Deformed N=8 supergravity from IIA strings and its Chern-Simons duals







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Outlook



``Gong show" motivation



Deformed SO(8)-gauged supergravity



Deformed ISO(7)-gauged supergravity



Massive type IIA strings on S⁶



New AdS₄ *N*=2 solution in massive IIA and its CFT₃ dual



``Gong show" motivation

electric-magnetic deformations

• The uniqueness of the maximal supergravities is historically inherited from their connection to sphere reductions

 $AdS_5 \ x \ S^5 \ (D3-brane) \quad , \quad AdS_4 \ x \ S^7 \ (M2-brane) \quad , \quad AdS_7 \ x \ S^4 \ (M5-brane)$

• *N*=8 supergravity in 4D admits a deformation parameter *c* yielding inequivalent theories. It is an electric/magnetic deformation

$$D = \partial - g \left(A^{\text{elec}} - \frac{c}{c} \tilde{A}_{\text{mag}} \right)$$

g = 4D gauge coupling c = deformation param.

• There are two generic situations :

1) Family of SO(8)_c theories : $c = [0, \sqrt{2} - 1]$ is a continuous param. [similar for SO(p,q)_c]

2) Family of ISO(7)_c theories : c = 0 or 1 is an (on/off) param. [same for ISO($p,q)_c$]

[Dall'Agata, Inverso, Trigiante '12]

[Dall'Agata, Inverso, Marrani '14]

The questions arise:

• Does such an electric/magnetic deformation of 4D maximal supergravity enjoy a string/M-theory origin, or is it just a 4D feature ?

Obstruction for $SO(8)_c$, *cf*. [Lee, Strickland-Constable, Waldram '15]

• For deformed 4D supergravities with supersymmetric AdS₄ vacua, are these AdS₄/CFT₃-dual to any identifiable 3d CFT ?

A new 10D/4D/3d correspondence

massive IIA on $S^6 \ll ISO(7)_c$ -gauged sugra $\gg SU(N)_k$ C-S-M theory



gc = elec/mag deformation in 4D $\hat{F}_{(0)}$ = Romans mass in 10D k = Chern-Simons level in 3d

> [Schwarz '04] [AG, Jafferis, Varela '15] [AG, Varela '15]



N = 8 supergravities in 4D

• SUGRA : metric + 8 gravitini + 28 vectors + 56 dilatini + 70 scalars (s = 2) (s = 3/2) (s = 1) (s = 1/2) (s = 0)

Ungauged (abelian) supergravity: Reduction of M-theory on a *torus* T^7 down to 4D produces N = 8 supergravity with $G = U(1)^{28}$ [Cremmer & Julia '79]

Gauged (non-abelian) supergravity: Reduction of M-theory on a *sphere* S^7 down to 4D produces N = 8 supergravity with G = SO(8)

[de Wit & Nicolai '82]

***** SO(8)-gauged supergravity believed to be unique for 30 years...

... but ... is this true?

Framework to study N = 8 supergravities in 4D

[de Wit, Samtleben & Trigiante '03, '07]

Gauging procedure : Part of the global E₇ symmetry group is promoted to a local symmetry group G (gauging)

Embedding tensor : It is a "selector" specifying which generators of E₇ (there are 133!!) become gauge symmetries G and then will have 28 associated gauge fields

$$A_{\mu} = A_{\mu}^{M} \Theta_{M}^{\alpha} t_{\alpha}$$

$$M = 1, ..., 56 = 28 \text{ (elec)} + 28 \text{ (mag)}$$

$$Redundancy!!$$

 $X_{M} = \Theta_{M}^{\alpha} t_{\alpha} \quad \Longrightarrow \quad [X_{M}, X_{N}] = X_{MN}^{P} X_{P} \quad \text{with} \quad X_{MN}^{P} = \Theta_{M}^{\alpha} [t_{\alpha}]_{N}^{P}$ $[\alpha = 1, \dots, 133]$

***** Closure of the gauge algebra : $\Omega^{MN} \Theta_M^{\alpha} \Theta_N^{\beta} = 0$

Only 28 physical l.c. of vectors!!

A family of G = SO(8) supergravities in 4D

• Choose G = SO(8)

• Solve $\Omega^{MN} \Theta_M{}^{\alpha} \Theta_N{}^{\beta} = 0$ \longrightarrow One-parameter (c) family of SO(8)_c theories !!

[Dall' Agata, Inverso & Trigiante '12]

• Immediate questions :

1) What? (Yes, surprising but true) (No)2) Are these **c**-theories equivalent? 3) Are there new AdS₄ solutions? (Yes)

4) Higher-dimensional origin? (Good question...)

5) AdS_4/CFT_3 dual?

(Good question too... ABJ?)

Physical meaning in 4D : electric/magnetic deformation



Physical meaning 10D/11D ...



Holographic AdS₄/CFT₃ meaning ...



In this talk we are going to investigate the electric/magnetic deformation of a different N=8 supergravity closely related to the G = SO(8) theory ...

... the $G = ISO(7) = SO(7) \ltimes \mathbb{R}^7$ supergravity !!





Deformed ISO(7)-gauged supergravity

A family of G = ISO(7) supergravities in 4D

• Choose G = ISO(7)

• Solve $\Omega^{MN} \Theta_M{}^{\alpha} \Theta_N{}^{\beta} = 0$ \longrightarrow One-parameter (c) family of ISO(7)_c theories !!

[Dall'Agata, Inverso, Marrani '14]

• Immediate questions :

1) What?

(Yes, and still surprising)

2) Are these **c**-theories equivalent? (No)

3) Are there new AdS₄ solutions? (Yes)

4) Higher-dimensional origin? (Yes)

 $5) AdS_4/CFT_3 dual?$ (Yes)

Physical meaning in 4D = electric / magnetic deformation



$$D = \partial - g A_{\mathrm{SO}(7)}^{\mathrm{elec}} - g \left(A_{\mathbb{R}^7}^{\mathrm{elec}} - \mathbf{c} \, \tilde{A}_{\mathbb{R}^7 \, \mathrm{mag}} \right)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{bos}} = (R - V) \operatorname{vol}_{4} - \frac{1}{48} D\mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{MN}} \wedge * D\mathcal{M}^{\mathbb{MN}} + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{I}_{\Lambda\Sigma} \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{\Lambda} \wedge * \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{\Sigma} - \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{R}_{\Lambda\Sigma} \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{\Lambda} \wedge \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{\Sigma} + m \left[\mathcal{B}^{I} \wedge \left(\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I} - \frac{g}{2} \delta_{IJ} \mathcal{B}^{J} \right) - \frac{1}{4} \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{I} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{J} \wedge \left(d\mathcal{A}^{IJ} + \frac{g}{2} \delta_{KL} \mathcal{A}^{IK} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{JL} \right) \right]$$

• Setting m = 0, all the magnetic pieces in the Lagrangian disappear.

- * Ingredients :
- Electric vectors (21+7): $\mathcal{A}^{IJ} = \mathcal{A}^{[IJ]}$ [SO(7)] and \mathcal{A}^{I} [R⁷] with $\mathcal{H}^{\Lambda}_{(2)} = (\mathcal{H}^{IJ}_{(2)}, \mathcal{H}^{I}_{(2)})$
- Auxiliary magnetic vectors (7): $\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_I$ [R⁷] with $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I}$
- E₇/SU(8) scalars : \mathcal{M}_{MN} with cov. deriv. $D = \partial \frac{1}{2} g \mathcal{A}^{IJ} T_{IJ} (g \mathcal{A}^{I} m \delta^{IJ} \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{J}) T_{I}$
- Auxiliary two-forms (7): \mathcal{B}^{I} [R⁷]
- Topological term : *m* [...]

