



Theories of neutrinos and leptons

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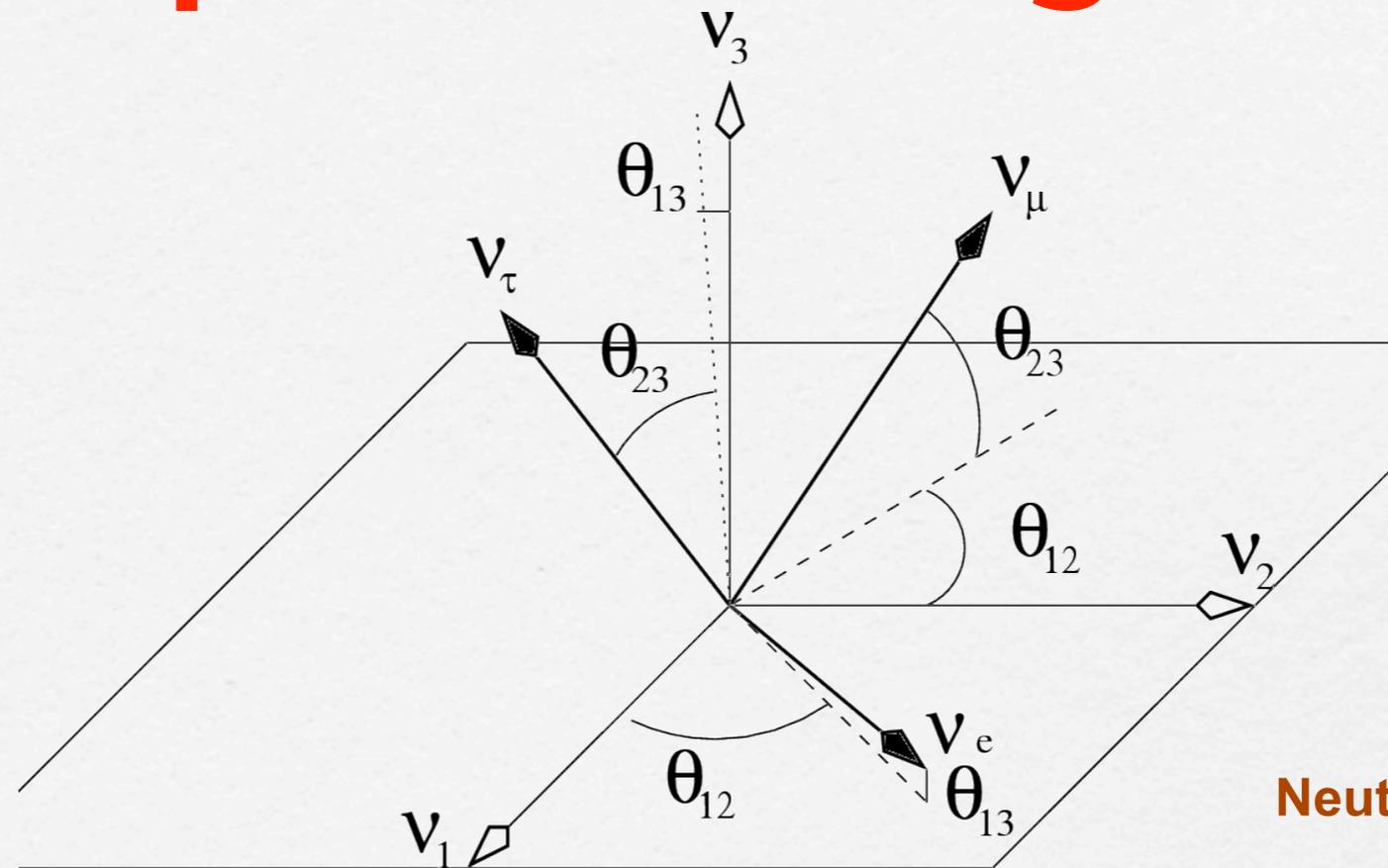
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PMNS Lepton mixing matrix

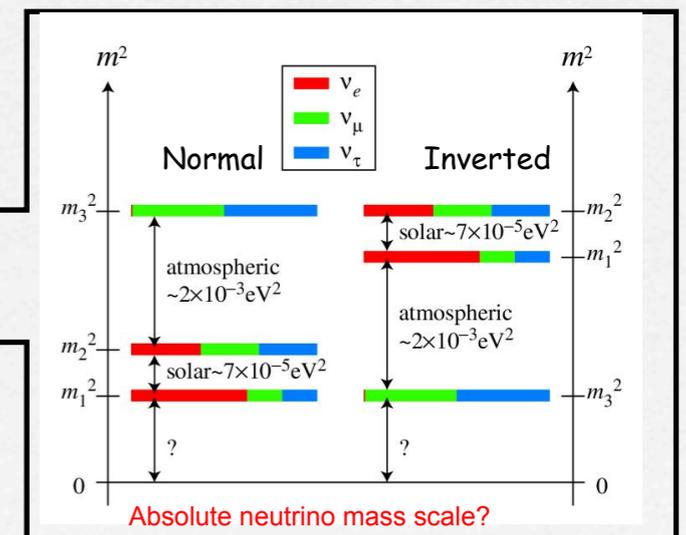
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Standard Model states

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ e^- \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\mu \\ \mu^- \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\tau \\ \tau^- \end{pmatrix}_L$$



Neutrino mass states



$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} U_{e1} & U_{e2} & U_{e3} \\ U_{\mu 1} & U_{\mu 2} & U_{\mu 3} \\ U_{\tau 1} & U_{\tau 2} & U_{\tau 3} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Absolute neutrino mass scale?

PMNS Lepton mixing matrix

$$U_{PMNS} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{23} & s_{23} \\ 0 & -s_{23} & c_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s_{13}e^{i\delta} & 0 & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} & s_{12} & 0 \\ -s_{12} & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\frac{\alpha_{21}}{2}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{i\frac{\alpha_{31}}{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

Atmospheric

Reactor

Solar

Majorana

$$= \begin{pmatrix} c_{12}c_{13} & s_{12}c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -s_{12}c_{23} - c_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{12}c_{23} - s_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & s_{23}c_{13} \\ s_{12}s_{23} - c_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & -c_{12}s_{23} - s_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{13} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\times \text{diag}(1, e^{i\alpha_{21}/2}, e^{i\alpha_{31}/2})$$

The 6 parameters measurable in neutrino oscillations:

- * The atmospheric mass squared difference Δm_{31}^2
- * The solar mass squared difference $\Delta m_{21}^2 = m_2^2 - m_1^2$
- * The atmospheric angle θ_{23}
- * The solar angle θ_{12}
- * The reactor angle θ_{13}
- * The CP violating phase δ

NuFIT 4.0 (2018)		Normal Ordering (best fit)	
		bfp $\pm 1\sigma$	3σ range
without SK atmospheric data	$\sin^2 \theta_{12}$	$0.310^{+0.013}_{-0.012}$	$0.275 \rightarrow 0.350$
	$\theta_{12}/^\circ$	$33.82^{+0.78}_{-0.76}$	$31.61 \rightarrow 36.27$
	$\sin^2 \theta_{23}$	$0.580^{+0.017}_{-0.021}$	$0.418 \rightarrow 0.627$
	$\theta_{23}/^\circ$	$49.6^{+1.0}_{-1.2}$	$40.3 \rightarrow 52.4$
	$\sin^2 \theta_{13}$	$0.02241^{+0.00065}_{-0.00065}$	$0.02045 \rightarrow 0.02439$
	$\theta_{13}/^\circ$	$8.61^{+0.13}_{-0.13}$	$8.22 \rightarrow 8.99$
	$\delta_{\text{CP}}/^\circ$	215^{+40}_{-29}	$125 \rightarrow 392$
	$\frac{\Delta m_{21}^2}{10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2}$	$7.39^{+0.21}_{-0.20}$	$6.79 \rightarrow 8.01$
	$\frac{\Delta m_{3\ell}^2}{10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2}$	$+2.525^{+0.033}_{-0.032}$	$+2.427 \rightarrow +2.625$

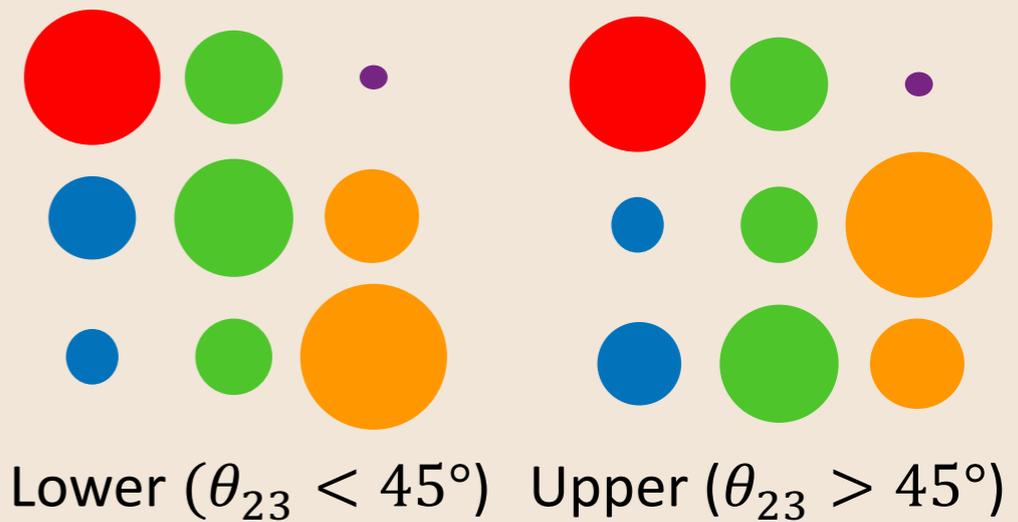
Inverted Ordering ($\Delta\chi^2 = 4.7$)

Open questions for neutrinos

Phill Litchfield

$$|U_{\text{PMNS}}|^2 \simeq \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 & \nu_2 & \nu_3 \\ \text{red} & \text{green} & \text{purple} \\ \text{blue} & \text{green} & \text{orange} \\ \text{blue} & \text{green} & \text{orange} \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{matrix}$$

Octant degeneracy

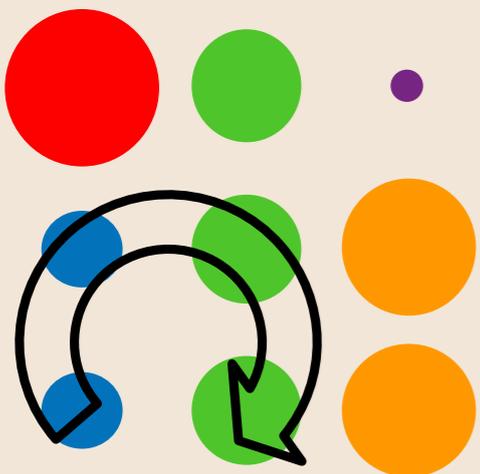


CP Violation

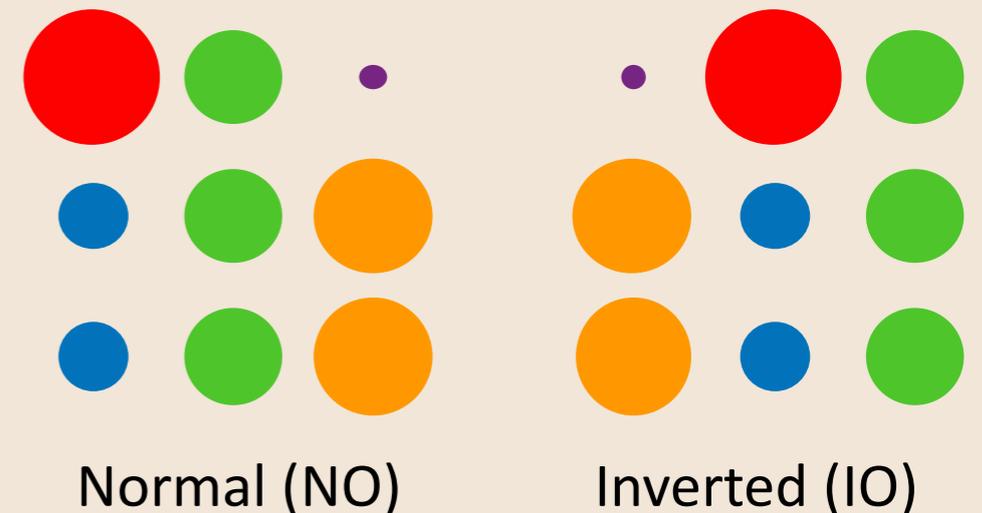
Complex mixing of these 4 elements causes

$$P(\nu_\alpha \rightarrow \nu_\beta) \neq P(\bar{\nu}_\alpha \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\beta)$$

