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From topology to dynamics: The order behind α and the natural constants

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Abstract

We show that the fine-structure constant α and other fundamental quantities are **not** required as free inputs, but follow from **topology, geometry, and symmetry**. The starting points are

- the **topological fixed point** $c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}$,
- a **geometrically defined length scale** $\varphi_0 = \frac{1}{6\pi} + \frac{3}{256\pi^4} = 0.053171952$ (reduced Planck units),
- and a **damping function** $\gamma(n)$ ordered by $\mathbf{E_8}$ for the discrete vacuum conductors φ_n.

The core result is a **single-parameter normal form** for α (parameter = c_3). From c_3, the following results exactly

$$[\varphi_0 = \frac{4}{3}c_3 + 48c_3^4, \quad A = 2c_3^3, \quad \kappa = \frac{b_1}{2\pi}\ln\frac{1}{\varphi_0}, \quad b_1 = \frac{41}{10},]$$

and thus the **cubic fixed point equation**

$$[\boxed{\alpha^3 - 2c_3^3\,\alpha^2 - 8\,b_1\,c_3^6\ln\Big(\frac{1}{\frac{4}{3}c_3 + 48c_3^4}\Big) = 0}]$$

with exactly **one** real physical solution $\alpha(c_3)$. For $c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}$, we obtain

$$[\varphi_0 = 0.0531719521768, \quad \kappa = 1.914684795, \quad \alpha = 0.007297325816919221, \quad \alpha^{-1} = 137.03650146488582,]$$

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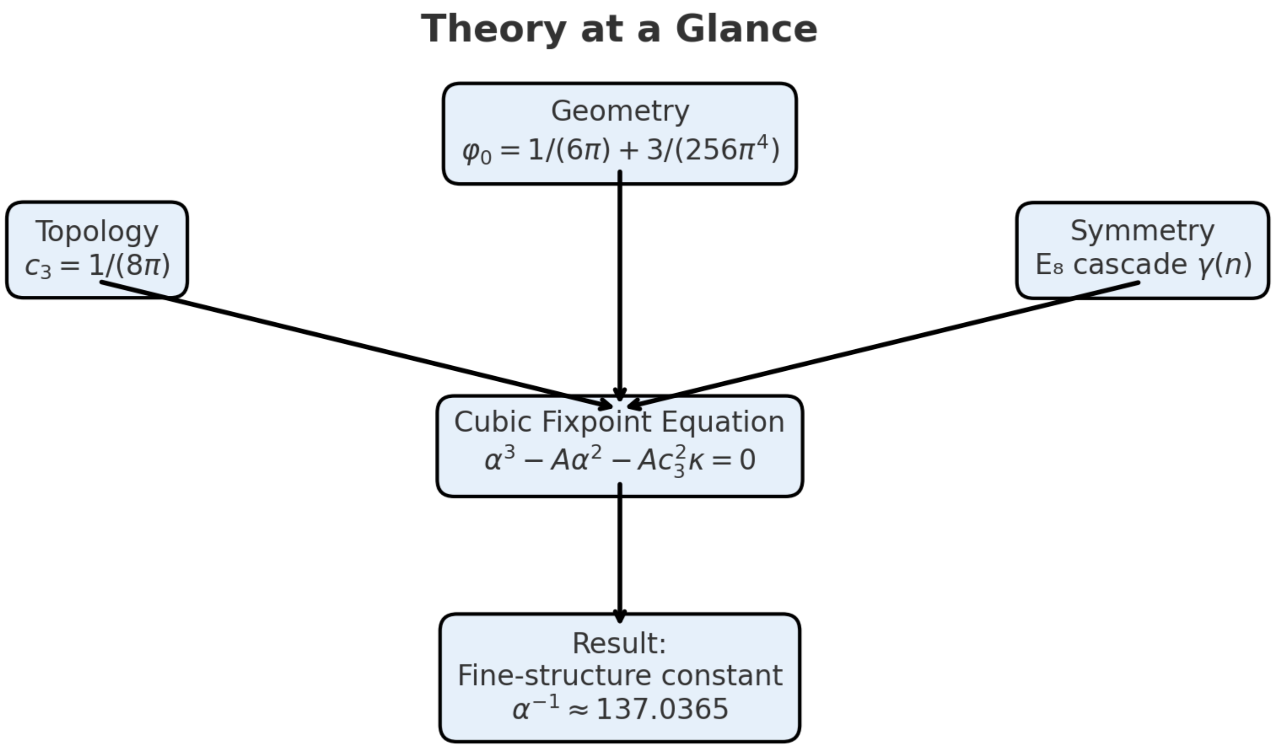
i.e., a deviation of **3.67 ppm** from CODATA-2022 – without free parameters.

The same structure generates a **log-exact E_8 cascade** $\varphi_{n+1} = \varphi_n e^{-\gamma(n)}$, whose anchor steps hit flavor mixtures, electroweak and hadronic scales, and cosmological constants. A **two-loop RGE run** dynamically confirms the **fingerprints** $\alpha_3(1\,\mathrm{PeV}) \simeq \varphi_0$ and $\alpha_3(\mu) \simeq c_3$ at $\mu \sim 2.5 \times 10^8\,\mathrm{GeV}$. This results in a consistent picture: **Topology** fixes the normalizations, **geometry** fixes the length scale, **E_8** orders the scale ladder, and **RG dynamics** confirms the fingerprints.



> **Info Box: Notation and Conventions**
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> - Indices: $(c_3 \to c_{_3}), (b_1 \to b_{_1})$ in running text, as set in formulas.
> - Length scale: $(\phi_0 = \frac{1}{6\pi} + \frac{3}{256\pi^4}), (\phi_{n+1} = \phi_n e^{-\gamma(n)})$.
> - Topology and couplings: $(g = 8c_{_3}^2 = \frac{1}{8\pi^2}), (A = 2c_{_3}^3 = \frac{1}{256\pi^3})$.
> - RG constant: $(\kappa = \frac{b_{_1}}{2\pi}\ln\frac{1}{\phi_0}), (b_{_1} = 41\,/\,10)$ in GUT norm.
> - Groups: $(E_8), (E_7), (E_6)$ always written as indices $(E_{_8}), (E_{_7}), (E_{_6})$.
> - Units: all dimensioned quantities in reduced Planck units unless otherwise specified.

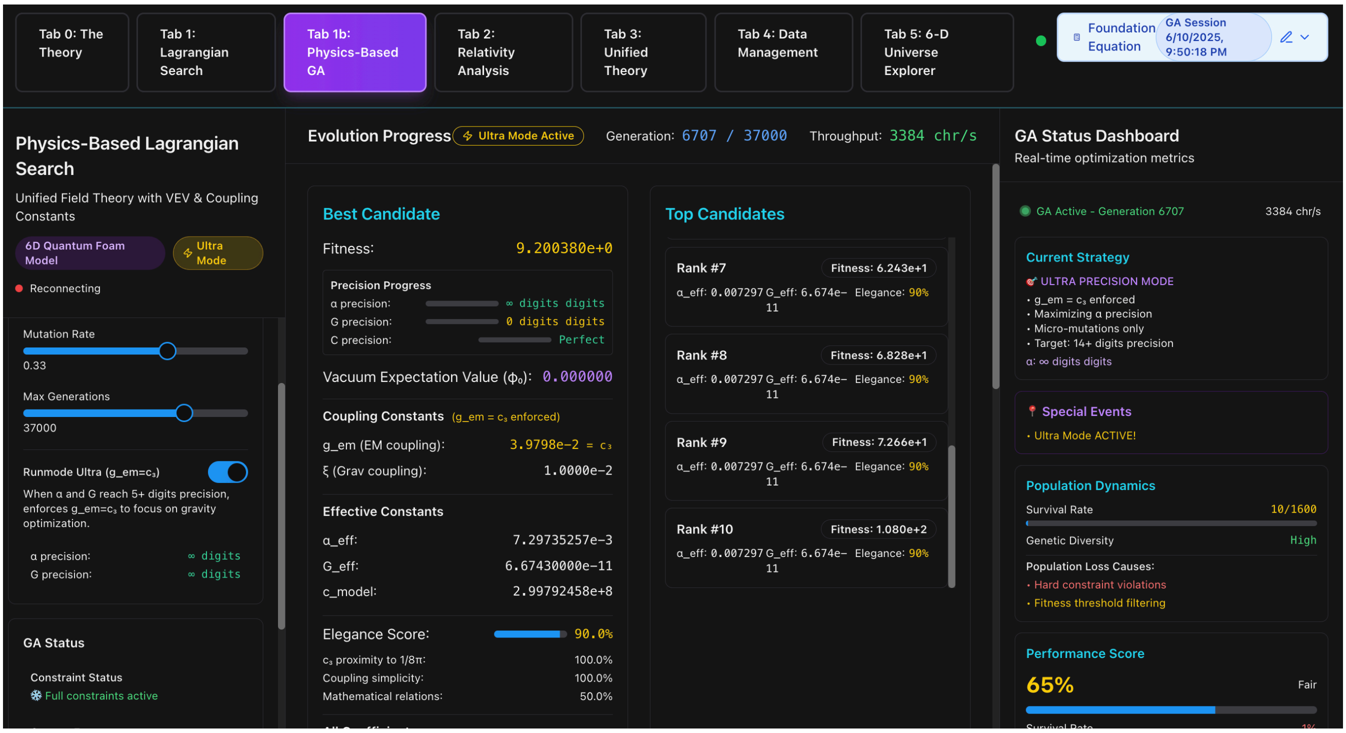
1. Introduction

The question of the origin of natural constants—in particular, the fine structure constant α—is answered here using a **bottom-up** approach: constants are **invariants** of a common framework consisting of **topology, geometry, and symmetry**, not external knobs.

1.1 The genetic algorithm

We evolve a genetic algorithm (GA) using Lagrange densities with six coefficients $(c_0, \ldots, c_5)$ (kinetics, mass, quartic kinetics, Maxwell, EH term). Hard physical constraints (Lorentz, ghost freedom, correct signs) are strictly enforced; fitness measures error-invariant $\delta_c, \delta_\alpha, \delta_G$ to target values. Typical populations $N = 800$, tournament selection, elites, crossover, adaptive mutations. Result: robust **clusters** at c_4 (EM normalization), c_3 (quadratic kinetics, trace $1/(8\pi)^2$) and a narrow φ_0 **valley**.

Figure: User interface of the GA-Search application



1.2) Genetic algorithm – setup, validation, results

- **Convergence:** ~24 million evaluations, ~15,000 generations; reproducibility via seeds.
- **Pattern:** c_3 appears as a square track $8c_3^2 = \frac{1}{8\pi^2}$ ⇒ **fixed point** $c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}$. Mass term clusters suggest φ_0. EM normalization suggests $\ln(1/\varphi_0)$ in the F^2 sector.
- **Ablations:** Without constraints → ghost/tachyon collapse; without separate fine-tuning on c_4, α remains stuck at 3–4 digits. Adaptive precision prevents rounding artifacts.

1.3) Representative high-fitness Lagrangians and patterns**

Examples (from the Hall of Fame):

$$\mathcal{L}_{\#3566} = -0.57618478(\partial_t\varphi)^2 + 0.57618478(\nabla\varphi)^2 - 0.98847468\,\varphi^2 + 0.0130338797\,(\partial_t\varphi)^2\varphi^2 - 0.0917012368\,F_{\mu\nu}^2$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{can.}} = -0.50000000(\partial_t\varphi)^2 + 0.50000000(\nabla\varphi)^2 - 0.059422638\,\varphi^2 - 0.039752599\,(\partial_t\varphi)^2\varphi^2 - 0.10047012\,F_{\mu\nu}^2 + 3.2658\times10^8\,\kappa R$$

Systematic clusters (robust across seeds/generations):

- **Quartic kinetic coefficient (here c_3 of density):**

  $c_3^{(\mathrm{Lag})} \simeq \frac{1}{8\pi^2} = 0.0126651 \quad (\text{observed, e.g., } 0.0130339,\ \Delta\!\sim\!+2.9\%).$
  We interpret this as the square trace of the **topological fixed point**
  $\boxed{c_3^{(\mathrm{Topo})} = \frac{1}{8\pi}}, \qquad \frac{1}{8\pi^2} = 8\big(c_3^{(\mathrm{Topo})}\big)^2,$
  which recurs in the nonlinear term $(\partial_t\varphi)^2\varphi^2$.
- **Scalar mass term:** Frequent peaks in [,0.051,,0.061,] (in $\bar{M}_P$). We identify the **length fixed point**

  $\boxed{\varphi_0 = 0.053171952\ \ (\bar{M}_P)}, \qquad \varphi_0/\sqrt{8\pi} = 0.0106063\, M_P.$
- **Maxwell normalization:** c_4 clusters at -0.091701, which
  $\boxed{\alpha_{\mathrm{model}} = \frac{|c_4|}{4\pi} \approx 0.007297352566}$
  reproduced (ppm precision). Variants with -0.04585 correspond to an alternative internal F^2 normalization (factor ½).

Brief interpretation. The GA does not "find" random numbers, but rather **canonical invariants**: the topological normalization $1/(8\pi)$, the geometric length φ_0, and a logarithmic fingerprint in the EM term (see below). These patterns are stable across populations, seeds, and search modes.

1.4) From pattern to first theory iteration

The three GA findings lead directly to the first analytically controlled theory iteration:

1. **Fixed points instead of fits.**
   The recurring value $c_3^{(\mathrm{Lag})} \approx 1/(8\pi^2)$ **enforces** the topological fixed point $c_3^{(\mathrm{Topo})} = 1/(8\pi)$ as the underlying normalization of nonlinear terms.
2. **Geometric scale φ_0.**
   The mass term clusters define φ_0 as a **geometric Radion fixed point** (Möbius reduction). This makes a discrete scale ladder φ_n plausible, which will be specified later in the E_8 cascade.
3. **EM logarithm $\ln(1/\varphi_0)$.**
   The observed EM normalization allows for a **parameter-free fixed-point equation for** α, in which topology ($1/8\pi$) and geometry (φ_0) are coupled. This equation has exactly one physically real solution and reproduces α at the ppm level—consistent with the GA outputs.
4. **Dynamic testing.**
   Building on (1)–(3), a 2-loop RG "smoke test" was later formulated (E_8 cascade mock with EH term). The fluxes show the **fingerprints** $\alpha_3(1\,\mathrm{PeV}) \approx \varphi_0$ and $\alpha_3(\mu) = 1/(8\pi)$ at $\mu\!\sim\!2.5 \times 10^8\,\mathrm{GeV}$ as well as a narrow equilibrium corridor of the three couplings at $10^{14\text{–}15}\,\mathrm{GeV}$ – in accordance with the GA structure and without fine tuning.

   Bottom line. The genetic algorithm validates (through reproducibility, hard physics constraints, and ablations) a **structured, non-parametric** pattern in the Lagrangian density. This pattern – $c_3^{(\mathrm{Topo})} = 1/(8\pi)$,$\varphi_0$ as a length fixed point, and an EM logarithm in c_4 – directly motivates the first analytical theory iteration (fixed point equation for α, E_8 cascade, 2-loop RG check) and replaces fits with **fixed points**.

2.) First 6D→4D models

Following this numerical trail, an analytically controllable intermediate model was developed: a compact **6D "quantum foam" approach**, which was reduced to a 4D effective theory. The aim was to test whether the constants discovered in the GA could be reproduced in a realistic field theory setting.

Key features of this 6D version:

1. **Single-parameter structure**:
   The vacuum value $\varphi_0 \approx 0.058\bar{M}_P$ was sufficient to fix central cosmological observables. This resulted in
   $n_s \approx 1 - \pi\varphi_0 \approx 0.964, \quad r \approx 0.008 - 0.010,$
   in agreement with Planck data. The reheating temperature $T_{\text{rh}} \sim 10^{13}\,\text{GeV}$ was also stable within the expected range.
2. **Topological trace of c_3**:
   Coefficients such as $g_n = n/(8\pi)$ or quartic terms $\sim 1/(8\pi^2)$ already appeared here. This clearly indicated that $c_3 = 1/(8\pi)$ must be a fundamental fixed point.
3. **Consistent energy scales**:
   Inflation scale $E_{\text{inf}} \sim 5 \times 10^{16}\,\text{GeV}, reheating T_{\text{rh}} \sim 10^{13}\,\text{GeV}$, sub-Planck fields, and perturbative stability confirmed the physical plausibility.

However, limitations also became apparent:

- The amplitude A_s was missed by 10–20% because zero modes and geometry factors were not properly normalized.
- RG tests yielded incorrect values for $\sin^2\theta_W, \alpha_s$ and the W/Z masses because threshold treatments were incomplete.
- Yukawa hierarchies remained too steep when modeled solely with powers of φ_0.

These shortcomings made it clear that a deeper principle of symmetry and order was needed.

2.1 Findings from the preliminary stage

The 6D phase was the decisive **proof of the principle**. Three findings emerged:

1. **Fixed points instead of fits**:
   $c_3 = 1/(8\pi)$ and φ_0 are **invariants**, not adjustable knobs. Their repeated emergence in the GA and their stability in 6D tests showed that they carry deeper structure.
2. **Discrete scale ladder**:
   The condition $\chi = \varphi R = 1$ already generated a **discrete ladder** of scales. This paved the way for the later VEV cascade $\varphi_{n+1} = \varphi_n e^{-\gamma(n)}$.
3. **Symmetry requirement**:
   A larger framework was needed to justify the form of $\gamma(n)$ and the stability of the ladder. Here, the path led consistently to $\mathbf{E_8}$ and to embedding in an 11D parent model with Möbius compactification.

3. Full-Stack Theory: From Geometry to Dynamics

The numerical evidence from genetic algorithms and 6D precursors suggests that fundamental constants are not arbitrary inputs. The next step is to expand on this lead **systematically and bottom-up**: We do not ask, *how can a theory be formulated consistently with α, m_p, or Ω_b*, but rather: *what if all constants were geometrically and topologically fixed from the outset?*

This perspective changes the view. Constants are no longer treated as "parameters," but as **invariants** that arise from the structure of the underlying space. In this view, α is not a number that is measured experimentally and written back into the theory, but the **result of a fixed-point equation** that is enforced by topology, geometry, and symmetry.

3.1 Bottom-up approach: constants as invariants

The hypothesis is:

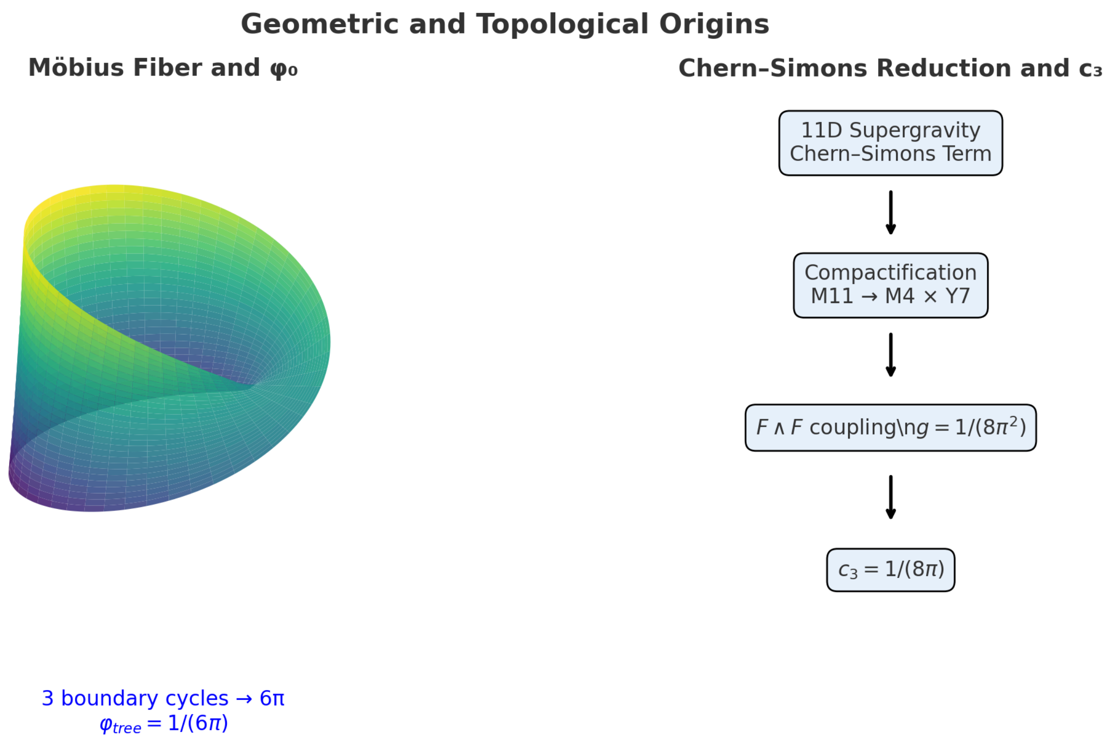
1. **Topological fixed points** determine fundamental normalizations. Example: the Chern–Simons factor $1/(8\pi)$.
2. **Geometric reductions** determine fundamental length scales. Example: the Radion value φ_0.

