

Origin of CP Violation



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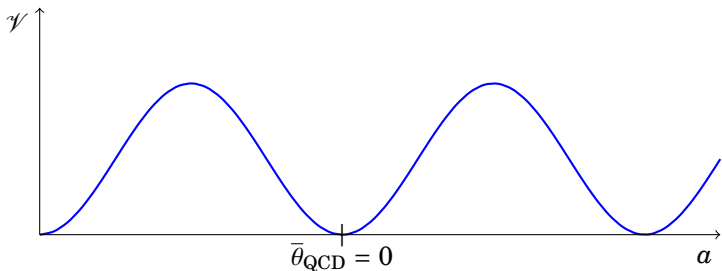
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proposal for a symmetry that kills $\bar{\theta}_{\text{QCD}}$ but allows for ~~CP~~ in the flavor sector

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freedom of re-phasing fields

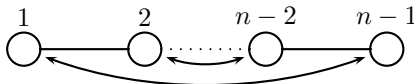
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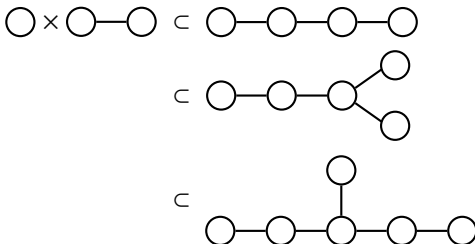
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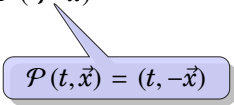
