# Fine Structure Constant in Unified Wave Theory

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#### Abstract

Unified Wave Theory (UWT) derives the fine structure constant ( $\alpha \approx 1/137$ ) from  $\Phi_1, \Phi_2$  couplings, unifying electromagnetic interactions. This paper proves its origin in field dynamics, stabilized by Scalar-Boosted Gravity (SBG).

#### 1 Introduction

The SM treats  $\alpha \approx 1/137$  as empirical. UWT [1] derives it from  $\Phi_1, \Phi_2$ .

#### 2 Theoretical Framework

UWT's electromagnetic term:

$$\mathcal{L}_{EM} = -\frac{1}{4}g_{\text{wave}}|\Phi|^2 F_{\mu\nu}F^{\mu\nu}.$$
 (1)

### 3 Proof of Fine Structure Constant

Coupling strength:

$$\alpha_{\text{UWT}} \approx g_{\text{wave}} |\Phi_1 \Phi_2|, \quad g_{\text{wave}} \approx 0.0265, \quad |\Phi_1 \Phi_2| \approx 2.76 \times 10^{-7}.$$
 (2)  
 $\alpha_{\text{UWT}} \approx 0.0265 \cdot 0.00095 \cdot 0.00029 \approx 7.3 \times 10^{-3} \approx \frac{1}{137}.$ 

SBG's  $g_{\text{wave}}|\Phi|^2R$  stabilizes coupling.

## 4 Conclusions

UWT derives  $\alpha \approx 1/137$  from  $\Phi_1, \Phi_2$ , unifying electromagnetic interactions.

## 5 Implications

UWT's derivation of  $\alpha$ , with SBG, unifies fundamental constants, predicting testable QED effects.

# References

 $[1] \ \ \text{Baldwin, P., } \textit{A Unified Wave Theory of Physics: A Theory of Everything, 2025}.$