

Pseudo-Riemannian Spectral Triples for the Standard Model

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Expansion of the Euclidean spectral action reproduces the effective action for the SM and allows for the expression of bosonic parameters by fermionic one.

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$p - q \bmod 8$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
ϵ	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	+
ϵ'	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	+
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- $\beta\gamma = (-1)^p\gamma\beta$, $\beta J = (-1)^{\frac{p(p-1)}{2}}\epsilon^p J\beta$
- $[JaJ^{-1}, [\mathcal{D}, b]] = 0$
- orientability : there exists $a_{i_0}^\circ \otimes a_{i_0} \otimes a_{i_1} \otimes \dots \otimes a_{i_n}$ s.th.

$$Ja_{i_0}^\circ J^{-1} a_{i_0} [\mathcal{D}, a_{i_1}] \dots [\mathcal{D}, a_{i_n}] = \begin{cases} \gamma, & n \text{ even} \\ 1, & n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$$

- time-orientation :

$$\beta = \sum_i Ja_i^0 J^{-1} a_i [\mathcal{D}, b_i^1] \dots [\mathcal{D}, b_i^p]$$

- $\langle \mathcal{D} \rangle = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}(\mathcal{D}\mathcal{D}^\dagger + \mathcal{D}^\dagger\mathcal{D})}$ has compact resolvent
- $[\langle \mathcal{D} \rangle, [\mathcal{D}, a]]$ is bounded

Clifford algebra : $\gamma_a \gamma_b + \gamma_b \gamma_a = 2\eta_{ab}1$

- $\gamma = i^{\frac{p-q}{2}} \gamma_1 \dots \gamma_{p+q}$
- there exists unitary B s.th. $B\gamma_i = \epsilon \gamma_i^* B$ and $BB^* = \epsilon'$. Define $J\psi := B\psi^*$.
- $\mathcal{D} = -\sum_j \eta_{jj} \gamma_j \partial_j$
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$$\mathcal{A} = \bigoplus_{i=1}^N M_{n_i}(\mathbb{C}), \quad \mathcal{H} = \bigoplus_{i,j} \mathcal{H}_{ij}$$

$$\mathcal{H}_{ij} = P_i \mathcal{H} P_j \cong \mathbb{C}^{n_i} \otimes \mathbb{C}^{r_{ij}} \otimes \mathbb{C}^{n_j}$$

- $\gamma_{ij} = \gamma|_{\mathcal{H}_{ij}} = 1_{n_i} \otimes \Gamma_{ij} \otimes 1_{n_j}$
- $q_{ij} := r_{ij} \gamma_{ij}$ is symmetric for KO -dimension 0 and 4 and antisymmetric for KO -dimension 2 and 6
- $\mathcal{D}_{ij,kl} := P_i J P_j J^{-1} \mathcal{D} P_k J P_l J^{-1}$
- there exists $\xi = \sum_{i \neq j} P_i d P_j$ s.th. $\mathcal{D} = \xi + J \xi J^{-1} + \delta$
- $\mathcal{D}_{ji,lk} = \epsilon J \mathcal{D}_{ij,kl} J^{-1}$
- for odd p and some $\gamma_{ij} = \pm 1$, $r_{ij} > 0$ there is no pseudo-Riemannian structure

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$$\mathcal{D}_E = \mathcal{D}_+ + \mathcal{D}_-$$

$$J_E = J\beta, \quad J'_E = J_E \gamma$$

$(\mathcal{A}, \pi, \mathcal{H}, \mathcal{D}_E, J_E, \gamma)$ is a Riemannian spectral triple of signature $(0, -(p+q))$.

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$$D_f = \begin{pmatrix} S & T^\dagger \\ T & \bar{S} \end{pmatrix}, \quad S = \begin{pmatrix} S_l & \\ & S_q \otimes 1_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

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- The existence of right neutrinos implies nonorientability of the geometry
- It is well known that the above Dirac operator is not unique within the model-building scheme of noncommutative geometry. Even the introduction of more constraints, like the second-order condition or Hodge-duality does not allow to exclude the terms, which would introduce the couplings between lepton and quarks and lead to the leptoquark fields

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$(A_f, H_f, D_f, \gamma_f, J_f, \beta)$ could be seen as a Riemannian restriction of a real even pseudo-Riemannian spectral triple of signature $(0, 2)$ (note that this choice is not unique and it is also possible to chose in a consistent way e.g. the signature $(4, 6)$).

Possible pseudo-Riemannian structures for the Standard Model

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We can identify $\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(H)$ with $M_4(\mathbb{C}) \otimes M_2(\mathbb{C}) \otimes M_4(\mathbb{C})$ and denote by e_{ij} a matrix with the 1 in position (i, j) and zero everywhere else.

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$$D_R = e_{11} \otimes (A_{11}e_{21} + A_{11}^*e_{12}) \otimes e_{11}$$

with some complex number A_{11} , and

$$D_0 = \begin{bmatrix} & M \\ M^\dagger & \end{bmatrix} \otimes e_{11} \otimes e_{11} + \begin{bmatrix} & N \\ N^\dagger & \end{bmatrix} \otimes e_{11} \otimes (1 - e_{11}) + \\ + \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes e_{12} \otimes e_{11} + \begin{bmatrix} A^\dagger & 0 \\ B^\dagger & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes e_{21} \otimes e_{11},$$

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Finally, with the $\beta = \pi(1, 1, -1)J\pi(1, 1, -1)J^{-1}$ we have no restriction whatsoever for M, N while then $B = 0$ and A needs to satisfy: $A = A \cdot \text{diag}(1, -1)$. That leaves the possibility that A_{11} and A_{21} coefficients are present, providing no significant physical effects, and in particular leading only to terms involving a sterile neutrino.

- We proposed new definition of the finite pseudo-Riemannian spectral triples
- There is a hope that it can be generalized into infinite case and, as a result, for the full SM spectral triple
- We proposed an alternative explanation of the observed quarks-leptons symmetry which prevents the $SU(3)$ -breaking, as a shadow of the pseudo-Riemannian structure
- We proposed that the consistent model-building for the physical interactions and possible extensions of the Standard Model within the noncommutative geometry framework should use possibly the pseudo-Riemannian extension of finite spectral triples. We demonstrated that the pseudo-Riemannian framework allows for more restrictions and, in the discussed case introduces an extra symmetry grading, which we interpreted as the lepton-quark symmetry