

# **Neutrino – Source of New Physics**

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# Outline

- ❑ **neutrino oscillations and mixing**
- ❑ **measurements of  $\theta_{13}$**
- ❑ **neutrino mass hierarchy and CP violation**
- ❑ **summary**



# Standard Model

SM is a gauge theory based on local symmetry group

$$SU(3)_c \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$$

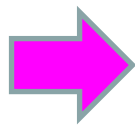
C – color, L – left-handed chirality, Y – weak hypercharge

Elementary particles of SM:

$$\gamma \quad W^\pm \quad Z^0 \quad 8 \text{ gluons} \quad H = \begin{pmatrix} H^+ \\ H^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

I	u	d	e	$\nu_e$
II	c	s	$\mu$	$\nu_\mu$
III	t	b	$\tau$	$\nu_\tau$

Fermions



$$\begin{array}{l} Q_L = \begin{pmatrix} u_L \\ d_L \end{pmatrix} \quad u_R \quad d_R \\ L_L = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_L \\ e_L \end{pmatrix} \quad e_R \quad \bigcirc \end{array}$$

missing entry?  
sterile  $\nu_R$  ?

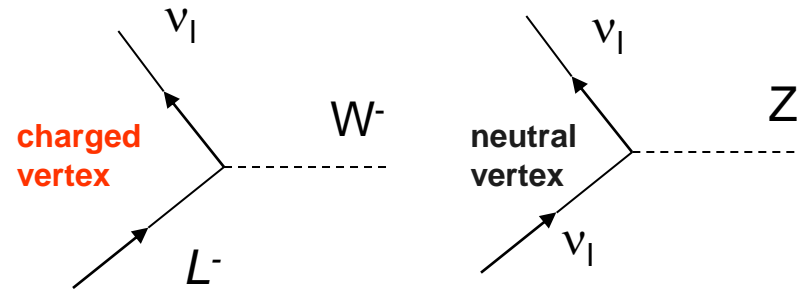
neutrino is purely  
left-handed  
 $m_\nu = 0$



# Leptons

Neutrinos - partners  
of charged leptons:

$$W \rightarrow e\nu_e \quad W \rightarrow \mu\nu_\mu \quad W \rightarrow \tau\nu_\tau$$



Three neutrinos

Lepton number

$\nu_e$	$\nu_\mu$	$\nu_\tau$
$L_e = +1$	$L_\mu = +1$	$L_\tau = +1$

**Neutrinos are massless,  $L_e$ ,  $L_\mu$ ,  $L_\tau$  conserved**

Charged leptons - Dirac particles  $\Rightarrow l \neq \bar{l}$

Neutrinos - Dirac or Majorana particles  $\Rightarrow l \neq \bar{l}$  or  $l = \bar{l}$



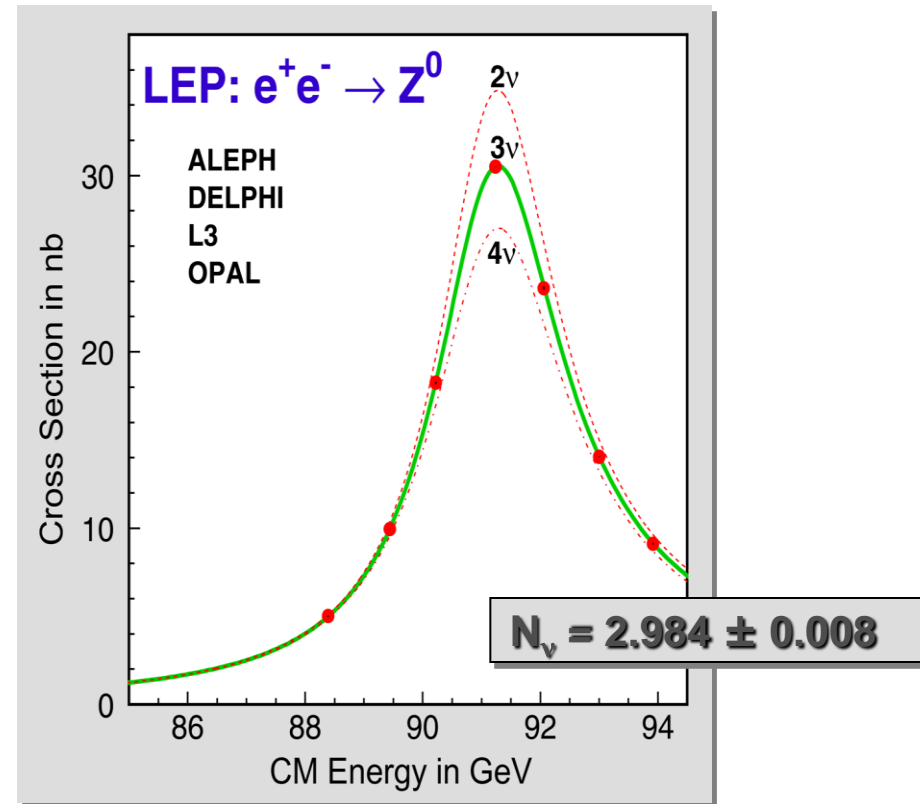
# Active $\nu$ 's

LEP (CERN) experiments:  
from Z width



3 flavor (family) of light active neutrinos

**No neutrino mixing**  
**CP = 1**



Neutrino oscillations:  $\nu_i \rightarrow \nu_j$  ( $i \neq j$ )  $i/j = e, \mu, \tau$

$L_i \neq 1$ , however  $L_{\text{total}} = \sum L_i = 1$

at least one neutrino should have a non-zero mass for oscillations

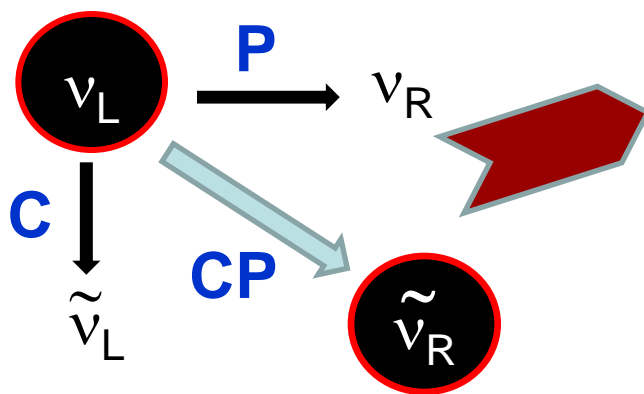


# Symmetries

Charge	<b>C</b>	particle $\leftrightarrow$ antiparticle
Parity	<b>P</b>	$x, y, z \leftrightarrow -x, -y, -z$
Time	<b>T</b>	$t \leftrightarrow -t$

Electromagnetic and strong interactions:

$$\mathbf{C} = 1, \mathbf{P} = 1, \mathbf{T} = 1$$



Weak interactions

Lepton sector,  $m_\nu=0$ :

$$\mathbf{P} \neq 1 \quad \mathbf{C} \neq 1 \quad \mathbf{T} = 1 \quad \mathbf{CP} = 1 \quad \mathbf{CPT} = 1$$

Quarks:

$$\mathbf{CP} \neq 1$$

in **K** and **B** decays

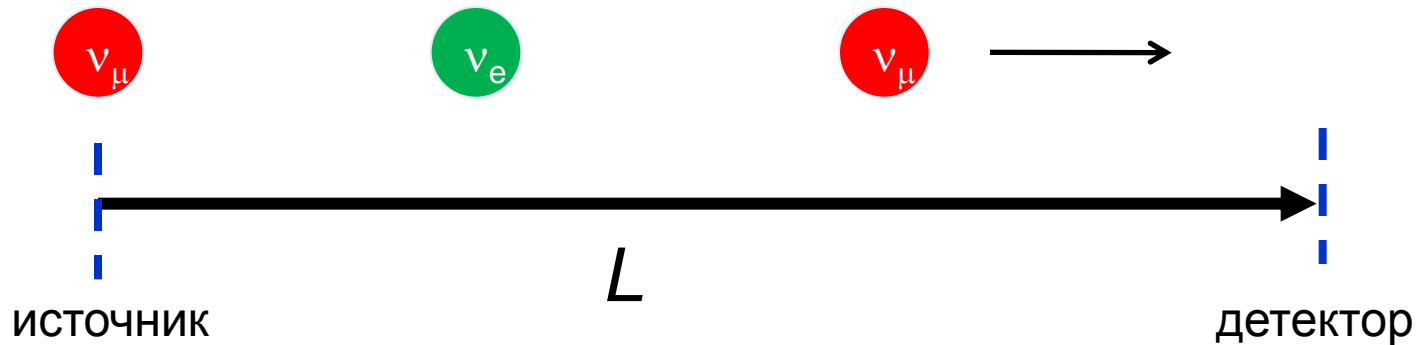


# Idea of neutrino oscillations

B. Pontecorvo – 1957

- one flavor can transform into another
- neutrino should have a non-zero mass and mix
- oscillation probability depends on

$m_\nu$ ,  $E_\nu$  and distance  $L$



Weak eigenstates

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = U \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Mass eigenstates

Weak eigenstates differ from mass eigenstates



# Mixing of 2 neutrinos

Two flavors (for simplicity)  $\nu_\mu$  и  $\nu_e$

Mass eigenstates:  $\nu_1 (m_1)$   $\nu_2 (m_2)$

One mixing parameter - mixing angle  $\theta$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_e &= \cos \theta |\nu_1\rangle + \sin \theta |\nu_2\rangle \\ \nu_\mu &= -\sin \theta |\nu_1\rangle + \cos \theta |\nu_2\rangle \end{aligned}$$

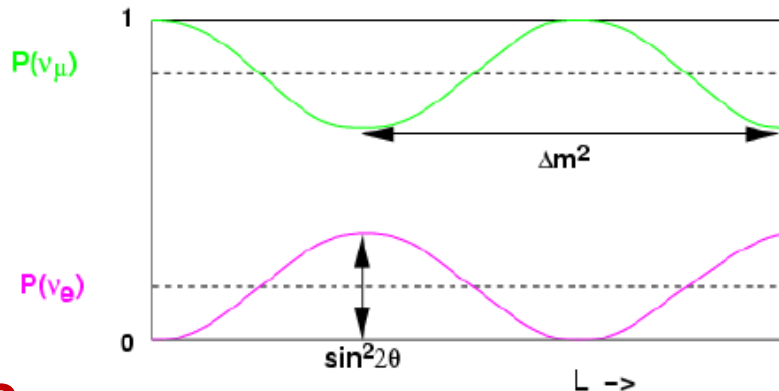
## 2 types of oscillation experiments

$$\begin{aligned} P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e) &\approx \sin^2(2\theta) \sin^2(\Delta m^2 L / E_\nu) \\ P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\mu) &\approx 1 - \sin^2(2\theta) \sin^2(\Delta m^2 L / E_\nu) \end{aligned}$$

«excess»  $\nu_e$

«deficit»  $\nu_\mu$

disappearance



appearance





# Oscillation industry

Homestake, USA



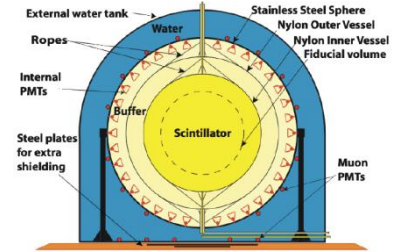
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Sage, Russia



1990

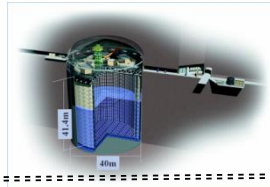
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Gallex  
SNO  
SK

Solar  $\nu$ 's

SK, Japan



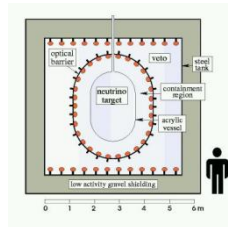
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Soudan2, USA

T2K  
Nova

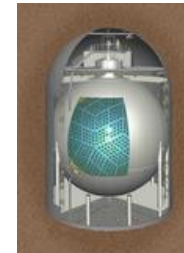
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Reactor  $\nu$ 's

CHOOZ,  
France



KamLand,  
Japan



Accelerator  $\nu$ 's

K2K, Japan



Minos, USA



OPERA, Italy



Sterile  $\nu$ 's:  
LSND,  
MiniBooNe,  
USA

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# $\nu$ oscillations and mixing

3 families

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = U \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} U_{e1} & U_{e2} & U_{e3} \\ U_{\mu1} & U_{\mu2} & U_{\mu3} \\ U_{\tau1} & U_{\tau2} & U_{\tau3} \end{pmatrix}$$

Pontecorvo  
Maki  
Nakagawa  
Sakata

atmospheric

solar

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

link between atmospheric and solar

**U parameterization:** three mixing angles  $\theta_{12}$   $\theta_{23}$   $\theta_{13}$  and CP violating phase  $\delta$

$$\Delta m_{ij}^2 = m_i^2 - m_j^2 \quad \Delta m_{12}^2 + \Delta m_{23}^2 + \Delta m_{31}^2 = 0 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{two independent } \Delta m^2$$

$$\Delta m_{12}^2 = \Delta m_{sol}^2 \approx 7.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2 \quad |\Delta m_{23}^2| \cong |\Delta m_{31}^2| = |\Delta m_{atm}^2| \approx 2.4 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$$

by Summer 2011

$$\theta_{12} = (34 \pm 1)^\circ \quad \theta_{23} \sim 45^\circ \quad \theta_{13} = ??$$

?? MH and  $\delta$  ??



