

# Right unitarity triangles and tri-bimaximal mixing from discrete symmetries and unification

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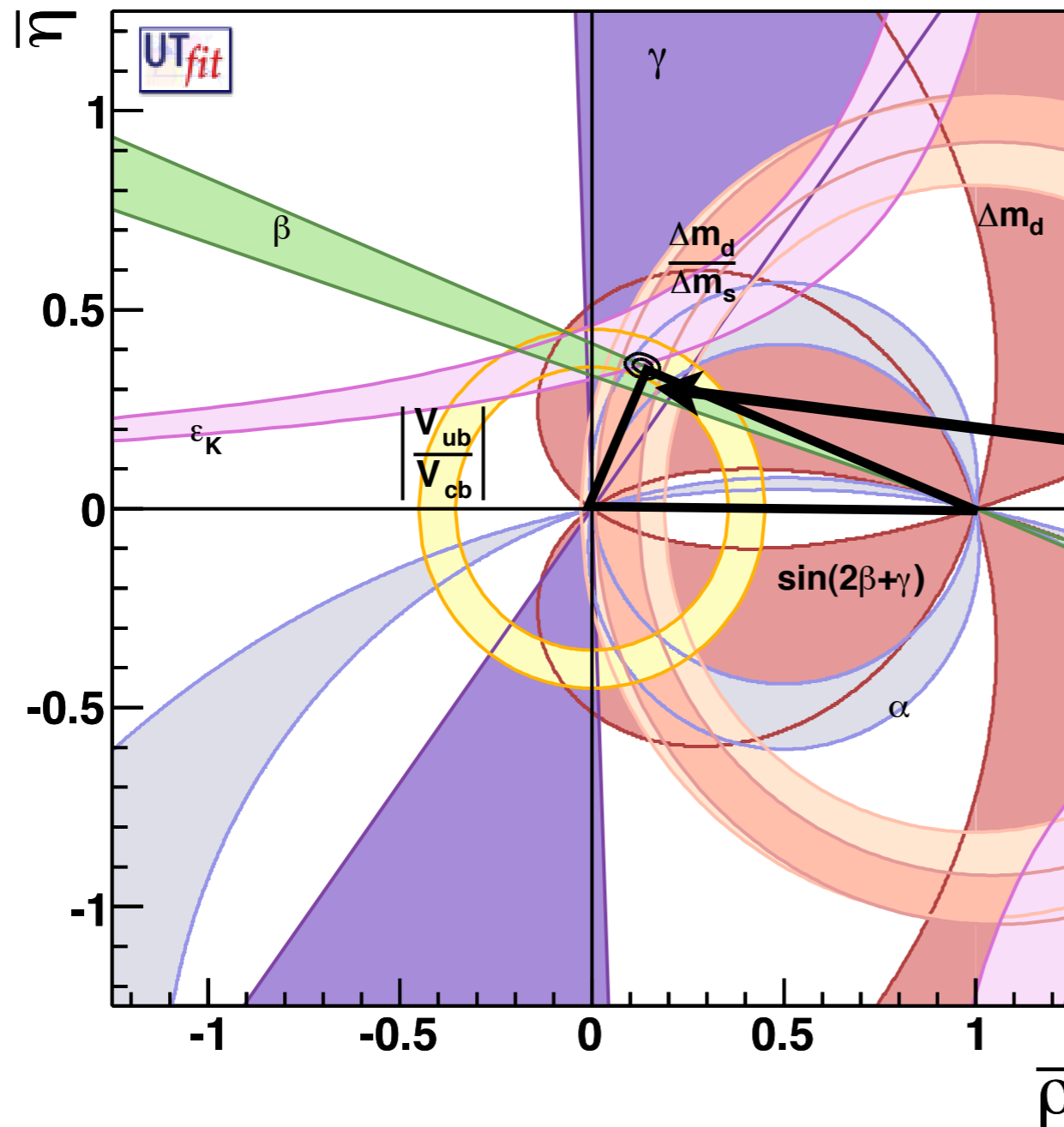
