

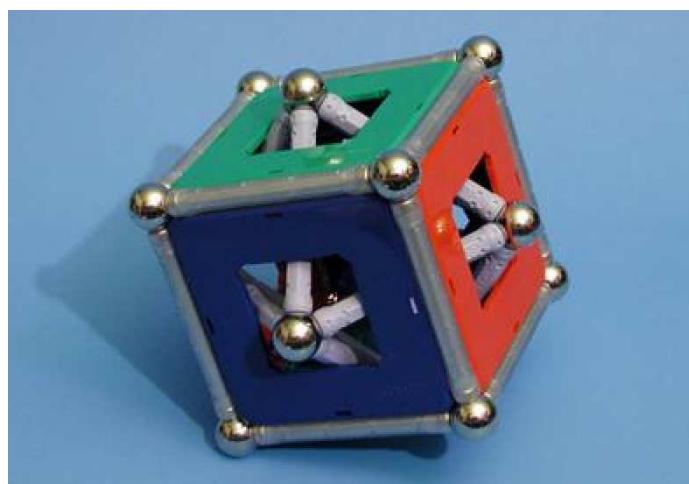
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Discrete symmetries and their stringy origin

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Phenomenology of discrete symmetries

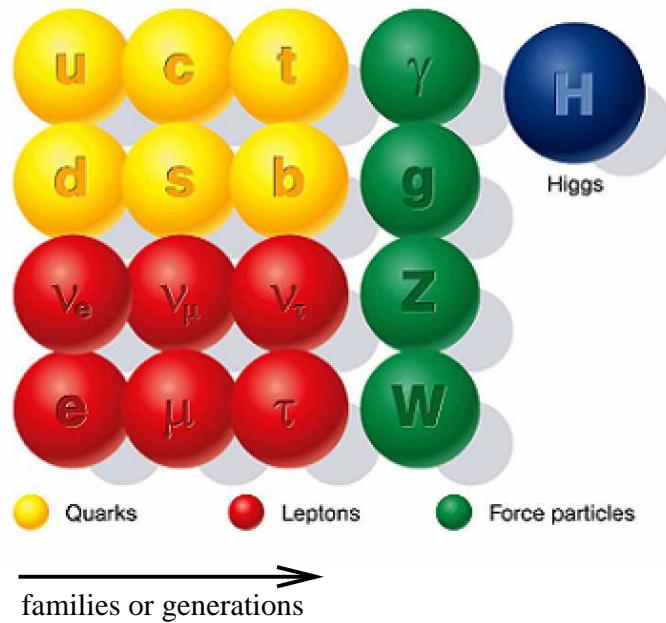
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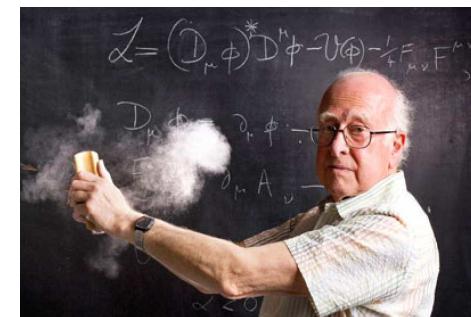
Outline

- ▶ supersymmetric Standard Model
 - R -parity and matter parity
 - possible $U(1)_{B-L}$ origin
- ▶ Abelian family symmetries
 - hierarchies from $U(1)_{\text{FN}}$
 - residual discrete symmetries
- ▶ non-Abelian family symmetries
 - simple mixing patterns from non-Abelian symmetries
 - direct and indirect implementation
 - situation after 2012 (Daya Bay & RENO)
 - sum rules for mixing angles
 - benchmark example based on S_4 and CP symmetry

Standard Model (of particle physics)



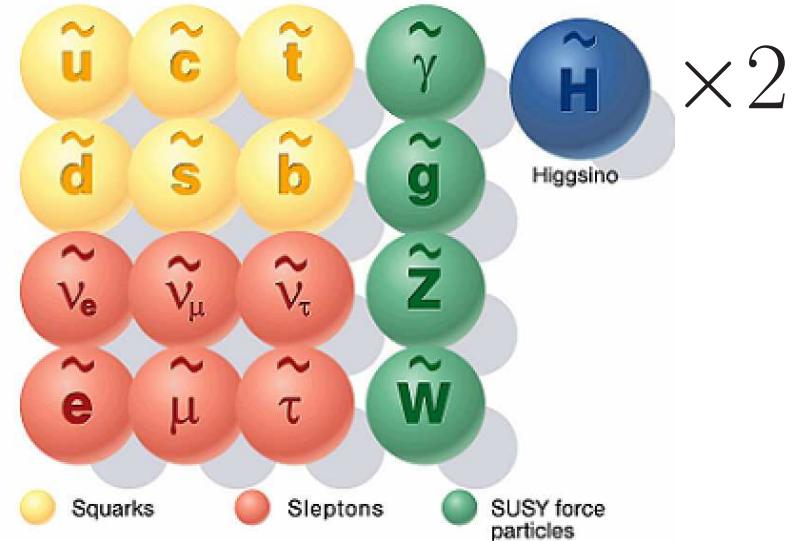
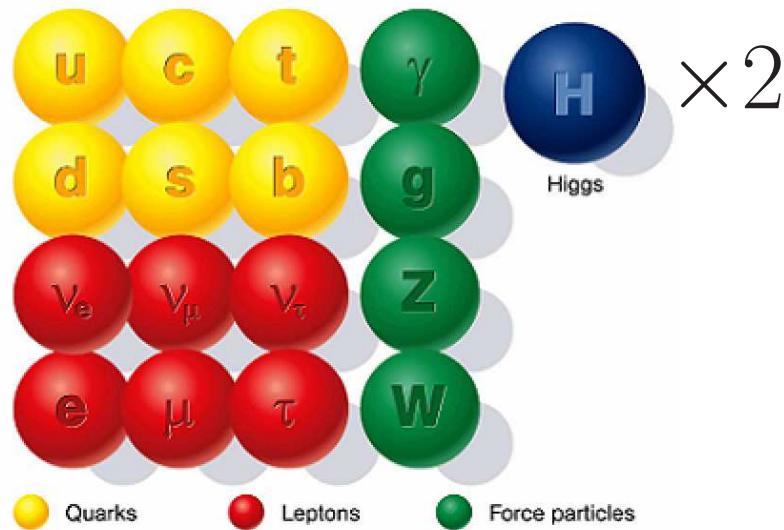
- highly successful theory
- based on gauge symmetry
 $SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_W \times U(1)_Y$
- broken by Higgs vacuum



Why look beyond?

- hierarchy problem (protecting the Higgs mass)
- origin of three families of quarks & leptons
- neutrino masses and mixing
- baryogenesis, dark matter, dark energy, etc.

Supersymmetric Standard Model



- addresses hierarchy problem
- most general space-time symmetry (extension of Poincaré symmetry)
- supersymmetry must be broken – at TeV scale?
- in total > 300 parameters
- impose extra symmetries, e.g. R -parity \sim matter parity
→ MSSM with 124 parameters

R -parity and matter parity

superfield formalism, e.g.

$$Q = \tilde{q} + q \theta + F_q \theta^2$$

q = quark

\tilde{q} = squark

θ = superspace variable

- R -parity (R_p) defined on component fields, e.g. q and \tilde{q}

R_p	quarks	leptons	Higgs	squarks	sleptons	Higgsino
additive Z_2	0	0	0	1	1	1

- matter parity (M_p) defined on superfields, e.g. Q

M_p	(s)quarks	(s)leptons	Higgs(inos)
additive Z_2	1	1	0

R_p and M_p allow and forbid exactly the same terms in Lagrangian

Matter parity from $U(1)_{B-L}$

- matter parity
- forbids (renormalizable) B and L violation
 - introduced to stabilize proton
 - violated by quantum gravity effects Krauss, Wilczek (1989)
 - unless gauge origin, e.g. from breaking $U(1)_{B-L}$

	Q	U^c	D^c	L	E^c	H_u	H_d	ϕ
$U(1)_{B-L}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	-1	1	0	0	$\pm\frac{2}{3}$
$3 \times U(1)_{B-L}$	1	-1	-1	-3	3	0	0	± 2
M_p	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0

→ vev of field ϕ breaks $U(1)_{B-L}$ spontaneously down to M_p

“Higgs”-type field
neutral under
SM gauge group

$U(1)_{\text{FN}}$ family symmetry Froggatt, Nielsen (1979)

Fermion masses

- fermion mass terms: $M_{ij} \bar{\psi}_i \psi_j$
- masses = eigenvalues of M

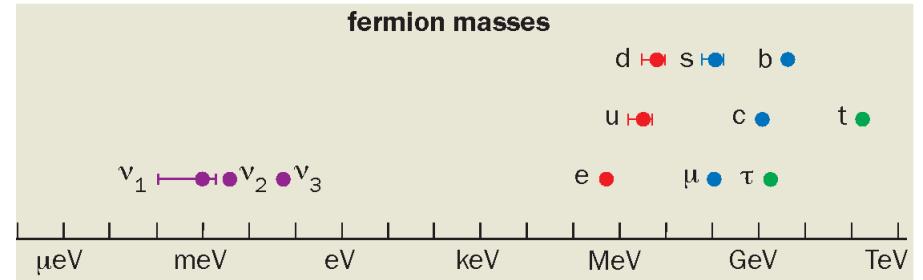
$$m_u : m_c : m_t \sim \lambda^8 : \lambda^4 : 1$$

$$m_d : m_s : m_b \sim \lambda^4 : \lambda^2 : 1$$

$$m_e : m_\mu : m_\tau \sim \lambda^{4 \text{ or } 5} : \lambda^2 : 1 \quad (\lambda \sim 0.22)$$

