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*Lecture 3*

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# *Overall Outline*

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 $\Delta m_{23}^2$  and  $\theta_{23}$ :  
Atmospheric neutrino experiments

Lecture 2:  
 $\Delta m_{12}^2$  and  $\theta_{12}$ :  
Solar neutrino and reactor experiments

Lecture 3:  
 $\theta_{13}$  and beyond:  
Reactor and atmospheric neutrino exps

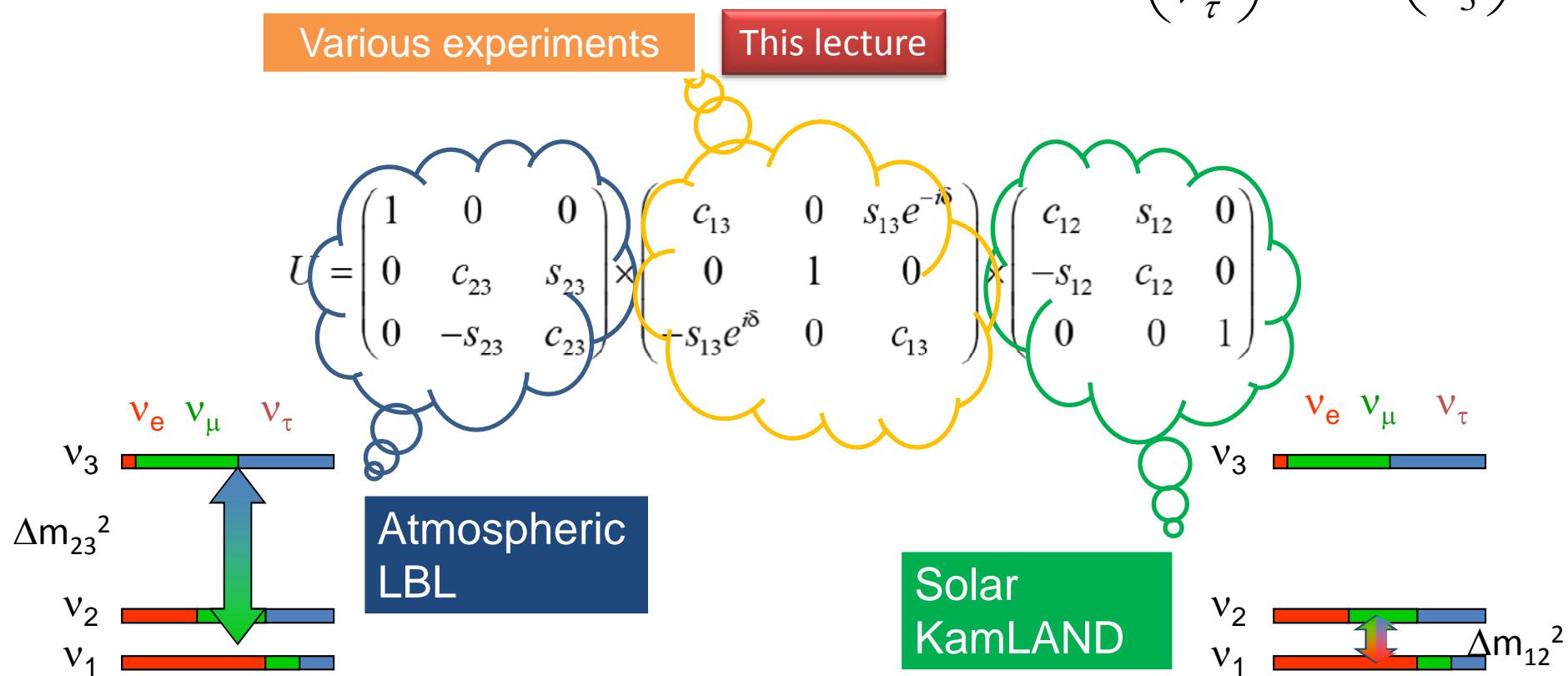
# *Outline – Lecture 3 -*

- Introduction
- Neutrino oscillation experiments on  $\theta_{13}$ 
  - Status of  $\theta_{13}$  before 2012
  - Reactor  $\theta_{13}$  experiments
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  - Future reactor experiments
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  - Future atmospheric neutrino experiments (MH)
  - Future atmospheric neutrino experiments( $\theta_{23}$  and CP)
- Summary

# Introduction: 3 flavor oscillation

Most data are explained within the 3-flavor neutrino oscillation framework !

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = U \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$



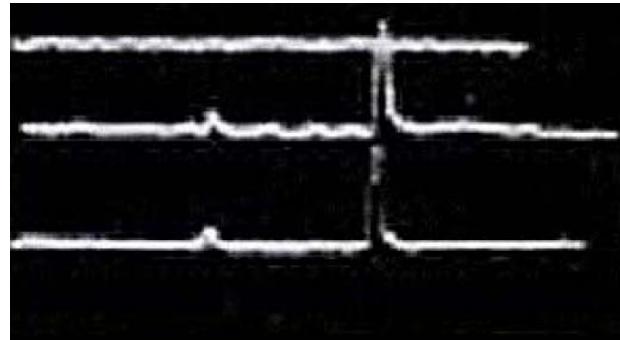
# *Introduction: neutrino discovery by reactor neutrino experiments*



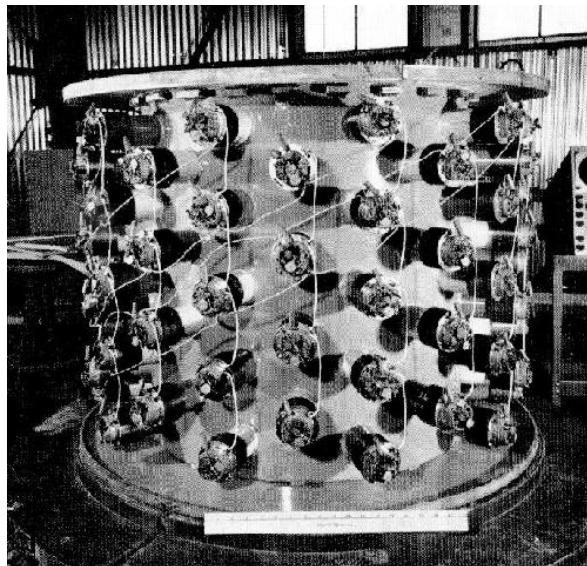
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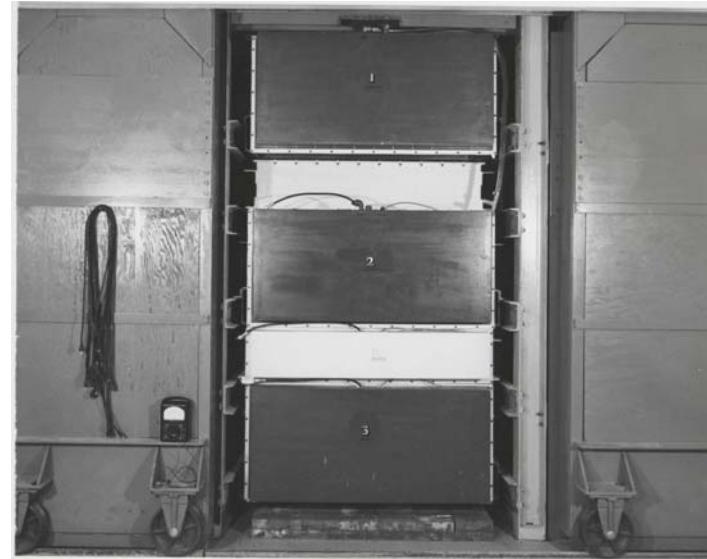
F. Reines



Delayed coincidence!



@Hanford exp (1953)



@Savannah River (1956)

# *Neutrino oscillation experiments on $\theta_{13}$*

# *Searches for non-zero $\theta_{13}$*

## accelerator experiments

- $\langle E_\nu \rangle \sim O(\text{GeV}) \rightarrow$  appearance experiments

$$P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e) = \sin^2 \theta_{23} \cdot \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \cdot \sin^2 \left( \frac{1.27 \Delta m_{13}^2 L}{E} \right) + \text{many terms}$$

(matter effect: important)

$\rightarrow$  Appearance measurement of  $\theta_{13}$ .

$\rightarrow P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e) = F(\theta_{13}, \text{CP } \delta, \text{ mass hierarchy}, \theta_{23})$

## atmospheric $\nu$ experiments

- $\langle E_\nu \rangle \sim O(5\text{-}10 \text{ GeV}) \rightarrow$  appearance experiments (matter resonance)

(These experiments are not discussed in detail in this lecture.)

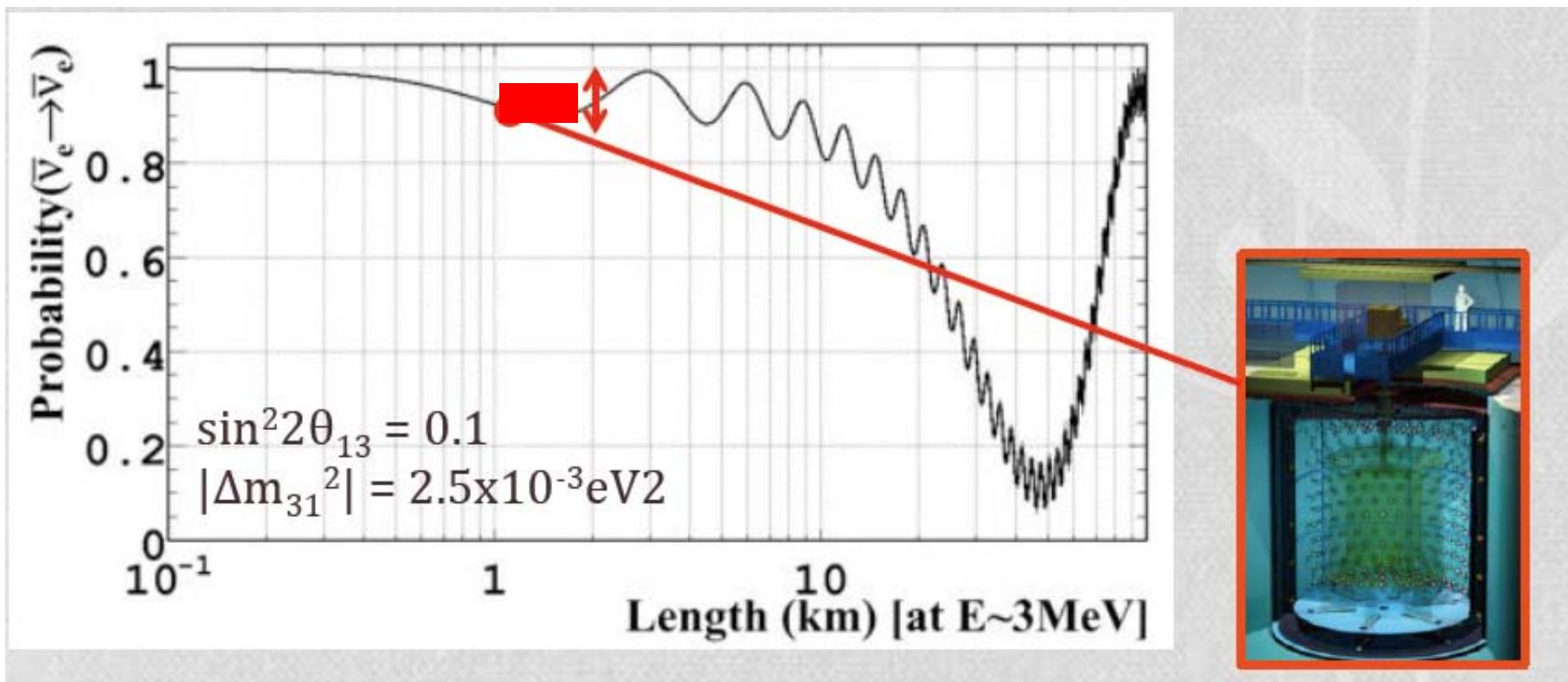
## reactor experiments

# *Reactor $\theta_{13}$ experiments*

- $\langle E_\nu \rangle \sim$  a few MeV → only disappearance experiments

$$P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e) = 1 - \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \cdot \sin^2 \left( \frac{1.27 \Delta m_{13}^2 L}{E} \right) + (\text{small solar effect})$$

→ Almost pure measurement of  $\theta_{13}$  with negligible matter effect.



# *Status of $\theta_{13}$ : before 2012*

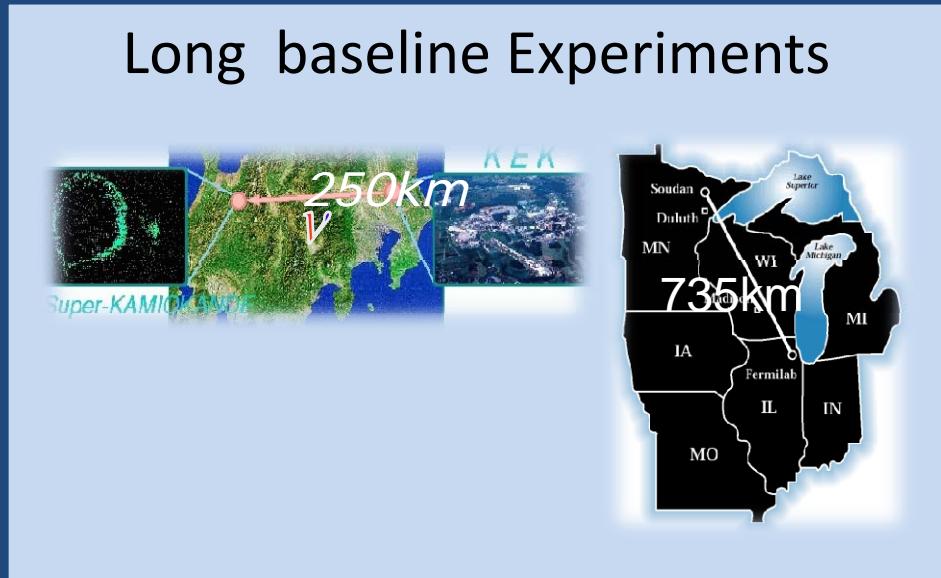
Reactor neutrinos



Solar neutrinos



Long baseline Experiments

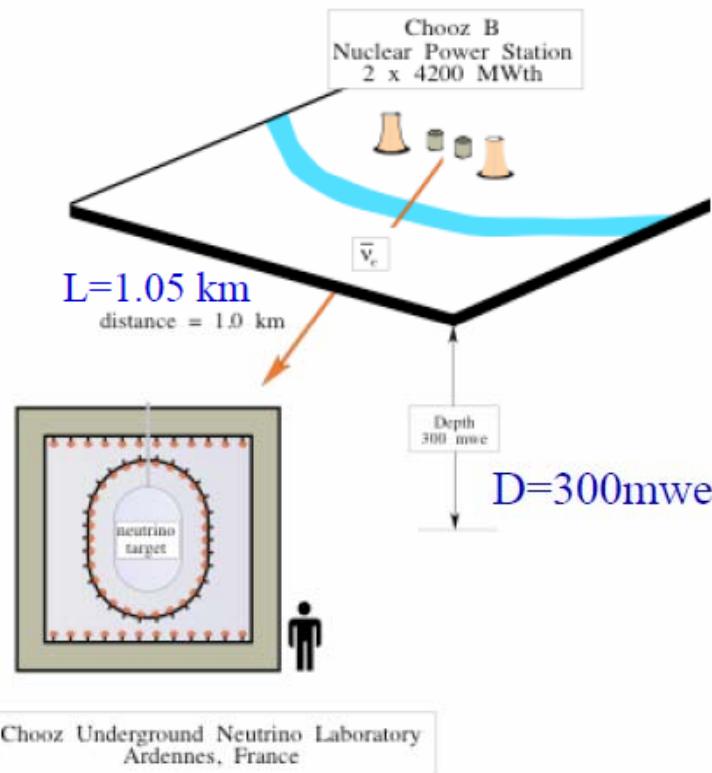


# Most sensitive experiment before 2011: CHOOZ

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hep-ex/0301017

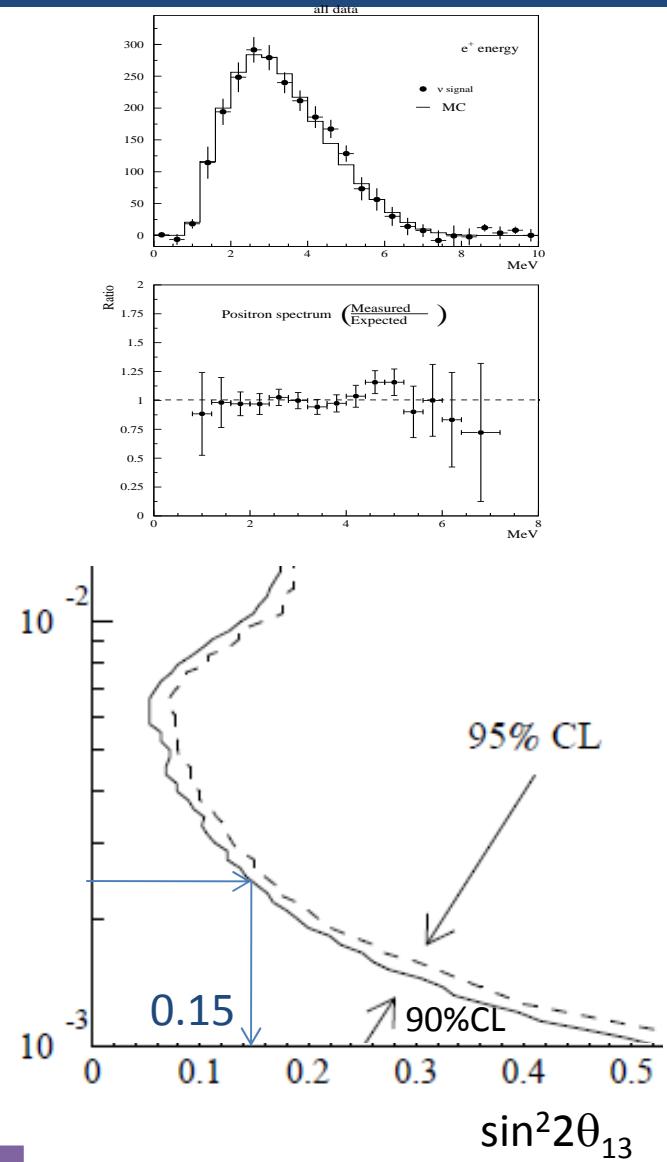
$$P(\nu_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e) = 1 - \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \cdot \sin^2 \left( \frac{1.27 \Delta m_{13}^2 L}{E} \right)$$

$$P=8.4 \text{ GW}_{\text{th}}$$



$m = 5 \text{ tons, Gd-loaded liquid scintillator}$

Data/Expectation =  $1.01 \pm 0.028(\text{stat}) \pm 0.027(\text{syst})$

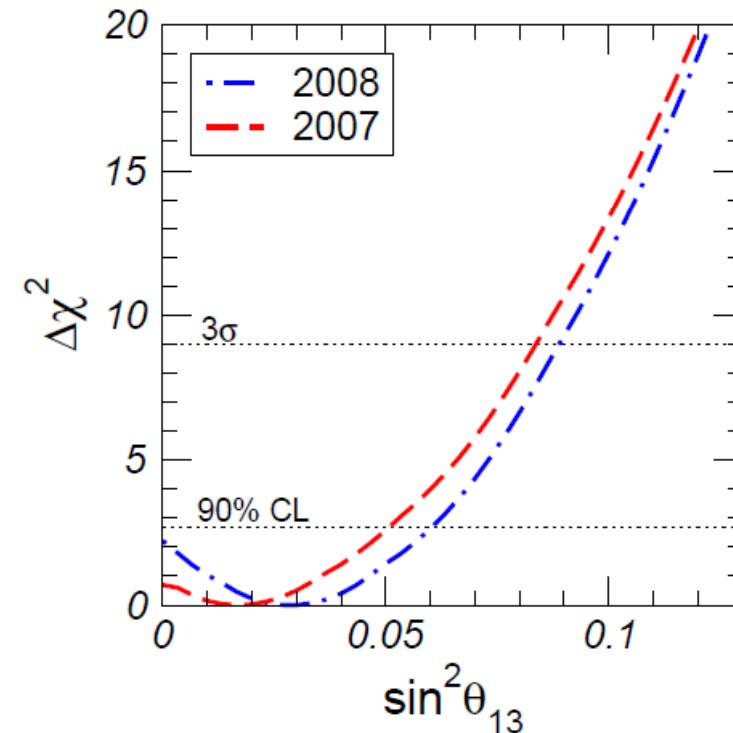
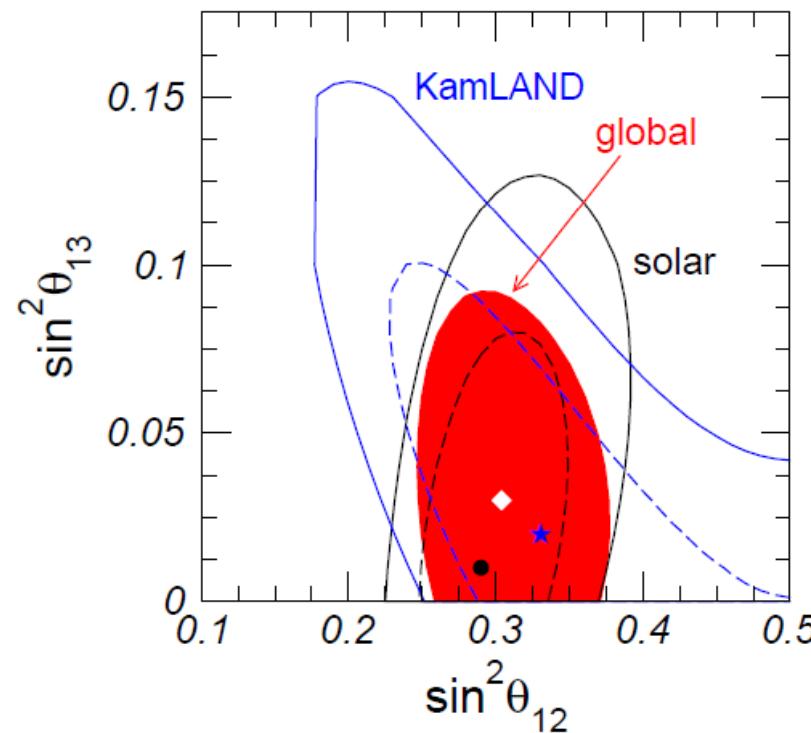


# *Some hints before 2012: solar + KamLAND*

$$P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e)[SNO] = \frac{CC}{NC} \approx \cos^4 \theta_{13} \cdot \sin^2 \theta_{12} \quad \cdots \cdots \theta_{13} \nearrow \rightarrow \sin^2 \theta_{12} \nearrow \text{for SNO}$$

$$P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e)[KL] \approx \cos^4 \theta_{13} \cdot (1 - \sin^2 2\theta_{12} \cdot \sin^2(f[\Delta m_{12}^2])) \cdots \theta_{13} \nearrow \rightarrow \sin^2 \theta_{12} \searrow \text{for KL}$$

T.Schwets, M. Tortola, J.W.F.Valle arXiv: 0808.2016v3 (Feb.2010)  
and several more references

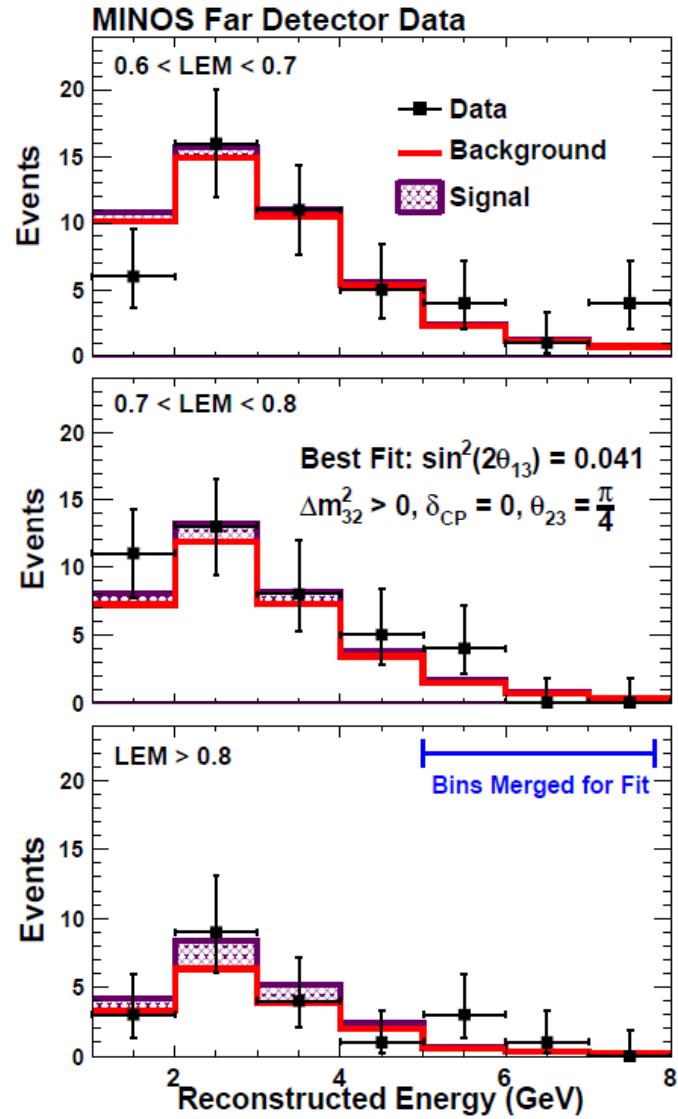


Small tension in  $\sin^2 \theta_{12}$  with  $\theta_{13}=0$ . The tension disappears if  $\sin^2 \theta_{13} \sim 0.025$ .