Key parameter: δ_{CP}



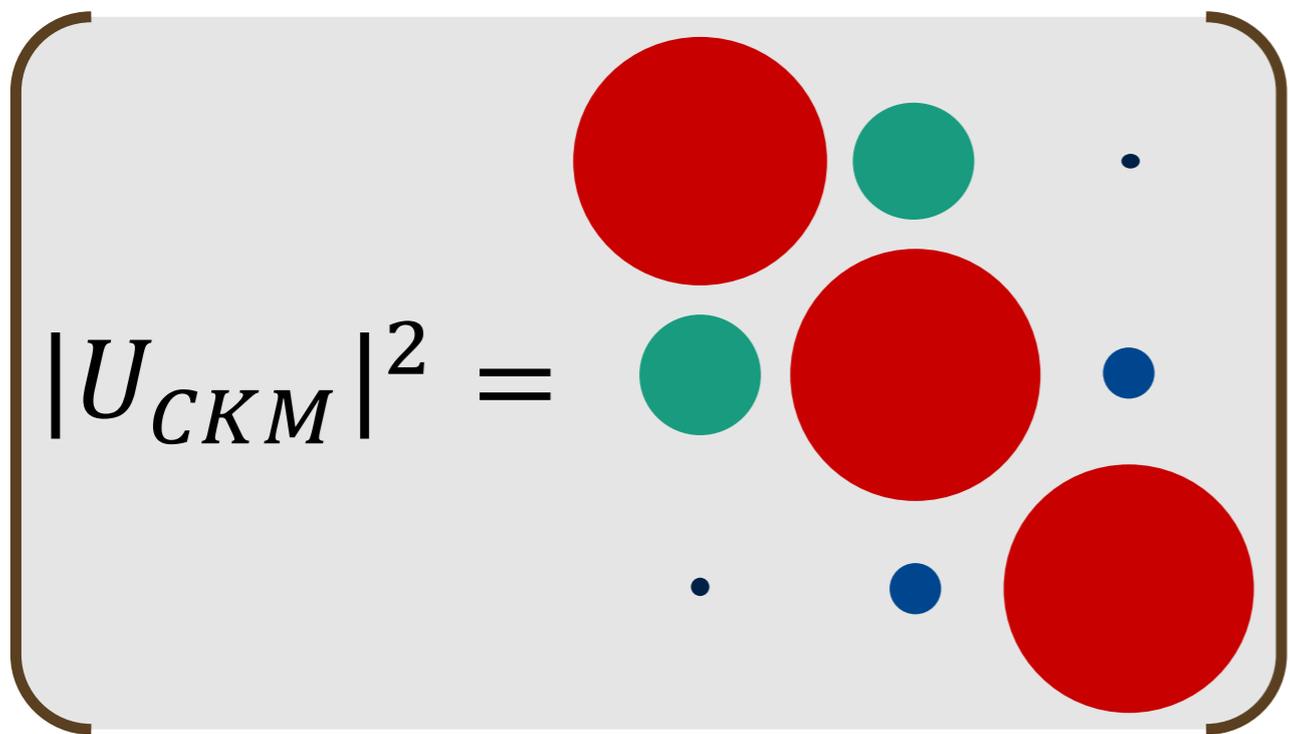
Mass Ordering (Hierarchy)



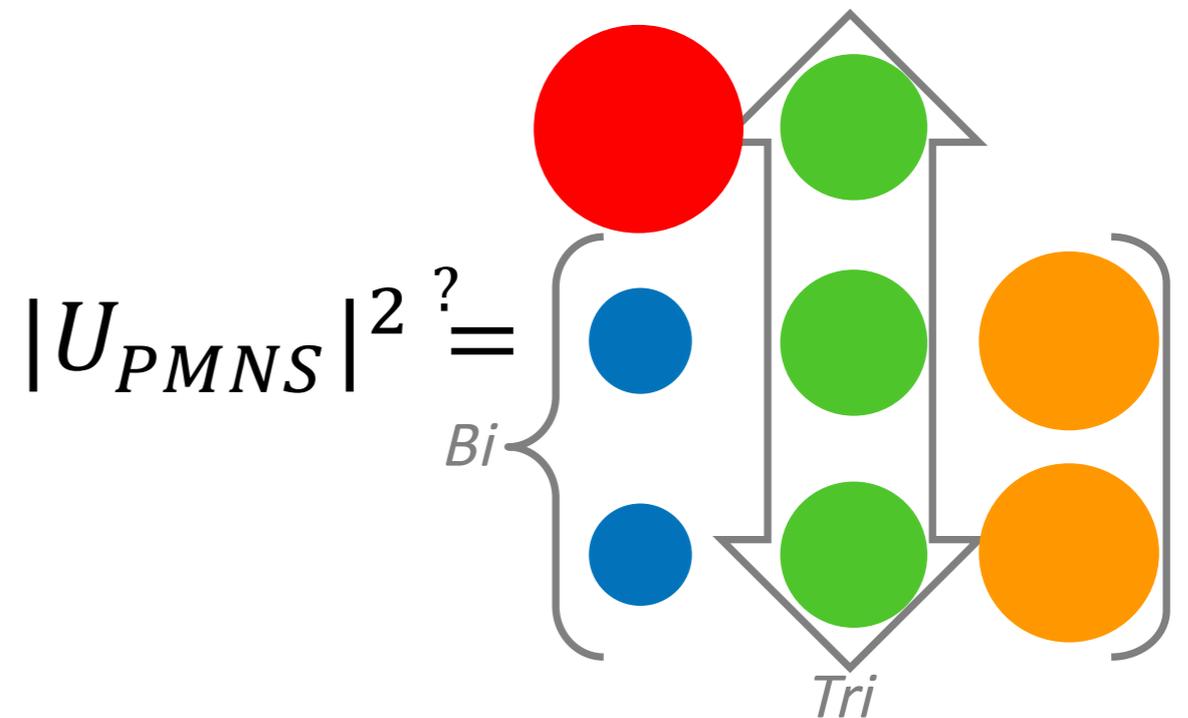
CKM vs Tri-bimaximal Mixing

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CKM Matrix

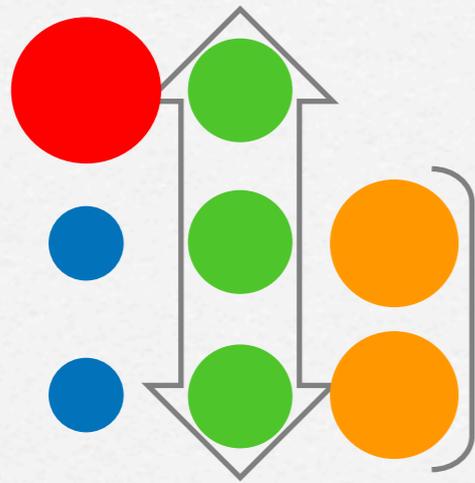


Tri-bimaximal Mixing



Tri-Bimaximal Mixing

P.F.Harrison, D.H.Perkins and W.G.Scott, hep-ph/0202074



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$$\sin \theta_{12} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Allowed at
3 sigma

$$\sin \theta_{23} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

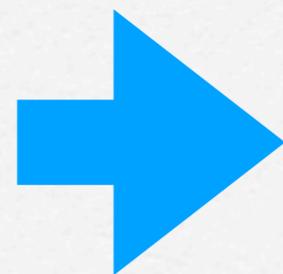
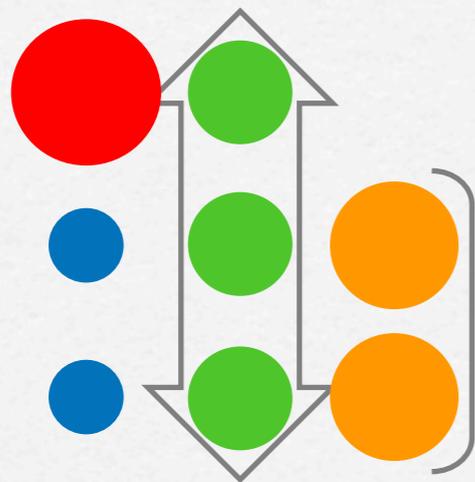
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$$\sin \theta_{13} = 0$$

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NuFIT 4.0 (2018)

Best Fit Preferences:

$$s_{12}^2 < \frac{1}{3}$$

$$s_{23}^2 > \frac{1}{2}$$

$$s_{13}^2 = 0.02241 \pm 0.00065$$

Charged lepton corrections

Charged lepton rotation

$$U_{\text{PMNS}} = \begin{pmatrix} c_{12}^e & s_{12}^e e^{-i\delta_{12}^e} & 0 \\ -s_{12}^e e^{i\delta_{12}^e} & c_{12}^e & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

Tri-bimaximal

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \dots & \dots & \frac{s_{12}^e}{\sqrt{2}} e^{-i\delta_{12}^e} \\ \dots & \dots & \frac{c_{12}^e}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

- Reactor angle generated
- Third row unchanged implies sum rules

Sum rules first derived and studied in: SFK hep-ph/0506297; S.Antusch, SFK hep-ph/0508044; S.Antusch, P.Huber, S.F.K and T.Schwetz, hep-ph/0702286; S.Antusch, S.F.K., M.Malinsky, 0711.4727
More recent detailed phenomenological analyses:

D.Marzocca, S.T.Petcov, A.Romanino and M.C.Sevilla, 1302.0423; S.T.Petcov 1405.6006;

P.Ballett, S.F.King, C.Luhn, S.Pascoli and M.A.Schmidt, 1410.7573

I.Girardi, S.T.Petcov and A.V.Titov, 1410.8056, 1504.00658, 1504.02402, 1605.04172, ...

For asymmetric texture without sum rule see: M.H.Rahat, P.Ramond, B.Xu, 1805.10684

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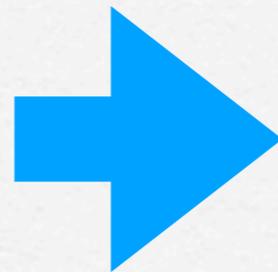
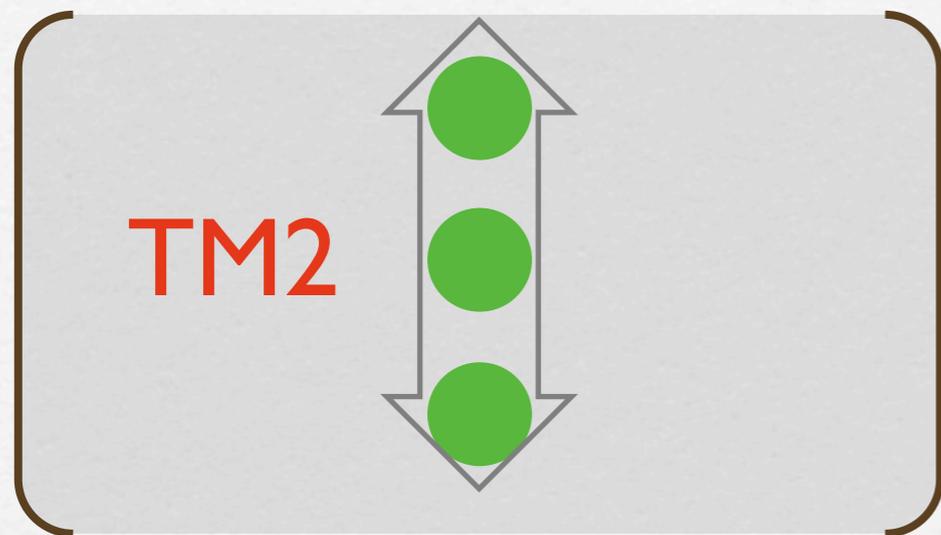
$$\rightarrow c_{23} c_{13} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \rightarrow s_{23}^2 < \frac{1}{2}$$

