N_c^2 corrections to the Higgs mass in the $\ensuremath{\mathbf{MSSM}}$

Daniel Meuser 26/06/2024

DESY Theory

1. The calculation

2. Aspects of two-loop renormalisation

3. The numerical results

4. Summary & Outlook

1. The calculation

• Different approaches (fixed-order, EFT, hybrid)

- Different approaches (fixed-order, EFT, hybrid)
- Here: fixed-order via self-energy diagrams

- Different approaches (fixed-order, EFT, hybrid)
- Here: fixed-order via self-energy diagrams
- two-loop pole mass

$$M_h^2 = m_h^2 - \operatorname{Re} \hat{\Sigma}_{hh}^{(1)}(m_h^2) - \operatorname{Re} \hat{\Sigma}_{hh}^{(2)}(m_h^2) + \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \hat{\Sigma}_{hh}^{(1)}(m_h^2) \partial \hat{\Sigma}_{hh}^{(1)}(m_h^2) \right\} - \operatorname{Re} \frac{\left(\hat{\Sigma}_{hH}^{(1)}(m_h^2) \right)^2}{m_H^2 - m_h^2}$$

1

- Known contributions:
 - full one-loop $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_{\rm em} + \alpha_t + \alpha_b)$
 - full two-loop QCD $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_{\rm em} + \alpha_t + \alpha_b)\alpha_s)$
 - full two-loop third generation Yukawa $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_t + \alpha_b)^2)$
 - some three-loop parts

- Known contributions:
 - full one-loop $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_{\rm em} + \alpha_t + \alpha_b)$
 - full two-loop QCD $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_{\rm em} + \alpha_t + \alpha_b)\alpha_s)$
 - full two-loop third generation Yukawa $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_t + \alpha_b)^2)$
 - some three-loop parts
- We calculate $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_{\rm em} + \alpha_t + \alpha_b)^2 N_c^2)$ contributions

The Feynman diagrams



• Diagrams decompose into products of one-loop integrals

The Feynman diagrams



- Diagrams decompose into products of one-loop integrals
- Third generation only: 5322 diagrams

The Feynman diagrams



- Diagrams decompose into products of one-loop integrals
- Third generation only: 5322 diagrams
- All generations: 40446 diagrams

- diagrams (unrenormalised SEs) generated with FEYNARTS
- calculated with FORMCALC, ONECALC, TWOCALC in DRED regularisation

• set
$$\alpha_s = 0$$
, $m_u = m_d = m_c = m_s = 0$, and take N_c^2 terms

- diagrams (unrenormalised SEs) generated with FEYNARTS
- calculated with FORMCALC, ONECALC, TWOCALC in DRED regularisation
- set $\alpha_s = 0$, $m_u = m_d = m_c = m_s = 0$, and take N_c^2 terms
- renormalise SEs, e.g.:

$$\hat{\Sigma}_{AA}^{(2)} = \Sigma_{AA}^{(2)}(p^2) + \delta^{(2)} Z_{AA}(p^2 - m_A^2) - \delta^{(2)} m_A^2 + \frac{1}{4} \left(\delta^{(1)} Z_{AG} \right)^2 p^2 - \delta^{(1)} Z_{AA} \delta^{(1)} m_A^2 - \delta^{(1)} Z_{AG} \delta^{(1)} m_{AG}^2$$

• ~ 70 one-loop CTs & 14 two-loop CTs

2. Aspects of two-loop renormalisation

• Initial issue:
$$\hat{\Sigma}_{H^-H^+}^{(2)}$$
 not finite

- Initial issue: $\hat{\Sigma}_{H^-H^+}^{(2)}$ not finite
- Reason: $\delta^{(2)}m_{H^\pm}^2\neq \delta^{(2)}m_A^2+\delta^{(2)}M_W^2$

- Initial issue: $\hat{\Sigma}_{H^-H^+}^{(2)}$ not finite
- Reason: $\delta^{(2)}m_{H^{\pm}}^2 \neq \delta^{(2)}m_A^2 + \delta^{(2)}M_W^2$
- We rederived the relation from Higgs potential before min. conditions $(T_h = T_H = T_A = 0; \beta_n = \beta_c = \beta)$ are applied
- Correct version:

$$\delta^{(2)}m_{H^{\pm}}^{2} = \delta^{(2)}m_{A}^{2} + \delta^{(2)}M_{W}^{2} - c_{\beta}^{4}M_{W}^{2} \left(\delta^{(1)}t_{\beta}\right)^{2}$$

