



N=1 SUGRA: From constructive and BCFW to KLT formulations Based on arXiv:2406.11001

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We use a perturbative language to identify particles

- S- Matrix (LSZ) $\longrightarrow$ Feynman rules $\longrightarrow$ Scattering process.
- Feynman Diagrams = external lines + internal lines (Propagator) + vertex.
- Amplitud = $\sum$ (Feynman diagrams) [Space-time approach on QED, R. Feynman, 1949].
- **Differential cross section:**

$$d\sigma = \frac{1}{2E_A 2E_B |v_A - v_B|} \left(\prod_f \frac{d^3 p_f}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2E_f} \right) |\mathcal{M}(p_A, p_B \longrightarrow p_f)|^2 \\ \times (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(p_A + p_B - \sum p_f).$$



Recipe to the calculation of cross sections:

- Draw the diagrams for the desired process
- Use the Feynman rules to write down the amplitude $\mathcal{M}$.
- Square the amplitude and average or sum over spins, using completeness relations: $\sum_s u^s(p)\bar{u}^s(p) = \not{p} + m; \dots$
- Evaluate traces using the trace theorems; collect terms and simplify the answer as much as possible.
- Choose a particular frame of reference. Express all 4-momentum vectors in terms of variables such as E and θ .
- Plug the resulting expression for $|\mathcal{M}|^2$ into the cross-section formula and integrate over phase-space [[An introduction to QFT, Peskin and Schroeder, 1995](#)]

$$\mathcal{M}_n = \sum (\text{Feynman Diagrams}) = \text{Tree level} + \text{1-loop} + \text{2-loop} + \dots$$

Figure: Perturbative expansion

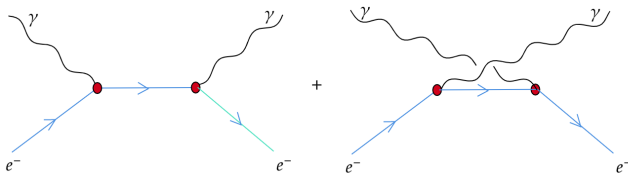


Figure: Tree level Compton effect



Tree level amplitude

$$i\mathcal{M} = -ie^2 \epsilon_\nu^*(k_f, \lambda_f) \epsilon_\mu(k_i, \lambda_i) \bar{u}(p_f, s_f) \Gamma^{\nu\mu} u(p_i, s_i) \quad (1)$$

$$\Gamma^{\mu\nu} = \gamma^\nu \frac{(\not{p}_i + \not{k}_i + m)}{(p_i + k_i)^2 - m^2} \gamma^\mu + \gamma^\mu \frac{(\not{p}_i - \not{k}_f + m)}{(p_i - k_f)^2 - m^2} \gamma^\nu. \quad (2)$$

The average of the squared amplitude

$$|\bar{\mathcal{M}}|^2 = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{\text{spins}} |\mathcal{M}|^2 = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{\text{spins}} \mathcal{M} \mathcal{M}^\dagger. \quad (3)$$

Traces to compute

$$I = \text{Tr}[(\not{p}_f + m)(\not{\epsilon}_f \not{k}_i \not{\epsilon}_i)(\not{p}_i + m)(\not{\epsilon}_i \not{k}_i \not{\epsilon}_f)] \quad (4)$$

$$II = \text{Tr}[(\not{p}_f + m)(\not{\epsilon}_i \not{k}_f \not{\epsilon}_f)(\not{p}_i + m)(\not{\epsilon}_f \not{k}_f \not{\epsilon}_i)] \quad (5)$$

$$III = \text{Tr}[(\not{p}_f + m)(\not{\epsilon}_f \not{\epsilon}_i) \not{k}_i (\not{p}_i + m) \not{k}_f (\not{\epsilon}_f \not{\epsilon}_i)] \quad (6)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{II} = & \text{tr}[(\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho + \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho + 2m_e \gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho + m_e \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho)(\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho - \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho + m_e \gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho - m_e \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho)] \\ = & 2\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho] + 4\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho] \\ & + 4\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho] + 4\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho] \\ & + 2m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho] - 4m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho] \\ & + m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu] - 2m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\rho] \end{aligned} \quad \text{cc. (18)}$$

