The general THDM in a gauge-invariant form

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Sometimes we can't see the forest for the trees



Gauge symmetry hidden after electroweak symmetry breaking

• Principal ideal: Keep gauge symmetry manifest.

Let us revisit the Standard Model

SM: One Higgs-boson doublet

$$\varphi(x) = \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+(x) \\ \varphi^0(x) \end{pmatrix}$$

- Domain: $\varphi^+, \varphi^0 \in \mathbb{C}$
- SM potential

$$V_{SM} = -\mu^2 \varphi^{\dagger} \varphi + \lambda (\varphi^{\dagger} \varphi)^2$$

Define real bilinear

$$K = \varphi^{\dagger} \varphi$$

• Domain: K > 0

$$V_{SM} = -\mu^2 K + \lambda K^2$$

Electroweak symmtry –

$$\langle K \rangle = 0$$
 unbroken, $\langle K \rangle > 0$ partially broken

• What do we have achieved?

Simple, real, potential - polynomial of degree two.

Gauge invariance manifest: Symmetries not hidden by unphysical gauge-degrees of freedom.



Bilinears in the THDM

- Two doublets, φ_1 , φ_2
- Real gauge invariants

$$\varphi_1^\dagger \varphi_1, \quad \varphi_2^\dagger \varphi_2, \quad \operatorname{Re} \left(\varphi_1^\dagger \varphi_2 \right), \quad \operatorname{Im} \left(\varphi_1^\dagger \varphi_2 \right)$$

J. Velhinho, R. Santos and A. Barroso, Phys. Lett. B 322 (1994)

Later real gauge invariant bilinears were introduced:

Nishi PRD 74 (2006) MM, Manteuffel, Nachtmann, Nagel EPJC 48 (2006)

$$\begin{split} K_0 &= \varphi_1^\dagger \varphi_1 + \varphi_2^\dagger \varphi_2, & K_1 &= \varphi_1^\dagger \varphi_2 + i \varphi_2^\dagger \varphi_1, \\ K_2 &= i \varphi_2^\dagger \varphi_1 - i \varphi_1^\dagger \varphi_2, & K_3 &= \varphi_1^\dagger \varphi_1 - \varphi_2^\dagger \varphi_2 \end{split}$$

Bilinears derived from

$$\underline{K} = \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1^{\dagger} \varphi_1 & \varphi_2^{\dagger} \varphi_1 \\ \varphi_1^{\dagger} \varphi_2 & \varphi_2^{\dagger} \varphi_2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \left(K_0 \mathbb{1}_2 + K_i \sigma^i \right)$$

• One-to-one map $\varphi_{1/2} \leftrightarrow K_0, K_1, K_2, K_3$ (except for unphysical gauge d.o.f.)

EW symmetry breaking

- Domain $K_0 \ge 0$, $K_0^2 \ge K_1^2 + K_2^2 + K_3^2$.
- EW symmetry at minimum
 - Unbroken for

$$K_0 = 0 \implies V = 0$$

► Charge breaking for $K_0 > 0$ and $K_0^2 > K_1^2 + K_2^2 + K_3^2$

cond:
$$\partial_{\mu}V\equiv rac{\partial V}{\partial K^{\mu}}=0$$

• Neutral for $K_0 > 0$ and $K_0^2 = K_1^2 + K_2^2 + K_3^2$

cond:
$$\partial_{\mu} \left(V - u(K_0^2 - K_1^2 - K_2^2 - K_3^2) \right) = 0$$

Lagrange mulitplier u, minimum at K_0, K_1, K_2, K_3, u .

Minkowski-like four vector out of bilinears

$$(K^{\mu}):=\begin{pmatrix}K_0\\K\end{pmatrix}=\begin{pmatrix}K_0\\K_1\\K_2\\K_3\end{pmatrix}\quad\text{with }K_0^2-K^2\geq 0$$

• Dimensionless bilinears for $K_0 > 0$

$$k = \frac{K}{K_0}$$

Example: Most general tree THDM potential

$$V = \xi_0 K_0 + \xi^{\mathrm{T}} K + \eta_{00} K_0^2 + 2K_0 \eta^{\mathrm{T}} K + K^{\mathrm{T}} E K,$$

...gauge symmetry manifest

Change of basis

Consider the following mixing of the doublets

$$\begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1' \\ \varphi_2' \end{pmatrix} = U \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1 \\ \varphi_2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

with unitary 2×2 matrix U.

