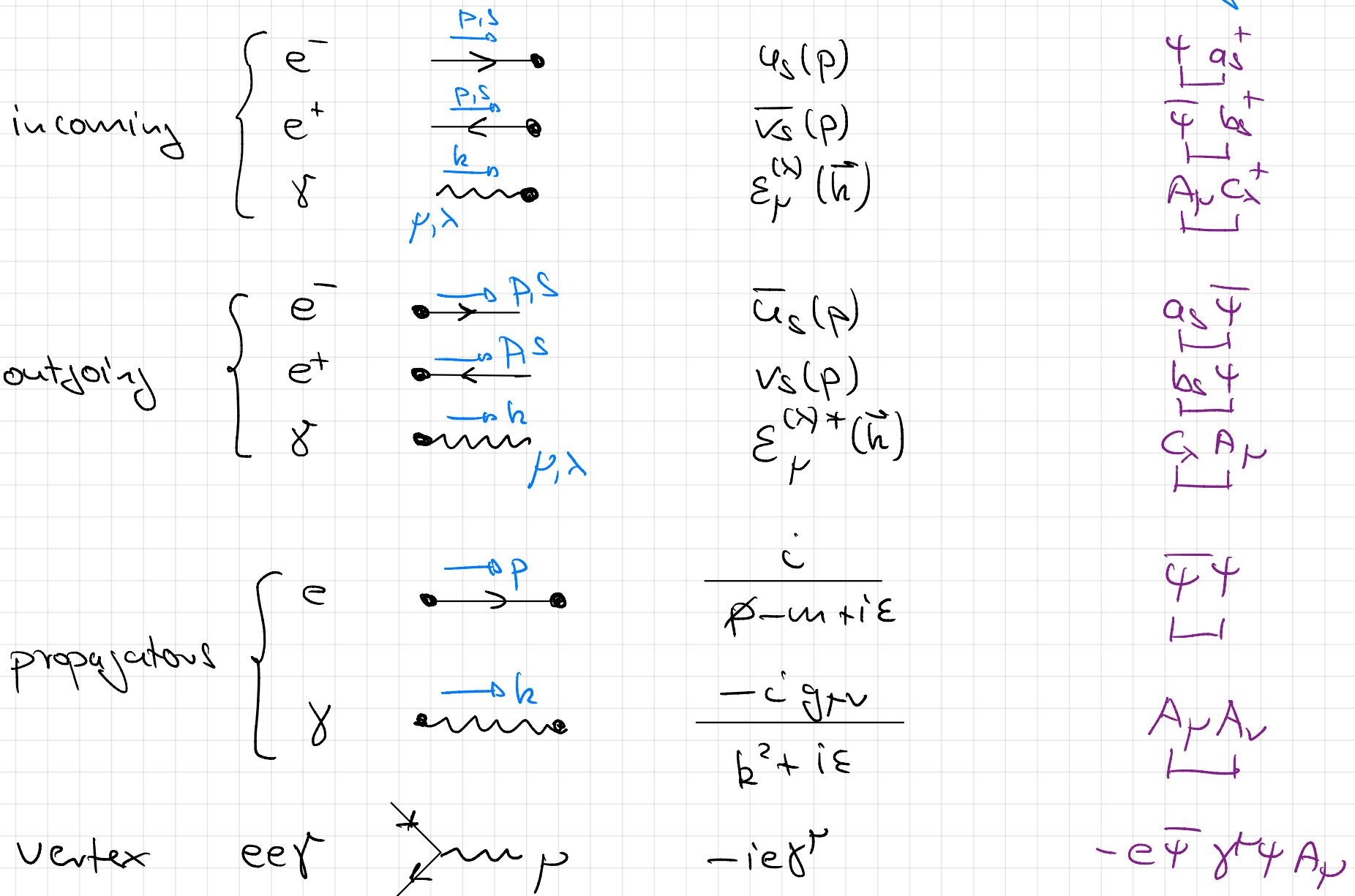


8. FENYMAN rules for QED

(a) From the considerations in 7. we can derive the following FENYMAN rules:



9. From \mathcal{L} to FEYNMAN rules

[short cut; a recipe]

Vertices

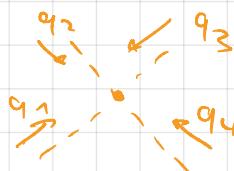
① Look for all terms in \mathcal{L} , which contain exactly the fields of the vertex.

② Replace all derivatives by

$(-i) * \langle \text{incoming momentum} \rangle$ of the fields they are acting on.

③ Sum over all permutations of indices and momenta of the same external fields

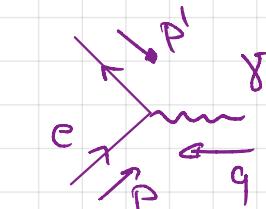
④ Eliminate the external fields and multiply by i .



$$-\frac{\lambda}{24} \phi^4$$

$$-\lambda \phi^4$$

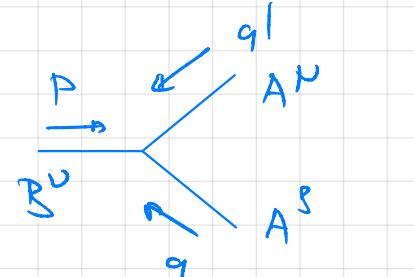
$$-i\lambda$$



$$-e \bar{e} \gamma^\mu \gamma A_\mu$$

$$-e \bar{e} \gamma^\mu \gamma A_\mu$$

$$-ie \gamma^\mu$$



$$ig(\partial_\nu A_\nu) A^\mu B^\nu$$

$$= ig(\partial_\nu A^i) A^\mu B^\nu g_{\mu\nu}$$

$$ig(-iq_\nu) A^S A^\mu B^\nu g_{\mu\nu}$$

$$g q_\nu g_{\mu\nu} A^S A^\mu B^\nu$$

$$+ g q'_\nu g_{\mu\nu} A^S A^\mu B^\nu$$

$$ig(q_\nu g_{\mu\nu} + q'_\nu g_{\mu\nu})$$

Propagators

$$\text{---} \xrightarrow{P} \mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \phi)^2 - \frac{1}{2} m^2 \phi^2$$

①-④ Determine 2-vertex

$$i(P^2 - m^2)$$

$$\frac{i}{P^2 - m^2}$$

$$\frac{i}{P^2 - m^2 + i\varepsilon}$$

$$\xrightarrow{P} \mathcal{L} = \bar{\psi} (i \not{D} - m) \psi$$

$$i(P - m)$$

$$\frac{i(P + m)}{P^2 - m^2} = \frac{i}{P - m}$$

$$\frac{i}{P - m + i\varepsilon}$$

⑤ Construct negative inverse

⑥ Add $i\varepsilon$ to denominator