



# Updating the Status of Neutrino Physics

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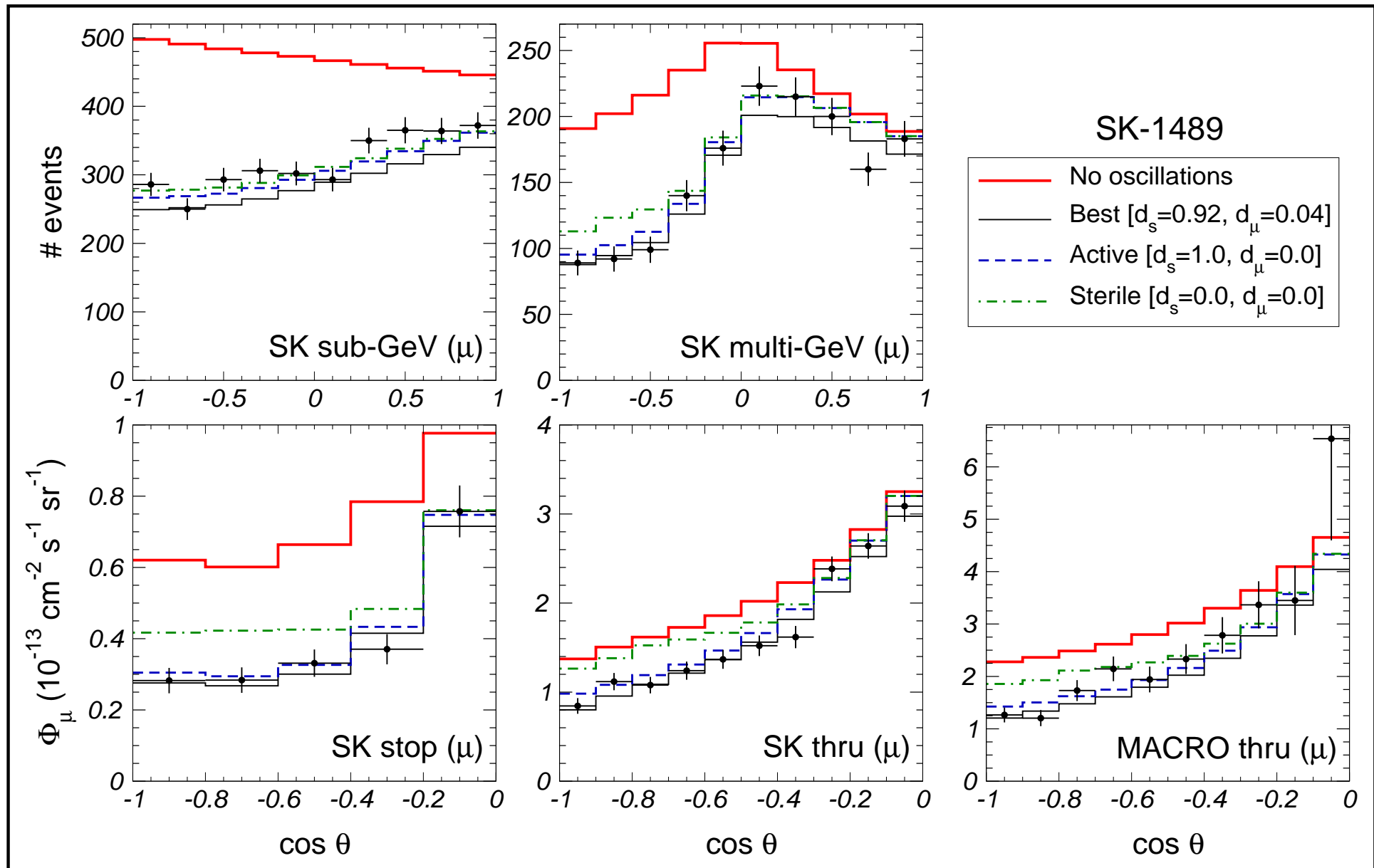
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Based on

