

# conclusions

- in the SM the two different definitions of the running fermion mass could be introduced:  $m(\mu)$  and  $m_Y(\mu)$  in contrast to QCD where  $m(\mu)$  is the most natural definition
- the relationships between  $m_Y(\mu)$  and  $M$  have much better convergence properties than those between  $m(\mu)$  and  $M$
- in particular, in the case of the bottom quark with the inclusion of EW corrections it is  $m_{Y,b}(\mu)$  rather than  $m_b(\mu)$  to be used to describe the mass effects
- for the current value of the Higgs mass around  $\sim 126\text{GeV}$  the EW corrections almost compensate the QCD contribution, reducing the uncertainty in  $m_t(M_t) - M_t$  down to the order of  $100\text{GeV}$
- the shift  $m_t(M_t) - M_t$  is of phenomenological importance for the combination of different determinations of the top quark mass in ongoing experiments
- it is necessary to determine value of  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  mass  $m_t$  with the inclusion of NLO electroweak corrections to the total cross-section of the top pair production; this value can then be transformed to the pole mass  $M_t$
- the question of the electroweak vacuum stability remains open; this will not also change considerably if the central value of  $M_t$  shifts by some  $1\text{ GeV}$  (with implied  $1.5\text{ GeV}$  future uncertainty of  $m_t$  )

# Two-loop electroweak corrections to the top quark mass

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## introduction

- One of the puzzles in the SM is the large ratios of fermion masses (e.g.  $m_t/m_e \sim 10^5$ ).
- Many attempts to explain this are based of some underlying structures at higher energy scales (GUT's theories etc.).
- A successful example could be  $m_b/m_\tau$ , predicted in SUSY GUT's, assuming Yukawa unification at  $M_{\text{GUT}} \sim 10^{16}\text{GeV}$
- The dominant radiative corrections to such relations can be included via RG evolution. Big progress here, e.g. recently 3-loop RG functions in the SM became available.
- Other significant effects arise at the thresholds, when we try to relate the running parameters to physical observables.
- In contrast to RG calculations (being in fact massless) the matching calculations should take into account mass effects.

## introduction

- We need some parameter(s) to describe mass effects.
- Since quarks do not appear as free particles, the concept of a quark mass is not unambiguous. The most often used are “pole” (or “on-shell”) mass  $M$  and  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  running mass  $m(\mu)$  defined in  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  scheme.
- It is of great importance to establish reliable relations between different mass definitions.
  - scheme dependence of electroweak observables:
    - theoretical uncertainty due to scheme dependence in an observable that depends on top quark mass is proportional to  $m_t(M_t) - M_t$
  - extraction of the quark masses from experimental data:
    - the value extracted by reconstructing the invariant mass of the top quark decay products is expected to be close to  $M$ , while the analysis of the  $\sigma(\bar{t}t + X)$  yields a clean determination of  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  mass

## stability of electroweak vacuum

Higg potential in the Standard Model:  $V(\phi) = \frac{1}{2}m^2\phi^2 + \frac{\lambda}{4!}\phi^4$

- spontaneous breaking of symmetry  
→ nonzero value of  $v = \langle\phi\rangle \sim 246\text{GeV}$
- quantum corrections modify potential which could lead to instability  
→ bound of the Higgs boson mass from below  $M_H^{\text{stab.}}$

Can the SM be extrapolated up to ultimate scales while still having an absolutely stable electroweak vacuum? Cabibbo, Maiani, Parisi, Petronzio '79

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Theoretical analysis requires two parts:

- evolution of the running parameters with the renormalization group
- determination of the running parameters from the physical observables

For N<sup>2</sup>LO evolution we need NP<sup>-1</sup>LO matching

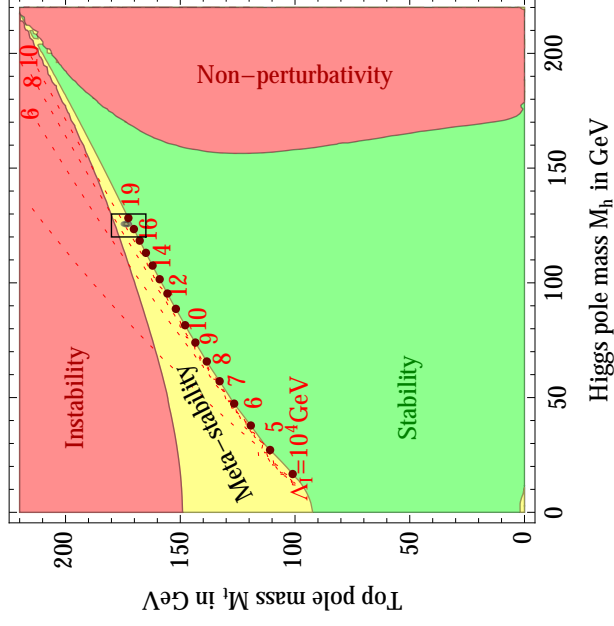
## recent theoretical predictions for $M_H^{\text{stab.}}$ (in GeV)

