



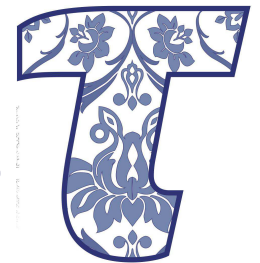
Lepton Flavour Violation and neutrino masses

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Beyond the Standard Model: New Physics

► Strong arguments in favour of New Physics!

Observations unaccounted for in the Standard Model: neutrino oscillations, baryon asymmetry of the Universe, viable dark matter candidate

And a number of theoretical caveats...



► Neutrino oscillations: 1st laboratory evidence of NP

New mechanism of mass generation? New (Majorana) fields?

► Extend the SM (or embed in larger framework)! But how?

Hundreths of (well motivated) theoretical constructions!!

How to unveil the NP model at work?

► Explore the full lepton sector!

A unique gateway to NP signals!



“Hints” on New Physics from neutrino masses

- ▶ What do we **know about the mechanism** of **neutrino mass generation**?
 - ⇒ Should account for **ν oscillation data!**
 - ⇒ **Address SM problems** (e.g. BAU from leptogenesis); not worsen TH caveats!
- ▶ **Numerous (appealing) mechanisms** of ν mass generation
 - Calling upon **distinct new states (singlets, triplets, ...)**, realised at **very different scales!**
- ▶ **Quick comparison** [SM + RH ν]: “standard” high-scale type I seesaw vs low-scale seesaw

High scale	Low scale
$\mathcal{O}(10^{10-15} \text{ GeV})$	$\mathcal{O}(\text{MeV} - \text{TeV})$
Theoretically “natural” $Y^\nu \sim 1$	Finetuning of Y^ν (or approximate LN conservation)
“Vanilla” leptogenesis	Leptogenesis possible (resonant, ...)
Decoupled new states	New states within experimental reach!
	Collider, high-intensities (“leptonic observables”)

Which observables? ▲

[High-scale seesaw in “UV complete” NP models (eg SUSY seesaw): very rich pheno!]



Leptonic observables: signs of New Physics

- ▶ In the **Standard Model**: (strictly) **massless neutrinos**
conservation of total lepton number & lepton flavours
tiny leptonic EDMs (at 4-loop level.. $d_e^{\text{CKM}} \leq 10^{-38} e \text{ cm}$)

- ▶ **Extend the SM** to accommodate $\nu_\alpha \leftrightarrow \nu_\beta$

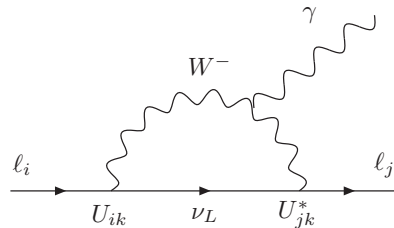
Assume **most minimal** extension **SM_{m ν}**

[SM_{m ν} = “ad-hoc” m_ν (Dirac), U_{PMNS}]



- ▶ In the **SM_{m ν}** : (total) **Lepton number conserved**; what about lepton flavours? And CP?

- ▶ **SM_{m ν} - cLFV possible??**



$$\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow e \gamma) \propto \left| \sum U_{\mu i}^* U_{ei} \frac{m_{\nu i}^2}{M_W^2} \right|^2 \sim 10^{-54}$$

[Petcov, '77]

Possible - yes... but not observable!!

- ▶ **SM_{m ν} - observable EDMs?** Contributions from δ_{CP} (2-loop)... still $d_e^{\text{lep}} \leq 10^{-35} e \text{ cm}$

Lepton sector: gateway to new experimental signals

► Direct searches for New Physics states at **high-energy colliders**

⇒ New resonances, SM-forbidden final states, ...

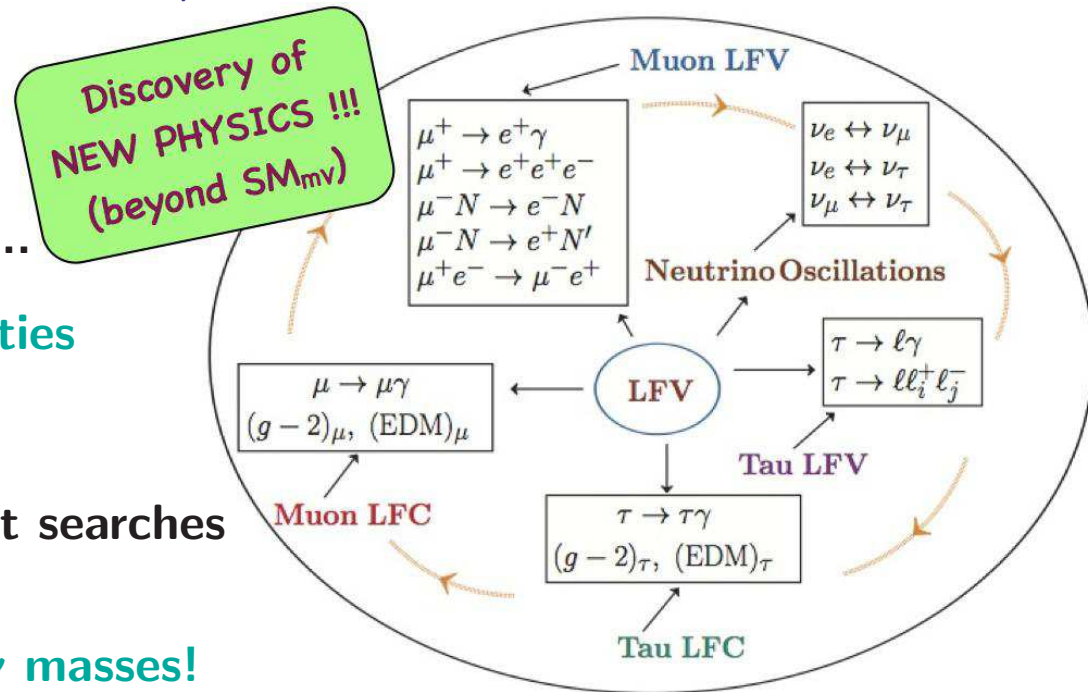
► **“Leptonic” observables** \rightsquigarrow cLFV, LNV, ...

Rare processes searched for at **high-intensities**

⇒ NP discovery (before LHC!)

⇒ Complementary information to direct searches

cLFV, LNV, ... not necessarily related to ν masses!



$$\mathcal{L}^{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}^{\text{SM}} + \sum_{n \geq 5} \frac{1}{\Lambda^{n-4}} C^n(g, Y, \dots) \mathcal{O}^n(l, q, H, \gamma, \dots)$$

$$C_{m_\nu}^5 \leftrightarrow C_{\text{cLFV}}^6 ?$$

Multiple “NP” scales: $\mathcal{L}^{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}^{\text{SM}} + \frac{C^5 \mathcal{O}^5}{\Lambda_{\text{LNV}}^5} (m_\nu) + \frac{C^6 \mathcal{O}^6}{\Lambda_{\text{LFV}}^2} (l_i \leftrightarrow l_j) + \dots + \frac{C^9 \mathcal{O}^9}{\Lambda_{\text{LNV}}'^5} (0\nu 2\beta) + \dots$

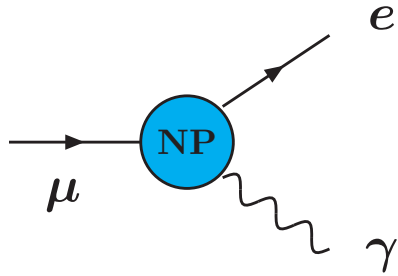
⇒ Still - a possible bridge to the mechanism of ν mass generation

Brief summary

- ▶ **Leptonic high-intensity observables: signs of New Physics**
- ▶ **Observables and experimental status**
 - Lepton number violation**
 - Charged lepton flavour violation**
- ▶ **Models of New Physics (ν mass generation & more)**
 - Ad-hoc extensions and seesaw realisations**
 - Additional fields and symmetries**
 - Larger frameworks**
- ▶ **Overview & discussion**

▶ **Leptonic observables (cLFV, LNV): current status**

cLFV: radiative and 3-body muon channels



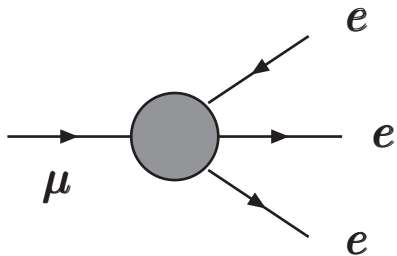
► **cLFV decay:** $\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \gamma$

► **Event signature:** $E_e = E_\gamma = m_\mu/2$ (~ 52.8 MeV)

Back-to-back $e^+ - \gamma$ ($\theta \sim 180^\circ$); Time coincidence

► **Current status:** $\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma) \lesssim 4.2 \times 10^{-13}$ [MEG, '16]

► **Future prospects:** MEG II @ PSI \rightsquigarrow sensitivity 4×10^{-14}



► **cLFV decay:** $\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ e^- e^+$

► **Event signature:** $\sum E_e = m_\mu; \sum \vec{P}_e = \vec{0}$

common vertex; Time coincidence

► **Current status:** $\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow eee) \lesssim 1.0 \times 10^{-12}$ [SINDRUM, '88]

► **Future prospects:** Mu3e @ PSI

Phase I: 10^{-15} (π E5 μ source) \Rightarrow Phase II: 10^{-16} (H.I. μ -beam)

cLFV in muonic atoms

★ **Muonic atoms:** 1s bound state formed when μ^- stopped in target

▶ **cLFV $\mu^- - e^-$ conversion:** $\mu^- + (A, Z) \rightarrow e^- + (A, Z)$

▶ **Event signature:** single mono-energetic electron, $E_{\mu e}^{\text{Al, Pb, Ti}} \approx \mathcal{O}(100 \text{ MeV})$

▶ **Current status:** $\text{CR}(\mu - e, \text{Au}) \lesssim 7 \times 10^{-13}$ [SINDRUM, '06]

▶ **Future prospects (AI):** Mu2e @ FNAL $\sim 3 \times 10^{-17}$; COMET @ JPARC I (II) $\sim 10^{-15} (10^{-17})$

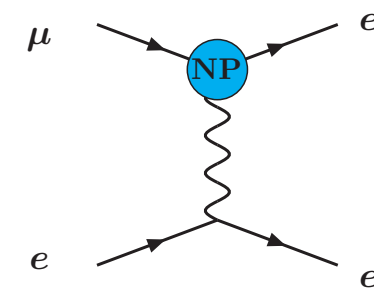
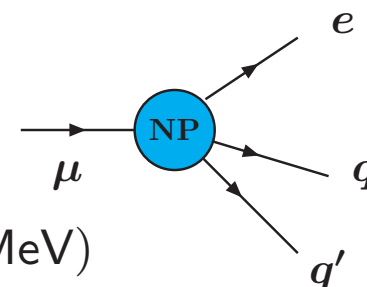
▶ **Coulomb enhanced muonic atom decay:** $\mu^- e^- \rightarrow e^- e^-$

$$\Gamma(\mu^- e^- \rightarrow e^- e^-, N) \propto \sigma_{\mu e \rightarrow ee} v_{\text{rel}} [(Z-1)\alpha m_e]^3 / \pi$$

\Rightarrow Consider large Z targets! Pb, U!?

▶ **Clean experimental signature:** back-to-back electrons, $E_{e^-} \approx m_\mu/2$

▶ **Experimental status:** New observable!



Rare lepton processes: cLFV tau decays

► **Radiative decay:** $\tau^\pm \rightarrow \ell^\pm \gamma$

► **Event signature:** $E_{\text{final}} - \sqrt{s}/2 = \Delta E \sim 0;$

$$M_{\text{final}} = M_{\ell\gamma} \sim m_\tau$$

► **Current status:** $\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow e\gamma) \lesssim 3.3 \times 10^{-8}; \quad \text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma) \lesssim 4.4 \times 10^{-8}$ [BaBar, '10]

► **3-body decays:** $\tau^\pm \rightarrow \ell_i^\pm \ell_j^\mp \ell_k^\pm$

► **Event signature:** $E_{3\ell} - \sqrt{s}/2 \sim 0;$

$$M_{3\ell} \sim m_\tau$$

► **Current status:**

3 ℓ final state	BR (BaBar)	BR (Belle)
$e^- e^+ e^-$	2.9×10^{-8}	2.7×10^{-8}
$\mu^- e^+ e^-$	2.2×10^{-8}	1.8×10^{-8}
$\mu^- e^- e^-$	1.8×10^{-8}	1.5×10^{-8}
$e^+ \mu^- \mu^-$	2.6×10^{-8}	1.7×10^{-8}
$e^- \mu^+ \mu^-$	3.2×10^{-8}	2.7×10^{-8}
$\mu^- \mu^+ \mu^-$	3.3×10^{-8}	2.1×10^{-8}

► **Future experimental prospects:**

SuperB (Belle II) and/or Tau-Charm factories

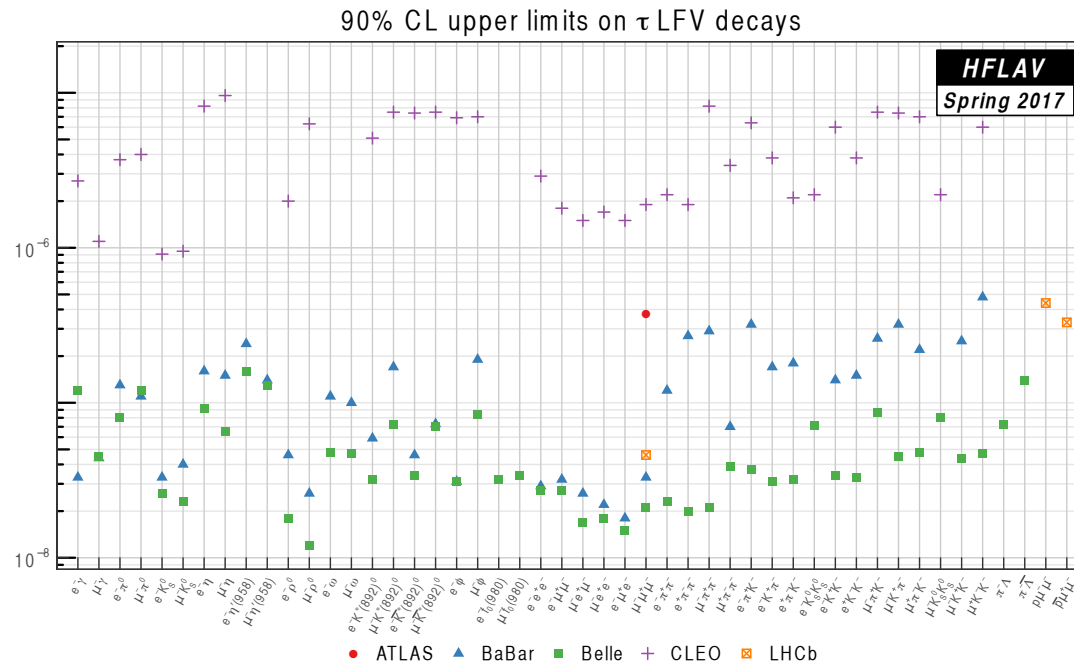
$$\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow \ell\gamma) \leq 1 - 3 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow 3\ell) \leq 1 - 2 \times 10^{-10}$$

Rare processes: (semi)leptonic decays

cLFV tau decays into mesons: “large” τ mass \Rightarrow possible to have semi-leptonic decays

► **Meson(s) & charged lepton:** $\tau \rightarrow \ell h^0$; $\tau \rightarrow \ell h_i h_j$... and “exotic” modes...



