

Supplement to Holonomic Quantum Fields. IV

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This note is a supplementary paragraph to our preceding paper IV [1]. Our aim here is to relate the field operators in [1], constructed directly from the commutation relations, to the known models of Lagrangian field theory in two space-time dimensions; namely the Federbush model ([2]) and the massless Thirring model ([3]). In fact this connection has been known in the literature ([4] [5]), which we have come to know only lately. We wish to thank Professor N. Nakanishi for drawing our attention to the articles [5] [6]. As such, the content of this note is not essentially new, except for the exact computation of the n -point functions for the Federbush model (see § 3).

The plan of this note is as follows. In Section 1 we prepare several formulas needed in subsequent paragraphs. In Section 2 we give the operator solutions of the Federbush model ([4] [5] [6]) in terms of the operators introduced in Section 1. By identifying the current with the free one we check the validity of the microcausality and the equations of motion. In Section 3 we calculate their asymptotic fields, S -matrix ([5]) and the n -point functions by appealing to the results of IV [1]. In Section 4 we follow the analogue of Section 2 for the Thirring model, by using the operators introduced in II [7].

§ 1.

Let $\psi(x) = {}^t(\psi_+(x), \psi_-(x))$, $\psi^*(x) = {}^t(\psi_+^*(x), \psi_-^*(x))$ denote the free Dirac fields with positive mass m in two space-time dimensions. We choose the normalization^(*)

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(*) Our definition here differs from [1] by a factor $\sqrt{m/2}$.

$$(1.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \psi_{\pm}(x) &= \sqrt{\frac{m}{2}} \int \underline{du} \sqrt{0+iu}^{\pm 1} e^{-im(x-u+x'u^{-1})} \psi(u) = \psi_{\pm}(x; m), \\ \psi_{\pm}^*(x) &= \sqrt{\frac{m}{2}} \int \underline{du} \sqrt{0+iu}^{\pm 1} e^{-im(x-u+x'u^{-1})} \psi^*(u) = \psi_{\pm}^*(x; m), \end{aligned}$$

so that the canonical equal time anti-commutation relations hold:

$$(1.2) \quad \begin{aligned} [\psi_{\varepsilon}(0, x^1), \psi_{\varepsilon'}^*(0, x'^1)]_+ &= \delta_{\varepsilon\varepsilon'} \delta(x^1 - x'^1) \\ [\psi_{\varepsilon}(0, x^1), \psi_{\varepsilon'}(0, x'^1)]_+ &= 0, [\psi_{\varepsilon}^*(0, x^1), \psi_{\varepsilon'}^*(0, x'^1)]_+ = 0 \\ &(\varepsilon, \varepsilon' = \pm). \end{aligned}$$

In (1.2) $\psi(u)$, $\psi^*(u)$ signify the creation ($u < 0$)-annihilation ($u > 0$) operators in (4.3.48), (4.3.49) of [1], carrying the energy-momentum $p = (p^0, p^1) = \left(m \frac{u + u^{-1}}{2}, m \frac{u - u^{-1}}{2}\right)$ on the mass shell.

In the sequel we adopt the following convention:

$$(1.3) \quad \begin{aligned} \gamma^0 &= \begin{pmatrix} & i \\ -i & \end{pmatrix}, \quad \gamma^1 = \begin{pmatrix} & -i \\ -i & \end{pmatrix}, \quad \gamma^5 = \gamma^0 \gamma^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \\ & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\ \gamma^{\pm} &= \frac{1}{2}(\gamma^0 \pm \gamma^1), \quad x^{\pm} = \frac{1}{2}(x^0 \pm x^1) \\ i\bar{\partial} &= i(\gamma^0 \partial_0 + \gamma^1 \partial_1) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\partial_0 + \partial_1 \\ \partial_0 + \partial_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \bar{\psi}(x) &= {}^t \psi^*(x) \gamma^0 = (-i\psi_{-}^*(x), i\psi_{+}^*(x)). \end{aligned}$$

The free current $j^{\pm}(x)$ and pseudo-current $\tilde{j}^{\pm}(x)$ are, by definition,

$$(1.4) \quad \begin{aligned} j^{\pm}(x) &= : \bar{\psi}(x) \gamma^{\pm} \psi(x) :, \quad \tilde{j}^{\pm}(x) = : \bar{\psi}(x) \gamma^5 \gamma^{\pm} \psi(x) : \\ j^{\pm}(x) &= \mp \tilde{j}^{\pm}(x) = : \psi_{\pm}^*(x) \psi_{\pm}(x) :. \end{aligned}$$

Let now $\varphi_F(a) = \varphi_F(a; l', l'')$ be a field operator satisfying the following commutation relations with the free fields:

$$(1.5) \quad \begin{aligned} \varphi_F(a) \psi_{\pm}(x) &= \begin{cases} e^{2\pi i l''} \psi_{\pm}(x) \varphi_F(a) & \text{if } x^+ < a^+ \text{ and } x^- > a^- \\ e^{2\pi i l'} \psi_{\pm}(x) \varphi_F(a) & \text{if } x^+ > a^+ \text{ and } x^- < a^- \end{cases} \\ \varphi_F(a) \psi_{\pm}^*(x) &= \begin{cases} e^{-2\pi i l''} \psi_{\pm}^*(x) \varphi_F(a) & \text{if } x^+ < a^+ \text{ and } x^- > a^- \\ e^{-2\pi i l'} \psi_{\pm}^*(x) \varphi_F(a) & \text{if } x^+ > a^+ \text{ and } x^- < a^- \end{cases}. \end{aligned}$$

