

Ex 5. The Lagrangian describing deviations from the SM in triple gauge-boson couplings is usually written as

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta \mathcal{L}_{\text{TGC}} = & igc_w \left[\delta g_1^2 z^\mu (W^{-\nu} W_{\mu\nu}^+ - W^{+\nu} W_{\mu\nu}^-) \right. \\ & + \delta \kappa_2 z^{\mu\nu} W_{\mu}^- W_{\nu}^+ \\ & + \frac{\lambda_2}{M_W^2} z^{\mu\nu} W_{\nu}^- \not{S} W_{\rho\mu}^+ \left. \right] \\ & + ig s_w \left[\delta \kappa_\gamma A^{\mu\nu} W_{\mu}^- W_{\nu}^+ \right. \\ & + \frac{\lambda_\gamma}{M_W^2} A^{\mu\nu} W_{\nu}^- \not{S} W_{\rho\mu}^+ \left. \right]\end{aligned}$$

with 5 possible deviations parametrized by δg_1^2 , $\delta \kappa_2$, λ_2 , $\delta \kappa_\gamma$ and λ_γ . [Above: $s_w = \sin \theta_w$, $c_w = \cos \theta_w$, $V_{\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu V_\nu - \partial_\nu V_\mu$].

In our $d=6$ Lagrangian only 4 operators contribute to such deviations in TGCs:

$$\Delta \mathcal{L}_{d=6} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \left[c_W O_W + \kappa_{HW} O_{HW} + \kappa_{HB} O_{HB} + \kappa_{3W} O_{3W} \right]$$

where

$$O_W = \frac{ig}{2} (H^\dagger \sigma^a \overleftrightarrow{D}^\mu H) D^\nu W_{\mu\nu}^a$$

$$O_{HW} = ig (D^\mu H)^\dagger \sigma^a (D^\nu H) W_{\mu\nu}^a$$

$$O_{HB} = ig' (D^\mu H)^\dagger (D^\nu H) B_{\mu\nu}$$

$$O_{3W} = \frac{1}{3!} g \epsilon_{abc} W_\mu^a W_\nu^b W^{\rho\mu} W^{\nu\rho c}$$

Show that the TGC deviations induced by $\Delta \mathcal{L}_{d=6}$ are:

$$\delta g_1^2 = \frac{M_W^2}{\Lambda^2} (c_w + \kappa_{HW}) \quad \delta \kappa_\gamma = \frac{M_W^2}{\Lambda^2} (\kappa_{HW} + \kappa_{HB})$$

$$\delta \kappa_2 = \delta g_1^2 - \tan^2 \theta_w \delta \kappa_\gamma \quad \lambda_2 = \lambda_\gamma = \frac{M_W^2}{\Lambda^2} \kappa_{3W}$$

This implies that only 3 parameters describe the leading ($1/\Lambda^2$) TGC deviations: a prediction of the EFT approach.

Ex 6. In SUSY models with heavy superpartners, R-parity forbids tree-level contributions to the irrelevant operators in the low-E EFT. The only exceptions to this rule are the ops. induced by the exchange of the (heavy) second Higgs doublet (R-even). Writing the relevant UV Lagrangian involving the heavy Higgs H' (taken to have $Y=1/2$) as

$$\mathcal{L} = -\alpha_u y_u \bar{Q}_L \tilde{H}' u_R - \alpha_d y_b \bar{Q}_L H' d_R - \alpha_e y_e \bar{L}_L H' e_R \\ - \lambda' H'^{\dagger} H |H|^2 + \text{h.c.} + \dots$$

(where $\alpha_u = -\cot\beta$, $\alpha_d = \alpha_e = \tan\beta$, $\lambda' = \frac{1}{8}(g^2 + g'^2) \sin 4\beta$ for the MSSM case) show that the EFT below $M_{H'}$ contains $d=6$ ops.

