

Automation of NLO Calculations for BSM

A report on recent progress in 1-Loop BSM automation

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Probing Physics Beyond the Standard Model with Precision

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- ▶ SM is very well consistent with LHC
- ▶ Recent progress in higher precision calculations (α_s^2, α)
EW corrections are becoming state of the art.
- ▶ EW BSM extension of SM appealing.
Differences to SM expected of the order of EW corrections.
EW corrections in BSM required (?)
- ▶ How difficult is it to generalize this progress to BSM NLO?
Why do we need automation?

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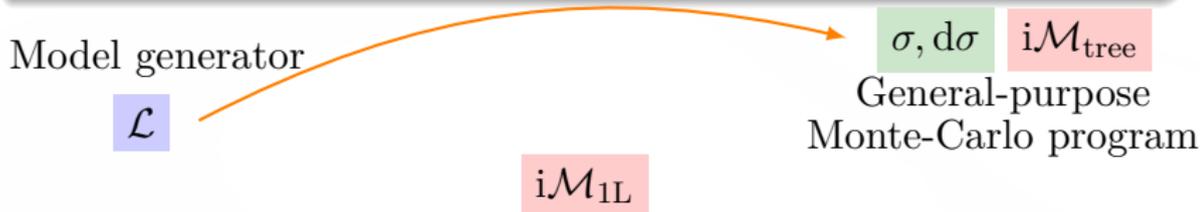
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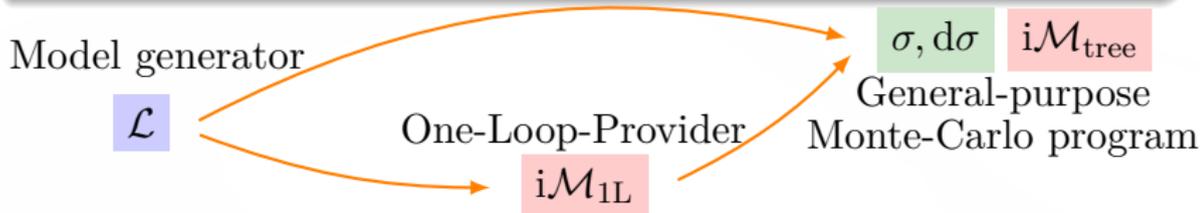
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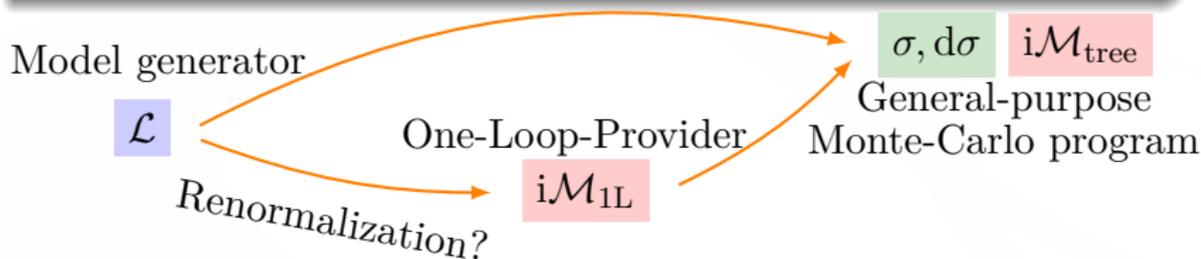
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1-Loop automation: First steps in BSM automation

Beyond pure QCD: Challenges at NLO EW

From theory to Feynman rules

FEYNRULES:

A Mathematica package to calculate Feynman rules.

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Input: Model file informations (MATHEMATICA syntax)

Ref: feynrules.irmp.ucl.ac.be

SARAH:

A Mathematica package for building and analyzing models.

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Ref: sarah.hepforge.org

LANHEP:

A program for Feynman rules generation.

Written in: C

Input: Model file informations (custom script syntax)

Ref: theory.sinp.msu.ru/~semenov/lanhep.html

Tools are characterized by high-level/compact language input:

- ▶ user-friendly
- ▶ reuseability/efficiency
 - ▶ allows to e.g. take over most parts of the SM
 - ▶ reduces the risk of mistakes

E.g. LANHEP input(QED)

```
model QED/1.
parameter ee=0.31333:'elementary electric charge'.
spinoir e1/E1:(electron, mass me=0.000511).
vector A/A:(photon).
let F^mu^nu=deriv^mu*A^nu-deriv^nu*A^mu.
lterm -1/4*(F^mu^nu)**2 - 1/2*(deriv^mu*A^mu)**2.
lterm E1*(i*gamma*deriv+me)*e1.
lterm ee*E1*gamma*A*e1.
```

The user is assisted by automated model checks:

- ▶ Normalization of Lagrangian
- ▶ Mass-spectrum
- ▶ Hermiticity
- ▶ Local & global symmetries
- ▶ Presence/absence of anomalies