In the case $l'' = 0$ this type of operator has been constructed in [1] ((4.3.67), (4.3.68) with l shifted by a half odd integer). The general

case is obtained by multiplying $e^{-2\pi i l' N}$ with $\varphi_F(a; l' - l'' + 1/2)$ in [1], where $N = \int \underline{du} : \psi^*(-u) \psi(u) :$. The result reads as follows.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1.6) \quad \varphi_F(a; l', l'') &= e^{\rho_F(a; l', l'')/2} \\
 &\rho_F(a; l', l'')/2 \\
 &= \iint \underline{du} \underline{du}' R_F(u, u'; l', l'') e^{-im(a^-(u+u') + a^+(u^{-1} + u'^{-1}))} \psi^*(u) \psi(u') \\
 &R_F(u, u'; l', l'') \\
 &= -2i \sin \pi(l' - l'') \cdot e^{\pi i l' (\varepsilon(u) - \varepsilon(u'))} (u - i0)^{l' - l'' + 1/2} (u' - i0)^{-l' + l'' + 1/2} \\
 &\quad \times P \frac{1}{u + u'} - i (e^{\pi i l' \varepsilon(u)} \sin \pi l' + e^{\pi i l'' \varepsilon(u)} \sin \pi l'') 2\pi |u| \delta(u + u') \\
 &= \overline{R_F(-u', -u; -l', -l'')}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Formulas needed to derive (1.6) are given in the Appendix. Note that the n -point functions for $\varphi_F(a; l', l'')$'s are essentially those in IV since they commute with N . For instance $\langle \varphi_F(a_1; l'_1, l''_1) \varphi_F(a_2; l'_2, l''_2) \rangle = \langle e^{-2\pi i l'_1 N} \varphi_F(a_1; l'_1 - l''_1 + 1/2) e^{-2\pi i l'_2 N} \varphi_F(a_2; l'_2 - l''_2 + 1/2) \rangle = \langle \varphi_F(a_1; l'_1 - l''_1 + 1/2) \varphi_F(a_2; l'_2 - l''_2 + 1/2) \rangle$, and so forth.

For later reference we calculate the short distance behavior of the product $j^\pm(x) \varphi_F(a; l', l'')$. We have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1.7) \quad j^\pm(x) \varphi_F(a; l', l'') &= \langle j^\pm(x) \varphi_F(a; l', l'') \rangle \varphi_F(a; l', l'') \\
 &+ : \psi_\pm^*(x, a; l', l'') \psi_\pm(x, a; l', l'') e^{\rho_F(a; l', l'')/2} :
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1.8) \quad \langle j^\pm(x) \varphi_F(a; l', l'') \rangle &= \frac{\mp i m^2 \sin \pi(l' - l'')}{\pi^2} (x - a)^\pm \\
 &\times (K_{-l'+l''}(mr) K_{l'-l''}(mr) - K_{l'-l''+1}(mr) K_{-l'+l''+1}(mr)), \\
 &(r = 2\sqrt{-(x-a)^+(x-a)^-})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1.9) \quad \psi_\pm^*(x, a; l', l'') &= \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \phi_{l'+j}^*(a; l'') \cdot w_{l+j}(- (x-a)^- + i0, (x-a)^+ - i0)_\pm \\
 &+ \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \phi_{l-j}^*(a; l'') \cdot w_{l+j}^*(- (x-a)^- + i0, (x-a)^+ - i0)_\pm
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \psi_{\pm}(x, a; l', l'') \\
&= \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \psi_{-l+j}(a; l'') \cdot w_{-l+j}(- (x-a)^{-} + i0, (x-a)^{+} - i0)_{\pm} \\
&+ \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_{-l-j}(a; l'') \cdot w_{l+j}^{*}(- (x-a)^{-} + i0, (x-a)^{+} - i0)_{\pm}
\end{aligned}$$

with $l = l' - l'' + 1/2$ and

$$\begin{aligned}
(1.10) \quad \psi_{\kappa}^{*}(a; l'') &= \sqrt{\frac{m}{2}} \int \underline{du} (0 + iu)^{\kappa} e^{+2\pi i l'' \theta(u)} \psi^{*}(u) e^{-im(a-u+a^{*}u^{-1})} \\
\psi_{\kappa}(a; l'') &= \sqrt{\frac{m}{2}} \int \underline{du} (0 + iu)^{\kappa} e^{-2\pi i l'' \theta(u)} \psi(u) e^{-im(a-u+a^{*}u^{-1})}.
\end{aligned}$$

The functions $w_l = {}^l(w_{l+}, w_{l-})$, $w_l^{*} = {}^l(w_{l+}^{*}, w_{l-}^{*})$ appearing in (1.9) are those in IV [1].

In particular, assuming $0 < |l' - l''| < 1/2$ we have from (1.7)~(1.10)

$$(1.11) \quad \langle j^{\pm}(x) \varphi_F(a; l', l'') \rangle = \pm \frac{l' - l''}{4\pi i} \frac{1}{(x-a)^{\mp}} + 0(1) \quad (x \rightarrow a)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(1.12) \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow a} : \psi_{\pm}^{*}(x, a; l', l'') \psi_{\pm}(x, a; l', l'') e^{\rho_F(a; l', l'')/2} : \\
&= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} : \left(\psi_l^{*}(a; l'') \frac{(-m(x-a)^{-})^{l \mp 1/2}}{(l \mp \frac{1}{2})!} \right. \\
&+ \dots + \psi_{l-1}^{*}(a; l'') \frac{(m(x-a)^{+})^{1-l \pm 1/2}}{(1-l \pm \frac{1}{2})!} + \dots \Big) \\
&\times \left(\psi_{1-l}(a; l'') \cdot \frac{(-m(x-a)^{-})^{1-l \mp 1/2}}{(1-l \mp \frac{1}{2})!} \right. \\
&+ \dots + \psi_{-l}(a; l'') \frac{(m(x-a)^{+})^{l \pm 1/2}}{(l \pm \frac{1}{2})!} + \dots \Big) e^{\rho_F(a; l', l'')/2} : \\
&= \frac{\sin \pi(l' - l'')}{\pi(l' - l'')} : \psi_{l'-l'' \pm 1/2}^{*}(a; l'') \psi_{-l'+l'' \pm 1/2}(a; l'') e^{\rho_F(a; l', l'')/2} : \\
&= \pm \frac{1}{4\pi i(l' - l'')} \frac{\partial}{\partial a^{\mp}} \varphi_F(a; l', l'').
\end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$(1.13) \quad \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2} (j^\pm(a + \varepsilon) \varphi_F(a; l', l'') + j^\pm(a - \varepsilon) \varphi_F(a; l', l'')) \\ = \pm \frac{1}{4\pi i (l' - l'')} \frac{\partial}{\partial a^\mp} \varphi_F(a; l', l'') \quad \left(0 < |l' - l''| < \frac{1}{2}\right).$$

