

Unitarization in Kaluza-Klein theory and the Geometric Bootstrap

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James Bonifacio, KH: arxiv:1910.04767, arxiv:2007.10337

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Massive spin-1 scattering in the Standard Model

Scattering of longitudinal modes of W, Z bosons:

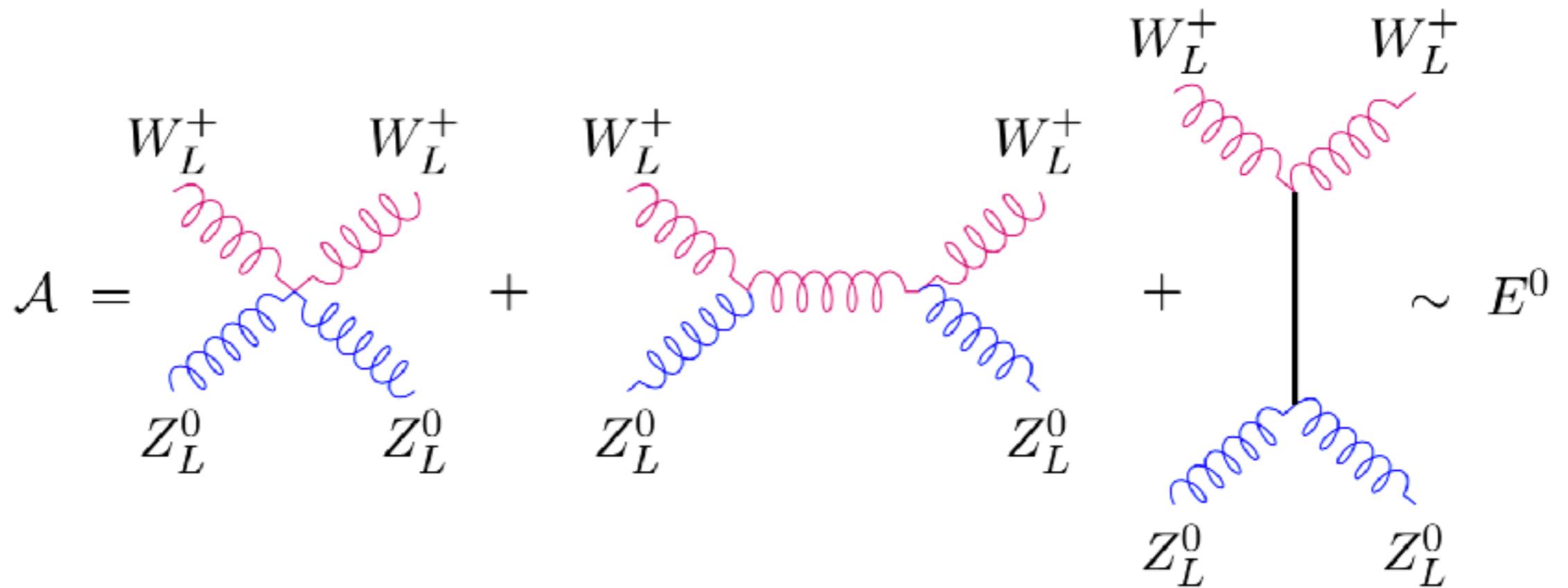
$$\mathcal{A} = \begin{array}{c} W_L^+ \\ \diagdown \text{wavy line} \\ Z_L^0 \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} W_L^+ \\ \diagup \text{wavy line} \\ Z_L^0 \end{array} \sim E^2$$

Grows with energy, violates perturbative unitarity at ~ 1 TeV

Something interesting must happen before this scale: no-lose theorem for LHC

Higgs mechanism

Adding a scalar softens high-energy behavior:



Restores perturbative unitarity

Weakly coupled UV completion (Higgs mechanism)

Massive spin-2 scattering

Generic interactions (Einstein-Hilbert plus a graviton potential)

Arkani-Hamed, Georgi,
Schwartz (2003)

$$\mathcal{A} = \text{Diagram A} + \text{Diagram B} \sim E^{10}$$

The diagram consists of two parts separated by a plus sign. The first part, labeled \mathcal{A} , shows a vertex where a wavy line (graviton) enters from the left and a wavy line exits to the right. The second part shows a similar vertex with an additional horizontal line connecting the incoming and outgoing wavy lines. Both wavy lines have a zigzag pattern.

For special choices of interaction (dRGT massive gravity),
this can be improved to E^6

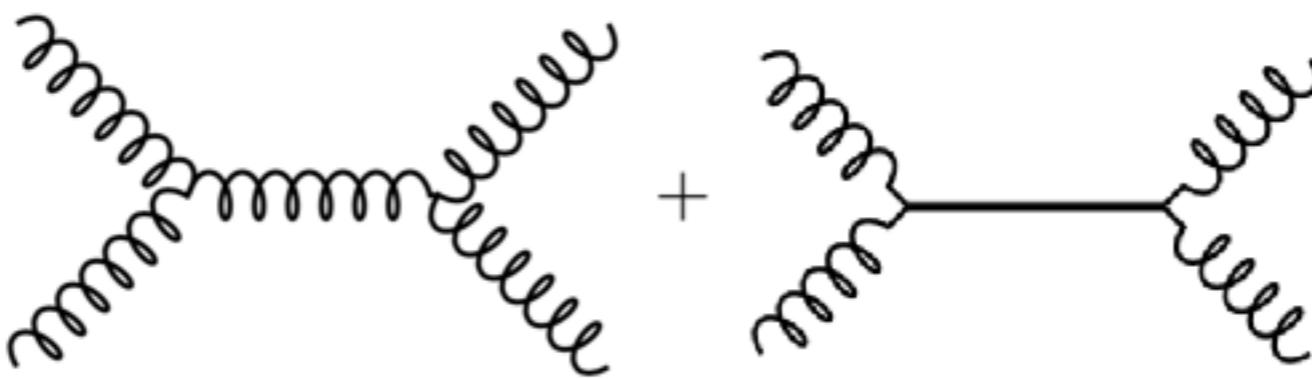
de Rham, Gabadadze, Tolley (2010)

This is the best that can be done without new particles

James Bonifacio, KH (1804.08686)

Gravitational Higgs mechanism?

Can we do better by adding a finite number of new particles with spin < 2?

$$\mathcal{A} = \text{Diagram 1} + \text{Diagram 2} + \dots \sim E^{p<6}$$


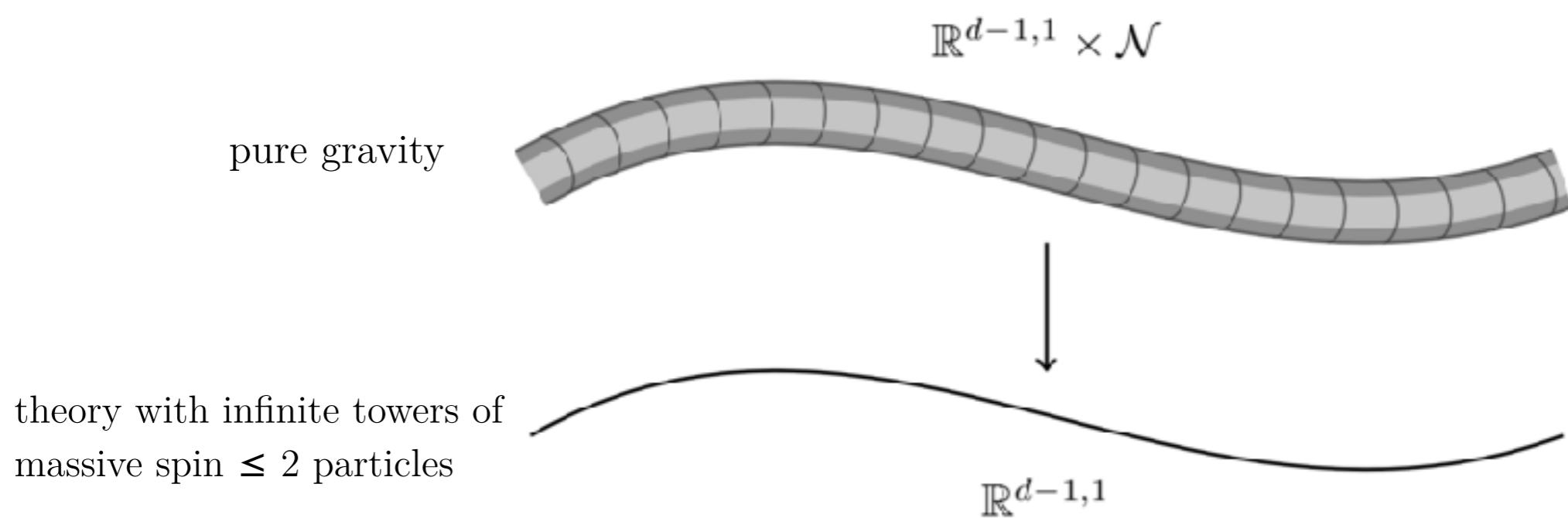
No.

James Bonifacio, KH, Rachel Rosen (1903.09643)

Kaluza-Klein theory

We know that we should be able to do better by adding an infinite number of new particles with spin ≤ 2

$$ds^2 = \bar{G}_{A_1 A_2} dX^{A_1} dX^{A_2} = \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu + \underbrace{\gamma_{mn} dy^m dy^n}_{N \text{ compact smooth dimensions}}$$



Kaluza-Klein amplitudes

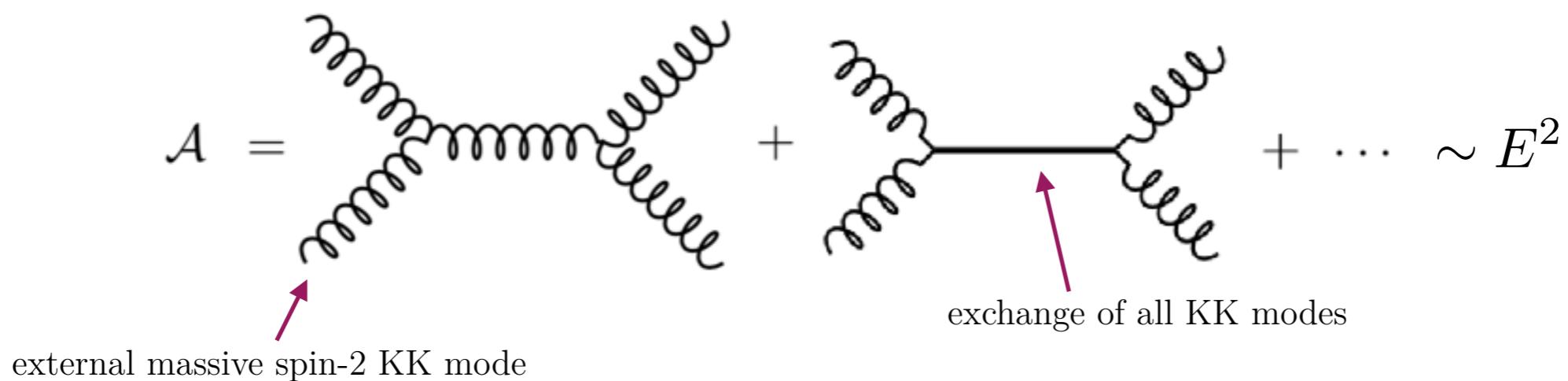
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Chivukula, Foren, Mohan, Sengupta, Simmons (2019-2020)

Higher dimensional theory is pure GR → Graviton amplitudes grow with energy like $\sim E^2$

Lower dimensional theory, keeping all KK modes,
is just a re-writing of higher dimensional GR → amplitudes should still grow like $\sim E^2$

Lower dimensional theory has massive spin-2 states in the spectrum:
how is their high energy scattering softened to E^2 ?



