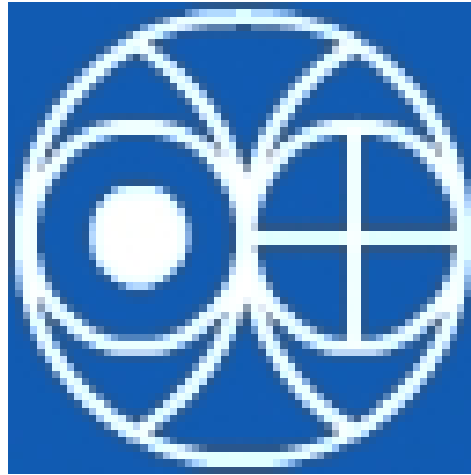


Constraining Neutrino Mass from $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay

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From Majorana to LHC: ICTP, October 2013

Plan of the talk

- Implications of recent results for neutrinoless double beta decay and the Planck results
- Implications for the Left-Right Symmetric Model

P. S. Bhupal Dev, S. Goswami, M. Mitra and W. Rodejohann, arXiv:1305.0056

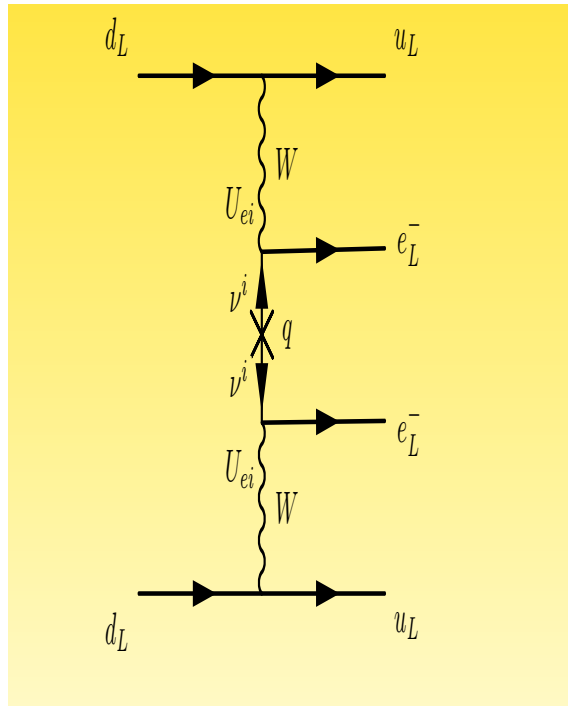
J. Chakraborty, H. Z. Devi, S. Goswami and S. Patra, JHEP **1208**, 008 (2012)

Neutrinoless Double Beta decay

- $(A, Z) \rightarrow (A, Z + 2) + 2e^- \implies$ signifies **violation of Lepton Number** by 2 units
- Standard Picture: $0\nu\beta\beta$ mediated by the **light neutrinos**

- The half-life for $0\nu\beta\beta$,

$$\frac{1}{T_{1/2}^{0\nu}} = G |\mathcal{M}_\nu|^2 \left| \frac{m_{ee}^\nu}{m_e} \right|^2,$$



- $G \rightarrow$ contains the phase space factors (**calculable**)
- \mathcal{M}_ν is the nuclear matrix element (**important and complicated.**)

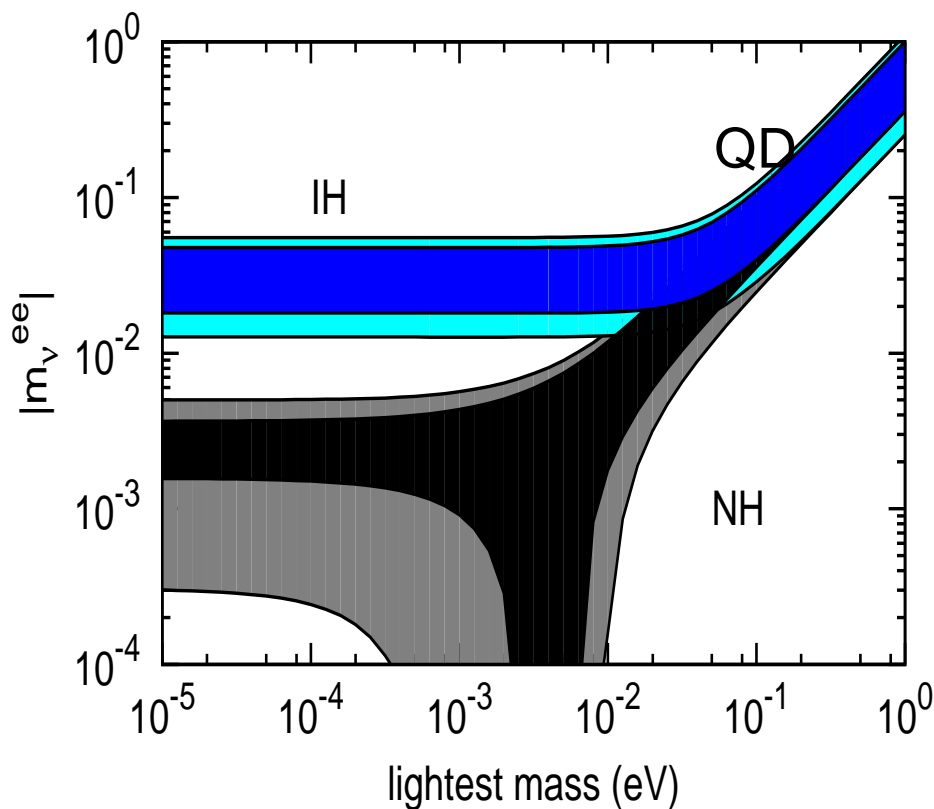
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- $|m_{ee}^\nu| = |U_{ei}^2 m_i| \rightarrow$ the effective mass, (**interesting**)

The effective mass

$$|m_\nu^{ee}| = |m_1 U_{e1}^2 + m_2 U_{e2}^2 e^{2i\alpha_1} + m_3 U_{e3}^2 e^{2i\alpha_2}|$$

- ν Mass Spectrum
- Absolute ν Mass Scale
- CP phases
- Depends on 7 out of 9 parameters of neutrino mass matrix



NH: $m_1 \ll m_2 \ll m_3$

IH: $m_3 \ll m_1 \approx m_2$

QD: $m_1 \approx m_2 \approx m_3$

$0\nu\beta\beta$: Experimental Results-I

- One **Positive** claim :

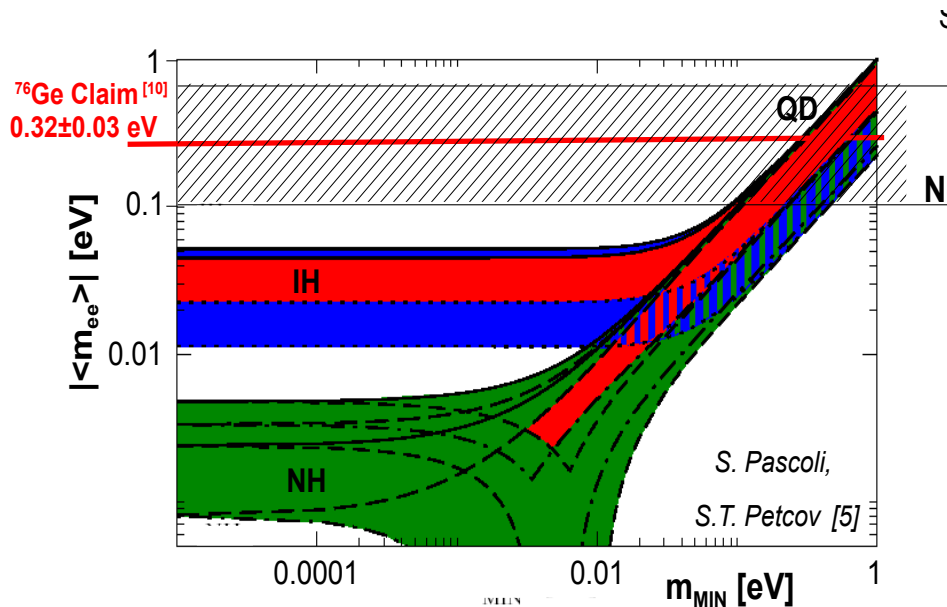
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Klapdor-Kleingrothaus, Krivosheina, Dietz, Chkvorets, Phys. Lett. B 586, 198 (2004).

