

## Quantum Mechanics III, set 7.

**Ex. 1.** Exercise to calculate normal ordering of the creation and annihilation operators. For the bosonic case with a single mode we have operators  $a$ ,  $a^\dagger$ ,  $[a, a^\dagger] = 1$ . Show that

a)

$$e^{\lambda a^\dagger a} =: e^{(\epsilon^\lambda - 1)a^\dagger a} :$$

b)

$$e^{\lambda(a+a^\dagger)} = e^{\lambda^2/2} : e^{\lambda(a+a^\dagger)} :$$

**Ex. 2.**

a) Show that for the charged K-G field the Hamiltonian has a form

$$H = \int (dp) E_p (A^\dagger(\vec{p})A(\vec{p}) + B^\dagger(\vec{p})B(\vec{p})), \quad (dp) \equiv \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi\hbar)^3 2E_p}.$$

Find a form of the operators  $\Phi_H(x)$  and  $\Phi_H^\dagger(x)$  for the charged Klein-Gordon field in Heisenberg picture.

a) Show that for the neutral K-G field the Hamiltonian has a form

$$H = \int (dp) E_p (a^\dagger(\vec{p})a(\vec{p})).$$

Find a form of the operator  $\Psi_H(x)$  for the neutral Klein-Gordon field in Heisenberg picture.

**Ex. 3.** Calculate the wave functions of the one-particle “particle” and “anti-particle” states of the charged K-G field:

$$\phi_{\vec{p}}^p(x) = \langle 0 | \Phi_H(x) A^\dagger(\vec{p}) | 0 \rangle, \quad \phi_{\vec{p}}^a(x) = \langle 0 | \Phi_H^\dagger(x) B^\dagger(\vec{p}) | 0 \rangle.$$

Show that they satisfy the K-G equation.

Calculate the wave function of the one-particle state of the neutral K-G field:

$$\psi_{\vec{p}}^p(x) = \langle 0 | \Psi_H(x) a^\dagger(\vec{p}) | 0 \rangle.$$

**Ex. 4.** For a charged (complex) K-G field find a form of the operator coresponding to the “conserved” density of charge

$$Q_{KG} =: i\hbar \int d^3x \left( \phi_H^\dagger(\vec{x}, t) (\partial_t \phi_H(\vec{x}, t)) - (\partial_t \phi_H^\dagger(\vec{x}, t)) \phi_H(\vec{x}, t) \right) :$$

Check the role played by the normal ordering in this expression.

Show that  $Q_{KG}$  commutes with the Hamiltonian.

**Ex. 5.** Interacting K-G field. Determine the classical Euler-Lagrange equations for the complex field described by Lagrangian densities:

a)

$$\mathcal{L} = \hbar^2 c^2 g^{\mu\nu} (\partial_\mu \Phi(x)^*) (\partial_\nu \Phi(x)) - m^2 c^4 \Phi^* \Phi - j(x) \Phi^* - j^*(x) \Phi.$$

Here  $j(x)$  and  $j^*(x)$  are external functions.

b)

$$\mathcal{L} = \hbar^2 c^2 g^{\mu\nu} (\partial_\mu \Phi(x)^*) (\partial_\nu \Phi(x)) - m^2 c^4 \Phi^* \Phi - \Phi^* W(x) \Phi.$$

Here  $W(x)$  is an external function.

**Ex. 6.** Complex K-G field. Calculate

$$T(\Phi(x)\Phi(y)) - : \Phi(x)\Phi(y) : \quad T(\Phi(x)\Phi^\dagger(y)) - : \Phi(x)\Phi^\dagger(y) :$$

Real K-G field. Calculate

$$T(\phi(x)\phi(y)) - : \phi(x)\phi(y) :$$

$T$  means a time-ordered product.