Review on global fits

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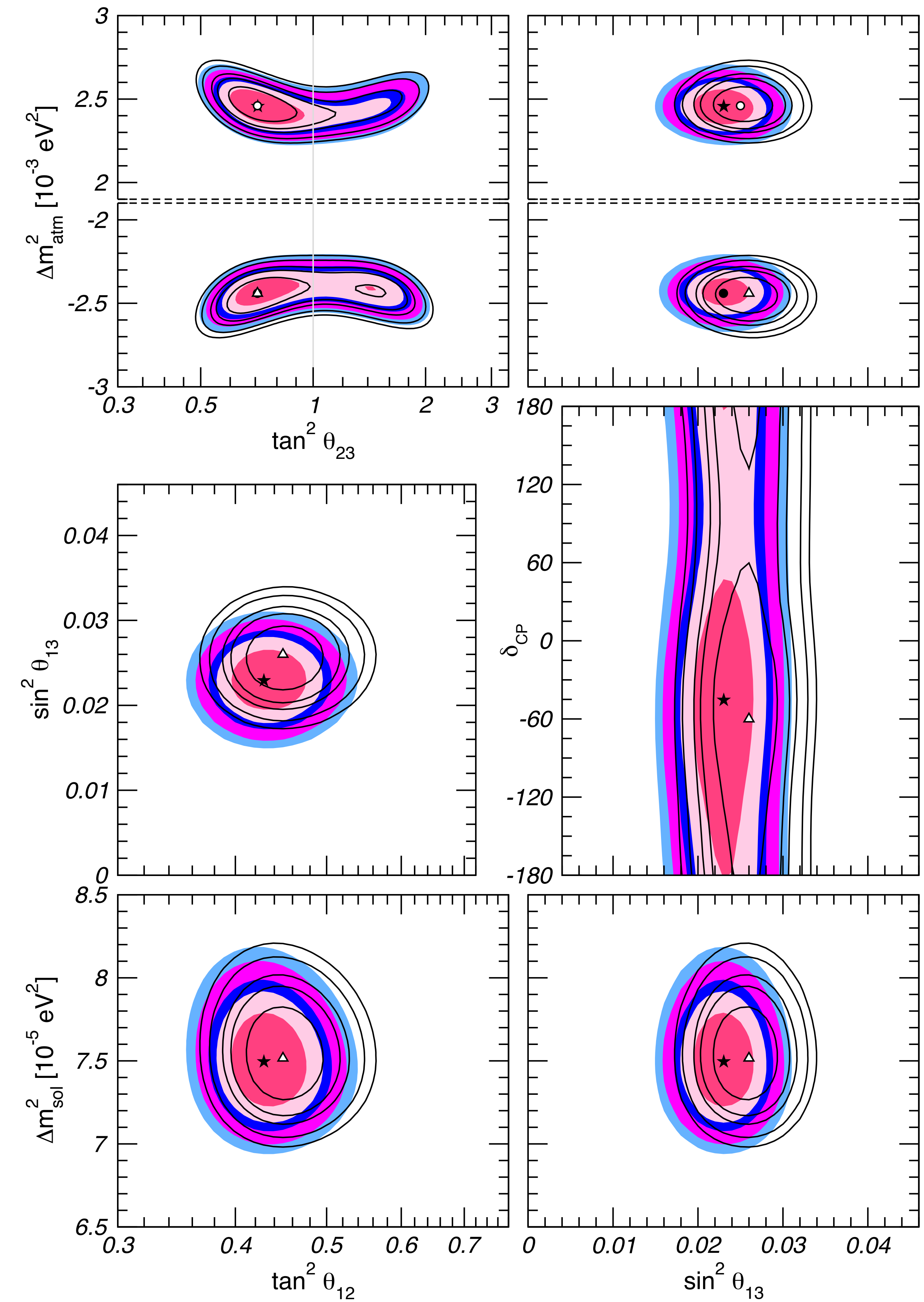

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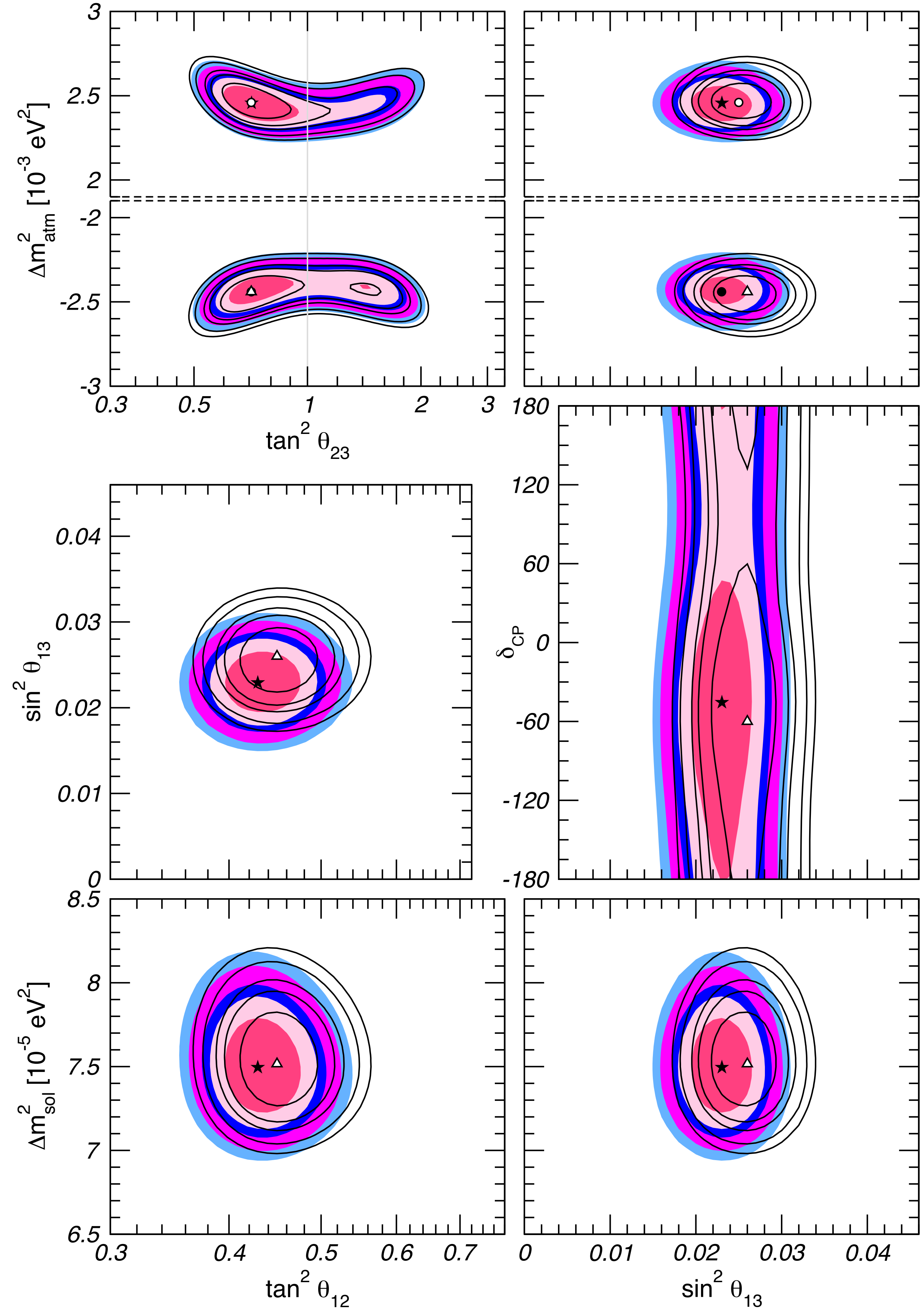
Outline:

- *the θ_{13} revolution*
- *non-maximality of θ_{23}*
- *CP phase and hierarchy*

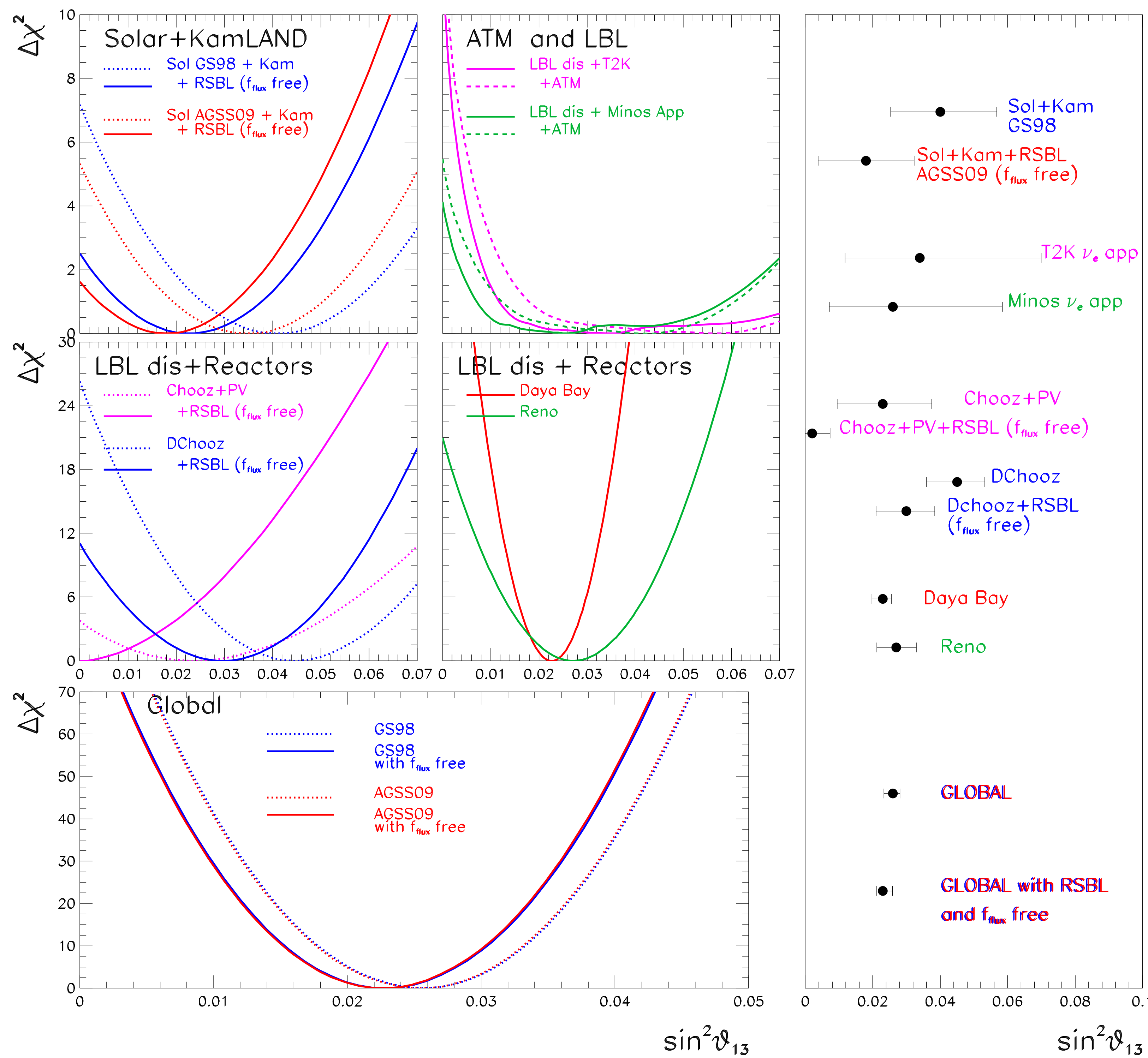


The θ_{13} revolution

- *About 1 year ago: 6 events in T2K: 2.5σ*
  - *global fits gave >3σ for the first time*

Fogli et al, 1106.6028
TS, Tortola, Valle 1108.1376

- *DoubleChooz, DayaBay, RENO*
  - *post-Neutrino12: $\Delta\chi^2 \approx 100$ in the global fit*



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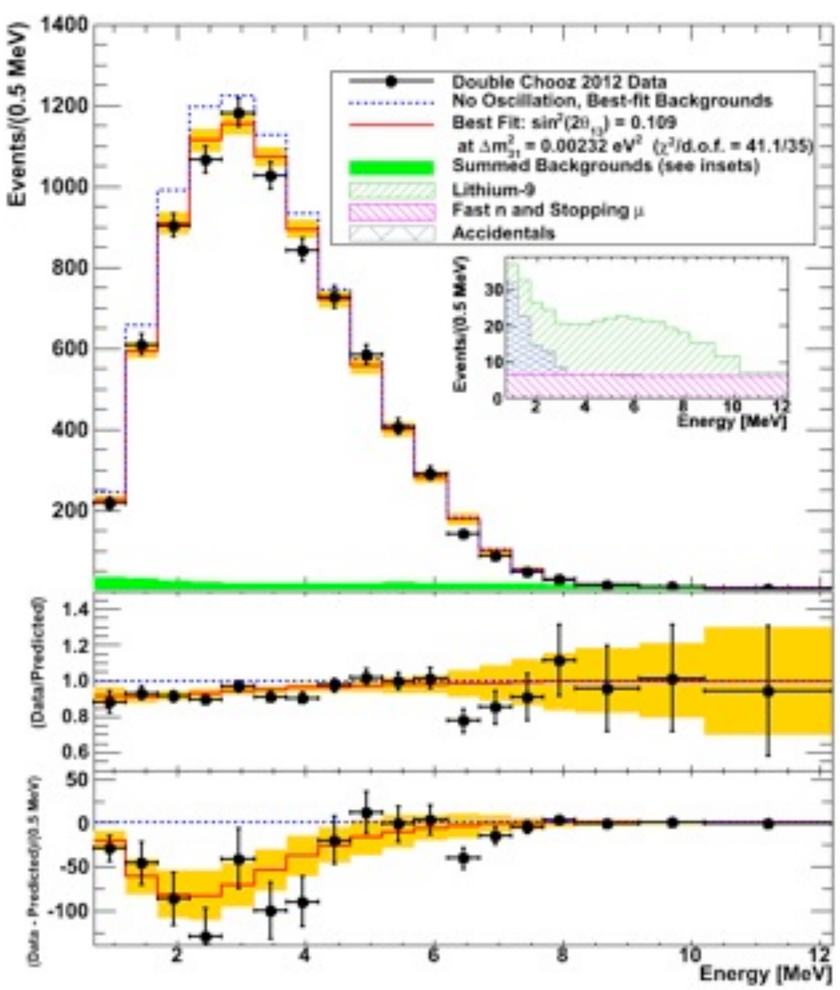

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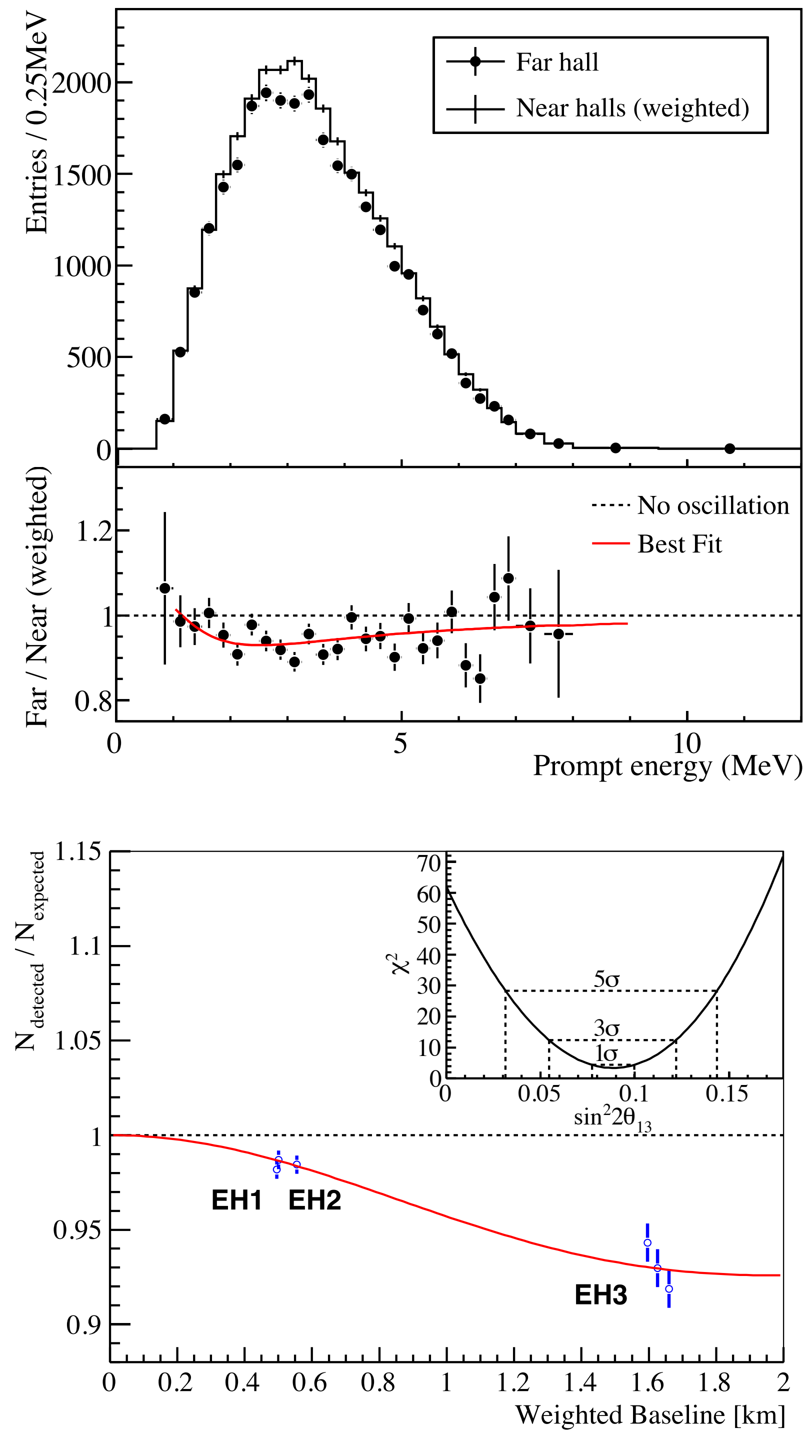

