



Fermion mass hierarchies from residual modular symmetries and modulus stabilisation

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Modular symmetry cheat sheet (1/3)

$$\Gamma \equiv SL(2, \mathbb{Z}) = \left\{ \gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \middle| a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{Z}, \det \gamma = 1 \right\}$$

$$\tau \rightarrow \frac{a\tau + b}{c\tau + d}$$

$$S^2 = R, \quad (ST)^3 = R^2 = \mathbb{1}, \quad RT = TR$$

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} :$$

$$\tau \rightarrow -1/\tau$$

inver**S**ion

$$T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} :$$

$$\tau \rightarrow \tau + 1$$

Translation

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} :$$

$$\tau \rightarrow \tau$$

Redundant

but can affect fields...

Modular symmetry cheat sheet (2/3)

$$\psi \rightarrow \boxed{(c\tau + d)^{-k}} \boxed{\rho(\gamma)} \psi$$

automorphy factor

Weight $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

“Almost trivial”
representation of
the modular group

$$\Gamma(N) \subset \Gamma$$

Principal congruence subgroup of level N

$$\Gamma(N) \equiv \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{N} \right\}$$

$$\rho(\Gamma(N)) = \mathbb{1}$$

$$\rho(T\Gamma(N)) = \rho(T)$$

$$\rho(S\Gamma(N)) = \rho(S)$$

...

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$$\rho(\gamma) \text{ is effectively a representation of } \Gamma'_N \equiv \Gamma/\Gamma(N)$$

Modular symmetry cheat sheet (3/3)

Invariance of the superpotential

$W \sim g(Y(\tau) \psi_1 \dots \psi_n) \mathbf{1}$

$$\begin{cases} k_Y = k_1 + \dots + k_n \\ \rho_Y \otimes \rho_1 \otimes \dots \otimes \rho_n \supset \mathbf{1} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \psi &\rightarrow (c\tau + d)^{-k} \rho(\gamma) \psi \\ Y(\tau) &\rightarrow (c\tau + d)^{k_Y} \rho_Y(\gamma) Y(\tau) \end{aligned}$$

Lowest-weight modular forms

$\Gamma_N^{(\iota)} \quad Y_{\mathbf{r}}^{(k)}$	$\Gamma_2 \simeq S_3 \quad Y_{\mathbf{2}}^{(2)}$	$\Gamma'_4 \simeq S'_4 \quad Y_{\hat{\mathbf{3}}}^{(1)}$	$\Gamma_4 \simeq S_4 \quad Y_{\mathbf{2}}^{(2)}, Y_{\mathbf{3}'}^{(2)}$
$\Gamma'_3 \simeq A'_4 \quad Y_{\hat{\mathbf{2}}}^{(1)}$	$\Gamma_3 \simeq A_4 \quad Y_{\mathbf{3}}^{(2)}$	$\Gamma'_5 \simeq A'_5 \quad Y_{\hat{\mathbf{6}}}^{(1)}$	$\Gamma_5 \simeq A_5 \quad Y_{\mathbf{3}}^{(2)}, Y_{\mathbf{3}'}^{(2)}, Y_{\mathbf{5}}^{(2)}$

Pieces of a puzzle (a personal view)

- explanation of mass hierarchies?
- clear explanation of mixing?
- use TD to fix Kahler and irreps?
- phenomenology beyond masses and mixing?
- modular symmetry breaking as the only source of CPV?
- do away with SUSY?

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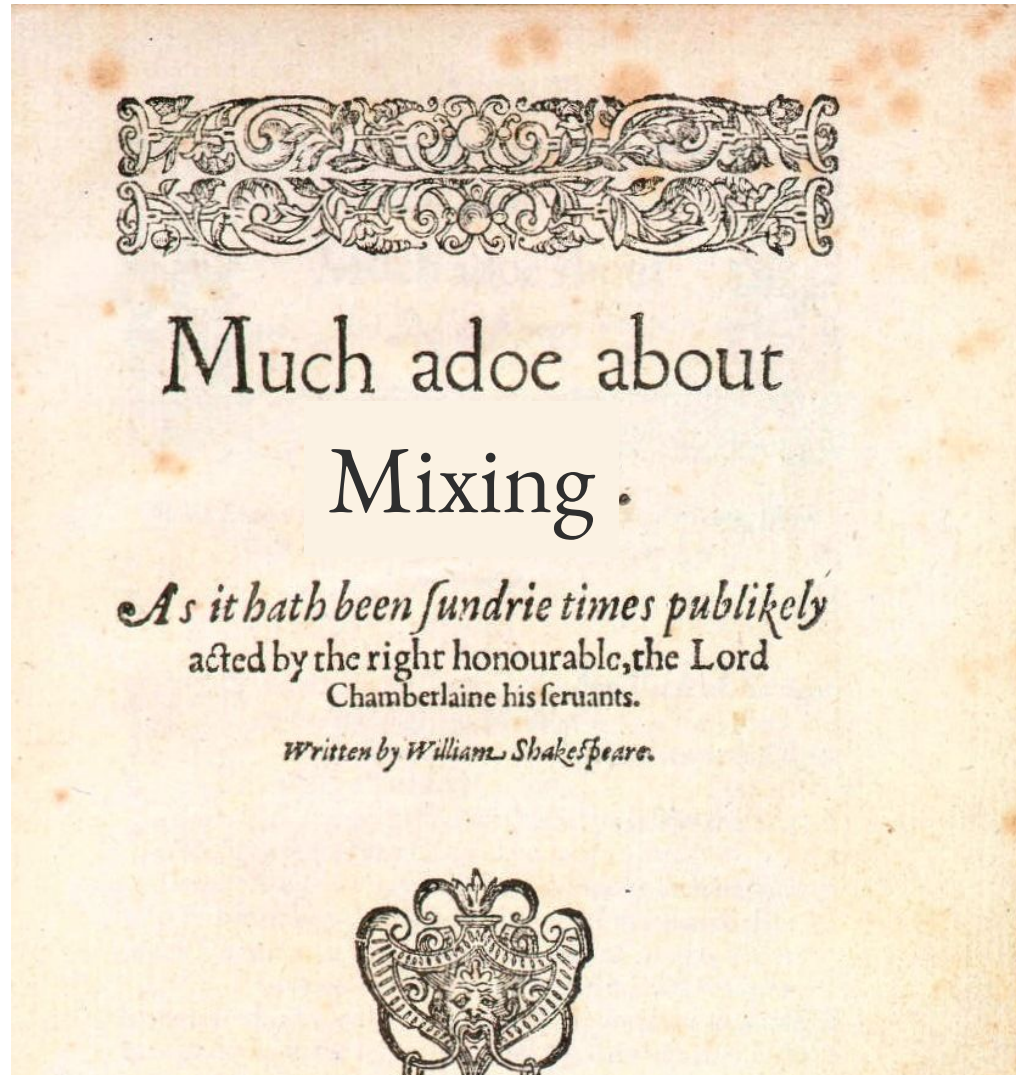
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I. Fermion mass hierarchies from residual modular symmetries

Mass hierarchies from modular symmetry?



Mass hierarchies from modular symmetry?

- Usually fermion mass hierarchies are put in **by hand**: hierarchies (or cancellations) between superpotential parameters

e.g. $\gamma \ll \alpha \ll \beta$ [see talks by Serguey, Arsenii]

- Other approaches** - new (weighted) scalars which enter the mass matrices a la Froggatt-Nielsen. Weights are analogous to FN charges

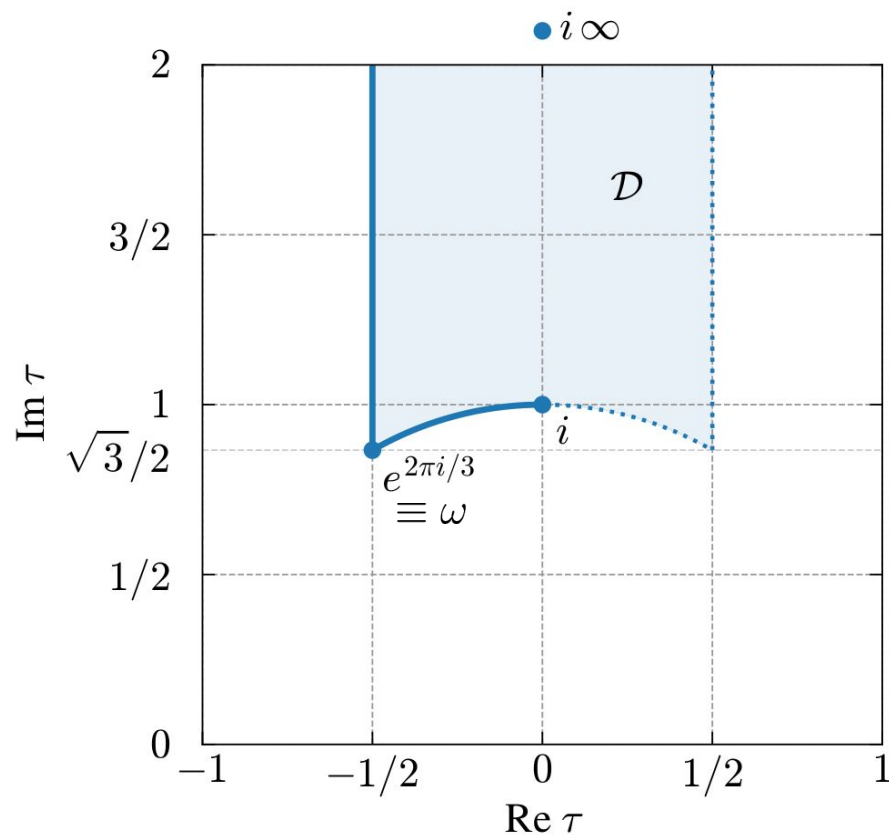
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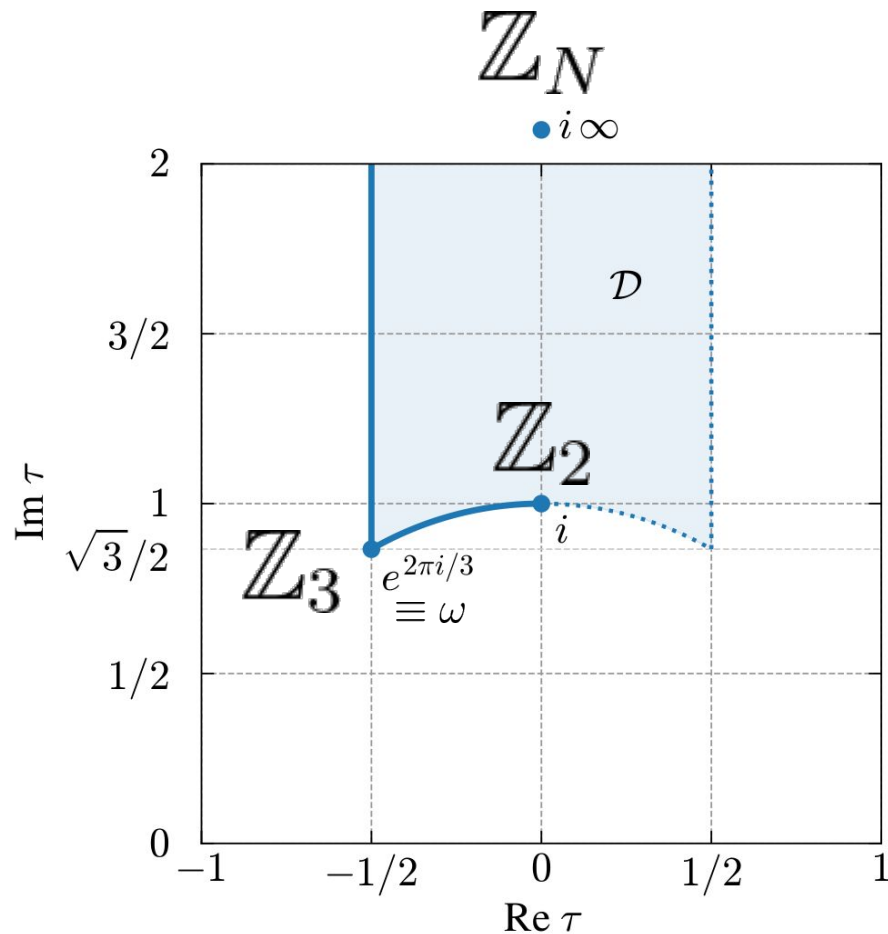
- Our approach** - No new scalars, mechanism uses **only τ** , common weights across generations (unlike FN charges)

