

# Lectures on Renormalization?

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# Outline

- 1 Renormalization — main theorems and their logical connections
- 2 More on regularizations
- 3 Renormalizability of gauge theories — QCD
- 4 Operator renormalization in  $gg \rightarrow H$
- 5 Additional topics

# Rant about QFT:

(Alexander Voigt)

- “physicists” don’t care about serious maths
- manipulate undefined, divergent integrals in arbitrary ways
- provocative proposal:
  - ▶ “regularize” by defining all divergent integrals:=0

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# Question:

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Mathematical formulation: two switching-on functions  $e_1(x)$ ,  $e_2(x)$  where  $\text{supp}(e_2)$  is later than  $\text{supp}(e_1)$ . Then:

$$S(e_1 + e_2) = S(e_2)S(e_1)$$

S-operator factorizes!

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## Summary

- Causality fixes the loop contributions up to local terms (=polynomials in external momenta)
- Unitarity fixes the imaginary part of loop contributions (analogous at all orders)

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# Theorem 1:

- Write down usual Feynman diagrams and loop integrals
- Apply R-operation (subtraction of polynomial in external momenta on integrand level, recursively applied also on subdiagrams)
- In this way, obtain finite S-matrix/Green functions which are in agreement with unitarity and causality

# Theorem 2:

- The remaining arbitrary real, local terms are in one-to-one correspondence with terms arising from adding

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{counterterm}}$$

a local, hermitian counterterm Lagrangian

[Bogoliubov, Parasiuk, Hepp, Zimmermann]

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## Theorem 3:

dimensional regularization, dimensional reduction, Pauli-Villars ok

[’t Hooft, Veltman; Breitenlohner, Maison; Jack, Jones, Roberts; DS]



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## Theorem 2b:

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requires gauge theories for spin 1 particles

in general: all terms needed which are not forbidden

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- it is even BRS invariant (see later) and satisfies the Slavnov-Taylor identity in  $D$  dimensions
- Hence, the appropriate  $\delta\mathcal{L} = 0$
- Therefore, all regularized Green functions satisfy the appropriate Slavnov-Taylor identities at all orders (for  $D \neq 4$ )

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# Common Regularization Schemes for gauge theories/SUSY

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- Dimensional Reduction (DRED)/Four-dimensional helicity scheme (FDH) [Siegel ’79]

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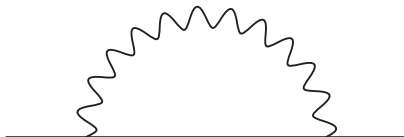
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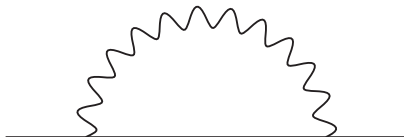
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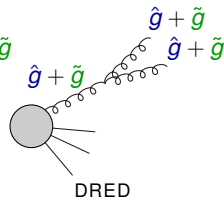
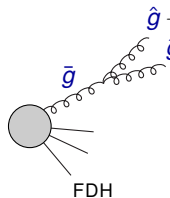
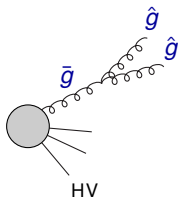
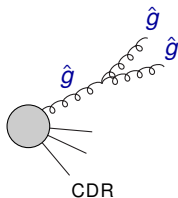
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⇒ proof: DRED is mathematically consistent, too! [DS 2005]



# Practical consequences

- In practice one can forget that the “ $D$ -dim” and quasi-4-dim spaces are in reality  $\infty$ -dimensional
- Algebraic id. for  $g^{(D)\mu\nu}$ ,  $g^{(4)\mu\nu}$  as desired
- Only exception: one cannot rely on 4-dim identities like index counting or Fierz identities
  - ▶ For many SUSY loop calculations, this doesn't make a difference

Definition of DREG and DRED: The computational rules based on these constructions will never lead to inconsistent results

# How do we avoid Siegel's inconsistency?

Siegel: "With

$$\epsilon_{\mu_1 \mu_2 \mu_3 \mu_4}^{(4)} \epsilon_{\nu_1 \nu_2 \nu_3 \nu_4}^{(4)} \propto \det((g_{\mu_i \nu_j}^{(4)}))$$

calculate

$$\epsilon^{(D)}_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \epsilon^{(\epsilon)}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} \epsilon^{(D)}_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \epsilon^{(\epsilon)}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}$$

in two different ways

$$\Rightarrow 0 = D(D-1)^2(D-2)^2(D-3)^2(D-4)$$

different calculational steps lead to different results,

mathematical inconsistency!!!

