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For the *six*-gluon scattering process we give explicit and simple expressions for the amplitude and its square. To achieve this we use an analogy with string theories to identify a unique procedure for writing the multi-gluon scattering amplitudes in terms of a sum of gauge invariant dual sub-amplitudes multiplied by an appropriate color (Chan-Paton) factor. The sub-amplitudes defined in this way are invariant under cyclic permutations, satisfy powerful identities which relate different non-cyclic permutations and factorize in the soft gluon limit, the two-gluon collinear limit and on multi-gluon poles. Also, to leading order in the number of colors these sub-amplitudes sum *incoherently* in the square of the full matrix element. The results contained





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"for the discovery of neutrino oscillations, which shows that neutrinos have mass"





"for the discovery of neutrino flavor transformations, which shows that neutrinos have mass"

39.3 m

See Smirnov arXiv:1609.02386

~ vacuum oscillations

Wolfenstein Matter effects dominant flavor transformations

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Neutrino Flavor or Interaction States:

$$W^+
ightarrow e^+
u_e \qquad W^+
ightarrow \mu^+
u_\mu \qquad W^+
ightarrow au^+
u_ au$$



provided $L/E \ll 0.5 \text{ km/MeV} = 500 \text{ km/GeV} !!!$

 ~ 1 picosecond in Neutrino rest frame !!! \approx Age of Universe / 10^{26}

Neutrino Mass EigenStates or Propagation States:





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Interactions:



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Rates: $|U_{\mu 1}|^2 \& |V_{td}|^2$

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$u_1, \ \nu_2$ Mass Ordering:

-solar mass ordering



 $|\Delta m_{21}^2| = |m_2^2 - m_1^2| = 7.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$ L/E = 15 km/MeV = 15,000 km/GeV





$u_3, \ \nu_1/\nu_2$ Mass Ordering:

-atmospheric mass ordering



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Leptons:





$0.08 < |U_{\mu 1}|^2 < 0.24$ variation in δ only !

factor of 3 diff.

$$egin{array}{rcl} |U_{\mu3}|^2 &=& 0.4-0.6 \ |U_{\mu2}|^2 &=& 0.26-0.41 \ |U_{\mu1}|^2 &=& 0.08-0.24 \end{array}$$

 $|V_{ij}|^2$ essentially independent of δ_q ! W^+ except d $V_{td} \approx A\lambda^3 (1 - 0.37 e^{i\delta q})$ $|V_{td}|^2 pprox 10^{-4}$ $|V_{tb}|^2~pprox~1$ $|V_{ts}|^2~\sim~\lambda^4pprox 2 imes 10^{-3}$ $|V_{td}|^2~\sim~\lambda^6pprox 8 imes 10^{-5}$

V



 $\delta \& heta_{23}$ uncertainty



no θ_{23} uncertainty



To discover neutrino BSM, one needs precision predictions for nuSM

V

Determine flavor fractions of neutrino mass states

Precision Predictions for flavor ratios at ICECUBE.











M. Ross-Lonergan + SP arXiv:1508.05095

Stress Test Neutrino paradigm search for new physics



P.Coloma arXiv:1511.06357

 $arepsilon_{\mu au}$

0.15

0.20

0.10

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0.00

0.05

0.25

















Recent highlights from neutrino theory

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Neutrinos as a portal to new Physics



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Many many many other fronts!

Neutrino cross sections (NuSTEC effort)



Neutrinos in cosmology Early universe - BBN

Abazajian, Barbieri, Cirelli, Chizov, Di Bari, Dodelson, Dolgov, Foot, Holanda, Iocco, Kirilova, Kusenko, Mangano, Lesgourges, Pastor, Smirnov, Steigman, Volkas

Secret neutrino interactions

Dasgupta Kopp 2013, Chu Dasgupta Kopp 2015, Lundkvist Archidiacono Hannestad Tram 2016, Ghalsasi McKeen Nelson 2016, Archidiacono Gariazzo Giunti Hannestad Hansen Laveder Tram 2016, Forastieri Lattanzi Mangano Mirizzi Natoli Saviano 2017

Supernova evolution: non-linear effects from



collective oscillations

Friedland 2010, Cherry Carlson Friedland Fuller Vlaesnko 2012, Chakraborty Hansen Izaguirre Raffeelt 2016, Capozzi Basudeb Dasgupta 2016, Izaguirre Raffelt Tamborra 2016, Capozzi Dasgupta Lisi Marrone Mirizzi 2017

Chen Ratz Trautner 2015

Cosmic neutrino background: ideas to measure it? Non-thermal component?

