

Title: PSI 2015/2016 Quantum Field Theory II - Francois David - Lecture 10

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Abstract:

RG in the local potential approximation

Start from bare action for theory with cut-off $|k| < \Lambda$

$$\mathcal{A}_B(\phi_B) = \int d^4x_B \frac{1}{2}(\partial\phi_B)^2 + V_B(\phi_B)$$

Reexpress in dimensionless variables

$$\phi_B = \Lambda\phi, \quad x_B = \Lambda^{-1}x, \quad V_B = \Lambda^4V$$

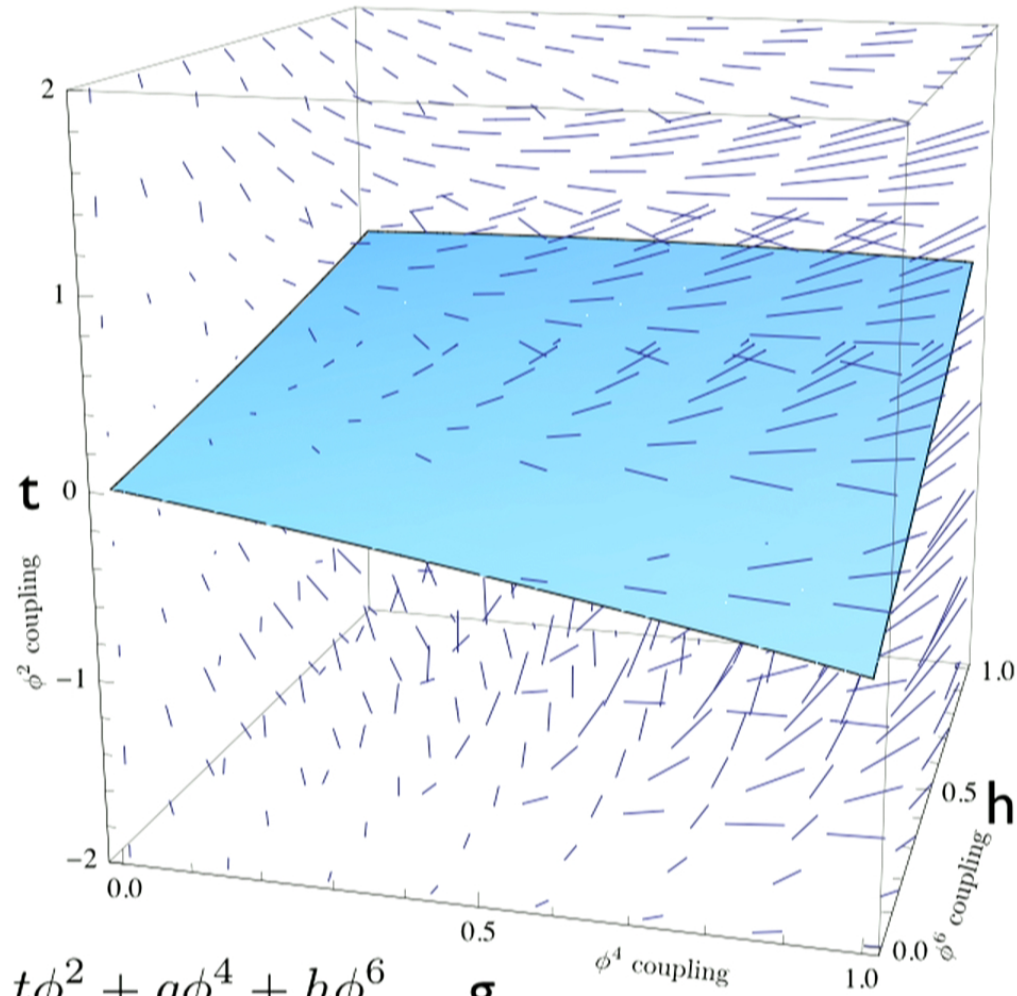
Perform renormalisation group transformation up to physical scale μ

$$S \frac{\partial}{\partial S} V_S = 4V_S - \phi \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} S + \mathbb{A} \log \left(1 + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \phi^2} V_S \right)$$