- Initial issue: $\hat{\Sigma}_{H^-H^+}^{(2)}$ not finite
- Reason: $\delta^{(2)}m_{H^{\pm}}^2 \neq \delta^{(2)}m_A^2 + \delta^{(2)}M_W^2$
- We rederived the relation from Higgs potential before min. conditions $(T_h = T_H = T_A = 0; \beta_n = \beta_c = \beta)$ are applied
- Correct version: $\delta^{(2)}m_{H^{\pm}}^{2} = \delta^{(2)}m_{A}^{2} + \delta^{(2)}M_{W}^{2} - c_{\beta}^{4}M_{W}^{2}(\delta^{(1)}t_{\beta})^{2}$
- For Goldstone CTs: $\delta^{(2)}m_{G^{\pm}}^2 \delta^{(2)}m_G^2 = c_{\beta}^4 M_W^2 (\delta^{(1)}t_{\beta})^2$

- Initial issue: $\hat{\Sigma}_{H^-H^+}^{(2)}$ not finite
- Reason: $\delta^{(2)}m_{H^{\pm}}^2 \neq \delta^{(2)}m_A^2 + \delta^{(2)}M_W^2$
- We rederived the relation from Higgs potential before min. conditions $(T_h = T_H = T_A = 0; \beta_n = \beta_c = \beta)$ are applied
- Correct version: $\delta^{(2)}m_{H^{\pm}}^2 = \delta^{(2)}m_A^2 + \delta^{(2)}M_W^2 - c_{\beta}^4 M_W^2 (\delta^{(1)}t_{\beta})^2$
- For Goldstone CTs: $\delta^{(2)}m_{G^{\pm}}^2 \delta^{(2)}m_G^2 = c_{\beta}^4 M_W^2 (\delta^{(1)}t_{\beta})^2$
- Combination: $\delta^{(2)}m_{H^{\pm}}^2 + \delta^{(2)}m_{G^{\pm}}^2 = \delta^{(2)}m_A^2 + \delta^{(2)}m_G^2 + \delta^{(2)}M_W^2$

• Mass term in Higgs potential for gauge eigenstates:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{Higgs}} \supset -\frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 & \phi_2 & \chi_1 & \chi_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{M}_{\phi\phi}^2 & \mathbf{M}_{\phi\chi}^2 \\ \mathbf{M}_{\chi\phi}^2 & \mathbf{M}_{\chi\chi}^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \\ \chi_1 \\ \chi_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$-\begin{pmatrix}\phi_1^+ & \phi_2^+\end{pmatrix}\mathbf{M}_{\phi^-\phi^+}^2\begin{pmatrix}\phi_1^-\\\phi_2^-\end{pmatrix}$$

. .

• Mass term in Higgs potential for gauge eigenstates:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{Higgs}} \supset -\frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 & \phi_2 & \chi_1 & \chi_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{M}_{\phi\phi}^2 & \mathbf{M}_{\phi\chi}^2 \\ \mathbf{M}_{\chi\phi}^2 & \mathbf{M}_{\chi\chi}^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \\ \chi_1 \\ \chi_2 \end{pmatrix} \\ - \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^+ & \phi_2^+ \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{M}_{\phi^-\phi^+}^2 \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^- \\ \phi_2^- \end{pmatrix}$$

• We find $\operatorname{Tr} \mathbf{M}_{\phi^- \phi^+}^2 = \operatorname{Tr} \mathbf{M}_{\chi\chi}^2 + M_W^2$ before min. cond.

