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# Electromagnetic neutrino properties: New constraints and new effects

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# Outline (1)

① (short) review of  $\nu$  electromagnetic properties

② experimental constraints

on  $\mu_\nu$ ,  $q_\nu$  and  $\langle r_\nu^2 \rangle$

magnetic moment      millicharge      charge radius

Particle Data Group  
Review of Particle Properties (2014-2018)  
update of 2019

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## Neutrino electromagnetic interactions: A window to new physics

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A review is given of the theory and phenomenology of neutrino electromagnetic interactions, which provide powerful tools to probe the physics beyond the standard model. After a derivation of the general structure of the electromagnetic interactions of Dirac and Majorana neutrinos in the one-photon approximation, the effects of neutrino electromagnetic interactions in terrestrial experiments and in astrophysical environments are discussed. The experimental bounds on neutrino electromagnetic properties are presented and the predictions of theories beyond the standard model are confronted.

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+ upgrade: Studenikin,  
electromagnetic interactions:  
A window to new physics – II,  
arXiv: 1801.18887

# Outline (2)

- ③ ✓ electromagnetic interactions (new effects)
- 1-2-3 interesting new phenomena in
  - ✓ flavour, spin and spin-flavour oscillations  
in moving matter and  $B$

# new developments in $\nu$ spin and flavour oscillations

- 1 generation of  $\nu$  spin (flavour) oscillations by interaction with transversal matter current  $j_\perp$

P. Pustoshny, A. Studenikin,

Neutrino spin and spin-flavour oscillations in transversal matter currents with standard and non-standard interactions

● Phys. Rev. D98 (2018) no. 11, 113009

- 2 inherent interplay of  $\nu$  spin and flavour oscillations in B

A. Popov, A. Studenikin,

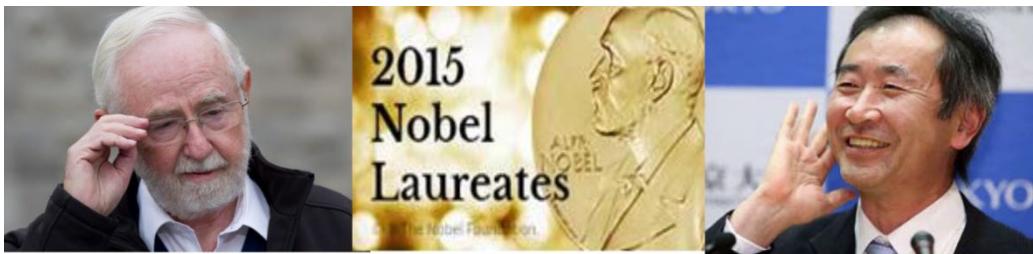
Neutrino eigenstates and flavour, spin and spin-flavor oscillations in a constant magnetic field

● Eur. Phys. J. C 79 (2019) 144, arXiv: 1902.08195

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Electromagnetic neutrinos: New constraints and new effects in oscillations

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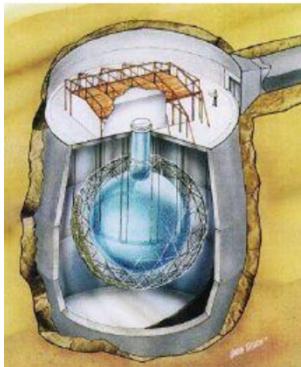
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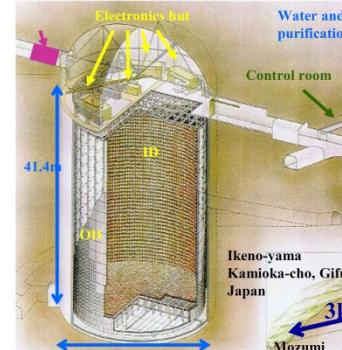
Arthur McDonald

The Nobel Prize  
in Physics 2015

Takaaki Kajita



«for the discovery  
of neutrino  
oscillations,  
which shows  
that  
neutrinos  
have mass»



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$m_\nu \neq 0$   
electromagnetic  
properties  
(flash on theory)

# Astrophysical bounds

$$\mu_\nu \leq 3 \cdot 10^{-12} \mu_B$$

G. Raffelt (1990)

$$m_\nu \neq 0$$

## Theory (Standard Model with $\nu_R$ )

$$a_e = \frac{\alpha_{QED}}{2\pi} \sim 10^{-3}$$

$$\mu_\nu = \frac{3eG_F}{8\sqrt{2}\pi^2} m_\nu \sim 3 \cdot 10^{-12} \mu_B \left( \frac{m_\nu}{1\text{eV}} \right), \quad \mu_B = \frac{e}{2m_e}$$

Lee Shrock, 1977; Fujikawa Shrock, 1980

- Limit from reactor  $\nu$ - $e$  scattering experiments,  
A.Beda et al. (GEMMA Coll.) 2012

$$\mu_\nu < 2.9 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B$$

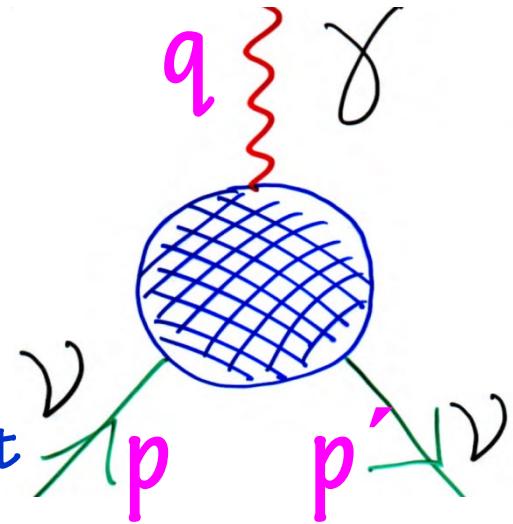
- Solar  $\nu$  limit, M.Agostini et al. (Borexino Coll.) 2017

$$\mu_\nu < 2.8 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B$$

# ✓ electromagnetic vertex function

$$\langle \psi(p') | J_\mu^{EM} | \psi(p) \rangle = \bar{u}(p') \Lambda_\mu(q, l) u(p)$$

Matrix element of electromagnetic current  
is a Lorentz vector



$\Lambda_\mu(q, l)$  should be constructed using

matrices  $\hat{1}, \gamma_5, \gamma_\mu, \gamma_5 \gamma_\mu, \sigma_{\mu\nu},$

tensors  $g_{\mu\nu}, \epsilon_{\mu\nu\sigma\gamma}$

vectors  $q_\mu$  and  $l_\mu$

$$q_\mu = p'_\mu - p_\mu, \quad l_\mu = p'_\mu + p_\mu$$

Lorentz covariance (1)  
and electromagnetic gauge invariance (2)



# Matrix element of electromagnetic current between neutrino states

$$\langle \nu(p') | J_\mu^{EM} | \nu(p) \rangle = \bar{u}(p') \Lambda_\mu(q) u(p).$$

where vertex function generally contains 4 form factors

$$\Lambda_\mu(q) = f_Q(q^2) \gamma_\mu + f_M(q^2) i \sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu - f_E(q^2) \sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu \gamma_5 + f_A(q^2) (q^2 \gamma_\mu - q_\mu q^\nu) \gamma_5$$

1. electric dipole    2. magnetic    3. electric    4. anapole

- Hermiticity and discrete symmetries of EM current  $J_\mu^{EM}$  put constraints on form factors

Dirac  $\nu$

- CP invariance + Hermiticity  $\Rightarrow f_E = 0$ ,
- at zero momentum transfer only electric Charge  $f_Q(0)$  and magnetic moment  $f_M(0)$  contribute to  $H_{int} \sim J_\mu^{EM} A^\mu$
- Hermiticity itself  $\Rightarrow$  three form factors are real:  $Im f_Q = Im f_M = Im f_A = 0$

Majorana  $\nu$

- from CPT invariance (regardless CP or SP).

$$f_Q = f_M = f_E = 0$$

...as early as 1939, W.Pauli...

EM properties  $\rightarrow$  a way to distinguish Dirac and Majorana  $\nu$

In general case matrix element of  $J_\mu^{\text{EM}}$  can be considered between different initial  $\psi_i(p)$  and final  $\psi_j(p')$  states of different masses

$$\langle \psi_j(p') | J_\mu^{\text{EM}} | \psi_i(p) \rangle = \bar{u}_j(p') \Lambda_\mu(q) u_i(p)$$

$$p^2 = m_i^2, p'^2 = m_j^2:$$

... beyond  
SM...

and

$$\Lambda_\mu(q) = \left( f_Q(q^2)_{ij} + f_A(q^2)_{ij} \gamma_5 \right) (q^2 \gamma_\mu - q_\mu \not{q}) +$$

$$f_M(q^2)_{ij} i \sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu + f_E(q^2)_{ij} \sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu \gamma_5$$



form factors are matrices in  $\sqrt{V}$  mass eigenstates space.



Dirac

( off-diagonal case  $i \neq j$  )



Majorana

1) Hermiticity itself does not apply restrictions on form factors,

2) CP invariance + Hermiticity

$$f_Q(q^2), f_M(q^2), f_E(q^2), f_A(q^2)$$

are relatively real (no relative phases).

... quite different  
EM properties ...

$$\mu_{ij}^M = 2\mu_{ij}^D \text{ and } \epsilon_{ij}^M = 0 \quad \text{or}$$

$$\mu_{ij}^M = 0 \text{ and } \epsilon_{ij}^M = 2\epsilon_{ij}^D$$

Dipole magnetic

$$f_M(q^2)$$

and electric

$$f_E(q^2)$$

are most well studied and theoretically understood  
among form factors

...because in the limit

$$q^2 \rightarrow 0$$

they have  
nonvanishing values

$$\mu_\nu = f_M(0)$$

$\nu$  magnetic moment

$$\epsilon_\nu = f_E(0)$$

$\nu$  electric moment ???

# ✓ magnetic moment in experiments

... most easily accepted are  
**dipole magnetic** and **electric moments**

however most accessible for experimental  
studies are charge radii  $\langle r_\nu^2 \rangle$

# Studies of $\nu$ -e scattering

- most sensitive method for experimental investigation of  $\mu_\nu$

Cross-section:



$$\frac{d\sigma}{dT}(\nu + e \rightarrow \nu + e) = \left( \frac{d\sigma}{dT} \right)_{\text{SM}} + \left( \frac{d\sigma}{dT} \right)_{\mu_\nu}$$

where the Standard Model contribution



$$\left( \frac{d\sigma}{dT} \right)_{\text{SM}} = \frac{G_F^2 m_e}{2\pi} \left[ (g_V + g_A)^2 + (g_V - g_A)^2 \left( 1 - \frac{T}{E_\nu} \right)^2 + (g_A^2 - g_V^2) \frac{m_e T}{E_\nu^2} \right],$$

$T$  is the electron recoil energy and



$$\left( \frac{d\sigma}{dT} \right)_{\mu_\nu} = \frac{\pi \alpha_{em}^2}{m_e^2} \left[ \frac{1 - T/E_\nu}{T} \right] \mu_\nu^2$$

$$\mu_\nu^2(\nu_l, L, E_\nu) = \sum_j \left| \sum_i U_{li} e^{-i E_i L} \mu_{ji} \right|^2$$

$$g_V = \begin{cases} 2 \sin^2 \theta_W + \frac{1}{2} & \text{for } \nu_e, \\ 2 \sin^2 \theta_W - \frac{1}{2} & \text{for } \nu_\mu, \nu_\tau, \end{cases} \quad g_A = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{for } \nu_e, \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \text{for } \nu_\mu, \nu_\tau \end{cases}$$

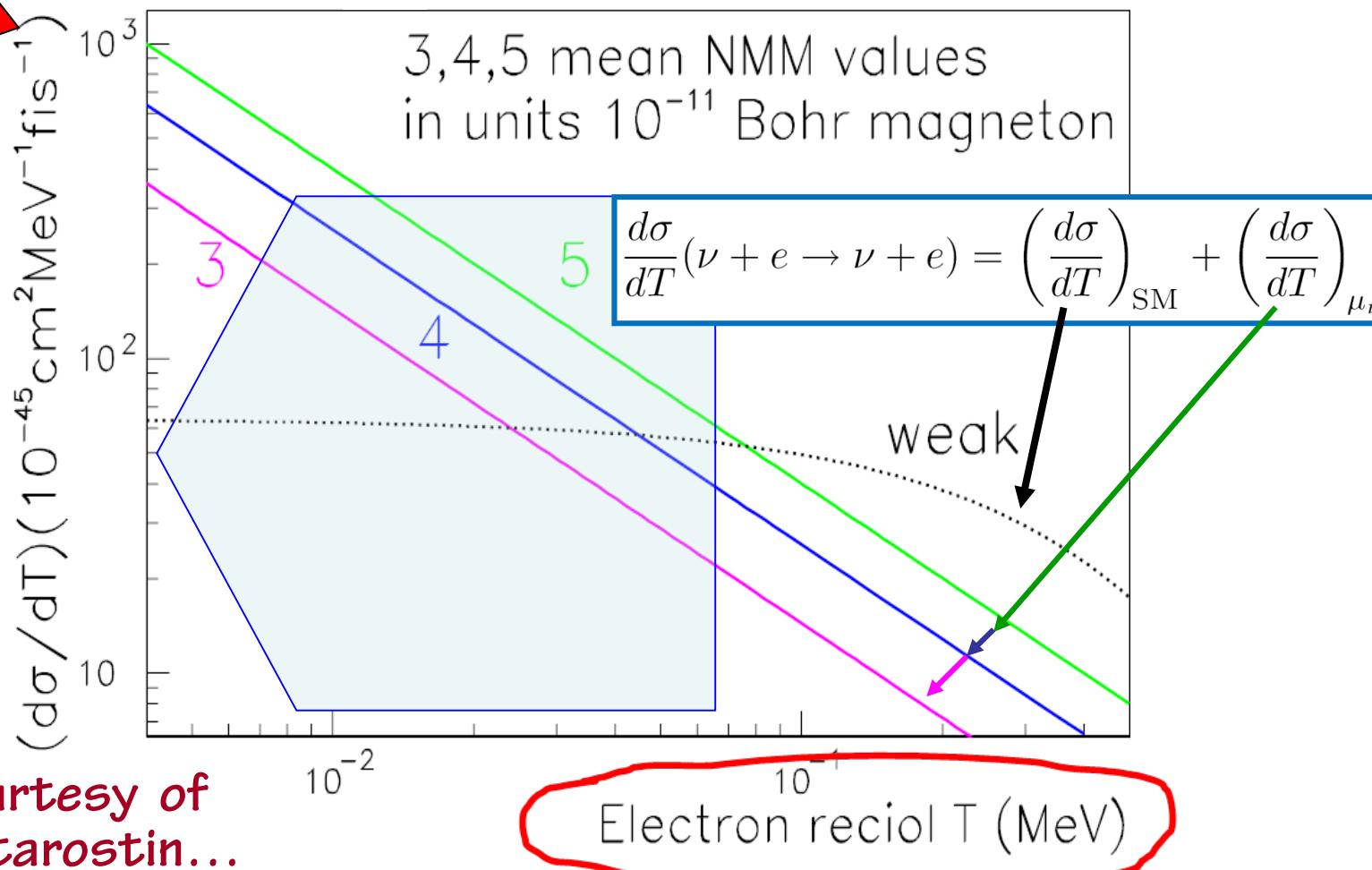
$\mu_{ij} \rightarrow |\mu_{ij} - \epsilon_{ij}|$   
for anti-neutrinos  
 $g_A \rightarrow -g_A$

to incorporate charge radius:  $g_V \rightarrow g_V + \frac{2}{3} M_W^2 \langle r^2 \rangle \sin^2 \theta_W$  ???

