

Conditions for vacuum stability in an $S(3)$ extension of the Standard Model

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Higgs Boson in the Standard Model

In the Standard Model, one $SU(2)$ doublet Higgs Field is included for the symmetry breaking of the $SU(2) \times U(1)$ gauge groups.

$$V(\Phi) = -\mu^2 |\Phi|^2 + \lambda |\Phi|^4 \quad \text{where} \quad \Phi(X) = \begin{pmatrix} \phi(X)^+ \\ \phi(X)^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

the parameter λ must be positive to produce a stable vacuum.
 the parameter μ can be either sign. In fact if the sign of the quadratic term is negative namely $\mu^2 > 0$, at the origin the potential has a maximum, hence, the stable vacuum state corresponds to a non-zero value of the Φ field.

- The states satisfying $|\phi(X)^+|^2 + |\phi(X)^0|^2 = \mu^2/2\lambda = v^2/2$ are degenerate minima of the potential.
- We can choose the vacuum expectation value in the $\langle \phi^0 \rangle = v/\sqrt{2}$ direction.
- There is one important prediction of this model, one scalar particle appears in the physical spectrum which is called the Higgs boson.
- The mass of the Higgs boson is given by $m_h = \sqrt{2\lambda}v$, the W and Z masses are $m_W = (g/2)v$, $m_Z = \left(\sqrt{g^2 + g'^2}/2\right)v$.
- Through the Yukawa couplings, the Higgs gives mass to the quarks and leptons $m_f = Y_f v/\sqrt{2}$.

- Prior to the introduction of the Higgs boson, and mass terms the Lagrangian of the Standard Model is chiral and invariant with respect to any permutations of the left and right quark and lepton fields $\leftrightarrow S(3)$ flavour symmetry.
- If we assume that the $S(3)$ permutational symmetry is not broken, the Higgs in the S. M. is an $S(3)$ singlet and only one fermion can acquire mass.
- Although the Higgs potential is very simple and sufficient to describe a realistic model of mass generation, we believe that this is not the final form of the theory but rather an effective description of a more fundamental theory.

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- To construct a Lagrangian invariant under the action of the $SU(3)_c \times SU(2) \times U(1) \times S_3^f$ group

S_3 irreducible representations

The group S_3 has two one dimensional irreducible representations (singlets) and a two dimensional irreducible representation (doublet)

- One dimensional representations: $\mathbf{1}_A$ antisymmetric singlet, $\mathbf{1}_S$ symmetric singlet
- Bi - dimensional: $\mathbf{2}$ doublet

Direct product of an S_3 irreducible representations

$$\mathbf{1}_S \otimes \mathbf{1}_S = \mathbf{1}_S, \quad \mathbf{1}_S \otimes \mathbf{1}_A = \mathbf{1}_A, \quad \mathbf{1}_A \otimes \mathbf{1}_A = \mathbf{1}_S,$$

$$\mathbf{1}_S \otimes \mathbf{2} = \mathbf{2}, \quad \mathbf{1}_A \otimes \mathbf{2} = \mathbf{2}$$

$$\mathbf{2} \otimes \mathbf{2} = \mathbf{1}_S \oplus \mathbf{1}_A \oplus \mathbf{2}$$

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The Higgs sector is modified

$$\Phi \rightarrow H = (\Phi_a, \Phi_b, \Phi_c)^T$$

H is a reducible representation to $\mathbf{1}_s \oplus \mathbf{2}$ of S_3

$$H_s = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(\Phi_a + \Phi_b + \Phi_c), \quad \begin{pmatrix} H_1 \\ H_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\Phi_a - \Phi_b) \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(\Phi_a + \Phi_b - 2\Phi_c) \end{pmatrix}$$

The Quark, lepton and Higgs fields are given by

$$Q^T = (u_L, d_L), u_R, d_R, \quad L^\dagger = (\nu_L, e_L), e_R, \nu_R, \quad H$$