$$126.3 + 4.1 \frac{M_t - 171.2}{2.1} - \frac{\alpha_s(M_Z^2) - 0.1176}{2 \cdot 10^{-3}}$$

Bezrukov, Shaposhnikov, Kalmykov, Kniehl '12

$$129.2 + 1.8 \frac{M_t - 173.2}{0.9} - 0.5 \frac{\alpha_s(M_Z^2) - 0.1184}{7 \cdot 10^{-4}} \pm 1$$

Degrassi, Di Vita, Elias-Miro, Espinosa, Giudice, Isidori, Strumia '13



♠ change in the input value  $M_t$   
by  $\Delta M_t \sim \pm 1 \text{ GeV}$

leads to change of the Higgs bound  
by  $\Delta M_H \sim \pm 2 \text{ GeV}$

## the pole mass $M_t$

**Theoretically:**  $M$  is related to the pole of the fermion propagator  $\mathcal{S}(p)$ .

**Experimentally:** Kinematical reconstruction of the invariant mass of the top quark decay products. At Tevatron by CDF and D0 collaborations

$$M_t^{\text{exp}} = 173.2 \pm 0.9 \text{ GeV}$$

Is it necessarily the pole mass entering, *i.a.*, the stability bound?

**Problems:**

- intrinsic uncertainty due to non-perturbative mechanism of hadronization
- intrinsic limitation of the “on-shellness” because of QCD confinement
- infrared renormalons lead to ambiguity of the order  $\mathcal{O}(\Lambda_{\text{QCD}})$
- ...

→ the uncertainty is hard to quantify

## the running mass $m_t(\mu)$

**Theoretically:** Intrinsically only defined within the perturbation theory; realizes the concept of a running parameter, which depends on the hard scale  $\mu$  in complete analogy to  $\alpha_s(\mu)$ .

**Experimentally:** Determination of  $m_t(\mu)$  is possible from the mass dependence of any observable, which is:

- measured precise enough
- theoretically predicted beyond the leading order

e.g., total cross-section  $\sigma(\bar{t}t + X)$  measured both on Tevatron and LHC (NNLO QCD analysis)

$$m_t^{\text{exp}}(m_t) = 163.3 \pm 2.7 \text{ GeV}$$

Alekhin, Djouadi, Moch '13



## the top mass

⇒ aiming at  $\pm 1.5\text{GeV}$  accuracy with LHC data.

$$\sigma(\bar{t}t + X) \longrightarrow m_t(\mu) \longrightarrow M_t$$

- NNLO QCD (done)
- **least NLO EW**
- more LHC data
- NNLO EW shift  $m_t(M_t) - M_t$  (this work)

## pole of the fermion propagator

◇ fermion propagator:

$$S(\not{p}) = \frac{1}{\not{p} - m_0 - \not{\Sigma}(\not{p})}$$

$$\not{\Sigma}(\not{p}) = \not{p}\omega_L A_L(p^2) + \not{p}\omega_R A_R(p^2) + m_0 B(p^2)$$

with  $\omega_L = (1 - \gamma_5)/2$ ,  $\omega_R = (1 + \gamma_5)/2$

◇ no pseudoscalar contribution  $\longrightarrow$  CP violation

$$\not{\mathcal{S}}(\not{p}) = \not{\mathcal{S}}_L(\not{p}) + \not{\mathcal{S}}_R(\not{p})$$

