

# The $SL(K+3, C)$ Symmetry of the Bosonic String Scattering Amplitudes

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# Linear Relations of SSA in the Hard Scattering Limit

- Symmetry:
  - Gauge theory: “Symmetry dictates interaction”
  - String theory:  
**self-consistency condition**  $\rightarrow$  interactions  $\xrightarrow{?}$  symmetry
- QFT: Spontaneously broken symmetries are:
  - Hidden at low-energy
  - Evident at high-energy
- String: Infinite symmetries are suggested by
  - **Soft UV** of hard string scatterings (**exponential fall-off**)
  - Field theory hard scatterings (**power law divergent**)
  - Infinite states without free parameters  $\rightarrow$  Huge Symmetry Group or Relations among SSA !?

# Linear Relations of SSA in the Hard Scattering Limit

- Conjectures: Saddle-point approximation (Gross, PRL, 1988)
- Existence of **linear relations** among SSA of different string states in the hard scattering limit (high-energy, fixed angle limit).
- We can use **zero norm states** (Lee, 1990, PRL) to derive the Ward-Takahashi identities which can be used to calculate the ratio of different SSA.

$$\langle V_1 V_{ZNS} V_3 V_4 \rangle = 0$$

# Linear Relations of SSA in the Hard Scattering Limit

- Consider 4-point SSA in the hard scattering limit, we apply the zero norm state on one vertex and fix the other vertices to be certain states.
- By using **decoupling ZNS**, we can solve the ratio of the amplitudes of different string state.
- For example, there are 4 leading order SSA at mass level  $M_2^2 = 4$  (Chan, Lee, 2004, NPB):

$$T_{TTT} : T_{LLT} : T_{(LT)} : T_{[LT]} = 8 : 1 : -1 : -1$$

# Linear Relations of SSA in the Hard Scattering Limit

- The linear relations can be **generalized to higher mass levels**:

$$M_2^2 = 2(N - 1)$$

- One first note that for each fixed mass level  $N$ , states of leading order in the Hard string scattering limit are of the following form (CHLTY, 2006, PRL).

$$V_2 \rightarrow |N, 2m, q\rangle \equiv (\alpha_{-1}^T)^{N-2m-2q} (\alpha_{-1}^L)^{2m} (\alpha_{-2}^L)^q |0; k\rangle$$

- The ratios among hard SSA of different string states at each fixed mass level  $N$  are (Decoupling of ZNS) (to all string loops!) (CHLTY, 2006, PRL)

$$\frac{A_{st}^{N,2m,q}}{A_{st}^{N,0,0}} = \left(\frac{-1}{M_2}\right)^{2m+q} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{m+q} (2m-1)!!$$

- At string-tree level, the above **ratios** can be explicitly calculated by **saddle-point method**.
- **Gross conjectures were explicitly proved!!**

# Linear Relations of SSA in the Hard Scattering Limit

- The linear relations among SSA in hard scattering limit can also be extended to superstring case. In **NS sector**, for mass  $M^2 = 2$ , the ratios between the 4-point amplitudes associated with  $(\alpha_{-1}^T)(b_{-1/2}^T)|0; k\rangle$ ,  $(\alpha_{-1}^L)(b_{-1/2}^L)|0; k\rangle$ ,  $(b_{-3/2}^L)|0; k\rangle$  are  $1 : \frac{1}{M^2} : -\frac{1}{M}$  (Chan, Lee, Yang, NPB, 2005)
- Recently, we have calculated a class of polarized fermionic string scattering amplitudes (PFSSA) at arbitrary mass levels. We found that under hard scattering limit, the functional forms of the non-vanishing PFSSA at each fixed mass level are independent of the choices of spin polarizations. This result justifies and extends Gross's conjecture to the **fermionic sector**. (Lai, Lee, Yang, PLB, 2019)

