

# Present status on numerical calculation of complete 2-loop EWPOs and 3-loop prospects

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## Basic references

- Ievgen Dubovsky, Ayres Freitas, JG, Tord Riemann, Johann Usovitsch  
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"The two-loop electroweak bosonic corrections to  $\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^b$ "

- Tord Riemann LL16 talk, PoS LL2016 (2016) 075:  
"30 years, some 700 integrals, and 1 dessert, or:  
Electroweak two-loop corrections to the  $Z\bar{b}b$  vertex", arXiv:1610.07059;
- JG LL16 talk, PoS LL2016 (2016) 034:  
"Numerical integration of massive two-loop Mellin-Barnes integrals in Minkowskian regions",  
arXiv:1607.07538

# Outline

## 1 New results

- 2-loop EW bosonic corrections to  $\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{b}}$
- Basics of our numerical approach

## 2 Ongoing project: completion of 2-loop EWPOs

- Calculation of bosonic 2-loop corrections for  $Z \rightarrow f\bar{f}$ ,  $f = u, d, s, c, e, \mu, \tau$

## 3 Vista on the three loops ocean of EWPOs corrections

## 4 Summary and Outlook

- References

## 5 Backup slides: details of numerical methods

- Construction of MB integrals
- Avoiding numerical instabilities

# From Fulvio Piccinini's morning talk

## Intrinsic th. uncertainties on EWPO

- from the CDR draft contribution

“Theoretical uncertainties for electroweak and Higgs-boson precision measurements at the FCC-ee”

Conveners: A. Freitas and S. Heinemeyer; Contributors: M. Beneke et al.  
see talk by S. Heinemeyer

Quantity	FCC-ee	Current intrinsic error	Projected intrinsic error
$M_W$ [MeV]	1-1.5 <sup>‡</sup>	4 ( $\alpha^3, \alpha^2 \alpha_s$ )	1
$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\ell}$ [ $10^{-5}$ ]	0.6	4.5 ( $\alpha^3, \alpha^2 \alpha_s$ )	1.5
$\Gamma_Z$ [MeV]	0.1	0.5 ( $\alpha_{\text{bos}}^2, \alpha^3, \alpha^2 \alpha_s, \alpha \alpha_s^2$ )	0.2
$R_b$ [ $10^{-5}$ ]	6	15 ( $\alpha_{\text{bos}}^2, \alpha^3, \alpha^2 \alpha_s$ )	7
$R_l$ [ $10^{-3}$ ]	1	5 ( $\alpha_{\text{bos}}^2, \alpha^3, \alpha^2 \alpha_s$ )	1.5

<sup>‡</sup>The pure experimental precision on  $M_W$  is  $\sim 0.5$  MeV [3].

- with present and conceivable loop technology, the intrinsic th. uncertainties will be at the same level of the experimental errors
- new calculation methods should be introduced

see talk by J. Gluza

see e.g. the recent review on multi-loop integrals, A. Freitas, Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 90 (2016) 201

# Pseudo-observables, an example: $d\sigma/d\cos\theta$ ( $e^+e^- \rightarrow \bar{b}b$ )

Close to the  $Z$ -boson peak and assuming Born-like  $v, a$  couplings:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d\sigma}{d\cos\theta} &\sim G_F^2 \left| \frac{s}{s - M_Z^2 + iM_Z\Gamma_Z} \right|^2 \\ &\times [(a_e^2 + v_e^2)(a_b^2 + v_b^2)(1 + \cos^2\theta) (2a_e v_e)(2a_b v_b)(2\cos\theta)]\end{aligned}$$

Factorization (of weak couplings):

Symmetric integration over  $\cos\theta$

$$\sigma_T = \int_{-1}^1 d\cos\theta \frac{d\sigma}{d\cos\theta} \sim \left| \frac{s}{s - M_Z^2 + iM_Z\Gamma_Z} \right|^2 G_F (a_e^2 + v_e^2) \quad \mathbf{G_F(a_b^2 + v_b^2)}$$

Anti-symmetric integration over  $\cos\theta$

$$A_{F-B} = \frac{\left[ \int_0^1 d\cos\theta - \int_{-1}^0 d\cos\theta \right] \frac{d\sigma}{d\cos\theta}}{\sigma_T} \sim \overbrace{\frac{A_e}{a_e^2 + v_b^2}}^{2a_e v_e} \quad \overbrace{\frac{A_b}{a_b^2 + v_b^2}}^{2\mathbf{a_b v_b}}$$

# Pseudo-observable $A_b$

$$A_b = \frac{2\Re e \frac{v_b}{a_b}}{1 + \left(\Re e \frac{v_b}{a_b}\right)^2} = \frac{1 - 4|Q_b|\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{b}}}{1 - 4|Q_b|\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{b}} + 8Q_b^2(\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{b}})^2}$$

Definition of the effective weak mixing angle

$$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{b}} = \frac{1}{4|Q_b|} \left( 1 - \Re e \frac{v_b}{a_b} \right)$$

- Vertex form factor

$$V_\mu^{Zb\bar{b}} = \gamma_\mu [v_b(s) - a_b(s)\gamma_5] = \cdots + \underbrace{\quad}_{\text{planar,non-planar}} + \cdots$$

fermionic, bosonic

# Our results: Effective weak mixing angle $\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{b}}$

- The standard model prediction for the effective weak mixing angle can be written as

$$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{b}} = \left(1 - \frac{M_W^2}{M_Z^2}\right) (1 + \Delta\kappa_b)$$

- The bosonic electroweak two-loop corrections amount to

$$\Delta\kappa_b^{(\alpha^2, \text{bos})} = -0.9855 \times 10^{-4}$$

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# Collection of radiative corrections: full stabilization at $10^{-4}!$

Order	Value [ $10^{-4}$ ]	Order	Value [ $10^{-4}$ ]
$\alpha$	468.945	$\alpha_t^2 \alpha_s$	1.362
$\alpha \alpha_s$	-42.655	$\alpha_t^3$	0.123
$\alpha_t \alpha_s^2$	-7.074	$\alpha_{\text{ferm}}^2$	3.866
$\alpha_t \alpha_s^3$	-1.196	$\alpha_{\text{bos}}^2$	<b>-0.986</b>

$\pm 0.001$

Table: Comparison of different orders of radiative corrections to  $\Delta \kappa_b$ .

