

Future Neutrino Experiments

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Why?

Non-Oscillation Expts

Oscillation Expts

Active

Near Future

More distant future

Not included

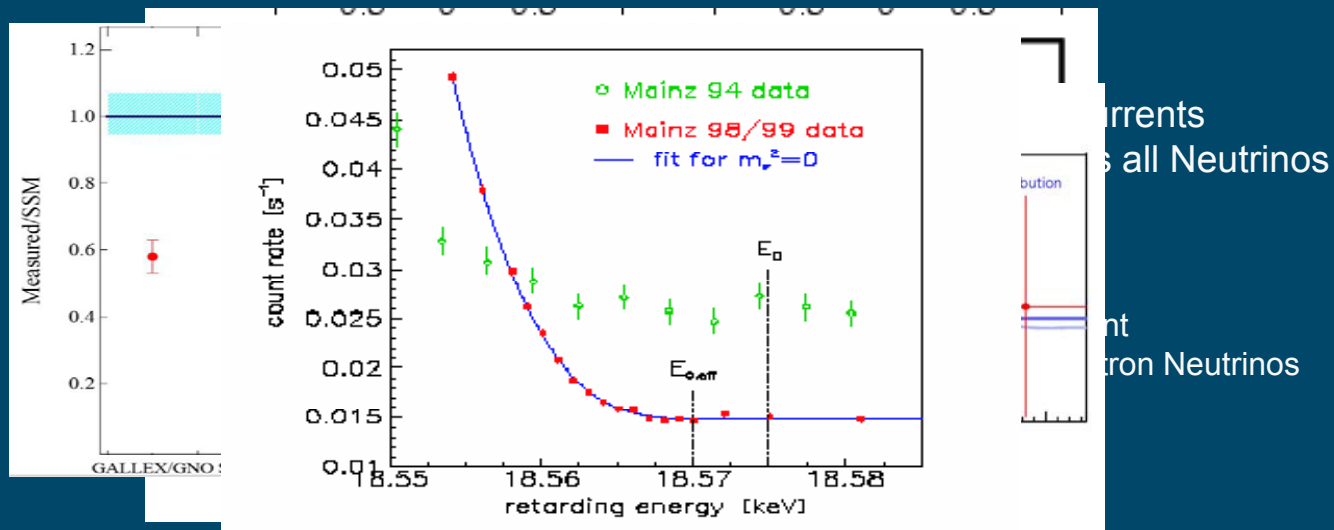
Neutrino astroparticle Expts

Why do Neutrino Physics?

- **Least understood particle**
 - Yet after photon most common
- **Beyond the Standard Model**
 - A trivial Addition?
 - The Window on the Fundamental Theory?
- **Understanding the Flavour Problem**
 - Understanding lepton flavour as fundamental as quark flavour (and no QCD complications)
- **New Source(s) of CP Violation**
 - Contributor (solution) to the anti-matter asymmetry
- **Ultimate theory must relate quarks & leptons**
 - Cannot do this without a full understanding of the neutrino sector
 - Cannot do this with LHC or ILC

What do we know?

- 1. There are three light active neutrino species (LEP/SLC)
- 2. Mass of electron neutrino $< 2.2 \text{ eV}/c^2$ from H^3 decay spectrum (Mainz)
- 3. Muon Neutrinos produced in the upper atmosphere disappear (SuperK)
- 4. Muon Neutrinos produced in π decay disappear (K2K, MINOS)
- 5. Electron Neutrinos produced in the sun disappear (Many experiments)
- 6. The total flux of neutrinos from the sun stays constant (SNO)
- 7. Electron antineutrinos from reactors disappear and then reappear (Kamland)



Other Results - Require Confirmation

- 1. The appearance of electron antineutrinos in a muon antineutrino beam (LSND)

If true a 3-Neutrino Scenario is excluded.
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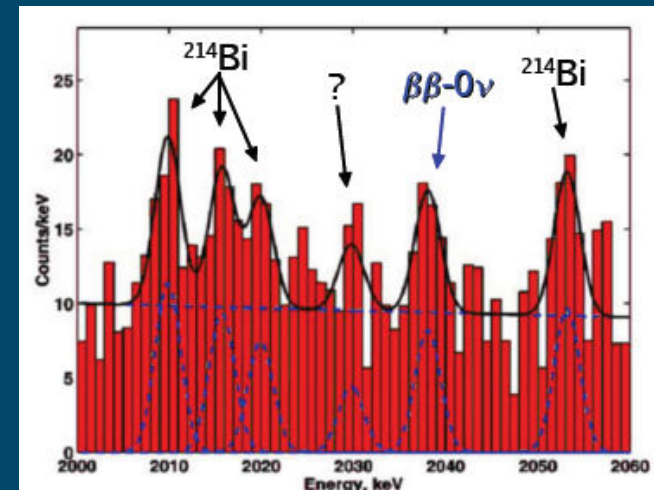
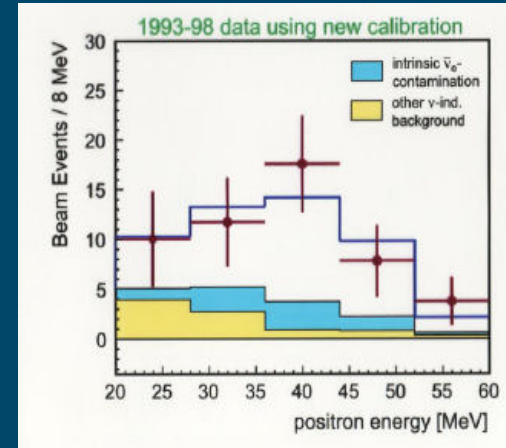
- > 3 Flavours (with heavy 1h neutrinos)
- > 1 or more sterile neutrinos

- 2. The observation that the decay

${}^{76}\text{Ge} \rightarrow {}^{76}\text{Se} + e^{-} + e^{-}$ has a half life of

$T_{1/2}^{0\nu} = 2.3_{-0.31}^{+0.44} \cdot 10^{25}$ years (H.V.Klapdor-Kleingrothaus *et al.*)

- If True
- Neutrinos are Majorana
- $M(\nu_e) = \sim 0.44$ eV



The accepted results are well explained assuming a three family neutrino oscillation

Oscillation Probability

Depends upon Mixing Angle, Mass Squared Difference, L/E

2 state (e, μ)

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Prob}_{\nu_e \Rightarrow \nu_\mu} = \sin^2 2\theta \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m^2 L}{E}$$

$$\Delta m^2 = m_2^2 - m_1^2$$

- but ambiguities

$$\theta \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4} - \theta \quad \Delta m^2 \rightarrow -\Delta m^2$$

3 State (e, μ , τ)

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \theta_{23} & \sin \theta_{23} \\ 0 & -\sin \theta_{23} & \cos \theta_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{13} & 0 & \sin \theta_{13} e^{-i\delta} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta_{13} e^{-i\delta} & 0 & \cos \theta_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{12} & \sin \theta_{12} & 0 \\ -\sin \theta_{12} & \cos \theta_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\alpha/2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\beta/2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

3 mixing angles, $\theta_{12}, \theta_{13}, \theta_{23}$, 1 Dirac phase, δ
2 Majorana phases, α, β (=0 if Neutrinos are Dirac)

Vacuum Oscillations

$\theta_{12}, \theta_{13}, \theta_{23}$

δ

$$|m_2^2 - m_1^2|, |m_3^2 - m_1^2|$$

$$\sin \Delta_{ij}, \quad \Delta_{ij} = \left(\frac{1.27 \Delta m_{ij}^2 L}{E} \right)$$

In matter

$$\sin \Delta_{13} \Rightarrow \frac{\sin(\Delta_{13} - A)}{(\Delta_{13} - A)} \Delta_{13}, \quad \sin \Delta_{12} \Rightarrow \frac{\sin(A)}{A} \Delta_{12}$$

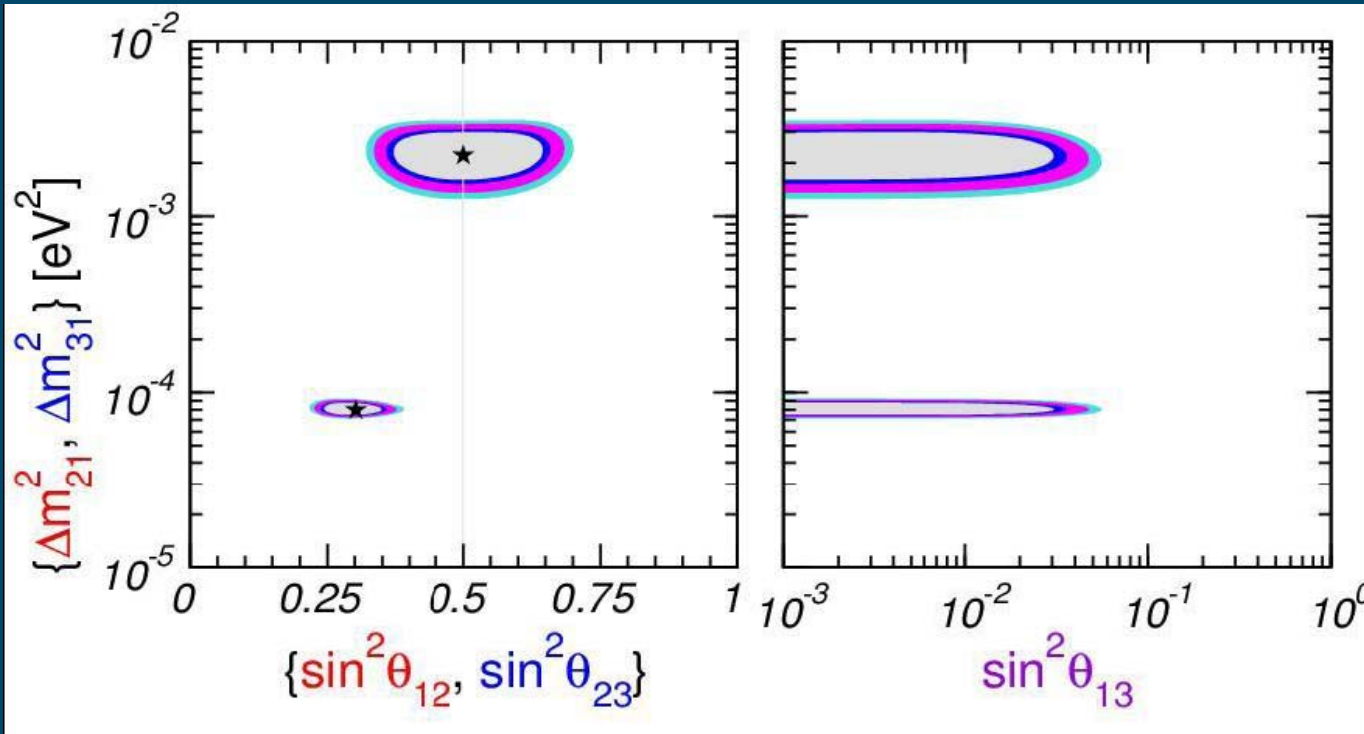
$$\text{with } A = \pm \frac{G_F N_e}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Sensitive to Sign (Δm^2)

- depends upon AL
i.e. density and baseline

Where are we?

from: Maltoni, Schwetz, Tortola, Valle ('04)



Also know $m_2 > m_1$ from matter effects in the sun

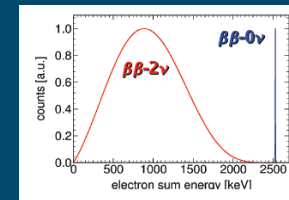
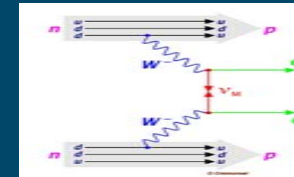
Future - Non-Oscillation Experiments

- Majorana/Dirac
- Absolute Mass

Dirac or Majorana? - $0\nu\beta\beta$

- If Dirac – lepton no. is conserved. If so - what is it?
- If Majorana
 - $\Delta L = 2$ BSM processes, More CP violation, Seesaws possible, leptogenesis, solution to antimatter asymmetry?
- Only approach $0\nu\beta\beta$ – Rate depends on mass

$$m_{ee} = \left| \sum U_{ei} m_i \right|^2$$



Positive Result

- ν 's are Majorana
- A measurement of the absolute Mass (subject to NME)

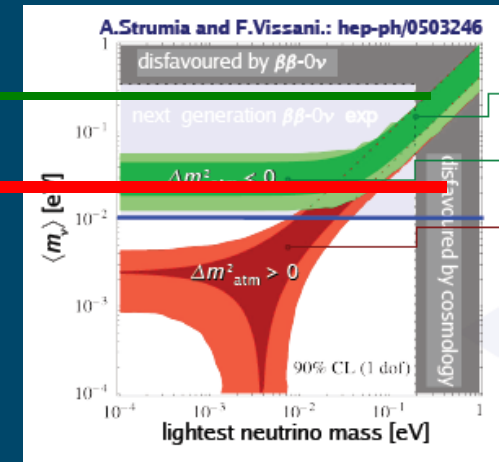
Negative result

- Nothing – cannot even confirm Dirac nature

Many Experiments planned

- CUORE, GERDA, MAJORANA, SuperNEMO, EXA, XMASS, SNO+....
- Range of techniques: Bolometers, Scintillators, Tracking, Combinations
- Many Isotopes: Te, Ge, Se, Xe, Mo, Cd, Ca, Gd...
- Aim for mass values down to ~ 0.02 eV

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Future



The Absolute Mass?

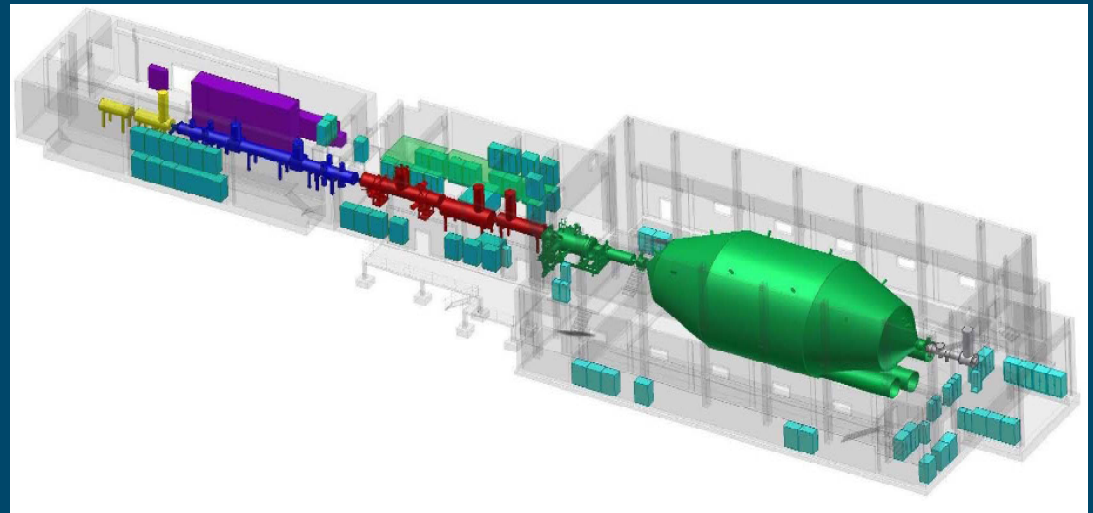
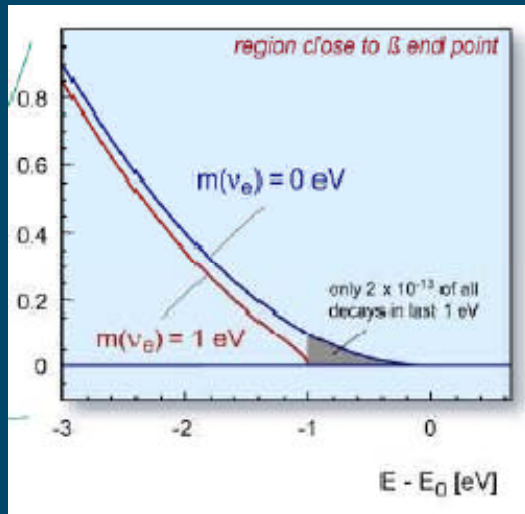
- Cosmological data
- Neutrinoless double-beta decay
- Tritium Decay Spectrum

Model Dependent

Currently $\Sigma m < \sim 0.7$ eV

Potential $\Sigma m < \sim 0.07$ eV?

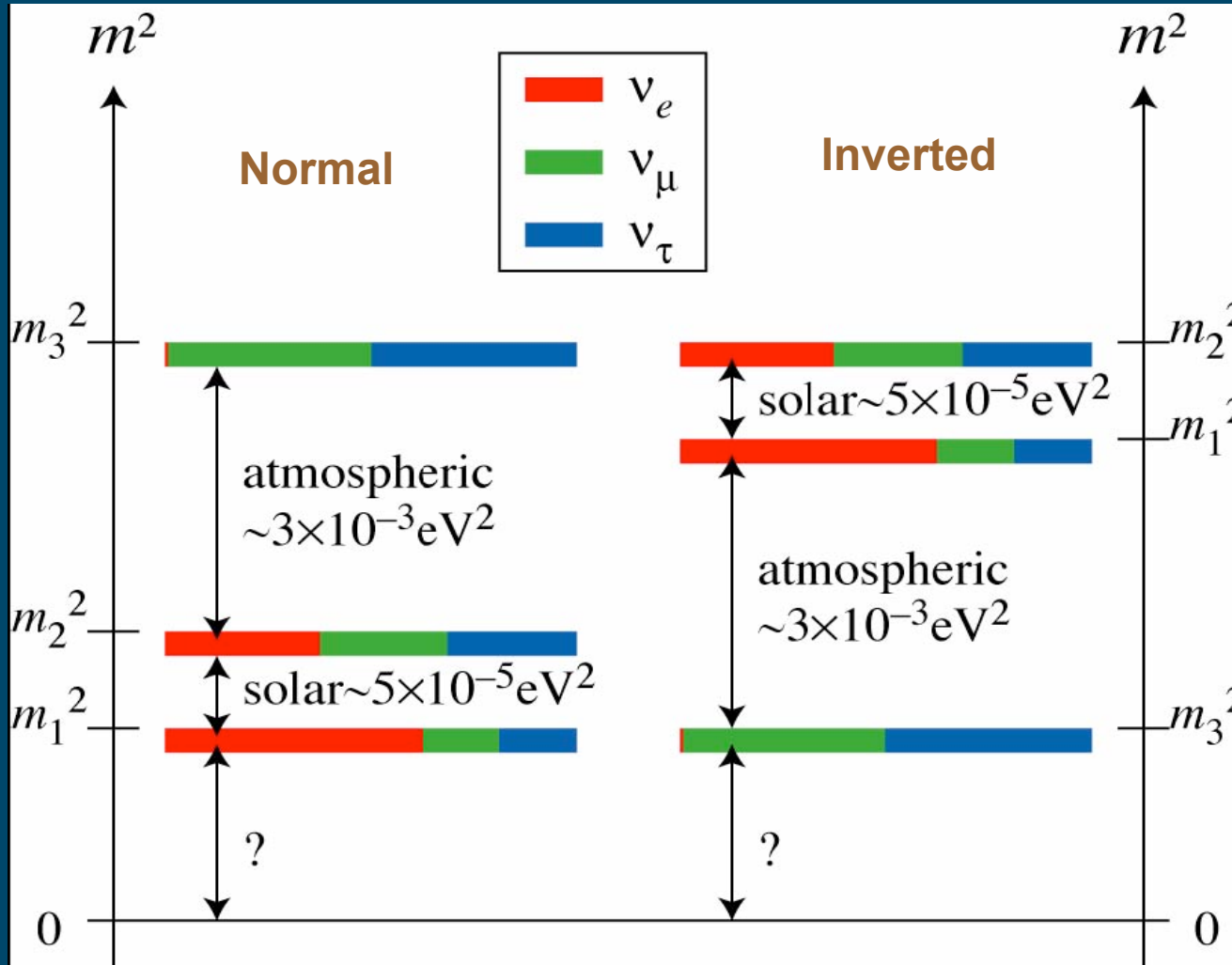
Katrin aims for
 $M(\nu_e) < 0.2$ eV



'Standard' Oscillation Goals

Observe Flavour of an Oscillated ν	Identify a ν_τ or ν_e in a ν_μ Beam
How small is θ_{13} ?	Critical Parameter to define future programme
Mass hierarchy?	$m_3 < \text{ or } > m_2$, requires $\theta_{13} \neq 0$
Leptonic CP Violation?	Requires $\theta_{13} \neq 0, \delta \neq 0$
Is θ_{23} maximal? – is it $>$ or $< \pi/4$?	Improve accuracy of atmospheric parameters
Is the MNS approach correct?	Measure parameters in as many ways – and as precisely - as possible
Are there sterile neutrinos?	Precision measurement of parameters. Repeat LSND? (MiniBooNE does not disprove LSND in exotic scenarios – different E)
CPT violation?	Measure parameters in as many ways – and as precisely - as possible
Do we have Tribimaximal mixing?	If yes presumably some underlying symmetry. Needs precision measurements

Mass Hierarchy?



