

Continuous Wavelet Transform for Gauge Theories

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We describe the application of the continuous wavelet transform to calculation of the Green functions in quantum field theory: scalar ϕ^4 theory, quantum electrodynamics, quantum chromodynamics. The method of continuous wavelet transform in quantum field theory presented by Altaisky [Phys. Rev. D **81**, 125003 (2010)] for the scalar ϕ^4 theory, consists in substitution of the local fields $\phi(x)$ by those dependent on both the position x and the resolution a . The substitution of the action $S[\phi(x)]$ by the action $S[\phi_a(x)]$ makes the local theory into nonlocal one, and implies the causality conditions related to the scale a , the *region causality* [J.D.Christensen and L.Crane, J.Math.Phys. (N.Y.) **46**, 122502 (2005)]. These conditions make the Green functions $G(x_1, a_1, \dots, x_n, a_n) = \langle \phi_{a_1}(x_1) \dots \phi_{a_n}(x_n) \rangle$ finite for any given set of regions by means of an effective cutoff scale $A = \min(a_1, \dots, a_n)$.

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Let us consider a field theory with 4th power interaction

$$W[J] = \mathcal{N} \int e^{-\int d^d x \left[\frac{1}{2}(\partial\phi)^2 + \frac{m^2}{2}\phi^2 + \frac{\lambda}{4!}\phi^4 - J\phi \right]} \mathcal{D}\phi$$

The connected Green functions are given by variational derivatives of the generating functional:

$$\Delta^{(n)} \equiv \langle \phi(x_1) \dots \phi(x_n) \rangle_c = \left. \frac{\delta^n \ln W[J]}{\delta J(x_1) \dots \delta J(x_n)} \right|_{J=0}$$

In statistical sense these functions have the meaning of the n -point correlation functions [ZJ99].

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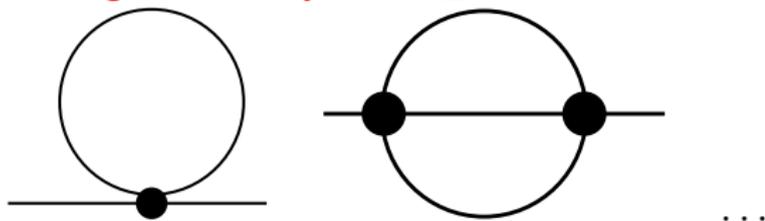
Two-point Green function

The divergences of Feynman graphs in the perturbation expansion of the Green functions with respect to the small coupling constant λ emerge at coinciding arguments $x_i = x_k$.

For instance, the bare two-point correlation function

$$\Delta_0^{(2)}(x-y) = \int \frac{d^d p}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{e^{ip(x-y)}}{p^2 + m^2}$$

is divergent at $x=y$ for $d \geq 2$



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- **Statement of existence**: if a measuring equipment with a given resolution a fails to register an object, prepared on spatial interval of width Δx with certainty, then **tuning the equipment to all possible resolutions a' would lead to the registration.**

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[tHV72, Wil73, Ram89]

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- The theory based on the Fourier transform describes the strength of the interaction of all fluctuations *up to* the scale $1/\Lambda$, but says nothing about the interaction strength *at* a given scale

$$g \prod_i \int_{|k| < \Lambda} e^{-i k_i x} \tilde{\phi}(k_i) \frac{d^d k}{(2\pi)^d}$$

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(coordinate representation with L^1 -norm)

$$d\mu_L(a, b) = \frac{dad^d b}{a}, \quad U(a, b)g(x) = \frac{1}{a^d} g\left(\frac{x - b}{a}\right)$$

Resolution-dependent fields

We define the *resolution-dependent fields*

$$\phi_a(x) \equiv \langle g; a, x | \phi \rangle,$$

also referred to as scale components of ϕ , where $\langle g; a, x |$ is the bra-vector corresponding to localization of the measuring device around the point x with the spatial resolution a ; g labels the apparatus function of the equipment, an *aperture*.

