Phenomenological aspects of modular symmetry

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SMEFT with modular symmetry Kobayashi, Otsuka, Tanimoto, KY 2204.12325

Baryon/Lepton-number violating operator

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Summary



Flavor mixing puzzle



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Discrete symmetry has been studied well to describe large mixing angle in neutrino





Modular group often appears in the superstring theory

Compactification of the superstring theory

2D torus (T^2) is equivalent parallelogram with identification



supermeinget 4D effective Langrahiging fishing integra 2D torus × 3-6D.

 $C = \int A4 \sqrt{A6} \sqrt{C}$ Two dimensional torus is characterized by modulu: 2D torus (T^2) is equivalent to parallelogram with identification of confronted sides $T^2 = \int \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{C} \sqrt{C}$

 $\begin{pmatrix} \alpha_2 \\ \alpha'_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \sigma \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_2 \\ \alpha_1 \end{pmatrix}$



$$S: \tau \to -\frac{1}{\tau} \qquad T: \tau \to \tau + 1$$

Modular group
$$\Gamma \simeq \{S, T | S^2 = \mathbb{I}, (ST)^3 = \mathbb{I}\}$$

$$\Gamma_N \simeq \{S, T | S^2 = \mathbb{I}, (ST)^3 = \mathbb{I}, T^N = \mathbb{I}\}$$



$$N = 2$$
 $\Gamma_2 \simeq S_3$ $N = 3$ $\Gamma_3 \simeq A_4$ $N = 4$ $\Gamma_4 \simeq S_4$ $N = 5$ $\Gamma_5 \simeq A_5$

IOD Superstring theory

Compactification 4D our universe + 2D torus × 3

4D theory (SUSY) Γ_N symmetry (modular)

Expectation value of modulus τ breaks the symmetry

Low scale phenomenology

SUSY breaking terms are invariant (covariant) under modular transformation in moduli-mediated SUSY breaking scenario T. Kobayashi, H. Otsuka [2108.02700]

We can consider modular invariant SMEFT ($\mu_{EW} < \mu < \mu_{NP}$) by supposing modular forms to be *spurion*

 \rightarrow see Ajdin's talk

A₄ symmetry

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| k | 2 | (0, 0, 0) | 0 | 2 | k_i : m |

modular form

k_i : modular weights

Effective theories with Γ_N symmetry

modular form

 $\mathscr{L}_{\text{eff}} \operatorname{\textbf{Dotable}}(J)$

Holomorphic functions which

transform under modular trans., are

called modular for the weights (Th Theis, Ph Physelete B 223, 24, 1989)

$$Y_{\mu}(p) \rightarrow ((c(\tau,\tau)) + (c(\tau,\tau)) + (c(\tau,\tau))$$

 $\alpha(f(-)) = \alpha(f(-)) \mathbf{I}(k_{1}, f(\alpha)) f(-)$

 $\Gamma_{\cdot}\Gamma_{N}$

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$$\phi^{(I)} \to (c\tau + d)^{-k_I} \rho^{(I)}(\gamma) \phi^{(I)}$$

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Effective theories with Γ_N symmetry

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Holomorphic functions which transform under modular trans., are called modular form with weight k

$$Y(\tau) \to (c\tau + d)^k \int_{\mathcal{F}} \frac{f_i(\tau) \phi^{(I)} \phi^{(J)} H}{f_i(\tau) \phi^{(J)}} H$$

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k

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modular form

 \mathscr{L}_{eff} **Double \psi** $\mathcal{L} \phi$ $\mathcal{$

weight k for modular form: even for Γ_N

weight *k_I* for matter fields: <u>S</u>. Ferrara, D, Lust, A no restriction on the possible value, a priori

$$Y(\tau) \to (c\tau + d)^k f_i(\tau) \phi^{(I)} \phi^{(J)} H$$

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A4 modular symmetry

The holomorphic and anti-holomorphic modular forms with weight 2 compose the A_4 triplet

$$Y_{\mathbf{3}}^{(2)}(\tau) = \begin{pmatrix} Y_1(\tau) \\ Y_2(\tau) \\ Y_3(\tau) \end{pmatrix}, \qquad \overline{Y_{\mathbf{3}}^{(2)}(\tau)} \equiv Y_{\mathbf{3}}^{(2)*}(\tau) = \begin{pmatrix} Y_1^*(\tau) \\ Y_3^*(\tau) \\ Y_2^*(\tau) \end{pmatrix}$$