§ 2.

The Federbush model ([2]) is a 2-dimensional model theory in which two species $\Psi_\alpha(x) = (\Psi_{\alpha^+}(x), \Psi_{\alpha^-}(x))$, $\bar{\Psi}_\alpha(x) = (\Psi_{\alpha^+}^*(x), \Psi_{\alpha^-}^*(x)) \gamma^0$ ($\alpha = I, II$) of massive Dirac fields are interacting via current-pseudocurrent interaction. Its Lagrangian is written as

$$(2.1) \quad \mathcal{L}_{FED} = \mathcal{L}_0 + \mathcal{L}_{int}, \\ \mathcal{L}_0 = \sum_{\alpha=I,II} \bar{\Psi}_\alpha(x) (i\partial - m_\alpha) \Psi_\alpha(x) \\ \mathcal{L}_{int} = -2g (J_I^-(x) \tilde{J}_I^+(x) + J_I^+(x) \tilde{J}_I^-(x)) \\ = -g \sum_{\mu, \nu=0,1} \varepsilon_{\mu\nu} J_I^\mu(x) J_I^\nu(x)$$

where $J_\alpha^\pm(x) = \bar{\Psi}_\alpha(x) \gamma^\pm \Psi_\alpha(x) = \mp \tilde{J}_\alpha^\pm(x) = 1/2 (J_\alpha^0(x) \pm J_\alpha^1(x))$ ($\alpha = I, II$), $\varepsilon_{\mu\nu} = -\varepsilon_{\nu\mu}$, $\varepsilon_{10} = 1$. Accordingly the equations of motion are

$$(2.2) \quad (i\partial - m_I) \Psi_I(x) - 2g (\tilde{J}_I^+(x) \gamma^- + \tilde{J}_I^-(x) \gamma^+) \Psi_I(x) = 0 \\ (i\partial - m_{II}) \Psi_{II}(x) + 2g (\tilde{J}_I^+(x) \gamma^- + \tilde{J}_I^-(x) \gamma^+) \Psi_{II}(x) = 0.$$

As has been pointed out previously in the literature ([3] [4] [5]) this model has an explicit operator solution. Namely let $\psi_\alpha(x; m_\alpha)$ ($\alpha = I, II$) denote independent^(*) free fermion fields of mass m_α , and let $\varphi_{F\alpha}(x; l', l''; m_\alpha)$ be the corresponding operators introduced in Section 1. Then the products

$$(2.3) \quad \Psi_I(x) = \psi_I(x; m_I) \cdot \varphi_{FI}(x; l', l''; m_{II}) \\ \Psi_{II}(x) = \psi_{II}(x; m_{II}) \cdot \varphi_{FI}(x; l'', l'; m_I) \\ \bar{\Psi}_I(x) = \bar{\psi}_I(x; m_I) \cdot \varphi_{FI}(x; -l', -l''; m_{II}) \\ \bar{\Psi}_{II}(x) = \bar{\psi}_{II}(x; m_{II}) \cdot \varphi_{FI}(x; -l'', -l'; m_I)$$

(*) That is, they are regarded as elements of a Clifford algebra $A(W_I \oplus W_{II}) \cong A(W_I) \otimes A(W_{II})$ of a direct sum of orthogonal spaces W_I, W_{II} . In particular ψ_I or ψ_I^* and ψ_{II} or ψ_{II}^* totally anticommute with each other.

provide an exact solution of the Federbush model (2.1). The parameters l' , l'' are related to the coupling constant g through

$$(2.4) \quad g = 2\pi(l' - l'').$$

In the sequel we shall check the validity of the equations of motion (2.2), examining the precise meaning of the current, product at an equal space-time point, etc.

(1) **Microcausality.** Making use of the commutation relation (1.5) and the local commutativity of φ_F -fields (cf. pp. 102~107 [1]), we may verify the microcausality for $\Psi_I(x), \Psi_{II}(x)$. For example if $(x-x')^+ < 0$ and $(x-x')^- > 0$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \Psi_I(x)\Psi_{II}(x') \\ &= \psi_I(x; m_I)\varphi_{FII}(x; l', l''; m_{II}) \cdot \psi_{II}(x'; m_{II})\varphi_{FI}(x'; l'', l'; m_I) \\ &= e^{2\pi i l''} \psi_I(x; m_I)\psi_{II}(x'; m_{II})\varphi_{FII}(x; l', l'', m_{II})\varphi_{FI}(x'; l'', l'; m_I) \\ &= -e^{2\pi i l''} \psi_{II}(x'; m_{II})\psi_I(x; m_I)\varphi_{FI}(x'; l'', l', m_I)\varphi_{FII}(x; l', l'', m_{II}) \\ &= -\psi_{II}(x'; m_{II})\varphi_{FI}(x'; l'', l'; m_I)\psi_I(x; m_I)\varphi_{FII}(x; l', l'', m_{II}) \\ &= -\Psi_{II}(x')\Psi_I(x). \end{aligned}$$

Similar argument shows that any two of $\Psi_I(x), \Psi_{II}(x), \bar{\Psi}_I(x)$ and $\bar{\Psi}_{II}(x)$ anticommute for spacelike separation of variables.