All the fields have three species (Flavours) and belong to a representation reducible to $\mathbf{1} \oplus \mathbf{2}$ de S_3

S_3 invariant Yukawa Lagrangian

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$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{Y_D} = & -Y_1^d \bar{Q}_I H_S d_{IR} - Y_3^d \bar{Q}_3 H_S d_{3R} \\ & - Y_2^d [\bar{Q}_I \kappa_{IJ} H_1 d_{JR} + \bar{Q}_I \eta_{IJ} H_2 d_{JR}] \\ & - Y_4^d \bar{Q}_3 H_I d_{IR} - Y_5^d \bar{Q}_I H_I d_{3R} + h.c\end{aligned}$$

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$$\kappa = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and}$$

$$\eta = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

S_3 invariant Yukawa Lagrangian

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Furthermore, we add the mass terms for the Majorana neutrinos

$$\mathcal{L}_M = -M_1 \nu_{IR}^T C \nu_{IR} - M_3 \nu_{3R}^T C \nu_{3R},$$

C is the charge matrix.

The Higgs sector

$$\mathcal{L}_\Phi = [D_\mu H_S]^2 + [D_\mu H_1]^2 + [D_\mu H_2]^2 - V(H_1, H_2, H_S)$$

$$\text{where } D_\mu = \left(\partial_\mu - \frac{i}{2} g \tau \mathbf{A} - \frac{i}{2} g' B_\mu \right)$$

from here we obtain the W and Z mass

$$m_W^2 = \frac{g^2 (v_1^2 + v_2^2 + v_3^2)}{4}, \quad m_Z^2 = \frac{(g^2 + g'^2) (v_1^2 + v_2^2 + v_3^2)}{4}$$

S_3 invariant Higgs Potential

The most general Higgs Potential invariant under $SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \times S_3$ can be written as :

$$\begin{aligned}
 V = & \mu_1^2 \left(H_1^\dagger H_1 + H_2^\dagger H_2 \right) + \mu_0^2 \left(H_S^\dagger H_S \right) + a \left(H_S^\dagger H_S \right)^2 \\
 & + b \left(H_S^\dagger H_S \right) \left(H_1^\dagger H_1 + H_2^\dagger H_2 \right) + c \left(H_1^\dagger H_1 + H_2^\dagger H_2 \right)^2 \\
 & + d \left(H_1^\dagger H_2 - H_2^\dagger H_1 \right)^2 + e f_{ijk} \left(\left(H_S^\dagger H_i \right) \left(H_j^\dagger H_k \right) \right) \\
 & + f \left\{ \left(H_S^\dagger H_1 \right) \left(H_1^\dagger H_S \right) + \left(H_S^\dagger H_2 \right) \left(H_2^\dagger H_S \right) \right\} \\
 & + g \left\{ \left(H_1^\dagger H_1 - H_2^\dagger H_2 \right)^2 + \left(H_1^\dagger H_2 + H_2^\dagger H_1 \right) \right\} + \\
 & h \left\{ \left(H_S^\dagger H_1 \right) \left(H_S^\dagger H_1 \right) + \left(H_S^\dagger H_2 \right) \left(H_S^\dagger H_2 \right) + \left(H_1^\dagger H_S \right) \left(H_1^\dagger H_S \right) \right. \\
 & \left. + \left(H_2^\dagger H_S \right) \left(H_2^\dagger H_S \right) \right\} \quad \text{where } f_{112} = f_{121} = f_{211} = -f_{222} = 1
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{1}$$

The $SU(2)_L$ Higgs doublets with a flavour index 1, 2, S are

$$H_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 + i\phi_2 \\ \phi_7 + i\phi_{10} \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_3 + i\phi_4 \\ \phi_8 + i\phi_{11} \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_S = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_5 + i\phi_6 \\ \phi_9 + i\phi_{12} \end{pmatrix} \quad (2)$$

