

# SUSY breaking from monopole condensation

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## Descriptions of dynamical SUSY breaking

- ▶ Instantons
- ▶ Gaugino condensation
- ▶ Confinement
- ▶ Dual gauge dynamics in the IR
  
- ▶ Models with global or local SUSY breaking minima

### Our Goal:

Models where SUSY breaking is triggered by monopole condensation

# Outline

Monopoles in  $\mathcal{N} = 1$

$SU(2)^2$  model

$SU(2)^3$  model

SUSY breaking

The model

Coleman-Weinberg potential

More examples

Conclusions

# Monopoles in $\mathcal{N} = 1$

Monopoles in  $SU(2) \times SU(2)$  with two bifundamentals

Intriligator and Seiberg

- ▶ Moduli space

$$M_{fg} = Q_f \cdot Q_g \equiv Q_{f,c_1c_2} Q_{g,d_1d_2} \epsilon^{c_1d_1} \epsilon^{c_2d_2}$$

- ▶ Low energy physics at large  $M_{11}$ :
  - ▶  $SU(2)^2$  broken to  $SU(2)_D$  and with a triplet  $\phi$  and a singlet.
  - ▶ An approximate  $\mathcal{N} = 2$  theory. At a generic point on the moduli space,  $\text{Tr}\phi^2 \neq 0$ , unbroken gauge group is  $U(1)$ .
  - ▶ Singularity at  $\text{Tr}\phi^2 = \Lambda_L^2$ . Monopoles become massless. Kähler potential for the moduli is known.
- ▶  $\mathcal{N} = 2 \rightarrow \mathcal{N} = 1$  breaking suppressed by powers of  $M_{11} \sim v^2$ . Kähler potential modified

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Intriligator and Seiberg

- ▶ Holomorphy, symmetries and weakly coupled limits give solutions everywhere on the  $SU(2)^2$  moduli space
- ▶ Monopoles are massless on singular submanifolds

$$W = (\det M - U_+) \tilde{E}_+ E_+ + (\det M - U_-) \tilde{E}_- E_-$$

$$U_{\pm} = (\Lambda_1^2 \pm \Lambda_2^2)^2$$

- ▶ Kähler potential for moduli is regular on the singular submanifold but generically receives large strong coupling corrections

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## Monopoles in $SU(2)^3$ model

CEFS

	$SU(2)_1$	$SU(2)_2$	$SU(2)_3$
$Q_1$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
$Q_2$	1	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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### ► Moduli

$$M_i = \det Q_i \equiv \frac{1}{2} Q_{i,c_1 d_1} Q_{i,c_2 d_2} \epsilon^{c_1 c_2} \epsilon^{d_1 d_2}$$

$$T = \frac{1}{2} Q_{1,c_1 d_2} Q_{2,c_2 d_3} Q_{3,c_3 d_1} \epsilon^{c_1 d_1} \epsilon^{c_2 d_2} \epsilon^{c_3 d_3}$$

- Symmetry breaking:  $SU(2)^3 \rightarrow SU(2)_D \rightarrow U(1)$
- Singular submanifold

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### ► Monopole superpotential

$$W_{eff} = \sum_{\pm} [\Lambda^4(M_1 + M_2 + M_3) - M_1 M_2 M_3 + T^2 \pm 2\Lambda^6] E_{\pm} \tilde{E}_{\pm},$$

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# CW potential

For a range of parameters Coleman-Weinberg potential results in a local minimum

- ▶ Local minimum if  $y = \frac{\lambda \langle \mu^2 \rangle}{m_1 m_2} < 1$  (Recall  $\langle \tilde{E} E \rangle \sim \mu^2$ )
- ▶ Minimum at  $M_2 = 0$  if  $r = m_2/m_1 < 2$
- ▶ Minimum at  $M_2 \approx \frac{\sqrt{m_1 m_2}}{\lambda}$  if  $r > 2$ .

Matching parameters between UV and IR descriptions

$$\begin{aligned} \mu^2 &\sim m\Lambda & \lambda &= \tilde{\lambda} \frac{\Lambda}{\Lambda_{UV}} \\ m_Z &= c_Z \frac{\Lambda^2}{\Lambda_{UV}} & m_Y &= c_Y \Lambda \end{aligned}$$

# CW potential vs strong coupling corrections

- ▶ Model strongly coupled near  $M_1 \approx 2\Lambda^2$ .
- ▶ Discrete global symmetry restricts form of strong coupling corrections to the Kähler potential
- ▶ Require that strong coupling corrections are negligible while conditions for the minimum are satisfied

$$\frac{m_2}{\Lambda} \ll \left( \frac{\Lambda}{\lambda_{UV}} \right)^3$$
$$\frac{\Lambda}{\Lambda_{UV}} \lesssim \left( \frac{m_1}{\Lambda} \right)^2 \frac{\Lambda}{m}$$

# Variations of the model

- ▶ More calculable model

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- ▶ More dynamical model

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# Conclusions and questions

- ▶ New models of metastable dynamical SUSY breaking based on monopole condensation
- ▶ Are there generalizations?
- ▶ Application to phenomenological model building?
- ▶ Are there limits where SUSY breaking dynamics has more conventional description?