(2) **Current.** Formally the current for $\Psi_I(x)$ is given by $J_I^\pm(x) = \bar{\Psi}_I(x)\gamma^\pm\Psi_I(x) = \psi_{I\pm}^*(x)\psi_{I\pm}(x) \cdot \varphi_{FII}(x; -l', -l''; m_{II})\varphi_{FI}(x; l', l''; m_I)$. The second factor, if it has a meaning, should again be an element of the Clifford group whose induced rotation is 1. It is natural therefore to regard this factor as a constant. Thus we identify the interacting currents with the free ones: $J_\alpha^\pm(x) \doteq j_\alpha^\pm(x)$ ($\alpha = I, II$).

(3) **Equation of motion.** Applying the Dirac operator $i\partial - m_I$ to (2.3) we obtain

$$(2.5) \quad \begin{aligned} (i\partial - m_I)\Psi_I(x) &= (i\partial - m_I)\psi_I(x; m_I) \cdot \varphi_{FII}(x; l', l''; m_{II}) \\ &\quad + \psi_I(x, m_I) \cdot i\partial\varphi_{FII}(x; l', l''; m_{II}) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \psi_I(x; m_I) \cdot i \left(\gamma^+ \frac{\partial}{\partial x^+} \varphi_{FI}(x) + \gamma^- \frac{\partial}{\partial x^-} \varphi_{FI}(x) \right).$$

On the other hand we have from (1.13)

$$(2.6) \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial x^\pm} \varphi_F(x; l', l''; m_I) = -2ig \tilde{f}_I^\mp(x) \cdot \varphi_F(x; l', l''; m_I)$$

where the product of the right hand side is defined through the point separating limit (1.13). This shows that

$$\begin{aligned} (i\partial - m_I) \Psi_I(x) &= 2g(\gamma^+ \tilde{f}_I^-(x) + \gamma^- \tilde{f}_I^+(x)) \cdot \Psi_I(x) \\ &= 2g(\gamma^+ \tilde{J}_I^-(x) + \gamma^- \tilde{J}_I^+(x)) \cdot \Psi_I(x). \end{aligned}$$

The second equation of (2.2) is checked similarly.

All these considerations have a straightforward extension to include many species of fermions. Namely a model with Lagrangian

$$(2.7) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} &= \sum_{\alpha=1}^A \bar{\Psi}_\alpha(x) (i\partial - m_\alpha) \Psi_\alpha(x) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha, \beta=1}^A \lambda_{\alpha\beta} (J_{\alpha}^-(x) \tilde{J}_{\beta}^+(x) + J_{\alpha}^+(x) \tilde{J}_{\beta}^-(x)) \end{aligned}$$

has an operator solution

$$(2.8) \quad \begin{aligned} \Psi_\alpha(x) &= \psi_\alpha(x) \prod_{\beta(\neq\alpha)} \varphi_{F\beta}(x; l_{\alpha\beta}, l_{\beta\alpha}) \\ \bar{\Psi}_\alpha(x) &= \bar{\psi}_\alpha(x) \prod_{\beta(\neq\alpha)} \varphi_{F\beta}(x; -l_{\alpha\beta}, -l_{\beta\alpha}) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$(2.9) \quad \lambda_{\alpha\beta} = 2\pi(l_{\alpha\beta} - l_{\beta\alpha}) = -\lambda_{\beta\alpha}.$$

§ 3.

The asymptotic fields for $\Psi_\alpha(x)$ are calculated in the same way as in Proposition 4.6.2 of IV [1]. We merely state the results here.

Define $\Psi_{\alpha in}^{out}(u)$ to be

$$(3.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \sqrt{\frac{m}{2}} \sqrt{0+iu}^\epsilon \Psi_{\alpha in}^{out}(u) &= \lim_{t \rightarrow \mp\infty} \frac{i\epsilon(u)}{2} \int_{x^0=t} dx^1 \left(e^{im_\alpha(x^-u+x^+u^{-1})} \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times \frac{\partial}{\partial x^0} \Psi_{\alpha\epsilon}(x) - \Psi_{\alpha\epsilon}(x) \frac{\partial}{\partial x^0} e^{im_\alpha(x^-u+x^+u^{-1})} \right) \end{aligned}$$

where $\alpha = I, II$ and $\varepsilon = \pm$ refers to the spinor component. We also define $\Psi_{\alpha \varepsilon}^{* \text{in}}(u)$ by replacing $\Psi_{\alpha \varepsilon}(x)$ by $\Psi_{\alpha \varepsilon}^*(x)$ in the right hand side of (3.1). We set further

$$(3.2) \quad N_{\alpha u}^+ = \int_0^{|u|} du' (\phi_{\alpha}^{*\dagger}(u') \phi_{\alpha}^*(u') - \phi_{\alpha}^{\dagger}(u') \phi_{\alpha}(u'))$$

$$N_{\alpha u}^- = \int_{|u|}^{\infty} du' (\phi_{\alpha}^{*\dagger}(u') \phi_{\alpha}^*(u') - \phi_{\alpha}^{\dagger}(u') \phi_{\alpha}(u'))$$

$$N_{\alpha}(u; l', l'') = l' N_{\alpha u}^+ + l'' N_{\alpha u}^-$$

$$(\alpha = I, II, \phi_{\alpha}^{*\dagger}(u) = \phi_{\alpha}(-u), \phi_{\alpha}^{\dagger}(u) = \phi_{\alpha}^*(-u)).$$

We have then the following (cf. (13), (14) of VIII [8]).

