

Double Magic to E. Floratos

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Square-Line-Triangles-Square

- (Hurwitz 1898...Column of real composition algebras)
- Freudenthal 1950's Tits 1960's
- Manin cubic forms 1972
- Julia 1980 and +al.1999 / Pure SUGRAS 4D
- Cvitanovic (1977) 1979-2003, Deligne et al. (2002)
- Gunaydin, Sierra, Townsend 1983. N=2
SUGRA+Vector Multiplets (Special geometries)

Real division algebras

First **magic** (R), **C**, **H** / **O**

	$n = \dim_{\mathbb{R}}(A)$
$A = \mathbb{R}$	1
\mathbb{C}	2
\mathbb{H}	4
\mathbb{O}	8

Freudenthal, Rosenfeld, Tits Magic square(s): « Ms60's »

Octonions	H	C	R	compact forms
$F_4(-52)$	$C_3(-21)$	$A_2(-8)$	$A_1(-3)$	R
$E_6(-78)$	$A_5(-35)$	$A_2.A_2(-16)$	$A_2(-8)$	C
$E_7(-133)$	$D_6(-66)$	$A_5(-35)$	$C_3(-21)$	H
$E_8(-248)$	$E_7(-133)$	$E_6(-78)$	$F_4(-52)$	Octonions

Δ symmetry is under the exchange of division algebras A and B

Properties of composition algebras

	$n=\dim_{\mathbb{R}}$	$\text{Aut}(J_3(A))$	$\text{Aut}(nT)$	$\text{Aut}(A)$
$A=\mathbb{R}$	1	$\text{SO}(3)=A_1$	Z_2^2	e
\mathbb{C}	2	$\text{SU}(3)=A_2$	$U_1^2 \cdot Z_2$	Z_2
\mathbb{H}	4	$\text{USp}(3)=C_3$	A_1^3/Z_2	$\text{SO}(3)$
\mathbb{O}	8	F_4	$D_4=\text{Spin}8$	G_2

MSq. constructions. The Δ symmetry issue.

- * Tits' first asymmetric construction:

- *
$$\text{Magic } G_{AB} = \text{Der } A + \text{Der } J^B + A' \times J'^B$$

- * Vinberg's manifestly Δ symmetric construction

- *
$$\text{Magic } G_{AB} = \text{Tri } A + \text{Tri } B + 3 \text{ } A \times B$$

- * Trialities: Adams... see 0910.1828.

The 10 E_n 's

$$E_0 = e$$

$$E_{1A} = R / E_{1B} = A_1$$

$$E_2 = R.A_1$$

$$E_3 = A_1 \times A_2$$

$$E_4 = A_4$$

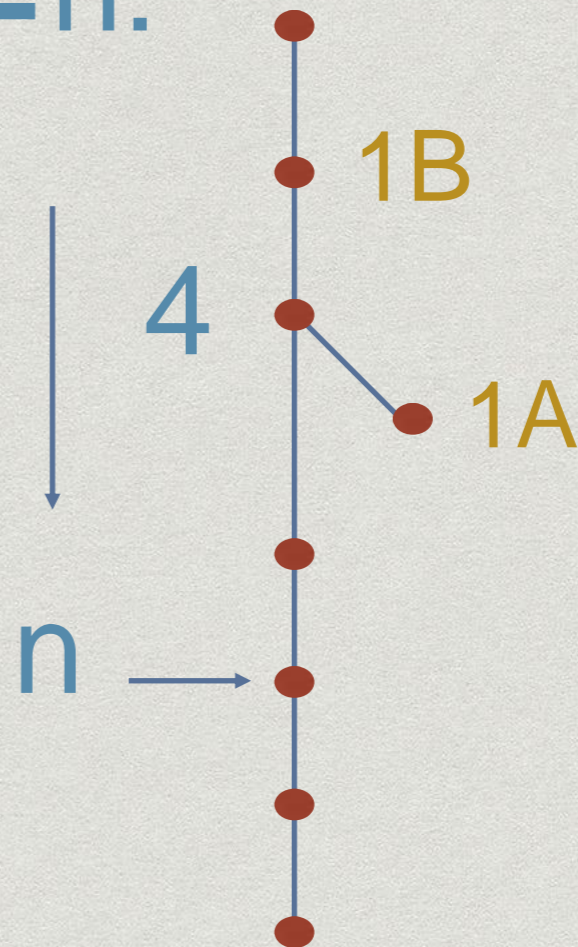
$$E_5 = D_5$$

$$E_6$$

$$E_7 : E_{7(7)} \quad D=4 \quad KE_7 = SU(8)$$

$$E_8$$

E_n :