hep-ph/0301061 and hep-ph/0307192

# Atmospheric zenith distribution

Maltoni, Schwetz, Tortola and JV PRD67 (2003) 013011



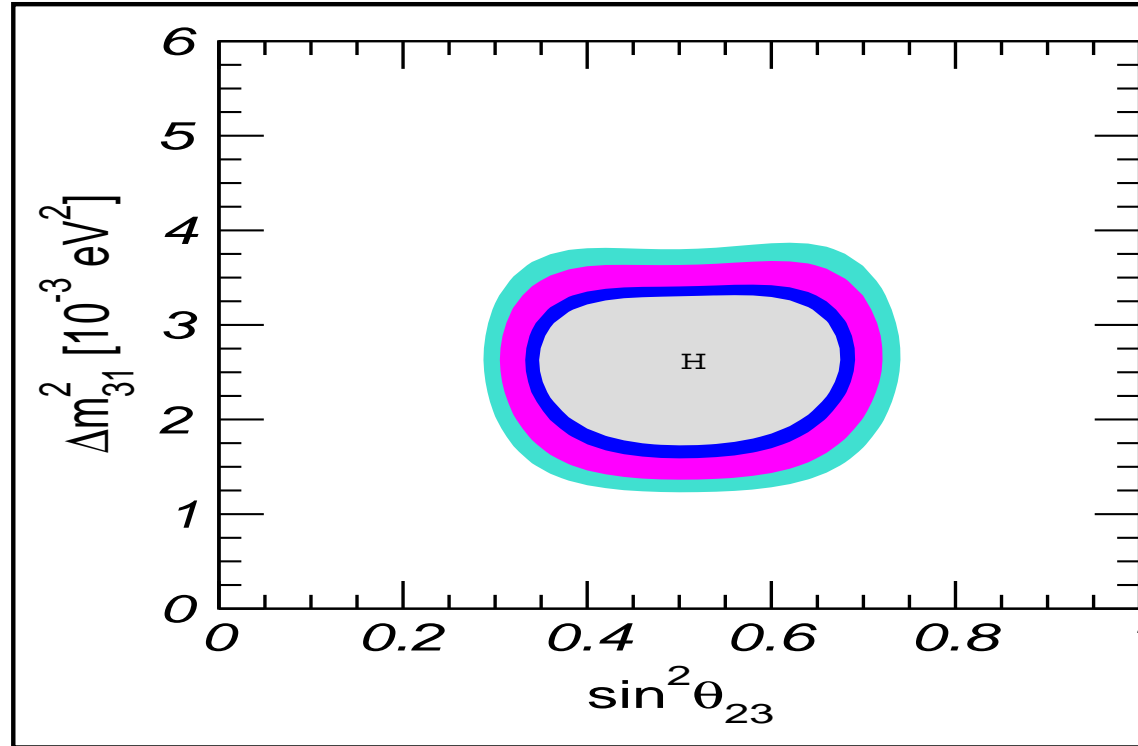
# atmospheric neutrino parameters-1

- sterility rejection

Maltoni et al PRD67 (2003) 013011  
hep-ph/0207227

$$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{ATM}} = 0.5$$

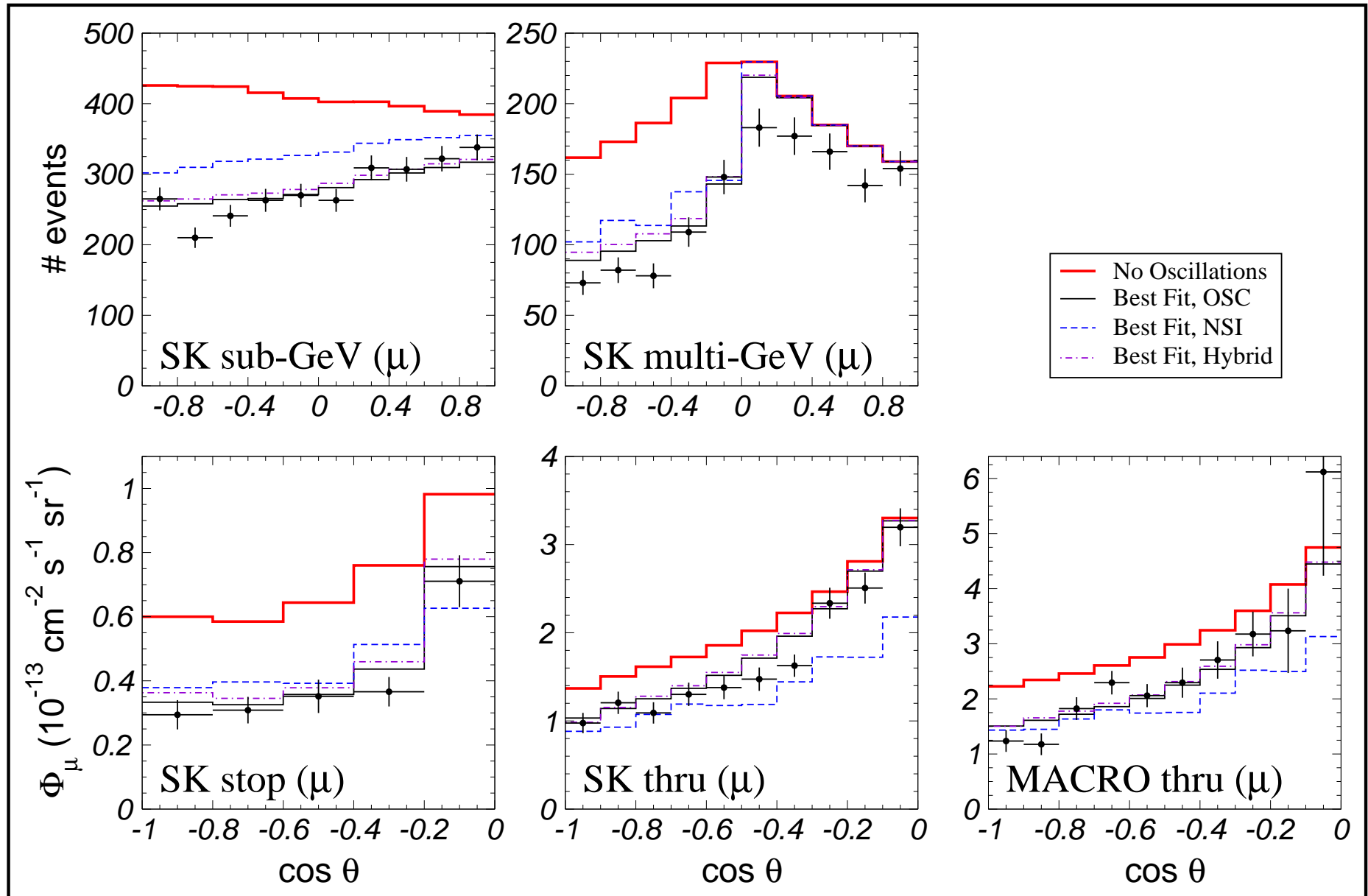
$$\Delta m_{\text{ATM}}^2 = 2.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$$



light-dark or normal/inverted symmetry

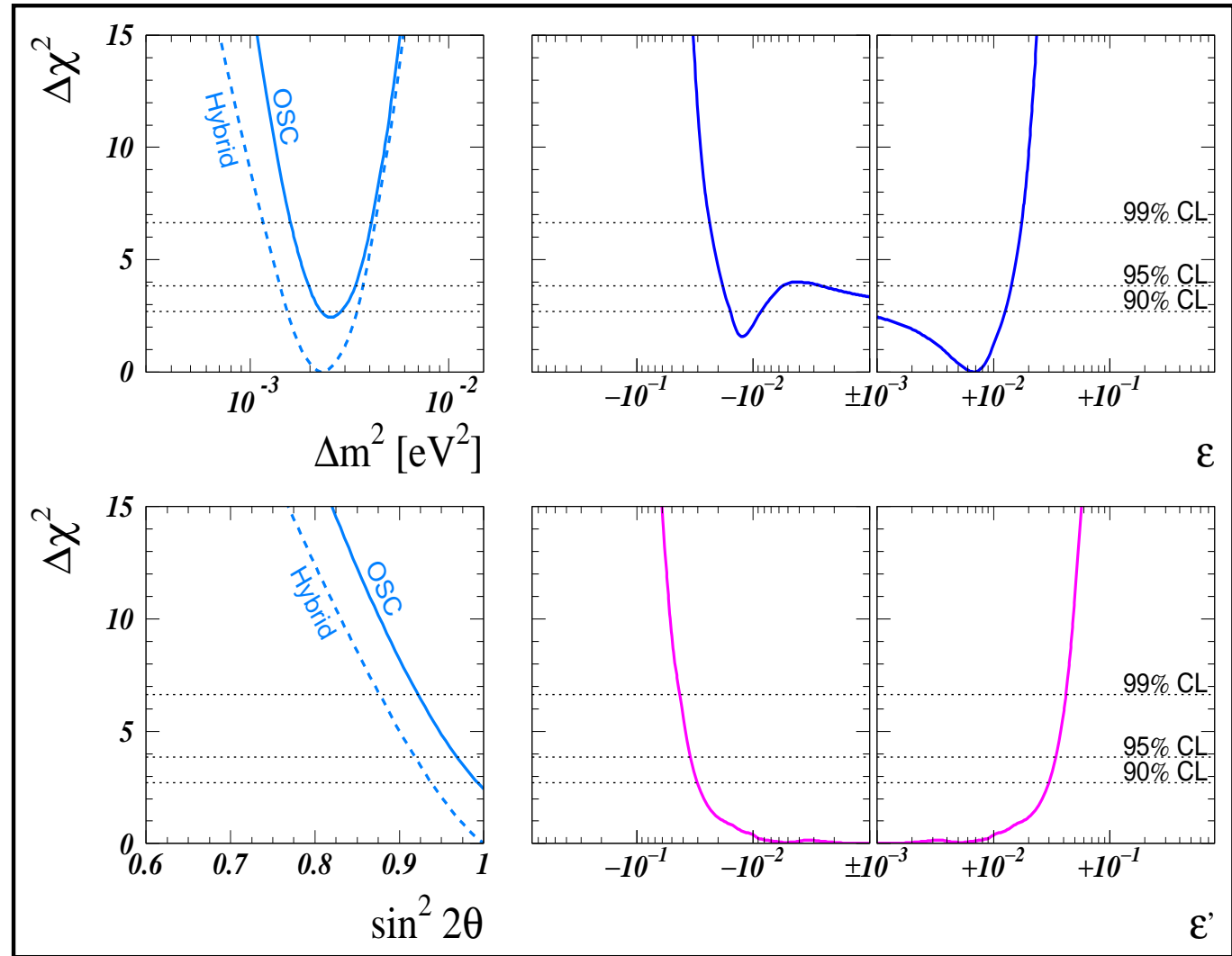
# How robust are atmospheric oscillations?

very good contained atm-fit, Gonzalez-Garcia et al, PRL **82** (1999) 3202



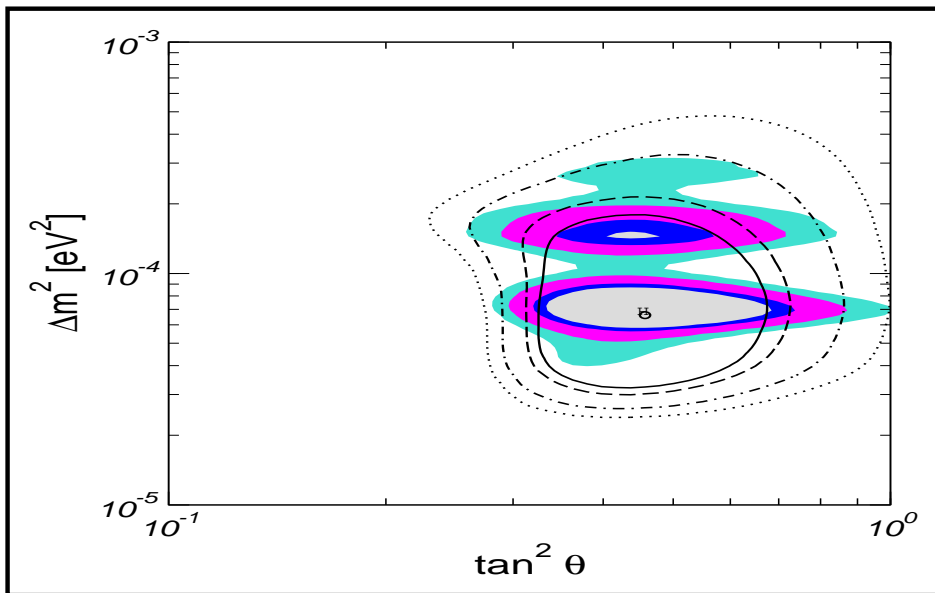
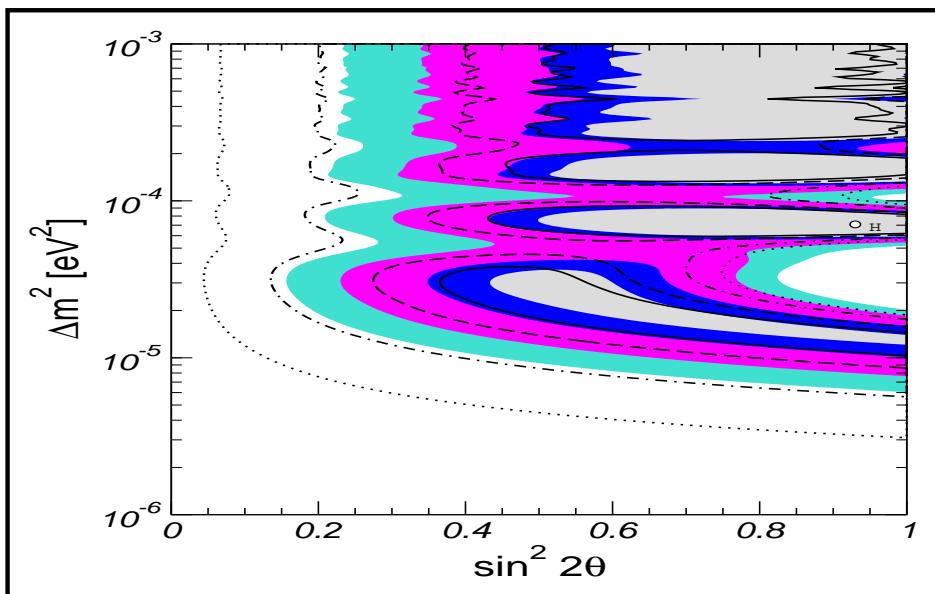
# non-standard interactions vs atm data