E.g. SARAH: CheckModel call

```
In[1]:= << SARAH` ;  
Start["Georgi-Machacek"];  
CheckModel[]  
  
SARAH 4.12.2  
  
by Florian Staub, 2017  
  
contributions by M. D. Goodsell, K. Nickel
```

The UFO format eliminates the need for different interfaces:

E.g. in FEYNRULES: WriteUFO call

```
l(8)- WriteUFO[LGauge + LHiggs + LFermions + LYukawa + LGhost, AddDecays → False]
--- Universal FeynRules Output (UFO) v 1.1 ---
Starting Feynman rule calculation.
Expanding the Lagrangian...
Expanding the indices over 4 cores
Collecting the different structures that enter the vertex.
130 possible non-zero vertices have been found -> starting the computation: 130 / 130.
125 vertices obtained.
Flavor expansion of the vertices distributed over 4 cores: 125 / 125
- Saved vertices in InterfaceRun[ 2 ].
Preparing Python output.
- Splitting vertices into building blocks.
Splitting of vertices distributed over 4 kernels.
- Optimizing: 177/177 .
- Writing files.
Done!
```

Major GPMC tools (MadGraph, Sherpa, Whizard, ...) support the UFO format and can thus compute hard processes/perform spectrum calculations for a given model file at LO.

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Automation of amplitude generation and computation

