

# FLAVOUR IN WARPED EXTRA DIMENSIONS



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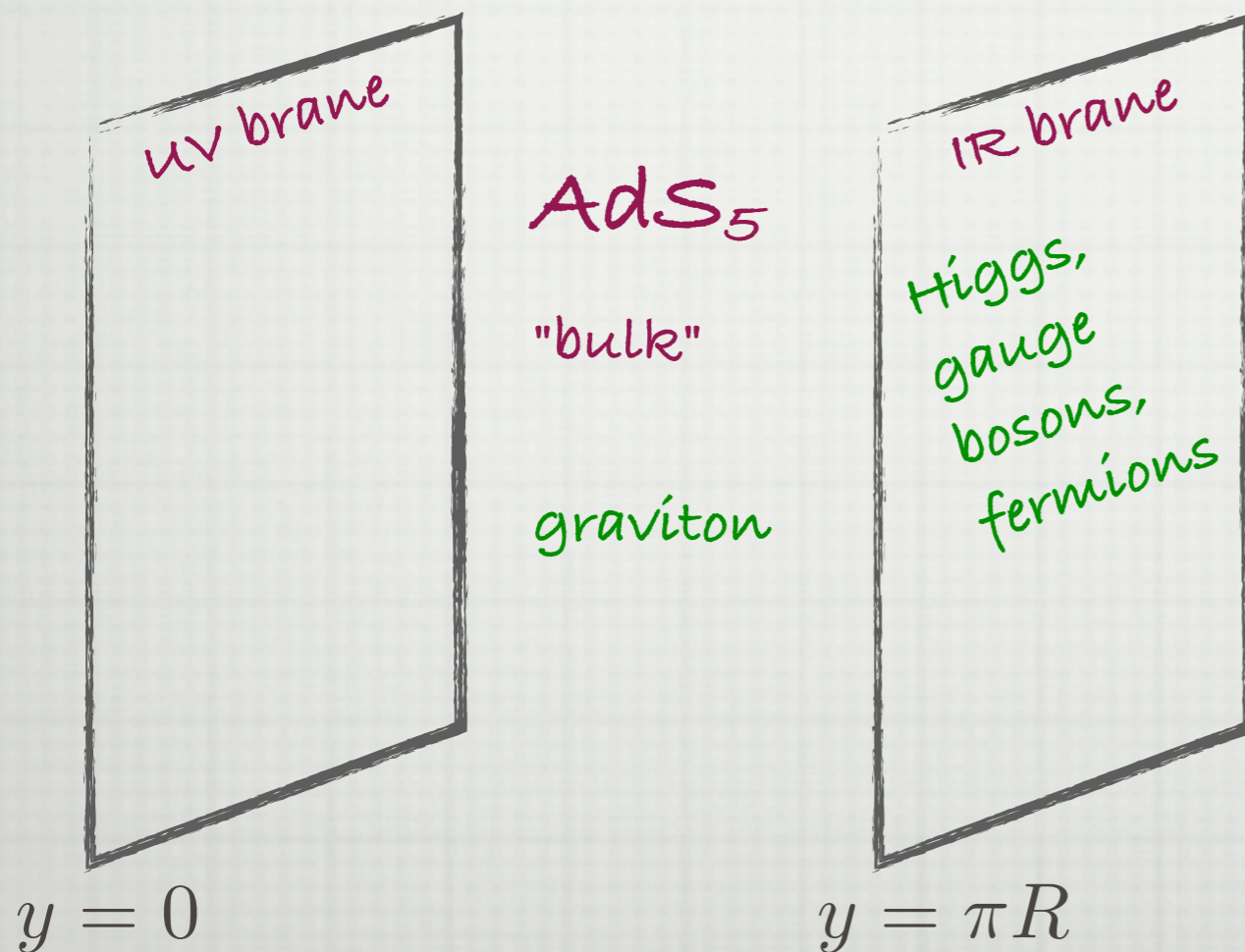


# WHY EXTRA DIMENSIONS?

**Hierarchy Problem:** Why is the scale of electroweak symmetry breaking so much smaller than the Planck scale?

Solution: **warped extra dimensions**

Randall & Sundrum '99



A slice of  $AdS_5$  wedged between two flat 4D boundaries.

