

5/24/16 Lecture 16 outline / summary

- Continue: more about \mathcal{L}_{QCD} and $U(1)_{QED}$ vs $SU(3)_C$ gauge invariance. $\mathcal{L} \supset \bar{\psi}(i\cancel{D} - m)\psi$, with $D_\mu = \partial_\mu + iqA_\mu + igT^a A_\mu^a$.
 - $F_{\mu\nu} = [D_\mu, D_\nu]/(-ig) = \partial_\mu A_\nu - \partial_\nu A_\mu - ig[A_\mu, A_\nu]$, in the adjoint representation of the gauge group.
 - $\mathcal{L} \supset -\frac{1}{4}Tr F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \supset -gf^{abc}\partial_\mu A_\nu^a F^{\mu b} A^{\nu c} - (g^2/4)f^{abc}f^{ade}A_\mu^b A_\nu^c A^{\mu d} A^{\nu e}$.
 - QCD Feynman rules.
 - Asymptotic freedom and QCD.