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Color Breaking Baryogenesis (arXiv:1708.07511)

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# Logic for suspecting phase transition

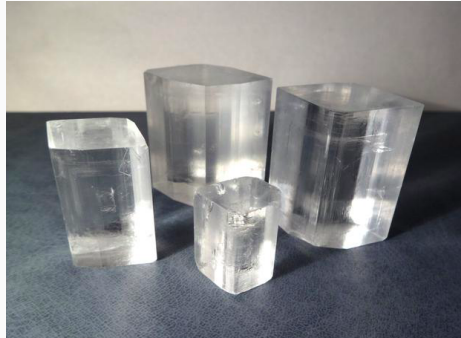
- Low temperature symmetry breaking
- Generically high enough reheating temperature
- Study of SM at high temperature

QCD, EW....

Other candidates: GUT, Dark phase transitions...

# Rochelle Salt as a caution to intuition

- Heat up Rochelle salt and crystallization *increases*
- Heat further again and the salt will melt



# Cosmological symmetry breaking and restoration

Could a zero temperature symmetry be broken at high temperature and restored as the Universe cools?

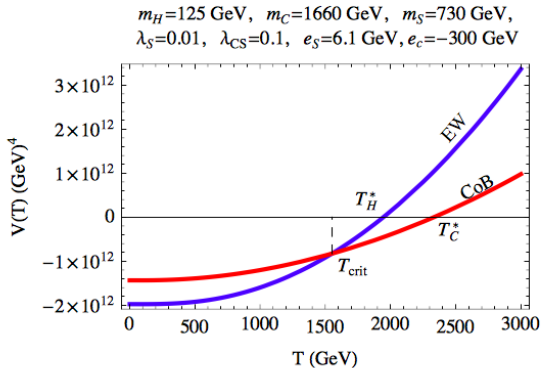
Two options

- Change the Macrophysics (some large number density in early Universe)
- Change the Microphysics (Deepest minimum breaks different symmetries at different temperatures)

## Intermediate color breaking

$$V = V_{SM}(H) + \lambda_{HC} H^\dagger H C^\dagger C + V(C) \quad (1)$$

Add a gauge singlet to boost the colored scalar mass



## Colored scalar candidates

Choose scalar leptoquarks Want to quench EW sphalerons  $\rightarrow$  must have nontrivial isospin

Leptoquark candidates

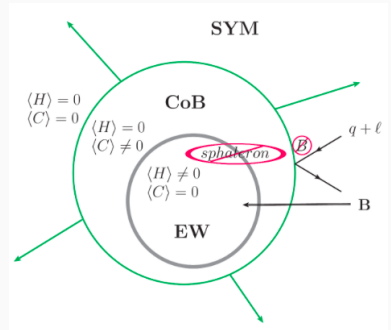
- $(3,3,-1/3)$
- $(3,2,7/6)$
- $(3,2,1/6)$

Third option avoids proton decay, has weak bounds on 3rd generation mass and can lead to GCU

# CoB and Sakharov

$$L = L_{\text{SM}} + \lambda_i C_i \bar{b}_R L + \Delta V$$

- $\langle \mathcal{B} \rangle \rightarrow$  Spontaneous. Also have EW spherons
- $\lambda_i \rightarrow$  CPV phase
- $\Delta V \rightarrow$  Departure from equilibrium



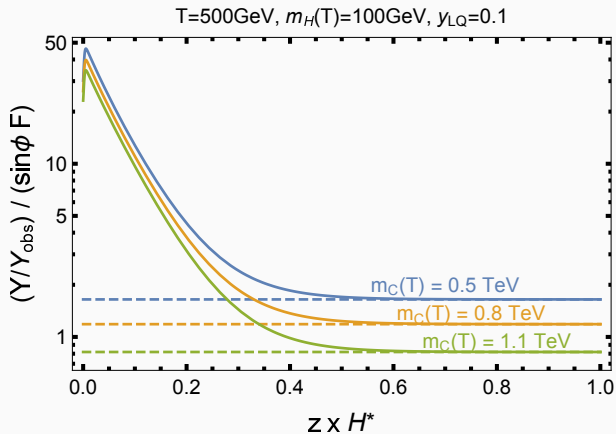
# Charge non-conservation

Will also violate SM charges

- Color Octet charge  $T_8$
- Electromagnetic charge  $Q_{EM}$



# Results



## Relic Charge Asymmetry

- Assume EWPT occurs after a color breaking bubble has a radius of  $H^{-1}$ .
- The charge asymmetry barely penetrates the bubble wall compared to  $H^{-1}$
- Eventually the bubble wall becomes ultrarelativistic and some charge asymmetry is frozen inside the bubble
- An order of magnitude estimate yields for our case

