

# Background control strategies in the JUNO experiment

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- JUNO: a massive underground neutrino observatory**

- Determination of the neutrino mass ordering
- 20 ktons of liquid scintillator detector
- Excellent energy resolution (3% @1 MeV)

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- Extremely low accidental background required**

- Detector material screening for low U-Th-K concentration

- Use of different measurement techniques to certify the detector components**

- HPGE spectroscopy, ICP-MS, NAA
- Dedicated system and techniques have been developed for liquid scintillator radiopurity certification (requirements  $< 10^{-15}$  g/g for U, Th, K)

- Monte Carlo simulations are performed to evaluate the different background contributions**

- Cross validation with independent codes
- Estimation of the background singles rate and accidental coincidence count rate



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