

Evanescent operators in one-loop matching computations

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The EFT approach

EFTs are essential to interpret experimental observations

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}}(\eta_L) = \mathcal{L}_{d=4}(\eta_L) + \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n=5}^{\infty} \sum_k \frac{C_{n,k}^{(\ell)}}{(16\pi^2)^\ell \Lambda^{n-4}} O_{n,k}(\eta_L)$$

UV physics

■ Bottom → Up

Comprehensive approach: Large classes of UV physics covered by a single Lagrangian (“model independence”), written in terms of an expansion in loops and powers of Λ

■ Top → Down

Reusability: EFT computations can be shared among different BSM models (“compute once for all”)

BSM computations of experimental observables are **multi-scale problems:**

Precision requires the use of EFTs (RG resummation of large logarithms)

The repetitive nature of EFT computations call for new approaches and automated solutions

[See Anders' and José's talks]

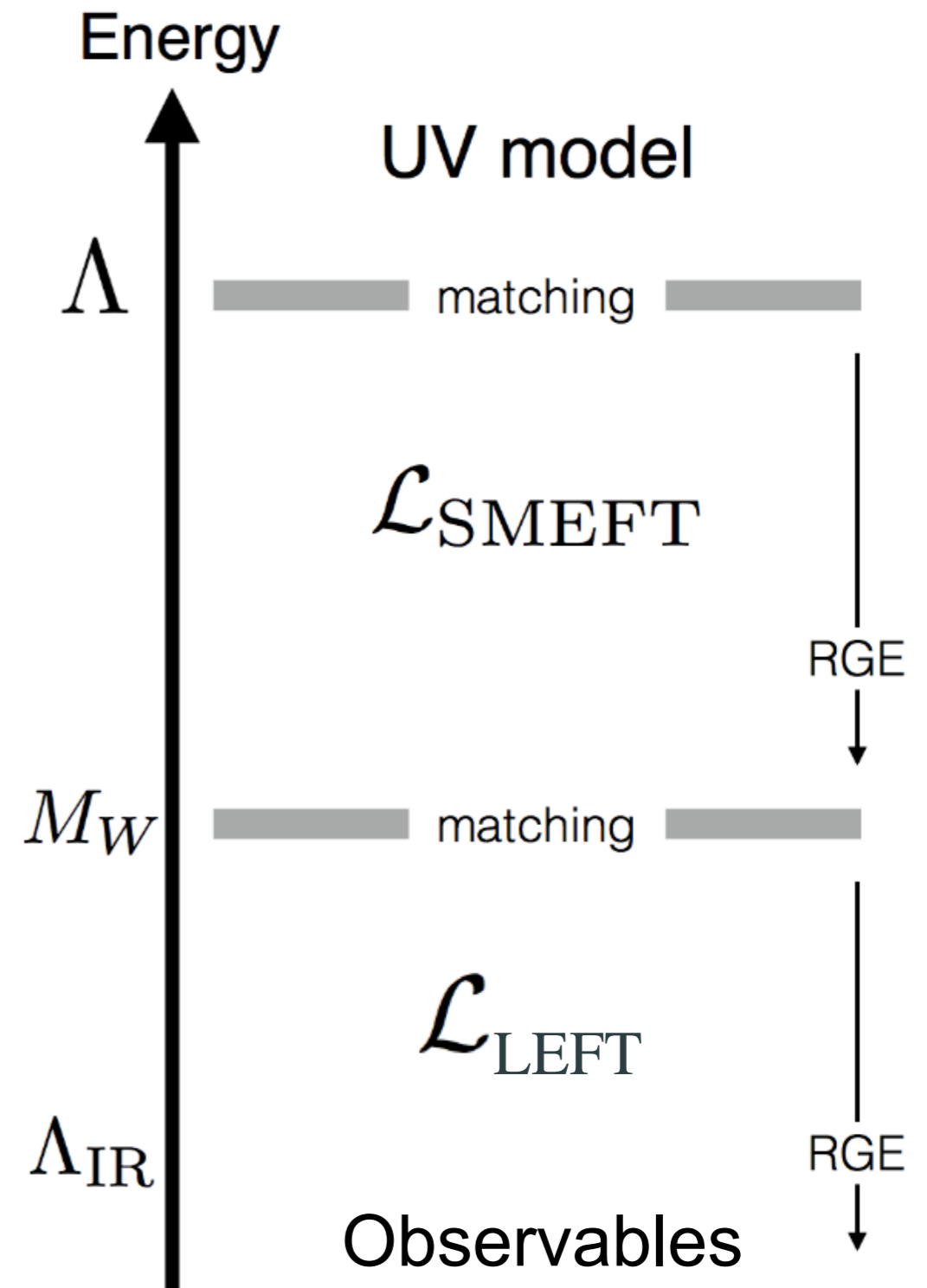
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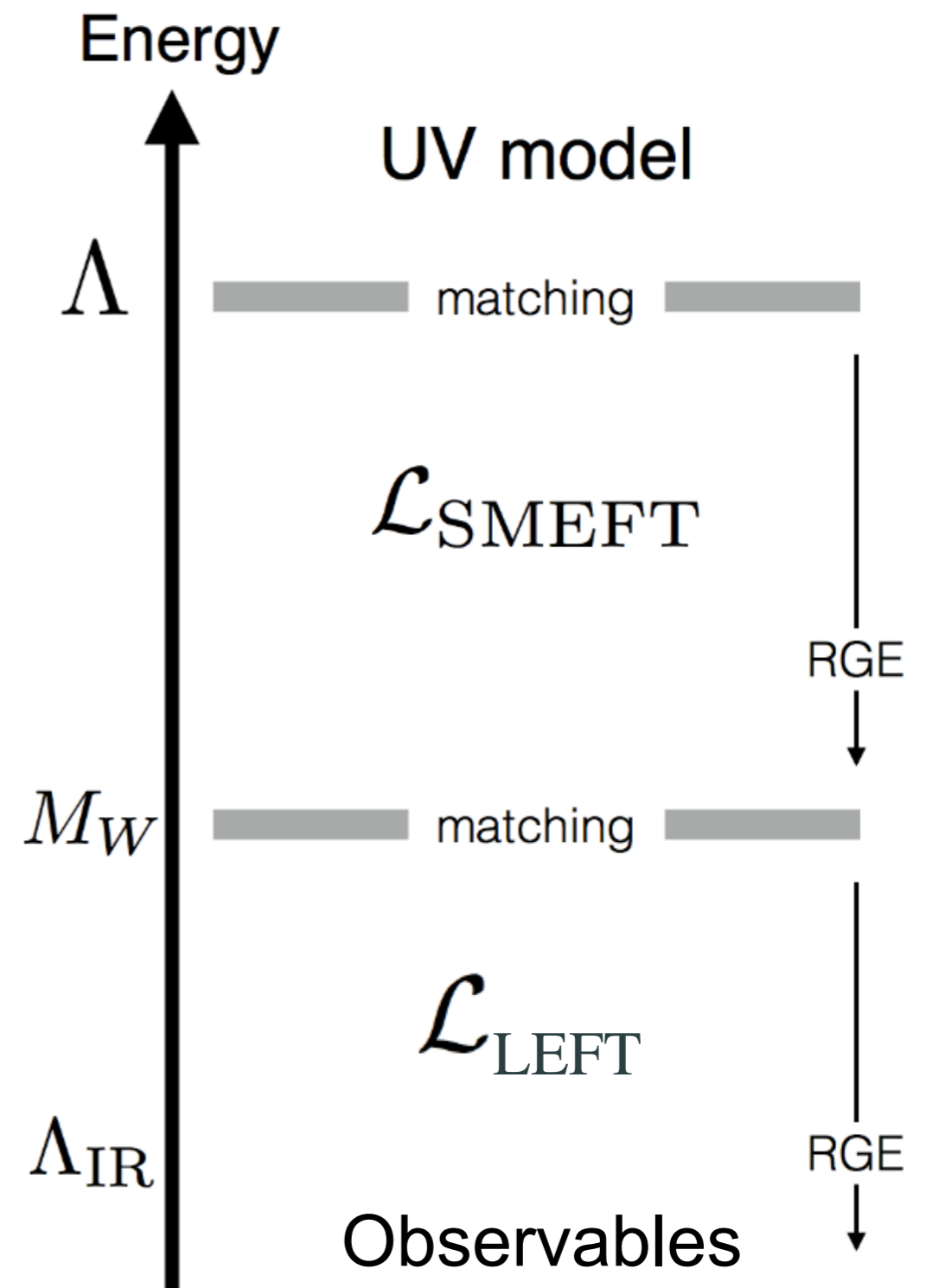
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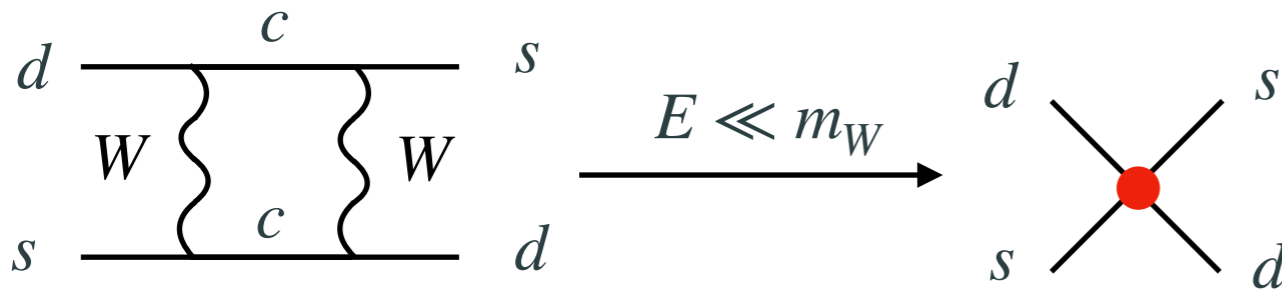
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[[Jenkins, Manohar, Trott, 1308.2627, 1310.4838, Alonso et al., 1312.2014, Jenkins, Manohar, Stoffer, 1709.04486, 1711.05270; Dekens, Stoffer, 1908.05295](#)]
[DsixTools and Wilson](#):
[[JFM, Ruiz-Femenía, Vicente, Virto, 2010.16341; Aebischer, Kumar, Straub, 1804.05033](#)]



