

# A predictive scheme for triplet leptogenesis

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# Introduction

## Baryon asymmetry of the universe (BAU)

$$\frac{n_B}{n_\gamma} = \begin{cases} (5.1 - 6.5) \times 10^{-10} & (\text{BBN}) \\ 6.04 \pm 0.8 \times 10^{-10} & (\text{CMB}) \end{cases}$$

## Sakharov's conditions

- *B* violation
- *CP* violation
- Processes that violate *B* and *CP* out of equilibrium

## Baryogenesis through leptogenesis

[Fukugita, Yanagida]

- Creation of a lepton asymmetry in the decay of heavy particles
- Conversion to a baryon asymmetry by electroweak sphalerons

$$C = \frac{Y_B}{Y_{B-L}} = \frac{28}{79}$$

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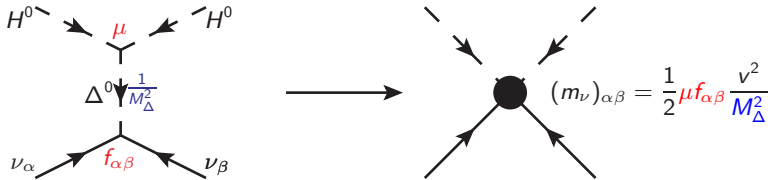
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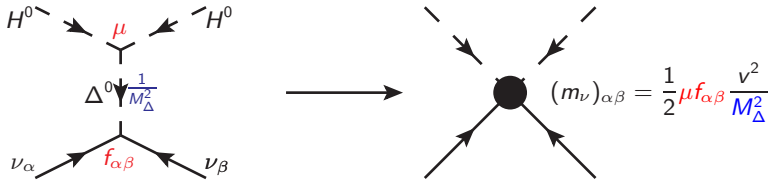


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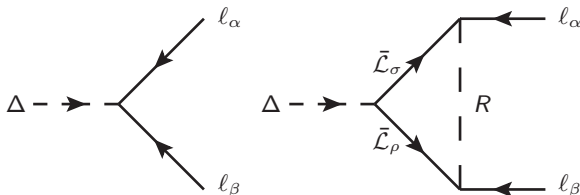
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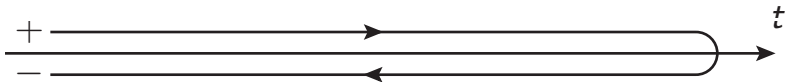
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Formalism used to describe quantum out of equilibrium phenomena, applied to leptogenesis [W. Buchmüller & al., De Simone & al., Garbrecht & al.]  
 $\mathcal{C}$  = time-path that goes from 0 to  $\infty$  and back



$\tilde{G}_{\alpha\beta} = \langle \mathcal{T}_{\mathcal{C}} \ell_{\alpha} \bar{\ell}_{\beta} \rangle$  Green's function, time-ordered **following the contour**.

$$\tilde{G} = \begin{pmatrix} G^{++} & -G^{+-} \\ G^{-+} & -G^{--} \end{pmatrix}$$

For instance  $G_{\alpha\beta}^{-+}(x, y) = -i \langle \ell_{\alpha}(x) \bar{\ell}_{\beta}(y) \rangle$

