# Geometry of EFTs

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We know physics is invariant under field redefinitions.

S-matrix elements are invariant (from LSZ formula) while correlation functions are not.

intermediate steps  $\Rightarrow$  different operator basis give same observables but not always easy to see.

i.e. scattering amplitudes, are covariant  $\rightarrow$  make observable invariance manifest.

Basis choice should not matter. For example, representations of the Goldstone are equivalent:

$$\overrightarrow{\phi} = \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1 \\ \varphi_2 \\ \varphi_3 \\ \psi + h \end{pmatrix}$$

VS

- There is an ambiguity in our EFT Lagrangian description which makes this invariance at higher level unclear in
- The goal of (constant) *field-space geometry* is to write the Lagrangian in such a way that intermediate quantities,





## Geometric interpretation

### A scalar field theory can be written as:

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} g_{IJ}(\phi) (\partial_{\mu} \phi^{I}) (\partial^{\mu} \phi^{J})$$

### where

- field values coordinates on a Riemannian manifold =
- inner-product on the tangent space •  $g_{IJ}(\phi)$  of the field manifold: metric

- potential  $V(\phi)$ function on the field manifold =
- field redefinitions = coordinate transformations (without derivatives)

[Alonso, Jenkins, Manohar, 1605.03602]

 $V - V(\phi) + higher-derivative terms$ 

 $ds^2 \equiv g_{II}(\phi) \, d\phi^I \, d\phi^J$ 

 $\phi^I \to \varphi^I(\phi)$ 



SM scalar manifold is flat



## Geometric interpretation

Under a coordinate transformation,  $\phi^I \rightarrow \phi^I(\phi)$ 

• the derivative of the scalar transforms as a vector (a, b)

$$\partial_{\mu}\phi^{I} \rightarrow \left(\frac{\delta\varphi^{I}}{\delta\phi^{J}}\right)\partial_{\mu}\phi^{J}$$

• the metric transforms as a tensor

$$g_{IJ} \rightarrow \left(\frac{\delta\phi^K}{\delta\varphi^I}\right) \left(\frac{\delta\phi^L}{\delta\varphi^J}\right) g_{KL}$$

so 
$$\mathscr{L}_{kin} = \frac{1}{2} g_{IJ}(\phi) (\partial_{\mu} \phi^{I}) (\partial^{\mu} \phi^{J})$$
 is invariant.

field redefinition in-/covariance





Advantages of the geometric description for EFTs :

• Resums higher dimensional operators

$$\mathscr{L}_{O(N) \text{ EFT}} \supset \frac{1}{2} \underbrace{\left(\delta_{IJ} + C_E(\phi \cdot g_I)\right)}_{g_I}$$

 $\Rightarrow$  amplitudes and RGE in terms of geometric objects contain the full tower  $\rightarrow$  precision

- Same geometric description can represent different EFTs (for example HEFT or SMEFT)  $\Rightarrow$  unify picture and define more relevant quantities than Wilson coefficients  $\rightarrow$  structure derive EFT cutoff [Cohen, Craig, Lu, Sutherland, 2108.03240]
- Covariant amplitudes and RGE  $\Rightarrow$  more compact expressions  $\rightarrow$  efficiency

- $\phi)\delta_{IJ} + C_2 \phi_I \phi_J \left( \partial_\mu \phi^I \right) (\partial^\mu \phi^J) V(\phi)$
- $T_{II}(\phi)$
- see Anke's talk

see Andreas





## SMEFT vs HEFT from non-analyticity

### SMEFT

Higgs and Goldstones are embedded into a doublet  $H \rightarrow LH$ 

• same symmetry

• different field content

Usually: linear realization  $H = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} iG_1 + G_2 \\ v + h + iG_3 \end{pmatrix}$ 



Going from SMEFT-form to HEFT-form is always possible. Going from HEFT-form to SMEFT-form is not.

 $\Rightarrow$  SMEFT vs HEFT = analytic vs non-analytic Lagrangian in H [Falkowski, Rattazzi, 1902.05936]

Some non-analyticities can be removed by field redefinitions.