Adicionalmente, usaremos las reglas asociadas a los productos slash para calcular los trazos de cada uno de los 8 términos:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{I} \quad 2\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho] &= 2\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\rho \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu] = 2\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu] = 8\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\mu] \\ &= 32\text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] = 32 \times 4 = 128 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{II} \quad 4\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho] &= 4\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\rho \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu] = 4\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu] = 4\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\mu] \\ &= 4\text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] = 4 \times 4 = 16 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{III} \quad 4\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho] &= 4\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\rho \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu] = 4\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu] = 4\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\mu] \\ &= 4\text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] = 4 \times 4 = 16 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{IV} \quad 2\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho] &= 2\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\rho \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu] = 2\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu] = 2\text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\mu] \\ &= 2\text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] = 2 \times 4 = 8 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{V} \quad 2m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho] &= 2m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\rho \gamma^\mu] = 2m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\mu] = 2m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] \\ &= 2m_e^2 \times 4 = 8m_e^2 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{VII} \quad m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu] &= m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\mu] = m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\mu] = m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] \\ &= m_e^2 \times 4 = 4m_e^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{VIII} \quad 2m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\rho] &= 2m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho \gamma^\rho] = 2m_e^2 \text{tr}[\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu] = 2m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] \\ &= 2m_e^2 \times 4 = 8m_e^2 \end{aligned}$$

Sustituyendo en cc. (19) tenemos que:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{II} = & 32m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] + 16m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] - 32m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] + 16m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] - m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] \\ & + 32m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] - 16m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] + 16m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] - 32m_e^2 \text{tr}[\mathbb{1}] \end{aligned} \quad \text{cc. (20)}$$

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Figure: Some traces of Compton effect. It is possible calculate them using, for instance, **Feyncalc**.



Final answer when we take the limit $m \rightarrow 0$

$$|\bar{\mathcal{M}}|^2 = 2e^4 \left(\frac{p_i \cdot k_f}{p_i \cdot k_i} + \frac{p_i \cdot k_i}{p_i \cdot k_f} \right). \quad (7)$$

The number of Feynman diagrams tends to grow very quickly with the number of particles involved, for instance:

$gg \rightarrow gg$, 4 *diagrams*

$gg \rightarrow ggg$, 25 *diagrams*

$gg \rightarrow gggg$, 220 *diagrams*

$gg \rightarrow 8g$, $\approx 1,000,000$

[See Andres Luna Talk]



Feynman diagrams

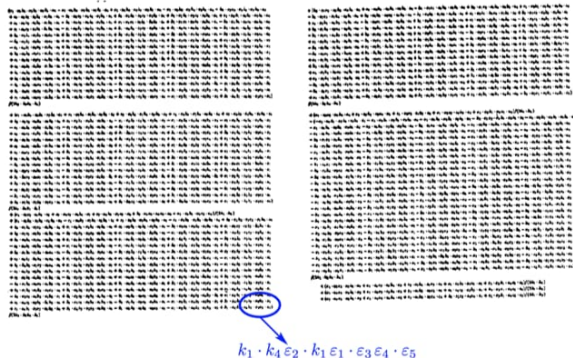


Figure: Part of the result for the 5 gluons amplitude at tree level.
"Magic tricks for scattering amplitudes" by Zvi Bern.

On-Shell methods



The key question here is: What defines a particle? The answer is given by the concept of **Little group**, which is the set of Lorentz transformations that leaves the momentum of the particles invariant: $\mathbf{L} \mathbf{p} = \mathbf{p}$ [E.P. Wigner, '39. Y.S. Kim and E.P. Wigner, '90. S. Weinberg, QFT vol I, '05.].

- **Massive particles** are defined by its mass m and spin s . The little group is $SO(3)$. Known particles: $s = 0$ (Higgs), $s = 1/2$ (q y l), $s = 1$ (bosons W y Z)
- **Massless particles** are defined by **helicity (h)**. The little group is $E(2) = U(1) \times T(2)$. Known particles: $h = \pm 1$ (photon, gluon), $h = \pm 2$ (Graviton).

Spinor helicity formalism: Massless case



- In the **massless case**, **helicity spinors** are defined as real or complex doublets transforming in the $(\frac{1}{2}, 0)$ or $(0, \frac{1}{2})$ representations of the Lorentz group.

$$\langle \lambda \chi \rangle = \epsilon^{ab} \lambda_a \chi_b = -\langle \chi \lambda \rangle, \quad [\lambda \chi] = \epsilon_{\dot{a}\dot{b}} \tilde{\lambda}^{\dot{a}} \tilde{\chi}^{\dot{b}} = -[\chi \lambda].$$

[Weyl-Van der Waerden notation]

- To represent momenta as bispinors, we use sigma Pauli matrices:

$$\begin{aligned} p^{\dot{a}a} &= (\bar{\sigma}^\mu)^{\dot{a}a} p_\mu = \begin{pmatrix} p^0 - p^3 & -p^1 + ip^2 \\ -p^1 - ip^2 & p^0 + p^3 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \lambda_a \tilde{\lambda}_{\dot{a}} \equiv |p\rangle [p] \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

[P. De Causmaecker, R. Gastmans, W. Troost and T. T. Wu, '81. Kaoru Hagiwara and D. Zeppenfeld, '86. Henriette Elvang and Yu-Tin Huang, '2015.]