Fornengo et al,  
PRD **65** (2002) 013010  
[hep-ph/0108043].



atm bounds on FC and NU nu-interactions

# Solar + KamLAND reactor results



Maltoni, Schwetz & JV, PRD67 (2003) 093003  
[hep-ph/0212129]

first 145-days data support oscillation hypothesis

critique of various analyses

S. Pakvasa and JV hep-ph/0301061

combining with solar neutrino data sample rules out non-LMA-MSW solutions

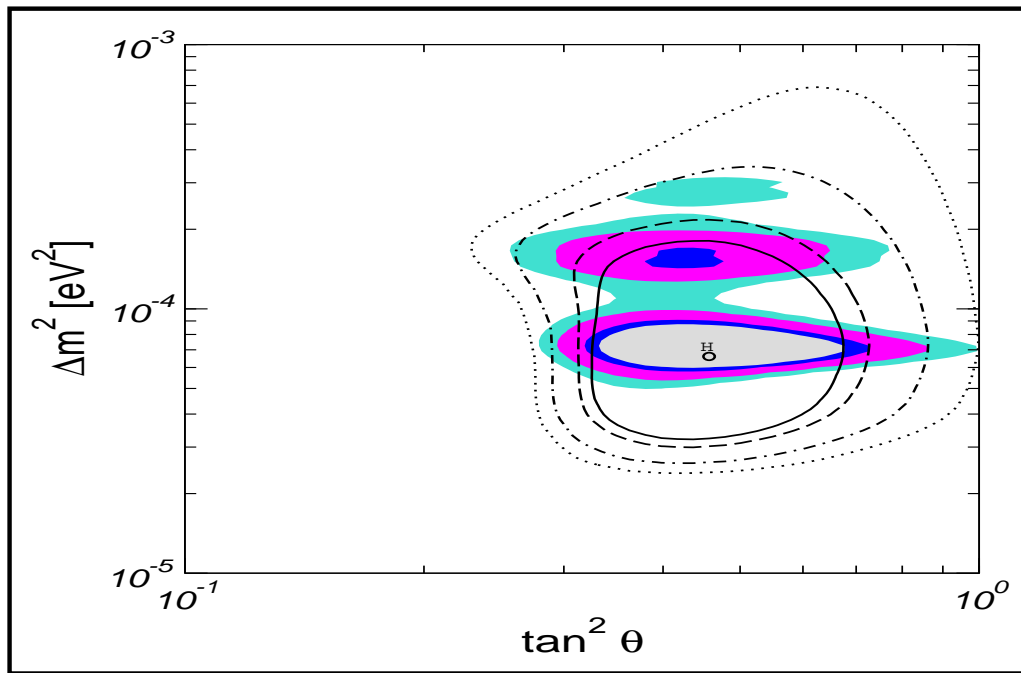
oscillations happen inside the sun!

$$0.29 \leq \tan^2 \theta \leq 0.86$$

$$5.1 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2 \leq \Delta m_{\text{SOL}}^2 \leq 9.7 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$$

$$1.2 \times 10^{-4} \text{ eV}^2 \leq \Delta m_{\text{SOL}}^2 \leq 1.9 \times 10^{-4} \text{ eV}^2$$

