

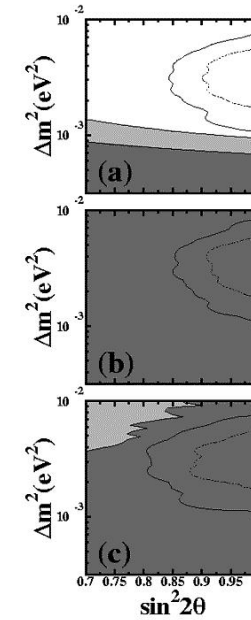
A GLOBAL ANALYSIS OF SOLAR NEUTRINO AND
KAMLAND DATA— THE ROLE OF θ_{13}

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ATMOSPHERIC NEUTRINO RESULTS AT SUPERKAMIOKANDE



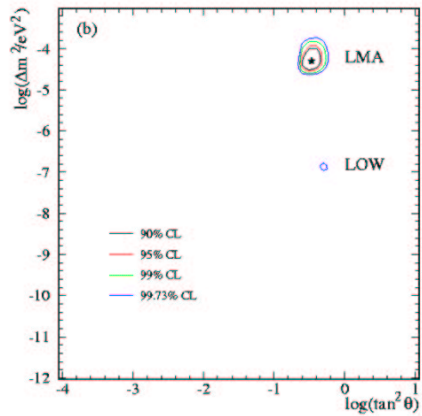
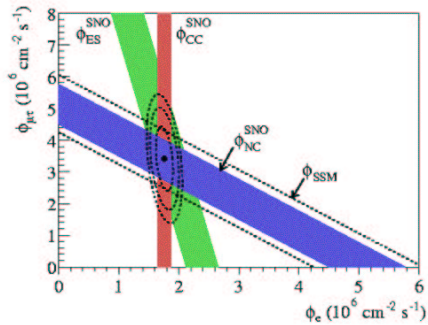
a) $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\tau$

b) $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_s$ ($\delta m^2 > 0$)

c) $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_s$ ($\delta m^2 < 0$)

NOTE! : All 2×2 analysis

SUDBURY NEUTRINO OBSERVATORY RESULTS
(NEUTRAL CURRENT AND DAY-NIGHT)



Atmospheric Neutrinos Fix the θ_{32} .

What about θ_{31} ?

The value of θ_{31} is probably the most-pressing open question in neutrino physics:

- CP-violating phase appears together with θ_{13} ; Very long baseline neutrino experiments
- Unitarity of neutrino mixing matrix
- Cosmological implications

Three flavor mixing:

$$\Psi_\alpha = \sum_i U_{\alpha i} \Psi_i.$$

$$U_{\alpha i} = T_{23} T_{13} T_{12} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & C_{23} & S_{23} \\ 0 & -S_{23} & C_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} C_{13} & 0 & S_{13}^* \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -S_{13} & 0 & C_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} C_{12} & S_{12} & 0 \\ -S_{12} & C_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Notation: $C_{13} = \cos \theta_{13}$, etc.

MSW evolution equation:

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{pmatrix} \Psi_e \\ \Psi_\mu \\ \Psi_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \left[T_{23} T_{13} T_{12} \begin{pmatrix} E_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & E_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & E_3 \end{pmatrix} T_{12}^\dagger T_{13}^\dagger T_{23}^\dagger + \begin{pmatrix} V_c + V_n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & V_n & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & V_n \end{pmatrix} \right] \times \begin{pmatrix} \Psi_e \\ \Psi_\mu \\ \Psi_\tau \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_c(x) = \sqrt{2} G_F N_e(x)$$

$$V_n(x) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} G_F N_n(x).$$

First Rotation:

$$\tilde{\Psi}_\mu = \cos \theta_{23} \Psi_\mu - \sin \theta_{23} \Psi_\tau,$$

$$\tilde{\Psi}_\tau = \sin \theta_{23} \Psi_\mu + \cos \theta_{23} \Psi_\tau$$

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{pmatrix} \Psi_e \\ \tilde{\Psi}_\mu \\ \tilde{\Psi}_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \left[T_{13} T_{12} \begin{pmatrix} E_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & E_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & E_3 \end{pmatrix} T_{12}^\dagger T_{13}^\dagger + \begin{pmatrix} V_c & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] \begin{pmatrix} \Psi_e \\ \tilde{\Psi}_\mu \\ \tilde{\Psi}_\tau \end{pmatrix}$$