• Mass term in Higgs potential for gauge eigenstates:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{Higgs}} \supset -\frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 & \phi_2 & \chi_1 & \chi_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{M}_{\phi\phi}^2 & \mathbf{M}_{\phi\chi}^2 \\ \mathbf{M}_{\chi\phi}^2 & \mathbf{M}_{\chi\chi}^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \\ \chi_1 \\ \chi_2 \end{pmatrix} \\ - \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^+ & \phi_2^+ \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{M}_{\phi^-\phi^+}^2 \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^- \\ \phi_2^- \end{pmatrix}$$

- We find $\operatorname{Tr} \mathbf{M}_{\phi^-\phi^+}^2 = \operatorname{Tr} \mathbf{M}_{\chi\chi}^2 + M_W^2$ before min. cond.
- After rotation to mass eigenbasis $m_{H^\pm}^2 + m_{G^\pm}^2 = m_A^2 + m_G^2 + M_W^2$

• Mass term in Higgs potential for gauge eigenstates:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{Higgs}} \supset -\frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 & \phi_2 & \chi_1 & \chi_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{M}_{\phi\phi}^2 & \mathbf{M}_{\phi\chi}^2 \\ \mathbf{M}_{\chi\phi}^2 & \mathbf{M}_{\chi\chi}^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \\ \chi_1 \\ \chi_2 \end{pmatrix} \\ - \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^+ & \phi_2^+ \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{M}_{\phi^-\phi^+}^2 \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^- \\ \phi_2^- \end{pmatrix}$$

- We find $\operatorname{Tr} \mathbf{M}^2_{\phi^-\phi^+} = \operatorname{Tr} \mathbf{M}^2_{\chi\chi} + M^2_W$ before min. cond.
- After rotation to mass eigenbasis $m_{H^{\pm}}^2 + m_{G^{\pm}}^2 = m_A^2 + m_G^2 + M_W^2$
- With ren. transformation we obtain to all orders: $\delta^{(n)}m_{H^{\pm}}^2 + \delta^{(n)}m_{G^{\pm}}^2 = \delta^{(n)}m_A^2 + \delta^{(n)}m_G^2 + \delta^{(n)}M_W^2$

Renormalisation at the two-loop level

- On-shell: $\delta^{(2)}T_i, \, \delta^{(2)}M_W^2, \, \delta^{(2)}M_Z^2, \, \delta^{(2)}m_A^2$
- $\overline{\mathrm{DR}}$: $\delta^{(2)}Z_{\mathcal{H}_1}, \, \delta^{(2)}Z_{\mathcal{H}_2}$

Renormalisation at the two-loop level

- On-shell: $\delta^{(2)}T_i, \, \delta^{(2)}M_W^2, \, \delta^{(2)}M_Z^2, \, \delta^{(2)}m_A^2$
- $\overline{\mathrm{DR}}$: $\delta^{(2)}Z_{\mathcal{H}_1}, \, \delta^{(2)}Z_{\mathcal{H}_2}$
- Two schemes: $\delta^{(2)} t_{\beta}$ (OS, $\overline{\text{DR}}$)

Renormalisation at the two-loop level

- On-shell: $\delta^{(2)}T_i, \, \delta^{(2)}M_W^2, \, \delta^{(2)}M_Z^2, \, \delta^{(2)}m_A^2$
- $\overline{\mathrm{DR}}$: $\delta^{(2)}Z_{\mathcal{H}_1}, \, \delta^{(2)}Z_{\mathcal{H}_2}$
- Two schemes: $\delta^{(2)} t_{\beta}$ (OS, $\overline{\text{DR}}$)
- $t_{\beta}^{\overline{\text{DR}}}$ from demanding the finiteness of $\hat{\Sigma}_{AZ}^{L,(2)}$:

$$\begin{split} \delta^{(2)} t_{\beta}^{\mathrm{DR}} &= \frac{1}{\mathrm{i} c_{\beta}^{2} M_{Z}} \big[\Sigma_{AZ}^{L,(2)} \big]_{\mathrm{Div}} - \frac{\delta^{(2)} Z_{AG}^{\mathrm{DR}}}{2 c_{\beta}^{2}} \\ &+ c_{\beta} s_{\beta} \big(\delta^{(1)} t_{\beta}^{\mathrm{DR}} \big)^{2} - \frac{1}{2} \delta^{(1)} t_{\beta}^{\mathrm{DR}} \delta^{(1)} Z_{AA}^{\mathrm{DR}} \\ &- \frac{1}{2} \Big(\delta^{(1)} t_{\beta}^{\mathrm{DR}} + \frac{\delta^{(1)} Z_{AG}^{\mathrm{DR}}}{2 c_{\beta}^{2}} \Big) \Big[\frac{\delta^{(1)} M_{Z}^{2}}{M_{Z}^{2}} + \delta^{(1)} Z_{ZZ} \Big]_{\mathrm{Div}} \end{split}$$

