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Master Integrals for electroweak corrections to $gg \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

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Motivations and Introduction





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Motivation: Big Picture

Diphoton channel plays a crucial role in Higgs phenomenology. High precision data requires accurate theoretical predictions.



ATLAS Collaboration, 2012

Gavardi, Oleari, Re, 2022

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Diphoton Predictions:

 $pp \to \gamma \gamma$

Full NLO:

Binoth, Guillet, Pilon, Werlen, '99

NNLO, QCD:

Catani, Cieri, de Florian, Ferrera, Grazzini, 2011

Campbell, Ellis, Li, Williams, 2016

NNLO, q_t -resummed:

NNLL: Cieri, Coradeschi, de Florian, 2015

N3LL: Neumann, 2021

N3LO amplitude:

Caola, Manteuffel, Tancredi, 2020

NLO EW corrections:

Bierweiler, Kasprzik, Kühn, 2013

QCD corrections + jets:

Del Duca, Maltoni, Nagy, Trocsanyi, 2003

Gehrmann, Greiner, Heinrich, 2013

Badger, Guffanti, Yundin, 2013

 $gg \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

NNLO:

Dicus, Willenbrock, '88
N3LO, QCD (light quarks):
Light: Bern, Dixon, Schmidt 2002
Heavy: Maltoni, Mandal, Zhao, 2018
N3LO + jet, QCD corrections:
Badger, Gehrmann, Marcoli, Moodie, 2021

3 Loops (N4LO), QCD:

Bargiela, Caola, Manteuffel, Tancredi, 2022

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Motivation: gg Channel

As part of the partonic process $pp \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$, the corrections enter at NNLO in QCD.



- Sizable contributions to the cross-section due to large initial-state gluon flux.
- Siven the quality of recent LHC data, $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$ corrections for the $gg \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ channel are required to improve the precision our theoretical predictions.

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Motivation: Interference

Higgs width is too narrow to be directly measured at LHC. Necessity for indirect bounds.

The interference between the diphoton channel $gg \rightarrow H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ and the QCD background $gg \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ plays a crucial role in that regard(*Dixon, Siu, 2006; Martin, 2012; Dixon, Li, 2013*).

$$\hat{\delta}_{gg \to H \to \gamma\gamma} = -2\left(\hat{s} - m_H^2\right) \frac{\operatorname{Re}(\mathcal{A}_{gg \to H} \mathcal{A}_{H \to \gamma\gamma} \mathcal{A}_{\operatorname{cont}}^*)}{\left(\hat{s} - m_H^2\right)^2 + m_H^2 \Gamma_H^2} - 2m_H \Gamma_H \frac{\operatorname{Im}(\mathcal{A}_{gg \to H} \mathcal{A}_{H \to \gamma\gamma} \mathcal{A}_{\operatorname{cont}}^*)}{\left(\hat{s} - m_H^2\right)^2 + m_H^2 \Gamma_H^2}$$

Anti-symmetric \rightarrow mass shift

Symmetric \rightarrow width bounds +

cross-section reduction

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Motivation: Interference

> NLO analysis shows mass shift effect of ~ 70MeV and width bounded to 20-40 $\Gamma_{\rm H}^{SM}$ (Campbell, Carena, Harnik, Liu, 2017).



Congoing effort to extract the NNLO in QCD(Bargiela, Buccioni, Caola, Devoto, Manteuffel, Tancredi, 2022).

> With the QCD predictions under control, the EW corrections start to become more relevant.

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- We present the evaluation of the master integrals for massless quark loops.
- Different topologies depending on the vector boson flow. The complexity varies significantly among them.
- To extract the helicity amplitude, we introduce 8 projectors in order to extract the form factors.



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Tensor structures

- We can therefore write the helicity amplitude as combination of form factors.
- The number of independent tensor structures corresponds to the number of physical helicity configurations.
- The projectors are built from the tensor structures.
- ➤ The form factors contain thousands of loop integrals → MIs reduction!

