

Of course we eventually will build (or try to) models which predict suppression of FCNC & CP violating processes.

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### III.D.) Renormalized Perturbation Theory and Running coupling constants and masses

The soft SUSY breaking in the MSSM maintains the stability of the dimensionful parameters as they only receive logarithmic divergent radiative corrections. If the scale  $\mu$  is the renormalization scale of the theory, then quantum corrections to the various parameters of the MSSM will receive contributions like  $\lambda^2 \ln(\frac{\mu}{m})$ , with the SUSY parameters in the calculation and  $\lambda^2$  some coupling or mass. Although potentially large if  $\mu$  is the scale of unification  $M_{GUT}$ , these log's can be summed by RG techniques to give perturbation theory in terms of running couplings and masses that depend on the energy scale  $\mu$ .

Recall the running of the gauge coupling constants in the SM.

Lack of Unification

3.) Consider the running of the gauge coupling constants (for  $SU(3)$ ,  $SU(2)$  &  $U(1)$ ). For each of the gauge coupling constants,  $g_1, g_2, g_3$  we have the renormalization group running determined by  $\beta_{1,2,3}$ :

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \bar{g}_i(\mu) = \beta_i(\bar{g}_i(\mu)).$$

As we saw for  $SU(3)$   $\beta_3(\bar{g}_3) = -\frac{\bar{g}_3^3}{16\pi^2} \left[ \frac{11}{3} C_2(G) - \frac{4}{3} T_F \right]$

where  $T_F = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} [T^i T^i]$  where we sum

over all fermi-quark-representations  $\Rightarrow$  # of Families

$N_F = 6 = \# \text{ of flavors}$

$T_F = \frac{1}{2} \# \text{ of flavors} = F$   
 $= \# \text{ of Families} = N_F$

Now in general we find for a gauge theory

$$\beta = -\frac{g^3}{16\pi^2} \left[ \frac{11}{3} C_2(G) - \frac{4}{3} T_F - \frac{1}{3} T_S \right]$$

where  $C_2(G)$  is the quadratic Casimir operator for gauge group  $G$

$$C_2(SU(N)) = N, \quad C_2(U(1)) = 0$$

And

$$T_F \delta_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} [T^i T^j] \quad \text{where we}$$

sum over all fermi representations [if Dirac

fermions sum over both Left & Right handed representations, while if Weyl (Majorana) fermions only count  $\psi_L$  (or  $\psi_L^c$ ) once, not both (these are Majorana fields).

Likewise

$$T_S \delta_{ij} = \text{Tr} \{ T^i T^j \} \text{ where we sum over all scalar field representations.}$$

So for  $SU(3)$  we have as previously - the Higgs field is an  $SU(3)$  color singlet ( $T^i = 0$ )

$$\beta_3 = -\frac{g_3^3}{(4\pi)^2} \left[ \frac{11}{3} C_2(SU(3)) - \frac{4}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{2} N_F \right]$$

← # of flavors

$$\beta_3 = -\frac{g_3^3}{(4\pi)^2} \left[ 11 - \frac{4}{3} F \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{2} N_F = F$$

$F = \# \text{ of Families}$

For  $SU(2)$  we also have  $T_F = \frac{1}{2} N_F$  and one Higgs doublet  $T_S = \frac{1}{2}$  i.e.  $T_S \delta_{ij} = \text{Tr} \left[ \frac{\sigma^i}{2} \frac{\sigma^j}{2} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \delta_{ij}$  and

$$C_2(SU(2)) = 2 \text{ so}$$

$$\beta_2 = -\frac{g_2^3}{(4\pi)^2} \left[ \frac{22}{3} - \frac{4}{3} F - \frac{1}{6} H \right]$$

$H = \# \text{ of Higgs doublets} = 1$   
for SM

Finally the hypercharge coupling constant  $\beta_1$

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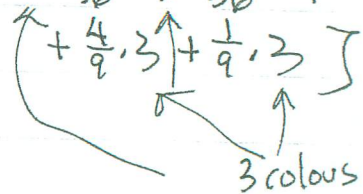
$$C_2(U(1)) = 0$$

$$T_F^{(U(1))} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\text{fields}} y_{\text{fields}}^2 = \frac{1}{2} \sum_L y_L^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_R y_R^2$$

$$= \frac{5}{3} F = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{36} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{36} + 1 \right]$$

and likewise  $T_S = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\text{real scalars}} y_s^2$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4 \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$