# $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$ in matter

Physics reach oscillation mode for accelerator LBL experiments is  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e) = & 4c_{13}^2 \boxed{s_{13}^2} s_{23}^2 \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m_{13}^2 L}{4E_\nu} \times \left[ 1 + \frac{2a}{\Delta m_{13}^2} (1 - 2s_{13}^2) \right] & \longrightarrow \theta_{13} \\
 & + 8c_{13}^2 s_{12} s_{13} s_{23} (c_{12} c_{23} \cos \delta - s_{12} s_{13} s_{23}) \cos \frac{\Delta m_{23}^2 L}{4E_\nu} \sin \frac{\Delta m_{13}^2 L}{4E_\nu} \sin \frac{\Delta m_{12}^2 L}{4E_\nu} & \longrightarrow \text{CP-even} \\
 & - 8c_{13}^2 c_{12} c_{23} s_{12} s_{13} s_{23} \sin \delta \sin \frac{\Delta m_{23}^2 L}{4E_\nu} \sin \frac{\Delta m_{13}^2 L}{4E_\nu} \sin \frac{\Delta m_{12}^2 L}{4E_\nu} & \longrightarrow \text{CP-odd} \\
 & + 4s_{12}^2 c_{13}^2 (c_{13}^2 c_{23}^2 + s_{12}^2 s_{23}^2 s_{13}^2 - 2c_{12} c_{23} s_{12} s_{23} s_{13} \cos \delta) \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m_{12}^2 L}{4E_\nu} & \longrightarrow \text{Solar} \\
 & - 8c_{13}^2 s_{13}^2 s_{23}^2 \cos \frac{\Delta m_{23}^2 L}{4E_\nu} \frac{aL}{4E_\nu} \sin \frac{\Delta m_{13}^2 L}{4E_\nu} (1 - 2s_{13}^2), & \longrightarrow \text{Matter} \quad (30)
 \end{aligned}$$

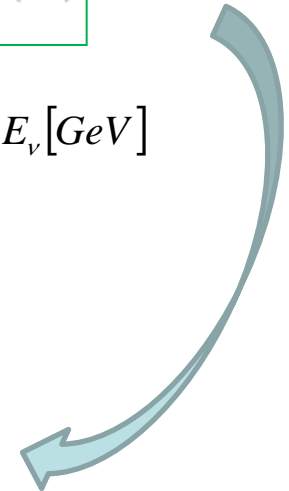
$$s_{ij} = \sin \theta_{ij} \quad c_{ij} = \cos \theta_{ij} \quad a[eV^2] = 2\sqrt{2}G_F n_e E_\nu = 7.6 \times 10^{-5} \rho \left[ \frac{g}{cm^3} \right] E_\nu [GeV]$$

$$P(\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e)$$



$$a \rightarrow -a \quad \delta \rightarrow -\delta$$

**change sign for NH  $\rightarrow$  IH**



# Neutrino landscape considerably changed since Summer 2011

## Accelerator experiments

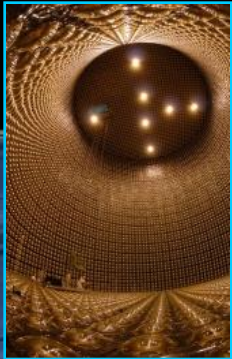
**T2K, MINOS**

## Reactor experiments

**Double Chooz, Daya Bay, RENO**



# Long-Baseline Neutrino Oscillation Experiment



SuperKamiokande

Toyama

Kamioka Mine



JPARC

Tokai

Токио

Tokyo/Narita Airport

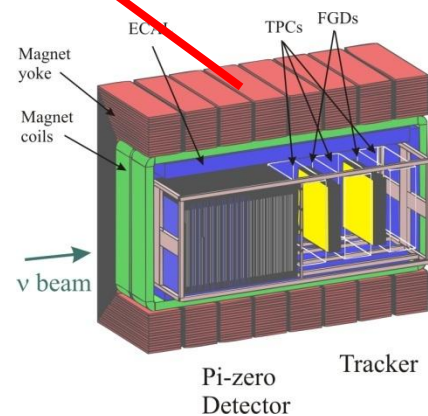
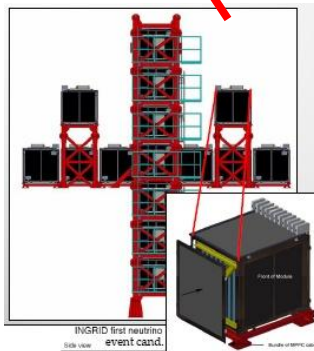
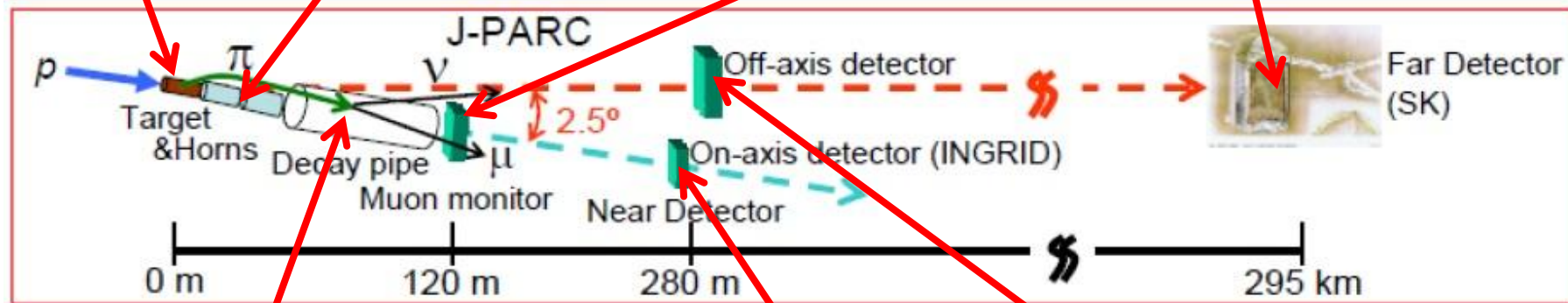
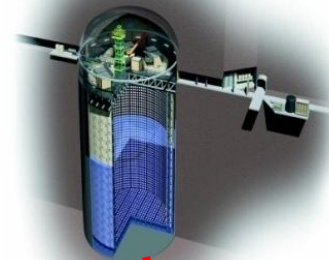
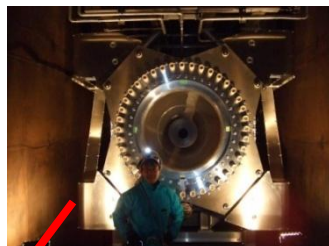
JAPAN

~ 500 members  
59 institutions  
11 countries





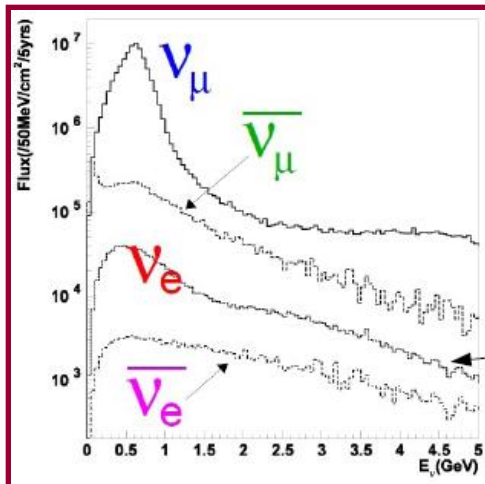
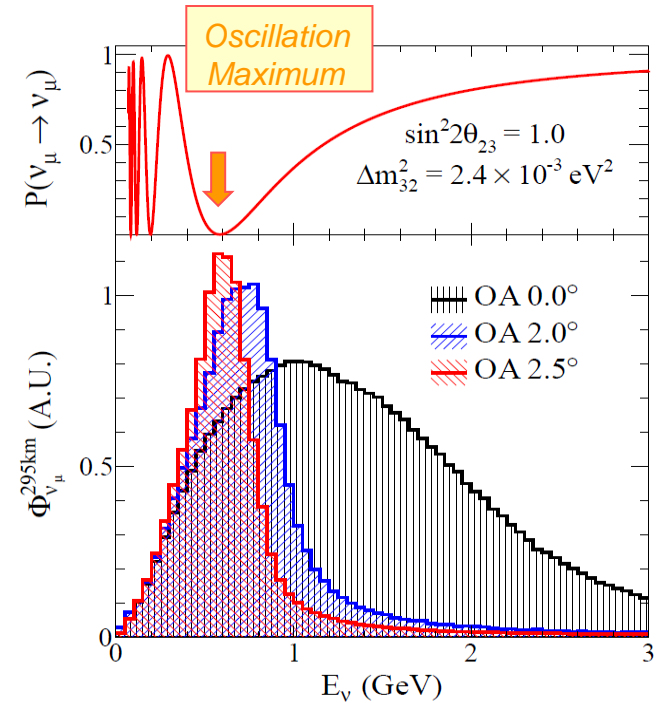
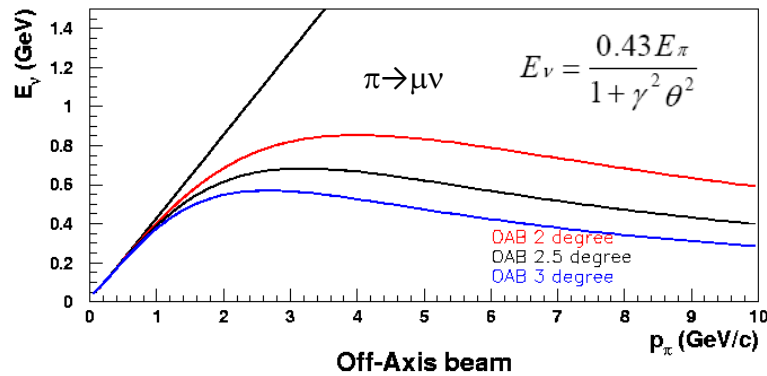
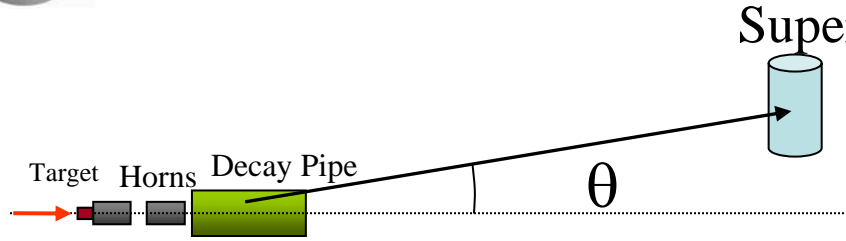
# T2K layout





# T2K off-axis $\nu$ beam

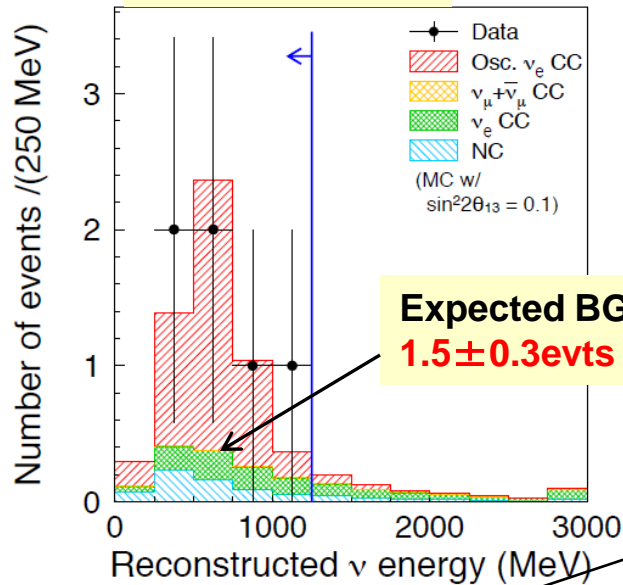
SuperK



- 750 (now 235) kW 30 GeV proton beam at JPARC
- Quasi-monochromatic  $\nu_\mu$  (95%) beam
- Peak energy  $\sim 700$  MeV tuned to oscillation maximum
- $\sim 0.5\%$   $\nu_e$  at peak energy
- Reduced high energy tail  $\rightarrow$  reduces background



6  $\nu_e$  events



# First T2K result

published in June 2011

1.43x10<sup>20</sup> POT  
 January 2010 –  
 March 2011

About two years ago, T2K published **FIRST** clear indication of electron neutrino appearance ( $\theta_{13} \neq 0$ )

Then,  
 1 - Confirmation from MINOS  
 2 - Precise measurements by Double Chooz  
 Daya Bay  
 RENO

Selected for a Viewpoint in *Physics*

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week ending  
22 JULY 2011

## Indication of Electron Neutrino Appearance from an Accelerator-Produced Off-Axis Muon Neutrino Beam

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The T2K experiment observes indications of  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$  appearance in data accumulated with  $1.43 \times 10^{20}$  protons on target. Six events pass all selection criteria at the far detector. In a three-flavor neutrino oscillation scenario with  $|\Delta m_{23}^2| = 2.4 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$ ,  $\sin^2 2\theta_{23} = 1$  and  $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0$ , the expected number of such events is  $1.5 \pm 0.3(\text{syst})$ . Under this hypothesis, the probability to observe six or more candidate events is  $7 \times 10^{-3}$ , equivalent to  $2.5\sigma$  significance. At 90% C.L., the data are consistent with  $0.03(0.04) < \sin^2 2\theta_{13} < 0.28(0.34)$  for  $\delta_{CP} = 0$  and a normal (inverted) hierarchy.