$\delta^{(2)} t^{OS}_{\beta}$ via the decay $A \to \tau^- \tau^+$

• Starting point:

$$\hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\rm ph} = \sqrt{\hat{Z}_A} \left(\hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau} + \hat{Z}_{AG} \hat{\Gamma}_{G\tau\tau} + AZ \text{ mixing} \right)$$

$\delta^{(2)} t^{\mathbf{OS}}_{\beta}$ via the decay $A \to \tau^- \tau^+$

• Starting point:

$$\hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\rm ph} = \sqrt{\hat{Z}_A} \left(\hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau} + \hat{Z}_{AG} \hat{\Gamma}_{G\tau\tau} + AZ \text{ mixing} \right)$$

• Landau gauge $(\xi_Z = 0)$ for simplicity:

$$\hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\rm ph} = \sqrt{\hat{Z}_A} \left(\hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau} + \hat{Z}_{AG} \hat{\Gamma}_{G\tau\tau} \right) \Big|_{\xi_Z = 0}$$

$\delta^{(2)} t^{\mathbf{OS}}_{\beta}$ via the decay $A \to \tau^- \tau^+$

• Starting point:

$$\hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\rm ph} = \sqrt{\hat{Z}_A} \left(\hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau} + \hat{Z}_{AG} \hat{\Gamma}_{G\tau\tau} + AZ \text{ mixing} \right)$$

• Landau gauge $(\xi_Z = 0)$ for simplicity:

$$\hat{\Gamma}^{\rm ph}_{A\tau\tau} = \sqrt{\hat{Z}_A} \left(\hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau} + \hat{Z}_{AG} \hat{\Gamma}_{G\tau\tau} \right) \big|_{\xi_Z = 0}$$

• Renormalisation condition:

$$\begin{split} \left| \hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\text{ph}} \right|^{2} &= \left| \Gamma_{A\tau\tau}^{(0)} + \hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\text{ph},(1)} + \hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\text{ph},(2)} + \cdots \right|^{2} \\ &= \left| \Gamma_{A\tau\tau}^{(0)} \right|^{2} \left(1 + 2 \operatorname{Re} \tilde{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\text{ph},(1)} + 2 \operatorname{Re} \tilde{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\text{ph},(2)} + \left| \tilde{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\text{ph},(1)} \right|^{2} + \cdots \right) \\ &\stackrel{!}{=} \left| \Gamma_{A\tau\tau}^{(0)} \right|^{2}, \\ \text{where} \ \hat{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\text{ph},(i)} &\equiv \tilde{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\text{ph},(i)} \Gamma_{A\tau\tau}^{(0)}. \end{split}$$

Explicit OS counterterm expressions (at one-loop level)

• Renormalisation condition: Re
$$\tilde{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\mathrm{ph},(1)} = 0$$

Explicit OS counterterm expressions (at one-loop level)

- Renormalisation condition: Re $\tilde{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\mathrm{ph},(1)} = 0$
- Counterterm (at $\mathcal{O}(N_c^2)$):

$$\frac{\delta^{(1)} t_{\beta}^{\rm OS}}{t_{\beta}} = -\delta^{(1)} Z_{\rm w} + \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \partial \Sigma_{AA}^{(1)}(m_A^2) + \frac{1}{t_{\beta}} \frac{\operatorname{Im} \Sigma_{AZ}^{L,(1)}(m_A^2)}{M_Z},$$

where

$$\delta^{(1)} Z_{\rm w} \equiv \delta^{(1)} Z_e - \frac{\delta^{(1)} M_W^2}{2M_W^2} - \frac{\delta^{(1)} s_{\rm w}}{s_{\rm w}}.$$

Explicit OS counterterm expressions (at one-loop level)

- Renormalisation condition: Re $\tilde{\Gamma}_{A\tau\tau}^{\mathrm{ph},(1)} = 0$
- Counterterm (at $\mathcal{O}(N_c^2)$):

$$\frac{\delta^{(1)} t_{\beta}^{\rm OS}}{t_{\beta}} = -\delta^{(1)} Z_{\rm w} + \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \partial \Sigma_{AA}^{(1)}(m_A^2) + \frac{1}{t_{\beta}} \frac{\operatorname{Im} \Sigma_{AZ}^{L,(1)}(m_A^2)}{M_Z},$$

where

$$\delta^{(1)} Z_{\rm w} \equiv \delta^{(1)} Z_e - \frac{\delta^{(1)} M_W^2}{2M_W^2} - \frac{\delta^{(1)} s_{\rm w}}{s_{\rm w}}$$