[Siegel'80]

Don't allow explicit index counting (step one) any more, because  
 $g_{\mu\nu}^{(4)} \in \text{quasi-4-dim space!}$

# Basic properties and practical consequences

- Consistent definitions exist ( $\Rightarrow$  no contradictions arise) [t Hooft, Veltman '72] [Wilson '73] [Breitenlohner, Maison '77] [Collins][DS '05]
- No strictly 4-dim. index counting/Fierz identities possible (doesn't make a difference in many applications)
- regularized quantum action principle valid [Breitenlohner, Maison '77][DS '05]  
 $\Delta = S(\Gamma_{\text{cl}}^{\text{DRED,DREG}}) \neq 0$  in both cases!
- Many highly nontrivial multi-loop calculations performed [Harlander, Kant, Mihaila, Steinhauser, et al]
- Renormalization: treat  $(4 - D)$ -dim. gluons as additional matter fields (not gauge fields!)  $\rightarrow \epsilon$ -scalars with independent couplings and masses. [Jack, Jones, Roberts '94] [Harlander, Kant, Mihaila, Steinhauser, et al]

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# Interesting Cases

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Consider SUSY-relation

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at 1-loop:  $m^2(1L) = m^2 - \Sigma(p^2 = m^2)$



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# DRED current status: has passed many tests

- $\Delta = S(\Gamma_{\text{cl}}^{\text{DRED}}) \neq 0$  in quantum action principle (because of Fierz identities)
- Can check SUSY either directly or by using the quantum action principle ( $\Delta \Rightarrow$  Feynman rules):

1-Loop Ward identities [Capper, Jones, van Nieuvenhuizen '80]  $\beta$ -functions [Martin, Vaughn '93]

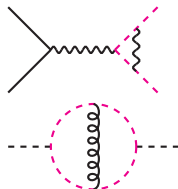
[Jack, Jones, North '96] 1-Loop S-matrix relation [Beenakker, Höpker, Zerwas '96] 1-Loop

Slavnov-Taylor identities [Hollik, Kraus, DS'99] [Hollik, DS'01] [Fischer, Hollik, Roth, DS'03] Higher

order Ward and Slavnov-Taylor identities [DS, Hollik, DS

'05][Harlander, Kant, Mihaila, Steinhauser '07]

- sufficient for many SUSY processes  
 $\Rightarrow$  multiplicative renormalization o.k.  
 $\Rightarrow$  no SUSY-restoring counterterms



# Transition between DREG and DRED

- difference  $\Gamma^{\text{DRED}} - \Gamma^{\text{DREG}}$  can be compensated by counterterms

$$\Gamma^{\text{DRED}} = \Gamma^{\text{DREG}} + \Gamma_{\text{ct}}^{\text{transition}}$$

- can be computed once and for all
  - ▶ 1-loop couplings [Martin, Vaughn '93], 2-loop SUSY-QCD couplings [Mihaila '09]
  - ▶ 1-loop complete MSSM FeynArts model file [Varso '11]  
(UV transition rules, complementary to IR ones)
- transition c.t.s act as SUSY-restoring counterterms for DREG
- realize  $\overline{DR}$ -scheme in context of DREG
- infrared regularization by DREG, UV reg. by DRED

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## Consequence:

treat  $\delta g_e$  independently, may not set  $\delta g_e = \delta g_s$  or  $\beta_e = \beta_s$   
(otherwise loss of unitarity, finiteness — has appeared in literature)

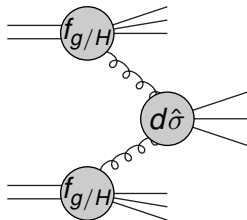
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# Hadronic Processes and infrared properties of DREG/DRED



$$d\sigma_{\text{RS}}^{\text{real}} \sim P_{g \rightarrow gg} d\sigma_{\text{RS}}^{\text{Born}}$$

$$d\sigma_{\text{RS}}^{\text{virt}} \sim \gamma_g d\sigma_{\text{RS}}^{\text{Born}}$$

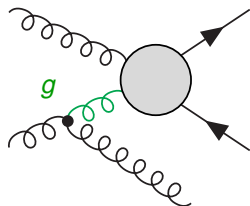
- IR singularities should factorize

# Factorization problem and its solution

- Apparent factorization problem

[Beenakker, Kuijf, van Neerven, Smith '88] [van Neerven, Smith '04]

[Beenakker, Höpker, Spira, Zerwas '96]



$$\sigma^{\text{DRED}}(gg \rightarrow t\bar{t}g) \xrightarrow{2||3} ?$$

$$\sim \frac{1}{k_2 k_3} P_{g \rightarrow gg} \sigma^{\text{DRED}}(gg \rightarrow t\bar{t}) + \frac{1}{k_2 k_3} K_g \sigma^{\text{puzzle}}$$