◇ poles of matrices  $S_L$  and  $S_R$  coincide

$$p^2[1 - A_L(p^2)][1 - A_R(p^2)] - m_0[1 + B(p^2)]^2 = 0 \quad (*)$$

◇ solve Eq. (\*) perturbatively

$$p = m_0(1 + X_1 + X_2 + \dots)$$

## pole of the fermion propagator (2)

solution:

$$X_1 = B_1 + \frac{1}{2}A_{L,1} + \frac{1}{2}A_{R,1}$$

$$X_2 = B_2 + \frac{1}{2}A_{L,2} + \frac{1}{2}A_{R,2} + X_1(A_{L,1} + A_{R,1} + A'_{L,1} + A'_{R,1} + 2B'_1) \\ - \frac{1}{2}X_1^2 - \frac{1}{2}A_{L,1}A_{R,1} + \frac{1}{2}B_1^2, \quad \text{etc}$$

with  $B = B(m_0^2)$ ,  $B' = m_0^2 dB(m_0^2)/dm_0^2$ , etc.

- $X_1, X_2, \dots$  are infrared safe and gauge invariant
- taking into account final width  $\longrightarrow$  complex pole

$$p^2 = M^2 - iM\Gamma$$

- renormalization in  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  scheme  
 $\longrightarrow$  relation between  $M$  and  $m(\mu)$

## 3-loop QCD analysis

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\overline{m}(M)}{M} &= 1 - \frac{4}{3} \left( \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right) + \left( \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^2 \left( N_L \left( \frac{71}{144} + \frac{\pi^2}{18} \right) - \frac{3019}{288} + \frac{1}{6} \zeta_3 - \frac{\pi^2}{9} \log 2 - \frac{\pi^2}{3} \right) \\
&+ \left( \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^3 \left( N_L^2 \left( -\frac{2353}{23328} - \frac{7}{54} \zeta_3 - \frac{13}{324} \pi^2 \right) + N_L \left( \frac{246643}{23328} + \frac{241}{72} \zeta_3 + \frac{11}{81} \pi^2 \log 2 - \frac{2}{81} \pi^2 \log^2 2 \right. \right. \\
&+ \left. \frac{967}{648} \pi^2 - \frac{61}{1944} \pi^4 - \frac{1}{81} \log^4 2 - \frac{8}{27} \text{Li}_2(1/2) \right) - \frac{9478333}{93312} + \frac{1439}{432} \zeta_3 \pi^2 - \frac{61}{27} \zeta_3 - \frac{1975}{216} \zeta_5 \\
&+ \left. \frac{587}{162} \pi^2 \log 2 + \frac{22}{81} \pi^2 \log^2 2 - \frac{644201}{38880} \pi^2 + \frac{695}{7776} \pi^4 + \frac{55}{162} \log^4 2 + \frac{220}{27} \text{Li}_2(1/2) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

1980–2000

Numerically ( $a = \alpha_s(M)/\pi$ )

$$\frac{m(M)}{M} = 1 - 1.3a + (-14. + 1.n_l)a^2 + (-202. + 27.n_l - 0.7n_l^2)a^3 + \dots$$

(the  $O(\alpha_s^4)$  result is on the way)

For the top quark:  $m_t(M_t) - M_t = -10.4\text{GeV}$

What new comes with electroweak corrections?

## running masses in the SM

SM parameters:

- symmetric phase parameters:  $g, g', y_f, m_\phi, \lambda$
- broken phase parameters:  $e, m_W, m_Z, m_H, m_f$  and  $G_F = 1/\sqrt{2}v^2$

