

# String Pheno @ IBS Daejeon

Quark and lepton hierarchies  
from S4' modular flavor symmetry

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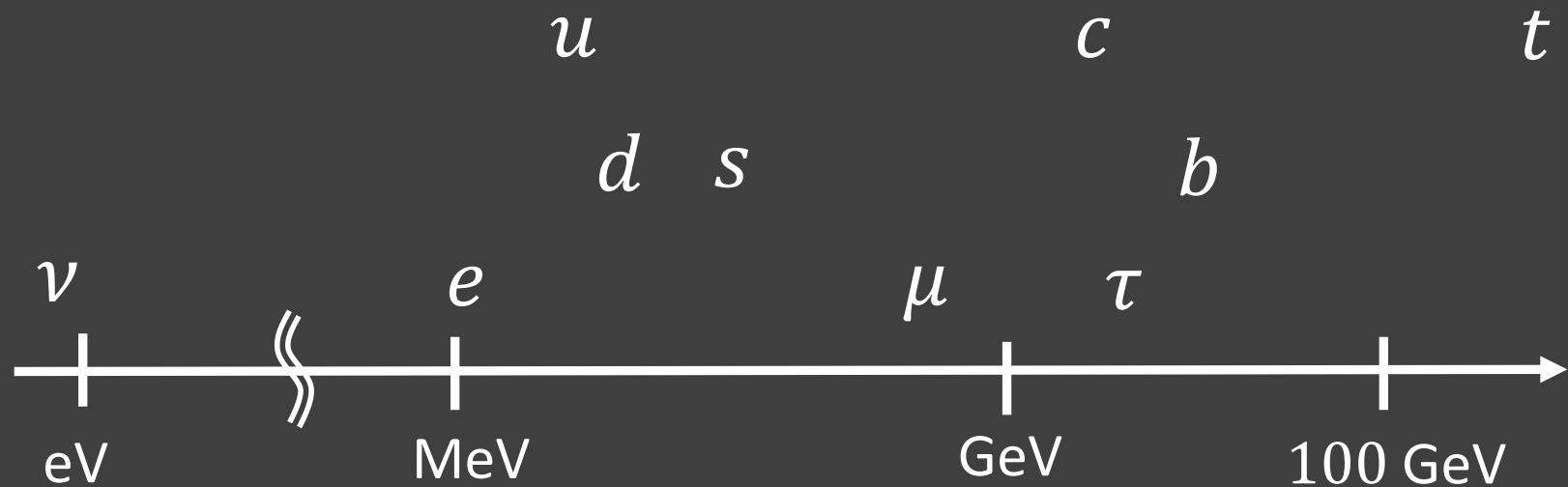
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# Mass hierarchies

- Masses in the Standard Model [SM]

$W, Z, H$



Why so hierarchical ?

# Quark hierarchies

- Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa [CKM] matrix

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M_u & & U_L^\dagger M_u U_R = \text{diag}(m_u, m_c, m_t) \\ M_d & \rightarrow & V_L^\dagger M_d V_R = \text{diag}(m_d, m_s, m_b) \end{array}$$

$$\frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^+ \overline{u_i} \delta_{ij} d_j \quad \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^+ \overline{u_i} V_{ij}^{CKM} d_j$$

diagonal W-couplings

diagonal masses

$$\text{CKM matrix} \quad V^{CKM} = U_L^\dagger V_L \sim \begin{pmatrix} 0.97 & 0.23 & 0.004 \\ 0.23 & 0.97 & 0.041 \\ 0.009 & 0.040 & 0.99 \end{pmatrix}$$

CKM also has hierarchical structure

# Lepton hierarchies

- charged lepton masses are hierarchical

$$(m_e, m_\mu, m_\tau) \sim (0.5, 106, 1776) \text{ MeV}$$

- neutrino masses are not so hierarchical

$$\Delta m_{21}^2 \sim 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2, \Delta m_{32}^2 \sim 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$$

$$\rightarrow m_2 \sim 10^{-2.5}, m_3 \sim 10^{-1.5} \text{ eV for } m_1 < m_{2,3}$$

- PMNS matrix has large mixing angles

$$V^{PMNS} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 0.8 & 0.6 & 0.2 \\ 0.3 & 0.6 & 0.7 \\ 0.5 & 0.6 & 0.7 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Aim of this work

Understand the hierarchies in quark and lepton hierarchies

## ➤ Modular flavor symmetry

what if Yukawa couplings (masses) are modular form ?