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However, we need to go beyond:

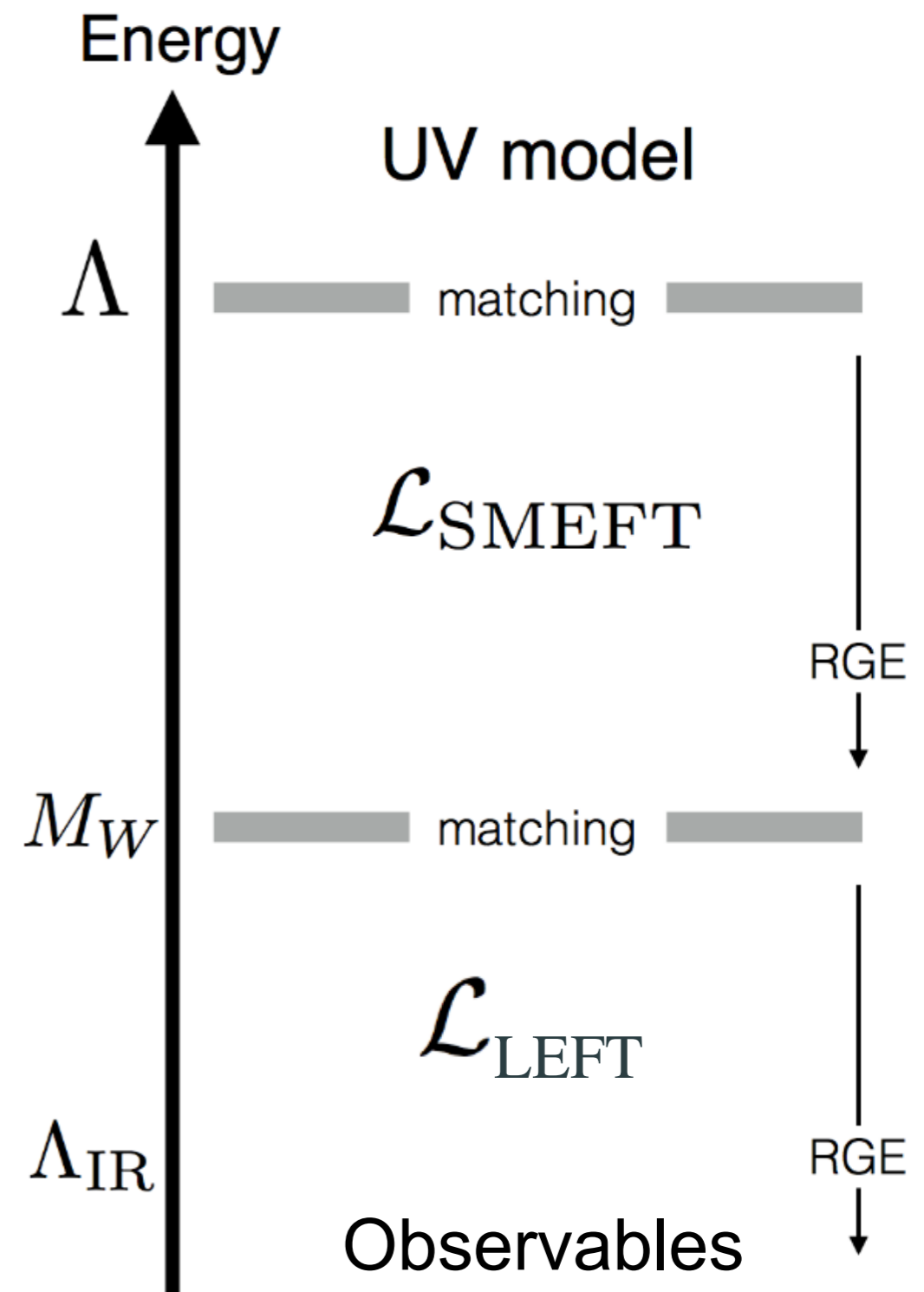
- One-loop can be the leading effect in important processes. E.g., in the SM