Kaluza-Klein theory

$$ds^2 = \bar{G}_{AB} dX^A dX^B = \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu + \underbrace{\gamma_{mn} dy^m dy^n}_{N \text{ compact smooth dimensions}}$$

Higher dimensional Einstein equations



Internal manifold is an *Einstein manifold* : $R_{mn}(\gamma) = \lambda \gamma_{mn}$

Non-trivial constraints will require this condition

Lower dimensional spectrum is determined by various Laplacians on the internal manifold

 scalar (ordinary Laplacian)
vector (Hodge Laplacian)
tensor (Lichnerowicz Laplacian)

Scalar Laplacian

$$\Delta\psi_a \equiv -\square\psi_a = \lambda_a\psi_a, \quad \lambda_a > 0$$

Orthonormality

$$\int_{\mathcal{N}} \psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2} = \delta_{a_1 a_2},$$

Completeness

$$\phi = \frac{c^0}{V^{1/2}} + \sum_a c^a \psi_a,$$

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zero mode (constant)

Conformal scalars (exist only on round spheres)

$$\left(\nabla_m \nabla_n - \frac{1}{N} \gamma_{mn} \square \right) \psi_a = 0, \quad a \in I_{\text{conf.}},$$

Lichnerowicz bound

$$\lambda_a \geq \frac{R}{N-1}$$

↑

saturated only by conformal scalars

Vector Laplacian

Hodge Laplacian:

$$\Delta Y_{m,i} \equiv -\square Y_{m,i} + R_m{}^n Y_{n,i} = \lambda_i Y_{m,i}, \quad \nabla^m Y_{m,i} = 0, \quad \lambda_i \geq 0$$

Orthonormality

Completeness (Hodge decomposition)

$$\int_{\mathcal{N}} Y_{m,i_1} Y_{i_2}^m = \delta_{i_1 i_2}.$$

$$V_m = \sum_i c^i Y_{m,i} + \sum_a c^a \partial_m \psi_a,$$

Killing vectors

$$\nabla_{(m} Y_{n)i} = 0, \quad i \in I_{\text{Killing}}.$$

Bound

$$\lambda_i \geq \frac{2R}{N}$$

 saturated only by Killing vectors

Tensor Laplacian

Lichnerowicz Laplacian:

$$\Delta_L h_{mn,\mathcal{I}}^{TT} \equiv -\square h_{mn,\mathcal{I}}^{TT} + \frac{2R}{N} h_{mn,\mathcal{I}}^{TT} - 2R_m{}^p{}_n{}^q h_{pq\mathcal{I}}^{TT} = \lambda_{\mathcal{I}} h_{mn,\mathcal{I}}^{TT}, \quad \nabla^m h_{mn,\mathcal{I}}^{TT} = h_m^{TTm} = 0,$$

Orthonormality

$$\int_{\mathcal{N}} h_{mn,\mathcal{I}_1}^{TT} h_{\mathcal{I}_2}^{mn,TT} = \delta_{\mathcal{I}_1 \mathcal{I}_2}.$$

Completeness (symmetric tensor Hodge decomposition)

$$\begin{aligned} T_{mn} &= \sum_{\mathcal{I}} c^{\mathcal{I}} h_{mn,\mathcal{I}}^{TT} + 2 \sum_{i \notin I_{\text{Killing}}} c^i \nabla_{(m} Y_{n)i} + \sum_{a \notin I_{\text{conf.}}} \tilde{c}^a \left(\nabla_m \nabla_n \psi_a - \frac{1}{N} \nabla^2 \psi_a \gamma_{mn} \right) \\ &\quad + \sum_a \frac{1}{N} c^a \psi_a \gamma_{mn} + \frac{1}{NV^{1/2}} c^0 \gamma_{mn}, \end{aligned}$$

moduli space of Einstein structures (“zero” modes)

$$\lambda_{\mathcal{I}} = 2R/N$$

No known general lower bound (there may be finite number of negative eigenvalues)

Spectrum

KH, Janna Levin, Claire Zukowski (1310.6353)

Expand metric over eigenfunctions:

$$G_{AB} = \bar{G}_{AB} + H_{AB} \quad , \quad H_{A_1 A_2} = \begin{pmatrix} H_{\mu\nu} & H_{\mu n} \\ H_{m\nu} & H_{mn} \end{pmatrix} \quad ,$$

$$\begin{aligned} H_{\mu\nu}(x, y) &= \sum_a h_{\mu\nu}^a(x) \psi_a(y) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{V}} h_{\mu\nu}^0(x), \\ H_{\mu n}(x, y) &= \sum_i A_\mu^i(x) Y_{ni}(y) + \sum_a A_\mu^a(x) \partial_n \psi_a(y), \\ H_{mn}(x, y) &= \sum_{\mathcal{I}} \phi^{\mathcal{I}}(x) h_{mn, \mathcal{I}}^{TT}(y) + \sum_{i \notin I_{\text{Killing}}} \phi^i(x) \nabla_{(m} Y_{n)i}(y) \\ &\quad + \sum_{a \notin I_{\text{conf.}}} \tilde{\phi}^a(x) \left(\nabla_m \nabla_n \psi_a(y) - \frac{1}{N} \nabla^2 \psi_a(y) \gamma_{mn} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{\gamma_{mn}}{N} \left[\sum_a \phi^a(x) \psi_a(y) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{V}} \phi^0(x) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Spectrum

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Lower dimensional spectrum:

massless graviton: $h_{\mu\nu}^0$

massive gravitons: $h_{\mu\nu}^a$ $m_a^2 = \lambda_a$

vectors: A_μ^i $m_i^2 = \lambda_i - \frac{2R_{(N)}}{N}$ Killing vectors massless (isometries)

scalars: ϕ^0, ϕ^a $m_a^2 = \lambda_a - \frac{2R_{(N)}}{N}$ zero mode is volume modulus

scalars: $\phi^{\mathcal{I}}$ $m_{\mathcal{I}}^2 = \lambda_{\mathcal{I}} - \frac{2R_{(N)}}{N}$ zero modes massless (shape moduli)

Flat space spectrum

If we want to do S-matrix stuff, lower dimensional space should be flat



Internal manifold is Ricci flat: $R_{mn} = 0$

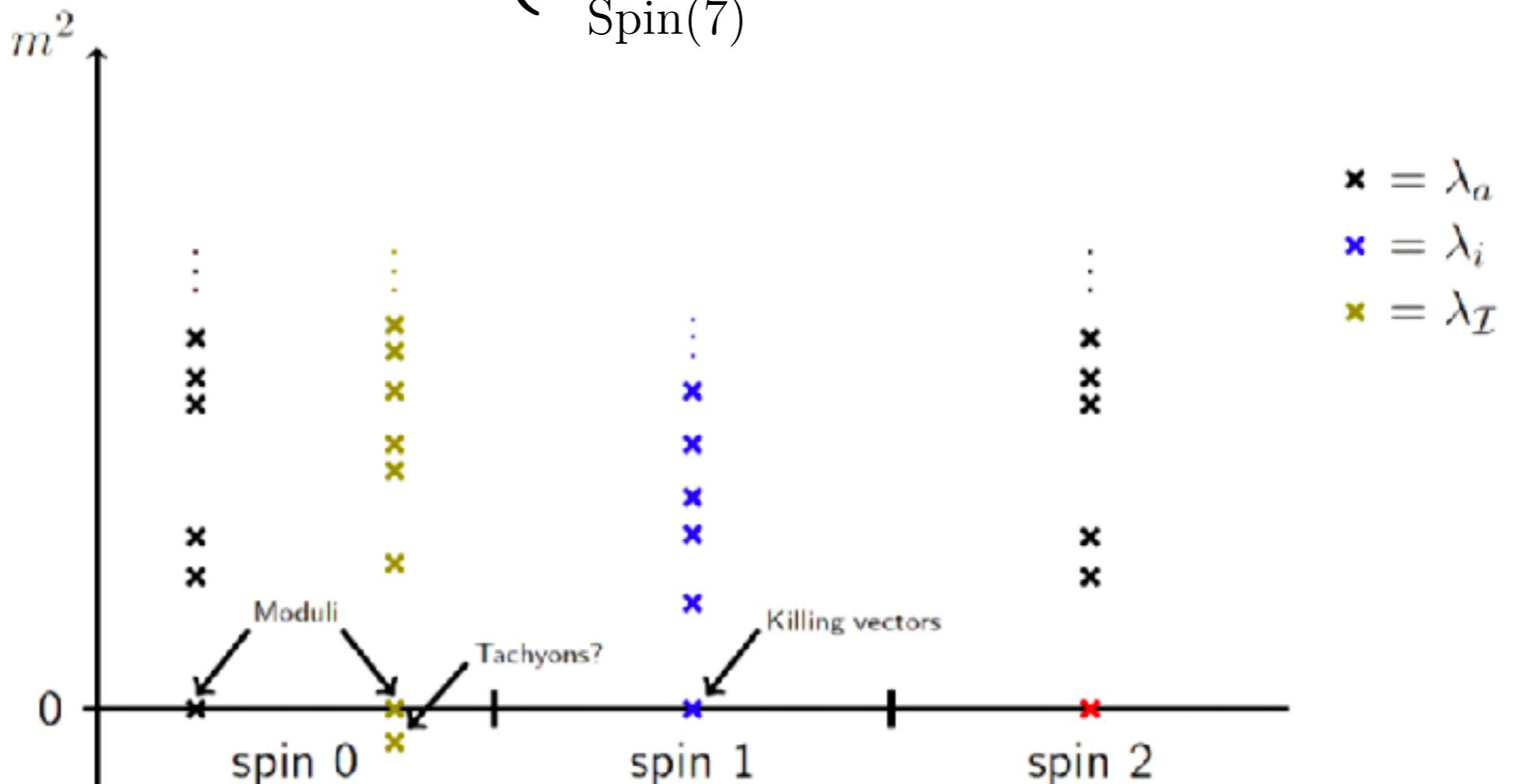
Closed Ricci-flat manifolds are rare.
The known examples are:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{flat tori} \\ \text{Calabi-Yau's} \\ G_2 \\ \text{Spin}(7) \end{array} \right.$$

