

**Matching BSM physics to the SMEFT  
and the Weak Hamiltonian  
with 1-loop accuracy**

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# Relevance of effective field theories: bottom-up

- **Model independent** approach. Physics above a given scale mapped into **Wilson coefficients** of higher dimension EFT ops.

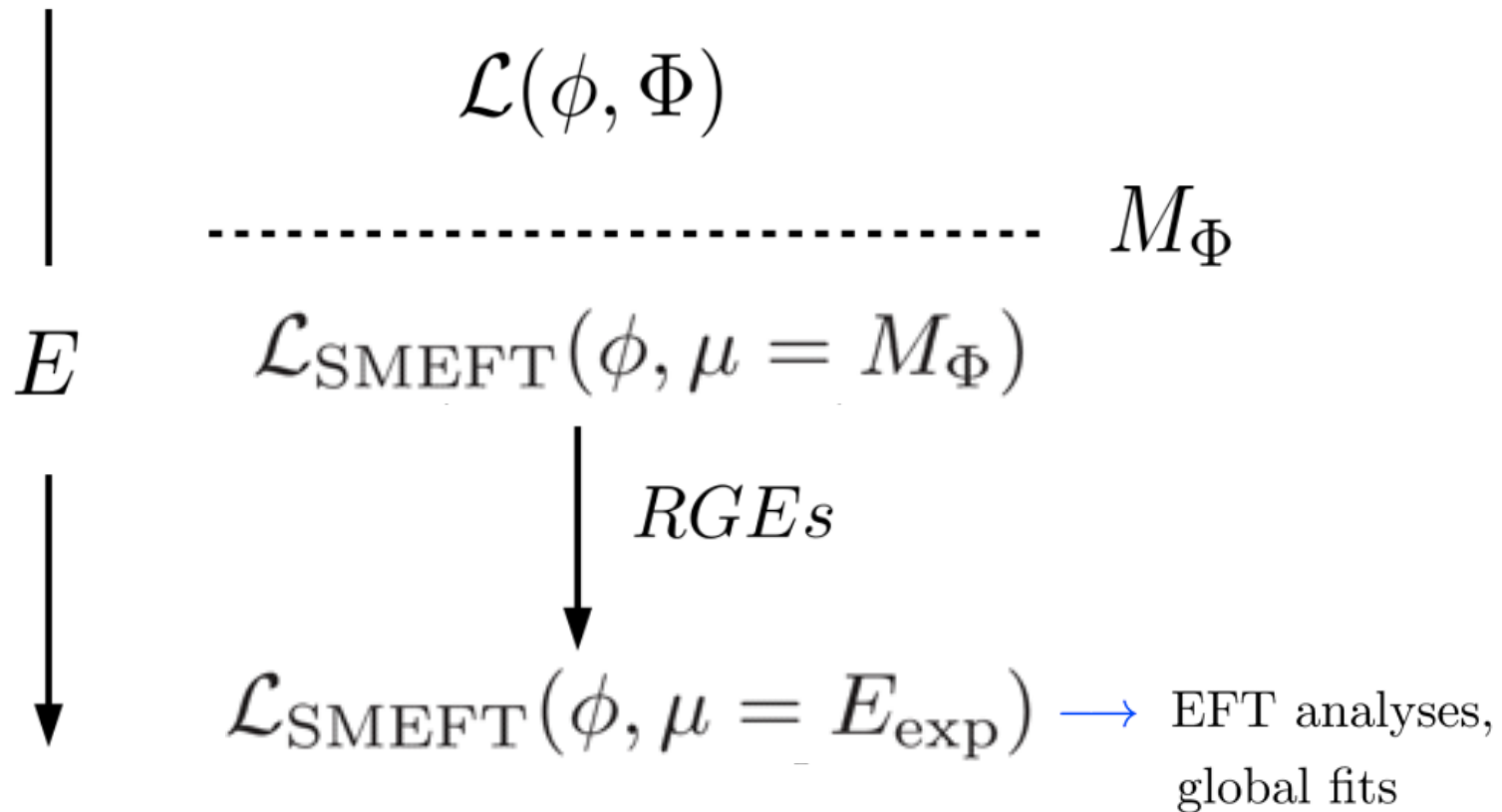
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{SMEFT}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \sum_i \frac{1}{\Lambda^{d_i-4}} C_i \mathcal{O}_i$$

- **LHC + EWPD** data can be used to do global fits of Wilson coefficients. These bounds are model independent, any UV model must satisfy them, no need to re-do analysis for each model

- **EFTs at NLO ?**

- ▶ With the increasing precision in some experimental observables, one-loop corrections can become important. Moreover, some EFT contributions are only generated at one-loop.
- ▶ Ongoing efforts to extend the EFT analyses to NLO  
See for instance **CERN Yellow Report 4**
- ▶ Radiative corrections to the EFT also important in Flavour Physics  
e.g. Feruglio, Paradisi, Patteri, [arXiv:1606.00524](https://arxiv.org/abs/1606.00524); Pruna, Signer, [JHEP 1410 \(2014\) 014](https://arxiv.org/abs/1401.014)

# Mapping a UV model to the EFT: top-down

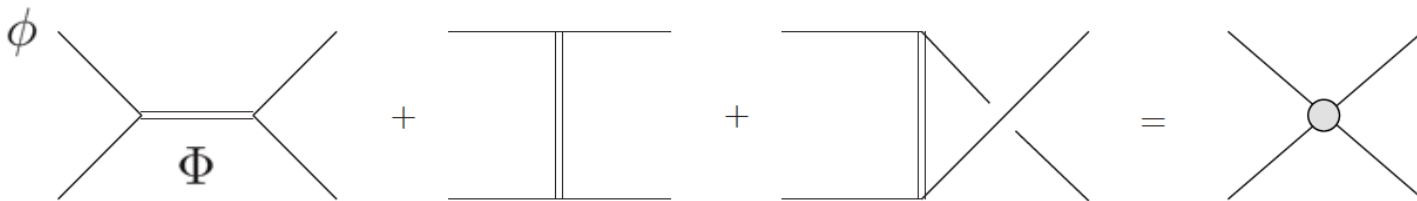


- This set-up translates the experimental constraints on the EFT parameter space (i.e. Wilson coeffs.) into those of the UV model. In specific models correlations among Wilson coeffs. expected
- Ideally, a simple and systematic framework to match any UV theory to the EFT would be needed

