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T2K: LATEST RESULTS

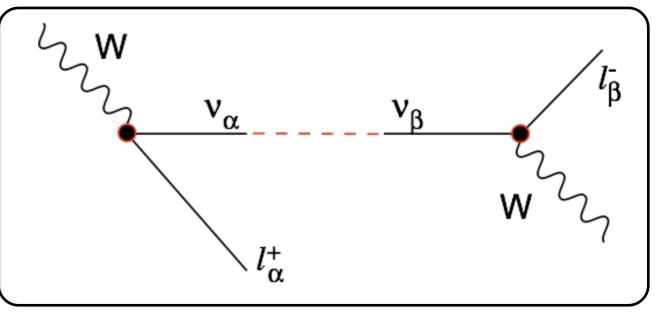


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NEUTRINO OSCILLATIONS

 Neutrinos produced in weak decays are linear combinations of mass/energy eigenstates

$$|
u_{lpha}
angle = \sum_{i} U^*_{lpha i} |
u_i
angle$$



• Time evolution: flavour content "oscillates" in L(distance)/E(neutrino)

$$\begin{aligned} P(\nu_{\alpha} \rightarrow \nu_{\beta}) &= \delta_{\alpha\beta} \\ in \text{ vacuo} \\ +2\Sigma_{i>j} \Re(U^*_{\alpha i} U_{\beta i} U_{\alpha j} U^*_{\beta j}) \sin^2[1.27 \Delta m^2_{ij}(L/E)] \\ +2\Sigma_{i>j} \Im(U^*_{\alpha i} U_{\beta i} U_{\alpha j} U^*_{\beta j}) \sin^2[2.54 \Delta m^2_{ij}(L/E)] \end{aligned}$$

• Amplitudes determined by mixing matrix U_{ij}

• Wavelengths determined by mass² differences Δm^{2}_{ij}

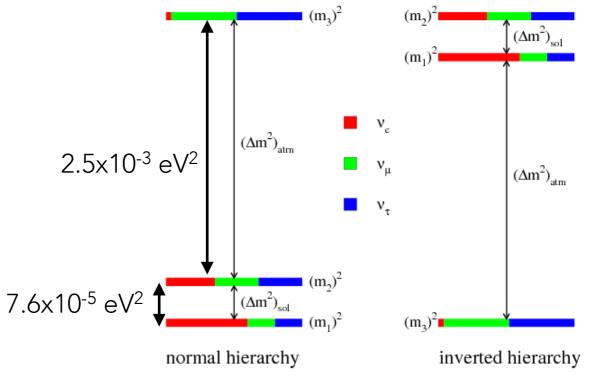
additional effects in the presence of matter

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MIXING OF THREE NEUTRINOS

$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{W} \\ \nu_{\alpha} \rangle = \sum_{i} U_{\alpha i}^{*} |\nu_{i} \rangle \\ \downarrow & \downarrow \\ \nu_{\tau} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} U_{e1}^{*} & U_{e2}^{*} & U_{e3}^{*} \\ U_{\mu 1}^{*} & U_{\mu 2}^{*} & U_{\mu 3}^{*} \\ U_{\tau 1}^{*} & U_{\tau 2}^{*} & U_{\tau 3}^{*} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_{1} \\ \nu_{2} \\ \nu_{3} \end{pmatrix} \\ s_{ij} = \sin \theta_{ij} \\ c_{ij} = \cos \theta_{ij} \\ l_{\alpha} & \text{"standard" parametrization} \\ U = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{23} & s_{23} \\ 0 & -s_{23} & c_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -s_{13}e^{+i\delta} & 0 & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} & s_{12} & 0 \\ -s_{12} & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\alpha_{1}/2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{i\alpha_{2}/2} \end{pmatrix}$$

- Three rotation angles ($\theta_{12}, \theta_{13}, \theta_{23}$)
 - θ_{12} : solar and reactor experiments
 - θ_{13} : reactor and long-baseline experiments
- One complex phase $\delta_{\rm CP}$
 - additional phases if neutrinos are "Majorana"
 - CP-odd: changes sign for antineutrino oscillations



T2K: ND280 "near" detectors J-PARC Super-Kamiokande "far" detector Kamioka Tokai 295 km ~400 collaborators 59 institutions 11 nations

- Intense muon (anti)neutrino beam from J-PARC to Super-K to study:
 - muon (anti) neutrino disappearance ($v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{\mu}, \overline{v}_{\mu} \rightarrow \overline{v}_{\mu}$)
 - electron (anti)neutrino appearance $(v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{e}, \overline{v_{\mu}} \rightarrow \overline{v_{e}})$
 - rich program of
 - neutrino-nucleus interaction studies with near detectors
 - "exotic" physics: Lorentz violation, sterile neutrinos, heavy leptons, etc.
 - Will not be able to discuss these other interesting topics.

POSTERS

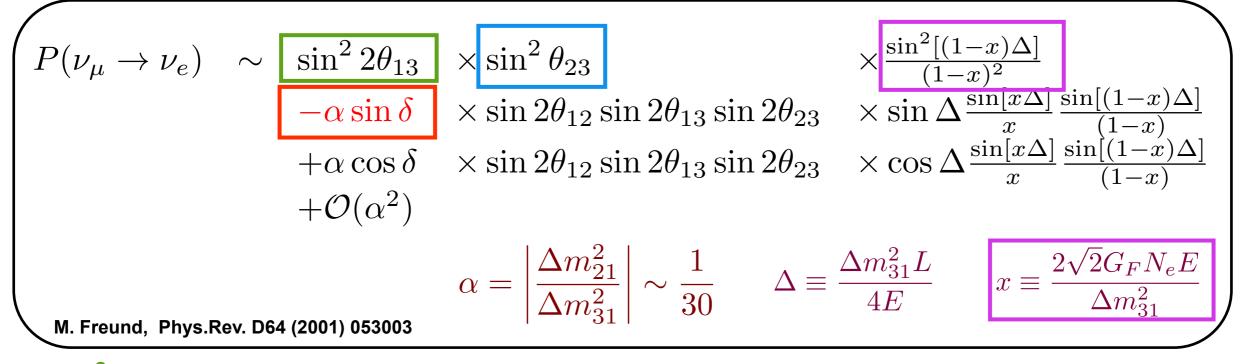
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more details and topics! Please see!

v OSCILLATIONS AT T2K

$$P(\nu_{\mu} \to \nu_{\mu}) \sim 1 - \left(\cos^{4}\theta_{13}\sin^{2}2\theta_{23} + \sin^{2}2\theta_{13}\sin^{2}\theta_{23}\right)\sin^{2}\Delta m_{31}^{2}\frac{L}{4E}$$

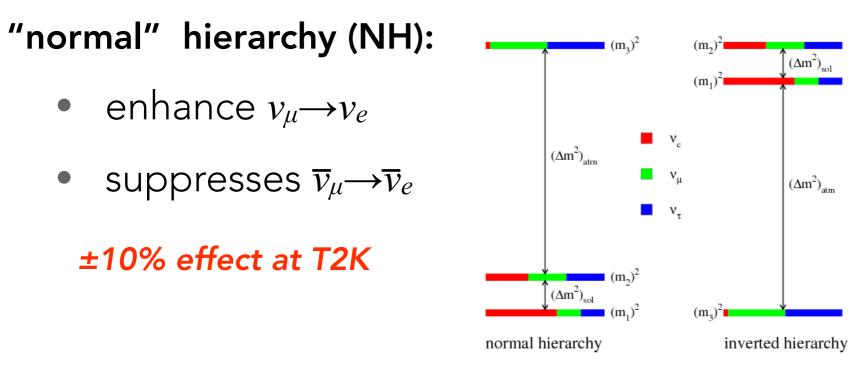
- Precision measurement of $2\theta_{23}$ and Δm_{31}^2
- CPT tests with antineutrino mode ($\overline{v}_{\mu} \rightarrow \overline{v}_{\mu}$)



