

Perturbation theory & Feynman diagrams - part 2

① Overview

- motivation: $\hat{H} = \hat{H}_0 + \hat{V}$

$$\hat{H}_0 = \sum_{\mathbf{k}\sigma} \varepsilon_{\mathbf{k}} \hat{c}_{\mathbf{k}\sigma}^{\dagger} \hat{c}_{\mathbf{k}\sigma} \quad \text{non-interacting particles (electrons in a single band)}$$

$$\hat{V} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\mathbf{k}\mathbf{k}'\mathbf{q}\sigma\sigma'} V_{\mathbf{q}} \hat{c}_{\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{q}\sigma}^{\dagger} \hat{c}_{\mathbf{k}'-\mathbf{q}\sigma'}^{\dagger} \hat{c}_{\mathbf{k}'\sigma'} \hat{c}_{\mathbf{k}\sigma} \quad \text{pair interaction (Coulomb interaction)}$$

start with \hat{H}_0 and include \hat{V} perturbatively up to **infinite order**

- non-stationary perturbation theory

Dyson series

$$|\tilde{\psi}(t)\rangle = \left[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{i}{\hbar}\right)^n \int_0^t dt_1 \int_0^{t_1} dt_2 \dots \int_0^{t_{n-1}} dt_n \tilde{V}(t_1) \tilde{V}(t_2) \dots \tilde{V}(t_n) \right] |\tilde{\psi}(0)\rangle$$

interaction picture

$$|\tilde{\psi}(t)\rangle = e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \hat{H}_0 t} |\psi(t)\rangle \quad \tilde{V}(t) = e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \hat{H}_0 t} \hat{V}(t) e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar} \hat{H}_0 t}$$

• thermal propagators

$$G(\tau, \tau') = -\frac{1}{\hbar} \frac{\text{Tr} [e^{-\beta \hat{H}} T \{ \hat{A}(\tau) \hat{B}(\tau') \}]}{\text{Tr} [e^{-\beta \hat{H}}]}$$

• Dyson expansion of the thermal propagator

$$G(\tau \geq 0) = -\frac{1}{\hbar} \frac{\langle T \{ U(\hbar\beta) \hat{C}_A(\tau) \hat{C}_B^\dagger(0) \} \rangle_0}{\langle U(\hbar\beta) \rangle_0}$$

$$U(\hbar\beta) = \hat{1} + \frac{1}{1!} \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^1 \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_1 \tilde{V}(\tau_1) + \dots$$

← averages for a non-interacting system

$$G(\tau \geq 0) = -\frac{1}{\hbar} \frac{\langle T \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^n \frac{1}{n!} \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_1 \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_2 \dots \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_n \tilde{V}(\tau_1) \tilde{V}(\tau_2) \dots \tilde{V}(\tau_n) \tilde{A}(\tau) \tilde{B}(0) \right\} \rangle_0}{\langle T \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^n \frac{1}{n!} \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_1 \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_2 \dots \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_n \tilde{V}(\tau_1) \tilde{V}(\tau_2) \dots \tilde{V}(\tau_n) \right\} \rangle_0}$$

$\tilde{V}, \tilde{A}, \tilde{B}$ expressed using c^\dagger, c $\xrightarrow{\text{Wick's theorem}}$ products of non-interacting G_0

Heisenberg operators

$$\hat{A}(\tau) = e^{\frac{\tau}{\hbar} \hat{H}} \hat{A} e^{-\frac{\tau}{\hbar} \hat{H}}$$

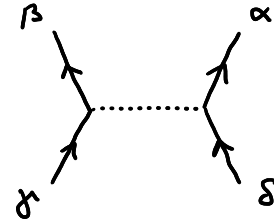
interaction picture

$$\tilde{A}(\tau) = e^{\frac{\tau}{\hbar} \hat{H}_0} \hat{A} e^{-\frac{\tau}{\hbar} \hat{H}_0}$$

• Feynman diagrams

$$\tilde{V}(\tau) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} \hat{c}_\alpha^\dagger(\tau^+) \hat{c}_\beta^\dagger(\tau^+) \hat{c}_\gamma(\tau) \hat{c}_\delta(\tau)$$