So

$$\beta_1 = + \frac{g_1^3}{(4\pi)^2} \left[ \frac{20}{9} F + \frac{1}{6} H \right]$$

In general  $\beta_i = g_i^3 b_i$  hence

the running coupling constants obey the DE

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \bar{g}_i(\mu) = b_i \bar{g}_i^3(\mu)$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \frac{\bar{g}_i^2}{4\pi} = 8\pi b_i \left( \frac{\bar{g}_i^2}{4\pi} \right)^2$$

Fine Structure constant  $\alpha_i(\mu) \equiv \frac{\bar{g}_i^2(\mu)}{4\pi}$

⇒

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \alpha_i = 8\pi b_i \alpha_i^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{\alpha_i(\mu_1)}^{\alpha_i(\mu_2)} \frac{d\alpha_i}{\alpha_i^2} = 8\pi b_i \int_{\mu_1}^{\mu_2} \frac{d\mu}{\mu}$$

$$-\frac{1}{\alpha_i(\mu_2)} + \frac{1}{\alpha_i(\mu_1)} = 8\pi b_i \ln\left(\frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}\right)$$

$$\frac{1}{\alpha_i(\mu_2)} = \frac{1}{\alpha_i(\mu_1)} - 8\pi b_i \ln\left(\frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}\right)$$

⊆

$$\alpha_i(\mu_2) = \frac{\alpha_i(\mu_1)}{1 - 8\pi b_i \alpha_i(\mu_1) \ln\left(\frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}\right)}$$

where we have

$$b_1 = \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2} \left[ \frac{20}{9} F + \frac{1}{6} H \right] = \frac{4/6}{(4\pi)^2}$$

$$b_2 = \frac{-1}{(4\pi)^2} \left[ \frac{22}{3} - \frac{4}{3} F - \frac{1}{6} H \right] = \frac{-19/6}{(4\pi)^2}$$

$$b_3 = \frac{-1}{(4\pi)} \left[ 1 - \frac{4}{3} F \right] = \frac{-7}{(4\pi)^2}$$

Further suppose  $\mu_1 = M_Z$  ;  $\mu_2 = e^{\pm t} M_Z$

$$\ln\left(\frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}\right) = \pm t \quad \left[ \left( \mu \frac{d}{d\mu} = \frac{d}{dt} \right) (\mu = e^{\pm t} M_Z) \right]$$

$$g_1^2(M_Z) = 0.129 \quad g_3^2(M_Z) = 1.0499$$

$$g_2^2(M_Z) = 0.423$$

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So we can plot

$$\frac{1}{\alpha_i(t)} = \frac{1}{\alpha_i(M_Z)} - 8\pi b_i t$$

Now  $\alpha_3(M_Z) = 0.1176$   $M_Z = 91.1874 \text{ GeV}$   
 $\alpha_2(M_Z) = 0.0336$   $(g_3 = 1.216)$   $(g_2 = 0.65)$   $(g_2^2 \approx 0.423)$   
 $\alpha_1(M_Z) = 0.0102$   $(g_1 = 0.358)$

are the known initial conditions.

The running is displayed in a Mathematica program:  $\smile$

GUT Normalization: For a SU(5) SO(10)  
GUT  $g_i$  is normalized as

$$g_i(\text{GUT}) = \sqrt{\frac{5}{3}} g_i \Rightarrow \alpha_i(t)(\text{GUT}) = \frac{5}{3} \alpha_i(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_1(\text{GUT})(M_Z) = \frac{5}{3} (0.0102)$$

and  $\frac{1}{\alpha_i(\text{GUT})(t)} = \frac{1}{\alpha_i(\text{GUT})(M_Z)} - \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) 8\pi b_i t$

$$\Rightarrow b_i(\text{GUT}) = \frac{41/10}{(4\pi)^2} = \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) b_i$$

**Running of the Standard Model Gauge Coupling Constants**

Initial values of the fine structure constants are given at  $M_Z := 91.1874 \text{ GeV}$

There the inverse fine structure constants for U(1), SU(2) and SU(3) gauge coupling constants are

$$\alpha_{\text{inverse}M_Z} := \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{0.0102} \\ \frac{1}{0.0336} \\ \frac{1}{0.1176} \end{pmatrix}$$

