

# New modular flavor phenomenology from $2D_3$ symmetries

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# The Standard Model

## Standard Model of Elementary Particles

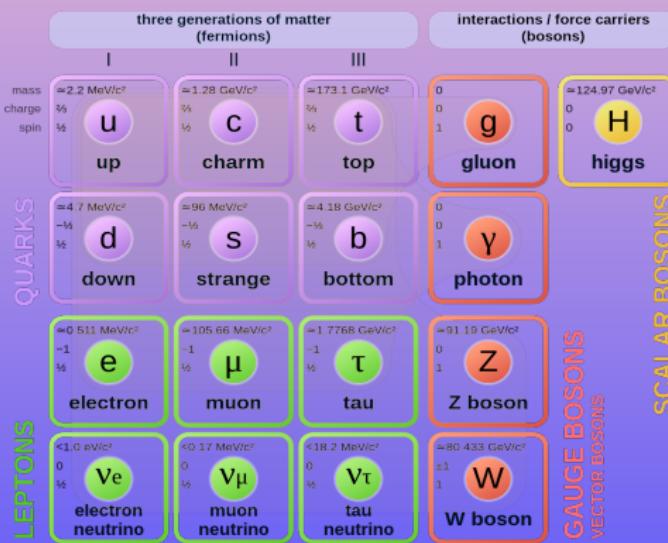


Figure: The Standard Model of Elementary Particles (SM).

# The CKM matrix

$$V_{\text{CKM}} =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{12} \cos \theta_{13} & \sin \theta_{12} \cos \theta_{13} & \sin \theta_{13} e^{-i\delta} \\ -\sin \theta_{12} \cos \theta_{23} - \sin \theta_{13} \sin \theta_{23} \cos \theta_{12} e^{i\delta} & \cos \theta_{12} \cos \theta_{23} - \sin \theta_{12} \sin \theta_{13} \sin \theta_{23} e^{i\delta} & \sin \theta_{23} \cos \theta_{13} \\ \sin \theta_{12} \sin \theta_{23} - \sin \theta_{13} \cos \theta_{12} \cos \theta_{23} e^{i\delta} & -\sin \theta_{23} \cos \theta_{12} - \sin \theta_{12} \sin \theta_{13} \cos \theta_{23} e^{i\delta} & \cos \theta_{13} \cos \theta_{23} \end{pmatrix}.$$

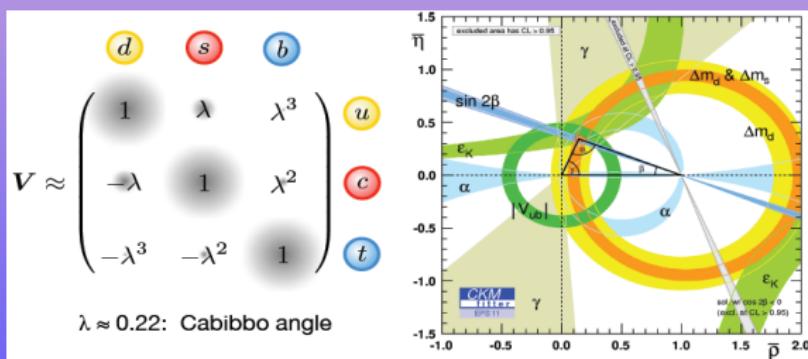


Figure: Parametrization of the CKM matrix.

# What is the flavor puzzle?

- ① The origin of the 3 fermion generations.
- ② Hierarchical pattern of the charged lepton masses  
 $m_e \ll m_\mu \ll m_\tau$ .  $m_e/m_\mu \approx 1/200$  and  $m_\mu/m_\tau \approx 1/17$ .
- ③ Lightness of neutrinos  $m_{\nu i} \lesssim 0.5\text{eV}$ ,  $m_l \gtrsim 0.511\text{MeV}$  and  $m_q \gtrsim 2\text{MeV}$ .
- ④ Masses and mixings of fermions from  $V_{CKM}$  and  $U_{PMNS}$ .

