

Higgsless models with and without an extra dimension

— Structure of corrections to electroweak interactions —

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§.0. Introduction

The Higgs boson has not been discovered.

- Too heavy for present colliders? $M_H > 114.4\text{GeV}$.
We just need to wait and see the results of LHC.
- Alternative to Higgs? various theoretical flaws in Higgs scenario.
Interesting possibility: Higgsless models.
 - Higgsless models in 4D (a.k.a. **technicolor**) are almost ruled out by precision tests at LEP/SLC
 - Higgsless models in 5D : new comer
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Role of Higgs in the $W_L W_L$ scattering amplitude

B.W.Lee, C.Quigg, and H.B.Thacker

- Higgs mass M_H is a free parameter in the standard model (SM).
- Imagine a super-heavy Higgs in the SM.

Equivalence theorem

$$\mathcal{M}(W_L^a W_L^b \rightarrow W_L^c W_L^d) \simeq \mathcal{M}(w^a w^b \rightarrow w^c w^d) \quad \text{for } E \gg M_W.$$

W_L : Longitudinal polarization of W boson

$\simeq w$: would-be Nambu-Goldstone boson

Low energy theorem (LET) of ww scattering

$$\mathcal{M}(w^a w^b \rightarrow w^c w^d) = \frac{s}{v^2} \delta^{ab} \delta^{cd} + \frac{t}{v^2} \delta^{ac} \delta^{bd} + \frac{u}{v^2} \delta^{ad} \delta^{bc} + \dots, \quad v \simeq 246\text{GeV},$$

for energy below M_H .

Violation of tree-level unitarity at $\sqrt{s} \simeq 1\text{TeV}$. (non-perturbative)

$W_L W_L$ scattering amplitude in the SM

$$i\mathcal{M}(W_L^a W_L^b \rightarrow W_L^c W_L^d) = \begin{array}{c} \text{Diagram 1: } a \text{ (top), } b \text{ (bottom), } c \text{ (right), } d \text{ (left)} \\ \text{Diagram 2: } a \text{ (top), } b \text{ (bottom), } c \text{ (right), } d \text{ (left), } W \text{ (middle)} \\ \text{Diagram 3: } a \text{ (top), } b \text{ (bottom), } c \text{ (right), } d \text{ (left), } H \text{ (middle)} \end{array} + \text{crossed.}$$

For $E \gg M_W$

$$\mathcal{M}(W_L^a W_L^b \rightarrow W_L^c W_L^d) = \frac{\lambda s}{M_H^2 - s} \delta^{ab} \delta^{cd} + \frac{\lambda t}{M_H^2 - t} \delta^{ac} \delta^{bd} + \frac{\lambda u}{M_H^2 - u} \delta^{ad} \delta^{bc},$$

with

$$M_H^2 = \lambda v^2.$$

- This result is consistent with the LET for $s, t, u \ll M_H^2$.
- Theory remains perturbative even at high energy $\sqrt{s} \gg 1$ TeV with a light Higgs mass $M_H \ll 1$ TeV.

A light Higgs “unitarizes” the $W_L W_L$ scattering amplitude.

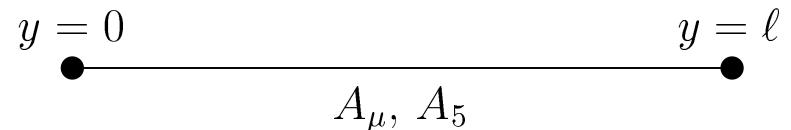
Two possibilities of Higgsless theories

- $W_L W_L$ scattering becomes **non-perturbative** at $\sqrt{s} \simeq 1\text{TeV}$.
There is no resonance $\lesssim 1\text{TeV}$ which unitarizes the $W_L W_L$ scattering amplitude.
Technicolor theories.
- $W_L W_L$ scattering remains **perturbative** at $\sqrt{s} \simeq 1\text{TeV}$.
The violation of tree-level unitarity is delayed.
Resonance $\lesssim 1\text{TeV}$ unitarizes the $W_L W_L$ scattering amplitude.
Higgsless models in 5D.

§.1. Higgsless models in 5D

Gauge symmetry breaking from boundary conditions

Example: 5D gauge theory with an extra dimension compactified on an **interval**.



