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$$\mathcal{L} = "F^2 + (D\phi)^2 + \bar{\psi} \not D\psi + \bar{\psi}\phi\psi + \phi^2 + \phi^3 + \phi^4"$$

$$\psi^i, \quad \phi^i \quad \text{same mass!}$$
 $A^a_\mu, \quad \lambda^a_\alpha \quad \text{massless}$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{gauge}} = -\frac{1}{4} (F_{\mu\nu}^{a})^{2} - \mathrm{i}\,\bar{\lambda}^{a}\bar{\sigma}^{\mu}\mathrm{D}_{\mu}\lambda^{a} + \underbrace{m\lambda_{\alpha}^{a}\lambda^{a\alpha} + \mathrm{cc}}_{\mathrm{Gauge}\,\&\,\mathrm{Lorentz}}$$

$$\delta \lambda^a \sim f^{abc} \lambda^b \alpha^c$$

$$\lambda^a \lambda^b = + \lambda^b \lambda^a$$

If \mathcal{L} is gauge invariant, supersymmetry invariant, but has solutions that break the symmetry, then we have spontaneous symmetry breaking.

$$[\delta_{\varepsilon_1}, \delta_{\varepsilon_2}] \phi = \mathbf{i} \underbrace{\left(\varepsilon_i^{\dagger} \sigma^{\mu} \varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_2^{\dagger} \sigma^{\mu} \varepsilon_1\right)}_{= \text{some vector } a^{\mu}} \partial_{\mu} \phi$$

There is a unitary operator $\hat{\mathcal{P}}^{\mu}: \mathcal{J} \to \mathcal{J}$. $\mathcal{J}:$ multiparticle states.

$$\left[a^{\mu}\hat{\mathcal{P}}_{\mu},\phi\right] = \mathrm{i}a^{\mu}\partial_{\mu}\phi = \delta_{a^{\mu}}\phi$$

There is something called the super-charge Q_{α} , which is an operator satisfying

$$[Q_{\alpha}, \phi] = \psi_{\alpha}, \quad [Q_{\dot{\alpha}}^{\dagger}, \phi] = 0$$

 $(x^{\mu}, \theta_{\alpha}, \bar{\theta}^{\dot{\alpha}})$: superspace.

$$\left\{Q_{\alpha},Q_{\dot{\alpha}}^{\dagger}\right\}\!=\!\sigma_{\alpha\dot{\alpha}}^{\mu}\mathcal{P}_{\mu}$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\mu} = \int T_{0\mu} \mathrm{d}^3 \boldsymbol{x}$$

$$\delta \mathcal{L} = \partial_{\mu} K^{\mu}$$

The Hamiltonian $H \geqslant 0$. $\mathcal{P}_0 = H$. $\mathcal{P}_0 \sim \left\{ Q_\alpha, Q_{\dot{\alpha}}^{\dagger} \right\} \bar{\sigma}^{\,0\alpha\dot{\alpha}}$.

Spontaneous supersymmetry breaking

$$\exists_{\alpha=1,2} \quad Q_{\alpha} | \text{vac} \rangle \neq 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad E_{\text{vac}} \geq 0$$

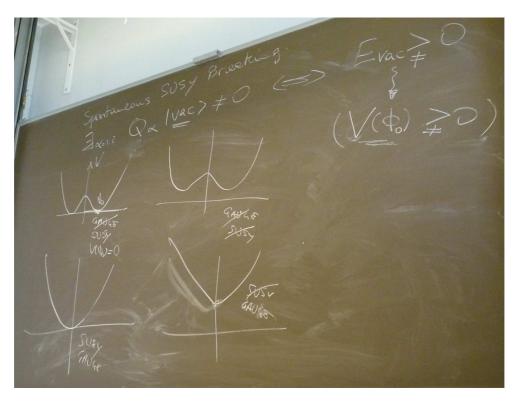


Figure 1.

 $\exists ?W(\phi)$ such that

$$V(\phi) = \sum_{i} \left| \frac{\partial W}{\partial \phi_{i}} \right|^{2} \geqslant 0$$

has a minimum

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi_i} V = 0$$
 such that $V(\phi_0) > 0$?

Only one ϕ , ψ , F, $W(\phi) = a + b\phi + c\phi^2 + d\phi^3$.

$$V = |W'(\phi)|^2$$

 $W'=b+2c\phi+3d\phi^2=0$ unless $b\neq 0, c=d=0.$

$$V = |b|^2 = \text{const} \neq 0$$

Polony model.