Not best fit

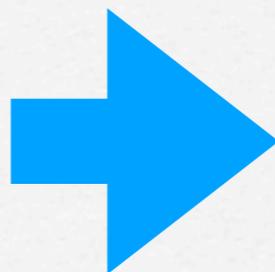
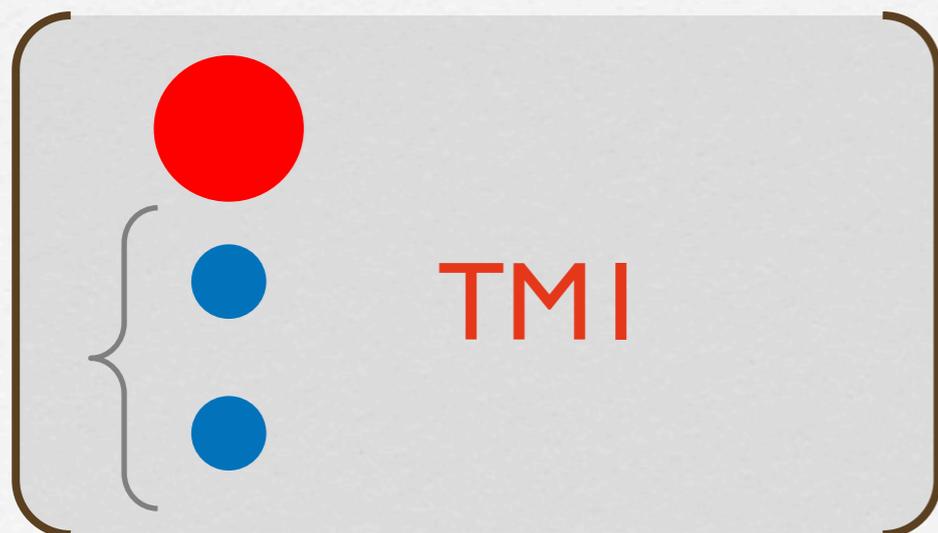
$$\frac{|U_{\tau 1}|}{|U_{\tau 2}|} = \frac{|s_{12} s_{23} - c_{12} s_{13} c_{23} e^{i\delta}|}{|-c_{12} s_{23} - s_{12} s_{13} c_{23} e^{i\delta}|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \rightarrow \cos \delta = \frac{t_{23} s_{12}^2 + s_{13}^2 c_{12}^2 / t_{23} - \frac{1}{3}(t_{23} + s_{13}^2 / t_{23})}{\sin 2\theta_{12} s_{13}}$$

Tri-maximal Mixing

C.H.Albright and W.Rodejohann, 0812.0436; C.H.Albright, A.Dueck and W.Rodejohann, 1004.2798



$$U_{\text{TM2}} \approx \begin{pmatrix} - & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & - \\ - & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & - \\ - & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & - \end{pmatrix}$$



$$U_{\text{TM1}} \approx \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} & - & - \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & - & - \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & - & - \end{pmatrix}$$

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 $\cos \delta = -\frac{\cot 2\theta_{23}(1 - 5s_{13}^2)}{2\sqrt{2}s_{13}\sqrt{1 - 3s_{13}^2}}$

Example of TM1 Mixing: The Littlest Seesaw

SFK 1304.6264; 1512.07531

$$\text{Case I: } M_\nu^{\text{I}} = \omega m_a \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + m_s \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 9 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\omega = e^{i2\pi/3}$

Two parameters
fits all neutrino
data with $m_1=0$

$$\text{Case II: } M_\nu^{\text{II}} = \omega^2 m_a \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + m_s \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

E.g. for $m_a/m_s=1$ gives Littlest mu-tau seesaw

S.F.K. and C.C.Nishi, 1807.00023

$$\text{Case I: } M_\nu = m_s \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 9 + 11\omega & 3 + 11\omega \\ 1 & 3 + 11\omega & 1 + 11\omega \end{pmatrix},$$

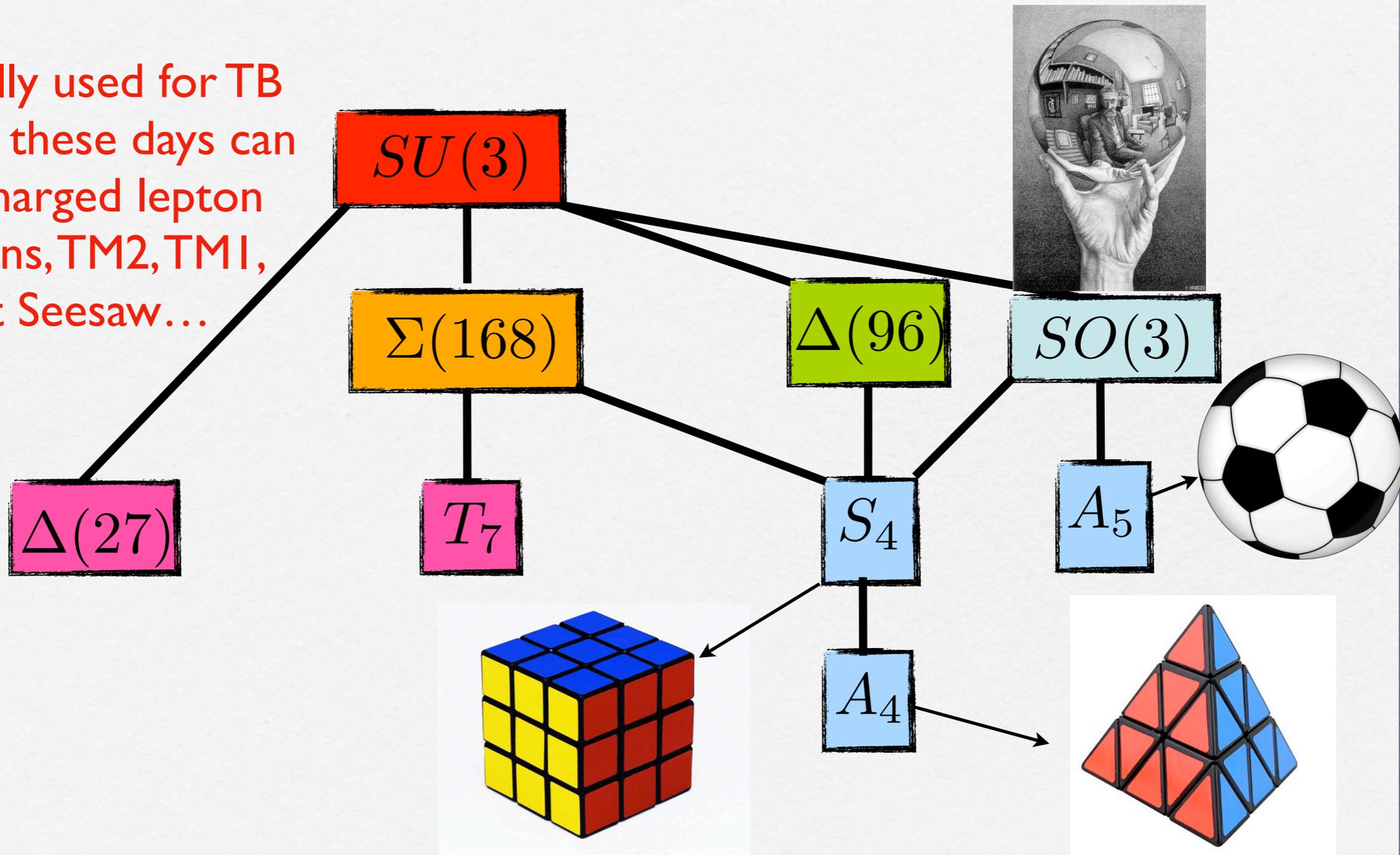
Maximal atmospheric
Maximal CPV

$$\text{Case II: } M_\nu = m_s \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 + 11\omega^2 & 3 + 11\omega^2 \\ 3 & 3 + 11\omega^2 & 9 + 11\omega^2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

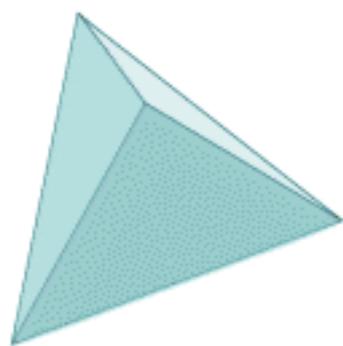
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Family Symmetry

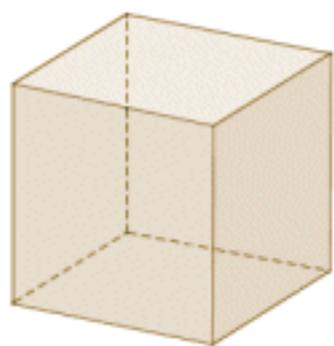
Traditionally used for TB mixing, but these days can explain charged lepton corrections, TM2, TMI, Littlest Seesaw...



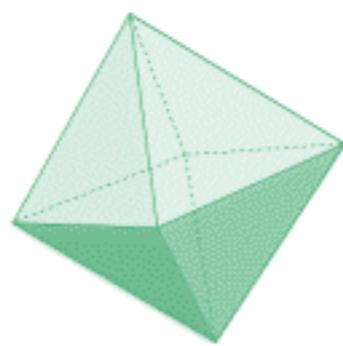
Platonic Solids



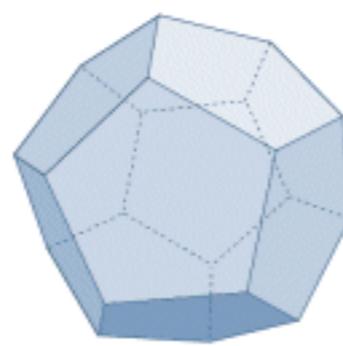
Tetrahedron



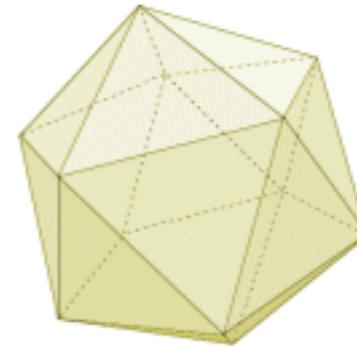
Hexahedron



Octahedron



Dodecahedron



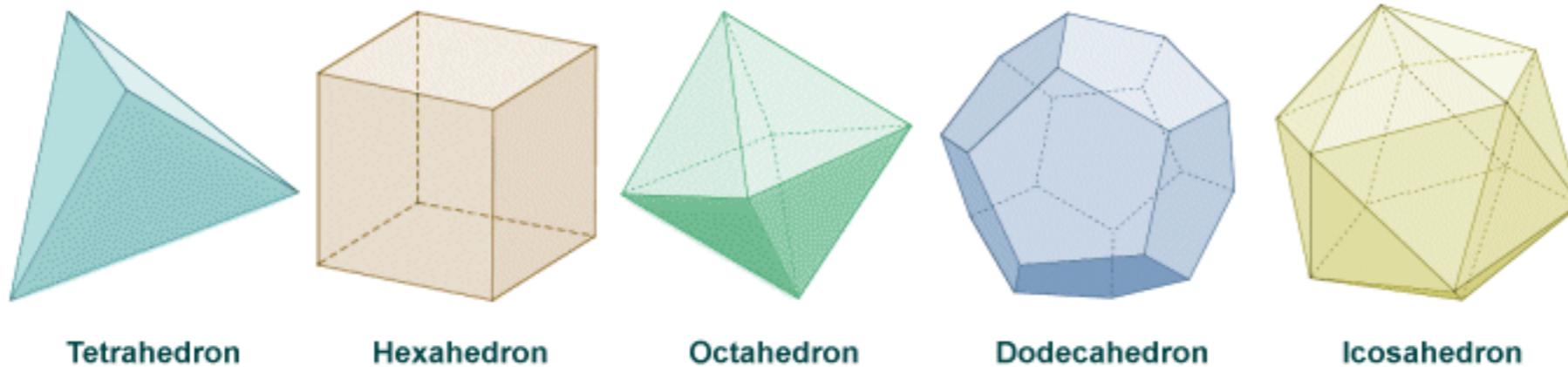
Icosahedron

solid	faces	vertices	Plato	Group
tetrahedron	4	4	fire	A_4
octahedron	8	6	air	S_4
icosahedron	20	12	water	A_5
hexahedron	6	8	earth	S_4
dodecahedron	12	20	?	A_5