If the measuring equipment has the best resolution A , *i.e.* all states $\langle g; a \geq A, x | \phi \rangle$ are registered, but those with $a < A$ are not, the regularization of the fields in momentum space, with the cutoff momentum $\Lambda = 2\pi/A$ corresponds to the UV-regularized functions

$$\phi^{(A)}(x) = \frac{1}{C_g} \int_{a \geq A} \langle x | g; a, b \rangle d\mu(a, b) \langle g; a, b | \phi \rangle.$$

The regularized n -point Green functions are

$$\mathcal{G}^{(A)}(x_1, \dots, x_n) \equiv \langle \phi^{(A)}(x_1), \dots, \phi^{(A)}(x_n) \rangle_c.$$

Continuous Wavelet Transform

To keep the scale-dependent fields the same physical dimension as the ordinary fields we use the CWT in L^1 -norm

[FPAA90, Chu92, HM98]:

$$\begin{aligned}\phi(x) &= \frac{1}{C_g} \int \frac{1}{a^d} g\left(\frac{x-b}{a}\right) \phi_a(b) \frac{da db}{a}, \\ \phi_a(b) &= \int \frac{1}{a^d} g\left(\frac{x-b}{a}\right) \phi(x) d^d x, \quad \tilde{\phi}_a(k) = \overline{\tilde{g}(ak)} \tilde{\phi}(k)\end{aligned}$$

For isotropic wavelets g the normalization constant C_ψ is readily evaluated using Fourier transform:

$$C_g = \int_0^\infty |\tilde{g}(ak)|^2 \frac{da}{a} = \int |\tilde{g}(k)|^2 \frac{d^d k}{S_d |k|} < \infty,$$

where $S_d = \frac{2\pi^{d/2}}{\Gamma(d/2)}$ is the area of unit sphere in \mathbb{R}^d .

Continuous Wavelet Transform in D dimensions

$$G : x' = aR(\theta)x + b, x, b \in \mathbb{R}^d, a \in \mathbb{R}_+, \theta \in SO(d),$$

where $R(\theta)$ is the rotation matrix. We define unitary representation of the affine transform:

$$U(a, b, \theta)g(x) = \frac{1}{a^d} g \left(R^{-1}(\theta) \frac{x - b}{a} \right).$$

The wavelet coefficients of the function $\phi(x) \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^d)$ with respect to the basic wavelet $g(x)$ are

$$\phi_{a,\theta}(b) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \frac{1}{a^d} \overline{g \left(R^{-1}(\theta) \frac{x - b}{a} \right)} \phi(x) d^d x.$$

The function $\phi(x)$ can be reconstructed from its wavelet coefficients:

$$\phi(x) = \frac{1}{C_g} \int \frac{1}{a^d} g \left(R^{-1}(\theta) \frac{x - b}{a} \right) \phi_{a\theta}(b) \frac{dad^d b}{a} d\mu(\theta)$$

Feynman Diagram Technique

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- each interaction vertex is substituted by its wavelet transform; for the N -th power interaction vertex this gives multiplication

by factor $\prod_{i=1}^N \overline{\tilde{g}(a_i k_i)}$.

Scalar field example of SDP

Substitution of the CWT into field theory $W[J]$ gives a theory for the fields $\phi_a(x)$ [Alt07]:

$$\begin{aligned} W_W[J_a] &= \mathcal{N} \int \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \int \phi_{a_1}(x_1) D(a_1, a_2, x_1 - x_2) \phi_{a_2}(x_2) \frac{da_1 d^d x_1}{a_1} \right. \\ &\times \frac{da_2 d^d x_2}{a_2} - \frac{\lambda}{4!} \int V_{x_1, \dots, x_4}^{a_1, \dots, a_4} \phi_{a_1}(x_1) \cdots \phi_{a_4}(x_4) \frac{da_1 d^d x_1}{a_1} \times \\ &\times \left. \frac{da_2 d^d x_2}{a_2} \frac{da_3 d^d x_3}{a_3} \frac{da_4 d^d x_4}{a_4} + \int J_a(x) \phi_a(x) \frac{da d^d x}{a} \right] \mathcal{D}\phi_a, \end{aligned}$$

with $D(a_1, a_2, x_1 - x_2)$ and $V_{x_1, \dots, x_4}^{a_1, \dots, a_4}$ denoting the wavelet images of the inverse propagator and that of the interaction potential.