$$(3.3) \quad \Psi_{I \text{ in}}(u) = \psi_I(u) e^{2\pi i N_{II}(u; l', l'')}$$

$$\Psi_{I \text{ out}}(u) = \psi_I(u) e^{2\pi i N_{II}(u; l', l'')}$$

$$(3.4) \quad \Psi_{II \text{ in}}(u) = \psi_{II}(u) e^{2\pi i N_I(u; l', l'')}$$

$$\Psi_{II \text{ out}}(u) = \psi_{II}(u) e^{2\pi i N_I(u; l', l'')}$$

$$(3.5) \quad \Psi_{I \text{ in}}^*(u) = \psi_I^*(u) e^{-2\pi i N_{II}(u; l', l'')}$$

$$\Psi_{I \text{ out}}^*(u) = \psi_I^*(u) e^{-2\pi i N_{II}(u; l', l'')}$$

$$(3.6) \quad \Psi_{II \text{ in}}^*(u) = \psi_{II}^*(u) e^{-2\pi i N_I(u; l', l'')}$$

$$\Psi_{II \text{ out}}^*(u) = \psi_{II}^*(u) e^{-2\pi i N_I(u; l', l'')}.$$

Making use of the equations

$$(3.7) \quad e^{2\pi i N_{\alpha}(u; l', l'')} \phi_{\alpha}(u') e^{-2\pi i N_{\alpha}(u; l', l'')} = \begin{cases} e^{2\pi i l'} \phi_{\alpha}(u') & (|u| > |u'|) \\ e^{2\pi i l''} \phi_{\alpha}(u') & (|u| < |u'|) \end{cases}$$

$$e^{2\pi i N_{\alpha}(u; l', l'')} \phi_{\alpha}^*(u') e^{-2\pi i N_{\alpha}(u; l', l'')} = \begin{cases} e^{-2\pi i l'} \phi_{\alpha}^*(u') & (|u| > |u'|) \\ e^{-2\pi i l''} \phi_{\alpha}^*(u') & (|u| < |u'|) \end{cases}$$

we can explicitly verify the canonical anticommutation relations

$$(3.8) \quad [\Psi_{\alpha \text{ in}}(u), \Psi_{\beta \text{ out}}^*(u')]_{+} = \delta_{\alpha\beta} 2\pi |u| \delta(u + u').$$

Other combinations vanish identically.

Remark. If we start with $\varphi_{\pm}^{\mathbb{F}}(a; l', l'') =: \psi_{\pm}(a) e^{\rho(a; l', l'')/2}$: and $\varphi_{\pm}^{*\mathbb{F}}(a; l', l'') =: \psi_{\pm}^*(a) e^{\rho(a; -l', -l'')/2}$: instead of taking the tensor product

(2.3), we obtain the asymptotic fields (cf. [8])

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.9) \quad \varphi_{in}^F(u; l', l'') &= e^{2\pi i N(u; l', l'')} \psi(u) & (u > 0) \\
 &= \psi(u) e^{2\pi i N(u; l', l'')} & (u < 0) \\
 \varphi_{in}^{*F}(u; l', l'') &= e^{2\pi i N(u; -l', -l'')} \psi^*(u) & (u > 0) \\
 &= \psi^*(u) e^{2\pi i N(u; -l', -l'')} & (u < 0)
 \end{aligned}$$

($\varphi_{out}^F, \varphi_{out}^{*F}$ are obtained by interchanging l' and l'').

However in this case they do *not* satisfy the canonical anti-commutation relations. For instance

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.10) \quad \varphi_{in}^F(u; l', l'') \varphi_{in}^F(u'; l', l'') &= -e^{-2\pi i(l'-l'')\varepsilon(|u|-|u'|)} \varepsilon(|u|-|u'|) \\
 &\quad \times \varphi_{in}^F(u'; l', l'') \varphi_{in}^F(u; l', l''), \\
 \varphi_{in}^F(u; l', l'') \varphi_{in}^{*F}(u'; l', l'') &= 2\pi |u| \delta(u+u') \\
 &\quad - e^{2\pi i(l'-l'')\varepsilon(|u|-|u'|)} \varphi_{in}^{*F}(u'; l', l'') \varphi_{in}^F(u; l', l''),
 \end{aligned}$$

and so forth. Although there seems to be no simple equations of motion for $\varphi_{\pm}^F, \varphi_{\pm}^{*F}$, they are manifestly covariant fields satisfying the micro-causality. Therefore the canonical anticommutation relation for the asymptotic fields are not a consequence of these properties.

The 2-body S-matrices are read off from (3.7) directly. For $u, u' > 0$ we use the notation $|\bar{I}p, IIp'\rangle_{in} = \Psi_{out}^{*I}(-u) \Psi_{out}^{II}(-u') |\text{vac}\rangle$ ($p = (m_I \frac{u+u^{-1}}{2}, m_I \frac{u-u^{-1}}{2})$, $p' = (m_{II} \frac{u'+u'^{-1}}{2}, m_{II} \frac{u'-u'^{-1}}{2})$), etc. (Note that $\Psi_{out}^{*I}(-u)$ (resp. $\Psi_{out}^{II}(-u)$) represents a creation operator of particle α (resp. anti-particle $\bar{\alpha}$) with momentum p^1 .) Then we find

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.11) \quad |\alpha p, \alpha' p'\rangle_{out} &= S_{2,2}(\alpha p, \alpha' p') |\alpha p, \alpha' p'\rangle_{in} \\
 &\quad (\alpha, \alpha' = I, II, \bar{I}, \bar{II})
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.12) \quad S_{2,2}(\alpha p, \alpha' p') &= 1 & (\alpha, \alpha' = I, II, \bar{I}, \bar{II}) \\
 S_{2,2}(Ip, IIp') &= S_{2,2}(\bar{I}p, \bar{II}p') = e^{i\theta\varepsilon(p^0 p^1 - p^0 p'^1)} \\
 S_{2,2}(\bar{I}p, IIp') &= S_{2,2}(Ip, \bar{II}p') = e^{-i\theta\varepsilon(p^0 p^1 - p^0 p'^1)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