# Recurrence Relations of SSA in Regge Scattering Limit

- Let's consider another high energy limit, the Regge limit, which is also called fixed momentum transfer or high energy small angle regime:

$$s \rightarrow \infty, -t = \text{fixed}(\text{but } -t \neq \infty)$$

- The SSA of 1 arbitrary state and 3 tachyons can be written as the product of three parts, beta function, polarizations and the **“first Appell function”** (Lee, Yang, 2014, PLB):

$$|p_n, q_m, r_l\rangle = \prod_{n>0} (\alpha_{-n}^T)^{p_n} \prod_{m>0} (\alpha_{-m}^P)^{q_m} \prod_{l>0} (\alpha_{-l}^L)^{r_l} |0, k\rangle,$$

$$A^{(p_n; q_m; r_l)} = \prod_{n=1} [(n-1)! \sqrt{-t}]^{p_n} \prod_{m=1} \left[ -(m-1)! \frac{\tilde{t}}{2M_2} \right]^{q_m} \prod_{l=1} \left[ (l-1)! \frac{\tilde{t}'}{2M_2} \right]^{r_l} \\ \cdot F_1 \left( -\frac{t}{2} - 1; -q_1, -r_1; \frac{s}{2}; -\frac{s}{\tilde{t}}, -\frac{s}{\tilde{t}'} \right) \cdot B \left( -\frac{s}{2} - 1, -\frac{t}{2} - 1 \right).$$



# Recurrence Relations of SSA in Regge Scattering Limit

- In hard scattering limit, we have linear relations among different SSA. Analogously, there are **four fundamental recurrence relations** which link the contiguous functions in the Appell case:

$$(a - b_1 - b_2) F_1(a; b_1, b_2; c; x, y) - a F_1(a + 1; b_1, b_2; c; x, y) + b_1 F_1(a; b_1 + 1, b_2; c; x, y) + b_2 F_1(a; b_1, b_2 + 1; c; x, y) = 0, \quad (1)$$

$$c F_1(a; b_1, b_2; c; x, y) - (c - a) F_1(a; b_1, b_2; c + 1; x, y) - a F_1(a + 1; b_1, b_2; c + 1; x, y) = 0, \quad (2)$$

$$c F_1(a; b_1, b_2; c; x, y) + c(x - 1) F_1(a; b_1 + 1, b_2; c; x, y) - (c - a) x F_1(a; b_1 + 1, b_2; c + 1; x, y) = 0, \quad (3)$$

$$c F_1(a; b_1, b_2; c; x, y) + c(y - 1) F_1(a; b_1, b_2 + 1; c; x, y) - (c - a) y F_1(a; b_1, b_2 + 1; c + 1; x, y) = 0. \quad (4)$$

- These recurrence relations can be used to **reduce the number of independent SSA from  $\infty$  down to 1 under Regge limit** (Lee, Yang, 2014).
- In the Regge limit, the string scattering amplitudes with the Appell function  $F_1$  are associated with the symmetry group  $SL(5, \mathbb{C})$ .

# The D-type LSSA

- We calculated the 26-D open bosonic SSA of **three tachyons and one arbitrary string state** for **all energies**.
- We discovered that these SSA can be expressed in terms of the **D-type Lauricella** functions with associated **SL(K+3,C)** symmetry. (Lai, Lee, Yang, 2016, JHEP)

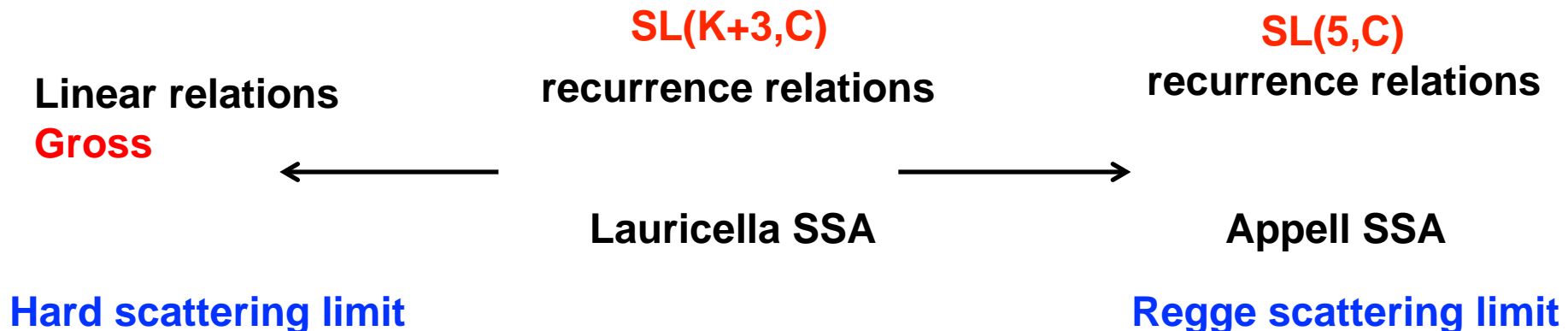
$$A_{st}^{(r_n^T, r_m^P, r_l^L)} = \prod_{n=1}^{r_n^T} [-(n-1)!k_3^T]^{r_n^T} \cdot \prod_{m=1}^{r_m^P} [-(m-1)!k_3^P]^{r_m^P} \prod_{l=1}^{r_l^L} [-(l-1)!k_3^L]^{r_l^L} \\ \cdot B\left(-\frac{t}{2}-1, -\frac{s}{2}-1\right) F_D^{(K)}\left(-\frac{t}{2}-1; R_n^T, R_m^P, R_l^L; \frac{u}{2}+2-N; \tilde{Z}_n^T, \tilde{Z}_m^P, \tilde{Z}_l^L\right),$$

