

# NLO tensor reductions, where we are

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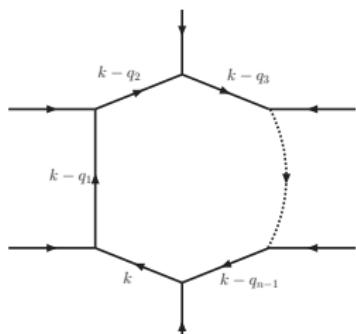
## Introduction

*n*-point tensor integrals of rank  $R$ : (n,R)-integrals

$$I_n^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_R} = \int \frac{d^d k}{i\pi^{d/2}} \frac{\prod_{r=1}^R k^{\mu_r}}{\prod_{j=1}^n c_j^{\nu_j}}, \quad (1)$$

$d = 4 - 2\epsilon$  and denominators  $c_j$  have *indices*  $\nu_j$  and *chords*  $q_j$

$$c_j = (k - q_j)^2 - m_j^2 + i\epsilon \quad (2)$$



tensor integrals due to, e.g.:

- fermion propagators
- three-gauge boson couplings

## Scalar Integrals

- package for all  $n \leq 4$  scalar integrals: **QCDloop** [Ellis:2007 [1]]
- Recent results for scalar integrals (**complex masses**):
- package for all  $n \leq 4$  scalar integrals: **ONELOop** [A.van Hameren:2010 [2]]
- **Analytic results**
- Scalar one-loop 4-point integrals: **1-loop 4pt.** [A.Denner and S.Dittmaier:2010 [3]]

## Status of opensource packages - possibly not complete

- package **FF** [vanOldenborgh:1990 [4]] ,
- package **LoopTools/FF** [Hahn:1998,2006 [5]] – covers also 5-point functions, rank  $R \leq 4$   $1/\epsilon^2$  not covered, and we observed sometimes problems in certain configurations with light-like external particles
- package **Golem95** [Binoth:2008 [6]] for  $n \leq 6$ , massive propagators in the test phase
- Mathematica package **hexagon.m** [Diakonidis:2008 [7, 8]] for  $n \leq 6$ ,  $rankR \leq 4$
- package for all  $n \leq 4$  scalar integrals: **QCDloop** [Ellis:2007 [1]]
- **OPP** methods: **CutTools** and **Samurai**

## Other contributions

Crucial contributions [of course, list is incomplete ...] ⇒

- [Campbell:1996 [9]]
- [Denner:2002,2005 [10, 11]]
- [Binoth:1999,2005 [12, 13]]
- [Bern:1993 [14]]
- [Ossola:2006 [15]]
- [The SM and NLO Multileg Working Group: Summary report.[16]]

In the following, I will describe recent developments based on

- [Davydychev:1991,Tarasov:1996,Fleischer:1999,Diakonidis:2008,2009  
[17, 18, 19, 8, 20, 21]] present work: JF and T.Riemann, arXiv:1009.4436

In view of the importance of stable numerics for tensor reductions, it would be welcome to have one or more complete opensource programs for this task. To our knowledge, none is presently available. It is our aim to provide one.

## Tensors expressed in terms of integrals in higher dimension

Following [Davydychev:1991 [17]] ,also [J.F. et al.:2000 [19]] express tensors by means of scalar integrals in higher dimensions(  $n_{ij} = \nu_{ij} = 1 + \delta_{ij}$ ,  $n_{ijk} = \nu_{ijk}\nu_{jik}$ ,  $\nu_{ijk} = 1 + \delta_{ik} + \delta_{jk}$  etc.):

$$I_n^\mu = \int^d k^\mu \prod_{r=1}^n c_r^{-1} = - \sum_{i=1}^n q_i^\mu I_{n,i}^{[d+]} \quad (3)$$

$$I_n^{\mu\nu} = \int^d k^\mu k^\nu \prod_{r=1}^n c_r^{-1} = \sum_{i,j=1}^n q_i^\mu q_j^\nu n_{ij} I_{n,ij}^{[d+]^2} - \frac{1}{2} g^{\mu\nu} I_n^{[d+]} \quad (4)$$

$$I_n^{\mu\nu\lambda} = \int^d k^\mu k^\nu k^\lambda \prod_{r=1}^n c_r^{-1} = - \sum_{i,j,k=1}^n q_i^\mu q_j^\nu q_k^\lambda n_{ijk} I_{n,ijk}^{[d+]^3} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n g^{[\mu\nu} q_i^{\lambda]} I_{n,i}^{[d+]^2} \quad (5)$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_n^{\mu\nu\lambda\rho} &= \int^d k^\mu k^\nu k^\lambda k^\rho \prod_{r=1}^n c_r^{-1} = \sum_{i,j,k,l=1}^n q_i^\mu q_j^\nu q_k^\lambda q_l^\rho n_{ijkl} I_{n,ijkl}^{[d+]^4} \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^n g^{[\mu\nu} q_i^\lambda q_j^\rho] n_{ij} I_{n,ij}^{[d+]^3} + \frac{1}{4} g^{[\mu\nu} g^{\lambda\rho]} I_n^{[d+]^2} \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

## Notations: Integrals

$$I_{p,ijk\dots}^{[d+]^l,stu\dots} = \int^{[d+]^l} \prod_{r=1}^n \frac{1}{c_r^{1+\delta_{ri}+\delta_{rj}+\delta_{rk}+\dots-\delta_{rs}-\delta_{rt}-\delta_{ru}-\dots}}, \quad \int^d \equiv \int \frac{d^d k}{\pi^{d/2}},$$

where  $[d+]^l = 4 + 2l - 2\varepsilon$

$$I_{n-1,ab}^{\{\mu_1, \dots\}, s}$$

is obtained from

$$I_n^{\{\mu_1, \dots\}}$$

by

- shrinking line  $s$
- raising the powers of inverse propagators  $a, b$ .

