

Economic models of flavor

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- Conventional (PDG) parameterization for the mixing matrices U_{CKM} and U_{PMNS} :

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{23} & s_{23} \\ 0 & -s_{23} & c_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s_{13}e^{i\delta} & 0 & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} & s_{12} & 0 \\ -s_{12} & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot P_{\text{Maj}} \quad (\text{eventually})$$

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"Dirac" CP phase δ

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Abe K *et al.* (T2K Collaboration) 2011 PRL 107 041801

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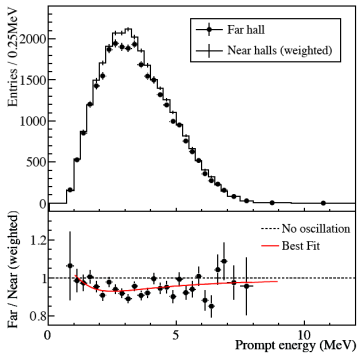
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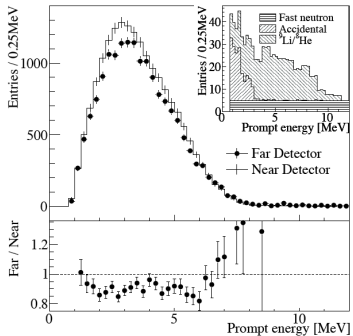
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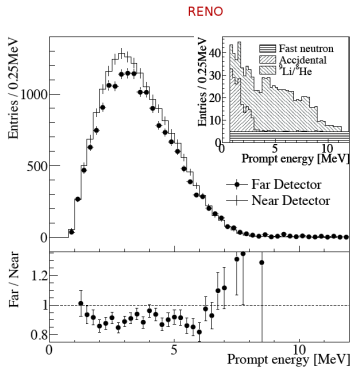
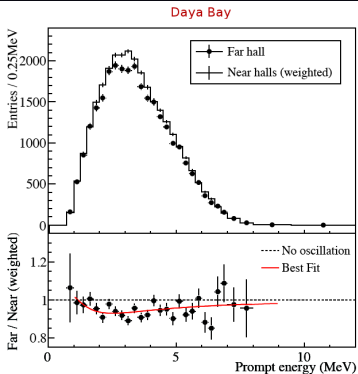
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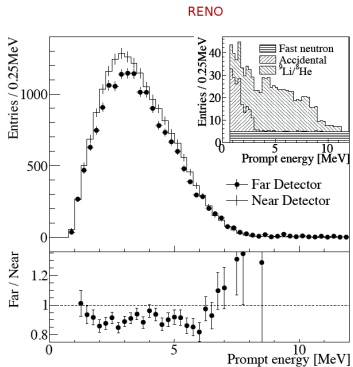
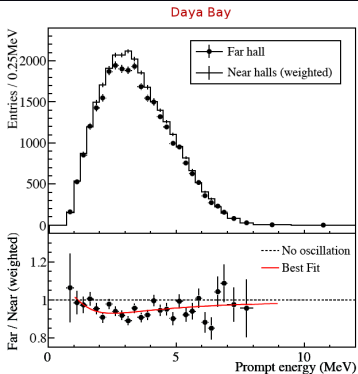
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- Current values

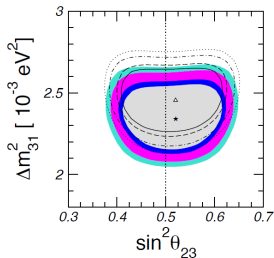
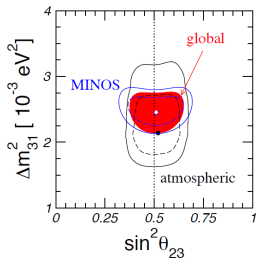
$$\Delta m_{21}^2 = 7.59_{-0.18}^{+0.20} \times 10^{-5} \text{eV}^2$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_{12} = 0.312_{-0.015}^{+0.017}$$

