

Gauge-Yukawa theories at large N_F

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- Large N_F expansion in a nutshell
- Calculations of the resummed Yukawa beta function
- Large N_F beta functions - state of the art
- Asymptotically Safe model building with large N_F
- Conclusions

Perturbative asymptotic safety

D.F.Litim, F. Sannino, JHEP 1412, 178 (2014)

Gauge-Yukawa theory with $G = SU(N_C)$, N_F fermions and N_F^2 scalars

$$\alpha_{g,y} = \frac{g(y)^2 N_C}{(4\pi)^2}$$
$$\beta_g = \frac{d\alpha_g}{d \ln \mu} = \alpha_g^2 (-B + C\alpha_g - D\alpha_y)$$
$$\beta_y = \frac{d\alpha_y}{d \ln \mu} = \alpha_y (E\alpha_y - F\alpha_g)$$

} UV interacting fixed point

$$\text{parameter } \epsilon = \frac{N_F}{N_C} - \frac{11}{2} \quad \longrightarrow \quad B = -\frac{4}{3}\epsilon$$

$$\text{Veneziano limit: } N_F, N_C \rightarrow \infty, \frac{N_F}{N_C} \rightarrow \text{const.} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \epsilon \ll 1$$

UV GY fixed point is perturbatively stable

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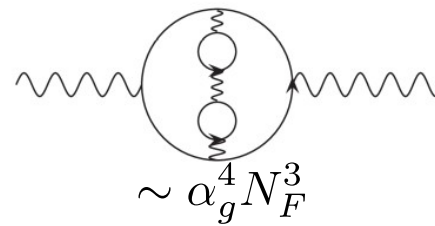
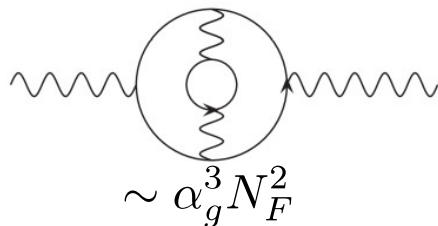
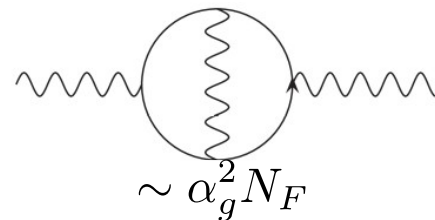
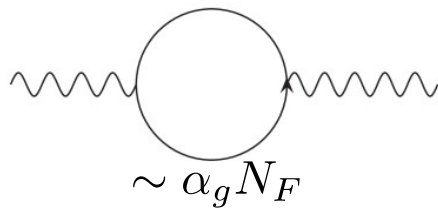
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$\alpha_g N_F \sim 1$



