

Kinematical Phase:

$$\delta m_{\odot}^2 = 8.0 \times 10^{-5} eV^2$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_{\odot} = 0.31$$

$$\Delta_{\odot} = \frac{\delta m_{\odot}^2 L}{4E} = 1.27 \frac{8 \times 10^{-5} eV^2 \cdot 1.5 \times 10^{11} m}{0.1-10 MeV}$$

$$\Delta_{\odot} \approx 10^{7 \pm 1}$$

**Effectively Incoherent !!!**

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Vacuum  $\nu_e$  Survival Probability:

$$\langle P_{ee} \rangle = f_1 \cos^2 \theta_\odot + f_2 \sin^2 \theta_\odot$$

where  $f_1$  and  $f_2$  are the fraction of  $\nu_1$  and  $\nu_2$  at production.

In vacuum  $f_1 = \cos^2 \theta_\odot$  and  $f_2 = \sin^2 \theta_\odot$ .

Note energy independence.

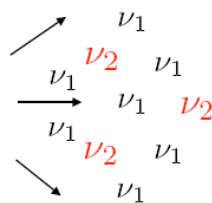
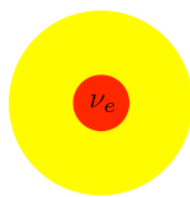
$$\langle P_{ee} \rangle = \cos^4 \theta_\odot + \sin^4 \theta_\odot = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 2\theta_\odot$$

for pp and  ${}^7\text{Be}$  this is approximately THE ANSWER.

$f_1 \sim 69\%$  and  $f_2 \sim 31\%$  and  $\langle P_{ee} \rangle \approx 0.6$

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pp and  ${}^7\text{Be}$



$f_1 \sim 69\%$

$f_2 \sim 31\%$

$$\langle P_{ee} \rangle \approx 0.6$$

$f_3 = \sin^2 \theta_{13} < 4\%$

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${}^8B$

$f_2 \sim 90\%$

$f_1 \sim 10\%$

$\langle P_{ee} \rangle = \sin^2 \theta + f_1 \cos 2\theta_{\odot} \approx \sin^2 \theta_{\odot} = 0.31$

Wow!!! How did that happen???

energy dependence!!!

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What about  ${}^8B$  ?

SNO's CC/NC

CC:  $\nu_e + d \rightarrow e^- + p + p$

NC :  $\nu_x + d \rightarrow \nu_x + p + n$

ES:  $\nu_{\alpha} + e^- \rightarrow \nu_{\alpha} + e^-$

$\frac{CC}{NC} = \langle P_{ee} \rangle = f_1 \cos^2 \theta_{\odot} + f_2 \sin^2 \theta_{\odot}$

$f_1 = \left( \frac{CC}{NC} - \sin^2 \theta_{\odot} \right) / \cos 2\theta_{\odot}$

$= (0.35 - 0.31) / 0.4 \approx 10 \pm ???\%$

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**Coherent Forward Scattering:**

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**MATTER EFFECTS CHANGE THE NEUTRINO MASSES AND MIXINGS**

Mikheyev + Smirnov Resonance WIN '85

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**Neutrino Evolution:**

$$-i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \nu = H \nu$$

in the mass eigenstate basis

$$\nu = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } H = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{p^2 + m_1^2} & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{p^2 + m_2^2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$E = \sqrt{p^2 + m^2}$$

$$H = \left( p + \frac{m_1^2 + m_2^2}{4p} \right) I + \frac{1}{4E} \begin{pmatrix} -\delta m^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \delta m^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\delta m^2 = m_2^2 - m_1^2 > 0$$

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in the flavor basis

$$\nu \rightarrow U\nu \text{ and } H \rightarrow UHU^\dagger$$

$$\text{where } \nu = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\sigma \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } U = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_\odot & \sin \theta_\odot \\ -\sin \theta_\odot & \cos \theta_\odot \end{pmatrix}$$

and therefore in flavor basis

$$0 < \theta_\odot < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

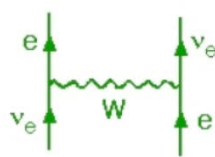
$$H = \frac{\delta m^2}{4E} \begin{pmatrix} -\cos 2\theta_\odot & \sin 2\theta_\odot \\ \sin 2\theta_\odot & \cos 2\theta_\odot \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \begin{pmatrix} E_1 & 0 \\ 0 & E_2 \end{pmatrix}_{mass} \Rightarrow \frac{\delta m^2}{4E} \begin{pmatrix} -\cos 2\theta_\odot & \sin 2\theta_\odot \\ \sin 2\theta_\odot & \cos 2\theta_\odot \end{pmatrix}_{flavor}$$

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### Coherent Forward Scattering:

$$\text{dimensions } [G_F N_e] = M^{-2}L^{-3} = M$$

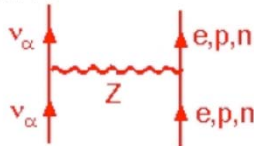


$$\pm \sqrt{2} G_F N_e \delta_{ee}$$

$N_e$  is number density of electrons

+(-) for neutrinos (anti-neutrinos)

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Same for all active flavors, therefore overall phases

$$\begin{pmatrix} +\sqrt{2}G_F N_e & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \frac{G_F N_e}{\sqrt{2}} I_2 + \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} +\sqrt{2}G_F N_e & 0 \\ 0 & -\sqrt{2}G_F N_e \end{pmatrix}$$

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Including Matter Effects in the Flavor Basis:

$$H_{flavor} = \frac{1}{4E\nu} \begin{pmatrix} -\delta m^2 \cos 2\theta_{\odot} + 2\sqrt{2}G_F N_e E\nu & \delta m^2 \sin 2\theta_{\odot} \\ \delta m^2 \sin 2\theta_{\odot} & \delta m^2 \cos 2\theta_{\odot} - 2\sqrt{2}G_F N_e E\nu \end{pmatrix}$$

Diagonalize by identifying with

$$H_{flavor} = \frac{1}{4E\nu} \begin{pmatrix} -\delta m_N^2 \cos 2\theta_{\odot}^N & \delta m_N^2 \sin 2\theta_{\odot}^N \\ \delta m_N^2 \sin 2\theta_{\odot}^N & \delta m_N^2 \cos 2\theta_{\odot}^N \end{pmatrix}$$

Masses and Mixings in MATTER:  $\delta m_N^2$  and  $\theta_{\odot}^N$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta m_N^2 \cos 2\theta_{\odot}^N &= \delta m^2 \cos 2\theta_{\odot} - 2\sqrt{2}G_F N_e E\nu \\ \delta m_N^2 \sin 2\theta_{\odot}^N &= \delta m^2 \sin 2\theta_{\odot} \end{aligned}$$

Notice:

- (1) Possible zero when  $\delta m^2 \cos 2\theta_{\odot} = 2\sqrt{2}G_F N_e E\nu$
- (2) the invariance of the product  $\delta m^2 \sin 2\theta_{\odot}$

$\nu_e$  disappearance in Looong Block of Lead:

$$1 - P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e) = \sin^2 2\theta_{\odot}^N \sin^2 \Delta_N$$

$$\Delta_N = \frac{\delta m_N^2 L}{4E}$$

same form as vacuum

The Solution:

$$\delta m_N^2 = \sqrt{(\delta m^2 \cos 2\theta_\odot - 2\sqrt{2}G_F N_e E_\nu)^2 + (\delta m^2 \sin 2\theta_\odot)^2}$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_\odot^N = \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{(\delta m^2 \cos 2\theta_\odot - 2\sqrt{2}G_F N_e E_\nu)}{\delta m_N^2} \right) \quad \theta_\odot^N > \theta_\odot$$