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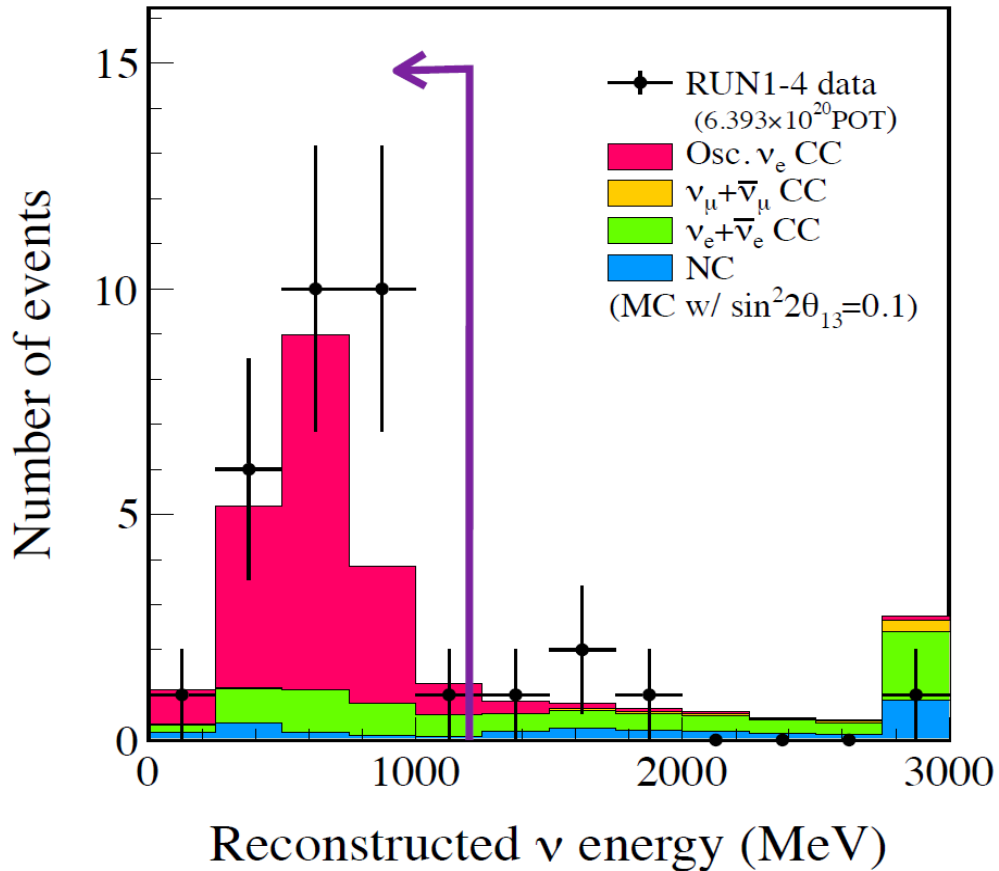




# T2K new result

July 2013

$6.4 \times 10^{20}$  POT



after all cuts

**28  $\nu_e$   
candidates**

Expected background

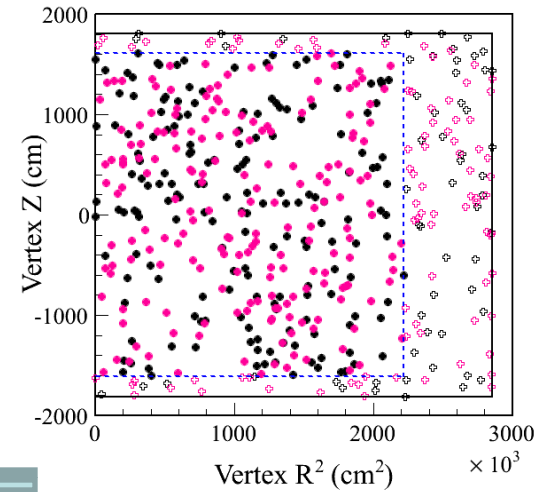
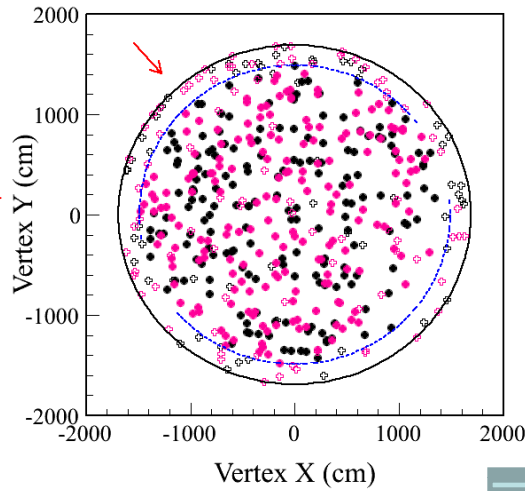
( $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.0$ )

**$4.64 \pm 0.52$  events**



# T2K events

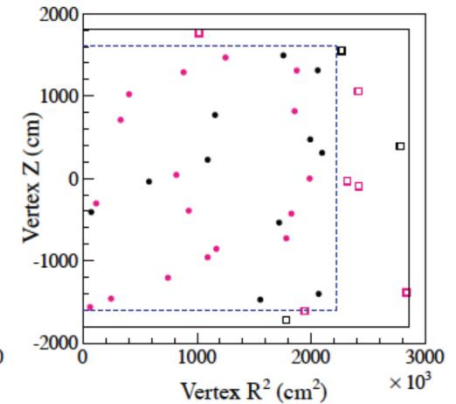
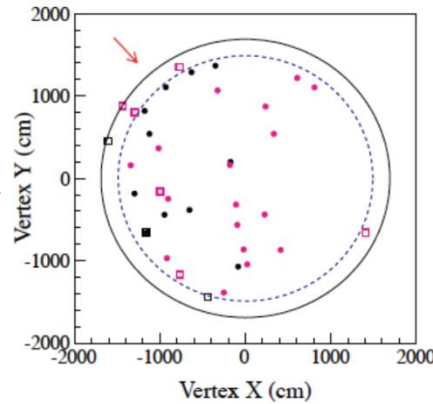
Events fully contained in ID and vertex within fiducial volume (FCFV)



applying selection criteria



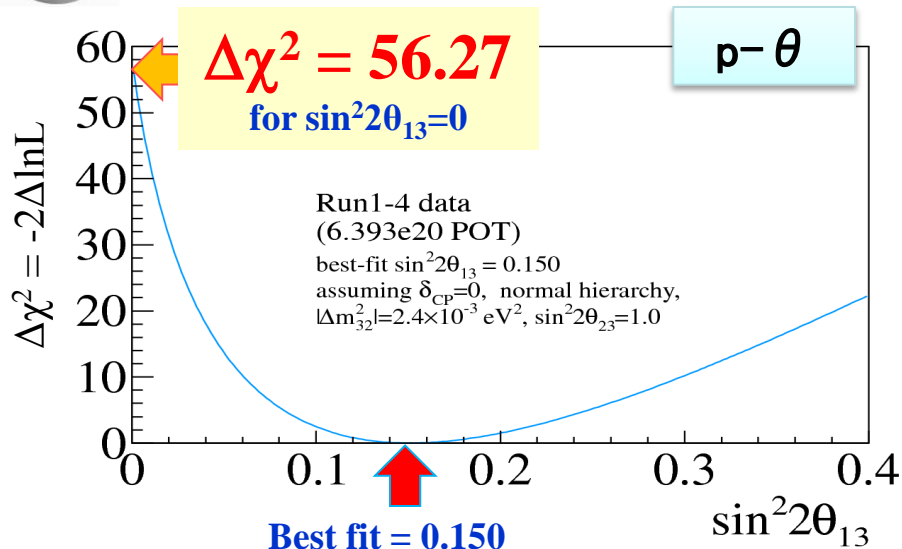
$\nu_e$  candidates





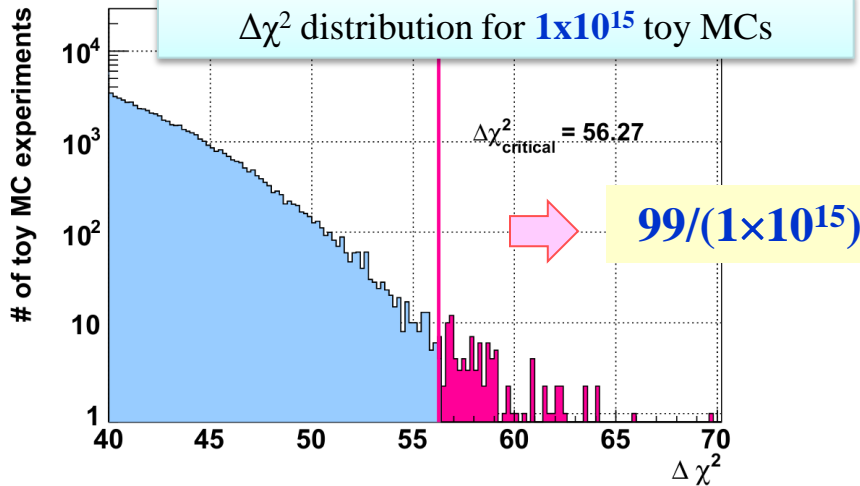
# Significance

significance is calculated as  $\sqrt{\Delta\chi^2}$



**28  $\nu_e$  events detected**  
**expected background**  
 **$4.64 \pm 0.52$  events**

$$\sqrt{-2\Delta\ln L} = \sqrt{56.27} = 7.5\sigma$$



**p-value is calculated as follows:**

1. Generate  $1e15$  toy experiments with  $\sin^2 2\theta_{13}=0.0$ .
2. Fit each toy experiment extract  $-2\Delta\ln L (= \Delta\chi^2)$ .
3. p-value is the fraction of toy experiments above  $\Delta\chi^2_{\text{data}}$

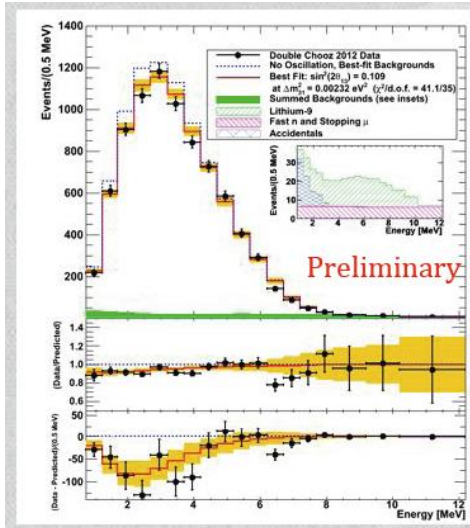
$$\text{p-value} = 9.9 \times 10^{-14}$$

**Discovery of  $\nu_e$  appearance**

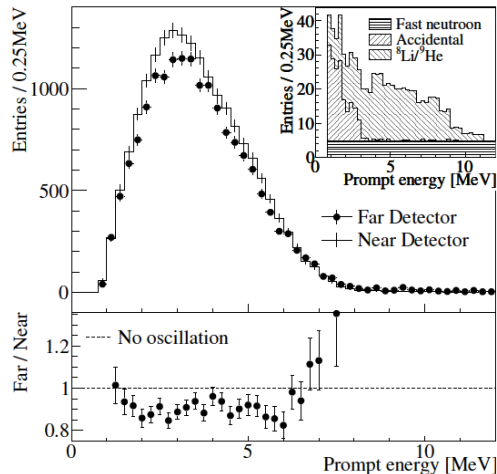


# Reactor experiments

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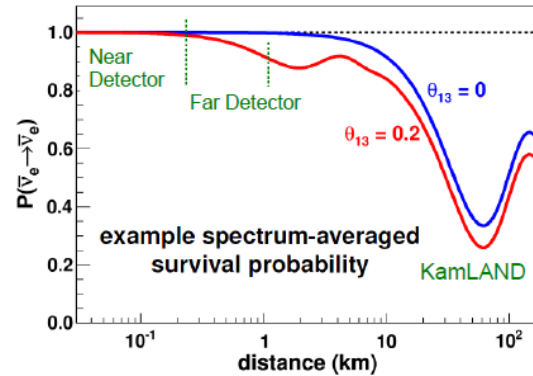


## Reno



## Measurements of reactor neutrino disappearance

$$P_{ee} \approx 1 - \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \sin^2 \left( \frac{\Delta m_{31}^2 L}{4E_\nu} \right) - \cos^4 \theta_{13} \sin^2 2\theta_{12} \sin^2 \left( \frac{\Delta m_{21}^2 L}{4E_\nu} \right)$$

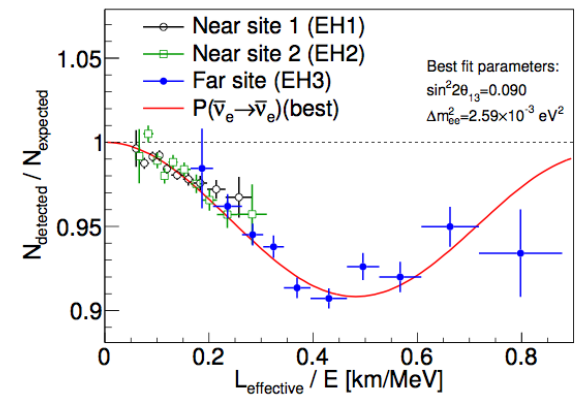
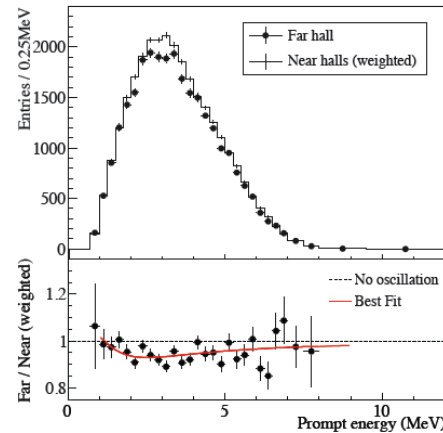