- Reconcile DRED with factorization by decomposing gluon [Signer, DS '05,'08]

$$\sim P_{g \rightarrow \hat{g}g} \sigma_{g\hat{g}} + P_{g \rightarrow \tilde{g}g} \sigma_{g\tilde{g}}$$

# DRED and the gluon

4-component  
Gluon in DRED =  $D$ -component  
gauge field +  $\epsilon$ -scalars  
 $g$   $\hat{g}$   $\tilde{g}$

- Simple kinematics:  
e.g.  $gg \rightarrow q\bar{q}$  (massless)
- in general / here:  
 $gg \rightarrow t\bar{t}$  (massive)

$$\sigma_{g\tilde{g} \rightarrow q\bar{q}} = \sigma_{g\hat{g} \rightarrow q\bar{q}} = \sigma_{g\tilde{g} \rightarrow q\bar{q}}$$

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$\hat{g}$  and  $\tilde{g}$  have to be treated as separate partons!

# Definition of external/observed gluons

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	CDR	DRED
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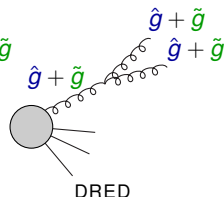
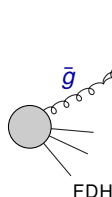
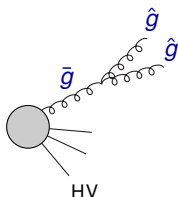
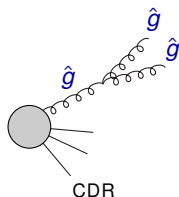
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# Main Results



$$\gamma(\hat{g}) = \int P_{\hat{g} \rightarrow \hat{g}\hat{g}}$$

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$$+ \int P_{\hat{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}}$$

[Catani, S., T. '97]

[Kunszt, S., T. '94]

...

$$\gamma(\tilde{g}) = \int P_{\tilde{g} \rightarrow \hat{g}\tilde{g}} + \int P_{\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}}$$

[Signer, DS '08]

## ● RS dependence:

HV  $\rightarrow$  FDH: additional final state  $\tilde{g}$ : *value* of  $\gamma(\hat{g})$  changes

FDH  $\rightarrow$  DRED: additional splitting  $\tilde{g}$ : additional  $\gamma(\tilde{g})$

only in DRED: split  $g = \hat{g} + \tilde{g}$  required to understand factorization

# Consequences

- **Factorization:** detailed understanding in CDR, HV, FDH, DRED
  - ▶ 1-loop differences described by different  $\gamma$ 's
  - ▶ DRED: split  $g = \hat{g} + \tilde{g}$  required to understand factorization
- IR translation rules between RSs
- i.e. compute in DRED, then switch to DREG to use e.g.  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  PDFs
- no PDF for  $\epsilon$ -scalars  $\tilde{g}$  required  
(of  $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon)$  and contributes only at  $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon)$ )

$$f_{\hat{g}/H} \otimes d\hat{\sigma}_{\text{FS}}(\hat{g}_1 \dots) + f_{\tilde{g}/H} \otimes d\hat{\sigma}_{\text{FS}}(\tilde{g}_1 \dots)$$

# Two further remarks

- 1 Outlook 2-loop: Becher/Neubert formula for  $q/g$  form factor: what changes for FDH, DRED? [Gnendiger]

$$F_{q/g}^{(2)}|_{\text{pole}} = \frac{1}{\epsilon^3} \left( -\frac{3C_{q/g}\gamma_{\text{cusp}}^{(0)}\beta_0}{8} \right) + \frac{1}{\epsilon^2} \left( -\frac{\beta_0\gamma_{\text{cusp}}^{(0)}}{2} - \frac{3C_{q/g}\gamma_{\text{cusp}}^{(1)}}{8} \right) \\ + \frac{1}{\epsilon} \left( \frac{\gamma_{q/g}^{(1)}}{2} \right) + \frac{1}{2}(F_{q/g}^{(1)})^2$$

- 2 FDH as a renormalization scheme

- ▶ often: no separate  $\epsilon$ -scalar renormalization ( $\alpha_s^{\text{bare}} = \alpha_e^{\text{bare}}$ )
- ▶ inconsistent, leads to incorrect/non-unitary/divergent results

[Jack, Jones, Roberts '94][Harlander, Kant, Mihaila, Steinhauser '06][Kilgore '11]

- ▶ should renormalize like in DRED



# Status DRED and its relation to DREG

- Both DREG and DRED formulated consistently, quantum action principle valid
- Renormalization in DRED understood
- SUSY of DRED established at 1-loop, in many 2-, 3-loop cases
- Factorization holds in both schemes
- UV and IR transition rules  $\Rightarrow$  both schemes can be mixed

# Outline

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Traditional:

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$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{to be quantized}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD,g.inv.}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{fix,gh}}$$

## 1 Finiteness at all orders:

- ▶ multiplicative renormalization of coupling and fields possible?
- ▶ only 4 ren. constants sufficient to cancel all divergences?