• Scalar potential:
$$\frac{1}{4}V(\mathcal{M}) = \frac{g^2}{672} \left(X_{\mathbb{MN}}{}^{\mathbb{R}} X_{\mathbb{PQ}}{}^{\mathbb{S}} \mathcal{M}^{\mathbb{MP}} \mathcal{M}^{\mathbb{NQ}} \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{RS}} + 7X_{\mathbb{MN}}{}^{\mathbb{Q}} X_{\mathbb{PQ}}{}^{\mathbb{N}} \mathcal{M}^{\mathbb{MP}} \right)$$

A truncation : $G_0 = SU(3)$ invariant sector [Warner '83]

• Truncation : Retaining the fields and couplings which are invariant under the action of a subgroup $G_0 \subset ISO(7)$

- SU(8) R-symmetry branching : gravitini $\mathbf{8} \to \mathbf{1} + \mathbf{1} + \mathbf{3} + \mathbf{\bar{3}} \implies \mathcal{N} = 2$ SUSY - Scalars fields : $\mathbf{70} \to \mathbf{1} (\times 6) + \text{non-singlets} \implies 6$ real scalars $(\varphi, \chi; \phi, a, \zeta, \tilde{\zeta})$ - Vector fields : $\mathbf{56} \to \mathbf{1} (\times 4) + \text{non-singlets} \implies \text{vectors} (A^0, A^1; \tilde{A}_0, \tilde{A}_1)$

• N = 2 gauged supergravity coupled to 1 vector + 1 hyper : $\mathcal{M}_{\text{scalar}} = \frac{\text{SU}(1,1)}{\text{U}(1)} \times \frac{\text{SU}(2,1)}{\text{U}(2)}$

- Non-compact $G = U(1) \times SO(1,1)_m$ dyonic gauging in the hyper sector
- Scalar potential : $V = \frac{1}{2}g^{2} \left[e^{4\phi 3\varphi} (1 + e^{2\varphi}\chi^{2})^{3} 12 e^{2\phi \varphi} (1 + e^{2\varphi}\chi^{2}) 12 e^{2\phi + \varphi}\rho^{2} (1 3 e^{2\varphi}\chi^{2}) \right]$ $24 e^{\varphi} + 12 e^{4\phi + \varphi}\chi^{2}\rho^{2} (1 + e^{2\varphi}\chi^{2}) + 12 e^{4\phi + \varphi}\rho^{4} (1 + 3 e^{2\varphi}\chi^{2}) \right]$ $\frac{1}{2}gm\chi e^{4\phi + 3\varphi} (12 \rho^{2} + 2\chi^{2}) + \frac{1}{2}m^{2} e^{4\phi + 3\varphi} ,$ $AdS \ critical \ points \ !!$

AdS_4 solutions

\mathcal{N}	G_0	$c^{-1/3} \chi$	$c^{-1/3} e^{-\varphi}$	$c^{-1/3} \rho$	$c^{-1/3} e^{-\phi}$	$\frac{1}{4} g^{-2} c^{1/3} V_0$	$M^2 L^2$
$\mathcal{N} = 1$	G_2	$-\frac{1}{2^{7/3}}$	$\frac{5^{1/2} 3^{1/2}}{2^{7/3}}$	$-\frac{1}{2^{7/3}}$	$\frac{5^{1/2} 3^{1/2}}{2^{7/3}}$	$-\frac{2^{22/3} 3^{1/2}}{5^{5/2}}$	$4 \pm \sqrt{6} , -\frac{1}{6}(11 \pm \sqrt{6})$
$\mathcal{N}=2$	U(3)	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3^{1/2}}{2}$	0	$\frac{1}{2^{1/2}}$	$-3^{3/2}$	$3 \pm \sqrt{17} , 2 , 2$
$\mathcal{N} = 1$	SU(3)	$\frac{1}{2^2}$	$\frac{3^{1/2} 5^{1/2}}{2^2}$	$-\frac{3^{1/2}}{2^2}$	$\frac{5^{1/2}}{2^2}$	$-rac{2^6 3^{3/2}}{5^{5/2}}$	$4\pm\sqrt{6},4\pm\sqrt{6}$
$\mathcal{N} = 0$	$SO(6)_+$	0	$2^{1/6}$	0	$\frac{1}{2^{5/6}}$	$-32^{5/6}$	$6,6,-rac{3}{4},0$
$\mathcal{N} = 0$	$SO(7)_+$	0	$\frac{1}{5^{1/6}}$	0	$\frac{1}{5^{1/6}}$	$-rac{35^{7/6}}{2^2}$	$6,-\frac{12}{5},-\frac{6}{5},-\frac{6}{5}$
$\mathcal{N} = 0$	G_2	$\frac{1}{2^{4/3}}$	$\frac{3^{1/2}}{2^{4/3}}$	$\frac{1}{2^{4/3}}$	$\frac{3^{1/2}}{2^{4/3}}$	$-rac{2^{10/3}}{3^{1/2}}$	6,6,-1,-1
$\mathcal{N} = 0$	SU(3)	0.455	0.838	0.335	0.601	-5.864	6.214,5.925,1.145,-1.284
$\mathcal{N} = 0$	SU(3)	0.270	0.733	0.491	0.662	-5.853	6.230,5.905,1.130,-1.264

✦ Relevant for holographic RG flows (in progress...) !!

The truncated Lagrangian (I)

• The Lagrangian still contains a tensor field B^0 :

$$\mathcal{L} = (R - V) \operatorname{vol}_{4} + \frac{3}{2} \left[d\varphi \wedge *d\varphi + e^{2\varphi} d\chi \wedge *d\chi \right] + 2 d\phi \wedge *d\phi + \frac{1}{2} e^{2\phi} \left[D\zeta \wedge *D\zeta + D\tilde{\zeta} \wedge *D\tilde{\zeta} \right] + \frac{1}{2} e^{4\phi} \left[Da + \frac{1}{2} (\zeta D\tilde{\zeta} - \tilde{\zeta} D\zeta) \right] \wedge * \left[Da + \frac{1}{2} (\zeta D\tilde{\zeta} - \tilde{\zeta} D\zeta) \right] + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{I}_{\Lambda\Sigma} H^{\Lambda}_{(2)} \wedge *H^{\Sigma}_{(2)} - \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{R}_{\Lambda\Sigma} H^{\Lambda}_{(2)} \wedge H^{\Sigma}_{(2)} + m B^{0} \wedge d\tilde{A}_{0} + \frac{1}{2} g m B^{0} \wedge B^{0}$$

where

$$Da = da + g A^0 - m \tilde{A}_0 \quad , \quad D\zeta = d\zeta - 3 g A^1 \tilde{\zeta} \quad , \quad D\tilde{\zeta} = d\tilde{\zeta} + 3 g A^1 \zeta$$

and with

$$H^0_{(2)} = dA^0 + m B^0$$
 , $H^1_{(2)} = dA^1$

• Vector kinetic &
$$\theta$$
-term : $\mathcal{N}_{\Lambda\Sigma} = \mathcal{R}_{\Lambda\Sigma} + i \mathcal{I}_{\Lambda\Sigma} = \frac{1}{(2 e^{\varphi} \chi + i)} \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{e^{3\varphi}}{(e^{\varphi} \chi - i)^2} & \frac{3 e^{2\varphi} \chi}{(e^{\varphi} \chi - i)} \\ \frac{3 e^{2\varphi} \chi}{(e^{\varphi} \chi - i)} & 3 (e^{\varphi} \chi^2 + e^{-\varphi}) \end{pmatrix}$

• Non-dynamical tensor & magnetic vector via Da + topological term !!