perturbative expansion
in α_g breaks down

$$\beta_g = \alpha_g^2 (B N_F + C \alpha_g N_F + D \alpha_g^2 N_F^2 + \dots)$$

Large N_F expansion in a nutshell

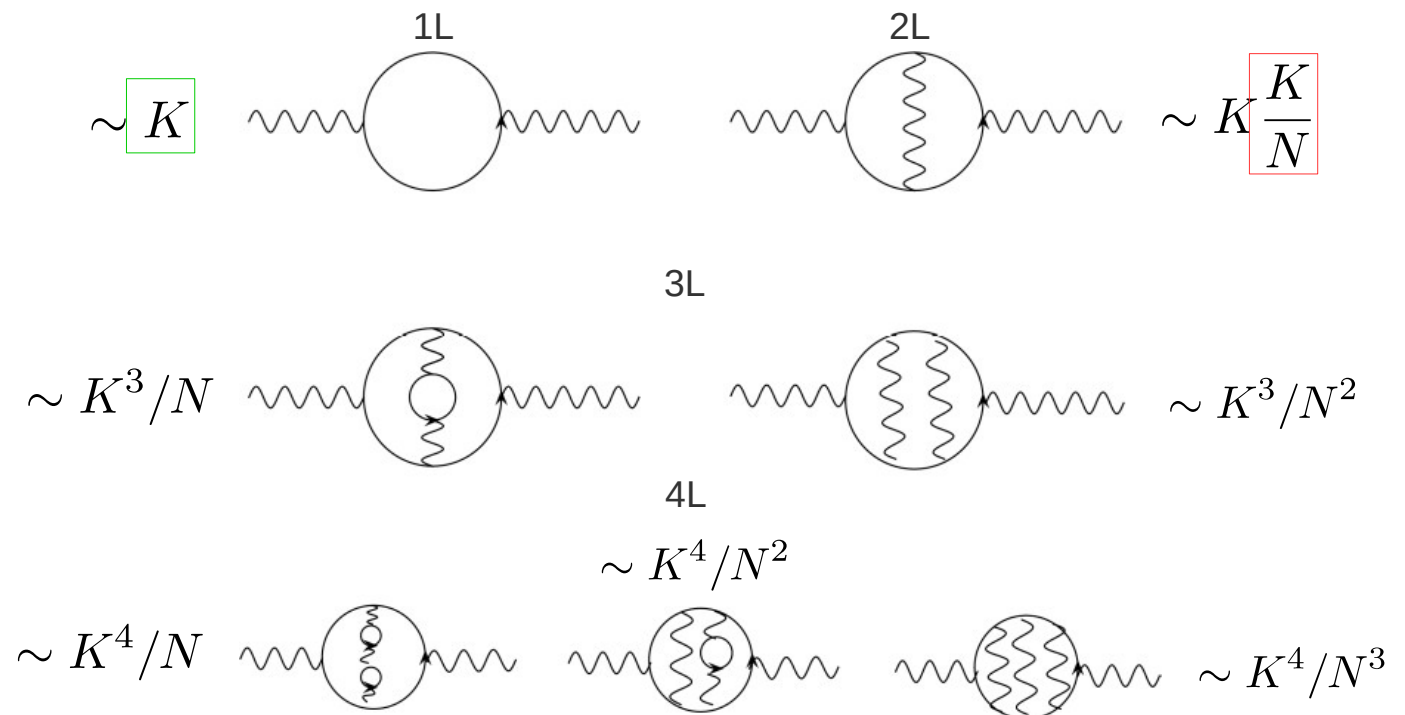
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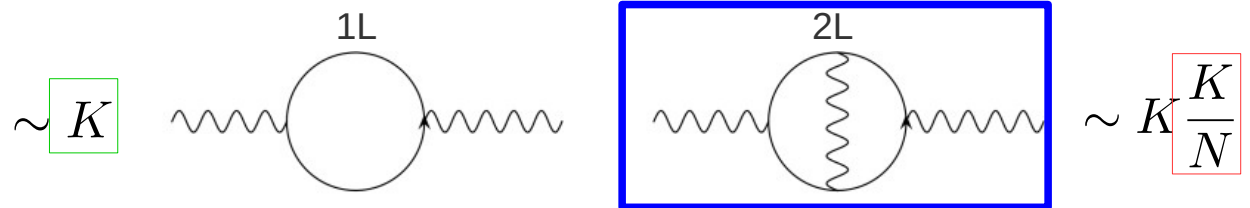
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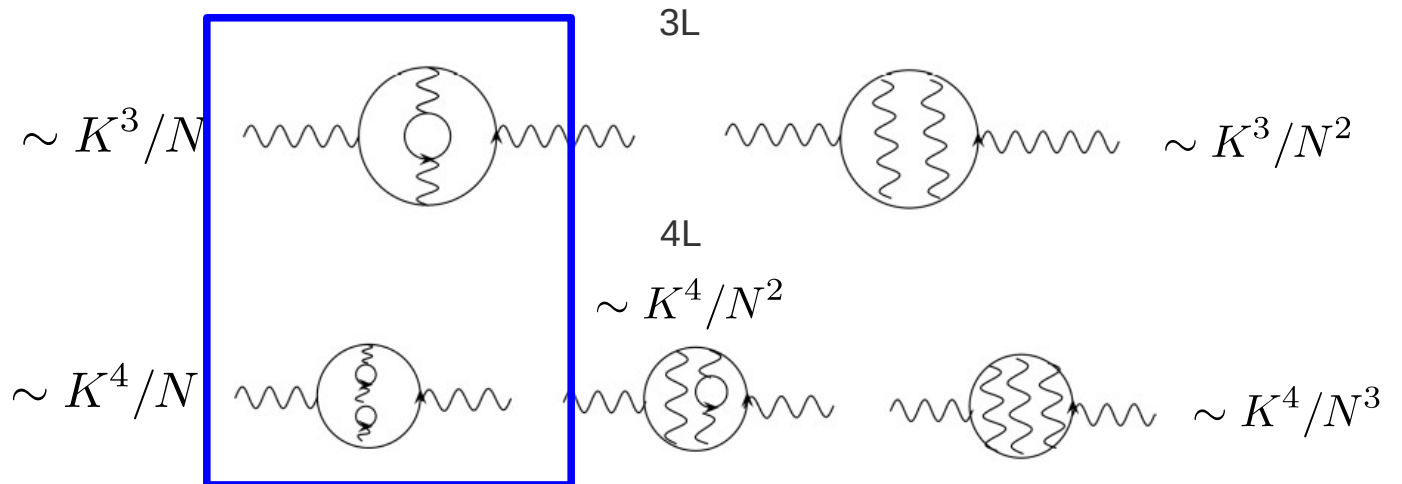
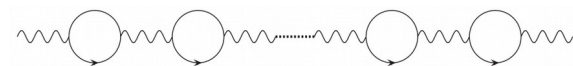
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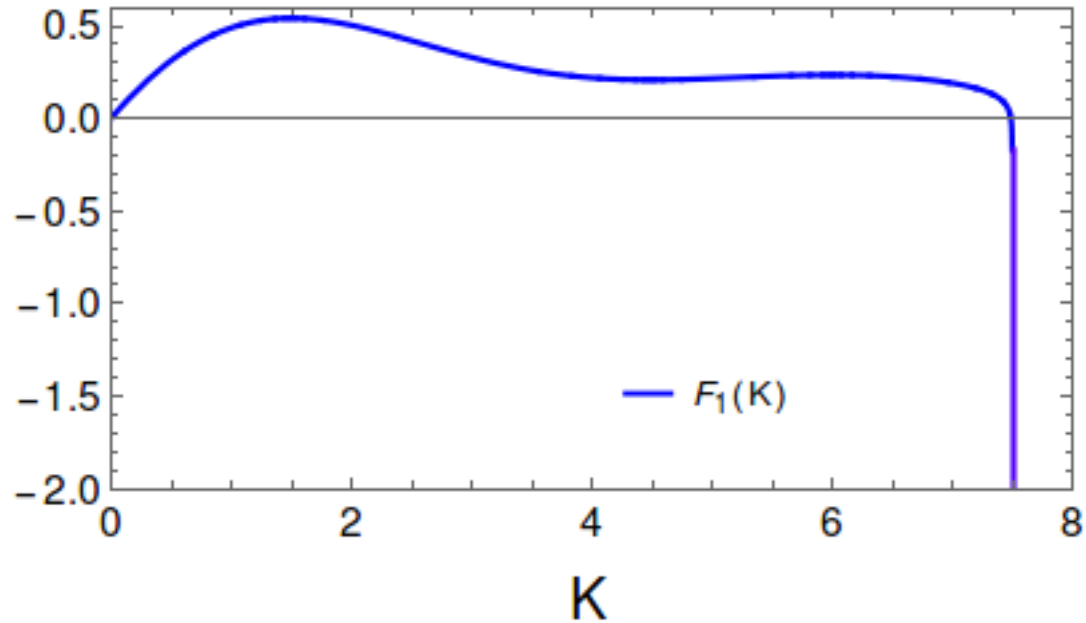