All have special holonomy.

$$\lambda_{\mathcal{I}} \geq 0$$

Dai,Wang,Wei (2005)



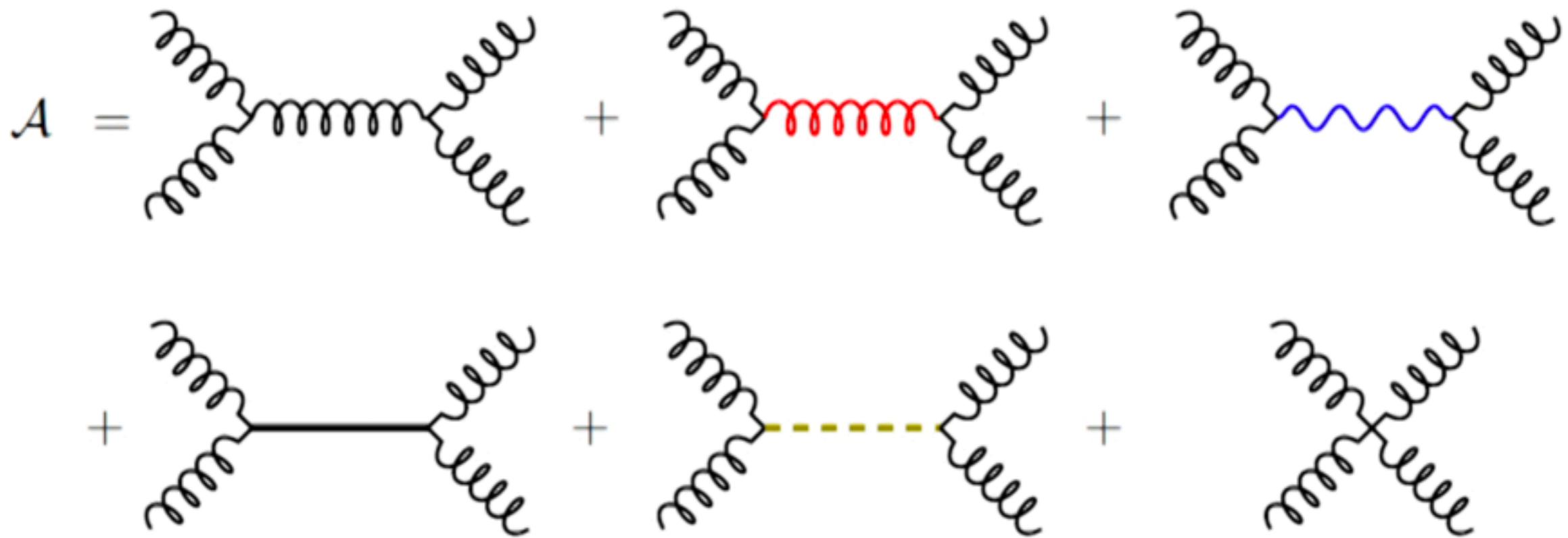
$$\begin{aligned} \phi^a &= \text{---} \\ \phi^{\mathcal{I}} &= \text{-----} \end{aligned}$$

$$A_{\mu}^i = \text{~~~~~}$$

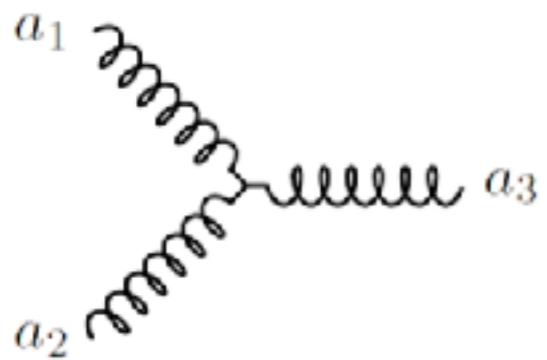
$$\begin{aligned} h_{\mu\nu}^0 &= \text{mm} \\ h_{\mu\nu}^a &= \text{mm} \end{aligned}$$

Massive spin-2 4-pt amplitude

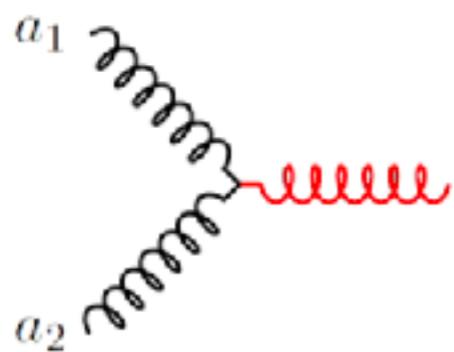
$$h^{a_1} h^{a_2} \rightarrow h^{a_3} h^{a_4}$$



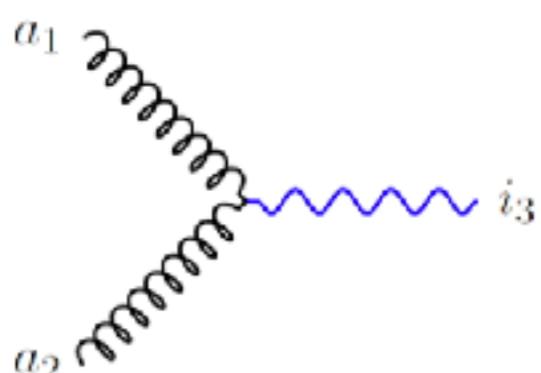
Cubic Interactions



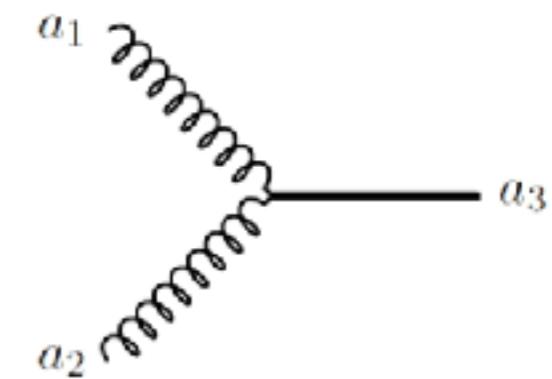
$$g_{a_1 a_2 a_3} \equiv \int_{\mathcal{N}} \psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2} \psi_{a_3},$$



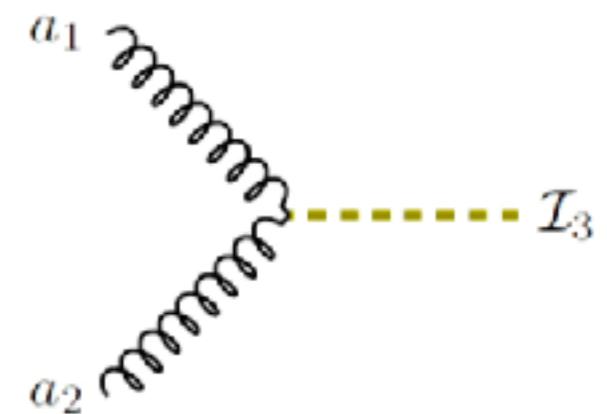
fixed minimal coupling $M_d^{d-2} = V M_D^{D-2}$



$$g_{a_1 a_2 i_3} \equiv \int_{\mathcal{N}} \partial^{n_1} \psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2} Y_{n_1 i_3}$$

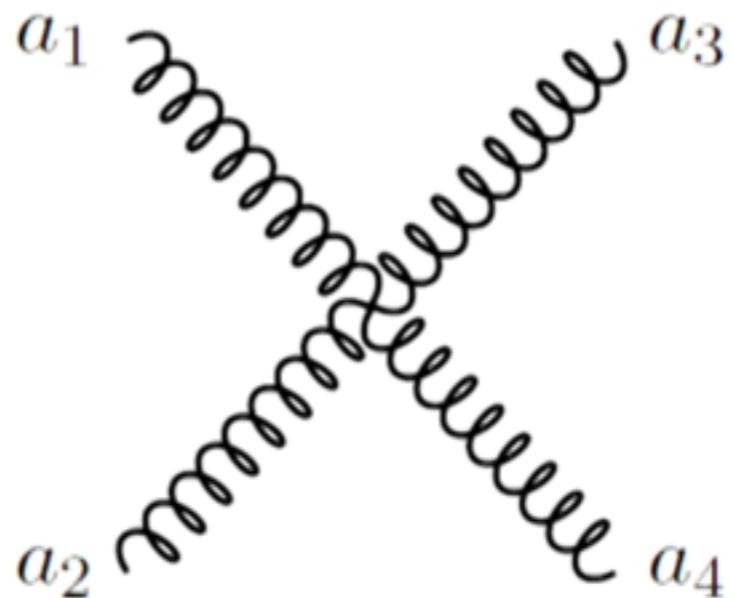


$$g_{a_1 a_2 a_3} \equiv \int_{\mathcal{N}} \psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2} \psi_{a_3}$$



$$g_{a_1 a_2 \mathcal{I}_3} \equiv \int_{\mathcal{N}} \partial_n \psi_{a_1} \partial_m \psi_{a_2} h_{TT, \mathcal{I}_3}^{mn}$$

Quartic Interaction



$$g_{a_1 a_2 a_3 a_4} \equiv \int_{\mathcal{N}} \psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2} \psi_{a_3} \psi_{a_4}$$

Full Amplitude

$$A = \text{Diagram 1} + \text{Diagram 2} + \text{Diagram 3}$$

$$+ \text{Diagram 4} + \text{Diagram 5} + \text{Diagram 6}$$

$$= \alpha_{10} E^{10} + \alpha_8 E^8 + \alpha_6 E^6 + \alpha_4 E^4 + \alpha_2 E^2 + \dots$$

$$-\frac{16(3 + 5 \cos^2 \theta)(d - 2)^2}{(d - 1)^2 M_D^{D-2} \lambda_{a_1} \lambda_{a_2} \lambda_{a_3} \lambda_{a_4}} E^{10} \sum_a g_{a_1 a_2}{}^a g_{a_3 a_4 a} + \dots$$