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 Labels of single-particle states



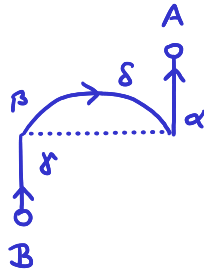
useful to keep track of the terms in the perturbation series

$$G \sim -\frac{1}{\hbar} \langle T \{ \hat{c}_A(\tau) \hat{c}_B^\dagger(0) \} \rangle \quad \leftarrow \text{Heisenberg} \quad \swarrow \text{interaction picture}$$

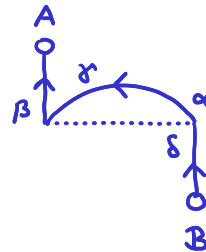
$$G \sim \frac{1}{\dots} [\dots + \langle T \{ \hat{c}_A(\tau) \hat{c}_\alpha^\dagger(\tau_1^+) \hat{c}_\beta^\dagger(\tau_1^+) \hat{c}_\gamma(\tau_1) \hat{c}_\delta(\tau_1) \hat{c}_B^\dagger(0) \} \rangle_0 + \dots]$$

Hartree-Fock terms

$$c_A c_\alpha^\dagger c_\beta^\dagger c_\gamma c_\delta c_B^\dagger$$



τ
 τ_1
 $\tau=0$



$$c_A c_\alpha^\dagger c_\beta^\dagger c_\gamma c_\delta c_B^\dagger$$

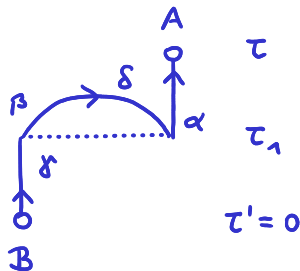
GOAL 1: reduction of the series (combinatorial explosion of terms with increasing n)

$$g \sim \frac{\begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \circ \\ + \frac{1}{1!} \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^1 \frac{1}{2} V \left[\begin{array}{c} \circ \cdots \circ \\ \circ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \circ \cdots \circ \\ \circ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \circ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \circ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \circ \cdots \circ \\ \circ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \circ \end{array} \right] + \dots \end{array}}{1 + \frac{1}{1!} \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^1 \frac{1}{2} V \left[\begin{array}{c} \circ \cdots \circ \\ \circ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \circ \end{array} \right] + \dots}$$

GOAL 2: diagrammatic rules - how to convert a diagram into an expression

n=1 in the numerator: $\langle T \{ \hat{C}_A(\tau) \hat{C}_\alpha^+(\tau_1^+) \hat{C}_\beta^+(\tau_1^+) \hat{C}_\gamma^+(\tau_1) \hat{C}_\delta(\tau_1) \hat{C}_B^+(0) \} \rangle_0$

$$\underbrace{C_A C_\alpha^+}_{\text{A}} \underbrace{C_\beta^+ C_\gamma^+ C_\delta^+ C_B^+}_{\text{B}}$$



$$-\frac{1}{\hbar} \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^1 \frac{1}{1!} \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_1 \sum_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} \frac{1}{2} V_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}$$

$$\pm G_0(A, \alpha, \tau - \tau_1) G_0(\delta, \beta, 0^-)$$

$$G_0(\gamma, B, \tau_1 - \tau')$$

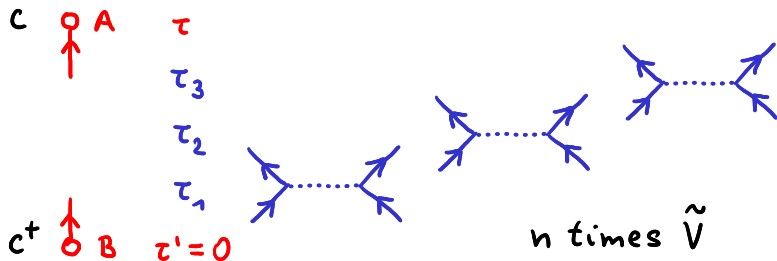
② Reduction of the number of diagrams ($\infty \rightarrow$ smaller ∞)

$$g \sim \frac{\begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \circ \\ \vdots \\ \uparrow \end{array} + \frac{1}{1!} \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^1 \frac{1}{2} V \left[\begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \vdots \\ \circ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \vdots \\ \circ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \vdots \\ \uparrow \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \vdots \\ \uparrow \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \vdots \\ \circ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \vdots \\ \circ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \vdots \\ \circ \end{array} \right] + \dots}{1 + \frac{1}{1!} \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^1 \frac{1}{2} V \left[\begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \vdots \\ \circ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \vdots \\ \circ \end{array} \right] + \dots}$$