Quasi-Vacuum:  $2\sqrt{2}G_F N_e E_\nu \ll \delta m^2 \cos 2\theta_\odot$  pp and  ${}^7\text{Be}$

$$\delta m_N^2 = \delta m^2 \text{ and } \theta_\odot^N = \theta_\odot$$

Resonance (Mikheyev + Smirnov '85):  $2\sqrt{2}G_F N_e E_\nu = \delta m^2 \cos 2\theta_\odot$

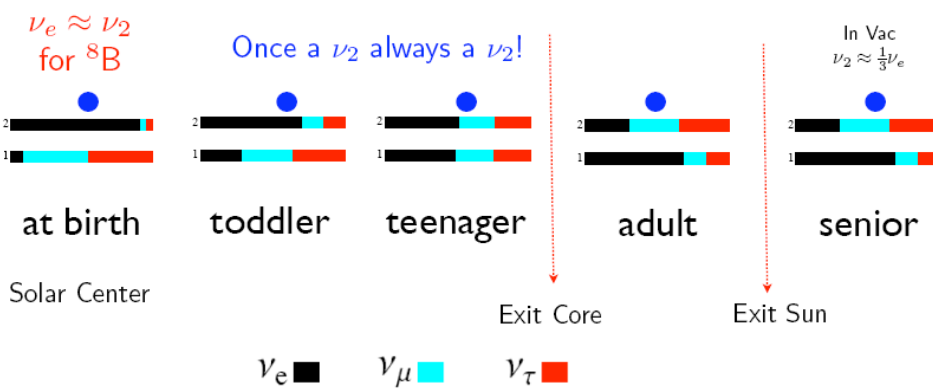
$$\delta m_N^2 = \delta m^2 \sin 2\theta_\odot \text{ and } \theta_\odot^N = \pi/4$$

Matter Dominated:  $2\sqrt{2}G_F N_e E_\nu \gg \delta m^2 \cos 2\theta_\odot$

$$01/10/2015 \quad \delta m_N^2 \rightarrow 2\sqrt{2}G_F N_e E_\nu \text{ and } \theta_\odot^N \rightarrow \pi/2$$

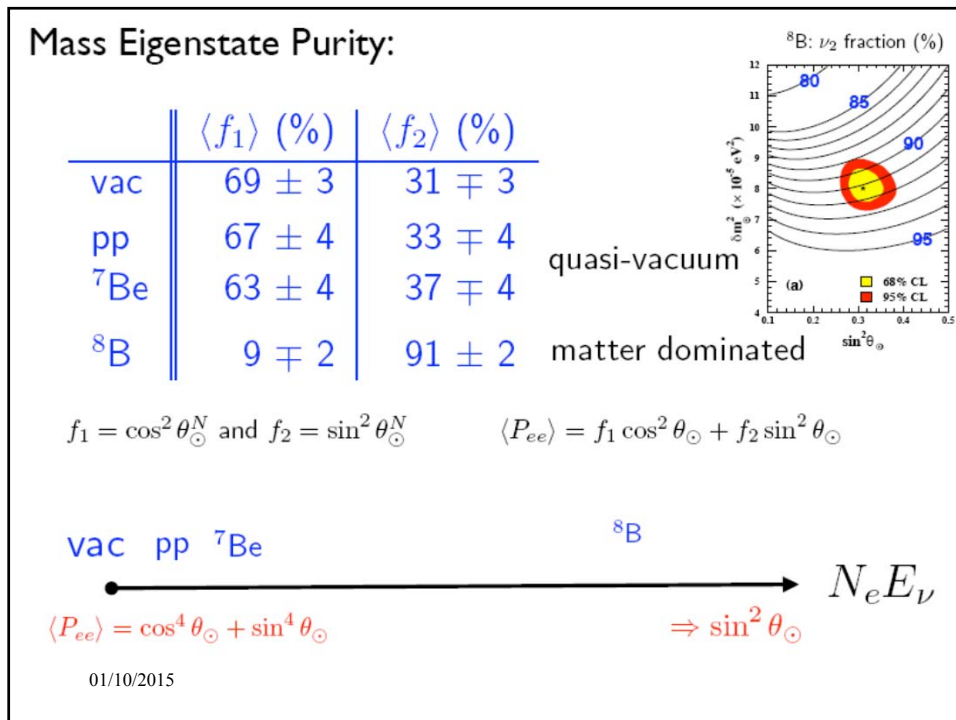
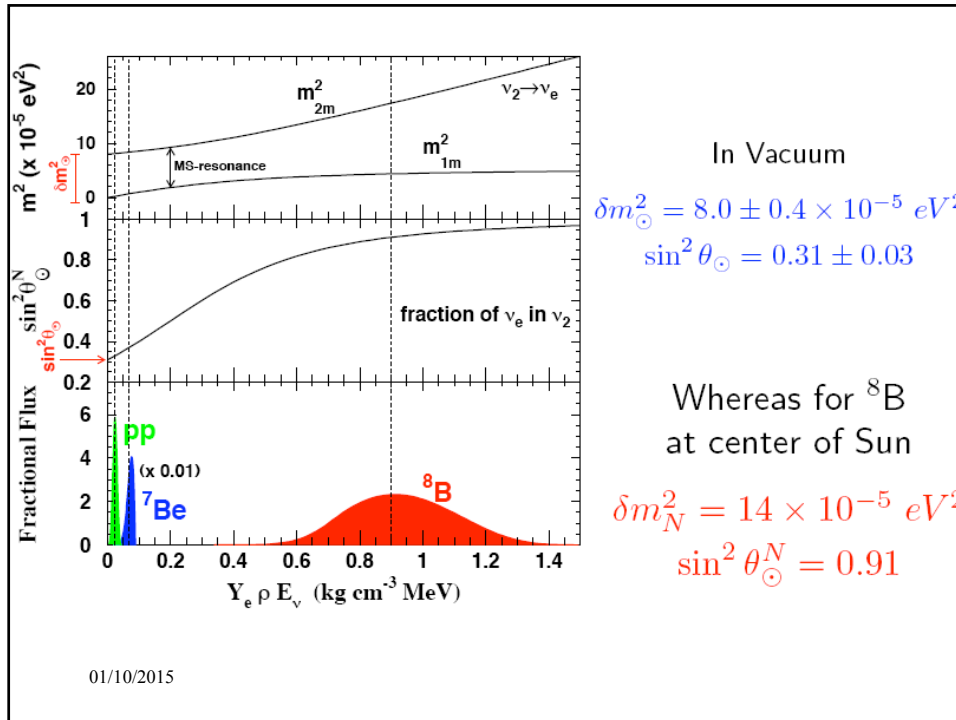
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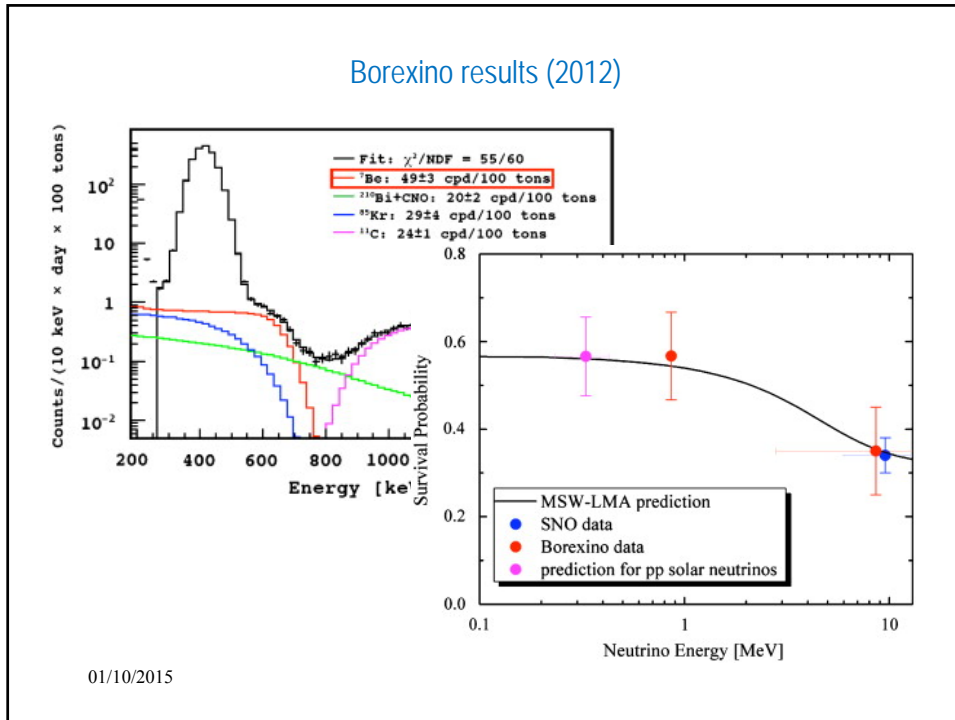
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### Solar Pair Mass Hierarchy:

Neutrino Mass Squared

Fractional Flavor Content

$\theta_{\odot} < \pi/4$

$\theta_{\odot} > \pi/4$

$\nu_e$   $\nu_{\mu}$   $\nu_{\tau}$

$\Delta m_{\text{sol}}^2$

Who cares ?  
SNO does !!!

for neutrino in matter  
 $\theta_{\odot}^N > \theta_{\odot}$

$$\langle P_{ee} \rangle = \cos^2 \theta_{\odot}^N \cos^2 \theta_{\odot} + \sin^2 \theta_{\odot}^N \sin^2 \theta_{\odot} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta_{\odot}^N \cos 2\theta_{\odot} \sqrt{2G_F N_e E_{\nu}}$$

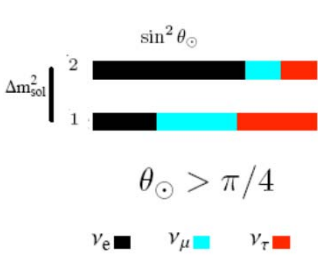
if  $\theta_{\odot} < \pi/4$   $\langle P_{ee} \rangle \geq \sin^2 \theta_{\odot}$

if  $\theta_{\odot} > \pi/4$   $\langle P_{ee} \rangle \geq \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos^2 2\theta_{\odot}) \geq \frac{1}{2}$

SNO:  $\langle P_{ee} \rangle_{\text{day}} = 0.347 \pm 0.038$

**Solar Hierarchy Determined !!!**

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$\sin^2 \theta_{\odot}$

$\theta_{\odot} > \pi/4$

$\nu_e$  ■    $\nu_{\mu}$  ■    $\nu_{\tau}$  ■

Solar matter effects put more of the neutrino into  $\nu_2$ .  
 This raises the survival probability above vacuum value since  $\nu_2$  has more  $\nu_e$ .  
 But the minimum of  $P_{ee}$  in vacuum is  $1/2$ .

For this hierarchy  $P_{ee}^{matter} \geq P_{ee}^{vac} \geq 1/2$   
 But  $P_{ee}^{SNO} = 0.347 \pm 0.038 < 1/2$

This solar hierarchy EXCLUDED !!!

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Day/Night Asymmetry:

$\sin^2 \theta_{\odot} \rightarrow \sin^2 \theta_{\oplus} = \sin^2 \theta_{\odot} + \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 2\theta_{\odot} \left( \frac{A_{\oplus}}{\delta m_{\odot}^2} \right)$  in the earth.

A=2(D-N)/(D+N) expected to be few %

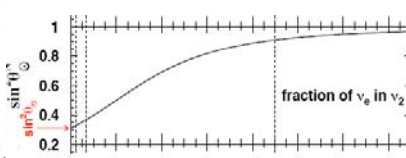
	Amplitude fit		separate D, N:
	$\Delta m$	$\Delta m$	(D-N)/(D+N)/2
SK-I	-2.0±1.8±1.0%	-1.9±1.7±1.0%	-2.1±2.0±1.3%
SK-II	-4.4±3.8±1.0%	-4.4±3.6±1.0%	-5.5±4.2±3.7%
SK-III	-4.2±2.7±0.7%	-3.8±2.6±0.7%	-5.9±3.2±1.3%
SK-IV	-3.6±1.6±0.6%	-3.3±1.5±0.6%	-4.9±1.8±1.4%
comb	-3.3±1.0±0.5%	-3.1±1.0±0.5%	-4.1±1.2±0.8%
non-zero signif.	3.0σ	2.8σ	2.8σ

Spectral Distortion:

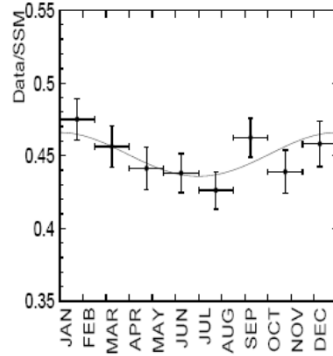
A characteristic of matter effects is that the Fraction of  $\nu_2$  is energy dependent .

Smaller at smaller E.

Implies an increase in  $P_{ee}$  near threshold.



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The neutrinos definitely come from the Sun, expected seasonal variation, no spectral distortion and no significant day-night asymmetry

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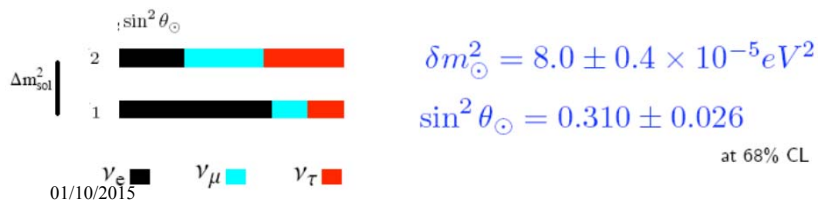
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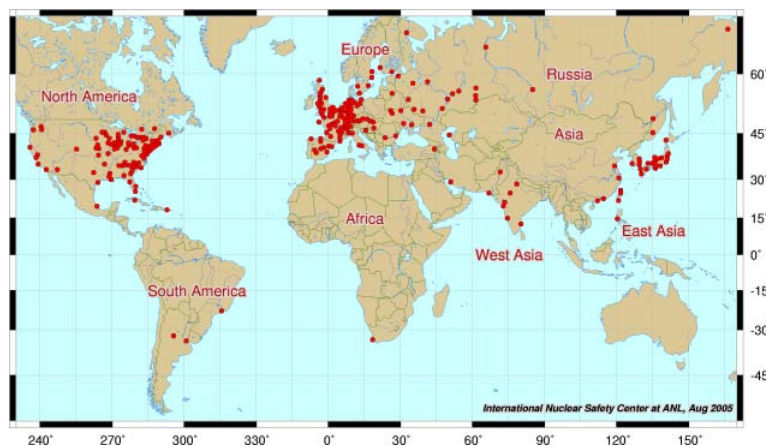
### Testing solar neutrino oscillations with reactors

$$1 - P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e) = \sin^2 2\theta_{\odot} \sin^2 \Delta$$

$$\Delta = \frac{10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2}{4E} L \quad \begin{matrix} 10^5 \text{ m} = 100 \text{ km} \\ 1 \text{ MeV} \end{matrix}$$

