

V. Lorentzkovarianz, klassische Feldtheorie und Prinzip der kleinsten Wirkung

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1) Lorentzkovarianz

Kontravariante und kovariante Vektoren

$$V^\mu \rightarrow L^\mu{}_\nu V^\nu \quad \text{kontravarianter Vektor}$$

$$(V_\mu) \equiv (\eta_{\mu\nu} V^\nu) = \begin{pmatrix} V^0 \\ -\vec{V} \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{kovarianter Vektor}$$

$$V_\mu \rightarrow V^\nu L^\lambda{}_\nu \eta_{\lambda\mu} = V_\sigma \eta^{\sigma\nu} L^\lambda{}_\nu \eta_{\lambda\mu} = V_\sigma (\eta L^\top \eta)^\sigma{}_\mu$$

$$(\eta^{\sigma\nu}) \equiv (\eta_{\sigma\nu}), \text{ jedoch Indexstellung!}$$

$$V_\mu \rightarrow V_\sigma (L^{-1})^\sigma{}_\mu$$

Konsistenz:

$$\begin{aligned} V \cdot W \text{ invariant: } V \cdot W &= V^\mu \eta_{\mu\nu} W^\nu = \\ &= V_\nu W^\nu \rightarrow V_\sigma (L^{-1})^\sigma{}_\nu L^\nu{}_\lambda W^\lambda = V_\sigma \delta^\sigma{}_\lambda W^\lambda = \\ &= V_\lambda W^\lambda = V \cdot W \end{aligned}$$

Sei $\phi(x)$ skalares Feld

$$\partial_\mu \equiv \frac{\partial}{\partial x^\mu} \Rightarrow (\partial_\mu \phi)(x) \text{ transformiert sich wie kovariantes Vektorfeld}$$

Beweis: $(\partial_\mu \phi)(x) \rightarrow \partial'_\mu (\phi(L^{-1}x')) =$

$L^{-1}x' \equiv y = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y^\nu} (L^{-1})^\nu_\mu = (\partial_\nu \phi)(L^{-1}x') (L^{-1})^\nu_\mu$

2) Lorentzinvariante Feldgleichungen □

a) Klein-Gordon-Gleichung

$(\square + m^2) \phi(x) = 0$ Gl. für skalares Feld

d'Alembert-Operator $\square = \eta^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \partial_\nu = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^0}\right)^2 - \Delta$

Lorentzinvarianz: $\phi(x)$ Lsg. $\Rightarrow \phi(L^{-1}x)$ Lsg.

Beweis: $(\eta^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \partial_\nu + m^2) \phi(L^{-1}x) =$

$= (\eta^{\mu\nu} \frac{\partial y^\lambda}{\partial x^\mu} \frac{\partial y^\sigma}{\partial x^\nu} \frac{\partial}{\partial y^\lambda} \frac{\partial}{\partial y^\sigma} + m^2) \phi(y) =$

~~$(\eta^{\mu\nu} (L^{-1})^\lambda_\mu (L^{-1})^\sigma_\nu \frac{\partial}{\partial y^\lambda} \frac{\partial}{\partial y^\sigma} + m^2) \phi(y) = 0$~~

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$L^{-1} \eta (L^{-1})^T = \eta$

$= (\eta^{\lambda\sigma} \frac{\partial}{\partial y^\lambda} \frac{\partial}{\partial y^\sigma} + m^2) \phi(y) = 0$

Ebene Wellen: $(\square + m^2) e^{\pm i k \cdot x} = 0$

\Rightarrow Bed. für Lsg. ist $k^2 = m^2 \rightarrow$ Teilchen mit Masse m

$$E = \pm \sqrt{m^2 + \vec{k}^2}$$

KG-Gl. beschreibt freie Mesonen mit Spin 0.

b) Proca-Gleichung

$V^\mu(x)$ Vektorfeld \rightarrow freie Vektorbosonen mit Masse $m \neq 0$

$$(\square + m^2) V^\mu - \partial^\mu \partial_\nu V^\nu = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\square + m^2) \partial_\mu V^\mu - \square \partial_\nu V^\nu = m^2 \partial_\mu V^\mu = 0 \Rightarrow \partial_\mu V^\mu = 0$$

