

Large N estimates of resonance masses in a composite Higgs model

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Composite Higgs models

New strong dynamics condensates at scale Λ and spontaneously breaks a global symmetry G into H

⇒ Higgs is naturally light as a pNGB of the coset G/H

Effective models of the gauge theory

The gauge theory in term of hypergluons and fundamental fermions is difficult to study below Λ because of its non-perturbative nature

⇒ Useful to consider effective models

► Low scale effective models:

Lagrangian is dictated by global symmetries only, model includes Goldstone bosons and light resonances

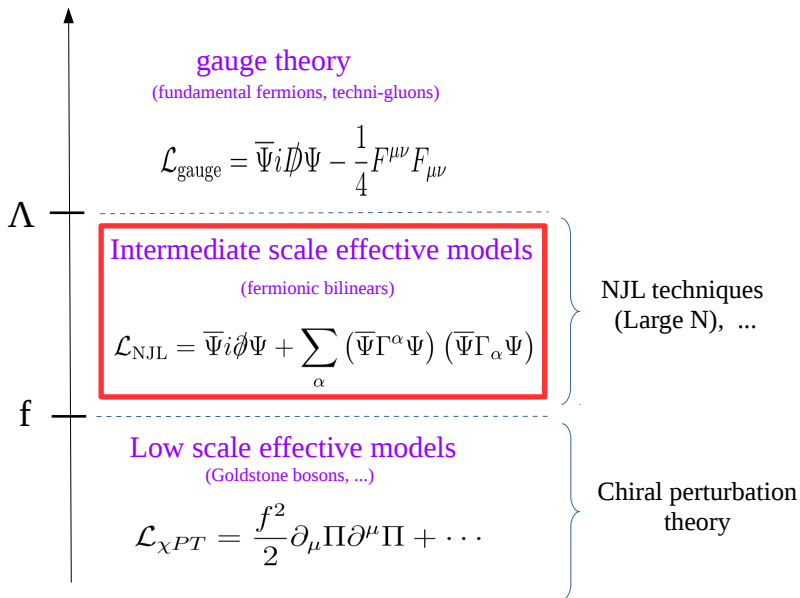
⇒ Little information on the details of the strong dynamics

► Intermediate scale effective models:

Lagrangian in term of 4-fermion operators respects explicitly the underlying gauge symmetry (gauge bosons are froze-out)

⇒ Possible to make calculation of non-perturbative quantities with Nambu Jona-Lasinio (NJL) techniques [Nambu and Jona-Lasinio '61]

The framework



A composite model based on $SU(4)/Sp(4)$

The spontaneous global symmetry breaking $SU(4)/Sp(4) \cong SO(6)/SO(5)$ contains the **Higgs doublet as a Goldstone** ($Sp(4) \supset SU(2)_L$)

Realization of $SU(4)/Sp(4)$ in term of 4-fermion operators

- ▶ 4 Weyl fermions $\psi \rightarrow$ global $SU(4)$ symmetry

[Barnard, Gherghetta and Ray, 1311.6562]

$$\mathcal{L}_\psi^S = \frac{\kappa_A}{2N} (\psi^a \psi^b) (\overline{\psi}_a \overline{\psi}_b) + \frac{\kappa_B}{8N} [\epsilon_{abcd} (\psi^a \psi^b) (\psi^c \psi^d) + h.c.]$$

- ▶ Gauge symmetry $Sp(2N)$: $\psi \sim \square \longrightarrow (2N)$ hypercolours

\Rightarrow A condensate $\langle \psi \psi \rangle \neq 0$ would breaks $SU(4)$ down to $Sp(4)$

[Peskin '80]

$(\psi^a \psi^b) \sim 1_{Sp(2N)} \rightarrow$ fermionic bilinears are hypercolour singlets

Dynamical mass of the fermions

Mass gap (Schwinger-Dyson equation)



⇒ Non-perturbative calculation which sums an infinite number of diagrams at leading order in $1/N$ expansion

Critical coupling and dynamical mass

$$1 - \frac{M_\psi^2}{\Lambda^2} \ln \left(\frac{\Lambda^2 + M_\psi^2}{M_\psi^2} \right) = \frac{4\pi^2}{\Lambda^2} \frac{1}{(\kappa_A + \kappa_B)} \quad [\text{Barnard et al '13}]$$

Non trivial solution $M_\psi \neq 0$ exists only if $(\kappa_A + \kappa_B) > 4\pi^2/\Lambda^2$

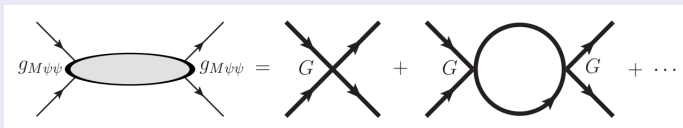
⇒ The global symmetry is broken above a critical coupling where a dynamical mass for the fermions M_ψ is generated ($\langle \bar{\psi}\psi \rangle = M_\psi/(\kappa_A + \kappa_B)$)