Altarelli, Feruglio, 2010

$$Y = Y(\tau) \rightarrow (c\tau + d)^k \rho(r) Y(\tau)$$

- non-Abelian discrete flavor symmetry
- • Froggatt-Nielsen [FN] mechanism by residual symmetry
- modular symmetry appears in string models

e.g. talks by H.P.Nilles, T.Kobayashi (Tue)

T.Kobayashi, S.Nagamoto et.al. '17 '18 '20  
J.Lauer, J.Mas, H.P.Nilles '89, '91,  
S.Ferrara, D.Lust, S.Theisen, '89  
A.Baur, H.P.Nilles, A.Trautner,  
PKS.Vaudrevange S.Ramos-Sanches, '19, '20

- explain the quark and lepton hierarchies

# Outline

1. Introduction
2. Modular flavor symmetry
3.  $S'_4$  model for quark and lepton hierarchies
4. Summary

# Modular group

- modular group  $\Gamma \Leftrightarrow$  special linear group

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

generators

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad R = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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

- action to modulus  $\tau$  : complex scalar with  $\text{Im } \tau > 0$

$$\tau \xrightarrow{\Gamma} \frac{a\tau + b}{c\tau + d} \quad \tau \xrightarrow{S} -1/\tau \quad \tau \xrightarrow{T} \tau + 1 \quad \tau \xrightarrow{R} \tau$$

# Finite modular group $\Gamma_N$

- Congruence group  $\Gamma(N)$       level  $N \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\Gamma(N) := \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma := \mathrm{SL}(2, \mathbb{Z}) \mid \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{N} \right\}$$

ex)  $T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow T^N = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & N \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \in \Gamma(N)$

- finite modular group  $\Gamma_N := \Gamma/\Gamma(N)$

$$S^2 = R, \quad (ST)^3 = R^2 = 1, \quad TR = RT, \quad T^N = 1$$

→ isomorphic to non-Abelian discrete symmetries for  $N \leq 5$

$$\Gamma_2 \simeq S'_3, \quad \Gamma_3 \simeq A'_4, \quad \Gamma_4 \simeq S'_4, \quad \Gamma_5 \simeq A'_5$$

\*e.g.  $\Gamma_4/\mathbb{Z}_2^R \simeq S_4$

# $\Gamma_4 \simeq S'_4$ modular symmetry

Novichkov, Penedo, Petkov, Titov, 18'

➤ Representations under  $S_4 = S'_4 / \mathbb{Z}_2^R$

- singlets 1, 1', doublet 2 and triplets 3, 3'
- there are  $\mathbb{Z}_2^R$ -odd representations denoted by  $\hat{r}$  under  $S'_4$

➤ Modular form of rep.  $r$  and modular weight  $k \in \mathbb{N}$

is a holomorphic function of  $\tau$  transforms as

$$Y_r^{(k)} = Y_r^{(k)}(\tau) \rightarrow (c\tau + d)^k \rho(r) Y_r^{(k)}(\tau) \quad \text{modulus } \tau \xrightarrow{\Gamma} \frac{a\tau + b}{c\tau + d}$$

$\rho(r)$ : representation matrix of  $r$

- the number of rep. is fixed for a given weight  $k$
- one  $\hat{3}$  at  $k = 1$ , one 2 and one  $3'$  at  $k = 2$ , and so on

# Residual $\mathbb{Z}_4^T$ symmetry

Novichkov, Penedo, Petkov, 21'

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

➤ At  $\tau \sim i\infty$

$\tau$  is insensitive to  $\tau \xrightarrow{T} \tau + 1$  →  $\mathbb{Z}_4^T$  symmetry is unbroken

