Higgs and Fermions in $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ Model based on Cl(0, 8) Clifford Algebra

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Abstract

In the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model of a series of papers (hep-ph/9301210, hep-th/9302030, hep-th/9306011, and hep-th/9402003) [8, 9, 10, 11] an 8-dimensional spacetime with Lagrangian action

$$\int_{V_8} F_8 \wedge \star F_8 + \partial_8^2 \overline{\Phi_8} \wedge \star \partial_8^2 \Phi_8 + \overline{S_{8\pm}} \not \partial_8 S_{8\pm} + GF + GH$$

is reduced to a 4-dimensional Lagrangian.

In [11], the gauge boson terms were seen to give

 $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$ for the color, weak, and electromagnetic forces and gravity of the MacDowell-Mansouri type [4],

which has recently been shown by Nieto, Obregón, and Socorro [6] in gr-qc/9402029 to be equivalent, up to a Pontrjagin topological term, to the Ashtekar formulation.

This paper discusses the Higgs and spinor fermion terms.

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1 Introduction

The $D_4-D_5-E_6$ model of physics starts out with an 8-dimensional spacetime that is reduced to a 4-dimensional spacetime.

The 8-dimensional Lagrangian (up to gauge-fixing and ghost terms) is:

$$\int_{V_8} F_8 \wedge \star F_8 + \partial_8^2 \overline{\Phi_8} \wedge \star \partial_8^2 \Phi_8 + \overline{S_{8\pm}} \not \partial_8 S_{8\pm} + GF + GH$$

where F_8 is the 28-dimensional Spin(8) curvature, \star is the Hodge dual, ∂_8 is the 8-dimensional covariant derivative,

 Φ_8 is the 8-dimensional scalar field,

 ∂_8 is the 8-dimensional Dirac operator,

 V_8 is 8-dimensional spacetime,

 $S_{8\pm}$ are the + and - 8-dimensional half-spinor fermion spaces, and GF and GH are gauge-fixing and ghost terms.

(hep-th/9402003 [11] had a typo error of S_{8+} or S_{8-} instead of $S_{8\pm}$.)

This paper describes the Higgs mechanism and the spinor fermions of the 4-dimensional Lagrangian. Results of the preceding papers in this series [8, 9, 10, 11] are assumed. They are hep-ph/9301210, hep-th/9302030, hep-th/9306011, and hep-th/9402003).

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Summary of Some Material from Earlier Papers:

$$S_{8\pm} = \mathbf{R}P^1 \times S^7 \ [9]);$$

 $S_{8\pm} \oplus S_{8\pm} = (\mathbf{R}P^1 \times S^7) \oplus (\mathbf{R}P^1 \times S^7)$ is the full fermion space of first generation particles and antiparticles, and is the Silov boundary of the 32(real)-dimensional bounded complex domain corresponding to the TypeV HJTS $E_6/(Spin(10) \times U(1))$ [9]

(hep-th/9302030 [9] had erroneously used \times instead of \oplus .);

after dimensional reduction, the weak force gauge group is SU(2) [11];

with respect to SU(2) of the Higgs and weak force, the 4-dimensional spacetime manifold has global type $M = S^2 \times S^2$ [9];

the Higgs and weak force SU(2) acts effectively on a submanifold of the half-spinor fermion space $S_{8\pm} = \mathbf{R}P^1 \times S^7$, that is, $Q_3 = \mathbf{R}P^1 \times S^2$, which is Silov boundary of the 6(real)-dimensional bounded complex domain corresponding to the $TypeIV_3$ HJTS $\overline{D_3} = Spin(5)/(SU(2) \times U(1))$ [9]

(hep-th/9302030 [9] had erroneously listed $SU(3)/SU(2) \times U(1)$ instead of $Spin(5)/SU(2) \times U(1) = Spin(5)/Spin(3) \times U(1)$.);

after dimensional reduction, the Higgs scalar is the 4th component of the column minimal ideal of Cle(0,6) that contains W_+ , W_- , and W_0 of the SU(2) weak force, and so is an SU(2) scalar [11];

the SU(2) gauge group of the vector bosons W_+ , W_- , and W_0 and the SU(2) gauge group of the scalar Higgs, insofar as they are independent, can be considered as one $Spin(4) = SU(2) \times SU(2)$ gauge group [9, 11]; and

the electromagnetic U(1) of the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model comes from the U(3) containing the color force SU(3), and so is "unified" with the SU(3) color force rather than with the SU(2) weak force [11].