Meson decays: excellent testing grounds for lepton flavour dynamics - **cLFV**

► **K , D and B meson decays:** abundant data [LHCb, BNL, KTeV, BaBar, Cleo, Belle, ...]

$$\text{BR}(K_L \rightarrow \mu e) < 4.7 \times 10^{-12}; \quad \text{BR}(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ e^-) < 2.1 \times 10^{-11}$$

$$\text{BR}(D^0 \rightarrow \mu e) < 1.5 \times 10^{-8}; \quad \text{BR}(B \rightarrow \mu e) < 2.8 \times 10^{-9}, \dots$$

cLFV signatures at “higher” energies: SM & NP decays

- ▶ **In-flight lepton conversion:** $l_i \rightarrow l_j$ \rightsquigarrow $\mu \rightarrow \tau$ conversion [few GeV, dense target]

Possibly studied at high-intensity facilities: Muon or Linear colliders, COMET...

- ▶ **Z boson decays:** $Z \rightarrow l_i l_j$ \rightsquigarrow Zs abundantly produced at **LEP** and at the **LHC**

- ▶ **Current bounds:** $\text{BR}(Z \rightarrow e\mu) < 7.5 \times 10^{-7}$ [ATLAS, 2014]

$$\text{BR}(Z \rightarrow \mu\tau) < 1.2 \times 10^{-5}; \quad \text{BR}(Z \rightarrow e\tau) < 9.8 \times 10^{-6} \quad [\text{OPAL \& DELPHI}]$$

- ▶ **Higgs boson decays:** $H \rightarrow l_i l_j$ \rightsquigarrow “Higgs-factory” at LHC - study rare processes...

- ▶ **Current data:** $\text{BR}(H \rightarrow \mu\tau) \lesssim 0.0025$ [CMS]; $\text{BR}(H \rightarrow e\tau) \lesssim 0.0061$ [CMS]

- ▶ **Production of “on-shell” NP states** \Rightarrow new interactions induce **cLFV** decays

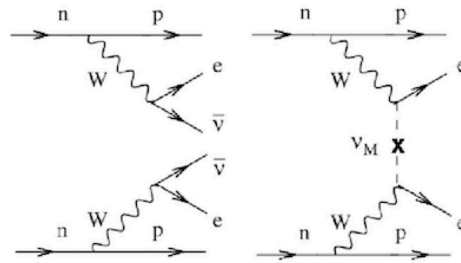
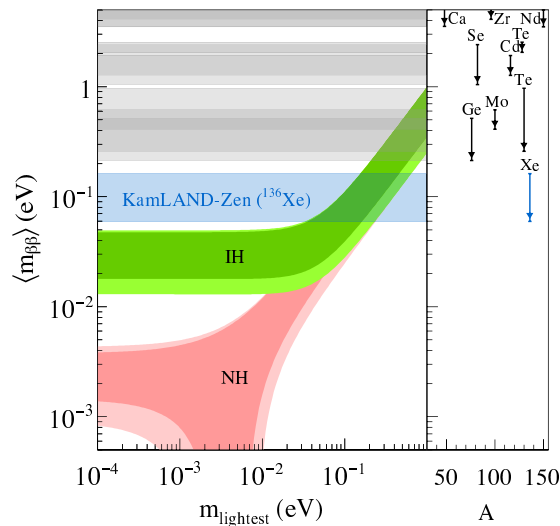
Multiplicity, composition, E_{miss} , ...: properties of final state **strongly model-dependent...**

- ▶ **Future experimental prospects:** LHC Run 2 !! ... and Linear Collider / FCC-ee

Lepton Number Violation observables

★ **LN** suggests the presence of **Majorana states**; opens the door for leptogenesis...

▶ **Neutrinoless double beta decays:** $(A, Z) \rightarrow (A, Z + 2) + 2e^-$



[KamLAND-Zen, '15]

Experiment	$ m_{ee} $ (eV)
EXO-200 (4 yr)	0.075 - 0.2
nEXO (5 yr)	0.012 - 0.029
nEXO (5 yr + 5 yr w/ Ba tagging)	0.005 - 0.011
KamLAND-Zen (300 kg, 3 yr)	0.045 - 0.11
GERDA phase II	0.09 - 0.29
CUORE (5 yr)	0.051 - 0.133
SNO+	0.07 - 0.14
SuperNEMO	0.05 - 0.15
...	...

▶ **LN** ($\Delta L = 2$) $\mu^- - e^+$ conversion: $\mu^- + (A, Z) \rightarrow e^+ + (A, Z - 2)^*$

$\mu^- - e^+$: 2 nucleons ($\Delta Q = 2$), possibly **excited final states**

▶ **Event signature:** single positron - but *complex* E -spectrum

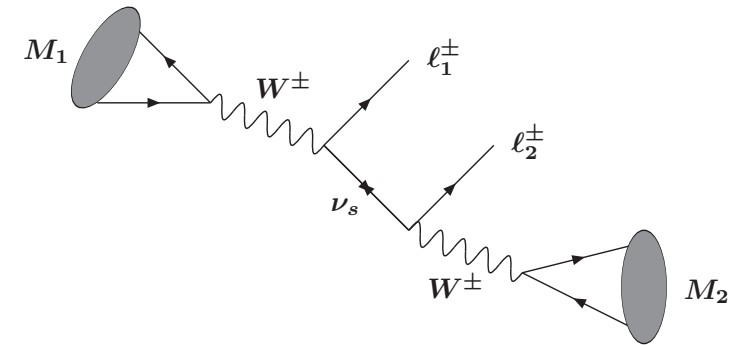
▶ **Experimental status:** $\text{CR}(\mu^- + \text{Ti} \rightarrow e^+ + \text{Ca}^{(*)}) \lesssim 3.6 \times 10^{-11}$ (1.7×10^{-12}) [SINDRUM, '98]

▶ **Future prospects:** Mu2e, COMET $\rightsquigarrow \mathcal{O}(10^{-16})??$

Lepton Number Violation observables

► LNV in semileptonic tau and/or meson decays

LNV decay	Current Bound	
	$l = e, l' = e$	$l = \mu, l' = \mu$
$K^- \rightarrow l^- l'^- \pi^+$	6.4×10^{-10}	1.1×10^{-9}
$D^- \rightarrow l^- l'^- \pi^+$	1.1×10^{-6}	2.2×10^{-8}
$D^- \rightarrow l^- l'^- K^+$	9.0×10^{-7}	1.0×10^{-5}
$B^- \rightarrow l^- l'^- \pi^+$	2.3×10^{-8}	4.0×10^{-9}
$B^- \rightarrow l^- l'^- K^+$	3.0×10^{-8}	4.1×10^{-8}
$B^- \rightarrow l^- l'^- \rho^+$	1.7×10^{-7}	4.2×10^{-7}
$B^- \rightarrow l^- l'^- D^+$	2.6×10^{-6}	6.9×10^{-7}

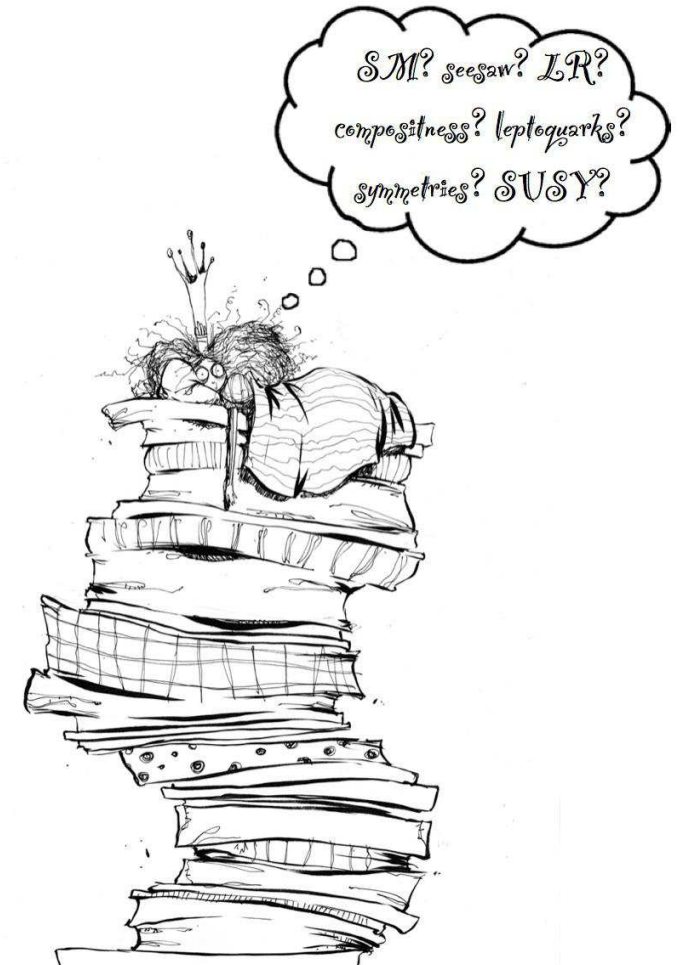


◀ ▼ Experimental status: BaBar, Belle

LNV decay	Current Bound	
	$l = e$	$l = \mu$
$\tau^- \rightarrow l^+ \pi^- \pi^-$	2.0×10^{-8}	3.9×10^{-8}
$\tau^- \rightarrow l^+ \pi^- K^-$	3.2×10^{-8}	4.8×10^{-8}
$\tau^- \rightarrow l^+ K^- K^-$	3.3×10^{-8}	4.7×10^{-8}

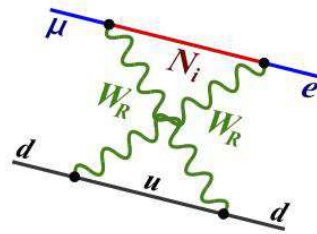
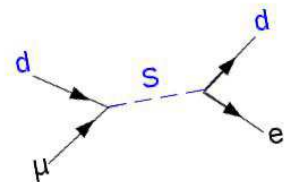
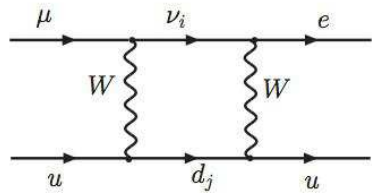
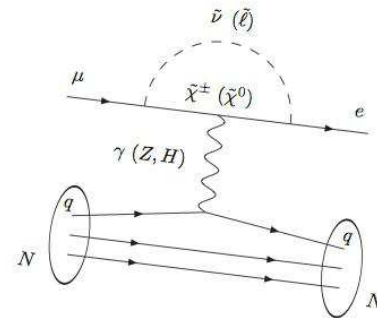
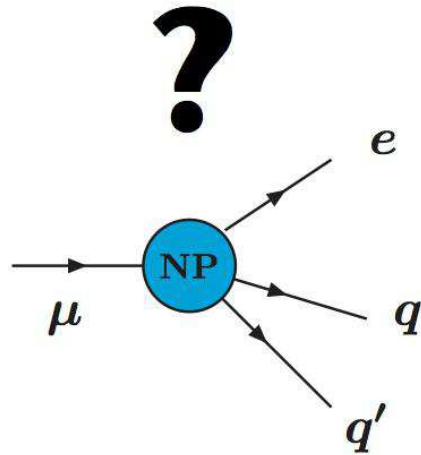
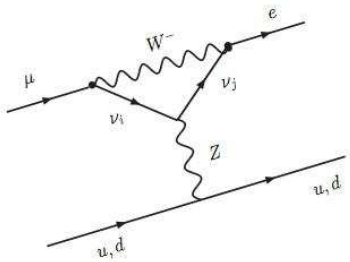
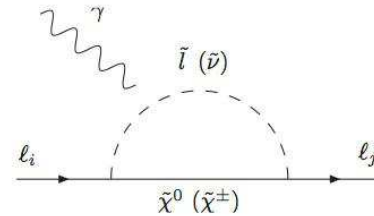
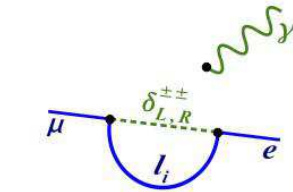
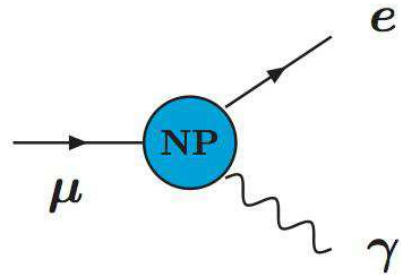
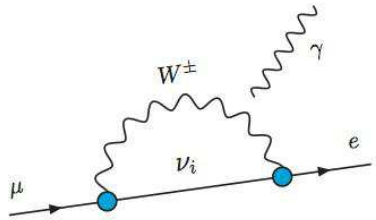
► Future prospects: LHCb, Belle II, ...

- ▶ **After the experiments:
which New Physics model?**



*cLFV (and LNV) might be - or not! -
associated with NP responsible for ν mass generation...*

Many models to one observable?



Interpreting data - how??

► Pheno approaches:

Effective approach

(model-independent)

[Presentation by A. Signer]

Model dependent

(specific NP scenario)

► Different from quark FV!

No SM “TH background” ...

Theoretical frameworks

► SM extensions (aiming at accounting for ν masses and mixings...)

- Standard seesaws [type I, type II, type III] & variants
Inverse Seesaw (ISS), ...
- Additional states (and symmetries): leptoquarks,
Left-Right symmetric, ...
- Extended frameworks: supersymmetric seesaws,
GUTs, ...

► Simplified “toy models” for phenomenological analyses: SM + ν_s

“ad-hoc” construction (no specific assumption on mechanism of mass generation)

encodes the effects of N additional sterile states (well-motivated NP candidates)

in a **single one** [... Not to be confused with oscillation anomaly solution!...]

▶ **Minimal toy-model: SM + ν_s**

Assuming that New Physics is encoded into such a simple model, what can we expect and learn?