• Same procedure at two-loop level. Field ren. constants do not appear anywhere

- Self-energies are products of one-loop integrals
- Expansion in $\varepsilon = \frac{4-D}{2}$: $L = L^{\text{div}} \frac{1}{\varepsilon} + L^{\text{fin}} + L^{\varepsilon} \varepsilon + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2)$

- Self-energies are products of one-loop integrals
- Expansion in $\varepsilon = \frac{4-D}{2}$: $L = L^{\text{div}} \frac{1}{\varepsilon} + L^{\text{fin}} + L^{\varepsilon} \varepsilon + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2)$
- L^{ε} terms do not drop out when $\delta t_{\beta}^{\overline{\text{DR}}}$ is used
- Reason: Not all two-loop CTs defined in MOM scheme

- Self-energies are products of one-loop integrals
- Expansion in $\varepsilon = \frac{4-D}{2}$: $L = L^{\text{div}} \frac{1}{\varepsilon} + L^{\text{fin}} + L^{\varepsilon} \varepsilon + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2)$
- L^{ε} terms do not drop out when $\delta t_{\beta}^{\overline{\text{DR}}}$ is used
- Reason: Not all two-loop CTs defined in MOM scheme
- With $\delta t_{\beta}^{\text{OS}}$: finite SEs and no L^{ε} terms in on-shell SEs!

- Self-energies are products of one-loop integrals
- Expansion in $\varepsilon = \frac{4-D}{2}$: $L = L^{\text{div}} \frac{1}{\varepsilon} + L^{\text{fin}} + L^{\varepsilon} \varepsilon + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2)$
- L^{ε} terms do not drop out when $\delta t_{\beta}^{\overline{\text{DR}}}$ is used
- Reason: Not all two-loop CTs defined in MOM scheme
- With $\delta t_{\beta}^{\text{OS}}$: finite SEs and no L^{ε} terms in on-shell SEs!
- Alternatively: Different implementation of $\overline{\rm DR}~{\rm CT}$
• Starting point: $\Sigma^{(2)} = \sum_{i} L_i M_i + \sum_{j} N_j \delta c_j$, where L_i , M_i , N_j are one-loop integrals and δc_j are one-loop CTs

- Starting point: $\Sigma^{(2)} = \sum_{i} L_i M_i + \sum_{j} N_j \delta c_j$, where L_i , M_i , N_j are one-loop integrals and δc_j are one-loop CTs
- Expand loop integrals and CTs in ε and use relations between divergent parts:

$$\Sigma^{(2)} = -\frac{L_i^{\text{div}} M_i^{\text{div}}}{\varepsilon^2} + \frac{N_j^{\text{div}} \delta c_j^{\text{fin}}}{\varepsilon} + L_i^{\text{fin}} M_i^{\text{fin}} + N_j^{\text{fin}} \delta c_j^{\text{fin}} + N_j^{\text{div}} \delta c_j^{\varepsilon} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$$

• In pure $\overline{\text{DR}}$ scheme or if all two-loop CTs in MOM scheme: no δc_j^{ε} terms

- Starting point: $\Sigma^{(2)} = \sum_{i} L_i M_i + \sum_{j} N_j \delta c_j$, where L_i , M_i , N_j are one-loop integrals and δc_j are one-loop CTs
- Expand loop integrals and CTs in ε and use relations between divergent parts:

$$\Sigma^{(2)} = -\frac{L_i^{\text{div}} M_i^{\text{div}}}{\varepsilon^2} + \frac{N_j^{\text{div}} \delta c_j^{\text{fin}}}{\varepsilon} + L_i^{\text{fin}} M_i^{\text{fin}} + N_j^{\text{fin}} \delta c_j^{\text{fin}} + N_j^{\text{div}} \delta c_j^{\varepsilon} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$$

- In pure $\overline{\text{DR}}$ scheme or if all two-loop CTs in MOM scheme: no δc_j^{ε} terms
- Comparing calculations via simple re-parameterisation only possible if δc_j^{ε} terms cancel