Y_i (*i*=1,2,3) is a function of the modulus τ

$$\begin{pmatrix} Y_1(\tau) \\ Y_2(\tau) \\ Y_3(\tau) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1+12q+36q^2+12q^3+\dots \\ -6q^{1/3}(1+7q+8q^2+\dots) \\ -18q^{2/3}(1+2q+5q^2+\dots) \end{pmatrix} \qquad q = e^{2\pi i \tau}$$

Once τ is determined, the Yukawa is fixed

Modular forms with higher weights k=4, 6 ... are constructed by them

$\simeq \{S, T | S^2 = \mathbb{I}, (ST)^3 = \mathbb{I}, T^N = \mathbb{I}\}$ A4 modular symmetry

Modular symmetry is broken once τ is fixed

<u>Fixed point for τ </u> from the view point of the vacuum stability study



At exact fixed point, CP is not violated \rightarrow need small deviation from these point : $\tau = (\text{fixed point}) + \epsilon$

phenomenologically $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon) \sim 10^{-2}$



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Modular symmetry in SMEFT

String Ansatz

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n-point couplings yⁿ of matter fields are written by products of 3-point couplings



String compactifications leads to 4-dim low energy field theories with the specific structure



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pheno. study

 $(g-2)_{\mu}$, Lepton flavor violation, EDM

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 $[\bar{L}_R L_L] \\ A_4: \quad \{1, 1'', 1'\} \otimes 3 \\ k_I: \quad 0 \quad -2$

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invariant



$$\begin{split} [\bar{L}_R \otimes Y(\tau) \otimes L_L]_1 &= \alpha_e \ \bar{e}_R \otimes (Y_1 e_L + Y_2 \tau_L + Y_3 \mu_L)_1 + \beta_e \ \bar{\mu}_R \otimes (Y_2 \mu_L + Y_1 \tau_L + Y_3 e_L)_{1''} \\ &+ \gamma_e \ \bar{\tau}_R \otimes (Y_3 \tau_L + Y_1 \mu_L + Y_2 e_L)_{1'} \\ &= (\bar{e}_R, \bar{\mu}_R, \bar{\tau}_R) \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_e & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \beta_e & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \gamma_e \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} Y_1(\tau) & Y_3(\tau) & Y_2(\tau) \\ Y_2(\tau) & Y_1(\tau) & Y_3(\tau) \\ Y_3(\tau) & Y_2(\tau) & Y_1(\tau) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e_L \\ \mu_L \\ \tau_L \end{pmatrix} \end{split}$$

Same structure with mass matrix :

$$M_{e} = v_{d} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_{e(m)} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \beta_{e(m)} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \gamma_{e(m)} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} Y_{1}(\tau) & Y_{3}(\tau) & Y_{2}(\tau) \\ Y_{2}(\tau) & Y_{1}(\tau) & Y_{3}(\tau) \\ Y_{3}(\tau) & Y_{2}(\tau) & Y_{1}(\tau) \end{pmatrix}_{RL}$$

if virtual mode is only higgs

 $\begin{array}{l} \Phi_i \\ \gamma_{ijm}^{(3)} & h \end{array} \propto Yukawa \qquad \qquad \alpha_e = c\alpha_{e(m)}, \ \beta_e = c\beta_{e(m)}, \ \gamma_e = c\gamma_{e(m)} \\ \Phi_j & \rightarrow \text{ no flavor changing like } \mu \to e \end{array}$

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if there are additional unknown modes (e.g. multi Higgs modes)

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 $(g-2)_{\mu}$, Lepton flavor violation, EDM

at $\tau = i$ (S symmetry); Diagonalization

Results of $(\overline{L}R)$ structure in interaction basis

$$\begin{split} & \begin{array}{c|c} \hline RL & \mu_R \Gamma \tau_L & \bar{e}_R \Gamma \tau_L & \bar{e}_R \Gamma \mu_L \\ \hline LR & \mu_L \Gamma \tau_R & \bar{e}_L \Gamma \tau_R & \bar{e}_L \Gamma \mu_R \\ \hline & \bar{\mu}_L \Gamma \tau_R & \bar{e}_L \Gamma \mu_R \\ \hline & \bar{e}_L \Gamma \mu_R \\ \hline$$