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see Javier's talk

 $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \rightarrow U(1)_O$  $L \in SU(2)_L R \in U(1)_Y$ 

Higgs is a singlet  $h \rightarrow h$ and Goldstones  $U \rightarrow LUR^{\dagger}$ 

Usually: nonlinear realization

$$h, U = \exp\left(\frac{i\pi^a \tau^a}{v}\right)$$

see All Things EFT talk by Xiaochuan Lu







## SMEFT vs HEFT from geometry

### A HEFT can be written in SMEFT-form ⇔

- there exist an O(4) invariant fixed point  $h^*$  on the scalar manifold [Alonso, Jenkins, Manohar, 1605.03602]
- metric and potential are analytic at  $h^*$

[Cohen, Craig, Lu, Sutherland, 2008.08597]









## Amplitudes from geometry



 $\mathscr{A}(\phi\phi \to \phi\phi) \sim (s \partial\Gamma + t \partial\Gamma + u \partial\Gamma) +$ 

Four-point amplitude depends on curvature. Five-point amplitude depends on covariant derivative of the curvature. • • •

[Alonso, Jenkins, Manohar, 1511.00724]

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 $\Rightarrow \mathscr{A}(\phi_I \phi_I \to \phi_K \phi_L) = R_{IKIL} s + R_{IIKL} t$ 

Higgs cross-sections,  $W_L$  scattering, S parameter measurements can tell us if scalar manifold is flat or curved.



## RGE at one-loop

To obtain an algebraic formula for MS counterterms we use the background field method  $\phi \rightarrow \phi + \eta$ 

at 
$$\mathcal{O}(\eta^2)$$
:  
$$\delta^2 \mathscr{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \eta)^T (\partial^\mu \eta) + (\partial_\mu \eta)^T N^\mu \eta + \frac{1}{2} \eta^T X \eta$$

where  $N^{\mu}$  is antisymmetric without loss of generality and X is symmetric.

With the covariant derivative  $D_{\mu}\eta \equiv \partial_{\mu}\eta + N_{\mu}\eta$  and redefining X we have

Using naive dimensional analysis, the 't Hooft formula for one-loop counterterms is ['t Hooft, Nucl. Phys. B 62 (1973)]

$$\mathscr{L}_{c.t.}^{(1)} = \frac{1}{16\pi^2\epsilon}$$

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 $\delta^2 \mathscr{L} = \frac{1}{2} (D_{\mu} \eta)^T (D^{\mu} \eta) + \frac{1}{2} \eta^T X \eta$ 



with 
$$Y_{\mu\nu} = [D_{\mu}, D_{\mu}]$$







## RGE at two-loop

For two-loop we need the expansion of the Lagrangian in quantum fluctuations to

 $\mathcal{O}(\eta^{3}): \qquad \qquad \delta^{3}\mathscr{L} = \mathbf{A}_{abc}\eta^{a}\eta^{b}\eta^{c} + \\ \mathcal{O}(\eta^{4}): \qquad \qquad \delta^{4}\mathscr{L} = \mathbf{B}_{abcd}\eta^{a}\eta^{b}\eta^{c}\eta$ 

where A and B are symmetric and the completely symmetric parts of  $A^{\mu}$  and  $B^{\mu}$  vanish.

The graphs to compute for the two-loop algebraic formula are



Full results in [Jenkins, Manohar, Naterop, JP, 2308.06315]