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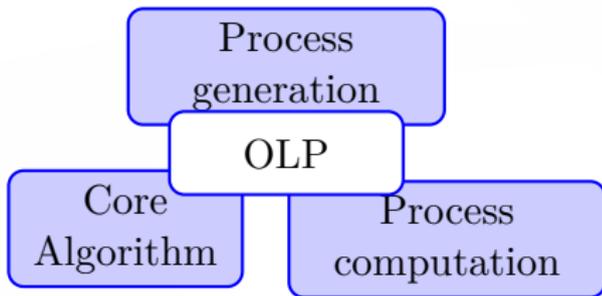
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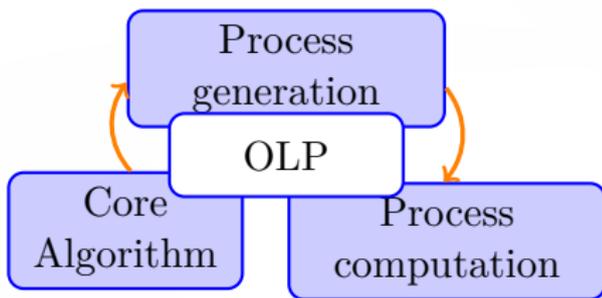
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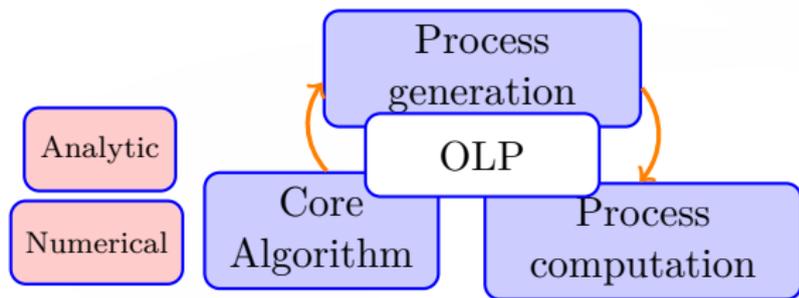
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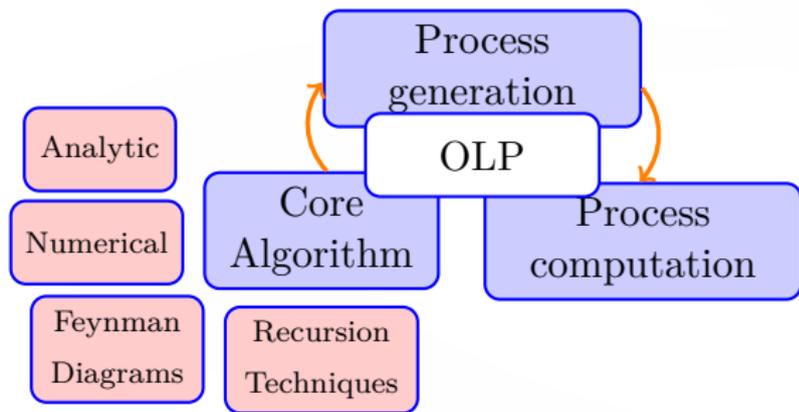
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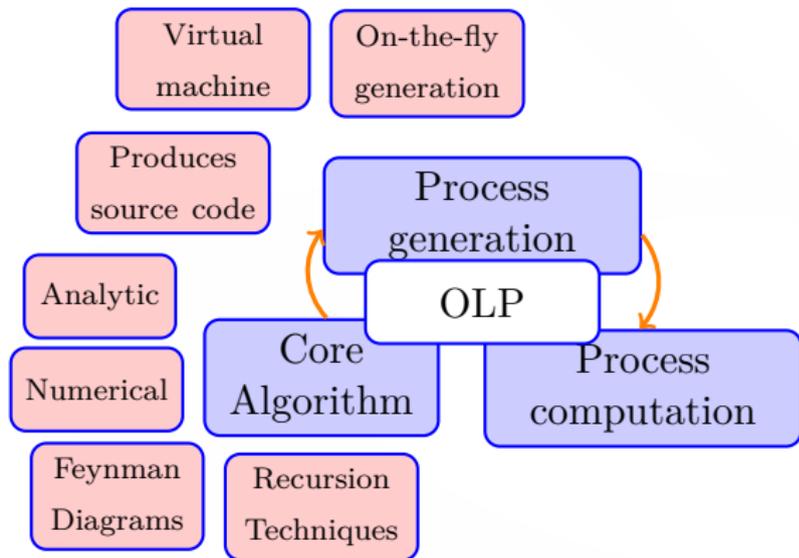
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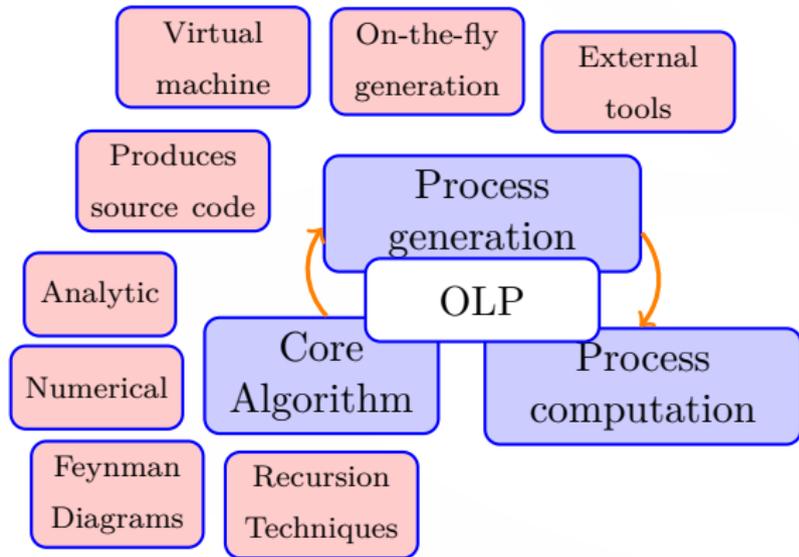