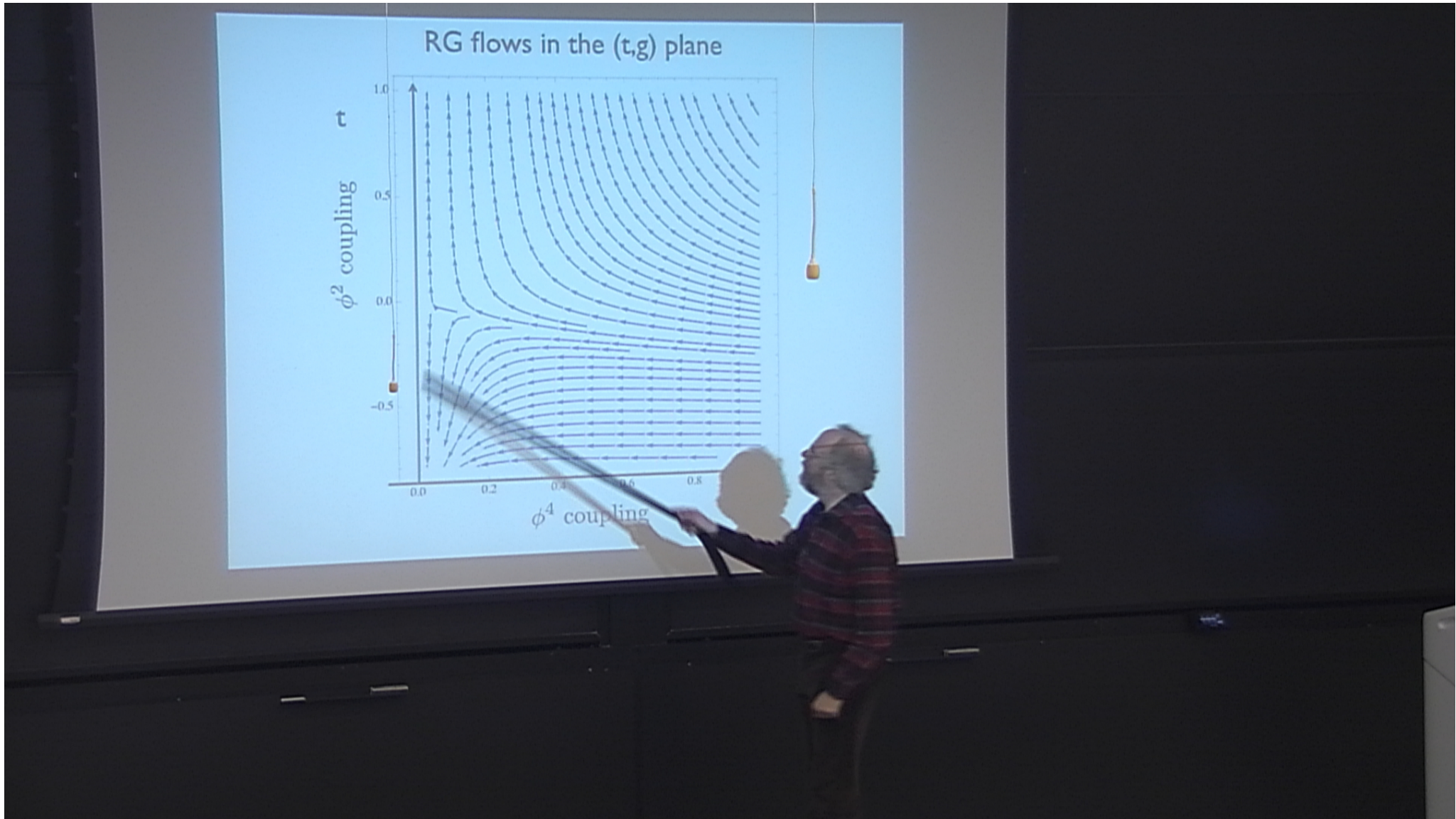
Reexpress in physical units to obtain the renormalized parameters

$$\mu = \Lambda/S, \quad \phi = \mu^{-1}\phi_R, \quad x = \mu x_R, \quad V_S = \mu^{-4}V_R$$