Introducing the following notation :

$$x_1 = H_1^\dagger H_1, \quad x_2 = H_2^\dagger H_2, \quad x_3 = H_S^\dagger H_S,$$

$$x_4 = \text{Re} \left(H_1^\dagger H_2 \right), \quad x_5 = \text{Im} \left(H_1^\dagger H_2 \right), \quad x_6 = \text{Re} \left(H_1^\dagger H_S \right),$$

$$x_7 = \text{Im} \left(H_1^\dagger H_S \right), \quad x_8 = \text{Re} \left(H_2^\dagger H_S \right), \quad x_9 = \text{Im} \left(H_2^\dagger H_S \right) \quad (3)$$

The most general Higgs potential invariant under the exact symmetry $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \times S_3$

$$V(\mathbf{X}) = \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{X} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{B} \mathbf{X} \quad (4)$$

with

$$\mathbf{X}^T = (x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_9), \quad \mathbf{A}^T = (\mu_1^2, \mu_1^2, \mu_0^2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0) \quad (5)$$

and

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 2(c+g) & 2(c-g) & b & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2e & 0 \\ 2(c-g) & 2(c+g) & b & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -2e & 0 \\ b & b & 2a & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 8g & 0 & 4e & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -8d & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4e & 0 & 2(f+2h) & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2(f-2h) & 0 & 0 \\ 2e & -2e & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2(f+2h) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2(f-2h) \end{pmatrix} \quad (6)$$

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- The CP breaking minimum, where two imaginary components of the neutral fields ϕ acquire a non zero vev's.

$$\phi_7 = v''_1, \phi_8 = v''_2, \phi_9 = v''_3, \phi_{10} = \delta, \phi_{11} = \gamma,$$

A. The normal minimum

From the definitions above ,

$$x_i = v_i^2 \text{ for } i = 1, 2, 3 \quad x_4 = v_1 v_2, \quad x_6 = v_1 v_3, \quad x_8 = v_2 v_3, \quad y \\ x_5 = x_7 = x_9 = 0.$$

We can write the minimization conditions as

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial v_i} = 0 \leftrightarrow \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_j} \frac{\partial x_j}{\partial v_i} = 0 \quad i = 1, 2, 3 \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, 9 \quad (7)$$

this are a set of three coupled equations. The solution to this equations implies

$$e = 0$$

or

$$v_1^2 = 3v_2^2$$

Let us define the vector $(\mathbf{V}'_N)_i = (\mathbf{V}' |_{\mathbf{x}_N})_i = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_i}$, evaluated in the minimum. In this notation the minimization conditions gives

$$(\mathbf{V}'_N)_1 = -\frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_4}{2v_1 v_2} v_2^2 - \frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_6}{2v_1 v_3} v_3^2 \quad (8)$$

$$(\mathbf{V}'_N)_2 = -\frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_4}{2v_1 v_2} v_1^2 - \frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_8}{2v_2 v_3} v_3^2 \quad (9)$$

$$(\mathbf{V}'_N)_3 = -\frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_6}{2v_1 v_2 v_3} v_1^2 - \frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_8}{2v_2 v_3} v_2^2 \quad (10)$$

From here it follows that:

$$\mathbf{V}'_N = \begin{pmatrix} -\left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial x_4} v_2 + \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_6} v_3\right) \frac{1}{2v_1} \\ -\left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial x_4} v_1 + \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_8} v_3\right) \frac{1}{2v_2} \\ -\left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial x_6} v_1 + \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_8} v_2\right) \frac{1}{2v_3} \\ \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_4} \\ 0 \\ \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_6} \\ 0 \\ \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_8} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_4}{2v_1 v_2} v_2^2 + \frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_6}{2v_1 v_3} v_3^2 \\ \frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_4}{2v_1 v_2} v_1^2 + \frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_8}{2v_2 v_3} v_3^2 \\ \frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_6}{2v_1 v_2} v_1^2 + \frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_8}{2v_2 v_3} v_2^2 \\ (\mathbf{V}')_4 \\ 0 \\ (\mathbf{V}')_6 \\ 0 \\ (\mathbf{V}')_8 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (11)$$

it is clear from this expression that the first three entries in \mathbf{V}'_N have the same sign if the ratios $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_4}{2v_1 v_2}$, $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_6}{2v_1 v_3}$, $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_8}{2v_2 v_3}$ have equal signs too.

