The Higgs boson mass—what it means for the Standard Model?

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Standard Model – describes nearly everything







Describes

- all laboratory experiments

 electromagnetism,
 nuclear processes, etc.
- all processes in the evolution of the Universe after the Big Bang Nucleosynthesis (T < 1 MeV, t > 1 sec)

Experimental problems:

- Laboratory
 - ? Neutrino oscillations
- Cosmology
 - ? Baryon asymmetry of the Universe
 - ? Dark Matter



? Inflation



? Dark Energy

Can we describe everything with as small extension as possible?

- Minimal number of new particles
- No new scales before inflation/gravity

vMSM+inflation – describes everything







with vMSM

- Right handed neutrinos
 - see-saw generation of active neutrino masses
 - keV scale DM
 - Baryogenesys via leptogenesys

+ comological constant

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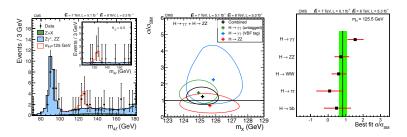
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CMS "new boson" results



"New boson" mass

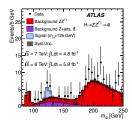
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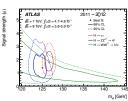
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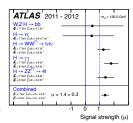
[CMS'12]

Introduction 0000

ATLAS "new particle" results







"New particle" mass

 $M_h = 126.0 \pm 0.4 ({\rm stat}) \pm 0.4 ({\rm syst}) \,{\rm GeV}$

5.9σ for SM Higgs boson of this mass

[ATLAS'12]

SM everywhere?

What happens if there is nothing else up to the Planck scales? (or at least up to the scale of inflation)

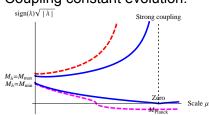
Renormalization evolution of the Higgs self coupling λ

$$(4\pi)^2 eta_{\lambda} = 24\lambda^2 - 6y_t^4 \ + rac{3}{8}(2g_2^4 + (g_2^2 + g_1^2)^2) \ + (-9g_2^2 - 3g_1^2 + 12y_t^2)\lambda$$

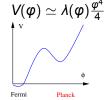
- High M_h strong coupling
- Low M_h our (EW) vacuum is metastable.
- Boundary situation –
 M_h = M_{min}

$$\lambda(\mu_0) = 0, \quad \beta_{\lambda}(\mu_0) \equiv \mu \frac{d\lambda}{d\mu} = 0$$

Coupling constant evolution:



Higgs effective potential





Higgs potential stability – which case is realized?



Calculation steps

Input: Pole masses M_t , M_h (and other constants at scale $\mu = M_Z$)

• Convert to $\overline{\rm MS}$ constants $\lambda(\mu)$, $y_t(\mu)$ at a scale μ between M_Z and M_t

$$y_{t}(\mu) = 2^{3/4} \sqrt{G_{F}} M_{t} \times \left(1 + \delta y_{t}(M_{t}, \alpha_{S}, \alpha, s_{W}^{2}, M_{Z}; \mu)\right)$$

$$\lambda(\mu) = \sqrt{2} G_{F} M_{h}^{2} \times \left(1 + \delta \lambda(M_{t}, \alpha_{S}, \alpha, s_{W}^{2}, M_{Z}; \mu)\right)$$

Evolve with RG up to the Planck scale

$$\mu \frac{d\lambda}{d\mu} = \beta_{\lambda}(\lambda, y_t, g_i), \quad \mu \frac{dy_t}{d\mu} = \beta_{y_t}(\lambda, y_t, g_i), \quad \dots$$

Output: $\lambda(\mu)$ in \overline{MS}

Finally: solve for $\lambda(\mu_0) = \lambda'(\mu_0) = 0$.