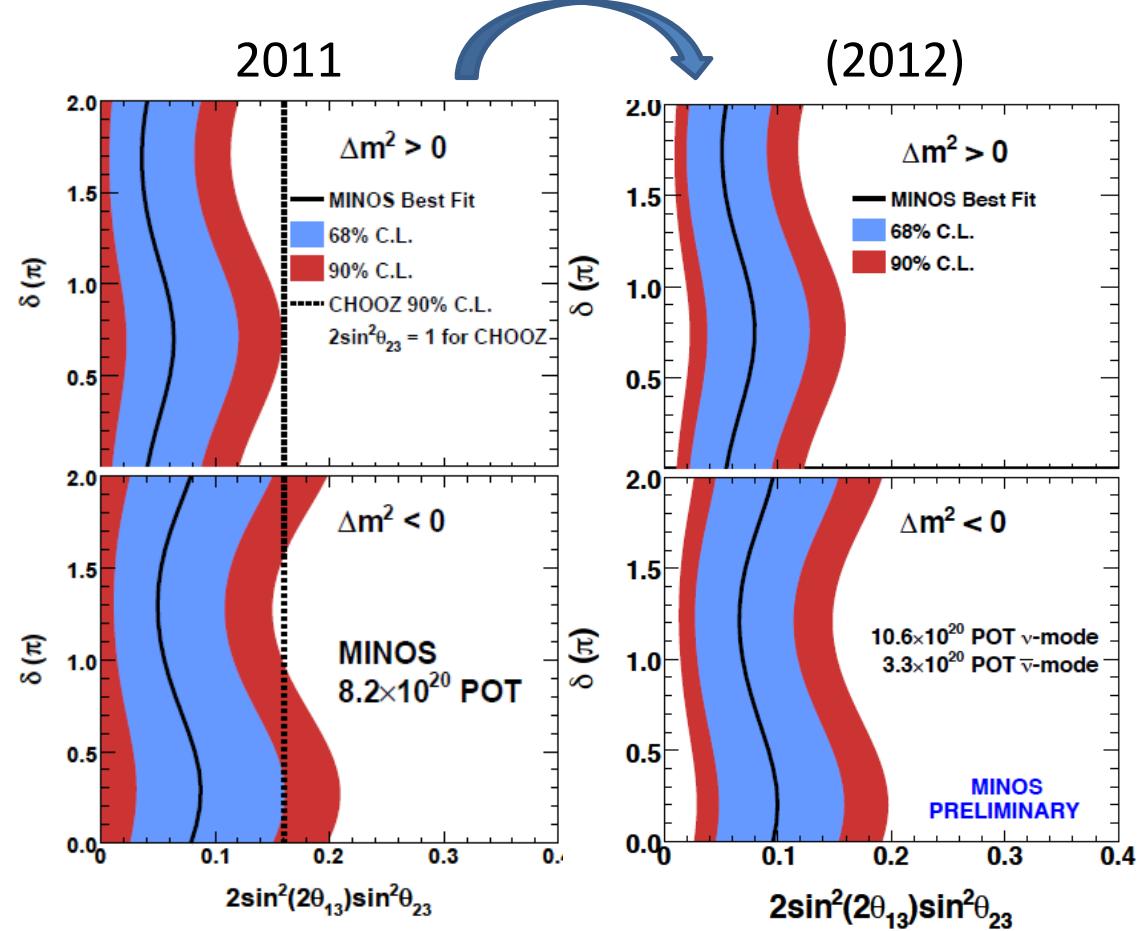
# MINOS

MINOS PRL 107, 181802 (2011)

R. Nichol (MINOS) nu2012



Better match to  $\nu_e$



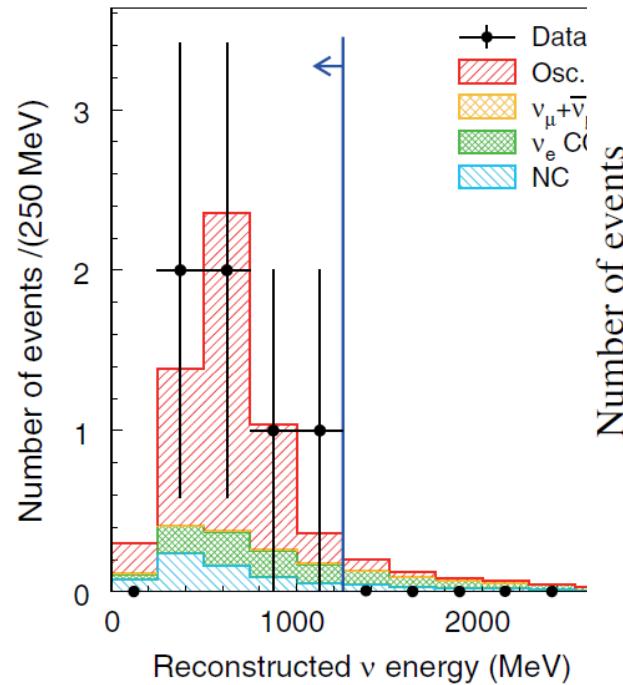
$\theta_{13}=0$  disfavored at  
89%CL (2011)

$\theta_{13}=0$  disfavored at  
96%CL (2012)

## $\nu_e$ appearance search

**2011**

T2K PRL 107, 041801 (2011)

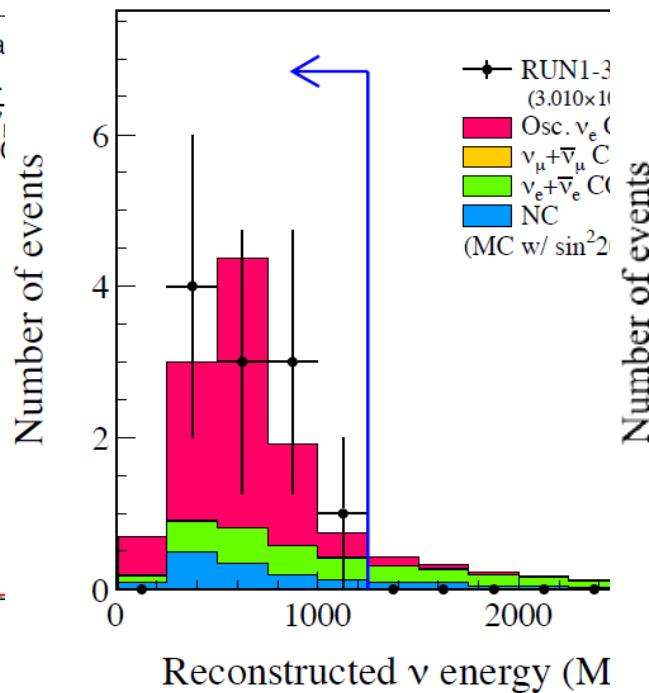


Obs'd: 6

BG:  $1.5 \pm 0.3$ (syst)  
( $2.5\sigma$  excess)

**(2012)**

T2K nu2012,  
arXiv: 1304.0841

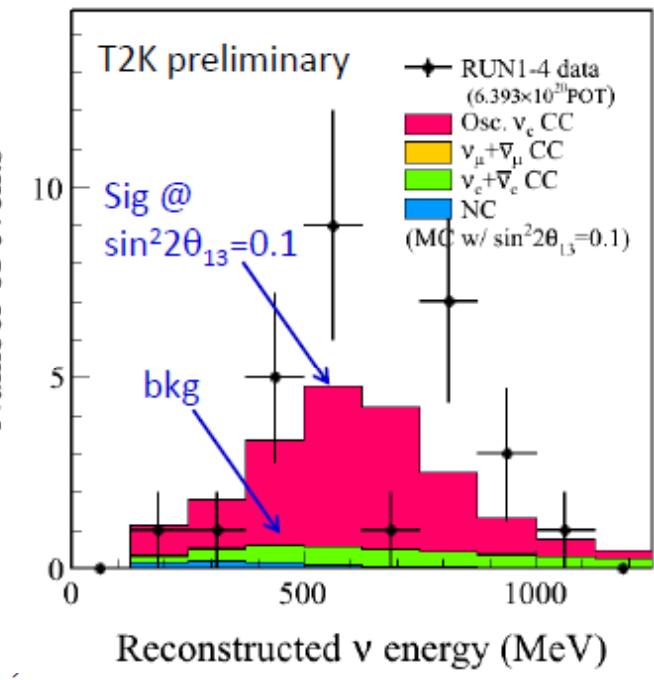


Obs'd: 11

BG:  $3.3 \pm 0.4$ (syst)  
( $3.1\sigma$  excess)

**(2013)**

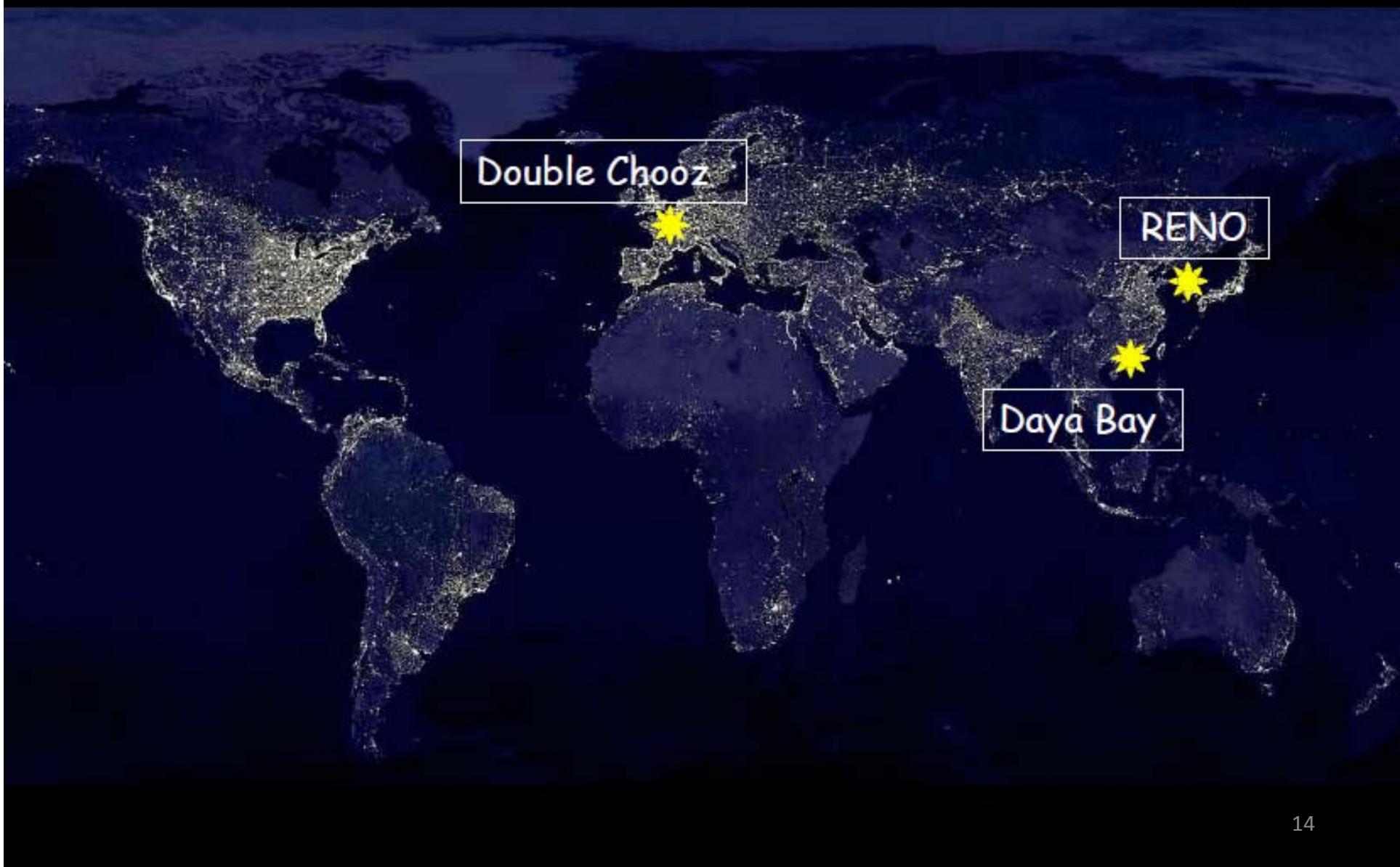
T2K EPS2013



Obs'd: 28

BG:  $4.64 \pm 0.51$ (syst)  
( $7.5\sigma$  excess)

# *Reactor $\theta_{13}$ experiments*



# *Reaching $\delta(\sin^2 2\theta_{13}) \sim 0.01$ in a reactor exp.*

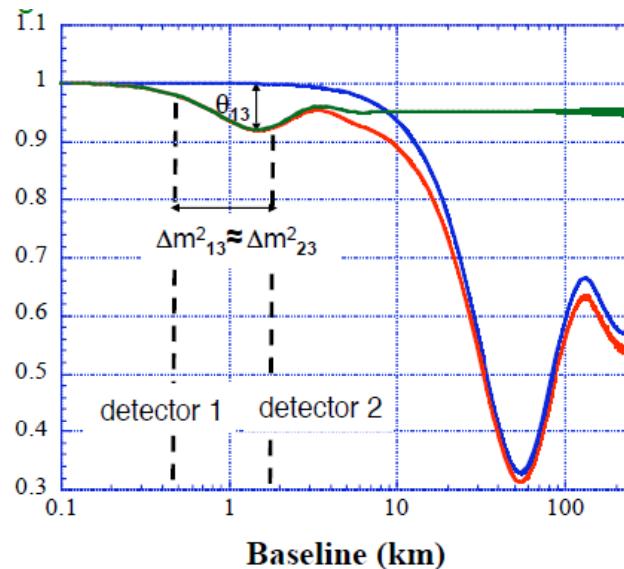
CHOOZ: Data/Expectation =  $1.01 \pm 0.028(\text{stat}) \pm 0.027(\text{syst})$

## *Increasing statistics:*

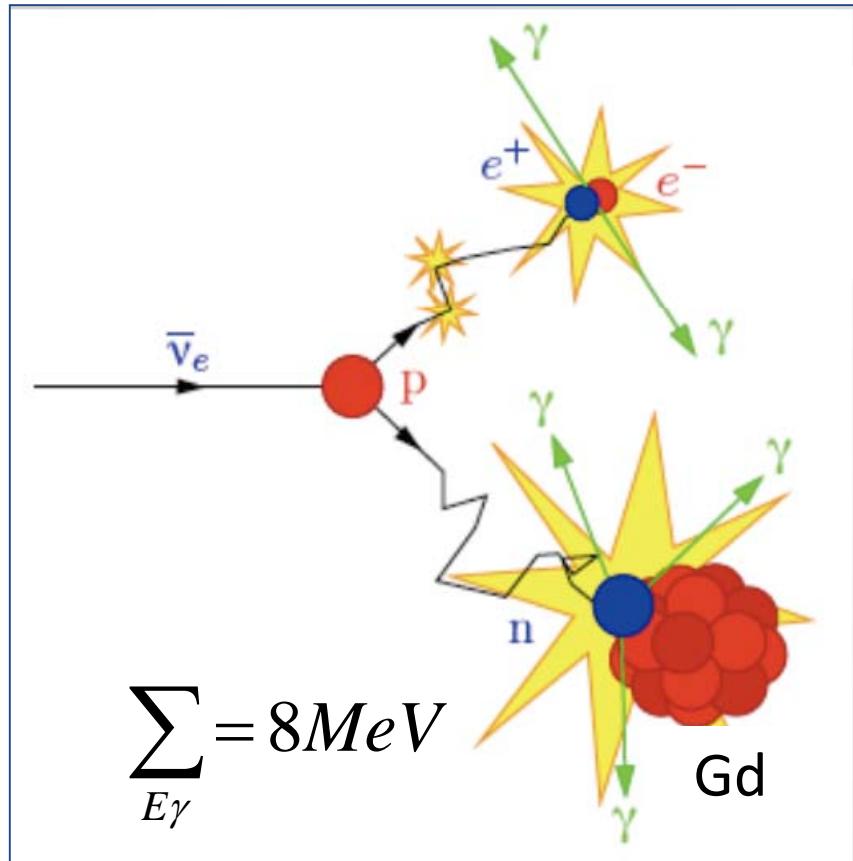
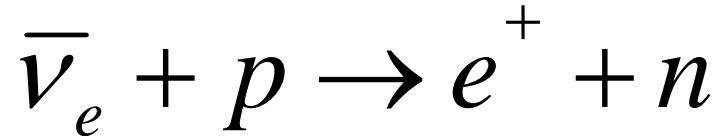
- larger detector
- Longer run time
- Powerful reactor

## *Reducing systematic errors:*

- Near and far detectors to minimize the normalization errors
- Near and far detector should be identical
- Optimized baseline for best sensitivity
- Deep enough to reduce the cosmic-ray induced backgrounds
- Enough shielding, clean scintillator
- Good (inter) calibration and monitoring



# *Detecting reactor neutrinos in reactor $\theta_{13}$ experiments*



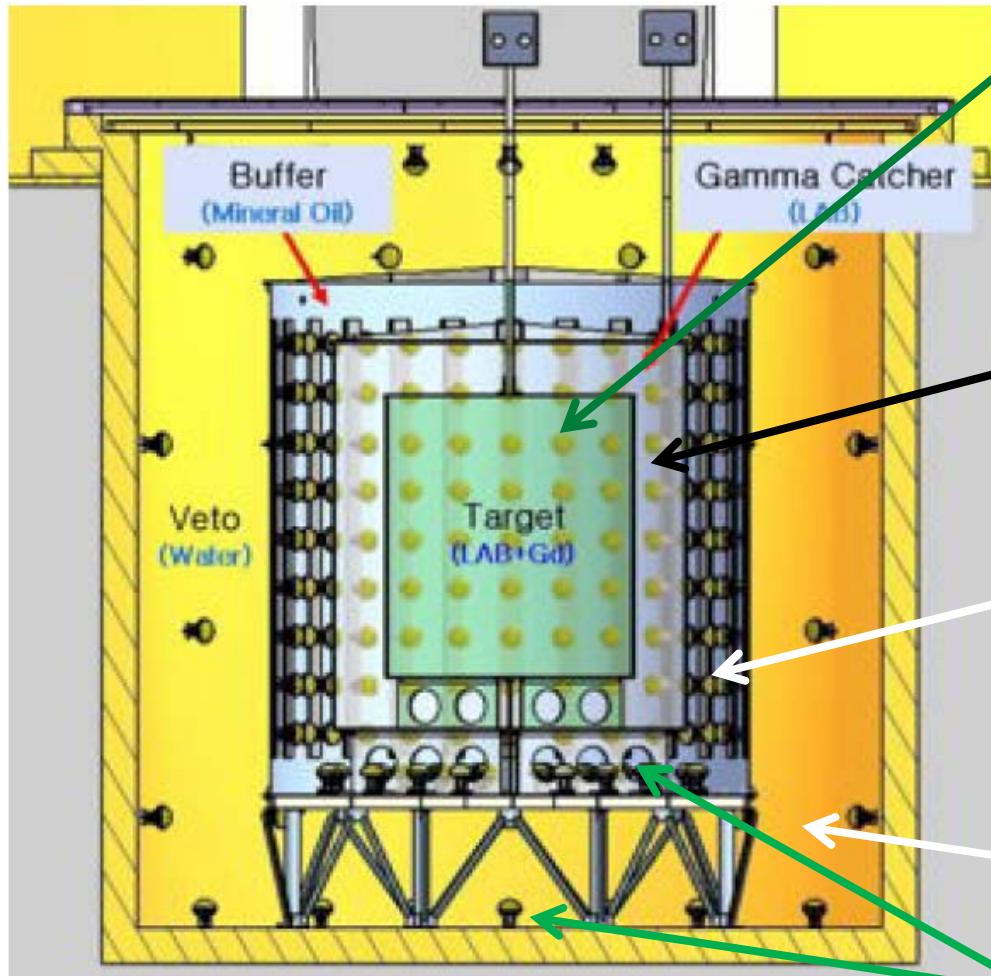
Neutron capture time  $\sim 30\mu\text{sec}$  for typical  $\theta_{13}$  experiments

Neutrino capture on Gd have advantages (compared with that on hydrogen):

