

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{light}} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial\phi)^2 - \frac{1}{2} m^2 \phi^2 - \frac{\lambda}{4!} \phi^4$$

$Z_2$  symmetry + Lor. invariance

$$\mathcal{O} \sim \partial^{2n} \phi^{2k} ; \dim = n+k$$

smallest dim :  $n+k=3$

$$\mathcal{O} = \phi^6, \phi^3 \square \phi, (\square \phi)^2$$

$$\text{com: } \square \phi + m^2 \phi + \frac{\lambda}{6} \phi^3 = 0$$


$$\rightarrow \phi^3 \square \phi = -\phi^3 (m^2 \phi + \frac{\lambda}{6} \phi^3) + \text{com}$$

$$\rightarrow -\frac{\lambda}{6} \phi^6 + \text{com} + \text{ren. (of } \lambda)$$

$$(\square \phi)^2 \rightarrow \frac{\lambda^2}{36} \phi^6 + \text{com} + \text{ren. (of } \lambda \text{ \& } m^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{light}} + \frac{c}{\lambda^2} \phi^6 + \dots$$

If  $\mathcal{O} = \phi^3 (\square\phi + m^2\phi + \frac{1}{6}\lambda\phi^3)$

  $= -\frac{6i}{\Lambda^2} \sum (k_i^2 - m^2)$

  $= +i \frac{5!c}{\Lambda^2} \lambda$

1  $\mathcal{O}$  insertion, 6 ext. legs,  $\mathcal{O}(\lambda)$



$$-i\lambda \frac{i}{p^2 - m^2} \cdot 20 \cdot \left(-\frac{6i}{\Lambda^2}\right) (p^2 - m^2)$$

$$-i\lambda \frac{i}{p^2 - m^2} \left(-\frac{6i}{\Lambda^2}\right) \sum (k_i^2 - m^2)$$

$$+i \frac{120c}{\Lambda^2} \lambda$$

→ no single part. pole  
→ cancel.

The factor of 20: let  $\chi = (\square + m^2)\phi$

⇒ need to contract  $\phi^3 \chi$  to  $\frac{1}{4!} \phi^4$

There are 4 ways of getting  $\phi^3 \chi \overbrace{\phi \phi^3}^{\text{contract}}$   
 and the contraction gives 1; then  
 $\rightarrow \frac{4}{4!} \phi^3 \cdot 1 \cdot \phi^3 = \frac{1}{6} \phi^6 = \frac{120}{6!} \phi^6$

which cancels the  $c\lambda\phi^6$  term contribution