**expectations:** spontaneous symmetry breaking does not affect the UV structure of the SM

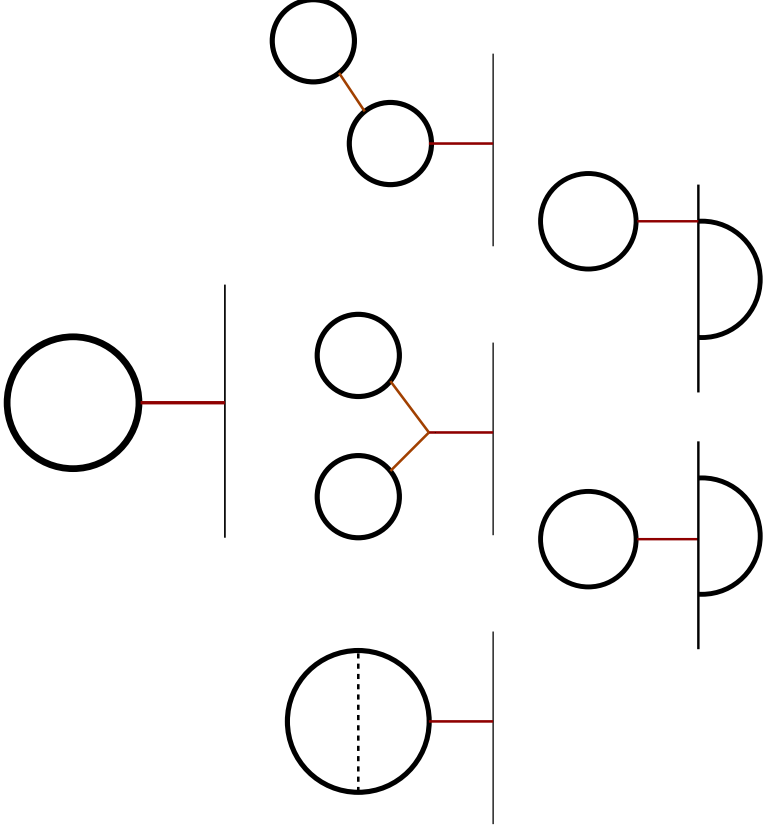
**facts (theorem):**

◇ there are interrelations between RG functions of massive parameters in broken phase and the RG functions of the parameters in symmetric phase

**requirements:**

- inclusion of all diagrams with tadpoles  
→ (gauge invariant parametrization of the theory)
- it is not sufficient to select gauge invariant subset  
→ (RG equations are different, UV structure is not preserved)

# tadpoles



$$1\text{-loop: } T = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \frac{g^2}{16\pi^2} \left( 2N_c \frac{m_t^4}{m_W^2 m_H^2} - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3m_W^2}{2m_H^2 c_W^4} - \frac{1}{4c_W^2} + \frac{1}{4c_W^2} (1 - \xi_Z) - \frac{3m_H^2}{4m_W^2} + \frac{1}{2} (1 - \xi_W) - 3 \frac{m_W^2}{m_H} \right) + \dots$$

- gauge dependent

- large contributions, e.g.  $\frac{g^2}{16\pi^2} 2N_c \frac{m_t^4}{m_W^2 m_H^2} \sim 0.13$

## tadpoles (2)

It is possible to take into account tadpoles by renormalizing  $v$ .  
Higgs lagrangian

$$L_H = \frac{1}{2}m_0^2\phi_0^2 - \frac{\lambda}{4!}\phi_0^4$$

- supply a condition
 
$$v_0(3v_0^2\lambda_0 - m_0^2) = 0$$
- consistent with gauge invariance (all bare parameters are g.i.)
- introduce additional renormalization constant

$$v_0 \longrightarrow v_0 Z_v^{1/2}$$

$$\text{Then } \delta Z_v^{(1)} = \frac{g}{M_W M_H} \Pi_H^{(1)},$$

$$\delta Z_v^{(2)} = \frac{g}{M_W M_H} \frac{\delta Z_v^{(1)}}{2} \left( \delta Z_v^{(1)} + \delta Z_H^{(1)} + \frac{2\delta M_H^{2(1)}}{M_H} + \frac{\delta M_W^{2(1)}}{M_W} + \frac{2\delta s_W^{(1)}}{s_W} - \delta Z_e^{(1)} \right)$$

## RG functions in the SM

definitions:

$$\beta_X = \mu^2 \frac{d}{d\mu^2} X, \quad \gamma_X = \mu^2 \frac{d}{d\mu^2} \ln X$$

The evolution of quantity  $X(\mu)$  is governed by the renormalization group equation

$$\left( \gamma_X + \sum_j \beta_j \frac{\partial}{\partial g_j} + \sum_i \gamma_i \frac{\partial}{\partial \ln m_i^2} \right) X = 0$$

which should be supplied with corresponding matching conditions.



## RG functions in the SM

Relations between RG functions of masses and couplings in different phases

$$\gamma_{m_f} = \underbrace{\gamma_{y_f} + \frac{1}{2} \left( \gamma_{m_\phi^2} - \frac{\beta_\lambda}{\lambda} \right)}_{\text{symmetric phase}} \quad \gamma_{m_W^2} = \underbrace{2 \frac{\beta_g}{g} + \left( \gamma_{m_\phi^2} - \frac{\beta_\lambda}{\lambda} \right)}_{\text{symmetric phase}}$$

$$\frac{\gamma_{v^2}}{v^2} = \left( \gamma_{m_\phi^2} - \frac{\beta_\lambda}{\lambda} \right)$$