*Input Parameters:*  $M_Z$ ,  $\Gamma_Z$ ,  $M_W$ ,  $\Gamma_W$ ,  $M_H$ ,  $m_t$ ,  $\alpha_s$  and  $\Delta \alpha$

- one-loop contributions [Akhundov, Bardin, Riemann, 1986] [Beenakker, Hollik, 1988]
- two-loop fermionic contributions [Awramik, Czakon, Freitas, Kniehl, 2009]
- two-loop bosonic contributions [Dubovyk, Freitas, JG, Riemann, Usovitsch, 2016]

## Partial higher-order corrections

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vanderBij: 2000, Faisst: 2003

Currently most precise prediction for  $\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{b}}$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{b}} = & s_0 + d_1 L_H + d_2 L_H^2 + d_3 \Delta_\alpha + d_4 \Delta_t + d_5 \Delta_t^2 \\ & + d_6 \Delta_t L_H + d_7 \Delta_{\alpha_s} + d_8 \Delta_t \Delta_{\alpha_s} + d_9 \Delta_Z \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} L_H &= \log \left( \frac{M_H}{125.7 \text{GeV}} \right), \quad \Delta_t = \left( \frac{m_t}{173.2 \text{GeV}} \right)^2 - 1, \quad \Delta_Z = \frac{M_Z}{91.1876 \text{GeV}} - 1, \\ \Delta_\alpha &= \frac{\Delta\alpha}{0.0059} - 1, \quad \Delta_{\alpha_s} = \frac{\alpha_s}{0.1184} - 1. \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} s_0 &= 0.232704, \quad d_1 = 4.723 \times 10^{-4}, \quad d_2 = 1.97 \times 10^{-4}, \quad d_3 = 2.07 \times 10^{-2}, \\ d_4 &= -9.733 \times 10^{-4}, \quad d_5 = 3.93 \times 10^{-4}, \quad d_6 = -1.38 \times 10^{-4}, \\ d_7 &= 2.42 \times 10^{-4}, \quad d_8 = -8.10 \times 10^{-4}, \quad d_9 = -0.664. \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

- $M_W$  is calculated from the Fermi constant  $G_\mu$  [Awramik, et al., 2004]
- The deviations to the full calculation amount to average (maximal)  $2 \times 10^{-7}$  ( $1.3 \times 10^{-6}$ ), in the input parameter ranges.

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Direct numerical integrations in Minkowskian regions. Two general methods beyond NLO.

## Sector decomposition (SD)

Fiesta 3 [A.V.Smirnov, 2014]

SecDec 3 [2012], pySecDec [2017] [S. Borowka, G. Heinrich, S. Jahn, P. Jones, M. Kerner, J. Schlenk, T. Zirke]

- NICODEMOS, ver 2.0 [A. Freitas]

Now: The Mellin-Barnes (MB) method.

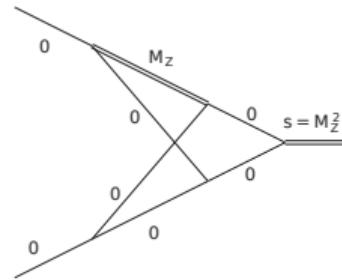
Toolbox: AMBRE/PlanarityTest/MBtools/MBnumerics/CUBA

- see References list on slide [24]

Two steps (automatic construction and numerical evaluation):

- ① **AMBRE** [JG, K.Kajda, T.Riemann (planar, ver.2.2), JG, E.Dubovyk, T.Riemann (non-planar,ver3.0)], **PlanarityTest** [K.Bielas, E.Dubovyk, JG, T. Riemann]
- ② **MBnumerics** [E. Dubovyk, J. Usovitsch, T. Riemann] - a completely new software !

First example: MBnumerics - fine, SD - more difficult



Euclidean results (constant part):

Analytical : **-0.4966198306057021**

MB(Vegas) : **-0.4969417442183914**

MB(**(Cuhre)**) : **-0.4966198313219404** ←—————

FIESTA : **-0.4966184488196595**

SecDec : **-0.4966192150541896**

Minkowskian results (constant part):

**2016** →

Analytical : **0.778599608979684 + 4.123512593396311 · i**

**MBnumerics** : **0.778599608324769 + 4.123512600516016 · i**

MB(Vegas) : big error

MB(Cuhre) : NaN

FIESTA : big error

SecDec : **0.78 + 4.13 · i** (pySecDec)

**2017** →

# MB and SD methods are very much complementary!

- MB works well for hard threshold, on-shell cases, not many internal masses (more IR), SD is useful for integrals with internal masses.
- Discussed already at: J. Gluza, K. Kajda, T. Riemann and V. Yundin  
*"Numerical Evaluation of Tensor Feynman Integrals in Euclidean Kinematics"*, EPJC 71 (2011) 1516; [arXiv:1010.1667 [hep-ph]]

Now realized in real application for EWPOs:

10<sup>-8</sup> accuracy achieved for **any** self-energy and vertex Feynman integral with one of the methods.

**Cuhre** [Thomas Hahn] - not a Monte Carlo, crucial for MB with dim≤5.

## Must be stressed:

We had to solve several problems. More importantly:

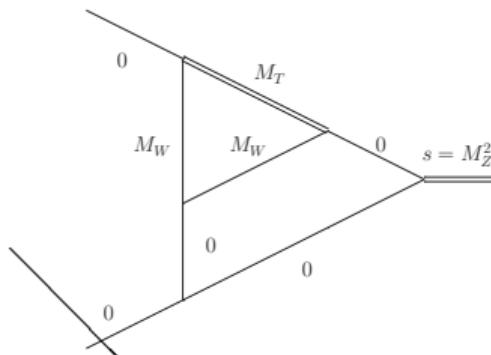
- **Minimal** MB-representations (new automatic approach to non-planar diagrams);
- Numerical **stabilities, accuracy and speed** of calculation for **many scales**;
- Numerical stabilities, accuracy and speed of calculation for **Minkowskian region**
- For details see backup slides

## Second example. One of the most difficult IR-divergent integrals

with 2 scales for SD

1st problem:

Integrating tails  $z_i \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $s = M_Z^2$ !