$$K = \sum_{\{\text{for all } r_j^T \neq 0\}} j + \sum_{\{\text{for all } r_j^P \neq 0\}} j + \sum_{\{\text{for all } r_j^L \neq 0\}} j .$$

- The results of the **hard scattering limit**, the **Regge scattering limit** can be rederived from the D-type Lauricella SSA.

# The Recurrence Relations of D-type LSSA

- Both linear relations in hard scattering limit and the recurrence relations in Regge limit can be used to reduce the number of independent SSA from  $\infty$  down to 1.
- To solve the LSSA, we will first generalize the **2+2 recurrence relations** of the Appell functions to the **K+2 recurrence relations** of the D-type Lauricella functions.
- By using these extended recurrence relations, All LSSA can be solved and expressed in terms of one four tachyon amplitude (Lai, Lee, Lee, Yang, 2017, JHEP).



# The Recurrence Relations of D-type LSSA

- We have **K+2 fundamental recurrence relations** of the D-type Lauricella functions which are the extension of the 2+2 fundamental recurrence relations of Appell functions.

$$\left( \alpha - \sum_j \beta_j \right) F_D^{(K)} - \alpha F_D^{(K)} (\alpha + 1) + \sum_j \beta_j F_D^{(K)} (\beta_j + 1) = 0, \quad (1)$$

$$\gamma F_D^{(K)} - (\gamma - \alpha) F_D^{(K)} (\gamma + 1) - \alpha F_D^{(K)} (\alpha + 1; \gamma + 1) = 0, \quad (2)$$

$$\gamma F_D^{(K)} + \gamma(x_m - 1) F_D^{(K)} (\beta_m + 1) + (\alpha - \gamma) x_m F_D^{(K)} (\beta_m + 1; \gamma + 1) = 0. \quad (3)$$

- m can be chosen from 1 to K in third recurrence relation.

# The Extended LSSA

- LSSA are not the basis functions of the representation space of  $SL(K+3, \mathbb{C})$  group. To further discuss and calculate the group representation of the LSSA for general  $K$ , we first define the **extended LSSA (Miller, 1973)**.

$$f_{ac}^{b_1 \cdots b_K}(\alpha; \beta_1, \cdots, \beta_K; x_1, \cdots, x_K) \\ = B(\gamma - \alpha, \alpha) F_D^{(K)}(\alpha; \beta_1, \cdots, \beta_K; \gamma; x_1, \cdots, \cdots, x_K) a^\alpha b_1^{\beta_1} \cdots b_K^{\beta_K} c^\gamma.$$

- By setting the  $a = 1 = c$ , the extended LSSA can be reduced to LSSA:

$$A_{st}^{(r_n^T, r_m^P, r_l^L)} = f_{11}^{-(n-1)!k_3^P, -(l-1)!k_3^L} \left( -\frac{t}{2} - 1; -R_n^T, -R_m^P, -R_l^L; \frac{u}{2} + 2 - N; \tilde{Z}_n^T, \tilde{Z}_m^P, \tilde{Z}_l^L \right).$$

# The Operators of $SL(K+3, \mathbb{C})$ Algebra

- We first introduce the  $(K + 3)^2 - 1$  generators of  $SL(K + 3, \mathbb{C})$  group.

