

Problem 4.1

- a) For a ϕ^4 -theory compute the one-loop correction to the propagator in momentum space using dimensional regularization and show that it is proportional to $m^{d-2}\Gamma(1-d/2)$.
- b) Add the appropriate counterterm and determine δ_Z and δ_m .

Problem 4.2

- a) By using dimensional regularization show

$$\begin{aligned} iV(p^2) &:= \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{d^4k}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{i}{k^2 - m^2} \frac{i}{(k+p)^2 - m^2} \\ &= -\frac{1}{32\pi^2} \int_0^1 dx \left(\frac{2}{\epsilon} - \ln\left(\frac{\Delta e^\gamma}{4\pi}\right) + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon) \right) \end{aligned}$$

and compute Δ .

- b) The four-point scattering amplitude $\mathcal{M}(p_1p_2 \rightarrow p_3p_4)$ for a ϕ^4 -theory is given by

$$i\mathcal{M}(p_1p_2 \rightarrow p_3p_4) = -i\lambda + (-i\lambda)^2 (iV(s) + iV(t) + iV(u)) - i\delta_\lambda$$

for $\delta_\lambda = -\lambda^2(V(4m^2) + 2V(0))$. Using the results of a) show

$$i\mathcal{M}(p_1p_2 \rightarrow p_3p_4) = -i\lambda + \frac{i\lambda^2}{32\pi^2} \int_0^1 dx \ln X$$

and compute X . Check that \mathcal{M} is UV-finite.

Problem 4.3

The bare Lagrangian for the Yukawa theory is given by

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\psi}(i\cancel{\partial} - m_{f0})\psi + \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu\phi\partial^\mu\phi - m_0^2\phi^2 - \frac{1}{4!}\lambda_0\phi^4 - g_0\bar{\psi}\psi\phi .$$

- a) Express \mathcal{L} in terms of the renormalized couplings m, m_f, g , the renormalized fields ϕ_r, ψ_r and appropriate counterterms $\delta_{Z_\phi}, \delta_{Z_\psi}, \delta_{m_f}, \delta_m, \delta_\lambda, \delta_g$.
- b) What are the renormalization conditions and which counterterms do they fix.
- c) Compute explicitly the one-loop correction of the scalar propagator and determine

$$\delta_{Z_\phi} = \lim_{d \rightarrow 4} \frac{4g^2(d-1)}{(4\pi)^{d/2}} \int_0^1 dx x(1-x) \frac{\Gamma(2 - \frac{d}{2})}{(\Delta(p^2 = m^2))^{2 - \frac{d}{2}}}$$

$$\delta_m = \lim_{d \rightarrow 4} \frac{4g^2(d-1)}{(4\pi)^{d/2}} \int_0^1 dx \frac{\Gamma(1 - \frac{d}{2})}{(\Delta(p^2 = m^2))^{1 - \frac{d}{2}}} + m^2 \delta_{Z_\phi}$$