

# General gauge mediation in higher dimensions

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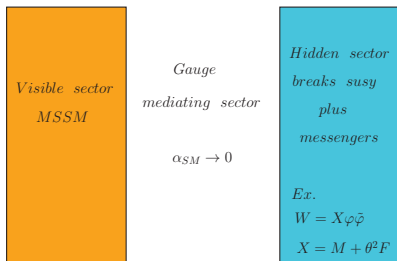
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# Outline

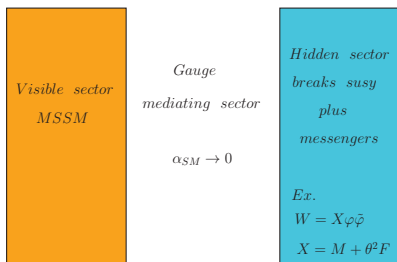
- 1 Review GGM
- 2 Extend GGM to 5D on an interval  $R^{1,3} \times S^1/\mathbb{Z}_2$
- 3 Motivate duality: the two site model as vector meson dominance
- 4 Extend to a slice of AdS space
- 5 Conclude

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Motivations:

extract soft masses, explore strong coupling, apply dualities, model dependent from model independent features? ,....

# General gauge mediation

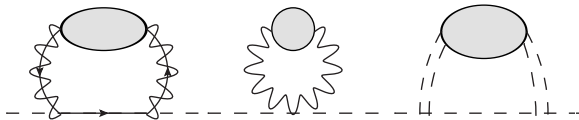
$$V_{WZ} = \theta \sigma^\mu \bar{\theta} A_\mu + i \theta^2 \bar{\theta} \bar{\lambda} - i \bar{\theta}^2 \theta \lambda + \frac{1}{2} \theta^2 \bar{\theta}^2 D$$

$$S_{int} = 2g_{SM} \int d^4x \int d^4\theta \mathcal{J}V = g_{SM} \int d^4x (JD - \lambda j - \bar{\lambda} \bar{j} - j^\mu A_\mu)$$

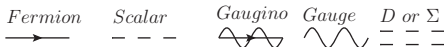
- The effective Lagrangian at order  $g^2$  leads to gaugino masses.

$$\delta \mathcal{L}_{eff} = -g^2 \tilde{C}_{1/2}(0) \lambda \sigma^\mu \partial_\mu \bar{\lambda} - \frac{g^2}{4} \tilde{C}_1(0) F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} + \frac{g^2}{2} \tilde{C}_0(0) D^2 - \frac{g^2}{2} (M \tilde{B}_{1/2}(0) \lambda \lambda + c.c.) + \dots$$

- One loop effects lead to sfermion masses at order  $g^4$
- $\tilde{C}_s$  are Fourier transforms of the space-time current correlators.
- sfermion mass diagrams:



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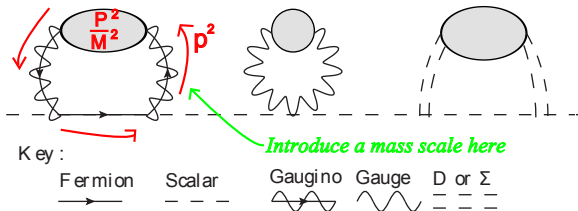


# General gauge mediation (5D)

- For a given hidden sector we get a supertraced combination of current correlators

$$[3\tilde{C}_1(p^2/M^2) - 4\tilde{C}_{1/2}(p^2/M^2) + \tilde{C}_0(p^2/M^2)] = \Omega(p^2/M^2)$$

- Even for a perturbative hidden sector this is still a function that must be expanded
- Expanding in  $\frac{M^2}{p^2} \rightarrow 0$  leads to “Gauge mediation”  $+O(1/p^2)$
- Expanding in  $\frac{p^2}{M^2} \rightarrow 0$  leads to “Gaugino mediation”  $+O(p^2)$
- We should suppress the momenta in the outer loop of these diagrams to obtain “Gaugino mediation”
- To suppress the loop momenta  $p^2$  we need to introduce a mass scale in the game.