$$\Delta \mathcal{L}_{d=6} = \frac{g_*^2}{\Lambda^2} \left[c_{yt} y_t |H|^2 \bar{Q}_L \tilde{H} t_R + c_{yb} y_b |H|^2 \bar{Q}_L H b_R + c_{ye} y_e |H|^2 \bar{L}_L H e_R \right. \\ \left. + \text{h.c.} + \lambda c_6 |H|^6 + c_{LR} (\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu Q_L) (\bar{t}_R \gamma_\mu t_R) + \right. \\ \left. c_{LR}^{(8)} (\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu T^A Q_L) (\bar{t}_R \gamma_\mu T^A t_R) \right] \\ + \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \left[c_{yt} y_b y_t y_b (\bar{Q}_L^r t_R) \epsilon_{rs} (\bar{Q}_L^s b_R) + \right. \\ \left. + c_{yt} y_e y_t y_e (\bar{Q}_L^r t_R) \epsilon_{rs} (\bar{L}_L^s e_R) + \text{h.c.} \right]$$

with coefficients

$$g_*^2 c_{yt} = \alpha_t \lambda' \quad g_*^2 c_{yb} = \alpha_b \lambda' \quad g_*^2 c_{ye} = \alpha_e \lambda' \\ g_*^2 \lambda c_6 = \lambda'^2 \quad c_{yt} y_b = \alpha_t \alpha_b \quad c_{yt} y_e = \alpha_t \alpha_e \\ g_*^2 c_{LR}^{(8)} = 2N_c g_*^2 c_{LR} = -\alpha_t^2 y_e^2 \quad \Lambda = M_{H'}$$

(Note: $\tilde{H}' = i\sigma_2 H'^*$. Quark fields carry color indices not shown, eg $\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu T^A Q_L = \bar{Q}_L^\alpha \gamma^\mu T_{\alpha\beta}^A Q_L^\beta$ where T^A are the $SU(3)_c$ generators. In $(\bar{Q}_L^r t_R) \epsilon_{rs} (\bar{L}_L^s e_R)$, r and s are $SU(2)_L$ indices.)

Sol. 5 Using $H = \begin{pmatrix} H^+ \\ H^0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\langle H \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} v/\sqrt{2}$ in the covariant derivative $D_\mu H = \partial_\mu H - ig \frac{\sigma^a}{2} W_\mu^a H - ig' \frac{1}{2} B_\mu H$ one gets $\langle D_\mu H \rangle = -\frac{iv}{2\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} g\sqrt{2} W_\mu^+ \\ -G Z_\mu \end{pmatrix}$.

Remembering further that

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_\mu \\ Z_\mu \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_W & s_W \\ -s_W & c_W \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} B_\mu \\ W_\mu^3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{pmatrix} B_\mu \\ W_\mu^3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_W & -s_W \\ s_W & c_W \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A_\mu \\ Z_\mu \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{and } W_{\mu\nu}^a = \partial_\mu W_\nu^a - \partial_\nu W_\mu^a + g \epsilon^{abc} W_\mu^b W_\nu^c$$

$$D^\nu W_{\mu\nu} = \partial^\nu W_{\mu\nu} - ig [W^\nu, W_{\mu\nu}]$$

it's a matter of simple algebra to get the final results.

$$\text{As an example, take } \Delta \mathcal{L} = \frac{K_{HW}}{\Lambda^2} O_{HW} = \frac{K_{HW}}{\Lambda^2} ig (D^\mu H)^\dagger \sigma^a (D^\nu H) W_{\mu\nu}^a$$

Each $\langle \text{Higgs covariant derivative} \rangle$ gives one gauge boson, so as we are interested in contributions to TGCs only we only need the linear part of $W_{\mu\nu}^a = \partial_\mu W_\nu^a - \partial_\nu W_\mu^a + \dots$

Plugging $\langle D^\mu H \rangle^\dagger$ and $\langle D^\nu H \rangle$ one gets

$$ig \frac{v^2}{8} (g\sqrt{2} W^{\mu+}, -G Z^\mu) \begin{pmatrix} W_{\mu\nu}^3 & W_{\mu\nu}^1 - iW_{\mu\nu}^2 \\ W_{\mu\nu}^1 + iW_{\mu\nu}^2 & -W_{\mu\nu}^3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} g\sqrt{2} W^{\nu+} \\ -G Z^\nu \end{pmatrix}$$

and, using

$$W_{\mu\nu}^3 = s_W A_{\mu\nu} + c_W Z_{\mu\nu}$$

$$W_{\mu\nu}^1 \pm iW_{\mu\nu}^2 = \sqrt{2} W_{\mu\nu}^\mp$$

$$\text{we get } \delta g_1^Z = \frac{M_Z^2}{\Lambda^2} K_{HW} \quad \delta K_Y = \frac{M_W^2}{\Lambda^2} K_{HW} = \delta K_Z.$$

The rest of contributions can be obtained in a similar way.

