Unification of gauge and Yukawa couplings

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Summary

- Gauge-Higgs idea, naturalness, unification
- Group theory, $sin\theta_W$, Yukawa couplings
- Renormalisation group evolutions
- Conclusion

Natural Higgs boson

- Naturalness implies the 125 GeV Higgs mass is not due to a tuning of the parameters, typically δm ~ Λ_{NP} is a problem...
- Only special types of scalars may satisfy this requirement:

 - compositeness (condensate, goldstones)
 - gauge-higgs (scalar 🔶 gauge boson)

A scalar from extra dimensions

A 5D field (with a compact 5th dimension is a Kaluza-Klein tower when seen from our 4D perspective (Fourier decomposition)

$$\phi(x^{\mu}, y) = \sum_{n} \phi_{n}(x) e^{iny/R}$$

For the equations of motion

$$(\partial_{\mu}\partial^{\mu} - \partial_{y}^{2})\phi(x^{\mu}, y) = \sum_{n} e^{iny/R} (\partial_{\mu}\partial^{\mu} - \frac{n^{2}}{R^{2}})\phi_{n}(x^{\mu}) = 0$$

Orbifold projections (parity)

$$\phi(x^{\mu}, y) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \cos\left(\frac{n}{R}y\right)\phi_n^+ + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sin\left(\frac{n}{R}y\right)\phi_n^-$$

zero mode (no KK mass scale)

A gauge scalar from extra dimensions

 $A_M = (A_\mu, A_5)$

Orbifold parity projection

 $A_M^+ = (A_\mu^+, A_5^-)$

 $A_M^- = (A_\mu^-, A_5^+)$

Contains a zero mode vector

Contains a zero mode scalar

5D gauge symmetry broken by parity projection (but 4D preserved)

Higgs scalar "protected" by the gauge symmetry (Hosotani mechanism), vev "geometrisation"

Hosotani mechanism

EWSB giving a vev to the Higgs is a gauge transformation

$$\Omega(y) = e^{i\alpha T_h y/R} \qquad h \to h - \partial_y \left(\frac{\alpha \ y}{R}\right) = h - \frac{\alpha}{R}$$

Spectrum is shifted and the zero mode gets a mass

$$M_0 = \frac{\alpha}{R} \qquad \qquad M_n = \frac{n+\alpha}{R}$$

Yukawa couplings are related to gauge too

$$\bar{\psi}D_5\gamma^5\psi \to \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}}\bar{\psi}_Lh\psi_R + h.c. \to y_f = \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}}$$

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A SU(3) toy model

SU(2)U(1) $A_M^+: \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} W_3/2 & W^+/\sqrt{2} & 0\\ W^-/\sqrt{2} & -W_3/2 & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} B & 0 & 0\\ 0 & B & 0\\ 0 & 0 & -2B \end{bmatrix}$

Higgs

$$A_{M}^{-}: \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & h^{+} \\ 0 & 0 & h^{0} \\ h^{-} & h^{0*} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Weinberg angle, top mass

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$$A_{M}^{-}: \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & h^{+} \\ 0 & 0 & h^{0} \\ h^{-} & h^{0*} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Higgs doublet, but U(1) charge

 $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}(1-(-2)) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Therefore the group theory value for the Weinberg angle is not the correct one

$$g' = \sqrt{3} g \to \sin^2 \theta_W = \frac{3}{4}$$

Fermion mass related to W mass

 $m_f = m_W$

Improving the model...

- Adding extra $U(1)_X$: changes the U(1) charge, but ad hoc
- Use different group for embedding S(2)xU(1), example G₂ is closer to the Weinberg angle value, but still incompatible
- Embed the top quark in a higher representation
- Modify the geometry
- Add localised fields and couplings
- ... or keep the model and work harder!

Renormalisation group evolution

 Group theory prediction at unification, need to run down at the EW scale

 Λ and EW not that far, but running in Xdim is fast, linear effect, not log

W • Here Yukawa coupling is also gauge

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1st KK mode kicks in the running

$$\{g_1, g_2, g_3, g_y\} = \left\{\frac{g'}{\sqrt{3}}, g, g_s, \sqrt{2} y\right\}$$

	$ \mathrm{SU}(2)_L $	$U(1)_Y$	Yuk.	$ \mathrm{SU}(3)_c $
	g	g'	y	g_s
SU(3) GHU	$g_{ m GHU}$	$\sqrt{3} g_{ m GHU}$	$g_{ m GHU}/\sqrt{2}$	-
SM	0.66	0.35	1.0	1.2

Running of the gauge couplings

$$16\pi^2 \ \frac{dg_i}{dt} = b_i^{\rm SM} \ g_i^3 + (S(t) - 1) \ b_i^{\rm GHU} \ g_i^3$$

$$S(t) = \begin{cases} \mu R = M_Z R e^t & \text{for } \mu > 1/R \\ 1 & \text{for } M_Z < \mu < 1/R, \end{cases}$$

S(t) encodes the sum of the KK contributions to the running

$$b_i^{SM} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{41}{10}, -\frac{19}{6}, -7 \end{bmatrix}, \quad b_i^{SU(3)} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{17}{6}, -\frac{17}{2}, -\frac{17}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Running of the Yukawa coupling

$$16\pi^2 \ \frac{d y_t}{d t} = \beta_t^{SM} + \left(S(t) - 1\right)\beta_t^{\text{GHU}}$$

$$\beta_t = y_t \left[c_t \ y_t^2 + \sum_i d_i \ g_i^2 \right]$$

$$c_t^{\rm SM} = \frac{9}{2}, \quad c_t^{SU(3)} = \frac{21}{2} \qquad d_i^{SM} = \left[-\frac{5}{12}, -\frac{9}{4}, -8\right], \quad d_i^{SU(3)} = \left[-\frac{35}{24}, -\frac{39}{8}, -4\right]$$

Conclusions

- Gauge-Higgs models should be reconsidered
- Renormalisation group running is important to bring the unification scale results to the EW one
- SU(3) is still a toy model but interesting features emerge from the running
- Work towards more realistic models in progress