





Ollg#3.3

su(3)

$A = \psi_i x_i$   
 $3 \times 3 = 3 + 6$   
 $3 \times 3 = \psi_i x_i = 3 + 1$   
 $3 \times 6 = x_i s_{jk} = x_i (s_{jk}) + x_{[i} s_{j]k} \in \mathbb{C}^{10} = A^1_R$   
 $3 \times 8 = x_i \psi_i^j + x_{[i} \psi_{j]}^k + x_{[i} \psi_{k]}^j$   
 $x_i \quad 4$   
 $x_{[ij]} \frac{4 \cdot 3}{2} = 6$   
 $\hat{x}_{ij}^j \sim \hat{x}_{i[em]} \sim 4^2 - 1 = 15$   
 $\hat{x}_{[ij]}^j \quad 20$   
 $\hat{x}_{[ij]}^j \quad 6 \times 3 = 21$   
 $\hat{x}_{[ij]}^j \quad \hat{x}_{ik}^j = 0 \cdot 20 = 0$   
 $s_{(ijk)} : \frac{4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2}{6} = 3$   
 $M_{[ij]}^{[kl]} : \frac{4 \cdot 3}{2} \cdot \frac{4 \cdot 3}{2} = 4 \cdot 3 = 12$   
 $M_{ij}^{kl} = 0 - 16$   
 $M_{[ij]}^{[kl]} = 0$   
 so you accounted one term

$[T_a, T_b] = i f_{abc} T_c$   
 $f_{abc} = \frac{1}{2} (-i T_a^T [T_a, T_b] T_c)$   
 $\{\lambda^a, \lambda^b\} = d^{abc} \lambda^c + \dots d^{ab} \mathbb{I}_N$   
 $\mathbb{I}_N, \lambda^a \rightarrow 1, \dots, N^2 - 1 : N \text{ Herm. Matrices}$   
 $\{\lambda^a, \lambda^b\} = d^{abc} \lambda^c + \frac{4}{N} d^{ab} \mathbb{I}_N$   
 $d^{abc} = \frac{1}{2} \text{tr}(\{\lambda^a, \lambda^b\} \lambda^c)$   
 $\lambda^{abc} = R^{a a' b b' c c'} \lambda^{a' b' c'}$   
 $U(\theta) \lambda^a U^\dagger(\theta)$   
 $e^{-i(\theta)} \lambda^a e^{i(\theta)}$   
 $\Rightarrow U^\dagger \lambda^a U = R^{ab} \lambda^b$   
 recall:  $e^{i\theta} \neq e^{-i\theta}$   
 $e^{ab}(-\theta) \neq b$

NB:  $\frac{1}{2} (\lambda^a \lambda^b \lambda^c)$   
 goes to  
 $\frac{1}{2} (U \lambda^a U^\dagger + U \lambda^b U^\dagger + U \lambda^c U^\dagger)$   
 $\lambda^{abc} = \lambda^{abc}$   
 $(\lambda^{abc}) (\lambda^a)^i_c (\lambda^b)^j_i (\lambda^c)^k_j = \lambda^{ijk}$   
 could be  
 $f^{abc}$   
 $d^{abc}$   
 $U = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ -\beta^* & \alpha^* \end{pmatrix}$   
 $| \alpha |^2 + | \beta |^2 = 1$   
 $\sum_{i=1}^4 x_i^2 = 1 \quad S^3$   
 NB: compactness

$(e_i)_R = \delta_{ik}$   
 $T_3 = \frac{1}{2} \text{diag}(1, -1, 0)$   
 $T_8 = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \text{diag}(1, 1, -2)$   
 $e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \end{pmatrix}$   
 $e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \end{pmatrix}$   
 $e_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \end{pmatrix}$   
 $\vec{\mu}_1, \vec{\mu}_2, \vec{\mu}_3$   
 $e_i \sim |i\rangle \leftrightarrow |\mu_i\rangle$   
 $H_j |\mu_i\rangle = (\vec{\mu}_j)_i |\mu_i\rangle = (H_j)_i |\mu_i\rangle$   
 eg.  $H_1 |\mu_1\rangle = (H_1)_1 |\mu_1\rangle = \frac{1}{2} |\mu_1\rangle$