# Diagrammatic vs functional matching

Two approaches to construct the low-energy EFT from the UV theory

- Matching the diagrammatic computation of Green functions with light particles in the external legs in the full theory and in the EFT



- Using functional methods to integrate out the heavy particle effects and extract the local contributions to the EFT

$$\begin{aligned} e^{i\Gamma_{\text{UV}}} &= \mathcal{N} \int \mathcal{D}\phi \mathcal{D}\Phi \exp \left[ i \int dx \mathcal{L}(\phi, \Phi) \right] \\ e^{i\Gamma_{\text{EFT}}} &= \mathcal{N} \int \mathcal{D}\phi \exp \left[ i \int dx \mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}(\phi) \right] \end{aligned} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \Gamma_{\text{L,UV}}[\hat{\phi}] = \Gamma_{\text{EFT}}[\hat{\phi}]$$

same 1LPI diagrams

They are equivalent, but **functional methods** are **more systematic** when one aims to determine many Green functions (no Feynman rules, symmetry factors...)

# The revival of the functional approach

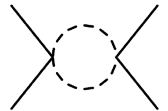
- Functional techniques to obtain the 1-loop effective action developed long ago  
Fraser '85; Aitchison, Fraser '85; Chan '86; Galliard '86; Cheyette '88

- The 1-loop heavy particle effects to the low-energy EFT were extracted from the full theory effective action in some cases:

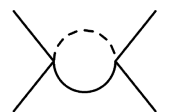
Ball '89; Bilenki, Santamaria '94; Dittmaier, Grosse-Knetter '95

- **Functional methods** have recently experienced a renaissance

▷ The contribution to the EFT from pure heavy loops can be casted as a *universal* master formula Henning, Lu, Murayama '14; Drozd, Ellis, Quevillon, You '15



▷ Variants of the functional approach that also account for heavy-light loops proposed; they require subtractions to remove terms already present in 1-loop EFT contributions Henning, Lu, Murayama '16; Ellis, Quevillon, You, Zhang '16



**This talk:** alternative functional method to obtain the complete one-loop EFT directly from the full theory effective action (i.e. without infrared subtractions)  
→ “expansion by regions” Fuentes-Martín, Portolés, PRF, 1607.02142

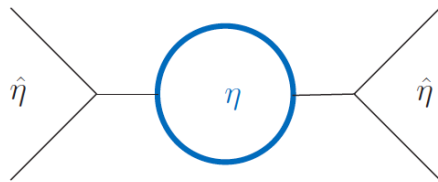
# Outline of the method

# Preliminaries

Consider a general UV theory with heavy  $\eta_H$  and light  $\eta_L$  degrees of freedom

$$\eta = \begin{pmatrix} \eta_H \\ \eta_L \end{pmatrix} \quad (\text{for charged degrees of freedom, the field and its complex conjugate enter as separate components in } \eta)$$

- Split each field component:  $\eta \rightarrow \hat{\eta} + \eta$



$\hat{\eta}$  : Background field, classical solution of EOM  
 $\eta$  : Quantum fluctuation (only in loops)

- At the one-loop level we only need to consider the Lagrangian up to  $\mathcal{O}(\eta^2)$  in the generating functional

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}^{\text{tree}}(\hat{\eta}) + \left( \eta^\dagger \frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \eta^*} + \frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta \eta} \eta \right)_{\eta=\hat{\eta}} + \frac{1}{2} \eta^\dagger \underbrace{\frac{\delta^2 \mathcal{L}}{\delta \eta^* \delta \eta} \Big|_{\eta=\hat{\eta}}}_{\equiv \mathcal{O}} \eta + \mathcal{O}(\eta^3)$$

(EOM)

fluctuation operator

# One-loop effective action

$$e^{i\Gamma_{\text{UV}}^{\text{1loop}}} = \mathcal{N} \int \mathcal{D}\eta \exp \left[ i \int dx \frac{1}{2} \eta^\dagger \mathcal{O} \eta \right]$$

Generic form of the fluctuation operator:

$$\mathcal{O} = \begin{pmatrix} \Delta_H & X_{LH}^\dagger \\ X_{LH} & \Delta_L \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \Delta_H, \Delta_L : \text{heavy and light loops} \\ X_{LH} : \text{heavy-light loops} \end{array}$$

- We want to compute the 1-loop heavy particle effects in Green functions of the light fields as an expansion in  $1/m_H$
- We can factor out the loops involving heavy fields by writing  $\mathcal{O}$  in block-diagonal form

$$\eta \rightarrow P\eta \quad P = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ -\Delta_L^{-1} X_{LH} & I \end{pmatrix} \implies P^\dagger \mathcal{O} P = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{\Delta}_H & 0 \\ 0 & \Delta_L \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{where } \tilde{\Delta}_H = \Delta_H - X_{LH}^\dagger \Delta_L^{-1} X_{LH}$$

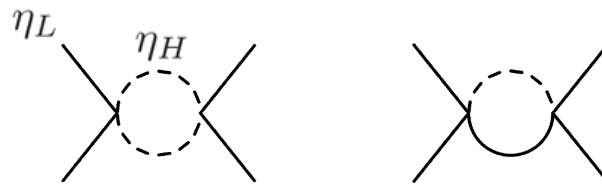


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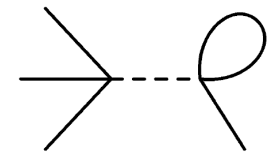
$$e^{i\Gamma_{UV}^{1\text{loop}}} = \underbrace{\int \mathcal{D}\eta_H \exp \left[ i \int dx \frac{1}{2} \eta_H^\dagger \tilde{\Delta}_H \eta_H \right]}_{\text{heavy fields}} \mathcal{N} \int \mathcal{D}\eta_L \exp \left[ i \int dx \frac{1}{2} \eta_L^\dagger \Delta_L \eta_L \right]$$

$$= \left( \det \tilde{\Delta}_H \right)^{-c} \quad (c = 1/2, -1 \text{ for bosons/fermions})$$

→ all 1-loop heavy-particle effects contained in  $\det \tilde{\Delta}_H$



The integral over  $\Delta_L$  accounts for loops of light particles → (heavy fields only as tree lines)



