

$$a) \quad V(\phi) = \frac{1}{2} \mu^2 \phi^2 + \frac{1}{4} \lambda \phi^4 \quad \mu^2 > 0$$

$$\lambda > 0$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial \phi} = \mu^2 \phi + \lambda \phi^3 = \phi(\mu^2 + \lambda \phi^2)$$

only minimum @  $\phi = 0$

b) if  $\mu^2 < 0$  have extrema @  $\phi = 0$

$$\phi(\lambda \phi^2 - |\mu|^2) = 0 \Rightarrow \phi_{\min} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{+|\mu|^2}{\lambda}} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{-\mu^2}{\lambda}}$$

to check max/min can check  $\frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \phi^2} = \mu^2 + 3\lambda \phi^2$

@  $\phi = 0 \quad \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \phi^2} < 0 = \mu^2 \Rightarrow \phi = 0$  is maximum

$$\left. \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \phi^2} \right|_{\phi_{\min}} = \mu^2 + 3\lambda \left( \frac{-\mu^2}{\lambda} \right) = -2\mu^2 > 0$$

$\phi_{\min}$  is indeed minimum

$$c) \quad \phi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\phi_1 + i\phi_2) \quad \mathcal{L} = (2\partial_\mu \phi^\dagger)(2\partial^\mu \phi) - \mu^2 \phi^\dagger \phi - \lambda (\phi^\dagger \phi)^2$$

$$\phi(x) \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (v + \eta(x) + i\xi(x))$$

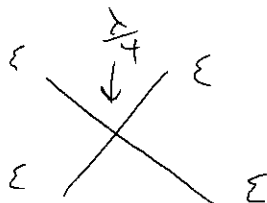
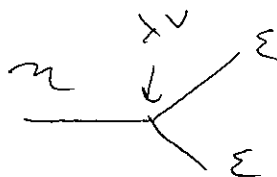
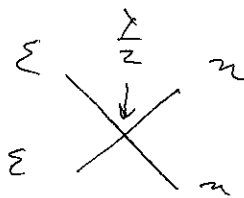
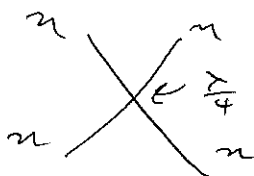
$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} &= \frac{1}{2} (2\partial_\mu \eta - i 2\partial_\mu \xi) (2\partial^\mu \eta + i 2\partial^\mu \xi) - \frac{\mu^2}{2} \left[ \frac{4}{2} (v + \eta)^2 + \xi^2 \right] - \frac{\lambda}{4} \left[ ((v + \eta)^2 + \xi^2)^2 \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (2\partial\eta)^2 + \frac{1}{2} (2\partial\xi)^2 - \underbrace{\frac{\mu^2 v^2}{2}}_{\text{const}} - \mu^2 v \eta - \frac{\mu^2}{2} \eta^2 - \frac{\mu^2}{2} \xi^2 - \frac{\lambda}{4} (\eta^4 + 4\eta^3 v + 6\eta^2 v^2 \\ &\quad + 2\xi^2 \eta^2 + 4\eta v^3 + 4\xi^2 \eta v + \underbrace{v^4 + 2\xi^2 v^2 + \xi^4}_{\text{const}}) \end{aligned}$$

Now  $v = \sqrt{\frac{-m^2}{\lambda}}$   $v^2 = -\frac{m^2}{\lambda} \Rightarrow -m^2 = +\lambda v^2$  (2)

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} &= \frac{1}{2}(2\pi)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(2\varepsilon)^2 + \cancel{\lambda v^3 \pi} + \lambda v^2 \pi^2 + \cancel{\frac{\lambda v^2}{2} \varepsilon^2} \\ &\quad - \frac{\lambda}{4} \pi^4 - \cancel{\lambda v \pi^3} - \frac{3}{2} \lambda v^2 \pi^2 - \frac{1}{2} \varepsilon^2 \pi^2 - \cancel{\lambda v \varepsilon^3} \\ &\quad - \varepsilon^2 \pi v \lambda - \cancel{\frac{1}{2} \lambda v^2 \varepsilon^2} - \frac{\lambda}{4} \varepsilon^4 \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(2\pi)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(2\varepsilon)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \lambda v^2 \pi^2 - \lambda v \pi^3 - \frac{\lambda}{4} \pi^4 \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2} \lambda \varepsilon^2 \pi^2 - \lambda v \varepsilon^2 \pi - \frac{\lambda}{4} \varepsilon^4 \end{aligned}$$

