

# Supernova Neutrino Detection

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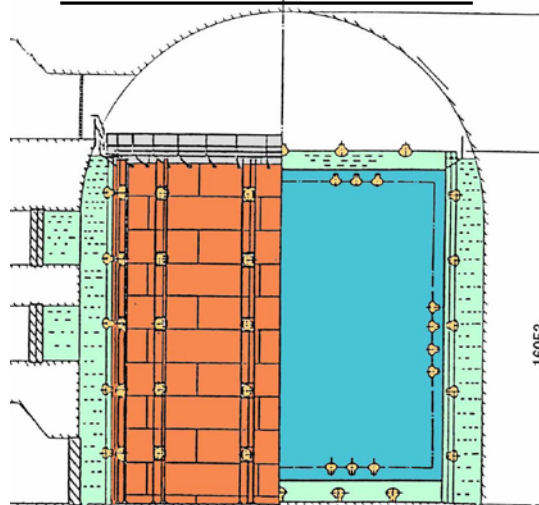
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## ■ Future large volume detectors for supernova

I will concentrate on burst neutrino detection by usual interactions.  
CEvNS detection will be presented by Rafael Lang this afternoon.  
Pre-supernova detection will be presented by Chinami Kato and Volodymyr Takhistov tomorrow, and presented by a poster by Koji Ishidoshiro yesterday.

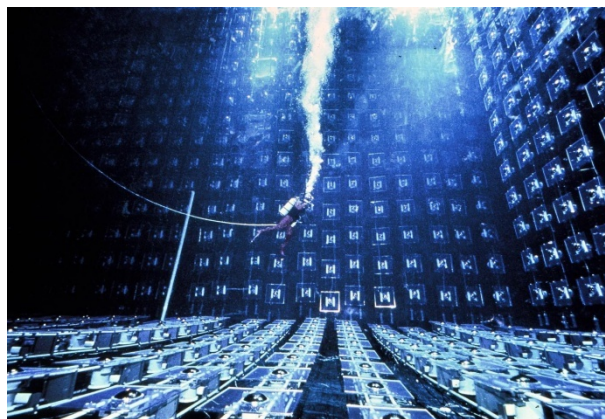
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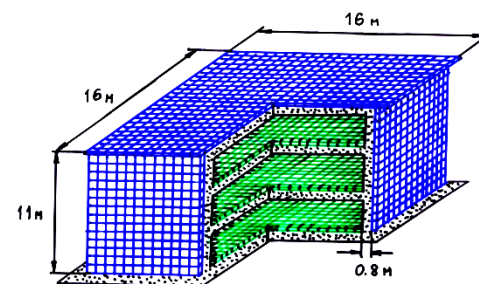
Kamioka mine, Japan  
2140 ton fiducial  
Water Cherenkov

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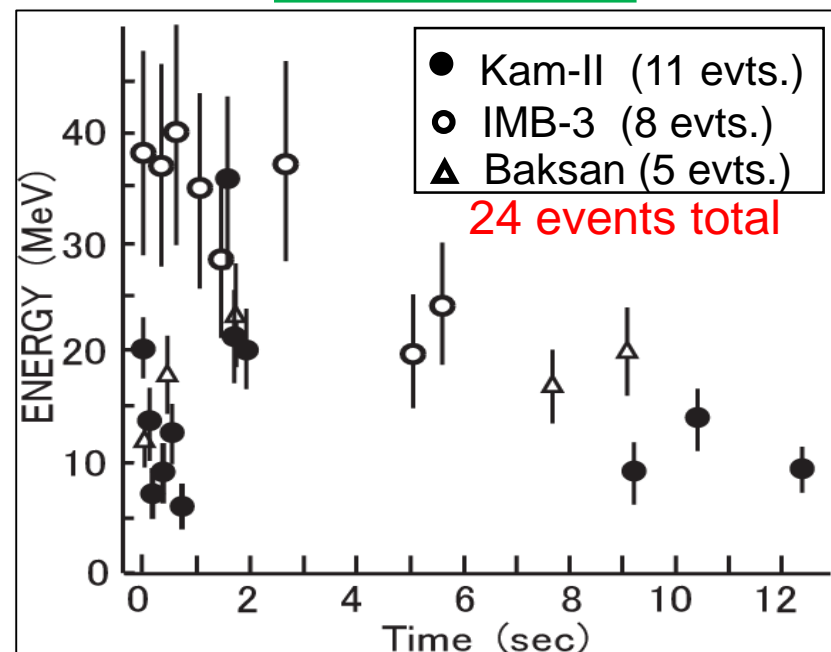
Ohio state Morton mine, USA  
~5000 ton Fiducial  
Water Cherenkov

## BAKSAN



Baksan tunnel, Russia  
330 ton in 3150 tanks  
Liquid scintillator

## Observed events



Total energy released by  $\bar{\nu}_e$  was measured to be  $\sim 5 \times 10^{52}$  erg.

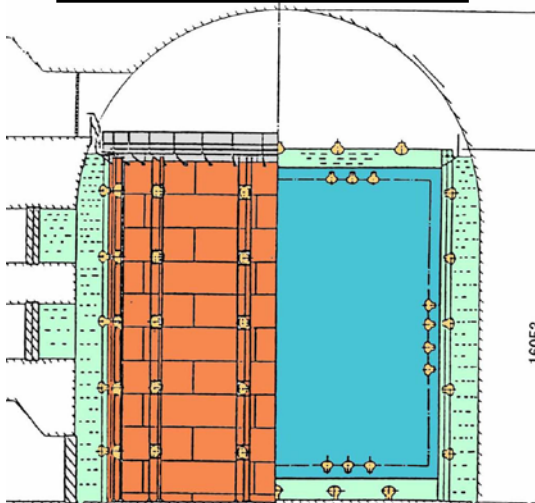
The measured energy was consistent with core-collapse scenario.

Large error in neutrino mean energy.

No detailed information of burst process was observed because of low statistics.

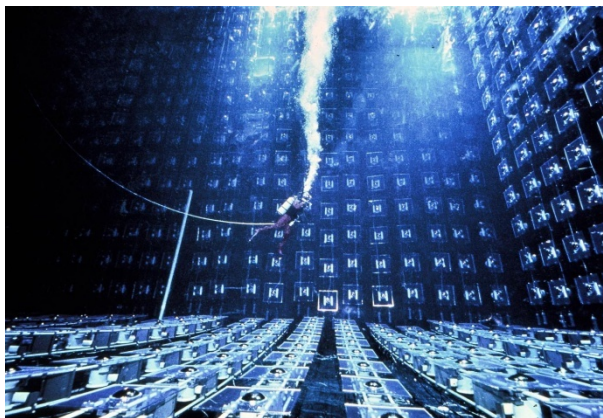
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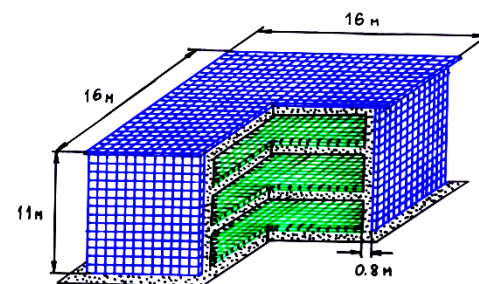
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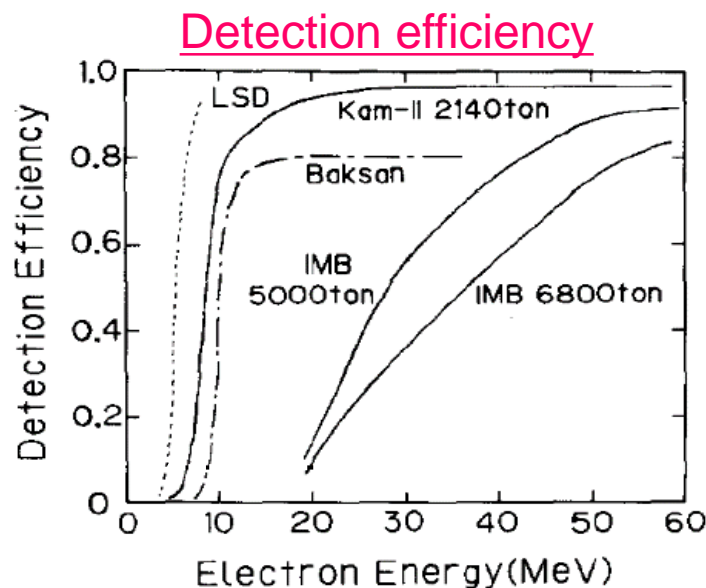


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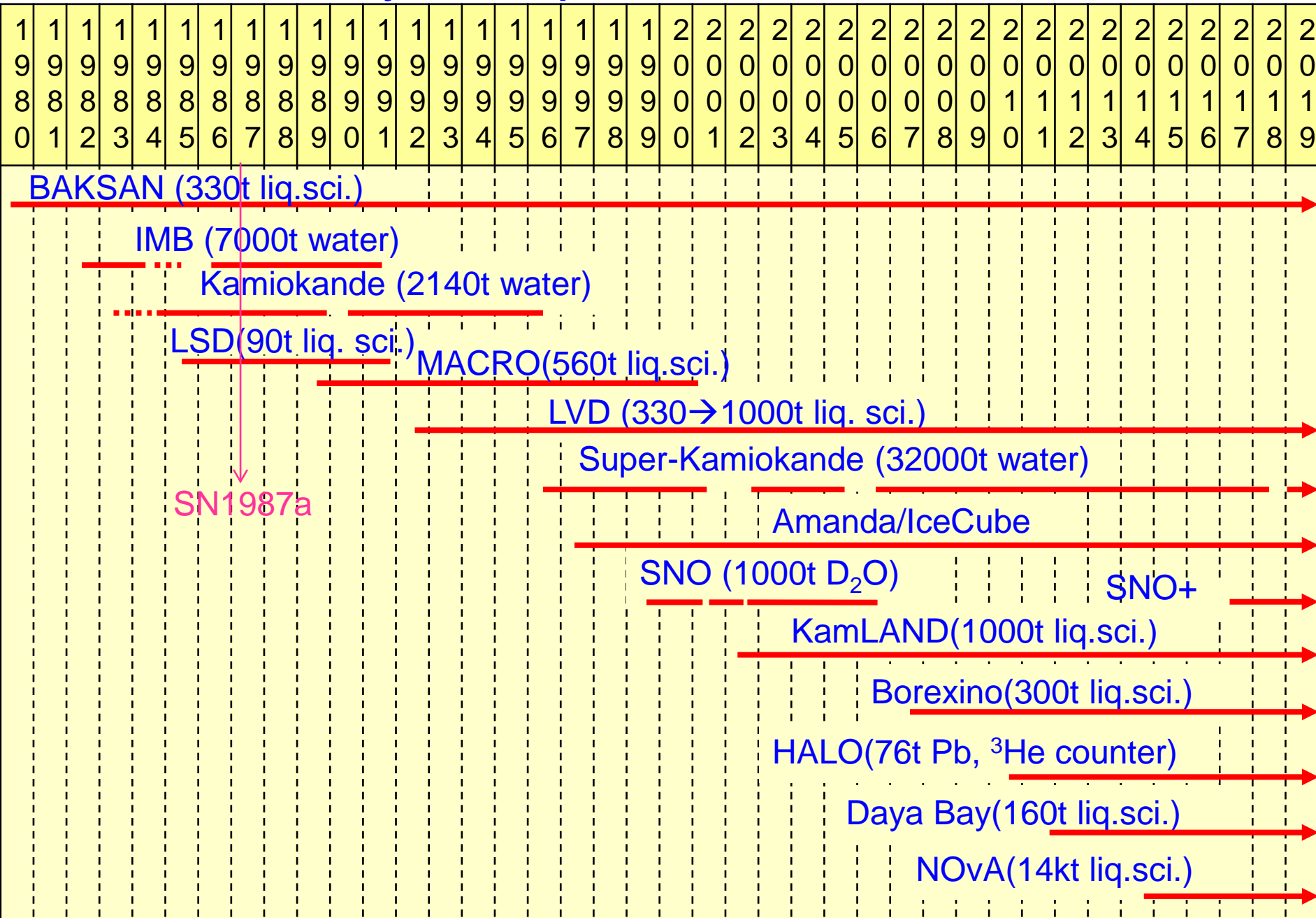
Energy threshold (at 50% eff.)

~8.5 MeV @ Kamiokande

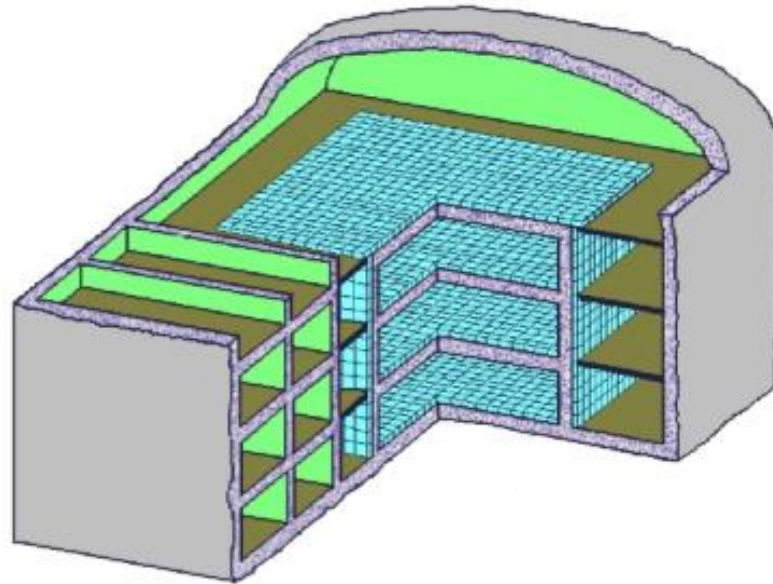
~28 MeV @ IMB

~10 MeV @ Baksan

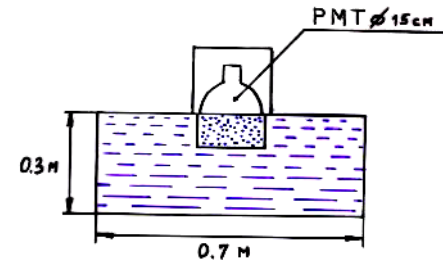
# History of supernova detectors



# The Baksan underground scintillation telescope (Russia)



Each detector



**Total number of standard detectors.....3184**  
**Total target mass.....330 tons of oil-based scintillator**  
**Lower horizontal layer .....130 tons is used for supernova monitor**

**~30  $\bar{\nu}_e p \rightarrow e^+ n$  events expected for 10 kpc SN.**

**Running since 1980. Sensitive up to ~20 kpc.**

**No candidate (except for SN1987A) for 33.02 years' observation time from June 1980 to December 2018. Upper limit of SN rate: < 7.0 /century (90% C.L.) (from V. Petkov, will be presented in TAUP2019).**

# LVD detector (at Gran Sasso, Italy)

LVD consists of an array of 840 counters, 1.5 m<sup>3</sup> each.