Plato's fire
A4 can explain
Tri-bimaximal
Mixing

E.Ma and G.Rajasekaran,
hep-ph/0106291;
K.S.Babu, E.Ma, J.W.F.Valle,
hep-ph/0206292;
G.Altarelli and F.Feruglio,
hep-ph/0504165, hep-ph/0512103

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Plato's water
 A_5 can explain
 Golden Ratio
 Mixing

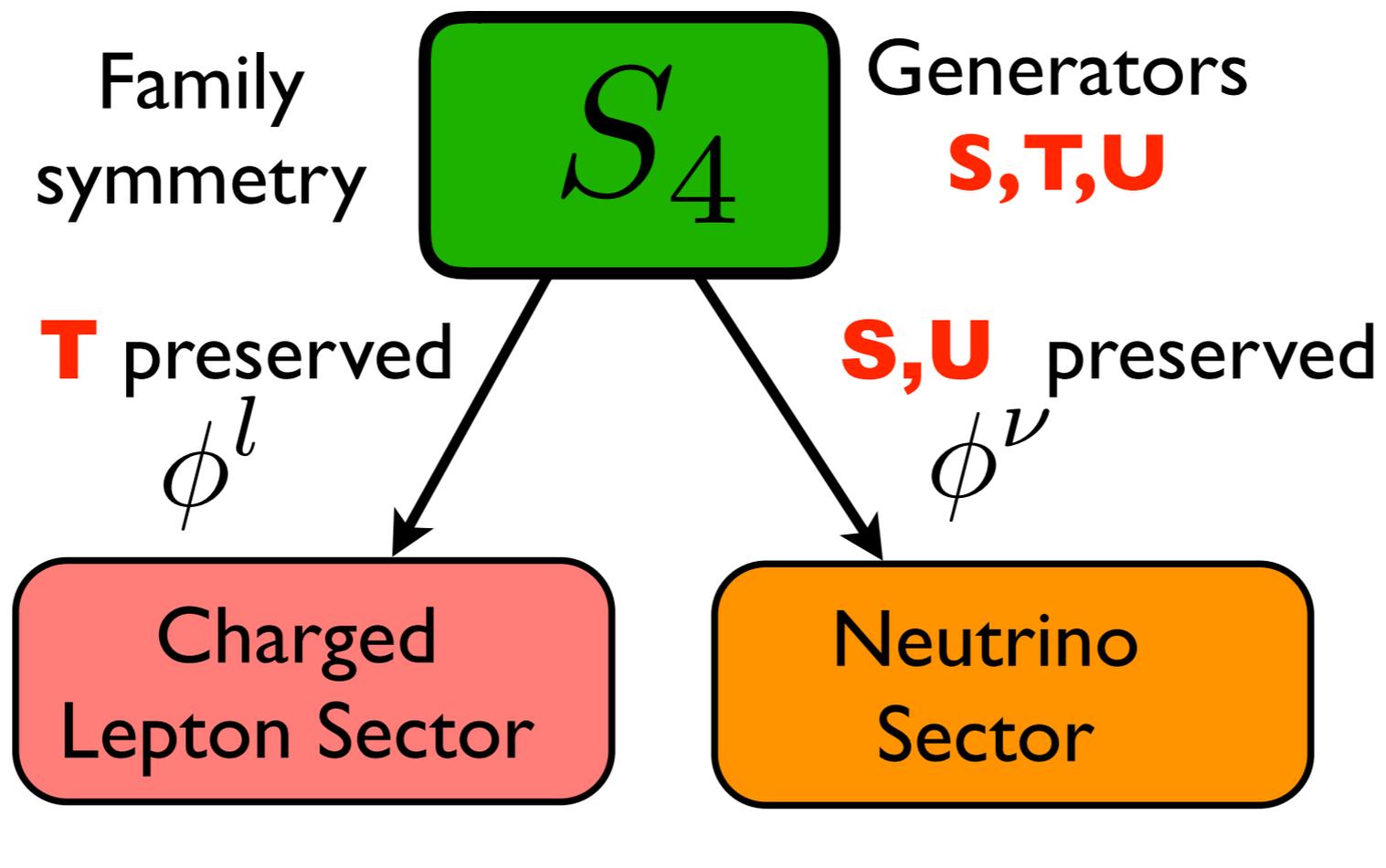
A. Datta, F. S. Ling, P. Ramond, hep-ph/0306002;
 L. L. Everett and A. J. Stuart, 0812.1057;
 F. Feruglio and A. Paris, 1101.0393.

A₄ and S₄ Group Theory

S_4	A_4	S	T	U
$1, 1'$	1	1	1	± 1
2	$\begin{pmatrix} 1'' \\ 1' \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} \omega & 0 \\ 0 & \omega^2 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
$3, 3'$	3	$\frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \omega \end{pmatrix}$	$\mp \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Diagonalised by TB matrix