Mass eigenstate basis at $\tau = i$ and $\tau = i + \epsilon$

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Mass eigenstate basis at $\tau = i$ and $\tau = i + \epsilon$

| $\bar{\mu}_R \Gamma \tau_L$ | $ar{e}_R \Gamma 	au_L$ | $\bar{e}_R \Gamma \mu_L$ |
|--|---|---|
| $ar{\mu}_L \Gamma 	au_R$ | $ar{e}_L\Gamma	au_R$ | $ar{e}_L\Gamma\mu_R$ |
| $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}(\tilde{\alpha}_e + 2s^e_{R23}\tilde{\gamma}_e)$ | $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}(\tilde{\beta}_{e} - s^{e}_{12R}\tilde{\alpha}_{e} + 2(s^{e}_{R13} - s^{e}_{R12}s^{e}_{R23})\tilde{\gamma}_{e})$ | $\frac{\frac{3}{2}(\tilde{\beta}_e + s^e_{12R}\tilde{\alpha}_e)}{\mathbf{V}}$ |
| $(\sqrt{3}s^{e}_{23L} + s^{e}_{12L} \epsilon^*_1)\tilde{\gamma}_e - \frac{3}{2}s^{e}_{R23}\tilde{\alpha}_e$ | $(\sqrt{3}s^e_{13L} + \epsilon^*_1)\tilde{\gamma}_e$ | $\frac{1}{2}(3s_{12L}^e - \sqrt{3}s_{13L}^e + 2 \epsilon_1^*)\tilde{\alpha}_e$ |

$$s_{L12}^{e} \simeq -|\epsilon_{1}^{*}|, \qquad s_{L23}^{e} \simeq -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \frac{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}^{2}}{\tilde{\gamma}_{e(m)}^{2}}, \qquad s_{L13}^{e} \simeq -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} |\epsilon_{1}^{*}|, \\ s_{R12}^{e} \simeq -\frac{\tilde{\beta}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}}, \qquad s_{R23}^{e} \simeq -\frac{1}{2} \frac{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\gamma}_{e(m)}}, \qquad s_{R13}^{e} \simeq -\frac{1}{2} \frac{\tilde{\beta}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\gamma}_{e(m)}}, \\ \tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)} = (6 - 3\sqrt{3}) Y_{1}(i) \alpha_{e(m)}, \quad \tilde{\beta}_{e(m)} = (6 - 3\sqrt{3}) Y_{1}(i) \beta_{e(m)} \text{ and } \quad \tilde{\gamma}_{e(m)} = (6 - 3\sqrt{3}) Y_{1}(i) \gamma_{e(m)}$$

parameters: modulus τ , small deviation from fixed point ϵ_1 , coefficients $\alpha_e, \beta_e, \gamma_e$

Best fit values of parameters in A4 modular invariant model to realize lepton mass matrix, neutrino data *Okada and Tanimoto*[2012.01688]

$$\tau = -0.080 + 1.007 \, i \,, \quad |\epsilon_1| = 0.165 \,, \quad \frac{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\gamma}_{e(m)}} \simeq \frac{\tilde{\alpha}_e}{\tilde{\gamma}_e} = 6.82 \times 10^{-2} \,, \quad \frac{\tilde{\beta}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}} \simeq \frac{\tilde{\beta}_e}{\tilde{\alpha}_e} = 1.50 \times 10^{-2} \,.$$

\rightarrow predict flavor observables

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Lepton dipole operator



 $(g-2)_{\mu} \& \mu \to e\gamma$



$$(g-2)_{\mu} \& \mu \to e\gamma$$

Wilson coefficients in A4 modular symmetry in mass basis

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}'_{ee} &= 3\left(1-\sqrt{3}\right)\tilde{\beta}_{e}|\epsilon_{1}^{*}|\,, \qquad \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}'_{\mu\mu} = \frac{3}{2}\left(1-\sqrt{3}\right)\tilde{\alpha}_{e}\,, \qquad \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}'_{\tau\tau} = \sqrt{3}\left(1-\sqrt{3}\right)\tilde{\gamma}_{e} \qquad \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}'_{LR} \\ \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}'_{\tau\mu} &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\left(1-\sqrt{3}\right)\tilde{\alpha}_{e}\left(1-\frac{\tilde{\gamma}_{e}}{\tilde{\gamma}_{e(m)}}\frac{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\alpha}_{e}}\right)\,, \\ \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}'_{\tau e} &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\left(1-\sqrt{3}\right)\tilde{\beta}_{e}\left(1+\frac{\tilde{\alpha}_{e}}{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}}\frac{\tilde{\beta}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\beta}_{e}}-2\frac{\tilde{\beta}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\beta}_{e}}\frac{\tilde{\gamma}_{e}}{\tilde{\gamma}_{e(m)}}\right) \\ \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}'_{\mu e} &= \frac{3}{2}\left(1-\sqrt{3}\right)\tilde{\beta}_{e}\left(1-\frac{\tilde{\alpha}_{e}}{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}}\frac{\tilde{\beta}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\beta}_{e}}\right)\,, \end{split}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' & \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' & \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' \\ \mathcal{C}_{ee}' & \mathcal{C}_{e\mu}' & \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' \\ \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' & \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' & \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' \\ \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' & \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' & \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' \\ \mathcal{T}_{e}' & \tau_{\mu}' & \tau_{\tau} \end{pmatrix}$$