- Recent progress in one-loop matching automation (both diagrammatic and functional approaches)



[Carmona, Lazopoulos, Olgoso, Santiago, [2112.10787](#); JFM, König, Thomsen, Pagès, Wilsch, [2212.04510](#)]



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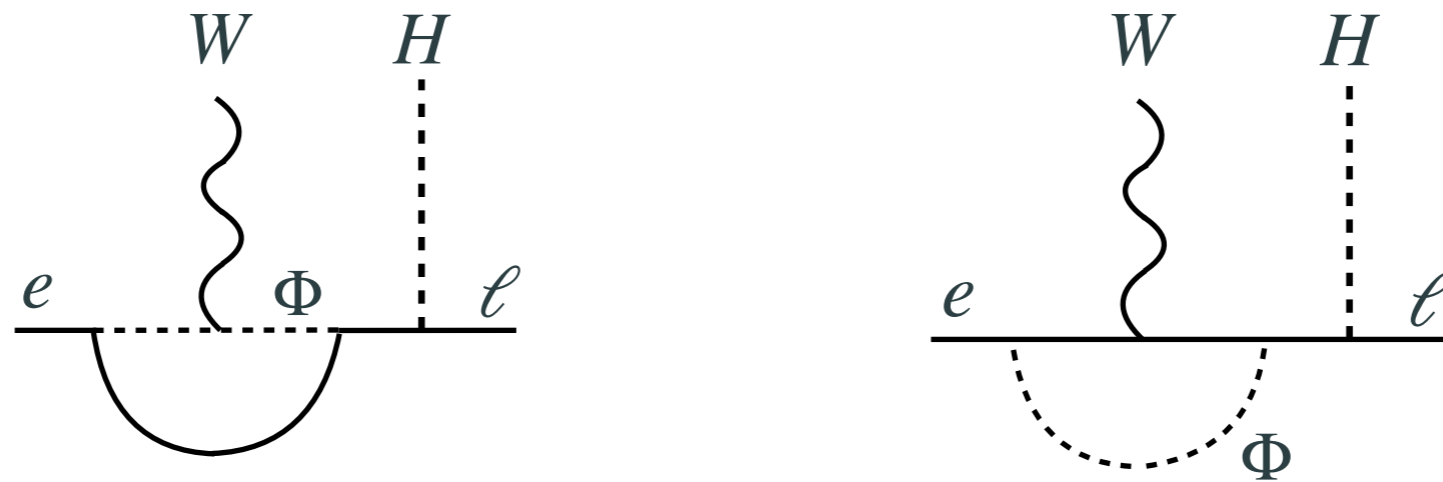
Addressing an important subtlety in the EFT basis reduction

A 2HDM example

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Say we want to compute $e_r H \rightarrow \ell_p W$ [contribution to e.g. the LFV process $\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$]