## 2 Phys. meaning of theory:

- ▶ def. of physical states with positive norm?
- ▶ phys. S-matrix: unitary, gauge independent?

Main tool: STI  $S(\Gamma) = 0$  defining theory in regularization-independent way, describing BRS-invariance of qu. theory

- 1 DREG “is gauge invariant (in QCD)”  $S(\Gamma^{\text{DREG}}) = 0$
- 2 Div.s at n-loop are “BRS-invariant”  $s_{\Gamma_{\text{cl}}} \Gamma^{\text{div},n} = 0$
- 3 can be cancelled by multiplicative renormalization  $\Rightarrow$  finiteness  
multiplicative counterterms generally symmetric
- 4 counterterms also BRS-invariant  $\Rightarrow S(\Gamma^{\text{renorm.}}) = 0$
- 5  $S(\Gamma^{\text{renorm.}}) = 0 \Rightarrow$  phys. states, S-matrix can be defined and shown to be unitary, gauge-indep.



## QCD — $\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} \rightarrow$ gauge fixing $\rightarrow$ Faddeev-Popov

Need gauge fixing and ghosts (Faddeev Popov or BRST)

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{\text{fix,gh}} &= B_a(\partial_\mu A_a^\mu) + \frac{\xi}{2} B_a^2 - \bar{c}_a \partial_\mu (D^\mu c)_a \\ &= s[\bar{c}_a((\partial_\mu A_a^\mu) + \frac{\xi}{2} B_a)]\end{aligned}$$

Full theory to be quantized

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# QCD — Faddeev-Popov → BRS → Slavnov-Taylor

- Ghosts for all generators → BRS:

$$s\varphi = c_a \delta_{\text{gauge}, a} \varphi$$

- BRS transformations of ghosts  $\leftrightarrow s^2 = 0$ :

$$s c_a = \frac{1}{2} g f_{abc} c_b c_c$$

- Slavnov–Taylor operator

$$S(\Gamma) = \int d^4x \underbrace{\langle s\varphi_i(x) \rangle}_{\neq s\varphi_i(x)} \frac{\delta\Gamma}{\delta\varphi_i(x)}$$

at the quantum level if non-linear

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- can require further constraints

# most general classical solution

- (only  $\dim \leq 4$ -terms)
- 2 steps:  $Y$ -terms, rest



# General classical solution — step 1a: $Y_c$ -part

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- Only possible ansatz:

$$\Gamma_{cl} = \int d^4x Y_{ca} \frac{1}{2} g_0 z F_{abc} c_b c_c + \dots$$

- STI requires

$$0 = S(\Gamma_{cl})|_{Y_c\text{-terms}} = \int d^4x \frac{\delta \Gamma}{\delta Y_{ca}} \frac{\delta \Gamma}{\delta c_a} + \dots \propto F_{abc} F_{dae} c_b c_c c_e$$

- Jacobi id.  $\Rightarrow F_{abc}$  must be structure constants of some Lie algebra!

# General classical solution — step 1b: $Y_{A^\mu, \psi}$ -part

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- STI requires

$$0 = \tilde{s} \tilde{s} A_a^\mu = \tilde{s} \tilde{s} \psi_i \Rightarrow [T^a, T^b] = i F_{abc} T^c$$

- $T^a$  is representation of Lie algebra,  $F'_{abc} = F_{abc}$
- universality  $g_0 = g_1 = g_2$
- $\tilde{s}$  is normal BRS transformation; it contains the ordinary gauge transformation

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- We already have

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$\tilde{s}$  = ordinary BRS transformation (up to  $z$ )

$$\tilde{s}^2 = 0$$

- STI requires

$$0 = S(\Gamma_{cl})|_{Y=0} = \int d^4x \frac{\delta \Gamma_{cl}}{Y_{\varphi_i}} \frac{\delta \Gamma_{rest}}{\varphi_i} + B \frac{\delta \Gamma_{rest}}{\bar{c}}|_{Y=0} = \tilde{s} \Gamma_{rest}$$

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# Proof of renormalizability

- by induction

# Assumption:

- $\Gamma^{(n-1)}$  finite up to  $(n-1)$ -loop level
- all defining equations valid at  $(n-1)$ -loop level
- and on the regularized level at  $n$ -loop level (e.g. dim. reg.)