$$E^\alpha = a \left( \sum_j x_j \partial_j + a \partial_a \right), E^{\beta_k} = b_k (x_k \partial_k + b_k \partial_{b_k}), E^\gamma = c \left( \sum_j (1 - x_j) \partial_{x_j} + c \partial_c - a \partial_a - \sum_j b_j \partial_{b_j} \right),$$

$$E^{\alpha\gamma} = ac \left( \sum_j (1 - x_j) \partial_{x_j} - a \partial_a \right), E^{\beta_k\gamma} = b_k c [(x_k - 1) \partial_{x_k} + b_k \partial_{b_k}], E^{\alpha\beta_k\gamma} = ab_k c \partial_{x_k},$$

$$E_\alpha = \frac{1}{a} \left[ \sum_j x_j (1 - x_j) \partial_{x_j} + c \partial_c - a \partial_a - \sum_j x_j b_j \partial_{b_j} \right],$$

$$E_{\beta_k} = \frac{1}{b_k} \left[ x_k (1 - x_k) + x_k \sum_{j \neq k} x_j (1 - x_j) \partial_{x_j} + c \partial_c - x_k a \partial_a - \sum_j b_j \partial_{b_j} \right],$$

$$E_\gamma = -\frac{1}{c} \left( \sum_j x_j \partial_{x_j} + c \partial_c - 1 \right), E_{\alpha\gamma} = \frac{1}{ac} \left[ \sum_j x_j (1 - x_j) \partial_{x_j} + c \partial_c - 1 - \sum_j x_j b_j \partial_{b_j} \right],$$

$$E_{\beta_k\gamma} = \frac{1}{b_k c} \left[ x_k (x_k - 1) \partial_{x_k} + \sum_{j \neq k} (x_j - 1) x_j \partial_{x_j} + x_k a \partial_a - c \partial_c + 1 \right],$$

$$E_{\alpha\beta_k\gamma} = \frac{1}{ab_k c} \left[ \sum_j x_j (x_j - 1) \partial_{x_j} - c \partial_c + x_k a \partial_a + \sum_j x_j b_j \partial_{b_j} - x_k + 1 \right],$$

$$E_{\beta_p}^{\beta_k} = \frac{b_k}{b_p} [(x_k - x_p) \partial_{x_k} + b_k \partial_{b_k}], (k \neq p), J_\alpha = a \partial_a, J_{\beta_k} = b_k \partial_{b_k}, J_\gamma = c \partial_c.$$

- It's straightforward to calculate the operations of these generators on the basis functions.
- We use the upper indices to denote the “raising operators” and the lower indices to denote the “lowering operators”.
- We omit those arguments in  $f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}$  which remain the same after the operation.
- **$3K + 3$**  raising generators:
  - **$1 E^\alpha$**  ,  **$K E^{\beta_k}$**  ,  **$1 E^\gamma$**  ,  **$1 E^{\alpha\gamma}$**  ,  **$K E^{\beta_k\gamma}$**   
and  **$K E^{\alpha\beta_k\gamma}$**  ,
- **$3K + 3$**  lowering operators,
- **$K(K - 1)$**  mixing operators:  $E_{\beta_p}^{\beta_k}$  ,
- **$K + 2$**  Cartan subalgebra:  $J$ ,
- **$(K + 3)^2 - 1$**  generators in total.

$$E^\alpha f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha) = (\gamma - \alpha - 1) f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha + 1),$$

$$E^{\beta_k} f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\beta_k) = \beta_k f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\beta_k + 1),$$

$$E^\gamma f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\gamma) = \left( \gamma - \sum_j \beta_j \right) f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\gamma + 1),$$

$$E^{\alpha\gamma} f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha; \gamma) = \left( \sum_j \beta_j - \gamma \right) f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha + 1; \gamma + 1),$$

$$E^{\beta_k\gamma} f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\beta_k; \gamma) = \beta_k f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\beta_k + 1; \gamma + 1),$$

$$E^{\alpha\beta_k\gamma} f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha; \beta_k; \gamma) = \beta_k f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha + 1; \beta_k + 1; \gamma + 1),$$

$$E_\alpha f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha) = (\alpha - 1) f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha - 1),$$

$$E_{\beta_k} f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\beta_k) = \left( \gamma - \sum_j \beta_j \right) f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\beta_k - 1),$$

$$E_\gamma f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\gamma) = (\alpha - \gamma + 1) f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\gamma - 1),$$

$$E_{\alpha\gamma} f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha; \gamma) = (\alpha - 1) f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha - 1; \gamma - 1),$$

$$E_{\beta_k\gamma} f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\beta_k; \gamma) = (\alpha - \gamma + 1) f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\beta_k - 1; \gamma - 1),$$

$$E_{\alpha\beta_k\gamma} f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha; \beta_k; \gamma) = (1 - \alpha) f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha - 1; \beta_k - 1; \gamma - 1),$$

