

# HIGGS MECHANISM

## PROBLEM

$SU(2) \times U(1)$ , GAUGE SYMMETRY OF  
STANDARD ELECTROWEAK THEORY

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4 GAUGE BOSONS:  $\gamma, W^+, W^-, Z^0$

MANIFEST GAUGE SYMM. REQUIRES GAUGE BOSONS  
TO BE MASSLESS

BUT EXPERIMENTALLY

$$M_W \approx 80.4 \text{ GeV}$$

$$M_Z \approx 91.2 \text{ GeV}$$

⇒ ADDING MASS TERMS IN  $\mathcal{L}$  (EXPLICIT SYMM. BREAKING)  
YIELDS INCONSISTENT THEORY

↪ UNRENORMALIZABLE DIVERGENCES APPEAR.

⇒ SOLUTION: ONE HAS TO ADD MASS  
WITHOUT BREAKING GAUGE INVARIANCE

⇓  
SPONTANEOUS SYMMETRY BREAKING

SPONTANEOUS SYMMETRY BREAKING OF DISCRETE SYMMETRY

CONSIDER EXAMPLE OF SCALAR FIELD THEORY

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \phi)(\partial^\mu \phi) - \frac{1}{2} \mu^2 \phi^2 - \frac{\lambda}{4} \phi^4$$

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INTERACTION TERM ( $\lambda > 0$ )

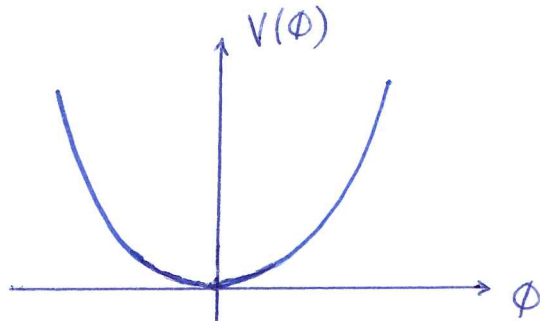
$$= T - V$$

$$V = \frac{1}{2} \mu^2 \phi^2 + \frac{\lambda}{4} \phi^4$$

$\mathcal{L}$  HAS SYMMETRY w.r.t  $\phi \rightarrow -\phi$  ( $Z_2$  SYMMETRY)

↳ CASE  $\mu^2 > 0$

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MINIMUM OF  $V$   
 $\phi = 0$

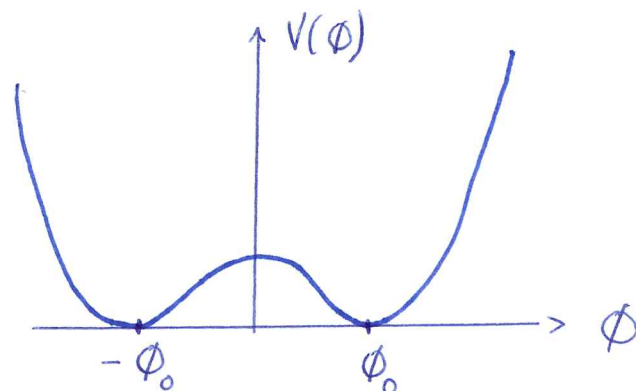


⇒ GROUND STATE ( $\phi = 0$ ) REFLECTS SYMMETRY  $\phi \rightarrow -\phi$  OF  $\mathcal{L}$

◦◦ MANIFEST SYMMETRY: SYMMETRY OF DYNAMICS ( $\mathcal{L}$ )  
= SYMMETRY OF GROUND STATE

↳ CASE  $\mu^2 < 0$

⇓  
MINIMUM OF  $V$



$$\frac{\delta V}{\delta \phi} = \mu^2 \phi + \lambda \phi^3$$

$$= \phi (\mu^2 + \lambda \phi^2) = 0$$

$\phi = 0$  : MAXIMUM

$\phi = \pm \sqrt{-\frac{\mu^2}{\lambda}}$  : MINIMUM

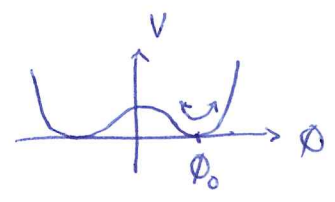
$\equiv \pm \phi_0$

2 DEGENERATE MINIMA / GROUND STATES  $\phi_0, -\phi_0$

◦◦ HIDDEN SYMMETRY (SPONTANEOUSLY BROKEN SYMM.)

