

On the On-Shell Renormalization of Fermion Masses, Fields and Mixing Matrices at 1-loop

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- Usually fermion masses and fields are renormalized as

$$m_i^0 \rightarrow m_i + \underbrace{\delta m_i}_{\text{diagonal ct}} \quad \psi_j^0 \rightarrow \underbrace{\tilde{Z}_{ji}}_{\text{non-diagonal}} \psi_i$$

- No-mixing conditions on external legs [1]

$$\frac{1}{\not{p}-m_j} \Sigma_{ji}(p^2) u_i = 0, \quad \bar{u}_j \Sigma_{ji}(p^2) \frac{1}{\not{p}-m_i} = 0, \quad i \neq j$$

$\implies \delta \tilde{Z}_{L,R}$ and $\delta \tilde{Z}_{L,R}^\dagger$ in terms of self-energies (no \dagger on Σ)!

- **Overspecification** of field renormalization constants [2]

$$\Sigma \neq \gamma^0 \Sigma^\dagger \gamma^0 \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \left(\tilde{Z}_{L,R} \right)^\dagger \neq \tilde{Z}_{L,R}^\dagger$$

- (pseudo-)Hermiticity violated by **absorptive parts**
- Different in/out LSZ factors \Longrightarrow add a set of constants \bar{Z}
 - $\mathcal{L} \neq \mathcal{L}^\dagger$, but OK for external legs
- OR relax the no-mixing conditions (e.g. \widetilde{Re})

- CKM counterterm in Denner and Sack [3]

$$\delta V \sim -\delta \tilde{Z}_L^{A,u} V + V \delta \tilde{Z}_L^{A,d}$$

- Correctly cancels UV in the Wud vertex ✓
- But $\partial_\xi \delta V \neq 0$ [4]
 - Various other approaches that deal with ξ ...[2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9]
- In Kniehl and Sirlin [10, 11, 12], relaxed no-mixing condition and $\partial_\xi \delta V = 0$, but
 - Self-energies only for the SM
 - No explicit field renormalization
 - External leg “formalism”; discussion rather removed from the Lagrangian

- Want a hermitian Lagrangian \implies **no-mixing** condition only for **incoming** particles

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{\not{p} - m_j} \Sigma_{ji}(p^2) u_i = 0, \quad i \neq j}$$

- Outgoing particles *still mix*, but only due to absorptive parts!
- Want to separate $\xi \implies$ **off-diagonal mass counterterms**
 - Also, no *need* for the mass counterterms to be diagonal

$$\boxed{\delta m_i \rightarrow \delta m_{ji}}$$

- Want *universal* mass, field, and mixing matrix ct's in terms of self-energies \implies ...?

- Renormalization

$$\bar{\psi} (m + \delta m^L P_L + \delta m^R P_R) \psi \xrightarrow{\text{Hermiticity}} (\delta m^L)^\dagger = \delta m^R$$

$$\psi_{L,R}^0 \rightarrow Z_{L,R}^{1/2} \psi_{L,R}, \quad \bar{\psi}_{L,R}^0 \rightarrow \bar{\psi}_{L,R} Z_{R,L}^{1/2\dagger}$$

- Self-energy decomposition

$$\begin{aligned} \Sigma_{ji}(p^2) &= \Sigma_{ji}^L(p^2) \not{p} P_L + \Sigma_{ji}^R(p^2) \not{p} P_R + \Sigma_{ji}^{sL}(p^2) P_L + \Sigma_{ji}^{sR}(p^2) P_R \\ &\quad + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \left(\delta Z_{Lji}^\dagger + \delta Z_{Lji} \right) \not{p} P_L + \frac{1}{2} \left(\delta Z_{Rji}^\dagger + \delta Z_{Rji} \right) \not{p} P_R}_{\text{standard piece}} \\ &\quad - \left(\boxed{\delta m_{ji}^L} + \frac{1}{2} \delta Z_{Rji}^\dagger m_i + \frac{1}{2} m_j \delta Z_{Lji} \right) P_L \\ &\quad - \left(\boxed{\delta m_{ji}^R} + \frac{1}{2} \delta Z_{Lji}^\dagger m_i + \frac{1}{2} m_j \delta Z_{Rji} \right) P_R \end{aligned}$$

Setup III

(Hereinafter $i \neq j$!)