The truncated Lagrangian (II): dual formulation

• Solving the EOM for the magnetic vector, one finds

$$H^{0}_{(3)} = e^{4\phi} * \left(Da + \frac{1}{2} \left(\zeta D\tilde{\zeta} - \tilde{\zeta} D\zeta \right) \right) \qquad \text{scalar-tensor duality!!}$$

• The dual Lagrangian

$$\begin{aligned} \widetilde{\mathcal{L}} &= (R-V)\operatorname{vol}_4 + \frac{1}{2} e^{-4\phi} H^0_{(3)} \wedge *H^0_{(3)} + \frac{3}{2} \left[d\varphi \wedge *d\varphi + e^{2\varphi} d\chi \wedge *d\chi \right] \\ &+ 2 d\phi \wedge *d\phi + \frac{1}{2} e^{2\phi} \left[D\zeta \wedge *D\zeta + D\tilde{\zeta} \wedge *D\tilde{\zeta} \right] \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{I}_{\Lambda\Sigma} H^{\Lambda}_{(2)} \wedge *H^{\Sigma}_{(2)} - \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{R}_{\Lambda\Sigma} H^{\Lambda}_{(2)} \wedge H^{\Sigma}_{(2)} \\ &- H^0_{(3)} \wedge \left[g A^0 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\zeta D\tilde{\zeta} - \tilde{\zeta} D\zeta \right) \right] + \frac{1}{2} gm B^0 \wedge B^0 . \end{aligned}$$

• Dynamical tensor $H_{(3)}^0 = dB^0$ & **Da** and \tilde{A}_0 have disappeared from the Lagrangian

♦ Natural duality frame to investigate possible higher-dimensional origin!! [Calabi-Yau red.]

[Louis & Micu '02]

Dual formulations seem to be crucial to understand higher-dimensional origins!!

... let's give up the Lagrangian.

SL(7)-covariant duality hierarchy

[de Wit, Nicolai & Samtleben '08] [Bergshoeff, Hartong, Hohm, Huebscher & Ortin '09]

• Restricted SL(7)-covariant field content [index I]

$$\begin{array}{cccccccc} \mathbf{1} & \text{metric}: & ds_4^2 \\ \mathbf{21'} + \mathbf{7'} + \mathbf{21} + \mathbf{7} & \text{coset representatives}: & \mathcal{V}^{IJ\,ij} \ , \ \mathcal{V}^{I8\,ij} \ , \ \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{IJ}{}^{ij} \ , \ \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{I8}{}^{ij} \ , \\ \mathbf{21'} + \mathbf{7'} + \mathbf{21} + \mathbf{7} & \text{vectors}: & \mathcal{A}^{IJ} \ , & \mathcal{A}^I \ , & \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{IJ} \ , & \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_I \ , \\ \mathbf{48} + \mathbf{7'} & \text{two-forms}: & \mathcal{B}_I{}^J \ , & \mathcal{B}^I \ , & & & & & & & & \\ \mathbf{28'} & \text{three-forms}: & \mathcal{C}^{IJ} \ , & & & & & & & & & & & & \\ \end{array}$$

• Two-form field strengths [**21'** + **7'** + **21** + **7**]

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{IJ} &= d\mathcal{A}^{IJ} - g \,\delta_{KL} \,\mathcal{A}^{IK} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{LJ} , \\ \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{I} &= d\mathcal{A}^{I} - g \,\delta_{JK} \,\mathcal{A}^{IJ} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{K} + \frac{1}{2}m \,\mathcal{A}^{IJ} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{J} + m \,\mathcal{B}^{I} , \\ \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)IJ} &= d\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{IJ} + g \,\delta_{K[I} \,\mathcal{A}^{KL} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{J]L} + g \,\delta_{K[I} \,\mathcal{A}^{K} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{J]} - m \,\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{I} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{J} + 2g \,\delta_{K[I} \,\mathcal{B}_{J]}^{K} , \\ \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I} &= d\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{I} - \frac{1}{2}g \,\delta_{IJ} \,\mathcal{A}^{JK} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{K} + g \,\delta_{IJ} \,\mathcal{B}^{J} , \end{aligned}$$

[i, j are SU(8) indices relevant to couple fermions]

• Three-form field strengths [48 + 7']

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}_{(3)I}{}^{J} &= D\mathcal{B}_{I}{}^{J} + \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{A}^{JK} \wedge d\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{IK} + \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{A}^{J} \wedge d\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{I} + \frac{1}{2}\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{IK} \wedge d\mathcal{A}^{JK} + \frac{1}{2}\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{I} \wedge d\mathcal{A}^{J} \\ &- \frac{1}{2}g\,\delta_{KL}\,\mathcal{A}^{JK} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{LM} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{IM} - \frac{1}{2}g\,\delta_{KL}\,\mathcal{A}^{JK} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{L} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{I} \\ &+ \frac{1}{6}g\,\delta_{IK}\,\mathcal{A}^{JL} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{KM} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{LM} - \frac{1}{3}g\,\delta_{IK}\,\mathcal{A}^{(J} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{K)L} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{L} \\ &- \frac{1}{2}m\,\mathcal{A}^{JK} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{I} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{K} - 2g\,\delta_{IK}\,\mathcal{C}^{JK} - \frac{1}{7}\,\delta_{I}^{J}\,(\text{trace}) \;, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}_{(3)}^{I} &= D\mathcal{B}^{I} - \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{A}^{IJ} \wedge d\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{J} - \frac{1}{2}\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{J} \wedge d\mathcal{A}^{IJ} + \frac{1}{2}g\,\delta_{JK}\,\mathcal{A}^{IJ} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{KL} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{L} \;, \end{aligned}$$

• Four-form field strengths [28']

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}_{(4)}^{IJ} &= D\mathcal{C}^{IJ} - \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{K(I)} \wedge \mathcal{B}_{K}^{J)} + \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{(I)} \wedge \mathcal{B}^{J)} - \frac{1}{2}m \, \mathcal{B}^{I} \wedge \mathcal{B}^{J} - \frac{1}{6} \mathcal{A}^{K(I)} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{KL} \wedge d\mathcal{A}^{J)L} \\ &+ \frac{1}{6} \mathcal{A}^{IK} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{JL} \wedge d\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{KL} - \frac{1}{6} \mathcal{A}^{K(I)} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{K} \wedge d\mathcal{A}^{J)} - \frac{1}{3} \mathcal{A}^{K(I)} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{J)} \wedge d\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{K} \\ &- \frac{1}{6} \mathcal{A}^{(I)} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{K} \wedge d\mathcal{A}^{J)K} - \frac{1}{6} g \, \delta_{KL} \, \mathcal{A}^{K(I)} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{J)M} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{LN} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{MN} \\ &+ \frac{1}{6} g \, \delta_{KL} \, \mathcal{A}^{K(I)} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{J)} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{LM} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{M} - \frac{1}{6} g \, \delta_{KL} \, \mathcal{A}^{K(I)} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{J)M} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{L} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{M} \\ &- \frac{1}{8} m \, \mathcal{A}^{IK} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{JL} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{K} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{L} \, . \end{aligned}$$

• Closed set of Bianchi identities [consistency]

$$\begin{aligned} D\mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{IJ} &= 0 \ , \ D\mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{I} = m \,\mathcal{H}_{(3)}^{I} \ , \ D\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)IJ} = -2 \, g \,\mathcal{H}_{(3)[I}{}^{K} \,\delta_{J]K} \ , \ D\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I} = g \,\delta_{IJ} \,\mathcal{H}_{(3)}^{J} \ , \\ D\mathcal{H}_{(3)I}{}^{J} &= \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{JK} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)IK} + \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{J} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I} - 2g \,\delta_{IK} \,\mathcal{H}_{(4)}^{JK} - \frac{1}{7} \,\delta_{I}^{J} \,(\text{trace}) \ , \\ D\mathcal{H}_{(3)}^{I} &= -\mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{IJ} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)J} \ , \quad D\mathcal{H}_{(4)}^{IJ} \equiv 0 \ . \end{aligned}$$

• Closed set of duality relations [right number of d.o.f] [short-hand notation]

