

Problem 2.2 The complex scalar field

Consider the field theory of a complex-valued scalar field obeying the Klein-Gordon equation. The action of this theory is

$$S = \int (\partial_\mu \phi^* \partial^\mu \phi - m^2 \phi^* \phi) d^4x$$

It is easiest to analyze this theory by considering $\phi(\bar{x})$ and $\phi^*(\bar{x})$, rather than the real and imaginary parts of $\phi(x)$ as the basic dynamical variables.

- a) Find the conjugate momenta to $\phi(x)$ and $\phi^*(\bar{x})$ and the canonical commutation relations. Show that the hamiltonian is:

$$H = \int d^3x (\pi^* \pi + \bar{\nabla} \phi^* \cdot \bar{\nabla} \phi + m^2 \phi^* \phi)$$

Compute the Heisenberg equation of motion for $\phi(\bar{x})$ and show that it is indeed the Klein-Gordon equation.

- b) Diagonalize H by introducing creation + annihilation operators. Show that the theory contains 2 sets of particles of mass m .

- c) Rewrite the conserved charge

$$Q = \int d^3x \frac{i}{2} (\phi^* \pi^* - \pi \phi)$$

in terms of creation/annihilation operators and evaluate the charge of the particles of each type.

$S = \int L dt = \int \mathcal{L} d^4x$, so the Lagrangian density is:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} &= \partial_\mu \phi^* \partial^\mu \phi - m^2 \phi^* \phi \\ &= \dot{\phi}^* \dot{\phi} - \underbrace{\bar{\nabla} \phi^* \cdot \bar{\nabla} \phi}_{|\bar{\nabla} \phi|^2} - m^2 \phi^* \phi\end{aligned}$$

a) The canonical momentum which is conjugate to ϕ^* and ϕ is:

$$\boxed{\pi = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\phi}} = \dot{\phi}^*} \quad \text{and} \quad \boxed{\pi^* = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{\phi}^*} = \dot{\phi}}$$

In direct analogy with the real scalar field, the canonical commutation relations are given by: (and this is by fiat)

$$[\phi(\bar{x}), \pi(\bar{y})] = [\phi^*(\bar{x}), \pi^*(\bar{y})] = i \delta^3(\bar{x} - \bar{y})$$

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The hamiltonian is given by the continuum limit of the standard Legendre transformation.

$$\begin{aligned}H &= \int (\pi \dot{\phi} + \pi^* \dot{\phi}^* - \mathcal{L}) d^3x \\ &= \int (\pi \pi^* + \pi^* \pi - \underbrace{\dot{\phi}^* \dot{\phi}}_{\pi \pi^*} + \bar{\nabla} \phi^* \cdot \bar{\nabla} \phi + m^2 \phi^* \phi) d^3x \\ &= \int (\pi^* \pi + \bar{\nabla} \phi^* \cdot \bar{\nabla} \phi + m^2 \phi^* \phi) d^3x\end{aligned}$$

as required.

From the Heisenberg equations of motion:

$$\begin{aligned}
 i\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} &= [\phi(\vec{x}, t), H] = [\phi(\vec{x}, t), \underbrace{\int \{\pi^*(\vec{x}', t) \pi(\vec{x}', t) + \text{function of } \phi\} d^3x'}_{\text{zero}}] \\
 &= \int \pi^*(\vec{x}', t) [\phi(\vec{x}, t), \pi(\vec{x}', t)] d^3x' \\
 &= i\pi^*(\vec{x}, t)
 \end{aligned}$$

For the next one I use integration by parts and assume $\phi, \vec{\nabla}\phi \rightarrow 0$ as $|\vec{x}| \rightarrow \infty$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 i\frac{\partial \pi}{\partial t} &= [\pi(\vec{x}, t), H] = [\pi(\vec{x}, t), \underbrace{\int \{\text{function of } \pi + \vec{\nabla}\phi^* \cdot \vec{\nabla}\phi + m^2\phi^*\phi\} d^3x'}_{\text{zero}}] \\
 &= [\pi(\vec{x}, t), \int \phi(\vec{x}', t) (-\vec{\nabla}^2 + m^2)\phi^*(\vec{x}', t) d^3x' + \text{surface term}]
 \end{aligned}$$