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H. V. Klapdor-Kleingrothaus and I. V. Krivosheina, Mod. Phys. Lett. A 21, 1547 (2006).

- Depending on the NME used: $m_{ee}^{\nu} = 0.21 - 0.58 \text{ eV}$



- \implies neutrinos are **quasi-degenerate**

- Many new experiments were planned to test this..

$0\nu\beta\beta$: Experimental Results-II

- **Results** from experiments using ^{136}Xe
- $T_{1/2}^{0\nu} > 1.9 \times 10^{25}$ yr at 90% CL (KamLAND-ZEN)
A. Gando *et al.* [KamLAND-Zen Collaboration], Phys. Rev. Lett. **110**, 062502 (2013).
- $T_{1/2}^{0\nu} > 1.6 \times 10^{25}$ yr at 90% C.L. (EXO)
M. Auger *et al.* [EXO Collaboration], Phys. Rev. Lett. **109**, 032505 (2012).
- $T_{1/2}^{0\nu} > 3.4 \times 10^{25}$ yr at 90% CL (Combined)
A. Gando *et al.* [KamLAND-Zen Collaboration], Phys. Rev. Lett. **110**, 062502 (2013).

Compatibility between Experimental Results

- To test the **compatibility** between the results using **different isotopes** it is useful to study the **correlation** between their **half-lives**

- $$\frac{1}{T_{1/2}^{0\nu}} = G_{0\nu} |\mathcal{M}_{\nu}|^2 \left| \frac{m_{ee}^{\nu}}{m_e} \right|^2,$$

- Eliminating m_{ee}^{ν} :

$$T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(Z_1 A) = \frac{G_{0\nu}^B}{G_{0\nu}^A} \left| \frac{\mathcal{M}_{0\nu}(^{76}\text{Ge})}{\mathcal{M}_{0\nu}(^{136}\text{Xe})} \right|^2 T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(Z_2 B)$$

- The above can be used to test the compatibility between the **positive claim** in ^{76}Ge and the **null results** in ^{136}Xe

- Putting the phase space factors

$$T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(^{136}\text{Xe}) = (3.61_{-0.83}^{+1.18} \times 10^{24} \text{ yr}) \left| \frac{\mathcal{M}_{0\nu}(^{76}\text{Ge})}{\mathcal{M}_{0\nu}(^{136}\text{Xe})} \right|^2$$

- Experimental bound on $T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(^{136}\text{Xe}) >$ the **predicted value** from the above equation \implies **inconsistency** with the positive claim

Compatibility between Experimental Results

Method	NME		$T_{1/2}^{0\nu}({}^{136}\text{Xe})$ [10^{25} yr]
	$\mathcal{M}_{0\nu}({}^{76}\text{Ge})$	$\mathcal{M}_{0\nu}({}^{136}\text{Xe})$	
EDF(U)	4.60	4.20	0.33 - 0.57
ISM(U)	2.81	2.19	0.46 - 0.79
IBM-2	5.42	3.33	0.74 - 1.27
pnQRPA(U)	5.18	3.16	0.75 - 1.29
SRQRPA-B	5.82	3.36	0.84 - 1.44
SRQRPA-A	4.75	2.29	1.19 - 2.06
QRPA-B	5.571	2.460	1.43 - 2.46
QRPA-A	5.157	2.177	1.56 - 2.69
SkM-HFB-QRPA	5.09	1.89	2.02 - 3.47

● Limits from experiments using Xe:

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● $T_{1/2}^{0\nu} > 1.6 \times 10^{25}$ yr at 90% C.L. (EXO)

● $T_{1/2}^{0\nu} > 3.4 \times 10^{25}$ yr at 90% CL (KLZ + EXO)

Inconsistent for most NME's

Dev, S.G, Mitra, Rodejohann, 2013

$0\nu\beta\beta$: Experimental Results-III

- Recent results from GERDA :

$$T_{1/2}^{0\nu}({}^{76}\text{Ge}) > 2.1 \times 10^{25} \text{ yr at 90\% CL}$$

GERDA Collaboration, PRL 2013; G. Benato, this workshop

- GERDA + IGEX + HM :

$$T_{1/2}^{0\nu}({}^{76}\text{Ge}) > 3.0 \times 10^{25} \text{ yr at 90\% CL}$$

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- GERDA disfavour the 2004 results of Klapdor-Kleingotherus *et al.*
- But the 2006 results are still not ruled out by GERDA alone.
- Strong tension with the combined Ge bound
- Xe experiments provide a complementary way to test this

$0\nu\beta\beta$: Bounds on m_{ee}^ν

- The lower bound on half-lives can be translated into upper bound on m_{ee}^ν

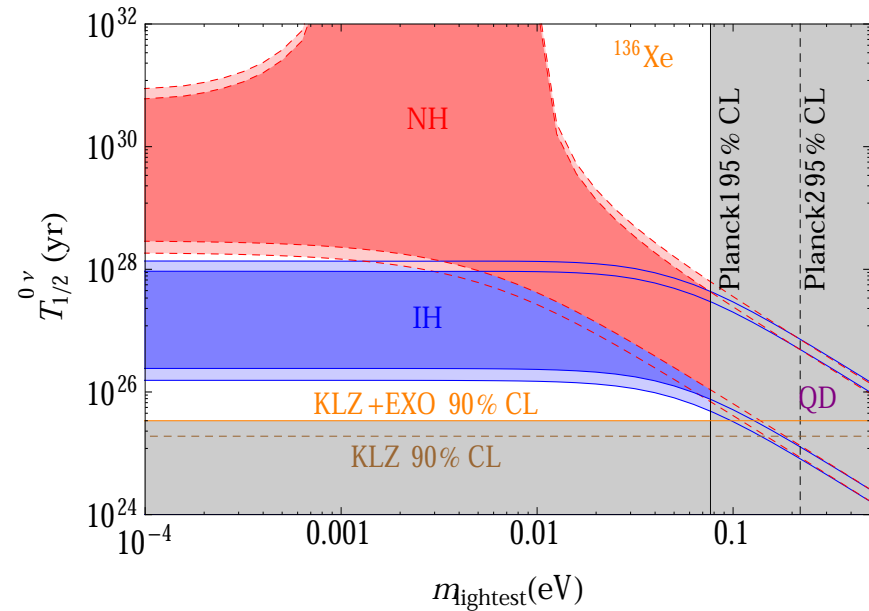
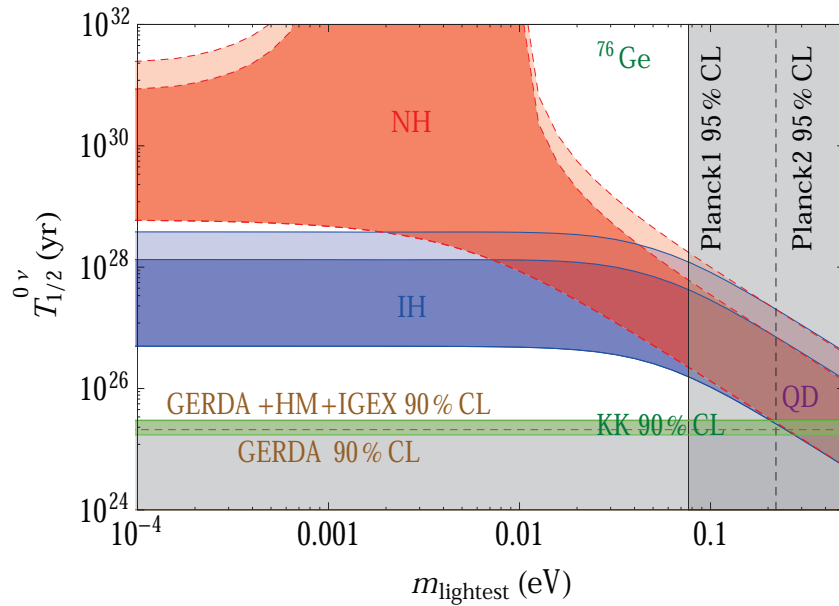
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- Combined **Ge** bounds are **barely consistent** with **KK** (2006)
- **Inconsistent** with combined **KLZ+EXO** limit for **most** NME's
- Bounds on m_{ee}^ν from **KLZ+EXO** stronger

