



The Role of the Dilaton in Composite Higgs models

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EFT FOR THE DILATON



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Example:

$$e^{-2\alpha\Delta}\langle \mathcal{O}(e^{-\alpha}x')\mathcal{O}(e^{-\alpha}y')\rangle = \langle \mathcal{O}(x')\mathcal{O}(y')\rangle \implies \langle \mathcal{O}(x)\mathcal{O}(y)\rangle = \frac{const}{|x-y|^{2\Delta}}$$

CFT
$$\langle \mathcal{O}(x) \rangle = f^{\Delta}$$
 Poincare'





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V overall rescaling Higgs-like Dilaton? SO(4)/SO(3)+ dilaton with $v\sim f$ within 10%

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integrate out the CFT: $\sim y_L y_R v \psi_L \psi_R$ compensate: $\sim y_L y_R v \psi_L \psi_R \times \chi^{1+\gamma_L+\gamma_R}$ $\left(\mathcal{L} \supset m_{\psi} \psi_L \psi_R \left[1 + \frac{\sigma}{f} (1 + \gamma_L + \gamma_R) \right] \right)$



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gamma positive for light fermions (gamma~0.1 for taus)

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DILATON COUPLINGS: SUMMARY



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example w/ composite top-right for Higgs-like Dilaton: $\frac{v}{f}(\beta_{UV}^{CFT} + \beta_{SM}^{\gamma} - \beta_{t_R,W_L}^{\gamma})$

HIGGS-LIKE DILATON: FITTING DATA









scale dim. can be suitably chosen: $\Delta_{\pi} = 0$ "angles"



$$\mathcal{L}_{CFT+G}^{(2)} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\frac{f_{\pi}^2}{f^2} \right) \chi^2 \left(\partial_{\mu} \pi^{\hat{a}} \partial_{\mu} \pi^{\hat{b}} g_{\hat{a}\hat{b}}(\pi) \right) + \frac{1}{2} (\partial \chi)^2 \right]$$

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non-compact (dilations): no scale
 singular at the apex: cut-off=0









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$$SO(n+1)/SO(n) = S_n \longrightarrow A(\pi\pi \to \pi\pi) \sim \frac{s}{f_\pi^2} - \frac{s}{f^2}$$

Limit:
$$f = f_{\pi}$$

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E.g.: the Higgs-like dilaton SO(4)/SO(3)? $(f_{\pi} \equiv) v = f$?

symmetry or tuning (or dynamics)?is it actually weakly coupled?

 $\Lambda \sim 4\pi f? \quad \Lambda \gg 4\pi f?$



 $|\Phi|^2 = f_\pi^2$









all amplitudes are trivially vanishing (at this order)

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no reasons to expect $A(\pi\pi \to \pi\pi) \sim E^{4}$



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barring non-locality (=no extra massless fields)





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the relevant operator is small by symmetry

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but the whole potential is suppressed by translations

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} \partial_{\mu} \varphi^{a} \partial_{\mu} \varphi^{a} + \epsilon_{ISO} \cdot \lambda^{2} \cdot \left(\frac{M_{CFT}^{2}}{4\lambda^{2}} - \varphi^{a} \varphi^{a} \right)^{2} + \dots$$

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$$\begin{aligned} f^2 &= \frac{M_{C \not F T}^2}{4\lambda^2} \qquad m_{\sigma}^2 \propto \epsilon f^2 \qquad \Delta = \frac{f^2}{v^2} \gg 1 \\ \end{aligned} \end{aligned}$$
 generically big tuning!





spurions carry both G-indexes and scale dimension



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5 parameters: trade for $m_\sigma \ m_h \ v/f_\pi \ f \ m_t$

Predictions (e.g. amplitudes) all in terms of physical quantities

DILATON DECAYS













CONCLUSIONS

- A new scalar has been discovered: it can well be a pNGB as in CHM
- The EFT for a Composite Higgs+Dilaton is quite interesting and predictive
 - **★** Funny geometrical structure (btw, is the cone homotopy trivial?) $\pi_1(Cone)$
 - ★ f=fpi by symmetry ISO(n), but weakly coupled
 - ★ Clear Dilaton BRs
 - Curious WW-scattering (can we see E^4 behavior? strong vs weak dynamics, dynamics vs symmetry)

singularity

- ★ Higgs and Dilaton potential are related
- ★ Can we distinguish it from another heavy H or pNGB? (not discussed)
- When f<fpi the curvature is negative and singular: does it imply ghost? (not discussed)

THANK YOU!

backup slides

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$$L_{eff} = -\Lambda_{(5)}L^{5}(\partial\chi)^{2}/2 - \chi^{4}\left(-\Lambda_{(5)}L^{5} + V_{IR}L^{4}\right)$$

$$\mathsf{NDA:} \begin{cases} \delta a_{bulk} = -\Lambda_{(5)} L^5 \sim \frac{12^{5/2}}{24\pi^3} = \mathcal{O}(1) \\ \delta a_{IR} = V_{IR} L^4 = V_{IR} \left(\frac{L}{z_{IR}}\right)^4 z_{IR}^4 \sim 16\pi^2 \end{cases}$$



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sym.is restored.

