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NEUTRINO MASS SUM RULES FROM MODULAR $\mathcal{A}_4$ SYMMETRY

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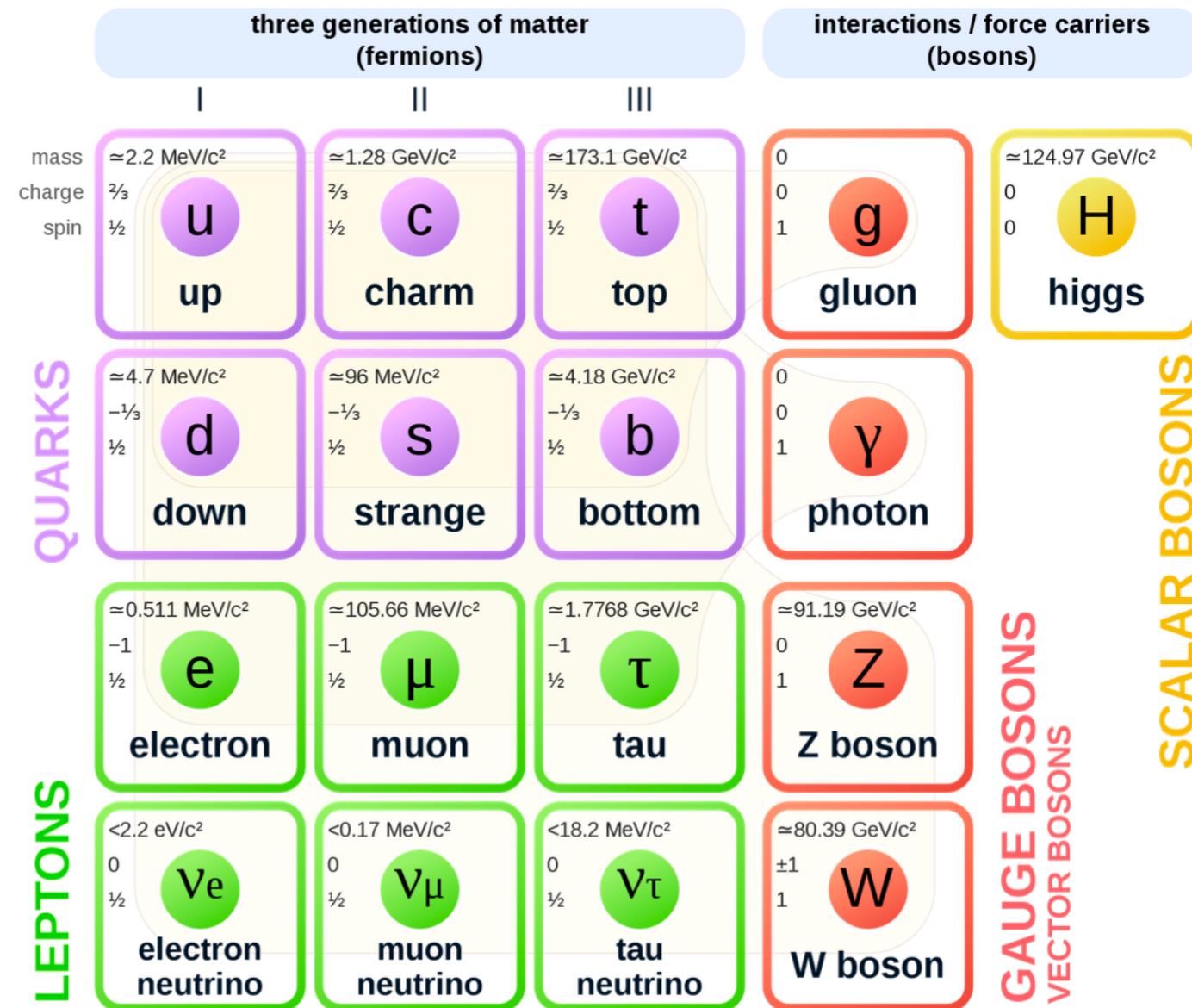
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- ▶ Origin of Neutrino Masses
- ▶ Modular Symmetries as Flavour Symmetries
- ▶ $\mathcal{A}_4$ Modular Symmetric Model
- ▶ Neutrino Mass Sum Rule
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Standard Model of Elementary Particles



$$\mathbb{G}_{SM} = SU(3)_c \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$$

$$\mathcal{L}^Y = \bar{u} Y_u Q H + \bar{Q} Y_d d H + \text{h.c.}$$

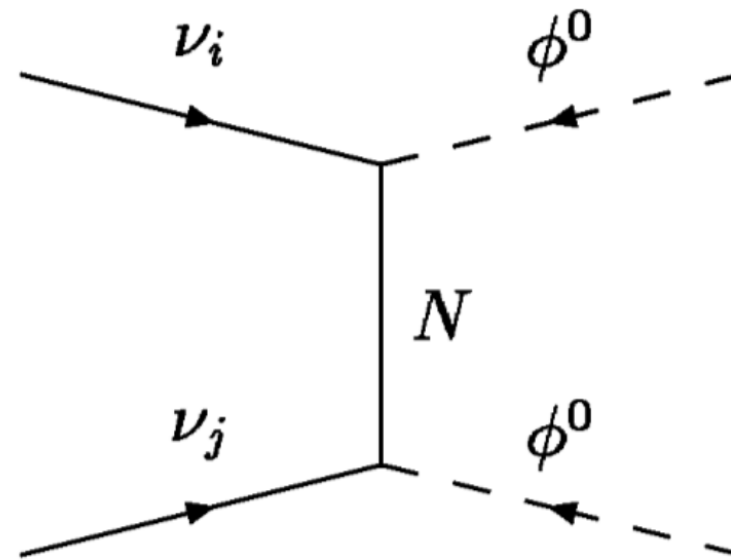
$$\langle h^0 \rangle = v \rightarrow m_f = Y_f v$$

Weinberg Operator 1979: $\frac{LHLH}{\Lambda} = \frac{(l-H^+-\nu H^0)(l-H^+-\nu H^0)}{\Lambda}$

Add $N_R \sim (1, 1, 0)$ under $\mathbb{G}_{SM}$

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$$\mathcal{L}_{new} = \bar{N} Y_D L H + m_N N_R N_R + \text{h.c.}$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & m_D \\ m_D & m_N \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow m_\nu \simeq \frac{-m_D^2}{m_N}$$

