

Title: Massive QFTs in a box and the Conformal Bootstrap.

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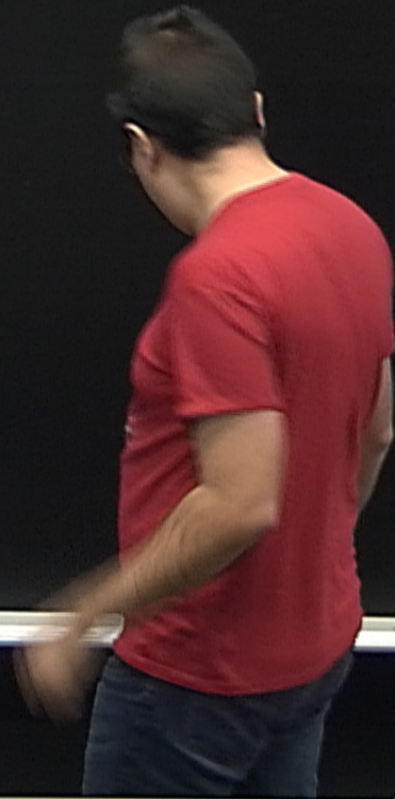
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Abstract: <p>I will describe ongoing work with Miguel Paulos, Joao Penedones, Jon Toledo and Balt van Rees. We are attempting to bootstrap massive quantum field theories. </p>

<p>A massive quantum field theory can be put in a large AdS space, i.e. in a box. Its correlators define, as they approach the boundary, a conformal theory. The bootstrap of the latter can pose strong constraints on the former as we will describe. We will then initiate a presentation of the general and of the peculiar features of S-matrices in two dimensions.</p>

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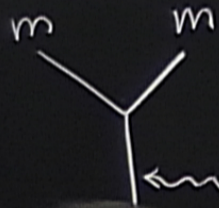
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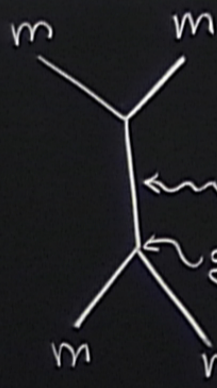
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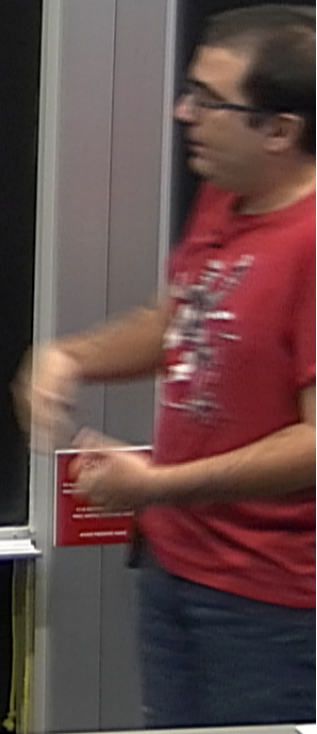
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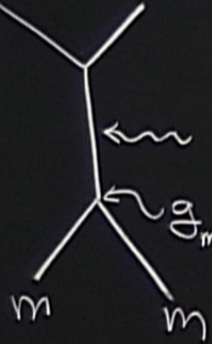
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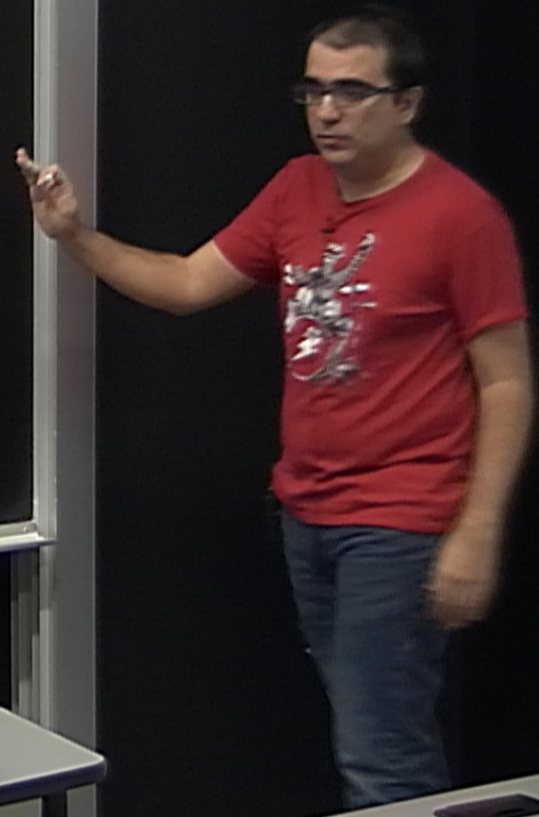
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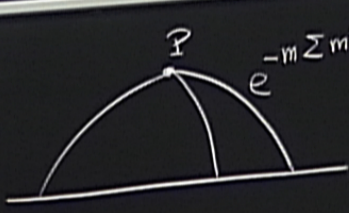


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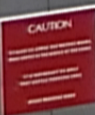
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obey the axioms of formal QFT



$$e^{-m \sum \text{min lengths}}$$

$$\frac{dx^2 + dz^2}{z^2} \sim \frac{1}{x_{12}^{\Delta_1 + \Delta_2 - \Delta_3}}$$