Require matter interactions to distinguish.

Long Baseline

Nova > T2K

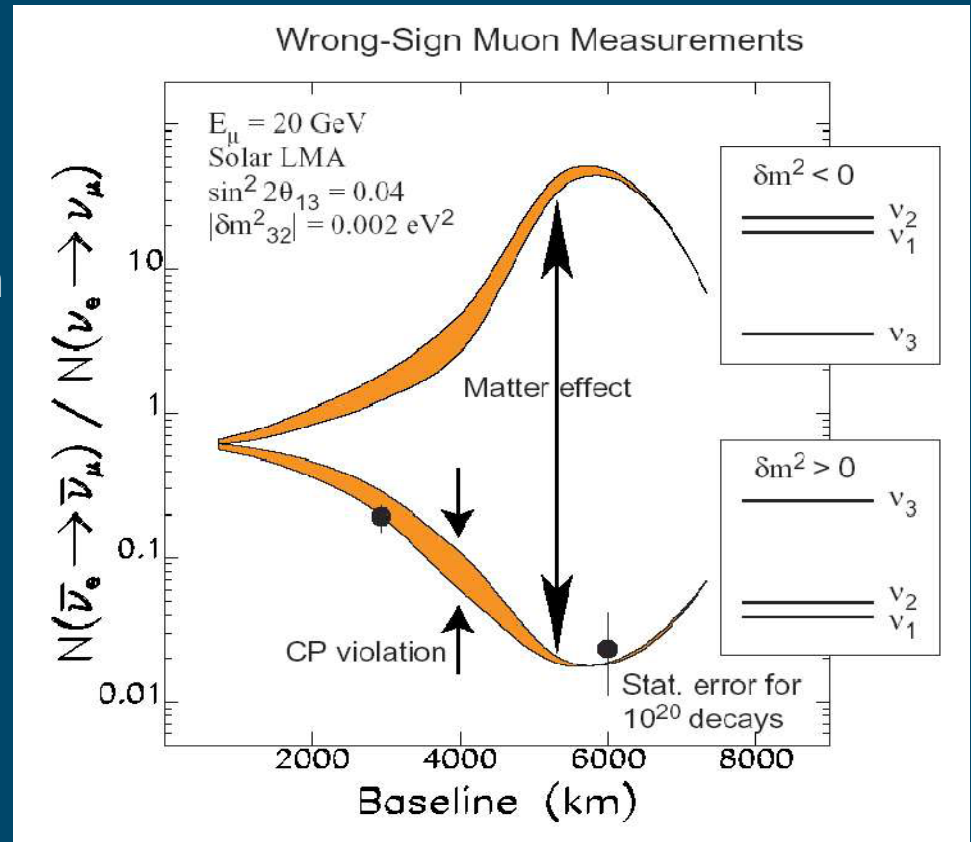
Leads to degeneracies in superbeamed experiments.

Critical for Neutrinoless double beta decay

CP Violation

- Vitally important for our understanding of nature and the universe
- Arises from phases which flip sign on the change particle \leftrightarrow antiparticle
- Standard MNS matrix has one phase, δ , (like CKM)
- BUT also matter effects flip sign on the change particle \leftrightarrow antiparticle

AND, if neutrinos are Majorana additional phases and potential for substantial CP violation - but Majorana phases appear virtually unmeasurable



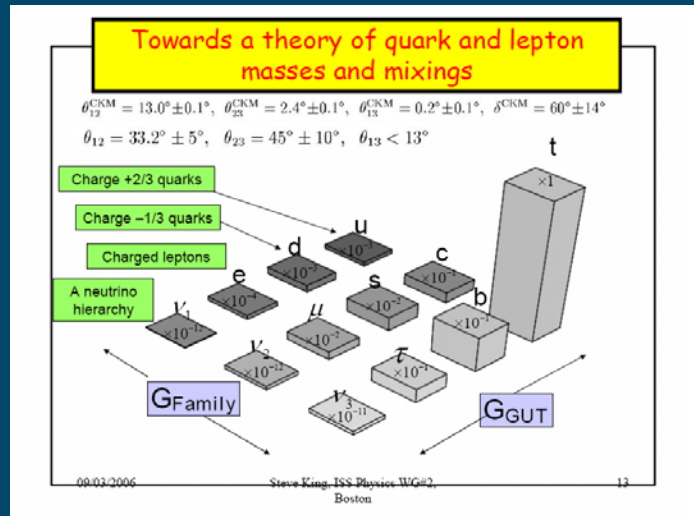
The Need for Precision Measurements

- No understanding of the underlying physics without precision measurements - as in the quark sector
 - **CP violation in the neutrino sector?**
 - Interesting to demonstrate this at 3σ level
 - Much more useful to know δ precisely
- **Quark – Lepton Complementarity**
 - Motivated by GUTs
 - Also by intriguing relations such as

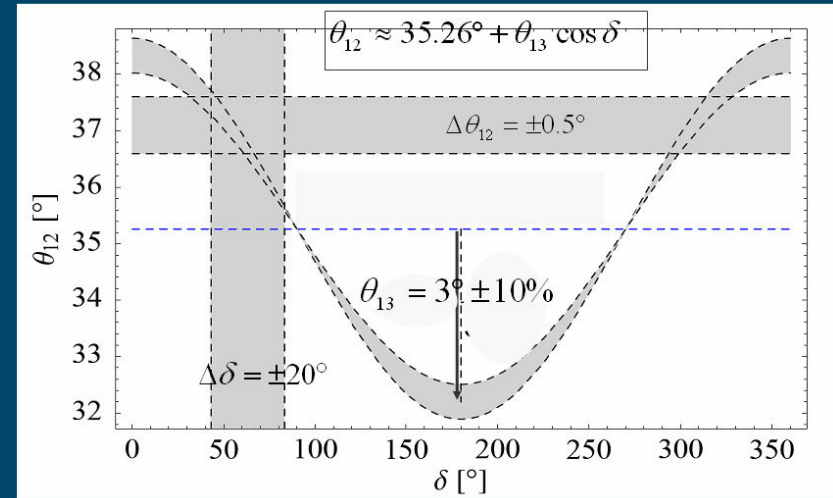
$$\begin{aligned}\theta_{12}^{MNS} + \theta_{12}^{CKM} &\cong \pi/4 \\ \theta_{23}^{MNS} + \theta_{23}^{CKM} &\cong \pi/4\end{aligned}$$

- Improved precision of solar and atmospheric angles needed

Ideas/Speculation

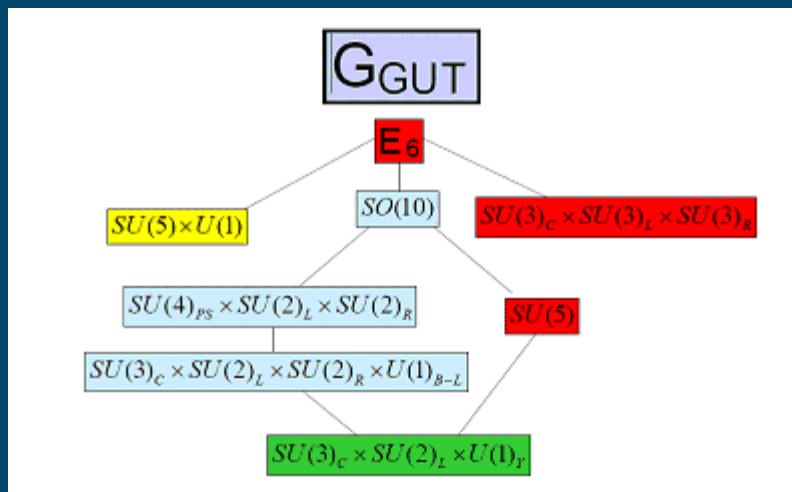


A Neutrino Sum Rule? (S King)



Tribimaximal Mixing? (Harrison, Perkins, Scott)

$$\begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} & \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} & 0 \\ -\sqrt{\frac{1}{6}} & \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} & -\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \\ -\sqrt{\frac{1}{6}} & \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} & \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$



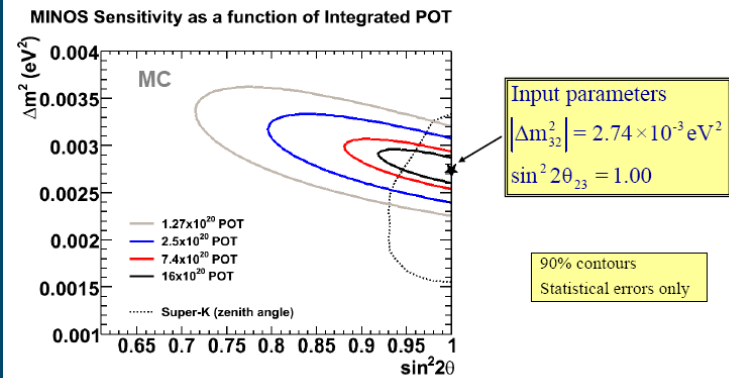
The Imminent Future

- Two long base line experiments using a ν_μ beam now taking data
- **MINOS**
 - Numi Beam from FNAL to Soudan 735 km
 - Two Detectors – near and far – magnetized Fe-scintillator
 - Look for ν_μ disappearance $\rightarrow \theta_{23}, \Delta m^2_{23}$
 - ν_e Appearance $\rightarrow \theta_{13}$ (~factor 2 better than Chooz)
- **OPERA**
 - CNGS Beam from CERN to Gran Sasso 732 km
 - One Far Detector – Emulsion
 - Look for ν_τ Appearance, now expect ~10 observed ν_τ events in 5 years

MINOS

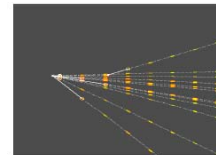
OPERA

Projected sensitivity of MINOS

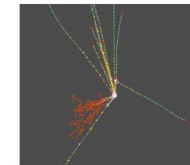
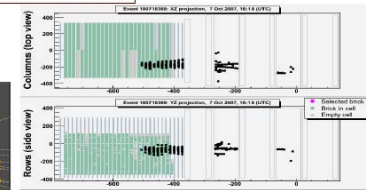


Neutrino events in OPERA – Event gallery...

...a charm candidate!



Flight length: 3247.2 μm
 $\theta_{\text{had}} = 0.204 \text{ rad}$
 $E_{\text{had}} = 3.9 (+1.7-0.9) \text{ GeV}$
 $E_{\nu} = 796 \text{ MeV } (= 606 \text{ MeV})$



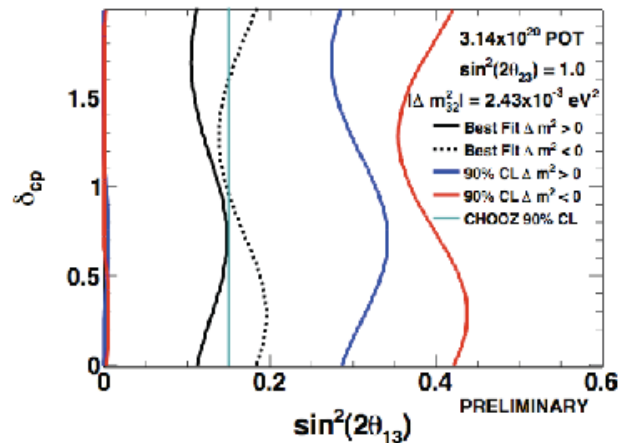
Two e. m. showers pointing to vertex



OPERA: setting the scene for ν_e appearance at CNGS – G. Rota / Neutrino 2008 – Christchurch, New Zealand, May 27th

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Feldman-Cousins C.L. contours for ANN



- 5 years CNGS data taking (4.5 10¹⁹ pot/year)
- 1.35 ktons target mass

τ decay channels	Signal ÷ Δm ² (Full mixing)		Background
	2.5 x 10 ⁻³ (eV ²)	3.0 x 10 ⁻³ (eV ²)	
τ → μτ	2.9	4.2	0.17
τ → eτ	3.5	5.0	0.17
τ → hτ	3.1	4.4	0.24
τ → 3h	0.9	1.3	0.17
ALL	10.4	15.0	0.76

In the next ~4 Years - θ_{13}

■ ν_e Appearance in a ν_μ Beam - SuperBeam

$$\begin{aligned}
 P[\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e] \cong & \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \sin^2 \theta_{23} \sin^2 \Delta_{31} \\
 & + \sin 2\theta_{13} \cos \theta_{13} \sin 2\theta_{23} \sin 2\theta_{12} \\
 & \sin \Delta_{31} \sin \Delta_{21} \cos(\Delta_{32} \pm \delta) \\
 & + \sin^2 2\theta_{12} \cos^2 \theta_{23} \cos^2 \theta_{13} \sin^2 \Delta_{21} \\
 & (\Delta_{ij} \equiv 1.27 \Delta m_{ij}^2 (eV^2) L(km) / E(GeV))
 \end{aligned}$$

δ leads to CP Violation

$\delta - \theta_{13}$ degeneracy

Matter effects can also be significant

■ ν_e Disappearance in a ν_e Beam - Reactor

$$\begin{aligned}
 P[\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \text{Not } \bar{\nu}_e] \cong & \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \sin^2 \Delta_{31} \\
 & + \cos^4 \theta_{13} \sin^2 2\theta_{12} \sin^2 \Delta_{21}
 \end{aligned}$$

No δ term, no matter effects

For θ_{13}

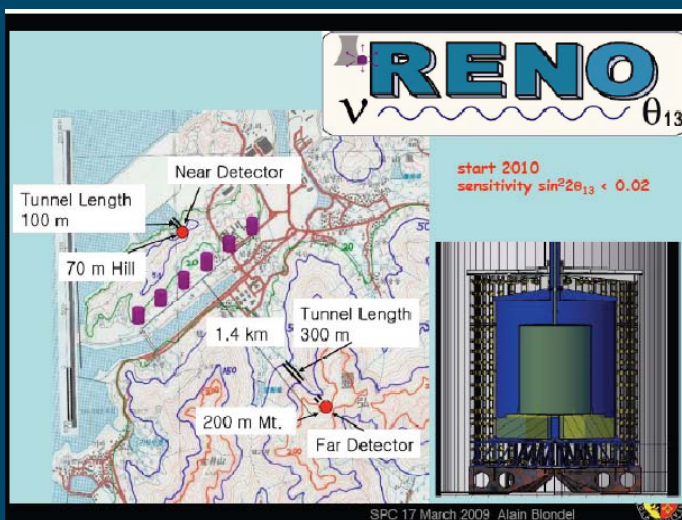
■ Three Approved Reactor Experiments

- Double Chooz (France)
- Daya Bay (China)
- RENO (Korea)

■ Two off-axis Superbeam Experiments

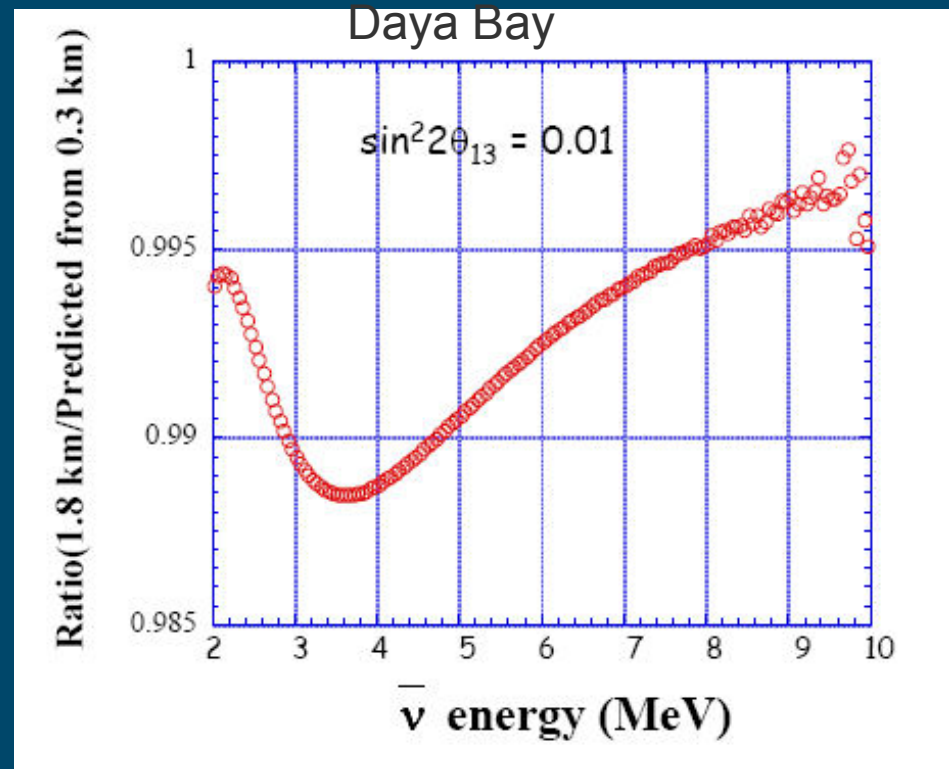
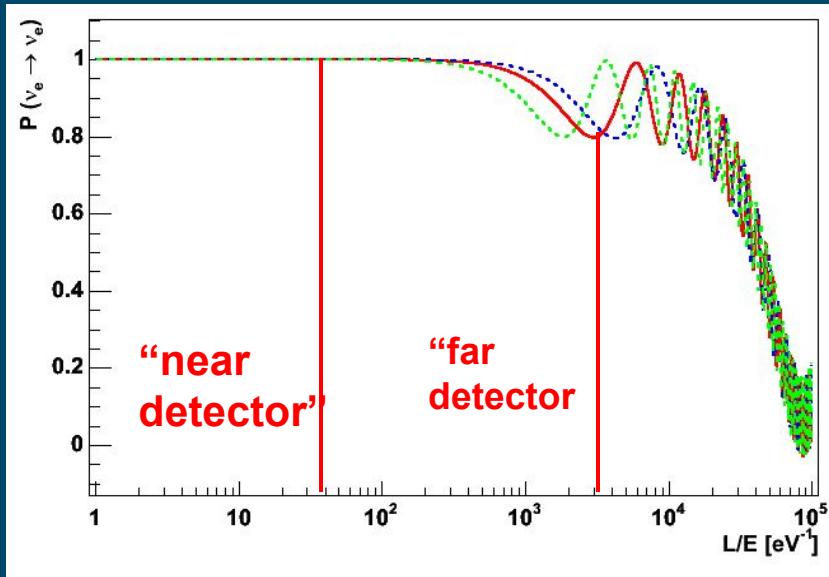
- Main aim is θ_{13} - but will also improve other parameters
- T2K
- Nova - maybe also the mass hierarchy