Dirichlet or Neumann BC?

1. $A_\mu(x, y)|_{y=0} = 0$ (D), $\partial_5 A_5(x, y)|_{y=0} = 0$ (N),
 $A_\mu(x, y)|_{y=\ell} = 0$ (D), $\partial_5 A_5(x, y)|_{y=\ell} = 0$ (N). [DD]
2. $\partial_5 A_\mu(x, y)|_{y=0} = 0$ (N), $A_5(x, y)|_{y=0} = 0$ (D),
 $\partial_5 A_\mu(x, y)|_{y=\ell} = 0$ (N), $A_5(x, y)|_{y=\ell} = 0$ (D). [NN]
3. $A_\mu(x, y)|_{y=0} = 0$ (D), $\partial_5 A_5(x, y)|_{y=0} = 0$ (N),
 $\partial_5 A_\mu(x, y)|_{y=\ell} = 0$ (N), $A_5(x, y)|_{y=\ell} = 0$ (D). [DN]
4. $\partial_5 A_\mu(x, y)|_{y=0} = 0$ (N), $A_5(x, y)|_{y=0} = 0$ (D),
 $A_\mu(x, y)|_{y=\ell} = 0$ (D), $\partial_5 A_5(x, y)|_{y=\ell} = 0$ (N). [ND]

Spectrum and 4D gauge symmetry

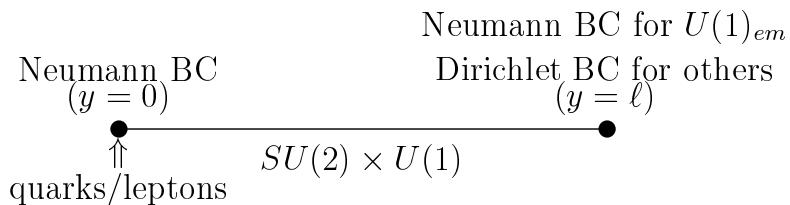
In addition to a tower of massive spin-1 KK-modes, we have

1. [DD]: massless spin-0 particle. 4D gauge sym. is all broken.
2. [NN]: massless spin-1 particle. unbroken 4D gauge sym.
3. [DN]: no massless particle. 4D gauge sym. is all broken.
4. [ND]: no massless particle. 4D gauge sym. is all broken.

Tree level unitarity: Thanks to the exchange of massive spin-1 KK-modes, delay of unitarity violation is achieved with this setup.

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- C. Csaki, C. Grojean, H. Murayama, L. Pilo and J. Terning, “Gauge theories on an interval: Unitarity without a Higgs,” Phys. Rev. D **69**, 055006 (2004) [[arXiv:hep-ph/0305237](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ph/0305237)].

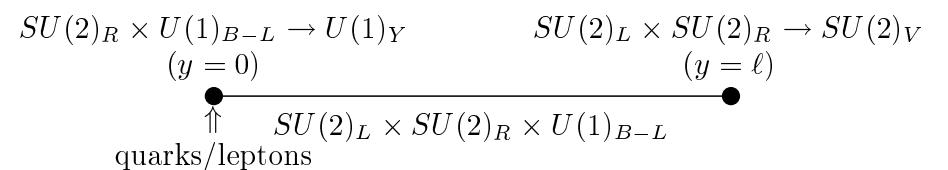
A toy model of 5D Higgsless



- Massless neutral boson: γ
 - The lightest massive neutral KK mode: Z
 - The lightest massive charged KK mode: W
- × custodial symmetry $\Rightarrow \Delta\rho \neq 0$.

Exchanges of massive spin-1 KK-modes \Rightarrow Tree level unitarity at 1TeV

More realistic(?) model



custodial symmetry $\Rightarrow \Delta\rho = 0$

Realistic configuration satisfying all of electroweak constraints has not yet been found even with this setup.