I spoke too quickly. The surface term is simply a number and π commutes with numbers.

$$\begin{aligned}
 i\frac{\partial \pi}{\partial t} &= \int [\pi(\vec{x}, t), \phi(\vec{x}', t)] (-\vec{\nabla}^2 + m^2)\phi^*(\vec{x}', t) d^3x' \\
 &= -i(-\vec{\nabla}^2 + m^2)\phi^*(\vec{x}, t)
 \end{aligned}$$

Similar calculations will yield very similar expressions:

$$\dot{\phi}^* = \pi \quad \text{and} \quad \dot{\pi}^* = (-\vec{\nabla}^2 - m^2)\phi$$

Combining these results, we see that ϕ and ϕ^* must each obey the Klein-Gordon equation separately....

$$\ddot{\pi} = (-\vec{\nabla}^2 - m^2)\phi^*$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi^*}{\partial t^2} = (-\vec{\nabla}^2 - m^2)\phi^*$$

$$(\partial_\mu \partial^\mu + m^2)\phi^* = 0$$

And similarly for ϕ .

b) Let $\phi(x) = \phi_1(x) + i\phi_2(\bar{x})$ where:

$$\phi_1(\bar{x}) = \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\omega_p}} (a_p + a_{-p}^\dagger) e^{i\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x}}$$

$$\phi_2(\bar{x}) = \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\omega_p}} (b_p + b_{-p}^\dagger) e^{i\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x}}$$

We already figured out commutations since ϕ_1 and ϕ_2 are both real:

$$[a_{\bar{p}}, a_{\bar{p}'}^\dagger] = [b_{\bar{p}}, b_{\bar{p}'}^\dagger] = (2\pi)^3 \delta(\bar{p} - \bar{p}')$$

all other commutations vanish. So for ϕ and ϕ^* we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(\bar{x}) &= \underbrace{\phi_1 + i\phi_2}_{\substack{\text{correct} \\ \text{normalization}}} = \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\omega_p}} \left(\underbrace{a_{\bar{p}} + ib_{\bar{p}}}_{\sqrt{2}} + \underbrace{a_{-\bar{p}}^\dagger + ib_{-\bar{p}}^\dagger}_{\sqrt{2}} \right) e^{i\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x}} \\ &= \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\omega_p}} (A_{\bar{p}} + B_{-\bar{p}}^\dagger) e^{i\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi^*(\bar{x}) &= \underbrace{\phi_1^* - i\phi_2^*}_{\substack{\text{correct} \\ \text{normalization}}} = \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\omega_p}} \left(\underbrace{a_{\bar{p}}^\dagger - ib_{\bar{p}}^\dagger}_{\sqrt{2}} + \underbrace{a_{-\bar{p}} - ib_{-\bar{p}}}_{\sqrt{2}} \right) e^{-i\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x}} \\ &= \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\omega_p}} (A_{\bar{p}}^\dagger + B_{-\bar{p}}) e^{-i\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x}} \end{aligned}$$

where $A_{\bar{p}} = a_{\bar{p}} + ib_{\bar{p}}$ and $B_{-\bar{p}}^\dagger = a_{-\bar{p}}^\dagger + ib_{-\bar{p}}^\dagger$. What about commutation between A and B ?