# Add an extra dimension

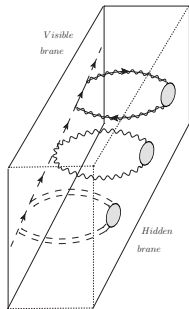
- If we want...
  - suppressed scalar soft masses
  - a geometric interpretation visible-hidden sector decoupling  $\alpha_{SM} \rightarrow 0$
  - Analogues of Vector Meson Dominance of QCD
- ...then it is convenient to add an extra dimension
- So let's look at three typical examples of adding an extra dimension:
  - Flat  $S^1/\mathbb{Z}_2$
  - Two site model
  - Warped  $S^1/\mathbb{Z}_2$

# General gauge mediation in 5d

5d  $\mathcal{N} = 1$  Super Yang Mills

$$S_{5D}^{SYM} = \int d^5x \text{Tr} \left[ -\frac{1}{2} (F_{MN})^2 - (D_M \Sigma)^2 - i \bar{\lambda}_i \gamma^M D_M \lambda^i + (X^a)^2 + g_5 \bar{\lambda}_i [\Sigma, \lambda^i] \right]$$

$$SU(2)_R \quad X^a, \quad a = 1, 2, 3. \quad \lambda^i = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_{L\alpha}^i \\ \bar{\lambda}_{R\dot{\alpha}}^i \end{pmatrix}, \quad i = 1, 2. \quad \text{with } \lambda^i = \epsilon^{ij} C \bar{\lambda}_j^T$$



The fixed points are  $\delta(x_5)$  and  $\delta(x_5 - \ell)$

Compactify on  $R^{1,3} \times S^1/\mathbb{Z}_2$  reduces to 4d  $\mathcal{N} = 1$  SYM with

$$(+ \text{ parity}) \quad V = -\theta \sigma^\mu \bar{\theta} A_\mu + i \bar{\theta}^2 \theta \lambda_L - i \theta^2 \bar{\theta} \bar{\lambda}_L + \frac{1}{2} \bar{\theta}^2 \theta^2 D$$

$$(- \text{ parity}) \quad \Phi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\Sigma + i A_5) + \sqrt{2} \theta (-i \sqrt{2} \lambda_R) + \theta^2 F$$

where the identifications between 5d and 4d fields are

$$D = (X^3 - D_5 \Sigma) \quad F = (X^1 + i X^2).$$



# Bulk propagator

- Example of Bulk propagator from the fermions with kinetic terms

$$\sum_n \bar{\lambda}_L \sigma^\mu \partial_\mu \lambda_L + \sum_n \bar{\lambda}_R \sigma^\mu \partial_\mu \lambda_R$$

- using  $\lambda(x, y)_L = \lambda(x)_L \sum_n \frac{1}{\sqrt{\ell}} \text{Cos}(\frac{n\pi y}{\ell})$

$$\langle \bar{\lambda}(x, y) \lambda(0, y') \rangle = \frac{1}{\ell} \sum_{n, m} \frac{\delta_{nm}}{p^2} \text{Cos}(\frac{n\pi y}{\ell}) \text{Cos}(\frac{m\pi y'}{\ell})$$

- A geometric sum of mass insertions from  $\sum_n \lambda_L \partial_5 \lambda_R + \sum_n \bar{\lambda}_L \partial_5 \bar{\lambda}_R$  gives

$$\langle \bar{\lambda}(x, y) \lambda(0, y') \rangle = \frac{1}{\ell} \sum_n \frac{\text{Cos}(\frac{n\pi y}{\ell}) \text{Cos}(\frac{n\pi y'}{\ell})}{p^2 + (\frac{n\pi}{\ell})^2}$$

- From “brane to brane” gives

$$\langle \bar{\lambda}(x, 0) \lambda(0, \ell) \rangle = \frac{1}{\ell} \sum_n \frac{(-1)^n}{p^2 + (\frac{n\pi}{\ell})^2}$$

# sfermion mass formulas

- For  $\delta(x_5)$  like fixed points translation invariance is broken  $\rightarrow$  The currents couple to all  $kk$  modes.

$$m_{\tilde{f}}^2 = -g^4 \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} p^2 \sum_n \frac{(-1)^n}{p^2 + (\frac{n\pi}{\ell})^2} \sum_{\hat{n}} \frac{(-1)^{\hat{n}}}{p^2 + (\frac{\hat{n}\pi}{\ell})^2} \Omega(p^2/M^2)$$

