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A Stringy Mechanism for A Small Cosmological Constant

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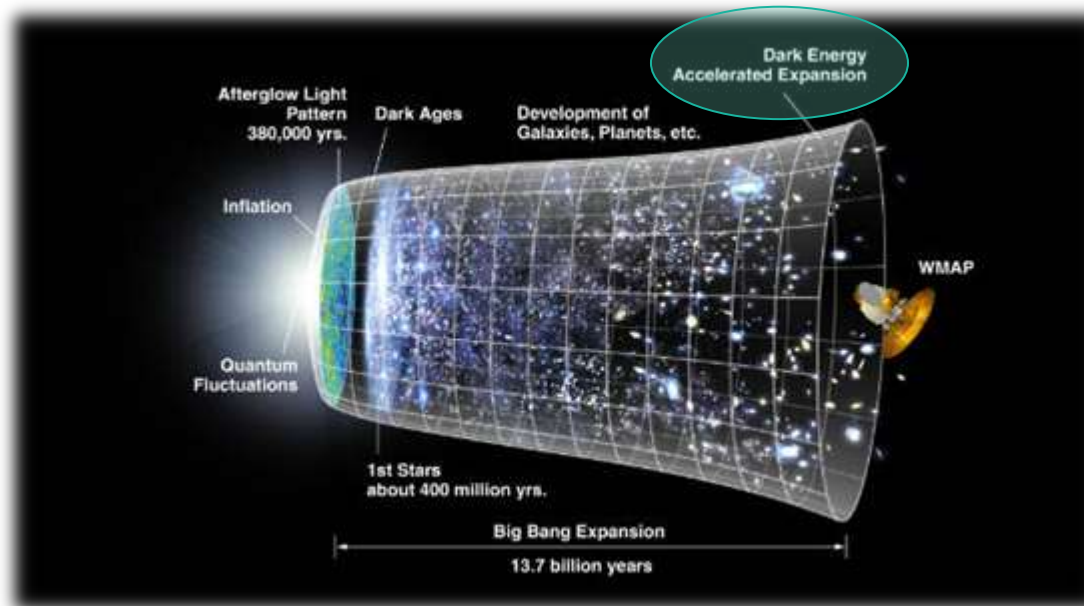
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Motivation

Dark Energy

Late time expansion



Awarded Nobel Prize in 2011!



What can be a source for this?



Acceleration

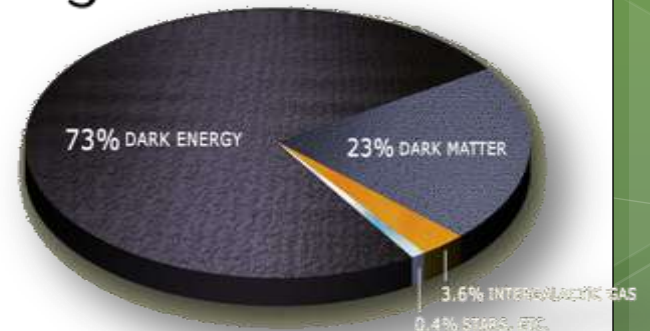
$$\frac{3\ddot{a}}{a} = -4\pi G(3p + \rho)$$

➡ The universe is accelerating if $\rho < -3p$
 or pressure-density ratio: $w \equiv \frac{p}{\rho} < -\frac{1}{3}$

Cosmological scale

EOM (Friedmann eq.)

$$H = \frac{\dot{a}}{a} = \sqrt{\frac{8\pi G\rho}{3}} \quad \text{for flat background}$$



Observationally $\Omega_\Lambda \sim 0.7$ ➡ DE domination

$$\rho_0 = \frac{3H_0^2}{8\pi G}\Omega_\Lambda \sim 10^{-122} M_P^4$$

Two possibilities

- For **cosmological constant**

WMAP+BAO+SN suggests

$$w = -1.10 \pm 0.14 \quad (64\% \text{ CL})$$

for a flat universe $\Omega_k = -\frac{k}{a_0^2 H_0^2} = 0$

- For **time-varying DE**

WMAP+BAO+H₀+D Δ t+SN suggests

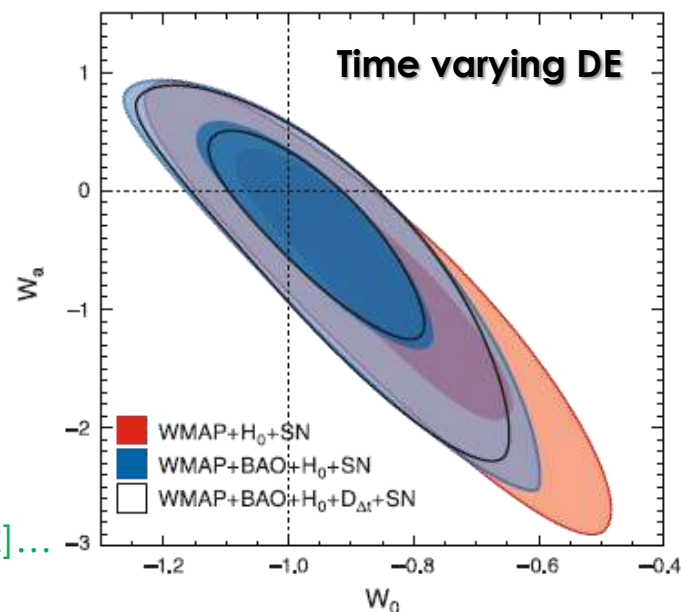
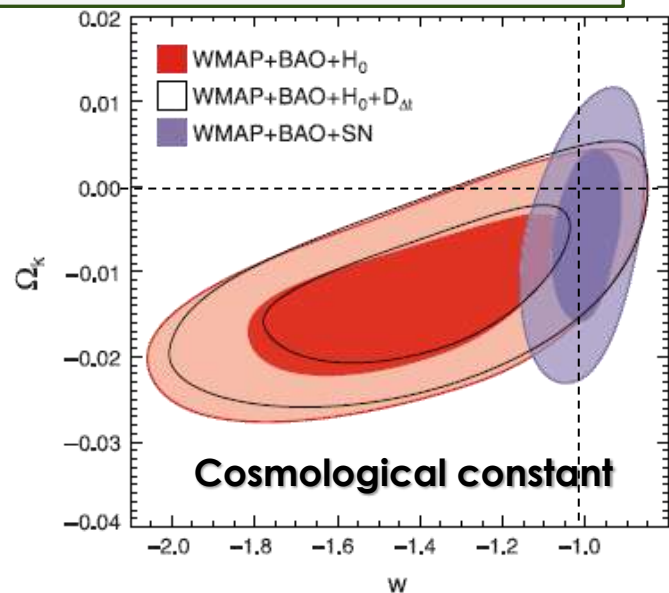
$$w = w_0 + w_a(1 - a(t))$$

