

WORLD-VOLUME EFFECTIVE ACTIONS OF EXOTIC FIVE-BRANES

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INTRODUCTION

Exotic branes?

M-theory compactified on T^8

U-duality $E_{8(8)}(\mathbb{Z})$ multiplet (particles in 3d)

[Elitzur-Giveon-Kutasov-Rabinovici (1997),
Bau-O'Loughlin (1997), Obers-Pioline (1998)]

Particles multiplet in 3d

→ “ordinary branes” wrapped on cycles

- * waves
- * F-strings
- * D-branes
- * NS5-branes
- * KK-monopoles

Other states : **Exotic branes (Q-branes)** wrapped on cycles

Exotic branes are found in a duality chain

Example

NS5-brane



T-dual (transverse direction) R_1

KK-monopole



T-dual (non Taub-NUT direction) R_2

5_2^2 -brane ← **an exotic brane**

5 quadratic dependence on radii
2 string coupling

world-volume space dim

$$T \sim g_s^{-2} (R_1 R_2)^2$$

Exotic brane as 1/2 BPS state

5^2_2 -brane is a 1/2 BPS solution in SUGRA

[de Boer-Shigemori (2010)]

$$ds^2_{5^2_2} = dx^2_{012345} + H(d\rho^2 + \rho^2(d\theta)^2) + \frac{H}{K}((dx^8)^2 + (dx^9)^2),$$

$$e^{2\phi} = \frac{H}{K}, \quad B = -\frac{\sigma\theta}{K} dx^8 \wedge dx^9,$$

$$H = h_0 + \sigma \log \frac{\mu}{\rho}, \quad K = H^2 + (\sigma\theta)^2, \quad \sigma = \frac{R_8 R_9}{2\pi\alpha'}$$

$(\rho, \theta) : x^6$ - x^7 plane

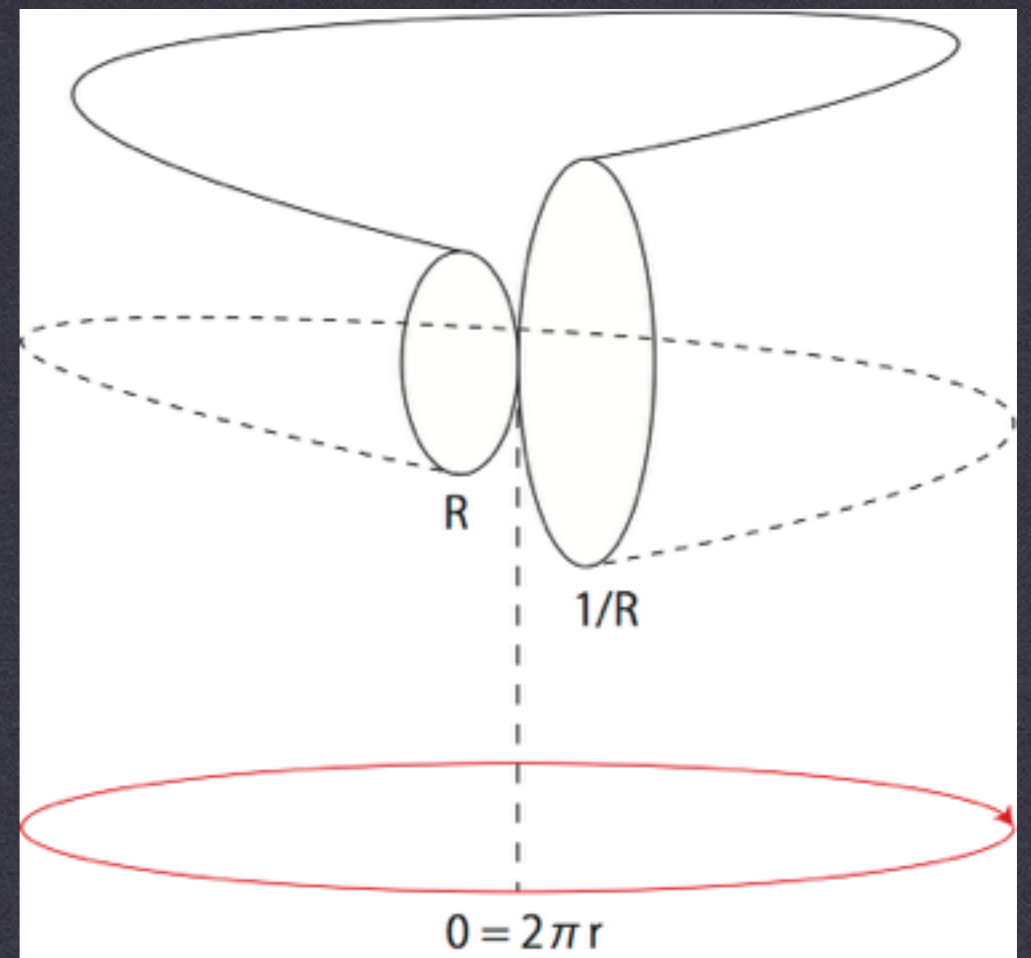
$$\begin{cases} \theta = 0 & : g_{88} = g_{99} = H^{-1}, \\ \theta = 2\pi & : g_{88} = g_{99} = \frac{H}{H^2 + (2\pi\sigma)^2} \end{cases}$$

