

Title: PSI 2015/2016 Quantum Field Theory II - Francois David - Lecture 12

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Abstract:

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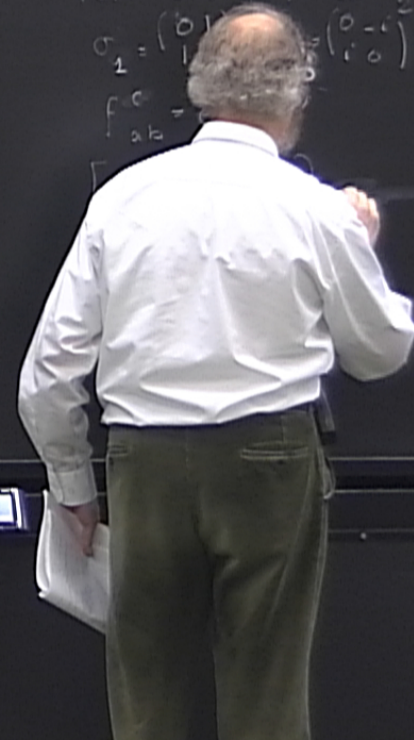
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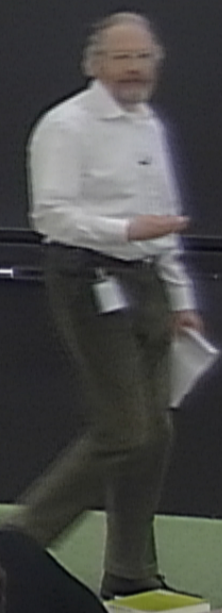
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QFT with a global  $SU(2)$  symmetry  
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 Spin 0 Field in the Fundamental Rep  
 $\Phi = \begin{pmatrix} \psi^+ \\ \psi^- \end{pmatrix}$  (c, 2, spin 0)  
 $\psi^\pm$  complex fields = spin fields  
 Spin 1/2 fermion in F  
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 global symmetry  $\psi \rightarrow e^{i\theta} \psi$   $\bar{\psi} \rightarrow \bar{\psi} e^{-i\theta}$   
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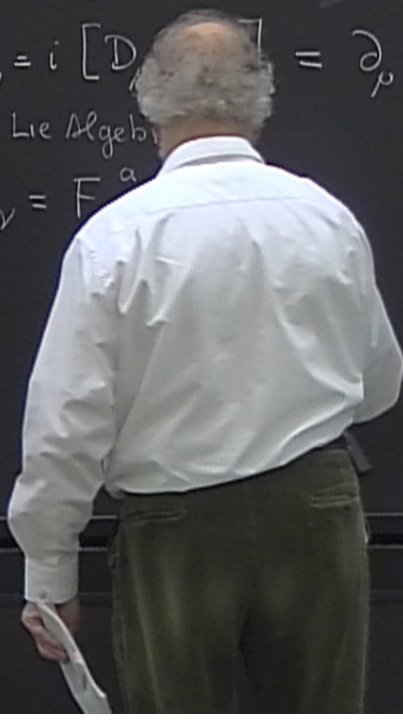
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↑ Lie Algebr.

$$F_{\mu\nu} = F^a$$

new:  $SU(2)$  non-abelian





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← real field-strength

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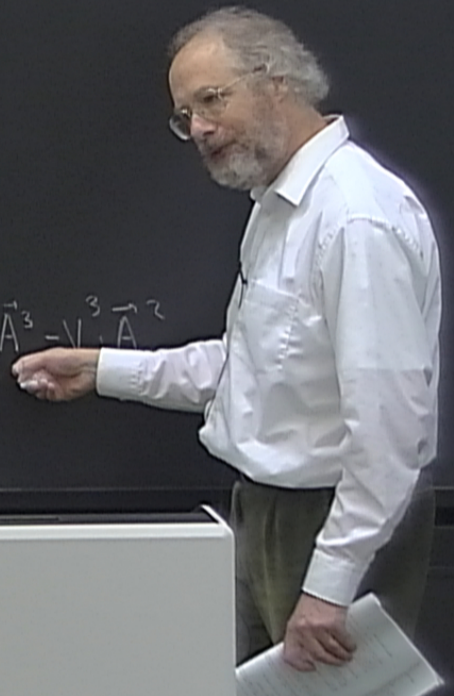
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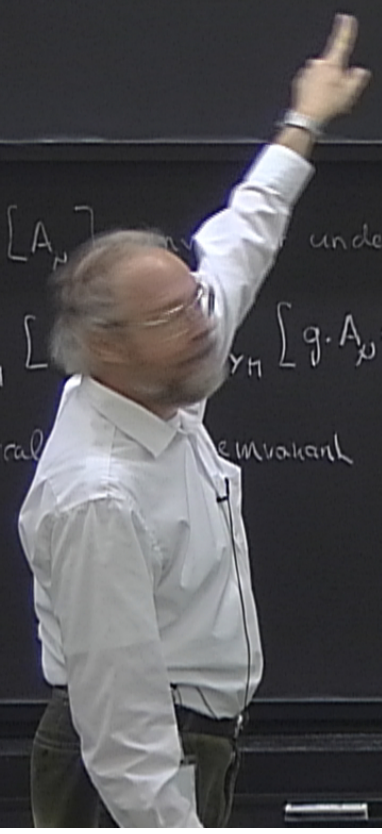
classical theory gauge invariant cyclic permutation