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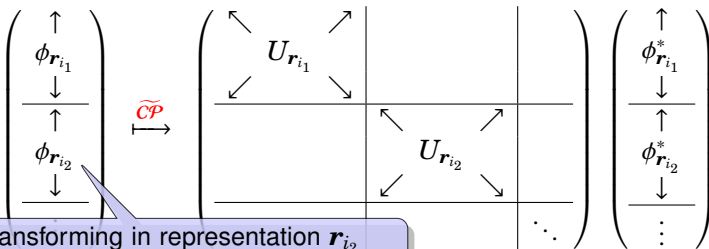
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👉 $\widetilde{\mathcal{CP}}$ depends on **symmetry**, not on **model**



disagreement w/ Holthausen,
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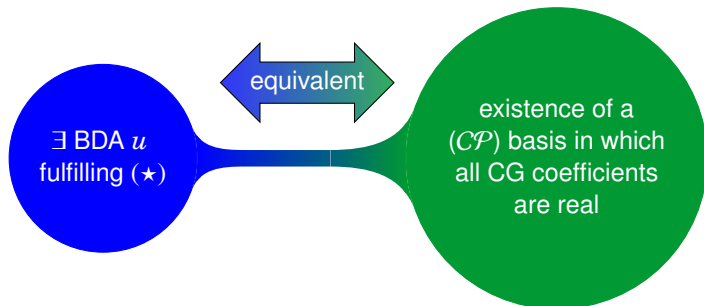
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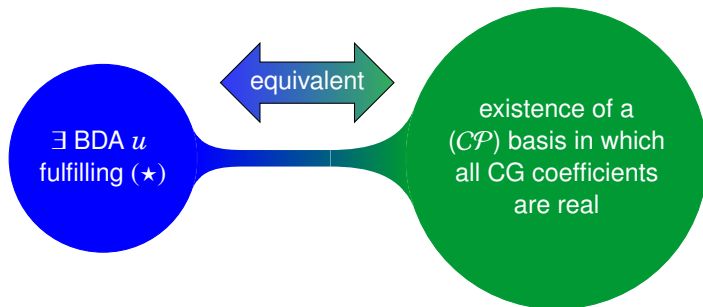
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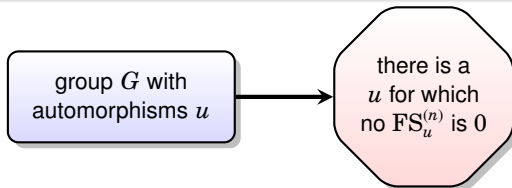