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$$\mathcal{A}(s,t) = \sum_{i=1}^{8} F_i T_i.$$

 $T_{1} = \epsilon_{1} \cdot k_{3} \epsilon_{2} \cdot k_{1} \epsilon_{3} \cdot k_{1} \epsilon_{4} \cdot k_{2} ,$ $T_{2} = \epsilon_{1} \cdot k_{3} \epsilon_{2} \cdot k_{1} \epsilon_{3} \cdot \epsilon_{4} , \quad T_{3} = \epsilon_{1} \cdot k_{3} \epsilon_{3} \cdot k_{1} \epsilon_{2} \cdot \epsilon_{4} ,$ $T_{4} = \epsilon_{1} \cdot k_{3} \epsilon_{4} \cdot k_{2} \epsilon_{2} \cdot \epsilon_{3} , \quad T_{5} = \epsilon_{2} \cdot k_{1} \epsilon_{3} \cdot k_{1} \epsilon_{1} \cdot \epsilon_{4} ,$ $T_{6} = \epsilon_{2} \cdot k_{1} \epsilon_{4} \cdot k_{2} \epsilon_{1} \cdot \epsilon_{3} , \quad T_{7} = \epsilon_{3} \cdot k_{1} \epsilon_{4} \cdot k_{2} \epsilon_{1} \cdot \epsilon_{2} ,$ $T_{8} = \epsilon_{1} \cdot \epsilon_{2} \epsilon_{3} \cdot \epsilon_{4} + \epsilon_{1} \cdot \epsilon_{4} \epsilon_{2} \cdot \epsilon_{3} + \epsilon_{1} \cdot \epsilon_{3} \epsilon_{2} \cdot \epsilon_{4} .$

 $\sum_{pol} P_i T_j = \delta_{ij}$

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Reduction to MIs

 D_2 > We introduce an auxiliary topology to D_3 account for all the possible scalar products D_8 9 involving the loop momenta. D_4 D_6 > All the scalar integrals can be written in D_7 D_9 terms of the auxiliary topology's propagators. \succ These integrals are reduced to a minimal set $I_{a_1...a_9}^{N_{II}} = \mathcal{C}(\epsilon) \int \frac{d^d \ell_1}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{d^d \ell_2}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{D_1^{a_1} \dots D_9^{a_9}}$ of Master Integrals (MIs) by using Kira (Klappert, Lange, Maierhöfer, Usovitsch, 2023).

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DEQ: Overview

General strategy to evaluate MIs: Differential Equation method (DEQ) (*Remiddi*, 1997).

Laporta Basis
$$\vec{\mathcal{I}}(\{x_i\}) \longrightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \vec{\mathcal{I}}(\{x_i\}) = \mathcal{A}(\{x_i\}, \epsilon) \vec{\mathcal{I}}(\{x_i\})$$

The complexity goes up pretty quickly for the Laporta Basis. Solution: Canonical Basis (*Henn, 2013*).

Canonical Basis
$$\vec{\mathcal{G}}(\{x_i\}) \longrightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \vec{\mathcal{G}}(\{x_i\}) = \epsilon \mathcal{A}(\{x_i\}) \vec{\mathcal{G}}(\{x_i\})$$

The factorization of the space-time parameter allows to write the solution in an iterative way:

$$\vec{\mathcal{G}}(\{x_i\}) = \left(\mathbb{1} + \epsilon \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} + \epsilon^2 \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} + \dots\right) \vec{\mathcal{G}}(\{x_i^0\})$$

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DEQ: Canonical Basis

The kinematic information is encoded in the alphabet $\{\eta_k\}$ of the differential equation:

$$d\mathcal{A} = \sum_k \mathcal{M}_k d\log \eta_k$$

The solution for rational letters is expressed in terms of Goncharov Polylogarithms (GPLs) (Goncharov, 1998).

Efficient numerical evaluation of GPLs using GiNaC(Vollinga, 2005)/HandyG(Naterop, Signer, Ulrich, 2016).

Non-rational letters may or may not be represented in terms of GPLs. We implement a generalized approach based on Chen's Iterated Integrals(*Chen*, 2005; *Caron-Huot*, *Henn*, 2014).