$$w_0 = -0.93 \pm 0.13$$

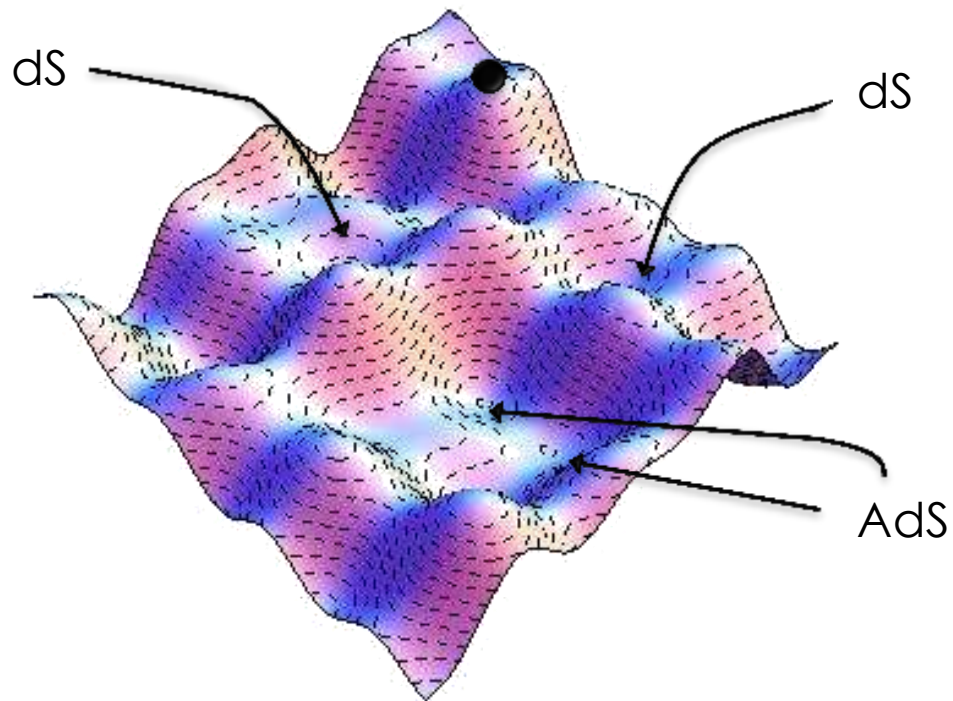
$$w_a = -0.41^{+0.72}_{-0.71} \quad (68\% \text{ CL})$$

e.g. Stringy Quintessence models

[Kiwoon, 99], [Svrcek, 06], [Kaloper, Sorbo, 08],
[Panda, YS, Trivedi, 10], [Cicoli, Pedro, Tasinato, 12]...



Landscape



Metastable vacua
in moduli space

- Inflation
 ↓ rolling down
 (& tunneling)
- dS vacua
- ↓ tunneling
- AdS vacua?

Low energy

We may stay here for a while.

➔ But how likely with tiny CC?

Stringy Landscape

There are many types of vacua in string theory, as a result of a variety of (Calabi-Yau) compactification.

$$ds_{10}^2 = ds_4^2 + ds_6^2$$

A class of Calabi-Yau gives Swiss-cheese type of volume.

$$\mathcal{V}_6 = \gamma_1(T_1 + \bar{T}_1) - \sum_{i=2} \gamma_i(T_i + \bar{T}_i),$$

E.g. workable models: [Denef, Douglas, Florea, 04]

- $\mathbb{P}^4_{[1,1,1,6,9]}$: $h^{1,1} = 2, h^{2,1} = 272$
- \mathcal{F}_{11} : $h^{1,1} = 3, h^{2,1} = 111$
- \mathcal{F}_{18} : $h^{1,1} = 5, h^{2,1} = 89$

All can be stabilized
(a la KKLT),
but in various way.

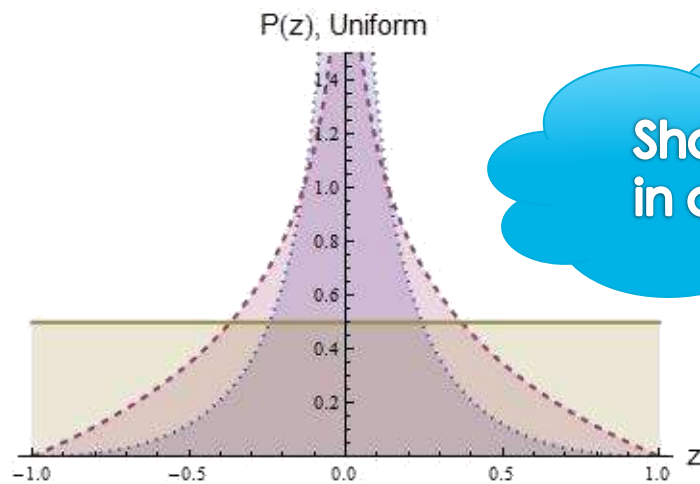


Any implication of multiple vacua?

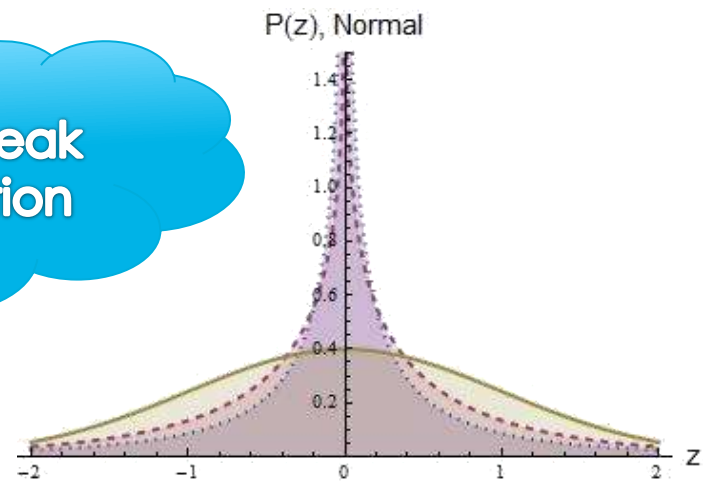
Keys in this talk

Product distribution

Assuming products of random variables: $z = y_1 y_2 y_3 \cdots$



Sharper peak
in distribution



Many terms? \longrightarrow **Correlation** through stabilization

$\longrightarrow z = y_1 y_2 y_3 \cdots f(y_1, y_2, y_3, \cdots)$ **still peaked**

We apply this mechanism for cosmological constant (CC)

Before proceeding...

I have to say

we **don't** solve cosmological constant problem completely.

But here,

we introduce **a tool** to make cosmological constant smaller, maybe up to a certain value.