SYMMETRY OF DYNAMICS ( $\mathcal{L}$ )  
IS NOT SYMMETRY OF GROUND STATE

PERTURBATIVE EXPANSION AROUND  $\phi_0 = +\sqrt{\frac{-\mu^2}{\lambda}}$



$$\Phi(x) = \phi_0 + \eta(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} &= \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \eta) (\partial^\mu \eta) - \frac{\lambda}{4} \left( \phi^2 + \frac{\mu^2}{\lambda} \right)^2 + \frac{\mu^4}{4\lambda} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \eta) (\partial^\mu \eta) - \frac{\lambda}{4} \left( \cancel{\phi_0^2} + 2\phi_0 \eta + \eta^2 + \frac{\mu^2}{\lambda} \right)^2 + \frac{\mu^4}{4\lambda} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \eta) (\partial^\mu \eta) - \underbrace{\lambda \phi_0^2}_{-\mu^2} \eta^2 - \lambda \phi_0 \eta^3 - \frac{\lambda}{4} \eta^4 + \text{CONSTANT} \end{aligned}$$

$$\| \mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \eta) (\partial^\mu \eta) - \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} (-2\mu^2)}_{\substack{m_\eta^2 \\ \text{MASS TERM}}} \eta^2 - \underbrace{\lambda \phi_0 \eta^3 - \frac{\lambda}{4} \eta^4}_{\text{INTERACTION TERMS}}$$

DUE TO SPONTANEOUS SYMM. BREAKING  
⇒ MASS TERM ( $m_\eta^2$ ) IS CREATED IN MASSLESS THEORY

↪ PHYSICAL EXAMPLES :

FERROMAGNETISM : SPINS CAN ALIGN ALONG ONE DIRECTION  
2 DEGENERATE GROUND STATES



• SPONTANEOUS SYMMETRY BREAKING OF CONTINUOUS GLOBAL SYMMETRY

↳ COMPLEX SCALAR FIELD  $\Phi$ ,  $\Phi^*$

$$\Phi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\Phi_1 + i \Phi_2) \quad \Phi_1, \Phi_2 : \text{REAL FIELDS.}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = (\partial_\mu \Phi)^* (\partial^\mu \Phi) - \mu^2 \Phi^* \Phi - \lambda (\Phi^* \Phi)^2$$

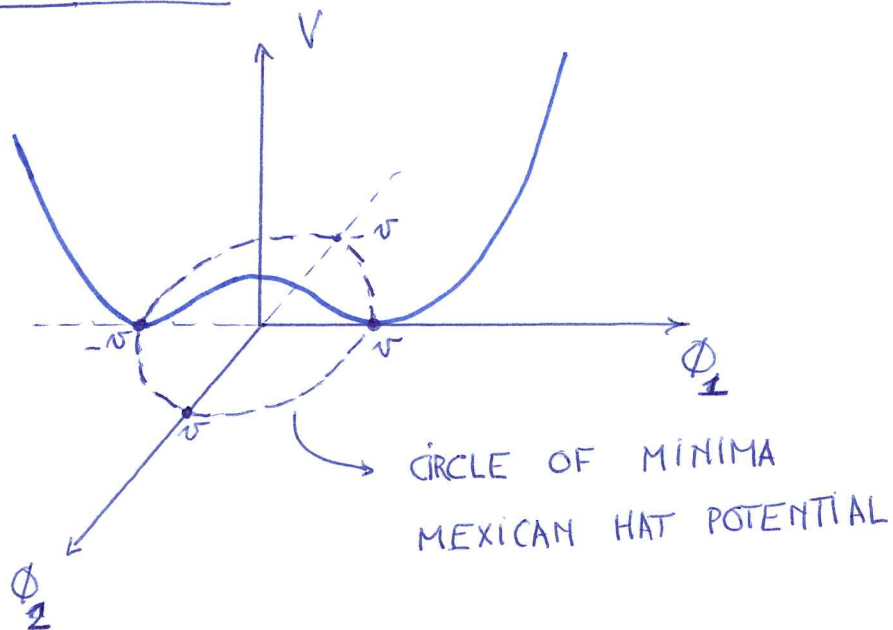
$\mathcal{L}$  HAS CONTINUOUS GLOBAL SYMMETRY

$$\Phi(x) \xrightarrow{U(1)} e^{i\alpha} \Phi(x) \quad : \alpha \text{ CONSTANT : GLOBAL PHASE TF.}$$

IN TERMS OF  $\Phi_1, \Phi_2$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} = & \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \Phi_1) (\partial^\mu \Phi_1) + \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \Phi_2) (\partial^\mu \Phi_2) \\ & - \left[ \frac{1}{2} \mu^2 (\Phi_1^2 + \Phi_2^2) + \frac{\lambda}{4} (\Phi_1^2 + \Phi_2^2)^2 \right] \\ & \qquad \qquad \qquad V(\Phi_1, \Phi_2) \end{aligned}$$

