



# **Project-X**

## **Physics Opportunities**

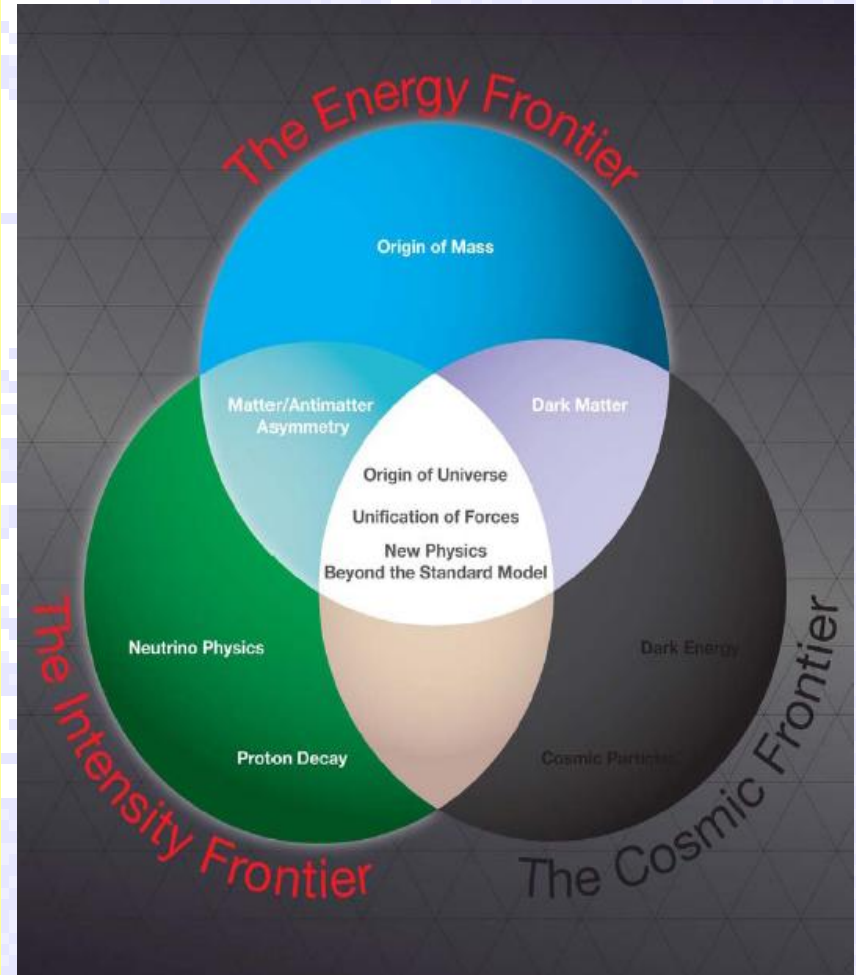
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# The Promise of the Intensity Frontier

Project-X drives next generation experiments in rare processes neutrino physics that explore:

- *The origin of the universe*
- *Unification of Forces*
- *New Physics Beyond the Standard Model.*



# The Project-X Research Program

- *Long baseline neutrino oscillation experiments:*

Driven by a high-power proton source with proton energies between 50 and 120 GeV that would produce intense neutrino beams directed toward massive detectors at a distant deep underground laboratory.

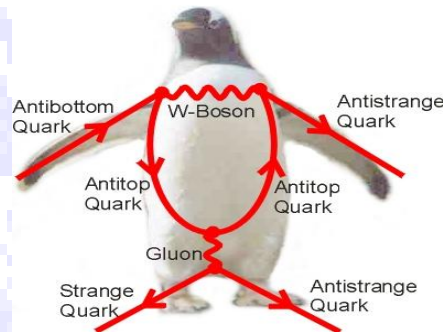
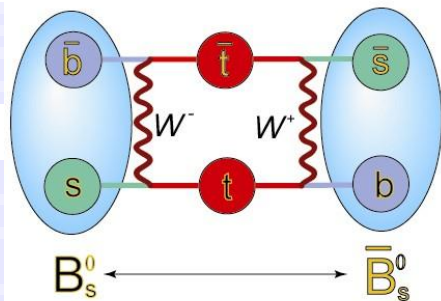
- *Kaon, muon, nuclei & neutron precision experiments driven by high intensity proton beams running simultaneously with the neutrino program:*

These could include world leading experiments searching for muon-to-electron conversion, nuclear and neutron electron dipole moments (edms), and world-leading precision measurements of ultra-rare kaon decays.

Detailed Discussion: [Project X website](#)

# Kaon, Muon and EDM Experiments Deeply Attack The Flavor Problem

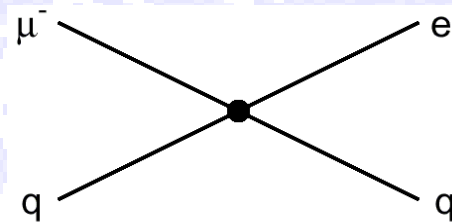
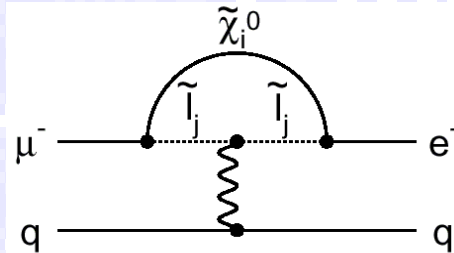
Why don't we see the  
*Terascale Physics we expect*  
affecting the flavor physics  
we study today??



# Rare muon decays in Project-X: $\mu^- N \rightarrow e^- N$ Sensitivity to New Physics

Supersymmetry

Predictions at  $10^{-15}$

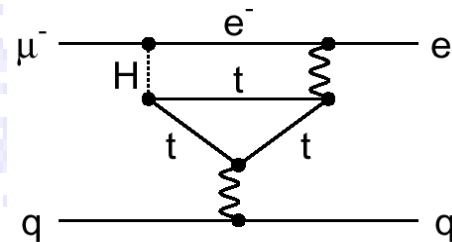
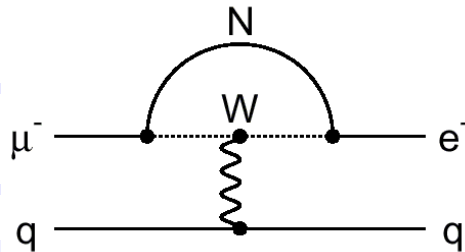


Compositeness

$$\Lambda_C = 3000 \text{ TeV}$$

Heavy Neutrinos

$$|U_{\mu N}^* U_{eN}|^2 = 8 \times 10^{-13}$$

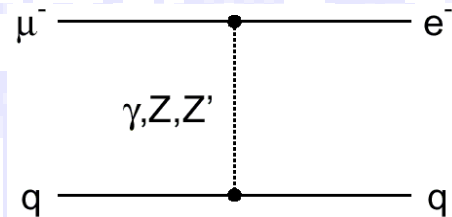
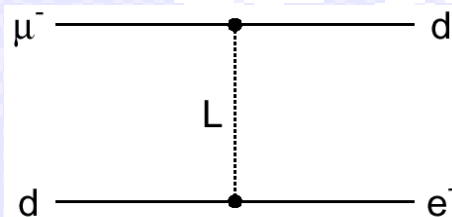


Second Higgs doublet

$$g_{H\mu e} = 10^{-4} \times g_{H\mu\mu}$$

Leptoquarks

$$M_L = 3000 \sqrt{\lambda_{\mu d} \lambda_{e d}} \text{ TeV}/c^2$$



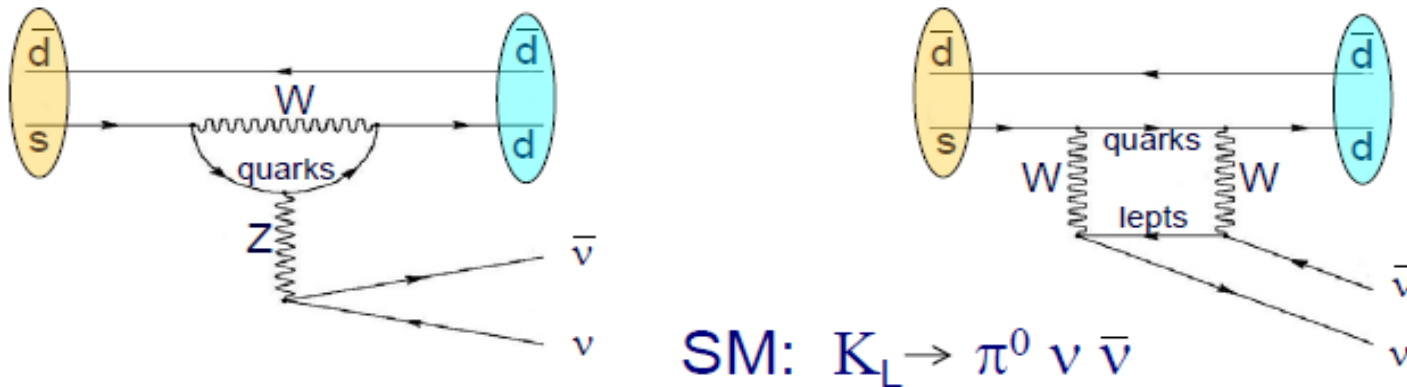
Heavy  $Z'$ ,  
Anomalous  $Z$   
coupling

$$M_{Z'} = 3000 \text{ TeV}/c^2$$

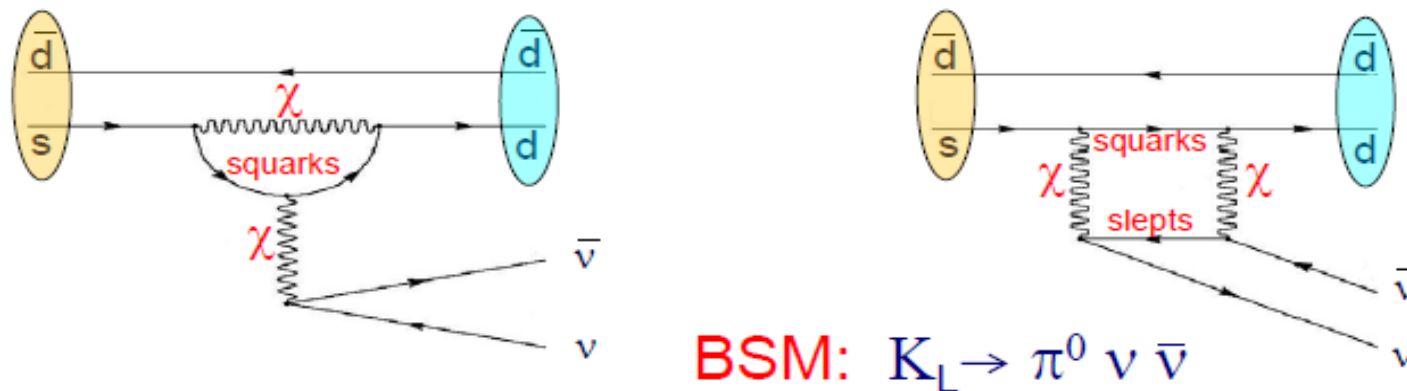
$$B(Z \rightarrow \mu e) < 10^{-17}$$

After W. Marciano

# The Window of Ultra-rare Kaon Decays in Project X



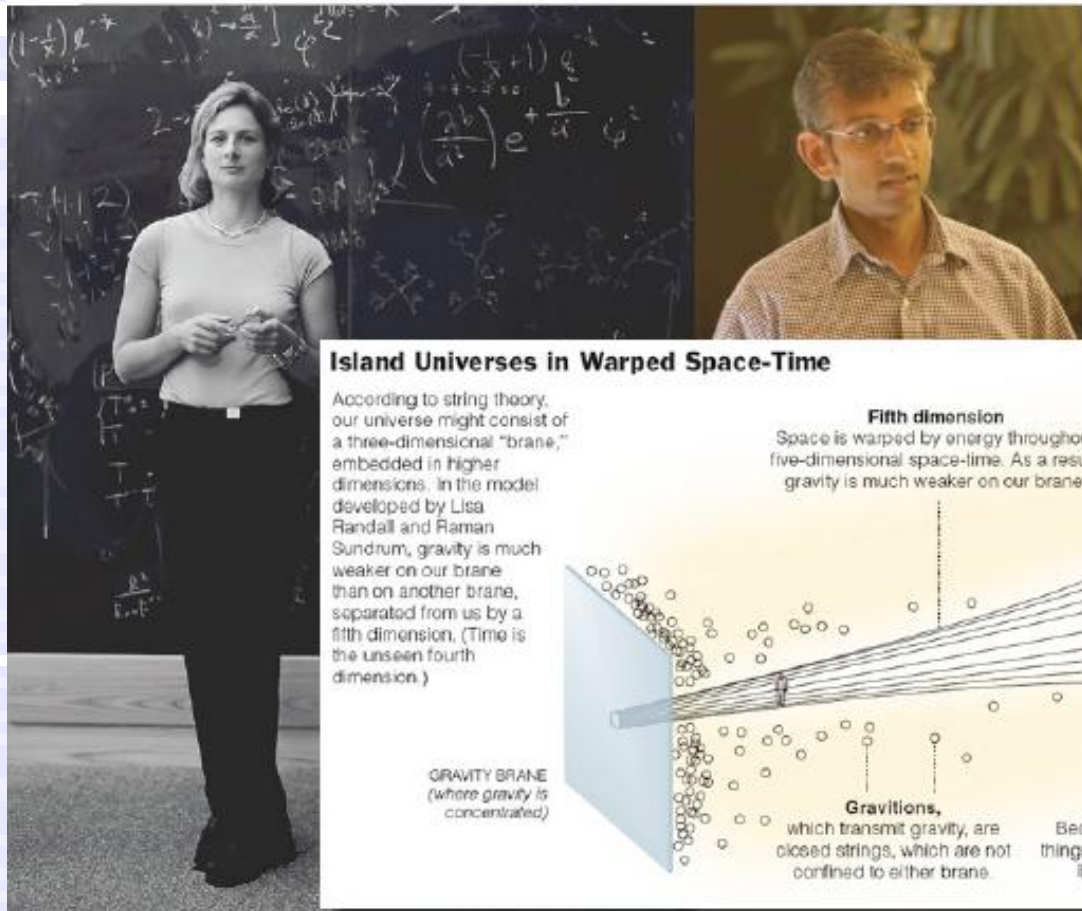
*Standard Model rate of 3 parts per 100 billion!*



*BSM particles within loops can increase the rate by  $\times 10$  with respect to SM.*

# Rates sensitive to other BSMs: Warped Extra Dimensions as a Theory of Flavor??

## The Randall-Sundrum (RS) idea



**Island Universes in Warped Space-Time**

According to string theory, our universe might consist of a three-dimensional "brane," embedded in higher dimensions. In the model developed by Lisa Randall and Raman Sundrum, gravity is much weaker on our brane than on another brane, separated from us by a fifth dimension. (Time is the unseen fourth dimension.)

**GRAVITY BRANE**  
(where gravity is concentrated)

**Fifth dimension**  
Space is warped by energy throughout five-dimensional space-time. As a result, gravity is much weaker on our brane.