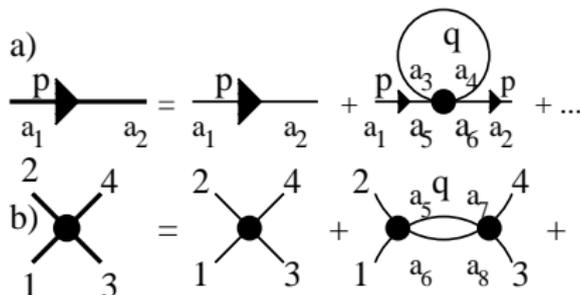
The Green functions for scale component fields are given by functional derivatives

$$\langle \phi_{a_1}(x_1) \cdots \phi_{a_n}(x_n) \rangle_c = \frac{\delta^n \ln W_W[J_a]}{\delta J_{a_1}(x_1) \cdots \delta J_{a_n}(x_n)} \Big|_{J=0}.$$

Diagrams: scale-dependent ϕ^4 theory

Let us consider the contribution of the tadpole diagram to the two-point Green function $G^{(2)}(a_1, a_2, p)$ shown in a) below. The bare Green function is

$$G_0^{(2)}(a_1, a_2, p) = \frac{\tilde{g}(a_1 p) \tilde{g}(-a_2 p)}{p^2 + m^2}.$$



+ permutations + ...

Feynman diagrams for the Green functions $G^{(2)}$ and $G^{(4)}$ for the resolution-dependent fields

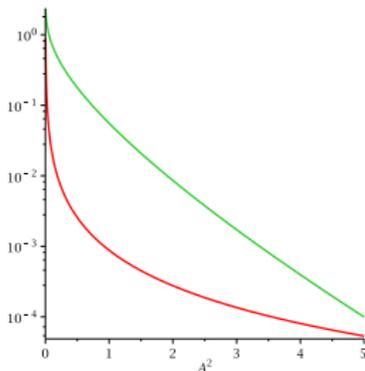
Tadpole and one-loop vertex for ϕ^4 in $d = 4$

$$g_1 \text{ wavelet } g(x) = -\frac{x e^{-x^2/2}}{(2\pi)^{d/2}}, \quad \tilde{g}(k) = i k e^{-k^2/2}$$

$$T_1^4(\alpha^2) = \frac{-4\alpha^4 e^{2\alpha^2} \text{Ei}_1(2\alpha^2) + 2\alpha^2}{64\pi^2 \alpha^4} m^2,$$

$$\lim_{s^2 \gg 4m^2} X_4(\alpha^2) = \frac{\lambda^2}{256\pi^6} \frac{e^{-2\alpha^2}}{2\alpha^2} [e^{\alpha^2} - 1 - \alpha^2 e^{2\alpha^2} \text{Ei}_1(\alpha^2) + 2\alpha^2 e^{2\alpha^2} \text{Ei}_1(2\alpha^2)],$$

Dimensionless scale factor $\alpha \equiv Am$, A is the minimal scale of all external lines



Scale-decay factors for the two-point and four-point Green functions. The bottom curve is the graph of the tadpole and one-loop vertex as a function of A^2 ; the top curve is the graph of the vertex divided by $\frac{\lambda^2}{256\pi^6}$ as a function of A^2 . $m = s^2 = 1$ is set for both curves. Redrawn from Altisky PRD 81(2010)125003

Causality and commutation relations

In standard quantum field theory the operator ordering is performed according to the non-decreasing of the time argument in the product of the operator-valued functions acting on vacuum state

$$\underbrace{A(t_n)A(t_{n-1}) \dots A(t_2)A(t_1)}_{t_n \geq t_{n-1} \geq \dots \geq t_2 \geq t_1} |0\rangle.$$

The quantization is performed by separating the Fourier transform of quantum fields into the positive- and the negative-frequency parts

$$\phi = \phi^+(x) + \phi^-(x),$$

defined as follows

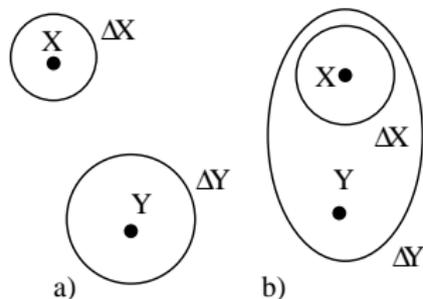
$$\phi(x) = \int \frac{d^d k}{(2\pi)^d} [e^{ikx} u^+(k) + e^{-ikx} u^-(k)],$$

where the operators $u^\pm(k) = u(\pm k)\theta(k_0)$ are subjected to canonical commutation relations