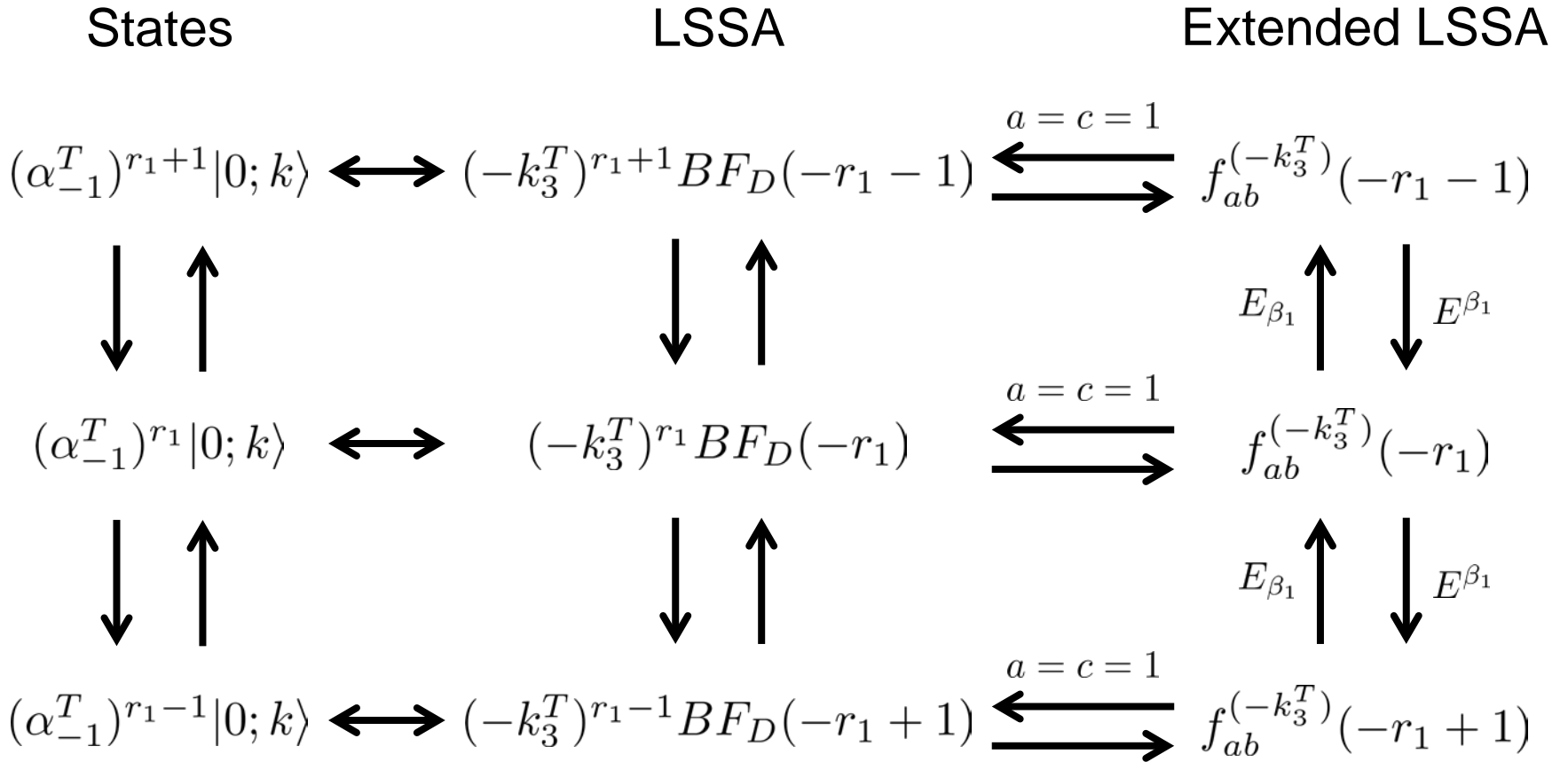
$$E_{\beta_p}^{\beta_k} f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\beta_k; \beta_p) = \beta_k f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\beta_k + 1; \beta_p - 1),$$

$$J_\alpha f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha; \beta_k; \gamma) = \alpha f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha; \beta_k; \gamma),$$

$$J_{\beta_k} f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha; \beta_k; \gamma) = \beta_k f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha; \beta_k; \gamma),$$

$$J_\gamma f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha; \beta_k; \gamma) = \gamma f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}(\alpha; \beta_k; \gamma)$$

