

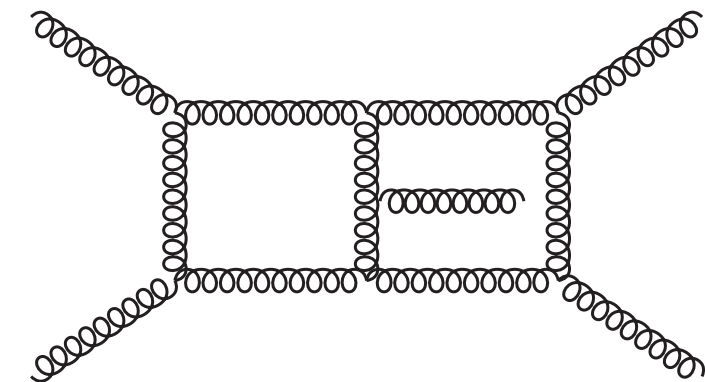
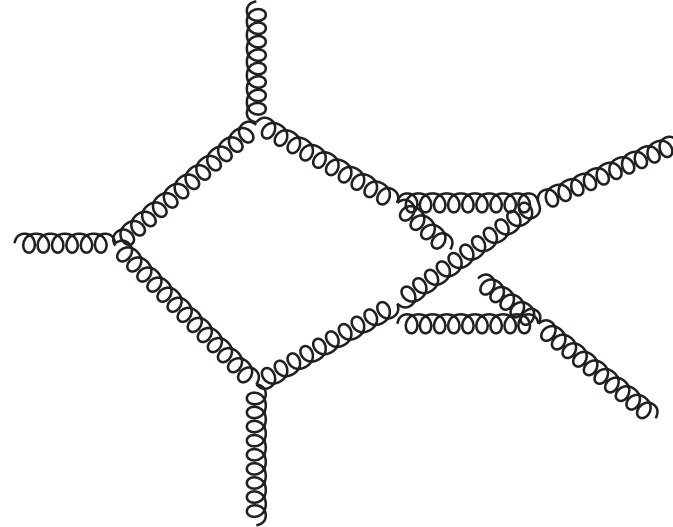
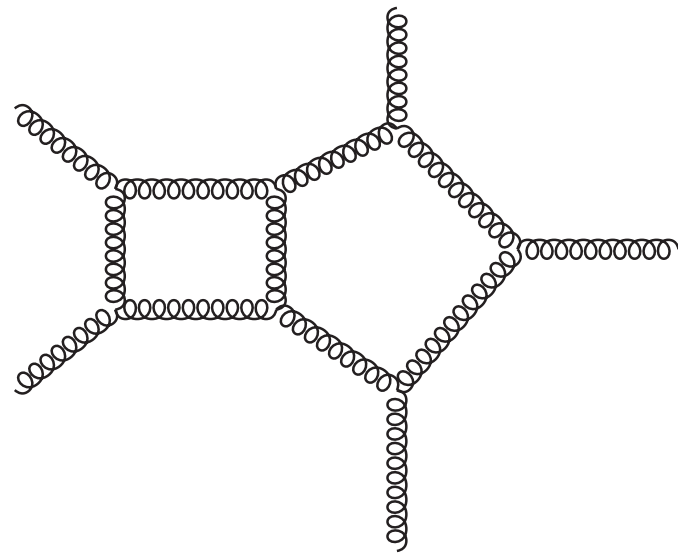
# Two-loop Five-point Scattering Amplitudes



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# Breakthrough in two-loop $2 \rightarrow 3$ scattering amplitudes



“All master integrals for three-jet production at NNLO”, Phys.Rev.Lett. 123 (2019), no. 4 041603

“Analytic result for a two-loop five-particle amplitude”, Phys.Rev.Lett. 122 (2019), no. 12 121602

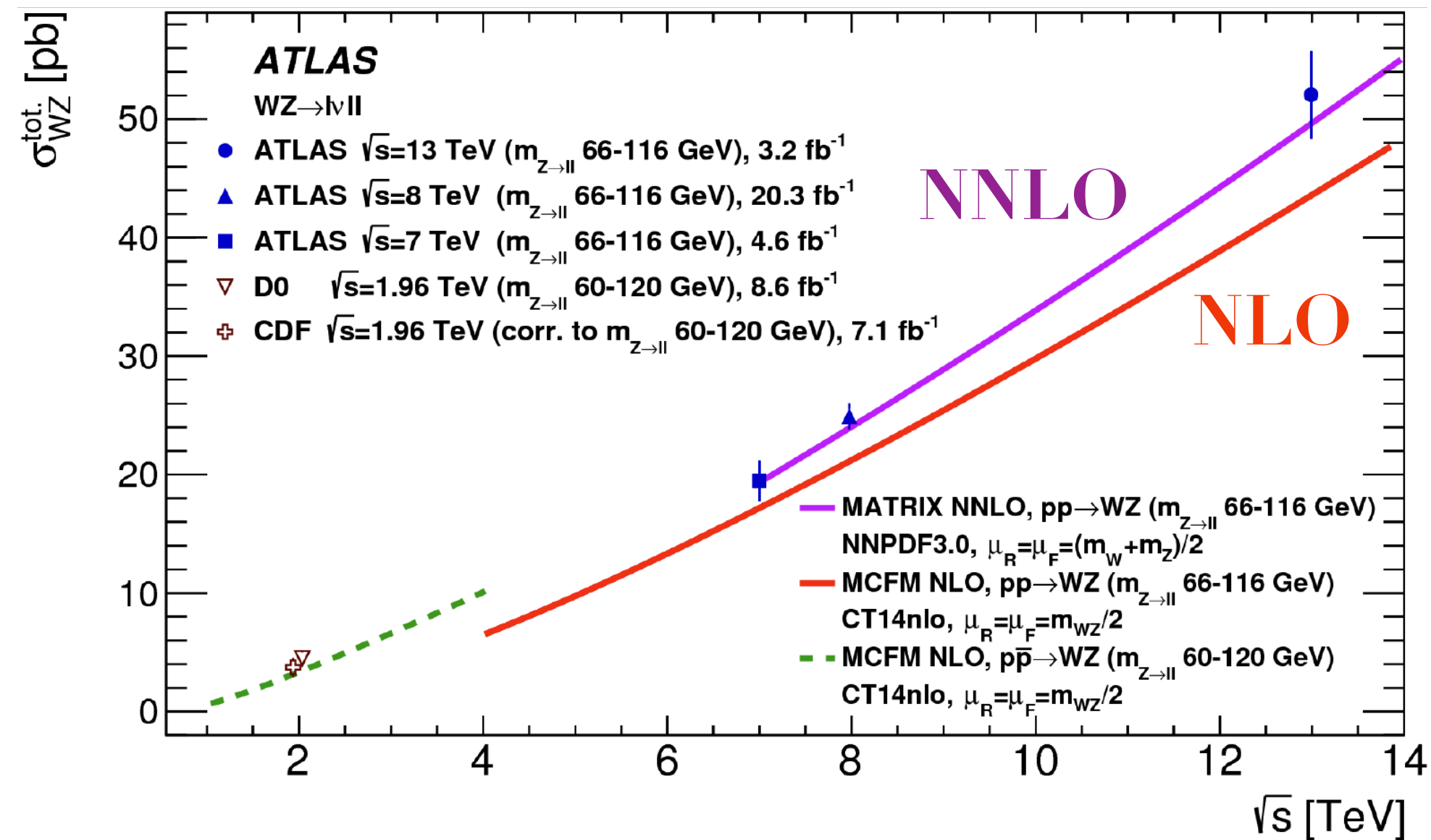
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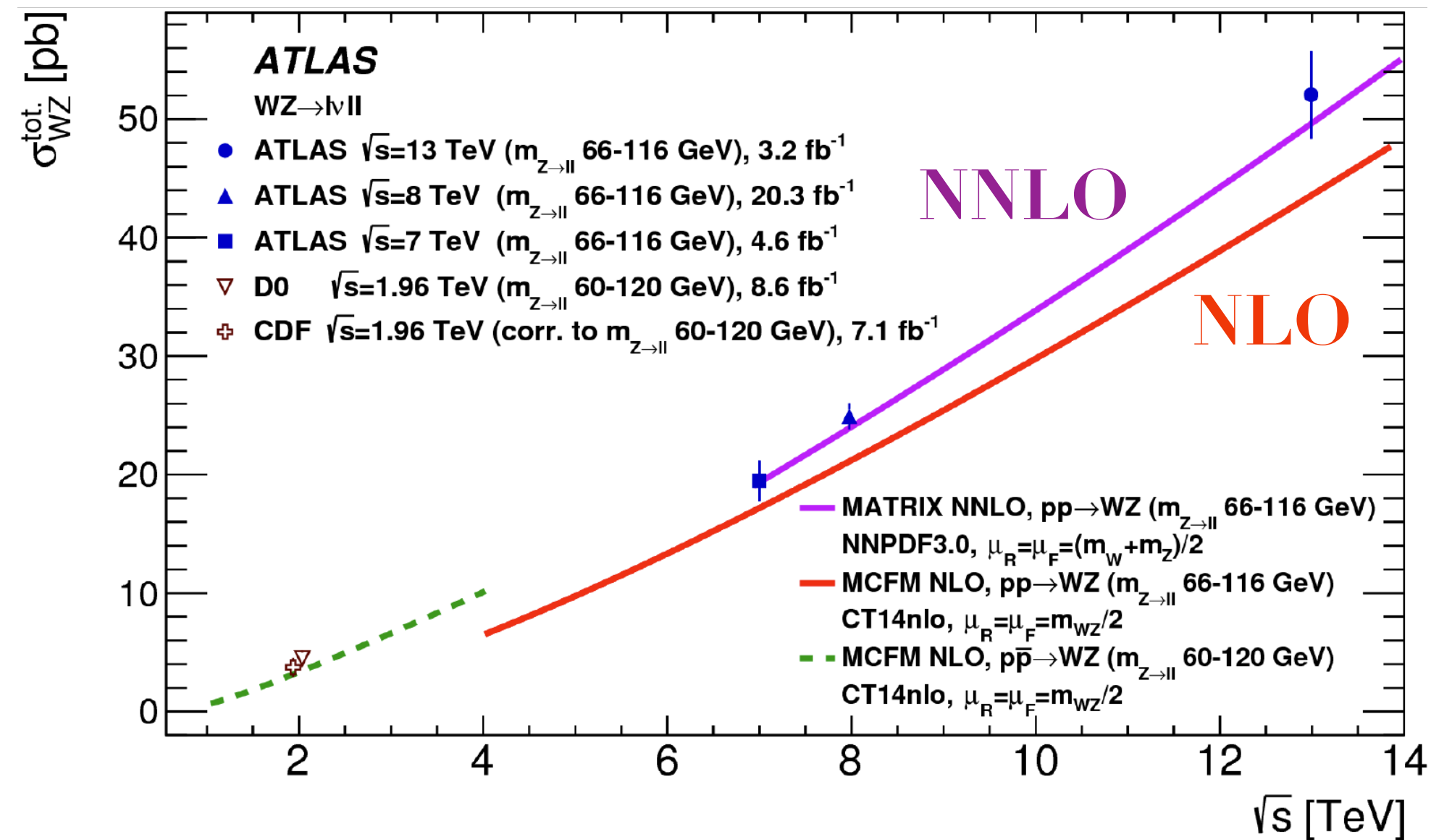


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# Goals

One bottleneck of NNLO precision physics  
is the two-loop scattering amplitude.

To calculate complete two-loop five-point amplitudes  
in pQCD/Standard model *analytically*

$2g \rightarrow 3 \text{ jets}$   
quark pair  $\rightarrow$  quark pair + jet  
 $2g \rightarrow \text{Higgs} + 2 \text{ jets}$

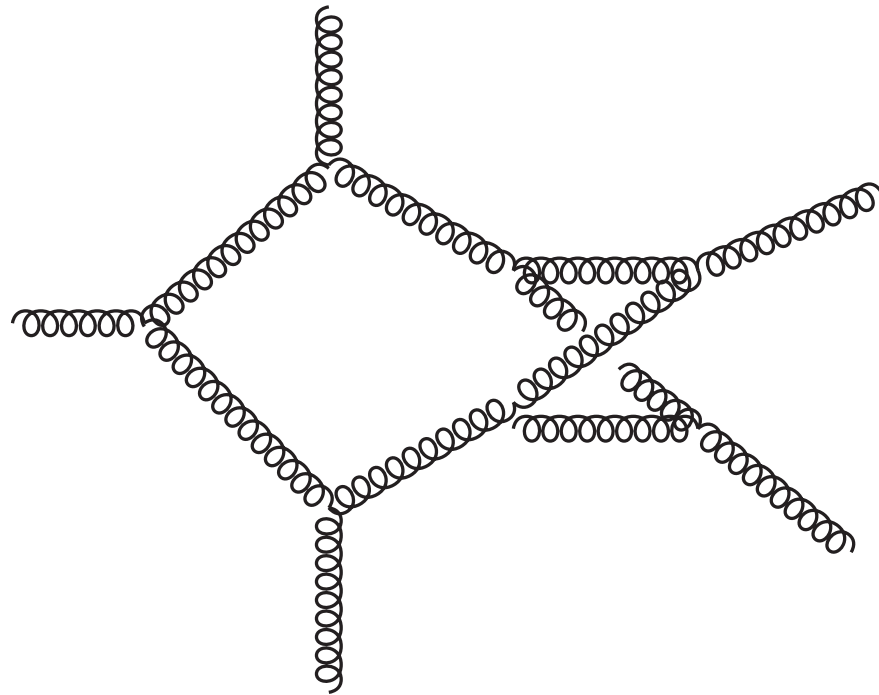
# Status: 2-loop 5-point massless amplitudes (no SUSY)

“Gettysburg” for multi-loop scattering amplitude ...