- ✓ Higher total gamma ray energy (8 MeV vs. 2.2 MeV)
- ✓ Shorter neutron capture time ( $\sim 30\mu\text{sec}$  vs.  $\sim 200\mu\text{sec}$ )
- Better signal to noise ratio

# *Detector design*

Example: RENO (Other experiments have the similar designs)



$\nu$ -target: Volume for  $\nu$ -interaction

0.1% Gd loaded liquid scintillator (to detect neutrons)

$\gamma$ -catcher: Extra-volume with pure liquid scintillator

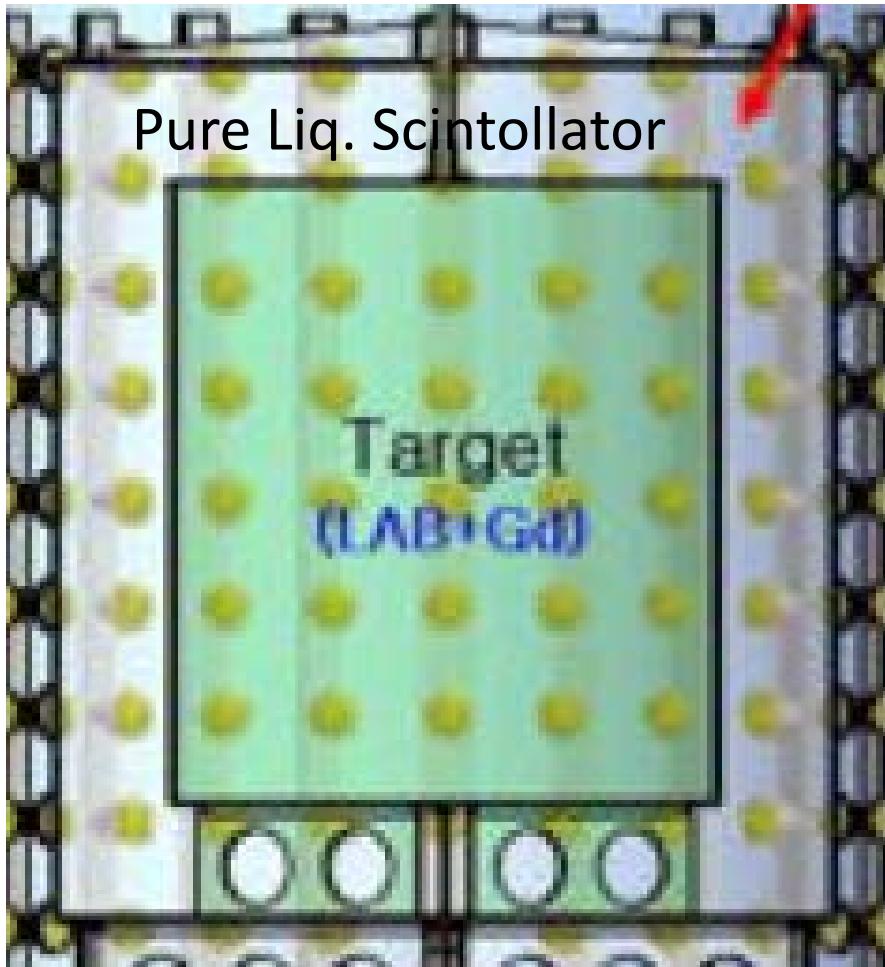
Non-scintillating buffer: Mineral Oil to Isolate PMTs from target area

Veto region (water)

PMTs

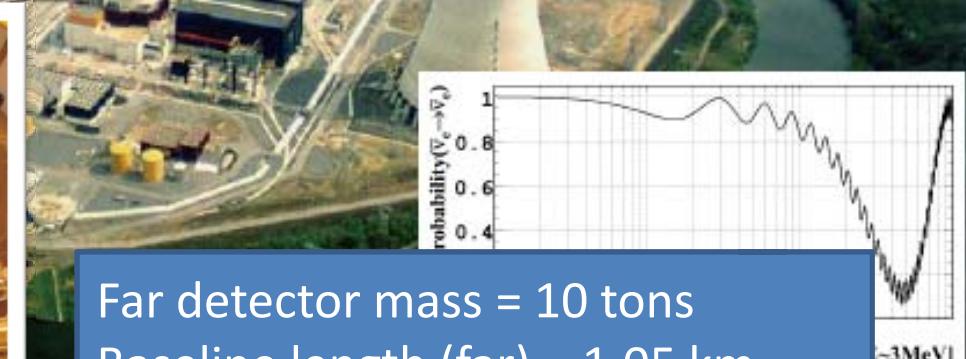
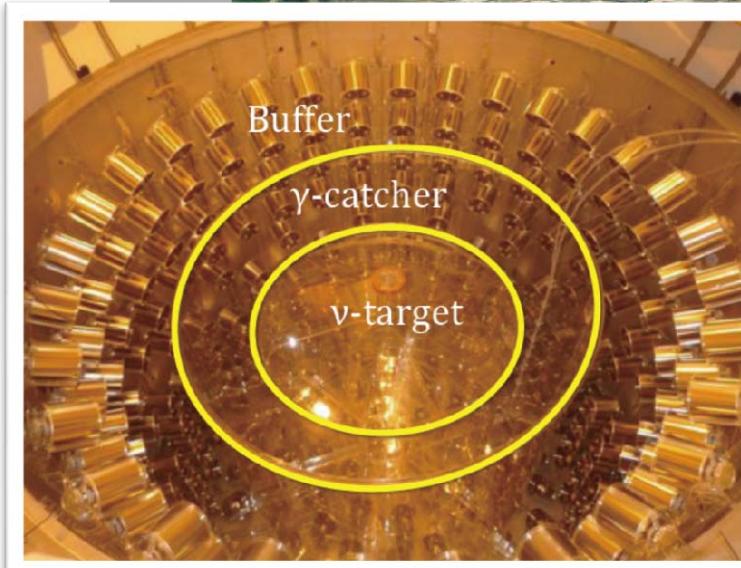
# *Detector design*

Example: RENO (Other experiments have the similar designs)



- The 2 layer configuration (Gd loaded Liq. Scintillator + pure Liq. Scintillator) is very important for the software (vertex position reconstruction) independent determination of the fiducial volume.
- 8MeV neutron capture signals indicate the fiducial volume whose mass is measured very precisely.

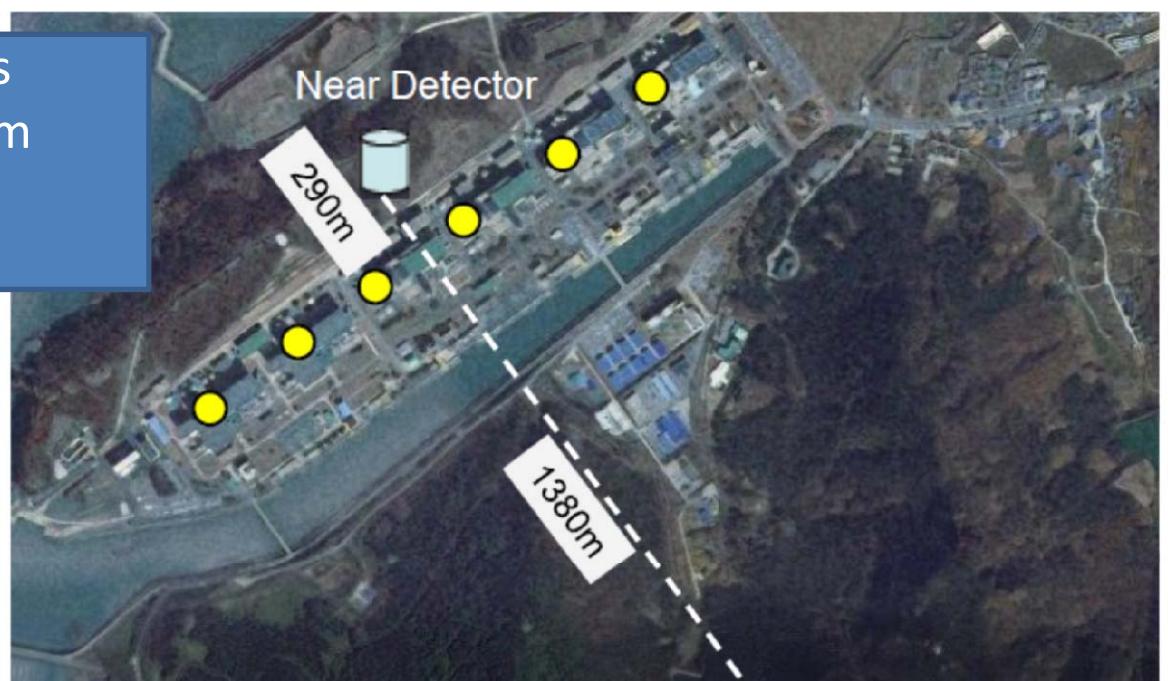
# Reactor $\theta_{13}$ experiment: Double CHOOZ



Far detector mass = 10 tons  
Baseline length (far) = 1.05 km  
Overburden = 300 m.w.e.  
Power = 8.5 GW

# *Reactor $\theta_{13}$ experiments: RENO*

Far detector mass = 16.5 tons  
Baseline length (far) = 1.38 km  
Overburden = 440 m.w.e.  
Power = 17GW



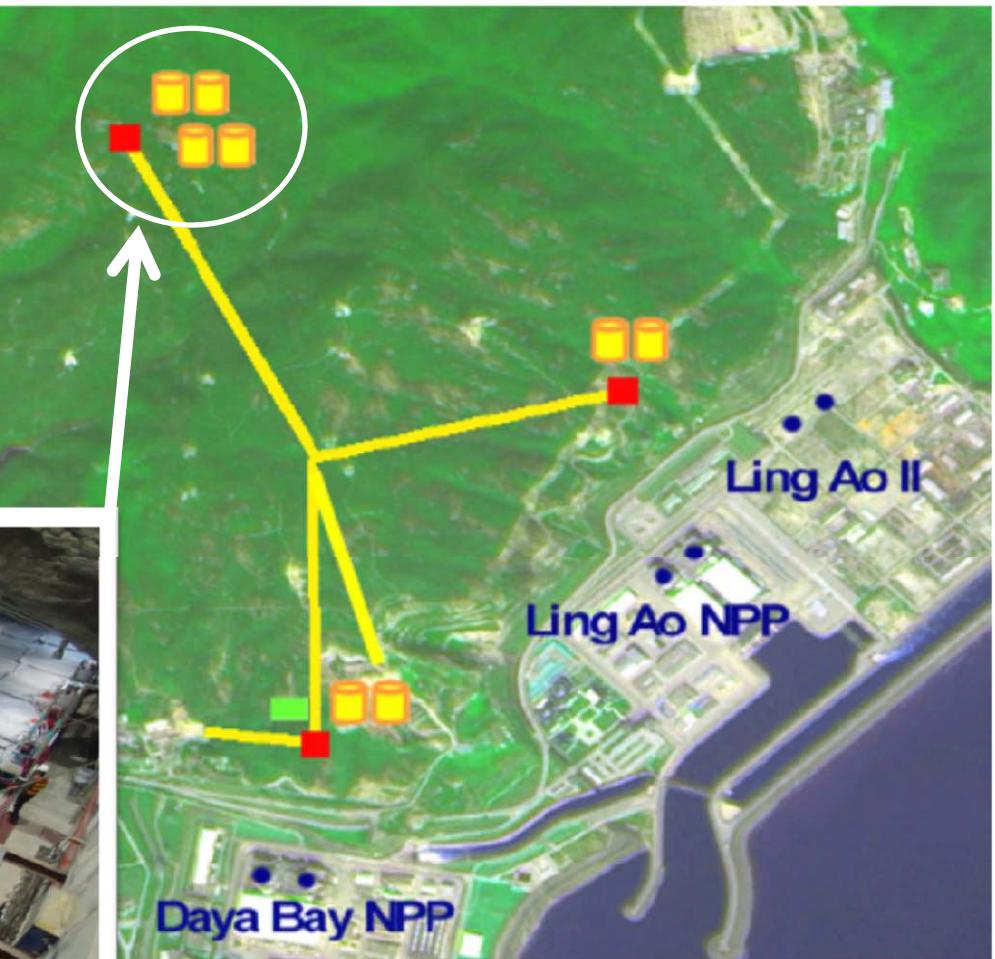
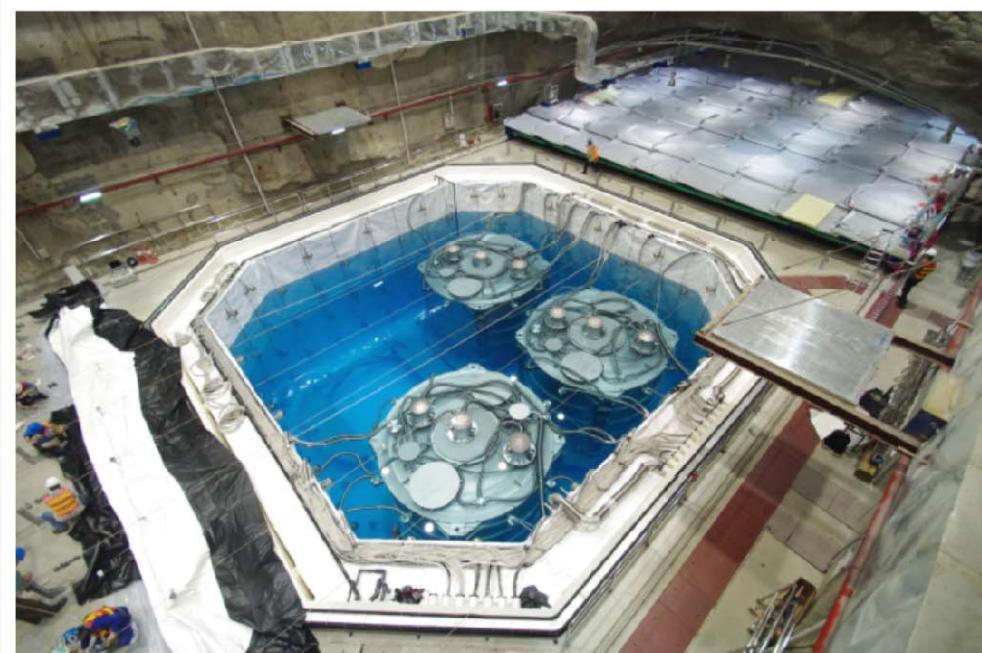
# *Reactor $\theta_{13}$ experiments: Daya Bay*

Far detector mass = 80 tons ( $20\text{t} \times 4$ )  
(60 tons for initial results)

Baseline length (far) = 1.55, 1.9 km

Overburden = 860 m w.e.

Power = 17.4 GW



Full detector (8 detectors)  
operation started in Oct. 2012.

# *Reactor $\theta_{13}$ experiments: comparison*

Y. Wang, EPS 2013

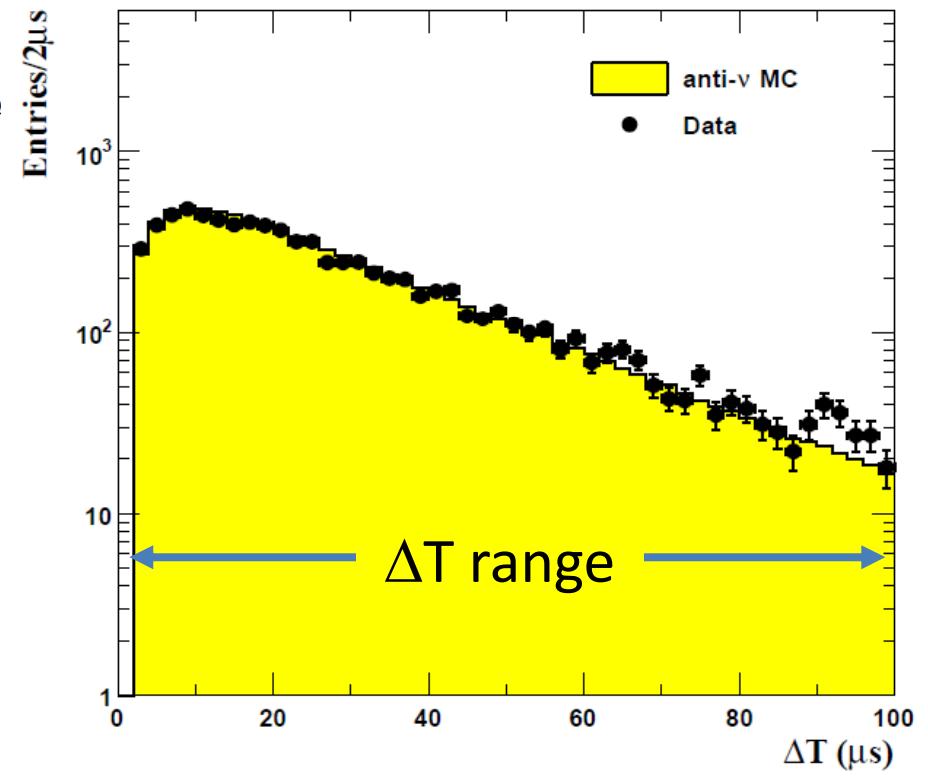
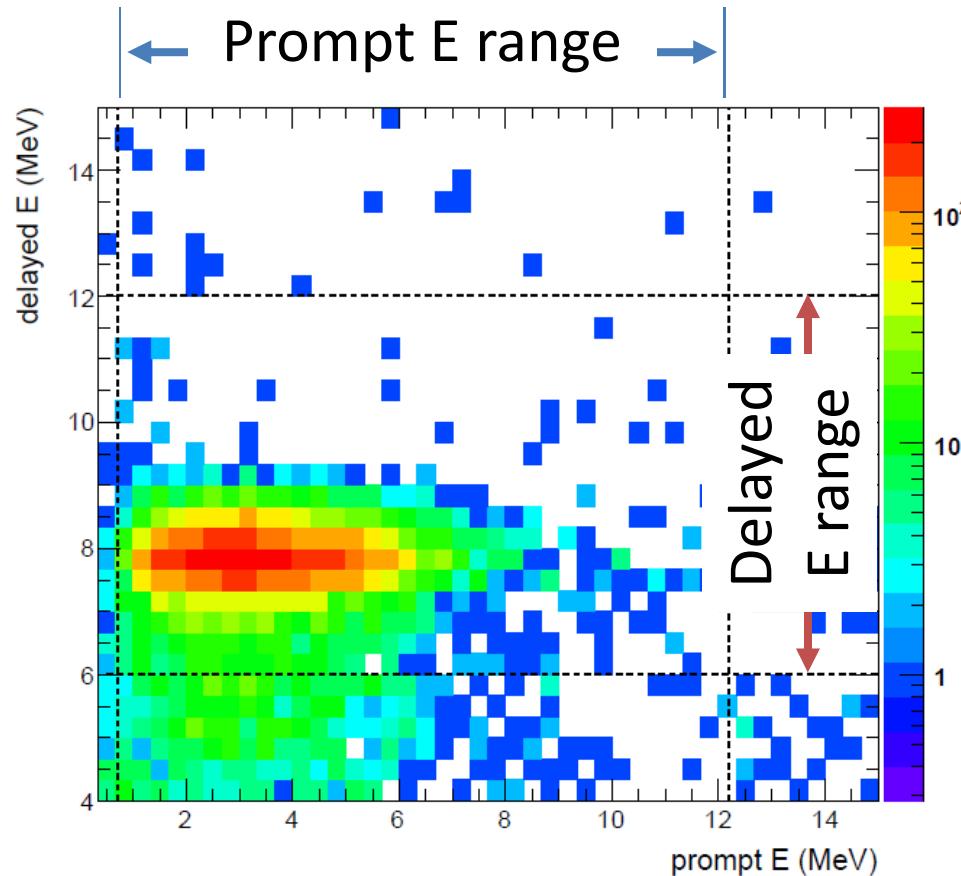
Experiment	Power (GW)	Baseline(m) Near/Far	Detector(t) Near/Far	Overburden (MWE) Near/Far	Designed Sensitivity (90%CL)
Daya Bay	17.4	470/576/1650	40//40/80	250/265/860	~ 0.008
Double Chooz	8.5	400/1050	8.2/8.2	120/300	~ 0.03
Reno	16.5	409/1444	16/16	120/450	~ 0.02

- ✓ For Double Chooz, the near detector still to be installed in 2014
- ✓ For Daya Bay, results for far presented are based on 6 (out of 8) detector configurations.

# *Some distributions*

Double Chooz arXiv: 1207.6632

Double Chooz



# Importance of near and far detectors

Tables from Daya Bay arXiv: 1210.6327

## Correlated and uncorrelated syst. errors among the reactors

Correlated		Uncorrelated	
Energy/fission	0.2%	Power	0.5%
IBD reaction/fission	3%	Fission fraction	0.6%
		Spent fuel	0.3%
Combined	3%	Combined	0.8%

Reactor-to –reactor  
uncorrelated uncertainty.  
→ After taking far/near  
ratio, the final uncertainty  
in the far/near is 0.04%.