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§.2. Deconstruction of 5D Higgsless models

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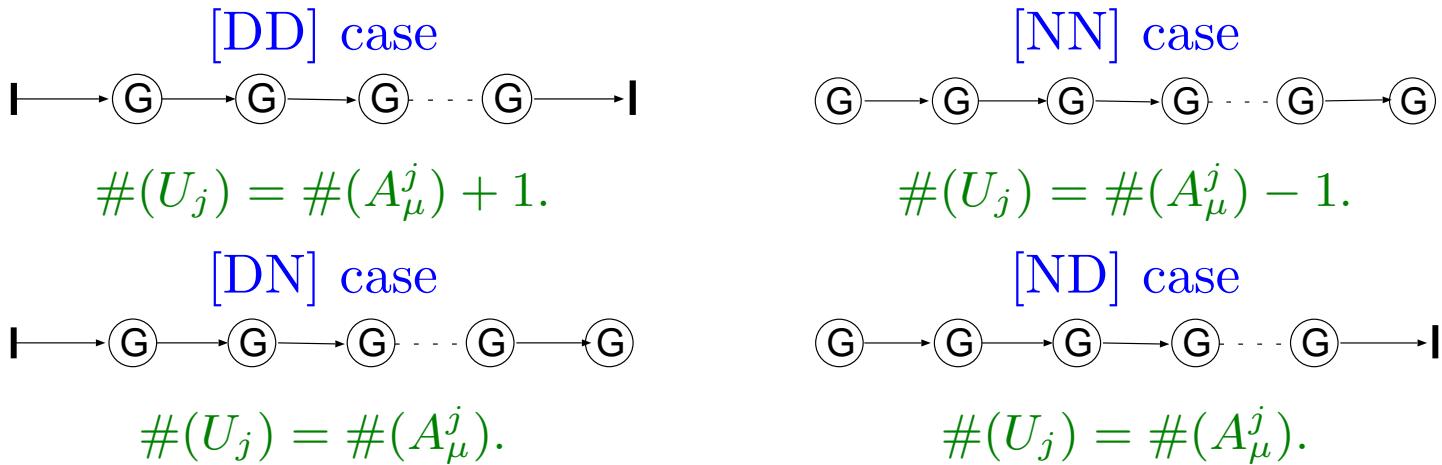
Deconstruction (latticization) of extra dimension

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- C. T. Hill, S. Pokorski and J. Wang, “Gauge invariant effective Lagrangian for Kaluza-Klein modes,” Phys. Rev. D **64**, 105005 (2001) [arXiv:hep-th/0104035].

Lattice spacing a .

- $A_\mu^j(x) = A_\mu(x, y = ja)$: Gauge field at the site j .
- $U_j(x) = \exp(i \int_{(n-1)j}^{ja} dy A_5(x, y))$: Link field between sites $j - 1$ and j . Nonlinear σ model field.

Deconstruction of an interval in “moose” notation:



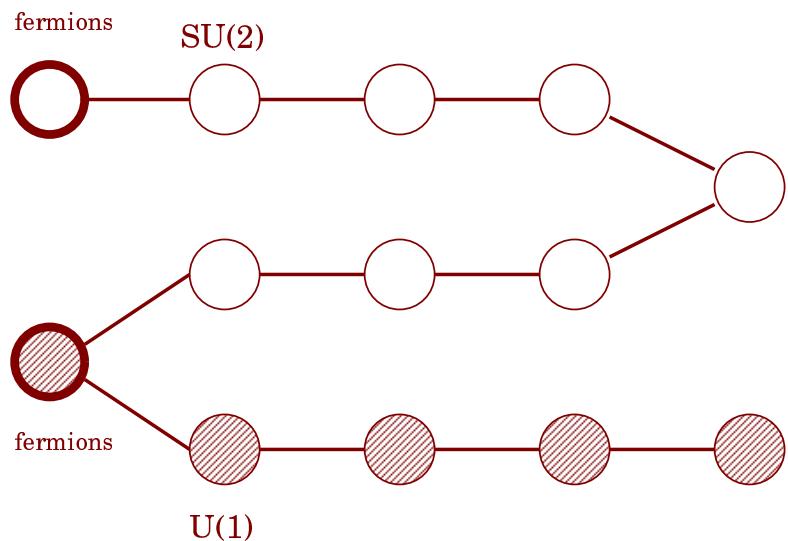
Advantage of deconstruction in 5D Higgsless models

- Familiar language of spontaneous gauge symmetry breaking (gauged nonlinear σ model).
- Easier to understand the physics behind the delay of unitarity violation.
- Easier to calculate corrections to electroweak interactions.
- Allows for arbitrary background 5D geometry, spatially dependent gauge couplings, and brane kinetic terms.