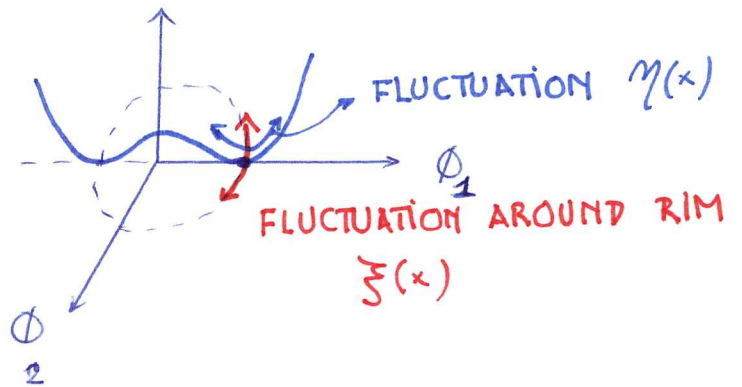
FOR  $\mu^2 < 0, \lambda > 0$  : MINIMA OF  $V$  :  $\Phi_1^2 + \Phi_2^2 = v^2 = -\frac{\mu^2}{\lambda}$



↳ PERTURBATIVE EXPANSION AROUND A MINIMUM

$$\Phi(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\nu + \eta(x) + i \xi(x))$$

$$\nu = \sqrt{-\frac{\mu^2}{\lambda}}$$



$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \xi)(\partial^\mu \xi) + \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \eta)(\partial^\mu \eta)$$

$$- \frac{\lambda}{4} \left( (\nu + \eta)^2 + \xi^2 + \frac{\mu^2}{\lambda} \right)^2 + \text{CONSTANT}$$

$$\downarrow \quad \nu^2 = -\frac{\mu^2}{\lambda}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \xi)(\partial^\mu \xi) + \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \eta)(\partial^\mu \eta) - \frac{\lambda}{4} \left( 4\nu^2 \eta^2 + 4\nu \eta (\eta^2 + \xi^2) + (\eta^2 + \xi^2)^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \xi)(\partial^\mu \xi) + \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \eta)(\partial^\mu \eta) - \frac{1}{2} \underbrace{(-2\mu^2)}_{m_\eta^2} \eta^2 - \lambda \nu \eta (\eta^2 + \xi^2) - \frac{\lambda}{4} (\eta^2 + \xi^2)^2$$

INTERACTION TERMS

$\eta$  FIELD HAS ACQUIRED A MASS  $m_\eta = \sqrt{-2\mu^2}$

$\xi$  FIELD IS MASSLESS!

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FLUCTUATIONS ALONG RIM (FROM ONE MINIMUM TO OTHER MINIMUM)

COST NO ENERGY ⇒ GOLDSTONE BOSONS  
(MASSLESS EXCITATIONS)

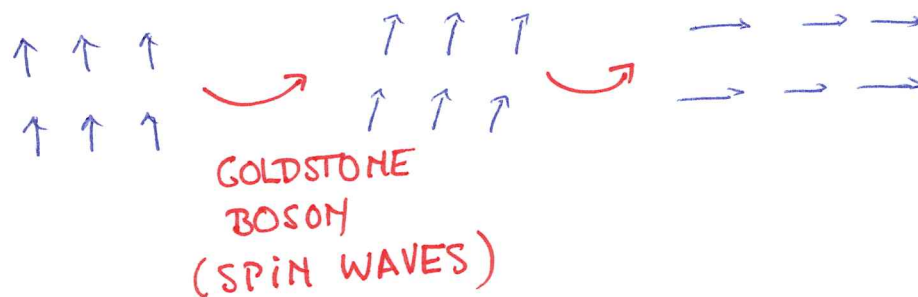
↳ PHYSICAL EXAMPLE : FERROMAGNETISM  
WITH SPINS IN 3 DIM

$$H = - J \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \vec{S}_i \cdot \vec{S}_j$$

H : HAS ROTATIONAL SYMM.

IN FERROMAGNETIC PHASE

ROTATIONAL SYMM IS SPONTANEOUSLY BROKEN



↳ EXAMPLE IN QCD :  $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$  CHIRAL SYMMETRY

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} = \bar{u} (i \gamma^\mu D_\mu) u + \bar{d} (i \gamma^\mu D_\mu) d - m_u \bar{u} u - m_d \bar{d} d - \frac{1}{4} F_{a\mu\nu} F_a^{\mu\nu}$$

$m_u \approx 2 \text{ MeV}$ ,  $m_d \approx 5 \text{ MeV}$  SMALL COMPARED TO  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \approx 200 \text{ MeV}$

↳ IN LIMIT  $m_u = m_d = 0$  (CHIRAL LIMIT)

LEFT & RIGHT HANDED QUARKS DECOUPLE

$$q^L \equiv \frac{1}{2} (1 - \gamma_5) q \quad \Rightarrow \quad q = q^L + q^R$$

$$q^R \equiv \frac{1}{2} (1 + \gamma_5) q$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}}^{\text{CHIRAL LIMIT}} = \bar{u}^L (i \gamma^\mu D_\mu) u^L + \bar{u}^R (i \gamma^\mu D_\mu) u^R + \bar{d}^L (i \gamma^\mu D_\mu) d^L + \bar{d}^R (i \gamma^\mu D_\mu) d^R - \frac{1}{4} F_{a\mu\nu} F_a^{\mu\nu}$$