## Notations: modified Cayley determinant [Melrose:1965]

Modified Cayley determinant  $(\cdot)_N$  of a diagram with  $N$  internal lines and chords  $q_j$ :

$$(\cdot)_N \equiv \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & Y_{11} & Y_{12} & \dots & Y_{1N} \\ 1 & Y_{12} & Y_{22} & \dots & Y_{2N} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & Y_{1N} & Y_{2N} & \dots & Y_{NN} \end{vmatrix}, \quad (7)$$

with matrix elements

$$Y_{ij} = -(q_i - q_j)^2 + m_i^2 + m_j^2, \quad (i, j = 1 \dots N) \quad (8)$$

Gram determinant  $G_n$ :  $G_n = |2q_i q_j|$ ,  $i, j = 1, \dots, n$

For a choice  $q_n = 0$ , both determinants are related:  $(\cdot)_N = -G_{N-1}$

⇒ The determinant  $(\cdot)_N$  does not depend on the masses.

## Notations: signed minors [Melrose:1965]

We also need **signed minors of  $(\cdot)_N$** , constructed by deleting  $m$  rows and  $m$  columns from  $(\cdot)_N$ , and multiplying with a sign factor:

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( \begin{array}{cccc} j_1 & j_2 & \cdots & j_m \\ k_1 & k_2 & \cdots & k_m \end{array} \right)_N \equiv \\ & \equiv (-1)^{\sum_l (j_l + k_l)} \operatorname{sgn}_{\{j\}} \operatorname{sgn}_{\{k\}} \left| \begin{array}{c|c} \text{rows } j_1 \cdots j_m \text{ deleted} \\ \hline \text{columns } k_1 \cdots k_m \text{ deleted} \end{array} \right| \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

where  $\operatorname{sgn}_{\{j\}}$  and  $\operatorname{sgn}_{\{k\}}$  are the signs of permutations that sort the deleted rows  $j_1 \cdots j_m$  and columns  $k_1 \cdots k_m$  into ascending order.

Following [Tarasov:1996,Fleischer:1999 [18, 19]]:

apply recurrence relations relating scalar integrals of different dimensions in order to get rid of the high dimensions.

$$\nu_j \mathbf{j}^+ I_n^{(d+2)} = \frac{1}{(\mathbf{j}_n)} \left[ -\binom{j}{0}_5 + \sum_{k=1}^n \binom{j}{k}_n \mathbf{k}^- \right] I_n^d \quad (10)$$

$$(d - \sum_{i=1}^n \nu_i + 1) I_n^{(d+2)} = \frac{1}{(\mathbf{j}_n)} \left[ \binom{0}{0}_n - \sum_{k=1}^n \binom{0}{k}_n \mathbf{k}^- \right] I_n^d, \quad (11)$$

where the operators  $\mathbf{i}^\pm, \mathbf{j}^\pm, \mathbf{k}^\pm$  act by shifting the indices  $\nu_i, \nu_j, \nu_k$  by  $\pm 1$ .

## Alternative: Recursions for pentagons

Express any  $(5, R)$  pentagon by a  $(5, R - 1)$  pentagon plus  $(4, R - 1)$  boxes [Fleischer et al., Diakonidis:2010 [22]]

$$I_5^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{R-1} \mu} = I_5^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{R-1}} Q_0^\mu - \sum_{s=1}^5 I_4^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{R-1}, s} Q_s^\mu \quad (12)$$

auxiliary vectors with inverse Gram determinants

$$Q_s^\mu = \sum_{i=1}^5 q_i^\mu \frac{(_i)_5}{()_5}, \quad s = 0, \dots, 5 \quad (13)$$

For e.g.  $R = 3$ , again  $[1/()_5]^3$  will occur.

## Algebraic simplifications, 1<sup>st</sup> step

With the identity

$$\binom{0}{0}_5 \binom{s}{i}_5 = \binom{0s}{0i}_5 \circ_5 + \binom{0}{i}_5 \binom{s}{0}_5 \quad (14)$$

we eliminate the inverse Gram determinant from  $Q_s^\mu$ :

$$\binom{0}{0}_5 I_5^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{R-1} \mu} = \left[ \binom{0}{0}_5 I_5^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{R-1}} - \sum_{s=1}^5 \binom{s}{0}_5 I_4^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{R-1}, s} \right] Q_0^\mu - \sum_{s=1}^5 I_4^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{R-1}, s} \overline{Q}_s^\mu \quad (15)$$

The auxiliary vectors are

$$Q_0^\mu = \sum_{i=1}^5 q_i^\mu \frac{\binom{0}{i}_5}{\circ_5} \quad \text{and} \quad \overline{Q}_s^\mu = \sum_{i=1}^5 q_i^\mu \binom{0s}{0i}_5 \quad (16)$$

## Start recursion analytically

Have to show for the product  $T^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{R-1}} \times Q_0^\mu$  that the Gram determinant cancels.

$$T^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{R-1}} = \left[ \binom{0}{0}_5 I_5^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{R-1}} - \sum_{s=1}^5 \binom{s}{0}_5 I_4^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{R-1}, s} \right] \quad (17)$$

Vector is known:

$$I_5^\mu = \sum_{i=1}^4 q_i^\mu E_i, \quad (18)$$

$$E_i \equiv -I_{5,i}^{[d+]} = (d-4) \frac{\binom{0}{i}_5}{\binom{0}{0}_5} I_5^{[d+]} - \frac{1}{\binom{0}{0}_5} \sum_{s=1}^5 \binom{0i}{0s}_5 I_4^s, \quad (19)$$