Reactor Expts for θ_{13}



	Start	$\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$
Double Chooz	2009-10	$> \sim 0.02$
Daya Bay	2011	$> \sim 0.01$
RENO	2011	$> \sim 0.02$

Reactor Measurement of θ_{13}

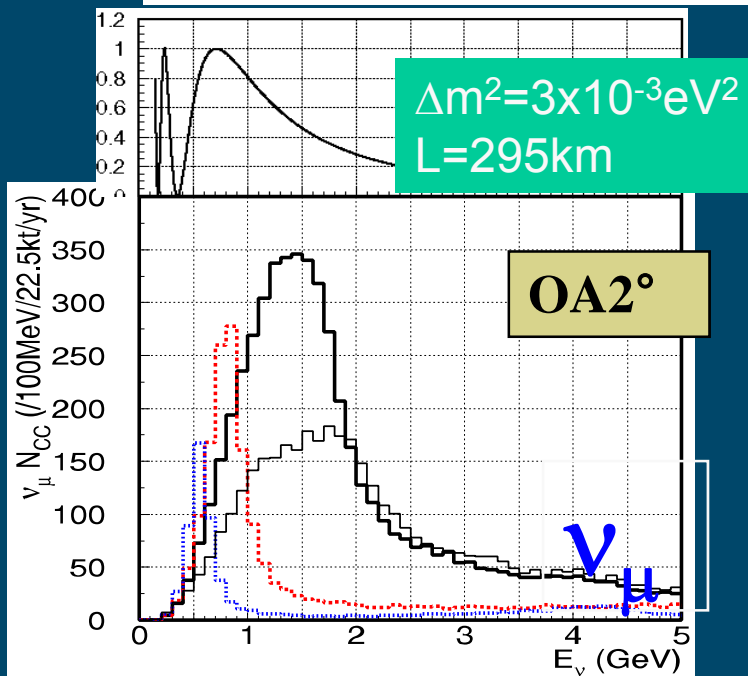
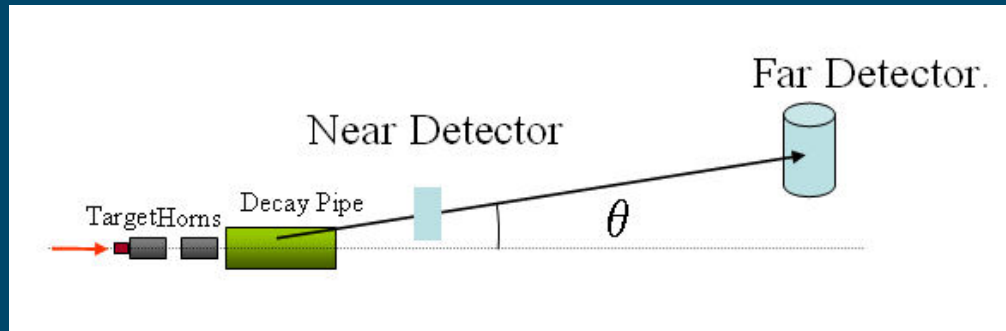


No Dependence on δ , No matter effects
But small effect and control of systematics vital.

Superbeams – near future – T2K, Nova

- Both use a ν_μ off-axis beam and have both e and μ detection
- **Aim**
 - Measurement or much better upper limit on θ_{13} using electron appearance
 - Improve accuracy of $\sin^2 2\theta_{23}$, Δm^2_{23} using muon disappearance
 - Determine mass hierarchy (Nova) – depends on θ_{13}
- **T2K**
 - Super-K, 50kt Water Cerenkov Detector, 295 km from J-PARC
 - A near detector but not same technique
 - J-PARC Beam
 - Just started , starts in earnest early 2010 at about 30 – 50 kW and will then steadily improve to ~1.5 MW, 30 – 50 GeV protons, 3 horns
 - Off axis beam $\langle E_\nu \rangle \sim 0.65$ GeV, better energy spread and less contamination
- **Nova**
 - Huge totally active scintillating detector (TASD)
 - Work on the site has recently started , first events ~2012
 - Numi Beam
 - Already available
 - Upgrade to 700 kW

Off axis Superbeams

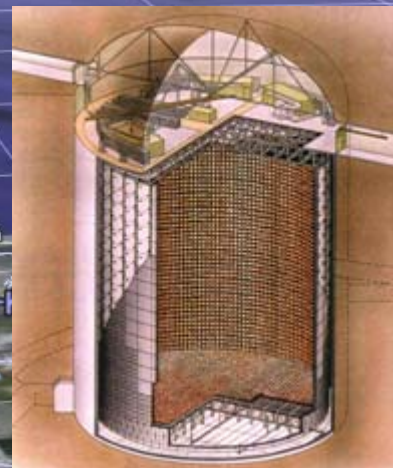


- Much better energy resolution
- More flux at oscillation max
- Less ν_e Contamination
- Reduces high energy tail and hence NC background

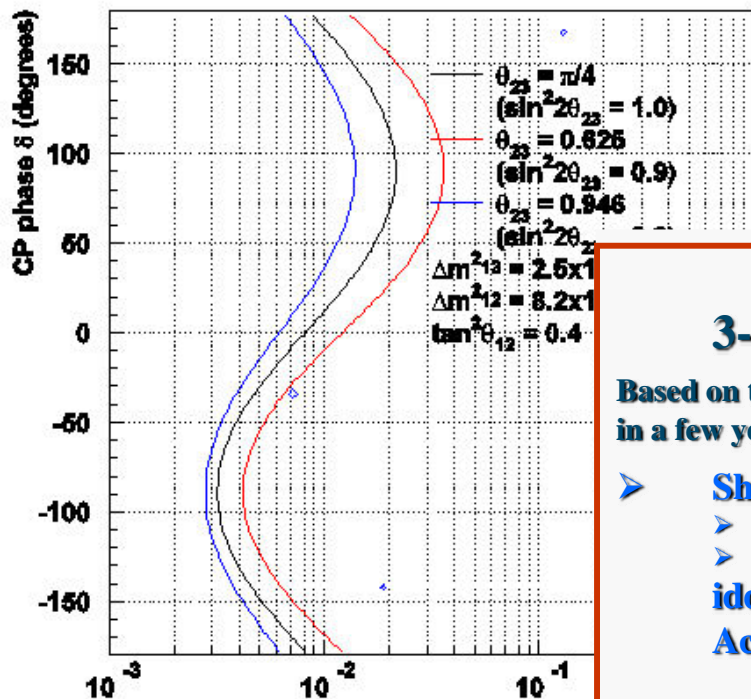
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- Increases near/far differences
- Complicates disappearance

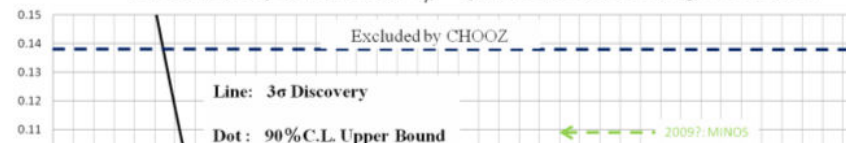
T2K



T2K Prospects



T2K Discovery Potential on $\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_e$ as a Function of Integrated Power



3-step Power Upgrade Scenario

Based on the assumption that three machine issues will be solved in a few years

- **Short term plan (2009~2010)**
 - FY2009 → Establish 30 kW run and 100kW trial
 - FY2010 → Establish 100kW (10^7 sec) and 300kW trial
- middle term plan (2011~in a few years??)**
- Achieve design beam power (750kW)**
 - Understanding/solving space charge effect and collimator scenario/aperture
 - Improvement of MR magnet power supply to increase repetition rate
 - Linac 400 MeV energy recovery and upgrade of the RCS injection system
- **Long-term plan toward power frontier (>MW)**
 - KEK roadmap

Search for $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$ appearance T2K

- Look for excess events in 1-ring e-like sample at SK

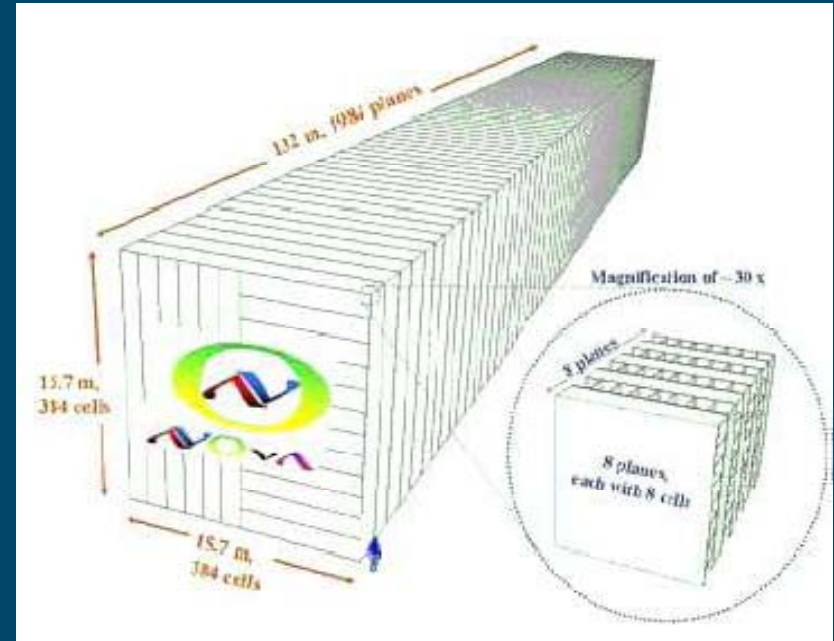
Expected number of events at SK (0.75kW beam x 5yr)

$\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$	Backgrounds			Signal
	ν_μ induced	Beam ν_e	Total	
0.1	10	13	23	103
0.01				10

- Dominant background sources:
 - Beam ν_e contamination
 - Irreducible, but different energy spectrum from oscillated ν_e
 - ν -induced NC1 π^0 events
 - one of 2 γ from π^0 is missed
 - Reducible, needs knowledge of NC1 π^0 interaction
- To be studied/estimated at near detector

Nova

- Upgrade of FNAL NuMi program.
- Off-axis configuration, and larger proton intensity (6.5×10^{20} proton/year).
- Very Long Baseline (810km) and sizeable matter effects
- Complementary to T2K program (mass hierarchy).
- $\langle E_\nu \rangle \sim 2.22 \text{ GeV}$
- 30Kton “fully” active detector.
- Liquid scintillator.
- Data taking Expected to start 2012

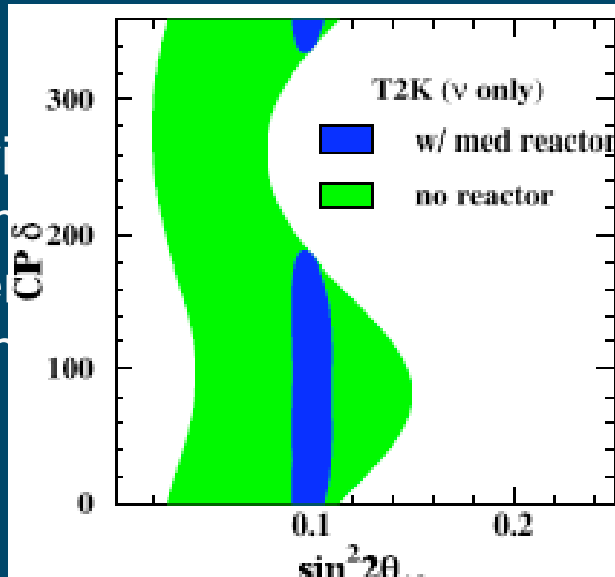


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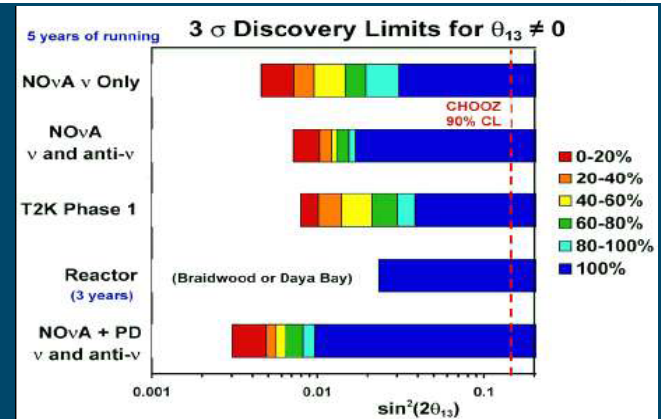
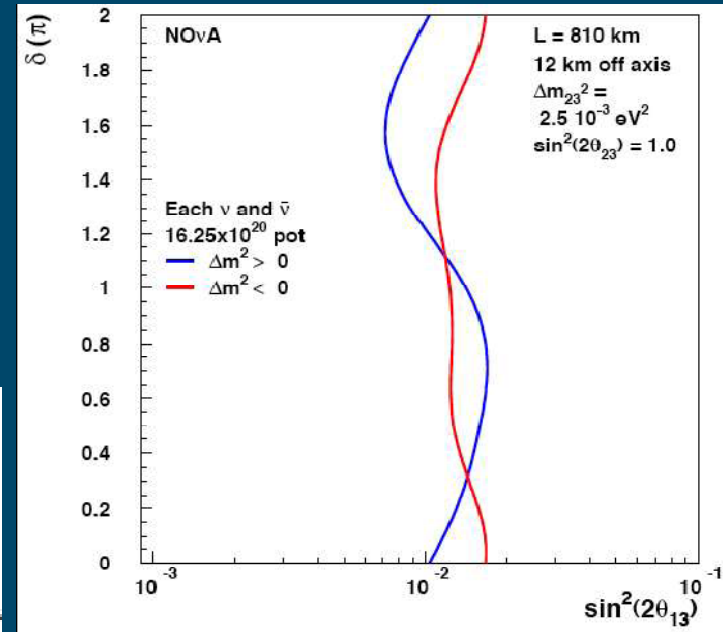
Sensitivity similar to T2K.
 – improve with antineutrino run.

- Sensitivity to mass hierarchy.

- Synergies with reactor experiments for different matter densities and different degeneracy breaking



90% CL regions for $\sin^2 2\theta_{13}=0.1, \delta=90$



The Precision Era - after T2K and Nova

- Around 2012 - 2015
- We shall have good measurements of
 - $\theta_{12}, \theta_{23}, \Delta m^2_{12}, \Delta m^2_{23}$
- Probably have a measurement of θ_{13}
- Possibly know the mass hierarchy

- So can now plan for the ultimate neutrino measurements
 - Refine all parameters
 - Check consistency
 - Measure CP Violation

Long Baseline Experiments

■ What can be measured?

○ ν_e Beam

$\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e$	$\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$	'disappearance'
$\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu$	$\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\mu$	'golden channel'
$\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\tau$	$\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\tau$	'silver channel'

○ ν_μ Beam

$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$	$\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$	'platinum channel'
$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\mu$	$\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\mu$	'disappearance'
$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\tau$	$\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\tau$	'silver channel'

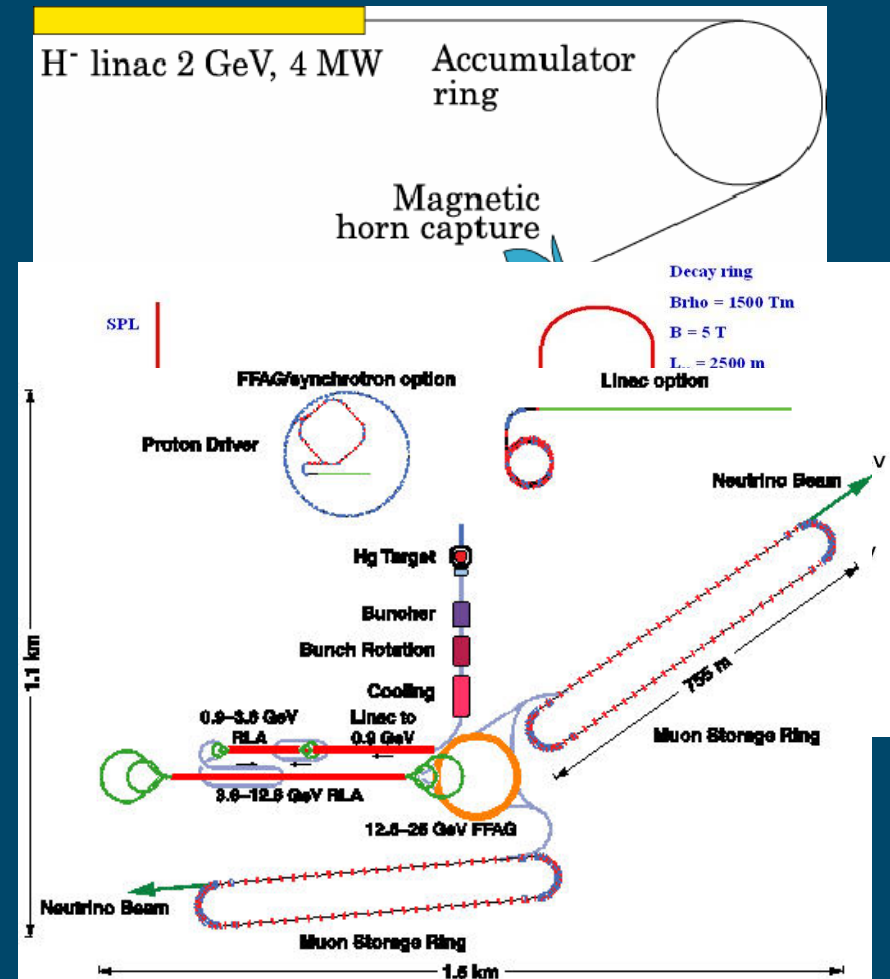
To test the Unitarity of the PMNS matrix and CPT invariance ideally measure all of these

Determining Factors

- **Beam**
 - **Intensity**, Purity, Divergence, **Energy**, Energy Spread?
- **Detector**
 - **Size**, energy resolution, for μ 's, for e's, **Detection threshold**, Pictorial (τ 's and e's), Magnetisable
- **Near Detector**
 - Crucial to understand systematics, same technology as far?
- **Experiment**
 - **Baseline**, L/E (optimum determined by Δm_{ij}^2 , now reasonably known, Removal of degeneracies- **More than 1 L/E, Backgrounds**
- **Systematics**
 - **Cross sections**, neutrino cross sections are still not well known
 - **Particle/antiparticle**
 - **Near/Far**
- **Cost**

Neutrino source – options:

- Second generation super-beam
 - CERN, FNAL, BNL, J-PARC II
- Beta-beam
- Neutrino Factory



$\nu_e, \bar{\nu}_e$ Beams - Golden Channel

■ Reactors

- Can only measure ν_e disappearance
- It is hard to see reactors playing a major role after Double Chooz, Daya Bay and RENO

■ Beta beams

- High purity, Low Divergence beam possible
- Intensity questionable, depends primarily on ion source. particularly for ν
- Wide range of possible detectors

■ Neutrino Factory

- High Purity, Low Divergence beam possible, can have high energy & very long baselines
- Intensity dependent on proton driver
- Can have alternate ν , $\bar{\nu}$ pulses
- Requires Magnetisable Detector

$\nu_{\mu}, \bar{\nu}_{\mu}$ Beams - Platinum Channel

■ Superbeams

- ν , anti- ν in separate experiments. Significant ν_e contamination
- On axis – wide band beam, Off axis - narrow band. Wide band beam can give 1st and 2nd max at same L
- Intensity dependent on proton driver, target and horn system