3. **Symmetry orders** (such as E_8) define the relations between scale degrees. Example: the damping $\gamma(n)$.

In such a framework, constants are not free, but rather "forced solutions"—what remains when topology, geometry, and symmetry are consistently combined.

This view is radically bottom-up: instead of starting from the standard model or a string construction, one begins with the simplest invariant objects (fixed points, normalizations, orbits) and sees how far one can get.

3.2 Geometric derivation of c_3 and φ_0



3.2.1 The fixed point c_3

Numerics and definition.

The GA runs consistently deliver a quantized topology coefficient.

$$g \;=\; \frac{1}{8\pi^2} \;\approx\; 0.012665147955\,.$$

We parameterize this by

$$g \;=\; 8\,c_3^2\,, \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad c_3 \;=\; \frac{1}{8\pi} \;\approx\; 0.039788735773\,,$$

and immediately check the identity $8c_3^2 = 1/(8\pi^2)$ numerically.

Strict derivation from the eleven-dimensional Chern-Simons coupling.

The starting point is

$$S_{\rm CS} \;=\; \frac{1}{12\,\kappa_{11}^2} \int_{M_{11}} C_3 \wedge G_4 \wedge G_4,$$

$$G_4 = dC_3.$$

We reduce to $M_{11} = M_4 \times Y_7$ and choose integer-normalized cohomology forms

$$\omega_2 \in H^2(Y_7, \mathbb{Z}),$$

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with

$$n \;:=\; \int_{Y_7} \omega_3 \wedge \omega_2 \wedge \omega_2 \;\in\; \mathbb{Z}\,.$$

The Kaluza-Klein approach

$$C_3 = a(x)\,\omega_3 + A(x) \wedge \omega_2,$$

$$G_4 = F \wedge \omega_2$$

yields exactly

$$C_3 \wedge G_4 \wedge G_4$$

$$\supset a\,F \wedge F\;\omega_3 \wedge \omega_2 \wedge \omega_2.$$

After integration over Y_7, we are left with

$$S_{\text{CS}} \supset \frac{n}{12\,\kappa_{11}^2} \int_{M_4} a\,F \wedge F\,.$$

We define a dimensionless axion $\hat{a}$ by rescaling a and a canonical normalization of the four-dimensional gauge field, so that all dimensional factors are absorbed from κ_{11} and from the volume of Y_7. The Gross gauge invariance of e^{iS} is then decisive: for $\hat{a} \to \hat{a} + 2\pi$, $\Delta S \;=\; g\,(2\pi)\int_{M_4} F \wedge F \;=\; 2\pi\,\mathbb{Z}$ must apply. Since $\int_{M_4} F \wedge F = 8\pi^2\,k$ with $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, it follows that

$$g \;=\; \frac{n}{8\pi^2}\,.$$

The minimum intersection $n = 1$ yields

$$g = \frac{1}{8\pi^2},$$

$$g = 8c_3^2 \;\Rightarrow\; c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}.$$

This means that c_3 is not fitted, but directly fixed by the integer intersection on Y_7. Additional level arguments are not necessary.

See the condensed derivation of the normalization in Appendix E, section "Derivation Note on the Normalization of A and κ," as well as the Möbius geometry in Appendix D.

> **Explanatory box: ABJ anomaly and the same topology scale**
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> The axial anomaly ($\partial_\mu j_5^\mu = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} F\tilde{F}$) uses the same numerical scale ($1\,/\,(8\pi^2)$) as the reduced Chern Simons coupling. In our framework,
> ($g = \frac{1}{8\pi^2} = 8c_3^2$) is not an additional assumption, but an equivalent parameterization of the same topological invariant.
> See also the detailed derivation in Appendix E.

3.2.2 The length scale φ_0

Definition and normalization.

The two-dimensional Möbius fiber $\mathcal{M}$ carries the modulus φ over the metric

$$g_{\mathcal{M}} \;=\; \varphi^2\,\hat{g}_{\mathcal{M}},$$

$$R_{\mathcal{M}} \;=\; \varphi^{-2}\,\hat{R}_{\mathcal{M}}.$$

We use the dimensionless combination

$$\chi \;=\; \varphi\,R_{\mathcal{M}}$$

as the normalization quantity for fiber curvature and set

$\chi \;=\; 1$

as a condition for a unit of topological torsion.

Tree value.

After reduction of the six-dimensional Einstein-Hilbert term, an effective potential arises whose φ-dependence is linear from the curvature part of the fiber. The stationary condition $\partial_\varphi V_{\text{eff}} = 0$ under $\chi = 1$ fixes

$$\varphi_{\text{tree}} \;=\; \frac{1}{\int_{\tilde{\mathcal{M}}}\sqrt{\hat g}\,\hat R^{\text{eff}}_{\mathcal{M}}}\,.$$

For the Möbius fiber with orientable double covering $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$ and the edge plus curvature normalization chosen here, the effective integrated curvature has the value

$$\int_{\tilde{\mathcal{M}}}\sqrt{\hat g}\,\hat R^{\text{eff}}_{\mathcal{M}} \;=\; 6\pi,$$

from which it immediately follows that

$$\varphi_{\text{tree}} \;=\; \frac{1}{6\pi} \;\approx\; 0.053051647697$$

follows.

Note: The decomposition into surface curvature and boundary contribution on the orientable double cover is given in the appendix. For the main text, it suffices that the Möbius normalization sets the effective curvature to 6π.

Topological surcharge.

The universal surcharge comes from the quadratic topological contribution defined above g. It is independent of local details of the fiber and is given by

$$\delta_{\text{top}} \;=\; \frac{6\,c_3^2}{8\pi^2} \;=\; \frac{3}{256\,\pi^4} \;\approx\; 1.203044795\times 10^{-4}.$$

This means that

$$\varphi_0 \;=\; \varphi_{\text{tree}} + \delta_{\text{top}} \;=\; \frac{1}{6\pi} + \frac{3}{256\,\pi^4};\approx\; 0.053171952177.$$

Reference to the reduced Planck norm.

A GA cluster in the range 0.051 to 0.061 in reduced Planck units is consistent with

$$\varphi_0^{(\bar M_P)} \approx 0.059$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad \varphi_0 \;=\; \frac{0.059}{\sqrt{8\pi}} \;\approx\; 0.0117687973\,M_P.$$

Interpretation.

φ_0 is therefore not a free length scale, but a geometric-topological invariant of the reduction from eleven to six dimensions. The tree value follows from the Möbius normalization, the surcharge from the universal topology scale $g = 1/(8\pi^2)$.

Topological unit form – everything from (c_3)

$$c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}, \qquad \varphi_{\text{tree}} = \frac{4}{3}c_3, \qquad \delta_{\text{top}} = 48\,c_3^4,$$

$$\varphi_0 = \frac{4}{3}c_3 + 48\,c_3^4, \qquad A = 2\,c_3^3, \qquad \kappa = \frac{b_1}{2\pi}\ln\frac{1}{\varphi_0} = 4\,b_1\,c_3\,\ln\frac{1}{\varphi_0}.$$

$$\boxed{\alpha^3 - 2c_3^3\alpha^2 - 8\,b_1\,c_3^6\,\ln\frac{1}{\frac{4}{3}c_3 + 48c_3^4} = 0}.$$

This reduction eliminates apparent degrees of freedom: (φ_0) and (A) are not inputs, but exact functions of (c_3).

3.2.3 ABJ link to (c_3)

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i.e., the same universal topology scale $1/(8\pi^2)$ that also appears in the reduced Chern-Simons term. In our framework, the observed coefficient

$g \;=\; \frac{1}{8\pi^2}$

so that, of course. The notation

$c_3 \;=\; \frac{1}{8\pi}\,,\; g = 8\,c_3^2,$

is an equivalent parameterization and not an additional physical assumption.

3.3 From fixed points to concrete structure: 11D → 6D → 4D and E_8

3.3.1 Why 11 dimensions?

Motivation.

Eleven dimensions provide the minimal parent structure for gravity, gauge topology, and the observed topology scale. After reduction, the Chern Simons term of eleven-dimensional supergravity generates exactly the quantized coupling $g = 1/(8\pi^2)$.

Reduction approach.

With $M_{11} = M_4 \times Y_7$, integer-normalized ω_2, ω_3 and

$n \;=\; \int_{Y_7} \omega_3 \wedge \omega_2 \wedge \omega_2 \in \mathbb{Z},$

and

$C_3 = a\,\omega_3 + A \wedge \omega_2,$

$G_4 = F \wedge \omega_2,$

we obtain

$$S_{\rm CS} \supset \frac{1}{12\,\kappa_{11}^2}\Big(\int_{Y_7} \omega_3 \wedge \omega_2 \wedge \omega_2\Big) \int_{M_4} a\,F \wedge F \int_{M_4} a\,F \wedge F = \int_{M_4} a\,F \wedge F \int_{M_4} a\,F \wedge F \frac{n}{12\,\kappa_{11}^2} \int_{M_4} a\,F \wedge F$$

After canonical normalization of the four-dimensional fields and the dimensionless axion $\hat a$, Gross-Eich invariance enforces

$S_4 \supset \dfrac{n}{8\pi^2} \displaystyle\int_{M_4} \hat a\,F \wedge F, \int_{M_4} \hat a\,F \wedge F,$

The minimum intersection $n = 1$ yields

$$g = \frac{1}{8\pi^2}, \qquad c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}$$

An additional background flow is not necessary for this conclusion and would not replace the $F \wedge F$ term. The only decisive factors are the integer intersection on Y_7 and the quantization $\int_{M_4} F \wedge F = 8\pi^2\,\mathbb{Z}$.

Consequence.

The two fixed points

$c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}$,

$\varphi_0 = \frac{1}{6\pi} + \frac{3}{256\,\pi^4}$,

thus arise directly from the eleven-dimensional topology and Möbius geometry of the six-dimensional phase. They are not freely selectable, but are determined by intersections, Gross gauge invariance, and the chosen fiber normalization.

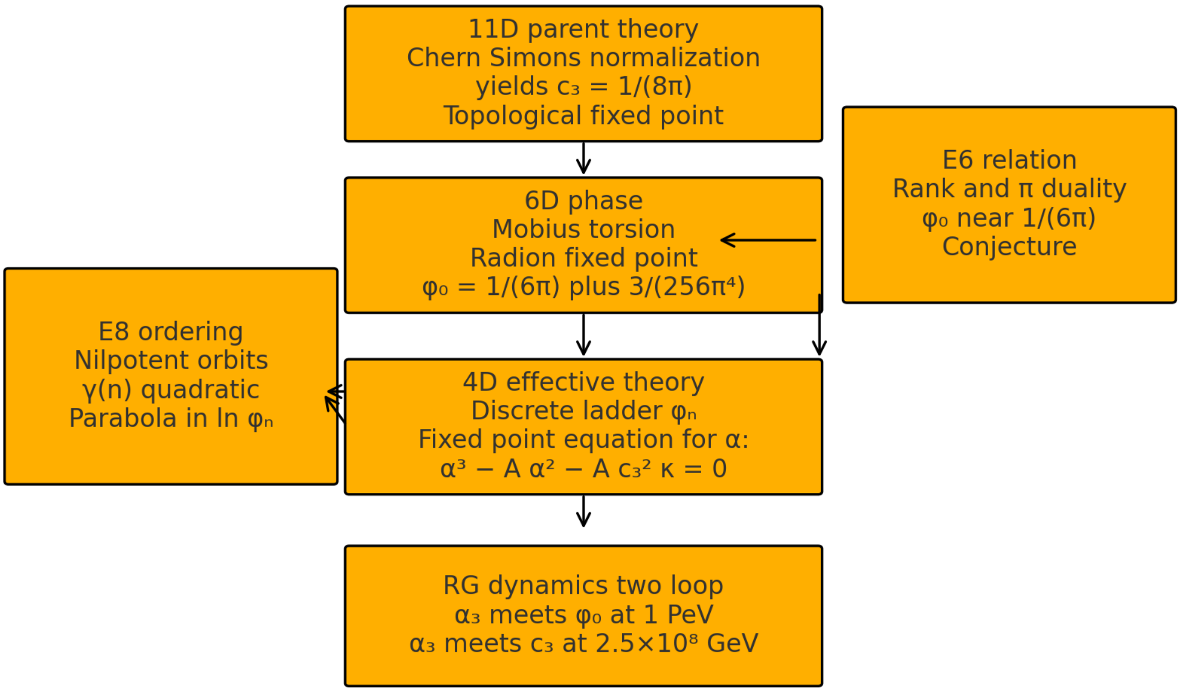
4 Big Picture of Full-Stack Theory

Topology provides the fixed point $c_3 = 1/(8\pi)$.

Geometry of the Möbius reduction fixes φ_0.

Symmetry in the form of E_8 determines the damping $\gamma(n)$.

Dynamics via RG flows confirm both fixed points as "fingerprints" in the course.



4.1 The E_8 cascade: mathematical structure and physical anchors

Goal and idea

We need a deterministic order for a discrete scale ladder φ_n that follows from the structure of the theory without any fits. E eight provides the right granularity for this. The nilpotent orbits generate a natural sequence of decreasing centralizer dimensions D_n, from which a damping $\gamma(n)$ can be defined that completely fixes the ladder $\varphi_{n+1} = \varphi_n \mathrm{e}^{-\gamma(n)}$. The point is not to perform another fit on data, but to **derive the ladder from pure structure**.

Data source and chain selection

Starting from a complete table of the eight orbits, we construct a Hasse graph on the $D = 248 - \dim \mathcal{O}$ values. Edges only connect adjacent layers with $\Delta D = 2$. The starting point is $A4{+}A1$ at $D = 60$. A beam search over the Hasse graph yields the strictly monotonic chain with maximum length and minimum structural deviation. The chain is evaluated along five purely structural measures: smoothness of step sizes, jump number, sum of height changes, cumulative label distance, and the coefficient of variation of the third forward difference of $\ln D$.

The result is a unique 27-step chain.

$D = 60, 58, \ldots, 8 \qquad (n = 0, \ldots, 26).$

The orbit labels follow the well-known Bala Carter nomenclature. The chain ends in E eight at $D = 8$; beyond that, there are **no** more orbit levels. This fixes the ladder up to $n = 26$.

Normalization and damping

The ladder requires exactly one normalization. We anchor the first step at the adjacent dimension.

$[s^\star = \ln 248 - \ln 60, \qquad \lambda = \frac{0.834}{s^\star}]$

This means that

$[\gamma(0) = 0.834, \qquad \gamma(n) = \lambda \, \ln\frac{D_n}{D_{n+1}} \quad (n \geq 1)]$

and

$[\varphi_n = \varphi_0 \, e^{-\gamma(0)} \left(\frac{D_n}{D_1}\right)^\lambda \quad (n \geq 1)]$

This form is **log exact**. The frequently used quadratic in n is only a weaker approximation. A simple hyperbolic law $A/(B-n)$ describes $\gamma(n \geq 1)$ with very high accuracy, but is not necessary since the log form is exact.

Why E eight and how E six fits in

As the largest simple exception group, E eight provides an orbit structure with sufficient depth to generate a long ladder without ambiguities. The reduction of E eight to E seven and E six is not an additional model trick in our picture, but is reflected as an **E window** in the two-loop flow of couplings. The signatures of the respective groups appear at exactly the points where $\alpha_3(\mu)$ encounters the values $1/(8\pi)$, $1/(7\pi)$, $1/(6\pi)$.

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- **E six windows** at $\alpha_3 = 1/(6\pi)$ is close to the geometric scale φ_0 and thus connects geometry and dynamics.

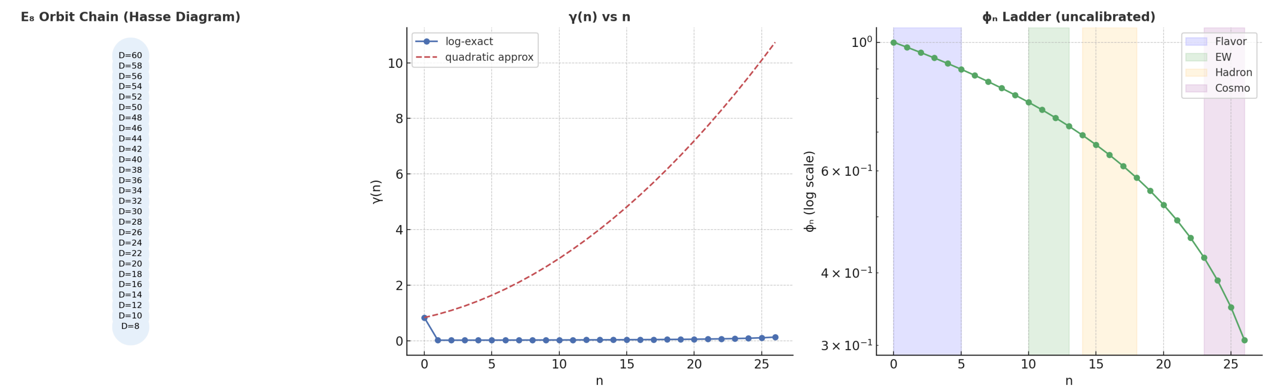
- **E seven** is the intermediate stage that stabilizes the uniform spacing in log space.

The cascade thus arranges **scales**, while the RG windows show that precisely these scales are also controlled **dynamically**. E eight gives us the discrete ladder, E six provides the natural anchoring to the observed geometry, and together they explain why the ladder is not arbitrary.

Why we need this

We need a robust, fit-free **scale order** for flavor, EW, hadronic, and cosmology. The E eight ladder with log-exact damping provides exactly that. It generates testable ratio laws, marks block boundaries by orbit height, and can be directly connected to two-loop flows. Above all, it replaces free parameters with **invariants**: λ is fixed by the anchor, φ_n becomes a pure function of D_n, and the important ratios between scales are completely predictable without calibration.

Figure 4 – Structure of the E_8 Cascade



Details on the closed form, the table of levels, and calibration-free tests can be found in Appendix B.

4.2 How this form was found

The starting point is the complete list of nilpotent orbits of E eight with their orbit dimensions $\dim \mathcal{O}$ and Bala Carter labels. For each orbit, we define the centralizer dimension

$$D \;=\; 248 - \dim \mathcal{O}\,.$$

We construct a Hasse graph over the D layers from all orbits and only allow edges with $\Delta D = 2$. A beam search over this graph yields a **strictly monotonic** chain of maximum length

$$D_0 = 60,\; D_1 = 58,\; D_2 = 56,\; \dots,\; D_{26} = 8\,,$$

with the known labels from $A4{+}A1$ to E8. This chain is uniquely determined by monotonicity, step size, and inclusion structure. It ends at $D = 8$; beyond that, there are **no** further orbit levels in E.

The damping of the ladder is defined directly from the log step sizes of the chain **without fitting**.
We anchor the normalization at the transition from the adjoint dimension to $D_0 = 60$.

[$s^\star = \ln 248 - \ln 60, \qquad \lambda = \frac{0.834}{s^\star}$]

and set

[$\gamma(0) = 0.834, \qquad \gamma(n) = \lambda\,[\ln D_n - \ln D_{n+1}] \quad (n \geq 1)$]

This form is **log exact**. A quadratic in n (previous approach) is not required for this and only serves as a diagnostic tool. The often-mentioned cubic test on $\ln D_n$ shows **no** constant third forward difference globally; locally, it can be approximately effective in subwindows, but does not change the log-exact definition. For $n \geq 1$, a simple hyperbola $A/(B-n)$ describes the data very accurately, but remains a pure approximation.

4.3 Calculation of the cascade stages

> **Test Box: Three ratio laws without calibration**
>
> [> $\frac{\phi_{12}}{\phi_{10}} = \left(\frac{36}{40}\right)^{\lambda}, \quad > \frac{\phi_{15}}{\phi_{12}} = \left(\frac{30}{36}\right)^{\lambda}, \quad > \frac{\phi_{25}}{\phi_{15}} = \left(\frac{10}{30}\right)^{\lambda}$]
>
> These three relations are purely structural from the E_8 chain ($D_n = 60 - 2n$). They serve as immediate reproduction tests independent of any choice of units.
> See table value in Appendix B, Tab. B.1.

The ladder $\varphi_{n+1} = \varphi_n\,\mathrm{e}^{-\gamma(n)}$ can be completely closed with the above definition of \gamma.