One massive Boson  $\pi$ , one massless boson  $\varepsilon$

+ the following interactions



$$1d) \mathcal{L} = (D_\mu \phi)^\dagger (D^\mu \phi) - m^2 \phi^\dagger \phi - \lambda (\phi^\dagger \phi)^2 - \frac{1}{2} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu}$$

(3)

$$\text{If } m^2 < 0 \quad \phi \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (v + \eta + i\varepsilon)$$

$$D_\mu = \partial_\mu - ie A_\mu$$

$$(D_\mu \phi) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\partial_\mu v + i \partial_\mu \varepsilon - ie A_\mu (v + \eta) + e A_\mu \varepsilon)$$

$$(D_\mu \phi)^\dagger = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\partial_\mu v - i \partial_\mu \varepsilon + ie A_\mu (v + \eta) + e A_\mu \varepsilon)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}' = & \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu v)^2 + \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \varepsilon)^2 + (\partial_\mu v) e A_\mu \varepsilon - e A_\mu (v + \eta) \partial^\mu \varepsilon + \frac{1}{2} e^2 A^2 (v + \eta)^2 + e^2 A^2 \varepsilon^2 \\ & - \frac{1}{2} \lambda v^2 \eta^2 - \lambda v \eta^3 - \frac{\lambda}{4} \eta^4 - \frac{1}{2} \lambda \varepsilon^2 \eta^2 - \lambda v \varepsilon^2 \eta - \frac{\lambda}{4} \varepsilon^4 - \frac{1}{2} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \end{aligned}$$

(4)

$$2a) \quad v(\phi) = \frac{1}{2} \mu^2 \phi^2 + \frac{1}{4} \lambda \phi^4$$

Know the minimum will be @  $v = \sqrt{\frac{-\mu^2}{\lambda}}$

Letting  $\phi = v + h$

$$\Rightarrow -\mu^2 = \lambda v^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow V &= \frac{1}{2} \mu^2 (v+h)^2 + \frac{1}{4} \lambda (v+h)^4 \\ &= \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \mu^2 v^2}_{\text{const}} + \mu^2 v h + \frac{1}{2} \mu^2 h^2 + \frac{1}{4} \lambda \left[ h^4 + 4h^3 v + 6h^2 v^2 + 4h v^3 + v^4 \right] \\ &= -\cancel{\lambda v^3 h} - \frac{1}{2} \lambda v^2 h^2 + \frac{1}{4} \lambda h^4 + \lambda v h^3 + \frac{3}{2} \lambda v^2 h^2 + \cancel{\lambda v^3 h} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \lambda v^2 h^2 + \lambda v h^3 + \frac{1}{4} \lambda h^4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{m_h^2}{2} = \lambda v^2 \Rightarrow m_h = \sqrt{2\lambda} v \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{m_h}{v} \right)^2}$$

OR 
$$V = \frac{m_h^2}{2} h^2 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{m_h^2}{v} h^3 + \frac{1}{8} \left( \frac{m_h}{v} \right)^2 h^4$$

$$h \quad \swarrow \quad \left( \frac{1}{2} \frac{m_h^2}{v^2} \right) v h^3 \quad \searrow \quad h$$

(5)

$$2b) V(\phi) = \frac{1}{2} m^2 \phi^2 + \frac{1}{4} \lambda \phi^4$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial \phi} = m^2 \phi + \frac{3}{2} \lambda \phi^3 = \phi \left( m^2 + \frac{3}{2} \lambda \phi^2 \right)$$

$$\phi_{min} = \left( \frac{-2m^2}{3\lambda} \right)^{1/4}$$

$\lambda$  - has mass dimension -2

$$\lambda = \frac{1}{\rho^2}$$

$$= \left( \frac{-2}{3} m^2 \rho^2 \right)^{1/4} = v$$

$$\Rightarrow v^4 = \frac{-2}{3} m^2 \rho^2 \Rightarrow m^2 = -\frac{3}{2} \frac{v^4}{\rho^2}$$

