

Unification with TeV Scale Lepton Number Violation

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Structure of Matter Multiplets

$$Q = \begin{pmatrix} u_1 & u_2 & u_3 \\ d_1 & d_2 & d_3 \end{pmatrix} \sim (3, 2, \frac{1}{6})$$

$$u^c = (u_1^c \quad u_2^c \quad u_3^c) \sim (\bar{3}, 1, \frac{-2}{3})$$

$$d^c = (d_1^c \quad d_2^c \quad d_3^c) \sim (\bar{3}, 1, \frac{1}{3})$$

$$L = \begin{pmatrix} \nu \\ e^- \end{pmatrix} \sim (1, 2, \frac{-1}{2})$$

$$e^c \sim (1, 1, +1)$$

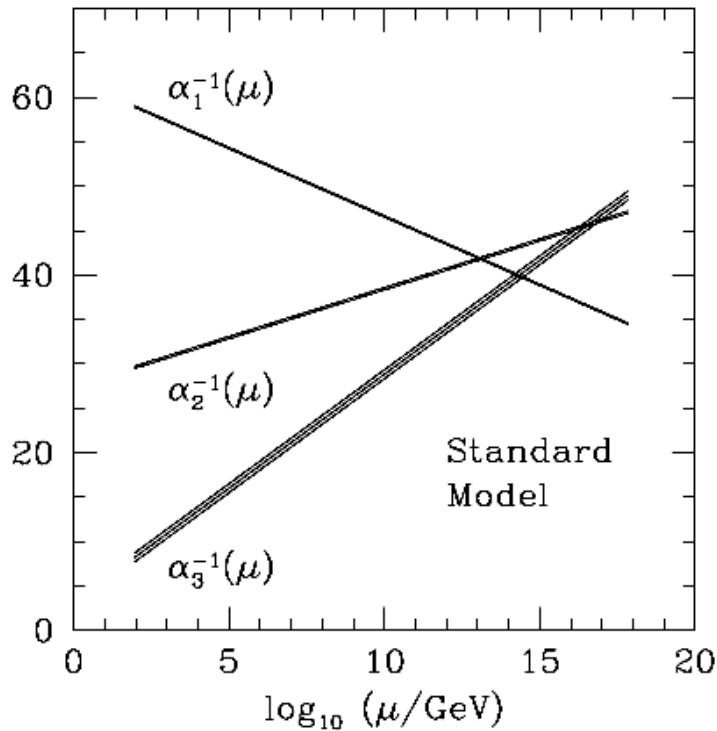
$$\nu^c \sim (1, 1, 0)$$

**Matter Unification
in 16 of SO(10)**

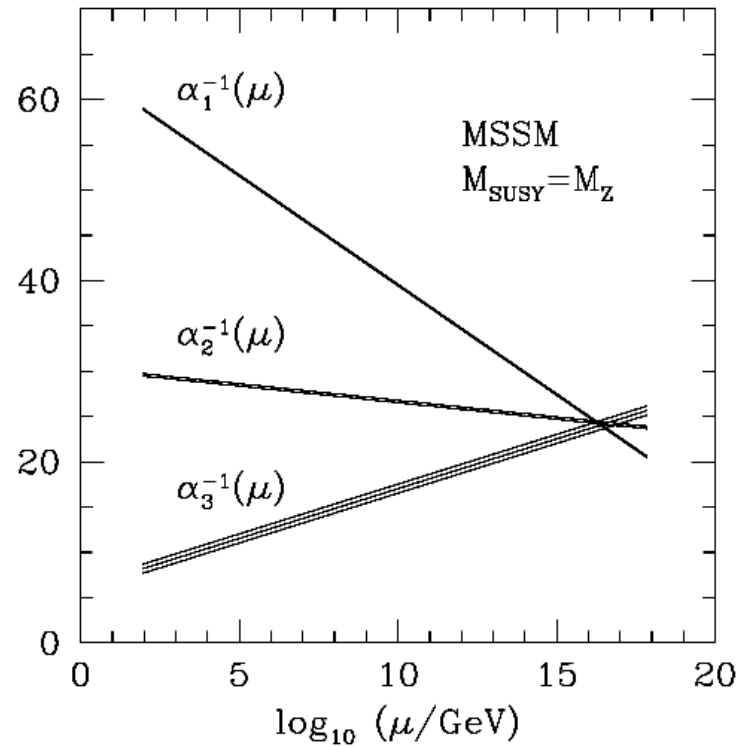


u_1	:	$\uparrow\downarrow\uparrow\uparrow\downarrow$ >
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u_3	:	$\uparrow\downarrow\downarrow\uparrow\uparrow$ >
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Evolution of Gauge Couplings

