## BSM physics after LHC8

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### De-motivation



It's always darkest just before it goes pitch black.

### The SM rules



Agrees with all collider-based tests

Accidental symmetries of SM are fully observed (B,L)

Small breaking of global symmetries (flavor,  $SU(2)_V$ ) measured as predicted



Generic new physics must be at  $\Lambda \gg TeV$ 

Flavor must be aligned with the SM, or SM-like

### LHC BSM summary:





















## Why go beyond the SM?

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## Adding SM-like Higgs SM works up to $\Lambda \gg {\rm LHC}$



## Adding SM-like Higgs

What if the coupling is not exactly like in the SM?





Even if we measure a < 1, no guarantee for new physics in reach of LHC.

#### **Example:** composite pseudo-Goldstone Higgs:

$$a = \sqrt{1 - (v/f)^2} \approx 0.8 \dots 0.9$$
  
 $\Lambda > 6 \dots 8 \,\mathrm{TeV}$ 

## So what should be our guiding principle?



## What's the problem? ?



Weisskopf, Phys. Rev.56 (1939) 72

## What's the problem? m?

 $m_{\rm scalar}^2 \sim \Lambda^2$ 



On the Self-Energy and the Electromagnetic Field of the Electron

V. F. WEISSKOPF University of Rochester, Rochester, New York (Received April 12, 1939)

The charge distribution, the electromagnetic field and the self-energy of an electron are investigated. It is found that, as a result of Dirac's positron theory, the charge and the magnetic dipole of the electron are extended over a finite region; the contributions of the spin and of the fluctuations of the radiation field to the self-energy are analyzed, and the reasons that the self-energy is only logarithmically infinite in positron theory are given. It is proved that the latter result holds to every approximation in an expansion of the self-energy in powers of  $e^2/hc$ . The self-energy of charged particles obeying Bose statistics is found to be quadratically divergent. Some evidence is given that the "critical length" of positron theory is as small as  $h/(mc) \cdot \exp(-hc/e^2)$ .

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## A light Higgs is unnatural

 $V(h) = \epsilon \Lambda^2 h^2 + \lambda h^4$ 

For  $\epsilon = \pm O(1)$   $\langle h \rangle = 0$  $\langle h \rangle = \Lambda$ 

Need:  $\sqrt{\epsilon} \sim m_W / \Lambda$ 

### Naturalness\*

- Higgs mass is sensitive to high scale threshold (GUT, gravity,...)
- Enormous quantum corrections O(highest scale)exceed Higgs mass physical value, need to finetune parameters

Naturalness : absence of special conspiracies between phenomena occurring at very different length scales

> \* Caveat emptor: What about the other naturalness disaster (CC)? Physics at M<sub>Planck</sub> might be very different. Multiverse alternative?

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$$\delta m_H^2 = \frac{3y_t^2}{8\pi^2} \tilde{m}_t^2 \ln \frac{\tilde{m}_t^2}{\Lambda^2} + \dots$$

... but new degrees better not be too far above  $m_H$ 

## Electro-weak symmetry breaking & new physics in times of austerity



## MSSM stops vs. mH

4000 10 9 m<sub>Hu</sub> 8 3000 Stop mass ratio  $m_{\tilde{t}_2}/m_{\tilde{t}}$ Gluino mass in GeV 6 2000 5 4  $M_{3}$ 1000 3  $M_{\gamma}$ 2 200 400 600 800 1000  $10^{12}$ 0 10<sup>16</sup>  $0^{10}$ 10<sup>14</sup> e in GeV Lightest stop mass in GeV

Even easier in NMSSM, ...

### Direct stop searches


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# Naturalness prefers split squarks



8 dof  $\begin{array}{l}
(\tilde{u},\tilde{d})_L, \ \tilde{u}_R, \ \tilde{d}_R, \\
(\tilde{c},\tilde{s})_L, \ \tilde{c}_R, \ \tilde{s}_R
\end{array}$ 

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→ Flavor non-trivial susy breaking!



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#### Degenerate

#### Minimal Flavor

## Sugra, CMSSM, MSSM, COF Main Injector

• 1.96 TeV pp collider

• 14 TeV pp collider

Anarchy!



## Gauge Mediation

see e.g. Giudice/Rattazzi review



### $G_{\rm SM} = SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$

Degenerate quarks!



\* Diagonal, anomaly-free subgroup of SM w/o Yukawas  $SU(3)_{Q_L} \times SU(3)_{u_R} \times SU(3)_{d_R}$ 

# Natural Split spectrum

Brümmer, McGarrie, Weiler (to appear)

Negative contribution from gauge messengers





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8 degenerate squarks→ I light squark flavor









# Strong EWSB (Composite Higgs)











#### from 1204.6333

 $\xi = 0.2$ 



## Flavor used to be a showstopper

CPV in Kaon mixing

 $|\epsilon| = 2.3 \times 10^{-3} \implies \frac{M_{ETC}}{g_{ETC} \sqrt{\text{Im}(V_{sd}^2)}} \gtrsim 16,000 \text{ TeV}$ 

$$m_{q,\ell,T}(M_{ETC}) \simeq rac{g_{ETC}^2}{2M_{ETC}^2} \langle \bar{T}T \rangle_{ETC} \lesssim rac{0.1 \,\mathrm{MeV}}{|V_{sd}|^2 N^{3/2}}$$
 VS. Mtop



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Composite *u,d* quarks, spectacular signals!

 $m_{top}: \quad \sin \theta_R \gtrsim \frac{1}{g_\rho} \sim \frac{1}{8}$ 

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VS.

**Composite Partners** 

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## Discovery potential of a dedicated search

deVries, Redi, Sanz, AW, '13



## The Future



# What will we be sensitive to?

Simple exercise, parton luminosities:

$$\sigma(M^2) = \sum_{i,j} \int_{M^2/s}^{1} d\tau \, \mathcal{L}_{ij}(\tau) \, \hat{\sigma}(s\tau)$$

Partonic cross-section scales as

with  $M = \sqrt{\hat{s}}, M_{Z'}, 2 m_{squark}, \dots$ 

 $(f_i(x_1))$ 

 $\hat{\sigma} \propto rac{1}{M^2}$ 

 $x_1P_1$ 

 $x_2 P_2$ 

 $\hat{\sigma}_{i}(\alpha_{s})$ 

## Mass reach?

 $\frac{N_{\text{events}}(M_{\text{high}}^2, s_{\text{high}}, L_{\text{high}}[\text{fb}^{-1}])}{N_{\text{events}}(M_{\text{low}}^2, s_{\text{low}}, L_{\text{low}}[\text{fb}^{-1}])} = 1$ 

Solve for  $M^2_{\rm high}$  .

## Check: ATLAS direct sbottom

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#### 7 TeV, $2.05 \,\text{fb}^{-1}$ >400 GeV ATLAS 8 TeV, $20.1 \,\text{fb}^{-1}$ >640 GeV ATLAS



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### High luminosity LHC $300 \text{ fb}^{-1} \rightarrow 3000 \text{ fb}^{-1} @ 14 \text{ TeV}$



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### Outlook

The battle for a natural resolution of the hierarchy problem goes on

LHCI4 will be decisive:  $2 \times Energy \rightarrow 4 \times Tuning$ 

Flavor non-trivial signals to be explored, charm tagging, bumps in sub-leading jets

'Absence of evidence is not evidence of absence', still: some experimental guidance would be nice.