



Hyper-Kamiokande

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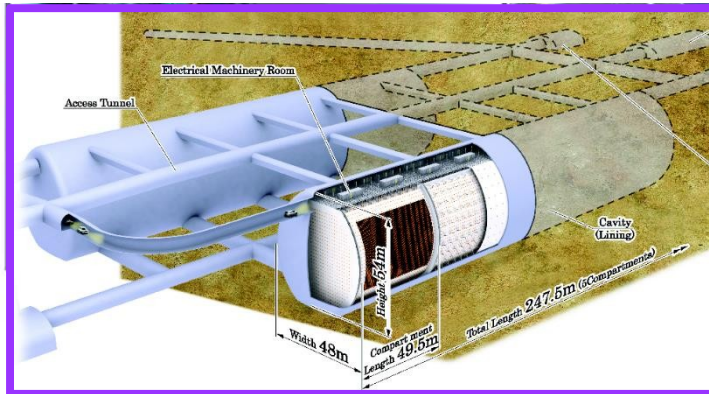
NUFACT 2014

University of Glasgow, 25-30 August, 2014

Tokai to Hyper-Kamiokande

- Use upgraded J-PARC neutrino beam line (same as T2K) with expected beam power $\geq 750\text{kW}$, 2.5° off-axis angle.

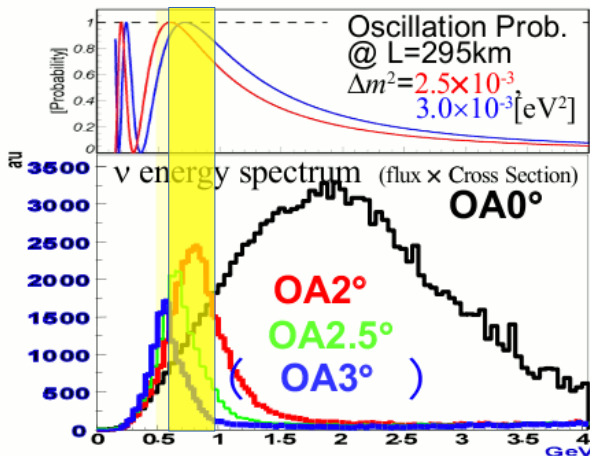
Hyper-Kamiokande



J-PARC Main Ring Neutrino Beamline (KEK-JAEA)



★ Near Detectors



• Narrow-band beam at $\sim 600\text{MeV}$ at 2.5° off-axis

• Take advantage of Lorentz Boost and 2-body kinematics in $\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu$

• Pure ν_μ beam with $\sim 1\%$ ν_e contamination

The Hyper-Kamiokande Project

Multi-purpose neutrino experiment.

Wide-variety of scientific goals:

• Neutrino oscillations:

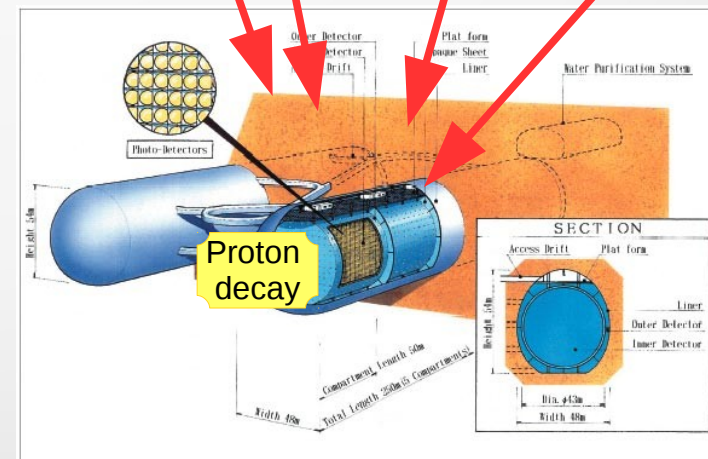
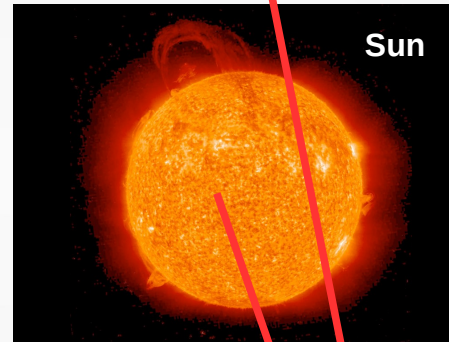
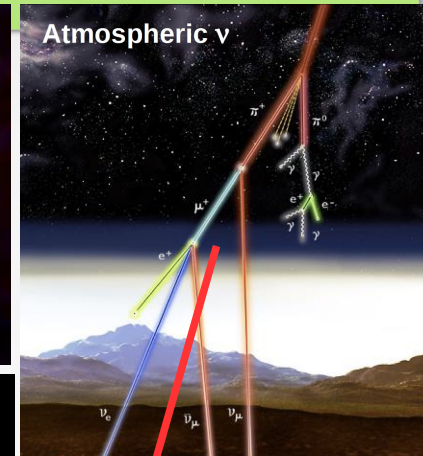
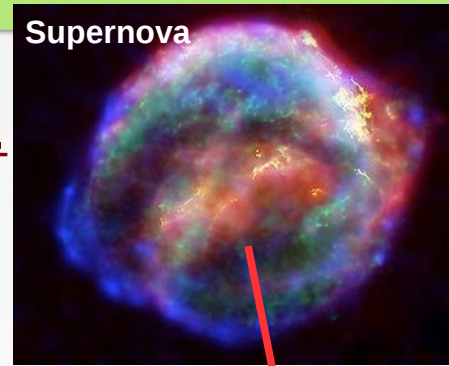
- Neutrino beam from J-PARC
- Atmospheric neutrinos
- Solar neutrinos

• Search for proton decay

• Astrophysical neutrinos

(supernova bursts, supernova relic neutrinos, dark matter, solar flare, ...)

• Neutrino geophysics



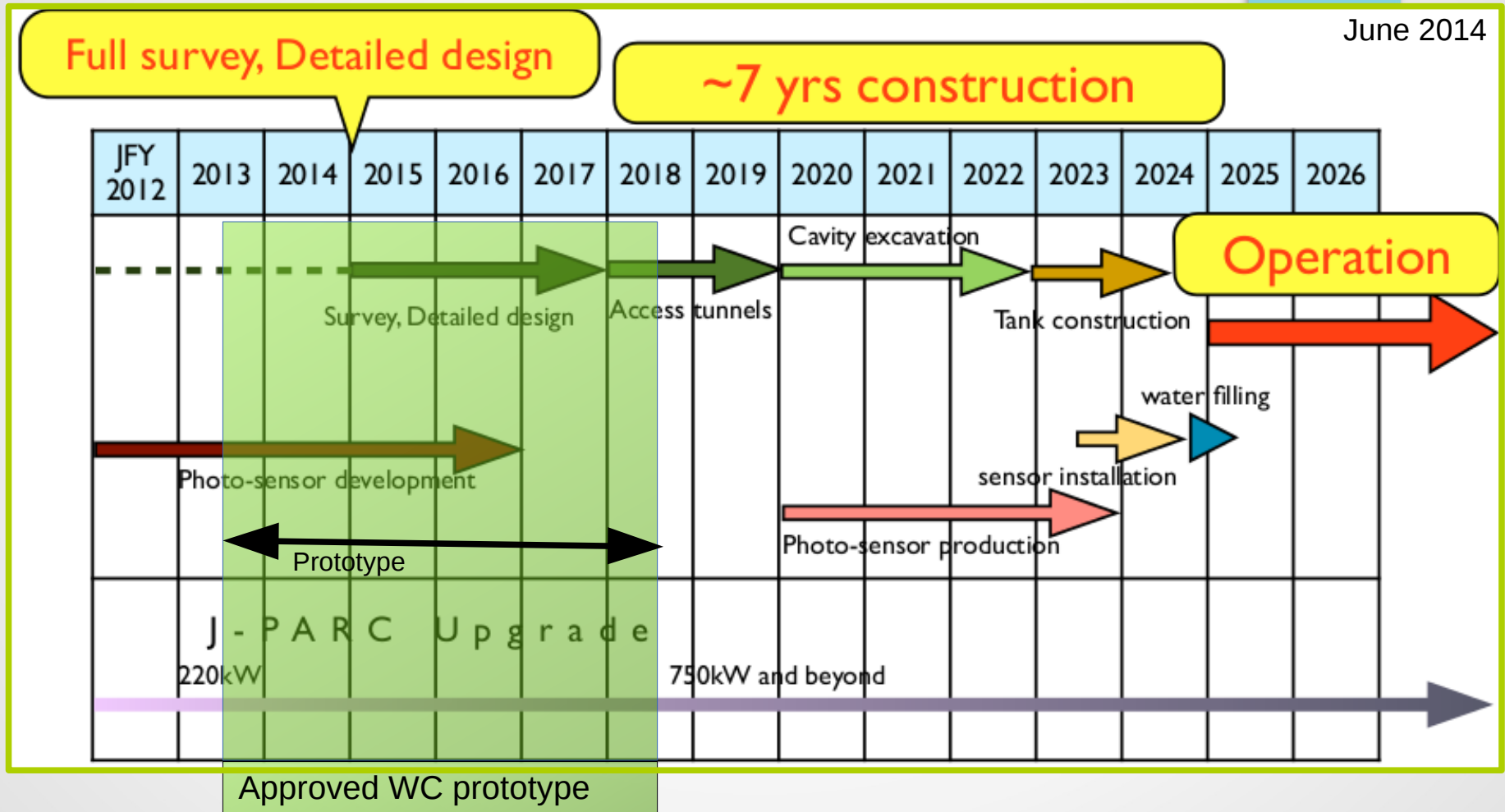
Hyper-K in the World

(<http://www.hyperk.org>)

- Selected one of the **27 'top projects'** in the **'Japanese master plan for large scale research projects'** by the Science Council of Japan.
- Open meetings held twice/year since Aug.2012
- International Board of Representatives formed to discuss contributions, cost-sharing and budget request.
- R&D work ongoing internationally.

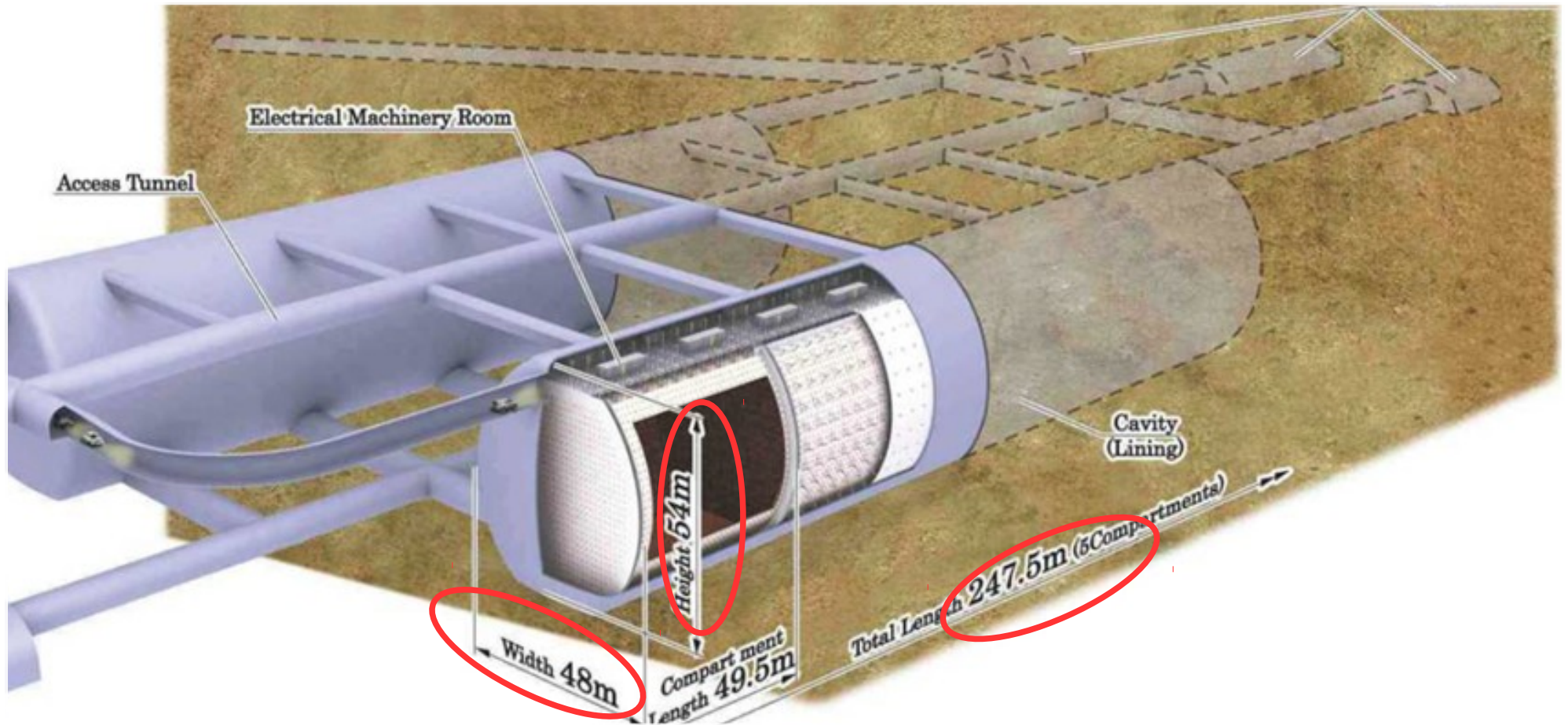


The Hyper-Kamiokande Timeline



- Approved WC prototype for technical studies (2013-2018) ~\$1.2M
- Major decisions on experiment design expected before 2018.

The Hyper-Kamiokande Detector



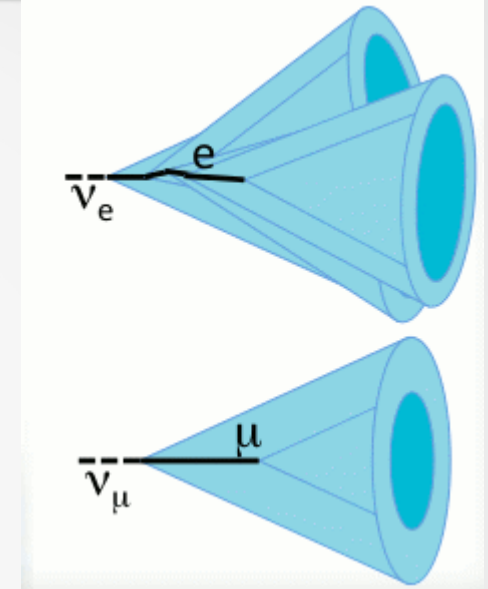
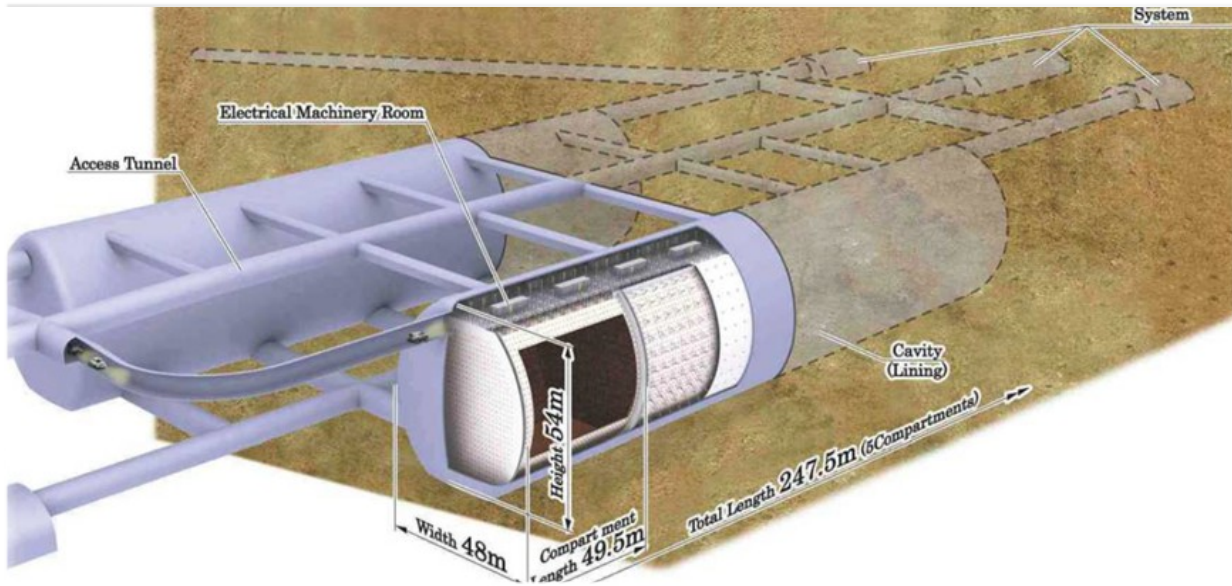
The Hyper-Kamiokande Detector

- **Water Cherenkov**, proven technology & scalability:
 - Excellent PID at sub-GeV region >99%
 - Large mass → statistics always critical for any measurements.