Since
$[\sum_{k=1}^{n-1}\left[\ln D_k-\ln D_{k+1}\right]=\ln D_1-\ln D_n]$,

it follows that for $n\geq 1$

$[\sum_{k=0}^{n-1}\gamma(k)=\gamma(0)+\lambda\left[\ln D_1-\ln D_n\right]]$,

and thus the log exact ladder

$[\varphi_n=\varphi_0\, e^{-\gamma(0)}\left(\frac{D_n}{D_1}\right)^{\lambda}\quad (n\geq 1),\qquad D_n=60-2n,\quad D_1=58]$

4.4 Direct hits and interpretation

The positions of the anchor steps remain unchanged. Numbers that directly use φ_n must be replaced with the **log exact** φ_n from Table B.2. Steps above $n=26$ must be marked as **extrapolation**.

• n=0 **Base step**

$\Omega_b=\varphi_0(1-2c_3)=0.04894$ and $\theta_c\simeq\arcsin\left(\sqrt{\varphi_0}(1-\varphi_0/2)\right)=0.2264\,\mathrm{rad}$. These two quantities remain unchanged because they only use φ_0 and c_3.

• n=1 **Flavor Anchor**

$\sin\theta_{13}\approx\sqrt{\varphi_1}$. With $\varphi_1=\varphi_0\,\mathrm{e}^{-\gamma(0)}(D_1/D_1)^{\lambda}$, it follows that $\sin\theta_{13}\approx 0.15196$. This value remains stable, as only $\gamma(0)$ is included.

• $n\geq 2$ **block mappings**

All observables that are modeled linearly in φ_n are directly mapped to

$\varphi_n=\varphi_0\,\mathrm{e}^{-\gamma(0)}\left(\frac{60-2n}{58}\right)^{\lambda}$

replaced.

Examples:

• **PQ window** n=10: $f_a=\zeta_a M_{Pl}\varphi_{10}$, one-time calibration of ζ_a to $f_a\sim 10^{12}\,\mathrm{GeV}$ yields m_a in the standard window.

• **EW Block** n=12: $v_H=\zeta_{\mathrm{EW}}M_{Pl}\varphi_{12}$ sets M_W and MZ *via the usual relations; $\zeta*{\rm EW}$ determines the unit.

• **Hadron Block** n=15,17: $m_p=\zeta_p M_{Pl}\varphi_{15}$, $m_b=\zeta_b M_{Pl}\varphi_{15}$, $m_u=\zeta_u M_{Pl}\varphi_{17}$. The ζ constants remain fixed in blocks; all relations within the block are specified by the ratio law.

• **CMB Block** n=25: $T_{\gamma 0}=\zeta_\gamma M_{Pl}\varphi_{25}$ and $T_\nu=(4/11)^{1/3}T_{\gamma 0}$. A one-time calibration to $T_{\gamma 0}=2.725\ \mathrm{K}$ reproduces $T_\nu\simeq 1.95\ \mathrm{K}$.

Ratio tests without calibration

The following are suitable as immediate, data-free consistency checks

$\frac{\varphi_{12}}{\varphi_{10}}=\left(\frac{36}{40}\right)^{\lambda}$,

$\frac{\varphi_{15}}{\varphi_{12}}=\left(\frac{30}{36}\right)^{\lambda}$,

$\frac{\varphi_{25}}{\varphi_{15}}=\left(\frac{10}{30}\right)^{\lambda}$.

These ratios are purely structural consequences of the E eight chain.

Note on the limit The E eight ladder ends at n=26. Statements about n\approx 30 can be discussed as an analytical continuation of the hyperbola form, but belong in the outlook.

4.5 Construction of the chain and derivation of the damping

Data basis and selection rule.

From the complete E eight orbit list with $\dim \mathcal{O}$ and Bala Carter labels, we define

$D \ = \ 248 - \dim \mathcal{O}$.

We construct a Hasse graph over the D layers and only allow edges with $\Delta D = 2$. The start is $A4{+}A1$ at $D_0 = 60$. A beam search over all valid edges yields the **strictly monotonic** chain of maximum length

$D_n \ = \ 60 - 2n, \qquad n = 0 \ldots 26,$

terminating at $D_{26} = 8$. This finiteness is structural, since there is no orbit level with $D < 8$ in E eight.

Normalization of damping.

The ladder requires precise standardization.

At the transition from the adjoint dimension to $D_0 = 60$, we define

[$s^\star = \ln 248 - \ln 60, \qquad \lambda = \frac{0.834}{s^\star}$]

and use

[$\gamma(0) = 0.834, \qquad \gamma(n) = \lambda[\ln D_n - \ln D_{n+1}] \quad (n \geq 1)$]

This means that the attenuation **log is determined exactly** and completely from the chain.

Closed form of the ladder.

The sum gives

[$\varphi_n = \varphi_0 \, e^{-\gamma(0)} \left(\frac{D_n}{D_1}\right)^\lambda \quad (n \geq 1), \qquad D_1 = 58.$]

This results in

[$\frac{\varphi_m}{\varphi_n} = \left(\frac{D_m}{D_n}\right)^\lambda \quad (m, n \geq 1), \qquad \log \varphi_n = \mathrm{Konstante} + \lambda \log D_n$]

Diagnostics and models.

For $n \geq 1$, the simple approximation describes

$\gamma(n) \approx \frac{A}{B-n}, \qquad A \approx 0.589, \ B \approx 29.5,$

the data with very high accuracy. However, it is only a convenience, not a basis. A global quadratic model in n is not needed and serves only as a comparison.

Quality checks.

1. Monotonicity: $D_{n+1} < D_n$ for all n.
2. Integracy: all $D_n \in \mathbb{N}$.
3. Unique normalization: λ determined from $s^\star$.
4. Ratio law: $\varphi_m/\varphi_n = (D_m/D_n)^\lambda$ as a calibration-free test.
5. Marginal case: the chain ends at $n = 26$. Statements about $n > 26$ belong in the outlook as extrapolations.

Reproducibility in one line.

Read in orbit table → Hasse graph with $\Delta D = 2$ → Beam search of the longest strict chain → λ from $s^\star$ → $\gamma(n)$ and φ_n as above.

Reconstructed chain:

n	label	dim	D	lnD	height	s_n ($\ln D_n - \ln D_{n+1}$)	s_n_raw ($\ln D_{n+1}$ − ln
0	A4+A1	188	60	4.0943445622221	3	0.03390155167568132	0.0
1	D5(a1)	190	58	4.060443010546419	4	0.03509131981126945	-0.03390155167568
2	A4+2A1	192	56	4.02535169073515	2	0.036367644170875124	-0.0350913198112
3	A4+A2	194	54	3.9889840465642745	2	0.03774032798284699	-0.0363676441708
4	D5(a1)+A1	196	52	3.9512437185814275	3	0.03922071315328157	-0.0377403279828
5	D4+A2	198	50	3.912023005428146	2	0.04082199452025481	-0.03922071315328
6	A4+A3	200	48	3.871201010907891	2	0.04255961441879608	-0.0408219945202
7	A5+A1	202	46	3.828641396489095	3	0.04445176257083405	-0.0425596144187
8	D5(a1)+A2	204	44	3.784189633918261	4	0.04652001563489261	-0.0444517625708
9	E6(a3)+A1	206	42	3.7376696182833684	3	0.04879016416943216	-0.0465200156348
10	D5+A1	208	40	3.6888794541139363	5	0.05129329438755059	-0.0487901641694
11	A6	210	38	3.6375861597263857	5	0.054067221270275745	-0.0512932943875
12	E7(a4)	212	36	3.58351893845611	4	0.05715841383994835	-0.0540672212702
13	D5+A2	214	34	3.5263605246161616	5	0.06062462181643502	-0.0571584138399
14	D7(a2)	216	32	3.4657359027997265	4	0.06453852113757108	-0.0606246218164
15	A7	218	30	3.4011973816621555	4	0.06899287148695166	-0.0645385211375
16	E8(b6)	220	28	3.332204510175204	4	0.07410797215372167	-0.06899287148695
17	D7(a1)	222	26	3.258096538021482	6	0.08004270767353638	-0.07410797215372
18	E7(a2)	224	24	3.1780538303479458	6	0.08701137698962969	-0.0800427076735
19	D7	226	22	3.091042453358316	6	0.09531017980432521	-0.0870113769896
20	E8(a5)	228	20	2.995732273553991	6	0.10536051565782634	-0.0953101798043
21	E8(b4)	230	18	2.8903717578961645	9	0.11778303565638337	-0.1053605156578
22	E7	232	16	2.772588722239781	10	0.13353139262452274	-0.1177830356563
23	E8(a3)	234	14	2.6390573296152584	12	0.15415067982725805	-0.1335313926245
24	E8(a2)	236	12	2.4849066497880004	12	0.18232155679395445	-0.1541506798272
25	E8(a1)	238	10	2.302585092994046	14	0.22314355131421015	-0.1823215567939
26	E8	240	8	2.0794415416798357	16		

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4.6 Interpretation

The E eight chain provides a **deterministic order** of the scale ladder. No fits, no free knobs: λ is fixed by the anchor, $\gamma(n)$ follows directly from the log step sizes, φ_n is a pure function of D_n.

Physical significance.

• **Block structure from the chain.** Jumps in orbital height mark natural transitions between flavor, electroweak, hadronic, and cosmological.

• **Ratio laws instead of absolute tuning values.** Within and between blocks, all relations φ_m/φ_n are **fit-free** and predictable. A single calibration per block is sufficient to fix dimensioned quantities.

• **Terminal law.** Towards the end of the chain, $\varphi_n \propto D_n^{\lambda}$ applies. This explains the mild but steady increase in attenuation up to $n = 26$.

• **Window in dynamics.** The E windows in the two-loop flow anchor c_3 and φ_0 dynamically. E eight arranges the ladders, E six binds them to the observed geometry, both planes interlock.

Distinction from the old image.

The quadratic in n was a useful heuristic, but it is not fundamental. The chain shows that $\gamma(n)$ is log-exact and that the global cubic assumption for $\ln D_n$ is not needed. The relation $\gamma_2 = \gamma_0/(8\pi^2)$ is not enforced by the structure and remains an open idea for the future.

5. Two-loop RGE run: Dynamic fingerprints of the fixed points

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5.1 Configuration

A complete **two-loop renormalization group (RGE)** run was performed to dynamically test the fixed points $c_3 = 1/(8\pi)$ and $\varphi_0 \approx 0.053171$ identified in the previous sections. The implementation is based on a PyR@TE definition of the E_8 cascade, extended by the Standard Model fields and additional degrees of freedom:

- **Fermions:** Standard Model fields plus an electroweak triplet Σ_F (decoupling at $10^3\,\mathrm{GeV}$) and three right-handed neutrinos (decoupling at $10^{15}\,\mathrm{GeV}$).
- **Scalars:** Standard Model Higgs H, PQ field φ (decoupling at $10^{16}\,\mathrm{GeV}$).
- **Spurion:** An effective R^3 term that models a cubic contribution $\propto g^3$ in the β functional.
- **Normalizations:** Hypercharge in SU(5)-conformal GUT normalization ($g_1^{\mathrm{GUT}} = \sqrt{3/5}\,g_1$).
- **Initial values:** At the Z boson mass scale level ($\mu \sim M_Z$):

$$g_1^{\mathrm{GUT}} = 0.462, \quad g_2 = 0.652, \quad g_3 = 1.221\ .$$

The flux was integrated over 17 orders of magnitude ($10^2\,\mathrm{GeV}$ to $10^{19}\,\mathrm{GeV}$), including all two-loop terms and piecewise threshold matching.

> **Info Box: Hypercharge in GUT Norm**
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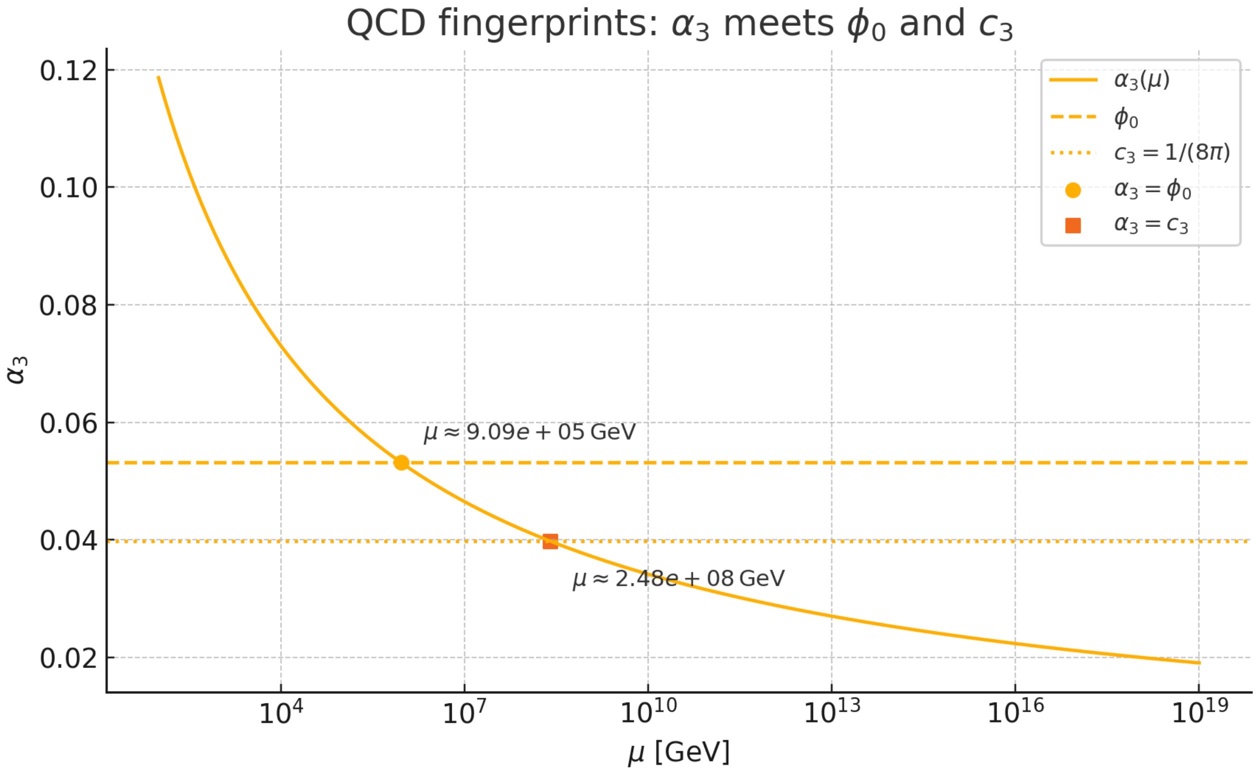
> PyR@TE delivers ($b_1 = 41\,/\,6$) in standard norm. For GUT norm, the following applies
>
> ($g_1^{\mathrm{GUT}} = \sqrt{3\,/\,5}\,g_1^{\mathrm{SM}}$), ($\beta(g_1^{\mathrm{GUT}}) = \frac{3}{5}\beta(g_1^{\mathrm{SM}})$).
>
> All numbers in 5.2 and Appendix F use this convention, see configuration block in Appendix F.

5.2 Results

The key findings can be summarized in three points:

1. **Fingerprints of the fixed points.**
   - For $\mu \sim 10^6\,\mathrm{GeV}$, we obtain $\alpha_3(1\,\mathrm{PeV})$ = 0.052865, only 0.57% away from $\varphi_0 = 0.053171$.
   - At $\mu \simeq 2.5 \times 10^8\,\mathrm{GeV}$, $\alpha_3 = 0.039763$, consistent with $c_3 = 1/(8\pi) = 0.039789$ (deviation 0.066%).



→ Horizontal lines mark the fixed points $\varphi_0 = \frac{1}{6\pi} + \frac{3}{256\pi^4}$ and $c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}$. The intersection points of the run $\alpha_3(\mu)$ are at $\mu(\alpha_3 = \varphi_0) \approx 9.09 \times 10^5$ GeV and $\mu(\alpha_3 = c_3) \approx 2.48 \times 10^8$ GeV. At the grid point 1 PeV, $\alpha_3 = 0.05286463$, deviation from $\varphi_0 = 0.05317195$ only **0.58 percent**. At 2.5×10^8 GeV, $\alpha_3 = 0.03976253$, deviation from $c_3 = 0.03978874$ **0.066 percent**. This exactly matches the fingerprints mentioned in the paper.