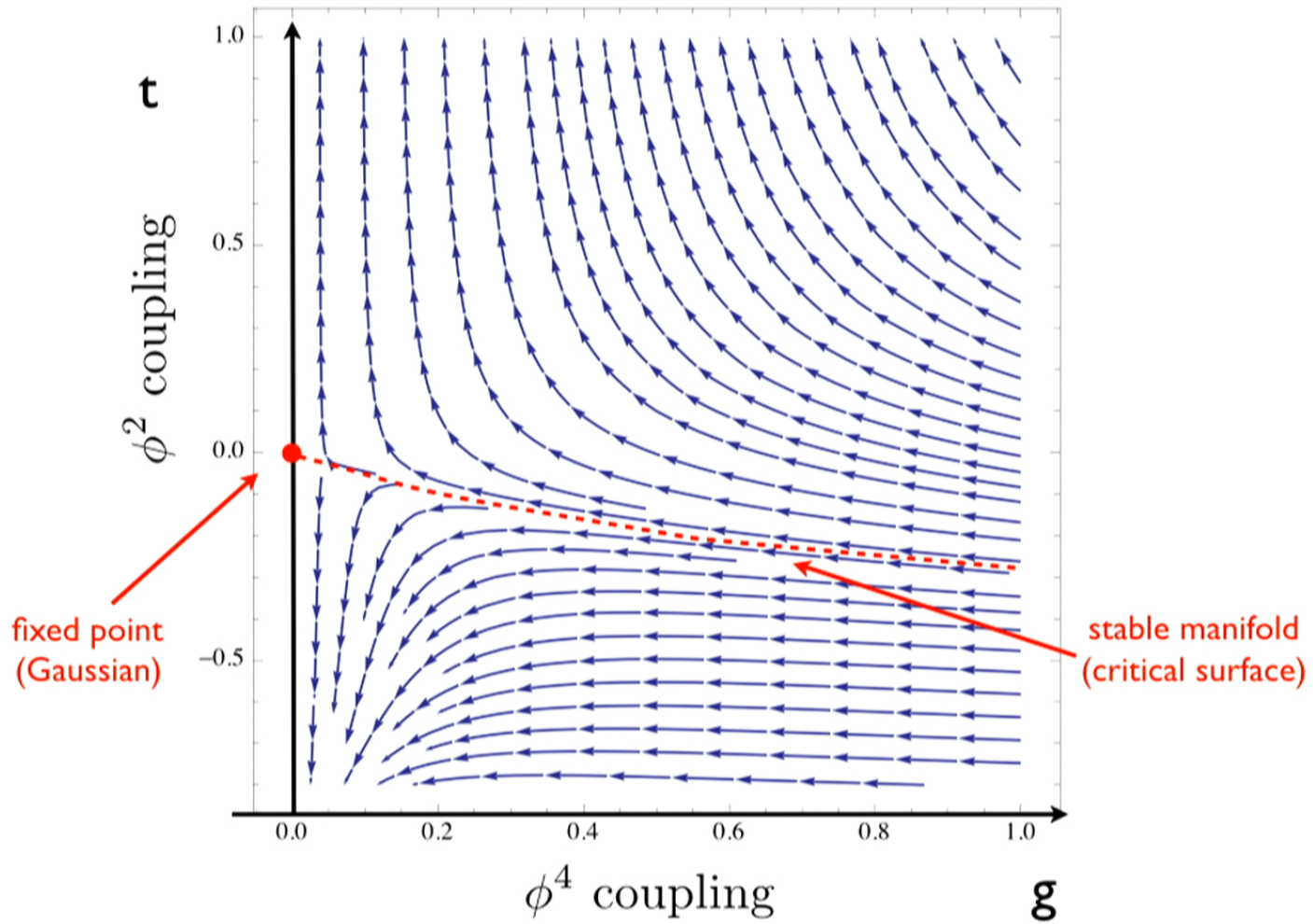
RG flows in the (t,g,h) space

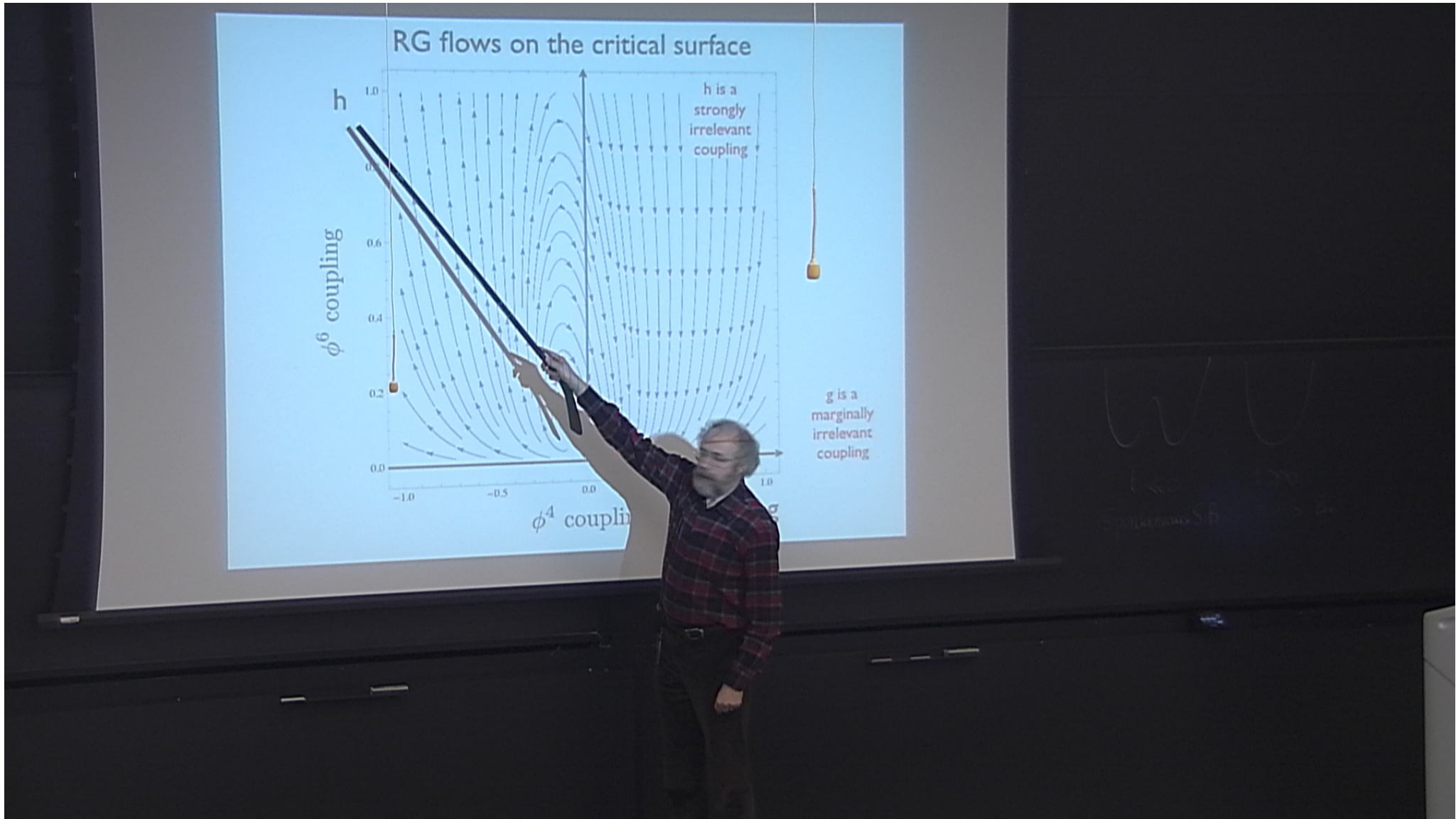


$$V(\phi) = t\phi^2 + g\phi^4 + h\phi^6$$

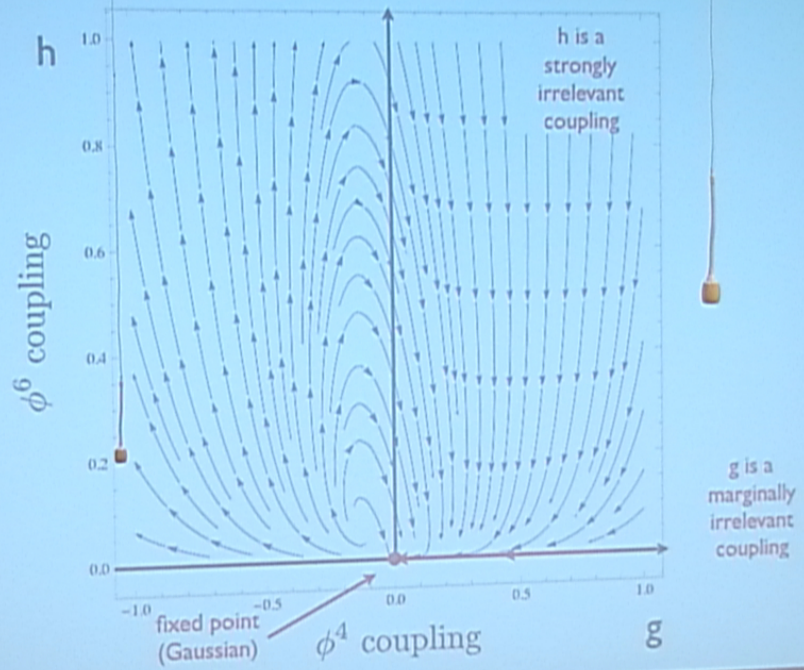


RG flows in the (t, g) plane

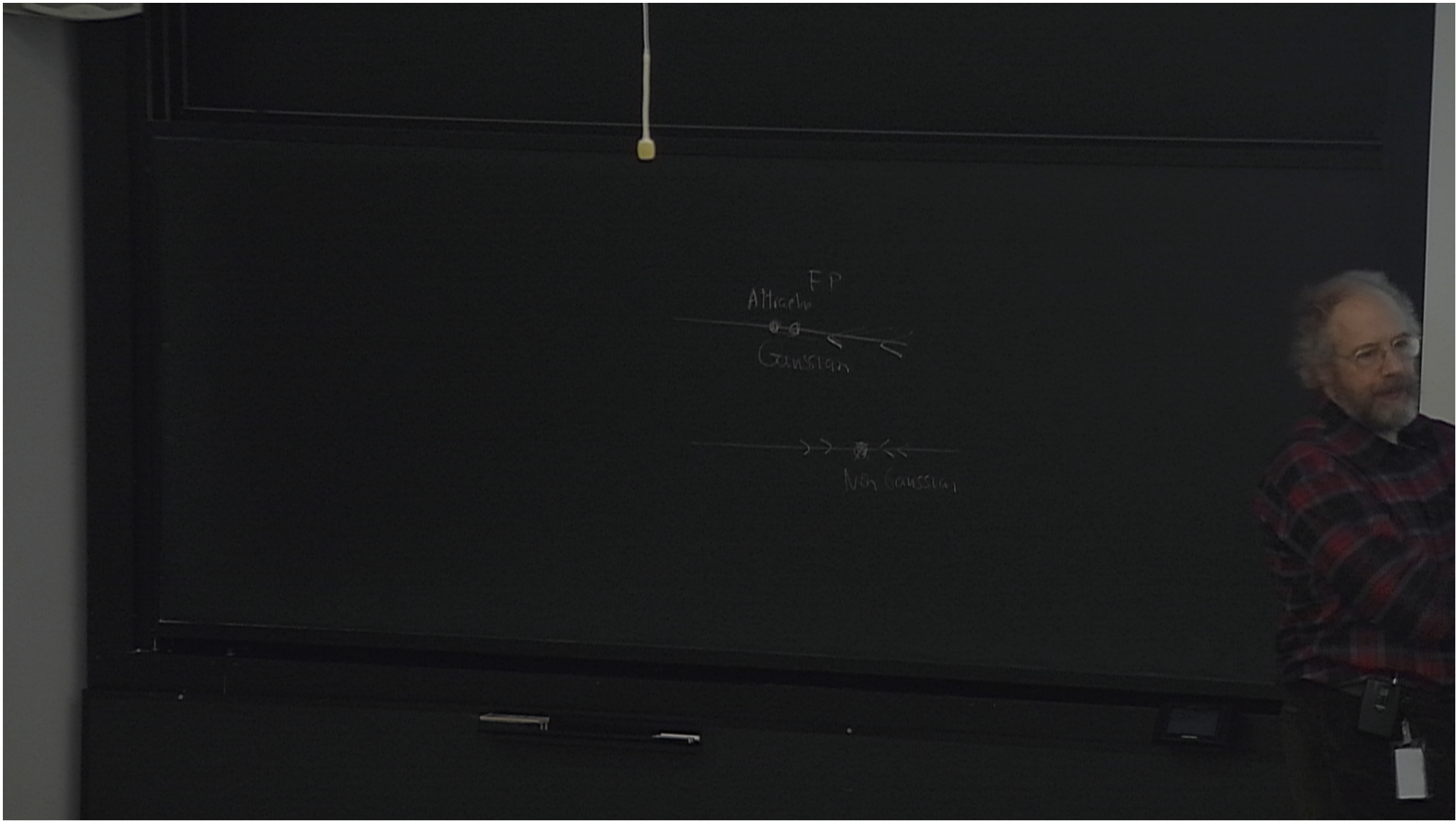




RG flows on the critical surface



