

SS Bif. on a Hexagonal Lattice

$$\Gamma = D_6 \times T^2$$

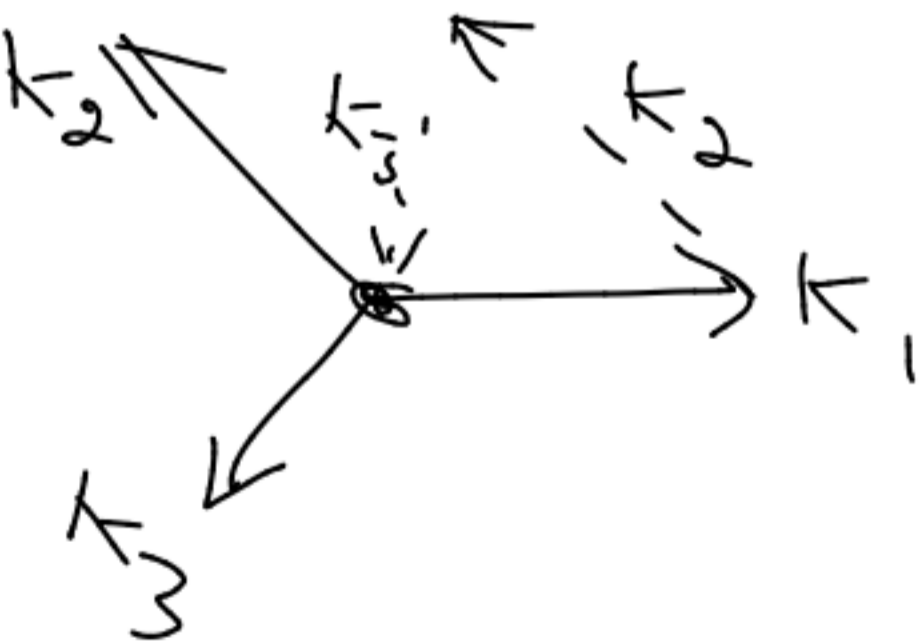
$$\mathcal{L} \equiv \mathcal{L}\{\vec{l}_1, \vec{l}_2\}$$

$$\vec{l}_1 = \left(1, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right), \vec{l}_2 = \left(0, \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

$$\mathcal{L}^* = \mathcal{L}\{\vec{k}_1, \vec{k}_2\}$$

$$\vec{k}_1 = (1, 0), \vec{k}_2 = \frac{1}{2}(-1, \sqrt{3}), \vec{k}_3 = \frac{1}{2}(-1, -\sqrt{3})$$

