

Standard Model 13

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{lept}}^{\text{int}} = \frac{g}{2\sqrt{2}} (J^\mu W_\mu^+ + J^{\mu\dagger} W_\mu^-) + e J_{\text{EM}}^\mu A_\mu + \frac{g}{2\cos\theta_W} J_n^\mu Z_\mu$$

where $J_{\text{EM}}^\mu = -\bar{e} \gamma^\mu e$ (EM current)

$J^\mu = \bar{\nu}_{eL} \gamma^\mu (1-\gamma^5) e_L$ (charged weak current)

$J_n^\mu = \frac{1}{2} [\bar{\nu}_{eL} \gamma^\mu (1-\gamma^5) \nu_{eL} - \bar{e} \gamma^\mu (1-\gamma^5 - 4\sin^2\theta_W) e]$ neutral weak current

SM has 3 generations: e, μ, τ

$$L^i = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_{eL} \\ e_L \end{pmatrix} \quad L^2 = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_{\mu L} \\ \mu_L \end{pmatrix} \quad L^3 = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_{\tau L} \\ \tau_L \end{pmatrix} \quad R^1 = e_R \quad R^2 = \mu_R \quad R^3 = \tau_R$$

$SU(2)$ doublet

and

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{lept}, \phi} = -\sqrt{2} (\lambda^{ij} \bar{L}^i \phi R^j + \lambda^{\dagger ij} \bar{R}^i \phi^\dagger L^j)$$

N.B. λ^{ij} are not predicted by the SM. Diagonalize by writing $\lambda \lambda^\dagger = U \Lambda^2 U^\dagger$ and $\lambda^\dagger \lambda = S \Lambda^2 S^\dagger$ where U and S are unitary matrices, and Λ^2 is diagonal and +ve.
 \uparrow non-negative eigenvalues

$$\lambda \lambda^\dagger = U \Lambda^2 S^\dagger S \Lambda U^\dagger \text{ and } \lambda = U \Lambda S^\dagger, \lambda^\dagger = S \Lambda U^\dagger$$

$$\lambda^\dagger \lambda = S \Lambda U^\dagger U \Lambda S^\dagger \quad \Lambda = U^\dagger \lambda S$$

Then change basis

$$L^i \rightarrow U^{ij} L^j \quad R^i \rightarrow S^{ij} R^j$$

This diagonalizes $\mathcal{L}_{\text{lept}, \phi}$ while leaving $\mathcal{L}_{\text{lept}}^{\text{EW}}$ invariant \rightarrow because \bar{L} only couples to L

Simultaneous diagonalisation \Rightarrow mass eigenstates are also eigenstates of the EW of the interaction.

5.3 Quark flavour

6 flavoured quarks. (as far as we know)

• RH fields are $SU(2)$ singlets

$$u_R^i = (u_R, c_R, t_R) \quad Y=Q=\frac{2}{3}$$

$$d_R^i = (d_R, s_R, b_R) \quad Y=Q=-\frac{1}{3}$$

• LH fields are $SU(2)$ doublets

$$Q_L^i = \begin{pmatrix} u_L^i \\ d_L^i \end{pmatrix} = \left(\begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} c \\ s \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} t \\ b \end{pmatrix}_L \right) \quad Y=\frac{1}{6}$$

$i=1,2,3$ label generations

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{quark}}^{\text{EW}} = \bar{Q}_L i \not{D} Q_L + \bar{U}_R i \not{D} U_R + \bar{D}_R i \not{D} D_R$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{quark}, \phi} = -\sqrt{2} \left[\lambda_d^{ij} \bar{Q}_L^i \phi d_R^j + \lambda_u^{ij} \bar{Q}_L^i \phi' u_R^j + \text{h.c.} \right]$$

$(\phi)^\alpha = \sum^\beta \epsilon^{\alpha\beta} \phi^\beta$ transforms in fundamental rep of $SU(2)$

Needed to ensure $\mathcal{L}_{\text{quark}, \phi}$ is gauge invariant

[Note $\sum Y = 0$ in each term]

Diagonalising λ_u and λ_d as for leptons.

$$\lambda_u = U_u \Lambda_u S_u^\dagger, \quad \lambda_d = U_d \Lambda_d S_d^\dagger \quad (U, S \text{ unitary}, \Lambda \text{ diagonal})$$

Transform fields

$$u_L \rightarrow U_u u_L, \quad d_L \rightarrow U_d d_L$$

$$u_R \rightarrow S_u u_R, \quad d_R \rightarrow S_d d_R$$

Recall that $\phi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v + h(x) \end{pmatrix}$ then $\lambda_d^{ij} \bar{Q}_L^i \phi d_R^j \rightarrow \bar{Q}_L \phi \Lambda_d d_R$ etc

and the $\phi = \phi_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$ gives

$$- \sum_i m_d^i (\bar{d}_L^i d_R^i) + m_u^i \bar{u}_L^i u_R^i + \text{h.c.} \quad m_\chi^i = v \Lambda_\chi^{ii}$$

[In this basis $\mathcal{L}_{\text{quark}, \phi}$ is inv. under P, C, T .
Note $\mathcal{L}_{\text{gauge}, \phi}$ is also inv. under P, C, T .]

However, this basis transformation has an effect on $\mathcal{L}_{\text{quark}}^{\text{EW}}$

$\bar{u}_R i \not{D} u_R$ and $\bar{d}_R i \not{D} d_R$ are unchanged but the W_μ^\pm piece in $\bar{Q}_L i \not{D} Q_L$ is transformed.

$$\left(\frac{g}{2\sqrt{2}} J^{\pm\mu} W_\mu^\pm \right)$$

$$J^{\mu+} = \bar{u}_L^i \gamma^\mu d_L^i \rightarrow \bar{u}_L^i \gamma^\mu \underbrace{(U_u^\dagger U_d)^{ij}}_{\text{not diagonal}} d_L^j$$

Interactions with W^\pm lead to intergenerational quark couplings. Weak eigenstates are linear combinations of the mass eigenstates. We can't simultaneously diagonalise.

The Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa (CKM) matrix is $V_{\text{CKM}} = U_u^\dagger U_d = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix}$