## Claim:

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Hence, the divergences are constrained by the STI,

$$S(\Gamma_{\text{cl}} + \Gamma_{\text{div}}^{(n)}) = 0$$

- Can be absorbed by counterterms generated by the most general classical solution
- thus by multiplicative renormalization ( $\Rightarrow$  claim)
- the bare action is thus changed as

$$\Gamma_{\text{bare}}^{(n)} = \Gamma_{\text{bare}}^{(n-1)} + \Gamma_{\text{ct}}^{(n)}$$

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QFT at higher orders: Loops + counterterms

$$\Gamma^{\text{ren}} = \Gamma^{\text{reg}} + \Gamma^{\text{ct}}$$

$\Gamma^{\text{ren}}$  : physical content

$\Gamma^{\text{reg}}, \Gamma^{\text{ct}}$  : unphysical

Precise, regularization-independent definition of theory by symmetries, e.g. Slavnov-Taylor identities:

$$S(\Gamma^{\text{ren}}) = 0$$

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“Textbook case”: regularization preserves symmetries

- multiplicative renormalization (cts symmetric)

$$g \rightarrow g + \delta g, \quad m \rightarrow m + \delta m$$

- most common situation, often assumed without proof

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- Case 1  $\Leftrightarrow$  Case 2a  $\Leftrightarrow$  theory renormalizable

- Renormalizability proof has two steps:

- 1 Find Slavnov-Taylor id.  $S(\Gamma^{\text{ren}}) = 0$

For SUSY:

- 2 Prove that STI can be satisfied

[Piguet, Sibold '84], [White '92]

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In practice, life is easier with a symmetry-preserving regularization!

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# Useful side result: application to QCD $\beta$ function

$\beta(g)$  from  $Z_g$

- Possibility 1: from

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- Possibility 2: from

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$$c\text{-s.e. } \frac{1}{2} \delta Z_c - \frac{1}{2} \delta Z_A$$

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Second possibility much simpler!

# How to obtain Ward/Slavnov-Taylor identities for amplitudes?

## Amplitudes

- on-shell, physical polarization vectors
- obtained from full Green functions by LSZ reduction ( $\rightarrow$  pole part!)

$$iT_{ABC\dots} = \frac{\langle 0 | T \Phi_A \Phi_B \Phi_C \dots | 0 \rangle}{\langle 0 | T \Phi_A \Phi_A^\dagger | 0 \rangle \langle 0 | T \Phi_B \Phi_B^\dagger | 0 \rangle \dots} \Big|_{\text{on-shell}} \times \text{norm. wave fct.}$$
$$\text{norm. wave fct.} = \langle 0 | \Phi_A | A \rangle, \dots$$

Hence, first consider identities for full Green functions, then LSZ reduction

# Identities for full Green functions

For 1PI:

$$S(\Gamma) = \int d^4x \frac{\delta\Gamma}{\delta Y_{\varphi_i}(x)} \frac{\delta\Gamma}{\delta\varphi_i(x)}$$

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$Y_{\varphi_i}$  is source of loop-corrected BRS transformation:

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where  $(s\Phi)$  is a renormalized composite operator



# On-shell vs. off-shell

$$\langle (s\Phi_A)\Phi_B \dots \rangle|_{\text{pole-part}}$$

Distinguish two cases

- $(s\Phi_A)$  linear in fields
  - ▶ above is just linear combination of ordinary Green functions which have poles for on-shell external momenta
- $(s\Phi_A) \propto c\Phi_A$  or similar  $\rightarrow$  non-linear
  - ▶ cannot produce a pole in external momentum (in finite order)

Linear BRS transformations in QCD or in QED:

$$sA^\mu = \partial^\mu c + \dots$$

$$s\bar{c} = B$$

$$sc_a = \frac{1}{2}gf_{abc}c_b c_c (= 0(\text{QED}))$$

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In QED, ghosts are free, r.h.s. cannot contribute if  $k_1 + k_2 \neq 0$ :

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[discussion and more general QCD result: Leader/Predazzi 2011]

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[Joglekar, Lee; Kluberg-Stern, Zuber; Spiridonov]
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- need many more terms in  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}}$ !

(e.g.  $H \rightarrow q\bar{q}$ ,  $H \rightarrow c\bar{c}$  etc)



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## Result:

- Most general classical solution as for QCD alone, but  $Y_1$ -dependent renormalization constants:
- Obtained from  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}}$  (without  $Y_1$  and  $O_1$ !) by applying

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- All operators can be expressed by differential operators

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# on non invariant regularizations

- QFT at higher orders: Loops + counterterms
- Theory defined by symmetries:

$$\Gamma^{\text{ren}} = \Gamma^{\text{reg}} + \Gamma^{\text{ct}}$$

$$S(\Gamma^{\text{reg}} + \Gamma^{\text{ct}}) = 0$$

Case 1:  $S(\Gamma^{\text{reg}}) = 0$

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- Case 1: “Textbook case”, case 2a: equally good.