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 $\delta^{3}\mathscr{L} = \mathbf{A}_{abc}\eta^{a}\eta^{b}\eta^{c} + \mathbf{A}_{a|bc}^{\mu}(D_{\mu}\eta)^{a}\eta^{b}\eta^{c} + \mathbf{A}_{ab|c}^{\mu\nu}(D_{\mu}\eta)^{a}(D_{\nu}\eta)^{b}\eta^{c}$  $\delta^{4}\mathscr{L} = \mathbf{B}_{abcd}\eta^{a}\eta^{b}\eta^{c}\eta^{d} + \mathbf{B}_{a|bcd}^{\mu}(D_{\mu}\eta)^{a}\eta^{b}\eta^{c}\eta^{d} + \mathbf{B}_{ab|cd}^{\mu\nu}(D_{\mu}\eta)^{a}(D_{\nu}\eta)^{b}\eta^{c}\eta^{d}$ 

with 0, 1 or 2 insertions of X /  $Y_{\mu\nu}$ 

with 2 or 3 insertions of X /  $Y_{\mu\nu}$ 



## Riemannian normal coordinates

Using cartesian coordinates, we find that counterterms are not covariant. The reason is that  $\phi$  is a coordinate and does not transform as a tensor, but tangent vectors do.

<u>Solution</u>: use Riemannian normal coordinates (local coordinates obtained by applying the exponential map to the tangent space at  $\mathscr{P}_0$ ) for the quantum fluctuation.



 $g_{IJ}(\mathcal{P}_0) = \delta_{IJ} \qquad \qquad \Gamma^I_{JK}(\mathcal{P}_0) = 0$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  expand Lagrangian in

$$\phi^I \rightarrow \phi^I + \eta^I - \frac{1}{2} \Gamma^I_{JK} \eta^J \eta^K - \frac{1}{3!} \mathbf{I}$$

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## Non-coordinate basis

Algebraic counterterm formulae were derived for renormalizable theories  $\Leftrightarrow$  for a flat field-space manifold. So we cannot apply them to our coordinates on the curved field-space manifold.

Solution: go to local inertial frames using vielbeins and apply formulae there.



$$g_{IJ}(\phi) = e^a{}_I(\phi)e^b{}_J(\phi)\delta_{ab} \qquad (\mathcal{D}_\mu\eta)^I$$

 $\Rightarrow$  Since every indices are contracted, formulae are unchanged.

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 $= e^{I}{}_{a}(\mathcal{D}_{\mu}\eta)^{a}$ 

 $R_{IJKL} = e^{a} e^{b} e^{c} e^{c} R^{a} R_{abcd}$ 





Using this technique we computed the RGE for:

- w up to one-loop order
  - SMEFT bosonic sector to dim 8 [Helset, Jenkins, Manohar, 2212.03253]
  - SMEFT bosonic operators from a fermion loop to dim 8 [Assi, Helset, Manohar, JP, Shen, 2307.03187]

 $\rightarrow$  agree with [Chala, Guedes, Ramos, Santiago, 2106.05291] [Das Bakshi, Chala, Díaz-Carmona, Guedes, 2205.03301]

- In to two-loop order [Jenkins, Manohar, Naterop, JP, 2310.19883]
  - O(N) scalar EFT to dim 6
  - SMEFT scalar sector to dim 6  $\rightarrow$  new!
  - $\chi$ PT to  $\mathcal{O}(p^6)$

 $\hookrightarrow$  directly usable for dim 8

 $\rightarrow$  agree with [Cao, Herzog, Melia, Nepveu, 2105.12742]

 $\rightarrow$  agree with [Bijnens, Colangelo, Ecker, hep-ph/9907333]





## What remains

### More RGEs

- full one-loop RGE for SMEFT at dim 8
  - mixed scalar-fermion loops
  - four-fermion operators
  - contributions to fermionic operators
  - mixed vector-fermion loops
- two-loop counterterm formula including fermions and gauge bosons
- More derivatives
  - operators with more than one derivative on each field
    - Lagrange spaces? [Craig, Lee, Lu, Sutherland, 2305.09722]
    - jet bundle geometry? [Alminawi, Brivio, Davighi, 2308.00017] [Craig, Lee, 2307.15742]
  - derivative field redefinition
    - on-shell covariance of amplitudes? [Cohen, Craig, Lu, Sutherland, 2202.06965]
    - geometry-kinematics duality? [Cheung, Helset, and Parra-Martinez, 2202.06972]
- More applications

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[Assi, Helset, JP, Shen, w.i.p]



### Summary:

- Field-space geometry offer an alternative, more basis-independent, description of EFTs
- Scattering amplitudes and RGE are covariant and easier to compute
- RGE calculations are easily generalizable to any EFT order

### Future plans:

- Some formal developments needed to generalize to arbitrary EFTs
- Develop phenomenology studies with geometry







Thank you!