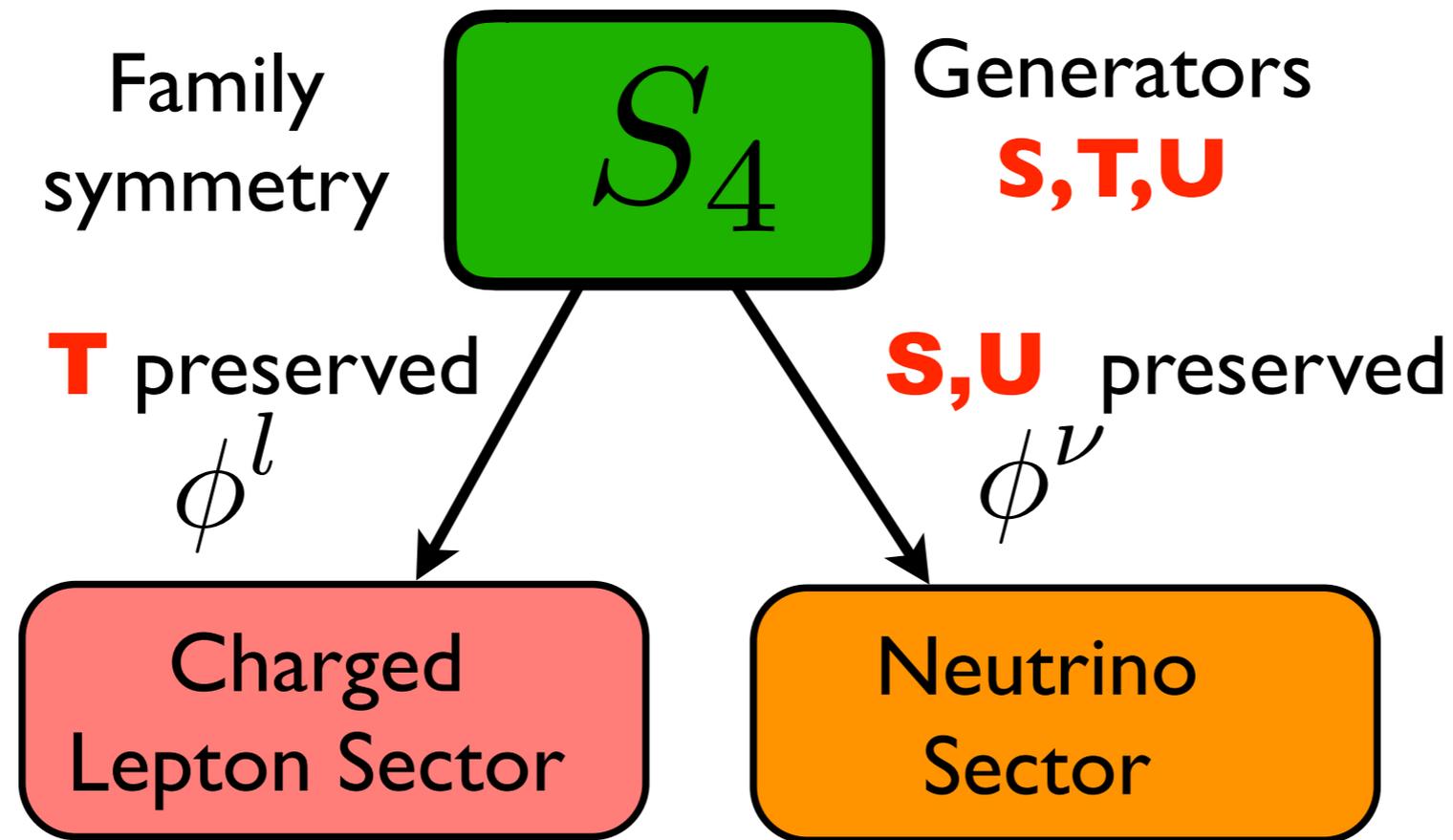
Tri-bimaximal mixing from S_4



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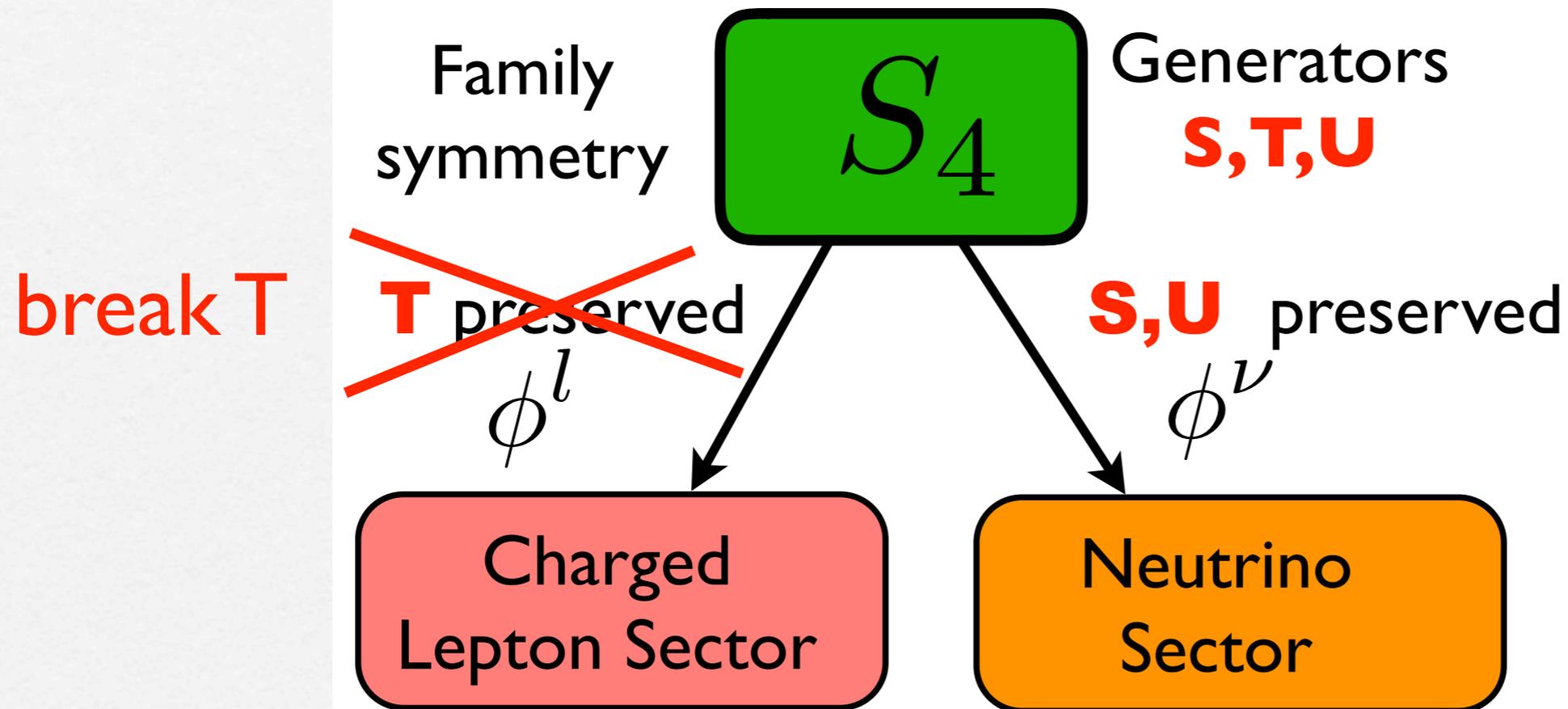
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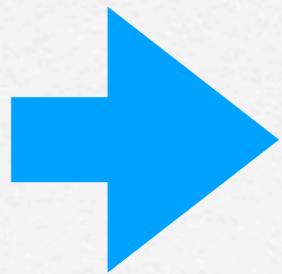
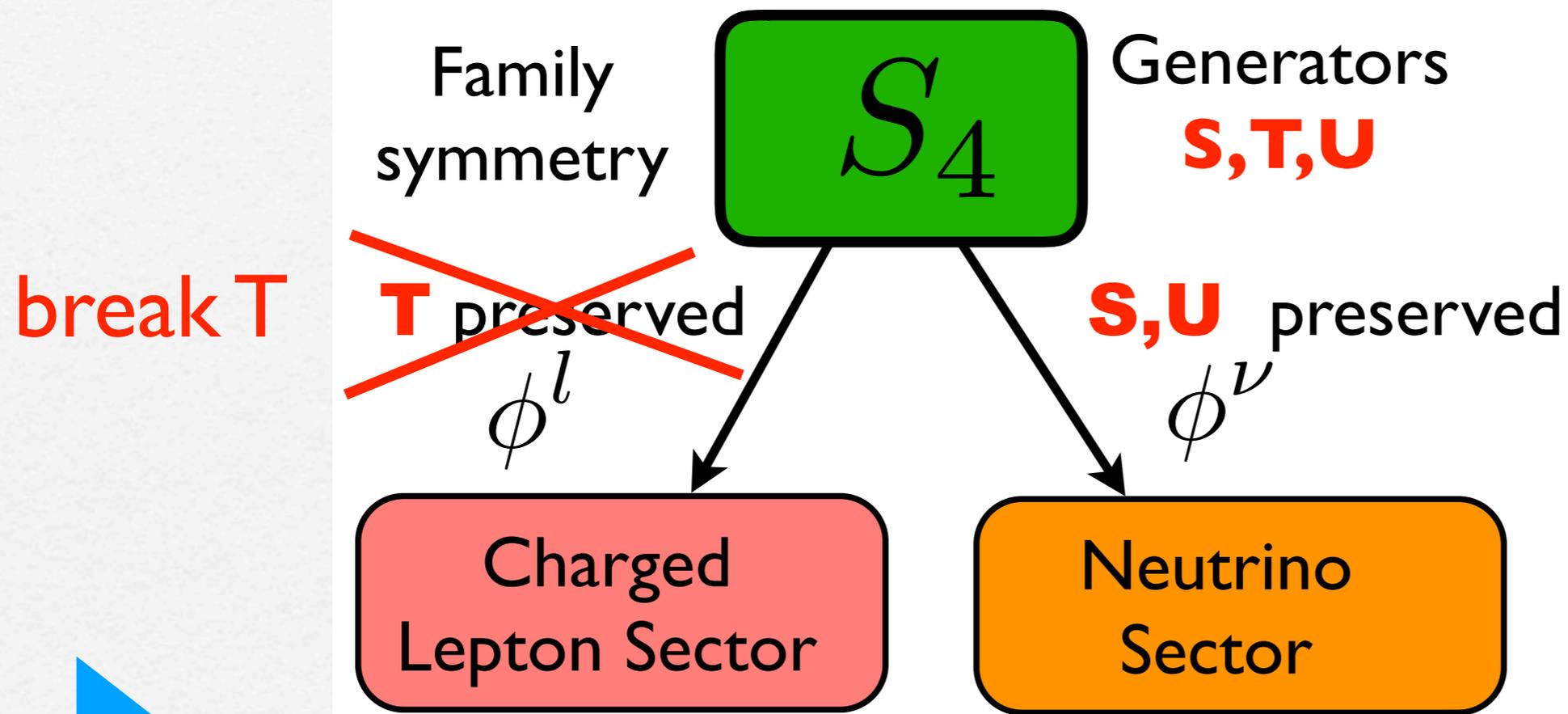
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TB mixing
excluded
so need to
break S, T, U

Tri-bimaximal mixing from S_4



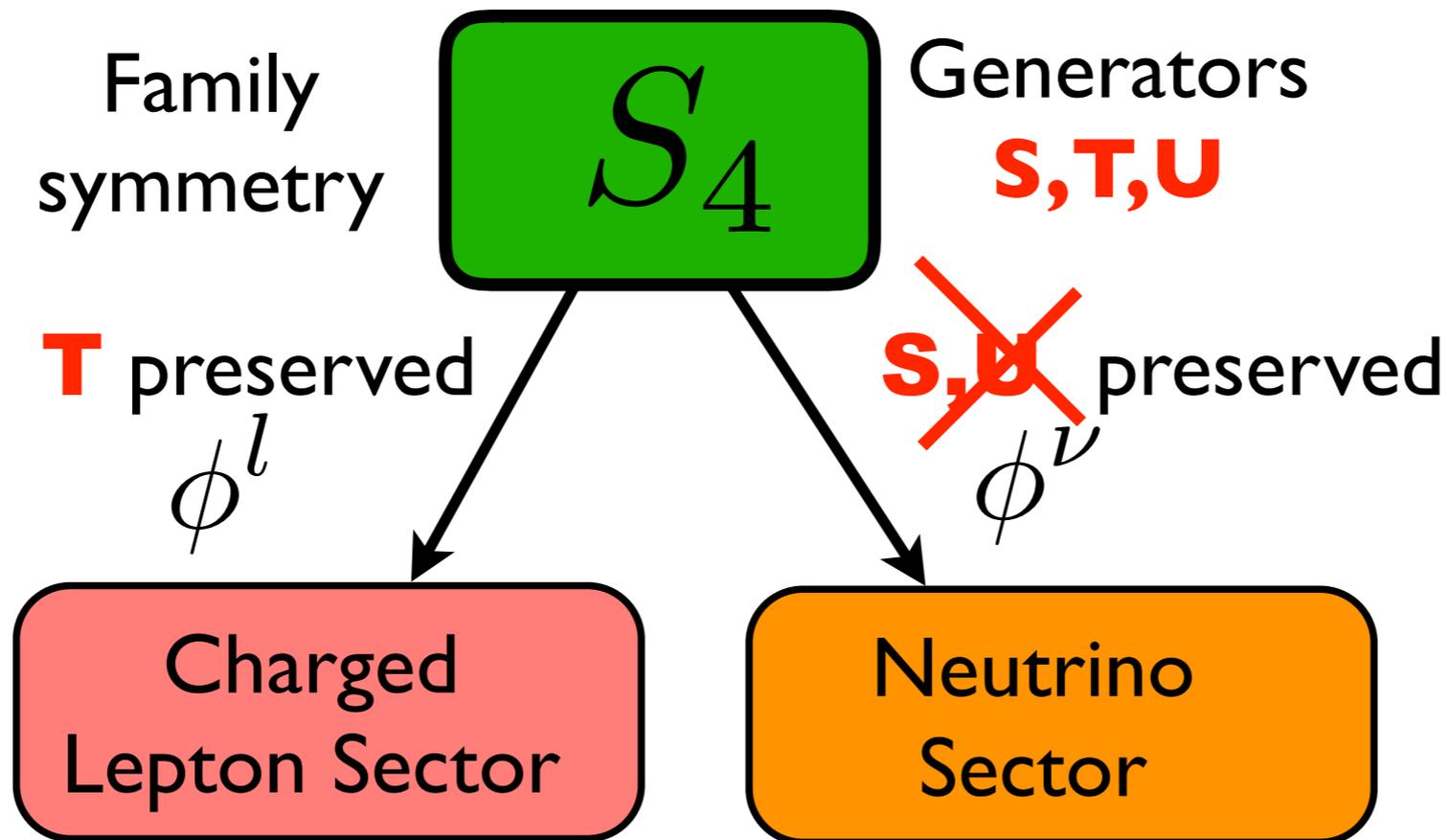
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$$U_{\text{PMNS}} = \begin{pmatrix} c_{12}^e & s_{12}^e e^{-i\delta_{12}^e} & 0 \\ -s_{12}^e e^{i\delta_{12}^e} & c_{12}^e & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

Charged lepton rotation

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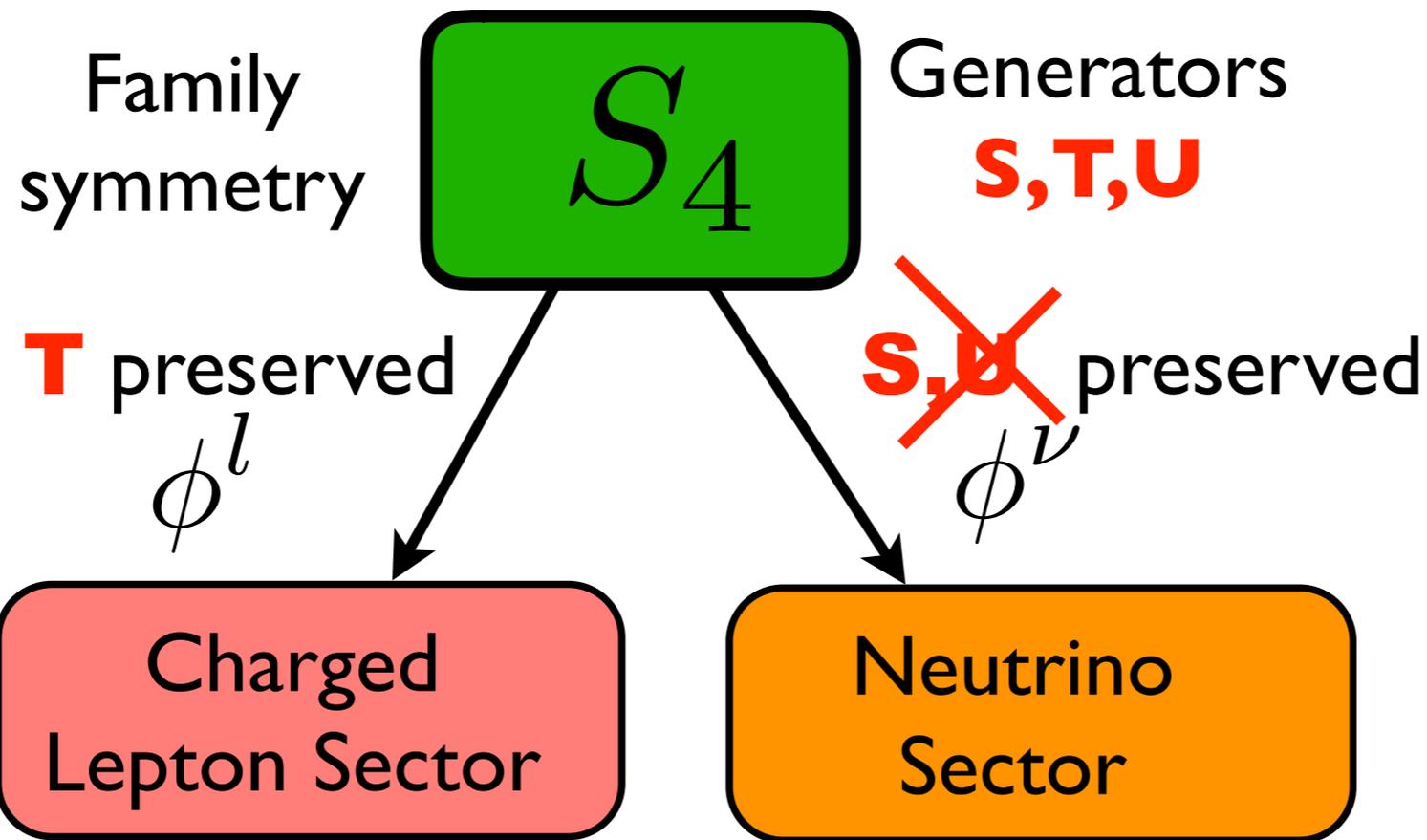