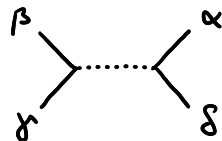
• cancellation of disconnected diagrams

numerator of single-particle propagator

$$\langle T \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^n \frac{1}{n!} \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_1 \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_2 \dots \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_n \tilde{V}(\tau_1) \tilde{V}(\tau_2) \dots \tilde{V}(\tau_n) \hat{C}_A(\tau) \hat{C}_B^+(0) \right\} \rangle_0$$



$$\tilde{V} = \sum V c_{\alpha}^{\dagger} c_{\beta}^{\dagger} c_{\gamma} c_{\delta}$$



A and B always connected by a **backbone** of the diagram - continuous \uparrow line

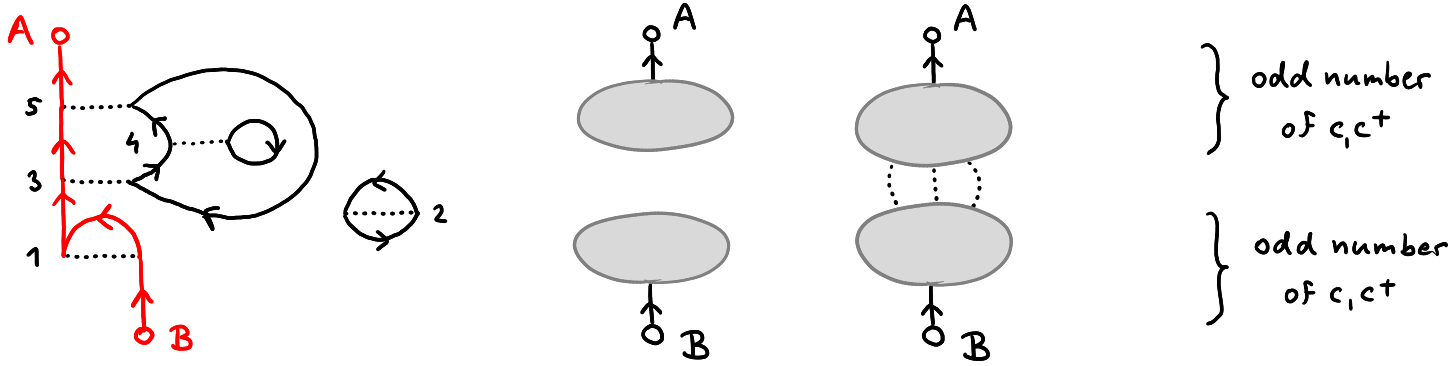
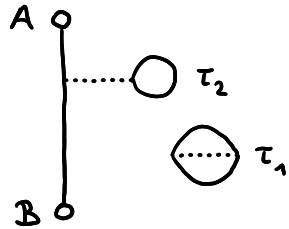


diagram of order $n \rightarrow n$ interaction lines $\rangle \dots \langle$



r interaction lines connected to the backbone $0 \leq r \leq n$

$n-r$ interaction lines in disconnected parts

\int over τ_i set connected to A, B \times \int over τ_i set disconnected from A, B

implies sums over corresponding $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \dots$

r integrals,
 τ, τ' remaining variable

$n-r$ integrals
(can factorize further)

distribution into r and $n-r$ lines can be done in $\binom{n}{r}$ ways

$$G \text{ numerator} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \left(-\frac{1}{2\hbar}\right)^n \left[\text{all diagrams with } n \text{ lines} \right]$$

\swarrow from pair \tilde{V}

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \left(-\frac{1}{2\hbar}\right)^n \sum_{r=0}^n \binom{n}{n-r} \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{diagrams with } r \text{} \\ \text{lines connected to AB} \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{disconnected diagrams} \\ \text{containing } n-r \text{ lines} \end{array} \right]$$