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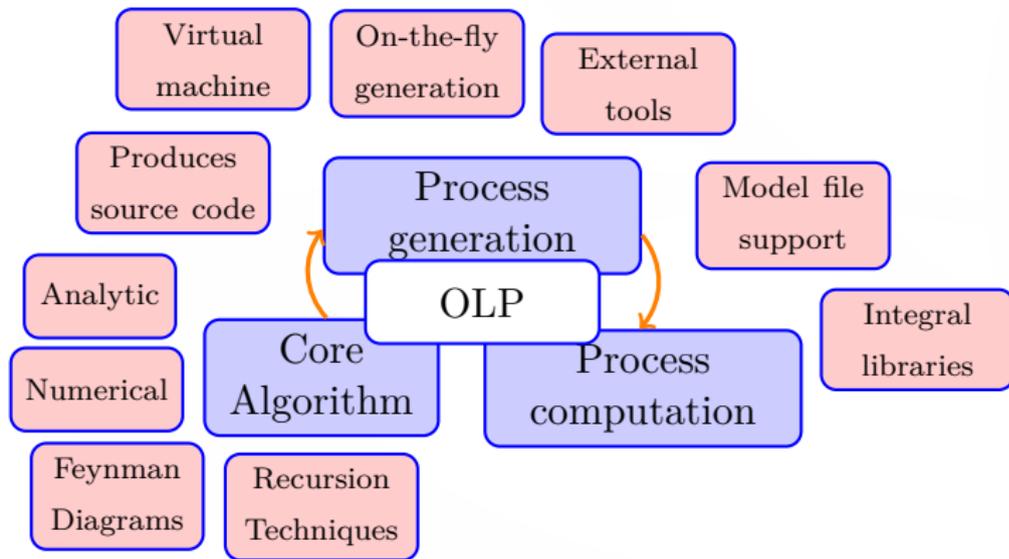
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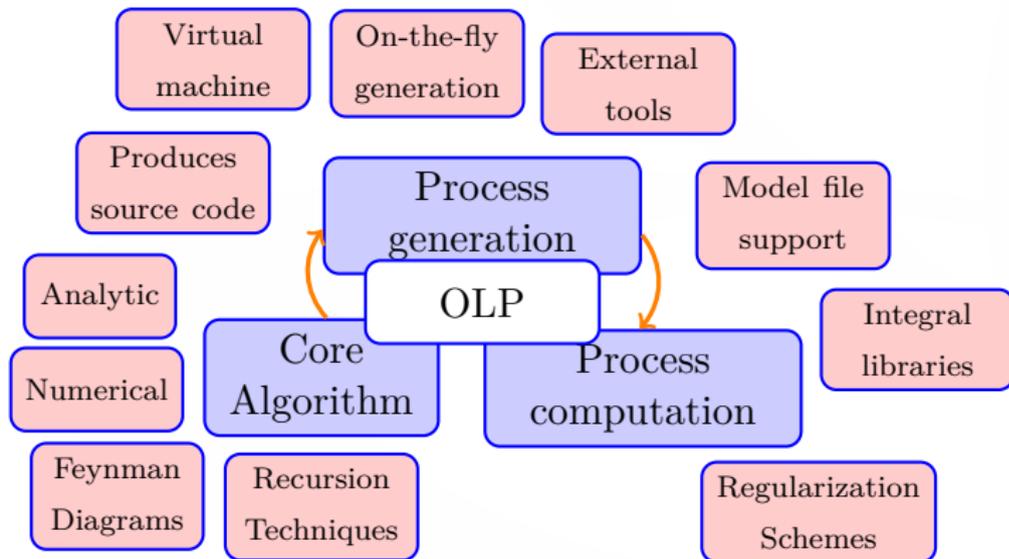
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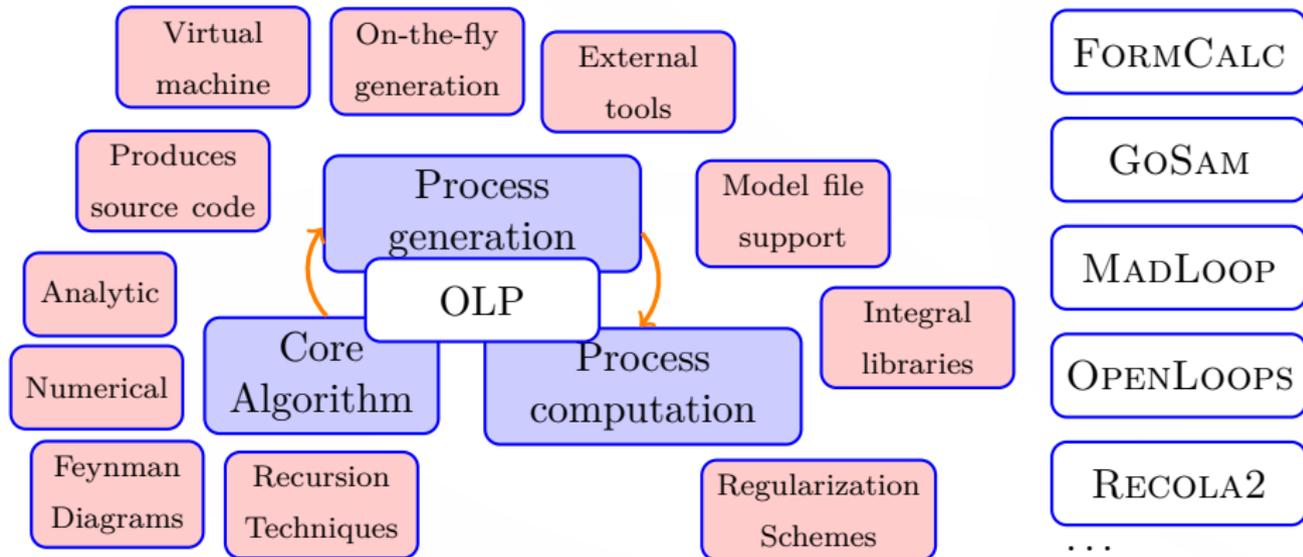
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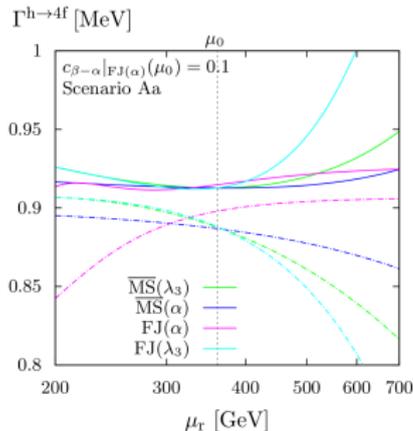
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Selection of BSM applications in automated frameworks