# Vector-Valued Modular Forms

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# The Modular Group

$$\Gamma := \mathrm{SL}(2, \mathbb{Z}) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \mid ad - bc = 1, \quad a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}. \quad (1)$$

$\Gamma$  has two generators  $S$  and  $T$  obeying

$$S^4 = (ST)^3 = 1, \quad S^2T = TS^2, \quad (2)$$

which can be represented as

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}. \quad (3)$$

## VVMF

The group acts on  $\mathcal{H} = \{\tau \in \mathbb{C} \mid i\tau > 0\}$  as the transformations

$$\tau \rightarrow \gamma\tau := \frac{a\tau + b}{c\tau + d}, \quad \gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma. \quad (4)$$

We consider the holomorphic functions  $Y(\tau) = (Y_1(\tau), \dots, Y_d(\tau))^T$  in  $\mathcal{H}$  transforming as [2112.14761]

$$Y(\gamma\tau) = (c\tau + d)^{k_Y} \rho_Y(\gamma) Y(\tau), \quad (5)$$

where  $\rho_Y$  is a  $d$ -dimensional representation of  $\gamma \in \Gamma$  with finite image.

# VVMF

Under the irrep  $\rho$ , all VVMFs constitute a free module  $\mathcal{M}(\rho)$  over the ring  $\mathcal{M}(1) = \mathbb{C}[E_4, E_6]$ . It is possible to generate a basis through the operators

$$D_k^n := D_{k+2(n-1)} \circ D_{k+2(n-2)} \circ \cdots \circ D_k, \quad (6)$$

acting on the VVMFs with minimal weight, where

$$D_k := \frac{1}{2\pi i} \frac{d}{d\tau} - \frac{kE_2(\tau)}{12}, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}^+, \quad (7)$$

and  $E_2(\tau)$  is the quasi-modular Eisenstein series

$$E_2(\tau) = 1 - 24 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sigma_1(n) q^n. \quad (8)$$

## MLDE

A desirable basis of  $\mathcal{M}(\rho)$  is  $\{Y^{(k_0)}, D_{k_0}Y^{(k_0)}, \dots, D_{k_0}^{d-1}Y^{(k_0)}\}$ .

For a VVMF with weight  $k_0 + 2d$ , the ring  $\mathcal{M}(1) = \mathbb{C}[E_4, E_6]$  is a linear combination of the previous basis such that

$$(D_{k_0}^d + M_4 D_{k_0}^{d-2} + \dots + M_{2(d-1)} D_{k_0} + M_{2d}) Y^{(k_0)} = 0, \quad (9)$$

where  $M_k \in \mathbb{C}[E_4, E_6]$  is the scalar modular form of weight  $k$ .

**In summary,  $\mathcal{M}(\rho)$  only depends on the VVMFs under the irrep  $\rho$  with minimal weight.**

# Binary dihedral group

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# $2D_3$

The binary dihedral group  $2D_3$  is the preimage of the dihedral group  $D_3$  under the mapping  $SU(2) \cong \text{Spin}(3) \rightarrow \text{SO}(3)$ .

$2D_3$  has generators  $S$  y  $T$  such that

$$S^4 = (ST)^3 = S^2T^2 = 1, \quad S^2T = TS^2. \quad (10)$$

$2D_3$  has 12 elements and its GAP ID is [12, 1].

Its center is  $Z_2^{S^2} := \langle 1, S^2 \rangle$ .

$2D_3 \cong Z_3 \rtimes Z_4$ .

Character table of  $2D_3$ 

Classes	$1C_1$	$1C_2$	$3C_4$	$2C_3$	$3C_4$	$2C_6$
Representative	1	$S^2$	$T$	$TS$	$TS^2$	$TS^3$
1	1	1	1	1	1	1
$1'$	1	1	-1	1	-1	1
$\hat{1}$	1	-1	$-i$	1	$i$	-1
$\hat{1}'$	1	-1	$i$	1	$-i$	-1
2	2	2	0	-1	0	-1
$\hat{2}$	2	-2	0	-1	0	1

Table: The character table of the binary dihedral group  $2D_3 \cong Z_3 \rtimes Z_4$ .