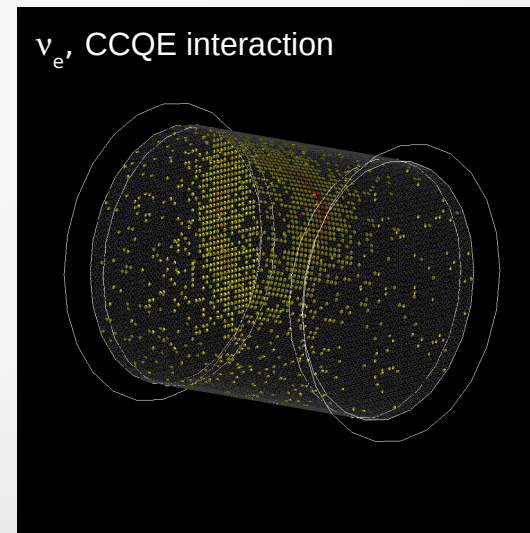
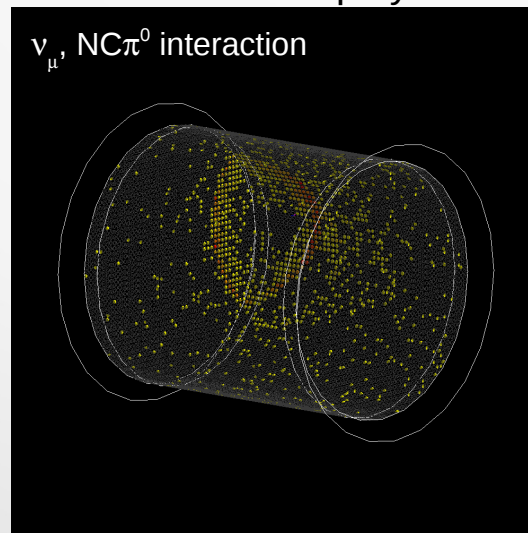
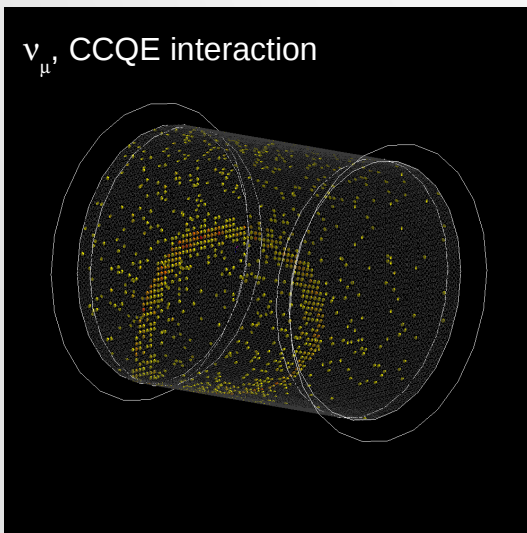
Total Volume	0.99 Megaton
Inner Volume	0.74 Mton
Fiducial Volume	0.56 Mton (0.056 Mton × 10 compartments)
Outer Volume	0.2 Megaton
Photo-sensors	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 99,000 20"Φ PMTs for Inner Detector (ID) (20% photo-coverage)• 25,000 8"Φ PMTs for Outer Detector (OD)
Tanks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2 tanks, with egg-shape cross section ≈ 48m (w) × 50m (t) × 250 m (l)• 5 optically separated compartments per tank



The Hyper-Kamiokande Detector

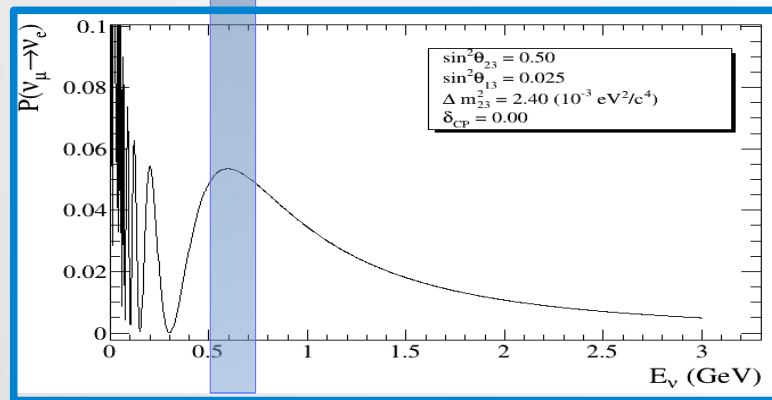
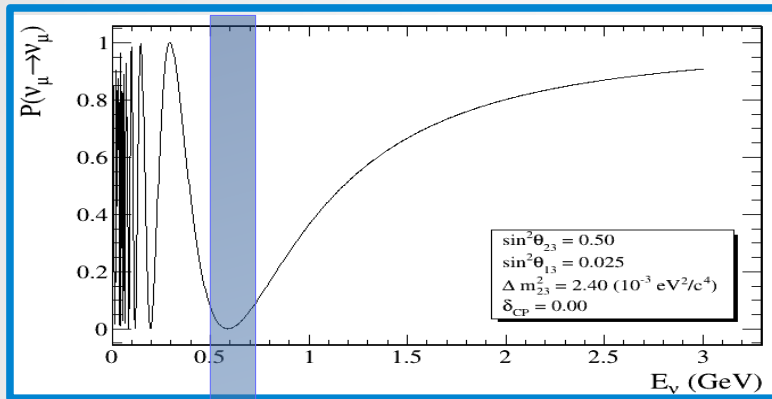


GEANT4 event displays



Oscillation Searches at Hyper-K

HK is optimized for both **appearance** and **disappearance** searches



ν_μ Disappearance: determine θ_{23} and Δm_{32}^2

$$P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\mu) \approx 1 - \sin^2 2\theta_{32} \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{23}^2 L}{4 E_\nu} \right)$$

ν_e Appearance: determine θ_{13} , constrain δ_{CP}

$$P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e) \approx \sin^2 \theta_{23} \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{31}^2 L}{4 E_\nu} \right) - \sin 2\theta_{12} \sin 2\theta_{23} \sin 2\theta_{13} \cos \theta_{13} \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{32}^2 L}{4 E_\nu} \right) \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{31}^2 L}{4 E_\nu} \right) \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{21}^2 L}{4 E_\nu} \right) \sin \delta_{CP} + CPC$$

+matter + solar terms

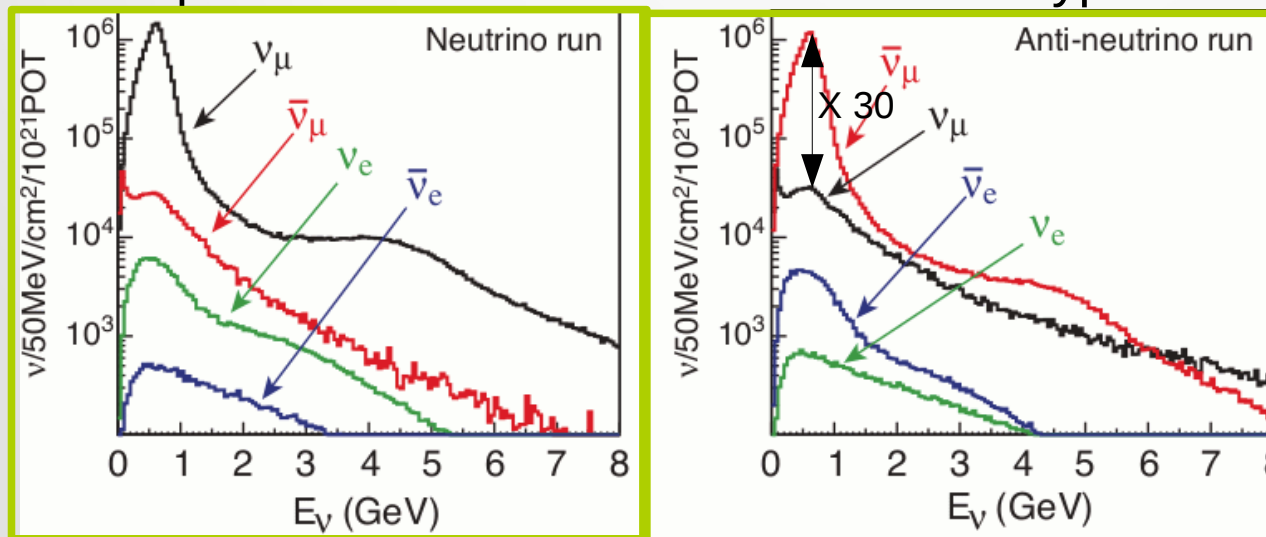
■ T2K ν beam energy peak

For maximum power fit both data samples **jointly**

Neutrino Beam for the Experiment

- Same beam configuration as for T2K
 - Same off-axis sub-GeV narrow-band beam.
 - Horn current 320kA
- At least 750kW expected at the starting of the experiment.
- Assumed $7.5\text{MW} \times 10^7 \text{ s}$ (1.56×10^{22} POT) for the following sensitivity studies
 - 10 years are needed if 750kW per 10^7 s/year
 - Higher beam power is under study

Expected unoscillated neutrino flux at Hyper-K

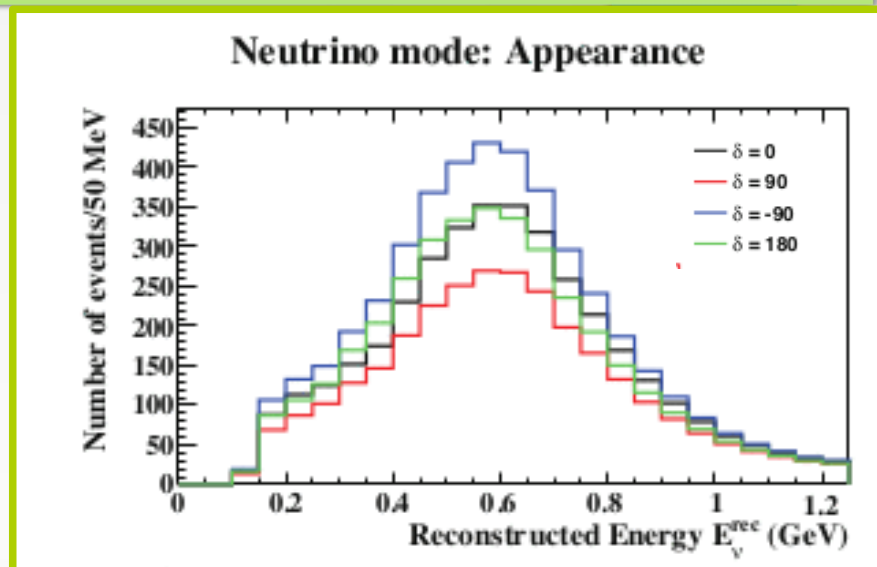
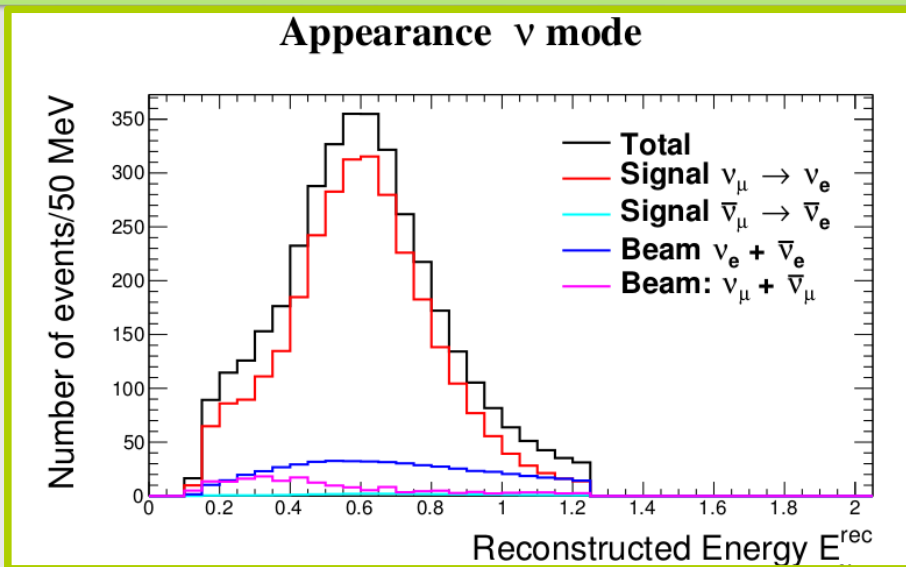


Nominal beam sharing between neutrinos and anti-neutrinos in the following sensitivity plots:

ν -mode: $\bar{\nu}$ -mode
1y : 3y

Expected Events

Letter of Intent to J-PARC, April 2014



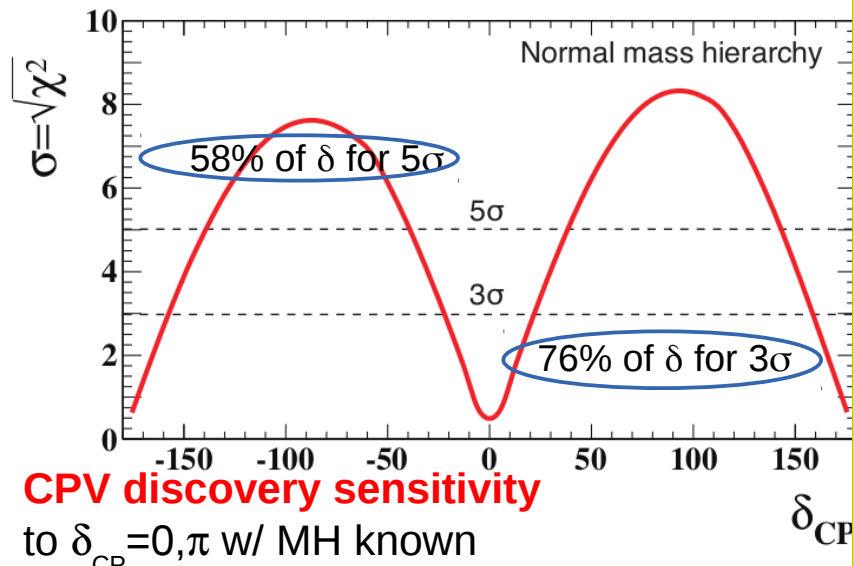
Appearance	Signal		Background				NC	Total
	$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$	$\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$	ν_μ	$\bar{\nu}_\mu$	ν_e	$\bar{\nu}_e$		
ν mode	3016	28	11	0	503	20	172	3750
$\bar{\nu}$ mode	396	2110	4	5	222	265	265	3397

Disappearance	ν_μ	$\bar{\nu}_\mu$	ν_e	$\bar{\nu}_e$	NC	$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$	Total
	ν mode	17225	1088	11			
$\bar{\nu}$ mode	10066	15597	7	7	1281	6	26964

Large expected number of events. NH, $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0,1$ and $\delta_{CP} = 0$

Hyper-K Sensitivity to δ_{CP}

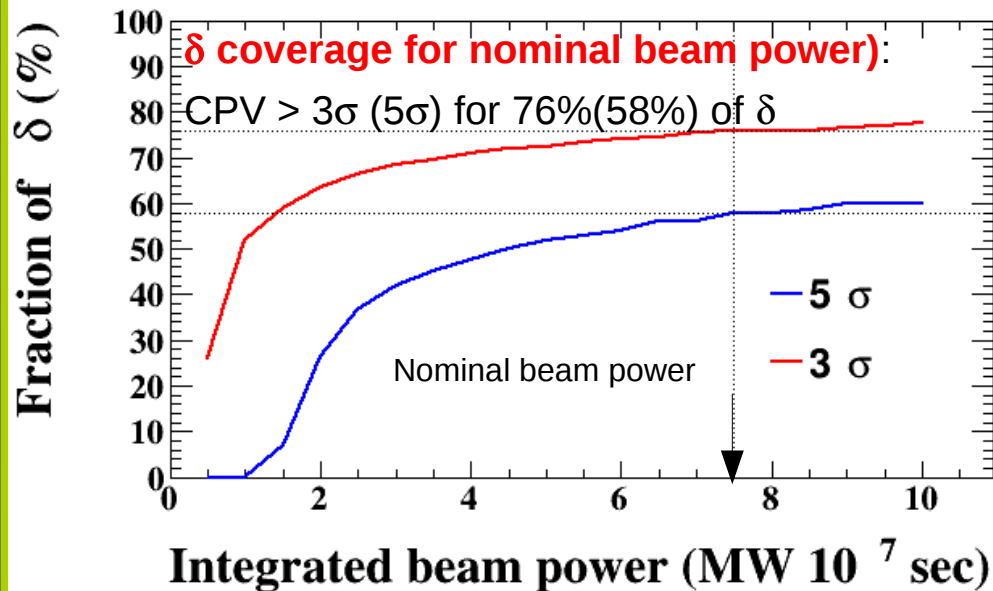
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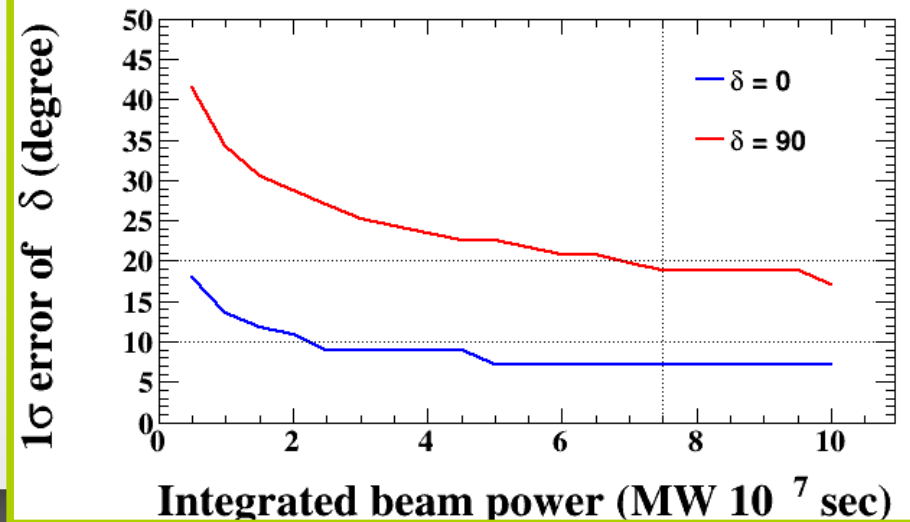
Errors (%) on the expected number of events

	ν mode		$\bar{\nu}$ mode	
	ν_e	ν_μ	ν_e	ν_μ
Flux & ND	3.0	2.8	5.6	4.2
ND-independ. xsect	1.2	1.5	2.0	1.4
Far Detector	0.7	1.0	1.7	1.1
Total	3.3	3.3	6.2	4.5