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- At special values of τ , some **residual symmetry** remains

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In the vicinity of the sym.
point, the couplings are $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^l)$

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 Romanino, Titov,
 2101.08718
 (for A_4 , $m_e=0$)

$$\psi^c M \psi$$

$$\psi \xrightarrow{\gamma} (c\tau + d)^{-k} \rho(\gamma) \psi$$

$$\psi^c \xrightarrow{\gamma} (c\tau + d)^{-k^c} \rho^c(\gamma) \psi^c$$

$$M(\tau) \xrightarrow{\gamma} M(\gamma\tau) = (c\tau + d)^K \rho^c(\gamma)^* M(\tau) \rho(\gamma)^\dagger$$

$$\begin{aligned} \psi &\rightsquigarrow \mathbf{1} \dots \oplus \mathbf{1} \dots \oplus \mathbf{1} \dots \\ \psi^c &\rightsquigarrow \mathbf{1} \dots \oplus \mathbf{1} \dots \oplus \mathbf{1} \dots \end{aligned}$$

In general, depend on weights

Determined for all $N \leq 5$

Example: hierarchical mass matrix (A_5)

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For $\psi^c M \psi$, we expect:

$$M \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \epsilon^4 & \epsilon \\ \epsilon^3 & \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^4 \\ \epsilon^2 & \epsilon & \epsilon^3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} &\text{fermion spectrum} \\ &\sim (1, \epsilon, \epsilon^4) \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{with } \epsilon = e^{-2\pi \text{Im } \tau/5}$$

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Not like Froggatt-Nielsen. Instead, it is an **improvement!**

Explicit example at weight 2

$$W \supset \sum_s \alpha_s \left(Y_5^{(5,2)}(\tau) \psi^c \psi \right)_{1,s} \Rightarrow M(\tau) = \alpha \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{3}Y_1 & Y_5 & Y_2 \\ Y_4 & -\sqrt{2}Y_3 & -\sqrt{2}Y_5 \\ Y_3 & -\sqrt{2}Y_2 & -\sqrt{2}Y_4 \end{pmatrix}_{Y_5^{(5,2)}}$$

$$(Y_1, Y_2, Y_3, Y_4, Y_5) \simeq \mathcal{N}(-1/\sqrt{6}, q, 3q^2, 4q^3, 7q^4)$$

$$\backslash \epsilon \quad \epsilon \quad \epsilon /$$

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3	3	(1, 1, 1)	(1, 1, 1)	(1, 1, 1)	(1, 1, 1)
3	3'	(1, 1, 1)	(1, 1, 1)	(1, 1, 1)	(1, ϵ , ϵ^4)
3'	3'	(1, 1, 1)	(1, 1, 1)	(1, 1, 1)	(1, 1, 1)
3	1 \oplus 1 \oplus 1	(1, ϵ , ϵ^2)	(1, ϵ , ϵ^2)	(1, ϵ , ϵ^2)	(1, ϵ , ϵ^4)
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1 \oplus 1 \oplus 1	1 \oplus 1 \oplus 1	(1, 1, 1)	(ϵ^2 , ϵ^2 , ϵ^2)	(ϵ , ϵ , ϵ)	(1, 1, 1)

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			$\tau \simeq i\infty$	$[\mathbf{1}_a \oplus \mathbf{1}_a \oplus \mathbf{1}'_a] \otimes [\mathbf{1}_b \oplus \mathbf{1}_b \oplus \mathbf{1}''_b]$ with $\mathbf{1}_a \neq (\mathbf{1}_b)^*$
4	S'_4	$(1, \epsilon, \epsilon^2)$	$\tau \simeq \omega$	$[\mathbf{3}_a, \text{ or } \mathbf{2} \oplus \mathbf{1}^{(\prime)}, \text{ or } \hat{\mathbf{2}} \oplus \hat{\mathbf{1}}^{(\prime)}] \otimes [\mathbf{1}_b \oplus \mathbf{1}_b \oplus \mathbf{1}'_b]$
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Masses are OK, but mixing is tuned :(

Wrong PMNS in the symmetric limit:
parameters are driven into **cancellations**

How to avoid fine-tuning (in the lepton sector)

$$\begin{array}{c} \nu_1 \quad \nu_2 \quad \nu_3 \\ e \\ \mu \\ \tau \end{array} \begin{bmatrix} \blacksquare & \blacksquare & \bullet \\ \blacksquare & \blacksquare & \blacksquare \\ \blacksquare & \blacksquare & \blacksquare \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\tau \rightarrow \tau_{\text{sym}}} \begin{bmatrix} \star & \star & 0 \\ \star & \star & \star \\ \star & \star & \star \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{or} \quad \begin{bmatrix} \star & \star & \star \\ \star & \star & \star \\ \star & \star & \star \end{bmatrix}$$

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Reyimuaji, Romanino, 1801.10530

$$\begin{array}{lll}
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 \end{array}$$

for mixing near symmetric points, see also Okada, Tanimoto, 2009.14242

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Example: lepton model close to ω

Only S_4' model from a scan requiring minimal # params., $m_e > 0$,
and Dirac phase within 2σ range (otherwise unconstrained):

$$L \sim (\hat{\mathbf{1}} \oplus \hat{\mathbf{1}} \oplus \hat{\mathbf{1}}', 2), \quad E^c \sim (\hat{\mathbf{3}}, 4), \quad N^c \sim (\mathbf{3}', 1)$$

Superpotential:

$$\begin{aligned} W = & \left[\alpha_1 \left(Y_{\mathbf{3}',1}^{(4,6)} E^c L_1 \right)_1 + \alpha_3 \left(Y_{\mathbf{3}',1}^{(4,6)} E^c L_2 \right)_1 + \alpha_4 \left(Y_{\mathbf{3}',2}^{(4,6)} E^c L_2 \right)_1 + \alpha_5 \left(Y_{\mathbf{3}}^{(4,6)} E^c L_3 \right)_1 \right] H_d \\ & + \left[g_1 \left(Y_{\hat{\mathbf{3}}}^{(4,3)} N^c L_1 \right)_1 + g_2 \left(Y_{\hat{\mathbf{3}}}^{(4,3)} N^c L_2 \right)_1 + g_3 \left(Y_{\hat{\mathbf{3}}'}^{(4,3)} N^c L_3 \right)_1 \right] H_u \\ & + \Lambda \left(Y_{\mathbf{2}}^{(4,2)} (N^c)^2 \right)_1. \end{aligned}$$

[gCP imposed, see talk by Arsenii next]

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$$M_e \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \alpha - 2\beta & 2\sqrt{3}i\gamma \\ \sqrt{3}\epsilon & \sqrt{3}(\alpha + 2\beta)\epsilon & 2i\gamma\epsilon \\ \frac{5}{2}\epsilon^2 & (\frac{5}{2}\alpha - \beta)\epsilon^2 & -\frac{5}{\sqrt{3}}i\gamma\epsilon^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad |\epsilon| \simeq 2.8 \left| \frac{\tau - \omega}{\tau - \omega^2} \right|$$