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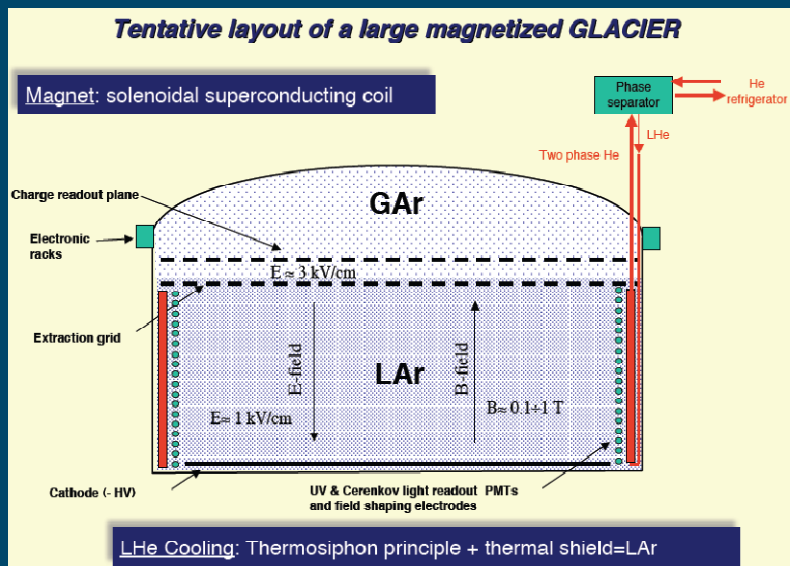
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- Can have alternate ν , $\bar{\nu}$ pulses
- Requires Magnetisable Detector – not ideal for electron detection

Detectors

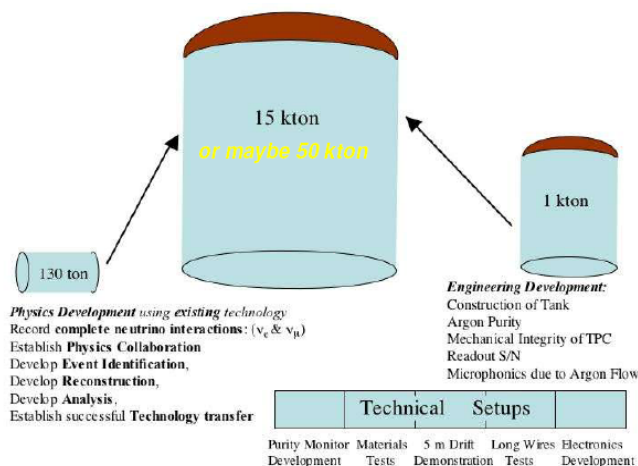
- **Water Cerenkov**
 - Good for low energy SB, BB, well established, also p-decay
- **Liquid Argon TPC**
 - SB, BB, (NF if magnetisable), prob also p-decay
- **MIND Iron / Scintillator sandwich (MINOS like)**
 - NF baseline
- **TASD Totally Active Scintillating Detector (Nova, Minerva like)**
 - SB, BB, (NF if magnetisable), poss also p-decay
- **Hybrid Emulsion Detectors**
 - NF – for silver channel
- **Beam Diagnostic Devices**
- **Near Detector**
 - Vital for precision

Liquid argon

Detector concepts

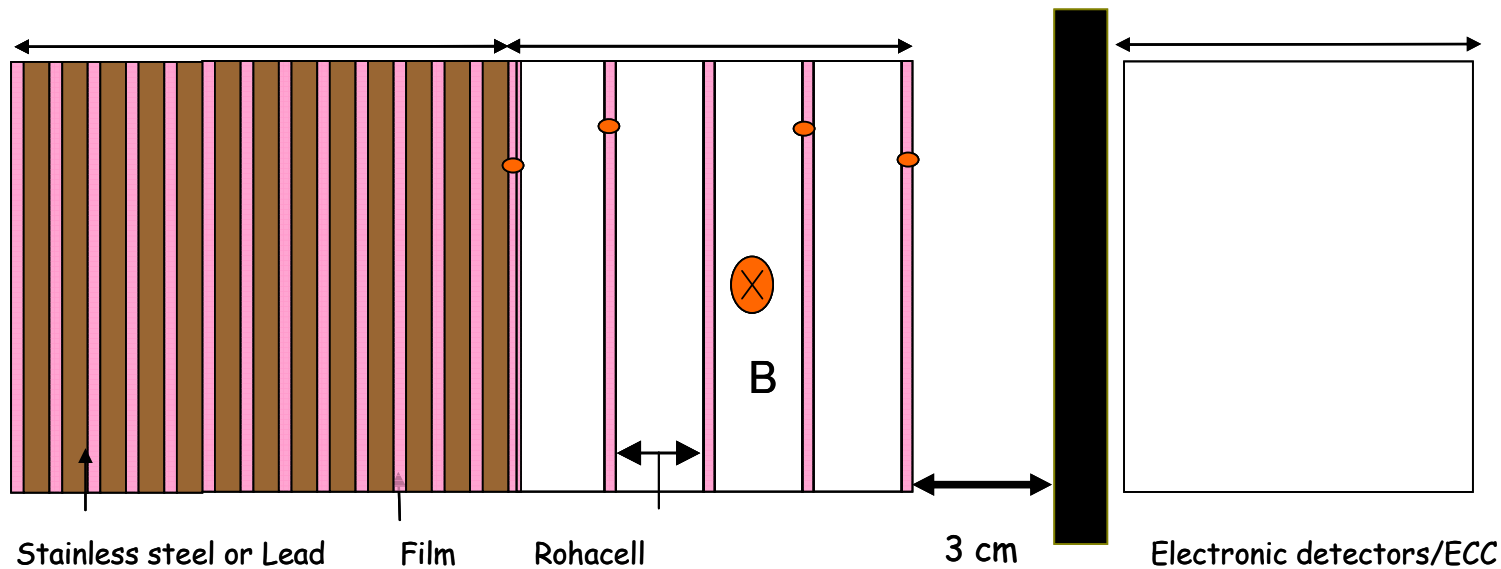


NuMI LArTPC Status - Hardware



Emulsion detector – MECC

DONUT/OPERA type target + Emulsion spectrometer + TT + Electron/pi discriminator



Assumption: accuracy of film by film alignment = 10 micron (conservative)

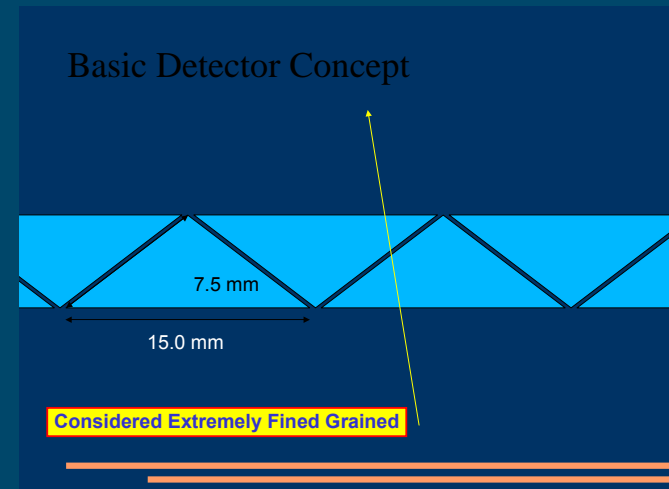
13 lead plates ($\sim 2.5 X_0$) + 4 spacers (2 cm gap) (NB in the future we plan to study stainless steel as well. May be it will be the baseline solution: lighter target)

The geometry of the MECC is being optimized

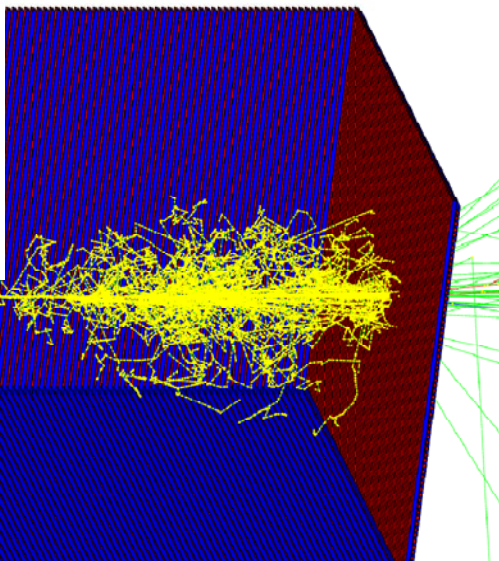
Magnetic sampling calorimeter

- Concept:

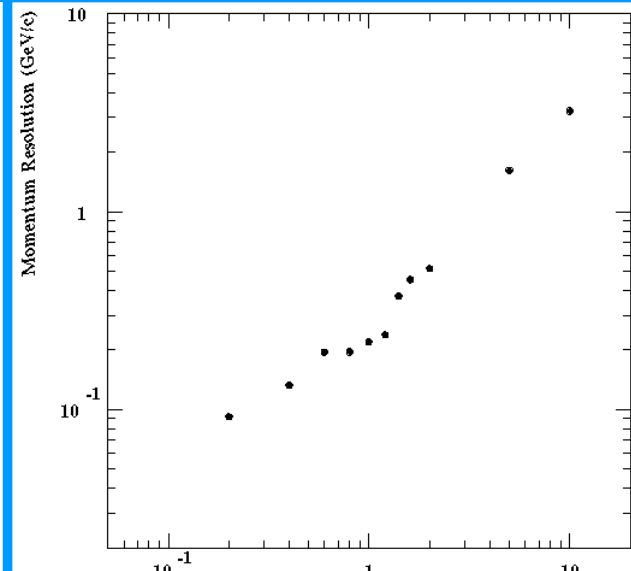
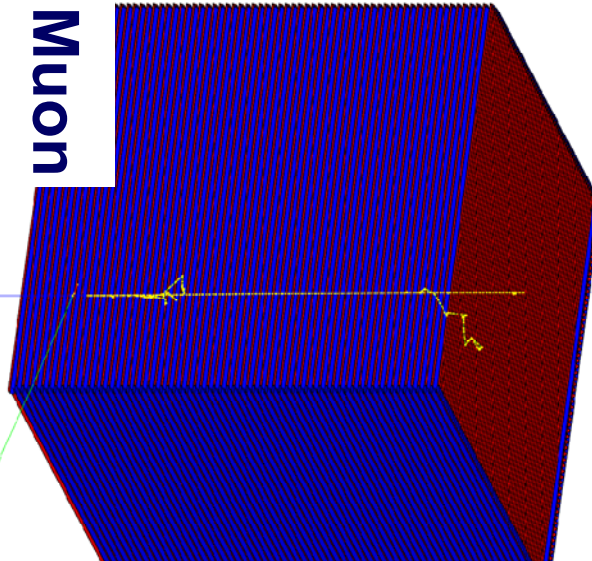
- Magnetised iron?
 - Sampling fraction?
- Air toroid
- Cost
 - ~ \$300M



Electron



Muon



Possible Next Generation Superbeams

■ Typical parameters

- Proton driver 2 – 4 Mw
- Long Baselines
- At least two L/E
- Far detector very large which could also search for proton decay

○ Japan

- Boost power at JPARC to ~4 MW
- **T2HK** ~1 Mton water Cerenkov or very large Liquid Argon
- **T2KK** - split detector half in Japan, half in Korea
- **T2K to Okinoshima**

Quest for the Origin of Matter Dominated Universe

One of the Main Subject of the
KEK Roadmap

T2K
(2009~)

Discovery of
the ν_e Appearance

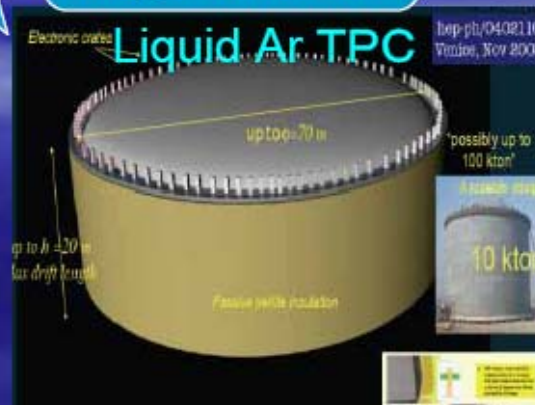
Neutrino
Intensity Improvement

Huge Detector R&D

Establish
Huge Detector
Technology

Construction of
Huge Detector

Discovery of
Lepton CP Violation
Proton Decay



Three Possible Scenario Studied at NP08 Workshop



NP08 is The 4th International Workshop on Nuclear and Particle Physics at J-PARC

<http://j-parc.jp/NP08>

Possible Next Generation Superbeams

○ USA

■ Project X

- Initially 150 kW at 8 GeV, 2 MW at 120 GeV
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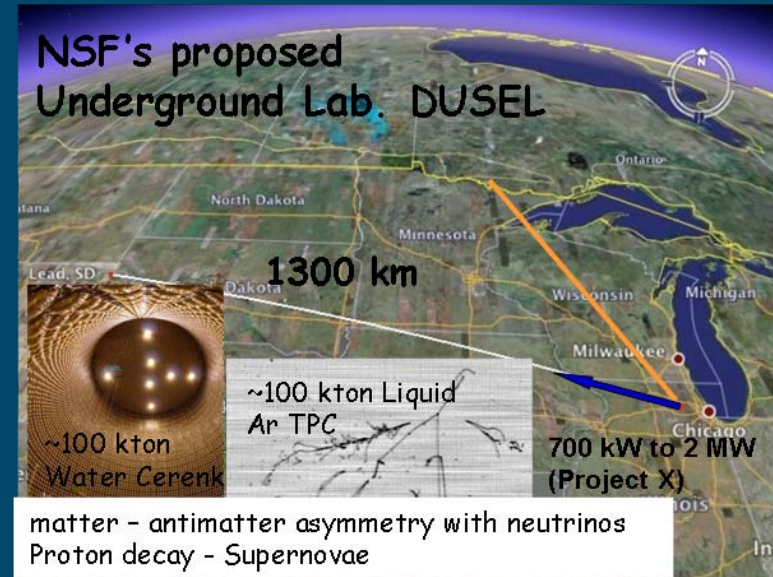
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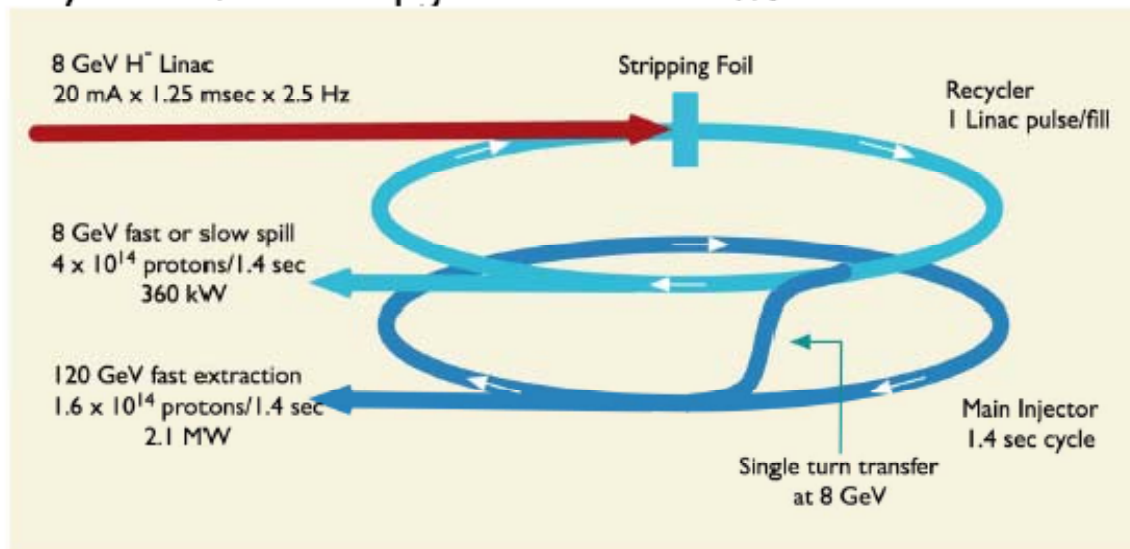
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Initial Configuration

- A multi-megawatt proton source is considered a central and cohesive element for future accelerator developments needed in the exploration of both Energy and Intensity Frontiers at Fermilab
- Project X Design Criteria
 - 2 MW of beam power over the range 60 - 120 GeV;
 - Simultaneous with at least 150 kW of beam power at 8 GeV;
 - Compatibility with future upgrades to 2-4 MW at 8 GeV



Beta Beams

■ Storage ring with β -decaying ions (P Zucchelli)

- β^- decay \Rightarrow anti- ν_e , β^+ decay \Rightarrow ν_e , Very pure beam – ideal for golden channel

■ Choice of Ions

- Lifetime ~ 1 sec, shorter, cannot store, longer too few ν 's
- Low Z better – lower mass/charge/ ν
- High E desired, $\sigma \propto E_\nu$, $E_\nu \propto Q_{\text{decay}} E_{\text{ion}}$, Divergence $\propto 1/E_{\text{ion}}$

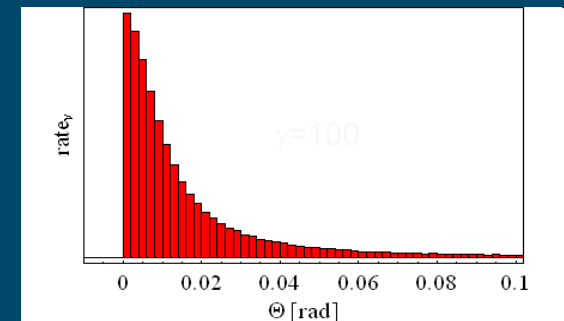
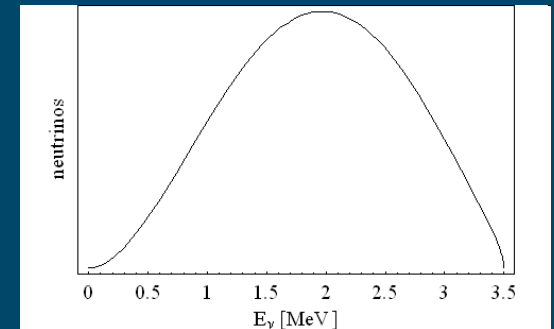
○ Choices

- Original $\gamma_{\text{ion}} = 100$ (feasible at CERN with current SPS)
 - ${}^6\text{He}_2$ for ν , $Q = 3.5$ MeV, $\langle E_\nu \rangle \sim 350$ MeV
 - ${}^{18}\text{Ne}_{10}$ for $\bar{\nu}$, $Q = 3.0$ MeV, $\langle E_\nu \rangle \sim 300$ MeV
- Improved $\gamma = 350$ (needs now PS and SPS at CERN)

■ High - Q versions (C Rubbia)