Calculation steps: state of the art

• Convert to MS constants $\lambda(\mu)$, $y_t(\mu)$ at a scale μ between M_Z and M_t

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\delta y_t Up to O(\alpha_s^2), O(\alpha)
 \delta \lambda Up to O(\alpha)
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Evolve with RG up to Planck scales

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\beta_{\alpha_i} two loops
\beta_{V_{\star}}, \beta_{\lambda} two loops
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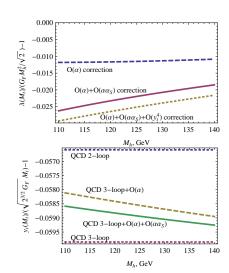
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\delta y_t Up to O(\alpha_s^2), O(\alpha)
         O(\alpha_s^3) [Chetyrkin, Steinhauser'99, Melnikov, Ritbergen'00]
         O(\alpha \alpha_s) [FB, Kalmykov, Kniehl, Shaposhnikov'12]
    \delta \lambda Up to O(\alpha)
         O(\alpha \alpha_s)
                              [FB, Kalmykov, Kniehl, Shaposhnikov'12]
         O(\sqrt{t}) (Yukawa part of O(\alpha^2))
[Degrassi, Di Vita, Elias-Miro, Espinosa, Giudice, Isidori, Strumia'12]
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Evolve with RG up to Planck scales

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\beta_{a_i} two loops
         three loops
                                     [Mihaila, Salomon, Steinhauser'12]
\beta_{V_t}, \beta_{\lambda} two loops
         three loops (no EW gauge contributions)
                                                    [Chetyrkin, Zoller'12]
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Size of new contributions to M_{\min}

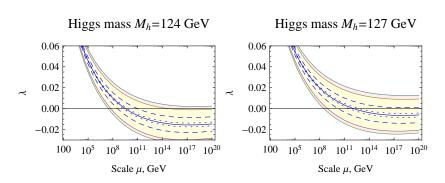
Contribution	$\Delta M_{\rm min}$, GeV
Three loop	
beta functions	-0.23
$\delta y_t \propto {\cal O}(lpha_s^3)$	-1.15
$\delta y_t \propto O(\alpha a_s)$	-0.13
$\delta\lambda\propto {\cal O}(\alphalpha_{s})$	0.62
$\delta\lambda\propto O(y_t^4)$	0.2



Error budget Theoretical

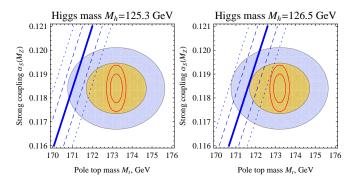
Source of uncertainty	Nature of estimate	$\Delta_{theor} M_{min}$, GeV
3-loop matching λ	Sensitivity to μ	1.0
3-loop matching y _t	Sensitivity to μ	0.2
4-loop a_s to y_t	educated guess	0.4
confinement, y_t	educated guess	0.5
4-loop RG $M_W o M_P$	educated guess	< 0.2
total uncertainty	sum of squares	1.2
total uncertainty	linear sum	2.3
Experimental		
Source of uncertainty		$\Delta_{exp} \textit{M}_{min},GeV$
M_t		\sim 2
a_s		~ 0.6
total uncertainty	sum of squares	2.1

Scale for λ turning negative is high



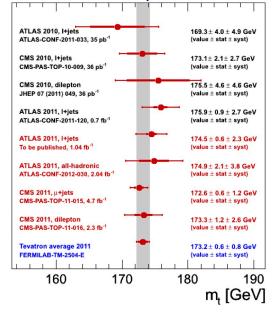
Critical Higgs mass is compatible with M_t and α_s

Tevatron value: $M_t = 173.2 \pm 0.6 \text{(stat)} \pm 0.8 \text{(syst)} \text{ GeV}$ $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1184 \pm 0.0007$



$$\textit{M}_{\text{min}} = \left\lceil 129.5 + rac{\textit{M}_{t} - 173.2\,\text{GeV}}{0.9\,\text{GeV}} imes 1.8 - rac{lpha_{s} - 0.1184}{0.0007} imes 0.6 \pm 2
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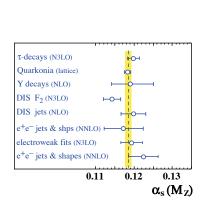
Top mass determination

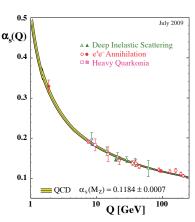


In addition:

 Problems with relation of M_{Pythia} and M_{pole} – up to ~ 1 GeV

α_s determination





Part I Conclusions: Is there a coincidence?