The last statement is different from most formulations of the standard model, but is similar to the formulation of O'Raifeartaigh (section 9.4 of [7]) of the standard model as $S(U(3) \times U(2))$ rather than $SU(3) \times U(2)$ or $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$. O'Raifeartaigh states that the unbroken gauge symmetry is actually U(3) rather than $SU(3) \times U(1)$.

2 Scalar part of the Lagrangian

The scalar part of the 8-dimensional Lagrangian is

$$\int_{V_8} \partial_8^2 \overline{\Phi_8} \wedge \star \partial_8^2 \Phi_8$$

As shown in chapter 4 of Göckeler and Schücker [2], $\partial_8^2 \Phi_8$ can be represented as an 8-dimensional curvature F_{H8} , giving

$$\int_{V_8} F_{H8} \wedge \star F_{H8}$$

When spacetime is reduced to 4 dimensions, denote the surviving 4 dimensions by 4 and the reduced 4 dimensions by $\perp 4$.

Then, $F_{H8} = F_{H44} + F_{H4 \perp 4} + F_{H \perp 4 \perp 4}$, where

 F_{H44} is the part of F_{H8} entirely in the surviving spacetime;

 $F_{H4\perp4}$ is the part of F_{H8} partly in the surviving spacetime and partly in the reduced spacetime; and

 $F_{H\perp 4\perp 4}$ is the part of F_{H8} entirely in the reduced spacetime;

The 4-dimensional Higgs Lagrangian is then:

$$\int (F_{H44} + F_{H4\perp 4} + F_{H\perp 4\perp 4}) \wedge \star (F_{H44} + F_{H4\perp 4} + F_{H\perp 4\perp 4}) =$$

$$= \int (F_{H44} \wedge \star F_{H44} + F_{H4\perp 4} \wedge \star F_{H4\perp 4} + F_{H\perp 4\perp 4} \wedge \star F_{H\perp 4\perp 4}).$$

As all possible paths should be taken into account in the sum over histories path integral picture of quantum field theory, the terms involving the reduced 4 dimensions, \perp 4, should be integrated over the reduced 4 dimensions.

Integrating over the reduced 4 dimensions, \perp 4, gives $\int (F_{H44} \wedge \star F_{H44} + \int_{\perp 4} F_{H4\perp 4} \wedge \star F_{H4\perp 4} + \int_{\perp 4} F_{H\perp 4\perp 4} \wedge \star F_{H\perp 4\perp 4}).$

2.1 First term $F_{H44} \wedge \star F_{H44}$

The first term is just $\int F_{H44} \wedge \star F_{H44}$.

Since they are both SU(2) gauge boson terms, this term, in 4-dimensional spacetime, just merges into the SU(2) weak force term $\int F_w \wedge \star F_w$.

2.2 Third term $\int_{\perp 4} F_{H \perp 4 \perp 4} \wedge \star F_{H \perp 4 \perp 4}$

The third term, $\int \int_{\perp 4} F_{H\perp 4\perp 4} \wedge \star F_{H\perp 4\perp 4}$, after integration over $\perp 4$, produces terms of the form

 $\lambda(\overline{\Phi}\Phi)^2 - \mu^2\overline{\Phi}\Phi$ by a process similar to the Mayer mechanism.

The Mayer mechanism is based on Proposition 11.4 of chapter 11 of volume I of Kobayashi and Nomizu [3], stating that: $2F_{H\perp 4\perp 4}(X,Y)=[\Lambda(X),\Lambda(Y)]-\Lambda([X,Y]),$ where Λ takes values in the SU(2) Lie algebra.

If the action of the Hodge dual \star on Λ is such that $\star \Lambda = -\Lambda$ and $\star [\Lambda, \Lambda] = [\Lambda, \Lambda]$, then

$$F_{H \perp 4 \perp 4}(X, Y) \wedge \star F_{H \perp 4 \perp 4}(X, Y) = (1/4)([\Lambda(X), \Lambda(Y)]^2 - \Lambda([X, Y])^2).$$

If integration of Λ over $\perp 4$ is $\int_{\perp 4} \Lambda \propto \Phi = (\Phi^+, \Phi^0)$, then

$$\int_{\perp 4} F_{H \perp 4 \perp 4} \wedge \star F_{H \perp 4 \perp 4} = (1/4) \int_{\perp 4} [\Lambda(X), \Lambda(Y)]^2 - \Lambda([X, Y])^2 =$$

$$= (1/4) [\lambda(\overline{\Phi}\Phi)^2 - \mu^2 \overline{\Phi}\Phi],$$

where λ is the strength of the scalar field self-interaction, μ^2 is the other constant in the Higgs potential, and where Φ is a 0-form taking values in the SU(2) Lie algebra.