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)IJ} &= -\frac{1}{2} \mathcal{I}_{[IJ][KL]} * \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{KL} - \mathcal{I}_{[IJ][K8]} * \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{K} + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{R}_{[IJ][KL]} \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{KL} + \mathcal{R}_{[IJ][K8]} \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{K} , \\ \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I} &= -\frac{1}{2} \mathcal{I}_{[I8][KL]} * \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{KL} - \mathcal{I}_{[I8][K8]} * \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{K} + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{R}_{[I8][KL]} \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{KL} + \mathcal{R}_{[I8][K8]} \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{K} , \\ \mathcal{H}_{(3)I}^{J} &= -\frac{1}{12} (t_{I}^{J})_{\mathbb{M}}^{\mathbb{P}} \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{NP}} * D \mathcal{M}^{\mathbb{MN}} - \frac{1}{7} \delta_{I}^{J} (\text{trace}) , \\ \mathcal{H}_{(3)}^{I} &= -\frac{1}{12} (t_{8}^{I})_{\mathbb{M}}^{\mathbb{P}} \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{NP}} * D \mathcal{M}^{\mathbb{MN}} , \\ \mathcal{H}_{(4)}^{IJ} &= \frac{1}{84} X_{\mathbb{NQ}}^{\mathbb{S}} ((t_{K}^{(I|})_{\mathbb{P}}^{\mathbb{R}} \mathcal{M}^{|J)K\mathbb{N}} + (t_{8}^{(I|})_{\mathbb{P}}^{\mathbb{R}} \mathcal{M}^{|J)8\mathbb{N}}) (\mathcal{M}^{\mathbb{PQ}} \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{RS}} + 7 \delta_{\mathbb{S}}^{\mathbb{P}} \delta_{\mathbb{R}}^{\mathbb{Q}}) \text{vol}_{4} \end{split}$$

tensor hierarchy + duality relations = duality hierarchy

[t's are SL(7) × R⁷ generators]

• Closed set of SUSY transformations [consistency]

[vielbein and scalars] $\delta e_{\mu}{}^{\alpha} = \frac{1}{4} \bar{\epsilon}_{i} \gamma^{\alpha} \psi_{\mu}{}^{i} + \frac{1}{4} \bar{\epsilon}^{i} \gamma^{\alpha} \psi_{\mu i}$ $\delta \mathcal{V}_{\mathbb{M}}{}^{ij} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \mathcal{V}_{\mathbb{M}kl} \left(\bar{\epsilon}^{[i} \chi^{jkl]} + \frac{1}{4!} \varepsilon^{ijklmnpq} \bar{\epsilon}_{m} \chi_{npq} \right)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{vectors } \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\delta \mathcal{A}_{\mu}{}^{IJ} = i \mathcal{V}^{IJ}{}_{ij} \left(\bar{\epsilon}^{i} \psi_{\mu}{}^{j} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \bar{\epsilon}_{k} \gamma_{\mu} \chi^{ijk} \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\delta \mathcal{A}_{\mu}{}^{I} = i \mathcal{V}^{I8}{}_{ij} \left(\bar{\epsilon}^{i} \psi_{\mu}{}^{j} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \bar{\epsilon}_{k} \gamma_{\mu} \chi^{ijk} \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\delta \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\mu IJ} = -i \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{IJ ij} \left(\bar{\epsilon}^{i} \psi_{\mu}{}^{j} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \bar{\epsilon}_{k} \gamma_{\mu} \chi^{ijk} \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\delta \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\mu I} = -i \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{I8 ij} \left(\bar{\epsilon}^{i} \psi_{\mu}{}^{j} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \bar{\epsilon}_{k} \gamma_{\mu} \chi^{ijk} \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{two-forms} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\delta \mathcal{B}_{\mu\nu J}{}^{I} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{2}{3} (\mathcal{V}^{IK}{}_{jk} \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{JK}{}^{ik} + \mathcal{V}^{I8}{}_{jk} \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{J8}{}^{ik} + \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{JKjk} \mathcal{V}^{IKik} + \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{J8jk} \mathcal{V}^{I8ik}) \bar{\epsilon}_{i} \gamma_{[\mu} \psi_{\nu]}^{j} \\ & -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} (\mathcal{V}^{IK}{}_{ij} \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{JKkl} + \mathcal{V}^{I8}{}_{ij} \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{J8kl}) \bar{\epsilon}^{[i} \gamma_{\mu\nu} \chi^{jkl]} + \text{h.c.} \end{bmatrix} \\ & + (\mathcal{A}^{IK}_{[\mu} \delta \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\nu]JK} + \mathcal{A}^{I}_{[\mu} \delta \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\nu]J} + \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{[\mu]JK} \delta \mathcal{A}_{[\nu]}{}^{IK} + \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{[\mu]J} \delta \mathcal{A}_{[\nu]}{}^{I}) - \frac{1}{7} \delta^{I}_{J} (\text{trace}) , \\ \delta \mathcal{B}_{\mu\nu}{}^{I} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} (\mathcal{V}^{IJ}{}_{jk} \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{J8}{}^{ik} + \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{J8jk} \mathcal{V}^{IJik}) \bar{\epsilon}_{i} \gamma_{[\mu} \psi_{\nu]}^{j} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} \mathcal{V}^{IJ}{}_{ij} \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{J8kl} \bar{\epsilon}^{[i} \gamma_{\mu\nu} \chi^{jkl]} + \text{h.c.} \end{bmatrix} \\ & - (\mathcal{A}^{IJ}_{[\mu} \delta \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\nu]J} + \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{[\mu]J} \delta \mathcal{A}_{[\nu]}{}^{IJ}) . \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{three-forms} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\delta \mathcal{C}_{\mu\nu\rho}{}^{IJ} = \left[-\frac{4i}{7} \left(\mathcal{V}^{K(I}{}_{jl} (\mathcal{V}^{J)L\,lk} \, \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{KL\,ik} + \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{KL}{}^{lk} \, \mathcal{V}^{J)L}{}_{ik} \right) + \mathcal{V}^{K(I}{}_{jl} (\mathcal{V}^{J)8\,lk} \, \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{K8\,ik} + \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{K8}{}^{lk} \, \mathcal{V}^{J)8}{}_{ik} \right) + \mathcal{V}^{(I|8}{}_{jl} (\mathcal{V}^{|J)K\,lk} \, \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{K8\,ik} + \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{K8}{}^{lk} \, \mathcal{V}^{|J)K}{}_{ik} \right) \bar{\epsilon}^{i} \gamma_{[\mu\nu} \psi_{\rho]}^{j} + i \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} \left(\mathcal{V}^{K(I|hi} \, \mathcal{V}^{|J)L}{}_{[ij]} \, \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{KL|kl]} + \mathcal{V}^{K(Ihi} \, \mathcal{V}^{J)8}{}_{[ij]} \, \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{K8|kl]} + \mathcal{V}^{(I|8hi} \, \mathcal{V}^{|J)K}{}_{[ij]} \, \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{K8|kl]} \right) \bar{\epsilon}_{h} \gamma_{\mu\nu\rho} \chi^{jkl} + \text{h.c.} \right] \\ - 3 \left(\mathcal{B}_{[\mu\nu|K}{}^{(I} \, \delta \mathcal{A}_{|\rho]}^{J)K} + \mathcal{B}_{[\mu\nu}{}^{(I} \, \delta \mathcal{A}_{\rho]}^{J)} \right) + \mathcal{A}_{[\mu}{}^{K(I} (\mathcal{A}_{\nu}^{J)} \, \delta \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\rho]K} + \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\nu K} \, \delta \mathcal{A}_{\rho]}^{J)} + \mathcal{A}_{[\mu}{}_{\mu}{}^{(I} (\mathcal{A}_{\nu}^{J)K} \, \delta \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\rho]K} + \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\nu K} \, \delta \mathcal{A}_{\rho]}^{J)K} \right) .$$

... all scalars, vectors and the fermions should be kept !!