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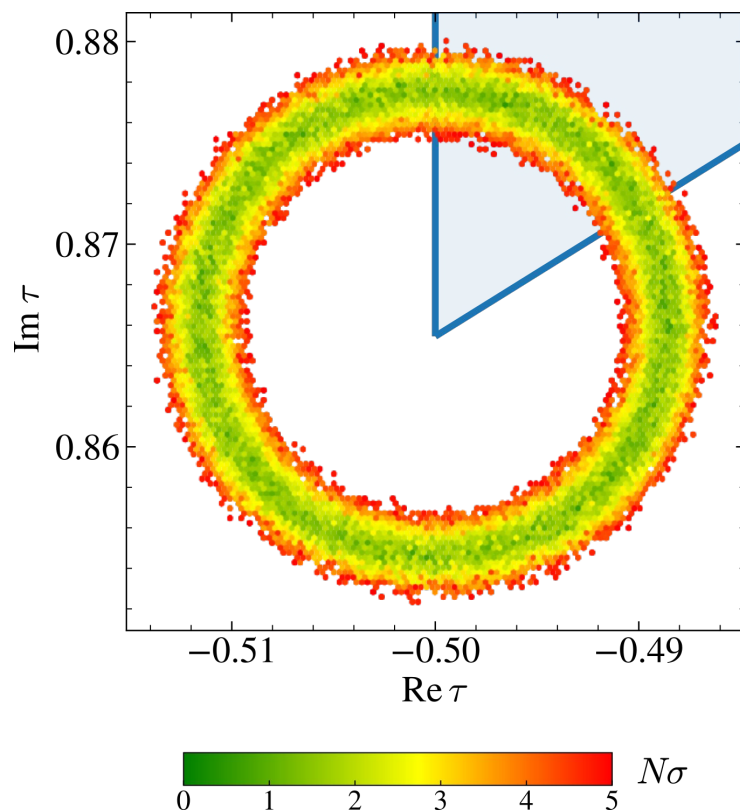
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$ \epsilon \simeq 0.02$	$\alpha = 2.45 \pm 0.44$
$a = 1.5 \pm 0.15$	$\beta = 2.14 \pm 0.32$
$b = 2.22 \pm 0.17$	$\gamma = 0.91 \pm 0.05$

Example: lepton model close to ω

$$|\epsilon| \simeq 0.02 \Leftrightarrow |u| \simeq 0.007$$



$$m_e = \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^2)$$

$$m_\mu = \mathcal{O}(\epsilon)$$

$$m_\tau = \mathcal{O}(1)$$



$$\text{NO}, \quad m_{\nu_1} = 0 \quad \delta \simeq \pi$$

$$m_{\beta\beta} = (1.44 \pm 0.33) \text{ meV}$$

Naturally allows for **hierarchies**,
large mixing, and some **predictivity**

Summary I

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- Fermion **mass hierarchies** can naturally arise if τ is in the vicinity of a point of residual symmetry,

$$\tau_{\text{sym}} = \omega, i\infty, (i)$$



- This mechanism works without flavons.
- **Natural lepton mixing** can also arise in such models. Requiring no fine-tuning in the whole lepton sector is remarkably restrictive.
- As seen in the model and anticipated from the hierarchical patterns, $|u| \simeq 0.007$ is required. Ad hoc?

II. Modulus stabilisation



Simplest modular-invariant potentials?

- Studied by Cvetič, Font, Ibáñez, Lüst and Quevedo (1991)
 $\mathcal{N} = 1$ SUGRA

$$K(\tau, \bar{\tau}) = -\Lambda_K^2 \log(2 \operatorname{Im} \tau)$$

$$G(\tau, \bar{\tau}) = \kappa^2 K(\tau, \bar{\tau}) + \log |\kappa^3 W(\tau)|^2 \quad \kappa^2 = 8\pi/M_P^2$$

- Superpotential has modular weight $-\mathfrak{n} = -1, -2, -3, \dots$

$$W(\tau) = \Lambda_W^3 \frac{H(\tau)}{\eta(\tau)^{2\mathfrak{n}}}$$

$$\mathfrak{n} = \kappa^2 \Lambda_K^2$$

- Simplified model, independent of the level N

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$$n = 3$$

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- Most general holomorphic $H(\tau)$ (except at $i\infty$) Cvetič et al (1991)

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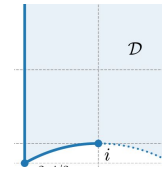
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$$\mathcal{P}(j) = 1$$

simplest choice

- This potential is **modular-** and **CP-invariant** (also for some other $\mathcal{P}(j)$'s)
- Everything can be expressed in terms of η and its derivatives...

q - and u -expansions of η



$$|q| \leq e^{-\sqrt{3}\pi} \simeq 0.004$$

$$\eta = q^{1/24} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} (-1)^n q^{\frac{3n^2-n}{2}} = q^{1/24} (1 - q - q^2 + q^5 + q^7 - q^{12} - q^{15} + \mathcal{O}(q^{22}))$$