*Total target:  
1000 t liquid scintillator*

4MeV threshold

With <1MeV threshold for delayed signal (neutron tagging efficiency of 50 +/- 10 %)

E resolution: 13%(1 $\sigma$ ) at 15MeV

**~300  $\bar{\nu}_e p \rightarrow e^+ n$  events  
expected for 10 kpc SN.**

**No candidate for 8577 days from 1992 to 2017.  
Upper limit of SN rate: < 0.098 /yr (90% C.L.)**

C.Vigorito et al., ICRC2017



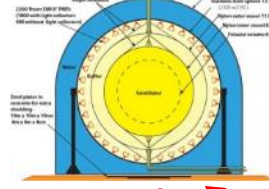
# Supernova burst detectors in the world now

- Liquid scintillator
- Water, Ice
- Other

Super-Kamiokande

target mass

**Borexino**



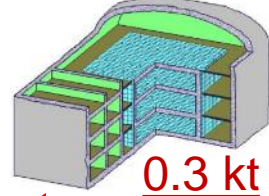
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**LVD**

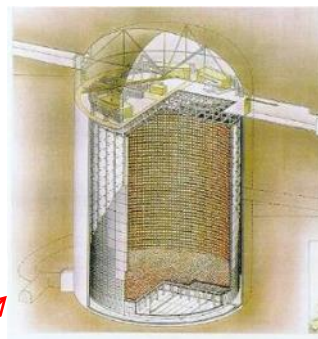


1 kt

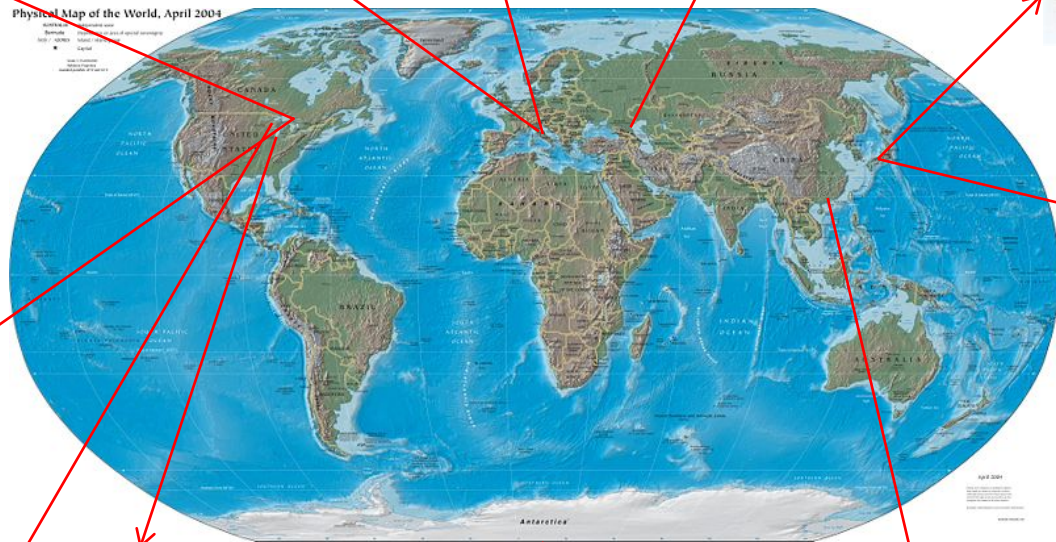
**Baksan**



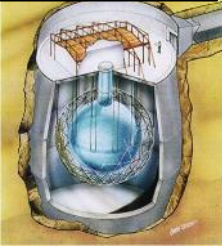
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32 kt

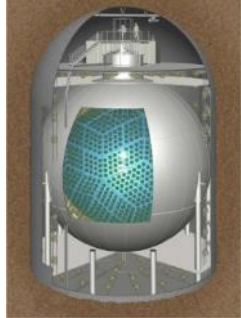


**SNO+**



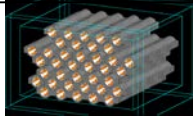
1 kt

**KamLAND**



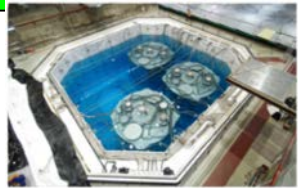
1 kt

**HALO**



Pb  
76 t

**Daya Bay**



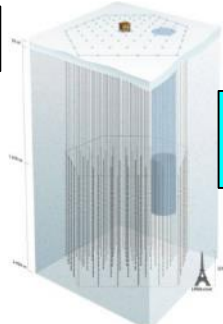
0.16 kt

**MicroBooNE**



Ar  
90 t

**IceCube**



1 gt

**NOvA**



surface 14 kt



# Summary of supernova neutrino detectors

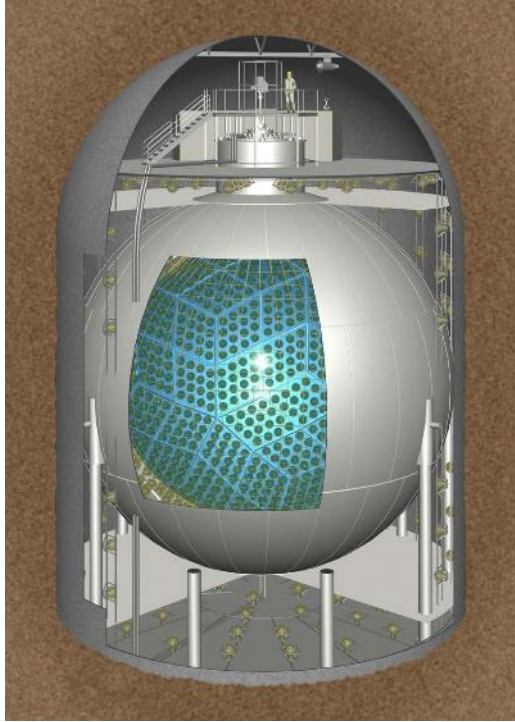
Detector	Type	Location	Mass (kton)	Events @ 10 kpc	Status
Super-K	Water	Japan	32	8000	Running (SK V)
LVD	Scintillator	Italy	1	300	Running
KamLAND	Scintillator	Japan	1	300	Running
Borexino	Scintillator	Italy	0.3	100	Running
IceCube	Long string	South Pole	(600)	(10 <sup>6</sup> )	Running
Baksan	Scintillator	Russia	0.33	50	Running
Mini-BooNE	Scintillator	USA	0.7	200	(Running)
HALO	Lead	Canada	0.079	20	Running
Daya Bay	Scintillator	China	0.33	100	Running
NOvA	Scintillator	USA	15	3000	Running
SNO+	Scintillator	Canada	1	300	(Running)
MicroBooNE	Liquid argon	USA	0.17	17	Running
DUNE	Liquid argon	USA	40	3000	Future
Hyper-K	Water	Japan	540	110,000	Future
JUNO	Scintillator	China	20	6000	Future
IceCube Gen-2	Long string	South pole	(600)	(10 <sup>6</sup> )	Future

From K. Scholberg

plus reactor experiments, DM experiments...

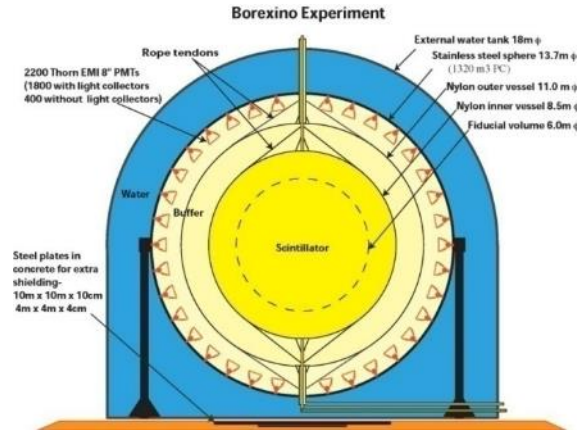
# Single volume liquid scintillator detectors

## KamLAND (Kamioka, Japan)



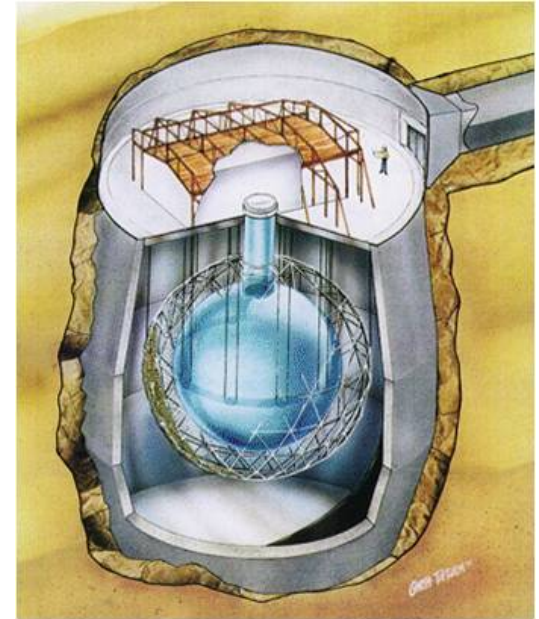
**1000ton liq.sci.**  
**Running since 2002.**

## Borexino (Gran Sasso, Italy)



**300ton liq.sci.**  
**Running since 2007.**

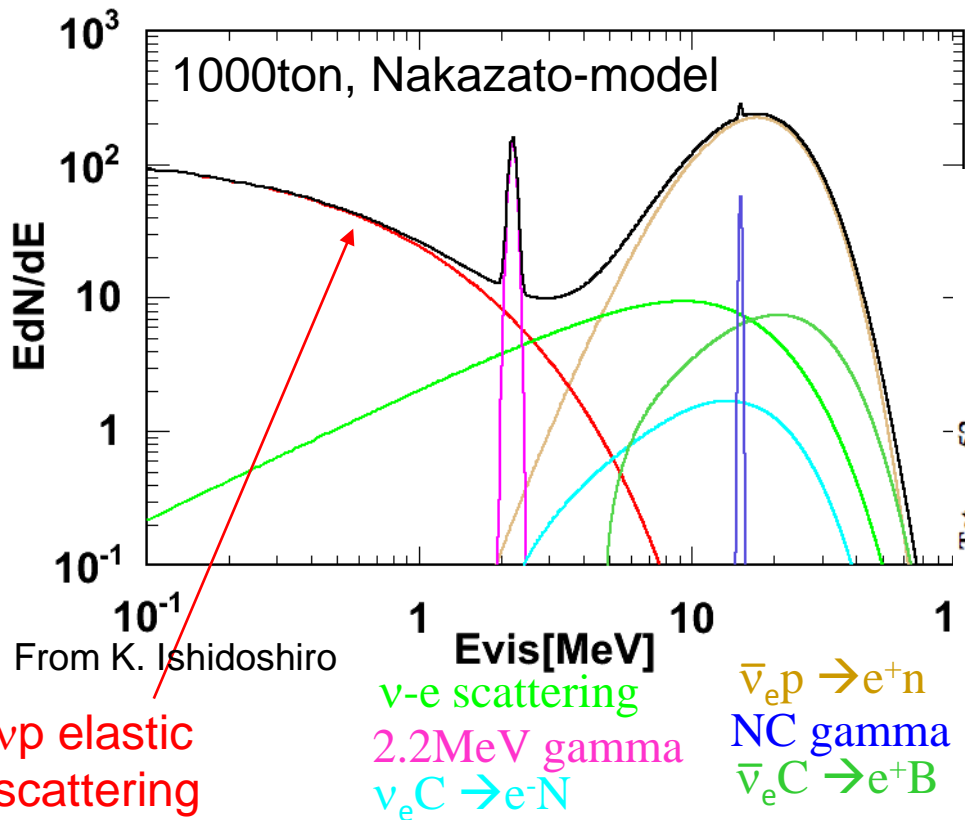
## SNO+ (SNO Lab., Canada)



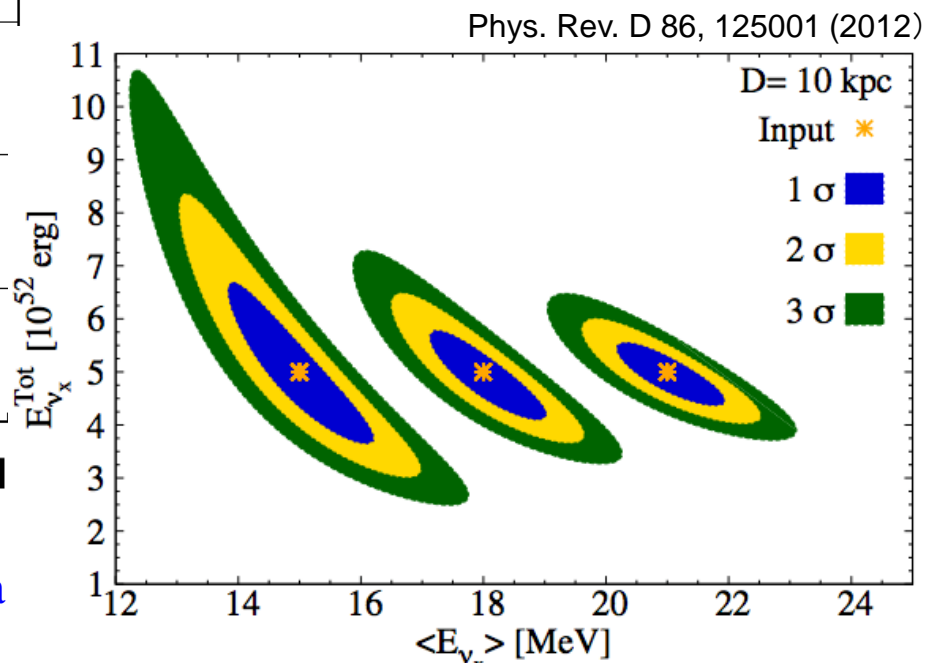
**1000ton liq.sci.**  
**Under construction.**

# Energy spectrum expected at the liquid scintillation detectors

Expected energy spectrum (10kpc)



$\nu_x$  parameter measurement with  $\nu p$  elastic scattering events (3000t eqv.)