➤ Modular forms at  $\text{Im}\tau \gg 1$

$$Y_{\widehat{3}}^{(1)}(\tau) \sim \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{2}\epsilon(\tau) \\ \epsilon(\tau)^2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{c} \mathbb{Z}_4^T\text{-charge} \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{array} \quad \epsilon(\tau) \sim 2\exp\left(\frac{2\pi i\tau}{4}\right) \ll 1$$

powers of  $\epsilon \ll 1$  is controlled by  $\mathbb{Z}_4^T$  charge

→ Froggatt-Nielsen [FN] mechanism  $\left(\frac{\langle\phi\rangle}{\Lambda}\right)^n \Leftrightarrow \epsilon(\tau)^n$

natural and predictive realization of FN mech.

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# Representations of $S'_4$

1st example for both Q and L  
from single modular sym.

## ➤ Quark sector

$$u^c = \begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 \oplus 1 \oplus \hat{1}' & & \end{matrix} \quad d^c = \begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 \oplus 1 \oplus 1 & & \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} (2,3,1) \\ Q = 3 \\ \text{LH doublet quark} \end{matrix} \quad \mathbb{Z}_4^T\text{-charge}$$

RH up quark                    RH down quark                    LH doublet quark

small angles and mass hierarchy mainly from  $Q$

## ➤ Lepton sector

$$L = \begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 \oplus 1 \oplus 1 & & \end{matrix} \quad e^c = \begin{matrix} (2,3,1) \\ 3 \\ \text{LH doublet lepton} \end{matrix} \quad \mathbb{Z}_4^T\text{-charge}$$

RH charged lepton

large angles from  $L$ , while mass hierarchy from  $e^c$

# Quark and lepton hierarchies

- masses and CKM /PMNS matrix

$$(m_u, m_c, m_t) \sim (\epsilon^3, \epsilon, 1) m_t$$

$$(m_d, m_s, m_b) \sim (m_e, m_\mu, m_\tau) \sim (\epsilon^3, \epsilon^2, \epsilon) m_t / t_\beta$$

$$V^{CKM} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \epsilon & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon & 1 & \epsilon \\ \epsilon^2 & \epsilon & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad V^{PMNS} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$N = 4$  is minimal to have  $\epsilon^3$

\*see also models based on  $A_4$  ('22 Petcov&Tanimoto),  
 $\Gamma_6$ ,  $A_4^3$  ('23 S.Kikuchi, T.Kobayashi, S.Takada et.al) for Q

- Additional factors

- powers of  $(2\text{Im}\tau)^k$  from canonical normalization
- numerical factors from modular forms

# Fit results

$\tan\beta = 3.7, \text{Im } \tau = 2.8, |\alpha_3^1| = 0.0012$

$$\frac{1}{|\alpha_3^1|} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_2^1 \\ \alpha_2^2 \\ \alpha_3^1 \\ \alpha_3^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -0.69 \\ -1.8 \\ 0.84 \\ e^{-1.6i} \\ -1.1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \frac{1}{|\alpha_3^1|} \begin{pmatrix} \beta_1 \\ \beta_2 \\ \beta_3^1 \\ \beta_3^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1.6 \\ -1.8 \\ 0.6 \\ -0.62 \end{pmatrix} \quad \frac{1}{|\alpha_3^1|} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma_1 \\ \gamma_2 \\ \gamma_3^1 \\ \gamma_3^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1.7 \\ -2.8 \\ 0.80 e^{0.93i} \\ 2.75 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{|\alpha_3^1|} \begin{pmatrix} c_{11} \\ c_{22} \\ c_{33} \\ c_{13} \\ c_{23} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1.7 \\ -1.9 \\ -0.67 \\ -5.4 \\ -2.0 \end{pmatrix}$$

