

"Ceterum Censeo Fabricam Super Saporis Esse
Faciendam"

"Moreover I Advise a Super-Flavour Factory has to be
Built"

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A short look back:

Before 1987

"... yes, yes, we know, Ikaros, but could you not talk about
something relevant? ..."

After the ARGUS' discovery

... the rest is history ... *thank you, thank you, ARGUS!!*

(A.I. Sanda & ibi)



At the time of ARGUS' discovery B_d oscillations were predicted to proceed rather slowly.

Why?

UA1 had reported discovery of top quarks with

$$m_t = 40 \pm 10 \text{ GeV}.$$

Peter Zerwas never believed it --

I should have listened to Peter -- the only time I did not!



Theory versus Experiment



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Fundamental catholic tenet:

If it can be expressed in Latin, it must be true!

For the non-catholic pagans:

need (less august) arguments

The Menu

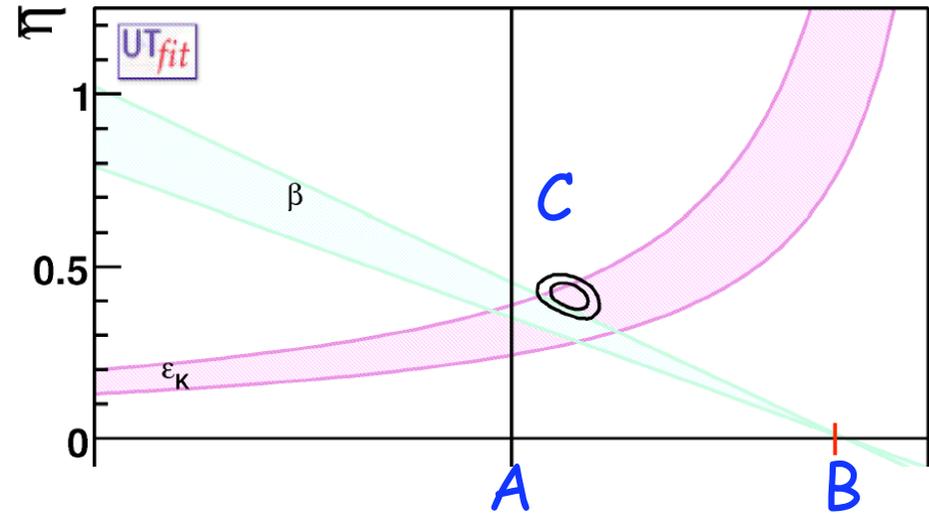
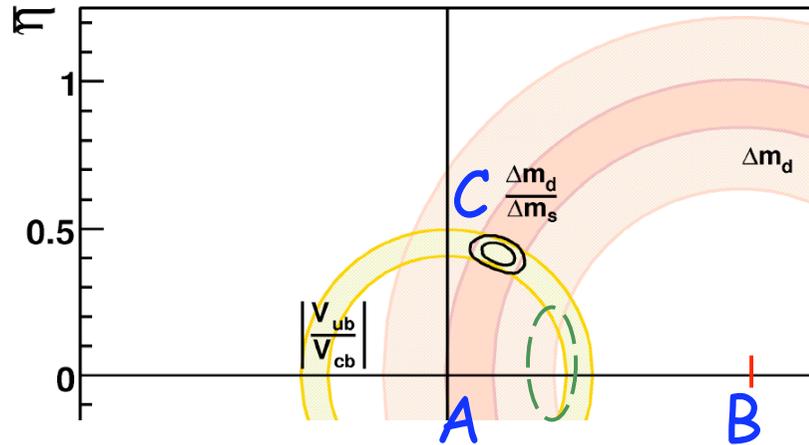
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Impact of measurement of $B_s - \bar{B}_s$ oscillations



Another triumph for CKM theory:

CP insensitive observables ($|V_{ub}|, \Delta M_s$) imply ~~CP~~
 qualitatively as well as quantitatively!



novel successes do **not** illuminate any of the **mysterious** features of the SM; if anything, they deepen the mysteries:

