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Outline

• Introduction: a two-state QM



• Origin of neutrino mass & particle-antiparticle oscillation at LHC

• Weak interaction & neutrino oscillation



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Introduction

Quantum mechanics of a two-state system

- Schroedinger's cat (an illustration): Observation – Alive(undecayed) or Dead(decayed) \mathcal{O} : $|A\rangle$ or $|D\rangle$
- Hamiltonian: energy operator of the system

$$i\frac{d}{dt}|\psi(t)\rangle = \mathcal{H}|\psi(t)\rangle$$

• Non-simultaneous observables: $[\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{O}] \neq 0$

 $\mathcal{H}|A\rangle = E_{11}|A\rangle + E_{12}|D\rangle$ $\mathcal{H}|D\rangle = E_{21}|A\rangle + E_{22}|D\rangle$

• Alive or Dead at t? $|\psi_A(0)\rangle = |A\rangle \implies |\psi_A(t)\rangle = ?$



Superposition of A & D: to be or not to be?

• Energy eigenstates: $\mathcal{H}|E_{1,2}\rangle = E_{1,2}|E_{1,2}\rangle$ $\begin{vmatrix} E_1 \rangle = c_{\theta}|A\rangle - s_{\theta}|D\rangle$ $|E_2\rangle = s_{\theta}|A\rangle + c_{\theta}|D\rangle$

$$i\frac{d}{dt}|\psi_{1,2}(t)\rangle = E_{1,2}|\psi_{1,2}(t)\rangle \implies |\psi_{1,2}(t)\rangle = e^{iE_{1,2}t}|E_{1,2}\rangle$$

• The poor cat state after some time:

$$\begin{aligned} |\psi_A(t)\rangle &= e^{iE_1t}c_\theta |E_1\rangle + e^{iE_2t}s_\theta |E_2\rangle \\ &= (e^{iE_2t} - e^{iE_1t})s_\theta c_\theta |D\rangle + \cdots |A\rangle \end{aligned}$$

• Probability to be found dead at t:

$$P_{AD}(t) = |\langle D|\psi_A(t)\rangle|^2 = \sin^2(2\theta)\sin^2(\frac{\Delta Et}{2})$$

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Weak interaction & neutrino oscillation

From beta decay to two neutrinos



Weak interaction & Higgs mechanism





particles, the W and Z, was announced. These particles had been predicted by theory and their discovery was the result of a huge effort from the accelerator (the SPS) and the detectors (UA1 and UA2)

A MODEL OF LEPTONS*



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Standard Model



Neutrino Oscillation

A Quantum Mechanical effect occurring when

interaction eigenstates are different from mass eigenstates

Two neutrinos $\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \end{pmatrix}$ $\begin{pmatrix} m_{ee} & m_{e\mu} \\ m_{e\mu} & m_{\mu\mu} \end{pmatrix} = U_{\theta} \begin{pmatrix} m_1 & 0 \\ 0 & m_2 \end{pmatrix} U_{\theta}^T$ $E_i \approx p_i \approx E, t \approx L$ $E_i = \sqrt{p_i^2 + m_i^2} \approx E + \frac{m_i^2}{2E}$ Oscillation probability: $P_{e\mu} = \sin^2 2\theta \sin^2 \left(1.27 \frac{\Delta m_{21}^2 (eV^2) L(km)}{E(GeV)} \right)$

Three Neutrino Oscillation

 $|\nu_e\rangle = U_{e1}|\nu_1\rangle + U_{e2}|\nu_2\rangle + U_{e3}|\nu_3\rangle$ $|\nu_{\mu}\rangle = U_{\mu1}|\nu_1\rangle + U_{\mu2}|\nu_2\rangle + U_{\mu3}|\nu_3\rangle$ $|\nu_{\tau}\rangle = U_{\tau1}|\nu_1\rangle + U_{\tau2}|\nu_2\rangle + U_{\tau3}|\nu_3\rangle$



