

# Neutrino Oscillations in Dark Matter

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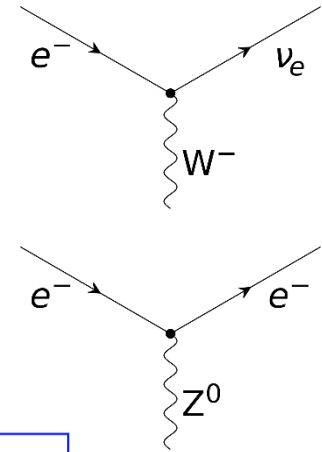
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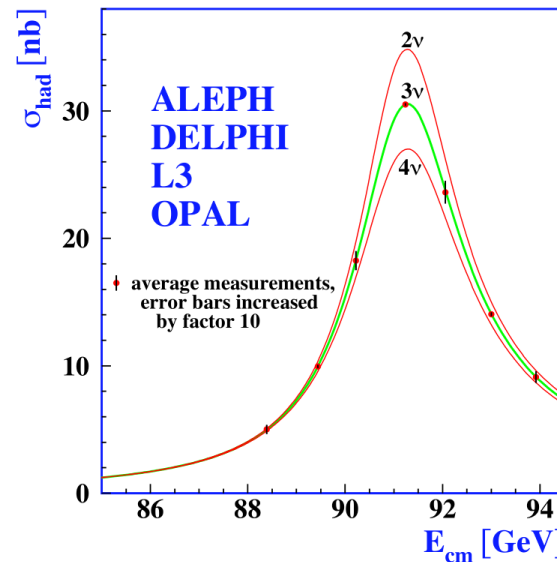
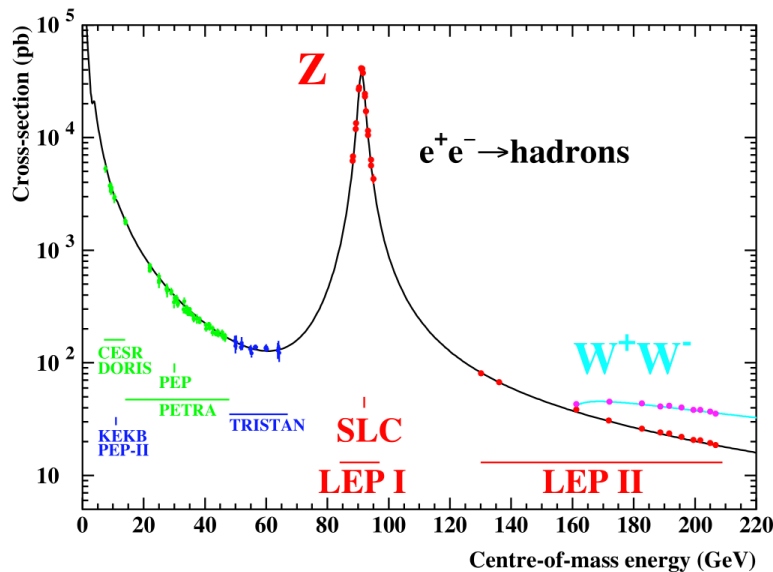
# Neutrino oscillation in vacuum

- Flavored neutrinos: Weak interaction eigenstates
  - Production & Detection

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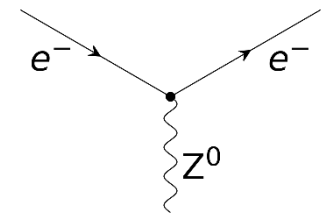
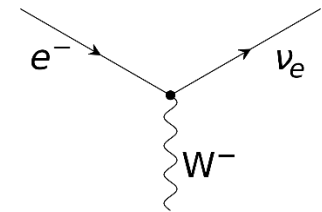
- The number of neutrinos



# Neutrino oscillation in vacuum

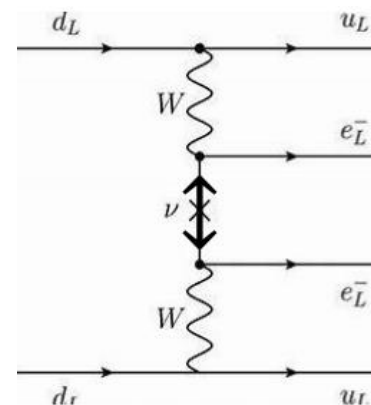
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- Massive neutrinos: Majorana VS Dirac

- Dirac:  $\nu \neq \nu^c$  ( $\nu^c \sim N$ )
- Majorana:  $\nu = \nu^c$  ( $\nu_R \sim \nu_L^*$ )
- neutrinoless-double beta decay



# Neutrino oscillation in vacuum

- Flavor eigenstates  $\neq$  Mass eigenstates

- $\nu_\alpha = U_{\alpha i} \nu_i$

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{23} & -s_{23} \\ 0 & s_{23} & c_{23} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s_{13}e^{i\delta} & 0 & c_{13} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_{12} & -s_{12} & 0 \\ s_{12} & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot P_M$$

$$P_M = \text{Diag}[1, e^{i\phi_2}, e^{i\phi_2}]$$

- Two-flavor neutrino propagation in vacuum

$$\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu$$

$$|\nu_e(0)\rangle = c_\theta |\nu_1\rangle + s_\theta |\nu_2\rangle$$

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} c_\theta & s_\theta \\ -s_\theta & c_\theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|\nu_e(t)\rangle = c_\theta e^{i\phi_1} |\nu_1\rangle + s_\theta e^{i\phi_2} |\nu_2\rangle$$

$$\phi_i = E_i t - \mathbf{p}_i L$$

# Neutrino oscillation in vacuum

- Ultra-relativistic limit ( $t \cong L$ )

$$E_i \approx \mathbf{p} + \frac{m_i^2}{2\mathbf{p}} \approx E + \frac{m_i^2}{2E}$$

$$\Delta\phi = \phi_2 - \phi_1 \approx \frac{\Delta m^2 L}{2E}$$

- Conversion probability

$$P_{e\mu} = |\langle \nu_\mu | \nu_e(t) \rangle|^2 = \sin^2 2\theta \sin^2 \left( \frac{\Delta m^2 L}{4E} \right)$$

# Neutrino oscillation in vacuum

- Neutrino propagation Hamiltonian

$$i \frac{d}{dt} \psi = H \psi$$

$$\psi = \begin{bmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{bmatrix}; \begin{bmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{bmatrix}$$