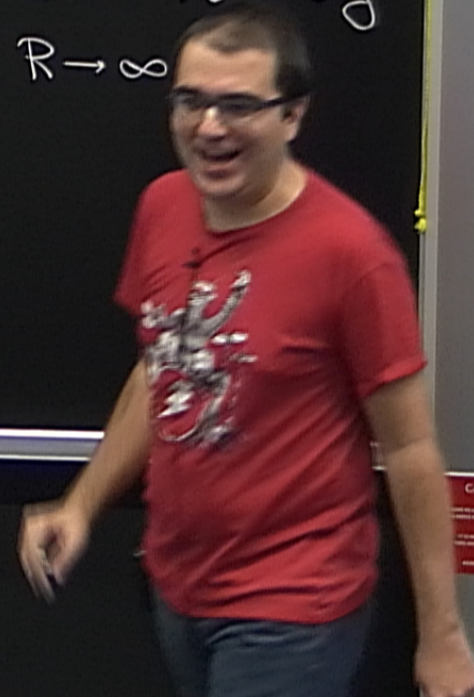
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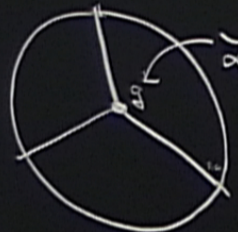
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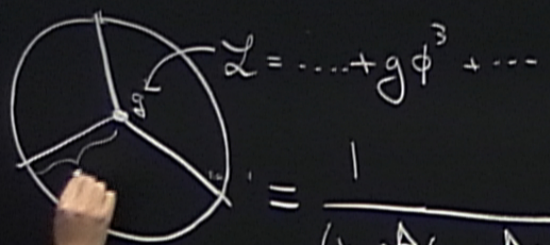
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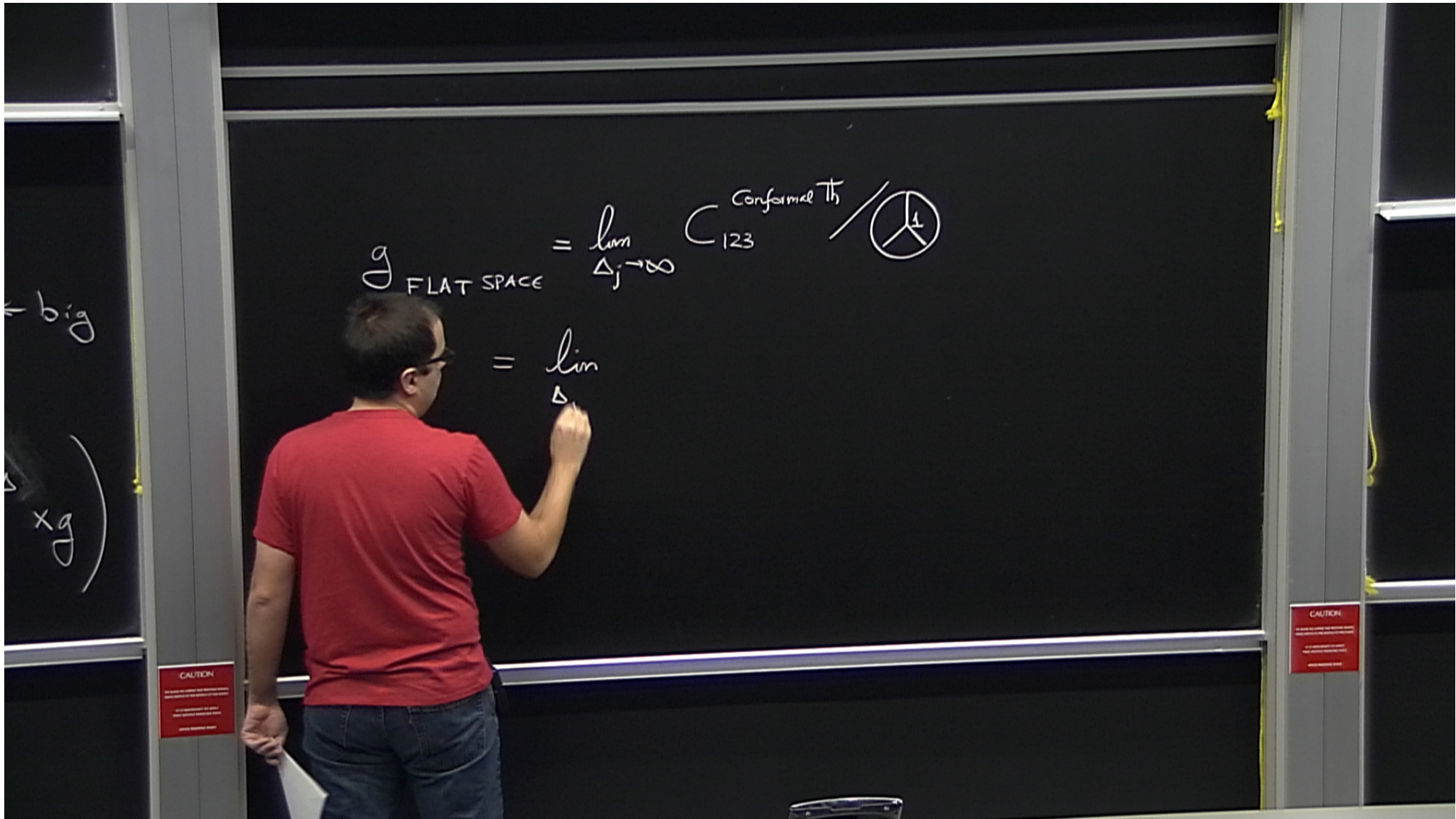
$$\mathcal{L} = \dots + g\phi^3 + \dots$$


$$= \frac{1}{(x_{12})^\Delta (x_{13})^\Delta (x_{23})^\Delta}$$

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$$= \frac{1}{(x_{12})^\Delta (x_{32})^\Delta (\)^\Delta} \left(C_{123} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2\pi^2}} e^{\left(\frac{3}{2} \log \frac{4}{3}\right)\Delta - \frac{1}{4} \log \Delta} xg \right)$$

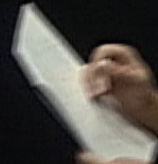


$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l}
 g_{\text{FLAT SPACE}} = \lim_{\Delta_j \rightarrow \infty} \text{Conformal Th} \\
 \frac{m_j}{m_i} = \lim_{\Delta_j \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\Delta_j}{\Delta_i}
 \end{array} \right.$$


$$d=2 \text{ QFTs} \iff 1d \text{ CT}$$

bootstrap \Leftarrow Unitarity & Crossing

$$\mathcal{Z} = \frac{\chi_{12} \chi_{34}}{\chi_{13} \chi_{24}}$$



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$$\tilde{z} = \frac{x_{12} x_{34}}{x_{13} x_{24}}$$

