

Direct Search Implications for a Custodially-Embedded Composite Top

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The following work is based on research performed by R. Sekhar Chivukula, R. Foadi, D. Foren, E. Simmons.

We update and extend the analysis of a model presented in **arXiv:1105.5437v3 [hep-ph]**.

~Outline~

- ★ Motivation
- ★ Bi-Doublet + Singlet Model \rightarrow DESM + Singlet
- ★ Updated Precision EW Constraints
- ★ Direct Search Limits

Why is the Top Quark Heavy?

- Maybe...

★top quark = heavy★

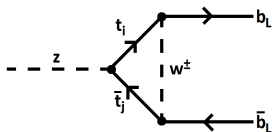
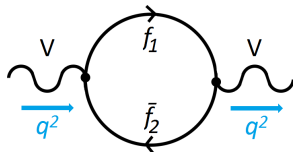


★top quark = substantially composite★

- Particularly, add vector-like “top partners” ...

$$\text{top quark} = (\text{SM, Yukawa}) + \sum_i (\text{VL, Dirac})_i$$

We'll alter the top sector and
leave rest of SM unchanged.



$$\hat{T} \equiv \frac{\Pi_{WW}^{new}(0)}{m_W^2} - \frac{\Pi_{ZZ}^{new}(0)}{m_Z^2}$$

0 in SM AND experimentally \implies OK!

$g_{Lb} \equiv$ coupling of $Zb_L b_L$

SM: -0.42114

Exp: -0.4182 ± 0.0015

$\implies \approx 2\sigma$ discrepancy!

Bi-Doublet + Singlet: New Particles

~New (Vector-Like) Particles~

1	$+\frac{5}{3}$	quark	(exotic)	Ω
3	$+\frac{2}{3}$	quarks	(top-like)	t_1^q, t_1^ψ, t_1
1	$-\frac{1}{3}$	quark	(bottom-like)	b_1

To control corrections to \hat{T} and g_{Lb} , embed new fermions in **custodial multiplets** ($SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \rightarrow SU(2)_c$):

$$Q_1 \equiv (q_1, \psi_1) \equiv \begin{pmatrix} t_1^q & \Omega_1 \\ b_1 & t_1^\psi \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad t_1$$

Also, embed the usual Higgs in a custodial bi-doublet:

$$\Phi \equiv (i\sigma_2\varphi^*, \varphi)$$

Bi-Doublet + Singlet: Lagrangian

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{bi\text{-doublet}+singlet} = & \bar{q}_{0L} i \not{D} q_{0L} + \bar{t}_{0R} i \not{D} t_{0R} + \bar{b}_{0R} i \not{D} b_{0R} \\ & + \bar{t}_1 i \not{D} t_1 + \text{Tr}(\bar{Q}_1 i \not{D} Q_1) \\ & - M_t \bar{t}_1 t_1 - M_q \text{Tr}(\bar{Q}_1 Q_1) \\ & - \mu_q (\bar{q}_{0L} q_{1R} + \text{h.c.}) - \mu_t (\bar{t}_1 t_{0R} + \text{h.c.}) \\ & - y_q [\text{Tr}(\bar{Q}_{1L} \Phi) t_{0R} + \text{h.c.}] - y_t [\text{Tr}(\bar{Q}_{1L} \Phi) t_{1R} + \text{h.c.}]\end{aligned}$$

6 variables!

To reduce this...

- **Reproduce top quark mass** to eliminate one variable.
- Take $\mu_q \rightarrow \infty$ to obtain the **DESM + singlet limit**.
(This eliminates q_{0L} and q_{1R} , and **removes y_q as well.**)

The $\mu_q \rightarrow \infty$ limit of the Bi-doublet + Singlet model is,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{top} = & \bar{t}_{0R} i \not{D} t_{0R} + \bar{t}_1 i \not{D} t_1 + \text{Tr} (\bar{Q}_{1L} i \not{D} Q_{1L}) + \bar{\Psi}_{1R} i \not{D} \Psi_{1R} \\ & - M_t \bar{t}_1 t_1 - M_q (\bar{\Psi}_{1L} \Psi_{1R} + \text{h.c.}) \\ & - \mu_t (\bar{t}_{1L} t_{0R} + \text{h.c.}) - y_t [\text{Tr} (\bar{Q}_{1L} \Phi) t_{1R} + \text{h.c.}] \end{aligned}$$

3 Remaining Parameters

$$M_q \quad M_t \quad \sin \beta \equiv \frac{\mu_t}{\sqrt{M_t^2 + \mu_t^2}}$$

The three remaining top-like gauge eigenstates will mix to form three top-like mass eigenstates: t, T, T^Ψ .

