

$$V_{CKM} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho + i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Wolfenstein parameterization  
(approximate)

$$\lambda \equiv V_{us} = \sin \theta_{Cabibbo} \approx 0.22$$

$A, \rho, \eta$  are order 1 numbers.

PDG parameterization:

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{23} & s_{23} \\ 0 & -s_{23} & c_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s_{13}e^{i\delta} & 0 & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} & s_{12} & 0 \\ -s_{12} & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} c_{12}c_{13} & s_{12}c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -s_{12}c_{23} - c_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{12}c_{13} - s_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & s_{23}c_{13} \\ s_{12}s_{23} - c_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & -c_{12}s_{23} - s_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{13} \end{pmatrix}$$

with  $s_{ij} = \sin \theta_{ij}$   $c_{ij} = \cos \theta_{ij}$   $\delta =$  CP violating phase

(can choose  $\theta_{ij} \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}] \Rightarrow s_{ij}, c_{ij} \geq 0$ )

Compare to Wolfenstein ...

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$$S_{12} = \lambda \quad S_{23} = A \lambda^2 \quad S_{13} e^{i\delta} = A \lambda^3 (\rho + i\eta)$$

by phase-redefinition of quark field the CKM phase can be moved around inside  $V_{CKM}$  but it cannot be eliminated.

A redefinition invariant measure of CP violation is given by the Jarlskog invariant  $J_{CKM}$

$$\text{Im}(V_{ij} V_{jk}^\dagger V_{ke} V_{ei}^\dagger) = J_{CKM} \sum_{m,n=1}^3 \epsilon_{ikm} \epsilon_{jen} \quad (\text{no sum } ijke)$$

in PDG param:  $J_{CKM} = c_{12} c_{23} c_{13}^2 s_{12} s_{23} s_{13} \sin \delta$

$$\approx \lambda^6 A^2 \eta \approx 10^{-4} \eta$$

$\Rightarrow$  CP violation is small effect.

Higgs couplings?  $m_{ij}^{u,d} = \lambda_{ij}^{u,d} \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}}$

in CKM basis  $m^{u,d}$  are diagonal  $\Rightarrow \lambda_{ij}^{u,d}$  are diagonal.

$\Rightarrow$  Higgs couplings  $\frac{\lambda_{ij}}{\sqrt{2}} (V+h)$  are also diagonal.

$h \rightarrow b \bar{s}$ ? Beyond the SM!

symmetry  
cool argument for counting physical parameters when there

is freedom of basis choice:

example: magnetization vector in 3D

$$\vec{M} = (M_x, M_y, M_z) \quad 3 \text{ parameters}$$

(can use rotational symmetry to change coordinates

$$\Rightarrow \vec{M}' = (0 \ 0 \ |\vec{M}|) \quad , \quad |\vec{M}| = \sqrt{\sum_i M_i^2}$$

$\Rightarrow$  there is only 1 physical parameter  $|\vec{M}|$ .

relation to symmetries: rotations

in absence of  $\vec{M}$ , have  $SO(3)$  rotation symmetry

3 "generators", rotations about  $x, y, z$

with  $\vec{M}$  have only  $SO(2)$

1 generator, rotations about  $\vec{M}$  axis

$\Rightarrow$  2 generators are "broken" by  $M$

# physical parameters = # parameters - # broken generators

$$1 = 3 - 2.$$


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Example: quark masses:  $\lambda^u, \lambda^D = 36$  parameters

$U(3)^3$  symmetry acting on  $(Q, u^c, D^c) = 27$  generators  
(3x9)

How many generators are broken?