$$Y_{Q_{EM}} \sim O(10^{-45}) - O(10^{-47}) \ll 10^{-37} \quad (2)$$

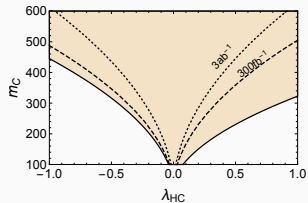
- downside is a similar argument holds for spontaneous baryon number production.
- almost all baryon production is due to EW sphalerons

## Constraints on 3rd Generation LQs

- Pair production through gluon-gluon fusion and quark-antiquark annihilation cross sections depend only the mass.
- Assuming unit branching ratio  $m_{C^{2/3}} \geq 850 \text{ GeV}$
- Leptoquarks decaying to  $b_R \bar{\nu}_\tau$  again with unit branching ratios give  $m_{C^{-1/3}} \geq 640$

# Constraints from Higgs decays

- Modifies Higgs signal strengths
  - Interferes in top quark loop in gluon-gluon fusion Higgs production
  - Interferes with top and W loops in Higgs to diphoton



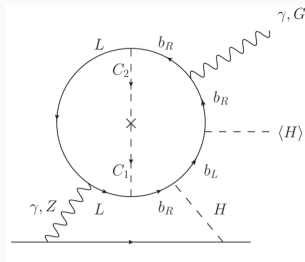
Naive dimensional analysis

$$d_e \sim e \frac{\alpha_{\text{EM}}}{4\pi} \frac{\text{Im}y_1 y_2}{(4\pi)^4} \frac{m_e m_b^2}{m_C^4} \quad (3)$$

For  $m_C \sim 500 \text{ GeV}$

$$d_e \sim 10^{-34} \text{Im}[y_1 y_2] e \cdot \text{cm}$$

$$\ll 8.7 \times 10^{-29}$$



# Neutron EDMs and isoscalar pion nucleon coupling

For  $m_C \sim 500$  we have

$$d_N \sim 10^{-28} \text{Im}(y_1 y_2) \ll [2.9 - 3.0] \times 10^{-26} \text{e} \cdot \text{cm}$$

$$\bar{g}_\pi^0 \sim 10^{-14} \text{Im}(y_1 y_2) \ll 3.8 \times 10^{-12}$$

Recent flavour anomaly

$$R_{K^*} = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow K^* e^+ e^-)}$$

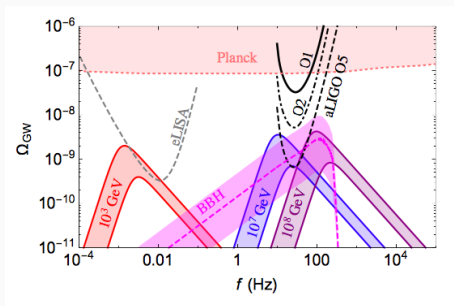
Current measurement (SM  $\sim 1$ )

$$R_{K^*} = 0.66_{-0.07}^{+0.11} \pm 0.024 \quad (4)$$

- Can be explained through 2nd generation LQ (3,2,1/6)
- Can baryogenesis, EDMs etc work and explain  $R_{K^*}$ ?
- This LQ can also be responsible for GCU

## Future pheno work

Rough estimates of relic gravitational wave peak frequency and amplitude.



A multi-step phase transition of  $T_N \sim O(\text{TeV})$  is ideal for detection at LISA



This is just one implementation of this paradigm

- Other microphysics options: other colored scalars (diquarks, other LQs)
- is a macrophysics implementation possible?