## Correlated and uncorrelated syst. errors among the detectors

	Efficiency	Correlated	Uncorrelated
Target protons		0.47%	0.03%
Flasher cut	99.98%	0.01%	0.01%
Delayed energy cut	90.9%	0.6%	0.12%
Prompt energy cut	99.88%	0.10%	0.01%
Multiplicity cut		0.02%	<0.01%
Capture time cut	98.6%	0.12%	0.01%
Gd capture fraction	83.8%	0.8%	<0.1%
Spill-in	105.0%	1.5%	0.02%
Livetime	100.0%	0.002%	<0.01%
Combined	78.8%	1.9%	0.2%

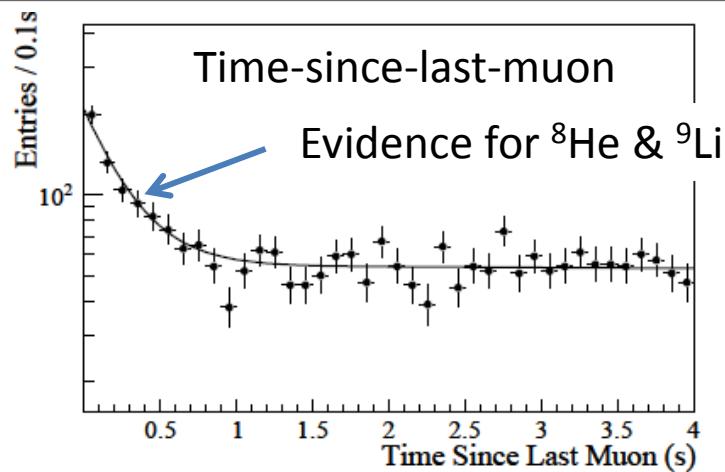
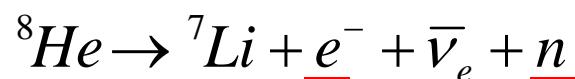
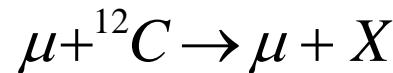
If w/o near detector, the systematic error to the far detector event rate relative to the no-osci. prediction:  
 $\sim\sqrt{3\%^2+0.8\%^2+1.9\%^2+\Delta(BG)^2}$  **~3.6%** ( $\Delta BG$  neglected)

If with near detector;  
 $\sim\sqrt{0.04\%^2+0.2\%^2+\Delta(BG)^2}$   
**~0.2%** ( $\Delta BG$  neglected)

# Importance of BG understanding and depth

Daya Bay arXiv: 1210.6327

Daya Bay	<u>Near detectors</u>			<u>Far detectors</u>		
	(250mwe)	(265mwe)		(860mwe)		
BG	signal	IBD candidates	69121	69714	66473	9788
		Expected IBDs	68613	69595	66402	9922.9
		DAQ livetime (days)		127.5470	127.3763	126.2646
		$\epsilon_\mu$	0.8231	0.8198	0.8576	0.9813
		$\bar{\epsilon}_m$	0.9738	0.9742	0.9753	0.9737
		Accidentals (per day)	9.73±0.10	9.61±0.10	7.55±0.08	3.05 ±0.04
		Fast-neutron (per day)	0.77±0.24	0.77±0.24	0.58±0.33	0.05±0.02
		$^9\text{Li}/^8\text{He}$ (per AD per day)		2.9±1.5	2.0±1.1	0.22±0.12
		Am-C correlated (per AD per day)			0.2±0.2	
		( $\alpha$ , n) background (per day)	0.08±0.04	0.07±0.04	0.05±0.03	0.04±0.02
		IBD rate (per day)	662.47±3.00	670.87±3.01	613.53±2.69	77.57±0.85
						76.62±0.85
						74.97±0.84



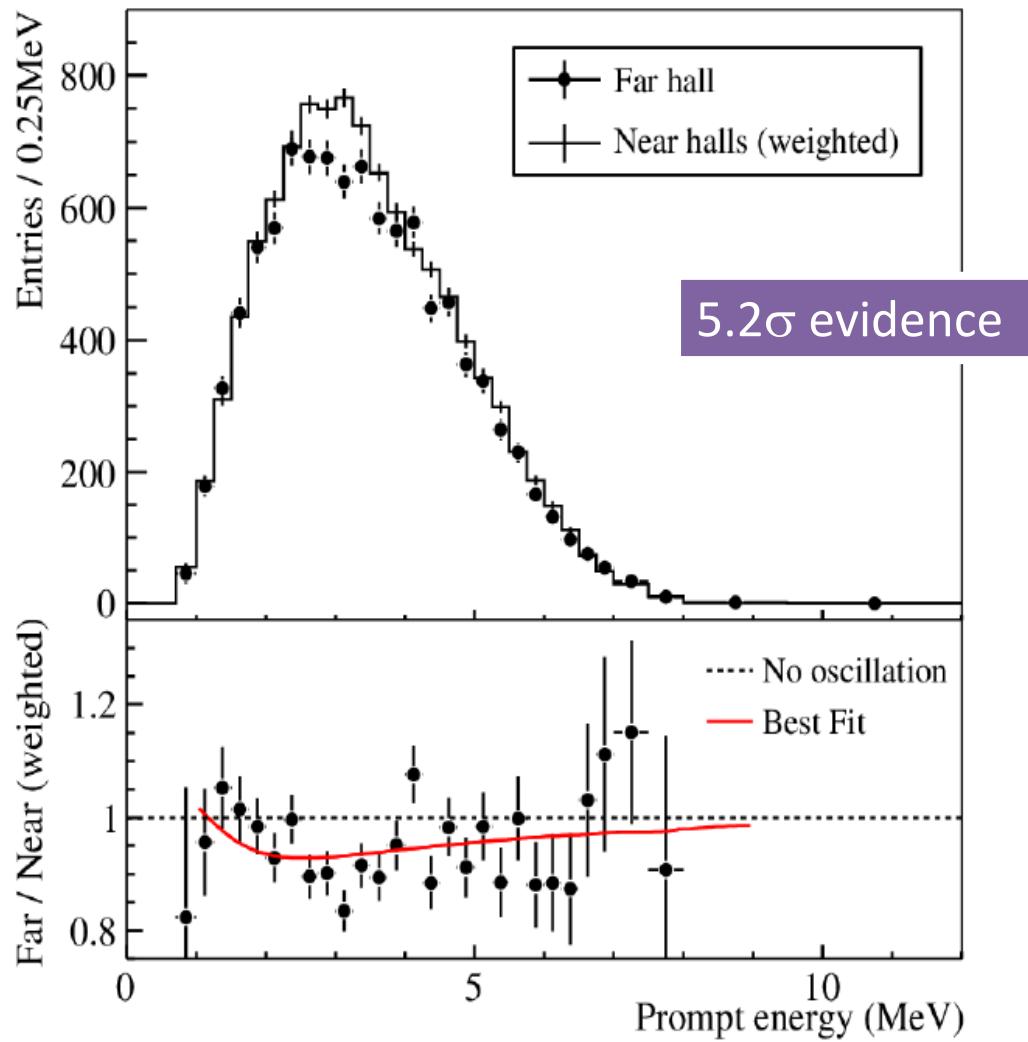
# *Reactor $\theta_{13}$ experiments: Results*

Example: Daya Bay

Daya Bay: arXiv: 1203.1669

March 2012

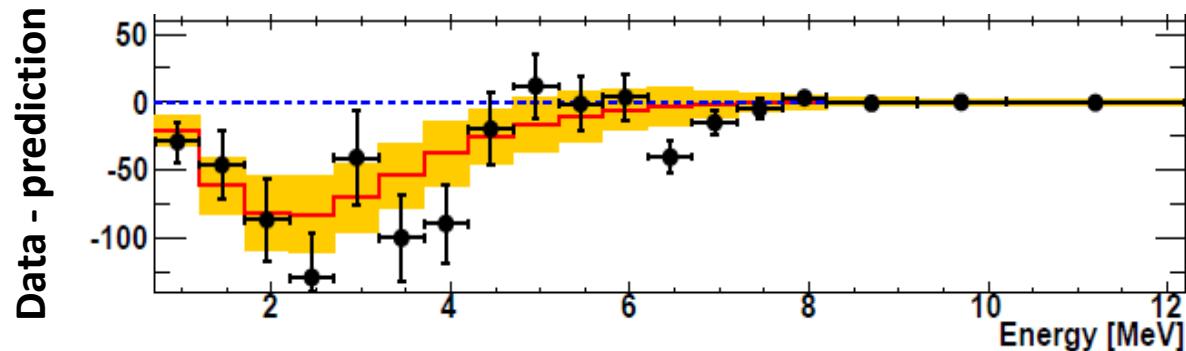
Within a month, RENO  
also published their first  
results.



# *Reactor $\theta_{13}$ experiments: Results @nu2012*

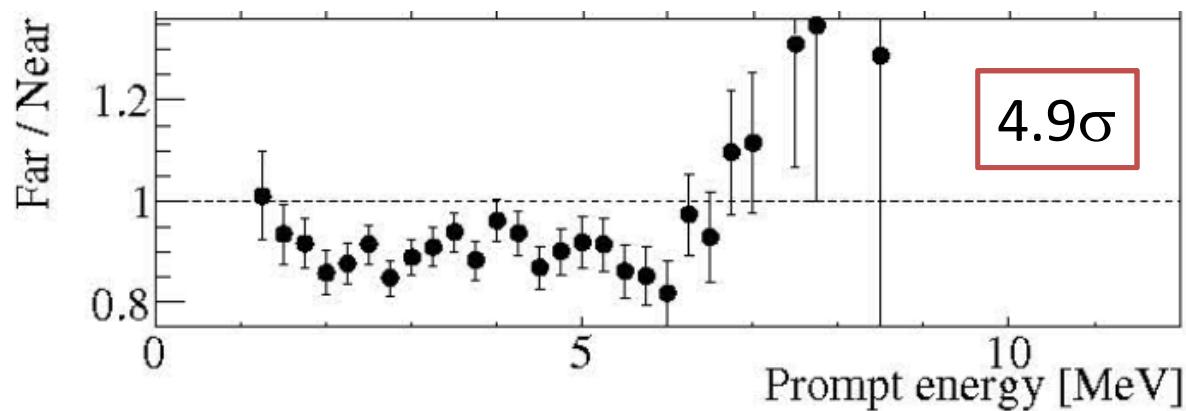
## Double CHOOZ

M. Ishitsuka (DC) nu2012  
arXiv: 1207.6632



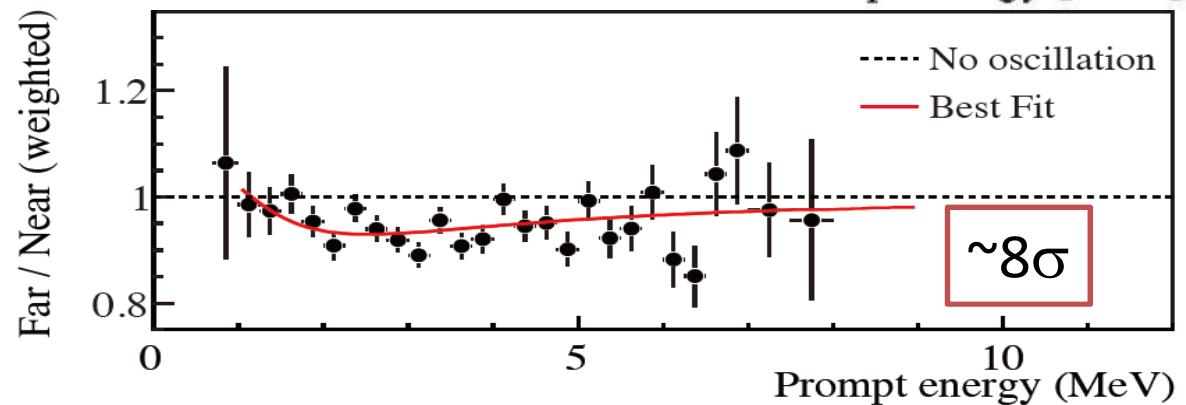
## RENO

M.B.Kim (RENO) nu2012  
arXiv: 1204.0626



## Daya Bay

D. Dwyer (DB) nu2012  
arXiv: 1203.1669

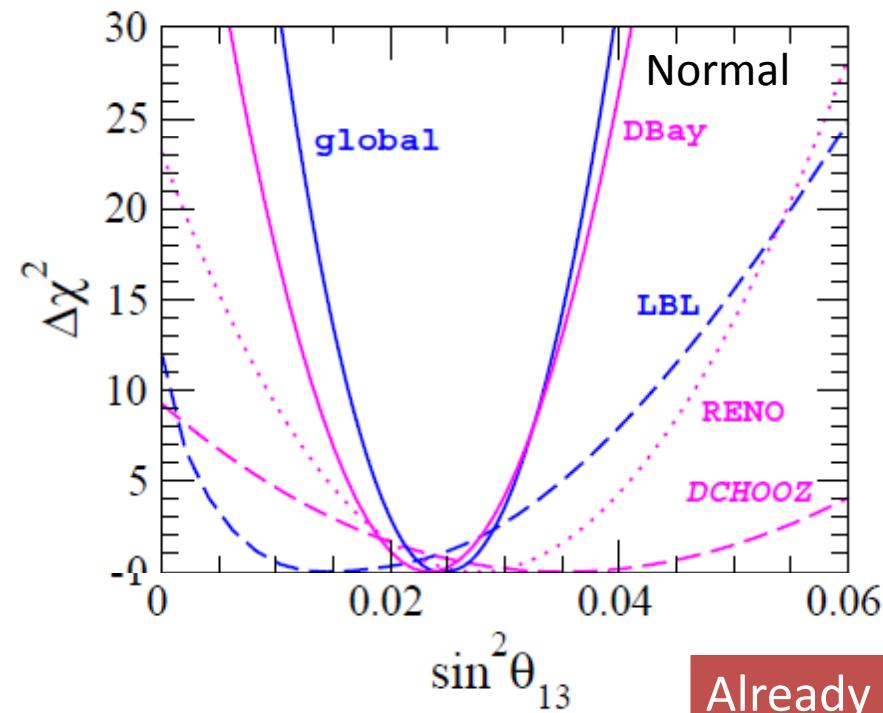


(Updated/new analyses from DC and DB are available.)

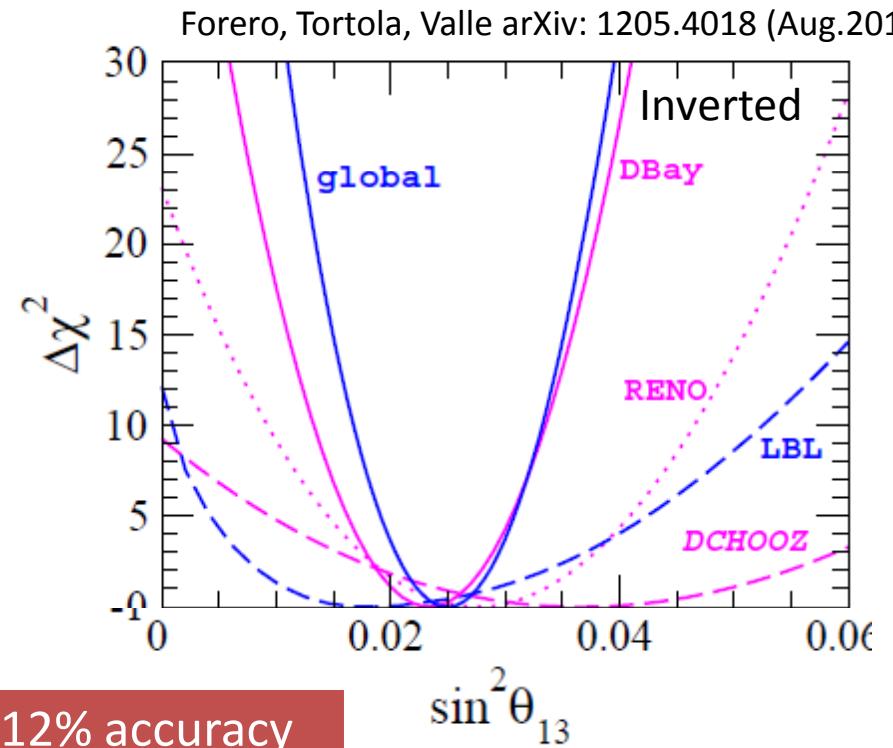
# Reactor $\theta_{13}$ experiments: $\theta_{13}$ value

	$\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$
Double CHOOZ	$0.109 \pm 0.030(\text{stat}) \pm 0.025(\text{syst})$
RENO	$0.113 \pm 0.013(\text{stat}) \pm 0.019(\text{syst})$
Daya Bay	$0.089 \pm 0.010(\text{stat}) \pm 0.005(\text{syst})$

- ✓ In good agreement!
- ✓ Also in good agreement with T2K and MINOS



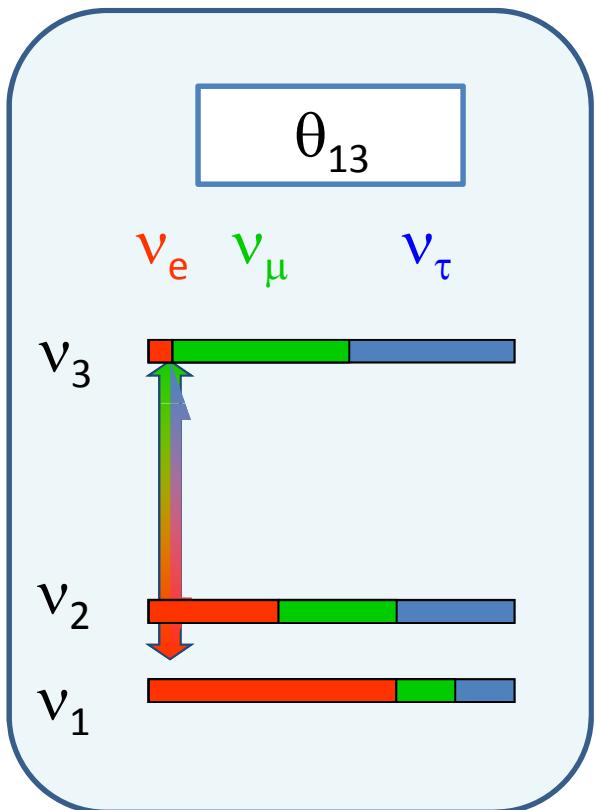
Already 12% accuracy



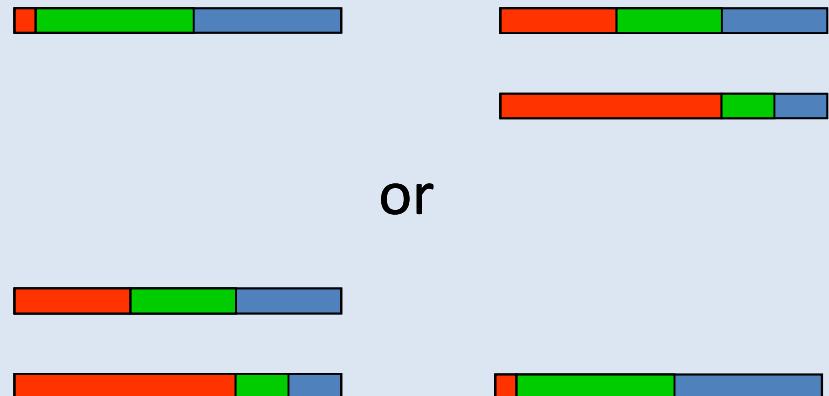
Forero, Tortola, Valle arXiv: 1205.4018 (Aug.2012)

*Beyond  $\theta_{13}$*

# Beyond $\theta_{13}$



Mass hierarchy ?



Is the mass pattern of neutrinos similar to those of quarks and charged leptons?

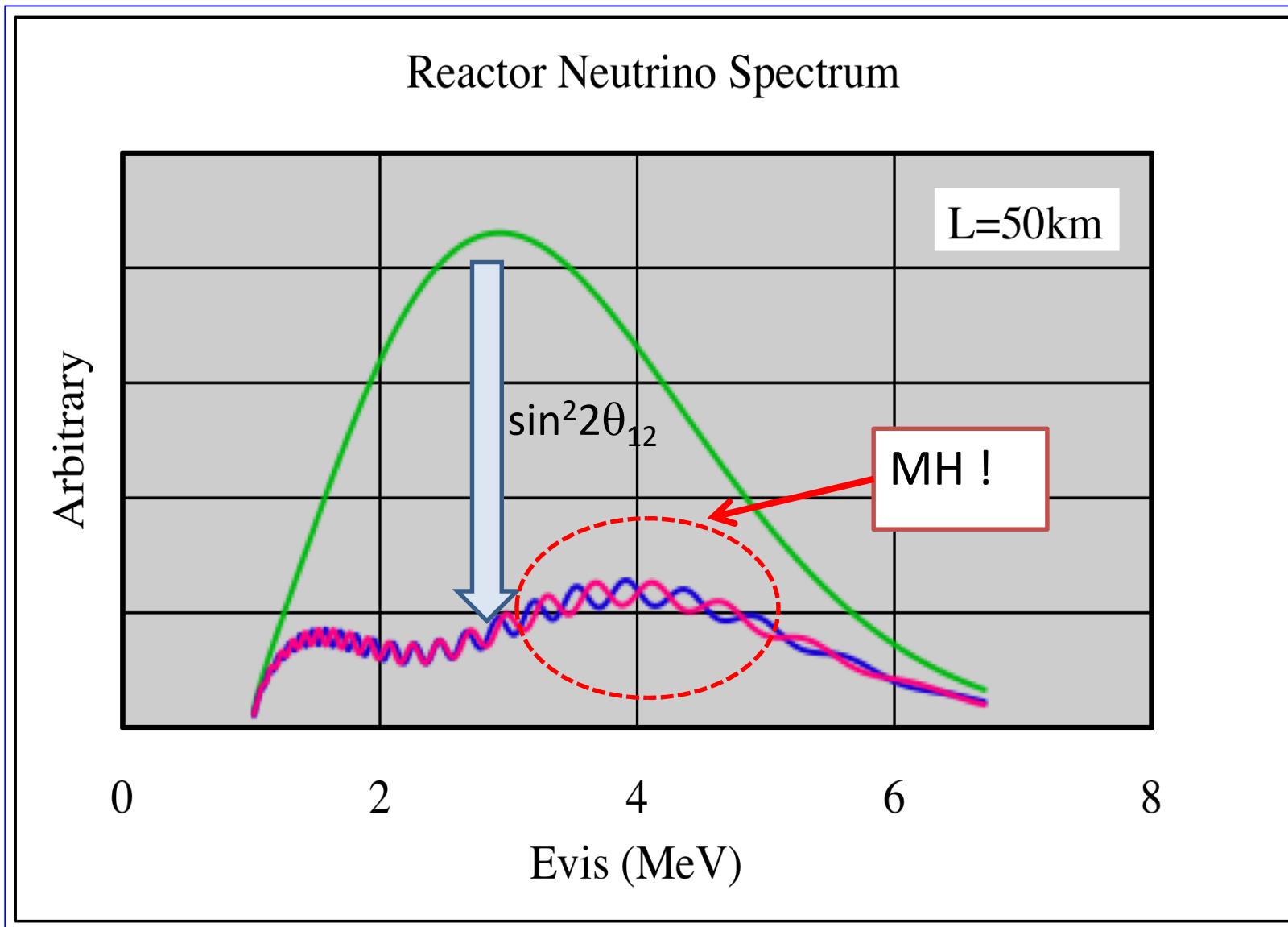
CP violation ?

$$P(v_\alpha \rightarrow v_\beta) \neq P(\bar{v}_\alpha \rightarrow \bar{v}_\beta) ?$$

Baryon asymmetry of the Universe?