The coefficients for their  $\beta$  functions are given by

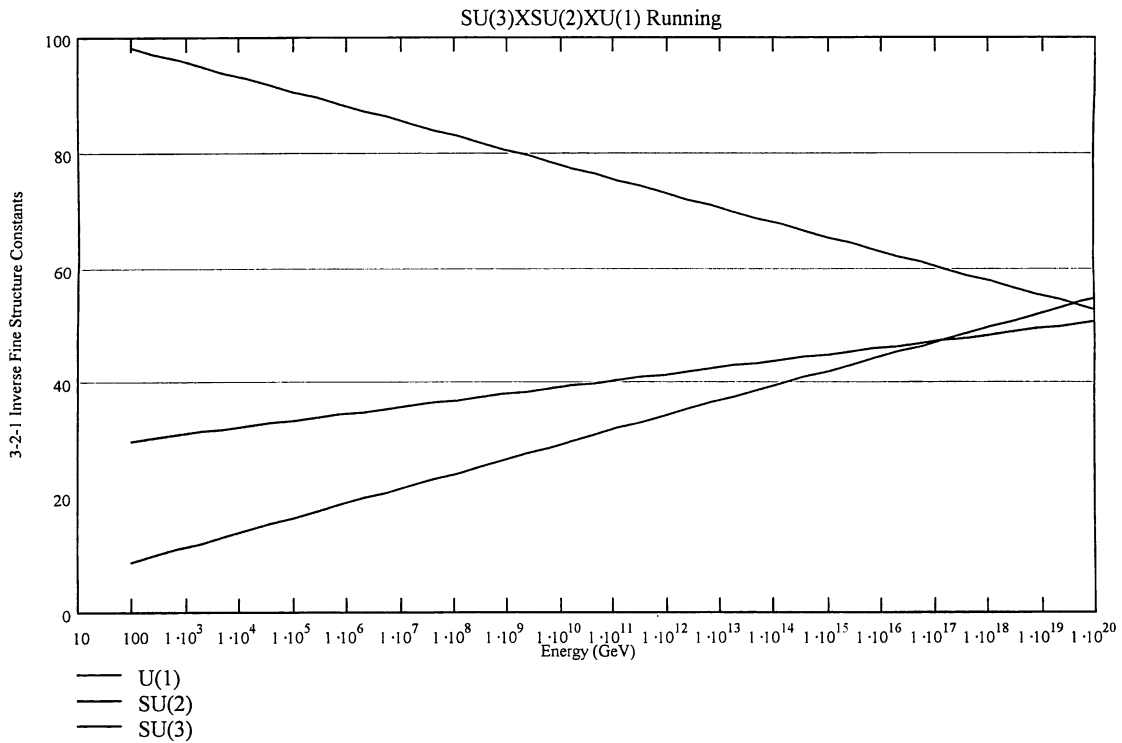
$$b := \begin{pmatrix} \frac{41}{6} \\ -\frac{19}{6} \\ -7 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{16\pi^2}$$

The renormalization group running of the inverse fine structure constants is described by the RGE equation

$$\alpha_{\text{inverse}}(t) := \left( \overrightarrow{\alpha_{\text{inverse}M_Z} - (8\pi \cdot b \cdot t)} \right)$$

where the energy scale of the effective coupling constant is given by  $Q(t) := M_Z \cdot e^t$