$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}}$  CHIRAL LIMIT HAS GLOBAL  $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$  SYMMETRY

$$\begin{pmatrix} U^L \\ d^L \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{SU(2)_L} \exp \left\{ i \theta_i^L \frac{\tau_i}{2} \right\} \begin{pmatrix} U^L \\ d^L \end{pmatrix} \quad \theta_i^L, \theta_i^R \text{ CONSTANTS}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} U^R \\ d^R \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{SU(2)_R} \exp \left\{ i \theta_i^R \frac{\tau_i}{2} \right\} \begin{pmatrix} U^R \\ d^R \end{pmatrix}$$

OR EQUIVALENTLY

$$\begin{pmatrix} U \\ d \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \exp \left\{ i \theta_i \frac{\tau_i}{2} + i \eta_i \frac{\tau_i}{2} \gamma_5 \right\} \begin{pmatrix} U \\ d \end{pmatrix}$$

SUBGROUP OF TRANSFORMATIONS  $\theta_i$  WITH  $\eta_i = 0$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  ISOSPIN

NOETHER THEOREM : SYMMETRIES  $\leftrightarrow$  CONSERVATION LAWS.

SYMM. CURRENTS  $J_i^\mu = \bar{q} \gamma^\mu \frac{\tau_i}{2} q$  VECTOR CURRENT

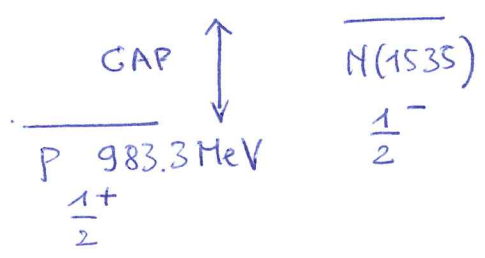
$J_{5i}^\mu = \bar{q} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \frac{\tau_i}{2} q$  AXIAL VECTOR CURRENT

SPECTRUM OF QCD

SYMMETRY UNDER  $u \leftrightarrow d$

$p : uud \Rightarrow 938.3 \text{ MeV}$   
 $n : ddu \Rightarrow 939.6 \text{ MeV}$

- ISOSPIN SYMM IS MANIFEST
- AXIAL SYMM IS NOT MANIFEST  $\Rightarrow$  SPONTANEOUSLY BROKEN



$SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \rightarrow SU(2)_{\text{ISO-SPIN}}$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  3 GOLDSTONE BOSONS  $\pi^+, \pi^-, \pi^0$

FOR  $SU(3)_L \times SU(3)_R \rightarrow SU(3)$   
 8 GOLDSTONE BOSONS  $\pi, K, \eta$

• SPONTANEOUS SYMMETRY BREAKING OF LOCAL GAUGE SYMMETRY U(1): ABELIAN HIGGS MODEL

COMPLEX SCALAR FIELD

$$\mathcal{L}_0 = (\partial_\mu \phi)^* (\partial^\mu \phi) - \mu^2 \phi^* \phi - \lambda (\phi^* \phi)^2$$

REQUIRE  $\mathcal{L}$  TO BE INVARIANT UNDER LOCAL U(1) GAUGE SYMMETRY

$$\phi(x) \xrightarrow{U(1)} e^{i\alpha(x)} \phi(x)$$

WE NEED TO INTRODUCE GAUGE FIELDS

$$\partial^\mu \Rightarrow \mathcal{D}^\mu = \partial^\mu + ie A^\mu$$

$$A^\mu(x) \xrightarrow{U(1)} A^\mu - \frac{1}{e} \partial^\mu \alpha$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} &= [(\partial_\mu - ie A_\mu) \phi^*] [(\partial^\mu + ie A^\mu) \phi] \\ &\quad - \mu^2 \phi^* \phi - \lambda (\phi^* \phi)^2 - \frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \\ &= (\partial_\mu \phi^*) (\partial^\mu \phi) - \mu^2 \phi^* \phi - \lambda (\phi^* \phi)^2 \\ &\quad - ie A_\mu [\phi^* (\partial^\mu \phi) - (\partial^\mu \phi^*) \phi] + e^2 A_\mu A^\mu \phi^* \phi \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \end{aligned}$$

↳ FOR  $\underline{\mu^2 > 0}$  : QED LAGRANGIAN FOR CHARGED SPIN 0 PARTICLE WITH MASS  $\mu$  + INTERACTION TERM  $\lambda (\phi^* \phi)^2$