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$$\vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i\}) = \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\})$$

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$$\vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i\}) = \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i^0\})$$

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$$\begin{split} \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i\}) &= \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) \\ \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i\}) &= \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i^0\}) \\ \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(3)}(\{x_i\}) &= \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(3)}(\{x_i^0\}) \\ \end{array}$$

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The solution can be evaluated (up to boundary constants) at any fixed order:

$$\begin{split} \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i\}) &= \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) \\ \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i\}) &= \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i^0\}) \\ \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(3)}(\{x_i\}) &= \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(3)}(\{x_i^0\}) \\ \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(4)}(\{x_i\}) &= \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i^0\}) \\ &+ \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(3)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(4)}(\{x_i^0\}). \end{split}$$

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The solution can be evaluated (up to boundary constants) at any fixed order:

$$\begin{split} \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i\}) &= \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) \\ \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i\}) &= \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i^0\}) \\ \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(3)}(\{x_i\}) &= \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(3)}(\{x_i^0\}) \\ \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(4)}(\{x_i\}) &= \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(0)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(1)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(2)}(\{x_i^0\}) \\ &+ \int_{\gamma} d\mathcal{A} \, \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(3)}(\{x_i^0\}) + \vec{\mathcal{G}}^{(4)}(\{x_i^0\}). \end{split}$$

Efficient semi-numerical implementation thanks to the recursive nature of the iterated integrals.

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Calculation and Results





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Rational vs Non-Rational alphabet



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Topology P_I

25 Master integrals. The Canonical basis is obtained via Magnus Series Expansion (*Blanes, Casas, Oteo, Ros, 2008*):

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{G}_{1}^{\mathrm{PI}} &= \mathcal{F}_{1}, & \mathcal{G}_{2}^{\mathrm{PI}} = x\mathcal{F}_{2}, & \mathcal{G}_{3}^{\mathrm{PI}} = (1+x)\mathcal{F}_{3}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{4}^{\mathrm{PI}} &= \mathcal{F}_{4} - \mathcal{F}_{3}, & \mathcal{G}_{5}^{\mathrm{PI}} = y\mathcal{F}_{5}, & \mathcal{G}_{6}^{\mathrm{PI}} = (1+x)\mathcal{F}_{6}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{7}^{\mathrm{PI}} &= \mathcal{F}_{7}, & \mathcal{G}_{8}^{\mathrm{PI}} = \epsilon x\mathcal{F}_{8}, & \mathcal{G}_{9}^{\mathrm{PI}} = \epsilon x\mathcal{F}_{9}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{10}^{\mathrm{PI}} &= \epsilon y\mathcal{F}_{10}, & \mathcal{G}_{11}^{\mathrm{PI}} = \epsilon y\mathcal{F}_{11}, & \mathcal{G}_{12}^{\mathrm{PI}} = y^{2}\mathcal{F}_{12}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{13}^{\mathrm{PI}} &= \epsilon^{2}x\mathcal{F}_{13}, & \mathcal{G}_{14}^{\mathrm{PI}} = \epsilon^{2}y\mathcal{F}_{14}, & \mathcal{G}_{15}^{\mathrm{PI}} = \epsilon(\epsilon-1)xy\mathcal{F}_{15}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{16}^{\mathrm{PI}} &= \epsilon y((2\epsilon-1)\mathcal{F}_{16} + \mathcal{F}_{17}), & \mathcal{G}_{17}^{\mathrm{PI}} = \epsilon xy\mathcal{F}_{17}, & \mathcal{G}_{18}^{\mathrm{PI}} = \epsilon((2\epsilon-1)x\mathcal{F}_{18} + \mathcal{F}_{19}), \\ \mathcal{G}_{19}^{\mathrm{PI}} &= \epsilon xy\mathcal{F}_{19}, & \mathcal{G}_{20}^{\mathrm{PI}} = \epsilon^{2}(x+y)\mathcal{F}_{20}, & \mathcal{G}_{21}^{\mathrm{PI}} = -\epsilon(x+y+xy)\mathcal{F}_{21}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{22}^{\mathrm{PI}} &= \epsilon(1-2\epsilon)y\mathcal{F}_{22}, & \mathcal{G}_{23}^{\mathrm{PI}} = \epsilon^{2}(1+x)y^{2}\mathcal{F}_{23}, & \mathcal{G}_{24}^{\mathrm{PI}} = \epsilon^{2}y^{2}(\mathcal{F}_{24} - \mathcal{F}_{23}), \\ \mathcal{G}_{25}^{\mathrm{PI}} &= x\left(\frac{1}{4}y\mathcal{F}_{12} + 2\epsilon^{2}\mathcal{F}_{20} + y\epsilon^{2}\mathcal{F}_{23}\right) + \epsilon^{2}y(\mathcal{F}_{25} - \mathcal{F}_{22}). \end{split}$$

The differential equation is then expressed in terms of the variables:

$$x = -\frac{2p_1 \cdot p_2}{M_W^2} \qquad \qquad y = -\frac{2p_2 \cdot p_3}{M_W^2}$$

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All letters are rational, solution given by pure GPLs.

