

# OVERVIEW OF NEUTRINO MASSES AND MIXING

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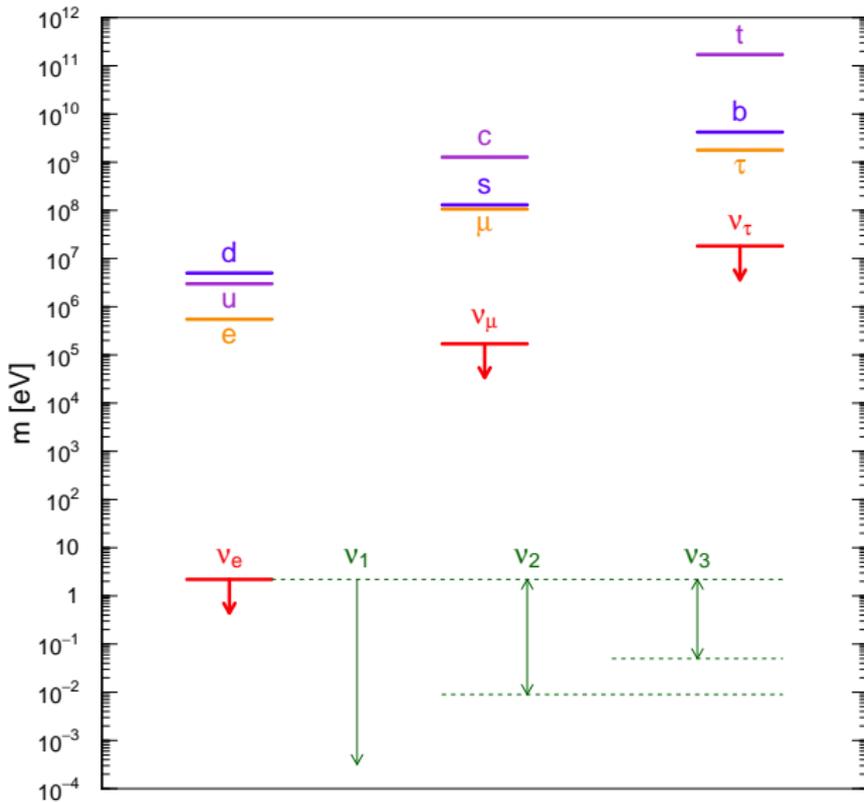
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# Fermion Mass Spectrum



# Standard Model: Massless Neutrinos

	1 <sup>st</sup> Generation	2 <sup>nd</sup> Generation	3 <sup>rd</sup> Generation
<b>Quarks:</b>	$\begin{pmatrix} u_L & u_R \\ d_L & d_R \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{u}_R & \bar{u}_L \\ \bar{d}_R & \bar{d}_L \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} c_L & c_R \\ s_L & s_R \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{c}_R & \bar{c}_L \\ \bar{s}_R & \bar{s}_L \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} t_L & t_R \\ b_L & b_R \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{t}_R & \bar{t}_L \\ \bar{b}_R & \bar{b}_L \end{pmatrix}$
<b>Leptons:</b>	$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_{eL} & \cancel{\nu_{eR}} \\ e_L & e_R \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\nu}_{eR} & \cancel{\bar{\nu}_{eL}} \\ \bar{e}_R & \bar{e}_L \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_{\mu L} & \cancel{\nu_{\mu R}} \\ \mu_L & \mu_R \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\nu}_{\mu R} & \cancel{\bar{\nu}_{\mu L}} \\ \bar{\mu}_R & \bar{\mu}_L \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_{\tau L} & \cancel{\nu_{\tau R}} \\ \tau_L & \tau_R \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{\nu}_{\tau R} & \cancel{\bar{\nu}_{\tau L}} \\ \bar{\tau}_R & \bar{\tau}_L \end{pmatrix}$

▶ No  $\nu_R \implies$  No Dirac mass term  $\mathcal{L}_{\nu_e}^D \sim m^D \nu_{eR} \nu_{eL}$

▶ Majorana Neutrino:  $\nu = \bar{\nu} \implies \nu_R = \bar{\nu}_R$

Majorana mass term:  $\mathcal{L}_{\nu_e}^M \sim m^M \bar{\nu}_{eR} \nu_{eL} = m^M \nu_{eR} \nu_{eL}$

forbidden by Standard Model  $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$  symmetry!

▶ In Standard Model neutrinos are **massless!**

▶ Experimentally allowed until 1998, when the Super-Kamiokande atmospheric neutrino experiment obtained a model-independent proof of **Neutrino Oscillations**

# Neutrino Oscillations

- ▶ 1957: Bruno Pontecorvo proposed a form of neutrino oscillations in analogy with  $K^0 \leftrightarrow \bar{K}^0$  oscillations (Gell-Mann and Pais, 1955).
- ▶ Theoretical and experimental developments led to **neutrino mixing** [Maki, Nakagawa, Sakata, Prog. Theor. Phys. 28 (1962) 870] and the theory of neutrino oscillations as **flavor transitions** which oscillate with distance [Pontecorvo, Sov. Phys. JETP 26 (1968) 984; Gribov, Pontecorvo, PLB 28 (1969); Bilenky, Pontecorvo, Sov. J. Nucl. Phys. 24 (1976) 316, PLB 61 (1976) 248; Fritzsche, Minkowski, Phys. Lett. B62 (1976) 72; Eliezer, Swift, Nucl. Phys. B105 (1976) 45] .
- ▶ Flavor Neutrinos:  $\nu_e, \nu_\mu, \nu_\tau$  produced in Weak Interactions
- ▶ Massive Neutrinos:  $\nu_1, \nu_2, \nu_3$  propagate from Source to Detector
- ▶ A Flavor Neutrino is a **superposition** of Massive Neutrinos

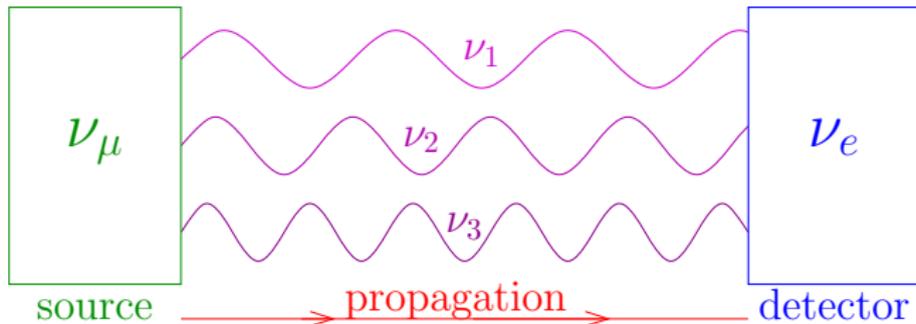
$$|\nu_e\rangle = U_{e1} |\nu_1\rangle + U_{e2} |\nu_2\rangle + U_{e3} |\nu_3\rangle$$

$$|\nu_\mu\rangle = U_{\mu 1} |\nu_1\rangle + U_{\mu 2} |\nu_2\rangle + U_{\mu 3} |\nu_3\rangle$$

$$|\nu_\tau\rangle = U_{\tau 1} |\nu_1\rangle + U_{\tau 2} |\nu_2\rangle + U_{\tau 3} |\nu_3\rangle$$

- ▶  $U$  is the  $3 \times 3$  Neutrino Mixing Matrix

$$|\nu(t=0)\rangle = |\nu_\mu\rangle = U_{\mu 1} |\nu_1\rangle + U_{\mu 2} |\nu_2\rangle + U_{\mu 3} |\nu_3\rangle$$



$$|\nu(t > 0)\rangle = U_{\mu 1} e^{-iE_1 t} |\nu_1\rangle + U_{\mu 2} e^{-iE_2 t} |\nu_2\rangle + U_{\mu 3} e^{-iE_3 t} |\nu_3\rangle \neq |\nu_\mu\rangle$$

$$E_k^2 = p^2 + m_k^2$$

$$P_{\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e}(t > 0) = |\langle \nu_e | \nu(t > 0) \rangle|^2 \sim \sum_{k>j} \text{Re}[U_{ek} U_{\mu k}^* U_{ej}^* U_{\mu j}] \sin^2\left(\frac{\Delta m_{kj}^2 L}{4E}\right)$$

transition probabilities depend on  $U$  and  $\Delta m_{kj}^2 \equiv m_k^2 - m_j^2$

$$\begin{array}{cccc} \nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu & \nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\tau & \nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e & \nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\tau \\ \bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\mu & \bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\tau & \bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e & \bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\tau \end{array}$$