The E_n Family $(n=0,1A,1B, 2-8)$

Algebraic geometry

- * Complex rational surfaces (4 real dimensions) of Del Pezzo (CP^2 with generic $n=0$ to 8 points blown up or $CP^1 \times CP^1$ (E_{1B})) have middle cohomology $H^2(M_4, \mathbb{Z})$ related to the root lattice of E_n (Manin 1972, Deligne?, $E_{1B}=A_1$)
- * E_n grows with n along the «gravity line» (BJ 1980 Mt80) It corresponds to $GL(11-D)$. Same for $N=6,5,4$ worked out then. In 1982 Tits-Satake diagrams: the maximal split subalgebra can be analysed with roots not G itself.

Cvitanovic Trapezoid: mT77

Primitive
invariants

$F_4(-52)$ $C_3(-21)$ $A_2(-8)$ $A_1(-3)$

S_2, S_3

$E_6(-78)$ $A_5(-35)$ $A_2^2(-16)$ $A_2(-8)$

U_1^2

V^2, S_3

$E_7(-133)$ $D_6(-66)$ $A_5(-35)$ $C_3(-21)$

$A_1^3(-9)$ $A_1(-3)$

U_1

← A_2, S_4
 S_2, A_3

$E_8(-248)$ $E_7(-133)$ $E_6(-78)$ $F_4(-52)$

$D_4(-28)$ $G_2(-14)$ $A_2(-8)$ $B_1(-3)$

↙ $A_1(-3)$

Faulkner-Ferrari/Cvitanovic

1971-77

1977-79

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Magic triangle 1980 B.Julia (Pure + viable in 4d)

«Mt80»

All factors simple=ADE or R.

	$N_4=8$	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
	$N_2=16$	12	10	8	6	4	2	0
D=11	Mgrav.							
10	R ($A_1?$)							
9	$A_1.R$							
8	$A_2.A_1$							
7	$A_4(4)$							
6	$D_{5(5)}$	$D_{3(-5)}.A_1$						
5	$E_{6(6)}$	$A_{5(-7)}$						
4	$E_{7(7)}$	$D_{6(-6)}$	$A_{5(-15)}$	$D_3.A_{1(1)}$	$A_2.U(1)$	$A_1.U(1)$	U(1)	Egrav.
3	$E_{8(8)}$	$E_{7(-5)}$	$E_{6(-14)}$	$D_{5(-13)}$	$A_{4(-8)}$	$A_{2(0)}.A_1$	$A_{1(1)}.U(1)$	$A_1/U(1)$
2	$E_9?$	$E_7^?$	$E_6^?$	$D_5^?$				Geroch

D=6, N=6, D'A.F.K. '9711048

MT80

- D=3, 4, 6, 10, and 11 double magic
- Partial Δ symmetry
- « Exceptional » symmetric spaces
- Compare D=3, 4, 6, 10 single magic, BSS-KT Pure super Yang-Mills maximal dimensions $N_3=1, 2, 4, 8$

Split Magic triangle 1999 Cremmer, BJ, Lu, Pope

Mt99 IS Non-SUPERSYMMETRIC Δ -SYMMETRIC

	16	12	10	8	6	4	2	0	-2
D=11	e								SAY
10	R (A ₁)	e							posterior
9	A ₁ .R	R							
8	A ₂ .A ₁	A ₁ .R	A ₁	?					
7	A ₄	A ₂ .R	A ₁ .R	R	e				
6	D ₅	D ₃ .A ₁	A ₁ ² .R	R ²	R	?			
5	E ₆	A ₅	A ₂ .A ₂	A ₁ ² .R	A ₁ .R	A ₁			
4	E ₇	D ₆	A ₅	D ₃ .A ₁	A ₂ .R	A ₁ .R	R	e	
3	E ₈	E ₇	E ₆	D ₅	A ₄	A ₂ .A ₁	A ₁ .R	A ₁	e

