

One-loop Integrations with Hypergeometric Functions

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■ Purpose

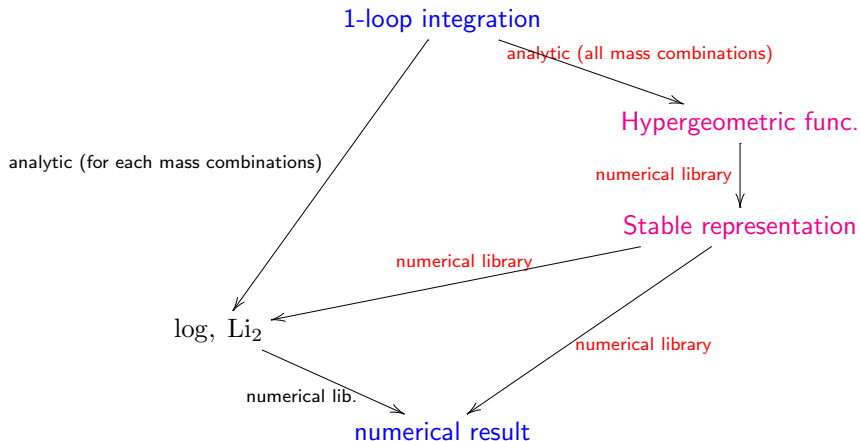
- To handle arbitrary combination of mass parameters in d -dimensional 1-loop calculations (massive and massless cases).
- Tensor integral in Feynman parameter representation.
 - ↵ differentiation in terms of mass parameters.
- To obtain numerically stable expressions.

■ Hypergeometric functions will be useful.

- Regge (1969, a class of generalized Hypergeometric equations)
- Tarasov et al., Davydychev, Kalmykov, ... (1-, 2-loop, ...)
- Duplančić and Nižić, Kurihara (1-loop, for massless QCD with IR)

■ This work:

- New analytic expression for general box integration using extended hypergeometric functions.



Attention!

- Results depends of the order of limiting process.

$$\frac{(p^2)^\epsilon - 1}{\epsilon} \rightarrow \begin{cases} -1/\epsilon & (\epsilon > 0, \quad p^2 \rightarrow 0) \\ \log p^2 & (p^2 \neq 0, \quad \epsilon \rightarrow +0) \end{cases}$$

⇒ different expressions among massive and massless cases around 4-dim.

- We take limits in the following order:
 1. Differentiation in terms of m_j for **tensor** integration.
 2. If particles are massless (and on-shell), take the limit $m_j \rightarrow 0$ (and $p_k^2 \rightarrow 0$) **before** $d \rightarrow 4$.
 3. $d \rightarrow 4$, or **expansion** in terms of $(d - 4)$, before the numerical calculation.
- Poles of ϵ may be produced by an integration.

⇒ not always possible to expand the integrand.
- Numerical instability: $\infty - \infty \rightarrow \text{finite}$, $0/0 \rightarrow \text{finite}$.

Analytic properties of the expressions are important not only for physical behavior but also for numerical stabilities.

2-point function

- 2-point scalar integration for general parameters.

$$I_2^{(\alpha)} = \int_0^1 dx \mathcal{D}^\alpha,$$
$$\mathcal{D} = -p^2 x(1-x) + m_1^2 x + m_2^2(1-x) - i\varepsilon$$

Scalar integration: $\alpha = +0$ in 4-dim.

- Factorize with the roots $x = \gamma_\pm$ of $\mathcal{D} = 0$:

$$I_2^{(\alpha)} = \mathcal{D}(0)^\alpha \int_0^1 \left(1 - \frac{x}{\gamma^+}\right)^\alpha \left(1 - \frac{x}{\gamma^-}\right)^\alpha dx.$$

- It is a special case of Appell F_1 :

$$F_1(\alpha, \beta, \beta'; \gamma; y, z)$$
$$= \frac{\Gamma(\gamma)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\gamma-\alpha)} \int_0^1 x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\gamma-\alpha-1} (1-yx)^{-\beta} (1-zx)^{-\beta'} dx.$$

■ Appell F_1

- Power series expansion, differential equation and integral representation is known.
- Generalization of Gauss Hypergeometric function F :

$$F_1(\alpha, \beta, 0; \gamma; y, z) = F(\alpha, \beta; \gamma; y).$$

- Regular except for (depending on the values of parameters)

$$y = 0, 1, \infty, \quad z = 0, 1, \infty, \quad y = z.$$

⇒ important information for numerical stability.