**baseline ~ 1 km  
 best sensitivity to  $\theta_{13}$**

## Daya Bay:

$$\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.089 \pm 0.009$$

## Daya Bay

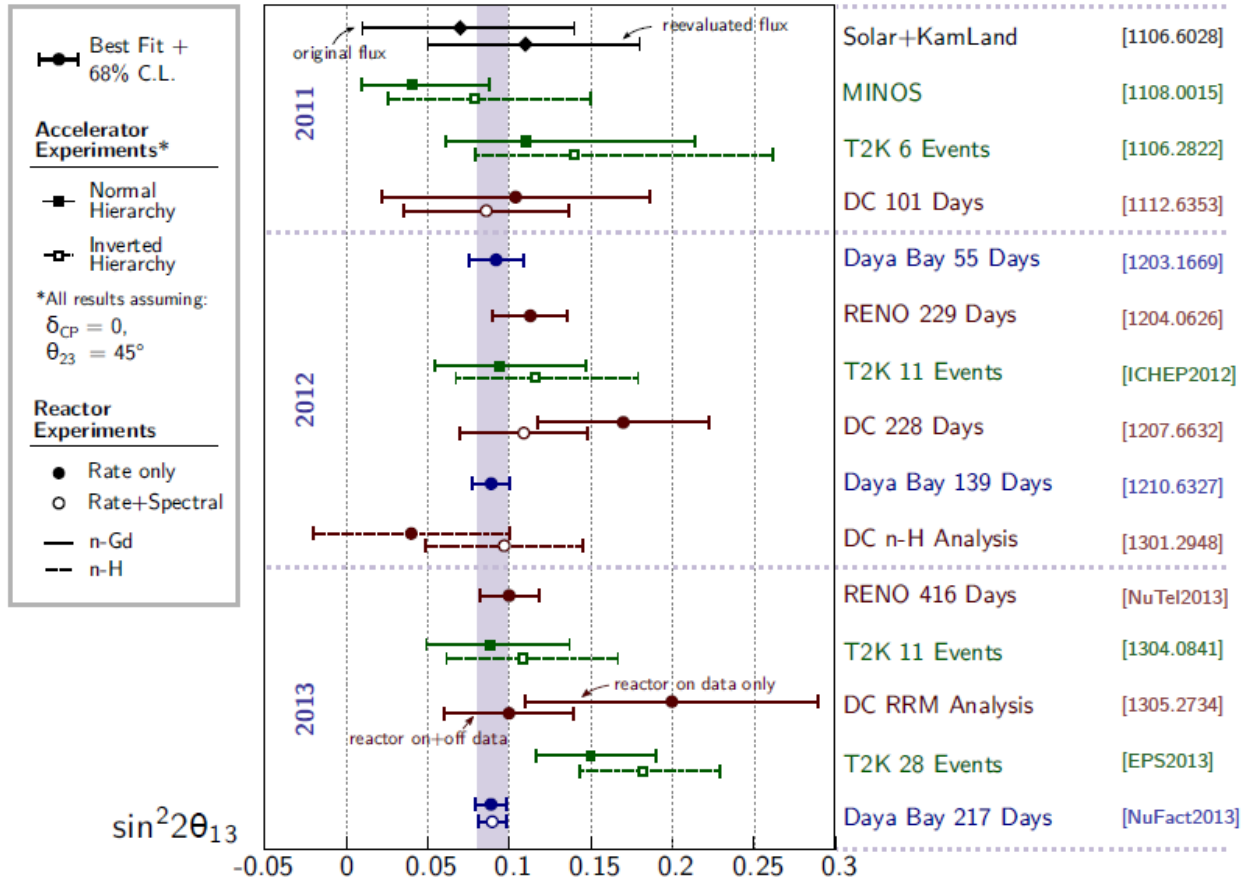




# History of $\theta_{13}$ measurements

Only 2 years of measurements!

S. Jetter, NuFact2013



$$\theta_{13} \approx 9^\circ$$



# T2K and reactor data

allowed region of  $\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$   
for each value of  $\delta_{CP}$

Best fit for  $\delta_{CP}=0$

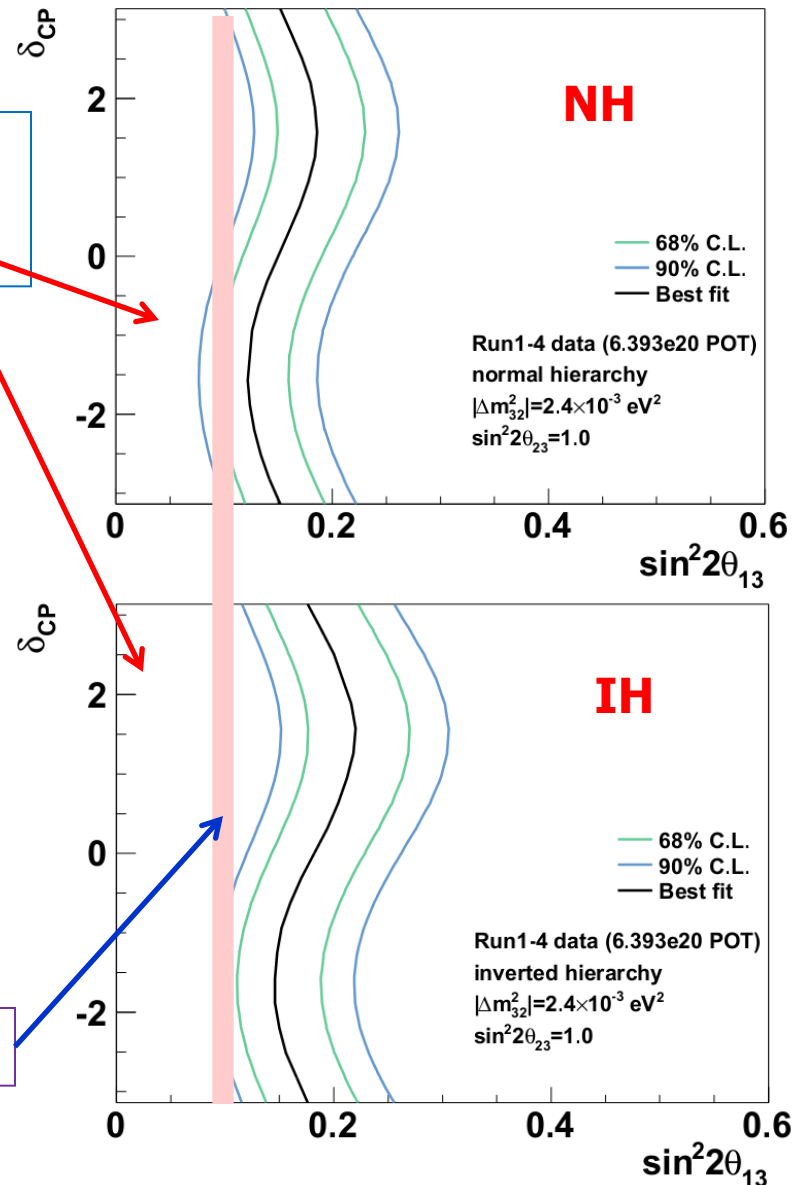
**NH**

$$\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.150^{+0.039}_{-0.034}$$

**IH**

$$\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.182^{+0.046}_{-0.040}$$

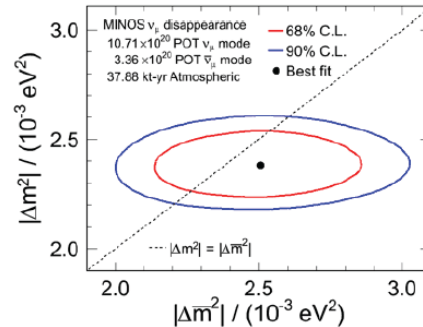
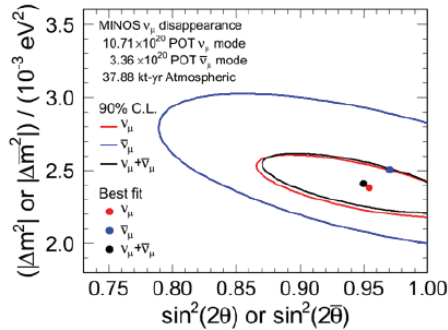
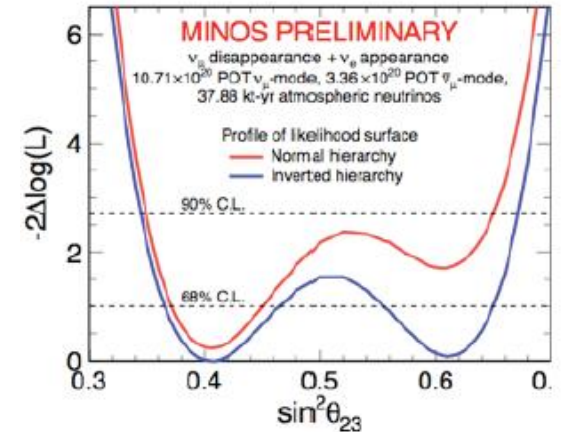
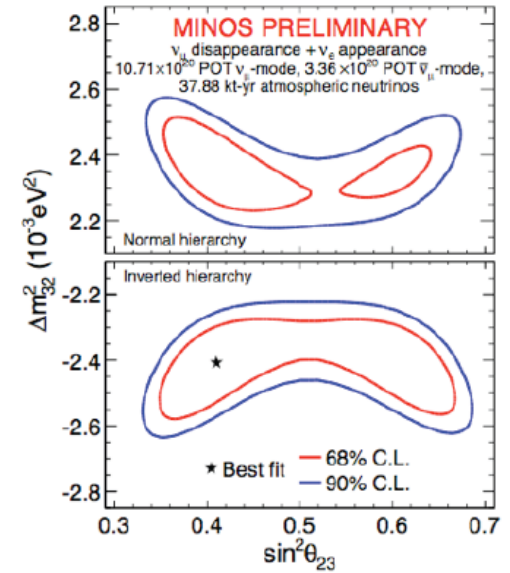
PDG(2012):  $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} : 0.098 \pm 0.013$





# MINOS

## Neutrino beam from FNAL to Soudan



### $\bar{\nu}$ oscillation parameters

$$\sin^2(2\bar{\theta}) = 0.97_{-0.08}^{+0.03}$$

$$\Delta\bar{m}^2 = 2.50_{-0.25}^{+0.23} \times 10^{-3} eV^2$$

$$\sin^2(2\bar{\theta}) > 0.83 \text{ (90\% C.L.)}$$

### $\nu$ oscillation parameters

$$\sin^2(2\theta) = 0.95_{-0.036}^{+0.035}$$

$$|\Delta m^2| = 2.41_{-0.10}^{+0.09} \times 10^{-3} eV^2$$

$$\sin^2(2\theta) > 0.89 \text{ (90\% C.L.)}$$

### MINOS preferences:

**Low octant**

**Non-maximal mixing**

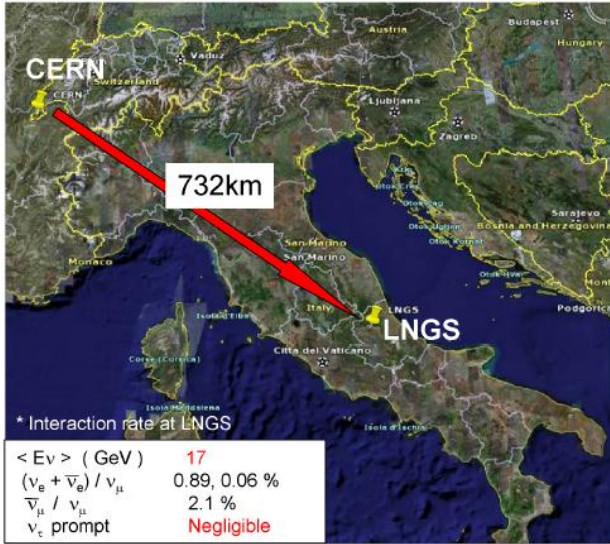
**Inverted mass hierarchy**



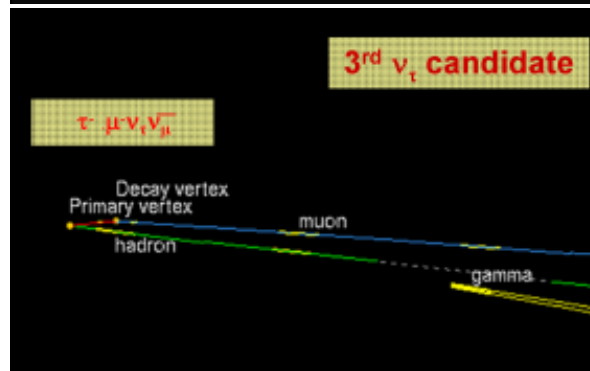
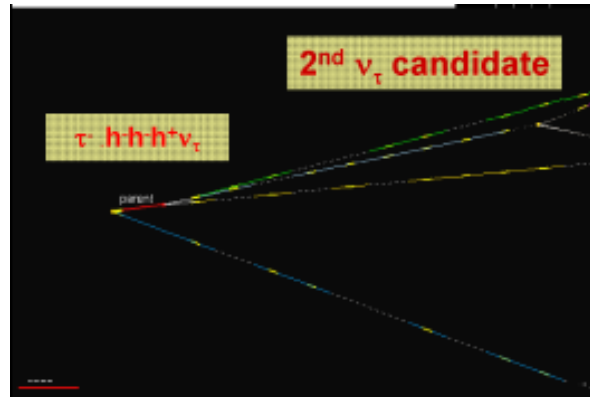
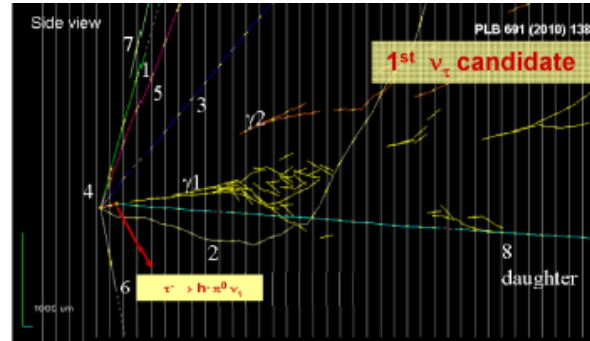


# OPERA

Neutrino beam from CERN to Gran Sasso



$$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\tau$$



Data  
2008-2009

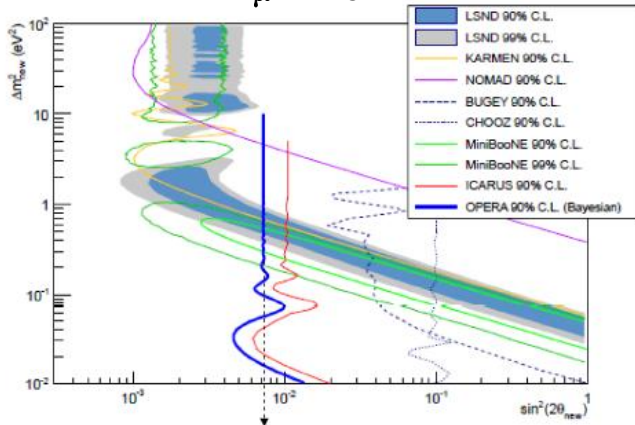
Expected bkg  
0.226  $\nu_\tau$  events



3  $\nu_\tau$  events:  
significance  
**3.2 $\sigma$**

p-value of  
background  
**7.3 $\times 10^{-3}$**

$$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$$

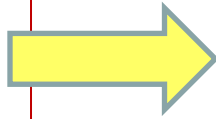






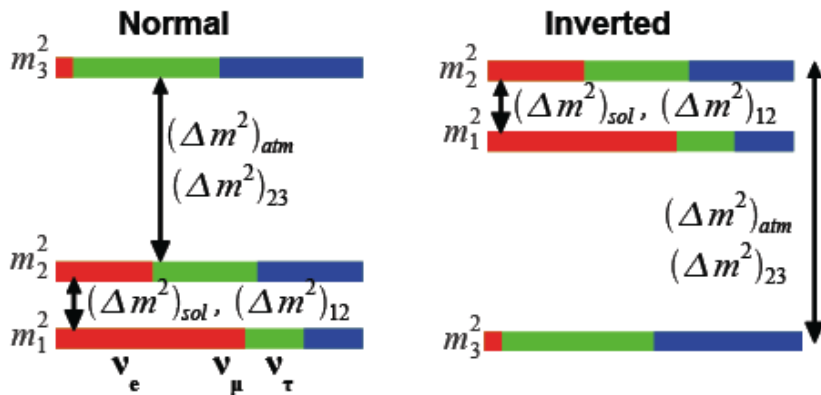
# Next targets ?