- Hamiltonian

$$H = \frac{m^2}{2E} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} H_\nu &= \frac{M^+ M}{2E} = \frac{U^+ m^2 U}{2E}, \\ H_{\bar{\nu}} &= \frac{M M^+}{2E} = \frac{U m^2 U^+}{2E} \left( \frac{V m^2 V^+}{2E} \right) \end{aligned}$$

- Two-flavor evolution

$$H = \frac{\Delta m^2}{4E} \begin{bmatrix} -c_{2\theta} & s_{2\theta} \\ s_{2\theta} & c_{2\theta} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow P_{e\mu} = \left| \langle \nu_\mu | e^{iHt} | \nu_e \rangle \right|^2$$

# Neutrino oscillation in matter

L. Wolfenstein, 1978

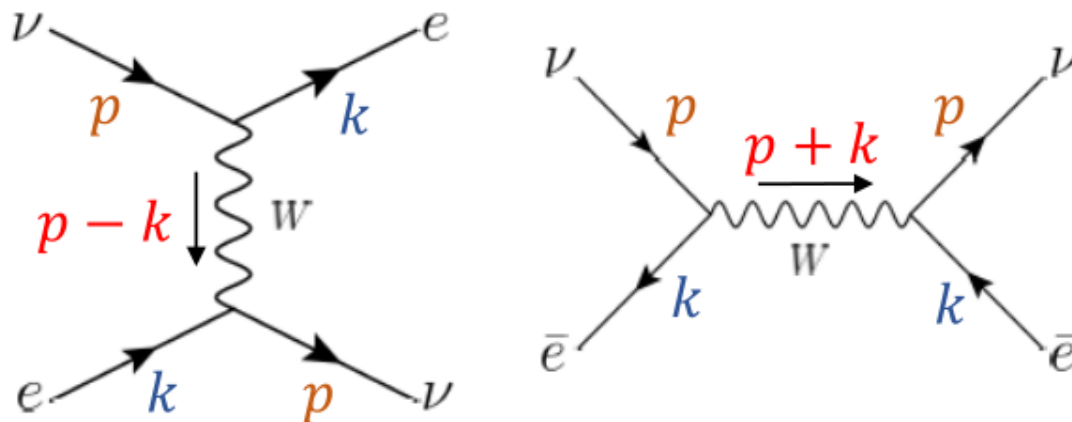
- Wolfenstein Potential
  - Coherent forward scattering of neutrinos leaving the medium unchanged must be taken into account
- Consider neutrino/anti-neutrino propagation in a general background
  - electron, positron
- Effective Hamiltonian

$$\mathcal{H}_{eff} = 2\sqrt{2} G_F m_W^2 \frac{\overline{\nu_{eL}} \gamma^\mu e_L \overline{e_L} \gamma_\mu \nu_{eL}}{m_W^2 - q^2}$$



# Neutrino oscillation in matter

- Coherent forward scattering

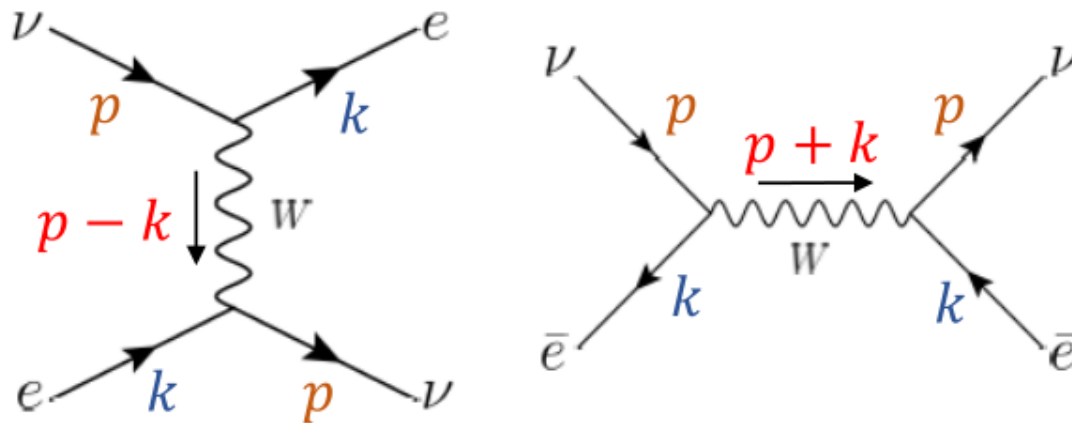


- $$\langle \mathcal{H}_\nu \rangle = \not{k} \sqrt{2} G_F m_W^2 \left[ \frac{N_e/m_e}{m_W^2 - (p-k)^2} - \frac{N_{\bar{e}}/m_e}{m_W^2 - (p+k)^2} \right]$$

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# Neutrino oscillation in matter

- Coherent forward scattering



- Generalized matter potential

$$\epsilon \equiv \frac{N_e - N_{\bar{e}}}{N_e + N_{\bar{e}}}$$

$$V_{\nu, \bar{\nu}}^{SM} = \sqrt{2}G_F(N_e + N_{\bar{e}}) \frac{\pm \epsilon m_W^4 - 2m_W^2 m_e E_\nu}{m_W^4 - 4m_e^2 E_\nu^2}$$

# Standard MSW effect

L. Wolfenstein, 1978

- Standard matter potential

- $\epsilon = 1$  ( $N_{\bar{e}} = 0$ )

- $m_W^2 \gg 2m_e E_\nu$



$$\pm \sqrt{2} G_F N_e$$

- Matter potential @ high energy

- $V_{\nu, \bar{\nu}}^{SM} \approx \frac{\sqrt{2} G_F m_W^2 (N_e + N_{\bar{e}})}{2m_e E_\nu}$

Neutrino Oscillations without mass?