# Three-Neutrino Mixing Paradigm

## Standard Parameterization of Mixing Matrix

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{23} & s_{23} \\ 0 & -s_{23} & c_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & s_{13} e^{-i\delta_{13}} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s_{13} e^{i\delta_{13}} & 0 & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} & s_{12} & 0 \\ -s_{12} & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\lambda_{21}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{i\lambda_{31}} \end{pmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} c_{13} & s_{12} c_{13} & s_{13} e^{-i\delta_{13}} \\ -s_{12} c_{23} - c_{12} s_{23} s_{13} e^{i\delta_{13}} & c_{12} c_{23} - s_{12} s_{23} s_{13} e^{i\delta_{13}} & s_{23} c_{13} \\ s_{12} s_{23} - c_{12} c_{23} s_{13} e^{i\delta_{13}} & -c_{12} s_{23} - s_{12} c_{23} s_{13} e^{i\delta_{13}} & c_{23} c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\lambda_{21}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{i\lambda_{31}} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c_{ab} \equiv \cos \vartheta_{ab} \quad s_{ab} \equiv \sin \vartheta_{ab} \quad 0 \leq \vartheta_{ab} \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \quad 0 \leq \delta_{13}, \lambda_{21}, \lambda_{31} < 2\pi$$

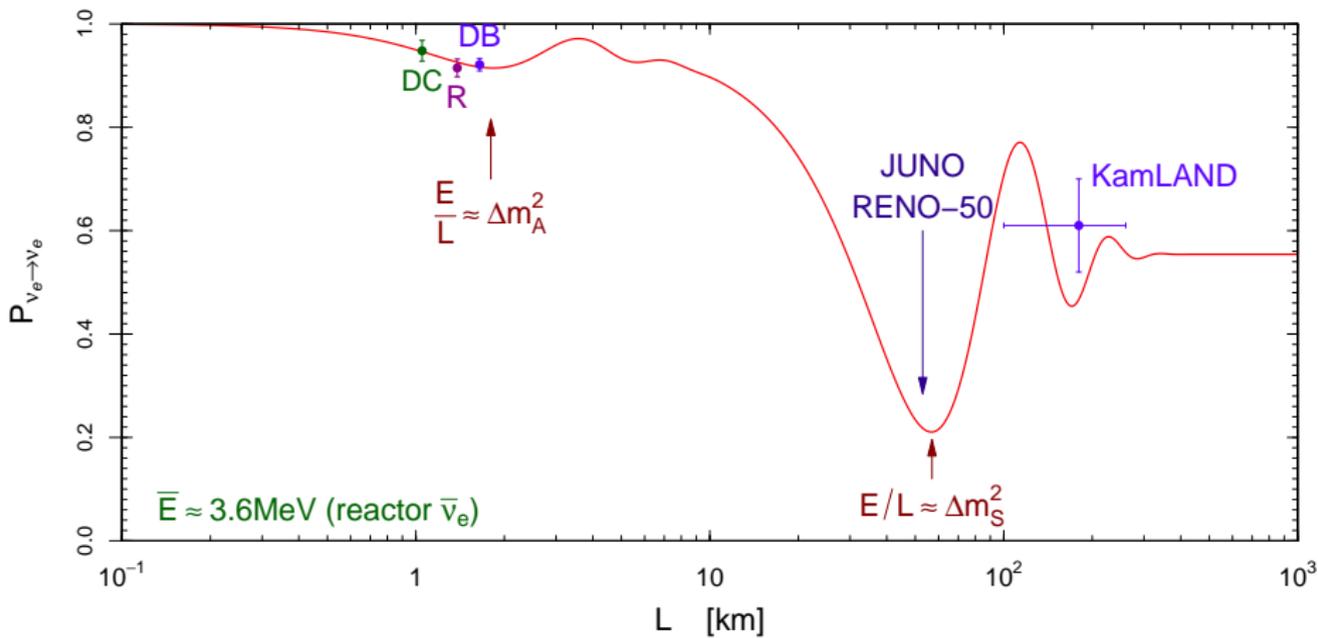
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PARAMETERS

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 3 \text{ Mixing Angles: } \vartheta_{12}, \vartheta_{23}, \vartheta_{13} \\ 1 \text{ CPV Dirac Phase: } \delta_{13} \\ 2 \text{ independent } \Delta m_{kj}^2 \equiv m_k^2 - m_j^2: \Delta m_{21}^2, \Delta m_{31}^2 \end{array} \right.$$

2 CPV Majorana Phases:  $\lambda_{21}, \lambda_{31} \iff |\Delta L| = 2$  processes

# Experimental Evidences of Neutrino Oscillations

<p>Solar <math>\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu, \nu_\tau</math></p> <p>VLBL Reactor <math>\bar{\nu}_e</math> disappearance</p>	$\left( \begin{array}{c} \text{SNO, BOREXino} \\ \text{Super-Kamiokande} \\ \text{GALLEX/GNO, SAGE} \\ \text{Homestake, Kamiokande} \\ \\ \text{(KamLAND)} \end{array} \right)$	$\rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Delta m_S^2 = \Delta m_{21}^2 \simeq 7.6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2 \\ \sin^2 \vartheta_S = \sin^2 \vartheta_{12} \simeq 0.30 \end{array} \right.$
<p>Atmospheric <math>\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\tau</math></p> <p>LBL Accelerator <math>\nu_\mu</math> disappearance</p> <p>LBL Accelerator <math>\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\tau</math></p>	$\left( \begin{array}{c} \text{Super-Kamiokande} \\ \text{Kamiokande, IMB} \\ \text{MACRO, Soudan-2} \\ \\ \text{(K2K, MINOS)} \\ \text{(T2K, NO}\nu\text{A)} \\ \\ \text{(Opera)} \end{array} \right)$	$\rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Delta m_A^2 =  \Delta m_{31}^2  \simeq 2.4 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2 \\ \sin^2 \vartheta_A = \sin^2 \vartheta_{23} \simeq 0.50 \end{array} \right.$
<p>LBL Accelerator <math>\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e</math></p> <p>LBL Reactor <math>\bar{\nu}_e</math> disappearance</p>	$\left( \begin{array}{c} \text{(T2K, MINOS, NO}\nu\text{A)} \\ \\ \text{(Daya Bay, RENO)} \\ \text{Double Chooz} \end{array} \right)$	$\rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Delta m_A^2 =  \Delta m_{31}^2  \\ \sin^2 \vartheta_{13} \simeq 0.023 \end{array} \right.$



## Recent Global Fits

- ▶ Capozzi, Fogli, Lisi, Marrone, Montanino, Palazzo  
Status of three-neutrino oscillation parameters, circa 2013  
Phys.Rev. D89 (2014) 093018, arXiv:1312.2878
- ▶ Forero, Tortola, Valle  
Neutrino oscillations refitted  
Phys.Rev. D90 (2014) 093006, arXiv:1405.7540
- ▶ Gonzalez-Garcia, Maltoni, Schwetz  
Updated fit to three neutrino mixing: status of leptonic CP violation  
JHEP 1411 (2014) 052, arXiv:1409.5439
- ▶ Bergstrom, Gonzalez-Garcia, Maltoni, Schwetz  
Bayesian global analysis of neutrino oscillation data  
arXiv:1507.04366



$$\Delta m_{\Sigma}^2 = \Delta m_{21}^2 \simeq 7.5 \pm 0.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2 \quad \text{uncertainty} \simeq 3\%$$

$$\Delta m_{\Delta}^2 = |\Delta m_{31}^2| \simeq |\Delta m_{32}^2| \simeq 2.4 \pm 0.1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2 \quad \text{uncertainty} \simeq 4\%$$