Fractional region of δ (%) for CPV ($\sin \delta \neq 0$) $> 3.5 \sigma$



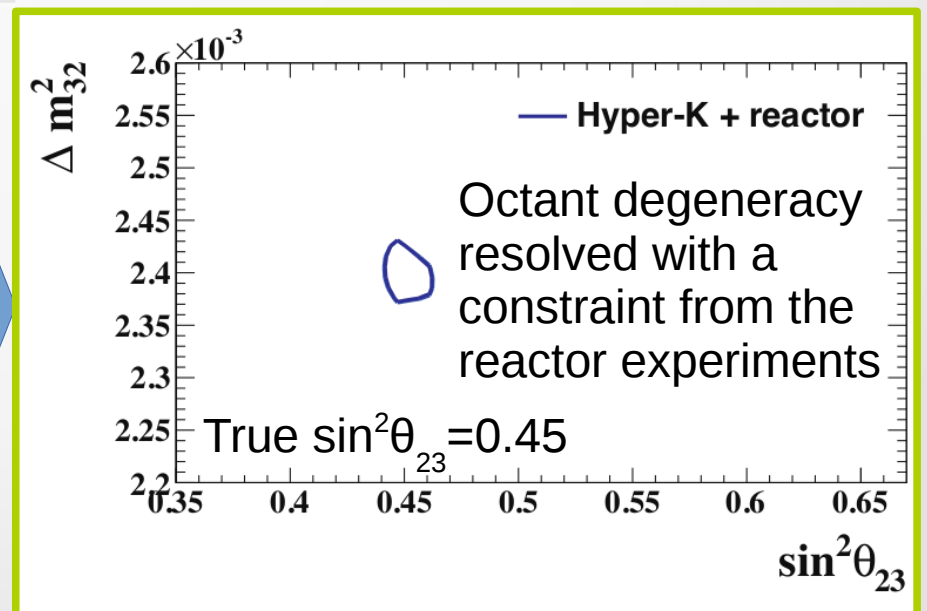
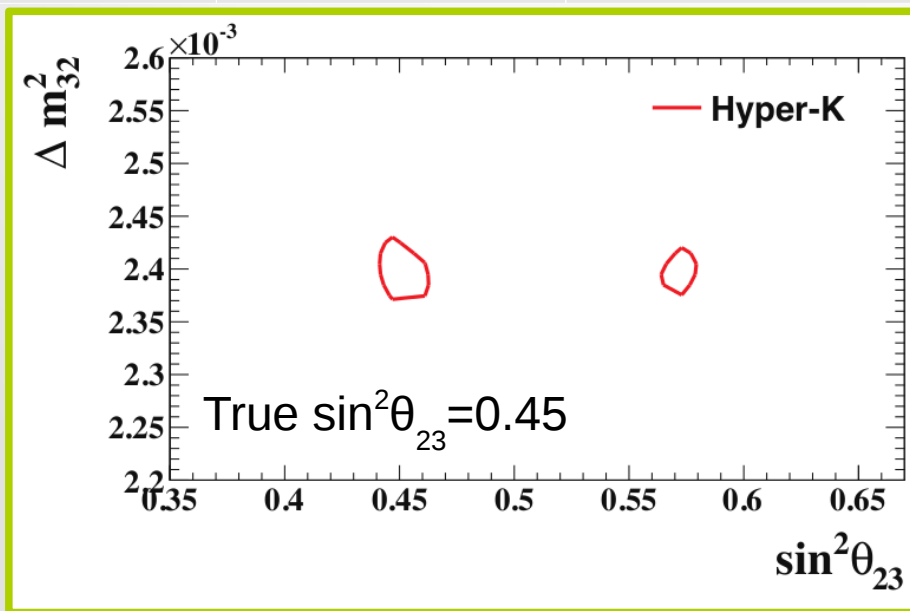
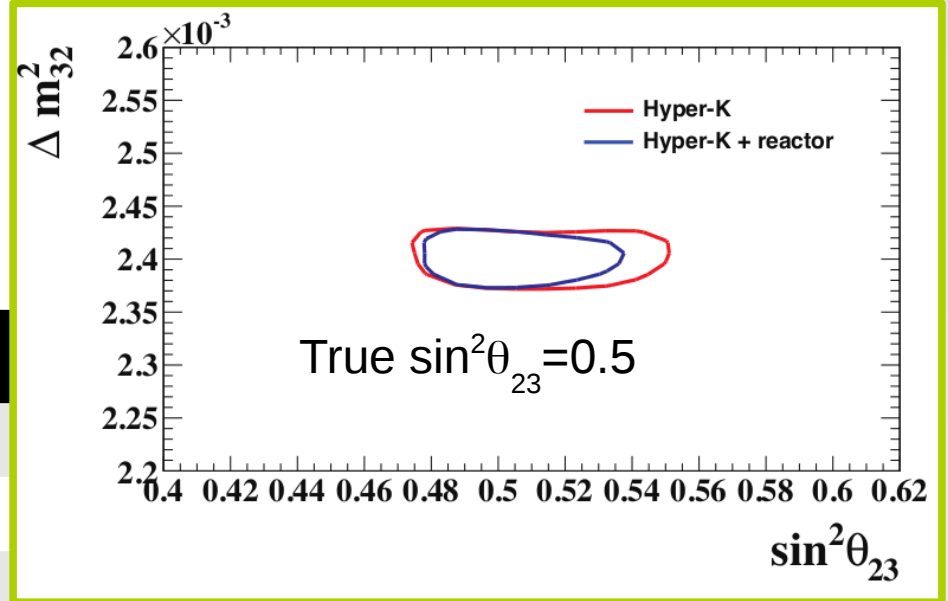
1σ uncertainty of δ as a function of the beam power: $< 19^\circ$ (6°) for $\delta = 90^\circ$ (0°)



Sensitivity to θ_{23}

- $\sin^2 2\theta_{23}$ and Δm_{23}^2 free parameters as well as $\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$ and δ_{CP} in the fit.
- Octant resolution w/ reactor θ_{13} : $\sim 3\sigma$ wrong octant rejection for $\sin^2 \theta_{23} < 0.46$ or > 0.56

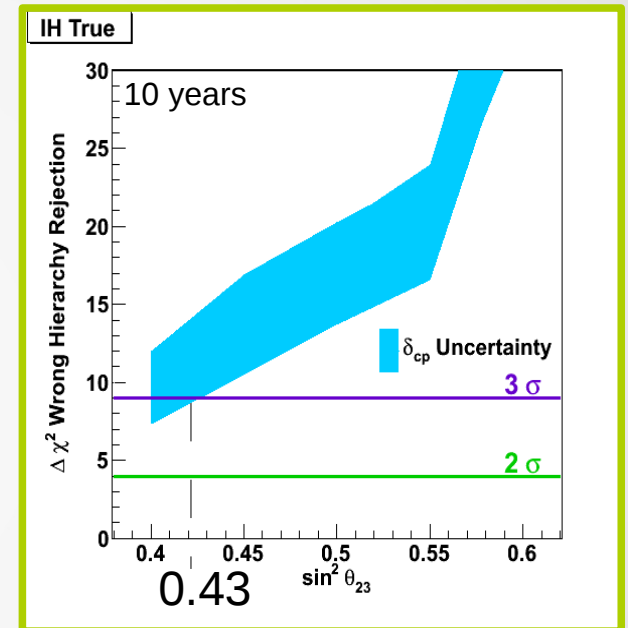
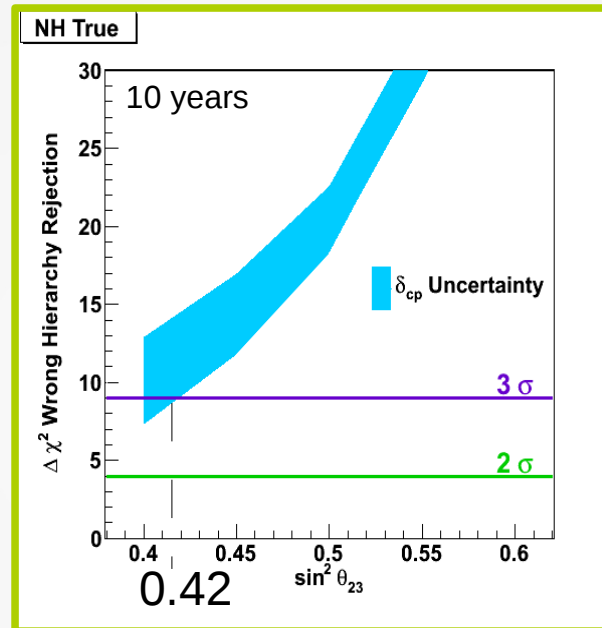
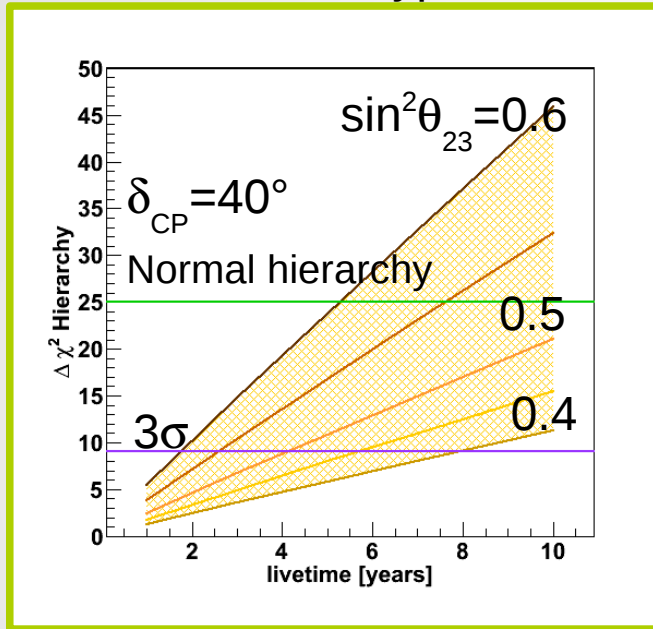
True $\sin^2 \theta_{23}$	1σ err $\sin^2 \theta_{23}$	1σ err Δm_{23}^2 (eV ²)
0.45	0.006	1.4
0.50	0.015	1.4
0.55	0.009	1.5



Hyper-K Sensitivity to MH

arXiv:1109.3262

Significance for MH determination
as a function of Hyper-K lifetime



- Use **atmospherics** for 3σ **mass hierarchy** determination.
- 3σ mass hierarchy determination for $\sin^2\theta_{23} > 0.42$ (0.43) for normal (inverted) hierarchy for 10y data taking.
- Also combine with beam data to enhance physics capability.

Proton Decay Sensitivity

Surpass SK limit in ~1 year

• 10 times better sensitivity than Super-K

• Hyper-K surpasses SK limits in ~1y

• Hyper-K is sensitive in every single mode

➢ $p \rightarrow e^+ \pi^0$: 1.3×10^{35} y at 90% CL

➢ $p \rightarrow \bar{\nu} K^+$: 2.5×10^{34} y at 90% CL

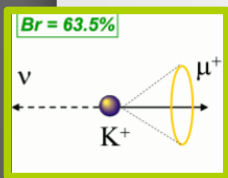
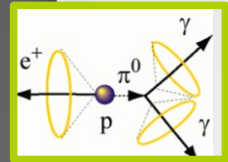
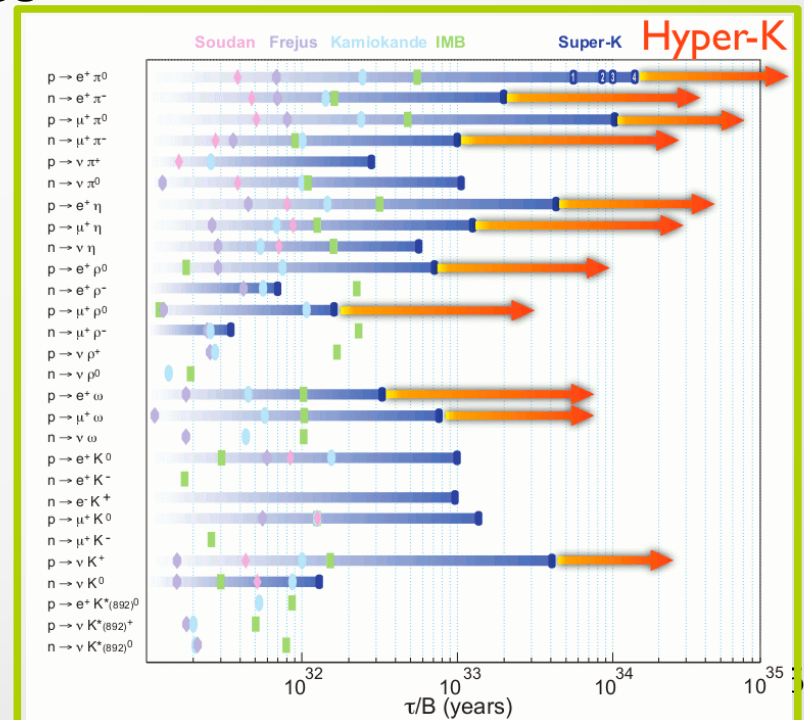
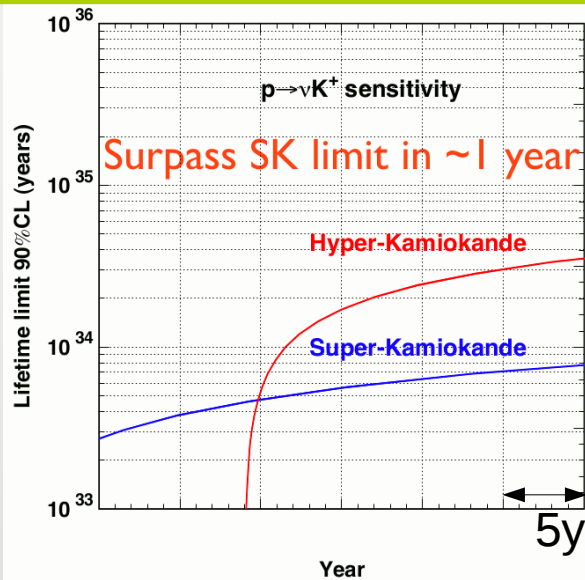
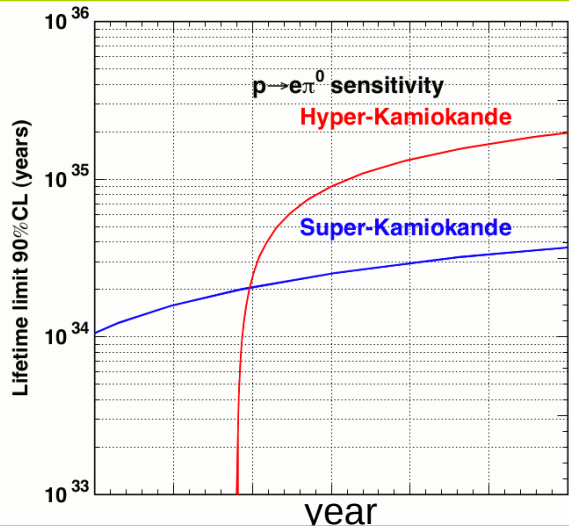
➢ Many other modes:

- $p(n \rightarrow e, \mu) + (\pi, \rho, \omega, \eta)$; 10^{14} - 10^{35}

- K^0 modes

- $\nu \pi^0, \nu \pi^+$

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'Other' Physics Topics at Hyper-K

More physics topics can be investigated by Hyper-Kamiokande:

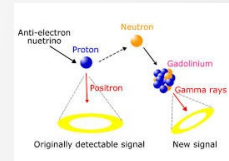
- Solar Neutrinos: 200 ν 's / day from Sun → day/night asymmetry of the solar neutrinos flux can be precisely measured at HK.

- Astrophysical neutrinos:

- 200k ν 's from Supernova at Galactic center (10kpc)

- time variation & energy can be measured with high statistics. Important data to cross check explosion models

- Supernova relic neutrinos → possible G_d -doping of Hyper-K



- Indirect Searches for Dark Matter: 1) search for excess of neutrinos from the center of the Earth, Sun and galactic centre as compared to atmospheric neutrino background 2) Search for diffuse signal from Milky Way halo.

- Search for transient astrophysical phenomena: solar flares, GRBs, etc.

- Neutrino geophysics: neutrino radiography w/ atmospheric neutrinos for surveying the internal structure of the Earth.

Site(s) and Cavern(s)

Two sites are being investigated:

- Tochibora mine:

- ~8km South from Super-K
- Identical baseline (295km) and off-axis angle (2.5°) to Super-Kamiokande

- Mozumi mine (same as Super-K)

- Deeper than Tochibora
- Currently finishing design studies

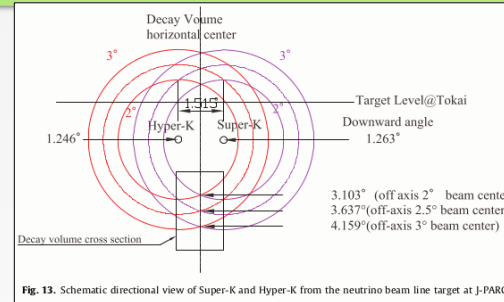
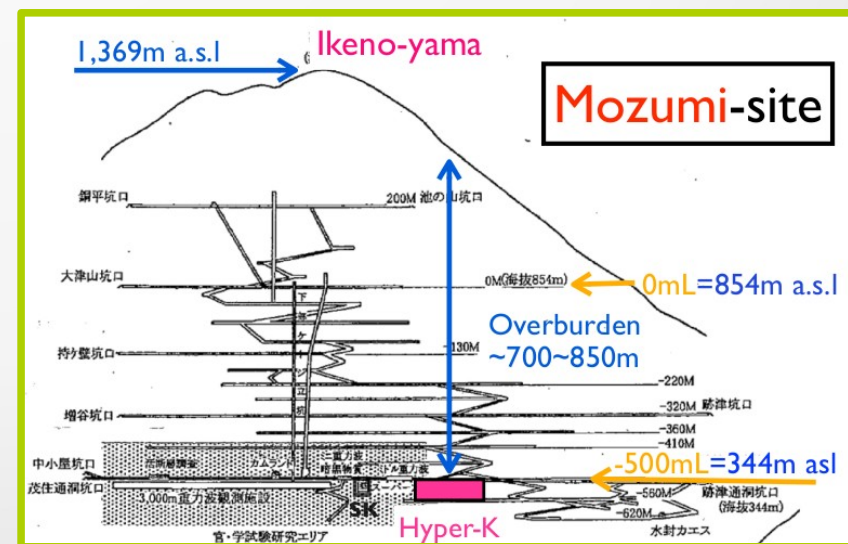
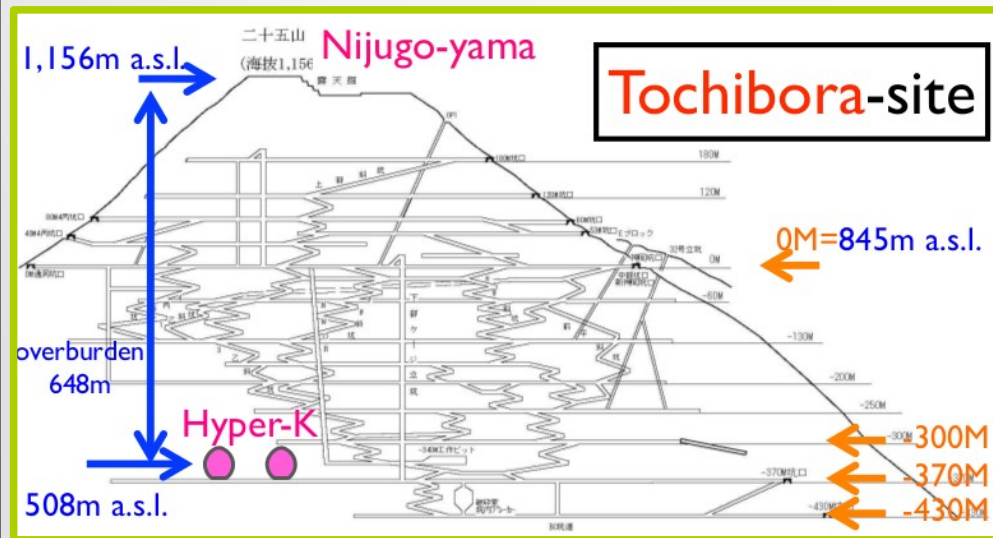
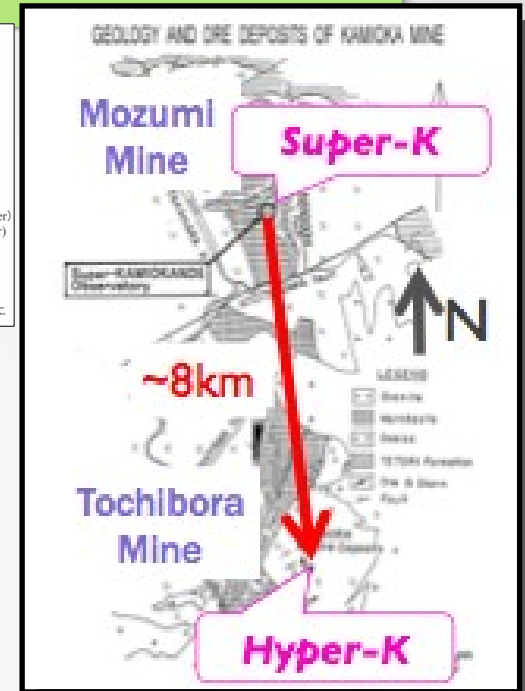