	Numeric Integrand	Analytic integrand	Analytic amplitude
planar +++++ pure-YM	Badger, Hjalte, YZ 2013		Gehrmann, Henn, Presti 2015
planar all-helicity pure-YM	Badger, Brønnum-Hansen, Hartanto, Peraro 2017 Abreu, Cordero, Ita, Page, Zeng 2017	Boels, Jin, Luo 2018	Abreu, Cordero, Dormans, Ita, Page 2018
planar all-helicity massless quarks	Badger, Brønnum-Hansen, Hartanto, Peraro 2018 Abreu, Cordero, Ita, Page, Sotnikov 2018	Abreu, Cordero, Dormans, Ita, Page, Sotnikov 2019	
<b>nonplanar</b> +++++ pure-YM	Badger, Mogull, Ochirov, O’Connell 2015		Badger, Gehrmann, Peraro Wasser, Heinrich, Henn, Chicherin, YZ, Zoia 2019

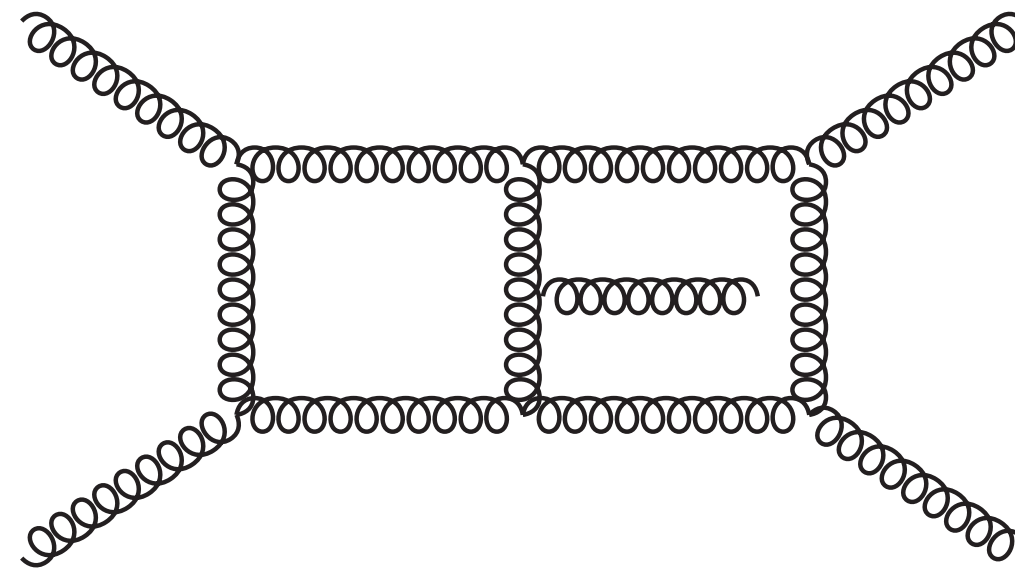
2-loop 5-point planar integrals	Gehrmann, Henn, Lo Presti, 2015 (Full result)
2-loop 5-point <b>nonplanar</b> integrals	Abreu, Dixon, Herrmann, Page, Zeng 2018 (symbol only) Chicherin, Gehrmann, Henn, Wasser, YZ, Zoia 2018 (Full result)

