



Impact of heavy sterile neutrinos on the triple Higgs coupling

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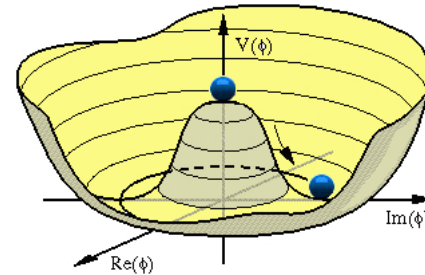
4. Outlook



The SM ultimate test: probing the scalar potential

From the scalar potential before EWSB (ϕ as the Higgs field):

$$V(\phi) = -m^2|\phi|^2 + \lambda|\phi|^4$$



To $V(\phi)$ after EWSB, with $M_H^2 = 2m^2$, $v^2 = m^2/\lambda$:

$$\phi = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{v + H(x)}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow V(H) = \frac{1}{2}M_H^2 H^2 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{M_H^2}{v} H^3 + \frac{1}{8} \frac{M_H^2}{v^2} H^4 + \text{constant}$$

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Neutrino properties

- **Neutrino oscillations:** observed experimentally in 1998

[Super-Kamiokande, PRL 81 (1998) 1562]

⇒ neutrinos are massive! ⇒ new physics required to account for their mass

Different mixing pattern from CKM, ν lightness; **Majorana or Dirac ν ?**

- **No information through oscillations about:**

Absolute mass scale:

cosmology $\Sigma m_{\nu_i} < 0.23 \text{ eV}$ [Planck, A&A 594 (2016) A13]

β decays $m_{\nu_e} < 2.05 \text{ eV}$ [Mainz experiment, EPJC 40 (2005) 447; Troitsk, PRD 84 (2011)

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Neutrino nature (Dirac or Majorana):

Neutrinoless double β decays $m_{2\beta} < 0.061 - 0.165 \text{ eV}$

[KamLAND-ZEN, PRL 117 (2016) 082503]



Massive neutrinos and New Physics

- **Standard Model:** $L = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_L \\ \ell_L \end{pmatrix}, \tilde{\phi} = \begin{pmatrix} H^{0*} \\ H^- \end{pmatrix}$

No right-handed neutrino $\nu_R \Rightarrow$ No Dirac mass term

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{mass}} = -Y_\nu \bar{L} \tilde{\phi} \nu_R + \text{h.c.}$$

No Higgs triplet $T \Rightarrow$ No Majorana mass term

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{mass}} = -\frac{1}{2} m \bar{L} T L^c + \text{h.c.}$$

- **Necessary to go beyond the Standard Model for ν mass**

Radiative models?

R-parity violation in supersymmetry?

Seesaw mechanisms? $\rightarrow \nu$ mass at tree-level

\rightarrow **heavy sterile fermions**

\Rightarrow **neutrino portal for Dark Matter?**

Dirac neutrinos?

Add **gauge singlet** (sterile), right-handed neutrinos

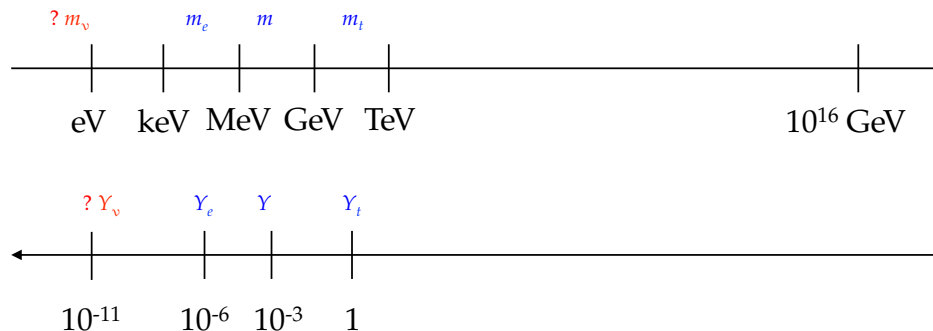
$$\nu_R \Rightarrow \nu = \nu_L + \nu_R$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{mass}}^{\text{leptons}} = -Y_\ell \bar{L} \phi \ell_R - Y_\nu \bar{L} \tilde{\phi} \nu_R + \text{h.c.}$$

⇒ After electroweak symmetry breaking:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{mass}}^{\text{leptons}} = -m_\ell \bar{\ell}_L \ell_R - m_D \bar{\nu}_L \nu_R + \text{h.c.}$$

⇒ **3** light active neutrinos: $m_\nu \lesssim 1\text{eV} \Rightarrow Y^\nu \lesssim 10^{-11}$





Majorana neutrinos?

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3 $\nu_R \Rightarrow$ **6** mass eigenstates: $\nu = \nu^c$

- ν_R gauge singlets

⇒ M_R not related to SM dynamics, not protected by symmetries

⇒ M_R between 0 and M_P

- $M_R \bar{\nu}_R \nu_R^c$ violates lepton number conservation $\Delta L = 2$



Linking the Higgs sector and neutrinos

How to search for heavy neutrino with $m_\nu > \mathcal{O}(1 \text{ TeV})$?

Use the Higgs sector to probe neutrino mass models

- TeV-scale neutrinos + Large Yukawa couplings
 \Rightarrow Possibly **large deviations from SM properties** in the Higgs sector
- **HH production:** one of the main motivation for high-luminosity LHC and future colliders \Rightarrow need to study the impact of BSM on $\lambda_{HHH} \Rightarrow$ **impact of heavy neutrino(s) on λ_{HHH} ?**
 - Sizeable SM 1-loop corrections ($\mathcal{O}(10\%)$) \Rightarrow Quantum corrections cannot be neglected
 - Sensitive to **diagonal** Yukawa couplings Y_ν