↳ FOR  $\underline{\mu^2 < 0}$  : SPONTANEOUS SYMMETRY BREAKING



CASE  $\mu^2 < 0$  : EXPANSION AROUND A MINIMUM

$$\Phi(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left\{ v + \eta(x) + i \xi(x) \right\} \quad \text{WITH } v = \sqrt{\frac{-\mu^2}{\lambda}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} &= \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \xi) (\partial^\mu \xi) + \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \eta) (\partial^\mu \eta) \\ &\quad - \frac{\lambda}{4} \left( (v + \eta)^2 + \xi^2 + \frac{\mu^2}{\lambda} \right)^2 + \text{CONSTANT} \\ &\quad - ie A_\mu \frac{1}{2} \left[ (v + \eta - i \xi) (\partial^\mu \eta + i \partial^\mu \xi) \right. \\ &\quad \quad \left. - (v + \eta + i \xi) (\partial^\mu \eta - i \partial^\mu \xi) \right] \\ &\quad + e^2 A_\mu A^\mu \frac{1}{2} \left( (v + \eta)^2 + \xi^2 \right) - \frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \xi) (\partial^\mu \xi) + \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \eta) (\partial^\mu \eta) - \frac{1}{2} (+ 2v^2 \lambda) \eta^2 \\ &\quad + e v A_\mu (\partial^\mu \xi) + \frac{1}{2} e^2 v^2 A_\mu A^\mu - \frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \\ &\quad + \text{INTERACTION TERMS} \quad \quad \quad (\text{CUBIC \& QUARTIC TERMS IN } \eta, \xi, A^\mu \text{ FIELDS}) \end{aligned}$$

$\Downarrow$   
 GAUGE FIELD  $A^\mu$  HAS ACQUIRED A MASS  $\nabla$   
 $\circ$

$$\underline{\underline{m_A = e v}}$$

BUT : MASSIVE SPIN 1 PARTICLE HAS

3 POLARIZATIONS : 2 TRANSVERSE ( $\pm 1$ )  
 1 LONGITUDINAL (0)

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 MASSLESS SPIN 1 (GAUGE) PARTICLE  
 ONLY HAS 2 TRANSVERSE POLARIZATIONS

∴ WE CAN MAKE GAUGE TF. TO ELIMINATE  
 GOLDSTONE BOSON ( $\xi$ ) & CONVERT IT TO LONGITUDINAL  
 DEGREE OF FREEDOM

$$\Phi(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\nu + \eta(x)) e^{i \frac{\xi(x)}{\nu}}$$

TO LOWEST ORDER IN  $\xi$  THIS IS EQUIVALENT  
 TO FORM ABOVE

GAUGE TF.  $\Phi(x) \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\nu + \eta(x)) e^{i \frac{\xi(x)}{\nu}}$   
 PHASE

$$A^\mu \rightarrow A^\mu - \frac{1}{e} \frac{1}{\nu} (\partial^\mu \xi)$$

$$(\mathcal{D}_\mu \Phi)^* (\mathcal{D}^\mu \Phi) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \partial_\mu \eta - ie(\nu + \eta) A_\mu \right) \cdot \left( \partial^\mu \eta + ie(\nu + \eta) A^\mu \right)$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \eta)(\partial^\mu \eta) - \frac{\lambda}{4} \left( (\nu + \eta)^2 - \nu^2 \right)^2$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} (e^2 \nu^2) A_\mu A^\mu + e^2 \nu \eta A_\mu A^\mu + \frac{1}{2} e^2 \eta^2 A_\mu A^\mu$$

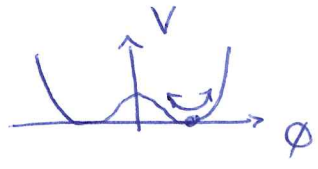
$$- \frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu}$$

ABELIAN HIGGS MODEL

↳ GOLDSTONE BOSON ( $\xi$ ) DISAPPEARED  
 HAS BEEN CONVERTED TO LONGITUDINAL POLARIZATION  
 OF  $A^\mu$  FIELD

↳ GAUGE BOSON HAS ACQUIRED A MASS

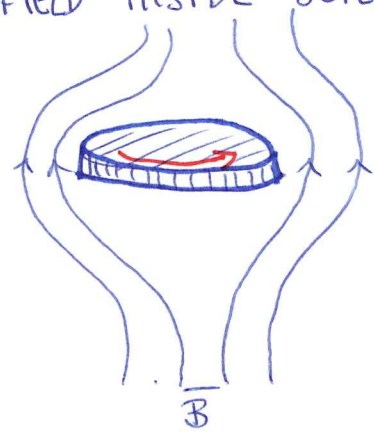
$m_A = e v$



↳ HIGGS FIELD ( $\eta$ ) : EXCITATIONS  
 MASS  $m_\eta^2 = 2v^2 \lambda$  (MASSIVE SCALAR PARTICLE)

↳ PHYSICAL EXAMPLE : TYPE II SUPERCONDUCTOR

$v \leftrightarrow$  CONDENSATE OF (ELECTRICALLY CHARGED) COOPER PAIRS  
 SCREENING OF MAGNETIC FIELD INSIDE SUPERCONDUCTOR  
 MEISSNER EFFECT



$\vec{B}$  FIELD CAN ONLY PENETRATE SHORT DISTANCE  $R$   
 INSIDE SUPERCONDUCTOR  $\Rightarrow$  SCREENING

POTENTIAL  $\frac{e^{-\mu/R}}{\mu} \Leftrightarrow$  MASS  $m_A \sim \frac{1}{R}$