Compatibility between Experimental Results



- The cosmological mass bound $\Sigma m_i < 0.23 - 0.63$ eV from **Planck** + others
J. Hamann, this workshop
- Tension with the positive $0\nu\beta\beta$ claim of ^{76}Ge experiment
- Current $0\nu\beta\beta$ bounds can be reached only for higher masses
- New physics ??
- TeV scale **Left-Right Symmetric** model \rightarrow Accessible at **LHC**

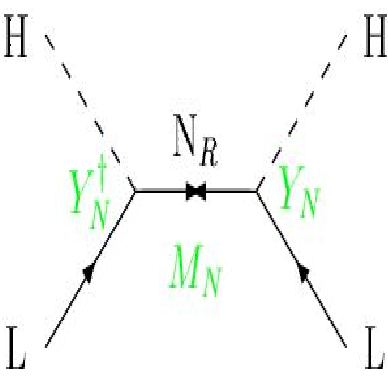
Left-Right Symmetric Model

- The **minimal LR symmetric** model is based on the **gauge group**
 $SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_{B-L}$
- **B-L** because $Q = T_{3L} + T_{3R} + \frac{B-L}{2}$
- Restoration of **Parity** symmetry at **high** scale
- The **right-handed** fields transform as $SU(2)_R$ **doublets**
- \implies existence of **right-handed neutrinos** N_R
- **LR symmetry** breaking is achieved by the **triplet Higgs fields** $\Delta_R \equiv (1, 3, 1)$
- For **LR symmetry** there is also a $\Delta_L \equiv (3, 1, 1)$
- There are **extra gauge bosons** W_R and Z'
- **Neutrino mass** is generated via **seesaw mechanism**

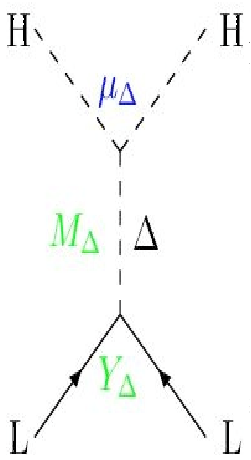
Seesaw in Left-Right Symmetric Model

- Type-I seesaw heavy particles are right-handed Majorana neutrinos N_R
- Type-II seesaw the heavy particles are Triplet Higgs fields

Right-handed singlet:
(type-I seesaw)



Scalar triplet:
(type-II seesaw)



Neutrino Mass in Left-Right Symmetric Model

- The relevant Lagrangian is

$$\mathcal{L}_Y = f_L \bar{l}_L^C \Delta_L l_L + f_R \bar{l}_R^C \Delta_R l_R + \bar{l}_R (Y_D \phi + y_L \tilde{\Phi}) l_L + h.c.,$$

- The Higgs fields acquires vacuum expectation values (vev) as:

$$\langle \Phi \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} v & 0 \\ 0 & v' \end{pmatrix}, \quad \langle \Delta_L \rangle = v_L, \quad \langle \Delta_R \rangle = v_R.$$

- Presence of $N_R \implies$ Dirac mass term $m_D = Y_\nu v$.

- Triplet Higgs \implies Majorana Mass term $M_R = f_R v_R$ $m_T = f_L v_L$

- The mass matrix : $M_\nu \equiv \begin{pmatrix} f_L v_L & y_D v \\ y_D^T v & f_R v_R \end{pmatrix},$

- Light and Heavy neutrino masses:

$$(m_\nu)_{3 \times 3} = f_L v_L + \frac{v^2}{v_R} y_D^T f_R^{-1} y_D,$$
$$(M_R)_{3 \times 3} = f_R v_R,$$

The scale of Left-Right Symmetry Breaking

- Symmetry Breaking in LR model occurs as

$$SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \times U(1)_{B-L} \xrightarrow{\langle \Delta_R \rangle} SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$$
$$SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \xrightarrow{\langle v \rangle} SU(3)_C \times U(1)_{em}$$

- The mass of M_{W_R} is related to v_R

- Usually M_{W_R} is taken as high.. consistent with small neutrino mass

- Can this scale be low \sim TeV ?

- Direct limits :

From LHC : $M_{W_R} \gtrsim 2.5$ TeV (CMS,ATLAS, 2012)

- Theoretical limits :

$K_L - K_S$ mass difference $M_{W_R} \gtrsim 1.6$ TeV (Beall,Bander, A. Soni, PRL, 1982)

Recent analysis improves this bound to $M_{W_R} \gtrsim 2.5$ TeV

Zhang, Ji, Mohapatra, 2008; Maiezza, Nemevšek, Nesti, Senjanović, 2010

Typical values of Dirac Coupling

- The right-handed neutrino mass $M_R = f_R v_R$
- Related to the scale of LR symmetry breaking
- For type-I seesaw $m_\nu = \frac{v^2}{v_R} y_D^T f_R^{-1} y_D \sim \frac{y_D^2 v^2}{f_R v_R}$
- If $f_R v_R \sim 10^{14}$ GeV $\implies m_\nu \sim 0.1$ eV for $Y_D \sim \mathcal{O}(1)$ and $v \sim 100$ GeV
- If $f_R v_R \sim 1000$ GeV then we need $Y_D \sim 10^{-6}$ for $m_\nu \sim 0.1$ eV
- Defining $m_D = y_D v$, $m_D/M_R \sim 10^{-7}$
- Very small unless one allows for cancellations

$0\nu\beta\beta$ in LR symmetric models : Type-I dominance

- $M_\nu \equiv \begin{pmatrix} f_L v_L & y_D v \\ y_D^T v & f_R v_R \end{pmatrix},$

- **Type-I dominance** $\implies v_L = 0$ (admitted by minimization of potential)

- $\mathcal{U}^T \begin{pmatrix} 0 & m_D^T \\ m_D & M_R \end{pmatrix} \mathcal{U} = \begin{pmatrix} m_\nu^{diag} & 0 \\ 0 & M_R^{diag} \end{pmatrix}$

- $m_\nu^{diag} = \text{diag}(m_1, m_2, m_3)$ and $M_R^{diag} = \text{diag}(M_1, M_2, M_3)$

- $\begin{pmatrix} \nu'_L \\ N_R^{c'} \end{pmatrix} = \mathcal{U} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_L \\ N_R^c \end{pmatrix},$

- $\mathcal{U} = \begin{pmatrix} U_L & T \\ S & U_R \end{pmatrix},$

- Off diagonal entries $T \approx S \approx m_D M_R^{-1}$

$0\nu\beta\beta$ in Type I LR model : Additional Diagrams

- In flavour basis,

$$\mathcal{L}_{CC} = \left[\bar{\ell}_{\alpha L} \gamma_{\mu} \nu'_{\alpha L} W_L^{\mu} + \bar{\ell}_{\alpha R} \gamma_{\mu} N'_{\alpha R} W_R^{\mu} \right] + \text{h.c.}$$