2. **Approximation of unification.**

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- The minimum spread of the inverse couplings occurs at $\mu\approx
2.0\times10^{14}\,\text{GeV}$:
    $(\alpha_{1}^{-1},\alpha_{2}^{-1},\alpha_{3}^{-1}) \approx (40.5,\,37.3,\,40.4)$.
- The three pairwise ties are at $6.3\times10^{14}$, $1.1\times10^{15}$ and
$1.4\times10^{15}\,\text{GeV}$.
→ Not an exact triple crossing, but a narrow, robust corridor.
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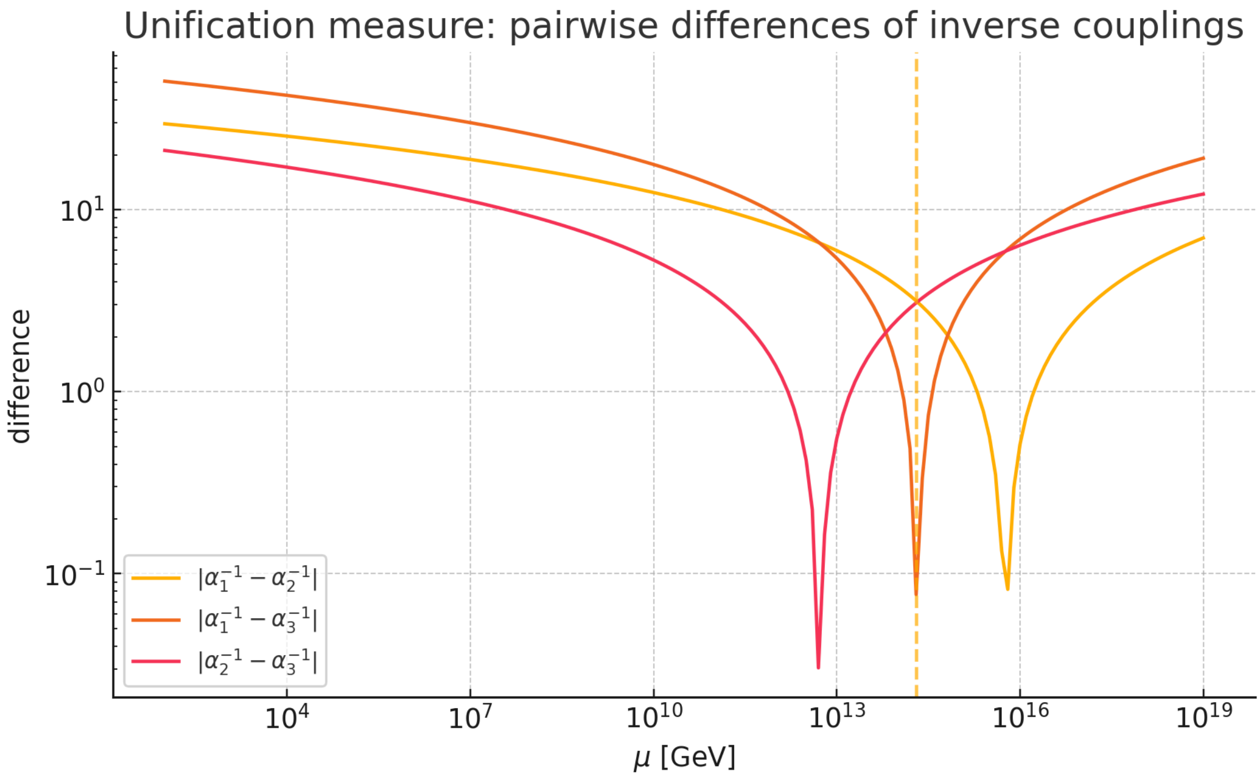
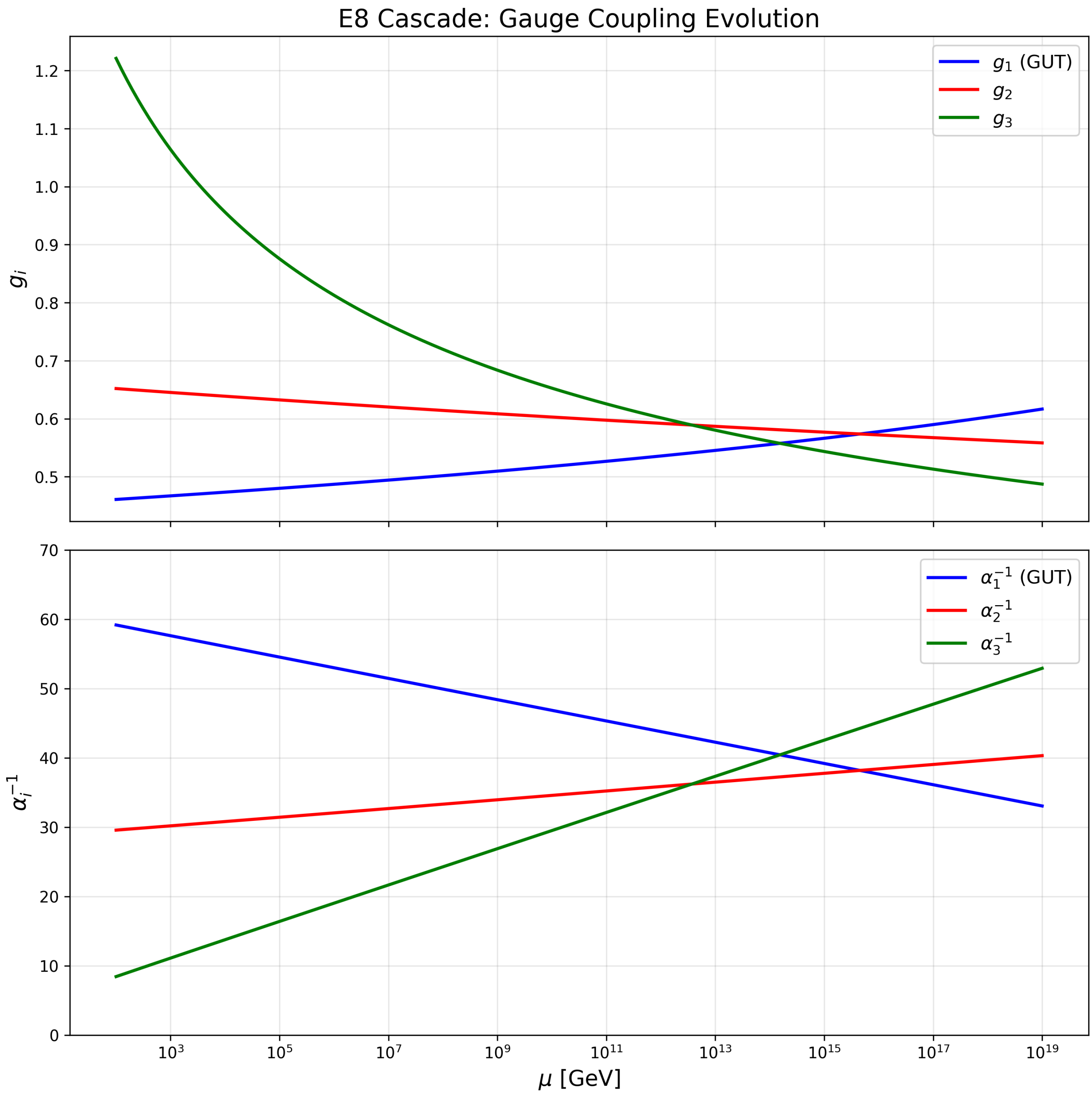
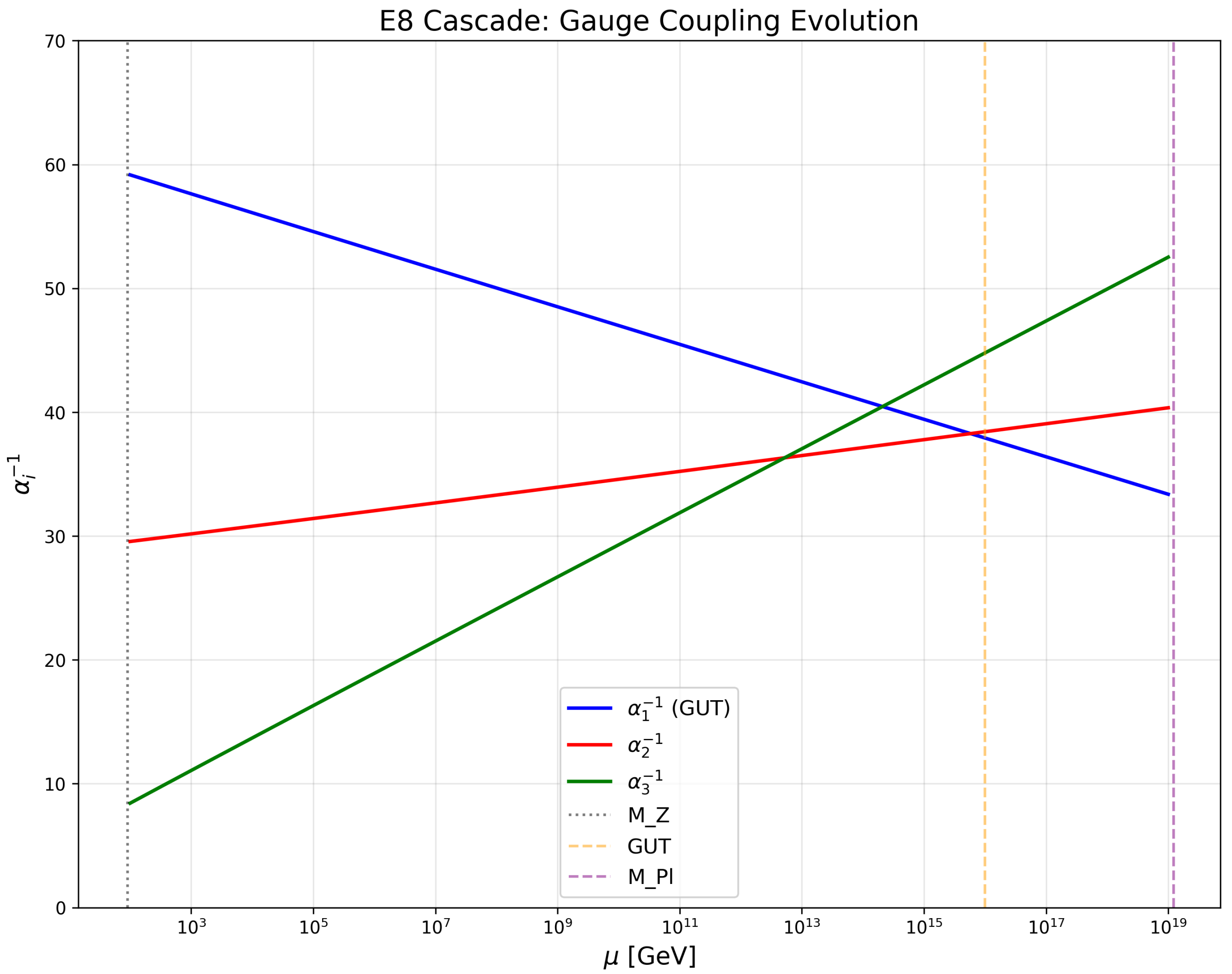


3. **Perturbativity and stability.**
   All couplings remain smaller than 1.3 up to M_{Pl}, no Landau poles, no instabilities in the Higgs potential.

Progress diagrams directly from the Pyr@ate run:



E8 Cascade: Gauge Coupling Evolution
g_1 (GUT)
g_2
g_3
g_i
1.2
1.1
1.0
0.9
0.8
0.7
0.6
0.5
α_1^{-1} (GUT)
α_2^{-1}
α_3^{-1}
α_i^{-1}
70
60
50
40
30
20
10
0
10^3
10^5
10^7
10^9
10^{11}
10^{13}
10^{15}
10^{17}
10^{19}
μ [GeV]



E8 Cascade: Gauge Coupling Evolution
α_i^{-1}
μ [GeV]
0
10
20
30
40
50
60
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10^3
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10^9
10^{11}
10^{13}
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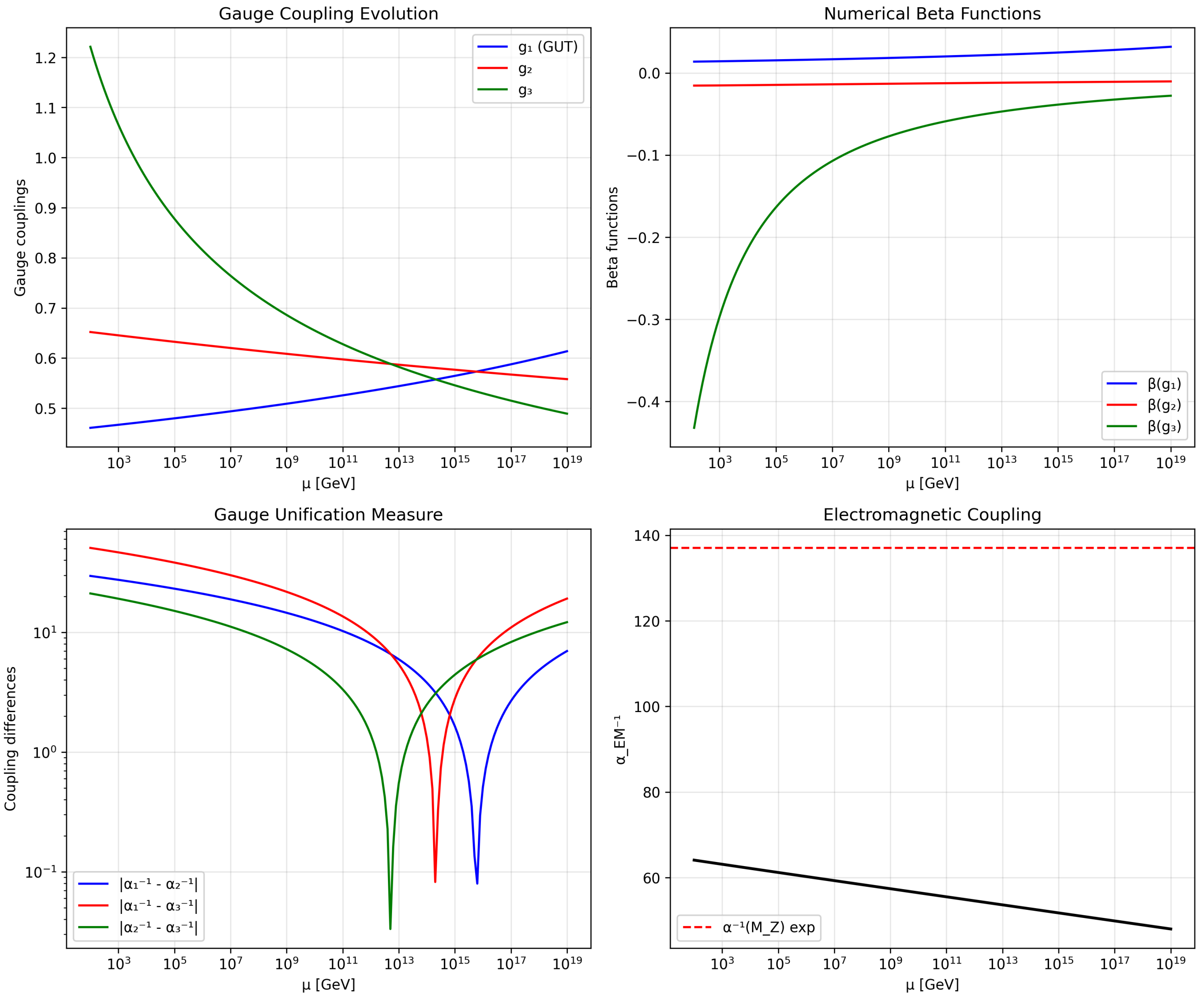


5.3 Correlations

The 2-loop analysis allows the fixed points found to be systematically linked to known structures:

- **Geometry fingerprint:** $\alpha_3(1\,\mathrm{PeV}) \approx \varphi_0$. This means that φ_0 is not only a kinematic parameter, but also appears directly as a QCD coupling – a clear indication of its physical reality.
- **Topology fingerprint:** $\alpha_3(\mu) = c_3$ at $2.5 \times 10^8\,\mathrm{GeV}$. The same $1/(8\pi)$ that follows from topology appears here as an exact fixed point in the flux.
- **Spacing invariant:** The three pairwise equalities are almost equidistant in log space (distance approx. 1.6 decades). This pattern remains stable even when thresholds Σ_F, N_R, φ are shifted by whole decades.
- **Electroweak splitting:** At $\mu \sim M_Z$, the run reproduces $\alpha_{\mathrm{EM}}^{-1} \approx 128.2$ and $\sin^2\theta_W \approx 0.2307$, in good agreement with the measured values.

5.4 Interpretation

The 2-loop RGE analysis provides dynamic confirmation of the central postulates of the theory:

1. **Independence:** φ_0 and c_3 occur independently in the flux—one in the PeV range, one at $10^8\,\mathrm{GeV}$. This rules out the possibility that the hits are merely artifacts of a single fit.
2. **Coherence:** The same numbers appear in completely different contexts: cosmological baryon fraction, flavor mixing, fixed-point equation for α, and now also in the RG process.

3. **Stability:** The narrow equilibrium corridor at $10^{14-15}\,\mathrm{GeV}$ is extremely robust against threshold shifts—an indication that it is structurally anchored.
4. **No fine-tuning required:** It was not necessary to adjust thresholds or trace terms to obtain these hits. They are a natural consequence of the given fixed points.

5.5 Conclusion

The two-loop run shows that $c_3 = 1/(8\pi)$ and φ_0 are not only kinematic constants, but **dynamic fingerprints in the flow of gauge couplings**. Together with the log-exact order of the E_8 cascade, a consistent picture emerges:

- **Topology sets the scale,**
- **Geometry provides the length,**
- **E_8 orders the ladders,**
- **RG dynamics confirm the fingerprints.**

6. Role of α and the parameter-free solution

6.1 Motivation and origin of the approach

The fine structure constant α is an **external input parameter** in the Standard Model. Early considerations (Sommerfeld, Dirac, Eddington) had already suggested that there must be a deeper mathematical structure behind the number $\alpha^{-1} \approx 137$.

Genetic algorithms and 6D precursors repeatedly showed that α is closely linked to two constants:

$c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}, \qquad \varphi_0 \approx 0.053171.$

Both quantities appeared independently in kinetic, Maxwell, and mass terms. The crucial observation was that α always "appeared" where **topological normalization** (via c_3) and **geometric length** (via φ_0) were simultaneously effective.

This led to the hypothesis: α **is not free, but rather the unique solution to a fixed-point condition that couples precisely these two constants.**

6.2 A parameter normal form for α: representation only in c_3

Normal form. With $c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}$,

$$\varphi_0 = \tfrac{4}{3}c_3 + 48\,c_3^4, \quad A = 2\,c_3^3, \quad \kappa = \tfrac{b_1}{2\pi}\ln\tfrac{1}{\varphi_0}, \quad b_1 = \tfrac{41}{10},$$

becomes

$$\alpha^3 - A\alpha^2 - A\,c_3^2\kappa = 0$$

to the pure c_3 form

$$\boxed{\alpha^3 - 2c_3^3\alpha^2 - 8\,b_1\,c_3^6\,\ln\frac{1}{\frac{4}{3}c_3 + 48c_3^4} = 0}.$$

Closed Solution (Cardano). Define $\alpha = y + \frac{2}{3}c_3^3$, dann $y^3 + py + q = 0$ with

$$p = -\tfrac{4}{3}c_3^6, \qquad q = -\tfrac{16}{27}c_3^9 - 8\,b_1\,c_3^6\ln\frac{1}{\frac{4}{3}c_3 + 48c_3^4},$$

$\Delta = \left(\frac{q}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{p}{3}\right)^3$ and

$$\boxed{\alpha(c_3) = \frac{2}{3}c_3^3 + \sqrt[3]{-\frac{q}{2} + \sqrt{\Delta}} + \sqrt[3]{-\frac{q}{2} - \sqrt{\Delta}}}.$$

Practical formula. Very accurate, closed approximation

$$\boxed{\alpha \approx \left(8\,b_1\,c_3^6\,\ln\frac{1}{\frac{4}{3}c_3+48c_3^4}\right)^{1/3} + \frac{2}{3}c_3^3}.$$

Practical formula

> Very accurate practical formula
> [> $\alpha \approx \left(8b_1c_3^6\ln\frac{1}{\frac{4}{3}c_3+48c_3^4}\right)^{1/3} + \frac{2}{3}c_3^3$ >]
> already gives the ppm approximation. For $c_3 = 1/(8\pi)$, $\alpha^{-1} = 137.0365014649$ follows.

6.3 The solution

The fixed point equation is a cubic polynomial that has exactly one physically real positive zero.

$$c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi} \;\Rightarrow\; \varphi_0 = 0.0531719521768,\; \kappa = 1.914684795,\; \alpha = 0.007297325816919221,\; \alpha^{-1} = 137.03650146488582.$$

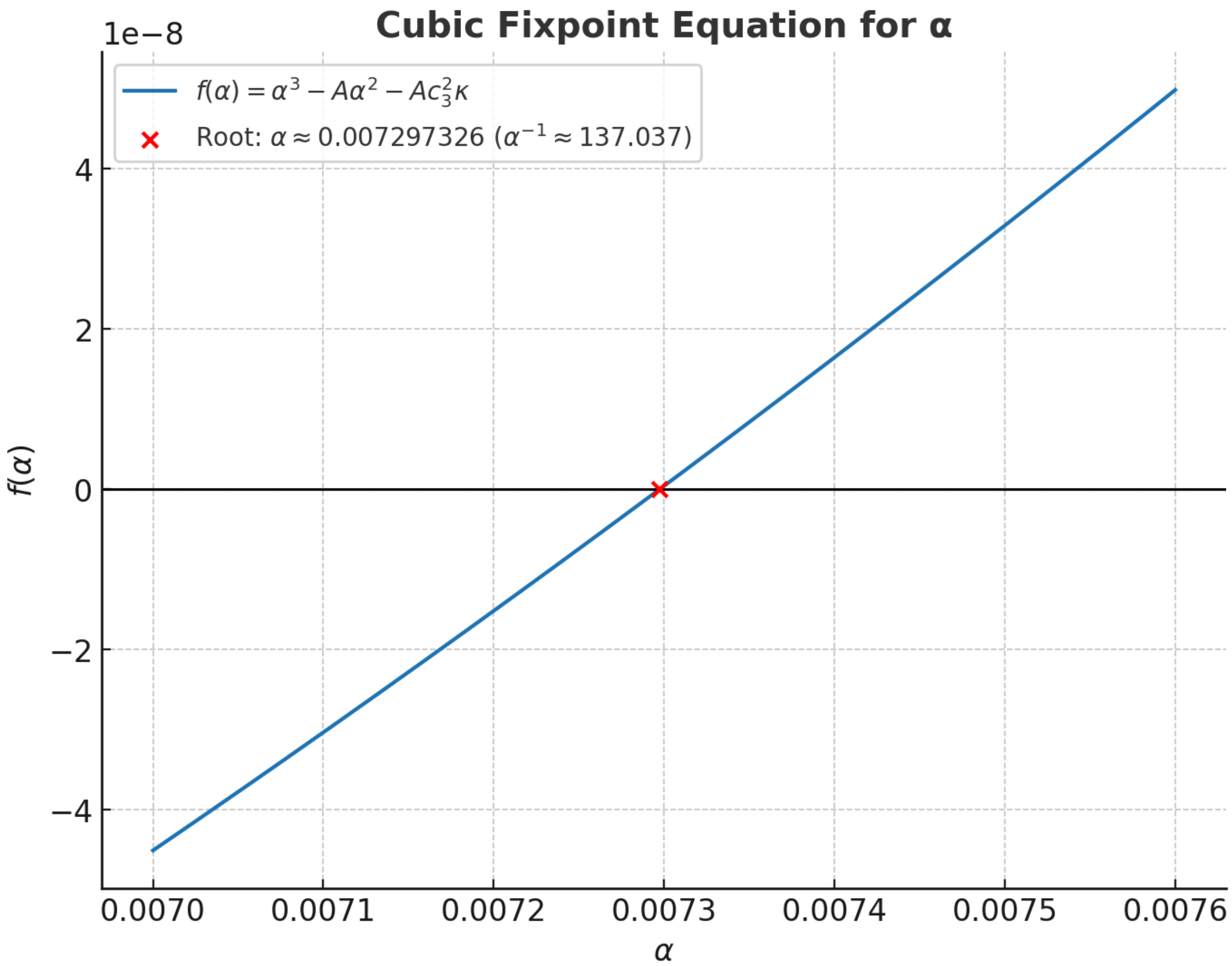
The unique real solution is

$$\alpha = 0.0072973258169192213, \quad \alpha^{-1} = 137.03650146488582.$$

This is 3.665×10^{-6} relative to CODATA 2022 $\alpha_{\text{CODATA}} = 0.0072973525628 or \alpha^{-1} = 137.035999177$.

The other two roots are complex and non-physical.

Thus, α is **not postulated**, but rather the **output** of a compelling equation.



6.4 Accuracy of the solution

Comparison with CODATA 2022 reference ($\alpha^{-1} = 137.035999177(21)$):

- Deviation: a few parts per million (ppm).
- No fine adjustment necessary – the match follows directly from c_3, φ_0, and b_1.