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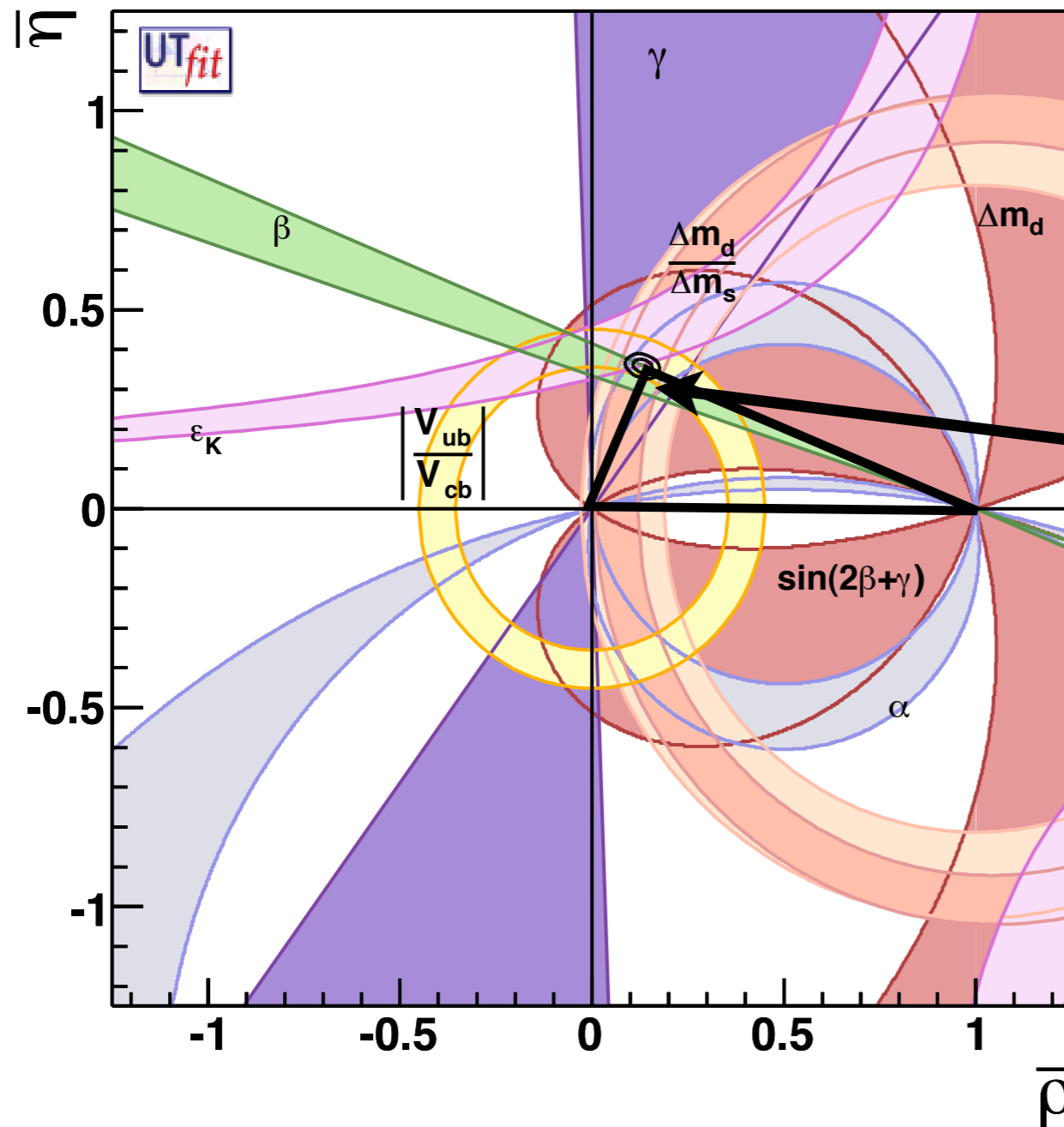
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# Assumptions