Part of the  $\Gamma_{UV}^{1\text{loop}}$  coming from loops involving heavy fields:

$$e^{i\Gamma_H} = \left( \det \tilde{\Delta}_H \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \quad (\text{assume } \eta_H \text{ is bosonic in what follows})$$

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# Evaluating the functional determinant

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Rewrite the functional trace using momentum eigenstates

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_H &= \frac{i}{2} \text{tr} \int \frac{d^d p}{(2\pi)^d} \langle p | \ln \tilde{\Delta}_H | p \rangle \\ &= \frac{i}{2} \text{tr} \int d^d x \int \frac{d^d p}{(2\pi)^d} e^{-ipx} \ln \left( \tilde{\Delta}_H(x, \partial_x) \right) e^{ipx} \\ &= \frac{i}{2} \text{tr} \int d^d x \int \frac{d^d p}{(2\pi)^d} \ln \left( \tilde{\Delta}_H(x, \partial_x + ip) \right) \mathbb{1} \end{aligned}$$

**For scalars:**  $\tilde{\Delta}_H(x, \partial_x) = -\hat{D}^2 - m_H^2 - U(x, \partial_x)$

# Evaluating the functional determinant

$$\Gamma_H = \frac{i}{2} \text{tr} \int d^d x \int \frac{d^d p}{(2\pi)^d} \ln \left[ -(\hat{D} - ip)^2 - m_H^2 - U(x, \partial_x + ip) \right] \mathbb{1}$$

# Evaluating the functional determinant

$$\Gamma_H = -\frac{i}{2} \int d^d x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \int \frac{d^d p}{(2\pi)^d} \text{tr} \left\{ \left( \frac{2ip\hat{D} + \hat{D}^2 + U(x, \partial_x + ip)}{p^2 - m_H^2} \right)^n \mathbb{1} \right\}$$

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This expression generates **all one-loop amplitudes with at least one heavy-particle propagator** in the loop ( $n$  : # of heavy propagators)

$$U(x, \partial_x) = -\hat{D}^2 - m_H^2 - \tilde{\Delta}_H(x, \partial_x)$$

$$U_H = -\hat{D}^2 - m_H^2 - \Delta_H \quad (\text{heavy loops})$$

$$U_{LH} = X_{LH}^\dagger \Delta_L^{-1} X_{LH} \quad (\text{heavy-light loops})$$

The operator  $\Delta_L^{-1}$  contains the light-particle propagator ( $\Delta_L = \tilde{\Delta}_L + X_L$ )

$$\Delta_L^{-1} = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (-1)^m \left( \tilde{\Delta}_L^{-1} X_L \right)^m \tilde{\Delta}_L^{-1}$$

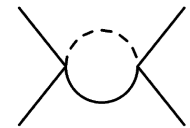
$\tilde{\Delta}_L^{-1}$ : Light-field propagator  
 $X_L$ : Interaction term



# Evaluating the functional determinant: method of regions

$$\Gamma_H = -\frac{i}{2} \int d^d x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \int \frac{d^d p}{(2\pi)^d} \text{tr} \left\{ \left( \frac{2ip\hat{D} + \hat{D}^2 + U(x, \partial_x + ip)}{p^2 - m_H^2} \right)^n \mathbb{1} \right\}$$

- Loops with heavy particles receive contributions from the **hard** ( $p \sim m_H$ ) and **soft** ( $p \sim m_L, p_i$ ) loop momentum regions



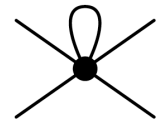
- In dim. reg. the two contributions can be computed separately

→ **expansion by regions**: contribution from each region obtained by Taylor expanding the integrand with respect the parameters that are small there, and then integrating over the full  $d$ -dimensional space. Beneke, Smirnov '98

$$\Gamma_H = \Gamma_H^{\text{hard}} + \Gamma_H^{\text{soft}}$$

$p \sim m_H \gg m_L, p_i$   
 → polynomial in  $\frac{\partial}{m_H}, \frac{m_L}{m_H}$   
 (pure short-distance!)

$p \sim m_L \ll m_H$   
 → heavy propagator expanded in  $p/m_H$   
 (same as EFT loop diagrams from tree vertices)



# Matching the full and EFT effective actions

## Full-theory effective action

$$\Gamma_{\text{L,UV}}[\hat{\eta}_L] = \int d^d x \mathcal{L}_{\text{UV}}^{\text{tree}} + \Gamma_H + \frac{i}{2} \ln \det \Delta_L \quad \text{with } \hat{\eta}_H = \hat{\eta}_H[\hat{\eta}_L]$$

## EFT effective action

$$\Gamma_{\text{EFT}}[\hat{\eta}_L] = \int d^d x \left( \mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{tree}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{1loop}} \right) + \frac{i}{2} \ln \det \mathcal{O}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{tree}}$$

## Tree-level matching

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{tree}}(\hat{\eta}_L) = \mathcal{L}_{\text{UV}}^{\text{tree}}(\hat{\eta}) \Bigg|_{\substack{\text{local expansion of} \\ \hat{\eta}_H = \hat{\eta}_H[\hat{\eta}_L]}}$$

**example:** two real scalars  $\eta_L, \eta_H$  with a  $\eta_L^3 \eta_H$  interaction

$$\eta_H = \frac{g}{\partial^2 - m_H^2} \eta_L^3 = -\frac{g}{m_H^2} \eta_L^3 - \frac{g}{m_H^4} \partial^2 \eta_L^3 + \dots$$

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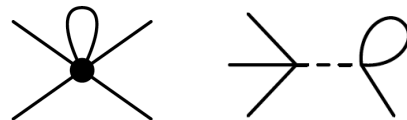
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→ same 1loop amplitude as one  
would obtain from  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{tree}}$  !!!