$$\gamma_{G_F} = - \left( \gamma_{m_\phi^2} - \frac{\beta_\lambda}{\lambda} \right)$$

verified also by explicit 2-loop analysis

correspondence

symmetric phase  
quadratic divergences  
in the renormalization of  $m^2$

broken phase  
tadpole diagrams  
in the renormalization of  $m_X^2, G_F$

# RG functions in the SM

how it looks

$$\begin{aligned}
 \gamma_{m_t^2} = & \left( \frac{g^2}{16\pi^2} \right) \left\{ \frac{2}{3} - \frac{3 m_H^2}{4 m_W^2} + \frac{3 m_t^2}{4 m_W^2} - \frac{m_W^2}{3 m_H^2} - \frac{2 m_Z^2}{3 m_W^2} - \frac{3 m_Z^4}{2 m_H^2 m_W^2} + 6 \frac{m_t^4}{m_H^2 m_W^2} \right\} \\
 + & \left( \frac{g^2}{16\pi^2} \right)^2 \left\{ n_G \left( - \frac{89}{162} + \frac{16 m_W^2}{3 m_H^2} + \frac{64 m_Z^2}{9 m_H^2} - \frac{162 m_W^2}{162 m_H^2} + \frac{65 m_Z^2}{324 m_W^4} + \frac{65 m_Z^4}{9 m_H^2 m_W^2} + \frac{40 m_Z^6}{9 m_H^2 m_W^4} \right) + \frac{11}{48} + \frac{35 m_t^2}{2 m_H^2} \right. \\
 + & \frac{33 m_H^4}{32 m_W^4} + \frac{3 m_H^2 m_t^2}{4 m_W^4} - \frac{69 m_t^4}{32 m_W^4} - \frac{15 m_t^6}{2 m_H^2 m_W^4} + \frac{3 m_H^2}{4 m_W^2} + \frac{91 m_t^2}{96 m_W^2} - \frac{4 m_t^4}{3 m_H^2 m_W^2} - \frac{176 m_W^2}{3 m_H^2} - \frac{17 m_Z^2}{2 m_H^2} - \frac{3 m_H^2 m_Z^2}{8 m_W^4} \\
 + & \left. \frac{223 m_t^2 m_Z^2}{192 m_W^4} + \frac{4 m_t^4 m_Z^2}{3 m_H^2 m_W^4} + \frac{2 m_Z^2}{3 m_W^2} - 20 \frac{m_t^2 m_Z^2}{m_H^2 m_W^2} - \frac{289 m_Z^4}{192 m_W^4} + \frac{19 m_t^2 m_Z^4}{4 m_H^2 m_W^4} + \frac{31 m_Z^4}{12 m_H^2 m_W^2} + \frac{59 m_Z^6}{24 m_H^2 m_W^4} \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

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At the tree level:

$$m_W = \frac{gv}{2} \quad y = \frac{gm}{\sqrt{2}m_W} \quad G_F = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}v^2}$$

therefore  $m = 2^{-3/4}G_F^{1/2}y$ .

Possible definitions beyond the LO

$$m(\mu) = 2^{-3/4}G_F(\mu)^{1/2}y(\mu) \qquad m_Y(\mu) = 2^{-3/4}G_F^{1/2}y(\mu)$$

- the “true”  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  mass as it comes from diagram calculus in accordance with  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  prescription
- among others includes the tadpole contributions
- at the energy scales below  $\sim 2m_W$  effectively the same as  $m(\mu)$  due to properties of  $G_F$  (see below)
- free of tadpoles as the Yukawa coupling is not affected by Higgs mechanism

$$\mu^2 \frac{dG_F(\mu)}{d\mu^2} = \frac{G_F(\mu)}{8\pi^2\sqrt{2}m_W^2} \left\{ \sum_{f \neq t} \left( m_f^2 - 4\frac{m_f^4}{m_H^2} \right) + 2\frac{6m_W^4 + 3m_Z^4 + m_H^4 - 4m_t^4}{m_H^2} - 6m_W^2 - 3m_Z^2 + m_H^2 + 2m_t^2 \right\}$$

## the fermion mass (2)

It is convenient to reexpress  $G_F$  in  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  scheme

$$2^{5/2}G_F = \frac{e^2(\mu)}{m_W^2(\mu)\sqrt{1 - m_W^2(\mu)/m_Z^2(\mu)}}(1 + \overline{\Delta r}(\mu)),$$

here  $G_F$  is fixed! (e.g. as  $G_\mu$ )