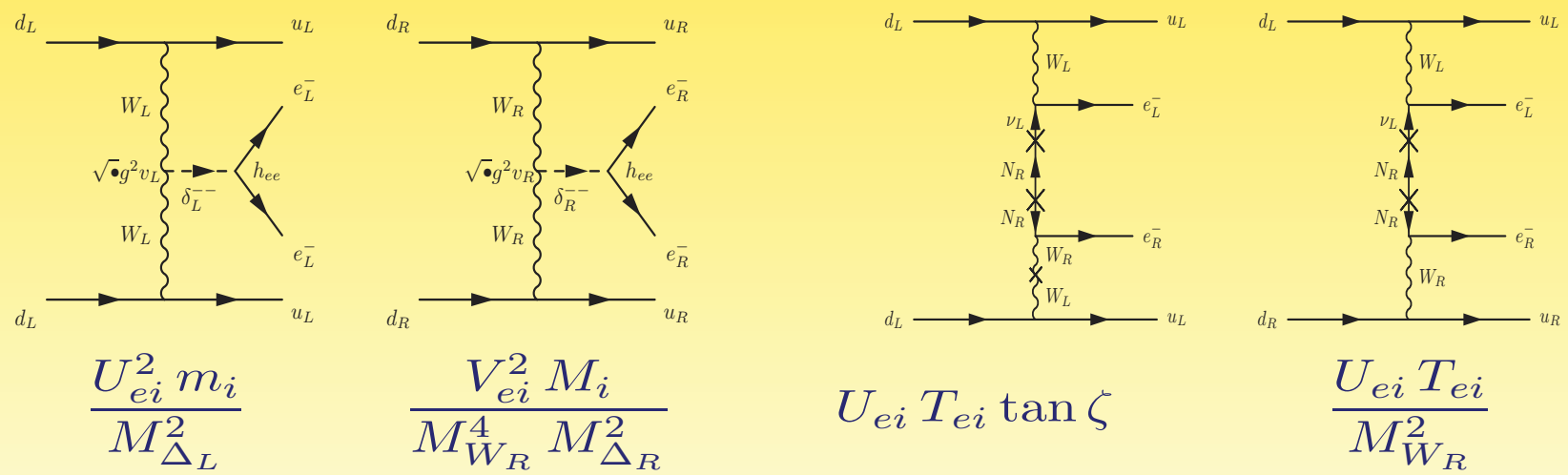
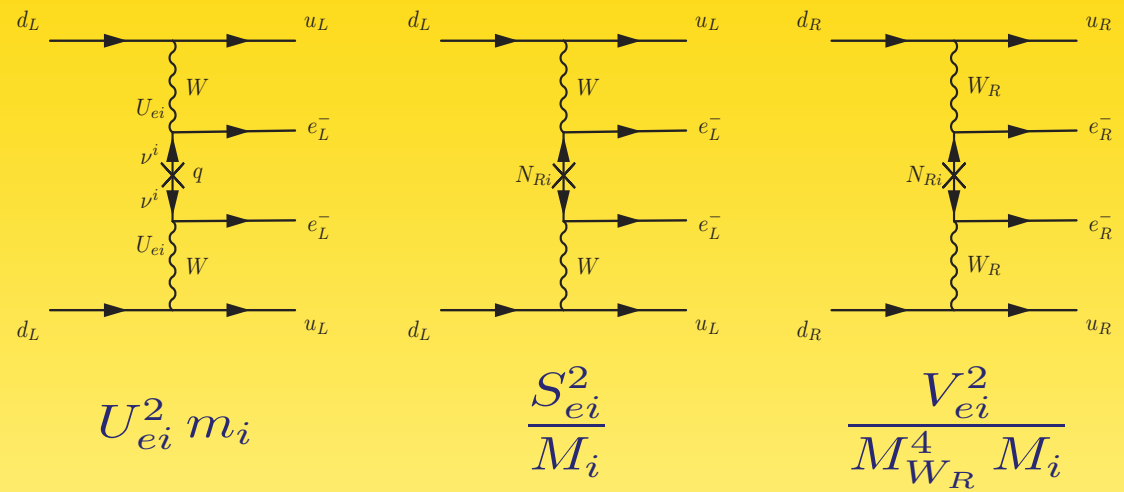
- In mass basis,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{CC} = & \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{\alpha} \sum_{i=1}^3 \left[\bar{\ell}_{\alpha L} \gamma_{\mu} \{ (U_L)_{\alpha i} \nu_{Li} + (T)_{\alpha i} N_{Ri}^c \} W_L^{\mu} \right. \\ & \left. + \bar{\ell}_{\alpha R} \gamma_{\mu} \{ (S)_{\alpha i}^* \nu_{Li}^c + (U_R)_{\alpha i}^* N_{Ri} \} W_R^{\mu} \right] + \text{h.c.} \end{aligned}$$

- Extra diagrams due to exchange of W_R and the charged Higgs fields

$0\nu\beta\beta$ in Type-I LR model : Additional Diagrams

Left-right symmetry

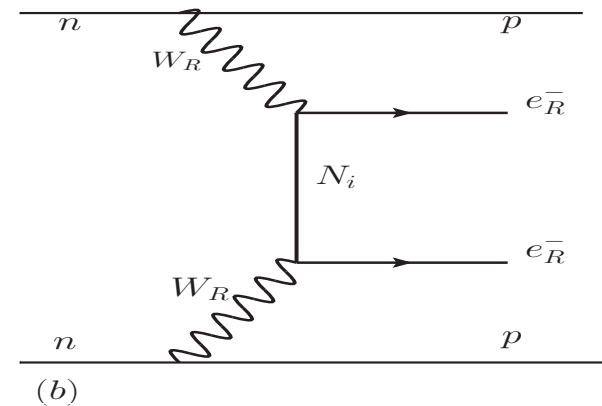
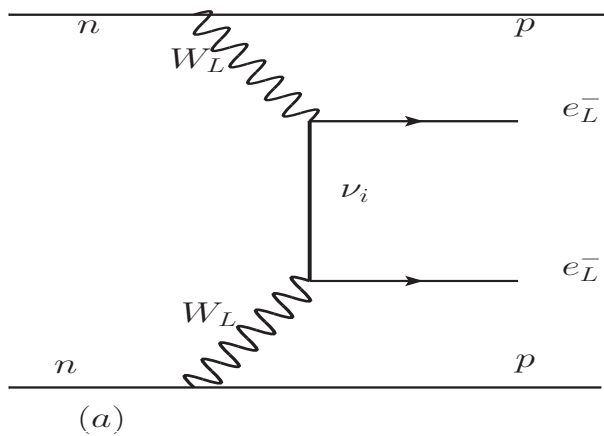


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$0\nu\beta\beta$ in Type-I LR model : Dominant Contributions

- $T_{ei} \sim S_{ei} \sim m_D/M_R \sim 10^{-6} \ll U_{Lei}$
- **Mixed Diagrams** (LR) can be neglected
- Possible to have **large** T_{ei} and S_{ei} in specific textures with cancellations

Pilaftsis; Kersevan & Smirnov, Adhikari & Raychaudhuri; Barry and Rodejohann



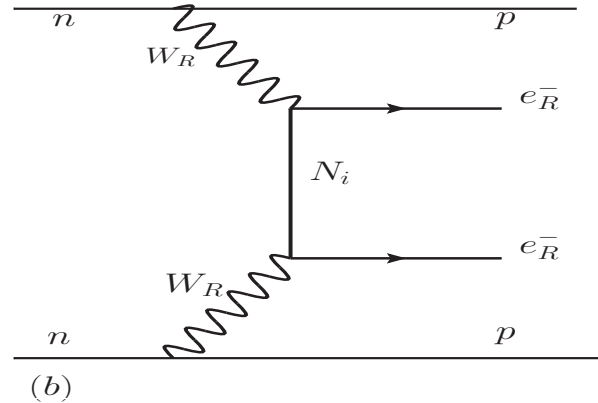
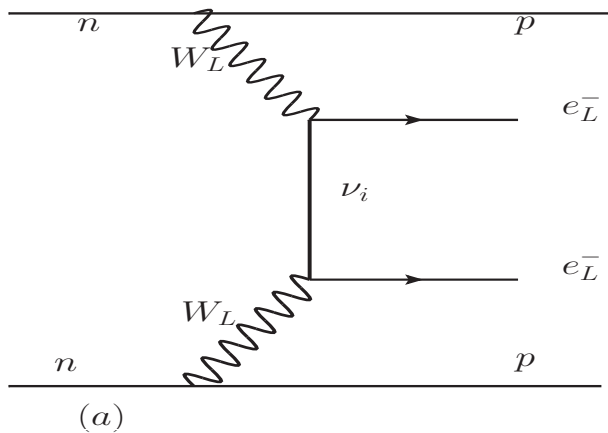
Light neutrino exchange

$$\mathcal{A}_\nu^{LL} \propto \frac{1}{M_{W_L}^4} \frac{U_{Lei}^2 m_i}{p^2}$$

Heavy neutrino exchange

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$0\nu\beta\beta$ in Typel LR model : Dominant Contributions