“Toy model” for phenomenological analyses: SM + ν_s

- Assumptions: 3 active neutrinos + 1 sterile state $n_L = (\nu_{Le}, \nu_{L\mu}, \nu_{L\tau}, \nu_s^c)^T$

interaction basis \leftrightarrow physical basis $n_L = U_{4 \times 4} \nu_i$

$$U_{4 \times 4}^T M U_{4 \times 4} = \text{diag}(m_{\nu_1}, \dots, m_{\nu_4}) \quad \text{“Majorana mass”}: \mathcal{L}_{\text{toy}} \sim n_L^T C M n_L$$

- Active-sterile mixing $\mathbf{U}_{\alpha i}$:

rectangular matrix $\leftarrow \mathbf{U} = U|_{3 \times 4}$

- Left-handed lepton mixing \tilde{U}_{PMNS} :

3×3 sub-block, non-unitary!

$$U_{4 \times 4} = \begin{pmatrix} U_{e1} & U_{e2} & U_{e3} & U_{e4} \\ U_{\mu1} & U_{\mu2} & U_{\mu3} & U_{\mu4} \\ U_{\tau1} & U_{\tau2} & U_{\tau3} & U_{\tau4} \\ U_{s1} & U_{s2} & U_{s3} & U_{s4} \end{pmatrix}$$

- Physical parameters: 4 masses [3 light (mostly active) + 1 heavier (mostly sterile) states]

6 mixing angles [$\theta_{12}, \theta_{23}, \theta_{13}, \& \theta_{i4}$] and 6 phases [(3 Dirac and 3 Majorana)]

- Modified charged (W^\pm) and neutral (Z^0) current interactions:

$$\mathcal{L}_{W^\pm} \sim -\frac{g_w}{\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^- \sum_{\alpha=e,\mu,\tau} \sum_{i=1}^{3+n_S} \mathbf{U}_{\alpha i} \bar{\ell}_\alpha \gamma^\mu P_L \nu_i$$

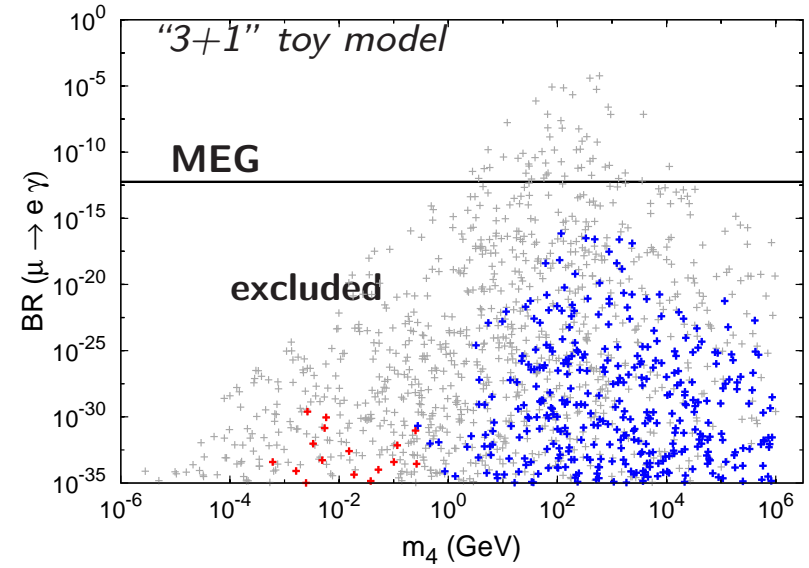
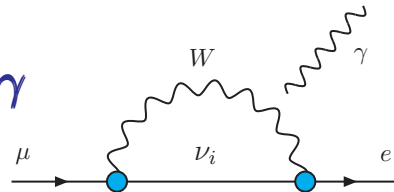
$$\mathcal{L}_{Z^0} \sim -\frac{g_w}{2 \cos \theta_w} Z_\mu \sum_{i,j=1}^{3+n_S} \bar{\nu}_i \gamma^\mu \left[P_L (\mathbf{U}^\dagger \mathbf{U})_{ij} - P_R (\mathbf{U}^\dagger \mathbf{U})_{ij}^* \right] \nu_j$$

ν_s and cLFV: radiative and 3 body decays

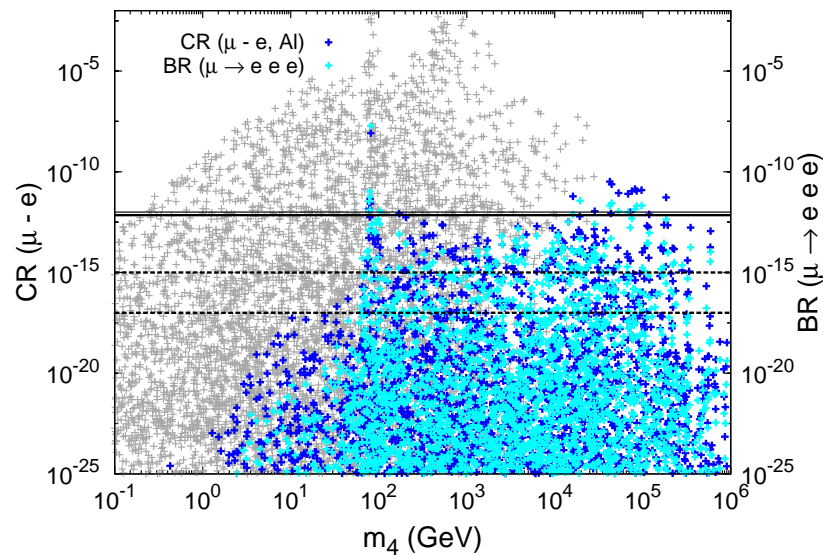
► Radiative decays: $l_i \rightarrow l_j \gamma$

► Consider $\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$

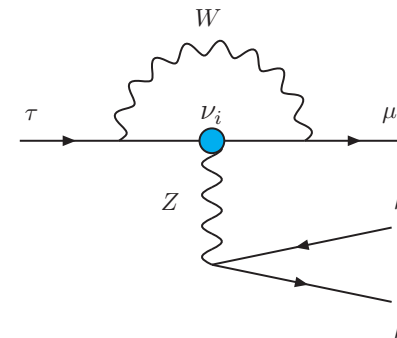
► For $m_4 \gtrsim 10$ GeV sizable ν_s contributions
 .. but precluded by other cLFV observables
 as 3-body decays and nuclear conversion



► Three-body decays $l_i \rightarrow 3l_j$ (■) and conversion in Nuclei $\mu - e$ (■)

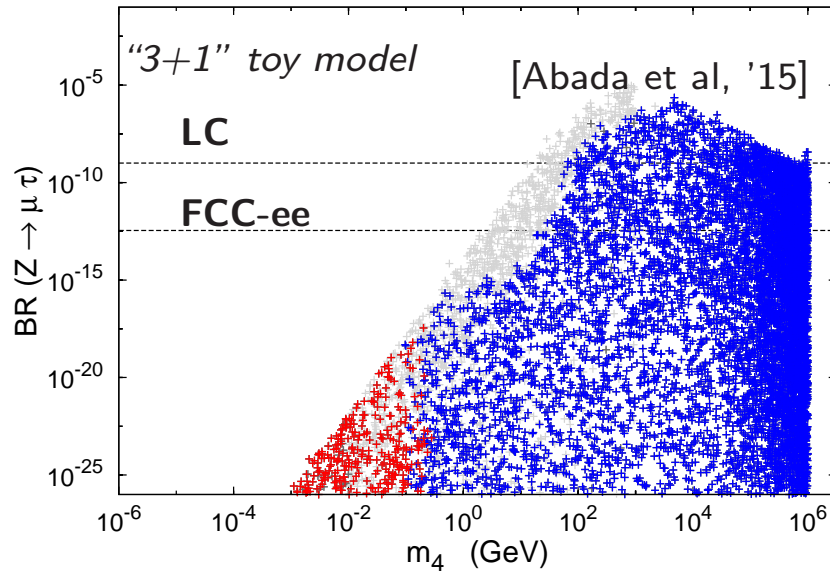


► For sterile states above EW scale, strongly dominated by **Z penguin** contributions

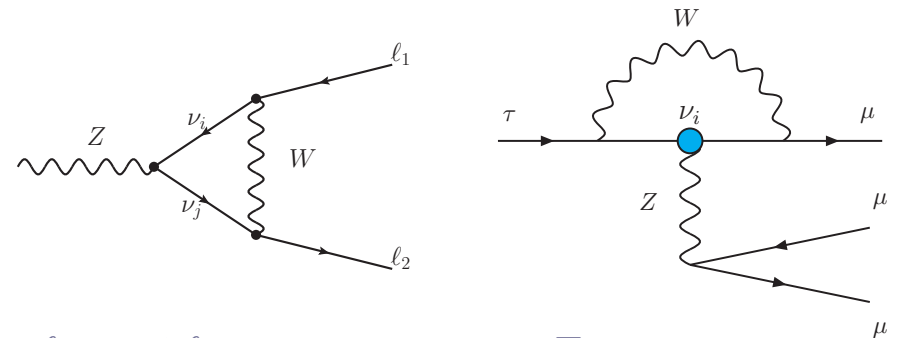


Sterile neutrinos and cLFV at higher energies

► cLFV Z decays at FCC-ee vs 3 body decays $l_i \rightarrow 3l_j$



► Potentially **observable** at **Future Circular Collider**



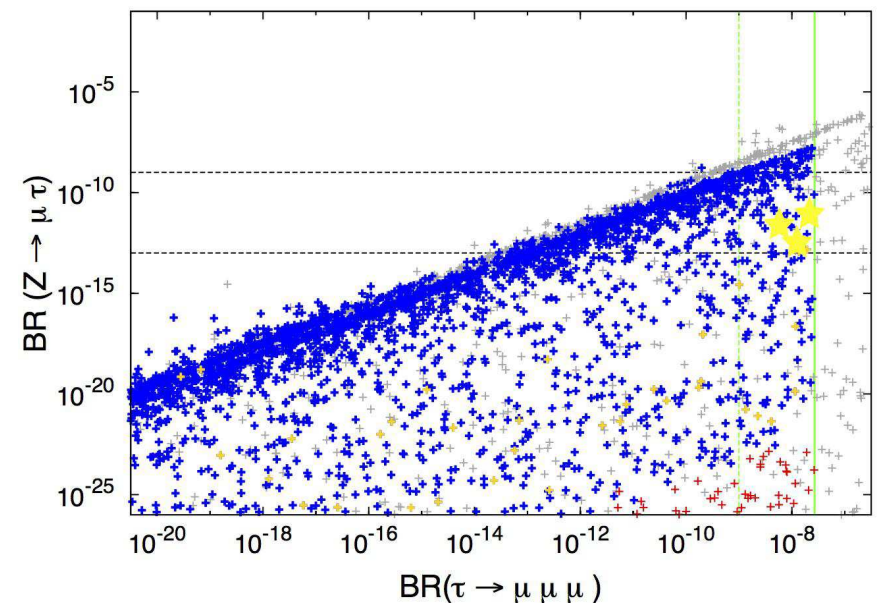
► Recall: $l_i \rightarrow 3l_j$ dominated by Z penguins

► Strong correlation between $Z \rightarrow \mu \tau$ and $\tau \rightarrow 3\mu$

► Probe $\mu - \tau$ cLFV beyond Belle II reach

► **Complementarity probes** of ν_s cLFV at **low- and high energies!**

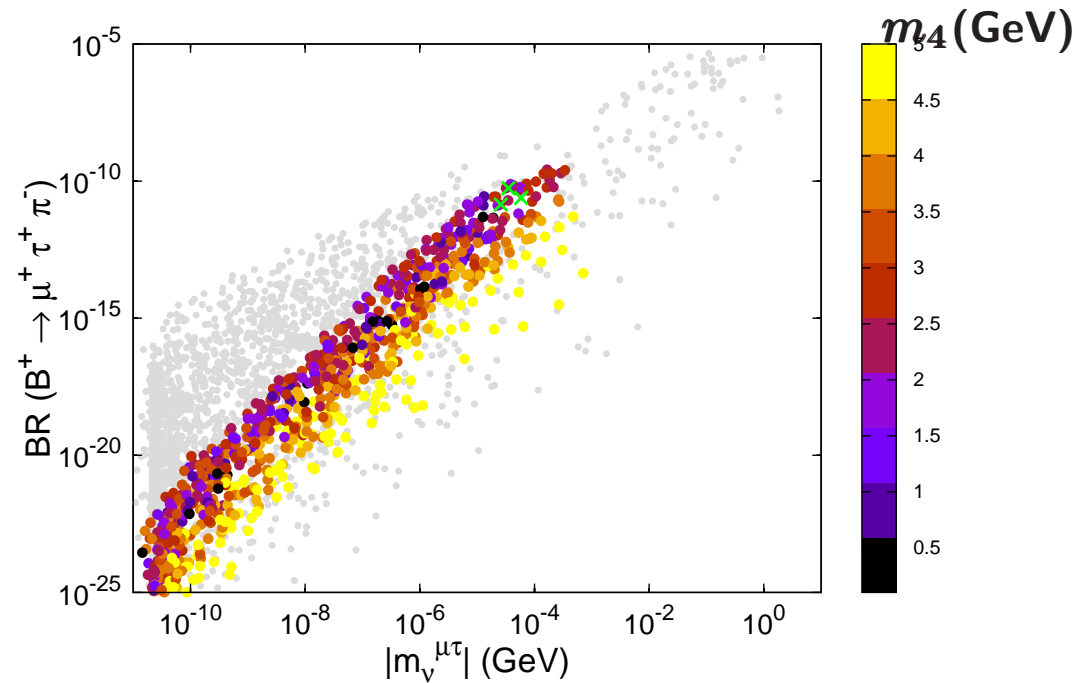
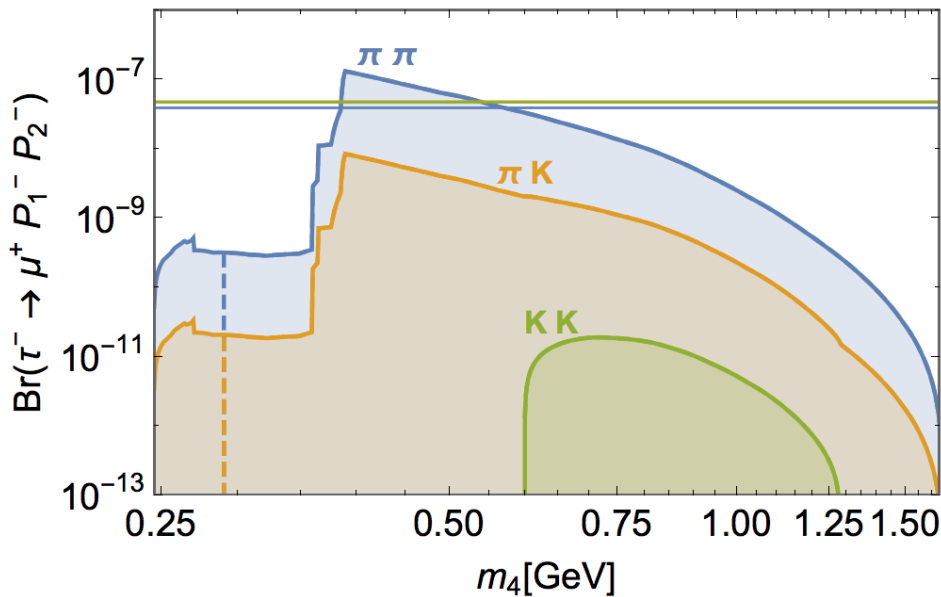
► **Testable LNV:** ★ $\rightsquigarrow 0\nu 2\beta$ within exp. sensitivity



Sterile neutrinos: impact for LNV meson and tau decays

- ▶ On-shell ν_s : “resonant-enhancement” of $M_1 \rightarrow M_2 \ell_\alpha^\pm \ell_\beta^\pm$ and $\tau^\pm \rightarrow M_1 M_2 \ell^\mp$ decays
- ▶ Full update of LNV constraints on ν_s ([0.1 GeV, 10 GeV]) [1712.03984]
- ▶ Several BRs close to experimental sensitivity! Possibility to infer information on m_ν^{lilj}

$$m_\nu^{l\alpha l\beta} = \left| \sum_{i=1}^4 \frac{U_{\alpha i} m_i U_{\beta i}}{1 - m_i^2/p_{12}^2 + i m_i \Gamma_i/p_{12}^2} \right| \quad (m_\nu^{ee} \text{ best constraints from } 0\nu 2\beta)$$



- ▶ New bounds on all m_ν^{lilj} entries - $\lesssim \mathcal{O}(10^{-3} \text{ GeV})$ [$m_\nu^{\tau\tau} \lesssim \mathcal{O}(10^{-2} \text{ GeV})$]

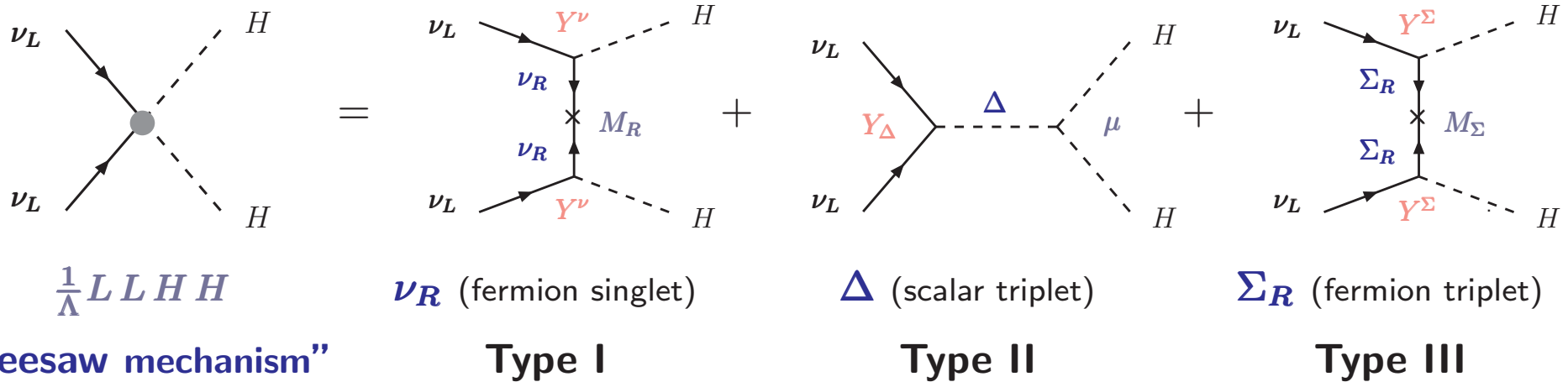
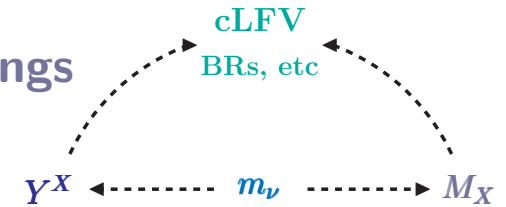
► **Models of neutrino mass generation**



(Illustrative) highlights...