Monodromy \neq diffeo or gauge transformations
(multi-valued function)

non-geometric

Monodromy = $SO(2, 2)$ T-duality

T-fold (U-fold)



Nature of exotic branes?

- ▶ **Supergravity viewpoint**

[Lozano Tellechea-Ortin (2000), Hull (2004),
de Boer-Shigemori (2010,2012), de Boer-Mayerson-Shigemori (2014), and more..]

- ▶ **World-sheet viewpoint**

[Kikuchi-Okada-Sakatani (2012)]

[Kimura-S.S, NPB876(2013)876, JHEP08(2013)126, JHEP03(2014)128]

[cf. today's talk by Kimura and Poster by Yata (Friday)]

- ▶ **Double field theory viewpoint**

[Andriot-Hohm-Larfors-Lust-Patalong (2012), Andriot-Betz (2013),
Blumenhagen-Desr-Plauschinn-Rennecke-Schmid (2012,2013),
Geissbuhler-Marques-Nunez-Penas (2013), and more]

- ▶ **World-volume viewpoint (This talk)**

[Chatzistavrakidis-Gautason-Moutsopoulos-Zagermann (2014)]

[Kimura-Yata-S.S, arXiv:1404.5442]

WORLD-VOLUME THEORIES

World-volume effective theory

We focus on **1/2 BPS exotic five-branes** in type IIB string theory

- ▶ Brane fluctuation modes
- ▶ World-volume gauge fields

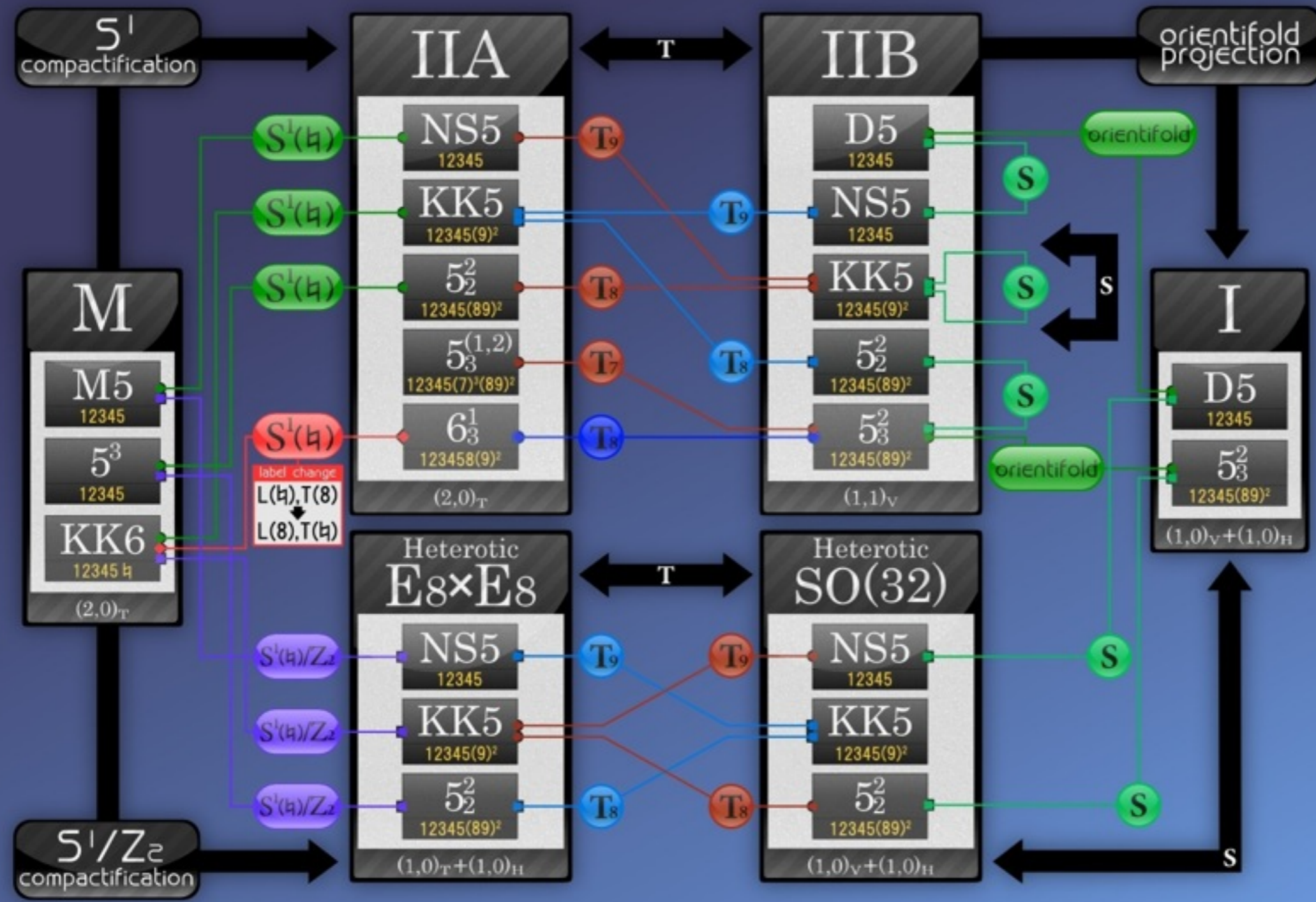
zero-modes associated with the geometry (solution)