$\alpha_{10}, \alpha_8, \alpha_6, \alpha_4$ must independently vanish

E^{10} sum rule

$$\begin{aligned} g_{a_1 a_2 a_3 a_4} &= \sum_a g_{a_1 a_2}{}^a g_{a_3 a_4}{}_a + V^{-1} \delta_{a_1 a_2} \delta_{a_3 a_4} \\ &= \sum_a g_{a_1 a_3}{}^a g_{a_2 a_4}{}_a + V^{-1} \delta_{a_1 a_3} \delta_{a_2 a_4} \\ &= \sum_a g_{a_1 a_4}{}^a g_{a_2 a_3}{}_a + V^{-1} \delta_{a_1 a_4} \delta_{a_2 a_3} \end{aligned}$$

Mathematical property of eigenfunctions that must hold on any Einstein manifold

Completeness:

$$\overline{\psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2}} = \sum_a g_{a_1 a_2}{}^a \psi_a + V^{-1} \delta_{a_1 a_2}$$

Can use this to reduce any multi-overlap integral $\int_{\mathcal{N}} \psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2} \cdots \psi_{a_k}$ to sums of triple overlaps

Multiple ways to do this \rightarrow Associativity/crossing relations:

$$g_{a_1 a_2 a_3 a_4} = \int_{\mathcal{N}} \overline{\psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2}} \overline{\psi_{a_3} \psi_{a_4}} = \int_{\mathcal{N}} \overline{\psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2}} \overline{\psi_{a_3} \psi_{a_4}} = \int_{\mathcal{N}} \overline{\psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2}} \overline{\psi_{a_3} \psi_{a_4}}$$

E^8 sum rule

$$\alpha_8 = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \sum_a (4\lambda_{a_1} - 3\lambda_a) g_{a_1 a_1 a}^2 + 4V^{-1}\lambda_{a_1} = 0,$$

(identical external flavors)

comes from crossing with 2 derivative insertions:

$$\int_{\mathcal{N}} \psi_{a_1} \overbrace{\psi_{a_1}} \partial_m \overbrace{\psi_{a_1}} \partial^m \psi_{a_1} = \int_{\mathcal{N}} \psi_{a_1} \overbrace{\psi_{a_1}} \partial_m \overbrace{\psi_{a_1}} \partial^m \psi_{a_1}$$

requires that a heavy tensor is exchanged, so there is an a^* such that

$$g_{a_1 a_1 a^*} \neq 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{4}{3}\lambda_{a_1} < \lambda_{a^*} \implies \frac{2m_{\text{external}}}{\sqrt{3}} < m_{\text{exchanged}}.$$

repeat argument with internal particle now external \rightarrow

Unitarity requires an
infinite tower of states

E^6 sum rule

$$\alpha_6 = 0 \quad \xrightarrow{\text{blue arrow}}$$

(identical external flavors)

$$\sum_a P_{E^6} (\lambda_a / \lambda_{a_1}) \lambda_{a_1}^2 g_{a_1 a_1 a}^2 + 16N(N-1) \sum_{\mathcal{T}} g_{a_1 a_1 \mathcal{T}}^2 = 0,$$

$P_{E^6}(x) = (4 - 3N)Nx^2 + 4(N^2 - 3)x + 16.$

comes from crossing with 4 derivatives:

$$\int_{\mathcal{N}} \partial_m \overbrace{\psi_{a_1} \partial_n \psi_{a_1}} \partial^m \overbrace{\psi_{a_1} \partial^n \psi_{a_1}} = \int_{\mathcal{N}} \overbrace{\partial_m \psi_{a_1} \partial_n \psi_{a_1}} \overbrace{\partial^m \psi_{a_1} \partial^n \psi_{a_1}}.$$

E^4 sum rule

$$\alpha_4 = 0 \quad \xrightarrow{\text{blue arrow}} \quad \sum_a P_{E^4} (\lambda_a / \lambda_{a_1}) \lambda_{a_1}^3 g_{a_1 a_1 a}^2 + 16(N-1) \sum_{\mathcal{I}} \lambda_{\mathcal{I}} g_{a_1 a_1 \mathcal{I}}^2 = 0,$$

(identical external flavors)

$$P_{E^4}(x) = x(x-4)((3N-2)x - 4N).$$

comes from crossing with 6 derivatives:

$$\int_{\mathcal{N}} \partial_m \overline{\psi_{a_1} \partial_n \psi_{a_1}} \Delta_L (\partial^m \psi_{a_1} \partial^n \psi_{a_1}) = \int_{\mathcal{N}} \partial_m \overline{\psi_{a_1} \partial_n \psi_{a_1}} \overline{\Delta_L (\partial^m \psi_{a_1} \partial^n \psi_{a_1})}$$

E^4 sum rule

$$\sum_a P_{E^4}(\lambda_a/\lambda_{a_1}) \lambda_{a_1}^3 g_{a_1 a_1 a}^2 + 16(N-1) \sum_{\mathcal{I}} \lambda_{\mathcal{I}} g_{a_1 a_1 \mathcal{I}}^2 = 0,$$

$P_{E^4}(x) = x(x-4)((3N-2)x - 4N).$

Assume $\lambda_{\mathcal{I}} \geq 0$. Then first term must be ≤ 0 , so there exists an eigenmode a^* such that

$$g_{a_1 a_1 a^*} \neq 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{4N}{3N-2} \lambda_{a_1} \leq \lambda_{a^*} \leq 4\lambda_{a_1}.$$

For closed Ricci-flat manifolds with special holonomy,

$$\frac{\lambda_{k+1}}{\lambda_k} \leq 4,$$

where λ_k is the k^{th} nonzero eigenvalue of the scalar Laplacian.



Bounds the gaps between KK excitations of the graviton.

(No EFT with a finite number of massive gravitons from KK)

Also applies to smooth Calabi-Yau compactifications of string theory and G_2 compactifications of M-theory.

E^4 sum rule

Constraint on eigenvalue gaps for closed Ricci flat with $\lambda_{\mathcal{I}} \geq 0$.

$$\frac{\lambda_{k+1}}{\lambda_k} \leq 4$$

Includes all known cases of closed Ricci flat manifolds

This bound is optimal: it is saturated in every dimension by the first distinct nonzero eigenvalues on certain tori.

Example: Quintic Calabi-Yau (volume = 1)

V. Braun, T. Breidze, M. R. Douglas, and B.A. Ovrut (2008)

$$\lambda_k \in \{41.1 \pm 0.4, 78.1 \pm 0.5, 82.1 \pm 0.3, 94.5 \pm 1, 102 \pm 1\},$$

Einstein condition essential: general closed Riemannian manifolds have no such bound:

de Verdiere's theorem: given a closed manifold of dimension $N \geq 3$ and any finite sequence of non-decreasing positive numbers,

$$0 < \lambda_1 \leq \lambda_2 \leq \cdots \leq \lambda_k,$$

then there exists a metric such that this is the sequence of the first k nonzero eigenvalues.

Geometry/CFT analogy

Einstein Manifolds	CFTs
eigenfunctions	ψ_a
eigenvalues	λ_a
overlap integrals	$g_{a_1 a_2 \dots a_k} \equiv \int_{\mathcal{N}} \psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2} \cdots \psi_{a_k}$
covariant derivatives	∇_n
completeness	$\overline{\psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2}} = \sum_b g_{a_1 a_2}{}^b \psi_b + V^{-1} \delta_{a_1 a_2}$
sum rules	$\int_{\mathcal{N}} \overline{\psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2}} \overline{\psi_{a_3} \psi_{a_4}} = \int_{\mathcal{N}} \overline{\psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2}} \overline{\psi_{a_3} \psi_{a_4}}$
Lichnerowicz bound	$\lambda_a \geq \frac{R}{N-1},$
Geometry data	$\lambda_a, g_{a_1 a_2 a_3}$
	CFT data
	primary operators
	scaling dimensions
	correlators
	descendent operators
	OPE
	crossing relations
	unitarity bound

Geometric bootstrap

Like CFT bootstrap, exploit crossing relations to constrain the data

Crossing relations for a general Einstein manifold (not necessarily Ricci flat):

$$\int_{\mathcal{M}} \partial_m \overline{\psi_{a_1} \partial^m \psi_{a_1}} \overline{\psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_1}} = \int_{\mathcal{M}} \overline{\partial_m \psi_{a_1} \partial^m \psi_{a_1}} \overline{\psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_1}}$$

$$\int_{\mathcal{M}} \partial_m \overline{\psi_{a_1} \partial_n \psi_{a_1}} \overline{\partial^m \psi_{a_1} \partial^n \psi_{a_1}} = \int_{\mathcal{M}} \overline{\partial_m \psi_{a_1} \partial_n \psi_{a_1}} \overline{\partial^m \psi_{a_1} \partial^n \psi_{a_1}},$$

$$\int_{\mathcal{M}} \partial_m \overline{\psi_{a_1} \partial_n \psi_{a_1}} \Delta_L (\overline{\partial^m \psi_{a_1} \partial^n \psi_{a_1}}) = \int_{\mathcal{M}} \overline{\partial_m \psi_{a_1} \partial_n \psi_{a_1}} \Delta_L (\overline{\partial^m \psi_{a_1} \partial^n \psi_{a_1}})$$



$$V^{-1} \vec{F}_1 + \frac{1}{\lambda_{a_1}^2} \sum_{\mathcal{I}} \vec{F}_2 g_{a_1 a_1 \mathcal{I}}^2 + \sum_{a \notin I_{\text{conf.}}} \left[\vec{F}_3 + \frac{R \vec{F}_4}{(N-1)\lambda_a - R} \right] g_{a_1 a_1 a}^2 = 0,$$

$$\vec{F}_1 = (4, -16, 0),$$

$$\vec{F}_2 = \left(0, 16N(N-1), 16N(N-1) \frac{\lambda_{\mathcal{I}}}{\lambda_{a_1}} \right),$$

$$\vec{F}_3 = \left(4 - \frac{3\lambda_a}{\lambda_{a_1}}, \frac{N\lambda_a}{\lambda_{a_1}} \left(4N + \frac{(4-3N)\lambda_a}{\lambda_{a_1}} \right), \frac{N\lambda_a}{\lambda_{a_1}} \left(4 - \frac{\lambda_a}{\lambda_{a_1}} \right) \left(4N - \frac{(3N-2)\lambda_a}{\lambda_{a_1}} \right) \right),$$

$$\vec{F}_4 = \left(0, \left(4 + \frac{(N-2)\lambda_a}{\lambda_{a_1}} \right)^2, \frac{\lambda_a}{\lambda_{a_1}} \left(4 + \frac{(N-2)\lambda_a}{\lambda_{a_1}} \right)^2 \right).$$

Geometric bootstrap

postulate some candidate geometric data, (a collection of eigenvalues and triple overlap integrals)



search for a constant vector $\vec{\alpha} \in \mathbb{R}^3$ such that the condition

$$V^{-1}\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{F}_1 + \frac{1}{\lambda_{a_1}^2} \sum_{\mathcal{I}} \vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{F}_2 g_{a_1 a_1 \mathcal{I}}^2 + \sum_{a \notin I_{\text{conf.}}} \left[\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{F}_3 + \frac{R \vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{F}_4}{(N-1)\lambda_a - R} \right] g_{a_1 a_1 a}^2 = 0$$

can never be satisfied by this data.