Explanatory deficits

(i) electroweak symmetry breaking

$$SU(2)_L \times U(1) \rightarrow U(1)_{\text{QED}}$$

(ii) family **structure** (charge quantiz.)

$$Q_e = 3 Q_d$$

(iii) **finite** family replication

$$Z^0 \rightarrow 3 \nu\bar{\nu}$$

illuminations/explanations

`confidently predicted' NP at ~ 1 TeV = **cpNP**; e.g. **SUSY**

`guaranteed' NP at $O(10^{11})$ TeV = **gNP**; e.g. **SO(10)**

CKM pattern most unlikely accidental
→ `strongly suspected' NP at ??? scale = **ssNP**
e.g., ??? (**M** theory ??)

heavy flavour studies **might** provide insights into (iii) & (ii) --
they will be **crucial** for identifying the **cpNP**



- ① expect confidently LHC will find New Physics at TeV scale
- ② `merely' establishing existence of New Physics not enough
-- goal must be to identify its salient characteristics
SUSY an organizing principle, not a theory!
- ③ TeV scale dynamics likely to have impact on B,D & τ decays
→ discovery potential in B,D & τ decays essential to figuring out the New Physics -- not a luxury!
- ④ We should have seen `generic SUSY'
→ the one certain aspect of SUSY -- that it is broken -- is the least understood one, if SUSY is `nearby'
- ⑤ Minimal Flavour Violation -- absolute or approximate?
→ need comprehensive experimental program -- also to reduce theoret. uncertainties through cross checks



II On the Future: LHCb & Super-Flavour Factories

State of heavy flavour physics

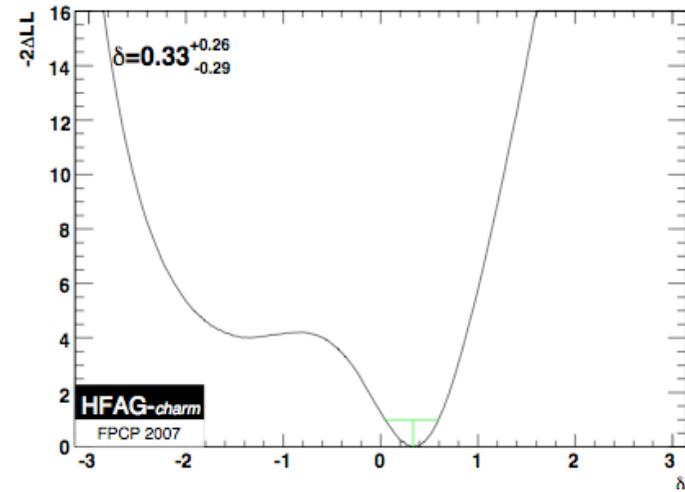
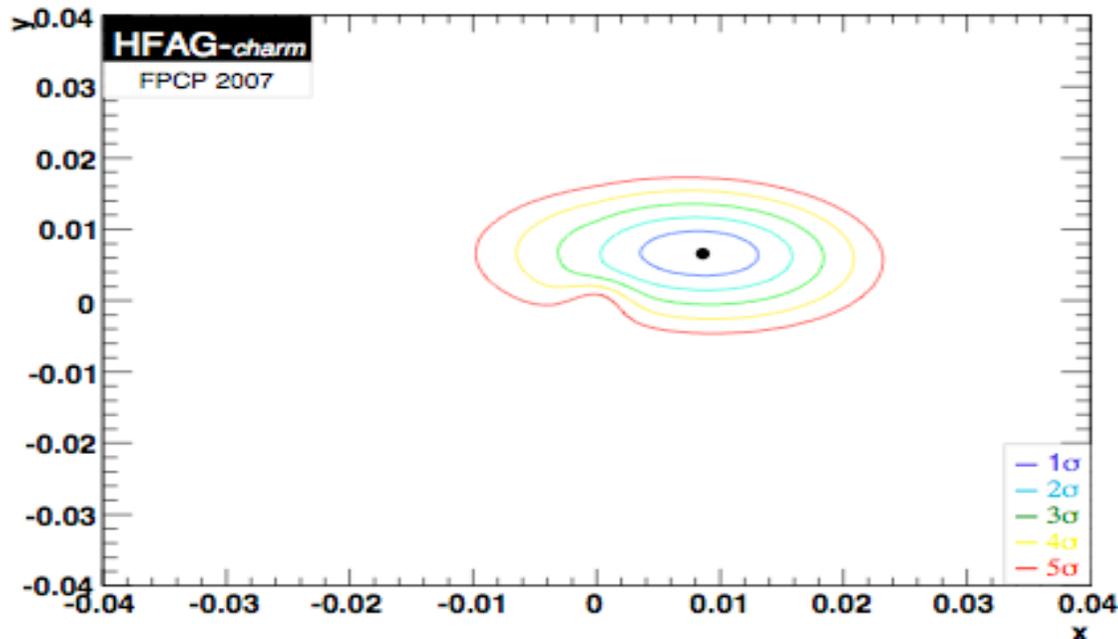
(*un*like "State of the Union" speech `reality based' rather than `~ challenged')
is strong:

- ❑ Experiments at hadronic colliders have greatly exceeded expectations in B & D physics -- see $B_s - \bar{B}_s$ oscillations
- ❑ LHCb approved as `first hour' experim. (a credit to the Europ. HEP community)
 - ❖ LHCb will make seminal contributions in
 - in B decays -- most notably ~~CP~~ in $B_s(t) \rightarrow \psi\phi/\eta, \phi\phi$
 - & probably in D decays



(2.1) The Second Renaissance of Charm Physics

Strong experim. evidence for D^0 - \bar{D}^0 oscillations



$$x_D = \frac{\Delta m_D}{\Gamma_D} \quad y_D = \frac{\Delta \Gamma_D}{2\Gamma_D}$$

in this exercise $(x_D, y_D) \neq (0, 0)$ emerges with 5σ

$$x_D = (0.87^{+0.30}_{-0.34})\% , y_D = (0.66^{+0.21}_{-0.20})\% , \delta = 0.33^{+0.26}_{-0.29}$$



Interpretation?

- 👉 $x_D > 1\% \gg y_D$ could be interpreted as manifestation of New physics -- yet such a scenario has basically been ruled out
- 👉 data suggest: x_D, y_D can be in range $\sim 0.5 - 1\%$
- 👉 could be due 'merely' to SM dynamics --
 - 👉 even then it would be a great discovery &
 - 👉 it should be measured accurately
- 👉 yet might also contain large contributions from NP!

How to resolve this conundrum?

- theoretical breakthrough?

- ~~CP~~ violation!

will history repeat itself in a 'centi-ARGUS' scenario?

- 😊 baryon # of Universe implies/requires NP in ~~CP~~ dynamics !



$$D^0(t) \rightarrow K^+K^-, K_S\pi^+\pi^-, K^+\pi^- (K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-, K^+K^-\mu^+\mu^-)$$

oscillations can generate *time dependent* CP asymmetries

□ none seen so far down to the 1% ($1\%/tg^2\theta_C$) level --

☞ they are $\sim (x_D \text{ or } y_D) (t/\tau_D)\sin\phi_{\text{weak}}$:

☞ with $x_D, y_D \leq 0.01$ a signal would not have been credible

☞ yet now it is getting interesting!



(2.2) The Case for a Super-Flavour Factory

I expect LHCb to be a highly successful experiment in heavy flavour physics -- yet it will **not** complete the program.

✦ Since we should **expect at most moderate** deviations from **SM predictions**, **precision** required on both the **experimental** and **theoretical** side in B decays:

✍ need to study final states with **(multi)neutrals**

e.g.: $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$, $\pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$, $B^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$, $\pi^- \pi^0 \pi$

✍ need to study $B_d(t) \rightarrow \phi K_S$, ηK_S **with precision**

✍ want to measure **incl.** rather than **excl.** rates

✍ " " " $B \rightarrow \tau \nu D$, $\tau \nu X$ (H^\pm exchange!)