• Three mass eigenvalues: $m_1, m_2, m_3 \Rightarrow$ Two mass² differences $\Delta m_{31}^2 = m_3^2 - m_1^2 \text{ (atmospheric)}, \quad \Delta m_{21}^2 = m_2^2 - m_1^2 \text{ (solar)}$

• Three mixing angles and three phases: $heta_{12}, heta_{23}, heta_{13}; heta_{5}, heta_{2}, heta_{3}$





Revolution in 1998 – 2002



θ_{13} in 2012









중국, 한국의 5배인 연구원 240명·600억원 투자… 1주일 먼저 연구결과 발표 中, 몇달만에 대역전 - 작년 중순 미국과 손잡고 인재·財力으로 휘몰아치기 땅을 친 한국 연구진 - 주민·환경단체 설득하느라 시설 완공 1년 늦어져 "작년 말까진 우리가 앞섰는데 뒤통수를 세게 맞았다"



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Origin of neutrino mass & triplet-antitripet oscillation at LHC

EJC & Sharma, arXiv:1206.6278; 1309.6888

Neutrino mass from triplet boson

• Higgs doublet boson:
$$\begin{pmatrix} H^0 \\ H^- \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[v+h^0+iZ^0] \\ W^- \end{pmatrix}$$

- Triplet boson: $(\Delta^{++}, \Delta^{+}, \Delta^{0}), \quad \Delta^{0} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [v_{\Delta} + \Delta^{0}_{R} + i\Delta^{0}_{I}]$
- Neutrino/Higgs-triplet interactions:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}_{\nu} &= f_{\alpha\beta} \cdot \begin{cases} \Delta^{0} \nu_{\alpha} \nu_{\beta} \\ \Delta^{+} (\nu_{\alpha} l_{\beta} + \nu_{\beta} l_{\alpha}) \\ \Delta^{++} l_{\alpha} l_{\beta} \end{cases} + \mu \cdot \begin{cases} \Delta^{0} H^{0} H^{0} \\ \Delta^{+} H^{0} H^{-} \\ \Delta^{++} H^{-} H^{-} \end{cases} \\ \Rightarrow m_{\alpha\beta}^{\nu} &= f_{\alpha\beta} \langle \Delta^{0} \rangle , \quad \Delta^{\pm\pm} \to l_{\alpha}^{\pm} l_{\beta}^{\pm} \end{aligned}$$
EJC, Lee, Park, 0304069

Triplet boson production & decays Doubly charged boson search at LHC: same-sign di-leptons (I+I+ or I-I-)





H^0	A^0	H^+	H^{++}
$\rightarrow t\bar{t}$	$\rightarrow t\bar{t}$	$\rightarrow t\bar{b}$	$\rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^+$
$\rightarrow b\bar{b}$	$\rightarrow b\bar{b}$	$\rightarrow \ell^+ \nu$	$\to W^{+*}W^{+*}$
$\rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu}$	$\rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu}$	$\rightarrow W^+Z$	
$\rightarrow ZZ$	$\rightarrow Zh^0$	$\rightarrow W^+ h^0$	
$\rightarrow h^0 h^0$	$\rightarrow H^{\pm}W^{\mp^*}$	$\rightarrow H^{++}W^{-*}$	
$\rightarrow H^{\pm}W^{\mp^*}$			

Triplet-antitriplet mixing





Triplet-antitriplet oscillation

• Initial
$$\Delta^0 = (H^0 + iA^0)/\sqrt{2}$$
 evolves as
 $|\Delta(t)\rangle = g_+(t)|\Delta\rangle + g_-(t)|\overline{\Delta}\rangle$ $[\Gamma = \Gamma_{H^0} = \Gamma_{A^0}]$
 $g_{\pm}(t) = \frac{1}{2}e^{-\Gamma t/2} \left(e^{iM_{H^0}t} \pm e^{iM_{A^0}t}\right)$