Three kinematic regions, depending on the permutation of the external legs.

Boundary conditions determined by demanding finitness at pseudo-thresholds.

$$\mathcal{G}_1^{\mathrm{P_I}} = -1 - 2\zeta_2\epsilon^2 + 2\zeta_3\epsilon^3 - 9\zeta_4\epsilon^4$$

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Topology P_{II}

24 MIs. The canonical basis is extracted the same way as before:

$$\begin{array}{ll} \mathcal{G}_{1}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\mathcal{F}_{1}, & \mathcal{G}_{2}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=x\mathcal{F}_{2}, & \mathcal{G}_{3}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=(1+x)\mathcal{F}_{3}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{4}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\mathcal{F}_{4}-\mathcal{F}_{3}, & \mathcal{G}_{5}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=(1+y)\mathcal{F}_{5}, & \mathcal{G}_{6}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\mathcal{F}_{6}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{7}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=y\mathcal{F}_{7}, & & & & \\ \mathcal{G}_{8}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\frac{2x^{2}(2\epsilon-1)\mathcal{F}_{8}+2\epsilon x(\mathcal{F}_{1}-\mathcal{F}_{9})+x\mathcal{F}_{2}}{2(x-1)}, & \mathcal{G}_{9}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon x\mathcal{F}_{9}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{10}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon y\mathcal{F}_{10}, & \mathcal{G}_{11}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon y\mathcal{F}_{11}, & \mathcal{G}_{12}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon^{2}y\mathcal{F}_{12}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{13}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon^{2}x\mathcal{F}_{13}, & \mathcal{G}_{14}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon x\mathcal{F}_{14}, & \mathcal{G}_{15}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon x((2\epsilon-1)\mathcal{F}_{15}+\mathcal{F}_{16}) \\ \mathcal{G}_{16}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon xy\mathcal{F}_{16}, & \mathcal{G}_{17}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon^{2}(x+y)\mathcal{F}_{17}, & \mathcal{G}_{18}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon(x+y+xy)\mathcal{F}_{18}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{19}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon(\epsilon-1)xy\mathcal{F}_{19}, & \mathcal{G}_{20}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon y((2\epsilon-1)\mathcal{F}_{20}+\mathcal{F}_{21}), & \mathcal{G}_{21}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon xy\mathcal{F}_{21}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{22}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon^{2}y\mathcal{F}_{22}, & \mathcal{G}_{23}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon^{2}xy\mathcal{F}_{23}, & \mathcal{G}_{24}^{\mathrm{P_{II}}}=\epsilon^{2}xy\mathcal{F}_{24}, \end{array}$$

Same auxiliary topology, we reuse the same DEQ variables:

$$x = -\frac{2p_1 \cdot p_2}{M_W^2} \qquad \qquad y = -\frac{2p_2 \cdot p_3}{M_W^2}$$

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All letters are rational, solution given by pure GPLs.

Now we have two kinematic regions, depending on the crossing symmetries.

Boundary conditions determined by demanding finitness at pseudo-thresholds.

$$\mathcal{G}_1^{\mathrm{P_{II}}} = -1 - 2\zeta_2\epsilon^2 + 2\zeta_3\epsilon^3 - 9\zeta_4\epsilon^4$$

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Topology P_{III}: Master Integrals



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Topology P_{III}: Canonical Basis

The Canonical basis is obtained again via Magnus Series Expansion. Here we show the 7-propagators family:

 $\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_{29}^{\mathrm{P_{III}}} &= \epsilon^2 y \sqrt{r_2} \mathcal{F}_{29}, \\ \mathcal{G}_{30}^{\mathrm{P_{III}}} &= \epsilon^2 \sqrt{r_1} (2x \mathcal{F}_{28} + xy \mathcal{F}_{29} + y \mathcal{F}_{30}), \\ \mathcal{G}_{31}^{\mathrm{P_{III}}} &= \epsilon^2 y^2 (\mathcal{F}_{29} + \mathcal{F}_{31}), \\ \mathcal{G}_{32}^{\mathrm{P_{III}}} &= -\frac{1}{2} \epsilon \bigg(2x (1 - 2\epsilon) \mathcal{F}_{21} + y^2 \epsilon (-\mathcal{F}_{27} + x \mathcal{F}_{29} + \mathcal{F}_{30}) \\ &+ 2y \epsilon (2\mathcal{F}_{17} + \mathcal{F}_{22} + x \mathcal{F}_{28} + x \mathcal{F}_{29} - \mathcal{F}_{32}) \bigg). \end{aligned}$

The differential equation is expressed in terms of the variables:

$$x = -\frac{2p_1 \cdot p_2}{M_W^2} \qquad \qquad y = -\frac{2p_2 \cdot p_3}{M_W^2}$$

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Non-Rational letters:

 $r_1 = y(4+y),$ $r_2 = y (y + 2xy + x^2(4+y)),$ $r_3 = xy (4y + x(4+y)).$

For efficiency reasons, we only rationalize r_1 .

Need additional mapping for clean dLog form.

➢ Mixed Chen/GPL representation.

Topology P_{III}: Kinematic Sub-Regions



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Topology P_{III}: Numerical Evaluation



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Topology N_I

40 MIs. For brevity, we show the 7-propagators family: $\mathcal{G}_{37}^{N_{I}} = \epsilon^{2} \frac{(x+y)}{2} \left(x^{2} \mathcal{F}_{37} + x(\mathcal{F}_{32} + \mathcal{F}_{34} - 2\mathcal{F}_{37} + y\mathcal{F}_{37} - \mathcal{F}_{39}) + y(-2\mathcal{F}_{37} + \mathcal{F}_{39}) \right),$ $\mathcal{G}_{38}^{N_{I}} = \frac{x}{2u} \Big(\mathcal{F}_{1} - \mathcal{F}_{2} - \mathcal{F}_{3} - 2\mathcal{F}_{7} - 2\epsilon(x+y)\mathcal{F}_{9} + 6\epsilon^{2}x\mathcal{F}_{15} - 2\epsilon(x(-1+y)+y^{2})\mathcal{F}_{16} \Big) \Big)$ + $2\epsilon y(x+y)\mathcal{F}_{23}$ + $2\epsilon^2 y\mathcal{F}_{27}$ - $2\epsilon^2(x+y)\mathcal{F}_{31}$ $-\epsilon^2 \frac{x+y}{2} \bigg(x(\mathcal{F}_{32} - \mathcal{F}_{34}) + (x+y)((2+x)\mathcal{F}_{37} - 2\mathcal{F}_{38} - \mathcal{F}_{39}) \bigg),$ $\mathcal{G}_{20}^{N_{I}} = -\epsilon^{2} \sqrt{r_{2}} \left(x^{2} \mathcal{F}_{37} + x (\mathcal{F}_{32} + \mathcal{F}_{34} + y \mathcal{F}_{37} - \mathcal{F}_{39}) - y \mathcal{F}_{39} \right),$ $\mathcal{G}_{40}^{N_{I}} = -\epsilon^{2} x(x+y) \mathcal{F}_{37} + \epsilon^{2} (x+y) \mathcal{F}_{40} + \frac{x}{16u} \left(10 \mathcal{G}_{1}^{N_{I}} + 2 \mathcal{G}_{2}^{N_{I}} - 11 \mathcal{G}_{3}^{N_{I}} + 3 \mathcal{G}_{4}^{N_{I}} - 10 \mathcal{G}_{5}^{N_{I}} \right)$ $-4\mathcal{G}_{6}^{N_{I}}-16\mathcal{G}_{9}^{N_{I}}-12\mathcal{G}_{12}^{N_{I}}-2\mathcal{G}_{13}^{N_{I}}+48\mathcal{G}_{15}^{N_{I}}-16\mathcal{G}_{16}^{N_{I}}-16\mathcal{G}_{17}^{N_{I}}+8\mathcal{G}_{19}^{N_{I}}-12\mathcal{G}_{20}^{N_{I}}$ $-2\mathcal{G}_{21}^{N_{\rm I}} + 16\mathcal{G}_{23}^{N_{\rm I}} + 8\mathcal{G}_{25}^{N_{\rm I}} + 8\mathcal{G}_{27}^{N_{\rm I}} + 8\mathcal{G}_{28}^{N_{\rm I}} - 16\mathcal{G}_{31}^{N_{\rm I}} \bigg).$