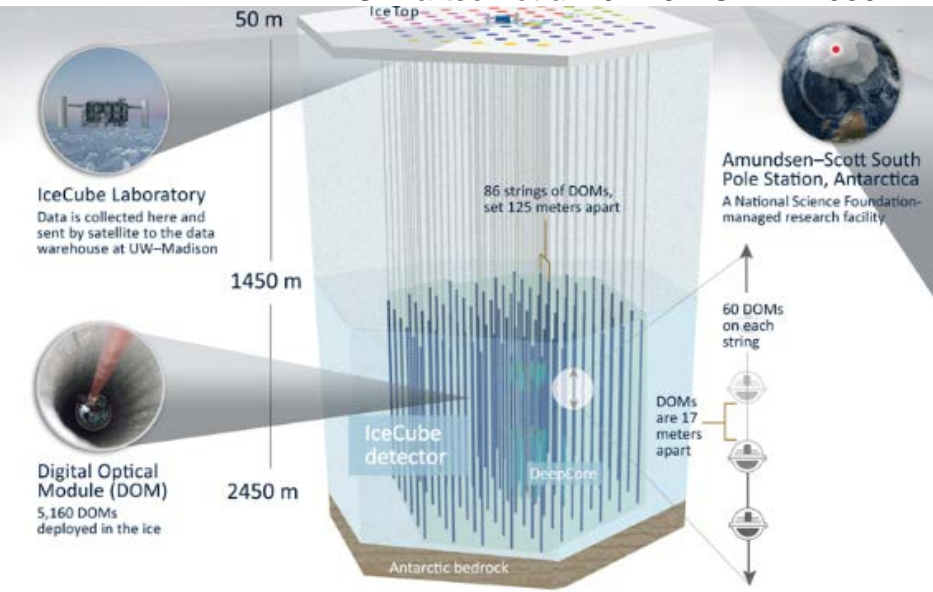
Determine luminosity and mean energy of  $\nu_x$

( $\nu_x$ :  $\nu_\mu, \nu_\tau$  at the source)

Expected number of events	for 1kton, 10kpc
$\bar{\nu}_e p \rightarrow e^+ n$	~300
$\nu + e^- \rightarrow \nu + e^-$	~20
$\nu + p \rightarrow \nu + p$	~80 (>200keV)
$^{12}\text{C CC}$	60

# IceCube (South pole)

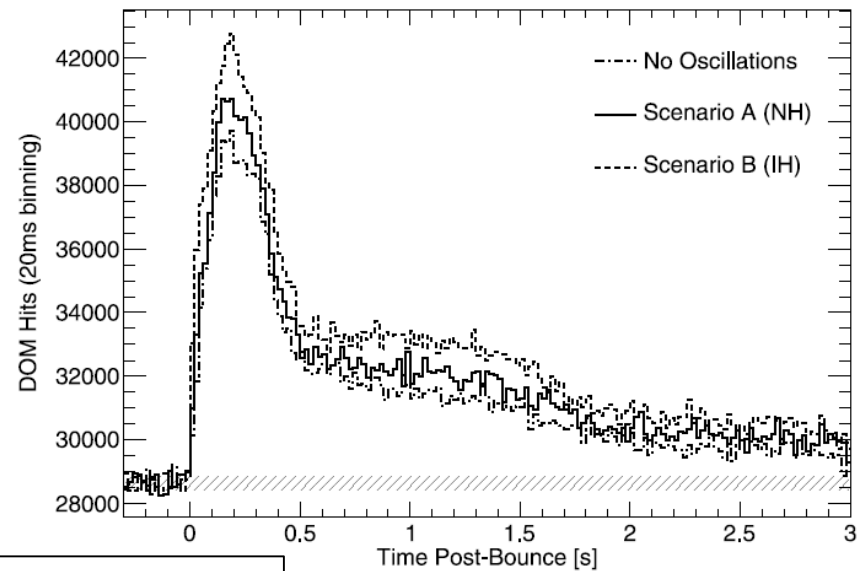
M.G. Aartsen et al 2017 JINST 12 P03012



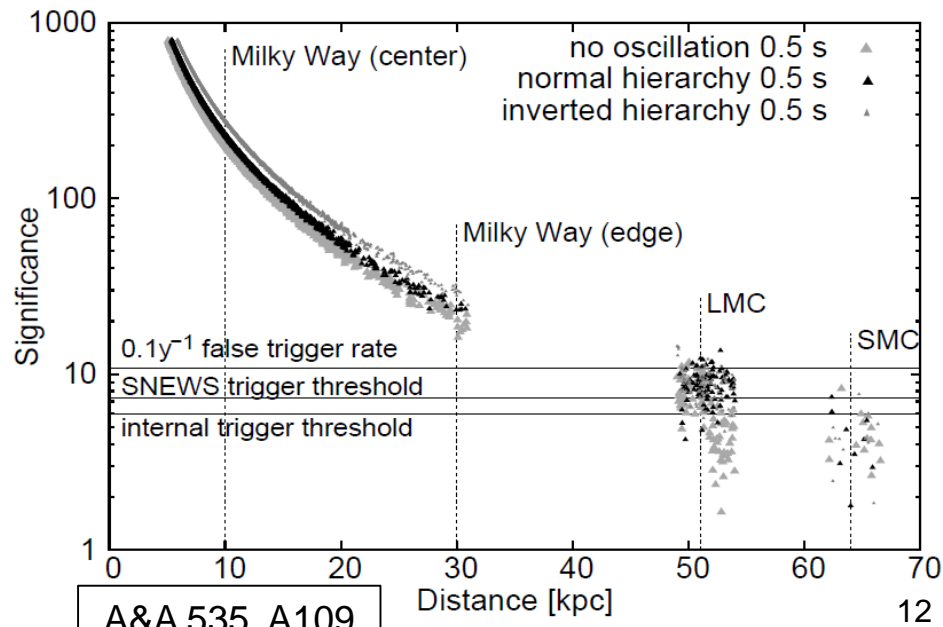
## IceCube detector

- Number of Optical modules: 5160
- 10-inch PMTs in each optical module
- Number of strings: 86
- Instrumented volume: 1 km<sup>3</sup>

## Supernova neutrinos coherently increase single rates of PMTs.



A&A 535, A109



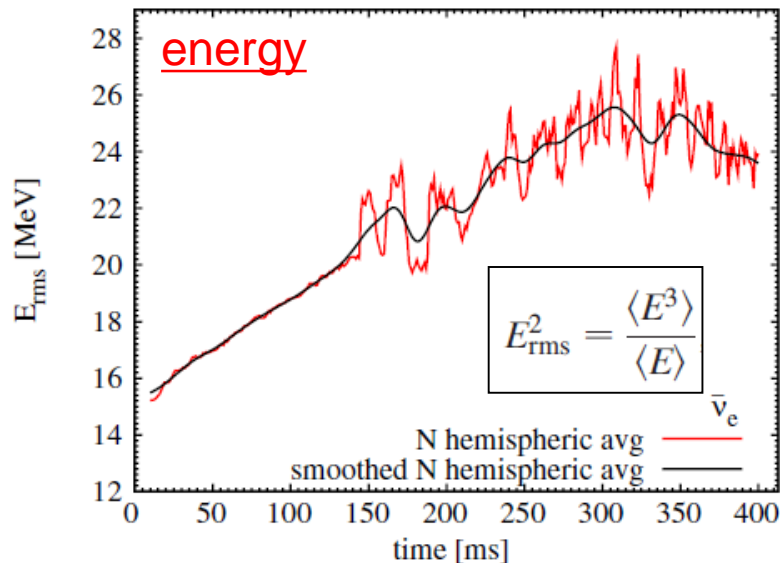
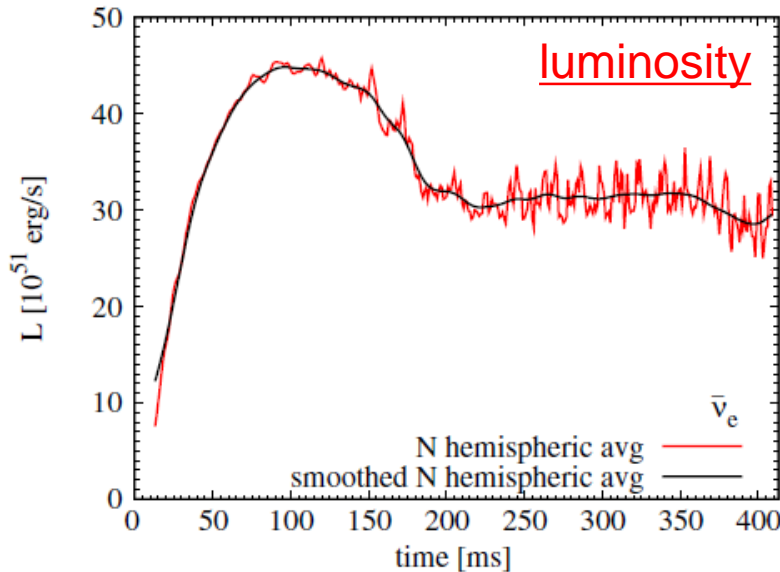
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# High frequency signal variation by SASI

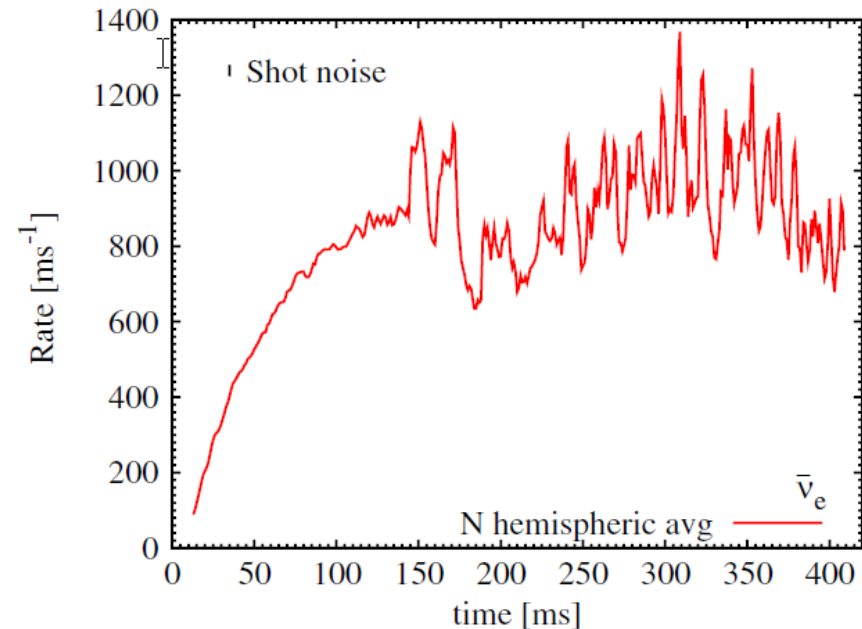
SASI=standing accretion shock instability

2-D(axially symmetric) simulation with PROMETHEUS-VERTEX code

Supernova at 10kpc



IceCube "event" rate

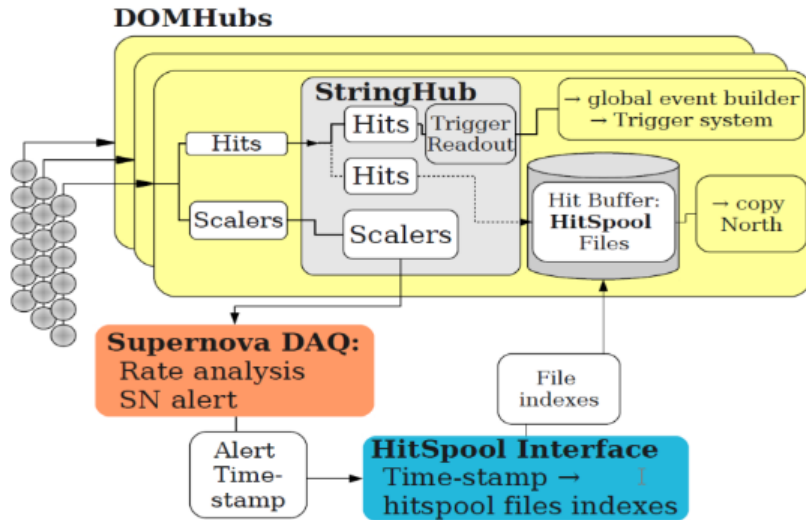


T.Lund et al., Phys. Rev. D82, 063007(2010).

# IceCube – HitSpooling and directional information

## HitSpool Interface

(installed in 2013)

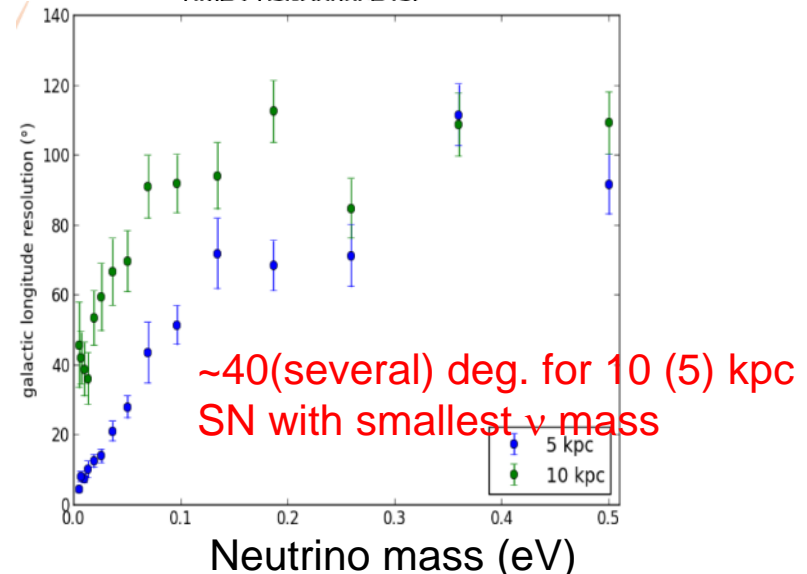
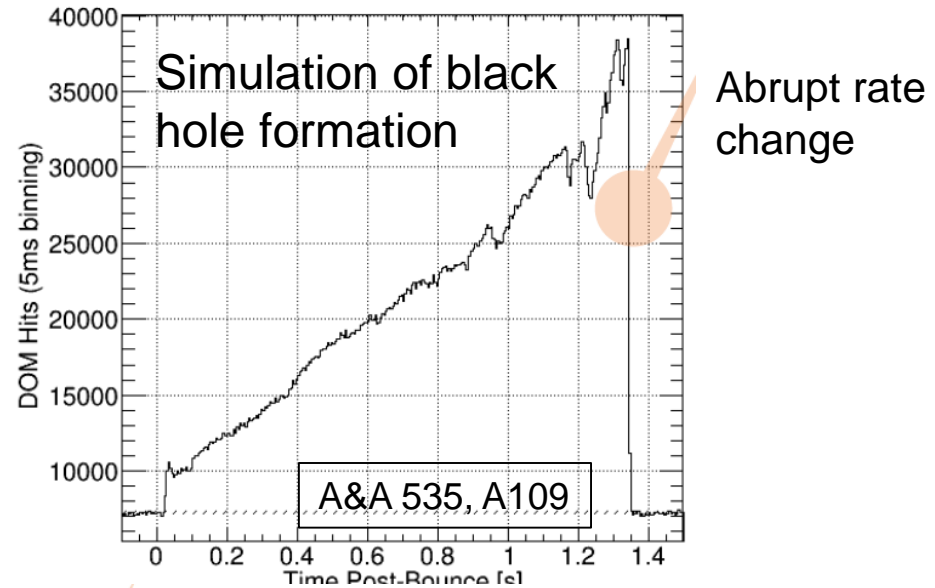


The HitSpool Interface enables

- Record all hit information in 90sec data around the burst with full data stream.
- Use correlation of hits of DOMs to estimate mean energy with a resolution of about 30% at 10 kpc.