$$t := 0, 1..42$$



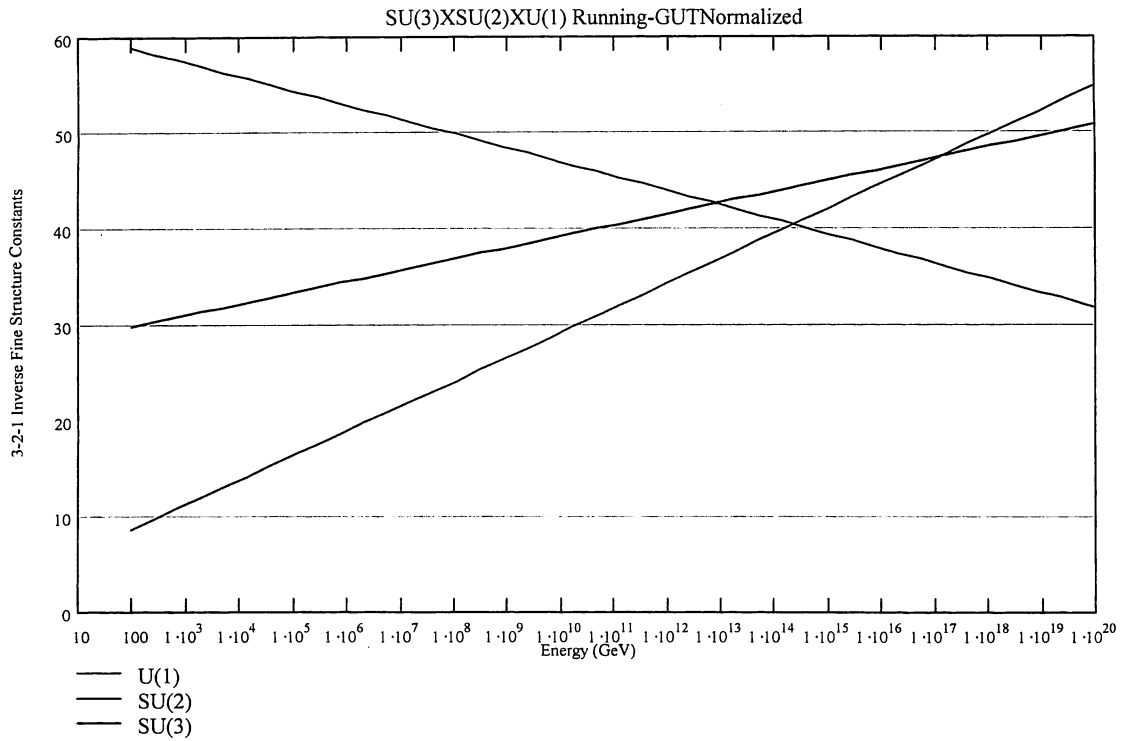
Now if the SU(3)XSU(2)XU(1) groups are embedded in a SU(5) or SO(10) GUT it is conventional to normalize the U(1) coupling to be  $g_1(\text{GUT}) = (5/3)^{1/2} g_1$ . Hence the running for such a normalization is a bit different. The U(1) initial fine structure constant becomes

$$\alpha_{\text{inverseGUTM}_Z} := \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5} \\ 0.0102 \\ \frac{1}{0.0336} \\ \frac{1}{0.1176} \end{pmatrix} \text{ and the normalization changes the } \beta \text{ function to be}$$

$$b_{\text{GUT}} := \begin{pmatrix} \frac{41}{10} \\ -19 \\ 6 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{16\pi^2}$$

The RGE running is now given by

$$\alpha_{\text{inverseGUT}}(t) := \left( \overrightarrow{\alpha_{\text{inverseGUTM}_Z}} - \left( \overrightarrow{8 \cdot \pi \cdot b_{\text{GUT}} \cdot t} \right) \right)$$





The SAsY puts fermions & bosons on equal footing so we will apply the general 1-loop formula for  $\beta$  that includes fermion & scalar loops

$$\beta = -\frac{g^3}{16\pi^2} \left[ \frac{11}{3} C_2(G) - \frac{4}{3} T_F - \frac{1}{3} T_S \right]$$

Now  $C_2(SU(N)) = N$ ,  $C_2(U(1)) = 0$  and for each super Yang-Mills field we have an ordinary Y-M field as well as a corresponding partner gaugino (that is a Weyl fermion in the adjoint representation). So the Y-M field + gaugino contribute to  $\beta$  according to

$$\frac{11}{3} C_2(G) - \frac{4}{3} \frac{1}{2} C_2(G) = 3 C_2(G)$$

Since  $T_F = \frac{1}{2} C_2(G)$  for the adjoint representation Weyl fermions. i.e.  $\delta^{ij} T_F^{adj} = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} [T_{adj}^i T_{adj}^j]$

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \text{recall } (T_R^i)_{jk} (T_R^i)_{kl} = \delta_{jl} C_2(R) \right) &= -\frac{1}{2} f_{kil} f_{ljk} \\ (T_R^i)_{kl} (T_R^j)_{lk} = \text{Tr}(R) \delta^{ij} &= \frac{1}{2} C_2(G) \delta^{ij} \end{aligned}$$