$AdS_5 = 5D$  anti-de Sitter space:  
maximally symmetric space of negative curvature.



# WHY EXTRA DIMENSIONS?

space-time metric:  $ds^2 = e^{-2ky} \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu + dy^2 \equiv g_{MN} dx^M dx^N$

*Higgs action*  $\searrow$   
 $g_{\mu\nu}^{\text{ind.}} = e^{-2\pi Rk} \eta_{\nu\mu}$   $\swarrow$  on the IR brane

$$S_{\text{Higgs}} = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g_{\text{ind.}}} \left\{ g_{\text{ind.}}^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu H^\dagger \partial_\nu H - \lambda \left( |H|^2 - v_0^2 \right)^2 \right\}$$
$$= \int d^4x \left\{ e^{-2k\pi R} \eta^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu H^\dagger \partial_\nu H - e^{-4k\pi R} \lambda \left( |H|^2 - v_0^2 \right)^2 \right\}$$

$\rightarrow$  canonical normalization  $e^{-k\pi R} H \rightarrow H$

$\Rightarrow$  effective Higgs vev  $v$  "warped down":  $v = e^{-k\pi R} v_0$

$$v_0 \approx M_{\text{Planck}}$$

$$kR \sim \mathcal{O}(10)$$

# PROBLEMS WITH EXTRA DIMENSIONS

[5D gauge couplings] = mass<sup>-1/2</sup>

⇒ non-renormalisable

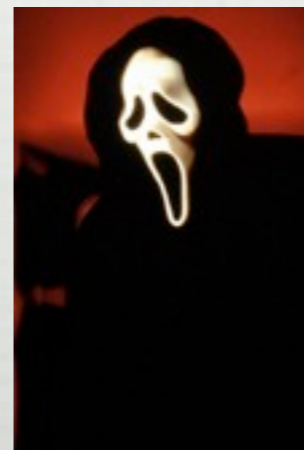
⇒ effective field theory (EFT)

⇒ other operators [coupling] = mass<sup>-a</sup>

Mass scale that suppresses higher dimensional operators is also warped down!

$$\frac{1}{M^2} \bar{\Psi}_i \Psi_j \bar{\Psi}_k \Psi_l \rightarrow \frac{1}{(M e^{-\pi k R})^2} \bar{\Psi}_i \Psi_j \bar{\Psi}_k \Psi_l$$

$$\frac{1}{M} \nu\nu H H \rightarrow \frac{1}{M e^{-\pi k R}} \nu\nu H H$$



Proton decay!  
FCNCs!  
Neutrino masses!



# SOLUTION: FERMIONS IN THE BULK

## "SPLIT FERMION MODELS"

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In 5D:

chiral mass terms (Yukawa couplings):

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \overline{Q}_L Y_u u_R H + \overline{Q}_L Y_d d_R H$$

vector-like mass terms

$$\mathcal{L} \supset C_Q \overline{Q}_L Q_L + C_u \overline{u}_R u_R + C_d \overline{d}_R d_R$$

Grossmann & Neubert '00  
Arkani-Hamed & Schmaltz '00  
Huber & Shafi '01  
Gherghetta & Pomarol '00