$v \ll m_N \sim 10^{11} \text{ GeV} \rightarrow m_\nu \ll v$ with $Y_D \sim 1$
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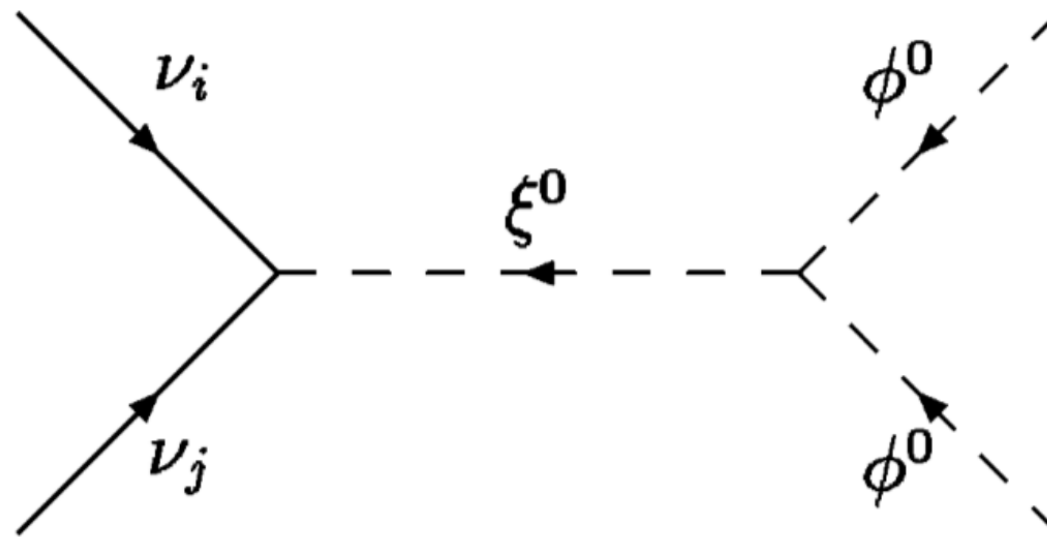
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Add[1980] $\xi = (\xi^{++}, \xi^+, \xi^0) \sim (1, 3, 1)$ under $\mathbb{G}_{SM}$

$$\mathcal{L}_{new} = Y L \xi L - \mu H \xi H + \text{h.c.} \rightarrow m_\nu = Y \langle \xi^0 \rangle = -2 \frac{Y \mu v^2}{M_\xi}$$

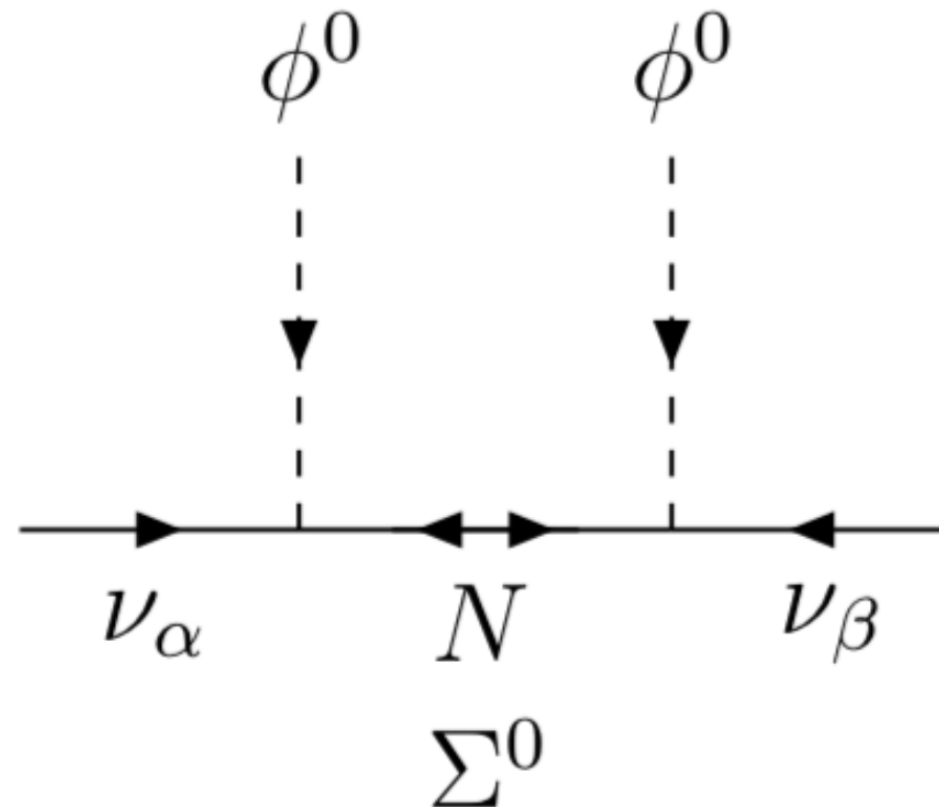


Add $\Sigma_R \sim (1, 3, 0)$ under $\mathbb{G}_{SM}$

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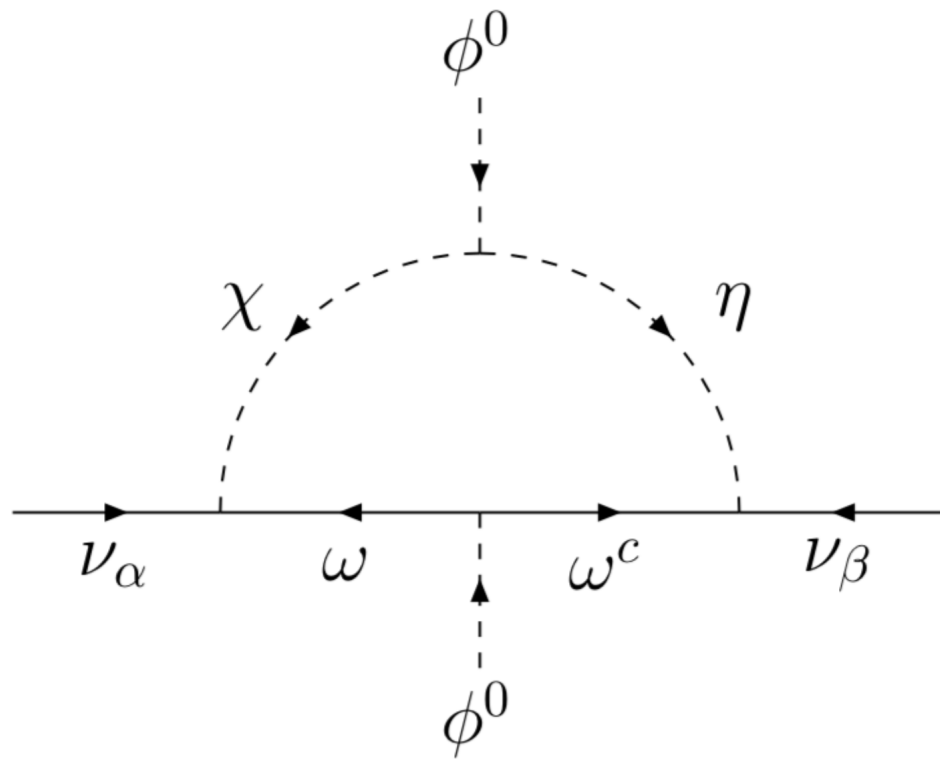