Now expand about the vev  $\phi \rightarrow (v+h)$

$$\text{or } \frac{1}{\rho^2} = -\frac{2}{3} \frac{m^2}{v^4}$$

$$V(\phi) = \frac{1}{2} m^2 \phi^2 + \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{\rho^2} \phi^4$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} m^2 \phi^2 - \frac{1}{6} \frac{m^2}{v^4} \phi^4$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} m^2 (\underbrace{v^2}_{const} + 2vh + h^2) - \frac{1}{6} \frac{m^2}{v^4} (\underbrace{v^4}_{const} + 6h^2 v^2 + 15h^3 v + 20h^4 + H.O.T.)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} m^2 h^2 + \cancel{m^2 v h} - \cancel{m^2 h v} - \frac{15}{6} m^2 h^2 - \frac{20}{6} \frac{m^2}{v} h^3 + H.O.T$$

$$= -\frac{12}{6} m^2 h^2 - \frac{10}{3} \frac{m^2}{v^2} v h^3 + H.O.T$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} m_h^2 = \cancel{2m^2} - 2m^2 \Rightarrow -m^2 = \frac{1}{4} m_h^2$$

$$m_h = 2\sqrt{-m^2}$$

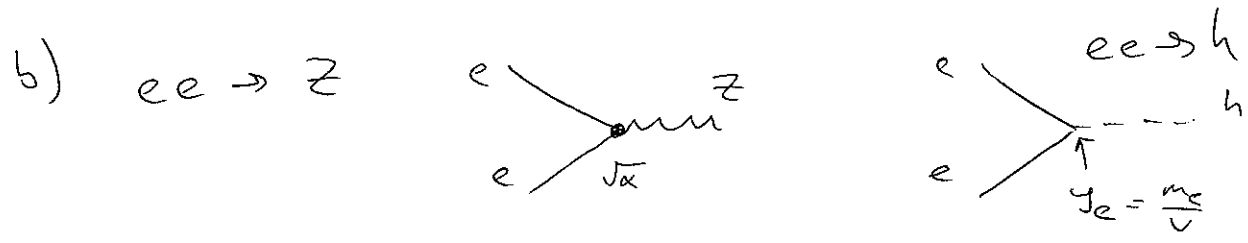
$$V(h) = \frac{1}{2} m_h^2 h^2 + \frac{10}{3} \frac{1}{4} \frac{m_h^2}{v^2} v h^3$$

$$+ \frac{10}{12} \frac{m_h^2}{v^2} v h^3$$

$$\frac{5}{6} \frac{m_h^2}{v^2} h$$

3a)  $Z$

$$\frac{\Gamma(Z \rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu})}{\Gamma(\text{All})} = \frac{3(\nu's)}{3(\ell's) + 3(\nu's) + 3 \times 5(Z's)} = \frac{3}{21}$$



$$\sigma_Z \sim \frac{\alpha}{m_Z^2}$$

$$\sigma_h \sim \frac{m_e^2}{v^2}$$

$$\frac{\sigma_Z}{\sigma_h} = \frac{\alpha}{m_e^2} = \frac{10^{-2}}{(10^{-6})^2} = 10^{10}$$

$\Rightarrow \sigma_h$  is factor of  $10^{10}$  smaller than  $\sigma_Z$

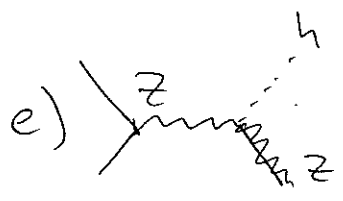
c) to study the higgs @ the same level that LEP studied the  $Z$ , LEP would have to collect

$$10^{10} \times 10^7 = 10^{17} \text{ events total}$$

↑  
#  $Z$ 's

d)  $10^{17} \text{ event} \times \frac{1 \text{ s}}{40 \times 10^6} = \frac{1}{4} 10^{10} \text{ s} \times \frac{1 \text{ year}}{\pi 10^7 \text{ s}}$

$$= \frac{1}{12} 10^3 \text{ years} \sim 100 \text{ years}$$



f)  $\sigma_{Zh} \sim \frac{\alpha}{(m_Z + m_h)^2}$