Neutrino effects on the triple Higgs coupling

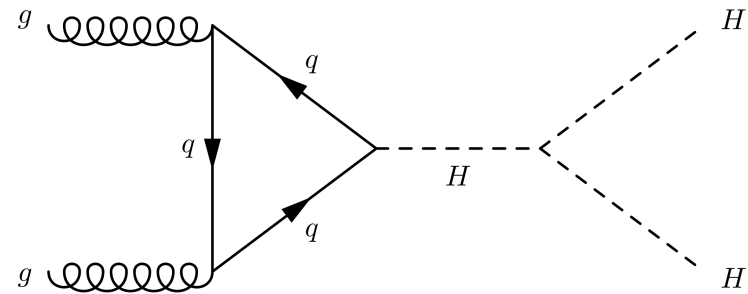
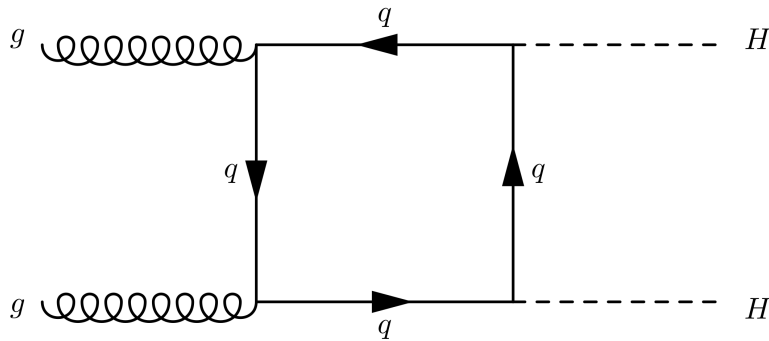
1. A 3+1 model

[J.B., Weiland, PRD 94 (2016) 013002]



Sensitivity to λ_{HHH}

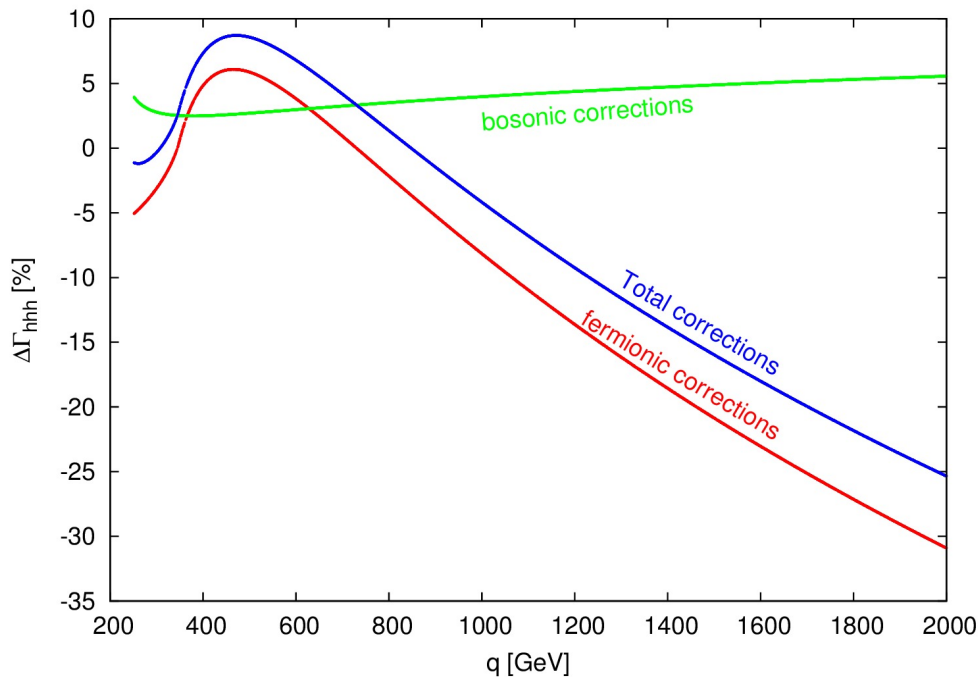
λ_{HHH} extracted from HH production



Experimental prospects for the sensitivity to λ_{HHH} :

- HL-LHC: only (optimistic) bounds $\lambda_{HHH}/\lambda_{HHH}^{\text{SM}} \in [0.04; 2.7] \cup [5.5; 5.6]$ at 68% CL [Kim, Sakaki, Son, arXiv:1801.06093] \Rightarrow **very difficult**
- ILC: 27% at 500 GeV with 4 ab^{-1} [Fujii *et al*, arXiv:1506.05992]
10% at 1 TeV with 5 ab^{-1}
- FCC-hh: 8% / exp with 3 ab^{-1} using only $b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma$ [Je, Ren, Yao, PRD 93 (2016) 015003]
 $\sim 5\%$ combining all channels

SM 1-loop corrections



taken from [Arhrib *et al*, JHEP 12 (2015) 007]

tree-level: $\lambda_{HHH}^0 = -\frac{3M_H^2}{v}$

Dominant contribution
from top-quark loops

[Kanemura *et al*, PRD 70 (2004) 115002]

$$\lambda_{HHH}(q^2, m_H^2, m_t^2) = -\frac{3m_H^2}{v} \left[1 - \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \frac{16m_t^4}{v^2 m_H^2} \times \left\{ 1 + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{m_H^2}{m_t^2}, \frac{q^2}{m_t^2}\right) \right\} \right]$$

Opposite sign for the
threshold ($\sqrt{q^2} = 2m_t$) and
 m_t^4 contributions



Simplified 3+1 Dirac model

- Simplified models for:
 - Simplify study of neutrino (ν) mass models
 - Effects of new fermionic coupling through **neutrino portal**
- Simplified model: **3 light ν ($m_n = 1$ eV)** and **1 heavy sterile ν (m_4)** parametrized by ν masses and **active-sterile mixing B_{ij}**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{L} \ni & -\frac{g_2}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{\ell}_i \gamma^\mu W_\mu^- B_{ij} P_L n_j + \text{h.c.} \\
 & -\frac{g_2}{2M_W} \bar{n}_i (B^\dagger B)_{ij} H (m_{n_i} P_L + m_{n_j} P_R) n_j \quad B_{3 \times 4} = \begin{pmatrix} B_{e1} & B_{e2} & B_{e3} & \mathbf{B}_{e4} \\ B_{\mu1} & B_{\mu2} & B_{\mu3} & \mathbf{B}_{\mu4} \\ B_{\tau1} & B_{\tau2} & B_{\tau3} & \mathbf{B}_{\tau4} \end{pmatrix} \\
 & -\frac{g_2}{2 \cos \theta_W} \bar{n}_i \gamma^\mu Z_\mu (B^\dagger B)_{ij} P_L n_j
 \end{aligned}$$