Magnetic moment contribution dominates at low electron recoil energies when  $\left(\frac{d\sigma}{dT}\right)_{\mu_\nu} > \left(\frac{d\sigma}{dT}\right)_{SM}$  and

$$\frac{T}{m_e} < \frac{\pi^2 \alpha_{em}}{G_F^2 m_e^4} \mu_\nu^2$$

{ ... the lower the smallest measurable electron recoil energy is, smaller values of  $\mu_\nu^2$  can be probed in scattering experiments ... }



**GEMMA (2005 – 2012 - running)**  
**Germanium Experiment for Measurement**  
**of Magnetic Moment of Antineutrino**

JINR (Dubna) + ITEP (Moscow) at Kalinin Nuclear Power Plant



**World best experimental (reactor) limit**

$$\mu_\nu < 2.9 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B$$



June 2012

A. Beda et al, in:

**Special Issue on “Neutrino Physics” ,**  
**Advances in High Energy Physics (2012) 2012,**  
editors: J. Bernabeu, G. Fogli, A. McDonald, K. Nishikawa

... quite realistic prospects for future ... 2021 + few years of data taking ?

$$\bullet \quad \mu_\nu \sim (5 - 9) \times 10^{-12} \mu_B$$

unprecedentedly low threshold

GEMMA-3 / ν GeN

$$T \sim 200 \text{ eV}$$



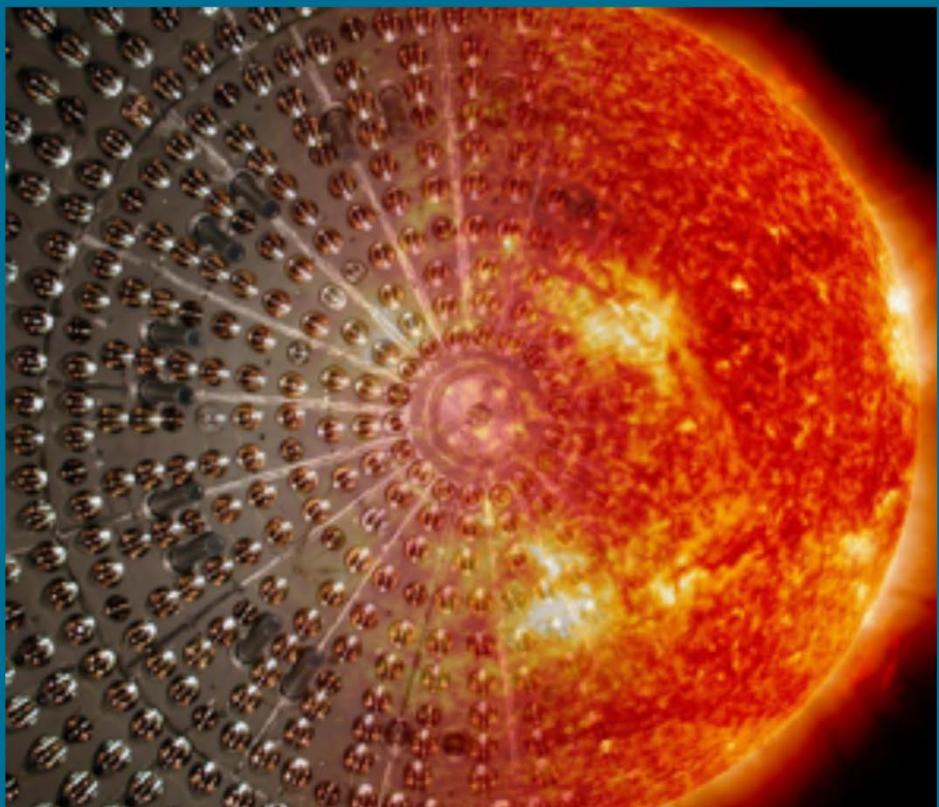
## Limiting the effective magnetic moment of solar neutrinos with the Borexino detector

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Limiting  $\mu_\nu$  with Borexino Phase-II solar neutrino data



NEW

# NMM results from Phase 2

## Data selection:

**Fiducial volume:**  $R < 3.021 \text{ m}$ ,  $|z| < 1.67 \text{ m}$

Muon,  $^{214}\text{Bi}$ - $^{214}\text{Po}$ , and noise suppression

**Free fit parameters:** solar- $\nu$  (pp,  $^7\text{Be}$ ) and backgrounds ( $^{85}\text{Kr}$ ,  $^{210}\text{Po}$ ,  $^{210}\text{Bi}$ ,  $^{11}\text{C}$ , external bgr.), **response parameters** (light yield,  $^{210}\text{Po}$  position and width,  $^{11}\text{C}$  edge ( $2 \times 511 \text{ keV}$ ), 2 energy resolution parameters)

**Constrained parameters:**  $^{14}\text{C}$ , pile up

**Fixed parameters:** pep-, CNO-,  $^8\text{B}$ - $\nu$  rates

**Systematics:** treatment of pile-up, energy estimators, pep and CNO constraints with LZ and HZ SSM

Without radiochemical constraint

$$\mu_{\text{eff}} < 4.0 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B \text{ (90% C.L.)}$$

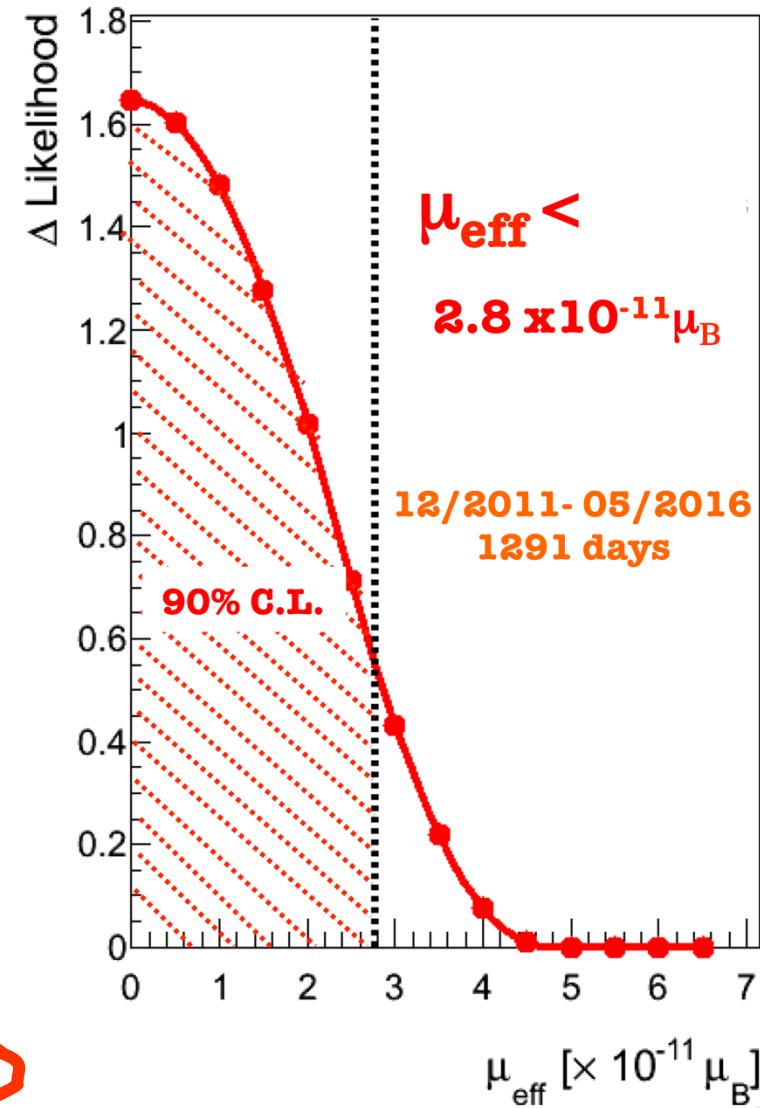
With radiochemical constraint

$$\mu_{\text{eff}} < 2.6 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B \text{ (90% C.L.)}$$

adding systematics

$$\mu_{\text{eff}} < 2.8 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B \text{ (90% C.L.)}$$

## Profiling $\mu_{\text{eff}}$ with $\sigma_{\text{EM}}$ for pp & $^7\text{Be}$



# Experimental limits for different effective $\mu$ ,

Method	Experiment	Limit	CL	Reference
Reactor $\bar{\nu}_e e^-$	Krasnoyarsk	$\mu_{\nu_e} < 2.4 \times 10^{-10} \mu_B$	90%	Vidyakin <i>et al.</i> (1992)
	Rovno	$\mu_{\nu_e} < 1.9 \times 10^{-10} \mu_B$	95%	Derbin <i>et al.</i> (1993)
	MUNU	$\mu_{\nu_e} < 0.9 \times 10^{-10} \mu_B$	90%	Daraktchieva <i>et al.</i> (2005)
	TEXONO	$\mu_{\nu_e} < 7.4 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B$	90%	Wong <i>et al.</i> (2007)
	• GEMMA	$\mu_{\nu_e} < 2.9 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B$	90%	Beda <i>et al.</i> (2012)
Accelerator $\nu_e e^-$	LAMPF	$\mu_{\nu_e} < 10.8 \times 10^{-10} \mu_B$	90%	Allen <i>et al.</i> (1993)
Accelerator $(\nu_\mu, \bar{\nu}_\mu)-e^-$	BNL-E734	$\mu_{\nu_\mu} < 8.5 \times 10^{-10} \mu_B$	90%	Ahrens <i>et al.</i> (1990)
	LAMPF	$\mu_{\nu_\mu} < 7.4 \times 10^{-10} \mu_B$	90%	Allen <i>et al.</i> (1993)
	LSND	$\mu_{\nu_\mu} < 6.8 \times 10^{-10} \mu_B$	90%	Auerbach <i>et al.</i> (2001)
Accelerator $(\nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\tau)-e^-$	DONUT	$\mu_{\nu_\tau} < 3.9 \times 10^{-7} \mu_B$	90%	Schwienhorst <i>et al.</i> (2001)
Solar $\nu_e e^-$	Super-Kamiokande	$\mu_S(E_\nu \gtrsim 5 \text{ MeV}) < 1.1 \times 10^{-10} \mu_B$	90%	Liu <i>et al.</i> (2004)
	Borexino	$\mu_S(E_\nu \lesssim 1 \text{ MeV}) < 5.4 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B$	90%	Arpesella <i>et al.</i> (2008)

C. Giunti, A. Studenikin, “Electromagnetic interactions of neutrinos:  
A window to new physics”, Rev. Mod. Phys. 87 (2015) 531

- new 2017 Borexino PRD:  $\mu_\nu^{eff} < 2.8 \cdot 10^{-11} \mu_B$  at 90% c.l.
- Particle Data Group, 2014-2018 and update of 2019

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## charge radii

... most accessible for experimental  
studies are charge radii  $\langle r_\nu^2 \rangle$

# $\nu$ charge radius and anapole moment

$$\Lambda_\mu(q) = f_Q(q^2) \gamma_\mu + f_M(q^2) i \sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu - f_E(q^2) \sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu \gamma_5 + f_A(q^2) (q^2 \gamma_\mu - q_\mu q^\nu) \gamma_5$$

1. electric      2. magnetic  
 dipole      3. electric      4. anapole

Although it is usually assumed that  $\nu$  are electrically neutral (charge quantization implies  $Q \sim \frac{1}{3}e$ ),

$\nu$  can dissociate into charged particles so that  $f_Q(q^2) \neq 0$  for  $q^2 \neq 0$

$$f_Q(q^2) = f_Q(0) + q^2 \frac{df_Q}{dq^2}(0) + \dots,$$

where the massive  $\nu$  charge radius

$$\langle r_\nu^2 \rangle = -6 \frac{df_Q}{dq^2}(0)$$

For massless  $\nu$

$$a_\nu = f_A(q^2) = \frac{1}{6} \langle r_\nu^2 \rangle$$

Interpretation of **charge radius** as an observable is rather **delicate issue**:  $\langle r_\nu^2 \rangle$  represents a correction to tree-level electroweak scattering amplitude between  $\nu$  and charged particles, which receives radiative corrections from several diagrams (including  $Z$  exchange) to be considered simultaneously  $\rightarrow$  calculated CR is **infinite** and **gauge dependent** quantity. For **massless**  $\nu$ ,  $a_\nu$  and  $\langle r_\nu^2 \rangle$  can be defined (**finite** and **gauge independent**) from scattering cross section.

??? For massive  $\nu$  ???

Bernabeu, Papavassiliou, Vidal,  
Nucl.Phys. B 680 (2004) 450

# ... comprehensive analysis of $\nu$ -e scattering ...

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## Electromagnetic properties of massive neutrinos in low-energy elastic neutrino-electron scattering

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A thorough account of electromagnetic interactions of massive neutrinos in the theoretical formulation of low-energy elastic neutrino-electron scattering is given. The formalism of neutrino charge, magnetic, electric, and anapole form factors defined as matrices in the mass basis is employed under the assumption of three-neutrino mixing. The flavor change of neutrinos traveling from the source to the detector is taken into account and the role of the source-detector distance is inspected. The effects of neutrino flavor-transition millicharges and charge radii in the scattering experiments are pointed out.

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... all experimental constraints on charge radius should be redone

# Concluding remarks

Kouzakov, Studenikin  
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- cross section of  $\nu$ -e is determined in terms of 3x3 matrices of  $\nu$  electromagnetic form factors
- in short-baseline experiments one studies form factors in flavour basis
- long-baseline experiments more convenient to interpret in terms of fundamental form factors in mass basis
- $\nu$  millicharge when it is constrained in reactor short-baseline experiments (GEMMA, for instance) should be interpreted as

$$|e_{\nu_e}| = \sqrt{|(e_\nu)_{ee}|^2 + |(e_\nu)_{\mu e}|^2 + |(e_\nu)_{\tau e}|^2}$$

- $\nu$  charge radius in  $\nu$ -e elastic scattering can't be considered as a shift  $g_V \rightarrow g_V + \frac{2}{3} M_W^2 \langle r^2 \rangle \sin^2 \theta_W$ , there are also contributions from flavor-transition charge radii

## Neutrino charge radii from COHERENT elastic neutrino-nucleus scattering

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Coherent elastic neutrino-nucleus scattering is a powerful probe of neutrino properties, in particular of the neutrino charge radii. We present the bounds on the neutrino charge radii obtained from the analysis of the data of the COHERENT experiment. We show that the time information of the COHERENT data allows us to restrict the allowed ranges of the neutrino charge radii, especially that of  $\nu_\mu$ . We also obtained for the first time bounds on the neutrino transition charge radii, which are quantities beyond the standard model.