If such an $\vec{\alpha}$ exists, candidate geometric data is ruled out

problem of finding such an $\vec{\alpha}$ can be formulated as a semidefinite program (SDP)

D. Poland, D. Simmons-Duffin, A. Vichi (2011)

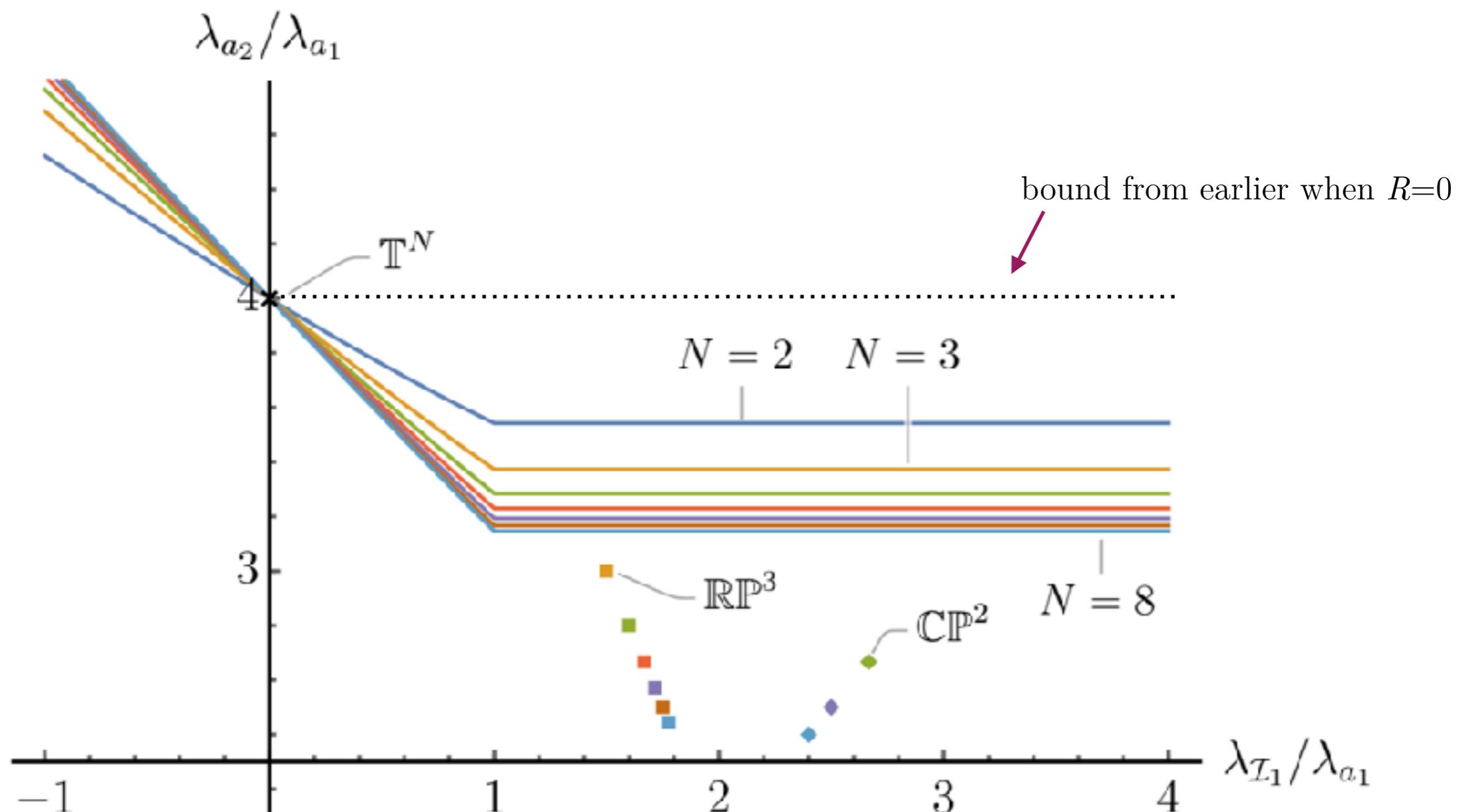
can be solved using SDPB, and Mathematica in simpler cases

D. Simmons-Duffin, (2015)

Bounds on eigenvalues

Upper bound on the ratio of the 2 lowest lying scalar eigenvalues, as a function of the smallest Lichnerowicz eigenvalue