• The gauge invariant functions transform as

$$K_0' = K_0, \qquad K' = R(U)K,$$

R proper rotation

Symmetries

Symmetries straightforward to study

see, for instance Ferreira/MM/Nachtmann/Silva JHEP08 (2010),

Bento/Boto/Silva/Trautner JHEP21 (2020)

Example Standard CP symmetry

$$\varphi_{1/2}(x) \stackrel{\mathsf{CP}}{\to} \varphi_{1/2}^*(x'), \qquad x = (t, \mathbf{x})^{\mathsf{T}}, \quad x' = (t, -\mathbf{x})^{\mathsf{T}}$$

In terms of bilinears

Nishi PRD74 (2006), MM/Manteuffel/Nachtmann EPJC57 (2008), Ferreira/Haber/MM/nachtmann/Silva IJMPA26 (2011)

$$K_0 \stackrel{\mathsf{CP}}{\to} K_0, \qquad \begin{pmatrix} K_1 \\ K_2 \\ K_3 \end{pmatrix} \stackrel{\mathsf{CP}}{\to} \begin{pmatrix} K_1 \\ -K_2 \\ K_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

The complete THDM gauge invariantly

• Up to now only potential considered.

• How to study gauge, Yukawa couplings, potential beyond tree level?

Key: study mass matrices gauge invariantly.

Derive couplings from mass matrices.

Expand the doublets

$$\begin{split} \varphi_1 &= \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1^+ \\ \varphi_1^0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \pi_1^1 + i\sigma_1^1 \\ \pi_1^2 + i\sigma_1^2 \end{pmatrix}, \\ \varphi_2 &= \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_2^+ \\ \varphi_2^0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \pi_2^1 + i\sigma_2^1 \\ \pi_2^2 + i\sigma_2^2 \end{pmatrix}. \end{split}$$

Real component fields

$$\phi = \left(\pi_1^1, \pi_1^2, \sigma_1^1, \sigma_1^2, \pi_2^1, \pi_2^2, \sigma_2^1, \sigma_2^2\right)^{\mathrm{T}}, \quad \text{ with } \phi \in \mathbb{R}^8 \,.$$

Mass matrix in terms of the 8 component fields:

$$(M_s^2)_{ij} = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \phi_i \partial \phi_i} V,$$
 $i, j \in \{1, \dots, 8\}$

• Mass matrix in terms of bilinears:

$$\mathcal{M} = (\mathcal{M}_{\mu\nu}) = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial K^{\mu}\partial K^{\nu}}V \equiv \partial_{\mu}\partial_{\nu}V, \qquad \mu, \nu \in \{0, \dots, 3\}$$

• How do we get from M_s^2 to \mathcal{M} ?

- Establish first connection between component fields and bilinears.
- Write bilinears in terms of the component fields.

$$K^{\mu} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \Delta^{\mu}_{ij} \phi^i \phi^j \,, \qquad i,j \in \{1,\ldots,8\}$$

with constants Δ_{ii}^{μ} (four 8×8 matrices).

Connection from (gauge-dependent) components to bilinears:

$$\Gamma_{i}^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\partial K^{\mu}}{\partial \phi^{i}} = \partial_{i} K^{\mu} = \Delta_{ij}^{\mu} \phi^{j}$$

 Γ is 8×4 matrix

Now we can write the mass matrix in terms of bilinears

$$\left(M_s^2\right)_{ij} = \partial_i \partial_j V = \partial_i \left(\Gamma_j^\mu \partial_\mu V\right) = \Delta_{ij}^\mu \partial_\mu V + \Gamma_i^\mu \Gamma_j^\nu \partial_\mu \partial_\nu V.$$

In matrix notation

$$M_s^2 = \Delta^{\mu} \partial_{\mu} V + \Gamma \mathcal{M} \Gamma^{\mathrm{T}}, \quad \text{with } \mathcal{M} = (\mathcal{M}_{\mu\nu})$$

- Going to a specific basis where Γ is very simple.
- Diagonalization $M_s^2 o \bar{M}_s^2$.

