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The Standard Model and SMEFT

- The Standard Model (SM) is the renormalizable field theory of $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$ gauge theory describing electroweak and strong interactions among the known fields
- Has three generations of quarks and leptons
- Has one Higgs doublet
- Has no right-handed neutrinos
- The Standard Model Effective Field Theory (SMEFT) includes non-renormalizable operators with the same field content

	spin	<i>SU</i> (3)	<i>SU</i> (2)	U(1)
H	0	1	2	1
ℓ_L	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	2	-1
e _R	$\frac{\overline{1}}{2}$	1	1	-2
q_L	$\frac{1}{2}$	3	2	$\frac{1}{3}$
u _R	$\frac{1}{2}$	3	1	$\frac{4}{3}$
d_R	$\frac{1}{2}$	3	1	$-\frac{2}{3}$

What SMEFT looks like (at dimension 6)

• So-called "Warsaw basis", Grzadkowski et al, J. High Energ. Phys. 2010, 85 (2010).

	X^3		φ^6 and $\varphi^4 D^2$		$\psi^2 \varphi^3$			$(\bar{L}L)(\bar{L}L)$
Q_G	$f^{ABC}G^{A\nu}_{\mu}G^{B\rho}_{\nu}G^{C\mu}_{\rho}$	Q_{φ}	$(\varphi^{\dagger}\varphi)^{3}$	$Q_{e\varphi}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}\varphi)(\bar{l}_{p}e_{r}\varphi)$		Qu	$(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{l}_s \gamma^\mu l_t)$
$Q_{\widetilde{G}}$	$f^{ABC} \widetilde{G}^{A\nu}_{\mu} G^{B\rho}_{\nu} G^{C\mu}_{\rho}$	$Q_{\varphi \Box}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}\varphi)\Box(\varphi^{\dagger}\varphi)$	$Q_{u\varphi}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}\varphi)(\bar{q}_{p}u_{r}\tilde{\varphi})$		$Q_{qq}^{(1)}$	$(\bar{q}_p \gamma_\mu q_r)(\bar{q}_s \gamma^\mu q_t)$
Q_W	$\varepsilon^{IJK}W^{I\nu}_{\mu}W^{J\rho}_{\nu}W^{K\mu}_{\rho}$	$Q_{\varphi D}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}D^{\mu}\varphi)^{\star}(\varphi^{\dagger}D_{\mu}\varphi)$	$Q_{d\varphi}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}\varphi)(\bar{q}_{p}d_{r}\varphi)$		$Q_{qq}^{(0)}$	$(\bar{q}_p \gamma_\mu \tau^I q_r)(\bar{q}_s \gamma^\mu \tau^I q_t)$
$Q_{\widetilde{W}}$	$\varepsilon^{IJK} \widetilde{W}^{I\nu}_{\mu} W^{J\rho}_{\nu} W^{K\mu}_{\rho}$						$Q_{lq}^{(3)}$	$(l_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(q_s \gamma^\mu q_t)$ $(\bar{l}_{s_1} = l_1)(\bar{z}_s = u = l_s)$
$X^2 \varphi^2$			$\psi^2 X \varphi$	$\psi^2 \varphi^2 D$			Qlq	$(\iota_p\gamma_{\mu\gamma}, \iota_r)(q_s\gamma^{r\gamma}, q_t)$
$Q_{\varphi G}$	$\varphi^{\dagger}\varphi G^{A}_{\mu\nu}G^{A\mu\nu}$	Q_{eW}	$(\bar{l}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_\tau) \tau^I \varphi W^I_{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{\varphi l}^{(1)}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}i \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\mu} \varphi)(\overline{l}_{p} \gamma^{\mu} l_{r})$			
$Q_{\varphi \widetilde{G}}$	$\varphi^{\dagger} \varphi \widetilde{G}^{A}_{\mu\nu} G^{A\mu\nu}$	Q_{eB}	$(\bar{l}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_r) \varphi B_{\mu\nu}$	$Q^{(3)}_{\varphi l}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}i \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\mu}^{I} \varphi)(\overline{l}_{p}\tau^{I}\gamma^{\mu}l_{r})$			