- coefficients are in [0.62,5.4]
- two phases are introduced



obs.	value	center	error
$y_u/10^{-6}$	4.44	2.85	0.88
$y_c/10^{-3}$	1.481	1.479	0.052
$y_t$	0.5322	0.5320	0.0053
$y_d/10^{-5}$	1.94	1.93	0.21
$y_s/10^{-4}$	3.88	3.82	0.21
$y_b/10^{-2}$	2.097	2.100	0.021
$y_e/10^{-6}$	7.816	7.816	0.047
$y_\mu/10^{-3}$	1.6496	1.6500	0.00099
$y_\tau/10^{-2}$	2.808	2.805	0.028

$s_{12}$	0.22520	0.22541	0.00072
$s_{23}/10^{-2}$	4.007	3.998	0.064
$s_{13}/10^{-3}$	3.43	3.48	0.13
$\delta_{\text{CKM}}$	1.2395	1.2080	0.0540
$R_{32}^{21}/10^{-2}$	3.053	3.070	0.084
$s_{12}^2$	0.302	0.307	0.013
$s_{23}^2$	0.547	0.546	0.021
$s_{13}^2/10^{-2}$	2.203	2.200	0.070
$\delta_{\text{PMNS}}$	-0.85	-2.01	0.63

Well-fit ( $< 1.8\sigma$ ) to the data by  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  coefficients

# Summary

- Modular flavor symmetry realizes
  - generalized non-Abelian discrete symmetry
  - hierarchical Yukawa matrix via Froggatt-Nielsen mechanisms

## ➤ $S'_4$ model

- maybe minimal possibility to realize the Q and L hierarchy
- successfully explains the quark and lepton hierarchies
- can not be embedded into e.g. SU(5) GUT

can be done in  $\Gamma'_6$  2307.today

Thank you

# backups

# Modular weights

2302.11183

$$(k_{u_1}, k_{u_2}, k_{u_3}) = (0, 4, 3), \quad (k_{d_1}, k_{d_2}, k_{d_3}) = (0, 2, 4), \quad k_Q = 4$$

$$(L_1, k_{L_2}, k_{L_3}) = (0, 2, 4), \quad k_e = 4$$

→ Modular weights of Yukawa couplings

$$k_{Y_u} = (4, 8, 7), \quad k_{Y_d} = k_{Y_e} = (4, 6, 8), \quad k_{c_{ij}} = 2i + 2j - 4$$

- minimal combinations for rank-3 Yukawa matrices up to  $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^3)$
- neutrino mass hierarchy from  $2\text{Im } \tau \sim 5$

➤ Modular forms:

$$\text{ex)} Y_{\widehat{3}}^{(7)} \sim \epsilon (1, \sqrt{2}\epsilon, 7\sqrt{2}\epsilon^2)$$

→ Cabibbo angle is enhanced as  $s_C \sim 7\sqrt{2}\epsilon \sim 0.2$

# Yukawa couplings

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$$W_u = H_u \left\{ \sum_{a=1}^2 \alpha_a \left( Q Y_3^{(k_{u_a} + k_Q)} \right)_1 u_i^c + \alpha_3 \left( Q Y_{\widehat{3}}^{(k_{u_3} + k_Q)} u_3^c \right)_1 \right\}$$

$$W_d = H_d \left\{ \sum_{i=13} \beta_i \left( Q Y_3^{(k_{d_i} + k_Q)} \right)_1 d_i^c + \gamma_i \left( L_i Y_3^{(k_e + k_{L_i})} e^c \right)_1 \right\}$$

$$W_\nu = \sum_{i,j=1}^3 \frac{c_{ij}}{\Lambda} Y_1^{(k_{L_i} + k_{L_j})} L_i H_u L_j H_u$$

(•)₁ : singlet combination  
 $\alpha_i, \beta_i, \gamma_i, c_{ij}$  :  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  coefficients

For neutrinos, we assume

- Majorana masses from Weinberg operator
- $L_i$  is singlet, s.t. Yukawa is singlet ( $L_i = \widehat{1} \rightarrow Y$  is  $1'$  )