Decide algebraically whether possible

(“Algebraic renormalization” [BRS, Piguet, ...])

symmetry-restoring c.t.s uniquely fixed; rest: multiplicative renorm.

- Case 2b: **anomaly — theory inconsistent**

# Questions/Tasks

- as for QCD: finiteness, physical meaning (gauge invariance, SUSY)?
- minimal or full field renormalization?

## Tasks:

- Find suitable STI for gauge invariance + SUSY
- Prove that STI can be satisfied (even if regularization breaks it)
- Use STI to obtain answers
- Can draw further interesting conclusions

# Difficult to find STI

## Gauge fixing required

- SUSY gauge in superfield formalism  $\rightarrow$  solved [Piguet, Sibold '84]
- **Wess-Zumino gauge**: fewer unphysical d.o.f.  
**Breaks SUSY — Renorm., sym. identities difficult**

[Breitenlohner, Maison '85][White '92, Maggiore, Piguet, Wolf '96]

## Peculiarities of the WZ gauge

- Algebra modified

$$\begin{aligned}\{Q_\alpha, \bar{Q}_{\dot{\alpha}}\} &= 2\sigma_{\alpha\dot{\alpha}}^\mu P_\mu + \sim \delta_{\text{gauge}} \\ [Q_\alpha, \delta_{\text{gauge}}] &= 0, \quad [P_\mu, \delta_{\text{gauge}}] \neq 0\end{aligned}$$

- Gauge fixing  $-\frac{1}{2\xi}(\partial^\mu A_\mu)^2$  breaks SUSY

**Must treat gauge invariance, SUSY together**

# Construction of STI

Generalize BRST, Batalin/Vilkovisky formalism to gauge invariance+SUSY, then STI follows as usual [White '92, Maggiore, Piguet, Wolf '96]

- Ghosts for all generators in symmetry algebra  $\rightarrow$  BRS:

$$s\varphi = (\textcolor{green}{c}_a \delta_{\text{gauge},a} + \epsilon^\alpha Q_\alpha + \bar{Q}_{\dot{\alpha}} \bar{\epsilon}^{\dot{\alpha}} - \omega^\mu P_\mu) \varphi$$

- BRS transformations of ghosts  $\leftrightarrow s^2 = 0$ :

$$\begin{aligned} s\textcolor{green}{c}_a &= \frac{1}{2} g f_{abc} \textcolor{green}{c}_b \textcolor{green}{c}_c + 2i\epsilon\sigma^\mu \bar{\epsilon} A_{a\mu} - i\omega^\mu \partial_\mu \textcolor{green}{c}_a \\ s\omega^\mu &= 2\epsilon\sigma^\mu \bar{\epsilon} \\ \Leftrightarrow \{Q_\alpha, \bar{Q}_{\dot{\alpha}}\} &= 2\sigma_{\alpha\dot{\alpha}}^\mu (P_\mu - iA_{a\mu} \delta_{\text{gauge},a}) \end{aligned}$$

# MSSM specifics

- abelian subgroup (simpler but less constraining) [Hollik, Kraus, DS '99]
- soft SUSY breaking, e.g.

$$H_1 QD + H_2 QU \rightarrow \text{allowed}$$

$$H_2^\dagger QD + H_1^\dagger QU \rightarrow \text{forbidden}$$

use coupling to spurions [Maggiore, Piguët, Wolf '96][Hollik, Kraus, DS '01][Golterman, Shamir '10]

- Gauge fixing vs mixing  $A^0 / G^0 / Z_{\text{long}}^\mu$

Resulting STI describes softly broken SUSY, and gauge invariance,  
WZ gauge fixing [Hollik, Kraus, Roth, Rupp, Sibold, DS '02]

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$$[Q_\alpha^{\text{in}}, S] = [Q^{\text{BRS}}, \dots]$$

$\Rightarrow Q_\alpha^{\text{in}}$  conserved on phys. Hilbert space [Rupp, Scharf, Sibold '01]

Further results possible on:

- gauge dependence
- non-renormalization theorems



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# Various statements on operator renormalization

- use equations of motion of lower orders to modify higher-dimension terms

$$S_{\text{eff}} \rightarrow S_{\text{eff}} + \Delta\phi \frac{\delta S_{\text{eff}}}{\delta\phi} + \mathcal{O}((\Delta\phi)^2)$$

this is a field redefinition and thus does not change physical quantities but only Green functions