# FERMION PROFILES IN THE BULK

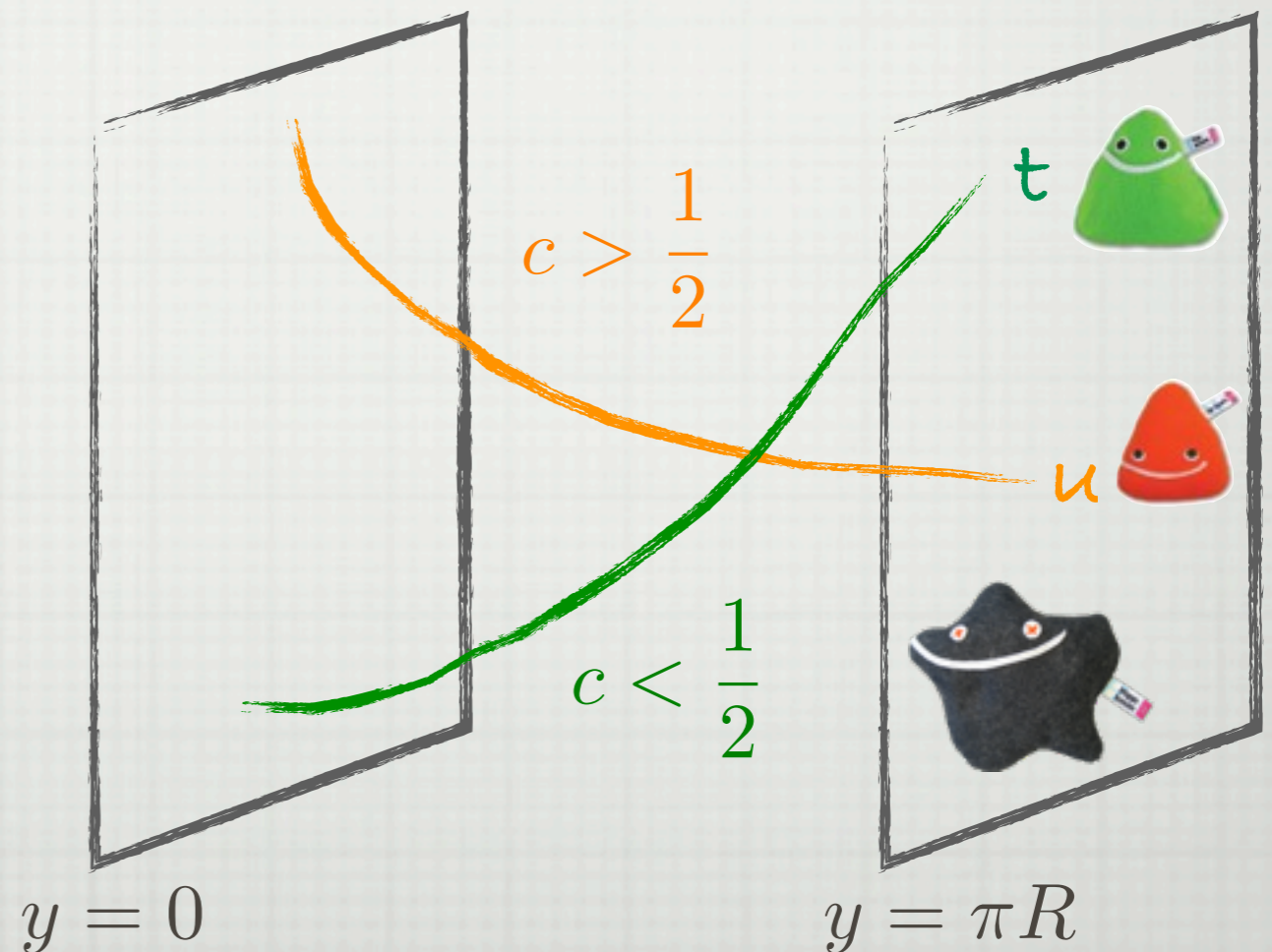
Ansatz for fermion wavefunction: separation of variables

$$\Psi(x, y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi R}} \sum_n \Psi^{(n)}(x) f^{(n)}(y)$$

e.o.m.  $\Rightarrow$  zero-mode

$$f^{(0)}(y) \propto e^{(\frac{1}{2}-c)ky}$$

flavour puzzle =  
Where does huge  
hierarchy in fermion  
masses come from?