$Q_{\varphi W}$	$\varphi^{\dagger}\varphi W^{I}_{\mu\nu}W^{I\mu\nu}$	Q_{uG}	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} T^A u_r) \tilde{\varphi} G^A_{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{\varphi e}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}i \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\mu} \varphi)(\overline{e}_{p}\gamma^{\mu}e_{r})$		$(\bar{L}R)$	$(\bar{R}L)$ and $(\bar{L}R)(\bar{L}R)$
$Q_{\varphi \widetilde{W}}$	$\varphi^{\dagger}\varphi \widetilde{W}^{I}_{\mu\nu}W^{I\mu\nu}$	Q_{uW}	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} u_r) \tau^I \tilde{\varphi} W^I_{\mu\nu}$	$Q^{(1)}_{\varphi q}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}i D_{\mu} \varphi)(\bar{q}_{p}\gamma^{\mu}q_{r})$		Q_{ledq}	$(\bar{l}_p^j e_r)(\bar{d}_s q_t^j)$
$Q_{\varphi B}$	$\varphi^{\dagger}\varphi B_{\mu\nu}B^{\mu\nu}$	Q_{uB}	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} u_r) \tilde{\varphi} B_{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{\varphi q}^{(3)}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}i D^{I}_{\mu} \varphi)(\bar{q}_{p}\tau^{I}\gamma^{\mu}q_{r})$		$Q_{quqd}^{(1)}$	$(\bar{q}_p^j u_r) \varepsilon_{jk} (\bar{q}_s^k d_t)$
$Q_{\varphi \bar{B}}$	$\varphi^{\dagger}\varphi \widetilde{B}_{\mu\nu}B^{\mu\nu}$	Q_{dG}	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} T^A d_r) \varphi G^A_{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{\varphi u}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}i D_{\mu} \varphi)(\bar{u}_p \gamma^{\mu} u_r)$		$Q_{quqd}^{(8)}$	$(\bar{q}_p^j T^A u_r) \varepsilon_{jk} (\bar{q}_s^k T^A d_t)$
$Q_{\varphi WB}$	$\varphi^{\dagger}\tau^{I}\varphi W^{I}_{\mu\nu}B^{\mu\nu}$	Q_{dW}	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} d_r) \tau^I \varphi W^I_{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{\varphi d}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger}i \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\mu} \varphi)(\overline{d}_{p}\gamma^{\mu}d_{r})$		$Q_{lequ}^{(1)}$	$(\bar{l}_{p}^{j}e_{\tau})\varepsilon_{jk}(\bar{q}_{s}^{k}u_{t})$
$Q_{\varphi \widetilde{W}B}$	$\varphi^{\dagger}\tau^{I}\varphi \widetilde{W}^{I}_{\mu\nu}B^{\mu\nu}$	Q_{dB}	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} d_r) \varphi B_{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{\varphi ud}$	$i(\tilde{\varphi}^{\dagger}D_{\mu}\varphi)(\bar{u}_{p}\gamma^{\mu}d_{r})$		$Q_{lequ}^{(3)}$	$(\bar{l}_{p}^{j}\sigma_{\mu\nu}e_{r})\varepsilon_{jk}(\bar{q}_{s}^{k}\sigma^{\mu\nu}u_{t})$

Table 2: Dimension-six operators other than the four-fermion ones.

Table 3: Four-fermion operators.

 $(\bar{R}R)(\bar{R}R)$

 $(\bar{u}_p \gamma_\mu u_r)(\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu u_t)$

 $(\bar{d}_{\pi}\gamma_{\mu}d_{\tau})(\bar{d}_{\star}\gamma^{\mu}d_{\star})$

 $(\bar{e}_n \gamma_\mu e_r)(\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu u_t)$

 $(\bar{e}_n \gamma_\mu e_r)(\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu d_t)$

 $(\bar{u}_n \gamma_\mu u_r)(\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu d_t)$

 $(\bar{u}_p \gamma_\mu T^A u_r) (\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu T^A d_t)$