Dirac spinors can be either left or right handed, in the Weyl basis we can write them as (**High energy limit**):

$$v_+(p) = u_-(p) = \begin{pmatrix} |p]_a \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \equiv |p], \quad v_-(p) = u_+(p) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ |p\rangle^{\dot{a}} \end{pmatrix} \equiv |p\rangle,$$

$$\bar{u}_-(p) = \bar{v}_+(p) = (0, \langle p|_{\dot{a}}) \equiv \langle p|, \quad \bar{u}_+(p) = \bar{v}_-(p) = ([p|^a, 0) \equiv [p|.$$

Contraction between two momentum vectors is:

$$q \cdot p = q^\mu p_\mu = \frac{1}{2} q_{\dot{a}a} p^{a\dot{a}} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}(|q]\langle qp\rangle[p|) = \frac{1}{2} \langle qp\rangle [pq].$$

Also

$$p^\mu = \frac{1}{2} (\sigma^\mu)^a p_{\dot{a}a}, \quad p^\mu = \frac{1}{2} \bar{\sigma}^\mu_{\dot{a}a} p^{a\dot{a}} \quad (9)$$

[M.D. Schwartz, QFT and The Standard Model '14]



- Vector boson polarizations in this formalism are written as

$$[\epsilon_p^-(r)]^{\dot{a}a} = \sqrt{2} \frac{|p\rangle[r|}{[pr]}, \quad [\epsilon_p^+(r)]^{\dot{a}a} = \sqrt{2} \frac{|r\rangle[p|]{\langle rp|}}{\langle rp|}, \quad (10)$$

- Products between momentums and polarization vectors in terms of Weyl spinors [M. D Schwartz, QFT and The Standard Model '14.]

$$\epsilon^+(p_i, r) \cdot p_j = \frac{[ij]\langle jr\rangle}{\sqrt{2}\langle ri\rangle}, \quad \epsilon^-(p_i, r) \cdot p_j = \frac{\langle ij\rangle[jr]}{\sqrt{2}[ir]} \quad (11)$$

$$\epsilon^-(p_i, r) \cdot \epsilon^+(p_j, q) = \frac{\langle iq\rangle[jr]}{[ir]\langle qj\rangle} \quad (12)$$

$$\not{\epsilon}^-(p, r) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{[rp]} (|p\rangle[r| + |r\rangle\langle p|), \quad \not{\epsilon}^+(p, r) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\langle rp\rangle} (|p\rangle\langle r| + |r\rangle[p|]) \quad (13)$$



In this formalism Mandelstam variables are defined as:

$$s_{ij} = (p_i + p_j)^2, \quad s_{ijk} = (p_i + p_j + p_k)^2, \quad \text{etc.} \quad (14)$$

In particular, we have standard Mandelstam variables as $s = s_{12}, t = s_{13}, u = s_{14}$. In terms of Weyl spinors

$$\begin{aligned} s &= \langle 12 \rangle [21] = \langle 34 \rangle [43], \\ u &= \langle 14 \rangle [41] = \langle 23 \rangle [32], \\ t &= \langle 13 \rangle [31] = \langle 24 \rangle [42]. \end{aligned} \quad (15)$$

[M.D. Schwartz, QFT and The Standard Model '14].

[Aspectos básicos del método de amplitudes, Jonathan Reyes Pérez. Rev.Mex.Fis.'24]



Compton Effect: The amplitudes in terms of Weyl spinors are

$$\mathcal{M}(1^+2^-3^+4^-) = 2e^2 \frac{\langle 24 \rangle^2}{\langle 13 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle}, \quad \mathcal{M}(1^+2^-3^-4^+) = 2e^2 \frac{\langle 23 \rangle^2}{\langle 14 \rangle \langle 24 \rangle}.$$

the square averaged amplitude is

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{|\mathcal{M}|^2} &= \frac{1}{4} [2(|\mathcal{M}(1^+2^-3^+4^-)|^2 + |\mathcal{M}(1^+2^-3^-4^+)|^2)] \quad (16) \\ &= 2e^4 \left(\left| \frac{s_{14}}{s_{13}} \right| + \left| \frac{s_{13}}{s_{14}} \right| \right) \\ &= 2e^4 \left(\frac{u}{s} + \frac{s}{u} \right), \end{aligned}$$

where $s_{13} = s$, $s_{12} = t$ y $s_{14} = u$. [Weyl spinors and helicity formalism, J. Díaz Cruz, B. Larios, O. Meza Aldama, and J. Reyes Pérez, 1511.07477.]



