Electroweak Symmetry Breaking by a Neutral Sector : Dynamical Relaxation of the Little Hierarchy Problem

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- The naturalness problem of EW scale and Higgs boson mass has been the most important issue for last four decades.
- The MSSM has been the most promising BSM candidate.
- No evidence of BSM has been observed yet at LHC.
 - → Theoretical puzzles raised in the SM still remain UNsolved.
- A barometer of the solution to the naturalness problem is the stop mass .

The stop mass bound has been already > 1 TeV. (The gluino mass bound has exceeded > 2 TeV.)

→ They start threatening the traditional status of SUSY as a solution to the naturalness problem of the EW phase transition.

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$$\begin{split} \Delta m_{h_u}^2|_{1-\text{loop}} &\approx \frac{3|y_t|^2}{8\pi^2} \widetilde{m}_t^2 \log\left(\frac{\widetilde{m}_t^2}{\Lambda^2}\right) \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{A_t^2}{\widetilde{m}_t^2}\right], \\ \Delta m_H^2|_{1-\text{loop}} &\approx \frac{3m_t^4}{4\pi^2 v_h^2} \left[\log\left(\frac{\widetilde{m}_t^2}{m_t^2}\right) + \frac{A_t^2}{\widetilde{m}_t^2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{12} \frac{A_t^2}{\widetilde{m}_t^2}\right)\right], \quad \frac{1}{2} m_Z^2 = \frac{m_{h_d}^2 - m_{h_u}^2 \tan^2\beta}{\tan^2\beta - 1} - |\mu|^2. \end{split}$$

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seems to be unavoidable !! ??

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We will attempt to address the (little) hierarchy problem in the SUSY framework.

Little Hierarchy Problem

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Problems in SUSY models

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Gauge Mediated SUSY Breaking mech. Flavor and CP problems are absent. But µ and Bµ problems would be serious.

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$$W_{UV} \supset \Psi (y_1 X_1 + y_2 X_2) Z + y_3 \Psi^c Z \phi$$

$$+ (y_4 X_1 + y_5 X_2) h_u h_d + \frac{(\Psi^c)^2}{M_P} (y_6 X_1 + y_7 X_2) Y + \frac{\kappa}{2} Y \phi^2,$$

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$$+ |\lambda_{2}h \qquad (\kappa/2)\phi^{2} + MX = 0$$

$$FLAT \ direction \ (= modulus-like)$$
where $H \qquad in SUSY limit, with \ h_{u} = h_{d} = Y = 0$

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Effective mu and Bmu

$$\mu_{\text{eff}} = \lambda_1 \langle X \rangle + \lambda_2 \langle \phi \rangle + \mu,$$

$$B\mu_{\text{eff}} = \left(\lambda_1 M^* + \lambda_2 \kappa^* \langle \phi^* \rangle\right) \langle Y^* \rangle + \lambda_1 a_1 \langle X \rangle + \lambda_2 a_2 \langle \phi \rangle + B\mu,$$

Extreme Conditions

extreme conditions for X, Y, and ϕ

$$\begin{cases} \mathcal{M}_{X}^{2}X + M^{*}b^{*}Y^{*} = -\frac{\kappa}{2}M^{*}\phi^{2} - (\lambda_{2}\phi + \mu)\lambda_{1}^{*}|H|^{2} \\ -\lambda_{1}^{*}a_{1}^{*}h_{u}^{*}h_{d}^{*}, \\ \mathcal{M}_{Y}^{2}Y^{*} + MbX = -\frac{\kappa}{2}a\phi^{2} - (\lambda_{1}^{*}M + \lambda_{2}^{*}\kappa\phi)h_{u}^{*}h_{d}^{*}, \\ (|\kappa Y|^{2} + |\lambda_{2}H|^{2} + m_{\phi}^{2})\phi + (\frac{\kappa}{2}\phi^{2} + MX)\kappa^{*}\phi^{*} \\ + (\lambda_{1}X + \mu)\lambda_{2}^{*}|H|^{2} + \lambda_{2}^{*}a_{2}^{*}h_{u}^{*}h_{d}^{*} \\ + (\lambda_{2}h_{u}h_{d} + a^{*}\phi^{*})\kappa^{*}Y^{*} = 0. \end{cases}$$

Solutions of Extrm. Condi.

$$\begin{split} X &\approx \frac{-\kappa\phi^2}{2\mathcal{M}_X^2} M^* \left[1 - \frac{(a-b)b^*}{\mathcal{M}_Y^2} + \frac{2(\lambda_2\phi + \mu)\lambda_1^* |H|^2}{\kappa\phi^2 M^*} \right], \\ Y^* &\approx \frac{-\kappa\phi^2}{2\mathcal{M}_Y^2} \left(a-b\right) - \frac{(\lambda_1^*M + \lambda_2^*\kappa\phi)h_u^*h_d^*}{\mathcal{M}_Y^2}. \end{split}$$

where $\mathcal{M}_X^2 \equiv |\lambda_1 H|^2 + m_X^2 + |M|^2 \quad (\approx |M|^2)$ $\mathcal{M}_Y^2 \equiv |\kappa \phi|^2 + m_Y^2 + |M|^2$