The seesaw mechanism

★ **Seesaw mechanism:** explain **small ν masses** with “natural” couplings via **new dynamics** at “heavy” scale



► **Observables:** depend on **powers of Y^ν** \rightsquigarrow large rates \Rightarrow sizable Y^ν
and on the **mass of the (virtual) NP propagators**

► **Fermionic seesaws:** $Y^\nu \sim \mathcal{O}(1) \Rightarrow M_{\text{new}} \approx 10^{13-15}$ GeV!

Suppression of rates due to the **large mass of the mediators!**



► **Low scale seesaws:** rich phenomenology **at high-intensities!** (and also at LHC)

Low scale type I seesaw

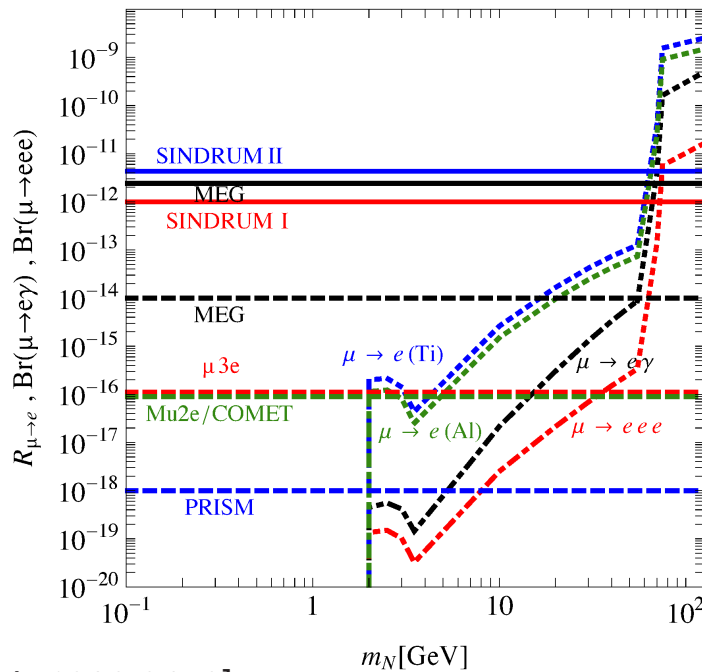
► Addition of 3 “heavy” Majorana RH neutrinos to SM; $\text{MeV} \lesssim m_{N_i} \lesssim 10^{\text{few}} \text{TeV}$

► Spectrum and mixings: $m_\nu \approx -v^2 Y_\nu^T M_N^{-1} Y_\nu$ $U^T \mathcal{M}_\nu^{6 \times 6} U = \text{diag}(m_i)$

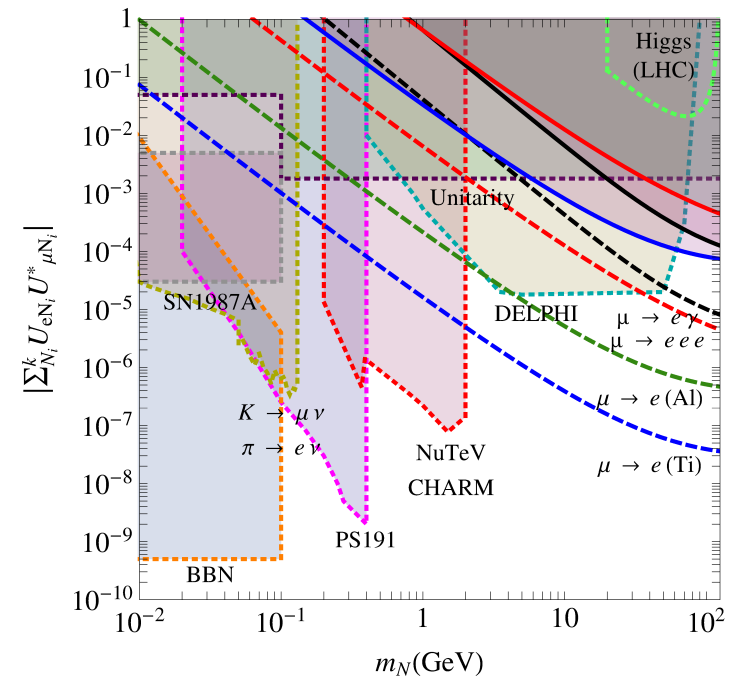
$$U = \begin{pmatrix} U_{\nu\nu} & U_{\nu N} \\ U_{N\nu} & U_{NN} \end{pmatrix} \quad U_{\nu\nu} \approx (1 - \varepsilon) U_{\text{PMNS}} \quad \text{Non-unitary leptonic mixing } \tilde{U}_{\text{PMNS}}!$$

► Heavy states do not decouple \Rightarrow modified neutral and charged leptonic currents

► Rich phenomenology at high-intensity/low-energy and at colliders!



[Alonso et al, 1209.2679]



(see also Dinh et al, '12-'14)

Low scale: Inverse Seesaw (ISS)

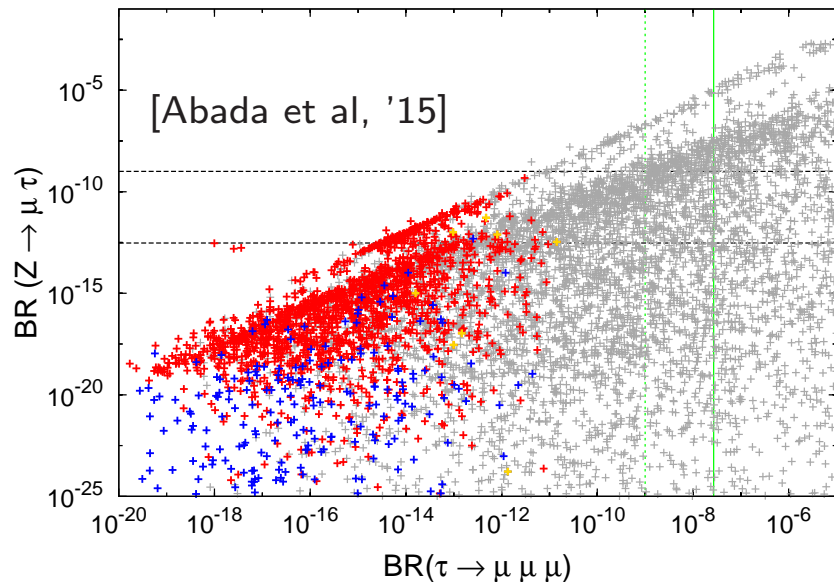
- ▶ Addition of 3 “heavy” RH neutrinos and 3 extra “sterile” fermions X to the SM

$$\text{▶ } \mathcal{M}_{\text{ISS}}^{9 \times 9} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & Y_\nu v & 0 \\ Y_\nu^T v & 0 & M_R \\ 0 & M_R & \mu_X \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \text{3 light } \nu : m_\nu \approx \frac{(Y_\nu v)^2}{(Y_\nu v)^2 + M_R^2} \mu_X \\ \text{3 pseudo-Dirac pairs : } m_{N^\pm} \approx M_R \pm \mu_X \end{cases}$$

- ▶ Non-unitarity \tilde{U}_{PMNS} \Rightarrow modified neutral and charged leptonic currents

- ▶ Abundant signals at colliders, cLFV (poor LNV - and EDM - prospects...)

- ▶ cLFV Z decays at FCC-ee vs 3 body decays $l_i \rightarrow 3l_j$



- ▶ Other cLFV bounds preclude large $\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow 3\mu)$...

Contrary to “3+1 toy model”, flavour textures

& parameters constrained by ν data...

- ▶ Allows to probe $\mu - \tau$ cLFV beyond Belle II reach

- ▶ $\tau \rightarrow 3\mu$ at Belle II: \rightsquigarrow disfavour $\text{ISS}_{(3,3)}$

cLFV: (3,3) ISS realisation at colliders

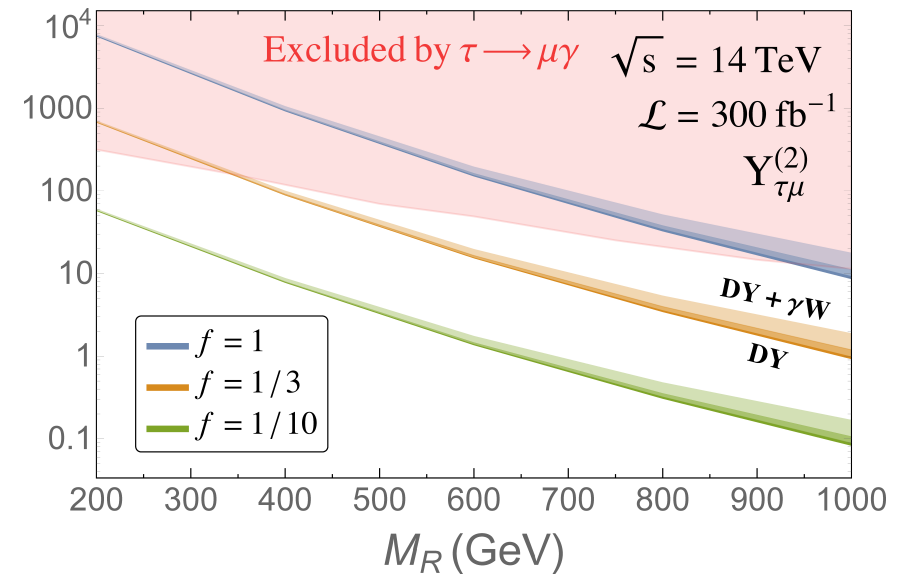
► cLFV exotic events at the LHC

- Searches for heavy N at the LHC

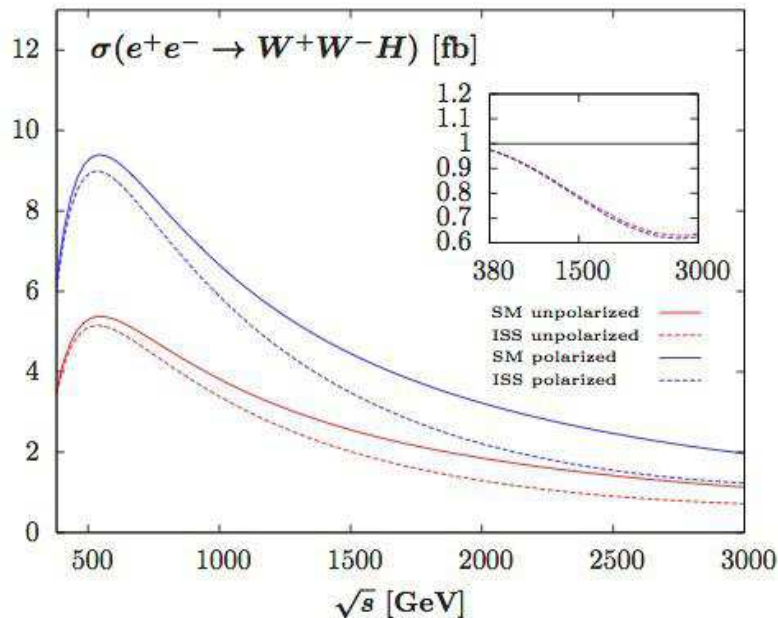
$$qq' \rightarrow \tau\mu + 2 \text{ jets} \quad (\text{no missing } E^T!)$$

- After cuts, **significant number of events!**

[Arganda et al, 1508.05074]



► Impact of heavy ν_s on WWH production at Lepton Colliders



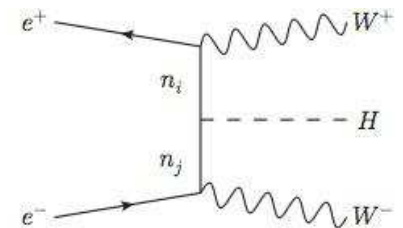
- Sizeable deviations from SM expectations

$$\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow WWH) \Rightarrow \Delta^{\text{BSM}} \sim -38\%$$

- Maximal effects for $\sqrt{s} \sim 3 \text{ TeV}$ (CLIC)

$$m_{\nu_s} \approx \text{few TeV}, \quad |Y^\nu| \sim 1$$

[Baglio et al, 1712.07621]



The “triplet” seesaws

★ Weinberg operator realised via **triplet scalars** Δ (type II) or **fermions** Σ (type III)

▶ Very distinctive signatures for numerous observables: **cLFV example**

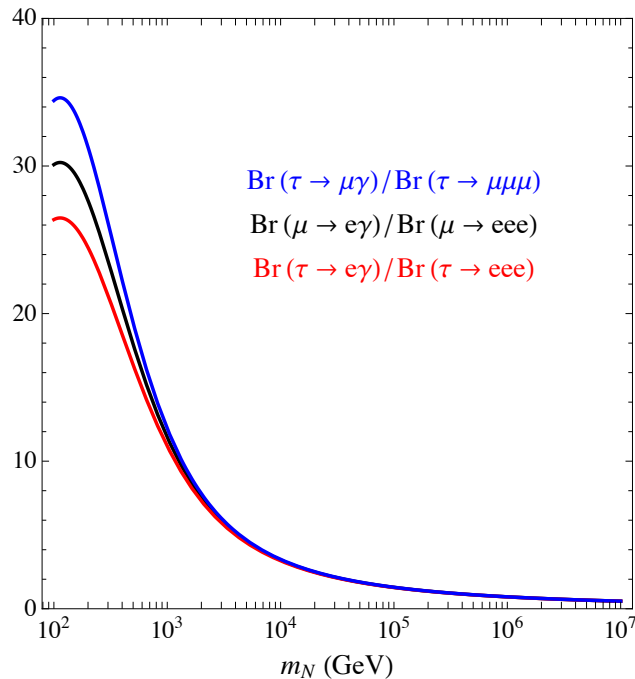
Type I: cLFV transitions at **loop level** (radiative, 3-body, conversion in Nuclei)

Type II: $\ell_i \rightarrow \ell_j \gamma$ & $\mu - e, N$ at loop level; 3-body decays $\ell_i \rightarrow 3\ell_j$ at **tree level!**

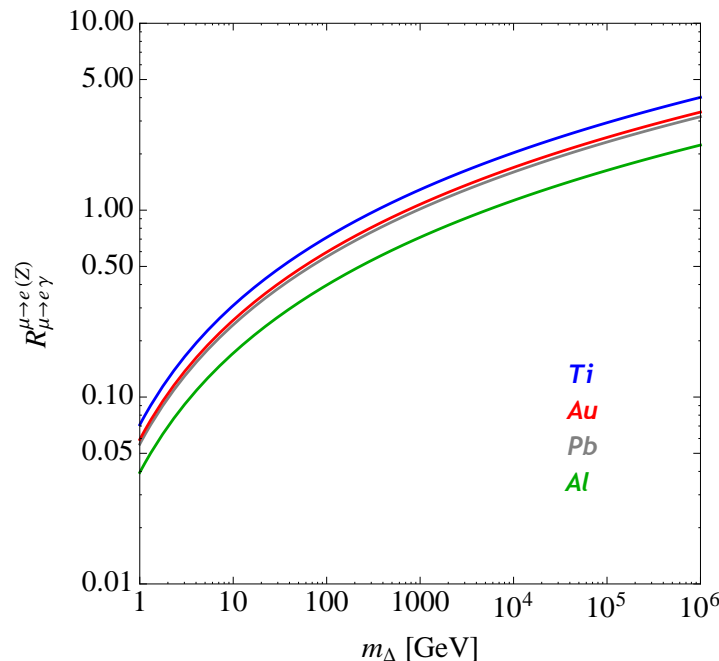
Type III: 3-body decays and coherent conversion at **tree-level!** $\ell_i \rightarrow \ell_j \gamma$ @ loop...

