

16.8 Appendix: Deriving (16-74) (Added in June 2022 revision)

To derive (16-74), start with the first part of (16-48), the 2nd order part of (16-53), and the latter part of (16-70), each given a new equation number below.

$$Z_{MSf}^{2nd} = 1 - e_{rf}^2 \frac{1}{16\pi^2} 2 \ln \Lambda \quad (16-123)$$

$$e_{rf} \equiv \tilde{e}_0 \left(Z_{MSf}^{2nd} \right)^{1/2} \quad (16-124)$$

$$Z_{MSV}^{2nd} = 1 + \frac{\tilde{e}_0^2}{16\pi^2} 2 \ln \Lambda \quad (16-125)$$

(16-124) into (16-123) gives us

$$Z_{MSf}^{2nd} = 1 - Z_{MSf}^{2nd} \tilde{e}_0^2 \frac{1}{16\pi^2} 2 \ln \Lambda \quad \rightarrow \quad Z_{MSf}^{2nd} \left(1 + \tilde{e}_0^2 \frac{1}{16\pi^2} 2 \ln \Lambda \right) = 1. \quad (16-126)$$

(16-125) into (16-126) yields

$$Z_{MSf}^{2nd} Z_{MSV}^{2nd} = 1, \quad (16-127)$$

which is (16-74).