# Difficulty



Two-loop nonplanar

31 Symbol letters



5 Mandelstam variables

Weight 4 functions

square root of Gram determinant

# Our techniques

dlog integral construction

Baikov representation

Algebraic geometry methods

Finite field reconstruction

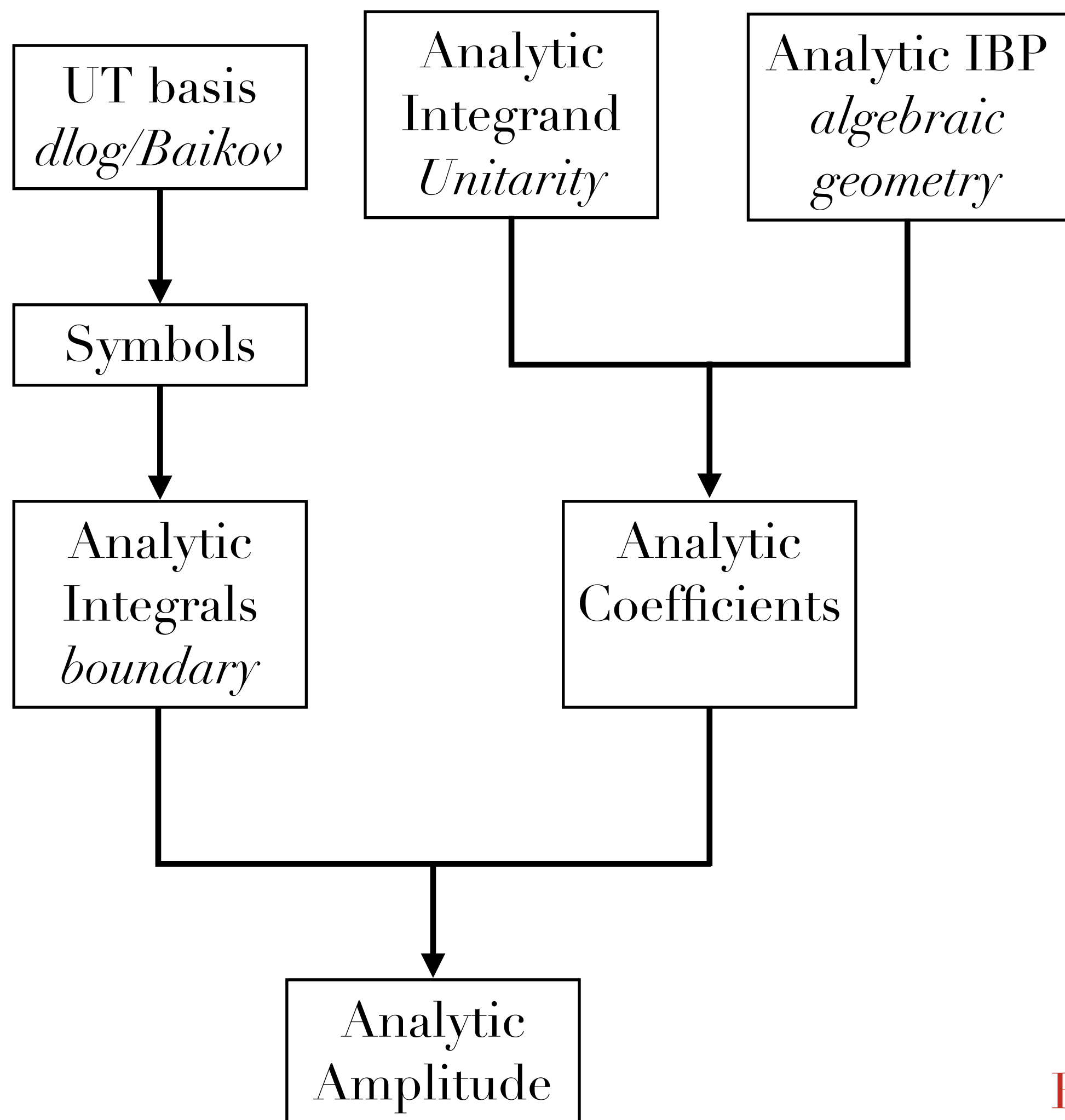
Boundary value consistency

Petri nets

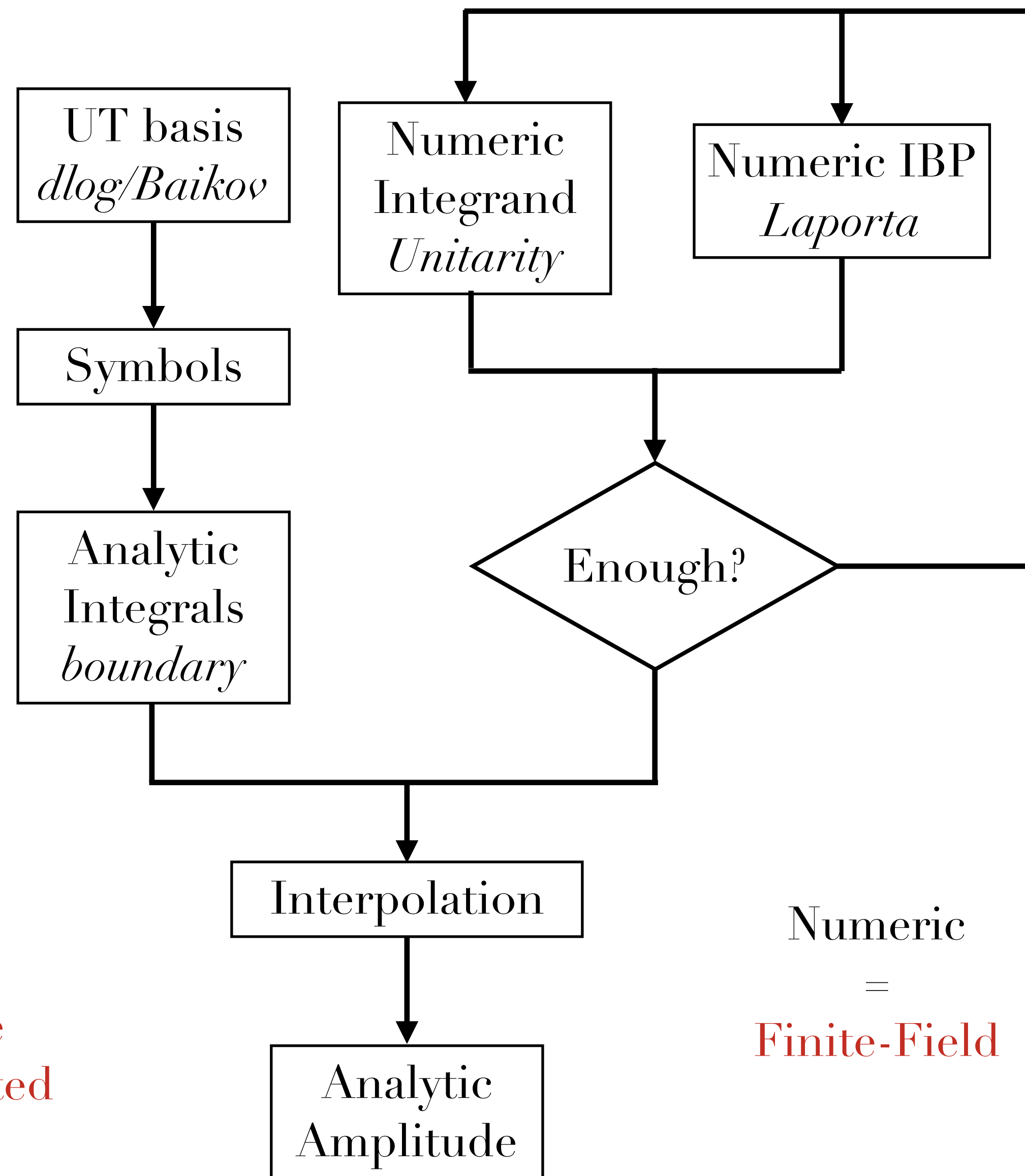
Symbol builder



# Workflow 1

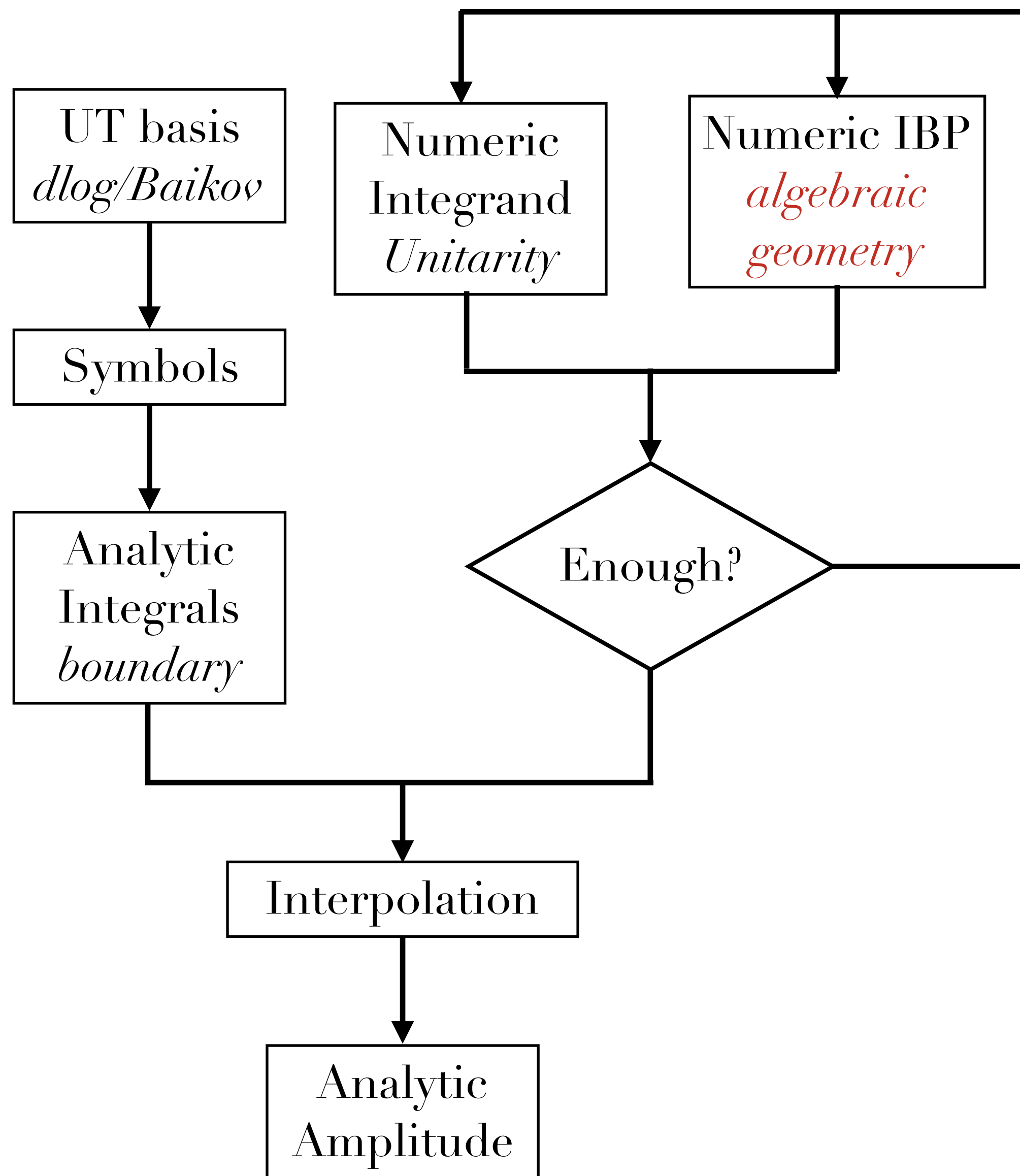


# Workflow 2



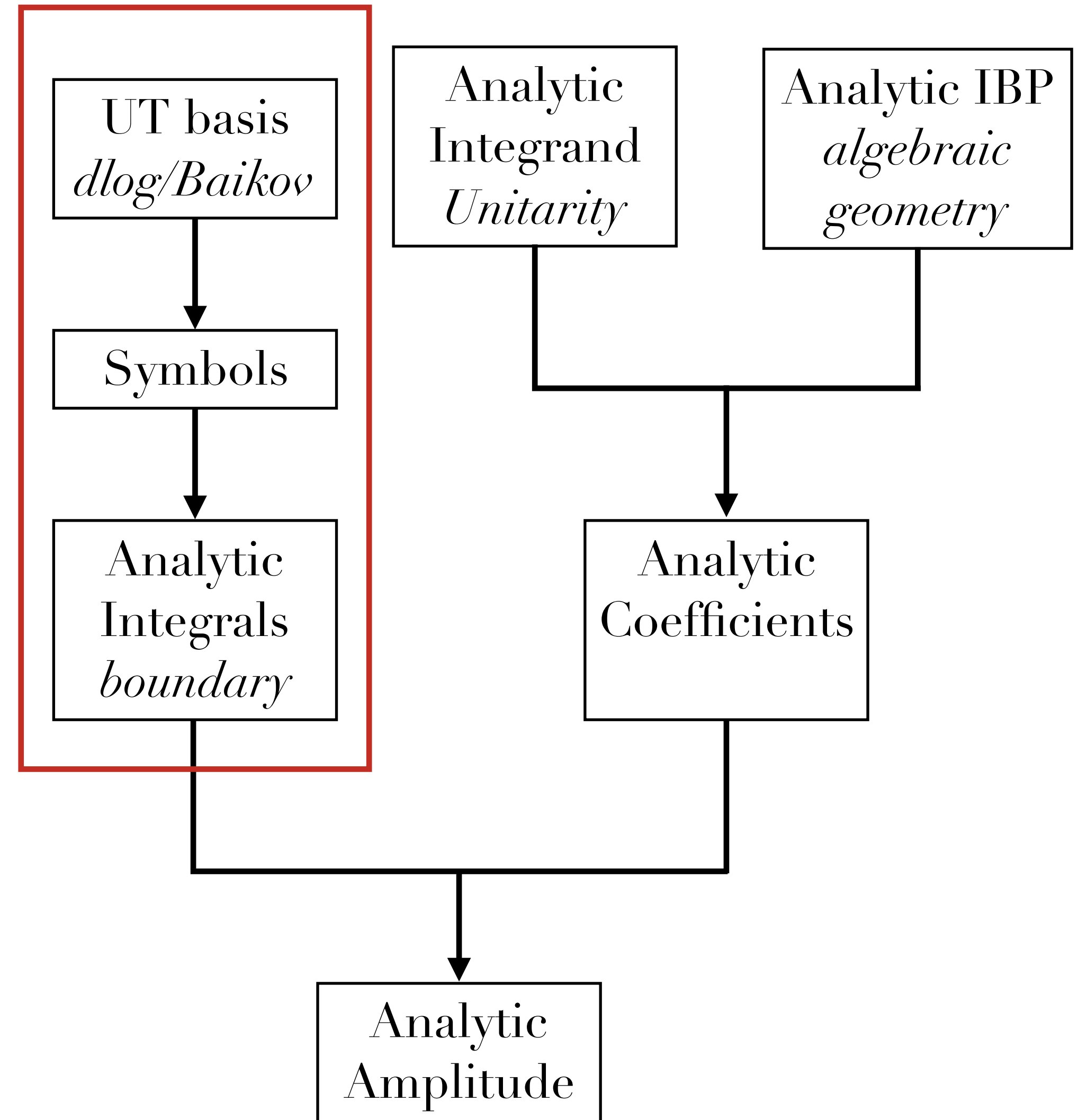
Both are  
implemented  
and used

# Workflow 3 (obvious)



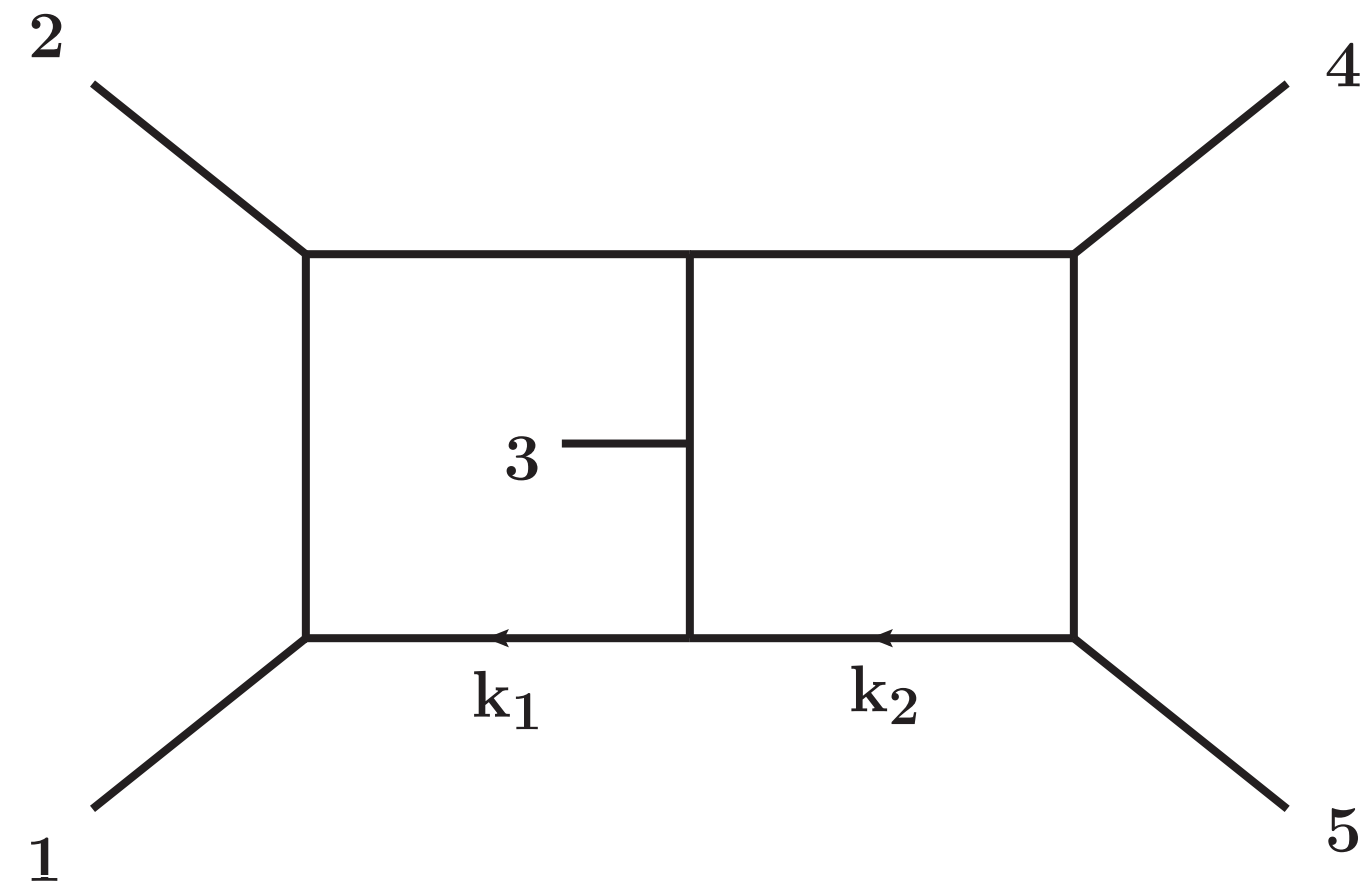
Under test  
only ~ secs  
for reducing  
one numeric IBP !

# Feynman Integral Analytic Evaluation



Differential equation with  
uniform transcendental weights,  
Symbols  
Boundary value determination

# Differential equation for traditional integral basis



108 master integrals

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} I = A_i I$$

5 Mandelstam  
variables

1.4 GB !

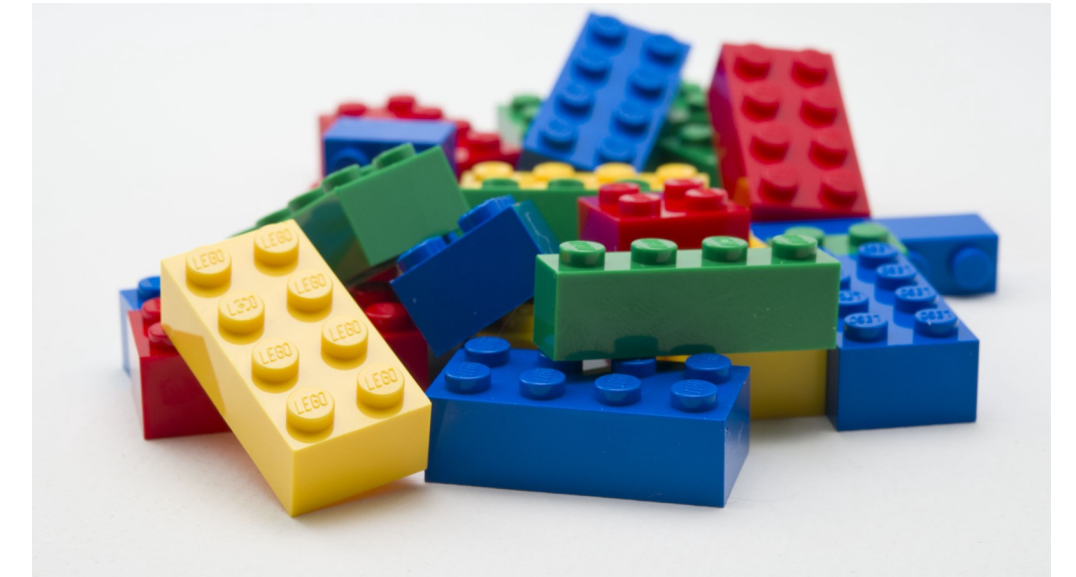
It took 3 months on Univ. of Zurich cluster,  
to compute the five (108,108) matrices