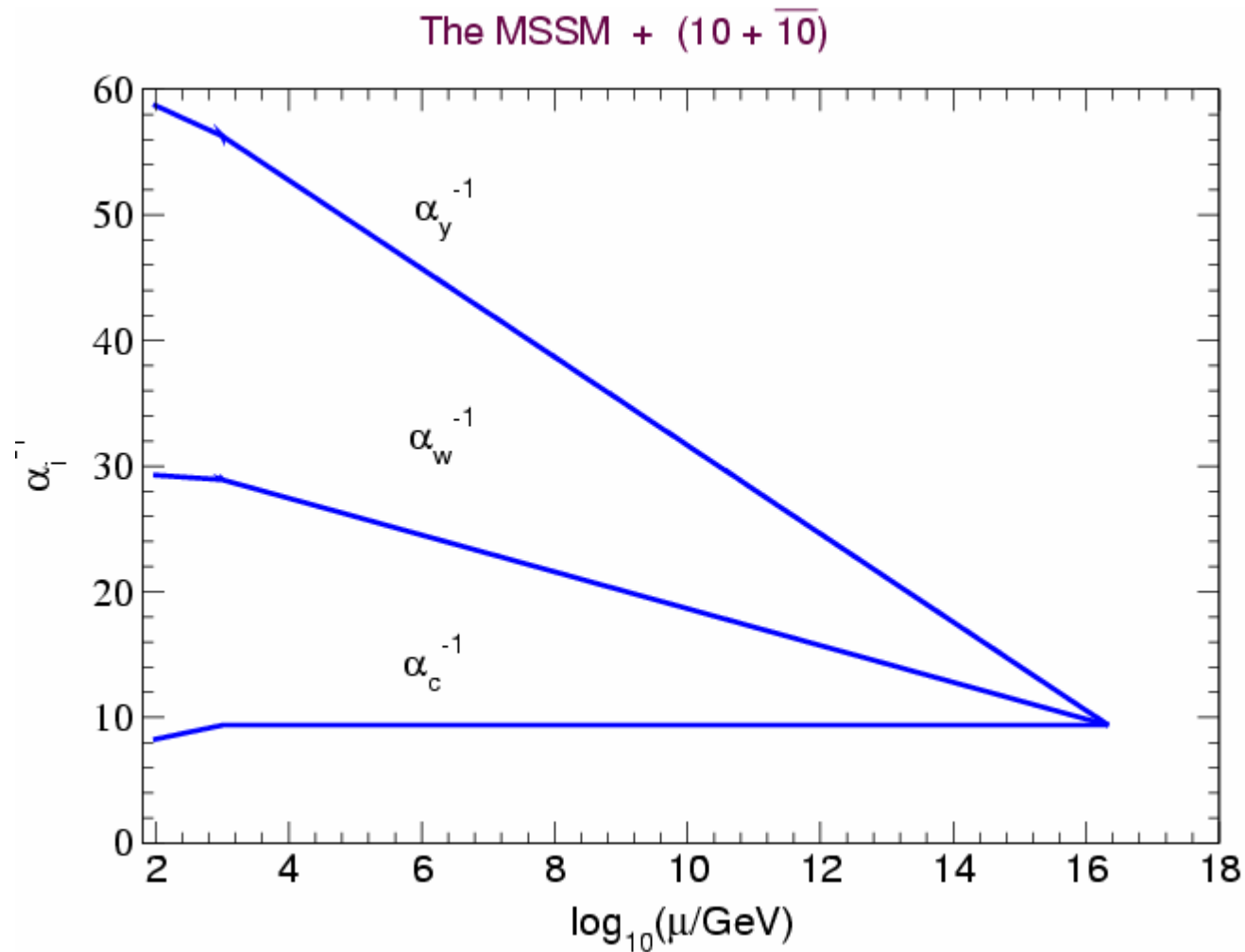


Standard Model



Minimal Supersymmetry

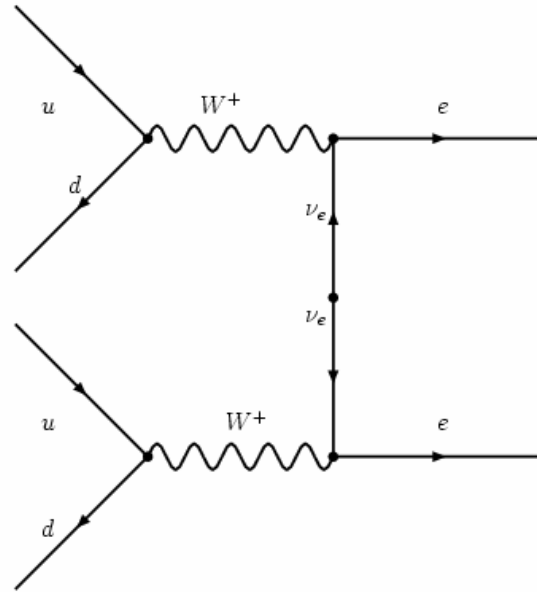
Unification with additional $10+10^*$



Lepton Number Violation

- ◆ In the standard scenario L violation occurs near the GUT scale, $M_R \sim 10^{14}$ GeV
- ◆ Testable indirectly via soft SUSY masses
- ◆ Can L violation occur at TeV scale consistent with unification, LSP dark matter, and small neutrino masses?
- ◆ Motivations:
 - Observable neutrinoless double beta decay,
 - Collider signals

Neutrinoless double beta decay



$$m_{\beta\beta} = \left| \sum U_{ei}^2 m_i \right| \begin{array}{l} \sim 0.006 \text{ eV (Hierarchical)} \\ \geq 0.018 \text{ eV (Inverted)} \\ \geq 0.06 \text{ eV (Quasi-degenerate)} \end{array}$$

