The Lee Wick Standard Model.

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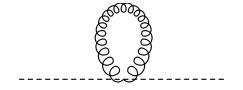
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Field	$SU(3)_c$	$SU(2)_L$	$U(1)_Y$	Lorentz
$Q_L^i = \left(\begin{array}{c} u_L^i \\ d_L^i \end{array} \right)$	3	2	1/6	(1/2,0)
u_R^i	3	1	2/3	(0,1/2)
d_R^i	3	1	-1/3	(0, 1/2)
$L_L^i = \left(\begin{array}{c} \nu_L^i \\ e_L^i \end{array} \right)$	1	2	-1/2	(1/2,0)
e_R^i	1	1	-1	(0,1/2)
$H = \left(\begin{array}{c} H^+ \\ H^0 \end{array}\right)$	1	2	1/2	(0,0)

The Hierarchy Problem

- Motivation for new physics beyond weak scale, Hierarchy Problem. SM Higgs potential: $V(H) = \lambda (H^{\dagger}H v^2/2)^2$ implies vacuum expectation value $H^0 = v/\sqrt{2}$ physical Higgs scalar mass $m_h \sim \sqrt{\lambda} v$. $v/M_{PL} \sim 10^{-17}$.
- One loop radiative corrections from coupling to W boson induce; $\delta m_h^2 \sim g_2^2 \Lambda_c^2/16\pi^2$.



- If Λ_c is of order the Planck scale then $\delta m_h^2 \sim (10^{18} \text{GeV})^2$. To keep v small requires a delicate fine tuning between bare parameters and radiative corrections.
- Some of solutions proposed: Dynamical Symmetry Breaking (Technicolor), Low Energy Supersymmetry, Large Extra Dimensions, Warped Extra Dimensions, Anthropic Principle A.
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A Toy Model

Lagrange density

$$\mathcal{L}_{hd} = \frac{1}{2} \partial_{\mu} \widehat{\phi} \partial^{\mu} \widehat{\phi} - \frac{1}{2M^2} (\partial^2 \widehat{\phi})^2 - \frac{1}{2} m^2 \widehat{\phi}^2 - \frac{1}{3!} g \widehat{\phi}^3,$$

propagator of $\widehat{\phi}$

$$\widehat{D}(p) = \frac{i}{p^2 - p^4/M^2 - m^2}.$$

 $M\gg m$, poles at $p^2\simeq m^2$ and also at $p^2\simeq M^2$. More than one degree of freedom. Residue of $p^2\simeq M^2$ wrong sign. Unstable.

ullet Auxiliary Lee Wick scalar field $\tilde{\phi}$. Write the theory as

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} \partial_{\mu} \widehat{\phi} \partial^{\mu} \widehat{\phi} - \frac{1}{2} m^2 \widehat{\phi}^2 - \widetilde{\phi} \partial^2 \widehat{\phi} + \frac{1}{2} M^2 \widetilde{\phi}^2 - \frac{1}{3!} g \widehat{\phi}^3.$$

Removing $\tilde{\phi}$ from \mathcal{L} with their equations of motion reproduces \mathcal{L}_{hd} .

• Define $\phi = \hat{\phi} + \tilde{\phi}$ to remove $\tilde{\phi} - \hat{\phi}$ kinetic mixing.

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} \partial_{\mu} \phi \partial^{\mu} \phi - \frac{1}{2} \partial_{\mu} \tilde{\phi} \partial^{\mu} \tilde{\phi} + \frac{1}{2} M^2 \tilde{\phi}^2 - \frac{1}{2} m^2 (\phi - \tilde{\phi})^2 - \frac{1}{3!} g (\phi - \tilde{\phi})^3.$$

Two kinds of scalar field: a normal scalar field ϕ and a new LW-field $\tilde{\phi}$. $\tilde{\phi}$ can decay to two ϕ 's. Lee Wick resonance, calculate its decay width from two-point function of $\tilde{\phi}$.