Schwetz T, Tortola M and Valle J 2011 *New J. Phys* 13 063004

$|\Delta m_{31}^2|$ and θ_{23}

$$|\Delta m_{31}^2| = \begin{cases} 2.45 \pm 0.09 & \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2 \text{ (NH)} \\ 2.34^{+0.10}_{-0.09} & \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2 \text{ (IH)} \end{cases} \quad \text{and} \quad \sin^2 \theta_{23} = 0.51 \pm 0.06$$



Present status: Mixing parameters

U_{PMNS} :

$$\theta_{12}^{\text{PMNS}} \approx 34^\circ \pm 1^\circ$$

$$\theta_{23}^{\text{PMNS}} \approx 45^\circ \pm 3^\circ$$

$$\theta_{13}^{\text{PMNS}} \approx 9^\circ \pm 1^\circ$$

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($\varphi_{1,2}^{\text{Maj}} = \text{unknown}$)

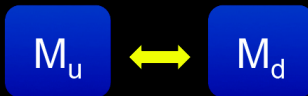
→ two large mixings

→ $\theta_{13}^{\text{PMNS}} = O(\theta_C)$

→ unknown phases

Up-type quarks

Down-type quarks



$$U_{\text{CKM}} = U^{u\dagger} U^d$$

Neutrinos

Charged leptons



$$U_{\text{PMNS}} = U^{e\dagger} U^\nu$$

U_{CKM} :

$$\theta_{12}^{\text{CKM}} \equiv \theta_C \approx 13.0^\circ$$

$$\theta_{23}^{\text{CKM}} \approx 2.4^\circ$$

$$\theta_{13}^{\text{CKM}} \approx 0.2^\circ$$

$$\delta^{\text{CKM}} \approx 70^\circ \pm 2^\circ$$

→ very small 2-3 and 1-3 mixings

→ only not-so-small mixing is the Cabibbo angle θ_C

→ "large" CP phase δ^{CKM}

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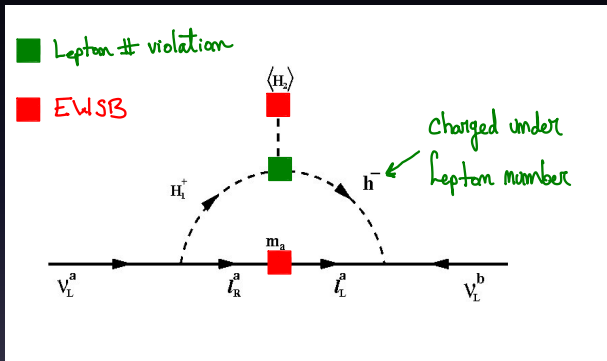
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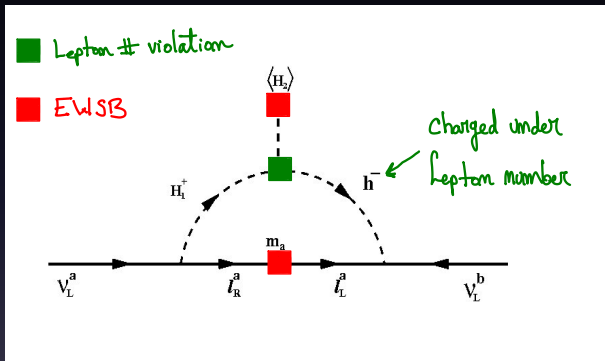


