

# Renormalisation Group Running and Neutrino Sum Rules

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# Introduction

- The latest data from neutrino oscillation experiments is in good agreement with Tri-bimaximal Mixing pattern (TBM),

$$U_{TB} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} P_{Maj}$$

- Since future experiments will be sensitive to small deviations from TBM, it is important to study the theoretical uncertainty in such predictions.

# The PMNS matrix

$$\begin{aligned}
 U_{PMNS} &= V_{eL} V_{\nu L}^\dagger \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} c_{12}c_{13} & s_{12}c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -c_{23}s_{12} - s_{13}s_{23}c_{12}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{12} - s_{13}s_{23}s_{12}e^{i\delta} & s_{23}c_{13} \\ s_{23}s_{12} - s_{13}c_{23}c_{12}e^{i\delta} & -s_{23}c_{12} - s_{13}c_{23}s_{12}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{13} \end{bmatrix} P_{Maj}
 \end{aligned}$$

Another useful parametrisation of the PMNS matrix is:

$$U_{PMNS} \approx \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}(1 - \frac{1}{2}s) & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(1 + s) & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}re^{-i\delta} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(1 + s - a + re^{i\delta}) & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(1 - \frac{1}{2}s - a - \frac{1}{2}re^{i\delta}) & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 + a) \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(1 + s + a - re^{i\delta}) & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(1 - \frac{1}{2}s + a + \frac{1}{2}re^{i\delta}) & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 - a) \end{pmatrix} P_{Maj}.$$

$$s_{13} = \frac{r}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad s_{12} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(1 + s), \quad s_{23} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 + a).$$

$$0 < r < 0.22, \quad -0.11 < s < 0.04, \quad -0.12 < a < 0.13.$$

# Neutrino mass

- Neutrino mass is zero in the SM for many reasons.
  - There are no right handed Neutrinos.
  - There are only Higgs doublets.
- To generate neutrino mass, one or more of these conditions must be relaxed.
- This gives three types of neutrino mass:
  - Majorana masses of the form  $m_{LL}\bar{\nu}_L\nu_L^c$
  - Majorana masses of the form  $M_{RR}\bar{\nu}_R\nu_R^c$
  - Dirac masses of the form  $m_{LR}\bar{\nu}_L\nu_R$

# The See-Saw mechanism

- The See Saw mechanism is one appealing explanation for the smallness of neutrino mass.
- The left handed Majorana masses ( $m_{LL}$ ) are strictly forbidden in the standard model.
- For the simplest version of the see-saw mechanism, one can assume  $m_{LL}$  to be zero at first, but are effectively generated after introducing  $\nu_R$
- $M_{RR}$  can be arbitrarily large. With these types of neutrino mass, the see-saw mass matrix is given as,

$$\begin{pmatrix} \bar{\nu}_L & \bar{\nu}_R^c \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & m_{LR} \\ m_{LR}^T & M_{RR} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_L^c \\ \nu_R \end{pmatrix}$$

# Sequential dominance

- A simple way to achieve a neutrino mass hierarchy with large atmospheric and solar mixing is the idea of sequential dominance.
- Tri-bimaximal neutrino mixing can emerge from SD,

$$M_{RR} \approx \begin{pmatrix} Y & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & X & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & X' \end{pmatrix}$$

We write the neutrino Yukawa matrix as,

$$Y_{LR}^\nu = \begin{pmatrix} d & a & a' \\ e & b & b' \\ f & c & c' \end{pmatrix}$$

- SD corresponds to the right-handed neutrino of mass  $Y$  being the dominant term while the right-handed neutrino of mass  $X$  giving the leading sub-dominant contribution to the see-saw mechanism.

$$\frac{|e^2|, |f^2|, |ef|}{Y} \gg \frac{|xy|}{X} \gg \frac{x'y'}{X'}$$

# Constrained sequential dominance

- Tri-bimaximal mixing, in which  $\tan \theta_{23}^\nu = 1$ ,  $\tan \theta_{12}^\nu = 1/\sqrt{2}$  and  $\theta_{13}^\nu = 0$  corresponds to the choice,

$$\begin{aligned} |a| &= |b| = |c|, \\ |d| &= 0, \\ |e| &= |f| \\ e^* b + f^* c &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