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$$(|\langle r_{\nu_{e\mu}}^2 \rangle|, |\langle r_{\nu_{e\tau}}^2 \rangle|, |\langle r_{\nu_{\mu\tau}}^2 \rangle|) < (22, 38, 27) \times 10^{-32} \text{ cm}^2$$

K. Kouzakov, A. Studenikin, "Electromagnetic properties of massive neutrinos in low-energy elastic neutrino-electron scattering"  
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collaboration

## Physical Review D – Highlights 2018 – Editors' Suggestion

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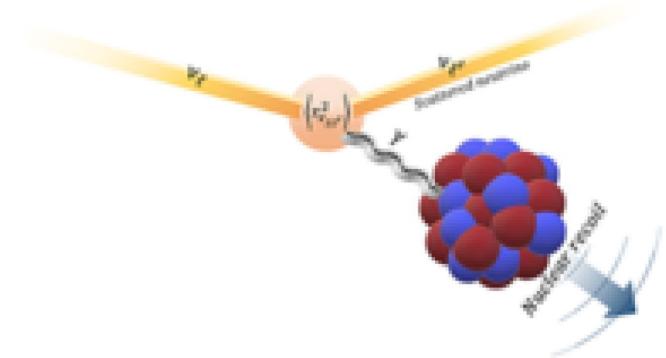
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coherent  $\nu$  scattering  
due to charge radius

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# Experimental limits on $\nu$ charge radius $\langle r_\nu^2 \rangle$

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Method	Experiment	Limit ( $\text{cm}^2$ )	C.L.	Reference
Reactor $\bar{\nu}_e - e^-$	Krasnoyarsk	$ \langle r_{\nu_e}^2 \rangle  < 7.3 \times 10^{-32}$	90%	Vidyakin <i>et al.</i> (1992)
	TEXONO	$-4.2 \times 10^{-32} < \langle r_{\nu_e}^2 \rangle < 6.6 \times 10^{-32}$	90%	Deniz <i>et al.</i> (2010) <sup>a</sup>
Accelerator $\nu_e - e^-$	LAMPF	$-7.12 \times 10^{-32} < \langle r_{\nu_e}^2 \rangle < 10.88 \times 10^{-32}$	90%	Allen <i>et al.</i> (1993) <sup>a</sup>
	LSND	$-5.94 \times 10^{-32} < \langle r_{\nu_e}^2 \rangle < 8.28 \times 10^{-32}$	90%	Auerbach <i>et al.</i> (2001) <sup>a</sup>
Accelerator $\nu_\mu - e^-$	BNL-E734	$-4.22 \times 10^{-32} < \langle r_{\nu_\mu}^2 \rangle < 0.48 \times 10^{-32}$	90%	Ahrens <i>et al.</i> (1990) <sup>a</sup>
	CHARM-II	$ \langle r_{\nu_\mu}^2 \rangle  < 1.2 \times 10^{-32}$	90%	Vilain <i>et al.</i> (1995) <sup>a</sup>

... updated by the recent constraints  
(effects of physics Beyond Standard Model)



$$(|\langle r_{\nu_{e\mu}}^2 \rangle|, |\langle r_{\nu_{e\tau}}^2 \rangle|, |\langle r_{\nu_{\mu\tau}}^2 \rangle|) < (22, 38, 27) \times 10^{-32} \text{ cm}^2$$

M.Cadeddu, C. Giunti, K.Kouzakov,  
 Yu-Feng Li, A. Studenikin, Y.Y.Zhang,  
 Neutrino charge radii from COHERENT elastic neutrino-nucleus  
 scattering, Phys.Rev.D 98 (2018) 113010

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## Probing neutrino transition magnetic moments with coherent elastic neutrino-nucleus scattering

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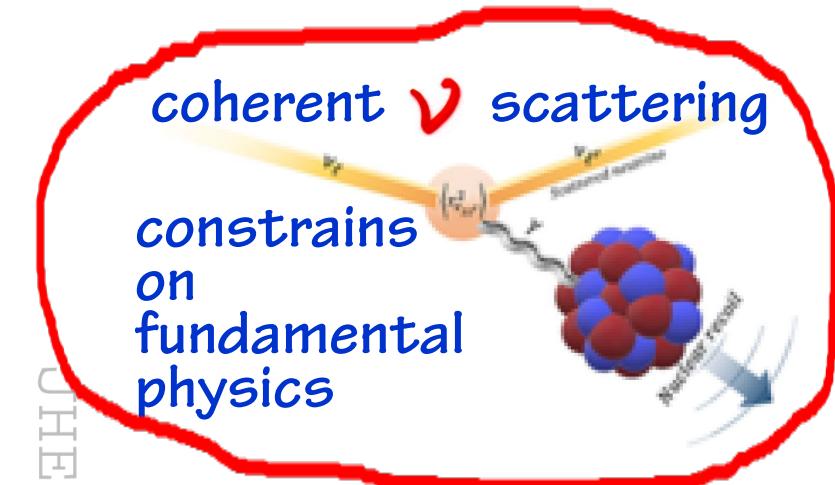
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**ABSTRACT:** We explore the potential of current and next generation of coherent elastic neutrino-nucleus scattering ( $\text{CE}\nu\text{NS}$ ) experiments in probing neutrino electromagnetic interactions. On the basis of a thorough statistical analysis, we determine the sensitivities on each component of the Majorana neutrino transition magnetic moment (TMM),  $|\Lambda_i|$ , that follow from low-energy neutrino-nucleus experiments. We derive the sensitivity to neutrino TMM from the first  $\text{CE}\nu\text{NS}$  measurement by the COHERENT experiment, at the Spallation Neutron Source. We also present results for the next phases of COHERENT using HPGe, LAr and NaI[Tl] detectors and for reactor neutrino experiments such as CONUS, CONNIE, MINER, TEXONO and RED100. The role of the CP violating phases in each case is also briefly discussed. We conclude that future  $\text{CE}\nu\text{NS}$  experiments with low-threshold capabilities can improve current TMM limits obtained from Borexino data.

- **Neutrino, electroweak, and nuclear physics from COHERENT ... with refined quenching factor , Cadeddu, Dordei, Giunti, Li, Zhang, PRD 2020**



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coherent  $\nu$  scattering  
 constrains  
 on  
 fundamental  
 physics

COHERENT data have been used  
 for different purposes:

- **nuclear neutron distributions**  
*Cadeddu, Giunti, Li, Zhang  
 PRL 2018*
- **weak mixing angle**  
*Cadeddu & Dordei, PRD 2019  
 Huang & Chen 2019*
- **$\nu$  electromagnetic properties**  
*Papoulias & Kosmas PRD 2018*
- **$\nu$  non-standard interactions**  
*Coloma, Gonzalez-Garcia,  
 Maltoni, Schwetz PRD 2017  
 Liao & Marfatia PLB 2017*

# ... A remark on electric charge of $\nu$ ... Beyond Standard Model...

✓ neutrality  $Q=0$   
is attributed to

gauge invariance  
+  
anomaly cancellation constraints

imposed in SM of  
electroweak  
interactions

$$SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$$

$$Q = I_3 + \frac{Y}{2}$$

Foot, Joshi, Lew, Volkas, 1990;  
Foot, Lew, Volkas, 1993;  
Babu, Mohapatra, 1989, 1990  
Foot, He (1991)

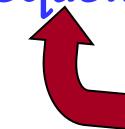
- ... General proof:

In SM :

In SM (without  $\nu_R$  triangle anomalies cancellation constraints)  $\rightarrow$  certain relations among particle hypercharges that is enough to fix all  $Y$  so that they, and consequently  $Q$ , are quantized

- $Q=0$  is proven also by direct calculation in SM within different gauges and methods

- ... Strict requirements for  $Q$  quantization may disappear in extensions of standard  $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$  EW model if  $\nu_R$  with  $Y \neq 0$  are included : in the absence of  $Y$  quantization electric charges  $Q$  gets dequantized



$$Q=0$$

Bardeen, Gastmans, Lautrup, 1972;  
Cabral-Rosetti, Bernabeu, Vidal, Zepeda, 2000;

Beg, Marciano, Ruderman, 1978;  
Marciano, Sirlin, 1980; Sakakibara,

1981;

- Dvornikov, Studenikin, 2004  
(for SM in one-loop calculations)

**millicharged  $\nu$**

# Experimental limits for different effective $q_\nu$

C. Giunti, A. Studenikin, "Electromagnetic interactions of neutrinos: a window to new physics", *Rev. Mod. Phys.* 87 (2015) 531

Limit	Method	Reference
$ q_{\nu_\tau}  \lesssim 3 \times 10^{-4} e$	SLAC $e^-$ beam dump	Davidson <i>et al.</i> (1991)
$ q_{\nu_\tau}  \lesssim 4 \times 10^{-4} e$	BEBC beam dump	Babu <i>et al.</i> (1994)
$ q_\nu  \lesssim 6 \times 10^{-14} e$	Solar cooling (plasmon decay)	Raffelt (1999a)
$ q_\nu  \lesssim 2 \times 10^{-14} e$	Red giant cooling (plasmon decay)	Raffelt (1999a)
$ q_{\nu_e}  \lesssim 3 \times 10^{-21} e$	• Neutrality of matter •	Raffelt (1999a)
$ q_{\nu_e}  \lesssim 3.7 \times 10^{-12} e$	Nuclear reactor	Gninenko <i>et al.</i> (2007)
$ q_{\nu_e}  \lesssim 1.5 \times 10^{-12} e$	Nuclear reactor	Studenikin (2013)

A. Studenikin: "New bounds on neutrino electric millicharge from limits on neutrino magnetic moment",  
*Eur.Phys.Lett.* 107 (2014) 2100

C.Patrignani *et al* (Particle Data Group),  
"The Review of Particle Physics 2016"  
*Chinese Physics C* 40 (2016) 100001

Particle Data Group  
Review of Particle Properties  
(2016-2018)  
update of 2019

# Bounds on millicharge $q_\nu$ from $\mu_\nu$ (GEMMA Coll. data)

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two not seen contributions:

$\nu$ -e cross-section

$$\left(\frac{d\sigma}{dT}\right)_{\nu-e} = \left(\frac{d\sigma}{dT}\right)_{SM} + \left(\frac{d\sigma}{dT}\right)_{\mu_\nu} + \left(\frac{d\sigma}{dT}\right)_{q_\nu}$$

$$\left(\frac{d\sigma}{dT}\right)_{\mu_\nu^a} \approx \pi \alpha^2 \frac{1}{m_e^2 T} \left(\frac{\mu_\nu^a}{\mu_B}\right)^2$$

$$\left(\frac{d\sigma}{dT}\right)_{q_\nu} \approx 2\pi \alpha \frac{1}{m_e T^2} q_\nu^2$$

Bounds on  $q_\nu$  from ... unobserved  
effects of New Physics

$$R = \frac{\left(\frac{d\sigma}{dT}\right)_{q_\nu}}{\left(\frac{d\sigma}{dT}\right)_{\mu_\nu^a}} = \frac{2m_e}{T} \frac{\left(\frac{q_\nu}{e_0}\right)^2}{\left(\frac{\mu_\nu^a}{\mu_B}\right)^2} \lesssim 1$$



Studenikin, Europhys. Lett.  
107 (2014) 210011

Particle Data Group, 2016-2018  
and update of 2019

Expected new constraints from GEMMA:

now  $\mu_\nu < 2.9 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B$  ( $T \sim 2.8 \text{ keV}$ )

Constraints on  $q_\nu$

$$|q_\nu| < 1.5 \times 10^{-12} e_0$$

2021 + few years data taking GEMMA / νGeN

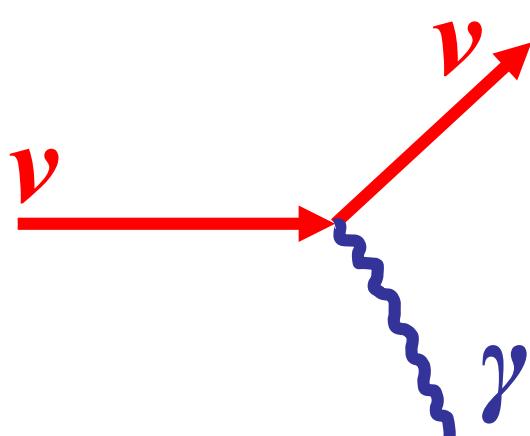
$$\mu_\nu \sim (5 - 9) \times 10^{-12} \mu_B$$

... low threshold ...

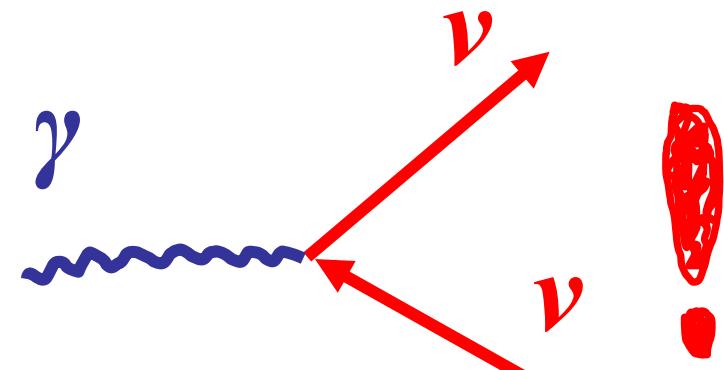
$$T \sim 200 \text{ eV}$$

$$|q_\nu| < 1.1 \times 10^{-13} e_0$$

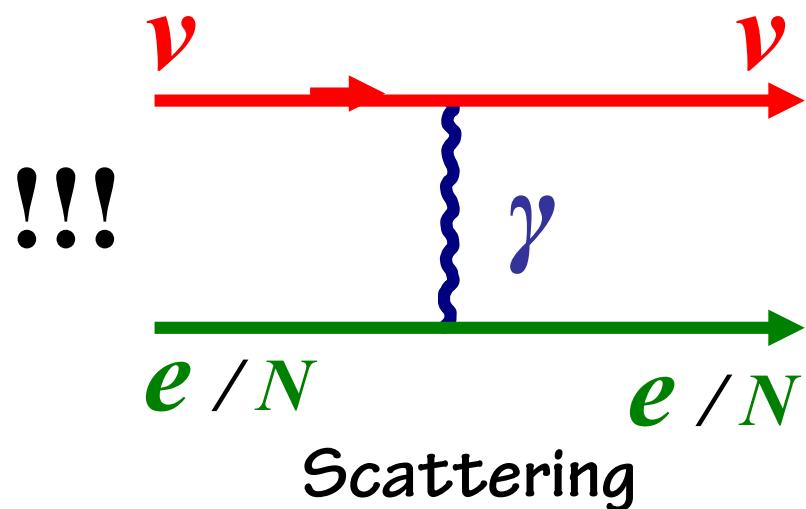
# $\nu$ electromagnetic interactions



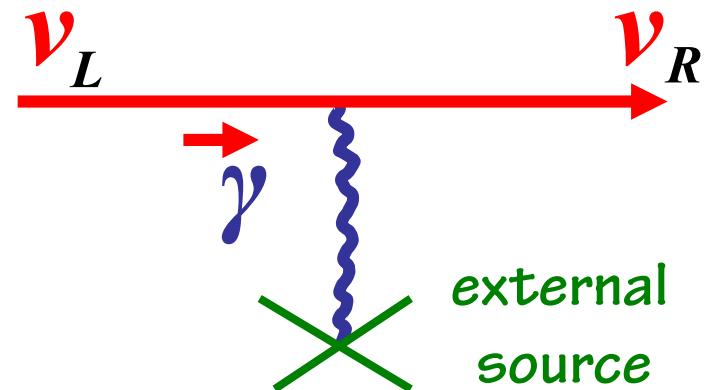
$\nu$  decay, Cherenkov radiation



$\gamma$  decay in plasma



Scattering



Spin precession

# Astrophysics bounds on $\mu_\nu$

... examples...

1) SN 1987A provides energy-loss limit on  $\mu_\nu$  (also  $d$  and transition moments)

...in magnetic moment scattering  
(change of helicity)

$$\nu_L \Rightarrow \nu_R$$

proto-neutron star formed in core-collapse SN can cool faster

$$\boxed{\mu_\nu^D \sim 10^{-12} \mu_B}$$

... inconsistent with SN1987A observed cooling time

Barbieri, Mahapatra  
Lattimer, Cooperstein  
1988

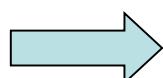
2)  $\nu_R$  from inner SN core have larger energy than  $\nu_R$  from neutrino sphere  
then

$\nu_L$  emitted

in galactic  $B$

$$\nu_R \xleftrightarrow{B} \nu_L$$

(sterile)      (active)



from absence of anomalous high-energy

$$\nu$$

Nötzold  
1988

# Astrophysics bounds on $\mu_\nu$

$$\mu_\nu(\text{astro}) < 10^{-10} - 10^{-12} \mu_B$$

Mostly derived from consequences of helicity-state change in astrophysical medium:

- available degrees of freedom in BBN
- stellar cooling via plasmon decay
- cooling of SN1987a



Bounds depend on

- modeling of astrophysical system,
- on assumption on he neutrino properties .