$$\begin{aligned} [A_{\bar{p}}, B_{\bar{p}'}^\dagger] &= [a_{\bar{p}} + ib_{\bar{p}}, a_{\bar{p}'}^\dagger + ib_{\bar{p}'}^\dagger] \\ &= [a_{\bar{p}}, a_{\bar{p}'}^\dagger] + i[b_{\bar{p}}, a_{\bar{p}'}^\dagger] + i[a_{\bar{p}}, b_{\bar{p}'}^\dagger] - [b_{\bar{p}}, b_{\bar{p}'}^\dagger] \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
[A_{\vec{p}}, B_{\vec{p}'}] &= [a_{\vec{p}} + ib_{\vec{p}}, a_{\vec{p}'} - ib_{\vec{p}'}] \\
&= [a_{\vec{p}}, a_{\vec{p}'}] + i[b_{\vec{p}}, a_{\vec{p}'}] + i[a_{\vec{p}}, b_{\vec{p}'}] + [b_{\vec{p}}, b_{\vec{p}'}] \\
&= 0 + 0 + 0 + 0 \\
&= 0
\end{aligned}$$

It's obvious that $[A, A] = [B, B] = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned}
[A_{\vec{p}}, A_{\vec{p}'}^{\dagger}] &= [\underbrace{a_{\vec{p}}}_{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}, \underbrace{a_{\vec{p}'}^{\dagger} - ib_{\vec{p}'}^{\dagger}}_{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}] \\
&= [a_{\vec{p}}, a_{\vec{p}'}^{\dagger}] - i[a_{\vec{p}}, b_{\vec{p}'}^{\dagger}] + i[b_{\vec{p}}, a_{\vec{p}'}^{\dagger}] + [b_{\vec{p}}, b_{\vec{p}'}^{\dagger}] \quad + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\
&= 2(2\pi)^3 \delta(\vec{p} - \vec{p}')
\end{aligned}$$

This seems to suggest that

$A_{\vec{p}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a_{\vec{p}} + ib_{\vec{p}})$ $B_{\vec{p}}^{\dagger} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a_{\vec{p}}^{\dagger} + ib_{\vec{p}}^{\dagger})$	$A_{\vec{p}}^{\dagger} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a_{\vec{p}}^{\dagger} - ib_{\vec{p}}^{\dagger})$ $B_{\vec{p}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a_{\vec{p}} - ib_{\vec{p}})$
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$\phi(\vec{x}) = \phi_1 + i\phi_2 = \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\omega_p}} (A_{\vec{p}} + B_{-\vec{p}}^{\dagger}) e^{i\vec{p} \cdot \vec{x}}$ $\phi^*(\vec{x}) = \phi_1^* - i\phi_2^* = \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\omega_p}} (A_{\vec{p}}^{\dagger} + B_{-\vec{p}}) e^{-i\vec{p} \cdot \vec{x}}$	

It's clear that $[\phi(\bar{x}), \phi(\bar{y})] = 0$. What about:

$$[\phi(\bar{x}), \phi^*(\bar{y})] = \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^6} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\omega_p \omega_{p'}}} \left(\cancel{A_{\bar{p}} A_{\bar{p}}^+} + \cancel{A_{\bar{p}} B_{-\bar{p}}'} + \cancel{B_{-\bar{p}}^+ A_{\bar{p}}^+} + B_{-\bar{p}}^+ B_{-\bar{p}} - A_{\bar{p}}^+ A_{\bar{p}} - \cancel{B_{-\bar{p}} A_{\bar{p}}} - \cancel{B_{-\bar{p}}^+ A_{\bar{p}}^+} - B_{-\bar{p}} B_{-\bar{p}}^+ \right) e^{i(\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x}) - i\bar{p}' \cdot \bar{y}}$$

The remaining 4 terms sum to zero. What about π ? Analogous to what we did in class for the uncharged scalar field,

$$\pi(x) = \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \sqrt{\omega_p} (-i)(A_{\bar{p}} - B_{-\bar{p}}^+) e^{i\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x}}$$

$$\pi^*(x) = \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \sqrt{\omega_p} (i)(A_{\bar{p}}^+ - B_{-\bar{p}}) e^{-i\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x}}$$

not quite sure
 $\pi(x) = \phi^*$
 you have these reversed

again, this comes straight from my definition of A, B . From the above calculation, it's clear that $[\pi(x), \pi(y)] = [\pi(x), \pi(y)^+] = 0$. What about:

$$[\phi(\bar{x}), \pi(\bar{y})] = \iint \frac{d^3p d^3p'}{(2\pi)^6} \frac{\sqrt{\omega_{p'}}}{\sqrt{\omega_p}} (-i) [A_{\bar{p}} + B_{-\bar{p}}^+, A_{\bar{p}} - B_{-\bar{p}}^+] e^{i\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x} + i\bar{p}' \cdot \bar{y}}$$

$$= \frac{(-i)}{(2\pi)^6} \iint d^3p d^3p' \frac{\sqrt{\omega_{p'}}}{\sqrt{\omega_p}} (\text{zero}) e^{\sim}$$

$$= 0$$

$$[\phi(\bar{x}), \pi^*(\bar{y})] = \frac{(i)}{(2\pi)^6} \iint d^3p d^3p' \frac{\sqrt{\omega_{p'}}}{\sqrt{\omega_p}} [A_{\bar{p}} + B_{-\bar{p}}^+, A_{\bar{p}}^+ - B_{-\bar{p}}] e^{i\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x} - i\bar{p}' \cdot \bar{y}}$$

$$= \frac{(i)}{(2\pi)^6} \iint d^3p d^3p' \frac{\sqrt{\omega_{p'}}}{\sqrt{\omega_p}} ([A_{\bar{p}} + A_{\bar{p}}^+] - [B_{-\bar{p}}^+, B_{-\bar{p}}]) e^{i\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x} - i\bar{p}' \cdot \bar{y}}$$

$$= \frac{(i)}{2(2\pi)^3} \iint d^3p d^3p' \frac{\sqrt{\omega_{p'}}}{\sqrt{\omega_p}} (\delta(\bar{p} - \bar{p}') + \delta(\bar{p} - \bar{p}')) e^{i(\bar{p} \cdot \bar{x} - \bar{p}' \cdot \bar{y})}$$

should not have * ; see your p2

$$[\phi(x), \pi^*(y)] = \frac{(i)}{(2\pi)^3} \int d^3p e^{i\vec{p} \cdot (\vec{x} - \vec{y})} = i\delta(\vec{x} - \vec{y}) \quad \checkmark$$

Second quantization is satisfied, as it should be. Let's calculate the hamiltonian.

$$H = \int_X (\pi^* \pi + \vec{\nabla} \phi^* \cdot \vec{\nabla} \phi + m^2 \phi^* \phi) d^3x$$

$$\int_X \pi^* \pi d^3x = \left(\int_X \int_{\vec{p}} \int_{\vec{p}'} \frac{d^3p d^3p' d^3x}{(2\pi)^6} (i)(-i) \sqrt{\omega_p \omega_{p'}} (A_{\vec{p}}^+ - B_{-\vec{p}}) (A_{\vec{p}'} - B_{-\vec{p}'}) e^{-i\vec{p} \cdot \vec{x} + i\vec{p}' \cdot \vec{x}} \right)$$

$$= \int_X \int_{\vec{p}} \int_{\vec{p}'} \frac{d^3p d^3p' d^3x}{(2\pi)^6} \sqrt{\omega_p \omega_{p'}} (A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{\vec{p}'} - A_{\vec{p}}^+ B_{-\vec{p}'} - B_{-\vec{p}} A_{\vec{p}'} + B_{-\vec{p}} B_{-\vec{p}'}^+) e^{i(-\vec{p} \cdot \vec{x} + \vec{p}' \cdot \vec{x})}$$

$$\int_X \vec{\nabla} \phi^* \cdot \vec{\nabla} \phi d^3x = \int_X \int_{\vec{p}} \int_{\vec{p}'} \frac{d^3p d^3p' d^3x}{(2\pi)^6} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\omega_p \omega_{p'}}} (-i\vec{p} \cdot i\vec{p}') (A_{\vec{p}}^+ + B_{-\vec{p}}) (A_{\vec{p}'} + B_{-\vec{p}'}) e^{-i\vec{p} \cdot \vec{x} + i\vec{p}' \cdot \vec{x}}$$