- We refer to these conditions as Constrained Sequential Dominance (CSD).
- For a supersymmetric theory with SO(3) family symmetry, the neutrino Yukawa matrix becomes,

$$Y_{LR}^\nu = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & ae^{i\delta_2} & c_1 \\ ee^{i\delta_1} & be^{i\delta_2} & c_2 \\ fe^{i\delta_1} & ce^{i\delta_2} & c_3 \end{pmatrix},$$

- To satisfy CSD, it is sufficient to have,

$$\begin{aligned} e &= -f \\ a &= b = c. \end{aligned}$$

# Cabibbo-like Corrections

- We assume that the charged lepton mixing matrix has a Cabibbo-like structure and that it is dominated by a 1-2 mixing  $\theta_{12}^E$ ,

$$V_{eL} \approx \begin{pmatrix} c_{\theta_{12}^E} & -s_{\theta_{12}^E} e^{-i\lambda_{12}^E} & 0 \\ s_{\theta_{12}^E} e^{i\lambda_{12}^E} & c_{\theta_{12}^E} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

- The neutrino Yukawa matrix with TBM becomes transformed as,

$$Y_\nu \rightarrow Y'_\nu = V_{eL} Y_\nu$$

$$U_{PMNS} = V_{eL} V_{\nu L}^\dagger = \begin{bmatrix} c_{12}c_{13} & s_{12}c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -c_{23}s_{12} - s_{13}s_{23}c_{12}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{12} - s_{13}s_{23}s_{12}e^{i\delta} & s_{23}c_{13} \\ s_{23}s_{12} - s_{13}c_{23}c_{12}e^{i\delta} & -s_{23}c_{12} - s_{13}c_{23}s_{12}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{13} \end{bmatrix} P_{Maj}$$

## Cabibbo-like corrections and sum rules

- The elements  $(U_{PMNS})_{31}$ ,  $(U_{PMNS})_{32}$  and  $(U_{PMNS})_{33}$  are unaffected by the Cabibbo-like charged lepton correction.

$$\begin{aligned} |(U_{PMNS})_{31}| &\approx |(V_{\nu_L}^\dagger)_{31}| \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \\ |(U_{PMNS})_{32}| &\approx |(V_{\nu_L}^\dagger)_{32}| \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ |(U_{PMNS})_{33}| &\approx |(V_{\nu_L}^\dagger)_{33}| \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

- We define third row deviation parameters  $\xi_i$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \xi_1 &\equiv \sqrt{6} |(U_{PMNS})_{31}| - 1 \equiv \sqrt{6} |s_{23}s_{12} - s_{13}c_{23}c_{12}e^{i\delta}| - 1, \\ \xi_2 &\equiv \sqrt{3} |(U_{PMNS})_{32}| - 1 \equiv \sqrt{3} |-s_{23}c_{12} - s_{13}c_{23}s_{12}e^{i\delta}| - 1, \\ \xi_3 &\equiv \sqrt{2} |(U_{PMNS})_{33}| - 1 \equiv \sqrt{2} |c_{23}c_{13}| - 1. \end{aligned}$$

- For Cabibbo like corrections, these deviation parameters are all zero ( $\xi_i = 0$ )

# Cabibbo-like corrections and sum rules

- Assuming neutrino tri-bimaximal mixing. We get

$$\Gamma_1 \equiv \arcsin \left( \sqrt{2} |s_{23}s_{12} - s_{13}c_{23}c_{12}e^{i\delta}| \right) \approx 35.26^\circ,$$

- The sum rule can be simplified further to leading order in  $s_{13}$ ,

$$\Gamma_2 \equiv \arcsin \left( \sqrt{2} (s_{23}s_{12} - s_{13}c_{23}c_{12} \cos \delta) \right) \approx 35.26^\circ.$$

- Combining with  $|(V_{\nu L}^\dagger)_{33}| \approx |(U_{PMNS})_{33}| \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ , we get

$$\Gamma_3 \equiv \theta_{12} - \theta_{13} \cos(\delta) \approx 35.26^\circ.$$

- The above sum rule can be expressed in terms of TB deviation parameters as,

$$\sigma_1 = r \cos \delta - s = 0.$$

- To deal with issues of canonical normalisation corrections, the following sum rule has been proposed:

$$\sigma_2 = r \cos \delta + \frac{2}{3}a - s = 0.$$

(Antusch, King and Malinsky)