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- The different dependence on mass comes since propagator $\sim \frac{m^2}{p^2 - m^2}$ and $m_i \ll p \ll M_i$
- $p \sim 10 \text{ MeV}$, $m_i \sim 0.01 - 0.1 \text{ eV}$, $M_i \sim 100 \text{ GeV}$

Type-I dominance and $0\nu\beta\beta$

- $\frac{\Gamma_{0\nu\beta\beta}}{\ln 2} = G \left(|\mathcal{M}_\nu|^2 |\eta_L|^2 + |\mathcal{M}_N|^2 |\eta_R|^2 \right) ,$

$$|\eta_L| = \frac{|U_{Lei}^2 m_i|}{m_e} = |m_\nu^{ee}|/m_e$$

$$|\eta_R| = \frac{M_{WL}^4}{M_{WR}^4} |(U_R)_{ei}^2 m_p / M_i|$$

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- $$|m_{ee}^{\text{eff}}|^2 = |m_\nu^{ee}|^2 + |M_N^{ee}|^2$$

- $$|M_N^{ee}| = \left| \langle p \rangle^2 \frac{M_{WL}^4}{M_{WR}^4} \frac{(U_R)_{ei}^2}{M_i} \right|$$

- $$|\langle p^2 \rangle| = |m_e m_p \mathcal{M}_N / \mathcal{M}_\nu| \sim 100 - 200 \text{ (MeV)}^2$$

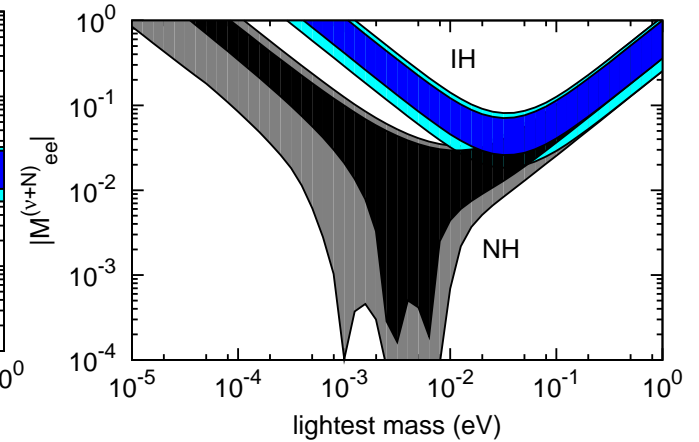
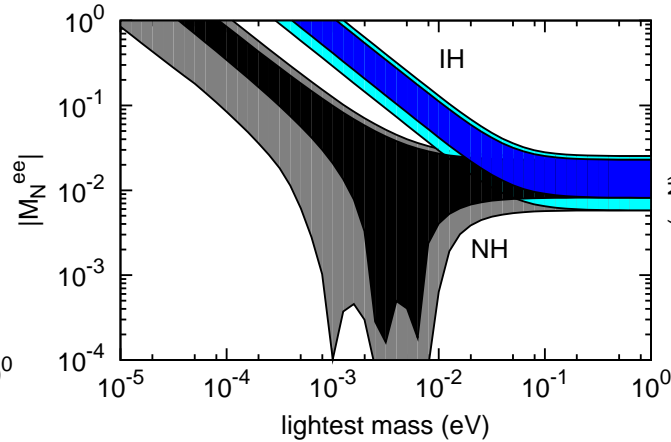
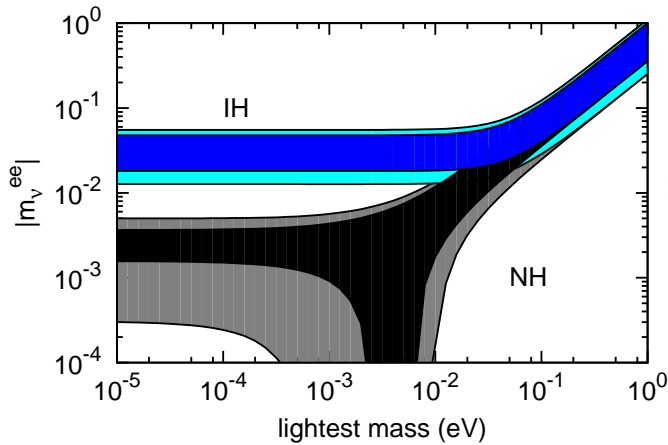
- $\langle p^2 \rangle$ encapsulates the **Nuclear matrix element uncertainties**

Type-I dominance and $0\nu\beta\beta$

- **LR symmetry** $\rightarrow f_L = f_R = f$ or $f_L = f_R^*$
- **Then** $m_\nu = \frac{v^2}{v_R} y_D^T f^{-1} y_D$,
 $M_R = f v_R$
- **Assuming** y_D diagonal,
- $U_L = U_R$, and $m_i \propto \frac{1}{M_i}$
- **Hierarchy** of the **heavy** neutrinos is related to that of **light** neutrinos
- **For numerical work we assume** $y_{D1} = y_{D2} = y_{D3}$

J. Chakraborty, H. Zeen Devi, S. Goswami, S. Patra JHEP, 2012

Type-I dominance and $0\nu\beta\beta$



$$|m_\nu^{ee}| = |U_{ei}^2 m_i|$$

$$|M_N^{ee}| = |C_N \frac{(U_R)_{ei}^2}{M_i}|$$

$$[|m_\nu^{ee}|^2 + |M_N^{ee}|^2]^{1/2}$$

- Right-handed contribution dominates for smaller m_1
- Left-handed contribution dominates in the QD regime
- Large effective mass even for smaller values of masses
- Cancellation region remains the same

J. Chakraborty, H. Zeen Devi, S. Goswami, S. Patra JHEP, 2012

Type-II dominance

- $M_\nu \equiv \begin{pmatrix} f_L v_L & y_D v \\ y_D^T v & f_R v_R \end{pmatrix},$

- **Type-II dominance** $\implies y_D = 0$

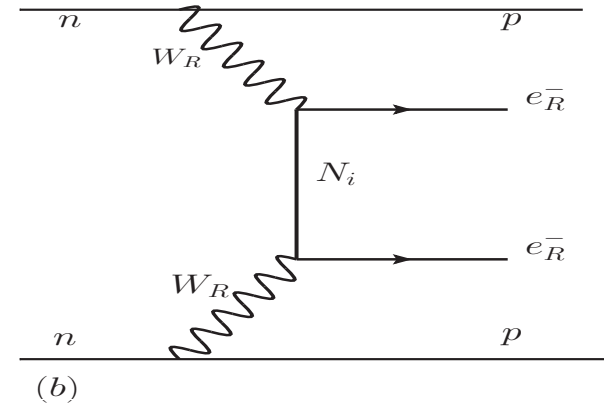
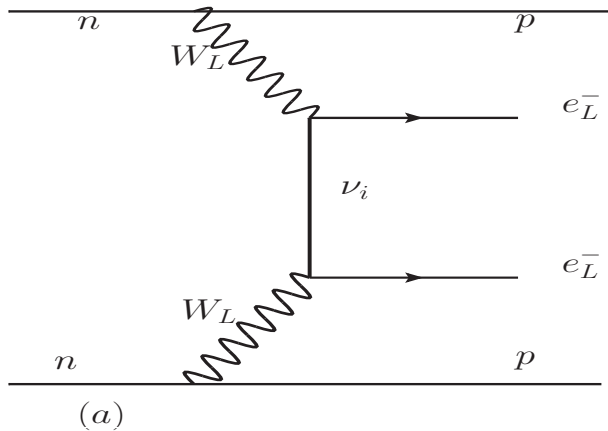
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- **LR symmetry** $\implies f_L = f_R$ (parity) or $f_L = f_R^*$ (charge-conjugation)

- $\begin{pmatrix} \nu'_L \\ N_R^{c'} \end{pmatrix} = \mathcal{U} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_L \\ N_R^c \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathcal{U} = \begin{pmatrix} U_L & 0 \\ 0 & U_R \end{pmatrix}$