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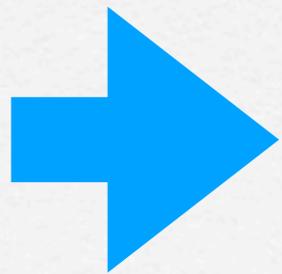
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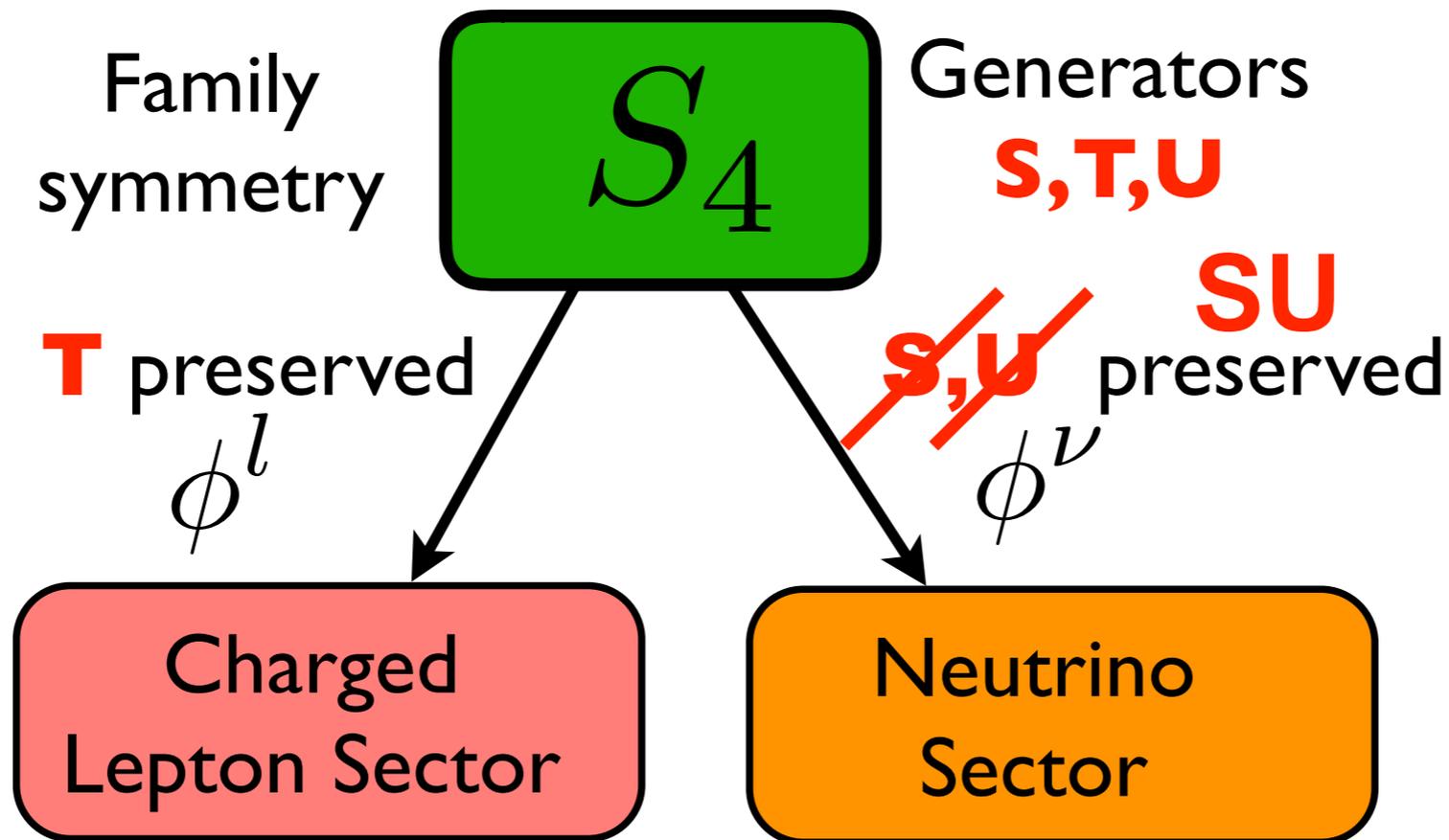
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$$U_{\text{TM2}} \approx \begin{pmatrix} - & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & - \\ - & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & - \\ - & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & - \end{pmatrix}$$

TM2 as A_4
with just
 S and T

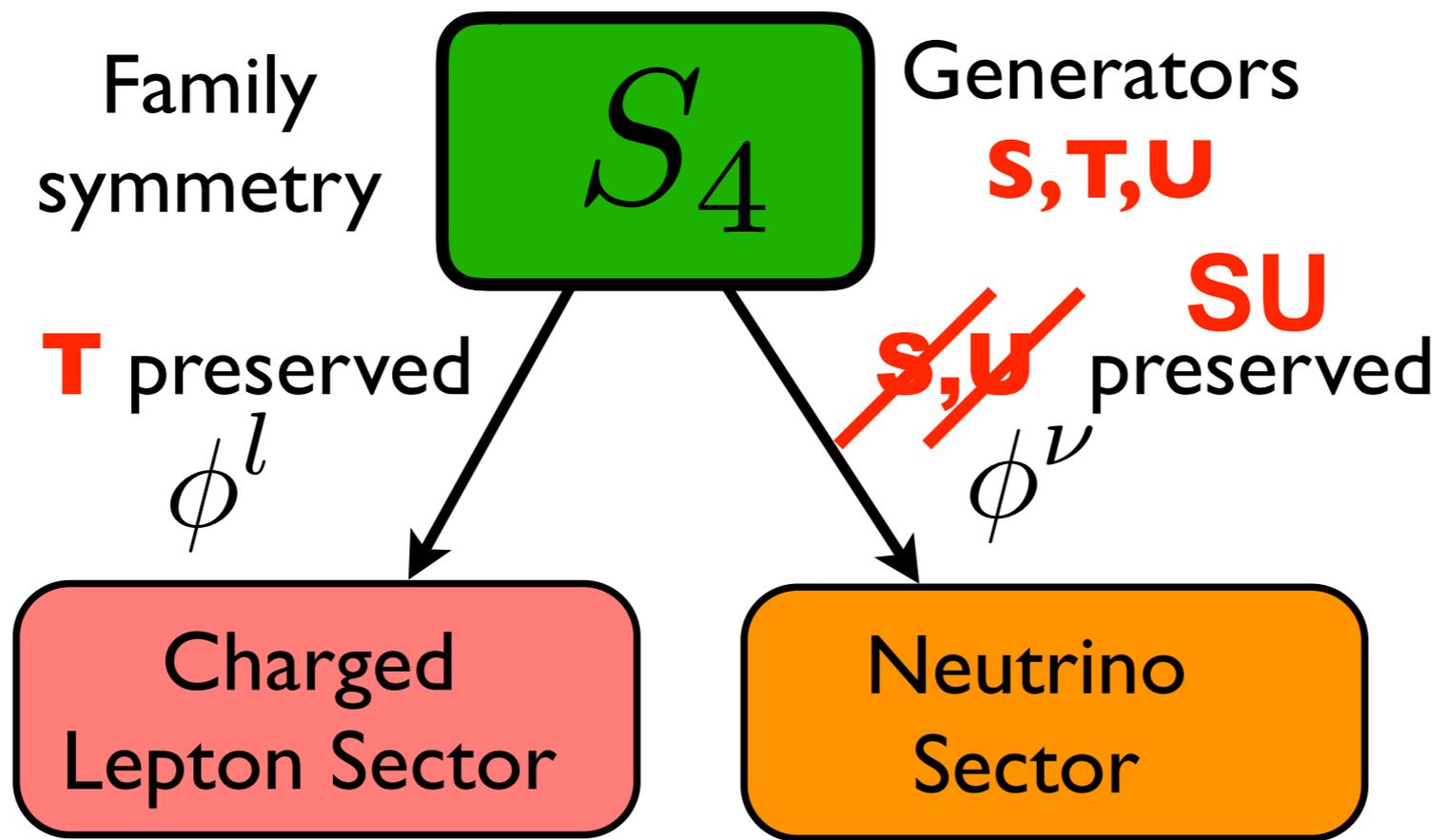
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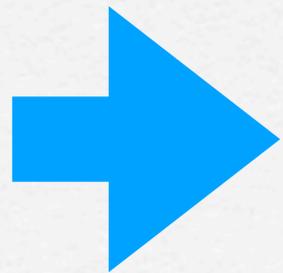
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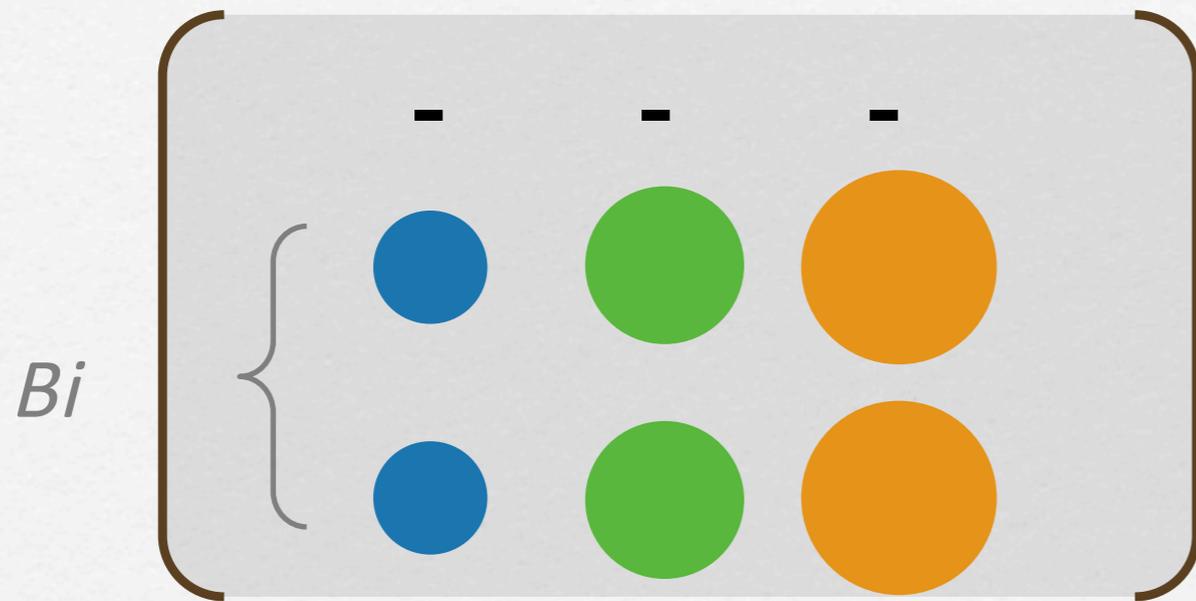


$$U_{\text{TM1}} \approx \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} & - & - \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & - & - \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & - & - \end{pmatrix}$$

TM1 with
 SU and T

D.Hernandez and A.Y.Smirnov
1204.0445, 1212.2149, 1304.7738;
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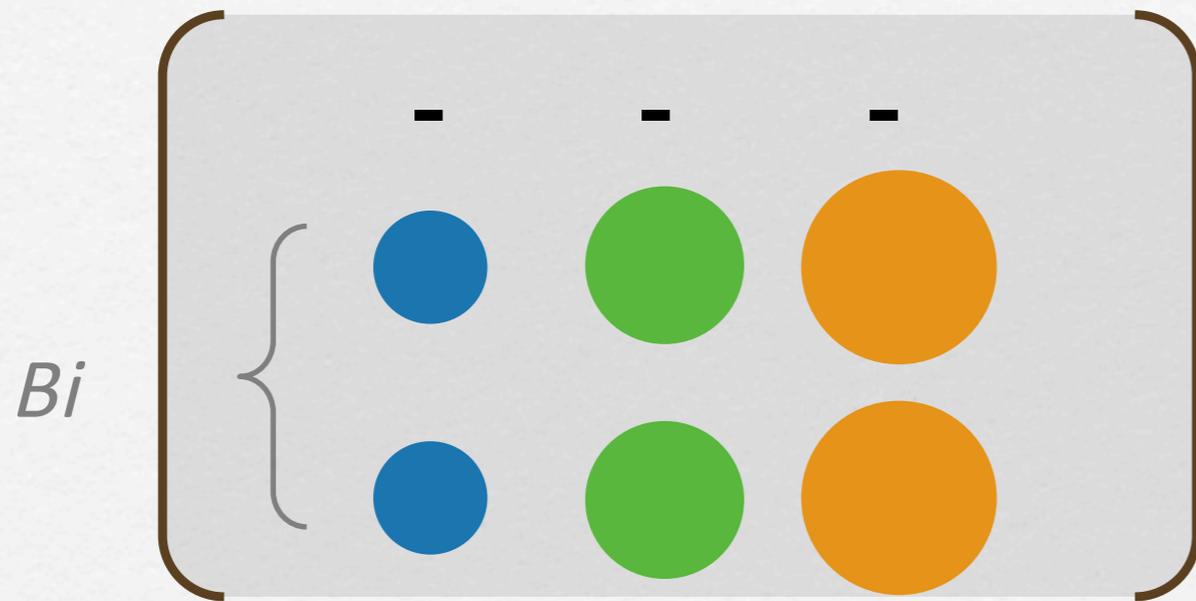
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Generalisation of:
Mu-tau reflection
symmetry