- Probability

$$P(\nu_\alpha \rightarrow \nu_\beta) = \sin^2 2\theta_M \sin^2 \left( \frac{\Delta m_M^2 x}{4E} \right)$$

# DM models

- A lot of models of **DM** and **mediator**

$$\mathcal{L}' = g_{\alpha i} \overline{f_{iL}} \gamma^\mu \nu_{\alpha L} X_\mu + h.c.$$

$$g_{\alpha i} \overline{f_R} \nu_{\alpha L} \phi_i + h.c.$$

$$g_{\alpha i} \overline{f_{iR}} \nu_{\alpha L} \phi + h.c.$$

$$g_{\alpha\beta} \overline{\nu_{\beta R}^c} \nu_{\alpha L} \phi + h.c.$$

$$g_{\alpha\beta} \overline{\nu_{\beta R}^c} \nu_{\alpha L} \phi + y \phi \overline{f_R} f_L + h.c.$$

# General formulation

- Equation of motion in the momentum space

$$(\not{p} - \not{\mathcal{Z}})u_L = (M^\dagger + \bar{\Sigma}_0)u_R,$$

$$(\not{p} - \bar{\not{\mathcal{Z}}})u_R = (M + \Sigma_0)u_L,$$

- $\not{\mathcal{Z}} \equiv \Sigma_\mu \gamma^\mu$ ,  $\bar{\not{\mathcal{Z}}} \equiv \bar{\Sigma}_\mu \gamma^\mu$ ,  $\Sigma_0$  : corrections

- In a Lorenz invariant medium:

- $\not{\mathcal{Z}} = \not{p} \Sigma_1 + \not{k} \Sigma_2$ ;  $\bar{\not{\mathcal{Z}}} = \not{p} \bar{\Sigma}_1 + \not{k} \bar{\Sigma}_2$ ,

- Canonical basis of the kinetic term:

$$u_L \simeq \left(1 + \frac{\Sigma_1}{2}\right) \tilde{u}_L,$$

$$u_R \simeq \left(1 + \frac{\bar{\Sigma}_1}{2}\right) \tilde{u}_R,$$

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# General formulation

## ○ The Equation of Motion

$$\begin{aligned}(\not{p} - \not{k}\Sigma_2)\tilde{u}_L &= \tilde{M}^\dagger \tilde{u}_R, \\(\not{p} - \not{k}\bar{\Sigma}_2)\tilde{u}_R &= \tilde{M}\tilde{u}_L.\end{aligned}$$

## ○ Correction to the neutrino mass matrix

$$\tilde{M} \simeq \left(1 + \frac{\bar{\Sigma}_1}{2}\right) M \left(1 + \frac{\Sigma_1}{2}\right)$$

- Original mass term is modified
- For large parameter space, the mass correction is subdominant

# General formulation

- **The Equation of Motion**

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- Neutrino/ anti-neutrino Hamiltonian

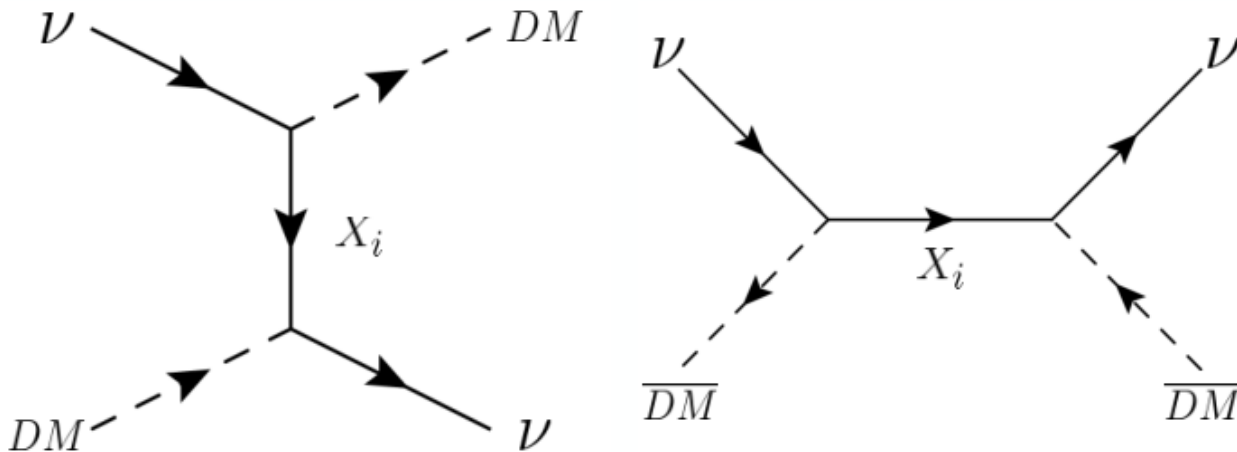
$$\begin{aligned}H_\nu &= E_\nu + \frac{\tilde{M}^\dagger \tilde{M}}{2E_\nu} + k^0 \Sigma_2, \\H_{\bar{\nu}} &= E_\nu + \frac{\tilde{M} \tilde{M}^\dagger}{2E_\nu} + k^0 \bar{\Sigma}_2,\end{aligned}$$

# DM model

- Bosonic DM ( $\phi$ ) and fermionic messenger ( $X_i$ )
- Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{int} = g_{\alpha i} \bar{X}_i P_L \nu_{\alpha} \phi^* + h.c.$$

- **Coherent forward scattering**





# General formulation

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- Corrections

$$\Sigma_1 \text{ (or } \bar{\Sigma}_1) \simeq \frac{\lambda^{(T)}}{2} \frac{\rho_{DM}}{m_{DM}^2} \frac{\pm \epsilon 2m_{DM} E_\nu - m_X^2}{m_X^4 - 4m_{DM}^2 E_\nu^2},$$

$$\Sigma_2 \text{ (or } \bar{\Sigma}_2) \simeq \frac{\lambda^{(T)}}{2} \frac{\rho_{DM}}{m_{DM}^2} \frac{\pm \epsilon m_X^2 - 2m_{DM} E_\nu}{m_X^4 - 4m_{DM}^2 E_\nu^2},$$

- $\lambda_{\alpha\beta} \equiv g_{\alpha i}^* g_{\beta i} \quad (\lambda^T = \lambda^*)$

- $\epsilon \equiv (\rho_{DM} - \rho_{\overline{DM}}) / (\rho_{DM} + \rho_{\overline{DM}})$

- $\epsilon = 0, m_X \rightarrow 0$ : **S-F Ge, Murayama 1904.02518**

# Neutrino potential

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- Change of shape:

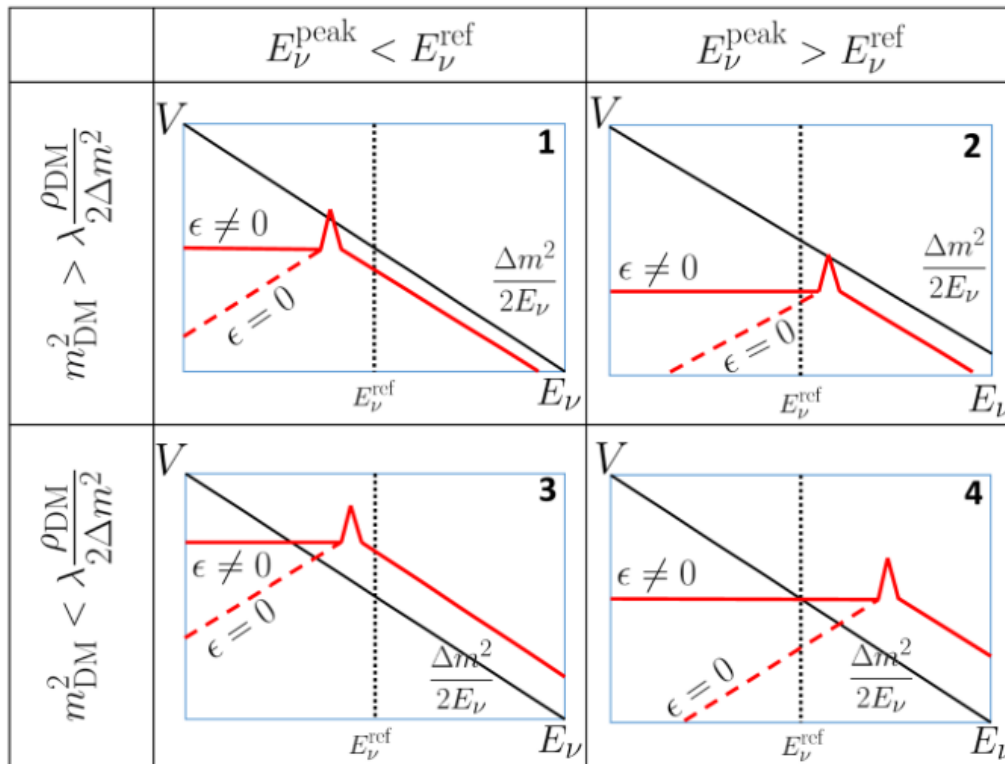
$$E_{\nu}^{\text{peak}} = \frac{m_X^2}{2m_{DM}}$$

- Low Energy Limit:

$$V_{\nu, \bar{\nu}}^{DM} \simeq \pm \epsilon \frac{\lambda^{(T)}}{4} \frac{\rho_{DM}}{m_{DM}^2 E_{\nu}^{\text{peak}}}$$

- High Energy limit:

$$V_{\nu, \bar{\nu}}^{DM} \simeq \frac{\lambda^{(T)}}{2} \frac{\rho_{DM}/m_{DM}^2}{2E_{\nu}}$$



# Two-flavor oscillation

- The effective Hamiltonian

$$\mathcal{H}_M = \frac{\Delta m^2}{4E} \begin{pmatrix} -(\cos 2\theta - x) & \sin 2\theta + y \\ \sin 2\theta + y & \cos 2\theta - x \end{pmatrix}$$

- $x \equiv \frac{(V_{\mu\mu} - V_{\tau\tau})/2}{\Delta m^2/4E}$ , and  $y \equiv \frac{V_{\mu\tau}}{\Delta m^2/4E}$

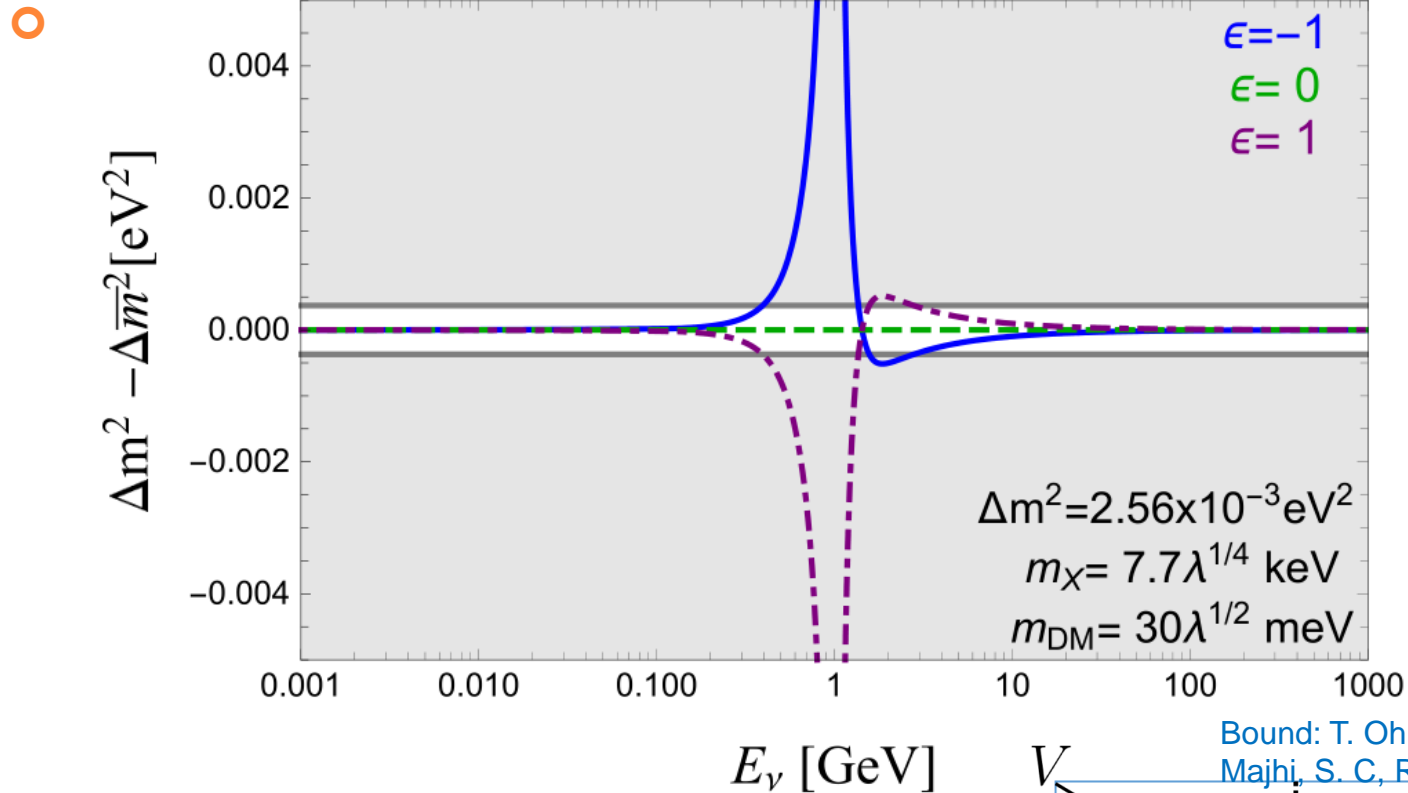
- The mixing angle & mass squared difference in the medium

$$\sin^2 2\theta_M = \frac{(\sin 2\theta + y)^2}{(\cos 2\theta - x)^2 + (\sin 2\theta + y)^2},$$

$$\Delta m_M^2 = \Delta m^2 \sqrt{(\cos 2\theta - x)^2 + (\sin 2\theta + y)^2},$$