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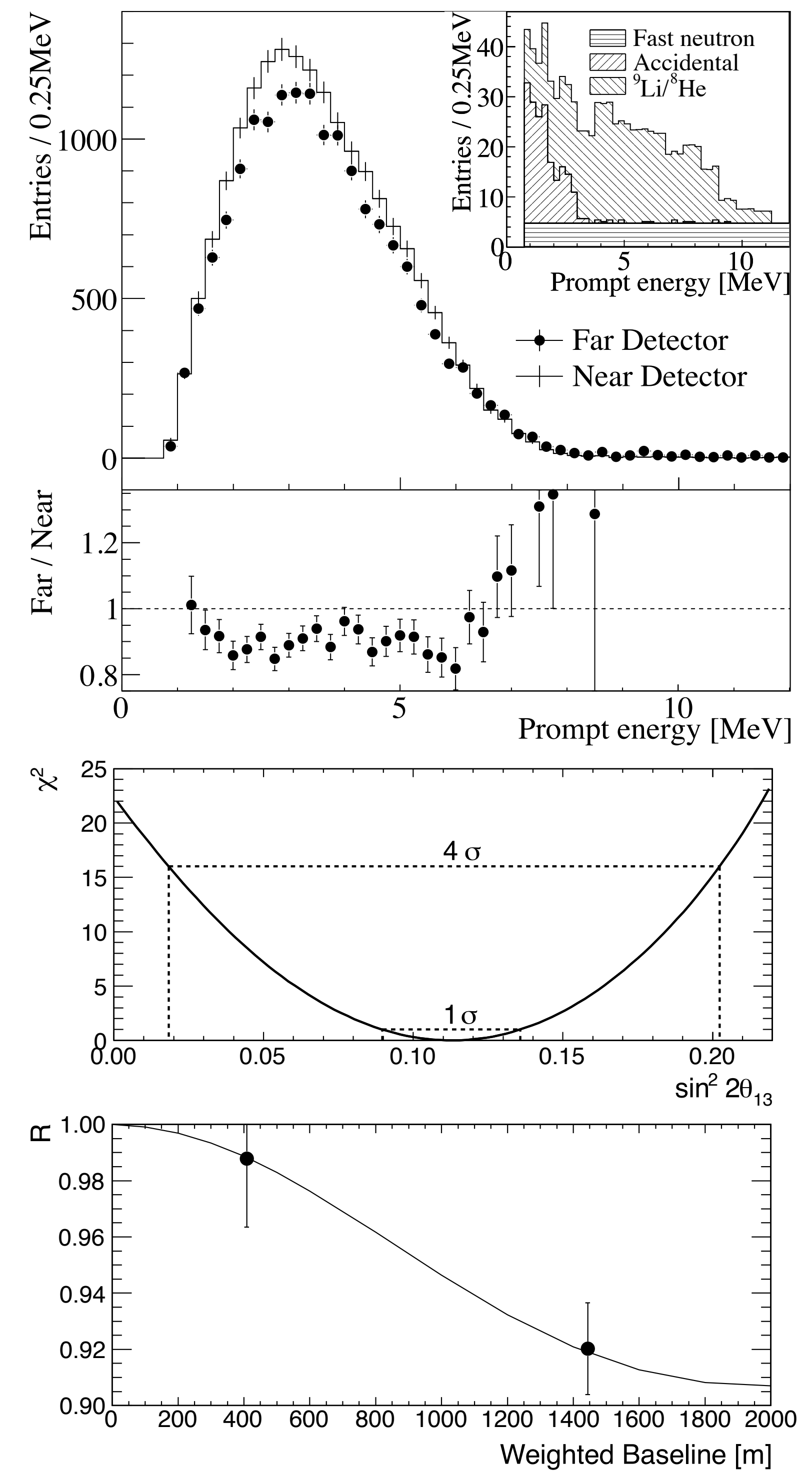

RENO, 1204.0626

The reactor anomaly

- to predict the $\bar{\nu}_e$ flux from nuclear reactors one has to convert the measured e^- spectra from ^{235}U, ^{239}Pu, ^{241}Pu into neutrino spectra
  Schreckenbach et al., 82, 85, 89
- recent improved calculation Mueller et al., 1101.2663 $\sim$ 3% higher fluxes (ab initio calculations + virtual branches for missing part)
- confirmed by independent calculation P. Huber, 1106.0687 (virtual branches)
- increase of predicted number of neutrino-induced events compared to old flux calculations:

^{235}U	^{239}Pu	^{241}Pu	^{238}U
3.7%	4.2%	4.7%	9.8%

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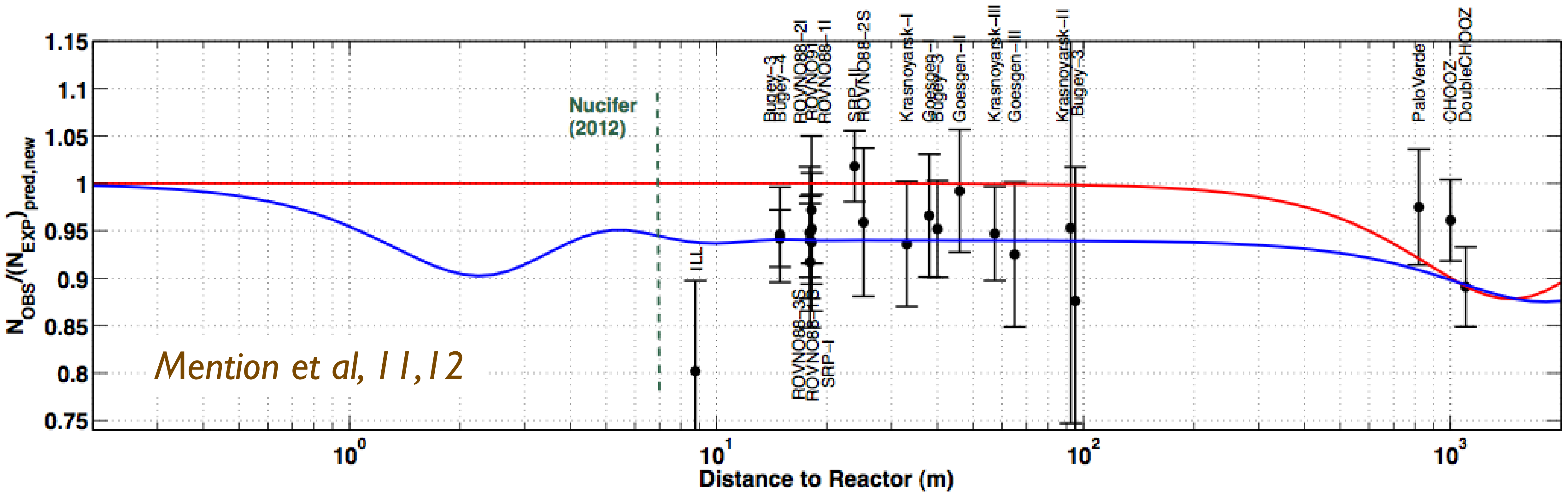

- *SBL reactor data (L < 100m) in tension with predicted flux*
  f = 0.935±0.024 (different from 1 @ 2.7σ)
- *systematics?*
  - *normalization of ILL electron spectra*
  - *neutron lifetime (use 2012 PDG value)*
- *sterile neutrinos at the eV scale?*

talk by Maltoni

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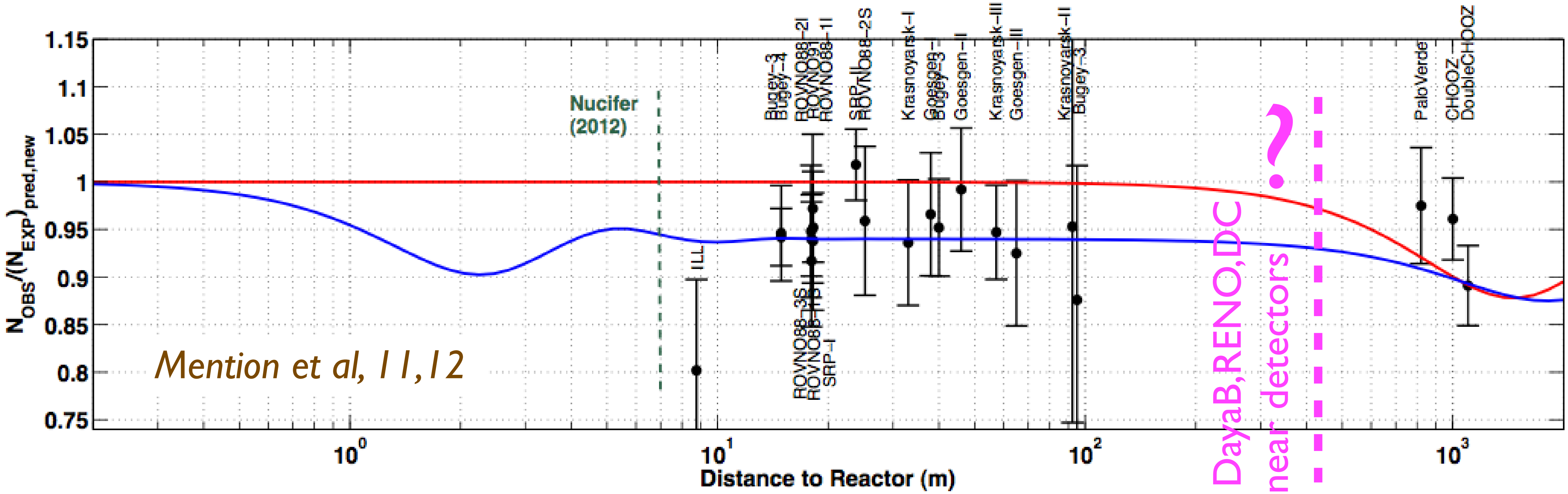

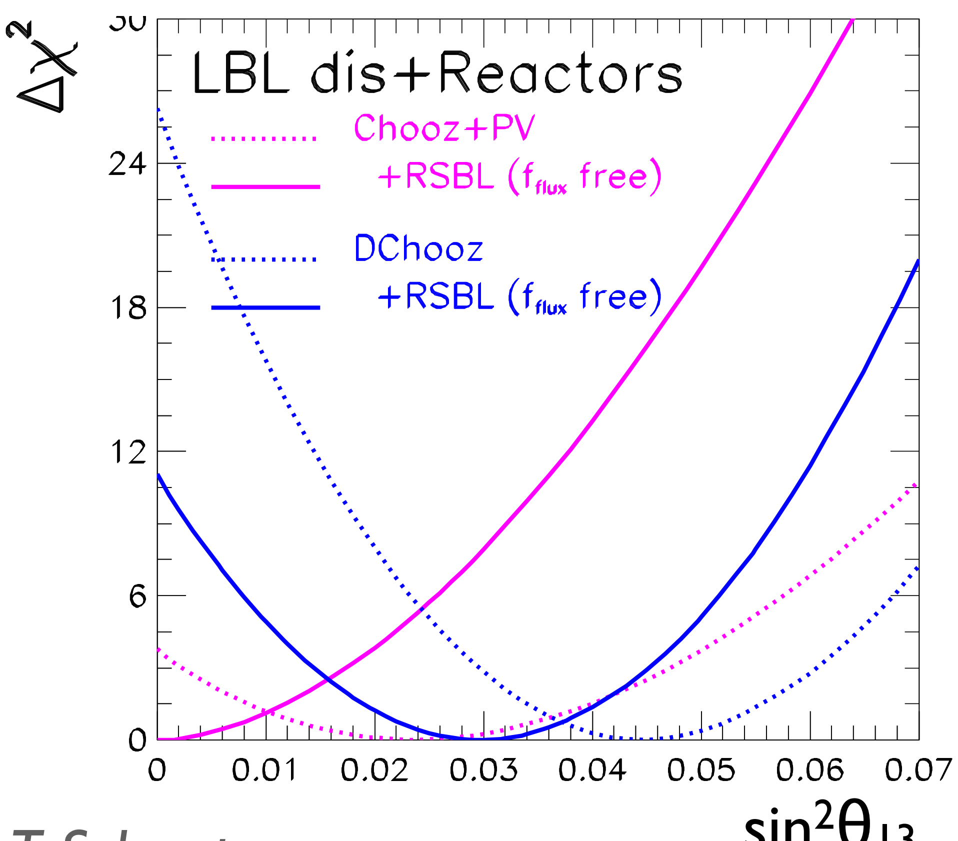

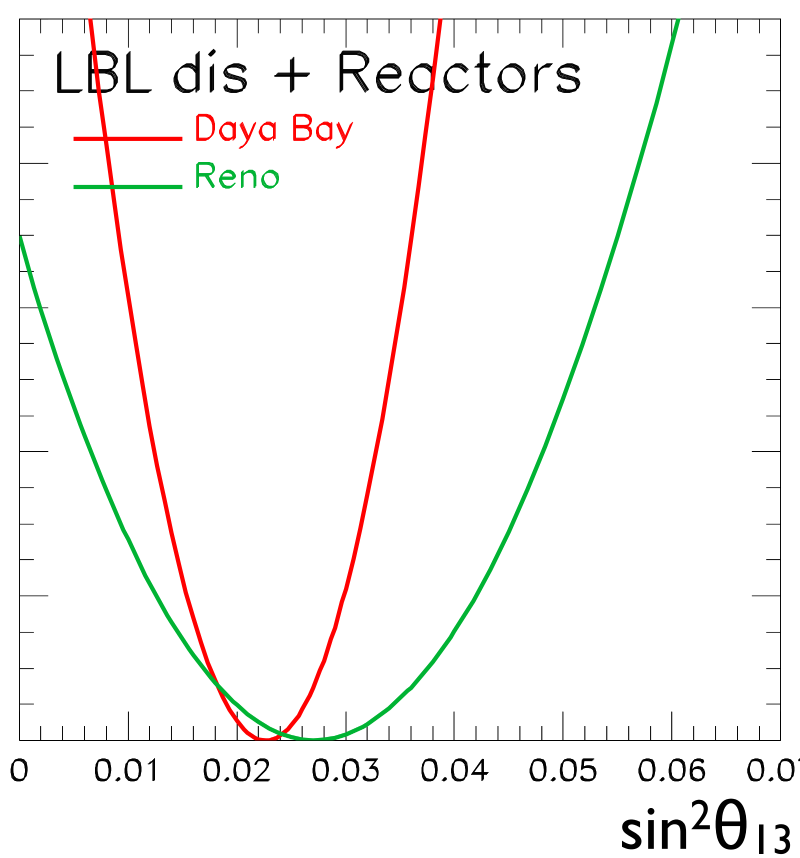

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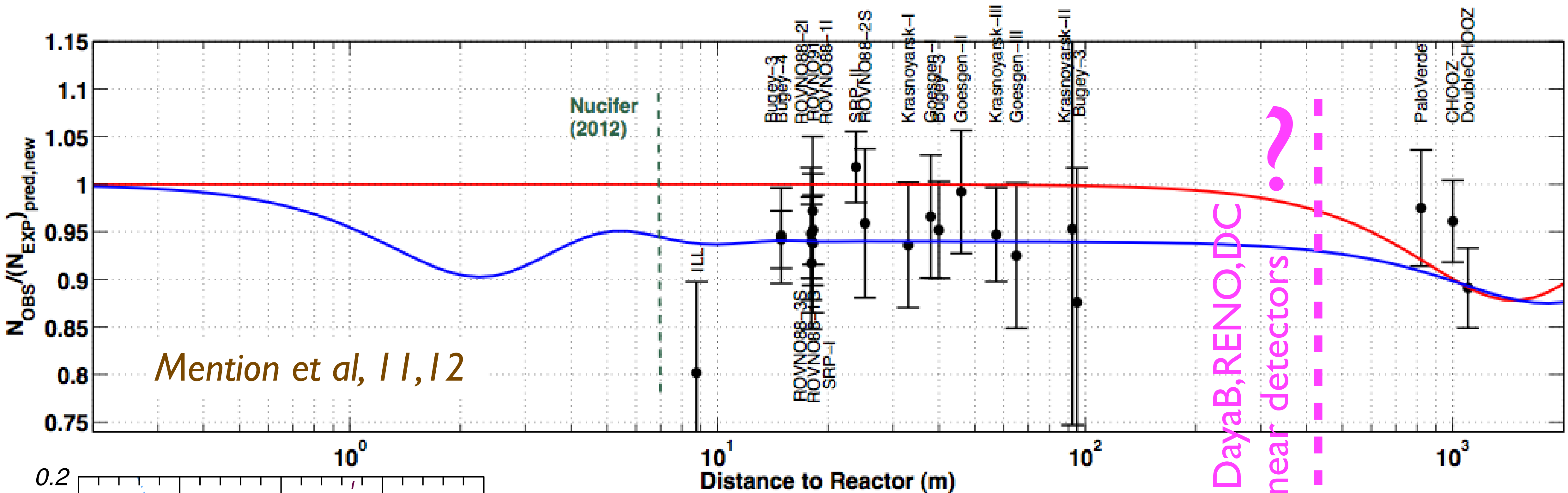