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for a formal proof see [Zhang, 1610.00710](#)

$$\implies \int d^4 x \mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{1loop}} = \Gamma_H^{\text{hard}}$$

**one-loop Wilson coeffs.** determined by **hard part** of full-theory eff. action

# Evaluating the **hard** part of the functional determinant

$$\Gamma_H = -\frac{i}{2} \int d^d x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \int \frac{d^d p}{(2\pi)^d} \text{tr} \left\{ \left( \frac{2ip\hat{D} + \hat{D}^2 + U(x, \partial_x + ip)}{p^2 - m_H^2} \right)^n \mathbb{1} \right\}$$

- To compute  $\Gamma_H^{\text{hard}}$  we introduce the counting

$$p, m_H \sim \zeta$$

and expand the integrand in  $\Gamma_H$  up to a given order  $\zeta^{-k}$  with  $k > 0$

- Only a finite number of terms contributes because  $U$  at most  $\mathcal{O}(\zeta)$

**for example:** to obtain the dim. 6 operators, i.e.  $\mathcal{O}(1/m_H^2)$ ,

it is enough to compute  $U$  up  $\mathcal{O}(\zeta^{-4})$  (recall that  $d^4 p \sim \zeta^4$ )

# A simple example

# 1st example: scalar toy model

$$\mathcal{L}(\varphi, \phi) = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \phi \partial^\mu \phi - M^2 \phi^2) + \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \varphi \partial^\mu \varphi - m^2 \varphi^2) - \frac{\kappa}{4!} \varphi^4 - \frac{\lambda}{3!} \varphi^3 \phi$$

Interesting for two reasons:

- Very simple. Excellent testing ground
- Only heavy-light loops contribute

Tree level:  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{tree}} = \mathcal{L}(\hat{\phi}, \hat{\varphi})$

**EOM:**  $\hat{\phi} = -\frac{\lambda}{6M^2} \hat{\varphi}^3 + \mathcal{O}(M^{-4})$

$$\implies \mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{tree}} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \hat{\varphi} \partial^\mu \hat{\varphi} - m^2 \hat{\varphi}^2) - \frac{\kappa}{4!} \hat{\varphi}^4 + \frac{\lambda^2}{72M^2} \hat{\varphi}^6 + \mathcal{O}(M^{-4})$$

One loop:  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{1loop}}$  ?



# Scalar toy model: functional integration

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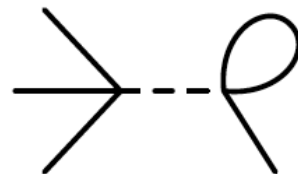
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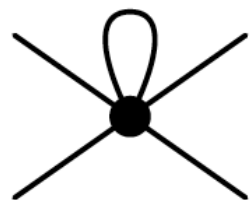
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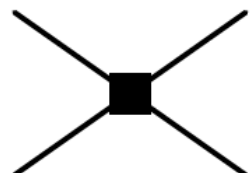
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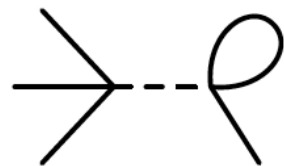
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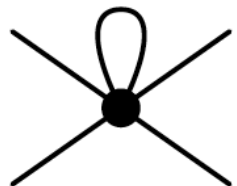


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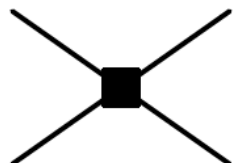
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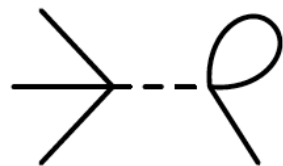
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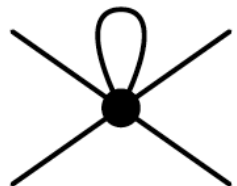


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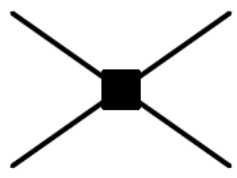
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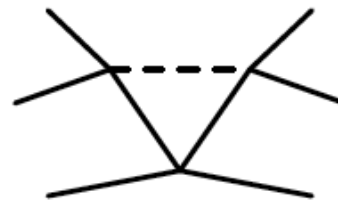


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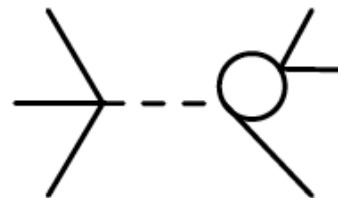
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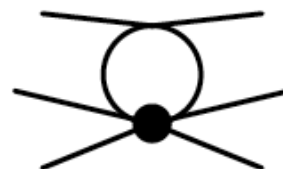
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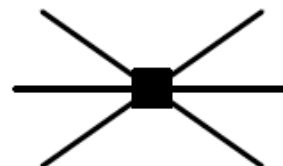
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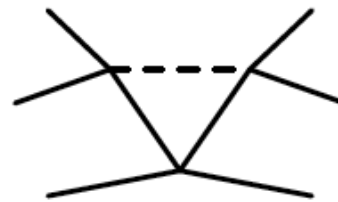
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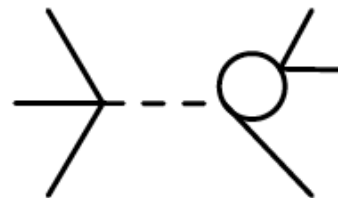
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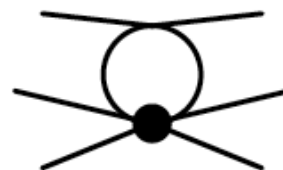
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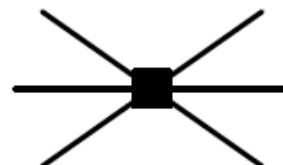
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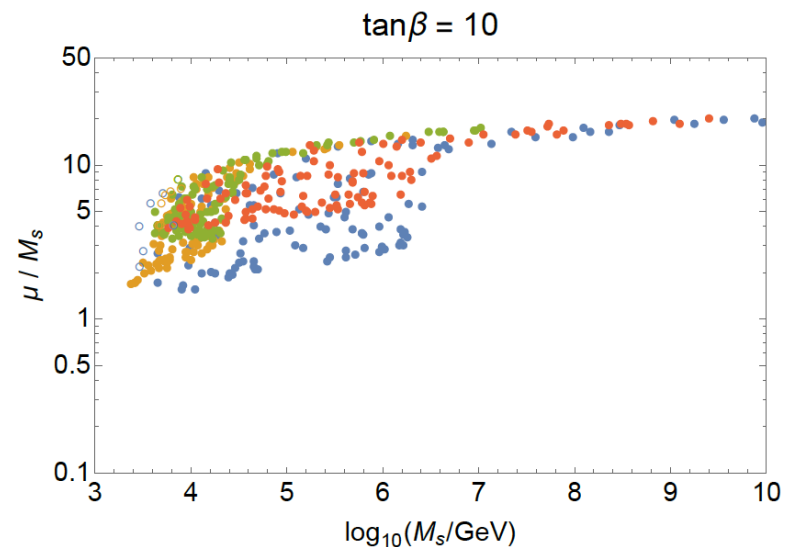
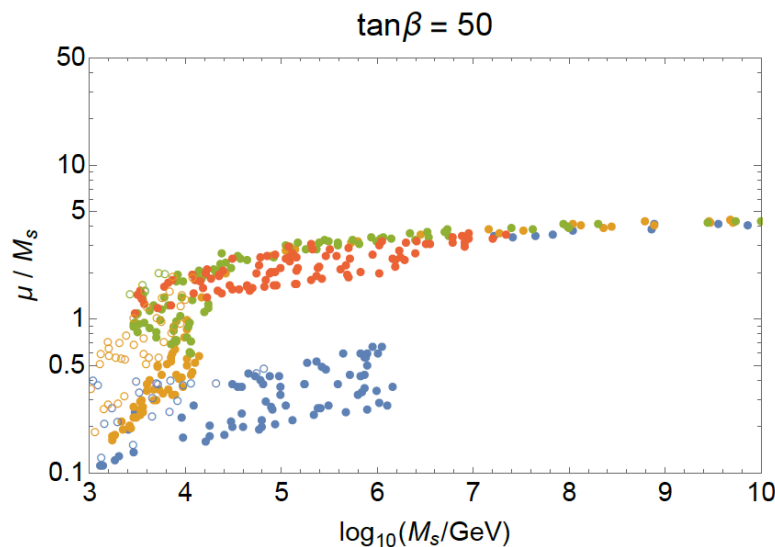
no need to compute EFT diagrams!!