Active-sterile mixing matrix B constructed from the PMNS matrix



New contributions to the triple Higgs coupling

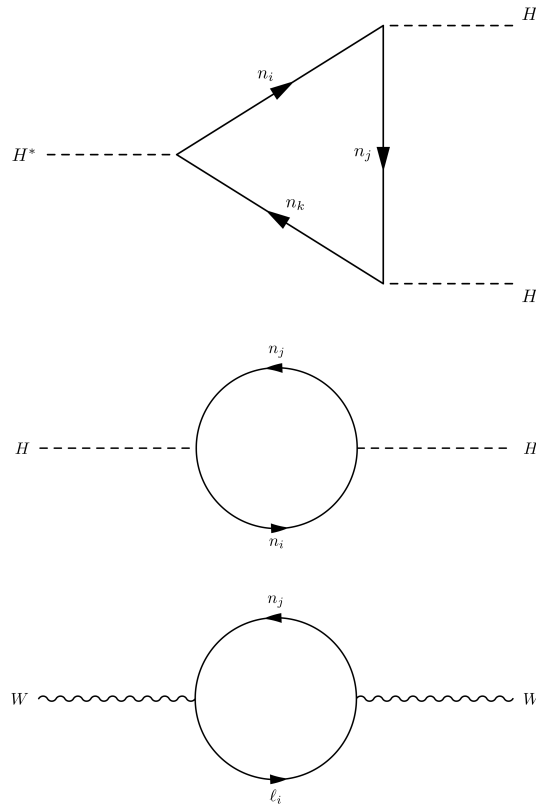
Heavy ν generates **new 1-loop diagrams and new counterterms**

Counterterm to the triple Higgs coupling:

$$\frac{\delta\lambda_{HHH}}{\lambda_{HHH}^0} = \frac{3}{2}\delta Z_H + \delta t_H \frac{e}{2M_W \sin\theta_W M_H^2} + \delta Z_e$$

$$+ \frac{\delta M_H^2}{M_H^2} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\delta M_W^2}{M_W^2}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \cot^2\theta_W \left(\frac{\delta M_W^2}{M_W^2} - \frac{\delta M_Z^2}{M_Z^2} \right)$$



Tools for the calculation:

→ FeynArts/FormCalc/LoopTools

→ New Model File for ν interactions



Constraints on the model

Theoretical constraints

- Loose (tight) **perturbativity** bound:

$$\left(\frac{\max |C_{i4}| g_2 m_{n_4}}{2M_W} \right)^3 < 16\pi (2\pi)$$

- **Width** limit: $\Gamma_{n_4} \leq 0.6 m_{n_4}$

Experimental constraints

- PMNS matrix: best fit of normal hierarchy with no CP-violation

[Gonzalez-Garcia, Maltoni, Schwetz, JHEP 11 (2014) 052]

Lepton flavor violating decays

[MEG, EPJC 76 (2016) 434]

- Neutrinoless beta decay: escaped (Dirac ν)

- Strongest experimental constraints on n_4 :

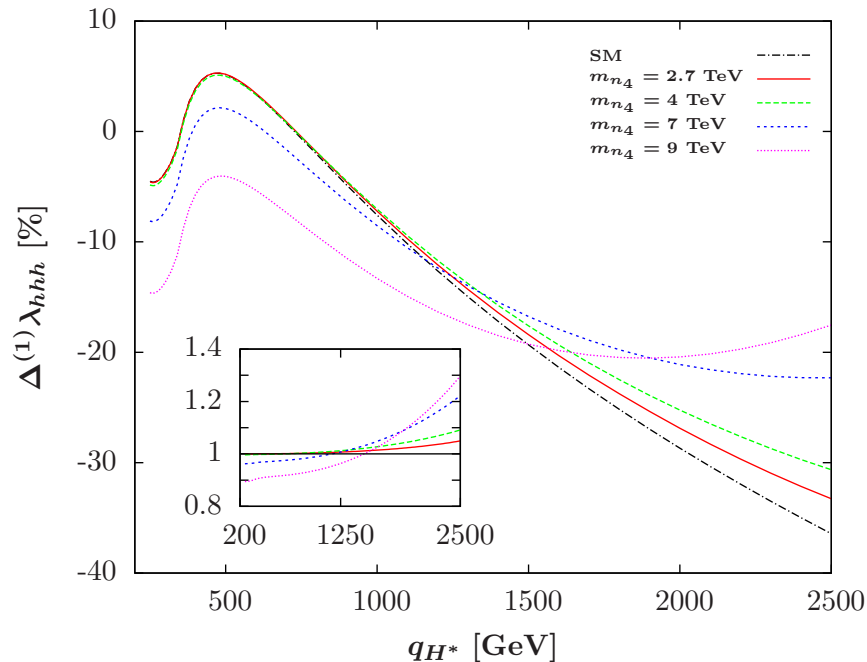
EW precision observables [del Aguila,

de Blas, Pérez-Victoria, PRD 78 (2008) 013010]

$$|B_{e4}| \leq 0.041, \quad |B_{\mu 4}| \leq 0.030, \quad |B_{\tau 4}| \leq 0.087$$