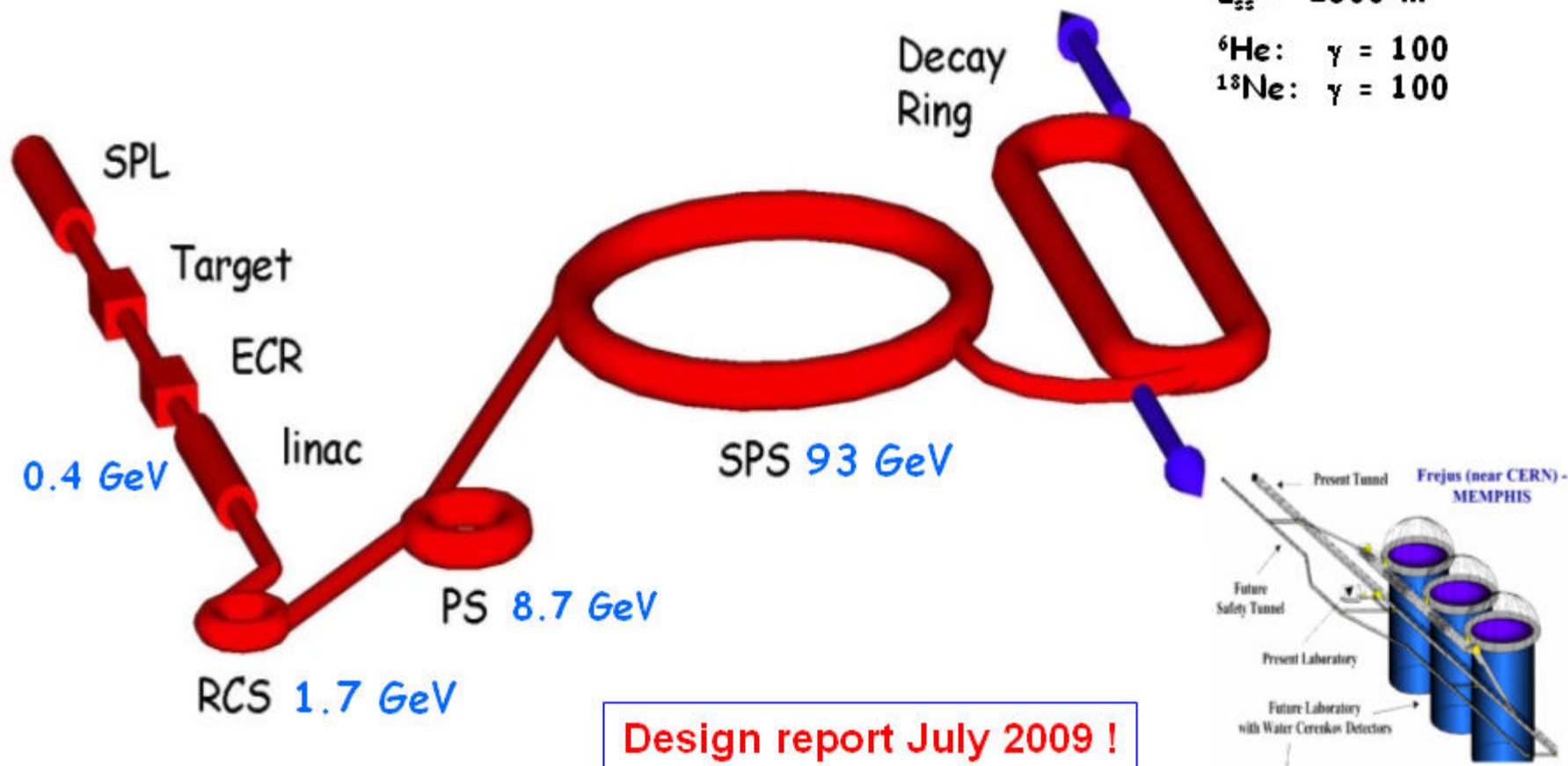
- Increase energy using high-Q decays rather than high γ
- ${}^8\text{Li}_3$ for ν , $Q = 13.0$ MeV
- ${}^8\text{B}_5$ for $\bar{\nu}$, $Q = 13.9$ MeV

- Production of sufficient ions is a major challenge, ${}^6\text{He}_2$ OK, ${}^{18}\text{Ne}_{10}$, ${}^8\text{Li}_3$ hard, ${}^8\text{B}_5$ appears very difficult.

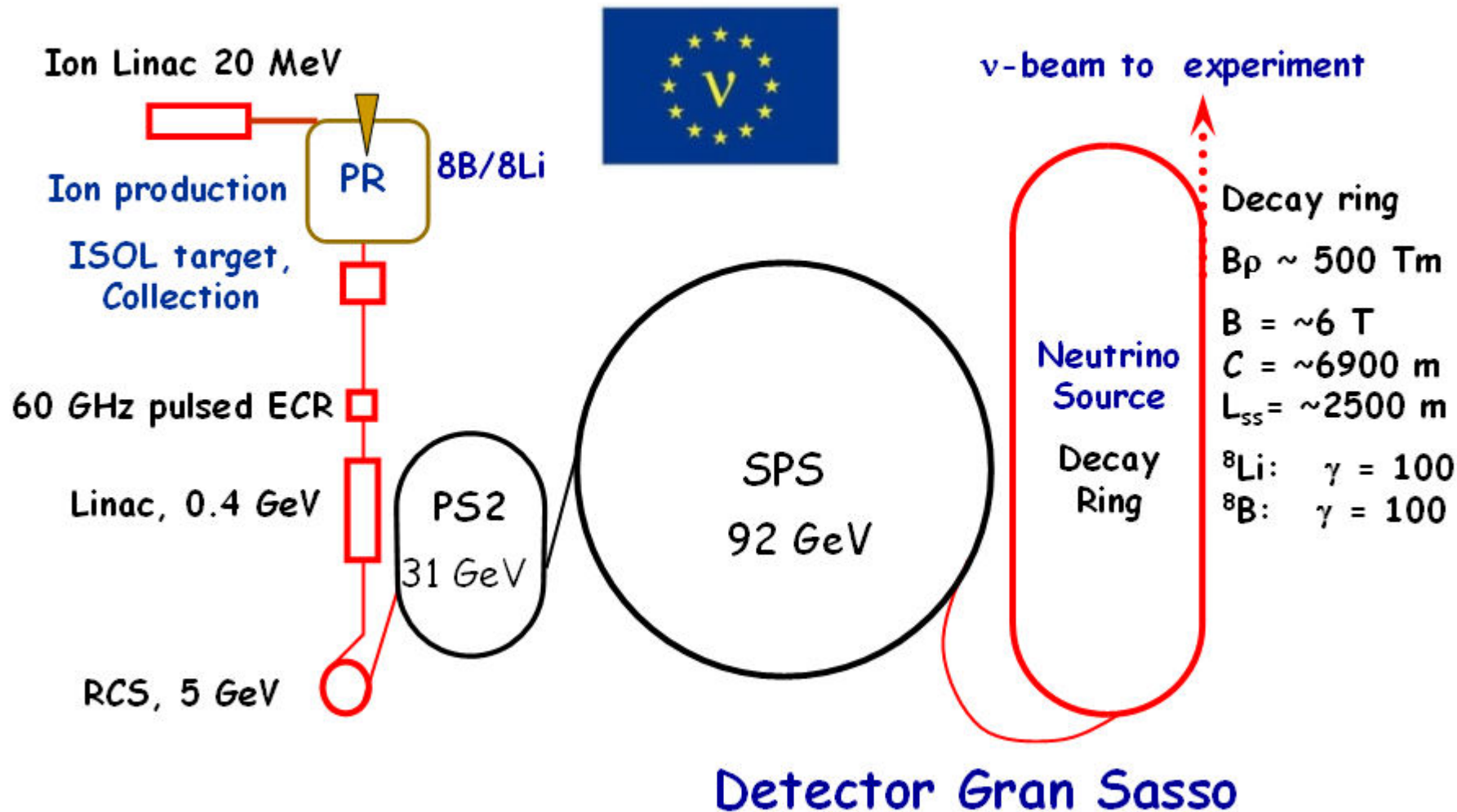


The **EURISOL** scenario

Design Study



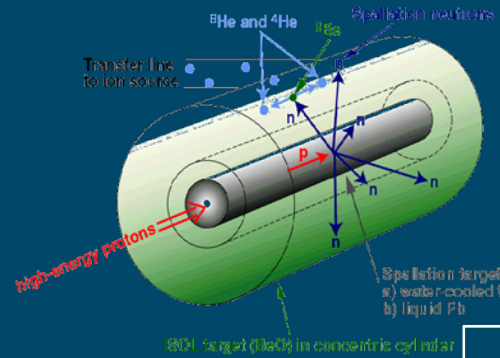
Beta Beam scenario EUROν (FP7)



Ion production (from Elena Wildner)

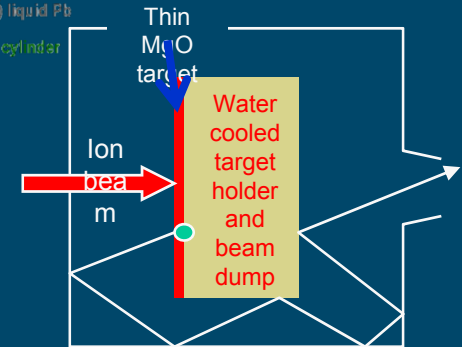
■ ISOL method at 1-2 GeV (200 kW)

- $>1 \cdot 10^{13}$ ${}^6\text{He}$ per second
- $<8 \cdot 10^{11}$ ${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ per second
- Studied within EURISOL



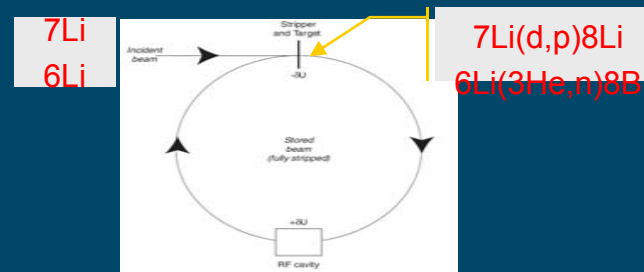
■ Direct production

- $>1 \cdot 10^{13}$ (?) ${}^6\text{He}$ per second
- $1 \cdot 10^{13}$ ${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ per second
- ${}^8\text{Li}$?
- Studied at LLN, Soreq, WI and GANIL



■ Production ring

- 10^{14} (?) ${}^8\text{Li}$
- $>10^{13}$ (?) ${}^8\text{B}$
- Will be studied within EUROv



N.B. Nuclear Physics has limited interest in those elements ->> Production rates not pushed!

Neutrino Factory

- Neutrinos from muon decay in a storage ring
- Can arrange for alternate bunches to be from μ^+ and μ^-

ν_e and $\bar{\nu}_\mu$ from μ^+

$\bar{\nu}_e$ and ν_μ from μ^-

Very pure beams but must have charge identification in the detector to establish 'wrong' sign product

The performance of the detector is very important -
magnetisable,
and ideally

as low a threshold as possible for μ sign determination
electron detection sign determination
tau detection appears feasible with magnetized emulsion
detector (MECC) or liquid Argon

Has the greatest potential but still technical problems requiring solution.
These are in common with mu collider R&D

NF Feasibility/Design Studies

- **Several studies at the turn of the century**

- US Studies I, II, IIa
- ECFA/CERN Study
- NuFact-J Study

established feasibility & R&D programme

- MUCOOL, MICE, MERIT....

- **International Scoping Study (ISS) launched in 2005**

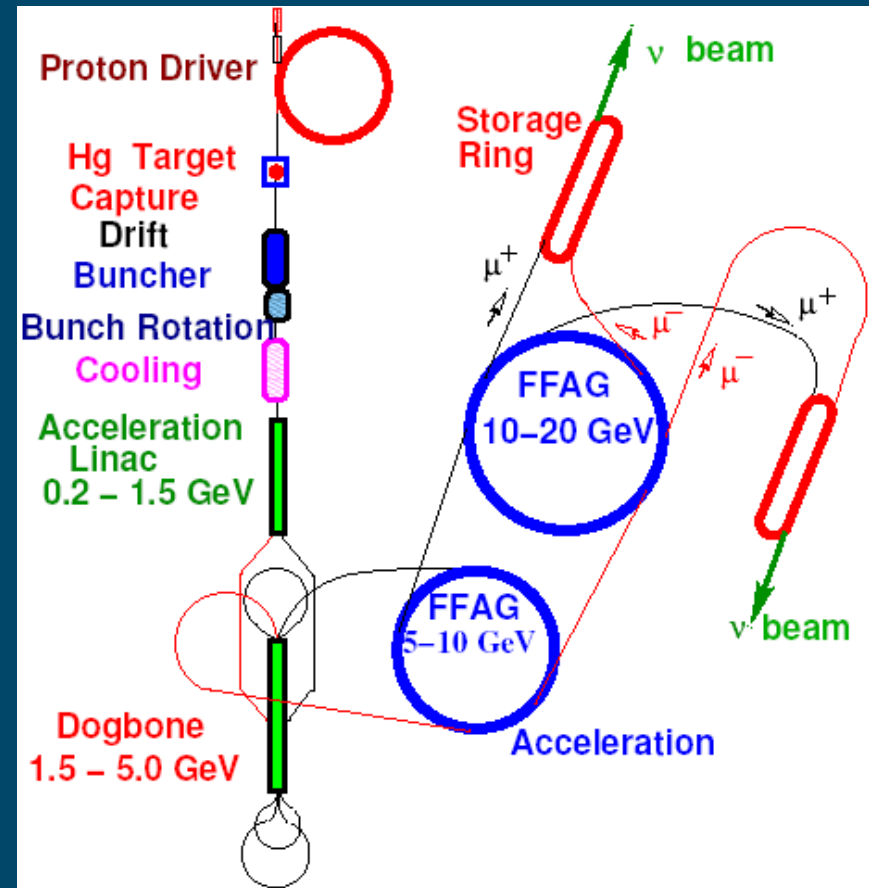
- International integrated accelerator, detector and physics study
- Completed in 2007 with 3 reports: Accelerator, Detectors & Physics case, (now accepted for publication) - include a comparison with performance of superbeams and beta-beams
- Produced baseline design for

- **International Design Study (IDS-NF) launched 2008**

- Goal to produce a CDR inc approx costing by 2012
- Being conducted in conjunction with NFMC Collaboration in US, EuroNu Design Study in Europe, UKNF in UK + others.

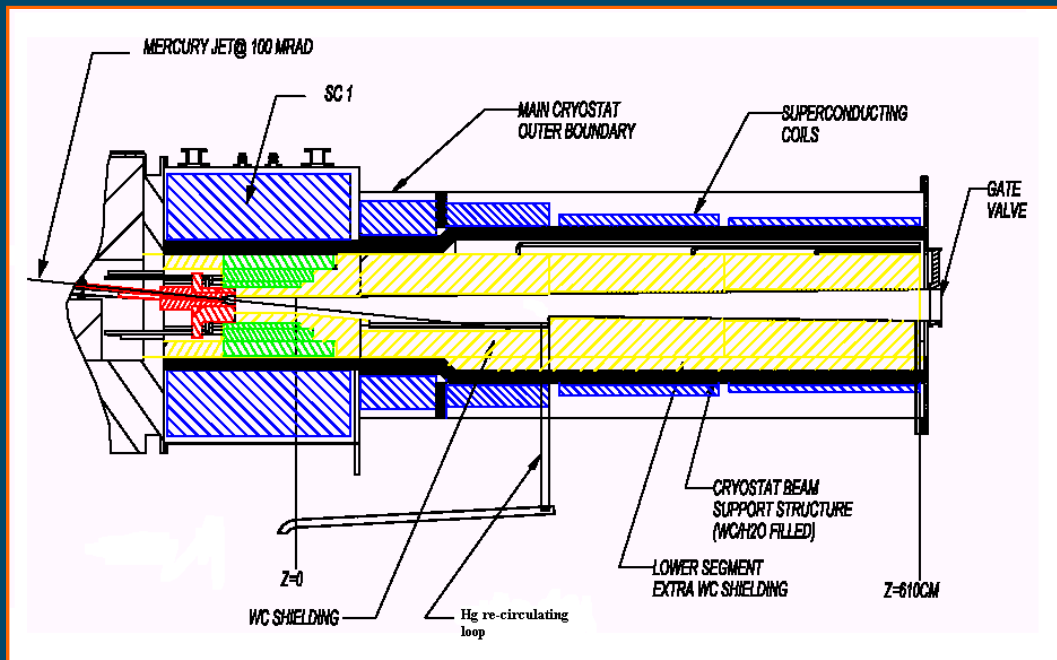
Accelerator Subsystems

- Proton driver
- Target and capture
 - Bunching and phase rotation
 - Cooling
- Acceleration
- Decay ring



Target – Major difficulty at 4 MW

■ Baseline - Mercury Jet

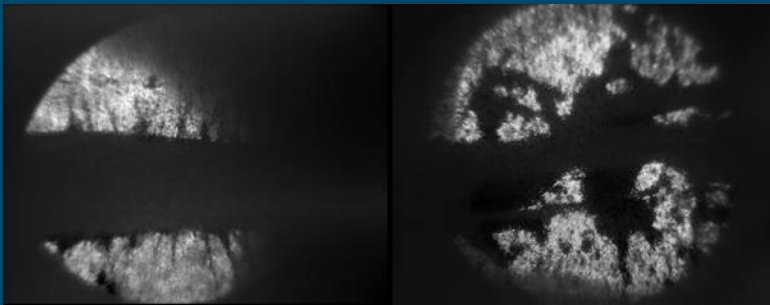
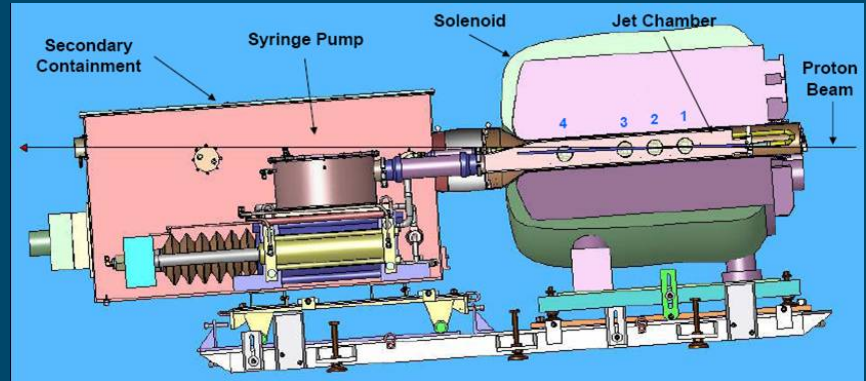


MERIT EXot serves as a satisfactory proof-of-principle of Hg-jet concept (Ilias Efthymiopoulos)

Field tapers from 20 T, 15 cm to 1.75 T, 60 cm over 20 m

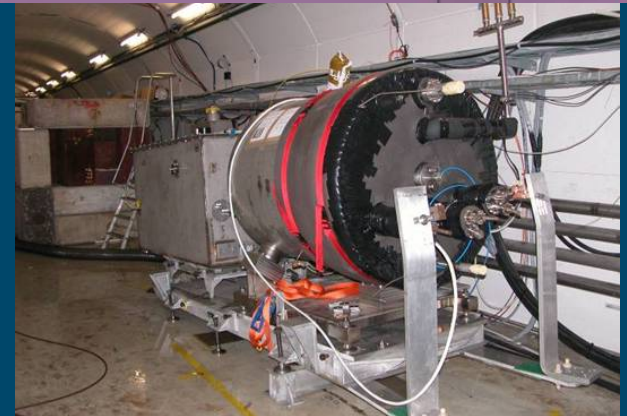
MERIT expt at CERN (2008)

- High-power liquid-mercury jet target engineering demonstration



CONCLUSIONS

Power handling of target is adequate
disruption length of 28 cm \Rightarrow 70 Hz rep.
rate at 20 m/s
115 kJ per pulse x 70 Hz gives 8 MW of
beam power
4 MW design value seems
“comfortable”