- For massive case (with identity of F_1)

$$I_2^{(\alpha)} = \frac{\gamma^-}{\alpha + 1} \mathcal{D}(0)^\alpha F(1, -\alpha; \alpha + 2; \frac{\gamma^-}{\gamma^+}) \\ + \frac{1 - \gamma^-}{\alpha + 1} \mathcal{D}(1)^\alpha F(1, -\alpha; \alpha + 2; \frac{1 - \gamma^-}{1 - \gamma^+}).$$

- Expansion around 4-dim. with

$$F(a\epsilon, b\epsilon; 1 + b\epsilon; z) = 1 + ab\epsilon^2 \text{Li}_2(z) + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^3), \\ F(1, \epsilon, 2 - \epsilon; z) = \frac{1 - \epsilon}{1 - 2\epsilon} \left[\frac{1 + z}{2z} - \frac{(1 - z)^{1-2\epsilon}}{2z} - \epsilon^2 \frac{1 - z}{z} \text{Li}_2(z) \right] + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^3).$$

- usual expression in 4-dim with log and Li_2 .
- numerically calculable
- Other identities and expansion formulas are used for massless case.

3-point function

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$$I_3^{(\alpha)} = \int_0^1 dx_1 \int_0^{1-x_1} dx_2 \mathcal{D}^\alpha.$$

where, \mathcal{D} is a quadratic form of x_1 and x_2 .

- Linearization of \mathcal{D} for one variable (elimination of x_2^2 term):
Change variables $(x_1, x_2) \rightarrow (x_2, y)$: (projective transformation;
'tHooft-Veltman '79)

$$x_1 = y - rx_2, \quad y = x_1 + rx_2,$$

r : root of a quadratic equation.

3-point function: 1st integration

- \mathcal{D} is linear in $x_2 \Rightarrow$ trivial integration for x_2 .

$$I_3^{(\alpha)} = \sum_{i:\text{edge of the triangle}} c_i \int_{\text{edge}_i} \frac{\mathcal{D}^{\alpha+1}}{a_i y + b_i} dy.$$

- \mathcal{D} : quadratic in terms of $y \Rightarrow$ product of linear factors of y .

$$I_3^{(\alpha)} = \sum_i c_i \int \frac{1}{a_i y + b_i} \left(1 - \frac{y}{\gamma_i^+}\right)^{\alpha+1} \left(1 - \frac{y}{\gamma_i^-}\right)^{\alpha+1} dy.$$

One more factor in the integrand than F_1 .

\Rightarrow Lauricella's F_D .

- Integral representation

$$F_D(\alpha, \beta_1, \dots, \beta_n; \gamma; x_1, \dots, x_n) = \frac{\Gamma(\gamma)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\gamma-\alpha)} \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1} (1-t)^{\gamma-\alpha-1} \prod_{i=1}^n (1-x_i t)^{-\beta_i} dt$$

- A generalization of F (when $n = 1$), F_1 (when $n = 2$).
- **Analyticity:** Regular except for $x_j = 0, 1, \infty$, $x_j = x_k$ ($j \neq k$).
- Identity: for constants x_1, \dots, x_n

$$z^{p-1} (1-z)^{q-1} \prod_{i=1}^n (1-x_i z)^{-\beta_i} = \frac{d}{dz} \frac{z^p}{p} F_D(p, (\beta_i), 1-q; p+1; (x_i z), z).$$

⇒ **primitive** function of **any product of linear factors with arbitrary powers.**