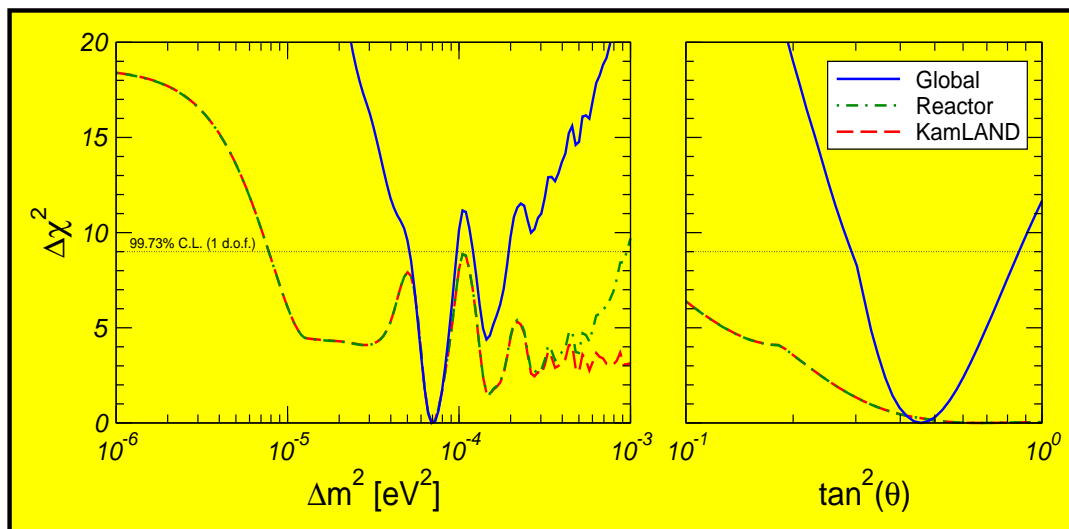
# Solar + KamLAND results ●



Maltoni, Schwetz, JV, PRD67 (2003) 093003

consistency with Poisson method

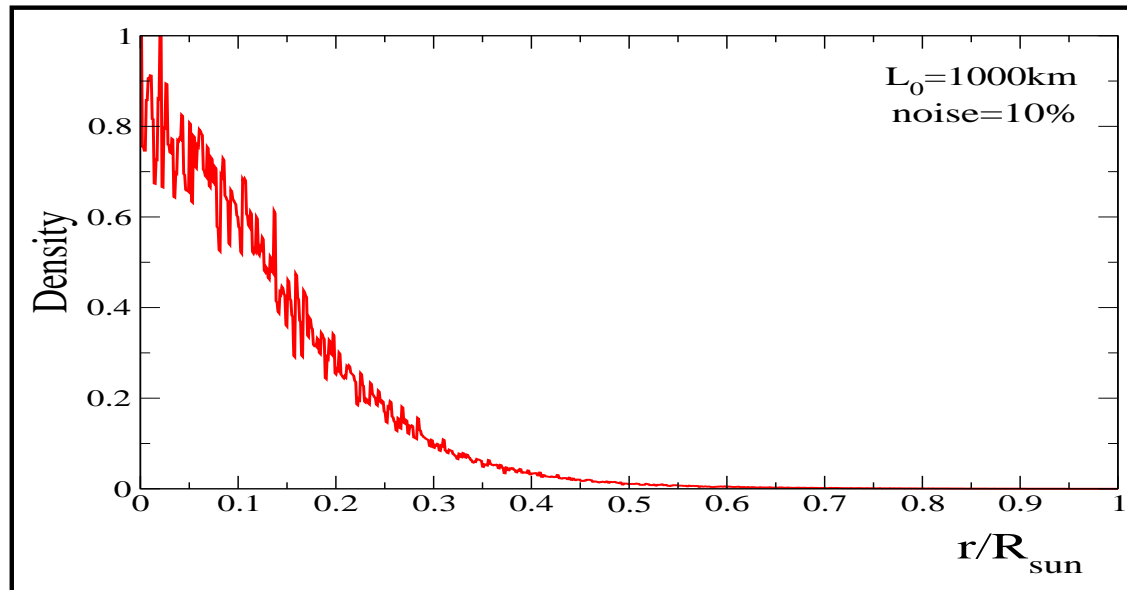
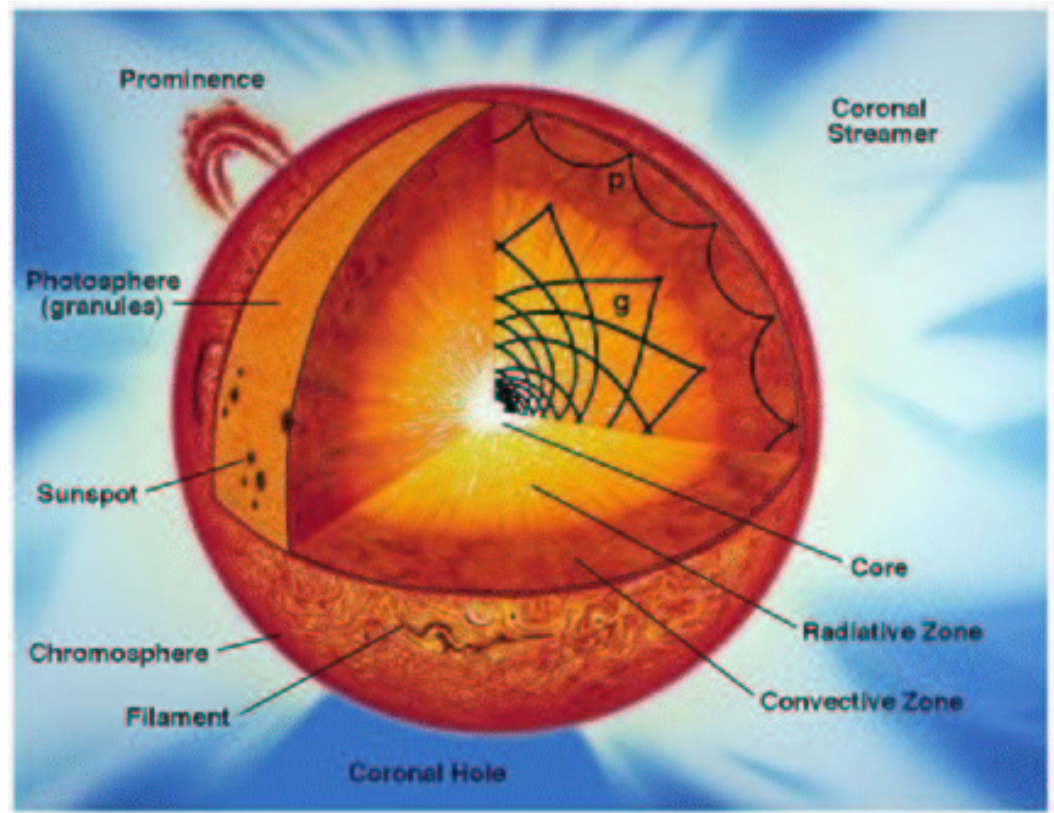
enormous progress wrt pre-KamLAND



in contrast to atmospheric, solar mixing significantly non-maximal

bi-maximal models rejected

# do we understand the Sun?





# Robustness of MSW plot

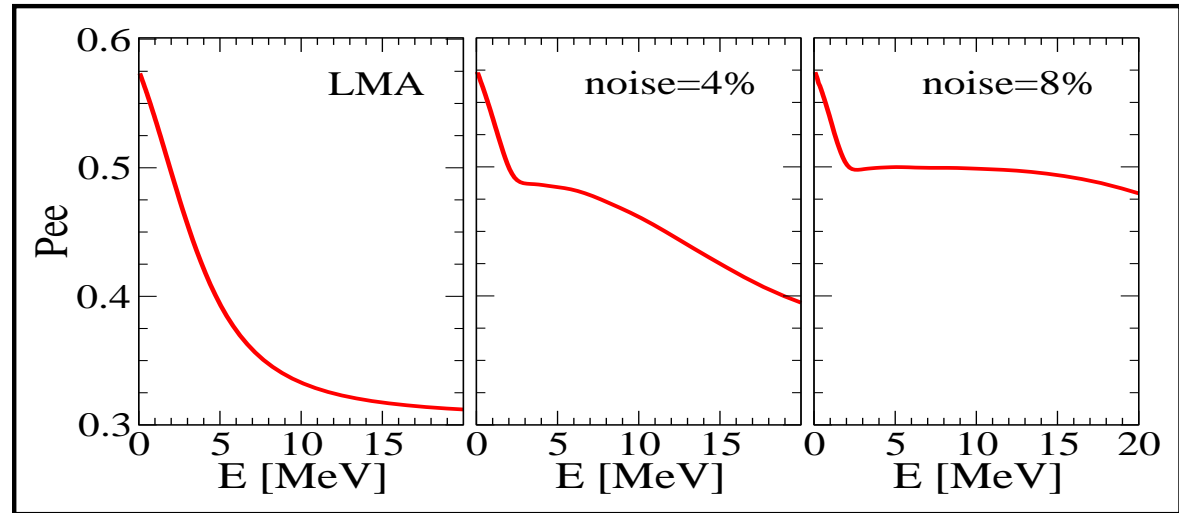
Burgess et al, *Astrophys.J.*588:L65,2003 [hep-ph/0209094]

neutrino propagation strongly affected by density noise

Balantekin et al 95

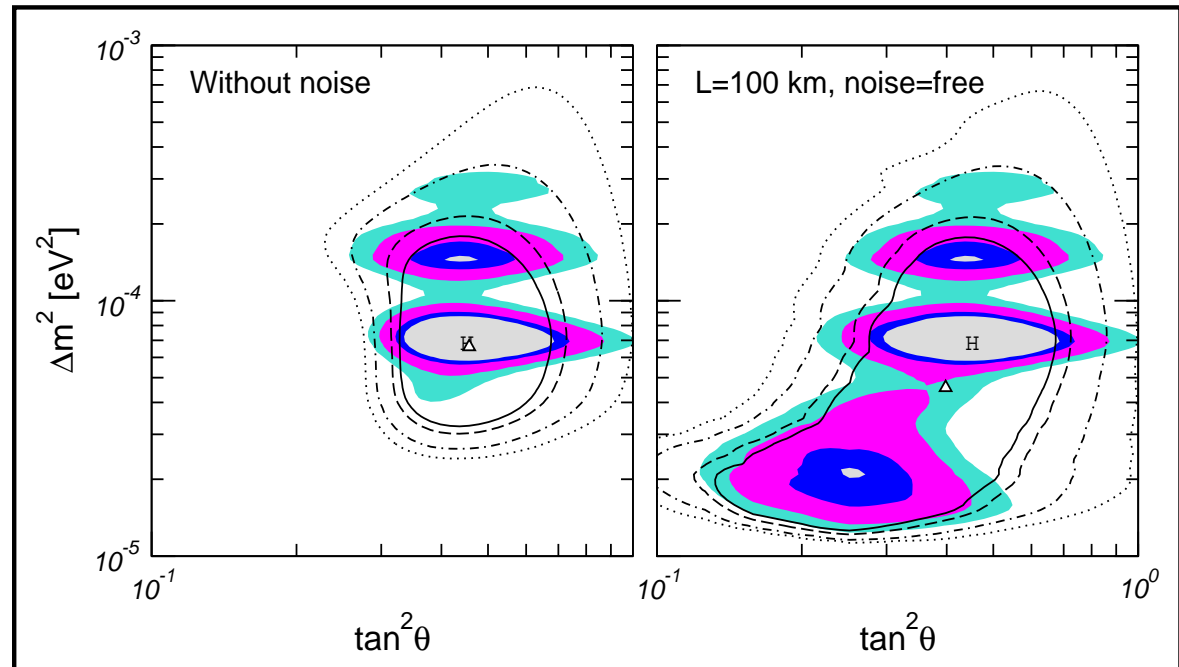
Nunokawa et al NPB472 (1996) 495

Burgess et al 97



substantial distortion

**lower  $\Delta m_{\text{SOL}}^2$  possible**



# LSND

hints of neutrino conversions also from the detection of accelerator-produced neutrinos in the LSND experiment

4-nu models Peltoniemi, JV, NPB406, 409 (1993)

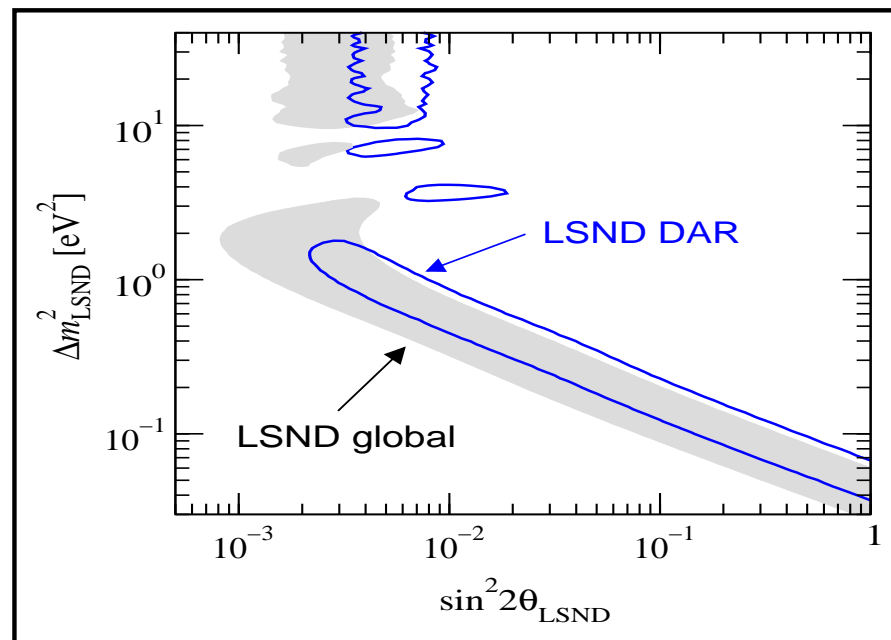
Peltoniemi, Tommasini and JV, PLB298 (1993) 383