Gauge fields

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} h_{IJ}(\phi) (D_{\mu}\phi)^{I} (D^{\mu}\phi)^{J} - \frac{1}{4} g_{AB}(\phi) F^{A}_{\mu\nu} F^{B\mu\nu} - V(\phi)$$

$$(D_{\mu}\phi)^{I} = \partial_{\mu}\phi^{I} + A^{B}_{\mu}t^{I}_{B}(\phi)$$
Killing vectors

Vector-scalar field-space manifold

$$g_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} h_{IJ} & 0\\ 0 & \eta_{\mu_A \mu_B} g_{AB} \end{pmatrix}$$

[Helset, Jenkins, Manohar, 2210.08000]

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## Beyond scalars

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Fermions

$$\frac{i}{2}k_{\bar{p}r}(\phi)\left(\overline{\psi}^{\bar{p}}\gamma^{\mu}\overleftrightarrow{D}_{\mu}\psi^{r}\right) + i\omega_{\bar{p}rI}(\phi)(D_{\mu}\phi)^{I}(\overline{\psi}^{\bar{p}}\gamma^{\mu}\psi^{r}) - \overline{\psi}^{\bar{p}}\mathscr{M}_{\bar{p}r}\psi^{r} + \overline{\psi}^{\bar{p}}\sigma_{\mu\nu}\mathscr{T}^{\mu\nu}_{\bar{p}r}(\phi,F)\psi^{r}$$

Fermion-scalar field-space supermanifold (with Grassmann coordinates)

$$g_{ab} = \begin{pmatrix} h_{IJ} & (\omega^{-}\overline{\psi})_{rI} & (\omega^{+}\psi)_{\bar{r}I} \\ -(\omega^{-}\overline{\psi})_{pJ} & 0 & k_{\bar{r}p} \\ -(\omega^{+}\psi)_{\bar{p}J} & -k_{\bar{p}r} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \omega_{\bar{p}rI}^{\pm} = \omega_{\bar{p}rI}$$

[Assi, Helset, Manohar, JP, Shen, 2307.03187] [Finn, Karamitsos, Pilaftsis, 2006.05831]