✍ ...

✦ **comprehensive CP** studies in D decays

✦ ~~CP~~ in τ decays and **LFV** τ decays



A Super-Flavour Factory -- $L \sim 10^{36} \text{cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$ -- can take on these challenges.

Warning:

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{justification} \\ \text{for B factory} \end{array} \right\} \neq \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{justification} \\ \text{for Super-B factory} \end{array} \right\}$
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<p>\exists killer application CP in: $B_d \rightarrow \psi K_S, \pi\pi$ $B^\pm \rightarrow D^{\text{neut}} K^\pm$ predicted with no plausible deniability when only $\epsilon_K \neq 0$ known (semi)quantit. exploration of heavy flavour dynamics as 'virgin territory'</p>	<p>precision tool: higher stat.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • more accuracy • more decays • new territory <p>with no unequivocal killer application heavily mined gold mine</p>
<p>\rightarrow promoted KM paradigm ansatz \Rightarrow tested theory</p>	<p>competing against larger than expected success of B fact.</p>



The program at the B factories has *primarily* been of the
`hypothesis *driven*' variety
-- and a most successful one at that!

Yet at a Super-B factory (with τ & charm) we *primarily* have
to do
`hypothesis *generating*' research
and search for the
`*New ~~CP~~ Paradigm*'

Top priority of a Super-Flavour Factory:
B physics!



(2.2.1) 2nd Priority: ~~CP~~ Studies in Charm

Example A: The 'Dark Horse'

$$\text{SL: } D^0 \rightarrow l^- \nu K^+ \text{ vs. } D^0 \rightarrow l^+ \nu K^-$$

$$a_{\text{SL}} \sim \text{Min}[\Delta\Gamma/\Delta M, \Delta M/\Delta\Gamma] \sin\phi_{\text{NP}}, \quad \Delta\Gamma/\Delta M \sim O(1)$$

• $a_{\text{SL}} \sim 0.1$ conceivable (even few $\times 0.1$)

-- i.e. relatively few wrong-sign leptons, yet with a large asymmetry!

vs.

• $a_{\text{SL}}(K_L) = 3.3 \times 10^{-3}$ with $\Delta\Gamma/\Delta M \sim O(1)$ & $\sin\phi_{\text{CKM,eff}} \ll 1$

• $a_{\text{SL}}(B_d) \sim 4 \times 10^{-4}$ with $\Delta\Gamma/\Delta M \sim O(\text{few} \times 10^{-3})$

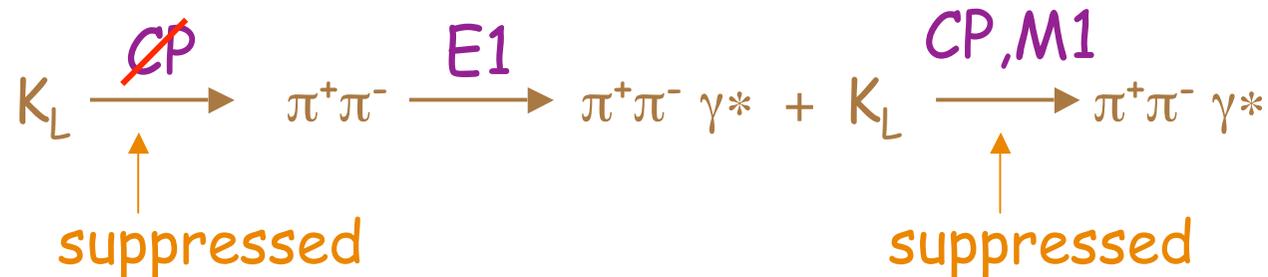
• $a_{\text{SL}}(B_s) \sim 2 \times 10^{-5}$ with $\Delta\Gamma/\Delta M \sim O(\text{few} \times 10^{-3})$
& $\sin\phi_{\text{CKM,eff}} \sim O(\text{few} \times 10^{-2})$



Example B: Final state distributions, T-odd moments

So far all **observed** ~~CP~~ in partial widths -- except for one:

$$K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- e^+ e^-$$



ϕ = angle between $\pi^+ \pi^-$ & $e^+ e^-$ planes analyzes γ^* polarization

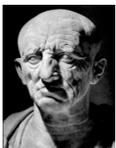
interference between ~~CP~~ E1 & CP M1 amplitude

→ Forw-Backw asymmetry A in ϕ (Sehgal et al.)