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### Reactor Neutrinos



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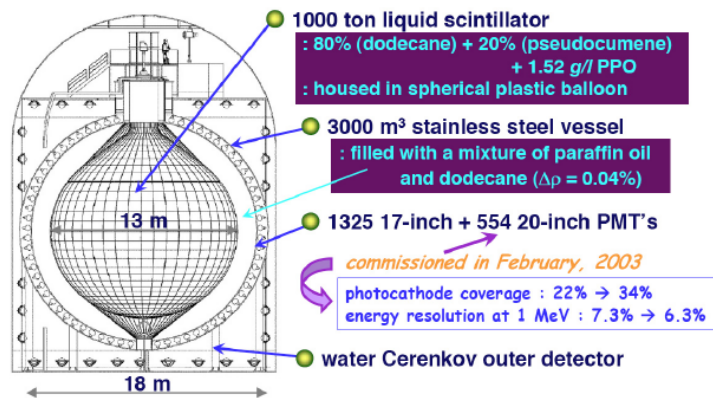


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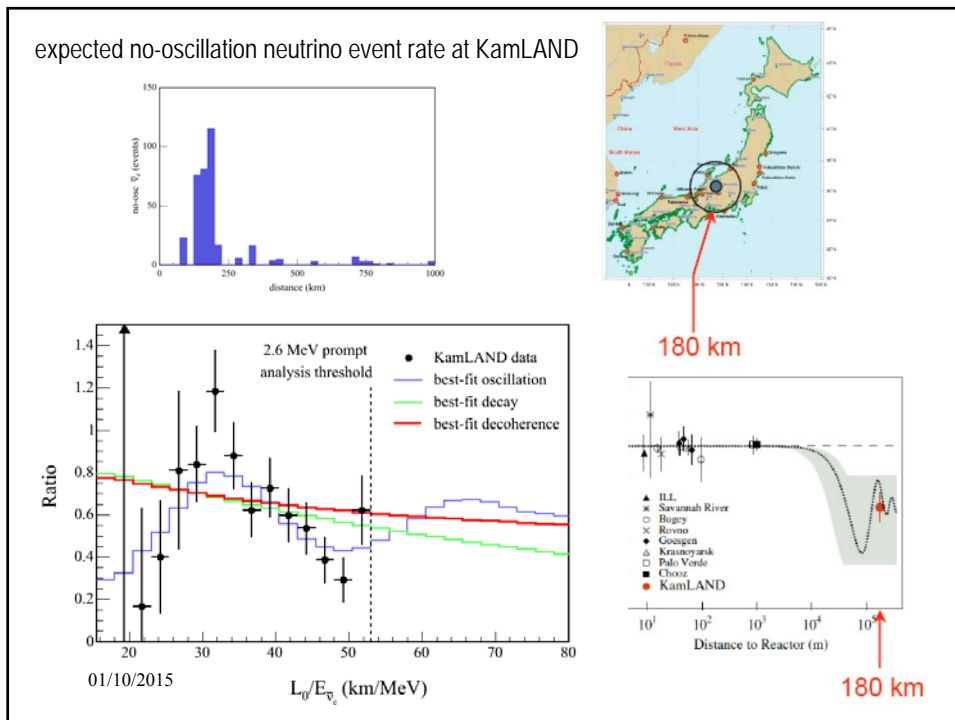
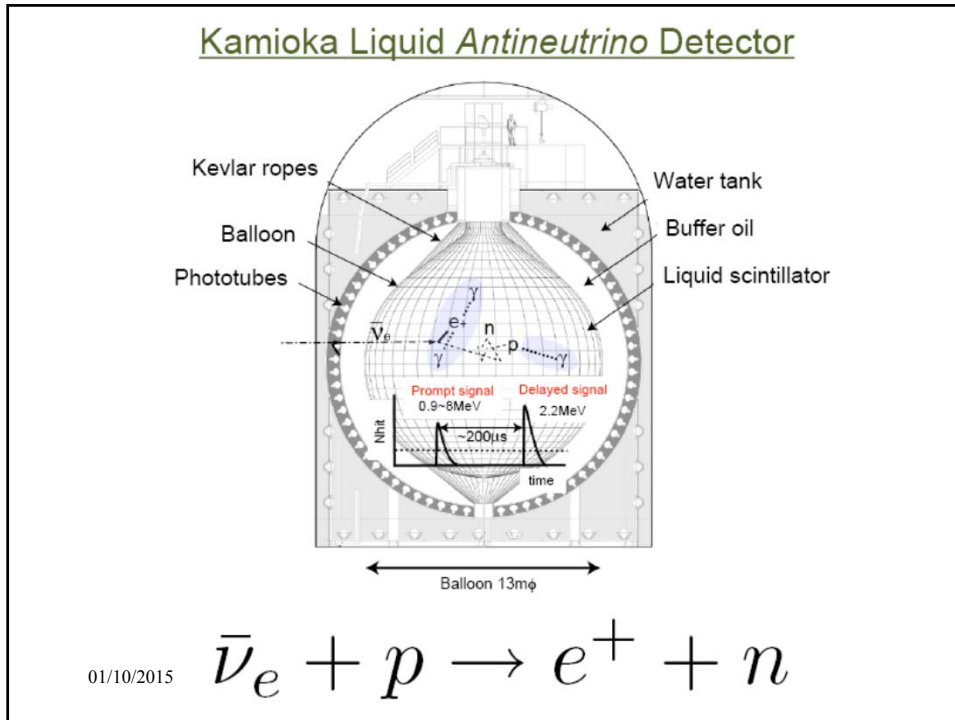
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### KamLAND Detector

- detector location: old Kamiokande site  
: 2700 m.w.e.



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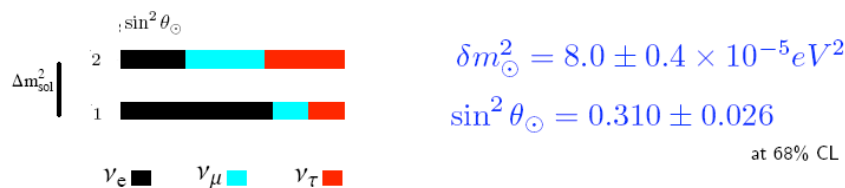
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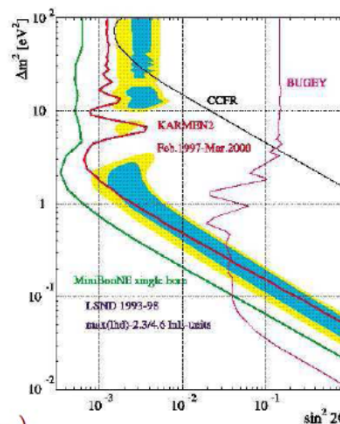
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## The LSND experiment

- The only **short distance signal** for oscillation:  $L = 30 \text{ m}$  with  $\langle E_{\nu} \rangle \sim 30 \text{ MeV}$ ;
- Used the proton beam of Los Alamos. Same production chain as in ATM:

- 1  $p + \text{target} \rightarrow \pi^+ + X,$
- 2  $\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ + \nu_{\mu},$
- 3  $\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ + \nu_e + \bar{\nu}_{\mu};$