# Uniformly transcendental (UT) basis

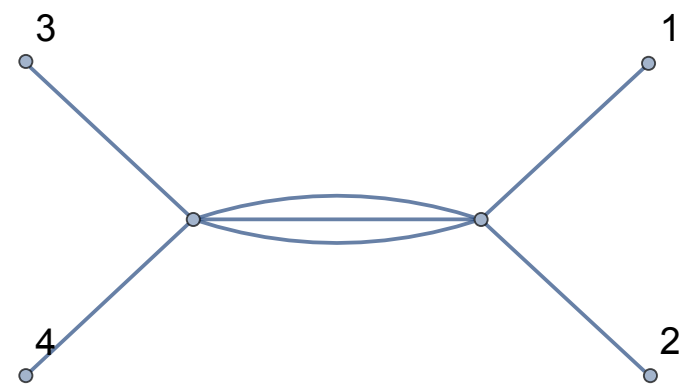
$$\mathcal{T}(\log) = 1, \mathcal{T}(\pi) = 1, \mathcal{T}(\zeta_n) = n, \mathcal{T}(\text{Li}_n) = n, \dots, \mathcal{T}(f_1 f_2) = \mathcal{T}(f_1) + \mathcal{T}(f_2)$$

Henn 2013

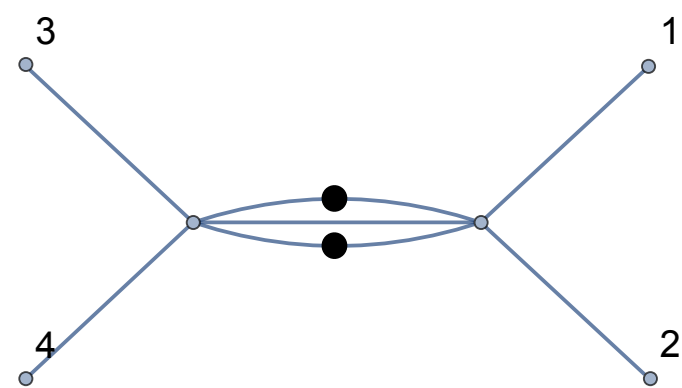
$$I = (\text{overall normalization}) \times \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \epsilon^k f_k, \quad \mathcal{T}(f_k) = k$$



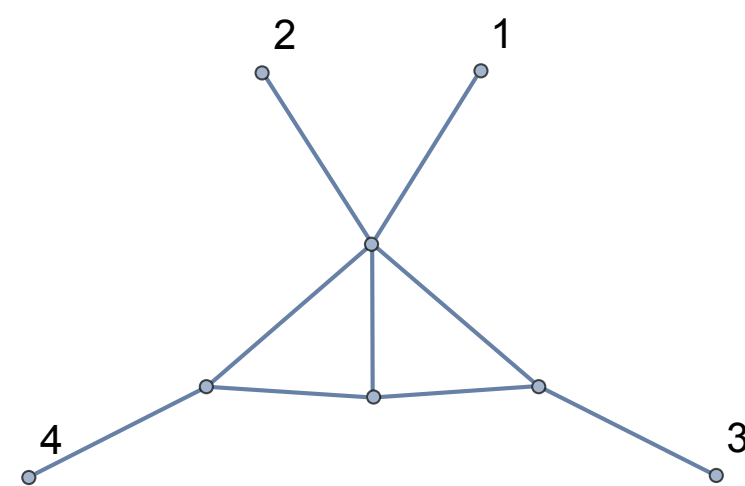
building blocks (LEGO)  
for Feynman integrals



$$(s_{12})^{1-2\epsilon} \left( \frac{1}{4\epsilon} + \frac{13}{8} + \frac{1}{48} (345 - 2\pi^2) \epsilon + \frac{1}{96} (-256\zeta(3) + 2595 - 26\pi^2) \epsilon^2 + O(\epsilon^3) \right) \quad \text{not UT}$$



$$(s_{12})^{-1-2\epsilon} \left( -\frac{1}{\epsilon^2} + \frac{\pi^2}{6} + \frac{32\zeta(3)\epsilon}{3} + \frac{19\pi^4\epsilon^2}{120} + O(\epsilon^3) \right) \quad \text{UT but not dlog}$$



$$(s_{12})^{-1-2\epsilon} \left( -\frac{1}{4\epsilon^4} + \frac{\pi^2}{24\epsilon^2} + \frac{8\zeta(3)}{3\epsilon} + \frac{19\pi^4}{480} + O(\epsilon^1) \right) \quad \text{UT and dlog}$$

UT basis is also good for numeric computations

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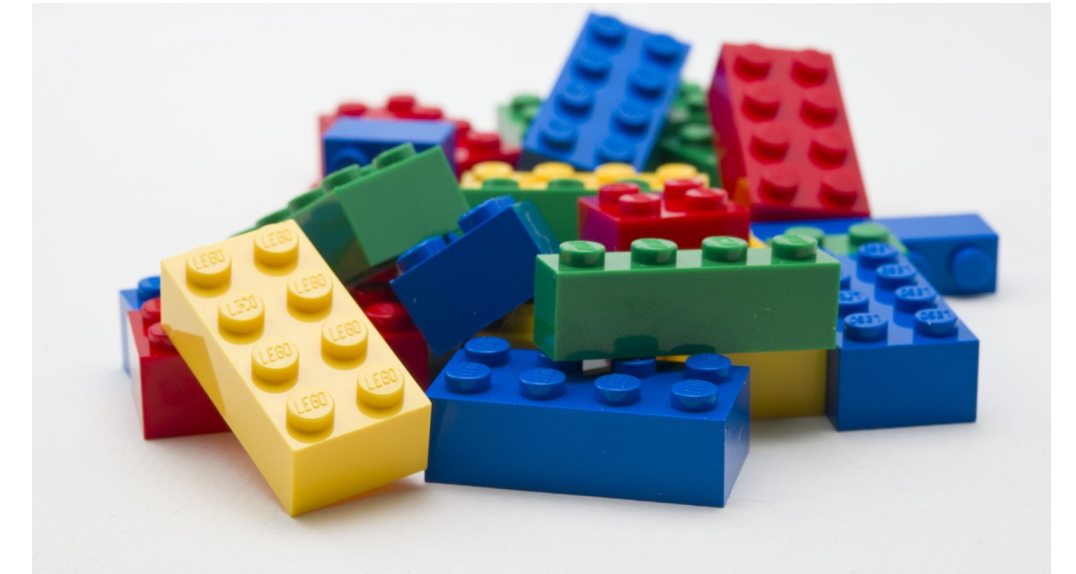
Differential equation in UT basis is extremely simple

Feynman integrals become an **iterated integration of rational functions**

$$\tilde{I}(x) = P \exp \left( \epsilon \int_c dA \right) \tilde{I}(x_0)$$



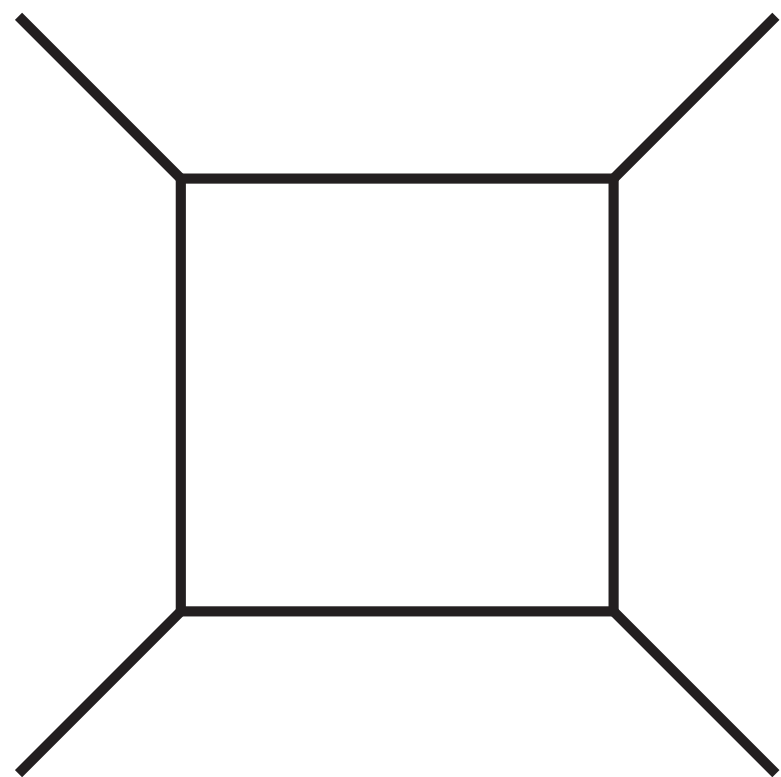
Chen's (陈国才) iterated integrals



building blocks (LEGO)  
for analytic amplitude

polylogarithms

# To find UT basis: “dlog” approach



Arkani-Hamed, Bourjaily, Cachazo, Trnka 2010

$$st \int d^4 l_1 \frac{1}{D_1 D_2 D_3 D_4} = \int d \log\left(\frac{F}{D_1}\right) \wedge d \log\left(\frac{F}{D_1}\right) \wedge d \log\left(\frac{F}{D_3}\right) \wedge d \log\left(\frac{F}{D_4}\right)$$

“Usually”, a dlog integrand is a a UT integral.

Wasser algorithm for dlog (2017)

Consider the partial fraction in  $x_1$ ,

$$\sum_i \frac{dx}{x_1 - a_i} \wedge \Omega_i = \sum_i d \log(x_1 - a_i) \wedge \Omega_i$$

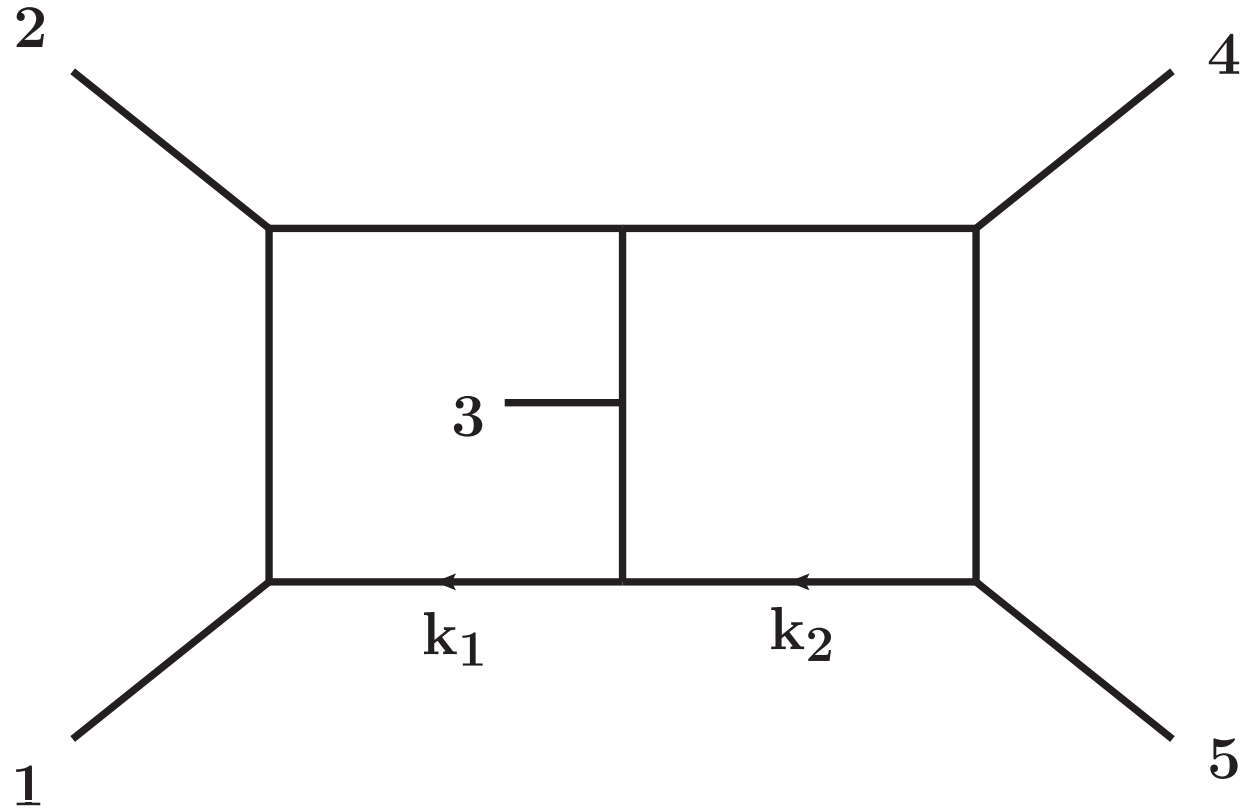
A long ansatz is necessary;

Sometimes this algorithm does not find all dlogs ...

Algebraic geometry approach ...