“**A** Stringy Mechanism for **A** Small Cosmological Constant”

Moduli stabilization ~random approach~

Gaussian suppression on stability

Various vacua in string landscape

→ Mass matrix given **randomly** at extrema

→ How likely stable minima exist?

Positivity of mass matrix ↔ Positivity of Hessian $\partial_{\phi_i} \partial_{\phi_j} V \Big|_{\min}$

→ Real/complex symmetric matrix

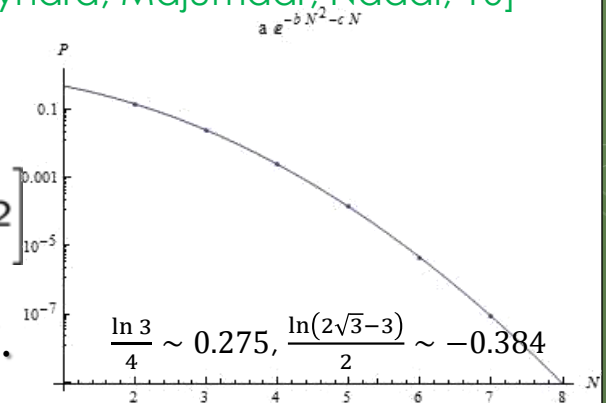
- Gaussian Orthogonal Ensemble

[Aazami, Easter, 05], [Dean, Majumdar, 08], [Borot, Eynard, Majumdar, Nadal, 10]

$$Z = \int dM_{ij} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \text{tr} M^2}, M = M^T$$

$$\mathcal{P} = \exp \left[\underbrace{-\frac{\ln 3}{4} N^2}_{a} + \frac{\ln(2\sqrt{3}-3)}{2} N - \frac{1}{24} \ln N - 0.0172 \right]$$

Gaussian term dominates even at lower N .



Hierarchical setup

- Assuming hierarchy between diag. and off-diag. comp.

Actual models are likely to have minima at AdS.
 + uplifting term toward dS vacua.

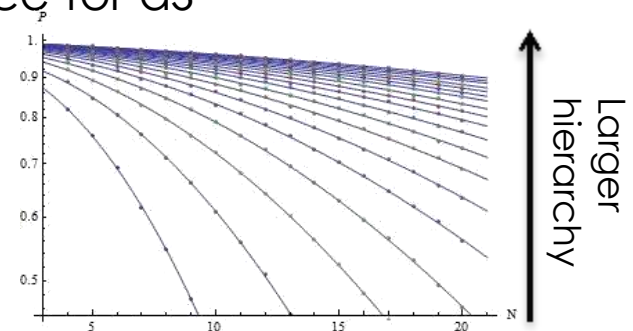
Hessian = $A + B$ where A : diagonal positive definite with σ_A
 B : GOE with σ_B

Still Gaussianly suppressed, but a chance for dS

$$\mathcal{P} = a e^{-bN^2 - cN}$$

[X. Chen, Shiu, YS, Tye, 11]

When applying a model in type IIA,
 quite tiny chance remains.



- Assuming more randomness in SUGRA at SUSY AdS

$$\mathcal{P} = e^{-bN^2}$$

[Bachlechner, Marsh, McAllister, Wrase, 12]

Moduli stabilization ~concrete models~

Type IIB

Sources: $H_3, F_1, F_3, \tilde{F}_5$, dilaton, localized sources

$$\text{Metric: } ds_{10}^2 = e^{2A} ds_4^2 + e^{-2A} \underline{d\tilde{s}_6^2}$$

Calabi-Yau

Then EOM becomes [Giddings, Kachru, Polchinski, 02]

$$\tilde{\nabla}^2(e^{4A} - \alpha) = \frac{e^{2A}}{6 \text{Im } \tau} |iG_3 - *_6 G_3|^2 + e^{-6A} |\partial(e^{4A} - \alpha)|^2 + (\text{local sources})$$

LHS=0 when integrating out



 positive contributions

$e^{4A} = \alpha$, $iG_3 = *_6 G_3$: imaginary self-dual condition

where α is a function in \tilde{F}_5 , $G_3 = F_3 - \tau H_3$, $\tau = C_0 + i e^{-\phi}$

No-scale structure

Take a scaling: $\tilde{g}_{mn} \rightarrow \lambda \tilde{g}_{mn}$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} e^{4A} = \alpha, \quad iG_3 = *_6 G_3: \text{invariant} \\ \text{The other equations are also unchanged.} \end{array} \right.$$

No-scale structure

→ superpotential $W_0 = \int G_3 \wedge \Omega$ is independent of Kahler

4D effective potential with $K = -3 \ln(T + \bar{T}), W_0 = \text{const}$

$$V = e^{K/M_P^2} \left(K^{IJ} D_I W_0 \overline{D_J W_0} - \frac{3}{M_P^2} |W|^2 \right) = 0$$



Kahler directions remain flat.

A bonus in type IIB

Hierarchical structure of mass matrix/potential helps to stabilize moduli at positive cosmological constant.

[X. Chen, Shiu, YS, Tye, 12]

Moduli stabilization with positive cosmological constant

- Fluxes  Complex structure & dilaton
- Non-perturbative effect, α' -correction, localized branes
-  Kahler [KKLT, 03], [Balasubramanian, Berglund, Conlon, Quevedo, 05], [Balasubramanian, Berglund, 04]...

$$V = V_{\text{Flux}} + \frac{V_{\text{NP}} + V_{\alpha'} + \dots}{}$$

 Complex

 Kahler

No scale structure  Hierarchy between Kahler and Complex

KKLT

Non-trivial potential for Kahler is generated by NP-corrections.

E.g. **Glino condensation on D7-branes**

D7-branes wrapping the four cycle: $W_{NP} = A e^{-\tilde{a} 8\pi^2/g_{D7}} = A e^{-aT}$

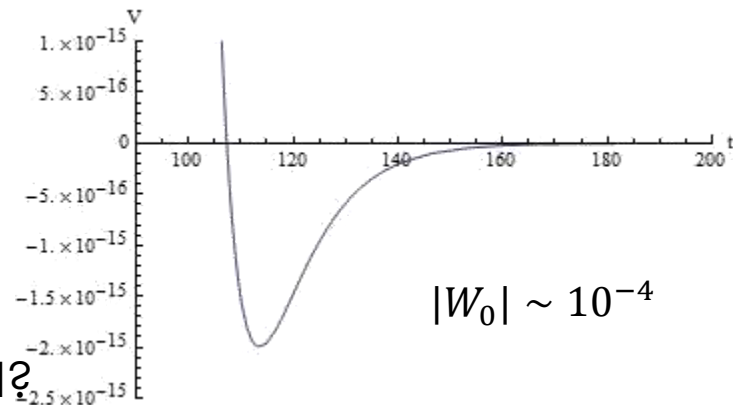
Together with the superpotential from fluxes: $W = W_0 + W_{NP}$

Supersymmetric vacuum
 $D_T W = 0$ exists.