# Two applications

# Integrate out BSM states in the MSSM

Wells, Zhang, 1711.04774

- computes the one-loop contributions to the SM renormalizable operators when heavy BSM states in the MSSM are integrated out using the functional approach  
→ SUSY threshold corrections to SM parameters
- study what regions of parameter space can realize gauge coupling and Yukawa unification, while allowing consistent matching onto SMEFT parameters (those in Higgs potential in particular)



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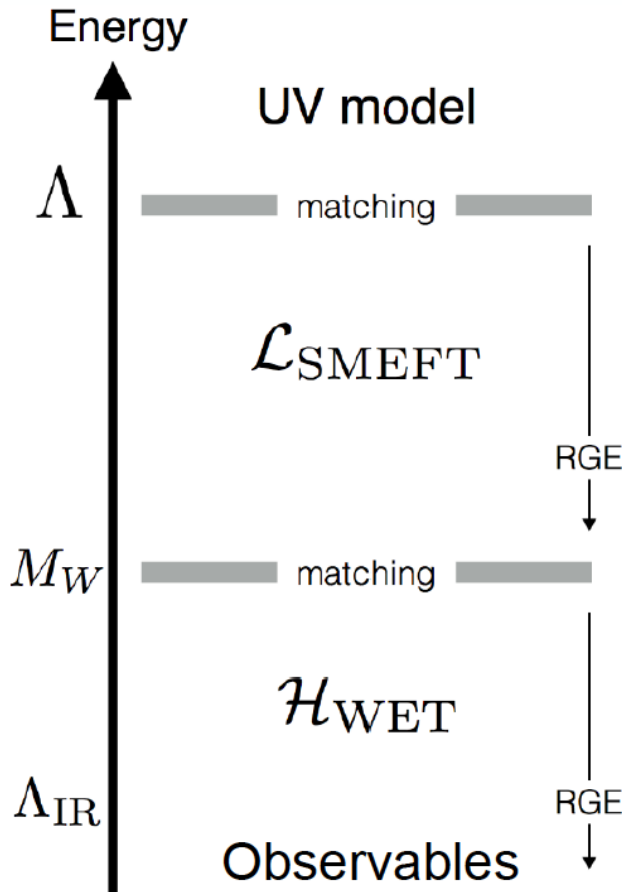
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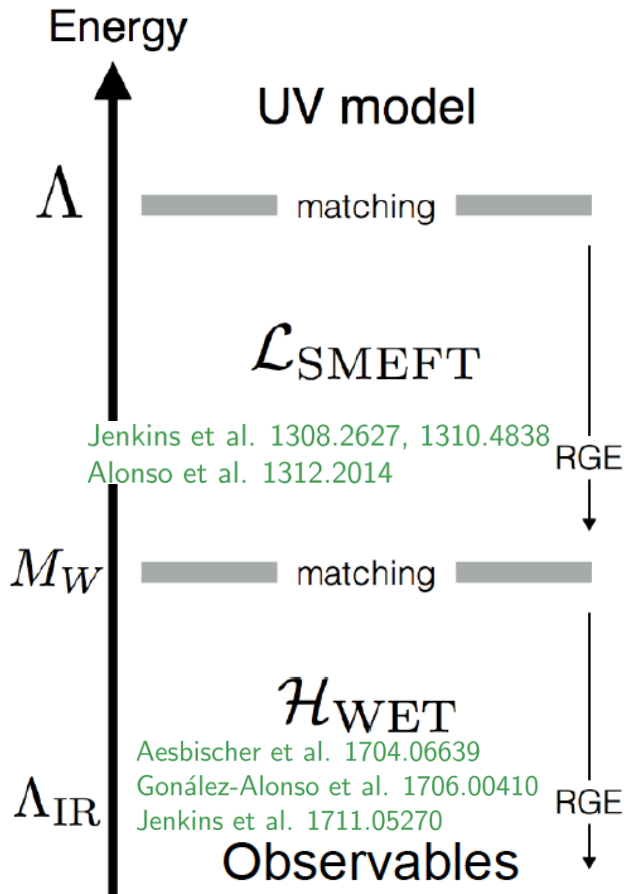