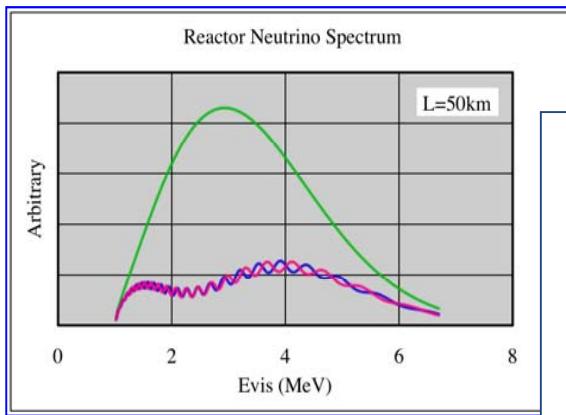
# *Future reactor experiments*

# *Reactor experiments for MH*



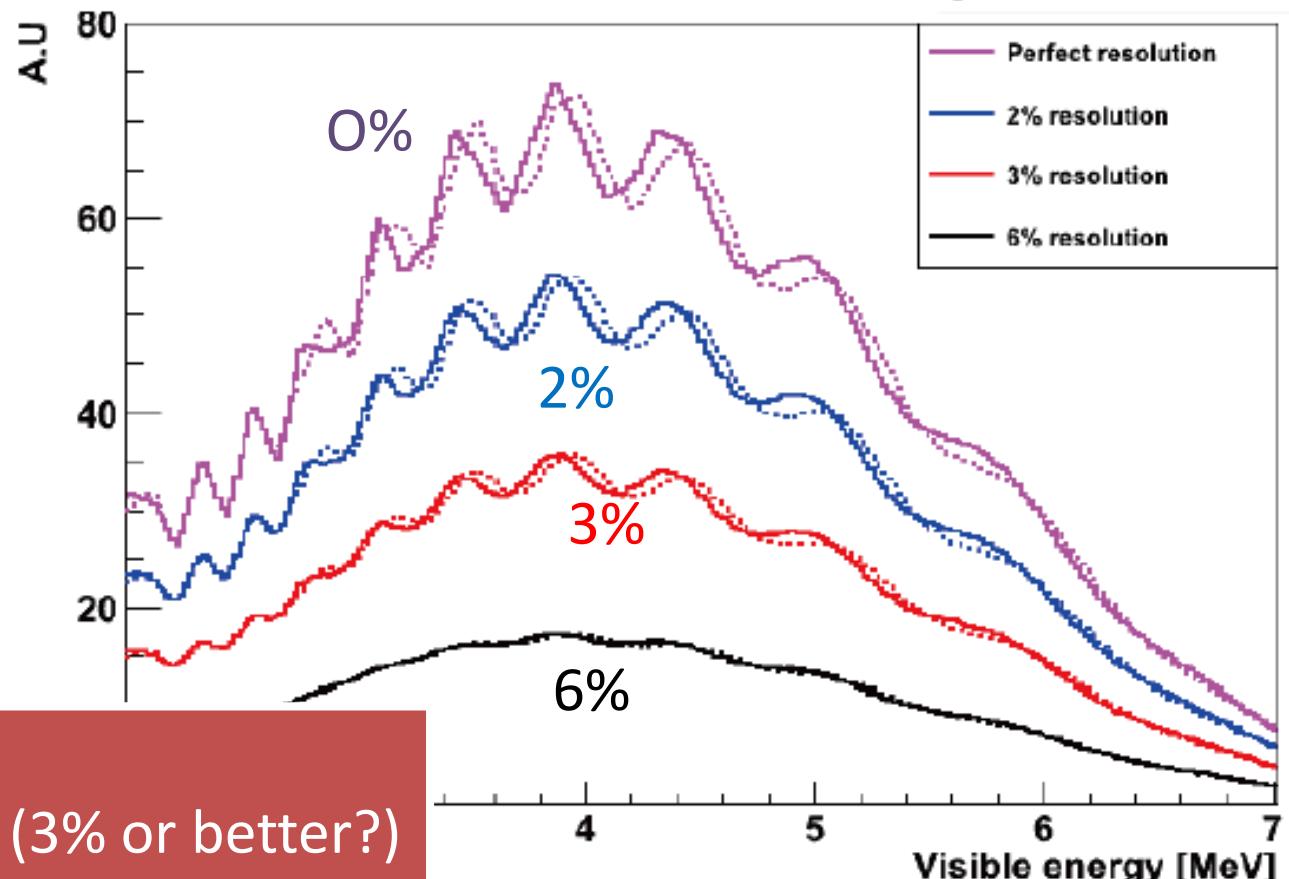
# The keys for MH

Refs: RENO-50 workshop June 2013



## Energy resolution

**Solid line : Normal hierarchy**  
**Dashed line : Inverted hierarchy**

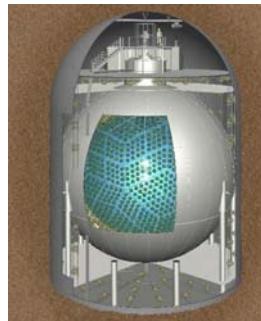


### Keys:

- ✓ Good E. resolution (3% or better?)
- ✓ High stat. (large detector)

# Energy resolution

Reference:  
KamLAND



1kton liq. scintillator  
Viewed by 17inch PMTs (22% coverage)  
→ 300 p.e. /MeV  
→ Energy resolution =  $6\text{-}7\% / \sqrt{E(\text{MeV})}$



Needs > 1200 p.e./MeV with ~20kton fid. mass

- |   |                                 |
|---|---------------------------------|
| • Highly transparent LS                   | L. Zhang RENO50 workshop (2013) |
| – Attenuation length/D: 15m/16m → 30m/34m | X 0.9                           |
| • High light yield LS:                    |                                 |
| – KamLAND: 1.5g/l PPO → 5g/l PPO          |                                 |
| Light Yield: 30% → 45%                    | X 1.5                           |
| • Photocathode coverage:                  |                                 |
| – KamLAND: 34% → ~80%                     | X 2.3                           |
| • High QE “PMT”:                          |                                 |
| – 20" SBA PMT QE: 25% → 35%               | X 1.4                           |
| or New PMT QE: 25% → 40%                  | X 1.6                           |
| Both: 25% → 50%                           | X 2.0                           |

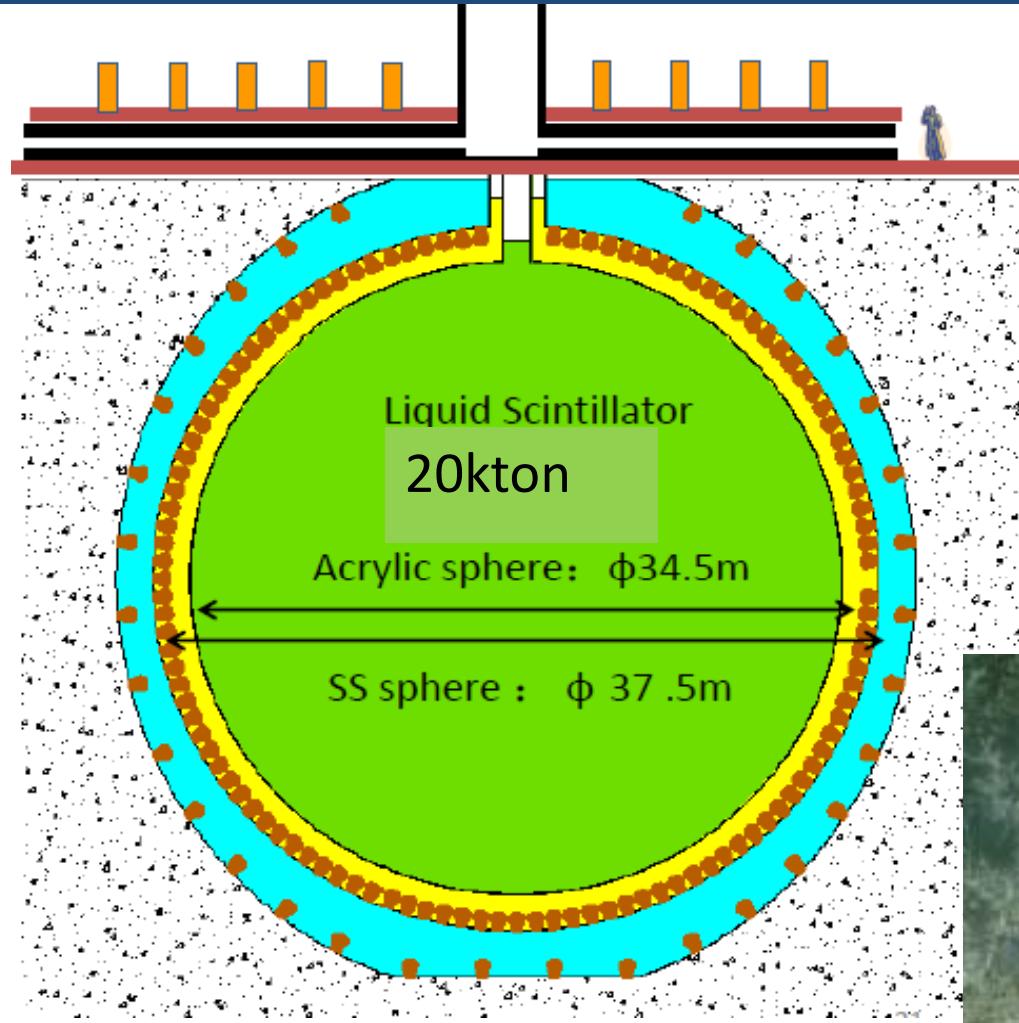
KamLAND  
X (4.3 - 5.0)  
might be possible



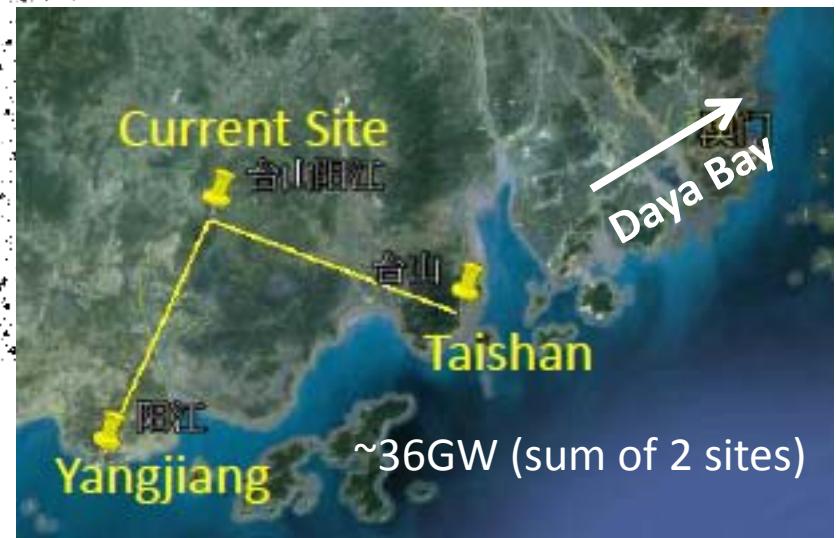
3% /  $\sqrt{E(\text{MeV})}$

# *Reactor experiments for MH*

Refs: RENO-50 workshop June 2013

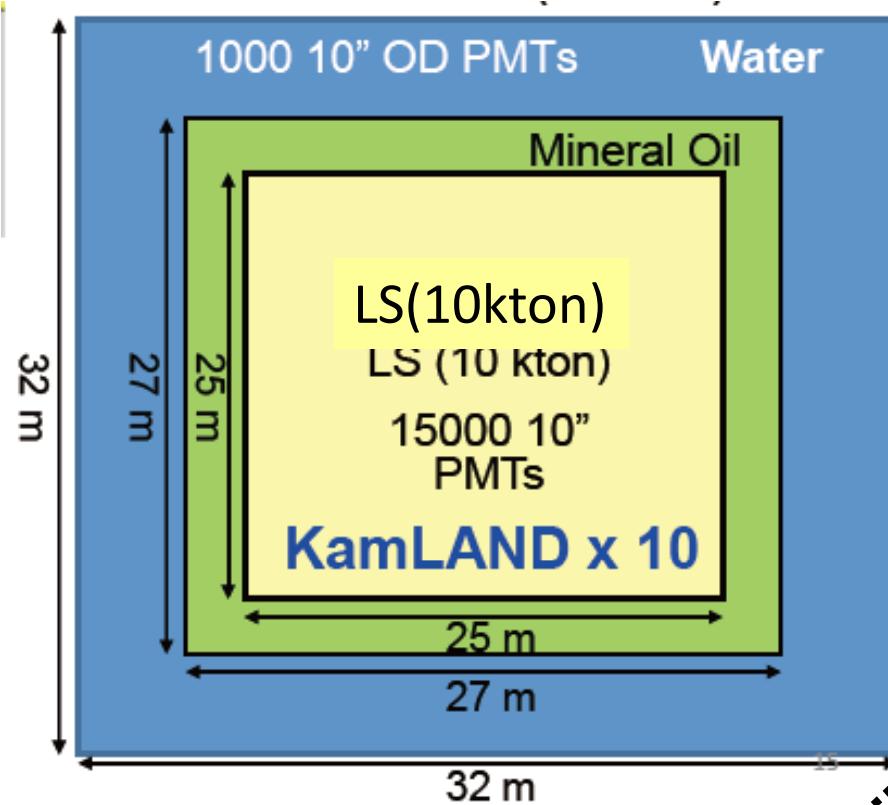


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(previous Daya Bay II)

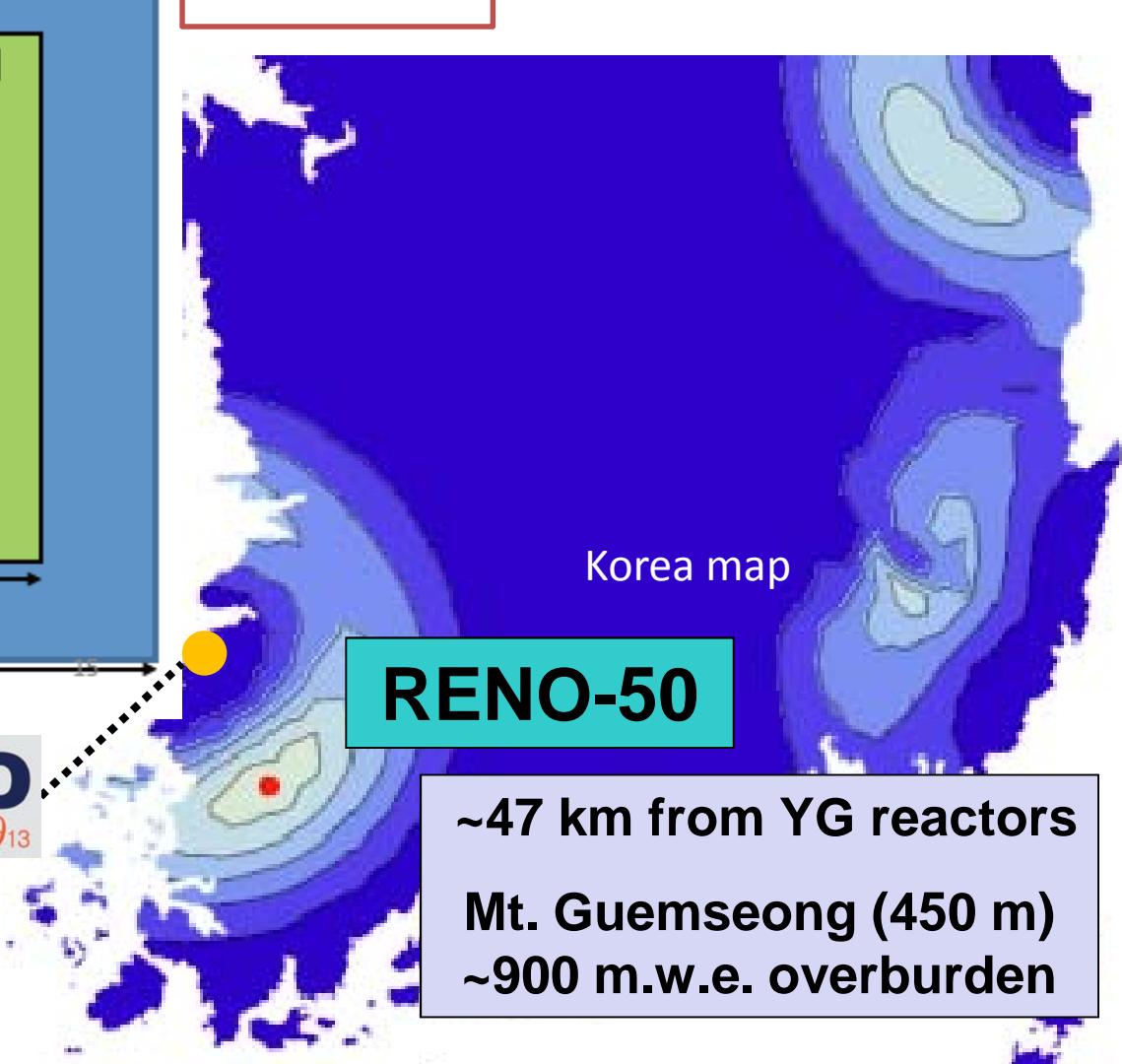


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RENO-50



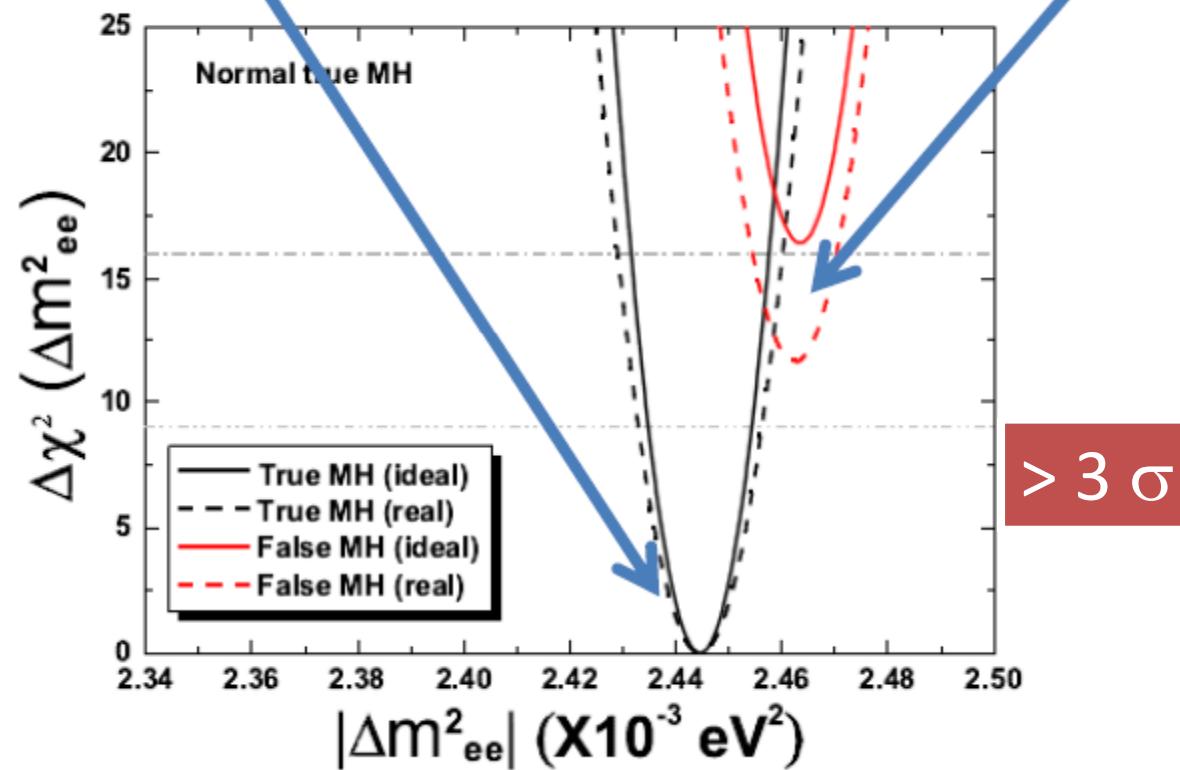
# Sensitivity

JUNO

L. Zhan, RENO-50 WK June 2013

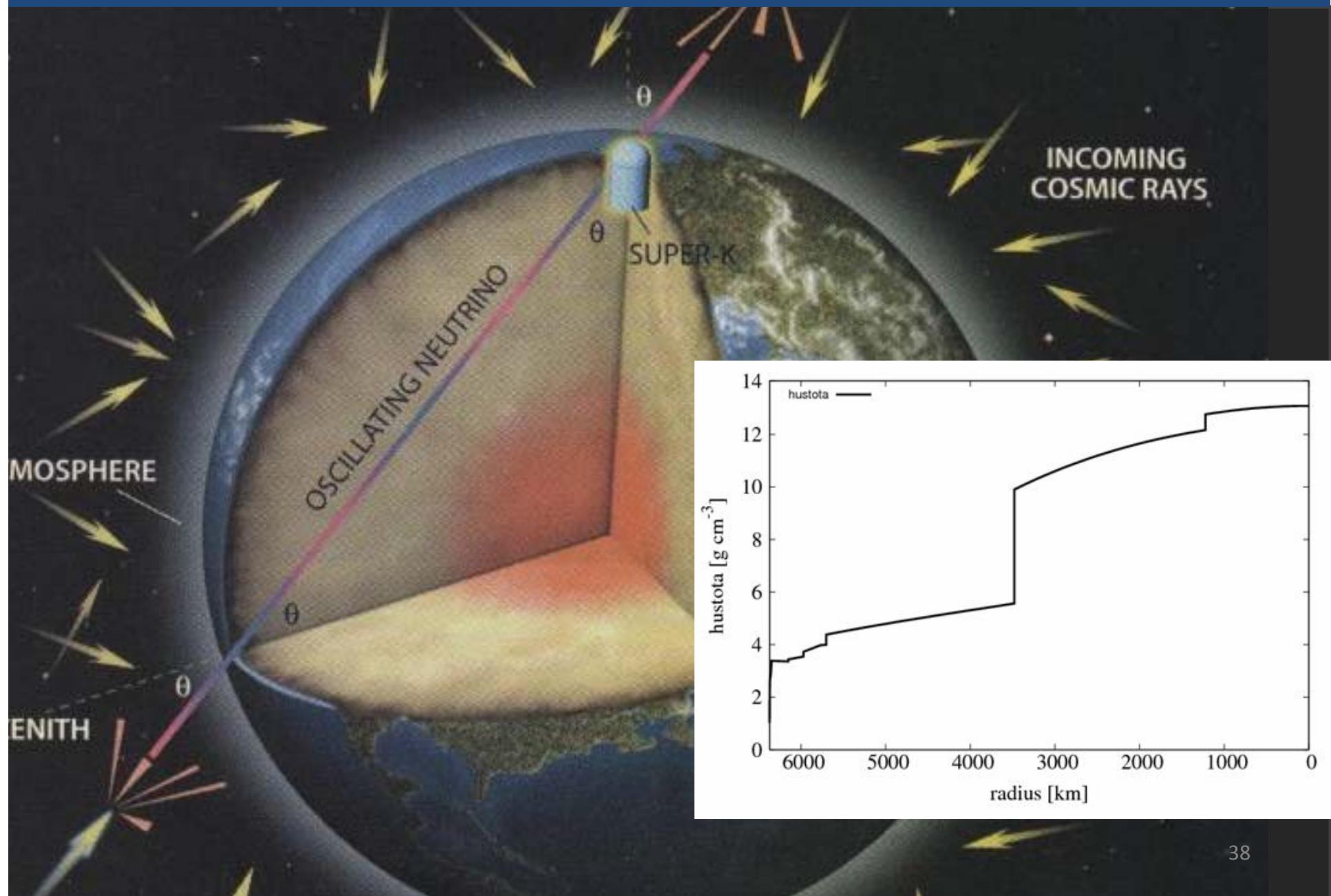
NH spectrum fits to NH

IH spectrum fits to NH



Other physics: precise measurements of  $\theta_{12}$ ,  $\Delta m_{12}^2$ ,  $\Delta m_{13}^2$ , supernova neutrinos, ...