Diag generator of SU(2)  
 $H_3 = T_3$   
 $E_+ = \frac{T_1 + iT_2}{\sqrt{2}}$   
 $E_- = \frac{T_1 - iT_2}{\sqrt{2}}$   
 $[H_1, E_{\pm 1}] = \pm E_{\pm 1}$   
 $[E_+, E_-] = T_3 = H_1$   
 $\alpha = \pm 1$  roots of SU(2)  
 Same we'll try for SU(3)

SU(3)  
 $E_1^{(2)} = E_1 = \frac{T_1 + iT_2}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $E_2^{(13)} = E_2 = \frac{T_4 + iT_5}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $E_3^{(23)} = E_3 = \frac{T_6 + iT_7}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $(H_1, H_2) = (T_3, T_8)$   
 $[\vec{H}, E_i] = \vec{\beta}_i E_i$   
 $E_i = -\vec{\beta}_i E_i$

$\vec{\beta}_1 = (1, 0)$   
 $\vec{\beta}_2 = \frac{1}{2} (1, \sqrt{3})$   
 $\vec{\beta}_3 = \frac{1}{2} (-1, \sqrt{3})$   
 (Any Lie group) Cartan  
 Sub-algebra  
 $[H_i, H_j] = 0, [\vec{H}, E_i] = \vec{\beta}_i E_i$

Positive Root: first non-zero component +ve  
 $\vec{\beta}_1 = (1, 0)$  - Non simple  
 $\vec{\beta}_2 = \frac{1}{2} (1, \sqrt{3}) = \alpha_1$   
 $-\vec{\beta}_3 = \frac{1}{2} (1, -\sqrt{3}) = \alpha_2$   
 $\vec{\beta}_1 = \vec{\beta}_2 + (-\vec{\beta}_3)$

$[\vec{E}_\beta, \vec{E}_{-\beta}] = \vec{H}_\beta$   
 $[\vec{E}_\beta, \vec{E}_{\beta'}] = 0$  if  $\vec{\beta} + \vec{\beta}'$  is not a root.  
 $[\vec{E}_{\vec{\beta}_1}, \vec{E}_{-\vec{\beta}_1}] = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \vec{E}_{-\vec{\beta}_3}$   
 $[\vec{E}_{\vec{\beta}_1}, \vec{E}_{\vec{\beta}_3}] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \vec{E}_{\vec{\beta}_2}$   
 $[\vec{E}_{\vec{\beta}_2}, \vec{E}_{\vec{\beta}_3}] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \vec{E}_{\vec{\beta}_1}$   
 $[\vec{E}_\beta, \vec{E}_{\beta'}] = N(\beta, \beta') \vec{E}_{\beta + \beta'}$   
 $[\vec{H}, \vec{E}_\beta] = \vec{\beta} E_\beta$   
 $[H_i, H_j] = 0$   
 Cartan  
 Chevalier  
 Form



$$\begin{aligned}\vec{H} E_{\vec{\beta}} |\vec{\mu}\rangle &= ([\vec{H}, E_{\vec{\beta}}] + E_{\vec{\beta}} \vec{H}) |\vec{\mu}\rangle \\ \vec{H} |\vec{\mu}\rangle &= \vec{\mu} |\vec{\mu}\rangle \\ &= (\vec{\beta} + \vec{\mu}) E_{\vec{\beta}} |\vec{\mu}\rangle \\ &\sim |\vec{\mu} + \vec{\beta}\rangle\end{aligned}$$

$$E^{(\pm)} E^{(\pm)} T_3^{(\pm)}$$

$$E_{\pm} = \frac{E_{\pm \vec{\beta}}}{\|\vec{\beta}\|}, \quad E_3 = \frac{\vec{\beta} \cdot \vec{\mu}}{\|\vec{\beta}\|^2} \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{form } SU(2) \\ \text{algebra } \nabla \vec{\beta} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\text{For } SU(2); \quad \frac{\alpha_1 \cdot \alpha_2}{\|\alpha_1\| \|\alpha_2\|} = -\frac{1}{2} = \cos \theta_{12} = 120^\circ$$

represented by  $\begin{array}{c} 1 \quad 2 \\ \alpha_1 \quad \alpha_2 \end{array}$  | For  $SU(N)$  we'll have  $\begin{array}{c} 1 \quad 2 \quad \dots \quad n-1 \end{array}$



$$(\vec{\mu}_i) = (\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_{N-1})$$