\uparrow
 $\frac{n!}{(n-r)!r!}$

r integrals over τ_i
 and corresponding $\sum_{\alpha \dots}$

$n-r$ integrals over τ_i

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{r!} \left(-\frac{1}{2\hbar}\right)^n \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{diagrams with } r \text{} \\ \text{lines connected to AB} \end{array} \right] \frac{1}{(n-r)!} \left(-\frac{1}{2\hbar}\right)^{n-r} \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{disconnected diagrams} \\ \text{containing } n-r \text{ lines} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m!} \left(-\frac{1}{2\hbar}\right)^m \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{diagrams with } m \text{} \\ \text{lines connected to AB} \end{array} \right] \underbrace{\sum_{m'=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m'!} \left(-\frac{1}{2\hbar}\right)^{m'} \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{disconnected diagrams} \\ \text{containing } m' \text{ lines} \end{array} \right]}_{\text{denominator}}$$

$$\rightarrow g(z \geq 0) = -\frac{1}{\hbar} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \left(-\frac{1}{2\hbar}\right)^n \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{diagrams with } n \dots\dots \\ \text{lines connected to AB} \end{array} \right]$$

• cancellation of $\frac{1}{n!}$

permuting $\tau_1 \dots \tau_n$ only changes the vertical stacking of time labels

$\rightarrow n!$ equivalent contributions $\rightarrow \frac{1}{n!}$ cancelled

Example:

$$\frac{1}{2!} \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{diagram with } \tau_1 \text{ above } \tau_2 \\ \text{diagram with } \tau_2 \text{ above } \tau_1 \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \text{diagram with } \tau_2 \text{ above } \tau_1 \\ \text{diagram with } \tau_1 \text{ above } \tau_2 \end{array} \right) = \begin{array}{c} \text{diagram with } \tau_1 \text{ above } \tau_2 \\ \text{diagram with } \tau_2 \text{ above } \tau_1 \end{array} \downarrow \text{ordered}$$

• cancellation of $\frac{1}{2}$

each interaction line can be used in two orientations \rightarrow compensation of $\frac{1}{2^n}$

$$\frac{1}{2} V_q \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{diagram with } \tau_1 \text{ above } \tau_2 \\ \text{diagram with } \tau_2 \text{ above } \tau_1 \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \text{diagram with } \tau_2 \text{ above } \tau_1 \\ \text{diagram with } \tau_1 \text{ above } \tau_2 \end{array} \right) = V_q \begin{array}{c} \text{diagram with } \tau_1 \text{ above } \tau_2 \\ \text{diagram with } \tau_2 \text{ above } \tau_1 \end{array}$$

$$\rightarrow \mathcal{G}(\tau \geq 0) = -\frac{1}{\hbar} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^n \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{topologically inequivalent diagrams with} \\ n \text{ interaction lines connected to A, B} \end{array} \right]$$

up to second order:

$$\mathcal{G}(\tau \geq 0) = \overset{n=0}{\text{---}} + \overset{n=1}{\text{---} \bigcirc} + \text{---} \text{---} +$$

③ Conservation of momentum (+ spin)

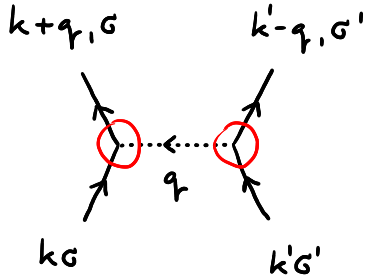
- translationally invariant system
→ momentum conservation
- spin isotropic system
→ spin conservation

single-particle propagator

$$G_0(k, \tau) = -\frac{1}{\hbar} \langle T \{ \hat{c}_{k\sigma}(\tau) \hat{c}_{k\sigma}^\dagger(0) \} \rangle_0$$

(the same for g)