For the Higgs boson mass

$$\textit{M}_{min} = \left[129.5 + \frac{\textit{M}_{t} - 173.2\,\text{GeV}}{0.9\,\text{GeV}} imes 1.8 - \frac{\textit{\alpha}_{s} - 0.1184}{0.0007} imes 0.6 \pm 2
ight] \text{GeV}$$

(that is somewhere between 125–134 GeV) a coincidence takes place in the SM:

$$\lambda(\mu) = \beta_{\lambda}(\mu) = 0$$
, for $\mu \simeq M_P$

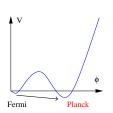
- To check this coincidence precise measurement of M_h and M_t is needed
 - Build a lepton collider at ≥ 350 GeV!
 - Calculate of higher order relations between MSparameters and masses

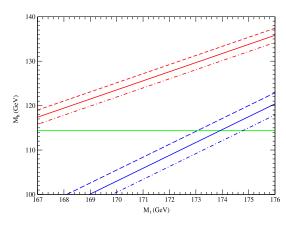
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Even metastable EW vacuum overlives the Universe

Will the vacuum decay?



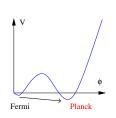


[Espinosa, Giudice, Riotto'07]

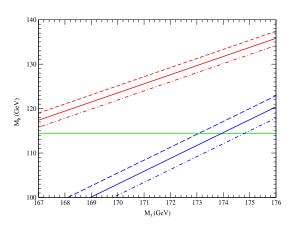
EW vacuum lifetime $> \tau_{\text{Universe}}$ $M_b > 111 \text{ GeV}$

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Asymptotic safe model has a non-trivial UV fixed point

Above Planck scale beta functions get additional terms

$$eta_h^{\mathsf{grav}} = rac{a_h}{8\pi} rac{\mu^2}{M_P^2(\mu)} h$$

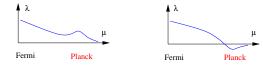
where $h \in \{g_1, g_2, g_3, \lambda, y_t\}$ – coupling constant and the running Planck mass is

$$M_P^2(\mu) \simeq M_P^2 + 2\xi_0\mu^2$$

with $\xi_0 \simeq 0.024$

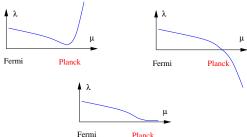
Asymptotic safety prediction of the Higgs mass





 $a_{\lambda} > 0$ leads to the prediction $M_h = M_{\min}$

Up to a difference of 0.1-0.2 GeV



[Shaposhnikov, Wetterich'09]

There are other models predicting the same Higgs mass

- Forggart, Nielsen'96 Multiple point principle.
 All the vacua should be degenerate thus, the same prediction M_h = M_{min}
- Masina, Notari'11 inflation from the decay of the metastable Planck scale vacuum $M_h \simeq M_{min}$
- ...

Inflation may change things

Adding inflation to the model – will it give bounds?

Non-minimal coupling of the Higgs gives inflation

Quite an old idea

Add h^2R term (required by renormalization) to the usual M_P^2R term in the gravitational action

- A.Zee'78, L.Smolin'79, B.Spokoiny'84
- D.Salopek J.Bond J.Bardeen'89

Scalar part of the (Jordan frame) action

$$S_{J} = \int d^{4}x \sqrt{-g} \left\{ -\frac{M_{P}^{2}}{2}R - \xi \frac{h^{2}}{2}R + g_{\mu\nu}\frac{\partial^{\mu}h\partial^{\nu}h}{2} - \frac{\lambda}{4}(h^{2} - v^{2})^{2} \right\}$$

- h is the Higgs field; $M_P \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{8\pi G_N}} = 2.4 \times 10^{18} \, \mathrm{GeV}$
- SM higgs vev $v \ll M_P / \sqrt{\xi}$

[FB, Shaposhnikov'08]

Conformal transformation – way to calculate

It is possible to get rid of the non-minimal coupling by the conformal transformation (change of variables)

$$\hat{g}_{\mu\nu} = \Omega^2 g_{\mu\nu} \; , \qquad \Omega^2 \equiv 1 + rac{\xi \dot{h}^2}{M_P^2}$$