For large N_F
 $F_1(K)$ dominates

Replace gauge propagator with



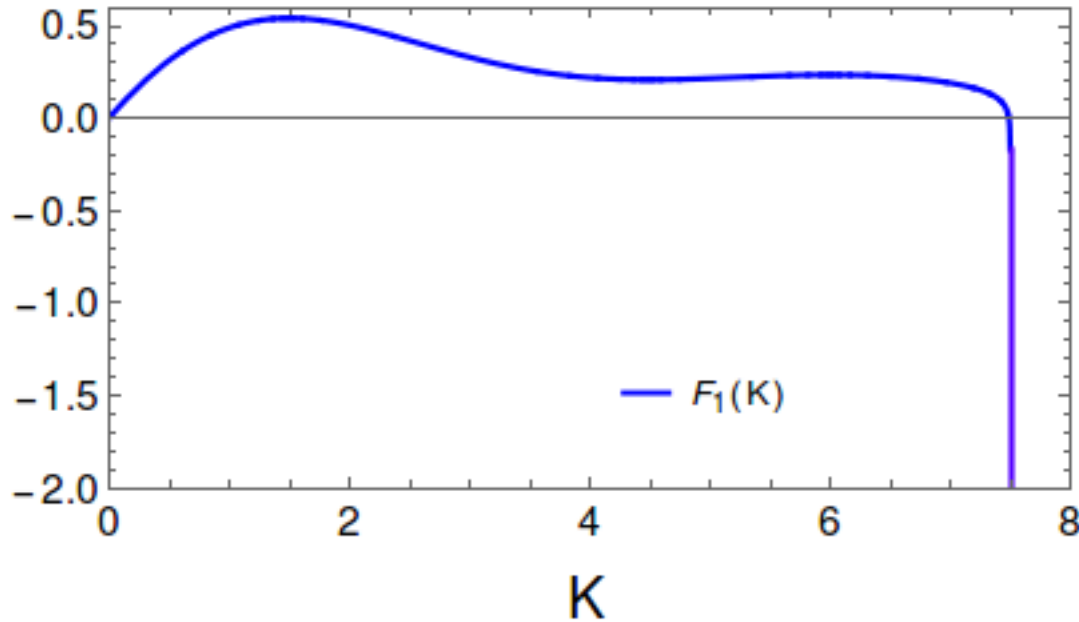
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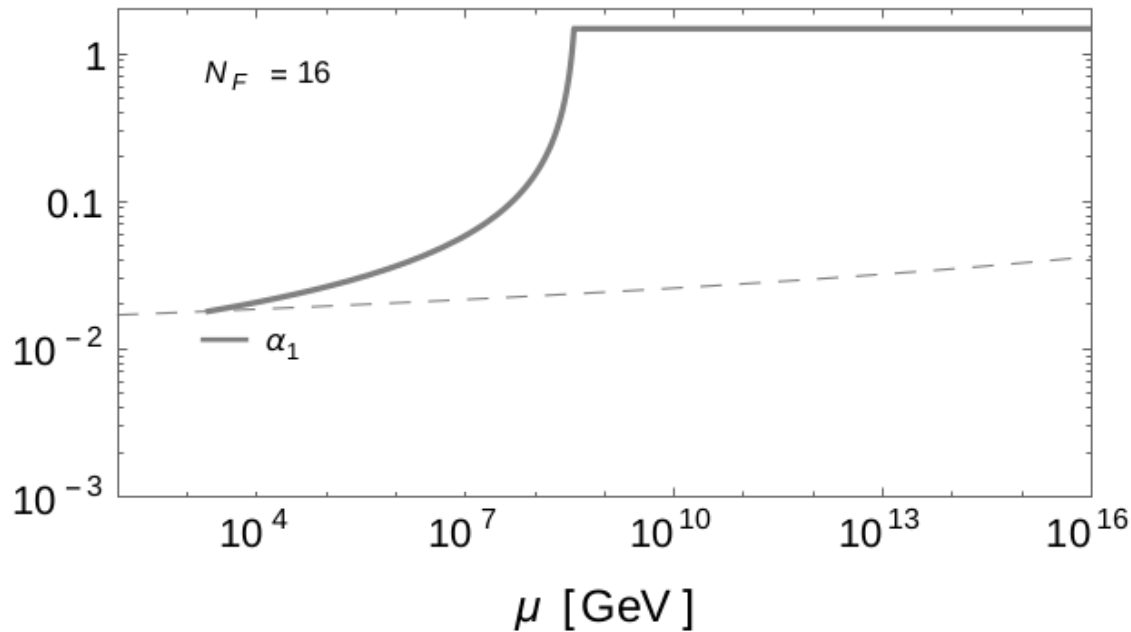
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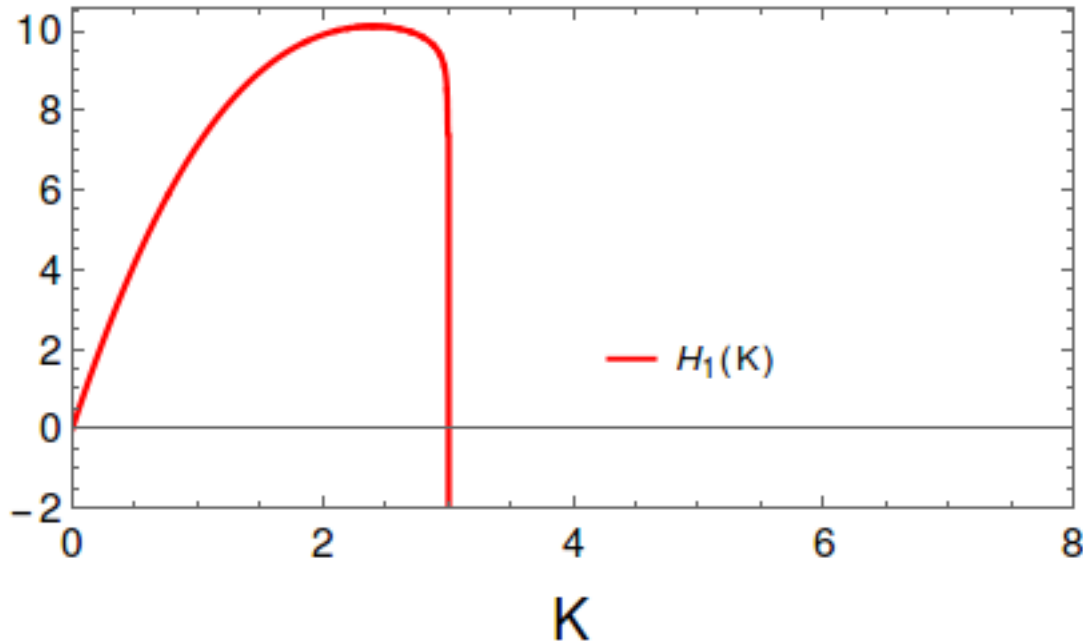