P.F.Harrison and W.G.Scott, hep-ph/0210197

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Can arise from:

$$M_\nu = \begin{pmatrix} a & d & d^* \\ d & c & b \\ d^* & b & c^* \end{pmatrix}$$

W.Grimus and L.Lavoura, hep-ph/0305309

More general examples:

H.J.He, W.Rodejohann and X.J.Xu, 1507.03541

A.S.Joshipura and K.M.Patel, 1507.01235

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S.F.K. and C.C.Nishi, 1807.00023

$$M_\nu = m_s \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 + 11\omega^2 & 3 + \omega^2 \\ 3 & 3 + 11\omega^2 & 9 + 11\omega^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

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TMI

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Renormalisation Group Corrections

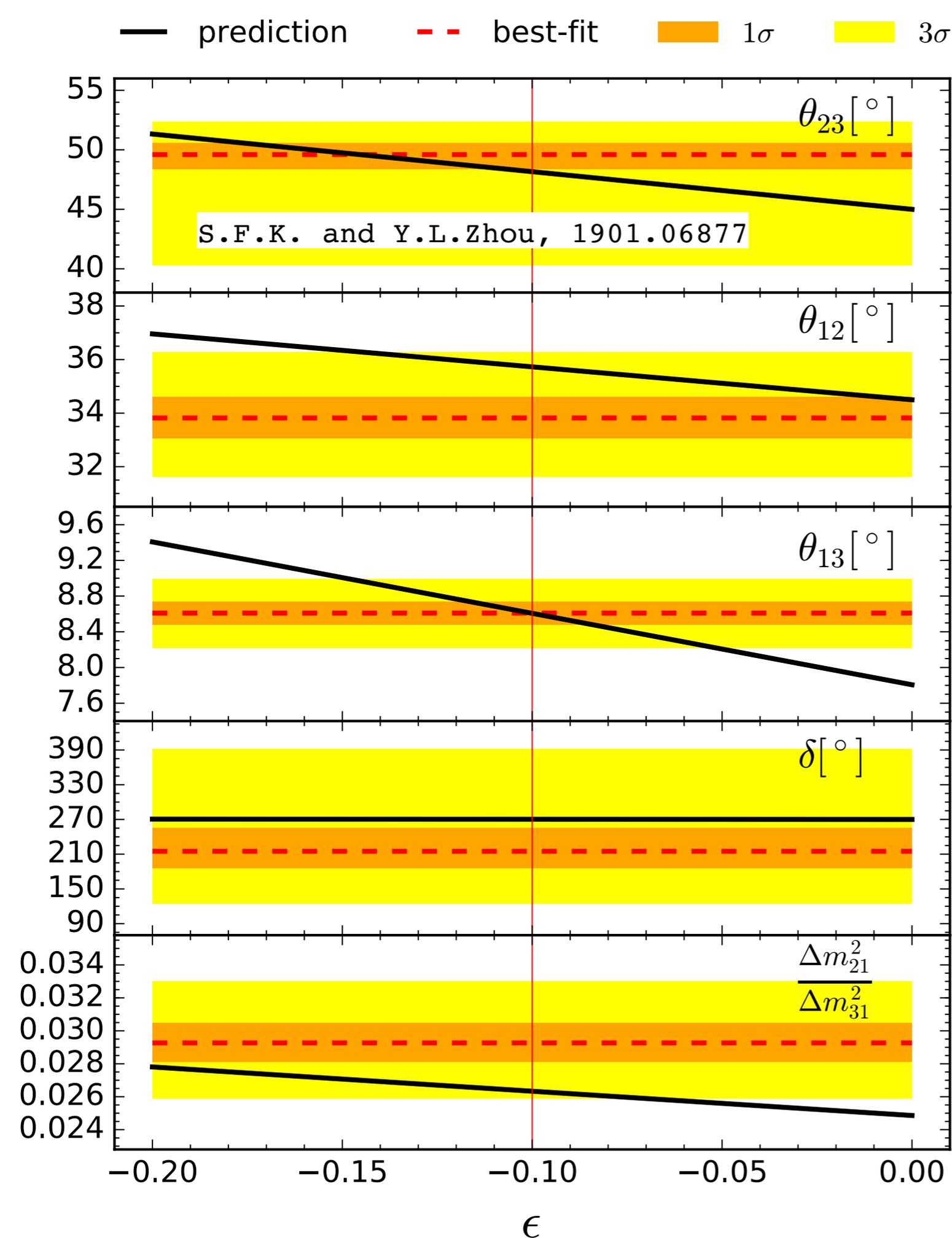
$$\theta_{13} \approx 7.807^\circ - 8.000^\circ \epsilon,$$

$$\theta_{12} \approx 34.50^\circ - 12.30^\circ \epsilon,$$

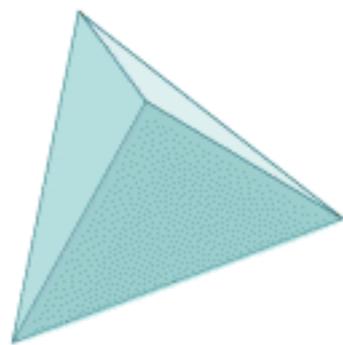
$$\theta_{23} \approx 45.00^\circ - 31.64^\circ \epsilon,$$

$$\delta \approx 270.00^\circ + 3.23^\circ \epsilon,$$

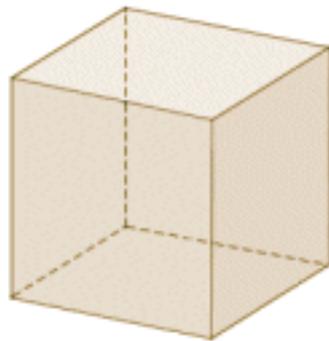
$$\Delta m_{21}^2 / \Delta m_{31}^2 \approx 0.0247 - 0.0147 \epsilon$$



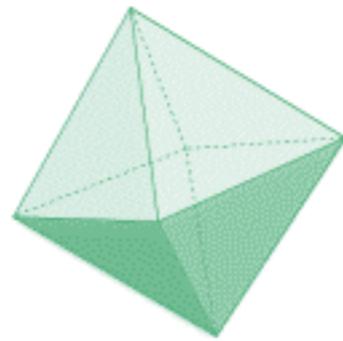
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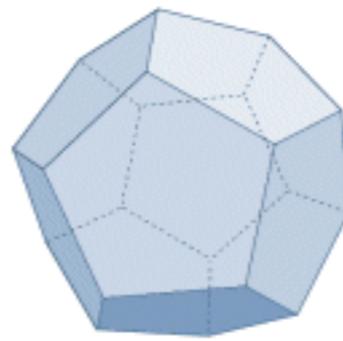
Tetrahedron



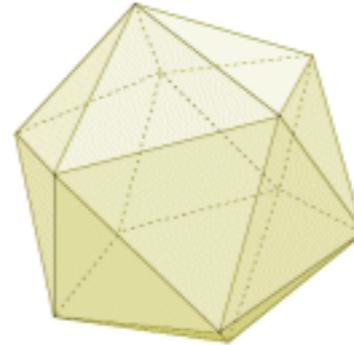
Hexahedron



Octahedron



Dodecahedron



Icosahedron

solid	faces	vertices	Plato	Group
tetrahedron	4	4	fire	A_4
octahedron	8	6	air	S_4
icosahedron	20	12	water	A_5
hexahedron	6	8	earth	S_4
dodecahedron	12	20	?	A_5

- Two possibilities:
- From gauge group e.g. $SU(3)$ or $SO(3)$
 - From extra dimensions e.g. string theory

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		$SO(3)$	$SO(2)$	A_4
			$SO(3)$	Z_3
				D_4
				$SO(2)$
				$SO(3)$

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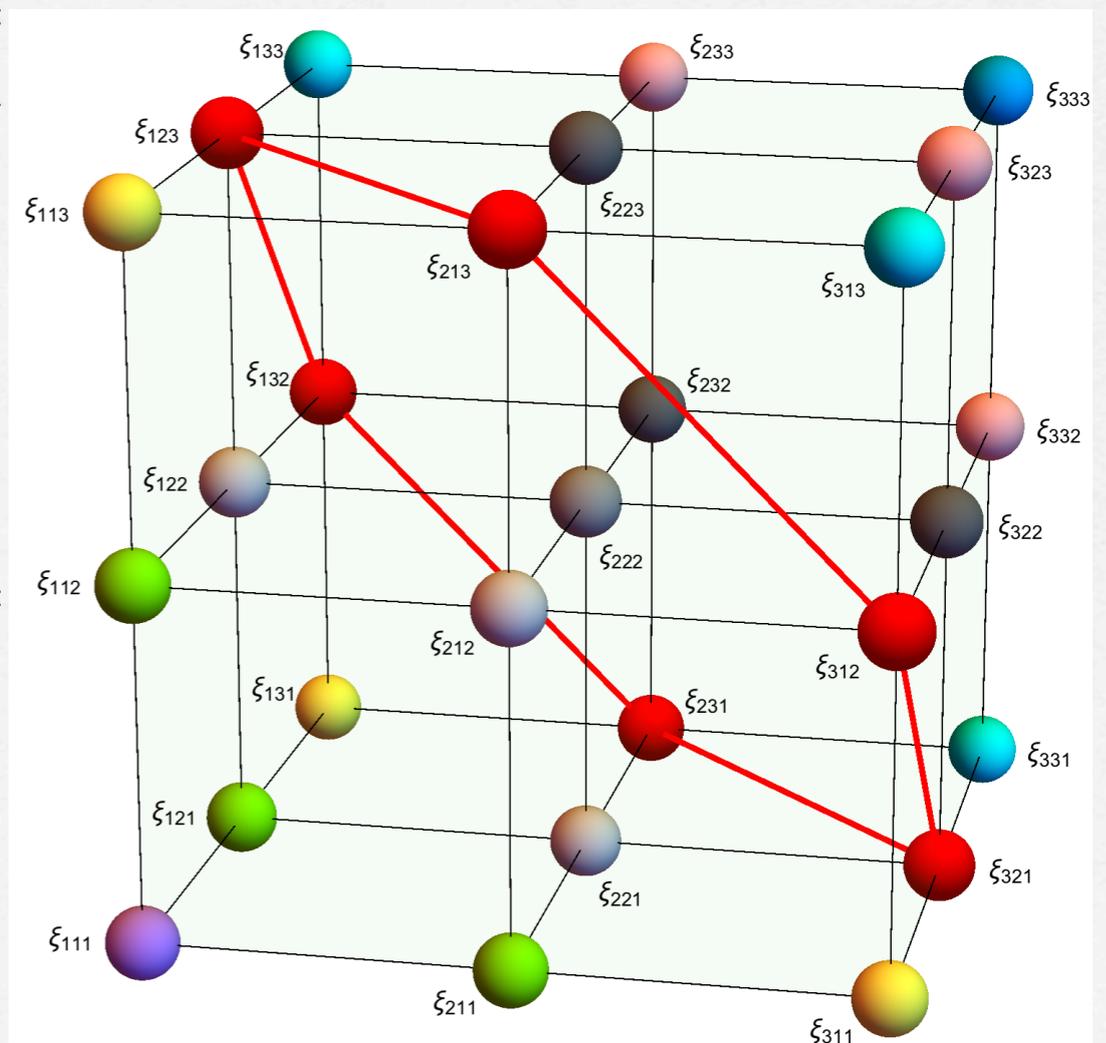
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A_4 preserving direction of **7-plet** VEV