# Toy model    2 flavor (1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>) quark model

➤ representations  $Z_4^T$ -charge

$$Q = 2 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \bar{u} = \hat{1}' \oplus 1' \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \bar{d} = 1' \oplus 1' \quad \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \quad Y_u \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^3 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad Y_d \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \quad (y_u, y_d, y_b) \sim (\epsilon^3, \epsilon^2, 1) \quad V_{\text{CKM}} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

➤ bad example 1:  $Q = 1' \oplus 1'$        $\bar{d} = 2$

$$\rightarrow \quad Y_d \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^2 & 1 \\ \epsilon^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \rightarrow \quad (y_d, y_b) \sim (\epsilon^2, 1) \quad V_{\text{CKM}} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

hierarchical down masses, but no hierarchy in CKM (good for PMNS)

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➤ bad example 2:  $\bar{d} = 1 \oplus 1 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\rightarrow \quad Y_d \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \rightarrow \quad (y_d, y_b) \sim (\epsilon^2, 1) \quad V_{\text{CKM}} \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^2 & 1 \\ 1 & \epsilon^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

CKM is not identity for  $\epsilon \rightarrow 0$

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- representations and modular weights  $Z_4^T$ -charge

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mod. weights:  $k_Q = 0$                    $k_u = (5, 6)$                    $k_d = (2, 4)$   
wo/ loss of generality

- modular forms

$$Y_u \sim \begin{pmatrix} Y_{\hat{2}}^{(k_u^1)} & Y_2^{(k_u^2)} \end{pmatrix} \quad Y_d \sim \begin{pmatrix} Y_2^{(k_d^1)} & Y_2^{(k_d^2)} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{2} \text{ exists for } k \geq 5 \quad 2 \text{ exists for } k \geq 2$$

Why not e.g.  $k_u = (5, 2), k_d = (2, 2)$  ?

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mod. weights:  $k_Q = 0$                    $k_u = (5, 6)$                    $k_d = (2, 4)$   
wo/ loss of generality

- bad example 1:  $k_d = (2, 2)$

$$\rightarrow Y_d \sim \begin{pmatrix} \beta_1 Y_2^{(2)} & \beta_2 Y_2^{(2)} \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{same modular form in two columns}$$

$\rightarrow Y_d$  is rank-1, so down quark is massless

$\rightarrow k_d = (2, 4)$  is the minimal possibility for  $y_d \neq 0$

# Toy model    2 flavor (1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>) quark model

- representations and modular weights                       $Z_4^T$ -charge

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mod. weights:     $k_Q = 0$                        $k_u = (5, 6)$                        $k_d = (2, 4)$   
 w/o loss of generality

- bad example 3:  $k_u = (5, 2)$                $t := \sqrt{2\text{Im } \tau} \sim \sqrt{5}$

can. norm.

$$\rightarrow \quad Y_u \sim t^2 \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^3 t^3 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon t^3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad Y_d \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 t^2 \\ 1 & t^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \quad (y_u, y_d, y_b) \sim (\epsilon^3 t^3, \epsilon^2, t^2) \quad y_b, y_u \text{ are too large}$$

$$\rightarrow \quad k_u^2 = 6 \text{ is minimal possibility}$$

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$$k_u = (5, 6) \quad k_d = (2, 4)$$

$$\rightarrow \quad Y_u \sim t^6 \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^3 t^{-1} & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon t^{-1} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad Y_d \sim t^6 \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^2 t^{-4} & \epsilon^2 t^{-2} \\ t^{-4} & t^{-2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \quad (y_u, y_d, y_b) \sim (\epsilon^3 t^{-1}, \epsilon^2 t^{-4}, t^{-2}) \quad V_{\text{CKM}} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