- $\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$ dependence of leading term
- θ_{23} dependence of leading term: "octant" dependence (θ_{23} =/>/<45°?)
- CP odd phase δ : asymmetry of probabilities $P(v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{e}) \neq P(\bar{v}_{\mu} \rightarrow \bar{v}_{e})$ if sin $\delta \neq 0$
- Matter effect through x: $v_e(\bar{v}_e)$ enhanced in normal (inverted) hierarchy

QUICK SUMMARY

- $\sin^2\theta_{23}$, $\sin^22\theta_{13}$
 - enhance/suppress both $v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_e$ and $\overline{v}_{\mu} \rightarrow \overline{v}_e$
- CP violating parameter δ_{CP} up to ±30% effect at T2K
 - $\delta_{CP}=0,\pi$: no CP violation: vacuum oscillation probabilities equal
 - $\delta_{CP} \sim -\pi/2$: enhance $v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{e}$, suppress $\overline{v}_{\mu} \rightarrow \overline{v}_{e}$
 - $\delta_{CP} \sim +\pi/2$: suppress $v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{e}$, enhance $\overline{v}_{\mu} \rightarrow \overline{v}_{e}$



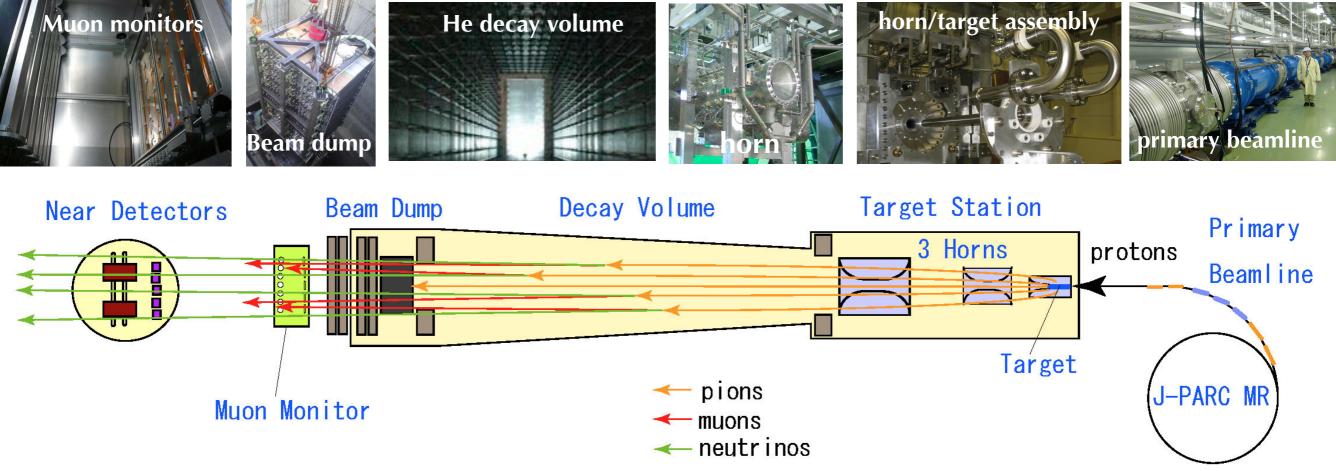
"inverted" hierarchy: (IH)

- suppress $v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{e}$
- enhance $\overline{v}_{\mu} \rightarrow \overline{v}_{e}$

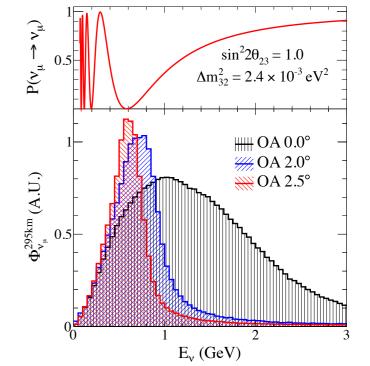


PRODUCING THE BEAM

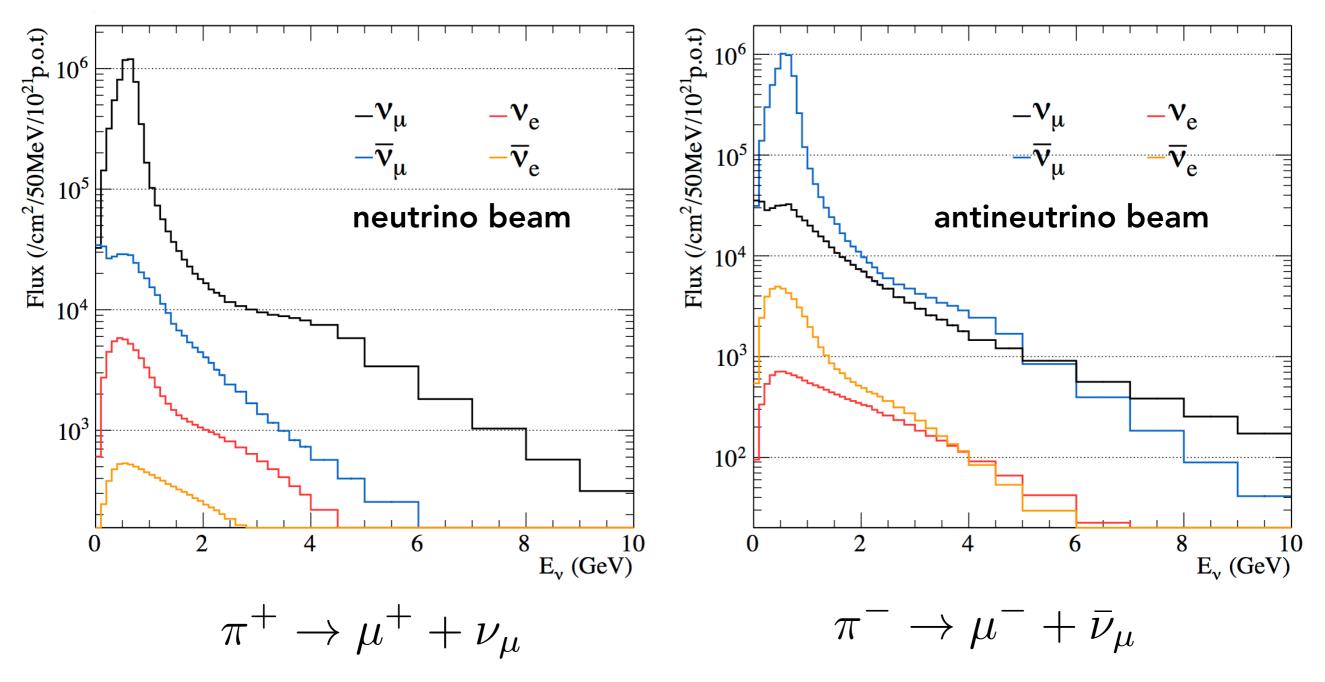




- 30 GeV protons extracted from J-PARC MR to carbon target
 - secondary π^+ focussed by three magnetic "horns"
 - primarily v_{μ} beam from $\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ + v_{\mu}$
 - reverse polarity for antineutrino beam: $\pi \rightarrow \mu + \overline{\nu}_{\mu}$
 - spectrum peaked at 600 MeV 2.5° "off axis" towards SK
 - expected oscillation "maximum" for L=295 km



NEUTRINO AND ANTINEUTRINO

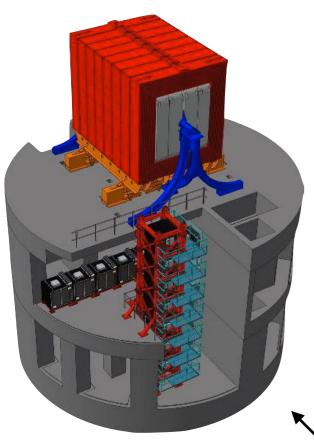


• <1% impurity from $v_e(\overline{v}_e)$ at energy peak; important background for $v_e(\overline{v}_e)$ appearance