## Examples for the use of signed minors

$$\begin{pmatrix} s \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}_5 \begin{pmatrix} 0s \\ is \end{pmatrix}_5 = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ i \end{pmatrix}_5 \begin{pmatrix} 0s \\ 0s \end{pmatrix}_5 - \begin{pmatrix} s \\ s \end{pmatrix}_5 \begin{pmatrix} 0s \\ 0i \end{pmatrix}_5 \quad (20)$$

and

$$\begin{pmatrix} s \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}_5 \begin{pmatrix} ts \\ is \end{pmatrix}_5 = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ i \end{pmatrix}_5 \begin{pmatrix} ts \\ 0s \end{pmatrix}_5 - \begin{pmatrix} s \\ s \end{pmatrix}_5 \begin{pmatrix} ts \\ 0i \end{pmatrix}_5. \quad (21)$$

Here the  $\begin{pmatrix} s \\ s \end{pmatrix}_5$  term cancels and the remaining factor  $\begin{pmatrix} ts \\ 0i \end{pmatrix}_5$  is **antisymmetric** in  $s, t$ , yielding a vanishing contribution after summation over  $s, t$ . Result:

$$T^{\mu, s} = \sum_{i=1}^4 q_i^\mu T_i^s, \quad T_i^s = - \begin{pmatrix} s \\ i \end{pmatrix}_5 l_4^{[d+], s}, \quad (22)$$

## Higher order tensors I

It is crucial to get the  $T_{ij\dots}^s$ , i.e.

$$T^{\mu_1\mu_2\dots} = \sum_{i,j,\dots=1}^4 q_i^{\mu_1} q_j^{\mu_2} \dots T_{ij\dots}^s, \quad (23)$$

We get for the higher tensors and find a pattern !

$$T_{ij}^s = \binom{s}{i}_5 I_{4,j}^{[d+1]^2,s} + \binom{s}{j}_5 I_{4,i}^{[d+1]^2,s} \quad (24)$$

With

$$T_5^{\mu\nu\lambda,s} = \sum_{i,j,k=1}^4 q_i^\mu q_j^\nu q_k^\lambda T_{ijk}^s + \sum_{i=1}^4 g^{[\mu\nu} q_i^{\lambda]} T_{00i}^s, \quad (25)$$

## Higher order tensors II

$$T_{00i}^s = \frac{1}{2} \binom{s}{i}_5 l_4^{[d+]^2, s} \quad (26)$$

$$T_{ijk}^s = - \left\{ \binom{s}{i}_5 \nu_{jk} l_4^{[d+]^3, s} + \binom{s}{j}_5 \nu_{ik} l_4^{[d+]^3, s} + \binom{s}{k}_5 \nu_{ij} l_4^{[d+]^3, s} \right\}. \quad (27)$$

$$T_5^{\mu\nu\lambda\rho} = \sum_{i,j,k,l=1}^4 q_i^\mu q_j^\nu q_k^\lambda q_l^\rho T_{ijkl} + \sum_{i,j=1}^4 g^{[\mu\nu} q_i^\lambda q_j^{\rho]} T_{00ij} + g^{[\mu\nu} g^{\lambda\rho]} T_{0000}, \quad (28)$$

$$T_{0000}^s = 0. \quad (29)$$

$$T_{00ij}^s = -\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \binom{s}{i}_5 l_4^{[d+]^3, s} + \binom{s}{j}_5 l_4^{[d+]^3, s} \right\} \quad (30)$$

$$T_{ijkl}^s = \binom{s}{i}_5 n_{jkl} l_4^{[d+]^4, s} + \binom{s}{j}_5 n_{ikl} l_4^{[d+]^4, s} + \binom{s}{k}_5 n_{ijl} l_4^{[d+]^4, s} + \binom{s}{l}_5 n_{ijk} l_4^{[d+]^4, s} \quad (31)$$

## Algebraic simplifications, 2nd step

### The metric tensor

$$\binom{(s)}{i}_5 \frac{\binom{0}{j}_5}{\binom{0}{5}} = - \binom{0i}{sj}_5 + \binom{s}{0}_5 \frac{\binom{i}{j}_5}{\binom{0}{5}}, \quad g^{\mu\nu} = 2 \sum_{i,j=1}^4 \frac{\binom{i}{j}_5}{\binom{0}{5}} q_i^\mu q_j^\nu \quad (32)$$

$$I_5^{\mu\nu\lambda} = \sum_{i,j,k=1}^4 q_i^\mu q_j^\nu q_k^\lambda E_{ijk} + \sum_{k=1}^4 g^{[\mu\nu} q_k^{\lambda]} E_{00k} \quad (33)$$

$$E_{ijk} = -\frac{1}{\binom{0}{0}_5} \sum_{s=1}^5 \left\{ \left[ \binom{0j}{sk}_5 I_{4,i}^{[d+2],s} + (i \leftrightarrow j) \right] + \binom{0s}{0k}_5 \nu_{ij} I_{4,ij}^{[d+2],s} \right\} \quad (34)$$

$$E_{00j} = \frac{1}{\binom{0}{0}_5} \sum_{s=1}^5 \left[ \frac{1}{2} \binom{0s}{0j}_5 I_{4}^{[d+2],s} - \frac{d-1}{3} \binom{s}{j}_5 I_{4}^{[d+2],s} \right] \quad (35)$$

These presentations are evidently free of inverse G-dets.

Isolation of inverse sub-Gram det<sup>s</sup> (4) |

For scalar higher dimensional integrals

$$I_4^s, I_4^{[d+],s}, I_4^{[d+]^2,s}, \dots \quad (36)$$

application of dimension-shifting recurrence relations produces powers of  $1/(s)_5$  (see (11)):Unwanted sub-Gram-determinants  $(s)_5$ .

We can, however, express in general:

$$I_4^{d,s} = \sum_{t=1}^5 \frac{\binom{ts}{0s}_5}{\binom{0s}{0s}_5} I_3^{d,st}, \text{ for } \binom{s}{s}_5 = 0 \quad (37)$$

for any  $d = [d+]^l$ . Add corrections for small  $(s)_5$  !?