When combined with cosmology

$$m_{\beta\beta} < 0.15 - 0.2 \text{ eV}$$

- ◆ If $m_{\beta\beta}$ is observed at the level of 0.5 eV, new interactions will be needed
- ◆ If so, what are the consequences?
- ◆ Vector-scalar exchange seems very promising [R.Mohapatra, KB (1995)]

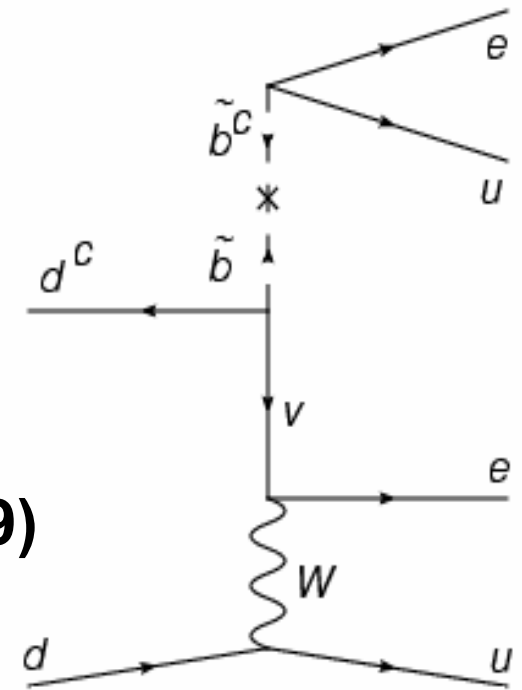
- ◆ $W' = \lambda'_{ijk} L_i L_j e_k^c + ..$

\Rightarrow

$$\lambda'_{113} \lambda'_{131} < 1.6 \times 10^{-7} \left(\frac{M_{\text{SUSY}}}{100 \text{ GeV}} \right)^3$$

Pas et al (1999)

- ◆ Can we realize similar effects without R parity violation?



Unifiable model for neutrinoless double beta decay

- ◆ Add complete multiplet $\{10 + \overline{10}\}$ of $SU(5)$ to MSSM
- ◆ Since $B - L$ is likely a gauge symmetry, a Z_2 subgroup of I_{3R} remains unbroken