Ebene Wellen: $\epsilon^\mu e^{\pm i k \cdot x} \Rightarrow \epsilon \cdot k = 0$

Ruhesystem: $k = \begin{pmatrix} m \\ \vec{0} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \epsilon = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vec{\epsilon} \end{pmatrix}$

Normierung $\epsilon^2 = -1$

Einsetzen von $\epsilon^\mu e^{\pm i k \cdot x}$ in Proca-Gl. $\Rightarrow k^2 = m^2$

Zu jedem k gibt es drei Polarisationen:

$$\epsilon_{1,2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vec{\epsilon}_{1,2} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \vec{\epsilon}_{1,2} \cdot \vec{k} = 0$$

$$\epsilon_3 = \frac{1}{m} \begin{pmatrix} |\vec{k}| \\ \vec{\epsilon} \\ \frac{\vec{k}}{|\vec{k}|} \end{pmatrix} \quad \epsilon_i \cdot \epsilon_j = -\delta_{ij}, \quad \epsilon_i \cdot k = 0$$

Lorentzinvarianz: $V^M(x) \text{ Lsg.} \Rightarrow L^M_\nu V^\nu(L^{-1}x) \text{ Lsg.}$ (V.4)

c) Maxwell-Gleichungen

Heaviside-Lorentz-System

$$\alpha = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\hbar c}$$

(Henrik Anton Lorentz)

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = \rho$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B} = 0$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} + \frac{1}{c} \dot{\vec{B}} = 0$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{c} \vec{j}$$

\vec{E} elektrisches Feld, \vec{B} magn. Feld

ρ Ladungsdichte, \vec{j} Stromdichte

$$\dot{\rho} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{j} = 0$$

Kontinuitätsgl. (folgt aus MG!)

Potentiale und Eichinvarianz: Lsg. der hom. MG

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B} = 0 \Rightarrow \exists \vec{A}: \vec{B} = \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{\nabla} \times (\vec{E} + \frac{1}{c} \dot{\vec{A}}) = 0 \Rightarrow \exists \phi: \vec{E} + \frac{1}{c} \dot{\vec{A}} = -\vec{\nabla} \phi$$

$$\vec{B} = \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A}, \quad \vec{E} = -\vec{\nabla} \phi - \frac{1}{c} \dot{\vec{A}}$$

Phys. Felder sind \vec{E}, \vec{B}

Eichtrafo $\vec{A}' = \vec{A} + \vec{\nabla} \lambda, \quad \phi' = \phi - \frac{1}{c} \dot{\lambda} \Rightarrow \vec{E}, \vec{B}$

unverändert

Beliebige Funktion $\lambda \rightarrow$ Eichfreiheit

Z.B. kann λ gewählt werden, dass $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A}' + \frac{1}{c} \dot{\phi}' = 0$
Lorenz-Eichung (Ludvig Lorenz)

Lorentz-kovariante Formulierung der MG:

Inhom. MG:

Def. $(F^{\mu\nu}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -E_x & -E_y & -E_z \\ E_x & 0 & -B_z & B_y \\ E_y & B_z & 0 & -B_x \\ E_z & -B_y & B_x & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ $(A^\mu) = \begin{pmatrix} \Phi \\ \vec{A} \end{pmatrix}$

$F^{\mu\nu} = -F^{\nu\mu} = \partial^\mu A^\nu - \partial^\nu A^\mu$

$F^{ij} = -\epsilon_{ijk} B_k \quad i,j=1,2,3$

$\partial_\mu F^{\mu 0} = \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E}$

$\partial_\mu F^{\mu j} = \partial_0 F^{0j} - \epsilon_{ijk} \nabla_i B_k = -\frac{1}{c} \dot{E}_j + (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B})_j$

$\Rightarrow \partial_\mu F^{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{c} j^\nu$ inhomogene MG