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$$\mathcal{A}_{\nu}^{LL} \propto \frac{1}{M_{W_L}^4} \frac{U_{Le_i}^2 m_i}{p^2}$$

Heavy neutrino exchange

$$\mathcal{A}_N^{RR} \propto \frac{1}{M_{W_R}^4} \frac{(U_{Re_i}^*)^2}{M_i}$$

- The different dependence on mass comes since propagator $\sim \frac{m^2}{p^2 - m^2}$ and $m_i \ll p \ll M_i$
- Typical values $p \sim 10 \text{ MeV}$, $m_i \sim 0.01 - 0.1 \text{ eV}$, $M_i \sim 100 \text{ GeV}$

Type-II dominance and $0\nu\beta\beta$

- $$\frac{\Gamma_{0\nu\beta\beta}}{\ln 2} = G \left(|\mathcal{M}_\nu|^2 |\eta_L|^2 + |\mathcal{M}_N|^2 |\eta_R|^2 \right),$$

$$|\eta_L| = \frac{|U_{Lei}^2 m_i|}{m_e} = |m_\nu^{ee}|/m_e$$

$$|\eta_R| = \frac{M_{WL}^4}{M_{WR}^4} |(U_R)_{ei}^2 m_p / M_i|$$

- \mathcal{M}_ν and $\mathcal{M}_N \rightarrow$ the nuclear matrix elements for light and heavy neutrino exchange respectively

- $$\frac{\Gamma_{0\nu\beta\beta}}{\ln 2} = \frac{G |\mathcal{M}_\nu|^2}{m_e^2} |m_{ee}^{\text{eff}}|^2.$$

- $$|m_{ee}^{\text{eff}}|^2 = |m_\nu^{ee}|^2 + |M_N^{ee}|^2$$

- $$|M_N^{ee}| = \left| \langle p^2 \rangle^2 \frac{M_{WL}^4}{M_{WR}^4} \frac{(U_R)_{ei}^2}{M_i} \right| \quad (\text{for } M_j^2 \gg |\langle p^2 \rangle|)$$

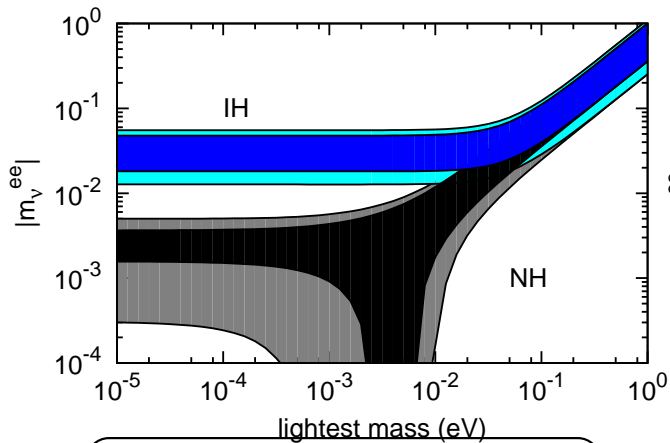
- $$|\langle p^2 \rangle| = |m_e m_p \mathcal{M}_N / \mathcal{M}_\nu| \sim 100 - 200 \text{ MeV}$$

- $\langle p^2 \rangle$ encapsulates the **Nuclear matrix element uncertainties**

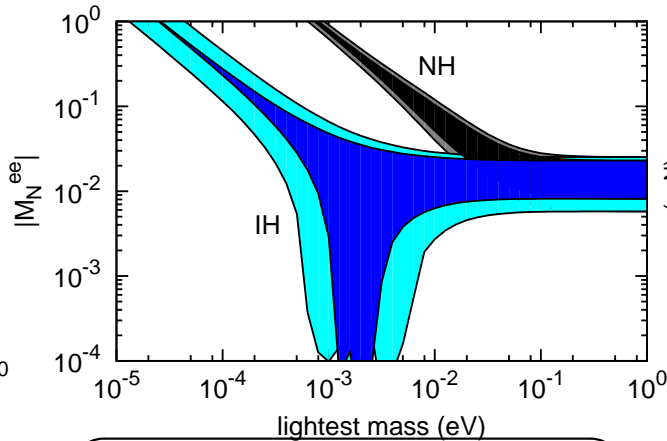
Tello, Nemevsek, Nesti, Senjanovic and Vissani, Phys. Rev. Lett. 106, 151801 (2011).

Type-II dominance and $0\nu\beta\beta$

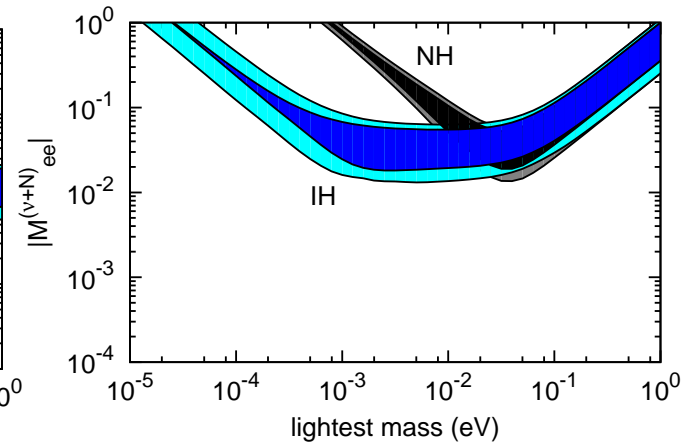
- LR symmetry : $f_L = f_R = f$ (parity)
- Then, $m_\nu = f_L \nu_L$, $M_R = f_R \nu_R \implies m_i \propto M_i$



$$|m_\nu^{ee}| = |U_{ei}^2 m_i|$$



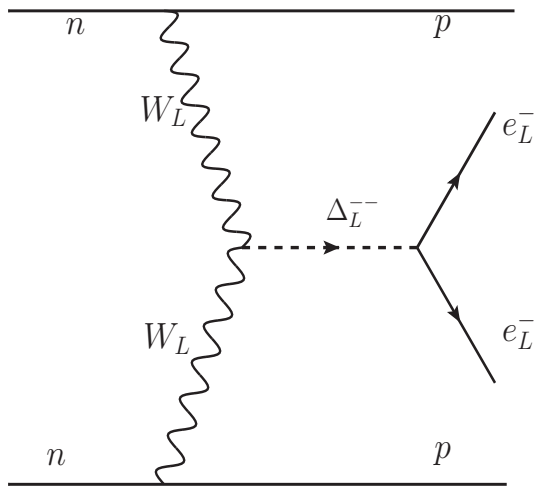
$$|M_N^{ee}| = |C_N \frac{(U_R)_{ei}^2}{M_i}|$$



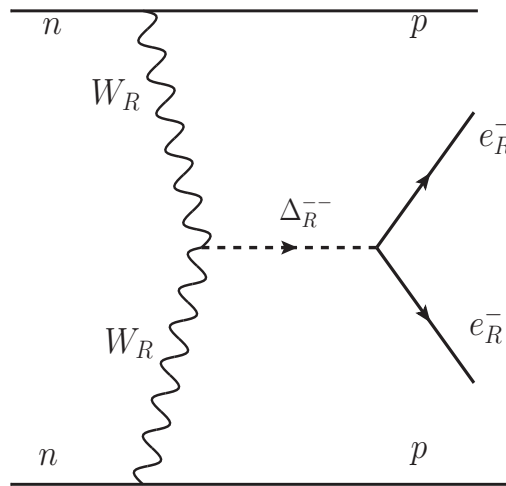
$$[|m_\nu^{ee}|^2 + |M_N^{ee}|^2]^{1/2}$$

- Right-handed contribution dominates for smaller m_1
- Left-handed contribution dominates in the QD regime
- Large effective mass even for smaller values of masses
- Complete role reversal among NH and IH , no cancellation region.

