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$SO(2N)$ algebras

(Spin(2N) -11-)

- $OO^T = O^T O = I$

- $\det O = \pm 1$

$$O = e^{i \theta_{ij} L_{ij}}$$

$$\theta_{ij} = -\theta_{ji}$$

$$i, j = 1, \dots, 2N$$

$$(L_{ij})_{kl} = -i (\delta_{ik} \delta_{jl} - \delta_{il} \delta_{jk})$$

$$[L_{ij}, L_{kl}] = i (L_{ij} \delta_{kl} - \delta_{kl} L_{ij})$$

$$L_{12} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i & & \\ i & 0 & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

$$L_{34} = \begin{pmatrix} \times & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & 0 & -i \\ \vdots & \vdots & i & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left\{ L_{12}, L_{34}, \dots, L_{2N-1, 2N} \right\} =$$

$$= \text{Cartan sub-algebra}$$

mutually commuting

$$\gamma(\mathfrak{so}(2N)) = N$$

$$L_{12}, L_{34}, \dots : \text{eigenvalues } \pm 1$$

Spinors

$$\{\Gamma_i, \Gamma_j\} = 2 \delta_{ij} \quad \text{Clifford}$$

$$\Sigma_{ij} = \frac{1}{4i} [\Gamma_i, \Gamma_j]$$

$$[\Sigma_{ij}, \Sigma_{kl}] = i (\Sigma_{ik} \delta_{jl} - \Sigma_{il} \delta_{jk})$$

$$S = e^{i \theta_{ij} \Sigma_{ij}}$$

$$\psi \rightarrow S \psi \quad (\psi = \text{spinor})$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{FIVE}} = (i)^N \Gamma_1 \dots \Gamma_{2N}$$

$$\therefore \Gamma_{\text{FIVE}}^2 = 1$$

$$\{ \Gamma_{FIVE}, \Gamma_i \} = 0$$

$$[\Gamma_{FIVE}, \Sigma_{ij}] = 0$$

$$P_{+,-} = \frac{1 \pm \Gamma_{FIVE}}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\psi_+ = P_+ \psi} \quad (\psi_- = P_- \psi)$$

↑ irreducible spinors of
 $SO(2N)$

↔ ψ_L of Lorentz

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 SO(2) & \rightarrow & Spin(2) \\
 \parallel & & \\
 U(1) & &
 \end{array}$$

Simplest example

$$\Gamma_1 = \sigma_1, \quad \Gamma_2 = \sigma_2$$

$$\Sigma \equiv \Sigma_{12} = \frac{1}{4i} [\sigma_1, \sigma_2] = \frac{\sigma_3}{2}$$

↑ only generators

$$\Gamma_{FIVE} = (-i) \Gamma_1 \Gamma_2 = -i \sigma_1 \sigma_2$$

$$\Gamma_{FIVE} = \sigma_3$$

$$S = e^{i\theta \Sigma}$$

$$\psi \rightarrow e^{i\theta \sigma_3/2} \psi$$

$$\psi = \begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \psi_+ = \begin{pmatrix} u \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{u \rightarrow e^{i\theta/2} u, \quad d \rightarrow e^{-i\theta/2} d}$$

physical spinor

$$\phi = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow e^{i\theta L_{12}} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$L_{12} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\{\Sigma_{12}, \Sigma_{34}, \dots, \Sigma_{2N-1, 2N}\} = \text{Cartan}$$

$$\Sigma_{12} = \frac{1}{4i} [\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2] = \frac{1}{2i} \Gamma_1 \Gamma_2$$

eigenvalues: $\pm 1/2$

$$\phi(2\pi) = \phi(0)$$

$$\psi(2\pi) = -\psi(0) \quad \leftarrow \text{Spinors}$$

• $e^{i\theta L_{12}} = e^{i\theta \sigma_2} = \text{Cn}\theta + i \text{Si}\theta \sigma_2$ (dispersion)

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \text{Cn}\theta & \text{Si}\theta \\ -\text{Si}\theta & \text{Cn}\theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} c & s \\ -s & c \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\phi_{\pm} = (\phi_1 \pm i \phi_2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\left| \phi_{\pm} \xrightarrow{?} e^{\pm i\theta} \phi_{\pm} \right| \text{ check!}$$