- conserving interaction - Coulomb interaction



$$V = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{kk'q\sigma\sigma'} V_q \hat{c}_{k+q\sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{k'-q\sigma'}^\dagger \hat{c}_{k'\sigma'} \hat{c}_{k\sigma} \quad V_q = \frac{1}{\Omega} \frac{e^2}{\epsilon_0 q^2}$$

conservation - momentum: $k+k' = (k+q) + (k'-q)$

spin: $\sigma \rightarrow \sigma \quad \sigma' \rightarrow \sigma'$

internal momentum transfer q associated with
no transfer of spin through the Coulomb line

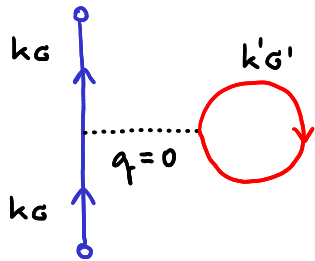
- rules for the momentum and spin "Flow" through the diagram:

1) propagators keep their momentum/spin

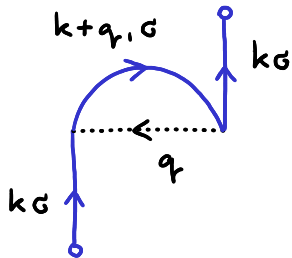
2) momentum and spin conserved at each vertex

$$G \sim \langle T \{ \hat{c}_{k\sigma}(z) \hat{c}_{k\sigma}^{\dagger}(z') \} \rangle$$

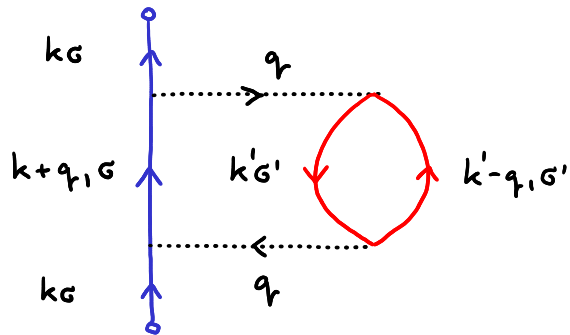
$$V = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{kk'q\sigma\sigma'} V_q \hat{c}_{k+q\sigma}^{\dagger} \hat{c}_{k'-q\sigma'}^{\dagger} \hat{c}_{k'\sigma'} \hat{c}_{k\sigma}$$



$$\sum_{k'\sigma'} V_{q=0} G_{k\sigma} G_{k\sigma} G_{k'\sigma'}$$



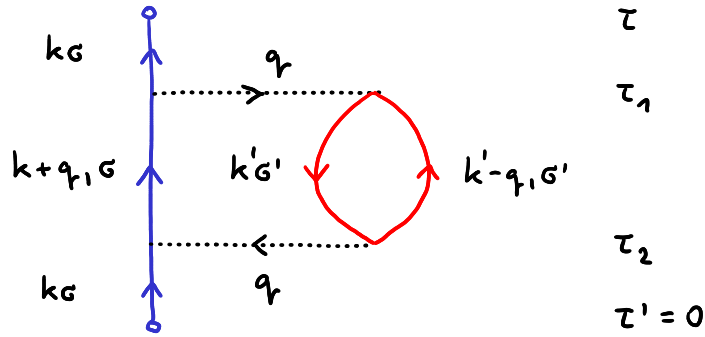
$$\sum_q V_q G_{k\sigma} G_{k+q\sigma} G_{k\sigma}$$



$$\sum_{k'\sigma'} V_q^2 G_{k\sigma} G_{k+q\sigma} G_{k\sigma} G_{k'\sigma'} G_{k'-q\sigma'}$$

- Free momenta and spins to be summed over

④ Conversion to Matsubara representation



$-\hbar G(k, \tau)$ contains

$$\left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^2 \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_1 \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_2 \sum_{q, k', \sigma'} \langle \dots \rangle_0$$

$$\langle \dots \rangle_0 = \langle T \{ c_{k\sigma}(\tau) (V_q c_{k'\sigma'}^+ c_{k\sigma}^+ c_{k+q\sigma} c_{k'-q\sigma'})_{\tau_1} (V_{-q} c_{k'-q\sigma'}^+ c_{k+q\sigma}^+ c_{k\sigma} c_{k'\sigma'})_{\tau_2} c_{k\sigma}^+(0) \} \rangle_0$$