More realistic(?) model

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 SU(2)_R \times U(1)_{B-L} & \rightarrow & U(1)_Y \\
 (y=0) & & \\
 \bullet & & \bullet \\
 \uparrow & & \\
 \text{quarks/leptons} & & \\
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 & & \\
 & & SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \rightarrow SU(2)_V \\
 & & (y=\ell)
 \end{array}$$

and its deconstruction



$$\frac{1}{v_\pm^2} = \sum_{j=1}^{N+1} \frac{1}{f_j^2}, \quad \frac{1}{v_0^2} = \sum_{j=1}^{N+1} \frac{1}{f_j^2}$$

We thus find

$$\rho = 1, \quad \Delta\rho = \rho - 1 = 0.$$

5D Higgsless models are described by linear moose.

§.3. Technicolor & BESS model

We note a similarity between technicolor and 5D Higgsless models.

Existence of massive spin-1 resonance:

- Techni- ρ in technicolor ($\bar{Q}Q$ bound state)
- KK-mode of W and Z

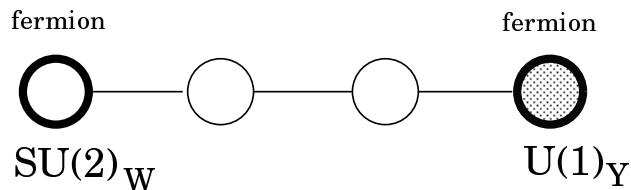
The QCD ρ meson is described as a dynamical gauge boson in the Hidden Local Symmetry (HLS) formalism.

- M.Bando, T.Kugo, S.Uehara, K.Yamawaki, and T.Yanagida,
Phys.Rev.Lett. **54** (1985) 1215.
- M.Bando, T.Kugo, K.Yamawaki, Phys.Rept. **164** (1988) 217.

Application of HLS formalism in the electroweak symmetry breaking
(a low energy effective theory of technicolor): **BESS** model

- R.Casalbuoni, S.De Curtis, D.Dominici, and R. Gatto,
Phys.Lett.**B155** (1985) 95.

The effective theory of technicolor (BESS model) is described in terms of a linear moose



$SU(2)_W$ and $U(1)_Y$ are weakly gauged.

Techni- ρ and techni- a_1 are described also by a **linear moose!**

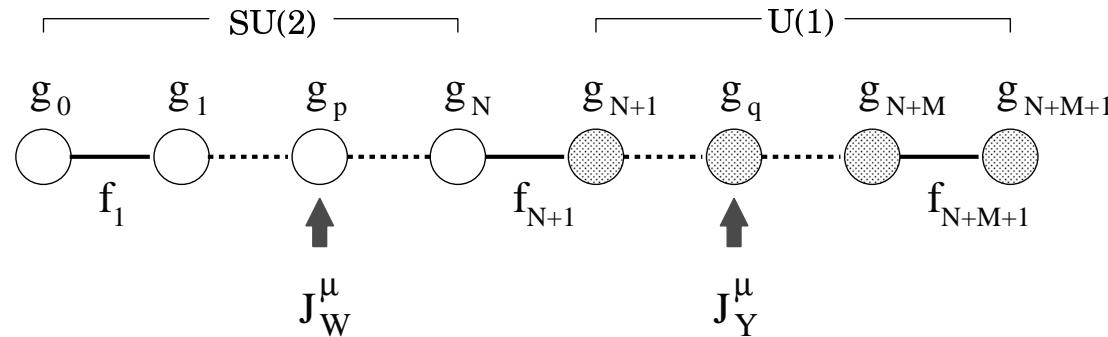
Linear moose provides a general framework to describe Higgsless models with and without an extra dimension.

The precision tests of the electroweak interactions severely restrict technicolor models.