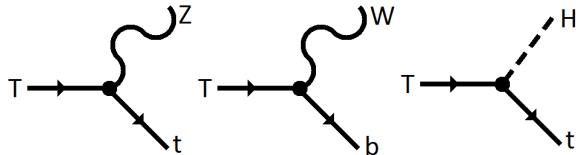
Application of Direct Search Limits

Note

T^Ψ is always heavier than direct limits,
limits on $+5/3$ quark Ω are less stringent.



★ **Focus on lighter top partner T** ★



A point of $(M_q, M_t, \sin \beta)$ space is **viable** if:

- reproduces experimental \hat{T} , g_{Lb} to within 1σ
- T evades experimental **direct limits**.

EW Constraints + Direct Search Limits

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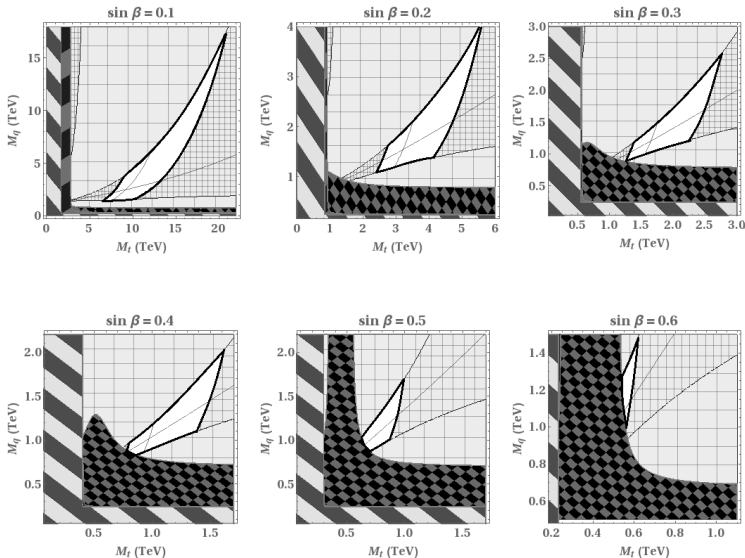
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Checkerboard = Eliminated by **Direct Search Limits** / 11

DESM + Singlet is **viable** for:

$$0.05 \lesssim \sin \beta \lesssim 0.65$$

(by reproducing \hat{T} , g_{Lb} & satisfying direct limits)

This strongly suggests that **the full bi-doublet + singlet model is similarly viable** across a significant subset of parameter space.

Thank You for your Attendance!
Questions?

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\hat{T} , \hat{S} -parameters

$$i\Pi_{VV}^{12}(q^2) = \text{Diagram}$$

$$\hat{T} \equiv \frac{\Pi_{WW}^{new}(0)}{m_W^2} - \frac{\Pi_{ZZ}^{new}(0)}{m_Z^2}$$

\approx measures **custodial isospin violation**

$$\hat{S} \equiv 4c^2 s^2 \left[\frac{\Pi_{ZZ}^{new}(m_Z^2) - \Pi_{ZZ}^{new}(0)}{m_Z^2} - \frac{c^2 - s^2}{cs} \frac{\Pi_{ZZ}^{new}(0)}{m_Z^2} - \frac{\Pi_{\gamma\gamma}^{new}(m_Z^2)}{m_Z^2} \right]$$

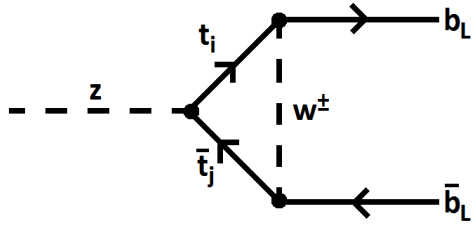
\approx measures **presence of new chiral fermions**
(*much weaker constraint for our model*)

$\hat{T} = \hat{S} = 0$ in SM AND experimentally

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~Interesting~

Standard Model: -0.42114

Experiment: -0.4182 ± 0.0015

There's a discrepancy!

Addressing Potential Concerns

$$m_t = \sin \beta \frac{y_t v}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{\frac{(M_q^2 - 2m_t^2)(M_t^2 - m_t^2 \cot^2 \beta)}{(M_q^2 - m_t^2)(M_t^2 - m_t^2 \cos^2 \beta)}} \sim \sin \beta \frac{y_t v}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Therefore, y_t has to (roughly) increase like $1/\sin \beta$ to maintain m_t .

$$g_L[Ht\bar{t}] = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} y_t R_{t2j} (L_{ti1}^* + L_{ti2}^*)$$

L, R = essentially mixing angles, so y_t is twice-suppressed by mixing, yielding overall a weaker $Ht\bar{t}$ coupling.

The Bi-Doublet + Singlet Model can arise as an EFT of new strong dynamics or extra dimensions, which would ensure vacuum stability via additional new physics.