Generic assumption:

- absence of other nonstandard interactions accept for  $\mu_\nu$

A global treatment would be desirable, incorporating oscillations and matter effects, as well as the complications due to interference and competitions among various channels

- ... astrophysical bound on millicharge  $q$  from

 ✓ energy quantization  
in rotating  
magnetized star

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Studenikin, J. Phys. A: Math. Theor. 41 (2008) 164047  
Balantsev, Popov, Studenikin,  
J. Phys. A: Math. Theor. 44 (2011) 255301  
Balantsev, Studenikin, Tokarev, Phys. Part. Nucl. 43 (2012) 727  
Phys. Atom. Nucl. 76 (2013) 489
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# Millicharged $\nu$ in rotating magnetized star

Balatsev, Tokarev, Studenikin,  
Phys.Part.Nucl., 2012,

Phys.Atom.Nucl., Nucl.Phys. B, 2013,  
• Studenikin, Tokarev, Nucl.Phys.B (2014)

Modified Dirac equation for  $\nu$  wave function

$$\left( \gamma_\mu (p^\mu + q_0 A^\mu) - \frac{1}{2} \gamma_\mu (c_l + \gamma_5) f^\mu - \frac{i}{2} \mu \sigma_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} - m \right) \Psi(x) = 0$$

external magnetic field

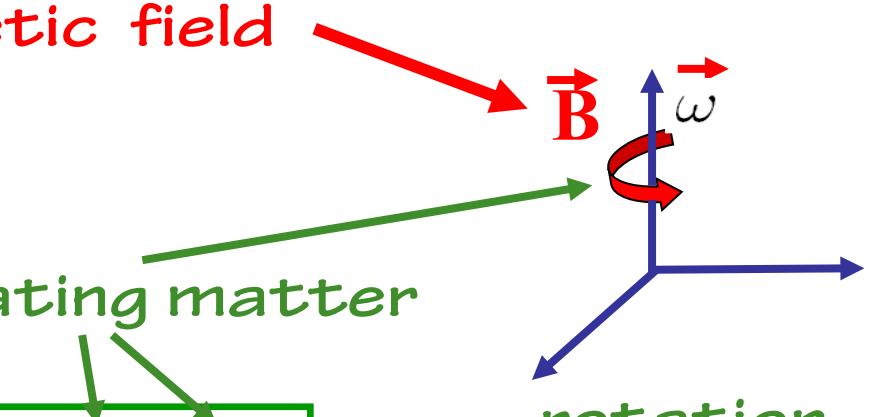
$$V_m = \frac{1}{2} \gamma_\mu (c_l + \gamma_5) f^\mu$$

matter potential

$$c_l = 1$$

rotating matter

$$f^\mu = -Gn_n(1, -\epsilon y \omega, \epsilon x \omega, 0)$$



rotation  
angular  
frequency

# V energy is quantized in rotating and magnetized star

A.Studenikin, I.Tokarev,  
Nucl.Phys.B (2014)

$$G = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$p_0 = \sqrt{p_3^2 + 2N|2Gn_n\omega - \epsilon q_\nu B| + m^2} - Gn_n - q\phi$$

$$N = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

integer number

matter  
rotation  
frequency

millicharge

scalar potential  
of electric field

V energy is quantized in rotating matter  
like electron energy in magnetic field  
( Landau energy levels):

$$p_0^{(e)} = \sqrt{m_e^2 + p_3^2 + 2\gamma N}, \quad \gamma = eB, \quad N = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

In quasi-classical approach



quantum states in rotating matter

motion in circular orbits

$$R = \int_0^\infty \Psi_L^\dagger \mathbf{r} \Psi_L d\mathbf{r} = \sqrt{\frac{2N}{|2Gn_n\omega - \epsilon q_0 B|}}$$

due to effective Lorentz force

$$\mathbf{F}_{eff} = q_{eff} \mathbf{E}_{eff} + q_{eff} [\boldsymbol{\beta} \times \mathbf{B}_{eff}]$$

A. Studenikin,

J.Phys.A: Math.Theor.  
41(2008) 164047

$$q_{eff} \mathbf{E}_{eff} = q_m \mathbf{E}_m + q_0 \mathbf{E} \quad q_{eff} \mathbf{B}_{eff} = |q_m B_m + q_0 B| \mathbf{e}_z$$

where

$$q_m = -G, \quad \mathbf{E}_m = -\nabla n_n, \quad \mathbf{B}_m = 2n_n \boldsymbol{\omega}$$

matter induced “charge”, “electric” and  
“magnetic” fields

# • $\nu$ Star Turning mechanism ( $\nu$ ST)

Studenikin, Tokarev, Nucl. Phys. B 884 (2014) 396

Escaping millicharged  $\nu$ s move on curved orbits inside magnetized rotating star and feedback of effective Lorentz force should effect initial star rotation

- New astrophysical constraint on  $\nu$  millicharge

$$\frac{|\Delta\omega|}{\omega_0} = 7.6\varepsilon \times 10^{18} \left( \frac{P_0}{10 \text{ s}} \right) \left( \frac{N_\nu}{10^{58}} \right) \left( \frac{1.4M_\odot}{M_S} \right) \left( \frac{B}{10^{14}G} \right)$$

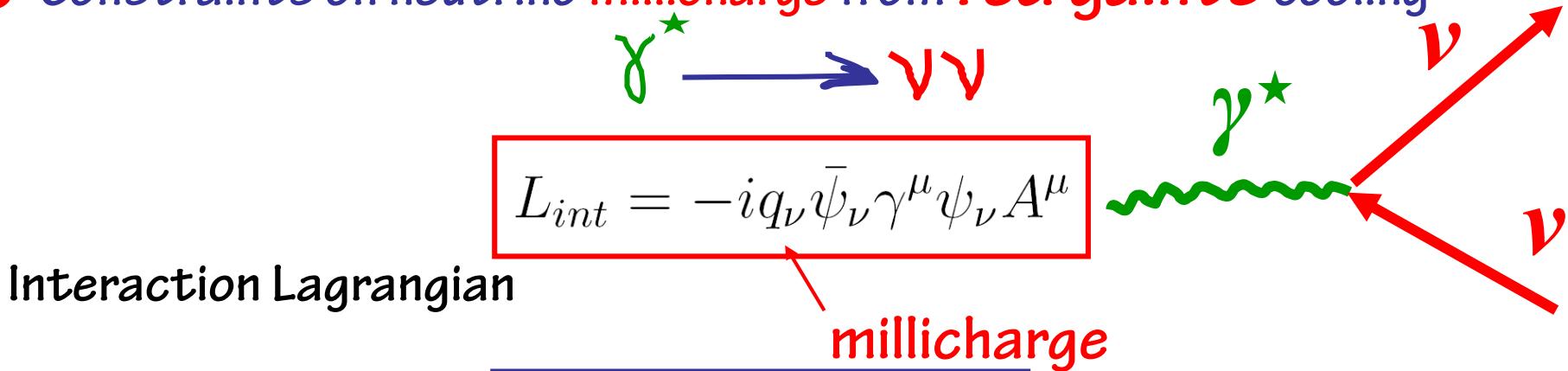
- $|\Delta\omega| < \omega_0$  ! ...to avoid contradiction of  $\nu$ ST impact with observational data on pulsars ...

$$q_0 < 1.3 \times 10^{-19} e_0$$

.. best astrophysical bound ...

Dobroliubov, Ignatiev (1990); Babu, Volkas (1992);  
 Mohapatra, Nussinov (1992) ...

- Constraints on neutrino **millicharge** from **red giants** cooling



Decay rate

$$\Gamma_{q_\nu} = \frac{q_\nu^2}{12\pi} \omega_{pl} \left( \frac{\omega_{pl}}{\omega} \right)$$

- $q_\nu \leq 2 \times 10^{-14} e$  ... to avoid helium ignition in **Halt, Raffelt, low-mass red giants** Weiss, PRL1994
- $q_\nu \leq 3 \times 10^{-17} e$  ... absence of anomalous energy-dependent dispersion of SN1987A **ν** signal, most model independent
- ... from “charge neutrality” of neutron...

$$q_\nu \leq 3 \times 10^{-21} e$$

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Neutrino spin

$$\nu_e^L \leftarrow (j_{\perp}) \Rightarrow \nu_e^R$$

and

spin-flavour

$$\nu_e^L \leftarrow (j_{\perp}) \Rightarrow \nu_{\mu}^R$$

oscillations engendered

by transversal matter currents  $j$

$$(\cancel{\mu, \beta})^{\perp}$$

P. Pustoshny, A. Studenikin,

“Neutrino spin and spin-flavour oscillations in transversal matter currents with standard and non-standard interactions”

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# Main steps in $\nu$ oscillations

1  $\nu_e \xleftrightarrow{\text{vac}} \bar{\nu}_e$ , B. Pontecorvo, 1957

2  $\nu_e \xleftrightarrow{\text{vac}} \nu_\mu$ , Z. Maki, M. Nakagawa, S. Sakata, 1962

3  $\nu_e \xleftrightarrow{\text{matter, } g = \text{const}} \nu_\mu$ , L. Wolfenstein, 1978

4  $\nu_e \xleftrightarrow{\text{matter, } g \neq \text{const}} \nu_\mu$ , S. Mikheev, A. Smirnov, 1985

- resonances in  $\nu$  flavour oscillations  $\Rightarrow$  MSW-effect, solution for  $\nu_0$ -problem

5  $\nu_{e_L} \xleftrightarrow{B_\perp} \nu_{e_R}$ , A. Cisneros, 1971  
M. Voloshin, M. Vysotsky, L. Okun, 1986,  $\nu_0$

6  $\nu_{e_L} \xleftrightarrow{B_\perp} \nu_{e_R}, \nu_\mu$ , E. Akhmedov, 1988  
C.-S. Lim & W. Marciano, 1988

- resonances in  $\nu$  spin (spin-flavour) oscillations in matter

> 30 years!

63 years!  
early history of  
 $\nu$  oscillations



Bruno Pontecorvo

1913-1993

$B_\perp$

only in  
and  
matter at rest

# $\checkmark$ spin and spin-flavour oscillations in $B_\perp$

$$\nu_{eL} \leftrightarrow \nu_{\mu R}$$

$$B = |\mathbf{B}_\perp| e^{i\phi(t)}$$

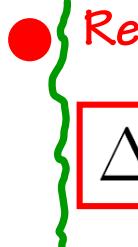


$$P_{\nu_L \nu_R} = \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \Omega z$$

$$\sin^2 \beta = \frac{(\mu_{e\mu} B)^2}{(\mu_{e\mu} B)^2 + \left(\frac{\Delta_{LR}}{4E}\right)^2}$$

$$\Delta_{LR} = \frac{\Delta m^2}{2} (\cos 2\theta + 1) - 2EV_{\nu_e} + 2E\dot{\phi}$$

$$\Omega^2 = (\mu_{e\mu} B)^2 + \left(\frac{\Delta_{LR}}{4E}\right)^2$$



Resonance amplification of oscillations in matter:

$$\Delta_{LR} \rightarrow 0$$



$$\sin^2 \beta \rightarrow 1$$

Akhmedov, 1988  
Lim, Marciano

... similar to  
MSW effect

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# ELEMENTARY PARTICLES AND FIELDS

## Theory

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**Phys. Atom. Nucl. 67 (2004) 993–1002**

## Neutrino in Electromagnetic Fields and Moving Media

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**Abstract**—The history of the development of the theory of neutrino-flavor and neutrino-spin oscillations in electromagnetic fields and in a medium is briefly surveyed. A new Lorentz-invariant approach to describing neutrino oscillations in a medium is formulated in such a way that it makes it possible to consider the motion of a medium at an arbitrary velocity, including relativistic ones. This approach permits studying neutrino-spin oscillations under the effect of an arbitrary external electromagnetic field. In particular, it is predicted that, in the field of an electromagnetic wave, new resonances may exist in neutrino oscillations. In the case of spin oscillations in various electromagnetic fields, the concept of a critical magnetic-field-component strength is introduced above which the oscillations become sizable. The use of the Lorentz-invariant formalism in considering neutrino oscillations in moving matter leads to the conclusion that the relativistic motion of matter significantly affects the character of neutrino oscillations and can radically change the conditions under which the oscillations are resonantly enhanced. Possible new effects in neutrino oscillations are discussed for the case of neutrino propagation in relativistic fluxes of matter.

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The possible emergence of neutrino-spin oscillations (for example,  $\nu_{eL} \leftrightarrow \nu_{eR}$ ) owing to neutrino interaction with matter under the condition that there exists a nonzero transverse current component or matter polarization (that is,  $\mathbf{M}_{0\perp} \neq 0$ ) is the most important new effect that follows from the investigation of neutrino-spin oscillations in Section 4. So far, it has been assumed that neutrino-spin oscillations may arise only in the case where there exists a nonzero transverse magnetic field in the neutrino rest frame.

Consider <sup>spin</sup>  
<sup>spin-flavour</sup>

$$\nu_{eL} \rightarrow \nu_{eR}, \quad \nu_{eL} \rightarrow \nu_{\mu R}$$

$$P(\nu_i \rightarrow \nu_j) = \sin^2(2\theta_{\text{eff}}) \sin^2 \frac{\pi x}{L_{\text{eff}}}, \quad i \neq j$$

$$L_{\text{eff}} = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{E_{\text{eff}}^2 + \Delta_{\text{eff}}^2}}$$

$$\sin^2 2\theta_{\text{eff}} = \frac{E_{\text{eff}}^2}{E_{\text{eff}}^2 + \Delta_{\text{eff}}^2}, \quad \Delta_{\text{eff}}^2 = \frac{\mu}{\gamma_\nu} |\mathbf{M}_{0\parallel} + \mathbf{B}_{0\parallel}|. \quad E_{\text{eff}} = \mu \left| \mathbf{B}_\perp + \frac{1}{\gamma_\nu} \mathbf{M}_{0\perp} \right|,$$

A.Studenikin,  
“Neutrinos in electromagnetic  
fields and moving media”,  
Phys. Atom. Nucl. 67 (2004)

$$\left\{ \bar{\mathbf{M}}_0 = \gamma_\nu \rho n_e \left( \bar{\beta}_\nu (1 - \bar{\beta}_\nu) \bar{v}_e^\parallel - \frac{1}{\gamma_\nu} \bar{v}_e^\perp \right), \right.$$

$$\gamma_\nu = \frac{E_\nu}{m_\nu},$$

matter density

• transversal current  $\mathbf{j}$

||

⊥

where

$$\rho = \frac{G_F}{2\mu_\nu \sqrt{2}} (1 + 4 \sin^2 \theta_W)$$

... the effect of  $\nu$  helicity  
conversions and oscillations induced by  
transversal matter currents has been recently confirmed:

$$\nu_{eL} \rightarrow \nu_{eR}, \quad \nu_{eL} \rightarrow \nu_{\mu R}$$

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“Neutrino-antineutrino correlations in dense anisotropic media”, Phys. Rev. D90 (2014) 125040
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Phys. Lett. B747 (2015) 27
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“Neutrino propagation in media: flavor-, helicity-, and pair correlations”, Phys. Rev. D91 (2015) 125020 ...

# Neutrino spin (spin-flavour) oscillations in transversal matter currents

... quantum treatment ...

