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MSSM

$$\begin{cases} Q^{i} & 3 & 2 & \frac{1}{6} \\ \bar{u}^{i} & \bar{3} & 2 & -\frac{2}{3} \\ \bar{d}^{i} & \bar{3} & 2 & \frac{1}{6} \\ \bar{d}^{i} & \bar{3} & 2 & \frac{1}{6} \\ \bar{d}^{i} & \bar{3} & 2 & \frac{1}{3} \\ L^{i} & 2 & 2 & -\frac{1}{3} \\ \bar{e}^{i} & 2 & 2 & \frac{1}{2} \\ H_{(d)} & 2 & 2 & -\frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$

 \bar{u} does not mean complex conjugation. \bar{u} contains a boson and a fermion. $\bar{u} = \bar{u}$, $\psi_{\bar{u}} = \tilde{u}$, \bar{u} .

$$\rightarrow \psi_{\bar{u}}\psi_{\bar{d}}\bar{d} \, + \bar{u}\psi_{\bar{d}}\,\psi_{\bar{d}}$$
Yukawa

Cubic $Q \ \bar{u} \bar{d} L \bar{e}$ in W: $\lambda_{ijk} \ L^i_{\alpha} \ L^j_{\beta} \ \bar{e}^{\ k} \ \varepsilon^{\alpha\beta}, \ \lambda'_{ijk} \ L^i_{\alpha} \ Q^{ja}_{\beta} \bar{d}^{\ k}_a \varepsilon^{\alpha\beta}, \ \lambda''_{ijk} \bar{u}^i_a \ \bar{d}^j_b \ \bar{d}^{\ k}_c \varepsilon^{abc}.$ α not spin but $\mathrm{SU}(2)_W.$

$$g_a^{a'}\bar{u}_{a'}g_b^{b'}\bar{d}_{b'}g_c^{c'}\bar{d}_{c'}\varepsilon^{abc} = \det(g)\varepsilon^{a'b'c'}\bar{u}_{a'}\bar{d}_{c'}\bar{d}_{d'}$$

We do not want these terms. Give rise to proton decay within milliseconds.

$$p: \begin{array}{c} \psi_u \\ \psi_u \\ \psi_d \end{array}$$

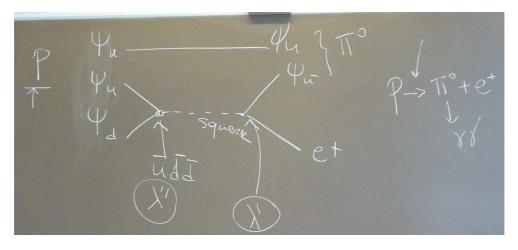


Figure 1.

 $\mu^- \nrightarrow e^- + \gamma$.

W with 1 higgs. In Standard Model $\mathcal{L}_{\text{Yukawa}} = \psi_Q H \psi_{\bar{u}}, \psi H^{\dagger} \psi_{\bar{d}}, \psi_L H^{\dagger} \psi_{\bar{e}}$.

$$\begin{split} W &= Q\,H\,\bar{u}\;,\,Q\not\!\!H^\dagger\bar{d}\;,\,L\not\!\!H^\dagger\bar{e}\\ Q\,H_u\bar{u}\;,\quad Q\,H_d\,\bar{d}\;,\quad L\,H_d\,\bar{e}\\ \\ &+ \mu H_u H_d \quad : \mu\text{-term} \\ \\ &\quad \text{Good} \quad \text{Bad}\\ Q\,H_u\,\bar{u} \quad L\,L\,\bar{e}\\ Q\,H_d\,\bar{d} \quad L\,Q\,\bar{d}\\ \mu\,H_u H_d \quad \bar{u}\,\bar{d}\,\bar{d}\\ L\,H_v \end{split}$$

 $\psi \to e^{i\alpha}\psi, \bar{\psi} \to e^{-i\alpha}\bar{\psi} \Rightarrow Q$ conserved, because of symmetry.

R-parity: R(SM) = 1, R(superpartners) = -1.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} b & f \\ \tilde{Q} & Q \\ -1 & +1 \\ H & \tilde{H} \\ +1 & -1 \end{array}$$

R conserved.

a) superpartners pair produced.

b) an R=-1 particle can decay into a host of ordinary particles, but you cannot change R-parity. So at the end of the day one R=-1 particle remains. The lightest superparticle is stable. Neutralino.

$$W(\phi...) \rightarrow \psi \psi W'' + |W'|^2$$

$$Q H_u \bar{u} \xrightarrow{\text{Higgs}} m u \bar{u} \quad m \psi_{u\bar{u}} \quad m^2 (u^* u + \bar{u} * \bar{u})$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{soft}} = -\frac{1}{2} \Big(M_3 \tilde{g} \tilde{g} + M_2 \tilde{W} \tilde{W} + M_1 \tilde{B} \tilde{B} \Big) - \Big(m_{Q^2}^{ij} \tilde{Q}_i^{\dagger} \tilde{Q}_j + m_{\bar{e}}^{?ij} \tilde{e}_i \tilde{e}_j \Big) -$$

$$- \Big(a_4^{ij} \tilde{u} \tilde{Q}_j H_u + a_d \tilde{d}_i \hat{Q}_j H_d + a_e \tilde{e} \tilde{L}_j H_d + \text{complex conjugate} \Big)$$

$$- \Big(m_u^2 H_u^{\dagger} H_u + m_d^2 H_d^{\dagger} H_d + b H_u H_d \Big)$$

$$W = \mu H_u H_d \rightarrow \mu \tilde{H}_u \tilde{H}_d$$

 \mathcal{L}_{soft} is very constrained by LEP measurements. FCNC: Flavour changing neutral currents. EWPT, $CP \Rightarrow$ "all parameters are real".

A process like (1) $\mu^- \rightarrow e^- + \gamma$ has never been observed. We have (2) $\mu^- \rightarrow e^- + \bar{\nu}_e + \nu_{\mu}$.

$$\Gamma(2) = \frac{1}{192\pi^3} \, G_F^2 m_\mu^5 = \frac{1}{\tau} = \frac{1}{10^{-6} \; \mathrm{s}}$$

Branching ratio

$$=B(1) = \frac{\Gamma(1)}{\Gamma(\text{tot})} = \frac{\Gamma(1)}{\Gamma(2)} < 1.2 \times 10^{-11}$$

according to experiments.

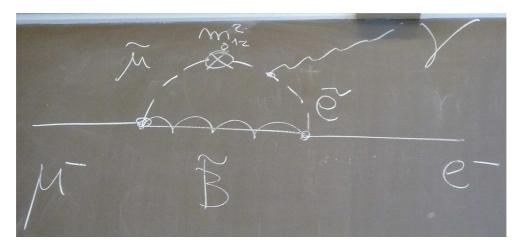


Figure 2.

$$m_{Qij}^2 = m_Q^2 \mathbf{1}_{3\times 3} + \cdots?$$

Particle spectrum

 $gluon \ \to \ gluino$

Higgs sector

$$H = \left(\begin{array}{c} H^0 \\ H^+ \end{array} \right)$$

(complex). $\langle H^0 \rangle = v$. 3 fields eaten by W^+, W^-, Z^+ via higgs $\to 1$ neutral h, "the Higgs".

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$$H_u = \begin{pmatrix} H_u^0 \\ H_u^+ \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_d = \begin{pmatrix} H_d^- \\ H_d^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Each one of these is a complex field. Real: 8 fields. 4 charged, 4 neutral. $\to H^{\pm}$, 2 charged, 3 (h^0, H^0, A^0) .