Triplet Higgs Contribution



(a)



(b)

Δ_L exchange

$$\mathcal{A}_{\Delta_L}^{LL} \propto \frac{1}{M_{W_L}^4} \frac{1}{M_{\Delta_L}^2} f_L v_L$$

$$\bullet \frac{\Gamma_{0\nu\beta\beta}}{\ln 2} = G \frac{|\mathcal{M}_\nu|^2}{m_e^2} \left| \left(\frac{U_{Lei}^2 m_i m_e^2}{M_{\Delta_L}^2} + p^2 \frac{M_{W_L}^4}{M_{W_R}^4} \frac{U_{Rei}^2 M_i}{M_{\Delta_R}^2} \right) \right|^2.$$

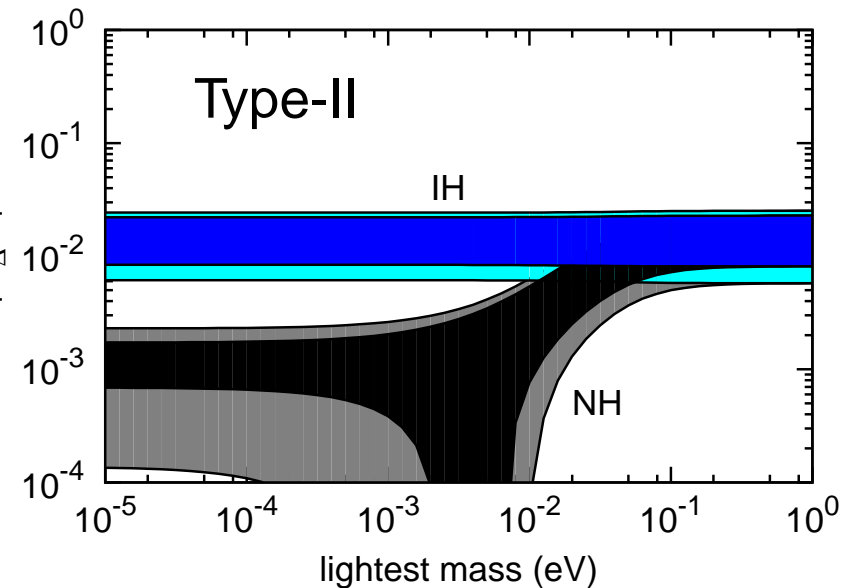
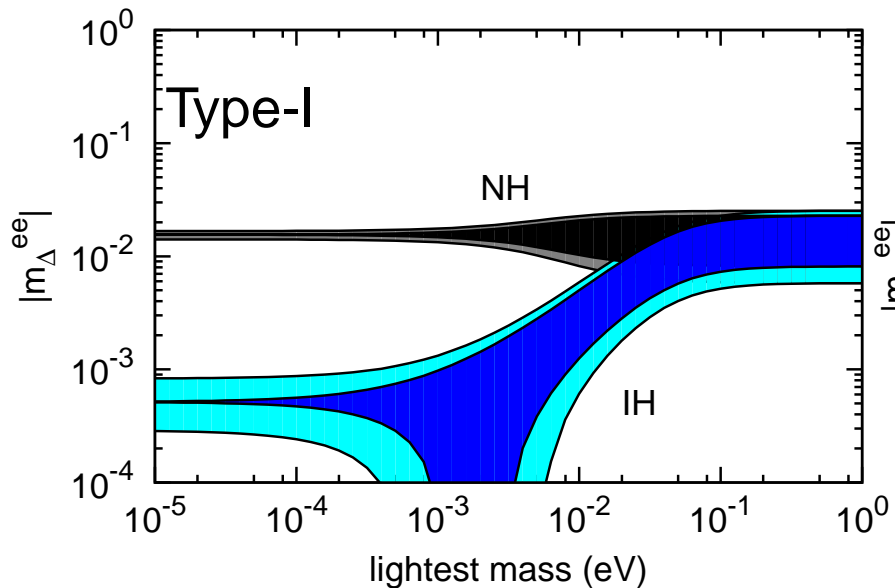
$$\bullet |m_{\Delta}^{ee}| = \left| p^2 \frac{M_{W_L}^4}{M_{W_R}^4} \frac{2 M_N}{M_{\Delta_R}^2} \right|.$$

LFV constraints $\implies M_N/M_{\Delta_R} < 0.1$ in most of the parameter space

Δ_R exchange

$$\mathcal{A}_{\Delta_R}^{RR} \propto \frac{1}{M_{W_R}^4} \frac{1}{M_{\Delta_R}^2} f_R v_R$$

Triplet Higgs contribution to $0\nu\beta\beta$

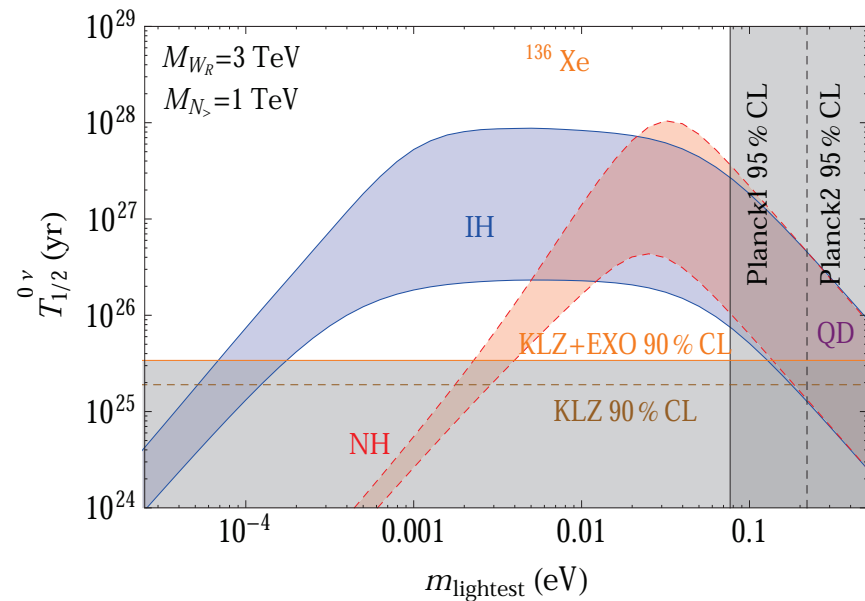
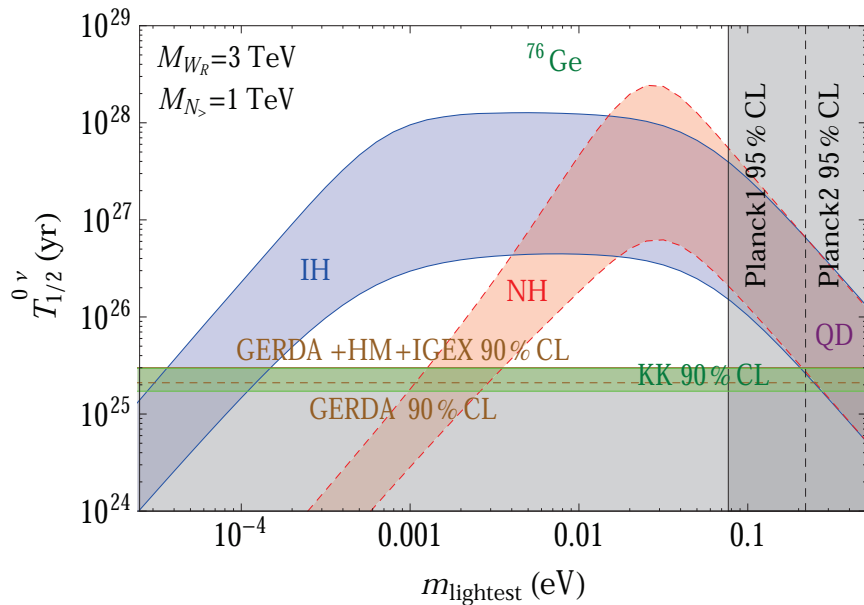


- Assume $M_N/M_{\Delta_R} = 1$
- Can be important for type-I case

J. Chakraborty, H. Zeen Devi, S. Goswami, S. Patra JHEP, 2012

See also Barry and Rodejohann, 1303.6324

Constraints on neutrino masses: Type-II case



- **KK claim** can be reached for **lower values of masses** for some NMEs.
- Current bounds can be **staurated** by **hierarchical** neutrinos
- For **lower** values of **masses** the **experimental limit** is crossed \implies **lower bound** on **neutrino masses**
- Typical bounds are **(2-3) meV (NH)** and **(0.07 -0.2) meV** for IH
- Bound depends on the W_R and N_R mass; Valid only in the limit $M_i \gg p$

Compatibility between Results for Heavy ν case

- $T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(Z_1 A) = \frac{G_{0\nu}^B}{G_{0\nu}^A} \left| \frac{\mathcal{M}_{0\nu}(^{76}\text{Ge})}{\mathcal{M}_{0\nu}(^{136}\text{Xe})} \right|^2 T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(Z_2 B)$

- **NME** for **heavy** neutrinos

Meroni, Petcov, Simkovic, JHEP 1302, 025 (2013).