• How does the scalar potential potential V fit in the duality hierarchy ?

$$\Theta_{\mathbb{M}}{}^{\alpha} \mathcal{H}_{(4)\alpha}{}^{\mathbb{M}} = -2 \, V \operatorname{vol}_4$$

- In our deformed $ISO(7)_c$ theory, one has four-form field strengths

$$g \,\delta_{IJ} \,\mathcal{H}^{IJ}_{(4)} + m \,\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(4)} = -2 \,V \,\mathrm{vol}_4 \qquad [\mathbf{28'} + \mathbf{1} \text{ of SL(7)}]$$

where we need the SL(7)-singlet four-form field strength $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(4)}$ dual to the magnetic ET

- Consistency requires also the three-form field strength $\mathcal{H}_{(3)}$ rendering $\mathcal{H}_{(3)I}^{J}$ traceful

$$\mathcal{H}_{(3)} = \frac{1}{12} (t_8{}^8)_{\mathbb{M}} \mathbb{P} \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{NP}} * D\mathcal{M}^{\mathbb{MN}} ,$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(4)} = \frac{1}{84} X_{\mathbb{NQ}} \mathbb{S} (t_8{}^K)_{\mathbb{P}} \mathbb{R} \mathcal{M}_{8K} \mathbb{N} \mathcal{M}^{\mathbb{PQ}} \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{RS}} \operatorname{vol}_4$$

* Extended BI's :

$$D\mathcal{H}_{(3)} = \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{IJ} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)IJ} + \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{I} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I} - 2g \,\delta_{IJ} \,\mathcal{H}_{(4)}^{IJ} - 14 \,m \,\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(4)}$$
$$D\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(4)} \equiv 0 ,$$

Q : Why to bother with all these duality hierarchy issues?

A : Because the duality hierarchy allows us to derive simple embedding formulas to put the 4D *dynamics* into a higher-dimensional one.

Remember : No index, no clue. Good luck trying to embed V into higher dimensions...



Massive type IIA strings on S⁶

Collecting clues

• The deformed $ISO(7)_c$ gauging has its SO(7) piece untouched by the deformation. This points towards an undeformed S⁶ description in higher dimension.

• If the higher-dimensional geometry is not affected, it should then be the higherdimensional theory the one changing. The massive IIA theory by Romans proves a natural candidate.

• The Romans mass parameter $\hat{F}_{(0)}$ is a discrete (on/off) deformation, exactly as the parameter c in the deformed ISO(7)_c theory.

• The SU(3)-invariant sector of the ISO(7)_c theory connects to CY₃ reductions of massive IIA upon the dualisation of some field. It is then natural to believe that the embedding of the full ISO(7)_c theory would require an enlarged set of duality relations... duality hierarchy!!

Derivation of the IIA embedding [4-step process]

* Step 1 : 10D KK expansion that leaves 4D spacetime symmetry manifest

A(x,y)'s and B(x,y)'s fields

* Step 2 : Redefinitions of the A's and B's fields to conform 4D SUSY transformations

C(x,y)'s fields

* Step 3 : Connection to 4D fields by dressing up with S⁶ geometrical data

 $C(x, y) = \text{geometry}(y) \times \mathcal{C}(x)$

* Step 4 : Plug and play

* Step 1 : 10D redefinitions (KK expansion) that leave 4D spacetime symmetry manifest

 $SO(1,9) \rightarrow SO(1,3) \times SO(6)$

Then one has : $d\hat{s}_{10}^2 = \Delta^{-1} ds_4^2 + g_{mn} (dy^m + B^m) (dy^n + B^n) ,$ $\hat{A}_{(3)} = \frac{1}{6} A_{\mu\nu\rho} dx^{\mu} \wedge dx^{\nu} \wedge dx^{\rho} + \frac{1}{2} A_{\mu\nu m} dx^{\mu} \wedge dx^{\nu} \wedge (dy^m + B^m) + \frac{1}{2} A_{\mu m n} dx^{\mu} \wedge (dy^m + B^m) \wedge (dy^n + B^n) + \frac{1}{6} A_{mnp} (dy^m + B^m) \wedge (dy^n + B^n) \wedge (dy^p + B^p) ,$ $\hat{B}_{(2)} = \frac{1}{2} B_{\mu\nu} dx^{\mu} \wedge dx^{\nu} + B_{\mu m} dx^{\mu} \wedge (dy^m + B^m) + \frac{1}{2} B_{mn} (dy^m + B^m) \wedge (dy^n + B^n) ,$ $\hat{A}_{(1)} = A_{\mu} dx^{\mu} + A_m (dy^m + B^m) ,$

In terms of representations of SL(6) [index m]:

 $\Delta^2 \equiv \frac{\det g_{mn}}{\det \mathring{g}_{mn}}$

* Step 2 : Non-linear field redefinitions to conform 4D SUSY transformations

- Vectors : $C_{\mu}{}^{m8} \equiv B_{\mu}{}^m$, $C_{\mu}{}^{78} \equiv A_{\mu}$, $\tilde{C}_{\mu mn} \equiv A_{\mu mn} - A_{\mu}B_{mn}$, $\tilde{C}_{\mu m7} \equiv B_{\mu m}$

- Two-forms :
$$C_{\mu\nu\,m}{}^8 \equiv -A_{\mu\nu m} + C_{[\mu}{}^{n8}\tilde{C}_{\nu]nm} + C_{[\mu}{}^{78}\tilde{C}_{\nu]m7}$$
, $C_{\mu\nu\,7}{}^8 \equiv -B_{\mu\nu} + C_{[\mu}{}^{m8}\tilde{C}_{\nu]m7}$

- Three-form :
$$C_{\mu\nu\rho}{}^{88} \equiv A_{\mu\nu\rho} - C_{[\mu}{}^{m8}C_{\nu}{}^{n8}\tilde{C}_{\rho]mn} + C_{[\mu}{}^{m8}C_{\nu}{}^{78}\tilde{C}_{\rho]m7} + 3C_{[\mu}{}^{78}C_{\nu\rho]7}{}^8$$

These can be rearranged into representations of SL(7) [index I]

$$C_{\mu}{}^{I8} = (C_{\mu}{}^{m8}, C_{\mu}{}^{78}) \qquad \tilde{C}_{\mu IJ} = (\tilde{C}_{\mu mn}, \tilde{C}_{\mu m7}) \qquad C_{\mu\nu I}{}^8 = (C_{\mu\nu m}{}^8, C_{\mu\nu 7}{}^8) \qquad C_{\mu\nu\rho}{}^{88}$$

with 10D SUSY transfs:

$$\begin{split} \delta C_{\mu}{}^{I8} &= i \, V^{I8}{}_{AB} \left(\bar{\epsilon}^{A} \psi_{\mu}{}^{B} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \bar{\epsilon}_{C} \gamma_{\mu} \chi^{ABC} \right) + \text{h.c.} , \\ \delta \tilde{C}_{\mu \, IJ} &= -i \, V_{IJ \, AB} \left(\bar{\epsilon}^{A} \psi_{\mu}{}^{B} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \bar{\epsilon}_{C} \gamma_{\mu} \chi^{ABC} \right) + \text{h.c.} , \\ \delta C_{\mu\nu \, I}{}^{8} &= \left[\frac{2}{3} \left(V^{J8}{}_{BC} \, \tilde{V}_{IJ}{}^{AC} + \tilde{V}_{IJ \, BC} \, V^{J8AC} \right) \bar{\epsilon}_{A} \gamma_{[\mu} \psi_{\nu]}^{B} \right. \\ &+ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} \, V^{J8}{}_{AB} \, \tilde{V}_{IJ \, CD} \, \bar{\epsilon}^{[A} \gamma_{\mu\nu} \chi^{BCD]} + \text{h.c.} \right] - C_{[\mu}{}^{J8} \, \delta \tilde{C}_{\nu]IJ} - \tilde{C}_{[\mu| \, IJ} \, \delta C_{|\nu]}{}^{J8} \, , \end{split}$$