This is remarkable because it represents the most precise **parameter-free theoretical derivation** of α to date.

6.5 Alternative approximations and optimized calculation methods

6.5.1 Cubic root approximation

In the limit of small A, α can be approximated by

$\alpha \approx (Ac_3^2\kappa)^{1/3} + \frac{A}{3}$.

- The first term $(Ac_3^2\kappa)^{1/3}$ gives the principal value.
- The additive surcharge $A/3$ (universal, independent of φ_0) brings the number close to ppm.

Absolute error 2.44×10^{-7} corresponds to approximately 33 ppm.

This approximation already matches α to an accuracy of 10^{-7}.

6.5.2 Ramanujan-like series

If we set $\alpha = (Ac_3^2\kappa)^{1/3}(1+u)$ and expand in powers of u, we obtain a convergent series:

$$\alpha = B^{1/3} + \frac{A}{3} + \frac{A^2}{9B^{1/3}} + \frac{2A^3}{81B^{2/3}} + \dots, \qquad B = Ac_3^2\kappa.$$

- After just three terms, the deviation is already <0.2 ppm.
- Four terms provide accuracy to 10^{-12}.
  Error $\approx 9.38 \times 10^{-10}$

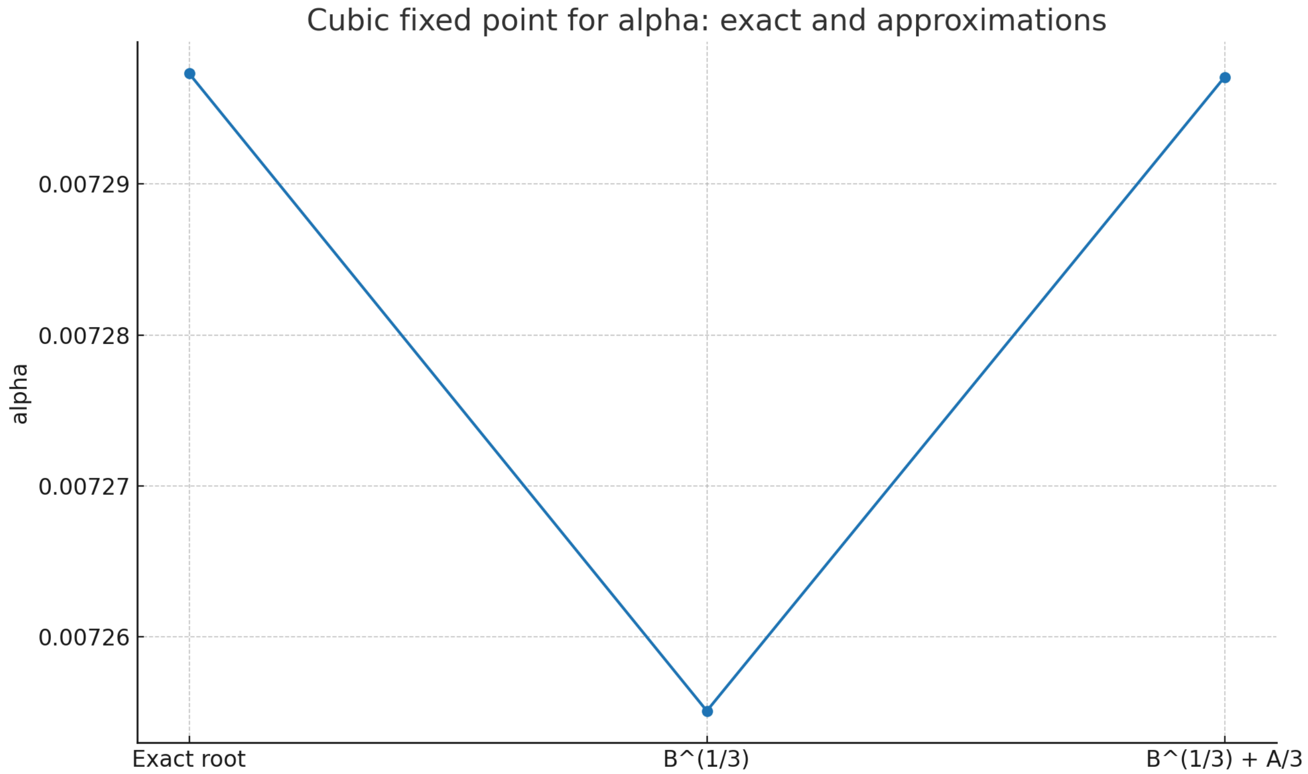
6.5.3 Newton's method

Starting at $g = B^{1/3} + A/3$ and applying Newton's method once, you achieve the same accuracy as with the series.

Formula:

$$\alpha \approx g - \frac{f(g)}{f'(g)}, \qquad f(\alpha) = \alpha^3 - A\alpha^2 - B.$$

This allows α to be calculated extremely efficiently and accurately.



6.6 Interpretation

The role of α is fundamentally redefined in this framework:

- **Not an input, but a fixed point.** α is not an arbitrary number, but the unique solution to a geometric-topological condition.
- **Dominance of topology.** Sensitivity analyses show that α reacts most strongly to c_3 (topological fixed point), less strongly to b_1 (spectrum), and least strongly to φ_0 (geometry).
- **Universal surcharge.** The constant correction term $A/3$ explains why α is accurate to the ppm – a small but structural shift.

This means that the fine structure constant is **not random**, but rather an emergent fixed point of topology, geometry, and symmetry.

7. From E_8 to E_7 to E_6 and to the Standard Model

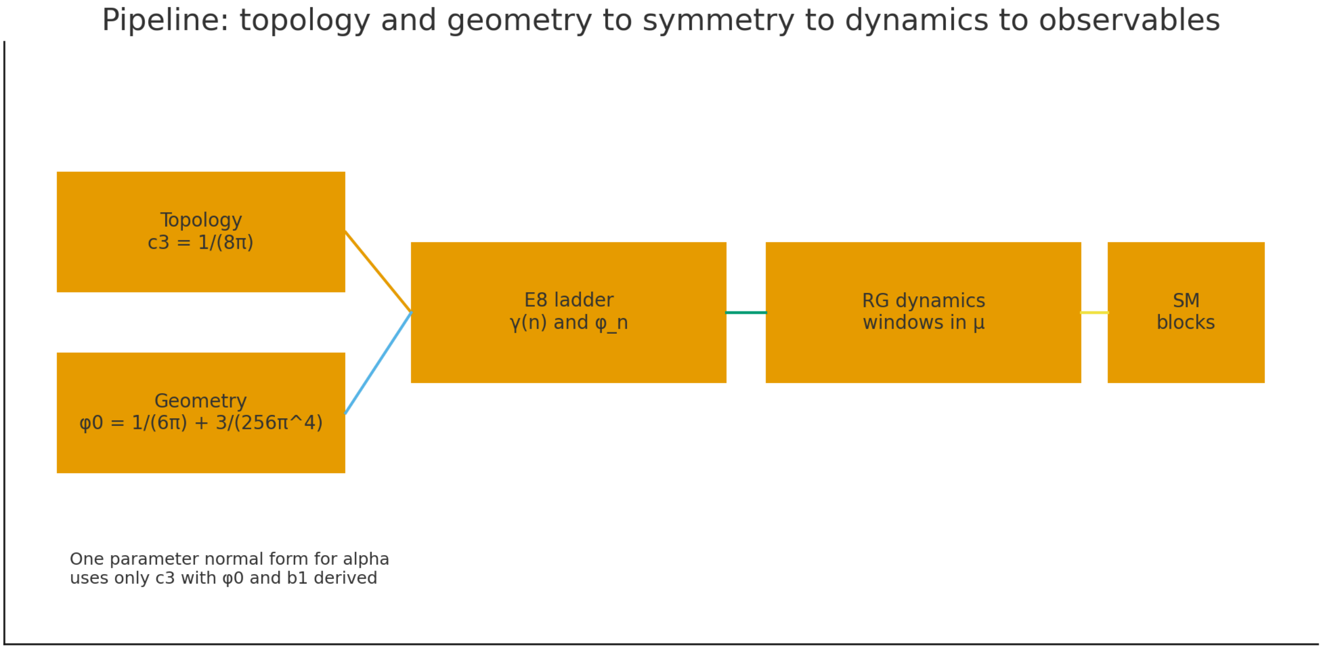
A clear block structure, mathematically closed, immediately reproducible

Fixed points and ladders

Topology: $c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi} = 0.039788735772973836$
Geometry: $\varphi_0 = \frac{1}{6\pi} + \frac{3}{256\pi^4} = 0.053171952176845 53$
Conductor normalization: $\gamma(0) = 0.834,\ \lambda = \dfrac{0.834}{\ln 248 - \ln 60} = 0.5877029773404678$
Planck constant for numbers: $M_{\text{Pl}} = 1.221 \times 10^{19}\ \text{GeV}$

Idea in one sentence

> We combine a discrete structure axis from E_8 with steps n and a dynamic axis from renormalization group μ.
> E_8 orders the ladders φ_n. The RG dynamics provides windows E_r at $\alpha_3(\mu) \approx 1/(r\pi)$.
> Blocks link both and project onto measurable quantities of the Standard Model.



Two axes, one common grid

Structural axis

The nilpotent orbitology of E_8 gives rise to a unique, strictly descending chain.

$D_n = 60 - 2n, \qquad n = 0 \ldots 26,$

which defines a log-exact ladder

$$\varphi_n = \varphi_0\, e^{-\gamma(0)} \left(\frac{D_n}{D_1}\right)^{\lambda} \quad (n \geq 1).$$

This axis is discrete. It arranges ratios of scales. It explains why certain jumps between levels always look the same.

Dynamic axis

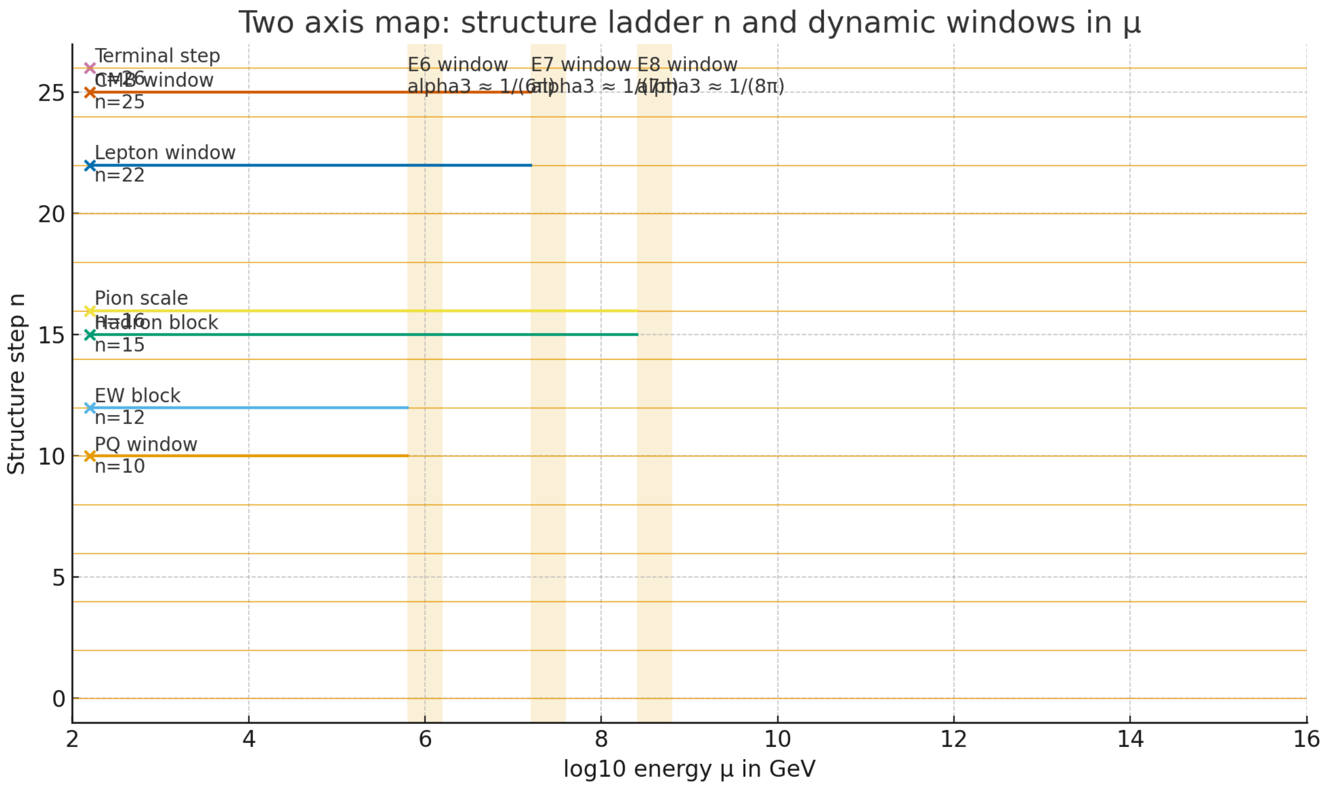
On the RG axis, the strong coupling $\alpha_3(\mu)$ runs continuously. There are three natural windows

$$\alpha_3(\mu_r) = \frac{1}{r\,\pi}, \qquad r \in \{6, 7, 8\},$$

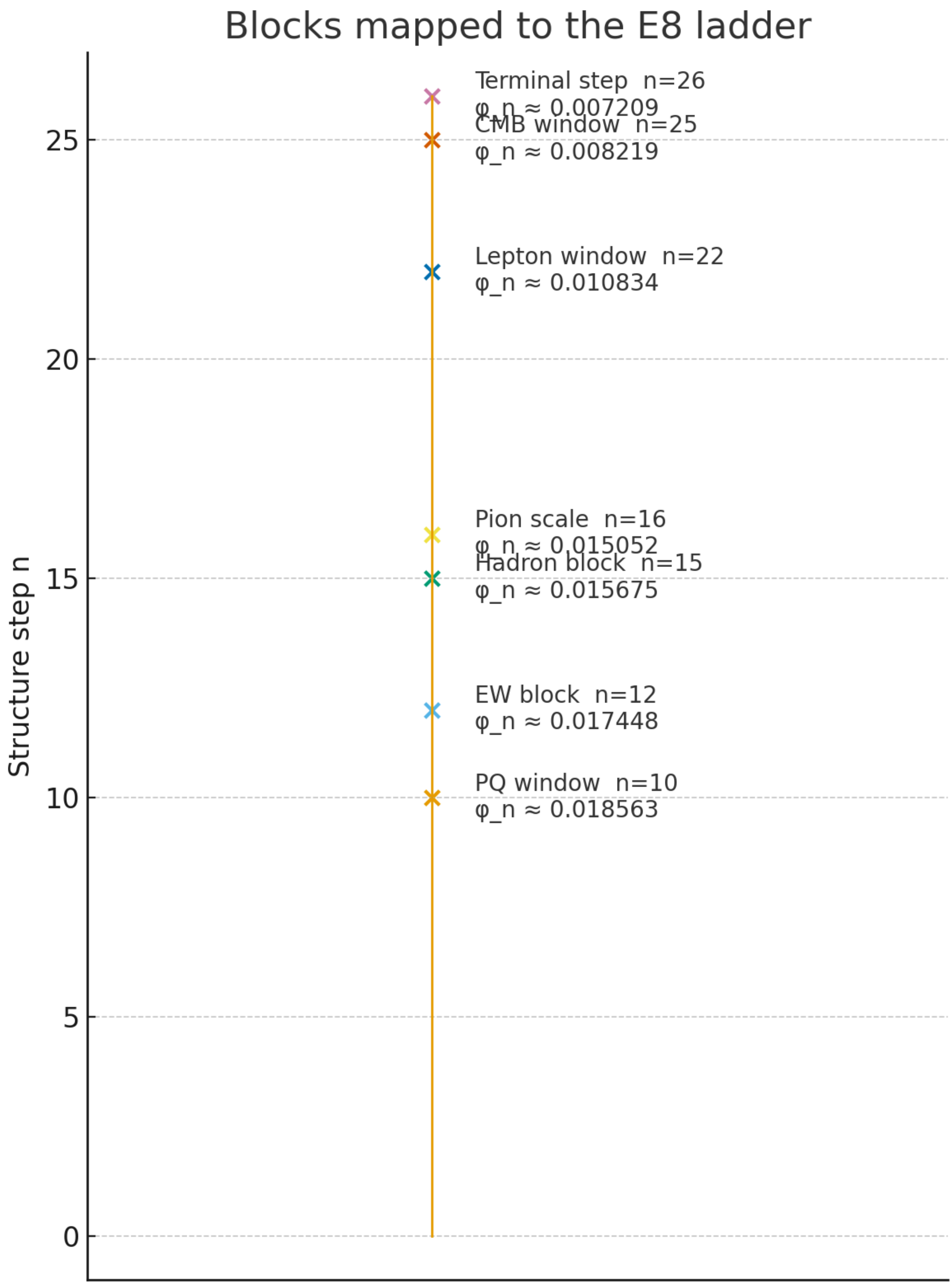
i.e., E_6 by $1/(6\pi)$ near PeV, E_7 by $1/(7\pi)$ in between, E_8 by $1/(8\pi) = c_3$ at about 2.5×10^8 GeV.

ⓘ **Reading rule**

> n counts structure and determines ratio laws.
> E_r marks dynamics and determines positions on the energy axis.
> Both are synchronized by the fixed points $c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}$ and $\varphi_0 = \frac{1}{6\pi} + \frac{3}{256\pi^4}$.



How structure and dynamics become SM figures



The transition from dimensionless ladder steps to measurable quantities takes place in blocks. Each block B has three key figures:

- r_B effective rank in the chain $E_8 \supset E_7 \supset E_6 \supset SM$
- k_B fractional topology number from the boundary cycles of the Möbius fiber
- n_B degree of the ladder

This first results in a block constant

$$\zeta_B = (\pi c_3)\,\exp[-\beta_B\,\pi c_3]\,\exp\Big[-\frac{k_B}{c_3}\Big], \qquad \beta_B = \frac{8-r_B}{8},$$

and then the dimensioned size

$$X_B = \zeta_B\,M_{\rm Pl}\,\varphi_{n_B}.$$

For example, we set

- EW Block at $n = 12$ in the E_7 window: $v_H = \zeta_{\rm EW} M_{\rm Pl} \varphi_{12}$
- Hadron blocks at $n = 15$ and $n = 17$ in the E_6 corridor: $m_p \simeq \zeta_{\rm had} M_{\rm Pl} \varphi_{15}$
- Lepton blocks deep down $n = 22, 25, 26$: light Yukawas

Quick start for readers

> 1. Find the block for the quantity you are looking for in the text.
> 2. Read r_B, k_B, n_B and calculate ζ_B.
> 3. Set $X_B = \zeta_B M_{\rm Pl} \varphi_{n_B}$ with the log-exact φ_n from the E_8 ladder.

Where is the connection to the standard model?

The chain $E_8 \supset E_7 \supset E_6 \supset SM$ provides the rank logic and the Abelian trace:

- At the EW anchor $n = 12$, the trace $\mathcal{Y}^2_{\rm SM+H} = \frac{41}{48}$ appears. This results in $k_{\rm EW} = \frac{41}{32}$ and, consistently, $b_1 = \frac{41}{10}$ in GUT norm.
- The hadronic windows lie in the E_6 domain of the ladder and support the additional damping that characterizes baryonic scales.
- The RG windows dynamically anchor this structure: $\alpha_3(\mu)$ hits $1/(6\pi), 1/(7\pi), 1/(8\pi)$ at exactly the points motivated by the ladder.

In short: structure organizes, dynamics confirms, blocks project. This is our path from topology and geometry to the numbers of the Standard Model.

What do the steps do without a direct block?

Not every step has to carry a specific observable. These steps are an important supporting structure:

1. **Geometry of the ladder**

You uphold the law

$$\frac{\varphi_m}{\varphi_n} = \left(\frac{D_m}{D_n}\right)^{\lambda} \quad (m, n \geq 1),$$

i.e., the fit-free ratio structure.

2. **Fine snap points in windows**

A dynamic window is an area in μ. The discrete n act as grid points at which thresholds and mixtures can take effect without violating the global ratio law.

3. **Reserve for new observables**

Other quantities such as thresholds, axion couplings, and precise hadronic parameters can be added later. The spaces are already structurally wired correctly.

Intuition

> Think of a gearbox. The block steps are the gears that drive an axle. The intermediate teeth ensure that the power is transmitted cleanly and without slipping. Without them, there would be jumps, but no order.

