

Bosonization.

~~Let me remind you what is the standard~~ What is bosonization and what is the logic behind it?

Bosonization is a reformulation of one theory (a fermionic one) in terms of another to make the solution easier.

Such reformulation may not necessarily ~~be~~ immediately lead to a solution, it may refer us to a model which solution can be obtained by other means (Bethe ansatz etc.).

The standard (Abelian) bosonisation establishes a correspondence between theories of spinless relativistic $(1+1)$ -d fermions and a scalar bosonic field:

Hamiltonian
formulation

Operators

Commutators

Lagrangian formulation

Path integral.

Time derivatives

$$H_F = \int dx \left[-i R^\dagger \partial_x R + i L^\dagger \partial_x L \right]$$

$$= \sum_{|k| < \Lambda} k (R_k^\dagger R_k - L_k^\dagger L_k)$$

$$H_B = \int dx \left[\frac{1}{2} \hat{\pi}^2 + \frac{1}{2} (\partial_x \phi)^2 \right]$$

$$[\hat{\pi}(x), \hat{\phi}(y)] = -i \delta(x-y)$$

Dual field $\partial_x \hat{\theta} = \hat{\pi}$

$$H_B = \frac{1}{2} \int dx \left[(\partial_x \hat{\theta})^2 + (\partial_x \hat{\phi})^2 \right]$$

Lagrangian formulation (Euclidean)

$$L_F = \int dx \left[R^\dagger (\partial_\tau - i \partial_x) R + L^\dagger (\partial_\tau + i \partial_x) L \right]$$

$$L_B = \frac{1}{2} \int \left[(\partial_\tau \phi)^2 + (\partial_x \phi)^2 \right] dx \rightsquigarrow$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int \left[(\partial_x \theta)^2 + (\partial_x \phi)^2 + 2i \partial_\tau \theta \partial_x \phi \right] dx$$

This form is convenient when one has to use ϕ and θ simultaneously

Theorem.

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- Every 1. The Hilbert spaces of bosonic and fermionic theories are isomorphic.
2. Every local fermionic operator can be constructed bosonic ones

Operator dictionary

$$\frac{1}{2\pi a} e^{i\sqrt{4\pi}\phi} = i R^\dagger L$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \partial_x \phi = :R^\dagger R + L^\dagger L:$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \hat{T} = R^\dagger R - L^\dagger L$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi a}} \exp \left\{ i\sqrt{\pi} \left[\int_{-\infty}^x \hat{T}(y) dy + \phi(x) \right] \right\} = R$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi a}} \exp \left\{ +i\sqrt{\pi} \left[\int_{-\infty}^x \hat{T}(y) dy - \phi(x) \right] \right\} = L$$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi a} e^{i\sqrt{4\pi}\theta} = i R R$$

What can we do with it?

Examples:

$$-iR^\dagger \partial_x R + iL^\dagger \partial_x L + g R^\dagger R L^\dagger L$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$\frac{1}{2} (1 + g/\pi) (\partial_x \phi)^2$$

$$\phi \rightarrow \beta \phi, \quad \beta^2 = \frac{1}{1 + g/\pi}$$

$$O_{\text{cos}} = iR^\dagger L \sim e^{i\sqrt{4\pi}\phi} \rightarrow e^{i\sqrt{4\pi}\beta\phi}$$

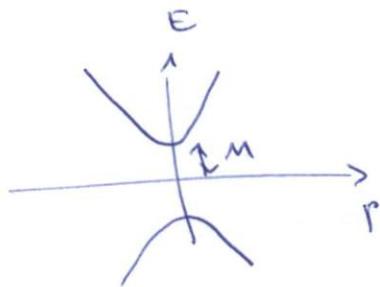
$$\langle e^{i\gamma\phi(0,x)} e^{-i\gamma\phi(0,0)} \rangle = \left(\frac{d_0^2}{\tau^2 + x^2} \right)^d$$

$$d = \gamma^2/4\pi = \beta^2 = \frac{1}{1 + g/\pi}$$

The reverse process: fermionization

$$\frac{1}{2} (\partial_x \phi)^2 - \frac{M}{\pi a} \cos \sqrt{4\pi} \phi$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$iM(R^\dagger L - L^\dagger R)$$