$$[u^+(k), u^-(k')] = \Delta(k, k').$$

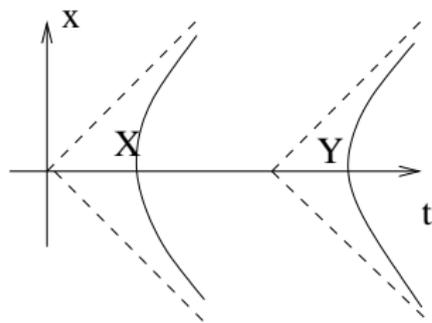
Causality for scale-dependent fields

In case of the scale-dependent fields, because of the presence of the scale argument in new fields $\phi_{a,\eta}(x)$, where a and η label the size and the shape of the region centered at x , the problem arises how to order the operators supported by different regions. This problem was solved in (Altaisky PRD 81(2010)125003) on the base of the *region causality assumption* [CC05].

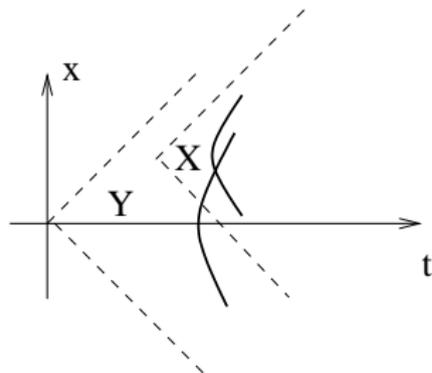


Causal ordering of scale-dependent fields. Space-like regions are drawn in Euclidean space: a) The event regions do not intersect; b) Event X is inside the event Y

Region Causality in Minkowski Space



Disjoint events in (t, x) plane in Minkowski space



Nontrivial intersection of two events $X \subset Y$ in (t, x) plane in Minkowski space

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Causality principle

The coarse acts on vacuum first

<u>d_0^0</u>		<u>d_1^0</u>	
d_{00}^1	d_{01}^1	<u>d_{10}^1</u>	d_{11}^1

Table: Binary tree of operator-valued functions. Vertical direction corresponds to the scale variable. The causal sequence of the operator-valued functions shown in the table above is: $d_0^0, d_{00}^1, d_{01}^1, d_1^0, d_{10}^1, d_{11}^1$. As it is shown the underlined regions of different scales do not intersect

Green's functions are not singular at coinciding arguments – they are projections from coarser scale to finer scale:

$$G_0^{(2)}(a_1, a_2, b_1 - b_2 = 0) = \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{\tilde{g}(a_1 p) \tilde{g}(-a_2 p)}{p^2 + m^2} e^{-i p \cdot 0},$$

since $|\tilde{g}(p)|$ vanish at $p \rightarrow \infty$.

Dyson-Schwinger Equation

The Dyson-Schwinger equation relating the full propagator with the bare propagator is symbolically drawn in the diagram

$$\text{hatched rectangle}(a_y, a_x) = \text{solid line}(a_y, a_x) + \text{hatched rectangle}(a_y, a_x) \text{ with hatched circle}(a_1, a_2)$$

The corresponding integral equation can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} G(x-y, a_x, a_y) = & G(x-y, a_x, a_y) + \int \frac{da_1}{a_1} \int \frac{da_2}{a_2} \int dx_1 dx_2 \times \\ & \times G(x-x_2, a_x, a_2) \mathcal{P}(x_2-x_1, a_2, a_1) G(x_1-y, a_1, a_y), \end{aligned}$$

where $\mathcal{P}(x_2-x_1, a_2, a_1)$ denotes the vacuum polarization operator if G is the massless boson, or the self-energy diagram otherwise.

$$\tilde{G}_{a_x, a_y}(p) = \tilde{G}_{a_x, a_y}(p) + \int \frac{da_1}{a_1} \int \frac{da_2}{a_2} \tilde{G}_{a_x, a_2}(p) \tilde{\mathcal{P}}_{a_2, a_1}(p) \tilde{G}_{a_1, a_y}(p).$$

Light-cone coordinates (x_+, x_-, x, y)

$$x_{\pm} = \frac{t \pm z}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad \mathbf{x}_{\perp} = (x, y)$$

The rotation matrix has a block-diagonal form

$$M(\eta, \phi) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{\eta} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-\eta} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \cos \phi & \sin \phi \\ 0 & 0 & -\sin \phi & \cos \phi \end{pmatrix},$$

so that $M^{-1}(\eta, \phi) = M(-\eta, -\phi)$.