$$= \int_X \int_{\vec{p}} \int_{\vec{p}'} \frac{d^3p d^3p' d^3x}{(2\pi)^6} \frac{(\vec{p} \cdot \vec{p}')}{\sqrt{\omega_p \omega_{p'}}} (A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{\vec{p}'} + A_{\vec{p}}^+ B_{-\vec{p}'} + B_{-\vec{p}} A_{\vec{p}'} + B_{-\vec{p}} B_{-\vec{p}'}^+) e^{i(\vec{p}' \cdot \vec{x} - \vec{p} \cdot \vec{x})}$$

$$\int_X m^2 \phi^* \phi d^3x = \int_X \int_{\vec{p}} \int_{\vec{p}'} \frac{d^3p d^3p' d^3x}{(2\pi)^6} \frac{m^2}{\sqrt{\omega_p \omega_{p'}}} (A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{\vec{p}'} + A_{\vec{p}}^+ B_{-\vec{p}'} + B_{-\vec{p}} A_{\vec{p}'} + B_{-\vec{p}} B_{-\vec{p}'}^+) e^{i(\vec{p}' \cdot \vec{x} - \vec{p} \cdot \vec{x})}$$

all exponents: $e^{i(\vec{p}' - \vec{p}) \cdot \vec{x}} \rightarrow (2\pi)^3 \delta(\vec{p} - \vec{p}')$
 $\vec{p}' \rightarrow \vec{p}$

$$\int_x \pi^* \pi d^3x = \int_{\vec{p} \vec{p}'} \frac{d^3p d^3p'}{(2\pi)^3} \sqrt{\omega_p \omega_{p'}} \delta(\vec{p} - \vec{p}') \left[A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{\vec{p}'} - A_{\vec{p}}^+ B_{-\vec{p}'}^+ - B_{-\vec{p}} A_{\vec{p}'} + B_{-\vec{p}} B_{-\vec{p}'}^+ \right]$$

$$= \int_{\vec{p}} \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \omega_p \left[A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{\vec{p}} - A_{\vec{p}}^+ B_{-\vec{p}}^+ + B_{-\vec{p}} A_{\vec{p}} - B_{-\vec{p}} B_{\vec{p}}^+ \right] \quad -\vec{p}-\vec{p} \rightarrow \vec{p}, \vec{p}$$

$$\int_x \vec{\nabla} \phi^* \cdot \vec{\nabla} \phi d^3x = \int_{\vec{p}} \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^2}{\omega_p} \left[A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{\vec{p}} + A_{\vec{p}}^+ B_{-\vec{p}}^+ + B_{-\vec{p}} A_{\vec{p}} + B_{-\vec{p}} B_{\vec{p}}^+ \right]$$

$$\int_x m^2 \phi^* \phi d^3x = \int_{\vec{p}} \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{m^2}{\omega_p} \left[A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{\vec{p}} + A_{\vec{p}}^+ B_{-\vec{p}}^+ + B_{-\vec{p}} A_{\vec{p}} + B_{-\vec{p}} B_{\vec{p}}^+ \right]$$

$$H = \int_{\vec{p}} \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \omega_p \left[A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{\vec{p}} + B_{-\vec{p}} B_{\vec{p}}^+ \right]$$

but since $[B_{-\vec{p}}, B_{\vec{p}'}^+] = (2\pi)^3 \delta^{(3)}(\vec{p} - \vec{p}')$, we have:

$$H = \int_{\vec{p}} \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \omega_p \left[A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{\vec{p}} - B_{\vec{p}}^+ B_{\vec{p}} \right]$$

where did - come from

$$\begin{aligned} B B^+ &= B B^+ - B^+ B \\ &+ B^+ B \\ &= [B, B^+] \\ &+ \eta^+ B \end{aligned}$$

I threw away the divergent part of the hamiltonian

The Hamiltonian is made up of 2 independent pieces — they commute, so in fact they must represent different particles. This 2-fields-in-1 generates negative probability density, so we should reinterpret the oscillators as representing positive/negative charge annihilation/creation operators.