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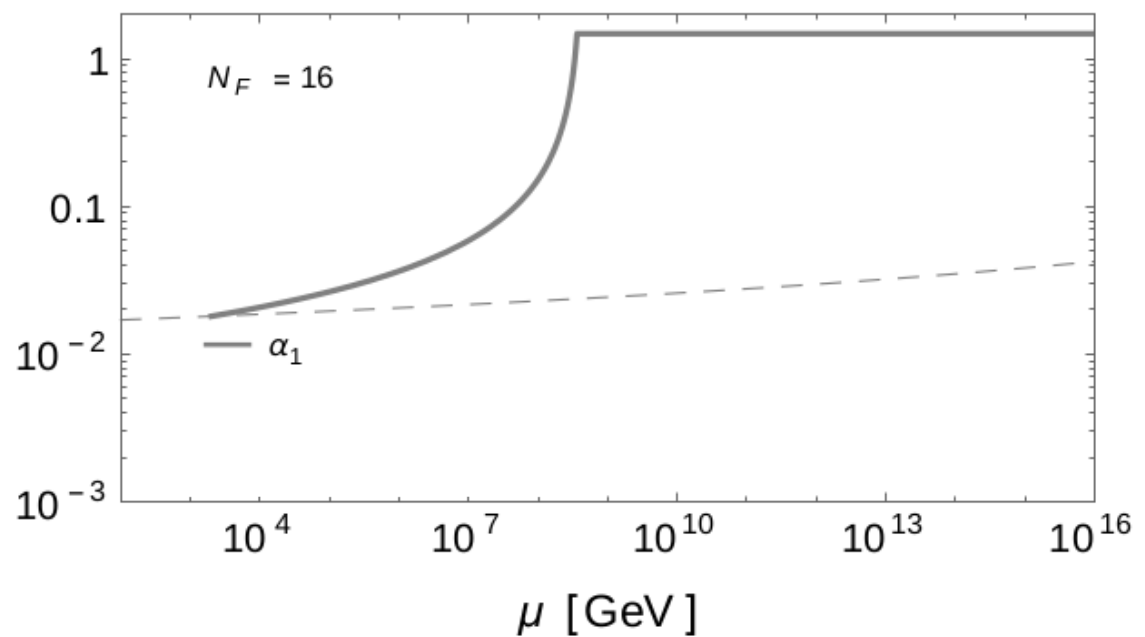
**$K = 3$
for QCD**

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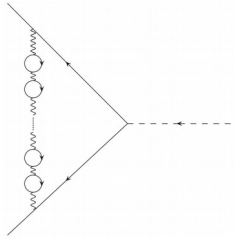
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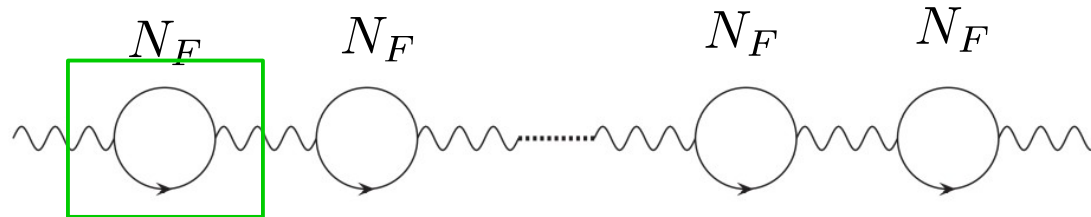
Resummation for the Yukawa coupling