$$= V^2 \langle T \{ c_{k\sigma}(\tau) c_{k\sigma}^+(\tau_1) \} \rangle_0 \langle T \{ c_{k+q\sigma}(\tau_1) c_{k+q\sigma}^+(\tau_2) \} \rangle_0 \langle T \{ c_{k\sigma}(\tau_2) c_{k\sigma}^+(0) \} \rangle_0 \times$$

$$\times \langle T \{ c_{k'\sigma'}^+(\tau_1) c_{k'\sigma'}(\tau_2) \} \rangle_0 \langle T \{ c_{k'-q\sigma'}(\tau_1) c_{k'-q\sigma'}^+(\tau_2) \} \rangle_0$$

$$= V^2 [-\hbar G_0(k, \tau - \tau_1)] [-\hbar G_0(k+q, \tau_1 - \tau_2)] [-\hbar G_0(k, \tau_2)] [-\hbar (-) G_0(k', \tau_2 - \tau_1)] [-\hbar G_0(k'-q, \tau_1 - \tau_2)]$$

$-\hbar G(k, \tau)$ contains

$$\left(-\frac{1}{\hbar}\right)^2 \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_1 \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_2 \sum_{q, k', \sigma'} V_q^2 [-\hbar G_0(k, \tau - \tau_1)] [-\hbar G_0(k+q, \tau_1 - \tau_2)] [-\hbar G_0(k, \tau_2)] [-\hbar (-) G_0(k', \tau_2 - \tau_1)] [-\hbar G_0(k' - q, \tau_1 - \tau_2)]$$

• Matsubara coefficients $-G(k, iE) = \frac{1}{\hbar} \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau [-\hbar G(k, \tau)] e^{iE_n \frac{\tau}{\hbar}}$

Matsubara representation $G_0(k, \tau) = \frac{1}{\hbar\beta} \sum_{iE_n} G_0(k, iE_n) e^{-iE_n \frac{\tau}{\hbar}} \quad iE_n = i \frac{\pi(2n+1)}{\beta}$

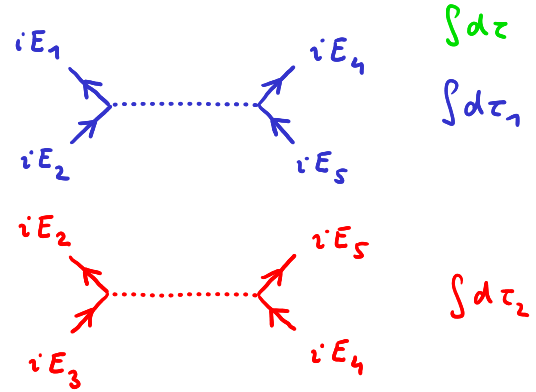
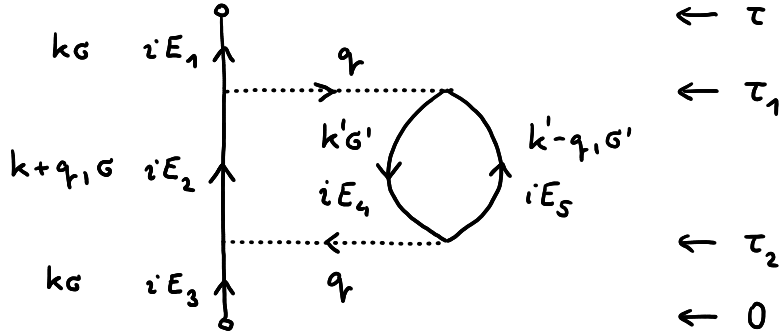
$$-G(k, iE) = (-1) \sum_{q, k', \sigma'} \frac{1}{\hbar} \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar} V_q\right) \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_1 \left(-\frac{1}{\hbar} V_q\right) \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau_2 \frac{1}{\beta^5} \sum_{iE_1} \sum_{iE_2} \sum_{iE_3} \sum_{iE_4} \sum_{iE_5}$$

$$\left[-G_0(k, iE_1) e^{-iE_1 \frac{\tau - \tau_1}{\hbar}}\right] \left[-G_0(k+q, iE_2) e^{-iE_2 \frac{\tau_1 - \tau_2}{\hbar}}\right] \left[-G_0(k, iE_3) e^{-iE_3 \frac{\tau_2}{\hbar}}\right]$$

$$\left[-G_0(k', iE_4) e^{-iE_4 \frac{\tau_2 - \tau_1}{\hbar}}\right] \left[-G_0(k' - q, iE_5) e^{-iE_5 \frac{\tau_1 - \tau_2}{\hbar}}\right] e^{iE_n \frac{\tau}{\hbar}}$$