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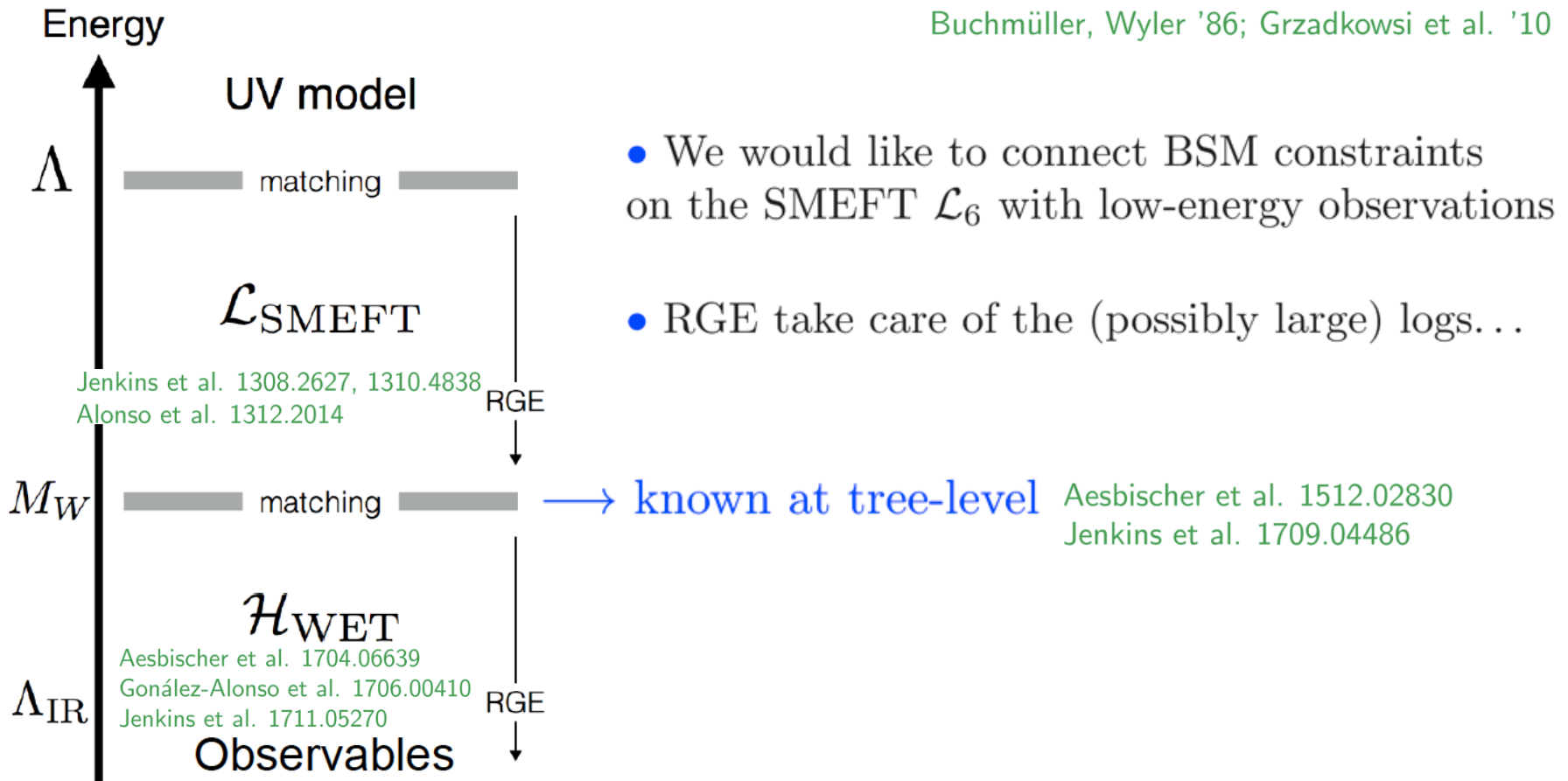
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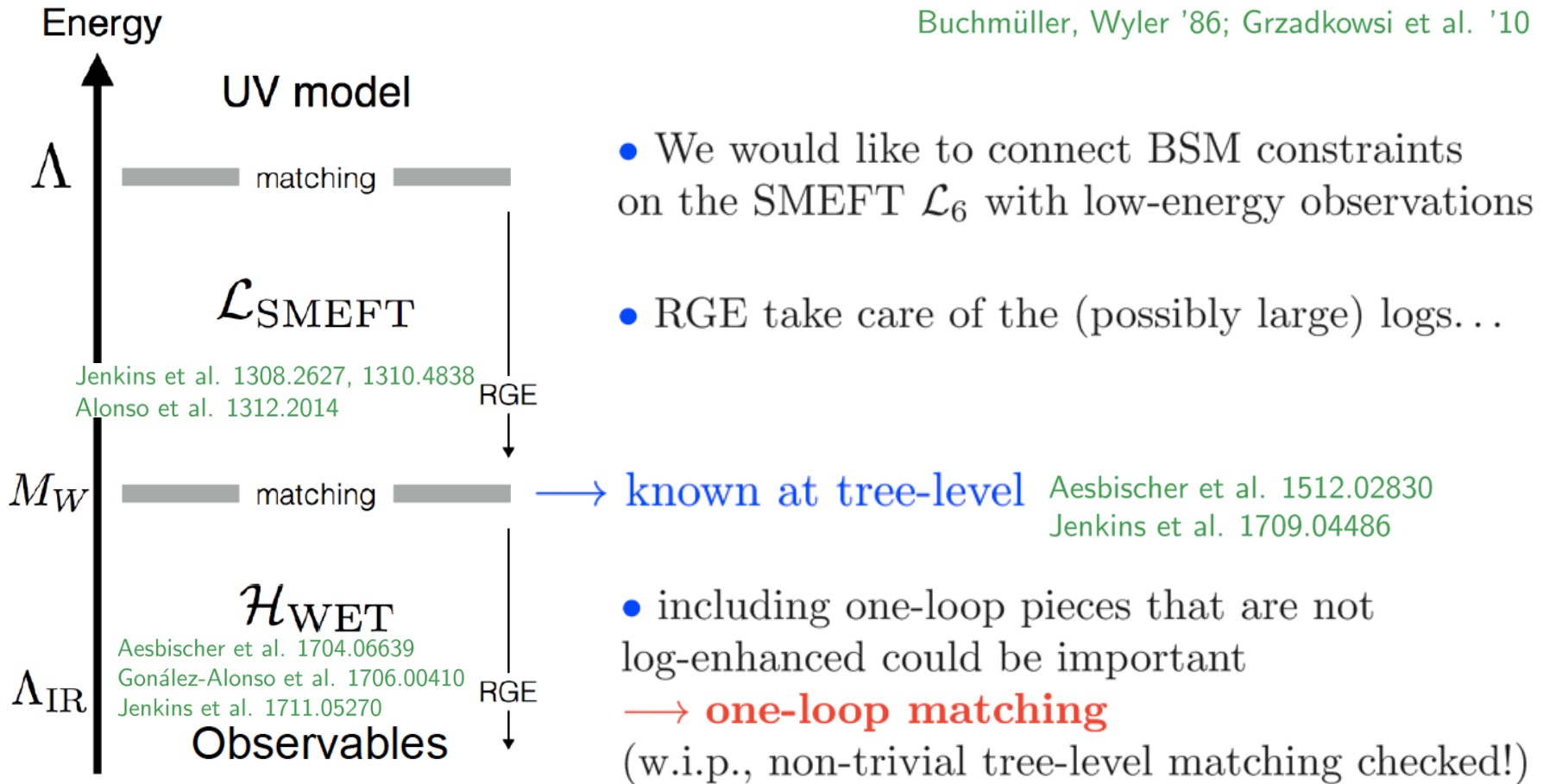