## Isolation of inverse sub-Gram det<sup>s</sup> ( $I_4^{[d+]} I_4^{[d+]} = 1$ )

Try to have inverse Gram determinants **only in boxes**  $I_4^{[d+]}$ , and hold the  $I_3, I_2, I_1$  **free** of them. Introduce:

$$Z_4^{d,s} = \sum_{t=1}^5 \frac{\binom{ts}{0s}_5}{\binom{0s}{0s}_5} I_3^{d,st}, \quad Z_{4,i}^{(d),s} = \sum_{t=1, t \neq i}^5 \frac{\binom{ts}{0s}_5}{\binom{0s}{0s}_5} I_{3,i}^{(d),st} + \frac{\binom{is}{0s}_5}{\binom{0s}{0s}_5} I_4^{(d),s} \quad (38)$$

**Special relation** needed:

$$\binom{0s}{is}_5 \binom{ts}{0s}_5 - \binom{0s}{0s}_5 \binom{ts}{is}_5 = - \binom{s}{s}_5 \binom{0st}{0si}_5. \quad (39)$$

$$I_{4,i}^{[d+],s} = - \frac{\binom{0s}{is}_5}{\binom{0s}{0s}_5} \frac{[I_4^s - Z_4^s]}{\binom{s}{s}_5} + \frac{1}{\binom{0s}{0s}_5} \sum_{t=1}^5 \binom{0st}{0si}_5 I_3^{st} \quad (40)$$

# Reduction of higher tensors I

$$\nu_{ij} l_{4,ij}^{[d+]^2,s} = - \frac{\binom{0s}{js}}{\binom{s}{s}}_5 \left[ l_{4,i}^{[d+],s} - Z_{4,i}^{[d+],s} \right] + \frac{1}{\binom{0s}{0s}_5} \left[ \binom{0si}{0sj} \binom{0s}{s}_5 l_{4}^{[d+],s} + \sum_{t=1, t \neq i}^5 \binom{0st}{0sk} \binom{0s}{s}_5 l_{3,i}^{[d+],st} \right], \quad (41)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_{ij} \nu_{ijk} l_{4,ijk}^{[d+]^3,s} &= - \frac{\binom{0s}{ks}}{\binom{s}{s}}_5 \nu_{ij} \left[ l_{4,ij}^{[d+]^2,s} - Z_{4,ij}^{[d+]^2,s} \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{\binom{0s}{0s}_5} \left[ \binom{0si}{0sk} \binom{0s}{s}_5 l_{4,j}^{[d+],s} + \binom{0sj}{0sk} \binom{0s}{s}_5 l_{4,i}^{[d+],s} + \sum_{t=1, t \neq i, j}^5 \binom{0st}{0sk} \nu_{ij} l_{3,ij}^{[d+],st} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (42)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} n_{ijkl} l_{4,ijkl}^{[d+]^4,s} &= - \frac{\binom{0s}{ls}}{\binom{s}{s}}_5 \nu_{ij} \nu_{ijk} \left[ l_{4,ijk}^{[d+]^3,s} - Z_{4,ijk}^{[d+]^3,s} \right] + \frac{1}{\binom{0s}{0s}_5} \left[ \binom{0sk}{0sl} \binom{0s}{s}_5 \nu_{ij} l_{4,ij}^{[d+]^3,s} + \right. \\ &\quad \left. \binom{0sj}{0sl} \binom{0s}{s}_5 \nu_{ik} l_{4,ik}^{[d+]^3,s} + \binom{0si}{0sl} \binom{0s}{s}_5 \nu_{jk} l_{4,jk}^{[d+]^3,s} + \sum_{t=1, t \neq i, j, k}^5 \binom{0st}{0sl} \binom{0s}{s}_5 \nu_{ij} \nu_{ijk} l_{3,ijk}^{[d+],st} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (43)$$

## Reduction of higher tensors II

For the tensor coefficient of rank 2 we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\binom{0}{0}}{\binom{0}{0}} \left[ I_{4,i}^{[d+]} - Z_{4,i}^{[d+]} \right] = \\ -(d-2) \left[ \frac{\binom{0}{i}}{\binom{0}{0}} (d-1) I_4^{[d+]^2} - \frac{1}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{0t}{0i} I_3^{[d+],t} \right] \quad (44) \end{aligned}$$

and from (41)

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_{ij} I_{4,ij}^{[d+]^2} = & \frac{\binom{0}{i}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{\binom{0}{j}}{\binom{0}{0}} (d-2)(d-1) I_4^{[d+]^2} + \frac{\binom{0i}{0j}}{\binom{0}{0}} I_4^{[d+]} \\ & - \frac{\binom{0}{j}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{d-2}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{0t}{0i} I_3^{[d+],t} + \frac{1}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{0t}{0j} I_3^{[d+],t} \quad (45) \end{aligned}$$

## Reduction of higher tensors III

Dropping the index  $s$ :  $\binom{s}{s}_5 \rightarrow ()_4$  and  $I_5^{[d+],s} \rightarrow I_4^{[d+]}$

A lengthy calculation yields

$$\begin{aligned} \binom{0}{0} \nu_{ij} \left[ I_{4,ij}^{[d+]} - Z_{4,ij}^{[d+]} \right] &= \binom{0}{0} \binom{0}{0} (d-1)d(d+1) I_4^{[d+]} + (d-1) \frac{1}{\binom{0}{0}} \binom{0i}{0j} I_4^{[d+]} - \\ &\quad \frac{(d-1)d}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{\binom{0}{j}}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{0t}{0i} I_3^{[d+],t} + \frac{d-1}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{0t}{0j} I_3^{[d+],t}. \end{aligned} \quad (46)$$