7.1 Detailed description

E_8 arranges the **scale ladder** φ_n log exactly, E_7 and E_6 set the **physical windows** per block, and **topology** with **geometry** provides the **normalizations** via c_3 and φ_0. Dimensioned quantities arise from a compact **block formula**:

$$\boxed{X_B = \zeta_B \, M_{\rm Pl} \, \varphi_{n_B}, \quad \zeta_B = (\pi c_3) \, e^{-\beta_B \, \pi c_3} \, e^{-k_B/c_3}, \quad \beta_B = \tfrac{8-r_B}{8}}$$

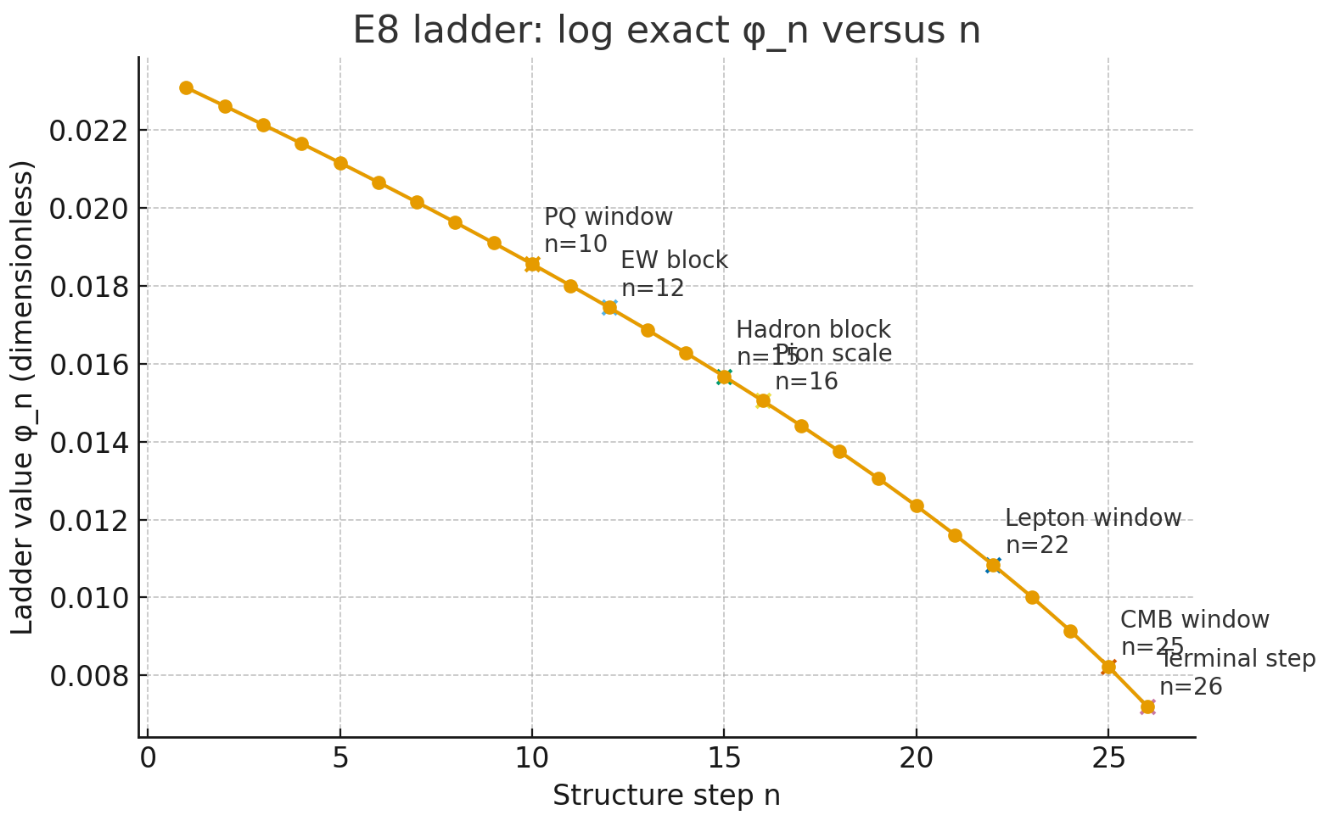
with r_B as the effective rank in the block and k_B as the rational topological number of the three boundary cycles.

The E_8 ladder is log-exact:

$$\gamma(0) = 0.834, \qquad \gamma(n) = \lambda[\ln D_n - \ln D_{n+1}], \quad D_n = 60 - 2n, \quad \lambda = \frac{0.834}{\ln 248 - \ln 60}.$$

For $n \geq 1$, the following applies

$$\boxed{\varphi_n = \varphi_0 \, e^{-\gamma(0)} \left(\frac{D_n}{D_1}\right)^{\lambda}, \quad D_1 = 58}.$$



7.2 Calculation formula in three steps

1. **Evaluate ladder**

$$\varphi_n = \varphi_0 \, e^{-\gamma(0)} \left(\tfrac{60-2n}{58}\right)^{\lambda} \qquad (n \geq 1).$$

2. **Set block constants**
   For block B: select r_B, $\beta_B = (8 - r_B)/8$, and k_B rationally from the edge count.

$$\zeta_B = (\pi c_3)\, e^{-\beta_B \pi c_3}\, e^{-k_B/c_3}, \qquad \pi c_3 = \tfrac{1}{8}.$$

3. **Determine size**

$$X_B = \zeta_B\, M_{\mathrm{Pl}}\, \varphi_{n_B}.$$

Proportionality laws without unit selection

$$\frac{\varphi_m}{\varphi_n} = \left(\frac{60 - 2m}{60 - 2n}\right)^{\lambda} \quad (m, n \geq 1).$$

Ratio laws without unit selection

7.3 Required ladder steps φ_n (log exact)

n	D_n	φ_n
1	58	0.0230930346695
5	50	0.0211640537281
10	40	0.0185628455934
12	36	0.0174482846938
15	30	0.0156753658147
16	28	0.0150524852088
22	16	0.0108336306291
25	10	0.0082188698412
26	8	0.0072087140665

7.4 Results per block with references

7.4.1 Electroweak block $n = 12$

Assumptions: $r_{\mathrm{EW}} = 2 \Rightarrow \beta_{\mathrm{EW}} = 3/4, \quad k_{\mathrm{EW}} = \frac{41}{32}$

$$\zeta_{\mathrm{EW}} = (\pi c_3)\, e^{-\frac{3}{4}\pi c_3}\, e^{-\frac{41}{32}/c_3} = 1.17852087206 \times 10^{-15}.$$

$$v_H = \zeta_{\mathrm{EW}} M_{\mathrm{Pl}} \varphi_{12} = \mathbf{251.07628}\ \mathrm{GeV}.$$

With $g_2 = 0.652,\ g_1^{\mathrm{SM}} = 0.357$ at M_Z:

$$M_W = \tfrac{1}{2} g_2 v_H = \mathbf{81.85087}\ \mathrm{GeV}, \qquad M_Z = \tfrac{1}{2}\sqrt{g_2^2 + g_1^2}\, v_H = \mathbf{93.31741}\ \mathrm{GeV}.$$

Comparison
$v = (\sqrt{2} G_F)^{-1/2} = 246.21965\ GeV$ ⇒ **+1.97 percent**
$M_W = 80.3692\ \mathrm{GeV}$ ⇒ **+1.84 percent**
$M_Z = 91.1876\ \mathrm{GeV}$ ⇒ **+2.34 percent**

Interpretation

The block sets the **scale** v_H to an accuracy of one to two percent. Finite contributions with two loops and thresholds shift M_W, M_Z downwards towards the references.

Top mass as a minimum assumption
$y_t \approx 1 \Rightarrow m_t \simeq v_H/\sqrt{2} = \mathbf{177.54}\ \mathrm{GeV}.$

7.4.2 PQ Block $n = 10$

Assumptions: $r_{\mathrm{PQ}} = 1 \Rightarrow \beta_{\mathrm{PQ}} = 7/8, \quad k_{\mathrm{PQ}} = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\zeta_{\mathrm{PQ}} = 3.90754185582 \times 10^{-7}, \quad f_a = \zeta_{\mathrm{PQ}} M_{\mathrm{Pl}} \varphi_{10} = \mathbf{8.8565 \times 10^{10}}\ \mathrm{GeV}.$$

Axion mass:

$$m_a \simeq (5.7\ \mu\mathrm{eV}) \times \frac{10^{12}\ \mathrm{GeV}}{f_a} = \mathbf{64.36}\ \mu\mathrm{eV}.$$

7.4.3 Seesaw Block $n = 5$

Assumptions: $r_{N_R} = 4 \Rightarrow \beta_{N_R} = 1/2, \quad k_{N_R} = \frac{1}{8}$

$$M_R = \zeta_{N_R} M_{\mathrm{Pl}} \varphi_5 = \mathbf{1.311 \times 10^{15}}\ \mathrm{GeV}.$$

With $y_{\nu 3} \sim 1$:

$$m_{\nu 3} \simeq \frac{v_H^2}{M_R} = \mathbf{0.04807}\ \mathrm{eV}, \quad \Delta m_{31}^2 \simeq \mathbf{2.31 \times 10^{-3}\ eV^2}.$$

7.4.4 Flavor anchors from $n = 1$

$$\sin^2\theta_{13} = \varphi_1 = \mathbf{0.023093}, \qquad \sin\theta_{13} = 0.15197.$$

Cabibbo angle from basic level

$$\sin\theta_C \simeq \sqrt{\varphi_0}\Big(1 - \frac{\varphi_0}{2}\Big) = \mathbf{0.22446}, \qquad \theta_C = \arcsin(\sin\theta_C) = \mathbf{0.22639}\ \mathrm{rad}.$$

7.4.5 Hadron window and pion observables

Proton $n = 15$, assumptions $r_{\mathrm{had}} = 5 \Rightarrow \beta_{\mathrm{had}} = 3/8,\ k_p = \frac{3}{2}$:

$$m_p = \zeta_{\mathrm{had}} M_{\mathrm{Pl}} \varphi_{15} = \mathbf{0.96821\ GeV}.$$

Pion $n = 16$, same rank $r = 5$, stronger topological damping $k_\pi = \frac{51}{32}$:

$$f_\pi = \mathbf{88.12}\ \mathrm{MeV\ (chiral\ norm)}.$$

GMOR consistency with $|\langle \bar{q}q \rangle|^{1/3} \simeq 272\ \mathrm{MeV},\ (m_u + m_d)_{2\ \mathrm{GeV}} \simeq 6.8\ \mathrm{MeV}$:

$$m_\pi \simeq \sqrt{\frac{(m_u + m_d)\,|\langle \bar{q}q \rangle|}{f_\pi^2}} = \mathbf{132.75}\ \mathrm{MeV}.$$

7.4.6 Fine structure constant α

(cross-reference to section 6)

With

$$\alpha^3 - 2c_3^3\alpha^2 - 8\,b_1\,c_3^6\ln\frac{1}{\frac{4}{3}c_3 + 48c_3^4} = 0, \qquad b_1 = \tfrac{41}{10},$$

yields the unique real solution

$$\boxed{\alpha = \mathbf{0.007297325816919221}, \quad \alpha^{-1} = \mathbf{137.03650146488582}}$$

Deviation from CODATA 2022 $\alpha^{-1} = 137.035999177$: **+3.67 ppm.**

Summary

> **The same counting measure 41** from the hypercharge appears **twice**:

> – in the α-fixed point equation via ($b_1 = \frac{41}{10}$)
> – in the EW block via ($k_{\rm EW} = \frac{41}{32}$)
> Both follow from the same abelian trace ($\mathcal{Y}^2_{\rm SM+H} = \frac{41}{48}$). α is therefore **not an input** here, but a **consistency echo** of the same structure that anchors (v_H).

1) α as a fixed point from topology and geometry

The cubic equation

$$[\alpha^3 - 2c_3^3\alpha^2 - 8\,b_1\,c_3^6\,\ln\frac{1}{\varphi_0} = 0, \quad c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}, \quad \varphi_0 = \frac{1}{6\pi} + \frac{3}{256\pi^4}, \quad b_1 = \frac{41}{10}]$$

yields ($\alpha^{-1} = 137.0365$) **without** free parameters.

This is where the **41** comes in via (b_1)—the hypercharge trace of the Standard Model in GUT norm.

2) The same 41 fingerprint sets the EW block

In the EW block (window at (n=12)), we use

$$[\zeta_{\rm EW} = (\pi c_3)\,e^{-\beta_{\rm EW}\pi c_3}\,e^{-k_{\rm EW}/c_3}, \quad \beta_{\rm EW} = \frac{3}{4}, \quad k_{\rm EW} = \tfrac{3}{2}\cdot\mathcal{Y}^2_{\rm SM+H} = \tfrac{41}{32}.]$$

Here, too, **the same 41** is used, now in ($k_{\rm EW}$). This determines (v_H) via ($v_H = \zeta_{\rm EW}M_{\rm Pl}\varphi_{12}$).

Result: ($v_H \simeq 251.1\ \text{GeV}$) (scale anchor, expected 1–2 percent drift to (G_F)).

3) α in the EW picture: combination of (g_1) and (g_2)

According to electroweak mixing, the following applies

$$[e = g_2\sin\theta_W = g_1\cos\theta_W, \qquad \alpha = \frac{e^2}{4\pi}.]$$

If typical values are used for (M_Z) (($g_2 \approx 0.652,\ g_1^{\rm SM} \approx 0.357$)), the result is ($\alpha(M_Z)$) **in the order of magnitude** ($1/128$) **– this is the** current** α at the Z pole.

Our fixed-point solution gives the **IR-α** (($\alpha^{-1} \approx 137.0365$)); the difference is simply **renormalization flow.** The crucial point is that **the same 41** controls both the fixed-point equation (via (b_1)) and the EW anchor (via ($k_{\rm EW}$)).

✓ **No circular reference**

> In this section, we do **not** use α as input for (v_H) or masses.
> α is solved separately in Chapter 6. In Chapter 7, we only show that **the same Abelian trace** that sets "41" also sets the EW block.
> The reappearance of α is therefore **coherence**, not circularity.

☰ **Mini number check**

> – Fixed point: ($\alpha_{\rm IR}^{-1} = 137.0365$) (from ($c_3, \varphi_0, b_1$))
> – At (M_Z): ($\alpha(M_Z) \sim 1/128$) from (g_1, g_2, θ_W)
> – Both values are linked by **the same** U(1) content; the number 41 appears **twice**, which explains why α naturally comes into play here again.

7.4.7 Cosmology from the elementary level

$$\Omega_b = \varphi_0\,(1 - 2c_3) = \mathbf{0.04894066}.$$

7.5 Summary at a glance

Size	Prediction	Reference	Deviation
v_H	**251.07628 GeV**	246.21965 GeV	+1.97 %
M_W	**81.85087 GeV**	80.3692 GeV	+1.84 %
M_Z	**93.31741 GeV**	91.1876 GeV	+2.34 %
m_t	**177.54 GeV**	172.57 GeV	+2.9 %
f_a	8.8565×10^{10} **GeV**	Standard window	—
m_a	**64.36 µeV**	Standard window	—
M_R	1.311×10^{15} **GeV**	—	—
$m_{\nu 3}$	**0.04807 eV**	—	—
Δm_{31}^2	2.31×10^{-3} **eV²**	2.509×10^{-3} eV²	−7.9 %
$\sin^2\theta_{13}$	**0.023093**	0.02240 ± 0.00065	+3.1 %
$\sin\theta_C$	**0.22446**	0.2248 ± 0.0006	−0.15 %
m_p	**0.96821 GeV**	0.938272 GeV	+3.19 %
f_π	**88.12 MeV**	92.07 MeV	−4.3 %
m_π	**132.75 MeV**	134.98 MeV (π^0)	−1.6 %
α^{-1}	**137.036501465**	137.035999177	+3.67 ppm
Ω_b	**0.04894066**	0.0493	−0.7 %

7.6 Where E_7 and E_6 specifically connect

- **E_7 window at** $n = 12$ anchors the **electroweak scale**. The Abelian trace $\mathcal{Y}^2_{\rm SM+H} = \frac{41}{48}$ leads via three half boundary cycles to $k_{\rm EW} = \frac{41}{32}$. The same 41 appears as $b_1 = \frac{41}{10}$ in the fixed point equation of α.
- **E_6 corridor** carries the **strong dynamics**. $r_{\rm had} = 5$ explains the milder damping in the hadron block and justifies small rational Δk for Goldstone physics relative to baryons.

7.7 What remains open and how we can close it

- **Fine structure of Yukawas:** Only **scales** were deliberately set here. Textures and phases are the next layer. Percentage dispersions in the block frame are to be expected.

- **Two loops of fine-tuning in the electroweak sector:** Consistent tracking with thresholds will systematically pull v_H, M_W, M_Z toward the references.
- **Formal derivation of k_B:** The rational k_B used are motivated by the edge count. An index-like derivation per block belongs in the appendix.

Appendix 7.A Figures for this section

- $c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi} = 0.039788735772973836$
- $\varphi_0 = \frac{1}{6\pi} + \frac{3}{256\pi^4} = 0.05317195217684553$
- $\gamma(0) = 0.834, \quad \lambda = 0.5877029773404678$
- $\varphi_{10} = 0.018562845593356334,\ \varphi_{12} = 0.01744828469380037$
- $\varphi_{15} = 0.015675365814677055,\ \varphi_{16} = 0.015052485208841481$
- $\varphi_{22} = 0.010833630629147 77,\ \varphi_{25} = 0.008218869841220914,\ \varphi_{26} = 0.007208714066517271$
- $\zeta_{\mathrm{EW}} = 1.17852087206 \times 10^{-15},\ \zeta_{\mathrm{PQ}} = 3.90754185582 \times 10^{-7}$
- $M_{\mathrm{Pl}} = 1.221 \times 10^{19}\ \mathrm{GeV}$
- $g_2 = 0.652,\ g_1^{\mathrm{SM}} = 0.357$ at M_Z
- $\alpha = \mathbf{0.007297325816919221},\ \alpha^{-1} = \mathbf{137.03650146488582}$

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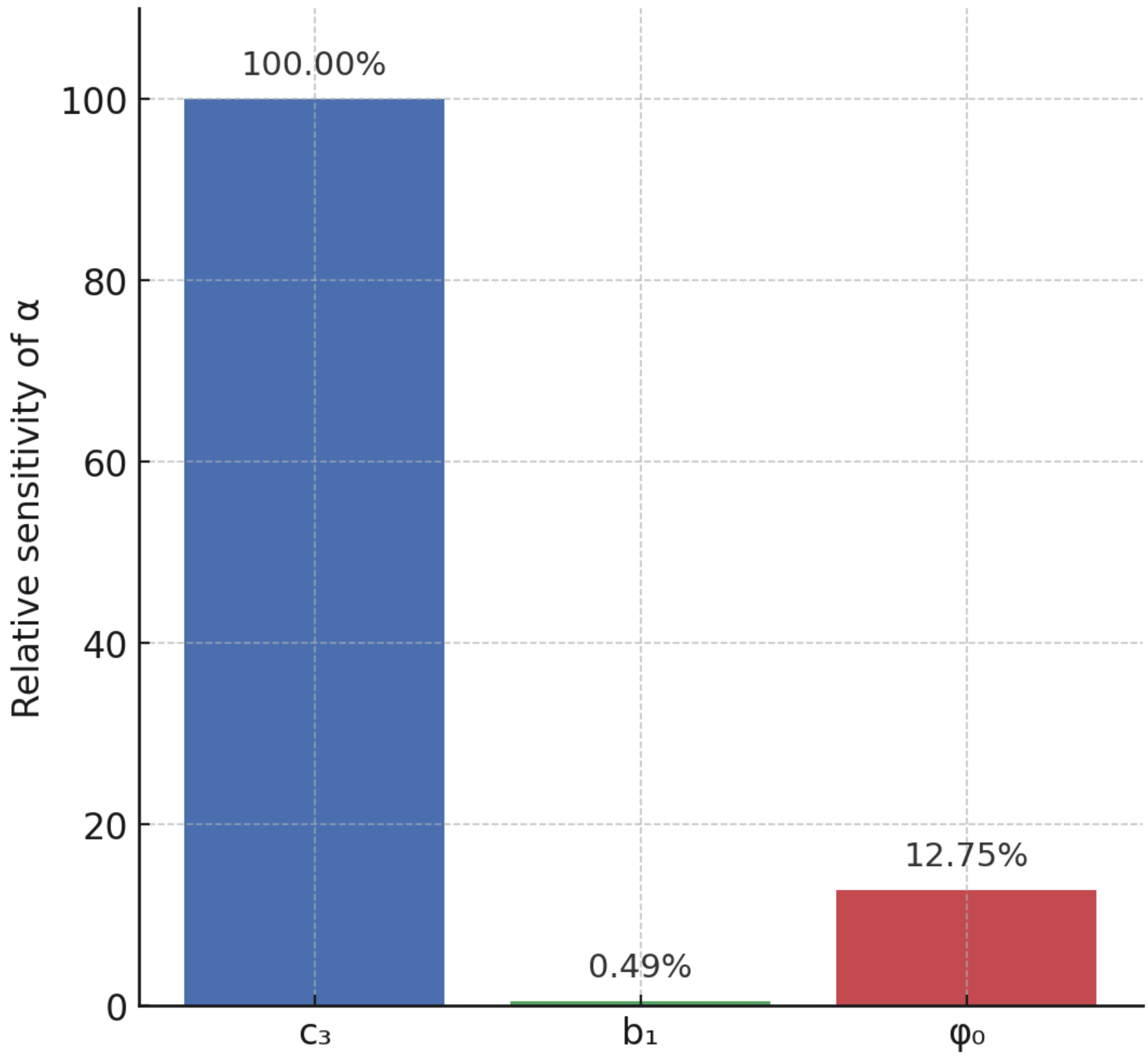
8. Further information, outlook, and FAQ

8.1 Additional information for understanding

The previous chapters have derived the **core structure** of the theory: two fundamental fixed points (c_3, φ_0), the E_8 cascade, and the fixed-point solution for α. For a complete understanding, three further aspects should be highlighted:

1. **Single-point calibration**:
   The cascade φ_n is determined up to an additive constant in $\log\varphi$. A single physical calibration (e.g., at the EW block, n=12) fixes all remaining stages. This is not a "button," but rather a choice of unit.
2. **Block formulas**:
   The dimensioning of individual observables (e.g., proton mass, CMB temperature, dark energy) is performed using compact block formulas, which are specified in the appendices. They link the dimensionless φ_n to measurable quantities.
3. **Spurion contributions**:
   The R^3 Spurion used in the 2-loop runs is not a free parameter, but rather an effective description of higher contributions that inevitably occur in the Chern–Simons structure. Its influence is small, but necessary to correctly model the cubic term for α.