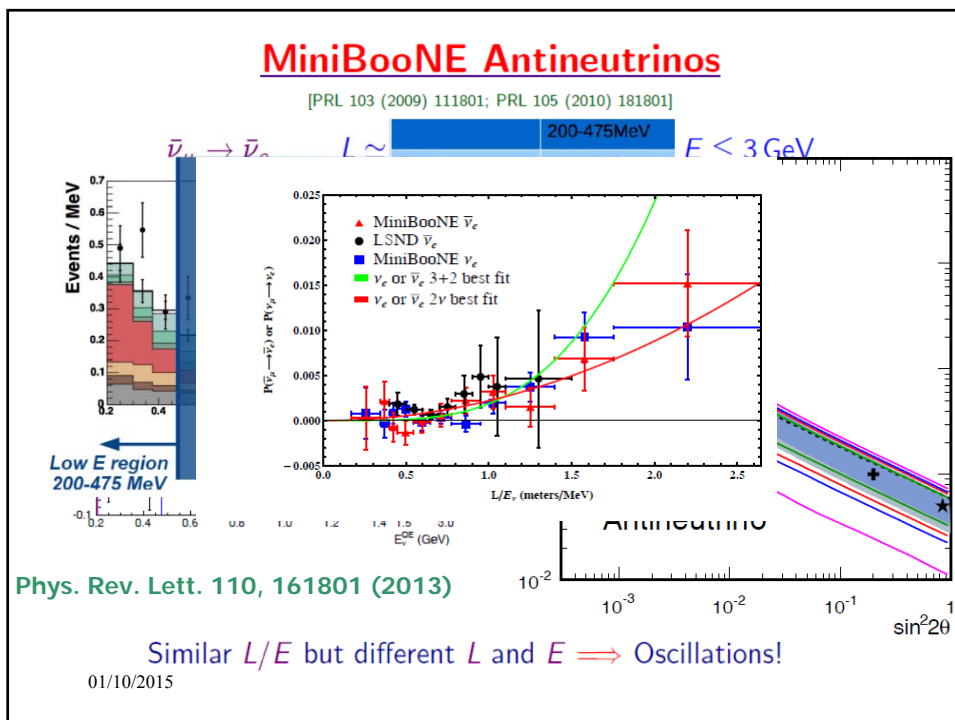
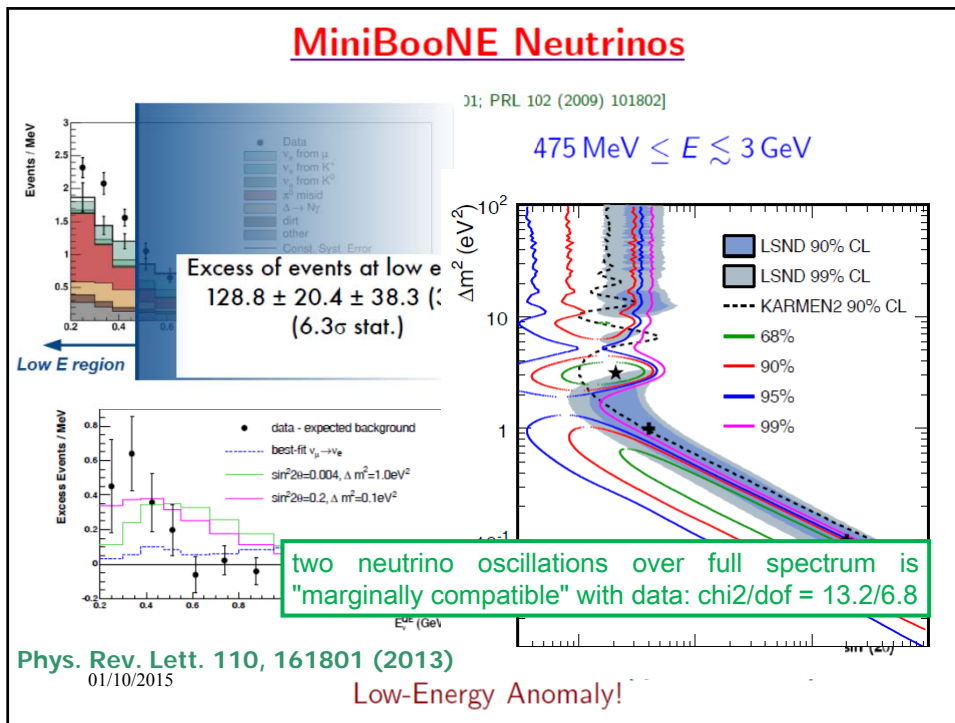
- observed  $\bar{\nu}_{\mu} \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$  with probability  $\langle P_{e\mu} \rangle = (0.26 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.05)\%$
- **Karmen** which searched for the same signal and did not observe oscillations.



$$\Delta m_{\text{LSND}}^2 \geq 0.2 eV^2 \quad (\gg \Delta m_{\text{ATM}}^2 \gg \Delta m_{\text{SOL}}^2)$$

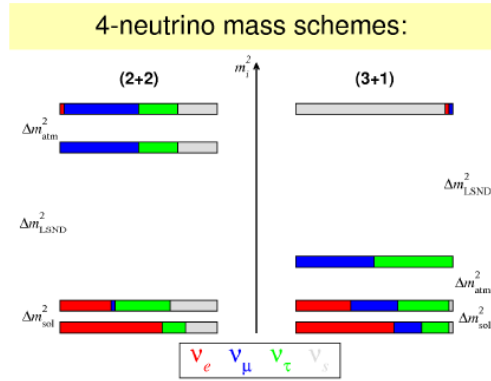
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**With 3 different  $\Delta m^2$  4 light neutrinos needed!**

4th  $\nu$ : cannot be active – must be sterile. Mixing matrix: 6  $\theta_{ij}$ , 3 Dirac-type  $\mathcal{CP}$  phases. But: simplifications occur – only two possible type of schemes: 2+2 and 3+1



Nu Standard Model:

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## The $\nu$ Standard Model

- 3 light ( $m_i < 1$  eV) Majorana Neutrinos:

$\Rightarrow$  only 2  $\delta m^2$

$$|\delta m_{atm}^2| \sim 2.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2 \text{ and } \delta m_{solar}^2 \sim +8.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$$

- Only Active flavors (no steriles):

$e, \mu, \tau$

- Unitary Mixing Matrix:

3 angles ( $\theta_{12}, \theta_{23}, \theta_{13}$ ), 1 Dirac phase ( $\delta$ ),

2 Majorana phases ( $\alpha_2, \alpha_3$ )

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$(n \times n)$  unitary mixing matrix  $\tilde{U} \Rightarrow n^2$  real parameters:

$$\frac{n(n-1)}{2} \text{ mixing angles, } \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \text{ phases}$$

In Dirac  $\nu$  case:  $n + (n-1) = 2n-1$  phases unphysical – can be absorbed into redefinition of charged lepton and neutrino fields. Number of physical phases:

$$\frac{n(n+1)}{2} - (2n-1) = \frac{(n-1)(n-2)}{2}$$

In Majorana case – only  $n$  phases can be absorbed (redefinition of  $\nu$  fields not possible)  $\Rightarrow$  In addition to Dirac-type phases there are  $(n-1)$  physical Majorana-type phases.