But exponentially small W_0 is required.

$|W_0| \sim A e^{-aT}$, naturally realized?



Large Volume Scenario

[Balasubramanian, Berglund, Conlon, Quevedo, 05]

α' -corrections can break no-scale structure too.

$\mathcal{O}(\alpha'^3)$ -correction in type II action [Becker, Becker, Haack, Louis, 02]

$$K = -2 \ln \left(\mathcal{V} + \frac{\xi}{2} (-i(\tau + \bar{\tau}))^{3/2} \right) - \ln(-i(\tau + \bar{\tau})) + \dots$$

scales differently

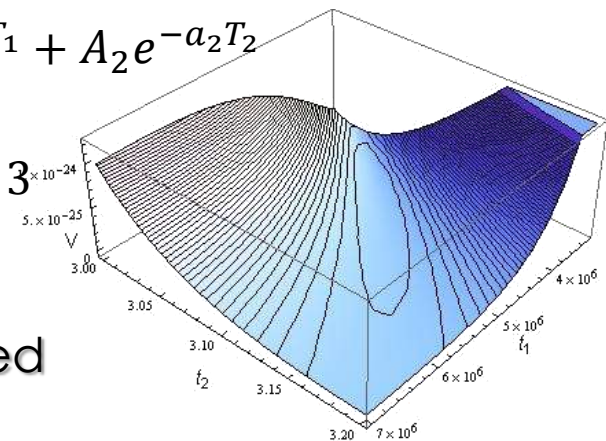
E.g. $\mathbb{P}^4_{[1,1,1,6,9]}$ model (assuming complex sector is stabilized)

$$\mathcal{V} = \frac{1}{9\sqrt{2}} (t_1^{3/2} - t_2^{3/2}), \quad W = W_0 + A_1 e^{-a_1 T_1} + A_2 e^{-a_2 T_2}$$

Solution: $W_0 \sim -20$, $A_1 \sim 1$, $t_1 \sim 10^6$, $t_2 \sim 3 \times 10^{-24}$

$V_{\min} \sim -10^{-25}$: AdS vacua

→ $|W_0| \gg |W_{NP}|$, $\mathcal{V} \gg \xi$: naturally realized



Kahler uplifting

[Balasubramanian, Berglund, 04],
[Westphal, 06], [Rummel, Westphal, 11],
[de Alwis, Givens, 11]

Same setup as that of LVS

$$K = -2 \ln \left(\mathcal{V} + \frac{\xi}{2} \right) + \dots, \quad \mathcal{V} = \gamma_1 (T_1 + \bar{T}_1) - \sum_{i=2} \gamma_i (T_i + \bar{T}_i),$$

$$W = W_0 + \frac{A_1 e^{-a_1 T_1}}{\dots} + \sum_{i=2} A_i e^{-a_i T_i}$$



Interested in a region
where this term plays a roll.

➔ less large volume than LVS, but still $|W_0| \gg |W_{NP}|$, $\mathcal{V} \gg \xi$

E.g. single modulus [Rummel, Westphal, 11]

$$V \sim -\frac{W_0 a_1^3 A_1}{2 \gamma_1^2} \left(\frac{2C}{9x_1^{9/2}} - \frac{e^{-x_1}}{x_1^2} \right), \quad C = \frac{-27 W_0 \xi a_1^{3/2}}{64 \sqrt{2} \gamma_1 A_1}, \quad x_1 = a_1 t_1$$

When $W_0 A_1 < 0$, the $C \propto \xi$ term contributes the uplifting.

KKLT vs Kahler uplifting

- KKLT

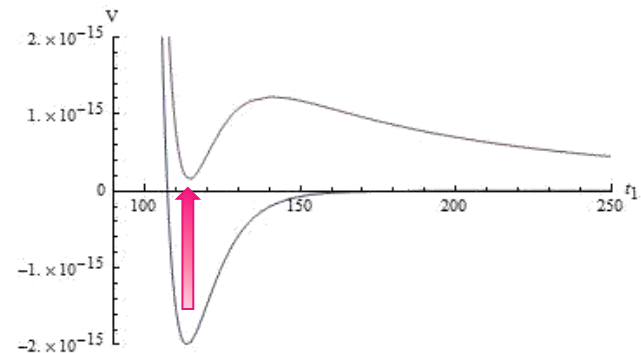
Add an uplifting potential by hand

$$V = V_{SUGRA} + V_{D3-\bar{D}3}$$

$$V_{D3-\bar{D}3} = 2T_3 \int d^4x \sqrt{-g_4}$$

Backreaction of $\bar{D}3$? \longrightarrow A singularity exists, but finite action

Safe or not? [DeWolfe, Kachru, Mulligan, 08], [McGuirk, Shiu, YS, 09],
[Bena, Giecold, Grana, Halmagyi, Massai, 09-12], [Dymarsky, 11],...

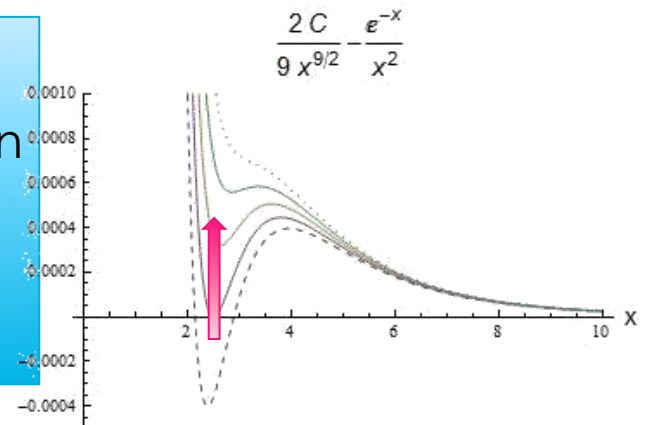


- Kahler uplifting

$$V = V_{SUGRA} \quad \text{SUGRA} + \alpha' \text{-correction}$$

Owing to $|W_0| \gg |W_{NP}|$

\longrightarrow No fine-tuning for W_0



Statistical approach

Further approximation

$$\frac{V}{M_P^4} = -\frac{W_0 a_1^3 A_1}{2 \gamma_1} \left(\frac{C}{9 x_1^{9/2}} - \frac{e^{-x_1}}{x_1^2} \right), \quad C = \frac{-27 W_0 \xi a_1^{3/2}}{64 \sqrt{2} \gamma_1^2 A_1}, \quad x_1 = a_1 t_1$$