→ this may be the minimal possibility

# $S_3$ symmetry

the coefficients have the “hierarchy” structure

$$\alpha_1 \ll \alpha_2, \alpha_3 \quad \beta_{11} \gg \beta_{21}, \beta_{22}, \beta_{23}$$

first low is smaller (larger) than others in up (down) quarks

➤  $S_3$  model with another modulus  $\tau_2$

$$d^c, q_1: \text{singlet } 1 \quad u^c, q_2: \text{non-trivial singlet } 1'$$

$$\rightarrow Y_u \propto \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_2 & \epsilon_2 & \epsilon_2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_2, \alpha_3 \end{matrix} \quad Y_d \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \epsilon_2 & \epsilon_2 & \epsilon_2 \\ \epsilon_2 & \epsilon_2 & \epsilon_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \beta_{11} \\ \beta_{21}, \beta_{22}, \beta_{23} \end{matrix}$$

the hierarchy is explained by  $\epsilon_2(\tau_2) \sim 0.1$

# Canonical normalization

- modular invariant kinetic term

$$\text{kinetic term} \quad \frac{\bar{Q}Q}{(-i\tau + i\bar{\tau})^{k_q}} \quad \rightarrow \quad \bar{Q}Q \quad \text{canonical basis}$$

$$\text{Yukawa coup.} \quad Y^{(k_Y)}(\tau) \quad \rightarrow \quad (2\text{Im}\tau)^{k_Y/2} Y^{(k_Y)}$$

- When  $\epsilon(\tau) \ll 1$

$$\epsilon(\tau) \sim 0.05 \quad \rightarrow \quad t := 2\text{Im } \tau \sim 5 \text{ gives additional structure}$$

another FN-like mechanism controlled by modular weights

# Spontaneous CP violation

\* Thank to Tanimoto-san for comments

- from  $S'_4$

$\epsilon(\tau) \sim 2 \exp\left(\frac{2\pi\tau i}{4}\right)$  is a complex parameter

However, it induces only unphysical phases in CKM matrix up to  $\epsilon^3$

→ spontaneous CP violation is too small  $\sim \epsilon^4$

- from  $S_3$

CPV from  $\epsilon_2 \sim 0.1$  does not physical phase up to  $\epsilon_2$

However,  $\epsilon_2^2 \sim 0.01$  ( $\mathbb{Z}_2^T$  neutral) is enough for CKM phase

→ moderate CP violation from  $S_3$

# Quark hierarchies

## ➤ masses and CKM matrix

$$(m_u, m_c, m_t) \sim (\epsilon^3, \epsilon, 1) m_t$$

$$(m_d, m_s, m_b) \sim \epsilon^p (\epsilon^2, \epsilon^2, 1) m_t / t_\beta$$

see also models based on  $A_4$  (2212.13336),  
 $\Gamma_6$  (2301.03737),  $A_4 \times A_4 \times A_4$  (2302.03326)

$$V^{CKM} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & \epsilon^2 \\ 1 & 1 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \epsilon \sim 0.05 \\ p = 0,1 \\ t_\beta = v_u/v_d \end{array}$$

- $N = 4$  is the minimal number for the hierarchy with  $\epsilon^3$
- $\mathcal{O}(0.1)$  deviations could be explained by modular forms

## ➤ representations of quarks for $p = 1$

c.f. Novichkov, Penedo, Petkov, 21'

there is only one combination of reps. for the quark hierarchy \*

\* assume no coexistence of  $\mathbb{Z}_2^R$ -even and –odd states in same quark

$$\begin{array}{llll} \mathbb{Z}_4^T\text{-charge :} & (2,3,1) & & \\ u^c = 3 & \text{RH up quark} & d^c = 1' \oplus 1' \oplus 1' & \text{RH down quark} \\ & & & Q = 1 \oplus 2 \\ & & & \text{LH doublet quark} \end{array}$$

# Representation matrices in $S'_4$

$$\rho_S(2) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & \sqrt{3} \\ \sqrt{3} & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \rho_T(2) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix},$$

and

$$\rho_S(3) = -\frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sqrt{2} & \sqrt{2} \\ \sqrt{2} & -1 & 1 \\ \sqrt{2} & 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \rho_T(3) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & i \end{pmatrix}.$$