The SU(2) values of Φ are represented by complex SU(2) = Spin(3) doublets $\Phi = (\Phi^+, \Phi^0)$.

In real terms, $\Phi^+ = (\Phi_1 + i\Phi_2)/\sqrt{2}$ and $\Phi^0 = (\Phi_3 + i\Phi_4)/\sqrt{2}$, so Φ has 4 real degrees of freedom.

In terms of real components, $\overline{\Phi}\Phi = (\Phi_1^2 + \Phi_2^2 + \Phi_3^2 + \Phi_4^2)/2$.

The nonzero vacuum expectation value of the $\lambda(\overline{\Phi}\Phi)^2 - \mu^2\overline{\Phi}\Phi$ term is $v = \mu/\sqrt{\lambda}$, and $<\Phi^0>=<\Phi_3>=v/\sqrt{2}$.

In the unitary gauge, $\Phi_1 = \Phi_2 = \Phi_4 = 0$, and

$$\Phi = (\Phi^+, \Phi^0) = (1/\sqrt{2})(\Phi_1 + i\Phi_2, \Phi_3 + i\Phi_4) = (1/\sqrt{2})(0, v + H),$$

where $\Phi_3 = (v + H)/\sqrt{2}$,

v is the Higgs potential vacuum expectation value, and H is the real surviving Higgs scalar field.

Since
$$\lambda = \mu^2/v^2$$
 and $\Phi = (v+H)/\sqrt{2}$,

$$(1/4)[\lambda(\overline{\Phi}\Phi)^2 - \mu^2\overline{\Phi}\Phi] =$$

$$= (1/16)(\mu^2/v^2)(v+H)^4 - (1/8)\mu^2(v+H)^2 =$$

$$= (1/16)[\mu^2 v^2 + 4\mu^2 v H + 6\mu^2 H^2 + 4\mu^2 H^3 / v + \mu^2 H^4 / v^2 - 2\mu^2 v^2 - 4\mu^2 v H - 2\mu^2 H^2] =$$

$$= (1/4)\mu^2 H^2 - (1/16)\mu^2 v^2 [1 - 4H^3/v^3 - H^4/v^4].$$

2.3 Second term $F_{H4\perp4} \wedge \star F_{H4\perp4}$

The second term,

 $\int_{\perp 4} F_{H4\perp 4} \wedge \star F_{H4\perp 4}$, gives $\int \partial \overline{\Phi} \partial \Phi$, by a process similar to the Mayer mechanism.

From Proposition 11.4 of chapter 11 of volume I of Kobayashi and Nomizu [3]:

$$2F_{H4\perp 4}(X,Y) = [\Lambda(X),\Lambda(Y)] - \Lambda([X,Y]),$$
 where Λ takes values in the $SU(2)$ Lie algebra.

For example, if the X component of $F_{H4\perp 4}(X,Y)$ is in the surviving 4 spacetime and the Y component of $F_{H4\perp 4}(X,Y)$ is in $\perp 4$, then

the Lie bracket product
$$[X,Y] = 0$$
 so that $\Lambda([X,Y]) = 0$ and therefore $F_{H4\perp 4}(X,Y) = (1/2)[\Lambda(X),\Lambda(Y)] = (1/2)\partial_X\Lambda(Y)$.

The total value of $F_{H4\perp 4}(X,Y)$ is then $F_{H4\perp 4}(X,Y)=\partial_X\Lambda(Y)$.

Integration of Λ over $\perp 4$ gives

$$\int_{Y \in \perp 4} \partial_X \Lambda(Y) = \partial_X \Phi,$$

where, as above, Φ is a 0-form taking values in the SU(2) Lie algebra.

As above, the SU(2) values of Φ are represented by complex SU(2) = Spin(3) doublets $\Phi = (\Phi^+, \Phi^0)$.

In real terms, $\Phi^+ = (\Phi_1 + i\Phi_2)/\sqrt{2}$ and $\Phi^0 = (\Phi_3 + i\Phi_4)/\sqrt{2}$, so Φ has 4 real degrees of freedom.

As discussed above, in the unitary gauge, $\Phi_1 = \Phi_2 = \Phi_4 = 0$, and $\Phi = (\Phi^+, \Phi^0) = (1/\sqrt{2})(\Phi_1 + i\Phi_2, \Phi_3 + i\Phi_4) = (1/\sqrt{2})(0, v + H)$, where $\Phi_3 = (v + H)/\sqrt{2}$,

v is the Higgs potential vacuum expectation value, and H is the real surviving Higgs scalar field.

