

[Hollik, Kraus, Roth, Rupp, Sibold, DS, 2002]

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$\tan \beta$

- $\tan \beta$ : central input parameter
- must be renormalized

Aim: Find a good renormalization scheme for  $\tan \beta$

**Important:** gauge dependence of  $\tan \beta$

Outline:

- gauge dependence of well-known schemes
- gauge-indep. schemes  $\longrightarrow$  drawbacks
- “No-Go”-Theorem, no ideal scheme
- Conclusions

$$\tan \beta$$

Lowest order:  $\tan \beta = \frac{v_2}{v_1}$

Higher orders: renormalization scheme determines

- relation to observables
- numerical value  $(\tan \beta)_{\text{exp}}$
- gauge dependence, ...

Three desirable properties of ren. schemes:

- Gauge independence
- Numerical stability
- Process independence

Process dependent: e.g.

$$\tan^2 \beta \stackrel{!}{=} \text{const} \times \Gamma(H^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu_\tau)$$

## Gauge dependence

Known schemes:

$$\begin{array}{ll} \overline{DR} : & \delta \tan \beta^{\text{fin}} \stackrel{!}{=} 0 \\ \text{Dabelstein,} & \widehat{\Sigma}_{A^0 Z}(M_A^2) \stackrel{!}{=} 0 \\ \text{Chankowski et al} & \end{array}$$

**Good:**  $\tan \beta$  defined in the Higgs sector,  
technically easy

**Bad:** no direct relation to observables,  
→ gauge dependent?

# Gauge dependence

Determination of  $\xi$ -dependence:

$$\text{extended STI } \tilde{S}(\Gamma) = S(\Gamma) + \chi \partial_\xi \Gamma \stackrel{!}{=} 0$$

$\Rightarrow (\tan \beta)_{\text{exp}} \xi\text{-indep.}$

$\xi$ -dependence of the  $\overline{DR}$ -scheme

$$\overline{DR}: \quad (\forall \xi) \quad \delta \tan \beta^{\text{fin}} \stackrel{!}{=} 0$$

$$\text{but} \quad \tilde{S}(\Gamma) = 0 \Rightarrow \quad \partial_\xi \delta \tan \beta \neq 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  **Contradiction!**

Dabelstein, ... : similarly

Good luck:

no contradiction in  $\overline{DR}$ ,  $R_\xi$ -gauge, 1-Loop

Result:

$\overline{DR}$ , Dabel,...-schemes are  $\xi$ -dep.!

(for 2-Loop: [Yamada01])

## $\xi$ -independent schemes

Alternative (?): Devise  $\xi$ -indep. schemes:

(1) Tadpole scheme:

$$\delta t_\beta^{\text{fin}} \stackrel{!}{=} \text{const.} \left( \frac{\delta t_1}{v_1} + \frac{\delta t_2}{v_2} \right)$$

(2)  $m_3$ -scheme:

$$\delta m_3^{\text{fin}} \stackrel{!}{=} 0$$

(3) HiggsMass-scheme:

$$\cos^2(2\beta) \stackrel{!}{=} \frac{M_h^2 M_H^2}{M_A^2 (M_h^2 + M_H^2 - M_A^2)}$$

$\Rightarrow \tilde{S}(\Gamma) = 0$ ,  $(\tan \beta)_{\text{exp}}$   $\xi$ -indep.

Result:

Process-indep. and gauge-indep. schemes exist

# Numerical properties

## Drawback of $\xi$ -indep. schemes

- e.g.  $\bar{\mu}$ -dependence

$$\frac{d}{d \log \bar{\mu}} \tan \beta : (m_h^{\max} - \text{Scenario})$$

	$\overline{DR}$	(1)	(2)
$\tan \beta = 3$	-0.1	4.5	0.8
$\tan \beta = 50$	-0.2	370.7	285.3

Result:

Numerically unstable, useless in practice !

- $M_h$  (1-Loop):  $(m_h^{\max}, \tan \beta = 3)$

$\overline{DR}$	Dabel,...	(2)	(3)
134.63	134.44	173.45	119.58

## “No-Go” - Theorem

### Generalization:

If  $\tan \beta$  is defined in the Higgs sector,

$$\delta \tan \beta^{\text{fin}} = \text{linear combination of} \\ \left( \Sigma_{A^0 A^0}(M_A^2), \Sigma_{A^0 G^0}(M_A^2), \Sigma_{A^0 Z}(M_A^2), \right. \\ \Sigma_{HH}(M_H^2), \Sigma_{hh}(M_h^2), \Sigma_{Hh}(M_{H,h}^2), \\ \Sigma'_{A^0 A^0}(M_A^2), \Sigma'_{HH}(M_H^2), \Sigma'_{hh}(M_h^2), \\ \left. \delta t_1, \delta t_2 \right)^{\text{fin}}$$

and gauge-independent, then  
always a numerical instability is introduced

*[Freitas, DS, 02]*

Three desirable properties of ren. schemes:

- (G) Gauge independence
- (N) Numerical stability
- (P) Process independence

Negative results:

( $\overline{DR}$ , Dabel,...): not (G)

(G), (P) schemes: exist

(G), (P) schemes: numerically unstable

Alternative (?): process-dep. schemes: (G),(N)

e.g.  $\tan^2 \beta \stackrel{!}{=} \text{const.} \times \Gamma(A^0 \rightarrow \tau\tau)$

or  $\tan^2 \beta \stackrel{!}{=} \text{const.} \times \Gamma(H^\pm \rightarrow \tau^\pm \nu)$

**Drawbacks:** technically complicated

(IR-Div. QED-corrections in 2nd process),  
flavour dependent, not unique

# Conclusions

Gauge-indep. schemes in the Higgs sector useless

$\overline{DR}$ , Dabel,... useful but gauge dependent

NB:  $\overline{DR}$ ,  $R_\xi$ -gauge: gauge-indep. at 1-Loop

*[Yamada, 01]*

$\overline{DR}$ : numerically most well-behaved

*[Frank, Heinemeyer, Hollik, Weiglein, 02]*

$(A^0 \rightarrow \tau\tau)$ -scheme possible but has drawbacks

best compromise:  $\overline{DR}$ -scheme

- numerically most well-behaved,
- gauge indep. (1-Loop,  $R_\xi$ -gauge)
- technically easiest