should be embedded into the supermultiplets

16 SUSY in 6 dim

- $N=(1,1)$ vector multiplet
- $N=(2,0)$ tensor multiplet

Duality chain is helpful



exotic branes

String duality chains on various five-branes. The numbers in parentheses denote the numbers of supercharges in six dimensions (except for the KK6-brane and the 6^1_3 -brane). The subscripts T, V and H mean the tensor multiplet, the vector multiplet, and the hypermultiplet, respectively.

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image by M. Yata

IIB 5_2^2 -brane

Duality chain



6d $N=(1,1)$ vector multiplet

- ▶ $U(1)^2$ isometries $\longrightarrow k_1^\mu, k_2^\mu$ Killing vectors

Space-time covariant expression of T-duality rule



Covariant Buscher rule

T-duality in NS-NS sector

$$g_{\mu\nu} \longrightarrow g'_{\mu\nu} = g_{\mu\nu} - \frac{(i_k g)_\mu (i_k g)_\nu - ((i_k B)_\mu - \lambda \partial_\mu \varphi)((i_k B)_\nu - \lambda \partial_\nu \varphi)}{k^2},$$

$$B_{\mu\nu} \longrightarrow B'_{\mu\nu} = B_{\mu\nu} - \frac{(i_k g)_\mu ((i_k B)_\nu - \lambda \partial_\nu \varphi) - ((i_k B)_\mu - \lambda \partial_\mu \varphi)(i_k g)_\nu}{k^2},$$

$$e^{2\phi} \longrightarrow e^{2\phi'} = \frac{1}{k^2} e^{2\phi}$$

winding zero-modes φ

Covariant Buscher rule

non-covariant Buscher rule in R-R sector [Meessen-Ortin (1998)]



Covariantized

Effective rule of T-duality transformation

$$C'^{(n)} = (-)^n i_k C^{(n)} - C^{(n-1)} \wedge (i_k B - \lambda d\varphi) \\ - (-)^{n-2} k^{-2} i_k C^{(n-1)} \wedge (i_k B - \lambda d\varphi) \wedge i_k g$$

Available only inside the pull-back

After long calculations

IIB 5_2^2 -brane

$$S_{5_2^2}^{\text{DBI}} = -T_{5_2^2} \int d^6 \xi e^{-2\phi} (\det h_{IJ}) \sqrt{1 + \frac{e^{2\phi} (i_{k_1} i_{k_2} (C^{(2)} + C^{(0)} B^{(2)}))^2}{\det h_{IJ}}}$$

$$\times \sqrt{-\det(\Pi_{\mu\nu}^2 \partial_a X^\mu \partial_b X^\nu + \frac{K_a^{(1)} K_b^{(1)}}{(k_2)^2} - \frac{(k_2)^2 (K_a^{(2)} K_b^{(2)} - K_a^{(3)} K_b^{(3)})}{\det h_{IJ}} + \lambda F_{ab})}$$