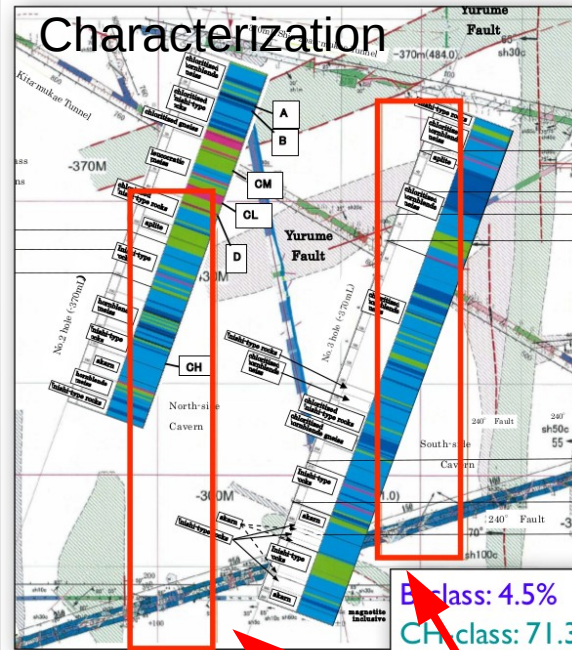
Fig. 13. Schematic directional view of Super-K and Hyper-K from the neutrino beam line target at J-PARC.



Site(s) and Cavern(s), cont'd

- Rock quality in the two sites is similar.
- Design of the cavity, support structure studies based on geological survey
- Confirmed that the HK cavern can be constructed w/ existing techniques**
- Construction schedule for the Tochibora mine: ~2y tunnels, ~3y cavern

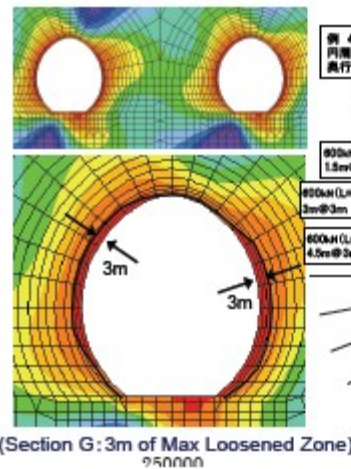
Tochibora: Rock Mass Characterization



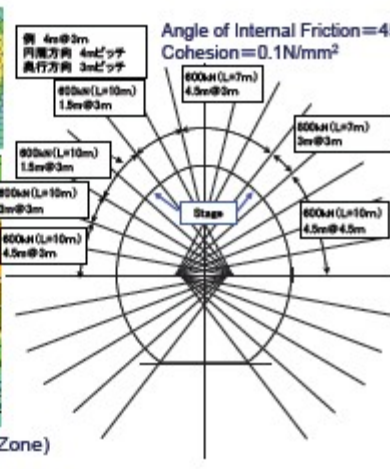
B-class: 4.5%
CH-class: 71.3%
CM-class: 24.2%

HK tank location

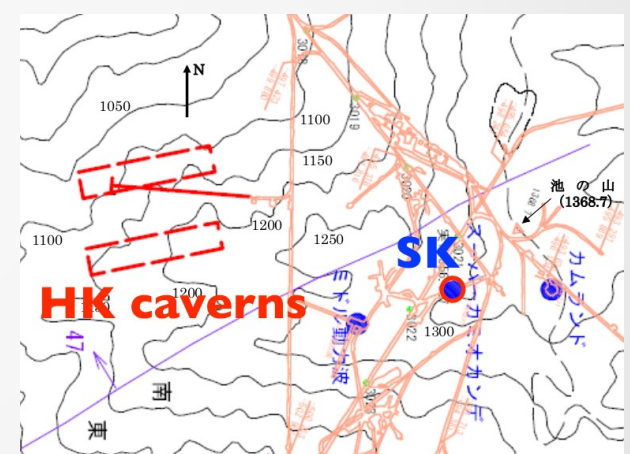
Cavern



Support Structure



Mozumi



Mozumi:

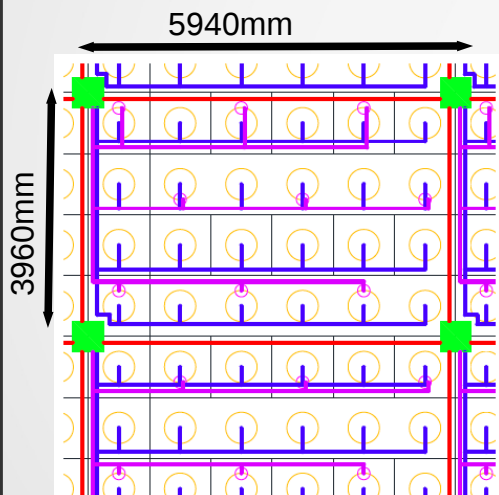
- geological survey performed in 2013
- cavern stability analyses just completed
- Access and approach-tunnels being designed
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Baseline design expected to finish soon

Tank Design Work

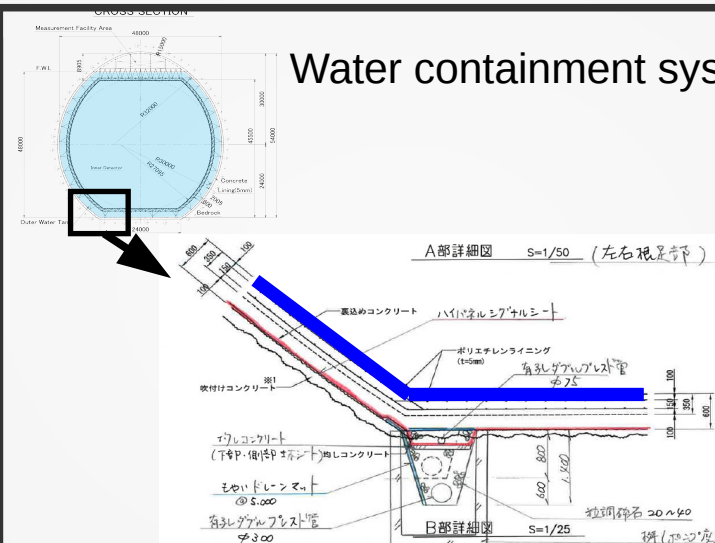
- All major parts of HK tank have been designed: water containment system, photosensors support, layout of water pipes, front-end electronics, cables, calibration holes, plug manholes, etc.

Electronics & cable layout



- : Support structure
- : Cable for inner PMT
- : Cable for outer PMT
- : Network/Power cable
- : Hub / Front End Electronics
- : Inner photo-sensor (20")
- : Outer photo-sensor (8")

Water containment system



Water piping layout

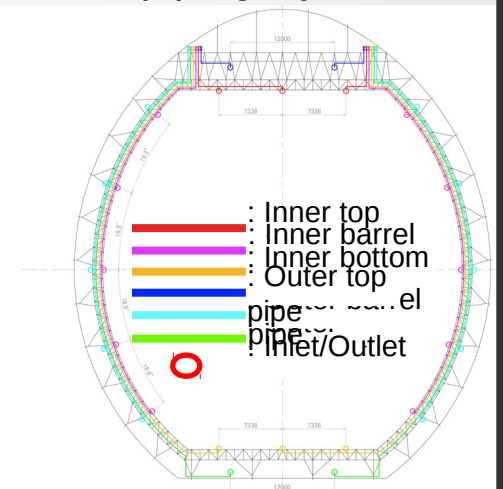
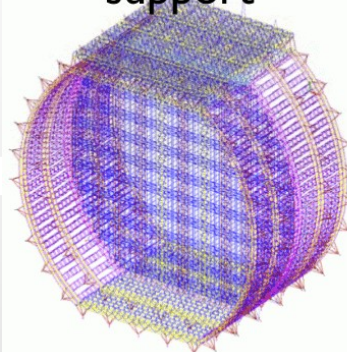
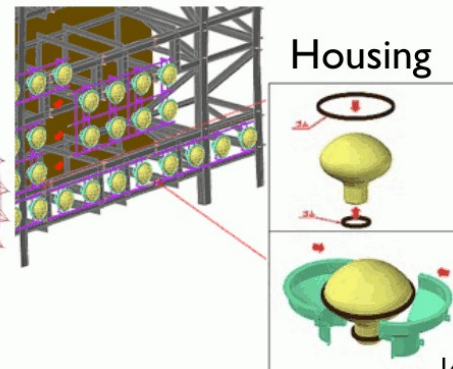


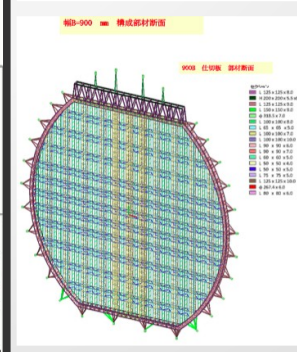
Photo-sensor support



Mounting Photo-sensor Housing



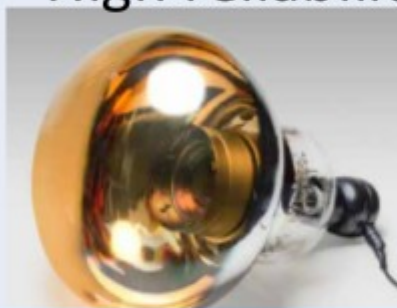
Separation wall



Photodetector Development

PMT

- Used in Super-K for 18 years
- High reliability



Venetian blind PMT
(50-cm ϕ Normal QE)

High QE
photocathode

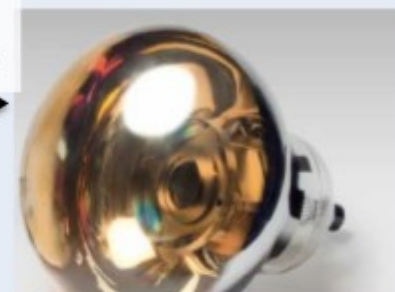


Venetian blind PMT
(50-cm ϕ High QE)

PMT
improvement

Under development

- Under evaluation in the air



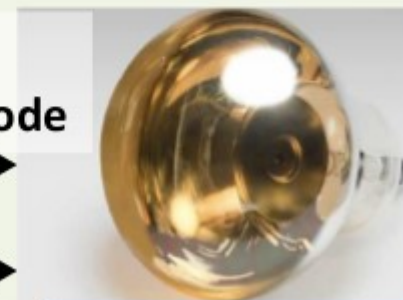
Box and Line PMT
(50-cm ϕ High QE)

New photosensor (HPD)



HPD (New)
(20-cm ϕ Normal QE)

High QE
photocathode



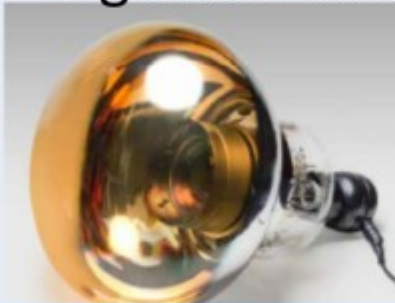
HPD
50-cm ϕ High QE)

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Photodetector Development

PMT

- Used in Super-K for 18 years
- High reliability

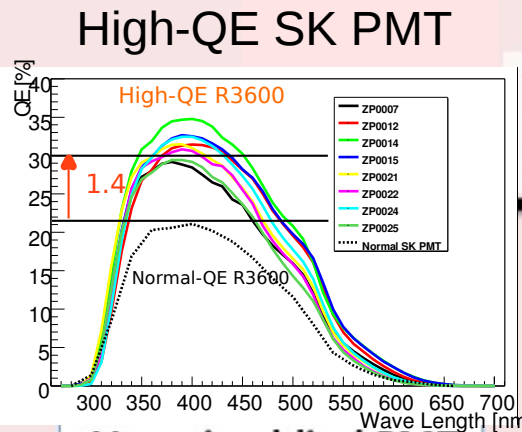


Venetian blind PMT
(50-cm ϕ Normal QE)

High QE photocathode

Under viability test

- Test in 200 ton tank



Venetian blind PMT
(50-cm ϕ High QE)

Under development

- Under evaluation in the air



Box and Line PMT
(50-cm ϕ High QE)

PMT improvement

New photosensor (HPD)



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HPD
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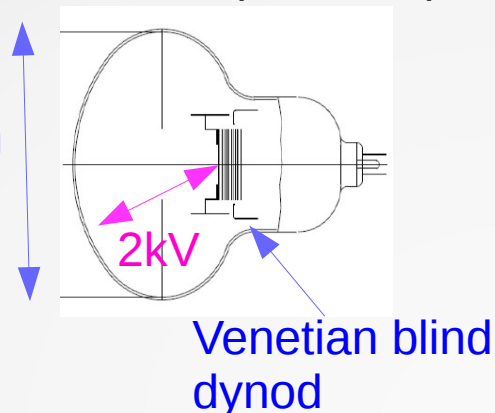
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Photosensors Candidates

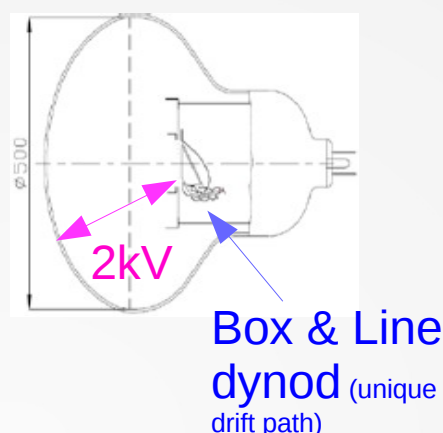
R&D going to get better performance and lower costs

50cm

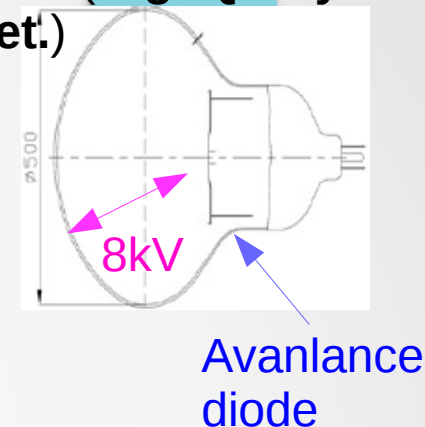
Established (**SK PMT**)



R&D (**HighQE/CE PMT**)



R&D (**HighQE hybrid det.**)



Quantum Eff. (QE)	22%	30%	30%
Collection Eff. (CE)	80%	93%	95%
Timing resol (FWHM)	5.5 nsec	2.7nsec	1nsec

- Super-K ID PMTs
- Used for ~20 years
→ Guaranteed
- Complex production
→ Expensive

- Under development
- Better performance
- Same technology
→ Lower risk

- Under development
- Far better performance
- Simple structure
→ Lower cost
- New technology
→ Higher risk

Lower Risk



Higher Performance²²

Photosensors Tests in Water Tank

183	189	196																								
176	182	188	195	201																						
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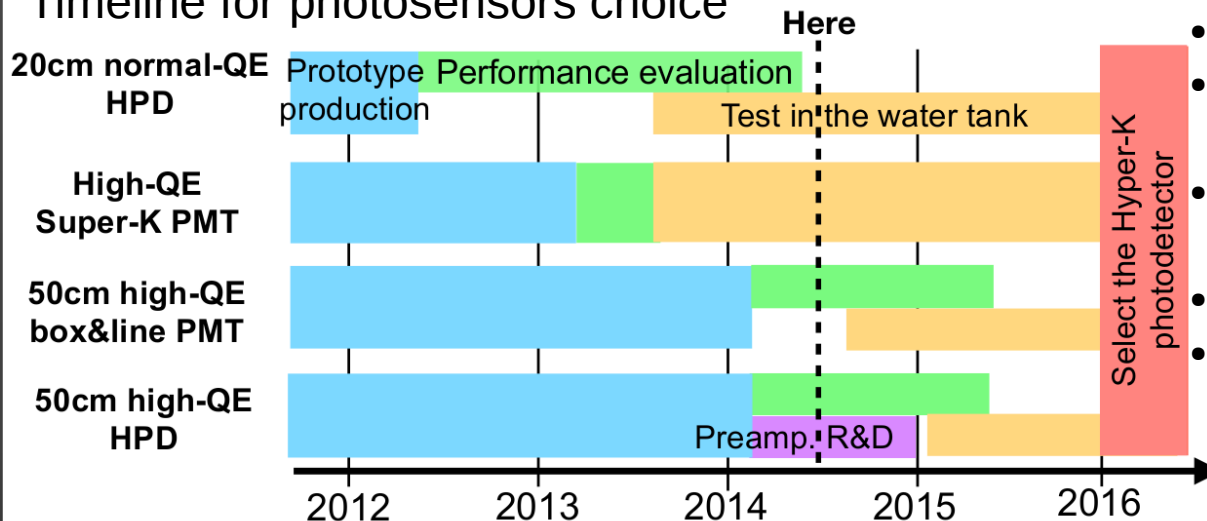
8" HPDs