- Matsubara summation of full  $kk$  tower

$$m_{\tilde{f}}^2 = -g^4 \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{p^2} \left( \frac{p\ell}{\text{Sinh}(p\ell)} \right)^2 \Omega(p^2/M^2)$$

- only zero modes. 4d limit

$$m_{\tilde{f}}^2 = -g^4 \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{p^2} \Omega(p^2/M^2)$$

- zero mode and first mode  $m_1^2 = (\frac{\pi}{\ell})^2$  **vector meson dominated**

$$m_{\tilde{f}}^2 = -g^4 \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{p^2} \left( \frac{m_1^2}{p^2 + m_1^2} \right)^2 \Omega(p^2/M^2)$$

Essentially a form factor  $f(p^2)$  times the 4d GGM answer.

# Energy Scales

- Let's use an example of massless mode and +1 k k mode

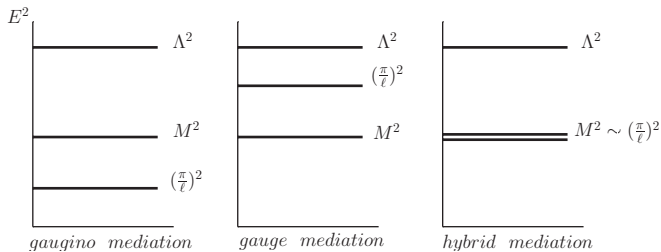


Figure: Relative mass scales that determine the sfermion mass

- If we introduce 1 k k mode mass scale  $m_1 = (\frac{\pi}{\ell})$  (or vev of a Higgs)
- We find different regimes for the scalar soft masses
- We cannot reach hybrid mediation using a Taylor expansion in  $p^2$

# Full kk model compared to minimal model

- So how do the form factor behave?

- Matsubara summation

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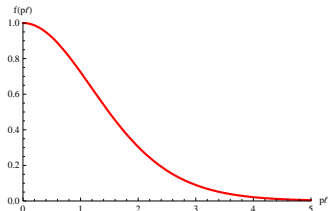


Figure: A plot of  $f(p\ell) = (p\ell)^2 / \sinh^2(p\ell)$

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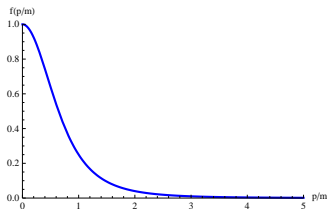


Figure: A plot of  $f(\frac{p}{m_1}) = \left( 1 / (\frac{p^2}{m_1^2} + 1) \right)^2$

- Keypoint: The simpler model of 1kk mode captures the same essential physics as the full summation

# Deconstruction of general gauge mediation

- The key point: This model is essentially the same as the truncated kk model of the 5d case.

$$m_{\tilde{f}}^2 = -g^4 \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{p^2} \left( \frac{m_1^2}{p^2 + m_1^2} \right)^2 \Omega(p^2/M^2)$$



Figure: Two site lattice model

- $W = X\Phi\bar{\Phi} + K(L\bar{L} - v^2)$
- kk eigenstates  $\tilde{A}_{\mu}^0, \tilde{A}_{\mu}^1$
- masses  $m_0^2 = 0, m_1^2 = 2v\sqrt{g_1^2 + g_2^2}$
- diagonalise lattice eigenstates to mass eigenstates
- $m_k^2 = 8g^2 v^2 \sin^2\left(\frac{k\pi}{N}\right) \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$

- Bosonic sector is vector meson dominance model
- Can be realised from Seiberg duality dynamically (1008.2215)
- Suggests extensions to AdS

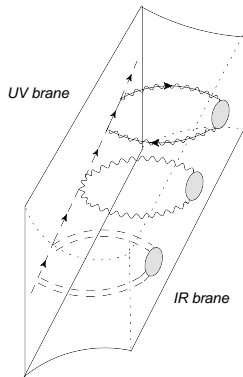
# Warped general gauge mediation

This setup allows for any susy breaking sector to be located on the IR brane

$$ds^2 = e^{-2k|y|} \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu + dy^2$$

$$V = -\theta \sigma^a \bar{\theta} \delta_a^\mu A_\mu + i \bar{\theta}^2 \theta e^{-\frac{3}{2}k|y|} \lambda - i \theta^2 \bar{\theta} e^{-\frac{3}{2}k|y|} \bar{\lambda} + \frac{1}{2} \bar{\theta}^2 \theta^2 e^{-2\sigma} D$$

$$V = \sum_n \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\ell}} V_n(x) f_n^2(y)$$



$$S_{int} = 2g_5 \int d^5x e^{-2k|y|} \int d^4\theta \mathcal{J} V \delta(y - \ell)$$