$$A(z) = \sum_K \underbrace{C_{000K}^z}_{>0} g_{\Delta_K}(z)$$

11 \leftarrow crossing

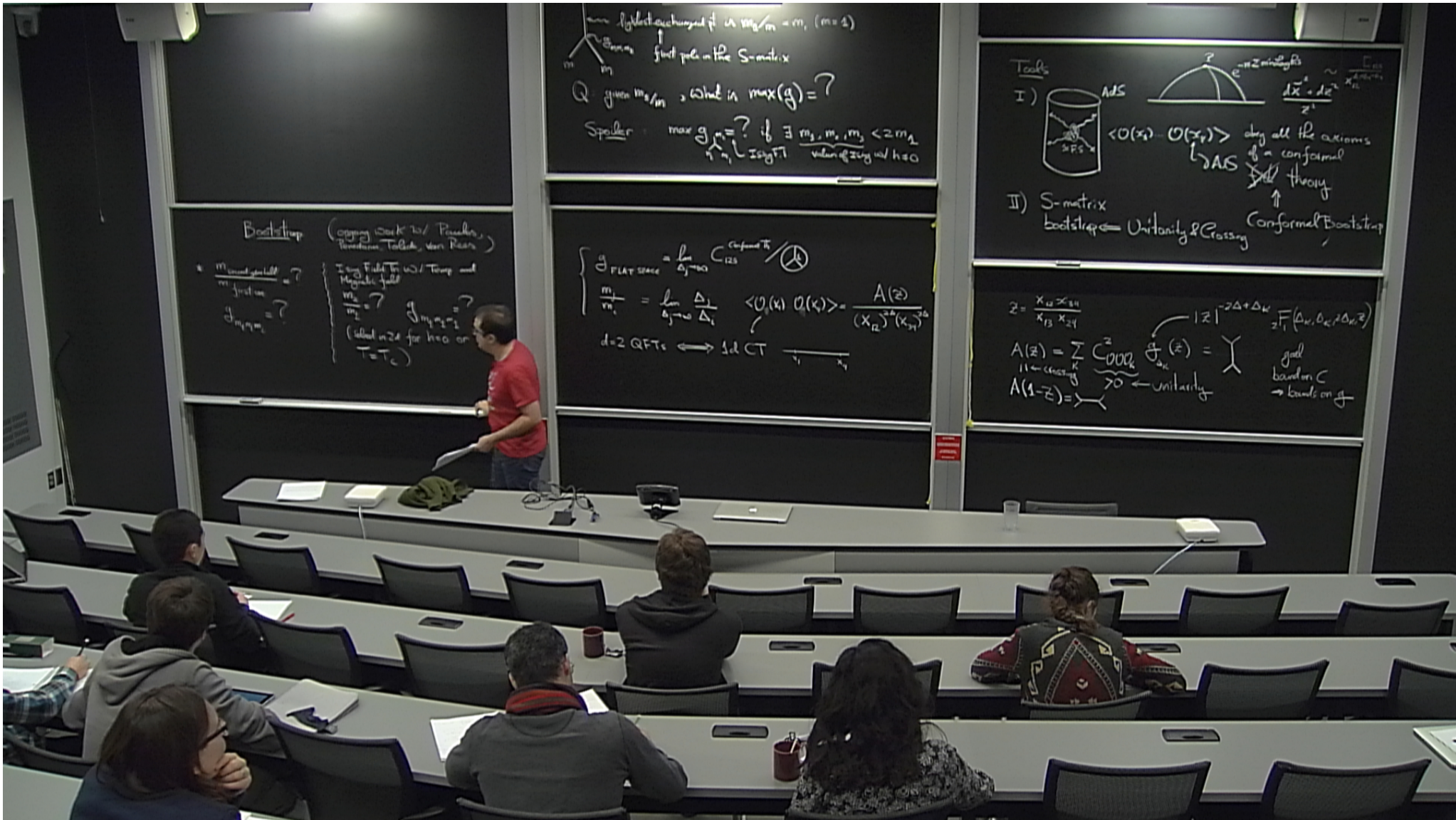
$$A(1-z) = \text{diagram}$$

$$|z|^{-2\Delta + \Delta_K} F(\Delta_K, \Delta_K, 2\Delta_K, z)$$

$$g_{\Delta_K}(z) = \text{diagram}$$

ends on g

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- bounds on Spectrum:

$$\text{crossing} = \binom{2}{0011} \mathcal{F}_1(z) + \binom{2}{000}_{\text{first}} \times 1 + \sum \binom{2}{000}_{\text{other}} \mathcal{F}_{\text{other}} = 0$$

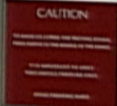
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(Signed ...
 Penedones, Toledo, von Rees)

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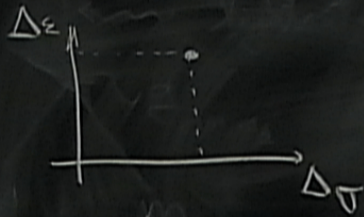
Crossing = $\sum_{n \geq 1} c_{00n}^2 \mathcal{P}_1(z) + \sum_{n \geq 0} c_{000}^2 \times 1 + \sum c_{000}^2$ Known!
 $\mathcal{P}_1(z) = 0$
 other

introduce linear functionals

$$\alpha(\dots) = \sum c_n^2 z^{2n} (\dots) \Big|_{z=1/2}$$



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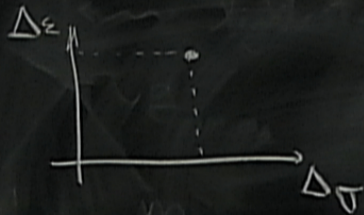
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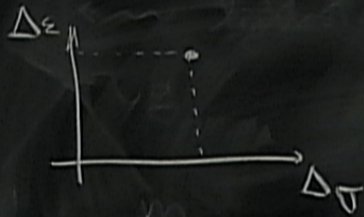