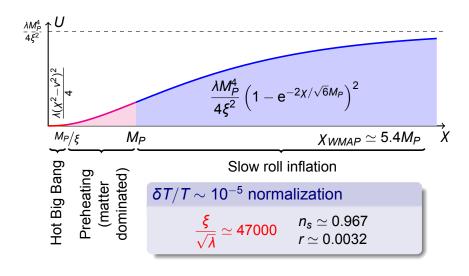
Redefinition of the Higgs field to get canonical kinetic term

$$\frac{d\chi}{dh} = \sqrt{\frac{\Omega^2 + 6\xi^2 h^2/M_P^2}{\Omega^4}} \quad \Longrightarrow \; \left\{ \begin{array}{l} h \simeq \chi & \text{for } h < M_P/\xi \\ \Omega^2 \simeq \exp\left(\frac{2\chi}{\sqrt{6}M_P}\right) & \text{for } h > M_P/\xi \end{array} \right.$$

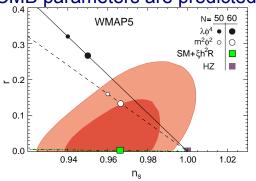
Resulting action (Einstein frame action)

$$S_{E} = \int \text{d}^{4}x \sqrt{-\hat{g}} \Bigg\{ -\frac{\text{M}_{P}^{2}}{2} \hat{R} + \frac{\partial_{\mu}\chi \partial^{\mu}\chi}{2} - \frac{\frac{\lambda}{4} \frac{h(\chi)^{4}}{\Omega(\chi)^{4}} \Bigg\}$$

Potential – different stages of the Universe





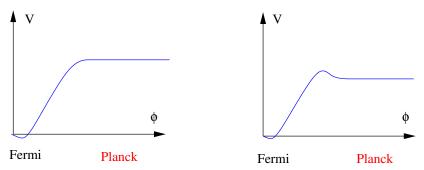


spectral index
$$n \simeq 1 - \frac{8(4N+9)}{(4N+3)^2} \simeq 0.97$$

tensor/scalar ratio $r \simeq \frac{192}{(4N+3)^2} \simeq 0.0033$

$$\delta T/T \sim 10^{-5} \implies \frac{\xi}{\sqrt{\lambda}} \simeq 47000$$

No high energy minimum of potential should appear below inflation



In Higgs Inflation – Bound on the Higgs mass

 $M_h > M_{\min}$

Up to a difference of 0.1-0.2 GeV

[FB, Shaposhnikov'09]

Modifying the gravity action gives inflation

Another way to get inflation in the SM

The first working inflationary model

[Starobinsky'80]

The gravity action gets higher derivative terms

$$S_J = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left\{ -rac{M_P^2}{2}R + rac{\zeta^2}{4}R^2
ight\} + S_{SM}$$

Conformal transformation

conformal transformation (change of variables)

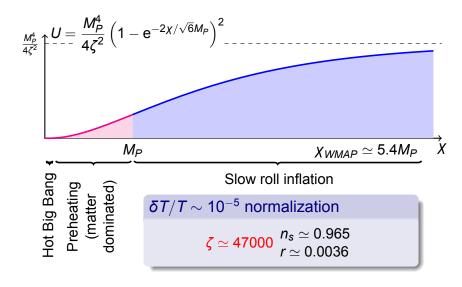
$$\hat{g}_{\mu
u} = \Omega^2 g_{\mu
u} \; , \qquad \Omega^2 \equiv \exp \left(rac{\chi(x)}{\sqrt{6} M_{
m P}}
ight)$$

 $\chi(x)$ – new field (d.o.f.) "scalaron"

Resulting action (Einstein frame action)

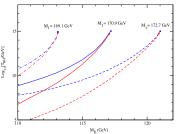
$$S_E = \int d^4x \sqrt{-\hat{g}} \left\{ -\frac{M_P^2}{2} \hat{R} + \frac{\partial_\mu \chi \partial^\mu \chi}{2} - \frac{M_P^4}{4\zeta^2} \left(1 - e^{-\frac{2\chi}{\sqrt{6}M_P}} \right)^2 \right\}$$