◆ Assign:

$$I_{3R} = +1 \text{ for } 10, -1 \text{ for } \overline{10}$$

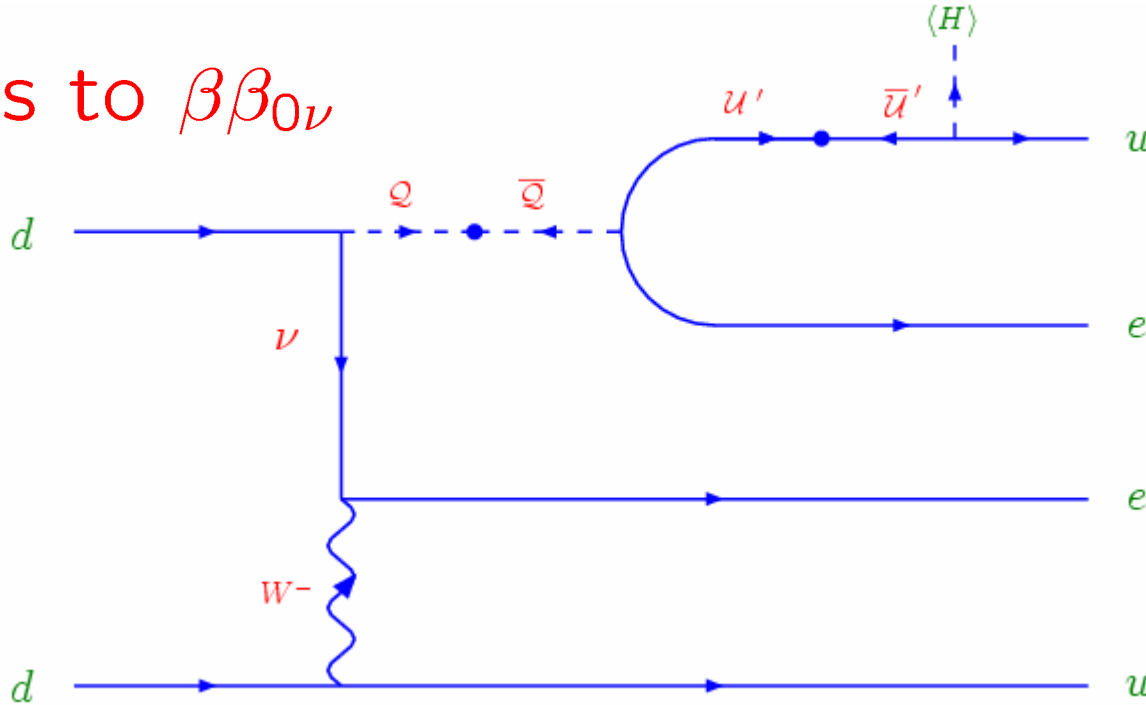
- ◆ $10 : \{ \mathcal{Q} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{U} \\ \mathcal{D} \end{pmatrix}, \overline{\mathcal{U}}', \overline{\mathcal{E}} \}$

$$\overline{10} : \{ \overline{\mathcal{Q}} = \begin{pmatrix} \overline{\mathcal{D}} \\ -\overline{\mathcal{U}} \end{pmatrix}, \mathcal{U}', \mathcal{E} \}$$

Addition to MSSM superpotential:

$$W' = Q\bar{U}'H_u + LQd^c + L\bar{Q}U' + M_{10}\bar{10}10$$

- ◆ Leads to $\beta\beta_{0\nu}$



- ◆ $\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} \simeq -\frac{1}{4}(\bar{d}_R\sigma_{\mu\nu}u_L)(\nu^T C\sigma^{\mu\nu}e_L)$
- ◆ For couplings of order 10^{-2} and masses of order 300 GeV, this yields observable $\beta\beta_{0\nu}$

Why are $10+10^*$ light?

Similar to μ problem

King, Shafi
Mohapatra, Dutta, KB
Kitano, Okada
Nomura, Hall

◆ A simple solution:

◆
$$W = X(\Delta\bar{\Delta} - M^2) + H_u H_d X + 10\bar{10}X + \nu^c \nu^c \Delta$$

◆ In SUSY limit, $\langle \Delta \rangle = \langle \bar{\Delta} \rangle = M$, $\langle X \rangle = 0$

◆ After SUSY breaking, $\langle X \rangle \sim M_{\text{SUSY}}$
 $\Rightarrow \mu$ ferm and vector family masses
are of order M_{SUSY}

◆ Low energy theory has no singlet field X

◆ W enforced by a discrete Z_4 symmetry

Anomaly free $Z(4)$ symmetry

$$\begin{aligned} X : 2 \quad H_u : 2 \quad H_d : 2 \quad \Delta : 2 \quad \overline{\Delta} : 2 \\ Q : 2 \quad \overline{Q} : 2 \quad \lambda_i : 1 \quad W : 2 \\ \text{Other fields: } 0 \end{aligned}$$

