

# Flavor in MSSM-like heterotic orbifolds

Saúl Ramos-Sánchez  
UNAM

String Phenomenology 2018

July 4, 2018


In collaboration with B. Carballo-Pérez & E. Peinado: [arXiv:1607.06812](https://arxiv.org/abs/1607.06812)

and with Y. Olguín-Trejo & R. Pérez-Martínez: [arxiv:1708.01595](https://arxiv.org/abs/1708.01595) & [arxiv:1807.0xxxx](https://arxiv.org/abs/1807.0xxxx)

# The need for discrete flavor symmetries

- Need to explain {
  - three flavors of SM particles
  - observed mass patterns
  - CKM, PMNS phases
  - neutrino physics
  - suppression of proton decay
  - baryogenesis
  - CP violation
  - (even) dark matter?
  - ...

# The need for discrete flavor symmetries

- Need to explain 
  - three flavors of SM particles
  - observed mass patterns
  - CKM, PMNS phases
  - neutrino physics
  - suppression of proton decay
  - baryogenesis
  - CP violation
  - (even) dark matter?
  - ...
- There are plenty of non-Abelian discrete symmetries that satisfy basic phenomenological constraints

# The need for discrete flavor symmetries

- Need to explain {
  - three flavors of SM particles
  - observed mass patterns
  - CKM, PMNS phases
  - neutrino physics
  - suppression of proton decay
  - baryogenesis
  - CP violation
  - (even) dark matter?
  - ...
- There are plenty of non-Abelian discrete symmetries that satisfy basic phenomenological constraints
- Problem: Which one is THE right one ??

## In Abelian, toroidal heterotic orbifolds

- Orbifold  $\mathcal{O} = \mathbb{R}^6/S \leftarrow$  space group: rotations, reflexions and shifts

## In Abelian, toroidal heterotic orbifolds

- Orbifold  $\mathcal{O} = \mathbb{R}^6/S \leftarrow$  space group: rotations, reflexions and shifts

All geometric properties depend on  $S$

# In Abelian, toroidal heterotic orbifolds

- Orbifold  $\mathcal{O} = \mathbb{R}^6/S \leftarrow$  space group: rotations, reflexions and shifts

All geometric properties depend on  $S$

Non-Abelian flavor symmetry groups  $F$ :

- **A**: permutation symmetries among fixed points  $\rightarrow S_n$
- **B**: discrete charges related to  $S \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{N_1} \times \mathbb{Z}_{N_2} \times \mathbb{Z}_{N_3} \times \dots$

Kobayashi, Nilles, Plöger, Raby, Ratz (2007); Nilles, Ratz, Vaudrevange (2012)

# In Abelian, toroidal heterotic orbifolds

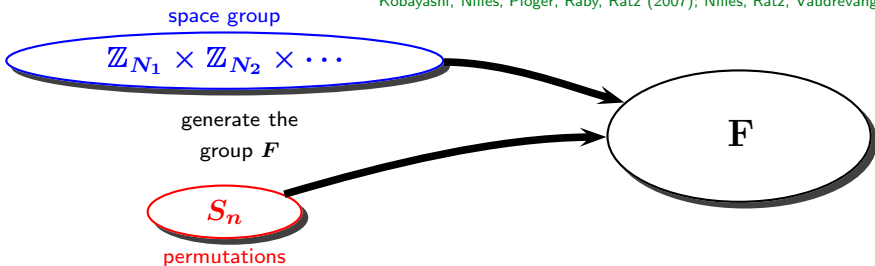
- Orbifold  $\mathcal{O} = \mathbb{R}^6/S \leftarrow$  space group: rotations, reflexions and shifts

All geometric properties depend on  $S$

Non-Abelian flavor symmetry groups  $F$ :

- **A**: permutation symmetries among fixed points  $\rightarrow S_n$
- **B**: discrete charges related to  $S \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{N_1} \times \mathbb{Z}_{N_2} \times \mathbb{Z}_{N_3} \times \dots$

Kobayashi, Nilles, Plöger, Raby, Ratz (2007); Nilles, Ratz, Vaudrevange (2012)



$$\underbrace{\mathbb{Z}_{N_1} \times \mathbb{Z}_{N_2} \times \dots}_{\text{Abelian}} \cup \underbrace{S_n}_{\text{non-Abelian!}} = \underbrace{F}_{\text{non-Abelian!}}$$