 Q_{ce}

 Q_{uu}

Q_M

Qeu

 Q_{rd}

 $Q^{(1)}_{--}$

 Q_{dug}

 Q_{974}

 Q_{qqq}

 Q_{duu}

- 59 B-conserving operators not including flavor
- 2499 (!) B-conserving operators with flavor structure

 $(LL)(\bar{R}R)$

 Q_{le}

 O_{lu}

Q₁₄

 Q_{qe}

 $Q_{qu}^{(1)}$

 $Q_{qu}^{(8)}$

 $Q^{(1)}_{\alpha\alpha}$

 $Q_{ad}^{(8)}$

 $\varepsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma}\varepsilon_{ik}\left[(q_{p}^{\alpha j})^{T}Cq_{r}^{\beta k}\right]\left[(u_{s}^{\gamma})^{T}Ce_{t}\right]$

 $\varepsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma}\varepsilon_{jn}\varepsilon_{km}\left[(q_p^{\alpha j})^T C q_r^{\beta k}\right]\left[(q_s^{\gamma m})^T C l_t^n\right]$

 $\varepsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} \left[(d^{\alpha}_{s})^{T} C u^{\beta}_{s} \right] \left[(u^{\gamma}_{s})^{T} C e_{t} \right]$

 $\frac{B \text{-violating}}{\varepsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma}\varepsilon_{ik}\left[(d_n^{\alpha})^T C u_r^{\beta}\right]\left[(q_s^{\gamma j})^T C l_t^k\right]}$

 $(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{e}_s \gamma^\mu e_t)$

 $(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu u_t)$

 $(\bar{l}_{\pi}\gamma_{\mu}l_{\tau})(\bar{d}_{\tau}\gamma^{\mu}d_{\tau})$

 $(\bar{q}_{a}\gamma_{\mu}q_{r})(\bar{e}_{s}\gamma^{\mu}e_{t})$

 $(\bar{q}_n \gamma_\mu q_r)(\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu u_t)$

 $(\bar{q}_p \gamma_\mu T^A q_r) (\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu T^A u_t)$

 $(\bar{q}_p \gamma_\mu q_r) (\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu d_t)$

 $(\bar{q}_e \gamma_\mu T^A q_e) (\bar{d}_e \gamma^\mu T^A d_t)$

Dimension 8 operators

- Murphy, JHEP 10 (2020) 174, and Li et al., Phys.Rev.D 104 (2021) 1, 015026, wrote down a complete basis of dimension 8 SMEFT operators
- There are 44807 operators when including flavor structure
 - Beyond feasible to include all dimension 8 operators in any bottom-up analysis
- Tiny sample of some dim 8 operators (one of many tables on many pages):

$Q_{WH^4D^2}^{(1)}$	$(H^{\dagger}H)(D^{\mu}H^{\dagger}\tau^{I}D^{\nu}H)W^{I}_{\mu\nu}$
$Q_{WH^4D^2}^{(2)}$	$(H^{\dagger}H)(D^{\mu}H^{\dagger}\tau^{I}D^{\nu}H)\widetilde{W}^{I}_{\mu\nu}$
$Q^{(3)}_{WH^4D^2}$	$\epsilon^{IJK}(H^{\dagger}\tau^{I}H)(D^{\mu}H^{\dagger}\tau^{J}D^{\nu}H)W^{K}_{\mu\nu}$
$Q_{WH^4D^2}^{(4)}$	$\epsilon^{IJK}(H^{\dagger}\tau^{I}H)(D^{\mu}H^{\dagger}\tau^{J}D^{\nu}H)\widetilde{W}_{\mu\nu}^{K}$
$Q^{(1)}_{BH^4D^2}$	$(H^\dagger H)(D^\mu H^\dagger D^\nu H) B_{\mu\nu}$
$Q^{(2)}_{BH^4D^2}$	$(H^{\dagger}H)(D^{\mu}H^{\dagger}D^{\nu}H)\widetilde{B}_{\mu\nu}$