The amplitude in the full model reads

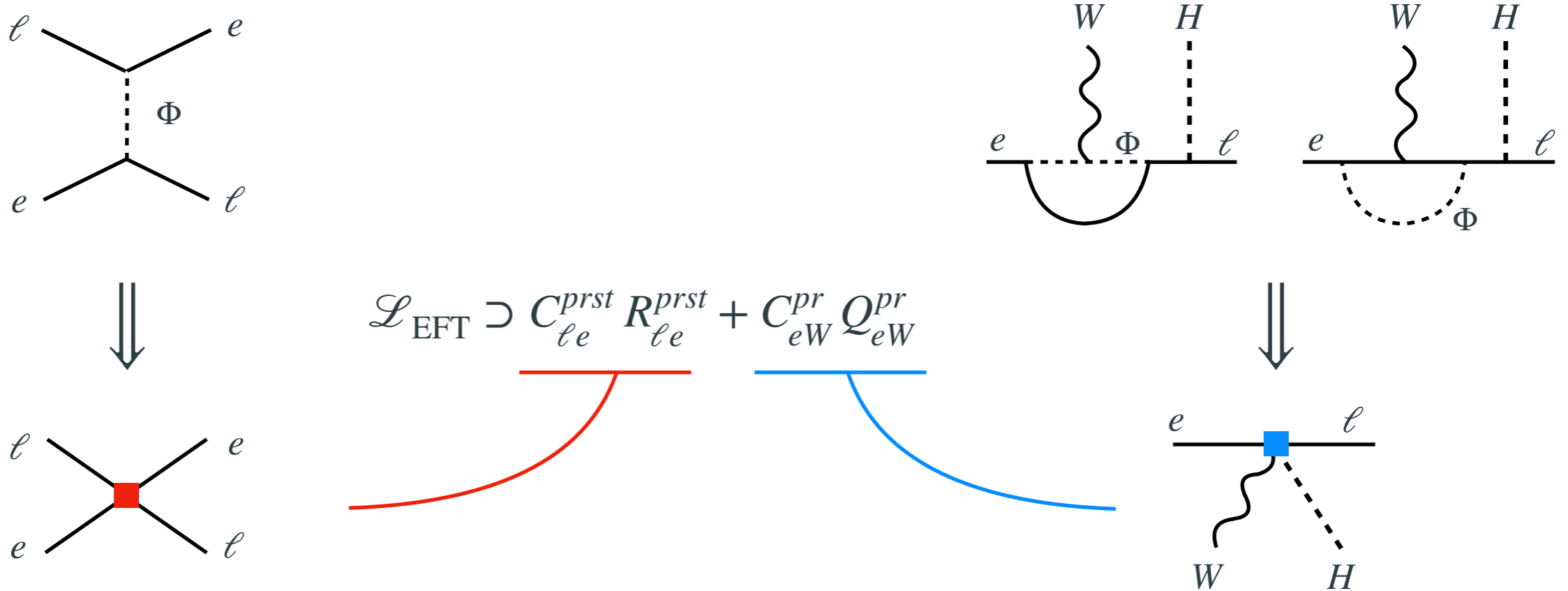
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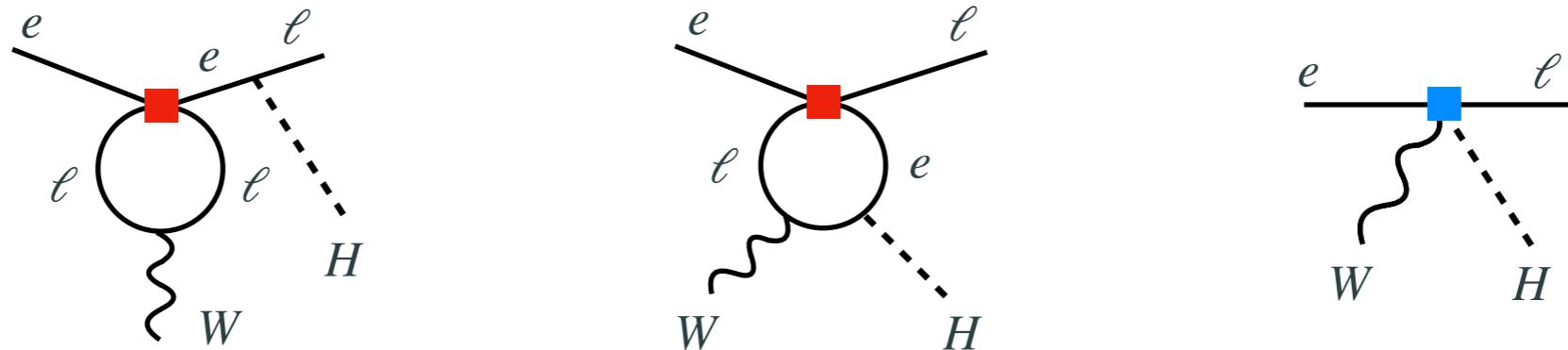
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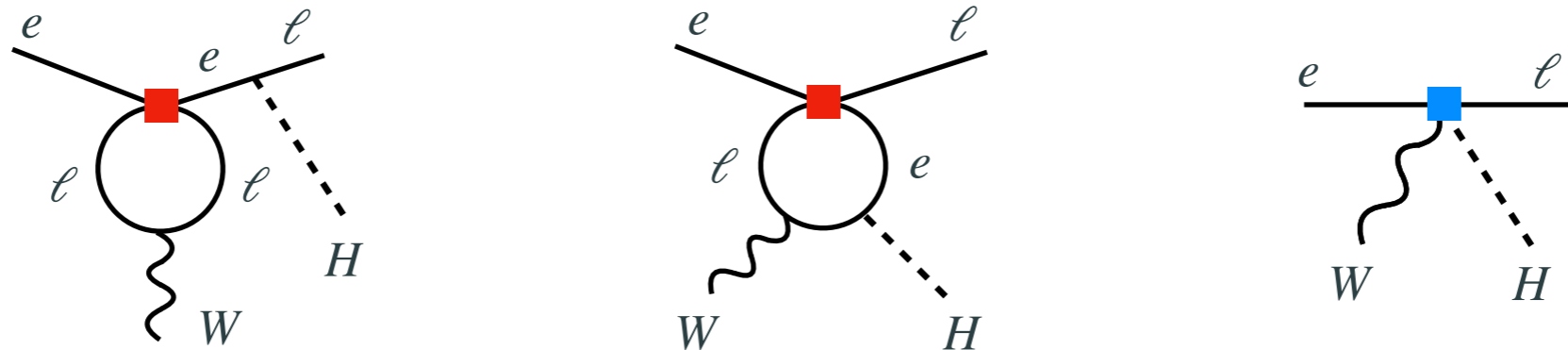
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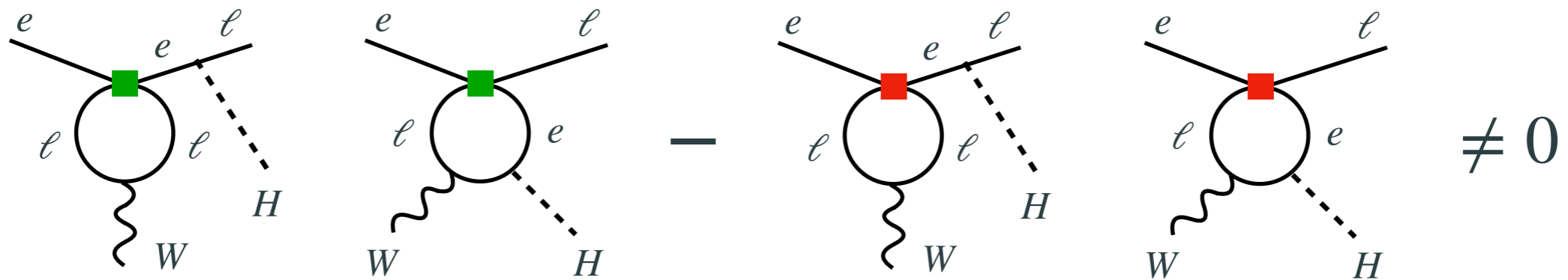
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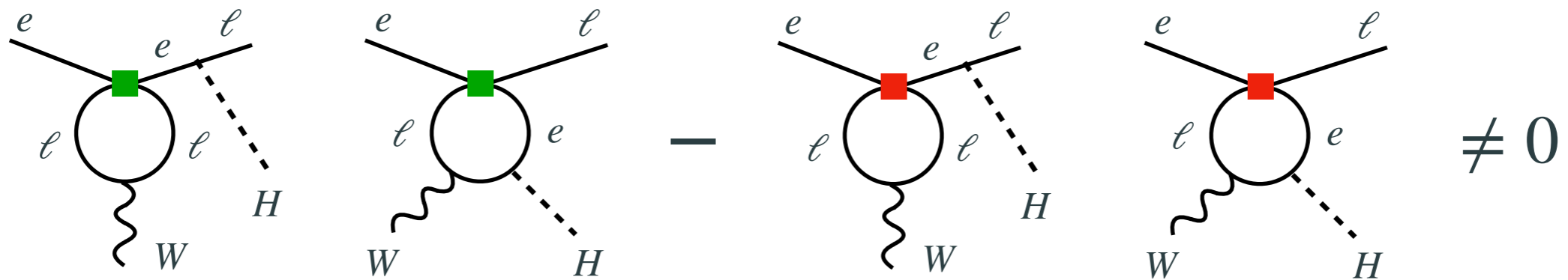
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In $d = 4 - 2\epsilon$, there is an evanescent operator that also contributes to the amplitude

$$R_{\ell e}^{prst} = -\frac{1}{2} Q_{\ell e}^{prst} + E_{\ell e}^{prst} \quad E_{\ell e}^{prst} \xrightarrow{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} 0$$