$$u \equiv \frac{\tau - \omega}{\tau - \omega^2}$$

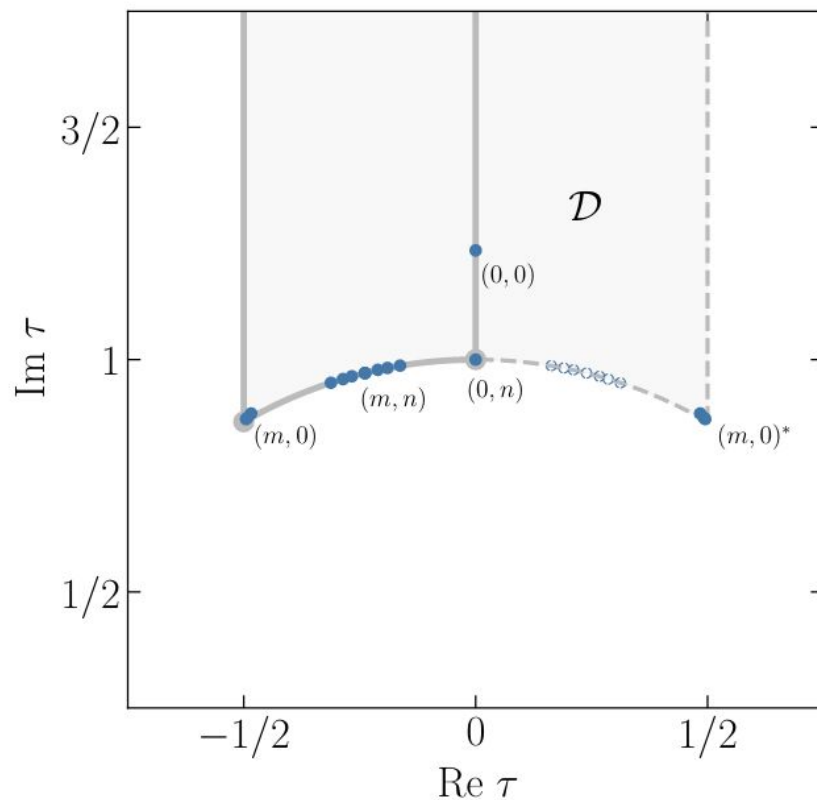
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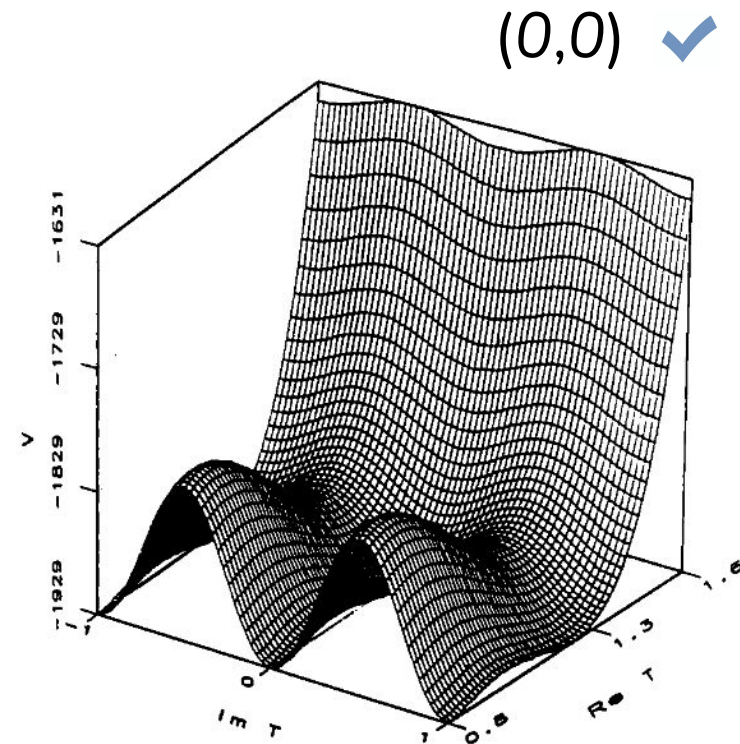
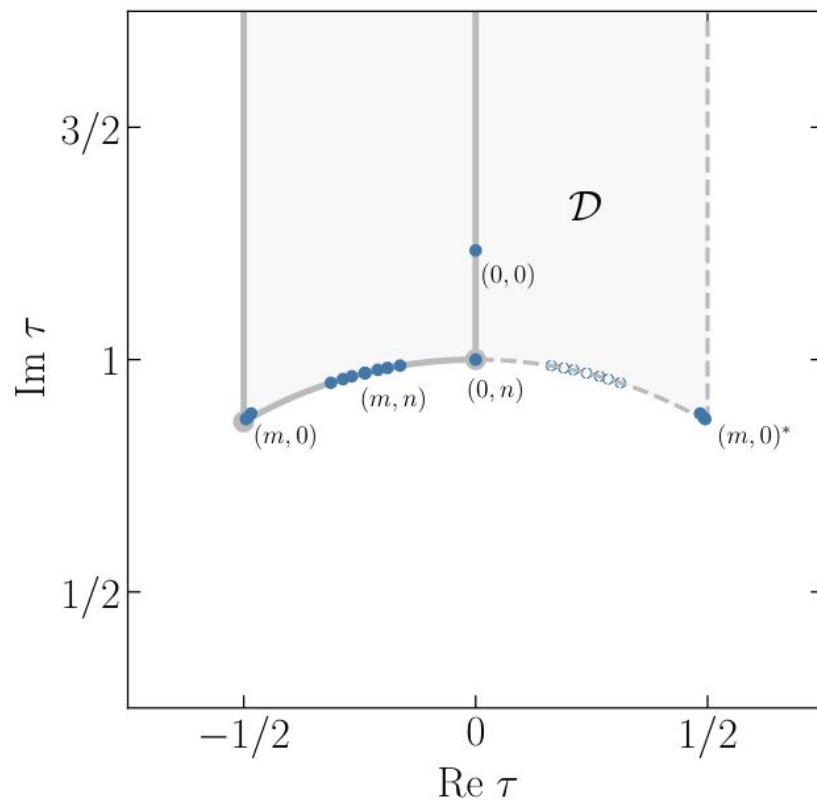
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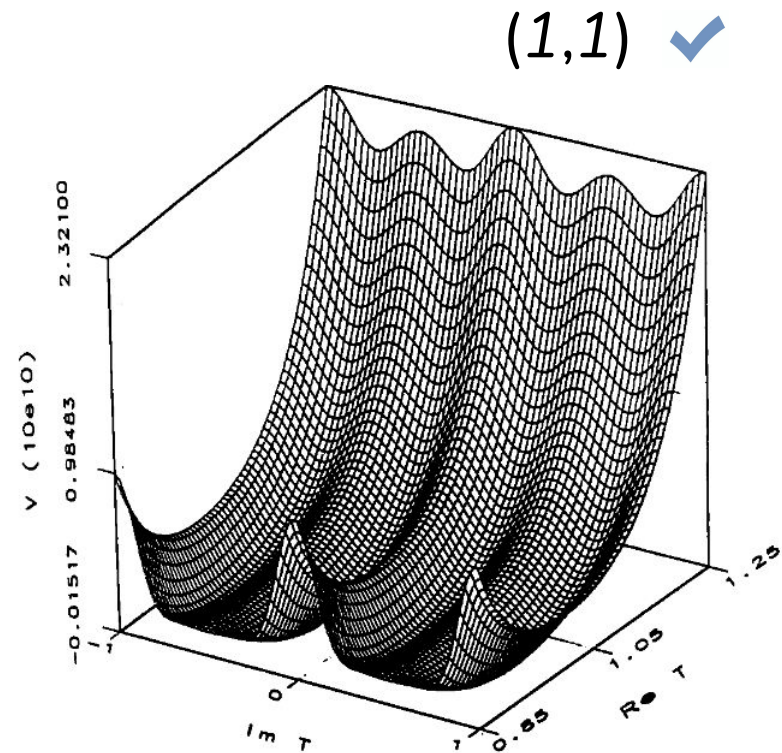
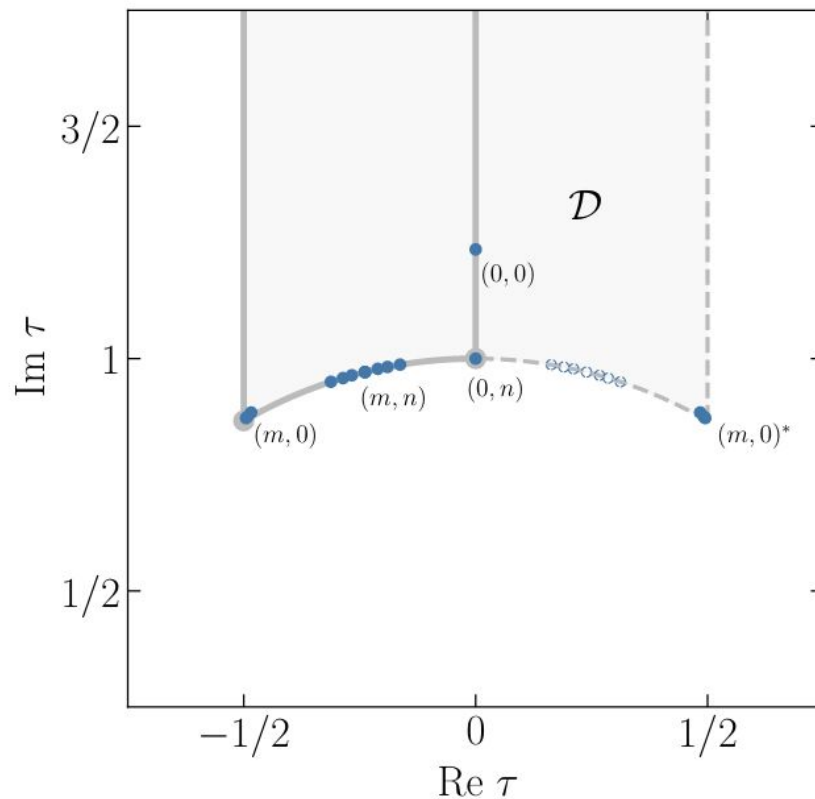
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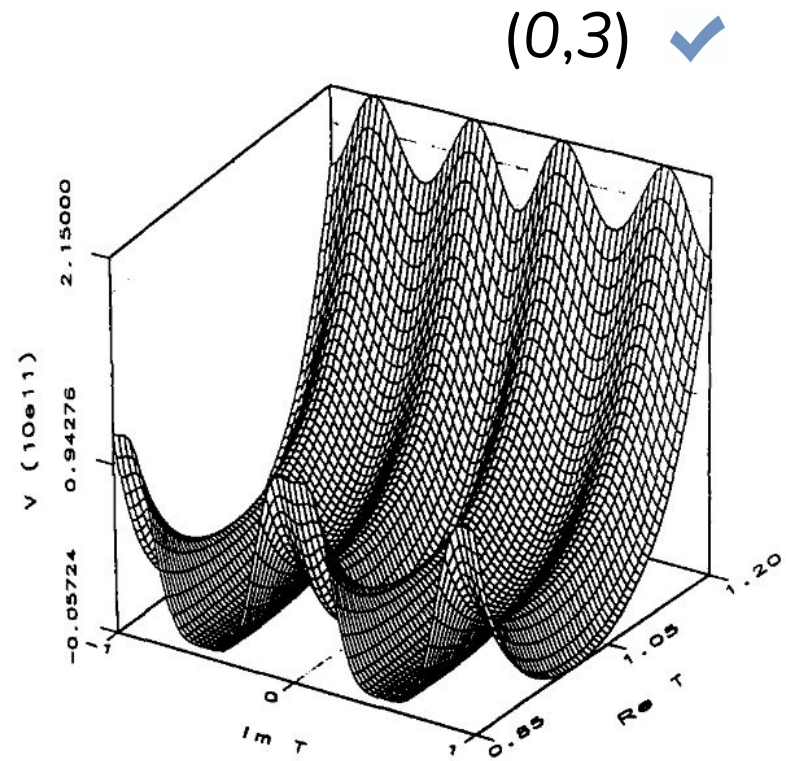
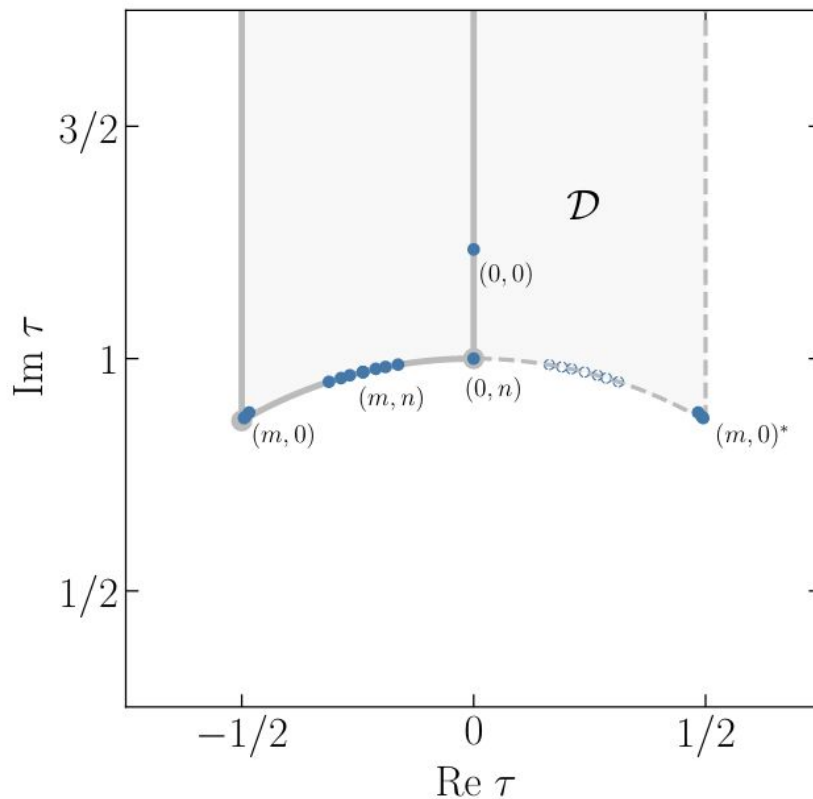
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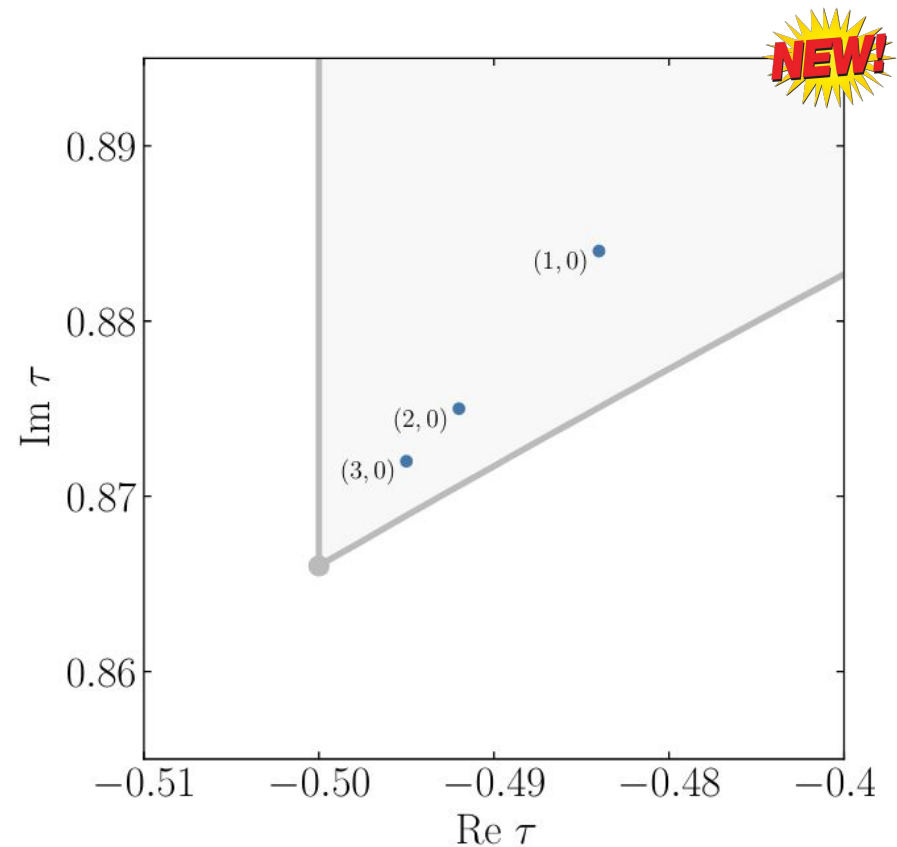
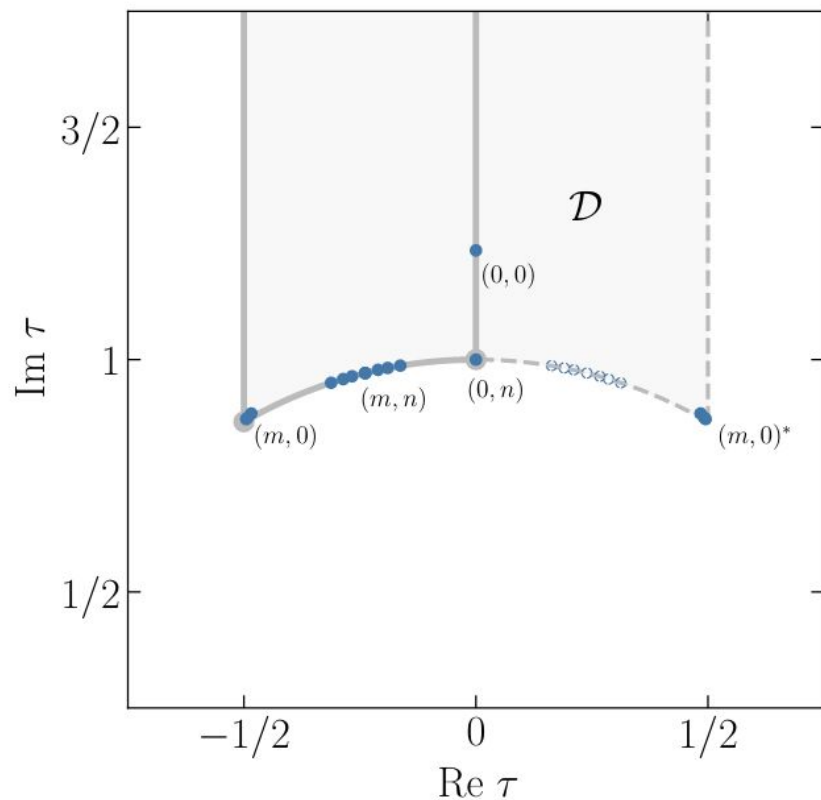
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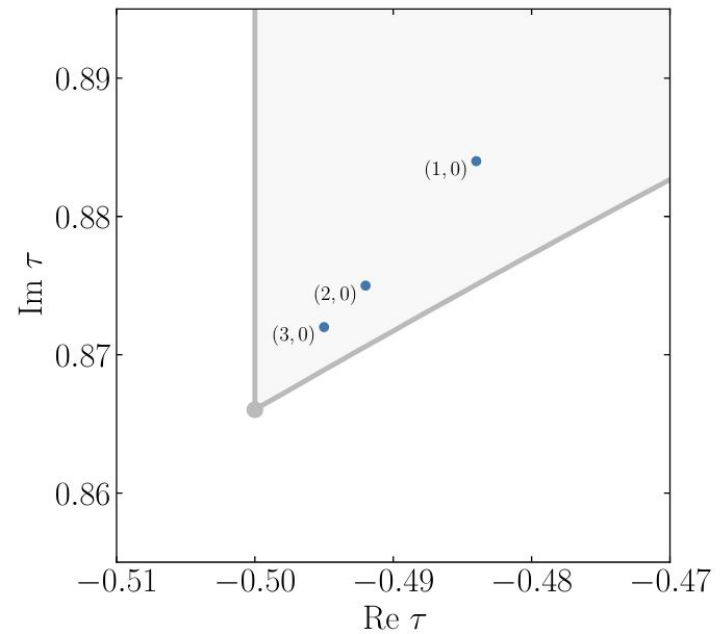
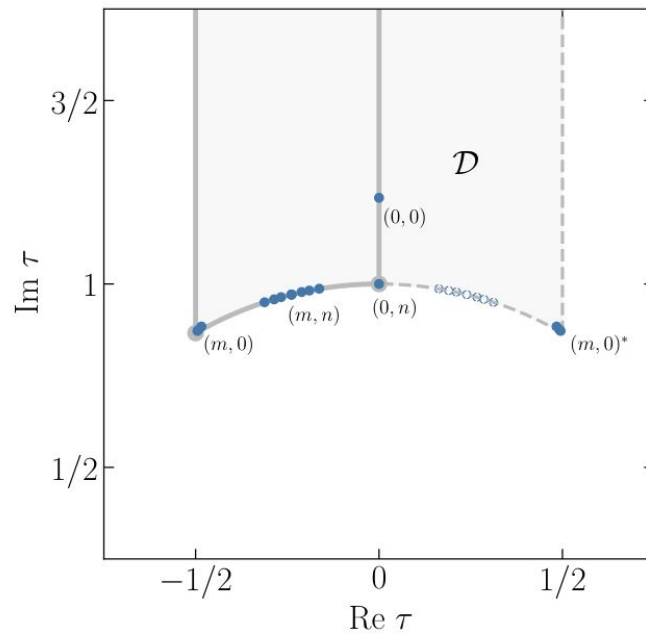