**2011-2013**  
**Great milestones**



- $\theta_{13} = (9 \pm 0.6)^\circ$
- $\nu_e$  appearance observed at  $7.5\sigma$

## Mass Hierarchy



+

precision measurement of  
oscillation parameters

$\theta_{23} \geq 45^\circ$  or  $\leq 45^\circ$

## CP violation

$$J_{CP} = \text{Im}(U_{e1}U_{\mu 2}U_{e2}^*U_{\mu 1}^*) = \text{Im}(U_{e2}U_{\mu 3}U_{e3}^*U_{\mu 2}^*) \\ = \cos\theta_{12}\sin\theta_{12}\cos^2\theta_{13}\sin\theta_{13}\cos\theta_{23}\sin\theta_{23}\sin\delta$$

all mixing angles  $\neq 0 \rightarrow J_{CP} \neq 0$  if  $\delta \neq 0$

CKM

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0.2 & 0.004 \\ 0.2 & 1 & 0.04 \\ 0.008 & 0.04 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

PMNS

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0.8 & 0.5 & 0.2 \\ 0.4 & 0.6 & 0.7 \\ 0.4 & 0.6 & 0.7 \end{pmatrix}$$

Quark sector  $J_{CP} \approx 3 \times 10^{-5}$

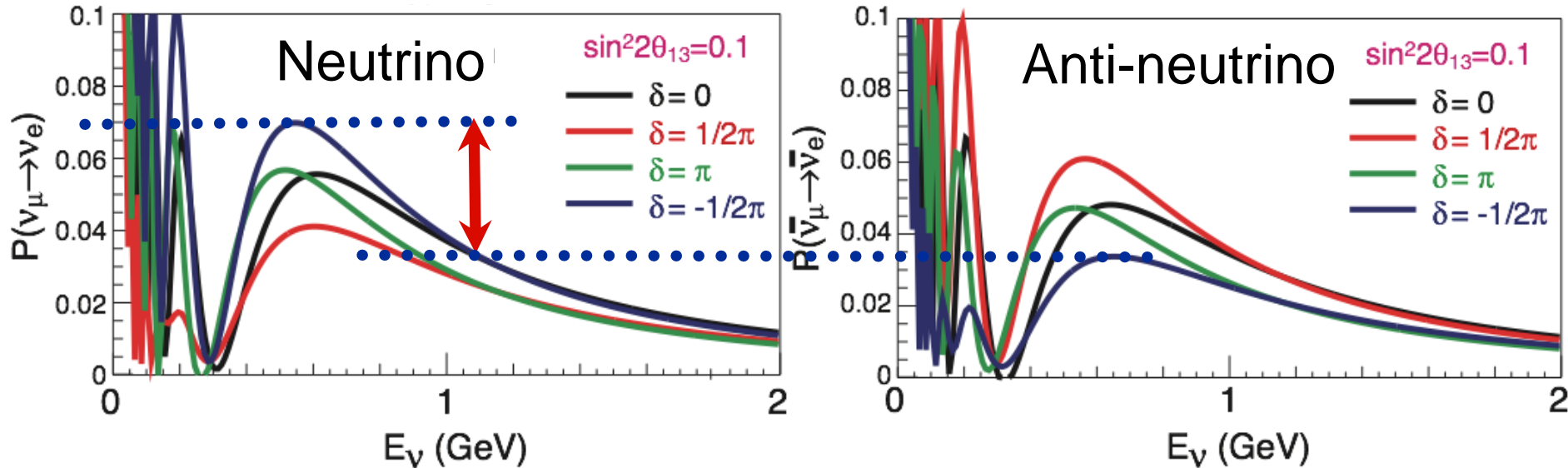
Lepton sector  $J_{CP} \sim 0.02 \times \sin\delta$



# Measurement of CP asymmetry

$P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e)$ :  $\nu_e$  appearance probability

for 295km baseline,  
normal hierarchy



- Comparison of  $P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e)$  and  $P(\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e)$   
Max.  $\sim \pm 25\%$  ( $L=295$  km) change from  $\delta=0$  case
- Measure 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> oscillation maxima in  $P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e)$
- Comparison of accelerator  $P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e)$  and reactor  $P(\text{anti-}\nu_e \rightarrow \text{anti-}\nu_e)$

**Matter effect  $\rightarrow$  fake CP violation, BUT sensitive instrument to determine mass hierarchy**

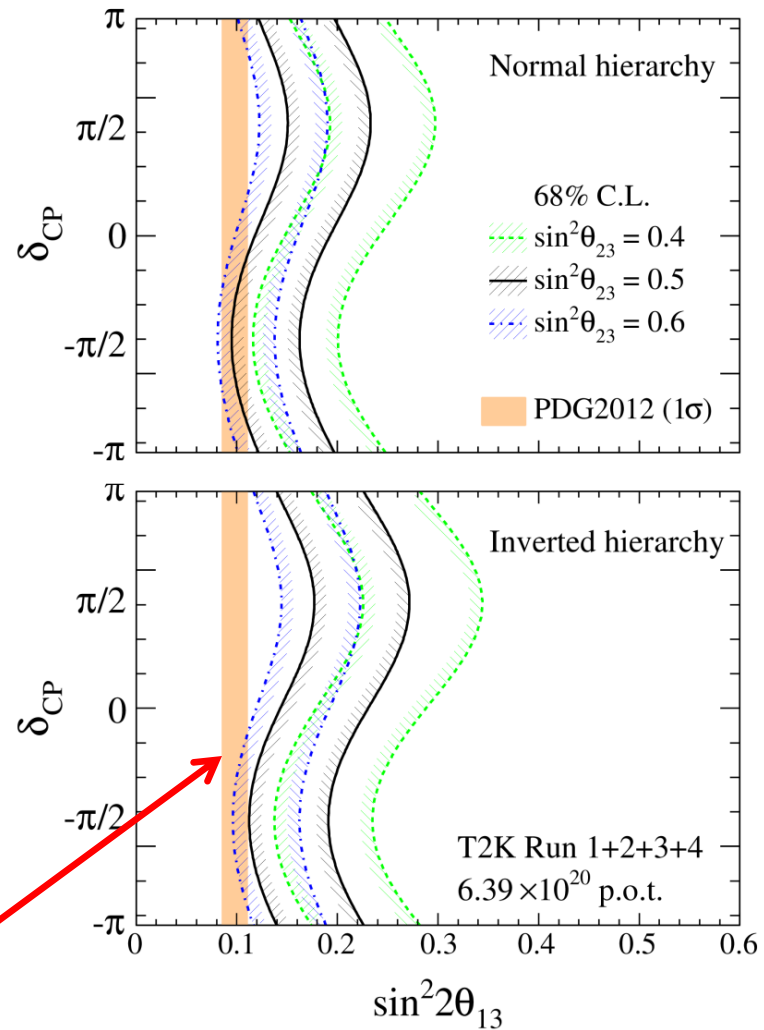


# $\theta_{23}$ issue

$\theta_{23}$  uncertainties  
dominate in  
 $\delta - \sin^2 2\theta_{13}$  plot

$$P_{\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e} \approx \boxed{\sin^2 \theta_{23}} \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m_{32}^2 L}{4E_\nu}$$

- Oscillation probability is dependent on  $\sin^2 \theta_{23}$  (octant)
  - PDG2012:  $\sin^2(2\theta_{23}) > 0.95$ 
    - $\sin^2 \theta_{23} = 0.50 \pm 0.11$
    - $\theta_{23} = 45 \pm 6.5^\circ$
  - Reduction of  $\sin^2 \theta_{23}$  error is critical for further improvements



PDG(2012)

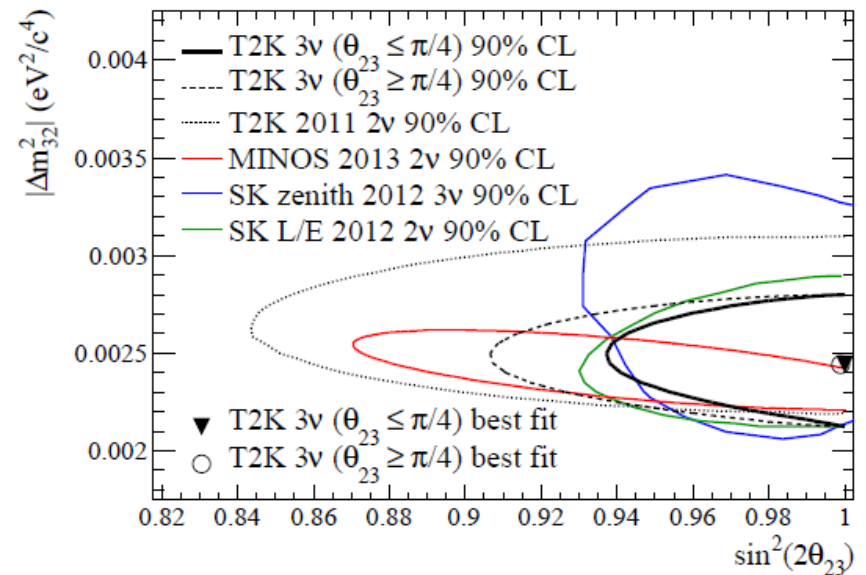
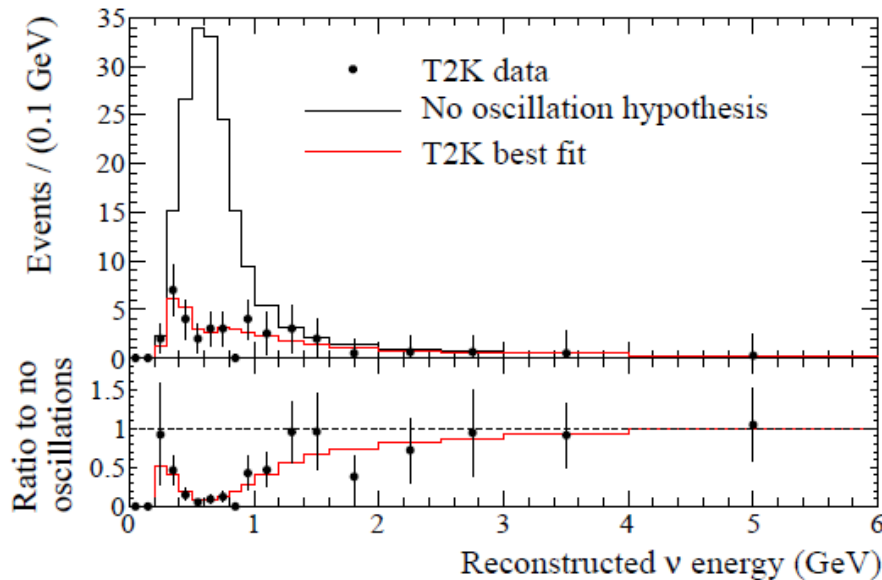
# **Near Future ( 5-10 years)**



# $\theta_{23}$ measurement

$\nu_\mu$  disappearance

$$P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\mu) \sim 1 - \underbrace{\left( \cos^4 \theta_{13} \cdot \sin^2 2\theta_{23} \right)}_{\text{Leading}} + \underbrace{\sin^2 2\theta_{13} \cdot \sin^2 \theta_{23}}_{\text{Next-to-leading}} \cdot \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m_{31}^2 \cdot L}{4E}$$