Evanescent operators

An **evanescent operator** E is an operator that satisfies

$$E = \text{rank}(\epsilon) \xrightarrow{d \rightarrow 4} 0$$

Evanescent contributions have long been accounted for in Weak Effective Theory calculations, but not so much in a BSM-to-SMEFT context

[Buras, Weisz '90; Dugan, Grinstein, '91; Herrlich, Nierste, [hep-ph/9412375](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ph/9412375);...]

The physical contributions from evanescent operators are **finite and local**

Physical (or $d = 4$) projection \mathcal{P}

$$\mathcal{P} \left(\text{Diagram with } E \right) = \Delta g \text{ Diagram with } O$$

e.g., in the 2HDM example

$$E_{\ell e}^{prst} \rightarrow -\frac{g_L y_e^{ts}}{128\pi^2} Q_{eW}^{pr} + [\text{many other contributions}]$$

Defining the physical projection

Choosing a set of identities defines the physical projector \mathcal{P} :

$$O_d = \underbrace{\mathcal{P} O_d}_{\text{Physical part}} + \underbrace{\mathcal{E} O_d}_{\text{Evanescent part}}$$

$\mathcal{I}d - \mathcal{P}$

- Fierz identities for 4-fermion operators, e.g.,

$$(P_R) \otimes [P_L] = -\frac{1}{2} (\gamma_\mu P_L) \otimes [\gamma^\mu P_R] + E_{\text{Fierz}}^{(P_R, P_L)}$$

- Reduction of Dirac structures in 4-fermion operators, e.g.,

$$(\gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \gamma^\rho P_L) \otimes [\gamma_\mu \gamma_\nu \gamma_\rho P_L] = 4(1 - 2\epsilon) (\gamma_\mu P_L) \otimes [\gamma^\mu P_L] + E_{LL}^{(3\gamma)}$$

Compatibility with NDR

- Other identities (e.g involving γ_5 and/or the Levi-Civita tensor)

$$\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \sigma^{\rho\sigma} = 2i \sigma_{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 + E_{\mu\nu}^{(\epsilon \cdot \sigma)} \qquad \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} = -24 + E^{(\epsilon \cdot \epsilon)}$$

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d-dimensional SMEFT basis and reduction to Warsaw basis

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EFT bases in $d = 4 - 2\epsilon$ spacetime dimensions typically have infinite elements!

$$(\bar{\ell} \gamma_{\mu_1} \dots \gamma_{\mu_n} \ell) (\bar{\ell} \gamma^{\mu_1} \dots \gamma^{\mu_n} \ell)$$

However, the d -dimensional SMEFT (d -SMEFT) is finite once we impose some UV restrictions:

- Generated by the exchange of **tree-level NP mediators** (one-loop evanescent contributions)
- Any NP mediator of **spin 0, 1/2 and 1** (excl. antisymmetric rank-2 tensors)
- NP Lagrangian with **arbitrary (physical) interactions** up to dimension 5

It follows:

- 1) BSM scalars generate 23 (+ 2 BNV) new operators. E.g. $(\bar{\ell}_i^c \ell_j) (\bar{\ell}_j \ell_i^c)$
- 2) BSM fermions do not generate any new operators
- 3) BSM vectors generate 21 (+ 3 BNV) new operators. E.g. $(\bar{\ell} \gamma_{\mu} \tau^I \ell) (\bar{\ell} \gamma^{\mu} \tau^I \ell)$

New SMEFT operators: Scalar mediators

$(\bar{L}R)(\bar{R}L) \ \& \ (\bar{L}R)(\bar{L}R)$		$(\bar{R}^c R)(\bar{R}R^c)$	
R_{le}	$(\bar{\ell}_p e_r)(\bar{e}_s \ell_t)$	$R_{e^c e}$	$(\bar{e}_p^c e_r)(\bar{e}_s e_t^c)$
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$(\bar{L}^c L)(\bar{L}L^c)$		$(\bar{R}^c R)(\bar{L}L^c)$	
$R_{\ell^c \ell}$	$(\bar{\ell}_{ip}^c \ell_{jr})(\bar{\ell}_{js} \ell_{it}^c)$	$R_{u^c d q q^c}$	$(\bar{u}_{\alpha p}^c d_{\beta r}) \varepsilon^{ij} (\bar{q}_{\beta is} q_{\alpha jt}^c)$
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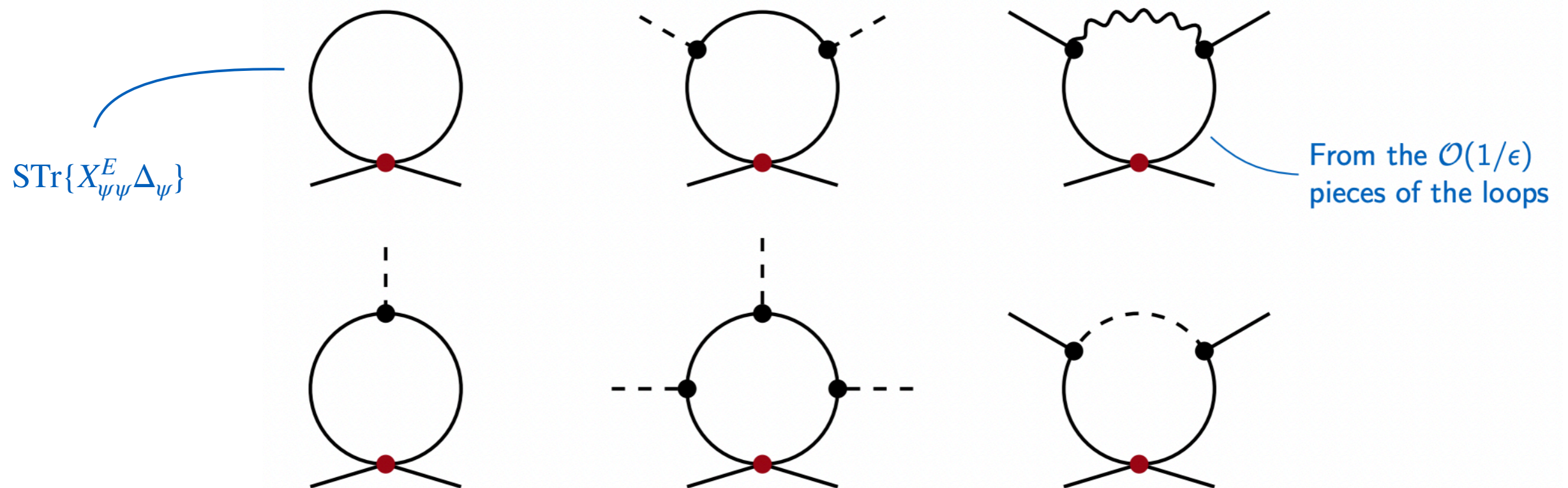
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Reduction of the d-SMEFT to the physical basis