$A = 14\%$ driven by $\epsilon = 0.002$

price: BR $\sim 3 \times 10^{-7}$

trade BR for size of asymm.!



(2.2.3) 3rd Priority: τ Decays

Example C: LFV decays $\tau \rightarrow l\gamma, 3l$

BR $\sim 10^{-8} - 10^{-9}$ promising range [GUTs, scaling with $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$]

- no competition from LHC for $\tau \rightarrow l\gamma$
- maybe competition from LHC for $\tau \rightarrow 3l$

Example D: ~~CP~~ in τ decays like $\tau \rightarrow K\pi\nu$

- next great challenge -- ~~CP~~ in leptodynamics
completing 'de-mystification' of ~~CP~~ [+ leptogenesis]
- no competition from LHC
- unique tool at a Super-Flavour Factory:
beam polarization

$$\text{CP odd} \sim |T_{SM}^* T_{NP}| \quad \text{vs.} \quad \text{LFV} \sim |T_{NP}|^2$$

$$\text{i.e., } 0.1\% \text{ } \cancel{\text{CP}} \text{ in } \tau \rightarrow \nu K\pi \quad \sim \quad 10^{-8} \text{ BR for } \tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma$$



(2.3) Design Criteria for a Super-Flavour Factory

- ❑ You cannot overdesign a Super-Flavour Factory
Sanda's dictum " $L \sim 10^{43}$ " `tongue-in-cheek', not frivolous
if you must `stage' it, do not compromise on final performance
- ❑ keep background as low as possible
- ❑ make detector as hermetic as possible
- ❑ keep flexibility to run on $\Upsilon(5S)$
- ❑ obtain flexibility to run in charm threshold region with good luminosity
- ❑ make a strong effort to obtain polarized beams



III Conclusions & Outlook

- We are at the beginning of a most exciting era that carries the realistic promise to reveal the origin of electroweak symmetry breaking
- The LHC will be the `work horse', yet heavy flavour studies
 - ❖ are of fundamental importance;
 - ❖ its lessons cannot be obtained any other way;
 - ❖ cannot become obsolete.comprehensive studies of flavour dynamics will remain crucial in our efforts to reveal Nature's Grand Design
- Studies of ~~CP~~, oscillations & rare decays instrumentalized to probe & analyze TeV scale New Physics



3 scenarios for the next 5 - 8 years out

A -- the optimal one:

new physics observed at high p_T (FNAL/LHC)

→ must study their impact on flavour dynamics

☺ some features -- mass scale etc. known!