- ◆ Discrete Anomalies:

$$\begin{aligned} SU(3)^2 \times Z_4 &= 3 + \frac{1}{2}(-1)[3 \times 4 + 2 - 4] = -2 \\ SU(2)_L^2 \times Z_4 &= 2 + \frac{1}{2}(-1)[3 \times 4 - 6 - 2] = 0 \end{aligned}$$

- ◆ Z_4 is anomaly free

Flavor structure

- Use “Lopsided mass matrices” [S. Barr, KB (1995)] with a $U(1)$ flavor symmetry

- $10_i : (4, 2, 0)$ $\bar{5}_i : (3, 2, 2)$ $1_i : (1, 0, 0)$
 $10 : 0$ $\bar{10} : 0$ $H_u : 0$ $H_d : 0$ $S : -1$

$$M_u \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^8 & \epsilon^6 & \epsilon^4 \\ \epsilon^6 & \epsilon^4 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^4 & \epsilon^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad M_d \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^5 & \epsilon^4 & \epsilon^4 \\ \epsilon^3 & \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$M_\nu^D \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^5 & \epsilon^4 & \epsilon^4 \\ \epsilon^3 & \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad M_\ell \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^5 & \epsilon^3 & \epsilon \\ \epsilon^4 & \epsilon^2 & 1 \\ \epsilon^4 & \epsilon^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$M_\nu^M \sim \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^2 & \epsilon & \epsilon \\ \epsilon & 1 & 1 \\ \epsilon & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$W' = f_i Q_i \bar{U}' H_u + g_{ij} L_i Q d_j^c + h_i \bar{Q} U' L_i$$

$$f_i = \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon^4 \\ \epsilon^2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad g_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon^6 & \epsilon^5 & \epsilon^5 \\ \epsilon^5 & \epsilon^4 & \epsilon^4 \\ \epsilon^5 & \epsilon^4 & \epsilon^4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad h_i = \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon^3 \\ \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

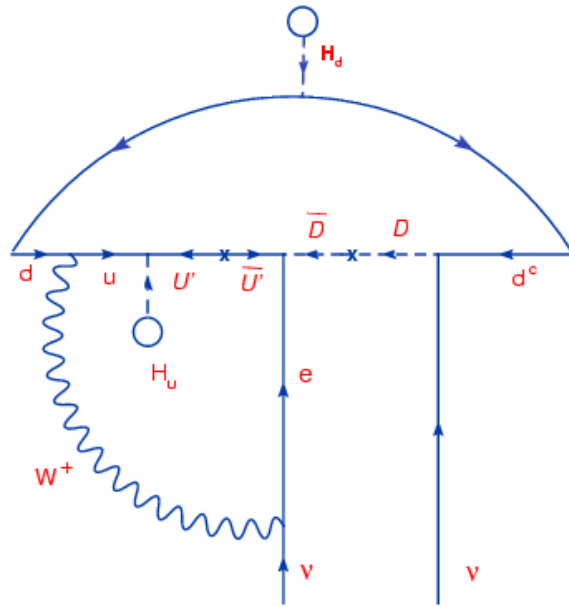
$$\diamond \quad A_{\beta\beta} \sim \frac{\epsilon^{13}}{M^3} \sim 10^{-8} G_F$$

Near current experimental limit
if $M = 10^2 - 10^3$ GeV

Other constraints

- ◆ ν -mass
- ◆ $D^0 - \bar{D}^0$ mixing
- ◆ $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$

Neutrino mass



$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{\epsilon^6}{M^3} (\bar{d}_R \sigma_{\mu\nu} u_L) (\nu_L^T C \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_L) H_u^0 + \dots$$

$$m_{\nu_\tau} \sim \frac{g^2}{(16\pi^2)^2} \epsilon^6 \left(\frac{m_b v_u}{M} \right)$$

$$\sim 0.1 \text{ eV}$$

$D^0 - \bar{D}^0$ mixing

- ◆ GIM violation in up-quark sector:

$$\epsilon^6 \bar{u}_L \gamma^\mu c_L Z^\mu$$

$$\Delta m_D < 4 \times 10^{-14} \text{ GeV} \Rightarrow$$

$$\epsilon^6 \leq 6 \times 10^{-5}$$

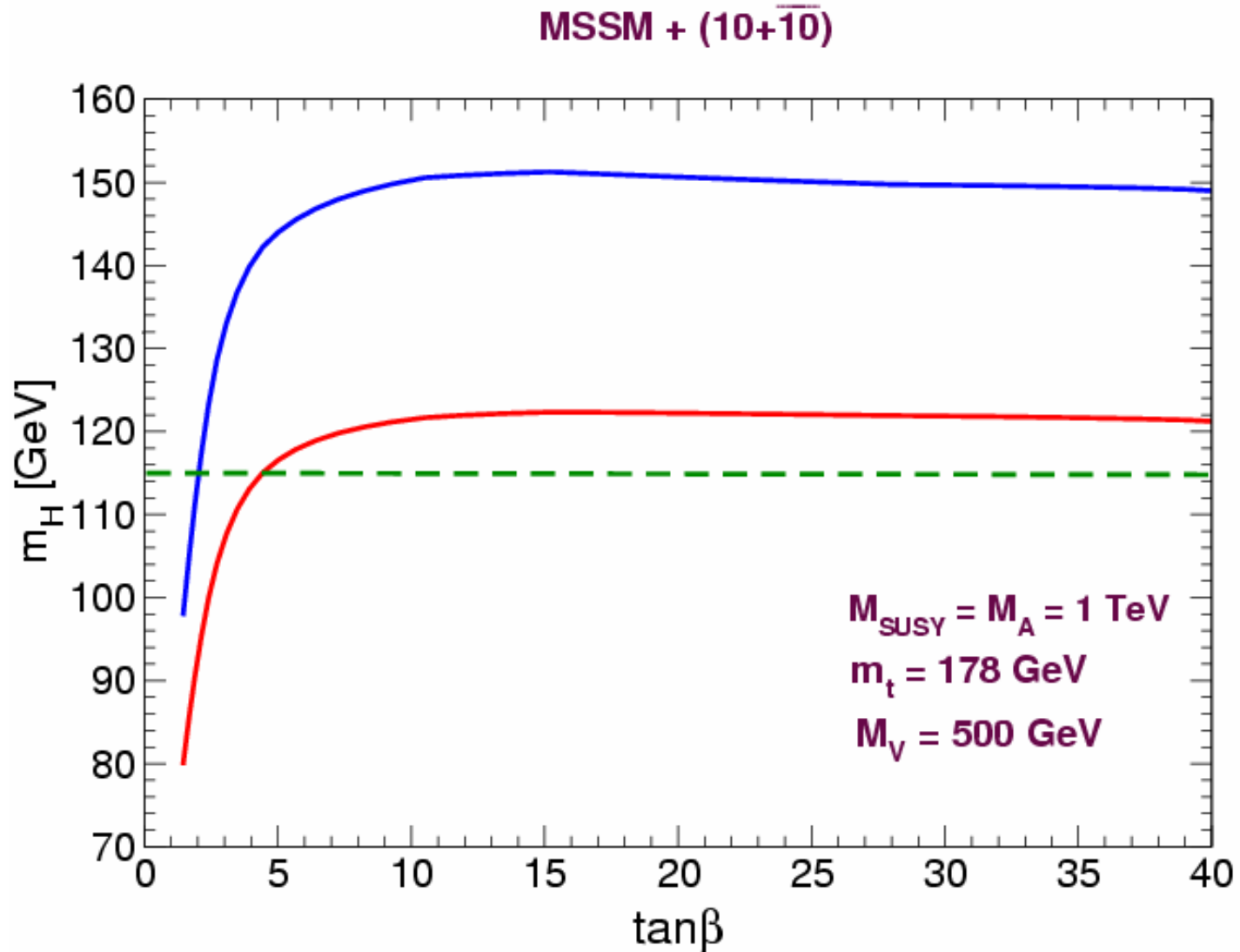
For $\epsilon \sim 0.2$, mixing close to current limit

$$\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$$

$$\Gamma_{\mu \rightarrow e\gamma} \sim \frac{\alpha}{8\pi} \frac{\epsilon^{10}}{(4\pi)^3} \frac{m_\mu^5}{M^4}$$

$$\text{Br}(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma) \sim 10^{-12} \text{ for } M \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$$

Lightest Higgs mass limit



Conclusions

- ◆ **Lepton number violation can occur naturally at the TeV scale consistent with unification, dark matter, and neutrino mass limits**
- ◆ **Neutrinoless double beta decay is prominent and within experimental reach**
- ◆ **Simple symmetries can explain the vector-particle masses, including the mu term**
- ◆ **D mixing and mu to e gamma are other tests of the Specific model**