# In Abelian, toroidal heterotic orbifolds

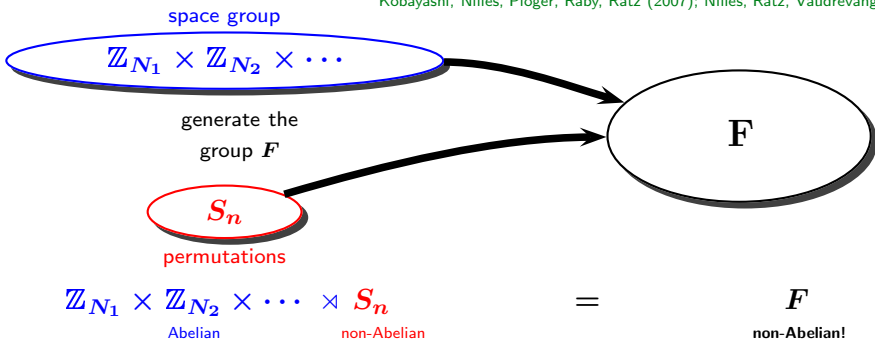
- Orbifold  $\mathcal{O} = \mathbb{R}^6/S \leftarrow$  space group: rotations, reflexions and shifts

All geometric properties depend on  $S$

Non-Abelian flavor symmetry groups  $F$ :

- A**: permutation symmetries among fixed points  $\rightarrow S_n$
- B**: discrete charges related to  $S \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{N_1} \times \mathbb{Z}_{N_2} \times \mathbb{Z}_{N_3} \times \dots$

Kobayashi, Nilles, Plöger, Raby, Ratz (2007); Nilles, Ratz, Vaudrevange (2012)



## Examples in 1D, 2D

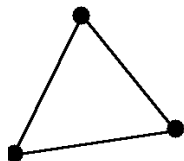


$$\rightarrow F = D_4 = S_2 \ltimes (\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2)$$

## Examples in 1D, 2D



$$\rightarrow F = D_4 = S_2 \times (\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2)$$

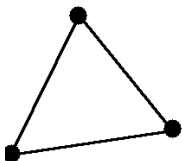


$$\rightarrow F = \Delta(54) = S_3 \times (\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3)$$

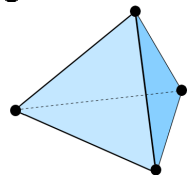
## Examples in 1D, 2D



$$\rightarrow F = D_4 = S_2 \ltimes (\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2)$$

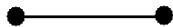


$$\rightarrow F = \Delta(54) = S_3 \ltimes (\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3)$$

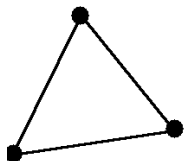


$$\rightarrow F = D_4 \times D_4 / \mathbb{Z}_2$$

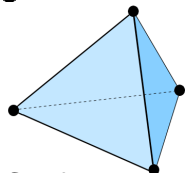
## Examples in 1D, 2D



$$\rightarrow F = D_4 = S_2 \times (\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2)$$

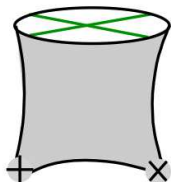


$$\rightarrow F = \Delta(54) = S_3 \times (\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3)$$



$$\rightarrow F = D_4 \times D_4 / \mathbb{Z}_2$$

Can be more involved (orbifold with [roto-translations](#))



$$\rightarrow F = D_4$$

## Natural question 1:

Aiming at a **guiding principle** from an UV complete theory,...

## Natural question 1:

Aiming at a **guiding principle** from an UV complete theory,...

what flavor symmetries are realized  
in heterotic orbifolds?