The stationary point is given by the conditions imposed in equation (7). Analyzing the second derivatives of the Higgs potential V we obtain the minimum conditions, these are given by the matrix of the squared scalar Higgs masses. Particularly, for the scalar charged Higgs we have the squared masses $m_{H_{1,2}^\pm}^2$ as given in equation (42): $m_{H_{1,2}^\pm}^2 = V'_1 + V'_2 + V'_3 \pm$

$$\sqrt{(V'_1 + V'_2 + V'_3)^2 - (4V'_1V'_2 + 4V'_1V'_4 + 4V'_2V'_3 + V_4'^2 + V_6'^2 + V_8'^2)}$$

The normal minimum exists if $m_{H_{1,2}^\pm}^2 > 0$. From equation (11) we can read $(\mathbf{V}'_N)_i$, it's clear from it that the first three entries in \mathbf{V}'_N has the same sign as we mentioned before and the squared masses are positive if the sign of the ratios $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_4}{2v_1v_2}$, $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_6}{2v_1v_3}$, $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_8}{2v_2v_3}$ are positive too.

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$$m_{H_{1,2}^\pm}^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left[\text{Tr} \mathbf{M}_C^2 \pm \sqrt{(\text{Tr} \mathbf{M}_C^2)^2 - 4\chi^2} \right] > 0 \quad (12)$$

from here we have that

$$[\text{Tr} \mathbf{M}]_C^2 > (\text{Tr} \mathbf{M}_C^2) > \frac{1}{2} [\text{Tr} \mathbf{M}]_C^2 \quad (13)$$

In the normal minimum we get

$$\mathbf{V}'_N = \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{X}_N \quad \mathbf{X}_N^T \mathbf{V}'_N = 0 \quad (14)$$

where $\mathbf{X}_N = \mathbf{X} |_{normal\ min}$.

In this notation, the potential evaluated at the normal minimum can be written as:

$$V_N = -\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{X}_N^T \mathbf{B} \mathbf{X}_N = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{X}_N \quad (15)$$

B. Charge breaking minimum

In this case, the S_3 CB doublet of the Higgs field: $\phi_7 = v'_1$,
 $\phi_8 = v'_2$, $\phi_9 = v'_3$ y $\phi_1 = \alpha$, $\phi_3 = \beta$.
 The vector \mathbf{X}_{CB} can be written as:

$$\mathbf{X}_{CB} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^2 + v_1'^2 \\ \beta^2 + v_2'^2 \\ v_3'^2 \\ \alpha\beta + v_1'v_2' \\ 0 \\ v_1'v_3' \\ 0 \\ v_2'v_3' \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (16)$$

Direct analisis of the potential gives for this stationary point

$$\mathbf{V}'_{CB} = \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{X}_{CB} \quad (17)$$

The potential evaluated at the CB minimum can be written as:

$$V_{CB} = -\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{x}_{CB}^T \mathbf{B} \mathbf{x}_{CB} = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{x}_{CB} \quad (18)$$

From this equation and the normal minimum, we can compare the potential evaluated at the two different minima

$$V_{CB} - V_N = \frac{1}{2} \left(\mathbf{x}_{CB}^T \mathbf{v}'_N - \mathbf{x}_N^T \mathbf{v}'_{CB} \right) \quad (19)$$