Inflationary potential



The SM vacuum should not decay at hot stage after inflation

The electroweak vacuum may decay at high temperature



[Espinosa, Giudice, Riotto'07]

Reheating is due to M_P suppressed operators \Rightarrow temperature is low $T_r \sim 10^7 - 10^9 \,\text{GeV}$

Higgs mass bounds in R^2 is weak

 $m_H > 116 \,\mathrm{GeV}$

(superseded by LEP/LHC)

Summary

Coincidence in pure SM

• for $M_h = M_{\min} =$

$$\left\lceil 128.9 + \tfrac{\textit{M}_{\textit{t}} - 172.9\,\text{GeV}}{1.1\,\text{GeV}} \times 2.2 - \tfrac{\alpha_{\textit{s}} - 0.1184}{0.0007} \times 0.6 \pm 2 \right\rceil \text{GeV}$$

- Future accelerator needed to clear up the situation Higgs and top factory e^+e^- collider up to $\sim 350\,\text{GeV}$
- Possible consequences for SM
 - In some models (i.e. asymptotic safety) $M_h = M_{min}$ is the prediction
 - In some models (i.e. Higgs inflation) $M_h > M_{min}$
 - In some models (R^2 inflation) no problem with light M_h



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Exact effective potetnial definition

$$V(\varphi) \propto \lambda(\varphi) \varphi^4 \left[1 + O\left(rac{lpha}{4\pi} \log(M_i/M_j)
ight)
ight],$$

Corrections to the potential

1-loop effective potential

$$\Delta \textit{U}(\chi) \sim \sum_{\text{particles}} \frac{\textit{m}^4(\chi)}{64\pi^2} \log \frac{\textit{m}^2(\chi)}{\mu^2} \quad \big| \quad \frac{\textit{m}^4(\chi)}{64\pi^2} \log \frac{\textit{m}^2(\chi)}{\mu^2/\Omega^2(\chi)}$$

In Einstein frame:
$$m^2(\chi) \sim g^2 h^2(\chi)/\Omega^2(\chi)$$

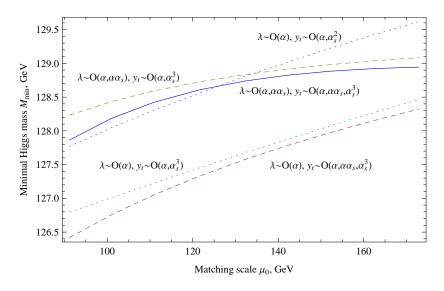
- Correct by RG running
- Ambiguity in the theory definition in UV

Cutoff frame dependence and choice

	choice I	choice II
Jordan frame	$M_P^2 + \xi h^2$	M_P^2
Einstein frame	M_P^2	$rac{\mathit{M}_{P}^{4}}{\mathit{M}_{P}^{2}+\xi\mathit{h}^{2}}$

FB, Magnin, Shaposhnikov'09

RG scale dependence



Preheating

- Background evolution after inflation $\chi < M_P \, (h < M_P/\sqrt{\xi})$
 - Quadratic potential $U \simeq \frac{\mu^2}{2} \chi^2$ with $\mu = \sqrt{\frac{\Lambda}{3} \frac{M_P}{\xi}}$
 - Matter dominated stage $a \propto t^{2/3}$



- ullet Particle masses $m_W^2(\chi) \sim g^2 rac{M_P |\chi|}{\xi}$
- W bosons are created (non-relativistic)
 - $\sqrt{\langle \chi^2
 angle} \gtrsim 23 \left(\frac{_{\lambda}}{_{0.25}} \right) \frac{_{M_P}}{\xi}$: non-resonant creation/W decay
 - $\sqrt{\langle \chi^2 \rangle} \lesssim 23 (\frac{\lambda}{0.25}) \frac{M_P}{\xi}$: resonant creation/W annihilation
- Higgs creation relativistic, less efficient $\sqrt{\langle \chi^2 \rangle} \sim 2.6 \left(\frac{\lambda}{0.25} \right)^{1/2} \frac{M_P}{\mathcal{E}}$

Reheating at

$$T_r \gtrsim 3.4 \times 10^{13} \,\mathrm{GeV}$$

Bezrukov et.al'2008, Garcia-Bellido'2008