

# Beyond the Standard Model

## Neutrino Physics

- Lepton Mixing  $V^{PMNS} = O_{23}K_3O_{13}O_{12}K_{23}$ 

The diagram illustrates the decomposition of the PMNS mixing matrix  $V^{PMNS}$  into three components. The first component is a rotation in the 23-plane, represented by a 3x3 matrix with entries 1, 0, 0; 0,  $\cos(\theta_{23})$ ,  $\sin(\theta_{23})$ ; and 0,  $-\sin(\theta_{23})$ ,  $\cos(\theta_{23})$ . The second component is the Dirac Phase, represented by a 3x3 matrix with entries 1, 0, 0; 0, 1, 0; and 0, 0,  $e^{i\delta}$ . The third component is the Majorana Phases, represented by a 3x3 matrix with entries 1, 0, 0; 0,  $e^{i\alpha}$ , 0; and 0, 0,  $e^{i\beta}$ . Arrows point from each matrix to its corresponding label below it.

Rotation in the  
23-plane

Dirac Phase

Majorana Phases

### Standard Parameterization

# New Parametrization

$$V^{PMNS} = O_{23} O_{12} K_3^i O$$

$\left( \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{i\alpha} \end{array} \right)$

General orthogonal matrix

Only one phase to adjust

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# Small Neutrino Masses

Neutrino masses are very small compared to other leptons/quarks

Possible explanation, extra right-handed neutrinos  $\nu_{R_j}^\ell$  and See – Saw mechanism

See - Saw

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu^\ell \\ \ell \end{pmatrix}_{L_i} \in SU(2)_L \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 & m \\ m & M \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\nu_{R_j}^\ell \quad |\det| = m^2, \ tr = M \Rightarrow m_1 \approx m \frac{m}{M}, \ m_2 \approx M$$

# See – Saw and Non-Unitarity of Lepton Mixing

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & m \\ m^T & M \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow V = \begin{pmatrix} K & S \\ R & Z \end{pmatrix}$$

Important: How to Parametrize of Non-Unitarity ??

$$V = \begin{pmatrix} K & 0 \\ 0 & Z \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1_{3 \times 3} & X^\dagger \\ -X & 1_{3 \times 3} \end{pmatrix}$$

# Parametrization of Non-Unitarity

Masses

$$\begin{pmatrix} d & 0 \\ 0 & D \end{pmatrix} \quad X = i\sqrt{D^{-1}} \ O_c \sqrt{d}$$

$$O_c O_c^T = 1_{3 \times 3}$$

Example

$$O_c = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{x^2 + 1} & ix \\ 0 & -ix & \sqrt{x^2 + 1} \end{pmatrix}$$

# Deviations from Unitarity

Parametrized by the eigenvalues  $(d_{X_1}^2, d_{X_2}^2, d_{X_3}^2)$

of  $X^\dagger X$

Constraints from fits of twenty eight observables including the W boson mass, the effective mixing weak angle  $\theta_W$ , several ratios of Z fermionic decays, the invisible width of the Z, several ratios of weak decays constraining EW universality, weak decays constraining CKM unitarity and some radiative lepton flavour violating (LFV) processes.