- "wrong sign" component: neutrinos contaminating antineutrino beam, vice versa.
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NEAR DETECTORS

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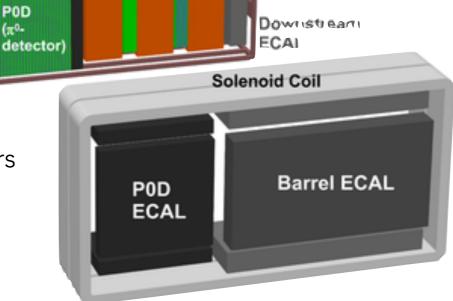
ND280:

- off-axis detector systems comprised of tracking, calorimetry and muon detectors
- 0.2 T field from UA1 magnet

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scintillator and water targets







UA1 Magnet Yoke

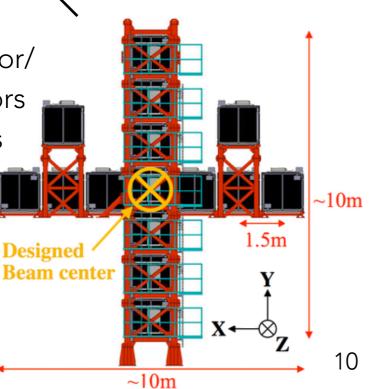
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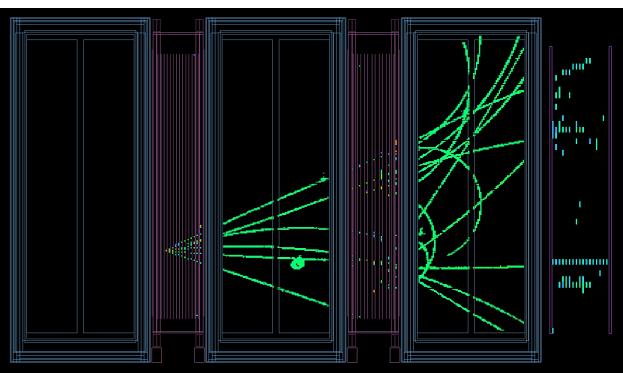
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FGDs

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- 7x7 grid of scintillator/ Fe neutrino detectors spanning beam axis
- monitor beam direction and rate
- P1.036 T. Hayashino





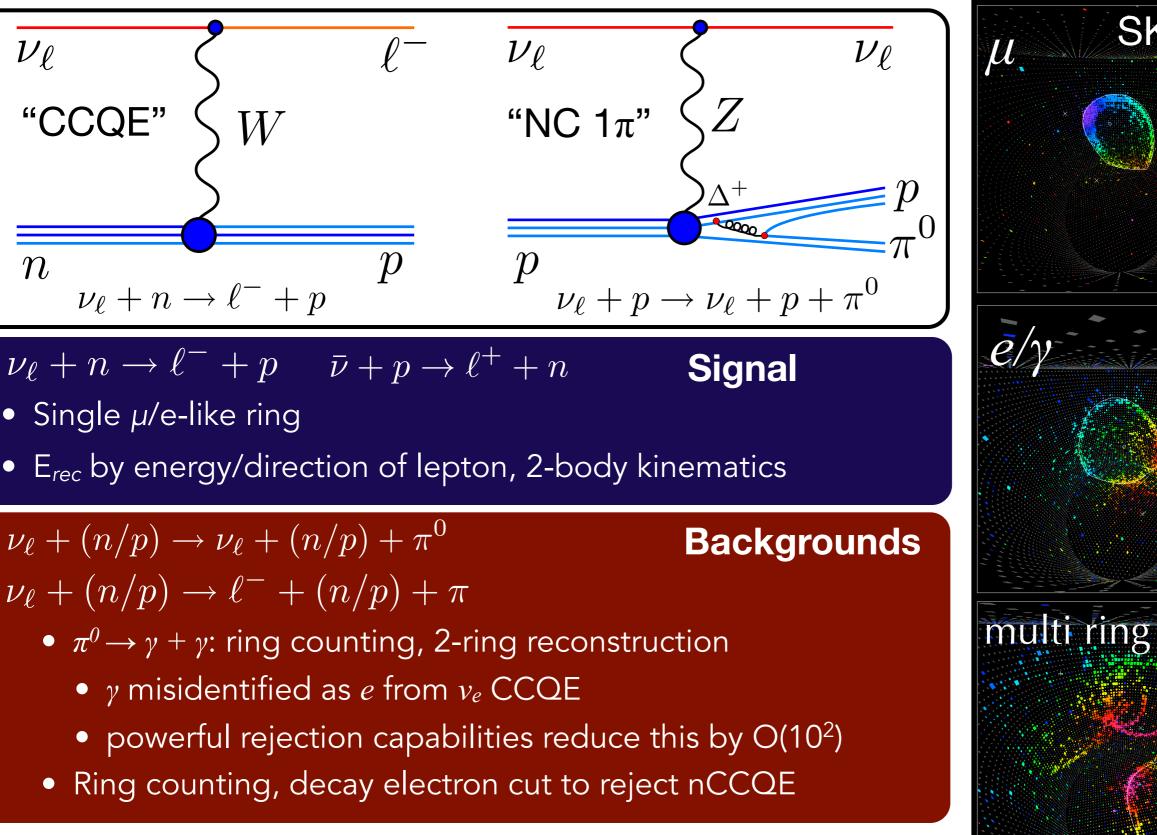
Reconstruction

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NEUTRINOS AT T2K-SK

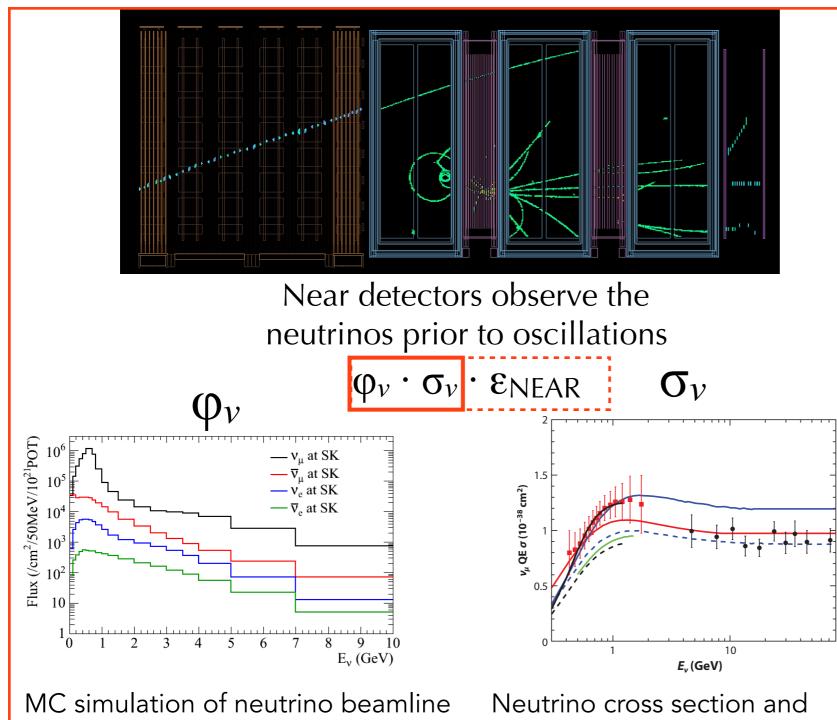


SK MC



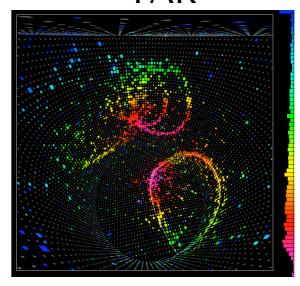
Pure v_e samples (S/B~10 at peak) obtained with high efficiency
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ANALYSIS STRATEGY