Second Rotation:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \varphi_e \\ \varphi_\mu \\ \varphi_\tau \end{pmatrix} = T_{13}^\dagger \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{\Psi}_e \\ \tilde{\Psi}_\mu \\ \tilde{\Psi}_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{13} \tilde{\Psi}_e + \sin \theta_{13} \tilde{\Psi}_\tau \\ \tilde{\Psi}_\mu \\ -\sin \theta_{13} \tilde{\Psi}_e + \cos \theta_{13} \tilde{\Psi}_\tau \end{pmatrix}$$

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_e \\ \varphi_\mu \\ \varphi_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \mathcal{H} \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_e \\ \varphi_\mu \\ \varphi_\tau \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{H} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \tilde{V} - \Delta_{21} \cos 2\theta_{12} & \frac{1}{2} \Delta_{21} \sin 2\theta_{12} & -\frac{1}{2} V_c \sin 2\theta_{13} \\ \frac{1}{2} \Delta_{21} \sin 2\theta_{12} & -\frac{1}{2} \tilde{V} + \Delta_{21} \cos 2\theta_{12} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} V_c \sin 2\theta_{13} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} (\Delta_{31} + \Delta_{32}) + V_c - \frac{3}{2} \tilde{V} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{V} = V_c \cos^2 \theta_{13}$$

$$\Delta_{ij} = \frac{m_i^2 - m_j^2}{2E} = \frac{\delta m_{ij}^2}{2E}$$

Initial conditions:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \varphi_e(t=0) \\ \varphi_\mu(t=0) \\ \varphi_\tau(t=0) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{13} \\ 0 \\ -\sin \theta_{13} \end{pmatrix}$$

Atmospheric Neutrino Measurements:

$$\Rightarrow \delta m_{32}^2 = 3 \times 10^{-3} \text{eV}^2$$

Approximate Solar Electron Density:

$$N_e(r) = 245 \exp(-10.54r/R_\odot) N_A \text{cm}^{-3},$$

$$\Rightarrow V_c(r) = 1.87 \times 10^{-5} \times \exp(-10.54r/R_\odot) \text{eV}^2/\text{MeV}$$

Consequently

$$\frac{V_c(r)}{\Delta_{31}} < 1$$

everywhere in the Sun (good expansion parameter).

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \varphi_\tau(t) = a \varphi_e + b \varphi_\tau$$

$$a = -V_c \sin \theta_{13} \cos \theta_{13}$$

$$b = \frac{1}{2}(\Delta_{31} + \Delta_{32}) + V_c - \frac{3}{2}\tilde{V} \simeq \Delta_{31} - \frac{1}{2}V_c(1 - 3 \sin^2 \theta_{13}) \equiv \Delta_{31} - \epsilon.$$

⇒

$$\varphi_\tau(t) = \sin \theta_{13} e^{-i \int_0^t b(t') dt'} \left[-1 + i \cos \theta_{13} \int_0^t dt' V_c(t') \varphi_e(t') e^{i \int_0^{t'} b(t'') dt''} \right]$$

$$i \int_0^t dt' V_c \varphi_e e^{i \int_0^{t'} b(t'') dt''} = -\frac{V_c(t=0)}{\Delta_{31}} \cos \theta_{13} - \frac{1}{\Delta_{31}} \int_0^t e^{i \Delta_{31} t'} \frac{d}{dt'} \left[V_c(t') \varphi_e(t') e^{i \int_0^{t'} \epsilon(t'') dt''} \right]$$

⇒

$$\varphi_\tau(t) = \sin \theta_{13} e^{-i \int_0^t b(t') dt'} \times \left\{ -1 + \cos^2 \theta_{13} \left[-\xi \left(1 + \frac{\delta m_{21}^2}{\delta m_{31}^2} + \dots \right) + \xi^2 (1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta_{13} + \dots) \right] \right\}$$

$$\xi \equiv \frac{V_c(t=0)}{\Delta_{31}}.$$

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_e \\ \varphi_\mu \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}\tilde{V} - \Delta_{21} \cos 2\theta_{12} & \frac{1}{2}\Delta_{21} \sin 2\theta_{12} \\ \frac{1}{2}\Delta_{21} \sin 2\theta_{12} & -\frac{1}{2}\tilde{V} + \Delta_{21} \cos 2\theta_{12} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_e \\ \varphi_\mu \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_e(t) \\ \varphi_\mu(t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \Phi_e(t) & -\Phi_\mu^*(t) \\ \Phi_\mu(t) & \Phi_e^*(t) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{13} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \equiv \hat{U} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{13} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

where where $\Phi_e(t)$ and $\Phi_\mu(t)$ are solutions of the evolution equation with the initial conditions $\Phi_e(t=0) = 1$ and $\Phi_\mu(t=0) = 0$.