▶ Use ratios of observables to constrain and identify mediators!

Type I



Type II



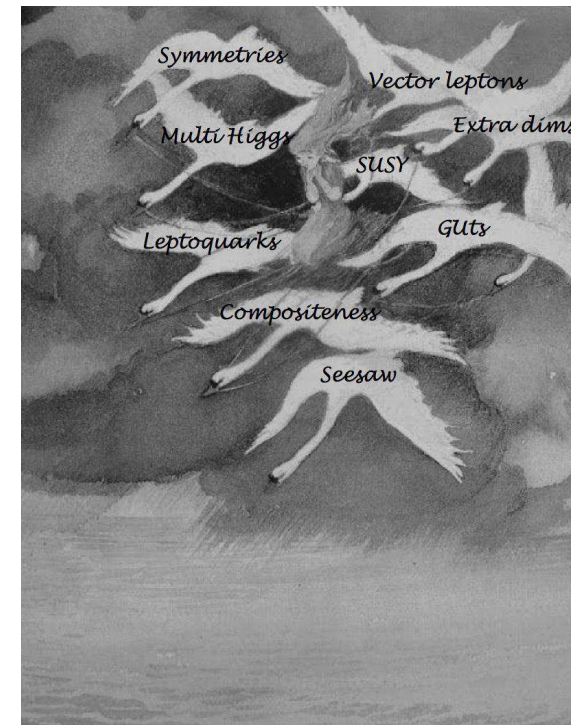
Type III

$$\frac{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow e \gamma)}{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow 3e)} = 1.3 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\frac{\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma)}{\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow 3\mu)} = 1.3 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\frac{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow e \gamma)}{\text{CR}(e - \mu, \text{Ti})} = 3.1 \times 10^{-4}$$

[Hambye, 2013]



- ▶ **Extensions of the SM: additional fields, symmetries and complete frameworks**

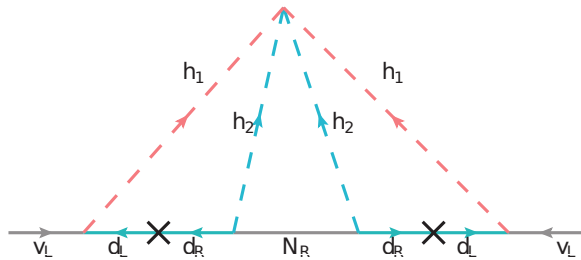
A few examples of a vast array of well motivated constructions...

Leptoquarks & massive neutrinos: cLFV constraints

Leptoquarks: well motivated solution to several tensions a_μ , R_K , R_D , anomalies, ...

► **Neutrino masses, DM and B anomalies:**

SM + scalar leptoquarks ($h_{1,2}$) + RH lepton triplets Σ_R ; $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1) \times Z_2^{DM}$



► Radiatively induced m_ν (3-loop); $\Sigma^0 \leftrightarrow$ DM candidate

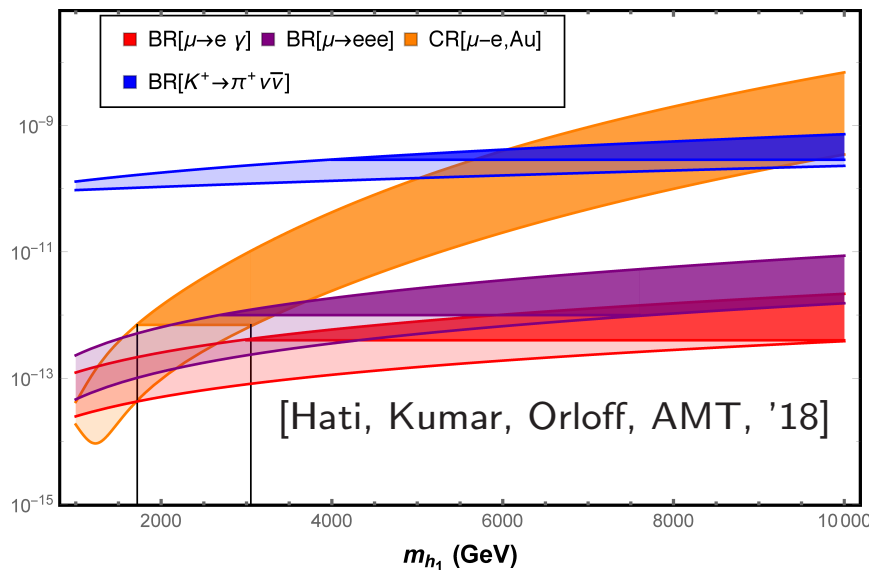
► **Non-trivial structure** in leptoquark Yukawa couplings y

\Rightarrow account for $R_K^{(*)}$ anomalies!

$$y \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^4 & \epsilon^5 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^3 & \epsilon^3 & \epsilon^4 \\ \epsilon^4 & \epsilon & \epsilon \end{pmatrix}$$

► **Huge impact / constraints from cLFV and meson decays:**

$CR(\mu - e, N)$, $K \rightarrow \pi \nu \bar{\nu}$ the most stringent



► **Oscillation data** (perturbative couplings)

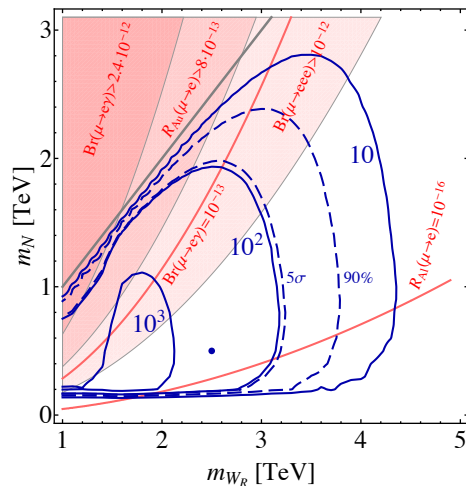
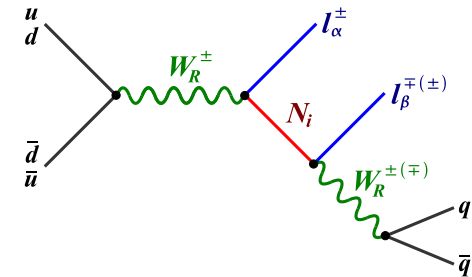
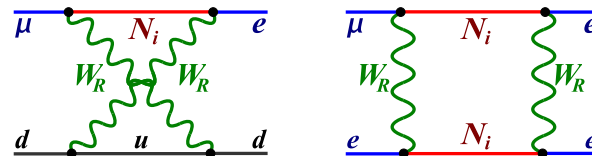
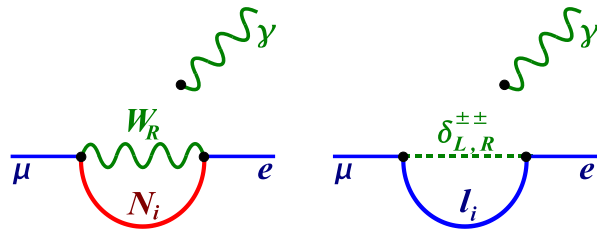
viable DM candidate

► Explain $R_{K^{(*)}}$ anomalies [no $R_{D^{(*)}}$, $(g - 2)_\mu$]

► Leptoquarks and triplets: within **LHC** reach!

Adding symmetry: neutrino masses, LNV & cLFV

- ★ **Discrete and continuous flavour symmetries**, extensions of the SM gauge group
 - ▶ Many appealing (predictive) models with interesting cLFV, LNV and CPV signatures
 - ▶ **Minimal Left-Right extension of the SM:** $SU(2)_L \otimes U(1) \Rightarrow SU(2)_L \otimes SU(2)_R \otimes U(1)_{B-L}$
Spectrum includes RH neutrinos, bi-doublet and triplet Higgs, new Z_R, W_R bosons
 - ▶ New contributions to **LNV & cLFV observables** at low- and high-energies

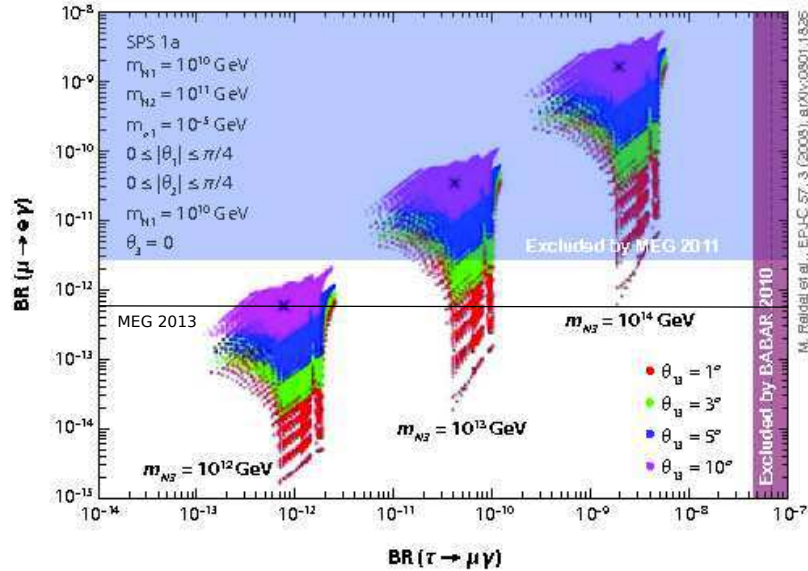
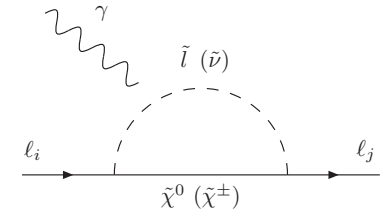


- ▶ If LHC \sqrt{s} above heavy neutrino threshold:
dilepton LFV/LNV signatures $pp \rightarrow W_R \rightarrow e^\pm \mu^{\mp, \pm} + 2 \text{ jets}$
- ▶ Complementarity studies of LHC signatures and
low-energy rare decays

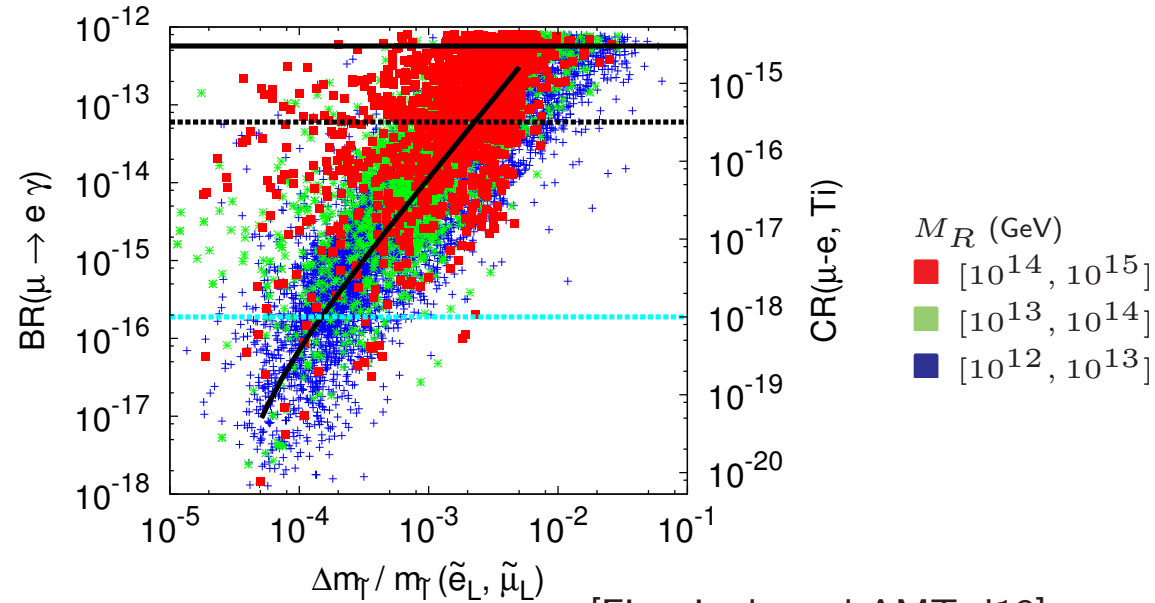
Supersymmetric type I seesaw

- Large Y^ν : sizable contributions to cLFV observables

cLFV \leftrightarrow exchange of *virtual SUSY particles* $\Lambda_{\text{cLFV}} \ll \Lambda_{\text{LNV}}^{m_\nu}$



[Antusch, Arganda, Herrero, AMT, '06 - '07]



[Figueiredo and AMT, '13]

- Y^ν unique source of LFV: **synergy** of high- and low-energy observables
- Isolated cLFV manifestations \Rightarrow **disfavours** SUSY seesaw hypothesis
- **“Correlated”** cLFV observations \Rightarrow **strengthen** SUSY seesaw hypothesis !