### A-type counterterms

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{L}_{c.t.}^{(A,2)} &= \frac{1}{(16\pi^2)^2} \Bigg[ a_{1,1} D_{\mu} A_{abc} D_{\mu} A_{abc} + a_{2,1} A_{abc} X_{cd} A_{abd} \\ &+ a_{3,1} D_{\mu} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_{abd} X_{cd} + a_{3,2} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} D_{\mu} A_{abd} X_{cd} + a_{4,1} D_{\nu} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_{abd} Y_{cd}^{\mu\nu} + a_{4,2} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} \\ &+ a_{5,1} D^2 A_{a|bc}^{\mu} D^2 A_{a|bc}^{\mu} + a_{5,2} D_{\alpha} D_{\mu} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} D_{\alpha} D_{\nu} A_{a|bc}^{\nu} \\ &+ a_{6,1} D^2 A_{a|bc}^{\mu} D^2 A_{a|bd}^{\mu} X_{cd} + a_{6,2} D^2 A_{c|ab}^{\mu} A_{a|ab}^{\mu} X_{cd} + a_{6,3} D_{\alpha} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} D_{\alpha} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} D_{\alpha} A_{a|bd}^{\mu} X_{cd} + a_{6,4} \\ &+ a_{6,5} D_{\mu} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} D_{\nu} A_{a|bd}^{\nu} X_{cd} + a_{6,6} D_{\mu} A_{c|ab}^{\mu} D_{\nu} A_{a|bb}^{\nu} X_{cd} + a_{6,7} D_{\nu} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} D_{\mu} A_{a|bc}^{\nu} D_{\mu} A_{a|bd}^{\nu} X_{cd} \\ &+ a_{6,8} D_{\nu} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} D_{\mu} A_{a|bd}^{\nu} X_{cd} + a_{6,9} D_{\nu} D_{\mu} A_{a|bb}^{\mu} A_{ad}^{\nu} X_{cd} + a_{6,10} D_{\nu} D_{\mu} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} D_{\mu} A_{a|bb}^{\nu} X_{cd} \\ &+ a_{7,1} D_{\alpha} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} D_{\alpha} A_{a|bd}^{\nu} Y_{cd}^{\mu\nu} + a_{7,2} D_{\alpha} A_{c|ab}^{\mu} D_{\nu} A_{a|bc}^{\nu} A_{a|bd}^{\nu} Y_{cd}^{\mu\nu} + a_{7,3} D_{\mu} A_{a|bc}^{\alpha} D_{\nu} A_{a|bd}^{\nu} Y_{cd}^{\mu\nu} \\ &+ a_{7,7} D_{\nu} A_{a|bc}^{\alpha} D_{\mu} A_{a|bd}^{\mu} Y_{cd}^{\mu\nu} + a_{7,8} D_{\nu} A_{a|bc}^{\alpha} D_{\nu} A_{a|bd}^{\nu} Y_{cd}^{\mu\nu} + a_{7,9} A_{a|bc}^{\alpha} D_{\mu} D_{\nu} A_{a|bd}^{\alpha} Y_{cd}^{\mu\mu} \\ &+ a_{7,10} A_{a|bc}^{\alpha} D_{\mu} A_{a|bd}^{\nu} Y_{cd}^{\mu\nu} + a_{7,11} D_{\mu} D_{\nu} A_{a|bc}^{\alpha} A_{a|bd}^{\mu} Y_{cd}^{\mu\nu} + a_{7,12} D_{\mu} D_{\nu} A_{a|bd}^{\alpha} Y_{cd}^{\mu\mu} \\ &+ a_{7,10} A_{a|bc}^{\alpha} D_{\mu} A_{a|bd}^{\mu} Y_{cd}^{\mu\nu} + a_{7,11} D_{\mu} D_{\nu} A_{a|bc}^{\alpha} A_{a|bd}^{\mu} X_{cd}^{\mu} + a_{7,12} D_{\mu} D_{\nu} A_{a|bd}^{\alpha} A_{d|ab}^{\mu} \\ &+ a_{8,1} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_{a|bb}^{\mu} X_{ce} X_{ed} + a_{8,2} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_{a|bd}^{\mu} X_{cd}^{\mu} + a_{9,3} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_{b|ab}^{\mu} X_{cd}^{\mu} + a_{9,3} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_{b}^{\mu} A_{b}^{\mu} X_{ce}^{\mu} + a_{0,3} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_{a|b}^{\mu} X_{ce}^{\mu} + a_{0,3} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_{a|bd}^{\mu} X_{ce}^{\mu} + a_{0,3} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_{a|bd}^{\mu} X_{ce}^{\mu} X_{cd}^{\mu} + a_{0,3} A_{a|bc}^{\mu} A_$$