2013 ICRC Proceeding by V. Baum

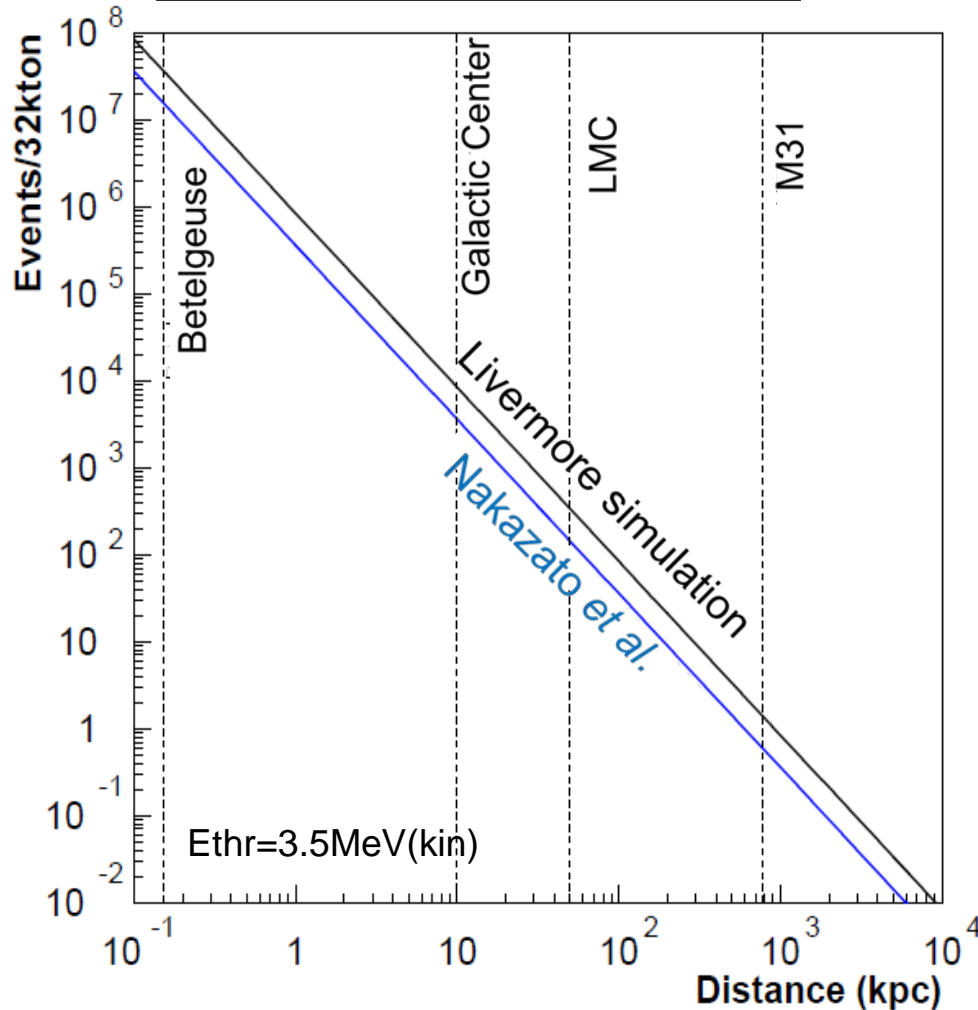
## Possible directional information in case of black hole formation



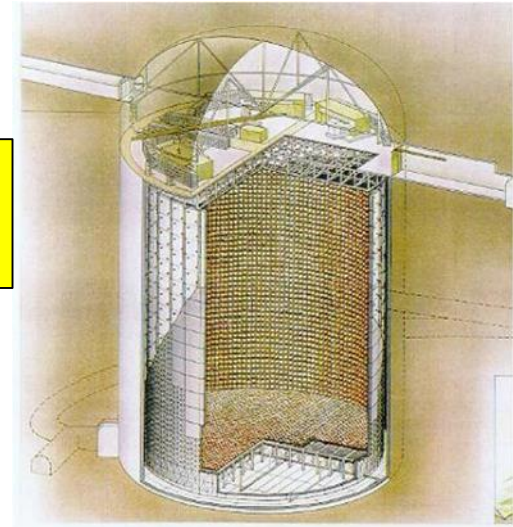
B. Eberhardt's Ph.D. thesis

# Super-K: Number of events

Number of events vs. distance



32kton water Cherenkov



For each interaction

	Livermore	Nakazato
$\bar{\nu}_e p \rightarrow e^+ n$	7300	3100
$\nu + e^- \rightarrow \nu + e^-$	320	170
$^{16}\text{O CC}$	110	57

Supernova at 10 kpc

Directional information

32kton SK volume

4.5MeV(kin) threshold

No oscillation case.

Livermore simulation

T.Totani, K.Sato, H.E.Dalhed and J.R.Wilson, ApJ.496,216(1998)

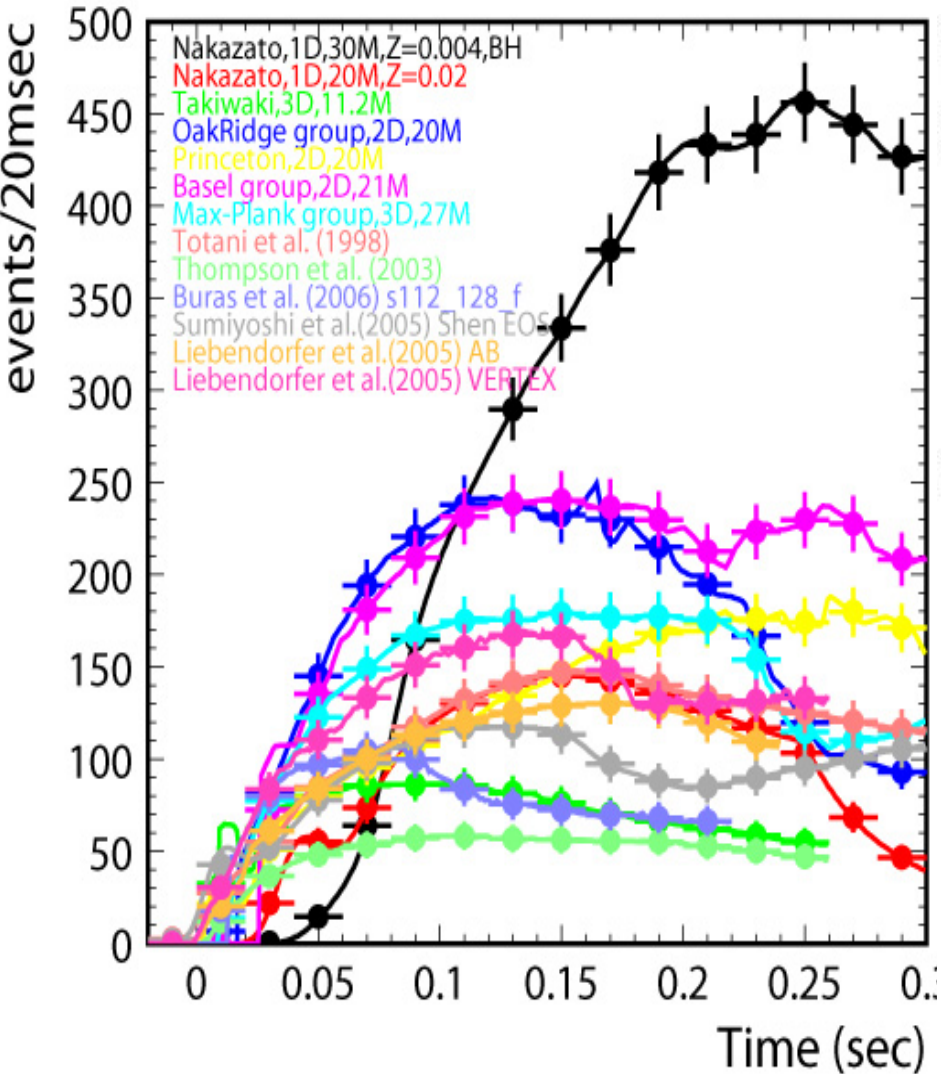
Nakazato et al.

K.Nakazato, K.Sumiyoshi, H.Suzuki, T.Totani, H.Umeda, and S.Yamada, ApJ.Suppl. 205 (2013) 2, ( $20M_{\text{sun}}$ ,  $\text{trev}=200\text{msec}$ ,  $z=0.02$  case)

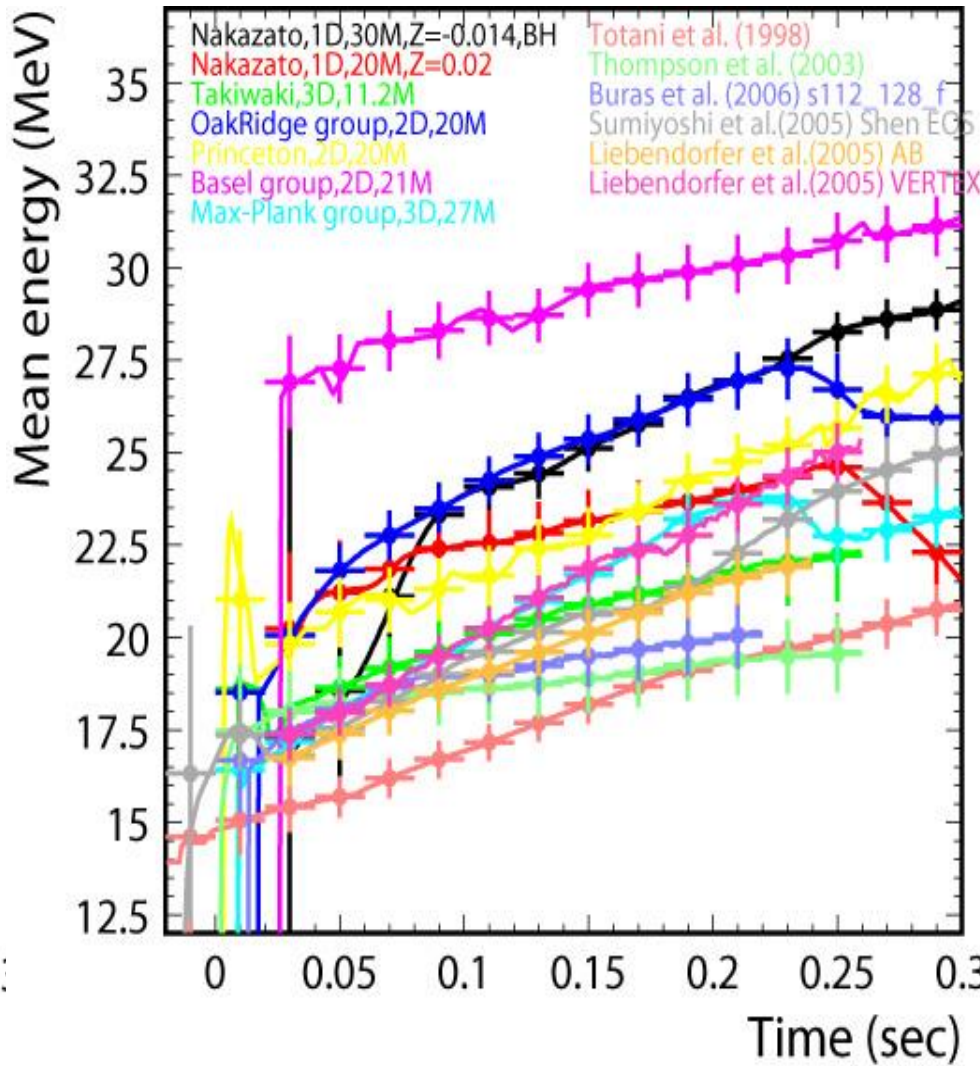
# Sensitivity of Super-K for the model discrimination

For 10kpc supernova

Time variation of event rate



Time variation of mean energy



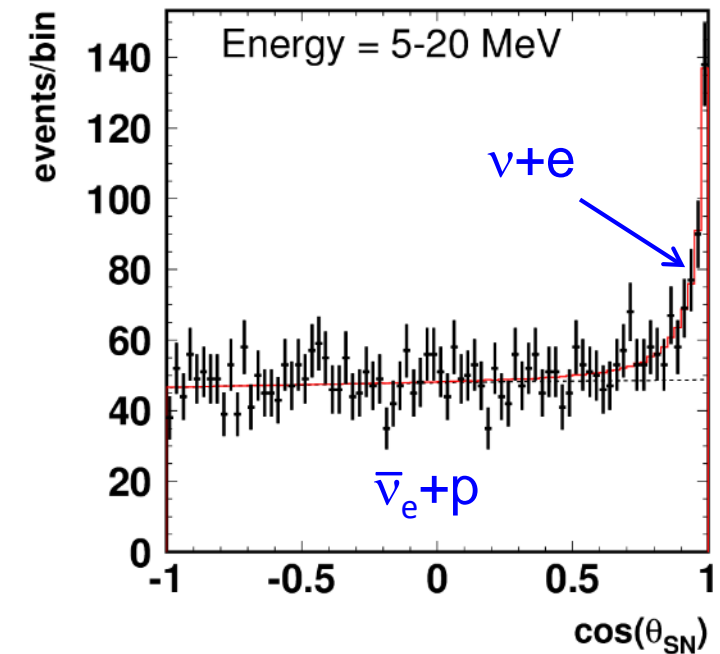
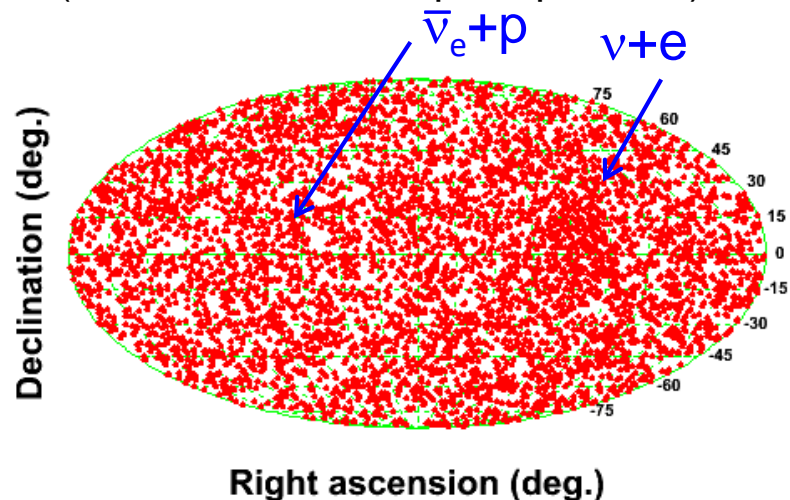
High statistics enough to discriminate models

Cooperation: H. Suzuki

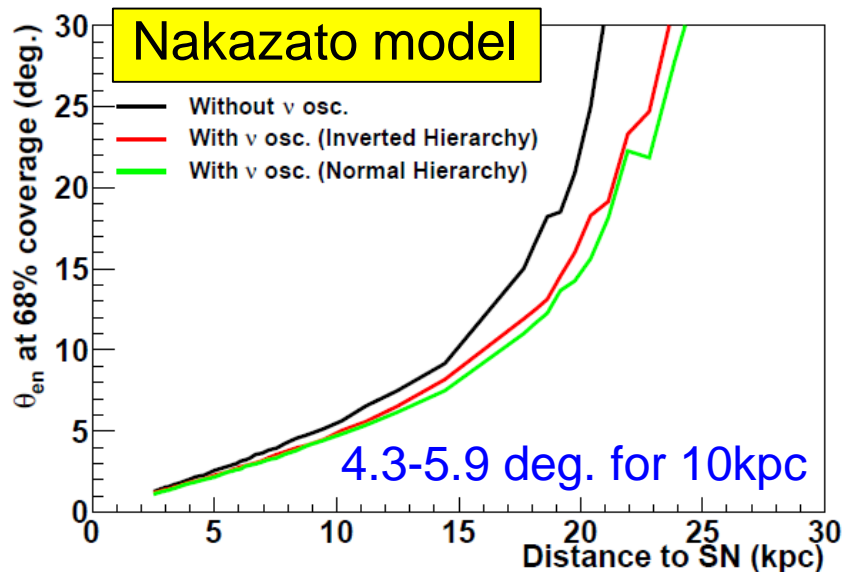
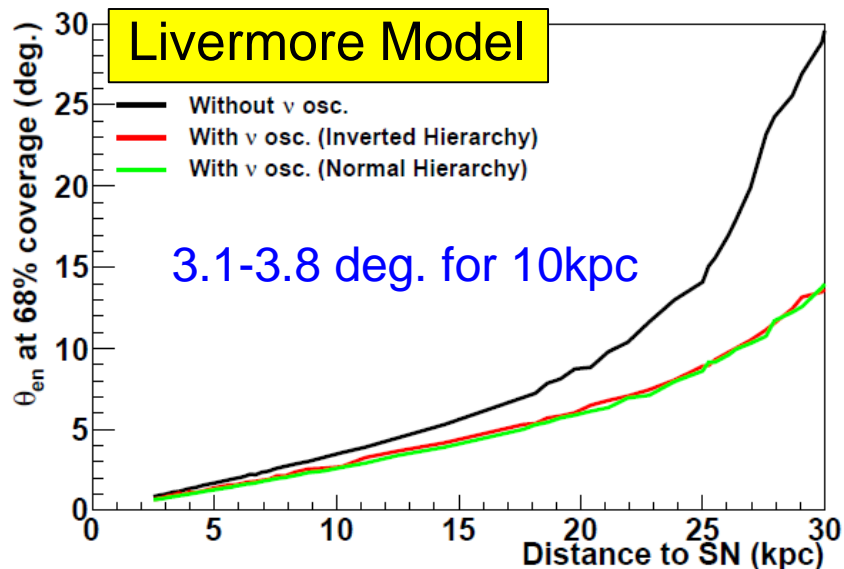