- An off-shell supersymmetric action using “theta-warping”  
 $\tilde{\theta} = e^{-\frac{k|y|}{2}} \theta$  ,  $e_\mu^a(x, y) = e^{-\sigma} \delta_\mu^a$
- The mass scale we introduce is  $k$
- $m_n \sim (n - \frac{1}{4}) \pi k e^{-k\ell}$
- Mass scales are naturally hierarchically small eg  
 $\hat{F} = e^{-2k\ell} F$  ,  $\hat{M} = e^{-k\ell} M$

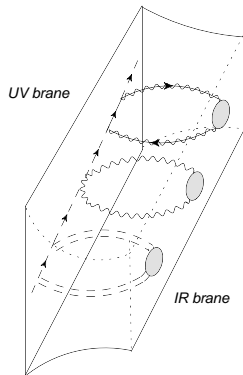
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- propagator

$$m_f^2 = -g^4 \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} \tilde{G}(0, \ell) \tilde{G}(0, \ell) p^2 \Omega(p^2/M^2)$$

$$\tilde{G}(0, \ell) = \frac{1}{2\ell} \sum_n \frac{f_n^{(2)}(y) f_n^{(2)}(y')}{p^2 + m_n^2}$$

- eigenmasses  $m_n \sim n\pi k e^{-k\ell}$



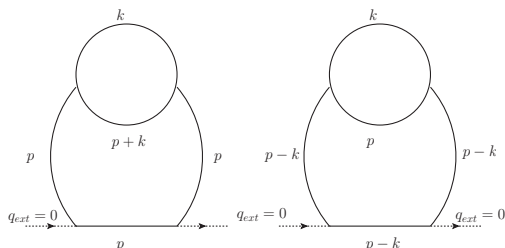
warped eigenfunctions  $f_n^2(y)$ .

- 4d limit
- only zero modes mediate the message
- $m_\lambda \sim \left(\frac{\alpha}{4\pi}\right) \frac{\hat{F}}{M}$
- $m_f^2 \sim \left(\frac{\alpha}{4\pi}\right)^2 \left|\frac{\hat{F}}{M}\right|^2$

- 5d limit
- all modes contribute
- $m_\lambda \sim \left(\frac{\alpha}{4\pi}\right) \frac{\hat{F}}{M}$
- $m_f^2 \sim \left(\frac{\alpha}{4\pi}\right)^2 e^{-k\ell} f(k, \ell, M) \left|\frac{\hat{F}}{M}\right|^2$

# Accessing hybrid mediation

## Labelling momenta in two loop diagrams



- The first case is typical for GGM. The second case mixes mass scales of the inner loop with the outer loop.
- Can be solved exactly for the case of  $1kk$  mode below the UV cutoff e.g. minimal gaugino mediation
- (As long as one specifies a perturbative hidden sector eg  $W = X\varphi\tilde{\varphi}$ )

$$m_{\tilde{f}}^2 = \left(\frac{\alpha}{4\pi}\right)^2 \left(\frac{F}{M}\right)^2 S(x, y) \quad , \quad x = \frac{F}{M^2} \quad , \quad y = \frac{m_1}{M}$$

(This formula  $S(x, y)$  is due to R.Auzzi & A.Giveon arXiv:1011.1664)

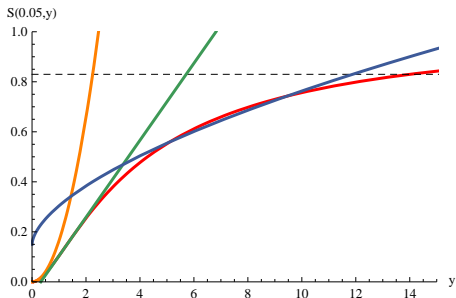


# “The gaugino mediation variations”

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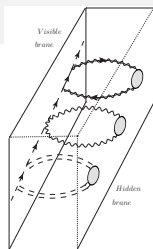
$$m_{\tilde{f}}^2 = \left( \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \right)^2 \left( \frac{F}{M} \right)^2 S(x, y), \quad x = \frac{F}{M^2}, \quad y = \frac{m_1}{M}$$