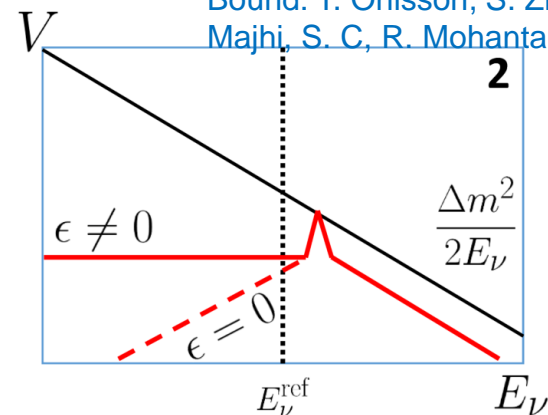
# Mass difference between $\nu$ & $\bar{\nu}$

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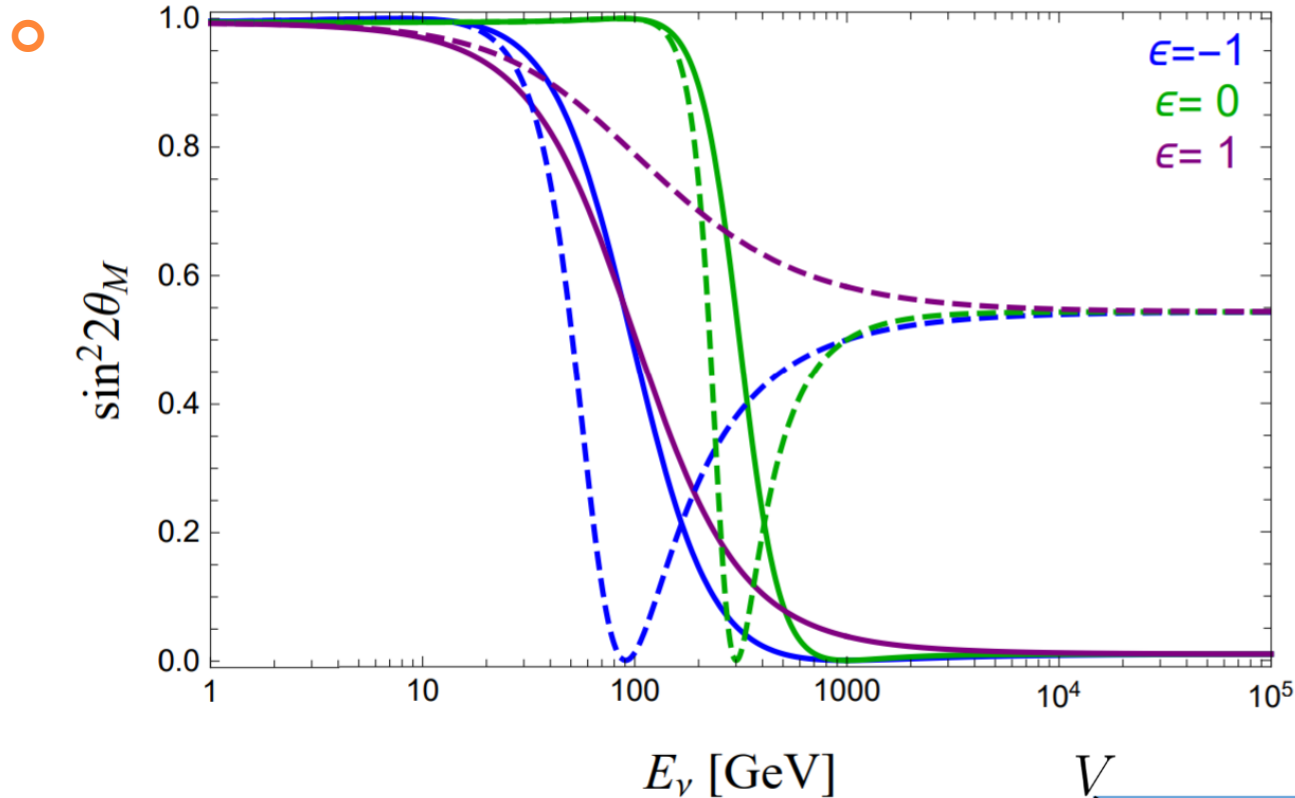
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- $E_\nu^{\text{Peak}} = 1 \text{GeV}$
- $x \rightarrow 0.75$  @ High Energy limit

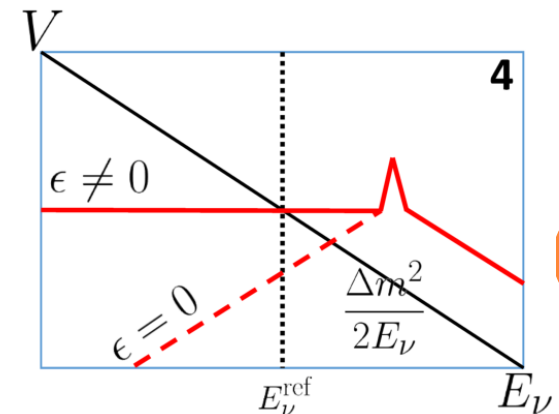


# Modified mixing angle

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- $E_\nu^{Peak} = 1\text{TeV}$
- Solid line:  $x \rightarrow 10, y \rightarrow 0$
- Dashed line:  $x \rightarrow 10, y \rightarrow 10$