# The Operators of $SL(K+3, \mathbb{C})$ Algebra





# The Operators of $SL(K+3, \mathbb{C})$ Algebra

- Rewrite the recurrence relations with the operators and extended LSSA defined in the previous slides, we get the corresponded Cartan subalgebra of  $SL(K+3, \mathbb{C})$  group.
- It's easy to see the number of the fundamental recurrence relations matches with the number of the Cartan subalgebras.

$$\left( \alpha - \sum_j \beta_j \right) F_D^{(K)} - \alpha F_D^{(K)} (\alpha + 1) + \sum_j \beta_j F_D^{(K)} (\beta_j + 1) = 0,$$

$$\gamma F_D^{(K)} - (\gamma - \alpha) F_D^{(K)} (\gamma + 1) - \alpha F_D^{(K)} (\alpha + 1; \gamma + 1) = 0,$$

$$\gamma F_D^{(K)} + \gamma(x_m - 1) F_D^{(K)} (\beta_m + 1) + (\alpha - \gamma) x_m F_D^{(K)} (\beta_m + 1; \gamma + 1) = 0.$$

fundamental recurrence relations

$$\left[ (\alpha - J_\alpha) + \sum_j (\beta_j - J_{\beta_j}) \right] f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K} = 0.$$

$$\left[ (\gamma - J_\gamma) - \sum_j (\beta_j - J_{\beta_j}) \right] f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K} = 0.$$

$$(\beta_m - J_{\beta_m}) f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K} = 0, m = 1, 2, \dots, K.$$

Cartan subalgebras

# The Operators of $SL(K+3, C)$ Algebra

- There are  $K+2$  fundamental recurrence relations among the Lauricella functions.
- The  $K+2$  recurrence equations are equivalent to the Cartan subalgebra and the simple root system of  $SL(K+3, C)$  group.
- With the Cartan subalgebra and the simple roots, one can easily write down the whole Lie algebra of the  $SL(K+3, C)$  group.

# The Operators of $SL(K+3, \mathbb{C})$ Algebra

- With the following identifications:

$$E^\alpha = \mathcal{E}_{12}, E_\alpha = \mathcal{E}_{21}, E^{\beta_k} = \mathcal{E}_{k+3,3}, E_\beta = \mathcal{E}_{3,k+3},$$

$$E^\gamma = \mathcal{E}_{31}, E_\gamma = \mathcal{E}_{13}, E^{\alpha\gamma} = \mathcal{E}_{32}, E_{\alpha\gamma} = \mathcal{E}_{23},$$

$$E^{\beta_k\gamma} = -\mathcal{E}_{k+3,1}, E_{\beta_k\gamma} = -\mathcal{E}_{1,k+3}, E^{\alpha\beta_k\gamma} = -\mathcal{E}_{k+3,2},$$

$$E_{\alpha\beta_k\gamma} = -\mathcal{E}_{2,k+3}, J'_\alpha = \frac{1}{2} (\mathcal{E}_{11} - \mathcal{E}_{22}), J'_{\beta_k} = \frac{1}{2} (\mathcal{E}_{k+3,k+3} - \mathcal{E}_{33}), J'_\gamma = \frac{1}{2} (\mathcal{E}_{33} - \mathcal{E}_{11}).$$

- Lie algebra commutation relations of  $SL(K+3, \mathbb{C})$ :

$$[\mathcal{E}_{ij}, \mathcal{E}_{kl}] = \delta_{jk} \mathcal{E}_{il} - \delta_{li} \mathcal{E}_{kj}.$$

# Summary

- The SSA of three tachyons and one arbitrary string state of 26-D open **bosonic string theory** can be expressed in terms of the **Lauricella functions** for **all energy levels**.
- The LSSA can reproduce the **linear relations/recurrence relations** (Appell functions) in the **hard scattering/Regge** limit respectively.
- Gross's conjecture on high energy SSA is not valid only in boson and **NS sector** but also holds in the **R sector**.
- We have to introduce the extended LSSA  $f_{ac}^{b_1 \dots b_K}$  to discuss the **SL(K+3, C)** group algebra.
- The K+2 **recurrence relations** among the LSSA can be used to reproduce the **Cartan subalgebra** and **simple root system** of the **SL(K+3, C)** group.
- The **SL(K+3, C)** group can be used to solve all the LSSA and express them in terms of **one amplitude**

Thank you for your listening!