- Starting point: $\Sigma^{(2)} = \sum_{i} L_i M_i + \sum_{j} N_j \delta c_j$, where L_i , M_i , N_j are one-loop integrals and δc_j are one-loop CTs
- Expand loop integrals and CTs in ε and use relations between divergent parts:

$$\Sigma^{(2)} = -\frac{L_i^{\text{div}} M_i^{\text{div}}}{\varepsilon^2} + \frac{N_j^{\text{div}} \delta c_j^{\text{fin}}}{\varepsilon} + L_i^{\text{fin}} M_i^{\text{fin}} + N_j^{\text{fin}} \delta c_j^{\text{fin}} + N_j^{\text{div}} \delta c_j^{\varepsilon} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$$

- In pure $\overline{\text{DR}}$ scheme or if all two-loop CTs in MOM scheme: no δc_j^{ε} terms
- Comparing calculations via simple re-parameterisation only possible if δc_j^{ε} terms cancel
- If a mixed scheme is implemented via a re-parameterisation from a full $\overline{\text{DR}}$ calculation, this issue is circumvented.

Our implementation

• Example: Calculation with two CTs, δc_1 at one-loop level in OS scheme, δc_2 at two-loop level in $\overline{\text{DR}}$ scheme:

$$\hat{\Sigma}^{(1)} = \Sigma^{(1)} + \delta^{(1)}c_2,
\hat{\Sigma}^{(2)} = \Sigma^{(2)} + \delta^{(2)}c_2$$

Our implementation

• Example: Calculation with two CTs, δc_1 at one-loop level in OS scheme, δc_2 at two-loop level in $\overline{\text{DR}}$ scheme:

$$\hat{\Sigma}^{(1)} = \Sigma^{(1)} + \delta^{(1)}c_2,
\hat{\Sigma}^{(2)} = \Sigma^{(2)} + \delta^{(2)}c_2$$

• Our implementation:

$$\begin{split} \delta^{(1)} c_2^{\overline{\mathrm{DR}}} &= -\frac{\Sigma^{(1),\mathrm{div}}(c_1^{\mathrm{OS}}, c_2^{\mathrm{DR}})}{\varepsilon}, \\ \delta^{(2)} c_2^{\overline{\mathrm{DR}}} &= -\frac{\Sigma^{(2),\mathrm{ddiv}}}{\varepsilon^2} - \frac{\Sigma^{(2),\mathrm{div}}}{\varepsilon} \\ &= \frac{L_i^{\mathrm{div}} M_i^{\mathrm{div}}}{\varepsilon^2} - \frac{N_1^{\mathrm{div}} \delta c_1^{\mathrm{fin}}}{\varepsilon} \end{split}$$

Alternative implementation

• Alternative (suggested by P. Slavich):

$$\begin{split} \delta^{(1)}c_2^{\overline{\text{DR}},PS} &= -\frac{\Sigma^{(1)}(c_1^{\overline{\text{DR}}},c_2^{\overline{\text{DR}}})}{\varepsilon} \\ &= \delta^{(1)}c_2^{\overline{\text{DR}}} - \frac{N_1^{\text{div}}\delta c_1^{\text{fn}}}{\varepsilon} - N_1^{\text{div}}\delta c_1^{\varepsilon}, \\ \delta^{(2)}c_2^{\overline{\text{DR}},PS} &= \frac{L_i^{\text{div}}M_i^{\text{div}}}{\varepsilon^2} \end{split}$$

• This holds since

$$c_1^{\overline{\mathrm{DR}}} = c_1^{\mathrm{OS}} + \delta c_1^{\mathrm{fin}} + \varepsilon \delta c_1^{\varepsilon}.$$

and

$$N_1^{\mathrm{div}} = \frac{\mathrm{d}\Sigma^{(1),\mathrm{div}}}{\mathrm{d}c_1}.$$

Alternative implementation

• Alternative (suggested by P. Slavich):

$$\begin{split} \delta^{(1)}c_2^{\overline{\text{DR}},PS} &= -\frac{\Sigma^{(1)}(c_1^{\overline{\text{DR}}},c_2^{\overline{\text{DR}}})}{\varepsilon} \\ &= \delta^{(1)}c_2^{\overline{\text{DR}}} - \frac{N_1^{\text{div}}\delta c_1^{\text{fn}}}{\varepsilon} - N_1^{\text{div}}\delta c_1^{\varepsilon}, \\ \delta^{(2)}c_2^{\overline{\text{DR}},PS} &= \frac{L_i^{\text{div}}M_i^{\text{div}}}{\varepsilon^2} \end{split}$$