# dlog algorithm from algebraic geometry viewpoint

YZ 2018



$$N = \sum f_\alpha(s_{ij}) \times (\text{scalar product})^\alpha$$

Require that

1.  $N$  has 1 or 0 4D leading singularity
2.  $f$  must be a polynomial of  $s_{ij}$

$$\sum f_\alpha \times \text{L.S.}[(\text{Scalar Product})^\alpha] = (1, 0, \dots, 1, 0, \dots)$$

“Lift” problem  
in Module theory

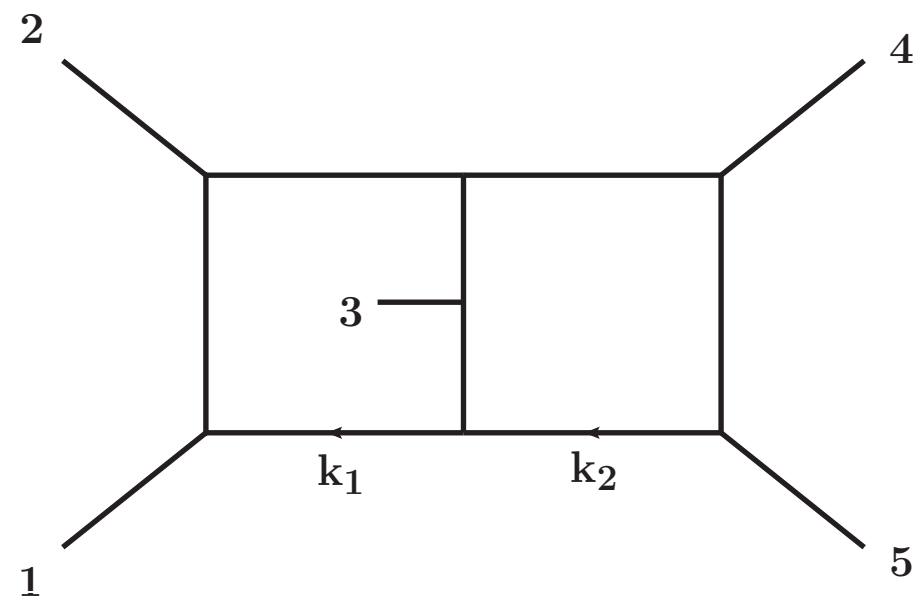
easily solvable by **Singular** (computational algebraic geometry software)

Find missing dlog integral in Pascal’s algorithm



# dlog's are **not always** UT

dlog form analysis ignore the **4D vanishing terms**, which are sometimes crucial



Bern, Herrmann, Litsey, Stankowicz, Trnka 2015 **8 dlogs on the top**  
 From IBP, there should **9 master integrals**

$$B[1] = \langle 13 \rangle \langle 24 \rangle \left( [24][13] \left( -k_2 + \frac{[45]}{[24]} \lambda_5 \tilde{\lambda}_2 \right)^2 \left( k_1 - p_1 - \frac{[23]}{[13]} \lambda_2 \tilde{\lambda}_1 \right)^2, \right. \\ \left. + [14][23] \left( -k_2 + \frac{[45]}{[14]} \lambda_5 \tilde{\lambda}_1 \right)^2 \left( k_1 - p_2 - \frac{[13]}{[23]} \lambda_1 \tilde{\lambda}_2 \right)^2 \right),$$

$$B[2] = B[1] \Big|_{\substack{p_1 \leftrightarrow p_2, p_4 \leftrightarrow p_5 \\ k_1 \rightarrow -k_1 + p_1 + p_2, k_2 \rightarrow -k_2 - p_4 - p_5}},$$

$$B[3] = B[1] \Big|_{\substack{p_1 \leftrightarrow p_5, p_2 \leftrightarrow p_4 \\ k_1 \rightarrow -k_2, k_2 \rightarrow -k_1}},$$

$$B[4] = B[2] \Big|_{\substack{p_1 \leftrightarrow p_5, p_2 \leftrightarrow p_4 \\ k_1 \rightarrow -k_2, k_2 \rightarrow -k_1}},$$

$$B[5] = B[1]^*, \quad B[6] = B[2]^*, \quad B[7] = B[3]^*, \quad B[8] = B[4]^*$$

**NOT UT**

for differential equation!



**Bottleneck**

# From 4D leading singularity to D-dim singularity

Chicherin, Gehrmann, Henn, Wasser, YZ, Zoia, Phys.Rev.Lett. 123 (2019), no. 4 041603

$$(B[1] + B[5]) + \frac{16s_{45}G_{12}}{\epsilon_5^2} \times (-s_{12}s_{15} + s_{12}s_{23} + 2s_{12}s_{34} + s_{23}s_{34} + s_{15}s_{45} - s_{34}s_{45})$$

“Additives” terms to make a UT

$$G_{11} = G \left( \begin{matrix} k_1, p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4 \\ k_1, p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4 \end{matrix} \right)$$

$$G_{12} = G \left( \begin{matrix} k_1, p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4 \\ k_2, p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4 \end{matrix} \right)$$

$$G_{22} = G \left( \begin{matrix} k_2, p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4 \\ k_2, p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4 \end{matrix} \right).$$

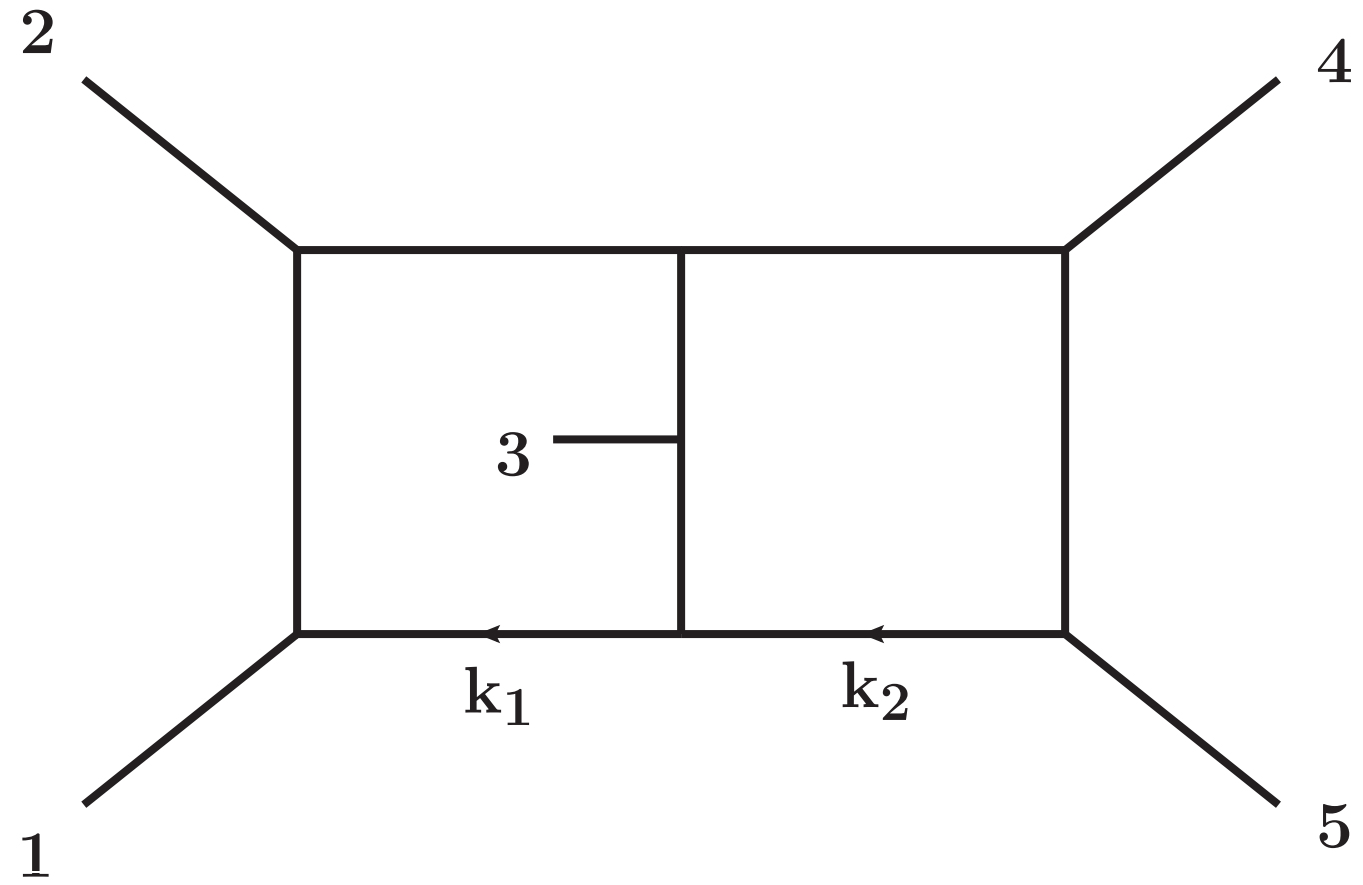
$$\frac{s_{45}}{\epsilon_5} (G_{11} - G_{12}), \quad \frac{s_{12}}{\epsilon_5} (G_{22} - G_{12}), \quad \frac{s_{12} - s_{45}}{\epsilon_5} G_{12}$$

4D vanishing terms, UT

Determined by **Baikov representation**, D-dimensional cuts

$$G(p_1 \dots p_E)^{\frac{E+1-D}{2}} \int dz_1 \dots dz_m G(k_1, k_2, p_1 \dots p_E)^{\frac{L+E+1-D}{2}} \frac{1}{z_1^{\alpha_1} \dots z_m^{\alpha_m}}$$

# All UT basis found



$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} I = A_i I$$

1.4 GB

$$\tilde{I} = T(\epsilon) I, \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \tilde{I} = \epsilon \tilde{A}_i \tilde{I}$$

5 MB

Now it is possible to solve differential equation

# Further decomposition

Symbol: Goncharov, Spradlin, Vergu and Volovich

$$d\tilde{I}(s_{ij}; \epsilon) = \epsilon dA(s_{ij}) \tilde{I}(s_{ij}; \epsilon)$$

$$d\tilde{I}(s_{ij}; \epsilon) = \epsilon \left( \sum_{k=1}^{31} a_k d \log W_k(s_{ij}) \right) \tilde{I}(s_{ij}; \epsilon)$$

symbol letters

31 (108,108) matrices with rational number entries

$$\begin{aligned} W_1 &= v_1, & W_6 &= v_3 + v_4, & W_{11} &= v_1 - v_4, & W_{16} &= v_1 + v_2 - v_4, \\ W_2 &= v_2, & W_7 &= v_4 + v_5, & W_{12} &= v_2 - v_5, & W_{17} &= v_2 + v_3 - v_5, \\ W_3 &= v_3, & W_8 &= v_5 + v_1, & W_{13} &= v_3 - v_1, & W_{18} &= v_3 + v_4 - v_1, \\ W_4 &= v_4, & W_9 &= v_1 + v_2, & W_{14} &= v_4 - v_2, & W_{19} &= v_4 + v_5 - v_2, \\ W_5 &= v_5, & W_{10} &= v_2 + v_3, & W_{15} &= v_5 - v_3, & W_{20} &= v_5 + v_1 - v_3, \end{aligned}$$

$$v_1 = s_{12}, v_2 = s_{23}, v_3 = s_{34}, v_4 = s_{45}, v_5 = s_{15}$$

$$\begin{aligned} W_{21} &= v_3 + v_4 - v_1 - v_2, & W_{26} &= \frac{v_1 v_2 - v_2 v_3 + v_3 v_4 - v_1 v_5 - v_4 v_5 - \sqrt{\Delta}}{v_1 v_2 - v_2 v_3 + v_3 v_4 - v_1 v_5 - v_4 v_5 + \sqrt{\Delta}}, \\ W_{22} &= v_4 + v_5 - v_2 - v_3, & W_{27} &= \frac{-v_1 v_2 + v_2 v_3 - v_3 v_4 - v_1 v_5 + v_4 v_5 - \sqrt{\Delta}}{-v_1 v_2 + v_2 v_3 - v_3 v_4 - v_1 v_5 + v_4 v_5 + \sqrt{\Delta}}, \\ W_{23} &= v_5 + v_1 - v_3 - v_4, & W_{28} &= \frac{-v_1 v_2 - v_2 v_3 + v_3 v_4 + v_1 v_5 - v_4 v_5 - \sqrt{\Delta}}{-v_1 v_2 - v_2 v_3 + v_3 v_4 + v_1 v_5 - v_4 v_5 + \sqrt{\Delta}}, \\ W_{24} &= v_1 + v_2 - v_4 - v_5, & W_{29} &= \frac{v_1 v_2 - v_2 v_3 - v_3 v_4 - v_1 v_5 + v_4 v_5 - \sqrt{\Delta}}{v_1 v_2 - v_2 v_3 - v_3 v_4 - v_1 v_5 + v_4 v_5 + \sqrt{\Delta}}, \\ W_{25} &= v_2 + v_3 - v_5 - v_1, & W_{30} &= \frac{-v_1 v_2 + v_2 v_3 - v_3 v_4 + v_1 v_5 - v_4 v_5 - \sqrt{\Delta}}{-v_1 v_2 + v_2 v_3 - v_3 v_4 + v_1 v_5 - v_4 v_5 + \sqrt{\Delta}}, \end{aligned}$$

$$W_{31} = \sqrt{\Delta}.$$

# Solving canonical differential equation

$$\tilde{I}(s_{ij}, \epsilon) = \epsilon^{-4} \sum_m^{\infty} \epsilon^m \tilde{I}^{(m)}(s_{ij}) \quad \text{leading terms are rational numbers}$$

$$\epsilon^4 \tilde{I}(s_{ij}, \epsilon) = B^{(0)} + \epsilon \left( B^{(1)} + \int_{\gamma} dA(s_{ij}) B^{(0)} \right) + \epsilon^2 \left( B^{(2)} + \int_{\gamma} dA(s_{ij}) \left( B^{(1)} + \int_{\gamma'} dA(s_{ij}) B^{(0)} \right) \right) + \dots$$

boundary  
point

$$\epsilon^4 \tilde{I}(e_{ij}, \epsilon) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \epsilon^m B^{(m)}$$

boundary value

we choose the boundary point for a physical region

$$\{e_{12}, e_{23}, e_{34}, e_{45}, e_{15}\} = \{3, -1, 1, 1, -1\}$$

# Boundary value

- Many integrals (from sub-diagrams) are known analytically
- “dlog” integral with  $\varepsilon < 0$ , is **FINITE** even if a symbol letter vanishes

These two conditions usually determine a boundary value analytically.