Then

$$m_Y(\mu) = \frac{m(\mu)}{\sqrt{1 + \overline{\Delta r}(\mu)}}$$

- running as the Yukawa coupling in the symmetric phase
- matching as  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  mass at low energies
- free of tadpoles (quadratic divergences) and still being gauge invariant
- at the tree level  $M = m(\mu) = m_Y(\mu)$
- in pure QCD  $m(\mu) = m_Y(\mu)$

# running masses at 2-loops, bottom quark

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{m_b(M_b)}{M_b} &= 1 + \delta_{\text{QCD}}(M_b) + \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \left\{ N_c \frac{M_t^4}{M_W^2 M_H^2 S_W^2} (1 - L_t) + \frac{M_t^2}{M_W^2 S_W^2} \left( -\frac{5}{16} + \frac{3}{8} L_t \right) + \dots \right\} \\
&+ C_F \frac{\alpha_s(M_b)}{4\pi} \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \left\{ N_c \frac{M_t^4}{M_W^2 M_H^2 S_W^2} \left( -2 + 16L_t + 3L_b - 3L_b L_t - 6L_t^2 \right) + \frac{M_t^2}{M_W^2 S_W^2} \left( -\frac{13}{4} - \frac{3}{2} L_t - \frac{15}{16} L_b + \dots \right) + \dots \right\} \\
&+ \left( \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \right)^2 \left\{ \left( N_c \frac{M_t^4}{M_W^2 M_H^2 S_W^2} \right)^2 \frac{(1 - L_t)(3 + L_t)}{2} - \frac{N_c M_t^6}{16 M_W^4 M_H^2 S_W^4} (77 - 75L_t + 18L_t^2 + 8\zeta_2) \right. \\
&\left. + \frac{N_c M_t^4}{M_H^4} \left( \frac{4C_W^4}{-7 + 5L_t + 3L_z + 3L_t L_z} + \frac{-7 + 5L_t + 3L_z + 3L_t L_z}{2C_W^2} + \dots \right) + \dots \right\} \\
&= 1 + \delta_{\text{QCD}}(M_b) - 0.42 - 0.20 + \dots \\
\frac{m_{Y,b}(M_b)}{M_b} &= 1 + \delta_{\text{QCD}}(M_b) + \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \left\{ N_c \frac{M_t^4}{M_W^2 M_H^2 S_W^2} (1 - L_t) + \frac{M_t^2}{M_W^2 S_W^2} \left( -\frac{5}{16} + \frac{3}{8} L_t \right) + \dots \right\} \\
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&+ \left( \frac{\alpha M_t^2}{4\pi M_W^2 S_W^2} \right)^2 \left\{ A_{2,2} \ln^2 \frac{M_t^2}{M_b^2} + A_{2,1} \ln \frac{M_t^2}{M_b^2} - \frac{45}{128} \frac{M_t^4}{M_H^4} \ln^2 \frac{M_t^2}{M_H^2} + \left( -\frac{5}{16} + \frac{241}{128} \frac{M_t^2}{M_H^2} + \frac{45}{32} \frac{M_t^4}{M_H^4} \right) \ln \frac{M_t^2}{M_H^2} + \dots \right\} \\
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&+ C_F \frac{\alpha_s(M_b)}{4\pi} \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \left\{ N_c \frac{M_t^4}{M_W^2 M_H^2 S_W^2} \left( -2 + 16L_t + 3L_b - 3L_b L_t - 6L_t^2 \right) + \frac{M_t^2}{M_W^2 S_W^2} \left( -\frac{13}{4} - \frac{3}{2} L_t - \frac{15}{16} L_b + \dots \right) + \dots \right\} \\
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&= 1 + \delta_{\text{QCD}}(M_b) - 0.0197 - 0.0068 + \mathbf{0.0057}
\end{aligned}$$

## running masses at 2-loops, top quark

The various contributions to  $m_t(M_t) - M_t$  (in GeV).

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$M_H$ [GeV]	QCD	$O(\alpha)$	$O(\alpha\alpha_s)$	$O(\alpha^2)$	total
124	-10.38	12.11	-0.39	-0.51	0.83
125	-10.38	11.91	-0.39	-0.49	0.65
126	-10.38	11.71	-0.38	-0.48	0.46

Large cancellations between QCD and EW corrections!