• This holds since

$$c_1^{\overline{\mathrm{DR}}} = c_1^{\mathrm{OS}} + \delta c_1^{\mathrm{fin}} + \varepsilon \delta c_1^{\varepsilon}.$$

and

6

$$N_1^{\mathrm{div}} = \frac{\mathrm{d}\Sigma^{(1),\mathrm{div}}}{\mathrm{d}c_1}.$$

•
$$\delta c_2^{\mathrm{DR},PS} = \delta c_2^{\overline{\mathrm{DR}}} - N_1^{\mathrm{div}} \delta c_1^{\varepsilon}$$

3. The numerical results

• 5 different \mathcal{CP} -conserving scenarios

- 5 different \mathcal{CP} -conserving scenarios
- Tree-level + one-loop $\mathcal{O}(N_c)$ + two-loop $\mathcal{O}(N_c^2)$
- QCD corrections not included, but estimated

- 5 different \mathcal{CP} -conserving scenarios
- Tree-level + one-loop $\mathcal{O}(N_c)$ + two-loop $\mathcal{O}(N_c^2)$
- QCD corrections not included, but estimated
- Comparison with $M_h^{\text{exp}} = 125.25 \pm 0.17 \,\text{GeV}$

- 5 different \mathcal{CP} -conserving scenarios
- Tree-level + one-loop $\mathcal{O}(N_c)$ + two-loop $\mathcal{O}(N_c^2)$
- QCD corrections not included, but estimated
- Comparison with $M_h^{\text{exp}} = 125.25 \pm 0.17 \,\text{GeV}$
- Size of new contributions: $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_{\text{em}} + \alpha_t + \alpha_b)^2 N_c^2)$ vs known $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_t + \alpha_b)^2 N_c^2)$



Two-loop QCD corrections lower prediction by up to $10 \,\mathrm{GeV}$ 15



For low M_S , new corrections are comparable to ΔM_h^{\exp}



Two-loop QCD corrections lower prediction by up to 8 GeV



For low $|X_t|$, new corrections larger than ΔM_h^{\exp}

4. Summary & Outlook

• Successfully calculated the complete $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_{\rm em} + \alpha_t + \alpha_b)^2 N_c^2)$ contributions to MSSM Higgs boson masses

- Successfully calculated the complete $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_{\rm em} + \alpha_t + \alpha_b)^2 N_c^2)$ contributions to MSSM Higgs boson masses
- Performed for the first time full two-loop renormalisation of MSSM Higgs-gauge sector
 - \Rightarrow Derived new relation between two-loop mass CTs

- Successfully calculated the complete $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_{\rm em} + \alpha_t + \alpha_b)^2 N_c^2)$ contributions to MSSM Higgs boson masses
- Performed for the first time full two-loop renormalisation of MSSM Higgs-gauge sector
 - \Rightarrow Derived new relation between two-loop mass CTs
- Performed OS ren. for t_{β}

 \Rightarrow Demonstrated the cancellation of $\mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$ terms in calculation

- Successfully calculated the complete $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_{\rm em} + \alpha_t + \alpha_b)^2 N_c^2)$ contributions to MSSM Higgs boson masses
- Performed for the first time full two-loop renormalisation of MSSM Higgs-gauge sector

 \Rightarrow Derived new relation between two-loop mass CTs

• Performed OS ren. for t_{β}

 \Rightarrow Demonstrated the cancellation of $\mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$ terms in calculation

• Newly calculated terms comparable to exp. uncertainty

- Successfully calculated the complete $\mathcal{O}((\alpha_{\rm em} + \alpha_t + \alpha_b)^2 N_c^2)$ contributions to MSSM Higgs boson masses
- Performed for the first time full two-loop renormalisation of MSSM Higgs-gauge sector

 \Rightarrow Derived new relation between two-loop mass CTs

• Performed OS ren. for t_{β}

 \Rightarrow Demonstrated the cancellation of $\mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$ terms in calculation

- Newly calculated terms comparable to exp. uncertainty
- Results in arXiv:2311.01889 [H. Bahl, D. Meuser, G. Weiglein]