$$-----_{LW} + -----_{LW} + \dots + \dots$$

• Bubble sum,

$$\tilde{D}(p) = \frac{-i}{p^2 - M^2} + \frac{-i}{p^2 - M^2} (-i\Sigma(p^2)) \frac{-i}{p^2 - M^2} + \cdots
= \frac{-i}{p^2 - M^2 + \Sigma(p^2)}.$$

• $(-i\Sigma(p^2))$ same as usual but extra minus sign with each $(-i\Sigma(p^2))$. Width,

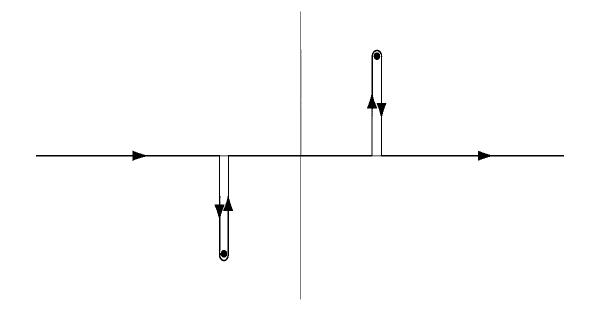
$$\Gamma = -\frac{g^2}{32\pi M} \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m^2}{M^2}}.$$

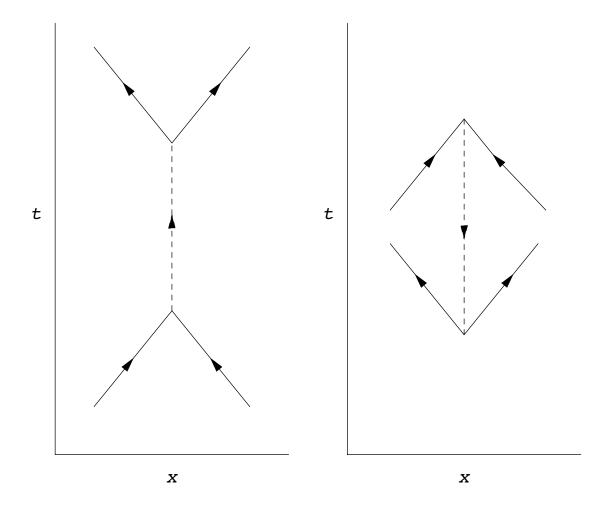
Not narrow width approximation normal resonance

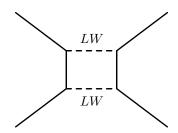
$$D_{\chi}(p^2) = \frac{i}{\pi} \int_{4m^2}^{\infty} ds \frac{\rho(s)}{p^2 - s + i\epsilon} \simeq \frac{i}{p^2 - M^2 + iM\Gamma}.$$

Not narrow width approximation Lee Wick resonance

$$D_{\tilde{\phi}}(p^2) = \frac{-i}{p^2 - M_c^2} + \frac{-i}{p^2 - M_c^{*2}} + \frac{i}{\pi} \int_{4m^2}^{\infty} ds \frac{\rho(s)}{p^2 - s + i\epsilon}$$
 where $M_c^2 = M^2 + iM\Gamma$.







For loop diagrams we must understand how to define expressions such as

$$I = \int \frac{d^4p}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{-i}{(p+q)^2 - M_1^2} \frac{-i}{p^2 - M_2^2}$$

where M_1 and M_2 may be complex masses, either in the upper or lower half plane of the Feynman integration.