- $\checkmark$  spin evolution effective Hamiltonian in moving matter  $\vec{j}_\perp + \vec{j}_{||}$  ? transversal and longitudinal currents
- two flavor  $\checkmark$  with two helicities:  $\nu_f = (\nu_e^+, \nu_e^-, \nu_\mu^+, \nu_\mu^-)^T$
- $\checkmark$  interaction with matter composed of neutrons:  $n = \frac{n_0}{\sqrt{1-v^2}}$  neutron number density in laboratory reference frame  
 $\mathbf{v} = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$  velocity of matter
- $L_{\text{int}} = -f^\mu \sum_l \bar{\nu}_l(x) \gamma_\mu \frac{1+\gamma_5}{2} \nu_l(x) = -f^\mu \sum_i \bar{\nu}_i(x) \gamma_\mu \frac{1+\gamma_5}{2} \nu_i(x)$   $l = e, \text{ or } \mu$   
 $i = 1, 2$
- $f^\mu = -\frac{G_F}{2\sqrt{2}} j_n^\mu$
- $j_n^\mu = n(1, \mathbf{v})$
- $\nu_e^\pm = \nu_1^\pm \cos \theta + \nu_2^\pm \sin \theta,$   
 $\nu_\mu^\pm = -\nu_1^\pm \sin \theta + \nu_2^\pm \cos \theta$

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$\checkmark$  flavour and mass states

# $\nu$ (2 flavours $\times$ 2 helicities) evolution equation

$$i \frac{d}{dt} \nu_f^s = \left( H_0 + \Delta H_0^{SM} + \Delta H_{j_{||}+j_{\perp}}^{SM} + \Delta H_{B_{||}+B_{\perp}}^{SM} + \Delta H_0^{NSI} + \Delta H_{j_{||}+j_{\perp}}^{NSI} \right) \nu_f^s$$

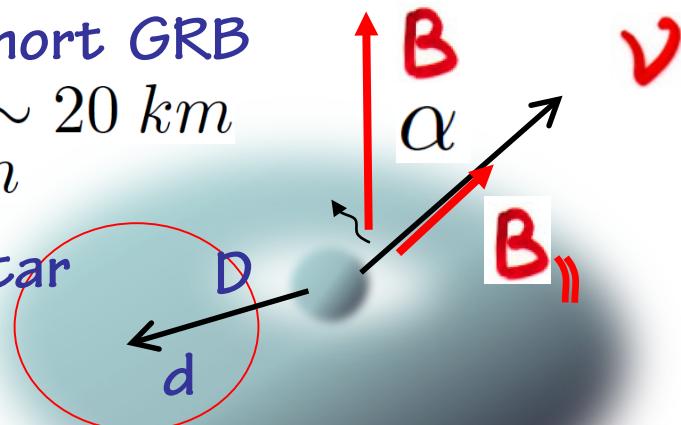
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 vacuum      matter at rest      moving matter      B      matter at rest      moving matter  
 Standard Model      Non-Standard Interactions

Resonant amplification of  $\nu$  oscillations:

- $\nu_e^L \Leftarrow (j_{\perp}) \Rightarrow \nu_e^R$  by longitudinal matter current  $j_{||}$
- $\nu_e^L \Leftarrow (j_{\perp}) \Rightarrow \nu_e^R$  by longitudinal  $B_{||}$
- $\nu_e^L \Leftarrow (j_{\perp}) \Rightarrow \nu_{\mu}^R$  by matter-at-rest effect
- $\nu_e^L \Leftarrow (j_{\perp}^{NSI}) \Rightarrow \nu_{\mu}^R$  by matter-at-rest effect

$$\nu_e^L \Leftarrow (j_\perp) \Rightarrow \nu_e^R$$

a model of short GRB  
 $D \sim 20 \text{ km}$   
 $d \sim 20 \text{ km}$



- Consider  $v$  escaping central neutron star with inclination angle  $\alpha$  from accretion disk:  $B_{\parallel} = B \sin \alpha \sim \frac{1}{2} B$

- Toroidal bulk of rotating dense matter with  $\omega = 10^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$

- transversal velocity of matter

$$v_{\perp} = \omega D = 0.067 \text{ and } \gamma_n = 1.002$$

$$E_{eff} = \left( \frac{\eta}{\gamma} \right)_{ee} \tilde{G} n v_{\perp} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\gamma_{11}} \tilde{G} n v_{\perp} \approx \tilde{G} n_0 \frac{\gamma_n}{\gamma_{\nu}} v_{\perp}$$

$$\Delta_{eff} = \left| \left( \frac{\mu}{\gamma} \right)_{ee} B_{\parallel} + \eta_{ee} \tilde{G} n \beta \right| \approx \left| \frac{\mu_{11}}{\gamma_{\nu}} B_{\parallel} - \tilde{G} n_0 \gamma_n \right|$$

$$B_{\parallel} \beta = -1$$

resonance condition

$$E_{eff} \geq \Delta_{eff}$$

• Perego et al,  
*Mon.Not.Roy.Astron.Soc.*  
 443 (2014) 3134  
 • Grigoriev, Lokhov,  
*Studenikin, Ternov,*  
*JCAP 1711 (2017) 024*

$$\left| \frac{\mu_{11} B_{\parallel}}{\tilde{G} n_0 \gamma_n} - \gamma_{\nu} \right| \leq 1$$

•

**Resonance amplification of spin-flavor oscillations  
(in the absence of  $\mathbf{j}$ )**

$$\nu_e^L \Leftarrow (j_\perp, B_\perp) \Rightarrow \nu_\mu^R$$

$$\vec{B} = \vec{B}_\perp + \vec{B}_{||} \rightarrow 0$$

**Criterion – oscillations are important:**

$$\sin^2 2\theta_{\text{eff}} = \frac{E_{\text{eff}}^2}{E_{\text{eff}}^2 + \Delta_{\text{eff}}^2} \geq \frac{1}{2}$$

$$E_{\text{eff}} = \left| \mu_{e\mu} B_\perp + \left( \frac{\eta}{\gamma} \right)_{e\mu} \tilde{G} n v_\perp \right| \geq \left| \Delta M - \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\mu_{11}}{\gamma_{11}} + \frac{\mu_{22}}{\gamma_{22}} \right) B_{||} - \tilde{G} n (1 - \mathbf{v} \beta) \right|$$

**neglecting  $\vec{B} = \vec{B}_\perp + \vec{B}_{||} \rightarrow 0$ :**

$$L_{\text{eff}} = \frac{\pi}{\left( \frac{\eta}{\gamma} \right)_{e\mu} \tilde{G} n v_\perp} \quad \left( \frac{\eta}{\gamma} \right)_{e\mu} \approx \frac{\sin 2\theta}{\gamma_\nu}$$

$$\left| \left( \frac{\eta}{\gamma} \right)_{e\mu} \tilde{G} n v_\perp \right| \geq \left| \Delta M - \tilde{G} n (1 - \mathbf{v} \beta) \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{G} n \sim \Delta M$$

•

  $\Delta m^2 = 7.37 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$

$$\tilde{G} = \frac{G_F}{2\sqrt{2}} = 0.4 \times 10^{-23} \text{ eV}^{-2}$$

•  $\sin^2 \theta = 0.297$   
 $p_0^\nu = 10^6 \text{ eV}$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta M = 0.75 \times 10^{-11} \text{ eV}$$

$$n_0 \sim \frac{\Delta M}{\tilde{G}} = 10^{12} \text{ eV}^3 \approx 10^{26} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$L_{\text{eff}} = \frac{\pi}{\left( \frac{\eta}{\gamma} \right)_{e\mu} \tilde{G} n v_\perp} \approx 5 \times 10^{11} \text{ km}$$

•  $L_{\text{eff}} \approx 10 \text{ km}$  (within short GRB) if  $n_0 \approx 5 \times 10^{36} \text{ cm}^{-3}$  •

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v

# “Neutrino eigenstates and flavour, spin and spin-flavour oscillations in a constant magnetic field”

$$\nu_e^L \leftrightarrow \nu_\mu^L$$

$$\nu_e^L \leftrightarrow \nu_e^R$$

$$\nu_e^L \leftrightarrow \nu_\mu^R$$

A.Popov, A.Studenikin,

Eur. Phys .J. C79 (2019) 144

arXiv: 1902.08195

Consider two flavour  $\nu$  with two helicities as superposition of helicity mass states  $\nu_i^{L(R)}$

$$\nu_e^{L(R)} = \nu_1^{L(R)} \cos \theta + \nu_2^{L(R)} \sin \theta,$$

$$\nu_\mu^{L(R)} = -\nu_1^{L(R)} \sin \theta + \nu_2^{L(R)} \cos \theta$$

however,  $\nu_i^{L(R)}$  are not stationary states in magnetic field  $\mathbf{B} = (B_\perp, 0, B_\parallel)$



$$\nu_i^L(t) = c_i^+ \nu_i^+(t) + c_i^- \nu_i^-(t),$$

$$\nu_i^R(t) = d_i^+ \nu_i^+(t) + d_i^- \nu_i^-(t)$$

$$\leftarrow \nu_i^{-(+)} \quad \text{stationary states in } \mathbf{B}$$

stationary states in  $\mathbf{B}$

• Dirac equation  $(\gamma_\mu p^\mu - m_i - \mu_i \Sigma \mathbf{B}) \nu_i^s(p) = 0$  in a constant  $\mathbf{B}$

$$\hat{H}_i \nu_i^s = E \nu_i^s$$

$$\hat{H}_i = \gamma_0 \gamma \mathbf{p} + \mu_i \gamma_0 \Sigma \mathbf{B} + m_i \gamma_0 \quad (s = \pm 1)$$

$$\mu_{ij} (i \neq j) = 0$$

$\nu$  spin operator that commutes with  $\hat{H}_i$  : “bra-ket” products

$$\hat{S}_i = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \Sigma \mathbf{B} - \frac{i}{m_i} \gamma_0 \gamma_5 [\Sigma \times \mathbf{p}] \mathbf{B} \right]$$

$$\hat{S}_i |\nu_i^s\rangle = s |\nu_i^s\rangle, s = \pm 1$$

$$\langle \nu_i^s | \nu_k^{s'} \rangle = \delta_{ik} \delta_{ss'}$$

$$\frac{1}{N} = \frac{m_i}{\sqrt{m_i^2 \mathbf{B}^2 + \mathbf{p}^2 B_\perp^2}}$$

$\nu$  energy spectrum

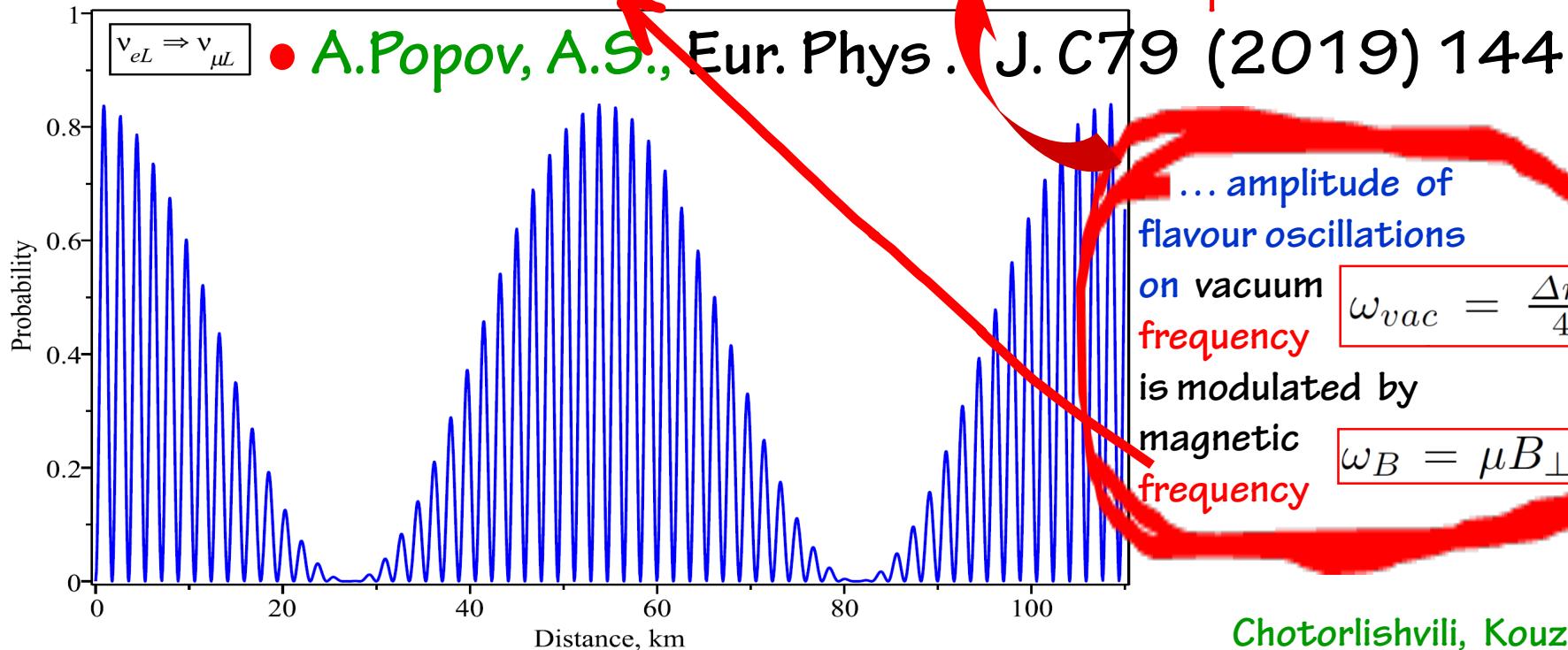
$$E_i^s = \sqrt{m_i^2 + \mathbf{p}^2 + \mu_i^2 \mathbf{B}^2 + 2\mu_i s \sqrt{m_i^2 \mathbf{B}^2 + \mathbf{p}^2 B_\perp^2}}$$

• For the case  $\mu_1 = \mu_2$ , probability of flavour oscillations

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L} = \left(1 - \sin^2(\mu B_\perp t)\right) \sin^2 2\theta \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m^2}{4p} t = \left(1 - P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^R}^{cust}\right) P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L}^{cust}$$

flavour

no spin oscillations



**Fig. 1** The probability of the neutrino flavour oscillations  $\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L$  in the transversal magnetic field

- $B_\perp = 10^{16} G$  for the neutrino energy  $p = 1 MeV$ ,  $\Delta m^2 = 7 \times 10^{-5} eV^2$  and magnetic moments  $\mu_1 = \mu_2 = 10^{-20} \mu_B$ .

... amplitude of  
flavour oscillations

on vacuum  
frequency

$$\omega_{vac} = \frac{\Delta m^2}{4p}$$

is modulated by  
magnetic  
frequency

$$\omega_B = \mu B_\perp$$

Chotorlishvili, Kouzakov,

Kurashvili, Studenikin,

Spin-flavor oscillations of  
ultrahigh-energy cosmic neutrinos  
in interstellar space: The role of  
neutrino magnetic moments,  
Phys. Rev. D96 (2017) 103017

- For completeness:  $\nu$  survival  $\nu_e^L \leftrightarrow \nu_e^L$  probability  
... depends on  $\mu$ , and  $B$

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^L}(t) = \left\{ \cos(\mu_+ B_\perp t) \cos(\mu_- B_\perp t) - \cos 2\theta \sin(\mu_+ B_\perp t) \sin(\mu_- B_\perp t) \right\}^2 - \sin^2 2\theta \cos(\mu_1 B_\perp t) \cos(\mu_2 B_\perp t) \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m^2}{4p} t$$

  $\sum$  of all probabilities (as it should be...):

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L} + P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^R} + P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^R} + P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^L} = 1$$

A.Popov, A.S., Eur. Phys .J. C79 (2019) 144

the discovered correspondence between flavour and spin oscillations in  $B$  can be important in studies of  $\nu$  propagation in astrophysical environments

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# New effect in $\nu$ flavor oscillation in moving matter

$$\nu_e^L \Leftarrow (j_{||}, j_{\perp}) \Rightarrow \nu_\mu^L \quad j_{\perp} = nv_{\perp}$$

longitudinal      transversal  
matter currents

Invariant number density

Studenikin, Nuovo Cim. C42 (2019) n.6;  
arXiv: 1912.12491

- Equal role of  $j_{\perp}$  and  $B_{\perp}$  in generation of

$$\nu_e^L \Leftarrow (j_{\perp}, B_{\perp}) \Rightarrow \nu_e^R \text{ spin oscillations}$$

$$\nu_e^L \Leftarrow (j_{\perp}, B_{\perp}) \Rightarrow \nu_\mu^R \text{ spin-flavour}$$

- Probability of  $\nu$  flavor oscillations  $\nu_e^L \Leftarrow (j_{||}, j_{\perp}) \Rightarrow \nu_\mu^L$  in moving matter

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L}^{(j_{||}+j_{\perp})}(t) = \left( 1 - P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^R}^{(j_{\perp})} - P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^R}^{(j_{\perp})} \right) P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L}^{(j_{||})}$$

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L}^{(j_{||})}(t) = \sin^2 2\theta_{eff} \sin^2 \omega_{eff} t, \quad \omega_{eff} = \frac{\Delta m_{eff}^2}{4p_0^{\nu}}$$

probability of spin survival  
(not spin flip)

probability of flavor oscillations in  $j_{||}$

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^R}^{j_{\perp}}(t) = \frac{\left(\frac{\eta}{\gamma}\right)_{ee}^2 v_{\perp}^2}{\left(\frac{\eta}{\gamma}\right)_{ee}^2 v_{\perp}^2 + (1-v\beta)^2} \sin^2 \omega_{ee}^{j_{\perp}} t$$

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^R}^{j_{\perp}}(t) = \frac{\left(\frac{\eta}{\gamma}\right)_{e\mu}^2 v_{\perp}^2}{\left(\frac{\eta}{\gamma}\right)_{e\mu}^2 v_{\perp}^2 + \left(\frac{\Delta M}{Gn} - (1-v\beta)\right)^2} \sin^2 \omega_{e\mu}^{j_{\perp}} t$$

spin oscillations in  $j_{\perp}$

spin-flavor oscillations in  $j_{\perp}$

$$\omega_{ee}^{j_{\perp}} = \tilde{G}n \sqrt{\left(\frac{\eta}{\gamma}\right)_{ee}^2 v_{\perp}^2 + (1-v\beta)^2}$$