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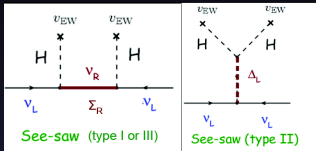
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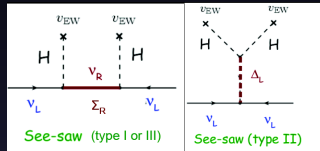
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P. Minkowski, Mohapatra, Senjanovic, Yanagida,
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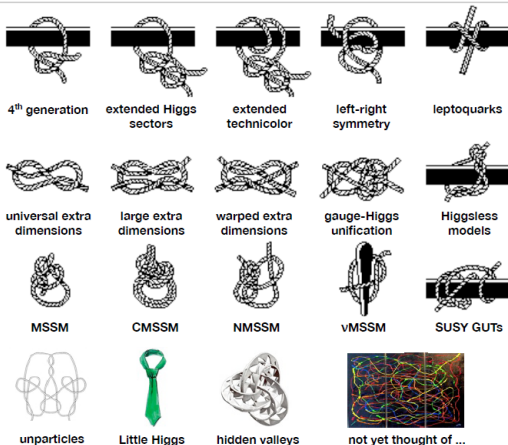
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But massive particles do exist \rightarrow Higgs mechanism

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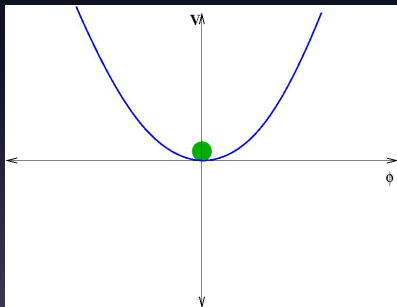
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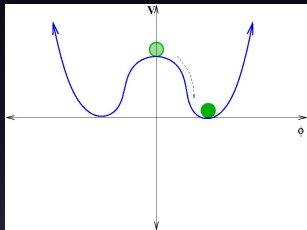
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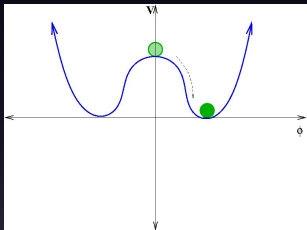


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This scalar must also couple to fermions $\rightarrow \bar{\Psi}\Phi\Psi$

now the VEV satisfies $\langle\Phi\rangle \neq 0$

and we obtain $\bar{\Psi}\Phi\Psi \rightarrow \bar{\Psi}\langle\Phi\rangle\Psi \rightarrow$ Gauge symmetry has been broken spontaneously!!!

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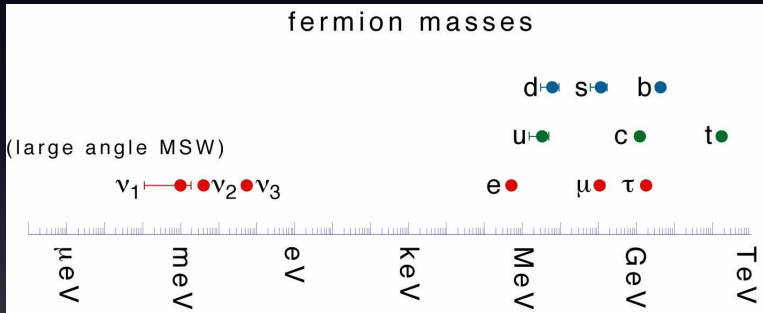
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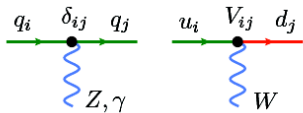
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\mathbf{Y}_a are the so-called *YUKAWA matrices* \rightarrow completely undetermined in the SM.

Masses?



Mixing angles?



δ : unit matrix

V : CKM matrix

$$V \approx \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \lambda & \lambda^3 \\ -\lambda & 1 & \lambda^2 \\ -\lambda^3 & -\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} d \\ s \\ b \\ u \\ c \\ t \end{matrix}$$

$\lambda \approx 0.22$: Cabibbo angle

Mixing angles?

Tri-bimaximal mixing

Harrison, Perkins, Scott ('02)

$$U_{TB} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} P$$

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- Must find a symmetry (and model) that works!