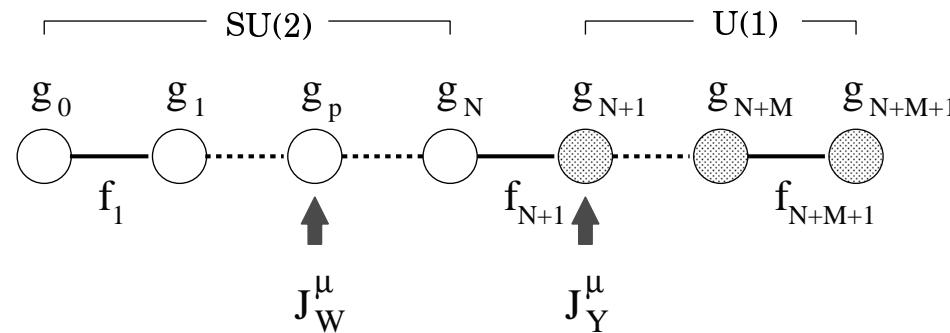
General structure of corrections to electroweak interactions in linear moose models

§.4. Linear moose models

General linear moose with localized J_W^μ and J_Y^μ :



In this talk, we concentrate our attention on “Case I” models ($q = N + 1$):



in which $\Delta\rho = 0$ is satisfied automatically.

“open” and “closed” interval notation:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 M_{(i,j)}^2 : \text{---} & M_{(i,j]}^2 : \text{---} \\
 \text{---} \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{i+1} \\ f_{i+1} \end{array} \right. \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{i+2} \\ f_{i+2} \end{array} \right. \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{i+3} \\ f_{i+3} \end{array} \right. \cdots \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{j-1} \\ f_j \end{array} \right. \text{---} & \text{---} \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{i+1} \\ f_{i+1} \end{array} \right. \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{i+2} \\ f_{i+2} \end{array} \right. \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{i+3} \\ f_{i+3} \end{array} \right. \cdots \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{j-1} \\ f_j \end{array} \right. \left| \begin{array}{c} g_j \\ f_j \end{array} \right. \text{---} \\
 M_{[i,j)}^2 : \left| \begin{array}{c} g_i \\ f_{i+1} \end{array} \right. \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{i+1} \\ f_{i+2} \end{array} \right. \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{i+2} \\ f_{i+3} \end{array} \right. \cdots \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{j-1} \\ f_j \end{array} \right. \text{---} & M_{[i,j]}^2 : \left| \begin{array}{c} g_i \\ f_{i+1} \end{array} \right. \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{i+1} \\ f_{i+2} \end{array} \right. \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{i+2} \\ f_{i+3} \end{array} \right. \cdots \left| \begin{array}{c} g_{j-1} \\ f_j \end{array} \right. \left| \begin{array}{c} g_j \\ f_j \end{array} \right. \text{---}
 \end{array}$$

Gauge boson mass matrices and propagators:

- Neutral current (NC):

$$M_{\text{NC}}^2 = M_{[0,N+M+1]}^2, \quad [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{i,j} = g_i g_j ([Q^2 + M_{\text{NC}}^2]^{-1})_{i,j}$$

- Charged current (CC):

$$M_{\text{CC}}^2 = M_{[0,N+1]}^2, \quad [G_{\text{CC}}(Q^2)]_{i,j} = g_i g_j ([Q^2 + M_{\text{CC}}^2]^{-1})_{i,j}$$

We also define

$$\begin{aligned}
 [G_{\text{CC}}(Q^2)]_{WW} &= [G_{\text{CC}}(Q^2)]_{p,p}, & [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WW} &= [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{p,p}, \\
 [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WY} &= [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{p,q}, & [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{YY} &= [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{q,q}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Four-fermion amplitudes ($f\bar{f} \rightarrow f'\bar{f}'$) in the linear moose model

- Neutral current process:

$$\begin{aligned}-\mathcal{A}_{\text{NC}} &= [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WW} I_3 I'_3 + [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WY} I_3 (\mathcal{Q}' - I'_3) \\ &\quad + [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WY} (\mathcal{Q} - I_3) I'_3 + [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{YY} (\mathcal{Q} - I_3)(\mathcal{Q}' - I'_3) \\ &= A(Q^2) I_3 I'_3 + B(Q^2) (I_3 \mathcal{Q}' + \mathcal{Q} I'_3) + C(Q^2) \mathcal{Q} \mathcal{Q}',\end{aligned}$$

with

$$\begin{aligned}A(Q^2) &\equiv [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WW} - 2[G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WY} + [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{YY}, \\ B(Q^2) &\equiv [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WY} - [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{YY}, \\ C(Q^2) &\equiv [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{YY}.\end{aligned}$$