Weights of  $N$  states of fundamental of  $SU(N)$

$$e_i = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow i \leftarrow |\vec{\mu}_i\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{2N(N-1)}} \left( \vec{\mu}_i \right)_{ii} = \begin{pmatrix} \vec{\mu}_i \end{pmatrix}_{ii}$$

$$|\vec{\mu}_1\rangle = \left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}, \dots \right)$$

$$|\vec{\mu}_2\rangle = \left( -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}, \dots \right)$$

$$|\vec{\mu}_3\rangle = \left( 0, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \dots \right)$$

$\vec{\mu}_i \leftrightarrow$  generators of  $SU(N)$  transform in the adjoint  $\Rightarrow$  roots

$$SU(2) = \begin{matrix} M_1 = \frac{1}{2} \\ M_2 = -\frac{1}{2} \end{matrix} \left\{ \alpha = \pm 1 \right.$$

$$SU(3): |\mu_1\rangle = \left| \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \right\rangle$$

$$|\mu_2\rangle = \left| -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \right\rangle$$

$$|\mu_3\rangle = \left| 0, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right\rangle$$

$$M_1 - M_2, M_1 - M_3, M_3 - M_2$$

$$\left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) = \beta_2$$

$$|(1, 0)\rangle = \beta_1 = M_1 - M_2 = \alpha_1$$

$$M_3 - M_2 = \left( \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) = \beta_3 = \alpha_2$$

$$SO(N) \quad V^T W = V^T W^T$$

det  $O = 1$ ;  $V' = OV$   
 $O^T = O^{-1}$

$$[J^{ij}, J^{kl}] = i \delta^{ik} J^{jl} - i \delta^{il} J^{jk} - i \delta^{jk} J^{il} + i \delta^{jl} J^{ik}$$

$$M \rightarrow \{ J^{12}, J^{34}, \dots \}$$

general scheme for decomposition

$$SU(N) = SU(N_1) \times SU(N-N_1) \times U(1)$$

example  $SO(4) = R = e^A = e^{\frac{W_{ij}}{2} A^{ij}}$

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} N_2 \mathbb{1}_{N_1} & \\ & -N_1 \mathbb{1}_{N_2} \end{pmatrix} \quad (A^{ij})_{kl} = \delta_{kl}^{ij} = -[A^{ij}]_{kl}$$

$$T_{ij}^{1, \dots, N} \Rightarrow \frac{N(N-1)}{2} \text{ independent}$$

$$SO(4) \approx O(3) \times O(3)$$

$$\text{spin}(4) \approx SU(2) \times SU(2)$$

$SO(2N)$  - Dual of  $N$  index antisymmetric tensor

$$\tilde{F}_{i_1 \dots i_n} = -\frac{i^n}{n!} \epsilon_{i_1 \dots i_n, i_{n+1} \dots i_{2n}} F_{i_{n+1} \dots i_{2n}}$$

$$SO(4): F_{ij} = -F_{ji}$$

$$\tilde{F} = -\frac{(F)^2}{2!} \in F$$

Vector of  $SO(4)$ :  
 $V_1, V_2, V_3, V_4$

$$V_1 + iV_2 \equiv V_{2i}$$

$$V_{1i} = -V_1 + iV_2; V_{1i} = \frac{V_3 + iV_4}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$V_{2i} = \frac{V_3 - iV_4}{\sqrt{2}}; \text{ so that we}$$

$$A_{ij} = -A_{ji}$$

$$\tilde{A}^{ij} = \pm A_{ij}$$

$$A_{(\alpha\beta)}^{\pm}, (A_{\beta\alpha})^{\mp} \epsilon_{\alpha\beta} S_{\alpha\beta}$$