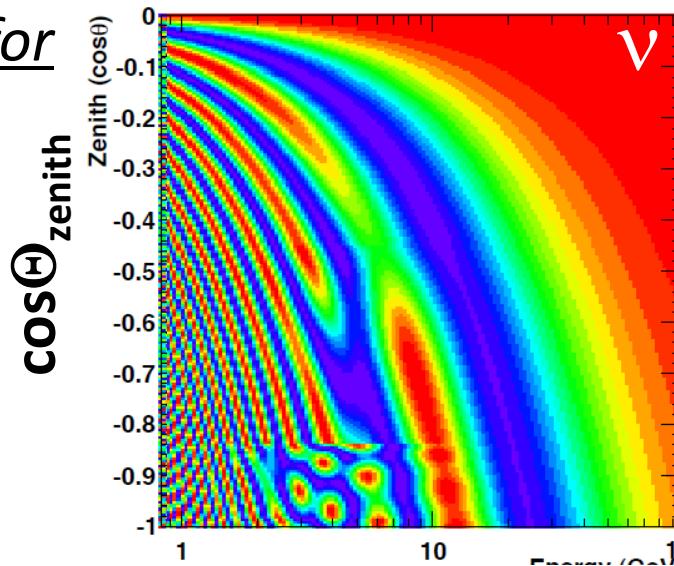
# Atmospheric $\nu$ experiments for MH



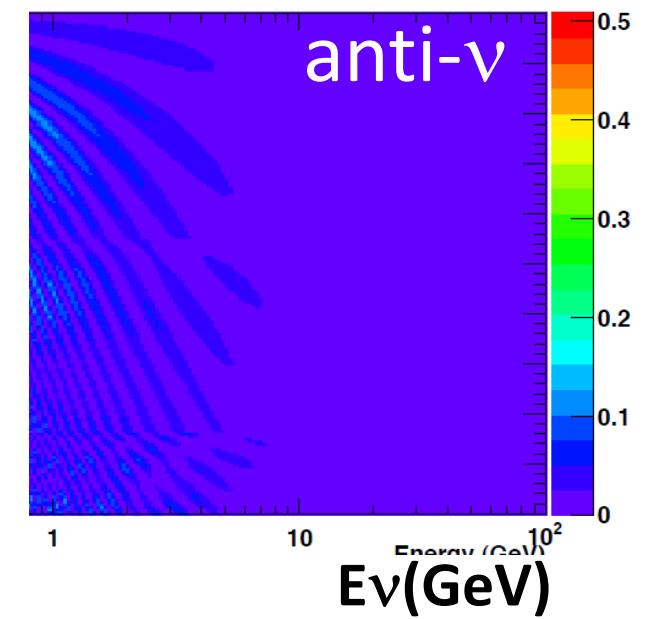
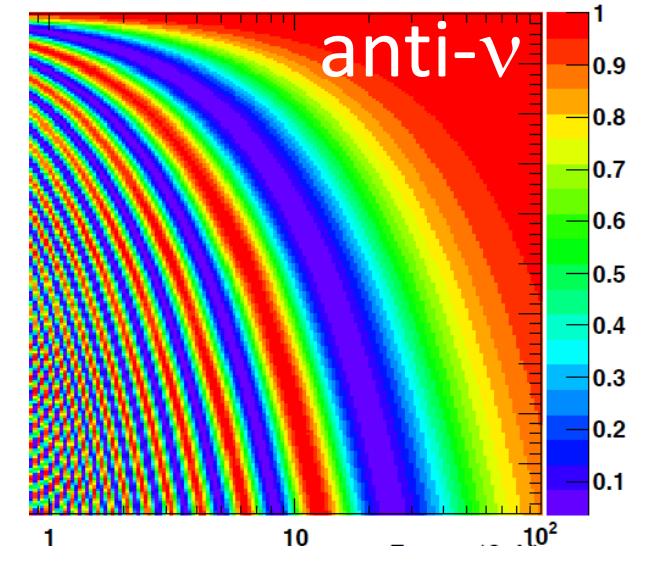
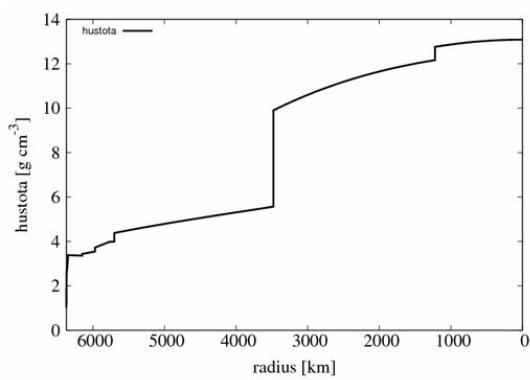
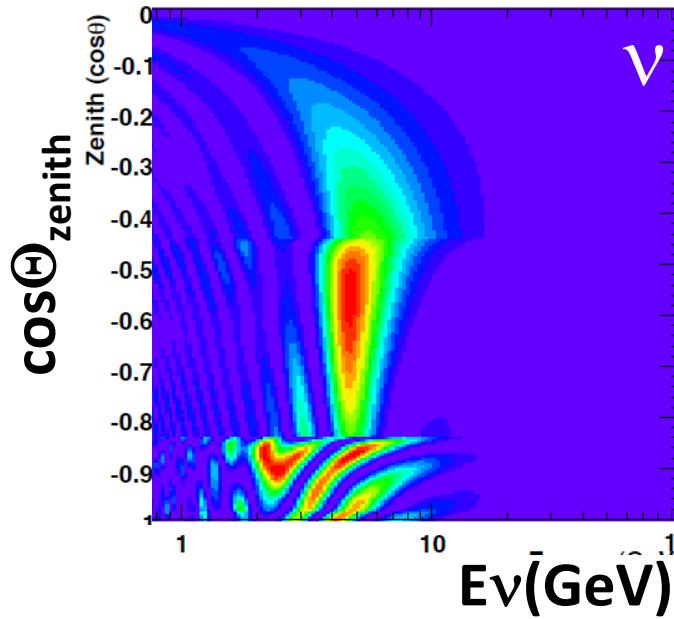
# Oscillation probabilities

Osci. Probabilities for  
Normal Hierarchy

$$P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\mu)$$



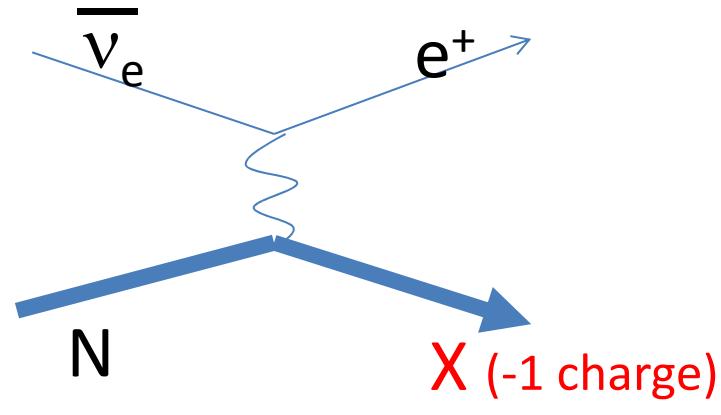
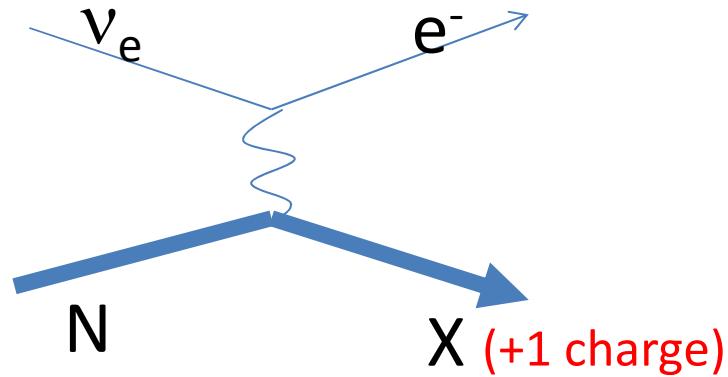
$$P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e)$$



# *Super-K 3 flavor analysis for mass hierarchy*

Super-K has carried out a 3 flavor neutrino oscillation analysis with “ $\nu_e$ ” and “anti- $\nu_e$ ” enriched multi-GeV events.

Idea



$$y = \frac{E_\nu - E_l}{E_\nu} \quad \cdots \text{larger}$$

... smaller

	CC $\nu_e$	CC anti- $\nu_e$	
MER (Most Energetic Ring) momentum fraction	Smaller	Larger	Maximum likelihood (for multi-ring events)
Number of identified Cherenkov rings	More	Less	
Decay-electron	More	Less	

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Multi-GeV 1ring e-like events:

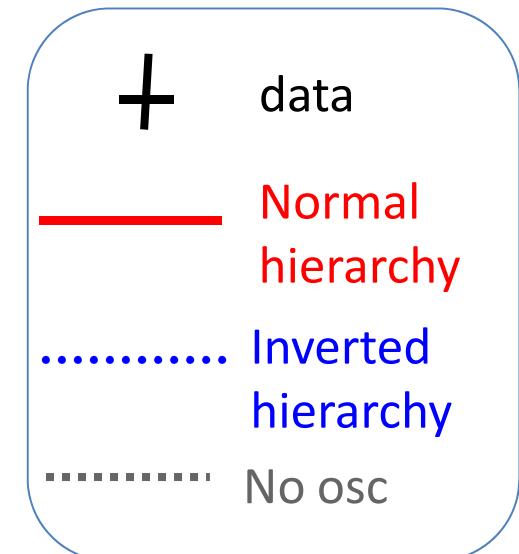
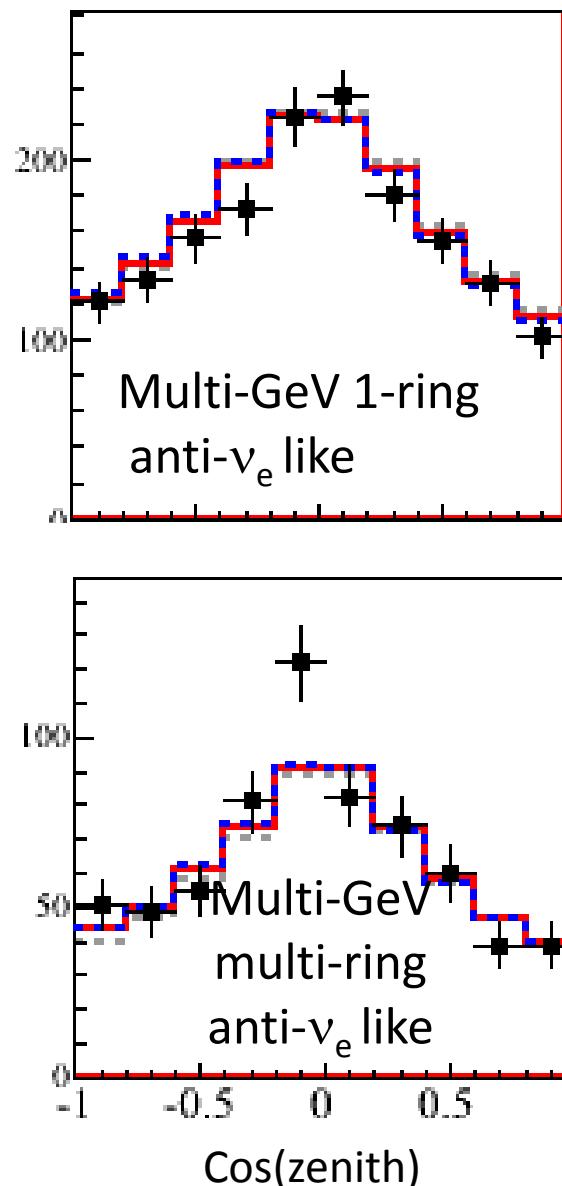
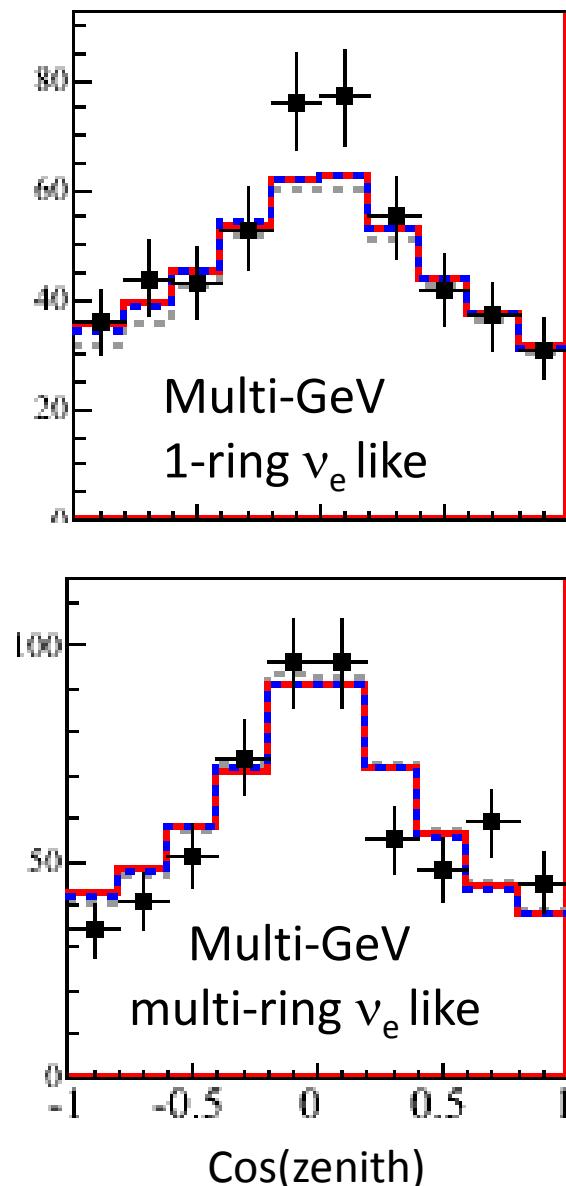
Monte Carlo

	Before separation	$\nu_e$ -like	Anti- $\nu_e$ -like
CC $\nu_e$	57.6%	62.8%	55.9%
CC anti- $\nu_e$	30.6%	10.8%	36.7%
NC+ CC $\nu_\mu$	12.0%	26.3%	14.7%
Nuber of events	568.7	135.9	432.8

Multi-GeV multi-ring e-like events:

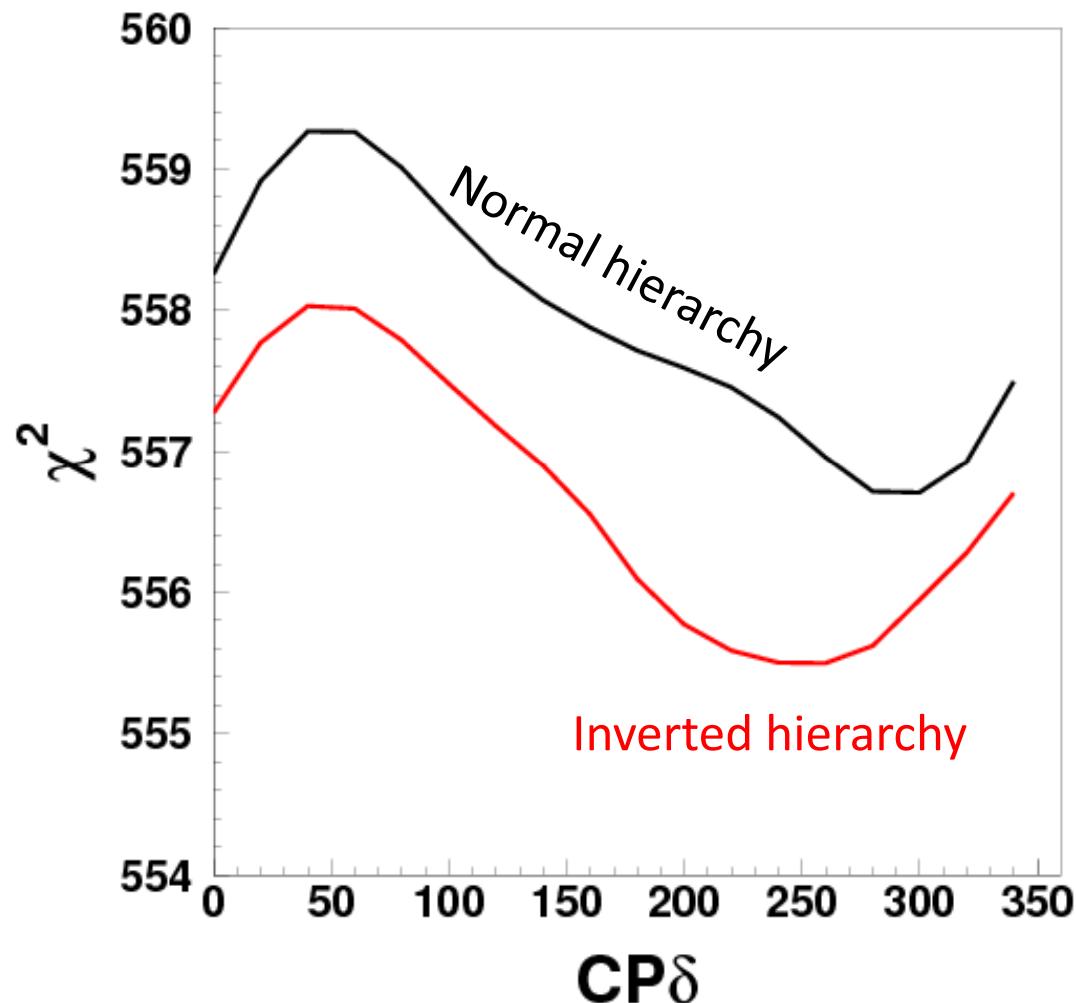
	Before separation	$\nu_e$ -like	Anti- $\nu_e$ -like
CC $\nu_e$	56.1%	59.4%	53.1%
CC anti- $\nu_e$	19.5%	17.9%	21.0%
NC+ CC $\nu_\mu$	24.5%	22.7%	25.9%
Nuber of events	341	161.9	168.1

# *Super-K multi-GeV e-like data*



No clear excess seen in the up-going directions.

# *Super-K result: Mass hierarchy*



$$\chi^2_{\min}(NH) - \chi^2_{\min}(IH) = 1.2$$

Inverted hierarchy gives very slightly better fit.

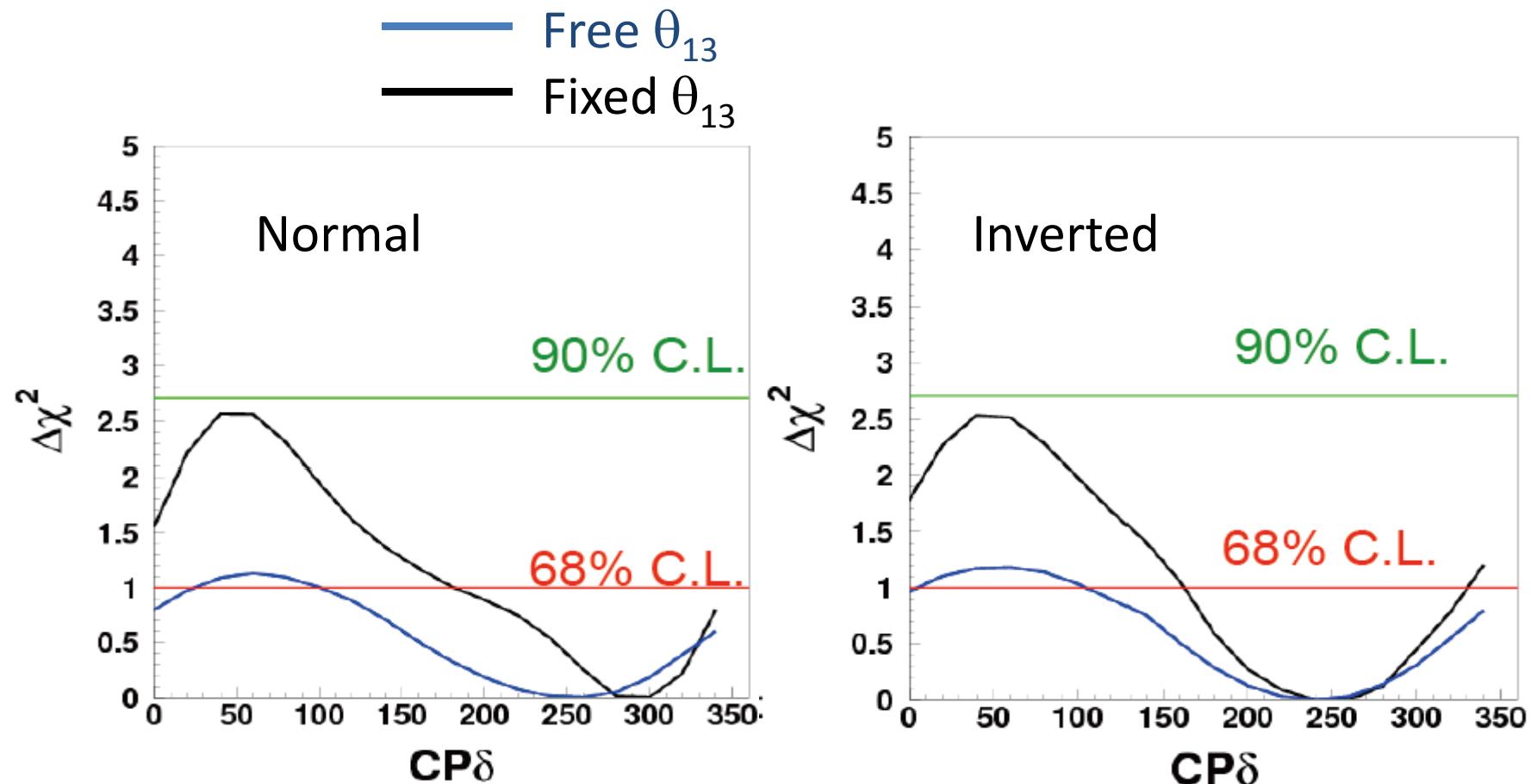
Sensitivity:

$$\chi^2(NH) - \chi^2(IH) = 0.463$$

$$\text{for } \sin^2\theta_{23} = 0.425$$

(if a larger  $\sin^2\theta_{23}$  is assumed the sensitivity is larger, since  $P \propto \sin^2\theta_{23} \cdot \sin^2\theta_{13}$ .)