... is modulated by  
two "matter"  
frequencies ...

$$\left(\frac{\eta}{\gamma}\right)_{ee} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\gamma_{11}} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\gamma_{22}} \quad \gamma_{\alpha\alpha'}^{-1} = \frac{1}{2}(\gamma_{\alpha}^{-1} + \gamma_{\alpha'}^{-1}) \quad \gamma_{\alpha}^{-1} = \frac{m_{\alpha}}{E_{\alpha}}$$

$$\omega_{e\mu}^{j_{\perp}} = \tilde{G}n \sqrt{\left(\frac{\eta}{\gamma}\right)_{e\mu}^2 v_{\perp}^2 + \left(\frac{\Delta M}{\tilde{G}n} - (1-v\beta)\right)^2}$$

$$\left(\frac{\eta}{\gamma}\right)_{e\mu} = \frac{\sin 2\theta}{\tilde{\gamma}_{21}} \quad \tilde{\gamma}_{\alpha\alpha'}^{-1} = \frac{1}{2}(\gamma_{\alpha}^{-1} - \gamma_{\alpha'}^{-1})$$

# Conclusions

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- ③



# 1 Electromagnetic Properties of $\nu$

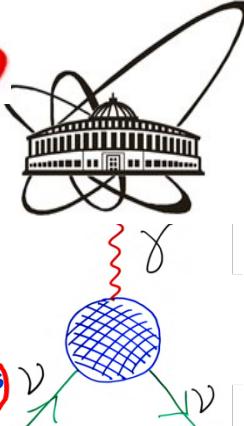
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Studenikin,

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## $\nu$ EP theory - $\nu$ vertex function

$$\Lambda_\mu(q) = f_Q^{\text{if}}(q^2)\gamma_\mu + f_M^{\text{if}}(q^2)i\sigma_{\mu\nu}q^\nu + f_E^{\text{if}}(q^2)\sigma_{\mu\nu}q^\nu\gamma_5 + f_A^{\text{if}}(q^2)(q^2\gamma_\mu - q_\mu q)\gamma_5,$$

form factors  
 $f_X^{\text{if}}(q^2)$  at  $q^2 = 0$   
static EP of  $\nu$

electric charge  
magnetic moment  
electric moment  
anapole moment

Dirac  $\nu$  Majorana  
 $q_{\text{if}}$        $q_{\text{if}} = 0$   
 $\mu_{\text{if}}$        $\mu_{\text{if}}(i \neq f)$   
 $\epsilon_{\text{if}}$        $\epsilon_{\text{if}}(i \neq f)$   
 $a_{\text{if}}$        $a_{\text{if}}$

CPT + charge conservation

Hermiticity and discrete symmetries of EM current  
 $\langle \nu(p') | J_\mu^{EM} | \nu(p) \rangle = \bar{u}(p') \Lambda_\mu(q) u(p)$  put constraints on form factors

$$2 \quad \mu_{jj}^D = \frac{3e_0 G_F m_j}{8\sqrt{2}\pi^2} \approx 3.2 \times 10^{-19} \mu_B \left( \frac{m_j}{1 \text{ eV}} \right)$$

Fujikawa & Shrock, 1980

- much greater values are Beyond Minimally Extended SM
- transition moments  $\frac{\mu}{\epsilon_{i \neq f}}$  are GIM suppressed

## 3 $\nu$ EMP experimental bounds

$$\mu_{\nu}^{\text{eff}} < 2.8 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B$$

GEMMA Coll. 2012

Borexino Coll. 2017

Astrophysics, Raffelt ea 1988

Arcoa Dias ea 2015

$$q_\nu < \sim 10^{-12} \quad \sim 10^{-19} \quad \sim 10^{-21}$$

reactor  $\nu$  scattering  
AS '14, Chen ea '14  
AS '14 (astrophysics)  
neutrality of matter

# ✓ electromagnetic properties: Future prospects



- new constraints on  $\mu_\nu$  (and  $q_\nu$ )  
from GEMMA-3 / νGeN and Borexino (?)
- XENON Coll. an excess in electronic recoil events in  
1-7 keV over known backgrounds
- new setup to observe coherent elastic neutrino-atom  
scattering using electron antineutrinos from tritium decay  
and a liquid helium target - upper limit :

$$\mu_\nu \in (1.4, 2.9) \times 10^{-11} \mu_B$$

arXiv: 2006.0972  
30 June, 2020

$$\mu_\nu < 7 \times 10^{-13} \mu_B$$

see poster # 720  
by Emmanuele Picciano  
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$\nu$  electromagnetic interactions (new effects)  
three new aspects of  $\nu$  spin, spin-flavour and  
flavour oscillations

generation of  $\nu$  spin and spin-flavour  
oscillations by  $\nu$  interaction with  
transversal matter current  $j_{\perp}$

Studenikin,  
2014, 2019  
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Studenikin,  
Phys.Rev. D98  
(2018) 113009

consistent treatment of  $\nu$  spin, flavour  
and spin-flavour oscillations in  $B$

Popov,  
Studenikin,  
Eur. Phys. J. C 79  
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new effects in  $\nu$  oscillations in analysis  
of supernovae  $\nu$  fluxes (for JUNO, DUNE & HK)

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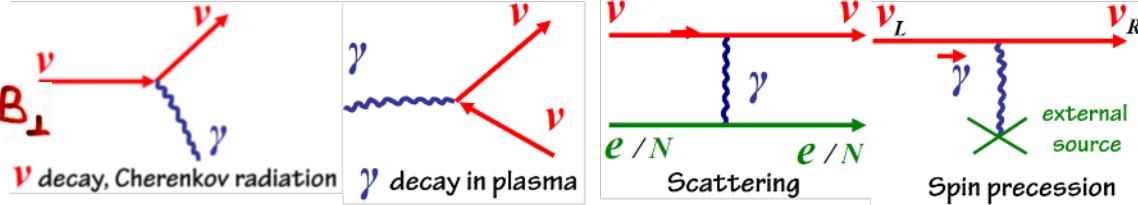
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Effects of  $\nu$  magnetic moment:

- spin precession and oscillations in  $B_{\perp}$

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Raffelt, Schechter, Petkov, Ahmedov, Lim,

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Electromagnetic interactions and oscillations of ultrahigh-energy cosmic  $\nu$  in interstellar space

Kouzakov & AS,

PRD 96 (2017)

$$L_B = \pi / \mu_\nu B$$

$$P_{\nu^L \rightarrow \nu^R}(x) = \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi x}{L_B} \right)$$

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L}(x) = [1 - P_{\nu^L \rightarrow \nu^R}(x)] \sin^2 2\theta \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi x}{L_{\text{vac}}} \right)$$

amplitude of flavour oscillations is modulated by  $\mu_\nu B$  frequency

②

$\nu$  flavour, spin and spin-flavour oscillations and consistent account for constant magnetic field

Popov & AS, Eur. Phys. J. C 79

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probability of spin oscillations depends on  $\Delta m^2$

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^R} = \left\{ \sin(\mu_+ B_{\perp} t) \cos(\mu_- B_{\perp} t) + \cos 2\theta \sin(\mu_- B_{\perp} t) \cos(\mu_+ B_{\perp} t) \right\}^2 - \sin^2 2\theta \sin(\mu_1 B_{\perp} t) \sin(\mu_2 B_{\perp} t) \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m^2}{4p} t$$

③

$\nu$  spin and spin-flavour oscillations engendered by transversal matter current

Pustoshny & AS,  
Phys. Rev. D98 (2018) 113009

Studenikin 2004, 2017



• transversal matter currents  $j_{\perp}$  do change  $\nu$  helicity !

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Spin-light of  $\nu$  in Gamma-Ray Bursts

Grigoriev, Lokhov, Studenikin, Ternov

new mechanism of EM radiation by  $\nu$   
JCAP 1711 (2017) no. 11, 024  
“SL  $\nu$  in astrophysical environments”

# Probabilities of $\nu$ oscillations (flavour, spin and spin-flavour)

$$\nu_e^L \leftrightarrow \nu_\mu^L$$

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L}(t) = |\langle \nu_\mu^L | \nu_e^L(t) \rangle|^2$$

$$\mu_{\pm} = \frac{1}{2}(\mu_1 \pm \mu_2)$$

magnetic moments  
of  $\nu$  mass states

**flavour**

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L}(t) = \sin^2 2\theta \left\{ \cos(\mu_1 B_\perp t) \cos(\mu_2 B_\perp t) \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m^2}{4p} t + \right.$$

$$\left. + \sin^2(\mu_+ B_\perp t) \sin^2(\mu_- B_\perp t) \right\}$$

**spin**

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^R} = \left\{ \sin(\mu_+ B_\perp t) \cos(\mu_- B_\perp t) + \cos 2\theta \sin(\mu_- B_\perp t) \cos(\mu_+ B_\perp t) \right\}^2$$

$$- \sin^2 2\theta \sin(\mu_1 B_\perp t) \sin(\mu_2 B_\perp t) \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m^2}{4p} t.$$

**spin-flavour**

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^R}(t) = \sin^2 2\theta \left\{ \sin^2 \mu_- B_\perp t \cos^2(\mu_+ B_\perp t) + \right.$$

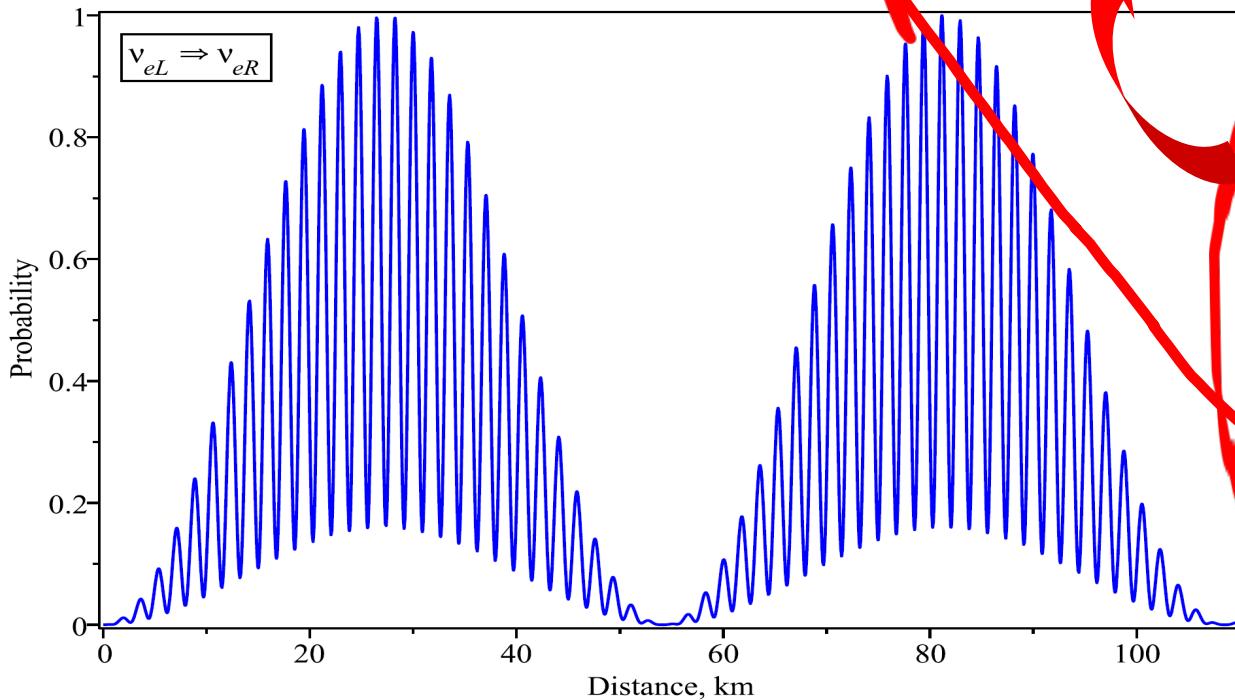
$$\left. + \sin(\mu_1 B_\perp t) \sin(\mu_2 B_\perp t) \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m^2}{4p} t \right\}$$

... interplay of oscillations  
on vacuum  $\omega_{vac} = \frac{\Delta m^2}{4p}$   
and  
on magnetic frequencies  $\omega_B = \mu B_\perp$

# For the case $\mu_1 = \mu_2$ , probability of spin oscillations

- $P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^R} = \left[ 1 - \sin^2 2\theta \sin^2 \left( \frac{\Delta m^2}{4p} t \right) \right] \sin^2(\mu B_\perp t) = (1 - P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L}^{cust}) P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^R}^{cust}$

spin



no flavour oscillations

... amplitude of  
spin oscillations  
on magnetic  
frequency  
is modulated by  
vacuum  
frequency

$$\omega_B = \mu B_\perp$$

$$\omega_{vac} = \frac{\Delta m^2}{4p}$$

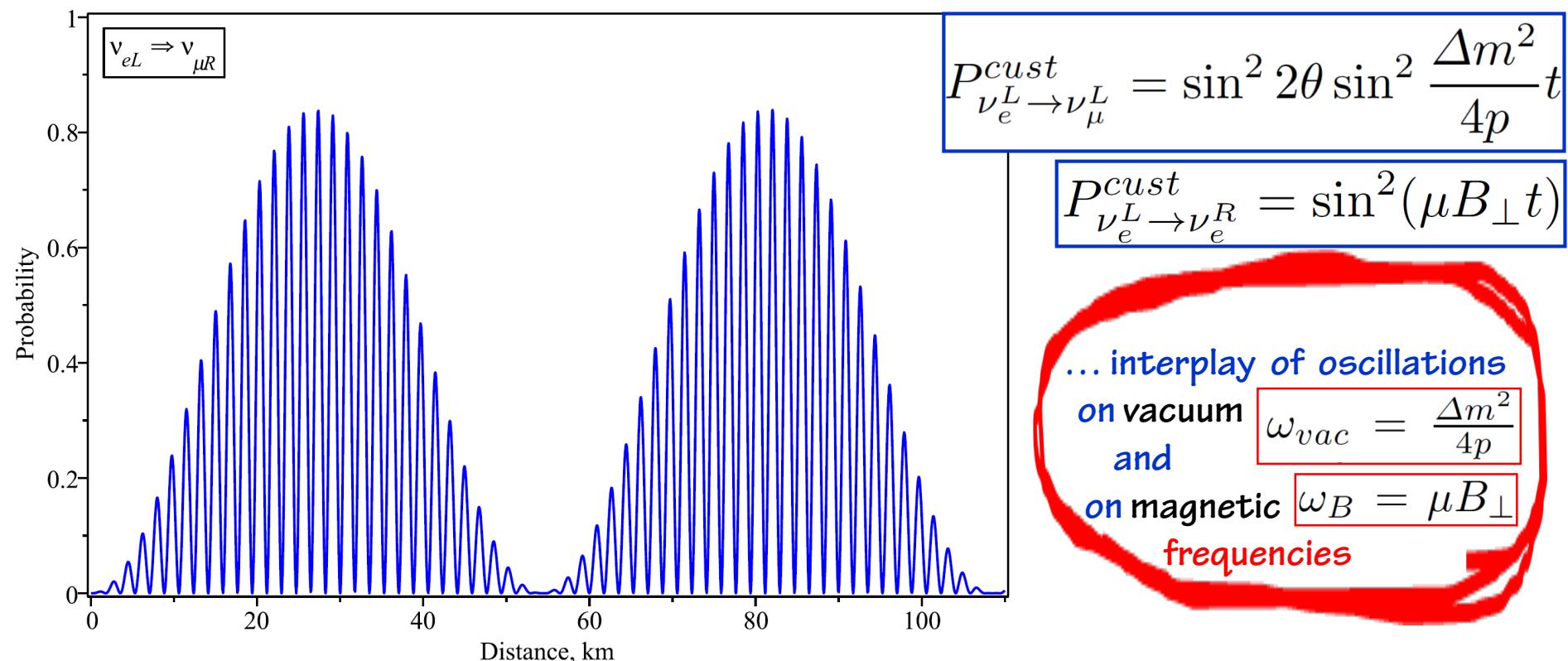
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**Fig. 2** The probability of the neutrino spin oscillations  $\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^R$  in the transversal magnetic field  $B_\perp = 10^{16} G$  for the neutrino energy  $p = 1 MeV$ ,  $\Delta m^2 = 7 \times 10^{-5} eV^2$  and magnetic moments  $\mu_1 = \mu_2 = 10^{-20} \mu_B$ .

