) - y m^2 - i\epsilon]^{-1-\epsilon}
 \end{aligned}$$

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More examples

If $m \equiv 0$

$$I \sim \Gamma(1+\epsilon) \int_0^1 dy \int_0^1 dx \ x^{1-\epsilon} (1-x)^{-1-\epsilon} (1-y)^{-1-2\epsilon} y^{-1-\eta} (-y_1^2 - i\epsilon)^{-1-\epsilon}$$

$$\sim \frac{\Gamma(1+\epsilon)}{\Gamma(-2\epsilon-\eta)} \Gamma^2(-\epsilon) \Gamma(-\eta)$$

First expand with η , then ϵ

$$\sim \frac{1}{\epsilon^2} + \frac{2}{\epsilon\eta} - \frac{3}{4}\eta^2 + O(\epsilon, \eta)$$

$$\sim \left(\frac{\Gamma(-)}{\Gamma}\right)^m \Gamma(1+\epsilon) \int_0^1 dy dx \ x^{1-\epsilon} (1-y)^{-\epsilon} y^{-\eta} [-y_1^2 (1-x)(1-y) - y m^2 - i\epsilon]^{-1-\epsilon}$$

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More examples

If $m \neq 0$

$$\int dx dy x^{-t-\epsilon} (1-y)^{-\epsilon} y^{-1-\eta} [(1-x)(1-y) + R^{-i\epsilon}]^{-t-\epsilon}$$

$$= \int dz P(1+\epsilon+z) P(-z) P(-t-z) P(-\eta+z) R^z \frac{\Gamma(t-\epsilon)}{\Gamma(2\epsilon-\eta)}$$

$$\sim \frac{\Gamma(t-\epsilon)}{\Gamma(2\epsilon-\eta)} \left\{ -R^{-\epsilon} P(\epsilon) P(-\epsilon-\eta) {}_2F_1[1, -\epsilon-\eta, 1-\epsilon, R] - (1-R)^\eta P(-\epsilon) P(1+\epsilon) P(-\eta) \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow I \sim \frac{\Gamma(t-\epsilon)}{\Gamma(2\epsilon-\eta)} \left\{ -R^{-\epsilon} P(\epsilon) P(-\epsilon-\eta) {}_2F_1[1, -\epsilon-\eta, 1-\epsilon, R] - (1-R)^\eta P(-\epsilon) P(1+\epsilon) P(-\eta) \right\}$$

$$\sim \frac{1}{\epsilon^2} - \frac{2}{\eta\epsilon} - \frac{2}{\epsilon} \ln R + \frac{7}{12} \pi^2 - 2 \ln(1-R) \ln R + \ln^2 R - 2 \text{Li}_2 R$$

$$\sim \left(\frac{P_1}{2}\right)^\eta P(1+\epsilon) \int_0^1 dy dx x^{-t-\epsilon} (1-y)^{-\epsilon} y^{-1-\eta} [-y^2(1-x)(1-y) - ym^2 - i\epsilon]^{-t-\epsilon}$$

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Summary

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