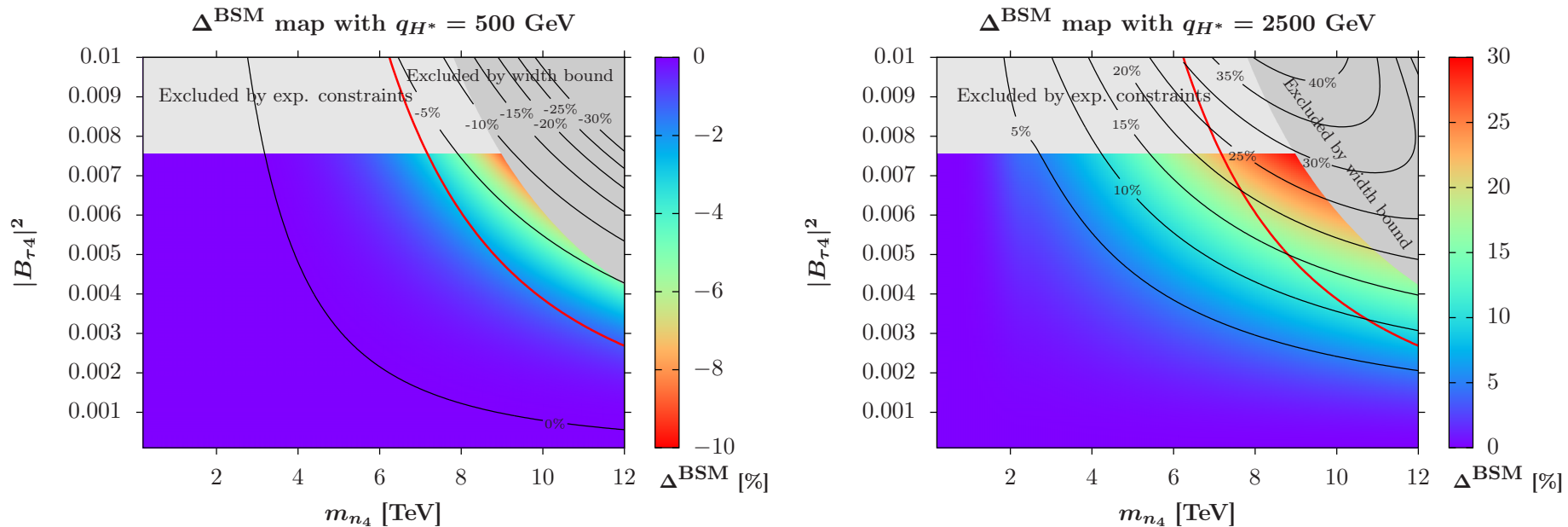
Momentum dependence



- $\Delta^{(1)}\lambda_{HHH} = \frac{1}{\lambda^0} (\lambda_{HHH}^{1r} - \lambda^0)$
- $B_{\tau 4} = 0.087, B_{e4} = B_{\mu 4} = 0$
- Deviation of the BSM correction with respect to the SM correction in the insert
- $C_{44}m_{n_4} = m_t \Rightarrow m_{n_4} = 2.7 \text{ TeV}$
tight perturbativity bound:
 $m_{n_4} = 7 \text{ TeV}$
width bound: $m_{n_4} = 9 \text{ TeV}$

- Largest positive correction at $q_H^* \simeq 500 \text{ GeV}$, heavy ν decreases it
- Large negative correction at large q_H^* , heavy ν increases it

Contour maps in a 3+1 simplified model



- $\Delta^{\text{BSM}} = \left(\lambda_{HHH}^{1r,\text{full}} - \lambda_{HHH}^{1r,\text{SM}} \right) / \lambda_{HHH}^{1r,\text{SM}}$
- **Red line**: tight perturbativity bound
- Heavy ν effects **out of reach of the HL-LHC**
- Heavy ν effects **visible at the ILC (10%) and FCC-hh (5%)**
- Similar plots for B_{e4} and $B_{\mu 4}$



Neutrino effects on the triple Higgs coupling

2. The inverse seesaw

[J.B., Weiland, JHEP 1704 (2017) 038]



From the 3+1 Dirac model to the inverse seesaw

- TeV-scale neutrino induces **sizeable corrections** to λ_{HHH}
 - Decrease at $q_H^* \simeq 500$ GeV
 - Increase at large q_H^*
- Effects could be used to **constrain the active-sterile mixing** at the ILC and FCC-hh
- What are the effects in an appealing low-scale seesaw model ?
 - ▶ Inverse seesaw → Additional constraints need to be included

The inverse seesaw (ISS) mechanism

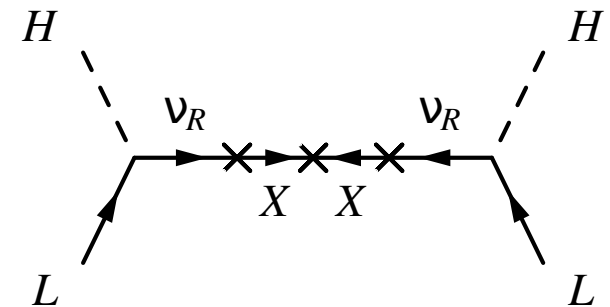
- Lower seesaw scale from (nearly) conserved lepton number
- Add **fermionic gauge singlets** ν_R ($L = +1$) and X ($L = -1$)

[Mohapatra, PRL 56 (1986) 561; Mohapatra, Valle, PRD 34 (1986) 1642; Bernabéu *et al.*, PLB 187 (1987) 303]

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{ISS}} = -Y_\nu \bar{L} \tilde{\phi} \nu_R - M_R \bar{\nu}_R^c X - \frac{1}{2} \mu_X \bar{X}^c X + \text{h.c.}$$

with $m_D = Y_\nu v / \sqrt{2}$, $M^\nu = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & m_D & 0 \\ m_D^T & 0 & M_R \\ 0 & M_R^T & \mu_X \end{pmatrix}$

$$m_\nu \approx \frac{m_D^2}{M_R^2} \mu_X, \quad m_{N_1, N_2} \approx \mp M_R + \frac{\mu_X}{2}$$



2 scales: μ_X and M_R

- **Decouple** neutrino mass generation from active-sterile mixing
- Inverse seesaw: $Y_\nu \sim \mathcal{O}(1)$ and $M_R \sim 1$ TeV
 \Rightarrow **within reach of the LHC and low energy experiments**