# Super-K: directional information

Reconstructed direction  
(Simulation of a 10kpc supernova)



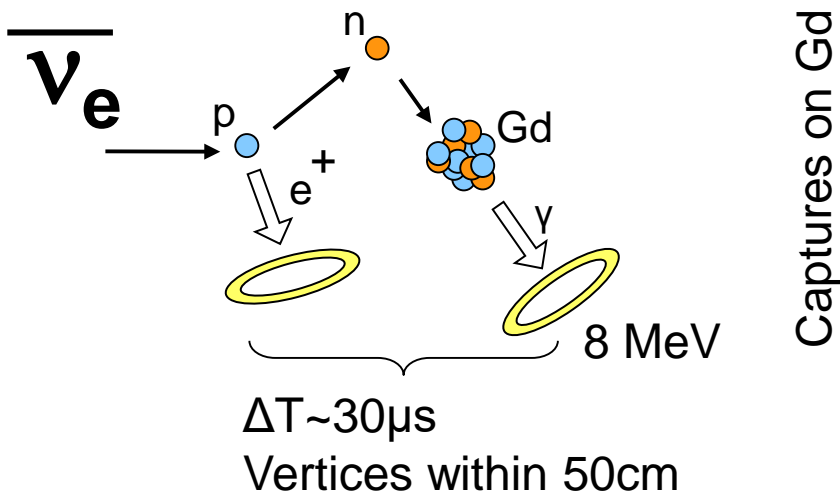
Distance vs. pointing accuracy



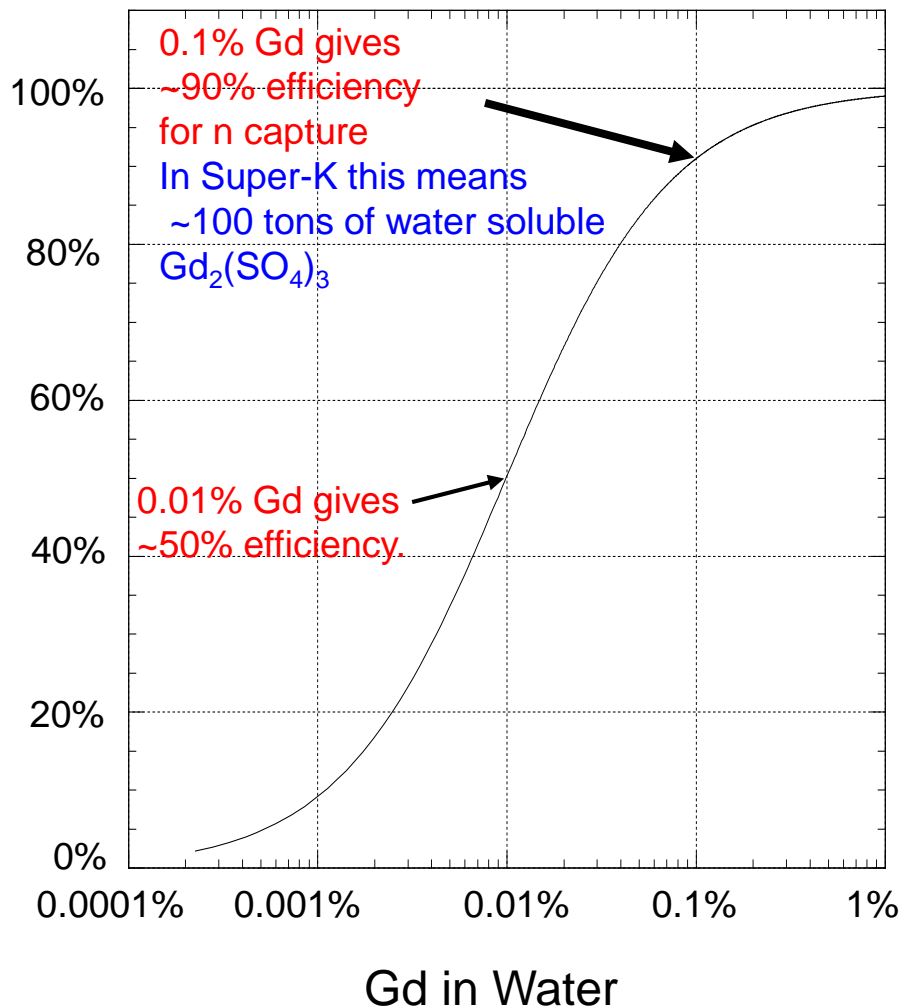
# Gadolinium project at Super-K: SK-Gd

Identify  $\bar{\nu}_e p$  events by neutron tagging with Gadolinium.

Gadolinium has large neutron capture cross section and emit 8MeV gamma cascade.

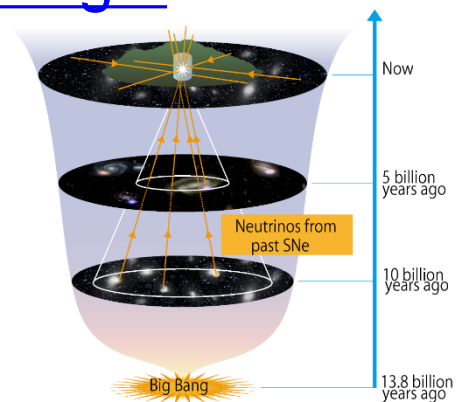


Captures on Gd



## Main physics target

Observation of Supernova Relic Neutrinos.

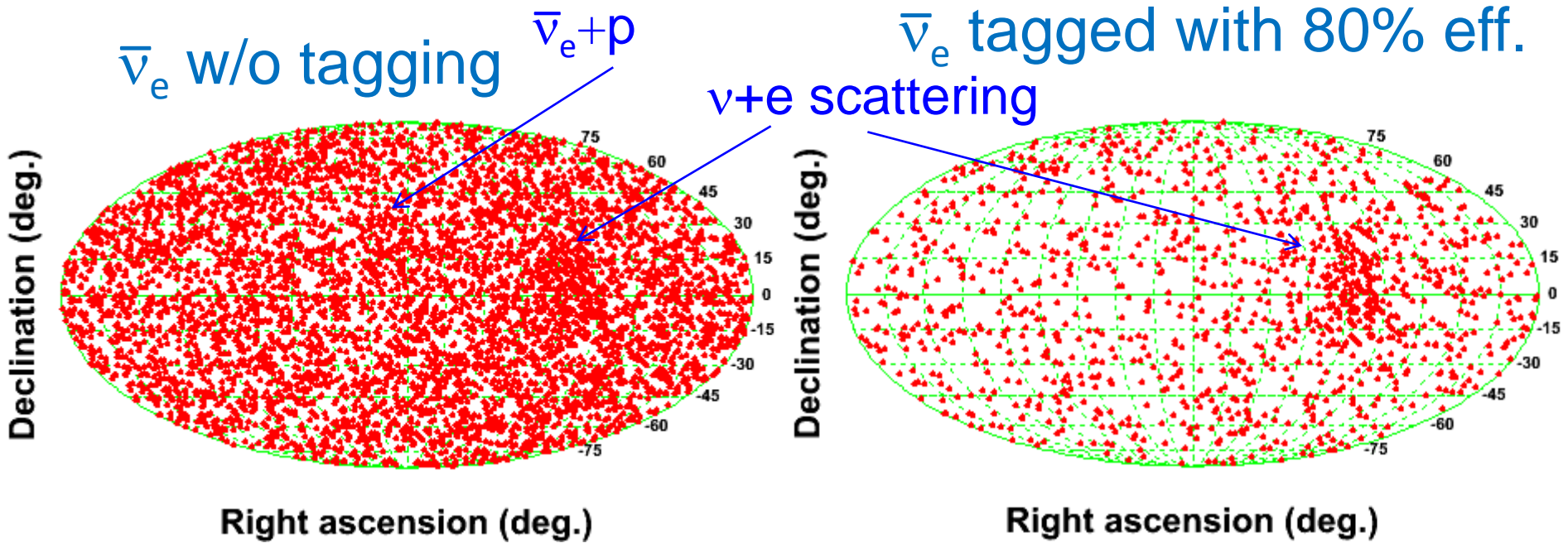


Plan to start 0.01%Gd phase in early 2020.

# In case of Galactic supernova

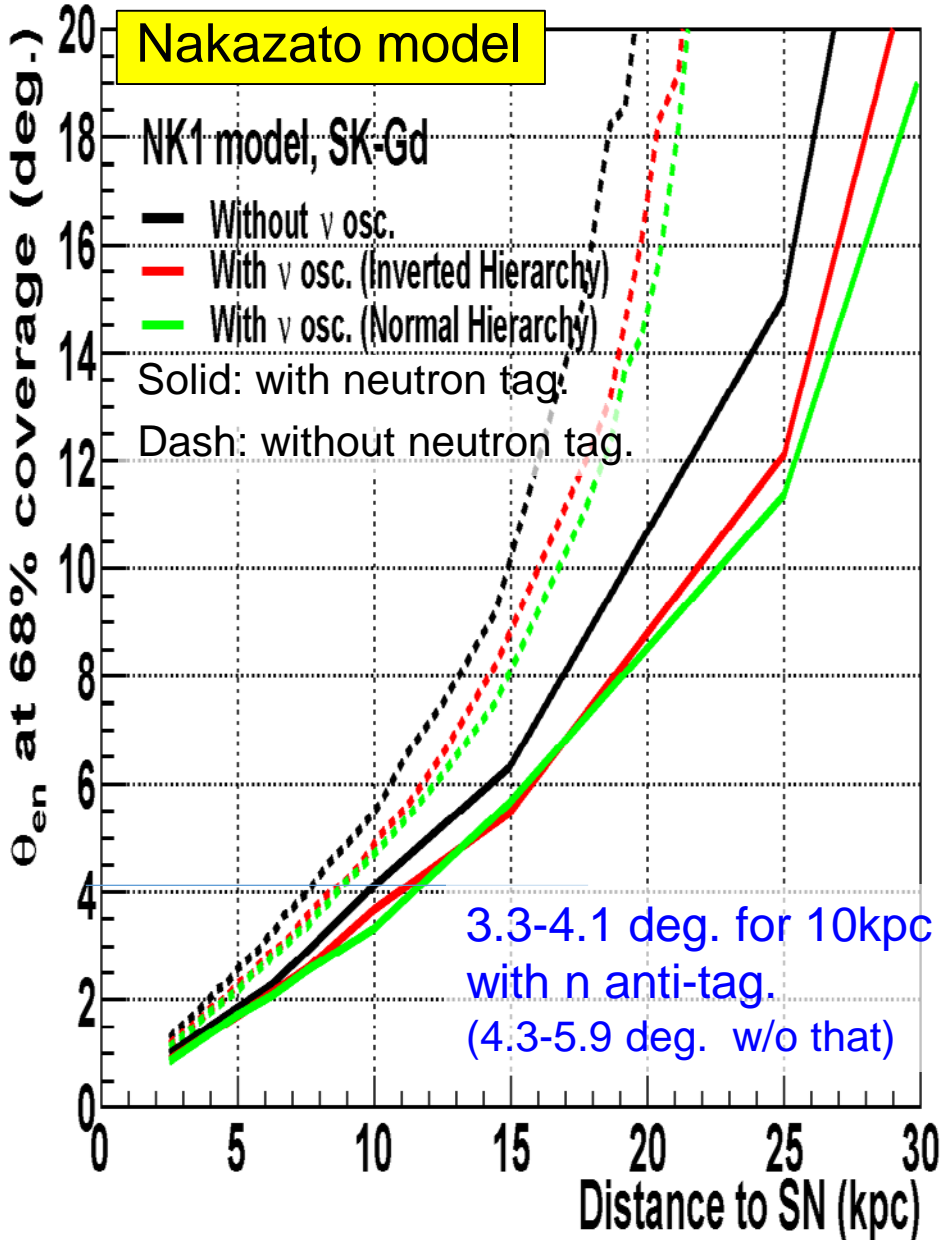
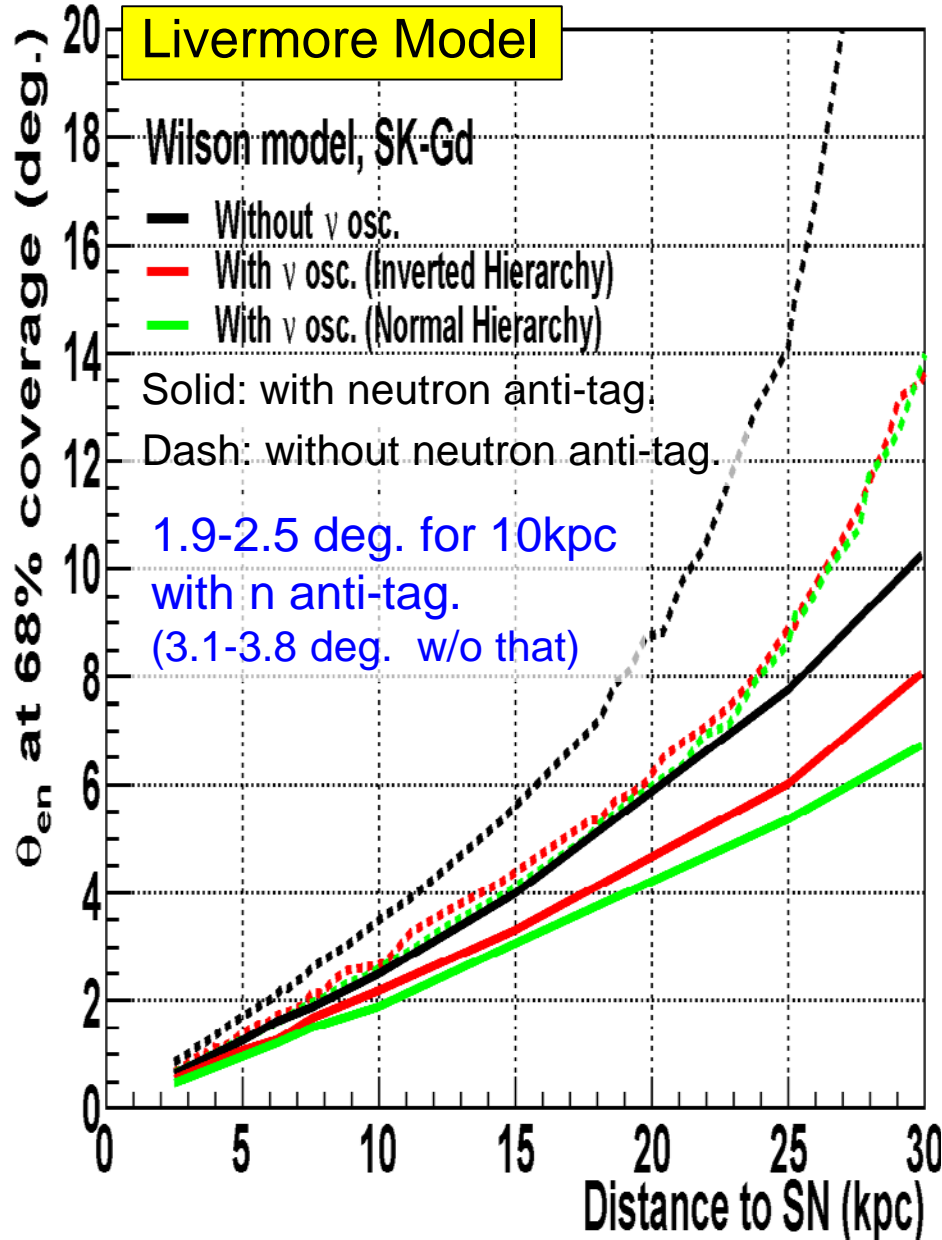
## Improve pointing accuracy

(10kpc SN simulation)



If  $\bar{\nu}_e$  can be tagged and subtracted from the plot, directional events ( $\nu + e$  scattering events) can be enhanced and pointing accuracy can be improved.