No-mixing \implies *relation* between field and mass renormalization

$$(m_i^2 - m_j^2) \delta Z_{Lji} \underbrace{-2m_j \delta m_{ji}^L - 2m_i \delta m_{ji}^R}_{\text{new contributions}} = -2 \left(m_i^2 \Sigma_{ji}^L(m_i^2) + m_i m_j \Sigma_{ji}^R(m_i^2) \right. \\ \left. + m_j \Sigma_{ji}^{sL}(m_i^2) + m_i \Sigma_{ji}^{sR}(m_i^2) \right) \\ \underbrace{\hspace{15em}}_{\text{standard piece}}$$

$$(m_i^2 - m_j^2) \delta Z_{Rji} \underbrace{-2m_j \delta m_{ji}^R - 2m_i \delta m_{ji}^L}_{\text{new contributions}} = -2 \left(m_i^2 \Sigma_{ji}^R(m_i^2) + m_i m_j \Sigma_{ji}^L(m_i^2) \right. \\ \left. + m_j \Sigma_{ji}^{sR}(m_i^2) + m_i \Sigma_{ji}^{sL}(m_i^2) \right) \\ \underbrace{\hspace{15em}}_{\text{standard piece}}$$

- $(\delta m^L)^\dagger = \delta m^R \implies$ relation to the **anti-hermitian part** of field renormalization

$$\boxed{m_i^2 - m_j^2} \delta Z_{Lji}^A - 2m_j \delta m_{ji}^L - 2m_i \delta m_{ji}^R = - (m_i^2 \Sigma_{ji}^L(m_i^2) + m_i m_j \Sigma_{ji}^R(m_i^2) + m_j \Sigma_{ji}^{sL}(m_i^2) + m_i \Sigma_{ji}^{sR}(m_i^2)) + \boxed{H.C.}$$

- Analogous equation for δZ_{Rji}^A
- 2 equations and 3 unknowns $\implies \mathbf{3 > 2!}$
- Very *distinct mass structure* in front of field renormalization

Let us explore the properties of $\boxed{m_i^2 - m_j^2}$ terms

Exploration: Gauge-dependence

From Nielsen Identities [13, 14, 15]

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_\xi \Sigma_{ji}(p^2) &= \Lambda_{jj'} \Sigma_{j'i}(p^2) + \Sigma_{ji'}(p^2) \bar{\Lambda}_{i'i} \\ \xrightarrow{1\text{-loop}} \partial_\xi \Sigma_{ji}(p^2) &= \Lambda_{ji} (\not{p} - m_i) + (\not{p} - m_j) \bar{\Lambda}_{ji}\end{aligned}$$

- Λ' s have Dirac structure and contain all ξ -dependence at 1-loop

$$\begin{aligned}\boxed{(m_i^2 - m_j^2)} \partial_\xi \delta Z_{Lji}^A - 2m_j \partial_\xi \delta m_{ji}^L - 2m_i \partial_\xi \delta m_{ji}^R = \\ - \boxed{(m_i^2 - m_j^2)} (m_i \bar{\Lambda}_{ji}^R(m_i^2) + \bar{\Lambda}_{ji}^{sL}(m_i^2)) + H.C.\end{aligned}$$

$\implies \boxed{m_i^2 - m_j^2}$ mass structure carried by ξ -dependent terms!

Exploration: UV divergences I

- At 1-loop contributions to self-energies in terms of PV functions [16]
- For boson contributions we have

$$\Sigma^{L,R}(p^2) = f_{L,R} B_1(p^2, m_{\psi\text{loop}}^2, m_{\text{bos.}}^2) \xrightarrow{\text{UV}} \frac{1}{D-4}$$

$$\Sigma^{sL,(sR)}(p^2) = m_{\psi\text{loop}} f_s^{(\dagger)} B_0(p^2, m_{\psi\text{loop}}^2, m_{\text{bos.}}^2) \xrightarrow{\text{UV}} -\frac{2}{D-4}$$

- For fermion tadpoles we have

$$\Sigma^{sL,(sR)}(p^2) = f_T^{(\dagger)} m_{\psi\text{loop}} A_0(m_{\psi\text{loop}}^2) \xrightarrow{\text{UV}} -\frac{2m_{\psi\text{loop}}^2}{D-4}$$

- f 's are appropriate couplings and $f_{L,R}^\dagger = f_{L,R}$
- D is the spacetime dimension ($4 - \epsilon$ or $4 - 2\epsilon$)