# Explore all 138 Abelian space groups $S$ already known

Orbifold label	Twist vector(s)	# of $\mathbb{Z}$ classes	# of affine classes
$\mathbb{Z}_3$	$\frac{1}{3}(1, 1, -2)$	1	1
$\mathbb{Z}_4$	$\frac{1}{4}(1, 1, -2)$	3	3
$\mathbb{Z}_6$ -I	$\frac{1}{6}(1, 1, -2)$	2	2
$\mathbb{Z}_6$ -II	$\frac{1}{6}(1, 2, -3)$	4	4
$\mathbb{Z}_7$	$\frac{1}{7}(1, 2, -3)$	1	1
$\mathbb{Z}_8$ -I	$\frac{1}{8}(1, 2, -3)$	3	3
$\mathbb{Z}_8$ -II	$\frac{1}{8}(1, 3, -4)$	2	2
$\mathbb{Z}_{12}$ -I	$\frac{1}{12}(1, 4, -5)$	2	2
$\mathbb{Z}_{12}$ -II	$\frac{1}{12}(1, 5, -6)$	1	1
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$	$\frac{1}{2}(0, 1, -1), \frac{1}{2}(1, 0, -1)$	12	35
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$	$\frac{1}{2}(0, 1, -1), \frac{1}{4}(1, 0, -1)$	10	41
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ -I	$\frac{1}{2}(0, 1, -1), \frac{1}{6}(1, 0, -1)$	2	4
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ -II	$\frac{1}{2}(0, 1, -1), \frac{1}{6}(1, 1, -2)$	4	4
$\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$	$\frac{1}{3}(0, 1, -1), \frac{1}{3}(1, 0, -1)$	5	15
$\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$	$\frac{1}{3}(0, 1, -1), \frac{1}{6}(1, 0, -1)$	2	4
$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$	$\frac{1}{4}(0, 1, -1), \frac{1}{4}(1, 0, -1)$	5	15
$\mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$	$\frac{1}{6}(0, 1, -1), \frac{1}{6}(1, 0, -1)$	1	1

Fischer, Ratz, Torrado, Vaudrevange (2013)



# We find all possible flavor symmetries (without enhancement)

Orbifold	Flavor symmetry
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ (1,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2^4$
(1,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(1,3)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2$
(1,4)	-
(2,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2^3$
(2,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(2,3)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2^2$
(2,4)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(2,5)	$(D_4 \times D_4)$
(2,6)	-
(3,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2$
(3,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(3,3)	$(D_4 \times D_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2$
(3,4)	-
(4,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2^2$
(4,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(5,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2^2$
(5,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(5,3)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(5,4)	$(D_4 \times D_4)$
(5,5)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(6,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2^2$
(6,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(6,3)	$D_4$
(7,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4)$
(7,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(8,1)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(9,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2$
(9,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(9,3)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(10,1)	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$

Orbifold	Flavor symmetry
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ (10,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
(11,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2$
(12,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4)$
(12,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ (1,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2^3$
(1,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(1,3)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(1,4)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(1,5)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(1,6)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2^2$
(2,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2^3$
(2,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(2,3)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(2,4)	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(2,5)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(2,6)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(3,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2^2$
(3,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(3,3)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(3,4)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(3,5)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(3,6)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(4,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2$
(4,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(4,3)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(4,4)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(4,5)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(5,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2^2$
(5,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
(6,1)	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4) / \mathbb{Z}_2$
(6,2)	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$

SRS (2017), Olguin-Trejo, Pérez-Martínez, SRS (2018)

Orbifold	Flavor symmetry
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$	$(6,3)$ $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(6,4)$ $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(6,5)$ $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(7,1)$ $D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(7,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ $(7,3)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ $(8,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4)/\mathbb{Z}_2^2$ $(8,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(8,3)$ $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(9,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4)/\mathbb{Z}_2$ $(9,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ $(9,3)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ $(10,1)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ $(10,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ -I	$(1,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_6)/\mathbb{Z}_2$ $(1,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ $(2,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_6)/\mathbb{Z}_2$ $(2,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ -II	$(1,1)$ $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ $(2,1)$ $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ $(3,1)$ $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ $(4,1)$ $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$
$\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$	$(1,1)$ $(\Delta(54) \times \Delta(54) \times \Delta(54))/\mathbb{Z}_3$ $(1,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ $(1,3)$ $\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ $(1,4)$ $\Delta(54) \times \Delta(54)$ $(2,1)$ $\Delta(54) \times \Delta(54)$ $(2,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ $(2,3)$ $\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ $(2,4)$ $\Delta(54) \times \Delta(54)$ $(3,1)$ $\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ $(3,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ $(3,3)$ $\Delta(54) \times \Delta(54)$ $(4,1)$ $\Delta(54) \times \Delta(54)$ $(4,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ $(4,3)$ $\Delta(54) \times \Delta(54)$ $(5,1)$ $\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$
$\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$	$(1,1)$ $\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ $(1,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$