$$\vec{k}_1 + \vec{k}_2 + \vec{k}_3 = 0 \text{ (resonance cond.)}$$



$$u(x,t) = \sum_{j=1}^3 z_j(t) e^{i\vec{k}_j \cdot \vec{x}} + \text{c.c.}$$

Group Action

$$\rho \equiv R_{\frac{2\pi}{3}}, p \in T^2 \equiv \text{Translations}$$

$$m_0 \equiv \text{Reflection through origin (rotation by } \pi)$$

$$m_v \equiv \text{Reflection on a vertical plane}$$

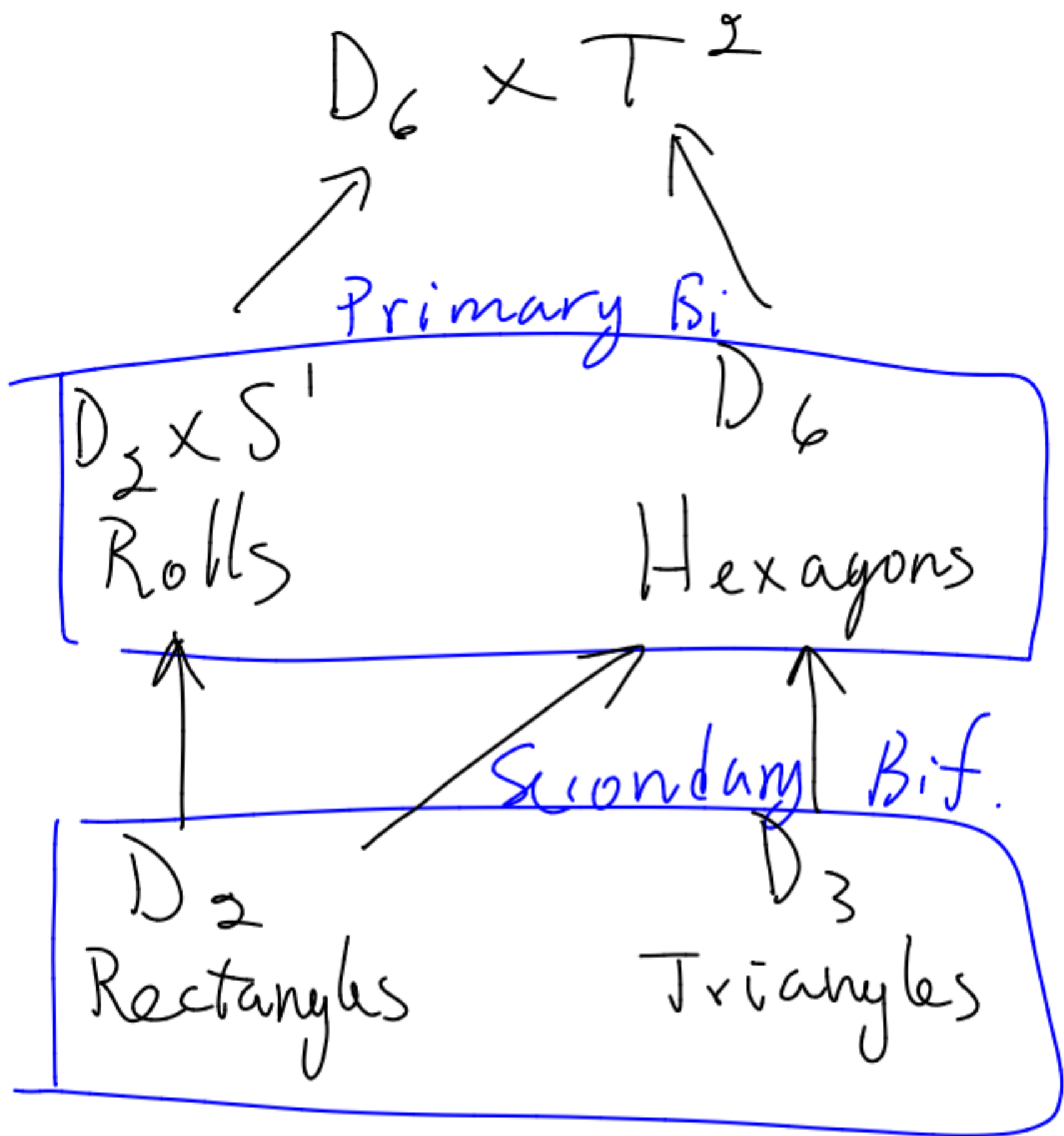
$$\rho \cdot (z_1, z_2, z_3) = (z_3, z_1, z_2)$$

$$m_0 \cdot (z_1, z_2, z_3) = (\bar{z}_1, \bar{z}_2, \bar{z}_3)$$

$$m_v \cdot (z_1, z_2, z_3) = (z_1, \bar{z}_3, z_2)$$

$$p \cdot (z_1, z_2, z_3) = (e^{-ik_1 p} z_1, e^{-ik_2 p} z_2, e^{-ik_3 p} z_3)$$

0	Orbit	Isotropy	$\dim \text{Fix}(z)$
Trivial	$(0, 0, 0)$	$D_6 \times T^2$	0
Rolls	$(x, 0, 0)$	$D_2 \times S^1$	1
Hexagons Up $x > 0$ Down $x < 0$	(x, x, x)	D_6	1
Rectangles Up $x_1 > 0$ Down $x_1 < 0$	(x_1, x_2, x_2) Patchwork Quilt $x_1 = 0$	D_3	2
Triangles Regular	$(x_1 + y_1 i, x_1 + y_1 i, x_1 + y_1 i)$ $x_1 = 0$	D_3	2



Normal Forms (Cubic Order)

$$\dot{z}_1 = \mu z_1 + a \bar{z}_2 \bar{z}_3 - b |z_1|^2 z_1 - c (|z_2|^2 + |z_3|^2) z_1$$

$$\dot{z}_2 = \mu z_2 + a \bar{z}_3 \bar{z}_1 - b |z_2|^2 z_2 - c (|z_3|^2 + |z_1|^2) z_2$$

$$\dot{z}_3 = \mu z_3 + a \bar{z}_1 \bar{z}_2 - b |z_3|^2 z_3 - c (|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2) z_3$$