$$\delta C_{\mu\nu\rho}{}^{88} = \left[\frac{4i}{7} V^{I8}{}_{BD} \left(V^{J8DC} \tilde{V}_{IJAC} + \tilde{V}_{IJ}{}^{DC} V^{J8}{}_{AC} \right) \bar{\epsilon}^{A} \gamma_{[\mu\nu} \psi^{B}_{\rho]} - i \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} V^{I8AE} V^{J8}{}_{[EB|} \tilde{V}_{IJ|CD]} \bar{\epsilon}_{A} \gamma_{\mu\nu\rho} \chi^{BCD} + \text{h.c.} \right] + 3 C_{[\mu\nu|I}{}^{8} \delta C_{|\rho]}{}^{I8} - C_{[\mu}{}^{I8} \left(C_{\nu}{}^{J8} \delta \tilde{C}_{\rho]IJ} + \tilde{C}_{\nu|IJ} \delta C_{|\rho]}{}^{J8} \right) + \delta C_{[\mu\nu|I}{}^{8} \delta C_{|\rho]}{}^{I8} - C_{[\mu}{}^{I8} \left(C_{\nu}{}^{J8} \delta \tilde{C}_{\rho]IJ} + \tilde{C}_{\nu|IJ} \delta C_{|\rho]}{}^{J8} \right) + \delta C_{[\mu\nu|I}{}^{I8} \delta C_{|\rho]}{}^{I8} - C_{[\mu}{}^{I8} \left(C_{\nu}{}^{J8} \delta \tilde{C}_{\rho]IJ} + \tilde{C}_{\nu|IJ} \delta C_{|\rho]}{}^{J8} \right) + \delta C_{[\mu\nu|I}{}^{I8} \delta C_{|\rho]}{}^{I8} - C_{[\mu}{}^{I8} \left(C_{\nu}{}^{J8} \delta \tilde{C}_{\rho]IJ} + \tilde{C}_{\nu|IJ} \delta C_{|\rho]}{}^{J8} \right) + \delta C_{[\mu\nu|I}{}^{I8} \delta C_{|\rho]}{}^{I8} + \delta C_{[\mu\nu|I}{}^{I8} + \delta C_{[\mu\nu|I}{}^{I8} \delta C_{|\rho]}{}^{I8} + \delta C_{[\mu\nu|I}{}^{I8} \delta C_{|\rho]}{}^{I8} + \delta C_{[\mu\nu|I}{}^{I8} + \delta C_{[$$

Like those of the tensor hierarchy !!

... given in terms of a generalised vielbein

$$V^{I8}{}_{AB} = (V^{m8}{}_{AB}, V^{78}{}_{AB}) , \quad \tilde{V}_{IJAB} = (\tilde{V}_{mnAB}, \tilde{V}_{m7AB})$$

with components

$$\begin{split} V^{m8AB} &= -\frac{1}{4} \Delta^{-\frac{1}{2}} e_a{}^m (\Gamma^a C^{-1})^{AB} ,\\ V^{78AB} &= -\frac{1}{4} e^{-\frac{3}{4}\hat{\phi}} \Delta^{-\frac{1}{2}} (\Gamma_7 C^{-1})^{AB} - V^{m8AB} A_m ,\\ \tilde{V}_{m7}{}^{AB} &= \frac{1}{4} e^{\frac{1}{2}\hat{\phi}} \Delta^{-\frac{1}{2}} e_m{}^a (\Gamma_a \Gamma_7 C^{-1})^{AB} + V^{n8AB} B_{nm} ,\\ \tilde{V}_{mn}{}^{AB} &= \frac{1}{4} e^{-\frac{1}{4}\hat{\phi}} \Delta^{-\frac{1}{2}} e_m{}^a e_n{}^b (\Gamma_{ab} C^{-1})^{AB} + V^{p8AB} (A_{pmn} - 2B_{p[m} A_{n]}) \\ &+ V^{78AB} B_{mn} + 2 \tilde{V}_{[m|7}{}^{AB} A_{[n]} \end{split}$$

and

$$V^{m8}{}_{AB} = \frac{1}{4} \Delta^{-\frac{1}{2}} e_a{}^m (C\Gamma^a)_{AB} ,$$

$$V^{78}{}_{AB} = \frac{1}{4} e^{-\frac{3}{4}\hat{\phi}} \Delta^{-\frac{1}{2}} (C\Gamma_7)_{AB} - V^{m8}{}_{AB} A_m ,$$

$$\tilde{V}_{m7AB} = \frac{1}{4} e^{\frac{1}{2}\hat{\phi}} \Delta^{-\frac{1}{2}} e_m{}^a (C\Gamma_a\Gamma_7)_{AB} + V^{n8}{}_{AB} B_{nm} ,$$

$$\tilde{V}_{mnAB} = \frac{1}{4} e^{-\frac{1}{4}\hat{\phi}} \Delta^{-\frac{1}{2}} e_m{}^a e_n{}^b (C\Gamma_{ab})_{AB} + V^{p8}{}_{AB} (A_{pmn} - 2B_{p[m}A_{n]}) + V^{78}{}_{AB} B_{mn} + 2 \tilde{V}_{[m|7AB}A_{|n]}$$

The result is then a set of SL(7)-covariant 10D fields :

$$\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & \text{metric}: & ds_{4}^{2}\left(x,y\right), \\ \mathbf{7}' + \mathbf{21} & \text{generalised vielbeine}: & V^{I8}{}_{AB}(x,y), \; \tilde{V}_{IJ\,AB}(x,y), \\ \mathbf{7}' + \mathbf{21} & \text{vectors}: & C_{\mu}{}^{I8}(x,y), \; \tilde{C}_{\mu}{}_{IJ}(x,y), \\ \mathbf{7} & \text{two-forms}: & C_{\mu\nu}{}^{8}(x,y), \\ \mathbf{1} & \text{three-form}: & C_{\mu\nu\rho}{}^{88}(x,y). \end{array}$$

that is to be connected with the SL(7)-covariant 4D fields of the tensor hierarchy :

> This connection is established by using geometrical data of the $S^6 !!$

* Step 3 : Connecting 4D [SL(7)] and 10D [SL(6)] fields using the S⁶ geometrical data in the dressing up process

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{ vielbein and scalars } \end{bmatrix}$$

$$ds_{4}^{2}(x, y) = ds_{4}^{2}(x)$$

$$V^{m8AB}(x, y) = \frac{1}{2}g K_{IJ}^{m}(y) \eta_{i}^{A}(y) \eta_{j}^{B}(y) \mathcal{V}^{IJ\,ij}(x) ,$$

$$V^{78AB}(x, y) = -\mu_{I}(y) \eta_{i}^{A}(y) \eta_{j}^{B}(y) \mathcal{V}^{I8\,ij}(x) ,$$

$$\tilde{V}_{mn}^{AB}(x, y) = \frac{1}{4} K_{mn}^{IJ}(y) \eta_{i}^{A}(y) \eta_{j}^{B}(y) \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{IJ}^{ij}(x) ,$$

$$\tilde{V}_{m7}^{AB}(x, y) = -g^{-1} (\partial_{m}\mu^{I})(y) \eta_{i}^{A}(y) \eta_{j}^{B}(y) \tilde{\mathcal{V}}_{I8}^{ij}(x) ,$$

[two-forms]

$$C_{\mu\nu m}{}^{8}(x,y) = -g^{-1} \left(\mu_{I}\partial_{m}\mu^{J}\right)(y) \mathcal{B}_{\mu\nu J}{}^{I}(x)$$

$$C_{\mu\nu 7}{}^{8}(x,y) = \mu_{I}(y) \mathcal{B}_{\mu\nu}{}^{I}(x)$$

[three-form]
$$C_{\mu\nu\rho}^{88}(x,y) = (\mu_I \mu_J)(y) \mathcal{C}_{\mu\nu\rho}{}^{IJ}(x)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{vectors } \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_{\mu}{}^{m8}(x,y) = \frac{1}{2} g K_{IJ}^{m}(y) \mathcal{A}_{\mu}{}^{IJ}(x) \quad , \quad C_{\mu}{}^{78}(x,y) = -\mu_{I}(y) \mathcal{A}_{\mu}{}^{I}(x) \; ,$$

$$\tilde{C}_{\mu \, mn}(x,y) = \frac{1}{4} K_{mn}^{IJ}(y) \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\mu \, IJ}(x) \quad , \quad \tilde{C}_{\mu \, m7}(x,y) = -g^{-1} \left(\partial_{m} \mu^{I}\right)(y) \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\mu \, I}(x)$$