• Lorentz: charge conjugation C

$$\therefore \psi_L^T C \psi_L = \text{inv.}$$



by analogy: in $so(2)$

"charge conjugation" B

$$\therefore \psi^T B \psi = i\omega_0$$

$$\text{where } \psi \rightarrow e^{i\theta \sigma_{3/2}} \psi$$

$$\left(\psi^T \psi \neq i\omega_0 \right)$$

$$\hookrightarrow \psi^T e^{i\sigma_3 \theta/2} e^{i\sigma_3 \theta/2} \psi$$

$$= \psi^T e^{i\sigma_3 \theta} \psi \neq i\omega_0$$

$$\text{need: } \{ \sigma_3, B \} = 0$$



$$\psi^T B \psi \rightarrow \psi^T e^{i\theta/2\sigma_3} B e^{i\sigma_3/2\theta} \psi$$

$$= \psi^T B \underbrace{e^{-i\theta/2\sigma_3} e^{i\theta/2\sigma_3}}_1 \psi$$

$$= \psi^T B \psi \quad (\text{invariant})$$



$$B = \sigma_1 (\sigma_2)$$

- $B = \sigma_1$

$$\Rightarrow \psi^T B \psi = (u \ d) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \underline{2nd}$$

Since, only $\psi_+ = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$



$SO(2) = \text{chiral}$

\Leftrightarrow no direct mass term

$$SO(2) \longrightarrow SO(3)$$



$$Sp(2) = SU(2)$$

$$T_1 = \sigma_1, \quad T_2 = \sigma_2, \quad T_3 = \sigma_3$$



$$\Sigma_{ij} = \frac{1}{4i} [\Gamma_i, \Gamma_j] = \frac{1}{4i} (2i \epsilon_{ijk} \sigma_k)$$

$$\Sigma_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{ijk} \sigma_k$$

$$\Sigma_{ij} = \epsilon_{ijk} T_k$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [\Gamma_i, \Gamma_j] = i \epsilon_{ijk} T_k$$

$$T_i \equiv \sigma_i / 2$$

no Γ_{FIVE}
 \Rightarrow no duality

• Lorentz: $\eta_L^T C \eta_L = i v v.$

opposite from $SO(2)$!!



$SO(4) =$ like Lorentz

$SO(2) =$ good (chiral)

$SO(4) =$ bad (vector-like)



$SO(4n+2) =$ good

$SO(4N) = \text{bad}$

- duality of $SO(2)$:

$$u \rightarrow e^{i\theta/2} u$$

\Rightarrow $u\bar{u} \neq \text{invariant}$

\Leftrightarrow no mass term

$$SO(4) = SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$$

$$SO(2) : \quad \Gamma_1 = \sigma_1, \quad \Gamma_2 = \sigma_2$$

$$SO(3) : \quad \Gamma_1 = \sigma_1, \quad \Gamma_2 = \sigma_2, \quad \Gamma_3 = \sigma_3$$

$$SO(4) : \quad \Gamma_a = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \Gamma_a \\ \Gamma_a & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad a=1,2,3$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \Gamma_a = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sigma_a \\ \sigma_a & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Gamma_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \{ \Gamma_a, \Gamma_4 \} = 0, \quad \Gamma_4^2 = 1$$

\Downarrow

$$\{\Gamma_i, \bar{\Gamma}_j\} = 2\delta_{ij} \quad i = a, 4$$

$$\bar{\Sigma}_{ab} = \frac{1}{4i} [\Gamma_a, \bar{\Gamma}_b] =$$

$$= \frac{1}{4i} 2 \varepsilon_{abc} i \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_c & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_c \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \varepsilon_{abc} \sigma_c \mathbb{1} \quad (3)$$

$$\bar{\Sigma}_{a4} = \frac{1}{2i} \Gamma_a \bar{\Gamma}_4 = \frac{i}{2i} \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_a & 0 \\ 0 & -\sigma_a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{\bar{\Sigma}_{a4} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_a & 0 \\ 0 & -\sigma_a \end{pmatrix}}$$