The second term is then:

$$\begin{array}{l} \int (\int_{\perp 4} -F_{H4\perp 4} \wedge \star F_{H4\perp 4}) = \\ = \int (\int_{\perp 4} (-1/2) [\Lambda(X), \Lambda(Y)] \wedge \star [\Lambda(X), \Lambda(Y)]) = \int \partial \overline{\Phi} \wedge \star \partial \Phi \end{array}$$

where the SU(2) covariant derivative ∂ is $\partial = \partial + \sqrt{\alpha_w}(W_+ + W_-) + \sqrt{\alpha_w}\cos\theta_w^2 W_0$, and θ_w is the Weinberg angle.

Then
$$\partial \Phi = \partial(v+H)/\sqrt{2} =$$

= $[\partial H + \sqrt{\alpha_w}W_+(v+H) + \sqrt{\alpha_w}W_-(v+H) + \sqrt{\alpha_w}W_0(v+H)]/\sqrt{2}$.

In the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model the W_+ , W_- , W_0 , and H terms are considered to be linearly independent.

 $v = v_+ + v_- + v_0$ has linearly independent components v_+ , v_- , and v_0 for W_+ , W_- , and W_0 .

H is the Higgs component.

 $\partial \overline{\Phi} \wedge \star \partial \Phi$ is the sum of the squares of the individual terms.

Integration over $\perp 4$ involving two derivatives $\partial_X \partial_X$ is taken to change the sign by $i^2 = -1$.

Then:

$$\begin{split} \partial \overline{\Phi} \wedge \star \partial \Phi &= (1/2)(\partial H)^2 + \\ &+ (1/2)[\alpha_w v_+^2 \overline{W}_+ W_+ + \alpha_w v_-^2 \overline{W}_- W_- + \alpha_w v_0^2 \overline{W}_0 W_0] + \\ &+ (1/2)[\alpha_w \overline{W}_+ W_+ + \alpha_w \overline{W}_- W_- + \alpha_w \overline{W}_0 W_0][H^2 + 2vH]. \end{split}$$

Then the full curvature term of the weak-Higgs Lagrangian, $\int F_w \wedge \star F_w + \partial \overline{\Phi} \wedge \star \partial \Phi + \lambda (\overline{\Phi} \Phi)^2 - \mu^2 \overline{\Phi} \Phi,$

is, by the Higgs mechanism:

$$\begin{split} &\int [F_w \wedge \star F_w + \\ &+ (1/2)[\alpha_w v_+^2 \overline{W_+} W_+ + \alpha_w v_-^2 \overline{W_-} W_- + \alpha_w v_0^2 \overline{W_0} W_0] + \\ &+ (1/2)[\alpha_w \overline{W_+} W_+ + \alpha_w \overline{W_-} W_- + \alpha_w \overline{W_0} W_0][H^2 + 2vH] + \\ &+ (1/2)(\partial H)^2 + (1/4)\mu^2 H^2 - \\ &- (1/16)\mu^2 v^2 [1 - 4H^3/v^3 - H^4/v^4]]. \end{split}$$

The weak boson Higgs mechanism masses, in terms of $v = v_+ + v_- + v_0$, are:

$$(\alpha_w/2)v_+^2 = m_{W_+}^2 ;$$

$$(\alpha_w/2)v_-^2 = m_{W_-}^2 ;$$
 and
$$(\alpha_w/2)v_0^2 = m_{W_{+0}}^2 ,$$
 with $(v = v_+ + v_- + v_0) = ((\sqrt{2})/\sqrt{\alpha_w})(m_{W_+} + m_{W_-} + m_{W_0}).$ Then:
$$\int [F_w \wedge \star F_w + m_{W_+}^2 W_+ W_+ + m_{W_-}^2 W_- W_- + m_{W_0}^2 W_0 W_0 + (1/2)[\alpha_w \overline{W_+} W_+ + \alpha_w \overline{W_-} W_- + \alpha_w \overline{W_0} W_0][H^2 + 2vH] + (1/2)(\partial H)^2 + (1/2)(\mu^2/2)H^2 - (1/16\mu^2 v^2[1 - 4H^3/v^3 - H^4/v^4].$$

2.4 Higgs Mass

The Higgs vacuum expectation value $v = (v_+ + v_- + v_0)$ is the only particle mass free parameter.

In the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model, v is set so that the electron mass $m_e = 0.5110 MeV$.

Therefore,
$$(\sqrt{\alpha_w})/\sqrt{2}v = m_{W_+} + m_{W_-} + m_{W_0} = 260.774 GeV$$
,

the value chosen so that the electron mass (which is to be determined from it) will be 0.5110 MeV.