KK, E.M. Sessolo,
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$$\beta_y(K) \equiv \frac{d \ln \alpha_y}{d \ln \mu} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{Y_i(K)}{N_F^i}$$

Step 1: Resum the gauge propagator: $\Delta_{B \mu\nu} = \frac{g_{\mu\nu}}{k^2 - i\epsilon}$



$$i\Pi^{\rho\sigma}(k) = i(g^{\rho\sigma}k^2 - k^\rho k^\sigma) \Pi(k^2)$$

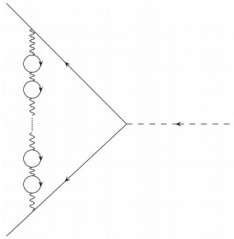
$$\Pi(k^2) = -2K \left(-\frac{4\pi\mu^2}{k^2} \right)^{\frac{\epsilon}{2}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{\epsilon}{2}) \Gamma(2 - \frac{\epsilon}{2})^2}{\Gamma(4 - \epsilon)}$$

$$\Delta'_{\mu\nu} = \Delta_{B \mu\nu} + \Delta_{B \mu\rho} \Pi^{\rho\sigma}(k) \Delta_{B \sigma\nu} + \dots$$

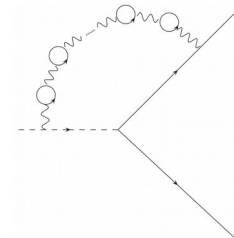
$$\Delta'_{\mu\nu} = \frac{g_{\mu\nu}}{(k^2 - i\epsilon) [1 - \Pi(k^2)]} = \frac{g_{\mu\nu}}{k^2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \Pi^n(k^2)$$

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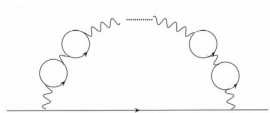
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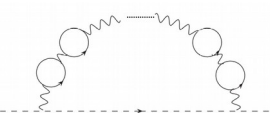
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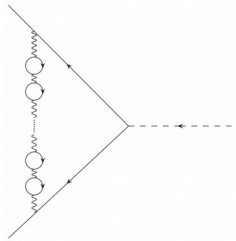


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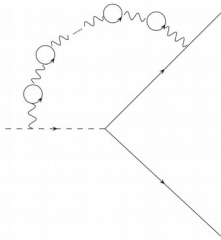


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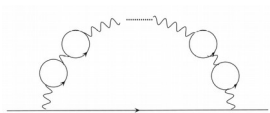
$$\Lambda_Y(p, p') = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \Lambda_Y^{(n)}(p, p')$$

$$\Lambda_Y^{(n)}(p, p') = (-ig_{1,0})^2 q_L q_R \mu^\epsilon \Pi^n(0) \int \frac{d^d k}{(2\pi)^d} \gamma_\nu \frac{i(p-k+m_0)}{(p-k)^2 - m_0^2} y \frac{i(p'-k+m_0)}{(p'-k)^2 - m_0^2} \gamma^\nu \frac{-i(\mu^2)^{\frac{n\epsilon}{2}}}{(k^2)^{1+\frac{n\epsilon}{2}}}$$

insert resummed propagator
into 1-loop diagram

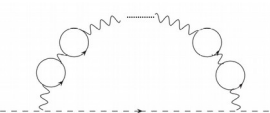


$$+ q_S^2 (-ig_{1,0})^2 \mu^\epsilon \Pi^n(0) \int \frac{d^d k}{(2\pi)^d} \gamma_\nu \frac{i(p'-k+m_0)}{(p'-k)^2 - m_0^2} y \frac{i(2l-k)^\nu}{(l-k)^2 - M_0^2} \frac{-i(\mu^2)^{\frac{n\epsilon}{2}}}{(k^2)^{1+\frac{n\epsilon}{2}}}$$



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Resummation for the Yukawa coupling

Step 3: Use resummation formula

$$\frac{d\Sigma_2(p)_{L,R}}{dp} = \frac{3}{4N_F} \frac{q_{L,R}^2}{q^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{2}{3}K_0\right)^n \frac{1}{n\epsilon^n} H_2(n, \epsilon) \quad \text{pole extraction}$$

$$K_0^n = Z_3^{-n} K^n = \left(1 - \frac{2K}{3\epsilon}\right)^{-n} K^n = K^n \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \binom{-n}{i} \left(-\frac{2K}{3\epsilon}\right)^i \quad \text{renormalization of the gauge coupling}$$

$$H_2(n, \epsilon) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} H_2^{(j)}(\epsilon) (n\epsilon)^j, \quad H_2^{(0)}(\epsilon) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \tilde{H}_2^{(i)} \epsilon^i, \quad \tilde{H}_2^{(0)} = 1$$

$$\frac{d\Sigma_2(p)_{L,R}}{dp} = \frac{3}{4N_F} \frac{q_{L,R}^2}{q^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left(\frac{2K}{3}\right)^n \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \frac{H_2^{(j)}(\epsilon)}{\epsilon^{n-j}} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{i} (-1)^i (n-i)^{j-1} \begin{cases} 0, & j > 0 \\ -(-1)^n 1/n, & j = 0 \end{cases}$$

resummation formula (Palanques-Mestre, Pascual)