**$\sin^2 \theta_{23} = 1 \rightarrow$  maximal mixing**



# Perspectives: $\theta_{23}$

$7.8 \times 10^{21}$  pot

100%  $\nu$  running 90% CL

$\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1$  + reactor data

solid: stat only; dashed: stat + current sys

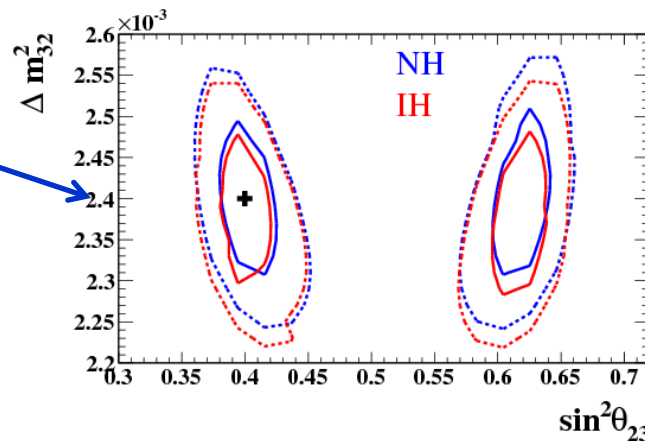
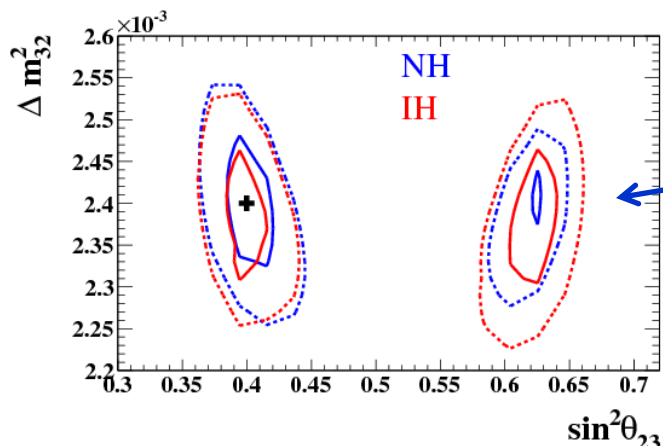
## T2K

$7.8 \times 10^{21}$  pot

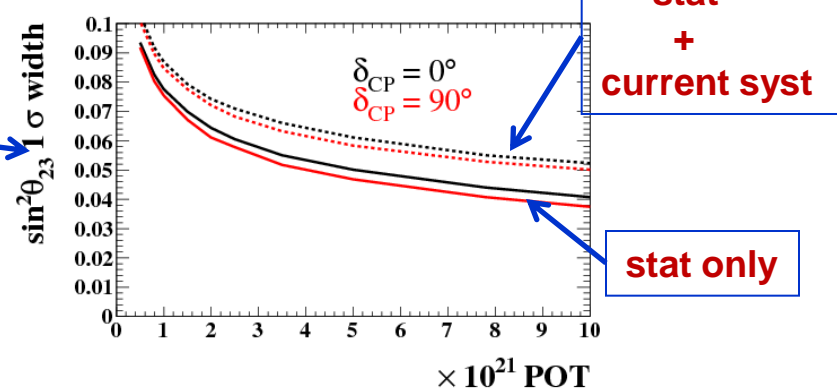
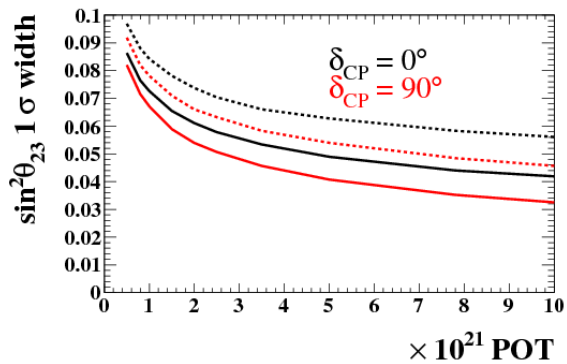
50%  $\nu$  - 50% anti- $\nu$  running 90% CL

$\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1$  + reactor data

solid: stat only; dashed: stat + current sys



**Octant**



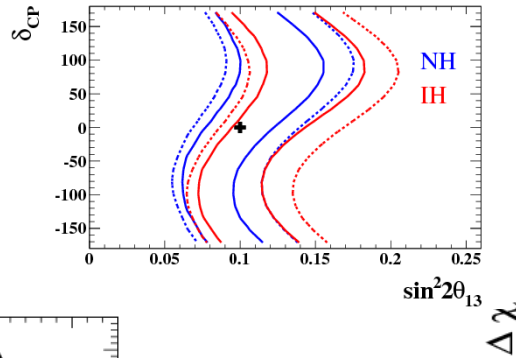
**$\theta_{23}$**

estimation  
 $\sigma(\theta_{23}) \sim 2$  deg

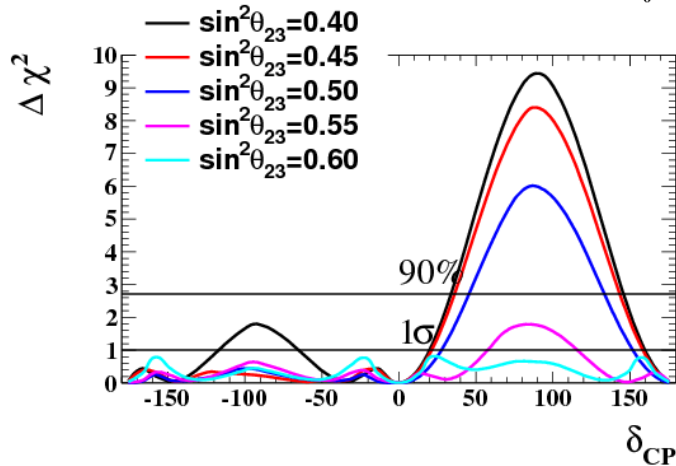


# Perspectives: CPV

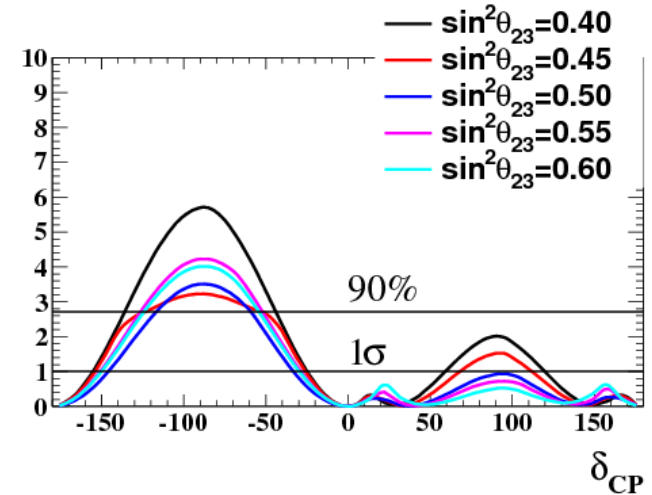
**IH**  $7.8 \times 10^{21}$  pot  
100%  $\nu$  running  
 $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1$   
+ reactor data



**NH**  $7.8 \times 10^{21}$  pot  
50%  $\nu$  - 50% anti- $\nu$  running  
 $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1$  + reactor data

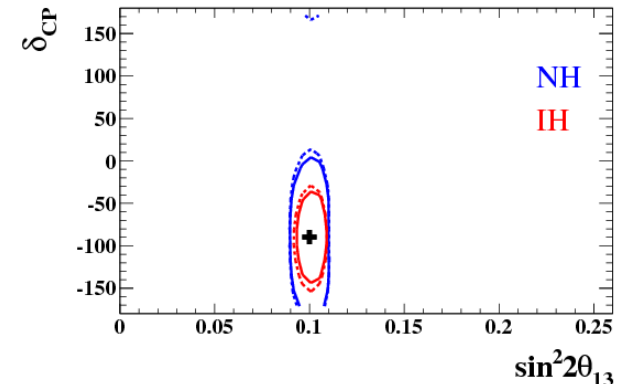


T2K



**Chance to find an indication for CP violation  
if  $\delta$  is about  $\pi/2$  or  $-\pi/2$**

$7.8 \times 10^{21}$  pot  
50%  $\nu$  - 50% anti- $\nu$  running  
 $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1$  + reactor data  
 $\sin^2 2\theta_{23} = 0.5$   
 $\delta = -90$  deg





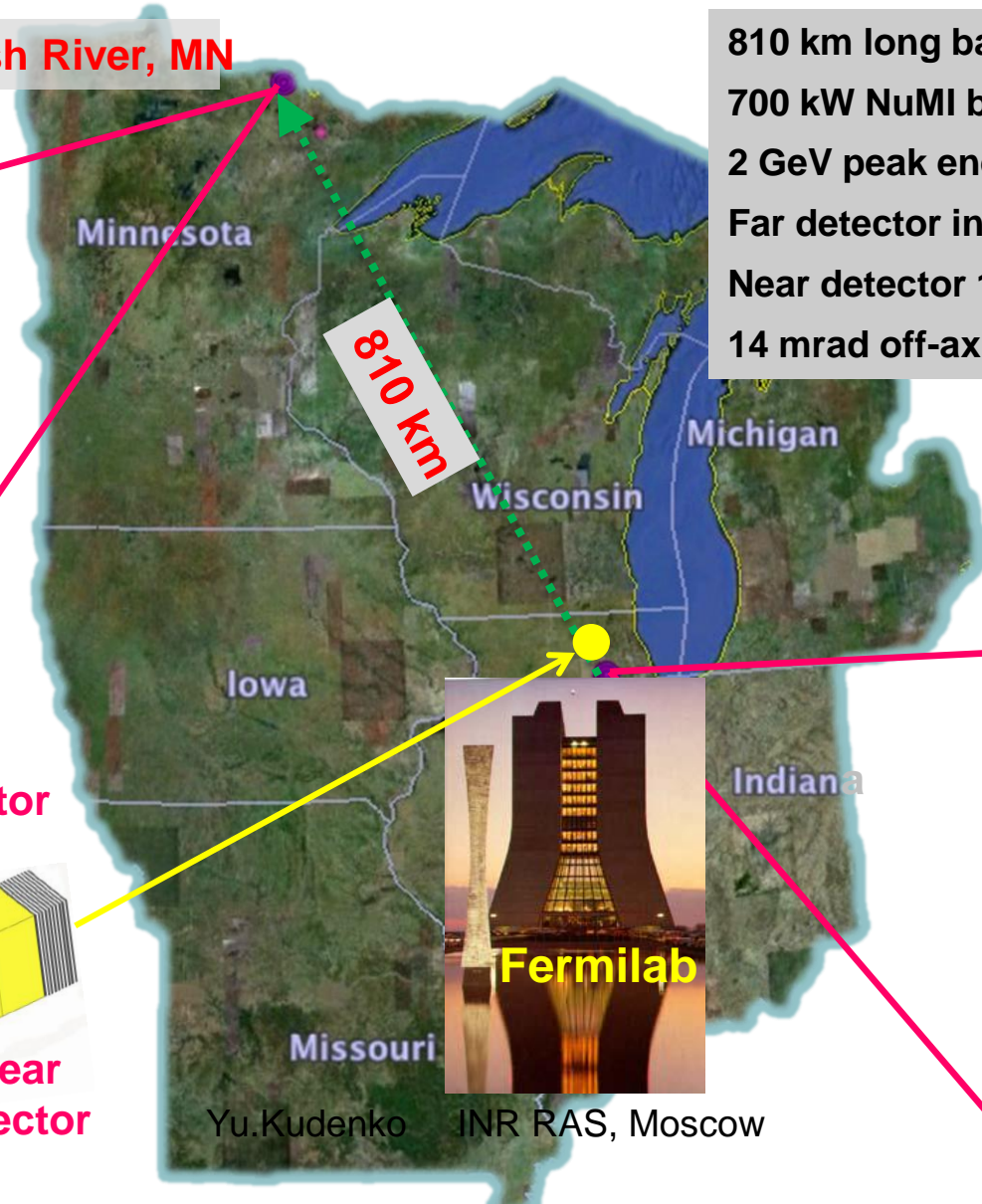


# Nova

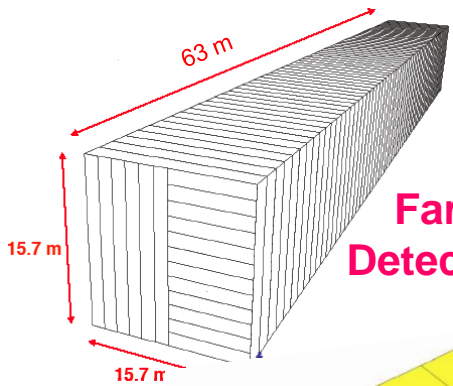
Neutrino off-axis narrow-band beam from FNAL

Ash River, MN

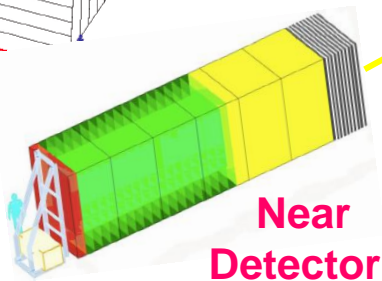
810 km long baseline.  
700 kW NuMI beam.  
2 GeV peak energy.  
Far detector in Ash River, MN.  
Near detector 1 km from target.  
14 mrad off-axis beam.