- neutrinos massless in Standard Model
- observation of neutrino oscillation $\rightarrow m_\nu \neq 0$
- three scenarios:

$$m_{\nu_1} : m_{\nu_2} : m_{\nu_3} \sim \begin{cases} \lambda^x : \lambda : 1 & \text{(normal hierarchy)} \\ 1 : 1 : \lambda^x & \text{(inverted hierarchy)} \\ 1 : 1 : 1 & \text{(quasi degenerate)} \end{cases}$$



Froggatt-Nielsen mechanism

- Yukawa terms $Y_{ij} \bar{\psi}_i \psi_j H$ forbidden by $U(1)_{\text{FN}}$
- family dependent charges
- introduce flavon field ϕ which allows effective terms $c_{ij} \bar{\psi}_i \psi_j H \left(\frac{\phi}{\Lambda}\right)^{x_{ij}}$
- flavon ϕ acquires a VEV $\rightarrow Y_{ij} = c_{ij} \left(\frac{\langle \phi \rangle}{\Lambda}\right)^{x_{ij}}$

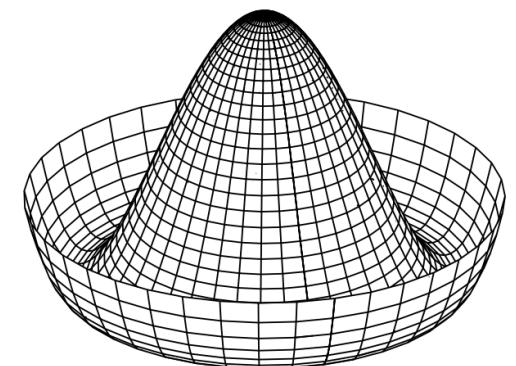
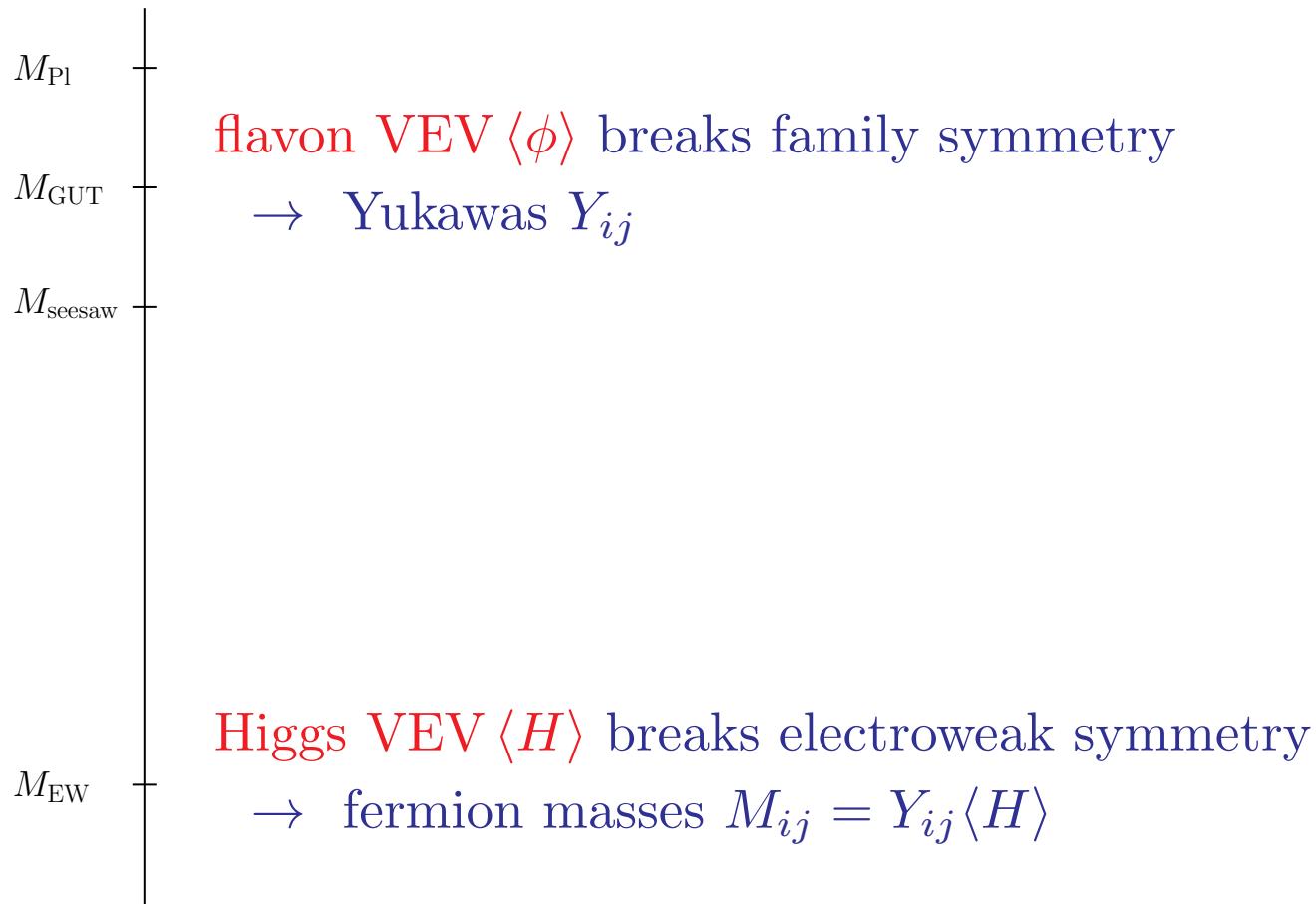
fields	Q_1	Q_2	Q_3	D_1^c	D_2^c	D_3^c	H_d	ϕ	$\frac{\langle \phi \rangle}{\Lambda} \sim \lambda$
$U(1)_{\text{FN}}$	6	4	0	5	3	3	-3	-2	

$$c_{ij} Q_i D_j^c H_d \left(\frac{\phi}{\Lambda}\right)^{x_{ij}} \rightarrow c_{ij} Q_i D_j^c H_d \lambda^{x_{ij}} \rightarrow Y_d \sim \begin{pmatrix} \lambda^4 & \lambda^3 & \lambda^3 \\ \lambda^3 & \lambda^2 & \lambda^2 \\ \lambda & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- hierarchies arise from spontaneous breakdown of $U(1)_{\text{FN}}$
- often residual discrete Z_N symmetry, e.g. matter parity
- $\mathcal{O}(1)$ coefficients c_{ij} not fixed

Scale of family symmetry breaking

- models of flavor are typically formulated at high energies
- separate family symmetry from EW symmetry breaking



Discrete symmetries from $U(1)_{\text{FN}}$

- simple conditions to obtain a particular Z_N symmetry from $U(1)_{\text{FN}}$
- in $U(1)_{\text{FN}}$ charge normalization with $X_\phi = -1$

	$X_{H_d} - X_{L_1}$	$3X_{Q_1} + X_{L_1}$
M_p	integer $- \frac{1}{2}$	integer
P_6	integer $- \frac{1}{2}$	integer $\pm \frac{1}{3}$
B_3	integer	integer $\pm \frac{1}{3}$

Dreiner, Luhn, Murayama,
Thormeier (2006)

M_p lightest SUSY particle (LSP) is stable \rightarrow dark matter candidate
allows for non-renormalizable operator $QQQL$ \rightarrow proton decay

P_6 LSP is stable \rightarrow dark matter candidate
forbids $QQQL$ \rightarrow proton stabilized

B_3 LSP not stable \rightarrow less missing E_T
forbids $QQQL$ \rightarrow proton stabilized
renormalizable L violation \rightarrow neutrino masses without seesaw

Discrete Z_4^R symmetry from $U(1)_{\text{FN}}^R$

- superspace variable θ charged under R -symmetries

	Q	U^c	D^c	L	E^c	H_u	H_d	θ
Z_4^R	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1

Lee, Raby, Ratz,
Ross et al. (2010)

- solves the μ -problem by forbidding $\mu H_u H_d$
- forbids $QQQL$

- Z_4^R can be obtained from $U(1)_{\text{FN}}^R$ if

$X_{H_d} - X_{L_1}$	$3X_{Q_1} + X_{L_1}$	X_θ	X_ϕ
integer $\pm \frac{1}{4}$	integer	integer $\pm \frac{1}{4}$	-1

Dreiner, Luhn,
Opferkuch (2013)

Non-Abelian family symmetries

Fermion mixings

- mismatch of flavor (weak) and mass eigenstates

$$\Psi_{\text{flavor}} = V^\dagger \Psi_{\text{mass}}$$

- quark sector: V_L^u and V_L^d

$$U_{\text{CKM}} = V_L^u V_L^{d\dagger} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \lambda & \lambda^3 \\ \lambda & 1 & \lambda^2 \\ \lambda^3 & \lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda \sim 0.22$$

- lepton sector: V_L^e and V_L^ν

$$U_{\text{PMNS}} = V_L^e V_L^{\nu\dagger} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.82 & 0.55 & 0.15 \\ 0.37 & 0.57 & 0.70 \\ 0.39 & 0.59 & 0.68 \end{pmatrix}$$

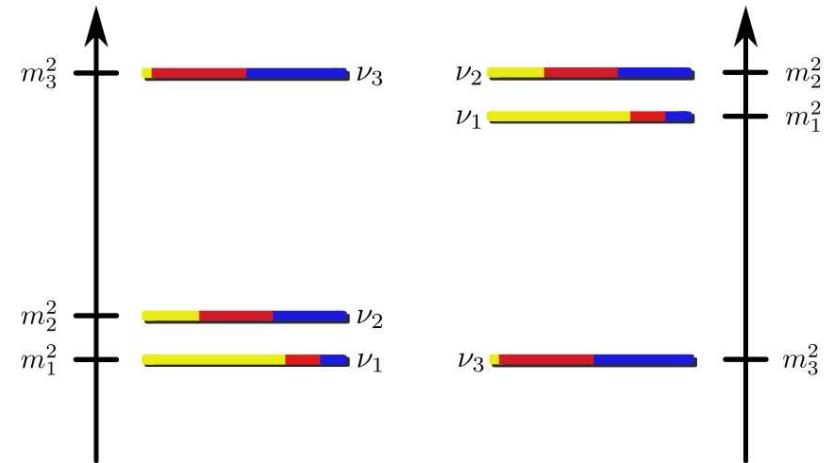
www.nu-fit.org (2013)

mixing \iff each family knows of the existence of the others!