We need the electron neutrino amplitude:

$$\Psi_e = \cos \theta_{13} \varphi_e - \sin \theta_{13} \varphi_\tau.$$

$$\Psi_e = \cos^2 \theta_{13} \Phi_e - \sin^2 \theta_{13} e^{-i \int_0^t b(t') dt'} D$$

$$D \equiv \varphi_\tau e^{i \int_0^t b(t') dt'} / \sin \theta_{13}$$

⇒

$$P_{3 \times 3}(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e) = \cos^4 \theta_{13} P_{2 \times 2}(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e \text{ with } N_e \cos^2 \theta_{13}) + \sin^4 \theta_{13} \left[1 + 2\xi \cos^2 \theta_{13} \left(1 + \frac{\delta m_{21}^2}{\delta m_{31}^2} \cos 2\theta_{12} \right) + \xi^2 \cos^4 \theta_{13} \left(2 \frac{\delta m_{21}^2}{\delta m_{31}^2} \cos 2\theta_{12} - 1 \right) \right] + \mathcal{O}(\xi^3)$$

$$\xi \equiv \frac{V_c(t=0)}{\Delta_{31}}.$$

Best fit:

$$\tan^2 \theta_{12} \sim 0.46$$

$$\cos^4 \theta_{13} \sim 1$$

$$\delta m_{12}^2 \sim 7.1 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$$

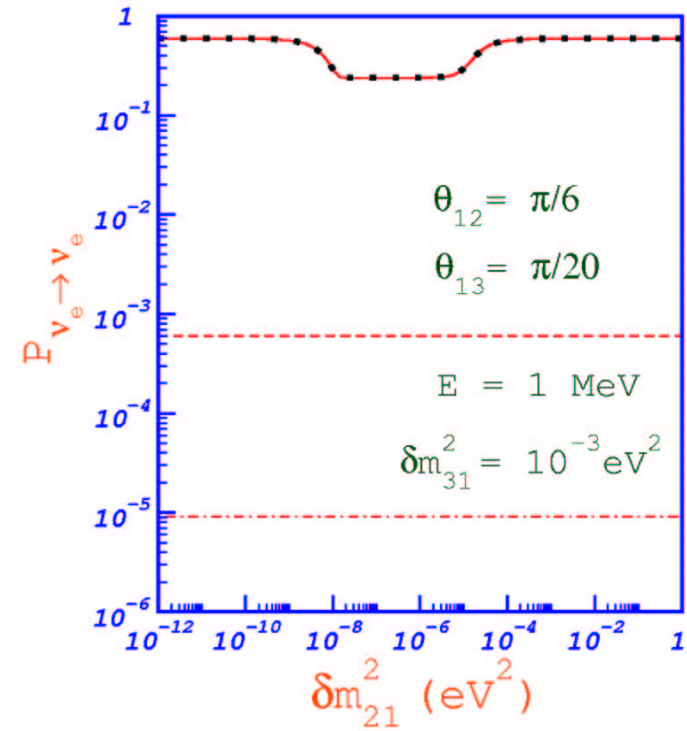


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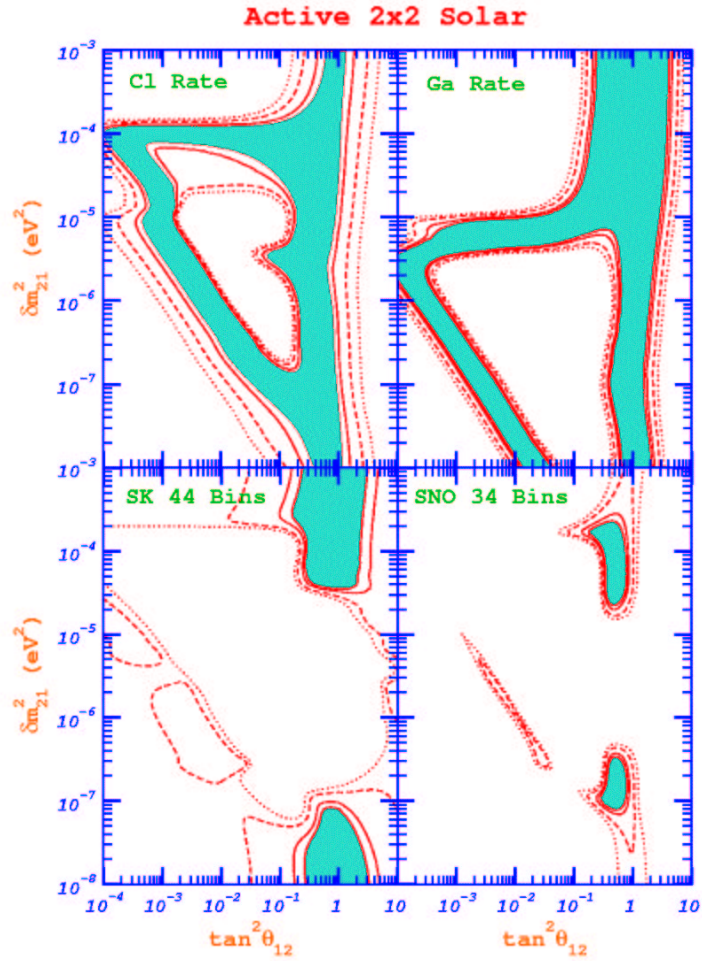