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$(0, n)$ is a single minimum at the symmetric point $\tau = i$ attained when $m = 0, n \neq 0$;

$(m, 0)$ and $(m, 0)^*$ are a pair of degenerate minima for each $m \neq 0$ and $n = 0$: $(m, 0)$ is located in the vicinity of the left cusp $\tau = \omega$, approaching this symmetric point as m increases, while $(m, 0)^*$ is its CP-conjugate;

(m, n) is a series of minima on the unit arc, corresponding to $m \neq 0, n \neq 0$; these minima shift towards $\tau = \omega$ ($\tau = i$) along the arc as m (n) grows.

The $(m,0)$ family of potentials

- u -expand $(m,0)$ potentials to analyse them near the left cusp

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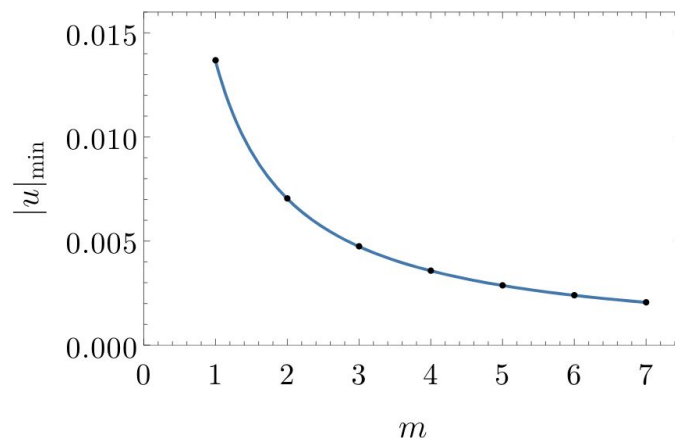
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- Mexican hat potential
(cusp is a maximum!)