**Gravitons,**  
which transmit gravity, are closed strings, which are not confined to either brane.

**Warped space-time**  
Because space-time is warped, things are exponentially bigger and lighter closer to our brane.

**BRANE**  
(our universe)

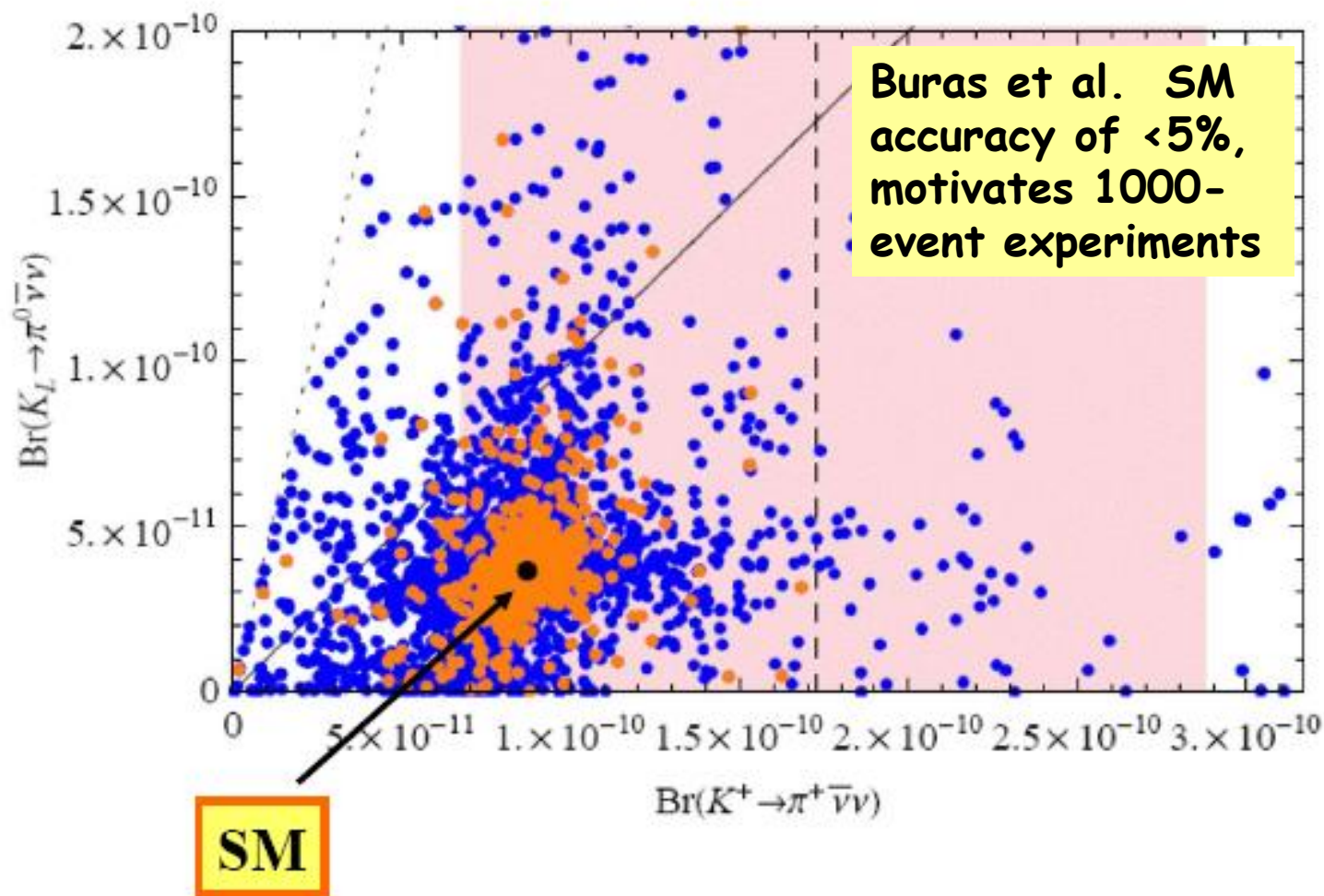
The ends of **open strings**, whose oscillations are particles and forces other than gravity, are stuck to our brane.

(Wikipedia)



$$\mathbf{K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu} \text{ vs. } K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}} \quad (\text{RS})$$

(Up to Factor 3 and 2 Enhancements)

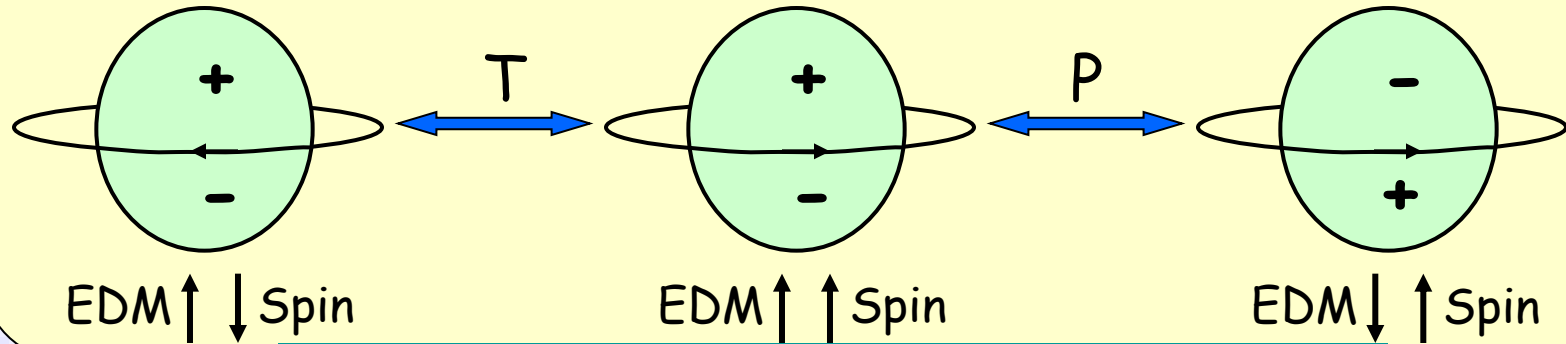


*Effect of Warped Extra Dimension Models on Branching Fractions*



# *Search for an electric dipole moment and physics beyond the standard model*

A permanent EDM violates both time-reversal symmetry and parity



***To understand the origin of the symmetry violations, you need many experiments!***

Neutron

Quark EDM

Diamagnetic Atoms  
(Hg, Xe, Ra, Rn)

Quark Chromo-EDM

Physics beyond  
the Standard  
Model:  
SUSY, Strings ...

Paramagnetic Atoms (Tl, Fr)  
Molecules (PbO)

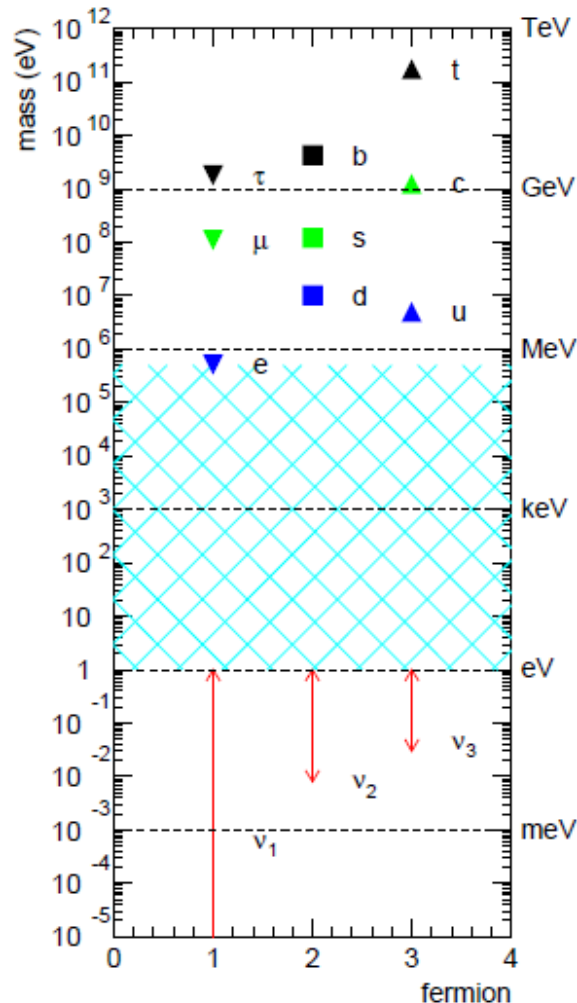
Electron EDM

Guy Savard, ANL

# What are Neutrinos Telling Us?

André de Gouvêa

Northwestern



What We Are Trying To Understand:

⇐ NEUTRINOS HAVE TINY MASSES

⇓ LEPTON MIXING IS “WEIRD” ⇓

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

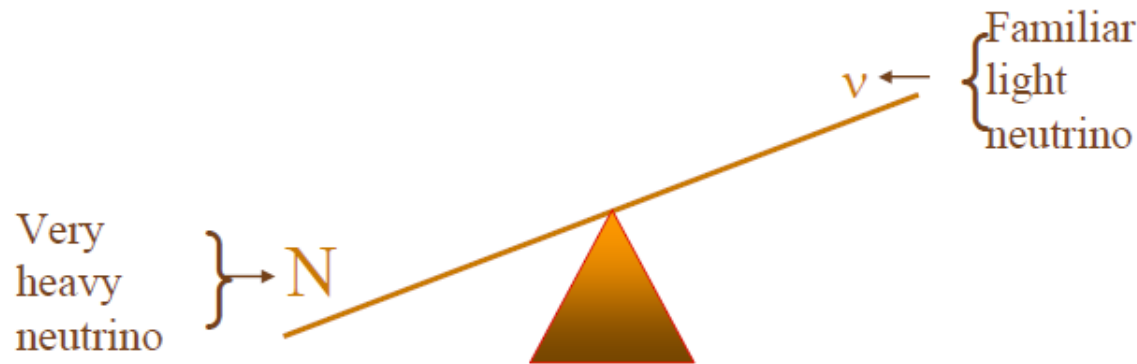
$$V_{CKM} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0.2 & 0.001 \\ 0.2 & 1 & 0.01 \\ 0.001 & 0.01 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

What Does It Mean?

Andre de Gouvea

# Leveraging to the Unification Scale

## See-Saw Mechanism

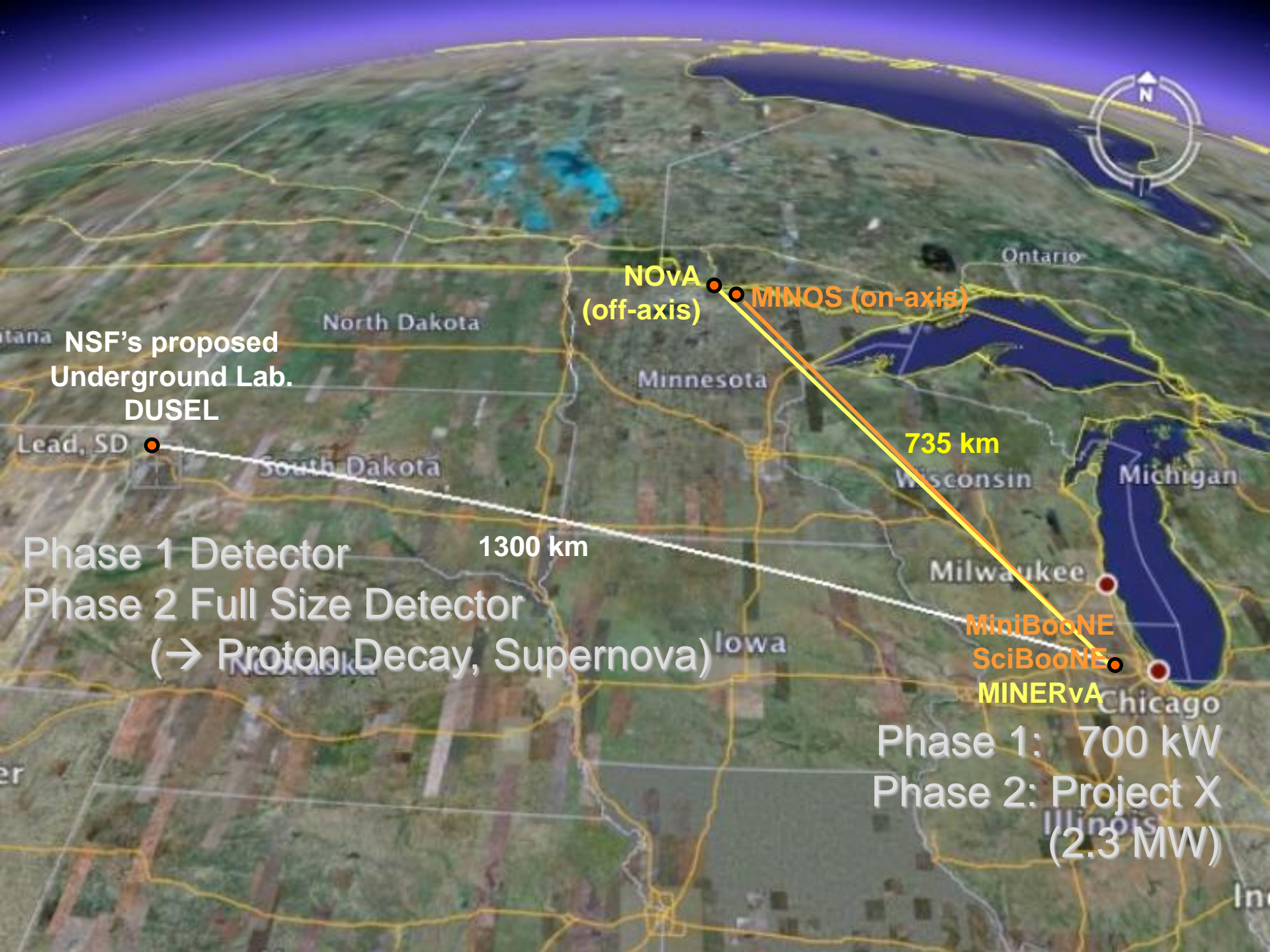


$$\text{Mass}(N) \sim 10^{15} \text{ GeV}$$

The strong, EM, and weak forces unify at  $\sim 10^{16} \text{ GeV}$

Unification? Leptogenesis?

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Nova  
(off-axis)

MINOS (on-axis)

735 km

1300 km

MiniBooNE  
SciBooNE  
MINERvA

Phase 1: 700 kW  
Phase 2: Project X  
(2.3 MW)

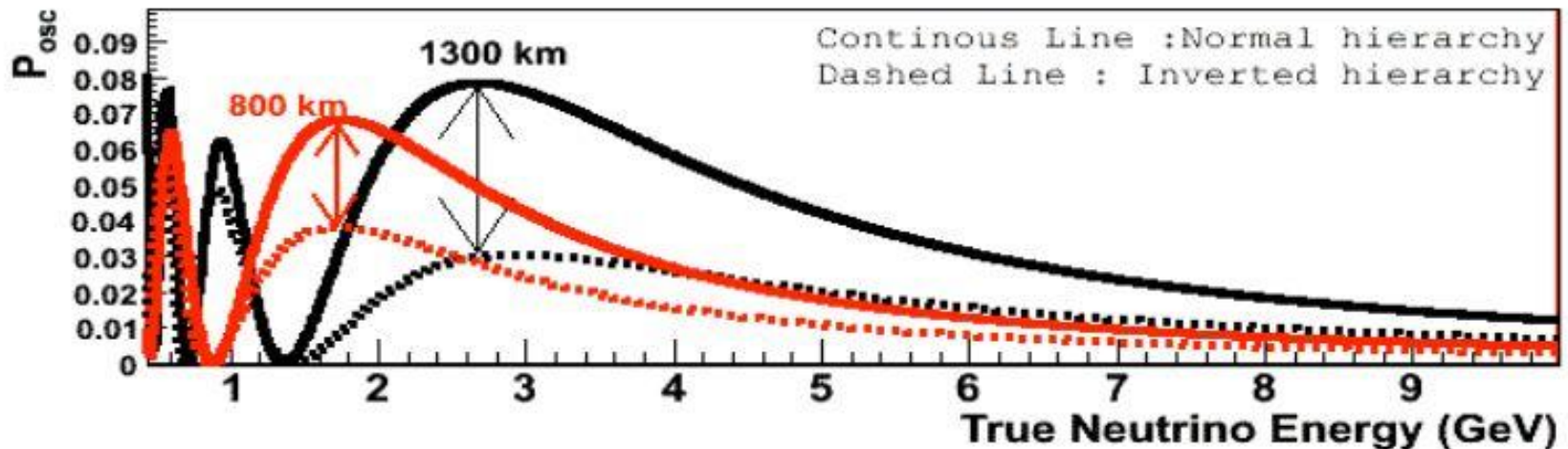
NSF's proposed  
Underground Lab.  
DUSEL

Phase 1 Detector  
Phase 2 Full Size Detector  
(→ Proton Decay, Supernova)