Far (L=295 km) $v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_e (\theta_{23}, \theta_{13}, \delta_{CP})$ $v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{\mu/\tau} (2\theta_{23} \Delta m^2_{32})$ v_{μ} , v_e backgrounds $\mathbf{N} = \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{v} \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{v} \cdot \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{FAR} \cdot \boldsymbol{P}_{osc}$

EFAR



Detector simulation to determine efficiencies/ backgrounds

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tuned with external data (NA61) +

beam monitor measurements

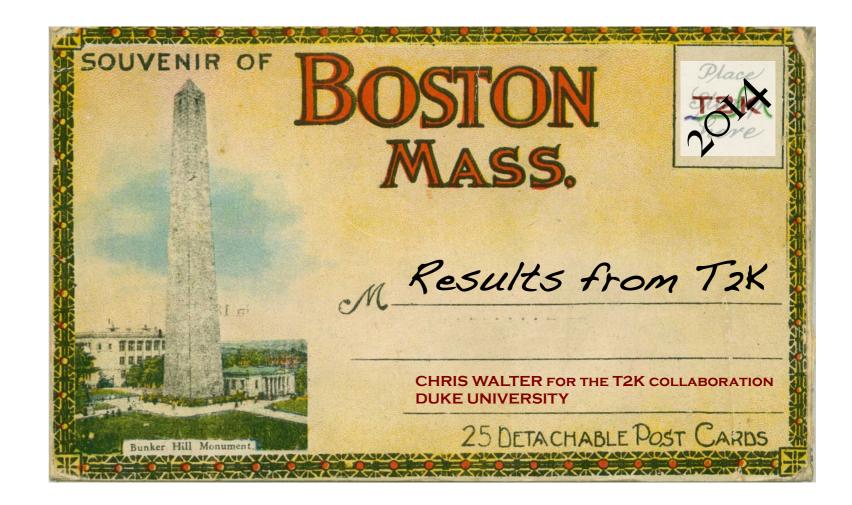
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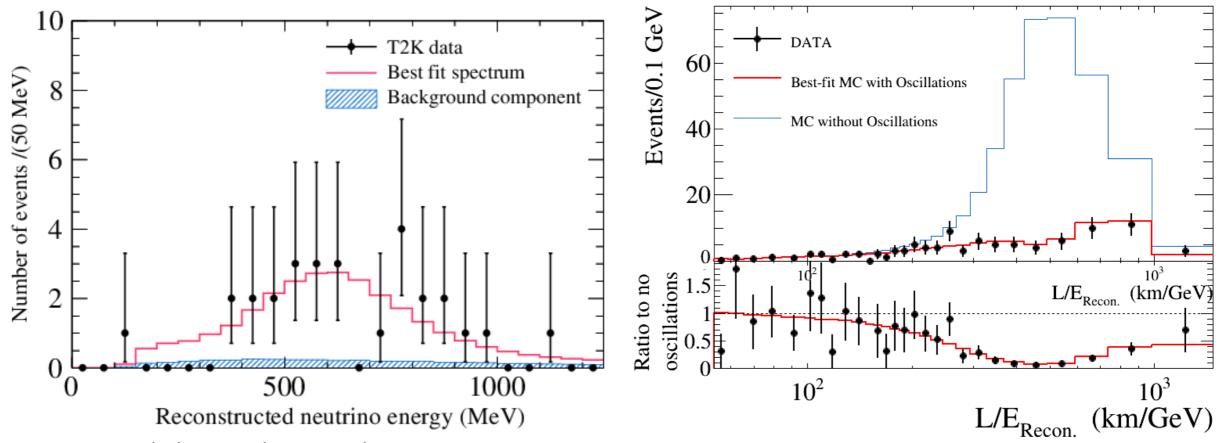
interaction model tuned to

external measurements

PREVIOUSLY ON T2K . . .



NEUTRINO MODE DATA



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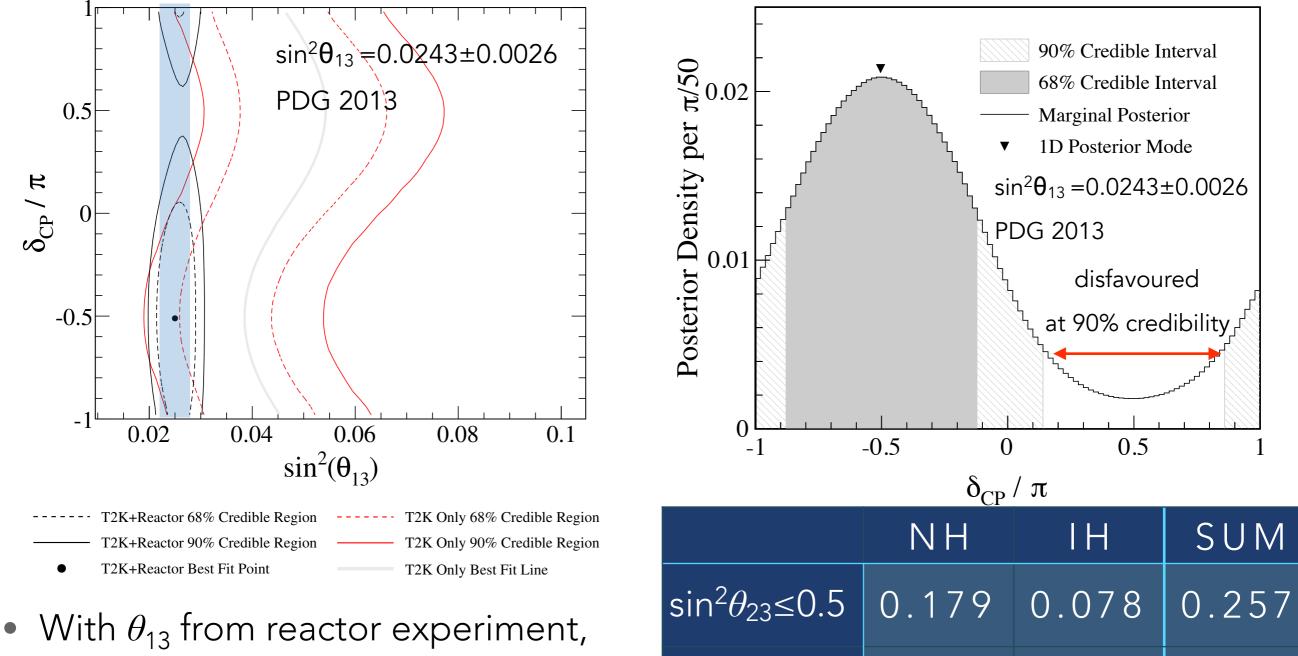
- 28 v_e candidates observed
 - 5.0 expected in absence of oscillation effects
 - definitive observation of $v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{e}$ oscillations
- 120 v_{μ} candidates observed
 - 446 expected in absence of oscillation effects
 - Most precise determination of v_{μ} disappearance

 $\sin^2 \theta_{23} = 0.514^{+0.055}_{-0.056}$ $|\Delta m^2_{32}| = (2.51 \pm 0.11) \times 10^{-3} \text{eV}^2/c^4$

	Osc.	No osc.
v_{μ}	0.9	1.4
$\overline{ u}_{\mu}$	0.1	0.1
v_e/\overline{v}_e	3.3	3.5
$v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{e}$	16.6	0.0
$\overline{\nu}_{\mu} \longrightarrow \overline{\nu}_{e}$	0.2	0.0
Total	21.1	5.0

expected number of v_e candidates for $\delta_{CP} = 0$, $\sin^2\theta_{23} = 0.5$, NH

JOINT $v_{\mu} + v_e$ ANALYSIS



large v_e appearance slightly prefers:

- Normal Hierarchy, $\theta_{23} > \pi/4$
- δ_{CP} ~ -π/2,

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0.238

0.743

1.000

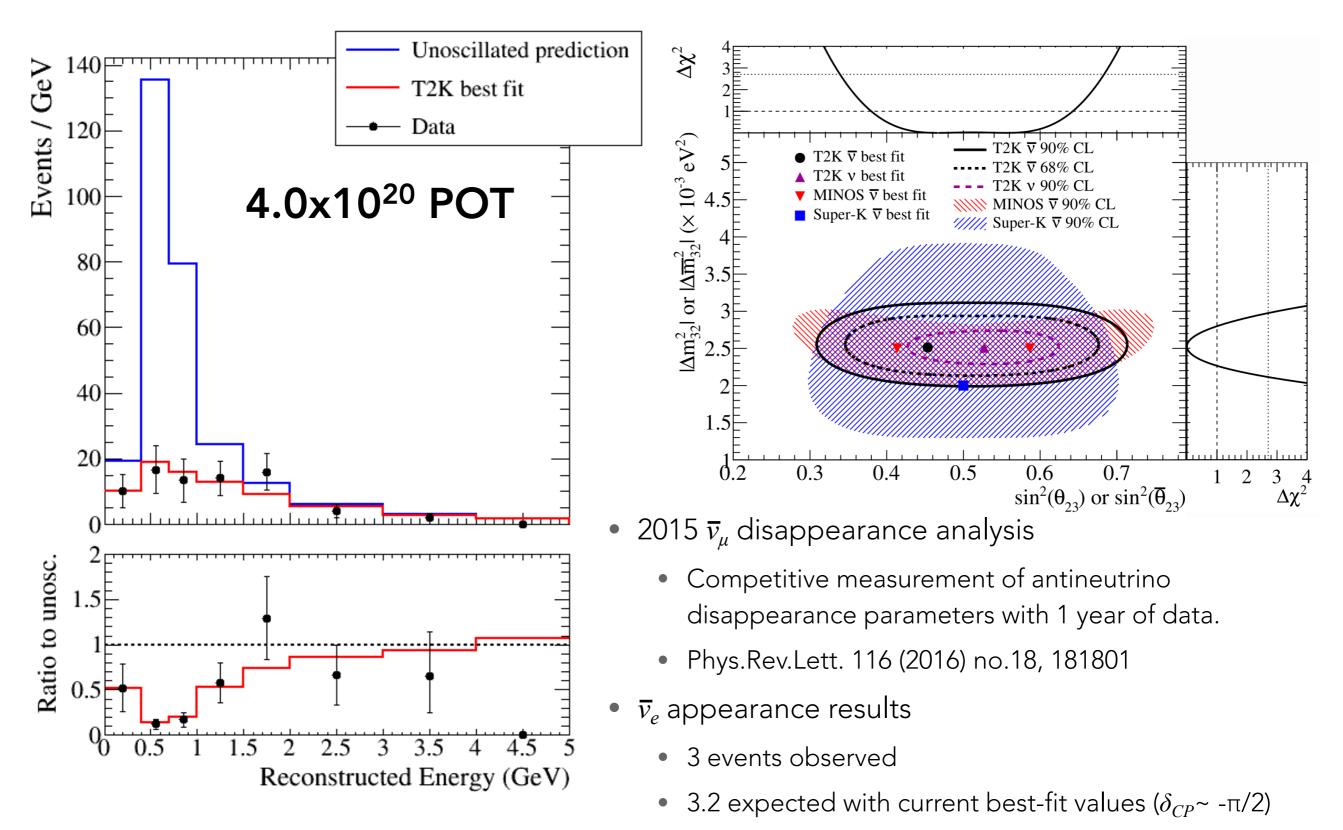
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 $\sin^2\theta_{23} > 0.5$

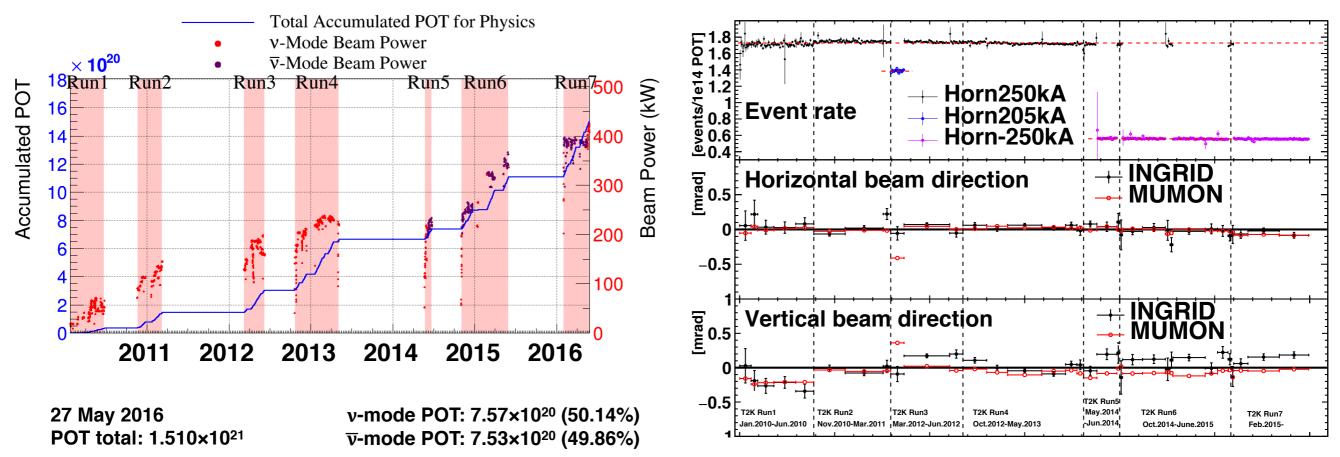
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FIRST ANTINEUTRINO RESULTS