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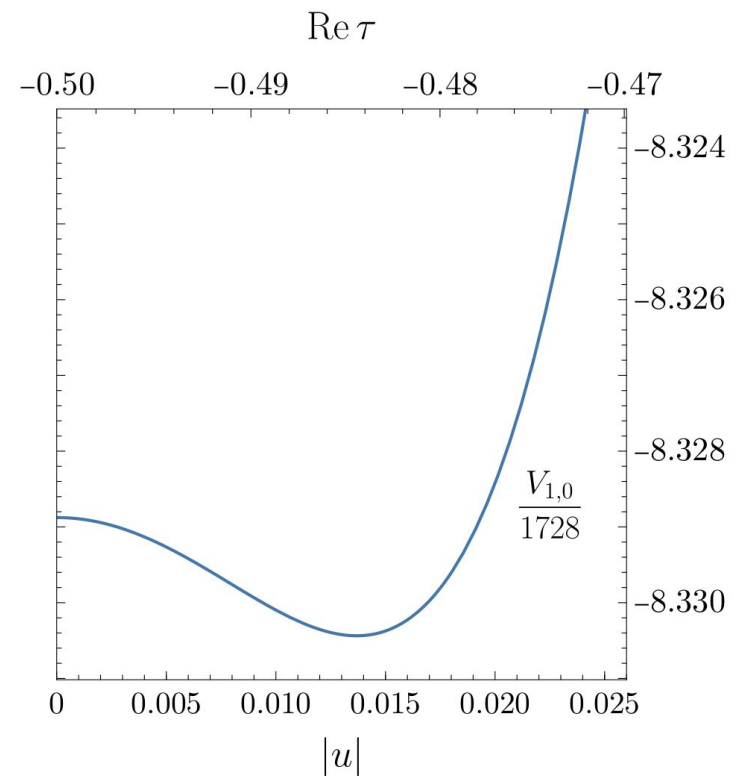
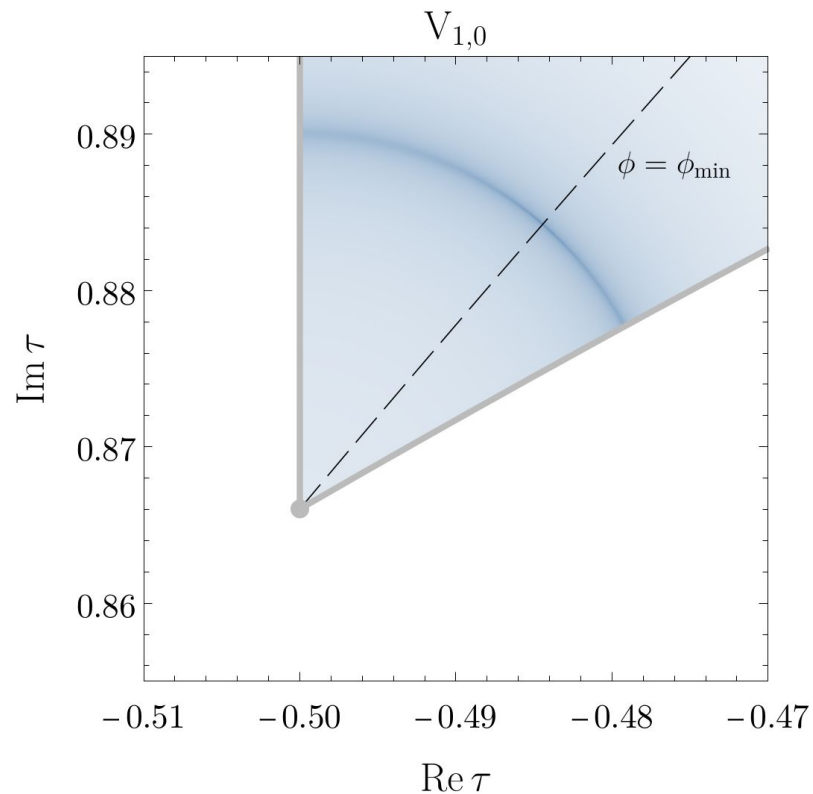
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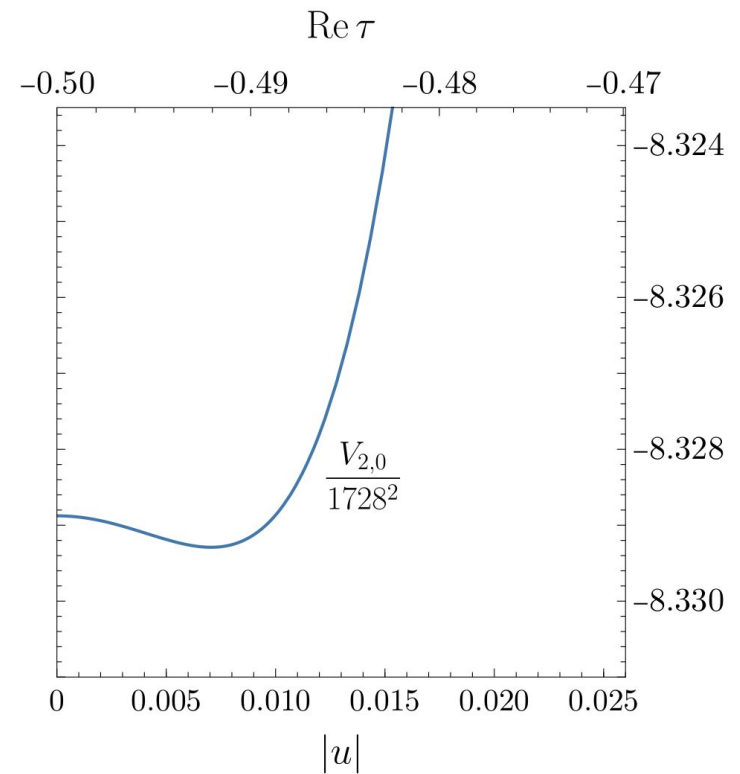
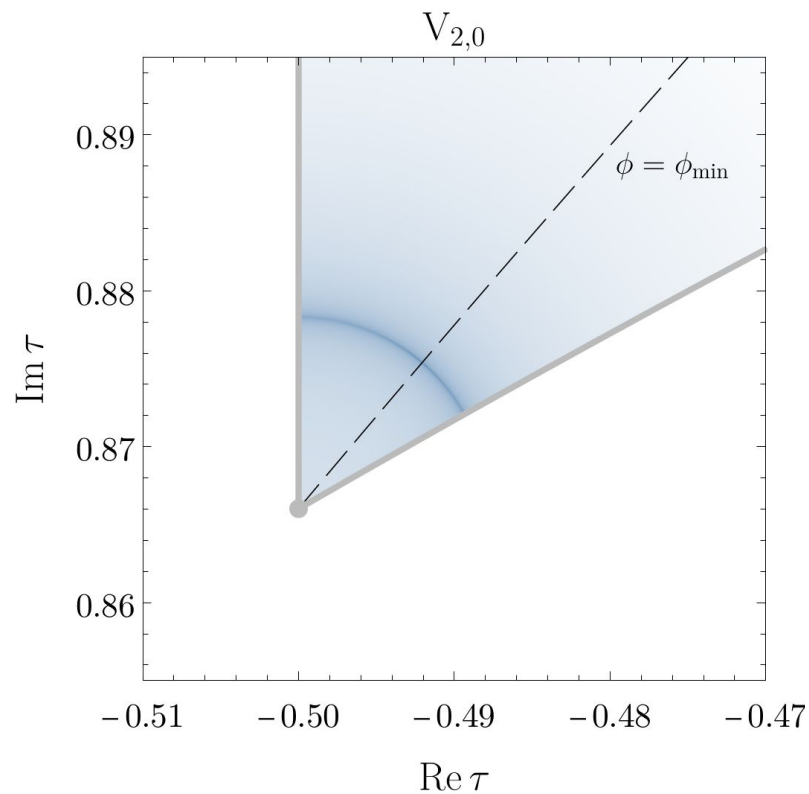
- Phase of u mostly determined by $|u|^6$ and $|u|^7$ terms

$$\phi_{\min} \simeq -\frac{2\pi}{9} = -40^\circ$$

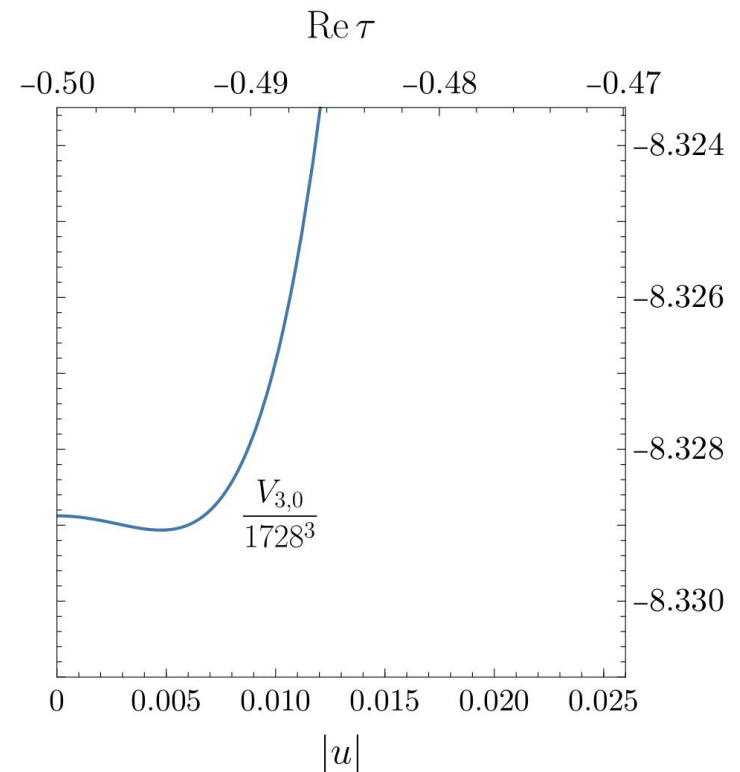
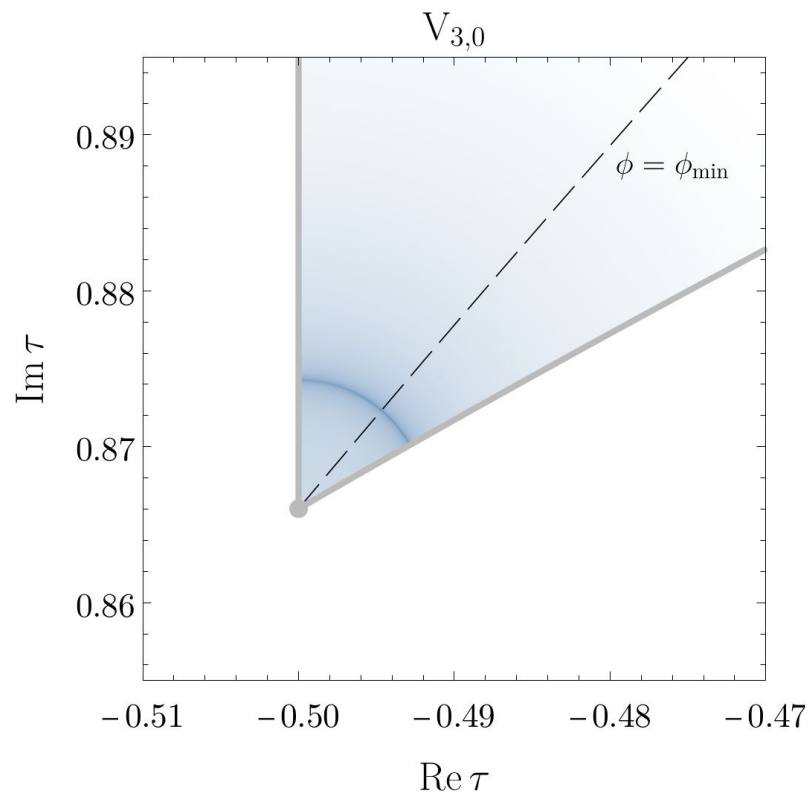
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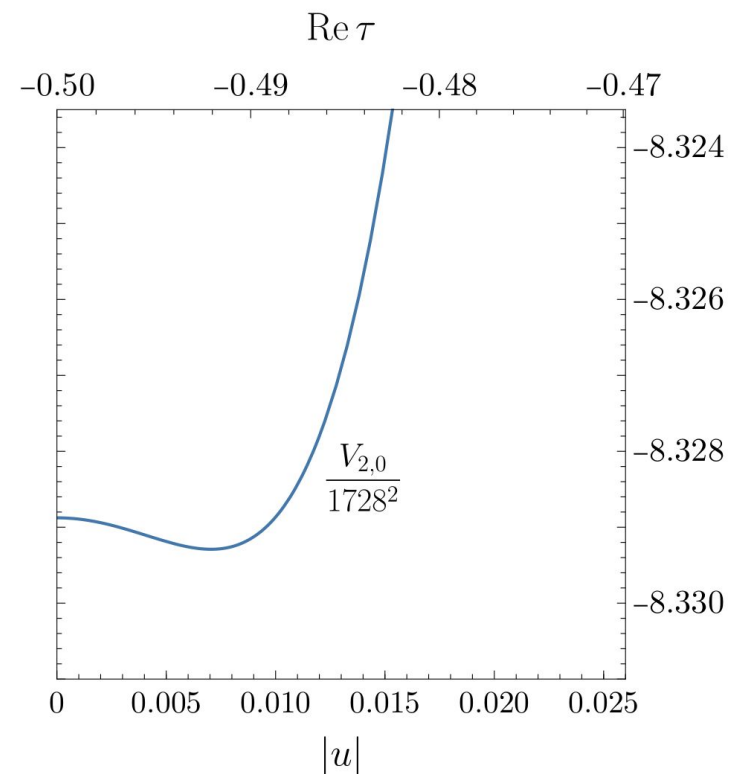
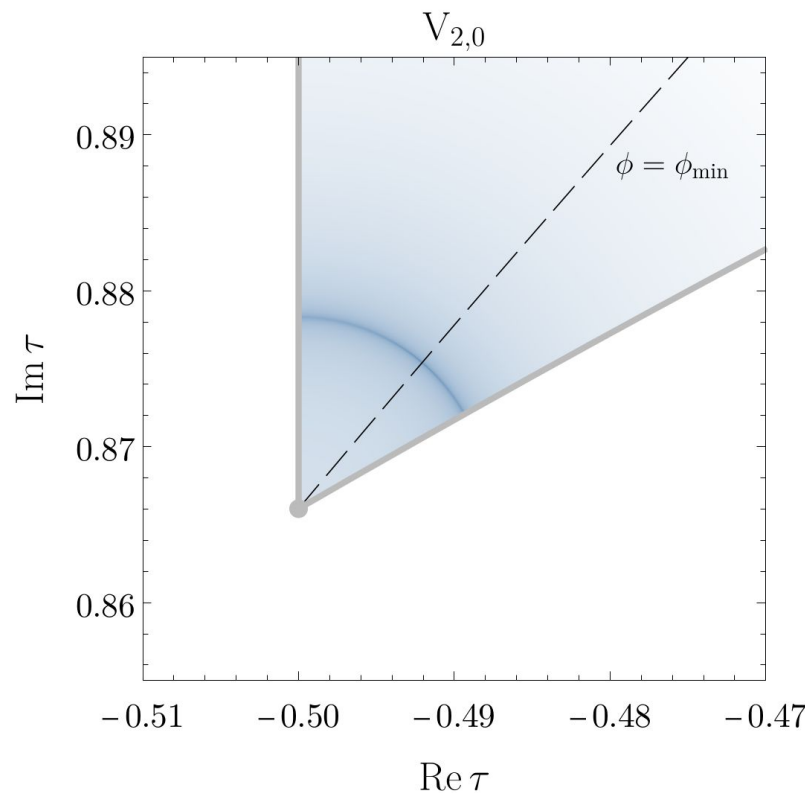
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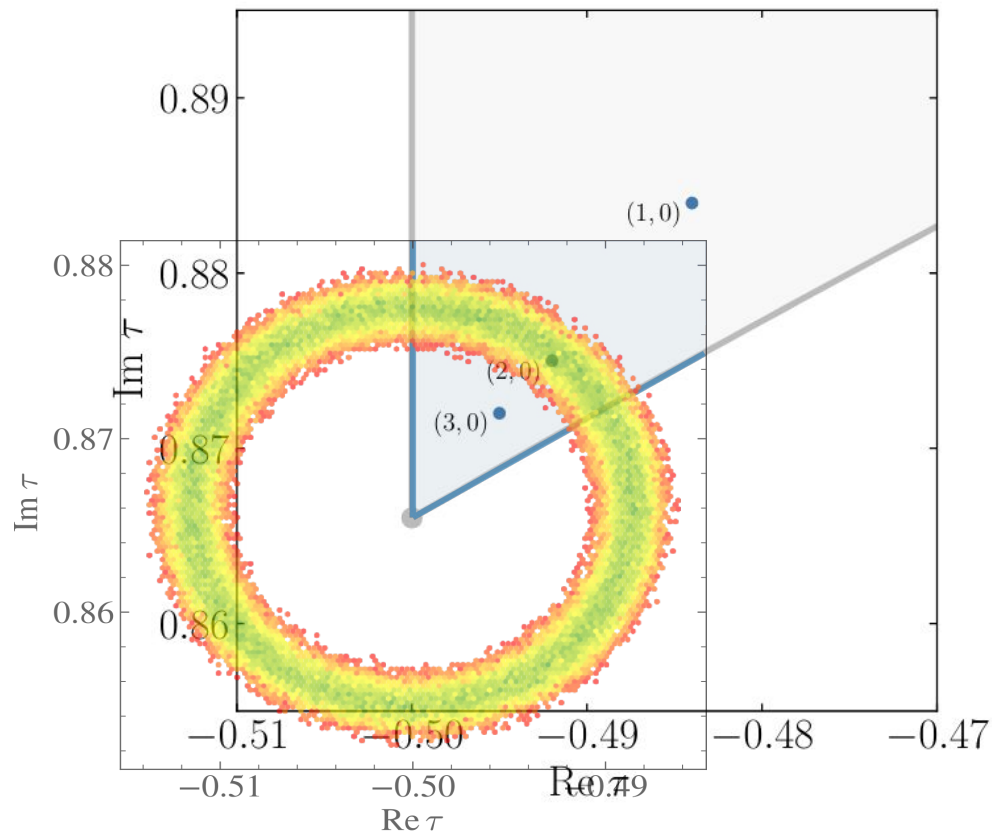