# DM assisted neutrino oscillation

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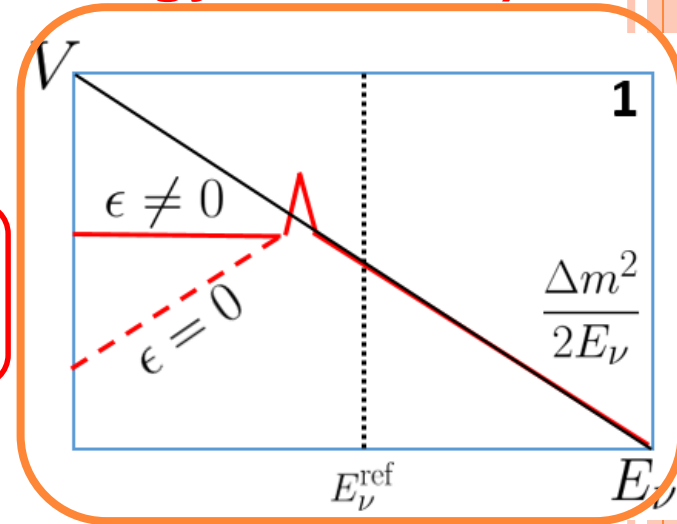
- In the case of  $m_X^2 \ll 2m_{DM}E_\nu$  (**Peak energy  $\ll 1$  MeV**)

$$V_{\nu, \bar{\nu}}^{DM} \simeq \frac{\lambda^{(T)}}{2} \frac{\rho_{DM}/m_{DM}^2}{2E_\nu}$$

$$\simeq \frac{3 \times 10^{-3} \text{eV}^2}{2E_\nu} \lambda^{(T)} \left( \frac{20 \text{meV}}{m_{DM}} \right)^2$$

- $$\lambda = \frac{2m_{DM}^2}{\rho_{DM}} U^* \text{diag}(\Delta m^2) U^T,$$

$$\simeq \begin{pmatrix} 0.026 & 0.091 & 0.085 \\ 0.091 & 0.381 & 0.408 \\ 0.085 & 0.408 & 0.477 \end{pmatrix} \left( \frac{20 \text{meV}}{m_{DM}} \right)^2 \left( \frac{0.3 \text{ GeV cm}^{-3}}{\rho_{DM}} \right)$$



- Standard neutrino oscillation can occur from the symmetric DM effect even for **massless neutrino**.

# General Eqs for dispersion

- For  $(m_\phi, \vec{0})$  &  $p = (E, p\hat{z})$ , Equation of motion for  $\nu_L, \nu_R$  is solved by

$$L \cdot R - m_\nu^2 \pm H = 0$$

$$L \equiv p - \Sigma_L \equiv (L_0, \hat{z}L_z)$$

$$R \equiv p - \Sigma_R \equiv (R_0, \hat{z}R_z)$$

$$H \equiv L_z R_0 - R_z L_0$$

$$0 = (E^2 - p^2)(1 - \Sigma_{1L})(1 - \Sigma_{1R}) - m_\nu^2 + m_\phi^2 \Sigma_{2L} \Sigma_{2R}$$

$$-m_\phi(E \pm p)\Sigma_{2L}(1 - \Sigma_{1R}) - m_\phi(E \mp p)\Sigma_{2R}(1 - \Sigma_{1L}) \xrightarrow{E \rightarrow p} 2p m_\phi \begin{cases} \Sigma_{2L}(1 - \Sigma_{1R}) \\ \Sigma_{2R}(1 - \Sigma_{1L}) \end{cases}$$

- Approximate solutions for

$$E_{\nu_1, \nu_2}^2 \approx \mathbf{p}^2 + m_\nu^2 + m_\nu^2 (\Sigma_{1L}^{(0)} + \Sigma_{1R}^{(0)})$$

$$+ m_\phi \left( E_0 (\Sigma_{2L}^{(0)} + \Sigma_{2R}^{(0)}) \pm \mathbf{p} (\Sigma_{2L}^{(0)} - \Sigma_{2R}^{(0)}) \right)$$

# Application to different types

- Weyl ( $m_\nu = 0$ ):

$$(E_{\nu, \bar{\nu}} - p)(1 - \Sigma_{1L,R}) - m_\phi \Sigma_{2L,R} = 0 \Rightarrow E_{\nu, \bar{\nu}} \approx p + m_\phi \Sigma_{2L,R}^{(0)}$$

- Majorana ( $\nu = \nu^c$ ):

$$\begin{aligned} (u_R = \nu_L^c, \nu_R = u_L^c) & \quad E_{\nu, \bar{\nu}} \approx E_0 + \frac{m_\nu^2}{2E_0} (\Sigma_{1L}^{(0)} + \Sigma_{1R}^{(0)}) \\ \Sigma_R^u(p) = [\Sigma_L^v(p)]^* = -[\Sigma_L^u(-p)]^* & \quad + \frac{m_\phi}{2} \left( (\Sigma_{2L}^{(0)} + \Sigma_{2R}^{(0)}) \pm \frac{p}{E_0} (\Sigma_{2L}^{(0)} - \Sigma_{2R}^{(0)}) \right) \\ = [\Sigma_L^u(p)]_{\epsilon \rightarrow -\epsilon}^* & \end{aligned}$$

- Dirac ( $\nu \neq \nu^c, m_\nu \neq 0$ ) with  $\Sigma_R = 0$ :

$$\begin{aligned} (E^2 - p^2)(1 - \Sigma_{1L}) - m_\nu^2 & \quad E_{\nu_L, \nu_R} \approx E_0 + \frac{m_\nu^2}{2E_0} \Sigma_{1L}^{(0)} + \frac{m_\phi}{2} \Sigma_{2L}^{(0)} \left( 1 \pm \frac{p}{E_0} \right) \\ -m_\phi \Sigma_{2L}(E \pm p) = 0 & \end{aligned}$$



# Neutrino propagator

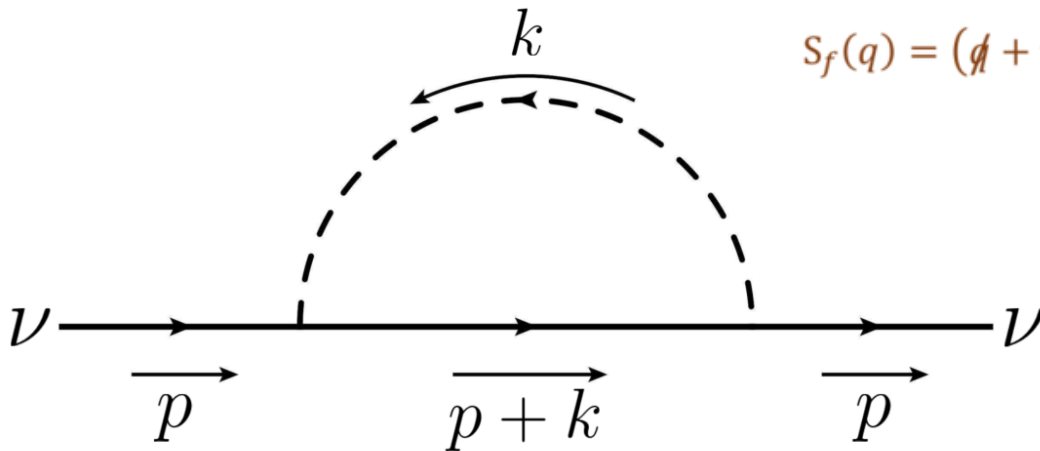
- Finite temperature/ density calculation