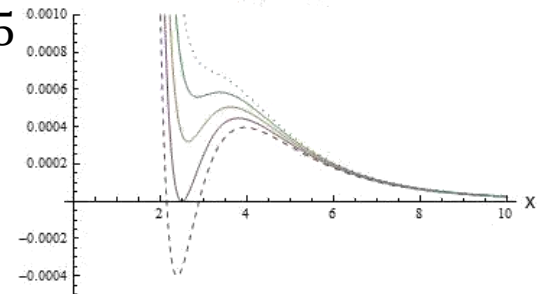
[Rummel, Westphal, 11]

The stability constraint with positive CC at stationery points:

$$V \geq 0 \quad \longrightarrow \quad 3.65 \leq C < 3.89 \quad \longleftarrow \quad \partial_x^2 V > 0$$

Further focusing on smaller CC region: $C \sim 3.65$

$$\frac{V}{M_P^4} \sim \frac{1}{9} \left(\frac{2}{5} \right)^{\frac{9}{2}} \frac{-W_0 a_1^3 A_1}{\gamma_1^2} (C - 3.65)$$



Neglecting the parameters a_1, γ_1, ξ , the model is simplified to be

$$\Lambda = w_1 w_2 (c - c_0), \quad c_0 \leq c = \frac{w_1}{w_2} < c_1 \quad (w_1 = -W_0, w_2 = A_1, c \propto C)$$

Stringy Random Landscape

Starting with the simplified potential:

[YS, Tye, 12]

$$\Lambda = w_1 w_2 (c - c_0), \quad c_0 \leq c = \frac{w_1}{w_2} < c_1$$

Since W_0, A_1 are given model by model (various ways of stabilizing complex moduli), here we impose reasonable randomness on parameters.

→ $w_1, w_2 \in [0, 1]$, uniform distribution (for simplicity)

Probability distribution function

$$P(\Lambda) = N_0 \int dc \int dw_1 dw_2 \delta(w_1 w_2 (c - c_0) - \Lambda) \delta\left(\frac{w_1}{w_2} - c\right)$$

N_0 : normalization constant

Divergence in product distribution

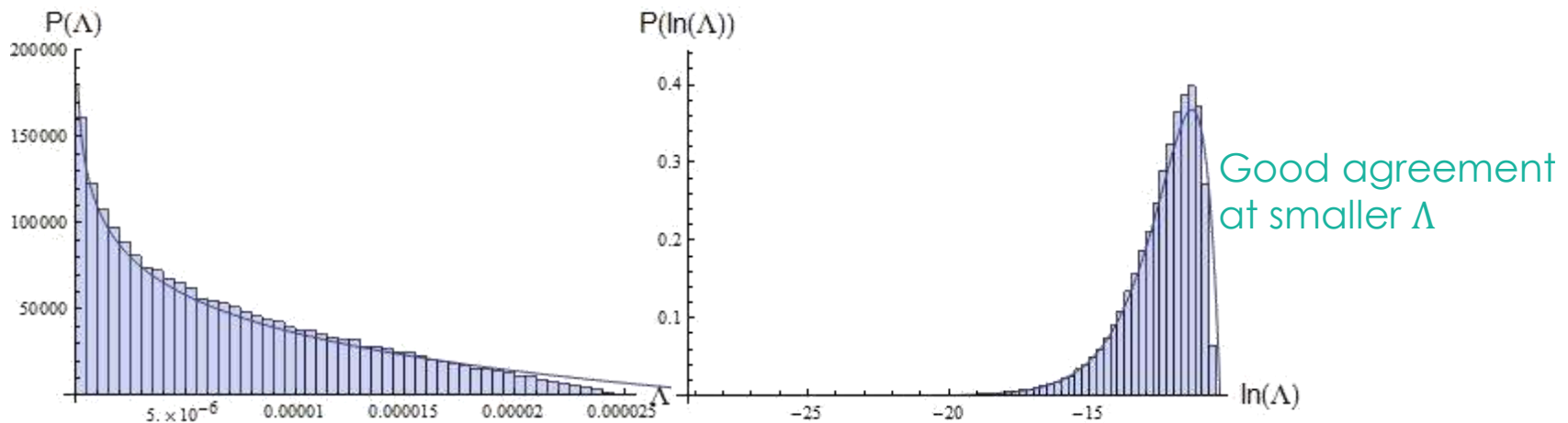
When $z = w_1 w_2$,

$$P(z) = \int dw_1 dw_2 \delta(w_1 w_2 - z) = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{1}{z} \quad \text{log divergence at } z = 0$$

With constraint? $\Lambda = w_1 w_2 (c - c_0)$, $\underbrace{c_0 \leq c}_{\text{positivity}} = \frac{w_1}{w_2} < \underbrace{c_1}_{\text{stability}}$

$$\longrightarrow P(\Lambda) = \frac{c_1}{c_1 - c_0} \ln \frac{c_1 - c_0}{c_1 \Lambda} \quad \text{still diverging!!}$$

Comparison to the full-potential (randomizing W_0, A_1 without approx.)



Zero-ness of parameters

We assumed the parameters W_0, A_1 passing through zero value, but is it true?

- E.g. T^6 model: $W_0 = \left(c_1 + \sum d_i U_i \right) - \left(c_2 + \sum e_i U_i \right) s$

SUSY condition

$$\rightarrow W_0 = 2 (c_1 + c_2 s) \frac{\prod_k (d_k - e_k s)}{\sum_i (d_i + e_i s) \prod_{j \neq i} (d_j - e_j s)} \quad s = \text{Re}(S)$$

easy to be zero

- Brane position dependence of A_1

[Baumann, Dymarsky, Klebanov, Maldacena, McAllister, Murugan, 06]

$$A_1 = \hat{A}_1(U_i) (f(X_i))^{1/n}, \quad f(X_i) = \prod X_i^{p_i} - \mu^q$$

$f(X_i) = 0$ when D3-brane hits D7-brane (divisor, at μ)

known as *Ganor zero*

Comments on sum distribution

Sum distribution smooths out the divergence and moves the peak.

E.g. $z = x_1^{n_1} + x_2^{n_2} + \dots + x_p^{n_p}$

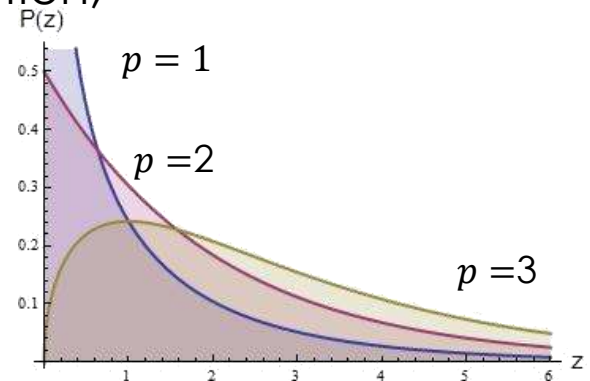
- Each has divergent peak: $P(w_i = x_i^{n_i}) \propto w_i^{-1 + \frac{1}{n_i}}$
- Independent of each other, no correlations.