All 2-loop 5-point massless integrals are **analytically evaluated**  
Goncharov polylogarithms

$$G(\underbrace{0, \dots, 0}_k; z) = \frac{1}{k!} (\log z)^k, \quad G(a_1, \dots, a_k; z) = \int_0^z \frac{dt}{t - a_1} G(a_2, \dots, a_k; t)$$

implemented in **Ginac**

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# Why analytic integrals?

numeric evaluation with **pySecDec**

- Must be evaluated in  $6-2\epsilon$  dim, then converted back to  $4-2\epsilon$  dim by IBPs
- GPU is necessary

NVIDIA Tesla V100 GPUs



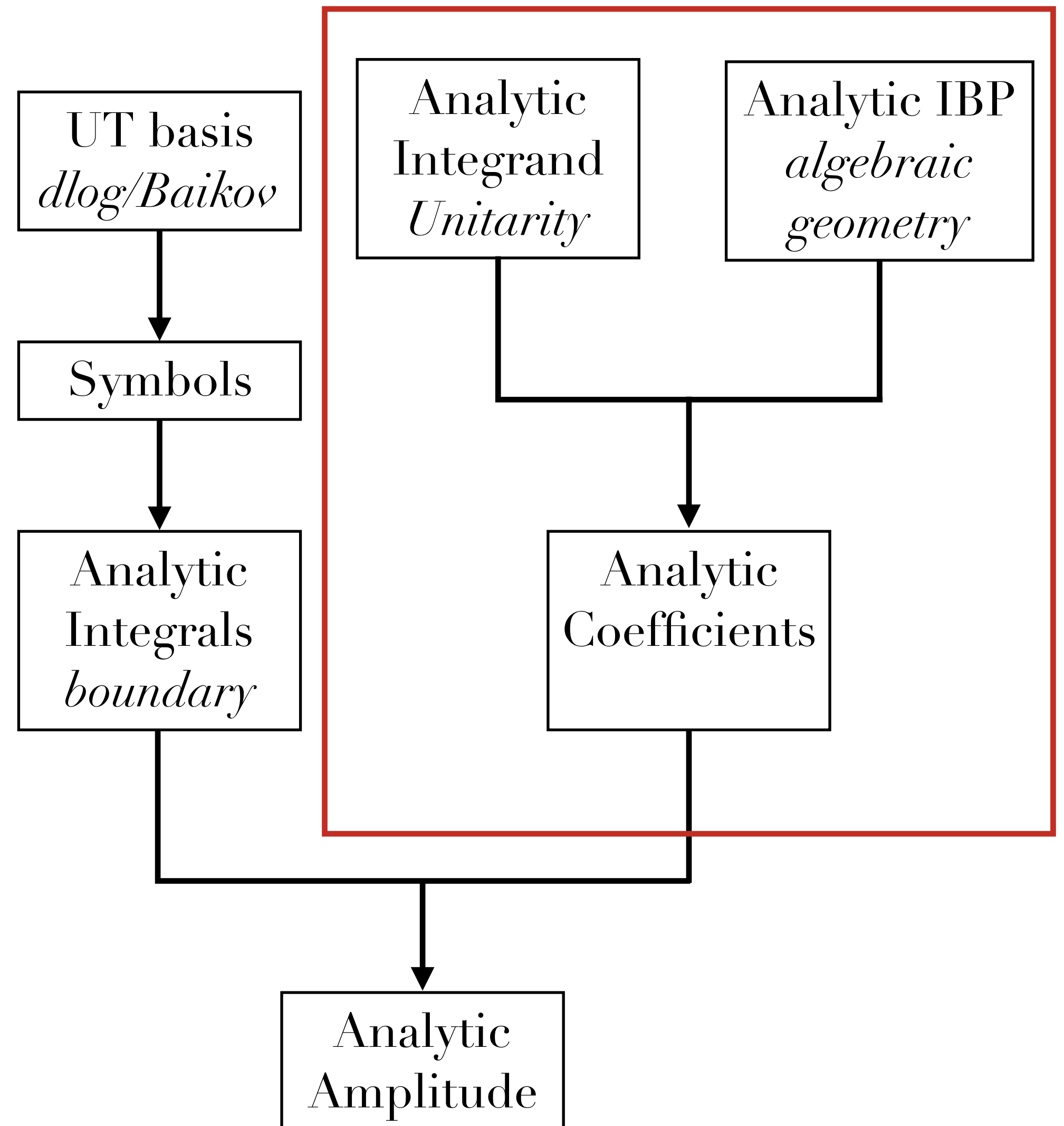
**1 week** to get one numeric point  
error estimated to be  $\sim 0.5\%$

Analytic with our result

$\sim$  minutes with one CPU to get 50 digits, for one point

# Assembly of Amplitudes

IBP with algebraic geometry  
Finite field reconstruction





# Integral reduction

$$\int \frac{d^D l_1}{i\pi^{D/2}} \cdots \int \frac{d^D l_L}{i\pi^{D/2}} \frac{\partial}{\partial l_i^\mu} \frac{v_i^\mu}{D_1^{\alpha_1} \cdots D_k^{\alpha_k}} = 0$$

Chetyrkin, Tkachov 1981  
Laporta 2001

## Integration-by-Parts (IBP) reduction

Laporta

FIRE (Smirnov)

Reduze2 (von Manteuffel, Studerus)

LiteRed (Lee)

Kira (Maierhofer, Usovitsch, Uwer)

## IBP with algebraic geometry

syzygy (Gluza, Kajda, Kosower 2010)

module intersection (Larsen, YZ 2016)

Non-derivative approach

$\eta$  expansion for Feynman integrals, Liu Ma 2018

Intersection theory, Mastrolia et al. 2018

# Module Intersection

module intersection (Larsen, YZ 2016)

IBPs in Baikov Rep.

$$0 = \left( \prod_{i=1}^k \int dz_i \right) \sum_{j=1}^k \frac{\partial}{\partial z_j} \left( \underbrace{a_j(z)}_{\text{Polynomials!}} \det(S)^{\frac{D-L-E-1}{2}} \frac{1}{z_1 \dots z_m} \right)$$

Require

1. no shifted exponent:  $\sum_{j=1}^k a_j(z) \frac{\partial F}{\partial z_j} + \beta(z)F = 0$  These  $(a_1(z), \dots, a_k(z))$  form a module  $M_1 \subset R^k$ .
2. no doubled propagator:  $a_i(z) \in \langle z_i \rangle, \quad 1 \leq i \leq m$  These  $(a_1(z), \dots, a_k(z))$  form a module  $M_2 \subset R^k$ .

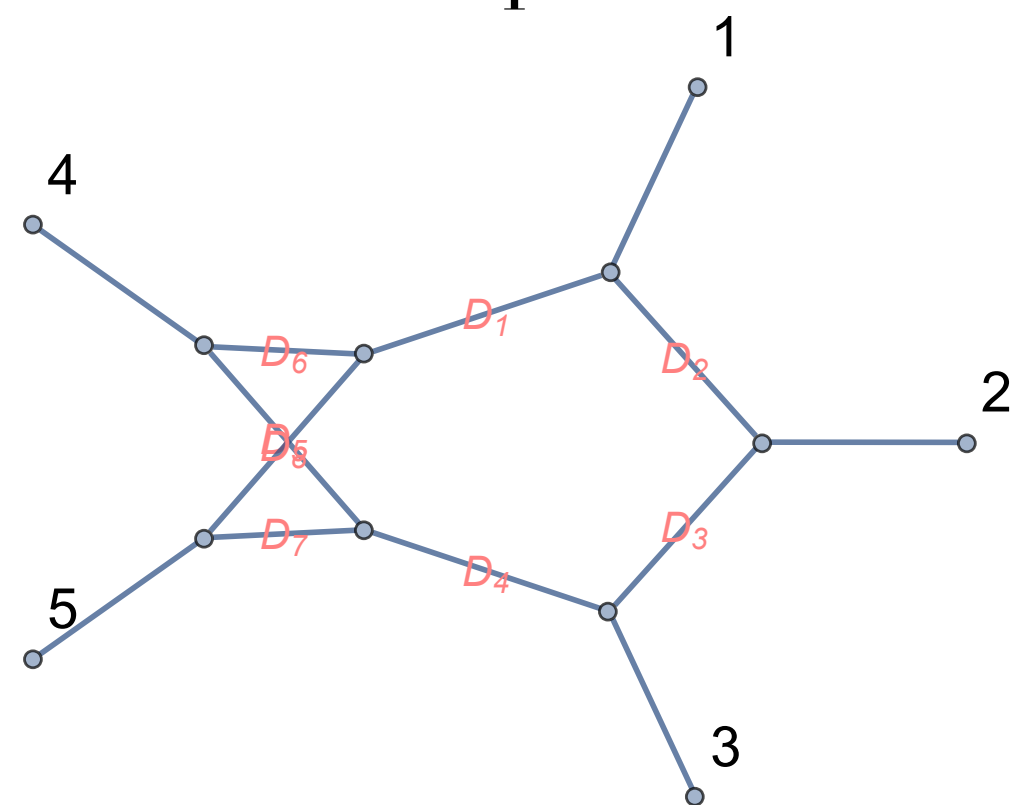
$$M_1 \cap M_2$$

Intersection of two modules

Solvable by **Singular** with the localization trick  
Dramatically reduce the number of IBP relations

