

RG evolution of neutrino masses and mixing: Type-III seesaw

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- Neutrinos massless in SM

- Current oscillation data:

	Best fit	3σ range
$\Delta m_{21}^2 [10^{-5} \text{eV}^2]$	7.65	7.05 - 8.34
$ \Delta m_{31}^2 [10^{-3} \text{eV}^2]$	2.40	2.07 - 2.75
$\sin^2 \theta_{12}$	0.304	0.25 - 0.37
$\sin^2 \theta_{23}$	0.50	0.36 - 0.67
$\sin^2 \theta_{13}$	0.01	≤ 0.056

Schwetz, Tortola, Valle (2008); Fogli, Lisi, Marrone, Palazzo and Rotunno, PRL **101** (2008);

Bandyopadhyay, Choubey, Goswami, Petcov and Roy, (2008)

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- Oscillation experiments:

$$\Delta m_{21}^2 = 7.65_{-0.60}^{+0.69} \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$$

$$|\Delta m_{31}^2| = 2.40_{-0.33}^{+0.35} \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$$

- Cosmology: $\sum m_i < 1.3 \text{ eV}$

Fogli, Lisi, Marrone, Melchiorri, Palazzo, Rotunno, Serra, Silk and Slosar, (2008)

- Neutrinos are MASSIVE, but $m_{\nu_i} \ll m_{\text{quark}}, m_{e,\mu,\tau}$

“ Seesaw Mechanisms ”

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- Oscillation experiments:

$$\sin^2 \theta_{12} = 0.304^{+0.066}_{-0.054}$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_{23} = 0.5^{+0.17}_{-0.14}$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_{13} \leq 0.056$$

- Two mixing angles θ_{12}, θ_{23} large
- θ_{13} small, $\theta_{13} = 0$ allowed
- Very different from quark sector

“ Renormalization Group (RG) Evolution ”

The seesaw mechanism

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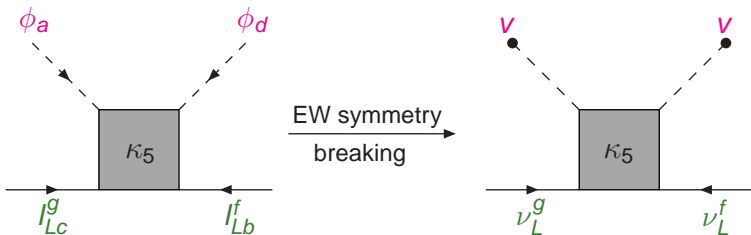
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- Heavy field present at high scale Λ
- At low scale, dimension-5 effective operator

$$\mathcal{L}_5 = \kappa_5 l_L l_L \phi \phi ; \quad \kappa_5 = a_5 / \Lambda$$

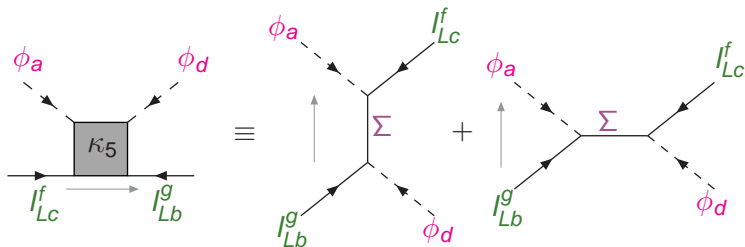


- Majorana mass
- κ_5 : Depends on “Heavy particles” & their couplings

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- I_L - ϕ form a fermion triplet
- Fermion triplet (Σ)



Type-III: Foot, Lew, He, Joshi (1989); Ma,Roy (2002); Bajc, Senjanovic, Nemevsek (2006, 2007);

Perez *et al.* (2007, 2008); Abada,Biggio,Bonnet,Gavela, Hambye (2008); Mohapatra,Okada,Yu (2008); Fischler, Flauger (2008); Gogoladze, Okada, Shafi (2008); del Aguila, Aguilera-Saavedra, (2008) Hambye, Strumia (2008); Adhikari,Erlar,Ma (2008)