$$\Sigma_{ab} = \Sigma_{abc} T_c$$

$$T_c = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_c & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_c \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma_{a4} = T_a'$$

$$T_a' = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_a & 0 \\ 0 & -\sigma_a \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\frac{T_a + T_a'}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \equiv T_a^L$$

$$\frac{T_a - T_a'}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_a \end{pmatrix} \equiv T_a^R$$



$$\boxed{SO(4) = SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R}$$

$$\Gamma_{FIVE} = (-i)^2 \underbrace{\Gamma_1 \Gamma_2 \Gamma_3 \Gamma_4}$$

$$= (-1) \begin{pmatrix} i\sigma_3 & 0 \\ 0 & i\sigma_3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} i\sigma_3 & 0 \\ 0 & -i\sigma_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= (-1) \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & +1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\psi = \begin{pmatrix} \psi_u \\ \psi_d \end{pmatrix}, \quad \psi_+ = \frac{1 + \Gamma_{FIVE}}{2} \psi$$

$$\Rightarrow \psi_+ = \begin{pmatrix} \psi_u \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

- $\psi^T B \psi \stackrel{?}{=} \text{invariant}$

analogy: $C = i\sigma_2 \sigma_0$

$$B \stackrel{!}{=} \Gamma_2 \Gamma_4$$

$$(B \stackrel{!}{=} \Gamma_1 \Gamma_3)$$

$$\Gamma_2 \Gamma_4 = \begin{pmatrix} i\sigma_2 & 0 \\ 0 & -i\sigma_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\psi_a \rightarrow e^{i\theta_a \sigma_a / 2} \psi_a \quad a=1,2,3$$

$$\psi^T B \psi = \psi^T \Gamma_2 \Gamma_4 \psi$$

$$= \underbrace{\psi_u^T i \sigma_2 \psi_u}_{\text{inv.}} + \cancel{(u \rightarrow d)}$$

$$SO(5) \quad \Gamma_{\alpha}^{(5)} = T_{\alpha}(SO(4))$$

$$\alpha = 1, 2, 3, 4$$

$$\Gamma_5^{(5)} = \Gamma_{\text{FIVE}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \Gamma_{i'}^{(5)}, \tilde{\Gamma}_{j'}^{(5)} \right\} = 2\delta_{ij} \quad i' = d, 5$$

$$\boxed{SO(2N+1) = \text{bad}}$$

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Chiral

$SO(6)$

$a = 1, 2, \dots, 5$

$$\Gamma_a^{(6)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \Gamma_a^{(5)} \\ \Gamma_a^{(5)} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Gamma_6^{(6)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \mathbb{1}_4 \\ i \mathbb{1}_4 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{FIVE}} = (-i)^3 \Gamma_1^{(6)} \Gamma_2^{(6)} \dots \Gamma_6^{(6)}$$

↓

$$\Gamma_{\text{FIVE}} = ? \begin{pmatrix} \mathbb{1}_4 & 0 \\ 0 & -\mathbb{1}_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\psi = \begin{pmatrix} \psi_u \\ \psi_d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\psi_+ = \begin{pmatrix} \psi_u \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{PROVE!} \right]$$

• SO(6) = good?

$$\psi^T B \psi$$

$$B = T_2 T_4 T_6 \quad (\text{Check}) \\ = \text{off-diagonal}$$

$$\psi^T B \psi \propto \psi_u^T - \psi_d$$

but we take only ψ_u

\Rightarrow NO $\psi_u \psi_u$!

$$\Rightarrow SO(6) \sim SO(2)$$

$$SO(8) \sim SO(4)$$



$SO(4N) \leftarrow$ direct mass term
= bad



$SO(4N+2)$

to be realistic

~~$SO(8)$~~ ~~$\mathcal{Y} = 16$ dim.~~

~~$\Rightarrow \mathcal{Y}_+ = 8$ dim.~~

bad

$SO(9)$

bad

$SO(10)$

$2^5 = 32$ comp. \mathcal{Y}

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{Y}_+ = 16$ - dim.

$$16 = 10 + \bar{5} + \underline{1}$$

$SU(5)$

$N = RH$

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