➡ But uncorrelated summation gives $P(z) \propto z^{-1 + \sum \frac{1}{n_i}}$.

When all $n_i = 2$, and $x_i \in$ normal distribution,

$$P(z) = \frac{e^{-p/2} z^{-1+p/2}}{2^{p/2} \Gamma(p/2)}$$

known as *Chi-squared distribution*



Bousso-Polchinski

4-form quantization

$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left(\frac{1}{M_P^2} R - \Lambda_{\text{bare}} - \frac{Z}{2 \times 4!} F_4^2 \right)$$

$\rightarrow \Lambda = \Lambda_{\text{bare}} + \frac{1}{2} \sum^J n_i^2 q_i^2$

Assume randomness in Bousso-Polchinski;

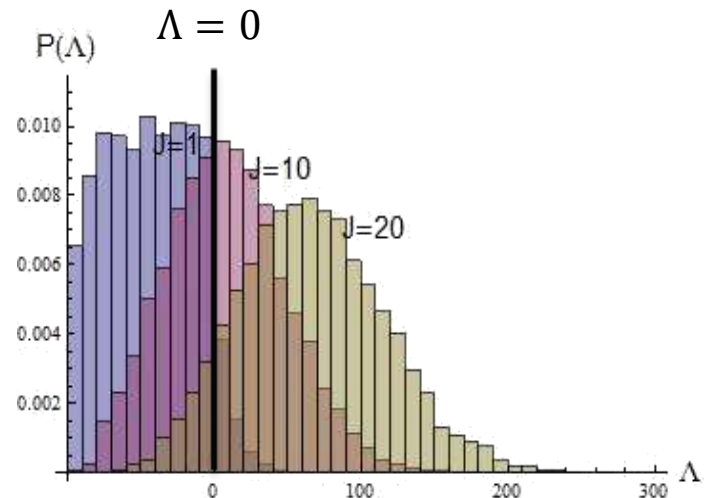
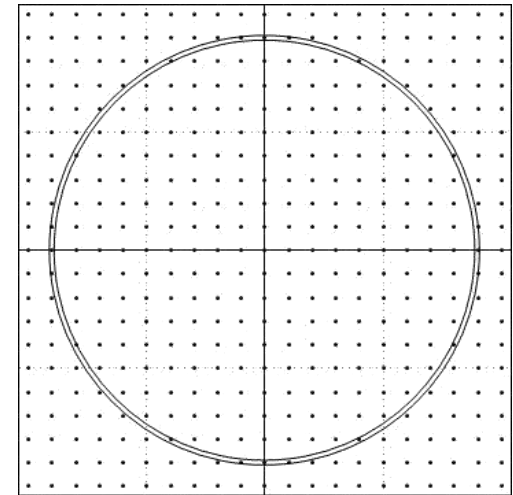
n_i : random integer, $0 \leq q_i \leq 1$: uniform,

$-100 \leq \Lambda_{\text{bare}} \leq 0$: uniform

But... **Moduli fields couple each term**

$$\Lambda \sim -W_0 A_1 \left(\frac{C}{9x_1^{9/2}} - \frac{e^{-x_1}}{x_1^2} \right)$$

correlation generated via stabilization



Multi-moduli analyses

Multi-moduli stabilization

[Sumitomo, Tye, in preparation]

Again, we work in the region: $|W_0| \gg |W_{NP}|$, $\mathcal{V} \gg \xi$.

Assuming stabilization of complex structure moduli and dilaton at higher energy scale,

$$\frac{V}{M_P^4} = -\frac{A_1 W_0 a_1^3}{2 \gamma_1} \left(\frac{2C}{9\tilde{\mathcal{V}}^3} - \frac{x_1 e^{-x_1}}{\tilde{\mathcal{V}}^2} - \sum_{i=2} \frac{B_i x_i e^{-x_i}}{\tilde{\mathcal{V}}^2} \right),$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{V}} = x_1^{3/2} - \sum_{i=2} \delta_i x_i^{3/2}, \quad x_i = a_i t_i, \quad C = \frac{-27 W_0 \xi a_1^{3/2}}{64 \sqrt{2} \gamma_1 A_1}, \quad B_i = \frac{A_i}{A_1}, \quad \delta_i = \frac{\gamma_i a_i^{3/2}}{\gamma_1 a_1^{3/2}}$$

- Now we have $N_K \times N_K$ mass matrix.

All upper-left sub-determinants are positive (*Sylvester's criteria*).

➡ N_K extremal equations + N_K stability constraints

- Stability at positive CC requires $B_i > 0$.

➡ Uplifting is controlled by the first term.

Multi-Kahler statistics

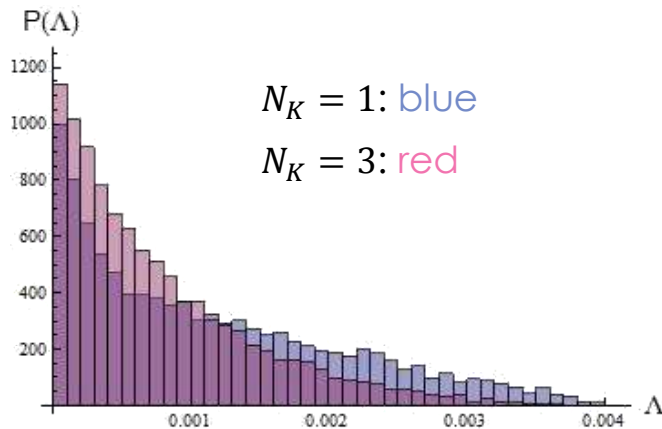
Still complicated system

$$\frac{V}{M_P^4} = -\frac{A_1 W_0 a_1^3}{2 \gamma_1} \left(\frac{2C}{9\tilde{V}^3} - \frac{x_1 e^{-x_1}}{\tilde{V}^2} - \sum_{i=2} \frac{B_i x_i e^{-x_i}}{\tilde{V}^2} \right)$$

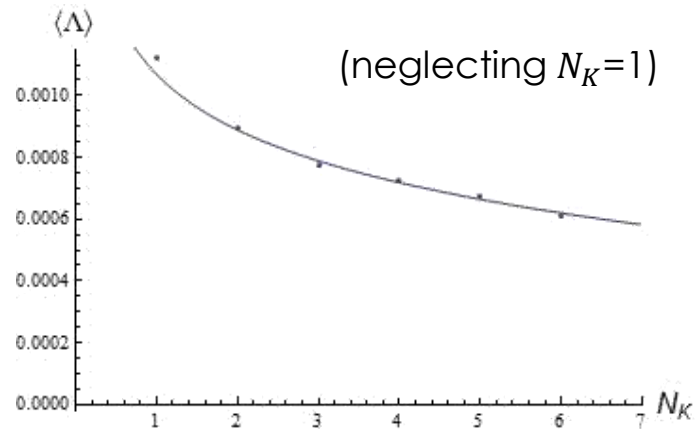
➔ We just randomize W_0, A_i obeying uniform distribution, while keeping other parameters fixed.