- From $gg \rightarrow gg$ we have

$$\tilde{\mathcal{M}}(1^- 2^- 3^+ 4^+) = \frac{\langle 12 \rangle^4}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 41 \rangle}. \quad (17)$$

- For 5 gluons we have

$$\tilde{\mathcal{M}}_5(1^+ 2^+ 3^+ 4^- 5^-) = \frac{\langle 45 \rangle^4}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle}. \quad (18)$$

- The MHV amplitud for N gluons is

$$\tilde{\mathcal{M}}(1^+ 2^+ \dots j^- \dots k^- \dots n^+) = \frac{\langle jk \rangle^4}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \dots \langle n1 \rangle}, \quad (19)$$

This equation is known as **Parker-Taylor formula**

We want to calculate:

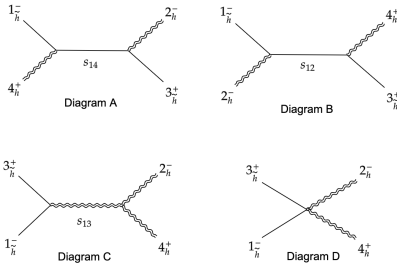


Figure: SUGRA Compton effect: Scattering process between spin-2 graviton h and spin-3/2 gravitino $\tilde{h}$.

- How to calculate the total amplitude?

$$\mathcal{M}_{Total} = ? \quad (20)$$



Tree amplitudes in supergravity theories can be computed using the following action

$$\begin{aligned} S_{SUGRA} &= S_{EH} + S_{RS}, \\ &= -\frac{1}{2\kappa^2} \int d^4x \left((R_{\mu\nu}^L - \frac{1}{2}\eta_{\mu\nu}R^L)h^{\mu\nu} + \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}(\tilde{\psi}_\mu\bar{\sigma}_\nu\partial_\rho\psi_\sigma - \right. \\ &\quad \left. \chi_\mu\sigma_\nu\partial_\rho\tilde{\chi}_\sigma) \right) \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

where $\kappa^2 = 8\pi G_N$. A pure supergravity theory will have to include in addition the supersymmetric partner of the **spin-2 graviton**, this is **spin- $\frac{3}{2}$ gravitino**. [D. Chakraborty, J. Lorenzo Díaz Cruz, P. Ortega Ruíz and J. Reyes Pérez, arXiv:2406.11001]

SUGRA Compton effect: A la Feynman



- **Kawai-Lewellen-Tye relations** from string theory [H. Kawai, D. C. Lewellen and S.H.H. Tye, '86]. In the field theory limit ($\alpha' \rightarrow 0$), these relations take the form

$$\mathcal{M}_{\text{Gravity}} \sim \sum_{ij} K_{ij} \mathcal{A}_{YM}^{iL} \times \mathcal{A}_{YM}^{jR} \quad (22)$$

$$\mathcal{A}_3(1^-, 2^-, 3^+) = \frac{\langle 12 \rangle^3}{\langle 23 \rangle \langle 31 \rangle}, \quad \mathcal{M}_3 = \frac{\langle 12 \rangle^6}{\langle 23 \rangle^2 \langle 31 \rangle^2} \quad (23)$$

- Amplitude of two gravitinos and two gravitons [Bjerrum-Bohr and Oluf Tang Engelund, '10]

$$\mathcal{M}_4(1_{\tilde{h}}^-, 2_h^-, 3_{\tilde{h}}^+, 4_h^+) = -is_{14} \mathcal{A}_4(1_{\tilde{g}}^-, 4_g^+, 2_g^-, 3_{\tilde{g}}^+) \mathcal{A}_4(1_g^-, 2_{\tilde{g}}^-, 3_g^+, 4_{\tilde{g}}^+) \quad (24)$$

$$p, \mu \quad p', \nu \quad q, \alpha \beta = -i \quad p \quad p' \quad q, \alpha \quad p, \mu \quad p', \nu \quad q, \beta$$

$$V_{hhh}^{\mu, \alpha \beta, \nu}(p, q, p') = -i V_{ggg}^{\alpha}(p, q, p') \times V_{ggg}^{\mu, \beta, \nu}(p, q, p')$$

$$= -i \left(\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \gamma^{\alpha} \right) \times \left[\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \left((p-q)^{\nu} \eta^{\beta \mu} + (q-p')^{\mu} \eta^{\beta \nu} + (p'-p)^{\beta} \eta^{\mu \nu} \right) \right]$$