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{23} & s_{23} \\ 0 & -s_{23} & c_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & s_{13} e^{-i\delta_{13}} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s_{13} e^{i\delta_{13}} & 0 & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} & s_{12} & 0 \\ -s_{12} & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\lambda_{21}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{i\lambda_{31}} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vartheta_{23} = \vartheta_A$$

Daya Bay, RENO

$$\vartheta_{12} = \vartheta_S$$

$\beta\beta_{0\nu}$

$$\sin^2 \vartheta_{23} \simeq 0.4 - 0.6$$

Double Chooz

$$\sin^2 \vartheta_{12} \simeq 0.30 \pm 0.01$$

$$P_{\text{osc}} \propto \sin^2 2\vartheta_{23}$$

T2K, MINOS

maximal and flat

$$\sin^2 \vartheta_{13} \simeq 0.023 \pm 0.002$$

at  $\vartheta_{23} = 45^\circ$

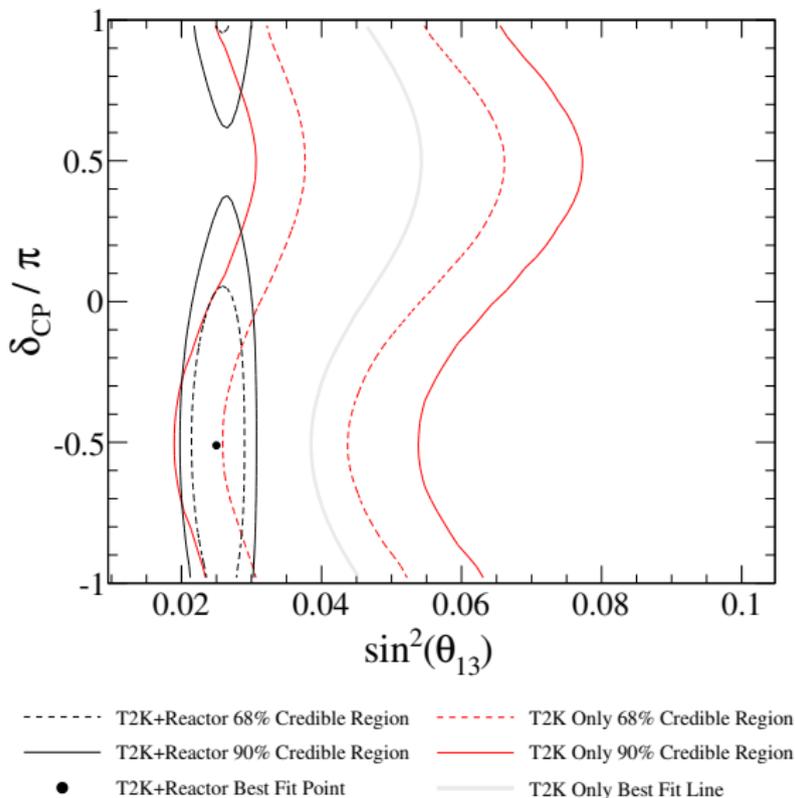
$$\delta_{13} \approx 3\pi/2?$$

$$\frac{\delta \sin^2 \vartheta_{23}}{\sin^2 \vartheta_{23}} \approx 40\%$$

$$\frac{\delta \sin^2 \vartheta_{13}}{\sin^2 \vartheta_{13}} \approx 10\%$$

$$\frac{\delta \sin^2 \vartheta_{12}}{\sin^2 \vartheta_{12}} \approx 5\%$$

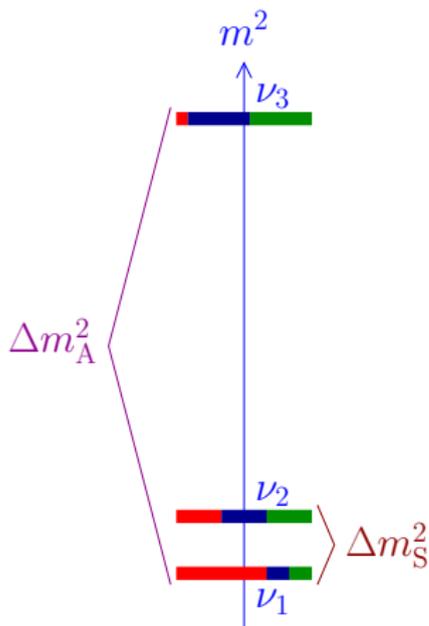
# Maximal CP Violation?



T2K, Phys.Rev. D91 (2015) 072010, arXiv:1502.01550

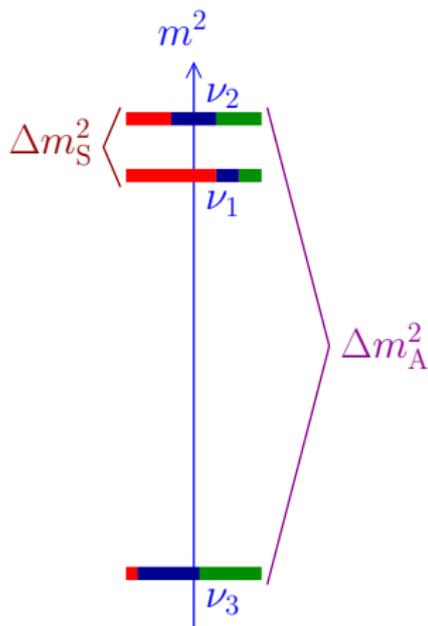
# Mass Ordering

$\nu_e$	$\nu_\mu$	$\nu_\tau$
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Normal Ordering

$$\Delta m_{31}^2 > \Delta m_{32}^2 > 0$$



Inverted Ordering

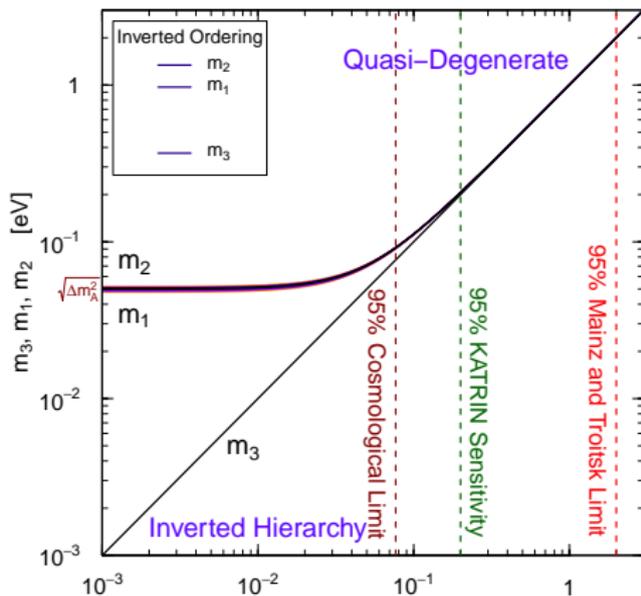
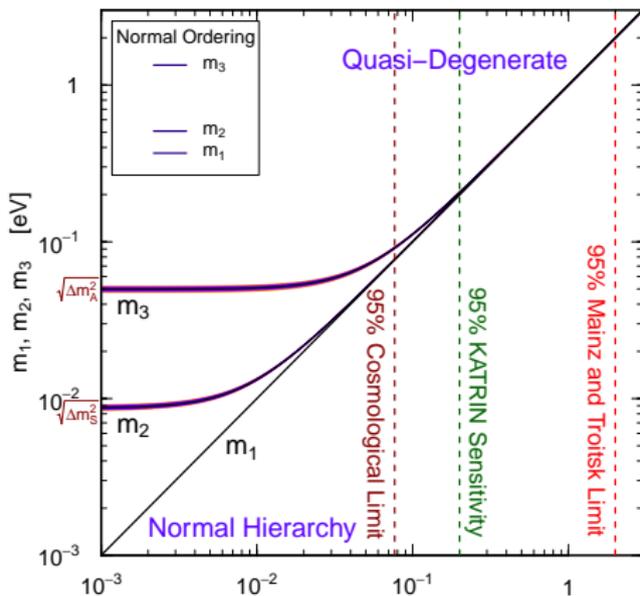
$$\Delta m_{32}^2 < \Delta m_{31}^2 < 0$$