- 4d limit (Dashed)  
 $S = \text{constant}$
- Gaugino mediation limit/5d limit  
(Orange)  $S \simeq y^2 \simeq \frac{1}{(M\ell)^2}$
- Hybrid regimes  
(Green)  $S \simeq y \simeq \frac{1}{(M\ell)}$
- or (Blue)  
 $S \simeq y^{1/n} \simeq \frac{1}{(M\ell)^{1/n}}$



- Key message: We can have various scalar mass suppressions not just the gaugino mediated limit.

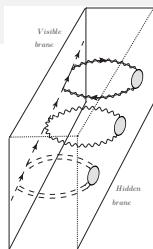
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Thanks for listening

# Appendices follow

# Matsubara summation

- “brane to brane” propagator:

$$S = \sum_n h(k_5) = \frac{1}{2\ell} \sum_n (-1)^n \frac{1}{k^2 + (k_5)^2}$$

- We would like to remove the sum on  $k_5$  so we can carry out an integration on only the  $k^2$  momenta.
- Replace the sum with a complex auxiliary function  $g(ik_5)$ , that has poles at the sum values:

$$g(z) = \frac{\beta}{e^{(\beta z)} - 1}, \quad \beta = 2\ell$$

- We apply the residue theorem

$$\oint \frac{dk_5}{2\pi} g(z) h(z) = \oint \frac{dk_5}{2\pi} \frac{1}{2\ell} \frac{2\ell}{e^{i2k_5\ell} - 1} \frac{e^{ik_5\ell}}{k^2 + (k_5)^2} = \sum \text{Res}[g(z)h(iz)]|_{z=ik_5}$$

- choose a contour that only captures the poles at  $k_5 = \pm ik$

$$S = \frac{1}{k \text{Sinh} k\ell}$$

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# Higgs mechanism

- kk masses are generated by a super Higgs mechanism with  $\partial_5 = \text{vev}$  (Ex.  $U(1)$ ):

$$\begin{aligned} -\frac{1}{4}F_{MN}F^{MN} &= -\frac{1}{4}F_{\mu\nu}F^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2}F_{\mu 5}F^{\mu 5} \\ &= -\frac{1}{4}F_{\mu\nu}F^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu A_5 \partial^\mu A^5 - 2\partial_\mu A_5 \partial^5 A^\mu + \partial_5 A_\mu \partial^5 A^\mu) \end{aligned}$$

# Generating the KK tower

- The kinetic terms for the scalar linking fields  $D_\mu = \partial_\mu + igA_{i\mu} - igA_{i+1\mu}$

$$\sum_i (D_\mu Q_i)^\dagger D^\mu Q_i = \sum_i (D_\mu Q_i)^\dagger D^\mu Q_i$$

- Expand around the vev (put in by hand)

$$Q_{i\alpha}^\beta = v\delta_\alpha^\beta + \phi_{i\alpha}^\beta$$

- This generates

$$\mathcal{L} \supset g^2 v^2 \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} (A_i^{a\mu} - A_{i+1}^{a\mu})^2 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{1}{2} A_{i\mu}^a \mathcal{M}_{ijab}^2 A_j^{b\mu}$$

- Diagonalising this mass matrix gives

$$\tilde{A}_k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} e^{i(\frac{2\pi jk}{N})} A_j$$

- with  $m_k^2 = 8g^2 v^2 \sin^2(\frac{k\pi}{N})$      $k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$

# Lattice propagator

- Gauge field mixed space propagator from lattice site  $k$  to  $q$ :

$$\langle p^2; k, q \rangle = \langle V(x)_k V(0)_q \rangle = \frac{\langle V_k V_q \rangle}{p^2}$$