Three neutrino flavor mixing

(in diagonal charged lepton basis)

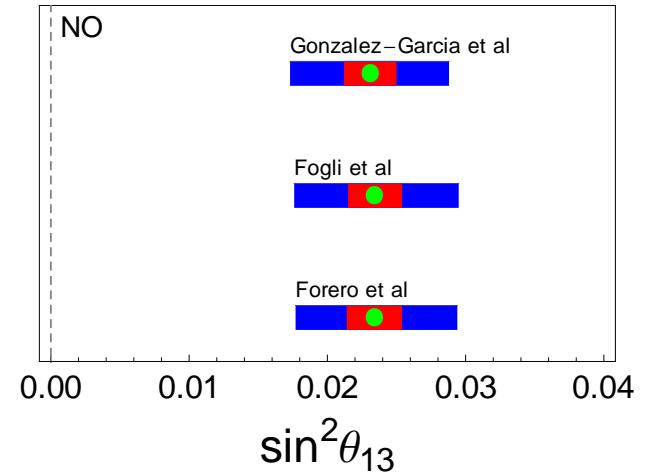
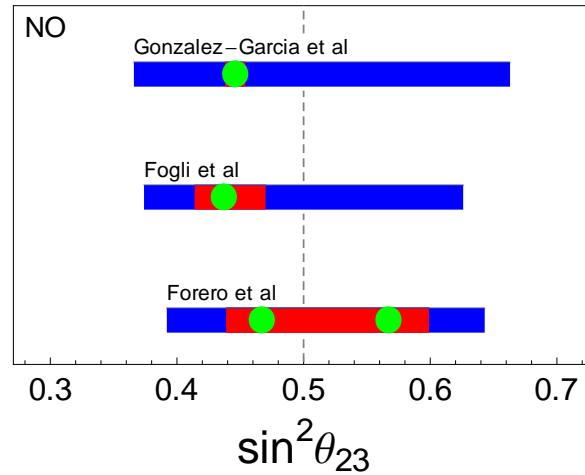
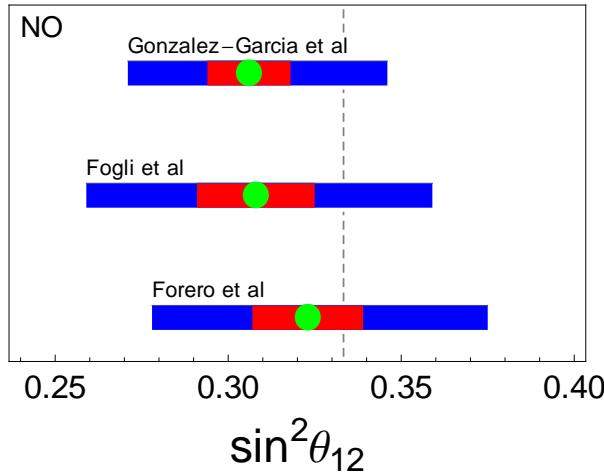
$$\begin{array}{c} \text{flavor} \\ \left(\begin{array}{c} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{array} \right) \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \text{PMNS mixing} \\ \left(\begin{array}{ccc} U_{e1} & U_{e2} & U_{e3} \\ U_{\mu 1} & U_{\mu 2} & U_{\mu 3} \\ U_{\tau 1} & U_{\tau 2} & U_{\tau 3} \end{array} \right) \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{mass} \\ \left(\begin{array}{c} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{array} \right) \end{array}$$



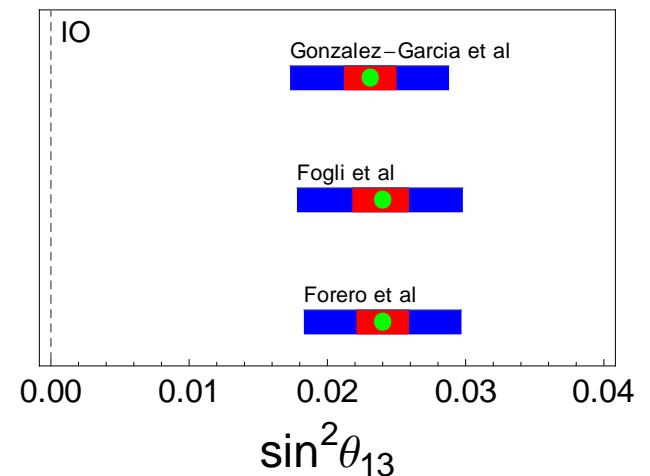
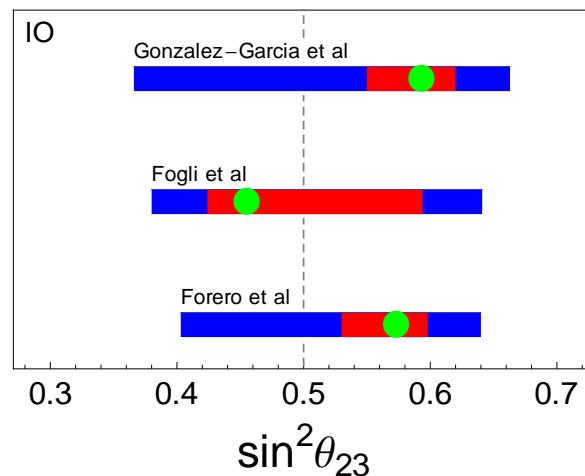
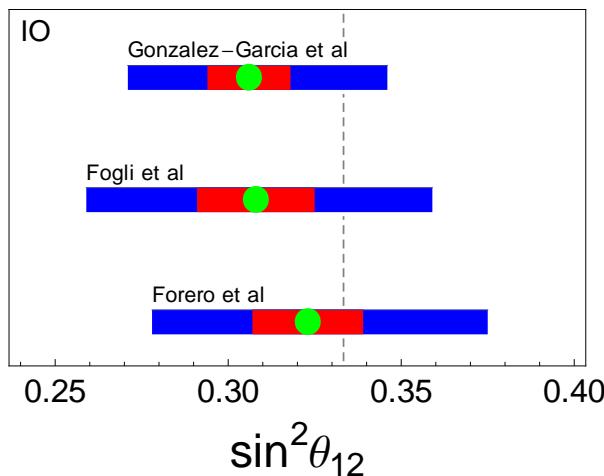
atmospheric	reactor + Dirac	solar	Majorana
$U_{\text{PMNS}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{23} & s_{23} \\ 0 & -s_{23} & c_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s_{13}e^{i\delta} & 0 & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} & s_{12} & 0 \\ -s_{12} & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\frac{\alpha_2}{2}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{i\frac{\alpha_3}{2}} \end{pmatrix}$			
$\theta_{23} \approx 45^\circ$	$\theta_{13} \approx 9^\circ$	$\theta_{12} \approx 33^\circ$	

Global neutrino fits

normal mass ordering



inverted mass ordering



Simple mixing patterns – tri-bimaximal

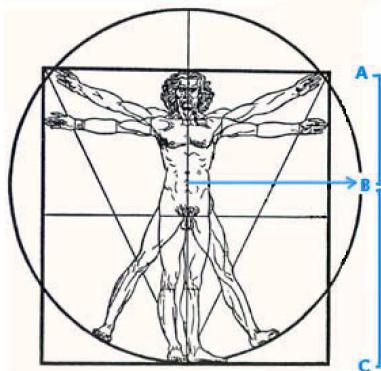


Harrison Perkins Scott

$$U_{\text{PMNS}} \approx U_{\text{TB}} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\theta_{12} \approx 35.3^\circ \quad \theta_{23} = 45^\circ \quad \theta_{13} = 0^\circ$$