$\frac{\Delta m_{\tilde{\ell}}}{m_{\tilde{\ell}}}(\tilde{e}_L, \tilde{\mu}_L) \gtrsim \mathcal{O}(0.5\%)$ and $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma|_{\text{MEG}}$ \checkmark !! Hints on the seesaw scale: $M_R \sim 10^{14}$ GeV

Hints of an organising principle: SUSY seesaw and GUTs

★ Supersymmetric Grand Unified Theories

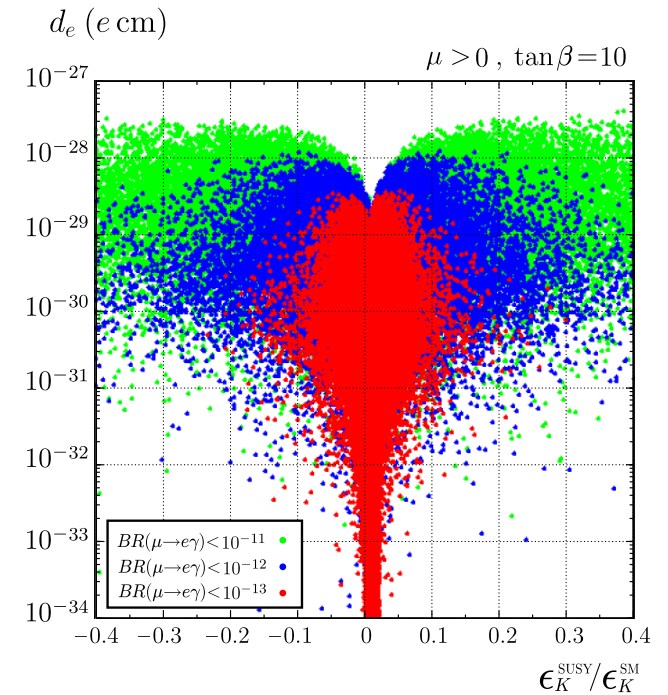
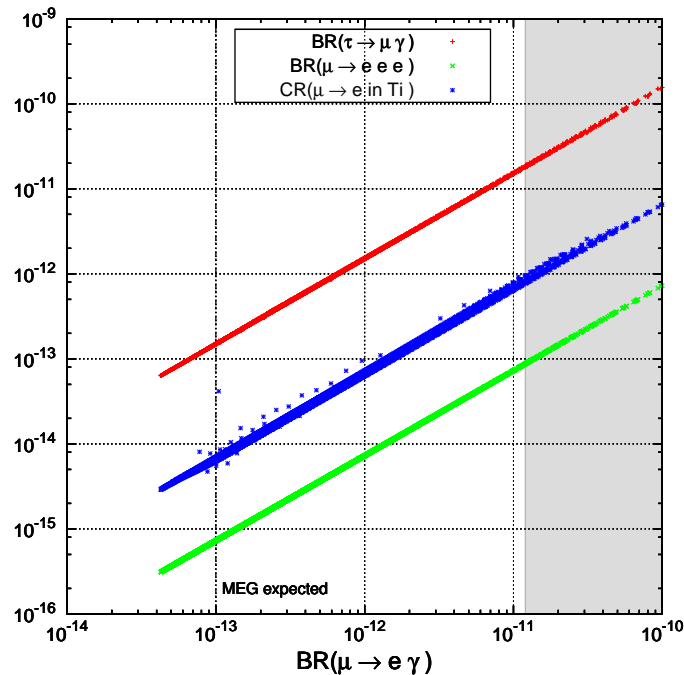
► Reduce arbitrariness of $Y^q, Y^\ell, Y^\nu, \dots$: \Rightarrow increase predictivity and testability!

► SU(5) + RH neutrinos SUSY GUTs

Correlated CP violation and flavour observables
in lepton and hadron sectors

[Buras et al, 1011.4853]

► SO(10) type II SUSY seesaw



Leptogenesis motivated

highly correlated cLFV observables!

[Calibbi et al, 0910.0337]



▶ **Concluding remarks**

New Physics and lepton observables

- ▶ **Confirmed observations** and several “**tensions**” suggest the need to go **beyond the SM**
 - In the **lepton sector**, ν -masses provided the 1st laboratory **evidence of NP**
 - Many experimental “**tensions**” nested in **lepton-related observables**
- ▶ **Lepton physics** might offer valuable hints in **constructing and probing NP models**
 - New Physics** can be manifest via **cLFV, LNV, ...** even **before any direct discovery!**
 - (Synergy of) lepton observables** can provide **information on the underlying NP model**
- ▶ “**Leptonic**” **observables** (cLFV, LNV, CPV, ...)
 - might be induced by NP at the origin of ν masses...
 - or from an “independent NP” source (High scale type I + FV Multi-Higgs...)
- ▶ **Experimentally exciting** near-future!
 - Accompanied by **theoretical and phenomenological analyses and ideas!**



Leptonic observables: signs of New Physics

- ▶ Explore the underlying **synergy** between ν physics and **high-intensity** observables to constrain the **New Physics** model at the origin of **neutrino phenomena**



- ▶ And keep an open eye on collider searches and new oscillation phenomena !
(not adressed here...)

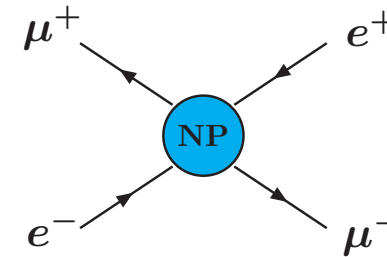
▶ Backup

cLFV in muonic atoms: Muonium channels

★ **Muonium**: hydrogen-like **Coulomb bound state** ($e^- \mu^+$); free of hadronic interactions!

▶ **Mu** – **$\overline{\text{Mu}}$** conversion

⇒ Oscillation between ($e^- \mu^+$) \leftrightarrow ($e^+ \mu^-$)



▶ **Experimental status**: $P(\text{Mu} - \overline{\text{Mu}}) < 8.3 \times 10^{-11}$ [Willmann et al, 1999]

▶ **cLFV Mu decay**: $\text{Mu} \rightarrow e^+ e^-$

clear signal compared to SM decay $\text{Mu} \rightarrow e^+ e^- \bar{\nu}_\mu \nu_e$ (no missing energy)

▶ **Experimental status**: no bounds (nor clear roadmap)...

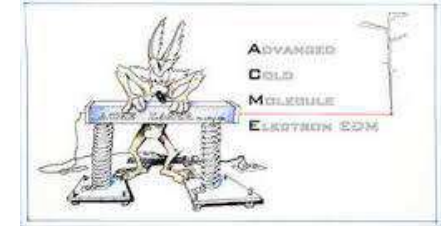
And many other... EDMs, magnetic moments...

► Electric dipole moments of charged leptons

$$\mathcal{L}_{EDM} = -i/2 d_\ell \bar{\ell} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 \ell F_{\mu\nu}$$



EDM (e cm)	Current bounds	Future sensitivity
$ d_e $	8.7×10^{-29} [ACME]	$\mathcal{O}(10^{-30})$ [ACME]
$ d_\mu $	1.9×10^{-19} [Muon g-2]	$\mathcal{O}(10^{-21})$ [g-2/EDM Coll.]
$ \text{Re}(d_\tau) $	4.5×10^{-17} [Belle]	-
$ \text{Im}(d_\tau) $	2.5×10^{-17} [Belle]	-



► (Anomalous) magnetic moments of charged leptons

$$\vec{\mu} = g_\ell \frac{e}{2m_\ell} \vec{S} \Rightarrow a_\ell = \frac{1}{2} (g_\ell - 2)$$

a_e : Best determination of α ...

$$a_e^{\text{the}} = 0.001159652181643(764) \leftrightarrow 5^{\text{th}} \text{ order in QED (12,672 diags)!}$$

$$a_e^{\text{exp}} = 0.00115965218073(28)$$

a_μ : Current tension between theory and experiment \longrightarrow

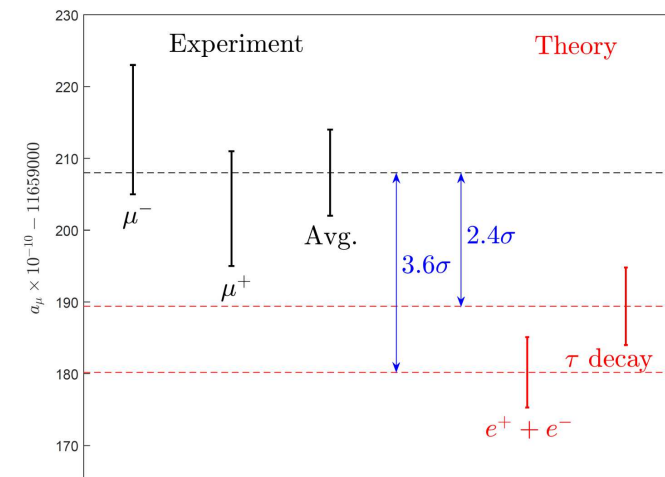
Very sensitive probe of New Physics close to Λ_{EW}

If δa_μ confirmed \rightsquigarrow discrepancies for $a_{e,\tau}$ and d_ℓ !

a_τ : Short tau lifetime...

$$a_\tau^{\text{the}} = 0.00117721(5) [0701260]$$

$$-0.007 < a_\tau^{\text{exp}} < 0.005 [1601.07987]$$



The effective approach to NP contributions

- ▶ \mathcal{L}^{eff} - “vestigial” (new) interactions of “heavy” fields with SM at low-energies

$$\mathcal{L}^{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}^{\text{SM}} + \sum_{n \geq 5} \frac{1}{\Lambda^{n-4}} C^n(g, Y, \dots) \mathcal{O}^n(\ell, q, H, \gamma, \dots)$$

- ▶ **Dimension 5** - $\Delta\mathcal{L}^5$ (Weinberg): neutrino masses (LNV, $\Delta L = 2$) $\mathcal{O}_{ij}^5 \sim (L_i H)(H L_j)$
- ▶ **Dimension 6** - $\Delta\mathcal{L}^6$: kinetic corrections, cLFV (dipole and 3-body), EWP tests, t physics...

Dipole: $\mathcal{O}_{\ell_i \ell_j \gamma}^6 \sim L_i \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_j H F_{\mu\nu}$ radiative decays $\ell_i \rightarrow \ell_j \gamma$

4 fermion: $\mathcal{O}_{\ell_i \ell_j \ell_k \ell_l}^6 \sim (\ell_i \gamma_\mu P_{L,R} \ell_j)(\ell_k \gamma^\mu P_{L,R} \ell_l)$ 3-body decays $\ell_i \rightarrow \ell_j \ell_k \ell_l, \dots$

$\mathcal{O}_{\ell_i \ell_j q_k q_l}^6 \sim (\ell_i \gamma_\mu P_{L,R} \ell_j)(q_k \gamma^\mu P_{L,R} q_l)$ $\mu - e$ in Nuclei, meson decays, ...

Vector/scalar: $\mathcal{O}_{H H \ell_i \ell_j}^6 \sim (H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\ell_i \gamma_\mu \ell_j)$ 3-body decays $\ell_i \rightarrow \ell_j \ell_k \ell_l, \dots$

- ▶ **Dimension 9** - $\Delta\mathcal{L}^9$: ... $0\nu 2\beta$ decays, ... $\mathcal{O}_{ij}^9 \sim (\ell_L q_L d_R^c)(\ell_L q_L d_R^c)$
- ▶ **Dimension 12, 14** - $\Delta\mathcal{L}^{12,14}$: ... cLFV & LNV decays: $\mu^- + (A, Z) \rightarrow e^+ + (A, Z - 2)^*$

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- Apply **experimental** bounds on **(leptonic) observables** to constrain $\frac{C_{ij}^6}{\Lambda^2}$ (cLFV)



Hypotheses on:

1. size of “new couplings”

⇒ **Natural** couplings

$$C_{ij}^6 \sim \mathcal{O}(1)$$

2. scale of “new physics”

⇒ **Natural** scale - delicate..

direct discovery $\Lambda \sim \text{TeV}$

Effective coupling (example)	Bounds on Λ (TeV) (for $ C_{ij}^6 = 1$)	Bounds on $ C_{ij}^6 $ (for $\Lambda = 1$ TeV)	Observable
$C_{e\gamma}^{\mu e}$	6.3×10^4	2.5×10^{-10}	$\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$
$C_{e\gamma}^{\tau e}$	6.5×10^2	2.4×10^{-6}	$\tau \rightarrow e\gamma$
$C_{e\gamma}^{\tau\mu}$	6.1×10^2	2.7×10^{-6}	$\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma$
$C_{ll,ee}^{\mu eee}$	207	2.3×10^{-5}	$\mu \rightarrow 3e$
$C_{ll,ee}^{e\tau ee}$	10.4	9.2×10^{-5}	$\tau \rightarrow 3e$
$C_{ll,ee}^{\mu\tau\mu\mu}$	11.3	7.8×10^{-5}	$\tau \rightarrow 3\mu$
$C_{(1,3)Hl'}^{\mu e}, C_{He}^{\mu e}$	160	4×10^{-5}	$\mu \rightarrow 3e$
$C_{(1,3)Hl'}^{\tau e}, C_{He}^{\tau e}$	≈ 8	1.5×10^{-2}	$\tau \rightarrow 3e$
$C_{(1,3)Hl'}^{\tau\mu}, C_{He}^{\tau\mu}$	≈ 9	$\approx 10^{-2}$	$\tau \rightarrow 3\mu$

[Feruglio et al, 2015]

Constraints on sterile fermions: masses and $\theta_{\alpha s}$

- ▶ **Neutrino oscillation parameters:** \tilde{U}_{PMNS} comply with observed mixings
- ▶ **Electroweak precision tests:** invisible Z width; leptonic Z width; Weinberg angle...
[Del Aguila et al, '08; Atre et al, '09; ...
Antusch et al, '09-'14; Fernandez-Martinez et al, '16; ...]
- ▶ **Searches at the LHC:** invisible Higgs decays $H \rightarrow \nu_L \nu_R$; direct searches, ...
[Dev et al, '12-'15; Bandyopadhyay et al, '12; Cely et al, '14;
Arganda et al, '14-'15; Deppish et al, '15; ...]
- ▶ **Peak searches in meson decays:** monochromatic lines in ℓ^\pm spectrum from $X_M^\pm \rightarrow \ell^\pm \nu_s$
[Shrock, '80-'81; Atre et al, '09; Kusenko et al, '09; Lello et al, '13]
- ▶ **Beam dump experiments:** ν_s decay products (light mesons, ℓ^\pm) from X_M^\pm decays
[PS191, CHARM, NuTeV, ...]