Once the d-dimensional basis has been established, we can reduce to the Warsaw basis by applying **physical projections** and subsequently computing the **evanescent shifts**

This is done using **functional methods** with a modified version of 

Evanescent operators contribute through six **covariant trace structures/topologies** (*)



(*) N.B.: Analogous to Feynman diagrams, but including (arbitrary) gauge boson radiation

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Operator definition:

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Symmetries:

$$\overline{R_{le}^{prst}} = R_{le}^{tsrp}$$

Reduces to:

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Reduction Identity:

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_{le}^{prst} = & -\frac{1}{2}Q_{le}^{ptsr} + \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[\frac{1}{4}\overline{y_e^{uv}} y_e^{ts} Q_{le}^{puvr} + \frac{1}{4}\overline{y_e^{pr}} y_e^{uv} Q_{le}^{utsv} + \frac{3}{8}g_Y \overline{y_e^{pr}} \overline{Q_{eB}^{ts}} + \frac{3}{8}g_Y y_e^{ts} Q_{eB}^{pr} + \frac{1}{2}\overline{y_e^{pr}} \overline{y_u^{uv}} \overline{Q_{lequ}^{(1)tsuv}} + \frac{1}{2}y_e^{ts} y_u^{uv} Q_{lequ}^{(1)pruv} \right. \\
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 & \left. - \frac{1}{4}\overline{y_e^{ur}} y_e^{vs} Q_{ll}^{vupt} - \frac{1}{2}\lambda \overline{y_e^{pr}} \overline{Q_{eH}^{ts}} - \frac{1}{2}\mu^2 \overline{y_e^{pr}} \overline{Q_{ye}^{ts}} - \frac{1}{2}\overline{y_e^{pr}} y_d^{vu} \overline{Q_{ledq}^{tsuv}} - \frac{1}{2}\overline{y_e^{pu}} y_e^{tv} Q_{ee}^{ursv} - \frac{1}{2}\overline{y_d^{uv}} y_e^{ts} Q_{ledq}^{prvu} - \frac{1}{2}\mu^2 y_e^{ts} Q_{ye}^{pr} \right]
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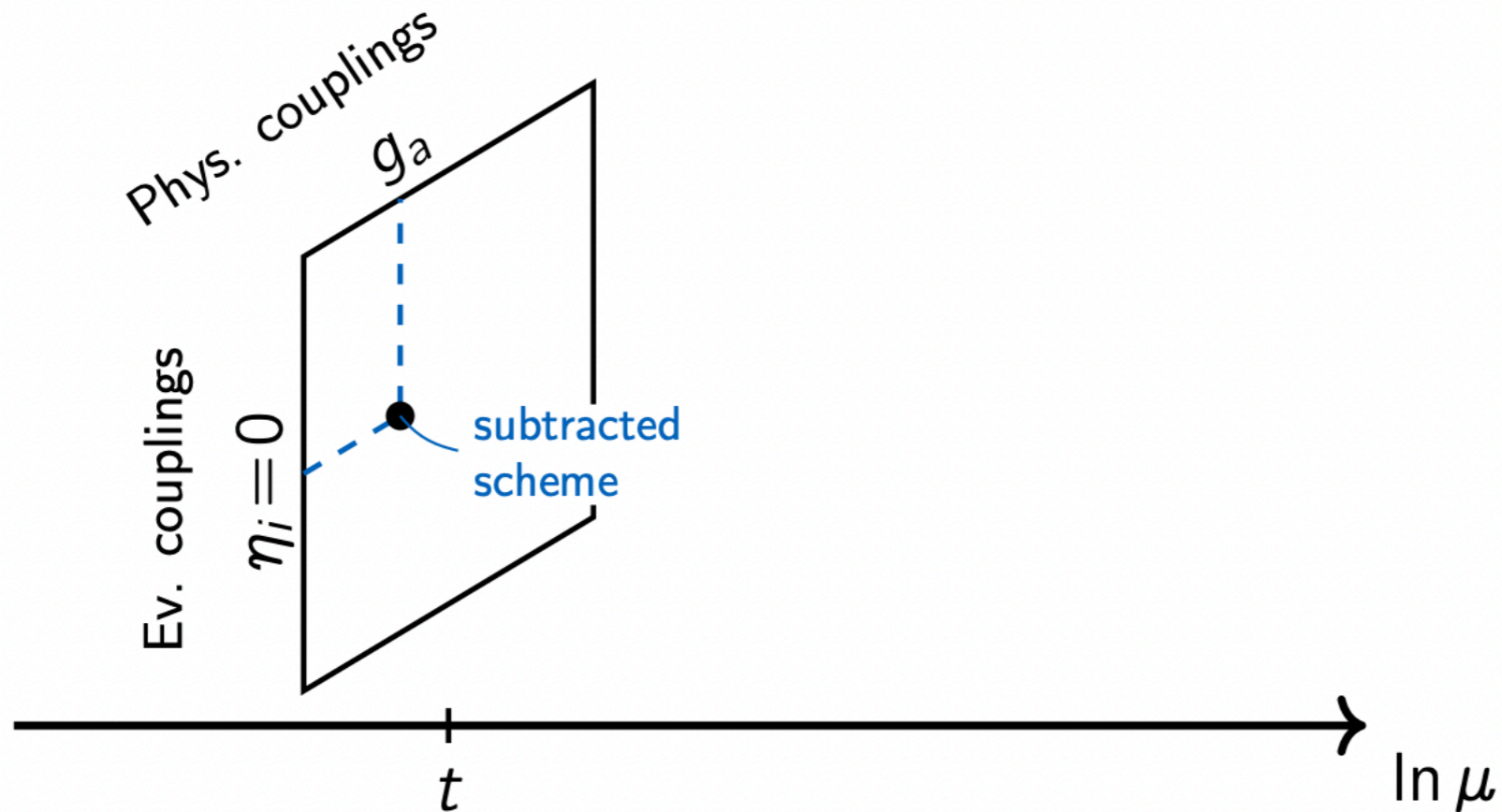
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RG evolution