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$$|\nu_\alpha\rangle_{flavor} = U_{\alpha i} |\nu_i\rangle_{mass}$$

Atmos. L/E  $\mu \rightarrow \tau$  500km/GeV    Atmos. L/E  $\mu \leftrightarrow e$     Solar L/E  $e \rightarrow \mu, \tau$  15km/MeV     $\beta\beta 0\nu$  decay

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ c_{23} & s_{23} & \\ -s_{23} & c_{23} & \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ & 1 \\ -s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} & s_{12} \\ -s_{12} & c_{12} \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & e^{i\alpha} & \\ & & e^{i\beta} \end{pmatrix}$$

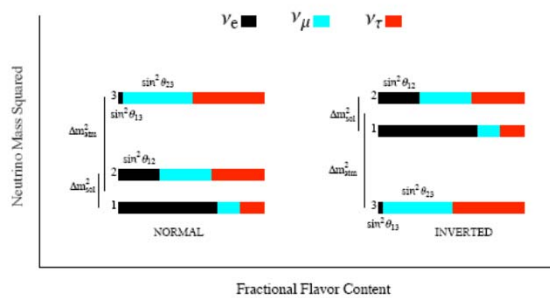
In oscillation phenomena,

the phases  $\alpha_2, \alpha_3$  are unobservable ( $U_{\alpha i}U_{\beta i}^*$ )  
and also the value of  $m_{lite}$  is irrelevant ( $\delta m^2$ )

$$= \begin{pmatrix} c_{13}c_{12} & c_{13}s_{12} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -c_{23}s_{12} - s_{13}s_{23}c_{12}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{12} - s_{13}s_{23}s_{12}e^{i\delta} & c_{13}s_{23} \\ s_{23}s_{12} - s_{13}c_{23}c_{12}e^{i\delta} & -s_{23}c_{12} - s_{13}c_{23}s_{12}e^{i\delta} & c_{13}c_{23} \end{pmatrix}$$

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(12)-Sector:



(12) Parameters: SNO, KamLAND, SK

$$\delta m_{21}^2 = +8.0 \pm 0.8 \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$$

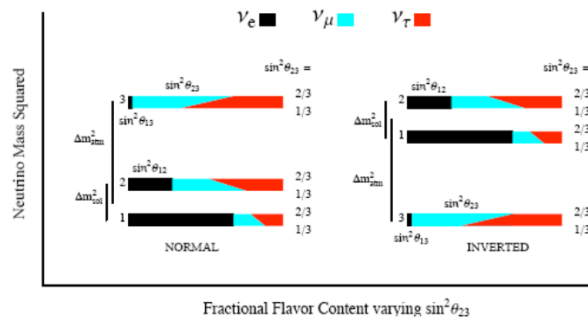
$$0.25 < \sin^2 \theta_{12} < 0.37$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_{12} \geq \frac{1}{2} \text{ excluded at } > 5 \sigma!$$

sign of  $\delta m_{21}^2$  determined at this C.L.

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(23)-Sector:



(23) Parameters: SK, K2K

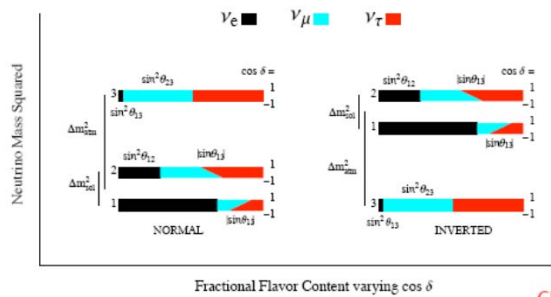
$$|\delta m_{32}^2| = 1.5 - 3.4 \times 10^{-3} eV^2$$

$$0.36 < \sin^2 \theta_{23} < 0.64$$

(obtained from  $\sin^2 2\theta_{23} > 0.91$ )

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(13)-Sector:



CPT:  $\delta \Leftrightarrow -\delta$  Invariant!

$$P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e) = 1 - 4|U_{e1}|^2|U_{e2}|^2 \sin^2 \Delta_{21} - 4|U_{e1}|^2|U_{e3}|^2 \sin^2 \Delta_{31} - 4|U_{e2}|^2|U_{e3}|^2 \sin^2 \Delta_{32}$$

$$m_3^2 - m_1^2 = (m_3^2 - m_2^2) + (m_2^2 - m_1^2)$$

$L_{32} \sim 0.8 \text{ km}$

$$P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e) \approx 1 - \cos^4 \theta_{13} \sin^2 2\theta_{12} \sin^2 \Delta_{21} - \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \sin^2 \Delta_{32}$$

$L_{21} \sim 30 \text{ km}$

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$$P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu) \approx -4U_{e1}U_{\mu1}U_{e2}U_{\mu2} \sin^2 \Delta_{21} + 4U_{e3}^2U_{\mu3}^2 \sin^2 \Delta_{32}$$

$$\approx \sin^2(2\theta_{13}) \sin^2(2\theta_{23}) \sin^2(\Delta_{32})$$

◆ **T2K: 2.5  $\sigma$  over bkg**

$0.03 <$	$\sin^2(2\theta_{13}) = 0.140^{+0.038}_{-0.032}$	<b>for NH</b>
$0.04 <$		<b>for IH</b>

◆ **Minos: 1.7  $\sigma$  over bkg**

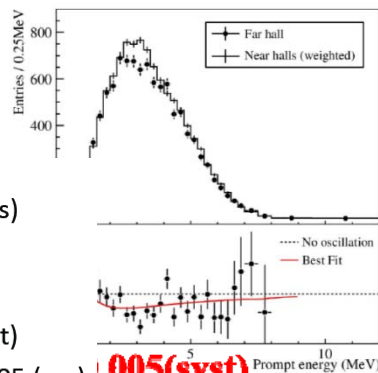
$0 < \text{Sin}^2 2\theta_{13} < 0.12$	<b>@ 90% C.L. NH</b>
$0 < \text{Sin}^2 2\theta_{13} < 0.19$	<b>@ 90% C.L. IH</b>

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March 8, 2012, Daya Bay (electron antineutrino disappearance)

**Observed: 9901 neutrinos at far site**  
**Prediction: 10530 neutrinos if no os**

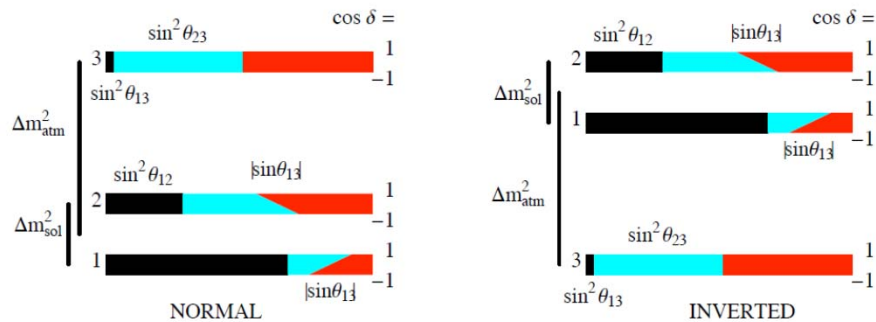
- Double Chooz
  - $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.109 \pm 0.03(\text{stat}) \pm 0.025(\text{syst})$
  - zero is excluded at 99.9% ( $3.1\sigma$ )
- Daya Bay
  - $R = 0.944 \pm 0.007(\text{stat}) \pm 0.003(\text{syst})$
  - $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.089 \pm 0.010(\text{stat}) \pm 0.005(\text{syst})$
- RENO
  - $R = 0.920 \pm 0.009(\text{stat}) \pm 0.014(\text{syst})$  ( $4.9\sigma$ )
  - $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.113 \pm 0.013(\text{stat}) \pm 0.019(\text{syst})$



**0.005(syst)**  
 spectral distortion  
 consistent with oscillation

## What's to be done ...

$\nu_e$  ■  $\nu_\mu$  ■  $\nu_\tau$  ■



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We determined that  $m(K_L) > m(K_S)$  by

- Passing kaons through matter (regenerator)
- Beating the unknown sign[ $m(K_L) - m(K_S)$ ] against the known sign[reg. ampl.]