Constraints on sterile fermions: masses and $\theta_{\alpha s}$

- ▶ **Neutrinoless double beta decays - $|m_{ee}|$:** [EXO-200, KamLAND-Zen, GERDA,...]
[Blenow et al, '10; Lopez-Pavon et al, '13;
Abada et al, '14, ..., Giunti et al]
- ▶ **Rare meson decays: Lepton Number Violating (LNV)** e.g. $K^+ \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^+ \pi^-$
Lepton Universality Violating (LUV) e.g. $R_{X_M}, R(D), R_\tau$
[CLEO, Belle, BaBar, NA62, LHCb, BES III, ...]
[Shrock, '81; Atre et al, '09; Abada et al, '13-'15, ...]
- ▶ **Lepton Flavour Violation: 3 body decays among most stringent...**
[Gronau et al, '85; Ilakovac & Pilaftsis, '95 - '14;
Deppisch et al, '05; Dinh et al, '12; Alonso et al, '12; ...]
- ▶ **Cosmology:** large scale structures, Lyman- α , BBN, CMB, X-ray, SN1987a, ...
[Smirnov et al, '06; Kusenko, '09; Gelmini, '10;
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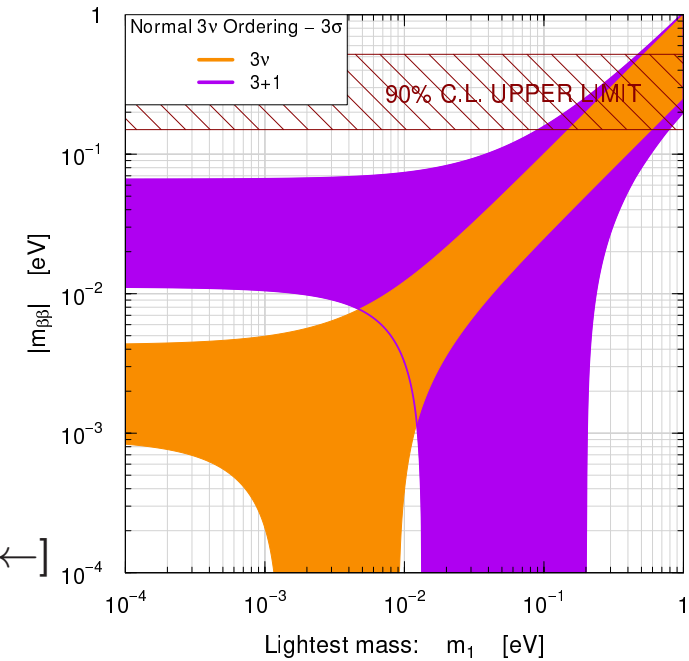
Sterile neutrinos: impact for LNV observables

▶ Lepton number violation: $0\nu 2\beta$ decays

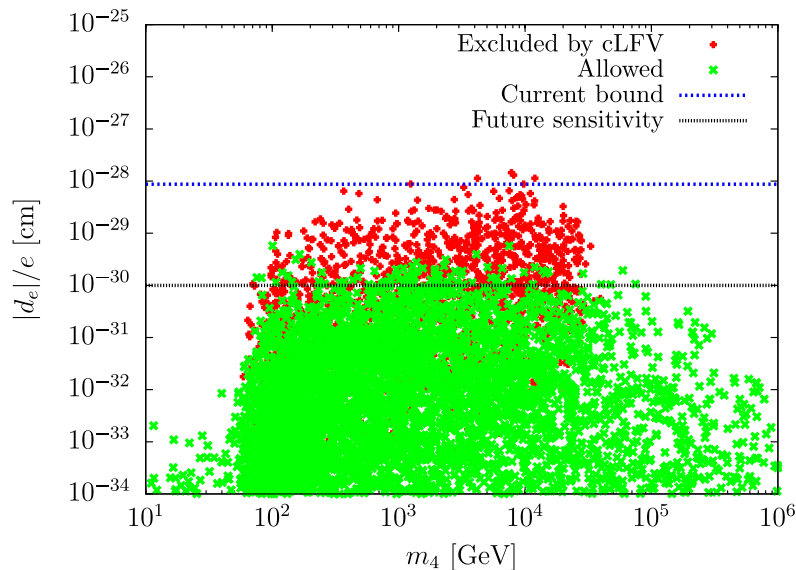
- ▶ ν_s can strongly impact predictions for $|m_{ee}|$
- ⇒ augmented ranges for effective mass (*IO and NO*)

- ▶ **Observation of $0\nu 2\beta$ signal** in future experiments
- does not imply Inverted Ordering** for light ν_s

[Abada, De Romeri and AMT, '14; ...; Giunti et al, '15 ←]



▶ LNV & Leptonic CPV: electric dipole moments



- ▶ Majorana (and Dirac) phases ⇒ lepton EDMs

- ▶ **Non-vanishing** contributions: at least **two sterile ν**
- Dominant **Majorana contribution!**

- ▶ $|d_e|/e \geq 10^{-30}$ cm for $m_{\nu_{4,5}} \sim [100 \text{ GeV}, 100 \text{ TeV}]$

- ▶ **EDM observation:** Majorana CPV neutrinos?

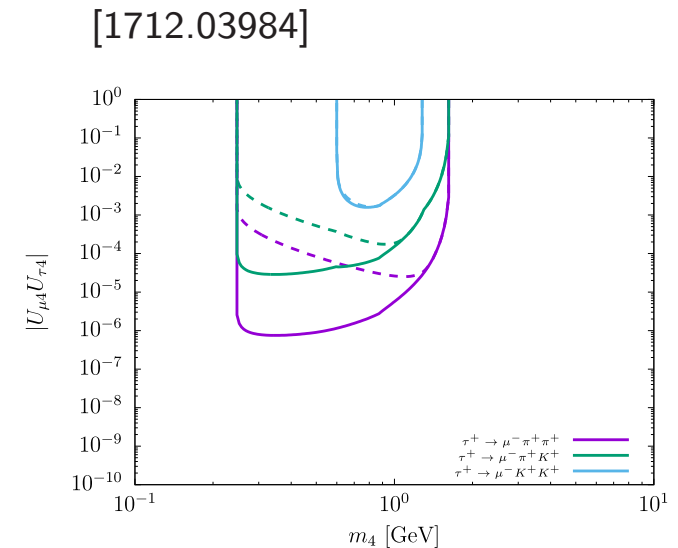
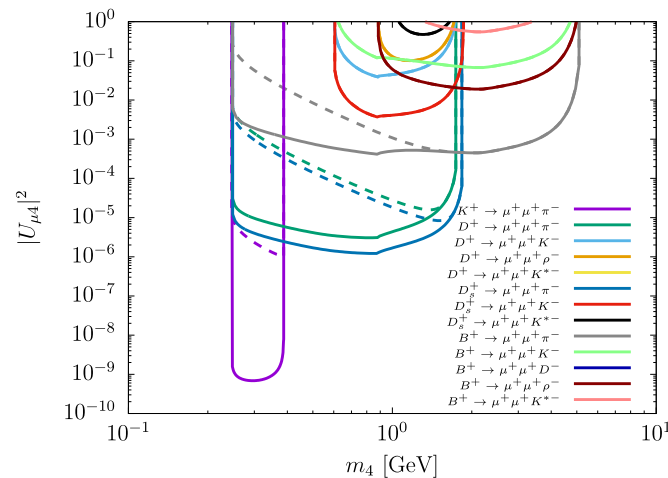
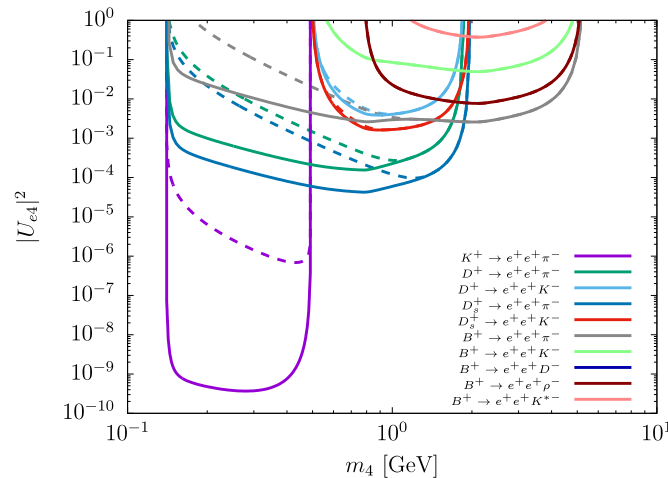
[Abada and Toma, '15]

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⇒ ν_s must **decay inside the detector** (sufficiently short-lived)

⇒ **Sizeable #events** : BRs $\sim \mathcal{O}(10^{-8}, -10)$

Non-negligible mixings!

$$N_{B \rightarrow \ell_\alpha \ell_\beta M} \approx \mathcal{L}^{\text{int}} \times \sigma^{\text{prod}}(pp \rightarrow B^+ + X) \times \text{BR}(B^+ \rightarrow \ell_\alpha^+ \ell_\beta^+ M^-) \times \mathcal{D}$$

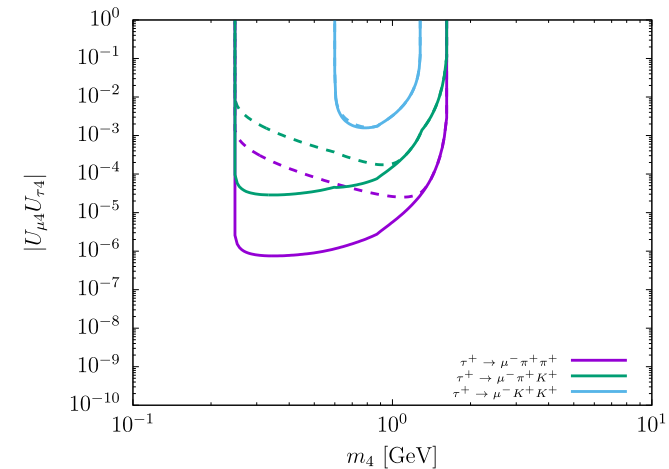
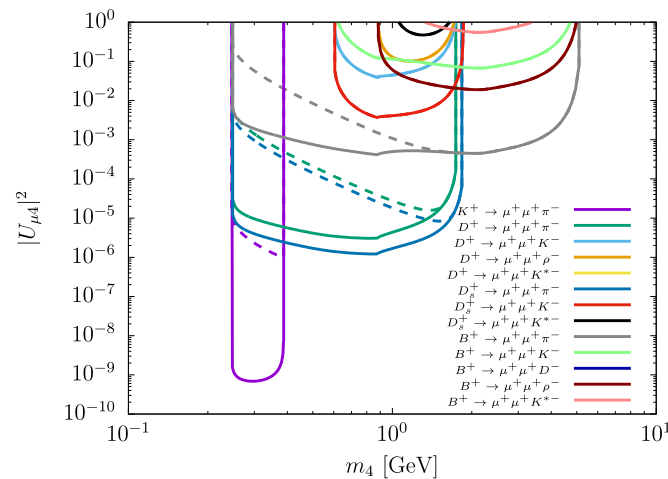
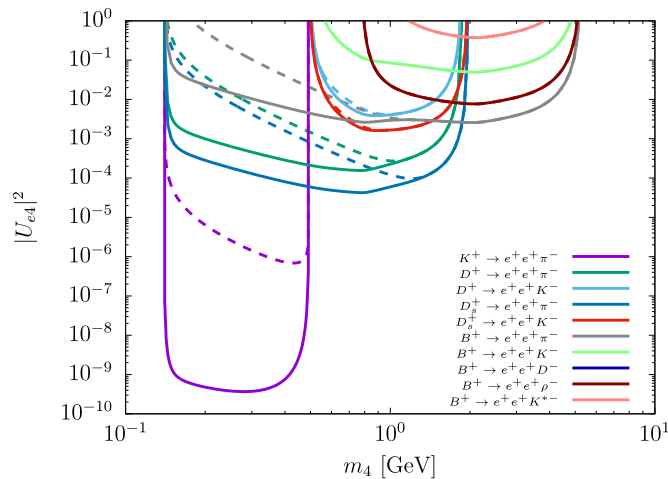
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[1712.03984]



- ▶ Prospects for observation:

- ▶ BRs of several LNV meson and tau decays close to current sensitivities

⇒ Certain τ and K LNV decay modes already in conflict with experimental data!

[Abada, De Romeri, Lucente, Toma, AMT, 1712.03984]

Sterile neutrinos: cLFV in “muonic atoms”

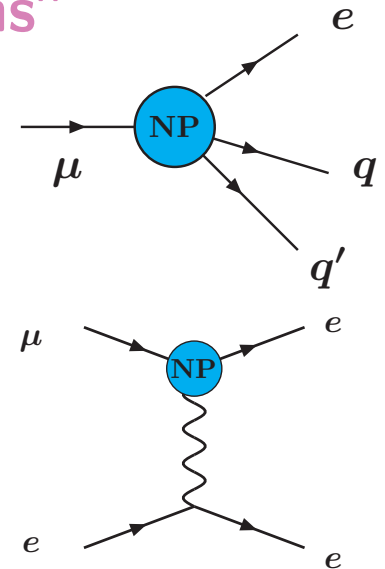
► cLFV $\mu^- - e^-$ conversion: $\mu^- + (A, Z) \rightarrow e^- + (A, Z)$

► Muonic atom decay: $\mu^- e^- \rightarrow e^- e^-$

[Koike et al, '10]

Coulomb interaction increases overlap between Ψ_{μ^-} and Ψ_{e^-}

Rate strongly enhanced in **large Z atoms** [Uesaka et al, '15-'16]



► cLFV in muonic atoms from ν_s :

$$\mu^- e^- \rightarrow e^- e^- \quad (\blacksquare) \text{ vs}$$

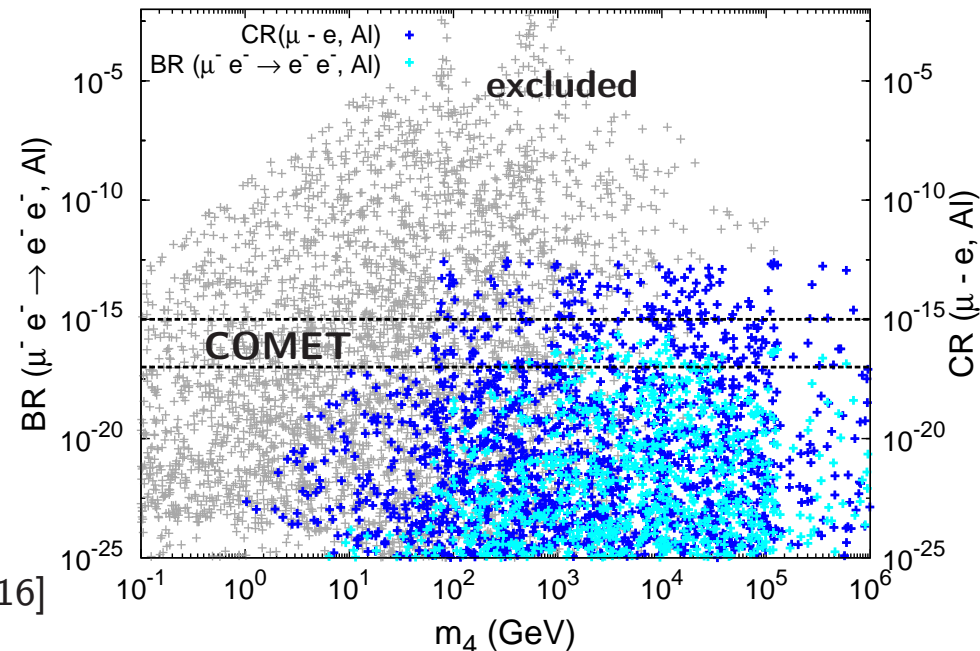
$\mu - e$ conversion (\blacksquare) in Aluminium

► For **Aluminium**, $\text{CR}(\mu - e)$ has stronger experimental potential

.. consider “heavy” targets to probe

$$\text{BR}(\mu^- e^- \rightarrow e^- e^-)$$

“3+1” toy model [Abada, De Romeri and AMT, '16]



The “triplet” seesaws

★ Weinberg operator realised via **triplet scalars** Δ (type II) or **fermions** Σ (type III)

▶ Very distinctive signatures for numerous observables: **cLFV example**

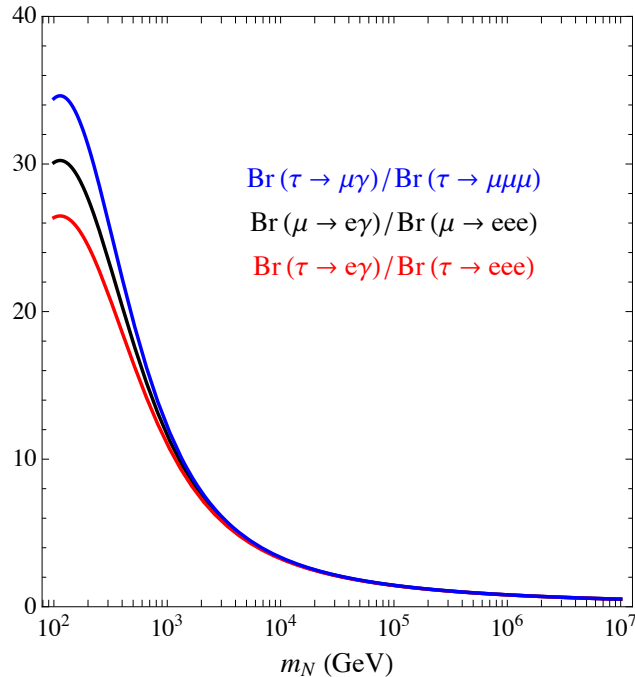
Type I: cLFV transitions at **loop level** (radiative, 3-body, conversion in Nuclei)

Type II: $\ell_i \rightarrow \ell_j \gamma$ & $\mu - e, N$ at loop level; 3-body decays $\ell_i \rightarrow 3\ell_j$ at **tree level!**

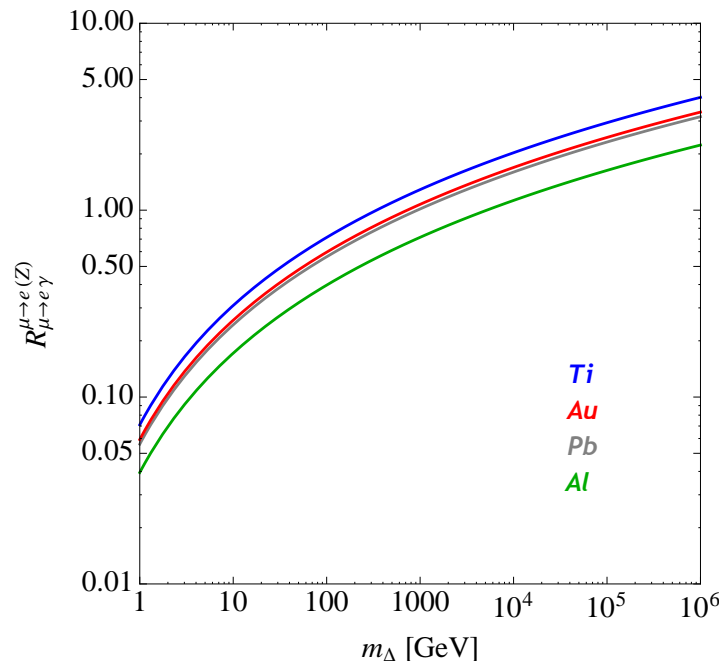
Type III: 3-body decays and coherent conversion at **tree-level!** $\ell_i \rightarrow \ell_j \gamma$ @ loop...