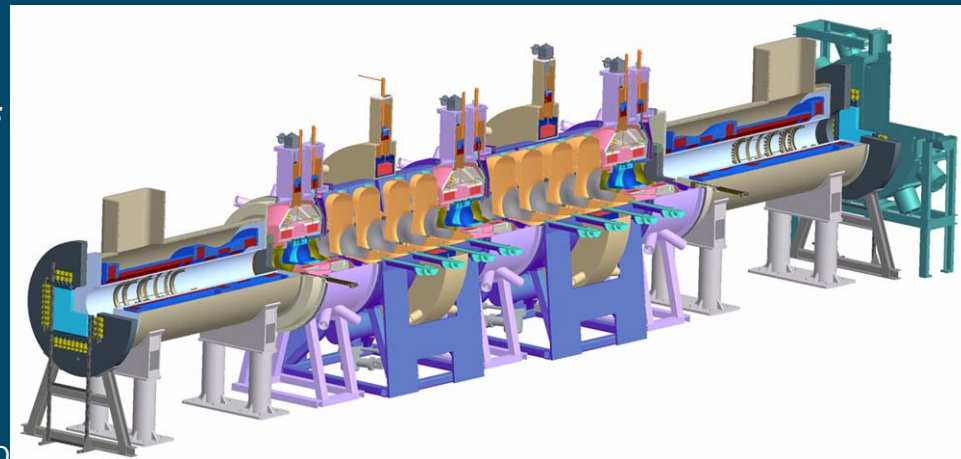
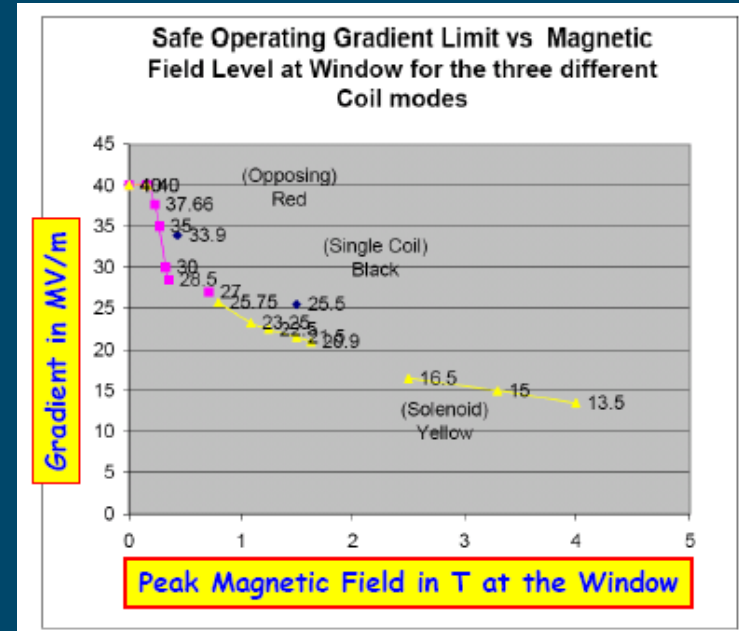


Cooling: R&D programme

2 Complementary programmes:

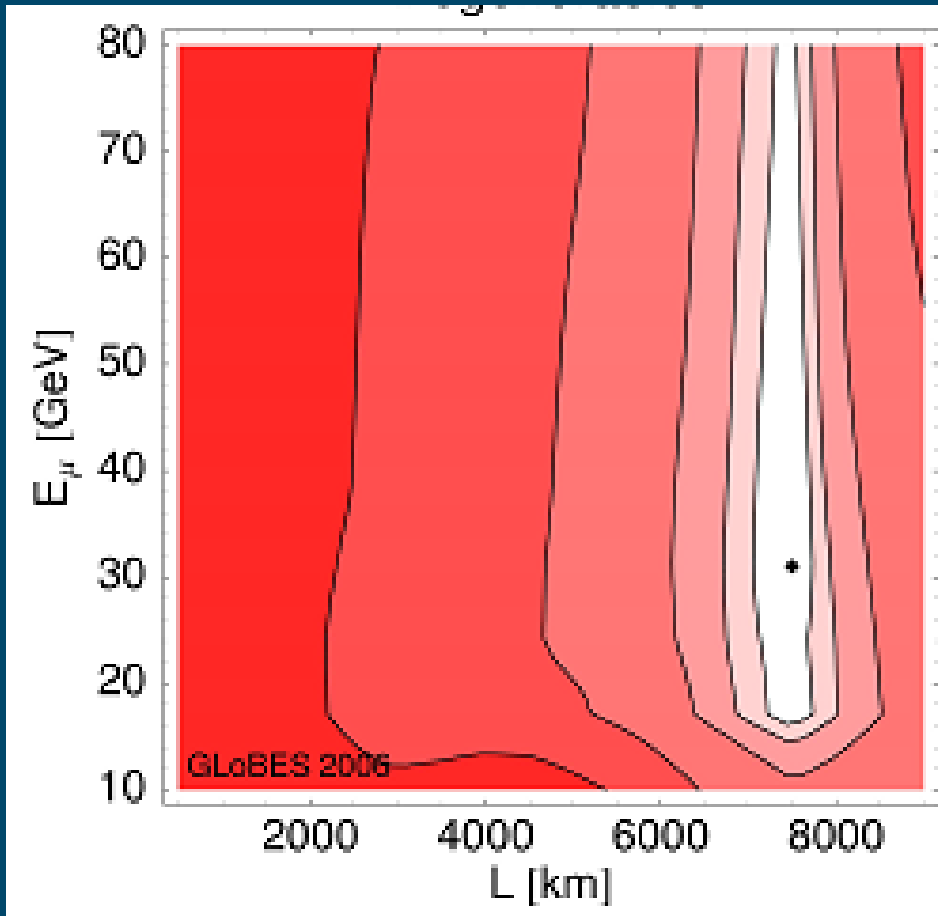
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MICE results 2012-13



NuFact - $\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$ sensitivity

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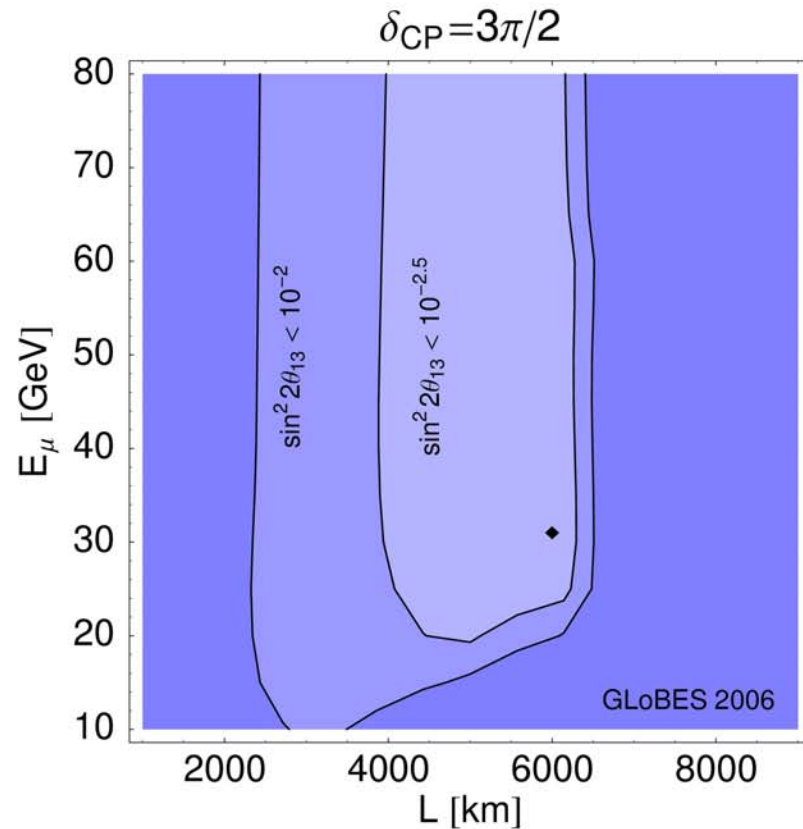
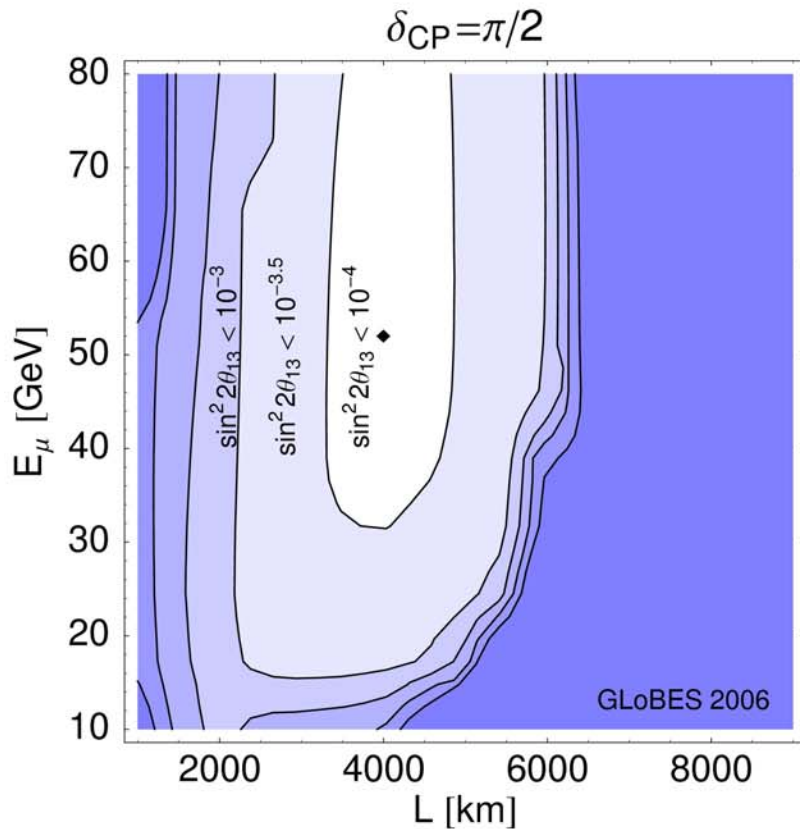


Taking into account
statistics,
systematics,
correlations,
degeneracies

Magic baseline
(7500 km) good
degeneracy
solver

Stored muon
energy > 20 GeV

NuFact - CP sensitivity



Baseline: 3000 – 5000 km
Stored-muon energy > 30 GeV

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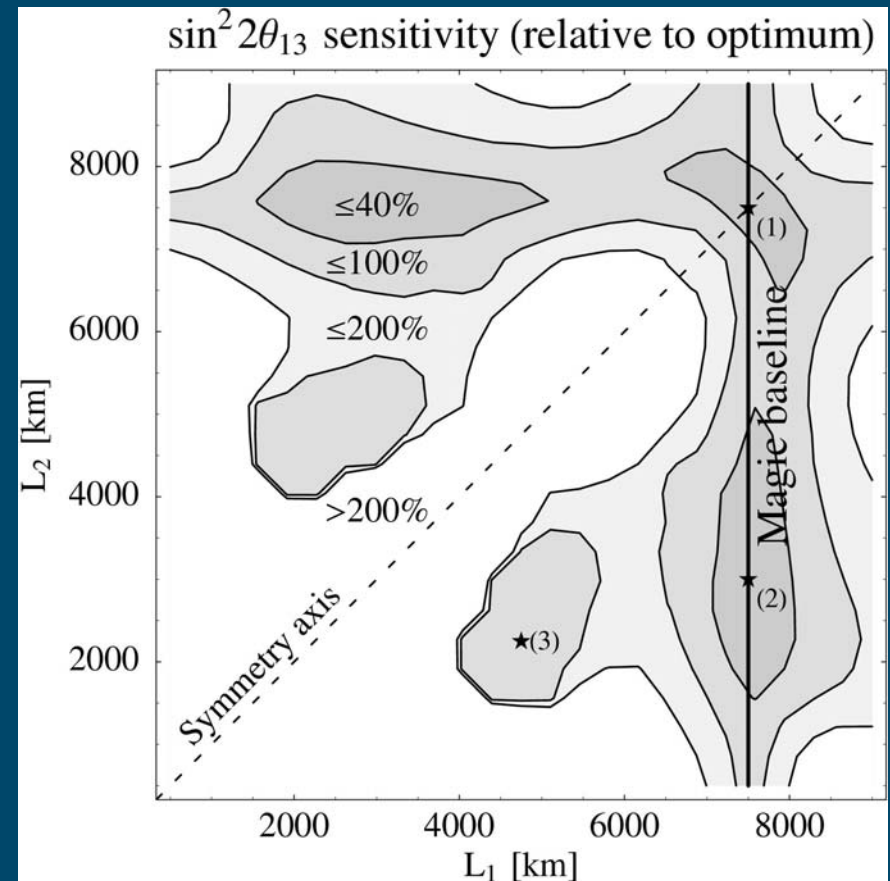
NuFact - Multiple baselines:

- Performance for two 25kT detectors relative to the performance for one 50 kT detector at the magic baseline

Stored muon
energy 50 GeV

**Second detector at
~3000 km
preferred as it has
sensitivity to CP
violation**

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Possibilities from CERN
Or RAL



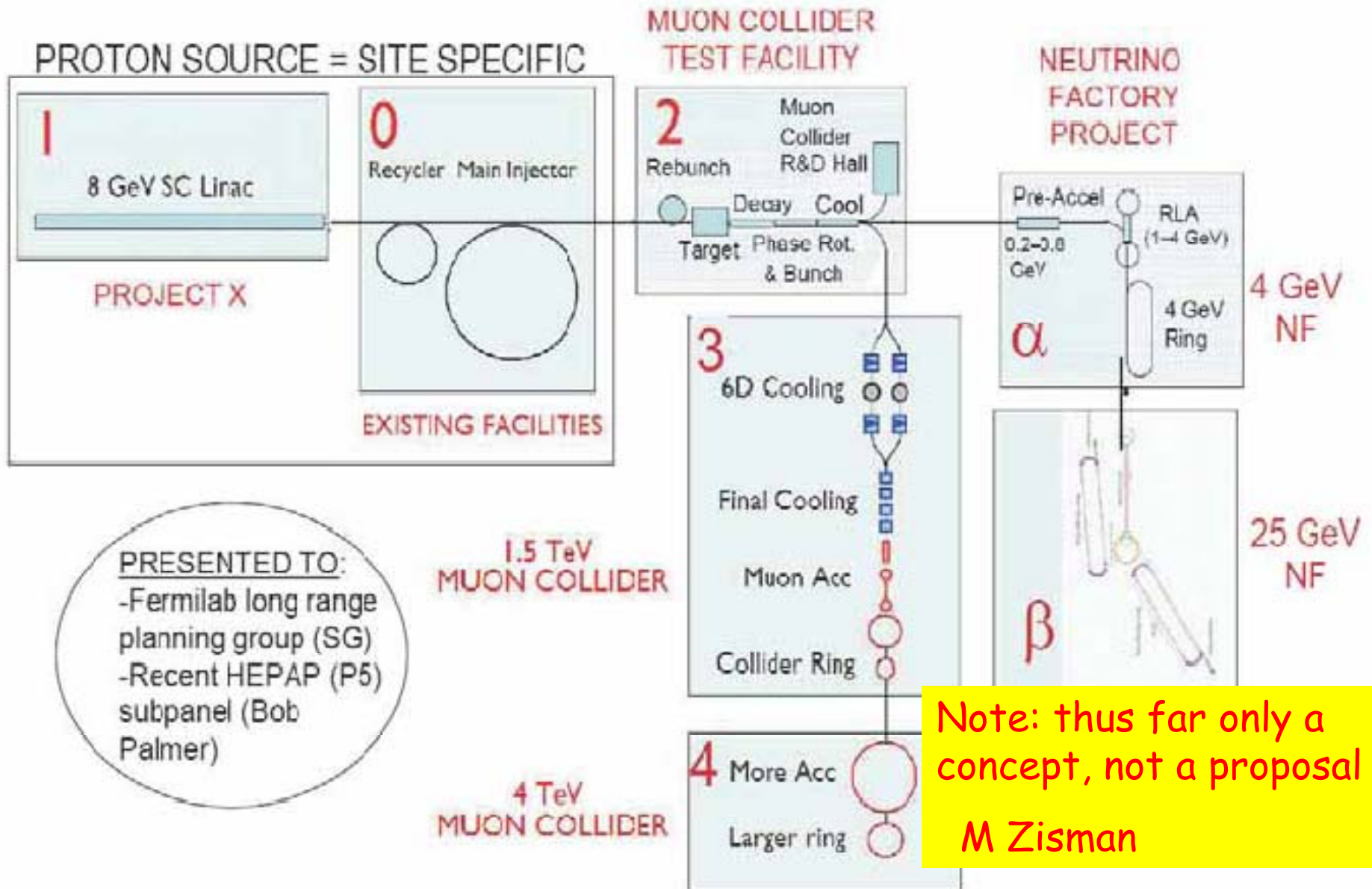
Part of
Laguna study



From Alain Blondel



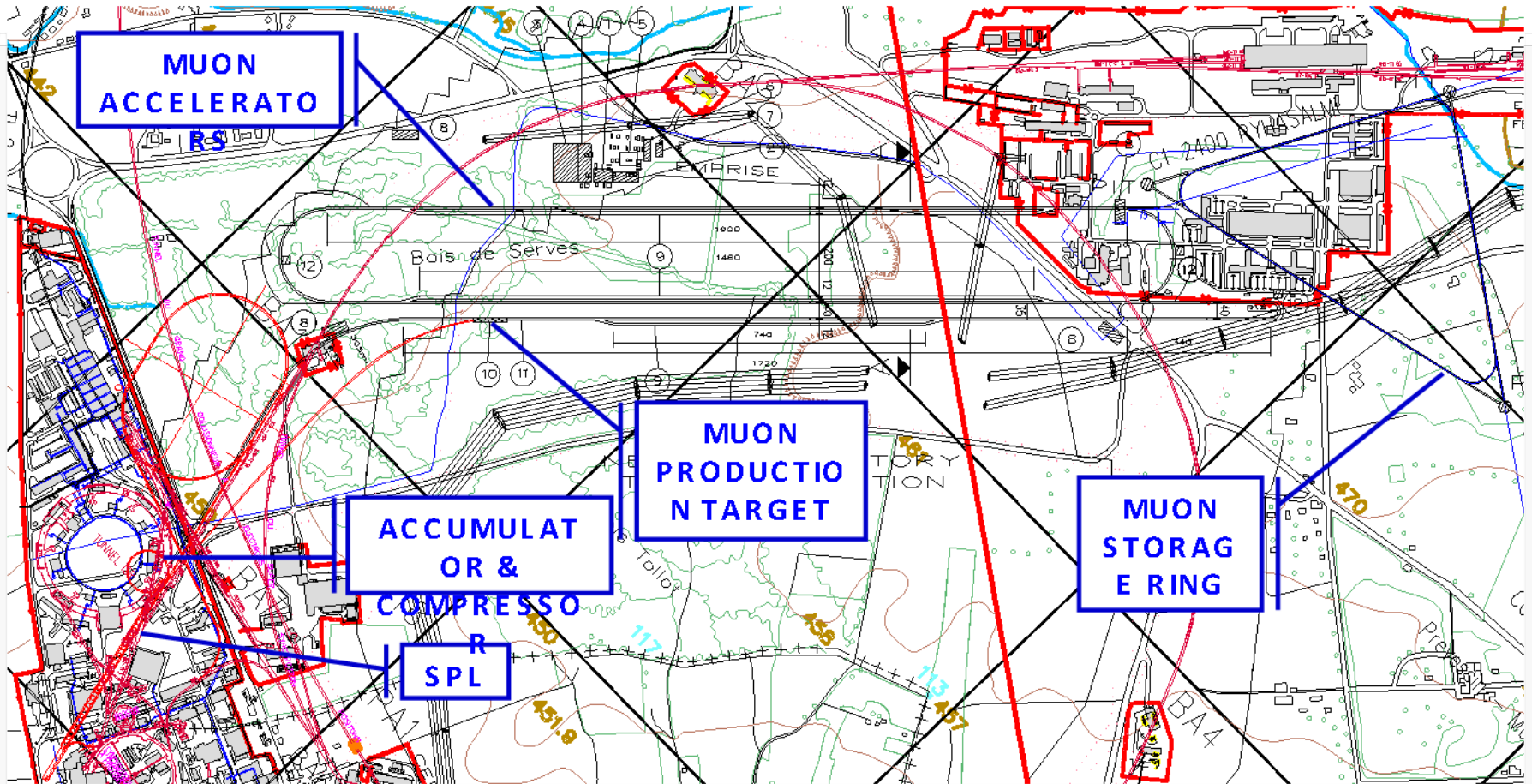
A U.S. Scenario / Project X





ν FACTORY

✓ The layout of the future injectors is compatible with a ν Factory at CERN.