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The each chiral superfield we have a Weyl fermion and a complex scalar in the same group representation. Therefore for each Super matter and super Higgs multiplet we find a contribution to  $\beta$  of

$$\left[ -\frac{4}{3} \frac{1}{2} T_S - \frac{1}{3} T_S \right] = -T_S = -\frac{1}{d} \text{Tr}[T^i T^i]$$

where  $d$  = the dimension of the group and the trace is summed over the chiral superfields i.e. for quarks and leptons this is twice the number of flavors ( $=4F$ )

So for supersymmetric theories we find

$$\beta = -\frac{g^3}{16\pi^2} \left[ 3C_2(G) - \sum_{\text{chiral Superfields}} \frac{1}{d} \text{Tr}[T^i T^i] \right]$$

$$= -\frac{g^3}{16\pi^2} \left[ 3C_2(G) - \sum_{\text{chiral Superfields}} T_S \right]$$

Now let's apply this to the  $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$  MSSM

Recall we have

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \bar{g}_i(\mu) = b_i \bar{g}_i^3(\mu)$$

with  $\beta_i \equiv g_i^3 b_i$ . So for the fine

structure constant for each group

$$\alpha_i(\mu) \equiv \frac{\bar{g}_i^2(\mu)}{4\pi}$$

we have

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \alpha_i(\mu) = 8\pi b_i \alpha_i^2(\mu)$$

So integrating between the scales  $\mu_1 \leq \mu_2$  we have as usual

$$\frac{1}{\alpha_i(\mu_2)} = \frac{1}{\alpha_i(\mu_1)} - 8\pi b_i \ln\left(\frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}\right)$$

or

$$\alpha_i(\mu_2) = \frac{\alpha_i(\mu_1)}{1 - 8\pi b_i \alpha_i(\mu_1) \ln\left(\frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1}\right)}$$

for each  $i = 1, 2, 3$ .

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From our SUSY  $\beta$  formula we have

$$b_3 = -\frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[ 3C_2(\text{SU}(3)) - \sum_{\text{quark chiral superfields}} T_S \right]$$

$$b_3 = -\frac{1}{16\pi^2} [9 - 2F]$$

( $F = \#$  of families  
 $= \#$  of generations)

i.e. For quark superfields

$$\begin{aligned} \delta^{ij} T_S &= \text{Tr} \left[ \frac{\lambda^i}{2} \frac{\lambda^j}{2} \right] = \frac{1}{4} \text{Tr} [\lambda^i \lambda^j] \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} [\{\lambda^i, \lambda^j\}] \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \text{Tr} \left[ \frac{4}{3} \delta^{ij} \mathbb{1}_{3 \times 3} + 2 d_{ijk} \lambda^k \right]$$

$$= \delta^{ij} \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{for each quark chiral superfield } u, u^c, d, d^c$$

$$F = 1, 2, 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 \cdot 3 = 4F = \#$$

of such contributors

For  $g_2$ :

$$b_2 = -\frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[ 3C_2(SU(2)) - \sum_{\text{Doublets chiral superfields}} T_S \right]$$

$$b_2 = -\frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[ 6 - 2F - \frac{1}{2}H \right]$$

$H = \#$  of Higgs chiral superfields  
 $SU(2)$  Doublets

For  $SU(2)$  doublets  $\delta_{ij}^i T_S = \text{Tr} \left[ \frac{\sigma^i}{2} \frac{\sigma^j}{2} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \delta_{ij}$

$\Rightarrow T_S = \frac{1}{2}$  for each chiral superfield doublet

$\Rightarrow$

- $\frac{1}{2}$  for  $Q_{F \leftarrow 3 \text{ families}}$   $\leftarrow$  3 colours of  $Q^c$
- $+$   $\frac{1}{2}$  for  $L_{F \leftarrow 3 \text{ families}}$   $\leftarrow$  L on leptons
- $+$   $\frac{1}{2}$  for  $H_u$
- $+$   $\frac{1}{2}$  for  $H_d$

$\left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{2} \text{ for } Q_{F \leftarrow 3 \text{ families}} \\ + \frac{1}{2} \text{ for } L_{F \leftarrow 3 \text{ families}} \end{array} \right\} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot (3+1) \cdot F = 2F$