$j^0 = c\rho$

Homogene MG:

$\tilde{F}_{\mu\nu} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} F^{\rho\sigma}$

$\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}$ total antisymm.,
 $\epsilon_{0123} = 1$

$(\tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & B_x & B_y & B_z \\ -B_x & 0 & -E_z & E_y \\ -B_y & E_z & 0 & -E_x \\ -B_z & -E_y & E_x & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$\tilde{F}^{ij} = -\frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{ijok} E_k \cdot 2 = -\epsilon_{0ijk} E_k = -\epsilon_{ijk} E_k$

$$\partial_\mu \tilde{F}^{\mu 0} = -\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B} = 0$$

$$\partial_\mu \tilde{F}^{\mu j} = \partial_0 \tilde{F}^{0j} - \epsilon_{ijk} \nabla_i E_k = \frac{1}{c} \dot{B}_j + (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E})_j = \vec{0}$$

$\partial_\mu \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu} = 0$ homogene MG

Transformationsverhalten des 4-Stroms unter Lorentztransformationen:

Betrachten 4-Strom eines Punktteilchens
 $z^\mu(\tau)$ Weltlinie eines Punktteilchens mit Ladung q
 τ Eigenzeit

x^0, \vec{x} gegeben \Rightarrow Eigenzeit $\bar{\tau}$ durch $x^0 = z^0(\bar{\tau})$ bestimmt

$$\rho(x^0, \vec{x}) = q \delta^{(3)}(\vec{x} - \vec{z}(\bar{\tau}))$$

$$\vec{j}(x^0, \vec{x}) = q \vec{v}(\bar{\tau}) \delta^{(3)}(\vec{x} - \vec{z}(\bar{\tau}))$$

$j^\mu(x) = cq \int d\tau \frac{dz^\mu}{d\tau} \delta^{(4)}(x - z(\tau))$

Beweis: $\int d\tau \frac{dz^0}{d\tau} \delta^{(4)}(x^0 - z^0(\tau)) = \int dz^0 \delta^{(2)}(x^0 - z^0) = 1$

\Rightarrow für j^0 richtig

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{cq} \vec{j}(x) &= \int d\tau \frac{d\vec{z}}{d\tau} \delta^{(4)}(x^0 - z^0(\tau)) \delta^{(3)}(\vec{x} - \vec{z}(\tau)) = \\ &= \frac{d\vec{z}}{d\tau} \Big|_{\bar{\tau}} \frac{1}{\frac{dz^0}{d\tau} \Big|_{\bar{\tau}}} \delta^{(3)}(\vec{x} - \vec{z}(\bar{\tau})) = \frac{d\vec{z}}{dz^0} \Big|_{\bar{\tau}} \delta^{(3)}(\vec{x} - \vec{z}(\bar{\tau})) \\ &= \frac{\vec{v}(\bar{\tau})}{c} \delta^{(3)}(\vec{x} - \vec{z}(\bar{\tau})) \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

Transformation $K \xrightarrow{L} K' : z' = Lz$

$$j'^{\mu}(x') = c q \int d\tau \frac{dz'^{\mu}}{d\tau} \delta^{(4)}(x' - \underbrace{z'}_{Lz(\tau)}) =$$

$$= L^{\mu}_{\nu} c q \int d\tau \frac{dz^{\nu}}{d\tau} \delta^{(4)}(L(L^{-1}x' - z(\tau)))$$

$$\delta^{(4)}(Ay) = \frac{\delta^{(4)}(y)}{|\det A|}$$

↑
Matrix

$$j'^{\mu}(x') = L^{\mu}_{\nu} c q \int d\tau \frac{dz^{\nu}}{d\tau} \delta^{(4)}(L^{-1}x' - z(\tau))$$

$$\Rightarrow j'^{\mu}(x') = L^{\mu}_{\nu} j^{\nu}(L^{-1}x')$$

gilt allgemein

MG Lorentz-invariant:

Lsg. $\vec{E}(x), \vec{B}(x)$ in K für $\rho(x), \vec{j}(x)$

$$\Leftrightarrow (F^{\mu\nu}(x)) \text{ für } j^{\mu}(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow L^{\mu}_{\lambda} L^{\nu}_{\sigma} F^{\lambda\sigma}(L^{-1}x') \text{ Lsg. in } K' \text{ für } j'^{\mu}(x')$$

$$F'^{\mu\nu}(x') = L^{\mu}_{\lambda} L^{\nu}_{\sigma} F^{\lambda\sigma}(L^{-1}x')$$

bestimmt Transformationsverhalten für \vec{E}, \vec{B} unter Lorentztransformationen

2) Prinzip der kleinsten Wirkung

a) Lagrangeformulierung von Feldtheorien

Wirkung $S = \int d^4x \mathcal{L}(\phi_a(x), \partial_\mu \phi_a(x))$
 ($c=1$)

↑
 Lagrangedichte,
 Felder $\phi_a, a=1, \dots, r$

Wirkung muss Lorentzinvariant sein

Lorentzinv. : $\mathcal{L} \rightarrow S$ Lorentzinv.

Umkehrung nicht zwingend, jedoch \mathcal{L} fast immer Lorentzinvariant.

Analogie zur Mechanik:

$\phi_a(x_1^0, \vec{x}), \phi_a(x_2^0, \vec{x})$ vorgegeben, $\phi_a(x)$ so zu wählen,
 dass S Extremum annimmt ($x_1^0 \leq x^0 \leq x_2^0$)

Variation: $\phi_a(x) \rightarrow \phi_a(x) + \eta_a(x)$ mit $\eta_a(x_1^0, \vec{x}) = \eta_a(x_2^0, \vec{x}) = 0$

$\lim_{|\vec{x}| \rightarrow \infty} \eta_a(x) = 0,$ η_a infinitesimal

$$\delta S = \int_{x_1^0}^{x_2^0} d^4x [\mathcal{L}(\phi_a + \eta_a, \partial_\mu \phi_a + \partial_\mu \eta_a) - \mathcal{L}(\phi_a, \partial_\mu \phi_a)]$$

$$= \int d^4x \left[\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi_a} \eta_a + \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi_a)} \partial_\mu \eta_a \right] =$$

$$= \int d^4x \left[\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi_a} - \partial_\mu \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi_a)} \right) \right] \eta_a = 0 \quad \forall \eta_a$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x^\mu} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi_a)} - \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi_a} = 0 \quad \forall a=1, \dots, r$$

Euler-Lagrange-Feldgleichungen

Klein-Gordon-Gl. von EL-FGL:

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \phi \partial^\mu \phi - m^2 \phi^2)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi)} = \partial^\mu \phi, \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi} = -m^2 \phi \Rightarrow \partial_\mu \partial^\mu \phi + m^2 \phi = 0$$

$$\text{MG-Gl.: } \mathcal{L}_M = -\frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{c} j^\mu A_\mu$$

$$\lambda \neq \sigma: \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\lambda A_\sigma)} = -F^{\lambda\sigma}, \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial A_\sigma} = -\frac{1}{c} j^\sigma$$

$$\Rightarrow -\partial_\lambda F^{\lambda\sigma} + \frac{1}{c} j^\sigma = 0$$

b) Noether-Theorem für innere Symmetrien
 x kontinuierlicher Parameter!

Innere Symmetrie: $\phi_a \rightarrow \phi_a + \alpha \Delta \phi_a$

x unverändert

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 infinitesimal, unabh. von x

Lässt \mathcal{L} invariant bis auf 4-Divergenz

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha \Delta \mathcal{L} &= \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi_a} \alpha \Delta \phi_a + \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi_a)} \partial_\mu (\alpha \Delta \phi_a) = \\ &= \alpha \partial_\mu \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi_a)} \Delta \phi_a \right) + \alpha \underbrace{\left[\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi_a} - \partial_\mu \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi_a)} \right]}_{= 0 \text{ wegen EL}} \Delta \phi_a \\ &= \alpha \partial_\mu j^\mu \quad \leftarrow \text{4-Divergenz} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \partial_\mu j^\mu = 0 \quad \text{mit} \quad j^\mu = \sum_a \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi_a)} \Delta \phi_a - j^\mu$$