# Numerical Example

- Assume MSSM with  $\tan(\beta) = 50$ . The Majorana mass  $M_{RR}$  ( $M_3 = 10^{16}$  GeV):

$$M_{RR} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \times 10^{-9} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5.78 \times 10^{-9} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} M_3.$$

- Taking  $Y_{LR}^\nu$  of the form

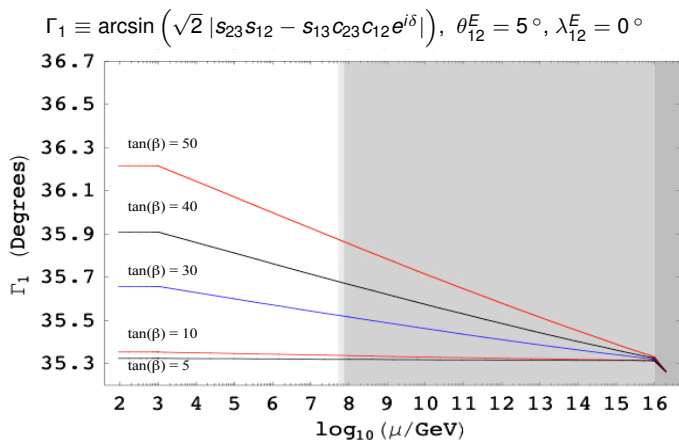
$$Y_{LR}^\nu = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1.061667 be^{i\delta_2} & c_1 \\ ee^{i\delta_1} & be^{i\delta_2} & c_2 \\ -0.9799 ee^{i\delta_1} & be^{i\delta_2} & c_3 \end{pmatrix},$$

$b = 8.125 \times 10^{-5}$ ,  $e = 2.125 \times 10^{-4}$ ,  $c_1 = 10^{-3}$ ,  $c_2 = 0$  and  $c_3 = 0.5809$ . This gives exact TB mixing with ( $\theta_{12}^\nu = 35.26^\circ$ ,  $\theta_{23}^\nu = 45.00^\circ$ ,  $\theta_{13}^\nu = 0.00^\circ$ ).

- If the CSD conditions were imposed exactly, we get  $\theta_{12} = 33.97^\circ$ ,  
 $\theta_{23} = 44.38^\circ$ ,  $\theta_{13} = 0.059^\circ$

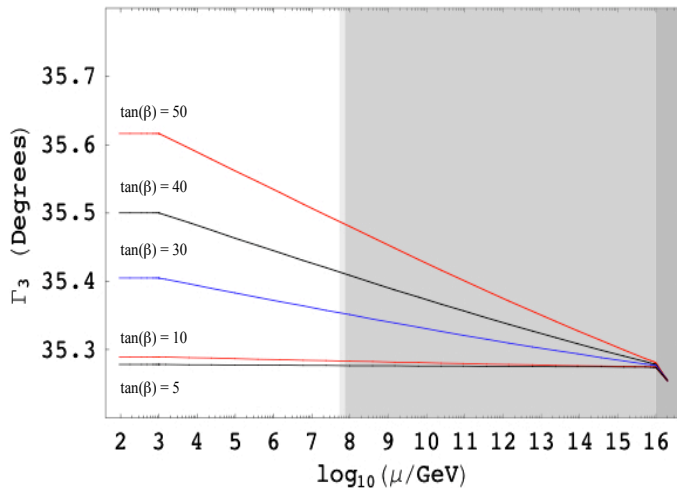
# RG corrections to $\Gamma_1$

- To study the running of the neutrino mixing parameters from the GUT scale to the electroweak scale, the Mathematica package REAP was used (Antusch et al).



# RG corrections to $\Gamma_3$

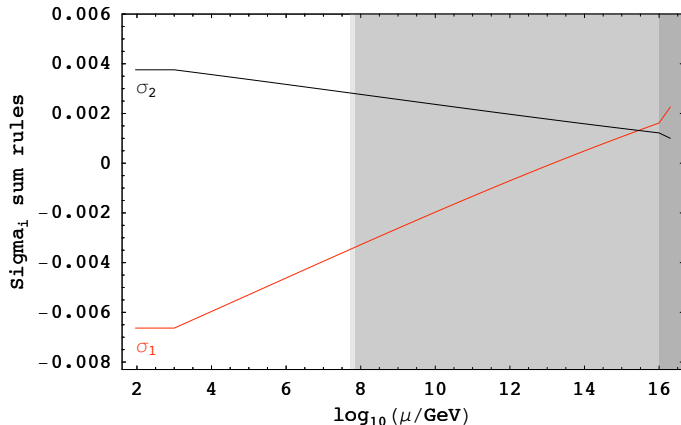
$$\Gamma_3 \equiv \theta_{12} - \theta_{13} \cos(\delta), \quad \theta_{12}^E = 5^\circ, \quad \lambda_{12}^E = 0^\circ$$