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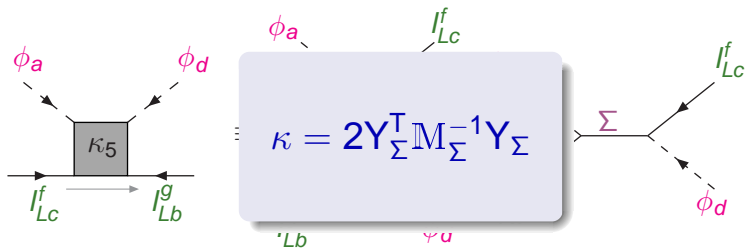
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- $l_L - \phi$ form a fermion triplet
- Fermion triplet (Σ)



- $m_\nu = -\frac{v^2}{2} Y_\Sigma^T M_\Sigma^{-1} Y_\Sigma$
- Neutrino mass ~ 0.1 eV
- $Y_\Sigma \sim 0.1 - 1 \Rightarrow M_\Sigma \sim \mathcal{O}(10^{11} - 10^{15})$ GeV

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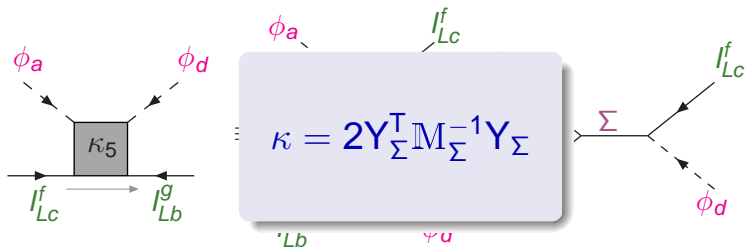
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- $m_\nu = -\frac{v^2}{2} Y_\Sigma^T M_\Sigma^{-1} Y_\Sigma$
- Detectable at LHC $\Rightarrow M_\Sigma \sim \text{TeV}$
- $Y_\Sigma \sim \mathcal{O}(10^{-6}) \Rightarrow$ too small
- Gauge interaction of $\Sigma \Rightarrow$ Detection at LHC

▶ detail

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- RG evolution of neutrino masses & mixing parameters in Type-III seesaw
- Compatibility of the low energy data with some high energy scenarios

Based on:

Chakraborty, Dighe, Goswami and SR, arXiv:0812.2776[hep-ph].

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- Σ_R : $U(1)_Y$ singlet
- Σ_R : Adjoint rep. of $SU(2)_L$

$$\Sigma_R = \begin{pmatrix} \Sigma_R^0/\sqrt{2} & \Sigma_R^+ \\ \Sigma_R^- & -\Sigma_R^0/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix} \equiv \frac{\Sigma_R^i \sigma^i}{\sqrt{2}}$$

- $\Sigma \equiv \Sigma_R + \Sigma_R^C$: Adjoint rep.
- $\Sigma = \Sigma^C$
 - Diagonal entries neutral : Majorana
 - Off-diagonal entries: charged

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- $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{SM} + \mathcal{L}_\Sigma$
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$$\text{Tr}[\bar{\Sigma} i \not{D} \Sigma]$$

- $D_\mu \Sigma = \partial_\mu \Sigma + ig_2 [W_\mu, \Sigma]$
- New gauge boson coupling

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$$\frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}[\bar{\Sigma} \mathbb{M}_\Sigma \Sigma]$$

- The Majorana mass term $|\Delta L| = 2$

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$$-\bar{l}_L \sqrt{2} Y_\Sigma^\dagger \Sigma \tilde{\phi} + \text{h.c.}$$

- Yukawa coupling : Dirac mass term

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- $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{SM} + \mathcal{L}_\Sigma$

- Small seesaw mass for active neutrinos
- New coupling with gauge boson

- $\mathbb{M}_\Sigma = \text{diag}(M_1, M_2, \dots, M_r)$; $M_1 < M_2 < \dots < M_r$
- $\mu < M_1 \Rightarrow \mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{SM} + \mathcal{L}_5$

- High energy effects \Rightarrow Renormalization Group evolution
- Non-degenerate triplets \Rightarrow Threshold effects

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- Energy $\gg M_i \Rightarrow M_i$ coupled to theory
- Energy $\ll M_i \Rightarrow M_i$ decoupled
- Degrees of freedom changes
- Matching condition needed at the energy M_i

