## The SuperFGD prototype PID beam tests results

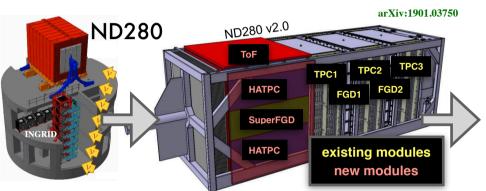


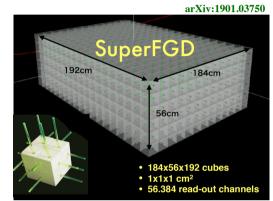
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INTRODUCTION: T2K is a long-baseline neutrino-oscillations experiment. In 2022, the near detector ND280 will be upgraded including new modules, such as SuperFGD which is a novel 3D plastic scintillator concept. The goal is to better understand  $\nu$  interactions and oscillations, extending our knowledge on leptonic  $\delta_{CP}$ .





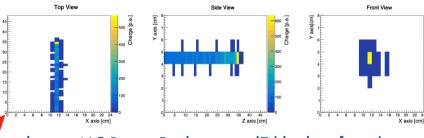
**RESULTS** (from 2nd prototype)

lst: 5x5x5



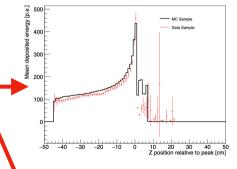
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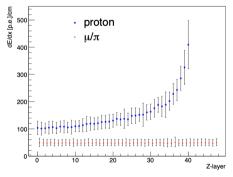
## Data example of a stopping proton in the three 2D views.



## data vs MC Bragg Peak

dE/dx data for  $\mu/\pi$  vs p.

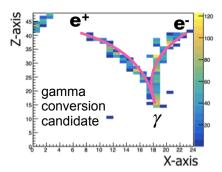


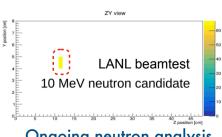


## CONCLUSIONS

- 1st prototype demonstrated SuperFGD concept.
- 2nd prototype showed excellent PID capabilities with great dE/dx sensibility and time resolution.
- Detector currently under assembly, installation expected next year.
- SuperFGD neutrino data in 2023.

Identification of neutral particles ( $\gamma$  & n):





Ongoing neutron analysis