# RG corrections to $\sigma_i$

$$\sigma_1 = r \cos \delta - s = 0, \quad \sigma_2 = r \cos \delta + \frac{2}{3}a - s = 0.$$

$$\theta_{12}^E = 5^\circ, \quad \lambda_{12}^E = 30^\circ$$



## More general charged lepton corrections

- We consider a more general charged lepton matrix given by,

$$V_{eL} \approx \begin{pmatrix} c_{\theta_{12}^E} & -s_{\theta_{12}^E} e^{-i\lambda_{12}^E} & 0 \\ s_{\theta_{12}^E} e^{i\lambda_{12}^E} & c_{\theta_{12}^E} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & c_{\theta_{23}^E} & -s_{\theta_{23}^E} e^{-i\lambda_{23}^E} \\ 0 & s_{\theta_{23}^E} e^{i\lambda_{23}^E} & c_{\theta_{23}^E} \end{pmatrix},$$

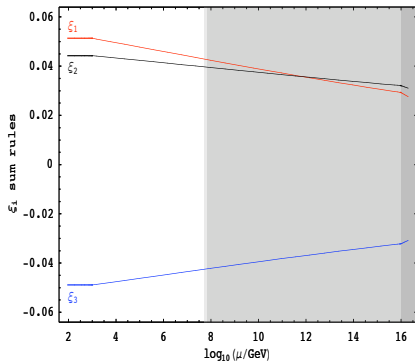
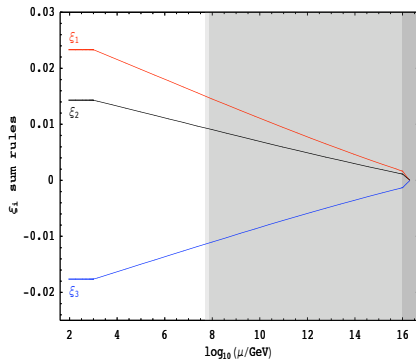
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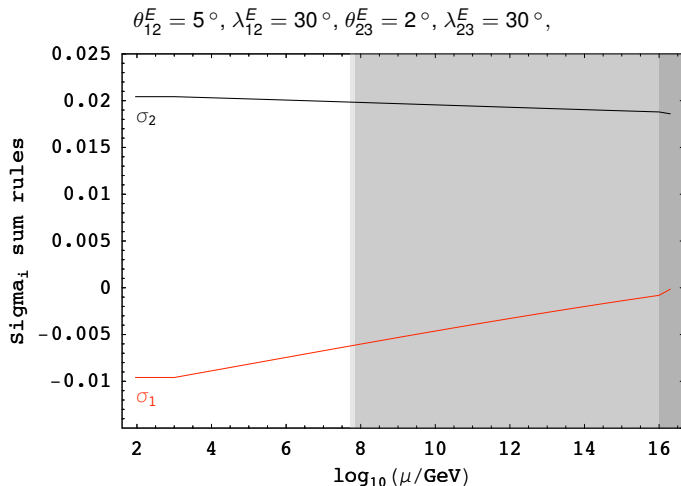
$$Y_\nu \rightarrow Y'_\nu = V_{eL} Y_\nu.$$

- For this case the  $\xi_j$  parameters are not exactly zero at the GUT scale.

# RG corrections to $\xi_i$

$$\theta_{12}^E = 5^\circ, \lambda_{12}^E = 30^\circ, \theta_{23}^E = (0, 2)^\circ, \lambda_{23}^E = (0, 30)^\circ,$$



RG corrections to  $\sigma_i$ 

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- We have introduced a variety of sum rules in terms of neutrino mixing angles and TB deviation parameters.
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- The sum rules were found to be good for Cabibbo-like corrections ( $\Gamma_3$  very good about  $0.4^\circ$ ) with small deviations at the electroweak scale.
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