Most relevant constraints for the ISS

- Accommodate low-energy neutrino data using **parametrization**

$$\nu Y_\nu^T = V^\dagger \text{diag}(\sqrt{M_1}, \sqrt{M_2}, \sqrt{M_3}) R \text{diag}(\sqrt{m_1}, \sqrt{m_2}, \sqrt{m_3}) U_{PMNS}^\dagger$$

$$M = M_R \mu_X^{-1} M_R^T \text{ (Casas-Ibarra parametrization)}$$

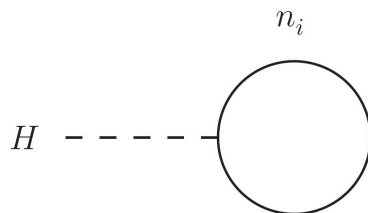
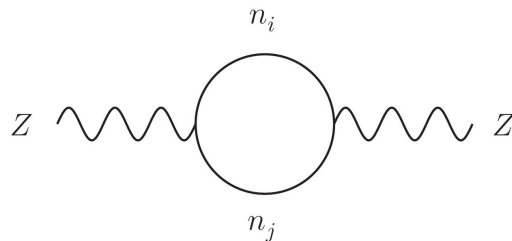
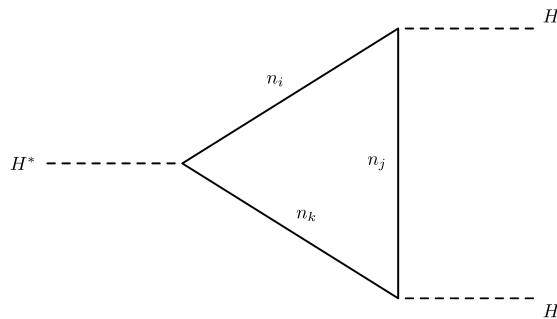
or

$$\mu_X = M_R^T Y_\nu^{-1} U_{PMNS}^* m_\nu U_{PMNS}^\dagger Y_\nu^{T-1} M_R \nu^2 \quad \text{and beyond}$$

- Charged lepton flavor violation
→ For example: $\text{Br}(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma) < 4.2 \times 10^{-13}$ [MEG, EPJC 76 (2016) 434]
- Global fit to EWPO and lepton universality tests [Fernandez-Martinez *et al.*, JHEP 1608 (2016) 033]
- Electric dipole moment: **0** with **real** PMNS and mass matrices
- Invisible Higgs decays: **$M_R > m_H$, does not apply**
- Yukawa perturbativity: $|\frac{Y_\nu^2}{4\pi}| < 1.5$



Calculation in the ISS

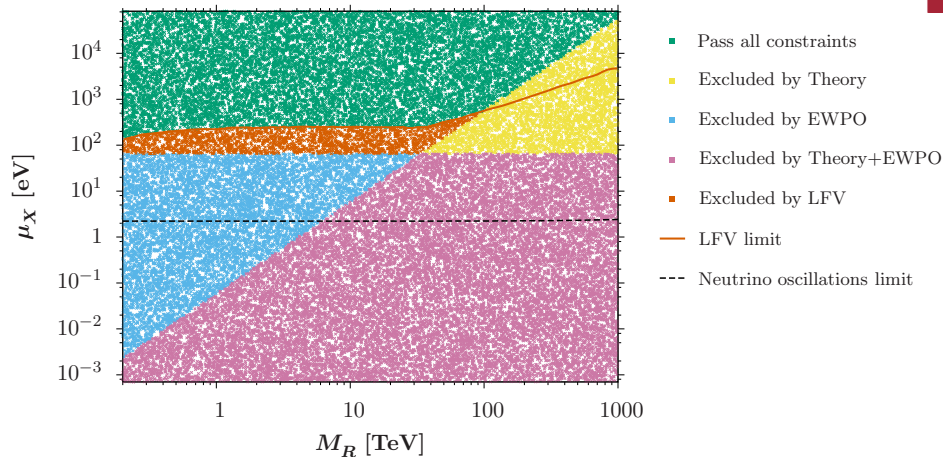


- Similar diagrams to the 3+1 Dirac scenario but with Majorana neutrinos
- Same tools as for the 3+1 model
- More heavy neutrinos
 \Rightarrow effects generically larger than in the 3+1 model

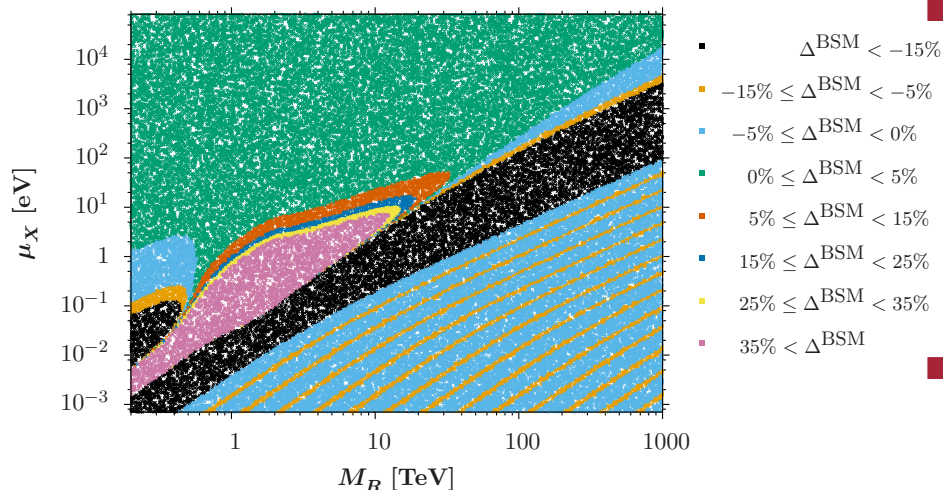
Analytical formulae for both Dirac and Majorana fermions

Results using the Casas-Ibarra parametrization

Parameter scan in Casas-Ibarra parametrization



Δ^{BSM} [%] with $q_{H^*} = 2500$ GeV



- Random scan: 180000 points with degenerate (diagonal) M_R and μ_χ , θ_i angles of the matrix R ,

$$0 \leq \theta_i \leq 2\pi, (i = 1, 2, 3)$$

$$0.2 \text{ TeV} \leq M_R \leq 1000 \text{ TeV}$$

$$7 \times 10^{-4} \text{ eV} \leq \mu_\chi \leq 8.26 \times 10^4 \text{ eV}$$

- Strongest constraints:
 - Lepton flavor violation, mainly $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$
 - Yukawa perturbativity (and neutrino width)
- Large effects necessarily excluded by LFV constraints ?