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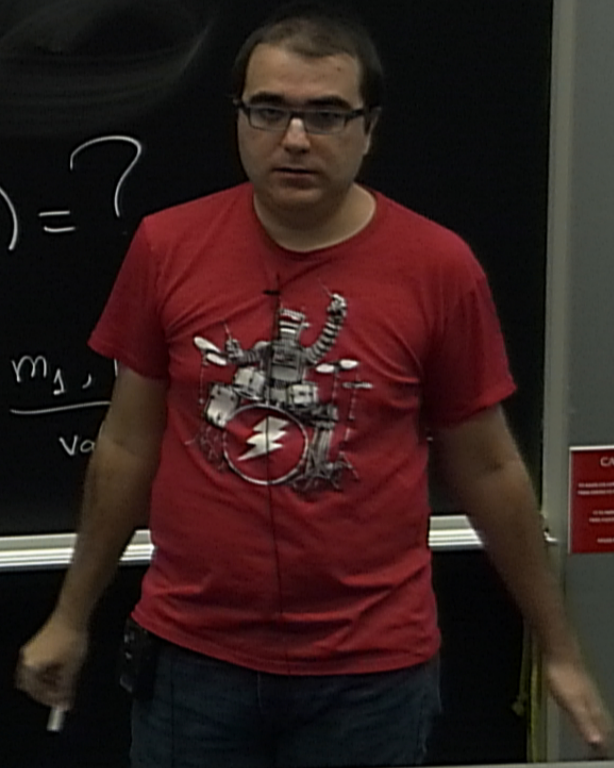
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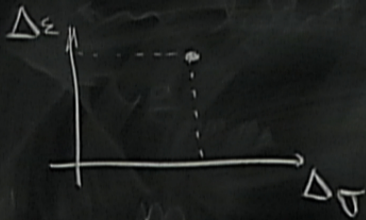
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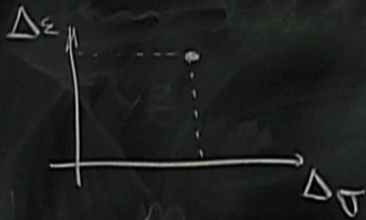
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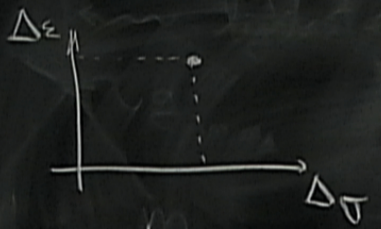
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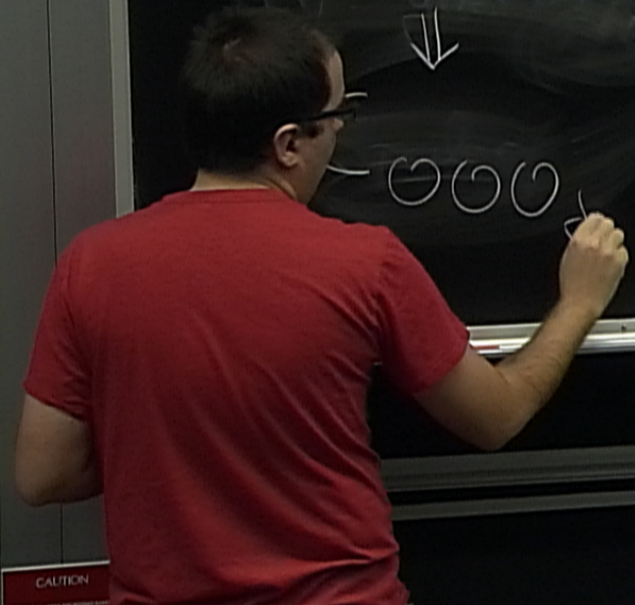
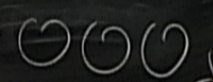