arXiv:1710.07598,arXiv:1801.0729:
Higgs decays in the 2HDM and
HSESM using PROPHECY.

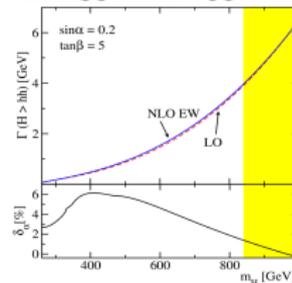
$$p_0 = p^{(1)} + \delta p^{(1)}(p^{(1)}) = p^{(2)} + \delta p^{(2)}(p^{(2)})$$



arXiv:1602.05495,arXiv:1705.02209:
Renormalization of the NMSSM and
application to Higgs decays in
SLOOPS.

	two-loop		One-loop		
	(MeV)	$t_{(134),A_1}$	$OS_{(24),A_1,A_2,H^+}$	$DR Q_M$	$DR Q_{mix}$
$h_2^0 \rightarrow A_1^0 A_1^0$	47.9	128%	-12%	0.4%	-0.4%
$h_2^0 \rightarrow h_1^0 h_2^0$	22.1	116%	79%	52%	-1.7%
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$A_2^0 \rightarrow Z^0 h_2^0$	18.6	120%	80%	-56%	-14.5%
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$H^+ \rightarrow W^+ h_2^0$	20.1	119%	79%	-56%	-16%
$H^+ \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^+ \tilde{\chi}_3^0$	64.0	125%	-18%	3%	1.1%

arXiv:1511.08120:
Renormalization of the HSESM and
application to Higgs-to Higgs decays



in SLOOPS.

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Scattering Amplitudes from Unitarity based Reduction At Integrand level

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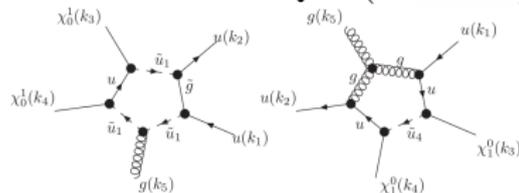
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[arXiv:1212.5154:](#)

Neutralino Pair production plus jet in the MSSM at NLO QCD (UFO used)



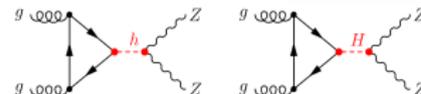
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Diphoton plus jet through graviton exchange (UFO used)

$$\begin{aligned}
 B_{\mu\nu,\rho\sigma}(k, m) &= \left(\eta_{\mu\rho} - \frac{k_\mu k_\rho}{m^2} \right) \left(\eta_{\nu\sigma} - \frac{k_\nu k_\sigma}{m^2} \right) \\
 &+ \left(\eta_{\mu\sigma} - \frac{k_\mu k_\sigma}{m^2} \right) \left(\eta_{\nu\rho} - \frac{k_\nu k_\rho}{m^2} \right) \\
 &- \frac{2}{3} \left(\eta_{\mu\nu} - \frac{k_\mu k_\nu}{m^2} \right) \left(\eta_{\rho\sigma} - \frac{k_\rho k_\sigma}{m^2} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

[arXiv:1512.07232:](#)

Vector-boson pair production in the THDM at NLO QCD



[arXiv:1602.05141:](#)

Dim 8 anomalous couplings (UFO used)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{O}_1 &= \frac{c_1}{\Lambda^4} G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a,\mu\nu} W_{\rho\sigma}^I W^{I,\rho\sigma} = \frac{c_1}{\Lambda^4} \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_1 \\
 \mathcal{O}_2 &= \frac{c_2}{\Lambda^4} \tilde{G}_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a,\mu\nu} W_{\rho\sigma}^I W^{I,\rho\sigma} = \frac{c_2}{\Lambda^4} \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_2 \\
 \mathcal{O}_3 &= \frac{c_3}{\Lambda^4} G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a,\mu\nu} \tilde{W}_{\rho\sigma}^I W^{I,\rho\sigma} = \frac{c_3}{\Lambda^4} \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_3
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arXiv:1412.5589 (UFO used):

Stop and sgluon dynamics in simplified model

$$\mathcal{L}_3 = D_\mu \sigma_3^\dagger D^\mu \sigma_3 - m_3^2 \sigma_3^\dagger \sigma_3 + \frac{i}{2} \bar{\chi} \not{\partial} \chi - \frac{1}{2} m_\chi \bar{\chi} \chi + \left[\sigma_3 \bar{t} (\tilde{g}_L P_L + \tilde{g}_R P_R) \chi + \text{h.c.} \right]$$

First application using a fully automated renormalization procedure (NLOCT)

$$\delta Z_g = \delta Z_g^{(SM)} - \frac{g_s^2}{96\pi^2} \left[\frac{1}{\bar{\epsilon}} - \log \frac{m_3^2}{\mu_R^2} \right]$$