- insert a closure relation  $\mathbb{I} = \sum_j |\tilde{V}_j\rangle \langle \tilde{V}_j|$  with eigenmasses  $m_j^2 = 8g^2 v^2 \sin^2(\frac{j\pi}{N})$
- then use  $\langle \tilde{V}_j | V_q \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} e^{i(\frac{2\pi j q}{N})}$  to obtain

$$\langle p^2; k, q \rangle = \frac{1}{p^2} \sum_j \langle V_k | \tilde{V}_j \rangle \langle \tilde{V}_j | V_q \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_j e^{-i(\frac{2\pi j k}{N})} e^{i(\frac{2\pi j q}{N})} \frac{1}{p^2}$$

- then a geometric sum of mass insertions gives

$$\langle p^2; k, q \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_j e^{-i(\frac{2\pi j k}{N})} e^{i(\frac{2\pi j q}{N})} \frac{1}{p^2 + m_j^2}$$

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# Warped eigenfunctions

$$ds^2 = e^{-2\sigma} \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu + dy^2$$

- The vector superfield equation of motion is

$$[e^{2\sigma} \eta^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \partial_\nu + e^{2\sigma} \partial_5 (e^{-2\sigma} \partial_5)] V(x, y) = 0$$

- $V = \sum_n \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\ell}} V_n(x) f_n^{(2)}(y)$

$$f_n^{(s)}(y) = \frac{e^{s\sigma/2}}{N_n} \left[ J_1\left(\frac{m_n e^\sigma}{k}\right) + b(m_n) Y_1\left(\frac{m_n e^\sigma}{k}\right) \right], \quad N_n \simeq \frac{1}{\sqrt{m_n e^{-k\ell} \pi \ell}}$$

- Orthonormality

$$\frac{1}{2\ell} \int_{-\ell}^{\ell} e^{(2-s)\sigma} f_n^{(s)}(y) f_m^{(s)}(y) dy = \delta_{nm}$$

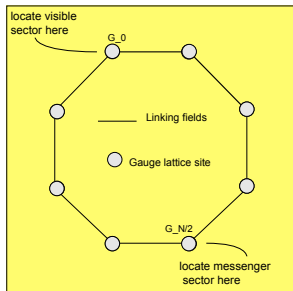
- Expanding  $f_n^{(2)}(y)$  for large masses give

$$f_n^{(s)}(0) f_n^{(s)}(\ell) \simeq 4(k\ell) (-1)^n e^{-k\ell/2}$$

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# Deconstruction of general gauge mediation

- Each lattice site is a standard model parent gauge group  $SU(5)$
- Lattice sites are linked together using bifundamental chiral superfields



	$SU(5)_0$	$SU(5)_1$	$\dots$	$SU(5)_{N-2}$	$SU(5)_{N-1}$
$Q_0$	$\square$	$\square$	$\dots$	1	1
$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\ddots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$
$Q_{N-1}$	1	1	$\dots$	$\square$	$\square$
$\bar{5}_{1,2,3}$	$\square$	1	$\dots$	1	1
$10_{1,2,3}$	$\square$	1	$\dots$	1	1
$H_d$	$\square$	1	$\dots$	1	1
$H_u$	$\square$	1	$\dots$	1	1

Hidden sector

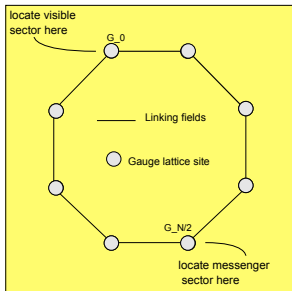
	$SU(5)_{\frac{N}{2}}$
$X$	1
$\phi$	$\square$
$\tilde{\phi}$	$\square$

- $W = X\phi\tilde{\phi}$

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Key features:

$$m_{\tilde{f}}^2 = -g^4 \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} p^2 \langle p^2; 0, \frac{N}{2} \rangle \langle p^2; 0, \frac{N}{2} \rangle \Omega(p^2/M^2)$$



- $N$  lattice sites, spacing  $a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}g\nu}$ .  $\ell = Na$
- diagonalise lattice eigenstates to mass eigenstates
- $m_k^2 = 8g^2\nu^2 \sin^2(\frac{k\pi}{N})$   $k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$

$$\tilde{V}_k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} e^{i(\frac{2\pi jk}{N})} V_j$$

- mixed space propagator

$$\langle p^2; k, q \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} e^{-i(\frac{2\pi jk}{N})} e^{i(\frac{2\pi jq}{N})} \frac{1}{p^2 + m_j^2}$$