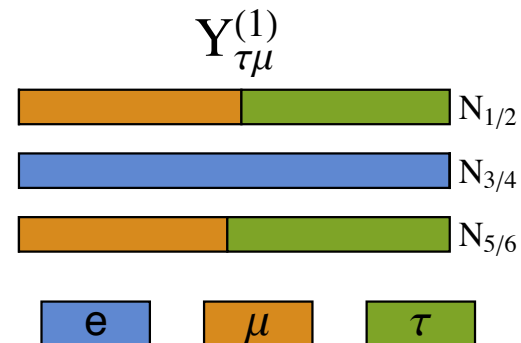
Suppressing LFV constraints

- How to evade the LFV constraints ?
- Approximate formulas for large Y_ν [Arganda *et al.* , PRD 91 (2015) 015001]:

$$\text{Br}_{\mu \rightarrow e \gamma}^{\text{approx}} = 8 \times 10^{-17} \text{GeV}^{-4} \frac{m_\mu^5}{\Gamma_\mu} \left| \frac{v^2}{2M_R^2} (Y_\nu Y_\nu^\dagger)_{12} \right|^2$$

- Solution: Textures with $(Y_\nu Y_\nu^\dagger)_{12} = 0$

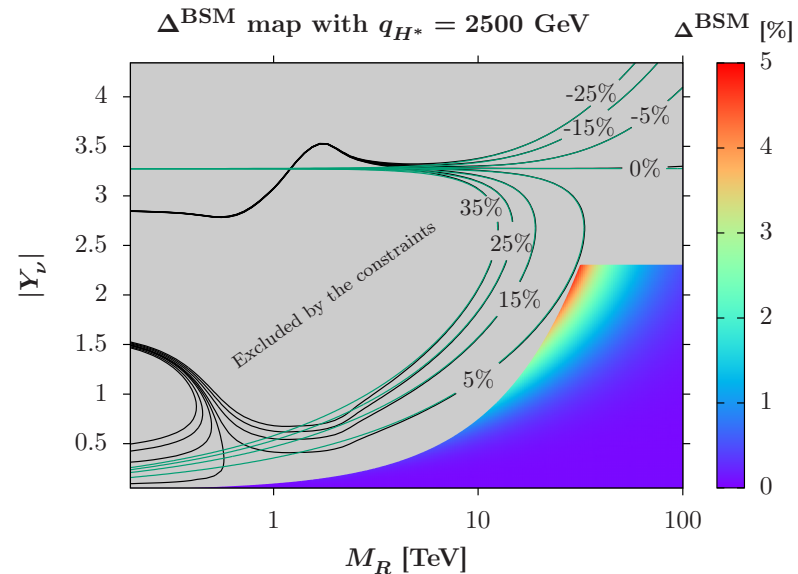
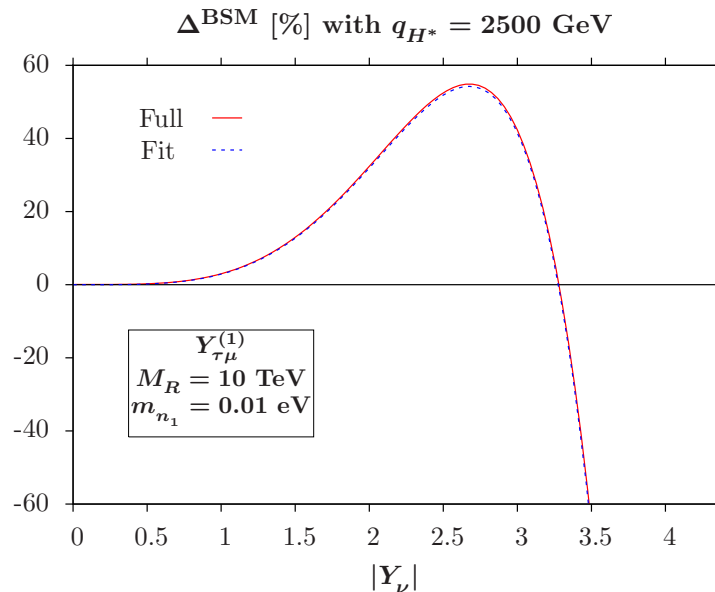
$$Y_{\tau\mu}^{(1)} = |Y_\nu| \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0.9 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



[taken from Arganda *et al.* , PLB 752 (2016) 46]