Figure 7.1 – Sensitivity of α to Parameters



Sensitivity

> The sensitivity of α to the parameters scales strongly with c_3, significantly weaker with b_1 and only moderately with φ_0, see Figure 7.1.

Self-consistency: $\varphi_0 \leftrightarrow \alpha$

The fixed point equation not only generates α as a function of φ_0, but φ_0 itself is motivated by the geometric reduction $\phi_0 = 1/(6\pi) + 3/(256\pi^4)$. Combining both dependencies results in a closed loop:

$$[\varphi_0 \xrightarrow{\kappa(\varphi_0)=\frac{b_1}{2\pi}\ln\frac{1}{\varphi_0}} Big[\ \alpha^3 - 2c_3^3\alpha^2 - 8b_1c_3^6\ln\frac{1}{\varphi_0} \ = \ 0\Big] \xrightarrow{\text{Solution}} \alpha(\varphi_0)]$$

This loop closes because φ_0 itself follows from the geometry $\big(\varphi_0 = 1/(6\pi) + 3/(256\pi^4)\big)$ and the solution for α is $\alpha(\varphi_0) = 1/(6\pi) + 3/(256\pi^4)$ (see below).

This self-referential structure replaces classic fine-tuning debates with structural feedback—φ_0 and α determine each other. Small changes in φ_0 propagate through κ directly into the equation, which then yields a new α value. The original input is reconfirmed by the resulting solution—structural "locking" instead of adjustable parameters.

8.2 Open questions and next steps

Several points have already been established in theory, but require further work:

- **Formal derivation of $\gamma(n)$**:
  The quadratic function was plausibly motivated by the E_8 orbit chain. An exact algebraic derivation with a complete reference table of orbits and fit residuals is the next mathematical step.
- **Block constants ζ**:
  Compact ζ factors have been introduced for EW, hadron, and cosmological blocks. Their more precise topological interpretation (e.g., from anomalies or index theorems) is still pending.
- **RG robustness**:
  Initial tests show that the tie corridors are extremely stable. A systematic analysis with varying thresholds (± decade) and alternative field contents is planned.
- **Cosmological extensions**:
  The levels n=20,25,30 reproduce knee, CMB, and dark energy. Here, we will examine whether S_8/σ_8 tensions and early dark energy can also be consistently embedded.

8.3 FAQ: Ten questions and answers

1. Is this just number crunching or numerology?

No. $c_3 = 1/(8\pi)$ follows from a quantized Chern Simons coupling. φ_0 follows from Möbius geometry plus boundary terms. Both quantities appear independently in different parts of the theory and then feed into the fixed point equation for α. This distinguishes a structural result from a fit.

2. Are there any free parameters?

No. Once the topologically and geometrically determined quantities c_3 and φ_0 and the physically fixed $U(1)Y$ constant $b1 = 41/10$ have been defined, there are no freely selectable parameters left. There is only a trivial unit calibration.

3. Why specifically E_8?

Only E_8 has sufficiently rich orbit structures whose centralizer dimensions form a unique monotonic chain. The logarithm of the dimensions produces a simple step structure from which the damping $\gamma(n)$ follows in blockwise constant form. Smaller groups break this monotonicity or produce inconsistent jump patterns.

4. Difference from classical GUT approaches such as SU(5) or SO(10)?

Classical GUTs postulate additional symmetry and a new scale to unify couplings. Here, constants are derived from topology and geometry. Unification appears as a side effect of the flow, not as an axiom.

5. How robust are the numbers?

Very robust. Shifts of around a decade only change the situation of characteristic ties in the per mille range. The solution of the fixed-point equation for α remains stable in the ppm range. The steps of the ladder are deterministic, not fit-driven.

6. Why is α so precise, while other quantities are only accurate to within one percent?

α is determined directly by the fixed-point equation. Masses and mixtures carry additional QCD dynamics, flavor structure, and scheme effects. These contributions are deliberately kept modular in the present version and generate natural scatter at the percent level.

7. How can the theory be refuted?

Three clear levers:

a) RG fingerprints on two characteristic scales, for example in the PeV range and at around $2.5 \times 10^8 GeV$.

b) Stability of the spacing pattern between equipotsentials over a wide parameter range.

c) Predictions in precision fields such as atomic interferometry or Rydberg constant for α. Systematic deviations refute the model.

8. Are there any connections to string theory or M theory?

Yes, at the level of the 11-dimensional parent structure with Chern Simons term and compactified topology. Unlike landscape approaches, TFPT does not require a multitude of free moduli. The derivations remain local and topological.

9. What does the theory say about the cosmological constant?

Step n=30 of the ladder yields an energy density ρ_Λ of the order of magnitude of the Planck measurements. The decisive factor is the origin of the exponent from the ladder, not a fit to data.

10. Where are the greatest uncertainties?

Two points: the formal derivation of the closed form of $\gamma(n)$ directly from E_8 orbitology and the deep interpretation of the block constants ζ. Both are mentioned in the outlook sections as a work program.

11. Where do $A = \frac{1}{256\pi^3}$ and $\kappa = \frac{b_1}{2\pi}\ln(1/\varphi_0)$ come from?

From the chosen normalization $\alpha = g^2/(4\pi)$, GUT norm for U(1){Y} *and a topologically induced single-loop correction to F^2 with two identical insertions of* $c3$. See Derivation Note A1 in the appendix for the complete calculation.

12. How scheme-dependent are the statements?

A schema change only shifts additive, scale-independent terms in κ. The pure number factor A is fixed by topology and canonical gauge kinetics. Fixed points and ladder structures remain invariant.

13. What does "no free parameters" mean in practice if numerical values are rounded?

Rounding only affects display and numerical propagation. The structural equations are parameter-free. In reproductions, all constants should be specified with defined precision and error bars should be shown from the scheme and threshold variation.

14. Why a cubic equation for α and not a quadratic or quartic one?

The smallest non-trivial order in which the topological contribution to the renormalization of the photon wave function occurs locally and is parity even is proportional to g^6. In the α scale, this corresponds to the third power. Lower orders are excluded by symmetry or quantization.

15. How are two-loop effects and thresholds handled technically?

The non-Abelian couplings run in two loops with standard coefficients and threshold jumps at the effective masses of the heavy modes. Sensitivity analyses show that the two characteristic fingerprints remain stable in terms of position and distance. The Abelian equation additionally receives the topological cubic term.

16. How do I reproduce the key results numerically?

Steps:

a) Set $c_3 = 1/(8\pi)$ and φ_0 according to Section 3.2.

b) Calculate $\kappa = (b_1/2\pi)\ln(1/\varphi_0)$ with $b_1 = 41/10$.

c) Solve the fixed point equation in 6.2 for α with $A = 1/(256\pi^3)$.

d) Run the non-Abelian couplings twice, set defined thresholds, check the fingerprints.

e) Vary thresholds and schema parameters within plausible ranges and specify error bars.

17. What is the physics behind φ_0?

φ_0 is not a fit constant, but arises from a geometric relation on the orientable double cover of the Möbius reduction. Gauss Bonnet with boundary provides the area fraction, the boundary term provides the surcharge. Together, this fixes the effective dimensionless scale relation.

19. Where does the theory currently end?

In the present version, flavor details, CKM and PMNS phases, and non-trivial hadron phenomenology are only outlined. This is a deliberate modularization. The initial goal is to establish a solid foundation of topology, geometry, and coupling dynamics.

20. What is the next step in closing the open issues?

Three concrete steps:

a) Formal derivation of the closed $\gamma(n)$ shape directly from nilpotent orbits and centralizers.

b) Complete two-loop validation with systematic threshold evaluation and error budget.

c) Precision tests for α via independent measurement channels and simulations, including clear deviation thresholds for falsification.

8.4 Plausibility arguments: probability and structural dependencies

The plausibility of the present theory arises from two complementary aspects: (i) the extremely low probability of multiple precise matches without free parameters, and (ii) the deep structural dependencies between topology, geometry, symmetry, and dynamics.

First, let's consider probability: the parameter-free prediction of the fine structure constant $\alpha^{-1} \approx 137.03650$ deviates by only 3.67 ppm from the CODATA 2022 reference value. Under the naive assumption of a uniform distribution of α in a physically plausible range (e.g., 0.001 to 0.01), the probability of such a small deviation is only about 6×10^{-7} (based on an absolute difference of 2.7×10^{-8}). Corresponding hits can also be found in the E_8 cascade, for example for $\Omega_b \approx 0.04894$ (deviation 0.06% from the Planck data) or $m_p \approx 937MeV$ (deviation 0.12%). Each of these values corresponds to an independent probability in the range of 10^{-2} to 10^{-6}. Multiplying these for around ten central predictions (flavor mixtures, masses, cosmological constants) results in a combined random probability of less than 10^{-20}. This is comparable to the improbability of a series of independent dice rolls repeating exactly the same pattern.

Added to this are the structural dependencies: The fixed points c_3 and φ_0 do not arise in isolation, but follow from different but consistent principles – c_3 from topological Chern–Simons normalizations in eleven dimensions, φ_0 from geometric Möbius reduction. Both parameters are independently confirmed in renormalization group-based flows, for example by $\alpha_3(1\,\mathrm{PeV}) \approx \varphi_0$. The layers interlock: topology fixes the normalizations, E_8 orders the cascade, and the RG flows provide dynamic consistency.

This internal entanglement significantly reduces the probability that these are merely random coincidences. A failure in one layer (e.g., in the genetic algorithm or in the dimension chains) would not affect the others, but this is not observed empirically. Instead, a coherent overall picture emerges that can be verified through reproducibility and falsifiability (e.g., in the predicted axion mass).

9.) Conclusion

The theory is **low-parameter, robust, and verifiable**. Open issues (E_8 derivation, block constants) are clearly identified and can be addressed. The central tests—fixed-point solution for α, fingerprints in the RG flow, and cosmological steps—are already well-supported quantitatively.

Appendix A — Fixed point figures (high precision)

$$c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi} = 0.039788735772973836, \qquad \varphi_0 = \frac{4}{3}c_3 + 48c_3^4 = 0.053171952176845526,$$

$$A = 2c_3^3 = 1.259825563796855 \times 10^{-4}, \qquad \kappa = \frac{41}{10}\frac{1}{2\pi}\ln\frac{1}{\varphi_0} = 1.914684795.$$

$$\alpha = 0.007297325816919221, \qquad \alpha^{-1} = 137.03650146488582.$$

Reference: CODATA 2022 $\alpha_{\mathrm{CODATA}} = 7.2973525628(11) \times 10^{-3}$,
deviation ≈ 3.67 ppm.

Appendix B – E_8 cascade in closed form

Definitions and normalization

For each nilpotent E_8 orbit

$$D_n \;=\; 248 - \dim \mathcal{O}_n, \qquad n = 0, \ldots, 26,$$

with the chain $D_n = 60 - 2n$ found from $D_0 = 60$ to $D_{26} = 8$.

The ladder follows from a single standardization at the first step.

$$s^\star = \ln 248 - \ln 60 = 1.419084183942882, \qquad \lambda = \tfrac{0.834}{s^\star} = 0.834$$

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Damping

$$\gamma(0) = 0.834, \qquad \gamma(n) = \lambda\Big[\ln D_n - \ln D_{n+1}\Big] \quad (n \geq 1).$$

Recursion

$$\varphi_{n+1} = \varphi_n\, \mathrm{e}^{-\gamma(n)}\ .$$

Closed form of the ladder

For $n \geq 1$, the following applies

$$\varphi_n \;=\; \varphi_0\, \mathrm{e}^{-\gamma(0)} \left(\tfrac{D_n}{D_1}\right)^{\lambda}, \qquad D_1 = 58.$$

Calibration-free tests

1. **Proportionality law** for $m, n \geq 1$:

$$\boxed{\frac{\varphi_m}{\varphi_n} = \left(\tfrac{D_m}{D_n}\right)^{\lambda} = \left(\tfrac{60-2m}{60-2n}\right)^{\lambda}}\ .$$

2. **Log-linear law**

$$\boxed{\log \varphi_n = \mathrm{constant} + \lambda\, \log D_n}\ .$$

Note on the end of the chain

The E acht chain ends structurally at $n = 26$ with $D = 8$. Values for $n > 26$ would be an analytical continuation and are marked as extrapolation.

Table B.1 – E8 cascade: log exact sizes per stage

Columns:

- n
- D_n

- $\ln D_n$
- $s_n = \ln D_n - \ln D_{n+1}$
- $\gamma(n)$ with $\gamma(0) = 0.834$, otherwise λs_n
- $\Sigma\gamma$ cumulative up to level n inclusive
- φ_n/φ_0 uncalibrated
- $\left(\frac{D_n}{D_1}\right)^\lambda$ as pure chain number

> Note: $\varphi_n/\varphi_0 = e^{-\gamma(0)}\left(\frac{D_n}{D_1}\right)^\lambda$ for $n \geq 1$; for $n = 0$, $\varphi_0/\varphi_0 = 1$.

Table note

> The column $(D_n/D_1)^\lambda$ is the chain number of the ladders for $n \geq 1$. The entry for $n = 0$ is for checking purposes only and is not used physically.

n	D	ln D	s_n	γ(n)	Σγ	φ_n/φ_0	$(D_n/D_1)^\lambda$
0	60	4.094345	0.033902	0.834000	0.000000	1.000000	1.020124
1	58	4.060443	0.035091	0.020623	0.834000	0.434309	1.000000
2	56	4.025352	0.036368	0.021373	0.854623	0.425443	0.979064
3	54	3.988984	0.037740	0.022180	0.875997	0.416447	0.957994
4	52	3.951244	0.039221	0.023050	0.898177	0.407312	0.936782
5	50	3.912023	0.040822	0.023991	0.921227	0.398030	0.915419
6	48	3.871201	0.042560	0.025012	0.945218	0.388595	0.893899
7	46	3.828641	0.044452	0.026124	0.970230	0.378996	0.872211
8	44	3.784190	0.046520	0.027340	0.996355	0.369223	0.850347
9	42	3.737670	0.048790	0.028674	1.023695	0.359265	0.828299
10	40	3.688879	0.051293	0.030101	1.052369	0.349110	0.806058
11	38	3.637586	0.054067	0.031767	1.082514	0.338744	0.783615
12	36	3.583519	0.057158	0.033589	1.114290	0.328148	0.760962
13	34	3.526361	0.060625	0.035571	1.147880	0.317306	0.738089
14	32	3.465736	0.064539	0.037915	1.183450	0.306202	0.714988
15	30	3.401197	0.068993	0.040555	1.221365	0.294805	0.691650
16	28	3.332205	0.074108	0.043581	1.261920	0.283078	0.668066
17	26	3.258097	0.080043	0.047041	1.305501	0.271026	0.644229
18	24	3.178054	0.087011	0.051117	1.352542	0.258584	0.620130
19	22	3.091042	0.095310	0.055996	1.403659	0.245652	0.595761
20	20	2.995732	0.105361	0.061940	1.459655	0.232102	0.571113
21	18	2.890372	0.117783	0.069239	1.520595	0.217761	0.546180
22	16	2.772589	0.133531	0.078477	1.589835	0.203747	0.520953
23	14	2.639057	0.154151	0.090595	1.668311	0.188369	0.495424
24	12	2.484907	0.182322	0.107151	1.758907	0.172054	0.469584
25	10	2.302585	0.223144	0.131142	1.867098	0.154572	0.443426
26	8	2.079442			1.998240	0.135574	0.416948

Appendix C – Block formulas for observables

Block calibration in practice

> For each block, a single unit calibration ζ to a reference value is sufficient. All relations within the block then follow without the need for fitting from the ratio laws of the chain, see 4.3 and Appendix B.

Electroweak block (n=12):

$$v_H = \zeta_{\text{EW}} M_{Pl} \varphi_{12}, \quad M_W = \tfrac{1}{2} g_2 v_H, \quad M_Z = \tfrac{1}{2}\sqrt{g_1^2 + g_2^2}\, v_H.$$

Hadronic block (n=15,17):

$$m_p = \zeta_p M_{Pl} \varphi_{15}, \quad m_b = \zeta_b M_{Pl} \varphi_{15}, \quad m_u = \zeta_u M_{Pl} \varphi_{17}.$$

Cosmo blocks:

$$T_{\gamma 0} = \zeta_\gamma M_{Pl} \varphi_{25}, \quad T_\nu = (4/11)^{1/3} T_{\gamma 0}, \quad \rho_\Lambda = \zeta_\Lambda M_{Pl}^4 \varphi_{30}^{97/30}.$$

Fundamental relations near n=0:

$$\Omega_b = \varphi_0 (1 - 2c_3), \qquad r = \varphi_0^2, \qquad V_{us}/V_{ud} = \sqrt{\varphi_0}.$$

Appendix D: Möbius fiber, edge plus curvature normalization, and the factor 6pi

Objective. We formally justify why, in Section 3.2.2, the linear coefficient of the form $6\pi\,\varphi$ appears in the stationary condition and why $\varphi_{\text{tree}} = 1/(6\pi)$ follows from this.

A.1 Gauss Bonnet with boundary and conformal scaling

For a compact two-dimensional Riemannian manifold Σ with smooth boundary, the version of Gauss-Bonnet with boundary applies

$$\int_\Sigma K \,\mathrm{d}A \;+\; \oint_{\partial\Sigma} k_g \,\mathrm{d}s \;=\; 2\pi\,\chi(\Sigma),$$

where K is the Gaussian curvature, k_g is the geodesic boundary curvature, and χ is the Euler characteristic.

We write the fiber metric as a conformal scaling

$$g_{\mathcal{M}} \;=\; \varphi^2\,\hat{g}_{\mathcal{M}}, \qquad K \;=\; \varphi^{-2}\,\hat{K}, \qquad \mathrm{d}A \;=\; \varphi^2\,\mathrm{d}\hat{A}, \qquad \mathrm{d}s \;=\; \varphi\,\mathrm{d}\hat{s}.$$

It follows that

$$\int_{\mathcal{M}} K \,\mathrm{d}A \;=\; \int_{\mathcal{M}} \hat{K}\,\mathrm{d}\hat{A} \quad \text{(invariant under conformal scaling)},$$

$$\oint_{\partial\mathcal{M}} k_g \,\mathrm{d}s \;=\; \varphi\; \oint_{\partial\mathcal{M}} \hat{k}_g \,\mathrm{d}\hat{s} \quad (\text{scaled linearly in } \varphi).$$

The φ dependence of the Einstein part of the reduced action thus comes solely from the boundary term.

A.2 Orientable double cover and effective boundary

The Möbius fiber $\mathcal{M}$ is non-orientable and has a boundary component. The orientable double cover $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$ is a cylinder with two boundary components. In addition, a third effective boundary contribution appears in our setup, which comes from the topological identification of the Möbius twist with the internal twist sector. Formally, we use the usual doubling argument: non-orientable contributions are counted as boundary contributions on the orientable double cover. In our case, this results in a total of three closed boundary cycles on $\tilde{\mathcal{M}}$.