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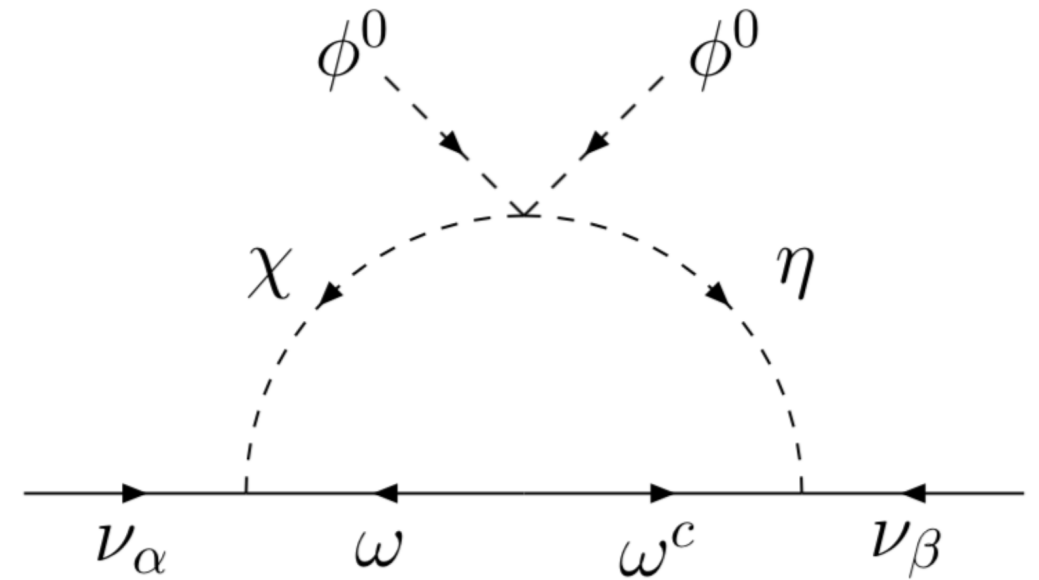
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RADIATIVE MAJORANA NEUTRINO MASSES

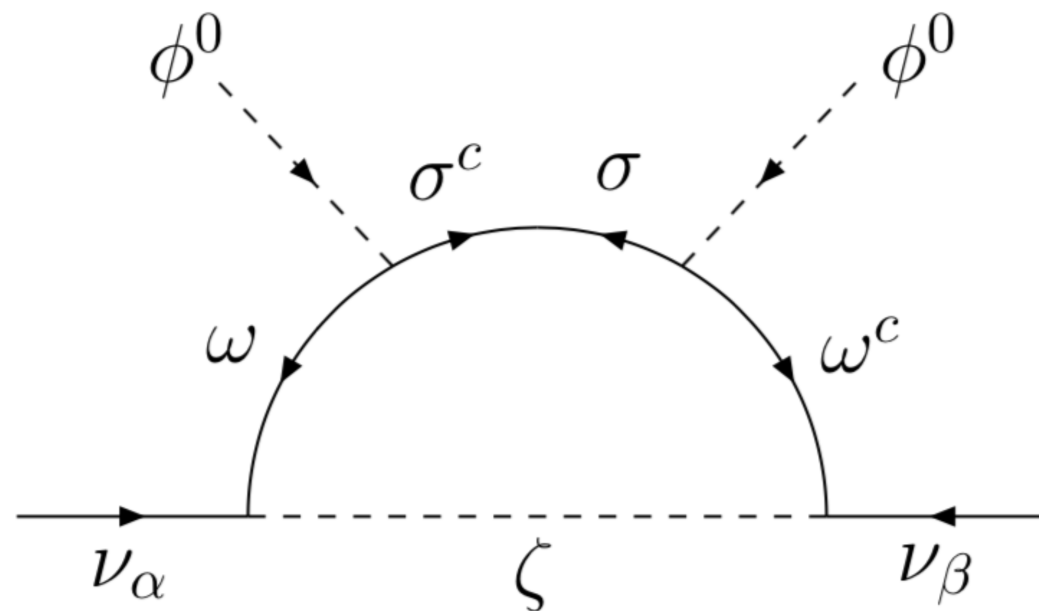
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Zee[1986]