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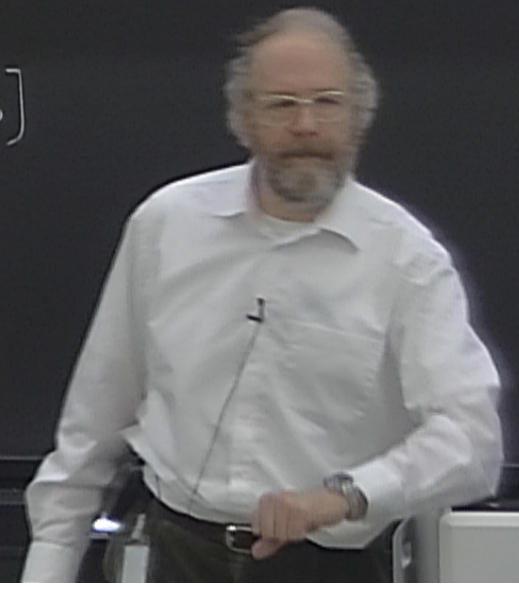
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Local gauge trans  
infinitesimal g-tr

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Lagrangian Density

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For SU(3) it will be more complicated



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$$\Psi \rightarrow g \Psi \quad \bar{\Psi} \rightarrow \bar{\Psi} g^\dagger$$

For  $SU(3) \rightarrow 8$  currents

$$A = A_\mu dx^\mu$$

Coupling to Matter (Dirac Field - Fundamental representation)

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local gauge transf  
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under local g. transf.

$$\bar{\psi}_i^\alpha(x) \left[ i \gamma^\mu_{\alpha\beta} \left[ \delta_{ij} \partial_\mu - i A_\mu^a(x) \frac{1}{2} (\sigma^a)_{ij} \right] - m \delta_{ij} \delta_{\alpha\beta} \right] \psi_j^\beta(x)$$

$\uparrow$   
Pauli Matrix





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$$(A_\mu, A_\nu, -A_\mu)$$

- Fundamental representation

local gauge transf

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$SU(2)$

Fundam Rep

$$\left[ \frac{1}{2} \sigma_{ij} \right] - m \delta_{ij} \delta_{\alpha\beta} \psi^B(x)$$

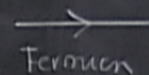
Dirac

$$A \rightarrow g_{YM} \tilde{A}$$

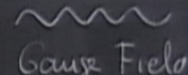
$$\mathcal{L}_{YM} = (\partial \tilde{A})^2 + g_{YM} (\partial \tilde{A} \cdot \tilde{A} \cdot \tilde{A}) + g_{YM}^2 \tilde{A} \tilde{A} \tilde{A} \tilde{A}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{Dirac} = \bar{\psi} (i \not{\partial} - m) \psi + g_{YM} \tilde{A} \bar{\psi} \psi$$

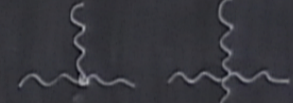
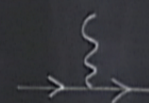
$g_{YM}$  is charge of the Dirac Field  
& of gauge vector bosons



Fermion



Gauge Field



gauge fields carry charges  $\Rightarrow$  interacts

$$J_a^\mu = \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu t_a \psi + \frac{1}{g^2} \epsilon_{abc} F_{\mu\nu}^b A_\nu^c$$

currents conserved