Orbifold	Flavor symmetry
$\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$	$(2,1)$ $\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ $(2,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$
$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$	$(1,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4)/\mathbb{Z}_2^2$ $(1,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(1,3)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(1,4)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(2,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4^2)/\mathbb{Z}_2^2$ $(2,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(2,3)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(2,4)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(3,1)$ $(D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4^2)/\mathbb{Z}_2$ $(3,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(4,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4^2)/\mathbb{Z}_2^2$ $(4,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(4,3)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(5,1)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ $(5,2)$ $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
$\mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$	$(1,1)$ $\mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$
Orbifold	Flavor symmetry
$\mathbb{Z}_3$	$(1,1)$ $(\Delta(54) \times \Delta(54) \times \Delta(54))/\mathbb{Z}_3^2$
$\mathbb{Z}_4$	$(1,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4)/\mathbb{Z}_2^4$ $(2,1)$ $(S_4 \times S_2 \times S_2) \times (\mathbb{Z}_2^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2)$ $(3,1)$ $(S_4 \times S_4) \times (\mathbb{Z}_4^5 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2)$
$\mathbb{Z}_6$ -I	$(1,1)$ $\Delta(54)$ $(2,1)$ $(\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_6)/\mathbb{Z}_3$
$\mathbb{Z}_6$ -II	$(1,1)$ $\Delta(54) \times [D_4 \times D_4/\mathbb{Z}_2]$ $(2,1)$ $[\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_6]/\mathbb{Z}_3 \times [D_4 \times D_4]/\mathbb{Z}_2^2$ $(3,1)$ $[\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_6]/\mathbb{Z}_3 \times [D_4 \times D_4]/\mathbb{Z}_2^2$ $(4,1)$ $[\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_6]/\mathbb{Z}_3 \times [D_4/\mathbb{Z}_2]$
$\mathbb{Z}_7$	$(1,1)$ $S_7 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$
$\mathbb{Z}_8$ -I	$(1,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_8)/\mathbb{Z}_2^2$ $(2,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_8)/\mathbb{Z}_2^2$ $(3,1)$ $S_4 \times (\mathbb{Z}_8 \times \mathbb{Z}_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2)$
$\mathbb{Z}_8$ -II	$(1,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_8)/\mathbb{Z}_2^2$ $(2,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_8)/\mathbb{Z}_2^2$
$\mathbb{Z}_{12}$ -I	$(1,1)$ $\Delta(54)$ $(2,1)$ $(\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_{12})/\mathbb{Z}_3$
$\mathbb{Z}_{12}$ -II	$(1,1)$ $(D_4 \times D_4)/\mathbb{Z}_2$

SRS (2017), Olguin-Irrejo, Pérez-Martinez, SRS (2018)

## Natural question 2:

Wilson lines are needed to get MSSM-like models;

Ibáñez, Nilles, Quevedo (1987)

They break explicitly (the permutations in) flavor symmetries...

## Natural question 2:

Wilson lines are needed to get MSSM-like models;

Ibáñez, Nilles, Quevedo (1987)

They break explicitly (the permutations in) flavor symmetries...

what flavor symmetries *survive*  
in realistic compactifications?

# Orbifolder needed as a tool (Nilles, SRS, Vaudrevange, Wingerter (2011))

The Orbifolder - Mozilla Firefox

File Edit View History Bookmarks Tools Help

The Orbifolder

stringpheno.fisica.unam.mx/orbifolder/orbi.html

Google

Most Visited Getting Started Latest Headlines Van De Graaff CCT UNAM

  
**ORBIFOLDER**

[orbifolder on-line](#)  
[download compiled prompt](#)  
[download source code](#)  
[complementary notes](#)  
[help](#) | [about](#) | [contact us](#)

**Orbifolder**  
version: 1.2 (Feb 29, 2012)  
platform: linux  
dependencies: Boost, GSL  
license: GNU GPL  
by: Hans Peter Nilles,  
Saúl Ramos-Sánchez,  
Patrick K.S. Vaudrevange &  
Akin Wingerter

javascript://

# Our comprehensive classification of MSSM-like models

Orbifold	Max # of independent WL	# of MSSM-like models with vanishing WL				Total
		0	1	2	$\geq 3$	
$\mathbb{Z}_3$ (1,1)	3	0	0	0	0	0
$\mathbb{Z}_4$	(1,1)	4	0	0	0	0
	(2,1)	3	149	0	0	149
	(3,1)	2	27	0	0	27
$\mathbb{Z}_6$ -I	(1,1)	1	30	0		30
	(2,1)	1	30	0		30
$\mathbb{Z}_6$ -II	(1,1)	3	26	337	0	363
	(2,1)	3	14	335	0	349
	(3,1)	3	18	335	0	353
	(4,1)	2	44	312	0	356
$\mathbb{Z}_7$ (1,1)	1	1	0		1	
$\mathbb{Z}_8$ -I	(1,1)	2	230	38	0	268
	(2,1)	2	205	41	0	246
	(3,1)	1	389	0		389
$\mathbb{Z}_8$ -II	(1,1)	3	1,604	398	21	2,023
	(2,1)	2	274	231	0	505
$\mathbb{Z}_{12}$ -I	(1,1)	1	556	0		556
	(2,1)	1	555	0		555
$\mathbb{Z}_{12}$ -II (1,1)	2	279	84	0		363