810 km



Far Detector



Near Detector



Fermilab



Main Injector

Ring  
NuMI  
Beam

Main  
Injector

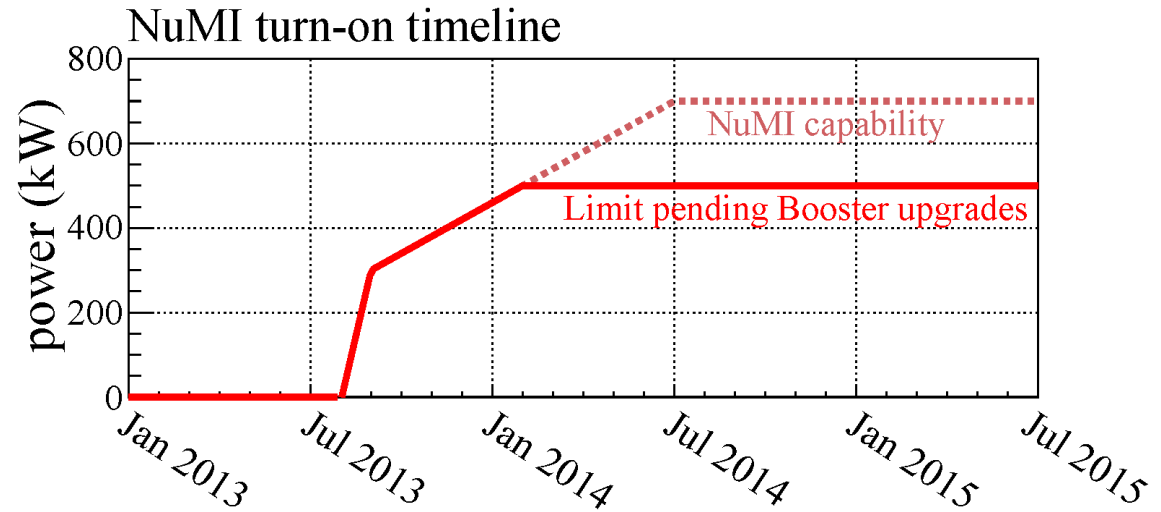
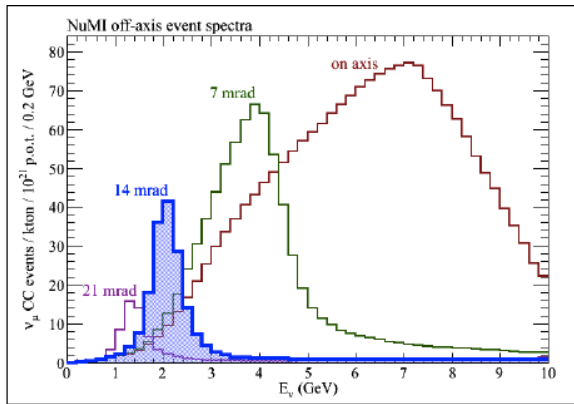
Yu.Kudenko INR RAS, Moscow





# Beam schedule

NOvA started data taking in **September 2013**



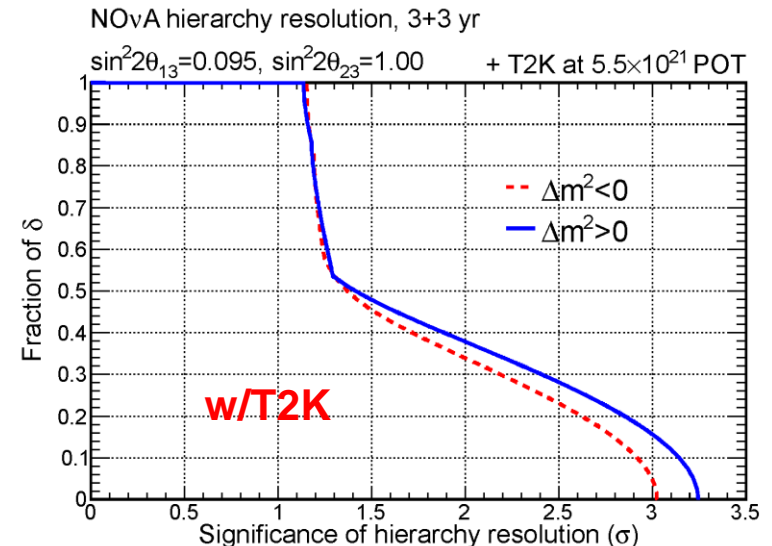
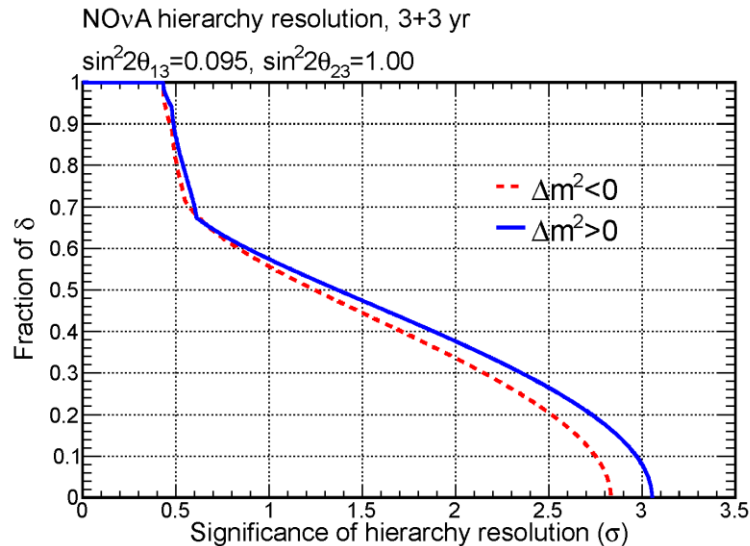
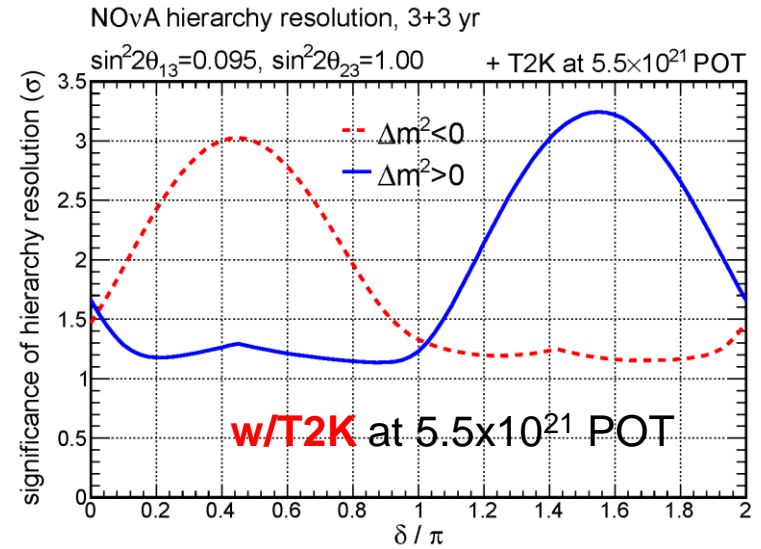
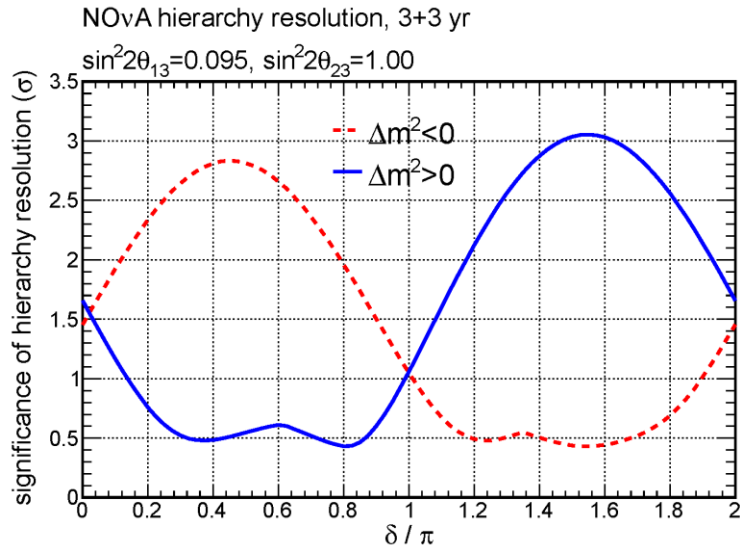
Beam intensity will be increased up to **500 kW** next year and to **700 kW** in 2 years.

**Far Detector mass will be added at a rate of about 1 kton/3 weeks.**  
**Full installation of NOvA detectors will be completed in one year.**



# Mass Hierarchy

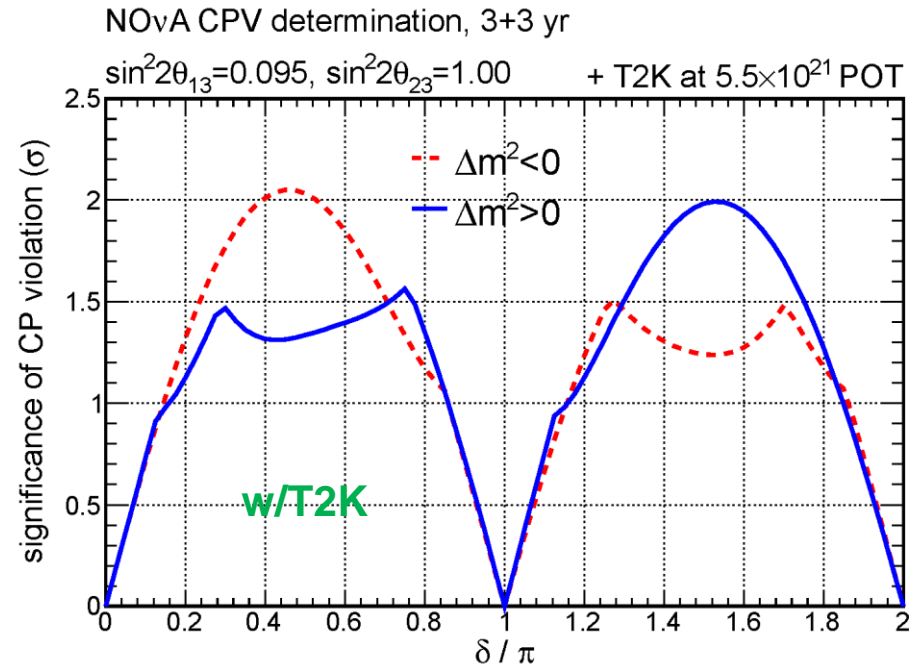
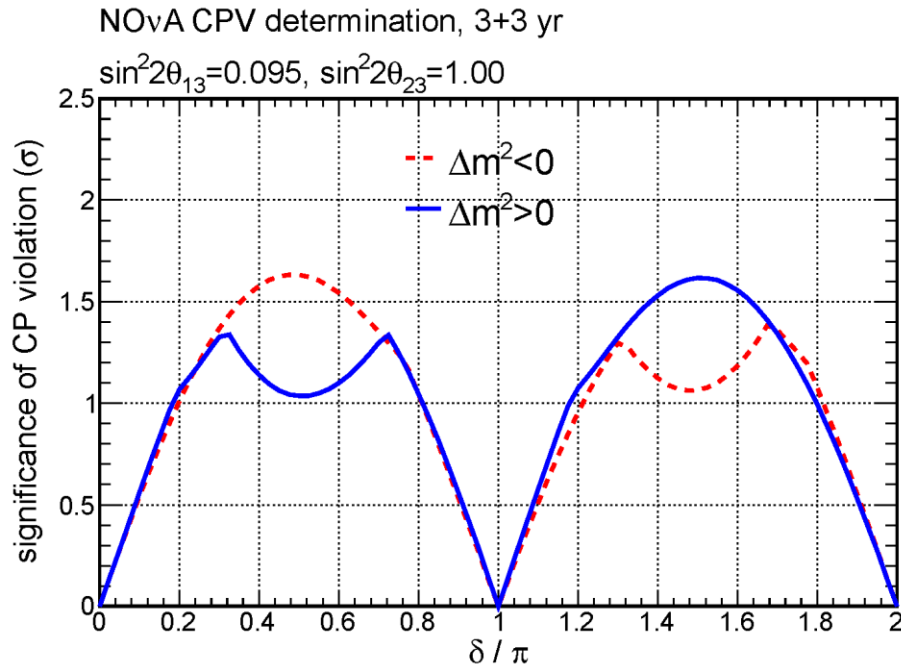
## Significance of the MH determination





# CP violation

Significance with which NOvA (+T2K) can establish CP violation.



The significance goes to zero at  $\delta = 0$  and  $\delta = \pi$  since there is no CP violation at those points. The dips in the peaks occur because the mass ordering has not been resolved.

**Best case: CP violation at  $1.6\sigma$  (Nova only) and  $2.0\sigma$  (Nova + T2K)**

# Far Future ( > 2023 )



# LBNE

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

The US based LBL project

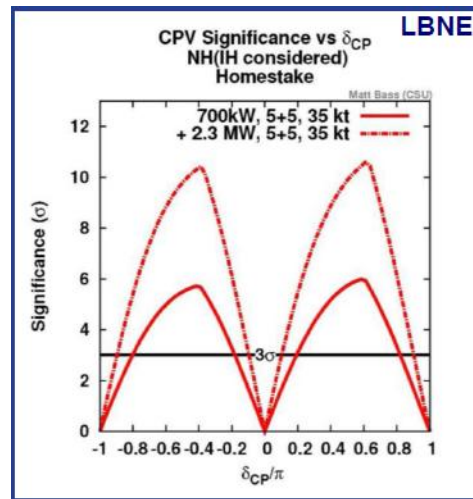
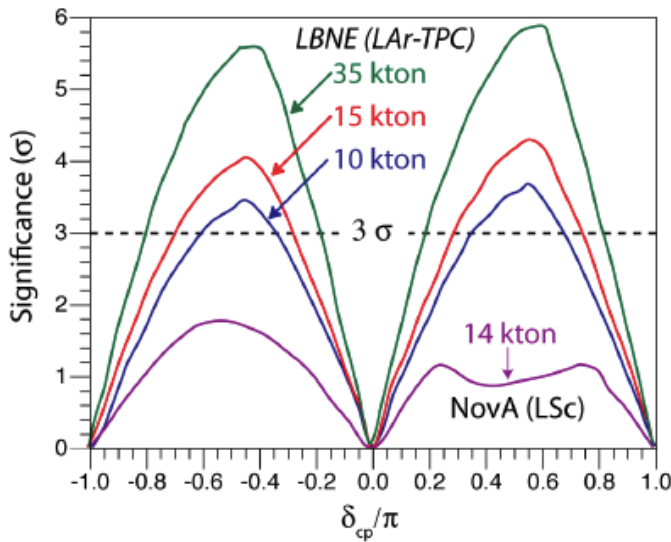
Neutrino beam from FNAL to Homestake  
 $L = 1300 \text{ km}$ ,  $E_p = 120 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $700 \text{ kW}$  NuMI beam,  
 $E_{\nu} = 0.5 - 5 \text{ GeV}$