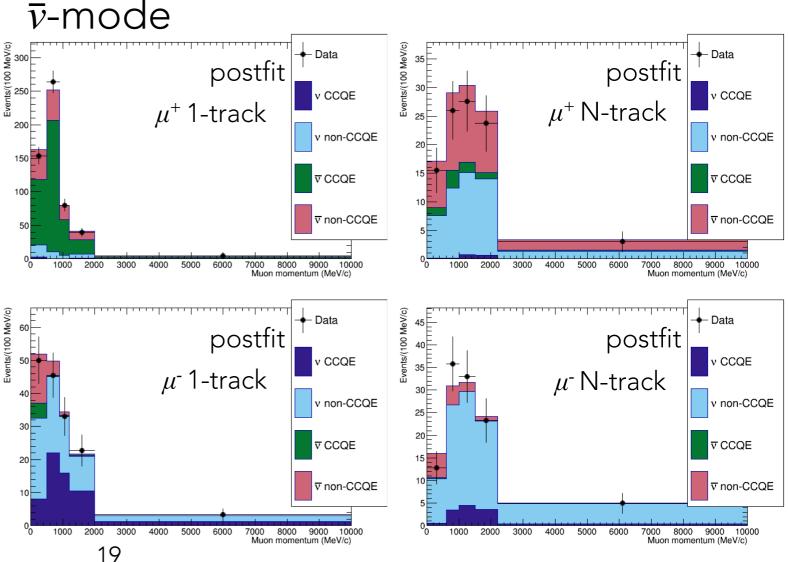
MORE DATA



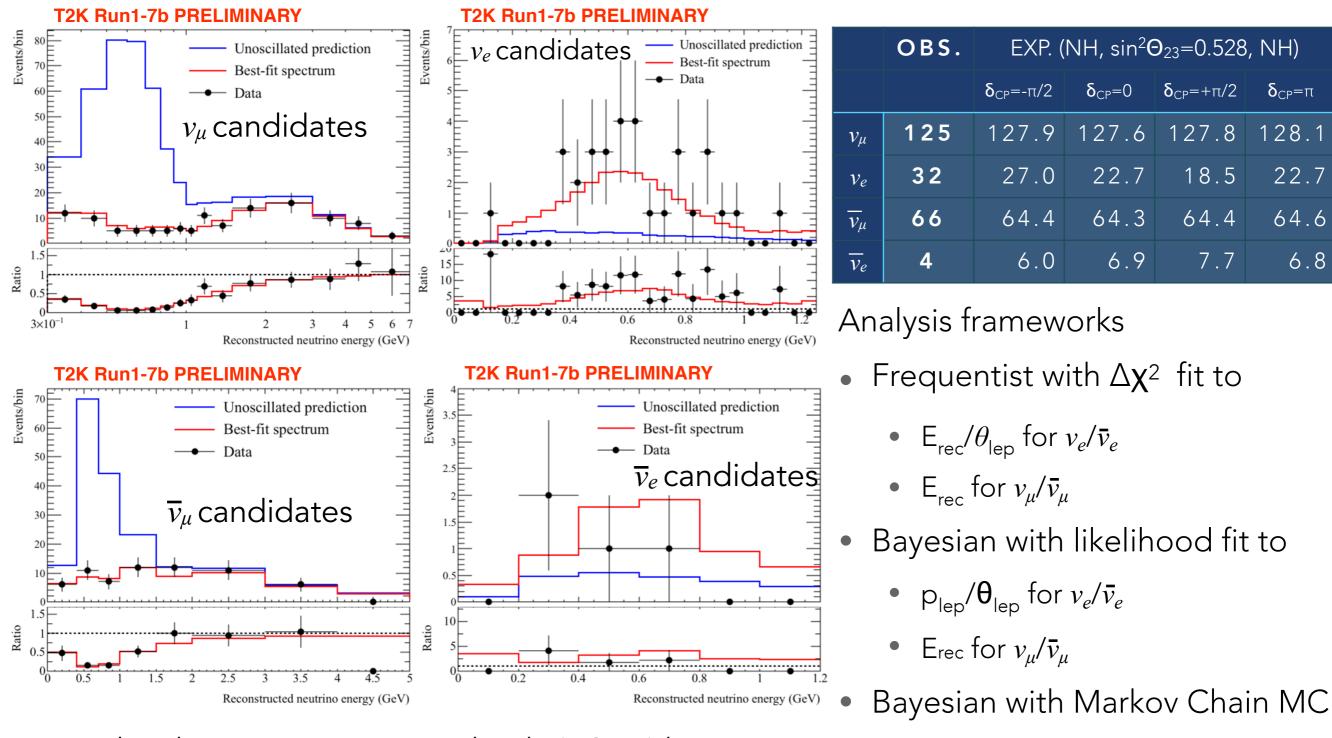
- Continuous rise in beam power from ~225 kW (2014) to 420 kW (2016)
 - Stable beam operations from muon monitor and INGRID measurements
- Total of 15.1x10²⁰ POT accumulated as of end of May
- Results presented today with:
 - *v*-mode: 7.00 x 10²⁰ POT
 - \overline{v} -mode: 7.47 x 10²⁰ POT (~2 x previous \overline{v} -mode results)

NEAR DETECTOR SAMPLES P1.036 C. Riccio - Data Events/(100 MeV/c) ₩ 350 postfit postfit postfit v CCQE v CCQE 200 v CCQE Events/(100 N 180 v CC 2p-2h v CC 2p-2h v CC 2p-2h СС0π CC1π **CCN**π \$ 160 250 F v CC Res 1π v CC Res 1π v CC Res 1π 140 1500 120 200 F CC Coh 1π v CC Coh 1π v CC Coh 1π 100E 150 CC Other CC Other CC Other 1000 80 NC modes NC modes NC modes 100 500 √ modes 1500 2000 2500 3500 4000 4500 50 Muon momentum (MeV/c 2500 3500 4000 4500 50 Muon momentum (MeV/c 3000 5000 500 1000 1500 2000 3000 5000 500 1000 1500 2000 2500 3000 3500 4000 4500 5000 Muon momentum (MeV/c) *v*-mode *v*-mode MeV/c) 300 • 6 *v*-mode samples (FGD1,2) 5.8x10²⁰ POT Data Data 35

- *v_μ* CC0π, CC1π, CCnπ
- 8 *v*-mode samples (FGD1,2) 2.8x10²⁰ POT
 - \overline{v}_{μ} CC 1-track, CC N-track + v_{μ} "wrong sign"
- simultaneous fit of $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ momentum/angle:
 - FGD1 (all plastic) and FGD2 (water+plastic)
 - Flux parameters increase by ~15%
 - Cross sections ~consistent with input
- P-value = 8.6%
- Reduce uncertainties from 12-15% to 5-8%