$$h_{IJ} = k_I^\mu k_J^\nu (g_{\mu\nu} + B_{\mu\nu}), \quad \Pi_{\mu\nu}^2 = g_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{(k_2)^2} (i_{k_2} g)_\mu (i_{k_2} g)_\nu,$$

$$K_\mu^{(1)} = (i_{k_2} B - \lambda d\varphi')_\mu,$$

$$K_\mu^{(2)} = \left(i_{k_1} g - \frac{k_1 \cdot k_2}{(k_2)^2} (i_{k_2} g) + \frac{1}{(k_2)^2} (i_{k_1} i_{k_2} B) (i_{k_2} B - \lambda d\varphi') \right)_\mu,$$

$$K_\mu^{(3)} = \left((i_{k_1} B - \lambda d\varphi) - \frac{k_1 \cdot k_2}{(k_2)^2} (i_{k_2} B - \lambda d\varphi') + \frac{1}{(k_2)^2} (i_{k_1} i_{k_2} B) i_{k_2} g \right)_\mu$$

5²₂ Four transverse directions? $X, X', X^1, X^2 \longrightarrow$ **NO**

* Two geometric modes X, X' are projected out

$$- \det(\Pi_{\mu\nu} \partial_a X^\mu \partial_b X^\nu \dots)$$

$$\Pi_{\mu\nu} = g_{\mu\nu} - h^{IJ} g_{\mu\rho} g_{\nu\sigma} k_I^\rho k_J^\sigma \quad \text{projection operator}$$

* Two winding zero-modes φ, φ' appear

$$(i_{k_1} B - d\varphi), \quad (i_{k_2} B - d\varphi')$$

$$\delta B = d\Lambda^{(1)}, \quad \delta\varphi = -i_{k_1} \Lambda^{(1)}, \quad \delta\varphi' = -i_{k_2} \Lambda^{(1)}$$

* **Appropriate tension**

$$T \sim e^{-2\phi} \det h_{IJ} \sim e^{-2\phi} R_1^2 R_2^2$$

solitonic
volume of fibered torus

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* **World-volume gauge symmetry**

$$\delta A_a = \partial_a \chi$$

* **Space-time gauge symmetry**

$$\delta B = d\Lambda^{(1)},$$

$$\delta C^{(0)} = 0, \quad \delta C^{(2)} = d\lambda^{(1)}, \quad \delta C^{(4)} = d\lambda^{(3)} - B \wedge d\lambda^{(1)},$$

$$\delta(d\tilde{A}^{(1)}) = P[\delta\tilde{C}^{(2)}], \quad \delta\varphi = -i_{k_1}\Lambda^{(1)}, \quad \delta\varphi' = -i_{k_2}\Lambda^{(1)}.$$

Wess-Zumino term

Wess-Zumino term — formal T-duality of $B^{(6)}$

A mixed-symmetry tensor needs to be introduced

[Bergshoeff-Riccioni (2010), Bergshoeff-Ortin-Riccioni (2011)]

$$B_{\hat{\mu}_1 \cdots \hat{\mu}_6, mn}^{(8,2)} \quad \hat{\mu}_i \neq \text{isometry directions}$$

$$S_{5_2^2}^{WZ} = -\mu_5 \int_{\mathcal{M}_6} P[B^{(8,2)}] + \dots$$

Hodge dual of $k_1^\mu k_2^\nu B_{\mu\nu}^{(2)}$
cf. dual graviton for KKM



No scalar modes associated with isometries

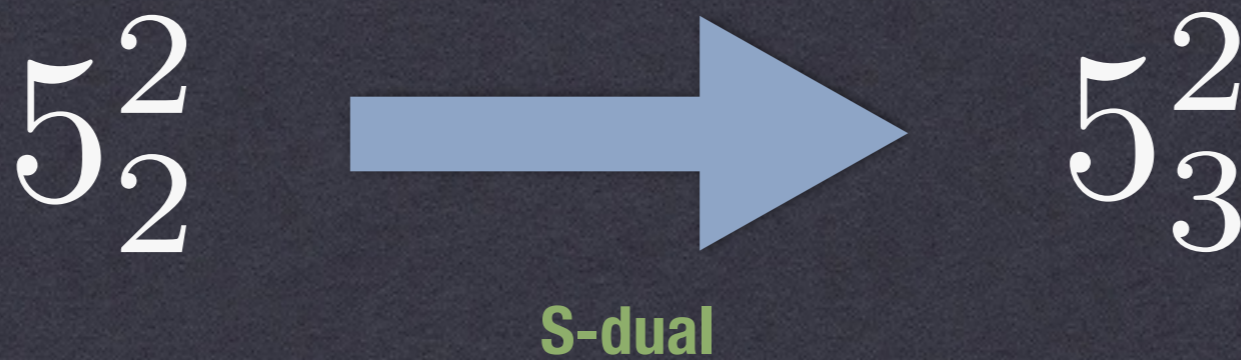
[Kimura-Yata-S.S. (2014)]