20" high-QE PMTs



- EGADS (for G_d -doped water tests)
- 240 inward-facing PMTs
- EGADS used to test high-QE PMTs
- 227 PMTs (R3600; currently in SK) for reference for photo-detector evaluation
- 8" HPDs, 20" high-QE PMTs

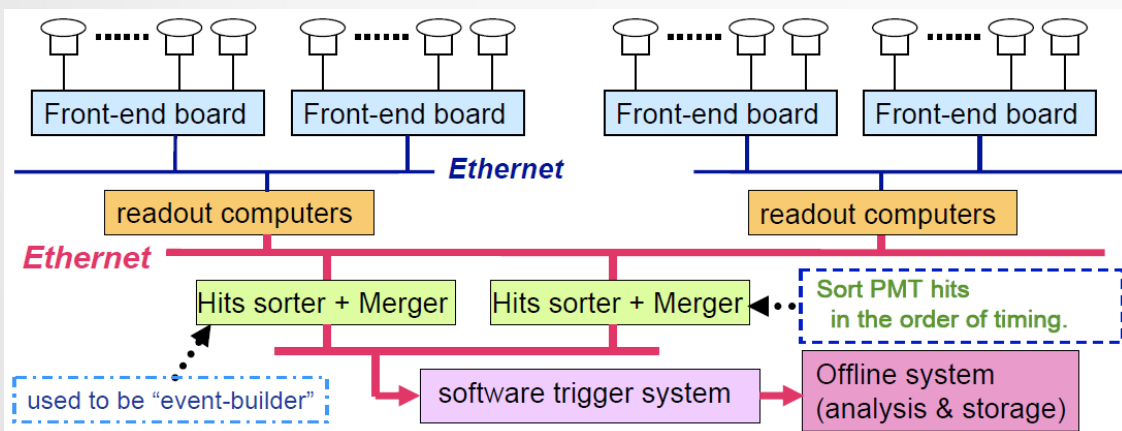
Timeline for photosensors choice



- **Data taking: Sept 2013, May 2014**
- Viability tests performed – ongoing process up to 2016.
- Adding (Aug 2014) Box-and-Line PMTs and 2 HPD.
- **More tests planned.**
- **Photosensor choice will be made in 2016**, needed to allow time for making mass production

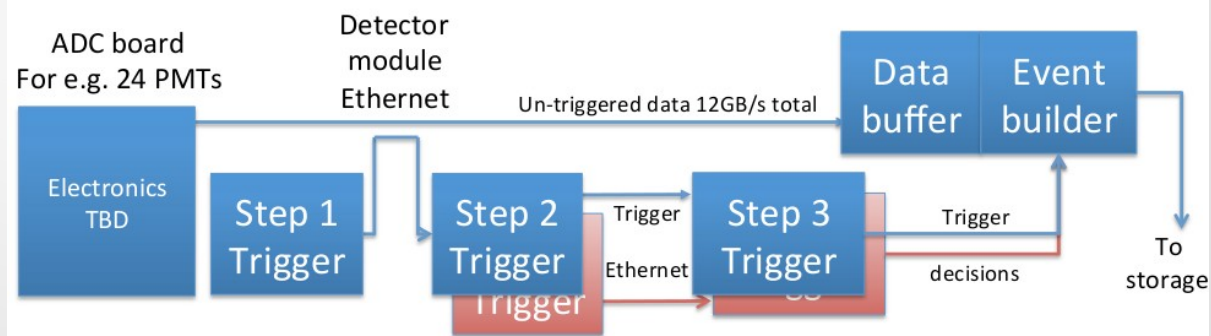
Electronics/DAQ

- Investigating a few approaches for the electronics, eg:
 - QTC (ADC) + TDC (similar to SK4)
 - FADC
- Will evaluate their performance with the WC prototype detector
- Also working on the design of the DAQ



- Digitize all the signal (timing and charge) above $\sim 1/4$ p.e.
- Define events with software and store the event data.
- Nominal starting point: SK DAQ

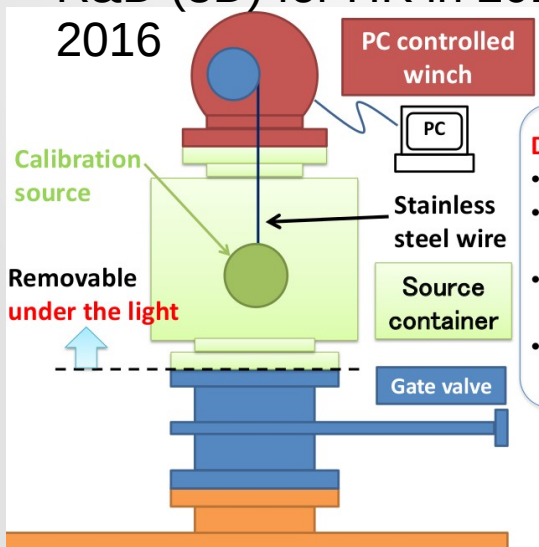
Investigating improved system for triggering (redundant, robust)



Calibration

- Review systems used by several experiments (SK, SNO, SNO+, Borexino, KamLAND, Daya Bay) to help in the design of the calibration system for Hyper-K
- Several ongoing R&D activities, some examples:

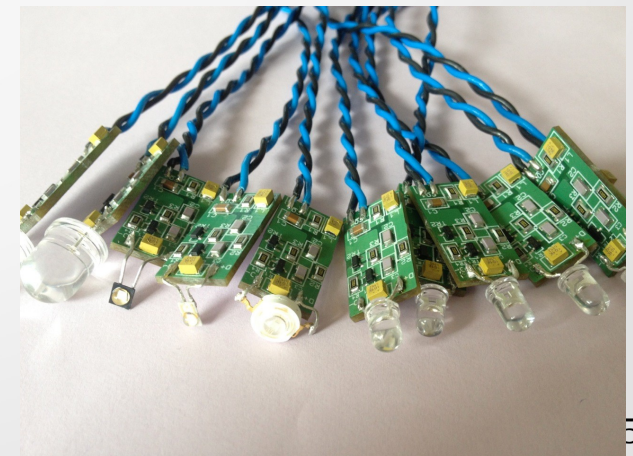
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- Computed controlled.
- Compact and light-shielded.
- R&D (3D) for HK in 2015-2016



- Study response & reflection of large photosensors in water (Photosensor Testing Facility at TRIUMF)
- Optical system with laser, monitor and receiver PMTs in place and tested.



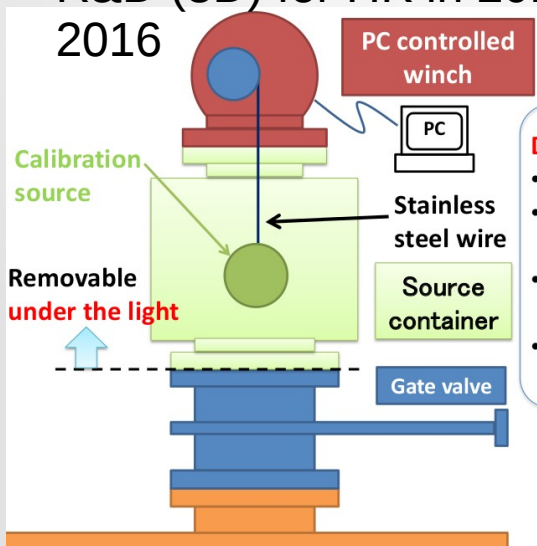
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- Can build an automated system that can illuminate each PMT with known sources
- Tests of LEDs underway



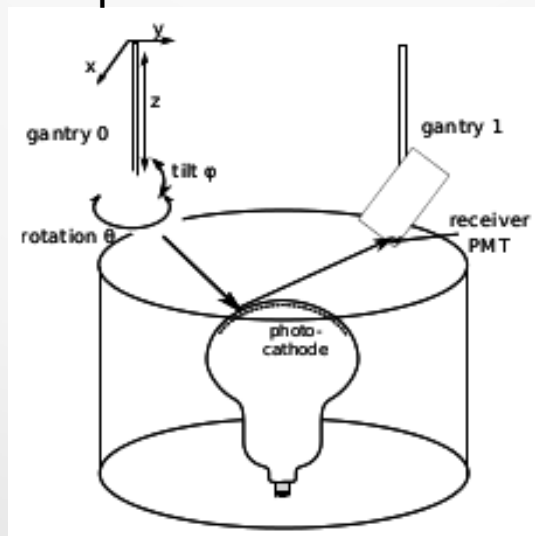
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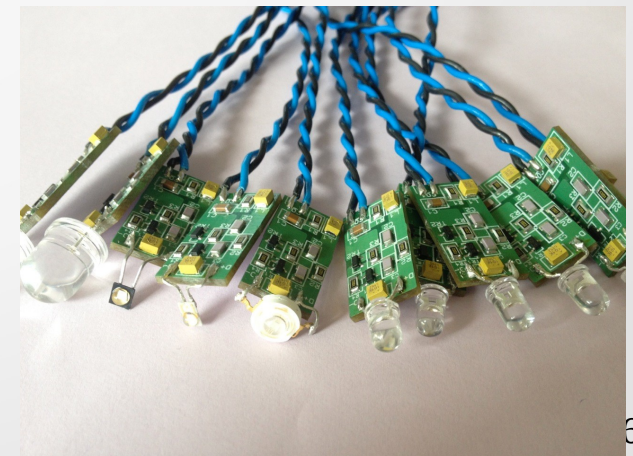
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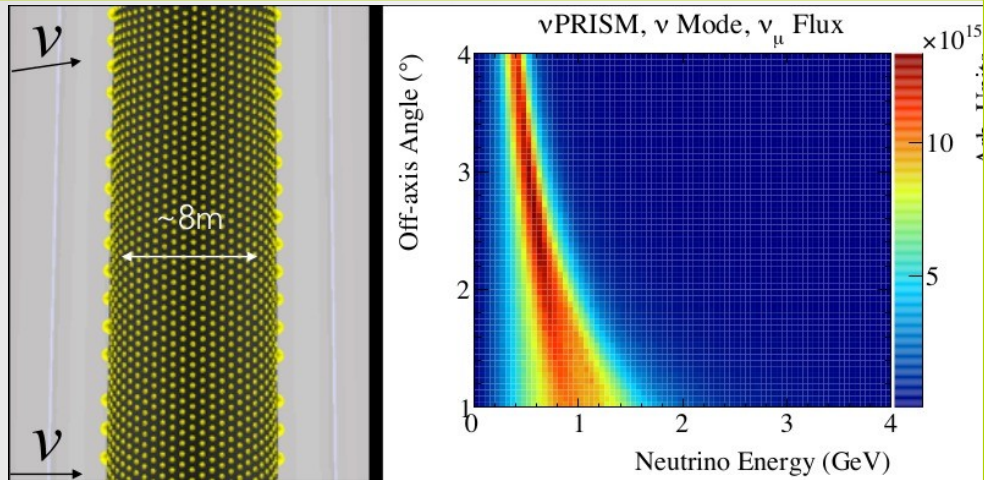


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New Near Detector Concepts

to further enhance the Hyper-K physics potential



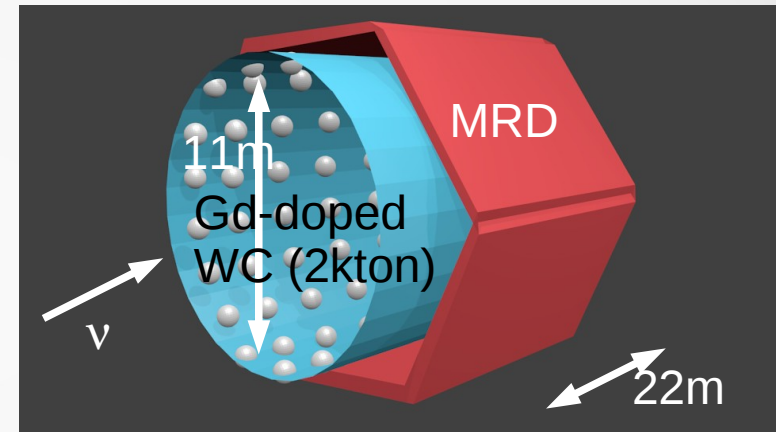
See M. Scott talk (WG2 parallel session - Monday)

“ν-PRISM” (~1km)

- tall (~50 m) WC detector spanning wide range of off-axis angles
- effectively isolate response in narrow band of energy by comparing interactions at different off-axis angles

“TITUS” (~2 km)

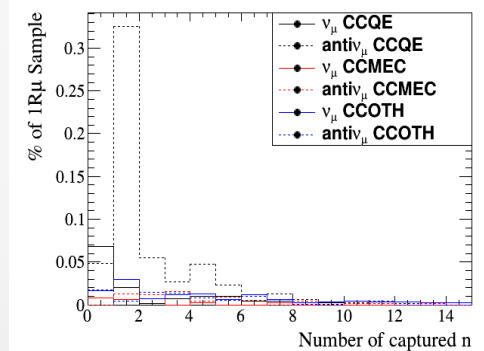
- 2 kt Gadolinium-doped WC detector with HPDs and LAPPDs



Muon range detector (MRD)

G_d for $\bar{\nu}/\nu$ discrimination

See M. Rayner poster (Tuesday)

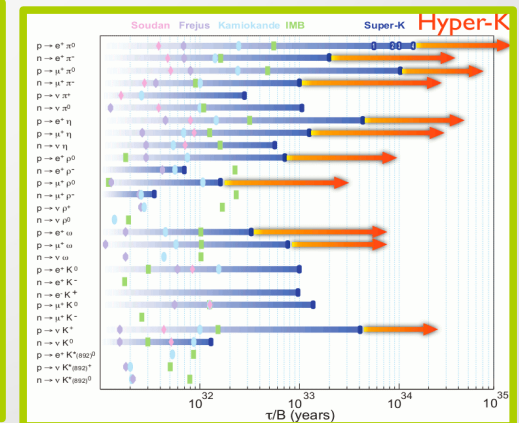
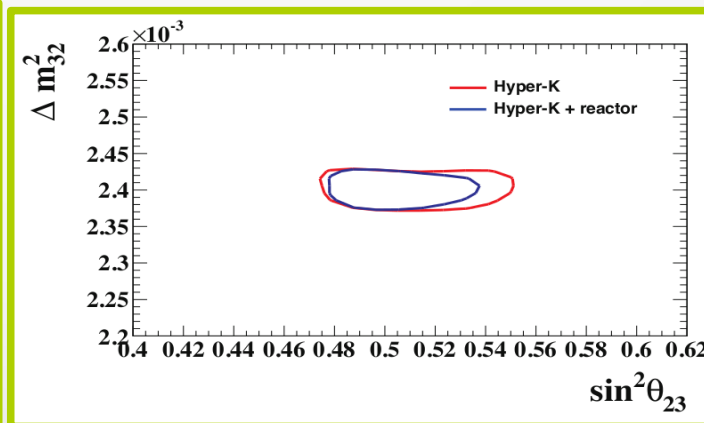
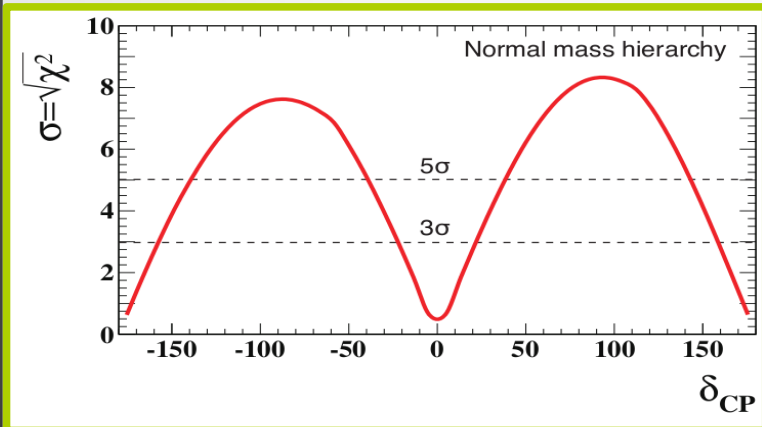


Several new upgrades planned at a 280m distance, either new detectors or upgrading ND280

Conclusions



- Next generation multi-purpose experiment
 - Oscillation physics:
 - able to measure δ_{CP} at 3σ for 76% of its phase space
 - solve octant degeneracy, mass hierarchy (atmospherics), θ_{32} , Δm_{32}^2
 - Astro and other physics:
 - very sensitive to all the proton decay channels, observe supernovas burst and relic supernova neutrinos, indirect dark matter, transient astrophysical phenomena, etc.
- Work ongoing worldwide in all the aspects of the experiment
- Data taking around 2025 with current schedule