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Step 4: Derive the beta function

$$H_2^{(0)}(\epsilon) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \tilde{H}_2^{(i)} \epsilon^i$$

$$\epsilon \frac{\partial Z_{2L,R}}{\partial K} = -\frac{1}{2N_F} \frac{q_{L,R}^2}{q^2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \tilde{H}_2^{(n)} \cdot \left(\frac{2K}{3}\right)^n = -\frac{1}{2N_F} \frac{q_{L,R}^2}{q^2} H_2^{(0)} \left(\frac{2K}{3}\right)$$

...and similar for other renormalization constants

$$Y_1(K)K^{-1} = -4 \frac{q_L q_R}{q^2} Y_1^{(0)} \left(\frac{2}{3}K\right) - \frac{q_S^2}{q^2} Y_2^{(0)} \left(\frac{2}{3}K\right)$$

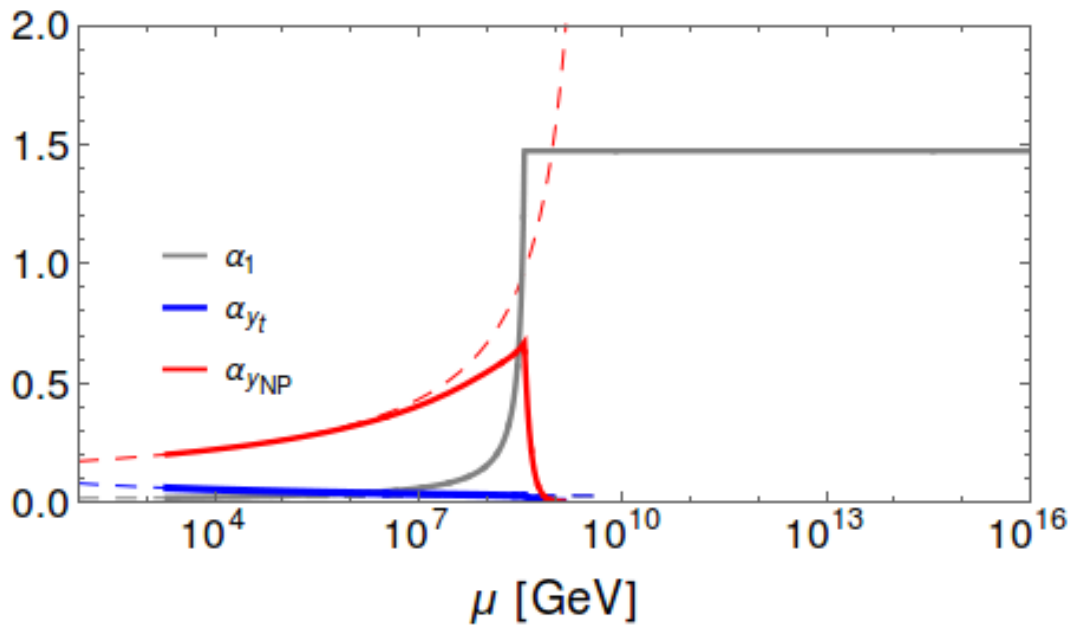
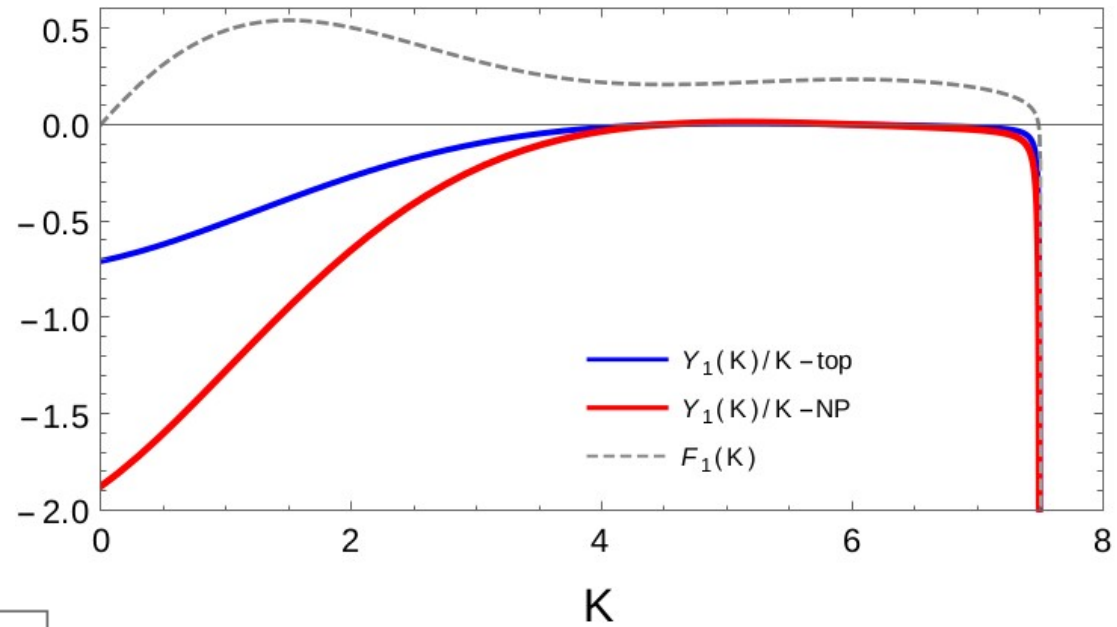
$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{q_L^2 + q_R^2}{q^2} H_2^{(0)} \left(\frac{2}{3}K\right) - \frac{q_S^2}{q^2} H_\phi^{(0)} \left(\frac{2}{3}K\right)$$