Solutions

(i) Trivial: $z_1 = z_2 = z_3 = 0$

(ii) Rolls: $z_1 = \sqrt{\frac{a}{b}}$, $z_2 = z_3 = 0$

(iii) Hexagons: $\text{Re}(z_1) = \text{Re}(z_2) = \text{Re}(z_3) = R_0$

where

$$\mu + a R_0 - (b + 2c) R_0^2 = 0$$

$$\text{Im}(z_j) = 0$$

v) Rectangles

$$\operatorname{Re}(z_1) = -\frac{a}{b-c}$$

$$\operatorname{Re}(z_2) = \operatorname{Re}(z_3) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{b+c} \left(\mu - \frac{a^2 b}{(b-c)^2} \right)}$$

$$\operatorname{Im}(z_j) = 0$$

⑤ Not all sol. are equilibria of NF (truncated at third order).
Some may require h.o.t.

Stability

Trivial Sol. $z_1 = z_2 = z_3 = 0$ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{stable, } \mu < 0 \\ \text{unstable, } \mu > 0 \end{array} \right.$

Rolls

$$z_1 = R_0(1 + \delta z_1), \quad R_0 = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{b}}$$

$$z_2 = 0 + \delta z_2, \quad |\delta z_j| \ll 1$$

$$z_3 = 0 + \delta z_3,$$

Linearizing:

$$\dot{z}_1 = R_0 \frac{d}{dt}(\delta z_1) - \mu R_0(1 + \delta z_1) -$$

$$\underbrace{b R_0(1 + \delta z_1)}_{z_1} \underbrace{R_0(1 + \delta z_1)}_{\bar{z}_1} \underbrace{R_0(1 + \delta z_1)}_{z_1}$$

$$\dot{(\delta z_1)} = \left[\mu - \cancel{R_0^2} (1 + \delta z_1)(1 + \bar{\delta z}_1) \right] R_0 (1 + \delta z_1)$$

$$= \mu \left[1 - \underbrace{(1 + \delta z_1 + \delta \bar{z}_1 + \delta z_1 \delta \bar{z}_1)}_{\text{h.o.t.}} \right] (1 + \delta z_1)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(\delta z_1) = -\mu(\delta z_1 + \bar{\delta z}_1) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{d}{dt}(\delta z_1 + \bar{\delta z}_1) = -2\mu(\delta z_1 + \bar{\delta z}_1) \\ \frac{d}{dt}(\delta z_1 - \bar{\delta z}_1) = 0 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(\bar{\delta z}_1) = -\mu(\delta z_1 + \bar{\delta z}_1)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(\delta z_2) = \dots = \mu \left(1 - \frac{c}{b} \right) \delta z_2 + a \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{b}} \delta \bar{z}_3$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(\delta z_3) = \mu \left(1 - \frac{c}{b}\right) \delta z_3 + a \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{b}} \delta \bar{z}_2$$

\Downarrow

$$\sigma_{3-6} = \mu \left(1 - \frac{c}{b}\right) \pm a \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{b}} \quad (\text{twice each})$$

Summary: (neutral)

Rolls are linearly stable

if $\mu > 0$ ($\sigma_1 < 0$) and

$b - c < 0$ and $\sqrt{\frac{\mu}{b}} > -\frac{a}{b-c}$
($\sigma_{3-6} < 0$)

Hexagons

$$z_1 = R_0(1 + \delta z_1)$$

$$z_2 = R_0(1 + \delta z_2)$$

$$z_3 = R_0(1 + \delta z_3)$$

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$$\sigma_1 = -3aR_0, \quad \sigma_{2,3} = 0$$

$$\sigma_4 = aR_0 - 2(b+2c)R_0^2$$

$$\sigma_{5,6} = -2aR_0 - 2(b-c)R_0^2 \quad (\text{twice})$$

\Rightarrow stable $R_0 > 0, aR_0 - 2(b+2c)R_0^2 < 0$
 $-2aR_0 - 2(b-c)R_0^2 < 0$

Bif. Diagram

$|z_1|$

Rolls

H_1 (up hexagons)

M (rectangle)

H_2 (down hexagons)

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