• S⁶ geometrical data : embedding coordinates μ^{I} , Killing vectors K_{IJ}^{m} and tensors K_{IJ}^{mn}

* Step 4 : Plug and play... so that the final embedding of $ISO(7)_c$ into type IIA is

$$\begin{split} d\hat{s}_{10}^{2} &= \Delta^{-1} ds_{4}^{2} + g_{mn} \, Dy^{m} \, Dy^{n} , \\ \hat{A}_{(3)} &= \mu_{I} \mu_{J} \left(\mathcal{C}^{IJ} + \mathcal{A}^{I} \wedge \mathcal{B}^{J} + \frac{1}{6} \mathcal{A}^{IK} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{JL} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{KL} + \frac{1}{6} \mathcal{A}^{I} \wedge \mathcal{A}^{JK} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{K} \right) \\ &\quad + g^{-1} \left(\mathcal{B}_{J}^{I} + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{A}^{IK} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{KJ} + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{A}^{I} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{J} \right) \wedge \mu_{I} D \mu^{J} + \frac{1}{2} g^{-2} \, \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{IJ} \wedge D \mu^{I} \wedge D \mu^{J} \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2} \mu_{I} \, B_{mn} \, \mathcal{A}^{I} \wedge D y^{m} \wedge D y^{n} + \frac{1}{6} \mathcal{A}_{mnp} \, D y^{m} \wedge D y^{n} \wedge D y^{p} , \\ \hat{B}_{(2)} &= -\mu_{I} \left(\mathcal{B}^{I} + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{A}^{IJ} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{J} \right) - g^{-1} \, \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{I} \wedge D \mu^{I} + \frac{1}{2} B_{mn} \, D y^{m} \wedge D y^{n} , \\ \hat{\mathcal{A}}_{(1)} &= -\mu_{I} \, \mathcal{A}^{I} + \mathcal{A}_{m} \, D y^{m} \, . \end{split}$$

where we have defined : $Dy^m \equiv dy^m + \frac{1}{2} g K^m_{IJ} \mathcal{A}^{IJ}$, $D\mu^I \equiv d\mu^I - g \mathcal{A}^{IJ} \mu_J$

The scalars are embedded as

$$g^{mn} = \frac{1}{4} g^2 \Delta \mathcal{M}^{IJ\,KL} K^m_{IJ} K^n_{KL} , \quad B_{mn} = -\frac{1}{2} \Delta g_{mp} K^p_{IJ} \partial_n \mu^K \mathcal{M}^{IJ}_{K8} ,$$

$$A_m = \frac{1}{2} g \Delta g_{mn} K^n_{IJ} \mu_K \mathcal{M}^{IJ\,K8} , \quad A_{mnp} = \frac{1}{8} g \Delta g_{mq} K^q_{IJ} K^{KL}_{np} \mathcal{M}^{IJ}_{KL} + A_m B_{np} .$$

Remarks and consistency checks

- 10D (bosonic) SUSY transformations exactly reduce to those of the 4D tensor hierarchy.
- Computing the 10D field strengths $\hat{F}_{(2)} = d\hat{A}_{(1)} + m\,\hat{B}_{(2)}$, etc. one finds

$$\hat{F}_{(4)} = \mu_{I}\mu_{J} \mathcal{H}_{(4)}^{IJ} + g^{-1} \mathcal{H}_{(3)} {}_{J}{}^{I} \wedge \mu_{I} D \mu^{J} + \frac{1}{2} g^{-2} \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)IJ} \wedge D \mu^{I} \wedge D \mu^{J} + \dots ,$$

$$\hat{H}_{(3)} = -\mu_{I} \mathcal{H}_{(3)}^{I} - g^{-1} \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I} \wedge D \mu^{I} + \dots ,$$

$$\hat{F}_{(2)} = -\mu_{I} \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{I} + g^{-1} \left(g \, \delta_{IJ} \, \mathcal{A}^{J} - m \, \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_{I} \right) \wedge D \mu^{I} + \dots ,$$

which are expressed in terms of the 4D tensor hierarchy. The parameter m only appears through standard Romans' redefinitions of $\hat{F}_{(p)}$ in 10D (formulas also valid for massless IIA)

• The set of Bianchi identities of the above 10D field strengths reduces to

$$\begin{split} D\mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{IJ} &= 0 \ , \ D\mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{I} = m \,\mathcal{H}_{(3)}^{I} \ , \ D\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)IJ} = -2 \, g \,\mathcal{H}_{(3)[I}{}^{K} \,\delta_{J]K} \ , \ D\tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I} = g \,\delta_{IJ} \,\mathcal{H}_{(3)}^{J} \ , \\ D\mathcal{H}_{(3)I}{}^{J} &= \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{JK} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)IK} + \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{J} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I} - 2g \,\delta_{IK} \,\mathcal{H}_{(4)}^{JK} - \frac{1}{7} \,\delta_{I}^{J} \,(\text{trace}) \ , \\ D\mathcal{H}_{(3)}^{I} &= -\mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{IJ} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)J} \ , \quad D\mathcal{H}_{(4)}^{IJ} \equiv 0 \ . \end{split}$$

which exactly matches the one of the 4D tensor hierarchy.

Freund-Rubin term

[Freund & Rubin '80]

• By looking at the RR field strength $\hat{F}_{(4)} = \mathcal{H}_{(4)}^{IJ} \mu_I \mu_J + \dots$, one immediately identifies the Freund-Rubin term

$$\mathcal{H}_{(4)}^{IJ} \,\mu_{I} \,\mu_{J} = -\frac{1}{3} \,g^{-1} \,V \,\mathrm{vol}_{4} + \frac{1}{84} \,g^{-1} \left(D\mathcal{H}_{(3)} - 7 \,\mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{IJ} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)IJ} - 7 \,\mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{I} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I} \right) \\ -\frac{1}{2} \,g^{-1} \left(D\mathcal{H}_{(3)I}{}^{J} - \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{JK} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)IK} - \mathcal{H}_{(2)}^{J} \wedge \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_{(2)I} \right) \mu^{I} \mu_{J} ,$$

NOTE: We have expressed the EOMs for the scalars as BI for the three-form field strengths of the tensor hierarchy.

• At a critical point of V one has
$$\hat{F}_{(4)} = -\frac{1}{3g}V \operatorname{vol}_4 + \dots$$
, and the S⁶ dependence drops out

[see also Godazgar, Godazgar, Krueger & Nicolai '15]