- non-gauge invariant operators (which have to be total BRS-variations) do not contribute to observables (but to Green functions)

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- $(U(1)_Y \text{ and } U(1)_Q \text{ are subgroups})$

# Violation of Custodial Symmetry by Higgs Triplet

- Triplet  $\Phi$ ,  $Y=0$ ,  $SU(2) \Leftrightarrow O(3)$ -rotations
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# Renormalization of VEVs

Higgs/spontaneously broken gauge invariance:

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such that  $\langle \phi \rangle = 0$ , i.e. tadpoles vanish

Need to renormalize:

$$\phi \rightarrow \sqrt{Z}\phi, \quad v \rightarrow v + \delta v$$

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- compute  $\delta\hat{Z}$  (using STI)

# Current status for RGE coefficients

needed by SUSY spectrum generators (Sphenon, Softsusy, SuseFlav, FlexibleSUSY, Sarah)

Model	$\beta$ (phys. parameter)	$\gamma$ (fields)
$\forall$ gauge theory	Machacek, Vaughn '83, Luo et al '03	
$\forall$ SUSY model	Martin, Vaughn; Jack, Jones; Yamada '93	partially

**Note in SUSY:**  $\gamma(\text{scalar in WZ gauge+Landau or } R_\xi \text{ gauge}) \neq \gamma(\text{superfield}) \stackrel{?}{=} \gamma(\text{light cone gauge})$

Model	$\beta_V^{(1)}$	$\beta_V^{(2)}$
MSSM	Chankowski Nucl.Phys. B423 Athron, DS, Voigt '12	Yamada 94 $O(g^2 Y^2)$
$\forall$ gauge theory	?	
$\forall$ SUSY model	?	

**Here:** fill the gaps



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Very different treatment of  $v$  possible,

e.g. [Jegerlehner, Kalmykov, Kniehl '13][Bednyakov, Pikelner, Velizhanin '13]:

- always define  $v_{\text{bare}}$  = Minimum of bare eff. scalar potential
- then  $v_{\text{bare}}$  = abbreviation of combination of bare parameters
- In this scheme,  $\delta v, \delta M_W, \delta \tan \beta$  = gauge independent, but tadpoles are divergent (physical quantities unchanged)

# Influence of global gauge invariance in a nutshell

When does  $\delta\bar{V}$  appear?

global gauge invariance  $\Rightarrow \delta\bar{V} = 0$

no global gauge invariance  $\Rightarrow \delta\bar{V} \neq 0$

$R_\xi$  gauge fixing:

$$F = \partial^\mu A_\mu - \xi \text{ev}(2 \text{Im}\phi)$$

$R_\xi$  breaks global gauge invariance for  $\xi \neq 0 \Rightarrow \delta\bar{V} \neq 0$ .

# Sketch of the usual counterterm procedure

Compute loops in one of the possible regularizations.

- all divergences correspond to local terms in the Lagrangian
- can be absorbed by adding counterterms

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{\text{cl}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{ct}} = & \dots - e \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu \psi A_\mu \\ & + \dots - \delta e(\epsilon) \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu \psi A_\mu\end{aligned}$$

- by choosing  $\epsilon$ -dependence appropriately, all divergences cancel
- arbitrary finite parts  $\leftrightarrow$  local terms allowed by unitarity/causality

- results take a form like

$$e^2 + \delta e^2(\epsilon) - e^2 \Pi(q; \epsilon)$$

- concrete ( $|q^2| \gg m_e^2$ ):

$$\begin{aligned}\Pi(q; \epsilon) &= \frac{\alpha}{3\pi} \left( -\frac{1}{\epsilon} - \log \left( \frac{-q^2}{\bar{\mu}^2} \right) + \frac{5}{3} + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon) \right) \\ \frac{\delta e^2(\epsilon)}{e^2} &= \frac{\alpha}{3\pi} \left( -\frac{1}{\epsilon} + \text{fin.const.} \right)\end{aligned}$$

- Now two directions:
  - ▶ renormalization schemes
  - ▶ first, play around a little; bare quantities

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- DRED, quantum action principle, and Higgs mass

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- Lagrangian contains  $\epsilon$ -dependent, “bare” quantities:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{bare}} = \dots - e_{\text{bare}}(\epsilon) \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu \psi A_\mu$$

which can be split into renormalized and counterterm quantities

$$\begin{aligned} e_{\text{bare}}(\epsilon) &= e_{\text{ren}} + \delta e^{1\text{L}} + \delta e^{2\text{L}} + \dots \\ &= e_{\text{ren}} + a_1(\epsilon) e_{\text{ren}}^3 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

- Renormalization group
- power counting/multiplicative renormalization



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# Another possibility: Quantum Action Principle