We can define the wavelet transform in light-cone coordinates in the same way as in Euclidean space using the representation of the affine group

$$x' = aM(\eta, \phi)x + b$$

Definition of basic wavelets in Minkowski space

In contrast to wavelet transform in Euclidean space, where the basic wavelet g can be defined globally on \mathbb{R}^d , the basic wavelet in Minkowski space is to be defined separately in four domains impassible by Lorentz rotations:

$$A_1 : k_+ > 0, k_- < 0; A_2 : k_+ < 0, k_- > 0;$$
$$A_3 : k_+ > 0, k_- > 0; A_4 : k_+ < 0, k_- < 0,$$

where k is wave vector, $k_{\pm} = \frac{\omega \pm k_z}{\sqrt{2}}$. Whence we have four separate wavelets in these four domains.

Thus the wavelet coefficients are

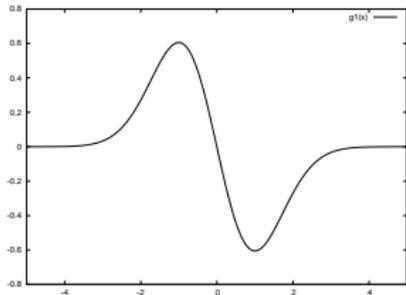
$$W_{ab\eta\phi}^i = \int_{A_i} e^{ik_- b_+ + ik_+ b_- - ik_{\perp} \mathbf{b}_{\perp}} \tilde{f}(k_-, k_+, \mathbf{k}_{\perp})$$
$$\bar{g}(ae^{\eta} k_-, ae^{-\eta} k_+, aR^{-1}(\phi)\mathbf{k}_{\perp}) \frac{dk_+ dk_- d^2\mathbf{k}_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^4}.$$

Choice of basic wavelet

Let us introduce a localized wave packet in Fourier space
 $\tilde{g}(t, k) = e^{-\imath tk - k^2/2}$. It is a gaussian wave packet at initial time $t=0$. At finite t it can be approximated by

$$\tilde{g}(t, k) = \tilde{g}_0(k) + \frac{t}{1!} \tilde{g}_1(k) + \frac{t^2}{2!} \tilde{g}_2(k) + O(t^3),$$

where $\tilde{g}_n(k) = \frac{d^n}{dt^n} \tilde{g}(t, k)|_{t=0}$ are responsible for the shape of the packet at the times at which 1, 2 or n excitations are significant; with g_1 being the first excitation.



The only restriction is the finiteness of the wavelet cutoff function

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{C_g} \int_x^\infty |\tilde{g}(a)|^2 \frac{da}{a}, f(0) = 1$$

Quantum electrodynamics: one loop

In one-loop approximation the radiation corrections in QED come from three primitive Feynman graphs: **fermion self-energy**

$$\Sigma(p) = -e^2 \int \frac{d^4 q}{(2\pi)^4} \gamma_\mu \frac{-i}{\not{p} - \not{q} + m} \gamma_\nu \frac{\delta_{\mu\nu}}{q^2},$$

gives the corrections to the bare electron mass m_0 related to irradiation of virtual photons;

vacuum polarization operator

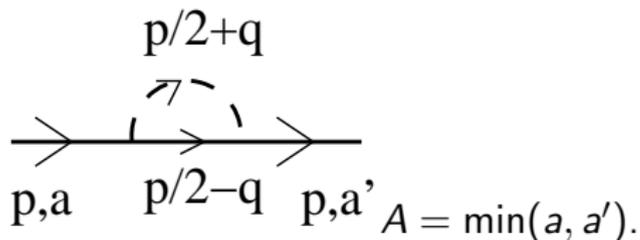
$$\Pi_{\mu\nu}(p) = -e^2 \int \frac{d^4 q}{(2\pi)^4} \text{Sp} \left[\gamma_\mu \frac{1}{\not{p} + \not{q} + m} \gamma_\nu \frac{1}{\not{q} + m} \right]$$

contributes to the Lamb shift of the atom energy levels;
and the **vertex function**

$$\Gamma_\rho(p, q) = -ie^3 \int \frac{d^4 f}{(2\pi)^4} \gamma_\tau \frac{1}{\not{p} + \not{f} + m} \gamma_\rho \frac{1}{\not{f} + \not{q} + m} \gamma_\sigma \frac{\delta_{\tau\sigma}}{f^2}$$

determines the anomalous magnetic moment of the electron

Electron self-energy in scale-dependent theory



$$\frac{\Sigma^{(A)}(p)}{\tilde{g}(ap)\tilde{g}(-a'p)} = -ie^2 \int \frac{d^4q}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{F_A(p, q) \gamma_\mu \left[\frac{\not{p}}{2} - \not{q} - m \right] \gamma_\mu}{\left[\left(\frac{p}{2} - q \right)^2 + m^2 \right] \left[\frac{p}{2} + q \right]^2},$$