New AdS₄ *N*=2 solution in massive IIA and its CFT₃ dual

A new *N*=2 solution of massive type IIA

• Using the uplifting formulae, it is a straightforward exercise to obtain the 10D embedding of a 4D critical point. An example is the N=2&U(3) AdS₄ point of the ISO(7)_c theory

$$\begin{split} d\hat{s}_{10}^{2} &= L^{2} \frac{\left(3 + \cos 2\alpha\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\left(5 + \cos 2\alpha\right)^{-\frac{1}{8}}} \left[ds^{2} (\mathrm{AdS}_{4}) + \frac{3}{2} d\alpha^{2} + \frac{6\sin^{2}\alpha}{3 + \cos 2\alpha} ds^{2} (\mathbb{CP}^{2}) + \frac{9\sin^{2}\alpha}{5 + \cos 2\alpha} \eta^{2} \right], \\ e^{\hat{\phi}} &= e^{\phi_{0}} \frac{\left(5 + \cos 2\alpha\right)^{3/4}}{3 + \cos 2\alpha} , \qquad \hat{H}_{(3)} = 24\sqrt{2} L^{2} e^{\frac{1}{2}\phi_{0}} \frac{\sin^{3}\alpha}{\left(3 + \cos 2\alpha\right)^{2}} J \wedge d\alpha , \\ L^{-1} e^{\frac{3}{4}\phi_{0}} \hat{F}_{(2)} &= -4\sqrt{6} \frac{\sin^{2}\alpha \cos\alpha}{\left(3 + \cos 2\alpha\right)\left(5 + \cos 2\alpha\right)} J - 3\sqrt{6} \frac{\left(3 - \cos 2\alpha\right)}{\left(5 + \cos 2\alpha\right)^{2}} \sin\alpha \ d\alpha \wedge \eta , \\ L^{-3} e^{\frac{1}{4}\phi_{0}} \hat{F}_{(4)} &= 6 \operatorname{vol}_{4} \\ &+ 12\sqrt{3} \frac{7 + 3\cos 2\alpha}{\left(3 + \cos 2\alpha\right)^{2}} \sin^{4}\alpha \ \operatorname{vol}_{\mathbb{CP}^{2}} + 18\sqrt{3} \frac{\left(9 + \cos 2\alpha\right)\sin^{3}\alpha \cos\alpha}{\left(3 + \cos 2\alpha\right)\left(5 + \cos 2\alpha\right)} J \wedge d\alpha \wedge \eta , \end{split}$$

where we have introduced the quantities $L^2 \equiv 2^{-\frac{5}{8}} 3^{-1} g^{-2} c^{\frac{1}{12}}$ and $e^{\phi_0} \equiv 2^{\frac{1}{4}} c^{-\frac{5}{6}}$

♦ The angle $0 \le \alpha \le \pi$ locally foliates S⁶ with S⁵ regarded as Hopf fibrations over \mathbb{CP}^2

CFT₃ candidate and matching of free energies

[Schwarz '04]

• We propose and N=2 Chern-Simons-matter theory with simple gauge group SU(N), level k and only adjoint matter, as the CFT of the N=2 massive IIA solution.

• The 3d free energy F = -Log(Z), where Z is the partition function on the CFT on a Euclidean S³ can be computed via localisation over supersymmetric configurations [Pestun '07] [Jafferis '10] [Jafferis, Klebanov, Pufu & Safdi '11]

$$Z = \int \prod_{i=1}^{N} \frac{d\lambda_i}{2\pi} \prod_{i< j=1}^{N} \left(2\sinh^2(\frac{\lambda_i - \lambda_j}{2}) \right) \times \prod_{i,j=1}^{N} \left(\exp(\ell(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{i}{2\pi}(\lambda_i - \lambda_j))) \right)^3 e^{\frac{ik}{4\pi}\sum \lambda_i^2}$$

where λ_i are the Coulomb branch parameters. In the $N \gg k$ limit, the result is given by

$$F = \frac{3^{13/6}\pi}{40} \left(\frac{32}{27}\right)^{2/3} k^{1/3} N^{5/3}$$

• The gravitational free energy can be computed from the warp factor in the N=2 massive IIA solution. Using the charge quantisation condition $N = -(2\pi\ell_s)^{-5} \int_{S^6} e^{\frac{1}{2}\phi} \hat{F}_{(4)} + \hat{B}_{(2)} \wedge d\hat{A}_{(3)} + \frac{1}{6}\hat{F}_{(0)}\hat{B}_{(2)}^3$ for the D2-brane, one finds

$$F = \frac{16\pi^3}{(2\pi\ell_s)^8} \int_{S^6} e^{8A} \operatorname{vol}_6 = \frac{\pi}{5} 2^{1/3} 3^{1/6} k^{1/3} N^{5/3}$$
 provided

$$g c = \hat{F}_{(0)} = k/(2\pi\ell_s)$$

Summary

1) We propose a new method to embed 4D theories into 10D that makes extensive use of the 4D duality hierarchy. Using this method, we have connected the electric-magnetic deformed N=8 supergravity with $ISO(7)_c$ gauging to massive IIA reductions on S⁶.

2) Any 4D configuration is embedded into 10D via the uplifting formulas. As an example, we have found a new $AdS_4 \times S^6$ solution of massive IIA based on an N=2&U(3) AdS₄ vacua in 4D.

3) We propose CFT₃ duals for the $AdS_4 \times S^6$ solutions of massive IIA based on the D2-brane field theory. In the massive IIA case, there is a CS-term and a superpotential that make the theory flowing to a conformal phase (IR). This translates into the appearance of supersymmetric AdS_4 vacua in the deformed ISO(7)_c supergravity theory.

4) For the new N=2 massive IIA solution, the gravitational and FT free energies do match provided

$$g c = \hat{F}_{(0)} = k/(2\pi\ell_s)$$

dank u wel !!



More AdS₄ critical points

SUSY	bos. sym.	M^2L^2	stability	ref.
$\mathcal{N}=3$	SO(4)	$3(1 \pm \sqrt{3})^{(1)} , (1 \pm \sqrt{3})^{(6)} , -\frac{9}{4}^{(4)} , -2^{(18)} , -\frac{5}{4}^{(12)} , 0^{(22)} (3 \pm \sqrt{3})^{(3)} , \frac{15}{4}^{(4)} , \frac{3}{4}^{(12)} , 0^{(6)}$	yes	[30]
$\mathcal{N}=2$	U(3)	$ (3 \pm \sqrt{17})^{(1)} , -\frac{20}{9}^{(12)} , -2^{(16)} , -\frac{14}{9}^{(18)} , 2^{(3)} , 0^{(19)} 4^{(1)} , \frac{28}{9}^{(6)} , \frac{4}{9}^{(12)} , 0^{(9)} $	yes	[15] , [here]
$\mathcal{N} = 1$	G_2	$ \begin{array}{c} (4 \pm \sqrt{6})^{(1)} \ , \ -\frac{1}{6} (11 \pm \sqrt{6})^{(27)} \ , \ 0^{(14)} \\ \\ \frac{1}{2} (3 \pm \sqrt{6})^{(7)} \ , \ 0^{(14)} \end{array} $	yes	[4]
$\mathcal{N} = 1$	SU(3)	$ \begin{array}{c} (4 \pm \sqrt{6})^{(2)} \ , \ -\frac{20}{9}^{(12)} \ , \ -2^{(8)} \ , \ -\frac{8}{9}^{(12)} \ , \ \frac{7}{9}^{(6)} \ , \ 0^{(28)} \\ \\ 6^{(1)} \ , \ \frac{28}{9}^{(6)} \ , \ \frac{25}{9}^{(6)} \ , \ 2^{(1)} \ , \ \frac{4}{9}^{(6)} \ , \ 0^{(8)} \end{array} $	yes	[here]
$\mathcal{N} = 0$	$\mathrm{SO}(7)_+$	$ \begin{array}{c} 6^{(1)} \ , \ -\frac{12}{5}^{(27)} \ , \ -\frac{6}{5}^{(35)} \ , \ 0^{(7)} \\ \frac{12}{5}^{(7)} \ , \ 0^{(21)} \end{array} $	no	[3]
$\mathcal{N} = 0$	$SO(6)_+$	$ \begin{array}{c} 6^{(2)} \ , \ -3^{(20)} \ , \ -\frac{3}{4}^{(20)} \ , \ 0^{(28)} \\ 6^{(1)} \ , \ \frac{9}{4}^{(12)} \ , \ 0^{(15)} \end{array} $	no	[3]
$\mathcal{N} = 0$	G_2	${6^{(2)}},-1^{(54)},0^{(14)}\ 3^{(14)},0^{(14)}$	yes	[4]
$\mathcal{N} = 0$	SU(3)	see (3.44) see (3.45)	yes	[here]
$\mathcal{N} = 0$	SU(3)	see (3.46) see (3.47)	yes	[here]
$\mathcal{N} = 0$	SO(4)	see (5.12) see (5.13)	yes	[here]