2nd problem:  $\Gamma$ 's.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int dz_1 \int dz_2 \int dz_3 (-s)^{-2-2\epsilon} \left(-\frac{s}{MT^2}\right)^{-z_2} \left(-\frac{s}{MW^2}\right)^{-z_1} \Gamma[-z_1] \Gamma[-z_2] \\
 & \times \frac{\Gamma[-z_3] \Gamma[-1 - 2\epsilon - z_1 - z_2] \Gamma[-\epsilon - z_1 - z_2] \Gamma[2 + 2\epsilon + z_1 + z_2]}{\Gamma[-3\epsilon - z_1 - z_2] \Gamma[1 - 2\epsilon - z_1 - z_2] \Gamma[1 - z_3] \Gamma[-2\epsilon - 2z_1 - 2z_2 - z_3]} \\
 & \times \Gamma[-2\epsilon - z_1 - 2z_2 - z_3] \Gamma[-1 - 2\epsilon - z_1 - z_2 - z_3] \\
 & \times \Gamma[-\epsilon - z_1 - z_2 - z_3] \Gamma[1 + z_2 + z_3] \Gamma[1 + \epsilon + z_1 + z_2 + z_3]
 \end{aligned}$$

Solutions: see Backup Slides and MBnumerics.m

## One of the most difficult IR-divergent integrals with 2 scales, cont'd.

For MB it is much easier and better.

**MBnumerics.m**      2016-04-21      Johann Usovitsch

```
=
 1.541402128186602 + 0.248804198197504*I
+
 0.12361459942846659 - 1.0610332704387688 *I * eps^-1
+
 -0.33773737955057970 + 3.6*10^-17*I *eps^-2
```

Time needed **43 min.**

**SecDec** = 1.541 + 0.2487\*I

```
+
 0.123615 - 1.06103*I *eps^-1
+
 -0.3377373796 - 5*10^-10*I*eps^-2
```

Time needed **24 hours**

# Types of numerical improvements in MBnumerics.m

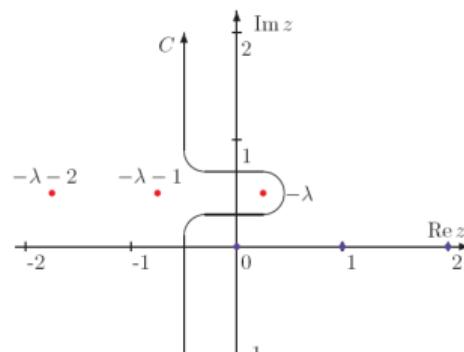
## THE BASIC METHOD:

**Contour shifts** - new, effective for n-dim MB integrations

Step by step with more techniques (needed for speed and precision):

(recent summary: <http://arxiv.org/abs/arXiv:1704.02288>)

- (a) Contour rotations (deformations);
- (b) Mappings;
- (c) Variables transformations, e.g.  $\{z_1, z_2\} \rightarrow \{z_1 - z_2, z_2\}$ ;



**Contours: shifts, deformations**

# Ongoing project: $Z \rightarrow f\bar{f}, f = u, d, s, c, e, \mu, \tau$

- Comparing to  $Z \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ , there are no top quarks inside "bosonic" diagrams - one scale less.  
**but:**
- More massless particles involved - some diagrams with more complicated structure of singularities (**spurious divergencies**).
- The goal is to complete EWPO at 2 loops:

$$\begin{aligned} \{\Gamma_{Zff}, \Gamma_{Zbb}\} &\longrightarrow \Gamma_{Z_{\text{tot}}} \\ R_\ell \\ R_{c,b} \\ A_{\text{FB}}^f \\ A_{\text{LR}}^f \end{aligned}$$

Even then:

**FCCee demands more ... (see F. Piccinini talk)**

## Look into the future. Bookkeeping with three loops

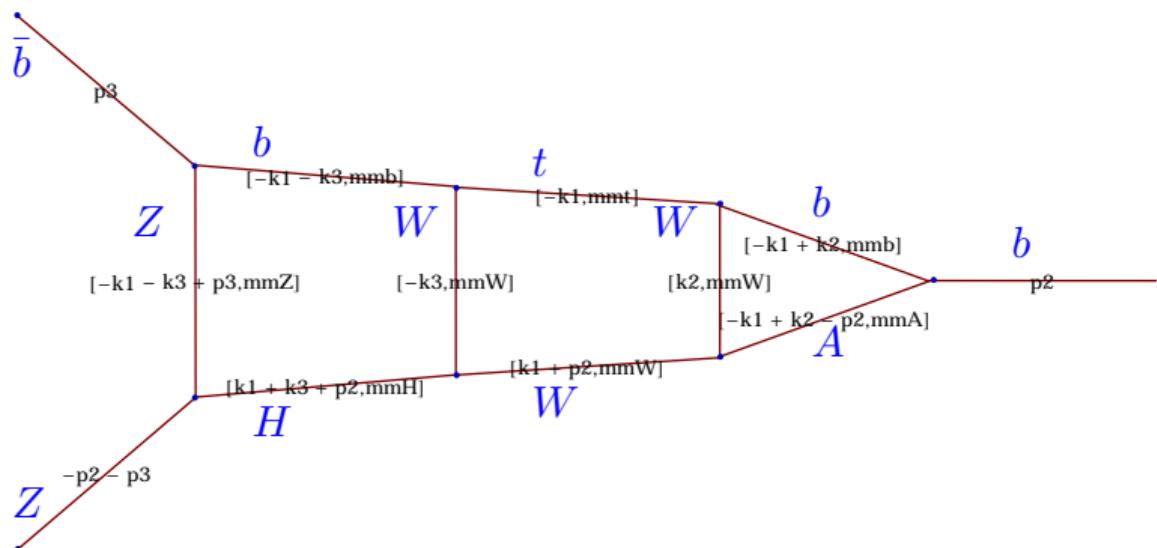
$Z \rightarrow b\bar{b}$			
Number of topologies	1 loop	2 loops	3 loops
	1	$14 \rightarrow^{\text{A}} 7 \rightarrow^{\text{B}} 5$	$211 \rightarrow^{\text{A}} 84 \rightarrow^{\text{B}} 50$
Number of diagrams	15	$2383 \rightarrow^{\text{A,B}} 1114$	$490387 \rightarrow^{\text{A,B}} 120187$
Fermionic loops	0	371	116091
Bosonic loops	15	2012	374296
Planar	$1T/15D$	$13T/2250D$	$186T/426753D$
Non-planar	0	$1T/133D$	$25T/63634D$