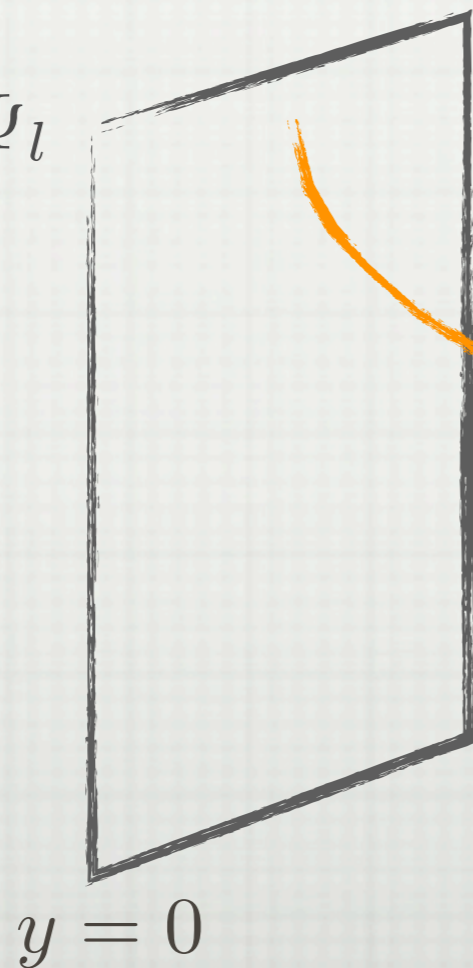




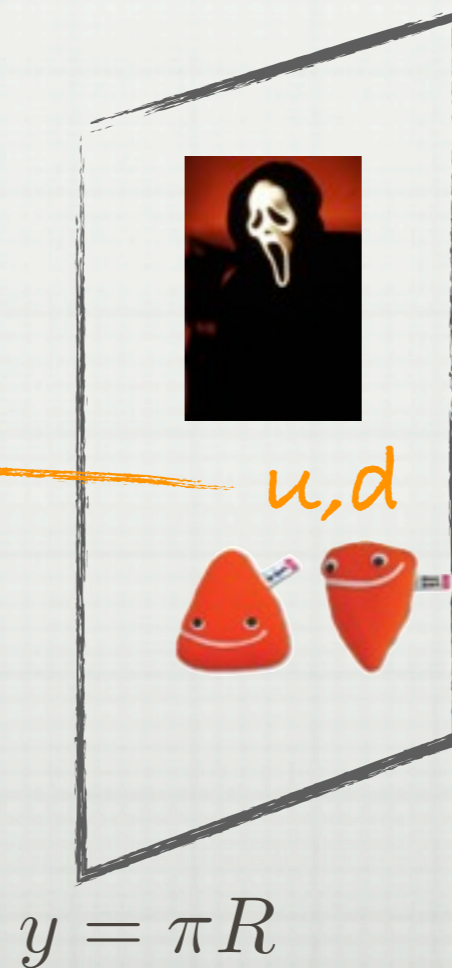
# HIGHER DIMENSIONAL OPERATORS IN SPLIT FERMION MODELS

Experimental bounds mainly from light fermions  
 $\Rightarrow$  overlap with higher dimensional operators on IR  
 brane suppressed

$$\frac{1}{M^2} \bar{\Psi}_i \Psi_j \bar{\Psi}_k \Psi_l$$



$$c > \frac{1}{2}$$



$$\frac{1}{(M e^{-k\pi R})^2} \bar{\Psi}_i \Psi_j \bar{\Psi}_k \Psi_l$$



# COLLIDER SIGNATURE: KK EXCITATIONS

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*zero-modes* = particles without momentum in  $x$ -dim

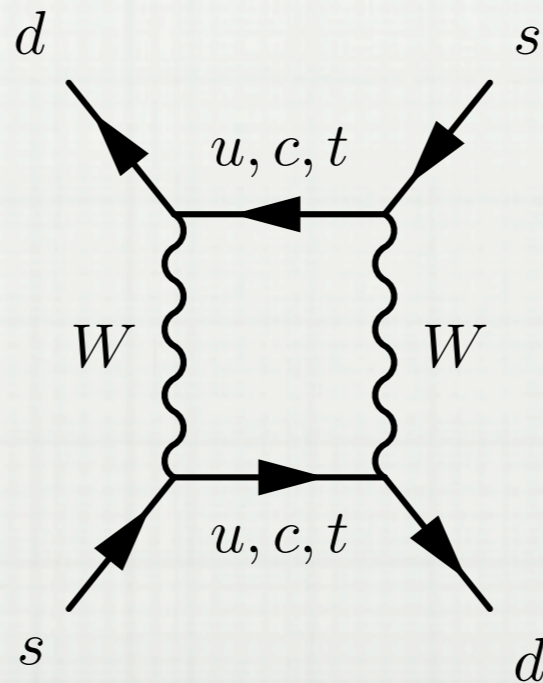
*Kaluza-Klein (KK) states* = particles with momentum in  $x$ -dim  $\Rightarrow$  appear as "KK tower" of heavy particles in 4D



# REMINDER: FCNCs

Flavour Changing Neutral Currents (FCNCs) = neutral processes that change the flavour of quarks, i.e.  $u \leftrightarrow c$