Inserting indexed Integrals  $I_{4,j}^{[d+]}$  we finally have

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_{ij} \nu_{ijk} I_{4,ijk}^{[d+]} &= - \frac{\binom{0}{i}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{\binom{0}{j}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{\binom{0}{k}}{\binom{0}{0}} (d-1)d(d+1) I_4^{[d+]} - \frac{\binom{0i}{0j} \binom{0}{k} + \binom{0i}{0k} \binom{0}{j} + \binom{0j}{0k} \binom{0}{i}}{\binom{0}{0}^2} (d-1) I_4^{[d+]} \\ &\quad + \frac{\binom{0}{j}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{\binom{0}{k}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{(d-1)d}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{0t}{0i} I_3^{[d+],t} - \frac{\binom{0}{k}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{d-1}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{0t}{0j} I_3^{[d+],t} \\ &\quad + \sum_{t=1}^4 \frac{\binom{0i}{0k} \binom{0t}{0j} + \binom{0j}{0k} \binom{0t}{0i}}{\binom{0}{0}^2} I_3^{[d+],t} + \frac{1}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1, t \neq i, j}^4 \binom{0t}{0k} \nu_{ij} I_{3,ij}^{[d+],t} \end{aligned} \quad (47)$$

## Reduction of higher tensors IV

We find again a pattern !:

How can we get 47?

Replace in 45  $d \rightarrow d + 2$  and multiply with  $-(d - 1) \binom{0}{k}$

Factors  $(d + i)$  increase by steps of 1

Then add the second part of (42).

Applying this pattern we get the next  
higher tensor coefficient:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \nu_{ij} \nu_{ijk} \nu_{ijkl} I_{4,ijkl}^{[d+]} = \frac{\binom{0}{i}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{\binom{0}{j}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{\binom{0}{k}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{\binom{0}{l}}{\binom{0}{0}} d(d+1)(d+2)(d+3) I_4^{[d+]} \\
& + \frac{\binom{0i}{0j} \binom{0}{k} \binom{0}{l} + \binom{0i}{0k} \binom{0}{j} \binom{0}{l} + \binom{0j}{0k} \binom{0}{i} \binom{0}{l} + \binom{0i}{0l} \binom{0}{j} \binom{0}{k} + \binom{0j}{0l} \binom{0}{i} \binom{0}{k} + \binom{0k}{0l} \binom{0}{i} \binom{0}{j}}{\binom{0}{0}^3} d(d+1) I_4^{[d+]} \\
& + \frac{\binom{0i}{0l} \binom{0j}{0k} + \binom{0j}{0l} \binom{0i}{0k} + \binom{0k}{0l} \binom{0i}{0j}}{\binom{0}{0}^2} I_4^{[d+]} \\
& - \frac{\binom{0}{j}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{\binom{0}{k}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{\binom{0}{l}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{d(d+1)(d+2)}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{0t}{0i} I_3^{[d+]^3, t} + \frac{\binom{0}{k}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{\binom{0}{l}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{d(d+1)}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{0t}{0j} I_{3,i}^{[d+]^3, t} \\
& - \frac{d}{\binom{0}{0}^3} \sum_{t=1}^4 \left[ \binom{0i}{0k} \binom{0t}{0j} + \binom{0j}{0k} \binom{0t}{0i} \right] \binom{0}{l} I_3^{[d+]^2, t} \\
& - \frac{d}{\binom{0}{0}^3} \sum_{t=1}^4 \left[ \binom{0j}{0l} \binom{0t}{0i} \binom{0}{k} + \binom{0i}{0l} \binom{0t}{0j} \binom{0}{k} + \binom{0k}{0l} \binom{0t}{0i} \binom{0}{j} \right] I_3^{[d+]^2, t} \\
& + \frac{1}{\binom{0}{0}^2} \sum_{t=1}^4 \left[ \binom{0j}{0l} \binom{0t}{0k} I_{3,i}^{[d+]^2, t} + \binom{0i}{0l} \binom{0t}{0k} I_{3,j}^{[d+]^2, t} + \binom{0k}{0l} \binom{0t}{0j} I_{3,i}^{[d+]^2, t} \right] \\
& - \frac{\binom{0}{l}}{\binom{0}{0}} \frac{d}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{0t}{0k} \nu_{ij} I_{3,ij}^{[d+]^3, t} + \frac{1}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1, t \neq i, j}^4 \binom{0t}{0l} \nu_{ij} \nu_{ijk} I_{3,ijk}^{[d+]^3, t}. \tag{48}
\end{aligned}$$

## Corrections for small Gram determinants |

$$Z_4^{[d+]'} = \frac{1}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{t}{0} l_3^{[d+]', t}. \quad (49)$$

## Recursion and 1 Iteration:

$$l_4^{[d+]} = Z_4^{[d+]} + \frac{()}{\binom{0}{0}} [(2l+1) - 2\varepsilon] l_4^{[d+](l+1)} \quad (50)$$

$$= Z_4^{[d+]}{}^I + \frac{()}{\binom{0}{0}} [(2I+1) - 2\varepsilon] \left\{ Z_4^{[d+]}{}^{I+1} + \frac{()}{\binom{0}{0}} [(2I+3) - 2\varepsilon] I_4^{[d+]}{}^{(I+2)} \right\} \quad (51)$$

$$I_4^{[d+]'} = F_4^{[d+]'} + D_4^{[d+]'} \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \quad \text{and} \quad Z4d' = \text{finite part of } Z_4^{[d+]'}.$$

## Corrections for small Gram determinants II

$$F_4^{[d+]^l} = Z4d^l + \frac{\binom{l}{0}}{\binom{0}{0}} \left[ (2l+1) F_4^{[d+]^{(l+1)}} - 2 D_4^{[d+]^{(l+1)}} \right]. \quad (52)$$

$$\delta Z4d_i^l = \frac{\binom{l}{0}}{\binom{0}{0}} \left[ (2l+1) Z4d_i^{(l+1)} - 2 D_4^{[d+]^{(l+1)}} \right] \quad i = 0, 1, 2, \dots \quad (53)$$

$$Z4d_i^l = Z4d^l + \delta Z4d_{(i-1)}^l, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots . \quad (54)$$