- Far detector 35 kt, LAr, underground
- No near detector

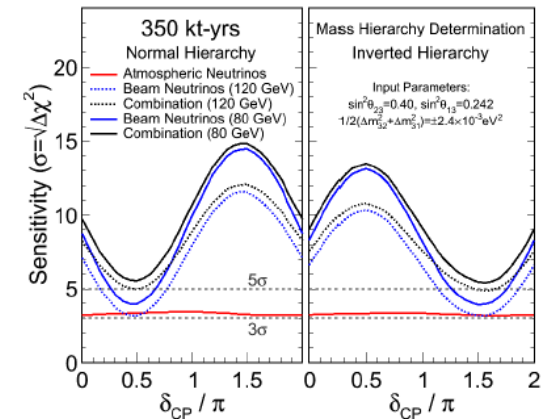


arXiv:1110.6249

Sensitivity to CP phase and MH



5 years  $\nu$  + 5 years anti- $\nu$





# T2HK

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

## The LBL project in Japan



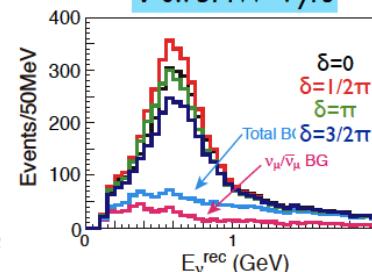
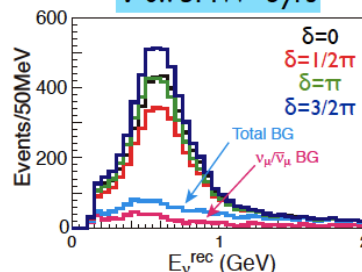
### Example: case of Hyper-K

$$\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1$$

$\nu$  0.75MW×3yrs

$\bar{\nu}$  0.75MW×7yrs

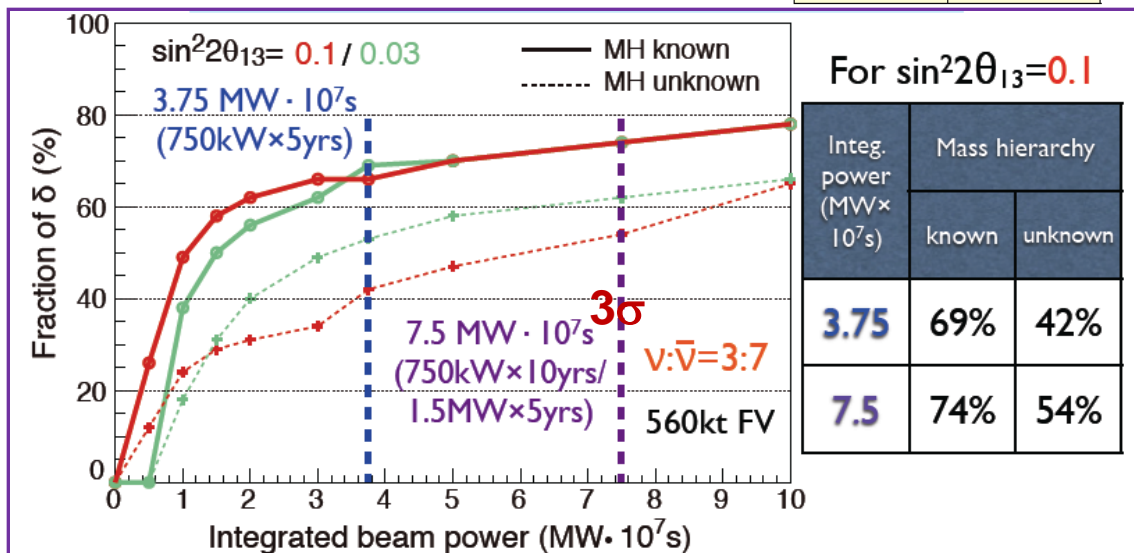
$\nu_e$  candidates (full simulation)



Expected number of  $\nu_e$  candidate events for  $\delta=0$

$\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_e$ CC	3606
$\nu_{\mu} + \nu_{\mu}$ CC	35
$\nu_e + \nu_e$ CC	880
NC	649

$\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_e$ CC	2339
$\nu_{\mu} + \nu_{\mu}$ CC	23
$\nu_e + \nu_e$ CC	878
NC	678



For  $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1$

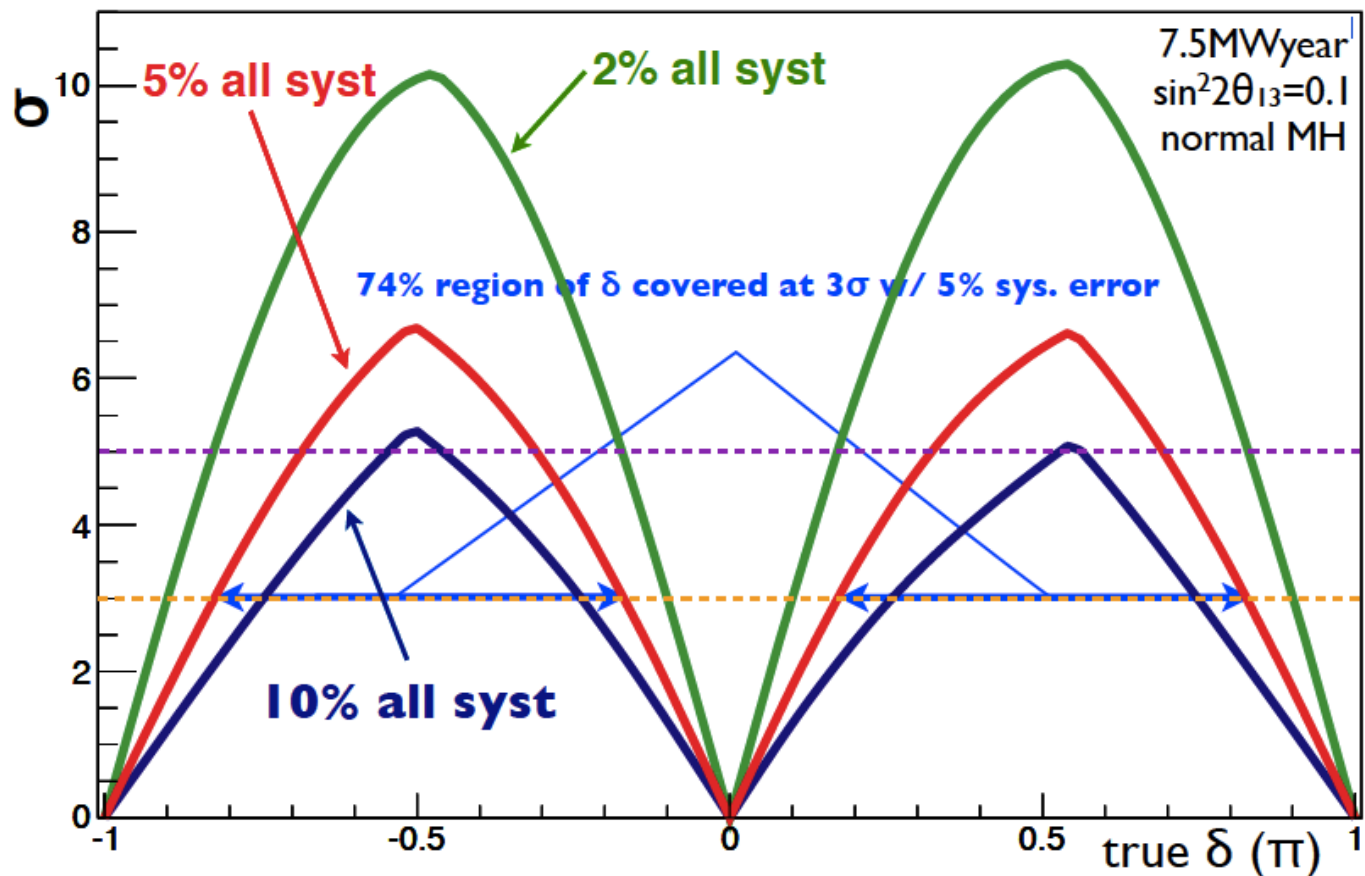
Integ. power (MW×10 <sup>7</sup> s)	Mass hierarchy	
	known	unknown
3.75	69%	42%
7.5	74%	54%





# T2HK: CPV discovery potential

MH is known !



High sensitivity to CP phase for systematics < 5%

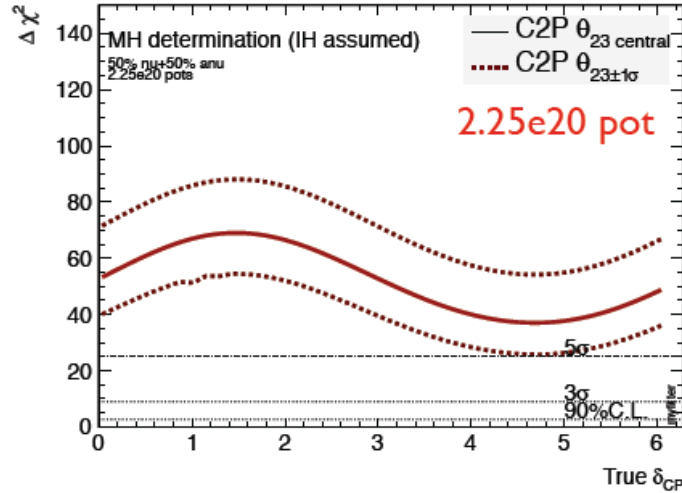
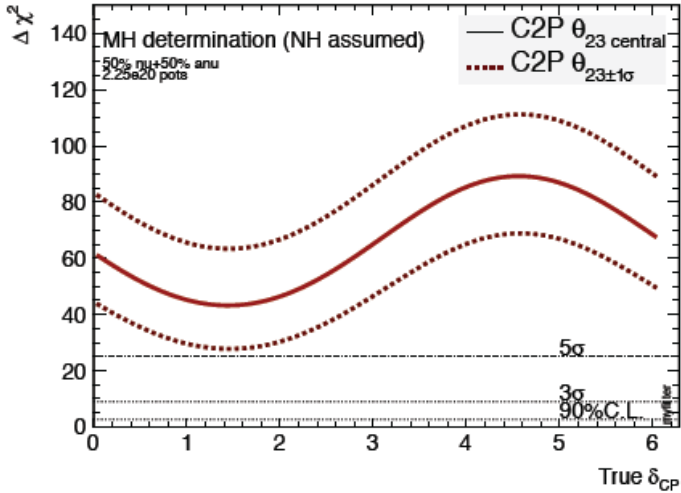






# LAGUNA/LBNO sensitivity

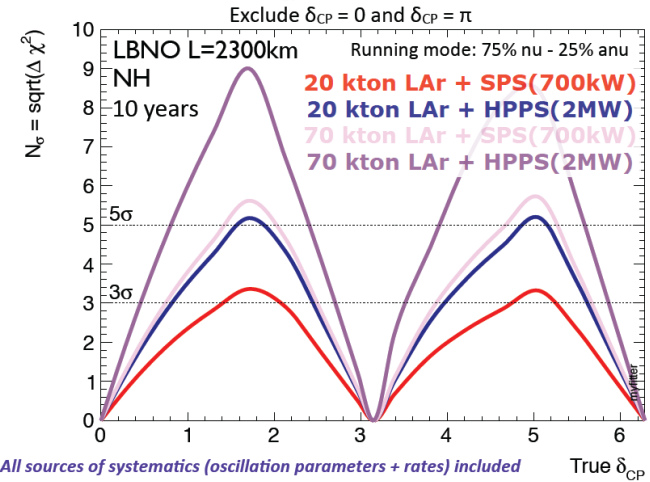
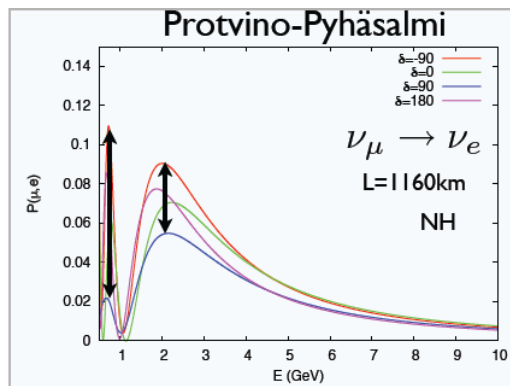
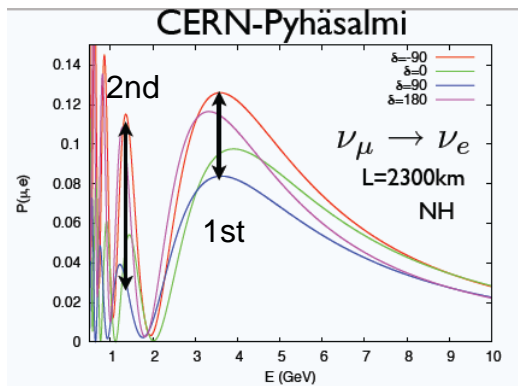
More than  $5\sigma$  determination of MH for all  $\delta$  values



A. Rubbia,  
 talk at Lomonosov  
 Conference 2013

Sensitivity to  $\delta$

Measurement in 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> oscillation maxima





# Conclusion

- **2011-2013**

- **$\theta_{13}$  is measured and large**

*Open very exiting perspectives in neutrino oscillations*

- **Observation of  $\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_e$  appearance at  $7.5 \sigma$  significance**

*A new type of transformation among neutrinos has firmly established*

- **Near future:**

- **precision measurements of neutrino mixing parameters**
- **an initial search for CP violation in lepton sector**
- **(sterile neutrino)**

- **Far future:**

- **determination of neutrino mass hierarchy**
- **measurement of CP violation in lepton sector**