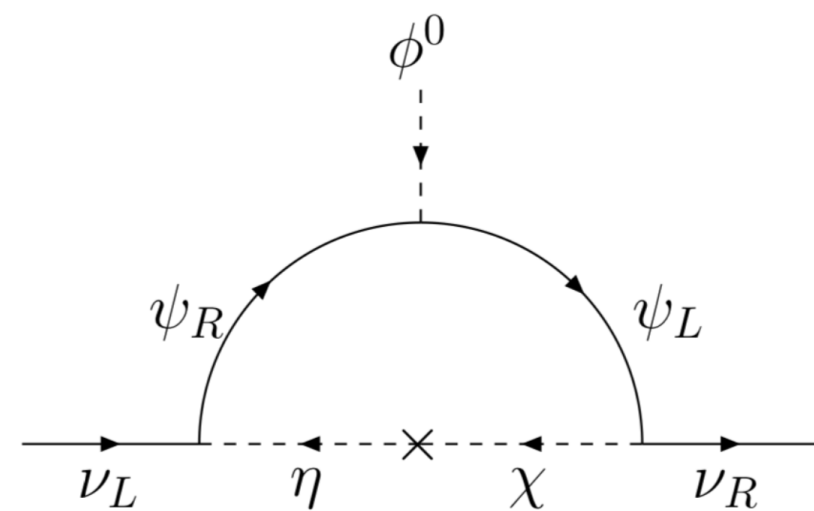
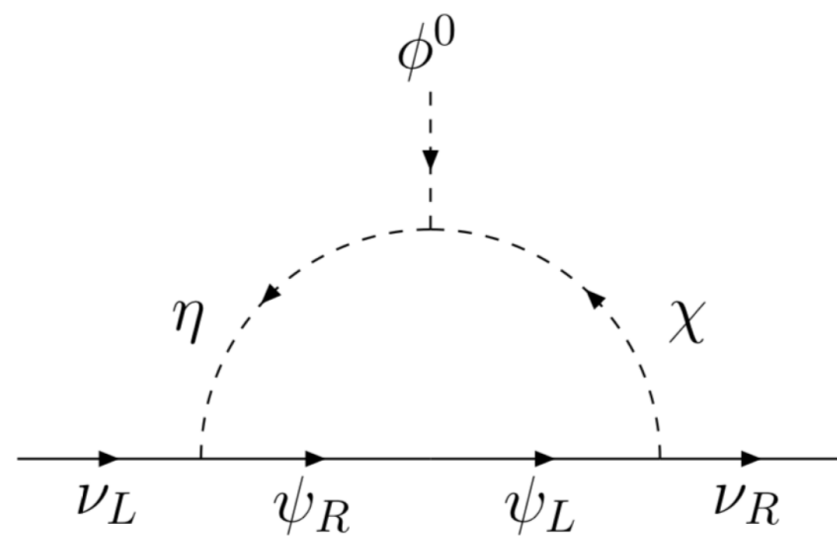
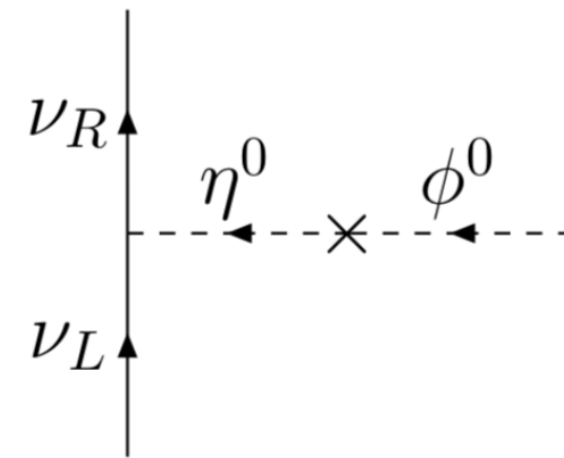
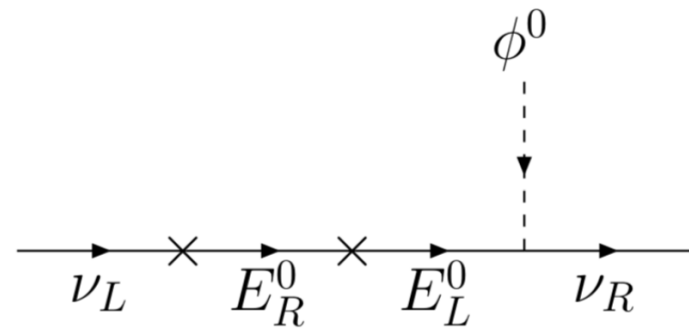
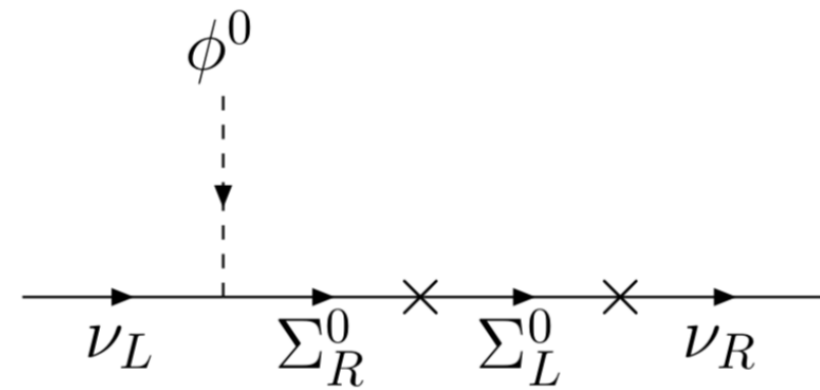
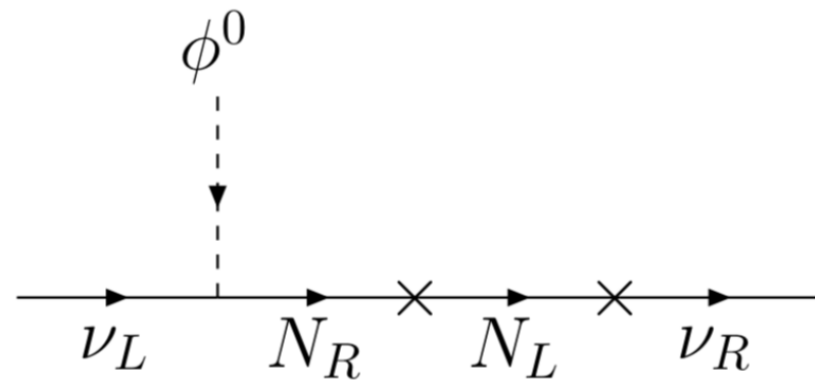
Ma[2006]



Fraser, Ma, OP[2014]

DIRAC NEUTRINO MASSES

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MODULAR SYMMETRY

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$$\tau \longrightarrow \gamma\tau = \frac{a\tau + b}{c\tau + d}$$

$$S^2 = \mathcal{I} , \quad (ST)^3 = \mathcal{I} .$$

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} , \quad T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} , \quad S : \tau \longrightarrow -\frac{1}{\tau} , \quad T : \tau \longrightarrow \tau + 1 .$$

$$\Gamma(N) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL(2, \mathbb{Z}) , \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{N} \right\} \quad \Gamma_N \equiv \bar{\Gamma}/\bar{\Gamma}(N)$$

$$f_i(\gamma\tau) = (c\tau + d)^k \rho_{ij}(\gamma) f_j(\tau) , \quad \gamma \in \Gamma(N)$$