• Let us consider the p^0 integral. The integrand has four poles. For time-like q we can go to a frame where $\vec{q}=0$ and the poles are located at,

$$p^0 = \pm \sqrt{\vec{p}^2 + M_2^2}, \qquad p^0 = -q^0 \pm \sqrt{\vec{p}^2 + M_1^2}$$

• At g=0 the widths vanish, so M_1 and M_2 are real masses. Then contour is defined to be the usual Feynman contour. As g increases, we define the contour so that the poles do not cross the contour; a pole which was initially below the contour remains below the contour, for example. Leads to a well-defined contour that can be Wick rotated unless poles pinch the contour. Pinching can occur because we have seen that a pole at M_1^2 is accompanied by another pole at M_1^{*2} - that is, we could have $M_2^2 = M_1^{*2}$ and for some q^0 two poles overlap. In this case, Cutkowsky et al., define integral by taking the masses M_1^2 and M_1^{*2} to be unrelated complex mass parameters so that the poles don't overlap. At the end of the calculation the condition that M_2^2 is the complex conjugate of M_1^2 is imposed. Leads to Unitary scattering amplitudes.

LW-Gauge Bosons and the Hierarchy Problem

Higher derivative Lagrange density

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{hd}} = -\frac{1}{2} \text{tr} \widehat{F}_{\mu\nu} \widehat{F}^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{M_A^2} \text{tr} \left(\widehat{D}^{\mu} \widehat{F}_{\mu\nu} \right) \left(\widehat{D}^{\lambda} \widehat{F}_{\lambda}^{\ \nu} \right),$$

where $\hat{F}_{\mu\nu} = \partial_{\mu}\hat{A}_{\nu} - \partial_{\nu}\hat{A}_{\mu} - ig[\hat{A}_{\mu},\hat{A}_{\nu}]$, and $\hat{A}_{\mu} = \hat{A}_{\mu}^{A}T^{A}$ with T^{A} the generators of the gauge group G in the fundamental representation. Choose this higher derivative term because can remove it using LW-field \tilde{A}_{μ} .

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{2} \operatorname{tr} \widehat{F}_{\mu\nu} \widehat{F}^{\mu\nu} - M_A^2 \operatorname{tr} \widetilde{A}_{\mu} \widetilde{A}^{\mu} + 2 \operatorname{tr} \widehat{F}_{\mu\nu} \widehat{D}^{\mu} \widetilde{A}^{\nu},$$

where $\hat{D}_{\mu}\tilde{A}_{\nu} = \partial_{\mu}\tilde{A}_{\nu} - ig[\hat{A}_{\mu}, \tilde{A}_{\nu}].$

 To diagonalize the kinetic terms, we introduce shifted fields defined by

$$\widehat{A}_{\mu} = A_{\mu} + \widetilde{A}_{\mu}.$$

The Lagrangian becomes

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{2} \text{tr} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} \text{tr} \left(D_{\mu} \tilde{A}_{\nu} - D_{\nu} \tilde{A}_{\mu} \right) \left(D^{\mu} \tilde{A}^{\nu} - D^{\nu} \tilde{A}^{\mu} \right)$$

$$-ig \text{tr} \left(\left[\tilde{A}_{\mu}, \tilde{A}_{\nu} \right] F^{\mu\nu} \right) - \frac{3}{2} g^{2} \text{tr} \left(\left[\tilde{A}_{\mu}, \tilde{A}_{\nu} \right] \left[\tilde{A}^{\mu}, \tilde{A}^{\nu} \right] \right)$$

$$-4ig \text{tr} \left(\left[\tilde{A}_{\mu}, \tilde{A}_{\nu} \right] D^{\mu} \tilde{A}^{\nu} \right) - M_{A}^{2} \text{tr} \left(\tilde{A}_{\mu} \tilde{A}^{\mu} \right).$$

• Only dimension four operators but longitudinal massive vector bosons can cause bad high energy behavior. Standard model with no Higgs but mass terms for W-bosons $\mathcal{A}(LL \to LL) \sim g^2 E^2/M^2$. Arises from $\epsilon_L(p) = (|\mathbf{p}|, E(p)\widehat{\mathbf{p}})/M$.