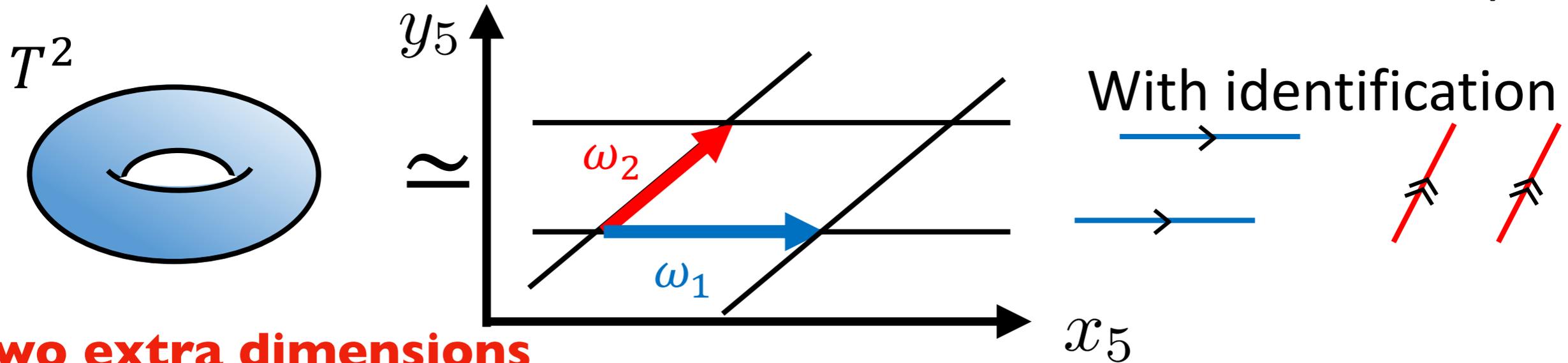
$$\langle \xi_{123} \rangle \equiv \frac{v_\xi}{\sqrt{6}}, \quad \langle \xi_{111} \rangle = \langle \xi_{112} \rangle = \langle \xi_{113} \rangle = \langle \xi_{133} \rangle = \langle \xi_{233} \rangle = \langle \xi_{333} \rangle = 0$$



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Possibility 2: Extra dimensions (string theory)

The structure of a torus $T^2 \simeq$ The structure of a lattice on \mathbb{C} -plane

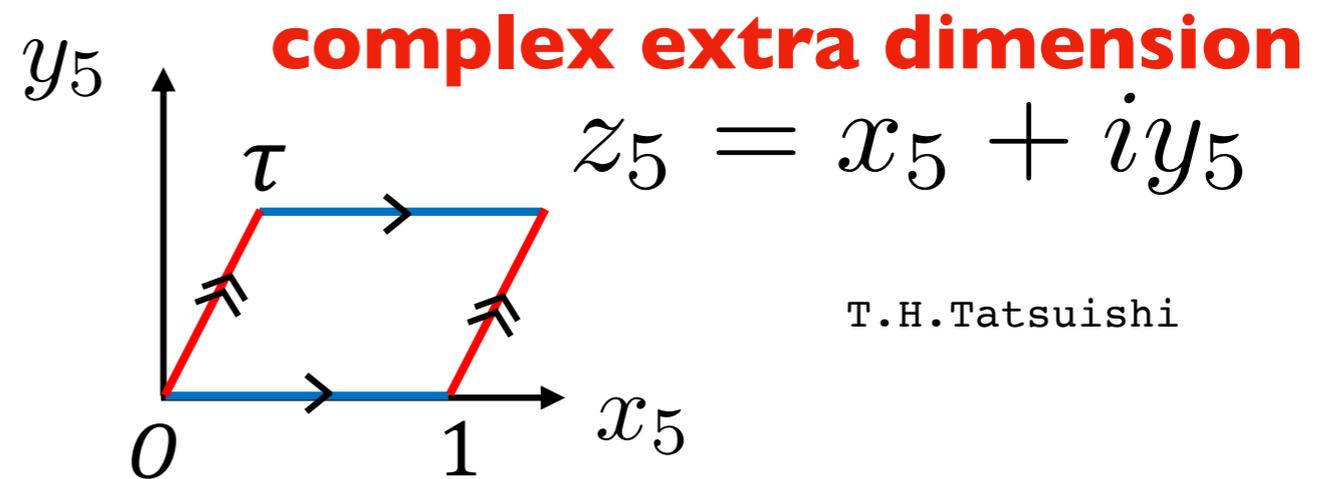


two extra dimensions compactified on torus

Without loss of generality,

$$(\omega_1, \omega_2) \rightarrow \left(1, \frac{\omega_2}{\omega_1}\right) \equiv (1, \tau)$$

modulus



T.H. Tatsuishi

G. Altarelli and F. Feruglio, hep-ph/0512103

R. de Adelhart Toorop, F. Feruglio and C. Hagedorn, 1112.1340

F. Feruglio, 1706.08749; J. C. Criado and F. Feruglio, 1807.01125; J. T. Penedo and S. T. Petcov 1806.11040;

P. P. Novichkov, J. T. Penedo, S. T. Petcov and A. V. Titov, 1811.04933, 1812.02158;

T. Kobayashi, K. Tanaka and T. H. Tatsuishi, 1803.10391; F. de Anda, S. F. K., E. Perdomo, 1812.05620

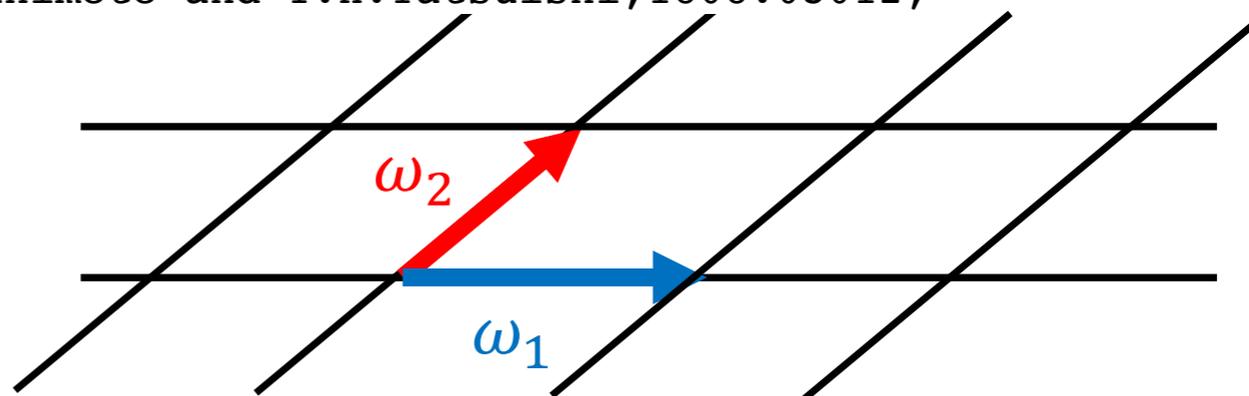
T. Kobayashi, N. Omoto, Y. Shimizu, K. Takagi, M. Tanimoto and T. H. Tatsuishi, 1808.03012;

G. J. Ding, S. F. King and X. G. Liu, 1903.12588

There are two independent
lattice invariant transformations.

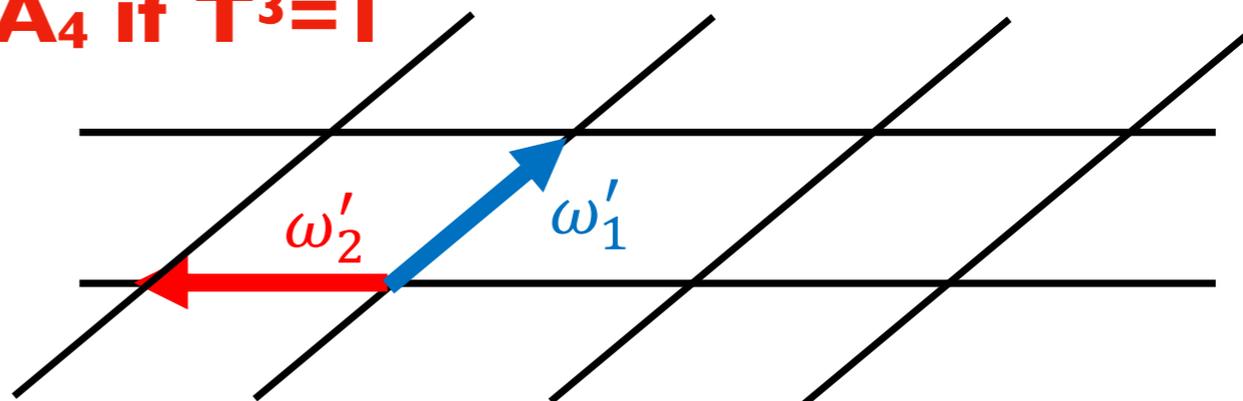
Modular Symmetry:

E.g. S, T are generators
of A_4 if $T^3 = I$



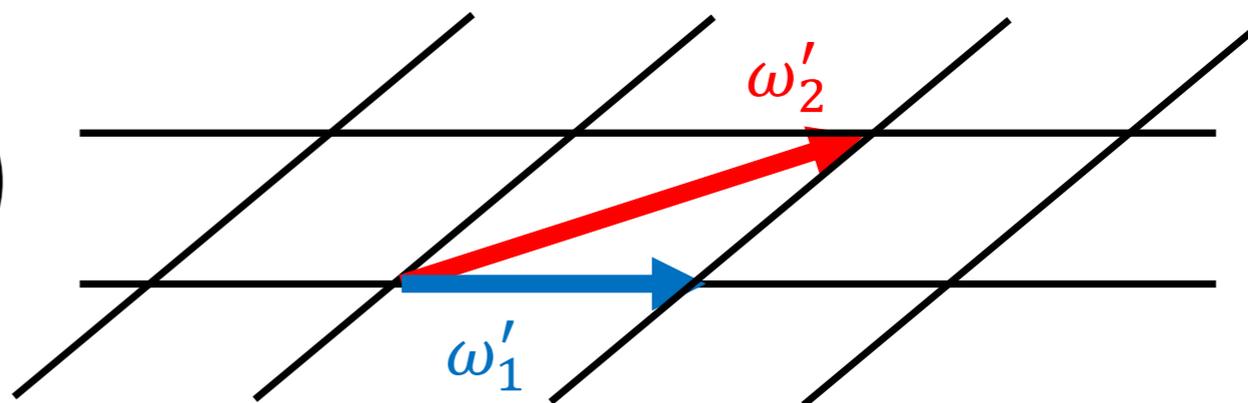
S -transformation

$$\begin{pmatrix} \omega'_1 \\ \omega'_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \omega_2 \\ -\omega_1 \end{pmatrix}$$



T -transformation

$$\begin{pmatrix} \omega'_1 \\ \omega'_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 + \omega_1 \end{pmatrix}$$



Yukawa couplings involving twisted states whose modular weights do not add up to zero are modular forms

F.Feruglio, 1706.08749

E.g. Weight 2 Y acts as A_4 triplet:

$$q \equiv e^{i2\pi\tau}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Y_1(\tau) &= 1 + 12q + 36q^2 + 12q^3 + \dots \\ Y_2(\tau) &= -6q^{1/3}(1 + 7q + 8q^2 + \dots) \\ Y_3(\tau) &= -18q^{2/3}(1 + 2q + 5q^2 + \dots) \end{aligned}$$

Weinberg operator $\frac{1}{\Lambda} (H_u H_u \quad LL \quad Y) \rightarrow m_\nu = \begin{pmatrix} 2Y_1 & -Y_3 & -Y_2 \\ -Y_3 & 2Y_2 & -Y_1 \\ -Y_2 & -Y_1 & 2Y_3 \end{pmatrix} \frac{v_u^2}{\Lambda}$

$A_4: \quad 3 \quad 3 \quad 3$

Neutrino mass matrix depends on the complex modulus

E.g. Weight 6 $\tau = \omega$ gives mu-tau $Y = (-1, 2\omega, 2\omega^2)$

F.de Anda, S.F.K., E.Perdomo, 1812.05620

Conclusions

- Most parameters well measured in oscillation experiments...but...CP phase, octant, ordering?
Also: Dirac or Majorana? Absolute masses?
- TB mixing explained by S_4 ...excluded by reactor angle...but... S_4 violations allow: charged lepton corrections, or TM1, TM2, with testable sum rules
- Mu-tau symmetry predicts $\theta_{23} = 45^\circ$, $\delta = -90^\circ$
Littlest mu-tau seesaw...one parameter...wow!
- Origin of Plato's symmetry: $SO(3)$ or extra dims?