

Supersymmetry, autumn 2010, exercise 12
(please return on Dec. 9)

1. Explain the origin of the different terms in the chargino Lagrangian:

$$L_{\chi^\pm} = ig(\lambda^+ \tilde{H}_1^- v_1 + \lambda^- \tilde{H}_2^+ v_2) + M_2 \lambda^+ \lambda^- - \mu \tilde{H}_2^+ \tilde{H}_1^- + h.c.,$$

where $\lambda^\pm = (\lambda_1 \mp i\lambda_2)/\sqrt{2}$. Find the chargino mass matrix

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} M_2 & m_W \sqrt{2} \sin \beta \\ m_W \sqrt{2} \cos \beta & \mu \end{pmatrix}.$$

starting from the Lagrangian, and using the Dirac spinors

$$\Psi^+ = \begin{pmatrix} -i\lambda^+ \\ \tilde{H}_2^+ \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Psi^- = \begin{pmatrix} -i\lambda^- \\ \tilde{H}_1^- \end{pmatrix}.$$

Hint: Write the Lagrangian in the form

$$L_{\chi^\pm} = -\frac{1}{2}(\Psi^{+T} \Psi^{-T}) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & X^T \\ X & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \Psi^+ \\ \Psi^- \end{pmatrix}.$$

2. Find the chargino masses using the chargino mass matrix.
Hint. Use $\chi_i^+ = V_{ij} \Psi_j^+$ and $\chi_i^- = U_{ij} \Psi_j^-$ ($i, j = 1, 2$), where $U^* X V^{-1} = M_D = \text{diagonal}$. Note that $M_D^2 = V X^+ X V^{-1} = U^* X X^+ (U^*)^{-1}$.
3. Find the locally symmetric action for nonabelian gauge theory by Noether procedure starting from the globally symmetric action

$$S_0 = -\frac{1}{4} \int G_a^{\mu\nu} G_{\mu\nu}^a d^4x,$$

where $G_a^{\mu\nu} \equiv \partial^\mu A_a^\nu - \partial^\nu A_a^\mu$.

Hint. See lectures or Bailin & Love.