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# Public code: DsixTools

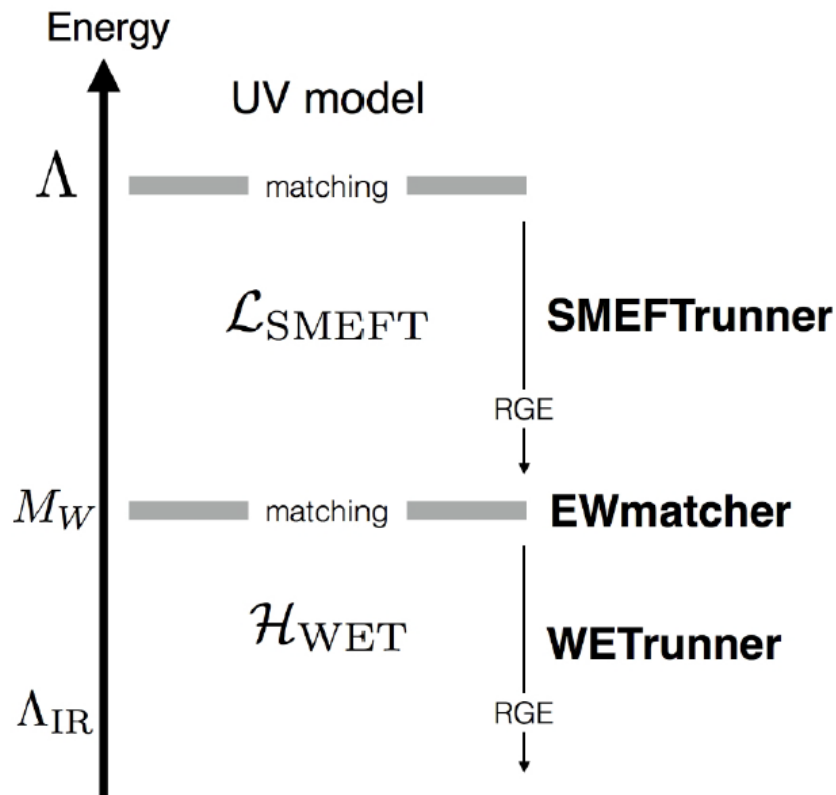
A Mathematica package for the matching and RGE evolution from the new physics scale to the scale of low energy observables

Manual: [arXiv:1704.04504](https://arxiv.org/abs/1704.04504)

Website: <https://dsixtools.github.io/>



Celis, Fuentes-Martín, Vicente, Virto '17



Modular structure

Each module can be used independently

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# Evaluating the functional determinant

$$\Gamma_H = \frac{i}{2} \text{tr} \int d^d x \int \frac{d^d p}{(2\pi)^d} \ln \left[ -(\hat{D} - ip)^2 - m_H^2 - U(x, \partial_x + ip) \right] \mathbb{1}$$

This expression is **not** manifestly covariant (**open covariant derivatives**):

- If  $U = U(x)$  (**momentum independent**) we can rewrite it in a manifestly covariant form

Galliard 86', Cheyette 87'. Also used in Henning et al. JHEP 1601 (2016) 023

$$e^{i\hat{D}_\mu \partial_{p_\mu}} \ln \left[ -(\hat{D} + ip)^2 - U(x) \right] e^{-i\hat{D}_\mu \partial_{p_\mu}} = \ln \left[ -(\tilde{G}_{\mu\nu} \partial_{p_\nu} + ip)^2 - \tilde{U} \right]$$

$\tilde{G}_{\mu\nu}$ : Field-strength tensor

$\tilde{U}$ : Covariant derivatives  
only in commutators

- However  $U$  is **momentum dependent** when heavy-light loops are present and this “trick” is not useful

# Long story short

In summary, the procedure goes as follows:

1. Collect all fields in a field multiplet,  $\eta = (\eta_H \ \eta_L)^\top$ . Charged fields and their conjugates should appear as separate components
2. Compute the fluctuation operator

$$\mathcal{O} = \frac{\delta^2 \mathcal{L}}{\delta \eta^* \delta \eta} \Big|_{\eta = \hat{\eta}} = \begin{pmatrix} \Delta_H & X_{LH}^\dagger \\ X_{LH} & \Delta_L \end{pmatrix}$$

3. Calculate  $U = U_H + U_{LH}$  from  $\mathcal{O}$

$$U_H = -\hat{D}^2 - m_H^2 - \Delta_H \quad (\text{heavy loops})$$

$$U_{LH} = X_{LH}^\dagger \Delta_L^{-1} X_{LH} \quad (\text{heavy-light loops})$$

and expand  $U(x, \partial_x + ip)$  to a given order in  $\zeta \sim p, m_H$ , e.g.  $\mathcal{O}(\zeta^{-4})$  for  $d = 6$  operators



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**Disclaimer:** Terms with open covariant derivatives should be kept and will combine into terms with field-strength tensors