Simple mixing patterns – golden ratio



$$\varphi = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \approx 1.618$$

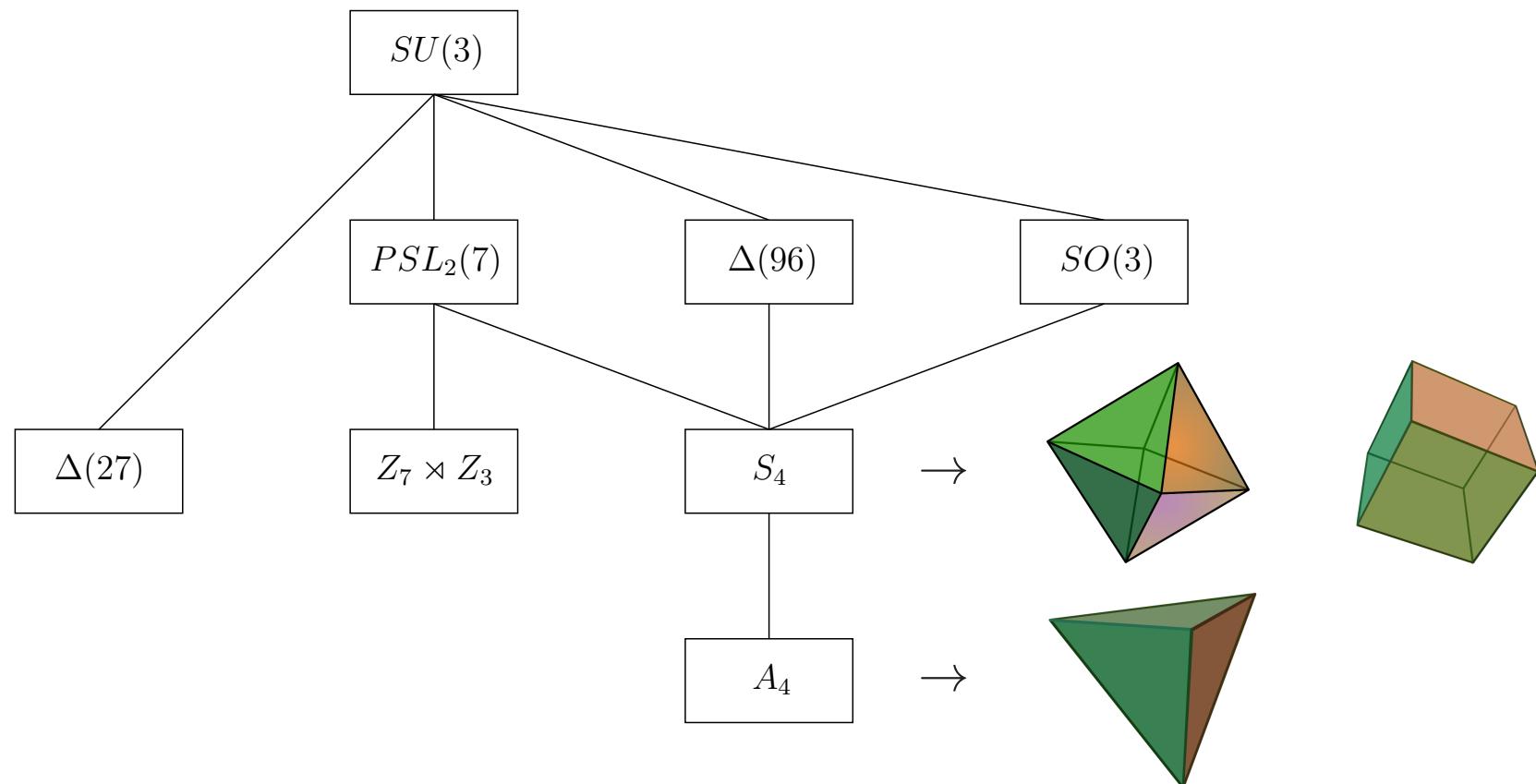
$$\tan \theta_{12} = \frac{1}{\varphi}$$

$$U_{\text{PMNS}} \approx U_{\text{GR}} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{12} & \sin \theta_{12} & 0 \\ -\frac{\sin \theta_{12}}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{\cos \theta_{12}}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{\sin \theta_{12}}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{\cos \theta_{12}}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\theta_{12} \approx 31.7^\circ \quad \theta_{23} = 45^\circ \quad \theta_{13} = 0^\circ$$

Candidates

- unify three families in multiplets of family symmetry
- underlying group should have two- or three-dimensional representations



Symmetries of the mass matrices (in flavor basis)

charged leptons $M_\ell = \text{diag}(m_e, m_\mu, m_\tau)$



Dirac

$$M_\ell = h^T M_\ell h^*$$

e.g. $h = \text{diag}(1, e^{\frac{4\pi i}{3}}, e^{\frac{2\pi i}{3}})$

neutrinos $M_\nu = U_{\text{PMNS}} \text{diag}(m_{\nu_1}, m_{\nu_2}, m_{\nu_3}) U_{\text{PMNS}}^T$



Majorana

$$M_\nu = k^T M_\nu k$$

$k = U_{\text{PMNS}}^* \text{diag}(+1, -1, -1) U_{\text{PMNS}}^T$

four different $k \rightarrow$ generate $Z_2 \times Z_2$ symmetry group

Klein symmetry: $\mathcal{K} = \{1, k_1, k_2, k_3\}$

for $U_{\text{PMNS}} = U_{\text{TB}}$:

$$k_1 = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad k_2 = - \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad k_3 = k_1 k_2$$

Origin of the Klein symmetry \mathcal{K}

► direct models

- Klein symmetry $\mathcal{K} \subset$ family symmetry \mathcal{G}
- flavons ϕ are multiplets of \mathcal{G}
- their VEVs $\langle\phi\rangle$ break \mathcal{G} down to \mathcal{K} in neutrino sector
- for TB mixing (k_1, k_2, h) generate permutation group S_4

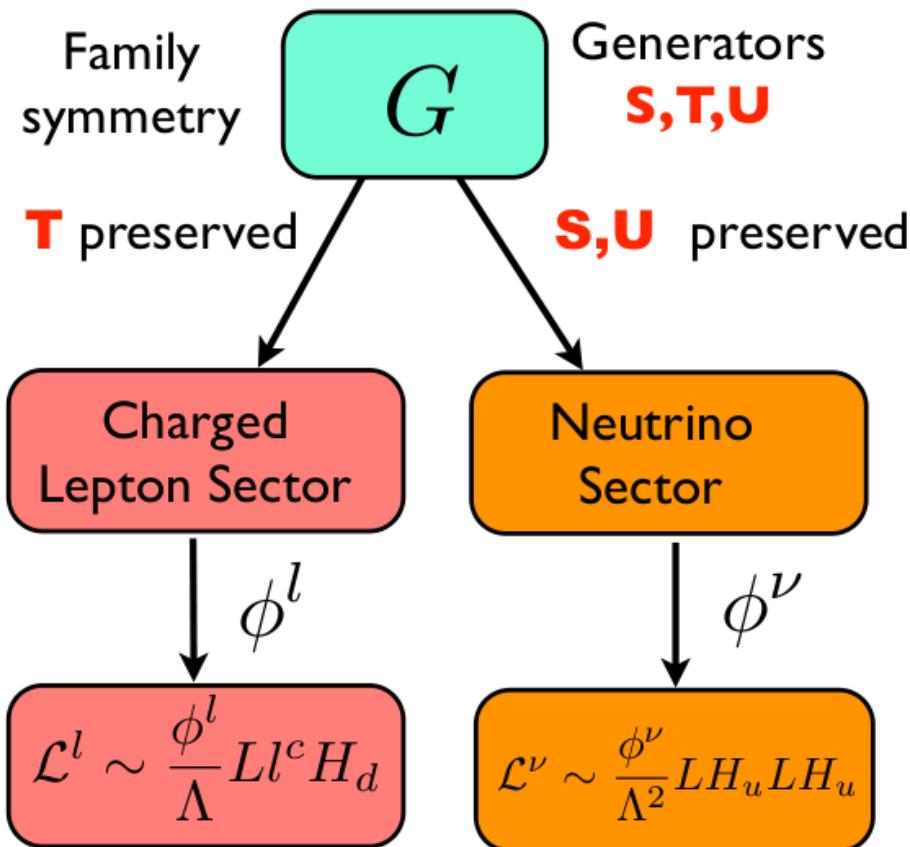
► indirect models

- Klein symmetry $\mathcal{K} \not\subset$ family symmetry \mathcal{G}
- \mathcal{G} responsible for generating particular flavon VEV configurations $\langle\phi\rangle$
- for TB mixing – from e.g. $\Delta(27)$, $Z_7 \rtimes Z_3$

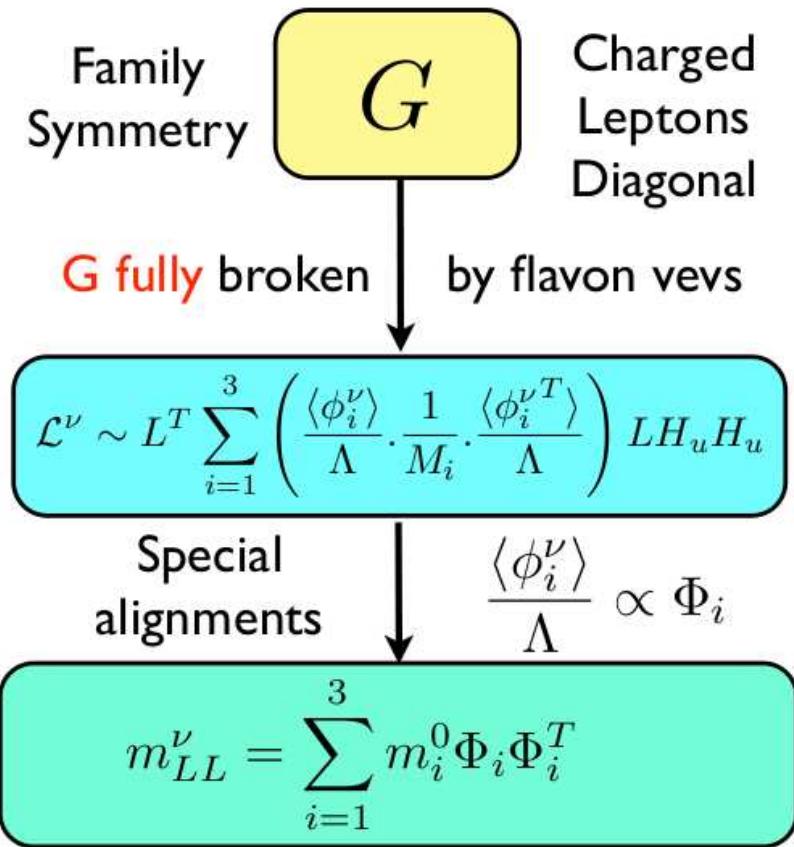
$$\langle\phi_1\rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \langle\phi_2\rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \langle\phi_3\rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}_\nu \sim \nu (\phi_1 \phi_1^T + \phi_2 \phi_2^T + \phi_3 \phi_3^T) \nu H H$$