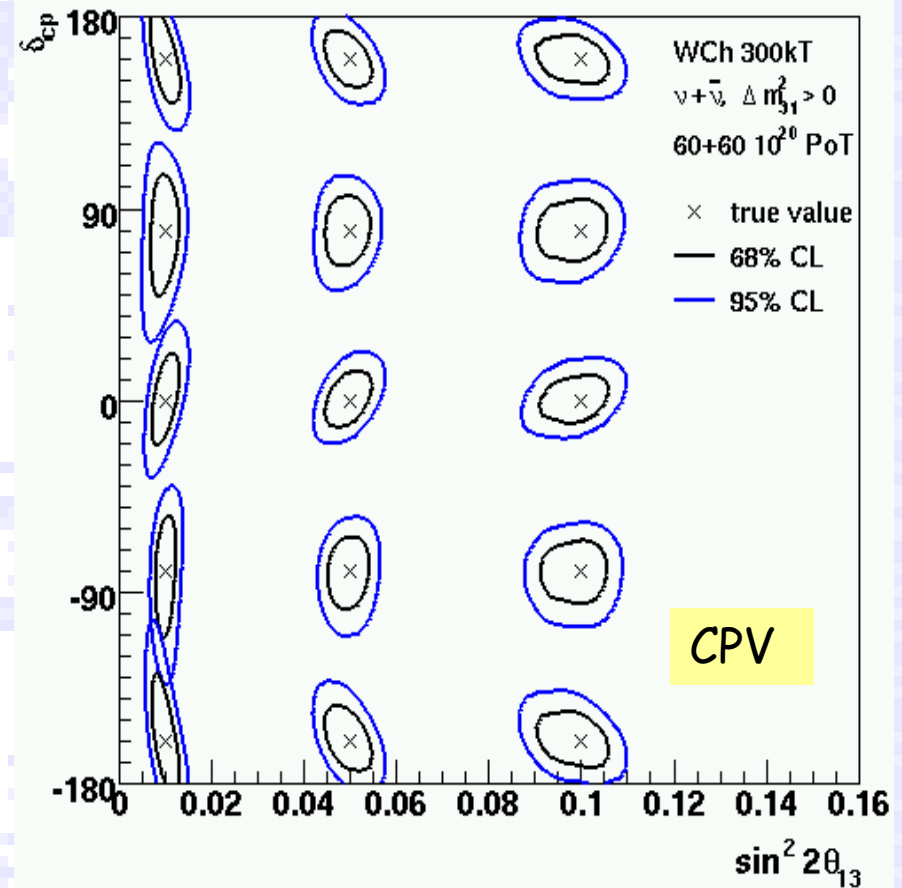
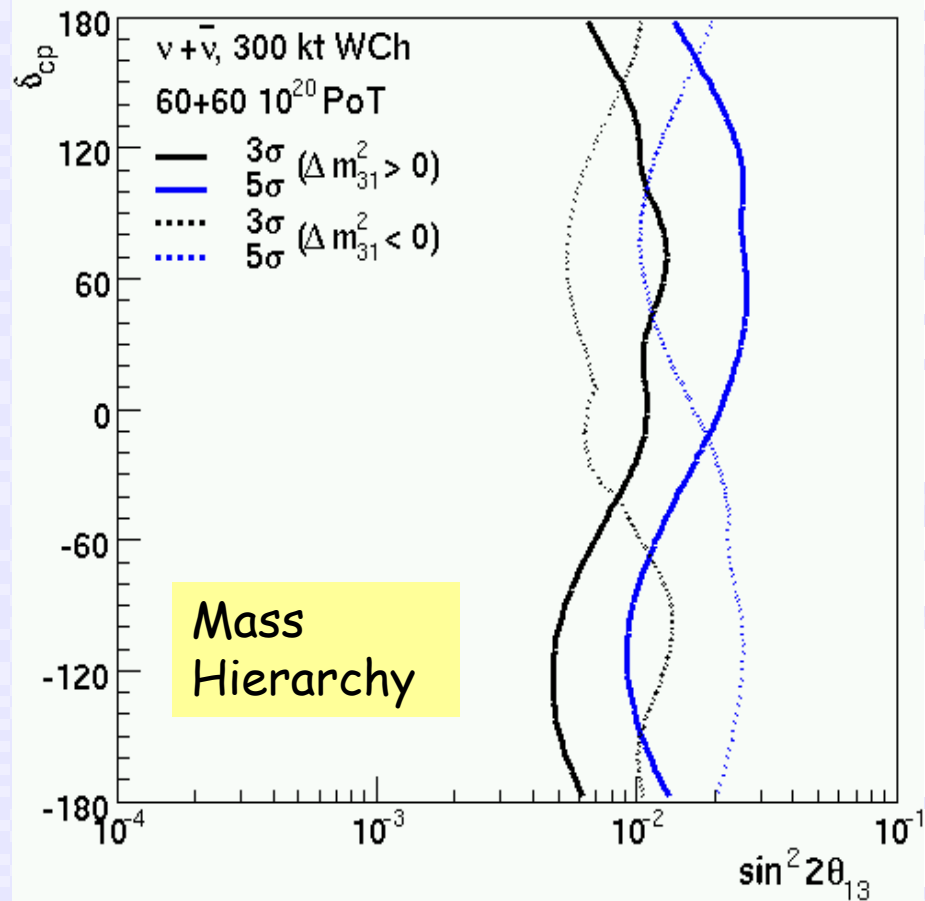
# Why DUSEL?

- 1300 km distance is a good compromise of mass-hierarchy and CP violation sensitivities
- Deep underground site allows rich physics program in addition to LB neutrinos



Bob Svoboda, 4<sup>th</sup> PXP Workshop

# DUSEL LBNE Sensitivities

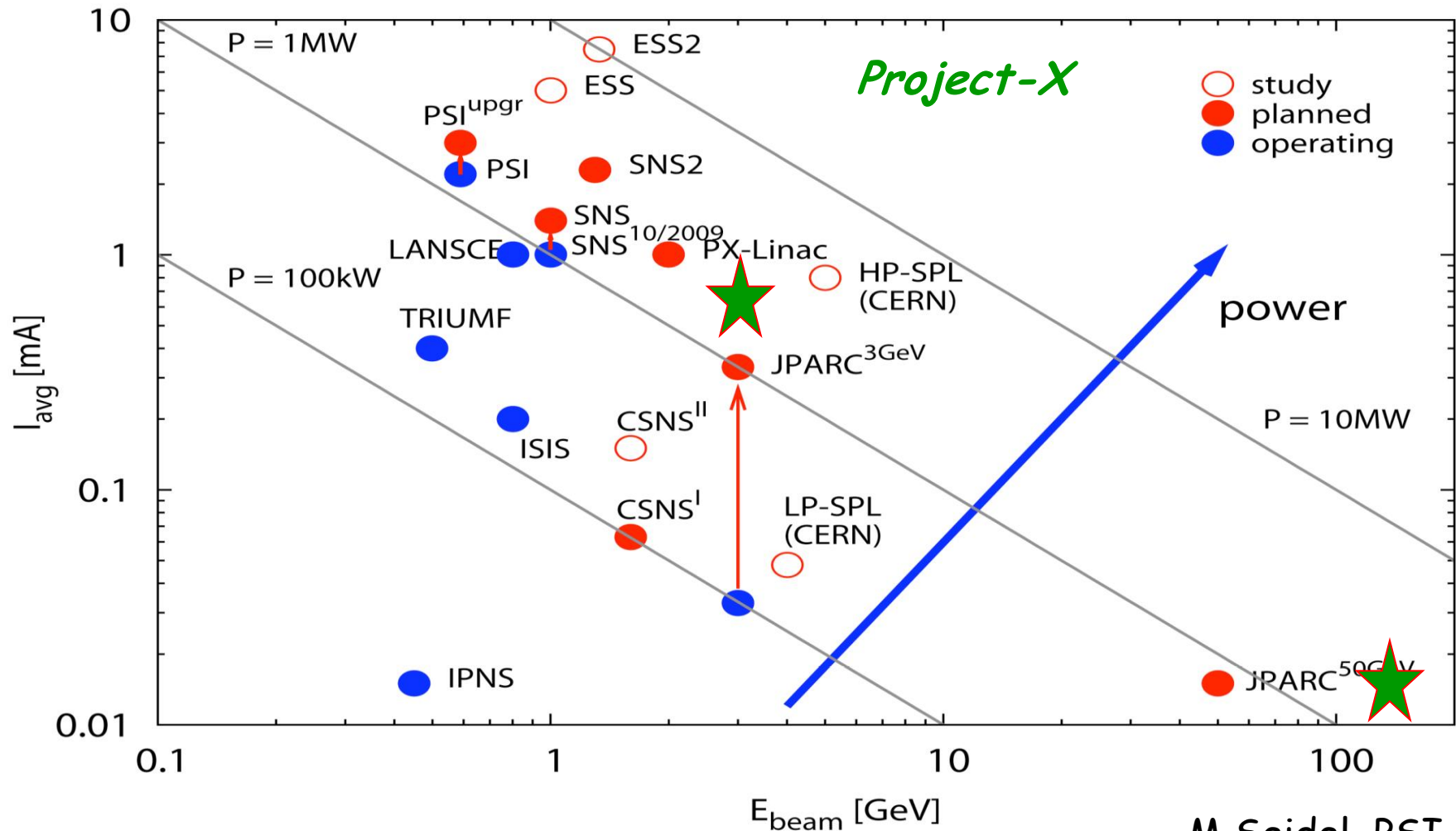


Sensitivities for (300 kT H<sub>2</sub>O) × (2 MW) × (3+3  $\nu/\bar{\nu}$  years)

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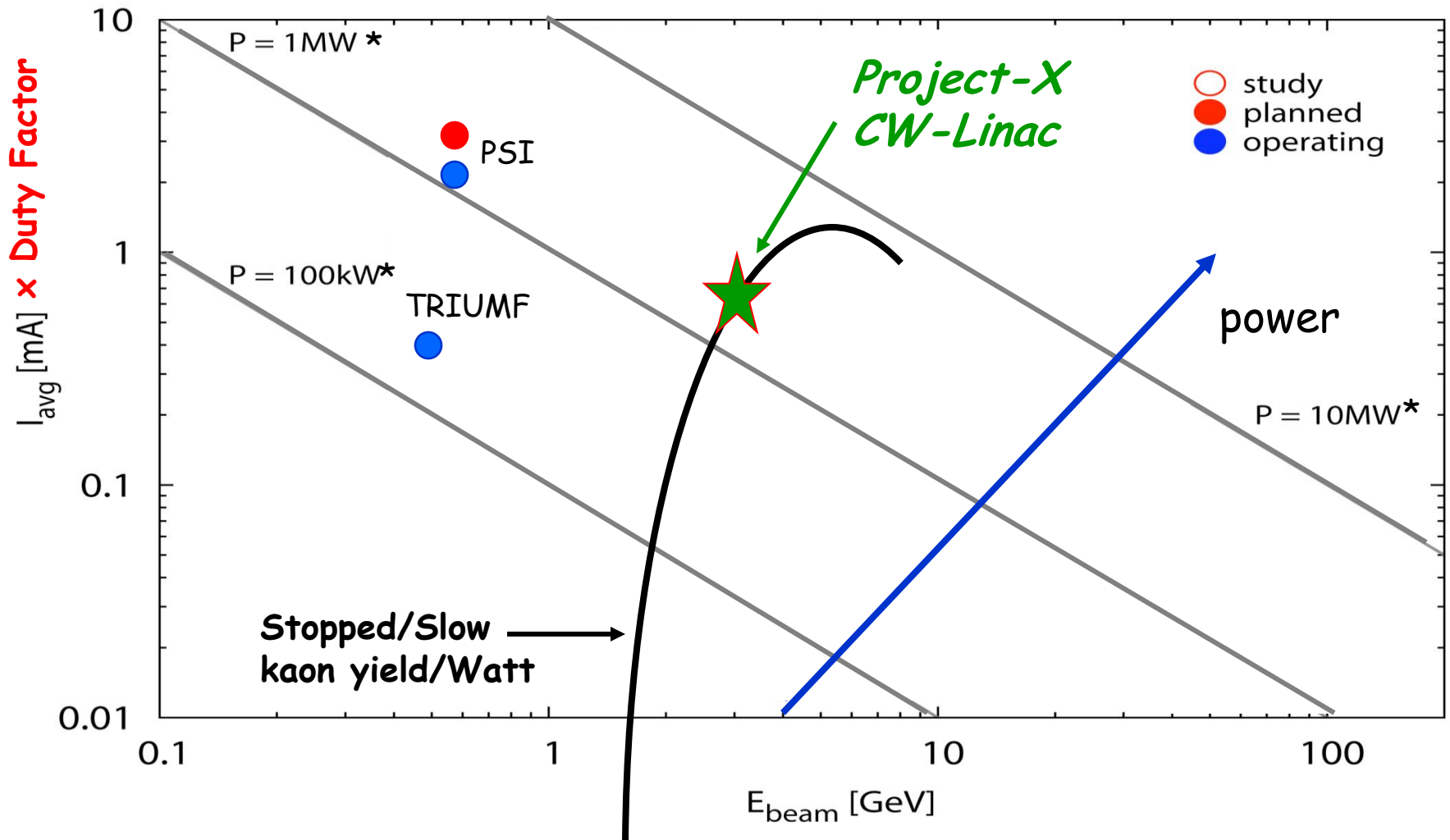


# This Science has attracted Competition: The Proton Source Landscape This Decade...



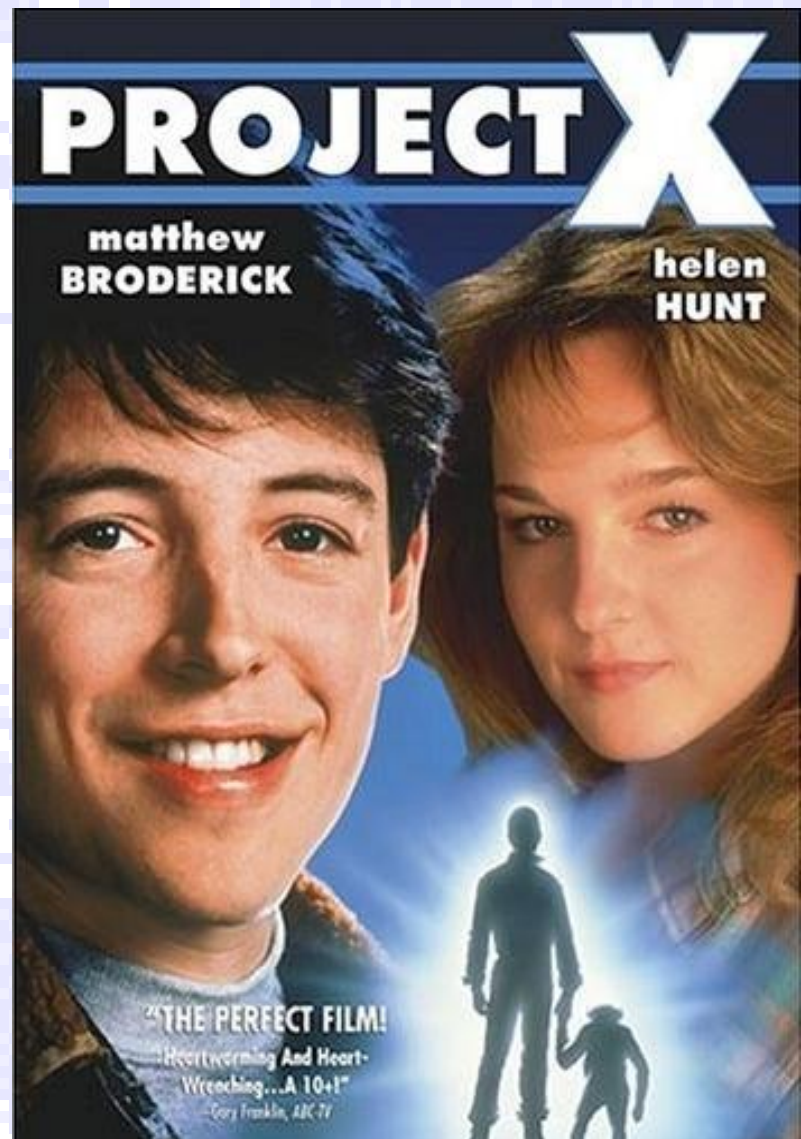
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# The High **Duty Factor** Proton Source Landscape This Decade...