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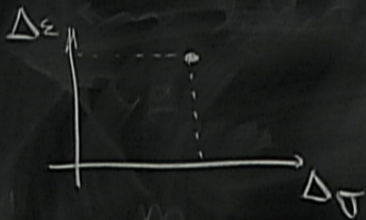
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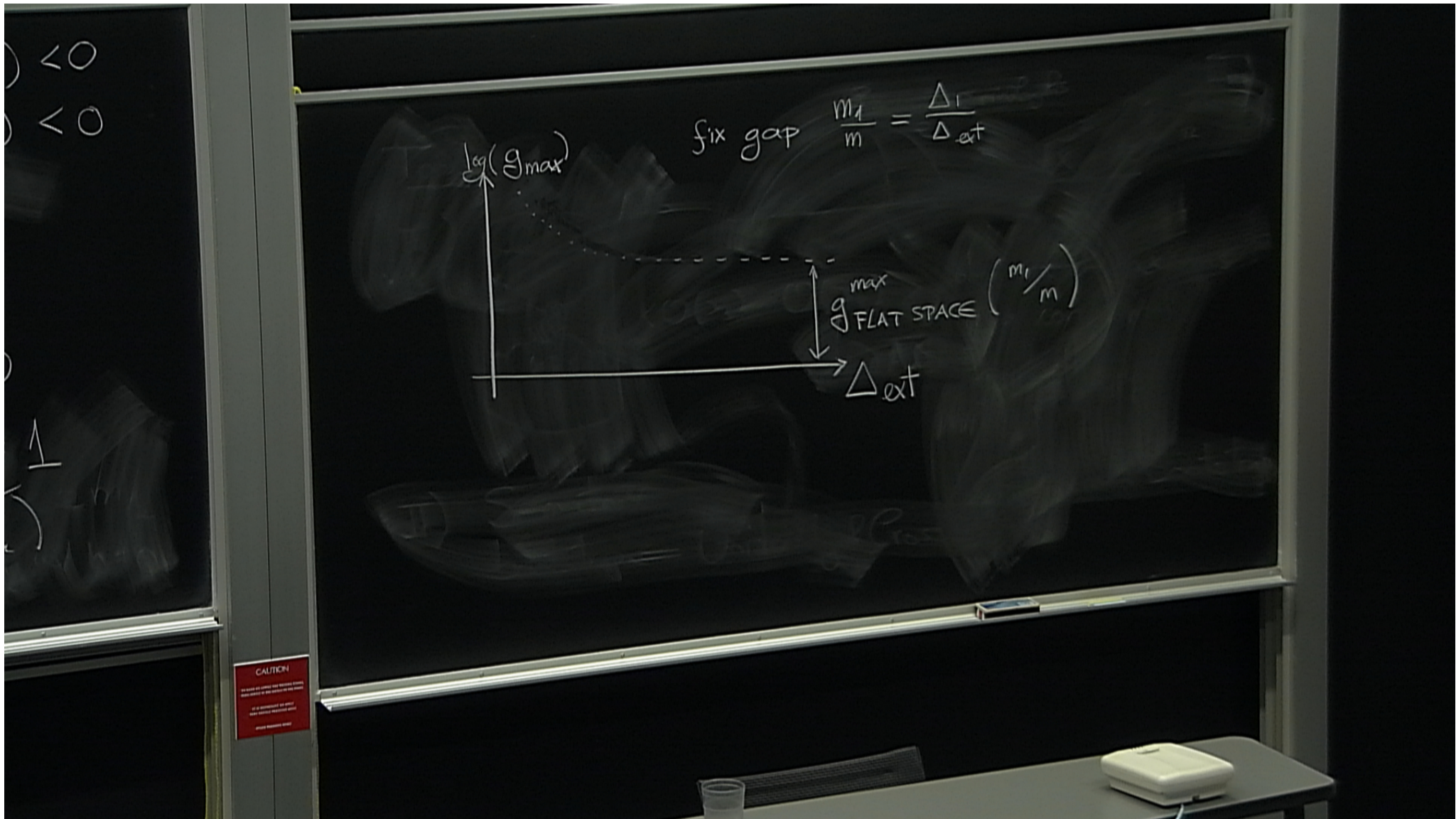
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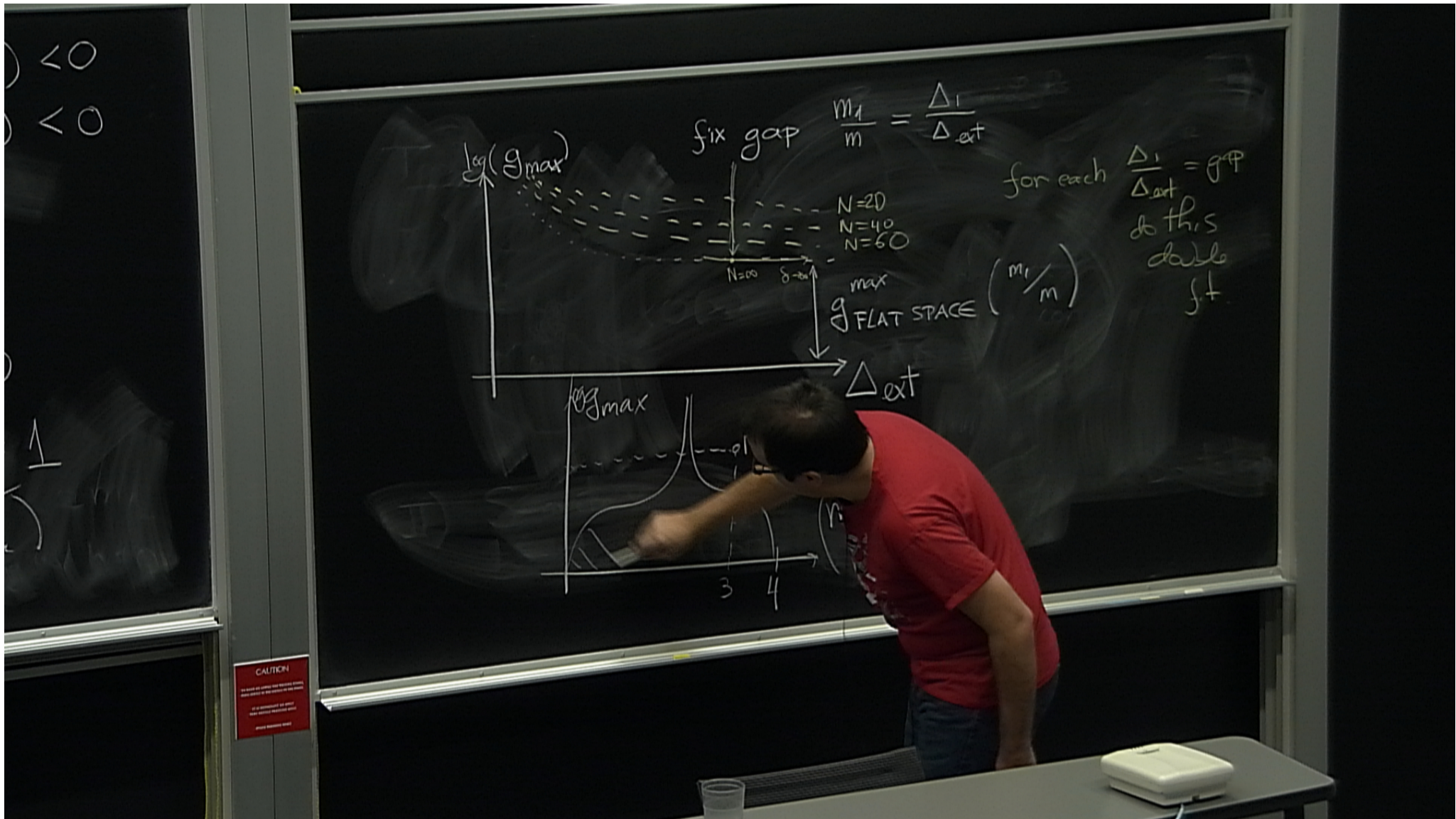


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g_{\max}
FLAT SPACE $\left(\frac{m_1}{m}\right)$
 Δ_{ext}

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< 0

< 0

\uparrow

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$N=20$
 $N=40$
 $N=60$
 $N=\infty$