• With our work, *n*-loop $\mathcal{O}(N_c^n)$ terms calculable

- With our work, *n*-loop $\mathcal{O}(N_c^n)$ terms calculable
- Extension to \mathcal{CP} -violating scenarios possible $(t_{\beta}^{\text{OS}} \text{ via decay } H^+ \to \tau^+ \nu_{\tau})$

- With our work, *n*-loop $\mathcal{O}(N_c^n)$ terms calculable
- Extension to \mathcal{CP} -violating scenarios possible $(t_{\beta}^{OS} \text{ via decay } H^+ \to \tau^+ \nu_{\tau})$
- Results can be included in NMSSM Higgs boson mass prediction

5. Backup slides

The pole mass of a particle

$$\begin{split} m_{h/H}^2 &= \frac{1}{2} \left(m_A^2 + M_Z^2 \mp \sqrt{(m_A^2 + M_Z^2)^2 - 4m_A^2 M_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta} \right), \\ m_{H^{\pm}}^2 &= m_A^2 + M_W^2, \\ t_\beta &= \frac{v_2}{v_1} \end{split}$$

• tree-level propagator:

$$i\Delta_{hh}^{(0)}(p^2) = \frac{i}{p^2 - m_h^2}$$

• dressed loop-corrected propagator:

$$i\Delta_{hh}(p^2) = \frac{i}{p^2 - m_h^2 + \hat{\Sigma}_{hh}(p^2)}$$

Particle mixing

• ansatz: 1PI two-point vertex functions as a matrix

$$\hat{\Gamma}_{hH}(p^2) = \begin{pmatrix} p^2 - m_h^2 + \hat{\Sigma}_{hh}(p^2) & \hat{\Sigma}_{hH}(p^2) \\ \hat{\Sigma}_{hH}(p^2) & p^2 - m_H^2 + \hat{\Sigma}_{HH}(p^2) \end{pmatrix}$$

• propagator matrix

$$\Delta_{hH}(p^2) = \left[\hat{\Gamma}_{hH}(p^2)\right]^{-1}$$

• diagonal entries are dressed propagators, e.g.

$$i\Delta_{hh}(p^2) = \frac{i}{p^2 - m_h^2 + \hat{\Sigma}_{hh}(p^2) - \frac{\left[\hat{\Sigma}_{hH}(p^2)\right]^2}{p^2 - m_H^2 + \hat{\Sigma}_{HH}(p^2)}}$$

external particle in self-energy unstable
 ⇒ self-energies get imaginary part
 ⇒ pole of propagator is complex quantity

$$\mathcal{M}_h^2 = M_h^2 - \mathrm{i}M_h\Gamma_h$$

with physical mass M_h and decay width Γ_h

• two-loop pole mass

$$\begin{split} M_h^2 &= m_h^2 - \operatorname{Re} \hat{\Sigma}_{hh}^{(1)}(m_h^2) - \operatorname{Re} \hat{\Sigma}_{hh}^{(2)}(m_h^2) \\ &+ \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \hat{\Sigma}_{hh}^{(1)}(m_h^2) \partial \hat{\Sigma}_{hh}^{(1)}(m_h^2) \right\} - \operatorname{Re} \frac{\left(\hat{\Sigma}_{hH}^{(1)}(m_h^2) \right)^2}{m_H^2 - m_h^2} \end{split}$$

 $\alpha_{\rm em}^{-1} = 137.035999084,$ $\alpha_s = 0$, $\Delta \alpha_{\rm had}^{(5)}(M_Z^2) = 0.02766,$ $\Delta \alpha_{\rm lep}(M_Z^2) = 0.031497687,$ $M_Z = 91.1876 \, \text{GeV}.$ $M_W = 80.379 \, \text{GeV},$ $m_t = M_t = 172.76 \,\mathrm{GeV}.$ $m_b = 4.18 \, \text{GeV}.$ $t_{\beta} = t_{\beta}^{\rm OS} = 15,$ $m_A = M_A = M_S$ $M_{\tilde{a}_a}^2 = M_S^2,$ $M_{\tilde{u}_a}^2 = M_S^2,$ $M_{\tilde{d}_a}^2 = M_S^2,$ $\mu = M_S$, $A_t = A_a$ $A_b = A_a$.




