- Or even take Y_ν diagonal

Results for $Y_{\tau\mu}^{(1)}$



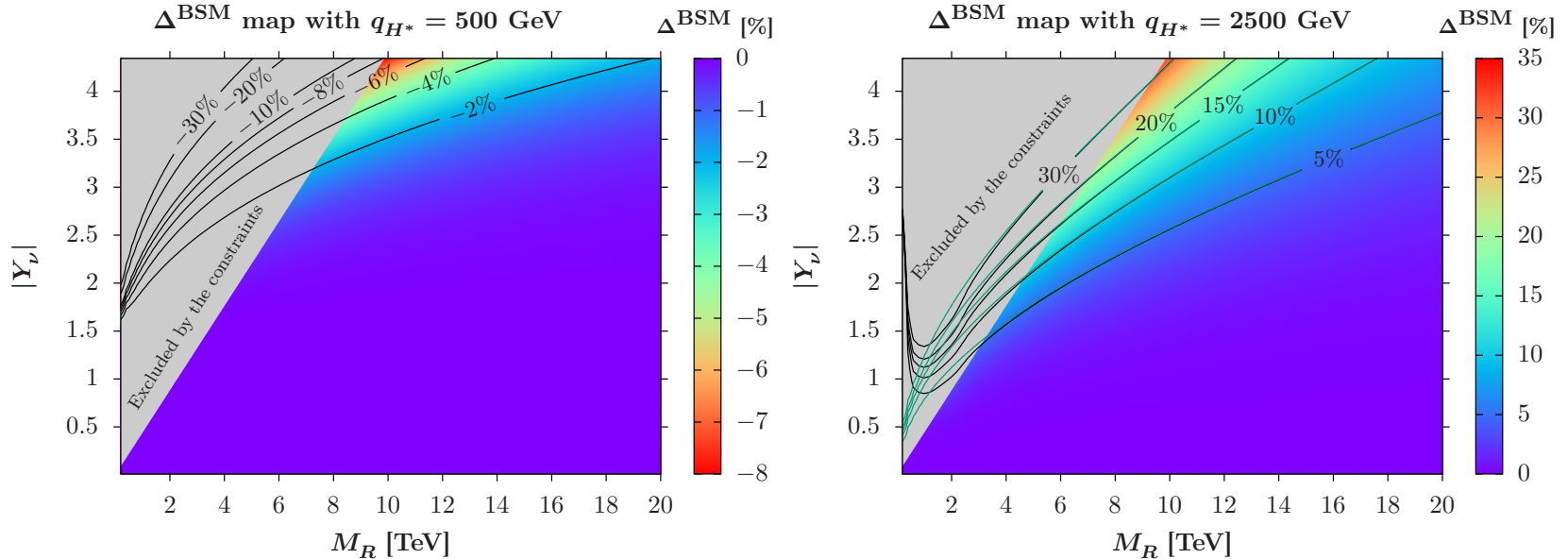
- $\Delta^{\text{BSM}} = \left(\lambda_{HHH}^{1r,\text{full}} - \lambda_{HHH}^{1r,\text{SM}} \right) / \lambda_{HHH}^{1r,\text{SM}}$
- Right: Full calculation in black, **approximate formula in green**
- Well described at $M_R > 3 \text{ TeV}$ by approximate formula

$$\Delta_{\text{approx}}^{\text{BSM}} = \frac{(1 \text{ TeV})^2}{M_R^2} \left(8.45 \text{Tr}(Y_\nu Y_\nu^\dagger Y_\nu Y_\nu^\dagger) - 0.145 \text{Tr}(Y_\nu Y_\nu^\dagger Y_\nu Y_\nu^\dagger Y_\nu Y_\nu^\dagger) \right)$$

- Can maximize Δ^{BSM} by taking $Y_\nu \propto I_3$



Results in the ISS



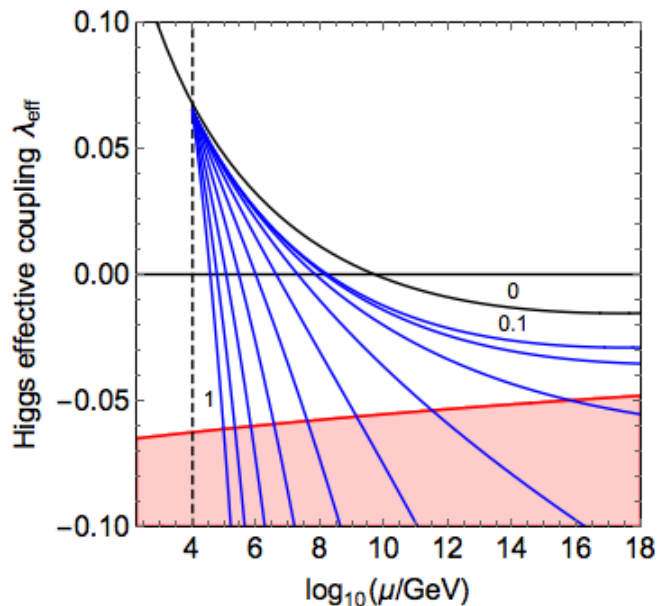
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- $Y_\nu \propto I_3 + \text{diagonal } M_R$, full calculation in black
approximate formula in green; Maximize the correction
- Confirm 3+1 Dirac analysis despite stronger constraints
- Effects potentially visible at the 1 TeV ILC (10% sensitivity)
clearly visible at the FCC-hh (5% sensitivity)



Look beyond the lower scales

- λ_{HHH} complementary to existing observables, **provide a new probe of the $\mathcal{O}(10)$ TeV region of neutrino mass models, especially with diagonal, real Yukawa couplings!**
- **What about the running of λ / the stability of $V(H)$?**

[see Delle Rose, Marzo, Urbano, JHEP 1512 (2015) 050]



With $V_{\text{eff}}(H) = \frac{1}{4}\lambda_{\text{eff}}(H)H^4$, common heavy neutrino threshold $M_R = 10$ TeV:

[Gröber, Di Luzio, Spannowsky, EPJC 77 (2017) 788]

Large Yukawa couplings could require a cut-off scale at a few tens of TeV

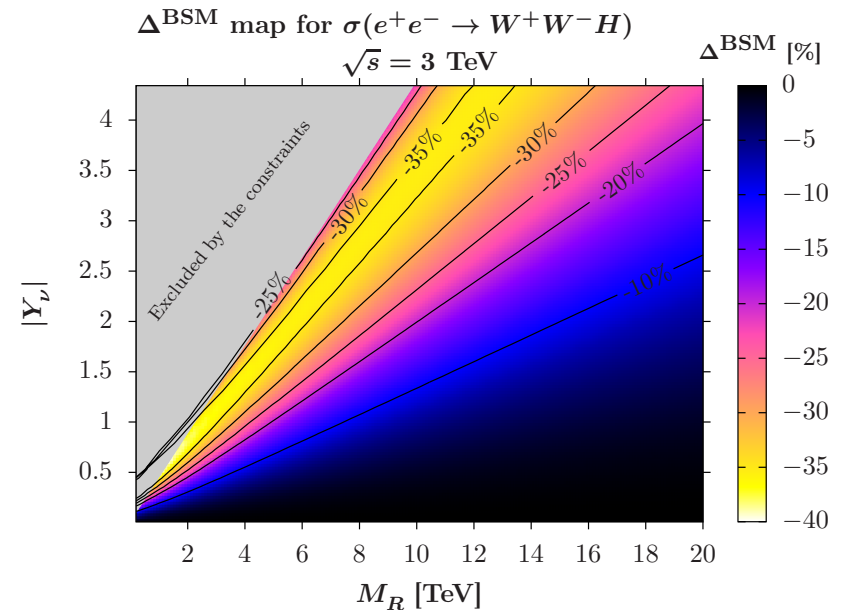
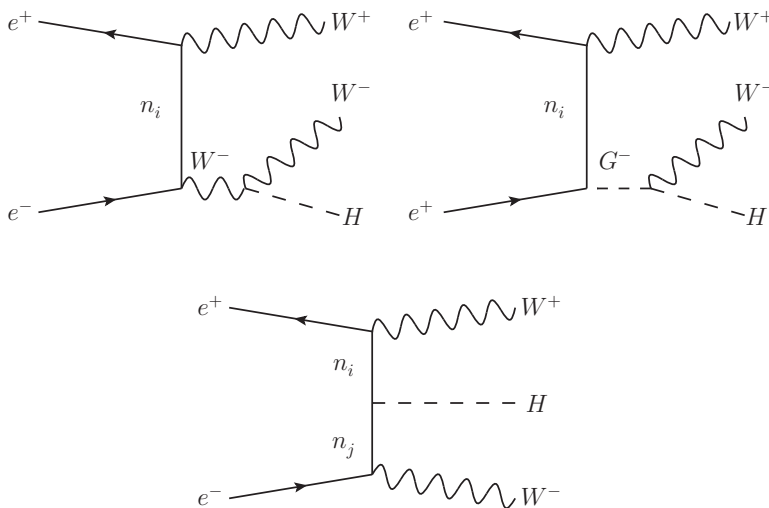
⇒ **A thorough analysis of UV-complete models would be required, safe if $\Lambda_{\text{UV}} > \Lambda_{\text{seesaw}}$**