**Start:**  $F_4^{[d+]^{(l+1)}} = Z4d_0^{(l+1)} = Z4d_{|()_4=0}^l \quad l = 1, \dots, l_{max} + 1.$

## Corrections for small Gram determinants III

**Technical detail:** iteration also for the divergent part

$$\text{DivZ4d}_0^I = \frac{1}{\binom{0}{0}} \sum_{t=1}^4 \binom{t}{0} D_3^{[d+1]'}(t); \quad I = 1, \dots, I_{max} + 1 \quad (55)$$

$$\delta \text{DivZ4d}_0^I = \frac{\binom{}{0}}{\binom{0}{0}} (2I+1) \text{DivZ4d}_0^{I+1}; \quad I = 3, \dots, I_{max} \quad (56)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \text{DivZ4d}_{(i+1)}^{(I-i)} &= \text{DivZ4d}_{(0)}^{(I-i)} + \delta \text{DivZ4d}_i^I \\ \delta \text{DivZ4d}_{(i+1)}^I &= \frac{\binom{}{0}}{\binom{0}{0}} 2(I-i) \text{DivZ4d}_{(i+1)}^{(I-i)}; \end{aligned} \quad (57)$$

## Corrections for small Gram determinants IV

“Solving” (53) and (54) :

$$\begin{aligned} Z4d_i^L = & \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} c(j) \mathbf{r}^j Z4d^{(L+j)} - 2 \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} c(j) \mathbf{r}^{j+1} D_4^{[d+]^{(L+j+1)}} \\ & + c(i) \mathbf{r}^i Z4d_0^{(L+i)}, \end{aligned} \quad (58)$$

where  $\mathbf{r} = \frac{\binom{L}{0}}{\binom{0}{0}}$  and  $c(j) = 2^j \frac{\Gamma(L+j+\frac{1}{2})}{\Gamma(L+\frac{1}{2})}$ .

$i \rightarrow \infty$  and assuming convergence:

$$I_4^{[d+]^L} = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} c(j) \mathbf{r}^j Z4d^{(L+j)} - 2 \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} c(j) \mathbf{r}^{j+1} D_4^{[d+]^{(L+j+1)}}. \quad (59)$$

## Padé approximants

Padé approximants in terms of the  $\varepsilon$ -algorithm:

$1^{st}$  column is zero,     $2^{nd}$  : sequence  $S^i = Z4d_i^L$

$$\varepsilon_{-1}^{(i)} = 0, \quad (60)$$

$$\varepsilon_0^{(i)} = Z4d_i^L, i = 0, \dots, l_{\max} - L, \quad (61)$$

$$\varepsilon_{k+1}^{(i)} = \varepsilon_{k-1}^{(i+1)} + \frac{1}{\varepsilon_k^{(i+1)} - \varepsilon_k^{(i)}} \quad (62)$$

$\varepsilon$ -table and the Padé table are related:

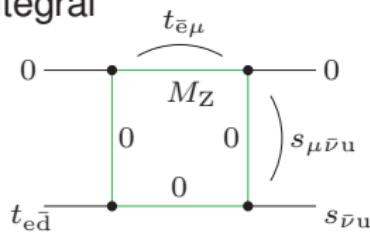
$$\varepsilon_{2k}^{(i)} = [k + i/k], \quad (63)$$

$$Z4d_{l_{\max}-L}^L = \varepsilon_{2k}^{(0)} \equiv [k/k]_{Z4d^L}, \quad k = l_{\max} - L \quad (64)$$

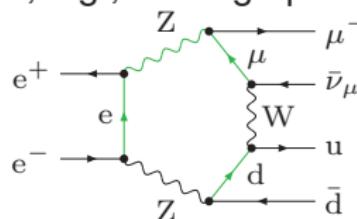
An example:  $D_{111}$ , following A. Denner

A.Denner, plenary talk DESY Theory Workshop 2009, p.69  
(backup transparency)

box integral



appears, e.g., in subgraph of diagram



Gram det.:  $\Delta^{(N)} \rightarrow 0$  if  $t_{e\bar{d}} \rightarrow t_{\text{crit}} \equiv \frac{s_{\mu\bar{\nu}u}(s_{\mu\bar{\nu}u} - s_{\bar{\nu}u} + t_{\bar{e}\mu})}{s_{\mu\bar{\nu}u} - s_{\bar{\nu}u}}$

$x$		$\Re e D_{1111}$	$\Im m D_{1111}$
0.	[exp 0,0]	2.05969289730 E-10	1.55594910118 E-10
$10^{-8}$	[exp x,2]	2.05969289342 E-10	1.55594909187 E-10
	[exp 0,2]	2.05969289349 E-10	1.55594909187 E-10
$10^{-4}$	[exp x,5]	2.05965609497 E-10	1.55585605343 E-10
	[exp 0,5]	2.05965609495 E-10	1.55585605343 E-10
0.001	[exp 0,6]	2.05932484380 E-10	1.55501912433 E-10
	[exp x,6]	2.05932484381 E-10	1.55501912433 E-10
	$I_{4,2222}^{[d+4]}$ $D_{1111}$	2.02292295240 E-10	1.54974785467 E-10
		2.01707671668 E-10	1.62587142251 E-10
0.005	[exp 0,6]	2.05786054801 E-10	1.55131031024 E-10
	[pade 0,3]	2.05785198947 E-10	1.55131031003 E-10
	[exp x,6]	2.05786364440 E-10	1.55131031024 E-10
	[pade x,3]	2.05785199805 E-10	1.55131030706 E-10
	$I_{4,2222}^{[d+4]}$ $D_{1111}$	2.05778894114 E-10	1.55135794453 E-10
		2.05779811490 E-10	1.55136343923 E-10
	[exp 0,6]	2.05703298143 E-10	1.54669910676 E-10
	[pade 0,3]	2.05600940065 E-10	1.54669907784 E-10
0.01	[exp 0,10]	2.05600964693 E-10	1.54669910676 E-10
	[pade 0,5]	2.05600955381 E-10	1.54669910676 E-10
	[exp x,10]	2.05600963675 E-10	1.54669910676 E-10
	[pade x,5]	2.05600955381 E-10	1.54669910676 E-10
	$I_{4,2222}^{[d+4]}$ $D_{1111}$	2.05600013702 E-10	1.54670651917 E-10
		2.05600239280 E-10	1.54670771210 E-10