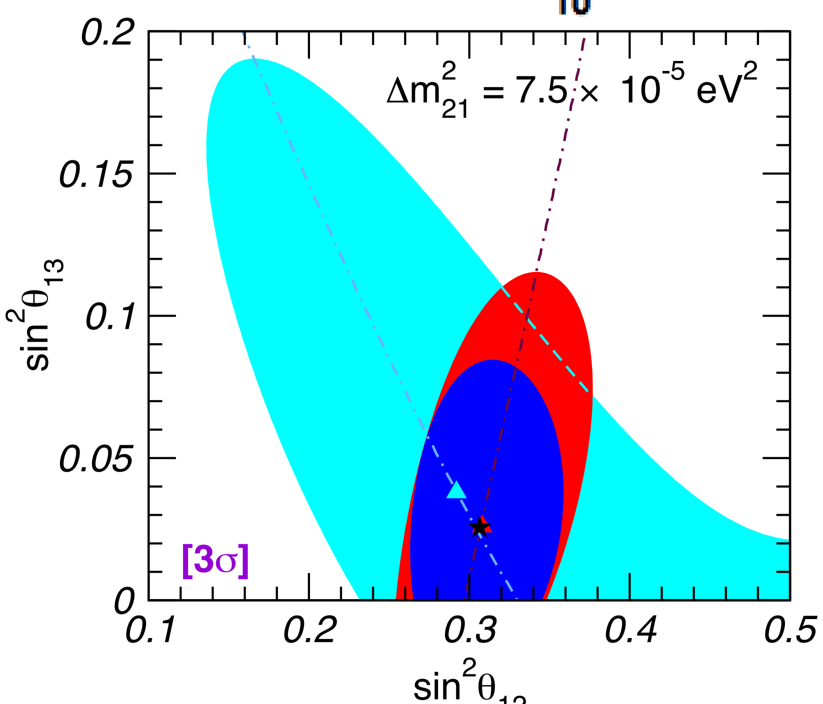

plot by M. Maltoni;
Fogli et al, 08;
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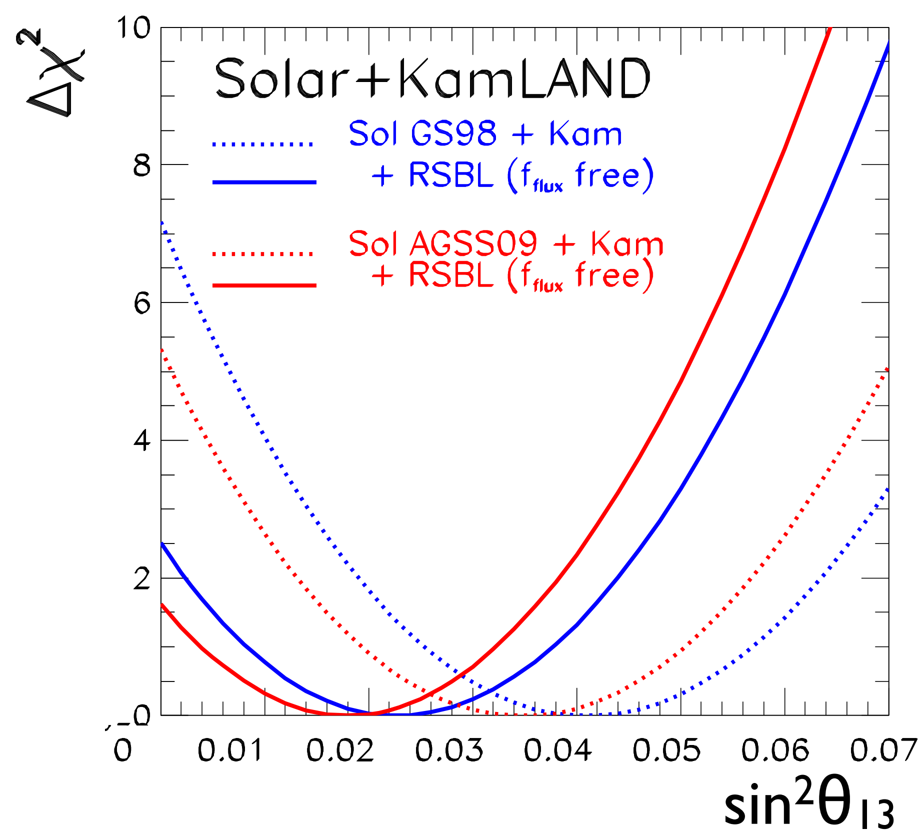

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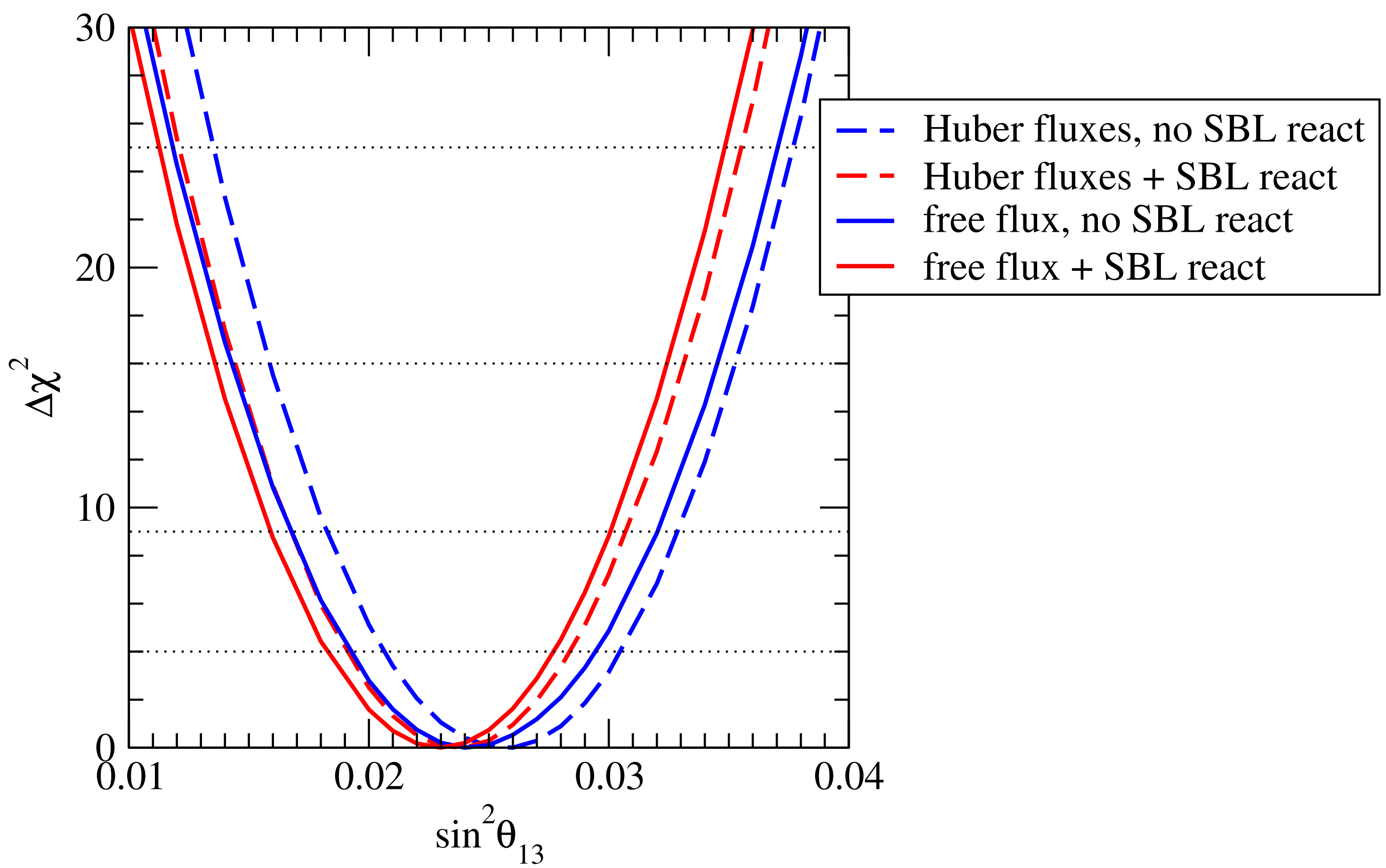

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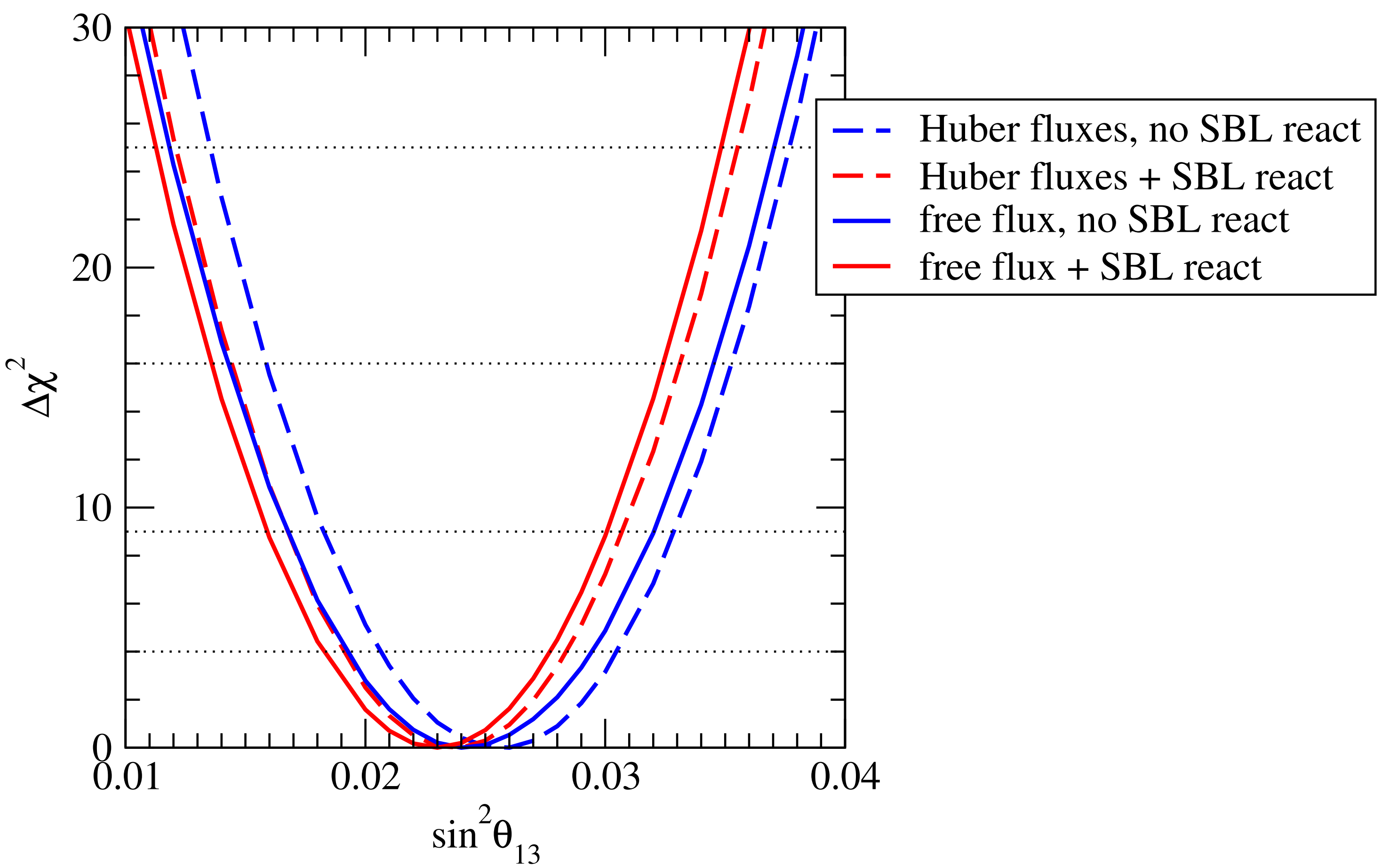
- *result depends on data which in principle is not sensitive to θ_{13}*
- *shift at the level of 1σ*



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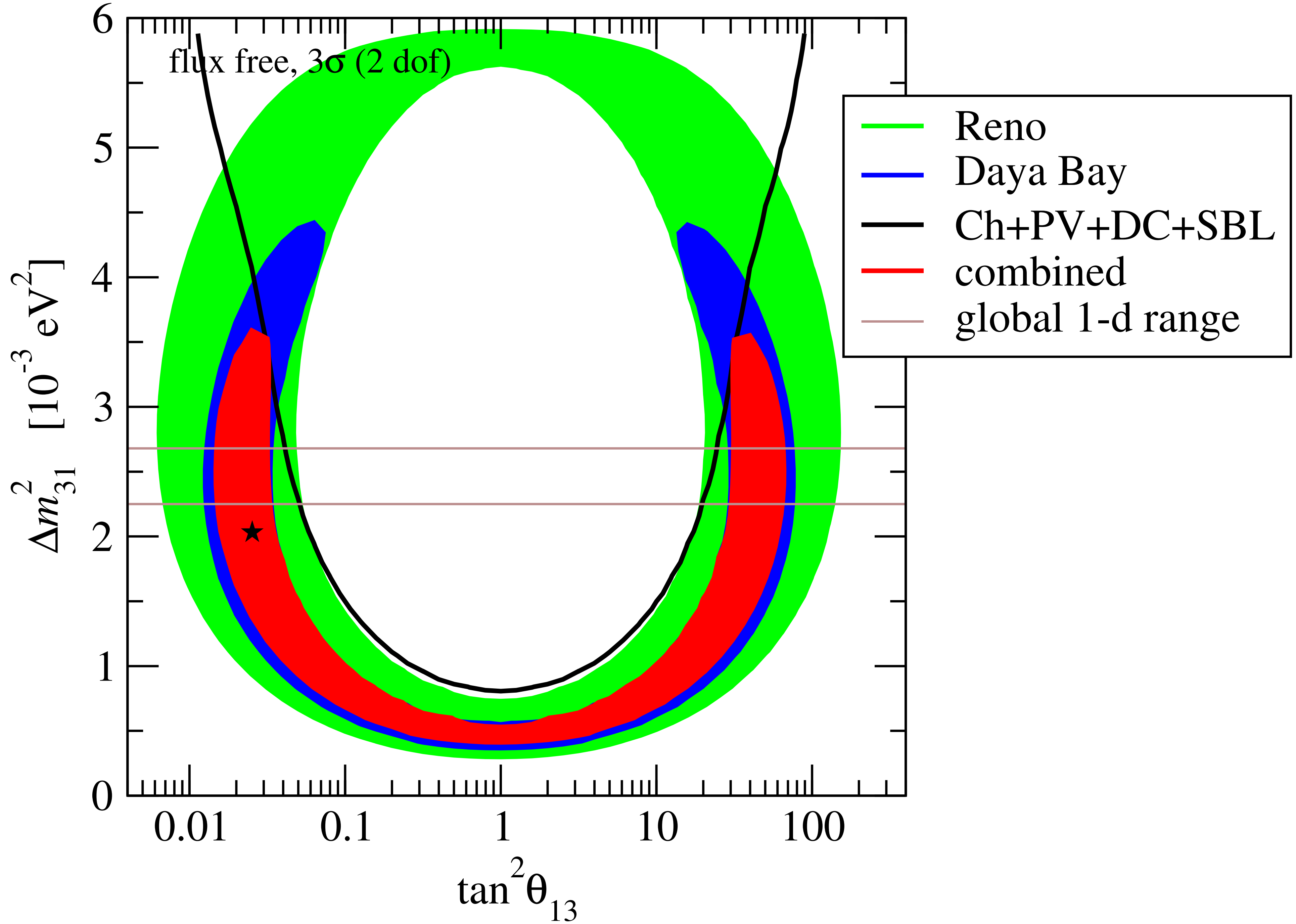

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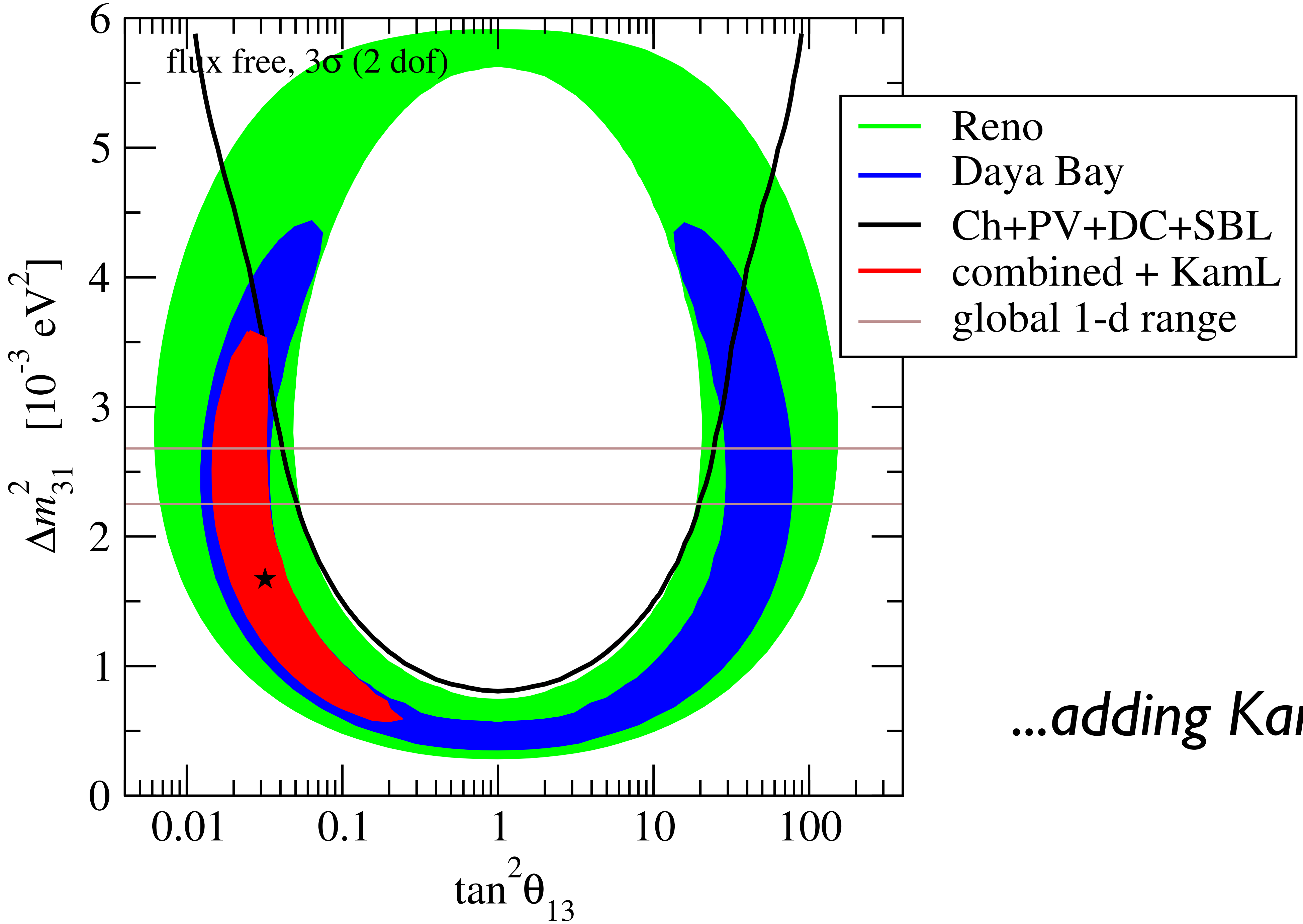