SRS (2017), Olguín-Trejo, Pérez-Martínez, SRS (2018)

Orbifold	Max # of independent WL	# of MSSM-like models with vanishing WL					Total	
		0	1	2	3	$\geq 4$		
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$	(1,1)	6	1	152	52	0	0	205
	(2,1)	5	13	342	14	0	0	369
	(3,1)	5	4	400	40	0	0	444
	(5,1)	4	2	40	0	0	0	42
	(6,1)	4	344	57	0	0	0	401
	(7,1)	4	21	55	0	0	0	76
	(9,1)	3	25	2	0	0	0	27
	(10,1)	3	19	2	0	0	0	21
	(12,1)	2	3	0	0	0	0	3
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$	(1,1)	4	454	8,637	1,463	26	0	10,580
	(1,6)	2	65	21	0	0	0	86
	(2,1)	4	260	4,683	1,131	81	0	6,158
	(2,4)	2	281	47	0	0	0	328
	(3,1)	3	13,117	3,637	103	0	0	16,857
	(4,1)	3	2,911	1,575	33	0	0	4,519
	(5,1)	3	1,311	742	63	0	0	2,116
	(6,1)	3	1,814	1,374	58	0	0	3,246
	(7,1)	3	1,481	1,122	64	0	0	2,667
	(8,1)	2	839	72	0	0	0	911
(9,1)	2	1,620	522	0	0	0	2,142	
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ -I	(1,1)	2	467	116	0	0	0	583
	(2,1)	2	275	78	0	0	0	353
$\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$	(1,1)	3	40	987	81	0	0	1,108
	(1,4)	1	8	0	0	0	0	8
	(2,1)	2	1,713	239	0	0	0	1,952
	(3,1)	2	6	0	0	0	0	6
	(4,1)	2	105	110	0	0	0	215
$\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$	(1,1)	1	4,469	24	0	0	0	4,493
	(2,1)	1	495	45	0	0	0	540
$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$	(1,1)	3	599	12,091	2,258	5	0	14,953
	(2,1)	2	2,807	3,220	19	0	0	6,046
	(3,1)	2	2,039	875	6	0	0	2,920
	(4,1)	2	1,876	1,552	6	0	0	3,434
$\mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$	(1,1)	0	3,412	0	0	0	0	3,412

SRS (2017), Olgún-Trejo, Pérez-Martínez, SRS (2018)

# Flavor symmetries in MSSM-like models

Orbifold		Max. # of possible WLs	Flavor symmetry with $\ell$ non-vanishing WLs				Total models
			$\ell = 1$	2	3	4	
$\mathbb{Z}_3$	(1,1)	3	$\Delta(54)^2$ 0	$\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_3^2$ 0	$\mathbb{Z}_3^3$ 0		0
$\mathbb{Z}_4$	(1,1)	4	$(D_4^3 \times \mathbb{Z}_4)/\mathbb{Z}_2$ 0	$D_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ 0	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0	$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0	0
	(2,1)	3	$(S_2 \times S_2) \times (\mathbb{Z}_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2)$ 0 $(S_4 \times S_2) \times (\mathbb{Z}_4^3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^3)$ 0	$S_2 \times (\mathbb{Z}_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2)$ 0 $S_4 \times (\mathbb{Z}_4^3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^3)$ 0	$\mathbb{Z}_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 149		149
	(3,1)	2	$S_4 \times (\mathbb{Z}_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2)$ 0	$\mathbb{Z}_4^3$ 27			27
$\mathbb{Z}_6$ -I	(1,1)	1	$\mathbb{Z}_3^2$ 30				30
	(2,1)	1	$\mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ 30				30
$\mathbb{Z}_6$ -II	(1,1)	3	$[(D_4 \times D_4)/\mathbb{Z}_2] \times \mathbb{Z}_3^2$ 0 $\Delta(54) \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 0	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_3^2$ 337 $\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_3^2$ 0	$\mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 26		363
	(2,1)	3	$\mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_3 \times [(D_4 \times D_4)/\mathbb{Z}_2^2]$ 0 $[(\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_6)/\mathbb{Z}_3] \times D_4$ 0	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ 335 $[(\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_6)/\mathbb{Z}_3] \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0	$\mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 14		349
	(3,1)	3	$\mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_3 \times [(D_4 \times D_4)/\mathbb{Z}_2^2]$ 0 $[(\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_6)/\mathbb{Z}_3] \times D_4$ 0	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ 333 $[(\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_6)/\mathbb{Z}_3] \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 2	$\mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 18		353
	(4,1)	2	$[(\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_6)/\mathbb{Z}_3] \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 0 $[D_4/\mathbb{Z}_2] \times \mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ 312	$\mathbb{Z}_6 \times \mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 44			356

