Non Standard Neutrino Interaction

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Standard Neutrino oscillations

→ Neutrino oscillations have become well-known phenomenon

Flavor changes happen during the propagation of neutrinos!



- → Neutrino flavour changing mechanism is mainly described by mass eigen states.
- → However, other mechanisms could be responsible for flavour change on a sub-leading level.

Introduction to NSI

→ Non Standard Neutrino Interaction is the interaction between neutrino and matter fermions.



Different Kinds of NSI

→ NSI can be seen at neutrino source, during propagation neutrinos, detection of neutrinos.



Neutrino Oscillations with NSI

→ Matter potential in the presence of NSI in propagation

$$A^{NSI} = \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + A \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_{ee}^{m} & \varepsilon_{e\mu}^{m} & \varepsilon_{e\tau}^{m} \\ \varepsilon_{\mu e}^{m} & \varepsilon_{\mu\mu}^{m} & \varepsilon_{\mu\tau}^{m} \\ \varepsilon_{\tau e}^{m} & \varepsilon_{\tau\mu}^{m} & \varepsilon_{\tau\tau}^{m} \end{pmatrix}$$

- → Change in effective matter potential will change the neutrino evolution equation, hence will change oscillation probability.
- \rightarrow Obvious questions will be
- → How are the measurements of the standard oscillation parameters affected by the NSIs?
- → How well can we measure/put bounds on the NSI parameters themselves?

Current status(MINOS)



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Super Kamiokande



Daya Bay



Bounds on NSI parameters

→ Bounds on NSI parameter from different neutrino experiments



Future prospects



Effect on Mass hierarchy at ICAL@INO



1507.02211: Choubey, Ghosh, Ohlsson, Tiwari

NSI@DUNE(Effect on the measurement of CP phase)



1510.08261v1:M Masud, A Chatterjee, P Mehta

Exclusion limit on NSI parameter



Comparisons of the expected sensitivities to NSI parameters





Much better than other experiments

Conclusions

- → Non-standard effects arise from various possible BSM scenarios, and can affect neutrino oscillations.
- → Current bounds on NSI parameters are at the 10 -2 level. Future experiments will impose more stringent.
- → DUNE will be able to put more lights on NSI parameters due to the long baseline and excellent detector properties.
- → Effect of NSI on the measurement of CP phase will be interesting to understand.