- Charged current process:

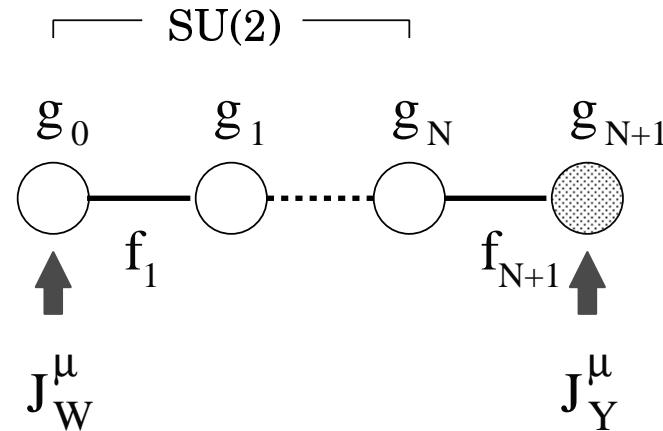
$$-\mathcal{A}_{\text{CC}} = [G_{\text{CC}}(Q^2)]_{WW} (I_+ I'_- + I_- I'_+)/2$$

Deviations of $[G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]$ and $[G_{\text{CC}}(Q^2)]$ from their SM values
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Corrections to the electroweak interactions in linear moose models

§.5. Corrections to electroweak interactions

We first consider a special class of models $p = 0$, $M = 0$ in “Case I”:



The BESS model (effective theory of technicolor) is included in this class of models.

Number of free parameters: $2N + 3 = (N + 2) + (N + 1)$.

The model is specified completely once $e^2, G_F, M_Z, M_{Z\hat{k}}, M_{W\hat{n}}$ ($\hat{k}, \hat{n} = 1, 2, \dots, N$) are fixed.

Properties of $[G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WY}$:

- Poles at $Q^2 = 0, -M_Z^2, -M_{Z_1}^2, \dots, -M_{Z_N}^2$.
- Charge universality of QED determines the pole residue of photon:

$$\lim_{Q^2 \rightarrow 0} Q^2 [G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WY} = e^2.$$

- Generalized Weinberg sum rules:

$$[G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WY} \propto \frac{1}{Q^{2(N+2)}}, \quad \text{for } Q^2 \gg M_{Z_N}^2.$$

These conditions are enough to determine the form of $[G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WY}$ completely:

$$[G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WY} = \frac{e^2}{Q^2} \frac{M_Z^2}{Q^2 + M_Z^2} \left[\prod_{\hat{k}=1}^N \frac{M_{Z_{\hat{k}}}^2}{Q^2 + M_{Z_{\hat{k}}}^2} \right].$$

We rewrite

$$[G_{\text{NC}}(Q^2)]_{WY} = \frac{[\xi_\gamma]_{WY}}{Q^2} + \frac{[\xi_Z]_{WY}}{Q^2 + M_Z^2} + \sum_{\hat{k}=1}^N \frac{[\xi_{Z_{\hat{k}}}]_{WY}}{Q^2 + M_{Z_{\hat{k}}}^2},$$

with

$$[\xi_\gamma]_{WY} = e^2, \quad [\xi_Z]_{WY} = -e^2 \left[\prod_{\hat{k}=1}^N \frac{M_{Z_{\hat{k}}}^2}{M_{Z_{\hat{k}}}^2 - M_Z^2} \right], \quad \dots.$$