$\log(g_{max})$
 Δ_{ext}

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 $(\frac{m_1}{m})^2$

3 4

for each $\frac{\Delta_1}{\Delta_{ext}} = \text{gap}$
 do this
 table
 f.t

 S-matrix Bootstrap
 for massive 3d ind-dim
 Bootstrap of CT ind-dim

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■ One particle exchanged

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In[1]:= Data = << (NotebookDirectory[] <> "dataB.txt");
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In[14]:= Ns = #[[1]] & /@ Data // Union;  
gaps = #[[2]] & /@ Data // Union;  
deltas = #[[3]] & /@ Data // Union // Drop[#, 5] &;
```

Analysis

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In[11]:= plot[A_, B_] := Block[{ $\Delta N = A$ ,  $\Delta \delta = B$ },  
  DataFittedInN =  
    Table[{gap, delta, Fit[Cases[Data, {a_, gap, delta, d_}  $\Rightarrow$  {a, d}],  $N^{\text{Range}[0, -\Delta N, -1]}$ , N] /. N  $\rightarrow \infty$ },  
      {gap, gaps}, {delta, deltas}] // Flatten[#, 1] &;  
  
  DataFittedInNandIn $\delta$  =  
    Table[{ $\text{gap}^2$ , Fit[Cases[DataFittedInN, {gap, b_, c_}  $\Rightarrow$  {b, c}],  $\delta^{\text{Range}[0, -\Delta \delta, -1]}$ ,  $\delta$ ] /.  $\delta \rightarrow \infty$ },  
      {gap, gaps}];  
  
  ListPlot[DataFittedInNandIn $\delta$ , PlotRange  $\rightarrow$  {{0, 4}, {-5, 15}}]  
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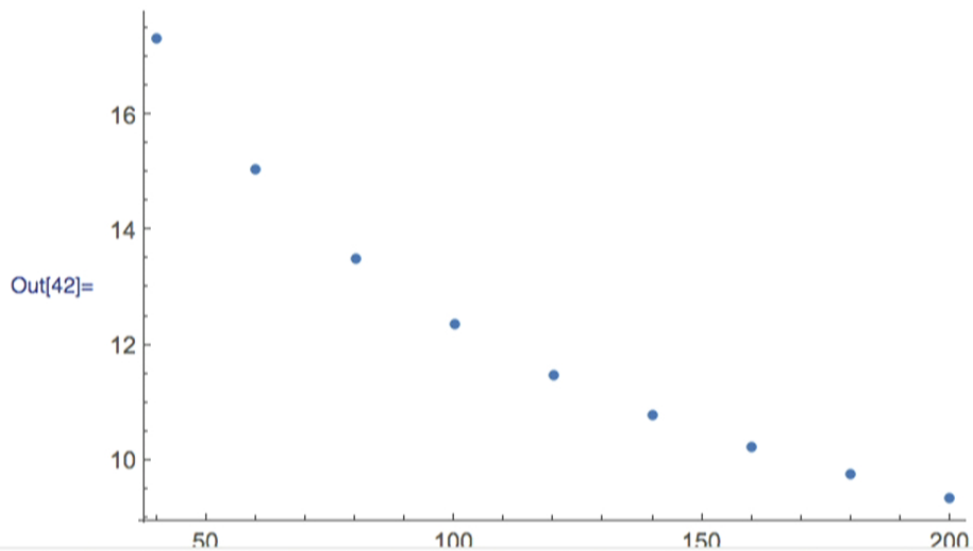
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In[38]:= Data // Length
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Out[38]= 3439

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In[39]:= Data[[1900]]
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Out[39]= $\{60, \frac{3}{2}, 18.2205, 15.0513839699653\}$

