

# Physics Beyond the Standard Model — Exercise Sheet 8

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## 1. FCNC-free Yukawa Lagrangian

Show that no Higgs-mediated tree-level FCNCs appear if the Yukawa Lagrangian has the form

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{Yuk}} = Y_{ij}^d \bar{Q}_i^0 \mathcal{F}_d(\{\Phi_k\}) d_{jR}^0 + Y_{ij}^u \bar{Q}_i^0 \mathcal{F}_u(\{\Phi_k\}) u_{jR}^0 + Y_{ij}^l \bar{L}_i^0 \mathcal{F}_l(\{\Phi_k\}) e_{jR}^0 + \text{H.c.}, \quad (1)$$

where  $\mathcal{F}_{u,d,l}(\{\Phi_k\})$  are functions of Higgs fields  $\{\Phi_k\}$ , which are  $SU(2)_L$  doublets and possess the following properties

- i) independent of the fermionic flavour indices  $i, j$
- ii)  $\mathcal{F}_u$  transforming like an  $SU(2)_L$  doublet with hypercharge  $Y = -1/2$  and  $\mathcal{F}_d$  and  $\mathcal{F}_l$  with hypercharge  $Y = 1/2$ .

Here  $i, j$  are generation (flavour) indices.  $Q^0$  and  $L^0$  are  $SU(2)_L$  quark and lepton doublet weak eigenstates.  $d_R^0$ ,  $u_R^0$  and  $e_R^0$  are  $SU(2)_L$  singlet weak eigenstates. The matrices  $Y_{ij}^f$  are in general non-diagonal.

- (a) Refer to Standard Model books and the introduction of the CKM matrix and quark and lepton mass eigenstates and the diagonalization of the Yukawa matrices. Applying the same procedure here, answer whether Higgs couplings to quarks and leptons contain flavour changing neutral currents.
- (b) Give some examples of  $\mathcal{F}_{u,d,l}(\{\Phi_k\})$ . Each example constitutes a separate two-Higgs doublet model.

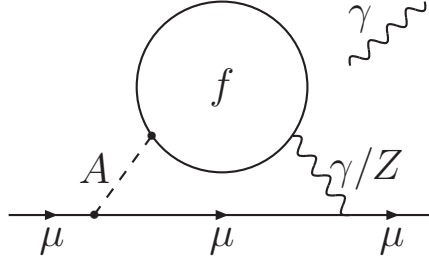
*Literature: James Wells, <https://arxiv.org/abs/0909.4541v1>*

## 2. Type X Yukawa interaction in the 2HDM

In the type X Yukawa interaction we impose the  $Z_2$  transformation:  $\Phi_1 \rightarrow -\Phi_1$ ,  $e_{jR}^0 \rightarrow -e_{jR}^0$ , and  $\mathcal{S} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}$  for all the other fields. The  $Z_2$ -invariant Yukawa interaction term can be written as

$$-\mathcal{L}_Y^X = \bar{Q}_i^0 \Delta_{ij}^u \Phi_2^c u_{jR}^0 + \bar{Q}_i^0 \Delta_{ij}^d \Phi_2 d_{jR}^0 + \bar{L}_i^0 \Gamma_{ij}^d \Phi_1 e_{jR}^0. \quad (2)$$

- (a) Referring to the lecture notes, diagonalize the mass matrices and calculate the Yukawa interaction couplings of the fermions to the neutral and charged Higgs fields.
- (b) As a phenomenological example we show here a Barr-Zee type Feynman diagram contributing to the muon anomalous magnetic moment (the external photon can couple to all charged particles). For which fermion  $f$  in the inner loop is the Feynman diagram enhanced by  $\tan^2 \beta$ ? (Note that  $\tan \beta$  can be realistically as large as  $\sim 60$ .)



### 3. Leptoquark models:

Consider an extension of the SM by leptoquarks  $\phi$ . Out of the 10 possible types of leptoquarks (see particle data group review on leptoquarks), we take the two options for interactions

$$\mathcal{L}_{LQ1} = \lambda_{IJ} \phi_1 \bar{d}^I P_L L^J + h.c. \quad (3)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{LQ2} = \lambda'_{IJ} \bar{Q}^I P_R l^J \phi_2 + \lambda''_{IJ} \bar{u}^I P_L L^J \cdot \phi_2 + h.c. \quad (4)$$

where  $L^I, Q^I$  are the SM doublets of left-handed leptons and quarks of generation  $I$ , and similar for the right-handed singlets  $l^I, u^I, d^I$ .

a) What must the hypercharges of  $\phi_1$  and  $\phi_2$  be in order for these interactions to be gauge invariant? In case 2, check that both terms are gauge invariant for the same hypercharge assignment.

b) Write down Feynman diagrams for the three interactions. In case 2, the leptoquark is an  $SU(2)_L$  doublet  $\phi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_2^1 \\ \phi_2^2 \end{pmatrix}$ , and the dot product is defined as  $L \cdot \phi_2 = \nu \phi_2^2 - l \phi_2^1$ .

c) In which case(s) can you obtain a leptoquark tree-level contribution to the process  $b \rightarrow ce\bar{\nu}_e$ ? Which couplings are involved in the Feynman diagram?

d) In which case(s) can you obtain a leptoquark one-loop contribution to  $g - 2$  of the muon, i.e. to the muon-muon-photon interaction? Which couplings are involved?

*Literature: Particle Data Group review*

<http://pdg.lbl.gov/2020/reviews/rpp2020-rev-leptoquark-quantum-numbers.pdf>