absolute scale is not determined by neutrino oscillation data

# Open Problems

- ▶  $\vartheta_{23} \stackrel{\leq}{\gtrsim} 45^\circ$  ?
  - ▶ T2K (Japan), NO $\nu$ A (USA), PINGU (Antarctica), ORCA (EU), INO (India), ...
- ▶ Mass Ordering (Hierarchy) ?
  - ▶ NO $\nu$ A (USA), JUNO (China), RENO-50 (Korea), PINGU (Antarctica), ORCA (EU), INO (India), ...
- ▶ CP violation ?  $\delta_{13} \approx 3\pi/2$  ?
  - ▶ T2K (Japan), NO $\nu$ A (USA), DUNE (USA), HyperK (Japan), ...
- ▶ Absolute Mass Scale ?
  - ▶  $\beta$  Decay, Neutrinoless Double- $\beta$  Decay, Cosmology, ...
- ▶ Dirac or Majorana ?
  - ▶ Neutrinoless Double- $\beta$  Decay, ...
- ▶ Beyond Three-Neutrino Mixing ? Sterile Neutrinos ?

# Absolute Scale of Neutrino Masses



Lightest mass:  $m_1$  [eV]

$$m_2^2 = m_1^2 + \Delta m_{21}^2 = m_1^2 + \Delta m_S^2$$

$$m_3^2 = m_1^2 + \Delta m_{31}^2 = m_1^2 + \Delta m_A^2$$

Lightest mass:  $m_3$  [eV]

$$m_1^2 = m_3^2 - \Delta m_{31}^2 = m_3^2 + \Delta m_A^2$$

$$m_2^2 = m_1^2 + \Delta m_{21}^2 \simeq m_3^2 + \Delta m_A^2$$

Quasi-Degenerate for  $m_1 \simeq m_2 \simeq m_3 \simeq m_\nu \gtrsim \sqrt{\Delta m_A^2} \simeq 5 \times 10^{-2}$  eV

95% Cosmological Limit: Planck TT + lowP + BAO [arXiv:1502.01589]

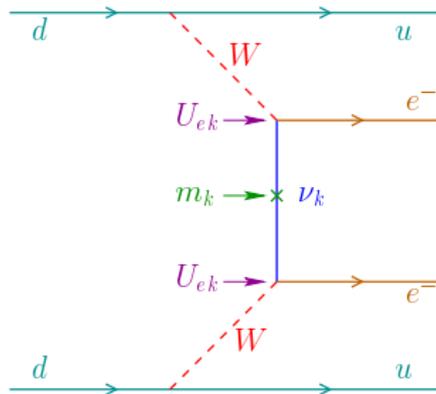
# Neutrinoless Double- $\beta$ Decay

$$\Delta L = 2$$

$$\mathcal{N}(A, Z) \rightarrow \mathcal{N}(A, Z + 2) + e^- + e^-$$

$$(T_{1/2}^{0\nu})^{-1} = G_{0\nu} |\mathcal{M}_{0\nu}|^2 |m_{\beta\beta}|^2$$

$$m_{\beta\beta} = \sum_k U_{ek}^2 m_k$$

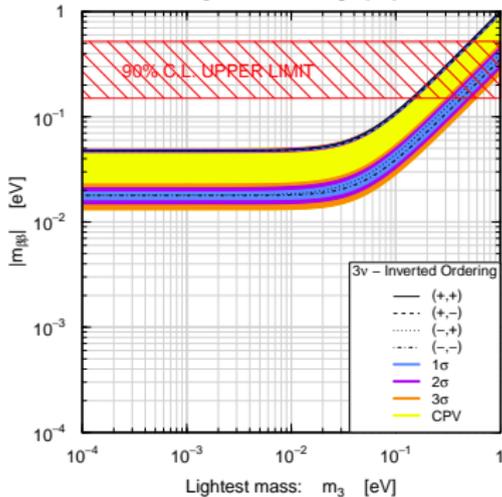
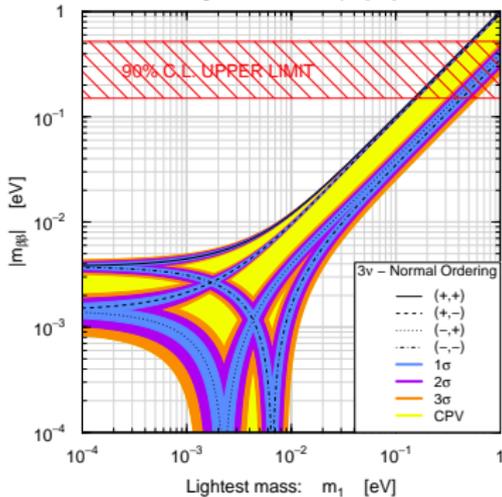
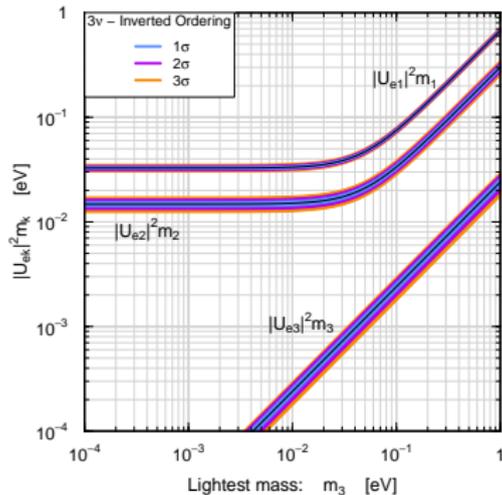
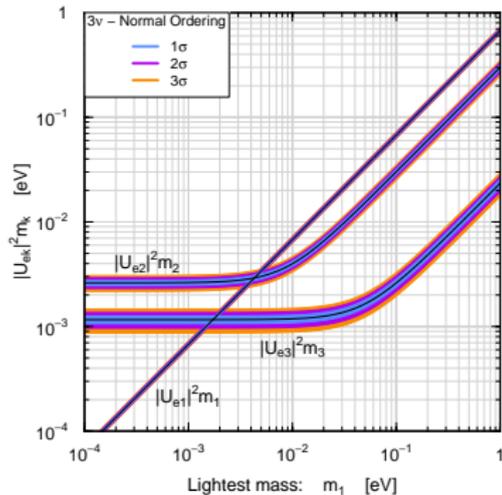


Effective Majorana Neutrino Mass

$$m_{\beta\beta} = |U_{e1}|^2 m_1 + |U_{e2}|^2 e^{i\alpha_{21}} m_2 + |U_{e3}|^2 e^{i\alpha_{31}} m_3$$

$$\alpha_{21} = 2\lambda_{21} \quad \alpha_{31} = 2(\lambda_{31} - \delta_{13})$$