$Z \rightarrow e^+e^- \dots$			
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Number of diagrams	14	$2012 \rightarrow^{\text{A,B}} 880$	$397690 \rightarrow^{\text{A,B}} 91271$
Fermionic loops	0	301	92397
Bosonic loops	14	1711	305293
Planar	1	13	186
Non-planar	0	1	25

A - no tadpoles,  
no product of lower  
loops,  
(B) - symmetry  
included

# A complete zoo of heavy particles $m_t, m_W, m_Z, m_H$

MB:  $\epsilon^0$ **[8-dim]**,  $1/\epsilon$ **[7-dim]**; SD:  $\epsilon^0$ **[8-dim]**,  $1/\epsilon$ **[7-dim]**;

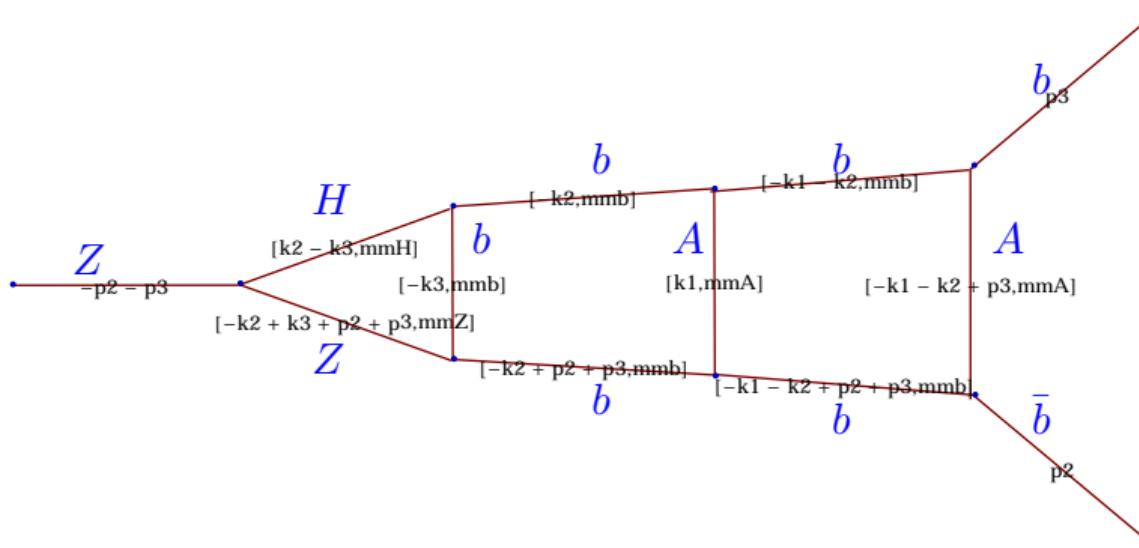


At 2-loops up to three dimensionless parameters (now 4):

$$\left\{ \frac{M_H^2}{M_Z^2}, \frac{M_W^2}{M_Z^2}, \frac{m_t^2}{M_Z^2}, \frac{(M_Z + i\varepsilon)^2}{M_Z^2} \right\}$$

# Less masses

MB:  $\epsilon^0$  [6-dim],  $1/\epsilon$  [5-dim], ...,  $1/\epsilon^4$  [2-dim]; SD:  $\epsilon^0$  [8-dim], ...,  $1/\epsilon^4$  [4-dim]



New improved AMBREv1.3, AMBREv2.1

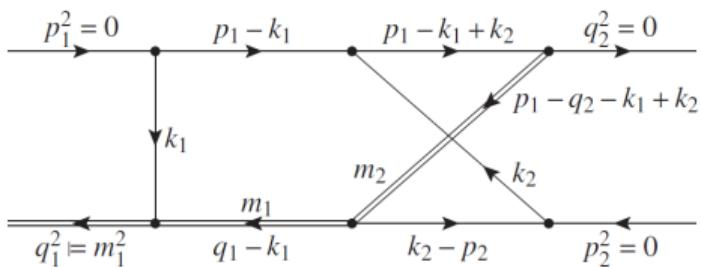
Non-planar AMBREv3.0 will be tuned, if possible

## Next years?

### Permanent and substantial progress in loop calculations:

- Mellin-Barnes (2016): **AMBRE3**, **MBnumerics.m**, and work in progress  
Sector Decomposition (2017): **pySecDec**
- Differential equations 2013 - Henn - proposal for uniform system of equations  
Packages (towards solutions of master integrals with many scales):  
Prausa (2017): "epsilon: A tool to find a canonical basis of master integrals"  
Meyer (2017): "Algorithmic transformation of multi-loop master integrals to a canonical basis with **CANONICA**"  
Gituliar, Magerya (2017): "**Fuchsia**: a tool for reducing differential equations for Feynman master integrals to epsilon form"
- Maierhoefer, Usovitsch, Uwer (2017): "**Kira** - A Feynman Integral Reduction Program"

Example: IBP reductions, Maierhoefer, Usovitsch, Uwer, 1705.05610



$s_{\max}$	$T_{\text{pyRed}}$	$T_{\text{Kira}}$	$T_{\text{Reduce}}$	$\frac{T_{\text{pyRed}}}{T_{\text{Kira}}}$	$\frac{T_{\text{Reduce}}}{T_{\text{Kira}}}$	
1	2.8 s	90 sec	4 h	0.03	160	← -----
2	9.8 s	6.6 min	13.3 h	0.02	121	
3	28 s	43 min	2 d	0.01	67	
4	67 s	2.4 h	7 d	0.007	70	

\* So far (2-loops) we calculated tensor integrals directly (no IBP reductions)

However...