Caldwell-Mohapatra PRD48 (1993) 325

barely possible at  $3\sigma$

Maltoni et al NPB643 (2002) 321

upd of PRD65 (2002) 093004

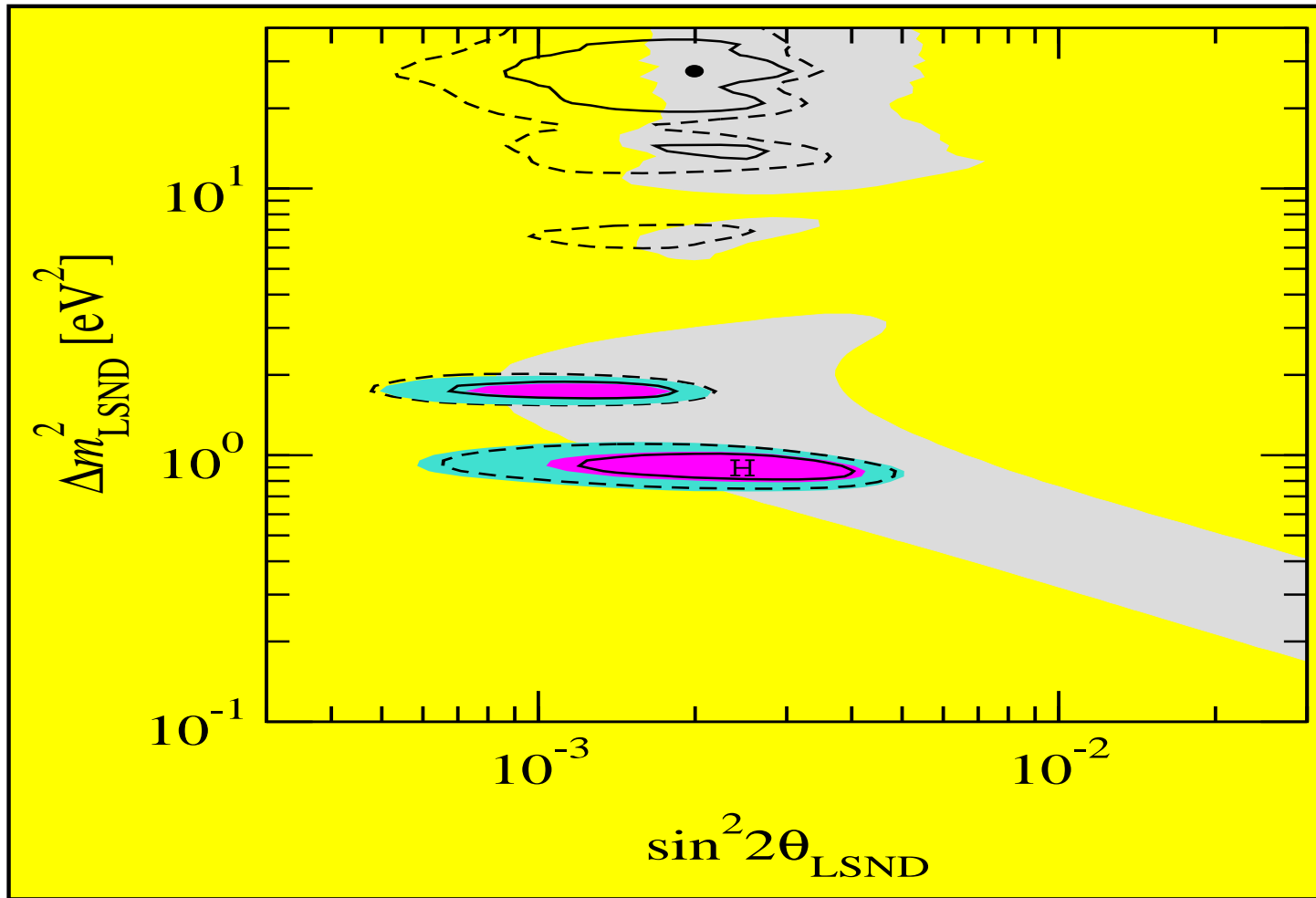


ATM



SOL

# Cosmology closes in on LSND



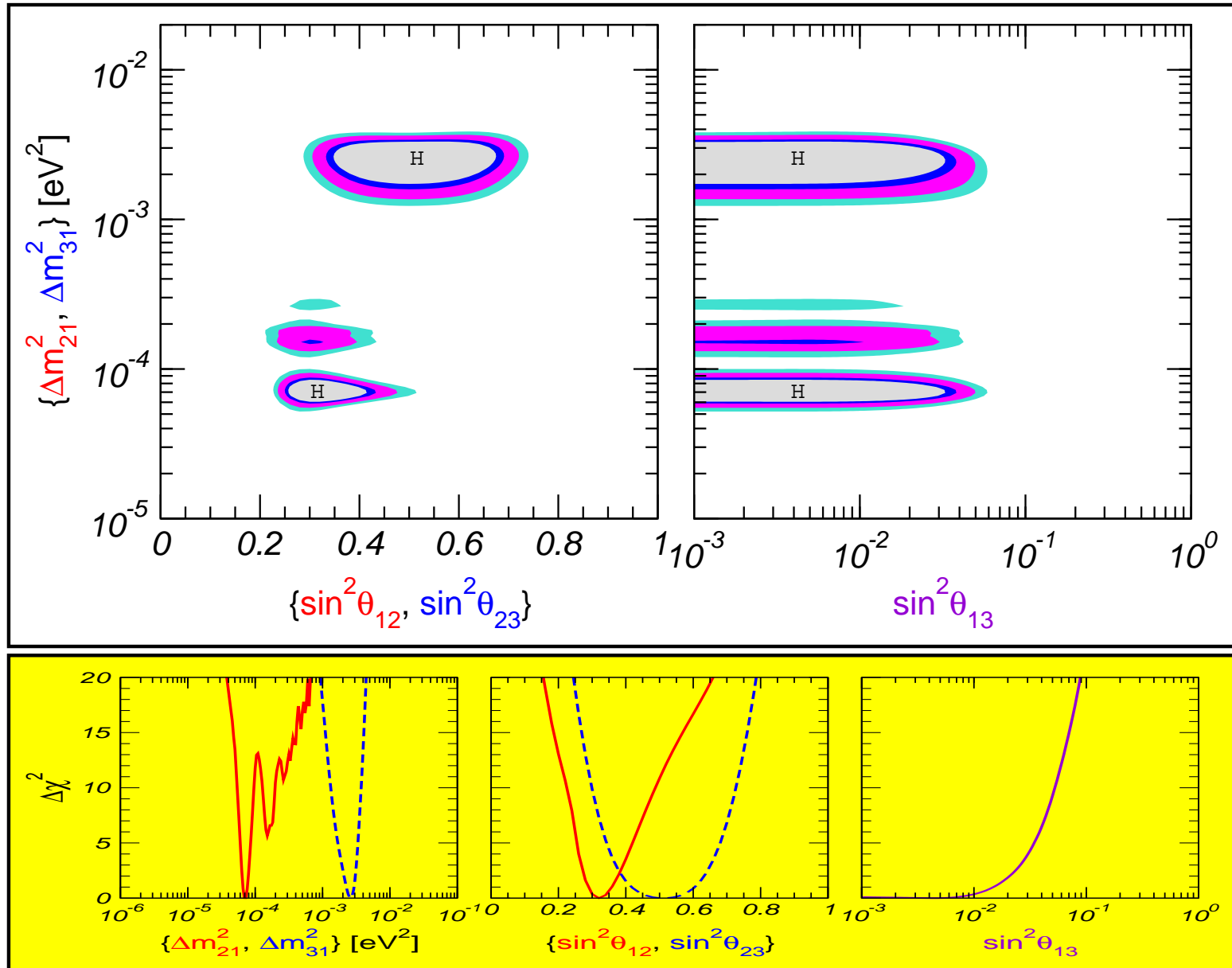
2df + WMAP + HST + SNIa

Schwetz et al hep-ph/0305312

Spergel et al, astro-ph/0302209; Hannestad, astro-ph/0303076; Elgaroy & Lahav, astro-ph/0303089