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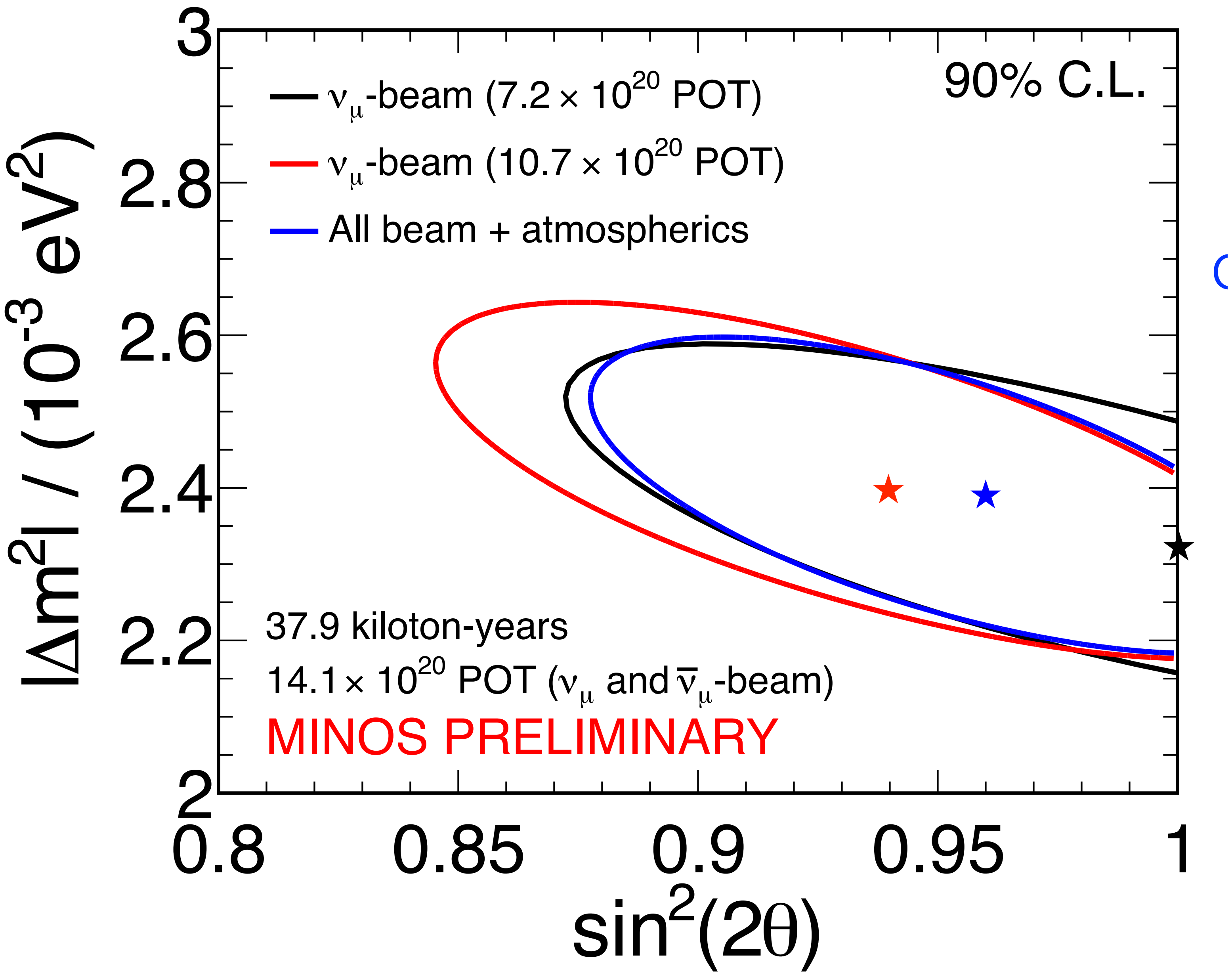

Nichol (MINOS), talk at Neutrino2012

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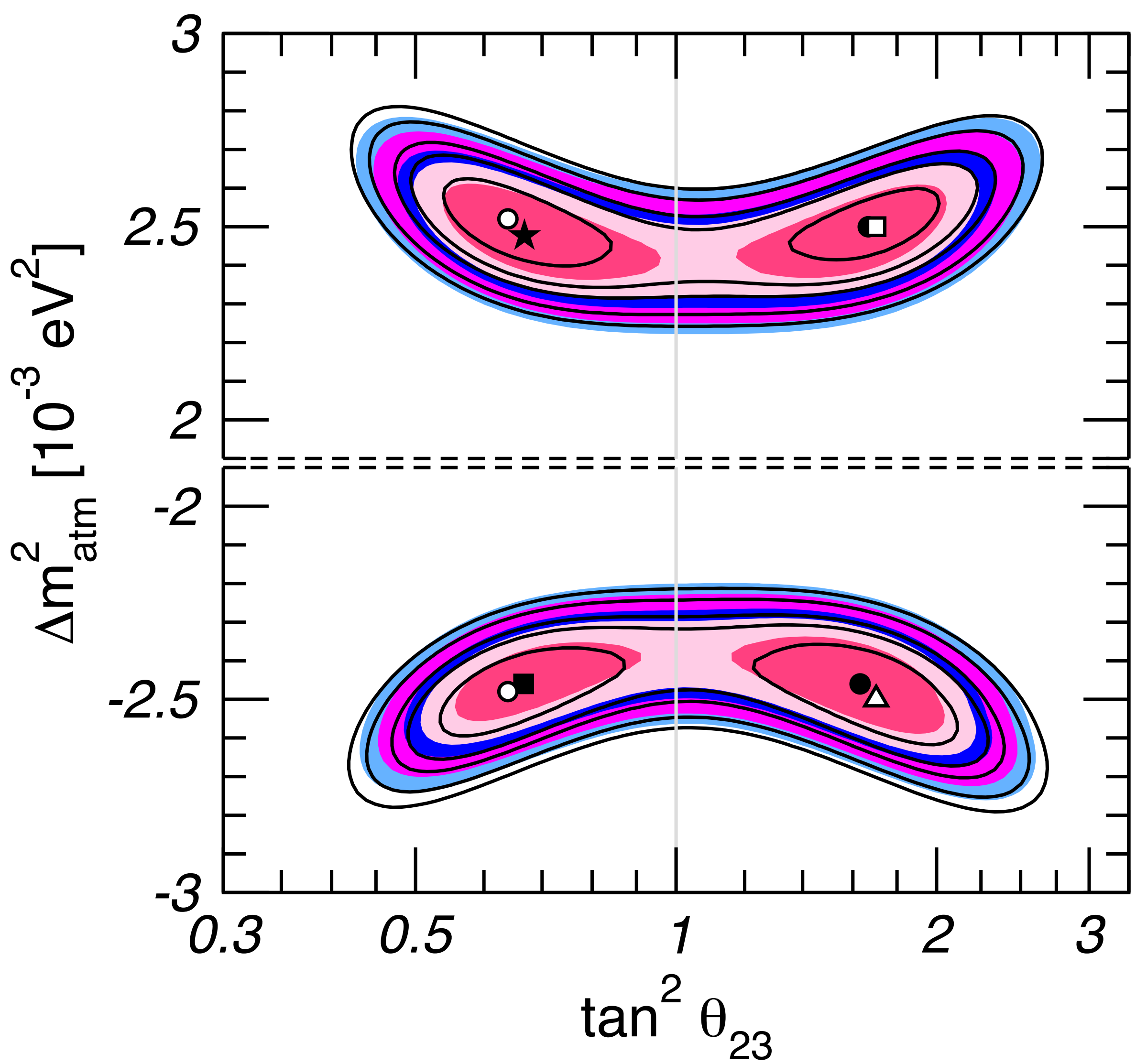

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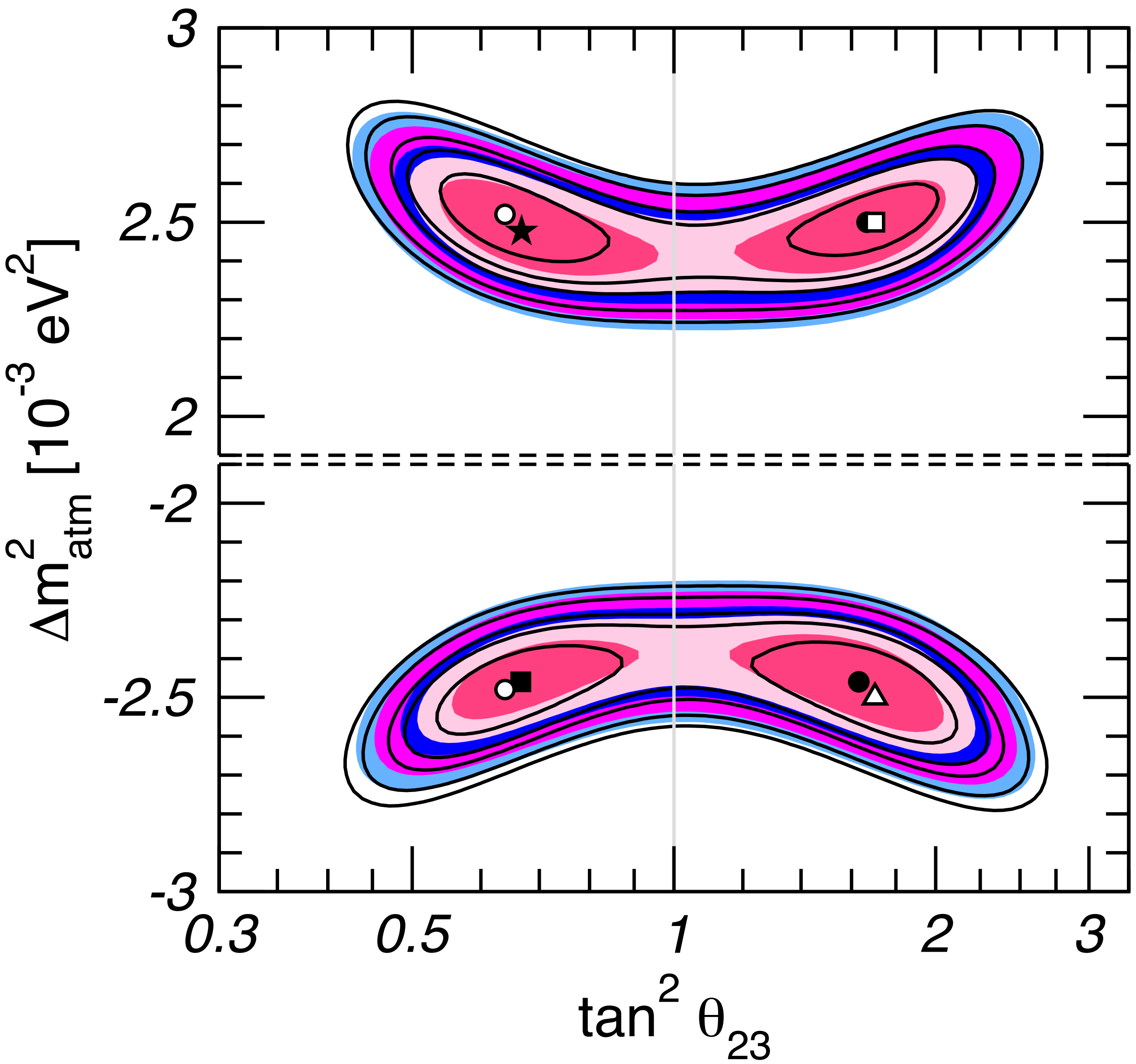

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neglecting Δm^2_{21}: $P_{\mu\mu} \approx 1 - 4|U_{\mu 3}|^2(1-|U_{\mu 3}|^2)\sin^2\frac{\Delta m^2_{\rm atm}L}{4E} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \sin^2\theta_{23} = \frac{|U_{\mu 3}|^2}{\cos^2\theta_{13}}$

slight shift to larger values of $\sin^2\theta_{23}$

Octant degeneracy and LBL appearance

Fogli, Lisi, hep-ph/9604415

$$P_{\mu e} \simeq \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \sin^2\theta_{23} \frac{\sin^2(1-A)\Delta}{(1-A)^2}$$
$$+ \sin 2\theta_{13}\, \hat{\alpha}\, \sin 2\theta_{23} \frac{\sin(1-A)\Delta}{1-A} \frac{\sin A\Delta}{A} \cos(\Delta + \delta_{CP})$$
$$+ \hat{\alpha}^2 \cos^2\theta_{23} \frac{\sin^2 A\Delta}{A^2}$$

with

$$\Delta \equiv \frac{\Delta m^2_{31} L}{4E_\nu}, \quad \hat{\alpha} \equiv \frac{\Delta m^2_{21}}{\Delta m^2_{31}} \sin 2\theta_{12}, \quad A \equiv \frac{2E_\nu V}{\Delta m^2_{31}}$$

- *for large θ_{13} the leading term depends on octant*
- *beam+reactor combination may be sensitive to octant*

  Minakata et al. hep-ph/0211111; McConnel, Shaevitz, hep-ex/0409028

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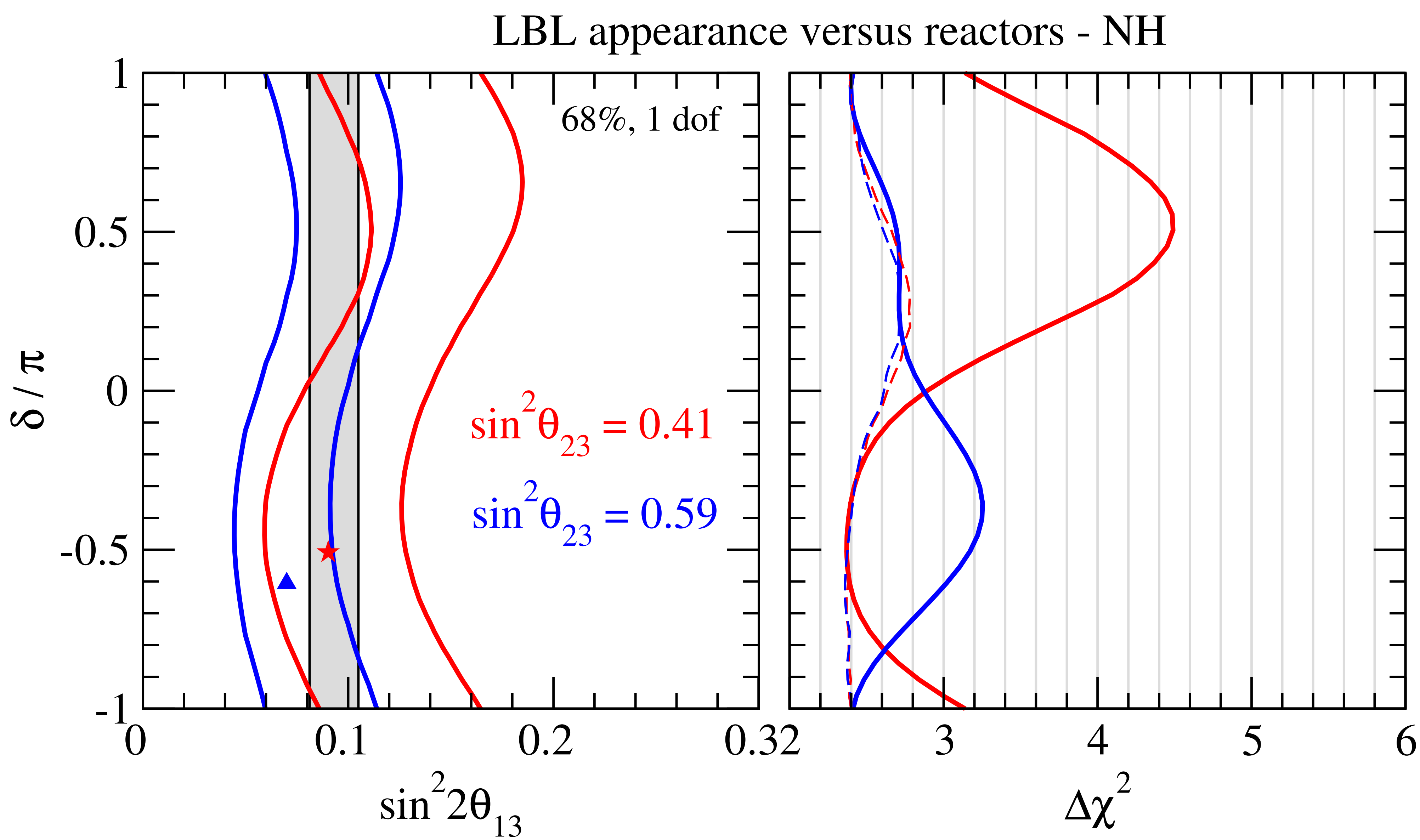