➔ Solve for t_i (or x_i)

$$-15 \leq W_0 \leq 0, \quad 0 \leq A_i \leq 1$$



More moduli bring shaper peak.
(though mild suppression)



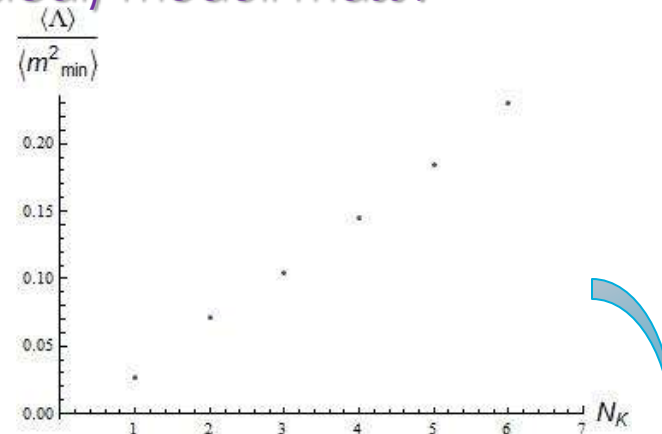
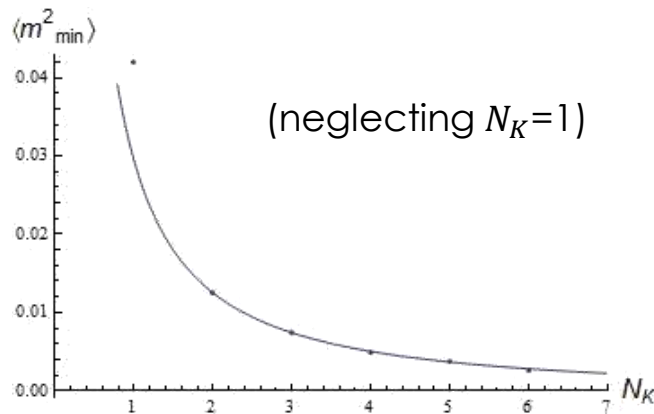
$$\langle \Lambda \rangle \sim 1.1 \times 10^{-3} N_K^{0.23} e^{-0.027 N_K} M_P^4$$

Cosmological moduli problem

Reheating for BBN: $T_r \geq \mathcal{O}(10) \text{ MeV}$ $T_r \sim \sqrt{M_P \Gamma_\phi}$, $\Gamma_\phi \sim \frac{m_\phi^3}{M_P}$

→ $m_\phi \geq \mathcal{O}(10) \text{ TeV} \sim 10^{-15} M_P$

What happens in lightest (physical) moduli mass?



$\langle m_{\min}^2 \rangle = 0.031 N_K^{1.0} e^{-0.10 N_K} M_P^2$: also suppressed

Suppression of mass is relatively faster than Λ .

→ $\langle m_{\min}^2 \rangle \sim 10^{-30} M_P^2$ is likely met earlier than $\langle \Lambda \rangle \sim 10^{-122} M_P^4$

More peaked parameters

So far we assumed uniform distribution for W_0, A_i . But realistic models have a number of complex moduli and others.

➔ Different distributions for W_0, A_i

Consider the effect of multiple independent parameters.

$$W_0 = -w_1 w_2 \cdots w_n, \quad A_i = y_1^{(i)} y_2^{(i)} \cdots y_n^{(i)}$$

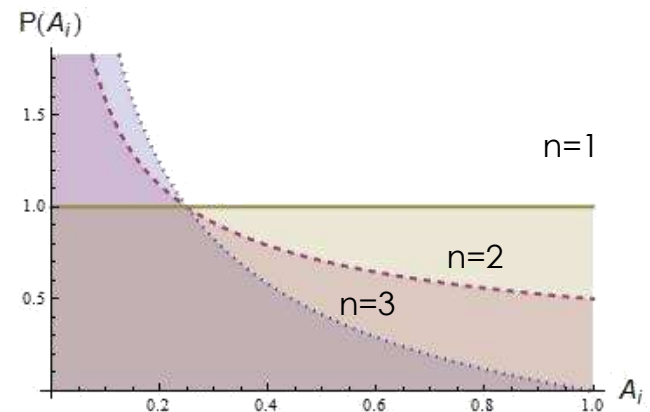
$0 \leq w_i \leq 15^{\frac{1}{n}}$, $0 \leq y_j^{(i)} \leq 1$, all obey uniform distribution.

Now,

$$P(W_0) = \frac{1}{15(n-1)!} \left(\ln \frac{15}{|W_0|} \right)^{n-1},$$

$$P(A_i) = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \left(\ln \frac{1}{A_i} \right)^{n-1}$$

See how CC is affected by “n”



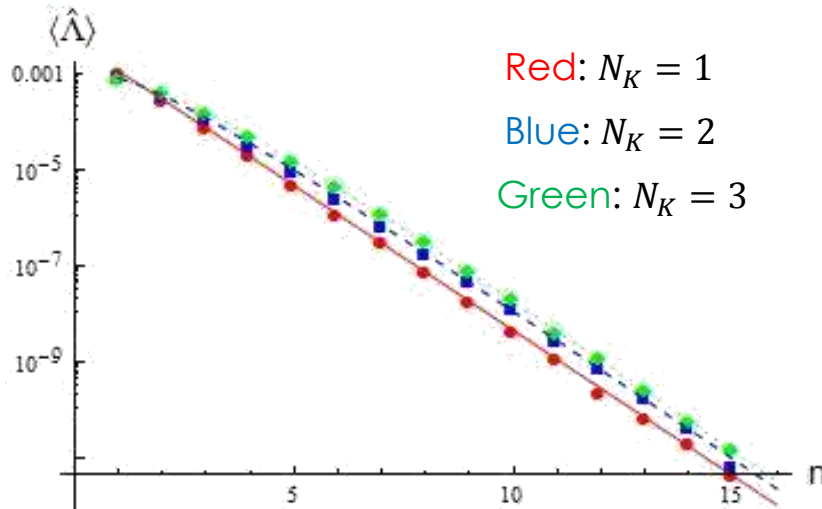
Cosmological constant

We cannot simply consider effect of the coefficient.

$$\frac{V}{M_P^4} = - \frac{A_1 W_0 a_1^3}{2 \gamma_1} \left(\frac{2C}{9\tilde{\nu}^3} - \frac{x_1 e^{-x_1}}{\tilde{\nu}^2} - \sum_{i=2} \frac{B_i x_i e^{-x_i}}{\tilde{\nu}^2} \right)$$

Dynamics also affects.