# Three neutrino parameters in a nut shell

upg of **Maltoni et al, PRD67 (2003) 013011 & PRD 67 (2003) 093003**, upd of PRD63 (2001) 033005



# minimal set of basic parameters

- 3 angles  $\theta_{ij}$

1 KM-like phase oscillations

2 Majorana phases  $\beta\beta_{0\nu}$

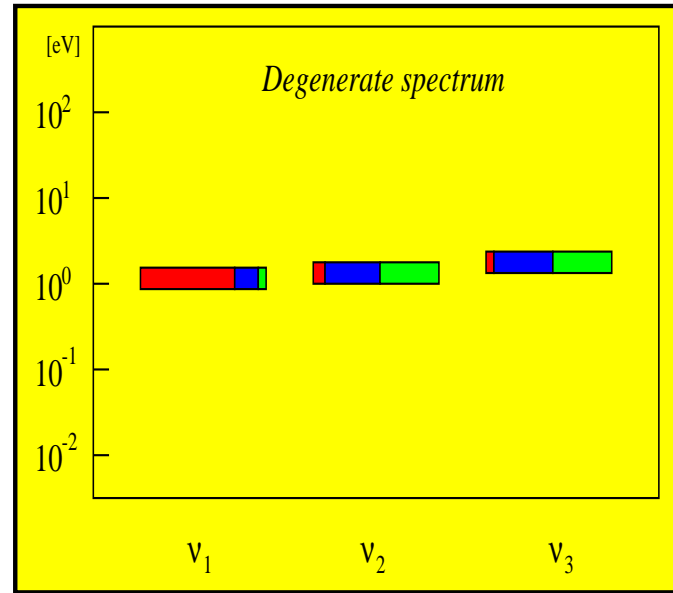
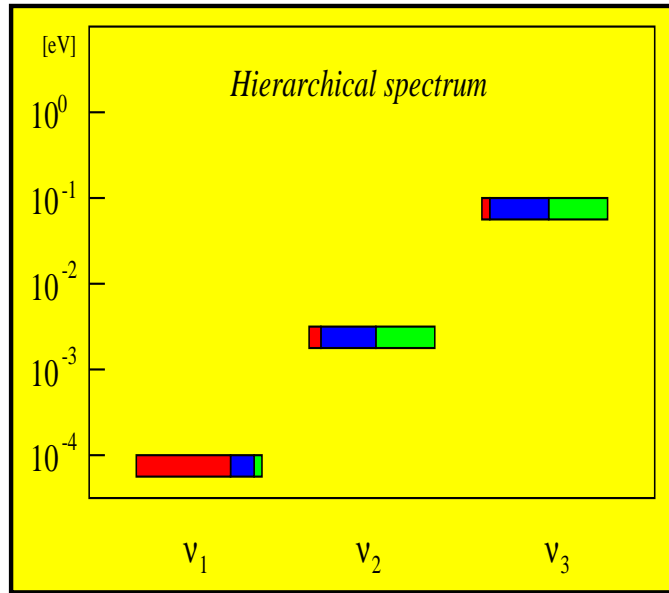
$23=\text{atm}$   $12=\text{sol}$   $13=\text{reac}$

$\delta$

$\alpha, \beta$

Schechter and JV, PRD22 (1980) 2227, D23(1980) 1666

both appear in leptogenesis



- $\nu_e \nu_\mu \nu_\tau$

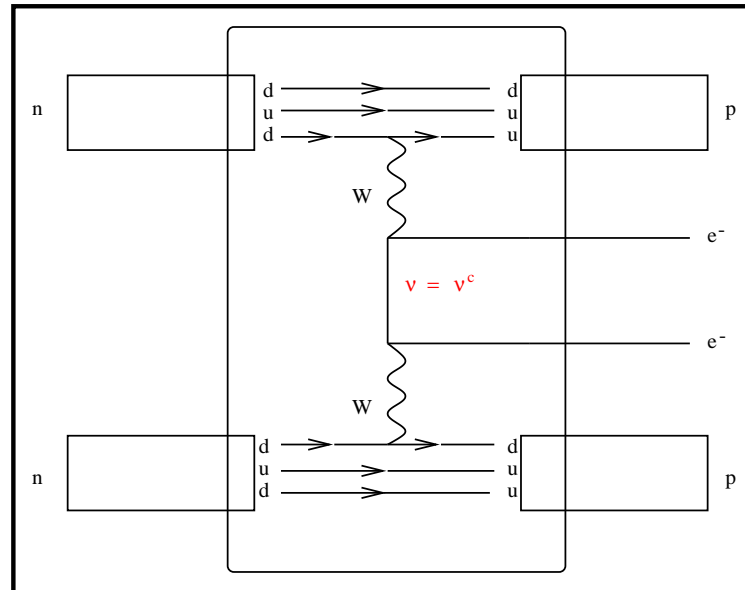
# $\beta\beta_{0\nu}$ and the neutrino spectra (mass mechanism)

given that neutrinos are massive, one expects  $\beta\beta_{0\nu}$  to occur with an amplitude governed by the average mass parameter

$$\langle m_\nu \rangle = \sum_j K_{ej}^2 m_j$$

parametrizing  $K$  as in

Schechter and JV, PRD22 (1980) 2227



$$\langle m_\nu \rangle = c_{12}^2 c_{13}^2 m_1 + s_{12}^2 c_{13}^2 e^{i\alpha} m_2 + s_{13}^2 e^{i\beta} m_3$$

- 3 masses:  $m_i$
- 2 angles:  $\theta_{12}$  and  $\theta_{13}$
- 2 CP violating phases:  $\alpha, \beta$

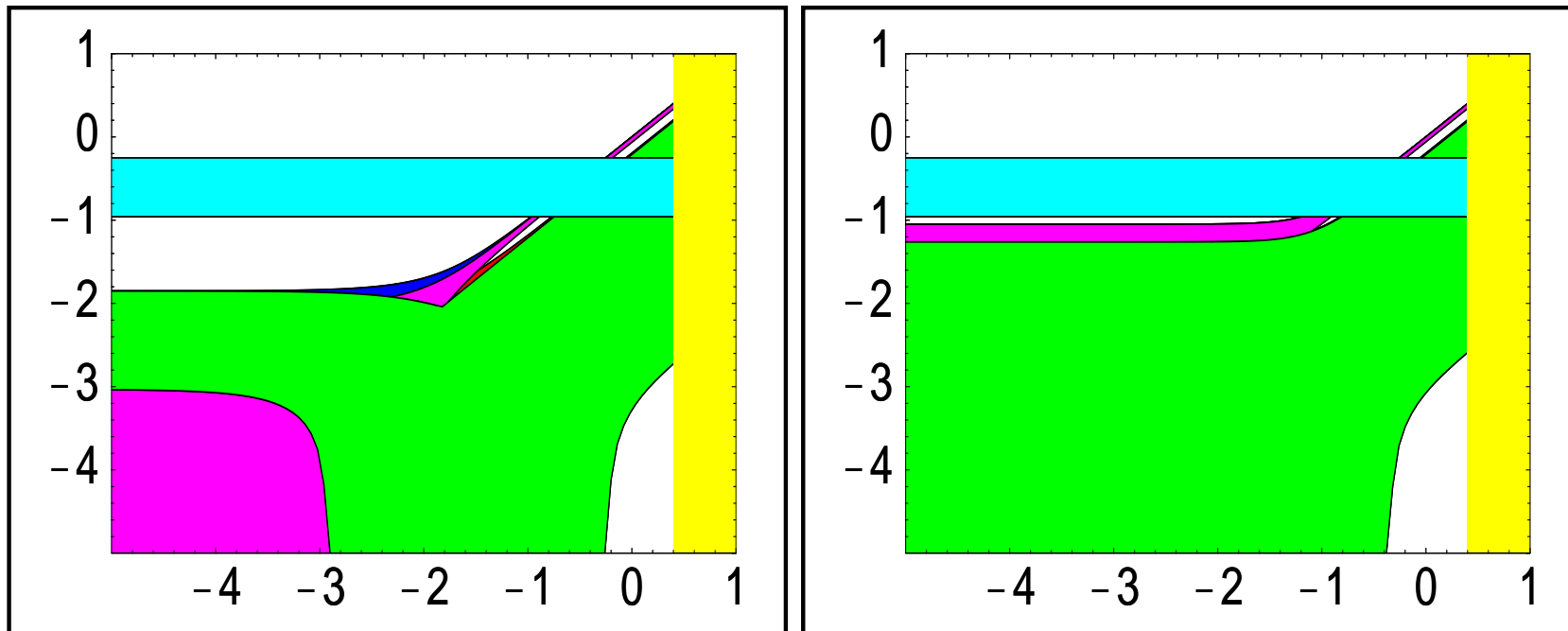
# current laboratory tests of absolute neutrino mass