\* Beam power  $\times$  **Duty Factor**

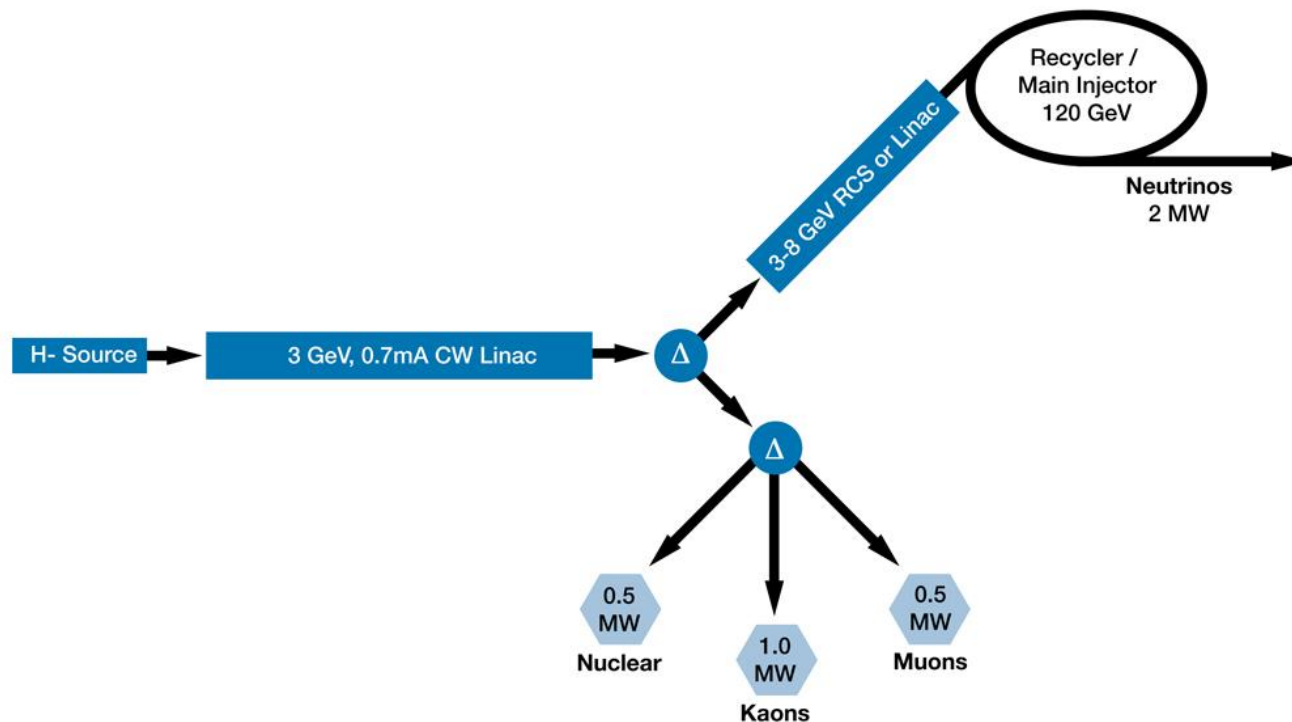
# Project-X, What it's not...



# What it is...

- Project X Design Criteria

- ✓ 2 MW of beam power over the range 60 - 120 GeV;
- ✓ Simultaneous with 2 MW beam power at 3 GeV;
- ✓ Compatibility with future upgrades to 2-4 MW at 8 GeV



Steve Holmes, APS Meeting Feb 2010.

# "CW" Linac for Rare Processes...

- Beam extraction challenge is finessed.
- Duty factor is very high.
- The high frequency bandwidth intrinsic to a Linac can be exploited to generate excellent time resolution ( $\delta t \sim 20 \text{ psec}$ ) crucial to survival in a high intensity environment.
- JLAB has demonstrated that beam can be cleanly multiplexed between many targets with minimal losses. These "touchless" RF beam multiplexers are enabled by the high linac bandwidth.
- The intrinsic properties of this SCRF CW Linac enables the physics rather than fighting with it. Excellent beam power scaling.



# Beam Requirements for a World Leading Rare Processes Program

	Proton Energy (kinetic)	Beam Power	Beam Timing
Rare Muon decays	2-3 GeV	>500 kW	1 kHz - 160 MHz
(g-2) measurement	8 GeV	20-50 kW	30- 100 Hz.
Rare Kaon decays	2.6 - 4 GeV	>500 kW	20 - 160 MHz. (<50 psec pings)
Precision $K^0$ studies	2.6 - 3 GeV	> 200kW (100 $\mu$ A internal target)	20 - 160 MHz. (<50 psec pings)
Neutron and exotic nuclei EDMs	1.5-2.5 GeV	>500 kW	> 100 Hz

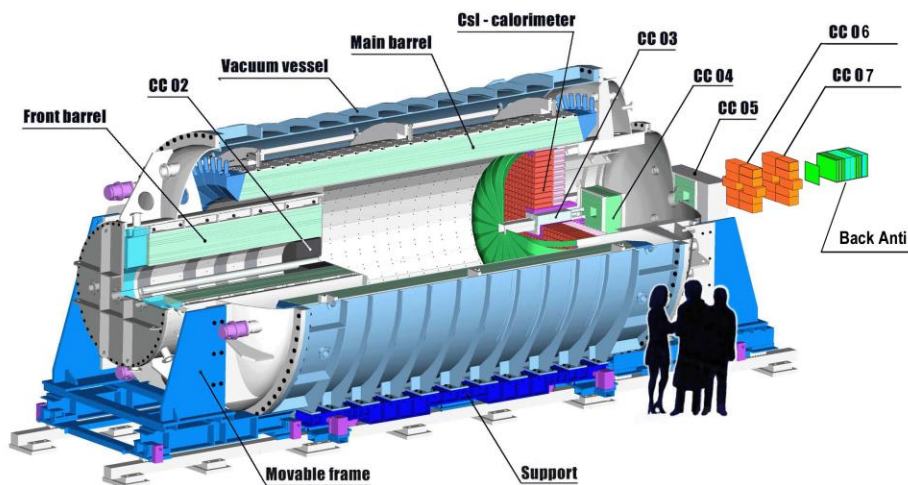


# $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$ Experimental Challenge: "Nothing-in nothing out"

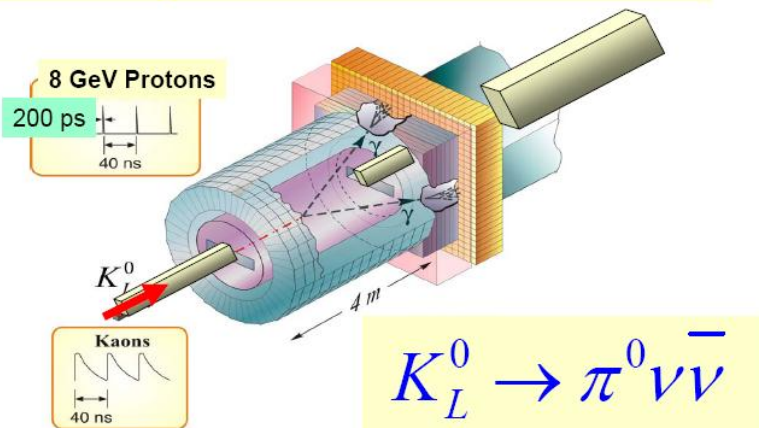
- KEK/JPARC approach emphasizes high acceptance for the two decay photons while vetoing everything else:

A hermetic "bottle" approach.

- The original KOPIO concept measures the kaon momentum and photon direction...Good! But costs detector acceptance and requires a large beam to compensate. Project-X Flux can get back to small kaon beam!



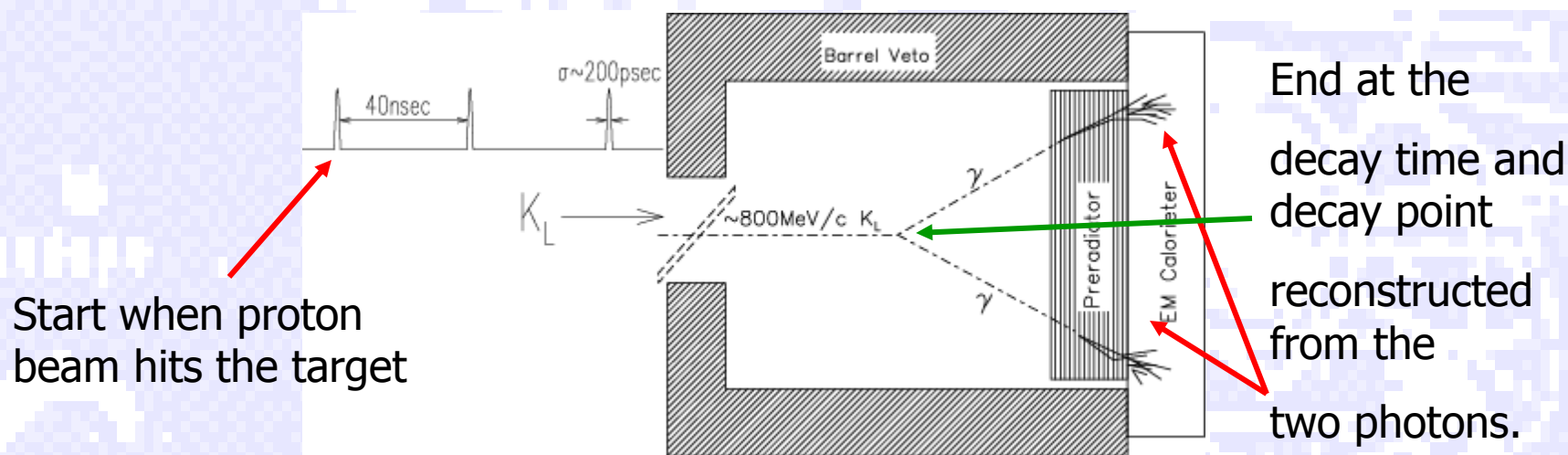
## Another $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$ Experiment Concept



- Use TOF to work in the  $K_L^0$  c.m. system
- Identify main 2-body background  $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$
- Reconstruct  $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$  decays with pointing calorimeter
- $4\pi$  solid angle photon and charged particle vetos

# KOPIO inspired: Micro-bunch the beam, TOF determines $K_L$ momentum.

Fully reconstruct the neutral Kaon in  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$  measuring the Kaon momentum by time-of-flight.



Timing uncertainty due to microbunch width should not dominate the measurement of the kaon momentum; requires RMS width  $< 200 \text{ ps}$ . CW linac pulse timing of less than  $50 \text{ ps}$  is intrinsic.

# An Incomplete Menu of World Class Research Targets Enabled by Project-X

## Neutrino Physics:

- Mass Hierarchy
- CP violation
- Precision measurement of the  $\theta_{23}$  (atmospheric mixing). Maximal??
- Anomalous interactions, e.g.  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\tau$  probed with target emulsions ([Madrid Neutrino NSI Workshop](#), Dec 2009)
- Search for sterile neutrinos, CP & CPT violating effects in next generation  $\nu_e, \bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow X$  experiments.
- Next generation precision cross section measurements.

# An Incomplete Menu of World Class Research Targets Enabled by Project-X. continued...

## Muon Physics:

- Next generation muon-to-electron conversion experiment, new techniques for higher sensitivity and/or other nuclei.
- Next generation  $(g-2)_\mu$  if motivated by next round, theory, LHC. New techniques proposed to JPARC that are beam-power hungry...
- $\mu$  edm
- $\mu \rightarrow 3e$
- $\mu^+ e^- \rightarrow \mu^- e^+$
- $\mu^- A \rightarrow \mu^+ A' ; \mu^- A \rightarrow e^+ A' ; \mu^- e^-(A) \rightarrow e^- e^-(A)$
- Systematic study of radiative muon capture on nuclei.

# An Incomplete Menu of World Class Research Targets Enabled by Project-X. continued...

## Kaon Physics:

- $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \nu$ : >1000 events, Precision rate and form factor.
- $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \nu$ : Measurement of T-violating muon polarization.
- $K^+ \rightarrow (\pi, \mu)^+ \nu_\chi$ : Search for anomalous heavy neutrinos.
- $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \nu$ : 1000 events, enabled by high flux & precision TOF.
- $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$ : <10% measurement of CP violating amplitude.
- $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-$ : <10% measurement of CP violating amplitude.
- $K^0 \rightarrow X$ : Precision study of a pure  $K^0$  interferometer:  
Reaching out to the Plank scale ( $\Delta m_K / m_K \sim 1/m_P$ )
- $K^0, K^+ \rightarrow \text{LFV}$ : Next generation Lepton Flavor Violation experiments  
...and more

# An Incomplete Menu of World Class Research Targets Enabled by Project-X. continued...

## Baryons:

- $pp \rightarrow \Sigma^+ K^0 p^+$ ;  $\Sigma^+ \rightarrow p^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$  (HyperCP anomaly, and other rare  $\Sigma^+$  decays)
- $pp \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda^0 p^+$ ;  $\Lambda^0$  ultra rare decays
- $\Lambda^0 \leftrightarrow \bar{\Lambda}^0$  oscillations (Project-X operates below anti-baryon threshold)
- neutron EDM

## Nuclei:

- Production of Ra, Rd, Fr isotopes for nuclear edm experiments that are uniquely sensitive to Quark-Chromo and electron EDM's.



# Summary

Project-X is a next generation high intensity proton source that can deliver:

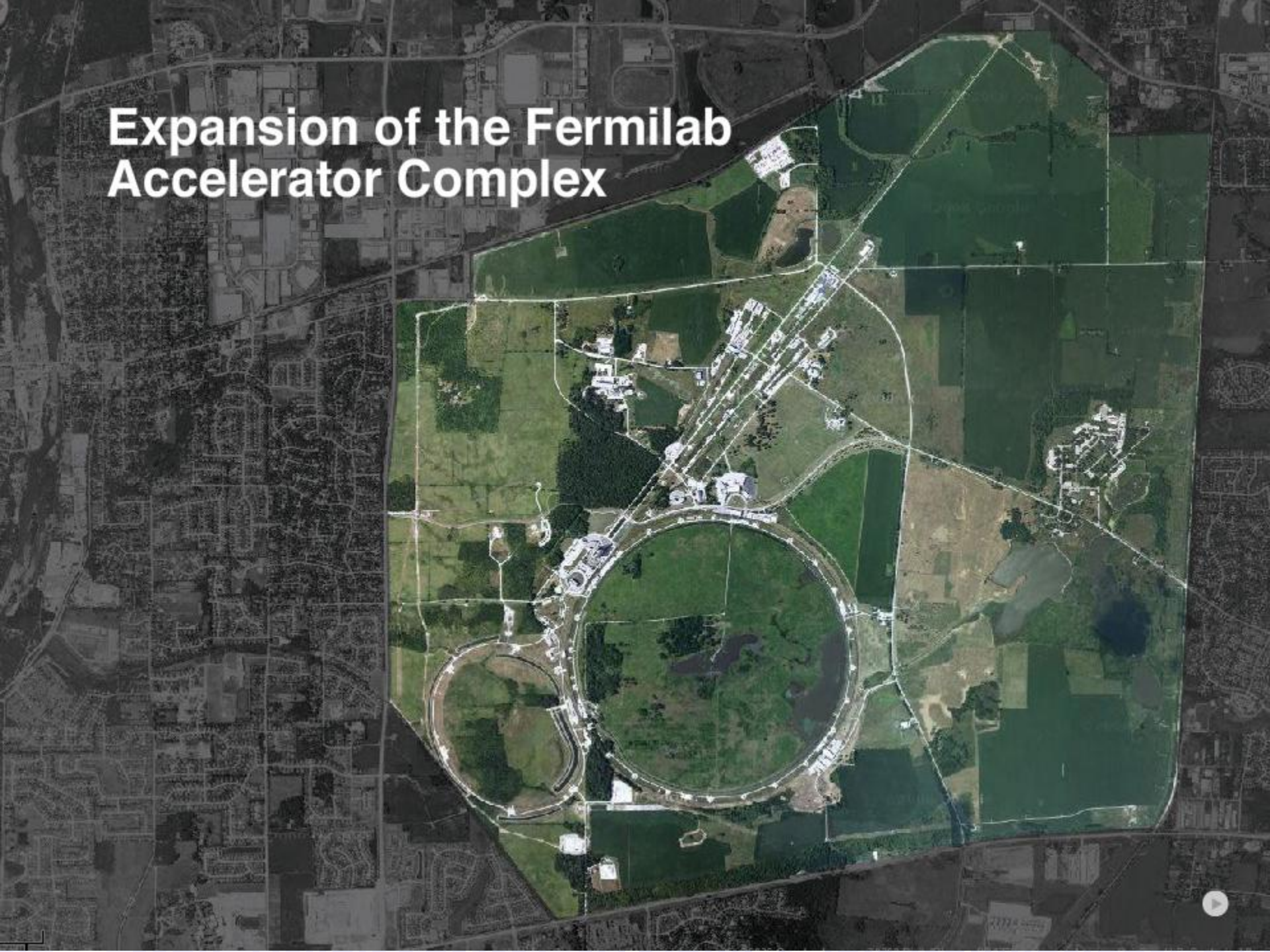
**Neutrinos:** An after-burner for LBNE that reduces the tyranny of (Detector-Mass  $\times$  Running-time) by  $\times 3$ , and a foundation for a Neutrino Factory.