WHEN  $\vec{B} \uparrow$  : MAGNETIC FIELD WILL FORM VORTICES  
 OF SIZE  $\xi$  INSIDE SUPERCONDUCTOR  
 WHERE SUPERCONDUCTIVITY IS LOST

CORRELATION LENGTH  $\xi < R = \frac{1}{m_A}$  : TYPE II SUPERCONDUCTOR  $\Rightarrow$  ABRIKOSOV VORTICES  
 $\xi > R$  : TYPE I SUPERCONDUCTOR : VORTICES DO NOT FORM SPONTANEOUSLY

• SPONTANEOUS SYMMETRY BREAKING OF LOCAL NON-ABELIAN GAUGE SYMMETRY  $SU(2) \times U(1) \rightarrow U(1)_{EM}$

↳ COMPLEX DOUBLET FIELD UNDER  $SU(2) \times U(1)_Y$

$$H = \begin{pmatrix} \phi^+ \\ \phi^0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{c|cccc} & t & t_3 & \frac{Y}{2} & Q \\ \hline \begin{pmatrix} \phi^+ \\ \phi^0 \end{pmatrix} & \frac{1}{2} & +\frac{1}{2} & +\frac{1}{2} & +1 \\ & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & +\frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{array}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = (\mathcal{D}_\mu H)^\dagger (\mathcal{D}^\mu H) - \lambda \left( H^\dagger H - \frac{v^2}{2} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{4} W_{\mu\nu} W^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4} B_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu}$$

$$\mathcal{D}^\mu H = \left[ \partial^\mu + ig W_i^\mu \frac{\tau_i}{2} + ig' B^\mu \frac{Y}{2} \right] H$$

UNDER  $SU(2) \times U(1)_Y \rightarrow U(1)_{EM}$

POTENTIAL TERM INDUCES SPONTANEOUS SYMM. BREAKING

$$\mathcal{D}^\mu H \rightarrow \exp \left\{ i \int \xi_i(x) \frac{\tau_i}{2} \right\} \mathcal{D}^\mu H$$

WE CAN CHOOSE H IN UNITARY GAUGE (IN WHICH ONLY PHYSICAL FIELDS APPEAR) AS :

INSTEAD OF

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1(x) + i\phi_2(x) \\ \phi_3(x) + i\phi_4(x) \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow H = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v + h(x) \end{pmatrix} \quad H_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v \end{pmatrix}$$

WITH  $h(x)$  A REAL SCALAR FIELD (HIGGS)

&  $v/\sqrt{2}$  VACUUM EXPECTATION VALUE OF H

$$\hookrightarrow D^\mu H = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{i g}{2} (W_1^\mu - i W_2^\mu) (\nu + h) \\ \partial^\mu h + \frac{1}{2} (-g W_3^\mu + g' B^\mu) (\nu + h) \end{bmatrix}$$

USING  $W^\mu = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (W_1^\mu - i W_2^\mu)$

8)  $Z^\mu$  FIELDS

$$\begin{cases} W_3^\mu = \cos \theta_W Z^\mu + \sin \theta_W A^\mu \\ B^\mu = -\sin \theta_W Z^\mu + \cos \theta_W A^\mu \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} -g W_3^\mu + g' B^\mu &= (-g \cos \theta_W - g' \sin \theta_W) Z^\mu \\ &+ \underbrace{(-g \sin \theta_W + g' \cos \theta_W)}_0 A^\mu \end{aligned}$$

$$\downarrow \quad \underline{\underline{g' \cos \theta_W = g \sin \theta_W = e}}$$

$$-g W_3^\mu + g' B^\mu = -\frac{g}{\cos \theta_W} Z^\mu$$

$$\therefore D^\mu H = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{i g}{\sqrt{2}} W^\mu (\nu + h) \\ \partial^\mu h - \frac{i g}{2 \cos \theta_W} Z^\mu (\nu + h) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hookrightarrow (D^\mu H)^\dagger (D_\mu H)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\partial^\mu h) (\partial_\mu h) + \frac{1}{4} (v+h)^2 g^2 W_\mu^+ W^\mu + \frac{1}{2} (v+h)^2 \left( \frac{g}{2 \cos \theta_W} \right)^2 Z_\mu Z^\mu$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\partial^\mu h) (\partial_\mu h) + \left( \frac{g v}{2} \right)^2 W_\mu^+ W^\mu + \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{g v}{2 \cos \theta_W} \right)^2 Z_\mu Z^\mu$$

$$+ \left( \frac{2h}{v} + \frac{h^2}{v^2} \right) \left[ \left( \frac{g v}{2} \right)^2 W_\mu^+ W^\mu + \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{g v}{2 \cos \theta_W} \right)^2 Z_\mu Z^\mu \right]$$

$W^\pm, Z$  BOSONS ACQUIRE MASS !