• For the case  $\mu_1 = \mu_2$ , probability of spin-flavour oscillations

$$P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^R} = \sin^2(\mu B_\perp t) \sin^2 2\theta \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m^2}{4p} t = P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_e^R}^{cust} P_{\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^L}^{cust}$$

spin-flavour

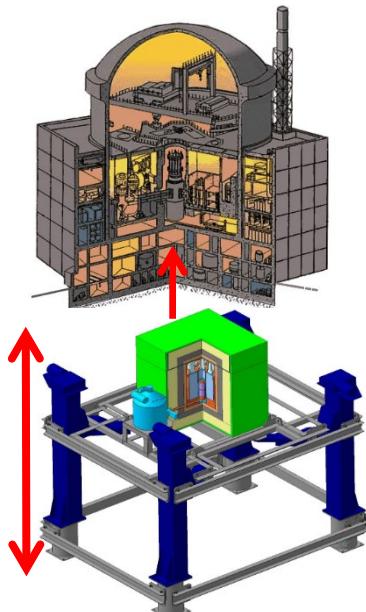


**Fig. 3** The probability of the neutrino spin flavour oscillations  $\nu_e^L \rightarrow \nu_\mu^R$  in the transversal magnetic field  $B_\perp = 10^{16} G$  for the neutrino energy  $p = 1 \text{ MeV}$ ,  $\Delta m^2 = 7 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$  and magnetic moments  $\mu_1 = \mu_2 = 10^{-20} \mu_B$ .

... in literature:

- $P_{\nu_e^L \nu_\mu^R} = \sin^2(\mu_{e\mu} B_\perp t) = 0$
- $\mu_{e\mu} = \frac{1}{2}(\mu_2 - \mu_1) \sin 2\theta$
- $\mu_1 = \mu_2, \mu_{ij} = 0, i \neq j$

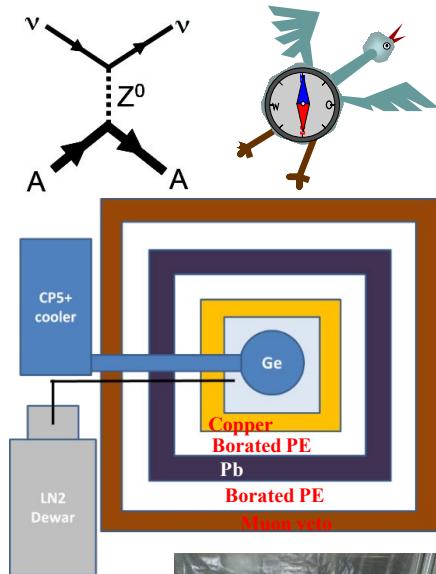
# experiment at Kalinin nuclear power plant



The GEMMA-3/vGeN projects investigate fundamental properties of neutrino at Kalinin Nuclear Power Plant (KNPP) with a low background innovative semiconductor HPGe detectors. In particular, the searches for CEvNS and magnetic moment of neutrino are performed. Such investigations allow us to perform a search for the New Physics using non-standard neutrino interactions, investigation of the nuclear structure, and many other applications, including reactor monitoring.

The setup is been constructing at  $\sim 10$  m from powerful 3.1 GW reactor's core under an enormous antineutrino flux of more than  $> 5 \cdot 10^{13} \text{ v}/(\text{s} \cdot \text{cm}^2)$ . The location also allows to have good shielding against cosmic radiation  $\sim 50$  m w.e. Backgrounds from surrounding and cosmic radiation are suppressed by passive and active shielding.

Measurements at LSM underground laboratory (Modane, France) proved very good radiopurity of all components. The movable platform allows to suppress systematic uncertainties connected with unknown information about neutrino flux and backgrounds. In November 2019, the first HPGe detector was moved to the experimental room at KNPP and we started commissioning measurements.



*... courtesy V. Brudanin and E. Yakushev ...*

# results and plans

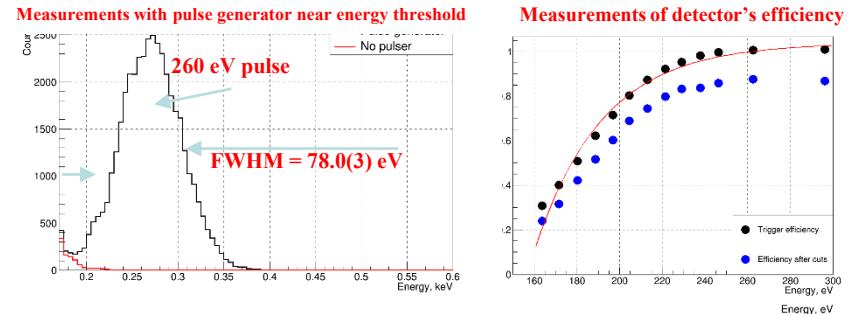
The measurements at JINR demonstrated a possibility to acquire signal below 200 eV (with trigger efficiency of about 70%). Energy resolution of the first detector measured with pulse generator is 78.0(3) eV (FWHM).

The preliminary background measurements at KNPP showed that all visible lines are from cosmogenic isotopes and decreasing with time. Resolution of cosmogenic lines are: 10.37 keV – 187(3) eV (FWHM), for 1.3 keV – 124(9) eV (FWHM).

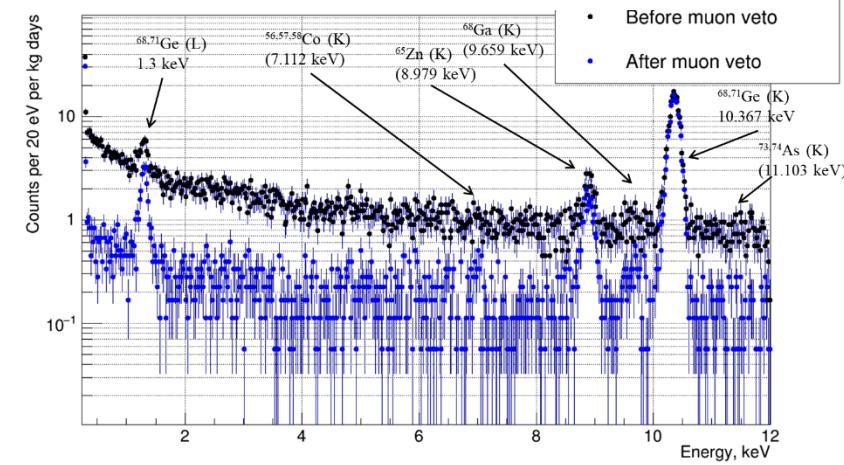
## Improvement in comparison with GEMMA-I:

- ✓ Energy threshold: 2 keV → 200 eV (achived)
- ✓ Neutrino flux:  $2.6 \cdot 10^{13} \text{ v}/(\text{s} \cdot \text{cm}^2)$  →  $5 \cdot 10^{13} \text{ v}/(\text{s} \cdot \text{cm}^2)$  (place is ready)
- ✓ Mass: 1.5 kg → 5.5 kg (first detector is at place, waiting for others to be ready)
- ✓  $\mu_v < 2.9 \cdot 10^{-11} \mu_B$  (world best limit) →  $\mu_v < (5-9) \cdot 10^{-12} \mu_B$  (after few years of data taking)

A good background index has been achieved! Due to the influence of COVID-19, measurements at the KNPP are just restarted. We will continue investigations of the neutrino properties with aim to achieve sensitivity to the detection of CEvNS in a region of full coherence.



Part of the energy spectrum of germanium detector at KNPP



Preliminary! Further Background decrease is expected!

*... courtesy V. Brudanin and E. Yakushev ...*

# Effective $\nu$ magnetic moment in experiments

(for neutrino produced as  $\nu_l$  with energy  $E$   
and after traveling a distance  $L$ )

$$\mu_\nu^2(\nu_l, L, E_\nu) = \sum_j \left| \sum_i U_{li} e^{-iE_i L} \mu_{ji} \right|^2$$

where

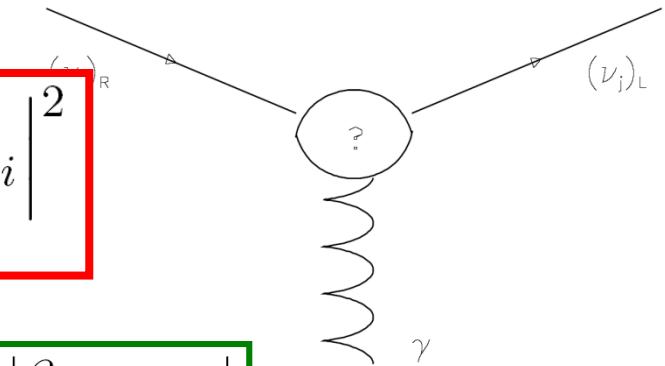
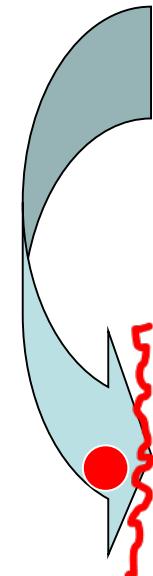
neutrino mixing matrix

$$\mu_{ij} \equiv |\beta_{ij} - \varepsilon_{ij}|$$

magnetic and electric moments

Observable  $\mu_\nu$  is an effective parameter that depends on neutrino flavour composition at the detector.

Implications of  $\mu_\nu$  limits from different experiments  
(reactor, solar  ${}^8\text{B}$  and  ${}^7\text{Be}$ ) are different.



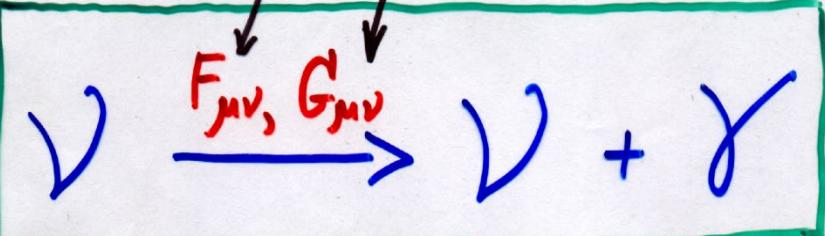
# • New mechanism of electromagnetic radiation

SLν

"Spin light of neutrino"

in matter and

electromagnetic fields



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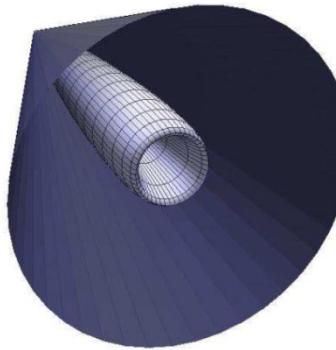


Figure 1: 3D representation of the radiation power distribution.

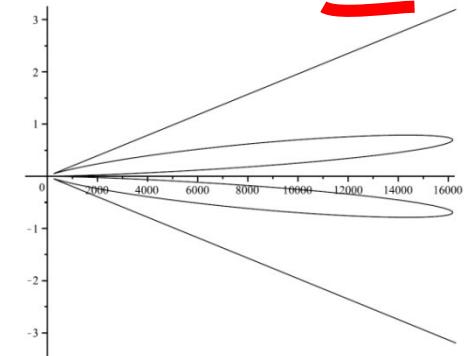


Figure 2: The two-dimensional cut along the symmetry axis. Relative units are used.

#### 4. Conclusions

We developed a detailed evaluation of the spin light of neutrino in matter accounting for effects of the emitted plasmon mass. On the base of the exact solution of the modified Dirac equation for the neutrino wave function in the presence of the background matter the appearance of the threshold for the considered process is confirmed. The obtained exact and explicit threshold condition relation exhibit a rather complicated dependance on the matter density and neutrino mass. The dependance of the rate and power on the neutrino energy, matter density and the angular distribution of the  $SL\nu$  is investigated in details. It is shown how the rate and power wash out when the threshold parameter  $a \equiv m_e^2/4\tilde{n}p$  approaching unity. From the performed detailed analysis it is shown that the  $SL\nu$  mechanism is practically insensitive to the emitted plasmon mass for very high densities of matter ( even up to  $n = 10^{41} cm^{-3}$  ) for ultra-high energy neutrinos for a wide range of energies starting from  $E = 1$  TeV. This conclusion is of interest for astrophysical applications of  $SL\nu$  radiation mechanism in light of the recently reported hints of  $1 \div 10$  PeV neutrinos observed by IceCube [17].

## Spin light of neutrino in astrophysical environments

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## SLν in neutron matter of real astrophysical objects [4]

### Plasma effects [5]

- Photon dispersion with plasmon mass in the degenerate electron gas:

$$\omega = \sqrt{\mathbf{k}^2 + m_\gamma^2}$$

$$m_\gamma = \left(\frac{2\alpha}{\pi}\right)^{1/2} \mu_e \simeq 8.87 \times \left(\frac{n_e}{10^{37} \text{ cm}^{-3}}\right)^{1/3} \text{ MeV}$$

- Threshold condition for the SLν [10]:

$$\frac{m_\gamma^2 + 2m_\gamma m_\nu}{4np} < 1$$

$(Y_e = n_e/n_b)$

- Neutron matter:**  $\bar{n} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} G_F n_n \simeq 3.2 \times \left(\frac{n_n}{10^{38} \text{ cm}^{-3}}\right) \text{ eV}$ , (antineutrinos act)

$$E > p_{th} \simeq 28.5 \times \frac{Y_e^{2/3}}{1 - Y_e} \left(\frac{10^{38} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{n_n}\right)^{1/3} \text{ TeV}$$

$$\rightarrow E_{th} \simeq 6.82 \text{ TeV.}$$

$n_n = 10^{38} \text{ cm}^{-3}, Y_e = 0.1$

- Mean photon energy near the threshold:  $\langle \omega \rangle = I/\Gamma \simeq p \simeq E_\nu$ .