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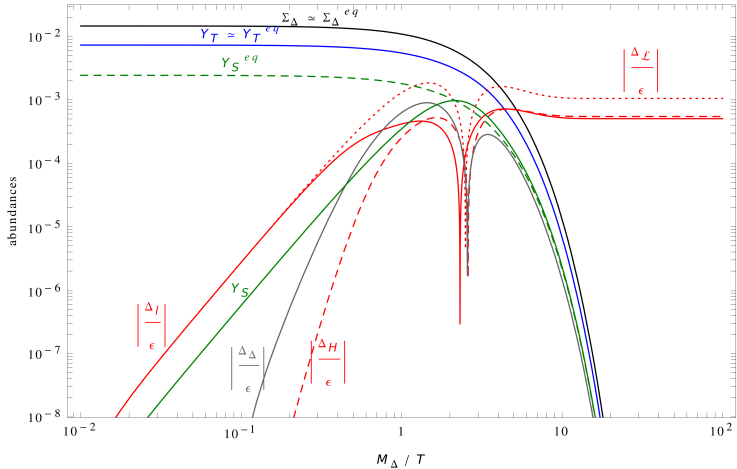
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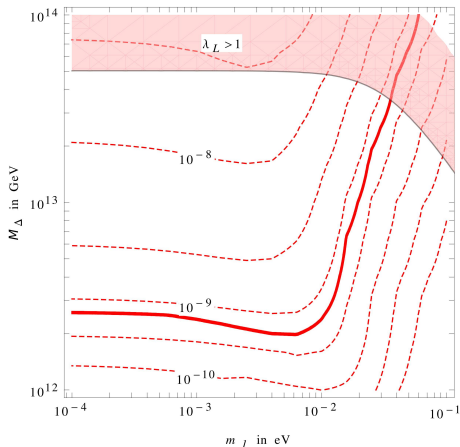
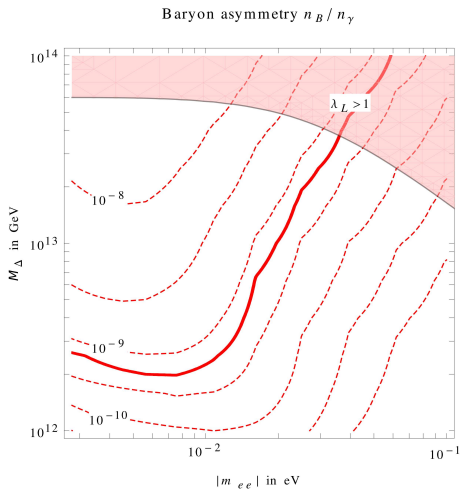
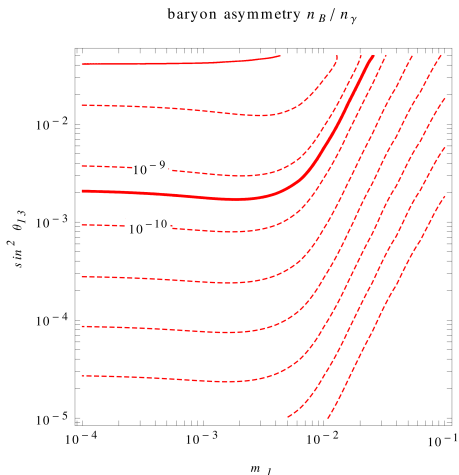


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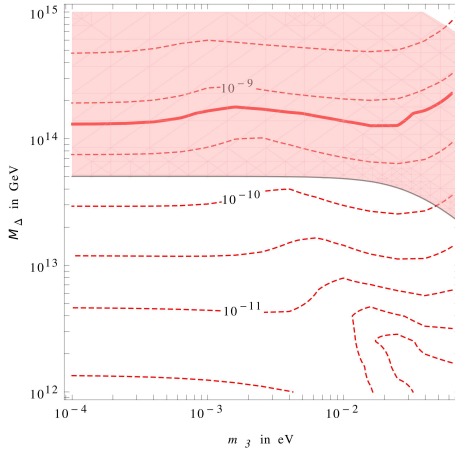
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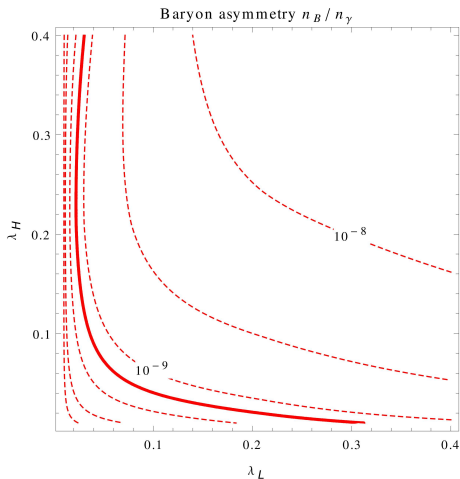
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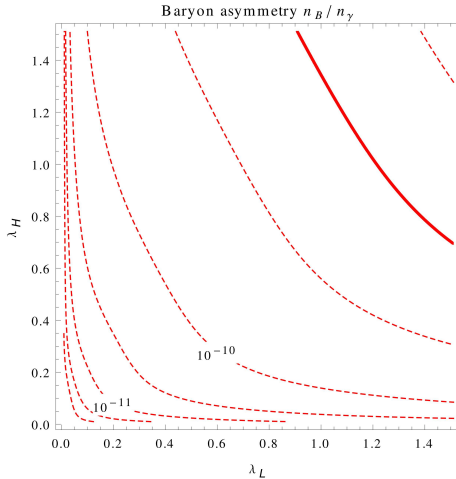
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