The extremum condition for $\,T_{\zeta}\,\,(\equiv\kappa\phi/M)$

$$\frac{1}{2}|T_{\zeta}|^{2}\left(|\lambda_{1}H|^{2}+m_{X}^{2}\right)-T_{\zeta}^{*}\left(\lambda_{2}+\frac{\mu}{\phi}\right)\lambda_{1}^{*}|H|^{2}-\frac{1}{2}T_{\zeta}\lambda_{2}^{*}\lambda_{1}|H|^{2}$$
$$+\frac{\mu}{\phi}\lambda_{2}^{*}|H|^{2}+\left(|\lambda_{2}H|^{2}+m_{\phi}^{2}\right)\approx\frac{|T_{\zeta}|^{2}(|T_{\zeta}|^{2}+2)}{4(|T_{\zeta}|^{2}+1)^{2}}|a-b|^{2},$$

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or $|H|^{2}\approx\frac{-m_{\phi}^{2}-\frac{1}{2}\left(m_{X}^{2}-|a-b|^{2}\right)|T_{\zeta}|^{2}}{\left(\lambda_{2}-\frac{1}{2}T_{\zeta}\lambda_{1}+\frac{\mu}{\phi}\right)\left(\lambda_{2}^{*}-T_{\zeta}^{*}\lambda_{1}^{*}\right)},$





Dynamical Relaxation

$$\mu_{\text{eff}} = \lambda_1 \langle X \rangle + \lambda_2 \langle \phi \rangle + \mu, \qquad \approx \frac{MT_{\zeta}}{\kappa} \left(\lambda_2 - \frac{1}{2} \lambda_1 T_{\zeta} \right) + \mu,$$

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satisfying the conditions for EW symmetry breaking,



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$$2B\mu < (m_{h_u}^2 + |\mu|^2) + (m_{h_d}^2 + |\mu|^2)$$
$$(B\mu)^2 > (m_{h_u}^2 + |\mu|^2)(m_{h_d}^2 + |\mu|^2)$$

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satis For $|\lambda_{2}M/\kappa|^{2} > -m_{hu}^{2}$
 $|T_{\zeta}(1 - T_{\zeta}\lambda_{1}/2\lambda_{2})| << 1$

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It is because m_{ϕ} , m_{χ} are so small compared to the MSSM soft masses.

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For small enough $m_{\phi,X}^2$

Introduce Gauge Med. SUSY Breaking as well as Gravity Med. SUSY breaking

Gauge Med. → Heavy MSSM soft masses avoiding Exp. Bounds and SUSY flavor and CP problems

Gravity Med. → Small MSSM singlet masses and Bµ term

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<u>RG evolutions of m_o² under various trial m₀²s.</u>

the messenger scale = 500 TeV (L) and 12 TeV (R). In both cases, the stop mass scales = 10 TeV.

Focus Point

Case I	$\tan\beta = 10$	Case II	$\tan\beta = 40$
$\lambda_2^2 = 5 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$\widetilde{m}_t^2 = (10 \mathrm{TeV})^2$	$\lambda_2^2 = 8 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$\widetilde{m}_t^2 = (20 \mathrm{TeV})^2$
$\lambda_1^2 = 0.5$	$\Lambda_M = 15 \mathrm{TeV}$	$\lambda_1^2 = 0.5$	$\Lambda_M = 25 \mathrm{TeV}$
$\Delta_{\mathrm{m}_0^2}$	19.1	$\Delta_{\mathrm{m}_0^2}$	79.6
$\Delta_{\mathrm{M_{1/2}}}$	83.2	$\Delta_{ m M_{1/2}}$	28.6
$\Delta_{\lambda_2^2}$	59.7	$\Delta_{\lambda_2^2}$	56.5
$\Delta_{ m GM}$	37.1	$\Delta_{ m GM}$	153.5
$\Delta_{\Lambda_{ ext{M}}}$	6.0	$\Delta_{\Lambda_{ ext{M}}}$	21.3