- For Lee-Wick massive gauge bosons no bad high energy behavior of scattering amplitudes at tree level $\mathcal{A}(LL \to LL) \sim g^2 M^2/E^2$, $\mathcal{A}(LL \to LT) \sim g^2 M/E$, $\mathcal{A}(LL \to TT) \sim g^2$.
- To discuss hierarchy problem add scalar multiplet in fundamental representation

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{hd}} = \left(\widehat{D}_{\mu} \widehat{\phi} \right)^{\dagger} \left(\widehat{D}^{\mu} \widehat{\phi} \right) - \frac{1}{M_{\phi}^{2}} \left(\widehat{D}_{\mu} \widehat{D}^{\mu} \widehat{\phi} \right)^{\dagger} \left(\widehat{D}_{\nu} \widehat{D}^{\nu} \widehat{\phi} \right).$$

•
$$\hat{\phi} = \phi - \tilde{\phi}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = (D_{\mu}\phi)^{\dagger}D^{\mu}\phi - (D_{\mu}\tilde{\phi})^{\dagger}D^{\mu}\tilde{\phi} + M_{\phi}^{2}\tilde{\phi}^{\dagger}\tilde{\phi}$$

$$+ig(D^{\mu}\phi)^{\dagger}\tilde{A}_{\mu}^{A}T^{A}\phi + g^{2}\phi^{\dagger}\tilde{A}_{\mu}^{A}T^{A}\tilde{A}^{B\mu}T^{B}\phi - ig\phi^{\dagger}\tilde{A}_{\mu}^{A}T^{A}D^{\mu}\phi$$

$$-ig(D^{\mu}\tilde{\phi})^{\dagger}\tilde{A}_{\mu}^{A}T^{A}\tilde{\phi} + ig\tilde{\phi}^{\dagger}\tilde{A}_{\mu}^{A}T^{A}D^{\mu}\tilde{\phi} - g^{2}\tilde{\phi}^{\dagger}\tilde{A}_{\mu}^{A}T^{A}\tilde{A}^{B\mu}T^{B}\tilde{\phi}.$$

Work in higher derivative theory and fix gauge in usual way.
 Gauge boson propagator

$$\widehat{D}_{\mu\nu}^{AB}(p) = \delta^{AB} \frac{-i}{p^2 - p^4/M_A^2} \left(\eta_{\mu\nu} - (1 - \xi) \frac{p_{\mu}p_{\nu}}{p^2} - \xi \frac{p_{\mu}p_{\nu}}{M_A^2} \right).$$

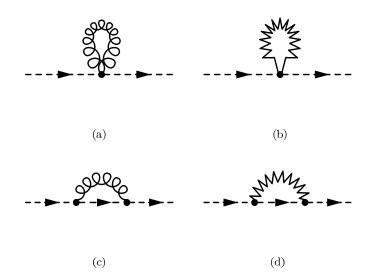
No quadratic divergence in theory in Landau $\xi=0$ gauge; $d=6-2L-E-E'-2E_q$.

• Explicit one loop calculation in LW-version of theory with no higher derivative terms. Propagators for gauge bosons,

$$D_{\mu\nu}^{AB}(p) = -\delta^{AB} \frac{i}{p^2} \left(\eta_{\mu\nu} - (1 - \xi) \frac{p_{\mu}p_{\nu}}{p^2} \right),$$

while the propagator for the LW-vector field is

$$\tilde{D}_{\mu\nu}^{AB}(p) = \delta^{AB} \frac{i}{p^2 - M_A^2} \left(\eta_{\mu\nu} - \frac{p_{\mu}p_{\nu}}{M_A^2} \right).$$