Current sol-atm,  $\beta\beta_{0\nu}$  and Tritium sensitivities

thanks to Martin Hirsch

- Current neutrino oscillation data
- Upper limit for  $\langle m_\nu \rangle \leq 0.3$  eV with factor  $\sim 2$  uncertainty band
- Upper limit from Tritium experiments:  $m_1 \leq 2.2$  eV

normal versus inverse hierarchy  $\text{Log } \langle m_\nu \rangle / \text{eV}$  vs  $\text{Log } m_1 / \text{eV}$

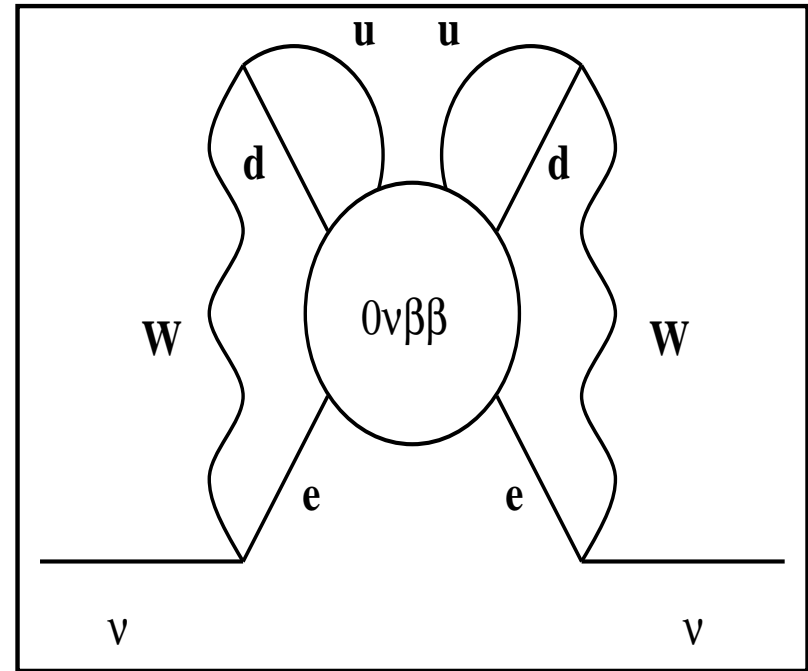


# Relevance of $\beta\beta_{0\nu}$

gauge theories  $\beta\beta_{0\nu} \leftrightarrow$  majorana mass

Schechter and JV, PRD **25** (1982) 2951

no such theorem for flavor violation!







# Perversity of nature?

## $\theta_{13}$ and Leptonic CP Violation

“Dirac” CPV suppressed, since  $\delta$  disappears when any  $\Delta_{ij} \rightarrow 0$

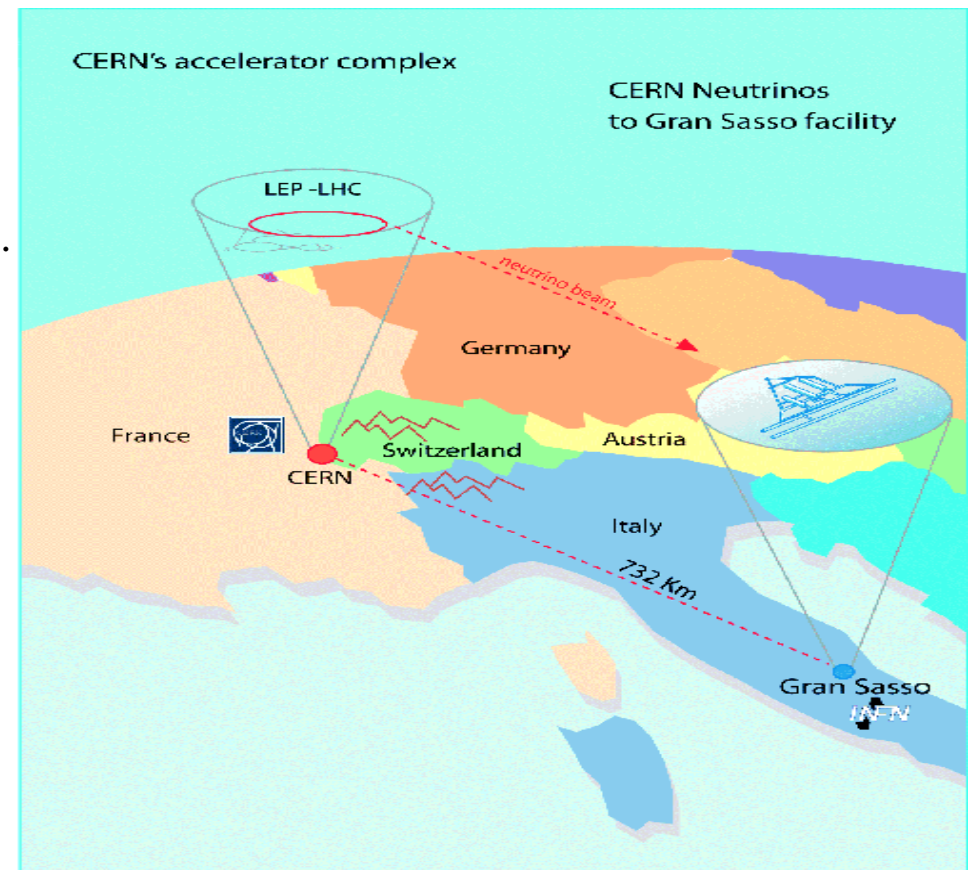
Schechter and JV, PRD **21** (1980) 309

Try harder

# Neutrino Factories

will probe  $s_{13}$  and  $\delta$

Cervera et al, De Rujula, Gavela, Hernandez  
Freund, Huber, Lindner, Albright et al, Barger et al...



provided Non-Standard nu-Interactions (NSI) can be rejected ...

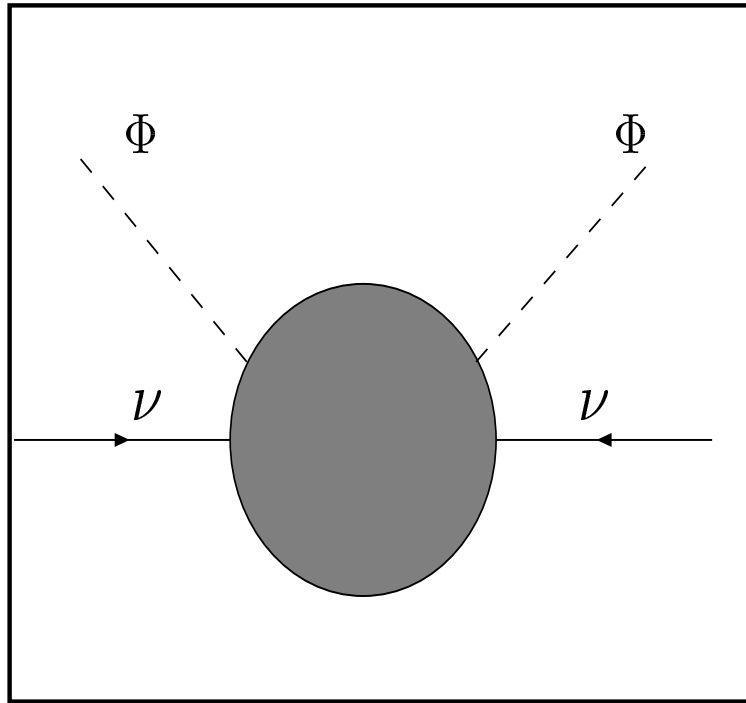
Huber, Schwetz & JV PRL88 (2002) 101804 & PRD66, 013006 (2002)

Huber & JV PLB523 (2001) 151



# Theory ideas

# basic dim-5 operator ●



from Gravity

from seesaw schemes

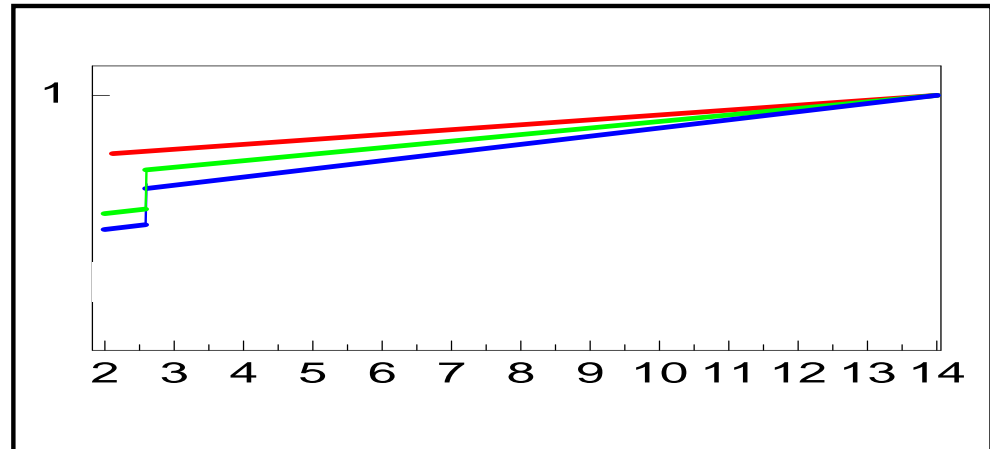
Weinberg ....