**Rare**

**Processes:** Game-changing beam power and timing flexibility that can support a broad range of particle physics experiments.

**Prospects:** Substantial R&D ongoing now ( $\sim \$25\text{M}/\text{year}$ ) on Superconducting RF accelerator technology supporting Project-X. Earliest construction start of 2015.

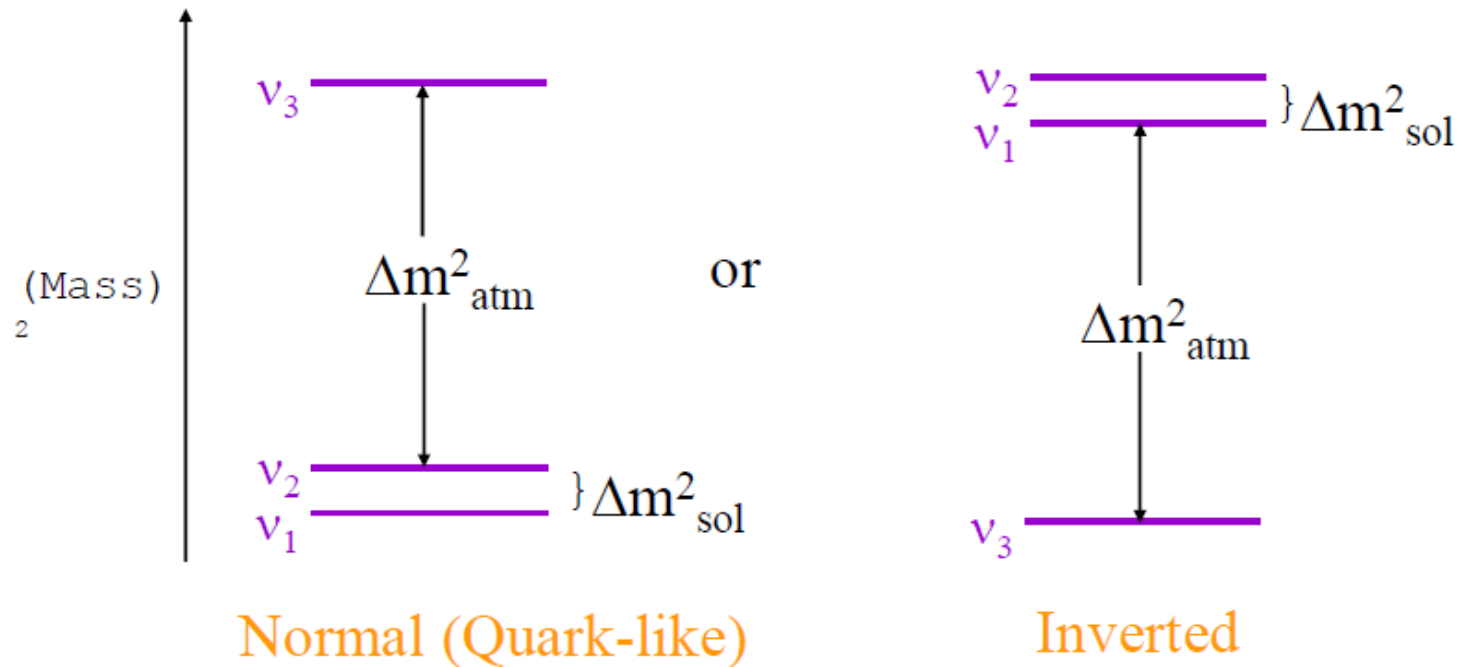
# Expansion of the Fermilab Accelerator Complex



# Spare Slides

# What is Normal?

## The (Mass)<sup>2</sup> Spectrum

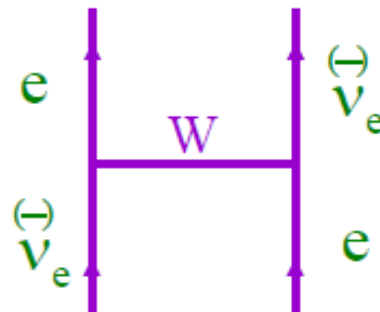


$$\Delta m^2_{\text{sol}} \cong 7.6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2, \quad \Delta m^2_{\text{atm}} \cong 2.4 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$$

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# How To Determine If The Spectrum Is Normal Or Inverted

Exploit the fact that, in matter,



raises the effective mass of  $\nu_e$ , and lowers that of  $\bar{\nu}_e$ .

This leads to —

$$\frac{P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e)}{P(\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e)} \begin{cases} > 1 ; \text{---} \\ < 1 ; \text{---} \end{cases}$$

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# Project-X Initial Configuration Operating Scenario

## 1 $\mu$ sec period at 3 GeV

mu2e pulse (9e7) 162.5 MHz, 100 nsec

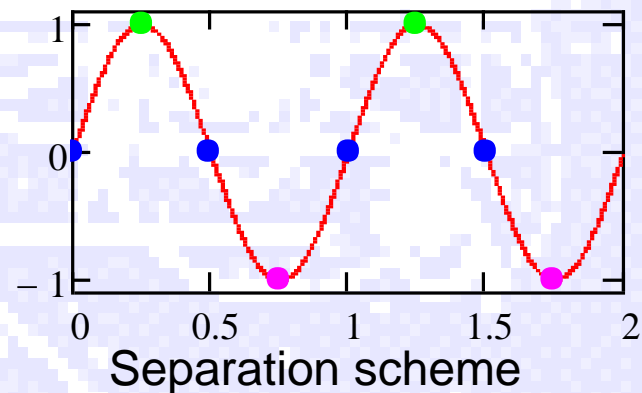
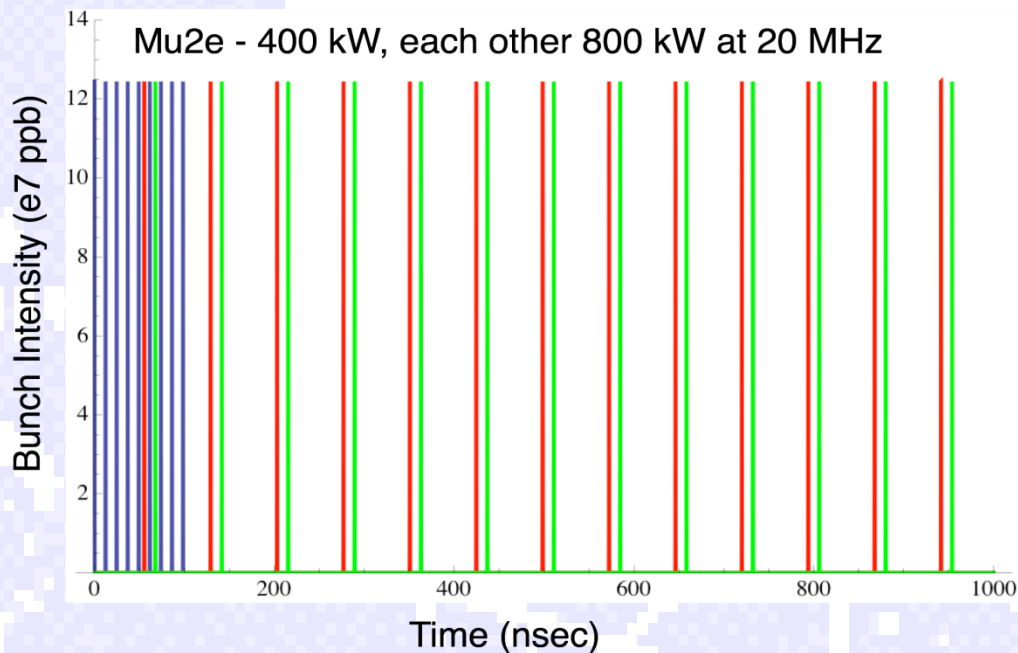
400 kW

Kaon pulse (9e7) 27 MHz

800 kW

Other pulse (9e7) 27 MHz

800 kW



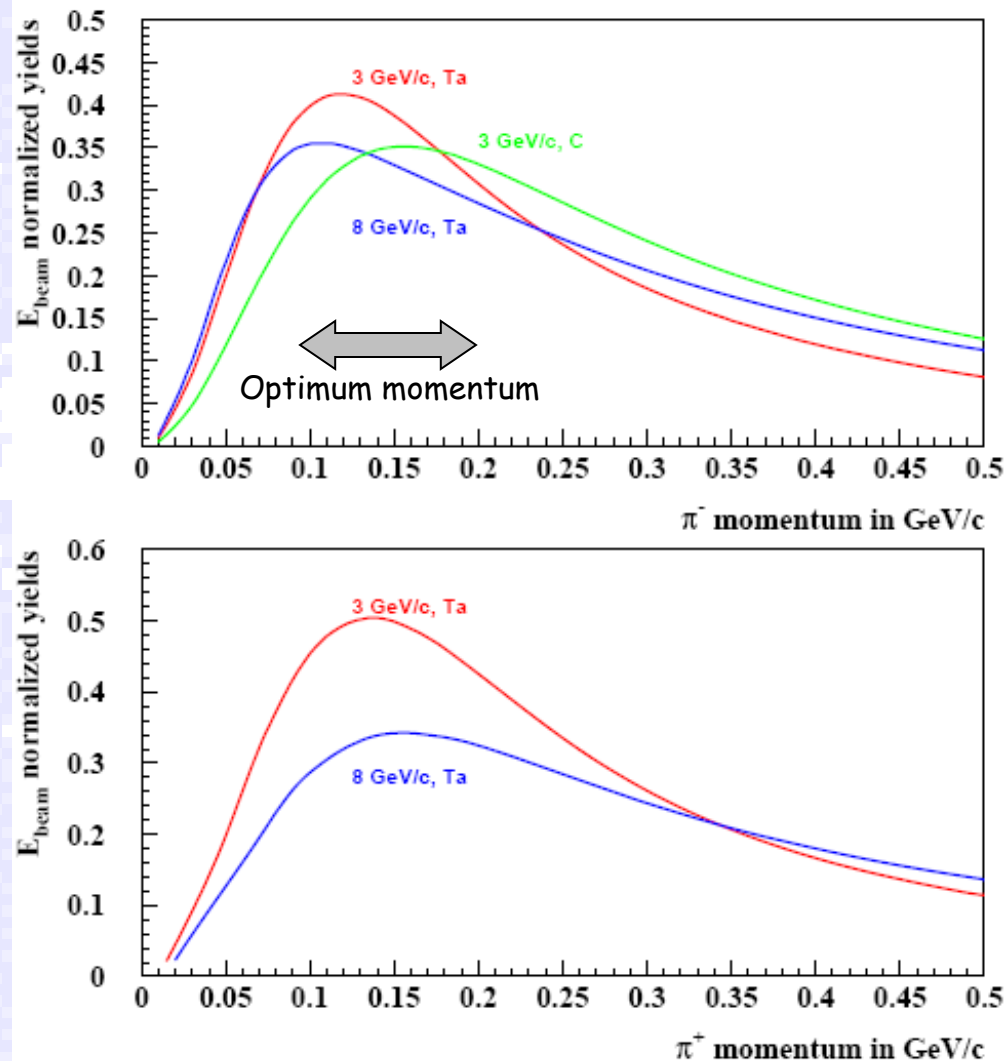


# *High Duty-Factor Proton Beams*

## Why is this important of Rare Processes?

- Experiments that reconstruct an “event” to a particular time from sub-detector elements are intrinsically vulnerable to making mistakes at high instantaneous intensity ( $I$ ). The probability of making a mistake is proportional to  $I^2 \times \delta t$ , where  $\delta t$  is the event resolving time.
- Searching for rare processes requires high intensity.
- Controlling backgrounds means minimizing the instantaneous rate and maximizing the time resolution performance of the experiment.
- This is a common problem for Run-II, LHC, Mu2e, High-School class reunions, etc.

# What is the optimum energy for producing low-energy muons?



LAQGSM/MARS  
simulation  
validated with  
HARP data

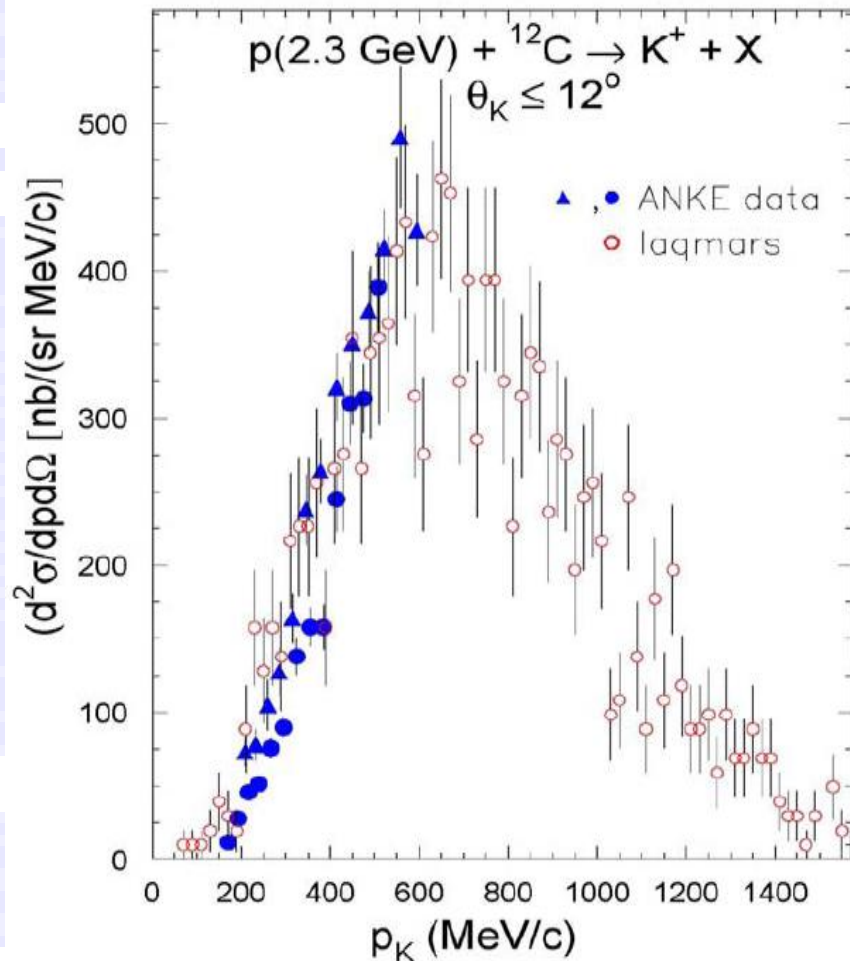
# Sensitivity of Kaon Physics Today

- CERN NA62:  $100 \times 10^{-12}$  measurement sensitivity of  $K^+ \rightarrow e^+ \nu$
- Fermilab KTeV:  $20 \times 10^{-12}$  measurement sensitivity of  $K_L \rightarrow \mu \mu e e$
- Fermilab KTeV:  $20 \times 10^{-12}$  search sensitivity for  $K_L \rightarrow \pi \mu e, \pi \pi \mu e$
- BNL E949:  $20 \times 10^{-12}$  measurement sensitivity of  $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$
- BNL E871:  $1 \times 10^{-12}$  measurement sensitivity of  $K_L \rightarrow e^+ e^-$
- BNL E871:  $1 \times 10^{-12}$  search sensitivity for  $K_L \rightarrow \mu e$