# Comparison with other approaches

# Henning, Lu and Murayama approach

Henning, Lu, Murayama, arXiv:1604.01019

The authors implicitly perform the following shift

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} I & -\Delta_H^{-1} X_{LH}^\dagger \\ 0 & I \end{pmatrix} \implies P^\dagger \mathcal{O} P = \begin{pmatrix} \Delta_H & 0 \\ 0 & \tilde{\Delta}_L \end{pmatrix}$$

with  $\tilde{\Delta}_L = \Delta_L - X_{LH} \Delta_H^{-1} X_{LH}^\dagger$ . To obtain the heavy-light contributions from  $\tilde{\Delta}_L$  they have to subtract the contributions from the EFT

$$\frac{1}{-D^2 - M^2} = \left( \frac{1}{-D^2 - M^2} \right)_{\text{truncated}} + \left( \frac{1}{-D^2 - M^2} \right)_{\text{rest}}$$

Similar to Bilenki, Santamaria, Nucl. Phys. B420 (1994) 47

✗ Further diagonalizations are needed in the case of mixed statistics

✗ The truncation has to be defined for each order in the EFT.

Intermediate steps are more involved

(cancellations on non-analytic terms in the light masses must take place to get infrared-finite matching coeffs.)

# Ellis, Quevillon, You and Zhang method

Ellis, Quevillon, You, Zhang, Phys. Lett. B 762 (2016) 166

The authors perform the functional integration of the full  $\mathcal{O}$  (with no prior block-diagonalization) and subtract the contributions from the loops in the EFT in a similar fashion as Henning, Lu and Murayama

- ✓ Compact expression in terms of  $U(x)$ ... but its validity is limited
- ✗ Further diagonalizations are needed in the case of mixed statistics (among heavy and/or light fields)
- ✗ The truncation has to be defined for each order in the EFT. Intermediate steps are more involved
- ✗ The method cannot be applied to cases where the heavy-light interactions contain derivatives (e.g. gauge interactions)

A recent paper [[Zhang, arXiv:1610.00710](#)] adopts our method and proposes a diagrammatic method for bookkeeping the algebra

# 2nd example: SM + heavy scalar triplet

Gelmini, Roncadelli '81

Extension of the SM with an extra scalar sector  $\Phi^a$ ,  $a = 1, 2, 3$

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \frac{1}{2} D_\mu \Phi^a D^\mu \Phi^a - \frac{1}{2} M^2 \Phi^a \Phi^a - \frac{\lambda_\Phi}{4} (\Phi^a \Phi^a)^2 + \kappa (\phi^\dagger \tau^a \phi) \Phi^a - \eta (\phi^\dagger \phi) \Phi^a \Phi^a$$

Tree level:  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{tree}} = \mathcal{L}(\hat{\varphi}_{\text{SM}}, \hat{\Phi})$

- We choose  $\kappa \sim M$

$$\text{EOM: } \hat{\Phi}^a = \frac{\kappa}{M^2} (\hat{\phi}^\dagger \tau^a \hat{\phi}) - \frac{\kappa}{M^4} \left[ \hat{D}^2 + 2\eta (\hat{\phi}^\dagger \hat{\phi}) \right] (\hat{\phi}^\dagger \tau^a \hat{\phi}) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\kappa}{M^6}\right)$$

One loop:  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{1loop}}$

- We need to fix the gauge of the quantum gauge fields

$$\text{BGF: } \mathcal{L}_{\text{GF}} = -\frac{1}{2\xi_W} \left( \hat{D}_\mu W^{\mu\alpha} \right)^2$$

# SM + heavy scalar triplet

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1. Collect the fields in a multiplet:  $\eta = \begin{pmatrix} \Phi^a \\ \phi \\ \phi^* \\ W_\mu^b \end{pmatrix}$

2. Compute the fluctuation operator:

$$\mathcal{O} = \frac{\delta^2 \mathcal{L}}{\delta \eta^* \delta \eta} \Big|_{\eta = \hat{\eta}} \implies \begin{cases} \Delta_H = \Delta_{\Phi\Phi}^{ab} \\ \Delta_L = \begin{pmatrix} \Delta_{\phi^*\phi} & X_{\phi\phi}^\dagger & (X_{W\phi}^{\nu d})^\dagger \\ X_{\phi\phi} & \Delta_{\phi^*\phi}^\top & (X_{W\phi}^{\nu d})^\top \\ X_{W\phi}^{\mu c} & (X_{W\phi}^{\mu c})^* & \Delta_W^{\mu\nu cd} \end{pmatrix} \\ X_{LH}^\dagger = \left( (X_{\phi^*\Phi}^a)^\dagger \quad (X_{\phi^*\Phi}^a)^\top \quad (X_{W\Phi}^{\nu da})^\top \right) \end{cases}$$

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3. Calculate  $U = U_H + U_{LH}$  and compute  $U(x, \partial_x + ip)$  up to  $\zeta^{-4}$

$$U_H = -\hat{D}^2 - M^2 - \Delta_H$$

$$U_{LH} = X_{LH}^\dagger \Delta_L^{-1} X_{LH}$$

- The computation is very lengthy but simple, mostly algebraic
- Using the Landau gauge (i.e.  $\xi_W = 0$ ) simplifies the expressions, since the gauge propagator becomes transverse

4. Insert  $U(x, \partial_x + ip)$  in the general formula

$$\Gamma_H = -\frac{i}{2} \int d^d x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \int \frac{d^d p}{(2\pi)^d} \text{tr} \left\{ \left( \frac{2ip\hat{D} + \hat{D}^2 + U(x, \partial_x + ip)}{p^2 - m_H^2} \right)^n \mathbb{1} \right\}$$

**after a bit of algebra...** for example, dim. 6 Higgs ops. proportional to  $g^2$ :

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}^{\text{1loop}}|_W = \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \frac{g^2 \kappa^2}{M^4} \left[ -\frac{25}{16} (\hat{\phi}^\dagger \hat{\phi}) \partial^2 (\hat{\phi}^\dagger \hat{\phi}) + \frac{5}{4} [(\hat{\phi}^\dagger \hat{\phi}) (\hat{\phi}^\dagger \hat{D}^2 \hat{\phi}) + h.c.] - \frac{5}{4} |\hat{\phi}^\dagger \hat{D}_\mu \hat{\phi}|^2 \right]$$