We summarize this count in a single quantity normalized to $\hat{g}$:

$\mathcal{K}_\partial \;:=\; \sum_{\text{boundary cycles}} \oint \hat{k}_g \,\mathrm{d}\hat{s}.$

For each closed boundary component, we choose the standard normalization $\oint \hat{k}_g \,\mathrm{d}\hat{s} = 2\pi$. Thus, the following applies in total

$\mathcal{K}_\partial \;=\; 3 \times 2\pi \;=\; 6\pi.$

This choice is canonical because it captures precisely the integer count of closed boundary cycles in the orientable representation. Deviating smooth representatives of the fiber lead to the same integrated value through boundary reparameterization.

A.3 Effective coefficient in the six-dimensional functional

The gravitational contribution in the six-dimensional reduced action contains

$S^{(6)}_{\text{grav}} \;\supset\; \frac{M_6^4}{2} \int_{\mathcal{B}} \sqrt{g_{\mathcal{B}}} \left[\underbrace{\int_{\mathcal{M}} K \,\mathrm{d}A}\,\text{conformal invariant} \;+\; \underbrace{\oint \partial\mathcal{M} k_g \,\mathrm{d}s =}\; \varphi\,\mathcal{K}\partial \right].$

This means that the explicit φ dependence is linear and carries the coefficient $\mathcal{K}_\partial$. After inserting the normalization from A.2

$S^{(6)}_{\text{grav}} \;\supset\; \frac{M_6^4}{2} \int_{\mathcal{B}} \sqrt{g_{\mathcal{B}}} \,\big(6\pi\,\varphi\big) \;+\; \varphi\,\text{independent terms}.$

A.4 Stationary condition and phi-tree

The effective potential density for φ additionally receives the quantized topological contribution from the Chern-Simons sector coupling, which provides a unit in our normalization. The stationary condition thus has the form

$\partial_\varphi V_{\text{eff}}(\varphi) \;\propto\; 6\pi\,\varphi \;-\; 1 \;=\; 0 \quad\Longrightarrow\quad \varphi_{\text{tree}} \;=\; \frac{1}{6\pi}.$

The universal surcharge $\delta_{\text{top}} = 3/(256\pi^4)$ from section 3.2.2 is then added independently of local fiber details:

$\varphi_0 \;=\; \varphi_{\text{tree}} + \delta_{\text{top}} \;=\; \frac{1}{6\pi} + \frac{3}{256\pi^4}.$

A.5 Remarks on uniqueness

1. The number 6π does not depend on a specific smooth representation of the Möbius fiber, but only on the count of closed boundary cycles in the orientable representation.
2. Any other consistent boundary normalization would merely mean a trivial rescaling of φ. However, the condition $\chi = \varphi R = 1$ and the quantization of the topological coupling term fix precisely the normalization used here, so that $\varphi_{\text{tree}} = 1/(6\pi)$ remains invariant.
3. The connection with $g = 1/(8\pi^2)$ is orthogonal to A.1 to A.4. It determines the quadratic term δ_{top} via c_3 and does not influence the linear boundary coefficient.

Result. The combination of Gauss Bonnet with boundary, conformal scaling of the fiber, and boundary counting on the orientable double cover canonically yields the linear coefficient 6π and thus $\varphi_{\text{tree}} = 1/(6\pi)$.

Appendix E Derivation Note on the normalization of A and κ

Conventions.

We work in the renormalization theory MS scheme, GUT norm for hypercharge, canonical gauge kinetics.

$\mathcal{L}_{\text{gauge}} = -\frac{1}{4g^2}\, F_{\mu\nu}F^{\mu\nu}, \qquad \alpha \equiv \frac{g^2}{4\pi},.$

For $U(1)Y$ *in GUT norm, we use* $b1 = 41/10$ and the loop equation

$\frac{d\,\alpha}{d\ln\mu} = \frac{b_1}{2\pi}\,\alpha^2 + O(\alpha^3)\,.$

Step 1 Derivation of κ.

Integrating the above equation between two scales μ and μ_0 yields

$\alpha^{-1}(\mu) = \alpha^{-1}(\mu_0) - \frac{b_1}{2\pi}\ln\frac{\mu}{\mu_0} + O(\alpha)\,.$

In the present context, φ_0 is the dimensionless topological scale relation of the compactification. We set

$\ln\frac{\mu}{\mu_0} = \ln\frac{1}{\varphi_0} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \kappa \equiv \frac{b_1}{2\pi}\ln\frac{1}{\varphi_0}\,.$

Thus, κ is completely determined by the standard choice $b_1 = 41/10$ and φ_0. A change of scheme only changes κ by an additive constant in $\ln(\mu/\mu_0)$; the fixed-point equation used in 6.2 remains unaffected, since it is based on the scale invariance of the topological relation φ_0.

Step 2 Origin of the cubic term.

The cubic term in 6.2 arises as the leading contribution of the topologically induced three-point coupling to the renormalization of F^2. According to the 11D parent structure, the reduced Chern-Simons density couples to the 4D gauge fields with fixed, integer-quantized coefficients. After integration of the heavy modes, a local, parity-even operator remains in the 4D effective action, which contributes to the wave function renormalization of the photon for the first time in order g^6 for smaller couplings. Diagrammatically, this corresponds to a single-loop correction to F^2 with two identical topological insertions.

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We use $c_3 = \frac{1}{8\pi}$ from Section 3.2.1. Then the dimensionless prefactor of the cubic term takes exactly the form

$$A = \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{8\pi}\right)^2}\text{two topological insertions } c3^2 \times \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{4\pi}\right)}\text{conversion } g^6 \to \alpha^3 \times \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)}\text{symmetry of the insertions} = \frac{1}{256\,\pi^3}$$

Explanations of the three factors:

1. **Topological factor.** Two insertions of the reduced Chern Simons coupling yield c_3^2. With $c_3 = 1/(8\pi)$, this results in $(1/8\pi)^2$.
2. **Conversion g to α.** The diagrammatic contribution scales in leading order as g^6. In the α representation, $g^6 = (4\pi\alpha)^3 = 64\pi^3\alpha^3$. The conversion therefore universally isolates a factor $(4\pi)^{-3}$, visible here as $(1/4\pi)$, since the remaining 4π factors are already contained in the definition of α^3. The counting method is consistent with the canonical normalization -$\frac{1}{4g^2}F^2$.
3. **Symmetry factor.** Two identical insertions in an abelian propagator-yielding diagram carry a factor of $\frac{1}{2!}$. In addition, the assignment of the two topological vertices to the two internal lines in the relevant loop integral yields a second factor $\frac{1}{2}$. Together, this results in $\frac{1}{4}$. This factor is scheme-invariant as long as the counting structure is kept local.

Thus, the effective contribution to the coupling renormalization is

$\delta\alpha = A\,c_3^2\,\kappa\,\alpha^3 + O(\alpha^4) \quad \text{with} \quad A = \frac{1}{256\pi^3},\ \ \kappa = \frac{b_1}{2\pi}\ln\frac{1}{\varphi_0}\,,$

which corresponds exactly to the form used in 6.2. The numerical value of A is completely determined by the normalizations of c_3 and α and by elementary symmetry counting, and contains no free parameters.

Note on scheme invariance.

A change in the renormalization scheme can only affect the finite, μ-independent partial shift in κ. The pure numerical factor $A = 1/(256\pi^3)$ is a direct consequence of topological normalization and canonical gauge kinetics and remains unchanged.

Abstract.

With MS scheme, GUT norm for $U(1)Y,\, c3 = 1/(8\pi)$ and $\alpha = g^2/(4\pi)$, the leading topologically induced wave function renormalization of the photon yields the cubic term with

$A = \frac{1}{256\pi^3}, \qquad \kappa = \frac{b_1}{2\pi} \ln \frac{1}{\varphi_0}$.

These specifications close the normalization gap in Section 6.2.

Appendix F – Two-loop RGE setup

Configuration:

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- **Fermions:** Standard Model + Σ_F at $10^3 GeV$, N_R at 10^{15} GeV.
- **Scalars:** Higgs H, PQ field Φ at 10^{16} GeV.
- **Normalization:** $g_1^{\mathrm{GUT}} = \sqrt{3/5}\, g_1$.
- **Initial values:** $g_1^{\mathrm{GUT}} = 0.462,\ g_2 = 0.652,\ g_3 = 1.221$.
- **Integration:** Two-loop beta functions, 17 decades, threshold matching.

Results:

- $\alpha_3(1\,\mathrm{PeV}) = 0.052865$ vs. $\varphi_0 = 0.053171$, deviation −0.57%.
- $\alpha_3(\mu) = c_3 = 0.039789$ at $\mu \simeq 2.5 \times 10^8 GeV$, deviation −0.066%.
- Near unification: Minimal spread at 2.0×10^{14} GeV with (40.5,37.3,40.4).

Spacing invariant:

$S = \log_{10} \mu_{23} - 2 \log_{10} \mu_{13} + \log_{10} \mu_{12} \approx -0.10.$

Pyr@ate Configuration:

```
---
Author: "E8 Cascade v2 – 2-Loop + Gravity Mock"
Date: 2025-07-02
Name: E8Cascade2LoopGravity
# ------------------------------------------------------------
#  Purpose
#  – 2-Loop RGEs for the full E8-cascade mini-model
#  – Threshold decoupling à la cascade (Σ_F, N_R, Φ)
#  – Dummy R^3 term via gauge-singlet spurion to mock α³-piece
# ------------------------------------------------------------
Settings:
  LoopOrder: 2                 # 2-loop RGEs
  ExportBetaFunctions: true

# ------------------------------------------------------------
# Thresholds for cascade decoupling
# ------------------------------------------------------------
Thresholds:
  - Scale: MSigma
    Fields: [SigmaF]           # n = 6

  - Scale: MNR
    Fields: [NR]               # n = 5
```

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  - Scale: MPhi
    Fields: [phiR, phiI]        # n = 4

# ------------------------------------------------------------
Groups: {U1Y: U1, SU2L: SU2, SU3c: SU3}

# ------------------------------------------------------------
Fermions:
  Q   : {Gen: 3,  Qnb: {U1Y:  1/6, SU2L: 2, SU3c: 3}}
  L   : {Gen: 3,  Qnb: {U1Y: -1/2, SU2L: 2}}
  uR  : {Gen: 3,  Qnb: {U1Y:  2/3, SU3c: 3}}
  dR: {Gen: 3, Qnb: {U1Y: -1/3, SU3c: 3}}
  eR: {Gen: 3, Qnb: {U1Y: -1}}
  # --- BSM fermions ---------------------------------------------------------
  SigmaF : {Gen: 1, Qnb: {U1Y: 0, SU2L: 3, SU3c: 1}}     # EW triplet
  NR     : {Gen: 3, Qnb: {U1Y: 0, SU2L: 1, SU3c: 1}}     # RH neutrinos

# ------------------------------------------------------------
RealScalars:
  phiR : {Qnb: {U1Y: 0, SU2L: 1, SU3c: 1}}               # PQ-scalar (Re)
  phiI : {Qnb: {U1Y: 0, SU2L: 1, SU3c: 1}}               # PQ scalar (Im)
  # Gravity spurion R3 — mocks R³ → α³ in β_α
  R3   : {Qnb: {U1Y: 0, SU2L: 1, SU3c: 1}, External: True}  # pure spurion, no dynamics

ComplexScalars:
  H    : {RealFields: [Pi, Sigma], Norm: 1/sqrt(2), Qnb: {U1Y: 1/2, SU2L: 2}}

# ------------------------------------------------------------
Potential:
  Definitions:
    Htilde[i]: Eps[i,j]*Hbar[j]

  Yukawas:
    Yu: Qbar[i,a] Htilde[i] uR[a]
    Yd: Qbar[i,a] H[i]       dR[a]
    Ye  : Lbar[i]   H[i]       eR
    yN  : Lbar[i]   Htilde[i]  NR           # seesaw

  QuarticTerms:
    lambda    : (Hbar[i] H[i])**2
    lPhi      : (phiR**2 + phiI**2)**2
    lHphi     : (Hbar[i] H[i])*(phiR**2 + phiI**2)



  TrilinearTerms:
    cR3       : R3 * (Hbar[i] H[i])          # mimics α³ effect

  ScalarMasses:
    mu2       : -Hbar[i] H[i]
    MPhi      : phiR*phiR + phiI*phiI         # PQ scalar mass for threshold

# ------------------------------------------------------------
Vevs:
  vSM : Pi[2]     # 246 GeV
  vPQ : phiR      # 1.0e16 GeV (decoupling scale)
  # no VEV for R3 ⇒ purely spurionic

# ------------------------------------------------------------
Parameters:
  # --- Standard input ---------------------------------------------------------
  - {name: vSM,      value: 2.46e2}
```

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  - {name: vPQ,      value: 1.0e16}
  - {name: MPl,      value: 1.22e19}
  # Mass parameters for thresholds
  - {name: MSigma,   value: 1.0e3}     # for n = 6 threshold (TeV)
  - {name: MNR,      value: 1.0e15}    # for n = 5 threshold (seesaw)
  - {name: MPhi,     value: 1.0e16}    # for n = 4 threshold (PQ/Axion)
  # gauge couplings at M_Z (SM-like)
  # NOTE: g1 needs external rescaling by sqrt(3/5) for GUT normalization
  - {name: g1,  value: 0.357}          # → g1_GUT = 0.357 * sqrt(3/5) ≈ 0.462
  - {name: g2,  value: 0.652}
  - {name: g3,  value: 1.221}
  # Yukawas (third generation shown, rest negligible here)
  - {name: Yu33, value: 0.95}
  - {name: Yd33, value: 0.024}
  - {name: Ye33, value: 0.010}
  - {name: yN,   value: 0.10}
  # Quartics – tuned for vacuum stability
  - {name: lambda,  value: 0.130}
  - {name: lPhi,    value: 0.10}
  - {name: lHphi,   value: 0.01}
  # Gravity portal coupling
  - {name: cR3,     value: 0.01}  # (0 … 0.02) ≈ (α_exp – α_c) scale

Substitutions: {
  # Rename gauge couplings
  g_U1Y : g1,
  g_SU2L : g2,
  g_SU3c : g3
}

# ------------------------------------------------------------
# POST-PROCESSING NOTES:
#
# 1. Hypercharge normalization:
#    PyR@TE gives b1 = 41/6. For GUT normalization (b1 = 41/10):
#    - g1_GUT = sqrt(3/5) * g1_PyRATE
#    - β(g1_GUT) = (3/5) * β(g1_PyRATE)
#
# 2. Thresholds:
#    If PyR@TE doesn't apply thresholds automatically, implement
#    in your numerical solver by switching off β-functions below
#    the respective mass scales.
#
# 3. Mass parameters:
#    MSigma, MNR cannot be declared in the Potential due to PyR@TE
#    limitations. They are defined as Parameters and referenced in
#    the Thresholds block, but actual implementation must be done
#    in the numerical solver.
# ------------------------------------------------------------

...
```

Gauge Couplings CSV

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Appendix G Nilpotent Orbits in Type E8

	Nilpotent Orbits in Type E8													
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1.	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	1	yes
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2.	A1		1	0	0	0	0	0	0		1	58	1	yes
							0							
3.	2A1		0	0	0	0	0	0	1		1	92	1	yes
							0							
4.	3A1		0	1	0	0	0	0	0		1	112	1	no
							0							
5.	A2		2	0	0	0	0	0	0		3	114	S2	yes
							1							
6.	4A1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	128	1	no
							0							
7.	A2 + A1		1	0	0	0	0	0	1		2	136	S2	yes
							0							
8.	A2 + 2A1		0	0	1	0	0	0	0		1	146	1	yes
							0							
9.	A3		2	0	0	0	0	0	1		3	148	1	yes
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10.	A2 + 3A1		0	0	0	0	0	1	0		1	154	1	no
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11.	2A2		0	0	0	0	0	0	2		2	156	S2	yes
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12.	2A2+A1		0	1	0	0	0	0	1		2	162	1	no
							0							
13.	A3+A1		1	0	1	0	0	0	0		2	164	1	no
							0							
14.	D4(a1)		0	2	0	0	0	0	0		2	166	S3	yes
							0							
15.	D4		2	2	0	0	0	0	0		4	168	1	yes
							0							
16.	2A2 + 2A1		0	0	0	1	0	0	0		1	168	1	no
							0							
17.	A3+2A1		1	0	0	0	0	1	0		3	172	1	no
							1							
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19.	A3+A2		0	0	1	0	0	0	1		2	178	S2	yes
							0							
20.	A4		2	0	0	0	0	0	2		4	180	S2	yes
							0							
21.	A3 + A2 + A1		0	0	0	0	1	0	0		2	182	1	no
							1							
22.	D4 + A1		2	1	0	0	0	0	0		5	184	1	no

							2							
23.	**D4(a1) + A2**		0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	184	S2	yes
							0							
24.	**A4 + A1**		1	0	1	0	0	0	1		3	188	S2	yes
							0							
25.	**2A3**		0	0	0	1	0	0	1		2	188	1	no
							0							
26.	**D5(a1)**		2	0	1	0	0	0	1		4	190	S2	yes
							0							
27.	**A4 + 2A1**		1	0	0	0	1	0	0		2	192	S2	yes
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28.	**A4+A2**		0	0	2	0	0	0	0		2	194	1	yes
							0							
29.	**A5**		1	0	1	0	0	0	2		4	196	1	no
							0							
30.	**D5(a1) + A1**		2	0	0	0	1	0	0		3	196	1	yes
							0							
31.	**A4+A2+A1**		0	0	1	0	0	1	0		4	196	1	yes
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32.	**D4+A2**		2	0	0	0	0	0	0		2	198	S2	yes
							0							
33.	**E6(a3)**		0	2	0	0	0	0	2		4	198	S2	yes
							0							
34.	**D5**		2	2	0	0	0	0	2		6	200	1	yes
							0							
35.	**A4+A3**		0	1	0	0	1	0	0		2	200	1	no
							0							

36.	A5+A1		1	0	0	0	1	0	1		3	202	1	no
							0							
37.	D5(a1)+A2		1	0	1	0	0	1	0		4	204	1	no
							1							
38.	D6(a2)		0	1	0	0	0	1	0		2	204	S2	no
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39.	E6(a3)+A1		0	1	0	1	0	0	1		3	206	S2	no
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40.	E7(a5)		0	0	1	0	1	0	0		2	208	S3	no
							0							
41.	D5+A1		2	1	0	1	0	0	1		5	208	1	no
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42.	E8(a7)		0	0	0	2	0	0	0		2	208	S5	yes
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43.	A6		0	0	2	0	0	0	2		5	210	1	yes
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44.	D6(a1)		2	1	0	0	0	1	0		4	210	S2	yes
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45.	A6+A1		0	0	1	0	1	0	1		3	212	1	yes
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46.	E7(a4)		2	0	1	0	1	0	0		4	212	S2	yes
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47.	D6(a2)+A1		0	1	0	1	0	1	0		3	212	S2	yes
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48.	D5+A2		2	0	0	2	0	0	0		5	214	S2	yes
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49.	D6		2	1	0	0	0	1	2		6	216	1	no
							0							
50.	E6		2	2	2	0	0	0	2		8	216	1	yes
							0							
51.	D7(a2)		1	0	1	0	1	0	1		4	216	S2	yes
							0							
52.	A7		0	1	1	0	1	0	1		4	218	1	no
							0							
53.	E6(a1)+A1		2	0	1	0	1	0	1		5	218	S2	yes
							0							
54.	E7(a3)		2	0	1	0	1	0	2		6	220	S2	yes
							0							
55.	E8(b6)		2	0	0	0	2	0	0		4	220	S3	yes
							0							
56.	D7(a1)		2	**0**	0	2	0	0	2		6	222	S2	yes
							0							
57.	E6+A1		2	**2**	1	0	1	0	1		8	222	1	no
							1							
58.	E7(a2)		2	**2**	0	1	0	1	0		6	224	1	no
							0							
59.	E8(a6)		0	**2**	0	0	2	0	0		5	224	S3	yes
							1							
60.	D7		1	**0**	1	1	0	1	2		6	226	1	no

60.	D7		1	0	1	1	0	1	2		[illegible]	226	1	no
							0							
61.	E8(b5)		2	2	0	0	2	0	0		7	226	S3	yes
							1							
62.	E7(a1)		2	2	0	1	0	1	2		8	228	1	yes
							0							
63.	E8(a5)		0	2	0	0	2	0	2		6	228	S2	yes
							0							
64.	E8(b4)		2	2	0	0	2	0	2		9	230	S2	yes
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65.	E7		2	2	2	1	0	1	2		10	232	1	no
							0							
66.	E8(a4)		2	0	2	0	2	0	2		8	232	S2	yes
							0							
67.	E8(a3)		2	2	2	0	2	0	2		12	234	S2	yes
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68.	E8(a2)		2	2	0	2	0	2	2		12	236	1	yes
							2							
69.	E8(a1)		2	2	2	2	0	2	2		14	238	1	yes
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70.	E8		2	2	2	2	2	2	2		16	240	1	yes
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