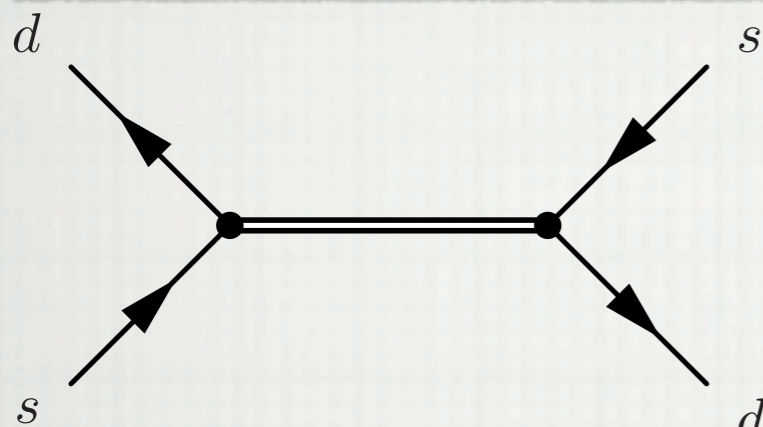
SM: only at loop level



Experiments: meson-anti-meson mixing, rare decays  $\Rightarrow$   
tight constraints



# FCNCs VIA EXCHANGE OF KK GLUONS



Bulk masses  $\mathcal{L} \supset C_Q \overline{Q}_L Q_L + C_u \overline{u}_R u_R + C_d \overline{d}_R d_R$

diagonal:  $C_x = \text{diag.}(c_{x_1}, c_{x_2}, c_{x_3})$

Zero mode wave function on IR brane:

$$f_{x_i}^{(0)}(\pi R) = e^{\left(\frac{1}{2} - c_{x_i}\right)k\pi R}$$

$$F_x = \text{diag.}(f_{x_1}, f_{x_2}, f_{x_3})$$

Coupling of fermion zero modes  
to KK gauge bosons:

$$\mathcal{L} \supset G^{(n)} (\overline{Q}_L Q_L + \overline{U} U + \overline{D} D)$$

$$G_x^{(1)} \simeq g F_x^\dagger F_x$$

*diagonal but not universal!*

$$G_x^{(1)} = \text{diag.}(\dots) \neq \text{const.} \cdot \mathbb{1}$$

4D effective Yukawa couplings:

$$Y_{u,d}^{4D} \simeq F_Q^\dagger Y_{u,d}^{5D} F_{u,d}$$

in mass basis:

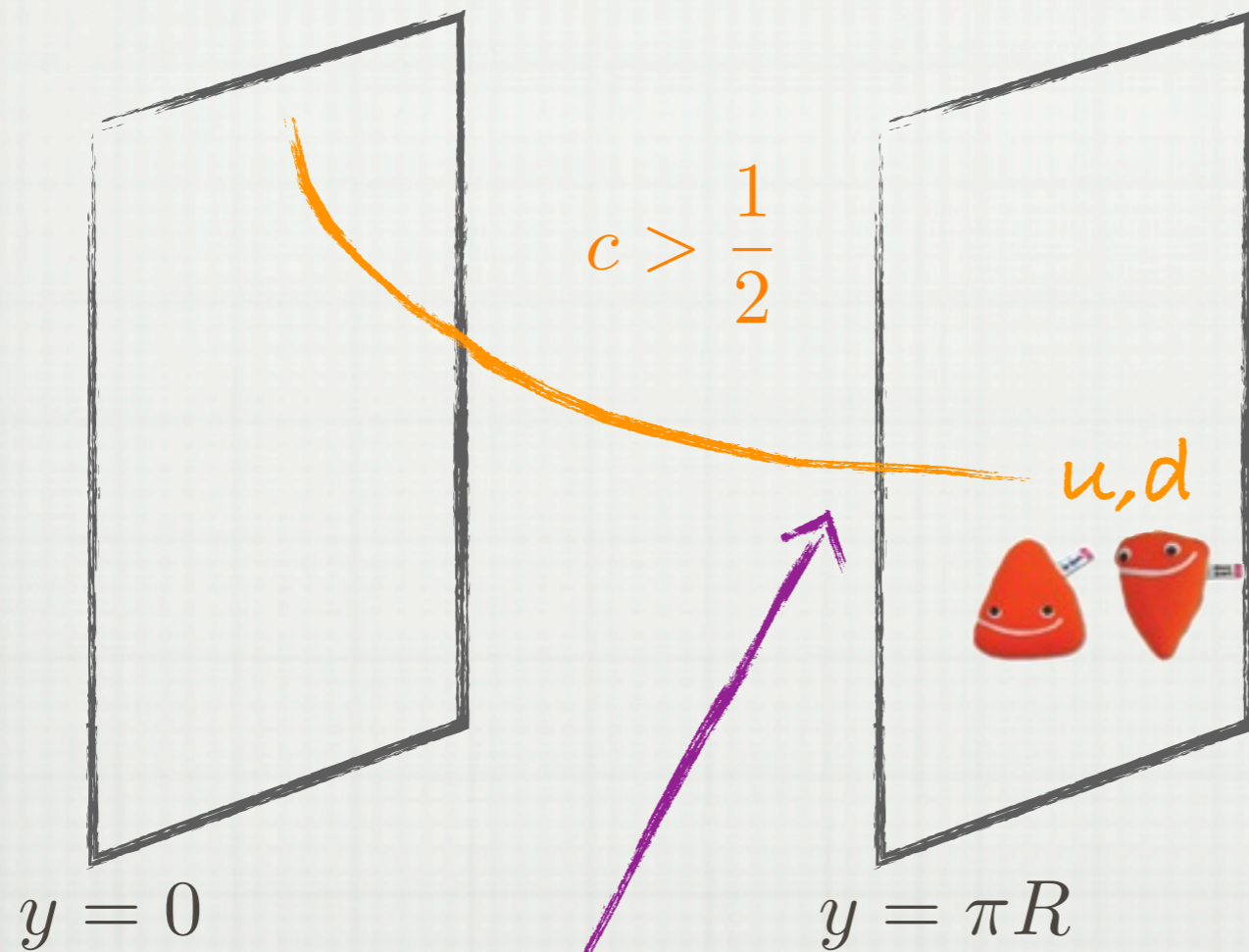
$$(Y_{u,d}^{4D})_{\text{mass}} \simeq V_{(u,d)L} F_Q^\dagger Y_{u,d}^{5D} F_{u,d} V_{(u,d)R}^\dagger$$

$$u_L \rightarrow V_{uL} u_L \quad u_R \rightarrow V_{uR} u_R$$

$$G_{x(R,L)}^{(1)} \simeq g V_{x(R,L)} F_x^\dagger F_x V_{x(R,L)}^\dagger \neq \text{diag.}(\dots)$$



# RS GIM MECHANISM



$$m_{KK} \gtrsim 10\text{TeV}$$

KK gluons live near  
IR brane  $\Rightarrow$  overlap  
with light quarks  
suppressed

Gherghetta & Pomarol '00  
Agashe, Perez & Soni '05



# DEALING WITH FLAVOUR: SOME TECHNIQUES

SM without Yukawa couplings: symmetric under interchange of particle flavours

Idea: Yukawa couplings  $\hat{=}$  fields that transform under the flavour group  $\Rightarrow$  complete SM Lagrangian formally invariant under flavour symmetry

$$SU(3)_Q \times SU(3)_u \times SU(3)_d$$

Spurion analysis

$$Q(3, 1, 1) \quad Y_u(3, \bar{3}, 1) \quad u(1, 3, 1)$$



$$Y_u \rightarrow \Omega_{Q_u} Y_u \Omega_u^\dagger$$

$$Q \rightarrow \Omega_{Q_u} Q$$

$$u \rightarrow \Omega_u u$$

Flavour  
symmetry  
broken when  
Yukawas get vevs

Minimal Flavour Violation (MFV): only sources of flavour violation = Yukawa couplings



# ALIGNMENT MODELS

Idea: Have bulk masses and Yukawas diagonal in the same basis (aligned).