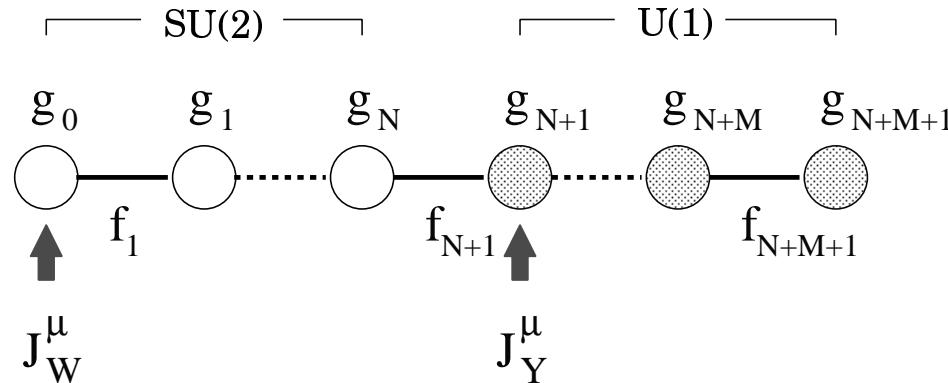
The S parameter can be defined as $[\xi_Z]_{WY} = -e^2 \left[1 + \frac{\alpha}{4s_Z^2 c_Z^2} S \right]$.

We thus obtain **manifestly positive expression** of S

$$\alpha S = 4s_Z^2 c_Z^2 \sum_{\hat{k}=1}^N \frac{M_{Z_{\hat{k}}}^2}{M_{Z_{\hat{k}}}^2} > 0. \quad (M_{Z_{\hat{k}}}^2 \gg M_Z^2 \text{ is assumed.})$$

We need Z' lighter than a TeV in order to achieve tree-level unitarity at 1TeV. Such a light Z' gives significant effect to the S parameter: $S \gtrsim 1$, and **ruled out by the existing precision tests**.

We next consider a little bit general class of models $p = 0$, $M \neq 0$:



Deconstructed version of “more realistic(?)” 5D Higgsless model is included in this class of models.

In this class of models, we find

$$\alpha S = 4s_Z^2 c_Z^2 M_Z^2 (\Sigma_Z - \Sigma_{(N+1, K+1]}),$$

with

$$\Sigma_Z \equiv \sum_{\hat{k}=1}^K \frac{1}{M_{Z\hat{k}}^2}, \quad \Sigma_{(N+1, K+1]} \equiv \text{tr} \left[\frac{1}{M_{(N+1, K+1]}} \right].$$

with $K \equiv N + M$.

Negative contribution to $S!$

Electroweak correction parameters S , T , $\alpha\delta$:

$$\begin{aligned}
 -\mathcal{A}_{\text{NC}} &= e^2 \frac{\mathcal{Q}\mathcal{Q}'}{Q^2} + \frac{(I_3 - s^2\mathcal{Q})(I'_3 - s^2\mathcal{Q}')}{\left(\frac{s^2c^2}{e^2} - \frac{S}{16\pi}\right)Q^2 + \frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}G_F}\left(1 + \frac{\alpha\delta}{4s^2c^2} - \alpha T\right)} \\
 &\quad + 4\sqrt{2}G_F \frac{\alpha\delta}{4s^2c^2} I_3 I'_3 - 4\sqrt{2}G_F \alpha T (\mathcal{Q} - I_3)(\mathcal{Q}' - I'_3), \\
 -\mathcal{A}_{\text{CC}} &= \frac{(I_+ I'_- + I_- I'_+)/2}{\left(\frac{s^2}{e^2} - \frac{S}{16\pi}\right)Q^2 + \frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}G_F}\left(1 + \frac{\alpha\delta}{4s^2c^2}\right)} \\
 &\quad + 4\sqrt{2}G_F \frac{\alpha\delta}{4s^2c^2} \frac{(I_+ I'_- + I_- I'_+)/2}{2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Here $\Delta\rho = 0$ is assumed.