 $\begin{vmatrix} \frac{\mathcal{C}'_{e\gamma}}{\mathcal{C}'_{e\gamma}}\\ \frac{\mathcal{C}'_{e\gamma}}{\mathcal{C}'_{\mu\mu}} \end{vmatrix} = \frac{\tilde{\beta}_e}{\tilde{\alpha}_e} \begin{vmatrix} 1 - \frac{\tilde{\alpha}_e}{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}} \frac{\tilde{\beta}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\beta}_e} \end{vmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{flavor alignment} \\ < 2.1 \times 10^{-5} \end{vmatrix}$

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$$\left|1 - \frac{\tilde{\alpha}_e}{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}} \frac{\tilde{\beta}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\beta}_e}\right| \simeq |\delta_\beta - \delta_\alpha| < 1.4 \times 10^{-3}$$

without tuning between $\delta_{\alpha,\beta}$, $|\delta_{\alpha}| < \mathcal{O}(10^{-3})$, $|\delta_{\beta}| < \mathcal{O}(10^{-3})$

LFV
$$\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma \& \tau \rightarrow e \gamma \& \mu \rightarrow e \gamma$$

Wilson coefficients in A4 modular symmetry in mass basis

$$\begin{aligned} \text{coefficients in A4 modular symmetry in mass basis} \\ \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' = 3 (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\beta}_{e} |\epsilon_{1}^{*}|, \quad \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' = \frac{3}{2} (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\alpha}_{e}, \quad \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' = \sqrt{3} (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\gamma}_{e} \qquad \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' = \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' \quad \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' \quad \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' \\ \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' = \frac{3}{2} (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\alpha}_{e} \left(1 - \frac{\tilde{\gamma}_{e}}{\tilde{\gamma}_{e(m)}} \frac{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\alpha}_{e}}\right), \\ \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\alpha}_{e} \left(1 + \frac{\tilde{\alpha}_{e}}{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}} \frac{\tilde{\beta}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\beta}_{e}} - 2 \frac{\tilde{\beta}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\beta}_{e}} \frac{\tilde{\gamma}_{e}}{\tilde{\gamma}_{e(m)}}\right) \\ \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' = \frac{3}{2} (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\beta}_{e} \left(1 - \frac{\tilde{\alpha}_{e}}{\tilde{\alpha}_{e(m)}} \frac{\tilde{\beta}_{e(m)}}{\tilde{\beta}_{e}}\right), \end{aligned}$$

the case that the additional unknown mode is the Higgs-like mode $(\delta_{\alpha} \sim \delta_{\beta} \sim \delta_{\gamma})$

$$\frac{\mathcal{C}'_{\frac{e\gamma}{\tau_e}}}{\mathcal{C}'_{\frac{\mu}{\mu_e}}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \times \mathcal{O}(1) \qquad \qquad \frac{\mathcal{C}'_{\frac{e\gamma}{\tau_e}}}{\mathcal{C}'_{\frac{e\gamma}{\tau_\mu}}} = \frac{\tilde{\beta}_e}{\tilde{\alpha}_e} \times \mathcal{O}(1) \sim 10^{-2}$$

$$\mathsf{BR}(\tau \to \mu \gamma) \gg \mathsf{BR}(\mu \to e \gamma) \thicksim \mathsf{BR}(\tau \to e \gamma)$$

e.g. U(2) case $BR(\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma) \gg BR(\mu \rightarrow e \gamma) \gg BR(\tau \rightarrow e \gamma)$

LFV
$$\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma \& \tau \rightarrow e \gamma \& \mu \rightarrow e \gamma$$

