

Taylor-Lagrange renormalization scheme and light-front dynamics

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after integration over p^0 .

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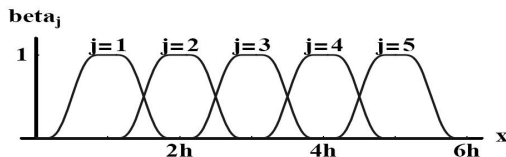
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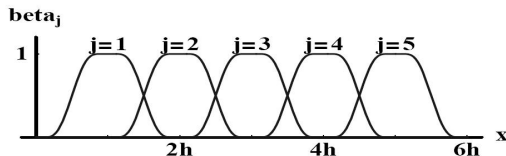
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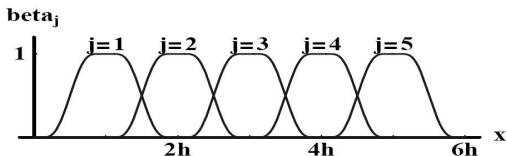
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- 2 f is a PU $\Rightarrow f^n$ is also a PU

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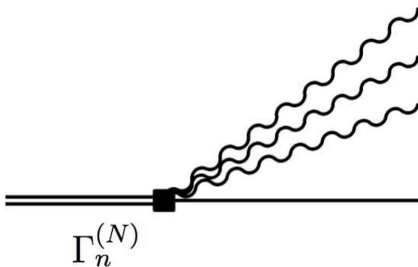
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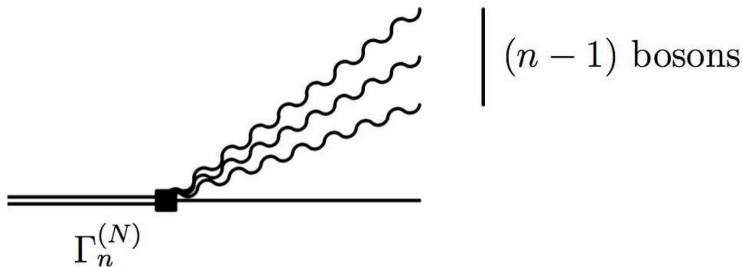
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- Finite self energy type diagrams \Rightarrow **mathematically well defined.**

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Compared to the PV result, the finite scale η replaces the PV mass :

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