For the isotropic wavelet $F_A(p, q) = f^2(A(\frac{p}{2} - q))f^2(A(\frac{p}{2} + q))$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\Sigma^{(A)}(p)}{\tilde{g}(ap)\tilde{g}(-a'p)} &= -ie^2 \int \frac{d^4y}{(2\pi)^4} F_A(p, |p|y) \times \\ &\times \frac{\not{p} + 4m - 2|p|y}{\left[y^2 + \frac{1}{4} - y \cos \theta - \frac{m^2}{p^2} \right] \left[y^2 + \frac{1}{4} + y \cos \theta \right]}. \end{aligned}$$

where $\theta = \angle(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q})$ is the Euclidean angle; $\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{q}/|\mathbf{p}|$

Electron self-energy, g_1 wavelet

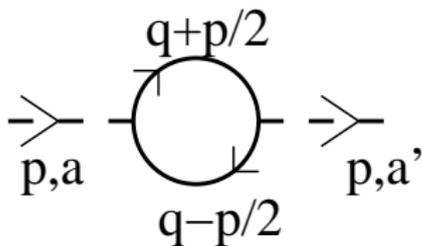
In high energy limit, $p^2 \gg 4m^2$, the contribution of last term in the numerator vanishes for the symmetry, and the diagram can be easily integrated in angle variable:

$$\frac{\Sigma^{(A)}(p)}{\tilde{g}(ap)\tilde{g}(-a'p)} = -\frac{ie^2}{4\pi^2} R_1(p)(\not{p} + 4m) \quad \text{where:}$$
$$R_1(p) = \int_0^\infty dy y F_A(p, |p|y) \left[1 - \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{\beta^2(y)}} \right],$$
$$\beta(y) = y + \frac{1}{4y}.$$

The integral $R_1(p)$ is finite for any wavelet cutoff function. For the g_1 wavelet we get

$$R_1(p) = \frac{1}{8A^2 p^2} (2A^2 p^2 \text{Ei}_1(A^2 p^2) - 4A^2 p^2 \text{Ei}_1(2A^2 p^2) - e^{-A^2 p^2} + 2e^{-2A^2 p^2})$$

Vacuum polarization diagram



$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\Pi_{\mu\nu}^{(A)}(p)}{\tilde{g}(ap)\tilde{g}(-a'p)} &= -e^2 \int \frac{d^4q}{(2\pi)^4} F_A(p, q) \times \\
 &\times \frac{\text{Sp}(\gamma_\mu(\not{q} + \not{p}/2 - m)\gamma_\nu(\not{q} - \not{p}/2 - m))}{[(q + p/2)^2 + m^2][(q - p/2)^2 + m^2]} \\
 &= -4e^2 \int \frac{d^4q}{(2\pi)^4} F_A(p, q) \times \\
 &\times \frac{2q_\mu q_\nu - \frac{1}{2}p_\mu p_\nu + \delta_{\mu\nu}(\frac{p^2}{4} - q^2 - m^2)}{[(q + \frac{p}{2})^2 + m^2][(q - \frac{p}{2})^2 + m^2]}.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\Pi_{\mu\nu}^{(A)}(p)}{\tilde{g}(ap)\tilde{g}(-a'p)} = \left(\delta_{\mu\nu} - \frac{p_\mu p_\nu}{p^2} \right) \pi_T^{(A)} + \chi^{(A)} \frac{p_\mu p_\nu}{p^2}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \pi_T^{(A)} = & -\frac{e^2}{3\pi^2} m^2 p^2 \int_0^\infty dy y F_A(mp, mpy) \left[y^2 + \right. \\ & + \left. \left(1 - \sqrt{\frac{\frac{1}{16} + y^4 + \frac{1}{p^4} - \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{1}{2p^2} + \frac{2y^2}{p^2}}{\left(\frac{1}{4} + y^2 + \frac{1}{p^2}\right)^2}} \right) \right. \\ & \times \left. \left. \left(\frac{5}{8} - \frac{4}{p^2} - \frac{2}{p^4} - 2y^2 \left(1 + \frac{2}{p^2} \right) - 2y^4 \right) \right] \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \chi^{(A)} = & \frac{e^2 m^2 p^2}{\pi^2} \int_0^\infty dy y F_A(mp, mpy) \\ & \times \left[y^2 - \left(1 - \sqrt{\frac{\frac{1}{16} + y^4 + \frac{1}{p^4} - \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{1}{2p^2} + \frac{2y^2}{p^2}}{\left(\frac{1}{4} + y^2 + \frac{1}{p^2}\right)^2}} \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Result for g_1 wavelet at large $p^2 \gg 4$