Two options



(direct models)



(indirect models)

Building a direct model with tri-bimaximal mixing

- choose family symmetry group – S_4
- identify suitable flavon VEV configurations

$$S\langle\phi^\nu\rangle = U\langle\phi^\nu\rangle = \langle\phi^\nu\rangle \quad T\langle\phi^\ell\rangle = \langle\phi^\ell\rangle$$

S_4	S	U	T	$\langle\phi^\nu\rangle$	$\langle\phi^\ell\rangle$
$\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1}'$	1	± 1	1	$\mathbf{1}$	$\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1}'$
$\mathbf{2}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} \omega & 0 \\ 0 & \omega^2 \end{pmatrix}$	$\mathbf{2} \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$	–
$\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{3}'$	$\frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\mp \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \omega \end{pmatrix}$	$\mathbf{3}' \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{3}' \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

- control coupling of flavons to fermions by extra Z_N or $U(1)$ symmetry

$$\frac{\phi^\nu}{\Lambda^2} L H_u L H_u \quad \frac{\phi^\ell}{\Lambda} L \ell^c H_d$$

- with type I seesaw

$$\mathcal{L}_\nu \sim L H_u \nu^c + \phi^\nu \nu^c \nu^c$$

Building an indirect model with tri-bimaximal mixing

- family symmetry $\mathcal{G} \subset SU(3)$
- diagonal charged leptons
- type I seesaw with 2 or 3 ν_a^c in singlet representation of \mathcal{G}
- diagonal right-handed neutrino mass matrix (e.g. due to Z_2 symmetry)

$$\mathcal{L}_\nu \sim \sum_a \frac{\phi_a^\nu}{\Lambda} L H_u \nu_a^c + M_a \nu_a^c \nu_a^c$$

- $\phi_a^\nu \sim \bar{\mathbf{3}}$ and $L \sim \mathbf{3}$ of \mathcal{G}
- \mathcal{G} or $SU(3)$ invariant $\rightarrow \phi_{a1}^\nu L_1 + \phi_{a2}^\nu L_2 + \phi_{a3}^\nu L_3 = \phi_a^{\nu T} L$
- integrate out ν_a^c (seesaw formula)

$$\mathcal{L}_\nu \sim L^T \sum_{a=1} \left(\frac{\langle \phi_a^\nu \rangle}{\Lambda} \cdot \frac{1}{M_a} \cdot \frac{\langle \phi_a^\nu \rangle^T}{\Lambda} \right) L H_u H_u$$

- tri-bimaximal if $\left[\langle \phi_1^\nu \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \langle \phi_2^\nu \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \langle \phi_3^\nu \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right]$

Aligning triplet flavons in $\Delta(27)$, $Z_7 \rtimes Z_3$, A_4

$$V(\phi) = -m^2 \sum_i \phi_i^\dagger \phi_i + \lambda \left(\sum_i \phi_i^\dagger \phi_i \right)^2 + \Delta V$$

central terms in ΔV

- (i) $\kappa \sum_i \phi_i^\dagger \phi_i \phi_i^\dagger \phi_i$ $\kappa > 0 \rightarrow \langle \phi \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\kappa < 0 \rightarrow \langle \phi \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
- (ii) $\tilde{\kappa} \sum_{i,j} (\phi_i^\dagger \tilde{\phi}_i)(\tilde{\phi}_j^\dagger \phi_j)$ $\tilde{\kappa} > 0 \rightarrow$ orthogonality condition $\langle \phi \rangle \perp \langle \tilde{\phi} \rangle$
 - e.g. $\langle \tilde{\phi} \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$
 - ... $\langle \tilde{\phi} \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Flavon alignment in supersymmetry

- SUSY unbroken at scale of family symmetry breaking
- introduce so-called driving fields X which couple to flavons
- flavon superpotential W^{flavon} linear in X due to $U(1)_R$ symmetry
- F -terms of driving fields need to vanish

$$F_{X_i}^* = -\frac{\partial W^{\text{flavon}}}{\partial X_i} = 0$$

- two examples in S_4

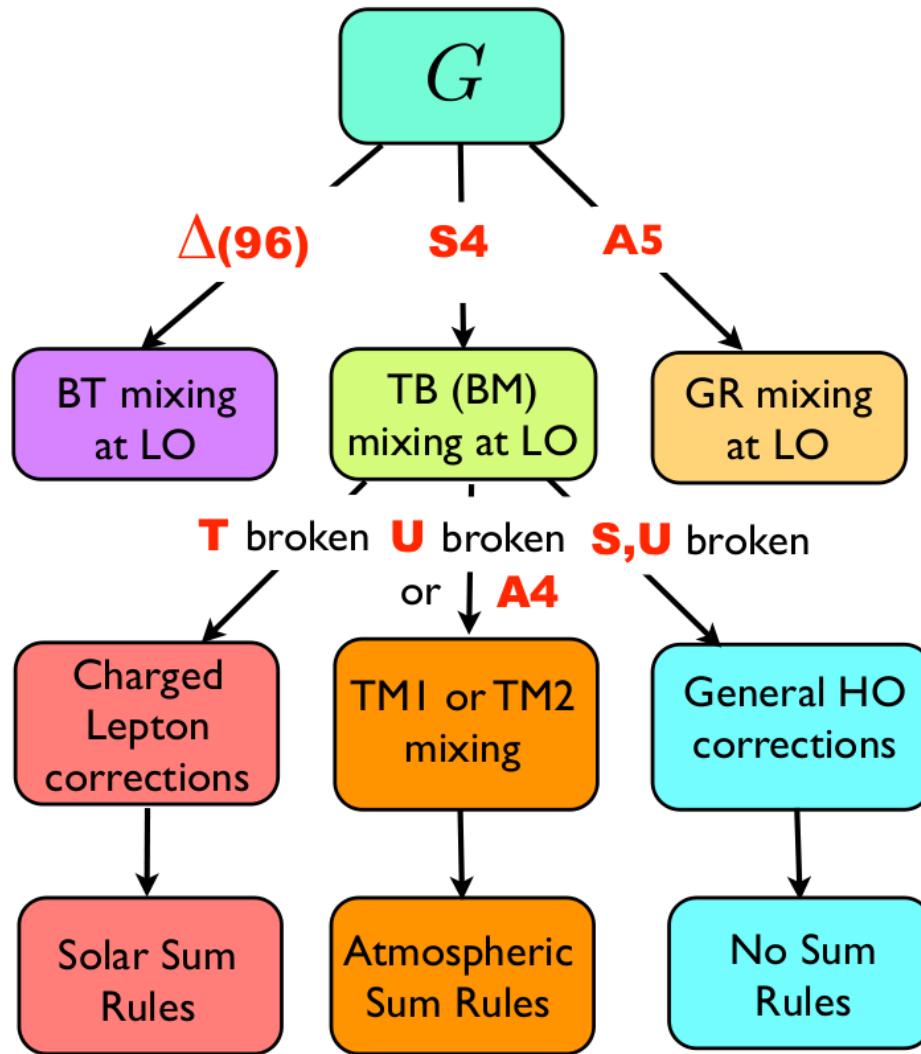
$$\begin{aligned} W^{\text{flavon}} \sim X_{\mathbf{1}} \phi_{\mathbf{2}} \phi_{\mathbf{2}} &= X_{\mathbf{1}} (\phi_{\mathbf{2},1} \phi_{\mathbf{2},2} + \phi_{\mathbf{2},2} \phi_{\mathbf{2},1}) = 2X_{\mathbf{1}} \phi_{\mathbf{2},1} \phi_{\mathbf{2},2} \\ &\longrightarrow \langle \phi_{\mathbf{2}} \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{or} \quad \langle \phi_{\mathbf{2}} \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} W^{\text{flavon}} &= g_0 X_{\mathbf{3}} \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \phi_{\mathbf{2}} + X_{\mathbf{3}'} (g_1 \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} + g_2 \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \phi_{\mathbf{2}} + g_3 \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \phi_{\mathbf{1}}) \\ &\longrightarrow \langle \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \rangle = \varphi_{\mathbf{3}'} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \langle \phi_{\mathbf{2}} \rangle = \varphi_{\mathbf{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \varphi_{\mathbf{2}} = -\frac{g_3}{2g_2} \varphi_{\mathbf{1}} \end{aligned}$$

- flavon alignments independent of g_i

How to accommodate $\theta_{13} \sim 9^\circ$

Direct models after 2012



mixing patterns:

	θ_{13}	θ_{23}	θ_{12}
TB	0°	45°	35.3°
BM	0°	45°	45°
GR	0°	45°	31.7°
BT	12.2°	36.2°	36.2°
TM	$\neq 0^\circ$	$\neq 45^\circ$	35.3°

- TB = tri-bimaximal
- BM = bimaximal
- GR = golden ratio
- BT = bi-trimaximal
- TM = trimaximal