SRS (2017), Olguín-Trejo, Pérez-Martínez, SRS (2018)



# Flavor symmetries in MSSM-like models

Orbifold		Max. # of possible WLs	Flavor symmetry with $\ell$ non-vanishing WLs				Total models
			$\ell = 1$	2	3	4	
$\mathbb{Z}_7$	(1,1)	1	$\mathbb{Z}_7^2$ 1				1
$\mathbb{Z}_8$ -I	(1,1)	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_8$ 38	$\mathbb{Z}_8 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 230			268
	(2,1)	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_8$ 41	$\mathbb{Z}_8 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 204			246
	(3,1)	1	$\mathbb{Z}_8 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ 389				389
$\mathbb{Z}_8$ -II	(1,1)	3	$(D_4 \times D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_8)/\mathbb{Z}_2$ 21	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_8 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 398	$\mathbb{Z}_8 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^3$ 1,604		2,023
	(2,1)	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_8$ 231	$\mathbb{Z}_8 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 274			505
$\mathbb{Z}_{12}$ -I	(1,1)	1	$\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ 556				556
	(2,1)	1	$\mathbb{Z}_{12} \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ 555				555
$\mathbb{Z}_{12}$ -II	(1,1)	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 84	$\mathbb{Z}_3^3$ 279			363

SRS (2017), Olguín-Trejo, Pérez-Martínez, SRS (2018)

6,563  $\mathbb{Z}_N$  heterotic orbifolds with MSSM-like properties

# Flavor symmetries in MSSM-like models

Orbifold	Max. # of possible WLS	Max. # $\ell$ of WLS affecting the flavor symmetry	Flavor symmetry with $\ell$ of non-vanishing WLS						Total	
			$\ell = 1$	2	3	4	5	6		
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$	(1,1)	6	6	$D_4^3/\mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0	$D_4^4$ 0	$D_4^3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0	$D_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^4$ 52	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^6$ 152	$\mathbb{Z}_2^8$ 1	205
	(1,3)	4	2	$D_4^3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 0	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^3$ 0					0
	(2,1)	5	5	$D_4^4/\mathbb{Z}_2$ 0	$D_4^3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 0	$D_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 14	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^4$ 342	$\mathbb{Z}_2^6$ 13		369
	(2,3)	3	1	$D_4^4$ 0						0
	(2,5)	3	1	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0						0
	(3,1)	5	3	$D_4^4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 0	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^3$ 432	$\mathbb{Z}_2^6$ 12				444
	(3,3)	3	1	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 0						0
	(4,1)	4	4	$D_4^4$ 0	$D_4^3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^4$ 0	$\mathbb{Z}_2^6$ 0			0
	(5,1)	4	4	$D_4^4$ 0	$D_4^3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^4$ 40	$\mathbb{Z}_2^6$ 2			42
	(5,4)	2	1	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0						0
	(6,1)	4	4	$D_4^4$ 0	$D_4^3 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^4$ 57	$\mathbb{Z}_2^6$ 344			401
	(6,3)	2	0	—						0
	(7,1)	4	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0	$\mathbb{Z}_2^4$ 76					76
	(9,1)	3	3	$D_4^4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 0	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^3$ 2	$\mathbb{Z}_2^6$ 25				27
	(10,1)	3	1	$\mathbb{Z}_2^4$ 21						21
(11,1)	3	3	$D_4^4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 0	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^3$ 0	$\mathbb{Z}_2^6$ 0				0	