***Probing new physics above a 10 TeV scale with 20-50 kW of protons.***

***Next goal: 1000-event  $\pi \nu \nu$  experiments...  $10^{-14}$  sensitivity.***

# Validating Simulation Tools...



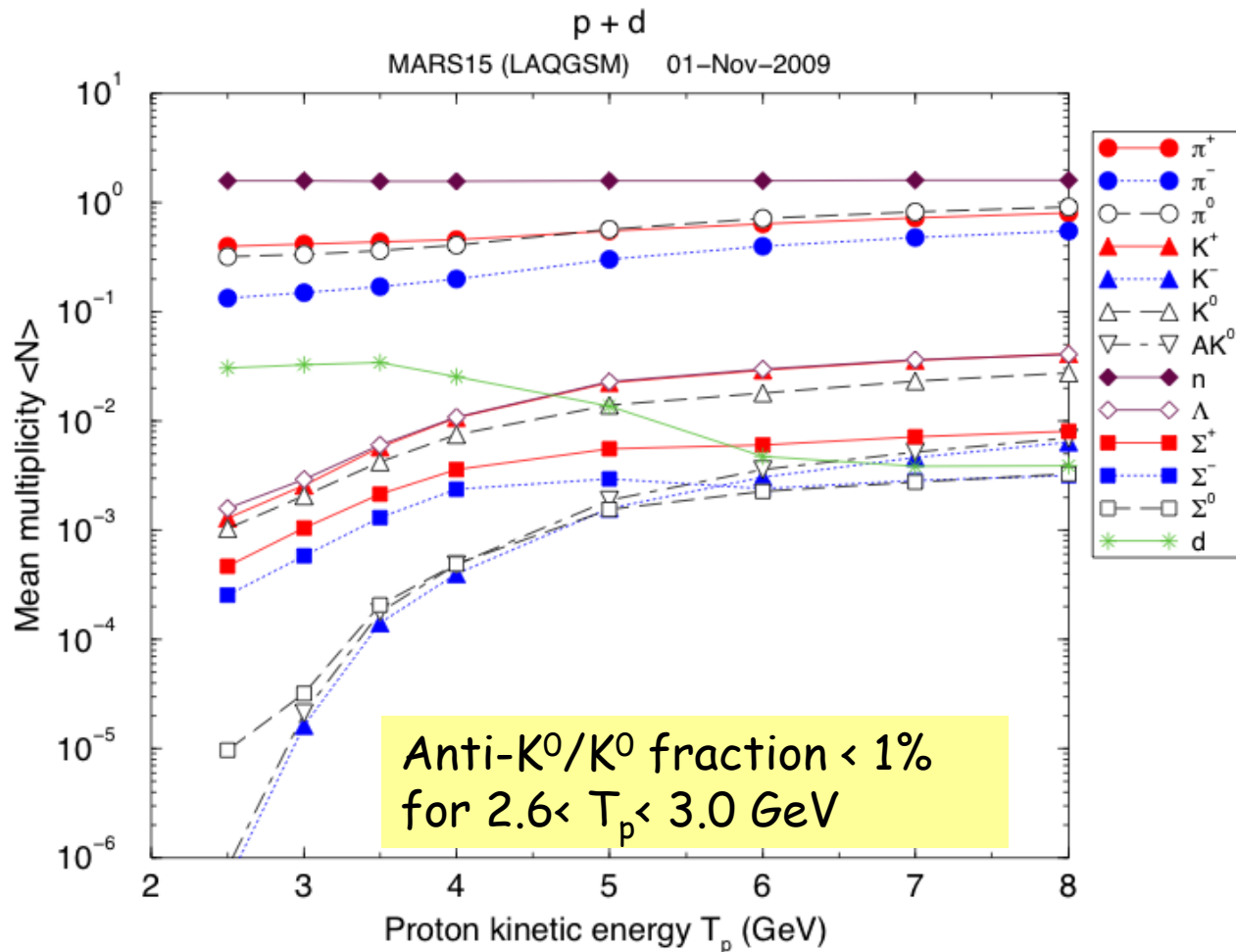
- Los Alamos + MARS simulation suite (LAQGSM + MARS15) is now a state of the art tool set to simulate the challenging region between 1-4 GeV/c proton beam momentum.

[Gudima, Mokhov, Striganov]

- Validated against the high quality data sets from COSY.

- Data shown: Buscher et al (2004) ANKE experiment at COSY, absolutely normalized.

# Project-X is high power, but what about kaon yields??



LAQGSM/MARS-15

# Kaon Yields at Constant Beam Power

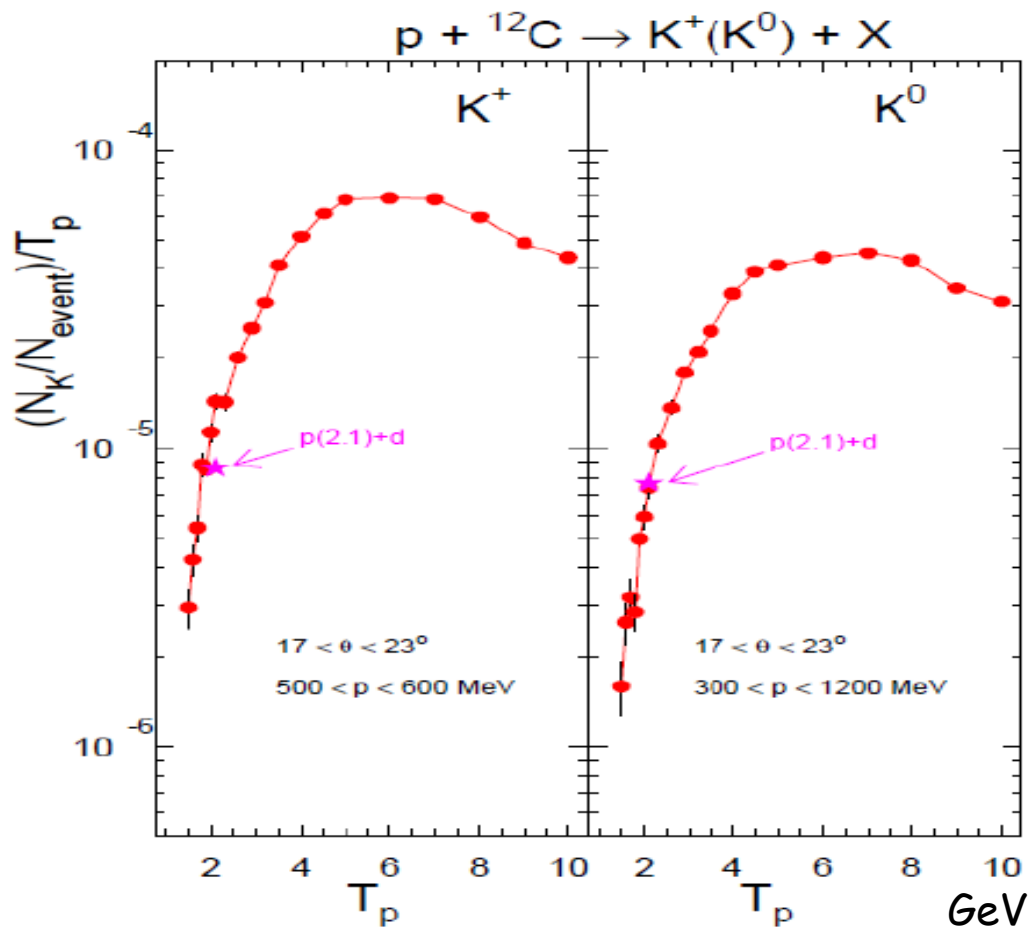


Figure 17: The  $K \rightarrow \pi \nu \bar{\nu}$  experiment (3.2.3.1 and 3.2.3.2)  $K^+$  and  $K_L$  yields at constant beam-power as a function of  $T_p$  (GeV).

# We have been here before: Princeton-Penn Accelerator

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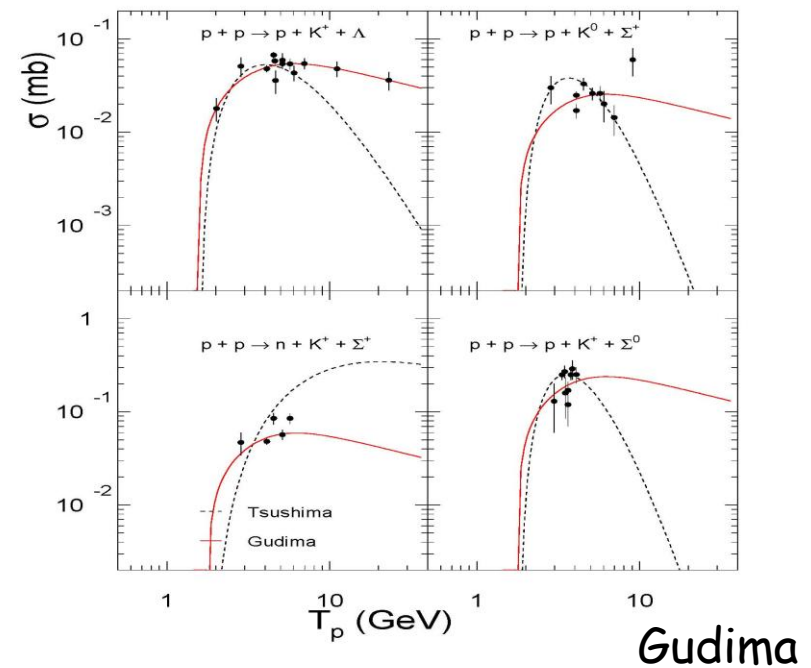
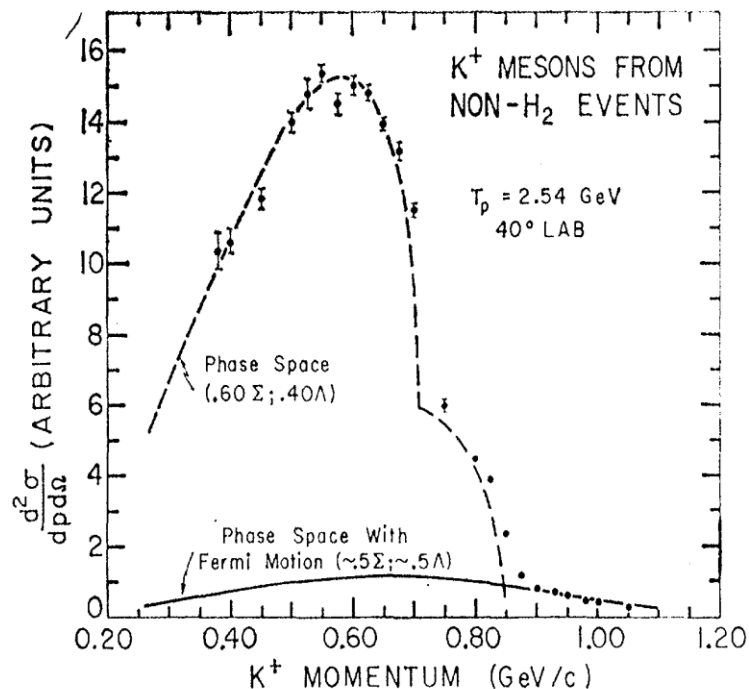
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## $K^+$ -Meson Production in $p$ - $p$ Collisions at 2.5–3.0 GeV\*

W. J. HOGAN,<sup>†</sup> P. A. PIROUÉ, AND A. J. S. SMITH

*Palmer Physical Laboratory, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey*

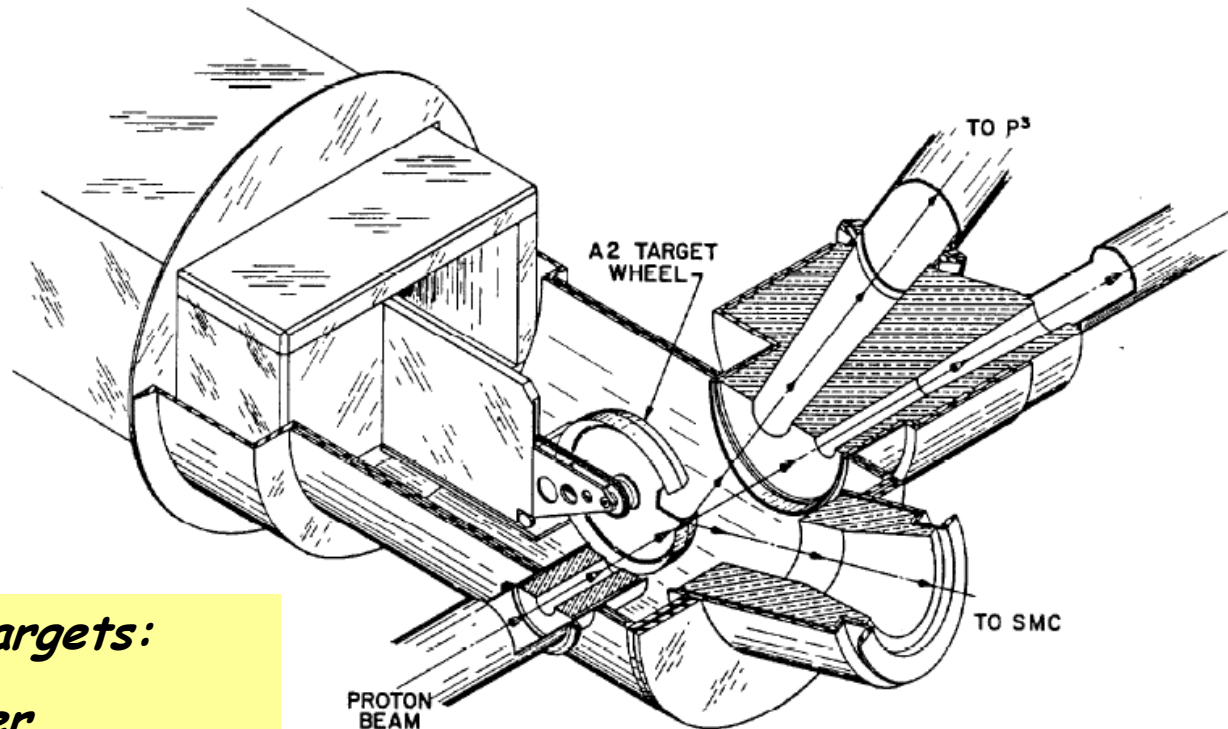
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Project-X proton flux is  $\times 10^8$ - $10^9$  higher than the PPA extracted flux.