Although analytical approaches are nice and make important progress, development of numerical methods for completion realistic electroweak problems with several or many scales seems to be a right way of acting.

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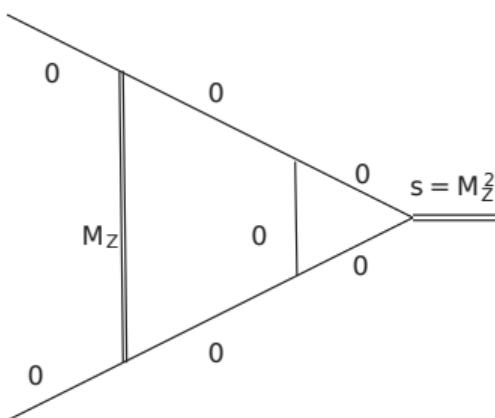
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# Backup slides

Basic problem: Steping up from Euclidean to direct calculation in Minkowskian kinematics

$$\frac{1}{(-)p^2 - m^2} \longrightarrow \text{singularities} \longrightarrow \frac{1}{(-)p^2 - m^2 + i\delta}$$

Resonance:  $s = M_Z^2$ ,  $s = -M_Z^2$



Step 1

# Construction of MB integrals

<http://us.edu.pl/~gluza/ambre/>

# Mellin-Barnes representations in HEP - method

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$$\text{mathematics} \rightarrow \frac{1}{(A+B)^\lambda} = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\lambda)} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} dz \Gamma(\lambda+z) \Gamma(-z) \frac{B^z}{A^{\lambda+z}}$$

$$\text{physics} \rightarrow \frac{1}{(p^2 - m^2)^a} = \frac{1}{\Gamma(a)} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} dz \Gamma(a+z) \Gamma(-z) \frac{(m^2)^z}{(p^2)^{a+z}}$$

It is recursive  $\implies$  multidimensional complex integrals.

$$\int_{-\frac{1}{3}-i\infty}^{-\frac{1}{3}+i\infty} dz_1 \int_{-\frac{2}{3}-i\infty}^{-\frac{2}{3}+i\infty} dz_2 \left( \frac{-s}{M_Z^2} \right)^{-z_1} \frac{\Gamma[-z_1]^3 \Gamma[1+z_1] \Gamma[z_1-z_2] \Gamma[-z_2]^3 \Gamma[1+z_2] \Gamma[1-z_1+z_2]}{s \Gamma[1-z_1]^2 \Gamma[-z_1-z_2] \Gamma[1+z_1-z_2]}$$

**Overlaped integrals**

# Multiloop Feynman diagrams, general MB integrals

$$\frac{1}{D_1^{n_1} D_2^{n_2} \dots D_N^{n_N}} \rightarrow \int \prod_{j=1}^N dx_j x_j^{n_j-1} \delta(1 - \sum_{i=1}^N x_i) \frac{U(x)^{N_\nu - d(L+1)/2}}{F(x)^{N_\nu - dL/2}}$$

$$N_\nu = n_1 + \dots + n_N$$

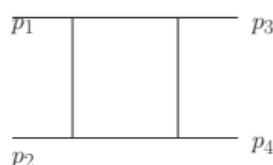
The functions  $U$  and  $F$  are called graph or Symanzik polynomials.



Trees contributing to the polynomial  $U$  for the square diagram



2 – trees contributing to the polynomial  $F$  for the square diagram



Cuts of internal lines such that:

- $U$ : (i) every vertex is still connected to every other vertex by a sequence of uncut lines; (ii) no further cuts without violating (i)
- $F$ : (iii) divide the graph into two disjoint parts such that within each part (i) and (ii) are obeyed and such that at least one external

**Dimension of MB integrals depends on**

## Step 2

# Numerics of MB integrals

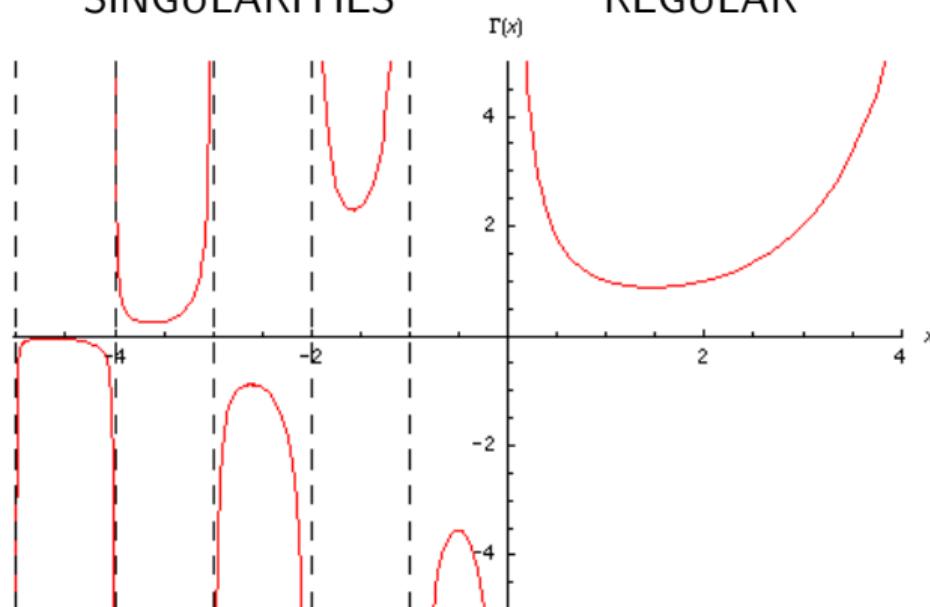
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# Gamma function: Singularities in the complex plane