▶ Use ratios of observables to constrain and identify mediators!

Type I



Type II



Type III

$$\frac{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow e \gamma)}{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow 3e)} = 1.3 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\frac{\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma)}{\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow 3\mu)} = 1.3 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\frac{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow e \gamma)}{\text{CR}(e - \mu, \text{Ti})} = 3.1 \times 10^{-4}$$

[Hambye, 2013]

The “triplet” seesaws

- **cLFV bounds** on the **seesaw mediators**: a comparative (“effective”) view

$$m_N \lesssim 100 \text{ TeV} \times \left(\frac{10^{-14}}{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma)} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \times f(Y_{l_i l_j}^\nu)$$

- **Type I (singlet fermion)**: $m_N \lesssim 300 \text{ TeV} \times \left(\frac{10^{-16}}{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow 3e)} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \times f(Y_{l_i l_j}^\nu)$

$$m_N \lesssim 2000 \text{ TeV} \times \left(\frac{10^{-18}}{\text{CR}(\mu-e, \text{Ti})} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \times f(Y_{l_i l_j}^\nu)$$

$$m_\Delta \lesssim 70 \text{ TeV} \times \left(\frac{10^{-14}}{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma)} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \times f(Y_{l_i l_j}^\Delta)$$

- **Type II (scalar triplet)**: $m_\Delta \lesssim 2200 \text{ TeV} \times \left(\frac{10^{-16}}{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow 3e)} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \times f(Y_{l_i l_j}^\Delta)$

$$m_\Delta \lesssim 600 \text{ TeV} \times \left(\frac{10^{-18}}{\text{CR}(\mu-e, \text{Ti})} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \times f(Y_{l_i l_j}^\Delta)$$

$$m_\Sigma \lesssim 100 \text{ TeV} \times \left(\frac{10^{-14}}{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma)} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \times f(Y_{l_i l_j}^\Sigma)$$

- **Type III (fermion triplet)**: $m_\Sigma \lesssim 1600 \text{ TeV} \times \left(\frac{10^{-16}}{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow 3e)} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \times f(Y_{l_i l_j}^\Sigma)$

$$m_\Sigma \lesssim 20000 \text{ TeV} \times \left(\frac{10^{-18}}{\text{CR}(\mu-e, \text{Ti})} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \times f(Y_{l_i l_j}^\Sigma)$$

$$f(Y_{l_i l_j}) \sim \text{combination of } \sqrt{Y} \sqrt{Y}$$

Low scale type I seesaw

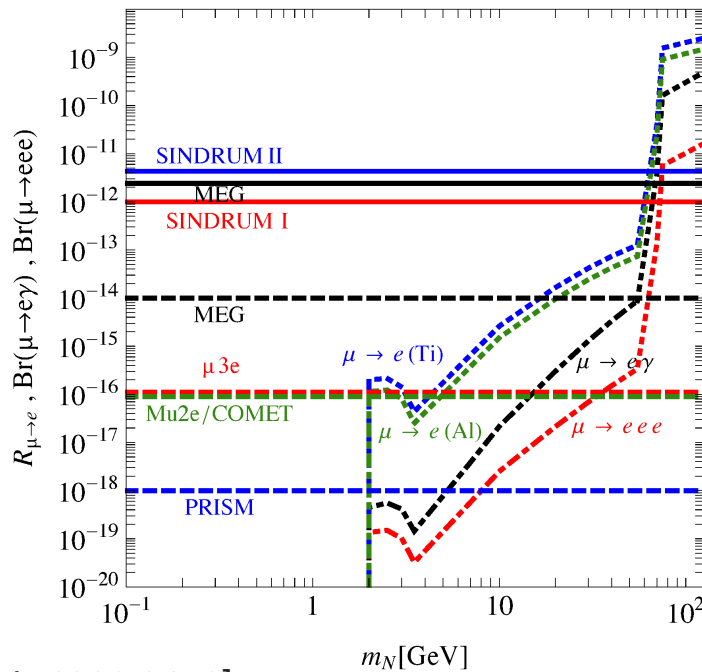
► Addition of 3 “heavy” Majorana RH neutrinos to SM; $\text{MeV} \lesssim m_{N_i} \lesssim 10^{\text{few}} \text{TeV}$

► Spectrum and mixings: $m_\nu \approx -v^2 Y_\nu^T M_N^{-1} Y_\nu$ $U^T \mathcal{M}_\nu^{6 \times 6} U = \text{diag}(m_i)$

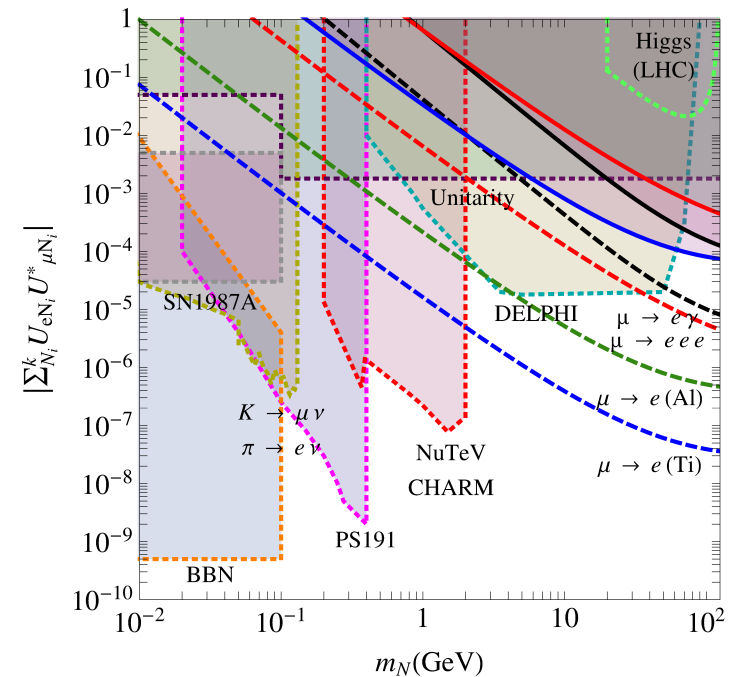
$$U = \begin{pmatrix} U_{\nu\nu} & U_{\nu N} \\ U_{N\nu} & U_{NN} \end{pmatrix} \quad U_{\nu\nu} \approx (1 - \varepsilon) U_{\text{PMNS}} \quad \text{Non-unitary leptonic mixing } \tilde{U}_{\text{PMNS}}!$$

► Heavy states do not decouple \Rightarrow modified neutral and charged leptonic currents

► Rich phenomenology at high-intensity/low-energy and at colliders!



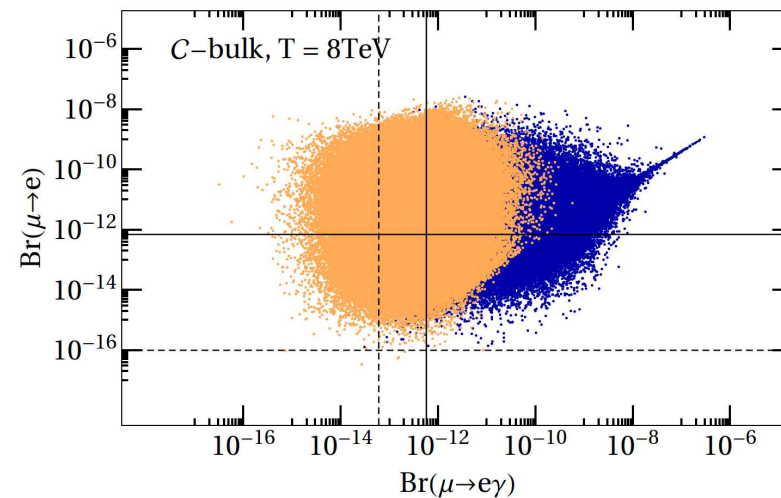
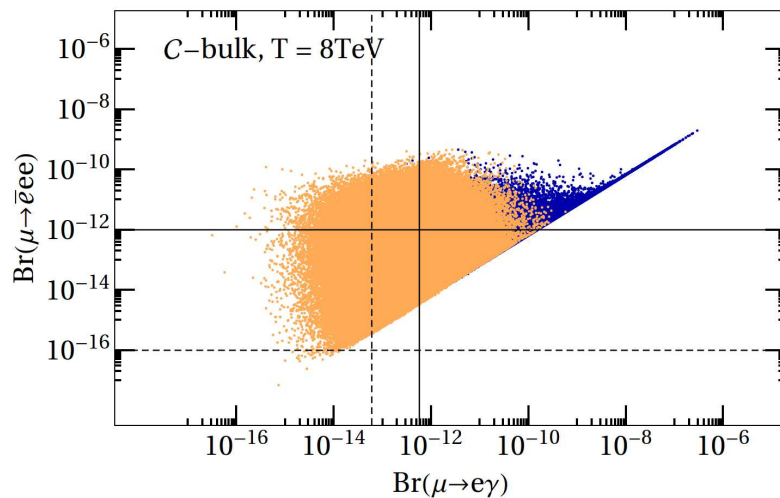
[Alonso et al, 1209.2679]



(see also Dinh et al, '12-'14)

Geometric cLFV: RS warped extra dimensions

- ★ Embed **4dim space-time** into **5dim AdS space** (extra dim compactified on orbifold)
Geometrical distribution in bulk: **Yukawa hierarchy** for “anarchic” $\mathcal{O}(1)$ couplings!
- ▶ **Custodially protected model; generic anarchic Yukawa couplings**



[Beneke et al, 1508.01705]

- ▶ Most **stringent constraints** from $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$ and $\mu - e$ conversion
 τ decays comparatively less restrictive
- ▶ **Current $\mu - e$ bounds** constrain **NP scale beyond LHC reach**: $T_{\text{KK}} \gtrsim 4 \text{ TeV}$
($\rightsquigarrow 10 \text{ TeV}$ for 1st KK-excitations)
- ▶ **Future cLFV sensitivities**: exclude anarchic RS models (without extra symmetries)
up to **8 TeV** (KK gluon masses around 20 TeV)

Vector-like leptons: an example

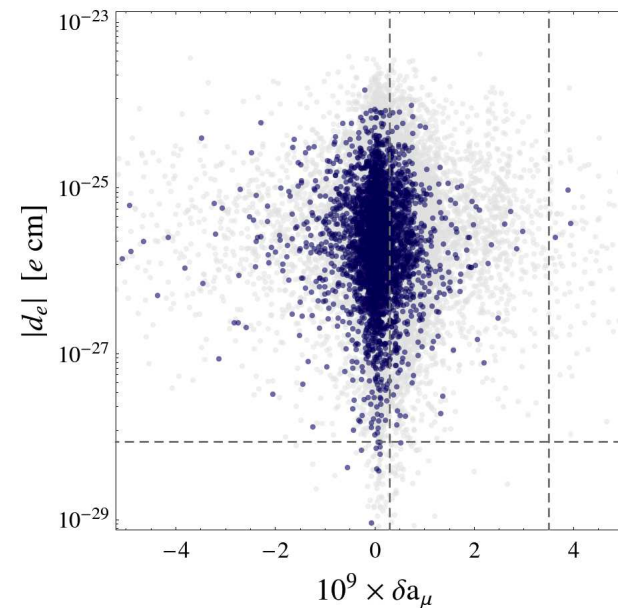
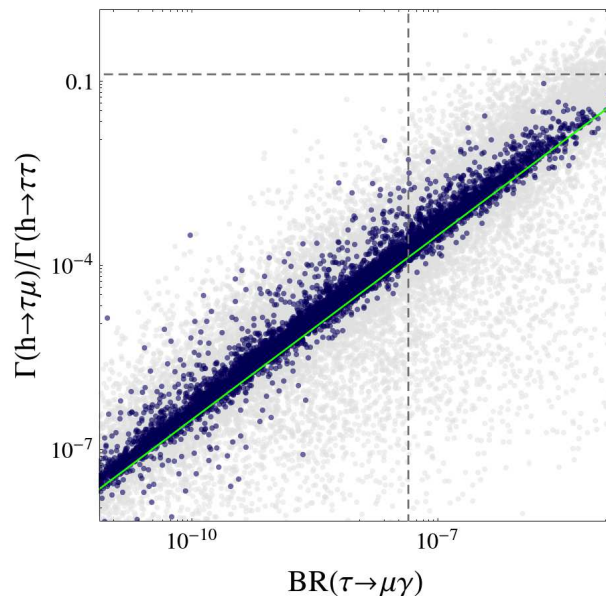
- ▶ **Massive vector-like fermions** present in **well-motivated SM extensions**:
composite Higgs models, warped extra dimensions, ...

- ▶ **Global view**: generic set-up (composite Higgs inspired), 3 generations of L_i^V and E_i^V
massive neutrinos from additional ν_R and vector-like partners

- ▶ **cLFV** parametrised by **small set of couplings**

⇒ **correlated observables!**

$$\frac{\text{BR}(h \rightarrow l_i l_j)}{\text{BR}(l_i \rightarrow l_j \gamma)} \approx \frac{4\pi}{3\alpha} \frac{\text{BR}(h \rightarrow l_i l_i)|_{\text{SM}}}{\text{BR}(l_i \rightarrow l_j \nu_i \bar{\nu}_j)}$$



[Falkowski et al, '14]

- ▶ **Synergy** between **FV Higgs decays and cLFV!** Flavour conserving **EDM** and δa_μ as well!