possible cancellations between the three mass contributions



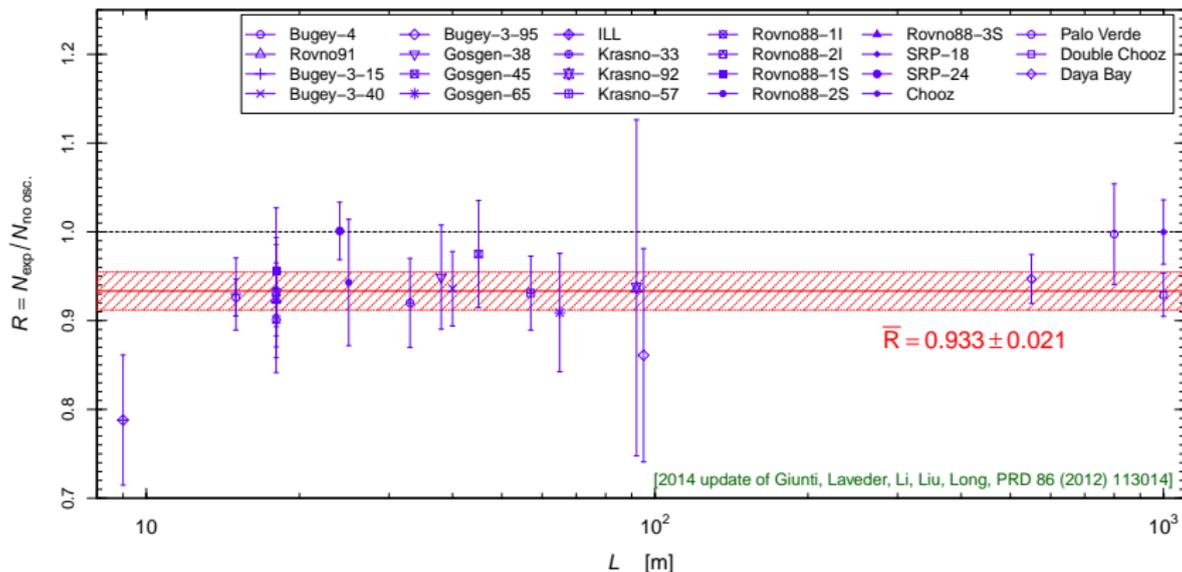
## Indications of SBL Oscillations Beyond $3\nu$

# Reactor Electron Antineutrino Anomaly

[Mention et al, PRD 83 (2011) 073006; update in White Paper, arXiv:1204.5379]

New reactor  $\bar{\nu}_e$  fluxes

[Mueller et al, PRC 83 (2011) 054615; Huber, PRC 84 (2011) 024617]



$$\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$$

$$L \sim 10 - 100 \text{ m}$$

$$E \sim 4 \text{ MeV}$$

Nominal  $\approx 3.1\sigma$  deficit

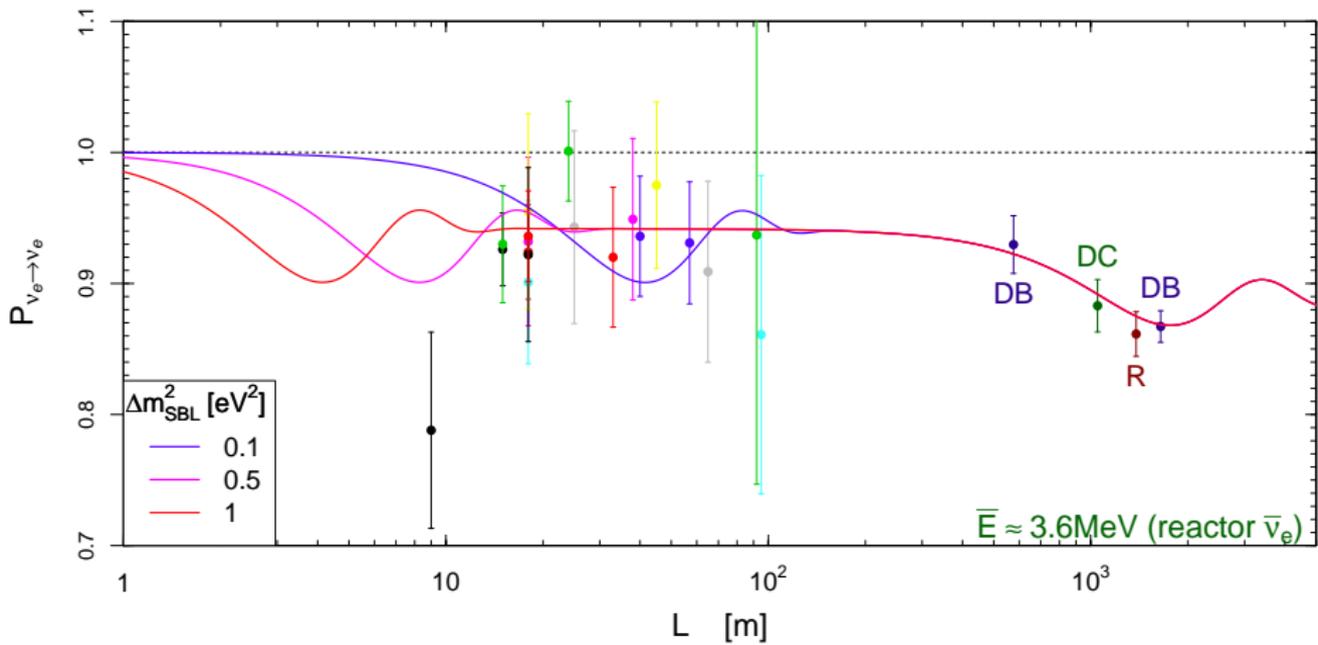
$$\Delta m^2 \gtrsim 0.5 \text{ eV}^2$$

$$(\gg \Delta m_A^2 \gg \Delta m_S^2)$$

[see also: Sinev, arXiv:1103.2452; Ciuffoli, Evslin, Li, JHEP 12 (2012) 110; Zhang, Qian, Vogel, PRD 87 (2013) 073018; Kopp, Machado, Maltoni, Schwetz, JHEP 1305 (2013) 050; Ivanov et al, PRC 88 (2013) 055501]

Problem: unknown  $\bar{\nu}_e$  flux uncertainties?

[Hayes, Friar, Garvey, Jonkmans, PRL 112 (2014) 202501; Dwyer, Langford, PRL 114 (2015) 012502]

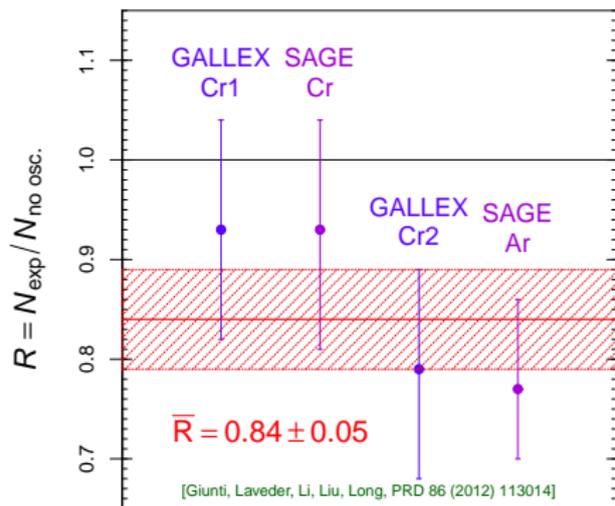


# Gallium Anomaly

Gallium Radioactive Source Experiments: GALLEX and SAGE

Detection Process:  $\nu_e + {}^{71}\text{Ga} \rightarrow {}^{71}\text{Ge} + e^-$

$\nu_e$  Sources:  $e^- + {}^{51}\text{Cr} \rightarrow {}^{51}\text{V} + \nu_e$        $e^- + {}^{37}\text{Ar} \rightarrow {}^{37}\text{Cl} + \nu_e$



$\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$        $E \sim 0.7 \text{ MeV}$

$\langle L \rangle_{\text{GALLEX}} = 1.9 \text{ m}$

$\langle L \rangle_{\text{SAGE}} = 0.6 \text{ m}$

Nominal  $\approx 2.9\sigma$  anomaly

$\Delta m^2 \gtrsim 1 \text{ eV}^2$  ( $\gg \Delta m_A^2 \gg \Delta m_S^2$ )

[SAGE, PRC 73 (2006) 045805; PRC 80 (2009) 015807]

[Laveder et al, Nucl.Phys.Proc.Suppl. 168 (2007) 344;  
MPLA 22 (2007) 2499; PRD 78 (2008) 073009;  
PRC 83 (2011) 065504]

[Mention et al, PRD 83 (2011) 073006]

▶  ${}^3\text{He} + {}^{71}\text{Ga} \rightarrow {}^{71}\text{Ge} + {}^3\text{H}$  cross section measurement [Frekers et al., PLB 706 (2011) 134]

▶  $E_{\text{th}}(\nu_e + {}^{71}\text{Ga} \rightarrow {}^{71}\text{Ge} + e^-) = 233.5 \pm 1.2 \text{ keV}$  [Frekers et al., PLB 722 (2013) 233]