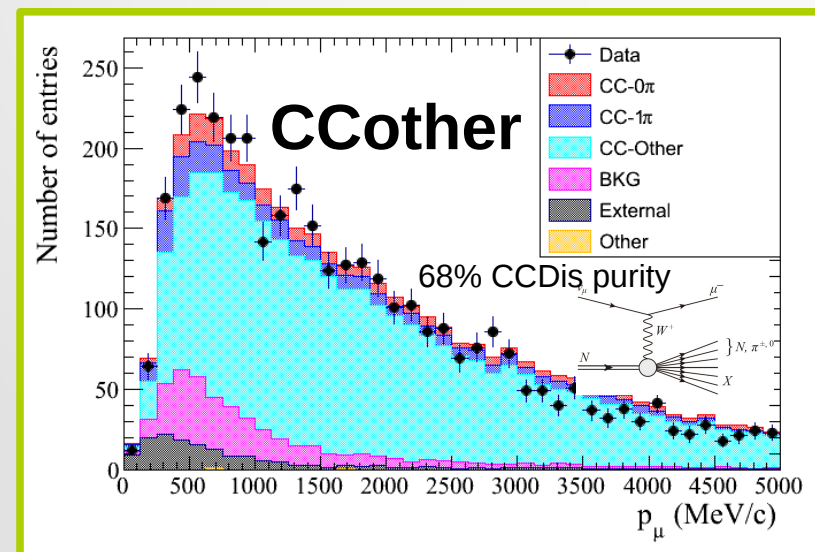
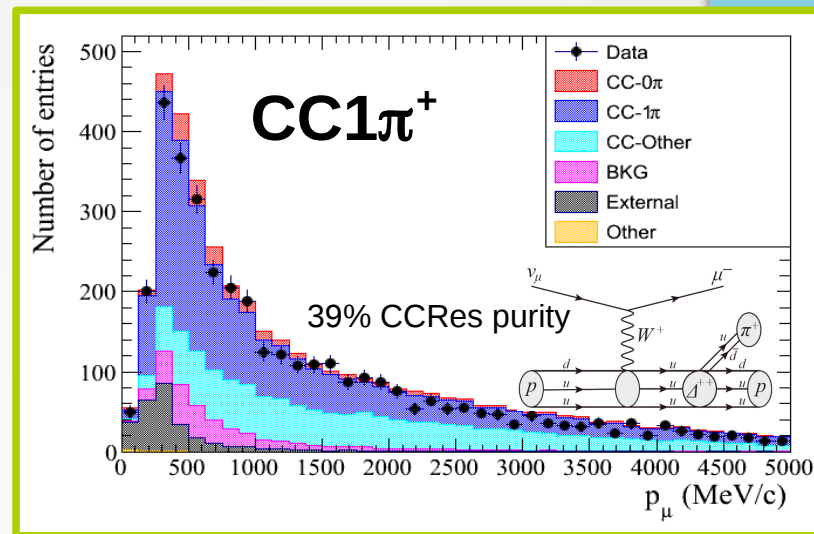
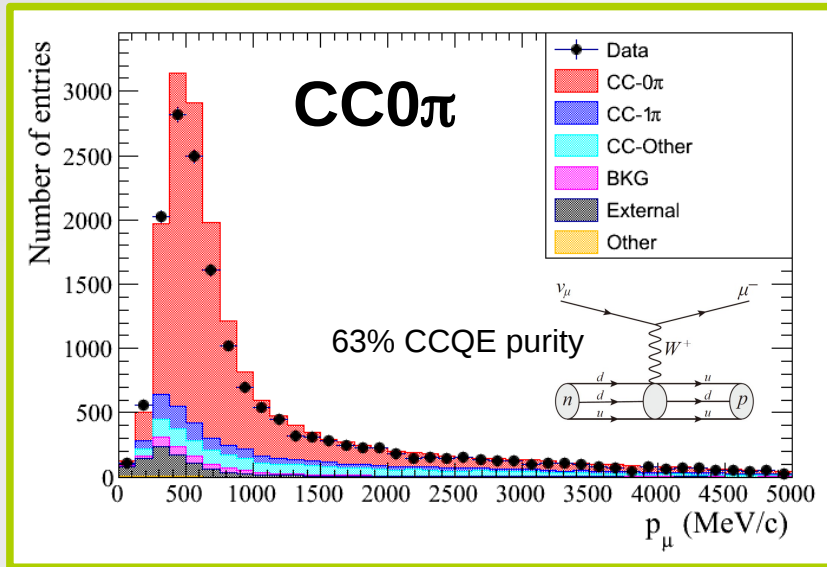




*Stay tuned for many more exciting news from
Hyper-Kamiokande!*

Additional Slides

Muon Momentum in ND280

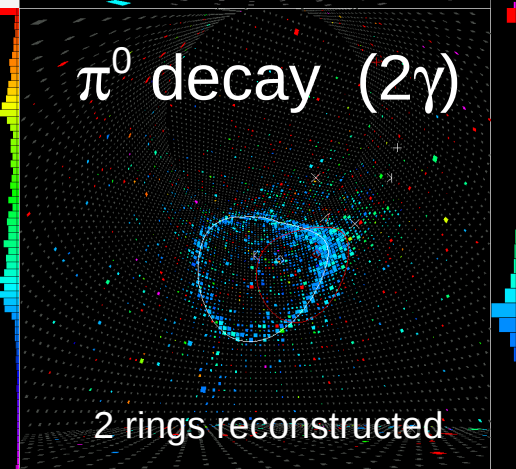
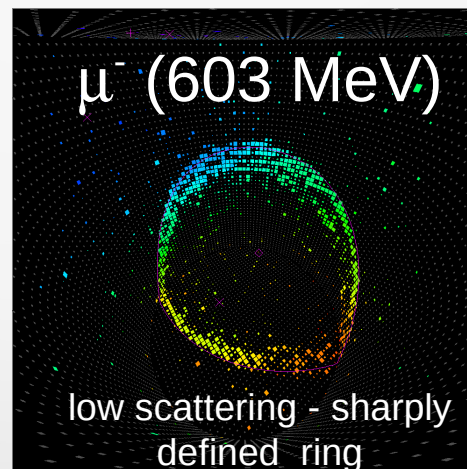
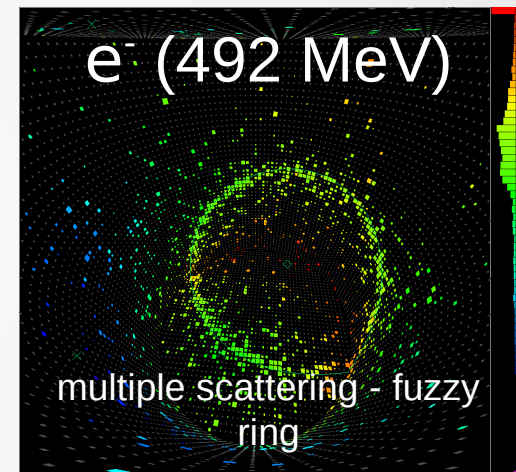
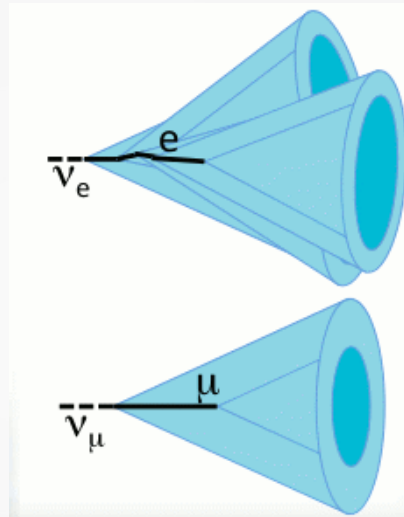
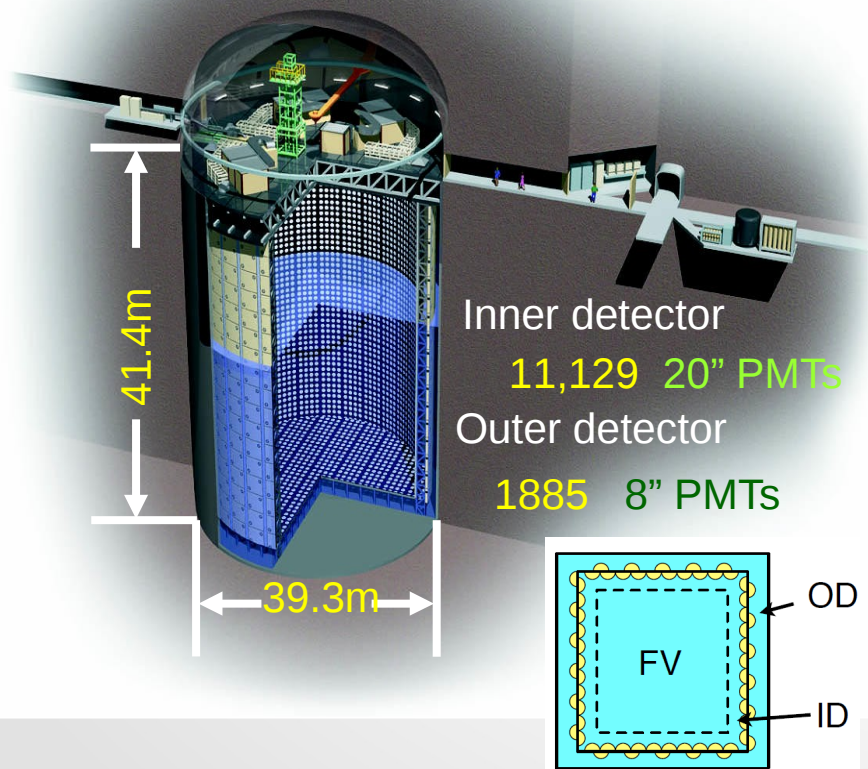


Purity of each sample

	CC0 π	CC1 π	CCother
CC0 π	72.6%	6.4%	5.8%
CC1 π	8.6%	49.4%	7.8%
CCother	11.4%	31%	73.8%
Bkg(NC+anti-nu)	2.3%	6.8%	8.7%
Out of FGD1 Fid Vol	5.1%	6.5%	3.9%

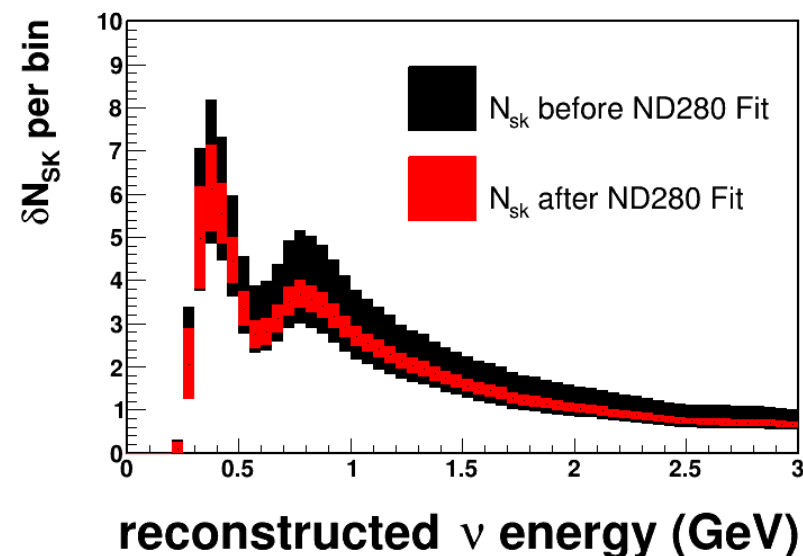
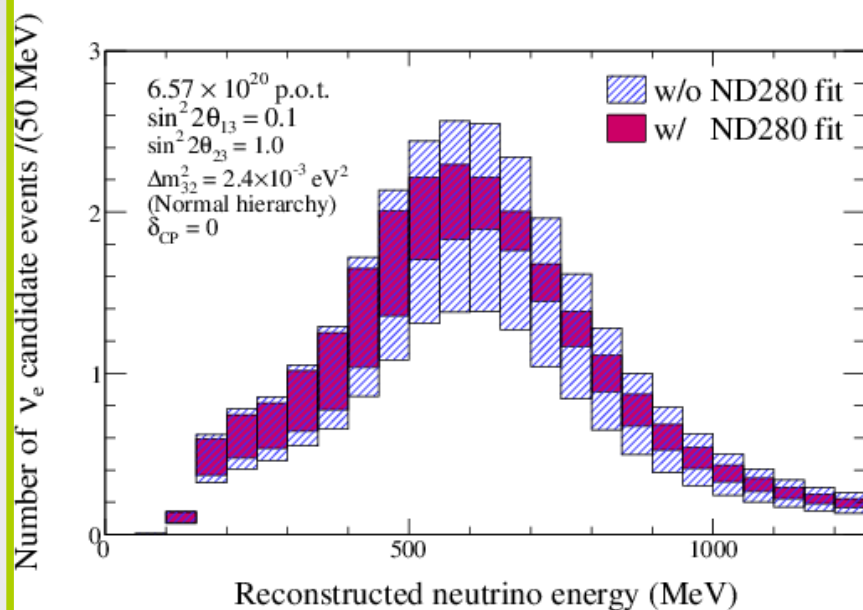
T2K Far Detector: Super-Kamiokande

- 50 kton (22.5 kton fiducial) water Cherenkov detector
- Good reconstruction for T2K energy range
- Particle Identification (PID) based on shape of Cherenkov rings



Event displays show Monte Carlo

Results Systematic Errors w/ ND280 Fit



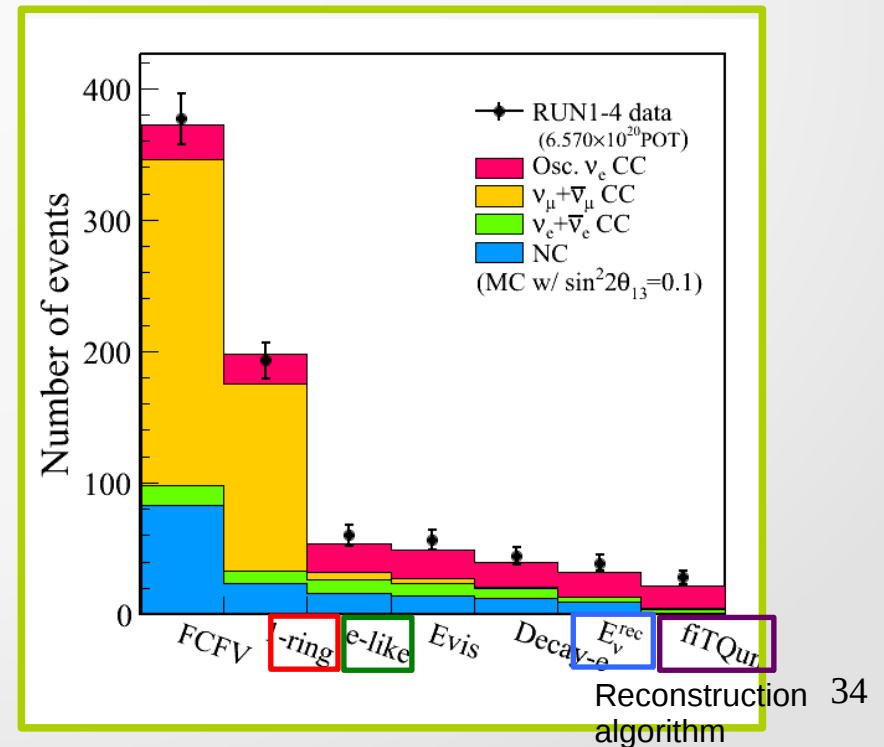
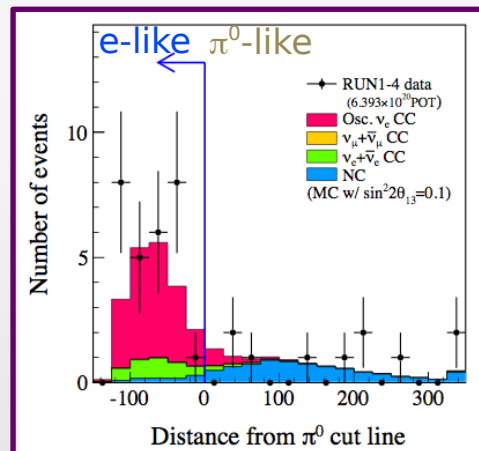
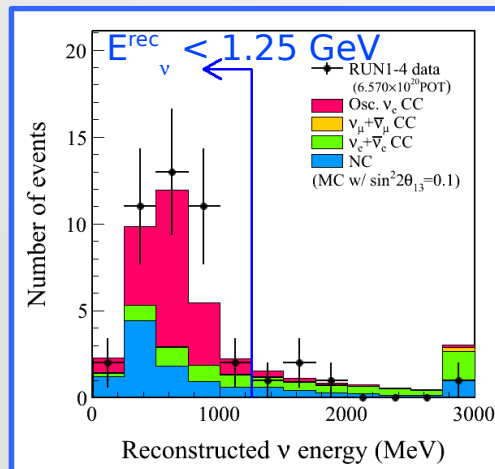
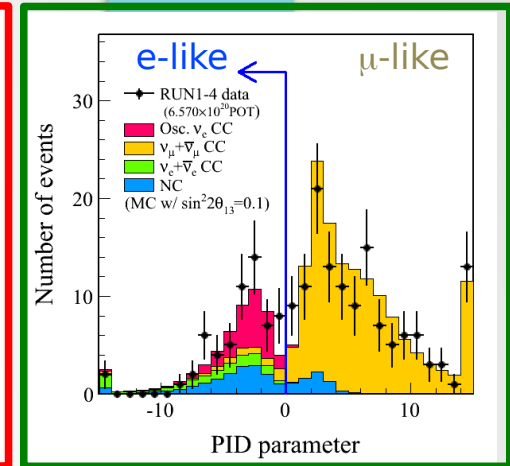
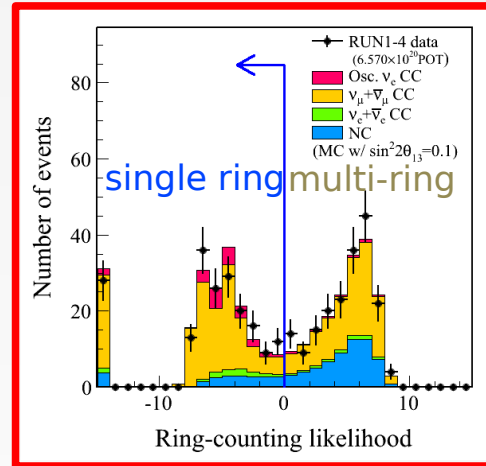
Relative uncertainty (%) on the expected number of events
 $(\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1, \sin^2 \theta_{23} = 0.5, \Delta m^2_{32} = 2.4 \times 10^{-3} \text{eV}^2, \delta \text{CP} = 0, \text{NH})$

ν_e	Systematic sources	ν_μ
3.1	Flux & Combined Cross-Sections	2.7
4.7	Independent Cross Sections	5.0
2.4	π Hadronic Interactions (FSI)	3.0
2.7	SK Detector Efficiencies	4.0
6.8	TOTAL	7.6