One loop scalar mass corrections

$$-i\Sigma_{a}(0) = g^{2}C_{2}(N) \int \frac{d^{n}k}{(2\pi)^{n}} \frac{n}{k^{2}}$$

$$-i\Sigma_{b}(0) = -g^{2}C_{2}(N) \int \frac{d^{n}k}{(2\pi)^{n}} \left(\frac{n-1}{k^{2}-M_{A}^{2}} - \frac{1}{M_{A}^{2}}\right)$$

$$-i\Sigma_{c}(0) = -g^{2}C_{2}(N) \int \frac{d^{n}k}{(2\pi)^{n}} \frac{1}{k^{2}}$$

$$-i\Sigma_{d}(0) = -g^{2}C_{2}(N) \int \frac{d^{n}k}{(2\pi)^{n}} \frac{1}{M_{A}^{2}}.$$

$$\delta m_h^2 \sim rac{g^2 M_{
m LW}^2}{16\pi^2} {
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m LW}^2}
ight).$$

• Magnitude of LW masses for $S(2) \times U(1)$ constrained by precision electroweak physics. Self energies in higher derivative formulation. Neglect Higgs vev

$$\Pi(q^2) = q^2 - \frac{q^4}{M_{1,2}^2}$$

Parameters Y and W defined by

$$Y = \frac{M_W^2}{2} \Pi_{BB}^{"}(0) \quad W = \frac{M_W^2}{2} \Pi_{33}^{"}(0).$$

LW-Standard Model at tree level

$$Y = -\frac{M_W^2}{M_1^2}, \qquad W = -\frac{M_W^2}{M_2^2}$$

Precision electroweak data imply at 99% confidence level when $M_1=M_2$ that $M_{1,2}>{\rm 3TeV}.$ When one of masses much greater than other find $M_2(M_1)>{\rm 2(2.5)}$ TeV .

Fermions

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{hd}} = \overline{\widehat{Q}}_L i \widehat{D} \widehat{Q}_L + \frac{1}{M_Q^2} \overline{\widehat{Q}}_L i \widehat{D} \widehat{D} \widehat{D} \widehat{Q}_L.$$

• Eliminate the higher derivative term by introducing LW-quark doublets \tilde{Q}_L , \tilde{Q}'_R which form a real representation of the gauge groups. Lagrangian in this formulation becomes

$$\mathcal{L} = \overline{\hat{Q}}_{L}i\widehat{\mathcal{D}}\widehat{Q}_{L} + M_{Q}\left(\overline{\tilde{Q}}_{L}\tilde{Q}'_{R} + \overline{\tilde{Q}'}_{R}\tilde{Q}_{L}\right) + \overline{\tilde{Q}}_{L}i\widehat{\mathcal{D}}\widehat{Q}_{L} + \overline{\hat{Q}}_{L}i\widehat{\mathcal{D}}\widetilde{Q}_{L} - \overline{\tilde{Q}'}_{R}i\widehat{\mathcal{D}}\widetilde{Q}'_{R}.$$

Remove LW-fermions with their equations of motion

$$\tilde{Q}'_R = -\frac{i\tilde{D}}{M_Q}\hat{Q}_L, \quad \tilde{Q}_L = \frac{\tilde{D}\hat{D}}{M_Q^2}\hat{Q}_L,$$

 \bullet To diagonalize the kinetic terms, we introduce the shift $\hat{Q}_L=Q_L-\tilde{Q}_L,$ and the Lagrangian becomes

$$\mathcal{L} = \overline{Q}_L i \not\!\!\!\!D Q_L - \overline{\tilde{Q}}_L i \not\!\!\!\!D \tilde{Q}_L - \overline{\tilde{Q}'}_R i \not\!\!\!\!D \tilde{Q}'_R + M_Q \left(\overline{\tilde{Q}}_L \tilde{Q}'_R + \overline{\tilde{Q}'}_R \tilde{Q}_L \right) - \overline{Q}_L \gamma_\mu \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\mu Q_L + \overline{\tilde{Q}}_L \gamma_\mu \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\mu \tilde{Q}_L + \overline{\tilde{Q}'}_R \gamma_\mu \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^\mu \tilde{Q}'_R.$$

New FCNC but small.

Conclusion

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