Gell-Mann, Ramond, Slansky; Yanagida;  
Mohapatra, Senjanovic PRL44 (1980) 91  
Schechter, JV PRD22 (1980) 2227; PRD25 (1982) 774

# neutrino unification: large-scale seesaw



$m_\nu/\text{eV}$  vs.  $\text{Log } M_X/\text{GeV}$



Babu, Ma and Valle, PLB552 (2003) 207

neutrino masses unify as they run up

Chankowski, Ioannisian, Pokorski and JV, PRL86 (2001) 3488

solar & atm splittings from RGE

common origin for neutrino and KM mixing

maximal  $\theta_{23}$ ; large  $\theta_{12}$  &  $\theta_{13} = 0$  or maximal CP violation

see also Grimus & Lavoura

observable neutrino mass eg in cosmology,  $\beta$  and  $\beta\beta_{0\nu}$  decays

observable Lepton Flavor Violation  $B(\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma) \sim 10^{-6}$

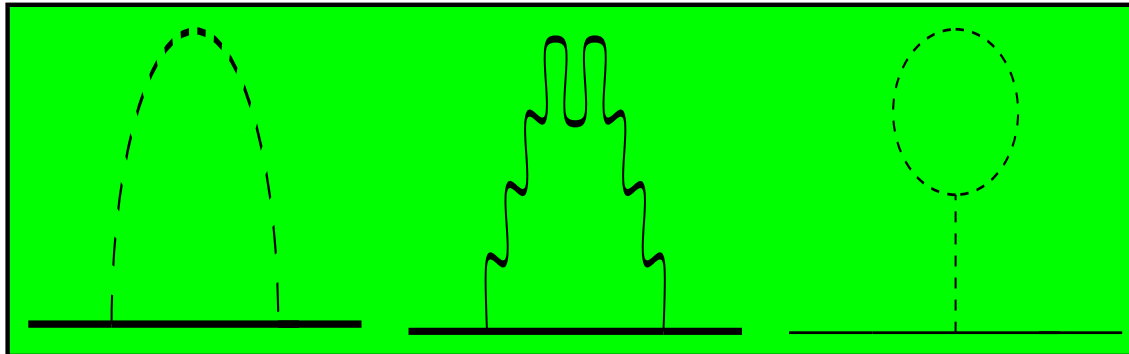
# bilinear R parity violation: weak-scale seesaw ●

● Diaz, Hirsch, Porod, Romao and JV, PRD68 (2003) 013009 [hep-ph/0302021];  
PRD62 (2000) 113008 [Err-ibid. D65 (2002) 119901]; PRD61 (2000) 071703

● weak-scale seesaw atm scale



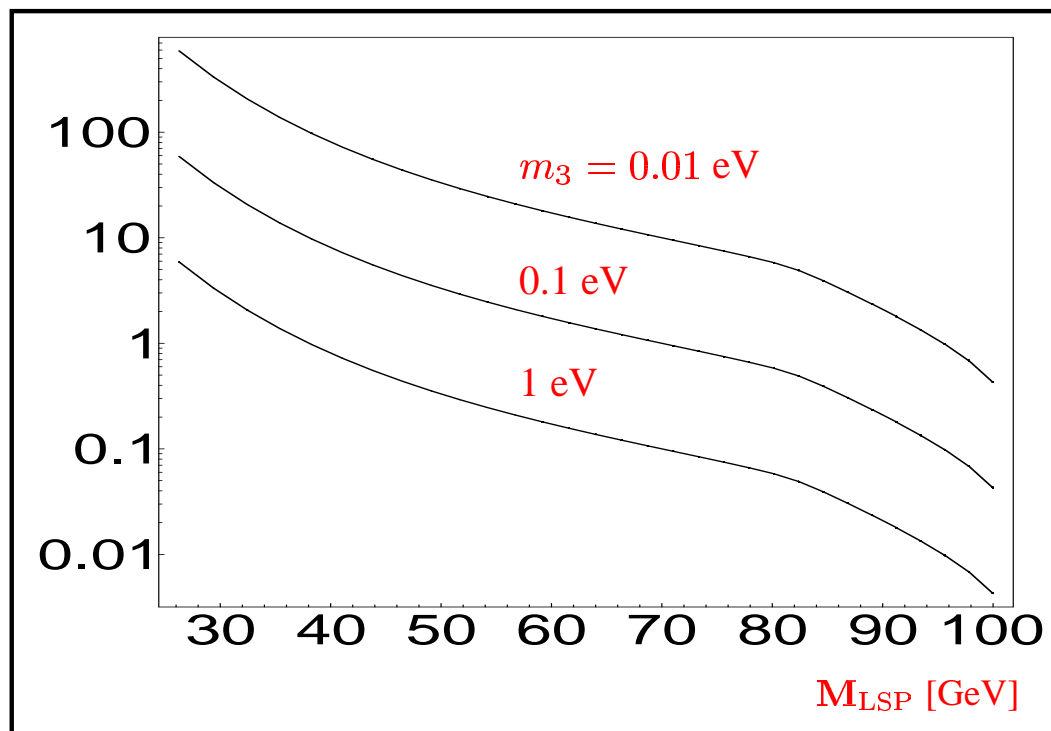
● radiative nu-masses solar scale



# LSP decay length [cm]: BRPV



from Bartl et al NPB 600 (2001) 39



Mukhopadhyaya, Roy & Vissani; Chun & Lee; Choi et al; Datta et al

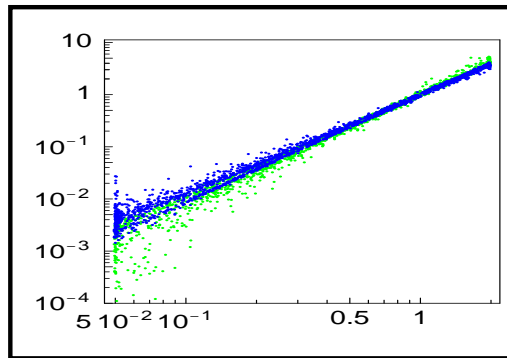
**any charged SUSY particles can be the LSP**

# neutrino mixing angles in BRPV ●

$$\tan_{23}^2(\Lambda_2/\Lambda_3) \quad \tan_{12}^2(\epsilon_1/\epsilon_2) \quad U_{e3}^2(\Lambda_1/\Lambda_3)$$

- mixings in terms of RPV ratios, e.g, atm mixing

$\tan_{23}^2$  vs  $(\Lambda_2/\Lambda_3)$

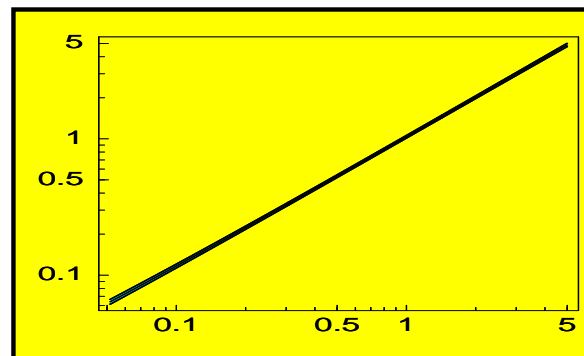


- LSP decay properties correlate with angles

neutralino

Porod et al PRD63 (2001) 115004

$\chi \rightarrow \mu qq / \chi \rightarrow \tau qq$  vs  $\tan_{23}^2$



- stop decays  
slepton decays

Restrepo, Porod & Valle, PRD64 (2001) 055011

M. Hirsch et al, PRD66 (2002) 095006



# No Road Map to Theory of Neutrino Mass

- top-bottom vs bottom-up
- what is the mechanism?
  - tree vs radiative
  - B-L gauged vs ungauged...
- what is the scale ?
  - Planck scale: Strings?
  - GUT scale  $E(6)$ ,  $SO(10)$ ,...
  - Intermediate scale: P-Q, L-R ...
  - Weak  $SU(3) \otimes SU(2) \otimes U(1)$  scale
- **no theory of flavour**
- are there sterile-nus?

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