$$\Gamma_3 \simeq \mathcal{A}_4$$

$$y_1(\tau) = 1 + 12q + 36q^2 + 12q^3 + \dots$$

$$y_2(\tau) = -6q^{1/3}(1 + 7q + 8q^2 + \dots)$$

$$q \equiv e^{i2\pi\tau}$$

$$y_3(\tau) = -18q^{2/3}(1 + 2q + 5q^2 + \dots)$$

$$Y_3^{(4)} = (y_1^2 - y_2y_3, y_3^2 - y_1y_2, y_2^2 - y_1y_3)$$

$$Y_1^{(6)} = y_1^3 + y_2^3 + y_3^3 - 3y_1y_2y_3$$

$$Y_1^{(4)} = y_1^2 + 2y_2y_3$$

$$Y_{3a}^{(6)} = (y_1^3 + 2y_1y_2y_3, y_1^2y_2 + 2y_2^2y_3, y_1^2y_3 + 2y_3^2y_2)$$

$$Y_{1'}^{(4)} = y_3^2 + 2y_1y_2$$

$$Y_{3b}^{(6)} = (y_3^3 + 2y_1y_2y_3, y_3^2y_1 + 2y_1^2y_2, y_3^2y_2 + 2y_2^2y_1)$$

$$Y_{1''}^{(4)} = y_2^2 + 2y_1y_3$$

$$Y_{3c}^{(6)} = (y_2^3 + 2y_1y_2y_3, y_2^2y_3 + 2y_3^2y_1, y_2^2y_1 + 2y_1^2y_3)$$

$\mathcal{A}_4$ MODULAR SYMMETRIC MODEL

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Fields	$SU(3)_c$	$SU(2)_L$	$U(1)_Y$	$\Gamma_3 \simeq \mathcal{A}_4$	$-k$
L_i	1	2	$-\frac{1}{2}$	3	-3
E_i^c	1	1	1	1, 1', 1''	-1
H_u	1	2	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	0
H_d	1	2	$-\frac{1}{2}$	1	0
Δ	1	3	1	1	0

$\mathcal{A}_4$ MODULAR SYMMETRIC MODEL

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$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{W} = & \alpha_1 (Y_e L)_1 E_1^c H_d + \alpha_2 (Y_e L)_{1''} E_2^c H_d + \alpha_3 (Y_e L)_{1'} E_3^c H_d \\ & + \alpha \left(Y_{\nu,1} (LL)_{3_s} \right)_1 \Delta + \beta \left(Y_{\nu,2} (LL)_{3_s} \right)_1 \Delta \\ & + \mu H_u H_d + \mu_\Delta H_d H_d \Delta \end{aligned}$$

Yukawas	$\Gamma_3 \simeq \mathcal{A}_4$	k
$Y_e = Y_3^{(4)}$	3	4
$Y_{\nu,1} = Y_{3a}^{(6)}$	3	6
$Y_{\nu,2} = Y_{3b}^{(6)}$	3	6

NEUTRINO AND CHARGED LEPTON MASS MATRIX

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$$M_\ell = v_H \begin{pmatrix} Y_{3,1}^{(4)} & Y_{3,2}^{(4)} & Y_{3,3}^{(4)} \\ Y_{3,3}^{(4)} & Y_{3,1}^{(4)} & Y_{3,2}^{(4)} \\ Y_{3,2}^{(4)} & Y_{3,3}^{(4)} & Y_{3,1}^{(4)} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \alpha_3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$M_\nu = v_\Delta \begin{pmatrix} 2Y_1 & -Y_3 & -Y_2 \\ -Y_3 & 2Y_2 & -Y_1 \\ -Y_2 & -Y_1 & 2Y_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

where $Y_i \equiv \alpha Y_{3a,i}^{(6)} + \beta Y_{3b,i}^{(6)}$ and $i \in \{1,2,3\}$

The neutrino mass matrix features the interesting neutrino mass ordering independent sum rule

$$m_{\text{heaviest}} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i m_i, \quad \dagger \quad i = 1, 2, 3.$$

m_i : the three physical masses of the neutrinos

m_{heaviest} : the heaviest out of the three light neutrinos

[†]:S.C.Centelles et.al., JHEP 10 (2022) 080

Neutrino Mass Sum Rule + Neutrino Oscillations =
the Neutrino Masses are fixed

NO:

$$m_3 = m_1 + m_2$$

$$\Delta m_{21}^2 = 7.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2, \quad \Delta m_{31}^2 = 2.55 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2 \star$$

$$m_1 = 0.0282 \text{ eV}, \quad m_2 = 0.0295 \text{ eV}, \quad m_3 = 0.0578 \text{ eV}$$

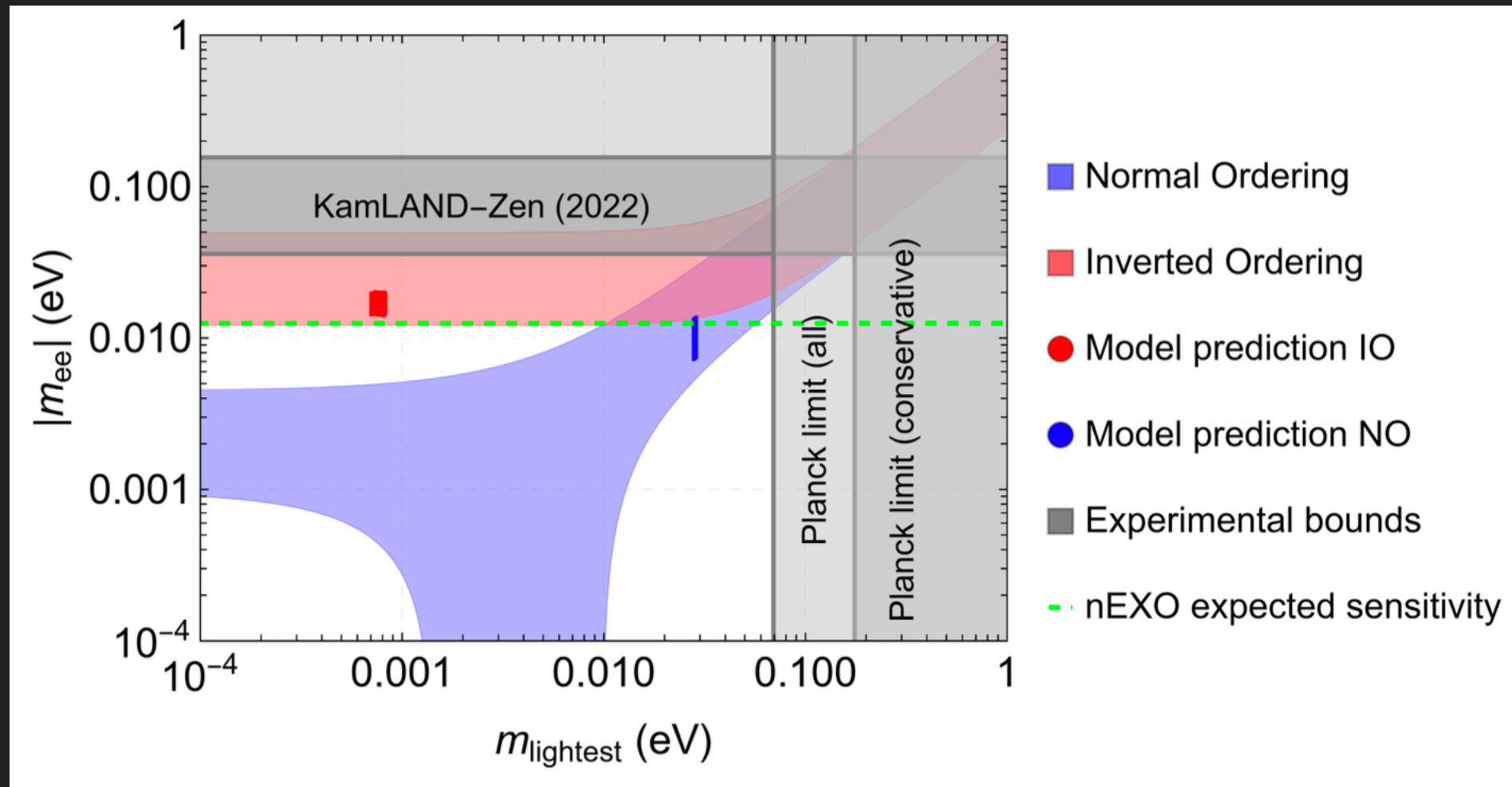
IO:

$$m_2 = m_1 + m_3$$

$$\Delta m_{21}^2 = 7.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2, \quad \Delta m_{31}^2 = -2.45 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2 \star$$

$$m_3 = 7.5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ eV}, \quad m_1 = 0.049 \text{ eV}, \quad m_2 = 0.050 \text{ eV}$$

$\star$: P.F.Salas et.al., [JHEP 02 \(2021\) 071](#); P.F.Salas et.al., [10.5281/zenodo.4726908](#).

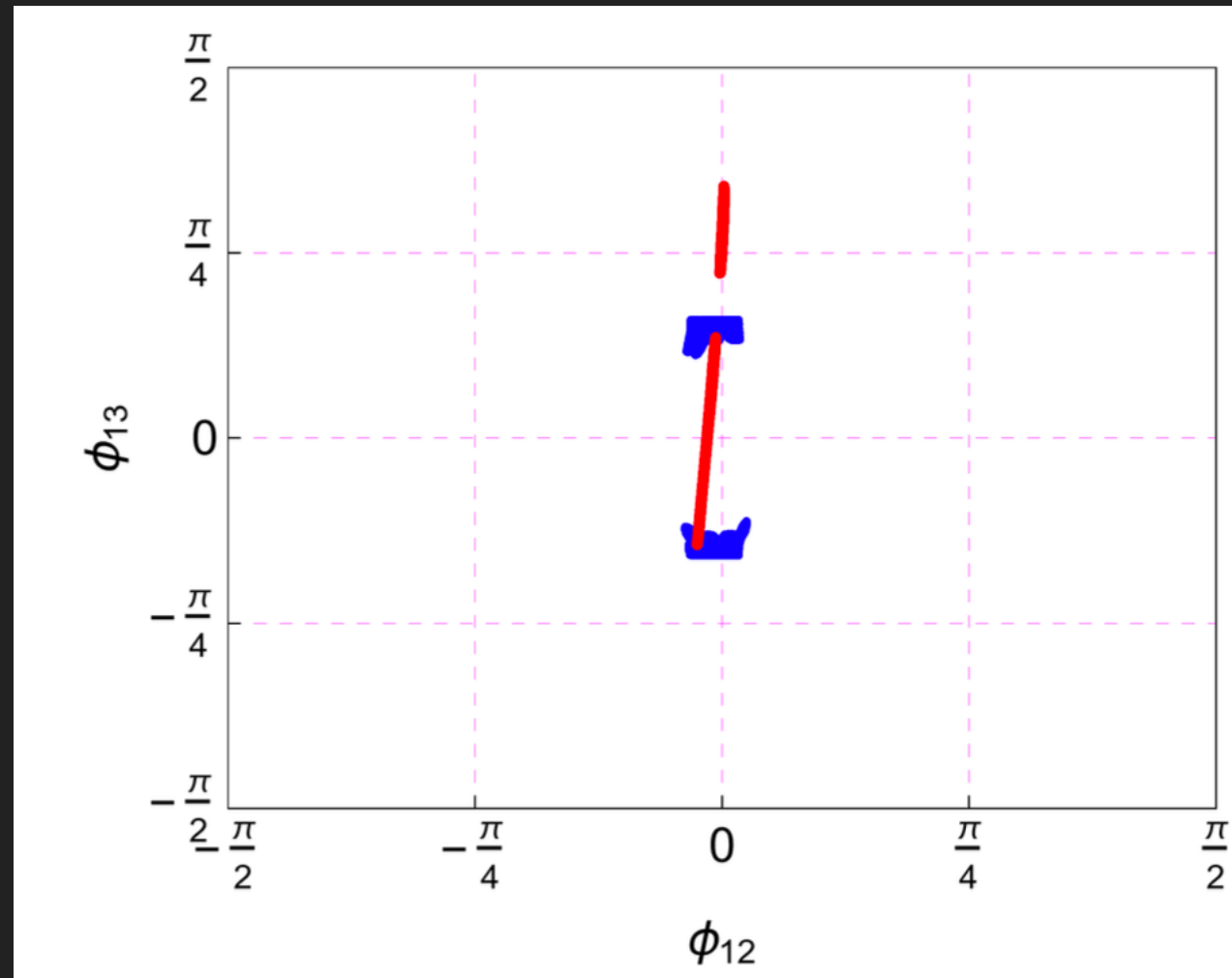


$$\sum_i m_i^{\text{NO}} \in [0.1138, 0.1176] \text{ eV}^{\star} \quad |m_{ee}| = \left| \sum_i U_{ei}^2 m_i \right|^a$$

$$\sum_i m_i^{\text{IO}} \in [0.1007, 0.1041] \text{ eV}^{\star} \quad = \left| c_{12}^2 c_{13}^2 m_1 + s_{12}^2 c_{13}^2 e^{2i\phi_{12}} m_2 + s_{13}^2 e^{2i\phi_{13}} m_3 \right|$$