- We have

$$\begin{aligned} [(m_i^2 - m_j^2) \delta Z_{Lji}^A - 2m_j \delta m_{ji}^L - 2m_i \delta m_{ji}^R]_{\text{div.}} = & \frac{1}{D-4} \left(-f_L \boxed{(m_i^2 + m_j^2)} - f_R \boxed{2m_i m_j} \right. \\ & + 4m_{\psi\text{loop}} f_s \boxed{m_j} + 4m_{\psi\text{loop}} f_s^\dagger \boxed{m_i} \\ & \left. + 4m_{\psi\text{loop}}^3 f_T \boxed{m_j} + 4m_{\psi\text{loop}}^3 f_T^\dagger \boxed{m_i} \right) \end{aligned}$$

- No UV divergences with $m_i^2 - m_j^2$!
- Only $(m_i^2 + m_j^2)$, $2m_i m_j$, m_i and m_j on the r.h.s and no $m_i^2 - m_j^2$ mass structure
 - Rewriting mass ct's on l.h.s.:

$$\implies -2 \boxed{m_j} \delta m_{ji}^L - 2 \boxed{m_i} \delta m_{ji}^R - 2 \boxed{(m_i^2 + m_j^2)} \delta m_{ji}^- - 2 \cdot \boxed{2m_i m_j} \delta m_{ji}^+$$

\implies UV structure mimics mass counterterms!

- **Gauge dependence** always comes with $m_i^2 - m_j^2$ factors
 - Gauge-*independent* terms may also have this structure
 - All the other mass structures are gauge-independent
- **No UV** divergences with $m_i^2 - m_j^2$ factors
- UV divergences comes with $m_i^2 + m_j^2$, $2m_i m_j$, m_j , and m_i mass structures
- $m_i^2 - m_j^2$ accompanies field ct's
- $m_i^2 + m_j^2$, $2m_i m_j$, m_j , and m_i accompanies mass ct's

Definitions: Field renormalization

Define the anti-hermitian part of field renormalization as the coefficient of $m_i^2 - m_j^2$ ($i \neq j$)

$$\delta Z_{Lji}^A = - \left[m_i^2 \Sigma_{ji}^L(m_i^2) + m_i m_j \Sigma_{ji}^R(m_i^2) + m_j \Sigma_{ji}^{sL}(m_i^2) + m_i \Sigma_{ji}^{sR}(m_i^2) + H.C. \right]_{(m_i^2 - m_j^2)}$$

$$\delta Z_{Rji}^A = - \left[m_i^2 \Sigma_{ji}^R(m_i^2) + m_i m_j \Sigma_{ji}^L(m_i^2) + m_j \Sigma_{ji}^{sR}(m_i^2) + m_i \Sigma_{ji}^{sL}(m_i^2) + H.C. \right]_{(m_i^2 - m_j^2)}$$

- Only **finite** logarithmic terms
- Contains all possible **gauge dependence**
- **Universal** definition in terms of self-energies and restrictions
- The hermitian part is unchanged w.r.t. the usual approach

Definitions: Mass renormalization

Now SOLVE for $\delta m^{L,R}$!

$$\delta m_{ji}^L = \frac{1}{2} \left(m_i \Sigma_{ji}^R(m_i^2) + \Sigma_{ji}^{sL}(m_i^2) + m_j \Sigma_{ji}^{L\dagger}(m_j^2) + \Sigma_{ji}^{sR\dagger}(m_j^2) \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left(m_i \delta Z_{Rji}^A - m_j \delta Z_{Lji}^A \right)$$
$$\delta m_{ji}^R = \frac{1}{2} \left(m_i \Sigma_{ji}^L(m_i^2) + \Sigma_{ji}^{sR}(m_i^2) + m_j \Sigma_{ji}^{R\dagger}(m_j^2) + \Sigma_{ji}^{sL\dagger}(m_j^2) \right) + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \left(m_i \delta Z_{Lji}^A - m_j \delta Z_{Rji}^A \right)}_{\text{cancels gauge-dependence}}$$

- **Gauge dependence canceled** by field renormalization
- Hermiticity relation $(\delta m^L)^\dagger = \delta m^R$ holds by construction
- **Universal** expression in terms of self-energies
- No $\widetilde{\text{Re}}$ or Re
 - *Exceptions* for Majorana particles
- Can **extend the real part to the diagonal**, then $\text{Re}(\delta m_{ii}^L) = \text{Re}(\delta m_{ii}^R)$ and also matches the results in [2]

