Experimental Overview of Neutrino Oscillations

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Data based on INSPIRES search "find ti Neutrino and date 2000", eg.





electron neutrino flux



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 $P(\nu_{\mu} \to \nu_{\mu}) = 1 - \sin^2 2\theta \sin^2 \left(1.27\Delta m^2 [\text{eV}^2] \frac{L[\text{km}]}{E[\text{GeV}]} \right)$





 $\frac{q-\bar{q}}{q+\bar{q}} \simeq 10^{-10}$

 $\frac{q-\bar{q}}{q+\bar{q}}\simeq 0$

Angela Gonzalez

Neutrino oscillations



Neutrino Oscillations at Reactors



θ₁₃: Daya Bay, RENO, and Double CHOOZ





6000 Events / 0.2 MeV 4000 $\rightarrow \overline{V}_{\rm e})$ 0.95 2000 $P(\overline{\mathbf{V}}_{e})$ Far Data Prediction (best fit) Prediction (no oscillation) Far Data • Data / Prediction 1.1 Near Data ¢ 0.9 - Prediction from near data 0.9 0.8^{1}_{1} 0.2 0.4 0.8 0 0.6 8 3 $E_{\rm p}$ (MeV) 6 $L_{\rm eff}/E_{\rm v}~({\rm km/MeV})$ <u>×10</u>³ 140 1.00 **Best-Fit** 120 W/O oscillations 0.98 100 Events/MeV EH1 ר^פ 1 0.96 ל Far site data EH2 80 Weighted near site - best fit EH3 Weighted near site - no osc. 60 Р(<u>V</u>е. Accidental ²⁴¹Am-¹³C 0.94 40 ⁹Li / ⁸He Rate+shape $^{13}C(\alpha,n)^{16}O$ 20 Fast neutrons χ²/ndf=148.0/154 0.92 preliminary 1.04 preliminary Far/Near(Weigthed) 1.02 0.90^L 500 600 700 800 100 200 300 400 900 L_{eff} / E_{ν} (m/MeV) 0.98 0.96 0.94 $P(\bar{\nu}_e \to \bar{\nu}_e) = 1 - \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \sin^2 \frac{1.267\Delta m^2 L}{E} - P_{\text{solar}}$ 0.92 0.9 6 8 10 12 2 E_{prompt}(MeV)

Daya Bay



CP violation in leptons



 $\frac{J_{\rm PMNS}}{J_{\rm CKM}} = \frac{3 \times 10^{-2}}{3 \times 10^{-5}} \sin(\delta_{\rm PMNS})$



Leptonic CP violation can be 1000x larger than in the quark sector! <u>JHEP 01 (2017) 087 [arXiv:1611.01514]</u>

NuFIT 3.2 (2018)



JUNO Experiment

- 20 kton liquid scintillator placed 53 km from two high powered reactors.
- Goal is to measure neutrino mass hierarchy through precise measurement of oscillation phase at 3-4σ
- Also has very strong program in 21 and 31 sectors.
- Data taking ~2021



	Δm ² ₂₁	sin²θ ₁₂	∆m² ₃₁	sin²θ ₁₃	sin²θ ₂₃
Dominant experiment	KamLAND	SNO	T2K & NOvA /Daya Bay	Daya Bay	T2K
Individual 1σ	2.4%	6.7%	3.2%/3.5%	4.0%	9.8%
Global 1σ *	2.2%	3.9%	1.2%	3.4%	5%
JUNO expected 1 ₅	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	~15%	* 1

Neutrino Oscillations at Accelerators





Next Questions In Neutrino Physics

- Mass ordering
- Nature of v₃ θ₂₃ octant
- Is CP violated?
- Is there more to this picture?