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u}_{cd}$  $a_{2,1} = rac{9}{2\epsilon^2} - rac{9}{2\epsilon},$  $a_{1,1} = -\frac{3}{4\epsilon},$  $_{4}D_{\alpha}A^{\mu}_{c|ab}D_{\alpha}A^{\mu}_{d|ab}X_{cd} \ a_{3,1} = \frac{3}{2\epsilon^{2}} - \frac{15}{4\epsilon},$  $a_{4,1} = -\frac{3}{2\epsilon^2} + \frac{7}{4\epsilon},$  $a_{3,2} = \frac{9}{2\epsilon^2} - \frac{9}{4\epsilon},$  $a_{4,2} = -\frac{3}{2\epsilon^2} - \frac{5}{4\epsilon},$  $a_{5,2} = -\frac{1}{48\epsilon},$  $a_{5,1} = \frac{1}{64\epsilon},$  $a_{6,1} = \frac{1}{36\epsilon^2} + \frac{25}{216\epsilon},$  $a_{6,3} = -\frac{5}{36\epsilon^2} + \frac{37}{216\epsilon},$  $a_{6,2} = \frac{13}{72\epsilon^2} - \frac{107}{432\epsilon},$  $a_{6,4} = \frac{2}{9\epsilon^2} - \frac{2}{27\epsilon},$  $a_{6,8} = \frac{13}{72\epsilon^2} - \frac{11}{432\epsilon},$  $a_{6,5} = \frac{1}{36\epsilon^2} - \frac{5}{216\epsilon},$  $a_{6,6} = -\frac{5}{72\epsilon^2} - \frac{65}{432\epsilon},$  $a_{6,7} = rac{1}{36\epsilon^2} - rac{5}{216\epsilon},$  $\nu$  $a_{6,9} = -\frac{1}{9\epsilon^2} + \frac{5}{54\epsilon},$  $a_{6,10} = \frac{1}{36\epsilon^2} - \frac{59}{216\epsilon},$ lpha $a_{7,1} = -\frac{1}{48\epsilon},$  $a_{7,2} = -\frac{13}{96\epsilon},$  $a_{7,3} = \frac{1}{18\epsilon^2} + \frac{1}{432\epsilon},$ lpha $a_{7,5} = -\frac{1}{36\epsilon^2} + \frac{13}{432\epsilon},$  $a_{7,6} = rac{5}{72\epsilon^2} - rac{191}{864\epsilon},$  $a_{7,7} = \frac{1}{36\epsilon^2} - \frac{13}{432\epsilon},$  $Y^{\mulpha}_{cd}$  $a_{7,9} = -\frac{1}{36\epsilon^2} - \frac{17}{432\epsilon},$  $a_{7,10} = rac{5}{72\epsilon^2} - rac{149}{864\epsilon},$  $a_{7,11} = rac{1}{36\epsilon^2} - rac{19}{432\epsilon},$  $A^{\mu}_{a|bc}A^{\mu}_{a|de}X_{bd}X_{ce}$  $a_{8,1} = -\frac{5}{16\epsilon^2} + \frac{19}{96\epsilon},$  $a_{8,2}=rac{1}{8\epsilon^2}-rac{11}{48\epsilon},$  $a_{8,3} = -\frac{1}{4\epsilon^2} + \frac{5}{8\epsilon},$  $a_{9,1} = \frac{13}{72\epsilon^2} - \frac{11}{432\epsilon},$  $a_{9,2}=rac{1}{36\epsilon^2}-rac{5}{216\epsilon},$  $a_{9,3} = -rac{19}{36\epsilon^2} + rac{5}{216\epsilon},$  $a_{9,5} = \frac{11}{36\epsilon^2} - \frac{145}{216\epsilon},$  $a_{10,1} = \frac{35}{1152\epsilon} - \frac{5}{96\epsilon^2},$  $a_{10,2} = rac{1}{48\epsilon^2} - rac{25}{576\epsilon},$  $a_{10,3} = rac{13}{144\epsilon^2} + rac{251}{1728\epsilon}$  $a_{10,5} = \frac{13}{144\epsilon^2} - \frac{217}{1728\epsilon},$  $a_{10,7} = rac{1}{72\epsilon^2} - rac{67}{864\epsilon},$  $a_{10,6} = \frac{1}{72\epsilon^2} - \frac{25}{864\epsilon},$  $a_{10,8} = \frac{1}{36\epsilon^2} - \frac{25}{1728\epsilon},$  $+ Y^{
u lpha}_{ae} Y^{\mu lpha}_{cd}) \qquad \qquad a_{10,9} = -rac{29}{144\epsilon},$  $| a_{10,10} = rac{19}{288\epsilon}, \qquad | a_{10,11} = -rac{1}{8\epsilon}$ 