In the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model, α_w is calculated to be $\alpha_w = 0.2534577$, so $\sqrt{\alpha_w} = 0.5034458$ and v = 732.53 GeV.

The Higgs mass
$$m_H$$
 is given by the term $(1/2)(\partial H)^2 - (1/2)(\mu^2/2)H^2 = (1/2)[(\partial H)^2 - (\mu^2/2)H^2]$ to be $m_H^2 = \mu^2/2 = \lambda v^2/2$, so that $m_H = \sqrt{(\mu^2/2)} = \sqrt{\lambda}v^2/2$).

 λ is the scalar self-interaction strength. It should be the product of the "weak charges" of two scalars coming from the reduced 4 dimensions in Spin(4), which should be the same as the weak charge of the surviving weak force SU(2) and therefore just the square of the SU(2) weak charge, $\sqrt{(\alpha_w^2)} = \alpha_w$, where α_w is the SU(2) geometric force strength.

Therefore $\lambda = \alpha_w = 0.2534576$, $\sqrt{\lambda} = 0.5034458$, and v = 732.53 GeV, so that the mass of the Higgs scalar is $m_H = v\sqrt{(\lambda/2)} = 260.774$ GeV.

3 Spinor Fermion part of the Lagrangian

Consider the spinor fermion term $\int \overline{S_{8\pm}} \partial_8 S_{8\pm}$

For each of the surviving 4-dimensional 4 and reduced 4-dimensional \pm 4 of 8-dimensional spacetime, the part of $S_{8\pm}$ on which the Higgs SU(2) acts locally is $Q_3 = \mathbf{R}P^1 \times S^2$.

It is the Silov boundary of the bounded domain D_3 that is isomorphic to the symmetric space $\overline{D_3} = Spin(5)/SU(2) \times U(1)$.

The Dirac operator ∂_8 decomposes as $\partial = \partial_4 + \partial_{\perp 4}$, where ∂_4 is the Dirac operator corresponding to the surviving spacetime 4 and $\partial_{\perp 4}$ is the Dirac operator corresponding to the reduced $4 \perp 4$.

Then the spinor term is $\int \overline{S_{8\pm}} \partial_4 S_{8\pm} + \overline{S_{8\pm}} \partial_{\perp 4} S_{8\pm}$ The Dirac operator term $\partial_{\perp 4}$ in the reduced $\perp 4$ has dimension of mass.

After integration $\int \overline{S_{8\pm}} \partial_{\perp 4} S_{8\pm}$ over the reduced $\perp 4$, $\partial_{\perp 4}$ becomes the real scalar Higgs scalar field Y = (v + H) that comes from the complex SU(2) doublet Φ after action of the Higgs mechanism.

If integration over the reduced $\perp 4$ involving two fermion terms $\overline{S_{8\pm}}$ and $S_{8\pm}$ is taken to change the sign by $i^2 = -1$, then, by the Higgs mechanism,

$$\int \overline{S_{8\pm}} \, \not\!{\partial}_{\perp 4} S_{8\pm} \to \int \left(\int_{\perp 4} \overline{S_{8\pm}} \, \not\!{\partial}_{\perp 4} S_{8\pm} \right) \to \\
\to - \int \overline{S_{8\pm}} Y Y S_{8\pm} = - \int \overline{S_{8\pm}} Y (v + H) S_{8\pm},$$

where:

H is the real physical Higgs scalar, $m_H = v\sqrt{(\lambda/2)} = 261$ GeV, and v is the vacuum expectation value of the scalar field Y, the free parameter in the theory that sets the mass scale.

Denote the sum of the three weak boson masses by Σ_{m_W} .

 $v = \Sigma_{m_W}((\sqrt{2})/\sqrt{\alpha_w}) = 260.774 \times \sqrt{2}/0.5034458 = 732.53 GeV$, a value chosen so that the electron mass will be 0.5110 MeV.

3.1 Yukawa Coupling and Fermion Masses

Y is the Yukawa coupling between fermions and the Higgs field.

Y acts on all 28 elements

(2 helicity states for each of the 7 Dirac particles and 7 Dirac antiparticles) of the Dirac fermions in a given generation, because all of them are in the same Spin(8) spinor representation.

Denote the sum of the first generation Dirac fermion masses by Σ_{f_1} .

Then
$$Y = (\sqrt{2})\Sigma_{f_1}/v$$
, just as $\sqrt{(\alpha_w)} = (\sqrt{2})\Sigma_{m_W}/v$.