Massive
Dirac
fermions

Two coupled SC wires

$$\frac{1}{2}(\partial_r \phi)^2 - \frac{M_1}{\pi a} \cos \sqrt{4\pi} \phi - \frac{M_2}{\pi a} \cos \sqrt{4\pi} \theta$$

$$- iM_1(R^\dagger L - L^\dagger R) - iM_2(LR - R^\dagger L^\dagger)$$

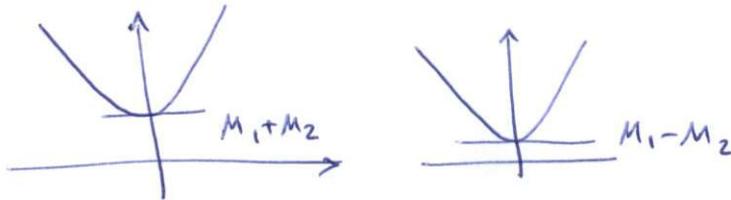
$$R = (\chi_R + i\eta_R)/\sqrt{2}, \quad R^\dagger = (\chi_R - i\eta_R)/\sqrt{2}$$

$$L = \dots$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \chi_R (\partial_\tau + i\partial_x) \chi_R + \frac{1}{2} \chi_L (\partial_\tau - i\partial_x) \chi_L$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \eta_R (\partial_\tau + i\partial_x) \eta_R + \frac{1}{2} \eta_L (\partial_\tau - i\partial_x) \eta_L$$

$$+ i(M_1 + M_2) \chi_R \chi_L + i(M_1 - M_2) \eta_R \eta_L$$



~~What~~ Transverse field
Ising model.

$$M_1 > M_2 \quad \langle e^{\pm i\sqrt{\pi}\phi} \rangle \neq 0$$

$$M_1 < M_2 \quad \langle e^{\pm i\sqrt{\pi}\theta} \rangle \neq 0$$

Ising model.

$$\therefore \cos \sqrt{\pi} \phi : = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{(m a_0)^{1/4}} \mu_1 \beta_2$$

$$: \sin \sqrt{\pi} \phi : \quad \beta_1 \beta_2$$

Itzykson &
Zuber (1977)

$$: m \sqrt{\pi} \theta : \quad \beta_1 \mu_2$$

$$: \sin \sqrt{\pi} \theta : \quad \mu_1 \beta_2$$

$$m = J - 2h$$

$$- \sum (J \beta_n^x \beta_{n+1}^x + h \beta_n^z)$$

$$\mu_{n+1/2}^x = \prod_j^n \beta_j^z$$

$$\mu_{n+1/2}^z = \beta_n^x \beta_{n+1}^x$$

$$- \sum (h \mu_{n-1/2}^x \mu_{n+1/2}^x + J \mu_{n+1/2}^z)$$

The Gaussian model belongs to the class of $(1+1)$ -d critical theories. They all have common features related to conformal invariance.

Linear excitation spectrum

Right and left-moving degrees of freedom are separated:

Correlation functions are sums of products of analytic functions of

$$z = \tau + ix, \quad \bar{z} = \tau - ix.$$

$$\langle \mathcal{O}_1(z_1) \dots \mathcal{O}_N(z_N) \rangle = \sum C_{ij} \mathcal{F}^{(i)}(z_1, \dots, z_N) \mathcal{F}^{(j)}(\bar{z}_1, \dots, \bar{z}_N)$$

Two-point functions on ∞ plane are power law

$$\langle \mathcal{O}_\Delta(z) \mathcal{O}_\Delta^\dagger(\bar{z}) \rangle = \frac{1}{z_{12}^{2\Delta} \bar{z}_{12}^{2\bar{\Delta}}}$$

Operators are characterized by conformal dimensions $(\Delta, \bar{\Delta})$

Only $\neq 0$ with the same $(\Delta, \bar{\Delta})$ have 2-point funct.

Locality: $\Delta - \bar{\Delta} =$ integer bosons
 $\frac{1}{2}$ integer (fermions)

$$A_{\Delta}(z) = A_{\Delta}[z(z)] \left(\frac{dz}{dz}\right)^{\Delta}$$

There are fields, called primary one, which are transformed as

In the Gaussian theory these are $e^{i\beta\phi}$
 $\Delta = \beta^2/8\pi$

$$\langle\langle A_{\Delta}(z, \bar{z}) A^{\dagger} \rangle\rangle = \left[\frac{\pi/L}{\sinh \frac{\pi}{L}(\tau + i\sigma)} \right]^{2\Delta} \times \left[\frac{\pi/L}{\sinh \frac{\pi}{L}(\tau - i\sigma)} \right]^{2\bar{\Delta}}$$