Task: consider e.g. SUSY of Green's functions

**SUSY Ward/ST identities:**  $i \delta_{\text{SUSY}} \langle T \phi_1 \dots \phi_n \rangle \stackrel{?}{=} 0$

**Quantum action principle:**  $i \delta_{\text{SUSY}} \langle T \phi_1 \dots \phi_n \rangle = \langle T \phi_1 \dots \phi_n \Delta \rangle$

- $\Delta \equiv \int \delta_{\text{SUSY}} \mathcal{L}$  in  $D$  dimensions
- if  $\Delta = 0$  were true, all SUSY Ward and Slavnov-Taylor identities would be satisfied on the regularized level

Very useful theorem, valid at all orders

# Proof of Quantum Action Principle

Depends on regularization:

$$i \delta_{\text{sym}} \langle T \phi_1 \dots \phi_n \rangle = \langle T \phi_1 \dots \phi_n \Delta \rangle, \quad \Delta = \int \delta_{\text{sym}} \mathcal{L}$$

Proofs:

BPHZ

DREG

DRED

[Lowenstein et al '71]

[Breitenlohner, Maison '77]

[DS '05]

# Application of Quantum action principle

Example 1: QCD and gauge invariance!

$$\Delta \equiv \delta_{\text{BRS}} \mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}}^{\text{DREG}} = 0 \text{ vanishes!!}$$

**Quantum action principle:**

$$i \delta_{\text{SUSY}} \langle T \phi_1 \dots \phi_n \rangle = \langle T \phi_1 \dots \phi_n \Delta \rangle = 0$$

⇒ We know for decades that DREG preserves QCD gauge invariance at all orders!

[Breitenlohner, Maison '77]

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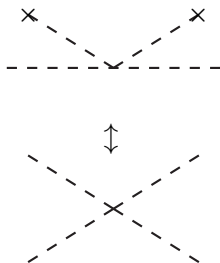
Example 2: SUSY of DRED:

$$\Delta \equiv \delta_{\text{SUSY}} \mathcal{L}^{\text{DRED}} \neq 0$$

gives rise to Feynman rules [DS '05]

- DRED might break some SUSY-identities  $\rightarrow$  study each case separately
- quantum action principle still useful to check which identities are valid

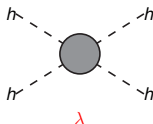
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## Higgs mass

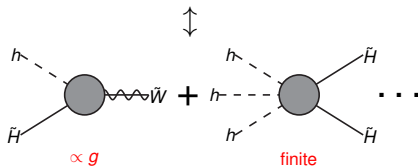
- $M_h$  governed by quartic Higgs self coupling  $\lambda$
- $\lambda \propto g^2$  in SUSY

# Quartic coupling and SUSY



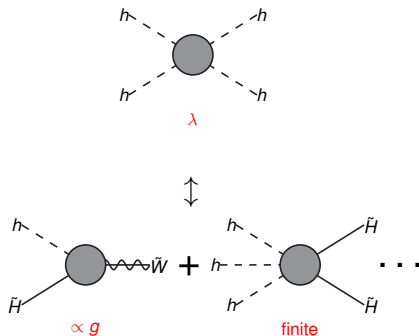
## Slavnov-Taylor identity

- expresses  $\lambda \propto g^2$
- Needs to be verified



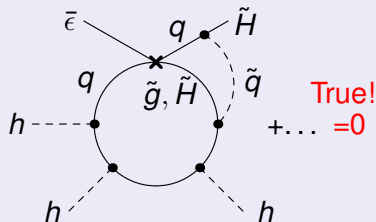
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# Quartic coupling and SUSY



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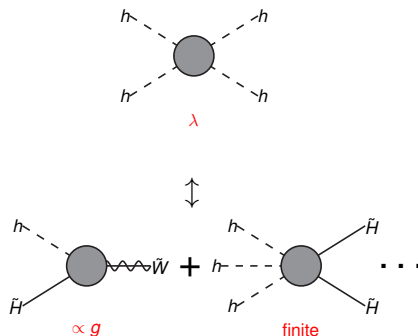
$$\langle \Delta h h h \tilde{H} \rangle = 0 \Leftrightarrow$$



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# Quartic coupling and SUSY



## Results:

- Two-loop STI valid in DRED (in Yukawa-approximation,  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_{t,b}^2, \alpha_{t,b}\alpha_s)$ )
- for  $M_h$ -calculation at this order, multiplicative renormalization correct
- Previous calculations sufficient

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# Practical consequences

- DREG preserves QCD gauge invariance but breaks SUSY
- DRED preserves SUSY in many but not all cases
- The Quantum Action Principle holds and is useful

Current status ok but should be improved in view of future more precise SUSY computations