# Real Experience with low-energy, low-Z High-power Targets: LANL



*Carbon Targets:*

*High power*

*Low neutron yield*

*Kaon transparency*

# Back down to Earth: The Challenge of Neutrino Experiments

- The currency is:

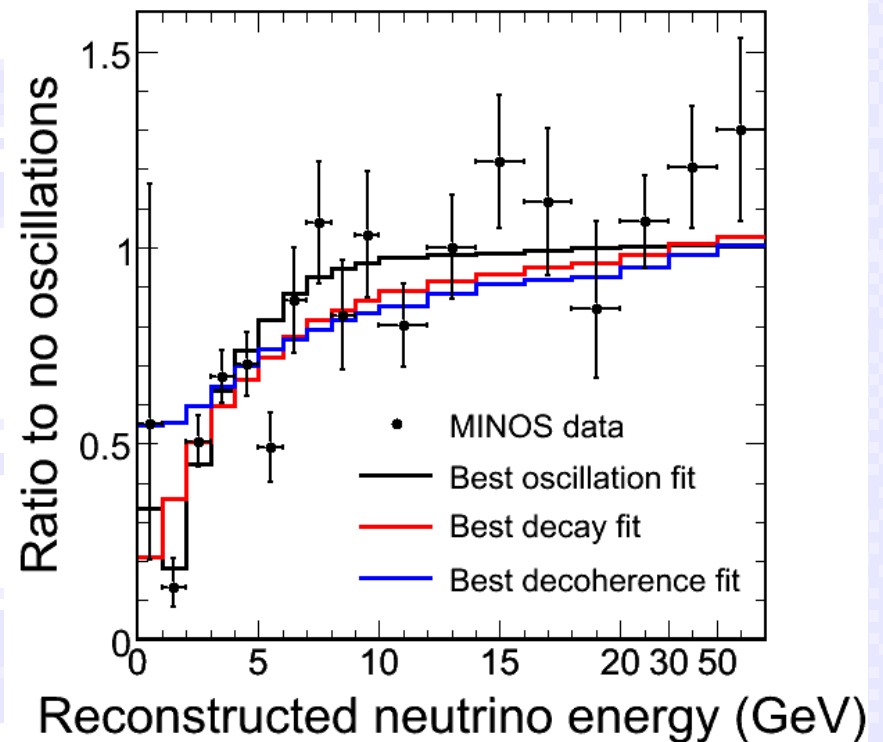
(Beam power)x(Detector Mass)x(Background Rejection)

MINOS is state of the art LB experiment:

Observed 848 events

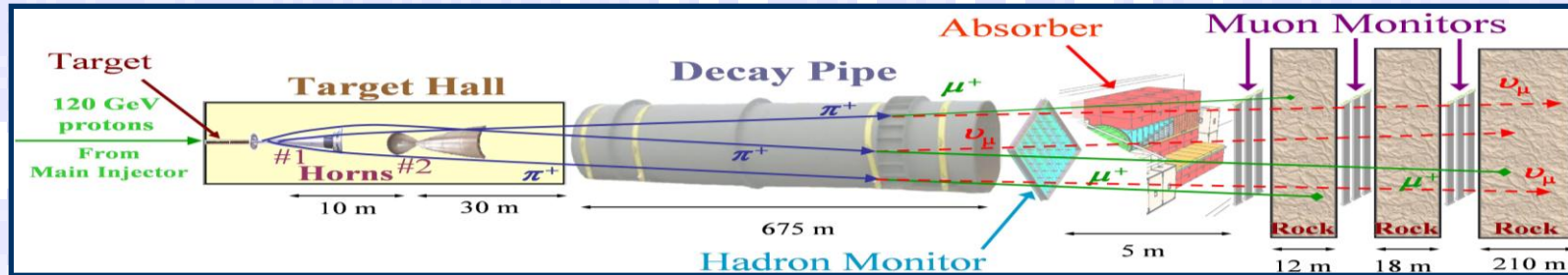
Expect  $1060 \pm 60$  events if no oscillations

- 250 kW of beam power
- 5-kT detector mass
- Nearly 5 years of data



# Why is it Hard? (I)

NuMI (120 GeV protons)



**NOvA 14 kt & deep pit of building in “a” football stadium**

(wire frame of loading dock in black hangs out over the stands by 30 yards)

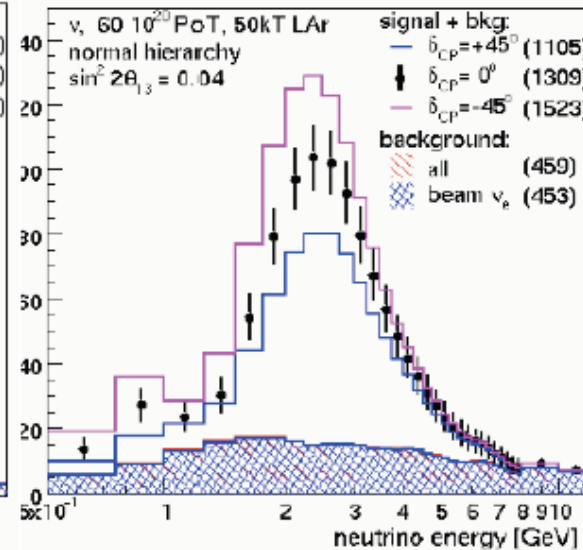
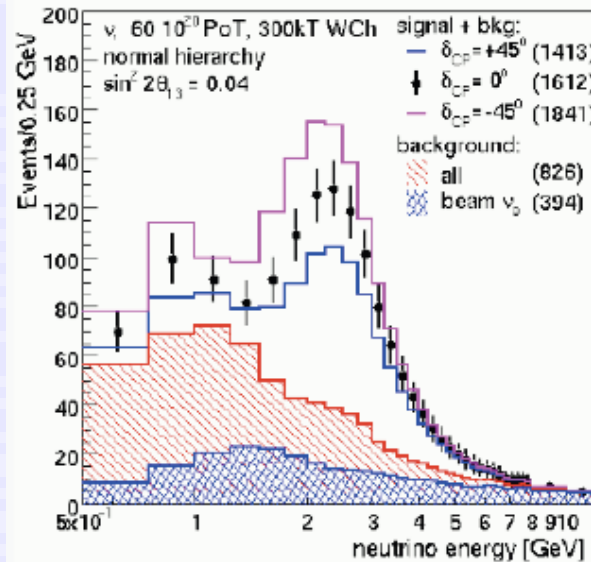


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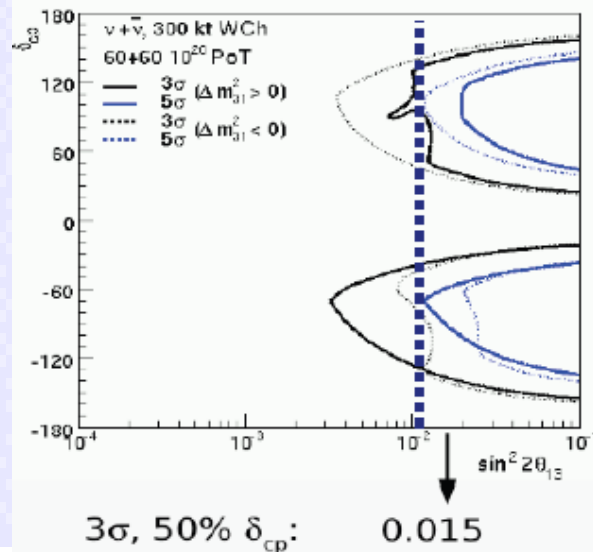
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Water  
Cerenkov:  
(300 kT !!)

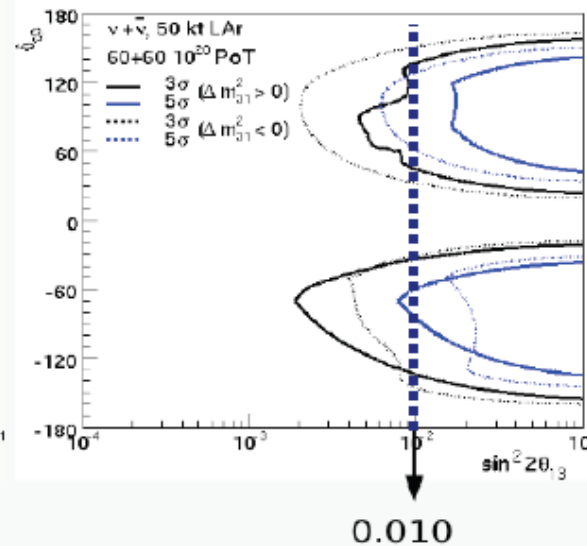
"Established"  
technology  
but higher  
backgrounds.



Liquid  
Argon:  
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"Reach"  
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3 $\sigma$ , 50%  $\delta_{CP}$ : 0.015



0.010

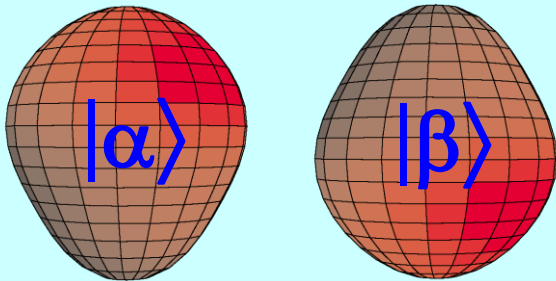
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# Slow Extracted Beam: The Standard Tool to Drive Ultra Rare Decay Experiments

- Techniques developed in the late 1960's to "slow spill" beam from a synchrotron.
- Technique operates at the edge of stability---Betatron oscillations are induced which interact with material in the beam (wire septum) to eject particles from the storage ring beam phase space.
- Technique limited by septum heating & damage, beam losses, and space charge induced instabilities. Works better at higher energies where the beam-power/charge ratio is more favorable.
- Performance milestones:
  - Tevatron 800 GeV FT: 64 kW of SEB in 1997.
  - BNL AGS 24 GeV beam, 50-70 kW of SEB.
- JPARC Goal: 300 kW of SEB someday, a few kW within reach now.



# Spallation neutron yields

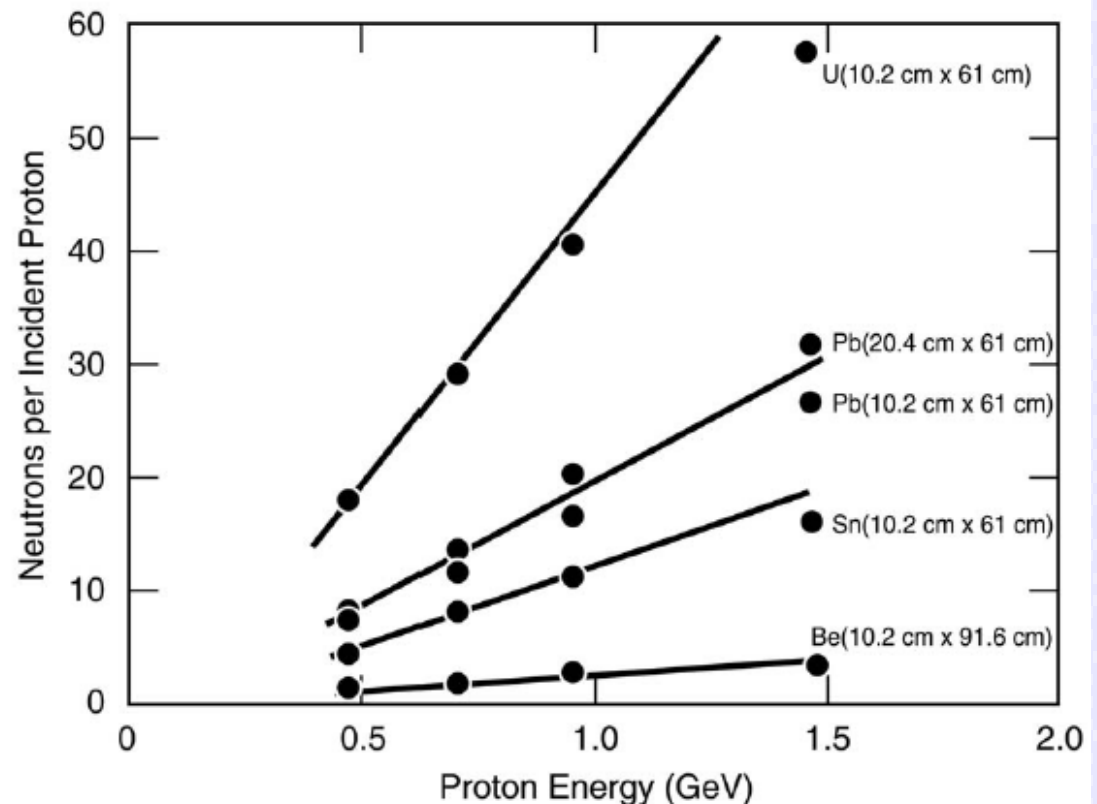
*Measured Spallation Neutron Yield vs. Proton Energy for Various Targets, J. Frazer, et al. (1965)*

Absolute Global  
Neutron Yield

Yield (neutrons/proton)

$= 0.1(E_{\text{GeV}} - 0.12)(A+20)$ ,  
except fissionable materials;

$= 50.(E_{\text{GeV}} - 0.12)$ ,  $^{238}\text{U}$ .



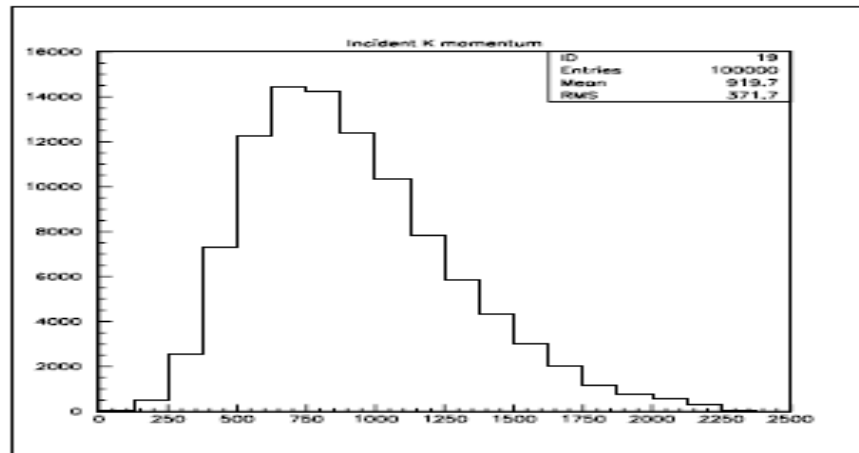
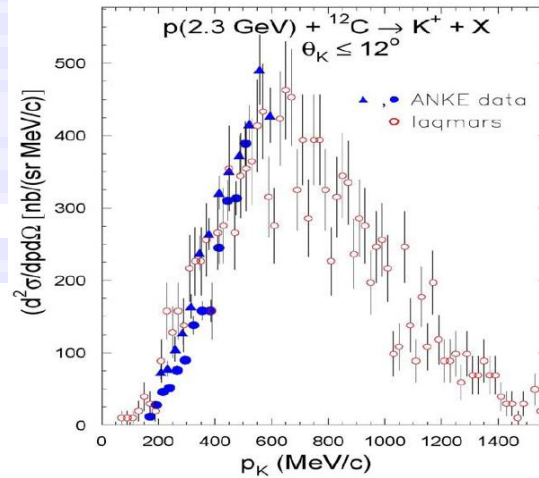
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# Project-X Sensitivity to $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$

	Beam Energy $T_p$	Protons/second (avg) on [target ( $\lambda_I$ )]	$p(K^+)$ (MeV/c)	Stopping $K^+$ /second	$K^+/\pi^+$ Ratio
BNL AGS (E949)	21 GeV	$12 \times 10^{12}$ on $[0.7 \lambda_I \text{ Pt.}]$	700-730	$0.7 \times 10^6$	1:24
Tevatron Stretcher Initiative [K.7]	150 GeV	$3.6 \times 10^{12}$ on $[1.1 \lambda_I \text{ Pt.}]$	530-570	$(3-5) \times 10^6$	1:20
ICD-2 $K^+$ expt	2.6 GeV	$1/3 \times 6000 \times 10^{12}$ on $[1.0 \lambda_I \text{ C}]$	530-570	$43 \times 10^6$	1:120

**Table 4:** Compares the measured rate of stopping  $K^+$  in the BNL-E949 experiment with full LAQGSM/MARS thick-target simulations for stopping rates in the Tevatron Stretcher Initiative and an identical beamline and stopping target with 1/3 of the ICD-2 beam power.

# KOPIO-AGS and Project-X kaon momentum spectra comparison



KOPIO  
Proposal

Figure 13:  $K_L^0$  spectrum incident on KOPIO decay volume.

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# After Mu2e, what does more beam power buy you?