[Antusch, King, Malinsky, MS 2010]



- Hierarchical Quark Mass Matrices
- Texture Zeros in the 1-3 Elements

# The Sum Rules

[Antusch, King, Malinsky, MS 2010]

$$\theta_{12}^u = \frac{\theta_{13}}{\theta_{23}} = (4.96 \pm 0.30)^\circ$$

$$\theta_{12}^d = \left| \theta_{12} - \frac{\theta_{13}}{\theta_{23}} e^{-i\delta_{\text{CKM}}} \right| = (12.0_{-0.22}^{+0.39})^\circ$$


$$\alpha = \delta_{12}^d - \delta_{12}^u = (89.0_{-4.2}^{+4.4})^\circ$$


[Numbers based on PDG]

Idea: Mass matrices with purely  
real/imaginary elements!

[Antusch, King, Malinsky, MS 2010]  
see also [Fritzsch and Xing; Masina and Savoy 2006;  
Harrison, Dallison, Roythorne, Scott 2009]



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# Ingredients

[Antusch, King, Luhn, MS 2011]

- Discrete Family Symmetry ( $A_4, S_4, \dots$ )
- Discrete Shaping Symmetry ( $Z_n$ 's)
- Spontaneous CP violation
- SUSY GUT ( $SU(5), \dots$ )

# The Method I

[Antusch, King, Luhn, MS 2011]

- Use family symmetry to align flavon, e.g.:

$$\langle \phi \rangle \propto (0, 0, x)^T \quad \text{or} \quad \langle \phi \rangle \propto (x, x, x)^T$$

- Add term to  $W$  compatible with shaping symmetry:

$$P \left( \frac{\phi^n}{\Lambda^{n-2}} \mp M^2 \right)$$

- Solve F-term conditions ( $|F_P|=0$ )

$$\arg(\langle \phi \rangle) = \arg(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2\pi}{n} q, & q = 1, \dots, n & \text{for “-”} \\ \frac{2\pi}{n} q + \frac{\pi}{n}, & q = 1, \dots, n & \text{for “+”} \end{cases}$$

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# First Example: Ingredients

[Antusch, King, Luhn, MS 2011]

- Symmetries:  $SU(5) \times A_4 \times G_{\text{shaping}}$
- 5 Flavons
- Matter sector:  $F, T_{1,2,3}, N_{1,2}$
- Higgs Fields in 5-, 24-, 45-dim.  $SU(5)$  Reps.



New GUT relations!!!  
[Antusch, MS '09]

# First Example: Alignment

[Antusch, King, Luhn, MS 2011]

We use the following flavon alignment:

$$\langle \phi_1 \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \langle \phi_2 \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -i \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \langle \phi_3 \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\langle \phi_{23} \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \langle \phi_{123} \rangle \propto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

For details of the alignment, see paper...

# The Matter Sector

[Antusch, King, Luhn, MS 2011]

We work in an  $SU(5)$  GUT:

$$F_i = \begin{pmatrix} d_R^c \\ d_B^c \\ d_G^c \\ e \\ -\nu \end{pmatrix}_i, \quad T_i = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -u_G^c & u_B^c & -u_R & -d_R \\ u_G^c & 0 & -u_R^c & -u_B & -d_B \\ -u_B^c & u_R^c & 0 & -u_G & -d_G \\ u_R & u_B & u_G & 0 & -e^c \\ d_R & d_B & d_G & e^c & 0 \end{pmatrix}_i, \quad N_{1,2}$$

We know the family and the shaping symmetries...

# The Quark Sector

[Antusch, King, Luhn, MS 2011]

For the Yukawa matrices in the quark sector we find:

$$Y_d = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & i\epsilon_2 & 0 \\ \epsilon_{123} & \epsilon_{23} + \epsilon_{123} & -\epsilon_{23} + \epsilon_{123} \\ 0 & 0 & \epsilon_3 \end{pmatrix},$$
$$Y_u = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & 0 \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ 0 & a_{23} & a_{33} \end{pmatrix}.$$

The sum rule is applicable and we have a right-angled CKM unitarity triangle!!!



# The Lepton Sector

[Antusch, King, Luhn, MS 2011]

In the lepton sector we find:

$$M_R = \begin{pmatrix} M_{R_1} & 0 \\ 0 & M_{R_2} \end{pmatrix}, \quad Y_\nu = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & a_{\nu_2} \\ a_{\nu_1} & a_{\nu_2} \\ -a_{\nu_1} & a_{\nu_2} \end{pmatrix},$$
$$Y_e^T = \frac{3}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & i\epsilon_2 & 0 \\ \epsilon_{123} & -3\epsilon_{23} + \epsilon_{123} & 3\epsilon_{23} + \epsilon_{123} \\ 0 & 0 & \epsilon_3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- New GUT relations
- No unitarity triangle
- Small deviations from tri-bimaximal mixing

# Another Model

(same same, but different)

[Antusch, King, MS 2010]

- Symmetries:  $SU(5) \times A_4 \times G_{\text{shaping}}$
- Matter sector as before: F, T, N
- Flavons:  $\phi_{23}$ ,  $\phi_{123}$  and  $\phi_3$  as before  
New Flavon:  $\langle \tilde{\phi}_{23} \rangle \propto (0 \quad -i \quad w)^T$
- $H_{15}$  for type-II-seesaw