B -- the intriguing one

deviations from SM established in heavy flavour decays

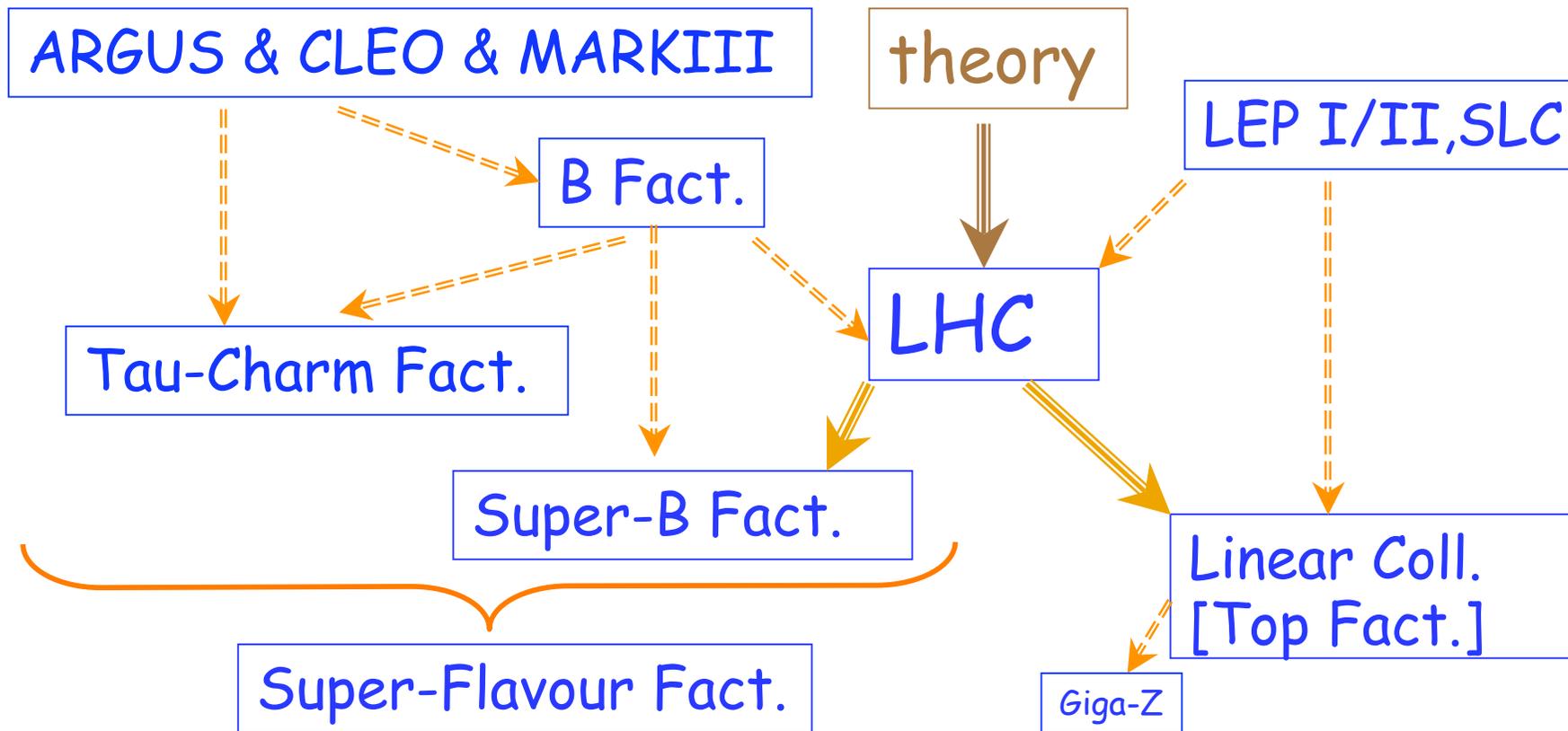
C -- the frustrating one

no deviation from SM prediction identified

My bet: scenario A with some elements of scenario B
[remember sensitivity in B probes can go to 10 - 100 TeV]

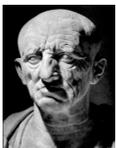
❖ none of these scenarios weakens the role of flavour studies being essential for coming to grips with nature's `Grand Design'





`All roads lead to Rome'
I think that is not a bad endpoint

**Continuation/beginning of an exciting adventure
and we are most privileged to participate!**



Backup slides



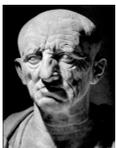
The generalized 'Nakada Concern':

While we have more promising avenues for exploring fundamental physics than ever,

While we have more technical abilities & tools than ever,

While we live in a world with immense political, social, environmental ... problems and have to deal with governments with less interest in basic research to a degree that goes well beyond a justified pre-occupation with these problems --

How do we choose our priorities?



Be comprehensive (necessary, yet not necessarily sufficient):

A Super-B factory is also a

❖ Super-Tau as well as

❖ Super-Charm factory

of truly unique capabilities

3rd family down-type quark

3rd family down-type lepton

2nd family up-type quark