3-point function with F_D

- The result is

$$I_3^{(\alpha)} = \frac{1}{(\alpha + 1)\sqrt{D}} \sum_{k=0}^2 \frac{\mathcal{D}_k(0)^{\alpha+1}}{x_{k0}} F_D(1, 1, -\alpha - 1, -\alpha - 1; 2; \frac{1}{x_{k0}}, \frac{1}{\gamma_k^+}, \frac{1}{\gamma_k^-})$$

where,

- D : discriminant appearing in the projective transformation.
 - k : indicates an edge of the triangular integration domain.
 - \mathcal{D}_k : value of \mathcal{D} on the edge k .
 - x_{k0} : $-b/a$ on the edge k .
 - γ_k^\pm : roots of \mathcal{D}_k .
- Around 4 dim.: $F_D \Rightarrow F_1 \Rightarrow \log, \text{Li}_2$.

4-point function

- 4-point function:

$$I_4^{(\alpha)} = \int_{\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}^4} d^4x \delta\left(1 - \sum x_j\right) \mathcal{D}^\alpha.$$

\mathcal{D} is a homogeneous quadratic form of x_j .

For scalar integration, $\alpha = -2 - \epsilon$ ($\epsilon < 0$).

- 1st integration : \Leftarrow Projective transformation : same as 3-point functions:

$$\int \mathcal{D}^\alpha dy = \frac{1}{\alpha + 1} \frac{\mathcal{D}^{\alpha+1}}{\partial_y \mathcal{D}}.$$

\mathcal{D} is quadratic in terms of other variables, while $\partial_y \mathcal{D}$ is a linear factor.

Second integration

- Projective transformation once more

⇒ Integrate with the formula (special case for F_D):

$$\beta \frac{z^{\beta-1}}{1-z} = \frac{d}{dz} z^\beta F(1, \beta; \beta + 1; z),$$

⇒ The second integration is expressed with F (Gauss HGF).

- Integration domain : slightly complicated

⇒ differential form ⇒ Stokes' theorem.

The result of the second integration

- After integrations twice:

$$I_4^{(\alpha)} = \sum_{i=1}^3 \sum_{m=1, m \neq i}^4 J_{im}$$

$$J_{im} = -\frac{1}{(\alpha+1)(\alpha+2)} \int_V \delta(1 - \sum x_j) \delta(x_i) \delta(x_m) \\ \times \frac{e_{im}^{\alpha+1}}{d_{im}^{\alpha+2}} \left(\frac{d_{im} \mathcal{D}}{e_{im}} \right)^{\alpha+2} F(1, \alpha+2, \alpha+3, \frac{d_{im} \mathcal{D}}{e_{im}}) d^4 x,$$

where

- d_{im} : independent of x , brought from projective transformations.
- e_{im} : **quadratic form** of x .

Separation of the leading pole

- For $\alpha + 2 = -\epsilon \rightarrow +0$ (for the scalar integration),

$$F(1, \alpha + 2, \alpha + 3; z) = 1 + \frac{\alpha + 2}{\alpha + 3} z F(1, \alpha + 3, \alpha + 4; z).$$

- For J_{12} ($x_1 = x_2 = 0$, $x_3 = y$, $x_4 = 1 - y$)

$$J_{12} = -\frac{1}{(\alpha + 1)(\alpha + 2)} \int_0^1 \frac{\mathcal{D}^{\alpha+2}}{e_{12}} dy$$
$$- \frac{1}{(\alpha + 1)(\alpha + 3)} \int_0^1 \frac{e_{12}^{\alpha+1}}{d_{12}^{\alpha+2}} \left(\frac{d_{12}\mathcal{D}}{e_{12}} \right)^{\alpha+3} F(1, \alpha + 3, \alpha + 4, \frac{d_{12}\mathcal{D}}{e_{12}}) dy.$$

- The first term \Rightarrow leading pole \Rightarrow expressed by F_D .

When $e_{12} \propto \mathcal{D} \Rightarrow 1/\epsilon^2$.

The second term

Argument of F : rational expression (quadratic)/(quadratic).