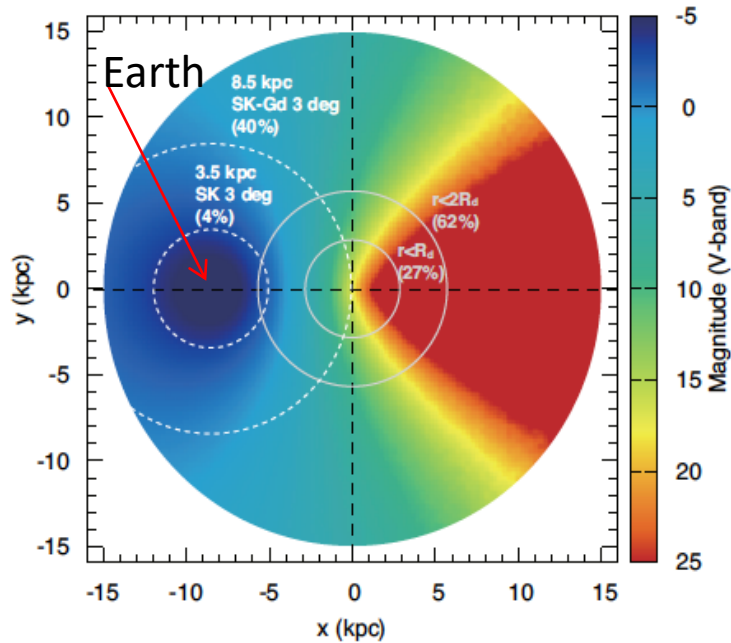
# SK-Gd: Pointing accuracy with neutron information



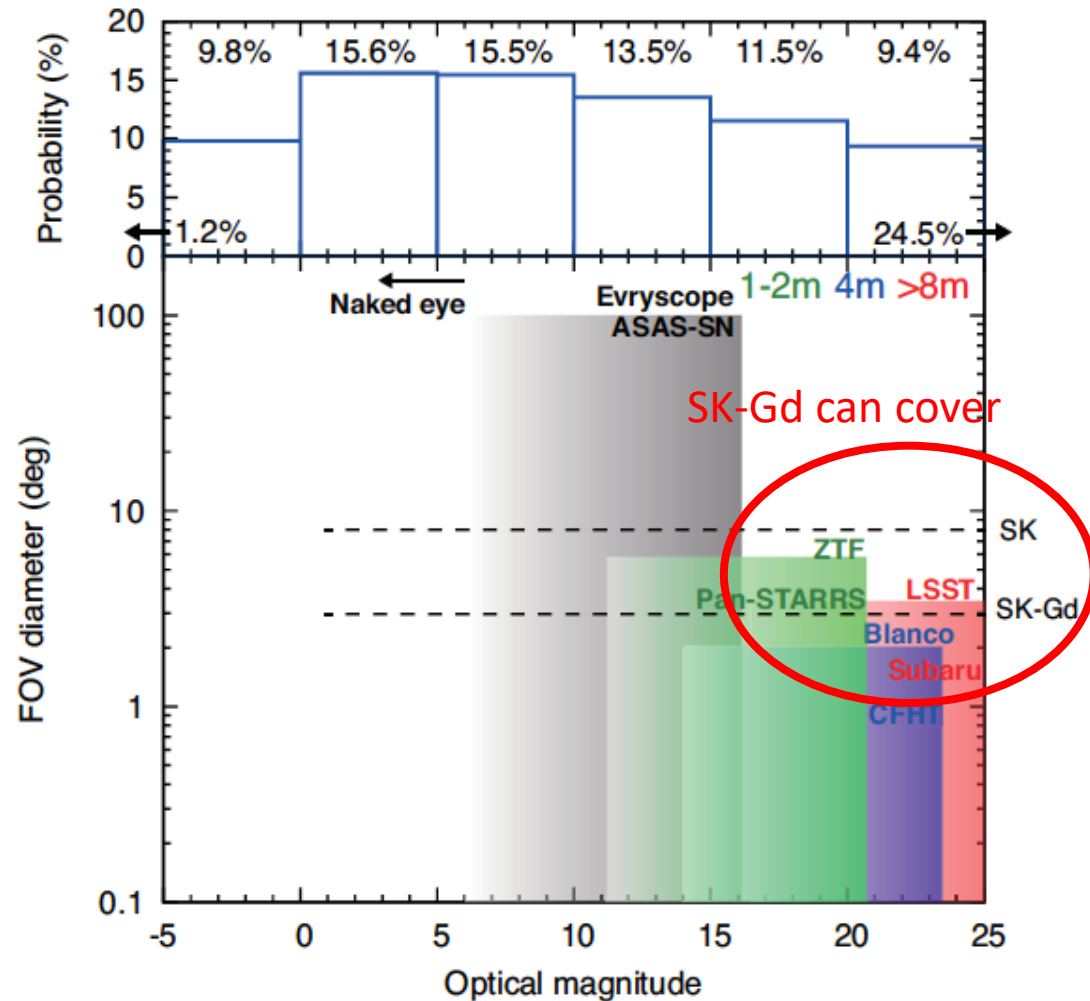
Pointing accuracy can be improved by neutron anti-tagging.

# Electromagnetic follow up

## Optical magnitude

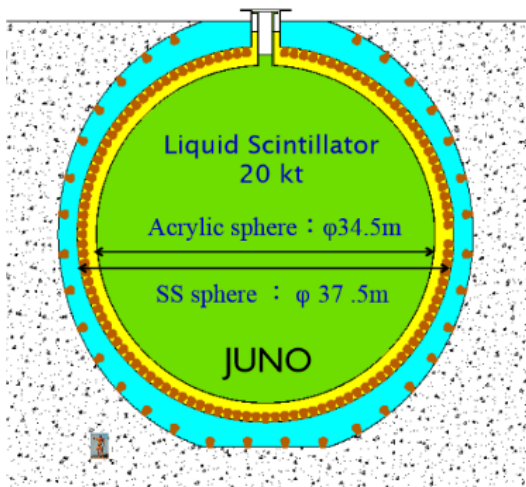


Nakamura, Horiuchi, Tanaka, Hayama,  
Takiwaki, Kotake, MNRAS 461 (3):  
3296-3313,  
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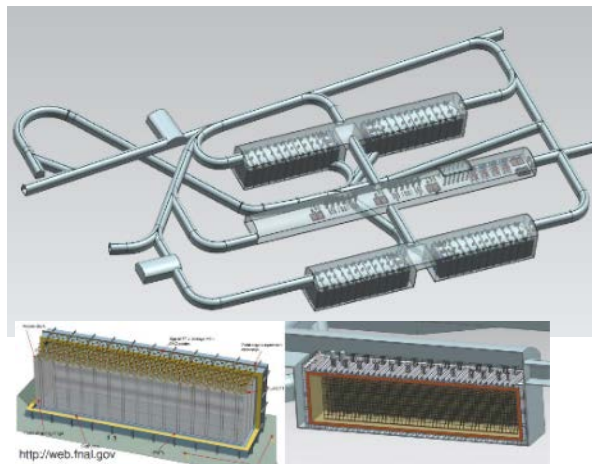


# Future Large Volume Detectors

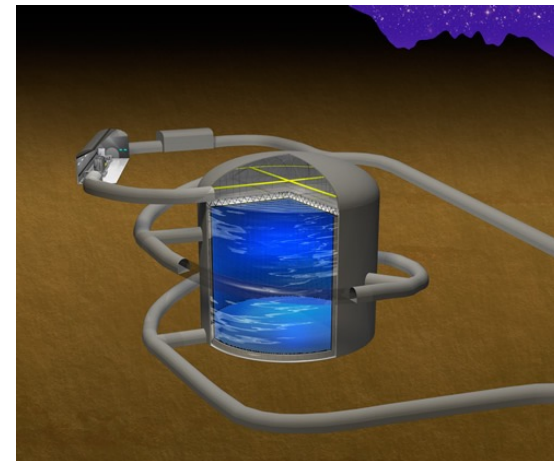
JUNO(China)  
(20kton Liq. Sci.)



DUNE/LBNF (US)  
(40 kton Liq. Ar)



Hyper-Kamiokande  
(220 kton Water)



Precise measurement of average energy and luminosity for all neutrino flavors.

~1% for  $\langle E \rangle$  for  $\bar{\nu}_e$   
~10% for  $\langle E \rangle$  for  $\nu_e$   
~5% for  $\langle E \rangle$  for  $\nu_x$

$\nu_e + {}^{40}\text{Ar} \rightarrow e^- + {}^{40}\text{K}^*$   
is the dominant interaction.

~3000  $\nu_e$  events for 10kpc SN.

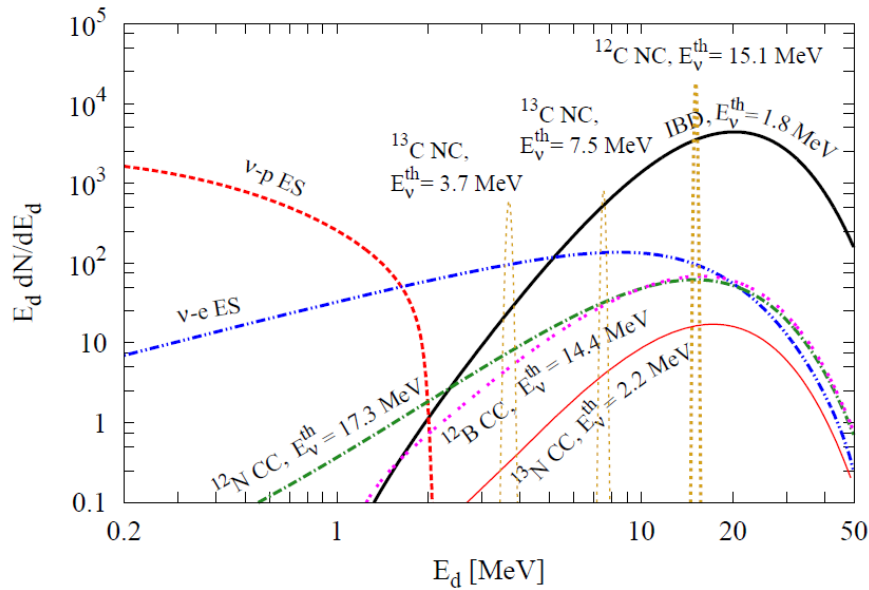
50k~80k  $\bar{\nu}_e p$  events for 10 kpc supernova.  
Precise measurement of time variation.

1~2 deg. pointing accuracy.

Detection of supernova neutrinos at nearby galaxies.

# JUNO: Expected signals

## Expected number of events for a SN @ 10 kpc



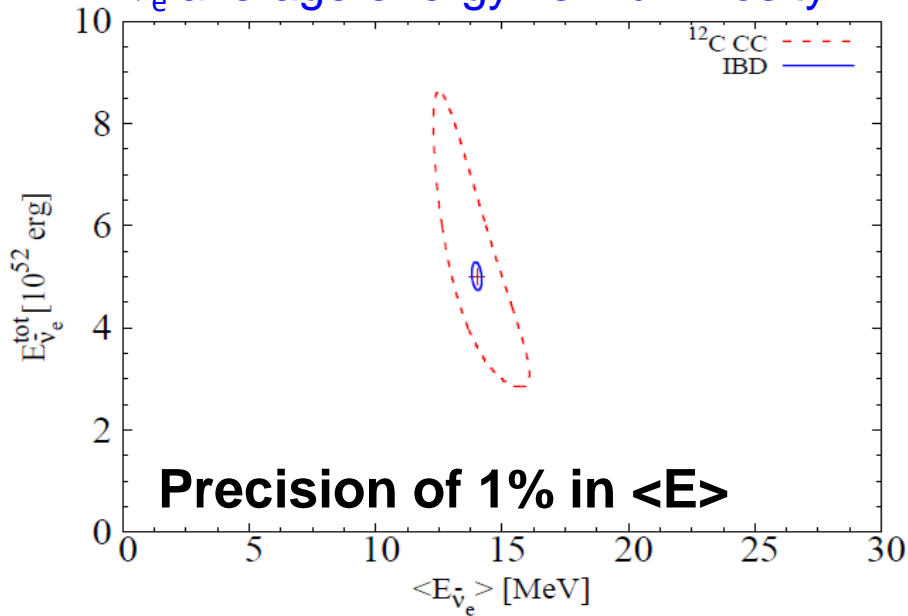
Channel	Type	Number of SN Neutrino Events at JUNO			
		No Oscillations	Normal Ordering	Inverted Ordering	
$\bar{\nu}_e + p \rightarrow e^+ + n$	CC	4573	4775	5185	
		1578	1578	1578	
$\nu + p \rightarrow \nu + p$	ES	$\nu_e$	107	354	278
		$\bar{\nu}_e$	179	214	292
		$\nu_x$	1292	1010	1008
$\nu_e + e \rightarrow \nu_e + e$	ES	$\nu_e$	314	316	316
		$\bar{\nu}_e$	157	159	158
		$\nu_x$	61	61	62
$\nu_e + e \rightarrow \nu_e + e$	ES	$\nu_x$	96	96	96
$\nu_e + {}^{12}\text{C} \rightarrow e^- + {}^{12}\text{N}$	CC	43	134	106	
$\bar{\nu}_e + {}^{12}\text{C} \rightarrow e^+ + {}^{12}\text{B}$	CC	86	98	126	
$\nu + {}^{12}\text{C} \rightarrow \nu + {}^{12}\text{C}^*$	NC	$\nu_e$	352	352	352
		$\bar{\nu}_e$	27	76	61
		$\nu_x$	43	50	65
$\nu_e + {}^{13}\text{C} \rightarrow e^- + {}^{13}\text{N}$	CC	$\nu_e$	282	226	226
		$\bar{\nu}_e$	19	29	26
		$\nu_x$	17(12)	15(10)	15(10)
$\nu + {}^{13}\text{C} \rightarrow \nu + {}^{13}\text{C}^*$	NC	$\nu_e$	23(15)	23(15)	23(15)
		$\bar{\nu}_e$	3(1)	4(3)	4(2)
		$\nu_x$	3(2)	4(2)	4(3)
		$3/2^-(5/2^-)$	23(15)	23(15)	23(15)
		$\nu_e$	3(1)	4(3)	4(2)
		$\bar{\nu}_e$	3(2)	4(2)	4(3)
		$\nu_x$	17(12)	15(10)	15(10)