If the signs of the ratios $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_4}{2v_1v_2}$, $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_6}{2v_1v_3}$, $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_8}{2v_2v_3}$ are positive, the normal minimum exists and the following product is also positive:

$$\mathbf{x}_{CB}^T \mathbf{V}'_N = -\frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_6}{2v_1v_3} [\alpha^2 v_3^2 + (v'_1 v_3 - v'_3 v_1)^2] - \frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_8}{2v_2v_3} [\beta^2 v_3^2 + (v'_2 v_3 - v'_3 v_2)^2] - \frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_4}{2v_1v_2} [(\alpha v_2 - \beta v_1)^2 + (v'_1 v_2 - v'_2 v_1)^2]. \quad (20)$$

(21)

If the product :

$$\mathbf{x}_N^T \mathbf{V}'_{CB} = \frac{(\mathbf{V}'_{CB})_4}{2\alpha\beta} \left\{ (v_2\alpha - v_1\beta) + \frac{v_3}{v'_3} (v'_1\beta - v'_2\alpha) \right\}^2 \quad (22)$$

vanishes the normal minimum is the deepest one.

Possible scenarios

First, the two $S(3)$ doublets Higgs fields acquires equal vevs:

$$\frac{v_1}{v_2} = \frac{v'_1}{v'_2} = \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \quad (23)$$

the normal and the electric charge violating minima have an accidental $S(2)$ symmetry $v_1 = v_2$, $v'_1 = v'_2$, $\alpha = \beta$. Or

$$v_3 = v'_3 \begin{pmatrix} v_2 \\ v'_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{v_1}{v_2} - \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \\ \frac{v'_1}{v'_2} - \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \end{pmatrix} \quad (24)$$

The second case realizes when the $(\mathbf{V}'_{CB})_4$ vanishes, that is

$$g2 (\alpha\beta + v'_1 v'_2) + e v'_1 v'_3 = 0 \quad (25)$$

C. CP breaking

The CP breaking stationary point is given by the following vevs:
 $\phi_7 = v'_1$, $\phi_8 = v'_2$, $\phi_9 = v'_3$, $\phi_{10} = \delta$ and $\phi_{11} = \gamma$. Then,

$$\mathbf{X}_{CP} = \begin{pmatrix} \delta^2 + v_1''^2 \\ \gamma^2 + v_2''^2 \\ v_3''^2 \\ \delta\gamma + v_1''v_2'' \\ v_1''\gamma - v_2''\delta \\ v_2''v_3'' \\ -\delta v_3'' \\ v_2''v_3'' \\ -\gamma v_3'' \end{pmatrix} \quad (26)$$

We obtain

$$\mathbf{X}_{CP}^T \mathbf{V}'_{CP} = 0 \quad (27)$$

and

$$V_{CP} = \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{X}_{CP} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{X}_{CP}^T \mathbf{B}_{CP} \mathbf{X}_{CP} \quad \mathbf{V}'_{CP} = \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}_{CP} \mathbf{X}_{CP} \quad (28)$$

In this case, the potential evaluated in the normal minimum and the CP violating minimum can be compared as follows:

$$\mathbf{V}_{CP} - \mathbf{V}_N = \frac{1}{2} \left(\mathbf{x}_{CP}^T \mathbf{V}'_N - \mathbf{x}_N^T \mathbf{V}'_{CP} \right) \quad (29)$$

That is, the normal minimum is the deepest one if $\mathbf{x}_{CP}^T \mathbf{V}'$ is positive. The signs of the ratios $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_4}{2v_1v_2}$, $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_6}{2v_1v_3}$, $\frac{-(\mathbf{V}')_8}{2v_2v_3}$ are positive,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}_{CP}^T \mathbf{V}'_N &= -\frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_6}{2v_1v_3} \left[\delta^2 v_3^2 + (v_1'' v_3 - v_3'' v_1)^2 \right] - \frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_8}{2v_2v_3} \left[\gamma^2 v_3^2 + (v_2'' v_3 - v_3'' v_2)^2 \right] \\ &\quad - \frac{(\mathbf{V}'_N)_4}{2v_1v_2} \left[(\delta v_2 - \gamma v_1)^2 + (v_1'' v_2 - v_2'' v_1)^2 \right] \end{aligned} \quad (30)$$