$\left. \begin{array}{l} + \frac{1}{2} \text{ for } H_u \\ + \frac{1}{2} \text{ for } H_d \end{array} \right\} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot H$

$\leftarrow$  2 doublet Higgs in MSSM

Note: For  $F=3$ ;  $b_2 > 0$  so  $g_2$  is not asymptotically free for MSSM

Finally for  $g_1$ :

$$b_1 = -\frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[ 3 \cancel{C_2(U(3))} - \sum_{\text{all chiral superfields}} Y^2 \right]$$

$Y =$  hypercharge for each chiral superfield

$$b_1 = +\frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[ \frac{10}{3} F + \frac{1}{2} H \right]$$

trace  $T_S \delta_{ij} = \text{Tr}[T^i T^j]$  for  $U(1)$  is just the charge  $T^i \rightarrow$  charge

So

$T_S = Y^2$  for each chiral superfield

$u$	$: Y = +\frac{1}{6} \times 3 \text{ colors} \times F = \frac{1}{2} F$	}	$\frac{10}{3} F$
$d$	$: Y = +\frac{1}{6} \times 3 \text{ colors} \times F = \frac{1}{2} F$		
$u^c$	$: Y = -\frac{2}{3} \times 3 \text{ colors} \times F = -2 F$		
$d^c$	$: Y = +\frac{1}{3} \times 3 \text{ colors} \times F = F$		
$U$	$: Y = -\frac{1}{2} \times F = -\frac{1}{2} F$		
$e$	$: Y = -\frac{1}{2} \times F = -\frac{1}{2} F$		
$E^c$	$: Y = 1 \times F = F$		
$H_u$	$: Y = +\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \leftarrow \begin{matrix} H_u^+ \\ H_u^0 \\ H_u^- \end{matrix}$	}	$\frac{1}{2} H$
$H_d$	$: Y = -\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \leftarrow \begin{matrix} H_d^0 \\ H_d^- \end{matrix}$		

Note that the SUSY slopes  $b_i$  are less than the SM slopes  $b_i^{\text{SM}}$  for  $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$  &  $b_1 > b_1^{\text{SM}}$  for  $U(1)$ .

$$b_3^{\text{SM}} = -\frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[ 11 - \frac{4}{3} F \right]$$

$$b_2^{\text{SM}} = -\frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[ \frac{22}{3} - \frac{4}{3} F - \frac{1}{6} H \right]$$

$$b_1^{\text{SM}} = +\frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[ \frac{20}{9} F + \frac{1}{6} H \right]$$

So  $\alpha_{3,2}$  will run more slowly but  $\alpha_1$  more quickly. Again we will normalize the  $U(1)$  coupling constant to its GUT normalization

$$g_{1(\text{GUT})} = \sqrt{\frac{5}{3}} g_1 \Rightarrow \alpha_{1(\text{GUT})} = \frac{5}{3} \alpha_1$$

$$\text{So } b_{1(\text{GUT})} = \frac{3}{5} b_1.$$

Now we have our measured values of  $\alpha_{1,2,3}$  at the  $\mu_1 = M_Z$  scale. At this "low" energy SUSY is already broken. Hence we can evolve the coupling constants according to the SM  $\beta$ -functions until we reach the SUSY breaking scale  $M_{\text{SUSY}}$ . After which the SUSY partners propagate and are no longer decoupled from the running of the coupling constants. For simplicity we

will assume all the susy partner's effects occur at the same scale  $M_{\text{susy}}$ . Hence above  $M_{\text{susy}}$  the couplings evolve according to the susy  $\beta$ -functions.

