

CP Violation: Invariant and Opportunistic

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Experiment versus CP



B decays: $sin(2\beta^{eff}) \equiv sin(2\phi_1^{eff})$ vs $C_{CP} \equiv -A_{CP}$ $C_{CP} \equiv -A_{CP}$ 0.8 HFLAV, 2206.07501 0.6 0.4 0.2 0 -0.2 \square η′ **Κ**⁰ K_c K_c K -0.4 -0.6 \sim \otimes -0.8 k K⁺ K⁻ K⁰ 0.6 -0.4 -0.2 Ω 0.2 0.8 04 $\equiv sin(2\phi_1^{eff})$ sin(2β Contours give $-2\Delta(\ln L) = \Delta \chi^2 = 1$, corresponding to 39.3% CL



LHC modified top Yukawa:

0.1 0.2 0.3 0.4 0.5

0.6**^**0.

The Standard Model

(also called "SMEFT")



- many papers state/assume:
- $\operatorname{Re}(C_i)$ = CP conserving $\operatorname{Im}(C_i)$ = CP violating
- but physics is invariant under rephasing: $\psi
 ightarrow e^{i heta} \psi$

Plan

- I. CPV is Collective
- II. Invariant Measures of CPV at dimension 6
- III. Opportunistic CPV

I. CPV is Collective







CP Violation in SM₄

Wolfenstein parameterization:

$$V_{\text{CKM}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \lambda^2/2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \lambda^2/2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \begin{array}{c} \eta \approx 0.36 \\ \lambda \approx 0.23 & \rho \approx 0.16 \\ A \approx 0.82 \end{array}$$

can assign Wolfenstein-scaling to Yukawas:

$$y_{t,c,u} \sim \lambda^{0,4,8}$$
 $y_{b,s,d} \sim \lambda^{3,5,7}$ $y_{\tau,\mu,e} \sim \lambda^{3,5,9}$

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Do Complex Parameters Imply CP Violation?

Does the following CKM matrix imply CP violation?

 $V_{\text{CKM}} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{72-21i}{325} & \frac{4}{13} & -\frac{12i}{13} \\ -\frac{12}{13} & \frac{576+168i}{1625} & \frac{49-168i}{1625} \\ -\frac{96-28i}{325} & -\frac{57}{65} & -\frac{24i}{65} \end{pmatrix}$

All phases can be removed by field redefinitions:

 $Y_d = V_{\rm CKM} Y_d^{\rm diag}$

complex parameters do not always imply CP violation!

Why do we need CP Violating Invariants?

• physical quantities are invariant under rotating fermions by phases:

$$\psi \to e^{i\theta}\psi$$

 more generally, physical quantities are invariant under unitary redefinitions of fermions in flavor space:

$$ex) \qquad Q_i \to U_Q^{ij} \, Q_j$$

 U_Q is any 3x3 unitary matrix

• it should be possible to write all CP violating observables in terms of objects that are invariant under unitary flavor transformations

Jarlskog Invariant

invariant measure of CP violation:

$$J_4 = 3 \operatorname{Im} \operatorname{Det} \left[Y_u Y_u^{\dagger}, Y_d Y_d^{\dagger} \right] = \operatorname{Im} \operatorname{Tr} \left[Y_u Y_u^{\dagger}, Y_d Y_d^{\dagger} \right]^3$$

evaluating using typical CKM parameterization:

$$J_4 = 6(y_t^2 - y_c^2)(y_t^2 - y_u^2)(y_c^2 - y_u^2)(y_b^2 - y_s^2)(y_b^2 - y_d^2))(y_s^2 - y_d^2)$$
$$\times \cos\theta_{12}\cos\theta_{23}\cos^2\theta_{13}\sin\theta_{12}\sin\theta_{23}\sin\theta_{13}\sin\theta_{13}\sin\delta$$

expanding using Wolfenstein: $J_4 \approx 6.4 \eta \, \lambda^{36} \approx 8 \times 10^{-24}$

CP is conserved (at dimension 4) if and only if: $J_4=0$

Jarlskog, Phys. Rev. Lett. **55** (1985) 1039 Bernabeu, Branco, Gronau, Phys. Lett. B **169** (1986) 243

Application: Electroweak Baryogenesis



An Example Dimension 6 Operator

complex Yukawas can be generated by:

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \frac{C_{ij}}{\Lambda^2} |H|^2 \bar{Q}_i H^{\dagger} u_j$$



C has, a priori, 18 real parameters, 9 are phases:

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} |c_{11}|e^{i\delta_{11}} & |c_{12}|e^{i\delta_{12}} & |c_{13}|e^{i\delta_{13}} \\ |c_{21}|e^{i\delta_{21}} & |c_{22}|e^{i\delta_{22}} & |c_{23}|e^{i\delta_{23}} \\ |c_{31}|e^{i\delta_{31}} & |c_{32}|e^{i\delta_{32}} & |c_{33}|e^{i\delta_{33}} \end{pmatrix}$$

but can set C real and diagonal using unitary transformations:

$$Q_i \to U_Q^{ij} Q_j$$

 $u_i \to U_u^{ij} u_j$

does this operator violate CP?



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CP Violation at Dimension 6

consider an amplitude:

$$\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{A}^{(4)} + \mathcal{A}^{(6)} + \dots$$
$$\frac{\frac{1}{\Lambda^0}}{\frac{1}{\Lambda^2}}$$

observable:

$$|\mathcal{A}|^2 = |\mathcal{A}^{(4)}|^2 + 2\operatorname{Re}\left(\mathcal{A}^{(4)}\mathcal{A}^{(6)*}\right) + \dots$$
$$\frac{1}{\Lambda^0} \qquad \qquad \frac{1}{\Lambda^2}$$

CP conserved at order
$$\, {1 \over \Lambda^0} \,$$
 if and only if: $J_4 = 0$

invariant measures of CP violation at order
$$rac{1}{\Lambda^2}$$
 ?