Type II, type III and radiative seesaw

Akhmedov, Bonnet, Babu, Barbieri, Barger, Berezhiani, Ellis, Gaillard, Glashow, Hirsch, Keung, Ma, Mohapatra, Ota, Pakvasa, Schechter, Senjanovic, Valle, Yanagida, Winter, Wolfenstein, Zee, and many others

Flat extra dimensions: light sterile neutrinos Antoniadis, Arkani-Hamed, Barbieri, Berryman, Davoudiasl, Dimopoulos, Dvali,

ntoniadis, Arkani-Hamed, Barbieri, Berryman, Davoudiasl, Dimopoulos, Dvali, de Gouvea, Langacker, Machado, Mohapatra, Nandi, Nunokawa, Perelstein, Peres, Perez-Lorenzana, Smirnov, Strumia, Tabrizi, Zukanovich-Funchal, ...

Leptogenesis



H_d H_u

N N' E E' N' N

 $\langle \phi^0$

 η^0

 ν_{α}

 N_i

H.,

 H_{u}

Sterile neutrino in long baseline oscillation experiments

Agarwalla, Bhattacharya, Chaterjee, Dasgupta, Dighe, Donini, Fuki, Klop, Lopez-Pavon, Meloni, Migliozzi, Palazzo, Ray, Tang, Terranova, Thalapillil, Wagner, Yasuda, Winter,...

Dark matter in neutrino detectors: light DM and light mediators

Ballett, Batell, Chen, Coloma, deNiverville, Dobrescu, Frugiuele, Harnik, McKeen, Pascoli, Pospelov, Ritz, Ross-Lonergan

Neutrinos and the standard solar model: CNO cycle and metallicity

Bailey, Busoni, Christensen-Dalsgaard, Krief, Simone, Serenelli, Scott, Vincent, Vilante, Vissani, Vynioli, ...

Neutrino magnetic moment

see e.g. Salam 1957, Barbieri Fiorentini 1988, Barbieri Mohapatra 1989, Babu Chang Keung Phillips 1992, Tarazona Diaz Morales Castillo 2015 Cañas Miranda Parada Tortola Valle 2015, Barranco Delepine Napsuciale Yebra 2017 Coloma Machado Martinez-Soler Shoemaker 2017

Discrete symmetries with

non-zero θ_{13}

Feruglio Hagedorn Toroop 2011, Lam 2012, Lam 2013, Holthausen Lim Lindner2012, Neder King Stuart 2013, Hagedorn Meroni Vitale 2013 King Neder 2014, Ishimori King Okada Tanimoto 2014, Yao Ding 2015, ...

Effective operator approach to neutrino masses and collider/low scale pheno

de Gouvea Jenkins 2007, Boucenna Morisi Valle 2014, Nath Syed 2015, Geng Tsai Wang 2015, Chiang Huo 2015, Bhattacharya Wudka 2015, Geng Huang 2016, Quintero 2016, Mohapatra 2016, Kobach 2016

> New physics in neutrinoless double beta decay, lepton number violation at the LHC, left-right models, RS models and neutrino masses, neutrinos as dark matter, and much more!



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Barenboim, Davidson, Di Bari, Dolgov, Fukugita, Kuzmin, Rubakov, Servant, Shaposhnikov, Yanagida, Zeldovich, ...

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Towards a better understanding of Osc. Prob.

Globes, while a very useful tool, is not enough !





 ν_{μ} average !