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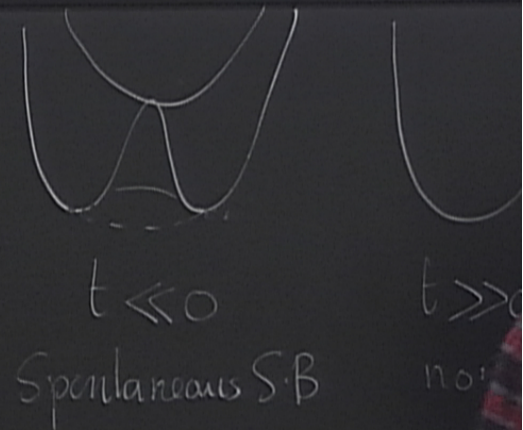


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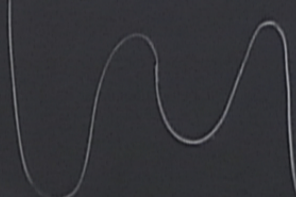
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IR $S \rightarrow \infty$ $g(s) \rightarrow 0$


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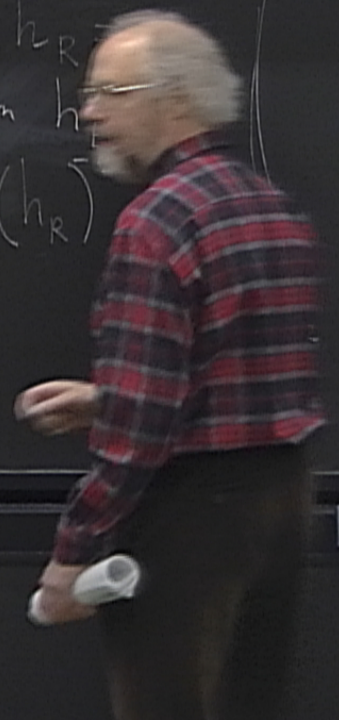
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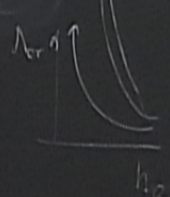
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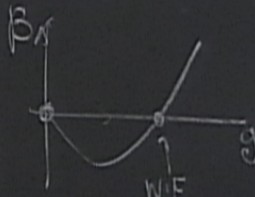
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$\phi^6, h_R \neq 0$
 Problem $h_B = \infty$
 $\Lambda_{\text{cut}} \approx (h_R)^{\frac{2}{3}}$



$D=3, \phi^4$
 $S \frac{dg}{ds} = g - A g^2$



Fermionic Path Integrals : Berezin Calculus

- Dirac particles spin $\frac{1}{2}$ \leftrightarrow Fermi-Dirac Statistics
- Non-Abelian gauge theories \leftarrow Fad'eev-Popov Ghost Fields