• τ -integrals imply "energy conservation": $\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_0^{\hbar\beta} d\tau e^{iE \frac{\tau}{\hbar}} e^{-iE' \frac{\tau}{\hbar}} = \beta \delta_{iE, iE'}$

$$\left[-g_0(k, iE_1) e^{-iE_1 \frac{\tau - \tau_1}{\hbar}} \right] \left[-g_0(k+q, iE_2) e^{-iE_2 \frac{\tau_1 - \tau_2}{\hbar}} \right] \left[-g_0(k, iE_3) e^{-iE_3 \frac{\tau_2}{\hbar}} \right] \\ \left[-g_0(k', iE_4) e^{-iE_4 \frac{\tau_2 - \tau_1}{\hbar}} \right] \left[-g_0(k'-q, iE_5) e^{-iE_5 \frac{\tau_1 - \tau_2}{\hbar}} \right] e^{iE_n \frac{\tau}{\hbar}}$$

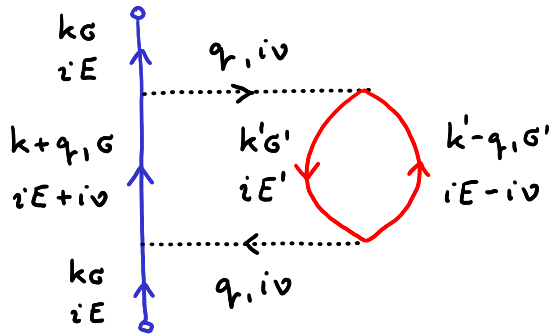


$$\int dz \rightarrow \delta_{iE - iE_1} \quad \int d\tau_1 \rightarrow \delta_{iE_1 + iE_4 - iE_2 - iE_5} \quad \int d\tau_2 \rightarrow \delta_{iE_2 + iE_5 - iE_3 - iE_4}$$

$$-G(k, iE) = (-1) \sum_{q, k', \sigma'} \frac{1}{\beta^2} \sum_{iE_1} \sum_{iE_2} \sum_{iE_3} \sum_{iE_4} \sum_{iE_5} (-V_q)^2 \delta_{iE - iE_1} \delta_{iE_1 + iE_4 - iE_2 - iE_5} \delta_{iE_2 + iE_5 - iE_3 - iE_4}$$

$$\left[-g_0(k, iE_1) \right] \left[-g_0(k+q, iE_2) \right] \left[-g_0(k, iE_3) \right] \left[-g_0(k', iE_4) \right] \left[-g_0(k'-q, iE_5) \right]$$

- Final G_0 labels expressing the "momentum and energy flow"



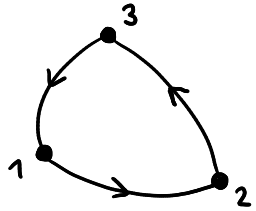
$i\nu$... bosonic Mats. Frequency (energy
(difference of two fermionic))

shorthand for $i\nu_m = i \frac{2\pi m}{\beta}$ $m \in \mathbb{Z}$

summation over free momenta, q, k'
spins, and Matsubara energies $G', i\nu, iE'$

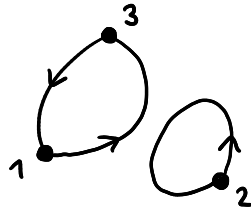
$$\begin{aligned}
 -G(k, iE) &= (-1) \sum_{q, k' G'} \frac{1}{\beta} \sum_{i\nu} \frac{1}{\beta} \sum_{iE'} (-V_q)^2 \times \\
 &\times [-G_0(k, iE)] [-G_0(k+q, iE+i\nu)] [-G_0(k, iE)] [-G_0(k', iE')] [-G_0(k'-q, iE'-i\nu)] \\
 &= (-1) (-1)^5 \sum_q (-V_q)^2 \frac{1}{\beta} \sum_{i\nu} G_0(k, iE) G_0(k+q, iE+i\nu) G_0(k, iE) \times \\
 &\times \sum_{k' G'} \frac{1}{\beta} \sum_{iE'} G_0(k', iE') G_0(k'-q, iE'-i\nu) \leftarrow \text{Function of } q, i\nu \text{ only}
 \end{aligned}$$