**Table:** Numerical values for the tensor coefficient  $D_{1111}$ . Values marked by  $D_{1111}$  are evaluated with LoopTools, the  $I_{4,2222}^{[d+4]}$  corresponds to (48) The labels [exp 0,2n] and [pade 0,n] denote iteration 2n and Pade approximant [n, n] when the small Gram determinant expansion starts at  $x = 0$ , and [exp x,2n] and [pade x,n] are the corresponding numbers for an expansion starting at  $x$ .

$x$	$\Re e D_{1111}$	$\Im m D_{1111}$
0.01 [exp 0,6] [pade 0,3] [exp 0,10] [pade 0,5] [exp x,10] [pade x,5]	2.05703298143 E-10 2.05600940065 E-10 2.05600964693 E-10 2.05600955381 E-10 2.05600963675 E-10 2.05600955381 E-10	1.54669910676 E-10 1.54669907784 E-10 1.54669910676 E-10 1.54669910676 E-10 1.54669910676 E-10 1.54669910676 E-10
$I_{4,2222}^{[d+]} D_{1111}$	2.05600013702 E-10 2.05600239280 E-10	1.54670651917 E-10 1.54670771210 E-10
0.05 [exp 0,6] [pade 0,3] [exp 0,20] [pade 0,10] [exp x,20] [pade x,10]	4.83822963052 E-09 2.01518061131 E-10 2.04218962072 E-10 2.04122727654 E-10 2.04190274030 E-10 2.04122727971 E-10	1.51077429118 E-10 1.50591643209 E-10 1.51077424143 E-10 1.51077424149 E-10 1.51077424143 E-10 1.51077423985 E-10
$I_{4,2222}^{[d+]} D_{1111}$	2.04122726387 E-10 2.04122726601 E-10	1.51077422901 E-10 1.51077423320 E-10
0.1 [exp 0,26] [pade 0,13] [exp x,26] [pade x,13]	2.20215264409 E-08 2.01749674352 E-10 2.08190721550 E-08 2.03995221326 E-10	1.46815247004 E-10 1.46681287362 E-10 1.46815247004 E-10 1.46785977364 E-10
$I_{4,2222}^{[d+]} D_{1111}$	2.02269485177 E-10 2.02269485217 E-10	1.46815247061 E-10 1.46815247051 E-10
1. $I_{4,2222}^{[d-]} D_{1111}$	1.72115440143 E-10 1.72115440148 E-10	9.74550747662 E-11 9.74550747662 E-11

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$x$		$\Re e D_{111}$	$\Im m D_{111}$
0	[exp 0,0]	-3.15407250453 E-10	-3.31837792634 E-10
$10^{-8}$	[exp x,1]	-3.15407250057 E-10	-3.31837790700 E-10
	[exp 0,1]	-3.15407250057 E-10	-3.31837790700 E-10
$10^{-4}$	[exp x,4]	-3.15403282194 E-10	-3.31818461838 E-10
	[exp 0,4]	-3.15403282194 E-10	-3.31818461838 E-10
0.001	[exp x,6]	-3.15367545429 E-10	-3.31644587150 E-10
	[exp 0,6]	-3.15367545429 E-10	-3.31644587150 E-10
$\mathcal{J}_{4,222}^{[d+3]}$	$D_{111}$	-3.15372092999 E-10	-3.31645245644 E-10
		-3.15372823537 E-10	-3.31635736868 E-10
		-3.15208222856 E-10	-3.30874035862 E-10
0.005	[pade x,3]	-3.15208230282 E-10	-3.30874035931 E-10
	[exp 0,6]	-3.15208224867 E-10	-3.30874035862 E-10
	[pade 0,3]	-3.15208230411 E-10	-3.30874035867 E-10
$\mathcal{J}_{4,222}^{[d+3]}$	$D_{111}$	-3.15208269791 E-10	-3.30874006110 E-10
		-3.15208264077 E-10	-3.30874002667 E-10
		-3.15006665284 E-10	-3.29915926110 E-10
0.01	[exp 0,6]	-3.15007977830 E-10	-3.29915888075 E-10
	[pade 0,3]	-3.15007991203 E-10	-3.29915926110 E-10
	[exp 0,10]	-3.15007991324 E-10	-3.29915926110 E-10
	[pade 0,5]	-3.15007991324 E-10	-3.29915926110 E-10
	[exp x,10]	-3.15007991217 E-10	-3.29915926110 E-10
	[pade x,5]	-3.15007991324 E-10	-3.29915936110 E-10
$\mathcal{J}_{4,222}^{[d+3]}$	$D_{111}$	-3.15008000292 E-10	-3.29915916848 E-10
		-3.15008000292 E-10	-3.29915915368 E-10