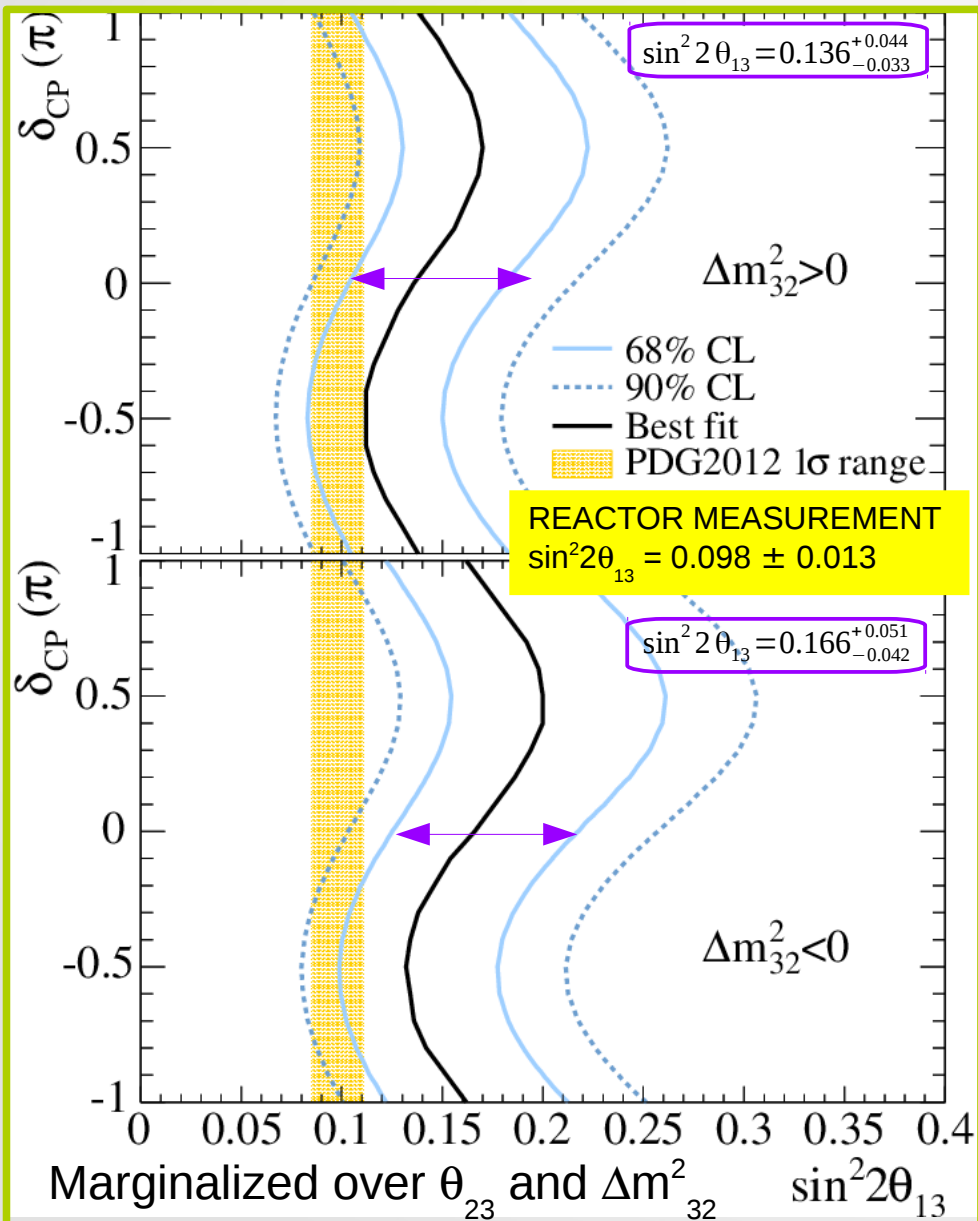
$\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_e$ Event Selection

Event selection:

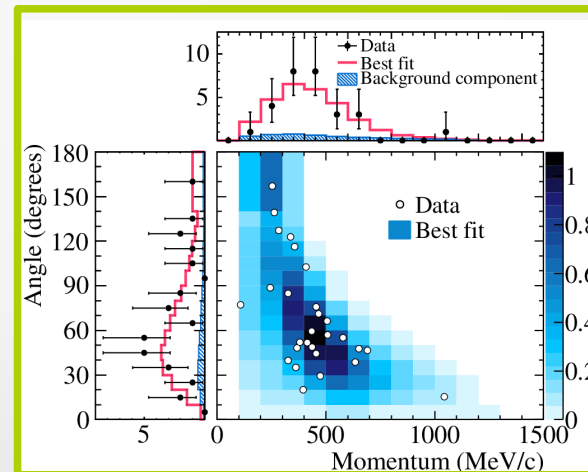
- Fully contained in fid. volume
- Only one reconstructed ring
- Ring is electron-like
- Visible energy $> 100\text{MeV}$
- No Michel Electrons
- Reconstructed energy $< 1.25\text{ GeV}$
- New SK reconstruction ($\sim 30\%$ reduction in π^0 background)
- 28 events in 6.57×10^{20} POT**



T2K Observation of ν_e Appearance



- ν_e appearance in a ν_μ beam with 7.3σ significance
- Best fit value for $\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$ larger than the reactor value
- Due to δ_{CP} - $\sin^2 \theta_{13}$ correlation, when applying the reactor constraint, region with $\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$ small as possible is favoured.



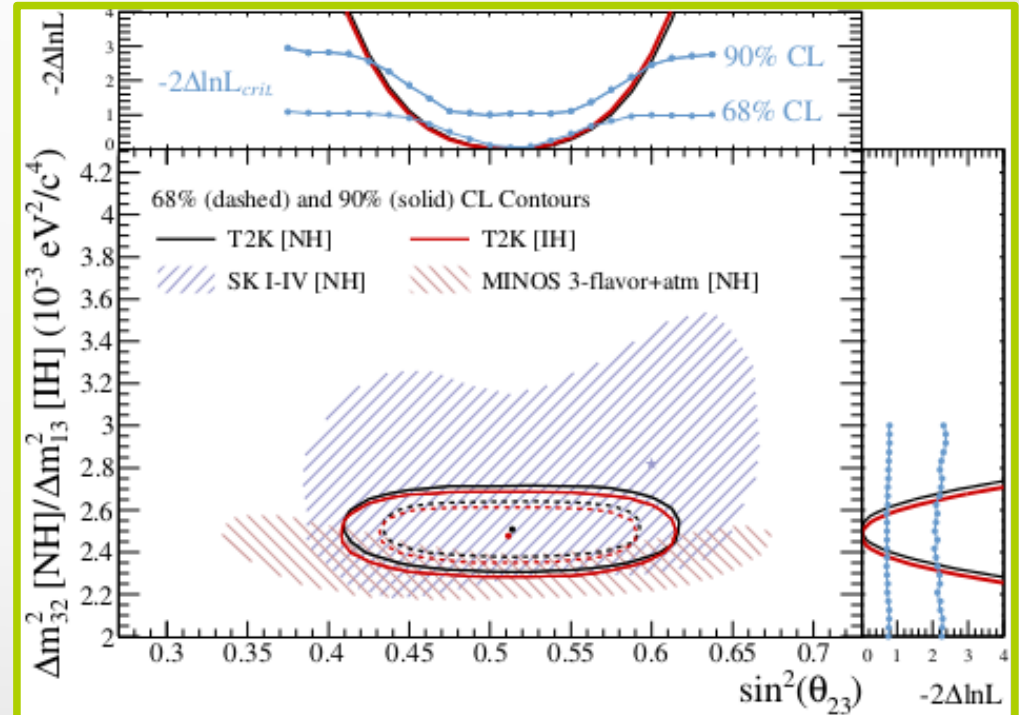
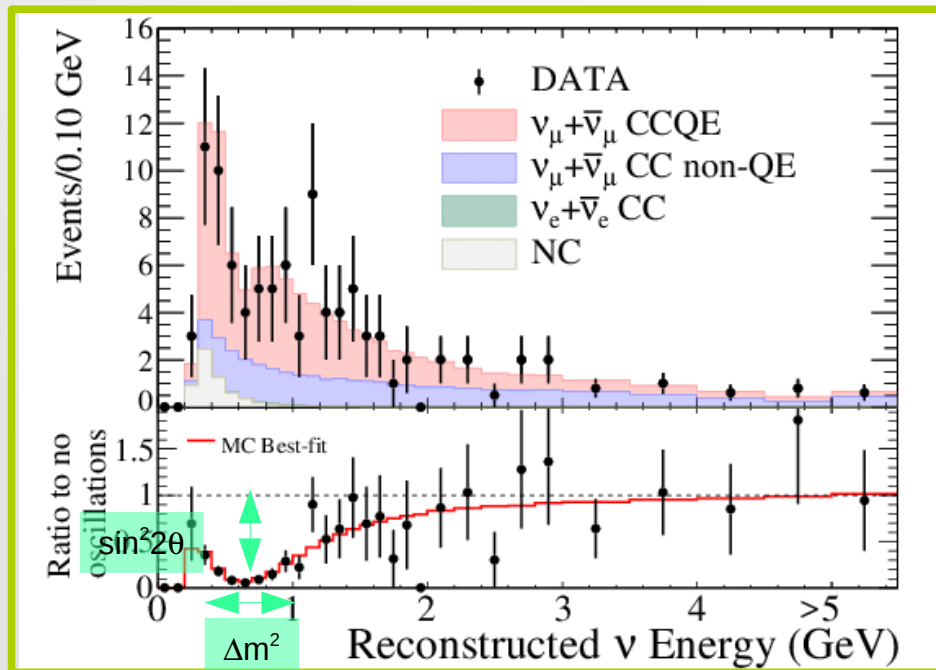
Maximum likelihood fit in (p_e, θ_e)

$\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{\mu}$ T2K Result

- Best-fit oscillation parameter values:

Oscillation parameter	NH	IH
$\sin^2\theta_{23}$	$0.514^{+0.055}_{-0.056}$	0.511 ± 0.055
Δm^2_{32} ($\times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$)	2.51 ± 0.10	2.48 ± 0.10

- Events: 120 (observed), 446.0 ± 22.5 (no oscillation)
- Most precise measurement of $\sin^2\theta_{23}$ and favours Maximal Mixing

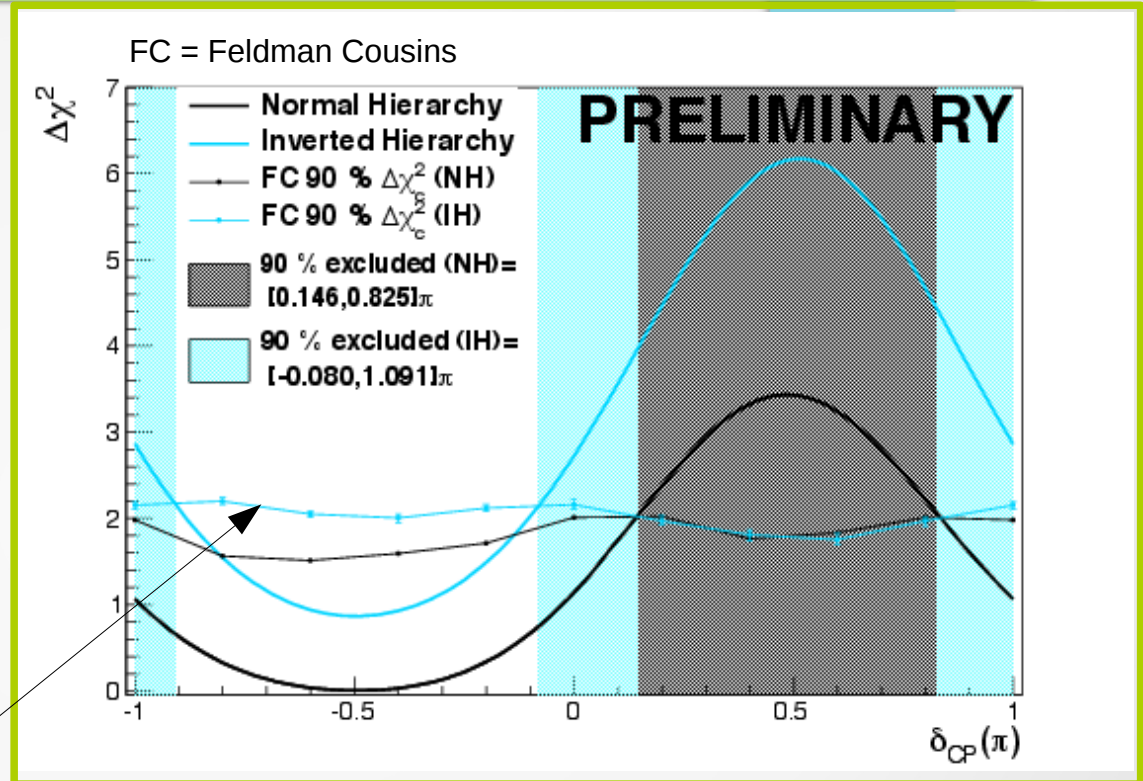


T2K Joint $\nu_\mu + \nu_e$ Analysis

- Likelihood ratio fit to both ν_μ + ν_e event samples
- Plot includes constraint from reactor experiments as given by the PDG2013 ($\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.095 \pm 0.01$)
- Consistent results with a Bayesian analysis

$\sin^2\theta_{23}$, Δm^2_{32} and $\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$ are marginalized following the 3D $\Delta\chi^2$ surface from Run1+2+3+4

T2K has a slight hint for $\delta_{CP} \sim -\pi/2$

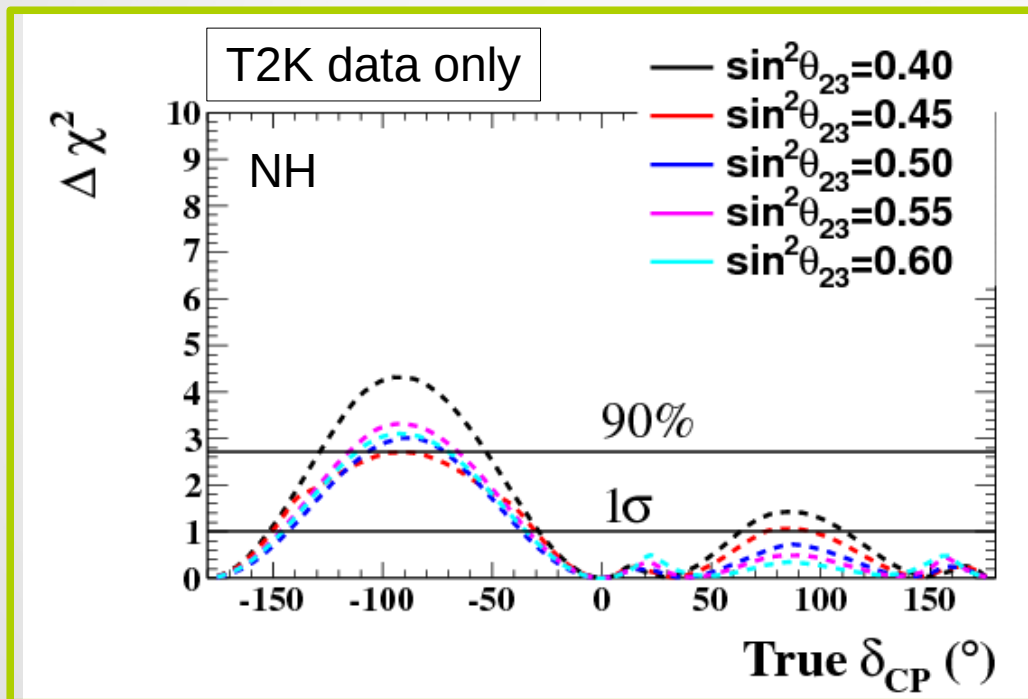


δ_{CP} excluded regions	Preliminary	
	Best fit	90%CL (π)
NH	-0.495	[0.146; 0.825]
IH	-0.495	[-0.080; 1.091]

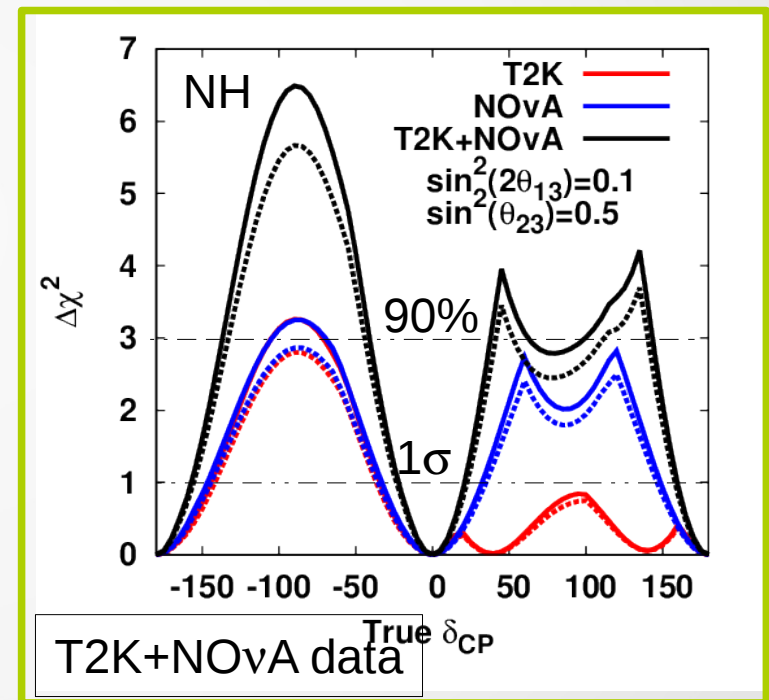
Future: Neutrino & Anti-neutrino running

T2K Future Sensitivity to δ_{CP}

Sensitivity studies to resolve $\sin\delta_{CP} \neq 0$ with 7.8×10^{21} POT. Best sensitivity expected for 50% ν and 50% anti- ν beam running. Projected reactor constraint $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1 \pm 0.005$.



Using joint oscillation analysis with realistic 2012 systematic errors ($\sim 10\%$ ν_e , $\sim 13\%$ ν_μ)

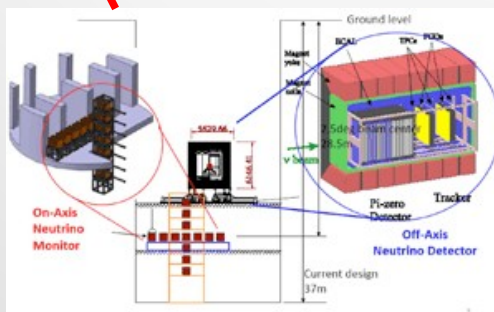


Using GloBES, with 50% ν and anti- ν running for NOvA too. Solid lines: no syst. error.