SRS (2017), Olguín-Trejo, Pérez-Martínez, SRS (2018)

# Flavor symmetries in MSSM-like models

Orbifold		Max. # of possible WLs	Max. # of WLs affecting the flavor symmetry	Flavor symmetry with $\ell$ of non-vanishing WLs						
				$\ell = 1$	2	3	4	5	6	Total
	(12,1)	2	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 0	$\mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 3					3
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$	(1,1)	4	4	$(D_4^3 \times \mathbb{Z}_4)/\mathbb{Z}_2$ 26	$D_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 1,463	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 8,637	$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^3$ 454			10,580
	(1,6)	2	2	$D_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ 21	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 65					86
	(2,1)	4	4	$(D_4^3 \times \mathbb{Z}_4)/\mathbb{Z}_2$ 81	$D_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 1,131	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 4,686	$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^3$ 260			6,158
	(2,4)	2	1	$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 321						328
	(3,1)	3	3	$(D_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4)$ 103	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 3,637	$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^3$ 13,117				16,857
	(4,1)	3	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 1,308	$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 3,187					4,519
	(5,1)	3	3	$D_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$ 63	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 742	$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^3$ 1,311				2,116
	(6,1)	3	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 884	$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 2,325					3,246
	(7,1)	3	1	$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 2,229						2,667
	(8,1)	2	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 72	$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 839					911
	(9,1)	2	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 522	$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 1,620					2,142
$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ -1	(1,1)	2	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ 467	$\mathbb{Z}_2^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ 116					583
	(2,1)	2	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ 275	$\mathbb{Z}_2^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ 78					353
$\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$	(1,1)	3	3	$\Delta(54)^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ 81	$\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_3^2$ 987	$\mathbb{Z}_3^3$ 40				1,108
	(1,4)	1	1	$\mathbb{Z}_3^3$ 8						8
	(2,1)	2	2	$\Delta(54) \times \mathbb{Z}_3^2$ 239	$\mathbb{Z}_3^3$ 1,713					1,952
	(3,1)	2	1	$\mathbb{Z}_3^3$ 6						6

SRS (2017), Olguin-Trejo, Pérez-Martínez, SRS (2018)

# Flavor symmetries in MSSM-like models

Orbifold		Max. # of possible WLs	Max. # $\ell$ of WLs affecting the flavor symmetry	Flavor symmetry with $\ell$ of non-vanishing WLs						
				$\ell = 1$	2	3	4	5	6	Total
$\mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$	(4,1)	2	1	$\mathbb{Z}_3^4$ 127						215
	(1,1)	1	1	$\mathbb{Z}_3^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ 4,469						4,493
	(2,1)	1	1	$\mathbb{Z}_3^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_6$ 495						540
$\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$	(1,1)	3	3	$(D_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4^2)/\mathbb{Z}_2$ 2,258	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 12,091	$\mathbb{Z}_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^4$ 599				14,953
	(2,1)	2	2	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4^2$ 3,220	$\mathbb{Z}_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 2,807					6,046
	(3,1)	2	1	$\mathbb{Z}_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ 2,914						2,920
	(4,1)	2	1	$D_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_4^2$ 1,552	$\mathbb{Z}_4^2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2^2$ 1,876					3,434

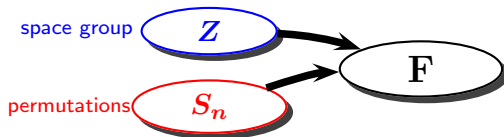
SRS (2017), Olguin-Trejo, Pérez-Martínez, SRS (2018)

87,809  $\mathbb{Z}_N \times \mathbb{Z}_M$  heterotic orbifolds with MSSM-like properties

# Punch line

- Flavor symmetries from compactification geometry:

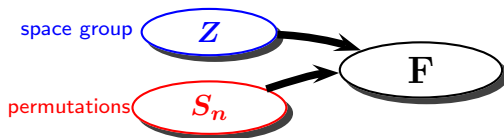
Kobayashi, Nilles, Plöger, Raby, Ratz (2007)



# Punch line

- Flavor symmetries from compactification geometry:

Kobayashi, Nilles, Plöger, Raby, Ratz (2007)

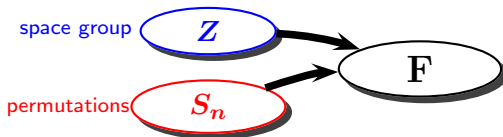


- Full classification of flavor symmetries in Abelian orbifolds

# Punch line

- Flavor symmetries from compactification geometry:

Kobayashi, Nilles, Plöger, Raby, Ratz (2007)

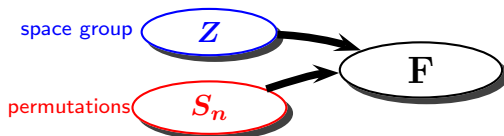


- Full classification of flavor symmetries in Abelian orbifolds
- Full “classification” of Abelian heterotic orbifolds with  $\sim 94,000$  nice models

# Punch line

- Flavor symmetries from compactification geometry:

Kobayashi, Nilles, Plöger, Raby, Ratz (2007)



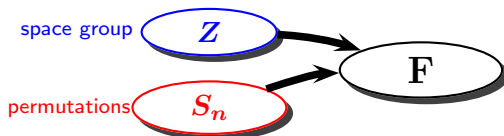
- Full classification of flavor symmetries in Abelian orbifolds
- Full “classification” of Abelian heterotic orbifolds with  $\sim 94,000$  nice models
- Full “classification” of flavor symmetries in MSSM from strings



# Punch line

- Flavor symmetries from compactification geometry:

Kobayashi, Nilles, Plöger, Raby, Ratz (2007)

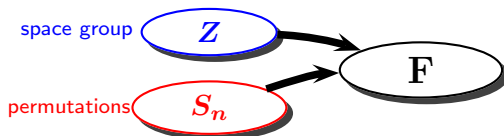


- Full classification of flavor symmetries in Abelian orbifolds
- Full “classification” of Abelian heterotic orbifolds with  $\sim 94,000$  nice models
- Full “classification” of flavor symmetries in MSSM from strings
- 50% of them exhibit  $D_4$  flavor symmetry  $\rightarrow 2 + 1$  families

# Punch line

- Flavor symmetries from compactification geometry:

Kobayashi, Nilles, Plöger, Raby, Ratz (2007)



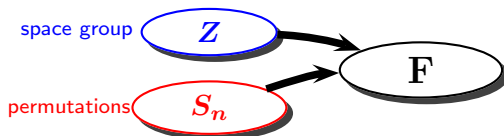
- Full classification of flavor symmetries in Abelian orbifolds
- Full “classification” of Abelian heterotic orbifolds with  $\sim 94,000$  nice models
- Full “classification” of flavor symmetries in MSSM from strings
- 50% of them exhibit  $D_4$  flavor symmetry  $\rightarrow 2 + 1$  families
- 5% of them enjoy  $\Delta(54) \rightarrow 3$  “identical” families

[Hans-Peter]

# Punch line

- Flavor symmetries from compactification geometry:

Kobayashi, Nilles, Plöger, Raby, Ratz (2007)



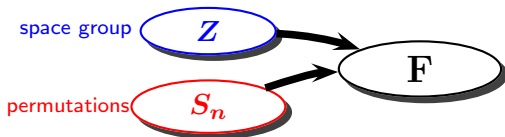
- Full classification of flavor symmetries in Abelian orbifolds
- Full “classification” of Abelian heterotic orbifolds with  $\sim 94,000$  nice models
- Full “classification” of flavor symmetries in MSSM from strings
- 50% of them exhibit  $D_4$  flavor symmetry  $\rightarrow 2 + 1$  families
- 5% of them enjoy  $\Delta(54) \rightarrow 3$  “identical” families
- 45% only Abelian flavor symmetries (!!)

[Hans-Peter]

# Punch line

- Flavor symmetries from compactification geometry:

Kobayashi, Nilles, Plöger, Raby, Ratz (2007)



- Full classification of flavor symmetries in Abelian orbifolds
- Full “classification” of Abelian heterotic orbifolds with  $\sim 94,000$  nice
- Full “classification”
- 50% of them exhibit
- 5% of them enjoy  $\Delta$
- 45% only Abelian fl

## To do

- compare with other classifying tools
- identify common properties
- study phenomenology
- symmetry enhancement?
- are there predictions?

eter]

# An ad that should not be missed

**IN PHENO TROUBLE?**

**Better  
call  
Saul!**

**DRUG DEALING**

**TRAFFIC ACCIDENT**

**SLIP & FALL**

**susy**

**LHC**

**SAUL RAMOS-SANCHEZ**

**NOT TOLL FREE (505) 503 - 4455 • (505) 503 - 4455 SE HABLA ESPANOL**