Figure: Factorization of the gravitino three vertex

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$$p, \mu \quad p', \rho \sigma \quad q, \alpha \beta = -i \quad p, \mu \quad p', \rho \quad q, \alpha \quad p, \nu \quad p', \sigma \quad q, \beta$$

$$V_{hhh}^{\mu\nu, \alpha\beta, \rho\sigma}(p, q, p') = -i V_{ggg}^{\mu, \alpha, \rho}(p, q, p') \times V_{ggg}^{\nu, \beta, \sigma}(p, q, p')$$

$$= -i \left(\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 \times \left[\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \left((p-q)^\rho \eta^{\mu\alpha} + (q-p')^\mu \eta^{\alpha\rho} + (p'-p)^\alpha \eta^{\rho\mu} \right) \right] \times \left[\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \left((p-q)^\sigma \eta^{\beta\nu} + (q-p')^\nu \eta^{\sigma\beta} + (p'-p)^\beta \eta^{\nu\sigma} \right) \right]$$

Figure: The graviton three vertex



- Polarization tensors of the gravitino $\tilde{h}$ field

$$\tilde{\epsilon}_{\tilde{h}}^{+\mu}(p, q) = \tilde{\epsilon}_{\tilde{g}}^{+}(p) \times \epsilon_g^{+\mu}(p, q), \quad \tilde{\epsilon}_{\tilde{h}}^{-\mu}(p, q) = \tilde{\epsilon}_{\tilde{g}}^{-}(p) \times \epsilon_g^{-\mu}(p, q), \quad (25)$$

$$\epsilon_{\tilde{h}}^{+\mu}(p, q) = \epsilon_{\tilde{g}}^{+}(p) \times \epsilon_g^{+\mu}(p, q), \quad \epsilon_{\tilde{h}}^{-\mu}(p, q) = \epsilon_{\tilde{g}}^{-}(p) \times \epsilon_g^{-\mu}(p, q). \quad (26)$$

-Polarization tensors of graviton h field:

$$(\epsilon_h^{++})^{\mu\nu}(p, q) = \epsilon_g^{+\mu}(p, q) \times \epsilon_g^{+\nu}(p, q) \quad (27)$$

$$(\epsilon_h^{--})^{\mu\nu}(p, q) = \epsilon_g^{-\mu}(p, q) \times \epsilon_g^{-\nu}(p, q) \quad (28)$$

[N.J. Bjerrum-Bohr and Oluf Tang Engelund, '10. 1002.2279]

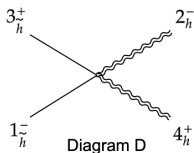


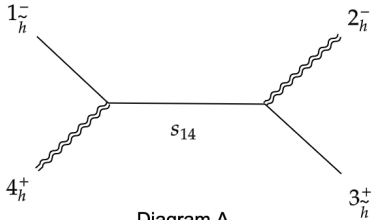
Figure: Diagram D

$$\begin{aligned}
 \tilde{\mathcal{M}}_D(1^{-\frac{3}{2}}, 2^{-2}, 3^{+\frac{3}{2}}, 4^{-2}) &= V_{\tilde{h}\tilde{h}hh}^{\mu,\nu,\alpha\beta,\kappa\lambda}(p_1, p_3, p_2, p_4) \times \tilde{\epsilon}_{\tilde{h},\mu}^-(p_1, q) \\
 &\quad \epsilon_{\tilde{h},\nu}^+(p_3, r) \epsilon_{h,\alpha\beta}^{--}(p_2, l) \epsilon_{h,\kappa\lambda}^{++}(p_4, j), \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{29}$$

[D. Chakraborty, J. Lorenzo Díaz Cruz, P. Ortega Ruíz and J. Reyes Pérez, [arXiv:2406.11001](https://arxiv.org/abs/2406.11001)]

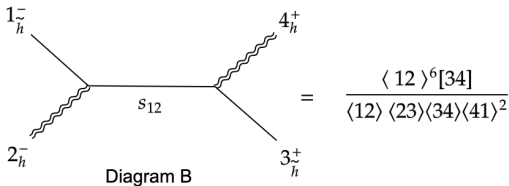


Diagram A



$$\begin{aligned}
 \tilde{\mathcal{M}}_A &= \tilde{\epsilon}_{\tilde{h},\kappa}^-(p_1, q) V_{\tilde{h}\tilde{h}\tilde{h}}^{\kappa,\alpha\beta,\mu}(p_1, p_4, p) \epsilon_{h,\alpha\beta}^{++}(p_4, j) \times \\
 &\quad P_{\tilde{h}\tilde{h},\mu\nu}(p) \times \epsilon_{\tilde{h},\tau}^+(p_3, r) V_{\tilde{h}\tilde{h}\tilde{h}}^{\tau,\rho\sigma,\nu}(p_3, p_2, p) \epsilon_{h,\rho\sigma}^{--}(p_2, l) \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{30}$$