# The SM Yukawas

[Antusch, King, MS 2010]

$$Y_u = \begin{pmatrix} 2a_{11}\epsilon_{23}^2 & 0 & a_{13}\epsilon_{23}\epsilon_3 \\ 0 & 3a_{22}\epsilon_{123}^2 + (w^2 - 1)\tilde{a}_{22}^2\tilde{\epsilon}_{23}^2 & a_{23}\epsilon_{123}\epsilon_3 \\ a_{13}\epsilon_{23}\epsilon_3 & a_{23}\epsilon_{123}\epsilon_3 & a_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Y_d = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \epsilon_{23} & -\epsilon_{23} \\ \epsilon_{123} & \epsilon_{123} + i\tilde{\epsilon}_{23} & \epsilon_{123} + w\tilde{\epsilon}_{23} \\ 0 & 0 & \epsilon_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Y_e^T = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \epsilon_{23} & -\epsilon_{23} \\ \epsilon_{123} & \epsilon_{123} + \frac{9}{2}i\tilde{\epsilon}_{23} & \epsilon_{123} + \frac{9}{2}w\tilde{\epsilon}_{23} \\ 0 & 0 & \epsilon_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Phase Sum Rule  
not valid!!

# What about the CKM CP phase?

[Antusch, King, MS 2010]

From  $\gamma_e$ ,  $\gamma_\mu$ , and  $\theta_{12}$  we can determine it to:

$$\delta_{CKM} \approx 69.9^\circ$$

This is in perfect agreement with experiment:

$$\delta_{CKM} \approx (68.8^{+4.0}_{-2.3})^\circ$$

This is only due to the 9/2!!

# The Neutrino Sector

[Antusch, King, MS 2010]

The effective neutrino mass matrix:

$$m_\nu = m_0 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{m_2^I}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{m_3^I}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

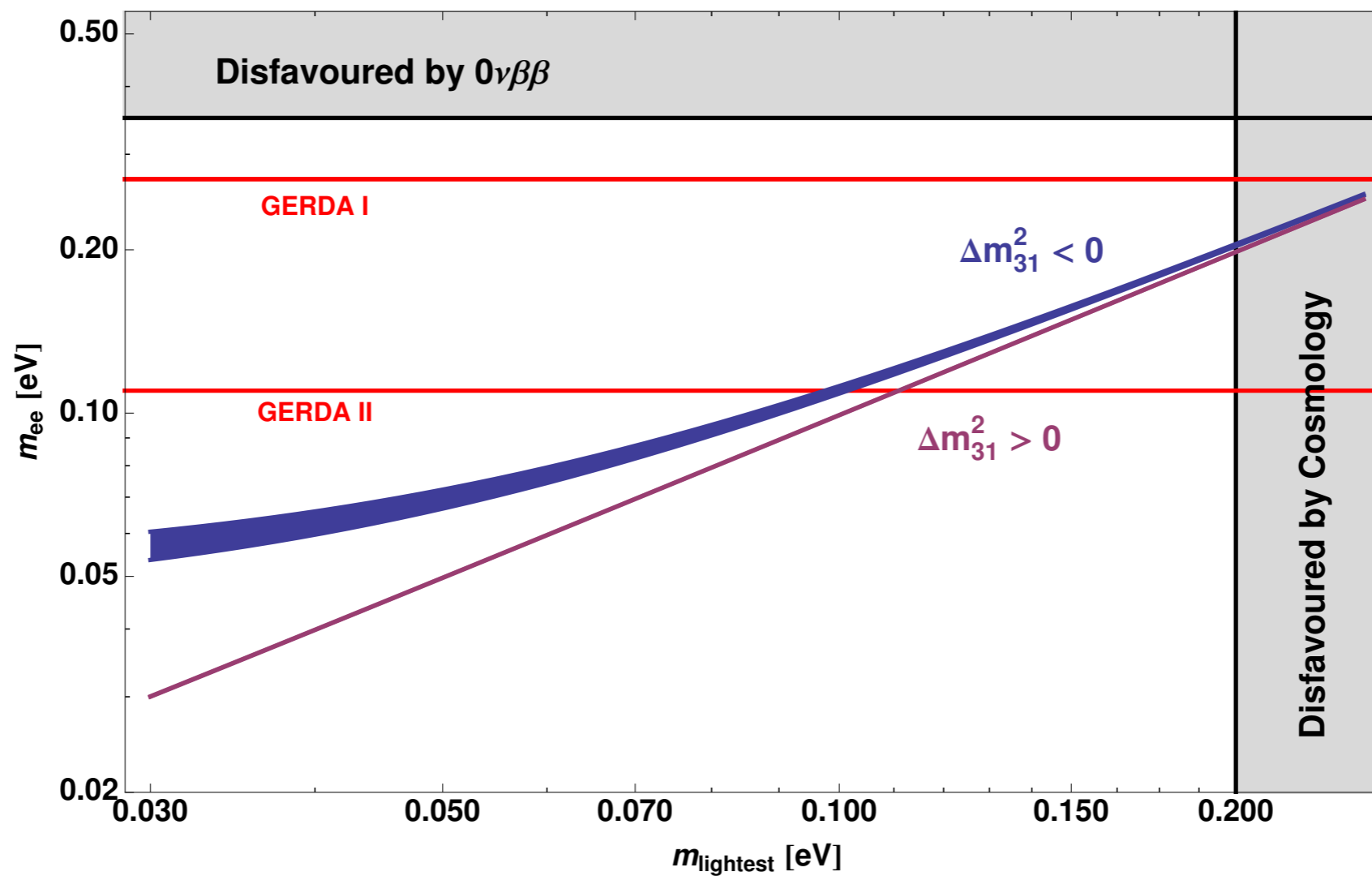
We predict (at the GUT scale):