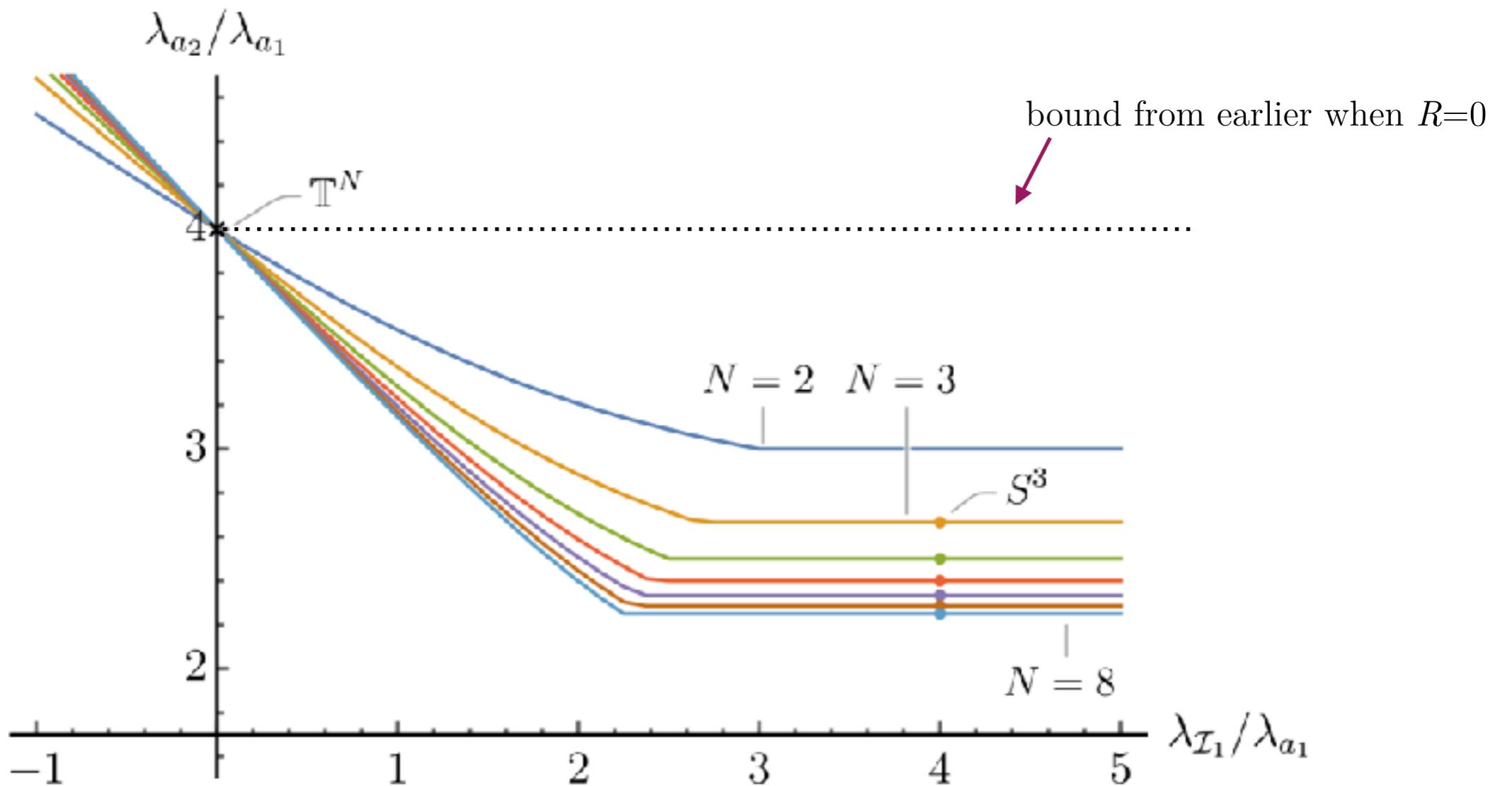
Assumptions: $R \geq 0$



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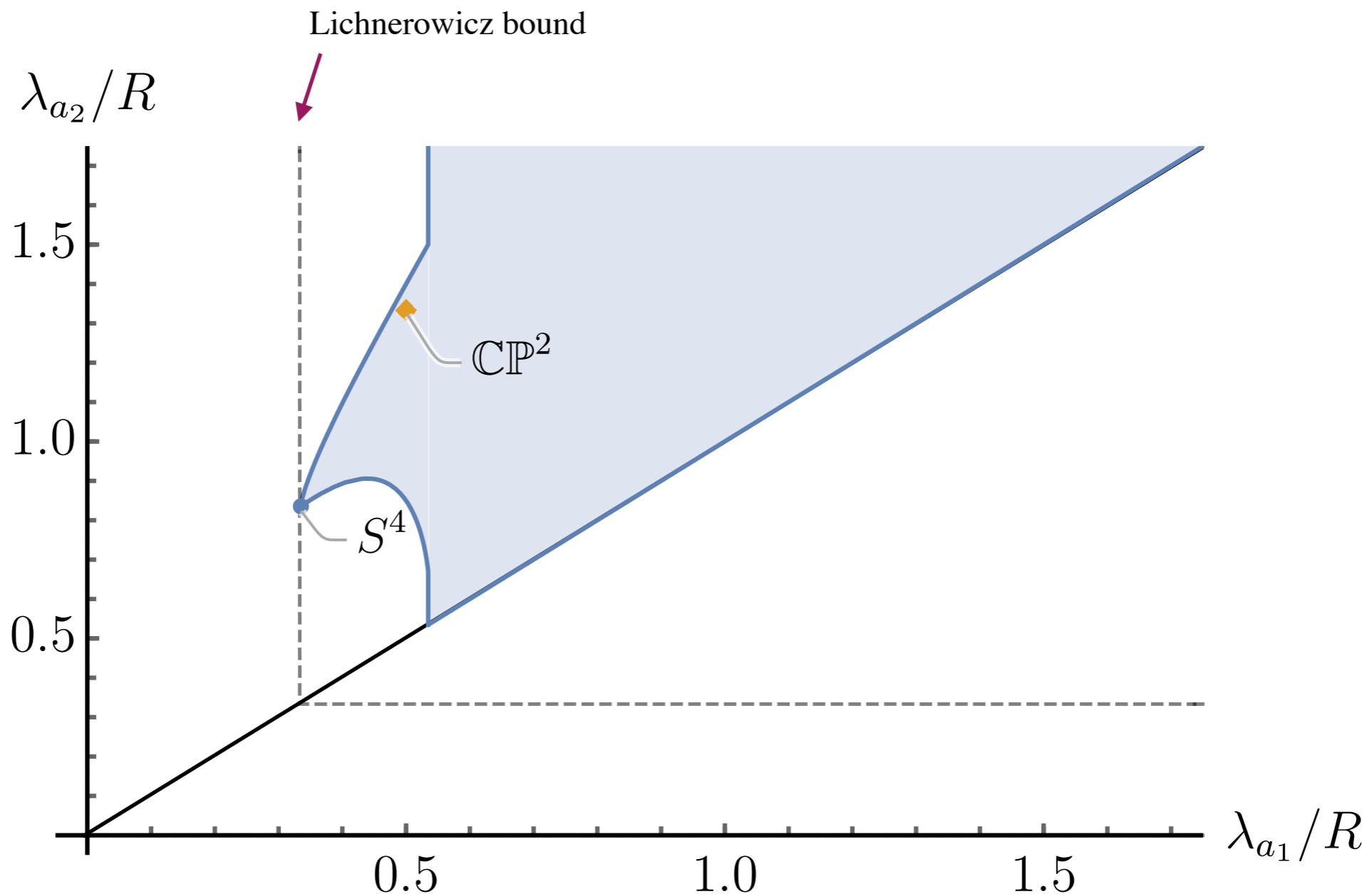
Assumptions: $R \geq 0$, \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry under which ψ_{a_1} is odd



Bounds on eigenvalues

allowed values of the 2 lowest lying scalar eigenvalues, relative to the curvature

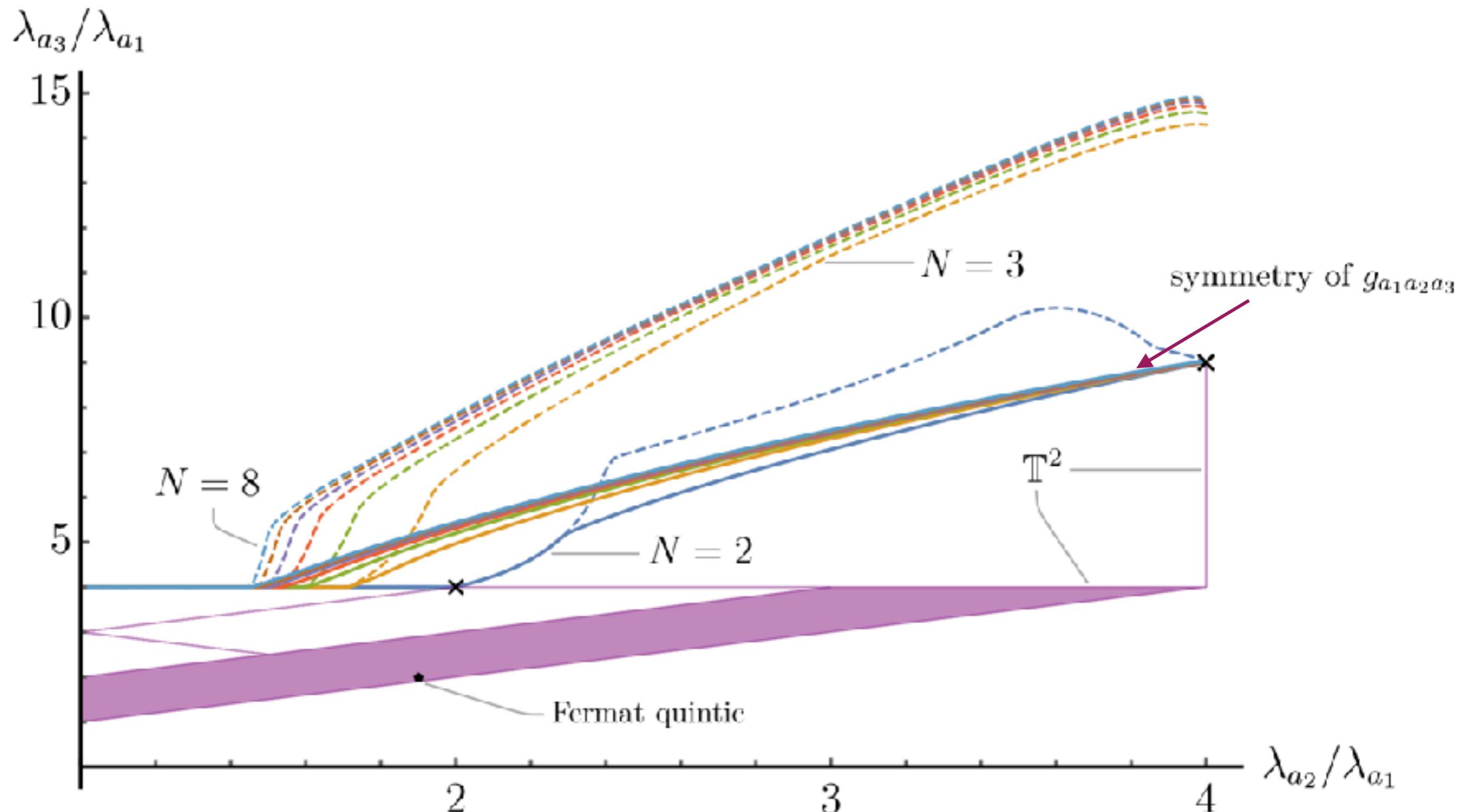
Assumptions: $N = 4$, $R > 0$, $\lambda_{a_3} \geq \frac{3R}{2}$, $\lambda_{\mathcal{I}} \geq \frac{4R}{3}$



Bounds on eigenvalues

Upper bound on the ratio of the 3rd to 1st scalar eigenvalue vs. the 2nd to 1st scalar eigenvalue

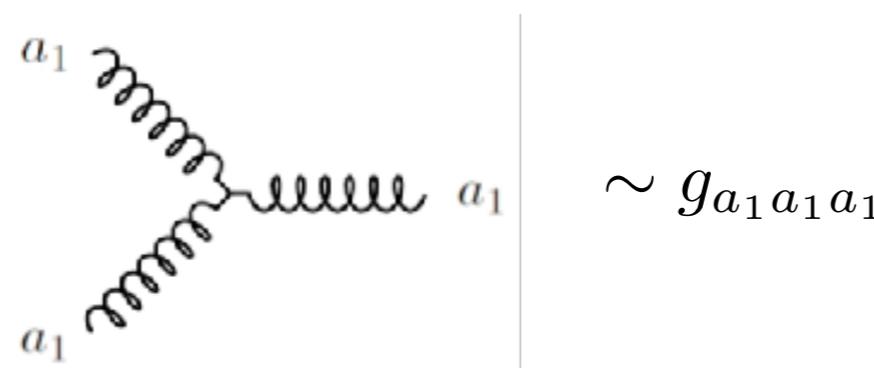
Assumptions: $R \geq 0$, $\lambda_{\mathcal{I}} \geq 0$