We find

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha S &= 4s_Z^2 c_Z^2 M_Z^2 (\Sigma_Z - \Sigma_{(N+1, K+1]}), \\ \alpha T &= s_Z^2 M_Z^2 (\Sigma_Z - \Sigma_W - \Sigma_{(N+1, K+1]}) ,\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\Sigma_W \equiv \sum_{\hat{n}=1}^N \frac{1}{M_{W\hat{n}}^2}.$$

Thus

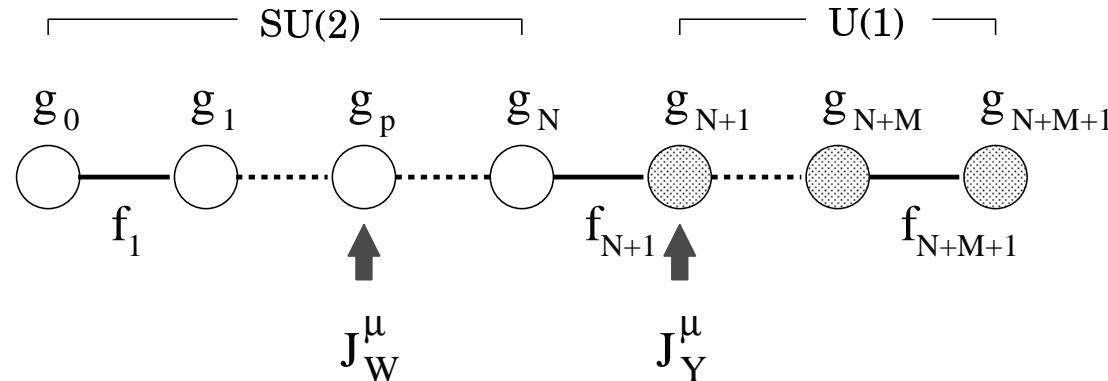
$$\alpha S - 4c_Z^2 \alpha T = 4s_Z^2 M_W^2 \Sigma_W > 0$$

In any unitary theory, we thus conclude

$$S - 4c_Z^2 T \gtrsim 1,$$

which is clearly inconsistent with precision tests of electroweak interactions.

We finally consider general “Case I” models:



We find

$$\alpha S - 4c_Z^2 \alpha T + \frac{\alpha \delta}{c_Z^2} = 4s_Z^2 M_W^2 \Sigma_{(p, N+1)} > 0.$$

Tree level unitarity says $\Sigma_{(p, N+1)} > \frac{1}{8\pi v^2}$. We thus obtain

$$S - 4c_Z^2 T + \frac{\delta}{c_Z^2} \gtrsim 1,$$

in any unitary theory.

§.6. Which model is viable?

No linear moose model with **localized** $J_{W,Y}^\mu$ can satisfy the precision electroweak tests and the tree level unitarity at 1 TeV simultaneously.

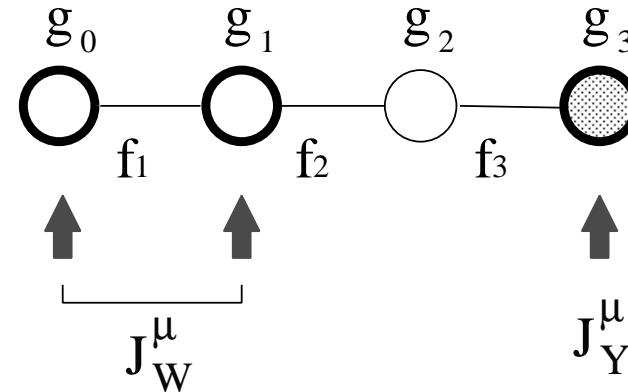
This conclusion is independent of

- background 5D geometry
- spatially dependent gauge couplings
- brane kinetic terms
- etc.

We thus need “**delocalization**” of $J_{W,Y}$ to construct a viable model.

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- R.Foadi, S.Gopalakrishna, and C.Schmidt, hep-ph/0409266.

Example: a linear moose with delocalized fermion



This model can satisfy precision electroweak tests and unitality delay simultaneously by choosing the delocalization parameter.

Collider signature of this viable Higgsless model

Existence of KK-mode of W and Z (W' , Z' or techni- ρ) below a TeV.

§.7. Summary and Outlooks

- Higgsless theory is an interesting alternative to the standard model Higgs, achieving tree level unitarity at 1TeV.
- Both 4D and 5D Higgsless models are described in terms of linear moose.
- We need “delocalization” of fermions in order to construct a viable Higgsless model satisfying various requirements of the precision electroweak tests.
- KK-modes of W and Z (W' , Z' or techni- ρ) exist below a TeV in these models. Collider phenomenology of these particles should be investigated.