- Current Mu2e detector design is rate limited at about 25kW of beam power. Faster detector elements can marginally improve the situation...gains are limited.
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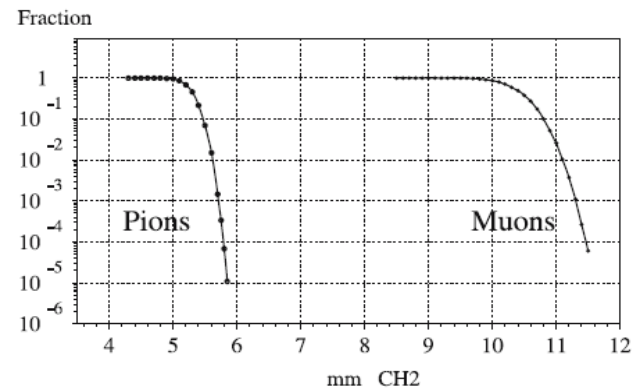
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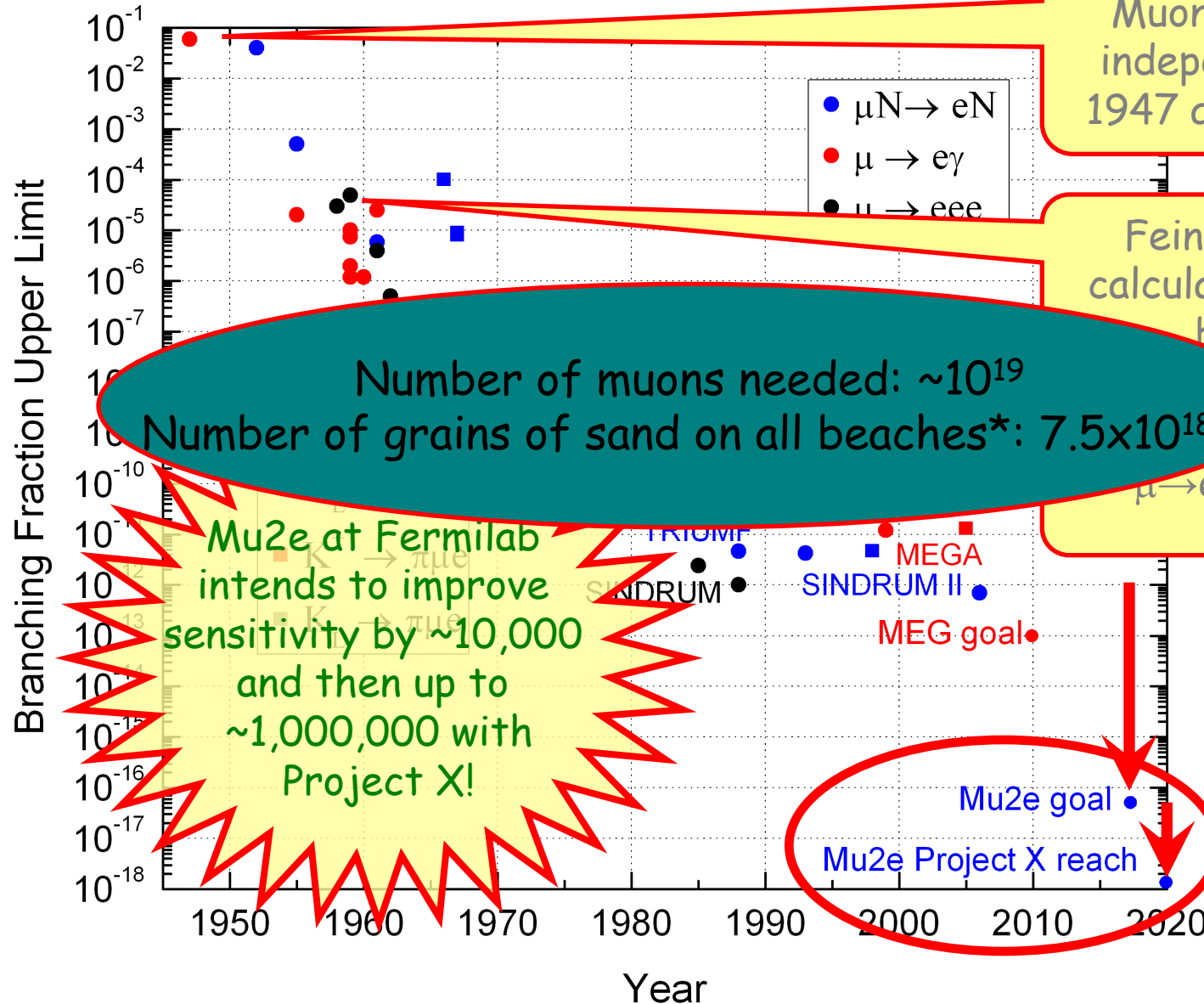
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**Fig. 1.** Fraction of pions and muons with a momentum of 52 MeV/c that cross a CH<sub>2</sub> moderator as a function of the moderator thickness. GEANT [23] simulation

# History of Lepton Flavor Violation Searches



Muon established as independent lepton in 1947 as  $\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$  not seen

Feinberg 1958 loop calculation:  $\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$  must be  $10^{-4}$ - $10^{-5}$

Observation of  $\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$  implies two neutrinos!

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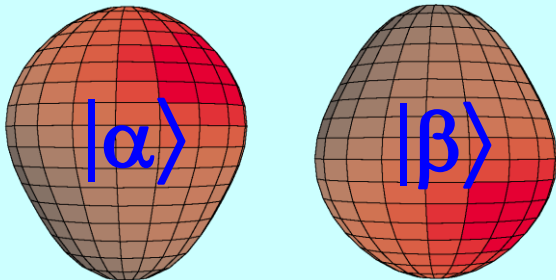


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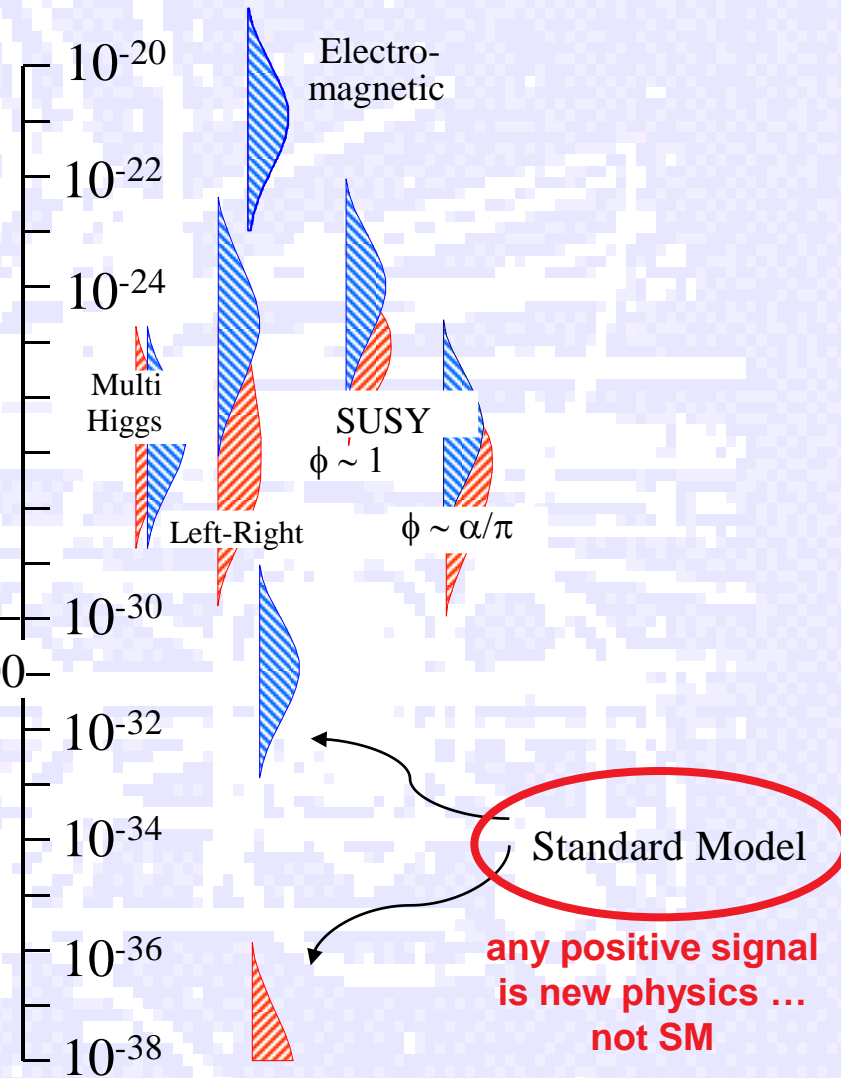
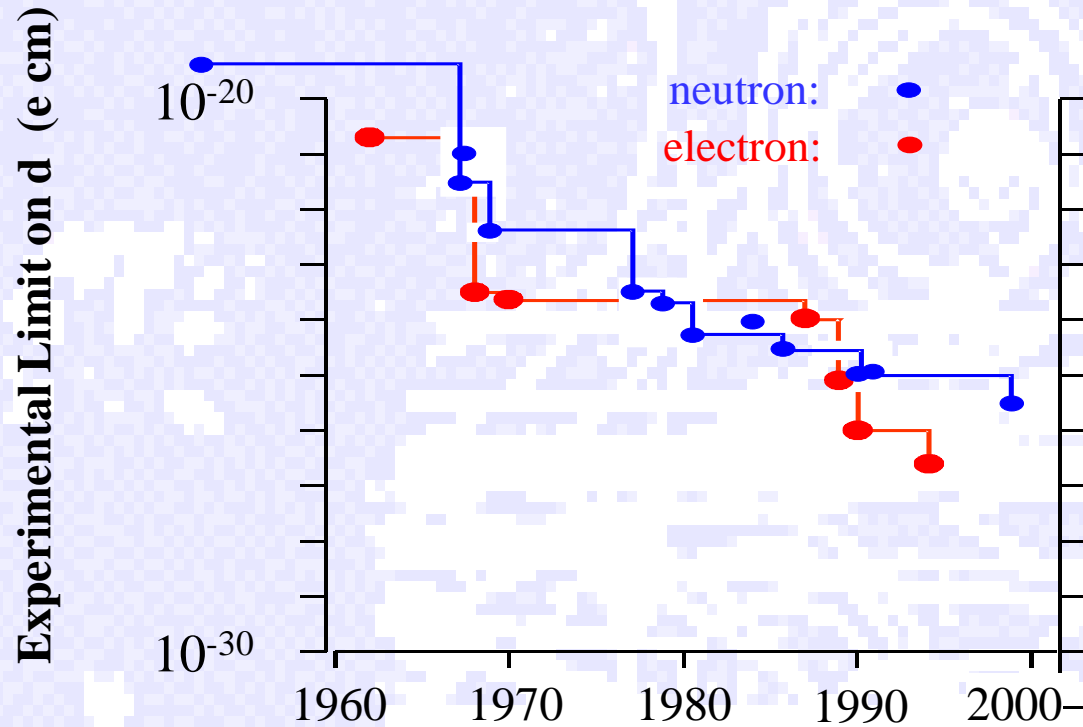
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# EDM measurements: BSM slayers

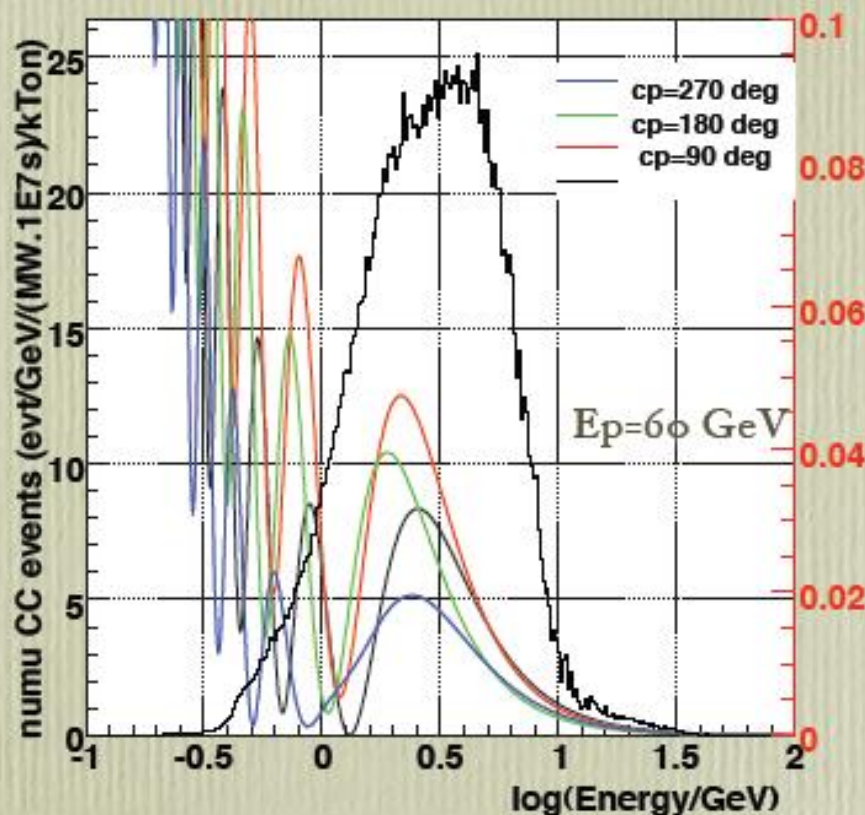


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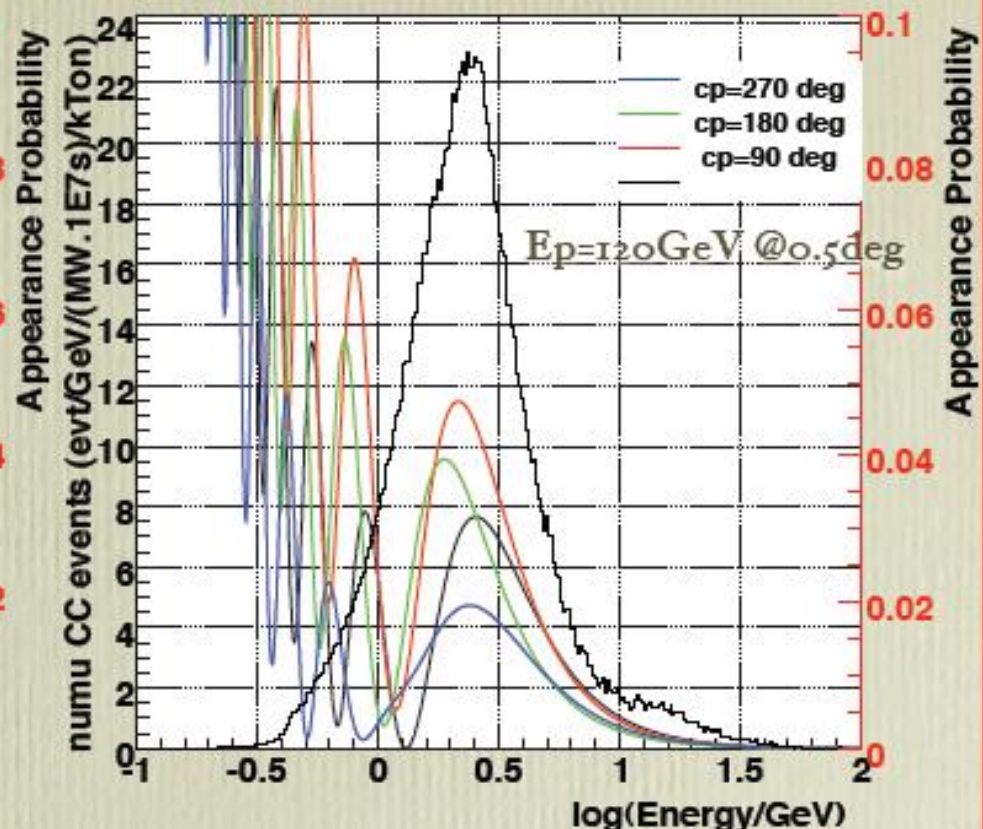
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# Spectra FNAL to DUSEL (WBLE:wide band low energy)

numu cc (param) 1300km / 0km



numu cc (param) 1300km / 12km



- 60 GeV at 0deg: CCrate: 14 per (kT\*10<sup>20</sup> POT)
- 120 GeV at 0.5deg: CCrate: 17 per(kT\*10<sup>20</sup>POT)

Work of M. Bishai and B. Viren using NuMI simulation tools