In the neutral minimum case we get

$$ar{M}_s^2 = egin{pmatrix} 0_{3 imes3} & & & \ & ar{\mathcal{M}}_{ ext{charged}}^2 & & \ & ar{\mathcal{M}}_{ ext{neutral}}^2 \end{pmatrix} \,.$$

with

$$\bar{\mathcal{M}}_{\mathrm{charged}}^2 = \mathrm{diag} \begin{pmatrix} m_{H^\pm}^2, & m_{H^\pm}^2 \end{pmatrix} = \mathrm{diag} \begin{pmatrix} 4uK_0, & 4uK_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

neutral part, with R diagonalization matrix,

$$\bar{\mathcal{M}}_{\text{neutral}}^2 = \operatorname{diag}\left(m_1^2, m_2^2, m_3^2\right) = R\gamma_3 \left(\mathcal{M} - 2u\widetilde{g}\right) \gamma_3^{\text{T}} R^{\text{T}}$$

with

$$\widetilde{g} = \text{diag}(1, -1, -1, -1), \qquad \gamma_3 = \sqrt{\frac{2}{K_0}} (K, 1_3)$$

What have we found?

Mass matrix manifelsty gauge invariant.

Potential not specified!

In particular, the charged part reads

$$m_{H^{\pm}}^2=4uK_0.$$

• Valid in any THDM at any perturbation order - even for effective models!

THDM Couplings

Compute the couplings gauge invariantly, for instance

$$\lambda_{ijk} = \left(\partial_i M_s^2\right)^{jk} = \left(\Delta_{ij}^{\mu} \Gamma_k^{\nu} + \Delta_{ik}^{\mu} \Gamma_j^{\nu} + \Delta_{jk}^{\mu} \Gamma_i^{\nu}\right) \mathcal{M}_{\mu\nu}$$

Example

$$h - H^{\pm} - H^{\pm}$$

$$\lambda_{h_a H^{\pm} H^{\pm}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2K_0}} \left(8K_0 \left(\eta_{00} k^a + \eta^a \right) - k^a m_a^2 \right)$$

How to deal with Yukawa couplings?

- Yukawa couplings linear in Higgs doublets, bilinears not.
- Yukawa couplings gauge invariant expressible in terms of bilinears!
- Trick: For neutral vaccum rank of K is one:

$$\underline{\underline{K}}^{a}_{b} = \frac{1}{2} \underline{K}^{\mu} \left(\sigma_{\mu} \right)^{a}_{b} \equiv \bar{\kappa}^{a} \bar{\kappa}_{b}^{*}.$$

Example, Yukawa term

$$-\mathcal{L}_{Y} = \overline{Q}_{L} \big(y_{u} \, \widetilde{\varphi}_{1} + \epsilon_{u} \, \widetilde{\varphi}_{2} \big) u_{R}, \quad \text{with } \widetilde{\varphi}_{a} = i \sigma_{2} \, (\varphi_{a}^{*})$$

• Neutral Higgs coupling h^a - u_L^{\dagger} - u_R ,

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2K_0}} \left(\sigma_a\right)^b_{\ c} \bar{\kappa}_b^* \bar{\mathcal{U}}^c, \quad \text{with } (\mathcal{U}^c) = \begin{pmatrix} y_u \\ \epsilon_u \end{pmatrix}$$

Conclusion

- Mass matrices to all orders computed.
- Complete THDM formulated gauge invariantly. (Yukawa, scalar, gauge bosons couplings)
- Program of bilinears completed

Sartore, MM, Schienbein, Herrmann, arXiv:2208.13719

To do: Application to THDMs - beyond tree-level.



Thank you for your attention!