• Probabilities of Δ going to Δ or $\overline{\Delta}$: $\chi_{\pm} \equiv \frac{\int_{0}^{\infty} dt |g_{\pm}(t)|^{2}}{\int_{0}^{\infty} dt |g_{+}(t)|^{2} + \int_{0}^{\infty} dt |g_{-}(t)|^{2}}$

$$\chi_{\pm} = \begin{cases} \frac{2+x^2}{2(1+x^2)} \\ \frac{x^2}{2(1+x^2)} \end{cases} \qquad x \equiv \frac{\delta M}{\Gamma} = \frac{\tau_{dec}}{\tau_{osc}} \end{cases}$$

Same-Sign Tetra-Lepton Signature

• Oscillation leads to same-sign doubly-charged pair production:

$$pp \to \Delta^0 \bar{\Delta}^0 \Rightarrow \Delta^0 \Delta^0 \to H^+ H^+ 2W^- \to H^{++} H^{++} 4W^-$$
$$\Delta^+ \bar{\Delta}^0 \Rightarrow \Delta^+ \Delta^0 \to H^{++} H^+ 2W^- \to H^{++} H^{++} 3W^-$$

• Production cross-section for SS4L:

$$\begin{split} \sigma \left(4\ell^{\pm} + 3W^{\mp^*} \right) &= \sigma \left(pp \to H^{\pm}H^0 + H^{\pm}A^0 \right) \left[\frac{x_{HA}^2}{1 + x_{HA}^2} \right] \mathrm{BF}(H^0/A^0 \to H^{\pm}W^{\mp^*}) \\ &\times \left[\mathrm{BF}(H^{\pm} \to H^{\pm\pm}W^{\mp^*}) \right]^2 \left[\mathrm{BF}(H^{\pm\pm} \to \ell^{\pm}\ell^{\pm}) \right]^2; \\ \sigma \left(4\ell^{\pm} + 4W^{\mp^*} \right) &= \sigma \left(pp \to H^0A^0 \right) \left[\frac{2 + x_{HA}^2}{1 + x_{HA}^2} \frac{x_{HA}^2}{1 + x_{HA}^2} \right] \mathrm{BF}(H^0 \to H^{\pm}W^{\mp^*}) \mathrm{BF}(A^0 \to H^{\pm}W^{\mp^*}) \\ &\times \left[\mathrm{BF}(H^{\pm} \to H^{\pm\pm}W^{\mp^*}) \right]^2 \left[\mathrm{BF}(H^{\pm\pm} \to \ell^{\pm}\ell^{\pm}) \right]^2. \end{split}$$

SS4L production rate

• SS4L production including the oscillation factor:



• Benchmark point:

$$v_{\Delta} = 7 \times 10^{-5} \,\mathrm{GeV}\,, \ \Delta M = 1.5 \,\mathrm{GeV}$$

		Pre-selection	Selection
$15 f b^{-1}$	$\ell^{\pm}\ell^{\pm}\ell^{\pm}\ell^{\pm}$ (LHC8-NH)	4	3
	$\ell^{\pm}\ell^{\pm}\ell^{\pm}\ell^{\pm}$ (LHC8-IH)	9	8
$100 f b^{-1}$	$\ell^\pm\ell^\pm\ell^\pm\ell^\pm$ (LHC14-NH)	110	94
	$\ell^\pm\ell^\pm\ell^\pm\ell^\pm$ (LHC14-IH)	240	210

Conclusion

- Oscillation a novel quantum phenomenon.
- Neutrinos exhibit a simple realization of quantum oscillation through which their mass differences and mixing have been measured.
- The origin of neutrino masses is a second "Higgs mechanism" by a triplet boson.
- Another novel phenomenon of triplet-antitriplet oscillation may be revealed by same-sign tetra-lepton signals – stay tuned for next results from LHC14!