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In[42]:= Cases[Data, {--,  $\frac{3}{2}$ , 18.220526315789474^_, --}] /. {a_, b_, c_, d_} -> {a, d} // ListPlot
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In[21]:= plot[8, 3];

Manipulate[plot[a, b], {{a, 8}, 0, 15, 1}, {{b, 2}, 0, 10, 1}];
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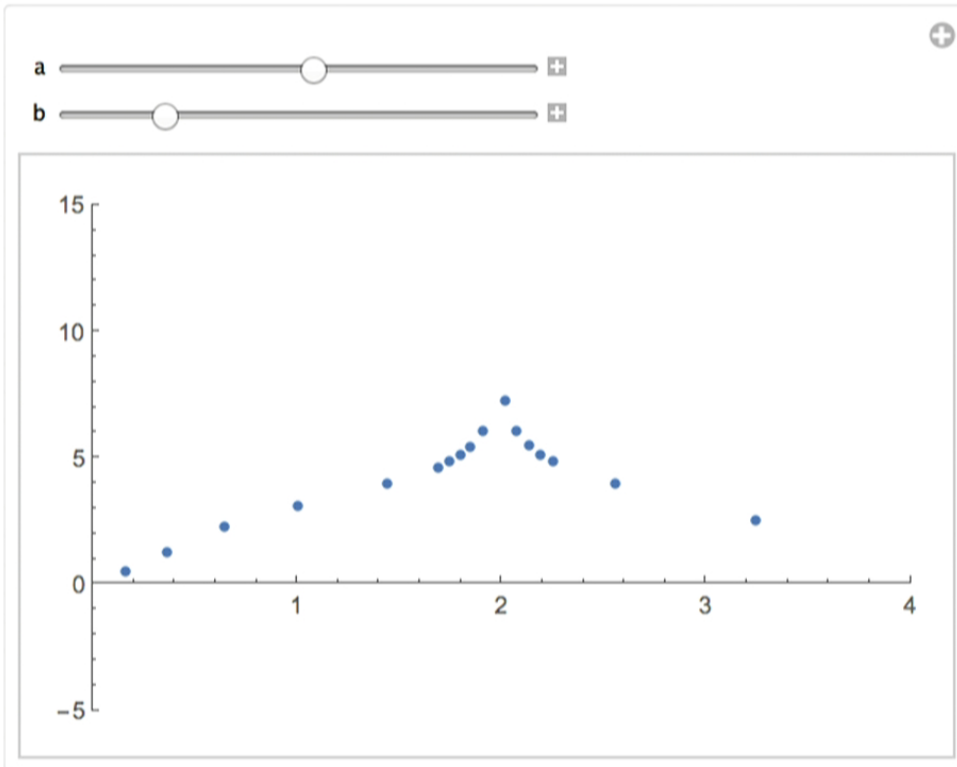


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stationary wave

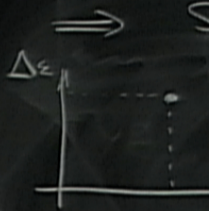
$$\Psi_{k_1 k_2}(x_1, x_2) = e^{i k_1 x_1 + i k_2 x_2} + S(k_1, k_2) e^{i k_2 x_1 + i k_1 x_2}$$

↓ wave packets and time evolve

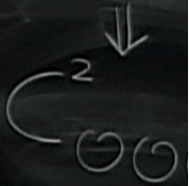
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the particles are
where the phase
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* if given



* Variation



stationary wave

$$\psi_{K_1 K_2}(x_1, x_2) = e^{iK_1 x_1 + iK_2 x_2} + S(K_1, K_2) e^{iK_2 x_1 + iK_1 x_2}$$

Wave packets and time evolve

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That is,

$$\begin{cases} x_1 - k_1 t = 0 \\ x_2 - k_2 t = 0 \end{cases}$$
 for first exponential and $\begin{cases} x_1 - k_2 t = 0 \\ x_2 - k_1 t = 0 \end{cases}$ for second exp

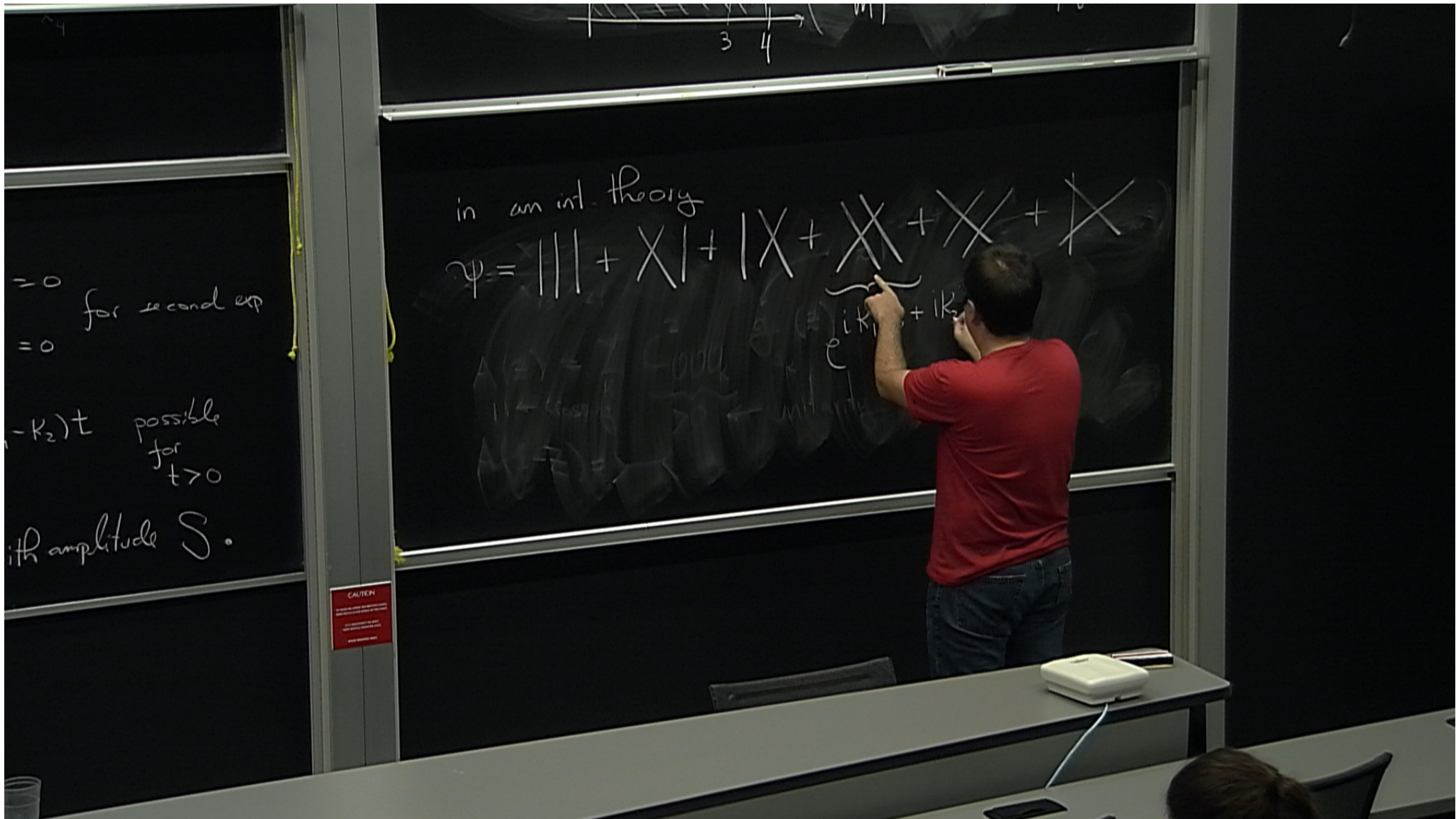
$x_2 - x_1 = (k_2 - k_1)t$
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> 0 < 0 only possible for $t < 0$

Conclusion.
 // $\xrightarrow{\text{time}}$ X with amplitude

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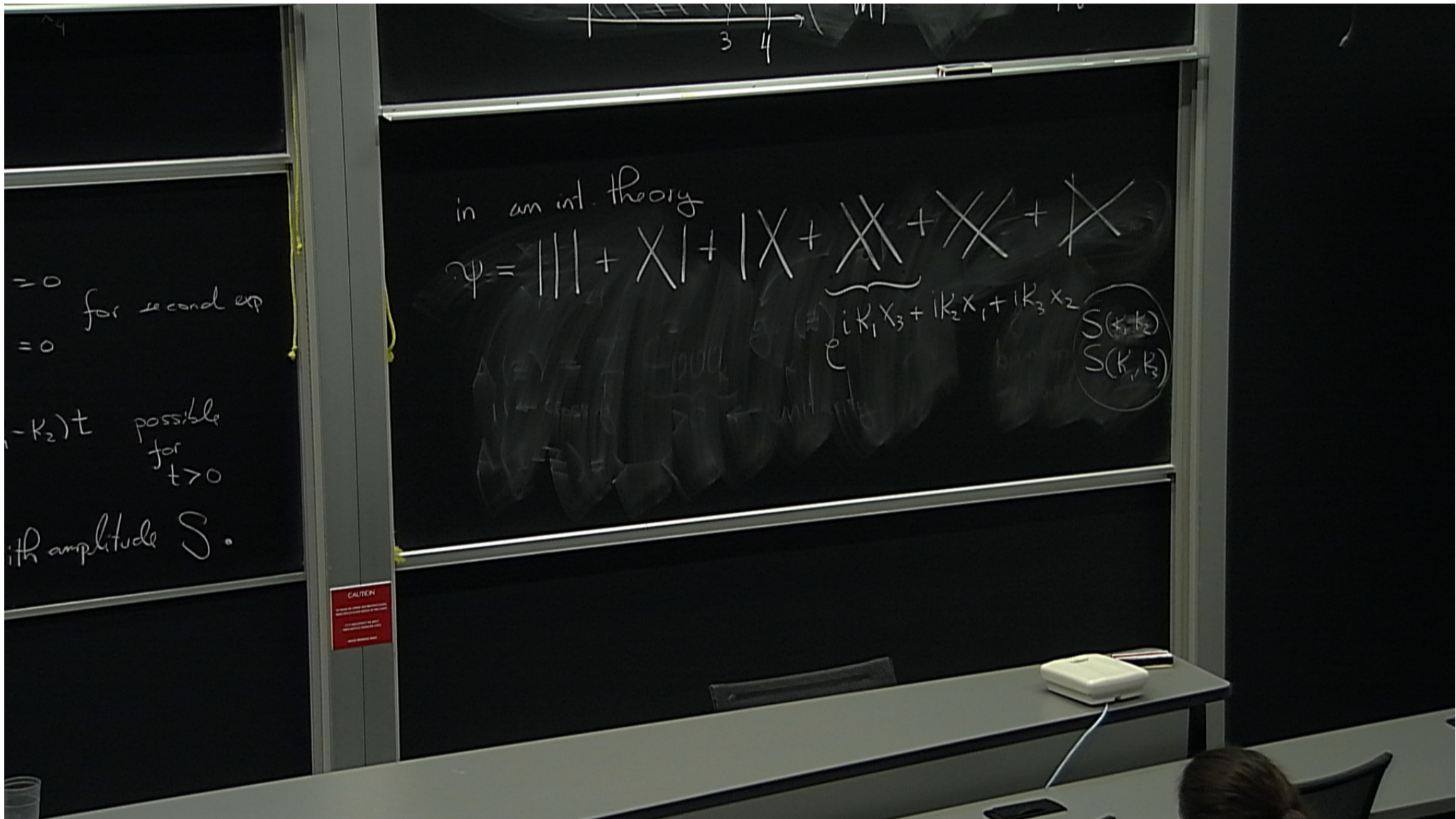
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$$e^{i(k_1 + k_2)x}$$

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$$e^{i(k_1 x_3 + k_2 x_1 + k_3 x_2)}$$

$$S(k_1, k_2)$$

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$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z}{2} \right)^n \Big|_{z=1/2}$$

stationary wave

let $k_2 = k_1 = i/2$ ← ok if $S(k_1, k_2)$ has a pole