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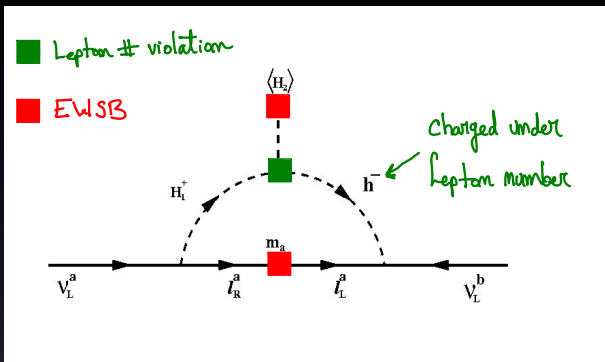
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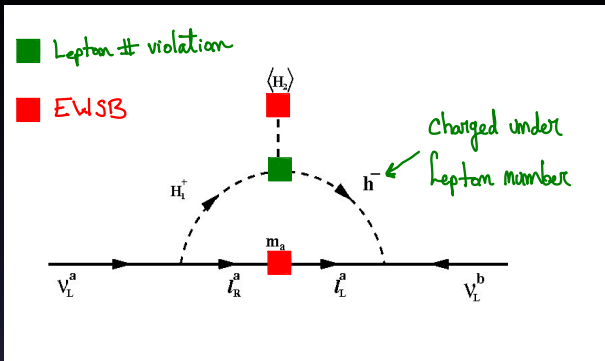
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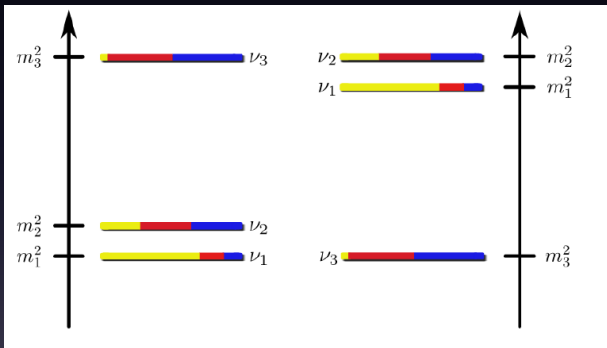
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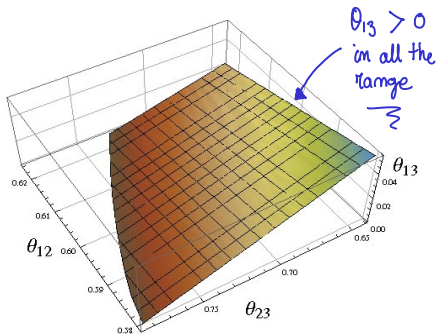
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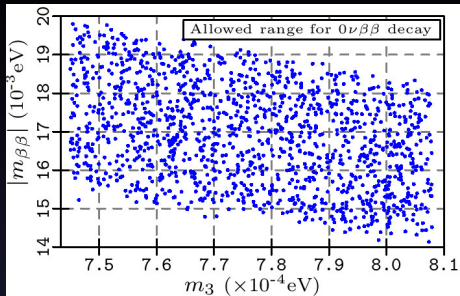
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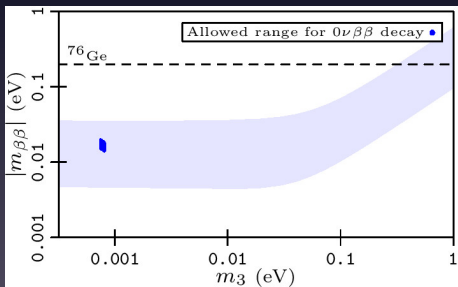
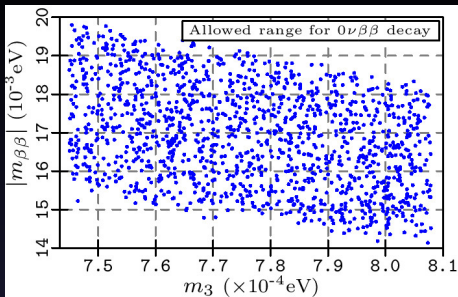
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