Easiest to count in mass basis  $u^c \begin{pmatrix} m^u & & \\ & m^c & \\ & & m^t \end{pmatrix} \langle H \rangle Q$

$\Rightarrow$  rotational symmetries all broken (assuming  $m^u \neq m^c \neq m^t$ )

$\Rightarrow$  can still redefine phases  $u^c; u \rightarrow e^{i\alpha} u^c, u$

but this is broken by CKM matrix

only one phase redefinition where all quarks rotate

the same  $Q \rightarrow e^{i\alpha} Q, u^c, D^c \rightarrow e^{-i\alpha} u^c, D^c$

is unbroken.  $\Rightarrow 26$  broken generators

$\Rightarrow 36 - 26 = 10$  physical parameters (6 masses  
3 angles  
1 phase)

Charged leptons (ignore  $\nu$ -masses)

$$\lambda_{ij}^E E_i^c \langle \tilde{H} \rangle^T L_j \Rightarrow m_{ij}^E = \lambda_{ij}^E \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}}$$

diagonalize with  $V_{Ec}, V_L \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} m^e & & \\ & m^\mu & \\ & & m^\tau \end{pmatrix}$

no flavor change in  $W$ -couplings in absence of  $\nu$ -masses

$$L^\dagger i \not{\partial} W_\mu L \quad L_i = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ e \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\mu \\ \mu \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\tau \\ \tau \end{pmatrix}$$

[ with  $\nu$ -masses?  $\nu$ -mass eigenstates  $\nu_1, \nu_2, \nu_3$   
 $\nu_e = \alpha \nu_1 + \beta \nu_2 + \gamma \nu_3$  etc ]

parameter counting? ( $m_\nu = 0$ )

$$\lambda^E = 18, \quad U(3)^2 = 18 \quad \text{broken to } U(1)^3$$

$$\Rightarrow 15 \text{ broken parameters} \Rightarrow 18 - 15 = 3 \text{ physical (masses)}$$

note that there is no "CKM" because we rotated

$$L' = V_L L, \text{ possible because no } \nu\text{-masses.}$$

$\nu$ -masses: why not add Dirac partner for  $\nu_L$ ?

$(H^T \begin{pmatrix} \nu \\ E \end{pmatrix})$  has charge  $(-, -)_0$  completely neutral!

$\Rightarrow$  introduce  $\nu^c$  with no charge

$\lambda^\nu \nu^c H^T \begin{pmatrix} \nu \\ E \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow m_\nu \nu^c \nu$  Dirac mass

$m^\nu = \lambda^\nu \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}}$

$m^\nu \lesssim 0.1 \text{ eV}$

$v \approx 246 \text{ GeV}$

$\Rightarrow \lambda_\nu < 10^{-10}$  tiny!

$\nu^c$  has no gauge interactions.

Higgs interactions



Higgs width to neutrinos

$\frac{\Gamma_{\nu\nu^c}}{\Gamma_{bb^c}} \propto \left(\frac{\lambda_\nu}{\lambda_b}\right)^2 \approx \left(\frac{10^{-10}}{10^{-2}}\right)^2 \approx 10^{-16}$

current bound on  $BR(h \rightarrow \text{invisible}) \lesssim 20\%$

$\Rightarrow \Gamma_{\nu\nu^c}$  not measurable  $\Rightarrow$  cannot prove existence of  $\nu^c$  this way.

Note:  $m^\nu \nu^c \nu$  preserves lepton # symmetry

$$\nu^c, E^c \rightarrow e^{-\alpha} \nu^c, E^c$$

$$L \rightarrow e^{\alpha} L$$

3 generations:  $\lambda_{ij}^\nu \Rightarrow M^\nu = V_{\nu^c}^\dagger \begin{pmatrix} m_1 & & \\ & m_2 & \\ & & m_3 \end{pmatrix} V_\nu$

change basis  $\nu^{c'} = V_{\nu^c}^* \nu^c$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \nu' &= V_\nu \nu \\ E' &= V_E E \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{rotate 2 components of} \\ L = \begin{pmatrix} \nu \\ E \end{pmatrix} \text{ separately} \end{array}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Masses now diagonal but W-couplings not

$$\nu^\dagger \bar{\sigma}^\mu W_\mu^+ E \rightarrow \nu'^\dagger \bar{\sigma}^\mu W_\mu^+ V_{\text{PMNS}} E'$$

$$V_{\text{PMNS}} = V_\nu V_E^\dagger = \text{leptonic CKM}$$

(first defined by Glashow)

Q: What's wrong with all this?

A: nothing, this might be the SM of neutrinos

weird:  $\lambda_\nu \lesssim 10^{-10}$

but  $\lambda_{e^-} \sim 10^{-5}$  already