For g_1 wavelet the regularizing function

$$F_A(p, q) = \exp(-A^2 p^2 - 4A^2 q^2).$$

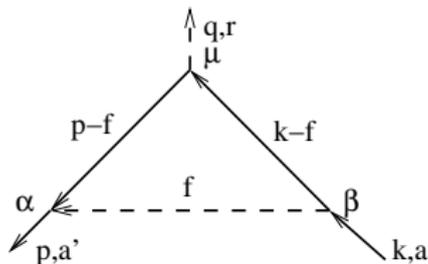
Hence for large $p^2 \gg 4$ the integral can be evaluated by substitution $y^2 = t$

$$\begin{aligned} \pi_T^{(A)} = & -\frac{e^2}{6\pi^2} m^2 p^2 \left\{ \frac{e^{-a^2 p^2}}{8a^6 p^6} (4a^4 p^4 - a^2 p^2 - 1) + \frac{e^{-2a^2 p^2}}{8a^6 p^6} \right. \\ & \times \left. (1 - 4a^4 p^4 + 2a^2 p^2) - \frac{1}{2} \text{Ei}_1(a^2 p^2) + \text{Ei}_1(2a^2 p^2) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, for the longitudinal term

$$\chi^A = \frac{e^2 m^2 p^2}{16\pi^2} \frac{e^{-a^2 p^2} (a^2 p^2 - 1 + e^{-a^2 p^2})}{a^6 p^6}$$

Vertex function



$$-ie \frac{\Gamma_{\mu,r}^{(A)}}{\tilde{g}(-pa')\tilde{g}(-qr)\tilde{g}(ka)} = (-ie)^3 \int \frac{d^4 l}{(2\pi)^4} \gamma_\alpha G(p-f) \gamma_\mu \times \\ \times G(k-f) \gamma_\beta D_{\alpha\beta} F_A(p-f) F_A(k-f) F_A(f).$$

The explicit substitution with photon propagator taken in Feynman gauge gives

$$ie \frac{\Gamma_{\mu,r}^{(A)}}{\tilde{g}(-pa')\tilde{g}(-qr)\tilde{g}(ka)} = (-ie)^3 \int \frac{d^4 f}{(2\pi)^4} \gamma_\alpha \frac{\not{p} - \not{f} - m}{(p-f)^2 + m^2} \\ \times \gamma_\mu \frac{\not{k} - \not{f} - m}{(k-f)^2 + m^2} \gamma_\beta \frac{1}{f^2} F_A(p-f) F_A(k-f) F_A(f)$$

The standard procedure of the variation of action with a gauge fixing term leads to the equations (Albeverio, Altaisky, 2009):

$$q_\mu \Gamma_{\mu a_4 a_3 a_1}(p, q, p+q) = \int \frac{da_2}{a_2} G_{a_1 a_2}^{-1}(p+q) \tilde{M}_{a_2 a_3 a_4}(p+q, q, p) \\ - \int \frac{da_2}{a_2} \tilde{M}_{a_1 a_3 a_2}(p+q, q, p) G_{a_2 a_4}^{-1}(p),$$

where

$$\tilde{M}_{a_1 a_2 a_3}(k_1, k_2, k_3) = (2\pi)^d \delta^d(k_1 - k_2 - k_3) \bar{g}(a_1 k_1) \tilde{g}(a_2 k_2) \tilde{g}(a_3 k_3).$$

Quantum chromodynamics

Vacuum polarization operator – gluon loop

$$\Pi_{AB,\mu\nu}^{(\mathcal{A})}(p) = -\frac{g^2}{2} f^{ABC} f^{BDC} \int \frac{d^4 l}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{N_{\mu\nu}(l, p) F_{\mathcal{A}}(l + p, l)}{l^2(l + p)^2},$$