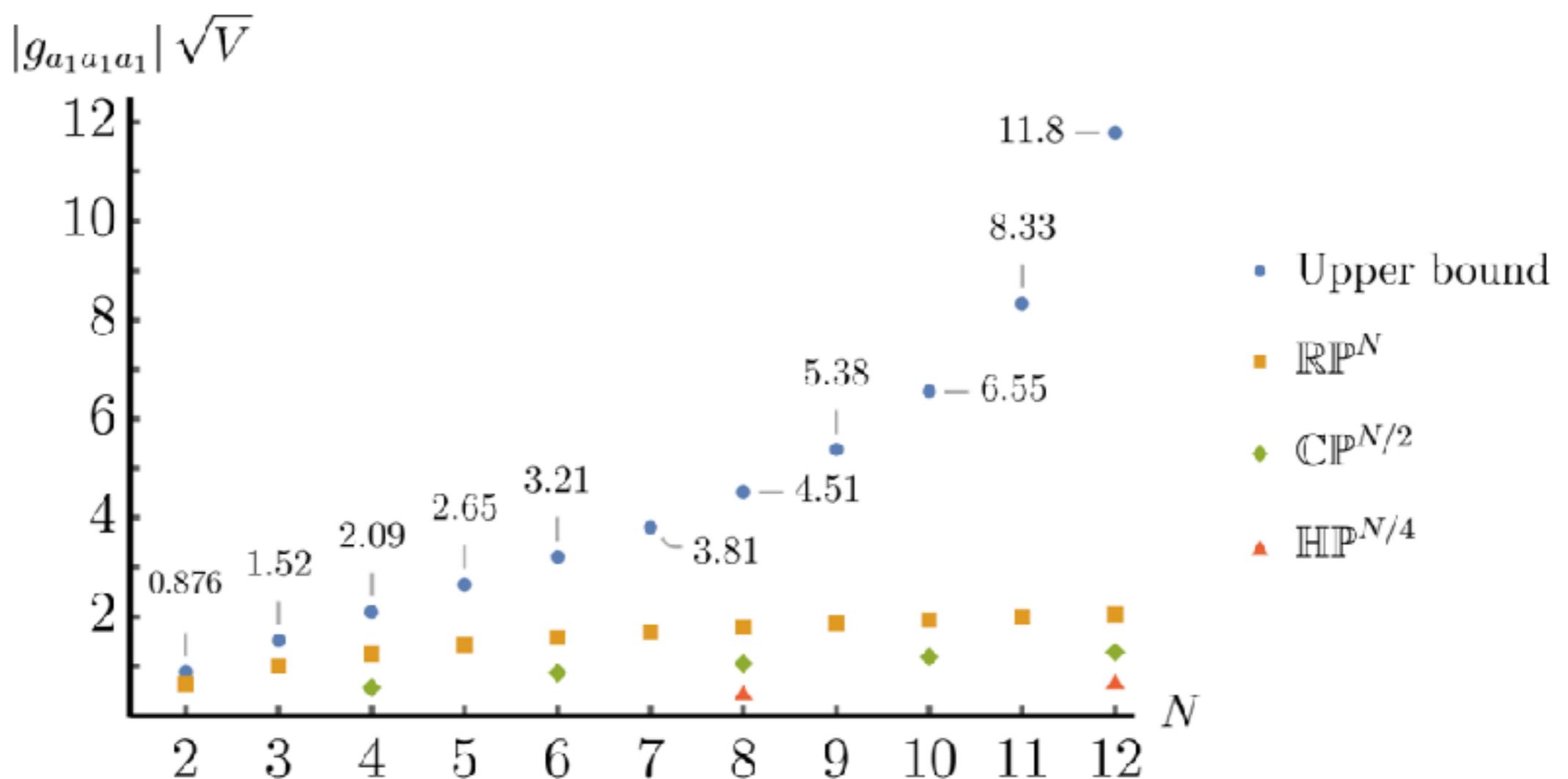
Bounds on cubic couplings

Upper bound on lightest
massive spin-2 self-coupling

Assumptions: $R \geq 0$, $\lambda_{\mathcal{I}} \geq 0$



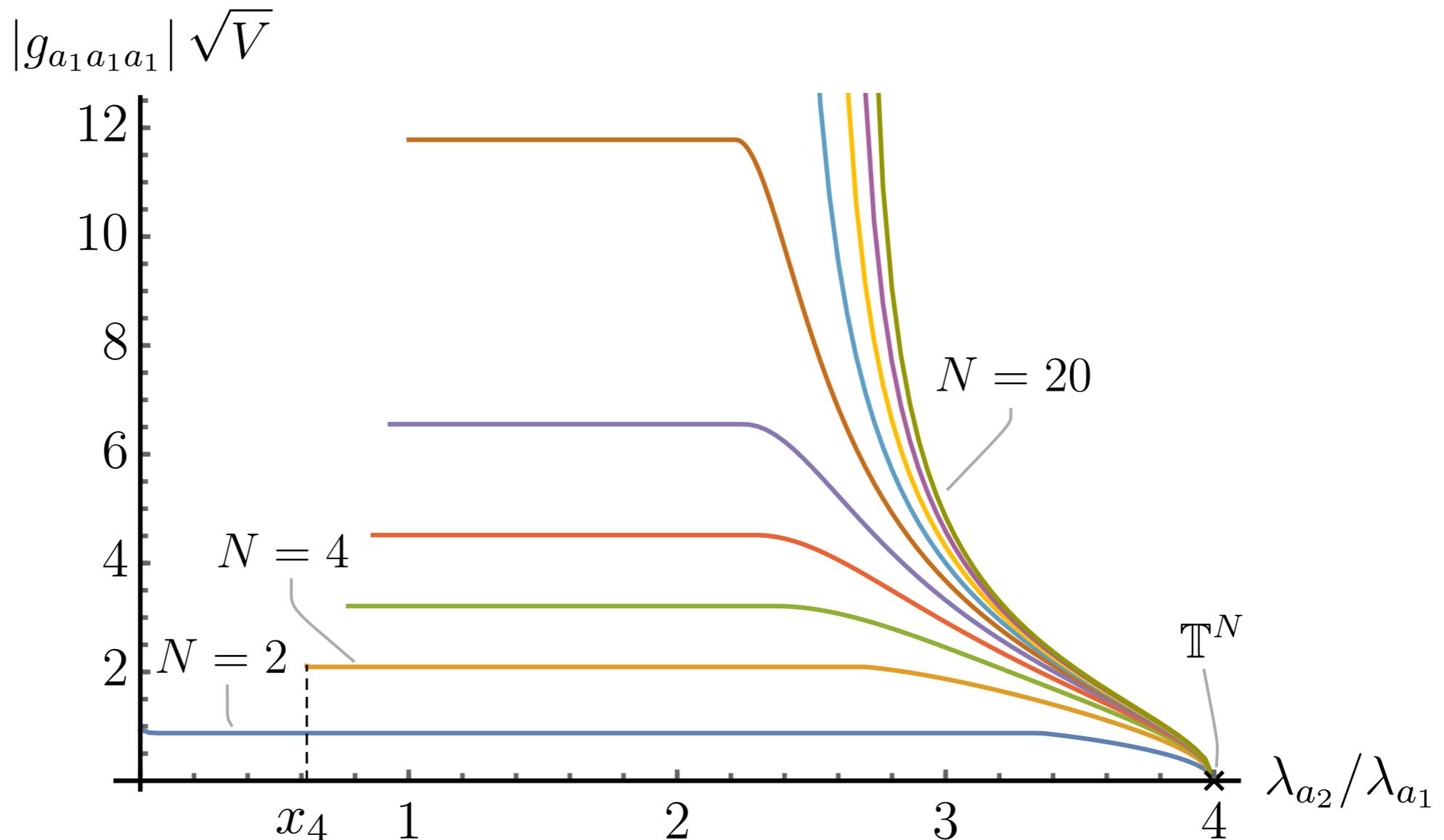
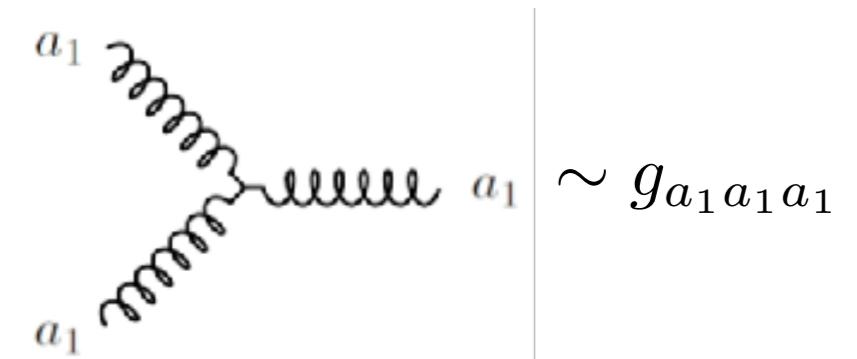
$$\sim g_{a_1 a_1 a_1}$$



Bounds on cubic couplings

Upper bound on lightest massive spin-2 self-coupling
as a function of the ratio of the lightest 2 eigenvalues

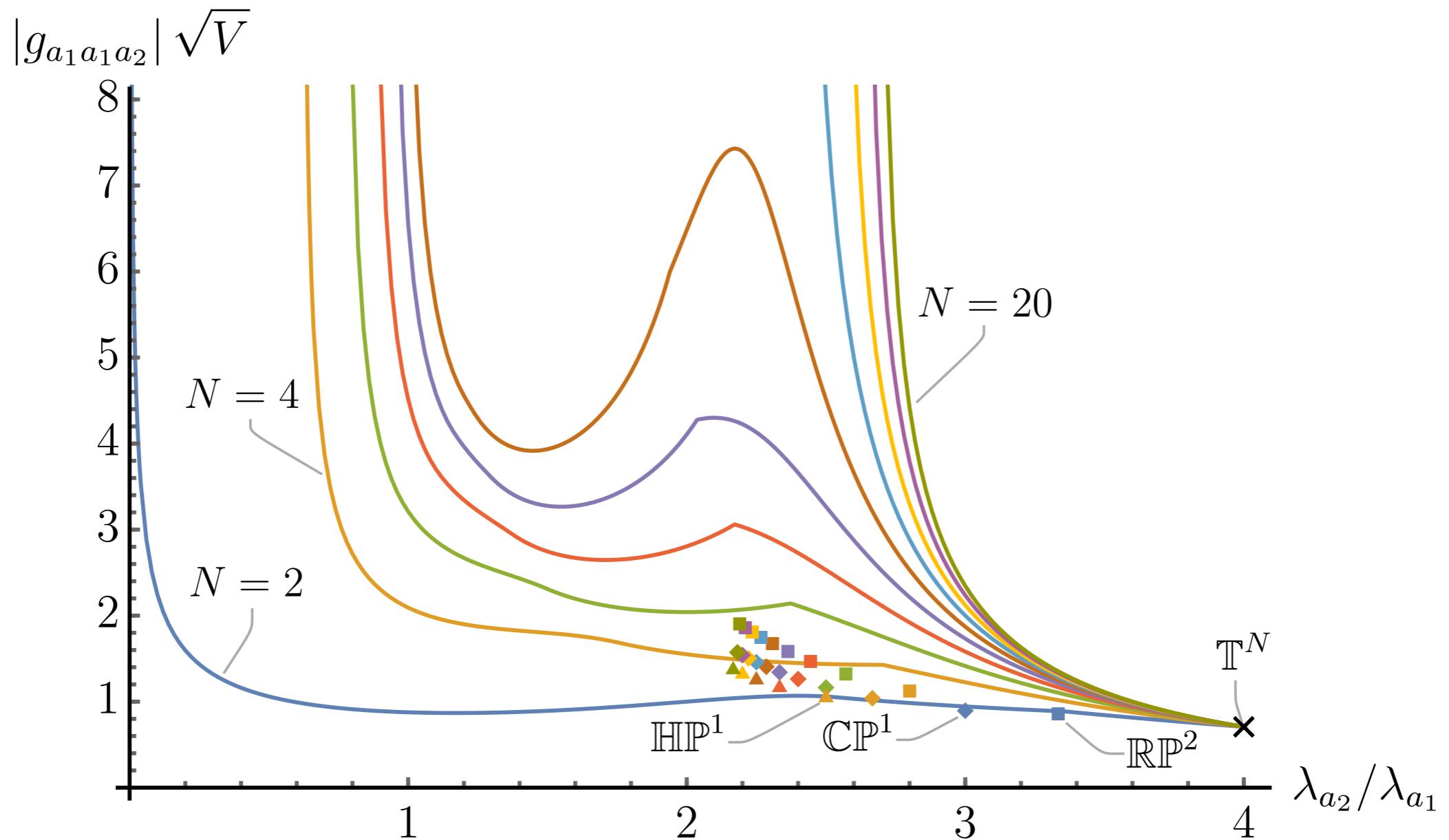
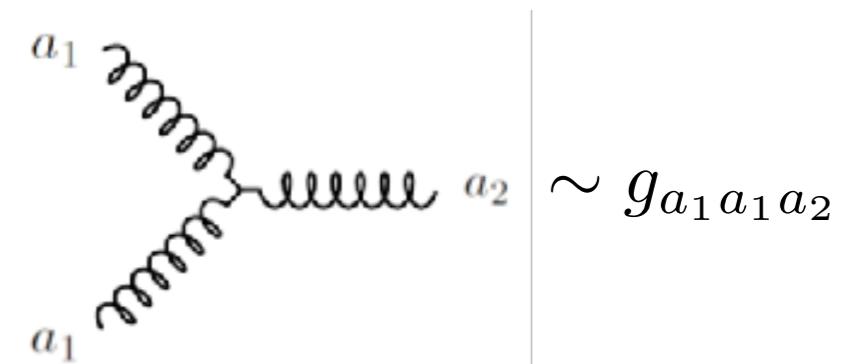
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Bounds on cubic couplings

