

TOWARDS COMPOSITE HIGGS & PARTIALLY COMPOSITE TOP QUARK

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- The model: (Ferretti 1404.7137)
 - $SU(4)$ gauge theory, quartet fermions and sextet fermions

COMPOSITE HIGGS

(Georgi & Kaplan 1984)

- $SU(4)$ hypercolor gauge theory: new strong sector with scale $\Lambda_{HC} \gg v$ (5 TeV vs 246 GeV)
- 5 Majorana fermions Q in sextet $\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array}$ rep $\implies SU(5)$ global (chiral) symmetry
- Hypercolor theory breaks $SU(5) \rightarrow SO(5)$ (Peskin 1980)
Goldstone bosons \supset Higgs multiplet, so $m_h = 0$ and in fact $V(h) = 0$: *Goldstone Higgs* protected from Λ_{HC}
[also $SO(5) \supset SU(2)_L \times U(1)$ and $SU(2)$ custodial symmetry]
- Couple to gauge bosons/fermions of SM, generate

$$V_{\text{eff}}(h) = -\alpha \cos^2(h/f) - \beta \sin^2(2h/f)$$

If $4\beta > \alpha$ then $h = 0$ is unstable \implies Higgs breaking of SM \implies mass for W, Z, H

1st term (+ curvature): $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}(3g^2 + g'^2)C_{LR} + \text{top loops}^*$

2nd term (− curvature): $\beta = \text{top loops}^*$

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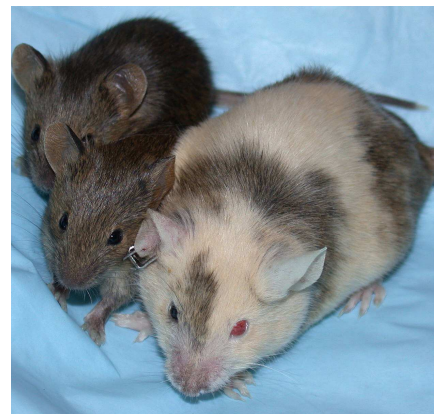
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It's a **CHIMERA**:

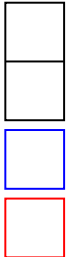


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MIXING with the top quark:

- Assume extended gauge sector at $\Lambda_{\text{EHC}} \gg \Lambda_{\text{HC}}$ to generate 4-fermion interaction $tQqq$
 - mix t quark with chimera, generate t mass via seesaw.

THE simplified LATTICE THEORY:

- SU(4) gauge theory
 - $2 \times$ sextet fermions Q (not 2.5)
 - $2 \times$ quartet fermions q (not 3)
- Wilson–clover fermions, nHYP smeared links, NDS gauge action

OLD RESULTS:

- $\bar{Q}Q$ & $\bar{q}q$ meson masses, 0^- and 1^- ; decay constants
- q^4 & Q^6 baryons and Qqq chimera baryons
- scale t_0 from gradient flow \implies lattice spacing in physical units
- Fits to 2-rep χ PT for chiral & continuum limits

NEW RESULTS:

- Matrix element for top mixing (TACO 1812.02727)
- C_{LR} — part of the Higgs potential (the gauge loop) (TACO 1903.02535)

MIXING WITH THE TOP QUARK

4-fermion interaction in the HC theory

$$V_{\text{top}}^{\text{HC}} = G_R \bar{t}_L B_R + G_L \bar{t}_R B_L + \text{h.c.} \quad - \quad t \equiv \text{top quark}, B \equiv Qqq$$