 $u_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{\mu}$

$$1 - P(\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{\mu}) \approx 4 |U_{\mu3}|^2 (1 - |U_{\mu3}|^2) \sin^2 \Delta_{\mu\mu}$$

Amplitude of Oscillation:

 $c_{13}^4 \sin^2 2 heta_{23} + s_{23}^2 \sin^2 2 heta_{13}$ $= 4 c_{13}^2 s_{23}^2 \left(1 - c_{13}^2 s_{23}^2\right)$ 3.5 Normal Hierarchy, 90% CL - NOvA 2016 -- T2K 2014 Δm^2_{32} (10⁻³ eV²) - MINOS 2014 for every $(s_{23}^2)_1$ point, $(s_{23}^2)_2 = 1/c_{13}^2 - (s_{23}^2)_1 \approx (1 + s_{13}^2) - (s_{23}^2)_1$ has approx. same χ^2 $\sin^2\theta_{23}$ 2L 0.3 0.6 0.4 0.7 and $(s_{23}^2)_1 + (s_{23}^2)_2 \approx (1 + s_{13}^2)$ $(s_{23}^2)_1$ $(s_{23}^2)_2$ Symmetry about $s_{23}^2 \approx \frac{1}{2}(1 + s_{13}^2) \approx 0.51$



Neutrino Oscillation Amplitudes

$$P(\nu_{\alpha} \rightarrow \nu_{\beta}) = |\mathcal{A}_{\alpha\beta}|^{2}$$

Two Flavors:

$${\cal A}_{lphalpha}=1+(2i)\;s^2_{ heta}\;e^{+i\Delta}\;\sin\Delta$$

and ${\cal A}_{lphaeta}=(2i)\;s_{ heta}c_{ heta}\;e^{-i\Delta}\;\sin\Delta$

 $\Delta \equiv \Delta m^2 L/4E$

Neutrino Oscillation Amplitudes in vacuum: "the billion \$ process" $P(\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{e}) = |\mathcal{A}_{\mu e}|^{2}$ $\mathcal{A}_{\mu e} = (2i) \left[(s_{23}s_{13}c_{13}) \left[c_{12}^2 e^{-i\Delta_{32}} \sin \Delta_{31} + s_{12}^2 e^{-i\Delta_{31}} \sin \Delta_{32} \right] \right]$ $+ (c_{23}c_{13}s_{12}c_{12}) e^{i\delta} \sin \Delta_{21}]$ maintain the symmetry: $m_1^2 \leftrightarrow m_2^2$ with $heta_{12} o heta_{12} \pm \pi/2$

Denton, Minakata, SP arXiv:1604.08167

$$\Delta P_{CP} = 8 \underbrace{(s_{23}s_{13}c_{13})}_{\mathbf{J}} \underbrace{(c_{23}c_{13}s_{12}c_{12})}_{\mathbf{J}} \sin \Delta_{31} \sin \Delta_{31}}_{\mathbf{J}} \sin \Delta_{32}$$

$$\Delta_{32} \approx \Delta_{31}$$

$$A_{ue} \approx \underbrace{(2i)}_{(s_{23}s_{13}c_{13})} \sin \Delta_{31} + \underbrace{(c_{23}c_{13}s_{12}c_{12})}_{\mathbf{S}^{i}} e^{i(\delta + \Delta_{31})} \sin \Delta_{21} \Big]$$







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Matter Effects:

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2 flavor mixing in matter $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

simple, intuitive, useful

3 flavor mixing in matter $ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = 0$

complicated, counter intuitive, ...

$$P_{\mu \to e} = \begin{vmatrix} 2U_{\mu 3}^{*}U_{e 3} \\ 2U_{\mu j}^{*}U_{\mu j} \\ 2V_{\mu i m} P_{e 2} \\ 2V_{\mu i m} \\ 2V_{$$

- Typeset by FoilT_FX -

Correlations between



Normal Ordering — Inverted Ordering

 $u_{\mu}
ightarrow
u_{e} \quad ar{
u}_{\mu}
ightarrow ar{
u}_{e}$





Approximately same uncertainty on δ until systematic uncertainities dominate at 1st OM !

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New Perturbation Theory for Osc. Probabilities

D



T2K





T2K & NOvA



Number of Events proportional to Oscillation Probability



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Summary:



- from Nu1998 to now, tremendous exp. progress on Neutrino SM: more at Nu2018
- LSND Sterile Nu's neither confirmed or ruled out at acceptable CL: – ultra short baseline reactor exp.
- Great Theoretical progress on understand many aspects of Quantum Neutrino Physics: – Oscillations, Decoherence, Osc. Probabilities in Matter, Leptogenesis,
- Still searching for convincing model of Neutrino masses and mixings: with testable and confirmed predictions !