J-PARC ν -Beamline



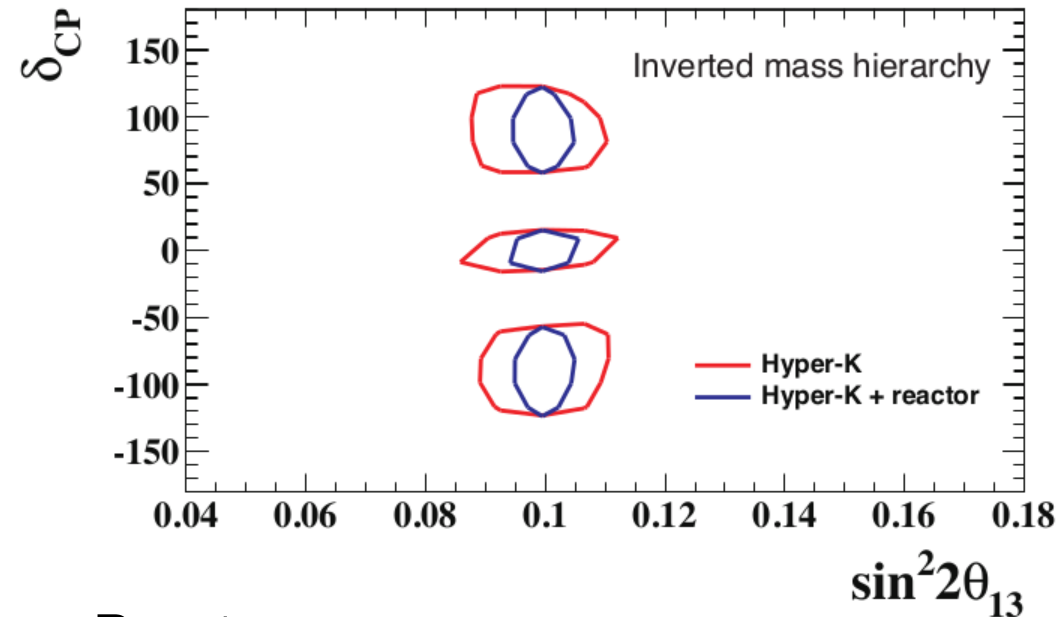
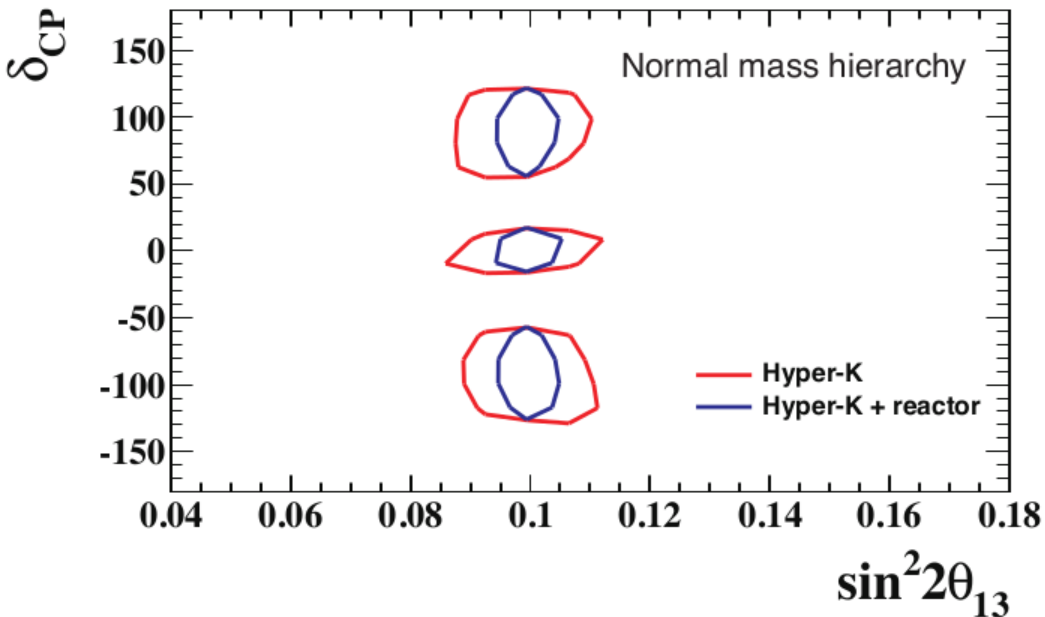
INGRID
on-axis



ND280
off-axis

$\theta_{13} - \delta_{CP}$ allowed region (90%)

7.5MW $\times 10^7$ sec, ν :anti- ν =1:3

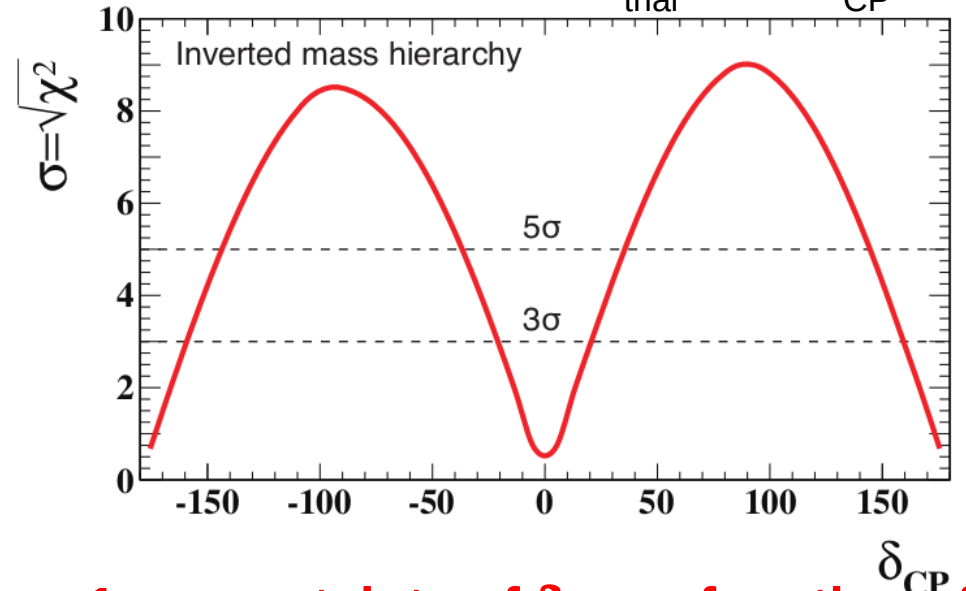
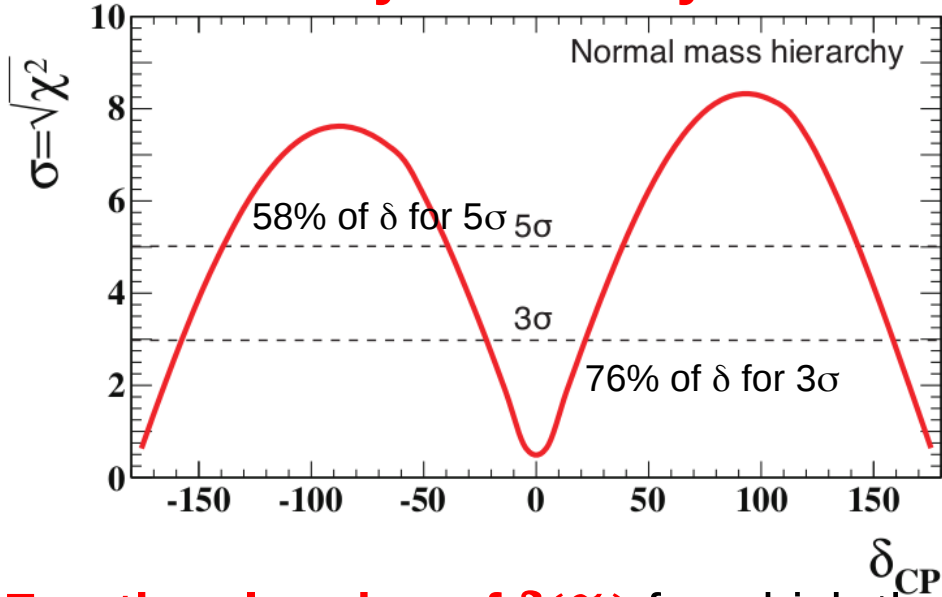


Reactor error:
 $\delta \sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.005$

Parameter	$\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$	δ_{CP}	$\sin^2 2\theta_{23}$	Δm_{32}^2	Mass hierarchy	$\sin^2 2\theta_{12}$	Δm_{12}^2
Nominal	0.10	90, 0, -90	0.50	2.4×10^{-3}	Nominal, Inverted	0.8704	7.6×10^{-5}
Treatment	Fitted	Fixed	Fitted	Fitted	Known	Fixed	Fixed ₄₀

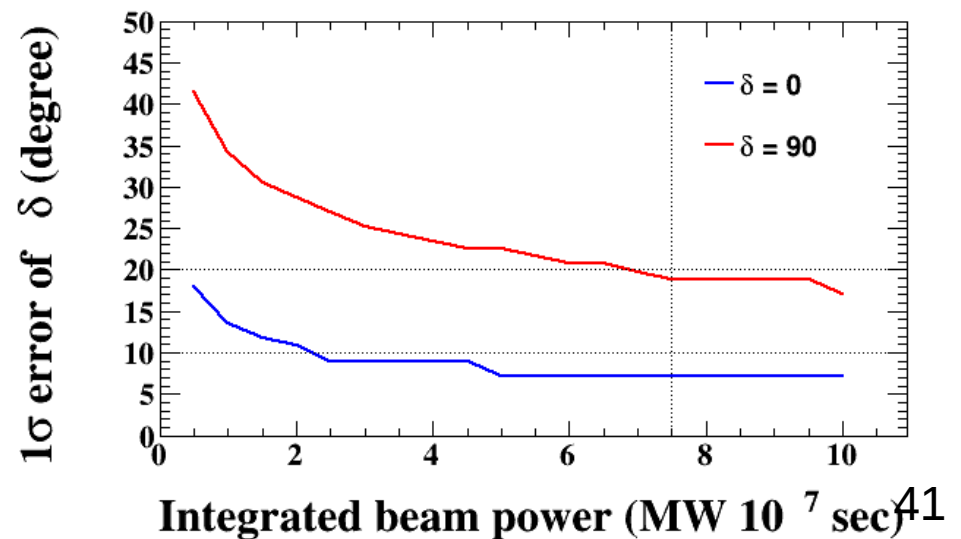
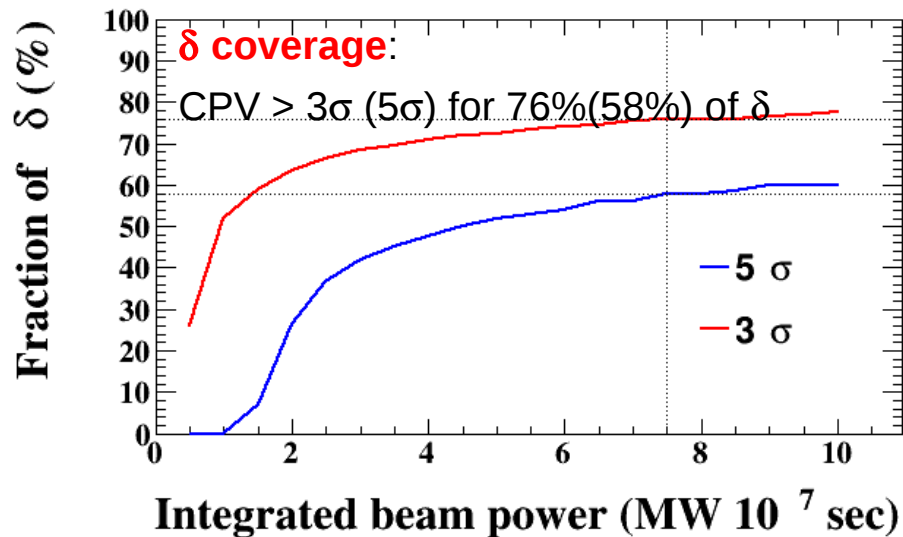
Significance of $\delta_{CP} = 0$

CPV discovery sensitivity w/ mass hierarchy known: $\Delta\chi^2 = \chi^2_{\text{trial}} - \chi^2(\delta_{CP} = 0, 180)$

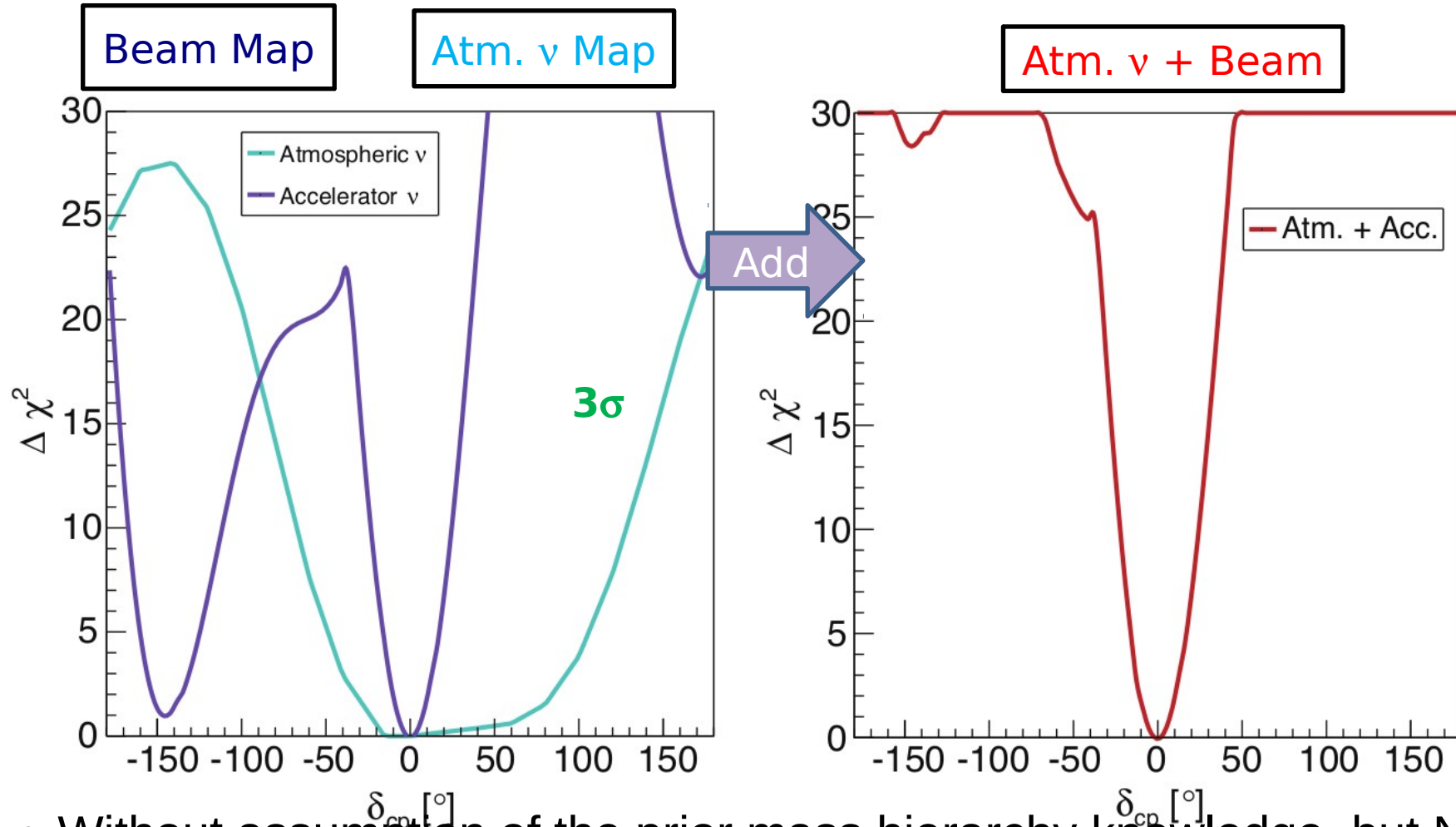


Fractional region of δ (%) for which the CPV ($\sin \delta \neq 0$) significance is $> 3\sigma$

1σ uncertainty of δ as a function of the beam power: $< 19^\circ(6^\circ)$ for $\delta = 90^\circ(0^\circ)$



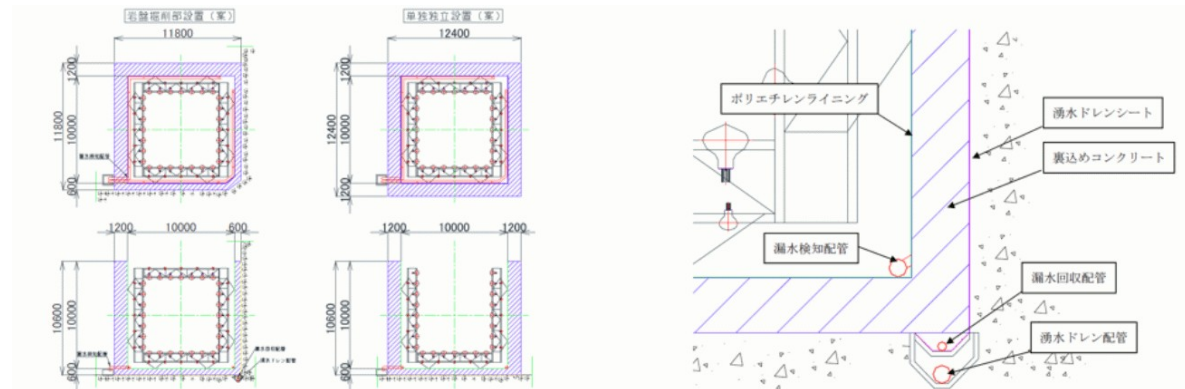
Beam + Atmospheric ν : Allowed δ_{CP}



- Without assumption of the prior mass hierarchy knowledge, but NH is true.
- True $\delta_{CP} = 0.0$; $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.10$; Maximal mixing $\sin^2 2\theta_{23} = 1.0$
- Degenerate solution exists at 3σ in the beam only case.
- The physics capability of the project can be enhanced by combining two complementary measurements.

1kton WC Prototype

- Prototype (1kton, $\sim 10 \times 10 \times 10 \text{ m}^3$) for R&D test approved in Japan as Grant-in-Aid: $\sim \text{USD } 1.2\text{M}/5 \text{ years}$ (2013-18).
- It's one of the 27 proposals selected each year from all areas in science.
- Main feasibility studies:
 - Photosensor and corresponding support structure
 - Liners
 - Leak water collection detection
 - DAQ
 - Electronics
 - Calibration system
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Overall Cost Estimate

Total	800M USD	
Cavern	300M USD	
Tank & structure	200M USD	
Photo-sensors	200M USD	High QE HPD
Near Detector	30M USD	@Tokai

- Costs estimated based on the current design and including a new near detector.
- Proportional sharing of costs between the interested Countries is expected.