Δ constants

$$K^{\mu} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \Delta^{\mu}_{ij} \phi^i \phi^j \,, \qquad i,j \in \{1,\ldots,8\}.$$

$$\Delta^0 = \begin{pmatrix} & \mathbb{1}_2 & & & & \\ & & \mathbb{1}_2 & & & \\ & & & \mathbb{1}_2 & & \\ & & & & \mathbb{1}_2 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad \Delta^1 = \begin{pmatrix} & & & \mathbb{1}_2 & & \\ & \mathbb{1}_2 & & & & \mathbb{1}_2 \\ & & & \mathbb{1}_2 & & & \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\Delta^2 = \begin{pmatrix} & & & & \mathbb{1}_2 & & & \\ & & & \mathbb{1}_2 & & & \\ & & & -\mathbb{1}_2 & & & \\ & & & & & -\mathbb{1}_2 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad \Delta^3 = \begin{pmatrix} & \mathbb{1}_2 & & & & \\ & & & \mathbb{1}_2 & & & \\ & & & & -\mathbb{1}_2 & & \\ & & & & & -\mathbb{1}_2 \end{pmatrix},$$

Bilinears linear

• \bar{K} has rank 1 for neutral vacuum:

$$\underline{\bar{K}}^{a}_{\ b} = \frac{1}{2} \bar{K}^{\mu} \left(\sigma_{\mu} \right)^{a}_{\ b} \equiv \bar{\kappa}^{a} \bar{\kappa}^{*}_{b} \, .$$

Explicitly, $\bar{\kappa}$ can be writen

$$\bar{\kappa} = \sqrt{\frac{K_0}{2}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \bar{k}_3}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 + \bar{k}_3 \\ \bar{k}_1 + i\bar{k}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{K_0}{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{1 + \bar{k}_3} \\ \sqrt{1 - \bar{k}_3} e^{i\zeta} \end{pmatrix},$$

where the phase ζ was defined such that

$$\bar{k}_1 + i\bar{k}_2 = \sqrt{\bar{k}_1^2 + \bar{k}_2^2} e^{i\zeta} = \sqrt{1 - \bar{k}_3^2} e^{i\zeta}.$$

 In terms of bilinears, for instance for the charge conserving EW breaking case:

$$\widehat{M}_s^2 \stackrel{CC}{=} 2u \begin{pmatrix} A_{55} & 0_{5\times3} \\ 0_{3\times5} & B_{33} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0_{5\times5} & 0_{5\times3} \\ 0_{3\times5} & \gamma_3 \mathcal{M} \gamma_3^{\mathrm{T}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \widehat{\mathcal{M}}_{\mathrm{CC}}^2 & 0_{5\times3} \\ 0_{3\times5} & \widehat{\mathcal{M}}_{\mathrm{neutral}}^2 \end{pmatrix},$$

SM: simple potential with one Higgs doublet

$$V_{SM} = -\mu^2 \varphi^{\dagger} \varphi + \lambda (\varphi^{\dagger} \varphi)^2$$

• Electroweak (spontaneous) - symmetry breaking for $\mu^2 > 0$, stability: $\lambda > 0$.

Vacuum expectation value

$$\langle \varphi \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v \end{pmatrix}, \quad v = \sqrt{\mu^2/(\lambda)}$$

Example: two doublets

- Two Higgs doublets $\varphi_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1^+ \\ \varphi_1^0 \end{pmatrix}$, $\varphi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_2^+ \\ \varphi_2^0 \end{pmatrix}$
- Matrix of doublets

$$\phi = \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1^{\mathsf{T}} \\ \varphi_2^{\mathsf{T}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1^+ \varphi_1^0 \\ \varphi_2^+ \varphi_2^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Building matrix of invariants

$$\underline{K} = \phi \phi^{\dagger} = \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1^{\dagger} \varphi_1 & \varphi_2^{\dagger} \varphi_1 \\ \varphi_1^{\dagger} \varphi_2 & \varphi_2^{\dagger} \varphi_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

• Basis: Pauli matrices and unit matrix $\sigma_0 = \mathbb{1}_2$

$$\underline{K} = \frac{1}{2} K_{\alpha} \sigma_{\alpha}, \qquad \alpha = 0, 1, \dots, 3$$

• $K_{\alpha} = \operatorname{tr}(\underline{K}\sigma_{\alpha}), (\alpha = 0, \dots, 3)$ translates to

$$\varphi_1^{\dagger}\varphi_1 = (K_0 + K_3)/2, \quad \varphi_1^{\dagger}\varphi_2 = (K_1 + iK_2)/2,$$