Instead of looking at spontaneous supersymmetry breaking,

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{MSSM}}(\phi_{\text{MSSM}}) + \mathcal{L}_{\text{extra}}(\phi_{\text{MSSM}}, \phi_{\text{extra}})$$

If the extra fields are very heavy $\gg \text{TeV}$,

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{effective}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{MSSM}}(\phi_{\text{MSSM}}) + \mathcal{L}_{\text{soft}}(\phi_{\text{MSSM}}),$$

where $\mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{soft}}$ breaks supersymmetry explicitly.

$$\phi(x) = \int dk \Big(a_k e^{ikx} + a_k^{\dagger} e^{-ik \cdot x} \Big)$$

$$\phi(x+v) = \phi(x) + v^{\mu} \partial_{\mu} \phi(x)$$

$$\phi(x+v) = \int dk \Big(a_k e^{ikx + ikv} + \cdots \Big)$$

$$a_k \to e^{ikv} a_k, \quad a_k^{\dagger} \to e^{-ikv} a_k^{\dagger}$$

$$\prod_{p=0}^{\infty} \Big\{ a_{k_1}^{\dagger} \dots a_{k_p}^{\dagger} |0\rangle \Big\}$$

$$v^{\mu} \mathcal{P}_{\mu} \underbrace{\Big(a_{k_1}^{\dagger} \dots a_{k_p}^{\dagger} |0\rangle \Big)}_{|\psi\rangle} = v^{\mu} (k_{1\mu} + \dots + k_{p\mu}) |\psi\rangle$$

$$e^{iv\mathcal{P}} |\psi\rangle \to e^{iv^{\mu} (k_1 \dots k_p)_{\mu}}$$

$$e^{iv\mathcal{P}} \phi(x) e^{-iv\mathcal{P}} \sim i [v\mathcal{P}, \phi] = iv^{\mu} \partial_{\mu} \phi$$

Simple example WZ

$$W = \frac{m}{2}\phi + \frac{y}{3}\phi^3 \quad (m, y \text{ real}), \quad V = |W'|^2 = m\phi^*\phi + m\,y\left(\phi\phi^{*2} + \phi^2\phi^*\right) + y^2(\phi\phi^*)^2$$

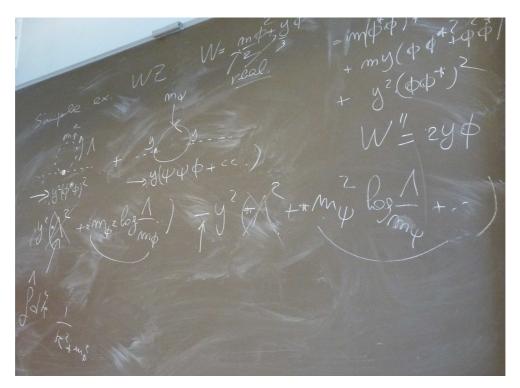


Figure 2.

 $\mathcal{L}_{WZ} + \xi \phi \psi \psi + cc$ would break the cancellation of Λ^2 . This term is no good. Not soft.

$$\mathcal{L}_{WZ} + \mu^2 \phi^* \phi$$
 soft

A term is soft if it has dimension < 4.

 $m\lambda\lambda.$ Home there is a better theory at higher energies that generates it.

$$m_\phi^2 \phi^* \phi + m \lambda \lambda + {m'}^2 \phi^2 + \text{complex conjugate} + \phi^3$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \mathrm{SU}(3) & \mathrm{SU}(2) & \mathrm{U}(1) \\ 8 \, \mathrm{gluons} & W^\pm, Z, \gamma \\ 8 \, \mathrm{gluinos} & \tilde{W}^\pm, \tilde{Z}, \gamma \end{array}$$

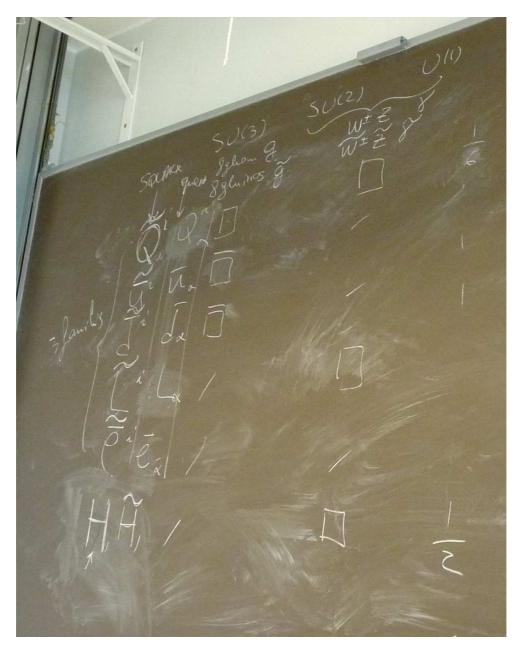


Figure 3.

We will need at least two Higgs fields (H,\tilde{H})

$$\mathcal{L} = (\partial \phi)^2 + \bar{\psi}\sigma \partial \phi - \frac{1}{2}\psi\psi \frac{\partial^2 W}{\partial \phi \partial \phi} - \left[\underbrace{\frac{\partial W}{\partial \phi^2}}\right]^2$$

Pick $W(\phi,\ldots)$. Superpotential $W(\tilde{Q}\,,\tilde{\tilde{u}}\,,\tilde{\tilde{d}}\,,\tilde{L}\,,\tilde{\tilde{e}}\,,H\,[\text{how many?}]).$

- 1) Holomorphic
- 2) Lorentz invariant (trivial)

- 3) At most cubic
- 4) Gauge invariant