# Module Intersection IBP

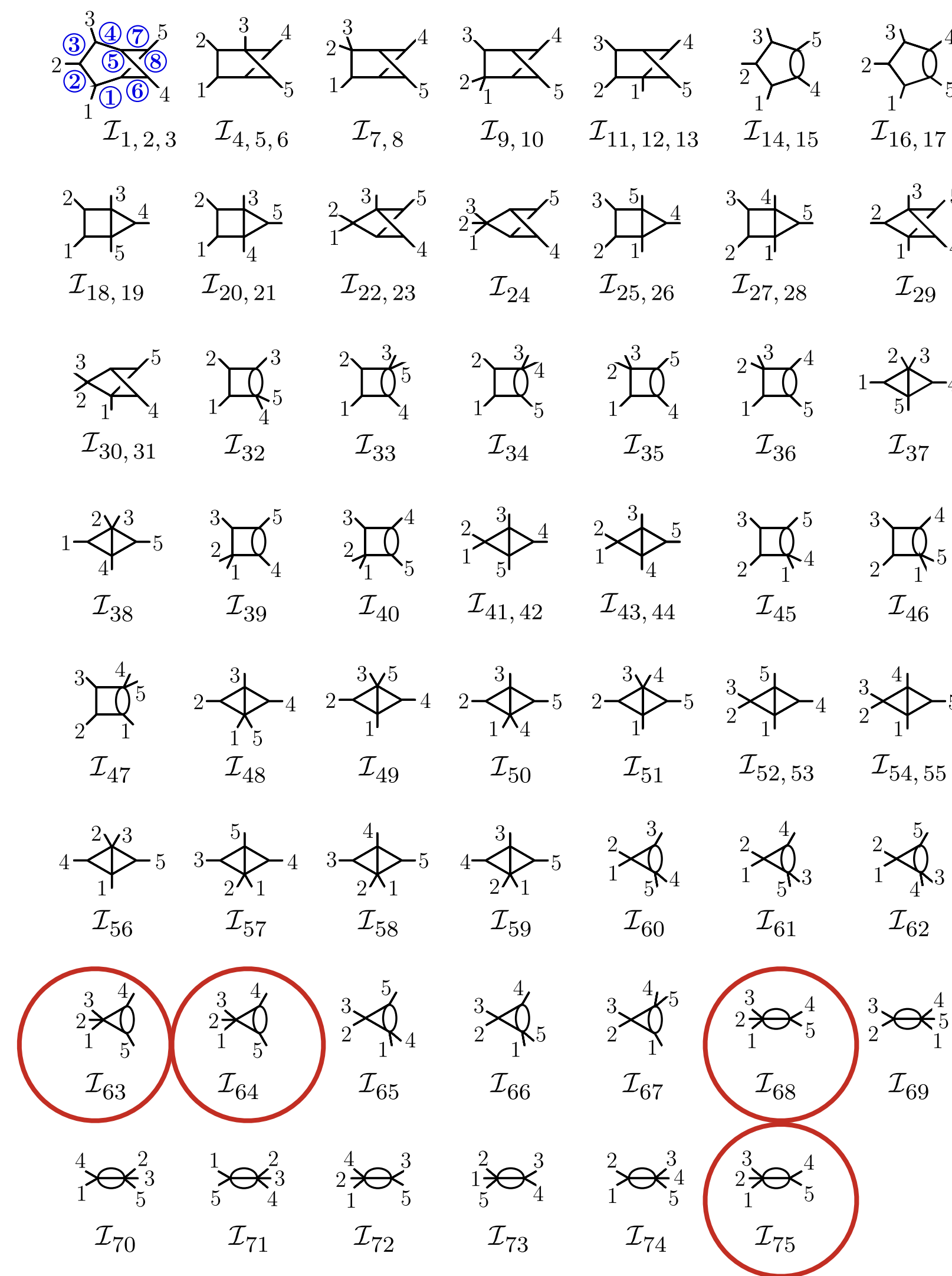
5 scales + spacetime dim



up to degree 4



IBP

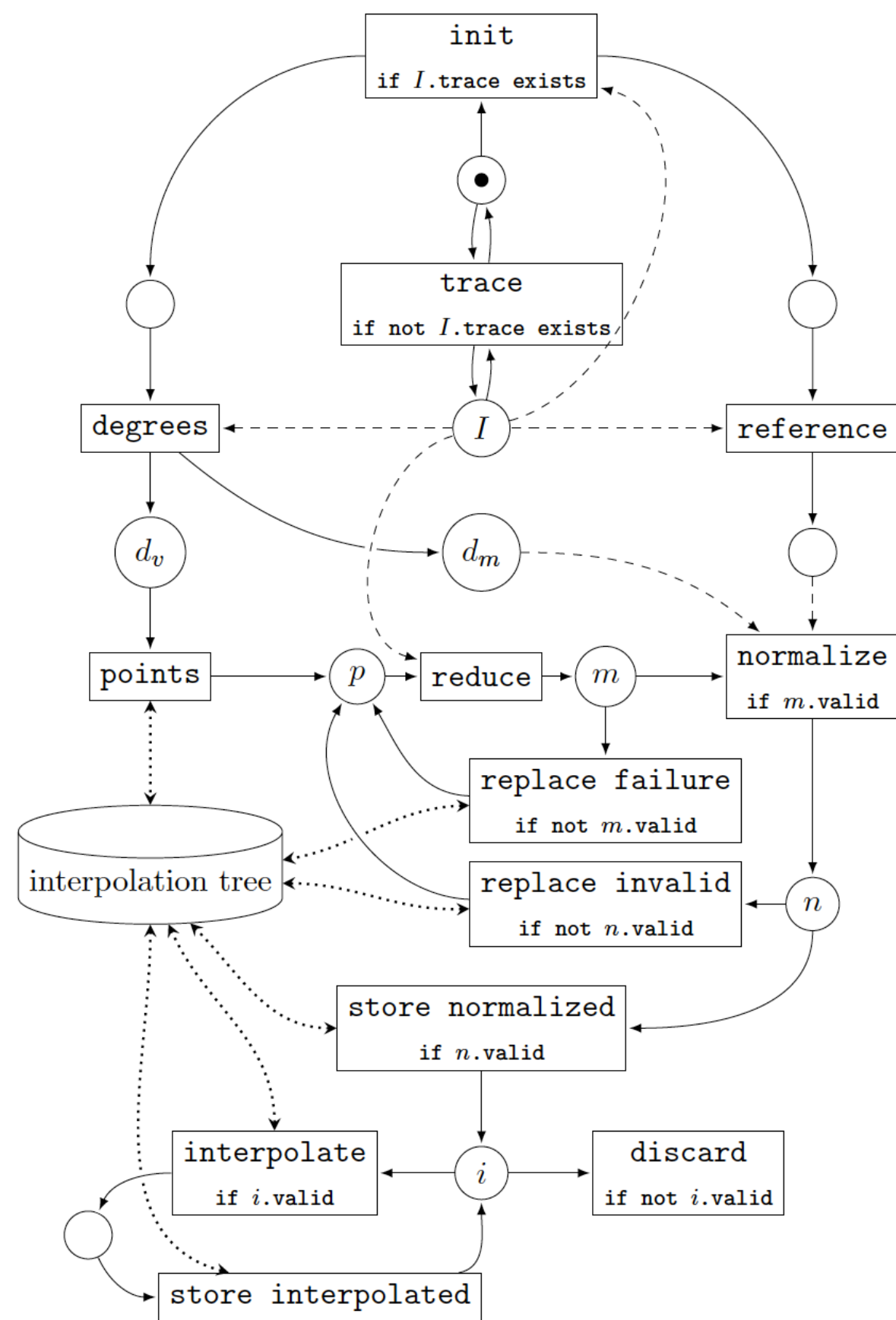


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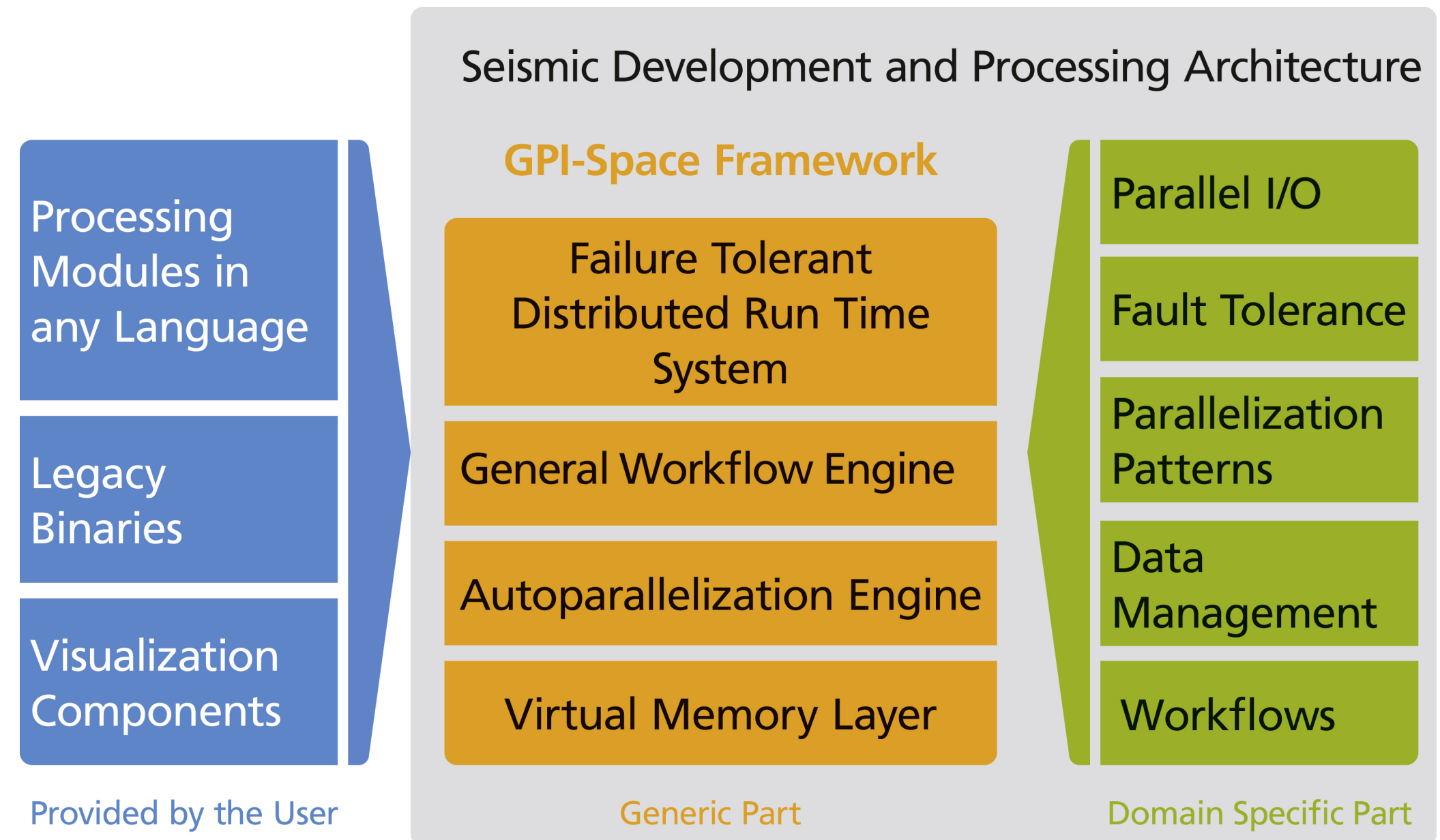
could not be done with FIRE or Kira

# Module Intersection + Petri Net



Petri Net: a graphic rep. of discrete event dynamic system (Carl Adam Petri)

Automated with the framework **GPI-space**



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Kaiserslautern

Bendle, Boehm, Decker, Georgoudis, Pfreundt, Rahn, Wasser, YZ  
2019

# Color structure for five-gluon amplitudes

$$\mathcal{A}_5^{(1)} = \sum_{\lambda=1}^{12} N_c A_\lambda^{(1,0)} T_\lambda + \sum_{\lambda=13}^{22} A_\lambda^{(1,1)} T_\lambda$$

$$\mathcal{A}_5^{(2)} = \sum_{\lambda=1}^{12} \left( N_c^2 A_\lambda^{(2,0)} + A_\lambda^{(2,2)} \right) T_\lambda + \sum_{\lambda=13}^{22} N_c A_\lambda^{(2,1)} T_\lambda$$

$$T_1 = [\text{Tr}(12345) - \text{Tr}(15432)],$$

$$T_2 = [\text{Tr}(14325) - \text{Tr}(15234)],$$

$$T_3 = [\text{Tr}(13425) - \text{Tr}(15243)],$$

$$T_4 = [\text{Tr}(12435) - \text{Tr}(15342)],$$

$$T_5 = [\text{Tr}(14235) - \text{Tr}(15324)],$$

$$T_6 = [\text{Tr}(13245) - \text{Tr}(15423)],$$

$$T_7 = [\text{Tr}(12543) - \text{Tr}(13452)],$$

$$T_8 = [\text{Tr}(14523) - \text{Tr}(13254)],$$

$$T_9 = [\text{Tr}(13524) - \text{Tr}(14253)],$$

$$T_{10} = [\text{Tr}(12534) - \text{Tr}(14352)],$$

$$T_{11} = [\text{Tr}(14532) - \text{Tr}(12354)],$$

$$T_{12} = [\text{Tr}(13542) - \text{Tr}(12453)],$$

Edison, Naculich, 2012

and

$$T_{13} = \text{Tr}(12) [\text{Tr}(345) - \text{Tr}(543)],$$

$$T_{14} = \text{Tr}(23) [\text{Tr}(451) - \text{Tr}(154)],$$

$$T_{15} = \text{Tr}(34) [\text{Tr}(512) - \text{Tr}(215)],$$

$$T_{16} = \text{Tr}(45) [\text{Tr}(123) - \text{Tr}(321)],$$

$$T_{17} = \text{Tr}(51) [\text{Tr}(234) - \text{Tr}(432)],$$

$$T_{18} = \text{Tr}(13) [\text{Tr}(245) - \text{Tr}(542)],$$

$$T_{19} = \text{Tr}(24) [\text{Tr}(351) - \text{Tr}(153)],$$

$$T_{20} = \text{Tr}(35) [\text{Tr}(412) - \text{Tr}(214)],$$

$$T_{21} = \text{Tr}(41) [\text{Tr}(523) - \text{Tr}(325)],$$

$$T_{22} = \text{Tr}(52) [\text{Tr}(134) - \text{Tr}(431)],$$

# Nonplanar N=4 amplitude (symbols)

Integrand: Carrasco-Johansson, 2011

Park-Taylor factor

weight-w function

$$A_{\lambda}^{(2,k)} = \frac{1}{\epsilon^4} \sum_{w=0}^4 \epsilon^w \sum_{i=1}^6 \text{PT}_i f_{w,i}^{(k,\lambda)} + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon),$$

“Most” terms in this amplitude are determined by the infrared structure (Catani’s formula), only the weight-4 double trace term is non-trivial.