and the normal normal minimum is the deepest one if the following vanishes

$$\mathbf{x}_N^T \mathbf{V}'_{CP} = -\frac{(\mathbf{V}'_{CP})_4}{2\gamma\delta} \left[(v_1\gamma - v_2\delta) + \frac{v_3}{v''_3} (v''_1\gamma - v''_2\delta) \right]^2 \quad (31)$$

that is: $v_1 = v_2$ $\gamma = \delta$ $v''_1 = v''_2$.

Higgs Mass matrix

If we want to know the nature of the stationary points, it is necessary to compute the second derivatives of the Higgs potential. These are given by

$$\frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \phi_i \partial \phi_j} = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_l} \frac{\partial^2 x_l}{\partial \phi_i \partial \phi_j} + \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x_l \partial x_m} \frac{\partial x_l}{\partial \phi_i} \frac{\partial x_m}{\partial \phi_j} \quad (32)$$

Defining:

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathbf{V}')_i &= \frac{\partial V}{\partial X_i} & [\mathbf{B}_{lm}] &= \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial X_l \partial X_m} & l, m &= 1, 2, \dots, 9 \\ [\mathbf{C}]_{ij} &= \frac{\partial X_i}{\partial \phi_j} & i &= 1, 2, \dots, 9 & j &= 1, 2, \dots, 12 \end{aligned} \quad (33)$$

For a positive defined matrix \mathbf{B} we have a minimum, for a negative defined matrix \mathbf{B} the critical point is a maximum; if the matrix \mathbf{B} is nither positive or negative defyned we have a saddle point.

If the determinants of the submatrices are all different from zero, but the \mathbf{B} matrix is nither positive defined or negative defined, the critical point is a saddle point. In the model we found that \mathbf{B} is positive defined if

$$c > 0, g > 0, a > \frac{b^2}{4c}, d < 0, f + 2h > \frac{e^2}{g}, f > 2h. \quad (34)$$

Mass matrix

The Higgs mass matrix has the form

$$[\mathbf{M}^2] = \frac{1}{2} \left([\mathbf{M}_I^2] + \mathbf{C}^T \mathbf{B} \mathbf{C} \right) \quad (35)$$

The first term in the right hand side is taken from equation (32) is

$$[\mathbf{M}_I^2]_{ij} = \frac{\partial V}{\partial X_I} \frac{\partial^2 X_I}{\partial \phi_i \partial \phi_j} = V'_I \frac{\partial^2 X_I}{\partial \phi_i \partial \phi_j} \quad (36)$$

In the normal minimum

$$[\mathbf{M}_I^2] = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{M}_{11}^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \mathbf{M}_{12}^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad (37)$$

where \mathbf{M}_{11}^2 y \mathbf{M}_{12}^2 are 6×6 matrix.

$$[\mathbf{M}_{11}^2] = \begin{pmatrix} 2V'_1 & V'_4 & V'_6 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ V'_6 & V'_8 & 2V'_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ V'_4 & 2V'_2 & V'_8 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2V'_1 & V'_4 & V'_6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & V'_6 & V'_8 & 2V'_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & V'_4 & 2V'_2 & V'_8 \end{pmatrix} \quad (38)$$

$$[\mathbf{M}_{12}^2] = \begin{pmatrix} 2V'_1 & V'_4 & V'_6 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ V'_4 & 2V'_2 & 2V'_8 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ V'_6 & V'_8 & 2V'_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2V'_1 & V'_4 & V'_6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & V'_4 & 2V'_2 & V'_8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & V'_6 & V'_8 & 2V'_3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (39)$$