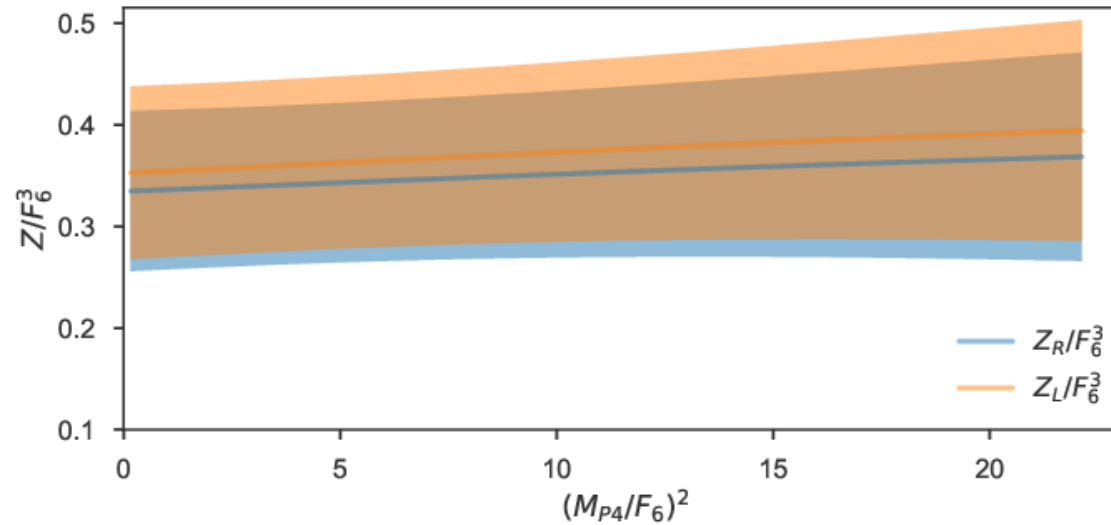
where $G_{L,R} \sim g_{\text{EHC}}^2 / \Lambda_{\text{EHC}}^2$. Then $t \leftrightarrow B$ mixing \implies

$$m_t \approx G_L G_R \frac{Z_L Z_R}{M_B} \frac{v}{F_6} \quad (= y_t v)$$

where $Z_{L,R}$ are matrix elements (cf. proton decay in QCD)

$$\langle 0 | (Qqq)_{L,R}^\alpha | \text{Chimera} \rangle = Z_{L,R} u^\alpha$$

- F_6 is the scale (cf. Λ_{HC})
- Sextet chiral limit $m_6 \rightarrow 0$ (for Goldstone Higgs)
- continuum $a \rightarrow 0$
- m_4 is free parameter (alias meson mass M_{P_4})



MIXING WITH THE TOP QUARK

Recap:

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$$G_{L,R} \sim g_{\text{EHC}}^2 / \Lambda_{\text{EHC}}^2$$

Result: $Z_L \simeq Z_R \equiv Z$ and

$$Z/F_6^3 \simeq 0.35(8)$$

Cf. QCD: $Z/f_\pi^3 \simeq 7$ — a factor of 20!

Rearrange:

$$y_t \approx \left(\frac{g_{\text{EHC}} F_6}{\Lambda_{\text{EHC}}} \right)^4 \left(\frac{Z}{F_6^3} \right)^2 \frac{F_6}{M_B} \simeq 0.01 \left(\frac{g_{\text{EHC}} F_6}{\Lambda_{\text{EHC}}} \right)^4$$

But $y_t \simeq 1$ and certainly $g_{\text{EHC}} < 1$, so

$$\frac{F_6}{\Lambda_{\text{EHC}}} \gtrsim 3$$

contradicting $\Lambda_{\text{EHC}} \gg F_6$. **BAD.**

(\implies large 4-fermi interactions at Λ_{HC} , etc.)

*** A general problem: Even if Z/F_6^3 comes out large, it's hard to push Λ_{EHC} very far.

Required: an enhancement (that recalls **WALKING TECHNICOLOR**).

Again

$$y_t \approx G_L G_R \frac{Z_L Z_R}{M_B} \frac{1}{F_6} ,$$

$$G_{L,R} \sim g_{\text{EHC}}^2 / \Lambda_{\text{EHC}}^2 .$$

and we need a large $G_{L,R}$ — but **at the HC scale where Z is measured:**

$$G(\Lambda_{\text{HC}}) = G(\Lambda_{\text{EHC}}) \exp \left(- \int_{\Lambda_{\text{HC}}}^{\Lambda_{\text{EHC}}} \gamma_B(g_{\text{HC}}(\mu)) \frac{d\mu}{\mu} \right)$$

where γ_B is the anomalous dimension of Qqq . This can be much bigger if γ_B is large (and < 0).

Is it?

Not in this theory — which resembles QCD (dynamically speaking).

[NOTE

1. The t mixes with B but also with excited states with same quantum numbers. The complete calculation is

$$\int d^4x \langle 0|B(x)\bar{B}(0)|0\rangle$$

— requires chiral valence fermions for the propagator. (We saturate the propagator with simple $|B\rangle\langle B|$.)