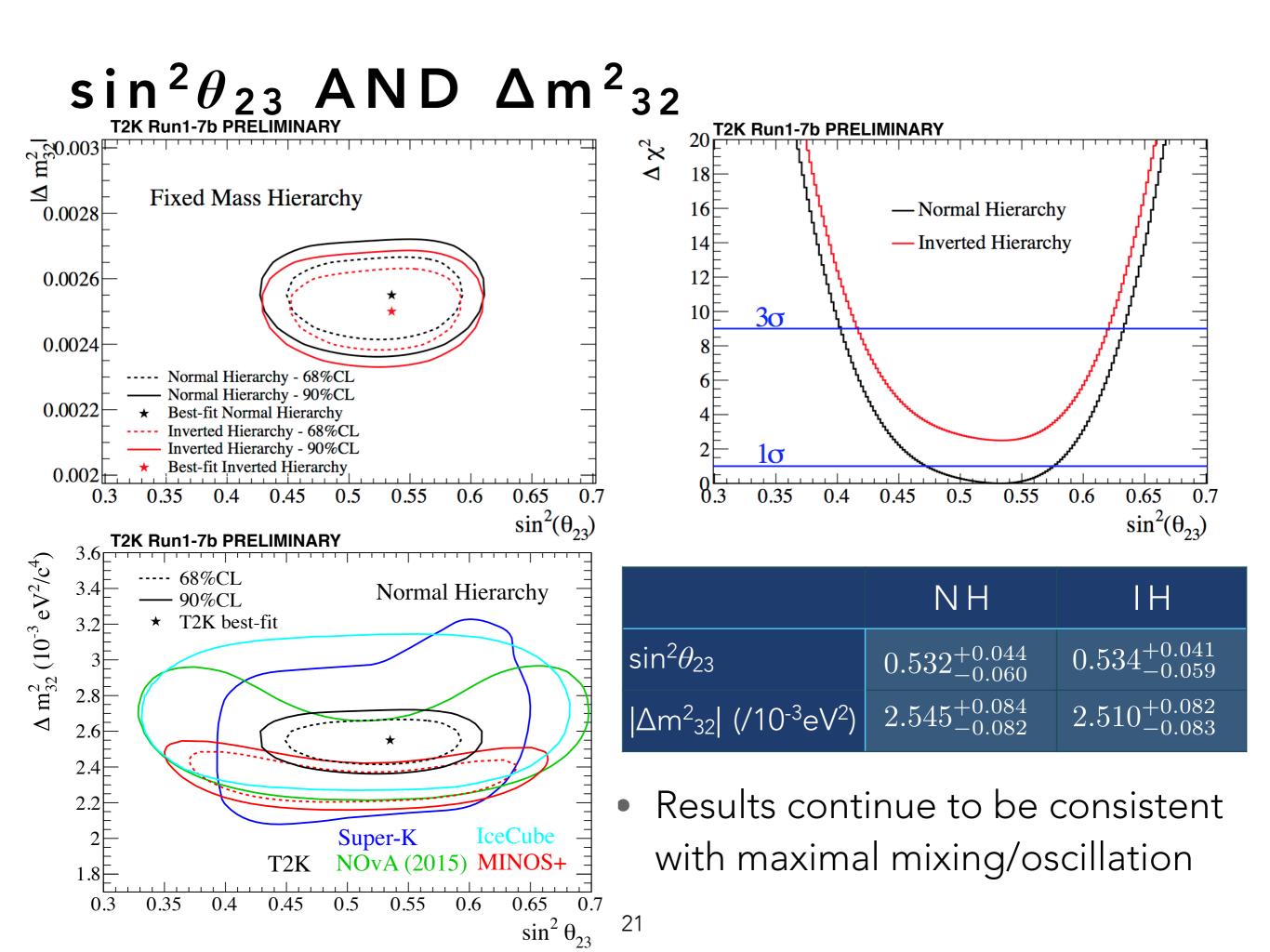
EVENTS AT SUPER-KAMIOKANDE



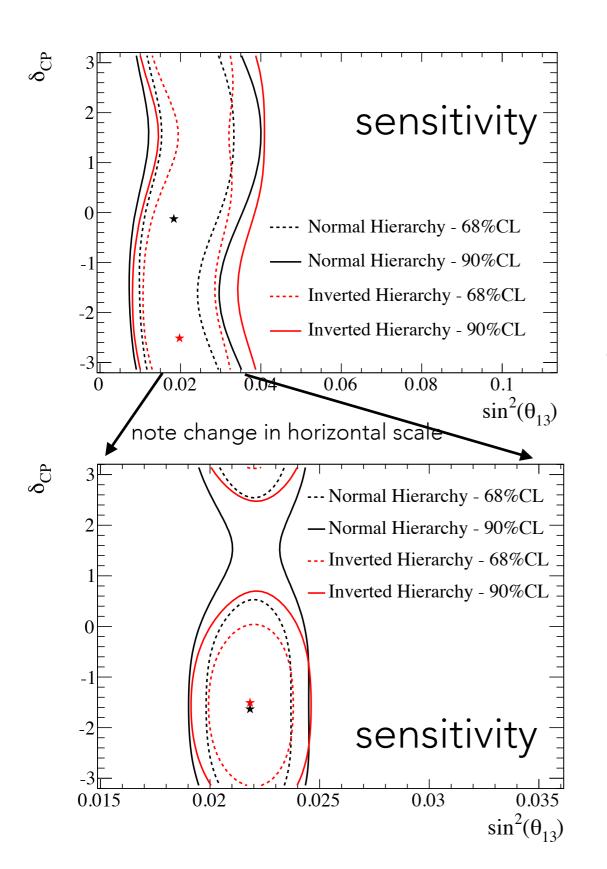
E_{rec} distributions assuming 2-body ("QE") kinematics **P1.041 R. Shah**

 simultaneous fit with near detector

Erec for all samples



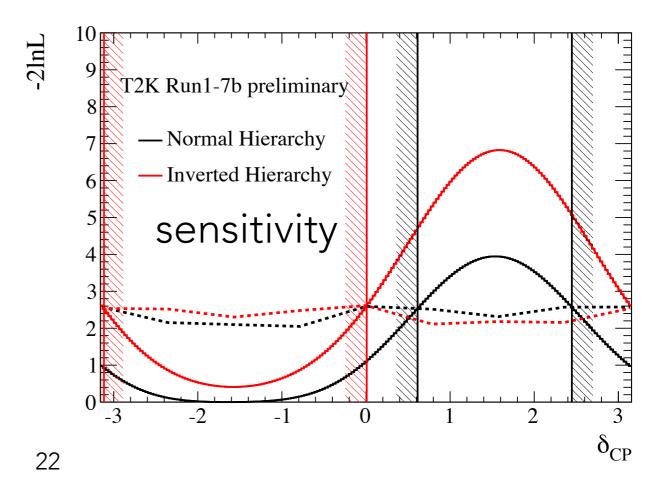
δ_{CP} VS. θ_{13}



sensitivity assumptions:

- sin²2θ₁₃= 0.085 (PDG 2015)
- $\sin^2 \theta_{23} = 0.528$
- NH, $\delta_{CP} = -1.601$

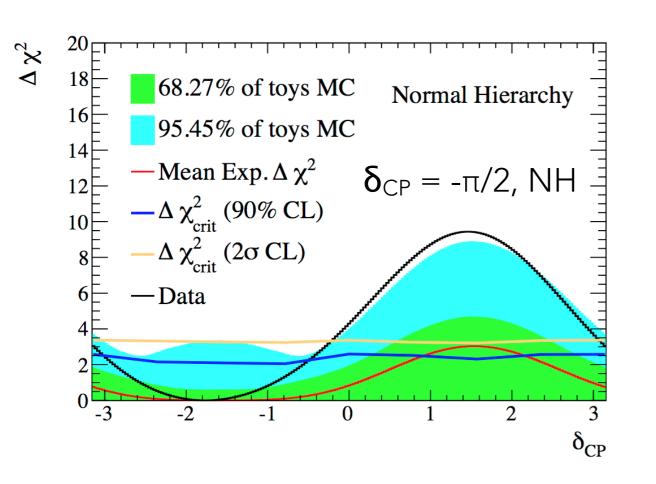
Left: δ_{CP} vs. θ_{13} (fixed $\Delta \chi^2$, fixed hierarchy) • T2K-only • T2K with reactor $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.085 \pm 0.005$ Below: δ_{CP} with Feldman-Cousins critical values and reactor θ_{13} $\delta_{CP} = [-3.02, -0.49]$ (NH), [-1.87, -0.98] (IH) @90% CL



DISCUSSION

- Observe
 - more v_e candidates than predicted
 - fewer \overline{v}_e candidates than predicted

in the case of NH, $\delta_{CP} = -\pi/2$ that induces the largest asymmetry



observed vs. expected number of v_e and v_e candidates

		EXPECTED (NH, $sin^2\Theta_{23}=0.528$)			
	OBS.	δ _{CP} =-π/2	$\delta_{CP}=0$	δCP=+π/2	δ _{CP} =π
Ve	32	27.0	22.7	18.5	22.7
\overline{v}_e	4	6.0	6.9	7.7	6.8

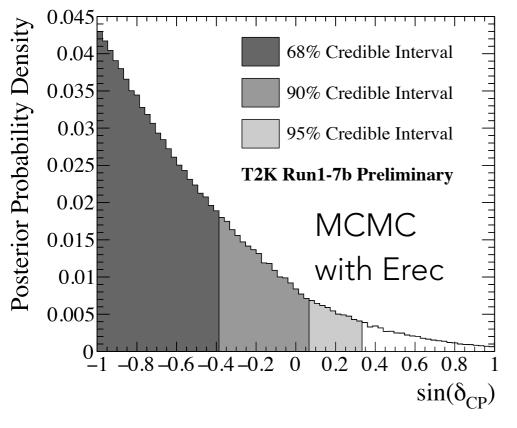
- Toy MC run to assess probability of outcome given a set of "true" parameters
- Below: fraction where $\delta_{CP} = 0$ excluded at 90% or 2 σ CL for NH, $\delta_{CP} = -\pi/2$, 0

	TRUE PARAMETERS		
	$δ_{CP}$ =-π/2, NH	$\delta_{CP}=0, NH$	
90%	0.187	0.102	
2 σ	0.089	0.047	

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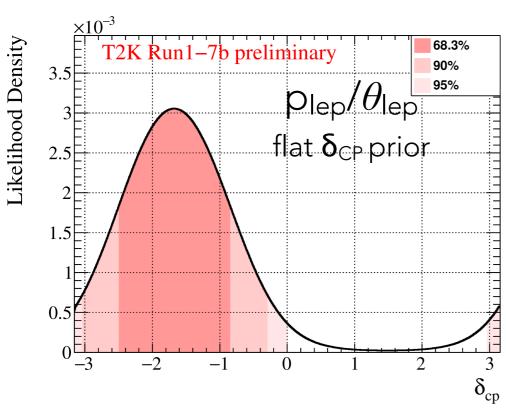
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- Left: posterior probability distribution in δ_{CP} marginalizing over all other parameters
 - negligible dependence on priors except for δ_{CP}
 - (flat in δ_{CP} vs. sin δ_{CP})
- Bottom: posterior probability distributions for θ_{23} octant and hierarchy with MCMC analysis
 - mild preference for $\theta_{23} > \pi/4$ and normal hierarchy