Neutrino oscillations at long baseline

Following presentation by Nunokawa, Parke, Valle, in "CP Violation and Neutrino Oscillations", Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys. 60 (2008) 338-402. arXiv:0710.0554 [hep-ph]

$$P(\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{\mu}) \simeq 1 - 4\cos^{2}\theta_{13}\sin^{2}\theta_{23} \left[1 - \cos^{2}\theta_{13}\sin^{2}\theta_{23}\right]\sin^{2}\Delta_{3i}$$

$$\simeq 1 - \sin^{2}2\theta_{23}\sin^{2}\Delta_{3i}$$

$$P(\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{e}) \simeq |\sqrt{P_{\text{atm}}}e^{-i(\Delta_{32}+\delta)} + \sqrt{P_{\text{sol}}}|^{2}$$

$$= P_{\text{atm}} + P_{\text{sol}} + 2\sqrt{P_{\text{atm}}}P_{\text{sol}} \left(\cos\Delta_{32}\cos\delta\mp\sin\Delta_{32}\sin\delta\right)$$

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

$$a = G_F N_e / \sqrt{2} \simeq \frac{1}{3500 \text{ km}}$$

$$aL = 0.08 \text{ for } L = 295 \text{ km}$$

$$aL = 0.23 \text{ for } L = 810 \text{ km}$$

$$aL = 0.37 \text{ for } L = 1300 \text{ km}$$

Parameter	Channels	Question	
$\sin^2 2\theta_{23}:$	$ u_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{\mu} \text{ and } \bar{\nu}_{\mu} \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_{\mu}:$	Is θ_{23} maximal?	
$\sin^2\theta_{23}\sin^22\theta_{13}:$	$\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{e}$ and $\bar{\nu}_{\mu} \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_{e}$:	Octant of θ_{23}	
$\operatorname{sign}\left[\Delta_{31}\right]$:	$\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{e} \text{ vs. } \bar{\nu}_{\mu} \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_{e}:$	Neutrino mass hierarchy	
$\delta_{ ext{CP}}$:	$\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{e} \text{ vs. } \bar{\nu}_{\mu} \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_{e}:$	Is CP violated?	



Summary of sensitivity of $v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{e}$ rates to physics parameters

Factor	Туре	Inverts for \overline{v} ?	NOvA	T2K
Matter effect (mass ordering)	Binary	Yes	±19%	±10%
CP violation	Bounded, continuous	Yes	[-22+22]%	[-29+29]%
θ23 octant	Unbounded, continuous	No	[-22+22]%	[-22+22]%

Nota bene:

- Calculations are for rate only; there is some additional information in the energy spectrum
- These estimates neglect non-linearities in combining different effects
- In the calculation of the matter effect and CP violation effects the calculated values account for the fact that T2K runs at an energy on the first oscillation maximum while NOvA runs at an energy slightly above the oscillation maximum
- θ_{23} was varied inside the ±2 σ range found by a recent global fit (PRD 90, 093006)

OBSERVATION OF HIGH-ENERGY NEUTRINO REACTIONS AND THE EXISTENCE OF TWO KINDS OF NEUTRINOS^{*}

G. Danby, J-M. Gaillard, K. Goulianos, L. M. Lederman, N. Mistry, M. Schwartz,[†] and J. Steinberger[†]

Columbia University, New York, New York and Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, New York (Received June 15, 1962)





Center of mass frame



Making a neutrino beam

Angle is energy





Making a neutrino beam

Angle is energy

Super-Kamiokande IV

T2K Beam Run 430013 Spill 4033842 Run 69739 Sub 201 Event 48168772 12-05-30:05:03:02 T2K beam dt = 2463.6 ns Inner: 2350 hits, 7009 pe Outer: 1 hits, 0 pe Trigger: 0x80000007 D_wall: 644.8 cm e-like, p = 690.1 MeV/c











Machine learning at the energy and intensity frontiers of particle physics

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 ν_{μ} – CC events

 $\bar{\nu}_{\mu}$ – CC events

T2K event spectra





Prefer non-maximal mixing in upper octant at 1.8σ (93% CL)



T2K neutrino and antineutrino event counts

Relative to the best-fit parameters T2K has seen an upward fluctuation in neutrino events and a downward fluctuation in antineutrino events.

T2K measurement of CP phase δ

- Expected sensitivity (top) using current exposure to exclude CP conserving values is CP violation is maximal is currently just less than 2σ. Expect 20% of experiments to exclude at 2σ or more.
- Current measurement (bottom) favors nearly maximal CP violation and excludes CP conserving values at $>2\sigma$.