Y should be the product of two factors:

 e^2 , the square of the electromagnetic charge $e=\sqrt{\alpha_E}$, because in the term $\int (\int_{\perp 4} \overline{S_{8\pm}} \not \partial_{\perp 4} S_{8\pm}) \to -\int \overline{S_{8\pm}} Y(v+H) S_{8\pm}$ each of the Dirac fermions $S_{8\pm}$ carries electromagnetic charge proportional to e; and

 $1/g_w$, the reciprocal of the weak charge $g_w = \sqrt{\alpha_w}$, because an SU(2) force, the Higgs SU(2), couples the scalar field to the fermions.

Therefore
$$\Sigma_{f_1} = Yv/\sqrt{2} = (e^2/g_w)v/\sqrt{2} = 7.508 \text{ GeV}$$
 and

$$\Sigma_{f_1}/\Sigma_{m_W} = (e^2/g_w)v/g_wv = e^2/g_w^2 = \alpha_E/\alpha_w.$$

The Higgs term
$$-\int \overline{S_{8\pm}} Y(v+H) S_{8\pm} = -\int \overline{S_{8\pm}} Y v S_{8\pm} - \int \overline{S_{8\pm}} Y H S_{8\pm} = -int \overline{S_{8\pm}} (\sqrt{2}\Sigma_{f_1}) S_{8\pm} - \int \overline{S_{8\pm}} (\sqrt{2}\Sigma_{f_1}/v) S_{8\pm}.$$

The resulting spinor term is of the form $\int [\overline{S_{8\pm}}(\partial - Yv)S_{8\pm} - \overline{S_{8\pm}}YHS_{8\pm}]$

where $(\partial - Yv)$ is a massive Dirac operator.

How much of the total mass $\Sigma_{f_1} = Yv/\sqrt{2} = 7.5 GeV$ is allocated to each of the first generation Dirac fermions is determined by calculating the individual fermion masses in the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model, and

those calculations also give the values of

 $\Sigma_{f_2} = 32.9 GeV$, $\Sigma_{f_3} = 1,629 GeV$, and individual second and third generation fermion masses.

The individual tree-level lepton masses and quark constituent masses [8] are:

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\begin{split} m_e &= 0.5110 \text{ MeV (assumed)}; \\ m_{\nu_e} &= m_{\nu_\mu} = m_{\nu_\tau} = 0; \\ m_d &= m_u = 312.8 \text{ MeV (constituent quark mass)}; \\ m_\mu &= 104.8 \text{ MeV}; \\ m_s &= 625 \text{ MeV (constituent quark mass)}; \\ m_c &= 2.09 \text{ GeV (constituent quark mass)}; \\ m_\tau &= 1.88 \text{ GeV}; \\ m_b &= 5.63 \text{ GeV (constituent quark mass)}; \\ m_t &= 130 \text{ GeV (constituent quark mass)}. \end{split}
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The following formulas use the above masses to calculate Kobayashi-Maskawa parameters:

phase angle
$$\epsilon = \pi/2$$

 $\sin \alpha = [m_e + 3m_d + 3m_u]/\sqrt{[m_e^2 + 3m_d^2 + 3m_u^2] + [m_\mu^2 + 3m_s^2 + 3m_c^2]}$
 $\sin \beta = [m_e + 3m_d + 3m_u]/\sqrt{[m_e^2 + 3m_d^2 + 3m_u^2] + [m_\tau^2 + 3m_b^2 + 3m_t^2]}$
 $\sin \tilde{\gamma} = [m_\mu + 3m_s + 3m_c]/\sqrt{[m_\tau^2 + 3m_b^2 + 3m_t^2] + [m_\mu^2 + 3m_s^2 + 3m_c^2]}$
 $\sin \gamma = \sin \tilde{\gamma} \sqrt{\sum_{f_2}/\sum_{f_1}}$

The resulting Kobayashi-Maskawa parameters are:

	d	s	b
u	0.975	0.222	-0.00461i
c	-0.222 - 0.000191i	0.974 - 0.0000434i	0.0423
t	0.00941 - 0.00449i	-0.0413 - 0.00102i	0.999

4 Parity Violation, W-Boson Masses, and θ_w

In the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model prior to dimensional reduction, the fermion particles are all massless at tree level.

The neutrinos obey the Weyl equation and must remain massless and left-handed at tree level after dimensional reduction.

The electrons and quarks obey the Dirac equation and acquire mass after dimensional reduction.

After dimensional reduction, the charged W_{\pm} of the SU(2) weak force can interchange Weyl fermion neutrinos with Dirac fermion electrons.

