

[Tutor: Marc Sangel, Tutorial: Wednesday 25. May 2016, 16:00-17:30 in V2-200]

Exercise 6.1: Given the integration measure is defined as

$$\int d\vec{v} \equiv \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\prod_i \frac{dv_i}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right]$$

derive the result for $e^{W(0)} = \int d\vec{v} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}v_i A_{ij} v_j\right]$ from exercise 5.4. [answer: $e^{W(0)} = (\det A)^{-1/2}$].

Exercise 6.2: Consider the four-volume $V = L_0 L_1 L_2 L_3$ with periodic boundary conditions as in lecture.

(a) Show that it holds: $\lim_{V \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{V} \sum_P \tilde{f}(P) = \int \frac{d^4 P}{(2\pi)^4} \tilde{f}(P)$.

(b) We define a delta-function $\tilde{\delta}(P)$ through the condition

$$\int_P \tilde{\delta}(P - Q) \tilde{f}(P) = \tilde{f}(Q),$$

with $\int_P = \frac{1}{V} \sum_P$ or $\int_P = \int \frac{d^4 P}{(2\pi)^4}$. Write down $\tilde{\delta}(P)$ for both cases.

(c) Show that the equation $\int_V d^4 x e^{iP \cdot x} = \tilde{\delta}(P)$ is valid both for finite and infinite V .

Exercise 6.3: Show that the propagator

$$\Delta(x - y) = \int \frac{d^4 P}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{e^{iP \cdot (x-y)}}{P^2 + m^2}$$

is finite for $x \neq y$. How does the function behave for $|x - y| \rightarrow \infty$? [Hint: choose the right basis for P and use complex analysis.]

Exercise 6.4: Show that $W[J] = \ln Z[J]$ generates the connected n -point Green functions for $n = 2, 4$ (use exercise 4.1).