Mesons masses and couplings

Physical mesons are present in the spectrum after condensation

Bethe-Salpeter equation

Geometrical series re-sums an infinite number of diagrams at leading order in $1/N$



⇒ Pole of the series is interpreted as the mass m_M of the physical meson M and the residue as the coupling $g_{M\psi\psi}$

$$iD_M^{\alpha\beta}(p^2) = \frac{iG \delta^{\alpha\beta}}{1 - G \Pi_M(p^2)} \equiv \frac{-ig_{M\psi\psi}^2 \delta^{\alpha\beta}}{p^2 - m_M^2}$$

$G \equiv$ any scalar couplings

$\Pi_M \equiv$ 2-point function

Scalar and vector mesons spectrum

Scalar spectrum

Physical mesons have the same quantum numbers as the fermionic bilinears $(\psi^a \psi^b) \sim (1 + 5)_{Sp(4)}$

\Rightarrow Spectrum contains scalar and pseudo-scalar singlets and quintuplets

$$M = \{\sigma, G^{\hat{A}}, a, S^{\hat{A}}\}$$

$$M_G^2 = 0, \quad M_a^2 = -\frac{\kappa_B}{\kappa_A^2 - \kappa_B^2} \frac{1}{B_0(M_a^2, M_\psi^2)}, \quad M_{\sigma,S}^2 = M_{G,a}^2 + 4M_\psi^2$$

\Rightarrow 5 Goldstone bosons $G^{\hat{A}}$

Vector and Axial-vector resonances

$$(\psi^a \sigma^\mu \bar{\psi}_b) \sim (1 + 5 + 10)_{Sp(4)} \Rightarrow V^\mu = \{a_1^\mu, A^{\mu\hat{A}}, \rho^{\mu,A}\}$$

NJL techniques can be applied to Spin 1 resonances as well starting from

$$\mathcal{L}_\psi^V = -\frac{\kappa_C}{2N} \frac{(\psi^a \sigma^\mu \bar{\psi}_a)}{2\sqrt{2}} \frac{(\psi^b \sigma_\mu \bar{\psi}_b)}{2\sqrt{2}} - \frac{\kappa_D}{2N} (\psi^a \sigma^\mu \bar{\psi}_b) (\psi^b \sigma_\mu \bar{\psi}_a)$$

Phenomenological model

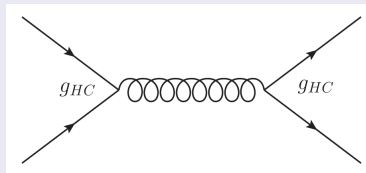
At least 6 free parameters: $\kappa_{A,B,C,D}$, N and Λ

Current-current interaction

Inspired by the gauge theory it is natural to start from a current-current interaction (work well in QCD [Klimt et al '90])

$$\mathcal{L}_{\psi}^{UV} = \frac{\kappa_{\psi}}{2N} \frac{(\psi \sigma^{\mu} T^I \bar{\psi})}{2\sqrt{2}} \frac{(\psi \sigma_{\mu} T^I \bar{\psi})}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$T^I \equiv$ generators of $\text{Sp}(2N)$



Fierz transformations

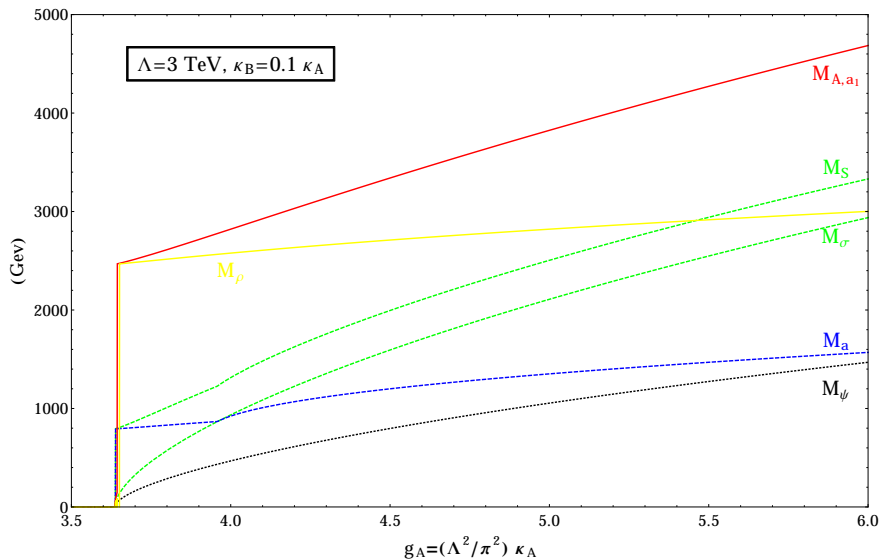
All of the operators are generated by Fierz transformations from the current-current interaction

$$\kappa_A = 2\kappa_C = 2\kappa_D = \kappa_{\psi}/8 + O(1/N)$$

\Rightarrow Reduced set of free parameters

κ_B is separately induced from the $U(1)$ anomaly

Spectrum



A coloured sector based on $SU(6)/SO(6)$

Composite models contain top partners ie coloured resonances
 \Rightarrow additional sector with coloured (under $SU(3)_c$) fermions is needed