The primed and hatted representations are related as

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_S(r) &= -\rho_S(r') = -i\rho_S(\hat{r}) = i\rho_S(\hat{r}'), \\ \rho_T(r) &= -\rho_T(r') = i\rho_T(\hat{r}) = -i\rho_T(\hat{r}'), \\ \mathbb{I} &= \rho_R(r) = \rho_R(r') = -\rho_R(\hat{r}) = -\rho_R(\hat{r}'). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tau \sim i\infty \quad & Y_1 \sim 1, \quad Y_{1'} \sim \epsilon^2, \quad Y_{\hat{1}} \sim \epsilon^3, \quad Y_{\hat{1}'} \sim \epsilon, \quad Y_2 \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \epsilon^2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Y_{\hat{2}} \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^3 \\ \epsilon \end{pmatrix}, \\ \rightarrow \quad & Y_3 \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^3 \\ \epsilon \end{pmatrix}, \quad Y_{3'} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \epsilon \\ \epsilon^3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Y_{\hat{3}} \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon \\ \epsilon^2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Y_{\hat{3}'} \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^3 \\ 1 \\ \epsilon^2 \end{pmatrix}, \end{aligned}$$

# Yukawa matrices

➤ model for  $p = 1$

$$Y_u = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1[Y_3^{(4)}]_1 & \alpha_1[Y_3^{(4)}]_3 & \alpha_1[Y_3^{(4)}]_2 \\ -2\alpha_2[Y_3^{(6)}]_1 & \alpha_2[Y_3^{(6)}]_3 + \sqrt{3}\alpha_3^{i_Y}[Y_{3'}^{i_Y(6)}]_2 & \alpha_2[Y_3^{(6)}]_2 + \sqrt{3}\alpha_3^{i_Y}[Y_{3'}^{i_Y(6)}]_3 \\ -2\alpha_3^{i_Y}[Y_{3'}^{i_Y(6)}]_1 & \alpha_3^{i_Y}[Y_{3'}^{i_Y(6)}]_3 - \sqrt{3}\alpha_2[Y_3^{(6)}]_2 & \alpha_3^{i_Y}[Y_{3'}^{i_Y(6)}]_2 - \sqrt{3}\alpha_2[Y_3^{(6)}]_3 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$Y_d = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_{11}Y_{1'}^{(6)} & 0 & 0 \\ -\beta_{21}^{i_Y}[Y_2^{i_Y(8)}]_2 & -\beta_{22}[Y_2^{(6)}]_2 & -\beta_{23}[Y_2^{(4)}]_2 \\ \beta_{21}^{i_Y}[Y_2^{i_Y(8)}]_1 & \beta_{22}[Y_2^{(6)}]_1 & \beta_{23}[Y_2^{(4)}]_1 \end{pmatrix},$$

➤ model for  $p = 0$

$$Y_u = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1[Y_3^{(6)}]_1 & \alpha_1[Y_3^{(6)}]_3 & \alpha_1[Y_3^{(6)}]_2 \\ -2\alpha_2[Y_3^{(6)}]_1 & \alpha_2[Y_3^{(6)}]_3 + \sqrt{3}\alpha_3^{i_Y}[Y_{3'}^{i_Y(6)}]_2 & \alpha_2[Y_3^{(6)}]_2 + \sqrt{3}\alpha_3^{i_Y}[Y_{3'}^{i_Y(6)}]_3 \\ -2\alpha_3^{i_Y}[Y_{3'}^{i_Y(6)}]_1 & \alpha_3^{i_Y}[Y_{3'}^{i_Y(6)}]_3 - \sqrt{3}\alpha_2[Y_3^{(6)}]_2 & \alpha_3^{i_Y}[Y_{3'}^{i_Y(6)}]_2 - \sqrt{3}\alpha_2[Y_3^{(6)}]_3 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$Y_d = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_{11}Y_{\hat{1}}^{(9)} & 0 & 0 \\ \beta_{21}[Y_{\hat{2}}^{(9)}]_1 & \beta_{22}[Y_{\hat{2}}^{(7)}]_1 & \beta_{23}[Y_{\hat{2}}^{(5)}]_1 \\ \beta_{21}[Y_{\hat{2}}^{(9)}]_2 & \beta_{22}[Y_{\hat{2}}^{(7)}]_2 & \beta_{23}[Y_{\hat{2}}^{(5)}]_2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\text{Model for } p = 0 \quad u^c = 3 \quad d^c = \hat{1}' \oplus \hat{1}' \oplus \hat{1}' \quad Q = 1 \oplus 2$$