# VVMFs in $2D_3$ with minimal weight

The VVMFs with minimal weight are

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{1'}^{(6)}(\tau) &= \eta^{12}(\tau), & Y_{\hat{1}}^{(9)}(\tau) &= \eta^{18}(\tau), & Y_{\hat{1}'}^{(3)}(\tau) &= \eta^6(\tau), \\ Y_2^{(2)}(\tau) &= \begin{pmatrix} \eta^4(\tau) \left(\frac{K(\tau)}{1728}\right)^{-\frac{1}{6}} {}_2F_1\left(-\frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{6}; \frac{1}{2}; K(\tau)\right) \\ -8\sqrt{3}\eta^4(\tau) \left(\frac{K(\tau)}{1728}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}; \frac{3}{2}; K(\tau)\right) \end{pmatrix}, \\ Y_{\hat{2}}^{(5)}(\tau) &= \begin{pmatrix} 8\sqrt{3}\eta^{10}(\tau) \left(\frac{K(\tau)}{1728}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}; \frac{3}{2}; K(\tau)\right) \\ \eta^{10}(\tau) \left(\frac{K(\tau)}{1728}\right)^{-\frac{1}{6}} {}_2F_1\left(-\frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{6}; \frac{1}{2}; K(\tau)\right) \end{pmatrix}, \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

where  ${}_2F_1$  is the generalized hypergeometric series and  $K(\tau) = 1728/j(\tau)$  is the inverse of Klein- $j$  function  $j(\tau)$ .

# VVMFs in $2D_3$

The VVMFs for  $2D_3$  are:

$$\begin{aligned} k = 2 : \quad & Y_2^{(2)}, \\ k = 3 : \quad & Y_{\hat{1}'}^{(3)}, \\ k = 4 : \quad & Y_1^{(4)} \equiv E_4, \quad Y_2^{(4)} \equiv -6D_2 Y_2^{(2)}, \\ k = 5 : \quad & Y_{\hat{2}}^{(5)}, \\ k = 6 : \quad & Y_1^{(6)} \equiv E_6, \quad Y_{1'}^{(6)}, \quad Y_2^{(6)} \equiv E_4 Y_2^{(2)}, \\ k = 7 : \quad & Y_{\hat{2}}^{(7)} \equiv 3D_5 Y_{\hat{2}}^{(5)}, \quad Y_{\hat{1}'}^{(7)} \equiv E_4 Y_{\hat{1}'}^{(3)}, \\ & \dots \end{aligned} \tag{12}$$

# SUSY with $2D_3$ invariance

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# Supersymmetry

We consider the global supersymmetry theory  $\mathcal{N} = 1$ .

The action is given as

$$\mathcal{S} = \int d^4x d^2\theta d^2\bar{\theta} \mathcal{K}(\Psi_I, \bar{\Psi}_I, \tau, \bar{\tau}) + \int d^4x d^2\theta \mathcal{W}(\Psi_I, \tau).$$

The superpotential is

$$\mathcal{W}(\Phi_I, \tau) = \sum_n Y_{I_1 \dots I_n}(\tau) \Phi_{I_1} \dots \Phi_{I_n}. \quad (13)$$

# SUSY $2D_3$ invariance

Every term in the superpotential satisfies

$$-k_{I_1} - k_{I_2} - \cdots - k_{I_n} + k_Y = -1. \quad (14)$$

We assume

$$\Phi_I \rightarrow (c\tau + d)^{-k_I} \rho_I(\gamma) \Phi_I, \quad \gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma, \quad (15)$$

where  $k_I \in \mathbb{Q}$  is the modular weight of  $\Phi_I$  and  $\rho_I(\gamma)$  is a  $2D_3$  irrep.