Two different double Magics

- The SUGRA magic (**algebraic geometry?**):
Del Pezzo-CJ En's $E_5=D_5, E_4=A_4, E_3=A_2 \times A_1$
- The Universal magic (**Invariant theory**):
Cvitanovic E'n's $E'_5=F_4, E'_4=D_4, E'_3=G_2$

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Magic triangle: Mt02

11	e									E_8
10	A_1									E_7
9	A_2	C^*								E_6
8	G_2	A_1	μ_3							F_4
7	D_4	A_1^3	C^{*2}	μ_2^2						D_4
6	F_4	C_3	A_2	A_1	μ_2^2					G_2
5	E_6	A_5	A_2^2	A_2	C^{*2}	μ_3				A_2
4	E_7	D_6	A_5	C_3	A_1^3	A_1	C^*			A_1
3	E_8	E_7	E_6	F_4	D_4	G_2	A_2	A_1		e

Δ -Symmetry manifest

- In E_8 , E'_i and $E'_{(8-i)}$ centralize each other ($E'_0=e$, $E'_4=D_4\dots$)
- Here G_{ij} is the intersection of the centralizer of E'_i with the centralizer of E'_j in E_8 .
- CRAS 335 (2002) p877 B Gross and P Deligne
- What is not completely clear is the logic for the choice of groups and from the point of view of invariant theory the choice of adjoint representation's invariants needed.
- See below Vogel's universal Lie algebra inspired by Deligne 1999 unpublished and 2010

One more square/rectangle

- * While visiting us at ENS Paris Günaydin, Sierra and Townsend discovered a full 4x4 magic square of dualities (1983). They considered $N_4=2$ supergravities with only extra vector multiplets: it is certainly not maximal magic, it is **special magic** (a second almost-square double magic).
- * Magic has higher dimensional avatars.
- * $2^{(7-D)}$, n_T-1 ...

N₄=2 Magic square GST 1983

$n=4(4+3 \cdot 2^{k-1})$ degrees of freedom «Ms83»+?

	n=112 n _T -1= 8	64 4	40 2	28 1
D=6 Rrk=1	D ₅ (-27)	D ₃ (-5).A ₁ (-3)	D ₂ (0).U1(-1)	A ₁ (1)
D=5 Rrk=0	F ₄	C ₃	A ₂	A ₁
D=5 Rrk=2	E ₆ (-26)	A ₅ (-7)	A ₂ ^C (0)	A ₂ (2)
D=4 Rrk=3	E ₇ (-25)	D ₆ (-6)	A ₅ (1)	C ₃ (3)
D=3 Rrk=4	E ₈ (-24)	E ₇ (-5)	E ₆ (2)	F ₄ (4)

Geometric type



Imperial Sweep

The sequence 1,2,4,8, dimensions of R division algebras, characterizes the space-time dimension of pure SuperYang-Mills but appears also in 3D as the number of rigid supersymmetries.

$N_4=1,2,4=3$ in 4D corresponds to 2,4,8 in 3D, one can add

$N_3=1$ and no more. Inspired by string left and right movers one

is led to SUGRA as double SUSY see 1309.0546 and 1301.4176

Binary sweet

- Question:

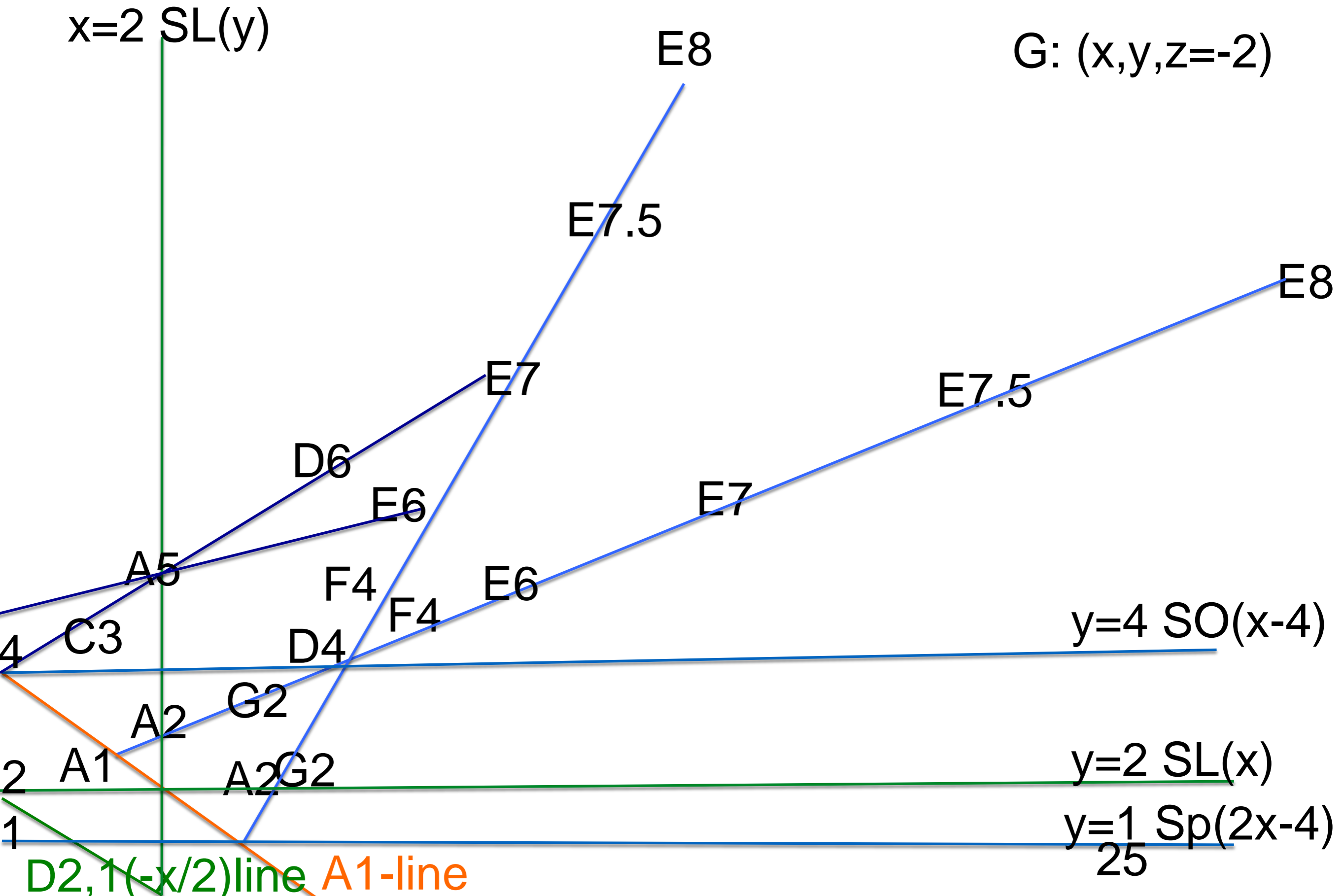
Which are the integers not bigger than 16 that can be written with at most two 1's in binary notation?

- (0, 1) 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12 and 16. (Not 14)
- Find the question 1, 2, 4, 8 is the answer to!

Answer Binary sweep and gaps: 1,7,11,13,14,15

	1000	100	10	1=NL
NR=1				2
10			4	3
100		8	6	5
1000	16	12	10	9

G: (x,y,z=-2)