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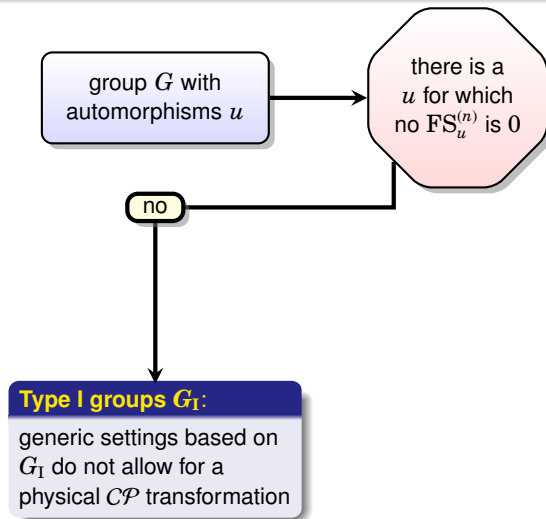
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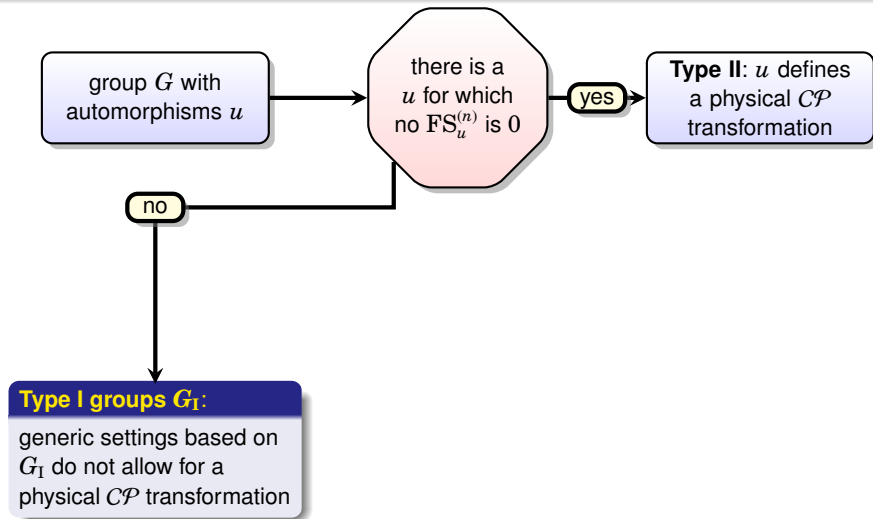
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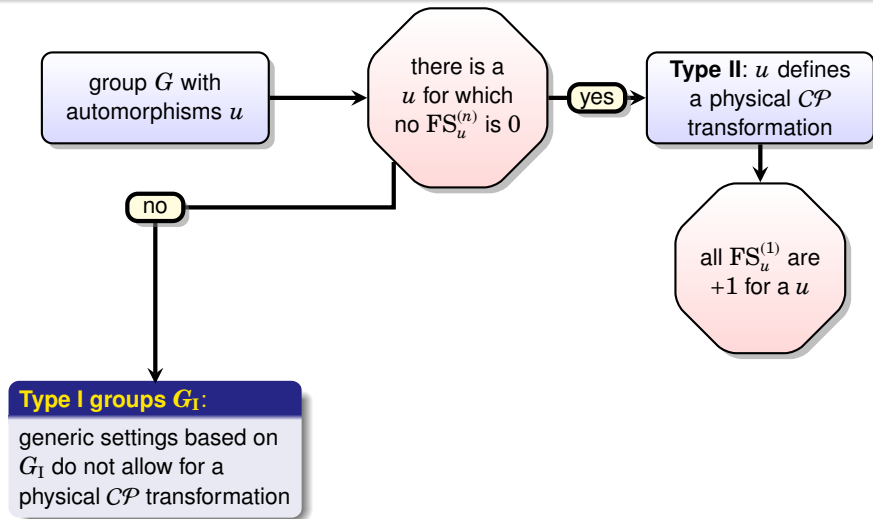
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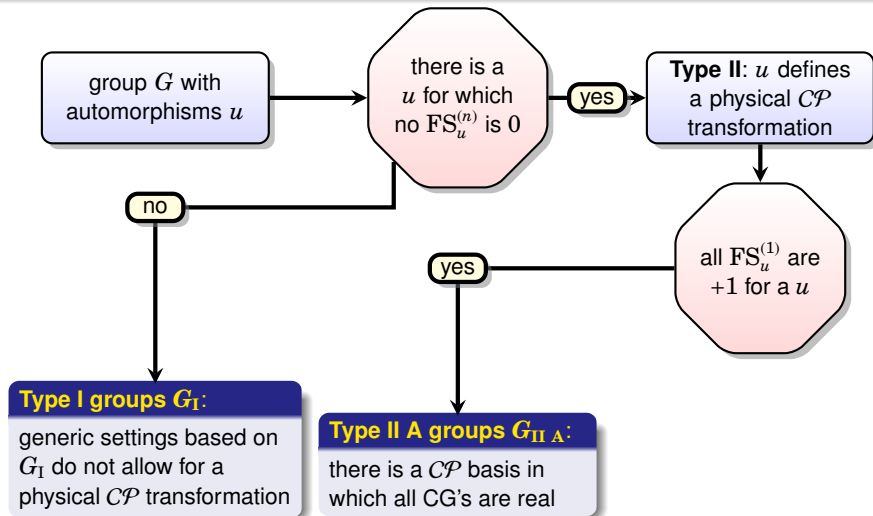
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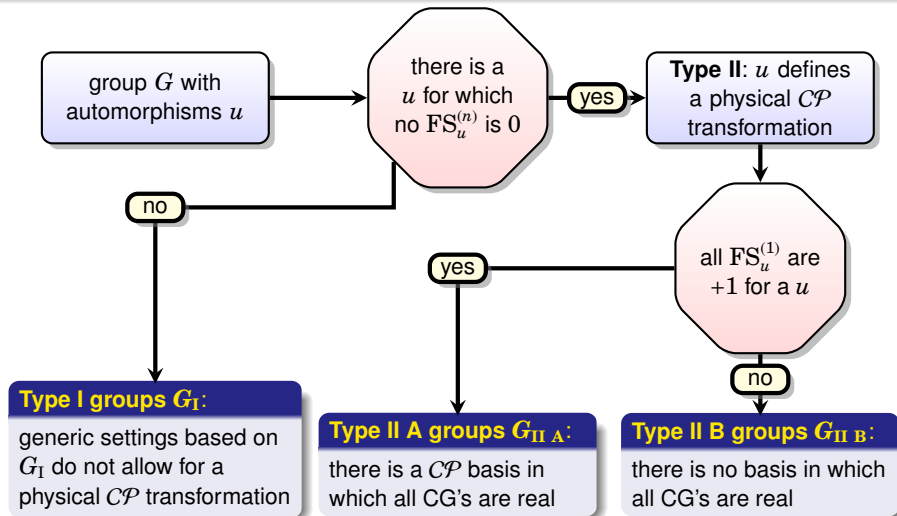
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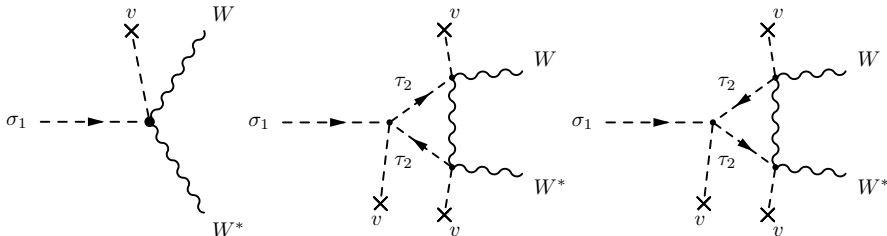