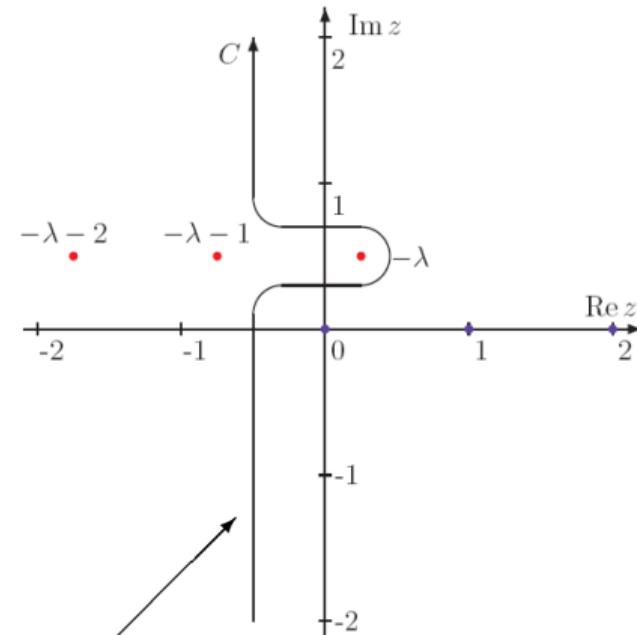
$$\Gamma(z) = \int_0^\infty t^{z-1} e^{-t} dt$$

$$\int dz \Gamma[z + \lambda]$$

SINGULARITIES



REGULAR



Contours: shifts, deformations

(\* shifting contours \*)

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In[203]:= sim = Gamma[-z]
Out[203]= Gamma[-z]

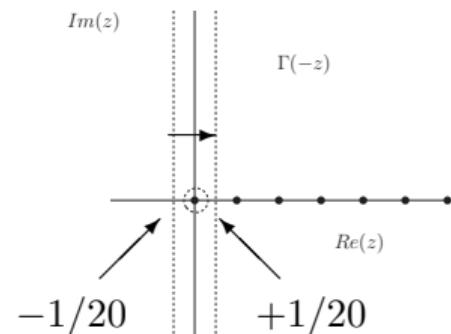
In[227]:= Sum[-Residue[Gamma[-z], {z, n}], {n, 0, 100}] // N
Out[227]= 0.367879

In[226]:= n1 = NIntegrate[
  1/(2 Pi) sim /. z → -1/20 + I y, {y, -10, 10}]
Out[226]= 0.367879 + 0. i

In[230]:= n2 = NIntegrate[
  1/(2 Pi) sim /. z → 1/20 + I y, {y, -10, 10}]
Out[230]= -0.632121 + 0. i

In[231]:= n2 - n1
Out[231]= -1. + 0. i

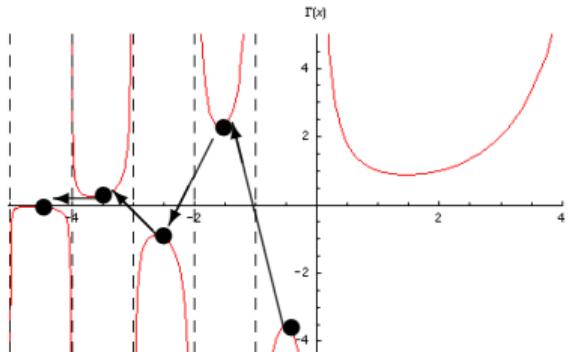
In[232]:= Residue[sim, {z, 0}]
Out[232]= -1
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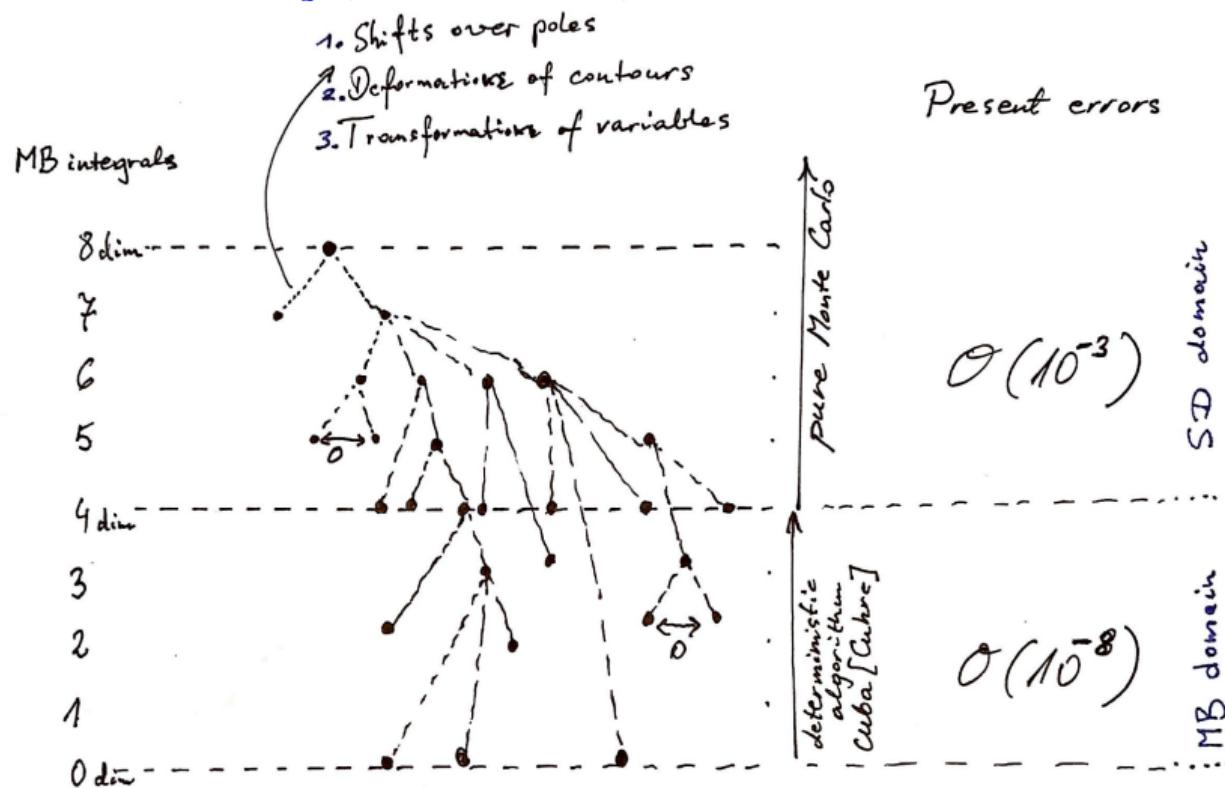
Two basic observations for shifting  $z$  follows