For most favorable conditions as low density of the charged matter component is needed as possible

Neutrino 2018 (Heidelberg) & ICHEP 2018 (Seoul), June-July 2018

## The SLν in short Gamma-Ray Bursts (SGRBs)

### Factors for best SLν generation efficiency

- High neutrino energy and density
- High background neutral matter density
- Low density of the matter charged component
- Low temperature of the charged component
- Considerable extension of the medium



SLν radiation by ultra high-energy neutrino in the diffuse neutrino wind blown during neutron stars merger

### W boson production $\bar{\nu}_e + e^- \rightarrow W^-$ [4]

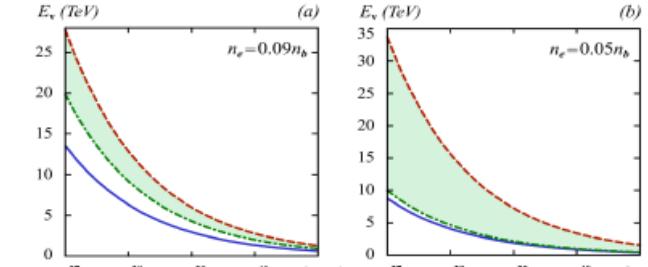
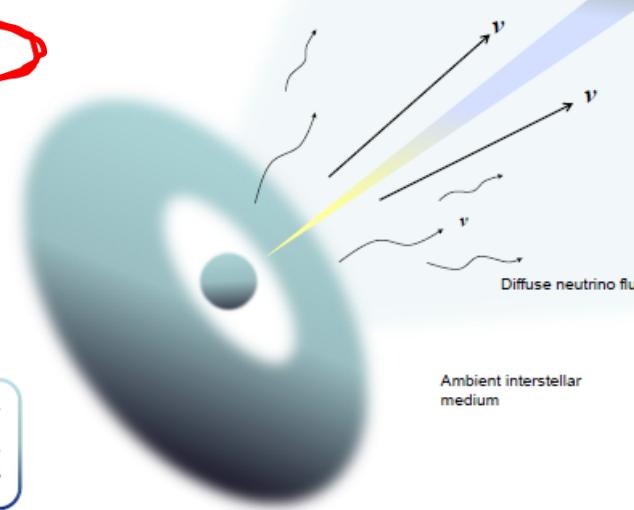


Figure 2. The allowed range of electron antineutrino energies for the SLν in the matter of a neutron star depending on the neutron density. Solid line: the SLν process threshold without account for the  $\nu_e$ -scattering; dash-dotted line: the SLν process threshold with account for the  $\nu_e$ -scattering; dashed line: the threshold for the W boson production. (a)  $Y_e = 0.09$ ; (b)  $Y_e = 0.05$ . The allowed regions are marked in green.



$$\text{W-boson threshold energy } \varepsilon_W = \frac{m_W^2}{4\mu_e} \simeq 5.77 \times \left(\frac{10^{38} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{Y_e n_n}\right)^{1/3} \text{ TeV}$$

- Electron antineutrinos: s-channel interaction with matter through W-boson, importance of the propagator effects



correction to the effective potential of neutrino motion → antineutrino energy shift up → SLν is suppressed at  $Y_e = 0.1$ , but allowed already for  $Y_e = 0.09$

- $\mu$  and  $\tau$  antineutrinos: only t-channel interaction with matter through Z-boson, no propagator effects



the SLν is allowed if neutrino energy is greater than the W-boson threshold  $\varepsilon_W$

Neutrino lifetime with respect to the SLν for most optimistic set of parameters:

$$\tau_{SL\nu} = 10^{-4} - 10^3 \text{ s, for } n_b = 10^{41} - 10^{38} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

### Matter characteristics[6]:

- neutrinos

$$n_\nu \sim 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$



$$n_e \simeq 3 \times 10^{25} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

- electrons

$$Y_e = 0.01$$



$$T = 0.1 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_\gamma \simeq 10^{-3} \text{ MeV}$$

$$\rho = 5 \times 10^3 \text{ g/cm}^3$$

$$E_{th} \simeq 1 \text{ GeV}$$

### Radiation time

$$\tau_{SL\nu} \simeq 5.4 \times 10^{15} \left(\frac{10^{-11} \mu_B}{\mu}\right)^2 \left(\frac{10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{n_\nu}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1 \text{ PeV}}{E_\nu}\right) \text{ s}$$

### Neutrino parameters:

$$\mu \simeq 2.9 \times 10^{-11} \mu_B$$

$$E_\nu \sim 10^{12} - 10^{18} \text{ eV}$$



$$\tau_{SL\nu} \simeq 6.4 \times (10^{11} - 10^{17}) \text{ s} = 2 \times (10^4 - 10^{10}) \text{ years}$$

Astrophysical bounds on  $\mu_\nu$  and  $q_\nu$

# Astrophysics bounds on $\mu_\nu$

... examples...

1) SN 1987A provides energy-loss limit on  $\mu_\nu$  (also  $d$  and related to observed duration of  $\nu$  signal transition moments)

...in magnetic moment scattering  $\nu_e^L + e \rightarrow \nu_e^R + e$

due to change of helicity  $\nu_L \Rightarrow \nu_R$  Dar, Nussinov & Rephaeli, Goldman et al, Notzol, Voloshin, Ayla et al, Balantekin et 1988

proto-neutron star formed in core-collapse SN can cool faster

since  $\nu_R$  are sterile and not trapped in a core like  $\nu_L$  for a few sec

escaping  $\nu_R$  will cool the core very efficient and fast ( $\sim 1$  s)

the observed 5-10 s pulse duration in Kamioka II and IMB

is in agreement with the standard model  $\nu_L$  trapping ...

$$\mu_\nu^D \sim 10^{-12} \mu_B$$

... inconsistent with SN1987A observed cooling time

Barbieri, Mahapatra  
Lattimer, Cooperstein,  
1988  
Raffelt, 1996

# Astrophysics bounds on $\mu_\nu$

... examples...

2) SN 1987A provides energy-loss limit on  $\mu_\nu$ ,  
related to observed  $\nu$  energies

... helicity change in  $\nu$  magnetic moment scattering     $\nu_e^L + e \rightarrow \nu_e^R + e$   
on  $e$  ( $p, n$ )

$\nu_R$  from inner SN core have larger energy than  $\nu_L$  emitted  
from neutrino sphere

then  $\nu_R \xleftrightarrow{B} \nu_L$  in galactic  $B$  and higher-energy  $\nu_L$  would  
arrive to detector as a signal of SN 1987A



from absence of anomalous high-energy  $\nu$

Nötzold  
1988

$$\mu_\nu^D \sim 10^{-12} \mu_B$$

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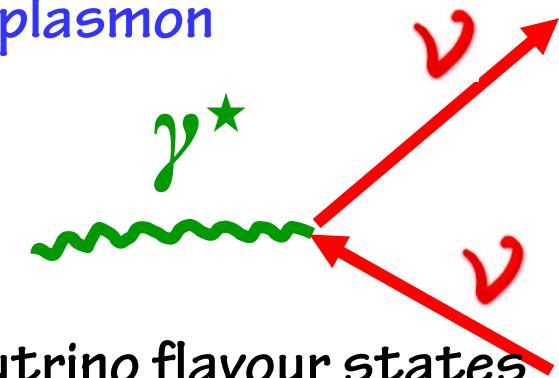
## Astrophysical bound on $\mu_s$

G.Raffelt, PRL 1990

comes from cooling of red giant stars by plasmon

decay  $\gamma^* \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}$

$$L_{int} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{a,b} \left( \mu_{a,b} \bar{\psi}_a \sigma_{\mu\nu} \psi_b + \epsilon_{a,b} \bar{\psi}_a \sigma_{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 \psi_b \right)$$



Matrix element

$$\epsilon_\alpha k^\alpha = 0$$

$$|M|^2 = M_{\alpha\beta} p^\alpha p^\beta, \quad M_{\alpha\beta} = 4\mu^2 (2k_\alpha k_\beta - 2k^2 \epsilon_\alpha^* \epsilon_\beta - k^2 g_{\alpha\beta}),$$

Decay rate

$$\Gamma_{\gamma \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}} = \frac{\mu^2}{24\pi} \frac{(\omega^2 - k^2)^2}{\omega} = O \text{ in vacuum} \quad \omega = k$$

In the classical limit  $\gamma^*$  - like a massive particle with  $\omega^2 - k^2 = \omega_{pl}^2$

Energy-loss rate per unit volume

$$\mu^2 \rightarrow \sum_{a,b} (|\mu_{a,b}|^2 + |\epsilon_{a,b}|^2)$$

$$Q_\mu = g \int \frac{d^3 k}{(2\pi)^3} \omega f_{BE} \Gamma_{\gamma \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}}$$

distribution function of plasmons

# Astrophysical bound on $\mu_\nu$

$$Q_\mu = g \int \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} \omega f_{BE} \Gamma_{\gamma \rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu}}$$

Magnetic moment plasmon decay  
enhances the Standard Model photo-neutrino  
cooling by photon polarization tensor

more fast star cooling

slightly reducing the core temperature

delay of helium ignition in low-mass red giants

(due to nonstandard  $\nu$  losses)

astronomical observable

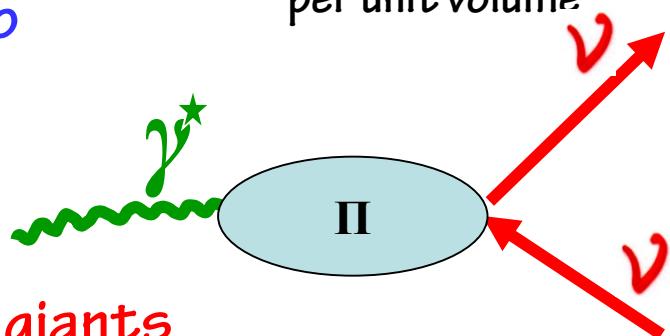
can be related to luminosity of stars before and after helium flash

... in order not to delay helium ignition in an unacceptable way  
(a significant brightness increase is constraint by observations ...)

... best  
astrophysical  
limit on  $\nu$   
magnetic moment...

$$\mu \leq 3 \times 10^{-12} \mu_B$$

Energy-loss rate  
per unit volume



G.Raffelt, PRL 1990  
D+M

$$\mu^2 \rightarrow \sum_{a,b} \left( |\mu_{a,b}|^2 + |\epsilon_{a,b}|^2 \right)$$

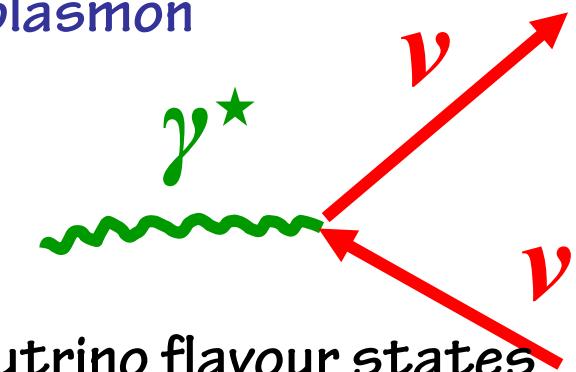
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distribution function of plasmons

# Constraints on neutrino millicharge from red giants cooling

● Plasma process  
(photon decay)

Interaction Lagrangian

Decay rate



$$L_{int} = -iq_\nu \bar{\psi}_\nu \gamma^\mu \psi_\nu A^\mu$$

$$\Gamma_{q_\nu} = \frac{q_\nu^2}{12\pi} \omega_{pl} \left( \frac{\omega_{pl}}{\omega} \right)$$

Dobroliubov, Ignatiev 1990;  
Babu, Volkas 1992;  
Mohapatra, Nussinov 1992 ...

Delay of helium ignition in low-mass red giants due to nonstandard  $\nu$  losses

$$q_\nu \leq 2 \times 10^{-14} e$$

...to avoid delay of helium ignition in low-mass red giants

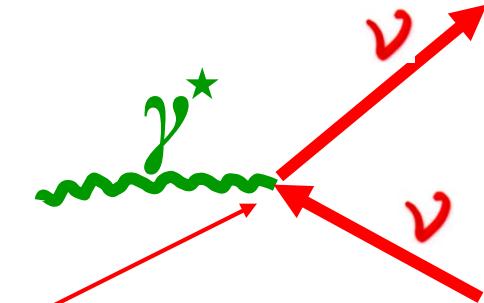
Halt, Raffelt,  
Weiss, PRL 1994

$$q_\nu \leq 3 \times 10^{-17} e$$

... absence of anomalous energy-dependent dispersion of SN1987A  $\nu$  signal,  
most model independent

$$q_\nu \leq 3 \times 10^{-21} e$$

... from “charge neutrality” of neutron...



Large magnetic moment  $\mu$ ,

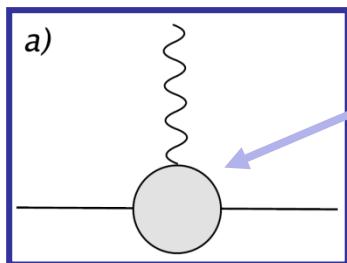
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## Naïve relationship between $m_\nu$ and $\mu_\nu$

... problem to get large  $\mu_\nu$  and still acceptable  $m_\nu$

If  $\mu_\nu$  is generated by physics beyond the SM at energy scale  $\Lambda$ ,

P. Vogel e.a., 2006

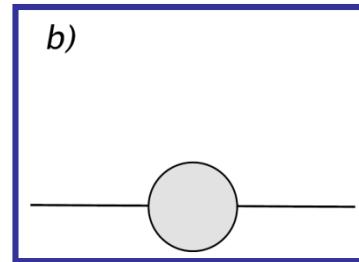


then

$$\mu_\nu \sim \frac{eG}{\Lambda},$$

...combination of constants  
and loop factors...

contribution to  $m_\nu$  given by



$$m_\nu \sim G\Lambda$$

Voloshin, 1988  
Barr, Freire,  
Zee, 1990

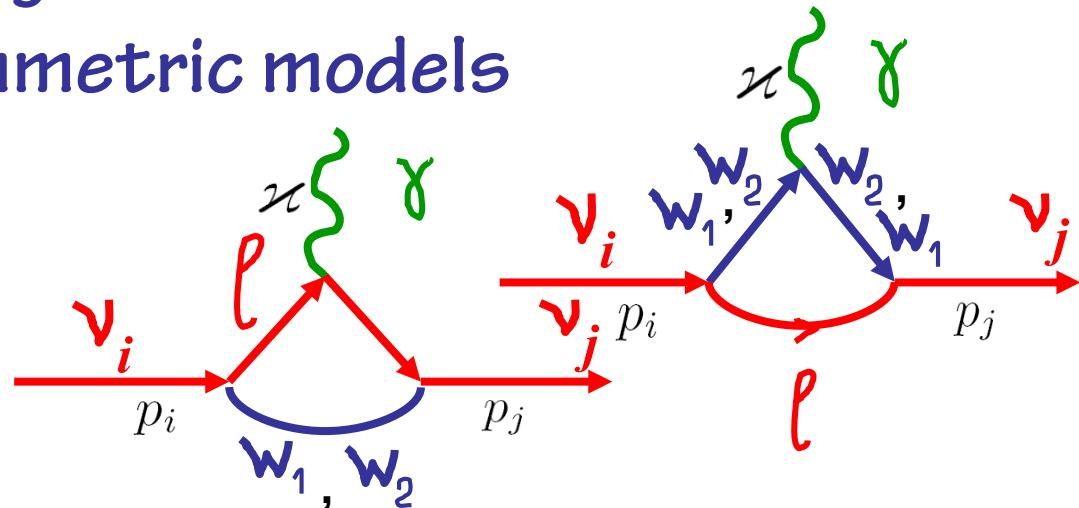
$$m_\nu \sim \frac{\Lambda^2}{2m_e \mu_B} \mu_\nu \sim \frac{\mu_\nu}{10^{-18} \mu_B} [\Lambda(\text{TeV})]^2 \text{ eV}$$

3.6

## Neutrino magnetic moment in left-right symmetric models

$$SU_L(2) \times SU_R(2) \times U(1)$$

Gauge bosons     $W_1 = W_L \cos \xi - W_R \sin \xi$   
 mass states     $W_2 = W_L \sin \xi + W_R \cos \xi$



with mixing angle  $\xi$  of gauge bosons  $W_{L,R}$  with pure  $(V \pm A)$  couplings

Kim, 1976; Marciano, Sanda, 1977;  
 Beg, Marciano, Ruderman, 1978

$$\mu_{\nu_l} = \frac{eG_F}{2\sqrt{2}\pi^2} \left[ m_l \left( 1 - \frac{m_{W_1}^2}{m_{W_2}^2} \right) \sin 2\xi + \frac{3}{4} m_{\nu_l} \left( 1 + \frac{m_{W_1}^2}{m_{W_2}^2} \right) \right]$$

... charged lepton mass ...

... neutrino mass ...

# Large magnetic moment $\mu_\nu = \mu_\nu(m_\nu, m_B, m_{e^-})$

- In the L-R symmetric models  
 $(SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \times U(1))$

↑ Kim, 1976  
Beg, Marciano,  
Ruderman, 1978

## Voloshin, 1988

“On compatibility of small  $m_\nu$  with large  $\mu_\nu$ , neutrino”,

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... there may be  $SU(2)_\nu$  symmetry that forbids  $m_\nu$  but not  $\mu_\nu$

## Z.Z.Xing, Y.L.Zhou,

“Enhanced electromagnetic transition dipole moments and radiative decays of massive neutrinos due to the seesaw-induced non-unitary effects”

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## Bar, Freire, Zee, 1990

supersymmetry

considerable enhancement of  $\mu_\nu$   
to experimentally relevant range

extra dimensions

model-independent constraint  $\mu_\nu$

$$\mu_\nu^D \leq 10^{-15} \mu_B$$

$$\mu_\nu^M \leq 10^{-14} \mu_B$$

for BSM ( $\Lambda \sim 1$  TeV) without fine tuning and under the assumption that

$$\delta m_\nu \leq 1 \text{ eV}$$

Bell, Cirigliano,  
Ramsey-Musolf,  
Vogel,  
Wise,  
2005