Coloured $SU(6)/SO(6)$ sector

6 Weyl fermions $X \rightarrow$ global $SU(6)$ symmetry

[Barnard et al '13]

$$\mathcal{L}_X^S = \frac{1}{2} m_\chi (X^f X^g) + \frac{\kappa_S}{(2N)^2} (X^f X^g) (\overline{X}_f \overline{X}_g)$$

- ▶ $X \sim \square$ under $Sp(2N) \rightarrow$ less trivial Fierz transformations
- ▶ $\langle XX \rangle$ spontaneously breaks $SU(6)$ down to $SO(6)$ [Peskin '80]
- ▶ $SO(6) \supset SU(3)_c$: $6_{SO(6)} = (3 + \overline{3})_{SU(3)_c} \rightarrow$ No $SU(3)_c$ anomalies
- ▶ m_χ explicitly breaks $SU(6)$ and induces a mass for coloured pNGB which are more constrained by collider searches [Cacciapaglia et al '15]

Calculations are similar to the uncoloured sector with different resonances:

$$\begin{aligned} (X^f X^g) &\sim (1 + 20)_{SO(6)} \sim (1 + 8 + 6 + \overline{6})_{SU(3)_c} \\ (X^f \sigma^\mu \overline{X}_g) &\sim (1 + 20 + 15)_{SO(6)} \sim (1 + 8 + 6 + \overline{6} + 1 + 8 + 3 + \overline{3})_{SU(3)_c} \end{aligned}$$

Conclusions

We have considered a model with 4-fermion interactions and used NJL techniques to make **non-perturbative calculations** (masses, couplings, decay constants ...)

- The model predicts a particular pattern in the spectrum of the scalar and vector in the colourless and coloured sectors
⇒ **can be tested at collider**
- The model depends only on few parameters if we start from the current-current operator.
⇒ **simple from phenomenological point of view**

NJL model with 4-fermion interactions should be view as an approximation of the full gauge theory but:

- ▶ it well describes the spontaneous breaking of the global symmetries.
- ▶ it gives an easy way (complementary to the lattice) to make approximate **non-perturbative calculations**.
- ▶ it is fruitful in the case of QCD (the only known strongly coupled theory) ⇒ Natural to apply NJL to composite Higgs models.

Outlooks

- ▶ Calculation of **top partners masses**
- ▶ **Generate the Higgs potential** by gauging the SM group and realizing the partial compositeness for the top quark (add explicit breaking terms) \Rightarrow **Small corrections to the masses of the resonances $\sim \mathcal{O}(m_h^2/M_M^2)$**
- ▶ Apply NJL techniques to **other UV completions** (other cosets or other field contents)

Thanks for your attention

Backup

Diquarks and Baryons

Top partners quantum numbers

Under the global symmetry $SU(4) \times SU(6)$ the top partners (coloured triplets) transform as [Cacciapaglia et al '15]

$$(X\psi\psi) \sim (6, 6) \quad (X\bar{\psi} \bar{\psi}) \sim (\bar{6}, 6) \quad (X\bar{\psi}\psi) \sim (1, 6) + (15, 6)$$

$$6_{SU(6)} = (3 + \bar{3})_{SU(3)_c} \quad (\square \times \square) \times \square = \square \times \square + \dots = \bullet + \dots$$

Diquarks

Maximal attractive channel: $V(\square \times \square) \sim -N/2$ $V(\square \times \square) \sim -1/4$

$\Rightarrow (X\psi)$ diquark more likely than $(\psi\psi)$

Baryon masses

Effective 4-fermion interaction between "quarks" and "di-quarks"

(integrating out X fermion) in the Bethe-Salpeter equation leads to the propagators of physical baryons.

\Rightarrow Static approximation \equiv baryon is mainly built from a "quark" and a "diquark"

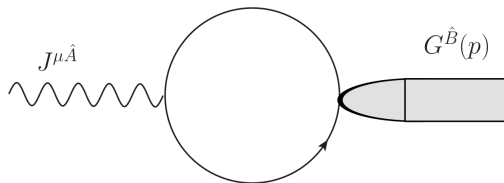
Decay constants

The calculation of decay constants is possible with NJL techniques

Pseudo-scalar (F_G) decay constant

F_G ($\equiv f_\pi$ in QCD) describes the strength of the decay into SM particles
 \Rightarrow measure of the coupling to the broken currents

$$\langle 0 | J^{\mu \hat{A}} | G^{\hat{B}}(p) \rangle = i p^\mu F_G \delta^{\hat{A} \hat{B}}$$



Vector (F_ρ) and Axial (F_A) decay constants

$$\langle 0 | J^{\mu A} | \rho^B(p) \rangle = F_\rho M_\rho \varepsilon^\mu(p) \delta^{AB}, \quad \langle 0 | J^{\mu \hat{A}} | A^{\hat{B}}(p) \rangle = F_A M_A \varepsilon^\mu(p) \delta^{\hat{A} \hat{B}}$$