Solar mixing sum rule

- T symmetry of charged lepton sector “slightly” broken (e.g. GUTs)
- $U_{\text{PMNS}} = V_{\ell_L} V_{\nu_L}^\dagger \quad \text{and} \quad V_{\nu_L}^\dagger = U_{\text{TB}}$

$$U_{\text{PMNS}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{23} & \hat{s}_{23} \\ 0 & -\hat{s}_{23}^* & c_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & \hat{s}_{13} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\hat{s}_{13}^* & 0 & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} & \hat{s}_{12} & 0 \\ -\hat{s}_{12}^* & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} s_{12} e^{i\delta_{12}} &\approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left(e^{i\delta_{12}^\nu} - \theta_{12}^\ell e^{i\delta_{12}^\ell} + \theta_{13}^\ell e^{i(\delta_{13}^\ell - \delta_{23}^\nu)} \right) \\ s_{23} e^{i\delta_{23}} &\approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(e^{i\delta_{23}^\nu} - \theta_{23}^\ell e^{i\delta_{23}^\ell} \right) \\ s_{13} e^{i\delta_{13}} &\approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(-\theta_{12}^\ell e^{i(\delta_{12}^\ell + \delta_{23}^\nu)} - \theta_{13}^\ell e^{i\delta_{13}^\ell} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$c_{ij} = \cos \theta_{ij}$$

$$\hat{s}_{ij} = \sin \theta_{ij} e^{-i\delta_{ij}}$$

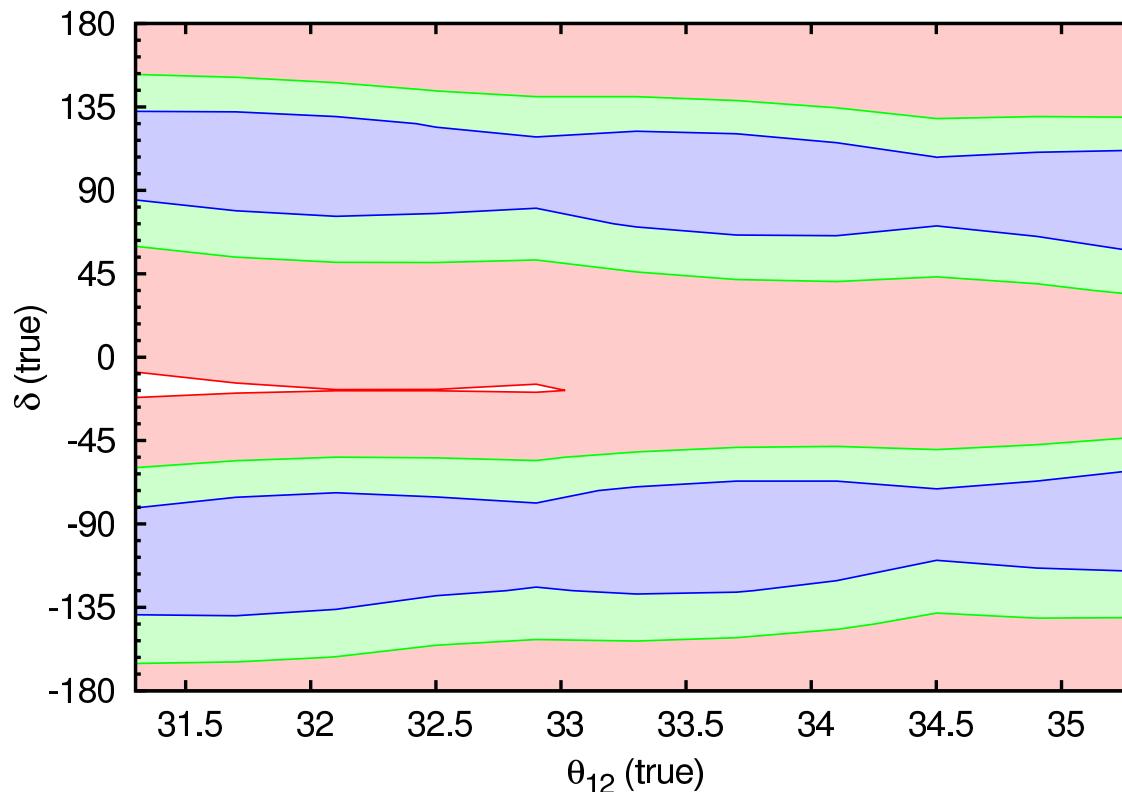
$$\cdot \quad \theta_{12}^\ell \sim \theta_C \sim 0.22 \quad \rightarrow \quad \theta_{13} \sim 9^\circ$$

- first order relation

$$\boxed{\theta_{12} \approx 35.3^\circ + \theta_{13} \cos \delta}$$

Testing the solar sum rule

- JUNO will measure θ_{12} with high precision
- wide-band superbeam (LBNO/LBNE/LBNF) could access Dirac phase δ
- expected sensitivity for ruling out solar sum rule



Ballett et al.
(in preparation)

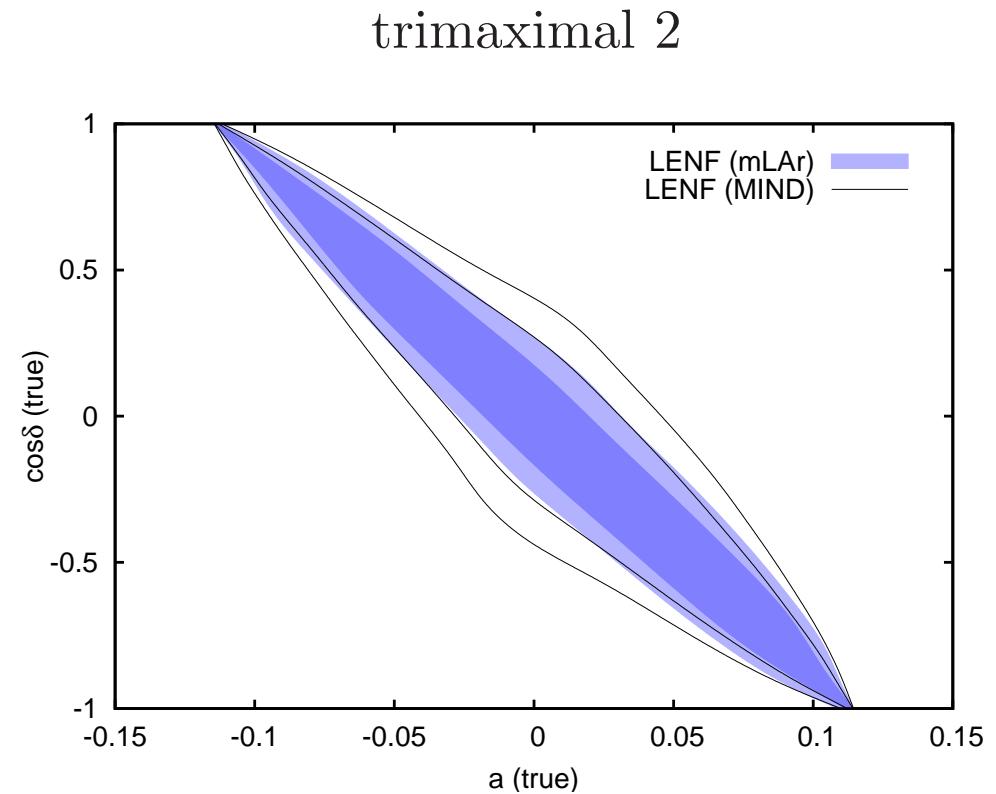
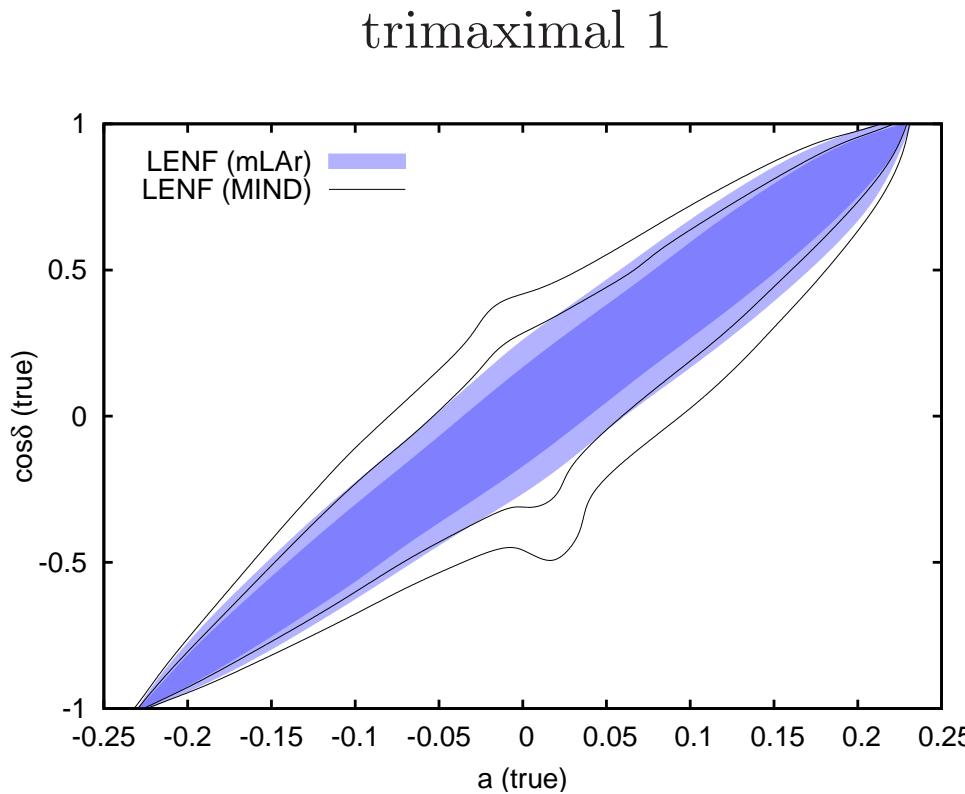
Atmospheric mixing sum rule