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$x$	$\Re D_{111}$	$\Im D_{111}$
0.01 [exp 0,6] [pade 0,3] [exp 0,10] [pade 0,5] [exp x,10] [pade x,5] $I_{4,222}^{[d+]} D_{111}$	-3.15006665284 E-10 -3.15007977830 E-10 -3.15007991203 E-10 -3.15007991324 E-10 -3.15007991217 E-10 -3.15007991324 E-10 -3.15008000292 E-10 -3.15008000292 E-10	-3.29915926110 E-10 -3.29915888075 E-10 -3.29915926110 E-10 -3.29915926110 E-10 -3.29915926110 E-10 -3.29915936110 E-10 -3.29915916848 E-10 -3.29915915368 E-10
0.05 [exp 0,6] [pade 0,3] [exp 0,20] [pade 0,10] [exp x,20] [pade x,10] $I_{4,222}^{[d+]} D_{111}$	-1.34278470211 E-11 -3.13432516570 E-10 -3.13359445767 E-10 -3.13365675001 E-10 -3.13361302214 E-10 -3.13365674956 E-10 -3.13365675084 E-10 -3.13365675070 E-10	-3.22448580722 E-10 -3.22580791799 E-10 -3.22448581032 E-10 -3.22448581024 E-10 -3.22448581032 E-10 -3.22448581051 E-10 -3.22448581110 E-10 -3.22448581084 E-10
0.1 [exp 0,26] [pade 0,13] [exp x,26] [pade x,13] $I_{4,222}^{[d+]} D_{111}$	-2.49466252165 E-09 -3.11144777695 E-10 -2.34010823441 E-09 -3.10806582023 E-10 -3.11226750699 E-10 -3.11226750695 E-10	-3.13582331984 E-10 -3.13599283949 E-10 -3.135823319836 E-10 -3.135870111996 E-10 -3.13582331977 E-10 -3.13582331978 E-10
1. $I_{4,222}^{[d+]} D_{111}$	-2.70193791372 E-10 -2.70193791373 E-10	-2.10251973821 E-10 -2.10251973821 E-10

**Table:** Numerical values for the tensor coefficient  $D_{111}$ . Values marked by  $D_{111}$  are evaluated with LoopTools, the  $I_{4,222}^{[d+]}$ , defined in (47). The labels [exp 0,2n] and [pade 0,n] denote iteration 2n and Pade approximant [n, n] when the small Gram determinant expansion starts at  $x = 0$ , and [exp x,2n] and [pade x,n] are the corresponding numbers for an expansion starting at  $x$ .

## PJFry — numerical package

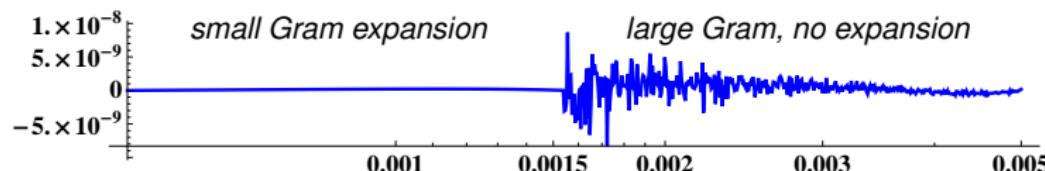
Numerical implementation of described algorithms:

C++ package **PJFry** by V. Yundin [in preparation]

- Reduction of **5-point** 1-loop tensor integrals up to **rank 5**
- No limitations on internal/external masses combinations
- Small Gram determinants treatment by expansion
- Interfaces for C, C++, FORTRAN and MATHEMATICA

### Example:

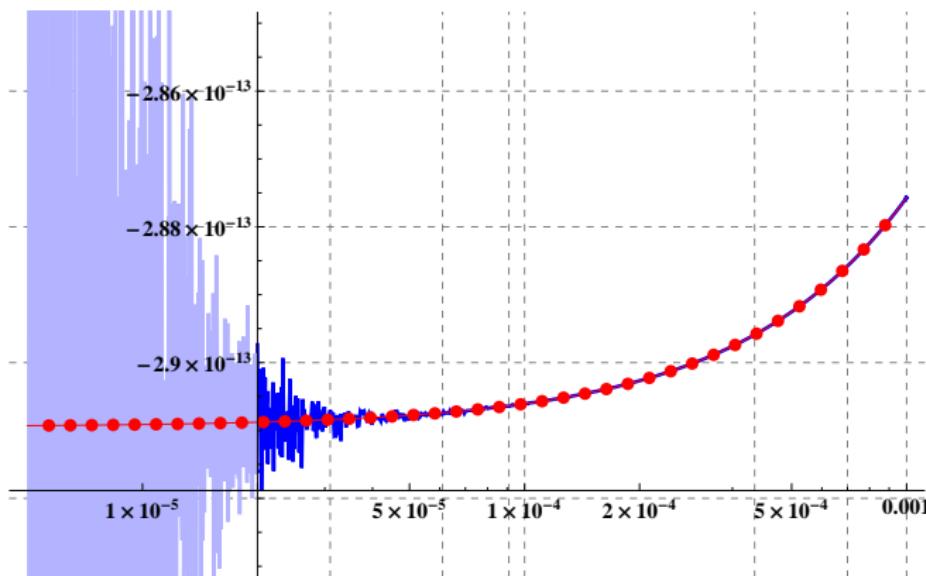
Relative accuracy of  $E_{3333}$  coef. around small Gram4 region



## PJFry — small Gram region example

**Example:**  $E_{3333}$  coefficient in small Gram region ( $x = 0$ )

Comparison of Regular and Expansion formulae:



$$x=0: E_{3333}(0, 0, -6 \times 10^4, 0, 0, 10^4, -3.5 \times 10^4, 2 \times 10^4, -4 \times 10^4, 1.5 \times 10^4, 0, 6550, 0, 0, 8315)$$

# Summary

- Kompakt expression for the tensor components
- No limitation on masses
- Works for vanishing sub-Gram determinants
- No limitations for scalar diagrams containing  $\frac{1}{\varepsilon^2}$  terms
- Find **patterns** how to proceed to higher tensors
- Analytic simplification of original diagrams (not shown)

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