Introducing the ~~running~~ parameter  $t$

$$\mu_1 = M_Z ; \mu = e^t M_Z ; \mu_{\text{susy}} = e^{t_{\text{susy}}} M_Z$$

$$\text{So } \ln\left(\frac{\mu}{\mu_1}\right) = t \quad \text{and as usual } \mu \frac{d}{d\mu} = \frac{d}{dt} \quad \equiv M_{\text{susy}}$$

Hence running from  $M_Z \rightarrow M_{\text{susy}}$  with the SM  $\beta$ 's  $\Rightarrow$

$$\frac{1}{\alpha_i(t_{\text{susy}})} = \frac{1}{\alpha_i(M_Z)} - 8\pi b_i^{\text{SM}} t_{\text{susy}}$$

This gives us the new initial conditions at  $M_{\text{susy}}$  to integrate up to high energy

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\alpha_i(t)} &= \frac{1}{\alpha_i(t_{\text{susy}})} - 8\pi b_i(t - t_{\text{susy}}) \\ &= \frac{1}{\alpha_i(M_Z)} - 8\pi b_i t - 8\pi b_i^{\text{SM}} t_{\text{susy}} + 8\pi b_i t_{\text{susy}} \end{aligned}$$



Using GUT normalization for the U(1) coupling constant  $g_1(\text{GUT}) = \sqrt{\frac{5}{3}} g_1$ ;  $\alpha_1(\text{GUT}) = \frac{5}{3} \alpha_1$

and  $b_1(\text{GUT}) = \frac{3}{5} b_1$ , we can evolve the coupling constants from the <sup>initial</sup> values at  $M_Z = 91.1874 \text{ GeV}$

$$\alpha_3(M_Z) = 0.1176$$

$$M_Z = 91.1874 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\alpha_2(M_Z) = 0.0336$$

$$\alpha_1(\text{GUT})(M_Z) = \frac{5}{3} (0.0102) \quad (t_{M_Z} = 0)$$

$$\text{So } \frac{1}{\alpha_i(t)} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\alpha_i(M_Z)} - 8\pi b_i^{\text{SM}} t, & 0 \leq t \leq t_{\text{susy}} \\ \left( \frac{1}{\alpha_i(t_{\text{susy}})} - 8\pi b_i(t - t_{\text{susy}}) / t_{\text{susy}} \right) \leq t \end{cases}$$

where we use the  $\alpha_1(\text{GUT})$  &  $b_1(\text{GUT})$ .

$$\text{Suppose } M_{\text{susy}} = 200 \text{ GeV} \Rightarrow t_{\text{susy}} = \ln\left(\frac{M_{\text{susy}}}{M_Z}\right)$$

and so on.

As seen in the graph - the SU(3), SU(2) and U(1) coupling constants unify at about  $M_{\text{GUT}} = 2 \times 10^{16} \text{ GeV}$  for  $M_{\text{susy}} \sim 100 - 1000 \text{ GeV}$ !

## Running of the MSSM Gauge Coupling Constants

Now if the SU(3)XSU(2)XU(1) groups are embedded in a SU(5) or SO(10) GUT it is conventional to normalize the U(1) coupling to be  $g_1(\text{GUT}) = (5/3)^{(1/2)} g_1$ .

Initial values of the fine structure constants are given at  $M_Z := 91.1874 \text{ GeV}$

There the inverse fine structure constants for U(1), SU(2) and SU(3) gauge coupling constants are

$$\alpha_{\text{inverse}M_Z} := \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5} \\ 0.0102 \\ \frac{1}{0.0336} \\ \frac{1}{0.1176} \end{pmatrix}$$

The coefficients for their  $\beta$  functions are given by the SM values below MSUSY

$$b_{\text{SM}} := \begin{pmatrix} \frac{41}{10} \\ -19 \\ \frac{6}{6} \\ -7 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{16 \cdot \pi^2}$$

After SUSY is broken the  $\beta$  function coefficients are given by

$$b_{\text{MSSM}} := \begin{pmatrix} \frac{33}{5} \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{16 \cdot \pi^2}$$

The SUSY breaking scale is

$$M_{\text{SUSY}} := 100 \text{ GeV}$$

Hence the running parameter  $t_{\text{SUSY}}$  is

$$t_{\text{SUSY}} := \ln\left(\frac{M_{\text{SUSY}}}{M_Z}\right)$$

The renormalization group running of the inverse fine structure constants is described by the RGE equation

$$\alpha_{\text{inverse}}(t) := \begin{cases} \left( \alpha_{\text{inverse}M_Z} - (8 \cdot \pi \cdot b_{\text{SM}} \cdot t) \right) & \text{if } t \leq t_{\text{SUSY}} \\ \left( \left( \alpha_{\text{inverse}M_Z} - [8 \cdot \pi \cdot (b_{\text{SM}} - b_{\text{MSSM}}) \cdot t_{\text{SUSY}}] \right) - (8 \cdot \pi \cdot b_{\text{MSSM}} \cdot t) \right) & \text{if } t \geq t_{\text{SUSY}} \end{cases}$$