$$S_{\nu}^{-1}(p) = (\not{p} - \not{\Sigma}) = (\not{p} - \not{p}\Sigma_1 - \not{k}\Sigma_2)$$

$$\not{\Sigma} = i g g^{\dagger} \int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \Delta_{\phi}(k) S_f(p+k)$$

$$\Delta_{\phi}(k) = \frac{1}{k^2} - 2\pi i \delta(k^2 - m_{\phi}^2) f_{\phi}(k)$$

$$S_f(q) = (\not{q} + m_f) \left( \frac{1}{q^2 - m_f^2} + 2\pi i \delta(q^2 - m_f^2) f_f(q) \right)$$



# Self-energy corrections

$$\begin{aligned}\Sigma_{1L}^{u,v}(p), \Sigma_{1L,R} &= S(p) \pm \epsilon A(p) \\ \Sigma_{2L}^{u,v}(p), \Sigma_{2L,R} &= A(p) \pm \epsilon S(p)\end{aligned}$$

$$\epsilon \equiv \frac{N_\phi - N_{\bar{\phi}}}{N_\phi + N_{\bar{\phi}}} \quad \delta m^2 \equiv |g|^2 \frac{N_\phi + N_{\bar{\phi}}}{2m_\phi}$$

$$\begin{aligned}S(p) &= \delta m^2 \frac{p^2 + m_\phi^2 - m_f^2}{(p^2 + m_\phi^2 - m_f^2)^2 - 4m_\phi^2 E^2} \\ A(p) &= \delta m^2 \frac{-2m_\phi E}{(p^2 + m_\phi^2 - m_f^2)^2 - 4m_\phi^2 E^2}\end{aligned}$$

- Decoupling limit:  $m_f^2 \gg \delta m^2, m_\nu^2, 2m_\phi p \gg m_\phi^2$
- Heavy neutrino limit:  $m_\nu^2 \gg \delta m^2, m_f^2, 2m_\phi p$
- High momentum limit:  $2m_\phi p \gg m_f^2, \delta m^2, m_\nu^2$
- High density limit:  $\delta m^2 \gg m_f^2, m_\nu^2, 2m_\phi p$

# Dispersion of Weyl/Majorana $\nu$

○ Decoupling limit:  $m_f^2 \gg \delta m^2, m_\nu^2, 2m_\phi p \gg m_\phi^2$

○ Weyl:  $m_\nu = 0$

• High momentum limit:

$$E_{\nu, \bar{\nu}} \simeq \mathbf{p} + \frac{m_\nu^2}{2\mathbf{p}} \left( 1 - 2 \frac{\delta m_\nu^2}{m_f^2} \right) \mp \frac{\delta m_\nu^2}{m_f^2} \epsilon m_\phi.$$

• Zero momentum limit:  $E_{\nu, \bar{\nu}} \approx m_\nu \left( 1 - \frac{\delta m^2}{m_f^2} \right)$

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- High density limit:  $\delta m^2 \gg m_f^2, m_\nu^2, 2m_\phi p$

$$E_{\nu, \bar{\nu}}^2 \approx \mathbf{p}^2 + m_M^2 + 2\delta m_\nu^2 \frac{m_f^2 \pm \epsilon m_\phi \mathbf{p}}{m_M^2 + \delta m_\nu^2}$$

$$m_M \equiv \frac{1}{2} \left( m_\nu + \sqrt{m_\nu^2 + 4\delta m^2} \right)$$

# Dispersion of Dirac $\nu$

- Decoupling limit:  $m_f^2 \gg \delta m^2, m_\nu^2, 2m_\phi p \gg m_\phi^2$

$$E_{\nu_1, \bar{\nu}_1} \approx \mathbf{p} + \frac{m_\nu^2}{2\mathbf{p}} \left( 1 - \frac{\delta m_\nu^2}{m_f^2} \right) \mp \frac{\delta m_\nu^2}{m_f^2} \epsilon m_\phi$$

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# Dispersion of Dirac $\nu$

- High momentum limit:  $2m_\phi p \gg m_f^2, \delta m^2, m_\nu^2$

$$E_{\nu_1, \bar{\nu}_1} \simeq \mathbf{p} + \frac{m_\nu^2 + \delta m_\nu^2}{2\mathbf{p}} \pm \epsilon \frac{\delta m_\nu^2}{2\mathbf{p}} \frac{m_f^2}{2m_\phi \mathbf{p}},$$

$$E_{\nu_2, \bar{\nu}_2} \simeq \mathbf{p} + \frac{m_\nu^2}{2\mathbf{p}} \left( 1 \pm \epsilon \frac{\delta m_\nu^2}{2m_\phi \mathbf{p}} \right),$$

- High density limit:  $\delta m^2 \gg m_f^2, m_\nu^2, 2m_\phi p$

$$E_{\nu_1, \nu_2}^2 \approx \mathbf{p}^2 + m_D^2 + \delta m_\nu^2 \frac{m_f^2 - \epsilon m_\phi (E_0 \mp \mathbf{p})}{m_D^2},$$

$$m_D \equiv \sqrt{m_\nu^2 + \delta m^2} \neq m_M!!$$

# Effective mass in dark medium

- Mass-squared:

$$\delta m^2 = \frac{gg^+ \rho_{\phi+\bar{\phi}}}{2 \cdot 2m_\phi}$$

$$E \xrightarrow{p \rightarrow 0} m_{M,D}$$

$$m_M = \frac{1}{2} \left( m_\nu + \sqrt{m_\nu^2 + 4\delta m^2} \right)$$

$$m_D = \sqrt{m_\nu^2 + \delta m^2}$$

- Having an effect on neutrino oscillations:

$$p^2 \gg 2m_\phi p \gg \delta m^2, m_\nu^2 \Rightarrow E \sim \frac{m_\nu^2 + \delta m^2}{2p}$$

$$p^2 \gg \delta m^2, m_\nu^2 \gg 2m_\phi p \Rightarrow E \sim \frac{m_{M,D}^2}{2p}$$