$$c) Q = \frac{i}{2} \int_X (\phi^* \pi^* - \pi \phi) d^3x$$

$$= \frac{i}{2} \int_X \int_{\vec{p}} \int_{\vec{p}'} \frac{d^3p d^3p' d^3x}{(2\pi)^6} \frac{\sqrt{\omega_{\vec{p}'}}}{\sqrt{\omega_{\vec{p}}}} i (A_{\vec{p}}^+ + B_{-\vec{p}}^-) (A_{\vec{p}'}^+ - B_{-\vec{p}'}^-) e^{-i(\vec{p} + \vec{p}') \cdot \vec{x}}$$

$$- \frac{i}{2} \int_X \int_{\vec{p}} \int_{\vec{p}'} \frac{d^3p d^3p' d^3x}{(2\pi)^6} \frac{\sqrt{\omega_{\vec{p}'}}}{\sqrt{\omega_{\vec{p}}}} (-i) (A_{\vec{p}}^- - B_{-\vec{p}}^+) (A_{\vec{p}'}^+ + B_{-\vec{p}'}^+) e^{i(\vec{p} + \vec{p}') \cdot \vec{x}}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \int_{\vec{p}} \int_{\vec{p}'} \frac{d^3p d^3p'}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\sqrt{\omega_{\vec{p}'}}}{\sqrt{\omega_{\vec{p}}}} \delta(\vec{p} + \vec{p}') \left[A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{\vec{p}'}^+ - A_{\vec{p}}^+ B_{-\vec{p}'}^- + B_{-\vec{p}}^- A_{\vec{p}'}^+ - B_{-\vec{p}}^- B_{-\vec{p}'}^- \right]$$

$$- \frac{1}{2} \int_{\vec{p}} \int_{\vec{p}'} \frac{d^3p d^3p'}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\sqrt{\omega_{\vec{p}'}}}{\sqrt{\omega_{\vec{p}}}} \delta(\vec{p} + \vec{p}') \left[A_{\vec{p}}^- A_{\vec{p}'}^- + A_{\vec{p}}^- B_{-\vec{p}'}^+ - B_{-\vec{p}}^+ A_{\vec{p}'}^- - B_{-\vec{p}}^+ B_{-\vec{p}'}^+ \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \int_{\vec{p}} \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \left[A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{-\vec{p}}^+ - A_{\vec{p}}^+ B_{\vec{p}}^- + B_{-\vec{p}}^- A_{-\vec{p}}^+ - B_{-\vec{p}}^- B_{\vec{p}}^- + A_{\vec{p}}^- A_{-\vec{p}}^- \right. \\ \left. + A_{\vec{p}}^- B_{\vec{p}}^+ - B_{-\vec{p}}^+ A_{-\vec{p}}^- - B_{-\vec{p}}^+ B_{\vec{p}}^+ \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \int_{\vec{p}} \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \left[A_{\vec{p}}^+ A_{-\vec{p}}^+ + A_{\vec{p}}^- A_{-\vec{p}}^- - B_{-\vec{p}}^+ B_{\vec{p}}^+ - B_{-\vec{p}}^- B_{\vec{p}}^- \right. \\ \left. + [B_{-\vec{p}}^+, A_{\vec{p}}^+] + [A_{-\vec{p}}^-, B_{\vec{p}}^+] \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4} \int_{\vec{p}} \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \left[(a_{\vec{p}}^+ - i b_{\vec{p}}^+) (a_{-\vec{p}}^+ - i b_{-\vec{p}}^+) + (a_{\vec{p}}^- + i b_{\vec{p}}^-) (a_{-\vec{p}}^- + i b_{-\vec{p}}^-) \right. \\ \left. - (a_{\vec{p}}^+ + i b_{\vec{p}}^+) (a_{\vec{p}}^+ + i b_{\vec{p}}^+) - (a_{-\vec{p}}^- - i b_{-\vec{p}}^-) (a_{-\vec{p}}^- - i b_{-\vec{p}}^-) \right]$$