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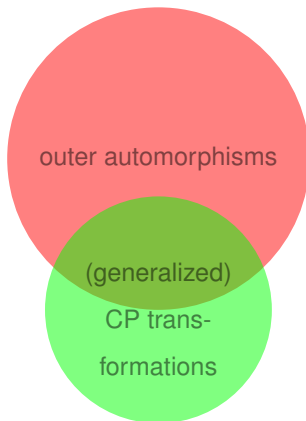
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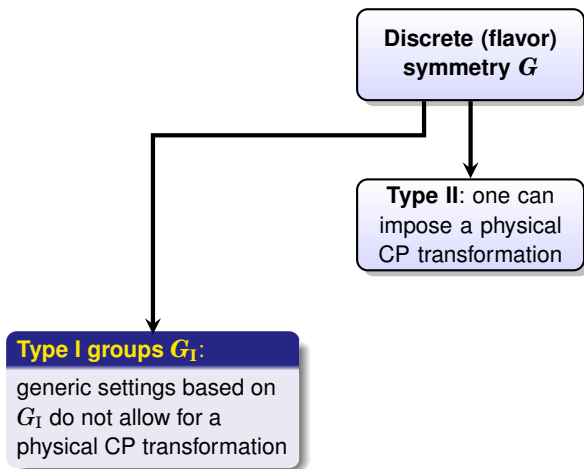
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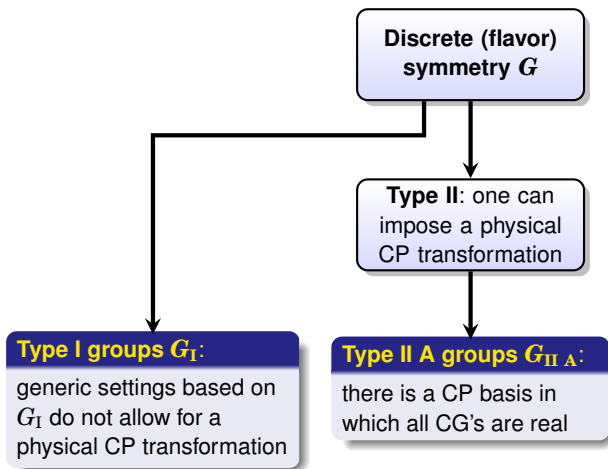
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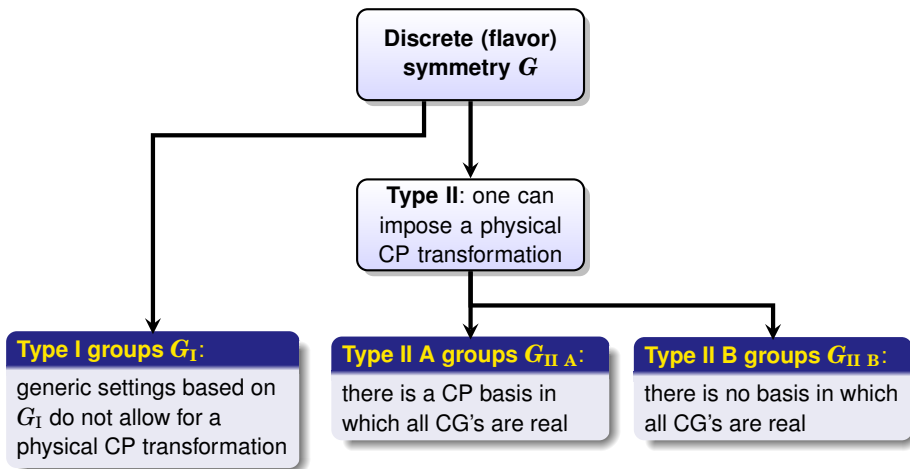
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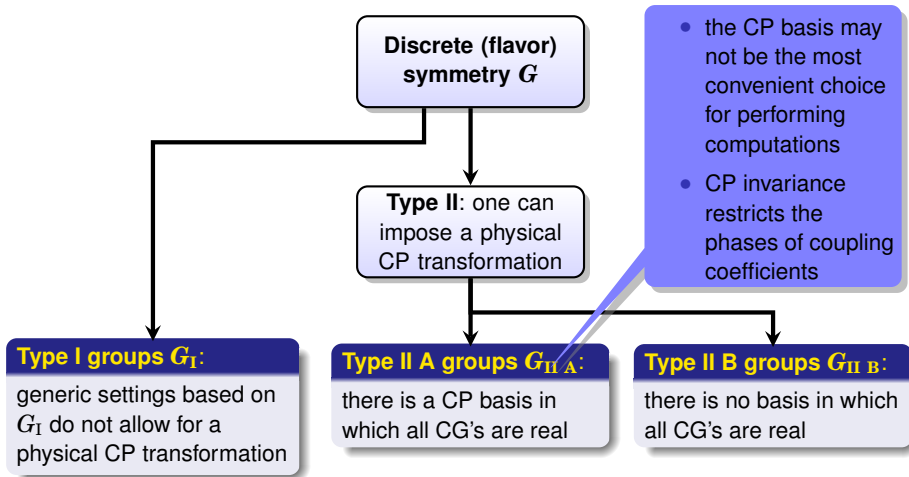
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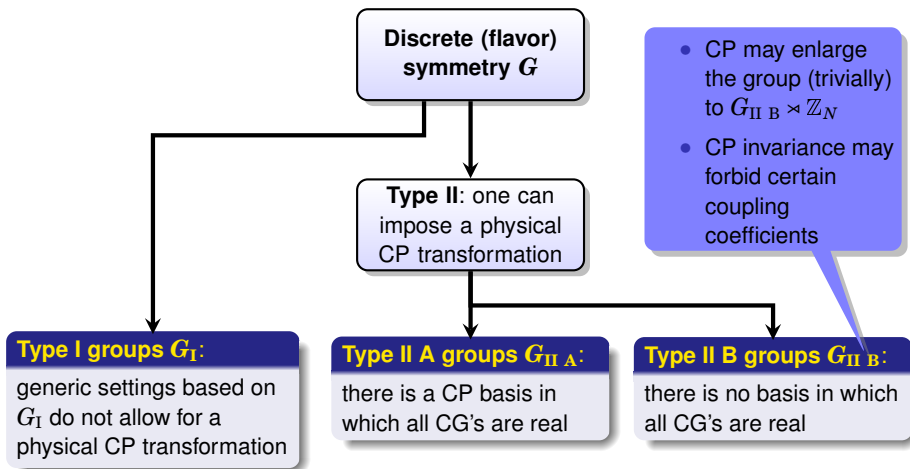
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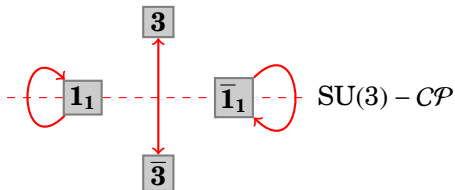