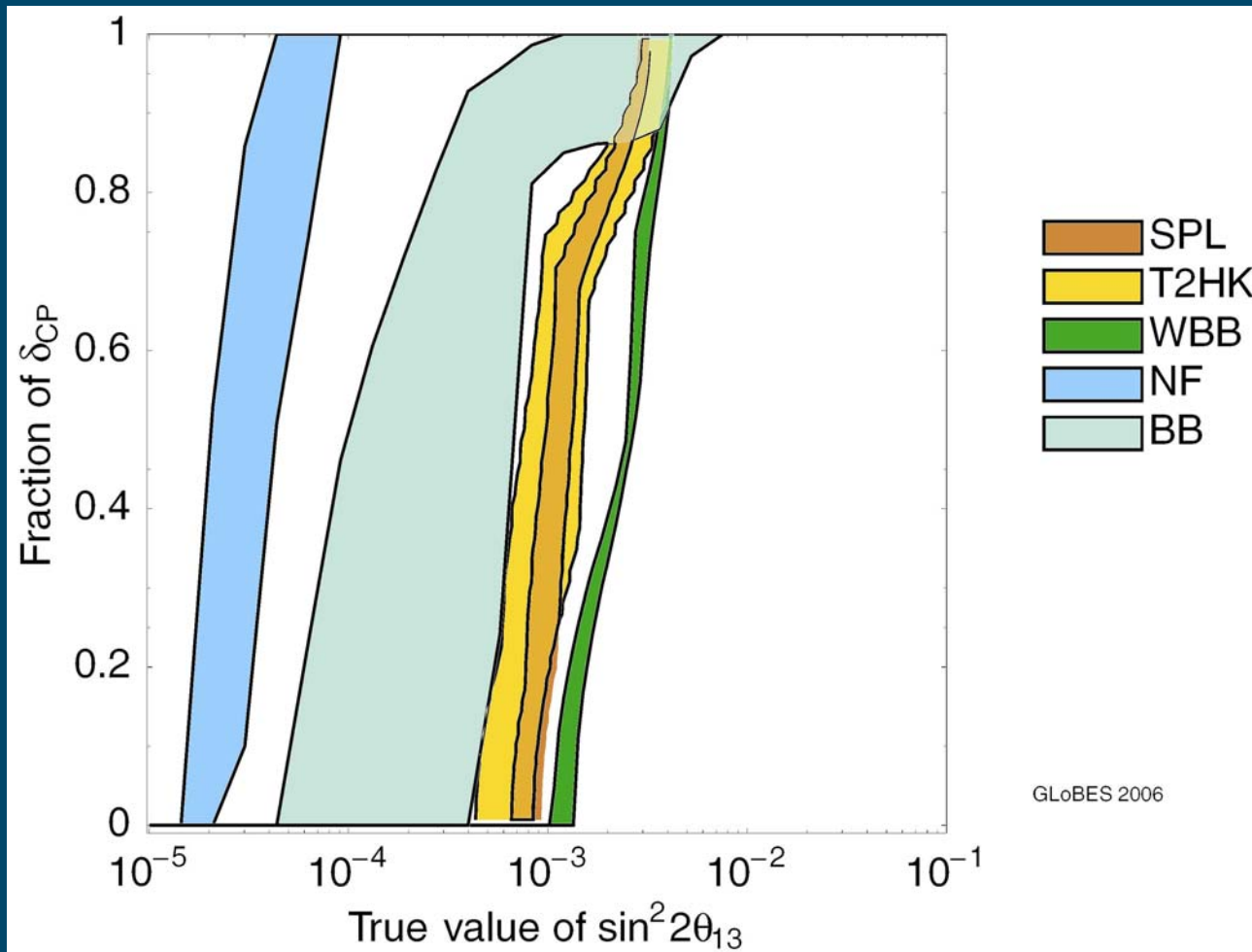


From Roland Garoby

A performance comparison (ISS)

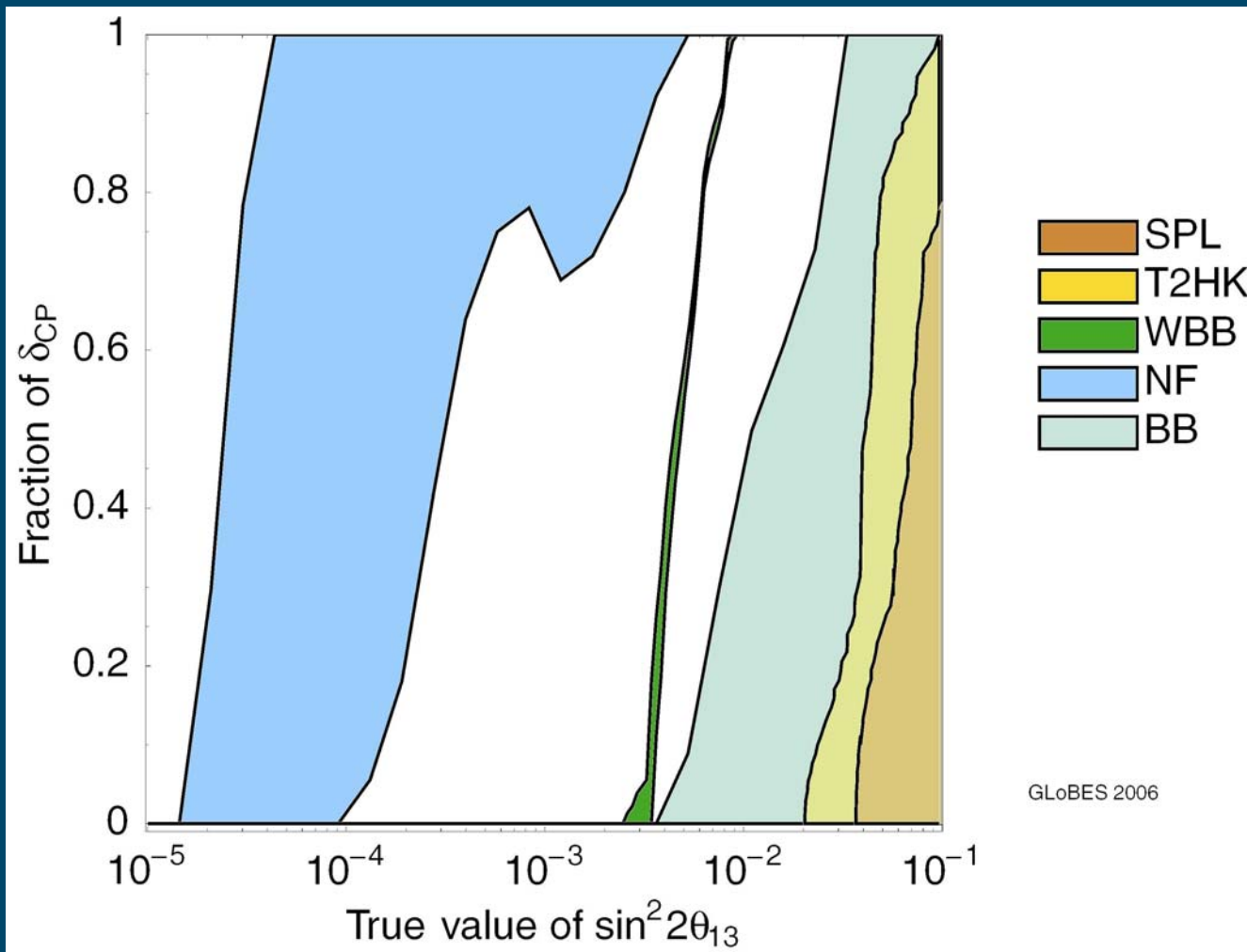
- Super-beam:
 - T2HK, SPL CERN beam to Frejus, A Long baseline Wide-band Beam
- Beta beam:
 - Low γ : $\gamma = 100$ and $L = 130$ km
 - Flux ($\sim 10^{18}$ decays per year)
 - High γ : $\gamma = 350$ and $L = 700$ km
 - Flux ($\sim 10^{18}$ decays per year)
 - Also Beta beam and superbeam combination
- Neutrino Factory
 - Performance studied as a function of:
 - E and L
 - E_{thresh} and E_{Res}
- The bands correspond to basic/enhanced performance

For θ_{13}



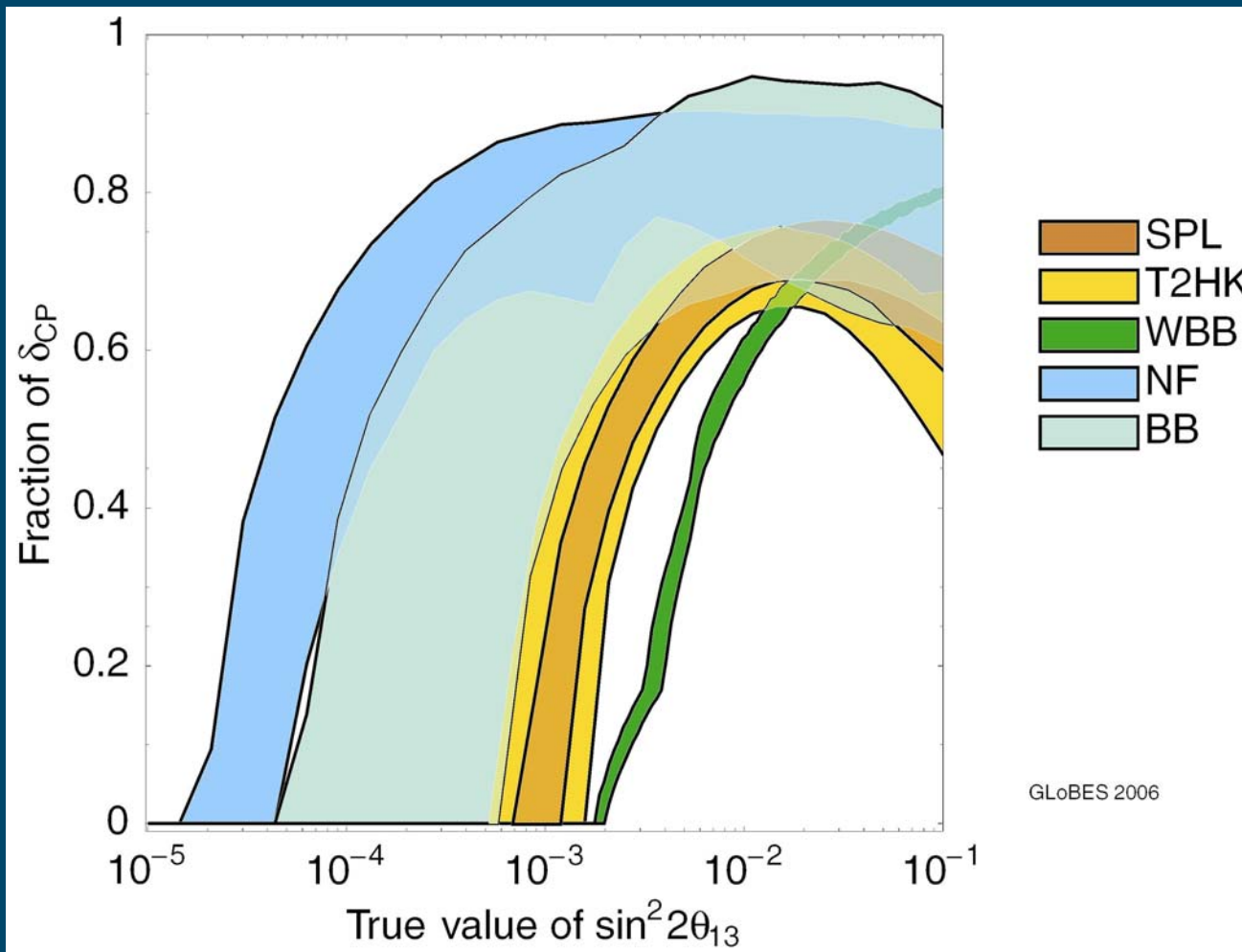
For the Mass Hierarchy

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For CP violation

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Summary

- The Lepton Sector has shown the first sign of BSM physics and may hold the key to the Flavour problem, CP violation and a viable GUT
- Progress will need precision measurements of the oscillation parameters (comparable with CKM)
- This will demand major construction beyond T2K and Nova to produce intense neutrino beams and very large detectors
- Realistic proposals exist but both beams & detectors still require R&D to show viability. This is taking place now.
- By 2012 – 2014 there should be enough information, R&D results, cost estimates and crucially the value of θ_{13} to decide the best approach
- With funding, a precision era experiment could take data by 2020-25
- It would be wonderful to know if neutrinos are Majorana and what is m_1 ,

European Strategy for Future Neutrino Physics

- *A workshop to discuss the possibilities for future neutrino investigations in Europe and the links to CERN*
 - *CERN Oct 1-3, 2009*
 - *All Welcome*

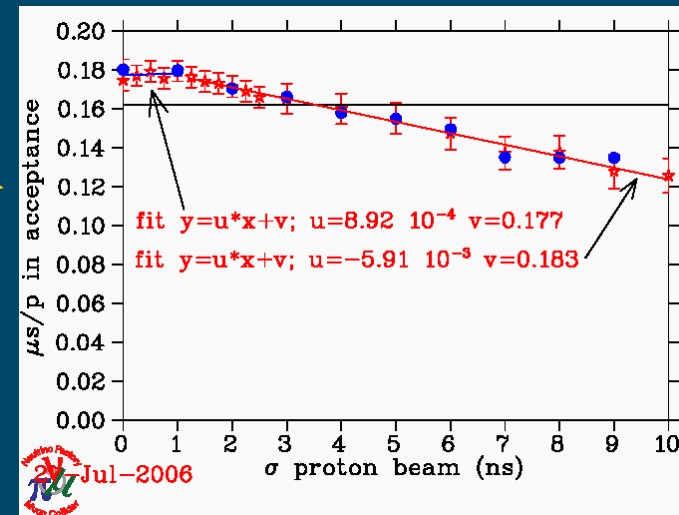
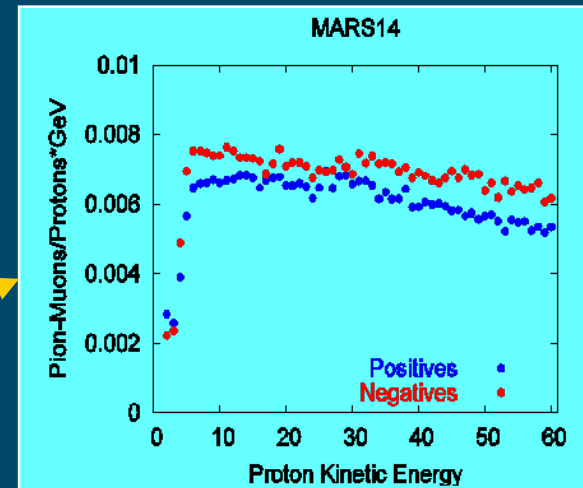
Back-up



Proton Driver

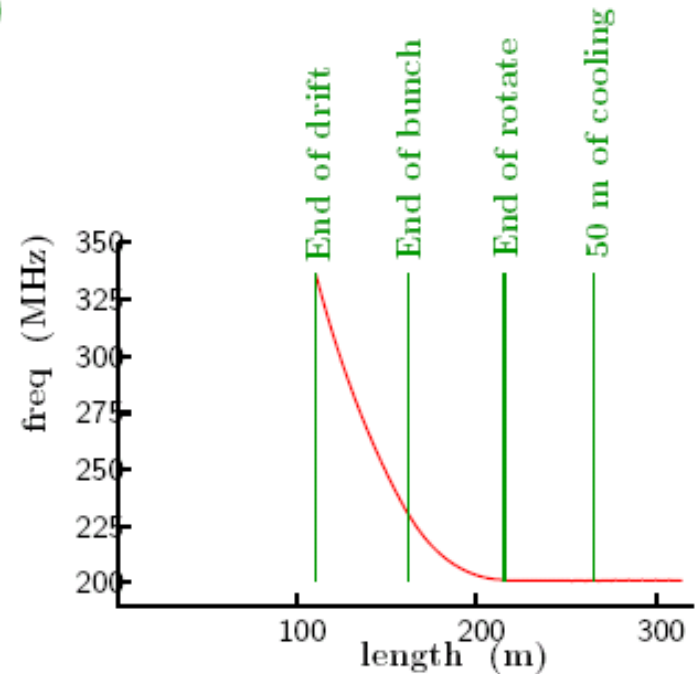
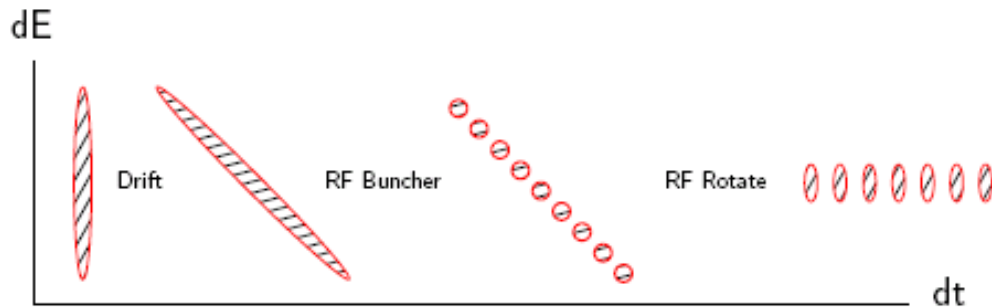
■ Baseline Parameters

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Value</u>
Energy (GeV)	10 ± 5
Beam power (MW)	4
Repetition rate (Hz)	≈ 50
No. of bunch trains	3,5 ^{a)}
Bunch length, rms (ns)	2 ± 1
Beam duration ^{b)} (μs)	≈ 40



Phase Rotation & Bunching

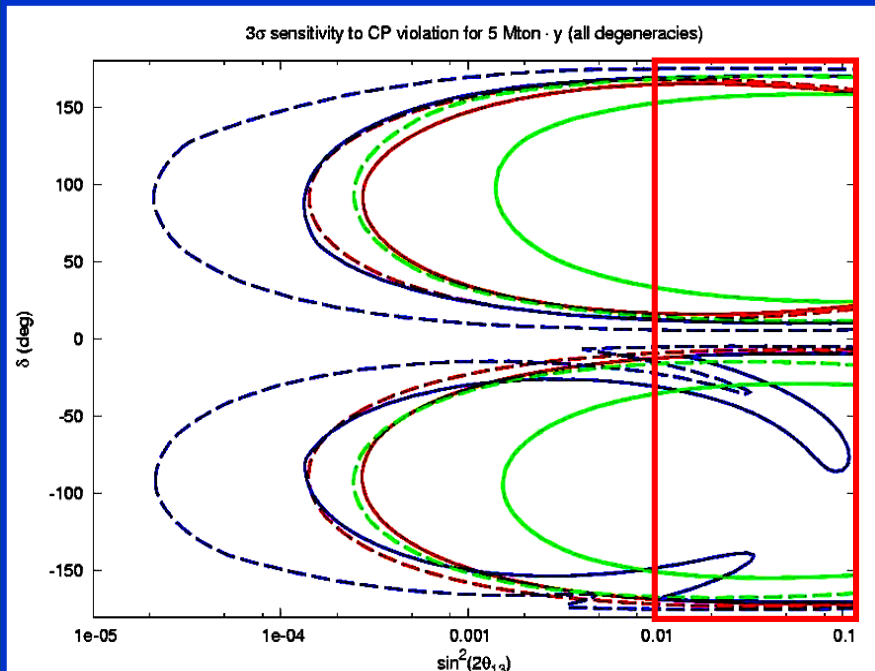
Bunched Beam Rotation with 200 MHz RF (Neuffer)