Lu, YFL, Zhou, PRD 2016

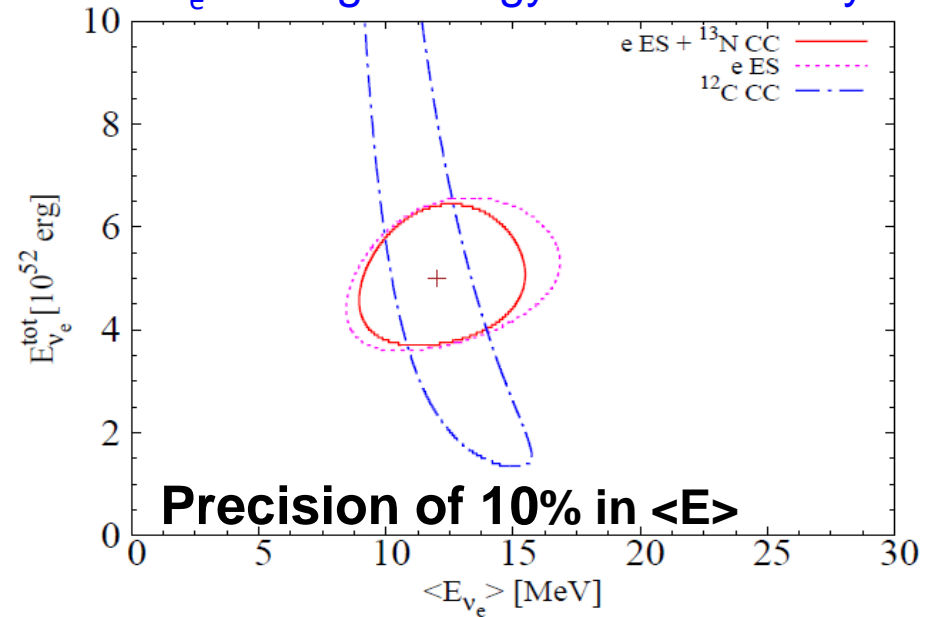
- 1) IBD events dominate at the high energy range
- 2) nu-p ES channel dominates at low energies
- 3) coincidence events vs. singles events
- 4) e. vs. p discrimination: Pulse shape discrimination

# JUNO: Sensitivity for each neutrino flavor

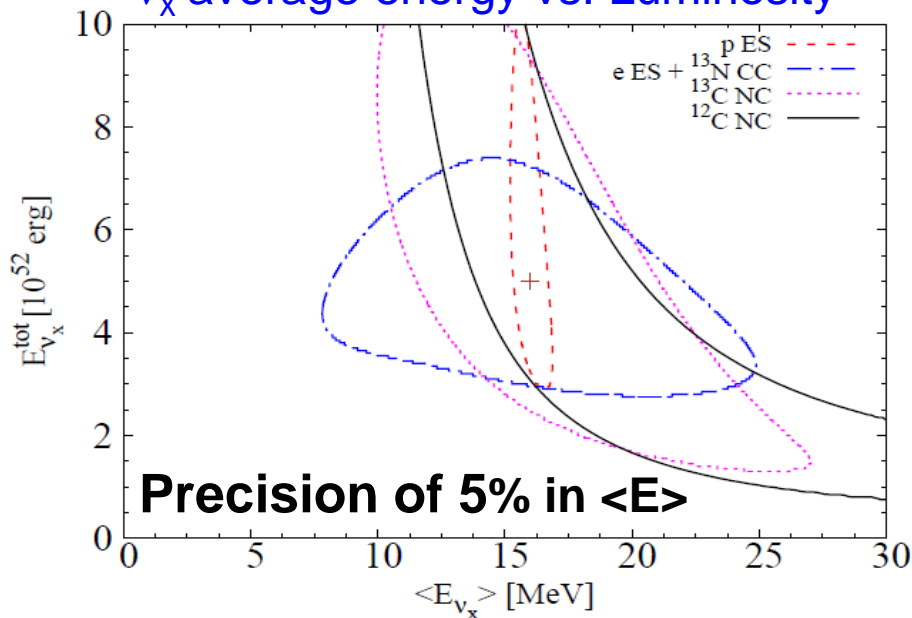
$\bar{\nu}_e$  average energy vs. Luminosity



$\nu_e$  average energy vs. Luminosity



$\nu_x$  average energy vs. Luminosity



Lu, YFL, Zhou, arXiv:1605.07803  
(Phys. Rev. D 94, 023006 (2016))

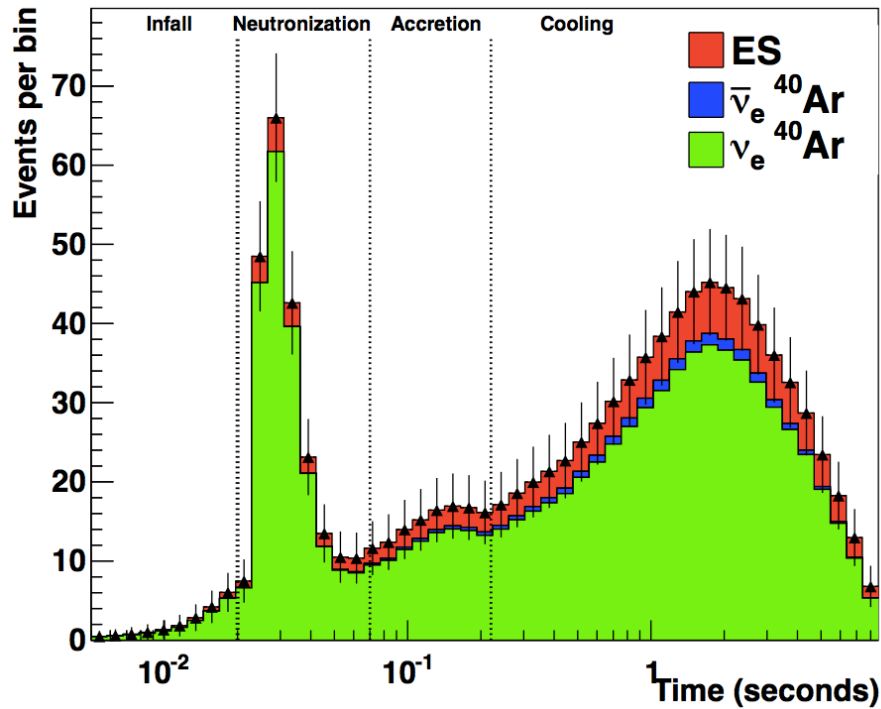
Plots are for no  $\nu$  oscillation.

Precise measurement of average energy and luminosity for all neutrino flavors.

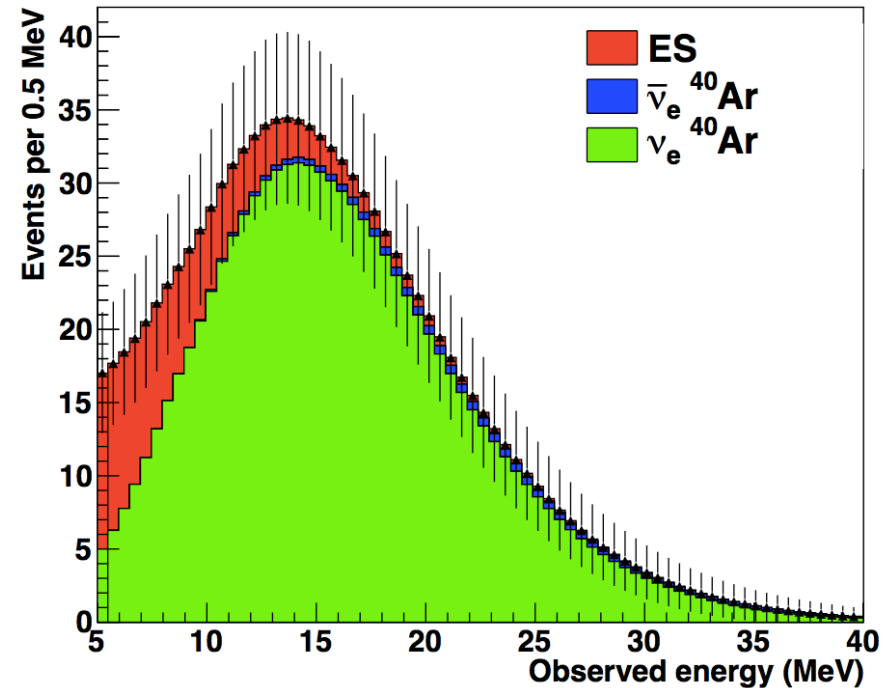


# DUNE: Expected time profile and spectrum

Flavor composition  
as a function of time



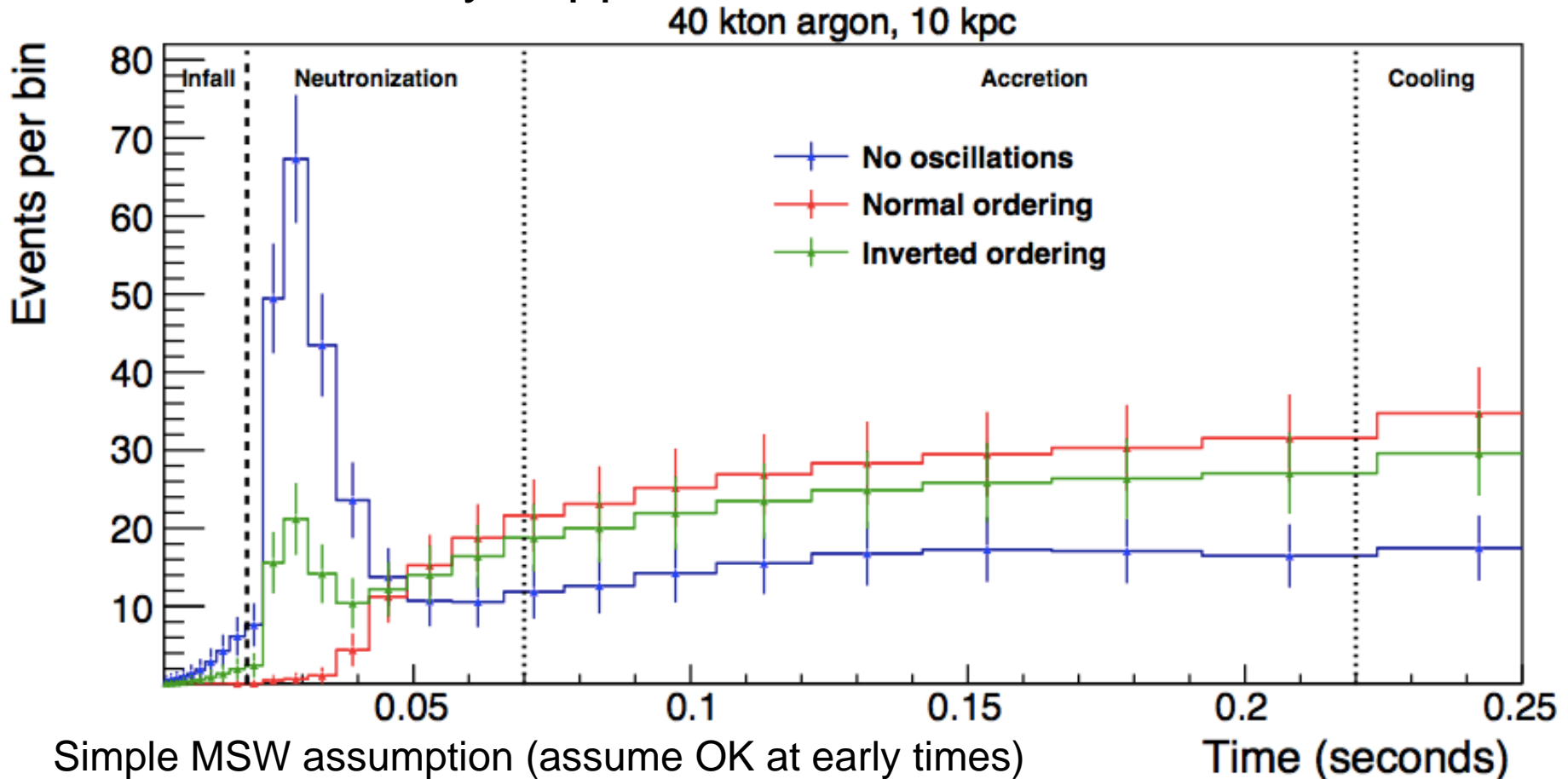
Energy spectra  
integrated over time



For 40 kton @ 10 kpc,  
Garching model  
(no oscillations)

# DUNE: effect of neutrino oscillations

Note that the neutronization burst gets substantially suppressed with flavor transitions

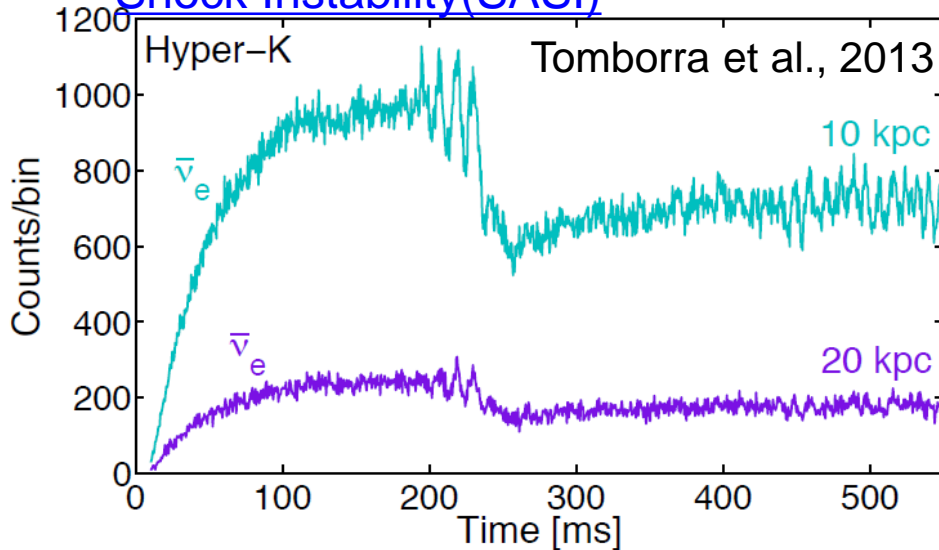


NMO:  $F_{\nu_e} = F_{\nu_x}^0$

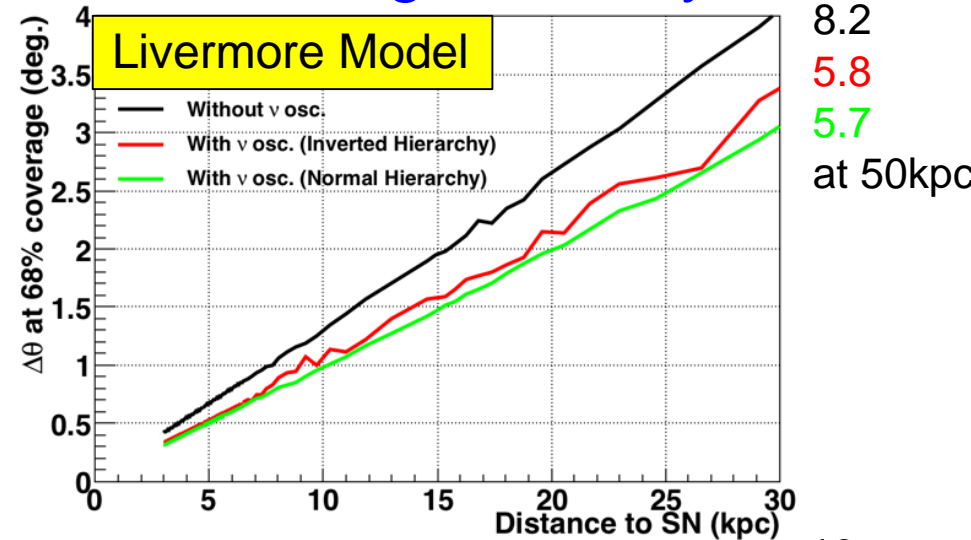
IMO:  $F_{\nu_e} = \sin^2 \theta_{12} F_{\nu_e}^0 + \cos^2 \theta_{12} F_{\nu_x}^0$