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_{12}^{MNS} &\approx 35.1^\circ, & \theta_{23}^{MNS} &= 45^\circ, & \theta_{13}^{MNS} &\approx 3.3^\circ, \\ \delta_{MNS} &\approx 90^\circ, & \alpha_1 &\approx 9.1^\circ, & \alpha_2 &= 0^\circ \end{aligned}$$

At low energies (RGE effects below  $1^\circ$ ): [Gonzalez-Garcia, Maltoni, Salvado 2010]

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_{12}^{MNS} &= (34.5 \pm 1.0)^\circ, & \theta_{23}^{MNS} &= (42.3_{-2.8}^{+5.3})^\circ, & \theta_{13}^{MNS} &= (5.7_{-3.9}^{+3.0})^\circ, \\ \delta_{MNS} &\approx?, & \alpha_1 &\approx?, & \alpha_2 &=? \end{aligned}$$

# Neutrinoless Double Beta Decay



[Antusch, King, MS 2010]

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# Summary & Conclusions

- Quark Phase Sum Rule
- Simple method to fulfill this Phase Sum Rule
  - Spontaneous CP violation
  - Family Symmetry:  $A_4$ ,  $S_4$ , ...
  - Shaping Symmetries:  $Z_2$ 's and/or  $Z_4$ 's
- In combination with GUTs:
  - (Small) Deviations from Tri-Bimaximal Mixing
  - Predictions for Leptonic CP Phases



**Backup**

# Symmetries (Flavon Sector)

	$SU(5)$	$A_4$	$\mathbb{Z}_4^{(1)}$	$\mathbb{Z}_4^{(2)}$	$\mathbb{Z}_4^{(3)}$	$\mathbb{Z}_4^{(4)}$	$\mathbb{Z}_2^{(1)}$	$\mathbb{Z}_2^{(2)}$	$U(1)_R$
Flavons									
$\phi_1$	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
$\phi_2$	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
$\phi_3$	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
$\phi_{123}$	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
$\phi_{23}$	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	0	0	3	3	0	0	0
$\xi$	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Driving Fields									
$P_i$	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
$A_1$	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
$A_2$	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	2	2	0	0	0	0	2
$A_3$	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
$A_{123}$	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
$O_{1;2}$	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	2	1	0	0	0	0	2
$O_{1;3}$	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
$O_{2;3}$	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	1	1	0	0	1	0	2
$O_{1;23}$	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	1	0	1	1	0	0	2
$O_{123;23}$	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	0	0	2	1	0	0	2

Proof of  
Principle!

[Antusch, King, Luhn, MS 2011]

# Symmetries (Matter and Higgs Sector)

[Antusch, King, Luhn, MS 2011]

	$SU(5)$	$A_4$	$\mathbb{Z}_4^{(1)}$	$\mathbb{Z}_4^{(2)}$	$\mathbb{Z}_4^{(3)}$	$\mathbb{Z}_4^{(4)}$	$\mathbb{Z}_2^{(1)}$	$\mathbb{Z}_2^{(2)}$	$U(1)_R$
Matter Fields									
$F$	$\bar{\mathbf{5}}$	$\mathbf{3}$	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
$T_1$	$\mathbf{10}$	$\mathbf{1}$	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
$T_2$	$\mathbf{10}$	$\mathbf{1}$	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
$T_3$	$\mathbf{10}$	$\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
$N_1$	$\mathbf{1}$	$\mathbf{1}$	0	0	3	3	0	0	1
$N_2$	$\mathbf{1}$	$\mathbf{1}$	0	0	3	0	0	0	1
Higgs Fields									
$\bar{H}_1$	$\bar{\mathbf{5}}$	$\mathbf{1}$	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
$\bar{H}_2$	$\overline{\mathbf{45}}$	$\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
$\bar{H}_3$	$\bar{\mathbf{5}}$	$\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$H$	$\mathbf{5}$	$\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$H_{24}$	$\mathbf{24}$	$\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

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