4.1 Massless Neutrinos and Parity Violation

It is required (as an ansatz or part of the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model) that the charged W_{\pm} neutrino-electron interchange must be symmetric with the electron-neutrino interchange, so that the absence of right-handed neutrino particles requires that the charged W_{\pm} SU(2) weak bosons act only on left-handed electrons.

It is also required (as an ansatz or part of the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model) that each gauge boson must act consistently on the entire Dirac fermion particle sector, so that the charged W_{\pm} SU(2) weak bosons act only on left-handed fermions of all types.

Therefore, for the charged W_{\pm} SU(2) weak bosons, the 4-dimensional spinor fields $S_{8\pm}$ contain only left-handed particles and right-handed antiparticles.

So, for the charged W_{\pm} SU(2) weak bosons, $S_{8\pm}$ can be denoted $S_{8\pm L}$.

4.2 W_0 , Z, and θ_w

The neutral W_0 weak bosons do not interchange Weyl neutrinos with Dirac fermions, and so may not entirely be restricted to left-handed spinor particle

fields $S_{8\pm L}$, but may have a component that acts on the full right-handed and left-handed spinor particle fields $S_{8\pm} = S_{8\pm L} + S_{8\pm R}$.

However, the neutral W_0 weak bosons are related to the charged W_{\pm} weak bosons by custodial SU(2) symmetry, so that the left-handed component of the neutral W_0 must be equal to the left-handed (entire) component of the charged W_{\pm} .

Since the mass of the W_0 is greater than the mass of the W_{\pm} , there remains for the W_0 a component acting on the full $S_{8\pm} = S_{8\pm L} + S_{8\pm R}$ spinor particle fields.

Therefore the full W_0 neutral weak boson interaction is proportional to $(m_{W_{\pm}}^2/m_{W_0}^2)$ acting on $S_{8\pm L}$ and $(1-(m_{W_{\pm}}^2/m_{W_0}^2))$ acting on $S_{8\pm}=S_{8\pm L}+S_{8\pm R}$.

If
$$(1 - (m_{W_{\pm}} 2/m_{W_0}^2))$$
 is defined to be $\sin \theta_w^2$ and denoted by ξ , and

if the strength of the W_{\pm} charged weak force (and of the custodial SU(2) symmetry) is denoted by T,

then the W_0 neutral weak interaction can be written as: $W_{0L} \sim T + \xi$ and $W_{0R} \sim \xi$.

The $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model allows calculation of the Weinberg angle θ_w , by $m_{W_+} = m_{W_-} = m_{W_0} \cos \theta_w$.

The Hopf fibration of S^3 as $S^1 \to S^3 \to S^2$

gives a decomposition of the W bosons into the neutral W_0 corresponding to S^1 and the charged pair W_+ and W_- corresponding to S^2 .

The mass ratio of the sum of the masses of W_+ and W_- to the mass of W_0 should be the volume ratio of the S^2 in S^3 to the S^1 in S^3 .

The unit sphere $S^3 \subset R^4$ is normalized by 1/2.

The unit sphere $S^2 \subset R^3$ is normalized by $1/\sqrt{3}$.

The unit sphere $S^1 \subset R^2$ is normalized by $1/\sqrt{2}$.

The ratio of the sum of the W_+ and W_- masses to the W_0 mass should then be $(2/\sqrt{3})V(S^2)/(2/\sqrt{2})V(S^1) = 1.632993$.

The sum $\Sigma_{m_W} = m_{W_+} + m_{W_-} + m_{W_0}$ has been calculated to be $v\sqrt{\alpha_w} = 517.798\sqrt{0.2534577} = 260.774 GeV$.

Therefore, $\cos{\theta_w}^2=m_{W_\pm}^2/m_{W_0}^2=(1.632993/2)^2=0.667$, and $\sin{\theta_w}^2=0.333$, so $m_{W_\pm}=m_{W_-}=80.9GeV$, and $m_{W_0}=98.9GeV$.

4.3 Corrections for m_Z and θ_w

The above values must be corrected for the fact that only part of the w_0 acts through the parity violating SU(2) weak force and the rest acts through a parity conserving U(1) electromagnetic type force.

In the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model, the weak parity conserving U(1) electromagnetic type force acts through the U(1) subgroup of SU(2), which is not exactly like the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ electromagnetic U(1) with force strength $\alpha_E = 1/137.03608 = e^2$.

The W_0 mass m_{W_0} has two parts: the parity violating SU(2) part $m_{W_{0\pm}}$ that is equal to $m_{W_{\pm}}$; and the parity conserving part $m_{W_{00}}$ that acts like a heavy photon.