 $8:XH^4D^2$



SMEFT Wilson Coefficients

- Bottom-up approach starts with arbitrary Wilson coefficients, tries to get to UV model
 - E.g. experiments fits to Wilson coefficients, then attempts to explain what model any deviations could come from
- Top-down approach starts with UV model, then matches onto SMEFT to get Wilson coefficients in SMEFT
 - This is the sort of analysis I will talk about with the 2HDM

- Two Higgs doublet models (2HDMs) are extremely popular scalar sector extensions
- Doublets don't mess up electroweak precision
- Most of the literature focuses on the case of (softly broken) Z_2 symmetry, to remove tree-level flavor-changing neutral currents, and with no CP violation in the scalar sector
- There are multiple different "types" which have different Yukawa relations

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{kin}} &= (D_{\mu}H_{1})^{\dagger} (D^{\mu}H_{1}) + (D_{\mu}H_{2})^{\dagger} (D^{\mu}H_{2}) \\ V &= Y_{1}H_{1}^{\dagger}H_{1} + Y_{2}H_{2}^{\dagger}H_{2} + \left(Y_{3}H_{1}^{\dagger}H_{2} + \mathrm{h.c.}\right) \\ &+ \frac{Z_{1}}{2} \left(H_{1}^{\dagger}H_{1}\right)^{2} + \frac{Z_{2}}{2} \left(H_{2}^{\dagger}H_{2}\right)^{2} \\ &+ Z_{3} \left(H_{1}^{\dagger}H_{1}\right) \left(H_{2}^{\dagger}H_{2}\right) + Z_{4} \left(H_{1}^{\dagger}H_{2}\right) \left(H_{2}^{\dagger}H_{1}\right) \\ &+ \left\{\frac{Z_{5}}{2} \left(H_{1}^{\dagger}H_{2}\right)^{2} + Z_{6} \left(H_{1}^{\dagger}H_{1}\right) \left(H_{1}^{\dagger}H_{2}\right) \\ &+ Z_{7} \left(H_{2}^{\dagger}H_{2}\right) \left(H_{1}^{\dagger}H_{2}\right) + \mathrm{h.c.}\right\} \\ \mathcal{L}_{Y} &= -\lambda_{u}^{(1)}\bar{u}_{R}\tilde{H}_{1}^{\dagger}q_{L} - \lambda_{u}^{(2)}\bar{u}_{R}\tilde{H}_{2}^{\dagger}q_{L} - \lambda_{d}^{(1)}\bar{d}_{R}H_{1}^{\dagger}q_{L} - \lambda_{d}^{(2)}\bar{d}_{R}H_{2}^{\dagger}q_{L} \\ &- \lambda_{l}^{(1)}\bar{e}_{R}H_{1}^{\dagger}I_{L} - \lambda_{l}^{(2)}\bar{e}_{R}H_{2}^{\dagger}I_{L} + \mathrm{h.c.} \end{aligned}$$

• By performing a field redefinition such that only *H*₁ gets a vev (the so-called Higgs basis) the doublets break down as follows:

$$H_1 = \left(\begin{array}{c} G^+ \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\nu + \sin(\beta - \alpha) h_{125} + \cos(\beta - \alpha) H_0 + iG_0 \right) \end{array} \right)$$

$$H_2 = \left(\begin{array}{c} H^+ \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\cos(\beta - \alpha) h_{125} - \sin(\beta - \alpha) H_0 + iA \right) \end{array} \right)$$

- h_{125} is the 125 GeV light scalar state, H_0 , A, H^+ are the heavy scalar states, G_0 , G^+ are the Goldstones
- The mixing $\beta \alpha$ changes the couplings of h_{125} to other Standard Model particles

• The Yukawas in the Higgs basis can be written as:

$$\lambda_f^{(1)} = rac{\sqrt{2}}{v} m_f, \qquad \lambda_f^{(2)} = rac{\eta_f}{ an eta} \lambda_f^{(1)}$$

• For the different types of 2HDM, η_f takes the following values:

	Type-I	Type-II	Type-L	Type-F
η_u	1	1	1	1
η_d	1	$-\tan^2\beta$	1	$-\tan^2\beta$
η_l	1	$-\tan^2\beta$	$-\tan^2\beta$	1

• $\tan \beta$ is the ratio of vevs from the Z_2 symmetric basis

Matching the 2HDM to dimension 8 at tree level

• $F_{n,m}$ denotes terms suppressed by $1/\Lambda^{(n-4)}$ of operator dimension m

 $F_{6,2} = |Y_3|^2 (H_1^{\dagger} H_1),$ $F_{64} = Y_3 \lambda_{e}^{(2)*} H_1^{\dagger} \hat{q}_L u_R + Y_3 \lambda_{e}^{(2)} \bar{d}_R H_1^{\dagger} q_L + Y_3 Z_e^* (H_1^{\dagger} H_1)^2 + \text{h.c.}.$ $F_{6,6} = (H_1^{\dagger}H_1) \left[|Z_6|^2 (H_1^{\dagger}H_1)^2 + \left\{ Z_6 \lambda_u^{(2)*} H_1^{\dagger} \hat{q}_L u_R + Z_6 \lambda_d^{(2)} \bar{d}_R H_1^{\dagger} q_L + \text{h.c.} \right\} \right] + 4\text{F}$ $F_{8,4} = |Y_3|^2 (D_\mu H_1)^{\dagger} (D^\mu H_1) - (H_1^{\dagger} H_1)^2 \left[|Y_3|^2 Z_{34} + \frac{1}{2} (Y_3)^2 Z_5^* + \frac{1}{2} (Y_3^*)^2 Z_5 \right] ,$ (22a) $F_{8,6} \hspace{.1in} = \hspace{.1in} \left\{ Y_3 Z_6^* + Y_3^* Z_6 \right\} (H_1^{\dagger} H_1) (D_{\mu} H_1)^{\dagger} (D^{\mu} H_1) + \left\{ Y_3 Z_6^* (D_{\mu} H_1)^{\dagger} H_1 + \mathrm{h.c.} \right\} \partial^{\mu} (H_1^{\dagger} H_1)$ + $\left\{Y_{3}^{*}\lambda_{u}^{(2)}\left(D_{\mu}(\hat{q}_{L}u_{R})\right)^{\dagger}(D^{\mu}H_{1})+Y_{3}^{*}\lambda_{d}^{(2)*}\left(D_{\mu}(\bar{d}_{R}q_{L})\right)^{\dagger}(D^{\mu}H_{1})+\text{h.c.}\right\}$ $-(H_1^{\dagger}H_1)^3 [Y_3 Z_{34} Z_6^* + Y_3 Z_5^* Z_6 + h.c.]$ $-(H_1^{\dagger}H_1)\bigg[H_1^{\dagger}\hat{q}_L u_R\Big(Y_3 Z_{34}\lambda_u^{(2)*}+Y_3^* Z_5\lambda_u^{(2)*}\Big)+\bar{d}_R H_1^{\dagger}q_L\Big(Y_3 Z_{34}\lambda_d^{(2)}+Y_3^* Z_5\lambda_d^{(2)}\Big)+\mathrm{h.c.}\bigg](22\mathrm{b})$ $F_{8.8} = |Z_6|^2 (H_1^{\dagger}H_1)^2 (D_{\mu}H_1)^{\dagger} (D^{\mu}H_1) + 2|Z_6|^2 (H_1^{\dagger}H_1) \partial_{\mu} (H_1^{\dagger}H_1) \partial^{\mu} (H_1^{\dagger}H_1)$ $-(H_1^{\dagger}H_1)^4 \left[Z_{34}|Z_6|^2 + \frac{1}{2}Z_5^*Z_6^2 + \frac{1}{2}Z_5(Z_6^*)^2\right]$ $-(H_1^{\dagger}H_1)^2 \bigg[H_1^{\dagger} \hat{q}_L u_R \Big(Z_{34} Z_6 \lambda_u^{(2)*} + Z_5 Z_6^* \lambda_u^{(2)*} \Big) + \bar{d}_R H_1^{\dagger} q_L \Big(Z_{34} Z_6 \lambda_d^{(2)} + Z_5 Z_6^* \lambda_d^{(2)} \Big) + \text{h.c.} \bigg]$ $+ \left\{ \left[Z_{6}^{*} \lambda_{u}^{(2)} \left(D_{\mu}(\hat{q}_{L} u_{R}) \right)^{\dagger} + Z_{6}^{*} \lambda_{d}^{(2)*} \left(D_{\mu}(\bar{d}_{R} q_{L}) \right)^{\dagger} \right] \left[\partial^{\mu}(H_{1}^{\dagger} H_{1}) H_{1} + (H_{1}^{\dagger} H_{1}) (D^{\mu} H_{1}) \right] + \text{h.c.} \right\}$ +4F.(22c)