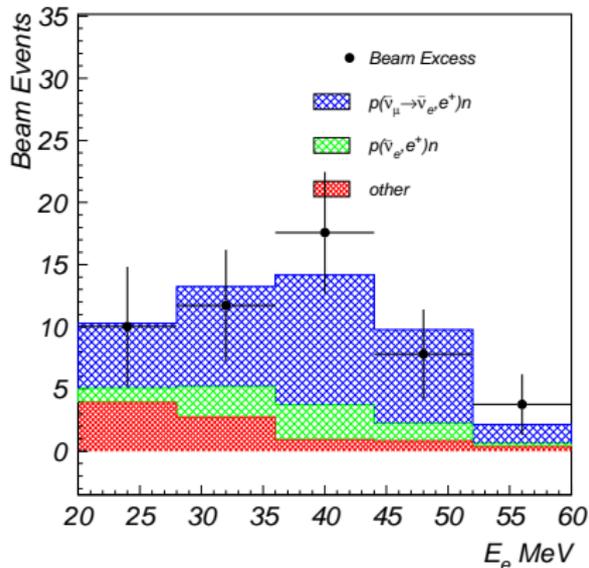
# LSND

[PRL 75 (1995) 2650; PRC 54 (1996) 2685; PRL 77 (1996) 3082; PRD 64 (2001) 112007]

$$\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$$

$$L \simeq 30 \text{ m}$$

$$20 \text{ MeV} \leq E \leq 60 \text{ MeV}$$



- ▶ Well known source of  $\bar{\nu}_\mu$ :

$$\mu^+ \text{ at rest} \rightarrow e^+ + \nu_e + \bar{\nu}_\mu$$

- ▶  $\bar{\nu}_\mu \xrightarrow{L \simeq 30 \text{ m}} \bar{\nu}_e$

- ▶ Well known detection process of  $\bar{\nu}_e$ :

$$\bar{\nu}_e + p \rightarrow n + e^+$$

- ▶ But signal not seen by **KARMEN** with same method at  $L \simeq 18 \text{ m}$

[PRD 65 (2002) 112001]

Nominal  $\approx 3.8\sigma$  excess

$$\Delta m^2 \gtrsim 0.2 \text{ eV}^2 \quad (\gg \Delta m_{A}^2 \gg \Delta m_{S}^2)$$

# MiniBooNE

$L \simeq 541 \text{ m}$

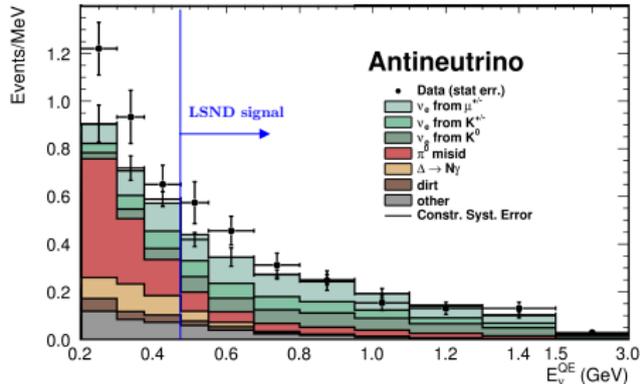
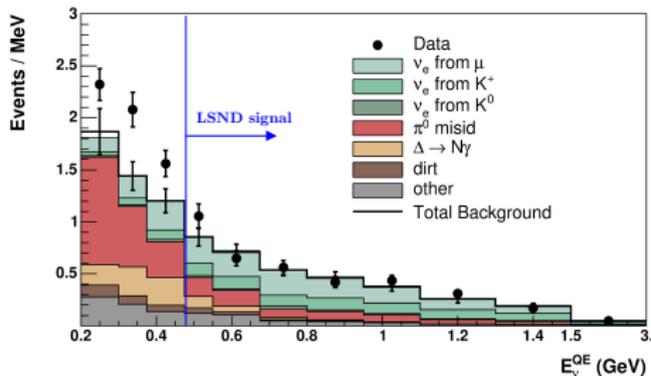
$200 \text{ MeV} \leq E \lesssim 3 \text{ GeV}$

$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$

[PRL 102 (2009) 101802]

$\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$

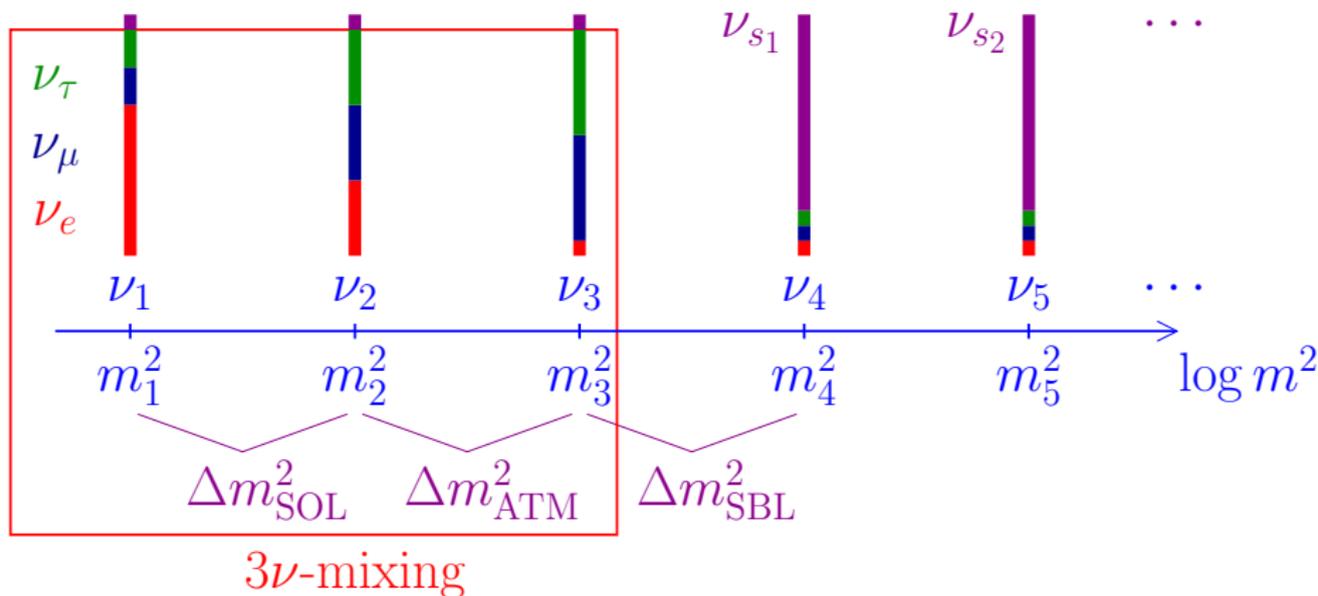
[PRL 110 (2013) 161801]



- ▶ Purpose: check LSND signal.
- ▶ Different  $L$  and  $E$ .
- ▶ Similar  $L/E$  (oscillations).
- ▶ No money, no Near Detector.

- ▶ LSND signal:  $E > 475 \text{ MeV}$ .
- ▶ Agreement with LSND signal?
- ▶ CP violation?
- ▶ Low-energy anomaly!