- UV completion natural to explain μ_χ , link to $B - L$ symmetry

Probing ISS at tree-level: A lepton collider observable

- Looking directly at a production cross section: are similar deviations possible?
- Case example: $W^+ W^- H$ production at a lepton collider

[J.B., Pascoli, Weiland, arXiv:1712.07621 [hep-ph]]



- Sizable effects on a larger subset of the parameter space!
 Motivate a detailed sensitivity analysis [J.B., Pascoli, Weiland, in preparation]



Conclusion and outlook

- **The big question: Is the observed scalar boson an SM Higgs boson or a first window on BSM physics?**
 - ⇒ **Study of BSM effects on the triple Higgs coupling**
- **Neutrino oscillations: New physics needed to generate m_ν**
 - low-scale seesaw appealing to generate tree-level m_ν
 - Inverse seesaw: $Y_\nu \sim \mathcal{O}(1)$ AND $M_R \sim \mathcal{O}(0.1 - 10)$ TeV
- **Neutrino effects on the triple Higgs coupling: Up to 30% correction**
 - Measurable at future colliders (ILC, FCC-hh)
 - Probe a **new part** of the **parameter space** of the mass models
 - **Generic effect expected in all models with TeV fermions and large Higgs couplings**
 - Give new constraints on active-sterile neutrino mixing: **Impact on astrophysics, cosmology, neutrino physics**
- **Future work:** corrections to HH production cross-section at lepton colliders, UV completion to low-scale seesaw models



Backup slides



Renormalization procedure for the HHH coupling I

- No tadpole: $t_H^{(1)} + \delta t_H = 0 \Rightarrow \delta t_H = -t_H^{(1)}$
- Counterterms:

$$M_H^2 \rightarrow M_H^2 + \delta M_H^2$$

$$M_{W/Z}^2 \rightarrow M_{W/Z}^2 + \delta M_{W/Z}^2$$

$$e \rightarrow (1 + \delta Z_e)e$$

$$H \rightarrow \sqrt{Z_H} = \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}\delta Z_H\right)H$$

- Full renormalized 1-loop triple Higgs coupling:

$$\lambda_{HHH}^{1r} = \lambda^0 + \lambda_{HHH}^{(1)} + \delta\lambda_{HHH}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\delta\lambda_{HHH}}{\lambda^0} = & \frac{3}{2}\delta Z_H + \delta t_H \frac{e}{2M_W \sin\theta_W M_H^2} + \delta Z_e + \frac{\delta M_H^2}{M_H^2} \\ & - \frac{\delta M_W^2}{2M_W^2} + \frac{1 \cos^2\theta_W}{2 \sin^2\theta_W} \left(\frac{\delta M_W^2}{M_W^2} - \frac{\delta M_Z^2}{M_Z^2} \right) \end{aligned}$$



Renormalization procedure for the HHH coupling II

- OS scheme

$$\delta M_W^2 = \text{Re} \Sigma_{WW}^T(M_W^2)$$

$$\delta M_Z^2 = \text{Re} \Sigma_{ZZ}^T(M_Z^2)$$

$$\delta M_H^2 = \text{Re} \Sigma_{HH}(M_H^2)$$

(1)

- Electric charge:

$$\delta Z_e = \frac{\sin \theta_W}{\cos \theta_W} \frac{\text{Re} \Sigma_{\gamma Z}^T(0)}{M_Z^2} - \frac{\text{Re} \Sigma_{\gamma\gamma}^T(M_Z^2)}{M_Z^2}$$

- Higgs field renormalization

$$\delta Z_H = -\text{Re} \left. \frac{\partial \Sigma_{HH}(k^2)}{\partial k^2} \right|_{k^2=M_H^2}$$



Next-order terms in the μ_X -parametrization

- Weaker constraints on diagonal couplings
→ Large active-sterile mixing $m_D M_R^{-1}$ for diagonal terms
- Previous parametrizations built on the 1st term in the $m_D M_R^{-1}$ expansion → **Parametrizations breaks down**
- Solution: Build a parametrization **including the next order terms**
- The next-order μ_X -parametrization is then

$$\mu_X \simeq \left(\mathbf{1} - \frac{1}{2} M_R^{*-1} m_D^\dagger m_D M_R^{T-1} \right)^{-1} M_R^T m_D^{-1} U_{\text{PMNS}}^* m_\nu U_{\text{PMNS}}^\dagger m_D^{T-1} M_R$$

$$\times \left(\mathbf{1} - \frac{1}{2} M_R^{-1} m_D^T m_D^* M_R^{\dagger-1} \right)^{-1}$$