2. We calculated Z factors for 2 independent operators. There is one more.

** NO orders of magnitude will emerge from the complete treatment.]

WHAT HAPPENS IN OTHER MODELS?

Look for models with large γ_B AND large Z —

- E.g., add quartet flavors \implies approach conformality.
- Or ... other models entirely (Franzosi & Ferretti 1905.08273)
 - e.g., $Sp(4)$ gauge theory \implies $SU(4)/Sp(4)$ composite Higgs and top partner
(E. Bennett, *et al.* 1712.04220 *et seq.*; Jong-Wan Lee, previous talk)

C_{LR} : THE GAUGE CONTRIBUTION IN THE COMPOSITE HIGGS POTENTIAL

$$C_{LR} = \int_0^\infty dq^2 q^2 \Pi_{LR}(q^2)$$

where

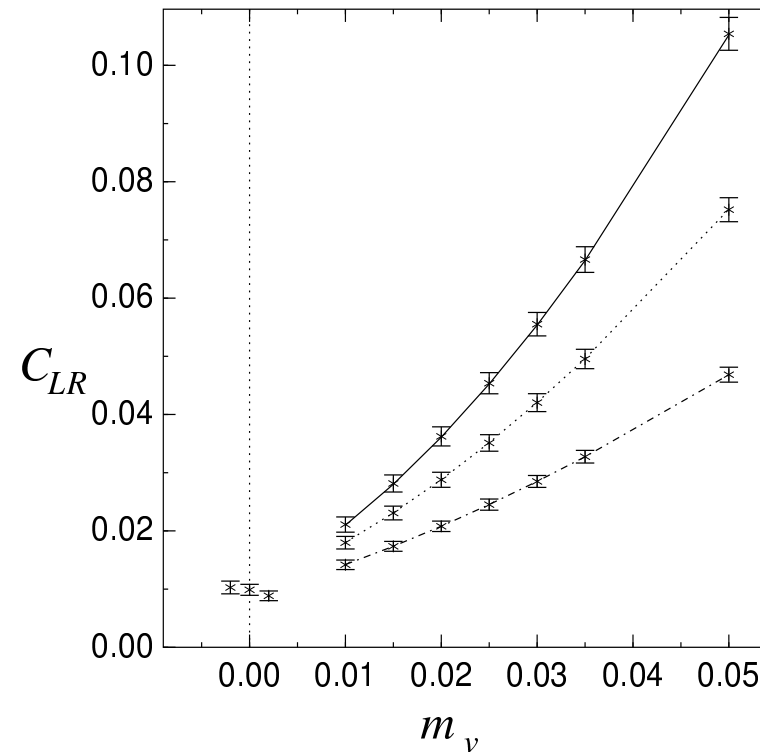
$$(q^2 \delta_{\mu\nu} - q_\mu q_\nu) \Pi_{LR}(q^2) = - \int d^4x e^{iqx} \langle J_\mu^L(x) J_\nu^R(0) \rangle \quad (\text{current of } \mathbf{6} \text{ fermions})$$

LATTICE:

Same ensembles + smeared **staggered** valence fermions

(chiral symmetry needed to cancel UV divergence in $C_{LR}(m_v)$ at $m_v = 0$)

Single ensemble, 3 cutoffs:



CHIRAL & CONTINUUM LIMIT

$m_6, a \rightarrow 0$ [no discernible dependence on m_4]

RESULT:

$$\frac{C_{LR}}{F_6^4} = 29(8)(5)$$

Cf. QCD:

$$m_{\pi^\pm}^2 - m_{\pi^0}^2 = \frac{3\alpha}{4\pi} \frac{C_{LR}}{f_\pi^2} \implies \frac{C_{LR}}{f_\pi^4} \approx 42$$

(Das, Guralnik, Mathur, Low, and Young 1967)

— not too different.

SUMMARY

1. **Top quark mixing:** Too small! Doesn't work!
2. Gauge loop $C_{LR} = \int_0^\infty dq^2 q^2 \Pi_{LR}(q^2) \implies$ a piece of the Higgs potential. No surprises.

FUTURE

- Lots more models. Look for larger Z and/or large γ_B .
- Also need t loop coefficient C_{top} for the Higgs potential.