Back-up

## B-type counterterms

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{\text{c.t.}}^{(B,2)} &= \frac{1}{(16\pi^2)^2 \epsilon^2} \Biggl[ 3B_{abcd} X_{ab} X_{cd} + \frac{3}{2} B^{\alpha}_{a|bcd} (D_{\alpha} X)_{ab} X_{cd} + \frac{1}{2} B^{\alpha}_{a|bcd} (D_{\mu} Y_{\mu\alpha})_{ab} X_{cd} \\ &+ \frac{1}{12} B^{\alpha\alpha}_{ab|cd} (D^2 X)_{ab} X_{cd} + \frac{1}{12} B^{\mu\nu}_{ab|cd} (\{D_{\mu}, D_{\nu}\} X)_{ab} X_{cd} + \frac{1}{12} B^{\mu\nu}_{ab|cd} (D^2 Y^{\mu\nu})_{ab} X_{cd} \\ &- \frac{1}{4} B^{\alpha\alpha}_{ab|cd} X_{ae} X_{eb} X_{cd} + \frac{1}{4} B^{\mu\nu}_{ab|cd} (X_{ae} Y^{\mu\nu}_{eb} + Y^{\mu\nu}_{ae} X_{eb}) X_{cd} \\ &- \frac{1}{12} B^{\mu\nu}_{ab|cd} Y^{\mu\alpha}_{ae} Y^{\nu\alpha}_{eb} X_{cd} + \frac{1}{4} B^{\mu\nu}_{ab|cd} Y^{\nu\alpha}_{ae} Y^{\mu\alpha}_{eb} X_{cd} - \frac{1}{24} B^{\alpha\alpha}_{ab|cd} Y^{\mu\nu}_{ae} Y^{\mu\nu}_{eb} X_{cd} \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} B^{\mu\nu}_{ab|cd} (D_{\mu} X)_{ac} (D_{\nu} X)_{bd} + \frac{1}{18} B^{\mu\nu}_{ab|cd} (D_{\alpha} Y^{\alpha\mu})_{ac} (D_{\beta} Y^{\beta\nu})_{bd} + \frac{1}{6} B^{\mu\nu}_{ab|cd} (D_{\mu} X)_{ac} (D_{\beta} Y^{\beta\nu})_{bd} \Biggr] \end{aligned}$$



## Background coefficients in normal coordinates

$$X_{ab} = -R_{acbd} (D_{\mu}\phi)^{c} (D^{\mu}\phi)^{d} - \nabla_{a}\nabla_{b}V$$
$$[Y_{\mu\nu}]_{ab} = R_{abcd} (D_{\mu}\phi^{c}) (D_{\nu}\phi^{d}) + \nabla_{b}t_{a,\alpha}F^{\alpha}_{\mu\nu}$$

$$\begin{split} A_{abc} &= -\frac{1}{6} \nabla_{(a} \nabla_{b} \nabla_{c)} V - \frac{1}{18} (\nabla_{a} R_{bdce} + \nabla_{b} R_{cd} \\ A^{\mu}_{a|bc} &= \frac{1}{3} (R_{abcd} + R_{acbd}) (D^{\mu} \phi)^{d} \\ A^{\mu\nu}_{ab|c} &= 0 \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} B_{abcd} &= -\frac{1}{24} \nabla_a \nabla_b \nabla_c \nabla_d V - \frac{1}{24} \nabla_a \nabla_d R_{becf} (D_{abcd}) \\ B_{a|bcd}^{\mu} &= \frac{1}{4} (\nabla_d R_{abce}) (D^{\mu} \phi)^e \quad \text{sym(bcd)} \\ B_{ab|cd}^{\mu\nu} &= -\frac{1}{12} \eta^{\mu\nu} (R_{acbd} + R_{adbc}) \end{split}$$