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Matching puzzle pieces?



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The global SUSY limit (a comment)

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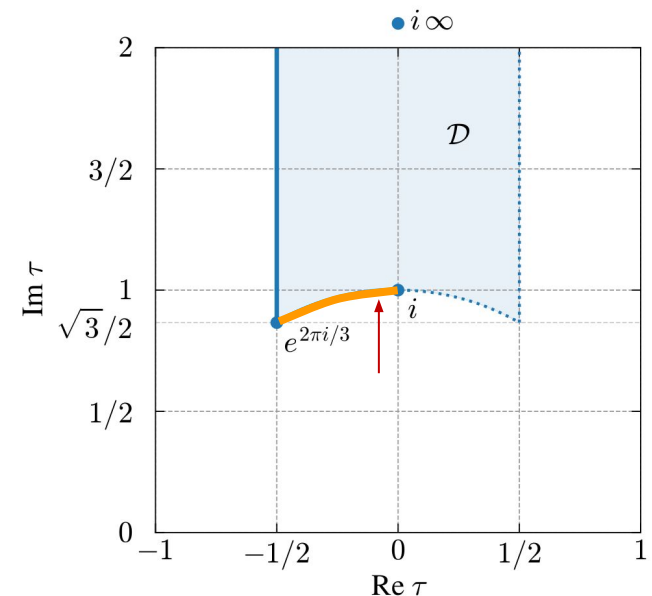
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- Global minima are zeros of H'
- non-trivial $\mathcal{P}(j)$ can be engineered to produce minima at arbitrary points in the fundamental domain



Summary II

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- There are simple potentials for modulus stabilisation, which are independent of the level N
- Novel **CP-breaking minima** are found, located **in the vicinity** of (but not directly on) the cusps
- The found deviation $|u|$ matches the BU requirement
“My favourite because it requires no tuning at all”

Vielen Dank!

POSTAMT

Food for thought



Natural normalisation of modular forms?



- Often, several modular multiplets provide **independent contributions** to the mass matrices

$$\begin{aligned}
 W = & \left[\alpha_1 \left(Y_{\mathbf{3}',1}^{(4,6)} E^c L_1 \right)_1 + \alpha_3 \left(Y_{\mathbf{3}',1}^{(4,6)} E^c L_2 \right)_1 + \alpha_4 \left(Y_{\mathbf{3}',2}^{(4,6)} E^c L_2 \right)_1 + \alpha_5 \left(Y_{\mathbf{3}}^{(4,6)} E^c L_3 \right)_1 \right] H_d \\
 & + \left[g_1 \left(Y_{\hat{\mathbf{3}}}^{(4,3)} N^c L_1 \right)_1 + g_2 \left(Y_{\hat{\mathbf{3}}}^{(4,3)} N^c L_2 \right)_1 + g_3 \left(Y_{\hat{\mathbf{3}}'}^{(4,3)} N^c L_3 \right)_1 \right] H_u \\
 & + \Lambda \left(Y_{\mathbf{2}}^{(4,2)} (N^c)^2 \right)_1 .
 \end{aligned}$$

- Modular forms are **arbitrarily normalised**

$$(Y_1, Y_2, Y_3, Y_4, Y_5) \simeq \mathcal{N} \left(-1/\sqrt{6}, q, 3q^2, 4q^3, 7q^4 \right)$$

- Is there a canonical way to fix the magnitude of these normalisations?
Example: build all multiplets from lowest weight one(s) via tensor products, using some “canonically normalized” CGCs (a la Quantum Mechanics)



Larger fundamental domains?

- Despite working with representations of the quotients, our theories are **fully modular invariant**
- To have canonical kinetic terms,

$$\tau \rightarrow \frac{a\tau + b}{c\tau + d} \quad \Rightarrow \quad g_i \rightarrow (c\tau + d)^{-k_{Y_i}} g_i$$

- e.g. in a particular model,

$$\begin{aligned} & (\tau, \beta/\alpha, \gamma/\alpha, g'/g, \dots, \Lambda'/\Lambda, \dots) \rightarrow \\ & \left(\frac{a\tau + b}{c\tau + d}, (c\tau + d)^{-2} \beta/\alpha, (c\tau + d)^{-2} \gamma/\alpha, g'/g, \dots, \Lambda'/\Lambda, \dots \right) \end{aligned}$$

these different parameter sets lead to the same observables

see section 4 of Novichkov, JP, Petcov, Titov, 1811.04933



Universality of simple potential?



Kahler effects on hierarchies?