$$d_1^c \quad d_2^c \quad d_3^c \quad q_1 \quad q_2$$

$$k_u = 2, \quad (k_{d_1}, k_{d_2}, k_{d_3}) = (5, 3, 1), \quad (k_{q_1}, k_{q_2}) = (4, 4)$$

$$\tan\beta = 1.6, \tau = 1.5 + 2.7i, |\alpha_3| = 0.0013$$

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$$\frac{1}{|\alpha_3|} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_2 \\ \alpha_3 \\ \alpha'_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -0.27 \\ -1.7 \\ e^{-3.1i} \\ -1.4 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\frac{1}{|\alpha_3|} \begin{pmatrix} \beta_{11} \\ \beta_{21} \\ \beta_{22} \\ \beta_{23} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -6.9 \\ 0.13 \\ 0.28 \\ 0.41 \end{pmatrix}$$

obs.	value	center	error
$y_u/10^6$	2.9	2.9	1.3
$y_c/10^3$	1.560	1.508	0.095
$y_t$	0.5464	0.5464	0.0084
$y_d/10^6$	9.00	9.06	0.87
$y_s/10^4$	1.73	1.79	0.14
$y_b/10^2$	1.011	0.994	0.013
$s_{12}$	0.2274	0.2274	0.0007
$s_{23}/10^2$	3.991	3.989	0.065
$s_{13}/10^3$	3.47	3.47	0.13
$\delta_{\text{CP}}$	1.204	1.208	0.054

our model    exp.    error

- similar to the model for  $p = 1$ , but with  $\tan\beta \sim 1$
- the sizes of coefficients are in  $[0.13, 6.9]$ , ratio is 50

# Rank condition

- e.g. if  $k_d = (4,2,2)$ ,  $k_Q = (2,0)$

$Y_d = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_{11} Y_1^{(6)} & 0 & 0 \\ \beta_{21} Y_2^{(4)} & \beta_{22} Y_2^{(2)} & \beta_{23} Y_2^{(2)} \end{pmatrix}$  is “rank-2” up to  $\epsilon^3 \rightarrow$  need larger weights

- # of representations \* reps. are hatted for odd weights

weight	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0
$1'$	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1
2	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	2
3	1	0	1	1	2	1	2	2	3	2	3
$3'$	0	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	3	3

there are  $2k + 1$  independent modular forms at a weight  $k$

# # of representations under $S'_4$

weight	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0
1'	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1
2	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	2
3	1	0	1	1	2	1	2	2	3	2	3
3'	0	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	3	3

\* reps. for odd weights are hatted ones

there are  $2k + 1$  independent modular forms at a weight  $k$

# Bad case for CKM hierarchy

## ➤ Quark masses

$$(m_u, m_c, m_t) \sim (\epsilon^3, \epsilon, 1) m_t \quad (m_d, m_s, m_b) \sim \epsilon (\epsilon^2, \epsilon, 1) m_t / t_\beta$$

is also realized if

c.f. Novichkov, Penedo, Petkov, 21'

$$\begin{array}{c} (2,3,1) \\ Q = 3 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} 2 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$$
$$u^c = 1' \oplus 1 \oplus 1 \quad d^c = 1 \oplus 1 \oplus 1$$

## ➤ Yukawa hierarchies

$$Y_u \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 & 1 \\ \epsilon & \epsilon & \epsilon^3 \\ \epsilon^3 & \epsilon^3 & \epsilon \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} t \\ c \\ u \end{pmatrix}_L \quad Y_d \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon & \epsilon & \epsilon \\ \epsilon^3 & \epsilon^3 & \epsilon^3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} s \\ b \\ d \end{pmatrix}_L$$

$$\rightarrow V^{CKM} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon) \quad \text{not identity at LO}$$