- U symmetry of neutrino sector “slightly” broken $\rightarrow U_{\text{PMNS}}^{13} \neq 0$
- conserve one Z_2 symmetry of Klein symmetry $Z_2^S \times Z_2^U$

	<u>trimaximal 1 (TM₁)</u>	<u>trimaximal 2 (TM₂)</u>
unbroken Z_2	$SU = -\frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$	$S = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$
PMNS mixing	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & \cdot & \cdot \\ -1 & \cdot & \cdot \\ -1 & \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} \cdot & 1 & \cdot \\ \cdot & 1 & \cdot \\ \cdot & 1 & \cdot \end{pmatrix}$
solar angle	$\theta_{12} \approx 34.2^\circ$	$\theta_{12} \approx 35.8^\circ$
first order relation	$\theta_{23} \approx 45^\circ + \sqrt{2} \theta_{13} \cos \delta$	$\theta_{23} \approx 45^\circ - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \theta_{13} \cos \delta$

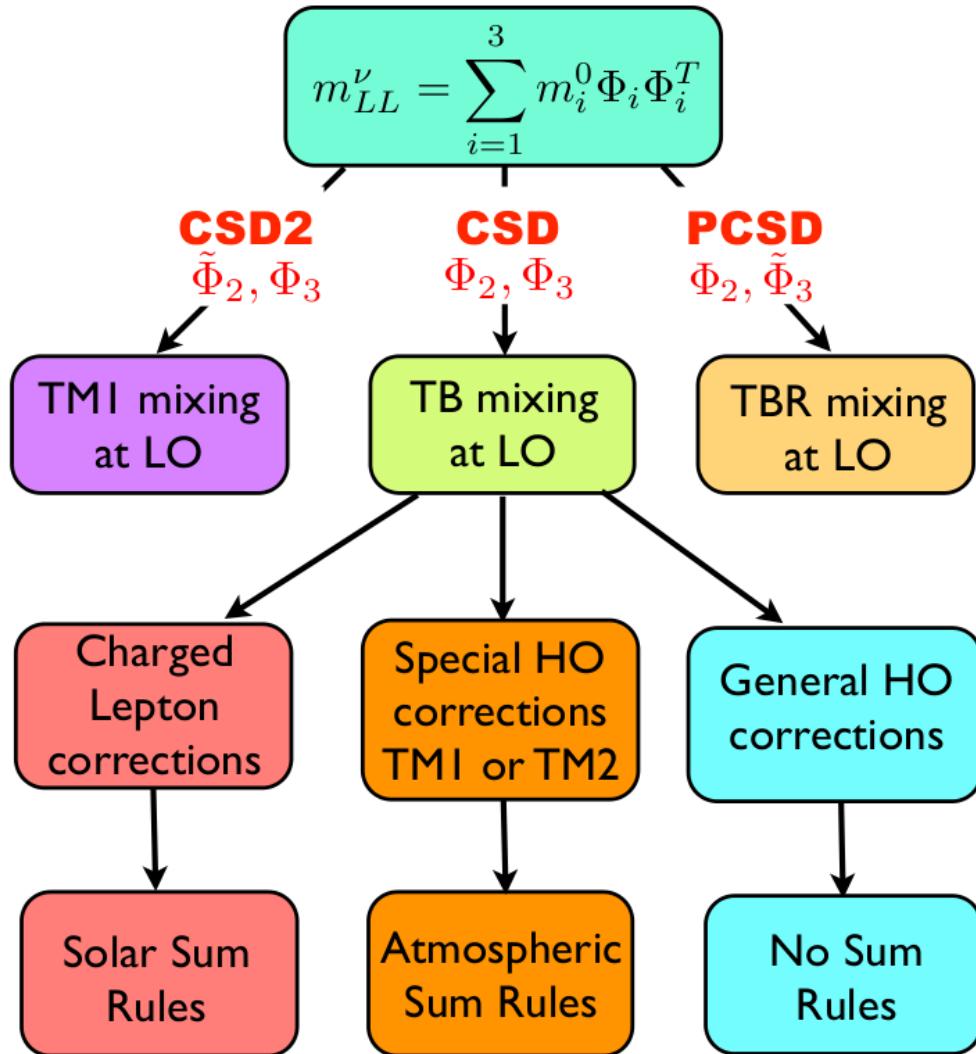
Testing the atmospheric sum rule

- low energy neutrino factory could measure θ_{23} and δ to high precision
- expected sensitivity for ruling out atmospheric sum rule



Ballett et al. (2013)

Indirect models after 2012



flavon alignments:

	$\langle \Phi_2 \rangle$	$\langle \Phi_3 \rangle$
CSD	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$
CSD2	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$
PCSD	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

Variations of constrained sequential dominance (CSD)

$$m_\nu = m_2^0 \Phi_2 \Phi_2^T + m_3^0 \Phi_3 \Phi_3^T \quad m_2^0 \ll m_3^0$$

► CSD

$$\frac{m_2^0}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{m_3^0}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \implies$$

tri-bimaximal

$$\begin{array}{ll} \theta_{13} = 0 & m_1^\nu = 0 \\ \theta_{23} = 45^\circ & m_2^\nu = m_2^0 \\ \theta_{12} = 35.3^\circ & m_3^\nu = m_3^0 \end{array}$$

► CSD2

$$\frac{m_2^0}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{m_3^0}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

trimaximal 1 (TM₁)

$$\begin{array}{ll} \theta_{13} \approx \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} \frac{m_2^\nu}{m_3^\nu} & m_1^\nu = 0 \\ \theta_{23} \approx 45^\circ + \sqrt{2}\theta_{13} \cos \delta & m_2^\nu \approx \frac{3}{5}m_2^0 \\ \theta_{12} \approx 35.3^\circ & m_3^\nu \approx m_3^0 \end{array}$$

► PCSD (partially CSD)

$$\frac{m_2^0}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{m_3^0}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^2 & \epsilon & -\epsilon \\ \epsilon & 1 & -1 \\ -\epsilon & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \implies$$

tri-bimaximal-reactor

$$\begin{array}{ll} \theta_{13} \approx \frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{2}} & m_1^\nu = 0 \\ \theta_{23} \approx 45^\circ & m_2^\nu \approx m_2^0 \\ \theta_{12} \approx 35.3^\circ & m_3^\nu \approx m_3^0 \end{array}$$

An S_4 benchmark model

Direct model of leptons based on S_4

- discrete family symmetry with 24 elements
- irreducible S_4 representations: $\mathbf{1} \quad \mathbf{1}' \quad \mathbf{2} \quad \mathbf{3} \quad \mathbf{3}'$
- diagonal charged leptons (enforced by T symmetry)
- in neutrino sector ($L \sim N^c \sim \mathbf{3} \quad H_u \sim \mathbf{1}$)



$$W_\nu \sim y_D L N^c H_u + (y_{\mathbf{3}'} \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} + y_{\mathbf{2}} \phi_{\mathbf{2}} + y_{\mathbf{1}} \phi_{\mathbf{1}}) N^c N^c + \frac{y_{\mathbf{1}'}}{M} \tilde{\phi}_{\mathbf{1}'} \phi_{\mathbf{2}} N^c N^c$$

S_4 irrep	S	U	VEV alignment
$\mathbf{3}'$	$\frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$\langle \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
$\mathbf{2}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$\langle \phi_{\mathbf{2}} \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
$\mathbf{1}$	1	1	$\langle \phi_{\mathbf{1}} \rangle \propto 1$
$\mathbf{1}'$	1	-1	$\langle \tilde{\phi}_{\mathbf{1}'} \rangle \propto 1$

U broken & S conserved \longrightarrow TM₂ mixing

Flavon alignment

$$\langle \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \rangle = v_{\mathbf{3}'} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \langle \phi_{\mathbf{2}} \rangle = v_{\mathbf{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \langle \phi_{\mathbf{1}} \rangle = v_{\mathbf{1}} \quad \langle \tilde{\phi}_{\mathbf{1}'} \rangle = \tilde{v}_{\mathbf{1}'}$$

- SUSY unbroken at scale of family symmetry breaking
- F -terms of driving fields $\phi_{\mathbf{r}}^0$ need to vanish

$$\begin{aligned} W_{\nu}^{\text{flavon}} &= \phi_{\mathbf{3}'}^0 (g_1 \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} + g_2 \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \phi_{\mathbf{2}} + g_3 \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \phi_{\mathbf{1}}) \\ &\quad + \phi_{\mathbf{3}}^0 (g_4 \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \phi_{\mathbf{2}}) \\ &\quad + \phi_{\mathbf{1}}^0 (g_5 \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} + g_6 \phi_{\mathbf{2}} \phi_{\mathbf{2}} + g_7 \phi_{\mathbf{1}} \phi_{\mathbf{1}}) \\ &\quad + \tilde{\phi}_{\mathbf{1}'}^0 (g_8 \tilde{\phi}_{\mathbf{1}'} \tilde{\phi}_{\mathbf{1}'} + M^2) \end{aligned}$$