$$\begin{aligned} & \int dz_1 \dots dz_k \dots I(\dots, Re[z_k] + n + Im[z_k], \dots) && I_{orig} \\ = & \text{Residue} \left[ \int dz_1 \dots dz_k \dots I \right]_{Re[z_k]+n} && I_{Res} \\ + & \int dz_1 \dots dz_k \dots I(\dots, Re[z_k] + (n+1) + Im[z_k], \dots) && I_{new} \end{aligned}$$

- ① Residues **lower** dimensionality of original MB integrals.
- ② Integral after passing a pole (proper shifts) **can be made smaller**.

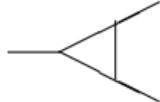


## Top-bottom approach to evaluation of multidimensional MB integrals

**MBnumerics.m - I. Dubovyk, J. Usovitsch, T. Riemann**

# BASIC PROBLEMS in Minkowski kinematics

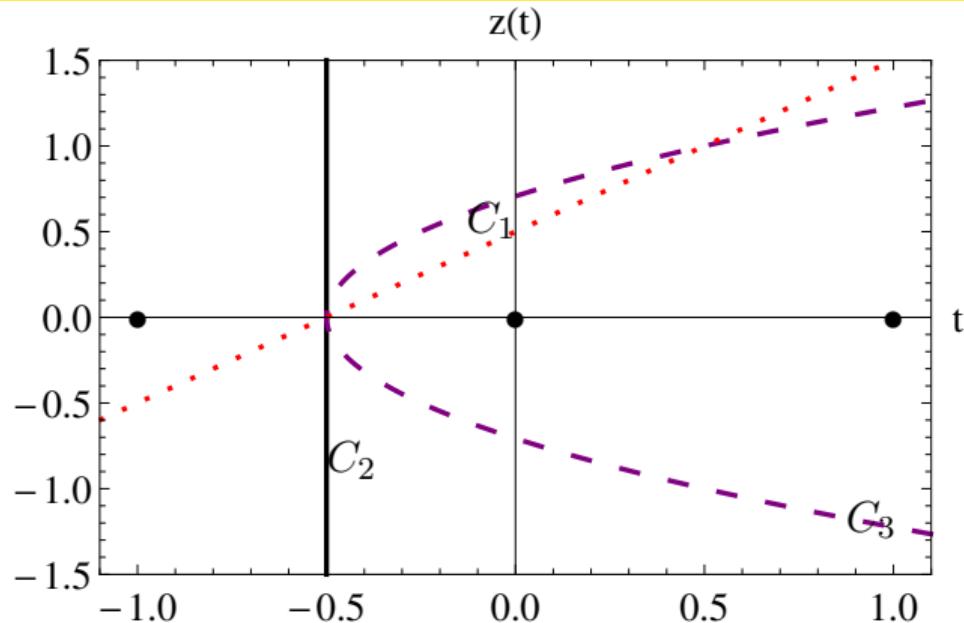
- I. Bad oscillatory behavior of integrands;
- II. Fragile stability for integrations over products and ratios of  $\Gamma$  functions.



$$\begin{aligned} V(s) &= \frac{e^{\epsilon\gamma_E}}{i\pi^{(4-2\epsilon)/2}} \int \frac{d^{(4-2\epsilon)}k}{[(k+p_1)^2 - m^2][k^2][(k-p_2)^2 - m^2]} \\ &= \frac{V_{-1}(s)}{\epsilon} + V_0(s) + \dots, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_{-1}(s)|_{m=1} &= -\frac{1}{2s} \int_{-\frac{1}{2}-i\infty}^{-\frac{1}{2}+i\infty} \frac{dz}{2\pi i} \underbrace{(-s)^{-z}}_{\text{Problem I}} \overbrace{\frac{\Gamma^3(-z)\Gamma(1+z)}{\Gamma(-2z)}}^{\text{Problem II}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{s^n}{\binom{2n}{n} (2n+1)} = \frac{2 \arcsin(\sqrt{s}/2)}{\sqrt{4-s}\sqrt{s}}, \end{aligned}$$

# Contour deformations



$$z(t) = x_0 + it : \quad V_{-1}^{C_1}(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} (i) dt J[z(t)];$$

$$s = 2, z(t) = \Re[-1/2] + i y, \quad y \in (-a, +a)$$

$$V_{-1}(2)|_{\text{analyt.}} = \mathbf{0.78539816339744830962} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$V_{-1}(2)|_{\text{Pantus}}^{MB.m} = 0.7925 - \underline{0.0225} i$$

$$V_{-1}(2)|_{C_1, a=15} = 0.7548660085063523 - \underline{0.229985258820015} i$$

$$V_{-1}(2)|_{C_1, a=10^2} = 0.73479313088852537844 + \underline{0.074901423602937676597} i$$

$$V_{-1}(2)|_{C_1, a=10^3} = 0.84718185073531076915 - \underline{0.094865760649354977853} i$$

$$V_{-1}(2)|_{C_1, a=10^4} = 4.4574554985139977188 + \underline{4.5139812364645122275} i$$

✓  $V_{-1}(2)|_{C_2} = \mathbf{0.7853981633859819} - 5.420140575251864 \cdot 10^{-15} \checkmark i$