 $k_1 = k_0 + i\eta$

$$\Psi_{k_1 k_2}(x_1, x_2) = e^{ik_1 x_1 + ik_2 x_2} + S(k_1, k_2) e^{ik_2 x_1 + ik_1 x_2}, \quad x_1 < x_2$$

Wave packets and time evolve

$$\int dk_1 dk_2 e^{-\alpha(k_1 - p_1)^2 - \alpha(k_2 - p_2)^2} \Psi_{k_1 k_2}(x_1, x_2)$$

$$\frac{-k_1^2}{2i} t_1 - \frac{k_2^2}{2i} t_1$$

the particles are where the phase is not changing much at $k_j \approx p_j$

That is,

$$\begin{cases} x_1 - k_1 t = \\ x_2 - k_2 t = \end{cases}$$

$$x_2 - x_1 = \underbrace{\quad}_{> 0}$$



$-k_2 t = 0$
 $-k_1 t = 0$ for second exp
 $x_1 = (k_1 - k_2)t$ possible for $t > 0$
 \rightarrow with amplitude S .

in an int. theory $S_{BS, Fund}^{(K,P)} = S_{Fund}^{(K+i\eta, P)} S_{Fund}^{(K-i\eta, P)}$

$\psi = ||| + X| + |X + \cancel{X} + \cancel{X} + \cancel{X}$

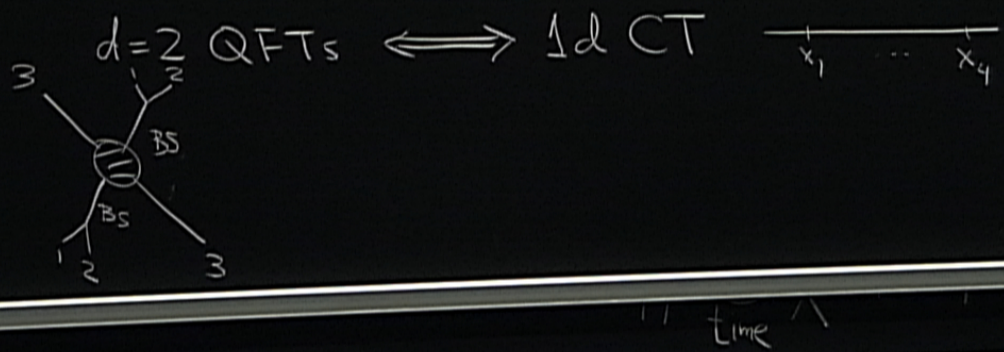
$e^{i k_1 x_3 + i k_2 x_1 + i k_3 x_2}$

$S(k, k_2)$
 $S(k, k_3)$



2) has a pole
 $+ik_1 x_2$
 $x_1 < x_2$
 the particles are
 where the phase
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$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l}
 g_{\text{FLAT SPACE}} = \lim_{\Delta_j \rightarrow \infty} \text{Conformal Th} \quad \text{123} \quad \text{1} \\
 \frac{m_j}{m_i} = \lim_{\Delta_j \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\Delta_j}{\Delta_i} \quad \langle \mathcal{O}(x_i) \mathcal{O}(x_4) \rangle = \frac{A(z)}{(x_{12})^{2\Delta} (x_{34})^{2\Delta}}
 \end{array} \right.$$



CAUTION

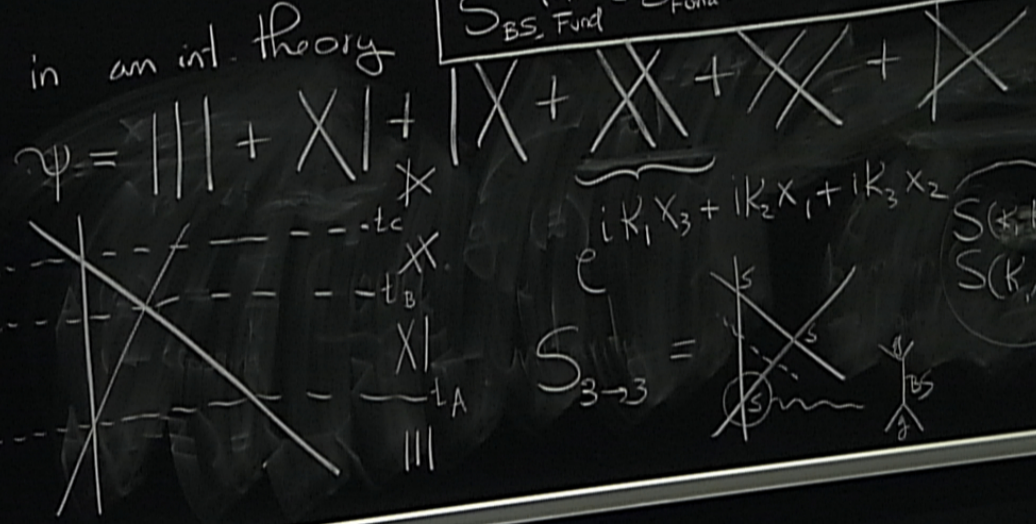
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$$\frac{A(z)}{(X_{12})^{2\Delta} (X_{34})^{2\Delta}}$$

in an int. theory

$$S_{BS, \text{Fund}}^{(K, P)} = S_{\text{Fund}}^{(K+i\eta, P)} S_{\text{Fund}}^{(K-i\eta, P)}$$



$$e^{iK_1 X_3 + iK_2 X_1 + iK_3 X_2}$$

$$S_{3 \rightarrow 3}$$

$$\begin{matrix} S(K_1, K_2) \\ S(K_1, K_3) \end{matrix}$$