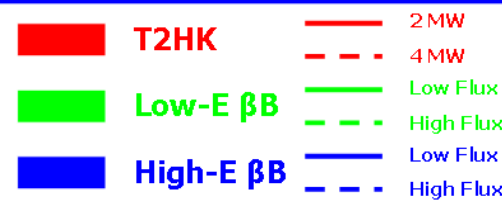
- RF frequency must vary along bunching channel (high mom. bunches move faster than low)
- Bunched Beam method captures both signs in interleaved bunches

Requires R & D

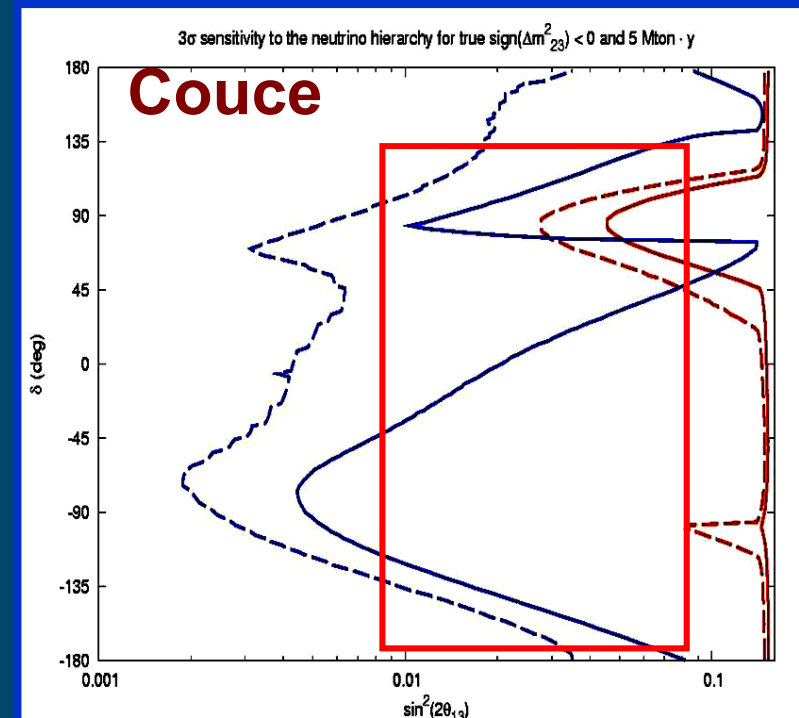
Beta beam, super beam comparison



Preliminary! Need to include better



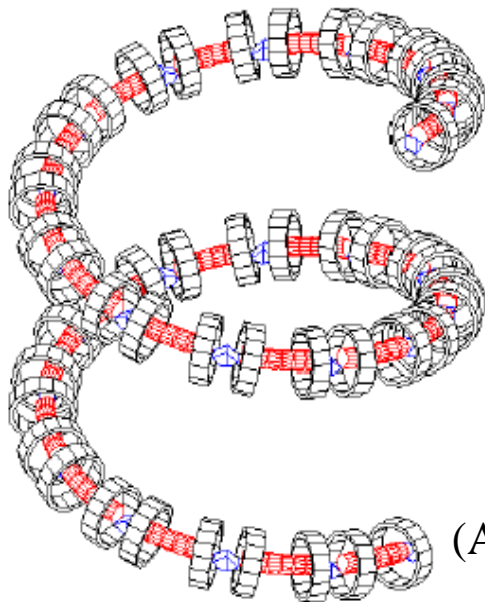
treatment of background and sys. err.



High θ_{13} :

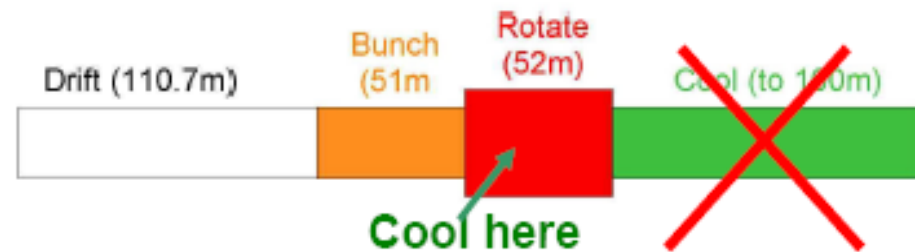
- Beta beam & super beam alone:
 - δ sensitivity good
 - Poor $\text{sign}(\Delta m_{23}^2)$ sensitivity

Front end: new configurations



(A. Klier)

- “Guggenheim” cooling channel
- provides longitudinal cooling
- solves problems with injection, absorber heating
- can taper parameters

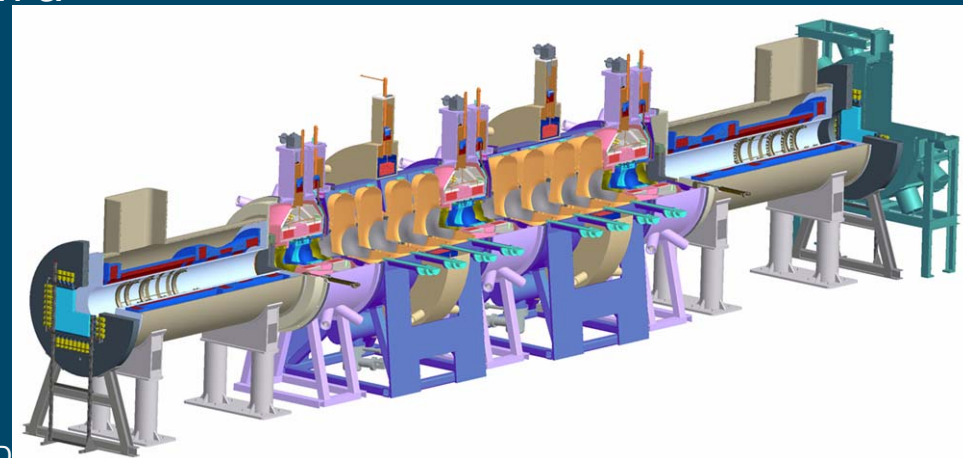
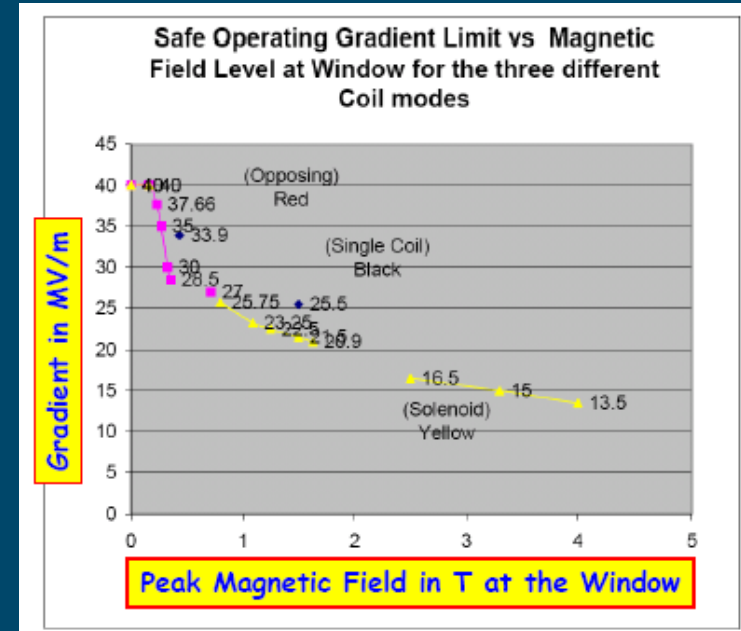


(D. Neuffer)

- cool while doing phase rotation
- cost savings
- 150 atm hydrogen (room temp)
- 24 MV/m RF
- performance looks promising

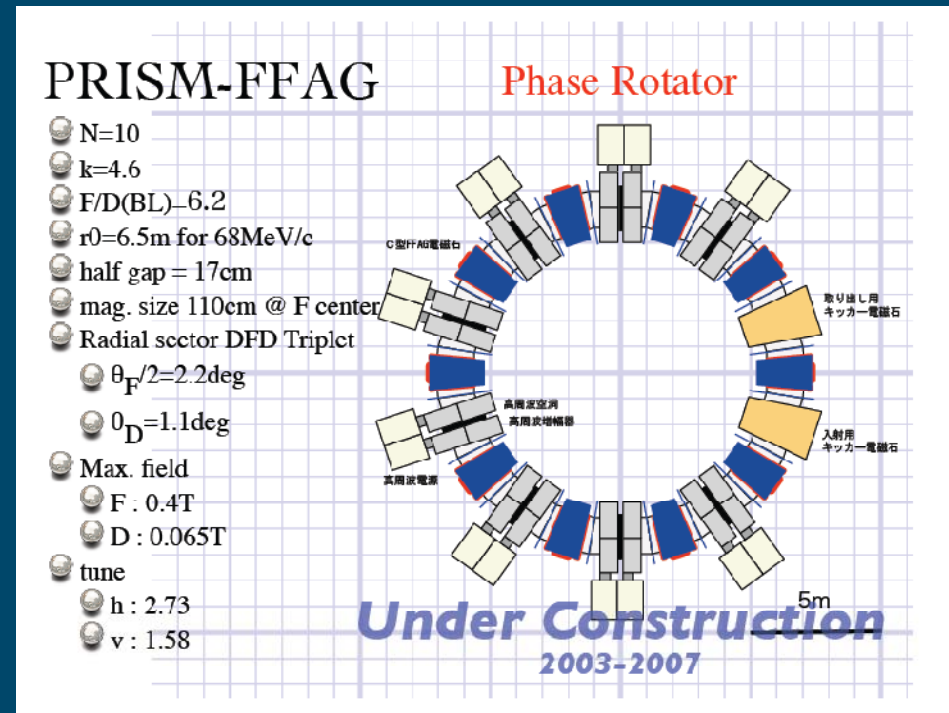
Cooling: hardware R&D programme

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- Both programmes well advanced



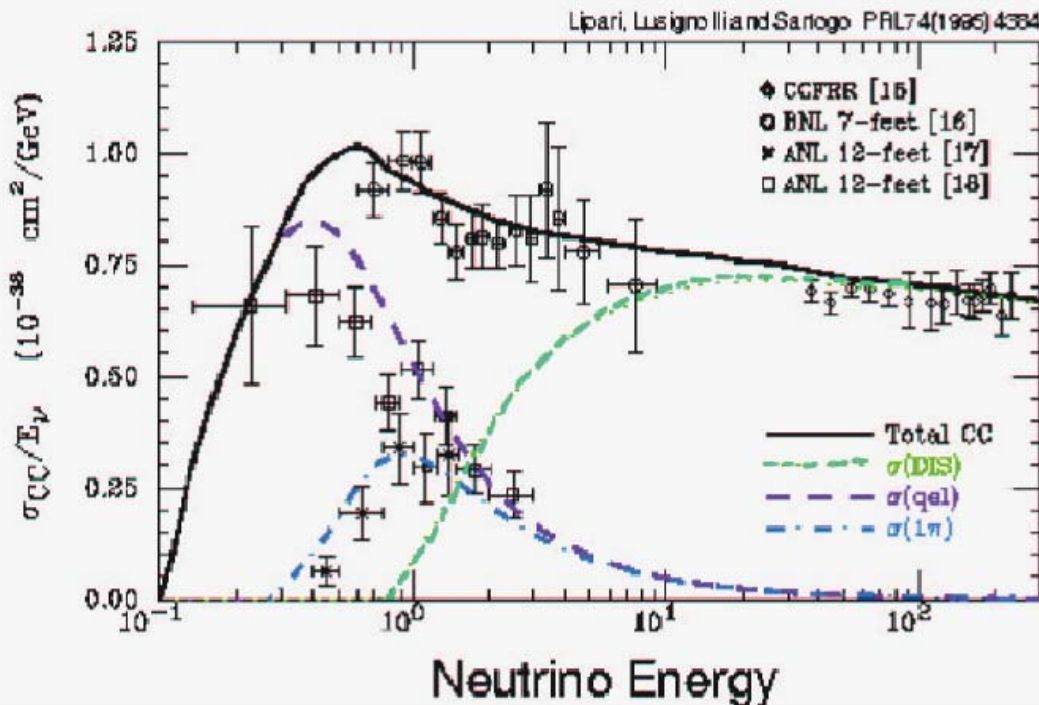
Acceleration: FFAG development

- Increasing effort on scaling and non-scaling FFAG
- PRISM: Phase rotated intense muon source
 - Under construction in Osaka
Commissioning 2007
 - Proof of principle 'non-scaling'
FFAGDecay ring
EMMA :Electron model of muon acceleration



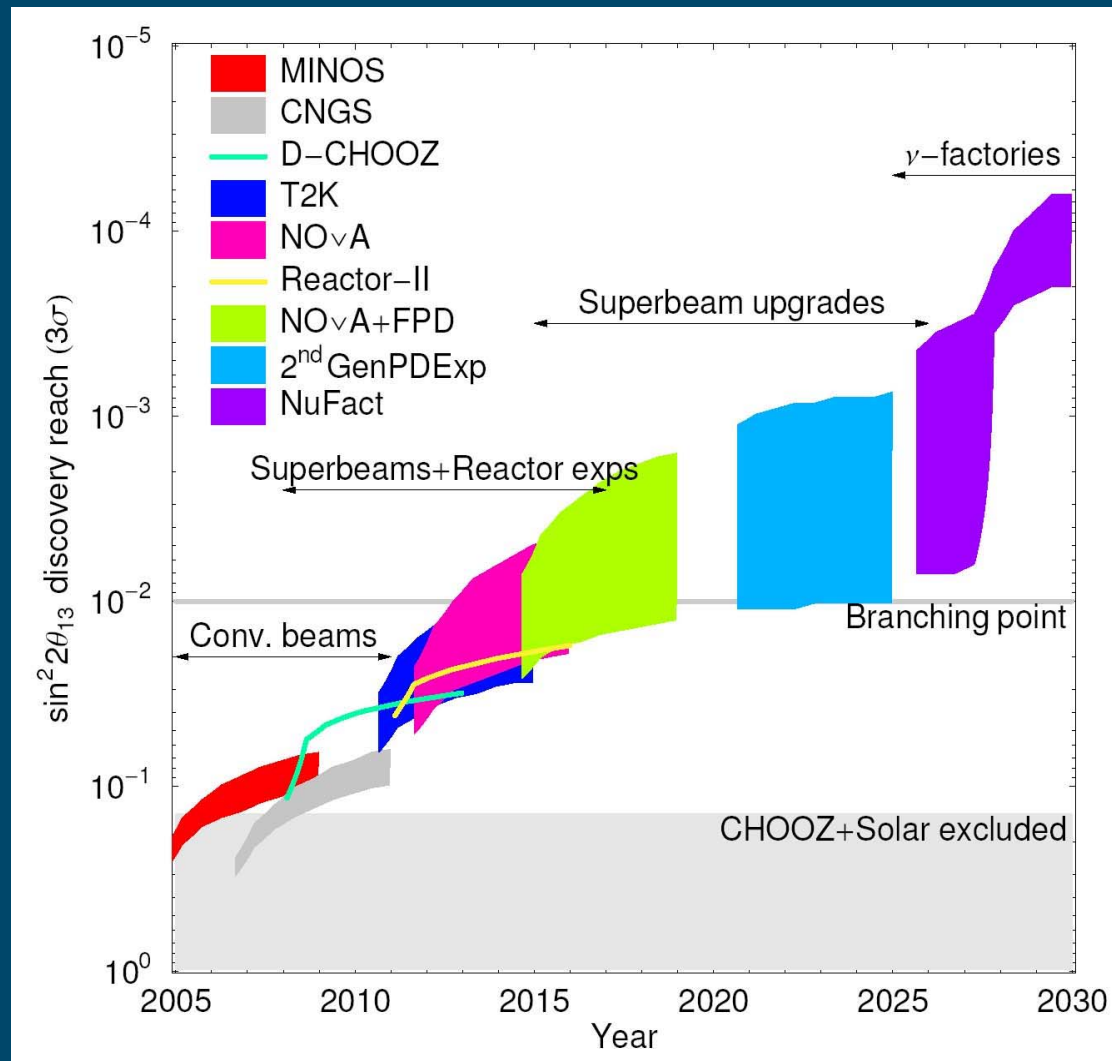
Near detector

- Measurement of cross sections in DIS, QE and RES.
- Coherent π
- Different nuclear targets: H₂, D₂
- Nuclear effects, nuclear shadowing, reinteractions

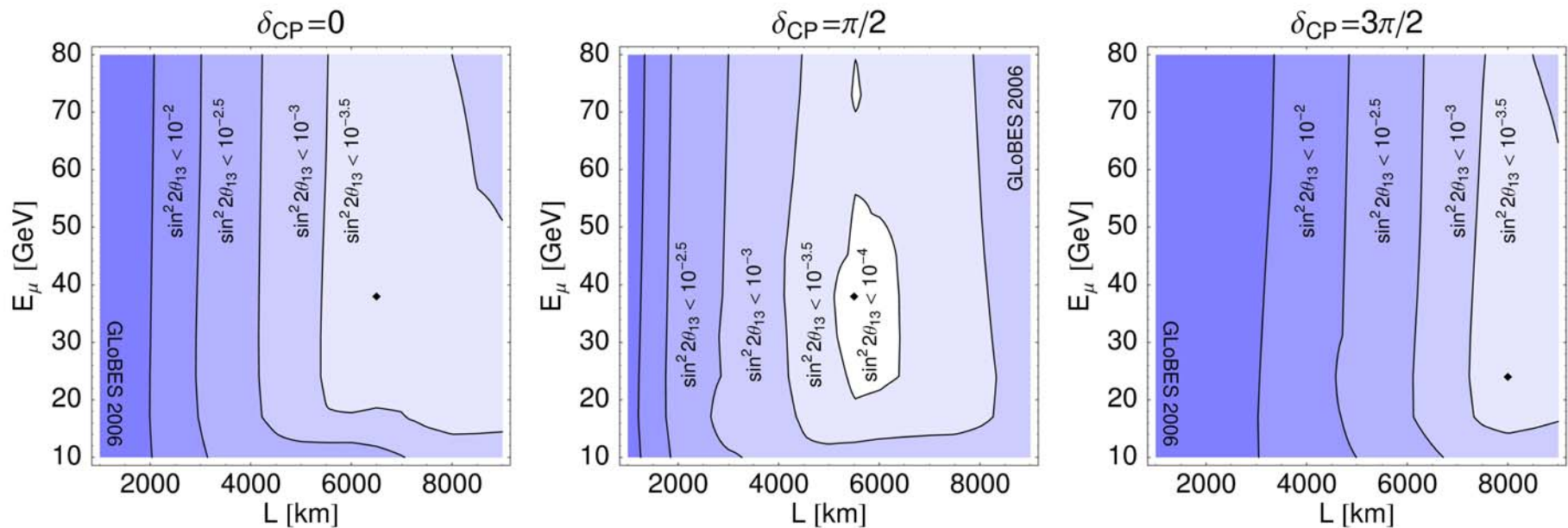


- With modest size targets can obtain very large statistics
- What is lowest energy we can achieve? E.g. with LAr can go down to \sim MeV

Timescales: the challenge



NuFact - Mass Hierarchy sensitivity



Baseline: ~7500 km
Stored muon energy 20 – 50 GeV

PLANS FOR FUTURE INJECTORS