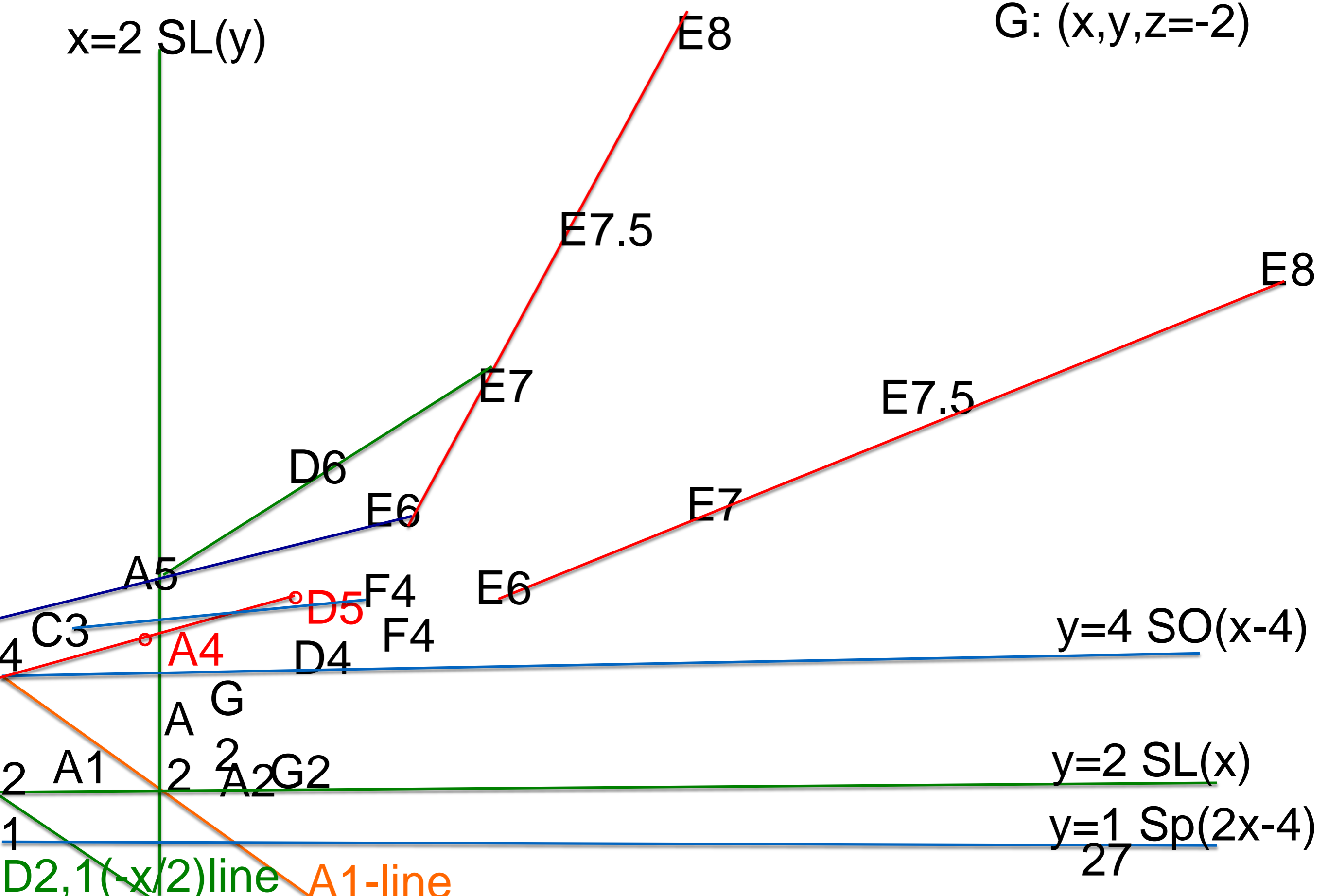


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7	D_4	A_1^3	C^{*2}	μ_2^2						D_4
6	F_4	C_3	A_2	A_1	μ_2^2					G_2
5	E_6	A_5	A_2^2	A_2	C^{*2}	μ_3				A_2
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Wish

- We did not coauthor any paper yet but here are some ideas:
- Projective Vogel space/ Membranes
- ...

Work in progress

- * Δ symmetry of Mt80, Mt99 and of Ms83 remains mysterious. Simpler definitions of the tables may make them obvious.

- * Invent Half singularities.

E_n for $n= 5.5, 3.5, 2.5, (1.5)$

- * $E'_{7.5}$ for $N_3=14$?

- * Invent Half odd integer dimensions of space.

$D=5.5, 7.5, 8.5, (9.5)$

Binary sweet

(0, 1) 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12 and 16. (Not 14)

Thank You

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The quantum finiteness issue

- * In July 1982 **Michael Green** bet (ask the referee **Mark Grisaru** for the all important details) that: « String theory but not SUGRA is a 4d finite quantum theory » against **Bernard Julia** who bet « that maximal SUGRA (D=4) could be finitely defined at the quantum level ».
- * They had in mind the perturbative divergences issue, but Sine-Gordon-Thirring equivalence dates back to 1977. See Julia-Zee Phys. Rev. D 11, 2227–2232 (1975) for fermionization.