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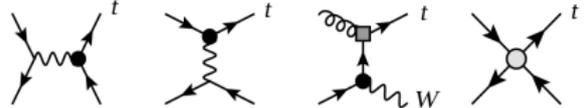
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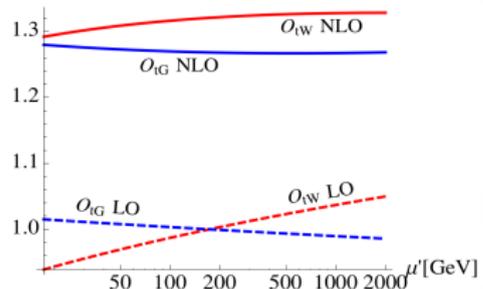
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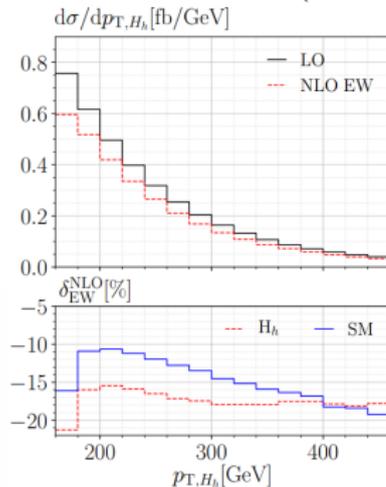
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arXiv:1803.?:

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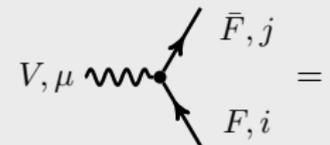
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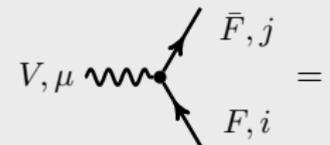
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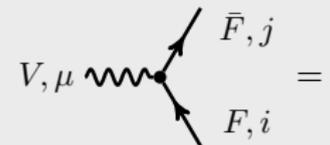
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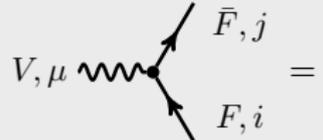
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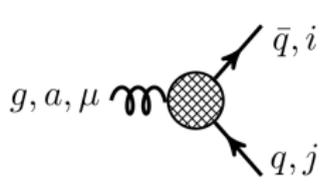
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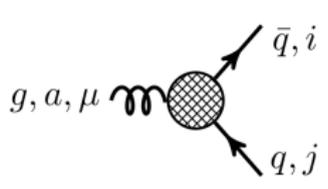
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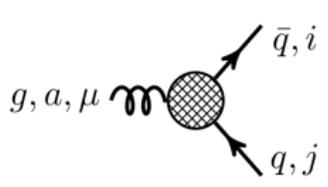
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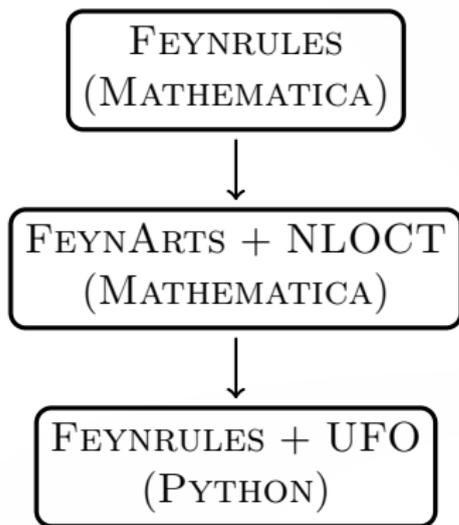
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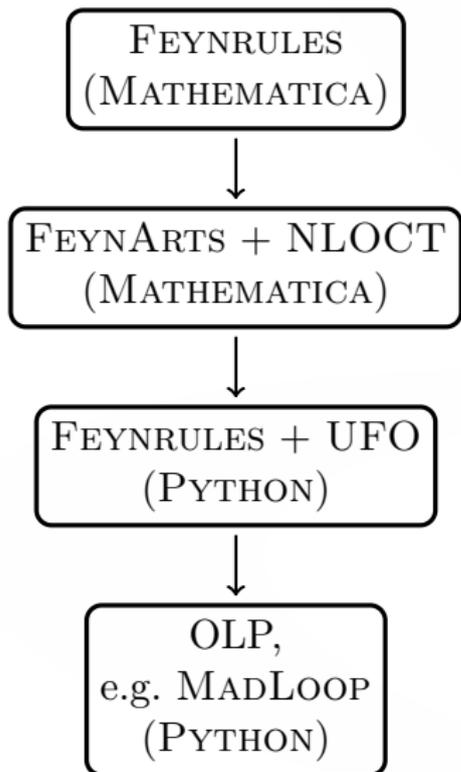
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Automatic evaluation of UV and R2 terms for beyond the Standard Model Lagrangians[arXiv:1406:3030]



```

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<<FeynRules '
LoadModel [ "SM. fr " ]
Lren = OnShellRenormalization [LSM] ,
      QCDOnly->True , FlavorMixing->False ];
WriteFeynArtsOutput [Lren , "SMNLO" ]
  