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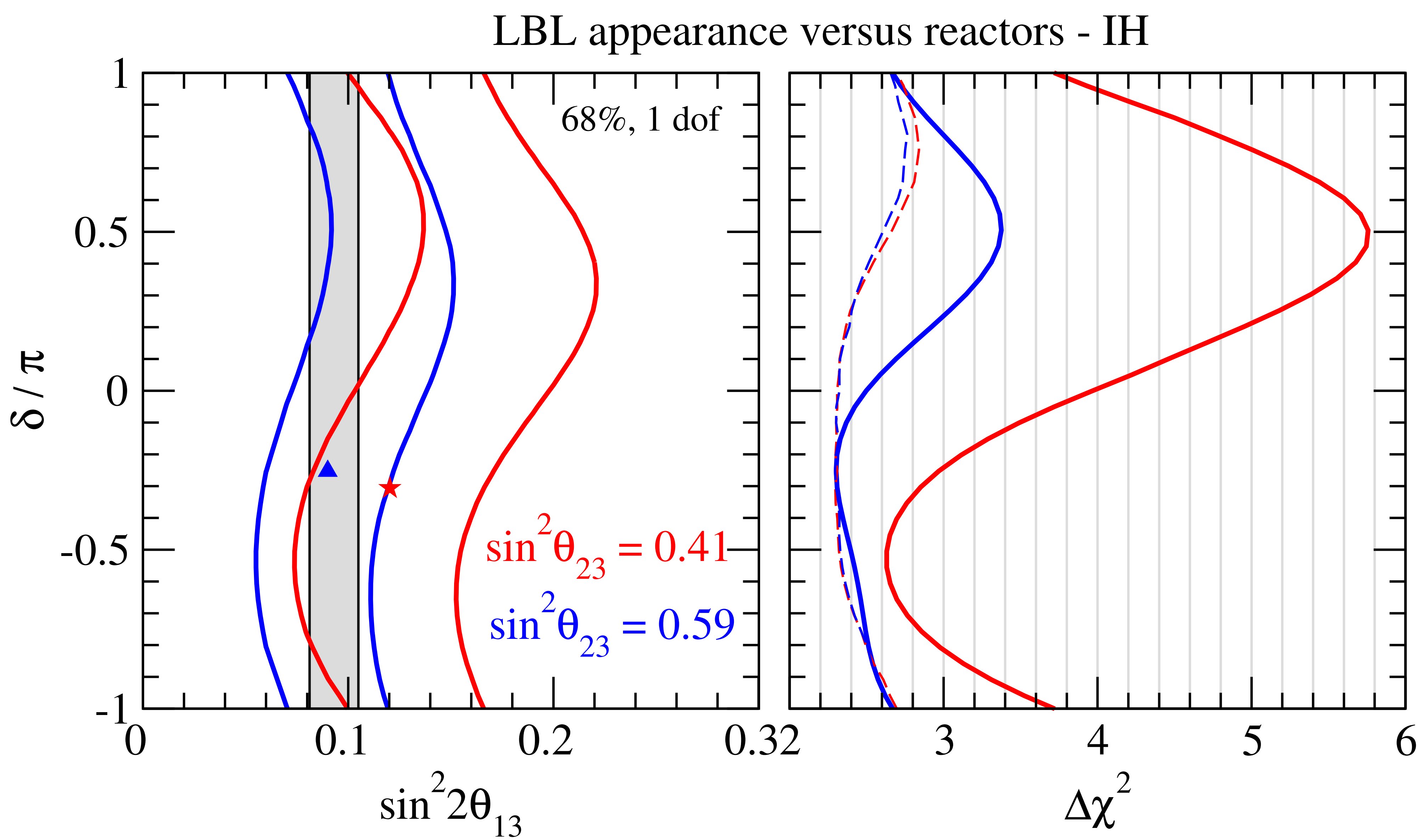

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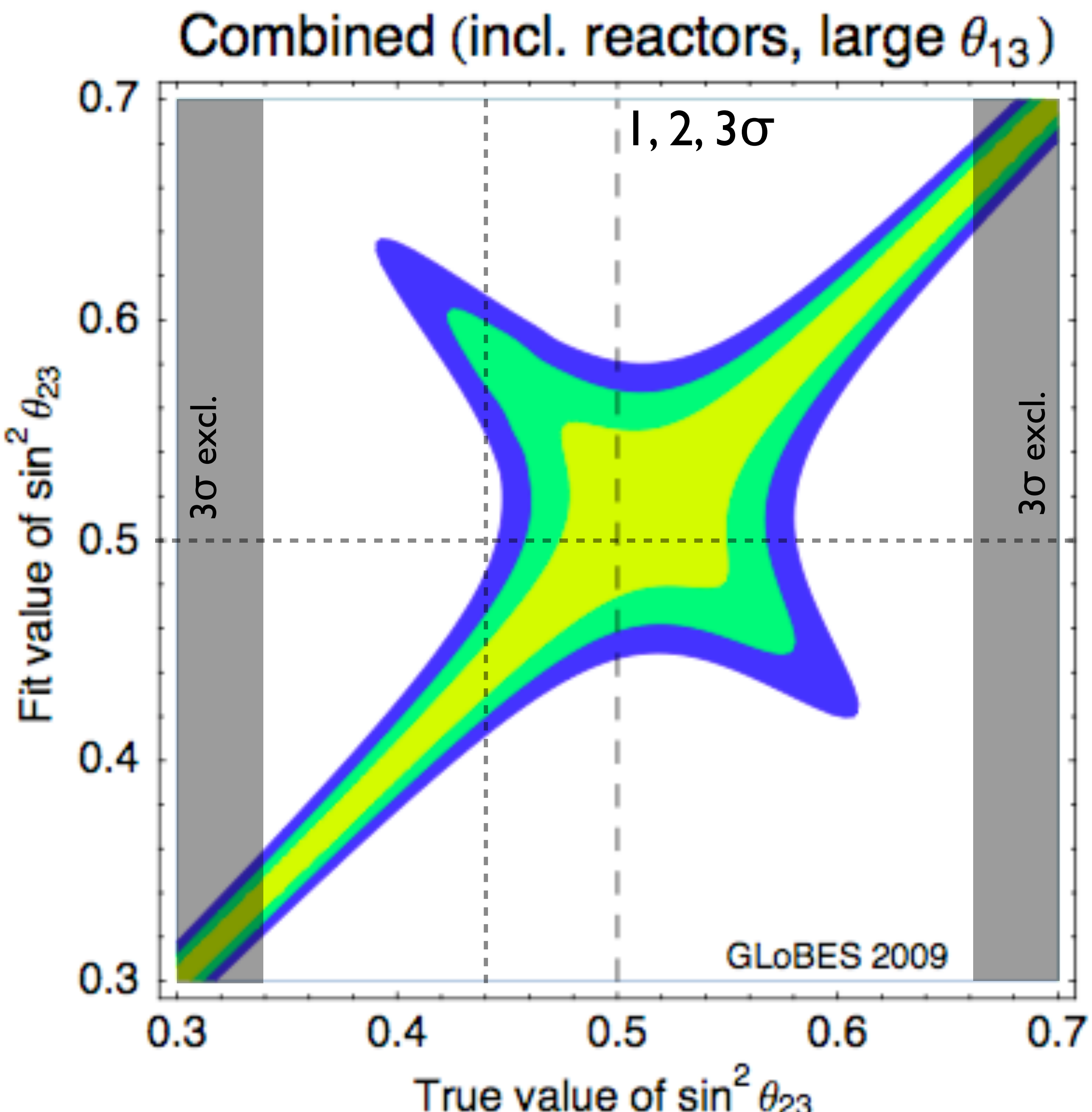
Global fit ~2020 - θ_{23} octant

final exposure of T2K, NOvA, DayaBay combined



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Huber, Lindner, TS, Winter, 0907.1896

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Peres, Smirnov, 99;
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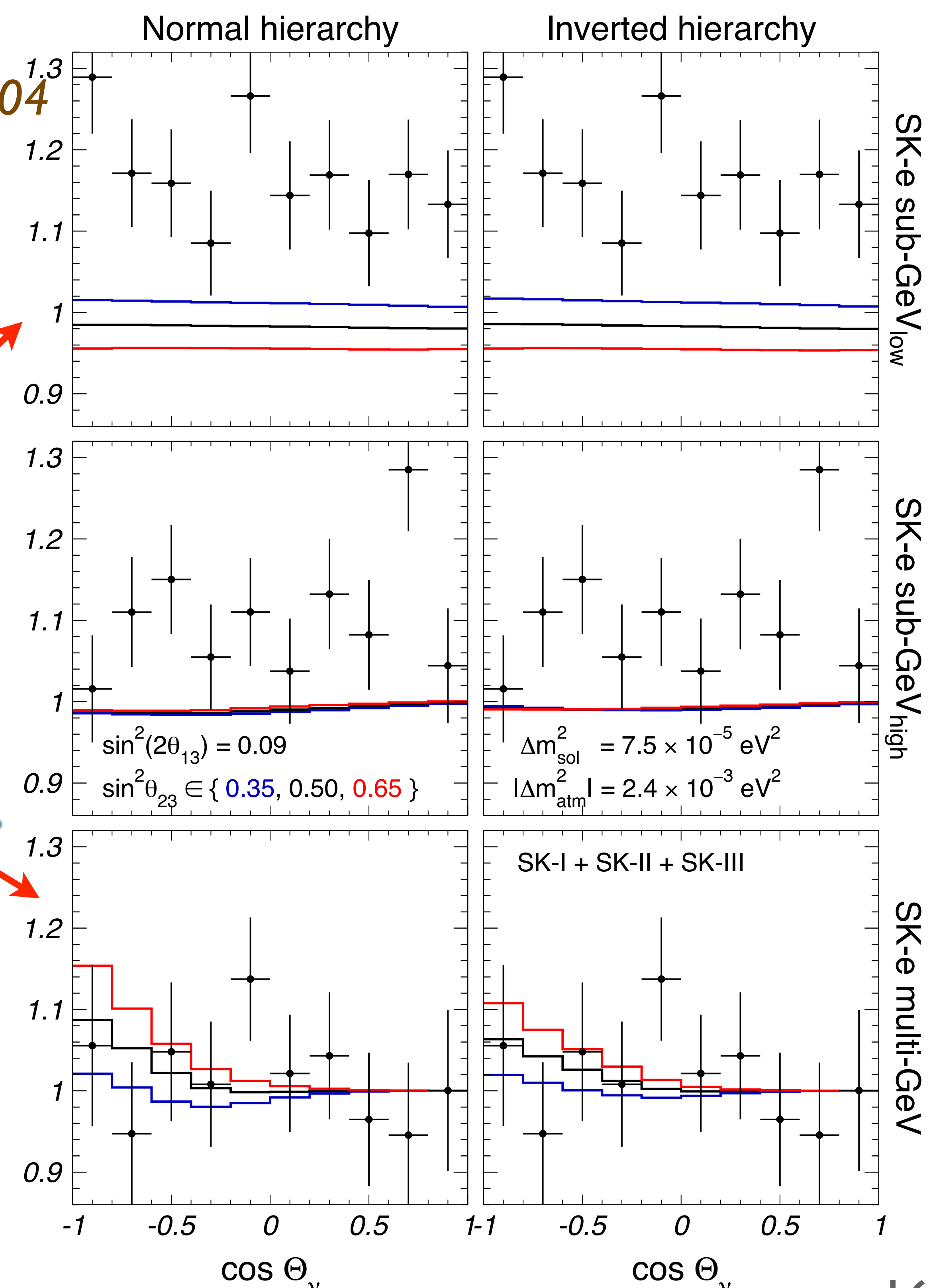

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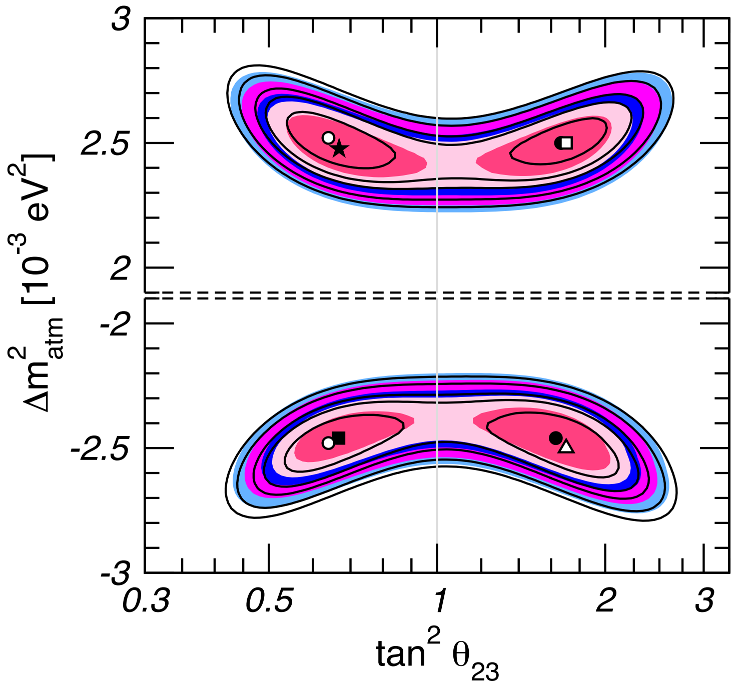
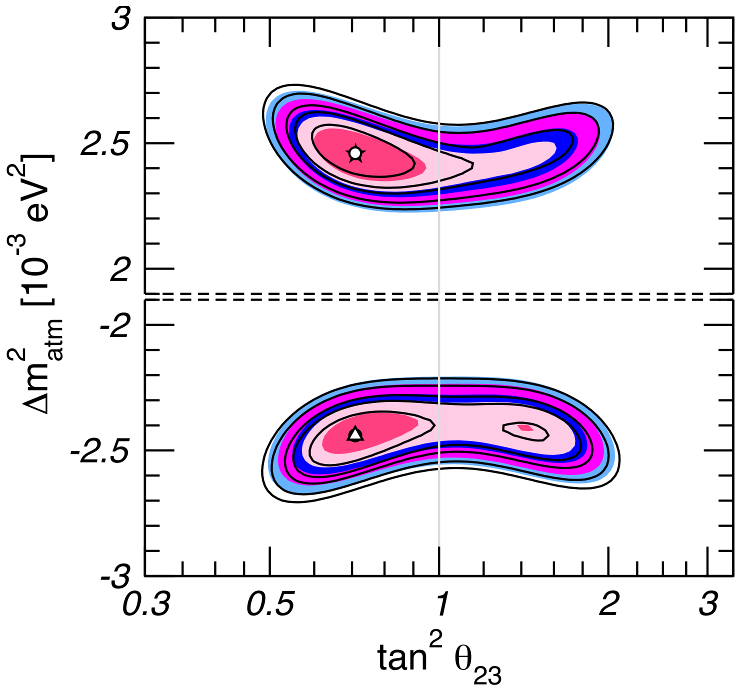


adding atmospheric →

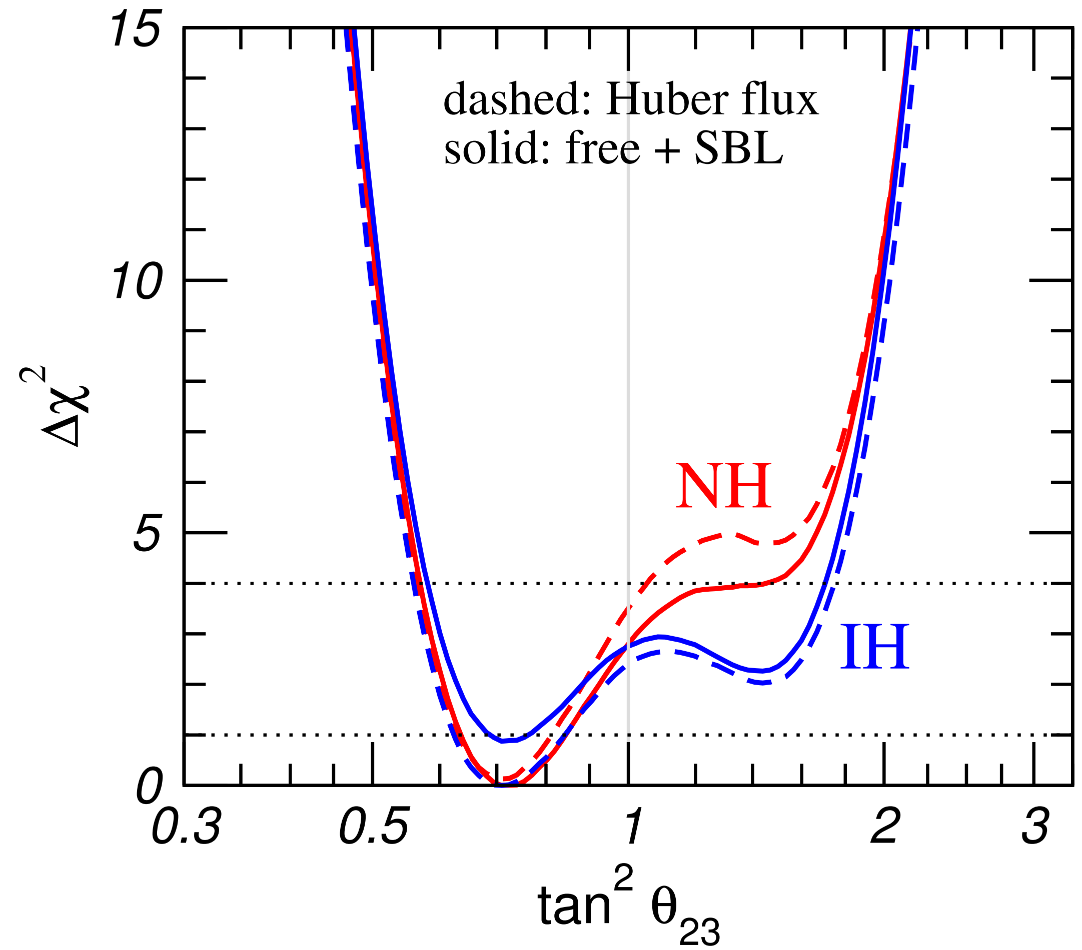


$\sin^2\theta_{23} = 0.42^{+0.037}_{-0.031}$

$0.39 - 0.66 \,@\, 3\sigma$

$(\theta_{23} \approx 40^\circ)$

- *slight preference for 1st octant by atmospheric data*
- *more pronounced for NH (~2σ)*
- *depends on* θ_{13}