Sol. 6 writing the part of the Lagrangian that involves H' (including the mass and kinetic terms) in the form

$$\mathcal{L} = -H'^{\dagger} (\partial^2 + M_{H'}^2) H' + H'^{\dagger} \Delta + \Delta^{\dagger} H'$$

the EoM for H' reads

$$\frac{\delta \mathcal{L}}{\delta H'^{\dagger}} = -(M_{H'}^2 + \partial^2) H' + \Delta = 0$$

and, to order $1/M_{H'}^2$ this gives $H' = \Delta/M_{H'}^2$. Plugging this back in $\mathcal{L}$ we get the effective Lagrangian, with $\Lambda = M_{H'}^2$,

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = + \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} |\Delta|^2 + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\Lambda^4}\right)$$

The explicit expression for Δ can be obtained immediately as (remember that $\tilde{H} \equiv \epsilon H^*$, with $\epsilon = i\sigma_2$, so that

$$\bar{Q}_L \tilde{H}' t_R = \bar{Q}_L^s \tilde{H}'_s t_R = \bar{Q}_L^s \epsilon_{sr} H'^*_{\bar{r}} t_R = -H'^{\dagger} \epsilon \bar{Q}_L^T t_R)$$

$$\Delta = -\lambda' H |H|^2 + \alpha_t y_t \epsilon \bar{Q}_L^T t_R - \alpha_b y_b \bar{b}_R H^{\dagger} Q_L - \alpha_{\tau} y_{\tau} \bar{\tau}_R H^{\dagger} L_L$$

Plugging this in $\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}}$ one gets the following contributions:

$$\mathcal{O}(\lambda'^2): \quad \delta \mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \frac{1}{M_{H'}^2} (\lambda')^2 |H|^6 \quad \Rightarrow \quad g_*^2 \lambda c_6 = (\lambda')^2$$

$$\mathcal{O}(\lambda' y_f): \quad \delta \mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \frac{1}{M_{H'}^2} (-\lambda' |H|^2) \left[-\alpha_t y_t \bar{Q}_L \tilde{H}' t_R - \alpha_b y_b \bar{b}_R H^{\dagger} Q_L - \alpha_{\tau} y_{\tau} \bar{\tau}_R H^{\dagger} L_L + \text{h.c.} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow g_*^2 c_{yf} = \alpha_f \lambda' y_f$$

$$\mathcal{O}(y_t y_{f \neq t}): \quad \delta \mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = -\frac{\alpha_t y_t}{M_{H'}^2} \left[\alpha_f y_f (\bar{f}_L f_R) \epsilon \bar{Q}_L t_R \right] \Rightarrow c_{yt} y_f = \alpha_t \alpha_f$$

$$\mathcal{O}(y_t^2): \quad \delta \mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \frac{-\alpha_t^2 y_t^2}{M_{H'}^2} \left[(\bar{t}_R Q_L^T \epsilon) \underbrace{(\epsilon \bar{Q}_L^T t_R)}_{-\mathbf{I}} \right] = \frac{\alpha_t^2 y_t^2}{M_{H'}^2} (\bar{t}_R Q_L) (\bar{Q}_L t_R)$$

To rewrite the operator $(\bar{t}_R Q_L)(\bar{Q}_L t_R)$ in terms of the operators

$$C_{LR}(\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu Q_L)(\bar{t}_R \gamma_\mu t_R) + C_{LR}^{(8)}(\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu T^A Q_L)(\bar{t}_R \gamma_\mu T^A t_R)$$

we use the Fierz rearrangement formula (paying attention to color indices):

$$(\bar{t}_R^\alpha Q_L^\alpha)(\bar{Q}_L^\beta t_R^\beta) = -\frac{1}{2}(\bar{t}_R^\alpha t_R^\beta)(\bar{Q}_L^\beta Q_L^\alpha)$$

and for the $SU(3)_c$ generators $T_{\alpha\beta}^A$:

$$T_{\alpha\beta}^A T_{\rho\sigma}^A = \frac{1}{2}(\delta_{\alpha\sigma} \delta_{\rho\beta} - \frac{1}{N_c} \delta_{\alpha\beta} \delta_{\rho\sigma})$$

getting:

$$\begin{aligned} (\bar{Q}_L t_R)(\bar{t}_R Q_L) &= -(\bar{Q}_L T^A \gamma_\mu Q_L)(\bar{t}_R T^A \gamma^\mu t_R) \\ &\quad - (\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu Q_L)(\bar{t}_R \gamma_\mu t_R)/(2N_c) \end{aligned}$$

And finally:

$$g_*^2 C_{LR}^{(8)} = 2N_c g_*^2 C_{LR} = -g_t^2 y_t^2$$