• We ignore the 4-fermion operators

Physical parameters in the 2HDM and power counting

- Practically all 2HDM limit plots are in terms of tan β and cos (β – α); we really want to change to these from the Lagrangian parameters after we do the matching
- We will also take the decoupling limit:

$$m_A^2 \sim m_{H_0}^2 \sim m_{H^\pm}^2 \sim Y_2 \equiv \Lambda^2 \gg v^2, \qquad m_h^2 \simeq v^2$$

- Decoupling requires $\cos{(\beta-\alpha)}\sim v^2/\Lambda^2$
- Keeping a consistent power counting during the conversion is key: we matched up to O(Λ⁻⁴), so we should only keep expressions in terms of physical parameters up to O(Λ⁻⁴)

Are the dimension 8 terms relevant?



- Limits for exact 2HDM, dimension 6 expansion, dimension 6 expansion including squared terms, and dimension 8 expansion
- Type-I is not reproduced well until dimension 8!
- Type-II is already well-constrained even with just dimension 6 matching, in contrast

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Dimension 8 effects for the other types



• Type-L and Type-F are well-described by dimension 6 except for the second, disconnected region in type-L, where the EFT contribution to lepton Yukawa couplings dominates over the SM contribution

Why does type-I need dimension 8?

- In the Type-I model, all the Yukawas of the heavy doublet were suppressed by tan β, and the high tan β region is where dimension 8 is important
- The 2HDM also changes the couplings of the 125 GeV Higgs to W and Z bosons; where is that in the matching?
- That comes only from the following Wilson coefficient at dimension 8

$$\frac{C_{\mathcal{H}^6}^{(1)}}{\Lambda^4} = -\cos(\beta - \alpha)^2 \left(\sqrt{2}G_F\right)^2$$

- This Wilson coefficient corresponds to the dimension 8 operator $(H^{\dagger}H)^2 D_{\mu}H^{\dagger}D^{\mu}H^{\dagger}$
- So, for all types, the 2HDM doesn't change hWW and hZZ couplings at dimension 6, which are important for constraining the Type-I model

• There is a similar dimension 6 operator $H^{\dagger}HD_{\mu}H^{\dagger}D^{\mu}H^{\dagger}$

- It matches onto (H[†]H)□(H[†]H) and other dimension 6 operators in the Warsaw basis using field redefinitions
- Both this operator and the dimension 8 operator $(H^{\dagger}H)^2 D_{\mu}H^{\dagger}D^{\mu}H^{\dagger}$ have similar effects
 - hWW and hZZ couplings
 - Momentum-dependent hhh couplings
- The 2HDM happens to be a model that doesn't generate this dimension 6 operator
- Other models *can* generate the dimension 6 operator at tree-level, like scalar or vector triplets or singlets

- A top-down analysis of the 2HDM shows that including dimension 8 operators can be necessary, since the hWW and hZZ coupling changes are missing at dimension 6
- Even so, going to dimension 8 is opening Pandora's box of 44807 additional Wilson coefficients
- Some general SMEFT takeaways:
 - SMEFT has more subtleties than one might think
 - You can't be sure that dimension 6 matching is good enough for a model without checking
 - Determining the UV model from measurements of Wilson coefficients requires accurately attributing effects to the correct operators

Thank you!