We will determine the sign( $\Delta m_{32}^2$ ) by

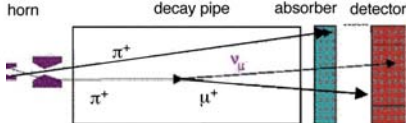
- Passing neutrinos through matter (Earth)
- Beating the unknown sign( $\Delta m_{32}^2$ ) against the known sign[forward  $\nu_e e \rightarrow \nu_e e$  ampl]

$$L \approx \frac{2\pi}{G_F n_e} \approx 1.16 \cdot 10^4 \text{ km} \left( \frac{1.69 \cdot 10^{24} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{n_e} \right)$$

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## ~~CP~~ : How we are going to do it ?

### Accelerator experiments

$$P_{\mu e} \approx \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \sin^2 2\theta_{23} \sin^2 \frac{\Delta m_{31}^2 L}{4E_\nu} + \dots$$


- Appearance experiment  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$
- Measurement of  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$  and  $\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$  yields  $\delta$

Remember what happens in the quark sector !!!

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$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{\nu e \nu \mu}(\bar{\nu} e \bar{\nu} \mu) &= s_{23}^2 \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \sin^2 \left( \frac{\Delta_{23} L}{2} \right) \equiv P^{atmos} \\
 &+ c_{23}^2 \sin^2 2\theta_{12} \sin^2 \left( \frac{\Delta_{12} L}{2} \right) \equiv P^{solar} \\
 &+ \tilde{J} \cos \left( \pm \delta - \frac{\Delta_{23} L}{2} \right) \frac{\Delta_{12} L}{2} \sin \left( \frac{\Delta_{23} L}{2} \right) \equiv P^{inter}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$(\tilde{J} \equiv c_{13} \sin 2\theta_{13} \sin 2\theta_{12} \sin 2\theta_{23}, \quad \Delta_{ij} \equiv \frac{\Delta m_{ij}^2}{2E_\nu})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e) - P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e) &= 2 \cos \theta_{13} \sin 2\theta_{13} \sin 2\theta_{12} \sin 2\theta_{23} \sin \delta \\
 &\times \sin \left( \Delta m_{31}^2 \frac{L}{4E} \right) \sin \left( \Delta m_{32}^2 \frac{L}{4E} \right) \sin \left( \Delta m_{21}^2 \frac{L}{4E} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

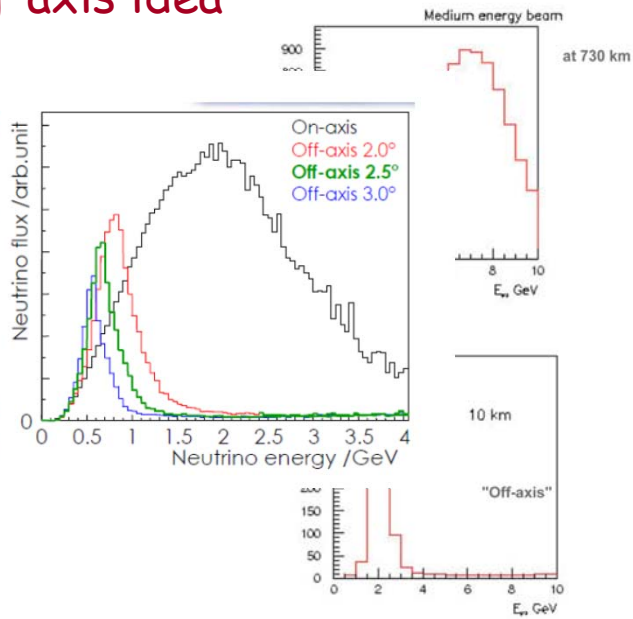
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## The off axis idea

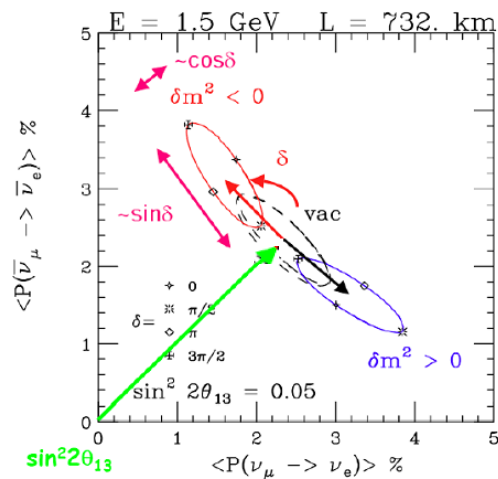
By going off axis energy is redistributed in spectrum

Allows an experimenter to pick an energy maximum



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## What will we get ?



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Minakata and Nunokawa

**Vacuum LBL:**  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$

$$P_{\mu \rightarrow e} \approx \left| \sqrt{P_{atm}} e^{-i(\Delta_{32} \pm \delta)} + \sqrt{P_{sol}} \right|^2$$

$\Delta_{ij} = |\delta m_{ij}^2| L / 4E$ 
↕  
CP violation !!!

where  $\sqrt{P_{atm}} = \sin \theta_{23} \sin 2\theta_{13} \sin \Delta_{31}$

and  $\sqrt{P_{sol}} = \cos \theta_{23} \sin 2\theta_{12} \sin \Delta_{21}$

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$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$   
with MATTER

$$P_{\mu \rightarrow e} \approx \left| \sqrt{P_{atm}} e^{-i(\Delta_{32} \pm \delta)} + \sqrt{P_{sol}} \right|^2$$

where  $\sqrt{P_{atm}} = \sin \theta_{23} \sin 2\theta_{13} \frac{\sin(\Delta_{31} \mp aL)}{(\Delta_{31} \mp aL)} \Delta_{31}$   
in vac  $\sin \Delta_{31}$

and  $\sqrt{P_{sol}} = \cos \theta_{23} \sin 2\theta_{12} \frac{\sin(aL)}{(aL)} \Delta_{21}$   
in vac  $\sin \Delta_{21}$

$a = G_F N_e / \sqrt{2} = (4000 \text{ km})^{-1}$ ,  
 $\pm = \text{sign}(\delta m_{31}^2) \quad \Delta_{ij} = |\delta m_{ij}^2| L / 4E$

$\{\delta m^2 \sin 2\theta\}$  is invariant

(a)

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### Neutrino v Anti-Neutrino One Expt.