Beispiel: komplexes Skalarfeld

$$\phi = \frac{\phi_1 + i\phi_2}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \text{mit } \phi_{1,2} \text{ reell}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} &= \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \phi_1 \partial^\mu \phi_1 + \partial_\mu \phi_2 \partial^\mu \phi_2 - m^2 (\phi_1^2 + \phi_2^2)) = \\ &= \partial_\mu \phi^* \partial^\mu \phi - m^2 \phi^* \phi \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial (\partial_\mu \phi^*)} = \partial^\mu \phi, \quad \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \phi^*} \Rightarrow \partial_\mu \partial^\mu \phi + m^2 \phi = 0$$

$$= -m^2 \phi$$

Selbe FG bei getrennter Variation nach ϕ_1, ϕ_2

\mathcal{L} invariant unter $\phi \rightarrow e^{i\alpha} \phi, \phi^* \rightarrow e^{-i\alpha} \phi^*$

$$\alpha \Delta \phi = i\alpha \phi, \quad \alpha \Delta \phi^* = -i\alpha \phi^*$$

$$j^\mu = i(\partial^\mu \phi^*) \phi - i\phi^* (\partial^\mu \phi)$$

$\partial_\mu j^\mu = 0$ kann nachgeprüft werden durch Verwendung der KG-Gl.

c) Hamiltondichte

$$\pi_a \equiv \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\phi}_a}$$

zu ϕ_a konjugierter Impuls

$$\mathcal{H} = \sum_a \pi_a \dot{\phi}_a - \mathcal{L}$$

$$H = \int d^3x \mathcal{H}(x)$$

Beispiel: reelles Skalarfeld

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\phi}} = \dot{\phi} \equiv \pi$$

$$\mathcal{H} = \pi \dot{\phi} - \mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\dot{\phi}^2 + (\vec{\nabla} \phi)^2 + m^2 \phi^2)$$

Allgemeine Lsg. der KG-Gl. durch ebene Wellen:

$$\phi(x) = \int \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^{3/2} \sqrt{2\omega(\vec{k})}} [a(\vec{k}) e^{-ik \cdot x} + a^*(\vec{k}) e^{ik \cdot x}]$$

$$\omega(\vec{k}) \equiv k^0 = \sqrt{m^2 + \vec{k}^2}, \quad k^2 = m^2$$

$$H = \frac{1}{2} \int d^3x \int d^3k \int d^3k' \frac{1}{(2\pi)^3 \sqrt{2\omega \cdot 2\omega'}}$$

$$\cdot \left\{ \begin{aligned} &(-i\omega) [a e^{-ik \cdot x} - a^* e^{ik \cdot x}] (-i\omega') [a' e^{-ik' \cdot x} - a'^* e^{ik' \cdot x}] \\ &+ (i\vec{k}) [a e^{-ik \cdot x} - a^* e^{ik \cdot x}] \cdot (i\vec{k}') [a' e^{-ik' \cdot x} - a'^* e^{ik' \cdot x}] \\ &+ m^2 [a e^{-ik \cdot x} + a^* e^{ik \cdot x}] [a' e^{-ik' \cdot x} + a'^* e^{ik' \cdot x}] \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int d^3k \int d^3k' \frac{1}{\omega} \left\{ \delta^{(3)}(\vec{k} - \vec{k}') [2\omega^2 a^* a + 2\vec{k}^2 a^* a + 2m^2]_{a^* a} \right. \\ \left. + \delta^{(3)}(\vec{k} + \vec{k}') [a^2 (-\omega^2 + \vec{k}^2 + m^2) + a^{*2} (-\omega'^2 + \vec{k}'^2 + m^2)] \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow H = \int d^3k \omega a^* a$$