5 Sign issue - Fermionic loops



$$\begin{array}{c}
 c_1 c_3^+ c_3 c_2^+ c_2 c_1^+ \\
 \underbrace{\hspace{1em}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1em}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1em}} \\
 -g_{13} -g_{32} -g_{21}
 \end{array}$$

→



$$\begin{array}{c}
 c_1 c_3^+ c_3 c_2^+ c_2 c_1^+ \\
 \underbrace{\hspace{1em}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1em}} \\
 -g_{13} -g_{31} +g_{22}
 \end{array}$$

permutation sign rule:

connect operators with threads
interchange of operators alters sign

$$\begin{array}{c}
 c c^+ \quad c c^+ \\
 \underbrace{\hspace{1em}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1em}} \\
 = - \underbrace{\hspace{1em}} \underbrace{\hspace{1em}} \\
 c c c^+ c^+
 \end{array}$$

→ count intersections

loop created & sign change observed $\xrightarrow{?}$ rule: each fermionic loop brings an extra -1

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Attention must also be paid to the following. As already mentioned earlier, the sign attaching to each diagram depends on whether the permutation of the Fermi operators ψ is even or not. **It is easily seen** that a change of sign is connected with the formation of a closed loop in the diagram. The sign of the diagram is therefore determined by the factor $(-1)^F$, where F is the number of closed loops.

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backbone. Now **it is not difficult to see** that each continuous line makes its own contribution to the sign – the backbone contributes a factor $(-1)^r$ where r is the number of internal vertices on it and each closed loop contributes a factor $(-1)^{s+1}$ where s is the number of internal vertices on it. Hence, the overall factor is $(-1)^{l+2n} = (-1)^l$ where l is the number of closed loops. The overall factor for the

⑥ Dictionary

• propagators

$$\uparrow k, iE \quad -G_0(k, iE)$$

$$\parallel k, iE \quad -G(k, iE)$$

• interactions

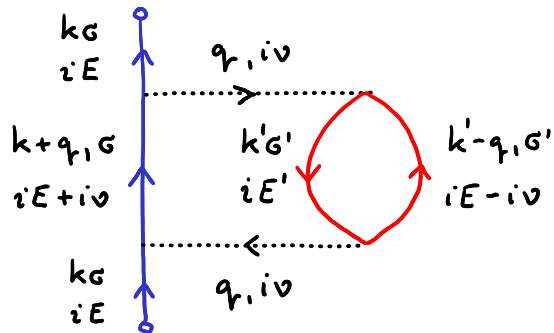
$$\begin{array}{c} \dots \rightarrow \dots \leftarrow \\ \quad \quad \quad q \end{array} \quad -V_q$$

• rules

1) momentum, spin, energy conservation at vertices

2) Free momentum $k \rightarrow \sum_k$ Free spin $\sigma \rightarrow \sum_{\sigma}$
 Free Matsubara energy $\rightarrow \frac{1}{\beta} \sum_{iE_n}$ or $\frac{1}{\beta} \sum_{i\nu_m}$

3) Fermionic loops $\rightarrow (-1)^{\# \text{Loops}}$



$$-G(k, iE) = \dots +$$

$$\sum_q V_q^2 \frac{1}{\beta} \sum_{i\nu} \frac{1}{iE - \epsilon_k} \frac{1}{iE + i\nu - \epsilon_{k+q}} \frac{1}{iE - \epsilon_k} \times$$

$$\times \sum_{k', \sigma'} \frac{1}{\beta} \sum_{iE'} \frac{1}{iE' - \epsilon_{k'}} \frac{1}{iE' - i\nu - \epsilon_{k'-q}}$$

$$+ \dots$$