The NUMI Beamline NOVA

Two functionally identical neutrino detectors

Fermilab 730 km 12 km Sanford

Det. 1 Det. 2

NOVA: E=2.3GeV and L=810km

$\delta m^2 < 0$

$\delta m^2 > 0$

critical

$\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.05$

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

$\langle P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e) \rangle \%$

in the overlap region

$$\langle \sin \delta \rangle_+ - \langle \sin \delta \rangle_- = 2\langle \theta \rangle / \theta_{crit} \approx 1.4 \sqrt{\frac{\sin^2 2\theta_{13}}{0.05}}$$

exact along diagonal --- approximately true throughout the overlap region!!!

$$\theta_{crit} = \frac{\pi^2}{8} \frac{\sin 2\theta_{12}}{\tan \theta_{23}} \frac{\delta m_{21}^2}{\delta m_{31}^2} \left( \frac{4\Delta^2/\pi^2}{1-\Delta \cot \Delta} \right) / (aL) \sim 1/6$$

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i.e.  $\sin^2 2\theta_{crit} = 0.10$

### T2K

JHF  $\rightarrow$  Super-Kamiokande

- 295 km baseline
- Super-Kamiokande:
  - 22.5 kton fiducial
  - Excellent e/nu ID
  - Additional pi/nu ID
- Hyper-Kamiokande:
  - 20+ fiducial SuperK
- Matter effect
- Study using simulated air reconstruction

E=0.6 GeV L=295 km

$\delta m^2 > 0$

$\delta m^2 < 0$

0.0495

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

$\sin^2 2\theta_{13} \%$

#### Electron neutrino signal events

28 events observed with expected  $4.9 \pm 0.6$  background =  $23.1 \pm 5.3$  signal events

Observed signal is a 54±35% enhancement over the benchmark

Pushes best fit values to favor excursions which enhance the neutrino oscillation probability

- normal hierarchy
- $\delta_{CP} = 3\pi/2$  ( $-\pi/2$ )
- $\theta_{23} > 45^\circ$

and to disfavor combinations which suppress the neutrino oscillation probability.

Goes in the opposite direction of the MINOS data – favors IH and  $\theta_{23} < 45^\circ$

90% C.L. Excluded

Normal hierarchy

Inverted hierarchy

FC 80%, NH

FC 90%, NH

FC 80%, IH

FC 90%, IH

$\Delta \chi^2$

$\delta_{CP}/\pi$

PRELIMINARY

MINOS2014 conference

Data corresponds to 10% of proposal

100% of data  $\rightarrow$  290 events

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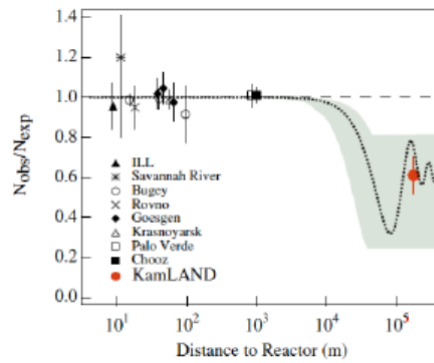
( $\rho L$ )

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On March 2011 .... ArXiv 1101.2755

New reactor antineutrino spectra have been measured using  $^{238}\text{U}$ , increasing the mean flux by 10%.

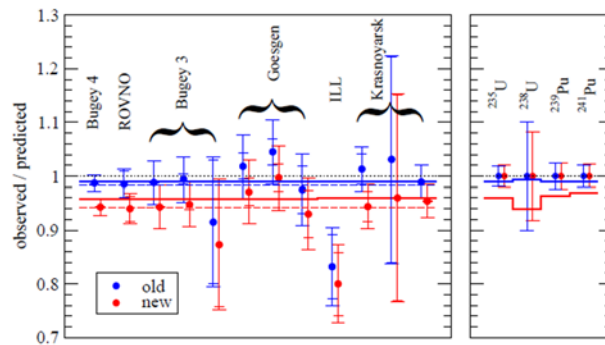
This reevaluation applies to all reactor antineutrino experiments.



It means that for experiments at reactor-detector distances < 100 m the ratio of observed event rate to predicted rate shifts

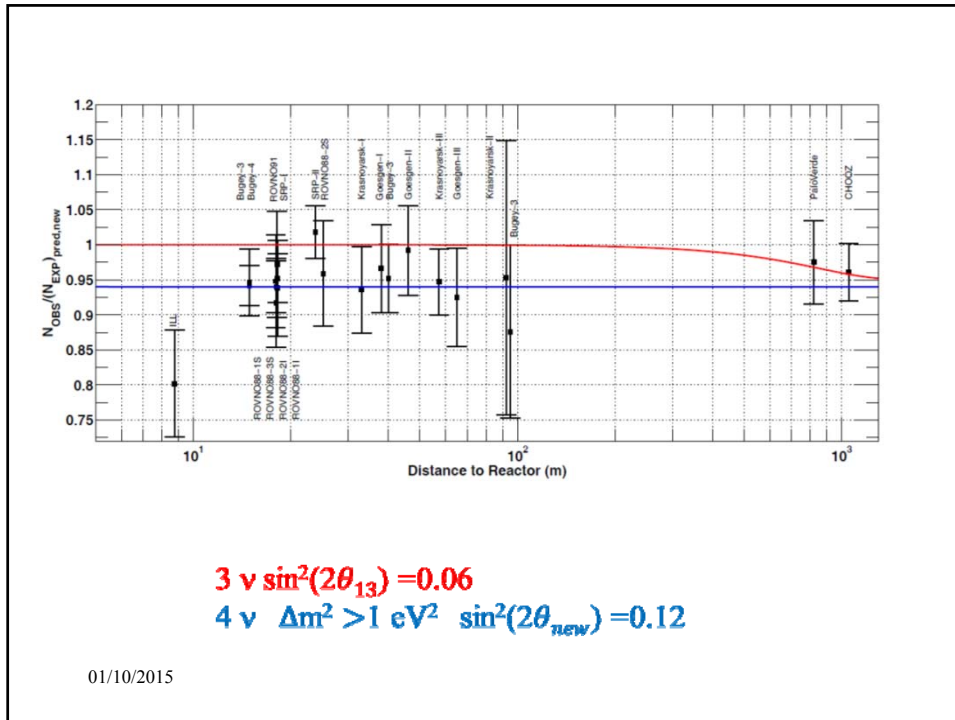
$$0.976 \pm 0.024 \rightarrow 0.943 \pm 0.023$$

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“The Reactor Antineutrino Anomaly,” Phys. Rev. D 83: 073006, 2011

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### The Gallium Anomaly

Tests of the solar neutrino detectors **GALLEX (Cr1, Cr2)** and **SAGE (Cr, Ar)**

$\sin^2(2\theta) \approx 0.50 \quad \Delta m^2 \approx 2 \text{ eV}^2$

Experiment	Type	Channel	Significance
LSND	DAR	$\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$ CC	3.8σ
MiniBooNE	SBL accelerator	$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$ CC	3.4σ
MiniBooNE	SBL accelerator	$\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$ CC	2.8σ
GALLEX/SAGE	Source - e capture	$\nu_e$ disappearance	2.8σ
Reactors	Beta-decay	$\bar{\nu}_e$ disappearance	3.0σ

K. N. Abazajian et al. "Light Sterile Neutrinos: A Whitepaper", arXiv:1204.5379 [hep-ph], (2012)

Signals at SBL are at the 2-4σ level All pointing in the same direction

B:  $\sigma(^{51}\text{Cr}) = 58.1 \times 10^{-46} \text{ cm}^2 (1 \pm 0.028)_{1\sigma} \Rightarrow R_{\text{Ga}} = 0.86 \pm 0.05$

[SAGE, PRC 73 (2006) 045805, nucl-ex/0512041]

Haxton: [Hata, Haxton, PLB 353 (1995) 422, nucl-th/9503017; Haxton, PLB 431 (1998) 110, nucl-th/9804011]

$\sigma(^{51}\text{Cr}) = 63.9 \times 10^{-46} \text{ cm}^2 (1 \pm 0.106)_{1\sigma} \Rightarrow R_{\text{Ga}} = 0.76^{+0.09}_{-0.08}$

[SAGE, PRC 59 (1999) 2246, hep-ph/9803418]