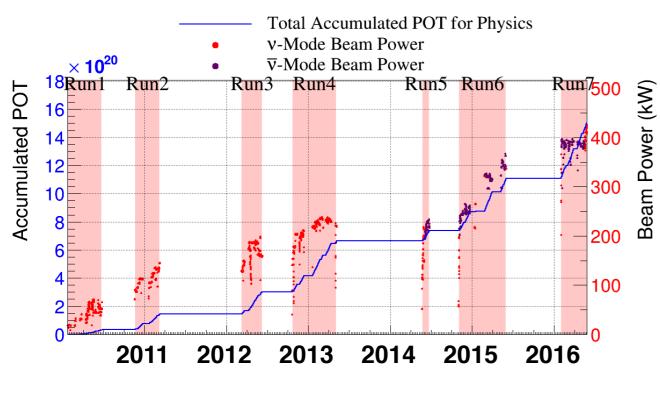
	ΝH	IН	SUM
$\sin^2\theta_{23} \le 0.5$	0.218	0.072	0.290
$\sin^2 \theta_{23} > 0.5$	0.529	0.181	0.710
SUM	0.747	0.253	1.000





NEXT TIME ON T2K

PROSPECTS

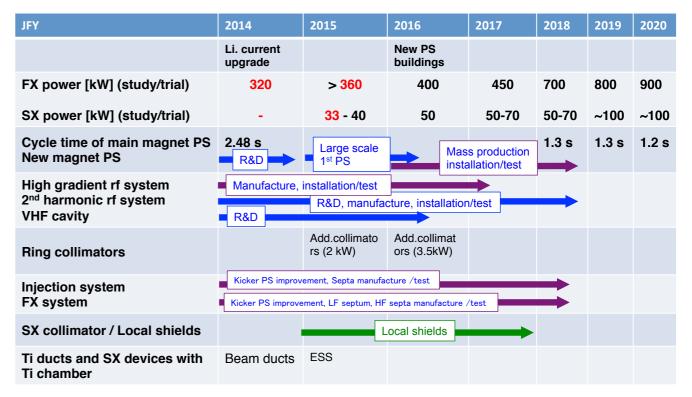


27 May 2016 POT total: 1.510×10²¹

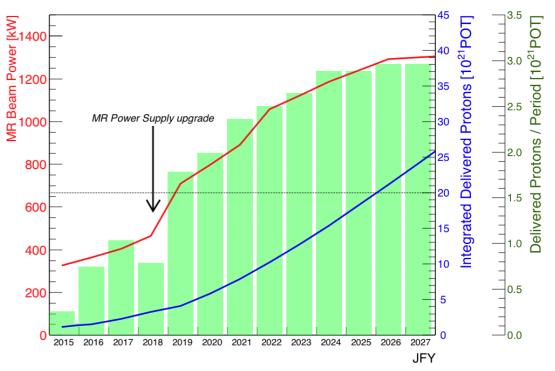
v-mode POT: 7.57×10²⁰ (50.14%) ⊽-mode POT: 7.53×10²⁰ (49.86%)

- 1st stage of J-PARC MR power supply upgrades approved
 - reduce cycle from 2.48 s to 1.3 s: 420 kW (current) \rightarrow ~800 kW
 - Now aiming for > 1 MW capability
- "T2K-II"
 - extension of T2K run to 20×10^{21} POT on the time scale of 2026
 - currently approved for 7.8x10²¹ POT (~2021)
 - accelerator and beam line upgrades to reach 1.3 MW

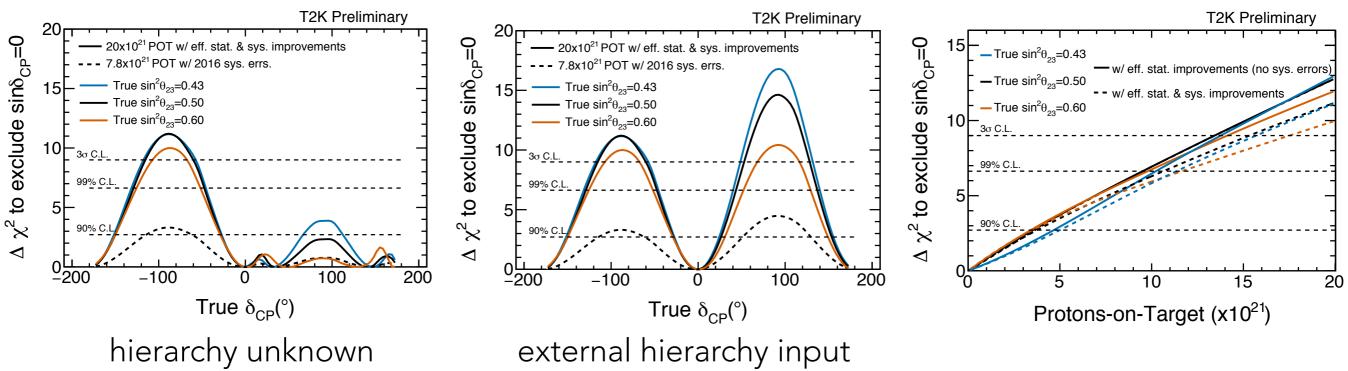
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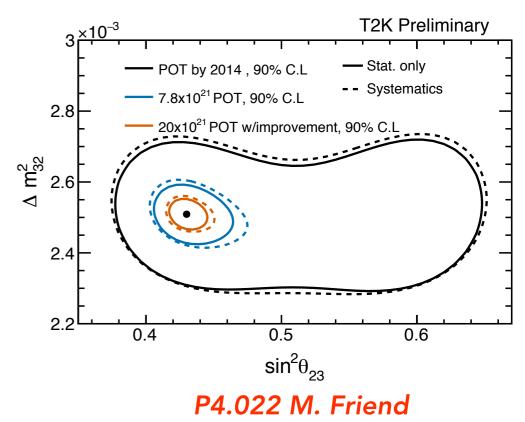
J-PARC MR Expected Performance



T2K-II: PHYSICS POTENTIAL



- Assumes ~50% increase in effective statistics/POT
 - increase horn current to design (320 kA): ~+10%
 - SK multi-ring samples and fiducial volume increase: ~+40%
 - reduction of systematic errors **P3.025 B. Quilain**
- ~3 σ sensitivity to CP violation for favourable (and currently favoured) parameters
- Precise measurement of θ_{23} :
 - octant resolution if θ_{23} at edge of currently allowed values
 - otherwise, measure θ_{23} to ~1.7° or better



CONCLUSIONS

- Steadily improving beam power with 420 kW achieved at end of FY 2015
 - Accumulated ~15x10²⁰ POT split equally in *v* and \overline{v} -mode
- First fully joint analysis across all modes of oscillation
 - $v_{\mu}/\overline{v}_{\mu}$ disappearance, v_e/\overline{v}_e appearance
 - incorporate water target and "wrong sign" constraints from near detector
 - data continues to prefer maximal θ_{23} mixing, $\delta_{\rm CP} \sim -\pi/2$, normal hierarchy
 - "maximal" $v_{\mu} / \overline{v}_{\mu}$ disappearance, "large" v_e appearance, "small" \overline{v}_e appearance
 - $\delta_{CP} = [-3.02, -0.49]$ (NH), [-1.87, -0.98] (IH) @ 90% CL
- First stage of upgrades for >700 kW operations approved.
- Propose to extend T2K with
 - accelerator and beamline upgrades to support 1.3 MW beam
 - running to ~2026 to accumulate 20×10^{21} POT (3x currently approved POT)
 - Primary goals aimed at >3 σ sensitivity to CPV, θ_{23} measured to <1.7°
- T2K physics program is very broad: many new developments not discussed here
 - Please see our extensive (23) poster program

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