Upper bounds on massive spin-2 coupling
of lightest to next lightest mode

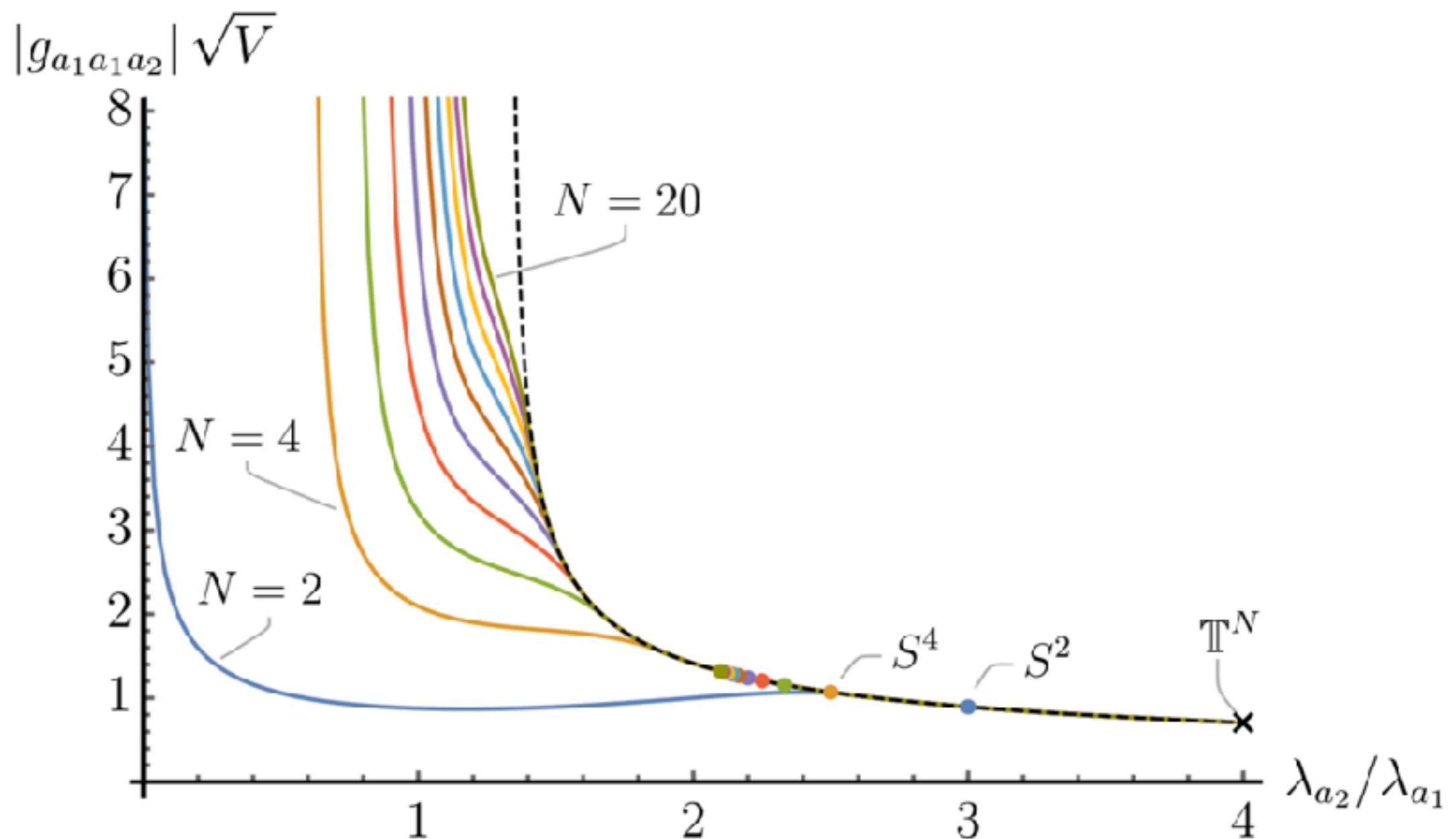
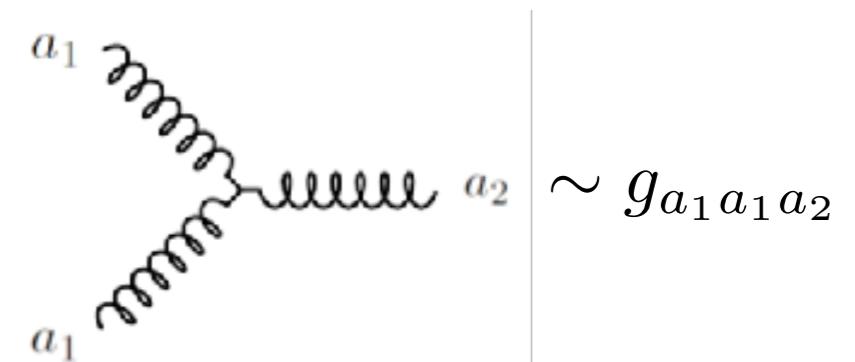
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Bounds on cubic couplings

Upper bounds on massive spin-2 coupling
of lightest to next lightest mode

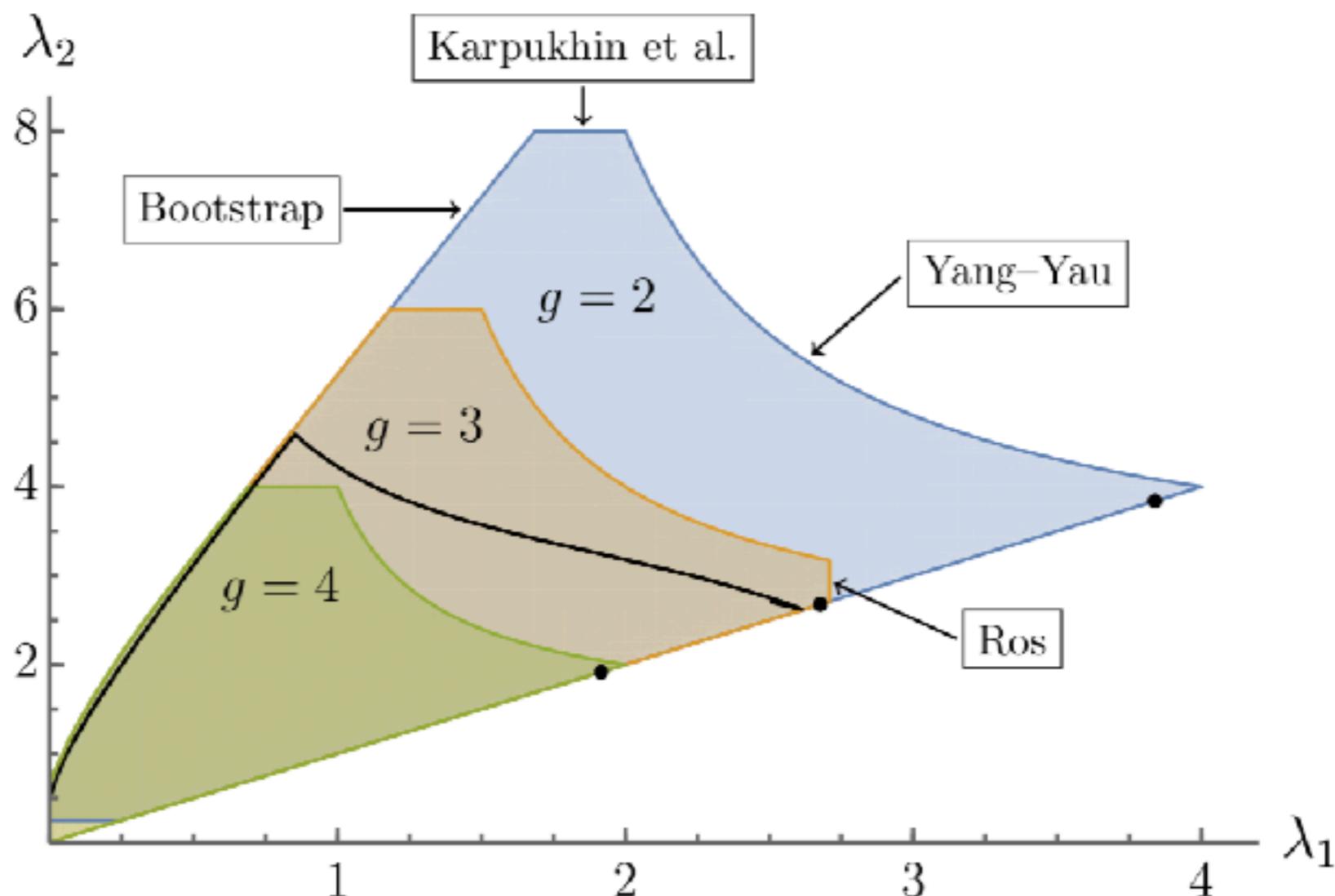
Assumptions: $R \geq 0$, $\lambda_{\mathcal{I}} \geq 0$, \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry



Bounds on closed hyperbolic manifolds

James Bonifacio: arxiv:2107.09674

Allowed lowest eigenvalues on Genus g surfaces:



Conclusions and open questions

- New non-trivial constraints on the possible eigenvalue spectra and triple overlap integrals of Einstein manifolds
- They come from crossing relations on quadruple overlap integrals. The same relations ensure the correct high-energy behavior of KK reductions of gravity
- Do any non-trivial manifolds live at the kinks of our bootstrap bounds?
- Can any non-trivial manifolds be isolated by bootstrap bounds?
- Is a manifold uniquely determined by its geometric data? (can't hear the shape of a drum, but perhaps with triple overlaps?)
- Are there data that satisfy all the crossing relations which do not come from any manifold? (a non-geometric Kaluza-Klein compactification)