Wilson coefficients in A4 modular symmetry in mass basis

$$\begin{aligned} \text{coefficients in A4 modular symmetry in mass basis} \\ \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' = 3 (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\beta}_{e} |\epsilon_{1}^{*}|, \quad \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' = \frac{3}{2} (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\alpha}_{e}, \quad \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' = \sqrt{3} (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\gamma}_{e} \qquad \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' = \mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}' \quad \mathcal{C}_{e$$

the case that the additional unknown mode is the Higgs-like mode $(\delta_{\alpha} \sim \delta_{\beta} \sim \delta_{\gamma})$

$$\frac{\mathcal{C}'_{\frac{e\gamma}{\tau_e}}}{\mathcal{C}'_{\frac{e\gamma}{\mu_e}}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \times \mathcal{O}(1) \qquad \qquad \frac{\mathcal{C}'_{\frac{e\gamma}{\tau_e}}}{\mathcal{C}'_{\frac{e\gamma}{\tau_\mu}}} = \frac{\tilde{\beta}_e}{\tilde{\alpha}_e} \times \mathcal{O}(1) \sim 10^{-2}$$

 $BR(\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma) \gg BR(\mu \rightarrow e \gamma) \sim BR(\tau \rightarrow e \gamma)$

Since the present upper bounds of $B(\tau \rightarrow e\gamma)$ and $B(\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma)$ are 3.3 × 10⁻⁸ and 4.4 × 10⁻⁸, respectively, we expect the experimental test of this prediction for $\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma$ in the future

EDM d_{ρ} & $(g-2)_{\mu}$



EDM
$$d_e \& (g-2)_{\mu} \& \mu \rightarrow e\gamma$$

electron EDM d_e

$$(g-2)_{\mu} \text{ with coupling relation}$$
in A4 modular sym.
$$\frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \text{Im} \bigotimes_{ee}^{e} < 1.6 \times 10^{-12} \text{ TeV}^{-2}$$

$$\frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \text{Re} \bigotimes_{ee}^{e} = 4.9 \times 10^{-8} \text{ TeV}^{-2}$$

$$\lim_{ee}^{e} \bigotimes_{ee}^{e} \simeq (\text{Im} \delta_{\beta}) < \frac{1.6 \times 10^{-12}}{4.9 \times 10^{-8}} = 3.3 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\mathcal{C}_{ee}^{e} = 3 (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\beta}_e |\epsilon_1^*| = 3 (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\beta}_{e(m)} (1 + \delta_{\beta}) |\epsilon_1^*|$$

$$\text{Im} [\mathcal{C}_{ee}^{e}] \simeq 3 (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\beta}_{e(m)} (\text{Im} \delta_{\beta}) |\epsilon_1^*|, \quad \mathcal{C}_{ee}^{e} \simeq \frac{3}{2} (1 - \sqrt{3}) \tilde{\beta}_{e(m)} (\delta_{\beta} - \delta_{\alpha})$$
suppose
$$|\text{Im} \delta_{\beta}| \simeq |\delta_{\beta}| \text{ and } |\delta_{\alpha}| \simeq |\delta_{\beta}| (\text{ or } |\delta_{\alpha}| \ll |\delta_{\beta}|)$$

Upper bound for B($\mu \rightarrow {\rm e}\gamma) ~~ \mathcal{B}(\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+\gamma) < 2.3 \times 10^{-16}$



Phenomenological aspects

SMEFT with modular symmetry Kobayashi, Otsuka, Tanimoto, KY 2204.12325

Baryon/Lepton-number violating operator

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Summary



interactions \rightarrow Proton decay



 \rightarrow assume R-parity

B/L num. violating ope. can be forbidden by modular symmetry

Yukawa/Higher-dim. ops. : even-modular weights $(k_Y \in 2Z)$

modular form $f_i(\gamma \tau) = (c\tau + d)^k \rho_{ij}(\gamma) f_j(\tau)$ ρ : unitaly matrix

for S transformation $f_i(S^2\tau) = (-1)^k \rho_{ij}(S^2) f_j(\tau)$

$$(-1)^k \rho(S^2) = \mathbb{I}.$$
 (i) $k = \text{even}, \quad \rho(S^2) = \mathbb{I}, \text{ i.e., } \rho \in \Gamma_N,$
(ii) $k = \text{odd}, \quad \rho(S^2) = -\mathbb{I}, \text{ i.e., } \rho \in \Gamma'_N$

focus on Γ_N rather than its double cover Γ'_N

Superpotential $W = \sum_{n} Y_{I_{1}\cdots I_{n}}(\tau) \Phi_{I_{1}} \cdots \Phi_{I_{N}}$ Modular trf.: $\tau \rightarrow \gamma \tau = \frac{p\tau + q}{s\tau + t}$ Yukawa/Higher-dim.: Matters ϕ_{i} : (Modular wegiths (k_{i})) $Y(\tau) \rightarrow (s\tau + t)^{k_{Y}} \rho(\gamma) Y(\tau)$ $\phi_{i} \rightarrow (s\tau + t)^{-k_{i}} \rho_{i}(\gamma) \phi_{i}$