Partial integration

- Primitive function of $e_{12}^{\alpha+1} \Rightarrow$ partial integration.
- Product of linear terms with roots of $e_{12}(y) = 0$:

$$e_{12}(y) = \tilde{e}_{12}(y - y_+)(y - y_-)$$

- Primitive function.

$$\begin{aligned} e_{12}(y)^{\alpha+1} &= \frac{dh(y)}{dy}, \\ h(y) &= -\frac{\tilde{e}_{12}(y_+ - y_+)^{\alpha+1}(y_- - y)^{\alpha+2}}{\alpha + 2} \\ &\quad \times F(-\alpha - 1, \alpha + 2; \alpha + 3; \frac{y - y_-}{y_+ - y_-}). \end{aligned}$$

Argument of F : linear for y .

Result of partial integration

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$$J_{12} = J_{12D} + J_{12S} + J_{12I}$$

$$J_{12D} := -\frac{1}{(\alpha+1)(\alpha+2)} \int_0^1 \frac{\mathcal{D}^{\alpha+2}}{e_{12}} dy$$

$$J_{12S} := -\frac{1}{(\alpha+1)(\alpha+3)d_{12}^{\alpha+2}} \left[h(y) \left(\frac{d_{12}\mathcal{D}}{e_{12}} \right)^{\alpha+3} F(1, \alpha+3, \alpha+4, \frac{d_{12}\mathcal{D}}{e_{12}}) \right]_0^1$$

$$J_{12I} := -\frac{1}{\alpha+1} \int_0^1 h(y) \left(\frac{\mathcal{D}}{e_{12}} \right)^{\alpha+2} P(y) dy,$$

$$P(y) := \frac{d}{dy} \log \left(\frac{e_{12} - d_{12}\mathcal{D}}{e_{12}} \right) \quad (\text{sum of } 1/(\text{linear})).$$

- J_{12D} : leading pole term $\Rightarrow F_D$.
- J_{12S} : surface term $\Rightarrow F \times F$.
- J_{12I} : to be integrated.

Last integration

- Divide integration domain into $[0, y_-]$ and $[y_-, 1]$ and re-scale them to $[0, 1]$.
- Use integral representation of F .
- The result is (w, z :new variable, u_0 :const.)

$$J_{12I} = \text{const.} \int_0^1 dw \int_0^{1-w} dz \left(\frac{\mathcal{D}(y_- w)}{(1-w)\{1-u_0(1-w)\}} \right)^{\alpha+2} \\ \times P(y_- w) z^{\alpha+1} (1-u_0 z)^{\alpha+1} \\ + (\text{one more similar term}).$$

- 2 dim. integration.
- Integrand is a product of powers of linear factors.
- Integration domain is a simplex.

⇒ Aomoto-Gelfand hypergeometric function.

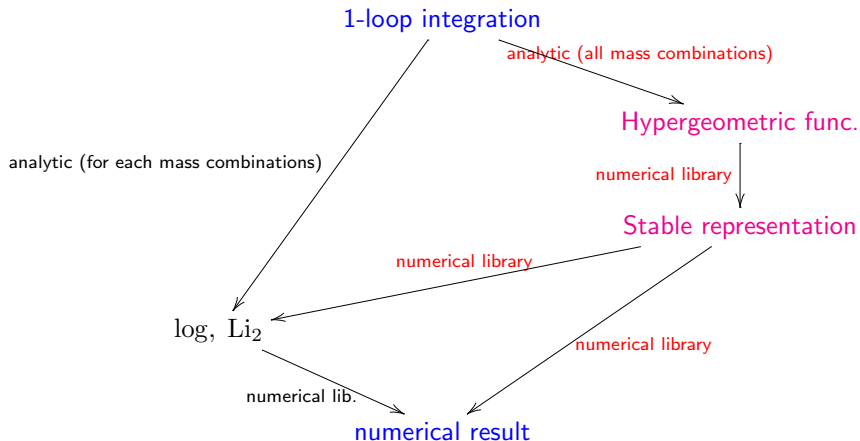
Integral representation:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & F((\alpha_i), (\beta_j), \gamma; x) \\
 &= \frac{\Gamma(\gamma)}{\Gamma(\gamma - \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i) \prod_{i=1}^n \Gamma(\alpha_i)} \int_{\Delta^n} \prod_{i=1}^n u_i^{\alpha_i-1} \cdot \left(1 - \sum_{i=1}^n u_i\right)^{\gamma - \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i - 1} \\
 &\quad \cdot \prod_{j=1}^{m-n-1} \left(1 - \sum_{i=1}^n x_{ij} u_i\right)^{-\beta_j} d^n u.
 \end{aligned}$$