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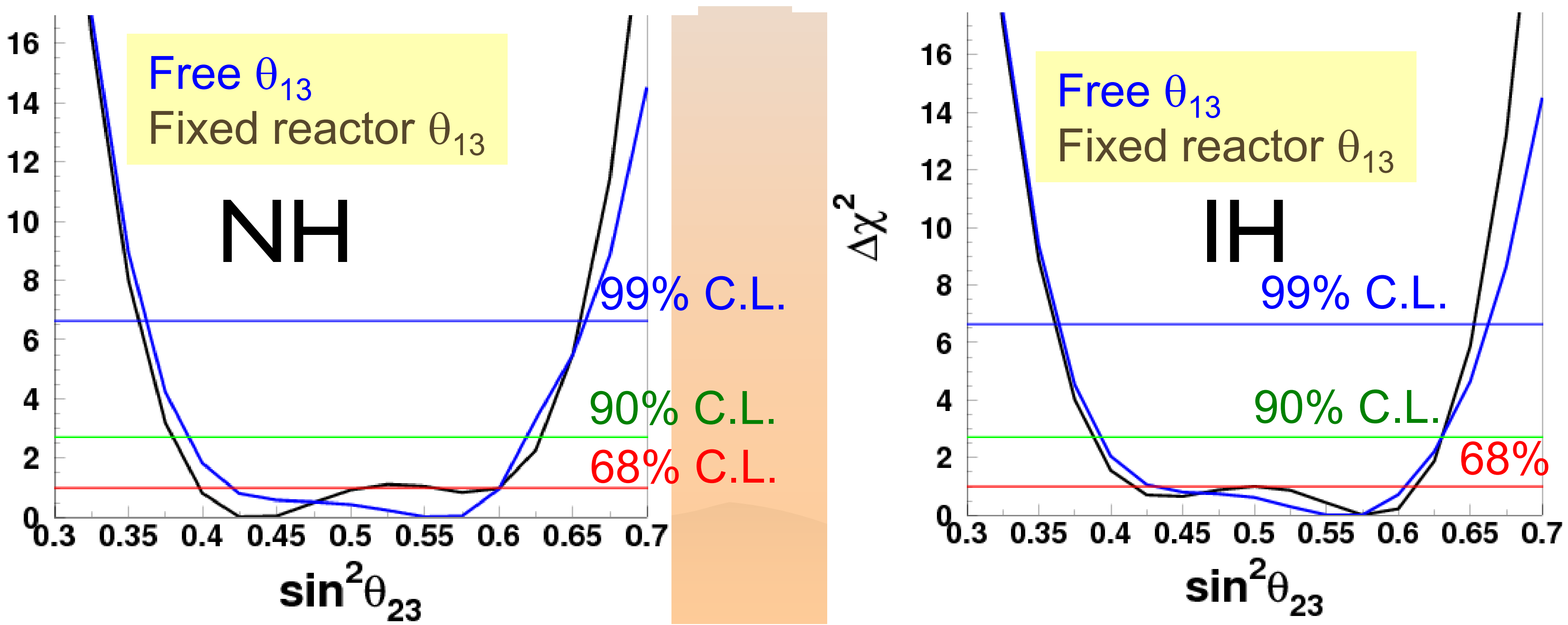

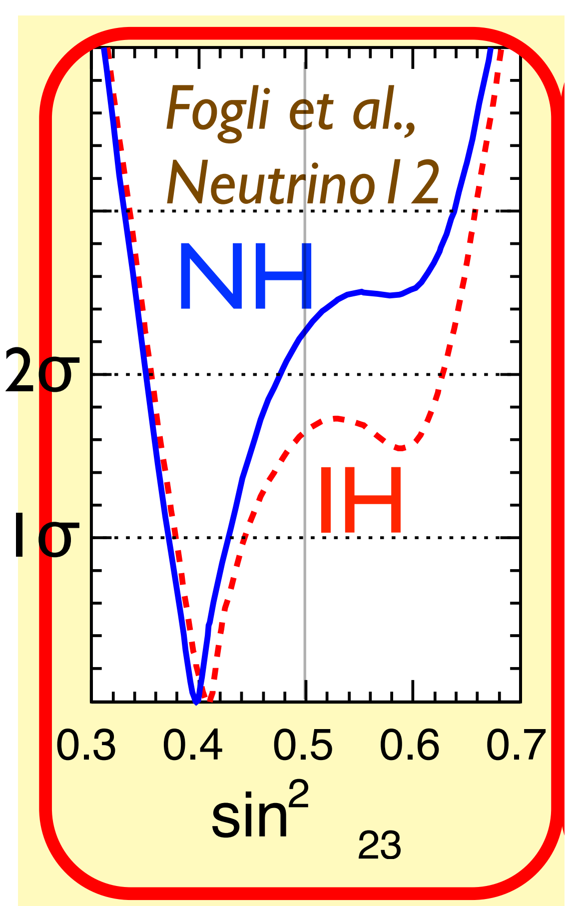

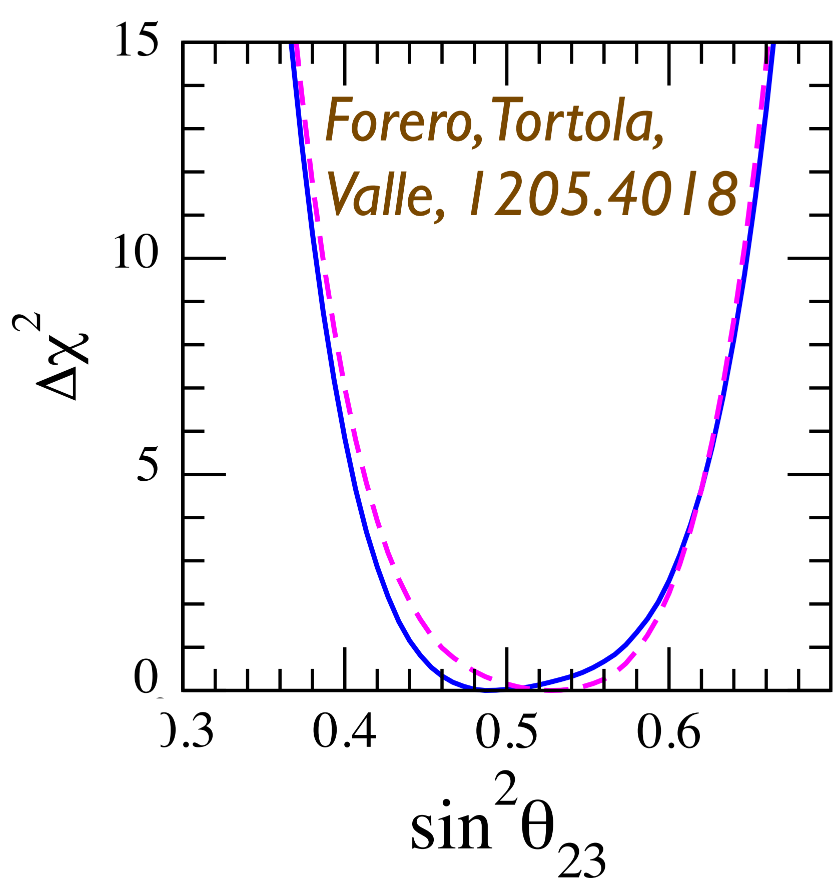

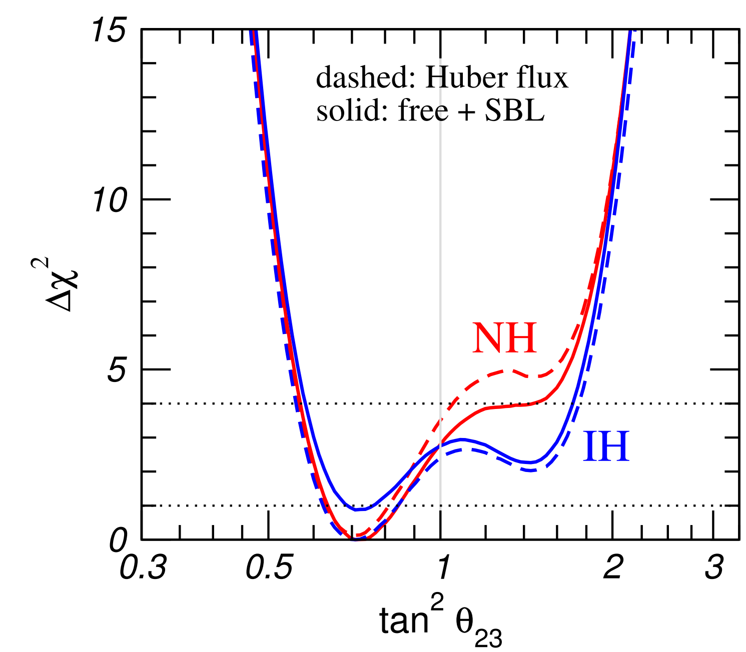

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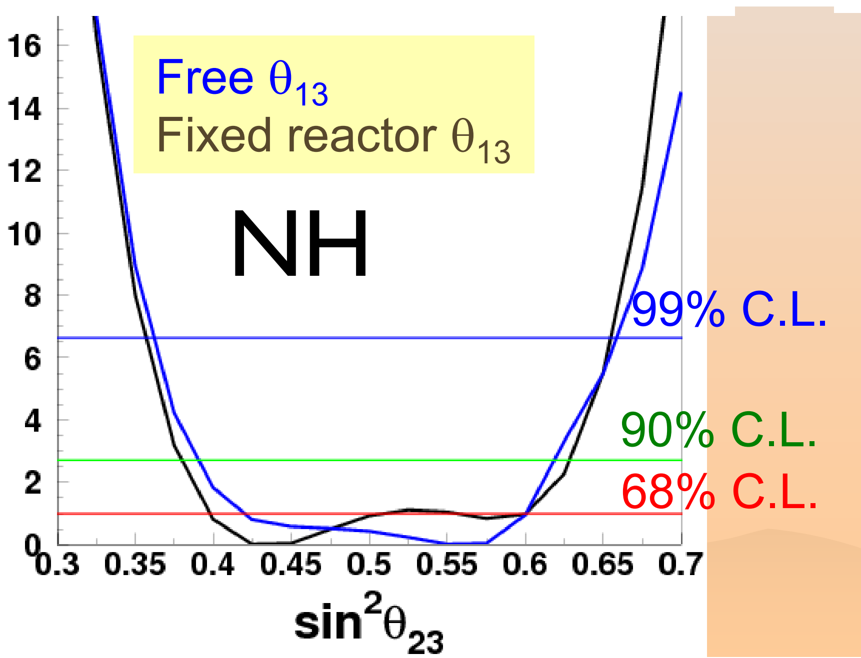
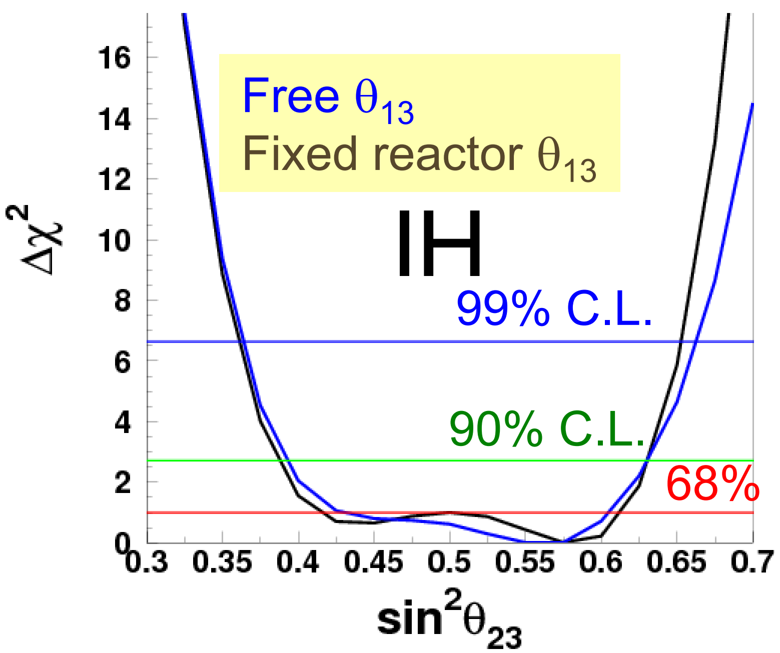
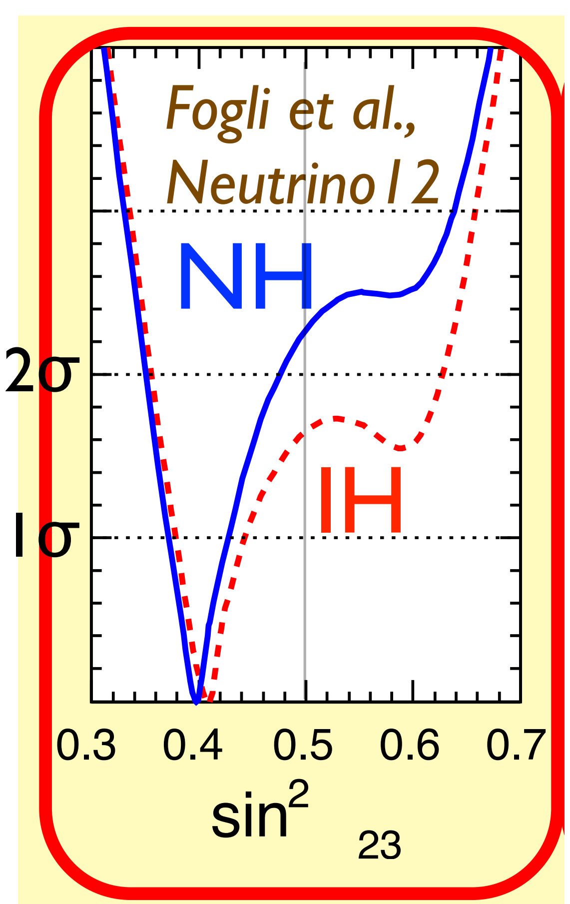
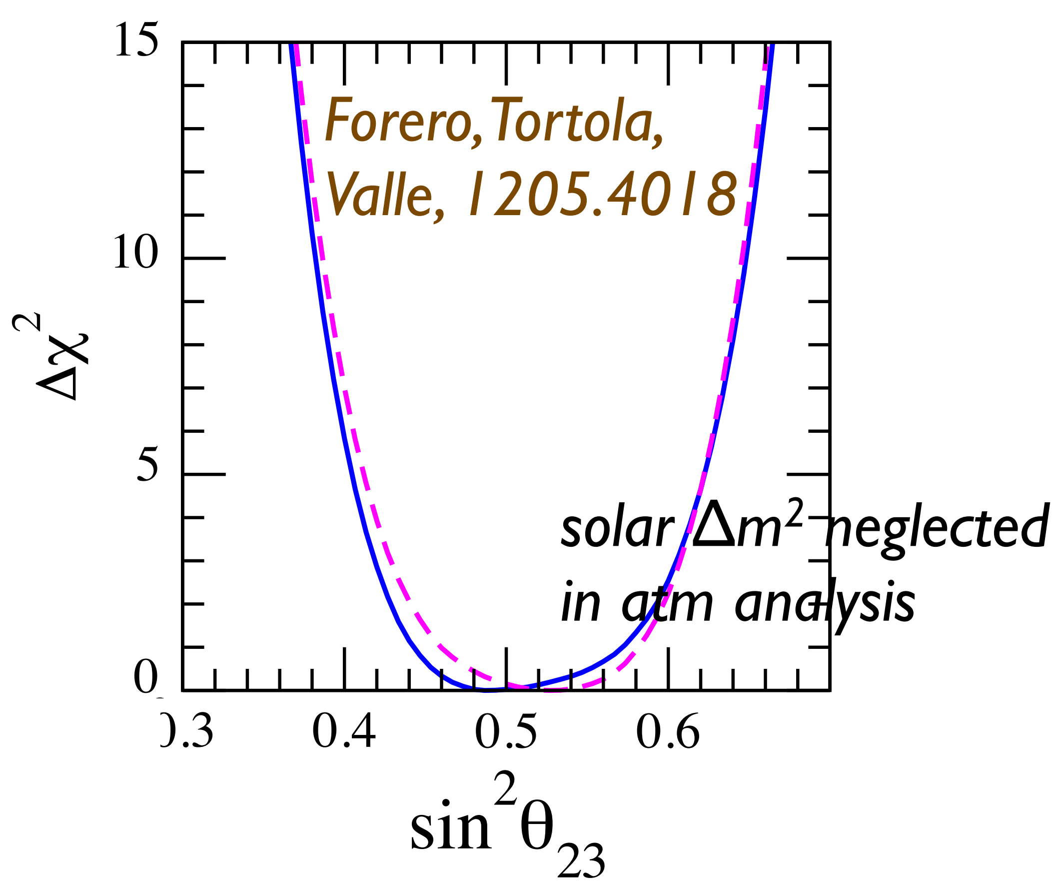
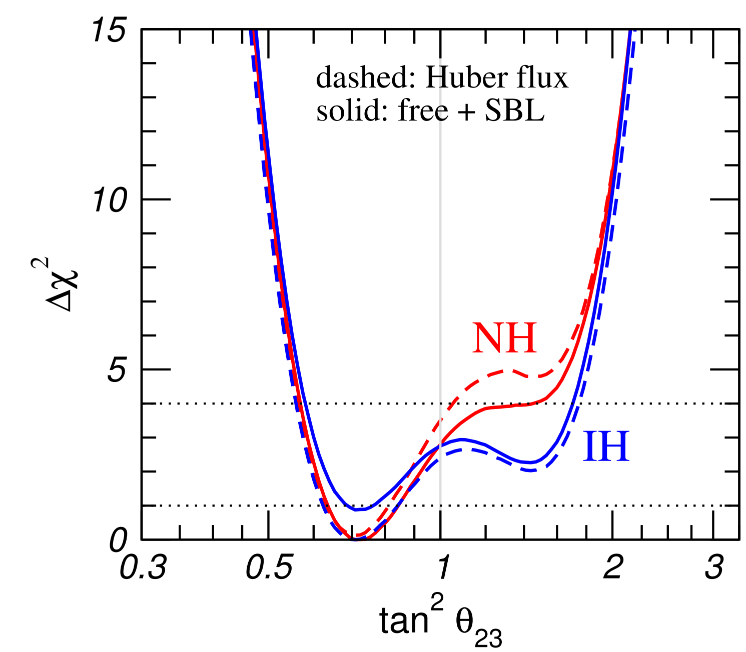