- Predicted $T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(^{136}\text{Xe}) : (0.56 - 2.74) \times 10^{25}$ yr, 90% C.L.

- Can be consistent with individual **KLZ** and **EXO** but **not** with their **combined** limit

- **Similar** conclusion holds for **light+heavy** contribution.

Dev, S.G, Mitra, Rodejohann,2013

Compatibility between Results for Heavy ν case

- For the **heavy neutrino** case one can compare the upper limits on the corresponding **effective mass parameter** $M_{WR}^{-4} \sum_j U_{Rej}^2 / M_j$

SRQRPA NME method	Limit on $M_{WR}^{-4} \sum_j U_{Rej}^2 / M_j$ (TeV ⁻⁵)				
	⁷⁶ Ge			¹³⁶ Xe	
	GERDA	comb	KK	KLZ	comb
Argonne intm	0.30	0.25	0.24-0.33	0.18	0.13
Argonne large	0.26	0.22	0.22-0.29	0.18	0.14
CD-Bonn intm	0.20	0.16	0.17-0.22	0.17	0.13
CD-Bonn large	0.17	0.14	0.14-0.18	0.17	0.13

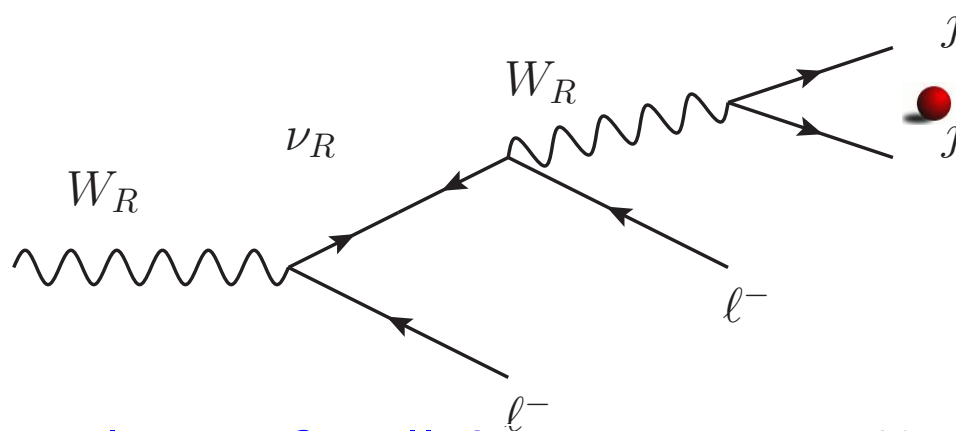
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- 'Argonne' and "CD-Bonn" → different **nucleon-nucleon potentials**

Meroni, Petcov Simkovic, JHEP 1302, 025 (2013).

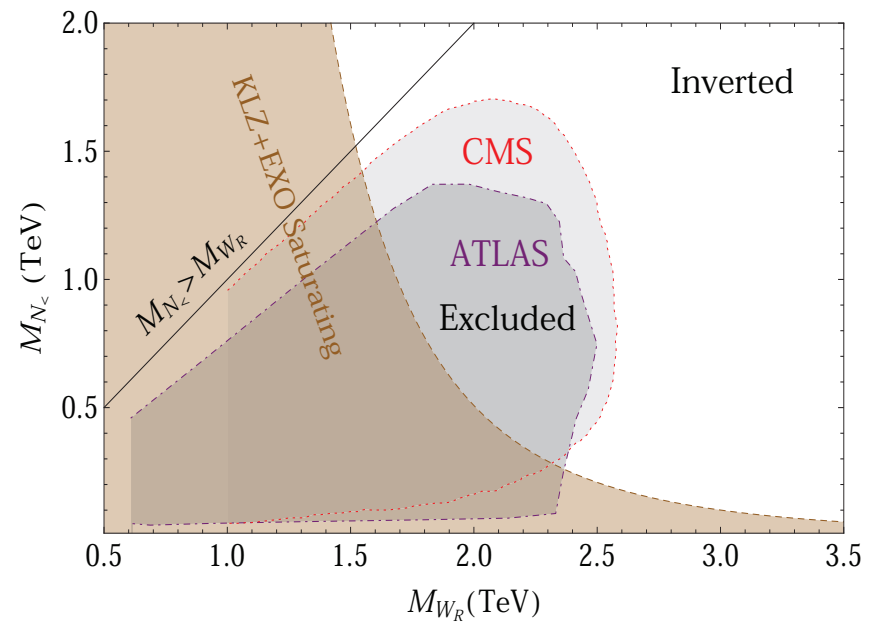
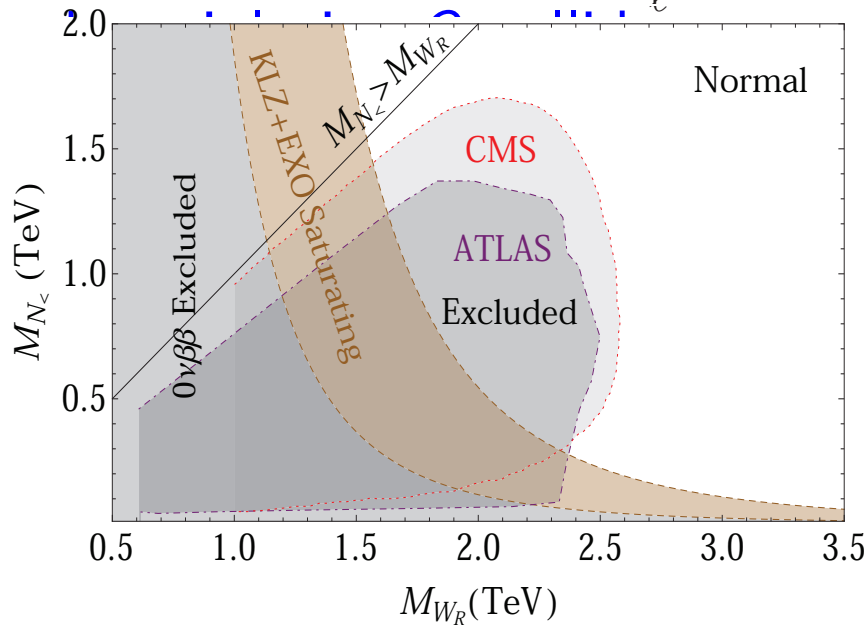
- KLZ+EXO** combined limits **inconsistent** with **KK** results

Lepton Number violation at Colliders



Same sign di-leptons + jet ,
Golden Channel

[Keung Senjanovic '83]



● Complimentary constraints for NH

Dev, S.G, Mitra, Rodejohann, 2013

Conclusion and Outlook

- The 2006 KK results though consistent with GERDA alone – in tension with combined GERDA + IGEX + HM limits.
- The KLZ+EXO combined bound is inconsistent with the KK results for most of the Nuclear Matrix Element calculations.
- A positive signal of $0\nu\beta\beta$ in QD region may be in conflict with cosmology
- The current bounds can also be saturated only in the QD regime.
- New Physics ?
- We consider LR symmetric model with $M_{W_R} \sim 3.5$ TeV
- Can be accessible at LHC
- Large effective mass even for hierarchical neutrinos
- This can set a lower limit on light neutrino mass
- Signature of TeV scale LR symmetry at LHC can result in a completely different interpretation of effective neutrino mass in $0\nu\beta\beta$ process.