Threshold effects: sequential decoupling

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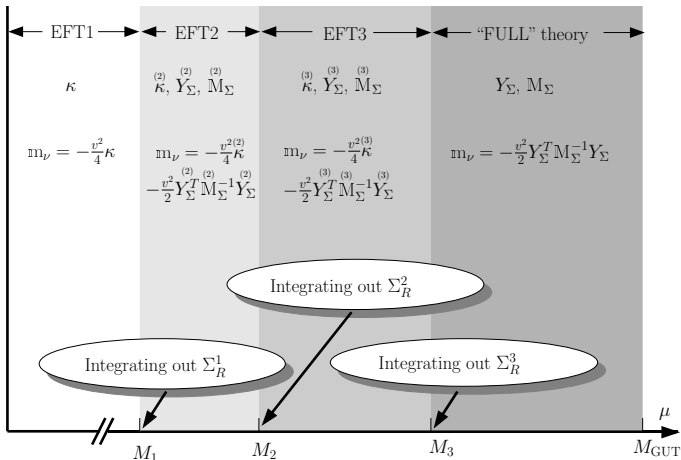
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• M_Σ evolves $\Rightarrow M_n = M_n(\mu)$

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- Dimensional regularization
- Minimal subtraction scheme
- Calculations done in R_ξ gauge
- The β functions are gauge independent

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- Σ couples to gauge bosons \Rightarrow Affects g_2 running
- $16\pi^2\beta_{g_2} = b_2g_2^3$
- $M_{n-1} < \mu < M_n \Rightarrow b_2 = -\frac{19}{6} + \frac{4(n-1)}{3}$
- b_2 changes sign for $n \geq 3$

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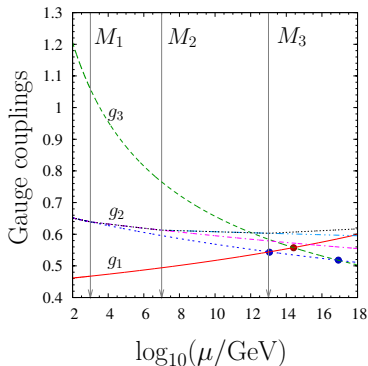
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- Unification not realized in SM

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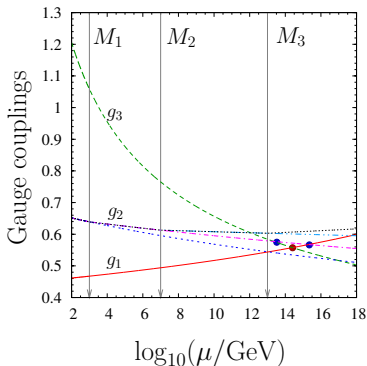
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- $g_1-g_2 \Rightarrow$ higher μ
- $g_2-g_3 \Rightarrow$ lower μ
- Strong M_i dependence
- Unification may be achieved!

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- RG evolution of Y_e and Y_Σ :

- $16\pi^2\beta_{Y_e} = Y_e \left(\frac{3}{2} Y_e^\dagger Y_e + \frac{15}{2} Y_\Sigma^\dagger Y_\Sigma + T - \frac{9}{4} g_1^2 - \frac{9}{4} g_2^2 \right)$

- $16\pi^2\beta_{Y_\Sigma} = Y_\Sigma \left(\frac{5}{2} Y_e^\dagger Y_e + \frac{5}{2} Y_\Sigma^\dagger Y_\Sigma + T - \frac{9}{20} g_1^2 - \frac{33}{4} g_2^2 \right)$

- $T = \text{Tr} \left[Y_e^\dagger Y_e + 3Y_\Sigma^\dagger Y_\Sigma + 3Y_u^\dagger Y_u + 3Y_d^\dagger Y_d \right]$

- $Y_\Sigma \rightarrow Y_\Sigma^{(n)}$

$$\beta_X = \mu dX/d\mu$$

- Y_u , Y_d and Higgs self-coupling running are modified

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- Running of fermion triplet mass:

- $16\pi^2\beta_{\mathbb{M}_\Sigma} = \left(Y_\Sigma Y_\Sigma^\dagger \right) \mathbb{M}_\Sigma + \mathbb{M}_\Sigma \left(Y_\Sigma Y_\Sigma^\dagger \right)^T - 12g_2^2 \mathbb{M}_\Sigma$