- Integrand : product of power of linear term.
- Integration domain : n -dimensional simplex Δ^n .
- Variable x : $m \times (m - n - 1)$ matrix;
Indices ν : $m \times (m - n - 1)$ integer matrix;
 α : n -dim. vector; β : $(m - n - 1)$ -dim. vector.
- See: K. Aomoto and M. Kita, “*Theory of Hypergeometric Functions*”, Springer, 2011.

4-point function: summary

- General 4-point function is expressed by Aomoto-Gelfand hypergeometric functions and F_D for both massive and massless cases.
- Up to $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^0)$ ($d = 4 - 2\epsilon$ for d -dimensional space-time), 4-point funct. is expressed by F_D .
- With further expansion in terms of ϵ , the expression is written with \log and Li_2 .
- Coefficients of $1/\epsilon^2$ and $1/\epsilon$ terms should cancel for massive case.
⇒ usable for check.



- It is hard to construct general numerical package to calculate F and F_D .
(e.g. F includes Li_n for all n)
← We need values only for some special combination of parameters.
- Sample numerical calculation for 4 point functions:
 - All particles are massless.
 - At least one external particle is on-shell ($p_1^2 = 0$).
 - They have IR divergences (poles of ϵ).
 - Calculate up to $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^0)$.
 - Tensor integrations up to rank = 4 with analytic expressions.
- Library written in fortran90 (under development)
 - 1 Entry points of subroutines : F_D or F with parameters $a + b\epsilon$.
 - 2 Subroutines return : arrays of coefficients (a_n) in
 $F_D = a_{-2}/\epsilon^2 + a_{-1}/\epsilon + a_0 + \dots$ up to necessary order.

Comparison

- 7560 points in physical and unphysical region, including tensor integrations (rank = 0, ..., 4).
- Compared with `golem95`.
- The maximum relative errors (measured by the distance on the complex plane) on these points in comparison with `golem95`

		maximum error
program-1(d)	program-2(d)	7.65×10^{-7}
program-1(d)	<code>golem95(d)</code>	9.13×10^{-10}
program-1(d)	program-1(q)	3.98×10^{-10}
<code>golem95(d)</code>	<code>golem95(q)</code>	5.17×10^{-10}
program-1(q)	<code>golem95(q)</code>	1.38×10^{-18}

(d) : double precision, (q) : quadruple precision.

program-1 : sample program

program-2 : last integration \Rightarrow numerical

- Accuracy of the library is similar to `golem95` package.

Summary

- 2-, 3-point functions are expressed with F_D , exactly for any combination of physical parameters and any space-time dimensions.
- 4-point functions are expressed with Aomoto-Gelfand hypergeometric functions for any combination of physical parameters.
Up to $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^0)$, they are expressed with F_D .
- A program library of F and F_D is under developing.
- Sample numerical calculations of box integration for massless QCD with IR divergences agree with `golem95` package.

- GKZ-hypergeometric functions.
 - I.M.Gel'fand, A.V.Zelevinsky, M.M.Kapranov, *Funk. Anal. Appl.* **23** (1989), 94–106.
 - I.M.Gel'fand, A.V.Zelevinsky, M.M.Kapranov, *Adv. in Math.* **84** (1990), 255-271
- Power series (Γ -series) expansions, differential equations and integral representations are known.
- Integral representations:

$$F_{\sigma}(\alpha, \beta; P) = \int_{\sigma} \prod_j P_j(x_1, \dots, x_n)^{\alpha_j} x_1^{\beta_1} \cdots x_n^{\beta_n} dx_1 \cdots dx_n,$$

where P_j are (Laurent) polynomials.

They say “practically all integrals which arise in quantum field theory.”

Thank you!