$\star$: N. Aghanim et.al., [Astron. Astrophys. 641 \(2020\) A6](#); a: W. Rodejohann et.al., [Phys. Rev. D 84 \(2011\) 073011](#)

Correlation between Majorana phases



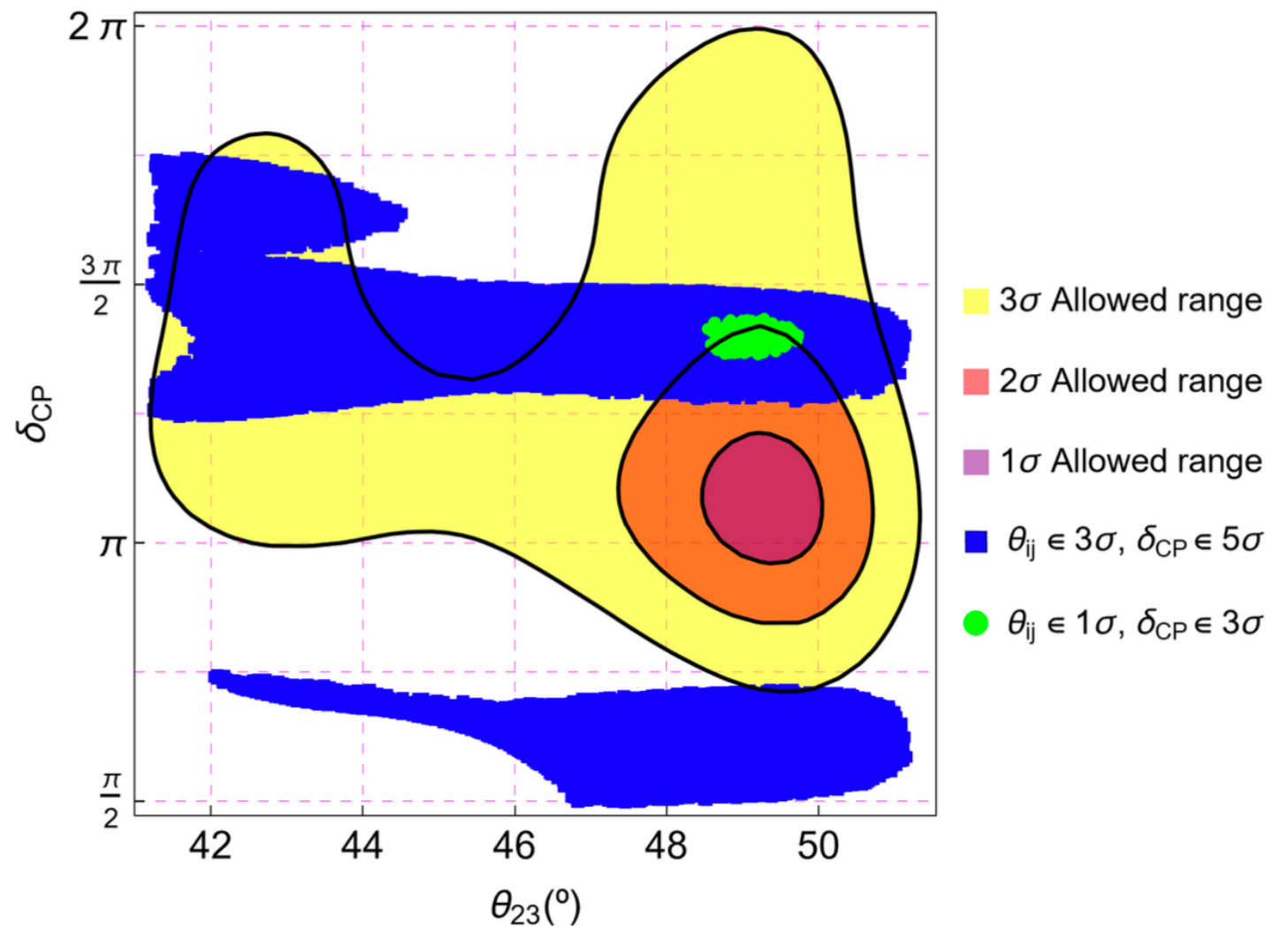
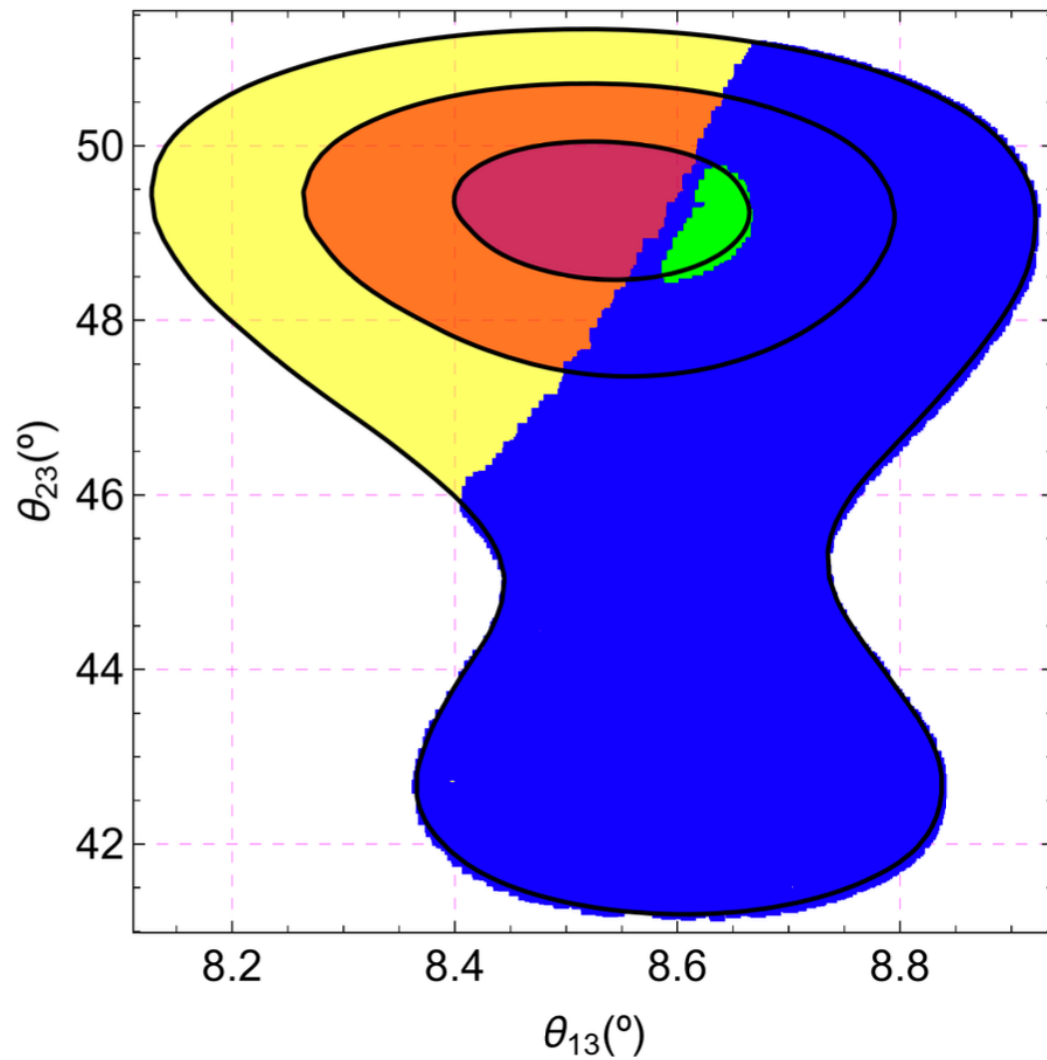
$$m_{\nu_e}^{\text{eff}} = \sqrt{\sum_i |U_{ei}|^2 m_i^2},$$