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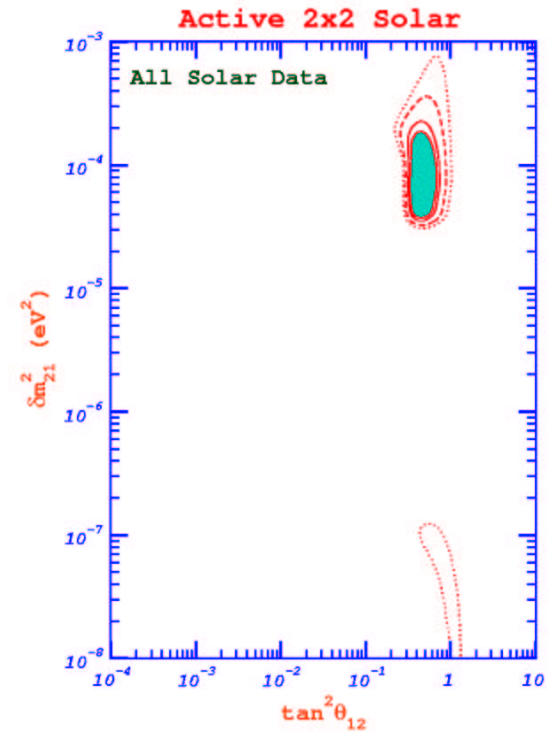


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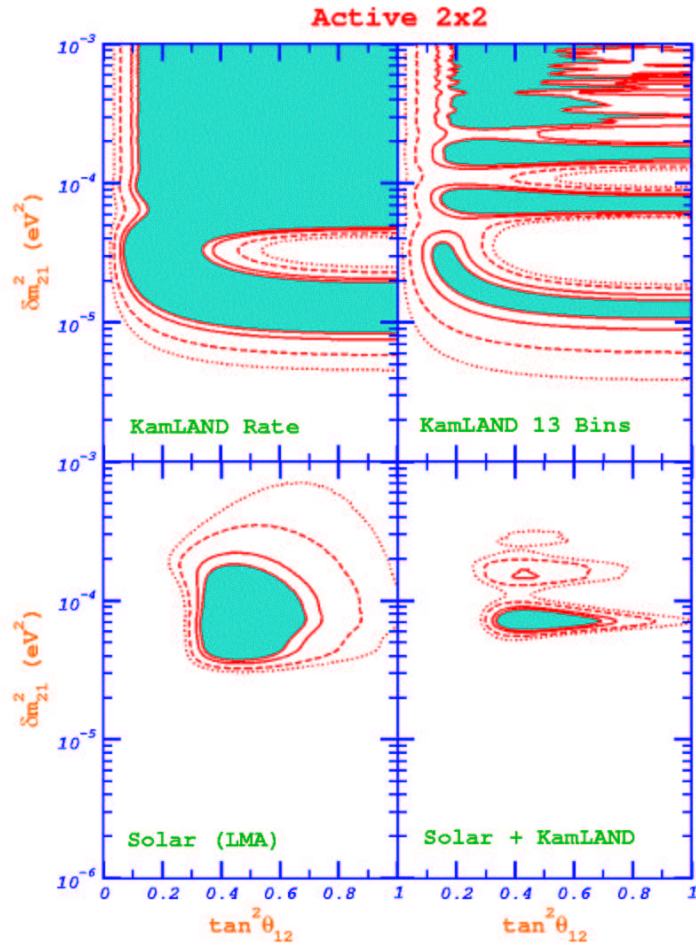