in evanescence-free schemes

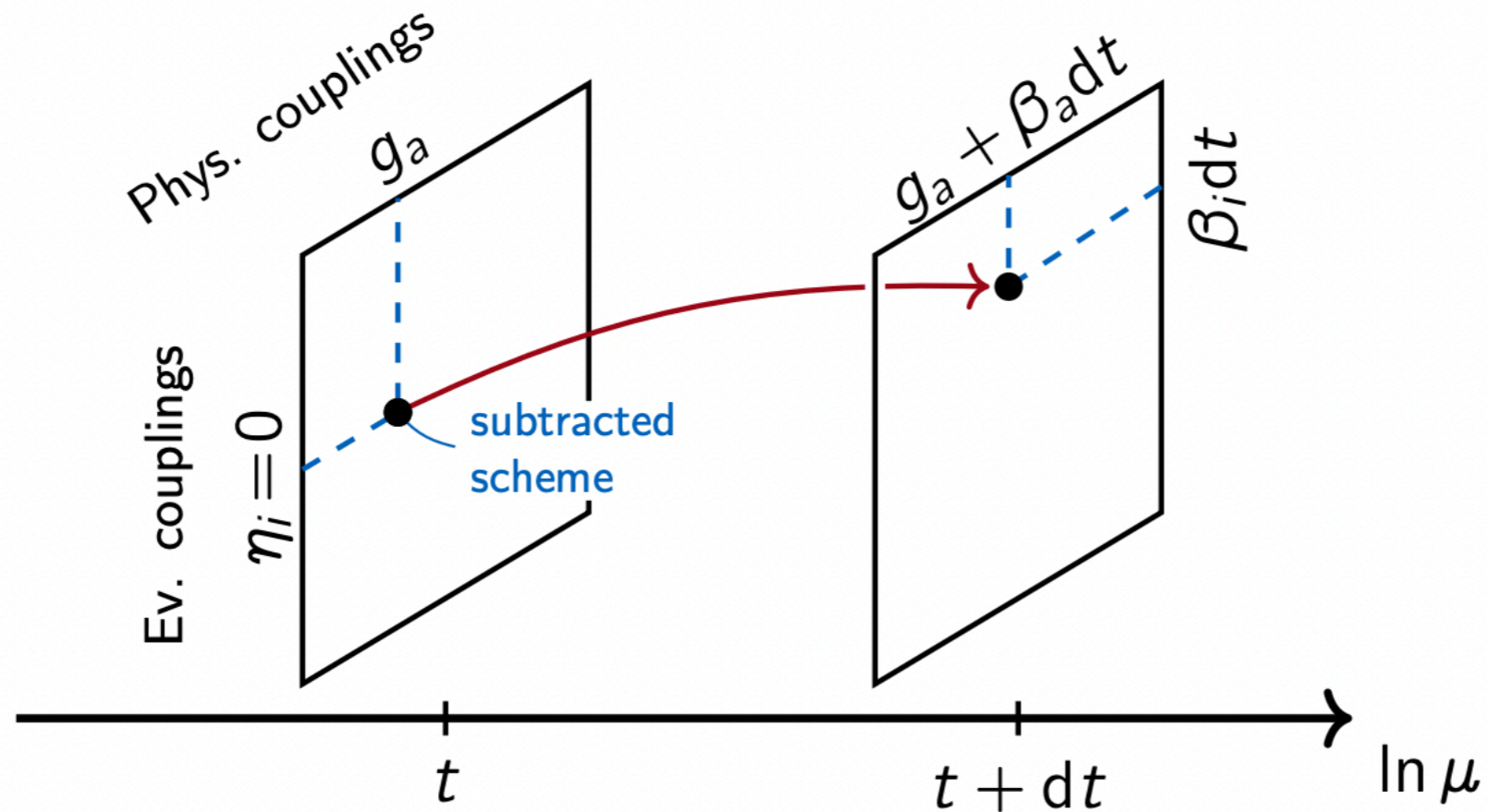
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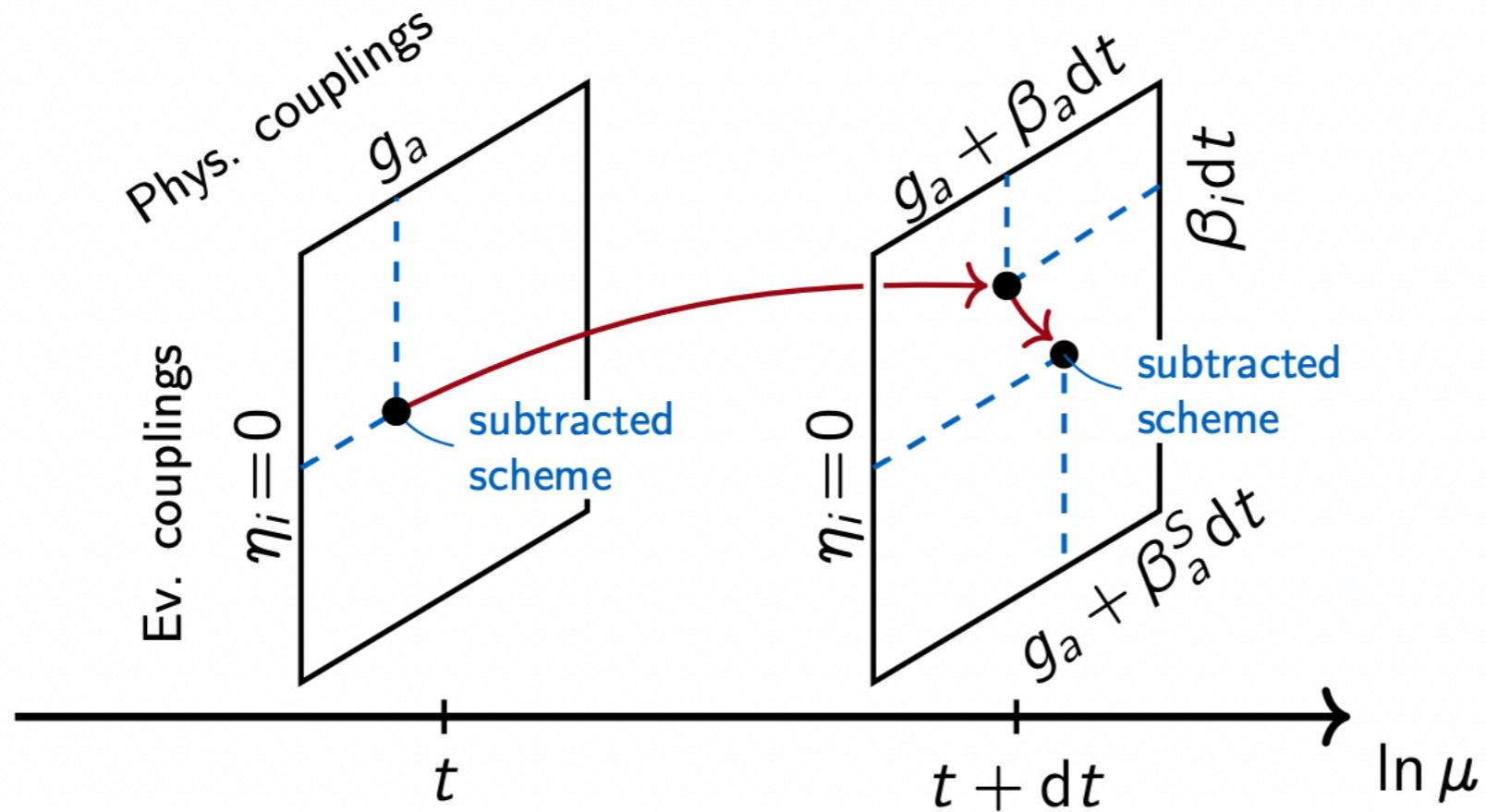
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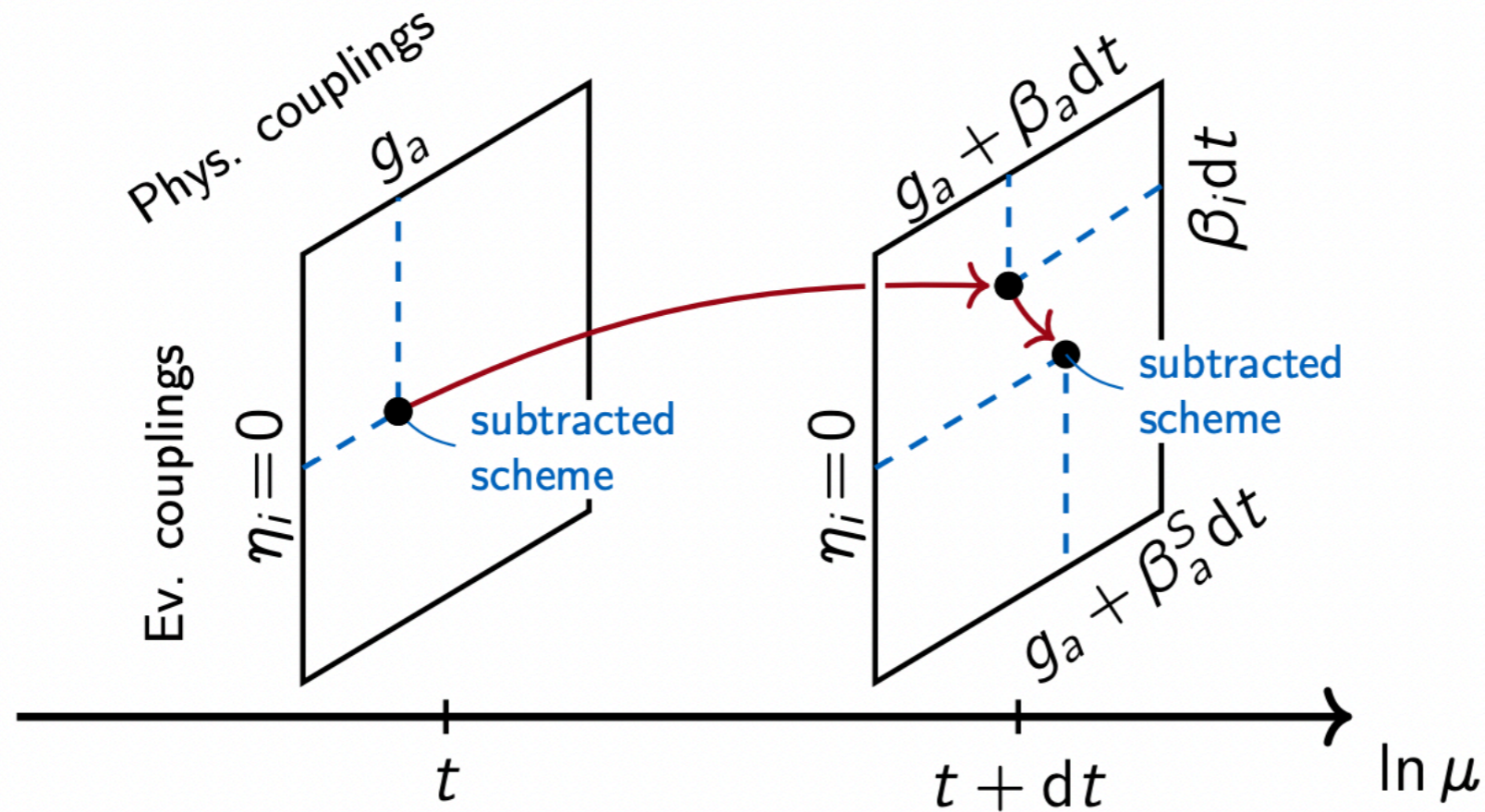
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$$\frac{dg_a}{dt} = \beta_a^S = \beta_a + \overbrace{\beta_i \frac{\partial \Delta g_a}{\partial \eta_i}}^{\text{2-loop}} \Big|_{\eta=0}$$

Outlook

- One-loop UV-to-EFT matching is crucial for BSM phenomenology
- Recent progress in the **automation of the process** (using different approaches)



<https://gitlab.com/matchete/matchete>

... but there is still a long road ahead before this endeavor is complete

- Evanescent contributions in the BSM-to-SMEFT are now available (obtained with the help of **Matchete**)
- We plan to develop an automated implementation (as part of **Matchete**) for the reduction to (arbitrary) EFT basis including evanescent contributions

Thank you