That is, the S -matrices are energy independent constants, but they do depend on from which direction the two particles approach each other. This has been first noted in [5]. It is easy to see by using (3.3) \sim (3.6) that a general S -matrix element factorizes into a product of 2-body S -matrices (“factorization property”, [5]):

$$(3.13) \quad |\alpha_1 p_1, \dots, \alpha_n p_n\rangle_{out} = \prod_{i < j} S_{2,2}(\alpha_i p_i, \alpha_j p_j) |\alpha_1 p_1, \dots, \alpha_n p_n\rangle_{in}$$

where $\alpha_i = I, II, \bar{I}$ or \bar{II} and $S_{2,2}(\alpha p, \alpha' p')$ denotes one of the corresponding factors displayed in (3.12).

Let us turn to the n -point functions. In general if $\{i_1, \dots, i_k\} \cup \{j_1, \dots, j_{n-k}\}$ is a partition of $\{1, \dots, n\}$, then

$$(3.14) \quad \begin{aligned} & \langle \Psi_{I\varepsilon_{i_1}}^{\sigma_{i_1}}(x_{i_1}) \cdots \Psi_{II\varepsilon_{j_1}}^{\sigma_{j_1}}(x_{j_1}) \cdots \Psi_{II\varepsilon_{j_{n-k}}}^{\sigma_{j_{n-k}}}(x_{j_{n-k}}) \cdots \Psi_{I\varepsilon_{i_k}}^{\sigma_{i_k}}(x_{i_k}) \rangle \\ &= \langle \psi_{\varepsilon_{i_1}}^{\sigma_{i_1}}(x_{i_1}) \cdots \varphi_F^{\sigma_{j_1}}(x_{j_1}; l'', l') \cdots \varphi_F^{\sigma_{j_{n-k}}}(x_{j_{n-k}}; l'', l') \cdots \psi_{\varepsilon_{i_k}}^{\sigma_{i_k}}(x_{i_k}) \rangle \\ & \times \langle \varphi_F^{\sigma_{i_1}}(x_{i_1}; l', l'') \cdots \psi_{\varepsilon_{j_1}}^{\sigma_{j_1}}(x_{j_1}) \cdots \psi_{\varepsilon_{j_{n-k}}}^{\sigma_{j_{n-k}}}(x_{j_{n-k}}) \cdots \varphi_F^{\sigma_{i_k}}(x_{i_k}; l', l'') \rangle \\ & \quad (\varepsilon_i = \pm 1, \sigma_i = \pm 1) \end{aligned}$$

where $\Psi_{\alpha\varepsilon}^+(x) = \Psi_{\alpha\varepsilon}^*(x)$, $\Psi_{\alpha\varepsilon}^-(x) = \Psi_{\alpha\varepsilon}(x)$, $\psi_{\varepsilon}^+(x) = \psi_{\varepsilon}^*(x)$, $\psi_{\varepsilon}^-(x) = \psi_{\varepsilon}(x)$ and $\varphi_F^+(x; l'', l') = \varphi_F(x; -l'', -l')$, $\varphi_F^-(x; l'', l') = \varphi_F(x; l'', l')$. Using

$$(3.15) \quad \begin{aligned} & \langle \psi_{i_1} \cdots \varphi_{j_1} \cdots \varphi_{j_{n-k}} \cdots \psi_{i_k} \rangle \\ &= \langle 1 \cdots \varphi_{j_1} \cdots \varphi_{j_{n-k}} \cdots 1 \rangle \\ & \times \text{Pfaffian} \left[\frac{\langle \underbrace{1 \cdots \psi_{\mu} \cdots \varphi_{j_1} \cdots \varphi_{j_{n-k}} \cdots \psi_{\nu} \cdots 1 \rangle}_{\mu, \nu = i_1, \dots, i_k}}{\langle 1 \cdots 1 \cdots \varphi_{j_1} \cdots \varphi_{j_{n-k}} \cdots 1 \cdots 1 \rangle} \right] \\ & \quad (\psi_{i_s}, \varphi_{j_s} \text{ are shorthands for } \psi_{\varepsilon_{i_s}}^{\sigma_{i_s}}(x_{i_s}) \text{ and } \varphi_F^{\sigma_{j_s}}(x_{j_s}; l'', l')) \end{aligned}$$

we obtain closed expressions as well as infinite series expansions for (3.14) by the aid of the results of IV [1]. Note that (3.14) reduces to 0 if either k or $n-k$ is odd. It also vanishes unless positive- and negative- σ_{i_p} 's (resp. σ_{j_p} 's) are equal in number.

Example (2 point functions). The only non-zero combinations for $n=2$ are

$$(3.16) \quad \begin{aligned} & \langle \Psi_{I\varepsilon_1}^*(x_1) \Psi_{I\varepsilon_2}(x_2) \rangle \\ &= \langle \psi_{\varepsilon_1}^*(x_1) \psi_{\varepsilon_2}(x_2) \rangle \langle \varphi_F(x_1; -l', -l'') \varphi_F(x_2; l', l'') \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle \Psi_{I\epsilon_1}(x_1) \Psi_{I\epsilon_2}^*(x_2) \rangle \\ & = \langle \psi_{\epsilon_1}(x_1) \psi_{\epsilon_2}^*(x_2) \rangle \langle \varphi_F(x_1; l', l'') \varphi_F(x_2; -l', -l'') \rangle \end{aligned}$$

and those obtained by interchanging I with II and l' with l'' . Here $\langle \varphi_F(x_1; -l', -l'') \varphi_F(x_2; l', l'') \rangle = \langle \varphi_F(x_1; -l' + l'' + 1/2) \varphi_F(x_2; l' - l'' + 1/2) \rangle = \tau_{F_2}$ is given by (IV [1])

$$(3.17) \quad \tau_{F_2} = \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \int_t^\infty ds \left(s \left(\left(\frac{d\psi}{ds} \right)^2 - \sinh^2 \psi \right) - \frac{l^2}{s} \tanh^2 \psi \right)\right)$$

with $t = 2m_2 \sqrt{-(x_1 - x_2)^+ (x_1 - x_2)^-}$ and

$$(3.18) \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \left(t \frac{d\psi}{dt} \right) &= \frac{l^2}{t} \tanh \psi (1 - \tanh^2 \psi) + \frac{t}{2} \sinh 2\psi, \\ l &= -2(l' - l'') = -g/\pi. \end{aligned}$$

§ 4.