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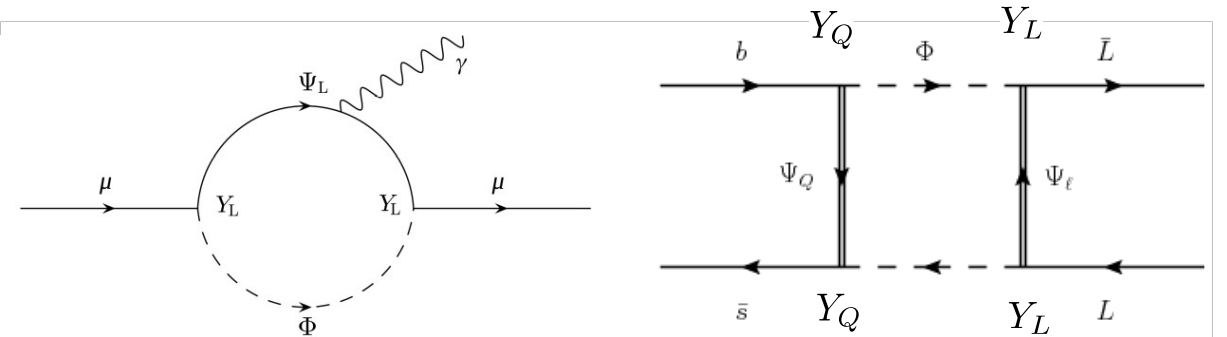
- models with large Yukawa couplings might(?) become UV complete

Interlude - pheno applications

Many BSM scenarios can explain anomalies in $g-2$ and R_K through 1-loop contributions, ex.

$$\psi_L(\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1}, -1) \quad \psi_Q(\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{1}, -1/3)$$

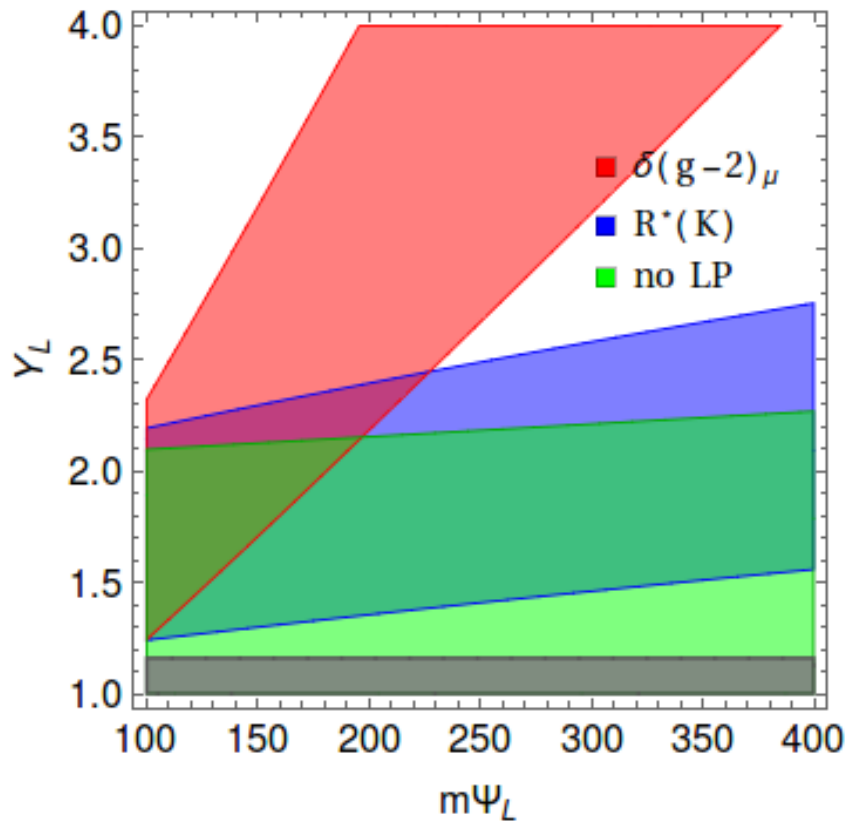
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JHEP 1704 (2014) 043