Use: MFV + Flavour symmetry  $SU(3)_Q \times SU(3)_d$

$$C_Q = \alpha_Q \mathbb{1} + \beta_Q Y_d Y_d^\dagger$$

$$C_d = \alpha_d \mathbb{1} + \beta_d Y_d^\dagger Y_d$$

Fitzpatrick, Perez,  
Randall '07  
Csaki, Perez, Surujon,  
Weiler '09

Issues:

- no alignment in up sector
- radiative corrections:  $\bar{Q} Y_u Y_u^\dagger Y_d d H$  spoils alignment
- Approx. alignment: FCNC suppression less than expected



# OUR MODEL

Bulk gauge group:  $SU(2)_R \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_X$

Idea: split  $Q_L$  to two doublets:

$$Q_u(2, 2)_{\frac{2}{3}} \quad Q_d(2, 2)_{-\frac{1}{3}} \quad u(1, 1)_{\frac{2}{3}} \quad d(1, 1)_{-\frac{1}{3}} \quad H(2, 2)_0$$

flavour group:  $SU(3)_{Q_u} \times SU(3)_{Q_d} \times SU(3)_u \times SU(3)_d$

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \overline{Q}_u Y_u^{5D} U H + \overline{Q}_d Y_d^{5D} D H$$

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \overline{Q}_u C_{Q_u} Q_u + \overline{Q}_d C_{Q_d} Q_d + \overline{U} C_u U + \overline{D} C_d D$$

~~MFV~~

Scalar potential  $\Rightarrow$  alignment of  $\Upsilon$ s and  $C$ s

- up and down sector aligned :)
- no CKM matrix :(
- two left-handed doublets :(



# OUR MODEL: MIXING ON THE UV BRANE

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$$SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$$

$Q_d, Q_u$  same quantum numbers  $\Rightarrow$  mixing

$$(\bar{Q}_u, \bar{Q}_d)^i M_{ij} \tilde{Q}^j = (\bar{Q}_u, \bar{Q}_d) \begin{pmatrix} M_u \\ M_d \end{pmatrix} \tilde{Q}$$

3 massive (Planck-scale) + 3 massless quark doublets :)  
alignment spoiled :(

To maintain sufficient alignment:

Assume small ( $O(0.1)$ ) hierarchy between UV masses:

$$M_u = \begin{pmatrix} m_{u_1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & m_{u_2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & m_{u_3} \end{pmatrix} \quad M_d = \epsilon \begin{pmatrix} m_{d_1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & m_{d_2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & m_{d_3} \end{pmatrix} \times V_X$$

# FLAVOUR PHYSICS IN OUR MODEL

$$G_{dL}^{(1)} \sim \begin{pmatrix} f_{Q_1}^2 & f_{Q_1} f_{Q_2} \epsilon^2 & f_{Q_1} f_{Q_3} \epsilon^2 \\ f_{Q_1} f_{Q_2} \epsilon^2 & f_{Q_2}^2 & f_{Q_2} f_{Q_3} \epsilon^2 \\ f_{Q_1} f_{Q_3} \epsilon^2 & f_{Q_2} f_{Q_3} \epsilon^2 & f_{Q_3}^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$G_{uL}^{(1)} \sim \begin{pmatrix} f_{Q_1}^2 & f_{Q_1} f_{Q_2} & f_{Q_1} f_{Q_3} \\ f_{Q_1} f_{Q_2} & f_{Q_2}^2 & f_{Q_2} f_{Q_3} \\ f_{Q_1} f_{Q_3} & f_{Q_2} f_{Q_3} & f_{Q_3}^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$G_{dR}^{(1)} \sim \begin{pmatrix} f_{d_1}^2 & f_{d_1} f_{d_2} \epsilon^2 & f_{d_1} f_{d_3} \epsilon^2 \\ f_{d_1} f_{d_2} \epsilon^2 & f_{d_2}^2 & f_{d_2} f_{d_3} \epsilon^2 \\ f_{d_1} f_{d_3} \epsilon^2 & f_{d_2} f_{d_3} \epsilon^2 & f_{d_3}^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Additional suppression in  
down sector

RS GIM in up sector

$$V_{ij}^{\text{CKM}} \sim \frac{f_{Q_i}}{f_{Q_j}} \quad \checkmark$$

Stable under radiative corrections:  
Higher dim. operators cannot feed  $\Upsilon_u$   
into  $\Upsilon_d$  due to flavour symmetry