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$$\label{eq:case_interm} \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline Case I & tan \beta = 10 & Case II & tan \beta = 40 \\ \hline \lambda_2^2 = 5 \cdot 10^{-4} & \widetilde{m}_t^2 = (10 \, {\rm TeV})^2 & \lambda_2^2 = 8 \cdot 10^{-3} & \widetilde{m}_t^2 = (20 \, {\rm TeV})^2 \\ \hline \lambda_{1}^2 = 0.5 & \Lambda_{M} = 15 \, {\rm TeV} & \lambda_1^2 = 0.5 & \Lambda_{M} = 25 \, {\rm TeV} \\ \hline F_{gauge} / (16 \pi^2 \Lambda_M) & \equiv GM \approx 5.1 \, {\rm TeV} \, (I) \, \mbox{ and } 10.5 \, {\rm TeV} \, (II) \, , \\ F_{gauge} \ll \, F_{gravity} \, , \\ \hline m_{3/2} \approx \, F_{gravity} \, / (\sqrt{3} \, M_{Pl}) \approx \, m_0 = \, 30.4 \, {\rm GeV} \, (I) \, \mbox{ and } 124.7 \, {\rm GeV} \, (II) \, , \\ \hline We \, \, {\rm set} \, \, M_{1/2} = 125 \, m_0 \, (I) \, \mbox{ and } 54 \, m_0 \, (II) \, \mbox{ at the GUT scale.} \end{array}$$

Focus Point

$(M_{G} M_{W} M_{B}) \approx (12, 5, 3) \text{ TeV (I)} \text{ and } (22, 9, 5) \text{ TeV (II)}$

μ_{eff} ≈ 2.5 TeV (I) and 2.3 TeV (II)

The SUSY particles' masses of the 1st and 2nd generations are much heavier.

Mass Matrix (fermion)

$$\begin{pmatrix} \kappa Y & \kappa \phi & 0 & \lambda_2 h_u & \lambda_2 h_d \\ \kappa \phi & 0 & M & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & M & 0 & \lambda_1 h_u & \lambda_1 h_d \\ \lambda_2 h_u & 0 & \lambda_1 h_u & 0 & \mu_{\text{eff}} \\ \lambda_2 h_d & 0 & \lambda_1 h_d & \mu_{\text{eff}} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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The lightest E. state plays the role of DM.

Mass Matrix (scalar)

 $\begin{pmatrix} m_{H}^{2} & \lambda_{2}H\mu_{\text{eff}}^{*} & \lambda_{1}H\mu_{\text{eff}}^{*} \\ \lambda_{2}^{*}H^{*}\mu_{\text{eff}} & m_{\phi}^{2} + |\lambda_{2}H|^{2} + |\kappa\phi|^{2} & \lambda_{2}^{*}\lambda_{1}|H|^{2} + \kappa^{*}\phi^{*}M \\ \lambda_{1}^{*}H^{*}\mu_{\text{eff}} & \lambda_{1}^{*}\lambda_{2}|H|^{2} + \kappa\phi M^{*} & m_{X}^{2} + |\lambda_{1}H|^{2} + |M|^{2} \end{pmatrix}$

in the basis of $\{H, \phi, X\}$

Mass Matrix (scalar)

• In the limit of $\lambda_2/\lambda_1 = \kappa \phi/M \ (=T_{\zeta})$, The mixing angle btw the Higgs and singlets are suppressed. We assume $(\lambda_2/\lambda_1 - \kappa \phi/M)/(\lambda_2/\lambda_1) \sim 0.1$.

> We can consider one more flat direction to easily get ALL positive E. values:

 $W \supset m XY' + (\kappa/2)Y'\varphi'^2$,

which leaves almost intact the above results, except adding a small SUSY mass to X.

Mass Matrix (scalar)

We can fulfill the constraints e.g. with

- $\lambda_1 \approx 0.7$, $|\lambda_2/\lambda_1| = 0.03$ (0.12), $T_{\zeta} < 0.027$ (0.11),
 - $M_3 \sim 1 10 \text{ GeV}$, $M_2 \sim 5 \text{ TeV}$,

• $\epsilon \sim 10^{-1} - 10^{-2}$, $|\tan \theta| > 10^{+1}$.

The mixing btw H and the singlets can be suppressed enough. The mixing btw ϕ and X is almost the maximal.

Conclusion

- The MSSM μ term is dynamically adjusted by singlets such that the min. cond. of the Higgs is fulfilled. A **FLAT DIRECTION** compensates $m_{h\mu}^2$, while the **SM Higgs** does m_{ϕ}^2 .
- A relatively small soft mass of a singlet $(m_{\phi}^2 \text{ or } m_X^2)$ is responsible for the small <H> (or small M_z). Possible by Small Gravity Medi. Effects!
- The MSSM SUSY ptl.s are heavy enough to avoid Exp. Bounds and FCNC. Possible by Large Gauge Medi. Effects!
- A sub-GeV fermionic DM is predicted, while the Higgsino is quite heavy.
- The Mixings btw the Higgs and singlets can be suppressed enough by introducing several singlets.

Thank You !!