- * **Geometric zero-modes** X^1, X^2
- * **Winding modes** φ, φ'
- * **Gauge 1-form** A_a

embedded into 6d N=(1,1) vector multiplet

- * **World-volume and space-time gauge invariance**

IIB 5^2_3 -brane



After long calculations

IIB 5_3^2 -brane

$$S_{5_3^2}^{\text{DBI}} = -T_{5_3^2} \int d^6 \xi |\tau| e^{-2\phi} (\det l_{IJ}) \sqrt{1 + \frac{e^{2\phi}}{\det l_{IJ}} \{i_{k_1} i_{k_2} (B + |\tau|^{-2} C^{(0)} C^{(2)})\}}$$

$$\times \sqrt{-\det(\Pi_{\mu\nu}^2 \partial_a X^\mu \partial_b X^\nu + \frac{L_a^{(1)} L_b^{(1)}}{|\tau|^2 k_2^2} - \frac{k_2^2 (L_a^{(2)} L_b^{(2)} - |\tau|^{-2} L_a^{(3)} L_b^{(3)})}{\det l_{IJ}} + \lambda F_{ab})}$$

$$\tau = C^{(0)} + i e^{-\phi},$$

$$l_{IJ} = k_I^\mu k_J^\nu (g_{\mu\nu} - |\tau|^{-1} C_{\mu\nu}^{(2)}),$$

$$L_\mu^{(1)} = (i_{k_1} C^{(2)} + \lambda d\tilde{\varphi}')_\mu,$$

$$L_\mu^{(2)} = \left(i_{k_1} g - \frac{k_1 \cdot k_2}{k_2^2} (i_{k_2} C^{(2)} + \lambda d\tilde{\varphi}) + \frac{1}{k_2^2} (i_{k_1} i_{k_2} C^{(2)}) i_{k_2} g \right)_\mu,$$

$$L_\mu^{(3)} = \left((i_{k_1} C^{(2)} + \lambda d\tilde{\varphi}) - \frac{k_1 \cdot k_2}{k_2^2} (i_{k_2} C^{(2)} + \lambda d\tilde{\varphi}) + \frac{1}{k_2^2} (i_{k_1} i_{k_2} C^{(2)}) i_{k_2} g \right)_\mu,$$

$$F_{ab} = \partial_a A_b - \partial_b A_a + (\text{RR forms})$$

* **Two geometric modes X, X' are projected out**

$$- \det(\Pi_{\mu\nu} \partial_a X^\mu \partial_b X^\nu \dots)$$

$$\Pi_{\mu\nu} = g_{\mu\nu} - h^{IJ} g_{\mu\rho} g_{\nu\sigma} k_I^\rho k_J^\sigma$$

* **Appropriate tension**

$$T \sim |\tau| e^{-2\phi} \det l_{IJ} \sim e^{-3\phi} R_1^2 R_2^2 \quad \mathbf{5}_{\mathbf{3}}^{\mathbf{2}}$$

* **Mixed-symmetry tensor in R-R sector**

$$S_{5_2^2}^{WZ} = -\mu_5 \int_{\mathcal{M}_6} P[C^{(8,2)}] + \dots \quad \text{S-dual of } B^{(8,2)}$$

* **Scalar gauge transformation associated with R-R form**

$$\delta C^{(2)} = d\lambda^{(1)}, \quad \delta \tilde{\varphi} = -i_{k_1} \lambda^{(1)} \quad \delta \tilde{\varphi}' = -i_{k_2} \lambda^{(1)}$$

SUMMARY AND FUTURE WORKS

Summary

▶ We construct world-volume effective actions of type IIB 5_2^2 -brane and 5_3^2 -brane