Backup slides

Decompositions under residual groups: A5'

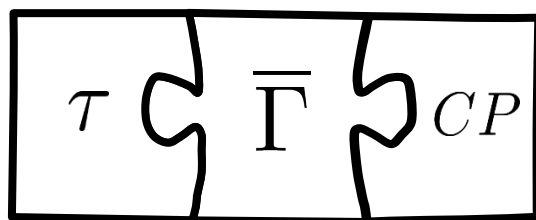
\mathbf{r}	$\mathbb{Z}_4^S (\tau = i)$	$\mathbb{Z}_3^{ST} \times \mathbb{Z}_2^R (\tau = \omega)$	$\mathbb{Z}_5^T \times \mathbb{Z}_2^R (\tau = i\infty)$
1	$\mathbf{1}_k$	$\mathbf{1}_k^\pm$	$\mathbf{1}_0^\pm$
$\hat{\mathbf{2}}$	$\mathbf{1}_{k+1} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+3}$	$\mathbf{1}_{k+1}^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}^\mp$	$\mathbf{1}_2^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_3^\mp$
$\hat{\mathbf{2}}'$	$\mathbf{1}_{k+1} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+3}$	$\mathbf{1}_{k+1}^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}^\mp$	$\mathbf{1}_1^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_4^\mp$
3	$\mathbf{1}_k \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}$	$\mathbf{1}_k^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+1}^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}^\pm$	$\mathbf{1}_0^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_1^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_4^\pm$
$\mathbf{3}'$	$\mathbf{1}_k \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}$	$\mathbf{1}_k^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+1}^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}^\pm$	$\mathbf{1}_0^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_2^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_3^\pm$
4	$\mathbf{1}_k \oplus \mathbf{1}_k \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}$	$\mathbf{1}_k^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_k^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+1}^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}^\pm$	$\mathbf{1}_1^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_2^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_3^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_4^\pm$
$\hat{\mathbf{4}}$	$\mathbf{1}_{k+1} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+1} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+3} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+3}$	$\mathbf{1}_k^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_k^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+1}^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}^\mp$	$\mathbf{1}_1^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_2^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_3^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_4^\mp$
5	$\mathbf{1}_k \oplus \mathbf{1}_k \oplus \mathbf{1}_k \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}$	$\mathbf{1}_k^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+1}^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+1}^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}^\pm$	$\mathbf{1}_0^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_1^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_2^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_3^\pm \oplus \mathbf{1}_4^\pm$
$\hat{\mathbf{6}}$	$\mathbf{1}_{k+1} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+1} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+1} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+3} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+3} \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+3}$	$\mathbf{1}_k^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_k^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+1}^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+1}^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_{k+2}^\mp$	$\mathbf{1}_0^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_0^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_1^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_2^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_3^\mp \oplus \mathbf{1}_4^\mp$

Details of the model fit

Model	Section 4.2 (S'_4)
$\text{Re } \tau$	$-0.496^{+0.009}_{-0.016}$
$\text{Im } \tau$	$0.877^{+0.0023}_{-0.024}$
α_2/α_1	—
α_3/α_1	$2.45^{+0.44}_{-0.42}$
α_4/α_1	$-2.37^{+0.36}_{-0.3}$
α_5/α_1	$1.01^{+0.06}_{-0.06}$
g_2/g_1	$1.5^{+0.15}_{-0.14}$
g_3/g_1	$2.22^{+0.17}_{-0.15}$
$v_d \alpha_1, \text{ GeV}$	$4.61^{+1.32}_{-1.33}$
$v_u^2 g_1/\Lambda, \text{ eV}$	$0.268^{+0.057}_{-0.063}$
$\epsilon(\tau)$	$0.0186^{+0.0028}_{-0.0023}$
CL mass pattern	$(1, \epsilon, \epsilon^2)$
$\max(\text{BG})$	0.848

m_e/m_μ	$0.00475^{+0.00061}_{-0.00052}$
m_μ/m_τ	$0.0556^{+0.0136}_{-0.0116}$
r	$0.0298^{+0.00196}_{-0.0023}$
$\delta m^2, 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$	$7.38^{+0.35}_{-0.44}$
$ \Delta m^2 , 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$	$2.48^{+0.05}_{-0.04}$
$\sin^2 \theta_{12}$	$0.304^{+0.039}_{-0.036}$
$\sin^2 \theta_{13}$	$0.0221^{+0.0019}_{-0.002}$
$\sin^2 \theta_{23}$	$0.539^{+0.0522}_{-0.099}$
$m_1, \text{ eV}$	0
$m_2, \text{ eV}$	$0.0086^{+0.0002}_{-0.00026}$
$m_3, \text{ eV}$	$0.0502^{+0.00046}_{-0.00043}$
$\Sigma_i m_i, \text{ eV}$	$0.0588^{+0.0002}_{-0.0002}$
$ \langle m \rangle , \text{ eV}$	$0.00144^{+0.00035}_{-0.00033}$
δ/π	$1 \pm \mathcal{O}(10^{-6})$
α_{21}/π	0
α_{31}/π	$1 \pm \mathcal{O}(10^{-5})$
$N\sigma$	0.563

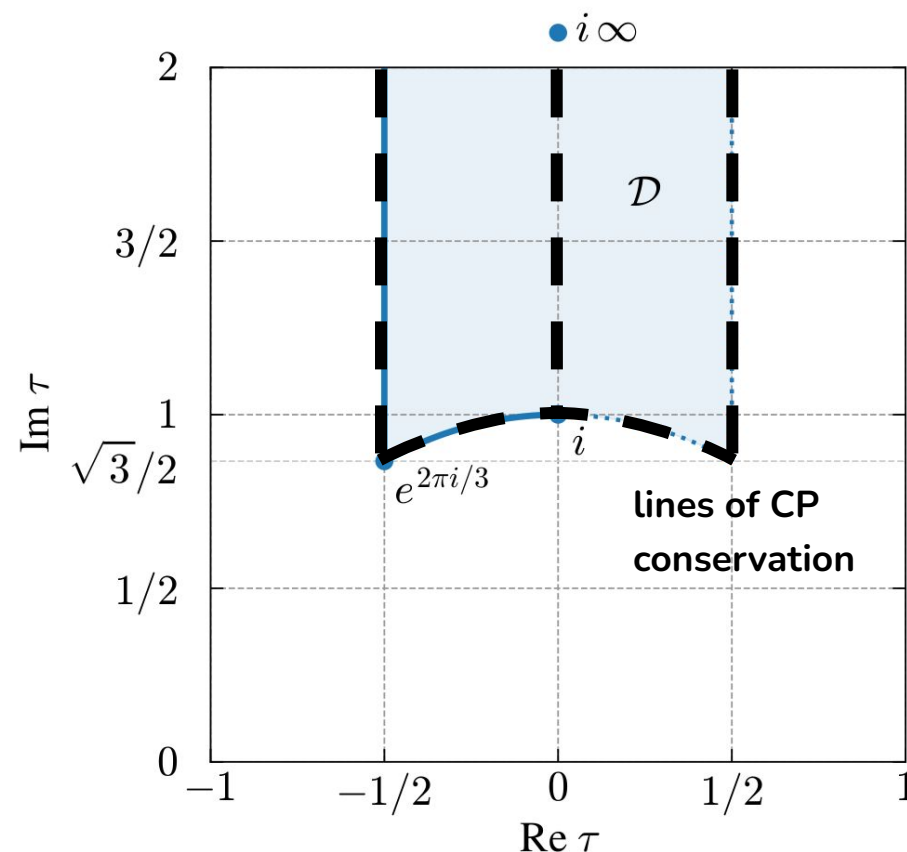
Combining modular and CP symmetries



$$\tau \xrightarrow{CP} -\tau^*$$

$$\psi(x) \xrightarrow{CP} X_{\mathbf{r}}^{CP} \bar{\psi}(x_P)$$

$$Y(\tau) \xrightarrow{CP} X_{\mathbf{r}}^{CP} Y^*(\tau)$$



Constraints on the Kähler potential?

- **Kähler** not constrained by the symmetry.
- Under a modular transformation, invariant up to:

$$K(\chi_i, \bar{\chi}_i; \tau, \bar{\tau}) \rightarrow K(\chi_i, \bar{\chi}_i; \tau, \bar{\tau}) + f(\chi_i; \tau) + f(\bar{\chi}_i; \bar{\tau})$$

- Minimal choice:

$$K(\chi_i, \bar{\chi}_i; \tau, \bar{\tau}) = -h \Lambda_0^2 \log(-i(\tau - \bar{\tau})) + \sum_i \frac{|\chi_i|^2}{(-i(\tau - \bar{\tau}))^{k_i}}$$

should be justified from the top-down

Chen, Ramos-Sánchez and Ratz, 1909.06910

- Further constraints may arise from combining modular group + traditional finite flavour symmetry

Nilles, Ramos-Sanchez, Vaudrevange, 2004.05200



SUSY breaking effects?



- **RGEs & threshold corrections** need to be considered, depend on $\tan \beta$ and unknown SUSY spectrum
- **SUSY-breaking** corrections can be made negligible via separation of scales (power counting argument)
- Under reasonable conditions, predictions may be unaffected

Feruglio and Criado, 1807.01125

Extrema at $\tau = i, \omega$

Gonzalo, Ibáñez and Uranga, 1812.06520

	$V(T = 1)$	Type of Extrema	H	$\frac{dH}{dT}$	SUSY
$m > 1$	$V = 0$	Min	0	0	Yes
$m = 1$	$\frac{1}{T_I^3 \eta ^{12}} \left\{ a ^2 C ^2 \right\} > 0$	Max $-2.57 < \frac{H'''}{H'} < -1.57$ SP $\frac{H'''}{H'} < -2.57$ or $\frac{H'''}{H'} > -1.57$	0	$\neq 0$	No
$m = 0$	$\propto \frac{ P(0) ^2}{T_I^3 \eta ^{12}} \{-3\} < 0$	Min $\left \frac{H''}{H} + 1.19 \right > \frac{3}{2}$ Max $-\frac{3}{4} < \frac{H''}{H} + 1.19 < \frac{3}{4}$ SP (Saddle Point) if else	$\neq 0$	0	Yes

Table 2. Classification of the extrema found at $T = i$.

	$V(T = \rho)$	Type of Extrema	H	$\frac{dH}{dT}$	SUSY
$n > 1$	$V = 0$	Minimum	0	0	Yes
$n = 1$	$\frac{1}{ \eta ^{12}} \left\{ \frac{4}{3} \mathcal{P}(1728) ^2 D ^2 \right\} > 0$	Maximum	0	$\neq 0$	No
$n = 0$	$\propto \frac{1728^m \mathcal{P}(1728) ^2}{T_I^3 \eta ^{12}} \{-3\} < 0$	Maximum	$\neq 0$	0	Yes

Table 3. Classification of the extrema found at $T = \rho$.

No, there is no tuning in choosing this form of the superpotential (arguably)

$$H(\tau) \propto (J(\tau) - 1)^{m/2}$$

Subset of all possible $H(\tau)$ which vanish only at the symmetric point $\tau=i$ (itself distinguished by modular symmetry)

$$J(\tau) \equiv j(\tau)/1728$$