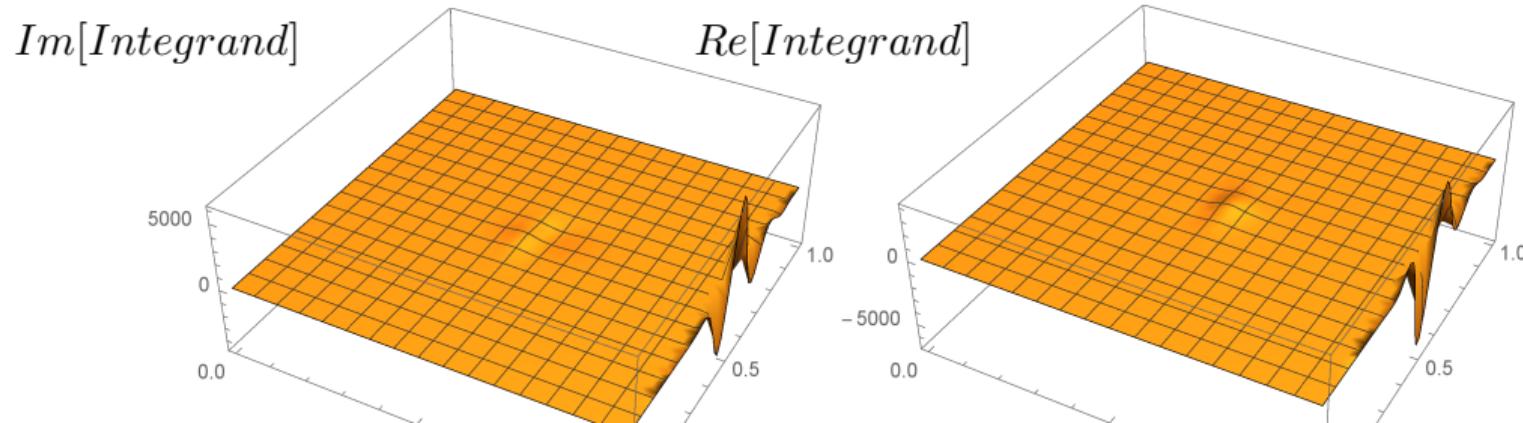
✓  $V_{-1}(2)|_{C_3} = \mathbf{0.7853981632958756} + 2.435551760271437 \cdot 10^{-15} \checkmark i$

# Transformations of integration variables (Mappings)

$$\int_{-\frac{1}{3}-i\infty}^{-\frac{1}{3}+i\infty} dz_1 \int_{-\frac{2}{3}-i\infty}^{-\frac{2}{3}+i\infty} dz_2 \left( \frac{-s}{M_Z^2} \right)^{-z_1} \frac{\Gamma[-z_1]^3 \Gamma[1+z_1] \Gamma[z_1-z_2] \Gamma[-z_2]^3 \Gamma[1+z_2] \Gamma[1-z_1+z_2]}{s \Gamma[1-z_1]^2 \Gamma[-z_1-z_2] \Gamma[1+z_1-z_2]}$$

Logarithmic (in MB.m, M. Czakon, CPC 2006):

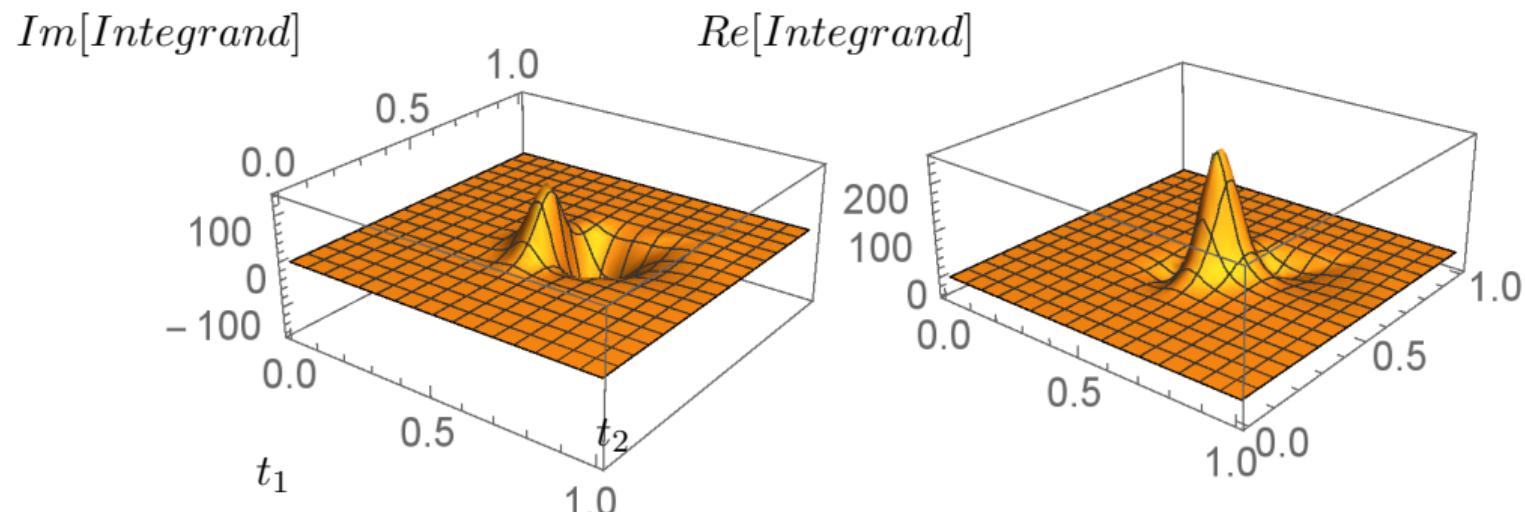
$$z_k = x_k + i \ln \left( \frac{t_k}{1-t_k} \right), \quad t_k \in (0, 1), \quad \text{the Jacobians : } J_k(t_k) = \frac{1}{t_k(1-t_k)}.$$



# Transformations of variables (Mappings)

Tangent (in MBnumerics.m, ID, JU, TR, 2016):

$$z_k = x_k + i \frac{1}{\tan(-\pi t_k)}, \quad t_k \in (0, 1), \quad \text{the Jacobians : } J_k = \frac{\pi}{\sin^2[(\pi t_k)]}.$$



# The most difficult cases (for SD)