This integral can be easily evaluated in infrared limit [AK13] where ordinary QCD is divergent:

$$\Pi_{AB,\mu\nu}^{(\mathcal{A},g_1)}(p \rightarrow 0) = -g^2 f^{ACD} f^{BDC} \int \frac{d^4 q}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{e^{-4A^2 q^2}}{q^4} [5q_\mu q_\nu + q^2 \delta_{\mu\nu}].$$

Making use of isotropy we get

$$\begin{aligned} \Pi_{AB,\mu\nu}^{(\mathcal{A},g_1)}(p \rightarrow 0) &= -\frac{9g^2 f^{ACD} f^{BDC} \delta_{\mu\nu}}{32} \int_0^\infty q dq e^{-4A^2 q^2} \\ &= -\frac{9g^2 f^{ACD} f^{BDC} \delta_{\mu\nu}}{256A^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Abelian theory

$$A_\mu(x) \rightarrow A_\mu(x) + \partial_\mu \omega(x)$$

In view of linearity of CWT:

$$A_{\mu(x);a} \rightarrow A_{\mu(x);a} + \partial_\mu \omega_a(x)$$

Non-Abelian Theory

$$A_\mu(x) \rightarrow U(x)A_\mu(x)U^+(x) - iU(x)\partial_\mu U^+(x)$$

Nonlinear terms give commutator between different scales and we cannot set the gauge invariance over given scale

$$f^{ACB} T^B \int \frac{1}{a^d} g \left(\frac{x-b}{a} \right) \omega_a^A(b) \frac{dad b}{a} \frac{1}{a'^d} g \left(\frac{x-b'}{a'} \right) A_{\mu;a'}^C(b') \frac{da' db'}{a'}$$

Pure gauge $A_\mu(x) = iU\partial_\mu U^\dagger$

Instanton solution

$$A_\mu(x) = \frac{2\rho^2}{x^2 + \rho^2} x_\nu \Lambda_{\mu\nu}$$

Cannot be used as basic wavelet for the nonvanishing behavior of its Fourier image at $k \rightarrow 0$. However the integration over affine group is the same as for wavelets.

Quantization with constraints: Bulut and Polyzou. 2013; J.-P. Gazeau et al. 2013;

Applications: Scale-dependent corrections to Casimir force

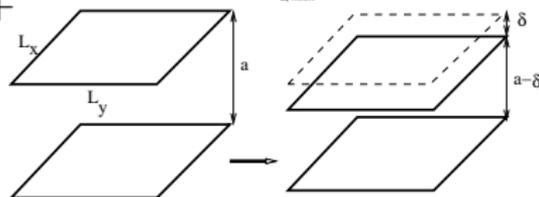
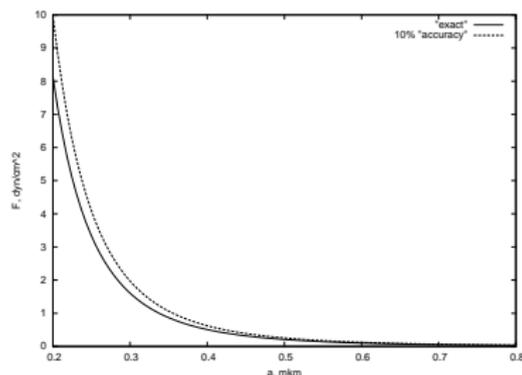
This gives the Casimir energy

$$\mathcal{E}(a, \delta) = -\frac{\hbar c \pi^2}{720 a^3} \left[1 + \frac{2}{7} \left(\frac{2\pi\delta}{a} \right)^2 + \frac{3}{28} \left(\frac{2\pi\delta}{a} \right)^4 + \dots \right],$$

and the Casimir force

$$\mathcal{F}(a, \delta) = -\frac{\hbar c \pi^2}{240 a^4} \left[1 + \frac{10}{21} \left(\frac{2\pi\delta}{a} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{2\pi\delta}{a} \right)^4 + \dots \right],$$

Deviation of Casimir force between two plates of unit area in vacuum. The solid line denotes the "exact" Casimir force ($\delta = 0$), the dashed line denotes the scale-dependent Casimir force with $\delta/a = 0.1$



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Perspectives

- QCD
- Instantons

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