Here we follow the analogue of Section 2 for the (massless) Thirring model defined through the Lagrangian

$$(4.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{TH} &= \bar{\Psi}(x) i \partial \Psi(x) + g (\bar{\Psi}(x) \Psi(x))^2 \\ &= -\Psi_+^*(x) \partial_+ \Psi_+(x) - \Psi_-^*(x) \partial_- \Psi_-(x) \\ &\quad - 2g \Psi_+^*(x) \Psi_+(x) \Psi_-^*(x) \Psi_-(x) \end{aligned}$$

with the equations of motion

$$(4.2) \quad \begin{aligned} \partial_+ \Psi_+(x) + 2ig \Psi_-^*(x) \Psi_-(x) \cdot \Psi_+(x) &= 0 \\ -\partial_- \Psi_-(x) - 2ig \Psi_+^*(x) \Psi_+(x) \cdot \Psi_-(x) &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Formally the Federbush model (2.1) reduces in the massless limit to two non-interacting Thirring models ([2]):

$$(4.3) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{FED} |_{m_I, F=0} & \\ &= -\Psi_{I+}^*(x) \partial_+ \Psi_{I+}(x) - \Psi_{I-}^*(x) \partial_- \Psi_{I-}(x) \\ &\quad - 2g \Psi_{I+}^*(x) \Psi_{I+}(x) \Psi_{I-}^*(x) \Psi_{I-}(x) \\ &\quad - \Psi_{I+}^*(x) \partial_+ \Psi_{I+}(x) - \Psi_{I-}^*(x) \partial_- \Psi_{I-}(x) \\ &\quad + 2g \Psi_{I+}^*(x) \Psi_{I+}(x) \Psi_{I-}^*(x) \Psi_{I-}(x). \end{aligned}$$

In accordance with this fact, the operator solution for (4.1) is obtained by modifying the operators constructed in II [7] which are regarded as massless limits of those in IV [1].

Let $\psi^*(x), \psi(x)$ be free fermion operators in one dimension (II [7]) such that

$$(4.4) \quad \begin{pmatrix} [\psi^*(x), \psi^*(x')]_+ & [\psi^*(x), \psi(x')]_+ \\ [\psi(x), \psi^*(x')]_+ & [\psi(x), \psi(x')]_+ \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \delta(x-x')$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \langle \psi^*(x)\psi^*(x') \rangle & \langle \psi^*(x)\psi(x') \rangle \\ \langle \psi(x)\psi^*(x') \rangle & \langle \psi(x)\psi(x') \rangle \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{i}{x-x'+i0}.$$

In correspondence with (1.6) we introduce $\varphi_F(a) = \varphi_F(a; l', l'')$ through

$$(4.5) \quad \varphi_F(a; l', l'') = : e^{\rho_F(a; l', l'')/2} :$$

$$(4.6) \quad \rho_F(a; l', l'')/2 = \iint dx dx' R(x-a, x'-a; l', l'') \psi^*(x)\psi(x')$$

$$R(x, x'; l', l'') = (e^{-\pi i l'}(x+i0)^{-l'+l''} - e^{\pi i l'}(x-i0)^{-l'+l''})$$

$$\times \left(\frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{i}{x-x'+i0} e^{-\pi i l''}(x'-i0)^{l'-l''} \right.$$

$$\left. + \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{-i}{x-x'-i0} e^{\pi i l''}(x'+i0)^{l'-l''} \right)$$

which enjoys the property

$$(4.7) \quad \varphi_F(a)\psi(x) = \begin{cases} e^{2\pi i l'}\psi(x)\varphi_F(a) & (x < a) \\ e^{2\pi i l''}\psi(x)\varphi_F(a) & (x > a) \end{cases}$$

$$\varphi_F(a)\psi^*(x) = \begin{cases} e^{-2\pi i l'}\psi^*(x)\varphi_F(a) & (x < a) \\ e^{-2\pi i l''}\psi^*(x)\varphi_F(a) & (x > a). \end{cases}$$

Setting $j(x) = \psi^*(x)\psi(x)$ we find that

$$(4.8) \quad j(x)\varphi_F(a; l', l'')$$

$$= \langle j(x)\varphi_F(a; l', l'') \rangle_{\varphi_F(a; l', l'')} + : \psi^*(x, a; l', l'')\psi(x, a; l', l'') e^{\rho_F(a; l', l'')} :$$

where

$$(4.9) \quad \langle j(x)\varphi_F(a; l', l'') \rangle = -\frac{l'-l''}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{x-a}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.10) \quad & \psi^*(x, a; l', l'') \\
 &= \int dx' \psi^*(x') \left(e^{-\pi i l''} (x' - a + i0)^{-l'+l''} \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{i}{x' - x + i0} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + e^{\pi i l''} (x' - a - i0)^{-l'+l''} \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{-i}{x' - x - i0} \right) \cdot e^{\pi i l''} (x - a + i0)^{l'-l''} \\
 &\psi(x, a; l', l'') \\
 &= \int dx' \psi(x') \left(e^{\pi i l''} (x' - a + i0)^{l'-l''} \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{i}{x' - x + i0} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + e^{-\pi i l''} (x' - a - i0)^{l'-l''} \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{-i}{x' - x - i0} \right) \cdot e^{-\pi i l''} (x - a + i0)^{-l'+l''}.
 \end{aligned}$$