# *More results from Super-K 3f analysis: $\delta_{CP}$*

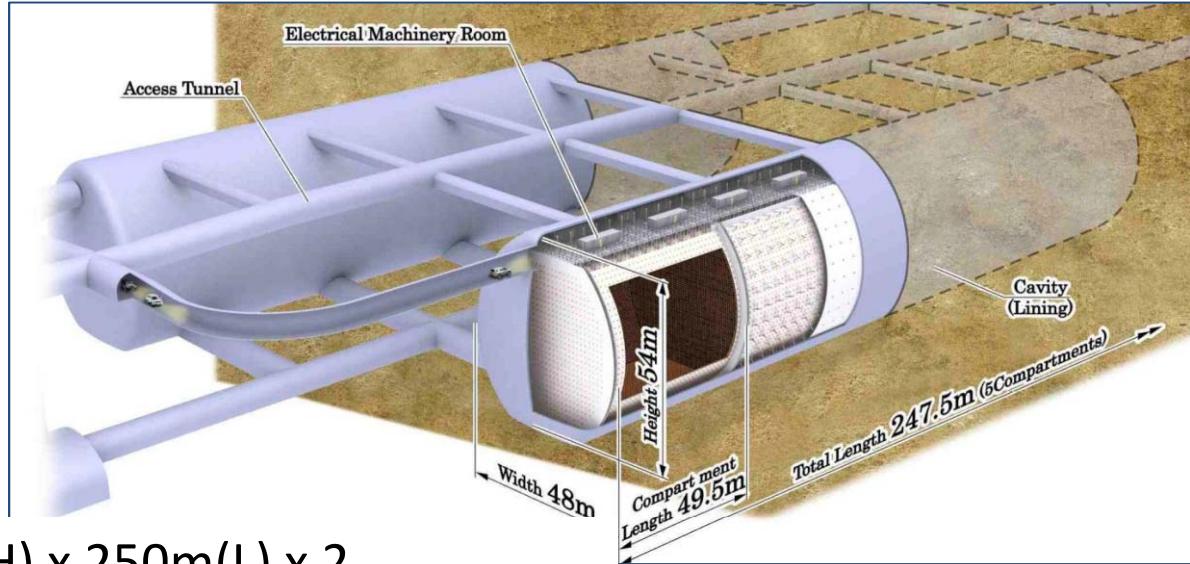


- At 90% C.L., there is no constraint on  $\delta_{CP}$ .
- Knowing  $\theta_{13}$  is important to estimate the allowed region of other parameters ( $\delta_{CP}$  in this case).

# *Future atmospheric neutrino experiments (MH)*

# Future atm. $\nu$ exp:(1) Hyper-Kamiokande

arXiv:1109.3262

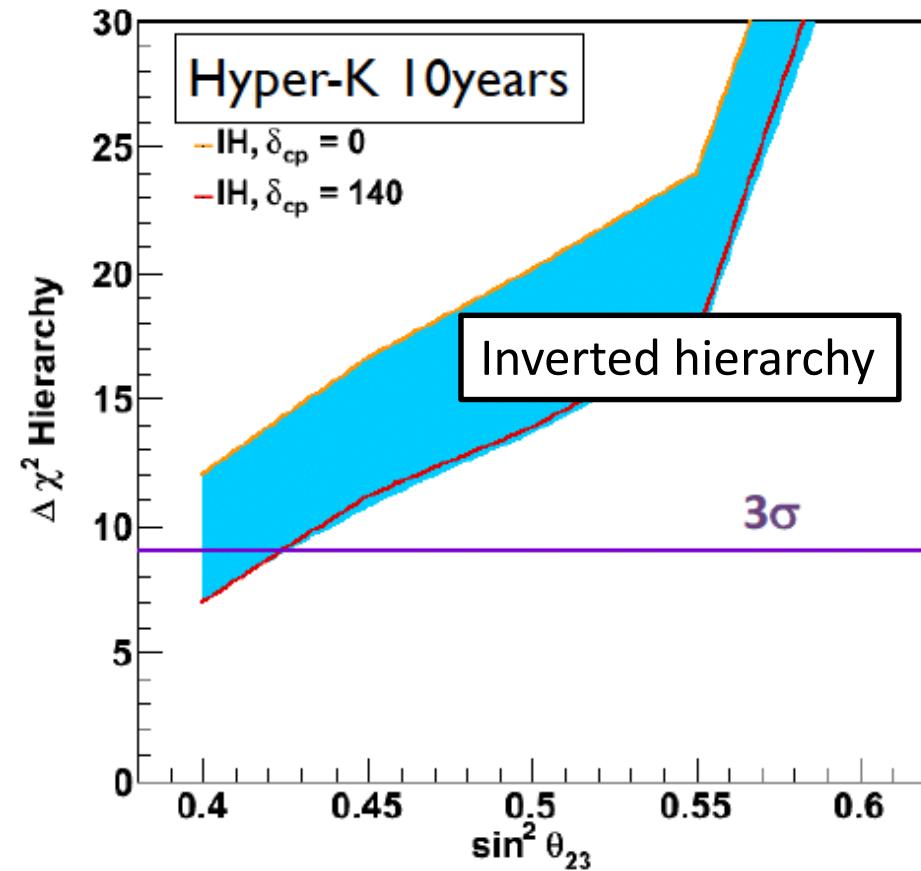
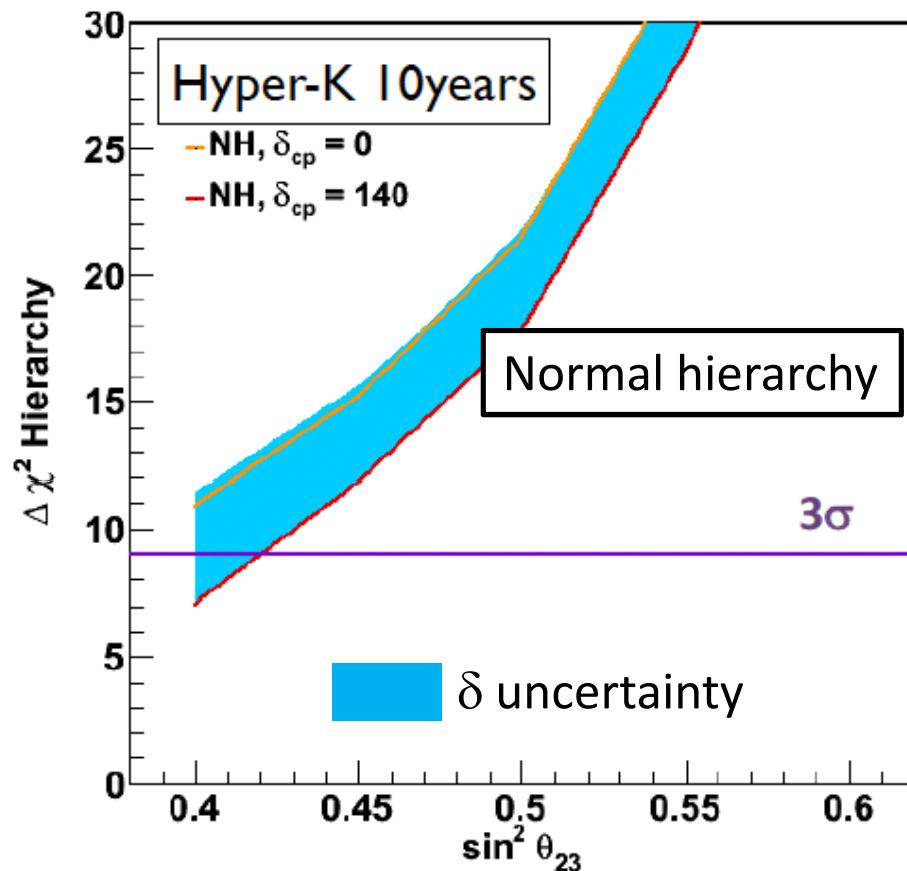


- Cavity : 48m(W) x 54m(H) x 250m(L) x 2
- Water volume :
  - Total :  $0.496 \times 2 = 0.99$  Mton
  - Fiducial volume = 0.56 Mton ( 25x SK )
  - Depth of tank water : 48m
- Photo-detectors :
  - ID : ~99,000 20" PMTs, 20% photo-coverage
  - OD : ~25,000 8" PMTs, same coverage as SK

(LBL experiments with  
J-PARC as well.)

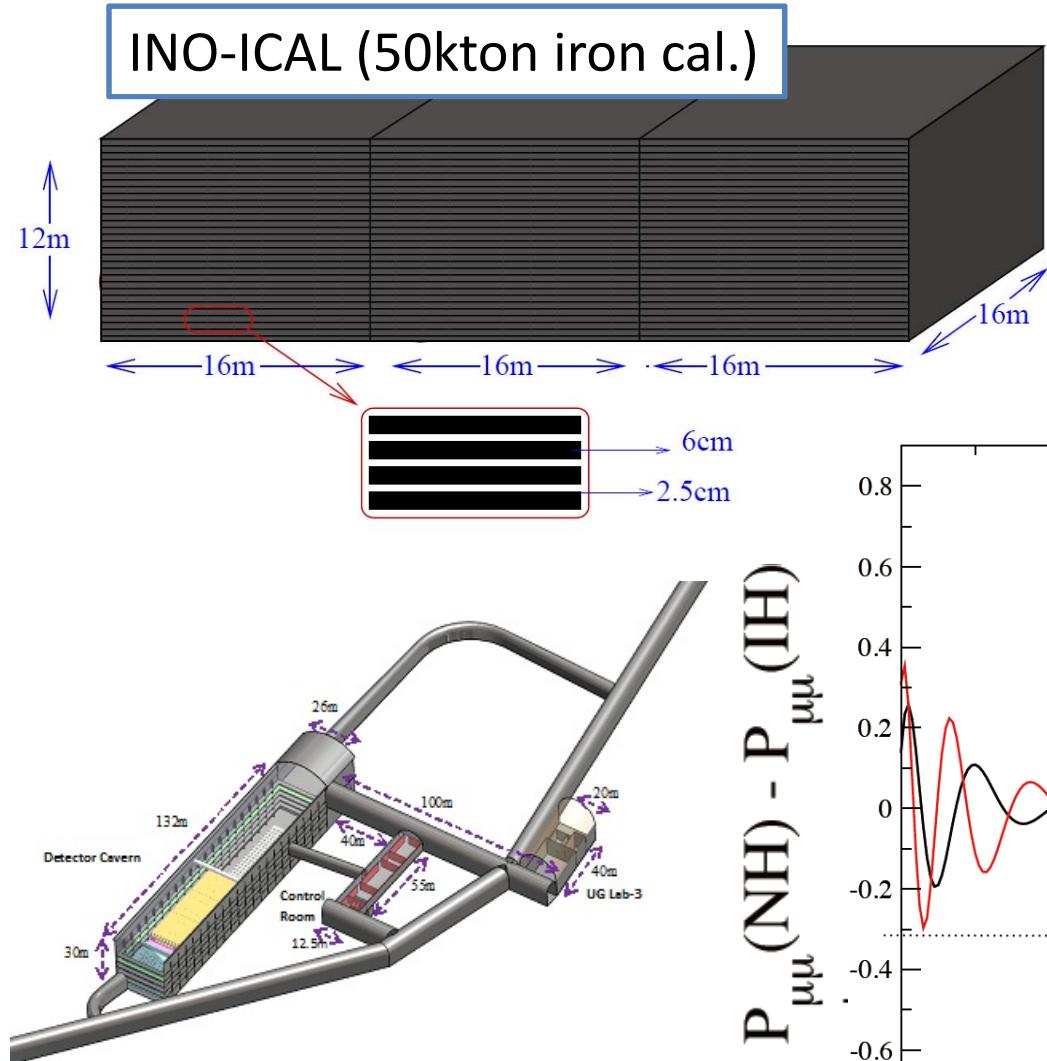
# Mass hierarchy measurement

Atmospheric neutrinos only

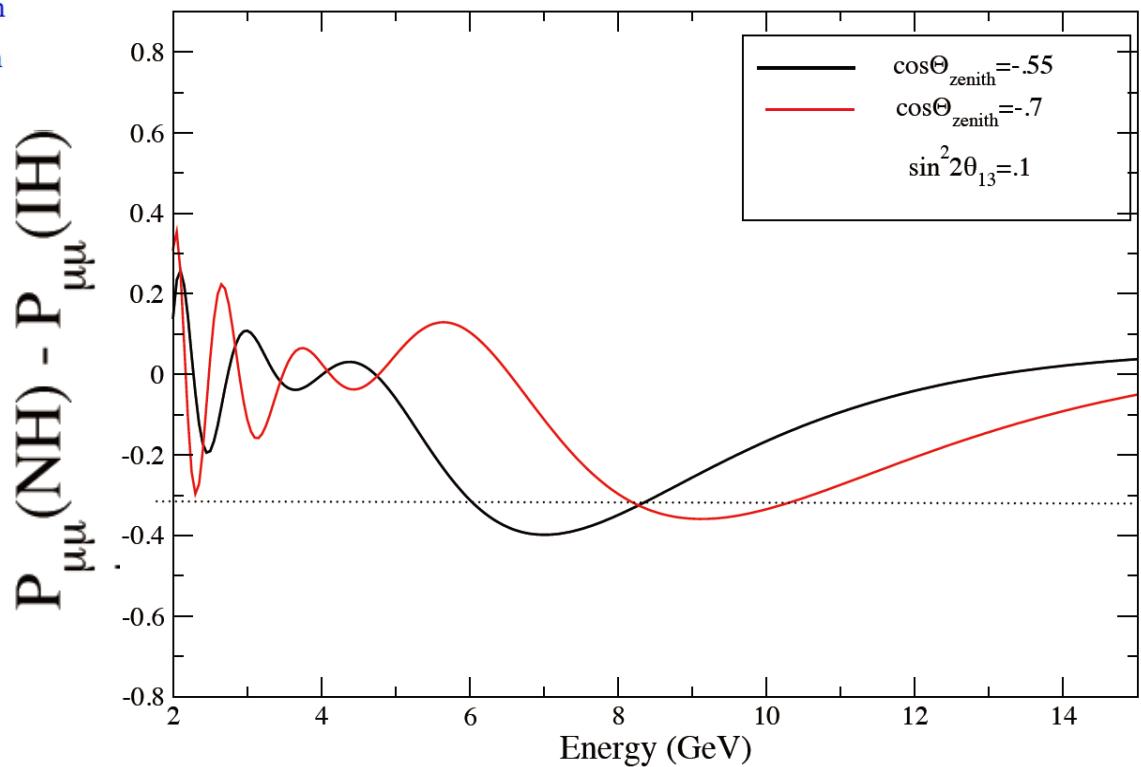


- 10 years HK atmospheric  $\nu$  data can determine the MH at  $>\sim 3\sigma$
- Sensitivity depends on  $\theta_{23}$ , and slightly on CP- $\delta$  and the MH itself.
- Cross check by beam and atmospheric.

# Future atm. $\nu$ exp: (2) INO-ICAL



- 50 kton magnetized (1.4T) detector
- Will be located 115 km west of Madurai

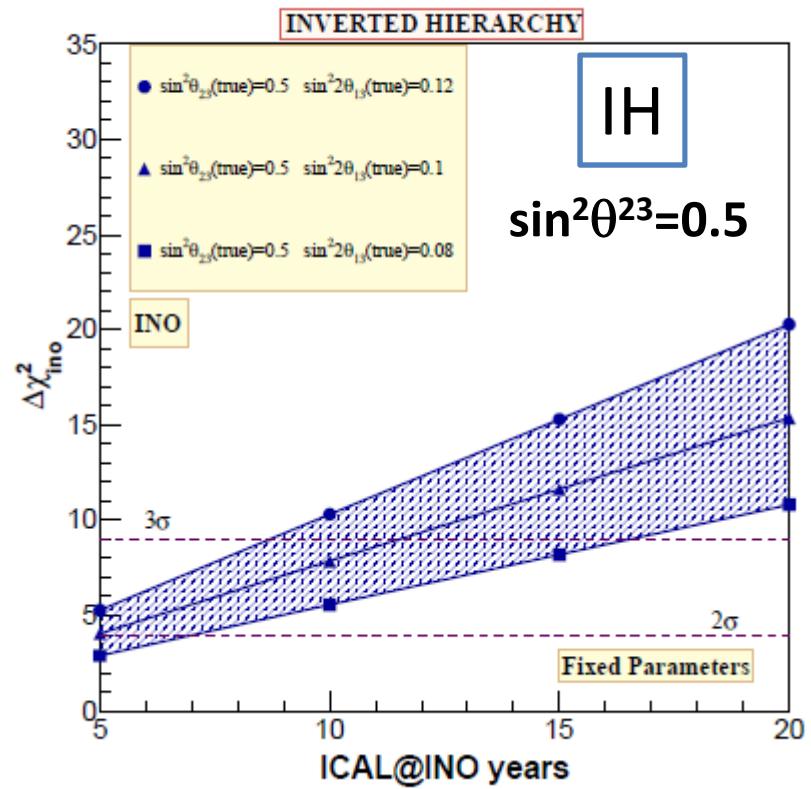
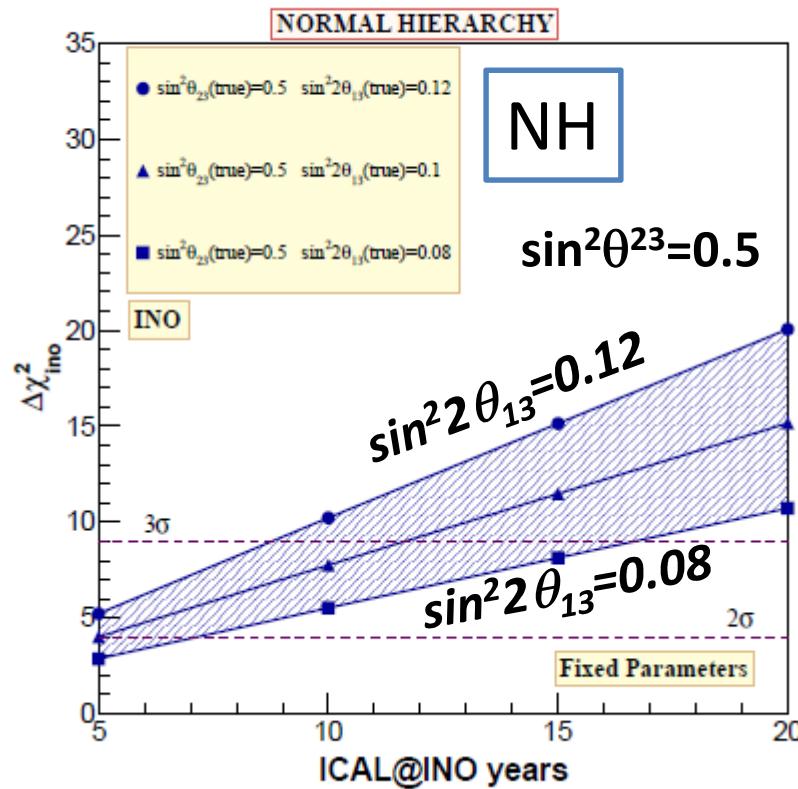


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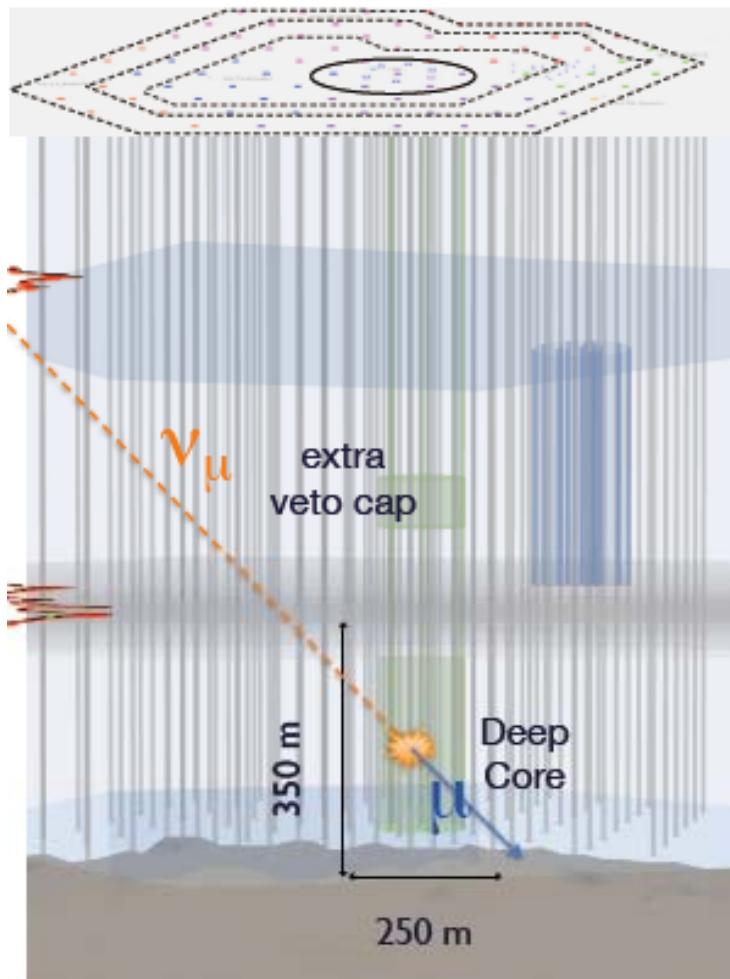
INO-ICAL

A. Ghosh, T. Thakore, S. Choubey, arXiv: 1212.1305  
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> 3 $\sigma$  in  $\sim$ 12 years