# Hyper-K: high statistics measurement

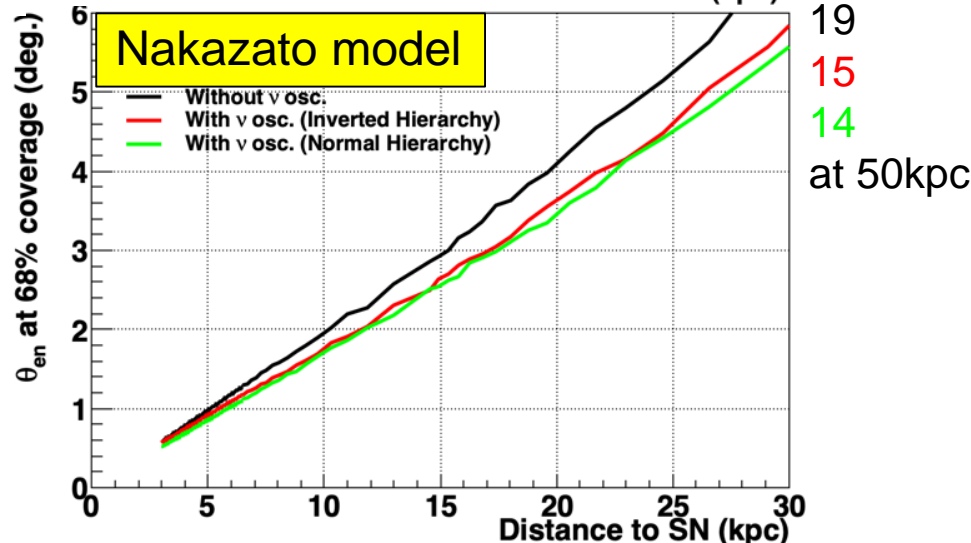
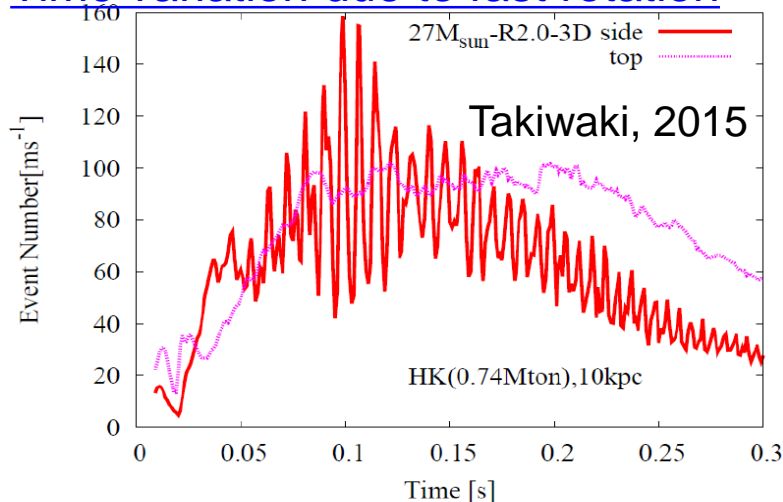
## Time variation due to Standing Accretion Shock Instability (SASI)



## Pointing accuracy



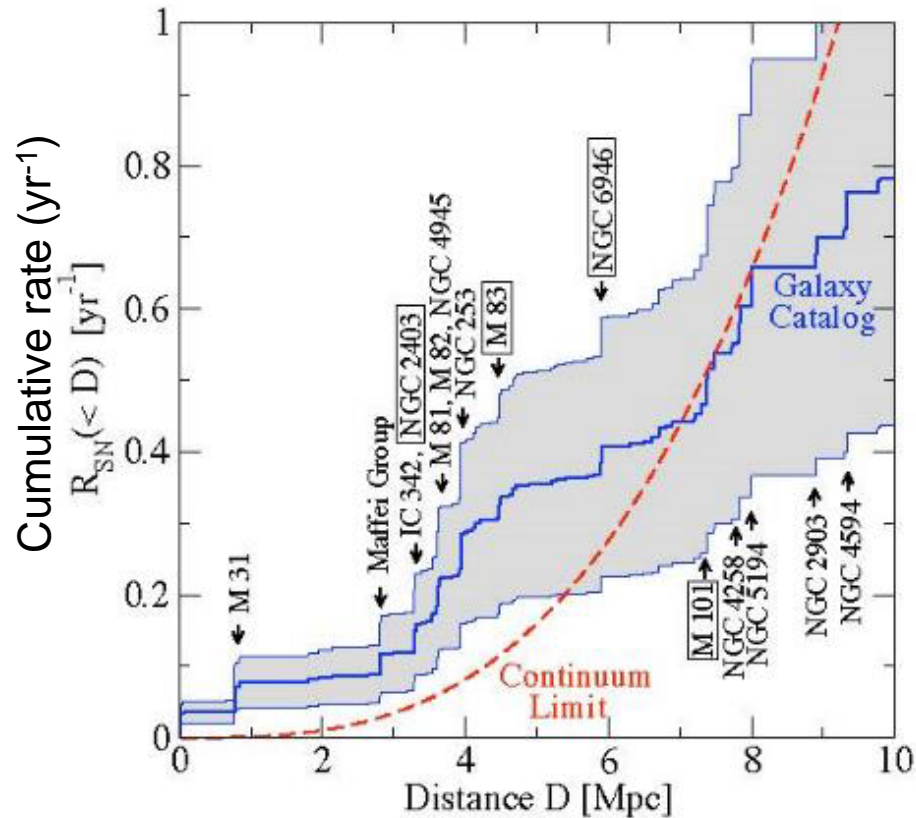
## Time variation due to fast rotation



Quite high rate to study fine time structure

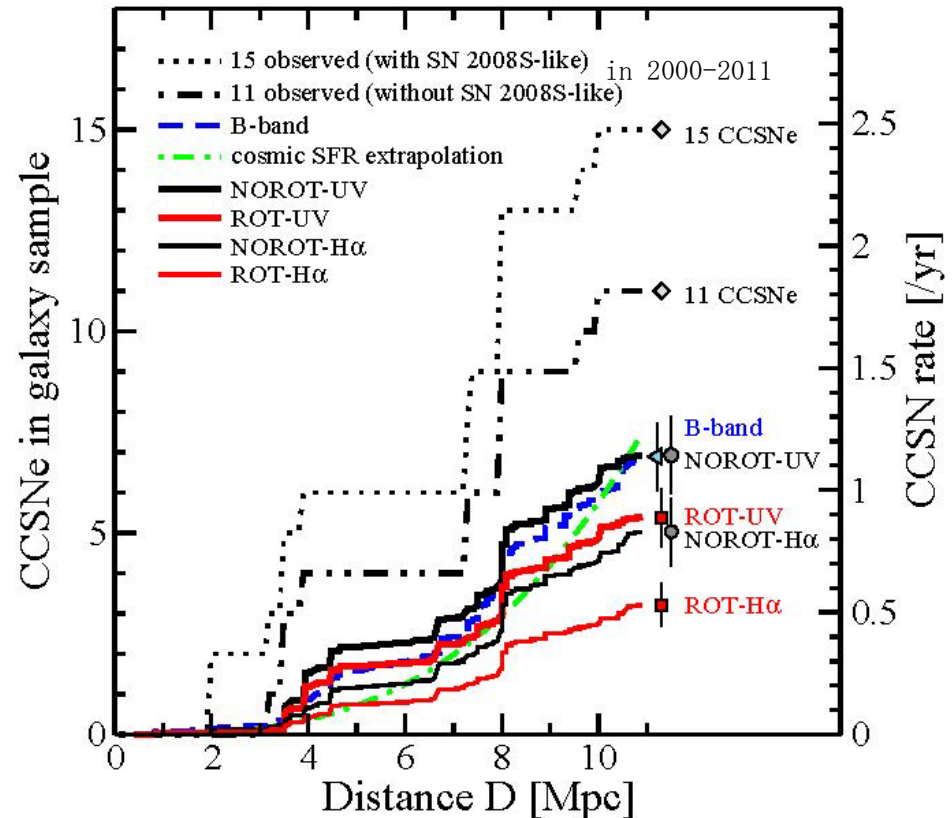
1~2 deg. accuracy for 10 kpc SN.  
6~15 deg. even for LMC (50kpc).

# Supernova rate in nearby galaxies



Ando, Beacom, Yuksel, Phys. Rev. Lett. 95, 171101 (2005)

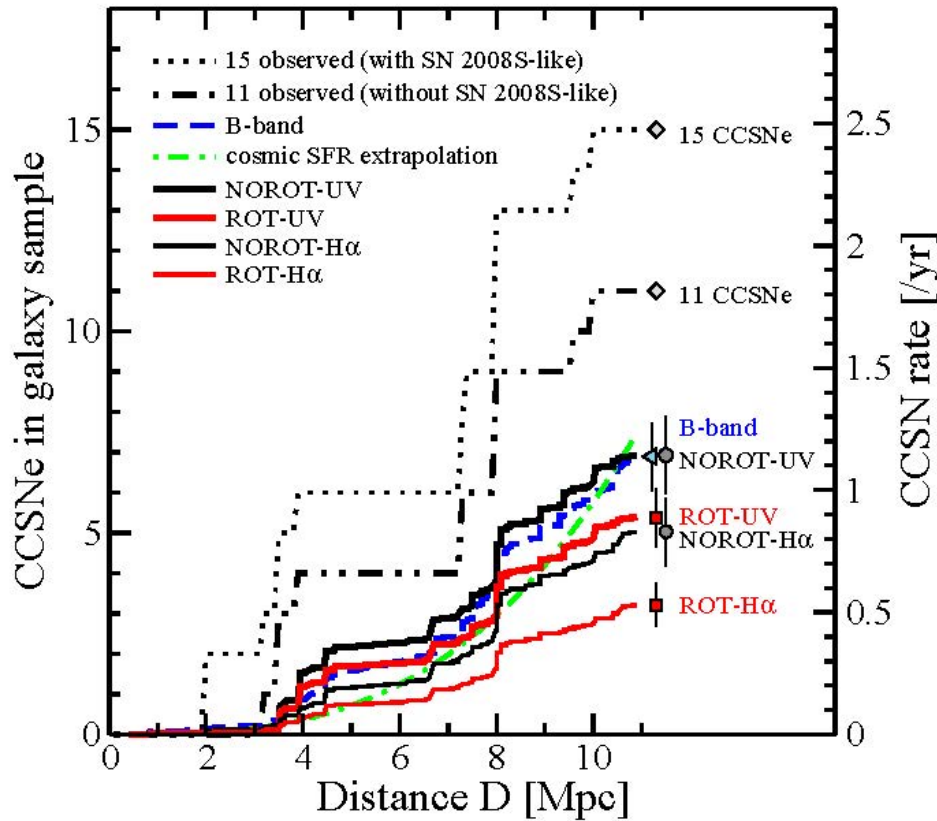
Estimated supernova rate within 10Mpc  
 $\sim 14 \text{ SNe}/20\text{y}$



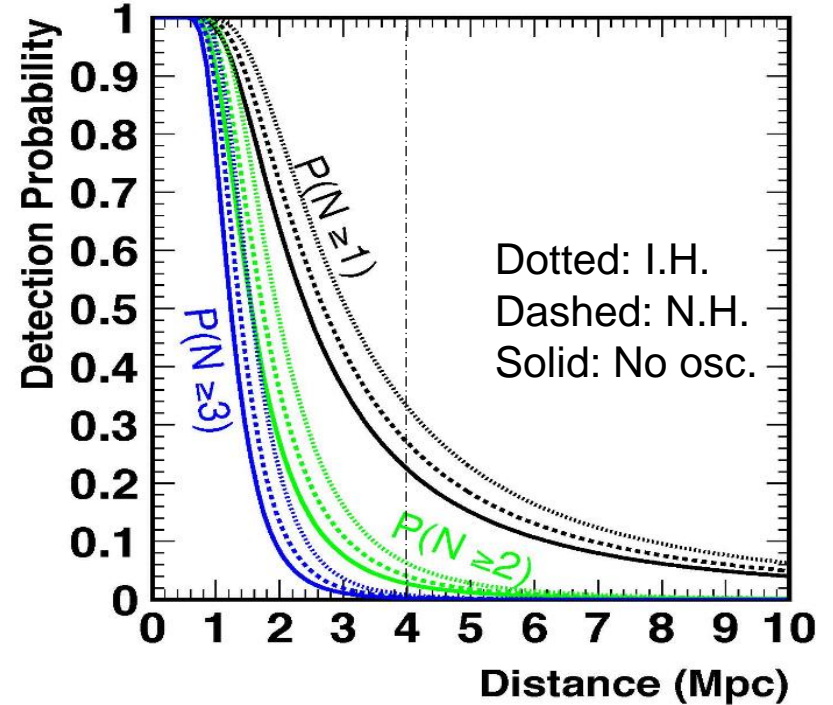
Horiuchi, Beacom, Bothwell, and Thompson, J. 769 (2013) 113

Estimated supernova rate:  
 "15CCSNe":  $\sim 50 \text{ SNe}/20\text{y}$   
 "11CCSNe":  $\sim 36 \text{ SNe}/20\text{y}$   
 UV obs.:  $\sim 18 \text{ SNe}/20\text{y}$

# Hyper-K: supernova neutrino from nearby galaxies



## Detection probability at Hyper-K



## Expected Number of SNe

- 10~14 SNe/20years (15 CCSNe)
- 5~ 8 SNe/20years (11 CCSNe)
- 2~ 3 SNe/20years (ROT-UV)

## Conditions:

- Livermore simulation
- At least one event with 10MeV threshold
- # range for no osc., N.H. and I.H.
- Not include M31, i.e. <1Mpc are not included

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Supernova rate based on observed  
supernovae from 2000 to 2011 (w/ and  
w/o SN2008S-like dim supernova), and  
expectation from UV observation.

# Conclusions

- Many detectors in the world are waiting for next supernova.
- Large number of neutrino events are expected at various detectors.
  - Various interaction modes are detected in liquid scintillation detectors.
  - Study of fine time structure by IceCube.
  - Good pointing accuracy by Super-K and will be improved by SK-Gd.
- Future large volume detectors will give detailed information.
  - Precise energy measurement of all neutrino types by JUNO.
  - $\nu_e$  measurement by DUNE.
  - 1~2 deg. level pointing accuracy and nearby galaxy SN by Hyper-K.