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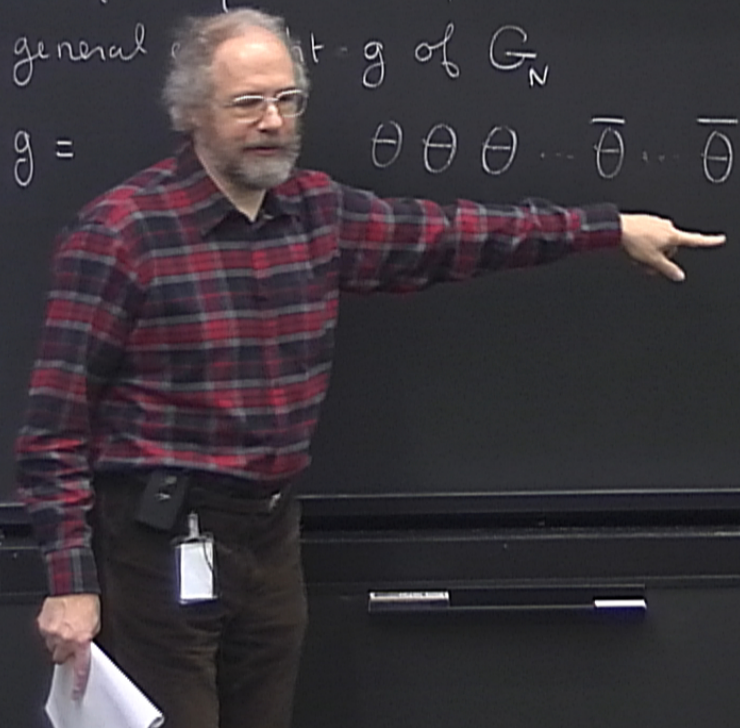
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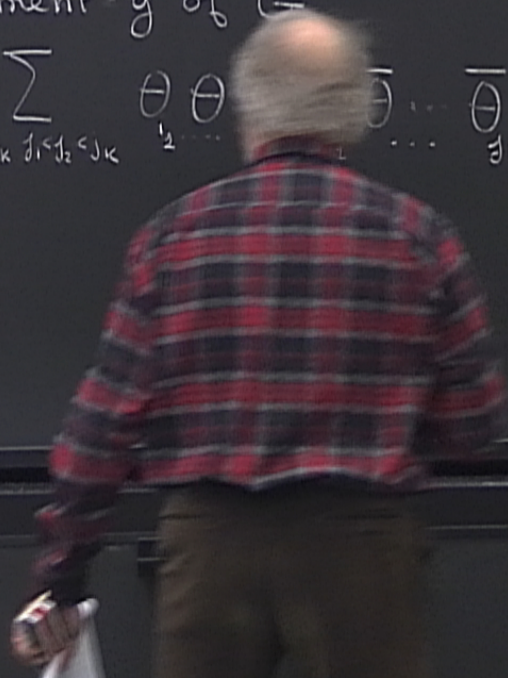
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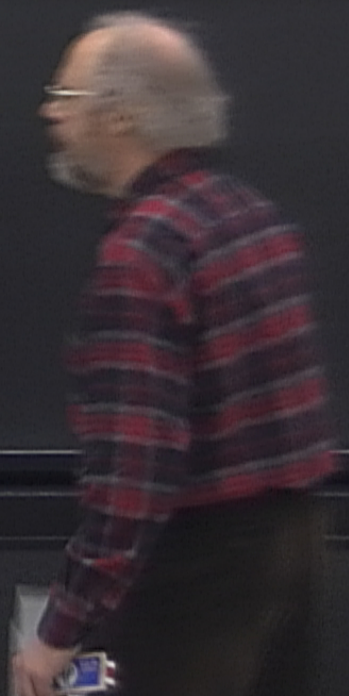
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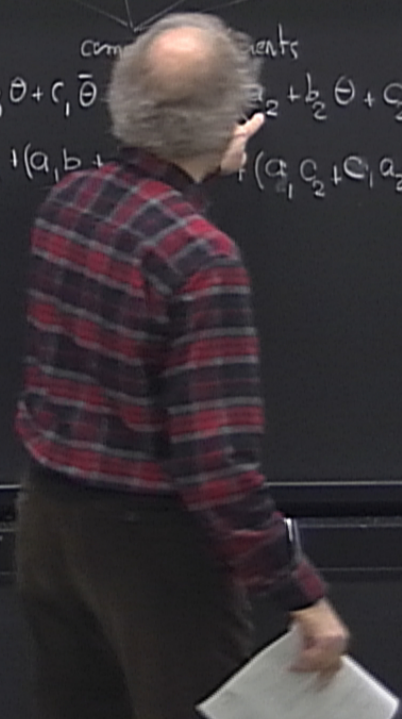
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$\dim_{\mathbb{C}} G_N = 2^{2N}$