The entries in the matrix \mathbf{B} are given by the second derivatives of the Higgs potential. Defining the 9×12 matrix $\mathbf{C}_{ij} = \partial^2 x_i / \partial \phi_j^2$ as:

$$[\mathbf{C}] = \begin{pmatrix} 2\phi_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\phi_7 & 0 & 0 & 2\phi_{10} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2\phi_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\phi_8 & 0 & 0 & 2\phi_{11} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\phi_9 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \phi_3 & 0 & \phi_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \phi_8 & \phi_7 & 0 & \phi_{11} & \phi_{10} & 0 \\ 0 & -\phi_3 & 0 & \phi_1 & 0 & 0 & \phi_{11} & -\phi_{10} & 0 & -\phi_8 & \phi_7 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \phi_1 & 0 & \phi_9 & 0 & \phi_7 & 0 & 0 & \phi_{10} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \phi_1 & 0 & 0 & -\phi_{10} & -\phi_9 & 0 & \phi_7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \phi_3 & 0 & 0 & \phi_9 & \phi_8 & 0 & 0 & \phi_{11} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \phi_3 & 0 & 0 & -\phi_{11} & 0 & -\phi_9 & \phi_8 \end{pmatrix} \quad (40)$$

Evaluated at each of the different stationary points, only the fields $\phi_7, \phi_8, \phi_9, \phi_1, \phi_3, \phi_5$ and ϕ_{12} appear, the remaining fields are zero at the stationary points.

Hence, the mass matrix of the quadratic masses can be computed from (35)-(44), it takes the following form

$$\text{diag}(\mathbf{M}_C^2, \mathbf{M}_C^2, \mathbf{M}_S^2, \mathbf{M}_P^2) \quad (41)$$

\mathbf{M}_{11} is the charged Higgs mass matrix, the mass of the physical charged Higgs can be expressed as

$$m_{H_{1,2}^\pm}^2 = V'_1 + V'_2 + V'_3 \pm \sqrt{(V'_1 + V'_2 + V'_3)^2 - (4V'_1V'_2 + 4V'_1V'_4 + 4V'_2V'_3 + V_4'^2 + V_6'^2 + V_8'^2)} \quad (42)$$

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$$[\mathbf{M}_S] = \begin{pmatrix} 4(c+g)v_1^2 & 4(c+g)v_1v_2 & 2(b+f+2h)v_1v_3 \\ 4(c+g)v_1v_2 & -12ev_2v_3 + 4(c+g)v_2^2 & 2(b+f+2h)v_2v_3 \\ 2(b+f+2h)v_1v_3 & 2(b+f+2h)v_2v_3 & 4av_3^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad (43)$$

$$[\mathbf{M}_P] = \begin{pmatrix} -8 \{ hv_3^2 + (g+d)v_2^2 \} & 8(g+d)v_1v_2 + 4ev_1v_3 & 4hv_1v_3 \\ 8(g+d)v_1v_2 & -8 \{ hv_3^2 + (g+d)v_1^2 \} & 8hv_2v_3 \\ 4hv_1v_3 & 8hv_2v_3 & -8h(v_1^2 + v_2^2) \end{pmatrix} \quad (44)$$

In the normal minimum $e = 0$, so, the eigenvalues of the scalar mass matrix Higgs fields are given by :

$$\begin{aligned} m_1 &= 0, \\ m_{2,3} &= 2av_3^2 - 2(c+g)(v_1^2 + v_2^2) \\ &\pm \left[4(c+g)^2 v_3^4 - 24a(c+g)(v_1^2 + v_2^2)v_3^2 + 4(b+f+2h)(v_1^2 + v_2^2) \right]^{1/2} \end{aligned}$$

Degrees of freedom

- In the $S(3)$ extended model we have three $SU(2)$ Higgs fields, with four real fields each. There are three massless gauge bosons W^\pm and Z with two polarization states each, so the total number of independent fields is 18.
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