The *Need* to Renormalize CKM? I

	Usual approach(es)	Proposed scheme
On-shell propagator	Overspecified δZ or non-diag.	"diag." in or out
Field ct; hermitian part	ξ, ϵ_{UV}	ξ, ϵ_{UV}
diagonal mass ct	ϵ_{UV}	ϵ_{UV}
off -diagonal mass ct	\times	ϵ_{UV}
Field ct; anti -hermitian part	ξ, ϵ_{UV}	ξ, ϵ_{UV}
Wud vertex	ϵ_{UV}	ϵ_{UV}
CKM ct	$\delta V \sim -\delta \tilde{Z}_L^{A,u} V + V \delta \tilde{Z}_L^{A,d}$ $-\epsilon_{UV}$ and sometimes ξ	$\delta V = 0$ ξ, ϵ_{UV}

- UV divergences stay in the mass term and do *not migrate* to other terms
- Usual CKM ct only needed to **cancel the migration!**
 - That initially included ξ -dependent terms...

Is it consistent to **not** renormalize mixing matrices?

- Mixing matrices are due to diagonalization of mass terms
- Scenario 1:
 - Diagonalize the mass matrix
 - Renormalize the theory — $V^0 \rightarrow V + \delta V$
 - Rotate back (undiagonalize) — $V + \delta V \rightarrow \cancel{V} + \delta V'$
 - Counterterm, but no associated parameter ✗

- Scenario 2:
 - Stay in the non-diagonal basis, such that there ~~V^0~~
 - Renormalize the theory — ~~V^0~~ means ~~δV~~
 - Rotate to a diagonal basis — $V + \delta V$
 - Parameter, but no associated counterterm \times

- Mixing matrices are *basis artefacts*
- There is **no need to renormalize** them
- Our scheme gives an explicit example of such non-renormalization!

We defined a new fermion renormalization scheme that

- ✓ Is *universal*
- ✓ Relies on (incoming) no-mixing conditions and *mass structures*
- ✓ Does *not rely on dropping the absorptive parts*
- ✓ Has *gauge-independent* mass counterterms
- ✓ Has *finite* anti-hermitian part of field counterterms
- ✓ Avoids *migrating* UV divergences and keeps the Lagrangian Hermitian

Also

- ✓ There is no need to renormalize mixing matrices!

Not in the presentation...

- Massless particles and radiative masses, explicit computations in the Grimus-Neufeld model...

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BACKUP

Lightning Fast Intro to the Grimus-Neufeld Model

The Grimus-Neufeld model [17, 18, 19, 20] is the SM extended with

- Heavy Singlet Majorana neutrino \implies seesaw mechanism

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0_{3 \times 3} & M_D \\ M_D^T & M_R \end{pmatrix} \implies \text{diag}(0, 0, m_3, m_4)$$

- Second Higgs doublet \implies radiative mass
 - General CP conserving THDM potential + Higgs basis
 - Additional physical Higgs particles: H, A, H^\pm
 - Yukawa couplings to the second doublet $G_{u,d,l}$ and G_ν
 - For neutrinos $(Y_\nu)_i \bar{N} \cdot (L_i \tilde{H}_1) + (G_\nu)_i \bar{N} \cdot (L_i \tilde{H}_2)$

Main features:

- 2 massless neutrinos at tree-level
- 1 heavy and 1 light neutrino at tree-level
- Radiative mass for 1 massless tree-level neutrino at 1-loop

- The *bare* Majorana condition $\nu = \nu^c$ at 1-loop implies

$$\nu = \nu_L + \nu_L^c \implies Z_L \nu_L + Z_R \nu_L^c \implies \delta Z_L = \delta Z_R^*$$

- *But this does not hold due to absorptive parts*

$$\boxed{\delta Z_L \neq \delta Z_R^*}$$

- The same problem of overspecification
- The *Majorana condition* is not compatible with no-mixing already at 1-loop

How to use the mass structures if particles are massless?

- Say we have 4 particles, two of which are massless at tree level, i.e.
 $m = \text{diag}(0, 0, m_3, m_4)$
- Then at 1-loop

$$m_{ji} + \delta m_{ji} \sim \left(\begin{array}{c|c} ? & ? \\ \hline ? & h, \delta Z, \delta m, m_{j,i} \neq 0 \\ & \checkmark \text{ out of the box } \checkmark \end{array} \right)$$

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Massless Particles and Radiative Masses III

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- No 1-loop $\implies \Sigma^{sL,sR}(0)$ diagonalized with leftover freedom from the tree-level
 \implies *Radiative mass!* [17]