We choose

$$k_I \in \left\{ \frac{-16}{4}, \frac{-15}{4}, \dots, \frac{15}{4}, \frac{16}{4} \right\}. \quad (16)$$

# General fermion mass matrices

All the mass matrices have a structure

$$M_{\psi/\psi^c} = \begin{pmatrix} M_{DD} & \vdots & M_{D3} \\ \cdots & \cdot & \cdots \\ M_{3D} & \vdots & M_{33} \end{pmatrix}, \quad (17)$$

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# Quark model with 9 parameters

We obtained a model whose predicted flavor observables are

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_{12}^q &= 0.227392, \quad \theta_{13}^q = 0.00349376, \quad \theta_{23}^q = 0.0400987, \\ \delta_{CP}^q &= 70.2738^\circ, \quad m_u/m_c = 0.00193121, \quad m_c/m_t = 0.00287386, \\ m_d/m_s &= 0.0230934, \quad m_s/m_b = 0.018243. \end{aligned} \tag{18}$$

$$\chi^2_{\min} \sim 19.9.$$

Only  $m_d/m_s$  is about the edge of  $4\sigma$ .

The VEV of the modulus is close to  $\omega := e^{\frac{2\pi i}{3}}$ .

# Quark model with 10 parameters

We obtained a model whose predicted flavor observables are

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_{12}^q &= 0.227368, \quad \theta_{13}^q = 0.00349295, \quad \theta_{23}^q = 0.0401456, \\ \delta_{CP}^q &= 69.2212^\circ, \quad m_u/m_c = 0.00192771, \quad m_c/m_t = 0.00282204, \\ m_d/m_s &= 0.0505254, \quad m_s/m_b = 0.0182414. \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

$$\chi^2_{\min} \sim 0.0002.$$

All predictions fall within  $1\sigma$ .

The VEV of the modulus is close to i.

# Dirac neutrino model with 8 parameters

We obtained a model whose predicted flavor observables are

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 \theta_{12}^l &= 0.302989, \sin^2 \theta_{13}^l = 0.0220300, \sin^2 \theta_{23}^l = 0.571993, \\ \delta_{CP}^l &= 1.49060\pi, m_e/m_\mu = 0.00473701, m_\mu/m_\tau = 0.058568, \\ m_1 &= 17.5723 \text{ meV}, m_2 = 19.5675 \text{ meV}, m_3 = 53.1012 \text{ meV} \\ m_\beta &= 19.6484 \text{ meV}. \end{aligned} \tag{20}$$

$$\chi^2_{\min} \sim 10^{-6}.$$

All predictions fall within  $1\sigma$ .

# Majorana neutrino model for Type-I seesaw mechanism with 9 parameters

We obtained a model whose predicted flavor observables are

$$\sin^2 \theta_{12}^l = 0.302991, \sin^2 \theta_{13}^l = 0.02203, \sin^2 \theta_{23}^l = 0.572022,$$

$$\delta_{CP}^l = 1.27887\pi, \alpha_{21} = 1.27782\pi, \alpha_{31} = 0.418302\pi,$$

$$m_e/m_\mu = 0.00473698, m_\mu/m_\tau = 0.0585681, \frac{\Delta m_{21}^2}{\Delta m_{31}^2} = 0.0295108,$$

$$m_1 = 39.09 \text{ meV}, m_2 = 40.02 \text{ meV}, m_3 = 63.55 \text{ meV}. \quad (21)$$

$$\chi_{\min}^2 \approx 10^{-6}.$$

All predictions fall within  $3\sigma$  level.

# Majorana neutrino model for Weinberg operator with 7 parameters

We obtained a model whose predicted flavor observables are

$$\sin^2 \theta_{12}^l = 0.302725, \sin^2 \theta_{13}^l = 0.0220538, \sin^2 \theta_{23}^l = 0.656858,$$

$$\delta_{CP}^l = 1.46771\pi, \alpha_{21} = 1.93205\pi, \alpha_{31} = 0.951594\pi,$$

$$m_e/m_\mu = 0.00473702, m_\mu/m_\tau = 0.0585681, \frac{\Delta m_{21}^2}{\Delta m_{31}^2} = 0.0295217,$$

$$m_1 = 30.15 \text{ meV}, m_2 = 31.35 \text{ meV}, m_3 = 58.47 \text{ meV}. \quad (22)$$

$$\chi^2_{\min} = 17.14.$$

All predictions fall within  $3\sigma$  level except  $\sin^2 \theta_{23}^l$ .

