

Abstract Submitted
for the DNP20 Meeting of
The American Physical Society

Symmetries of Nucleon-Nucleon Scattering ROLAND FARRELL,
University of Washington — The S -matrix for low-energy nucleon-nucleon scattering shows many properties that are not transparent in the effective action. Parameterized by momenta, the S -matrix can be viewed as flowing inside a region bounded by unitarity constraints. At the corners of this region, the S -matrix is at a fixed point of the RG and furnishes a representation of the Klein four-group. At leading order in the effective range expansion, the path that the S -matrix traces out has an isometry corresponding to a conformal (Möbius) transformation. It is found that the curvature of this trajectory is related to the entanglement power of the S -matrix, a state-independent measure of operator entanglement. This is a new, more geometrical, way to think about entanglement.

Roland Farrell
University of Washington

Date submitted: 30 Jun 2020

Electronic form version 1.4