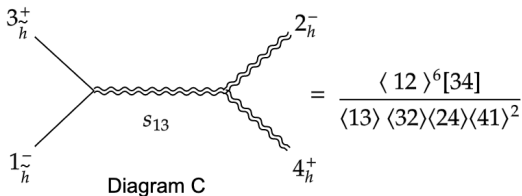
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Figure

$$\begin{aligned} \widetilde{\mathcal{M}}_B &= \widetilde{\epsilon}_{h,\kappa}^-(p_1, q) V_{\widetilde{h}\widetilde{h}\widetilde{h}}^{\kappa, \alpha\beta, \mu}(p_1, p_2, p) \epsilon_{h, \alpha\beta}^{--}(p_2, l) \times P_{\widetilde{h}\widetilde{h}, \mu\nu}(p) \\ &\quad \times \epsilon_{h, \tau}^+(p_3, r) V_{\widetilde{h}\widetilde{h}\widetilde{h}}^{\tau, \rho\sigma, \nu}(p_3, p_4, p) \epsilon_{h, \rho\sigma}^{++}(p_4, j) \end{aligned} \quad (31)$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \widetilde{\mathcal{M}}_C &= \widetilde{\epsilon}_{h,\kappa}^-(p_1, q) V_{hh\widetilde{h}}^{\kappa,\mu\theta,\tau}(p_1, p, p_3) \epsilon_{h,\tau}^+(p_3, r) \times P_{hh,\mu\theta,\nu\gamma}(p) \\ &\quad \times \epsilon_{h,\rho\sigma}^{--}(p_2, l) V_{hh\widetilde{h}}^{\rho\sigma,\nu\gamma,\alpha\beta}(p_2, p, p_4) \epsilon_{h,\alpha\beta}^{++}(p_4, j) \end{aligned} \quad (32)$$

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SUGRA Compton effect: A la Constructive approach and BCFW



In the case of Three point amplitudes, we have $p_1 + p_2 + p_3 = 0$.
This implies some constrictions

$$(p_1 + p_2)^2 = \langle 12 \rangle [12] = 0, \quad (33)$$

$$(p_2 + p_3)^2 = \langle 23 \rangle [23] = 0, \quad (34)$$

$$(p_3 + p_1)^2 = \langle 31 \rangle [31] = 0. \quad (35)$$

If $\langle 12 \rangle \neq 0$ Then $[12] = [23] = [31] = 0$, (**Holomorfico**).

If $[12] \neq 0$ Then $\langle 12 \rangle = \langle 23 \rangle = \langle 31 \rangle = 0$, (**anti-holomorfico**).

The variables $\langle 1|$ and $[1|$ are independent. [\[TASI Lectures on Scattering Amplitudes, C. Cheung, '17\]](#)



A general formula for three-particle amplitude of massless particles in four dimensions; when we have

$h = h_1 + h_2 + h_3 < 0$ then

$$\mathcal{M}(1^{h_1}2^{h_2}3^{h_3}) = c_{123}\langle 12\rangle^{h_3-h_1-h_2}\langle 23\rangle^{h_1-h_2-h_3}\langle 31\rangle^{h_2-h_3-h_1}, \quad (36)$$

in the case of $h = h_1 + h_2 + h_3 > 0$ then

$$\mathcal{M}(1^{h_1}2^{h_2}3^{h_3}) = \tilde{c}_{123}[12]^{h_1+h_2-h_3}[23]^{h_2+h_3-h_1}[31]^{h_3+h_1-h_2}, \quad (37)$$

theories using this general expression are known as

Constructive approach.

[TASI Lectures on Scattering Amplitudes, C. Cheung, '17]



Three point Interactions

Interactions	Input parameters				3-point amplitude $\mathcal{M}(1^{h_1}, 2^{h_2}, 3^{h_3})$
	h_1	h_2	h_3	H	
gluino-gluino-gluon ($\tilde{g}\tilde{g}g$)	$+\frac{1}{2}$	$+1$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$+1 > 0$	$\tilde{c}_{123} \frac{[12]^2}{[31]}$
	$-\frac{1}{2}$	-1	$+\frac{1}{2}$	$-1 < 0$	$c_{123} \frac{\langle 12 \rangle^2}{\langle 31 \rangle}$
graviton-graviton-graviton (hhh)	$+2$	$+2$	-2	$+2 > 0$	$\tilde{G}_{123} \frac{[12]^6}{[23]^2[31]^2}$
	-2	-2	$+2$	$-2 < 0$	$G_{123} \frac{\langle 12 \rangle^6}{\langle 23 \rangle^2 \langle 31 \rangle^2}$
gravitino-graviton-gravitino ($\tilde{h}h\tilde{h}$)	$+\frac{3}{2}$	$+2$	$-\frac{3}{2}$	$+2 > 0$	$\tilde{g}_{123} \frac{[12]^5}{[23][31]^2}$
	$-\frac{3}{2}$	-2	$+\frac{3}{2}$	$-2 < 0$	$g_{123} \frac{\langle 12 \rangle^5}{\langle 23 \rangle \langle 31 \rangle^2}$

Figure: three point amplitudes for different interactions.