$$m_W = \frac{g v}{2} = \frac{v e}{2 \sin \theta_W}$$

$$m_Z = \frac{g v}{2 \cos \theta_W}$$

$$\Rightarrow m_Z = \frac{m_W}{\cos \theta_W}$$

EXPERIMENT :  $W^\pm, Z$  BOSONS DISCOVERED AT CERN (1983)

$$m_W = 80.4 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_Z = 91.2 \text{ GeV}$$

↓  
1984 NOBEL  
PRIZE

(RUBBIA,  
VAN DER MEER)

HIGGS VACUUM EXPECTATION VALUE  $v = 251 \text{ GeV}$

↳ HIGGS PART OF  $\mathcal{L}$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{HIGGS}} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial^\mu h) (\partial_\mu h) - \frac{\lambda}{4} (h^2 + 2h\nu)^2 + \left( \frac{2h}{\nu} + \frac{h^2}{\nu^2} \right) \left[ m_W^2 W_\mu^+ W^\mu + \frac{1}{2} m_Z^2 Z_\mu Z^\mu \right]$$

↓ HIGGS IS MASSIVE  $m_H$  IS FREE PARAMETER  
 $m_H^2 = 2\lambda\nu^2$  2012: HIGGS DISCOVERY @ CERN  
 $m_H = 125.25 \text{ GeV}$   
 2013: NOBEL PRIZE (ENGLERT, HIGGS)

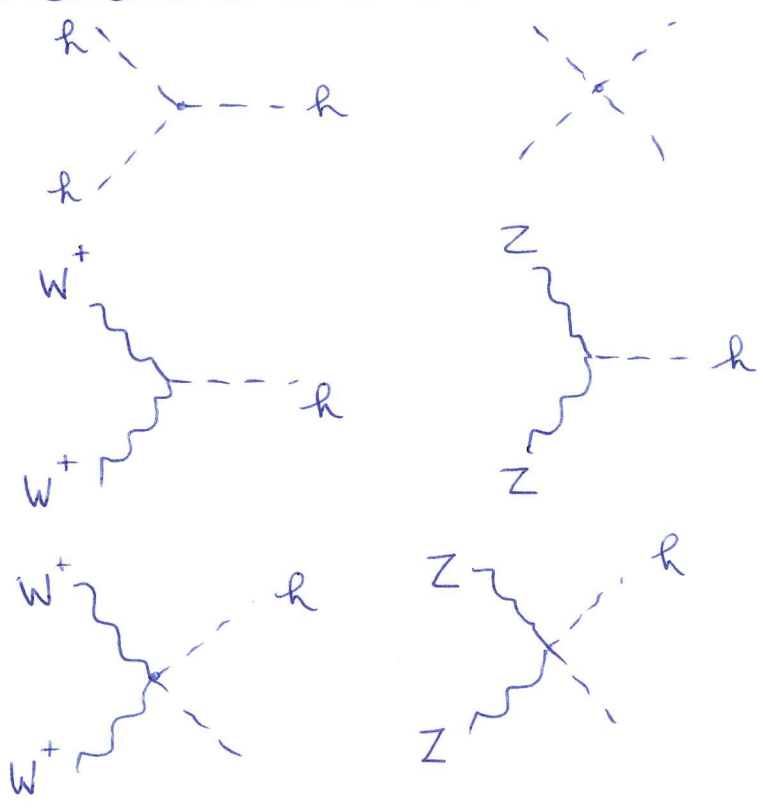
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{HIGGS}} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial^\mu h) (\partial_\mu h) - \frac{1}{2} m_H^2 h^2 \left( 1 + \frac{h}{2\nu} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{2h}{\nu} + \frac{h^2}{\nu^2} \right) \left[ m_W^2 W_\mu^+ W^\mu + \frac{1}{2} m_Z^2 Z_\mu Z^\mu \right]$$

WE CAN TRADE  $\nu$  FOR  $m_W$

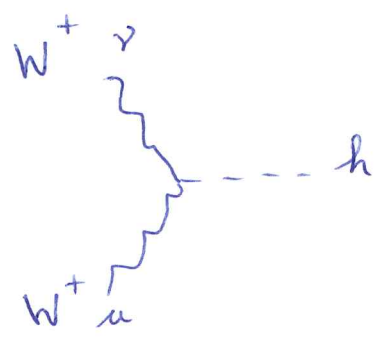
$$\frac{1}{\nu} = \frac{g}{2m_W} = \frac{e}{2\sin\theta_W} \frac{1}{m_W}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{HIGGS}} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial^\mu h) (\partial_\mu h) - \frac{1}{2} m_H^2 h^2 - g \frac{m_H^2}{4m_W} h^3 - \frac{g^2}{32} \frac{m_H^2}{m_W^2} h^4 + \frac{gh}{m_W} \left( 1 + \frac{g}{4m_W} h \right) \left[ m_W^2 W_\mu^+ W^\mu + \frac{1}{2} m_Z^2 Z_\mu Z^\mu \right]$$

INTERACTION TERMS:

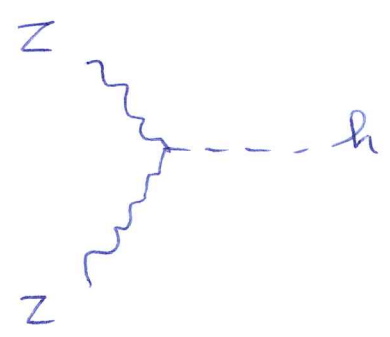


e.g. FEYNMAN RULES



$$ig m_W g^{\mu\nu} = \frac{ie}{\sin\theta_W} m_W g^{\mu\nu}$$

HIGGS COUPLING  
PROPORTIONAL TO MASS



$$ig \frac{m_Z^2}{m_W} g^{\mu\nu} = \frac{ie m_W}{\sin\theta_W \cos^2\theta_W} g^{\mu\nu}$$



↳ FERMION MASSES : YUKAWA TERMS

e.g.  $e^-$   
 $\Psi_e^L = \begin{pmatrix} \psi_{\nu_e}^L \\ \psi_{e^-}^L \end{pmatrix}$

$(\bar{\Psi}_e^L H) \cdot \psi_e^R + h.c.$  INVARIANT UNDER  $SU(2)$

$\mathcal{L}_e = - g_e \left[ (\bar{\Psi}_e^L H) \cdot \psi_e^R + \bar{\psi}_e^R H^\dagger \Psi_e^L \right]$

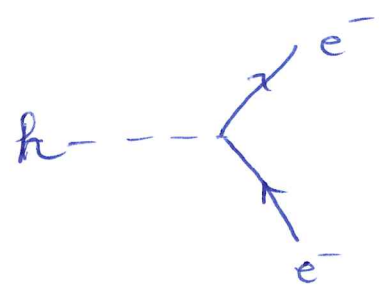
$= - \frac{g_e v}{\sqrt{2}} \left( 1 + \frac{h}{v} \right) \underbrace{\left[ \bar{\psi}_e^L \psi_e^R + \bar{\psi}_e^R \psi_e^L \right]}_{\bar{\psi} \psi}$

$\mathcal{L}_e = - \frac{g_e v}{\sqrt{2}} \left( 1 + \frac{h}{v} \right) \bar{\psi} \psi$

TRADE  $g_e$  FOR LEPTON MASS  $\frac{g_e v}{\sqrt{2}} = m_e$

$\mathcal{L}_e = - m_e \bar{\psi} \psi \left( 1 + \frac{h}{v} \right)$

INTERACTION TERM



$- \frac{i m_e}{v}$

HIGGS COUPLING TO FERMIONS IS PROPORTIONAL TO MASS

## PARAMETERS OF STANDARD MODEL

↳ COUPLINGS : E.M.  $e$   
 (3) STRONG  $\alpha_s$   
 ELECTROWEAK UNIFICATION  $\sin \theta_W$

↳ SPONTANEOUS SYMM. BREAKING (1)  
 HIGGS V.E.V  $\rightarrow m_W$

↳ HIGGS MASS (1)  $\rightarrow m_H$

↳ CHARGED LEPTON MASSES (3)  
 $m_e, m_\mu, m_\tau$

↳ QUARK MASSES (6)  
 $m_u, m_d, m_s, m_c, m_b, m_t$

↳ QUARK MIXING MATRIX (CHARGED WEAK INT)  
 CKM : (4) 3 ANGLES + 1 PHASE

↳ STRONG CP VIOLATION  
 (P & T VIOLATION TERM IN QCD ALLOWED)

$$\mathcal{L}_{CP} = \Theta \frac{\alpha_s}{8\pi} G_{a\mu\nu} \tilde{G}_a^{\mu\nu}$$

WITH DUAL FIELD TENSOR  $\tilde{G}_a^{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} G_{a\alpha\beta}$

$\Theta$  : PARAMETER

↓  
SUCH TERM INDUCES ELECTRIC DIPOLE MOMENT  $\vec{d}$

$$H_{\text{eff}} = - d \vec{E} \cdot \vec{S} \quad \vec{S} \text{ SPIN OF PARTICLE}$$

e.g. NEUTRON  $|d_n| \sim 10^{-16} |\theta| \text{ e.cm}$

EXP. LIMIT  $|d_n| \lesssim 3 \cdot 10^{-26} \text{ e.cm}$



$$|\theta| \lesssim 10^{-10}$$

∴ 18 PARAMETERS +  $\theta$

↳ NEUTRINOS ARE FOUND TO BE MASSIVE  
NEUTRINO OSCILLATIONS ⇒ BEYOND SM PHYSICS

3 MASSES  $m_{\nu_1}, m_{\nu_2}, m_{\nu_3}$

4 PARAMETERS :  $\nu$  MIXING MATRIX

PMNS MATRIX (PONTECORVO - MAKI -  
MAKAGAWA - SAKATA)

(3 ANGLES + 1 PHASE)