# Appendices

- Gauss hypergeometric function:  ${}_2F_1(a; b; c; z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n (b)_n}{(c)_n} \frac{z^n}{n!}$ ;
- Pochhammer symbol:  $(q)_n = \begin{cases} 1, & n = 0 \\ q(q+1) \cdots (q+n-1), & n > 0, \end{cases}$
- Appell function:  $F_1(a; b_1, b_2; c; z_1, z_2) = \sum_{n_1, n_2=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_{n_1+n_2} (b_1)_{n_1} (b_2)_{n_2}}{(c)_{n_1+n_2}} \frac{z_1^{n_1} z_2^{n_2}}{n_1! n_2!}$ ;
- D-type Lauricella function:

$$F_D^{(K)}(a; b_1, \dots, b_k; c; z_1, \dots, z_k) = \sum_{n_1, \dots, n_k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_{n_1+\dots+n_k} (b_1)_{n_1} \cdots (b_k)_{n_k}}{(c)_{n_1+\dots+n_k}} \frac{z_1^{n_1} \cdots z_k^{n_k}}{n_1! \cdots n_k!}$$

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- Appell function:  $F_1(a; b_1, b_2; c; z_1, z_2) = \sum_{n_1, n_2=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_{n_1+n_2} (b_1)_{n_1} (b_2)_{n_2}}{(c)_{n_1+n_2}} \frac{z_1^{n_1} z_2^{n_2}}{n_1! n_2!};$
- Kinematics:
  - $k_1 = \left( +\sqrt{p^2 + M_1^2}, -p, 0 \right),$
  - $k_2 = \left( +\sqrt{p^2 + M_2^2}, +p, 0 \right),$
  - $k_3 = \left( -\sqrt{q^2 + M_3^2}, -q \cos \phi, -q \sin \phi \right),$
  - $k_4 = \left( -\sqrt{q^2 + M_4^2}, +q \cos \phi, +q \sin \phi \right).$
- $e^P \cdot k_1 \simeq -\frac{s}{2M_2}, \quad e^P \cdot k_3 \simeq -\frac{\tilde{t}}{2M_2} = -\frac{t - M_2^2 - M_3^2}{2M_2},$
- $e^L \cdot k_1 \simeq -\frac{s}{2M_2}, \quad e^L \cdot k_3 \simeq -\frac{\tilde{t}'}{2M_2} = -\frac{t + M_2^2 - M_3^2}{2M_2},$
- $e^T \cdot k_1 = 0, \quad e^T \cdot k_3 \simeq -\sqrt{-t}.$

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- String state:  $|p_n, q_m, r_l\rangle = \prod_{n>0} (\alpha_{-n}^T)^{p_n} \prod_{m>0} (\alpha_{-m}^P)^{q_m} \prod_{l>0} (\alpha_{-l}^L)^{r_l} |0, k\rangle$ ,

- Appell SSA:

$$A^{(p_n; q_m; r_l)} = \prod_{n=1} [(n-1)! \sqrt{-t}]^{p_n} \prod_{m=1} \left[ -(m-1)! \frac{\tilde{t}}{2M_2} \right]^{q_m} \prod_{l=1} \left[ (l-1)! \frac{\tilde{t}'}{2M_2} \right]^{r_l} \\ \cdot F_1 \left( -\frac{t}{2} - 1; -q_1, -r_1; \frac{s}{2}; -\frac{s}{\tilde{t}}, -\frac{s}{\tilde{t}'} \right) \cdot B \left( -\frac{s}{2} - 1, -\frac{t}{2} - 1 \right).$$

- $e^P \cdot k_1 \simeq -\frac{s}{2M_2}, \quad e^P \cdot k_3 \simeq -\frac{\tilde{t}}{2M_2} = -\frac{t - M_2^2 - M_3^2}{2M_2},$

- $e^L \cdot k_1 \simeq -\frac{s}{2M_2}, \quad e^L \cdot k_3 \simeq -\frac{\tilde{t}'}{2M_2} = -\frac{t + M_2^2 - M_3^2}{2M_2},$