# Beyond Three-Neutrino Mixing: Sterile Neutrinos



Terminology: a eV-scale sterile neutrino  
means: a eV-scale massive neutrino which is mainly sterile

# Effective SBL Oscillation Probabilities in 3+1 Schemes

$$P_{\nu_\alpha \rightarrow \nu_\beta}^{\text{SBL}(-)} \simeq \sin^2 2\vartheta_{\alpha\beta} \sin^2 \left( \frac{\Delta m_{41}^2 L}{4E} \right)$$

$$\sin^2 2\vartheta_{\alpha\beta} = 4|U_{\alpha 4}|^2 |U_{\beta 4}|^2$$

$$P_{\nu_\alpha \rightarrow \nu_\alpha}^{\text{SBL}(-)} \simeq 1 - \sin^2 2\vartheta_{\alpha\alpha} \sin^2 \left( \frac{\Delta m_{41}^2 L}{4E} \right)$$

$$\sin^2 2\vartheta_{\alpha\alpha} = 4|U_{\alpha 4}|^2 (1 - |U_{\alpha 4}|^2)$$

Perturbation of  $3\nu$  Mixing:  $|U_{e4}|^2 \ll 1$ ,  $|U_{\mu 4}|^2 \ll 1$ ,  $|U_{\tau 4}|^2 \ll 1$ ,  $|U_{s4}|^2 \simeq 1$

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} U_{e1} & U_{e2} & U_{e3} & U_{e4} \\ U_{\mu 1} & U_{\mu 2} & U_{\mu 3} & U_{\mu 4} \\ U_{\tau 1} & U_{\tau 2} & U_{\tau 3} & U_{\tau 4} \\ U_{s1} & U_{s2} & U_{s3} & U_{s4} \end{pmatrix}$$

↑  
SBL

- ▶ 6 mixing angles
- ▶ 3 Dirac CP phases
- ▶ 3 Majorana CP phases
- ▶ But CP violation is not observable in current SBL experiments!
- ▶ Observable in LBL accelerator exp. sensitive to  $\Delta m_{\text{ATM}}^2$  [de Gouvea, Kelly, Kobach, PRD 91 (2015) 053005; Klop, Palazzo, PRD 91 (2015) 073017; Berryman, de Gouvea, Kelly, Kobach, arXiv:1507.03986] and solar exp. sensitive to  $\Delta m_{\text{SOL}}^2$  [Long, Li, Giunti, PRD 87, 113004 (2013) 113004]

## 3+1: Appearance vs Disappearance

- ▶ Amplitude of  $\nu_e$  disappearance:

$$\sin^2 2\vartheta_{ee} = 4|U_{e4}|^2 (1 - |U_{e4}|^2) \simeq 4|U_{e4}|^2$$

- ▶ Amplitude of  $\nu_\mu$  disappearance:

$$\sin^2 2\vartheta_{\mu\mu} = 4|U_{\mu4}|^2 (1 - |U_{\mu4}|^2) \simeq 4|U_{\mu4}|^2$$

- ▶ Amplitude of  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$  transitions:

$$\sin^2 2\vartheta_{e\mu} = 4|U_{e4}|^2 |U_{\mu4}|^2 \simeq \frac{1}{4} \sin^2 2\vartheta_{ee} \sin^2 2\vartheta_{\mu\mu}$$

- ▶ Upper bounds on  $\nu_e$  and  $\nu_\mu$  disappearance  $\Rightarrow$  strong limit on  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$

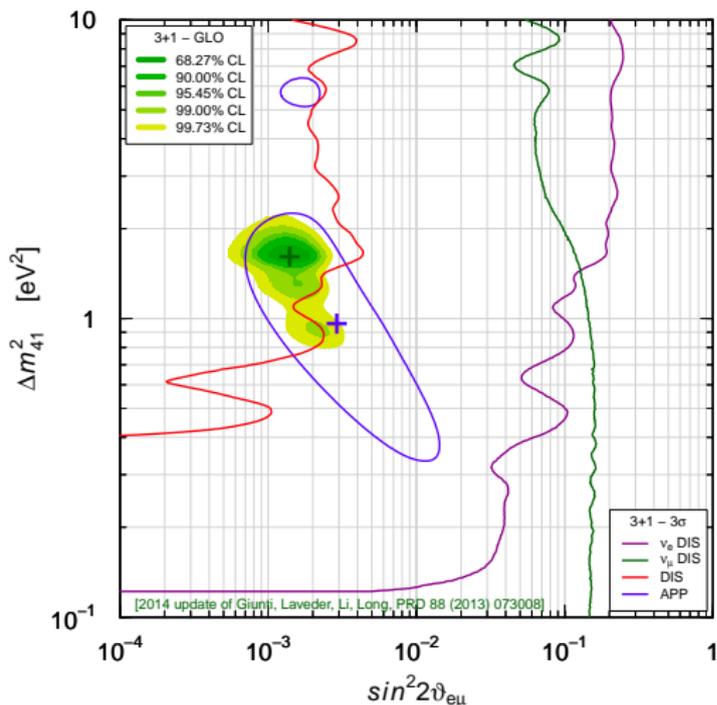
[Okada, Yasuda, IJMPA 12 (1997) 3669; Bilenky, Giunti, Grimus, EPJC 1 (1998) 247]

- ▶ Similar constraint in 3+2, 3+3,  $\dots$ , 3+ $N_S$ !

[Giunti, Zavanin, arXiv:1508.03172]

# Global 3+1 Fit

[Giunti, Laveder, Y.F. Li, H.W. Long, PRD 88 (2013) 073008]



MiniBooNE  $E > 475$  MeV

GoF = 26%

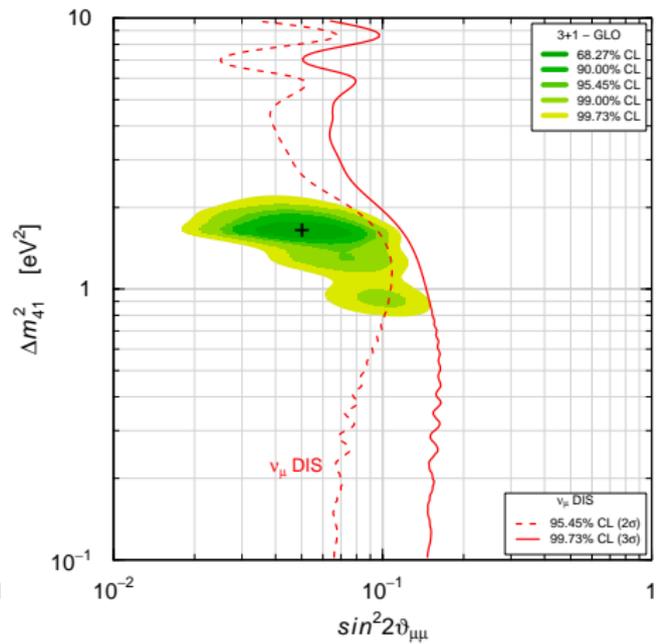
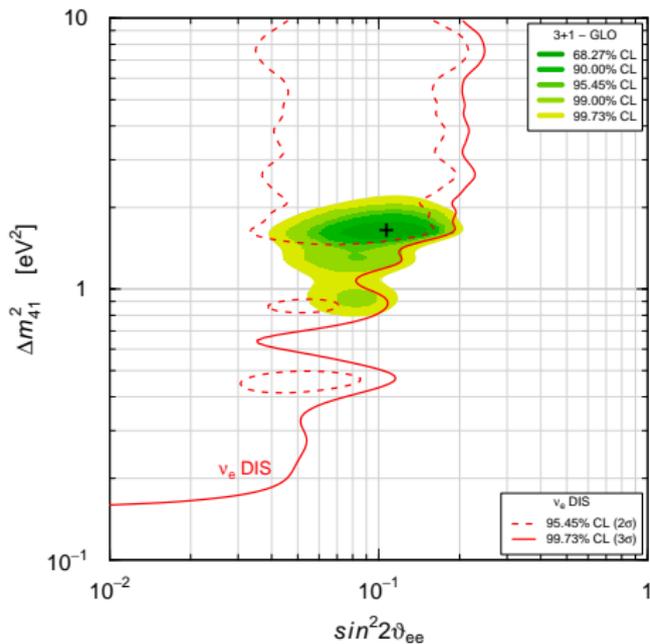
PGoF = 7%