Modular invariance requires

modular weight
$$k_Y = \sum_i k_i$$

Superpotential in MSSM

 $W = y_{ij}^u Q_i H_u \overline{U}_j + y_{ij}^d Q_i H_d \overline{D}_j + y_{ij}^\ell L_i H_d \overline{E}_j + y_{ij}^n L_i H_u N_j + m_{ij}^n N_i N_j + \mu H_u H_d$

holomorphic modular forms of even modular weight chiral supermultiplets (Q,U,D,L,E,N,H) have integer modular weight k

modular invariance $k_Y = \sum_i k_i$ $k_i : modular weight$ $k_y^u - k_Q - k_{U,D} - k_{Higgs} = 0$ $k_y^d - k_Q - k_{U,D} - k_{Higgs} = 0$ $k^m - 2k_N = 0$ $k_y^\ell - k_L - k_{E,N} - k_{Higgs} = 0$ $k_\mu - 2k_{Higgs} = 0$ $k_y^n - k_L - k_{E,N} - k_{Higgs} = 0$ arrive at two constraints :

$$k_Q + k_{U,D} + k_{\text{Higgs}} = \text{even}$$

 $k_L + k_{E,N} + k_{\text{Higgs}} = \text{even}$

Higher-dim. ops. : even-modular weights → operator with even-modular weights : √

When k_{Higgs} is even weight $(k_Q, k_{U,D}, k_L, k_{E,N}, k_{\text{Higgs}})$

(i) Others are even \rightarrow B/L breaking

(ii) k_Q , $k_{U,D}$ is odd, k_L , $k_{E,N}$ is even \rightarrow L breaking $\checkmark: k_L + k_Q + k_D = even + odd + odd = even$ $\times: k_U + k_D + k_D = odd + odd = odd$

(iii) $k_Q, k_{U,D}$ is even, $k_L, k_{E,N}$ is odd \rightarrow B breaking

(iv) Others are odd \rightarrow B/L breaking are prohibited

→Realization of R-parity(Z2 sym) Possible in SU(5), SO(10) GUTs

| | (i) | (ii) | (iii) | (iv) |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Yukawa | \checkmark | \checkmark | \checkmark | \checkmark |
| $H_u H_d$ | \checkmark | \checkmark | \checkmark | \checkmark |
| LH_u | \checkmark | \checkmark | | |
| $LLar{E}$ | \checkmark | \checkmark | | |
| $LQ\bar{D}$ | \checkmark | \checkmark | | |
| $\bar{U}\bar{D}\bar{D}$ | \checkmark | | \checkmark | |
| QQQL | \checkmark | | | \checkmark |
| $\bar{U}\bar{U}\bar{D}\bar{E}$ | \checkmark | | | \checkmark |
| $QQQH_d$ | \checkmark | | \checkmark | |
| $Q\bar{U}\bar{E}H_d$ | \checkmark | \checkmark | | |
| LH _u LH _u | \checkmark | \checkmark | \checkmark | \checkmark |
| $LH_uH_dH_u$ | \checkmark | \checkmark | | |
| $\bar{U}\bar{D}^*\bar{E}$ | \checkmark | \checkmark | | |
| $H_u^*H_d\bar{E}$ | \checkmark | \checkmark | | |
| $Q\bar{U}L^*$ | \checkmark | \checkmark | | |
| $QQ\bar{D}^*$ | \checkmark | | \checkmark | |

B and/or L violating operator

Summary

Flavor puzzle (mass and mixing in quark and lepton) might be controlled by flavor symmetry

→ Modular flavor symmetry

Discrete symmetry \simeq Modular symmetry

We discuss pheno aspects from Modular flavor symmetry

- with SMEFT, predict Lepton flavor observables
- Baryon/Lepton-number violating operator can be controlled with modular weight

Approach to other models with $S_4, A_5 \dots$

to other flavor phenomena in the quark sector $b \rightarrow s \gamma \dots$