$Y_Q = 0.4$ $M_\Phi = 65$ GeV $N_F = 16$

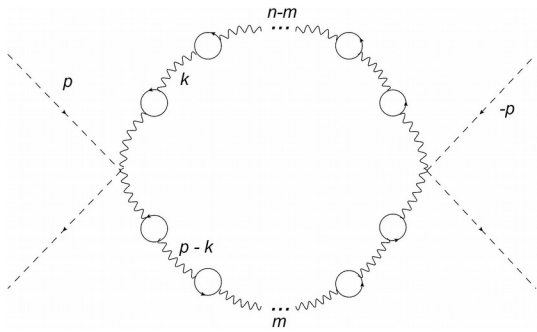


← RGE in the limit of large N_F

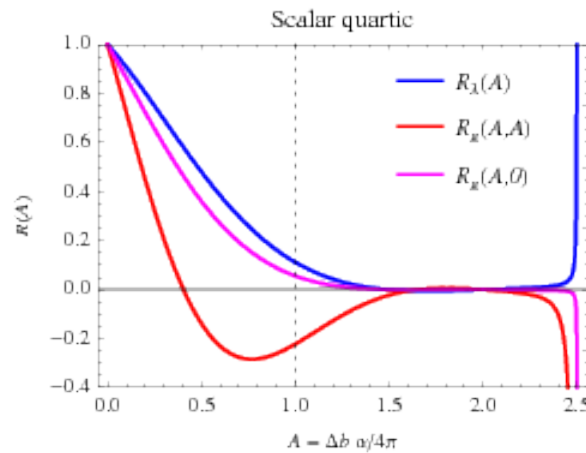
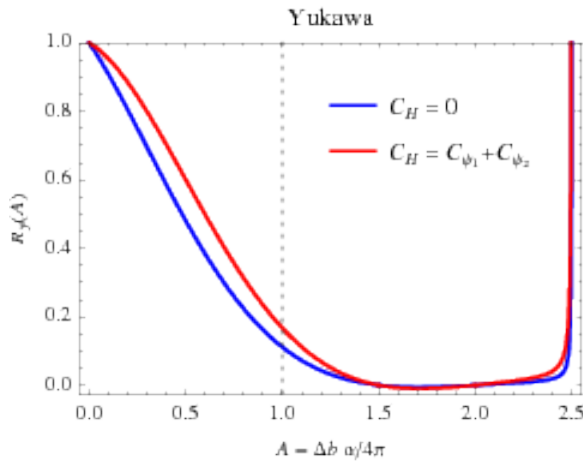
← 1-loop RGE for the Yukawa coupling

Scalar quartic coupling at large N_F

Pelaggi, Plasencia, Salvio, Sannino, Smirnov, Strumia,
Phys.Rev. D97 (2018)



$$(\beta_\lambda)_{1/N} = -c_1 \lambda K R_\lambda(K) + d_1 K^2 R_g(K)$$



R_λ, R_g have poles at

$$K = \frac{15}{2}$$

Quartic coupling stays perturbative only for non-abelian gauge groups

Large N_F - state of the art

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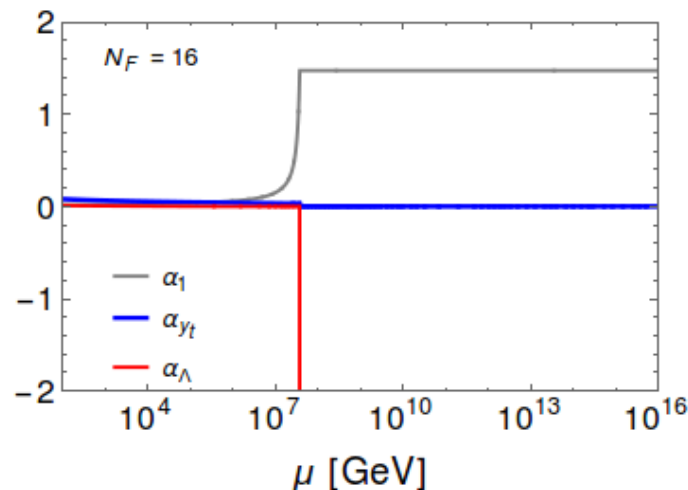
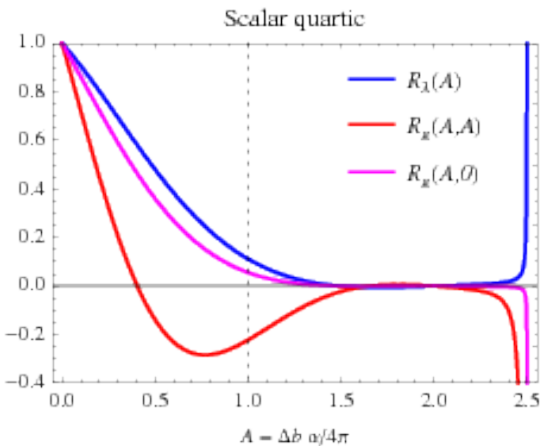
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AS Standard Model (gauge)

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No!

AS GUT extensions of the SM

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U(1)	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	X
SU(N)	K = 3	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	V
U(1) x SU(N)	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	X
SU(N) x SU(M)	K = 3	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	V
Yukawa	Y = 3	Y = 5		
U(1) + Yukawa	K = 7.5, Y = 3	K = 7.5, Y = 5		

For example:

Pati-Salam: $SU(4) \times SU(2) \times SU(2)$

Molinaro, Sannino, Wang
arXiv: 1807.03669

Trinification: $SU(3)_C \times SU(3)_R \times SU(3)_L$

Wang, Al Balushi, Mann, Jiang
arXiv: 1812.11085

AS Standard Model (Yukawa)?

	β_g	β_y	β_λ	
U(1)	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	X
SU(N)	K = 3	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	V
U(1) x SU(N)	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	X
SU(N) x SU(M)	K = 3	K = 7.5	K = 7.5	V
Yukawa	Y = 3	Y = 5		
U(1) + Yukawa	K = 7.5, Y = 3	K = 7.5, Y = 5		?

1-loop Higgs quartic:

$$16\pi^2\beta(\lambda) = 24\lambda^2 + \lambda(12y_t^2 - 9g_2^2 - 3g_1^2) + \frac{3}{8}g_1^4 + \frac{9}{8}g_2^4 + \frac{3}{4}g_1^2g_2^2 - 6y_t^4$$

The first pole must have $K > 7.5$

Conclusions

- Gauge and Yukawa couplings can remain asymptotically safe/free in the large- N_F limit.
- In abelian theories the scalar quartic couplings run into a pole.
- At the moment no viable AS extension of the SM in the large- N_F limit.
- More calculations needed.