- ▶ APP  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$  &  $\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$ :  
 LSND ( $\nu_s$ ), MiniBooNE (?),  
 OPERA ( $\nu_s$ ), ICARUS ( $\nu_s$ ),  
 KARMEN ( $\nu_s$ ),  
 NOMAD ( $\nu_s$ ), BNL-E776 ( $\nu_s$ )
- ▶ DIS  $\nu_e$  &  $\bar{\nu}_e$ : Reactors ( $\nu_s$ ),  
 Gallium ( $\nu_s$ ),  $\nu_e C$  ( $\nu_s$ ),  
 Solar ( $\nu_s$ )
- ▶ DIS  $\nu_\mu$  &  $\bar{\nu}_\mu$ : CDHSW ( $\nu_s$ ),  
 MINOS ( $\nu_s$ ),  
 Atmospheric ( $\nu_s$ ),  
 MiniBooNE/SciBooNE ( $\nu_s$ )

No Osc. nominally disfavored  
 at  $\approx 6.3\sigma$

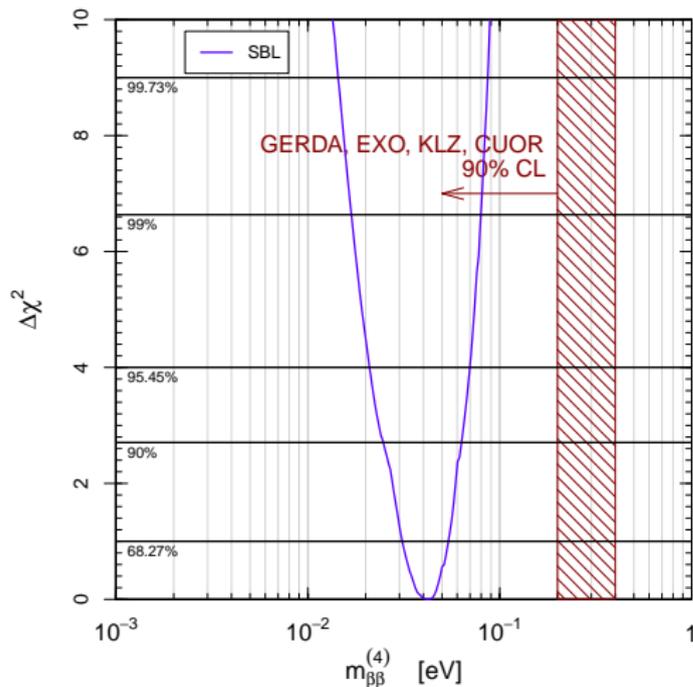
$$\Delta\chi^2/\text{NDF} = 47.7/3$$

# $\nu_e$ and $\nu_\mu$ Disappearance



# Neutrinoless Double- $\beta$ Decay

$$m_{\beta\beta} = |U_{e1}|^2 m_1 + |U_{e2}|^2 e^{i\alpha_{21}} m_2 + |U_{e3}|^2 e^{i\alpha_{31}} m_3 + |U_{e4}|^2 e^{i\alpha_{41}} m_4$$



3+1 Fit

[Giunti, Laveder, Li, Long, 2014]

$$m_{\beta\beta}^{(k)} = |U_{ek}|^2 m_k$$

$$m_1 \ll m_4$$



$$m_{\beta\beta}^{(4)} \simeq |U_{e4}|^2 \sqrt{\Delta m_{41}^2}$$

surprise:  
possible cancellation  
with  $m_{\beta\beta}^{(3\nu)}$

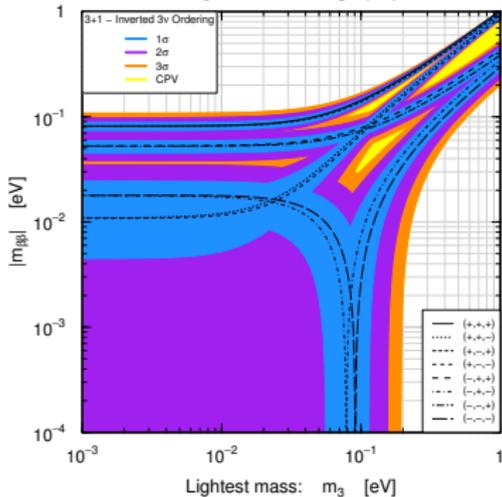
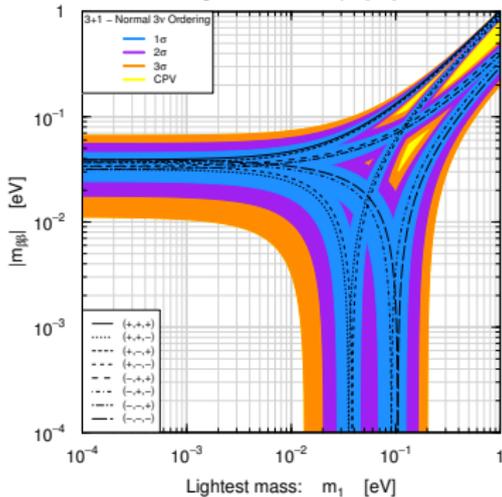
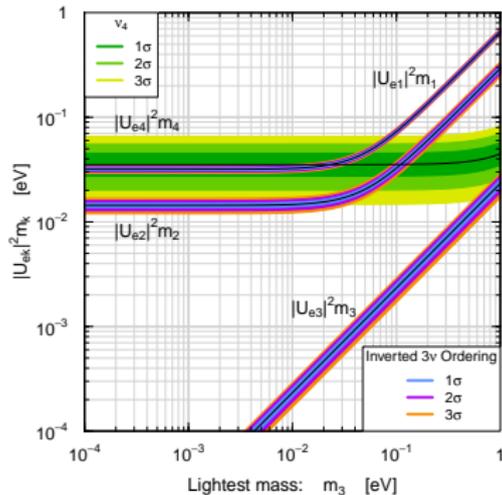
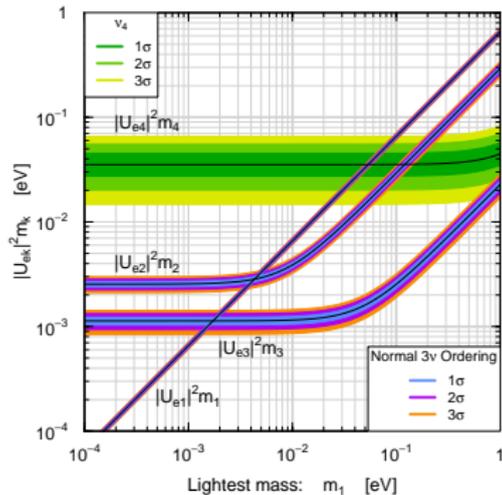
[Barry et al, JHEP 07 (2011) 091]

[Li, Liu, PLB 706 (2012) 406]

[Rodejohann, JPG 39 (2012) 124008]

[Girardi, Meroni, Petcov, JHEP 1311 (2013) 146]

[Giunti, Zavanin, JHEP 07 (2015) 171]



# Conclusions

- ▶ Robust Three-Neutrino Mixing Paradigm.

Open problems with exciting experimental program:  $\vartheta_{23} \stackrel{\leq}{\geq} 45^\circ?$ , Mass Ordering, CP Violation, Absolute Mass Scale, Dirac or Majorana?

Determination of Mass Ordering is very important!

- ▶ Short-Baseline  $\nu_e$  and  $\bar{\nu}_e$  Disappearance:

- ▶ Experimental data agree on Reactor  $\bar{\nu}_e$  and Gallium  $\nu_e$  anomalies.
- ▶ Problem: unknown systematic uncertainties (Reactor  $\bar{\nu}_e$  flux).
- ▶ Many promising projects to test unambiguously short-baseline  $\nu_e$  and  $\bar{\nu}_e$  disappearance in a few years with reactors and radioactive sources.
- ▶ Independent tests through effect of  $m_4$  in  $\beta$ -decay and  $\beta\beta_{0\nu}$ -decay.

- ▶ Short-Baseline  $\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$  LSND Signal:

- ▶ Not seen by other SBL  $\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$  experiments.
- ▶ MiniBooNE experiment has been inconclusive.
- ▶ Experiments with near detector are needed to check LSND signal!
- ▶ Promising Fermilab program aimed at a conclusive solution of the mystery: a near detector (LAr1-ND), an intermediate detector (MicroBooNE) and a far detector (ICARUS-WA104), all Liquid Argon Time Projection Chambers.