 $_{dae} + \nabla_c R_{adbe}) (D_{\mu}\phi)^d (D^{\mu}\phi)^e$ 

 $D_{\mu}\phi)^{e}(D^{\mu}\phi)^{f} + \frac{1}{6}R_{eabf}R_{ecdg}(D_{\mu}\phi)^{f}(D^{\mu}\phi)^{g}$ sym(bcd)



$$\begin{split} \Delta S = & \frac{1}{32\pi^2\epsilon} \int \mathrm{d}^4 x \, \left\{ \frac{1}{3} \mathrm{Tr} \left[ \mathcal{Y}_{\mu\nu} \mathcal{Y}^{\mu\nu} \right] + \mathrm{Tr} \left[ (\mathcal{D}_{\mu} \mathcal{M}) (\mathcal{D}^{\mu} \mathcal{M}) - (\mathcal{M} \mathcal{M})^2 \right] \right. \\ & \left. - \frac{16}{3} \mathrm{Tr} \left[ (\mathcal{D}_{\mu} \mathcal{T}^{\mu\alpha}) (\mathcal{D}_{\nu} \mathcal{T}^{\nu\alpha}) - (\mathcal{T}^{\mu\nu} \mathcal{T}^{\alpha\beta})^2 \right] \right. \\ & \left. - 4i \mathrm{Tr} \left[ \mathcal{Y}_{\mu\nu} (\mathcal{M} \mathcal{T}^{\mu\nu} + \mathcal{T}^{\mu\nu} \mathcal{M}) \right] - 8 \mathrm{Tr} (\mathcal{M} \mathcal{T}^{\mu\nu})^2 \right\}, \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \left[\mathcal{Y}_{\mu\nu}\right]_{\ r}^{p} &= \left[\mathcal{D}_{\mu}, \mathcal{D}_{\nu}\right]_{\ r}^{p} = \bar{R}_{\ rIJ}^{p} (D_{\mu}\phi)^{I} (D_{\nu}\phi)^{J} + \left(\bar{\nabla}_{r}t_{A}^{p}\right)F_{\mu\nu}^{A}, \\ \left(\mathcal{D}_{\mu}\mathcal{M}\right)_{\ r}^{p} &= k^{p\bar{t}} (\mathcal{D}_{\mu}\mathcal{M}_{\bar{t}r}) = k^{p\bar{t}} \left[D_{\mu}\mathcal{M}_{\bar{t}r} - \bar{\Gamma}_{I\bar{t}}^{\bar{s}} (D_{\mu}\phi)^{I}\mathcal{M}_{\bar{s}r} - \bar{\Gamma}_{Ir}^{s} (D_{\mu}\phi)^{I}\mathcal{M}_{\bar{t}s}\right], \\ \left(\mathcal{M}\mathcal{M}\right)_{\ r}^{p} &= k^{p\bar{t}}\mathcal{M}_{\bar{t}q}k^{q\bar{s}}\mathcal{M}_{\bar{s}r}, \\ \left(\mathcal{D}_{\mu}\mathcal{T}^{\alpha\beta}\right)_{\ r}^{p} &= k^{p\bar{t}} (\mathcal{D}_{\mu}\mathcal{T}_{\bar{t}r}^{\alpha\beta}) = k^{p\bar{t}} \left[D_{\mu}\mathcal{T}_{\bar{t}r}^{\alpha\beta} - \bar{\Gamma}_{I\bar{t}}^{\bar{s}} (D_{\mu}\phi)^{I}\mathcal{T}_{\bar{s}r}^{\alpha\beta} - \bar{\Gamma}_{Ir}^{s} (D_{\mu}\phi)^{I}\mathcal{T}_{\bar{t}s}^{\alpha\beta}\right], \\ \left(\mathcal{T}^{\mu\nu}\mathcal{T}^{\alpha\beta}\right)_{\ r}^{p} &= k^{p\bar{t}}\mathcal{T}_{\bar{t}q}^{\mu\nu}k^{q\bar{s}}\mathcal{T}_{\bar{s}r}^{\alpha\beta}. \end{split}$$





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