

Two-loop self-energy corrections to the *g*-factor of bound electrons

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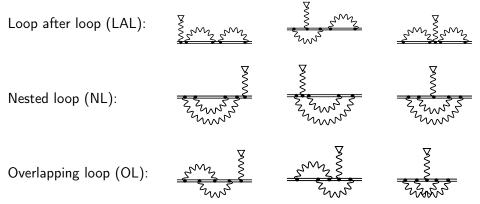
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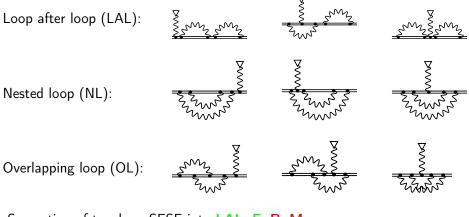
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