```

```

Quit []
<<FeynArts '
<<NLOCT'
WriteCT [ "SMNLO/SMNLO" ,
          "SMNLO/SMNLO" ,
          QCDOnly -> True]
  
```

```

Quit []
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LoadModel [ "SM. fr " ]
Get [ "SMNLO. nlo " ]
WriteUFO [LSM,
          UVCounterterms -> UV$vertlist ,
          R2Counterterms -> R2$vertlist ]
  
```

```

import SM
generate u u~ > u u~ h [QCD]
output
launch
  
```

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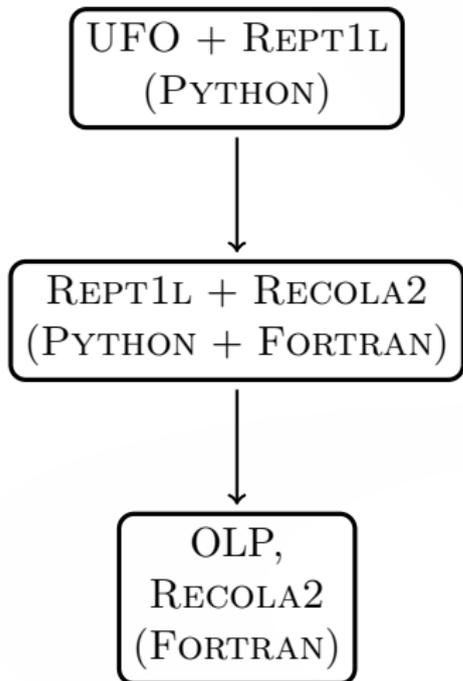