The result:



$$\langle \Lambda \rangle_{N_K=1} = 4.7 \times 10^{-3} n^{0.080} e^{-1.40 n}$$

$$\langle \Lambda \rangle_{N_K=2} = 3.7 \times 10^{-3} n^{0.97} e^{-1.49 n}$$

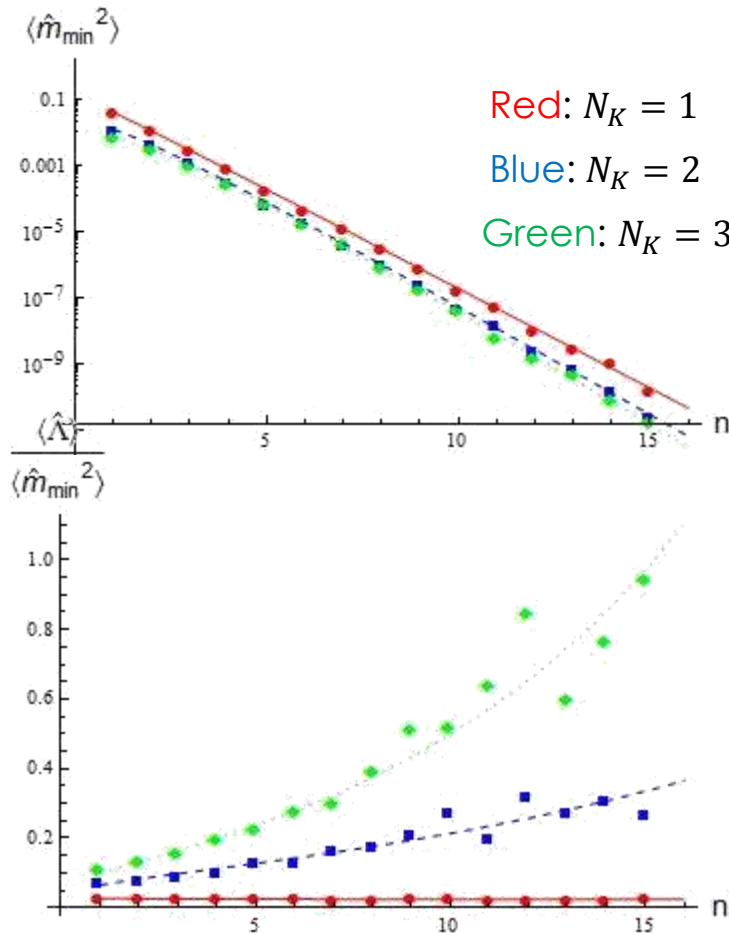
$$\langle \Lambda \rangle_{N_K=3} = 3.4 \times 10^{-3} n^{1.5} e^{-1.55 n}$$

More than the effect of the coefficient!

$$\langle A_1 W_0 \rangle \sim 15 e^{-1.39 n}$$

Moduli mass

We worry about the cosmological moduli problem.



Red: $N_K = 1$

Blue: $N_K = 2$

Green: $N_K = 3$

$$\langle m_{\min}^2 \rangle_{N_K=1} = 0.18 n^{0.14} e^{-1.40 n}$$

$$\langle m_{\min}^2 \rangle_{N_K=2} = 0.061 n^{0.73} e^{-1.56 n}$$

$$\langle m_{\min}^2 \rangle_{N_K=3} = 0.039 n^{1.2} e^{-1.66 n}$$

Compare with CC

$$\langle \Lambda \rangle \propto e^{-1.40 n}, e^{-1.49 n}, e^{-1.55 n}$$



Suppression in mass is getting larger as increasing N_K .

also suggests

Estimation

Using the estimated functions, we get

$N_K (= h^{1,1})$	1	2	3
$\langle \Lambda \rangle \sim 10^{-122} M_P^4$	$n \sim 197$	$n \sim 188$	$n \sim 182$
$\langle m^2 \rangle \sim 10^{-30} M_P^2$	$n \sim 48$	$n \sim 44$	$n \sim 42$

n : number of product in W_0, A_i

Rather considerable number, e.g.

- $\mathbb{P}_{[1,1,1,6,9]}^4$: $h^{1,1} = 2$, $h^{2,1} = 272$
- \mathcal{F}_{11} : $h^{1,1} = 3$, $h^{2,1} = 111$

and the other moduli (e.g. brane position, open string) come in a complicated way, like

- $A_1 = \hat{A}_1(U_i) (f(X_i))^{1/n}$, $f(X_i) = \prod X_i^{p_i} - \mu^q$

While, without help of product distribution in W_0, A_i

$$N_K \sim 10100 \text{ for } \langle \Lambda \rangle \sim 10^{-122} M_P^4, \quad N_K \sim 1350 \text{ for } \langle m^2 \rangle \sim 10^{-30} M_P^2$$

Mass matrix

Physical mass matrix is a linear combination of $\partial_{x_i} \partial_{x_j} V|_{\min}$.

Assuming uniformly distributed $-15 \leq W_0 \leq 0$, $0 \leq A_i \leq 1$,

$$\langle |\partial_{x_i} \partial_{x_j} V|_{\min} \rangle \sim 10^{-3} \times \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & \cdots & & x_{N_K} \\ 7 & 4 & \cdots & \cdots & 4 \\ 4 & 60 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ \vdots & 1 & \ddots & \cdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & 60 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{some} \\ \text{hierarchical} \\ \text{structures} \end{array}$$

Though off-diagonal comp. are relatively suppressed, **eigenvalue repulsion** gets more serious when increasing N_K .

e.g. 2×2 matrix: $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{pmatrix} \longrightarrow \lambda_{\pm} = \frac{1}{2} \left(a + c \pm \sqrt{(a - c)^2 + \underline{4b^2}} \right)$

The lowest mass eigenvalue is generically suppressed more than CC.

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- Stringy Random Landscape

We may expect that stringy motivated models have the following properties:

- Product of parameters
- Correlation of each term by dynamics

➡ Both works for smaller CC.

- A number of Kahler moduli

Correlation makes CC smaller. But the effect is modest.

- A number of complex moduli and other moduli

Those are likely to produce more peakiness in parameters

➡ Interesting to see detailed effect in concrete models

Summary & Discussion

- A potential problem

Lightest moduli mass is suppressed simultaneously.

→ cosmological moduli problem
before reaching $\Lambda \sim 10^{-122} M_P^4$.

Other than “product” and “correlation” effect,
“eigenvalue repulsion” also makes the value smaller.

This is presumably a generic problem
when taking statistical approach without fine-tuning.

→ Once finding a way out, the stringy mechanism
naturally explain why CC is so small.

Thermal inflation, coupling suppression to SM,
or some other corrections may help?