where the energy scale of the effective coupling constant is given by

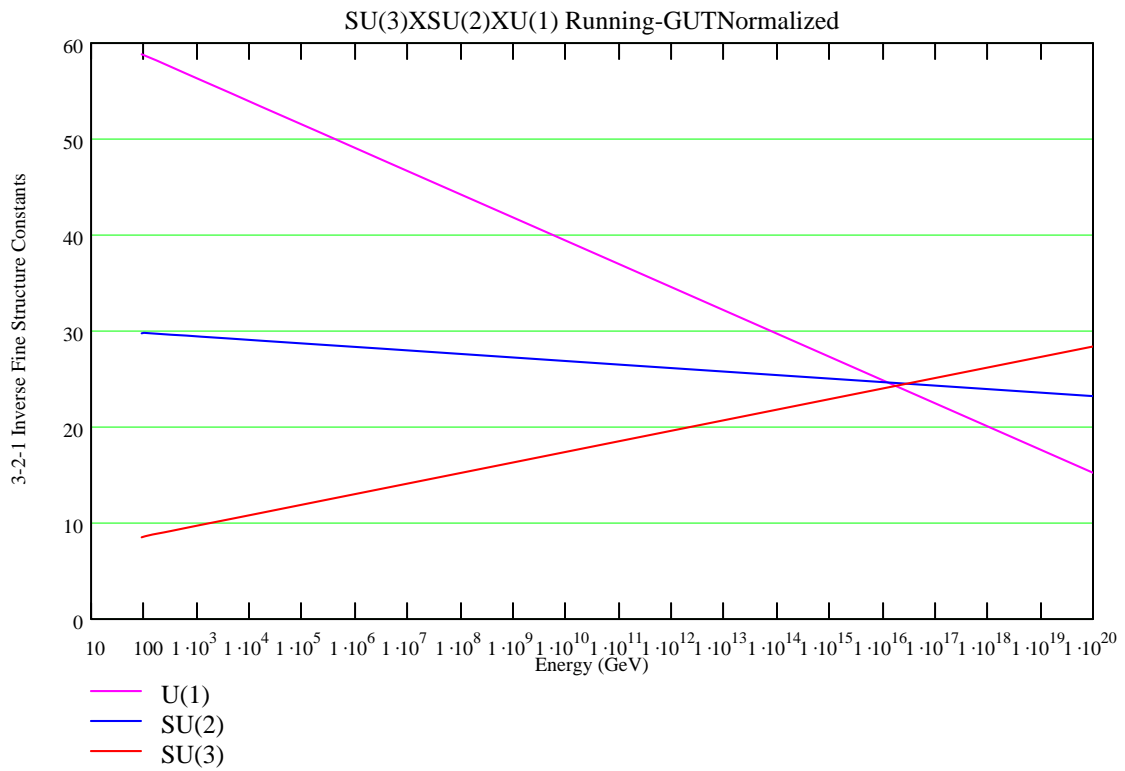
$$t := 0, 0.1 \dots 42$$

$$Q(t) := M_Z \cdot e^t$$

$$t_{\text{SUSY}} = 0.092$$

$$Q(t_{\text{SUSY}}) = 100$$

The RGE running is now given by



$$MSUSY2 := 1000 \quad tSUSY2 := \ln\left(\frac{MSUSY2}{M_Z}\right)$$

$$tSUSY2 = 2.395$$

$$Q(tSUSY2) = 1 \times 10^3$$

$$\alpha_{inverse}(t) := \begin{cases} \left( \overrightarrow{\alpha_{inverse}M_Z - (8 \cdot \pi \cdot b_{SM} \cdot t)} \right) & \text{if } t \leq tSUSY2 \\ \left( \left( \overrightarrow{\alpha_{inverse}M_Z - [8 \cdot \pi \cdot (b_{SM} - b_{MSSM}) \cdot tSUSY2]} \right) - \left( \overrightarrow{8 \cdot \pi \cdot b_{MSSM} \cdot t} \right) \right) & \text{if } t \geq tSUSY2 \end{cases}$$