# Effective mass in dark medium

- Wely neutrinos can oscillates due to local DMs

$$\delta m_{loc}^2 = g^2 \frac{\rho_{DM}^{loc}}{2m_{DM}^2} \sim \Delta m_{sol, atm}^2 \Rightarrow m_\phi \approx 0.03g \text{ eV} \left( \frac{2.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2}{\delta m_{loc}^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

- Cosmological limitation

- Neutrino were heavier at earlier time

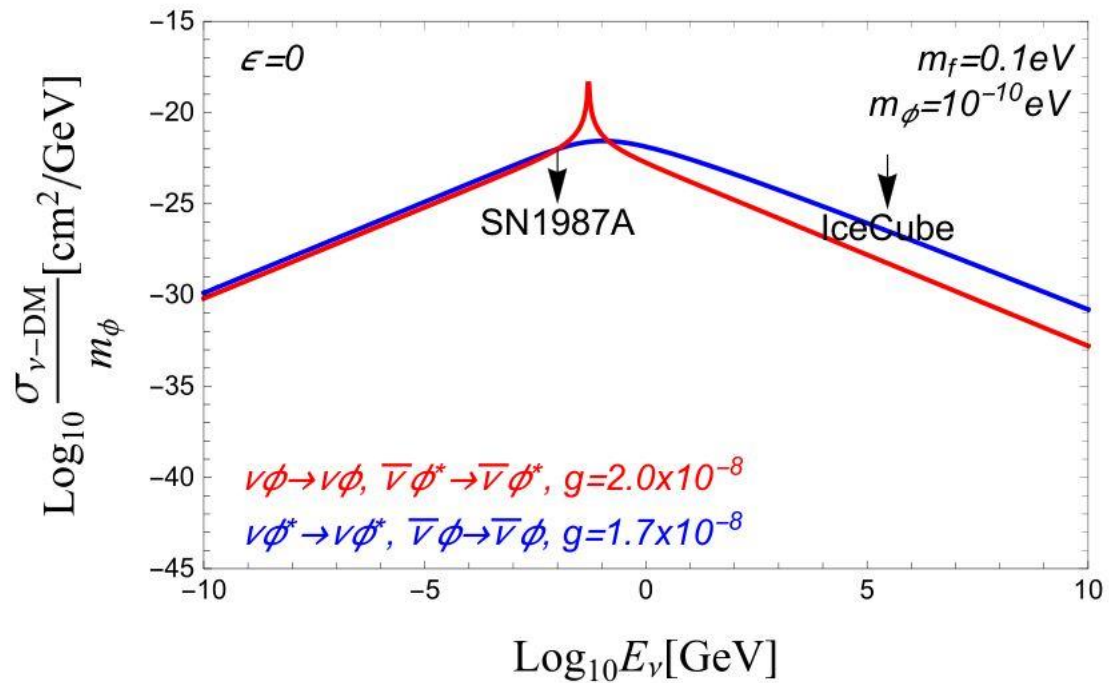
$$\delta m^2(z) = \delta m_{loc}^2 \frac{\rho_{DM}^0}{\rho_{DM}^{loc}} (1+z)^3 \approx 6650 \left( \frac{z}{1100} \right)^3 \delta m_{loc}^2$$

- Around the CMB decoupling, neutrinos cannot be too heavy:

$$\delta m^2(z) \lesssim (0.1\text{eV})^2 \Rightarrow \delta m_{loc}^2 < 10^{-6}\text{eV}^2$$

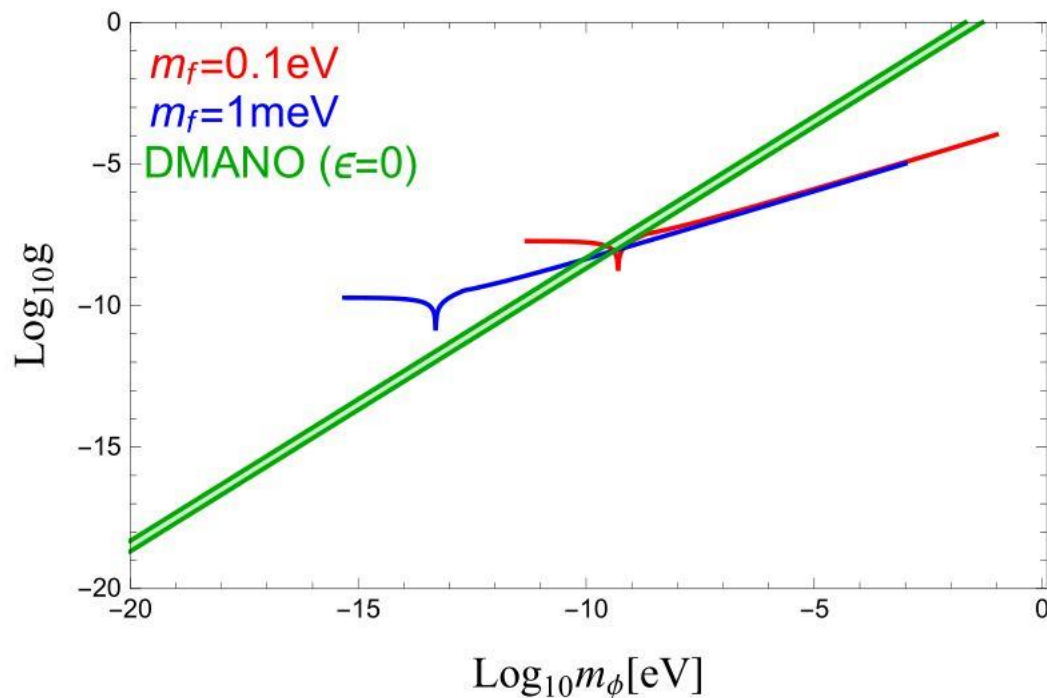
# DM assisted neutrino oscillation

- Elastic scattering cross-sections of neutrinos with DM



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- The allowed region for the DM-assisted neutrino oscillation



# Conclusions

- General dispersion relations of neutrinos propagating in a dark medium are found up to 1<sup>st</sup> order in perturbation considering the 4 limiting cases
- Effective mass is generated and the neutrino oscillations may be due to the matter effect
- The scenario is limited by the cosmological mass generation and the neutrino-DM interaction is constrained by the astrophysical neutrino observations
- UV-completion for the origin of scalar DM?

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Thank you  
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