Sample Operator: Bilinear

• example operator:
$${\cal L} \supset {C_{ij}\over \Lambda^2} |H|^2 ar Q_i H^\dagger u_j$$

(9 phases)



• invariant measures of CP violation:

Im Tr
$$(Y_u^{\dagger}C)$$
 Im Tr $(Y_u^{\dagger}Y_u Y_u^{\dagger}C)$ Im Tr $(Y_u^{\dagger}(Y_u Y_u^{\dagger})^2C)$

(invariants with higher powers of Y_u are redundant)

• additional invariants by including both Yukawas :

ex) Im Tr $\left(Y_u^{\dagger}Y_d Y_d^{\dagger}C\right)$

Sample Operator: 4-Fermi

 $\mathcal{L} \supset \frac{C_{ijkl}}{\Lambda^2} \bar{Q}_i u_j \bar{Q}_k d_l$

(81 phases)



example invariants:

$$\operatorname{Im} Y_{u,ij}^{\dagger} Y_{d,ik}^{\dagger} C_{ljlk}$$
$$\operatorname{Im} Y_{u,ij}^{\dagger} Y_{d,kl}^{\dagger} C_{kjil}$$
$$\operatorname{Im} \left(Y_{u} Y_{u}^{\dagger}\right)_{ij} Y_{u,kl}^{\dagger} Y_{d,km}^{\dagger} C_{jlim}$$

How Many Phases at order $1/\Lambda^2$?

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathcal{A}|^2 &= |\mathcal{A}^{(4)}|^2 + 2\operatorname{Re}\left(\mathcal{A}^{(4)}\mathcal{A}^{(6)}\right) + \dots \\ &\searrow \\ & \text{phases transforming under } U(1)_{L_i - L_j} \text{ do not contribute} \\ & \text{ in limit: } m_{\nu} \to 0 \end{aligned}$$

- there are 1143 phases appearing in fermionic dimension 6 operators Alonso, Jenkins, Manohar, Trott, **1312.2014**
- 699 phases can appear in observables at order $1/\Lambda^2$ (444 phases do not!)





III. Opportunistic CPV



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Preserving CP at Dimension 6



When do dimension 6 operators violate CP?

consider a dimension 6 operator:

$$\frac{C_6}{\Lambda^2}\mathcal{O}_6$$

naively this is CP conserving if: ${
m Im}\, C_6=0$

(possible if invariants capturing all phases vanish)

but the dimension-4 sector already violates CP: $\,J_4
eq 0$

opportunistic CP violation: $\mathcal{O}_4^*\mathcal{O}_6\,$ can violate CP even when $\,{
m Im}\,C_6=0\,$

Opportunistic CP Violation

minimal basis: if $J_4 = 0$ there are 699 independent CP violating invariants $\operatorname{Im} \operatorname{Tr} f(Y_u, Y_d, Y_e) C$

maximal basis: if $J_4 \neq 0$ there are 1551 independent invariants

opportunistic CP violation:

interference between dim. 4 and 6 operators that relies on the CKM phase

is opportunistic CP violation suppressed by $J_4 \approx 6.4 \eta \, \lambda^{36} \approx 8 \times 10^{-24}$?

An Opportunistic Example in K-Kbar

consider the operator: $C^{(1)}_{HQ,ij}(H^{\dagger}i\overleftrightarrow{D}H)(\bar{Q}_{i}\gamma^{\mu}Q_{j})$

(3 phases and 6 real param)

minimal set of invariants:

$$L_1 = \operatorname{Im} \operatorname{Tr} \left(X_u X_d C_{HQ}^{(1)} \right), \quad L_5 = \operatorname{Im} \operatorname{Tr} \left(X_u^2 X_d^2 C_{HQ}^{(1)} \right), \quad L_7 = \operatorname{Im} \operatorname{Tr} \left(X_u X_d X_u^2 X_d^2 C_{HQ}^{(1)} \right)$$

if the minimal set vanishes, then can take real C_{HQ} $X_u \equiv Y_u Y_u^{\dagger}$ $X_d \equiv Y_d Y_d^{\dagger}$

opportunistic CPV:

Size of Opportunistic CP Violation

consider for example:

consider the "up basis":

 $\frac{C_{ij}}{\Lambda^2} |H|^2 \bar{Q}_i H^{\dagger} u_j$ (18 real parameters, 9 phases) $\frac{Q_i}{u_j} - H^{\dagger} H^{\dagger}$

counting the number of independent invariants at order λ^n



Size of Opportunistic CP Violation

all dimension 6 operators:



Practical Comments ("so what?")

- Flavor invariants allow for precise, linear, parameterizations of flavor violating observables.
- Invariants capture how some phases have suppressed impacts on baryogenesis at high temperatures

 I'm constraining CP violation in SMEFT (at leading 1/A² order). What does my measurement have to do with invariants? You're constraining a linear combination of invariants!
 What linear combination of invariants am I constraining ? Contact us! We might be able to help figure that out. Is my measurement sensitive to opportunistic CP violation?

Maybe.

Take Away



future directions:

- invariants as parameters in global fits
- invariants in electroweak baryogenesis
- RG mixing of invariants
- invariants at dimension >6 (nonlinear)