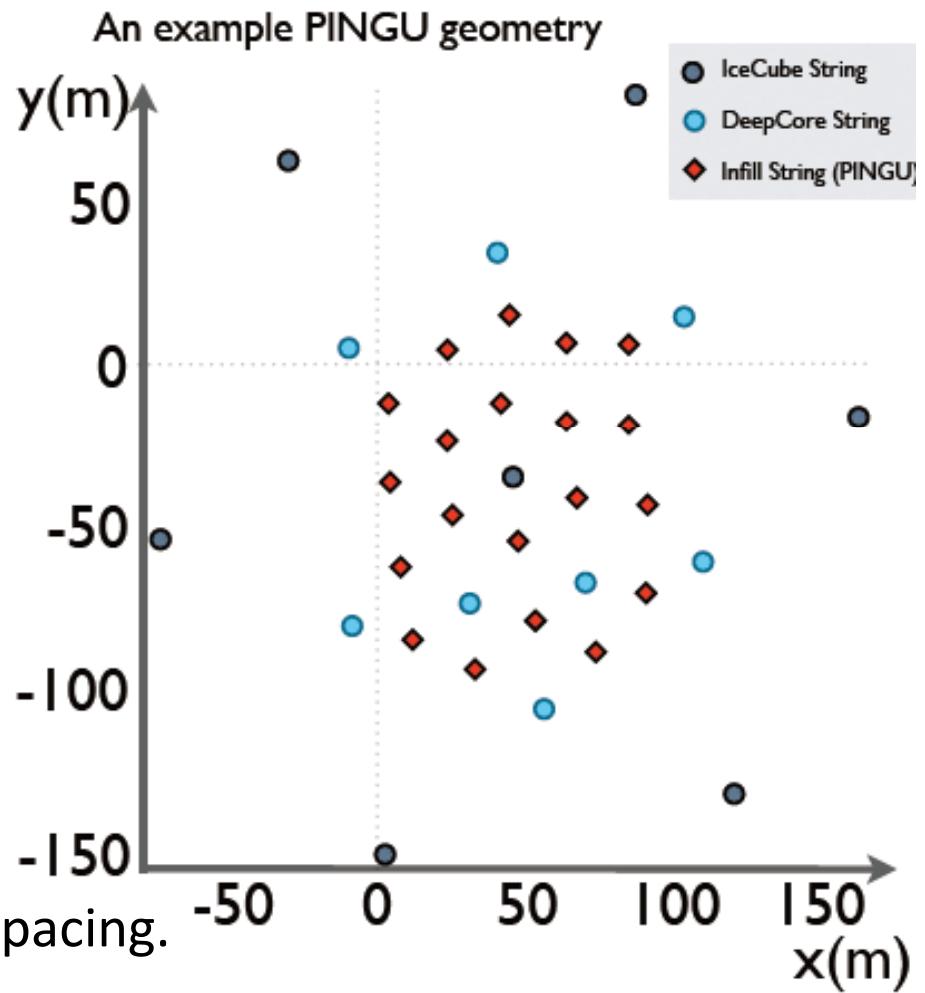


# Future atm. $\nu$ exp: (3) PINGU

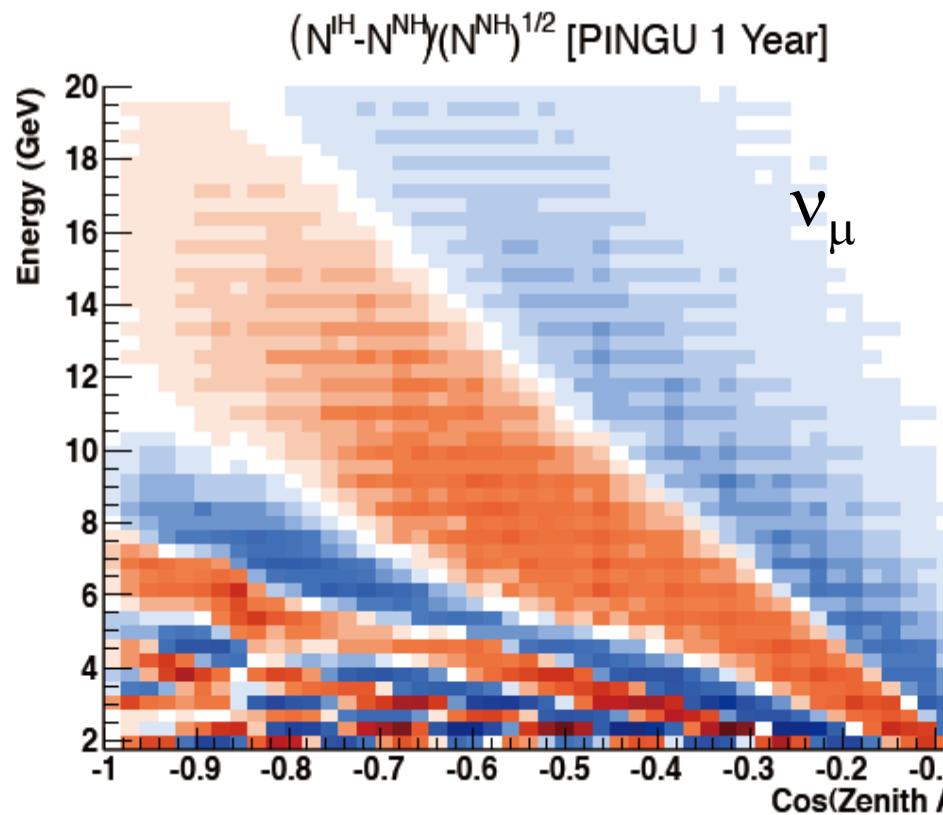


20 additional strings with 26m string spacing.  
60 high QE PMTs per string.  
Several Mtons for 10GeV neutrinos

Aartsen et al., arXiv: 1306.5846  
C. Rott RENO50 workshop  
J. Adams lecture (INSS2013)

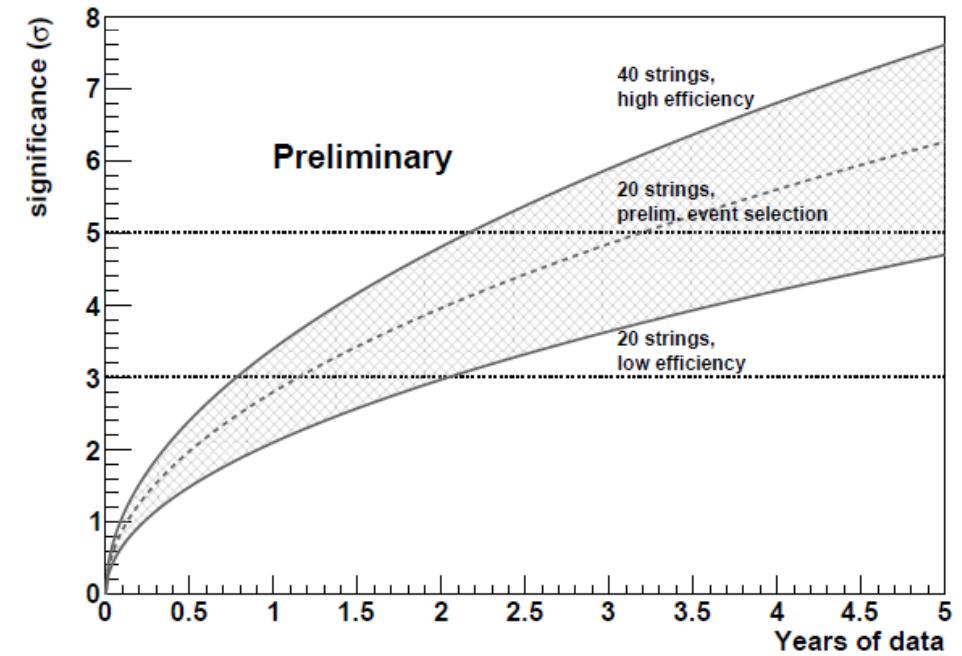


# PINGU sensitivity to mass hierarchy



Aartsen et al., arXiv: 1306.5846  
C. Rott RENO50 workshop

>3 $\sigma$  within a few years  
(syst. Included)



- Idealized case w/ perfect event ID, 100% event selection efficiency, no quality cuts and no background

*Future atmospheric neutrino experiments  
( $\theta_{23}$  and CP):  
Hyper-Kamiokande*

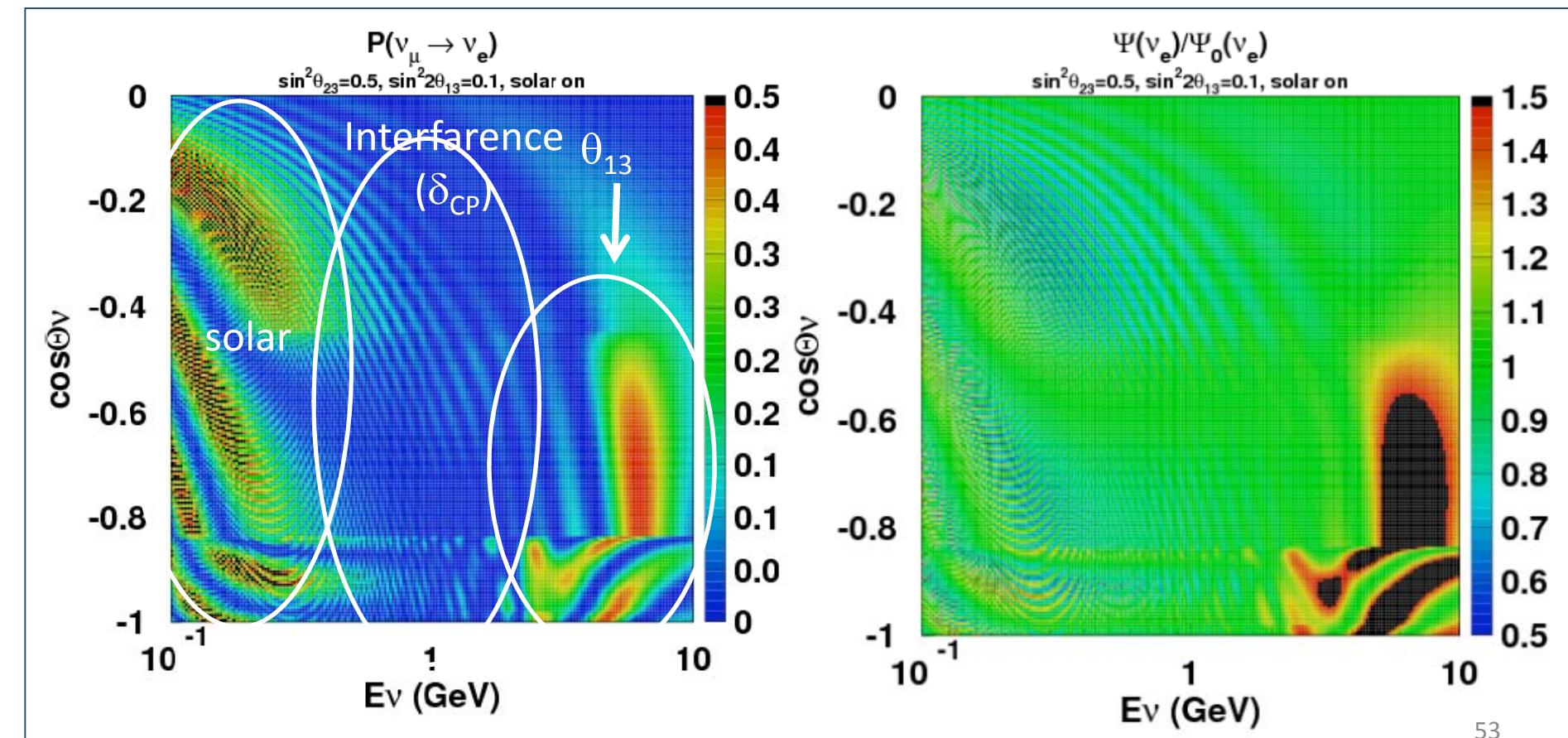
# Oscillation probability

Peres & Smirnov NPB 680 (2004) 479

$$\frac{\Phi(\nu_e)}{\Phi_0(\nu_e)} - 1 \approx P_2(r \cdot \cos^2 \theta_{23} - 1) \quad \text{Solar term}$$

$$-r \cdot \sin \tilde{\theta}_{13} \cdot \cos^2 \tilde{\theta}_{13} \cdot \sin 2\theta_{23} (\cos \delta \cdot R_2 - \sin \delta \cdot I_2) \quad \text{Interference term}$$

$$+2 \sin^2 \tilde{\theta}_{13} (r \cdot \sin^2 \theta_{23} - 1) \quad \underline{\theta_{13}} \text{ resonance term (Matter term)}$$

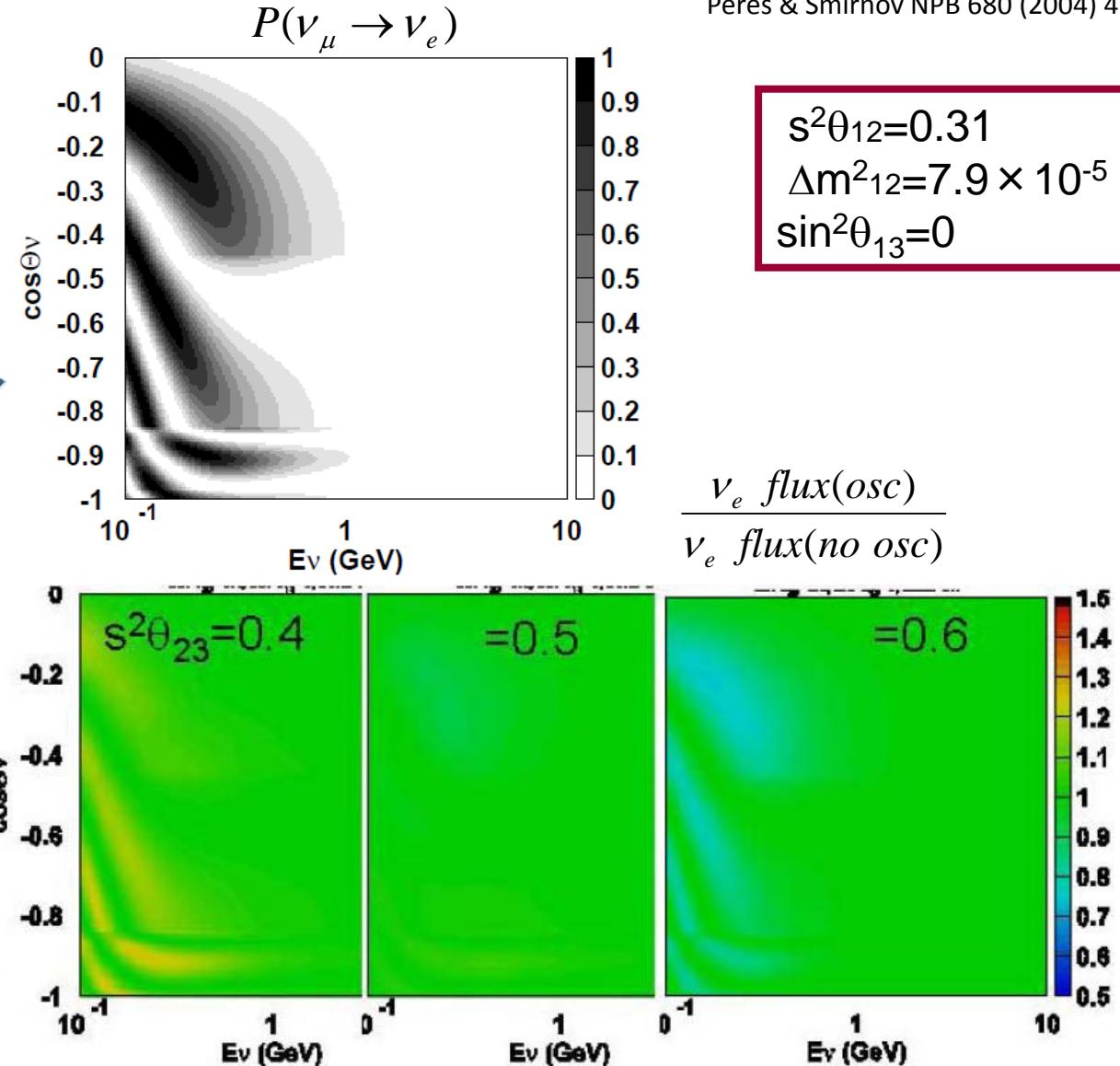


# Expected oscillation with solar terms (Q on Aug.13)

Because of the LMA solution, atmospheric neutrinos should also oscillate by  $(\theta_{12}, \Delta m_{12}^2)$ .



However, due to the cancellation between  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$  and  $\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu$ , the change in the  $\nu_e$  flux is small.



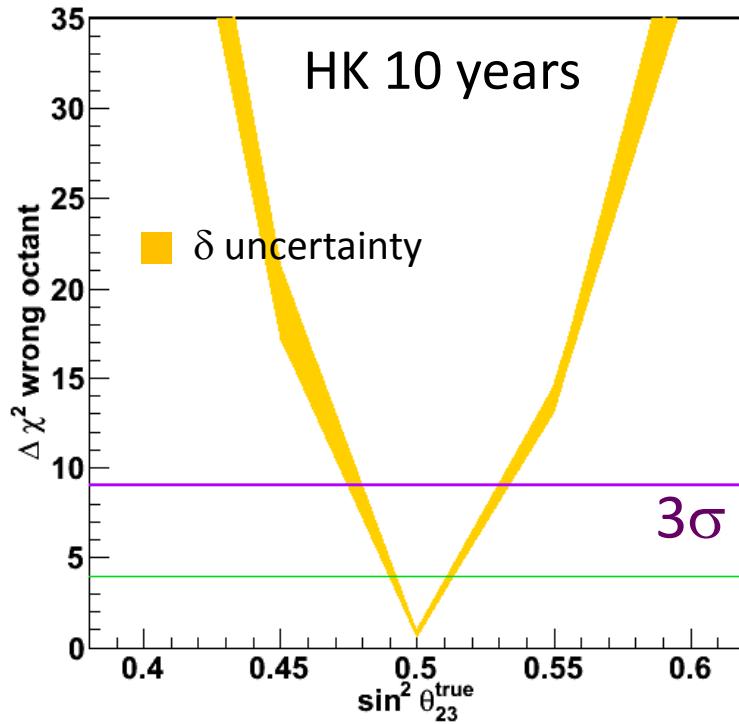
Oscillation probability is different between  $s^2\theta_{23}=0.4$  and  $0.6$ .  
discrimination between  $\theta_{23} > \pi/4$  and  $< \pi/4$  might be possible.

# Determining the octant of $\theta_{23}$

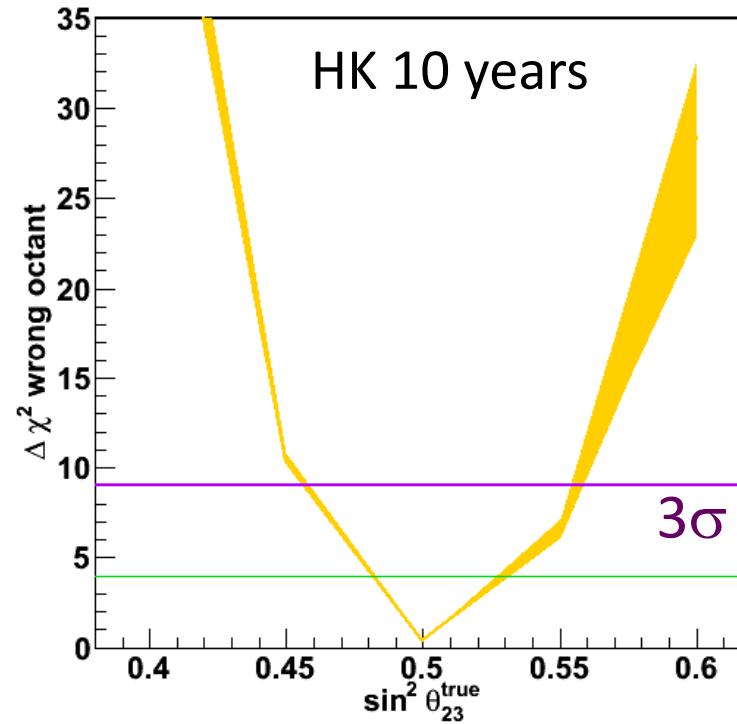
Hyper-K 10 years (solar term +  $\theta_{13}$  term)

$\theta_{13}$  is fixed :  $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1$

Normal Hierarchy (unknown)



Inverted Hierarchy (unknown)

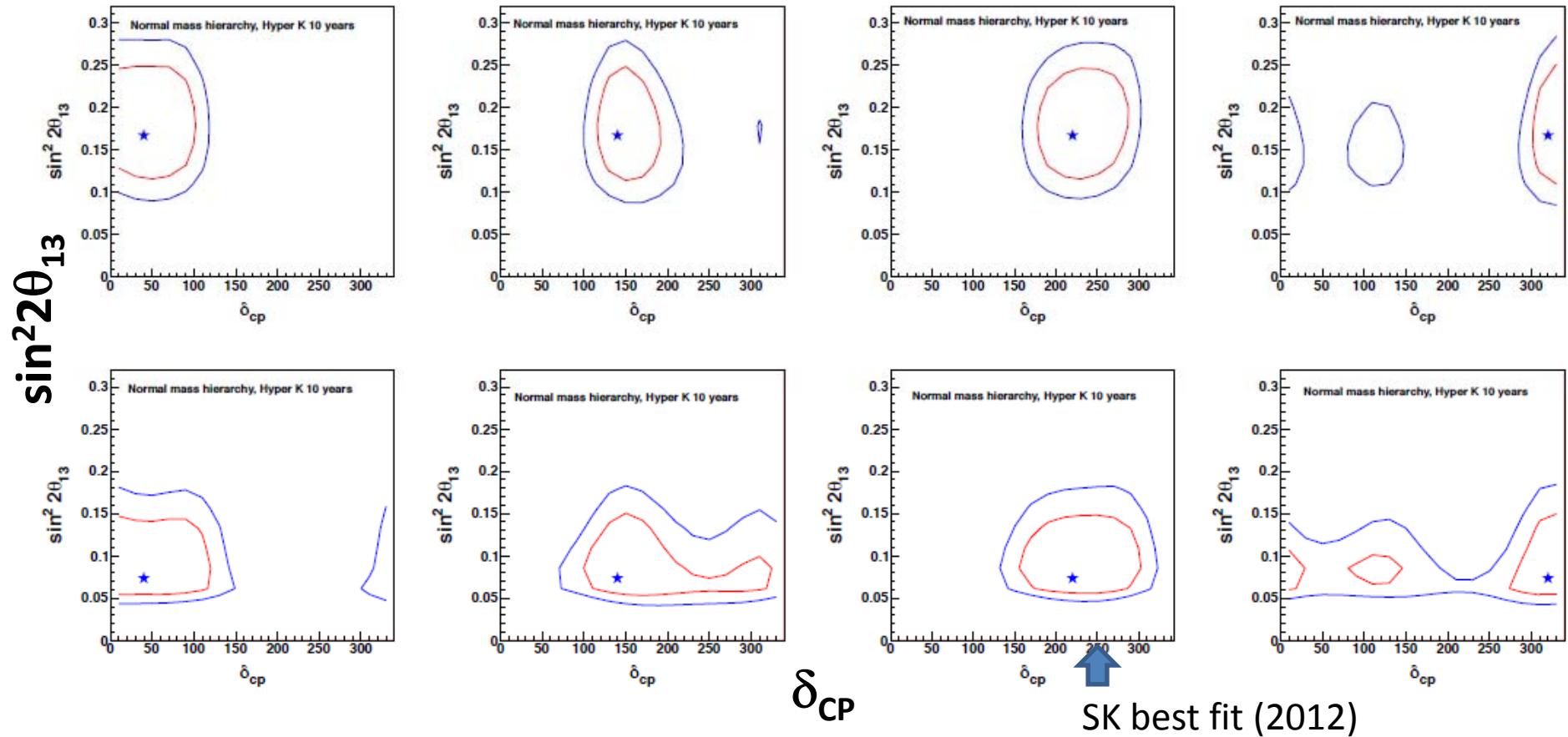


- ✓ If  $\sin^2 2\theta_{23} < 0.99$  ( $\sin^2 \theta_{23} < 0.45$  or  $> 0.55$ ),  $\theta_{23}$  octant can be determined at  $> 3\sigma$  using 10 years of HK atmospheric  $\nu$  data.

# Measurement of the CP phase

Hyper-K 10 years

arXiv: 1109.3262



- ◆ There is some sensitivity on δ<sub>CP</sub>. However, the sensitivity is not high compared with the planned accelerator LBL experiments.

# *Summary of Lecture-3*

- In 2011-2012,  $\theta_{13}$  has been measured. Daya Bay, RENO and Double-Chooz reactor experiments played a central role to this measurement. The accuracy of the measurements already reached to almost the 10% level.
- The subsequent big goals in neutrino oscillation experiments are CP violation and mass hierarchy. Planned reactor and atmospheric neutrino experiments have good sensitivities for the mass hierarchy determination.

# Summary

- Search for proton decay
  - Discovery of  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\tau$  oscillation, large mixing (and SN neutrino burst, not discussed in my lectures)
- Study of energy generation in the Sun
  - Discovery of  $\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_{(\mu, \tau)}$  oscillation, LMA
- $\theta_{13}$  was measured by carefully planned experiments.
- Trying to measure CP violation, mass hierarchy, ...
  - ? ? ?
- Neutrino physics seems to be related to “big questions” in nature.

*Let's enjoy neutrino physics!*