$$A_{\tilde{}}^{\pm} = \epsilon_{\alpha\beta} S_{\alpha\beta}$$

$$J_{ij}^{\pm} \equiv \frac{1}{2} (J_{ij} \pm \tilde{J}_{ij}) \quad (i, j) = (1, 2, 3)$$

$$J_{12}^{\pm} = \frac{1}{2} (J_{12} \pm J_{34})$$

$$T_{\tilde{}}^{\pm} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{\tilde{}} J_{ij} J_{ij}^{\pm}$$

$$\{ T_{\tilde{}}^{\pm}, T_{\tilde{}}^{\pm} \} = \{ T_{\tilde{}}^{\pm}, T_{\tilde{}}^{\pm} \} \text{ exercise}$$

$$\{ T_{\tilde{}}^{\pm}, T_{\tilde{}}^{\pm} \} = 0$$

have  $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$ ; viz  $\psi'_\alpha = U_\alpha \psi_\alpha$   
 $\psi_\alpha \quad \psi_\beta \quad \psi_\gamma \quad \psi_\delta$   
 $\psi'_\alpha = U_\alpha \psi_\alpha$   
 $\psi'_\beta = U_\beta \psi_\beta$   
 $\psi'_\gamma = U_\gamma \psi_\gamma$   
 $\psi'_\delta = U_\delta \psi_\delta$   
 $\begin{pmatrix} \psi_1 \\ \psi_4 \end{pmatrix} = R \begin{pmatrix} \psi_1 \\ \psi_4 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $SO(4)$

Lorentz for  $SO(1,3)$   
 $V^\mu W_\mu = V_\mu \eta^{\mu\nu} W_\nu$   
 $= V^\nu \eta_{\mu\nu} W^\mu$   
 the definition is  
 $V^T \eta W = V'^T \eta W'$

$$\eta = \text{diag}(-1, 1, 1, 1)$$

$$V' = e^{\Lambda} V; \Rightarrow \Lambda^T \eta \Lambda = \eta$$

$$\Lambda^T = \eta \Lambda^{-1}$$

$$\Lambda^T \eta \Lambda = \eta \Lambda^{-1} \Lambda = \eta$$

$$A_{ab} = \delta_{ab}$$

$$(L_{\mu\nu})_{kl} = \delta_{kl} [\eta_{\mu\nu}]$$

$$g \cdot L_{01} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{NB: } L_{\mu\nu} \text{ symmetric!}$$

$$Z = -i L_{\mu\nu} \text{ so that}$$

$$\Lambda = e^{i \frac{W^{\mu\nu}}{2} Z_{\mu\nu}}$$

$$k [Z_{\mu\nu}, Z_{\rho\sigma}] = i \eta_{\mu\rho} [W_{\nu\sigma}]$$

same as  $SO(1,3)$

$$Z_{\tilde{}} \bar{b} \quad K_{\tilde{}} = \Delta i Z_{\tilde{}} \bar{b} \bar{b}$$

$$T_{\tilde{}}^{\pm} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{\tilde{}} \tilde{b} \tilde{b} \tilde{b} \tilde{b} \pm K_{\tilde{}} \bar{b} \bar{b}$$

satisfies  $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$

Lorentz keep  $(j_L, j_R)$   
 $j_x = 0, \frac{1}{2}, 1, \dots$

$$\gamma_{2m+1}^{(m+1)} = 1_{2m} \otimes \sigma_1$$

$$\gamma_{2m}^{(m+1)} = 1_{2m} \otimes \sigma_2$$

$$\gamma_1^{(2)} = \sigma_1 \otimes \sigma_3$$

$$\gamma_2^{(2)} = \frac{1}{2} \sigma_1$$

$$\gamma_4^{(2)} = 1_2 \otimes \sigma_2$$

$\gamma_i$  for  $SO(2N)$  defined iteratively  
 $\gamma_i^{(m+1)} = \gamma_i^{(m)} \otimes \sigma_3 \quad m=1, \dots, N-1$