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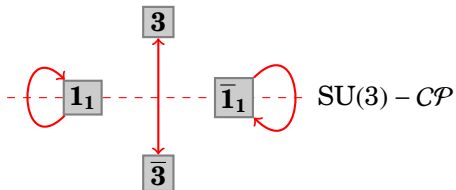
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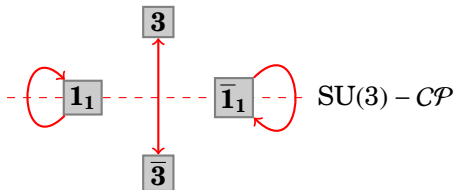
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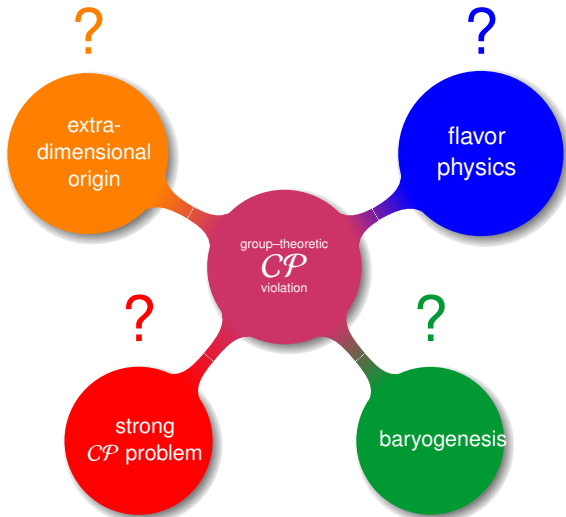
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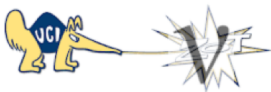
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Outlook





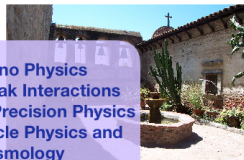
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