- previously assumed flavon alignments independent of g_i with

$$v_{\mathbf{2}} = -\frac{g_3}{2g_2} v_{\mathbf{1}} \quad v_{\mathbf{3}'}^2 = -\frac{1}{3g_5} \left(g_7 + \frac{g_3^2 g_6}{2g_2^2} \right) v_{\mathbf{1}}^2 \quad \tilde{v}_{\mathbf{1}'}^2 = -\frac{1}{g_8} M^2$$

Imposing CP symmetry (straightforward in S_4)

$$M_R = y_{\mathbf{3}'} \mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{3}'} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} + y_{\mathbf{2}} \mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + y_{\mathbf{1}} \mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{1}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ + \frac{y_{\mathbf{1}'}}{M} \tilde{v}_{\mathbf{1}'} \mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$v_{\mathbf{2}} = -\frac{g_3}{2g_2} v_{\mathbf{1}}$	$v_{\mathbf{3}'}^2 = -\frac{1}{3g_5} \left(g_7 + \frac{g_3^2 g_6}{2g_2^2} \right) v_{\mathbf{1}}^2$	$\tilde{v}_{\mathbf{1}'}^2 = -\frac{1}{g_8} M^2$
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- CP symmetry \rightarrow couplings y_i and g_i real
- phases of $v_{\mathbf{1}}, v_{\mathbf{2}}, v_{\mathbf{3}'}$ identical up to π or $\pm\pi/2$
- absorb phase of $v_{\mathbf{1}}$ into redefinition of N^c

	$v_{\mathbf{1}}$	$v_{\mathbf{2}}$	$v_{\mathbf{3}'}$	$\tilde{v}_{\mathbf{1}'}$
(A)	real	real	real	real
(B)	real	real	real	imaginary
(C)	real	real	imaginary	real
(D)	real	real	imaginary	imaginary

Predictions with CP symmetry

- ▶ seesaw mechanism

$$M_\nu = m_D M_R^{-1} m_D^T \quad \text{with} \quad m_D \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\rightarrow U_{\text{PMNS}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} U_R \quad \text{with} \quad U_R^T M_R U_R = M_R^{\text{diag}}$

- ▶ resulting PMNS parameters

	θ_{13}	θ_{23}	θ_{12}	δ	(α_1, α_2)
(A)	free	$45^\circ \mp \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\theta_{13}$	35.3°	0 or π	0 or π
(B)	free	45°	35.3°	$\pm\frac{\pi}{2}$	0 or π
(C)	unphysical: two degenerate neutrino masses				
(D)	unphysical: $\theta_{13} = 35.3^\circ$				

→ five low-energy predictions with imposed CP symmetry
 (up to a finite choice)

Conclusion and outlook

- ▶ symmetries reduce number of free parameters
- ▶ discrete symmetries essential in supersymmetry (proton decay)
 - $Z_n^{(R)}$ symmetries from $U(1)_{\text{FN}}^{(R)}$
 - R -parity violating symmetries might be interesting
- ▶ observed pattern in neutrino mixing
 - suggestive of non-Abelian (discrete) family symmetries
 - $\theta_{13} \approx 9^\circ$ from Daya Bay and RENO
 - deviations from simple mixing patterns
 - testable(!) solar/atmospheric sum rules
- ▶ other aspects not covered here
 - CP violation and discrete symmetries → Mu-Chun's talk
 - SUSY flavor problem
 - quarks and grand unified models

Thank you

Details of the direct S_4 model

matter	L	τ^c	μ^c	e^c	N^c	H_u	H_d
S_4	3	1'	1	1	3	1	1
Z_3^ν	1	2	2	2	2	0	0
Z_3^ℓ	0	2	1	0	0	0	0

King, Luhn (2011)

$$\langle \varphi_\ell \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v_\ell \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \langle \eta_\mu \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ w_\mu \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\langle \eta_e \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} w_e \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

flavons	φ_ℓ	η_μ	η_e	$\phi_{\mathbf{3}'}$	$\phi_{\mathbf{2}}$	$\phi_{\mathbf{1}}$	$\tilde{\phi}_{\mathbf{1}'}$
S_4	3'	2	2	3'	2	1	1'
Z_3^ν	0	0	0	2	2	2	0
Z_3^ℓ	1	1	2	0	0	0	0

$$\langle \phi_{\mathbf{3}'} \rangle = v_{\mathbf{3}'} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \langle \phi_{\mathbf{2}} \rangle = v_{\mathbf{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \langle \phi_{\mathbf{1}} \rangle = v_{\mathbf{1}} \quad \langle \tilde{\phi}_{\mathbf{1}'} \rangle = \tilde{v}_{\mathbf{1}'}$$

Charged lepton sector

$$W_\ell \sim \left[\frac{1}{M} (L\varphi_\ell)_1' \tau^c + \frac{1}{M^2} (L\varphi_\ell)_2 \eta_\mu \mu^c + \frac{1}{M^2} (L\varphi_\ell)_2 \eta_e e^c \right] H_d$$

- Z_3^ℓ controls pairing of flavons with right-handed charged fermions
- different S_4 contractions of $(L\varphi_\ell)$ pick out different L_i components

$$(L\varphi_\ell)_1' = L_1\varphi_{\ell 1} + L_2\varphi_{\ell 3} + L_3\varphi_{\ell 2} \rightarrow L_3$$

$$(L\varphi_\ell)_2 = \begin{pmatrix} L_1\varphi_{\ell 3} + L_2\varphi_{\ell 2} + L_3\varphi_{\ell 1} \\ L_1\varphi_{\ell 2} + L_2\varphi_{\ell 1} + L_3\varphi_{\ell 3} \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} L_2 \\ L_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- mass matrix diagonal by construction
- m_τ heavier than m_μ and m_e
- hierarchy between m_μ and m_e due to hierarchy of VEVs w_μ and w_e
- just a toy model of charged lepton sector (with GUTs off-diagonals)

Parameter counting in neutrino sector

- ▶ without family symmetry

$$\left. \begin{array}{ll} Y_\nu & 18 \text{ d.o.f.} \\ M_R & 12 \text{ d.o.f.} \end{array} \right\} \text{18 of which are physical} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{lll} \text{neutrino masses} & 3 + 3 \\ \text{PMNS mixing} & 3 + 3 \\ \text{Casas-Ibarra } R & 3 + 3 \end{array} \right.$$

- ▶ in S_4 model

$$W_\nu \sim LN^c H_u + (\phi_{\mathbf{3}'} + \phi_{\mathbf{2}} + \phi_{\mathbf{1}}) N^c N^c + \frac{1}{M} \tilde{\phi}_{\mathbf{1}'} \phi_{\mathbf{2}} N^c N^c$$

(i) with arbitrary flavon configurations

$$2 \times (\ 1 \quad + \ 3 \ + \ 2 \ + \ 1 \quad + \quad 1 \) \ = \ 16$$

(ii) with flavon alignment

$$2 \times (\ 1 \quad + \ 1 \ + \ 1 \ + \ 1 \quad + \quad 1 \) \ = \ 10$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{ll} Y_\nu & 2 \text{ parameters} \\ M_R & 8 \text{ parameters} \end{array} \right\} \text{8 of which are physical}$$

→ correlation between low-energy observables guaranteed

Combining family and CP symmetry

- theory symmetric under \mathcal{G} transformation

$$\psi \xrightarrow{\mathcal{G}} \rho(g)\psi$$

- “generalized” CP transformation Grimus, Rebelo (1995)
Branco, González Felipe, Joaquim (2011)

$$\psi \xrightarrow{\text{CP}} X\psi^*$$

- sequence of transformations $\text{CP} \circ \mathcal{G} \circ (\text{CP})^{-1}$ is again \mathcal{G} transformation

$$\psi \xrightarrow{\text{CP}} X\psi^* \xrightarrow{\mathcal{G}} X\rho^*(g)\psi^* \xrightarrow{(\text{CP})^{-1}} X\rho^*(g)X^{-1}\psi$$

- find all X which satisfy consistency condition $X\rho^*(g)X^{-1} = \rho(g')$
- these matrices form a representation of the automorphism group of \mathcal{G}
- $\mathcal{G} = S_4$: $X = \rho(h)$ with $h \in S_4$ Holthausen, Lindner, Schmidt (2012)
Feruglio, Hagedorn, Ziegler (2012)

Imposing CP symmetry in S_4

- naive expectation: all coupling constants real
- closer look at term $\boxed{y \psi \chi \phi}$ in S_4 where
 - (i) $X = \rho(h)$
 - (ii) $\rho^*(h) = X^{-1} \rho(h') X = \rho(\tilde{h})$
 - (iii) Clebsch coefficients are real

$$\begin{aligned}
 y \times c_{ijk} \psi_i \chi_j \phi_k &\xrightarrow{\text{CP}} y \times c_{ijk} [X\psi^*]_i [X\chi^*]_j [X\phi^*]_k \\
 &= y \times c_{ijk} [\rho(h)\psi^*]_i [\rho(h)\chi^*]_j [\rho(h)\phi^*]_k \\
 &= \left\{ y^* \times c_{ijk} [\rho^*(h)\psi]_i [\rho^*(h)\chi]_j [\rho^*(h)\phi]_k \right\}^* \\
 &= \left\{ y^* \times c_{ijk} [\rho(\tilde{h})\psi]_i [\rho(\tilde{h})\chi]_j [\rho(\tilde{h})\phi]_k \right\}^* \\
 &= \left\{ y^* \times c_{ijk} \psi_i \chi_j \phi_k \right\}^*
 \end{aligned}$$

- CP maps term $y \psi \chi \phi$ onto its hermitian conjugate if y is real
- naive expectation **correct** in S_4 (in basis with real Clebsches)