- **Large \mathbb{M}_Σ running** expected

β function – Neutrino mass matrix m_ν

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- In between thresholds \Rightarrow **No new contribution to κ**
- $\kappa \Rightarrow$ **Contribution from decoupled triplets**
- $Q \Rightarrow$ **Contribution from coupled triplets** ($Q \equiv Y_\Sigma^T M_\Sigma^{-1} Y_\Sigma$)

$$16\pi^2\beta_\kappa = \alpha_\kappa\kappa + P_\kappa^T\kappa + \kappa P_\kappa$$

$$16\pi^2\beta_Q = \alpha_Q Q + P_Q^T Q + Q P_Q$$

- $16\pi^2\beta_{m_\nu} = \alpha_\nu m_\nu + P^T m_\nu + m_\nu P$

- $m_\nu = -\frac{v^2}{4} (\kappa + 2Q)$

- $\mu > M_r \Rightarrow P = P_Q$

- $\mu < M_1 \Rightarrow P = P_\kappa$

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- $U_e(\mu)^\dagger Y_e^\dagger Y_e(\mu) U_e(\mu) = \text{diag}(y_e^2(\mu), y_\mu^2(\mu), y_\tau^2(\mu))$
- $U_{\text{PMNS}}(\mu) = U_e^\dagger(\mu) U_\nu(\mu)$

- \mathbb{M}_Σ and $Y_e^\dagger Y_e$ diagonal at high scale

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- $U_{\text{PMNS}} = \text{diag}(e^{i\delta_e}, e^{i\delta_\mu}, e^{i\delta_\tau}) \cdot \mathcal{U} \cdot \text{diag}(e^{-i\phi_1}, e^{-i\phi_2}, 1)$

- $$\mathcal{U} = \begin{pmatrix} c_{12}c_{13} & s_{12}c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -c_{23}s_{12} - s_{23}c_{12}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{12} - s_{23}s_{12}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & s_{23}c_{13} \\ s_{23}s_{12} - c_{23}c_{12}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & -s_{23}c_{12} - c_{23}s_{12}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{13} \end{pmatrix}$$

- “flavor” phases $\delta_{e,\mu,\tau} \Rightarrow$ No role in ν oscillations

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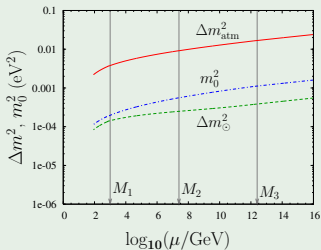
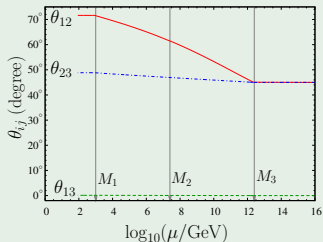
Typical running in Type-III seesaw

- High scale $\mu_0 = 10^{16}$ GeV
- $\mathbb{M}_\Sigma, Y_e^\dagger Y_e$ diagonal basis
- $U_{\text{PMNS}} = U_\nu$
- Three heavy fermion triplets: $M_1 < M_2 < M_3$
- $M_1 \sim 10^3$ GeV \Rightarrow LHC
- Normal mass ordering

Example I: Bimaximal mixing at μ_0

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- $\phi_i = 0$
- No CP violation at all energy
- $\theta_{12} \uparrow$ between thresholds
- θ_{12} NOT compatible
- Δm^2 compatible
- m_0 small ~ 0.04 eV
- Running is quite large

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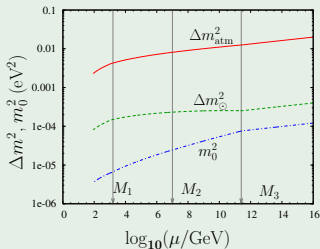
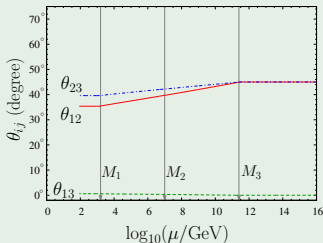
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- $\phi_1 \sim 89^\circ$; $\phi_2 \sim 0.4^\circ$
- θ_{12} COMPATIBLE !
- Δm^2 compatible
- m_0 small ~ 0.01 eV
- Running is quite large

