

# Leptogenesis and Flavour Symmetries

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# See-saw models

Type-I see-saw: addition of heavy singlet fields,  $\nu_R$ .

$$-\mathcal{L}_{High} = \overline{\ell_L} Y_D \tilde{\phi} \nu_R + \frac{1}{2} \overline{\nu_R^c} M_R \nu_R + \text{H.c.}$$

Type-II see-saw: addition of heavy scalar triplet fields,  $\Delta$ .

$$-\mathcal{L}_{High} = \frac{1}{2} \overline{\ell_L^c} Y_\Delta \Delta \ell_L + M_\Delta^2 \text{Tr}(\Delta^\dagger \Delta) + \mu \tilde{\phi}^T \Delta \tilde{\phi} + \text{H.c.}$$

Low-Energy:

$$\mathcal{L}_{eff} = \frac{1}{2} \overline{\nu_L} m_\nu \nu_L^c + \text{H.c.}$$

$$[m_\nu]_I = m_D M_R^{-1} m_D^T, \quad [m_\nu]_{II} = v_\Delta^* Y_\Delta^*$$

# See-saw models and Leptogenesis CP asymmetry

Sakharov conditions: ~~B~~, ~~C~~ and ~~CP~~ and Out of thermal equilibrium

Type-I:  $(\epsilon_k^\alpha)$

$$\frac{\Gamma(N_k \rightarrow \ell_\alpha \bar{\phi}) - \Gamma(N_k \rightarrow \bar{\ell}_\alpha \phi)}{\Gamma(N_k \rightarrow \ell_\alpha \bar{\phi}) + \Gamma(N_k \rightarrow \bar{\ell}_\alpha \phi)}$$

Type-II:  $(\epsilon_a^{\alpha\beta})$

$$2 \times \frac{\Gamma(\Delta_a^* \rightarrow \ell_\alpha \ell_\beta) - \Gamma(\Delta_a \rightarrow \bar{\ell}_\alpha \bar{\ell}_\beta)}{\Gamma_{\Delta_a} + \Gamma_{\Delta_a^*}}$$

$$\epsilon_k^\alpha \propto \text{Im} \left[ m_{D,k\alpha}^\dagger m_{D,\alpha m} H_{km} \right] \text{ flavoured}$$

$$\epsilon_k = \sum_\alpha \epsilon_k^\alpha \propto \text{Im} [H_{km}^2] \text{ unflavoured}$$

$$\text{with } H = m_D^\dagger m_D$$

$$\epsilon_a^{\alpha\beta} \propto \text{Im} \left[ \mu_a^* \mu_b Y_{\alpha\beta}^b Y_{\alpha\beta}^{*a} \right] \text{ flavoured}$$

$$\propto \text{Im} \left[ \text{Tr} \left( Y^b Y^{*a} \right) Y_{\alpha\beta}^b Y_{\alpha\beta}^{*a} \right]$$

$$\epsilon_a \propto \text{Im} \left[ \mu_a^* \mu_b \text{Tr} \left( Y^b Y^{*a} \right) \right]$$

unflavoured

# Symmetry of Matrices

We shall focus on  $3 \times 3$  matrices:

- **Hermitian Matrices:**

$$G^\dagger M G = M, \quad M = U d U^\dagger$$

Generators

$$G_i = g_2 \mathbb{I} + (g_1 - g_2) v_i v_i^\dagger$$

where  $|g_i| = 1$ .

- **Symmetric Matrices:**

$$G^T M G = M, \quad M = U^* d U^\dagger$$

Generators

$$G_i = g_2 \mathbb{I} + (g_1 - g_2) v_i v_i^\dagger$$

where  $g_i^2 = 1$ .

C.S.Lam, PRD (2006)

W. Grimus, L. Lavoura, P.O. Ludl, JPG (2009)

S.F. King, C. Luhn, JHEP (2009)

Symmetry Group

$$\mathbf{U(1)} \times \mathbf{U(1)} \times \mathbf{U(1)}$$

Symmetry Group

$$\mathbf{Z}_2 \times \mathbf{Z}_2 \times \mathbf{Z}_2$$

Pure mathematical  
result!

# Symmetry of mass as residual symmetry

R. González Felipe, HS, PRD (2010)

Type-I:  $-\mathcal{L}_{High} = \overline{\nu_L} m_D \nu_R + \frac{1}{2} \overline{\nu_R^c} M_R \nu_R \longrightarrow \mathcal{L}_{Low} = \frac{1}{2} \overline{\nu_L} m_\nu \nu_L^c$

We always have

$$G_L^\dagger m_\nu G_L^* = m_\nu \quad \text{and} \quad G_R^T M_R G_R = M_R$$

What are the consequences if:

$\nu_L \rightarrow G_L \nu_L$ ,  $\nu_R \rightarrow G_R \nu_R$  is a residual symmetry?

We get the constraint

$$G_L^\dagger m_D G_R = m_D$$

# Symmetry of mass as residual symmetry

In the physical basis for Leptogenesis

$$G_R'^T d_R G_R' = d_R \quad \text{and} \quad G_R'^\dagger H G_R' = H$$

- **non-degenerate  $M_i$ :**  $G_R$  is diagonal with  $\pm 1$ .  $H$  diagonal
- **degenerate  $M_i$ :**  $G_R'^T G_R' = 1 \rightarrow G_R^{\prime\dagger} V_H^T V_H G_R'' = V_H^T V_H$ , where  $V_H$  diagonalizes  $H$ .  $V_H^T V_H$  has to be diagonal.

Parametrize:  $V_H = O_1 K O_2$ .