MINOS data from Neutrino2012 not included yet







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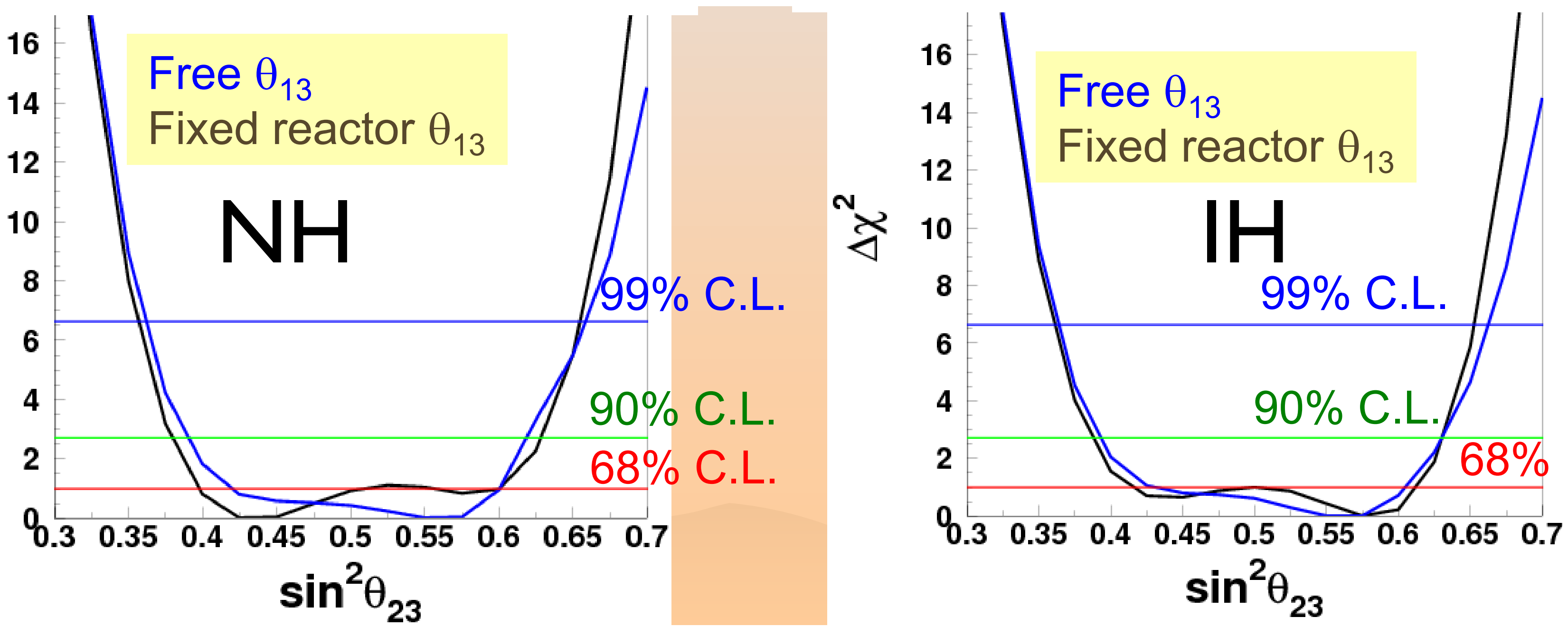

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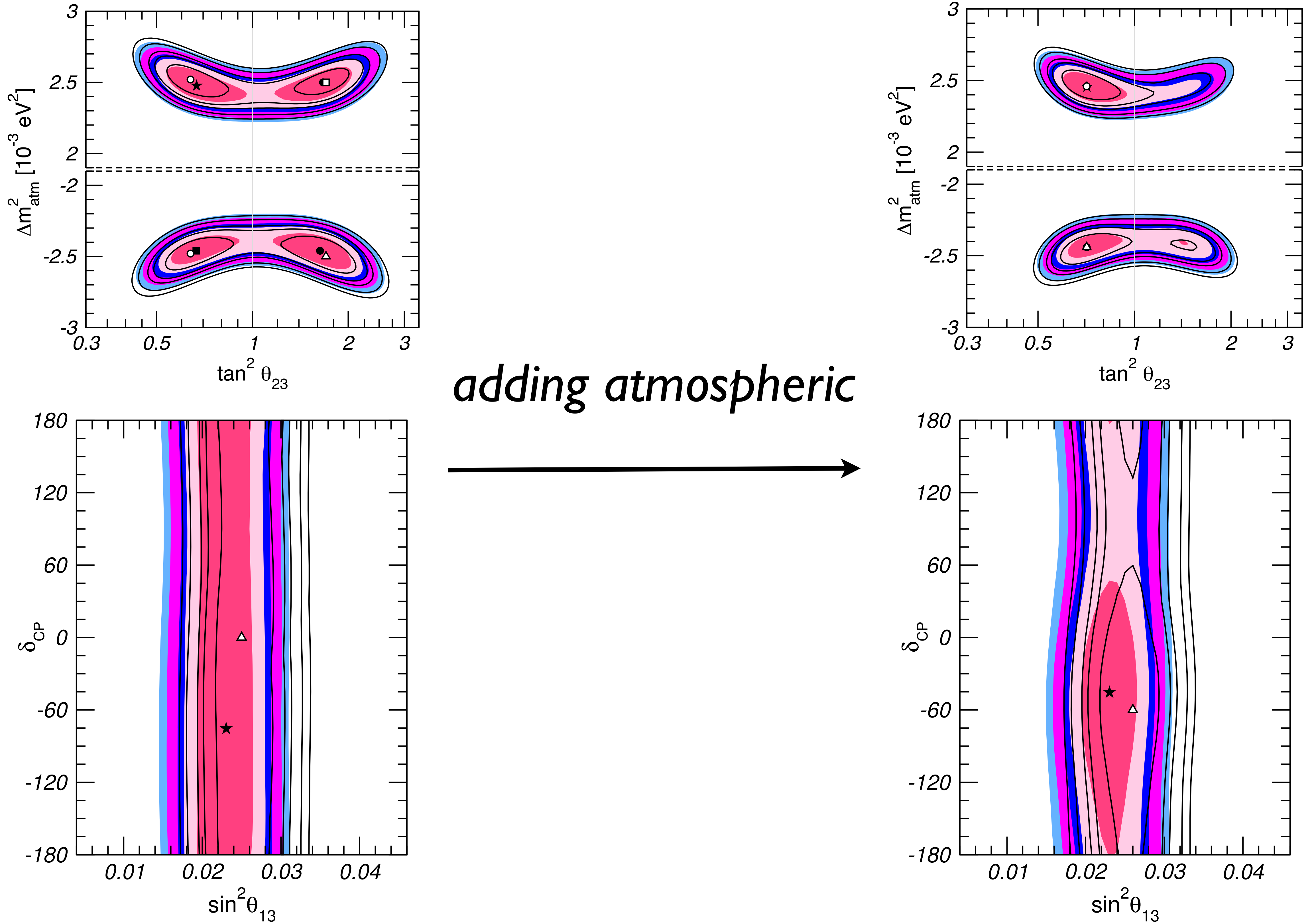
personal interpretation:

- *there seem to be subtle effects in SK atm data pulling into different directions*
- *sub-GeV data vs multi-GeV (?) data (θ_{13} / hierarchy dependent)*
- *which effect wins depends on fine details of the analysis / system. treatment*

before drawing definite conclusions it is mandatory to identify the physics and understand the origin of the different resuls from SK and phenomenologists

The CP phase and atmospheric neutrino data



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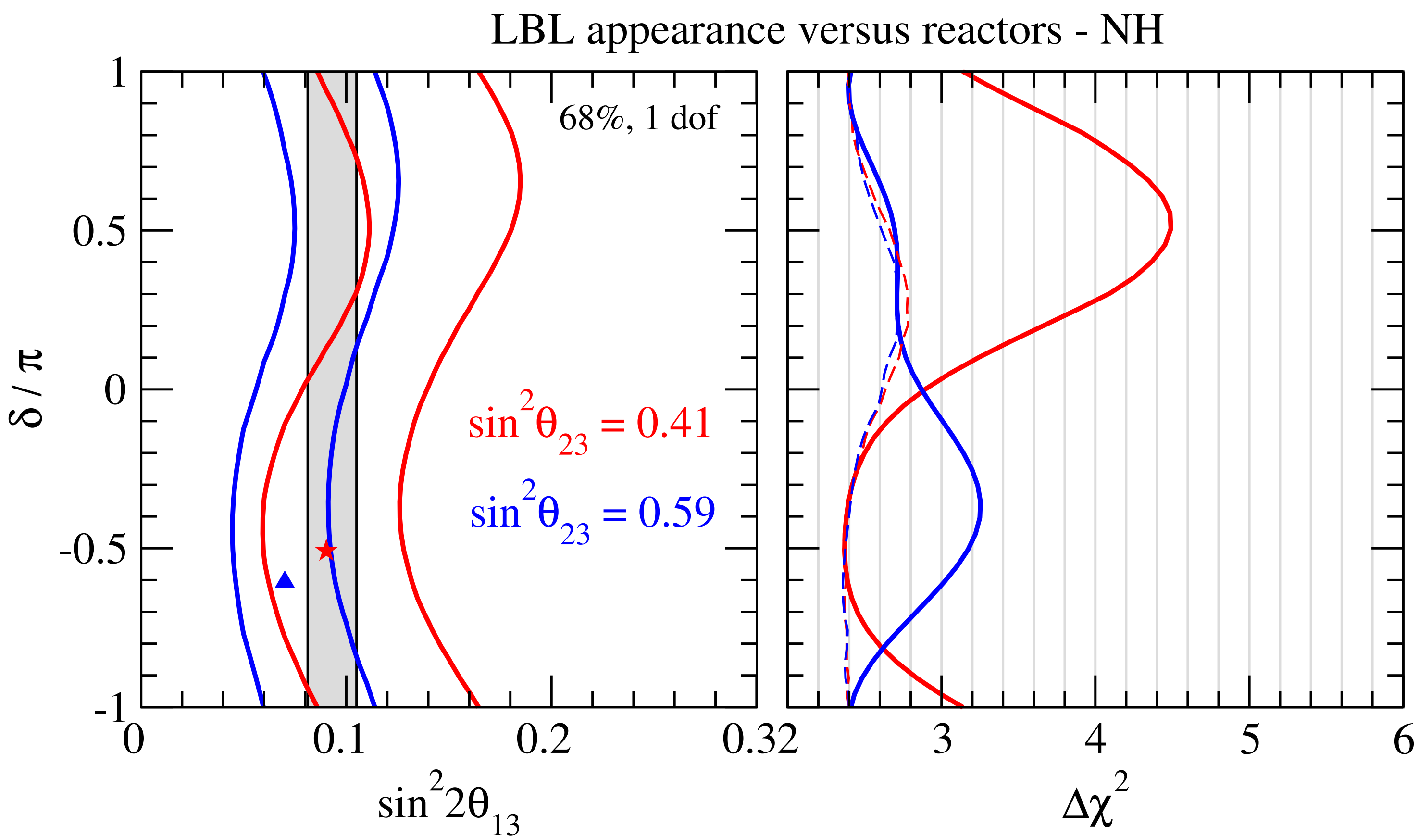

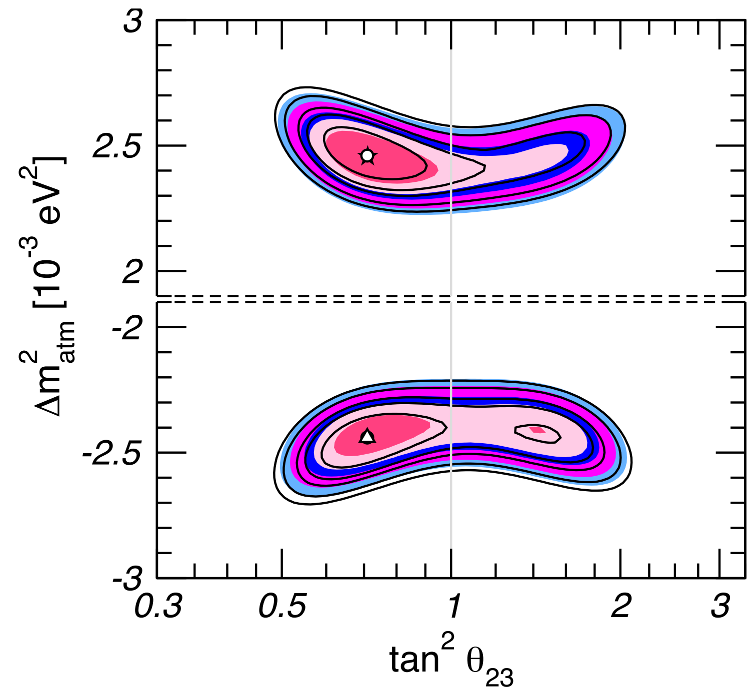

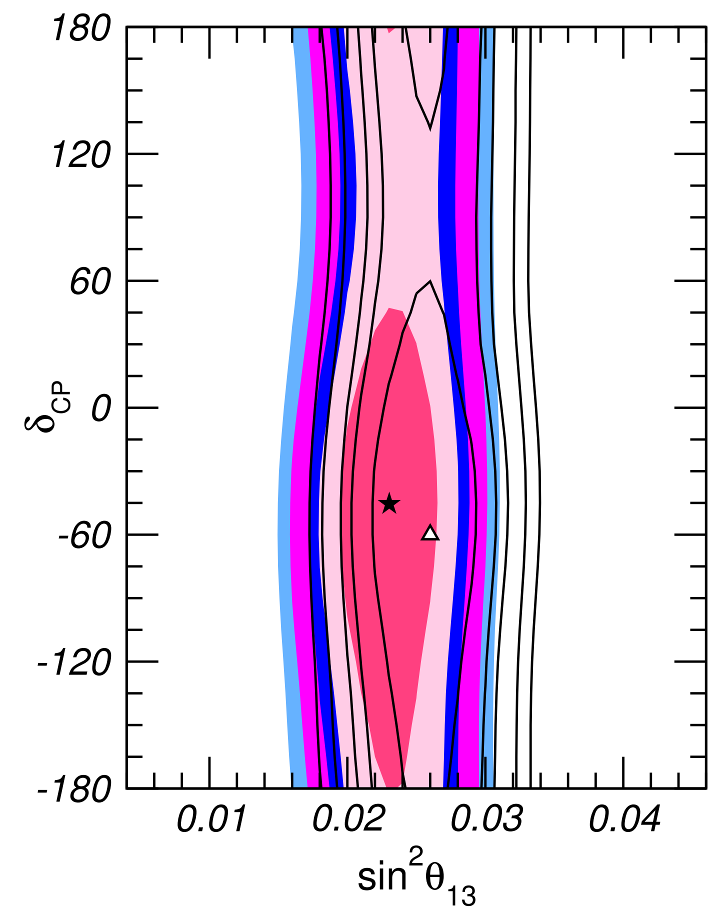

- *non-maximality from LBL disapp*
- *preference for 1st octant from atm*
- *sensitivity to δ from LBL appearance + reactors*