P value based on Feldman-Cousins calculation = 0.076, or 1.8σ

 $P(\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{e})$



	χ²	∆m² _{32/31}	sin²(θ ₂₃)	δ _{CP}	
Normal hierarchy	639.43	2.50x 10 ⁻³	0.550	4.88	← 1.7σ
Inverted hierarchy	644.70	2.40x 10 ⁻³	0.550	4.54	

Super-Kamiokande Atmospheric Neutrinos

Includes constraints from 2015 T2K data release



Neutrino-less Double Beta Decay

 $(T_{1/2})^{-1} = G|\mathcal{M}|^2 m_{\beta\beta}^2$

effective neutrino mass

f phase space nuclear physics lifetime for $0\nu\beta\beta$

 $m_{\beta\beta} \equiv |m_1 c_{12}^2 c_{13}^2 + m_2 s_{12}^2 c_{13}^2 e^{i\alpha_{21}} + m_3 s_{13}^2 e^{i(\alpha_{31} - \delta)}|$

mass-flavor mixing parameters from oscillation experiments

Normal mass ordering

Inverted mass ordering

In the inverted ordering most of the electron flavor is associated with the heavier states giving generally higher values of $m_{\beta\beta}$,

Neutrino oscillation measurements set a lower limit at \approx 15-50 meV, T_{1/2} \approx 10²⁷⁻²⁸ years

In the normal ordering most of the electron flavor is associated with the lighter states giving generally smaller m_{ββ} values.

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Accidental cancelations may result in $m_{\beta\beta} \rightarrow 0$.





Using current oscillation, direct mass, and cosmological data as prior inputs, how likely is the next generation of experiments to discover 0vßß?

Turning that around, if $0\nu\beta\beta$ is discovered we will want to know the neutrino mass ordering and other oscillation parameters to interpret the observation.

Watch the assumptions! Caldwell et al. (right), for example, finds normal ordering harder to reach than does Agostini et al.



T2K and NOvA Extended Running

- T2K has KEK/JPARC Stage 1 approval to extend its run to 2026. See arXiv:1609.0411
- Incremental investments in JPARC beam intensity raise the intensity from 500 kW to 1.3 MW by 2024
- These would deliver 20E21 protons-ontarget by 2026 and enable 3σ sensitivity to CP violation if CP violation is maximal.
- NOvA will run through 2024 with incremental upgrades to beam intensity to 1 MW
- With those NOvA will have up to 5σ sensitivity to the mass hierarchy and up to 2σ sensitivity to CP violation

Joint NOvA/T2K Workshop, Tokai, Japan 2017





Hyper-Kamiokande





Upgrade beam to 1.2 then 2 MW 4x17 kt detector modules with millimeter resolution located 4850 feet underground

 $>5\sigma$ resolution of mass hierarchy $>5\sigma$ resolution of CP violation

- 2018 Large scale prototype at CERN
- 2019 Excavation begins
- 2022 Installation
- 2026 First neutrino beam







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Motivation for sterile neutrino searches





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over backgrounds at low energies in both neutrino and antineutrino beams.



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Interpretations of LSND and MiniBooNE in 3+1



Search for sterile neutrinos in disappearance

- Electron neutrino appearance through through $v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{e}$ with eVscale sterile neutrinos implies additional disappearance in $v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{\mu}$
- This is not seen by a number of experiments, esp. MINOS and IceCUBE
- This creates a tension: there is no model involving sterile neutrinos which can simultaneously fit the appearance claims and the disappearance measurements.



Fermilab Short Baseline Program

 $3-5\sigma$ resolution of SBN anomalies in 5 years

A three liquid argon detector experiment:



Summary

- 20 years on we know a lot about the parameters of neutrino oscillations and the door is open to measure CP violation.
- Current program will answer many outstanding questions and make progress on others
 - Nature of $v_3 \theta_{23}$ octant
 - Mass ordering
 - Are neutrinos Majoranna or Dirac?
 - Is CP violated?
 - Is there more to neutrino oscillations than 3 flavors?
- Measurement of CP violation and its interpretation will require more intense beams, bigger and better detectors, better understanding of neutrino interactions, and better analysis techniques. All of these are topics for this workshop.