We have also

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.11) \quad & \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2} (j(a + \varepsilon) \varphi_F(a; l', l'') + j(a - \varepsilon) \varphi_F(a; l', l'')) \\
 &= -\frac{1}{2\pi i (l' - l'')} \frac{d}{da} \varphi_F(a; l', l'').
 \end{aligned}$$

By a similar argument as in Section 2, the following operators, constructed from copies of ψ^* , ψ and φ_F , are shown to satisfy the microcausality and the equations of motion (4.2) for the Thirring model.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.12) \quad & \Psi_+(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \psi_I(-x^-) \cdot \varphi_{FI}(x^+; l', l'') \\
 & \Psi_-(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \psi_I(x^+) \cdot \varphi_{FI}(-x^-; l'', l') \\
 & \Psi_+^*(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \psi_I^*(-x^-) \cdot \varphi_{FI}(x^+; -l', -l'') \\
 & \Psi_-^*(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \psi_I^*(x^+) \cdot \varphi_{FI}(-x^-; -l'', -l').
 \end{aligned}$$

Here the factor $1/\sqrt{2}$ is inserted to adjust the normalization: $[(1/\sqrt{2}) \times \psi_\alpha(\mp x^\mp), (1/\sqrt{2}) \psi_\alpha^*(\mp x'^\mp)]_+|_{x^0=x'^0} = \delta(x^1 - x'^1)$ ($\alpha = I, II$), and the coupling constant g is given by

$$(4.13) \quad g = 2\pi (l' - l'').$$

Since the n -point functions of φ_F are power functions (II, § 4 [7];

the corresponding monodromy is abelian), this expression (4.12) agrees with the known result [9] for n -point functions of the Thirring model.

Appendix

Let $W = V^\dagger \oplus V$ be an orthogonal vector space and its holonomic decomposition ([10]). We assume that it is also equipped with a “charge structure”; namely W admits an orthogonal decomposition $W'^* \oplus W'$ into isomorphic copies $W'^* \cong W'$ of an orthogonal space $W' = V'^\dagger \oplus V'$, so that one has the “charge operator” N characterized by the following properties:

$$(A.1) \quad \begin{aligned} [N, w^*] &= w^*, \quad w^* \in W'^* \\ [N, w] &= -w, \quad w \in W' \\ \langle N \rangle &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

In other words we have $c^N w^* c^{-N} = c w^* (w^* \in W'^*)$, $c^N w c^{-N} = c^{-1} w$ ($w \in W$) and $\langle c^N \rangle = 1$ for any $c \in \mathbf{C}$. Choose a basis $\{v_\mu\}_{\mu=1, \dots, N}$ for W' and its copy $\{v_\mu^*\}_{\mu=1, \dots, N}$ for W'^* , and set $J = (\langle v_\mu, v_\nu \rangle) = (\langle v_\mu^*, v_\nu^* \rangle)$, $K = (\langle v_\mu v_\nu \rangle) = (\langle v_\mu^* v_\nu^* \rangle)$, $E_+ = J^{-1} K$ and $E_- = J^{-1} {}^t K$. In terms of these basis the charge operator is given by

$$(A.2) \quad N = \sum_{\mu, \nu=1}^N (J^{-1})_{\mu\nu} v_\mu^* v_\nu - \frac{1}{2} N = \sum_{\mu, \nu=1}^N (J^{-1})_{\mu\nu} : v_\mu^* v_\nu :.$$

Now let $g \in G(W)$ be an element that commutes with N :

$$(A.3) \quad \begin{aligned} \text{Nr}(g) &= \langle g \rangle e^{\rho/2}, \\ \rho/2 &= \sum_{\mu, \nu=1}^N r_{\mu\nu} v_\mu^* v_\nu = v^* R {}^t v \\ R &= (r_{\mu\nu}), \quad v^* = (v_1^*, \dots, v_N^*), \quad v = (v_1, \dots, v_N). \end{aligned}$$

We have then the following formulas:

$$(A.4) \quad \begin{aligned} \text{Nr}(c^N g) &= \langle g \rangle e^{\rho_c/2} = \text{Nr}(g c^N) \\ \rho_c/2 &= v^* R_c {}^t v, \\ R_c J &= (1 - c^{-1}) E_c + c^{-1} E_c \cdot R J \cdot E_c \end{aligned}$$

Here we have set $E_c = c E_+ + E_-$. In particular we have $\text{Nr}(c^N) = \exp(v^* \cdot (1 - c^{-1}) E_c J^{-1} \cdot {}^t v)$.

$$(A. 5) \quad \text{Nr} (c^N: (w_1 + w_2^*) \cdots (w_{2k-1} + w_{2k}^*) e^{\theta/2}:) \\ = (E_{c^{-1}}(w_1) + E_c(w_2^*)) \cdots (E_{c^{-1}}(w_{2k-1}) + E_c(w_{2k}^*)) e^{\theta/2}.$$

In (A.5) $E_c(w)$ is understood to be $cw^{(+)} + w^{(-)}$ for $w = w^{(+)} + w^{(-)} \in W'$ ($w^{(+)} \in V', w^{(-)} \in V'$), and similarly for $w^* \in W'^*$.

All these formulas are valid in the symplectic case, provided that we replace J, E_+, E_-, N by $H = K - {}^tK, E_+ = H^{-1}K, E_- = -H^{-1}{}^tK$ and $N = v^*H^{-1}{}^tv + N/2$, respectively.

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