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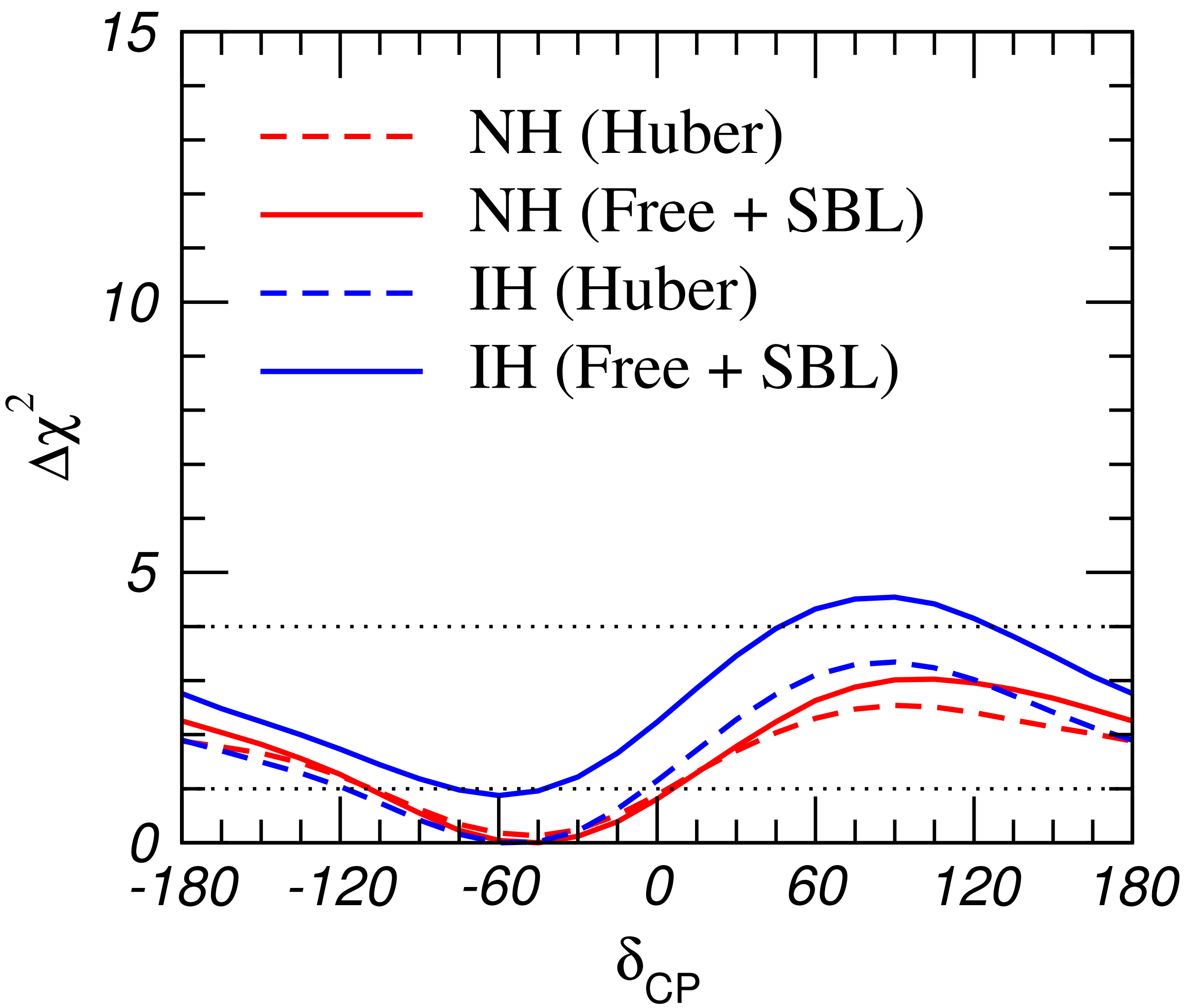
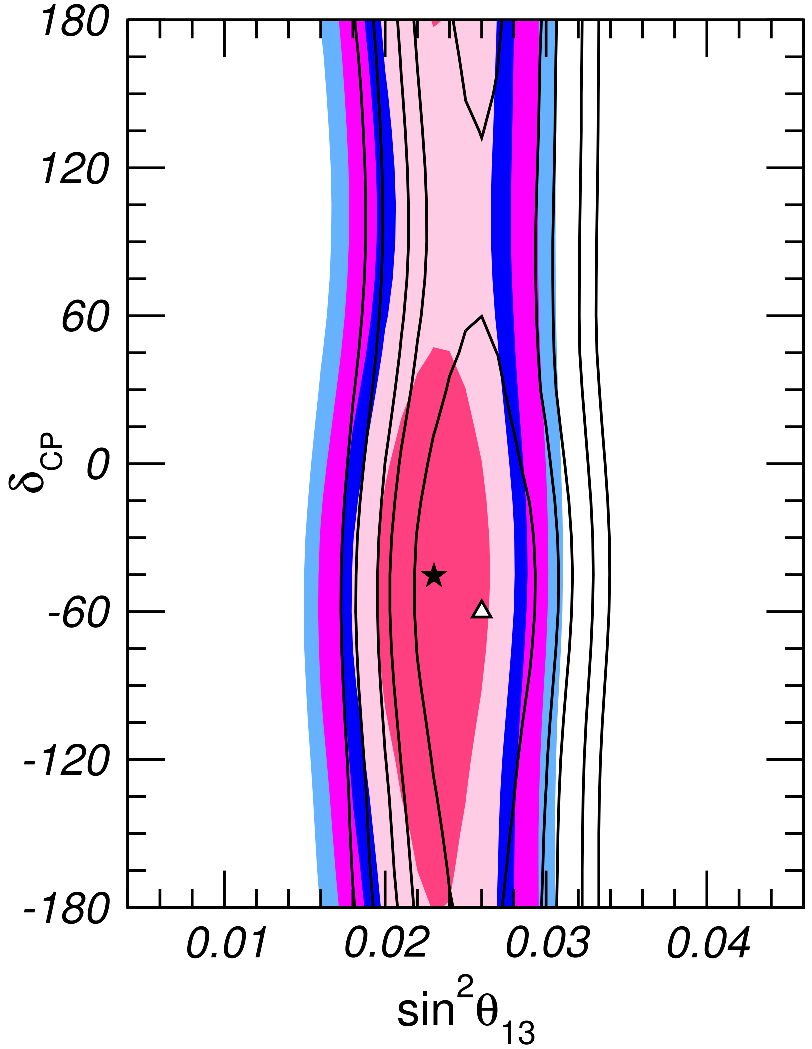
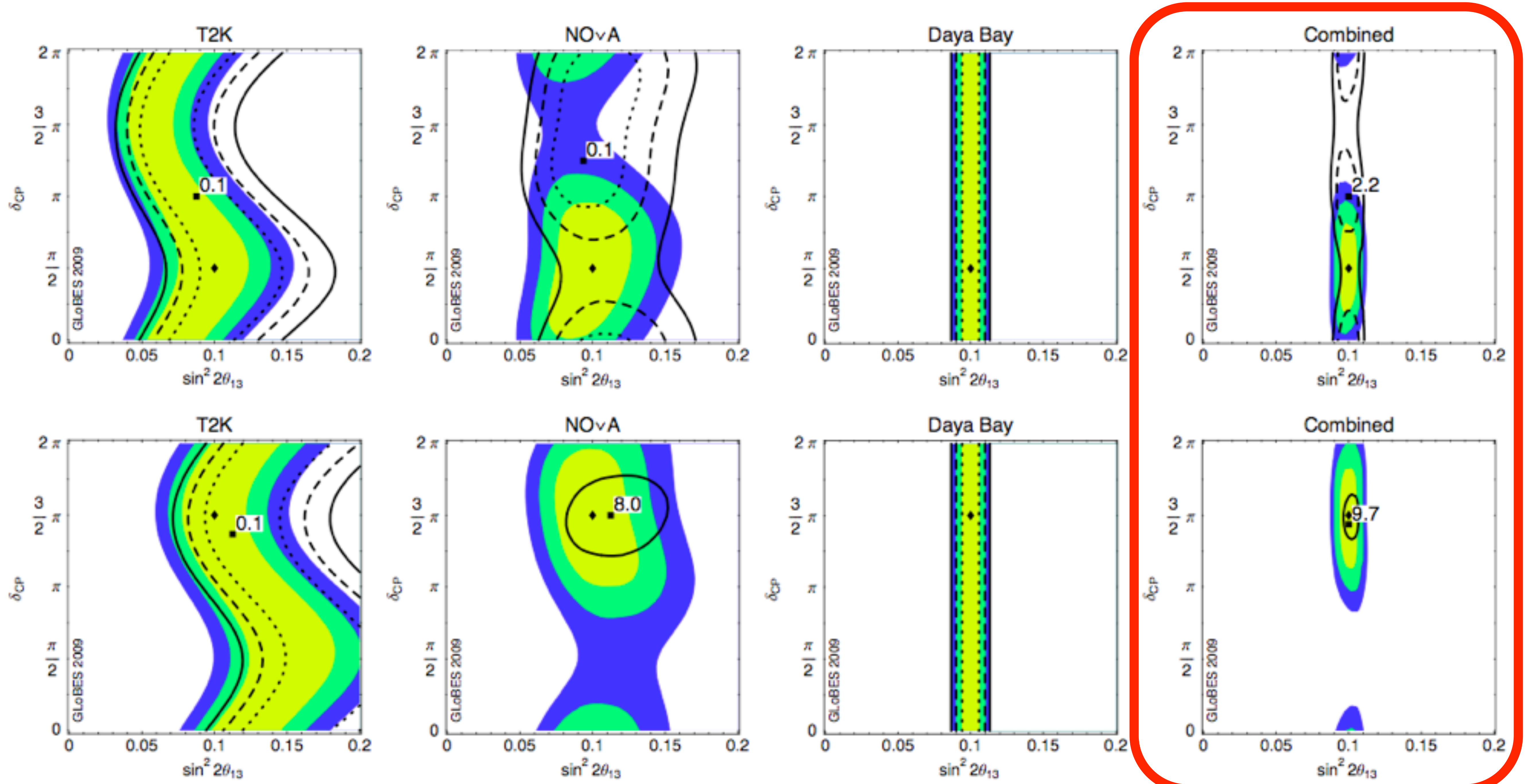




- *"preferred" regions for δ~ -60° at 1σ (everything allowed at 2σ)*
- *difference between NH and IH of $\Delta\chi^2 \approx 1$*

Global fit ~2020 Huber, Lindner, TS, Winter, 0907.1896



some regions of δ will appear but CP violation and hierarchy will be very hard with this generation of experiments

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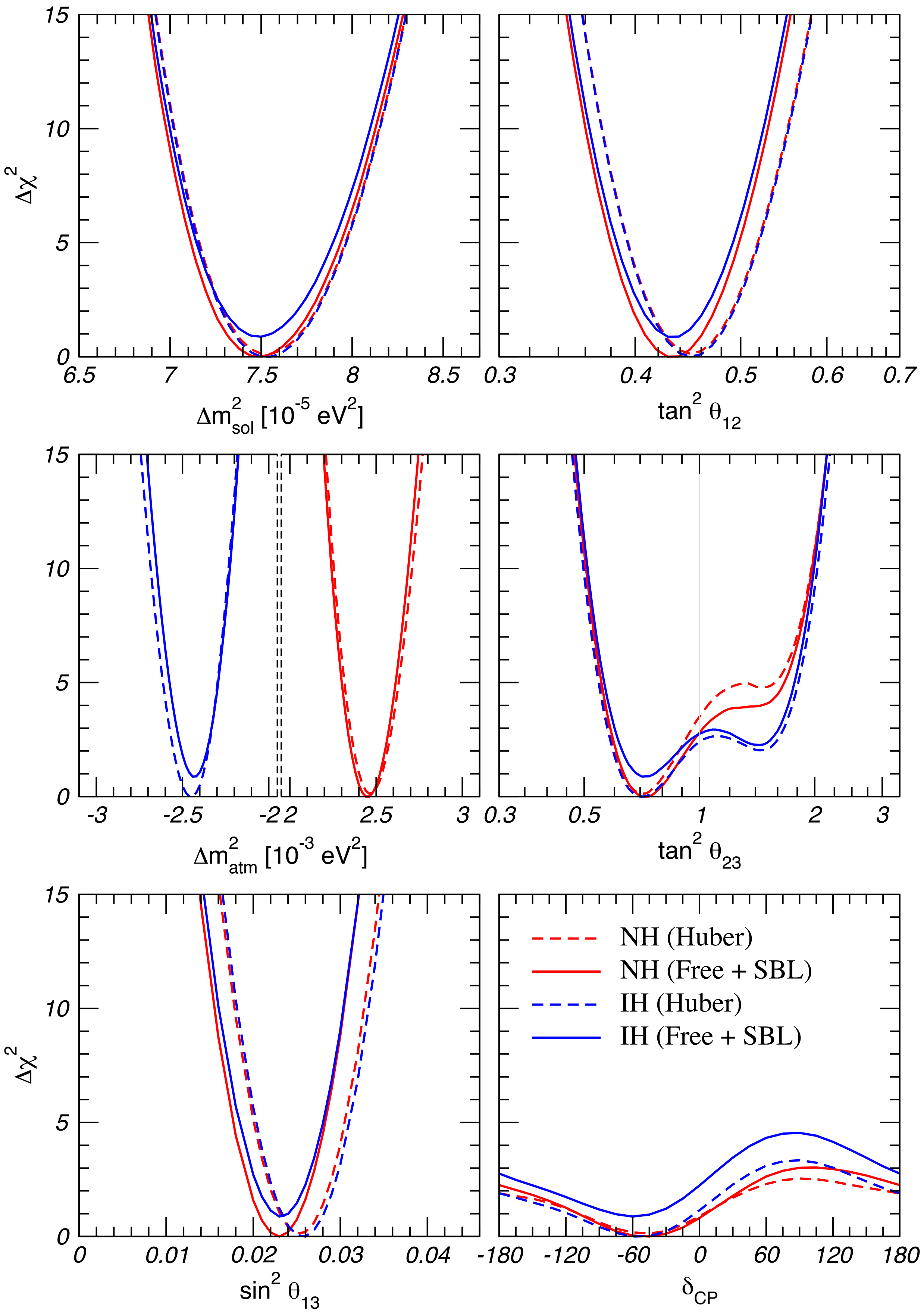
(reactor flux-free analysis + SBL react.)



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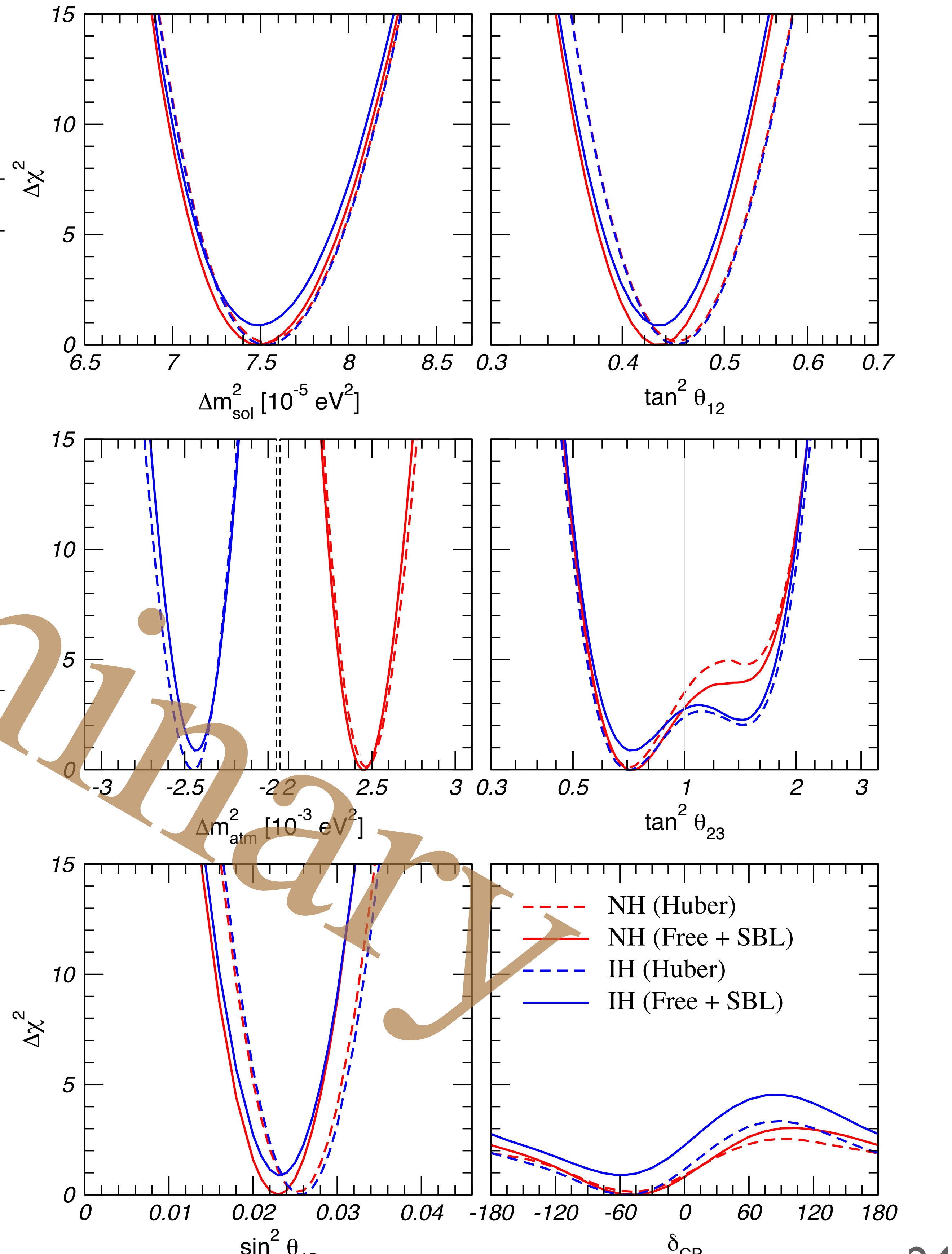
$\lvert\Delta m^2_{32}\rvert/10^{-3}\mathrm{eV}^2$ (IH)	2.43 ± 0.068	$2.23 - 2.65$

(reactor flux-free analysis + SBL react.)



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