complex number

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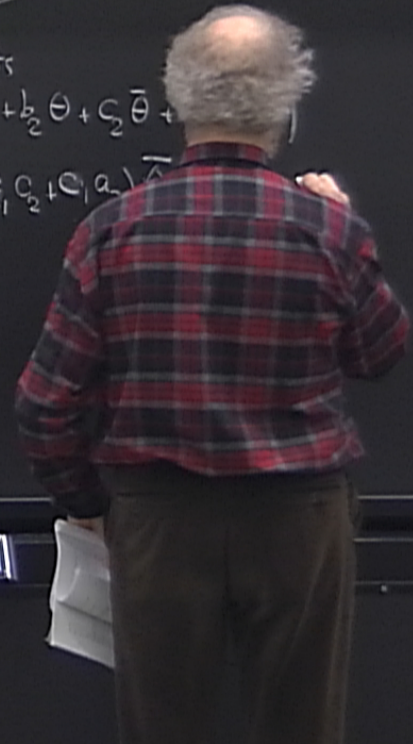
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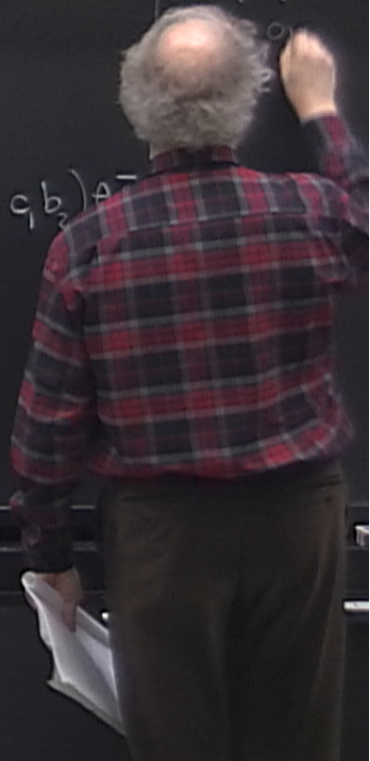
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$*$ operation

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conjugation operator (complex conj)

$*$ operation

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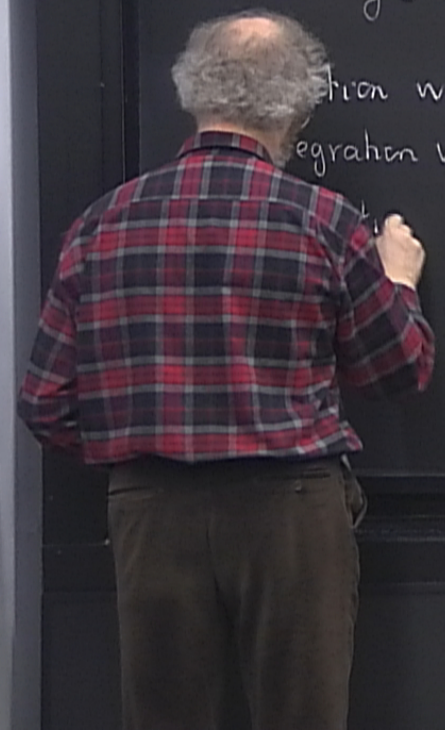
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