# CONCLUSIONS

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- Warped extra dimensions: elegant way to solve hierarchy problem
- KK tower of heavy particles
- Fermions in the bulk:
  - no proton decay, fermion puzzle solved :)
  - FCNCs due to KK gluon exchange :(
    - alleviated by RS GIM  $m_{KK} \sim 10 \text{ TeV}$
    - alignment models  $m_{KK} \sim 3 \text{ TeV}$

BACK-UP SLIDES



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$$VMV_R^\dagger = \text{diag.}(\dots)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} Q_L \\ Q_H \end{pmatrix} \equiv V \cdot \begin{pmatrix} Q_u \\ Q_d \end{pmatrix} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} A_u & A_d \\ B_u & B_d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} Q_u \\ Q_d \end{pmatrix}$$

3 massive (Planck-scale) + 3 massless quark doublets :)

$$Q_{u,d} = A_{u,d}^\dagger Q_L + \cancel{B_{u,d}^\dagger Q_H}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{Q}_L \left( A_u C_{Q_u} A_u^\dagger + A_d C_{Q_d} A_d^\dagger \right) Q_L \equiv \bar{Q}_L C_Q Q_L$$

diagonalized by:  $Q_L \rightarrow U_C Q_L$

# OUR MODEL: MAINTAINING SUFFICIENT ALIGNMENT

To maintain sufficient alignment:

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$$A_d \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 \\ 0 & 1 & \epsilon^2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad A_u \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon & \epsilon & \epsilon \\ \epsilon & \epsilon & \epsilon \\ \epsilon & \epsilon & \epsilon \end{pmatrix}$$

$$C_Q = \underbrace{(A_u C_{Q_u} A_u^\dagger)}_{\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^2)} + \underbrace{A_d C_{Q_d} A_d^\dagger}_{\substack{\text{diagonal: } \mathcal{O}(1) \times C_{Q_d} \\ \text{off-diagonal: } \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^2)}} \Rightarrow U_C \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^2 & 1 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



# OUR MODEL: YUKAWAS & CKM

quark wave-functions on IR brane

$$U_C \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^2 & 1 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad A_u \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon & \epsilon & \epsilon \\ \epsilon & \epsilon & \epsilon \\ \epsilon & \epsilon & \epsilon \end{pmatrix}$$

quark wave-functions on IR brane

$$Y_u^{4D} = F_Q^\dagger U_C A_u Y_u^{5D} F_u$$

$$Y_d^{4D} = F_Q^\dagger U_C A_d Y_d^{5D} F_d$$

$$A_d \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 \\ 0 & 1 & \epsilon^2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(Y_u^{4D})_{\text{mass}} = V_{uL} \underbrace{F_Q^\dagger U_C A_u Y_u^{5D} F_u}_{\text{all entries } \propto \epsilon} V_{uR}^\dagger$$

$$(V_{uL})_{ij} \sim f_{Q_i} / f_{Q_j} \quad (i < j)$$

$$(V_{uR})_{ij} \sim f_{u_i} / f_{u_j} \quad (i < j)$$

$$(Y_d^{4D})_{\text{mass}} = V_{dL} \underbrace{F_Q^\dagger U_C A_d Y_d^{5D} F_d}_{\text{diagonal: unsuppressed, off-diagonal: } \propto \epsilon^2} V_{dR}^\dagger$$

$$(V_{dL})_{ij}^{\text{off-diag}} \sim \epsilon^2 f_{Q_i} / f_{Q_j}$$

$$(V_{dR})_{ij}^{\text{off-diag}} \sim \epsilon^2 f_{u_i} / f_{u_j}$$

$$V_{\text{CKM}} = V_{uL} V_{dL}^\dagger \quad V_{ij}^{\text{CKM}} \sim f_{Q_i} / f_{Q_j} \quad (i < j)$$



# OUR MODEL: KK GLUON COUPLINGS: LH QUARKS

$$G_{uL}^{(1)} = g_{s*} V_{uL} F_Q^\dagger U_C (A_d A_d^\dagger + A_u A_u^\dagger) U_C^\dagger F_Q V_{uL}^\dagger$$

~ unit matrix  
+  $\epsilon^2$  corrections

~  $f_{Q_i} f_{Q_j}$  with  $\epsilon^2$   
suppression for off-  
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Additional suppression in  
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RS GIM in up sector

$$G_{dR}^{(1)} = g_{s*} V_{dR} F_d^\dagger F_d V_{dR}^\dagger$$

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