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```

from pyrecola import *
define_process_rcl(1, 'u u -> u u H', 'NLO')
compute_process(...)

```

- ▶ Renormalization of new parameters requires original ideas, may be showstopper for automation. See renormalization of t_β or mixing angles ...?
- ▶ EW corrections in the presence of unstable particles. ✓
- ▶ New Lorentz structures ✓
- ▶ Mixed coupling orders
- ▶ Tadpoles ✓

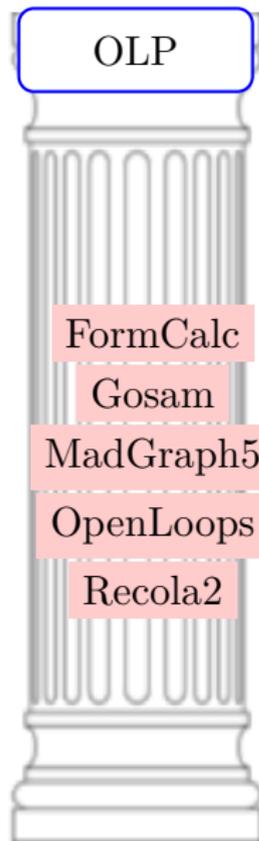
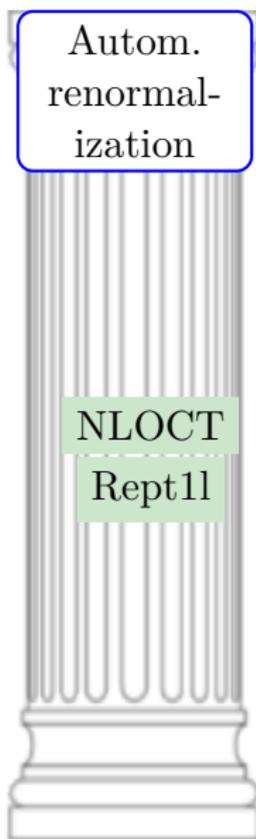
Conclusion:

Modern OLP are (getting) ready for BSM theories.

Missing tasks: construction of new one-loop renormalized model files.

- ▶ Unified framework? UFO NLO?

The three pillars of 1-Loop BSM automation

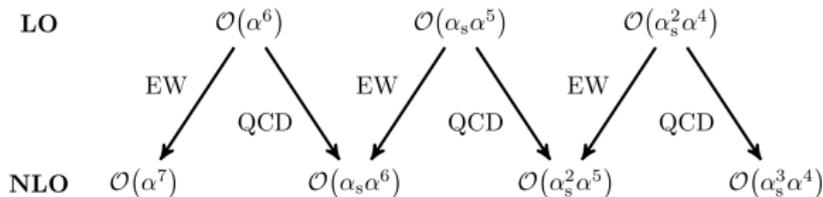
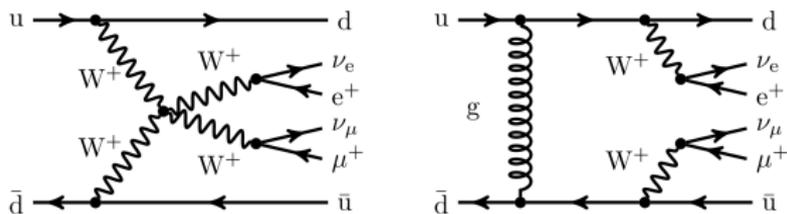


Backup slides

Challenges beyond pure QCD

- ▶ Mixed coupling orders/interferences

Example: VBS: $pp \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu e^+ \nu_e jj$ (arXiv:1708.00268.)

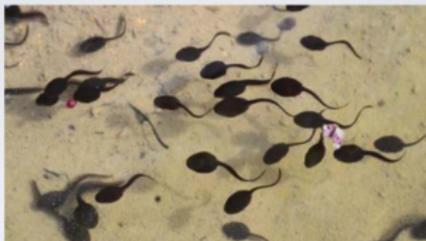


- ▶ Mixing enters already in the renormalization

$$\delta m_t = \delta m_t^{\text{QED}} + \delta m_t^{\text{QCD}}$$

Tadpoles can be confusing.

Technical issues 2: Tadpoles



- In results shown, a combined MSbar scheme with R factors used to fix asymptotic states we have finite tadpole dependence, although the divergence defined to cancel.

$$\frac{i A_{\alpha\beta}^{NP, total}}{i v e^2 A_{\alpha\beta}^{h\gamma\gamma}} = C_{\gamma\gamma} \left(1 + \frac{\delta R_h}{2} + \frac{\delta v}{v} \right), \quad \frac{\delta \Delta \Gamma_Z}{10^{-3}} = \left[(0.214 \Delta \bar{v}_T + 0.603) \left(C_{Hd} + C_{He} + C_{Hl}^{(1)} \right) - (1.09 \Delta \bar{v}_T + 1.44) C_{HD} \right]$$

- ▶ How can we tell our results are "correct"?

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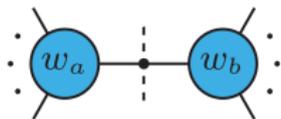
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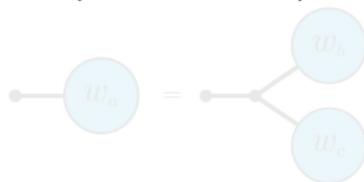
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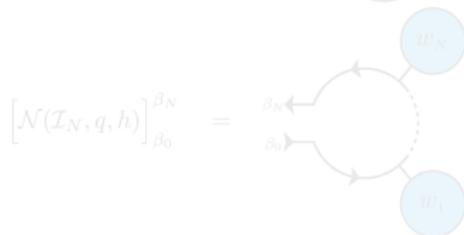
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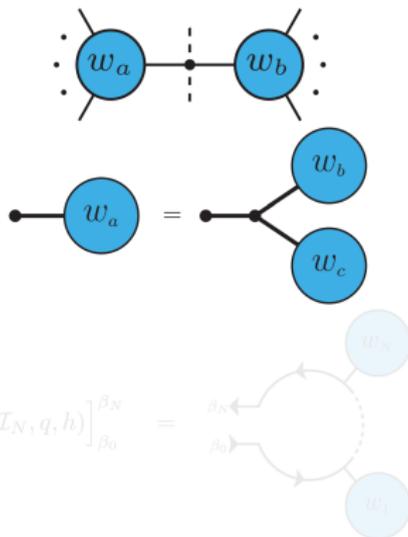
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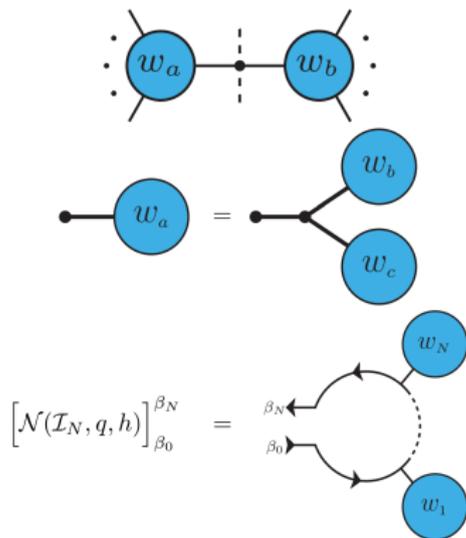


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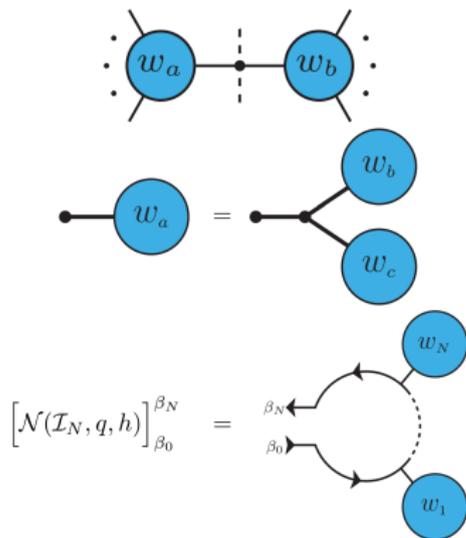
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