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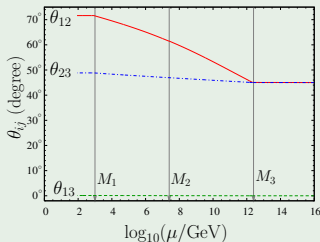
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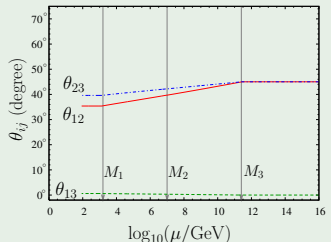
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$$\phi_1 = \phi_2 = 0$$



$$\phi_1 \sim 89^\circ; \phi_2 \sim 0.4^\circ$$

- CP violation \Rightarrow crucial
- Threshold effects important

Bimaximal \Rightarrow Compatible at low energy

Example II: Quasi-degenerate ν at μ_0

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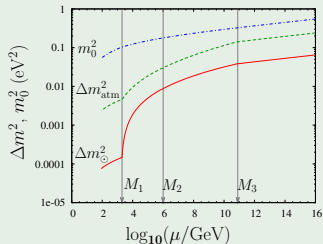
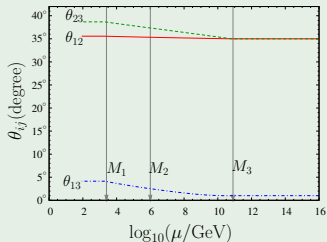
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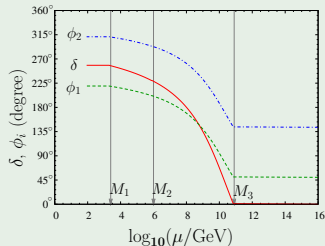
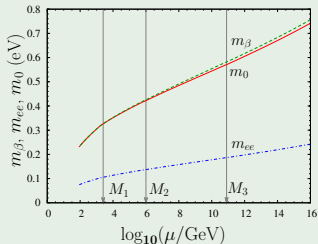


- $m_0 \gtrsim \sqrt{\Delta m_{\text{atm}}^2}$
- Large θ_{23} running
- Phase: $|\phi_1 - \phi_2| \approx \pi/2$
- θ_{12} running suppressed
- Large Δm_{\odot}^2 running

Example II: Quasi-degenerate ν at μ_0

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Example



- $m_\beta \equiv \sqrt{\sum_i |U_{ei}|^2 m_i^2}$
 $\Rightarrow \beta$ decay
- Large m_β running
- $m_{ee} \equiv |\sum_i U_{ei}^2 m_i| \Rightarrow 0\nu\beta\beta$
- $|\phi_1 - \phi_2| \approx \pi/2$
 $\Rightarrow m_{ee} \approx m_0 \cos 2\theta_{12}$
- Large δ generated from zero
- Large ϕ_i running

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- **RG evolution in Type-III seesaw scenario**
 - New contribution to evolution of $SU(2)_L$ coupling g_2
 - Running of Higgs self-coupling λ & Yukawa couplings
 - Large M_Σ running
- **Evolution of neutrino masses and mixing in Type-III seesaw**
- **Bimaximal mixing at the high scale**
 - Threshold effects important
 - Crucial role of Majorana phases
 - Large running of masses
- **Quasi-degenerate neutrino at the high scale**
 - Large Δm_\odot^2 and m_β running
 - Small θ_{12} running
 - Generation of large δ from zero at high scale

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- LHC \Rightarrow CM energy 14 TeV

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- $M_i \sim \text{TeV} \Rightarrow Y \sim 10^{-6}$

- Production:

- $q\bar{q} \rightarrow Z^*/\gamma^* \rightarrow \Sigma^+\Sigma^-$

- $q\bar{q}' \rightarrow W^* \rightarrow \Sigma^\pm\Sigma^0$

- Detection:

- $\Sigma^0 \rightarrow l^\mp W^\pm$

- $\Sigma^0 \rightarrow \nu Z$

- $\Sigma^0 \rightarrow \nu\phi$

- $\Sigma^\pm \rightarrow \bar{\nu} W^\pm$

- $\Sigma^\pm \rightarrow l^\pm Z$

- $\Sigma^\pm \rightarrow l^\pm\phi$

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• Signals exclusive to Type-III seesaw:

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- Six lepton: Branching ratio too small
- Five lepton or $l^\pm l^\pm l^\pm$: observable at 30 fb^{-1} at 300 GeV
- $l^\pm l^\pm l^\pm l^\mp$ ($Q = \pm 2$): observable at 15 fb^{-1}

• Signals common to Type-II and Type-III:

- Five lepton or $l^\pm l^\pm l^\mp l^\mp$: E production at 6 fb^{-1} (5σ)
- $l^\pm l^\pm l^\mp$: observable at $< 3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- $l^\pm l^\pm$ – like-sign dilepton: discovery potential same as $l^\pm l^\pm l^\mp$

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