We find convenient to switch to the following DEQ variables:

$$x = \frac{2p_1 \cdot p_2}{M_W^2}$$
 $y = \frac{2p_1 \cdot p_3}{M_W^2}$

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Non-rational letters (in x and y):

$$r_1 = xy(x+y),$$

 $r_2 = (4-x-y)(x+y)$

We can rationalize both. First mapping rationalizes 33 out of 40:

$$x \to \frac{uv}{1+v} \qquad y \to \frac{u}{1+v}$$

The others need dedicated mapping for each sub-region. Ultimately, every integral can be expressed as GPL.

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Topology N_{II}: Master Integrals



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Topology N_{II}: Canonical Basis

The Canonical basis is obtained with the usual strategy. The 7-propagators family is given by:

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{G}_{30}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} &= -2\epsilon^{2} \bigg(2(x-1)\mathcal{F}_{28} + (1-x-2y+4xy)\mathcal{F}_{30} + \mathcal{F}_{31} \bigg), \\ \mathcal{G}_{31}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} &= -\epsilon^{2} \, \frac{\sqrt{r_{1}}}{2} \bigg(2(x-1)\mathcal{F}_{28} + (1-x)\mathcal{F}_{30} + (1-2x)\mathcal{F}_{31} \bigg), \\ \mathcal{G}_{32}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} &= \epsilon^{2} (y\mathcal{F}_{30} + \mathcal{F}_{31} + \mathcal{F}_{32}) + \frac{1}{8x} (15\mathcal{G}_{1}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} + 8\mathcal{G}_{2}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} - 8\mathcal{G}_{3}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} + 10\mathcal{G}_{4}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} - 17\mathcal{G}_{5}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} \\ &+ 4\mathcal{G}_{6}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} - 4\mathcal{G}_{7}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} - 24\mathcal{G}_{13}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} - 12\mathcal{G}_{16}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} - 2\mathcal{G}_{17}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} + 8\mathcal{G}_{18}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} - 8\mathcal{G}_{19}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} + 20\mathcal{G}_{20}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} \\ &+ 2\mathcal{G}_{21}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} - 24\mathcal{G}_{22}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}} - 8\mathcal{G}_{23}^{\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{II}}}). \end{split}$$

The differential equation is expressed in terms of the variables:

$$x = -\frac{p_1 \cdot p_3}{p_1 \cdot p_2}$$
 $y = \frac{M_W^2}{2p_1 \cdot p_2}$

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Non-Rational letters:

$$r_{1} = 1 - 4y$$

$$r_{2} = x^{2}(1 - 4y) + 2xy + y^{2}$$

$$r_{3} = x^{2}(1 - 4y) + x(6y - 2) + (y - 1)^{2}$$

$$r_{4} = -x (4xy - x - 4y)$$

$$r_{5} = xy (x - 1)$$

$$r_{6} = -(x - 1)(x(4y - 1) + 1)$$

For efficiency reasons, we only rationalize r_1 .

➢ Mixed Chen/GPL representation.

Topology N_{II}: Kinematic Sub-Regions

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{Region A:} & [s > 4M_W^2, u < t], \quad y = \frac{z_A}{2} \left(1 - \frac{z_A}{2} \right) & \text{Region B:} & [s \le 4M_W^2, u < t], \quad y = \frac{1 - 2z_B + z_B^2}{4z_B^2} \\ \text{Region C:} & [s > 4M_W^2, u > t], \quad y = \frac{z_A}{2} \left(1 - \frac{z_A}{2} \right) & \text{Region D:} & [s \le 4M_W^2, u > t], \quad y = \frac{1 - 2z_B + z_B^2}{4z_B^2} \end{array}$$



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Summary:

Evaluation of the MIs for the electroweak corrections to $gg \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ for massless quark loops.

>Efficient calculation at any kinematic point.

> Versatility on the alphabet: rational vs non-rational letters.

Solution available for every topology.

Future Directions:

Evaluation of the amplitude and differential distributions (pheno analysis).

 \geq Inclusion of the top-quark mediated diagrams.

 \succ Complete analysis of the interference order $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$.

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Grazie!