Two conditions:

- 1)  $O_2 = d\mathcal{P}$ ,  $d = \text{diag}(\pm 1, \pm 1, \pm 1)$
- 2)  $K^2 = e^{i\alpha}$

$H_{ij} \in \mathbb{R}$ , the freedom  $\nu_R \rightarrow O\nu_R$  leads to  $H$  diagonal

$$G_L^\dagger m_D G_R = m_D \Leftrightarrow U_L^D = U_\nu \mathcal{P} K, U_R^D = U_R \mathcal{P}' K \quad \text{No leptogenesis!}$$

see also: E.Bertuzzo, P.Di Bari, F.Feruglio, E.Nardi, JHEP (2009)



# Mass-independent textures

The diagonalization independent of the mass parameters (eigenvalues).

Rewriting the see-saw:  $d_\nu = A d_R^{-1} A^T$  with  $A = U_\nu^\dagger U_L^D d_D U_R^{D\dagger} U_R$

$$\sum_k M_k^{-1} A_{ik}^2 = m_i, \quad \sum_k M_k^{-1} A_{ik} A_{jk} = 0$$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} A \text{ is real, at least 6} \\ A_{ij} \text{ vanish. } \nu_R \text{ degen.} \\ U_R \rightarrow U_R O. \end{array} \right.$

Two distinct solutions:

- $\det(m_\nu) \neq 0 : A = \mathcal{P} K d_D K^* \mathcal{P}'$

$$U_L^D = U_\nu \mathcal{P} K,$$

$$U_R^D = U_R \mathcal{P}' K$$

$$G_L^\dagger m_D G_R = m_D$$

Again No  
leptogenesis!

- $\det(m_\nu) = 0 : m_D = U_\nu A$

$$H = A^T A \text{ (real)}$$

$$m_{D,\alpha i}^* m_{D,\alpha j} = \sum_{k,k'} U_{\alpha k}^* U_{\alpha k'} A_{ki} A_{kj}$$

see also:

D. Aristizabal Sierra, F. Bazzocchi, I. de Medeiros Varzielas, L. Merlo, S. Morisi, NPB (2010)  
S.Choubey, S.F. King, M.Mitra, PRD(2010)

# TB mixing from $A_4$ and Resonant Leptogenesis

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## Resonant flavoured Leptogenesis:

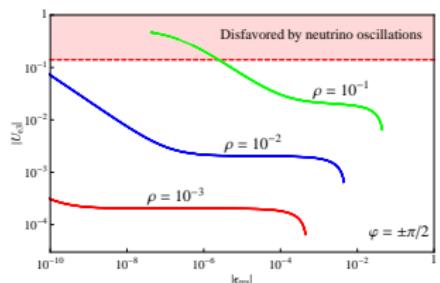
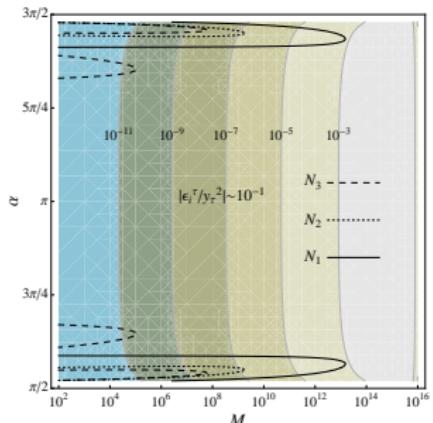
$$\epsilon_i^\alpha \propto \sum_{j \neq i} \frac{\delta_{ij}^N}{\left(\delta_{ij}^N\right)^2 + \left(\frac{H_{jj}}{16\pi}\right)^2} \frac{\text{Im}[H_{ij} Y_{\alpha i}^* Y_{\alpha j}]}{H_{ii}}$$

using RGE ( $t = \ln(\Lambda/M)/16\pi^2$ )

$$\delta_{ij}^N = 2(H_{ii} - H_{jj})t, \quad H_{ij} \simeq 3y_\tau^2 Y_{3i}^* Y_{3j} t$$

using soft breaking  $\delta M \overline{\nu_{3R}^c} \nu_{3R}$

$$M_R^{-1} = \frac{1}{M} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & 1 + \rho e^{i\varphi} \end{pmatrix}$$



T2K latest results: Normal(Inverted)  
 $0.03(0.04) < \sin^2 2\theta_{13} < 0.28(0.34)$

# Leptogenesis in Type-II

I. de Medeiros Varzielas, R. González Felipe, HS, PRD (2011)

## Type-II

- unflavoured

$$\epsilon_a \propto \text{Im} [\mu_a^* \mu_b \text{Tr} (Y^b Y^{\dagger a})]$$

product C and P is traceless.

**Zero unless D is present  
or  $Y \sim C + P$**

- flavoured

$$\epsilon_a^{\alpha\beta} \propto \text{Im} [\mu_a^* \mu_b Y_{\alpha\beta}^b Y_{\alpha\beta}^{*a}]$$
$$\propto \text{Im} [\text{Tr} (Y^b Y^{\dagger a})] Y_{\alpha\beta}^b Y_{\alpha\beta}^{*a}]$$

**not restricted in general**

TB mixing (de Medeiros's Talk)

$$m_{TB} = x' C + y' P + z' D,$$

$$C = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad D = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

mass-independent mixing (X)

$$m_\nu = K_X m_{TB} K_X^T, \quad U_X = K_X U_{TB}$$

# Conclusions

- Type-I see-saw flavour models that predict a mass-independent mixing → **No leptogenesis in leading order**
- In these models the symmetry of mass matrices is the residual symmetry of the Lagrangian, i.e.  $\nu_L \rightarrow G_L \nu_L$  and  $\nu_R \rightarrow G_R \nu_R$ .
- Type-II see-saw is not so restrictive in flavour models, and in the simplest implementation can be related to the inverted neutrino mass spectrum.