- $e^T \cdot k_1 = 0, \quad e^T \cdot k_3 \simeq -\sqrt{-t}.$

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Given a string state:

$$|r_n^T, r_m^P, r_l^L\rangle = \prod_{n>0} (\alpha_{-n}^T)^{r_n^T} \prod_{m>0} (\alpha_{-m}^P)^{r_m^P} \prod_{l>0} (\alpha_{-l}^L)^{r_l^L} |0, k\rangle, \quad (1)$$

We can calculate the LSSA:

$$\begin{aligned} A_{st}^{(r_n^T, r_m^P, r_l^L)} &= \prod_{n=1} [-(n-1)!k_3^T]^{r_n^T} \cdot \prod_{m=1} [-(m-1)!k_3^P]^{r_m^P} \prod_{l=1} [-(l-1)!k_3^L]^{r_l^L} \\ &\cdot B\left(-\frac{t}{2}-1, -\frac{s}{2}-1\right) F_D^{(K)}\left(-\frac{t}{2}-1; R_n^T, R_m^P, R_l^L; \frac{u}{2}+2-N; \tilde{Z}_n^T, \tilde{Z}_m^P, \tilde{Z}_l^L\right), \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

where we have defined  $R_k^X \equiv \{-r_1^X\}^1, \dots, \{-r_k^X\}^k$  with  $\{a\}^n = \underbrace{a, a, \dots, a}_n$ ,

$Z_k^X \equiv [z_1^X], \dots, [z_k^X]$  with  $[z_k^X] = z_{k0}^X, \dots, z_{k(k-1)}^X$  and  $z_k^X = \left| \left( -\frac{k_1^X}{k_3^X} \right)^{\frac{1}{k}} \right|$ ,

$z_{kk'}^X = z_k^X e^{\frac{2\pi i k k'}{k}}$ ,  $\tilde{z}_{kk'}^X \equiv 1 - z_{kk'}^X$  for  $k' = 0, \dots, k-1$ .



We take the tensor state to be

$$|\text{state}\rangle = (\alpha_{-1}^T)^{r_1^T} (\alpha_{-1}^P)^{r_1^P} (\alpha_{-1}^L)^{r_1^L} |0, k\rangle. \quad (1)$$

The LSSA can be calculated to be

$$A_{st}^{(r_1^T, r_1^P, r_1^L)} = (-k_3^T)^{r_1^T} (-k_3^P)^{r_1^P} (-k_3^L)^{r_1^L} B\left(-\frac{t}{2} - 1, -\frac{s}{2} - 1\right) \\ \cdot F_D^{(3)}\left(-\frac{t}{2} - 1; -r_1^T, -r_1^P, -r_1^L; \frac{u}{2} + 2 - N; \tilde{z}_{10}^T, \tilde{z}_{10}^P, \tilde{z}_{10}^L\right), \quad (2)$$

where the arguments in  $F_D^{(3)}$  are calculated to be

$$R_n^T = \{-r_1^T\}^1, \dots, \{-r_n^T\}^k = \{-r_1^T\}^1 = -r_1^T, \\ R_m^P = \{-r_1^P\}^1, \dots, \{-r_m^P\}^k = \{-r_1^P\}^1 = -r_1^P, \\ R_l^L = \{-r_1^L\}^1, \dots, \{-r_l^L\}^k = \{-r_1^L\}^1 = -r_1^L, \quad (3)$$

$$\tilde{Z}_n^T = [\tilde{z}_1^T], \dots, [\tilde{z}_n^T] = [\tilde{z}_1^T] = \tilde{z}_{10}^T = 1 - z_{10}^T = 1 - z_k^T e^{\frac{2\pi i 0}{1}} = 1 - \left| -\frac{k_1^T}{k_3^T} \right|,$$

$$\tilde{Z}_n^P = [\tilde{z}_1^P], \dots, [\tilde{z}_n^P] = [\tilde{z}_1^P] = \tilde{z}_{10}^P = 1 - \left| -\frac{k_1^P}{k_3^P} \right|,$$

$$\tilde{Z}_n^L = [\tilde{z}_1^L], \dots, [\tilde{z}_n^L] = [\tilde{z}_1^L] = \tilde{z}_{10}^L = 1 - \left| -\frac{k_1^L}{k_3^L} \right| \quad (4)$$

and

$$K = \sum_{\{\text{for all } r_j^T \neq 0\}} j + \sum_{\{\text{for all } r_j^P \neq 0\}} j + \sum_{\{\text{for all } r_j^L \neq 0\}} j \\ = 1 + 1 + 1 = 3. \quad (5)$$