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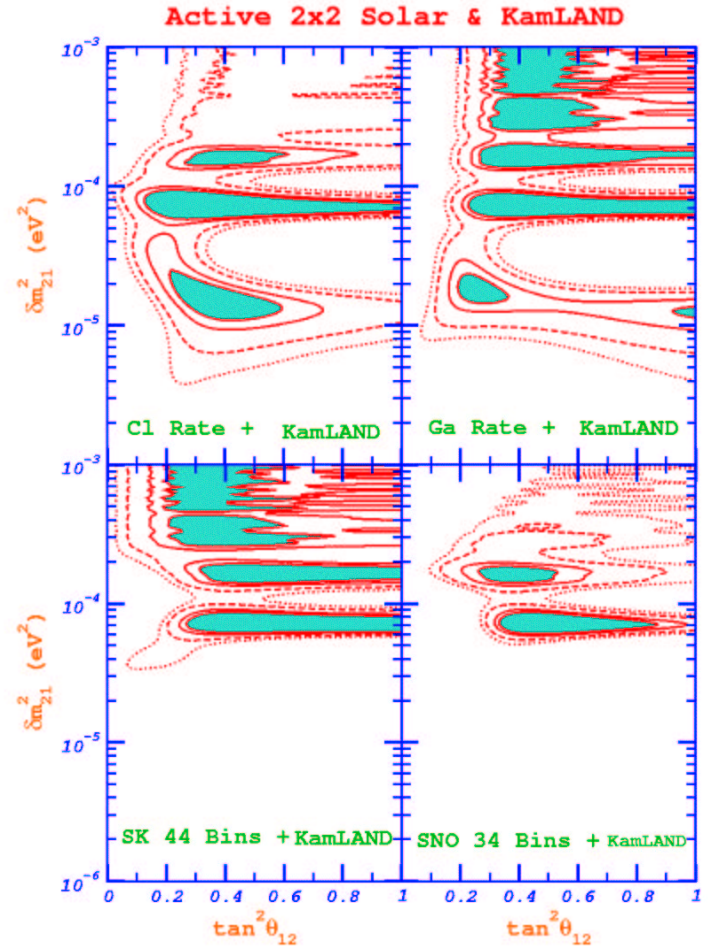


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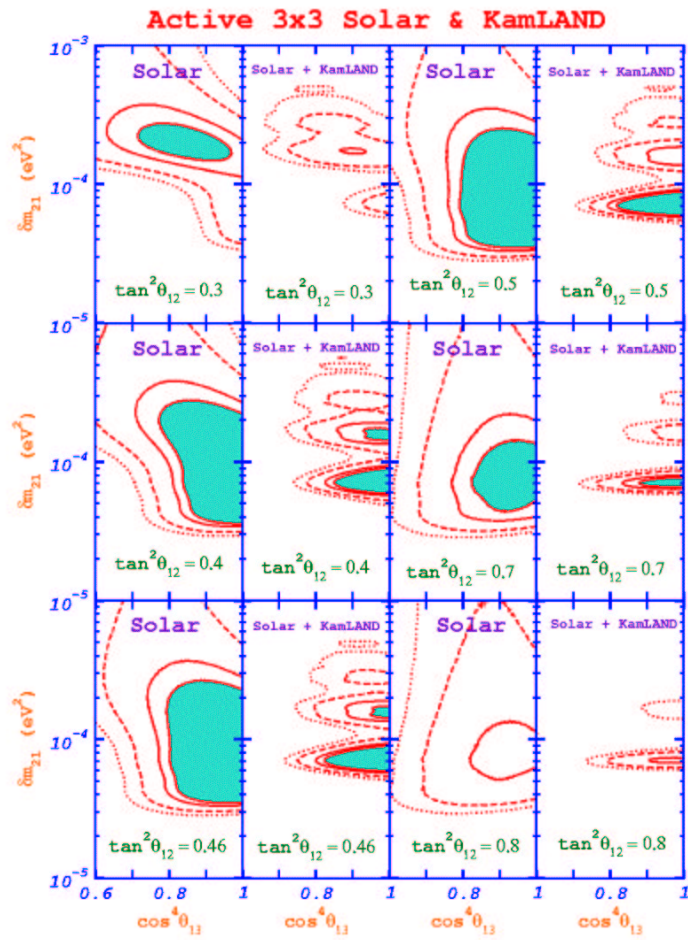


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