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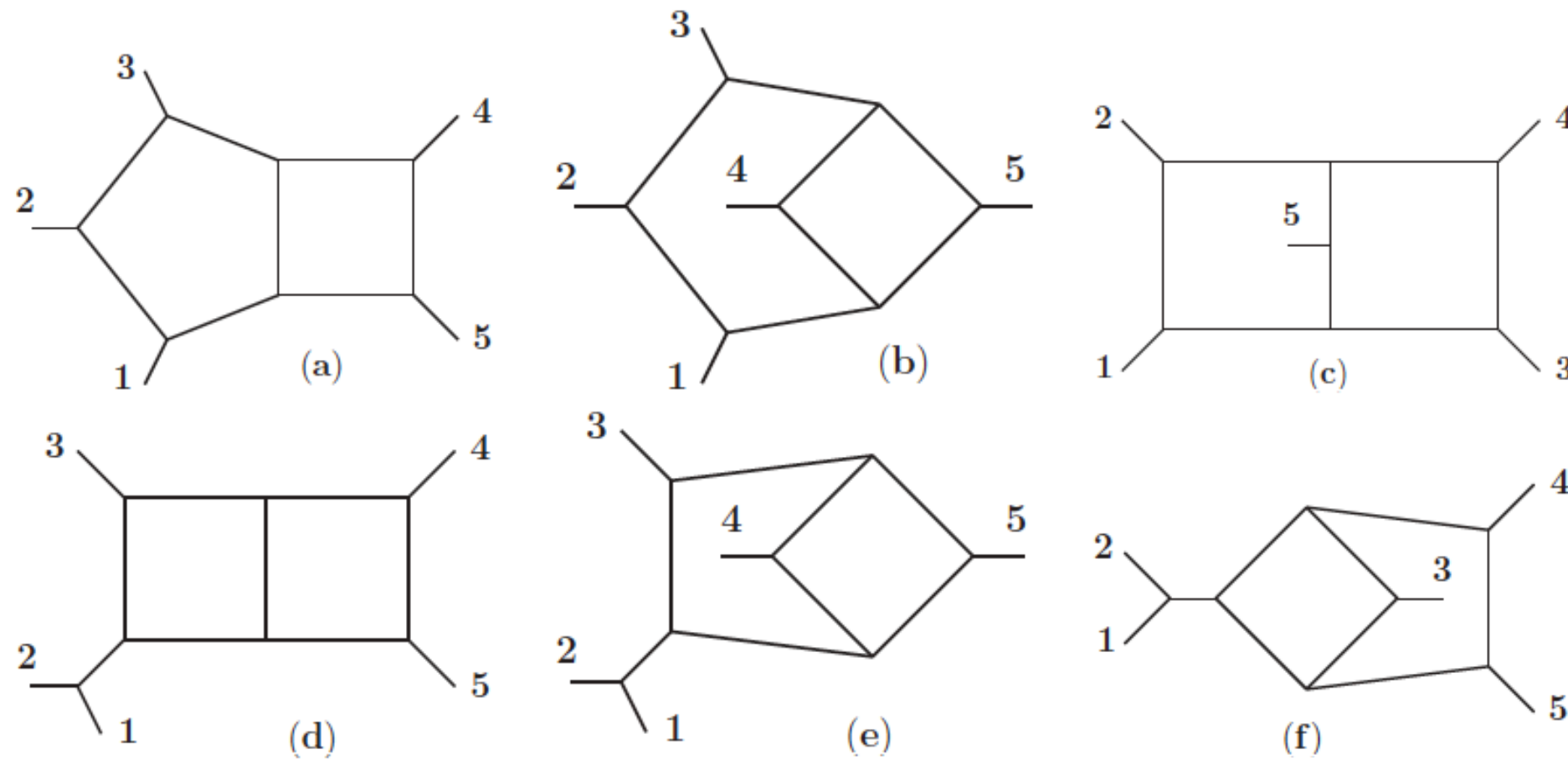
$$\text{hard function} = \sum_{S_5} \text{PT}_1 T_{13} g_{\text{seed}}$$

PhysRevLett.122.121602  
Gehrmann, Henn, Chicherin  
Wasser, YZ, Zoia

# Nonplanar N=8 Supergravity amplitude (symbol)

Bern-Carrasco-Johansson relation 2008

Carrasco-Johansson, 2011



$$(N_i^{\text{sYM}})^2 = N_i^{\text{Sugra}}$$

$$\mathcal{M}_5^{(2)} = \frac{1}{\epsilon^2} \sum_{j=1}^{515} r_j^{(2)} \sum_{w=0}^2 \epsilon^w g_j^{(w)} + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon),$$

After infrared subtraction

$$\mathcal{H}_5^{(2)} = \sum_{S_5} r_{\text{seed}} h_5^{(2)},$$

key formula  
inspired by  
my Ph.D. thesis  
supervised by Henry Tye

$$r_{\text{seed}} = s_{12}s_{23}s_{34}s_{45}\text{PT}(12345)\text{PT}(21435),$$

# 2-loop 5-point +++++ pure-YM amplitude

Badger, Frellesvig, YZ, 2013

Badger, Mogull, Ochirov, O'Connell 2015

$$\Delta_{431} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = -\frac{s_{12}s_{23}s_{45}F_1}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle \text{tr}_5} (\text{tr}_+(1345)(\ell_1 + p_5)^2 + s_{15}s_{34}s_{45}),$$

$$\Delta_{332} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = \frac{s_{12}s_{45}F_1}{4\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle \text{tr}_5} \times \left( s_{23}\text{tr}_+(1345)(2s_{12} - 4\ell_1 \cdot (p_5 - p_4) + 2(\ell_1 - \ell_2) \cdot p_3) - s_{34}\text{tr}_+(1235)(2s_{45} - 4\ell_2 \cdot (p_1 - p_2) - 2(\ell_1 - \ell_2) \cdot p_3) - 4s_{23}s_{34}s_{15}(\ell_1 - \ell_2) \cdot p_3 \right),$$

$$\Delta_{422} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = -\frac{s_{12}s_{23}s_{45}F_1}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle \text{tr}_5} \times \left( \text{tr}_+(1345) \left( \ell_1 \cdot (p_5 - p_4) - \frac{s_{45}}{2} \right) + s_{15}s_{34}s_{45} \right).$$

$$\Delta_{430} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = -\frac{s_{12}\text{tr}_+(1345)}{2\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle s_{13}} (2(\ell_1 \cdot \omega_{123}) + s_{23}) \times \left( F_2 + F_3 \frac{(\ell_1 + \ell_2)^2 + s_{45}}{s_{45}} \right),$$

$$\Delta_{331;5L_1} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = \frac{s_{12}s_{23}s_{34}s_{45}s_{51}F_1}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle \text{tr}_5},$$

$$\Delta_{331;5L_2} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = -\frac{s_{12}s_{45}F_1}{4\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle \text{tr}_5} \times (2s_{23}s_{34}s_{15} - s_{23}\text{tr}_+(1345) + s_{34}\text{tr}_+(1235)),$$

$$\Delta_{322;5L_1} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = -\frac{s_{12}F_1}{2\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle \text{tr}_5} \times (s_{23}s_{45}\text{tr}_+(1435) - s_{15}s_{34}\text{tr}_+(2453)),$$

$$\Delta_{331;M_1} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = \Delta_{322;M_1} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = \Delta_{232;M_1} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = -\frac{s_{34}s_{45}^2\text{tr}_+(1235)F_1}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle \text{tr}_5},$$

$$\Delta_{330;M_1} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = -\frac{(s_{45} - s_{12})\text{tr}_+(1345)}{2\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle s_{13}} \left( F_2 + F_3 \frac{(\ell_1 + \ell_2)^2 + s_{45}}{s_{45}} \right),$$

$$\Delta_{330;5L_1} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = -\frac{1}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle} \times \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \left( \text{tr}_+(1245) - \frac{\text{tr}_+(1345)\text{tr}_+(1235)}{s_{13}s_{35}} \right) \times \left( F_2 + F_3 \frac{4(\ell_1 \cdot p_3)(\ell_2 \cdot p_3) + (\ell_1 + \ell_2)^2(s_{12} + s_{45}) + s_{12}s_{45}}{s_{12}s_{45}} \right) + F_3 \left[ (\ell_1 + \ell_2)^2 s_{15} + \text{tr}_+(1235) \left( \frac{(\ell_1 + \ell_2)^2}{2s_{35}} - \frac{\ell_1 \cdot p_3}{s_{12}} \left( 1 + \frac{2(\ell_2 \cdot \omega_{543})}{s_{35}} + \frac{s_{12} - s_{45}}{s_{35}s_{45}} (\ell_2 - p_5)^2 \right) \right) + \text{tr}_+(1345) \left( \frac{(\ell_1 + \ell_2)^2}{2s_{13}} - \frac{\ell_2 \cdot p_3}{s_{45}} \left( 1 + \frac{2(\ell_1 \cdot \omega_{123})}{s_{13}} + \frac{s_{45} - s_{12}}{s_{12}s_{13}} (\ell_1 - p_1)^2 \right) \right) \right] \right\},$$

$$\Delta_{330;5L_2} = \Delta \left( \text{diagram} \right) = \frac{F_3}{2\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle s_{12}} \times \left( (s_{45} - s_{12})\text{tr}_+(1245) - \left( \text{tr}_+(1245) - \frac{\text{tr}_+(1345)\text{tr}_+(1235)}{s_{13}s_{35}} \right) 2(\ell_1 \cdot p_3) - \frac{s_{45}\text{tr}_+(1235)}{s_{35}} \left( 2(\ell_2 \cdot \omega_{543}) + \frac{s_{12} - s_{45}}{s_{45}} (\ell_2 - p_5)^2 \right) + \frac{s_{12}\text{tr}_+(1345)}{s_{13}} \left( 2(\ell_1 \cdot \omega_{123}) + \frac{s_{45} - s_{12}}{s_{12}} (\ell_1 - p_1)^2 \right) \right).$$



# 2-loop 5-point +++++ pure-YM amplitude

numerator degree-5 IBP needed (impossible by current analytic IBP method)  
indirect finite-field fitting for the amplitude (after IBP) is applicable

All weight-3, weight-4 part of the amplitude  **cancels out**

$$\mathcal{H}^{(2)} = \sum_{S_5/S_{T_1}} T_1 \mathcal{H}_1^{(2)} + \sum_{S_5/S_{T_{13}}} T_{13} \mathcal{H}_{13}^{(2)}$$

$$\mathcal{H}_1^{(2,0)} = \sum_{S_{T_1}} \left\{ -\kappa \frac{[45]^2}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 31 \rangle} I_{123;45} + \kappa^2 \frac{1}{\langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle} \left[ 5 s_{12} s_{23} + s_{12} s_{34} + \frac{\text{tr}_+^2(1245)}{s_{12} s_{45}} \right] \right\},$$

$$\mathcal{H}_{13}^{(2,1)} = \sum_{S_{T_{13}}} \left\{ \kappa \frac{[15]^2}{\langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 42 \rangle} \left[ I_{234;15} + I_{243;15} - I_{324;15} - 4 I_{345;12} - 4 I_{354;12} - 4 I_{435;12} \right] \right. \\ \left. - 6 \kappa^2 \left[ \frac{s_{23} \text{tr}_-(1345)}{s_{34} \langle 12 \rangle \langle 23 \rangle \langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 51 \rangle} - \frac{3}{2} \frac{[12]^2}{\langle 34 \rangle \langle 45 \rangle \langle 53 \rangle} \right] \right\},$$

$$I_{123;45} = \text{Li}_2(1 - s_{12}/s_{45}) + \text{Li}_2(1 - s_{23}/s_{45}) + \log^2(s_{12}/s_{23}) + \pi^2/6.$$

# Summary

- Systematic way of finding UT basis
- Novel approach of determining integral boundary condition
- Novel practical IBP reduction methods
- New amplitudes calculated
  - 2-loop 5-point N=4 Super-Yang-Mills amplitude
  - 2-loop 5-point N=8 Supergravity amplitude
  - 2-loop 5-point +++++ YM amplitude

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Towards a revolution of  
2-loop, 2 to 3 scattering amplitude computation

# Infrared structure

(Catani's dipole formula 98)

$$A(s_{ij}, \epsilon) = \mathbf{Z}(s_{ij}, \epsilon) A^f(s_{ij}, \epsilon) \quad \mathbf{Z}(s_{ij}, \epsilon) = \exp g^2 \left( \frac{\mathbf{D}_0}{2\epsilon^2} - \frac{\mathbf{D}}{2\epsilon} \right)$$

$$\mathbf{D}_0 = \sum_{i \neq j} \vec{\mathbf{T}}_i \cdot \vec{\mathbf{T}}_j, \quad \mathbf{D} = \sum_{i \neq j} \vec{\mathbf{T}}_i \cdot \vec{\mathbf{T}}_j \log \left( -\frac{s_{ij}}{\mu^2} \right),$$

$\mathbf{T}_i$  is the adjoint action of  $su(N_c)$  Lie algebra.

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