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	\overline{Q}	3	2	1/3	1
	L	1	2	-1	-3
	\overline{U}	$\overline{3}$	1	-4/3	-8
	\overline{D}	$\overline{3}$	1	2/3	4

 $g_i(\Lambda_i) \approx 4\pi$

 $\Lambda_3 \gg \Lambda_2$

3 classical flat directions: $Q\bar{D}L \quad Q\bar{U}L \quad \det \bar{Q}Q$

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SO(5)	SO(4)	4	${f 4}=({f 2},{f 2})$
SO(6)	SO(5)	5	${f 5}=({f 1},{f 1})+({f 2},{f 2})$
SO(6)	$SO(4) \times SO(2)$	8	$\mathbf{4_{+2}} + \mathbf{ar{4}_{-2}} = 2 imes (2, 2)$
SO(7)	SO(6)	6	${f 6}=2 imes ({f 1},{f 1})+({f 2},{f 2})$
SO(7)	$\mathbf{G_2}$	7	${f 7}=({f 1},{f 3})+({f 2},{f 2})$
SO(7)	$SO(5) \times SO(2)$	10	$10_0 = (3, 1) + (1, 3) + (2, 2)$
SO(7)	$[SO(3)]^{3}$	12	(2, 2, 3) = 3 imes (2, 2)
$\operatorname{Sp}(6)$	$Sp(4) \times SU(2)$	8	$(4, 2) = 2 \times (2, 2), (2, 2) + 2 \times (2, 1)$
SU(5)	$SU(4) \times U(1)$	8	$4_{-5}+\mathbf{ar{4}}_{+5}=2 imes(2,2)$
SU(5)	SO(5)	14	${f 14}=({f 3},{f 3})+({f 2},{f 2})+({f 1},{f 1})$
(infinitesimal) special conformal transformations

$$x^{\mu} \to x^{\mu'} = x^{\mu} + 2(b \cdot x)x^{\mu} - b^{\mu}x^{2} + o(b^{2})$$

 $J = |\partial x'/\partial x| = 1 + 8b \cdot x + o(b^{2})$

$$\chi(x) \to \chi'(x') = J^{-1/4} \chi(x) \tag{A.4}$$
$$\partial_{\mu} \chi(x) \to \frac{\partial x^{\alpha}}{\partial x'^{\mu}} J^{-1/4} \chi(x) \left(\partial_{\alpha} \sigma - 2b_{\alpha}\right) \tag{A.5}$$

$$\partial_{\mu}\sigma \to \frac{\partial x^{\alpha}}{\partial x'^{\mu}} \left(\partial_{\alpha}\sigma - 2b_{\alpha}\right)$$
 (A.6)

$$\Box \sigma \to J^{-1/2} \left(\Box \sigma + 4b^{\alpha} \partial_{\alpha} \sigma \right) \tag{A.7}$$

$$(\partial_{\mu}\sigma)^{2} \to J^{-1/2} \left[(\partial_{\alpha}\sigma)^{2} - 4b^{\alpha}\partial_{\alpha}\sigma \right]$$
 (A.8)

$$\Box \sigma)^2 \to J^{-1} \left[(\Box \sigma) + 8b^\alpha \partial_\alpha \sigma \Box \sigma \right] \tag{A.9}$$

$$s^{\mu}_{\mu} \equiv (\Box \sigma + (\partial_{\mu} \sigma)^2) \to J^{-1/2} s^{\mu}_{\mu} \tag{A.10}$$

$$a^{\mu}_{\mu} \equiv \left(\Box \sigma - (\partial_{\mu} \sigma)^2\right) \to J^{-1/2} \left[a^{\mu}_{\mu} + 8b^{\alpha} \partial_{\alpha} \sigma\right] \tag{A.11}$$

$$s_{\mu\nu} \equiv (\partial_{\mu}\partial_{\nu}\sigma + \partial_{\mu}\sigma\partial_{\nu}\sigma) \rightarrow \frac{\partial x^{\alpha}}{\partial x'^{\mu}} \frac{\partial x^{\beta}}{\partial x'^{\nu}} \left[s_{\alpha\beta} - 4b_{\alpha}\partial_{\beta}\sigma - 4b_{\beta}\partial_{\alpha}\sigma + 2g_{\alpha\beta}b^{\gamma}\partial_{\gamma}\sigma\right]$$
(A.12)
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non-covariant transformations