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- BCFW allow us to compute higher point partial amplitudes from lower point ones in a recursive way.
- The BCFW transformations are

$$|\hat{i}\rangle = |i\rangle, \quad [\hat{i}| = [i| + z[j|, \quad (38)$$

$$|\hat{j}\rangle = |j\rangle, \quad [\hat{j}| = [j| - z[i|, \quad (39)$$

- When $z = 0$ then $\mathcal{M}_n = \hat{\mathcal{M}}_n(z = 0)$.
- According to Cauchy's Theorem

$$\mathcal{M}_n = - \sum_{z^*} \text{Res}_{z=z^*} \frac{\hat{\mathcal{M}}_n(z)}{z} + B_n, \quad (40)$$

Where B_n is the residue of the pole at $z = \infty$. In order to have $B_n = 0$, we prove the statement that

$$\hat{\mathcal{M}}_n(z) \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{for} \quad z \rightarrow \infty. \quad (41)$$

This is the known **Large z behavior**



Then BCFW transformations are

$$|\hat{1}\rangle = |1\rangle, \quad |\hat{1}| = |1| + z_{2,3}^*[3|, \quad (42)$$

$$|\hat{3}| = |3|, \quad |\hat{3}\rangle = |3\rangle - z_{2,3}^*[1|. \quad (43)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{M}}(1_{\tilde{h}}^{-\frac{3}{2}}, 4_h^{+2}, 3_{\tilde{h}}^{+\frac{3}{2}}, 2_h^{-2}) &= \tilde{\mathcal{M}}(1^{-\frac{3}{2}}, 4^{+2}, \hat{P}^{+\frac{3}{2}}) \frac{1}{s_{14}} \tilde{\mathcal{M}}(-\hat{P}^{-\frac{3}{2}}, 3^{+\frac{3}{2}}, 2^{-2}) \\ &= \frac{[\hat{P}4]^5}{[4\hat{1}][\hat{1}\hat{P}]^2} \frac{1}{\langle 14 \rangle [41]} \frac{\langle (-\hat{P})2 \rangle^5}{\langle 2\hat{3} \rangle \langle \hat{3}(-\hat{P}) \rangle^2} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

- The pole is

$$z_{2,3}^* = \frac{(p_2 + p_3)^2}{\langle 12 \rangle [23] + \langle 13 \rangle [33]} = \frac{\langle 23 \rangle [32]}{\langle 12 \rangle [23]} = -\frac{\langle 23 \rangle}{\langle 12 \rangle}. \quad (44)$$

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BCFW transformations are

$$|\hat{1}\rangle = |1\rangle, \quad |\hat{1}| = |1| + z_{3,4}^*[4|, \quad |\hat{4}| = |4|, \quad |\hat{4}\rangle = |4\rangle - z_{3,4}^*|1\rangle.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{M}}(1^{-\frac{3}{2}}, 2^{-2}, 3^{+\frac{3}{2}}, 4^{+2}) &= \tilde{\mathcal{M}}(1^{-\frac{3}{2}}, 2^{-2}, \hat{P}^{+\frac{3}{2}}) \frac{1}{s_{12}} \tilde{\mathcal{M}}(-\hat{P}^{-\frac{3}{2}}, 3^{+\frac{3}{2}}, 4^{+2}) \\ &= \frac{\langle \hat{1}2 \rangle^5}{\langle 2\hat{P} \rangle \langle \hat{P}1 \rangle^2} \frac{1}{\langle 34 \rangle [43]} \frac{[\hat{3}4]^5}{[\hat{4}(-\hat{P})][(-\hat{P})3]^2} \\ &= \frac{\langle 12 \rangle^6 [34]}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 41 \rangle^2}. \end{aligned}$$

the pole is

$$z_{3,4}^* = \frac{\langle 34 \rangle [43]}{\langle 13 \rangle [34]} = -\frac{\langle 34 \rangle}{\langle 13 \rangle}. \quad (45)$$

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$[i, j]\rangle$	$[\hat{1}, \hat{4}]\rangle$	$[\hat{1}, \hat{2}]\rangle$	$[\hat{3}, \hat{4}]\rangle$	$[\hat{3}, \hat{2}]\rangle$
$\widehat{\mathcal{M}}(z) \sim$	$\frac{1}{z}$	$\frac{1}{z}$	$\frac{1}{z^2}$	z^6