▶ World-volume fields are embedded into the 6d $N=(1,1)$ vector multiplet

$$X^1, X^2, \varphi, \varphi', A_a$$

▶ Source of mixed-symmetry tensors (non-geometric flux)

$$B^{(8,2)}, C^{(8,2)}$$

▶ Type IIA 5_2^2 -brane — 6d $N=(2,0)$ tensor multiplet

▶ Type I 5_3^2 -brane

▶ 5_2^2 -brane in $SO(32), E_8 \times E_8$ heterotic theories

Future directions

- ▶ **Physics from the effective theories**
- ▶ **Supertube effect on world-volume of exotic branes?**
- ▶ **Monodromy ?**
- ▶ **Intersecting configurations of exotic branes?**
- ▶ **World-volume action of M-theory exotic branes?**
- ▶ **Treatment in the double field theory (DFT) or generalized geometry?**
- ▶ **R-branes?**

Thank you

BACKUP

IIA $5\frac{2}{2}$ -brane

Duality chain

M5



NS5



KKM



$5\frac{2}{2}$

Direct
dimensional
reduction

T-dual

T-dual



N=(2,0) tensor multiplet

6d N=(2,0) tensor multiplet

- * Geometric zero-modes X^1, X^2
- * Winding modes φ, φ'
- * Scalar associated with M-circle Y
- * Self-dual tensor field A_{ab}
- * Auxiliary field (non-dynamical) a

DBI and WZ terms are given in the **gauge invariant form**

[Kimura-Yata-S.S (2014)]

M5-brane action

M5-brane action [Pasti-Sorokin-Tonin (1997)]

$$S_{\text{M5}} = -T_{\text{M5}} \int d^6\xi \left[\sqrt{-\det(P[\hat{g}]_{ab} + i\hat{H}_{ab}^*)} + \frac{\sqrt{-\hat{g}}}{4g^{ef} \partial_e a \partial_f a} \hat{H}^{*abc} \hat{H}_{bcd} (\partial_a a \partial^d) \right] \\ + T_{\text{M5}} \int_{\mathcal{M}_6} \left(P[\hat{C}^{(6)}] - \frac{1}{2} F^{(3)} \wedge P[\hat{C}^{(3)}] \right)$$

Self-dual 2-form $F^{(3)} = dA^{(2)}$

$$\hat{H}^{(3)} = F^{(3)} + P[\hat{C}^{(3)}] \quad H^{*(3)} = *_6 H^{(3)}$$

An auxiliary field a

— non dynamical (can be gauged away)

- ✦ **Dimensional reduction along M-circle**

A scalar mode Y

- ✦ **Introduce two isometries (Killing vectors) along transverse directions**

$$k_1^\mu, \quad k_2^\mu$$

- ✦ **T-duality transformations by the covariant Buscher rule**

IIA 5_2^2 -brane

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{5_2^2}^{DBI} = & -T_{5_2^2} \int d^6 \xi e^{-2\phi} (\det h_{IJ}) \\
 & \times \sqrt{-\det(\Pi_{\mu\nu}^2 \partial_a X^\mu \partial_b X^\nu + \frac{K_a^{(1)} K_b^{(1)}}{(k_2)^2} - \frac{(k_2)^2 (K_a^{(2)} K_a^{(2)} - K_a^{(3)} K_a^{(3)})}{\det h_{IJ}} + \frac{\lambda^2 e^{2\phi}}{\det h_{IJ}} \tilde{F}_a \tilde{F}_b)} \\
 & \times \sqrt{\det(\delta_a^b + \frac{i e^{i\phi}}{3! \tilde{\mathcal{N}} \sqrt{\det h_{IJ}} (\tilde{a})^2} Z_a^b)} \\
 & - \frac{\lambda^2}{4} T_{5_2^2} \int d^6 \xi \frac{\varepsilon^{abgd' e' f'} \tilde{H}_{d' e' f'} \tilde{H}_{abc} (\partial_g a \partial_d a)}{3! \tilde{\mathcal{N}}^2 \tilde{\partial a}^2} \left[\tilde{g}^{cd} - \frac{\lambda^2 e^{2\phi} \tilde{g}^{ce} \tilde{g}^{df} \tilde{F}_e^{(1)} \tilde{F}_f^{(1)}}{\det h_{IJ} + \lambda^2 e^{2\phi} \tilde{g}^{a' b'} \tilde{F}_{a'}^{(1)} \tilde{F}_{b'}^{(1)}} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\tilde{H}_{abc} = F_{abc}^{(3)} + (\text{RR-forms})$$

$$\tilde{F}_a^{(1)} = \partial_a Y + (\text{RR-forms})$$