 $\varphi_2^{\dagger}\varphi_2 = (K_0 - K_3)/2, \quad \varphi_2^{\dagger}\varphi_1 = (K_1 - iK_2)/2$

Electroweak symmetry breaking

EW symmetry breaking given by global minimum

$$\langle \phi \rangle = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1^+ & \varphi_1^0 \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_n^+ & \varphi_n^0 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} v_1^+ & v_1^0 \\ \vdots \\ v_n^+ & v_n^0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \langle \underline{K} \rangle = \langle \phi \rangle \langle \phi \rangle^{\dagger}$$

- Unbroken $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ corresponds to $\langle \underline{K} \rangle$ of rank 0, K = 0, $\varphi_i = 0$.
- Fully broken EW symmetry corresponds to $\langle \underline{K} \rangle$ of rank 2
- $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \to U(1)_{em}$ corresponds to $\langle \underline{K} \rangle$ of rank 1

Change of basis

Consider the following unitary mixing of the doublets

$$\begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1(x)^{\mathrm{T}} \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_n(x)^{\mathrm{T}} \end{pmatrix} \to U \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1(x)^{\mathrm{T}} \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_n(x)^{\mathrm{T}} \end{pmatrix}$$

Bilinears transform as

$$\phi \to U\phi$$
, $K = \phi \phi^{\dagger} \to UKU^{\dagger}$

hence,

$$K_{0} = \operatorname{tr}(\underline{K}\lambda_{0}) \to \operatorname{tr}(\underline{U}\underline{K}\underline{U}^{\dagger}\lambda_{0}) = \operatorname{tr}(\underline{U}\underline{K}\lambda_{0}\underline{U}^{\dagger}) = \operatorname{tr}(\underline{K}\lambda_{0}) = K_{0},$$

$$K_{a} = \operatorname{tr}(\underline{K}\lambda_{a}) \to \operatorname{tr}(\underline{U}\underline{K}\underline{U}^{\dagger}\lambda_{a}) = \operatorname{tr}(\underline{U}^{\dagger}\lambda_{a}\underline{U}\underline{K}) = R_{ab}K_{b}$$

$$= R_{ab}\lambda_{b}$$

• Change of basis correspond to proper rotations $R = (R_{ab}) \in SO(n^2 - 1)$.

Under a change of basis

$$K_0 \to K_0$$
, $K \to RK$

The potential

$$V = \xi_0 K_0 + \xi^{\mathrm{T}} K + \eta_{00} K_0^2 + 2K_0 \eta^{\mathrm{T}} K + K^{\mathrm{T}} E K$$

changes to

$$V' = \xi_0 K_0 + \xi^{\mathrm{T}} R K + \eta_{00} K_0^2 + 2 K_0 \eta^{\mathrm{T}} R K + K^{\mathrm{T}} R^{\mathrm{T}} E R K$$

• Potential invariant, V = V', iff

$$\boldsymbol{\xi} = R \boldsymbol{\xi}, \quad \boldsymbol{\eta} = R \boldsymbol{\eta}, \quad \boldsymbol{E} = R \boldsymbol{E} R^{\mathrm{T}}.$$

Symmetries

- Symmetry desirable to restrict nHDM.
- Symmetries easily formulated in terms of bilinears.

$$V = \xi_0 K_0 + \xi^{T} K + \eta_{00} K_0^{2} + 2K_0 \eta^{T} K + K^{T} E K$$

• Transformation $K_0 \to K_0$, $K \to \bar{R}K$, $\bar{R} \in O(n^2-1)$ is symmetry of potential iff

$$\boldsymbol{\xi} = \bar{R}\,\boldsymbol{\xi}, \qquad \boldsymbol{\eta} = \bar{R}\,\boldsymbol{\eta}, \qquad \boldsymbol{E} = \bar{R}\,\boldsymbol{E}\,\bar{R}^{\mathrm{T}}$$

• $\bar{R} \in O(n^2 - 1)$, keeping kinetic terms invariant.

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