Figure: Large z behavior of BCFW Diagram B

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BCFW transformations are

$$|\hat{1}\rangle = |1\rangle, \quad |\hat{1}| = |1| + z_{2,4}^*[4|, \quad |\hat{4}| = |4|, \quad |\hat{4}\rangle = |4\rangle - z_{2,4}^*|1\rangle.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{M}}(1^{-\frac{3}{2}}, 3^{+\frac{3}{2}}, 2^{-2}, 4^{+2}) &= \frac{\langle \hat{1}\hat{P} \rangle^5}{\langle \hat{P}3 \rangle \langle 3\hat{1} \rangle^2} \frac{1}{s_{13}} \frac{[(-\hat{P})\hat{4}]^6}{[\hat{4}2]^2 [2(-\hat{P})]^2} \\ &+ \frac{[3\hat{P}]^5}{[\hat{P}\hat{1}][\hat{1}3]^2} \frac{1}{s_{13}} \frac{\langle (-\hat{P})2 \rangle^6}{\langle 2\hat{4} \rangle^2 \langle \hat{4}(-\hat{P}) \rangle^2} \\ &= \frac{\langle 12 \rangle^6 [34]}{\langle 13 \rangle \langle 32 \rangle \langle 24 \rangle \langle 41 \rangle^2}. \end{aligned} \quad (46)$$

The pole is

$$z_{2,4}^* = \frac{\langle 24 \rangle [42]}{\langle 12 \rangle [24]} = -\frac{\langle 24 \rangle}{\langle 12 \rangle}. \quad (47)$$

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$[i, j]\rangle$	$[\hat{1}, \hat{4}]\rangle$	$[\hat{1}, \hat{2}]\rangle$	$[\hat{3}, \hat{4}]\rangle$	$[\hat{3}, \hat{2}]\rangle$
$\widehat{\mathcal{M}}(z) \sim$	$\frac{1}{z}$	$\frac{1}{z^2}$	$\frac{1}{z^3}$	z^6

Figure: Large z behavior of BCFW Diagram C

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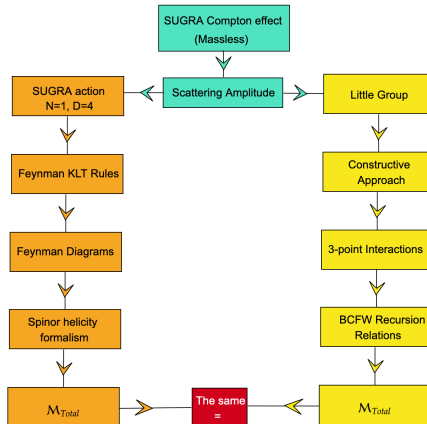


Figure: Feynman Rules vs BCFW



$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{M}_{Total} &= \tilde{g}_{123}g_{123}\tilde{\mathcal{M}}_B + g_{123}\tilde{G}_{123}\tilde{\mathcal{M}}_C \\ &= i\langle 12 \rangle [34] \times \left(g_{123}\tilde{G}_{123} \frac{\langle 12 \rangle^5}{\langle 13 \rangle \langle 32 \rangle \langle 24 \rangle \langle 41 \rangle^2} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \tilde{g}_{123}g_{123} \frac{\langle 12 \rangle^5}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 41 \rangle^2} \right)\end{aligned}\tag{48}$$

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- **Next step is considering a massive gravitino.**
- **We are exploring a Super-Higgs Mechanism in the contexts of spin-spinors formalism (massive) [In collaboration with Lorenzo Díaz Cruz and Ivan Pérez Castro (Cinvestav)]** **Work in progress**



We want to compute the next tree-level amplitudes [\[In collaboration with Manfred Kraus\]](#)

$$\begin{aligned} q\bar{q} &\rightarrow t\bar{t}H, \\ q\bar{q} &\rightarrow t\bar{t}Hg, \\ q\bar{q} &\rightarrow t\bar{t}Hgg \\ qq &\rightarrow t\bar{t}Hqq, \\ q\bar{q} &\rightarrow t\bar{t}HQ\bar{Q}, \end{aligned} \tag{49}$$

and the corresponding gluon amplitudes. These all are necessary for $t\bar{t}H$ at NNLO.

- Using ideas of BCFW recursion relations, (massive) spin-spinors formalism [\[arXiv:1709.04891\]](#), BCJ relation, etc.
- Lower order $\mathcal{M}(g, g, g)$, $\mathcal{M}(q, g, \bar{q})$, $\mathcal{M}(t, g, \bar{t})$, $\mathcal{M}(t, H, \bar{t})$.
- Some work is done in this direction [\[Top tree amplitudes for higher order calculations, arXiv:2309.03323\]](#)



- Supergravity Feynman rules derived via KLT are simpler than results derived from conventional analysis.
- The results obtained via KLT Feynman rules and Constructive approach with BCFW, coincide in the massless case.
- On-shell methods like spinor helicity, BCFM recursion relations, etc. are more powerful to compute scattering amplitudes of massless particles than the conventional methods of Feynman rules.

Thank you!