As $m_{W_0} = 98.9 \text{ GeV} = m_{W_{0\pm}} + m_{W_{00}}$, and as $m_{W_{0\pm}} = m_{W_{\pm}} = 80.9 \text{GeV}$, we have $m_{W_{00}} = 18 \text{GeV}$.

Denote by $\tilde{\alpha}_E = \tilde{e}^2$ the force strength of the weak parity conserving U(1) electromagnetic type force that acts through the U(1) subgroup of SU(2).

The $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ electromagnetic force strength $\alpha_E = e^2 = 1/137.03608$ was calculated using the volume $V(S^1)$ of an $S^1 \subset R^2$, normalized by $1/\sqrt{2}$.

The $\tilde{\alpha}_E$ force is part of the SU(2) weak force whose strength $\alpha_w = w^2$

was calculated using the volume $V(S^2)$ of $anS^2 \subset R^3$, normalized by $1/\sqrt{3}$.

Also, the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ electromagnetic force strength $\alpha_E = e^2$ was calculated using a 4-dimensional spacetime with global structure of the 4-torus T^4 made up of four S^1 1-spheres,

while the SU(2) weak force strength $\alpha_w = w^2$ was calculated using two 2-spheres $S^2 \times S^2$, each of which contains one 1-sphere of the $\tilde{\alpha_E}$ force.

Therefore $\tilde{\alpha_E} = \alpha_E(\sqrt{2}/\sqrt{3})(2/4) = \alpha_E/\sqrt{6}$, $\tilde{E} = e/4\sqrt{6} = e/1.565$, and the mass $m_{W_{00}}$ must be reduced to an effective value

$$m_{W_{00}eff} = m_{W_{00}}/1.565 = 18/1.565 = 11.5 \text{ GeV}$$

for the $\tilde{\alpha_E}$ force to act like an electromagnetic force in the 4-dimensional spacetime of the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ model:

$$Em_{W_{00}} = e(1/5.65)m_{W_{00}} = em_{Z_0},$$

where the physical effective neutral weak boson is denoted by Z rather than W_0 .

Therefore, the correct $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ values for weak boson masses and the Weinberg angle are:

$$m_{W_{+}} = m_{W_{-}} = 80.9 GeV;$$

 $m_{Z} = 80.9 + 11.5 = 92.4 GeV;$ and
 $\sin \theta_{w}^{2} = 1 - (m_{W_{\pm}}/m_{Z})^{2} = 1 - 6544.81/8537.76 = 0.233.$

Radiative corrections are not taken into account here, and may change the $D_4 - D_5 - E_6$ value somewhat.

5 Some Errata for Previous Papers

hep-th/9402003 [11] had a typographical error of only S_{8+} or S_{8-} instead of $S_{8\pm}$. The correct 8-dim Lagrangian is:

$$\int_{V_8} F_8 \wedge \star F_8 + \partial_8^2 \Phi_8 \star \partial_8^2 \Phi_8 + \overline{S_{8\pm}} \not \partial_8 S_{8\pm} + GF + GH$$

hep-th/9302030 [9] had erroneously used \times instead of \oplus for the fermion spinor space. The correct full fermion space of first generation particles and antiparticles is

$$S_{8+} \oplus S_{8\pm} = (\mathbf{R}P^1 \times S^7) \oplus (\mathbf{R}P^1 \times S^7).$$

It is the Silov boundary of the 32(real)-dimensional bounded complex domain corresponding to the TypeV HJTS $E_6/(Spin(10) \times U(1))$ [9]

hep-th/9302030 [9] had erroneously listed $SU(3)/SU(2) \times U(1)$, instead of $Spin(5)/SU(2) \times U(1) = Spin(5)/Spin(3) \times U(1)$, as the $TypeIV_3$ HJTS corresponding to the 6(real)-dimensional bounded complex domain on whose Silov boundary the gauge group SU(2) naturally acts.

The corrected table is:

The Q and D manifolds for the gauge groups of the four forces are:

Gauge	Hermitian	Type	m	Q
Group	Symmetric	of		
	Space	D		
Spin(5)	$\frac{Spin(7)}{Spin(5) \times U(1)}$	IV_5	4	$\mathbf{R}P^1 \times S^4$
SU(3)	$\frac{SU(4)}{SU(3)\times U(1)}$	$B^6 (ball)$	4	S^5
SU(2)	$\frac{Spin(5)}{SU(2)\times U(1)}$	IV_3	2	$\mathbf{R}P^1 \times S^2$
U(1)	_	_	1	_

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