# An integrated model of quarks and leptons

For the model

$$d^c \sim u^c \sim, Q \sim E^c \sim L \sim \hat{2} \oplus \hat{1}', H_d \sim H_u \sim \mathbf{1}'.$$

$$k_{d_D^c} = k_{u_D^c} = -k_{E_3^c} = 1/2, k_{d_3^c} = k_{u_D^c} = k_{Q_D} = k_{Q_3} = 5/2,$$

$$k_{E_3^c} = k_{L_D} = 7/2, k_{L_3} = 3/2, k_{H_d} = k_{H_u} = 0.$$

The best-fit input parameters are

$$\langle \tau \rangle = -0.0613689 + 2.68637i, \beta^d/\alpha^d = 20.3565,$$

$$\delta^d/\alpha^d = 309.699, \gamma^d/\alpha^d = -1040.08, \alpha_1^u/\gamma^u = -6422.49,$$

$$\alpha_2^u/\gamma^u = -6413.76, \beta^u/\gamma^u = 4383.68, \delta^l/\alpha^l = -0.0808854,$$

$$\gamma^l/\alpha^l = 17.0445, \alpha_1^\nu/\beta^\nu = 2.3088, \alpha_2^\nu/\beta^\nu = -11784.2,$$

$$\alpha^d v_d = 0.891348 \text{ MeV}, \gamma^u v_u = 6.44174 \text{ MeV},$$

$$\alpha^l v_d = 76.207 \text{ MeV}, \frac{\beta^\nu v_u^2}{\Lambda} = 0.010066 \text{ eV}.$$

# An integrated model of quarks and leptons

The predicted flavor observables are

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 \theta_{12}^l &= 0.31818, \sin^2 \theta_{13}^l = 0.021746, \sin^2 \theta_{23}^l = 0.527212, \\ \delta_{CP}^l &= 1.59044\pi, \alpha_{21} = 0.901365\pi, \alpha_{31} = 0.526527\pi, \\ m_e/m_\mu &= 0.00473731, m_\mu/m_\tau = 0.058568, \frac{\Delta m_{21}^2}{\Delta m_{31}^2} = 0.030349, \\ m_1 &= 5.23272 \text{ meV}, \quad m_2 = 10.0738 \text{ meV}, \quad m_3 = 49.6888 \text{ meV}, \\ \theta_{12}^q &= 0.227464, \theta_{13}^q = 0.00339533, \theta_{23}^q = 0.0403661, \\ \delta_{CP}^q &= 69.1464^\circ, \quad m_u/m_c = 0.00192463, \quad m_c/m_t = 0.00282265, \\ m_d/m_s &= 0.0505174, \quad m_s/m_b = 0.0182406. \end{aligned} \tag{24}$$

$$\chi^2_{\min} = 8.4.$$

All predictions fall within  $3\sigma$ .

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**We have successful model best-fit models with  $2D_3$  symmetry!!**

# Conclusions

- We investigated the (yet) unexplored phenomenology of  $2D_3$ .
- $2D_3$  as a flavor group only allows structures  $2 + 1$  with VVMFs.
- After a exhaustive numerical analysis, benchmark models with new phenomenology were provided.
- Several fermion scenarios were taken into account.
- For the first time, Higgs fields in non-trivial representations in modular flavor building.
- We allowed fractional modular weights for the fields.
- Our integrated models can be naturally embedded in a Grand unified theory.
- This phenomenology could arise from some  $\mathbb{T}^2/\mathbb{Z}_4$  heterotic orbifold.

**Thank you for your attention.**