$$m_{\nu_e}^{\text{eff}} < 0.8 \text{ eV, 90\% CL (2023),}$$

$$m_{\nu_e}^{\text{eff}} < 0.2 \text{ eV, 90\% CL (2025 expected sensitivity)}$$

RESULTS

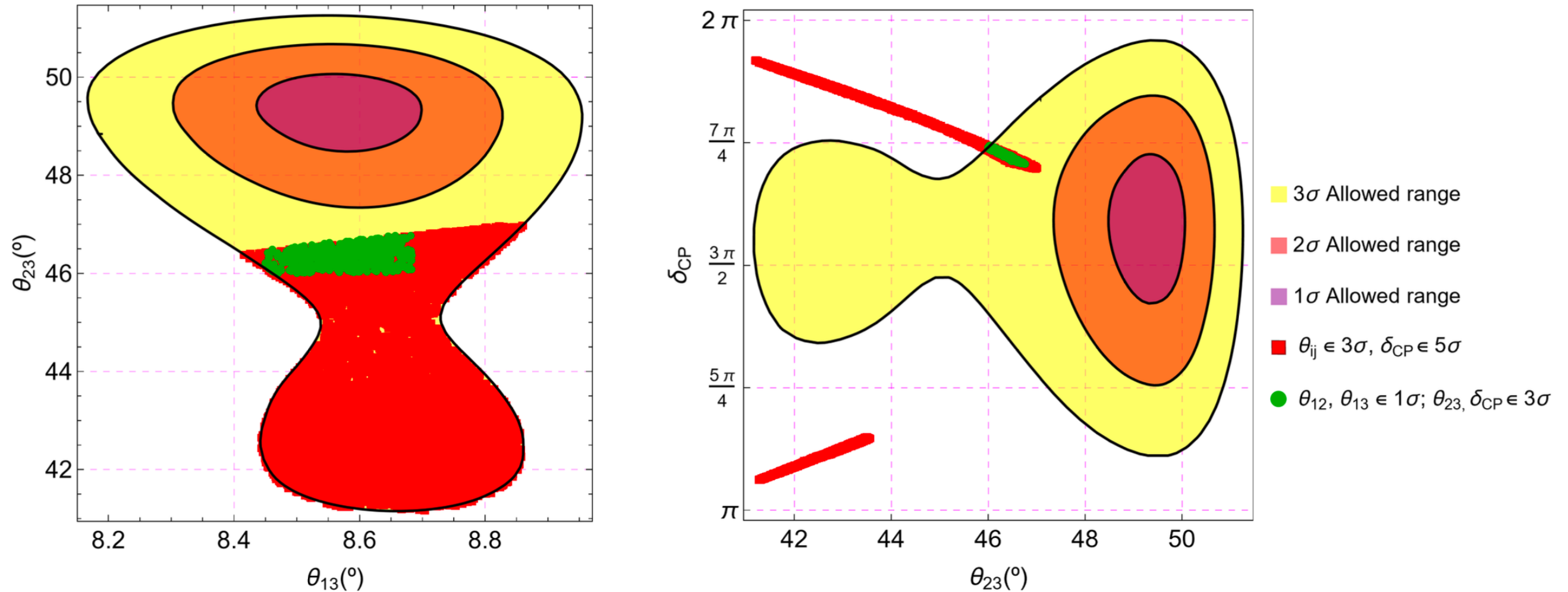
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- ▶ NO case: the blue dots satisfy all the 2D 3 σ mixing angles correlations, while the CP violation phase δ_{CP} is in its 5 σ region. The green dots instead have the mixing angles inside their 1 σ regions and δ_{CP} in their 3 σ ones.
- ▶ Left: Correlation between θ_{13} and θ_{23} . This correlation implies an lower bound on $\theta_{13} > 8.36^\circ$.
- ▶ Right: Correlation between θ_{23} and δ_{CP}

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- IO case: the red dots satisfy all the 2D 3 σ mixing angles correlations, while the CP violation phase δ_{CP} is in its 5 σ region. The dark green dots instead have the mixing angles θ_{12} and θ_{13} inside their 1 σ regions, while δ_{CP} and θ_{23} are in their 3 σ ones.
- Left: θ_{13} vs θ_{23} . The model predicts an upper bound on $\theta_{23} < 46.8^\circ$.
- Right: θ_{23} vs δ_{CP} .

- ▶ Naturally small neutrino masses and Minimal MSSM extension
- ▶ Remarkably predictive model
- ▶ Sum Rule + Neutrino Oscillations = Fixed Neutrino Masses
- ▶ NO: $\theta_{13} > 8.36^\circ$, correlation between θ_{23} and δ_{CP}
- ▶ IO: $\theta_{23} < 46.8^\circ$, correlation between θ_{23} and δ_{CP}
- ▶ The combination of current and future neutrino oscillation experiments will reduce the parameter space even further and will potentially rule out the inverted ordering case.

谢谢！