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# The High-Intensity Frontier

Physics with a Multi-Megawatt  
Proton Source

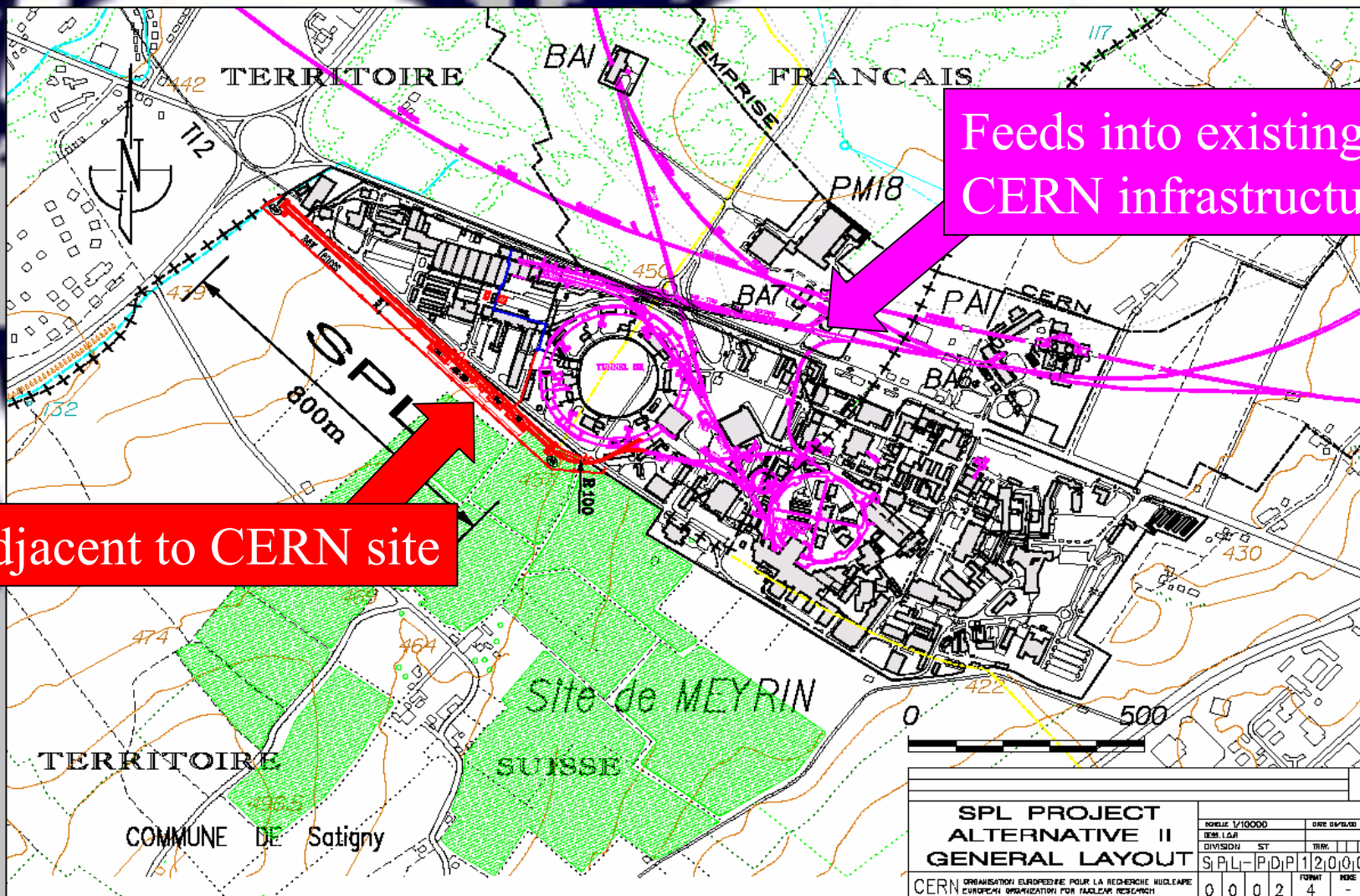
*John Ellis, May 25<sup>th</sup> 2004*

... a foretaste

# The High-Intensity Frontier

- Exploration and understanding
  - Novel phenomena
  - Rare processes
  - High statistics
- Active option in front-line physics: factories for
  - Z, B,  $\tau$ /Charm, K, antiproton, anti-Hydrogen
- Megawatt  $\rightarrow$  new opportunities for
  - nuclear,  $\nu$ , muon, kaon physics

# Possible Layout of SPL at CERN



Adjacent to CERN site

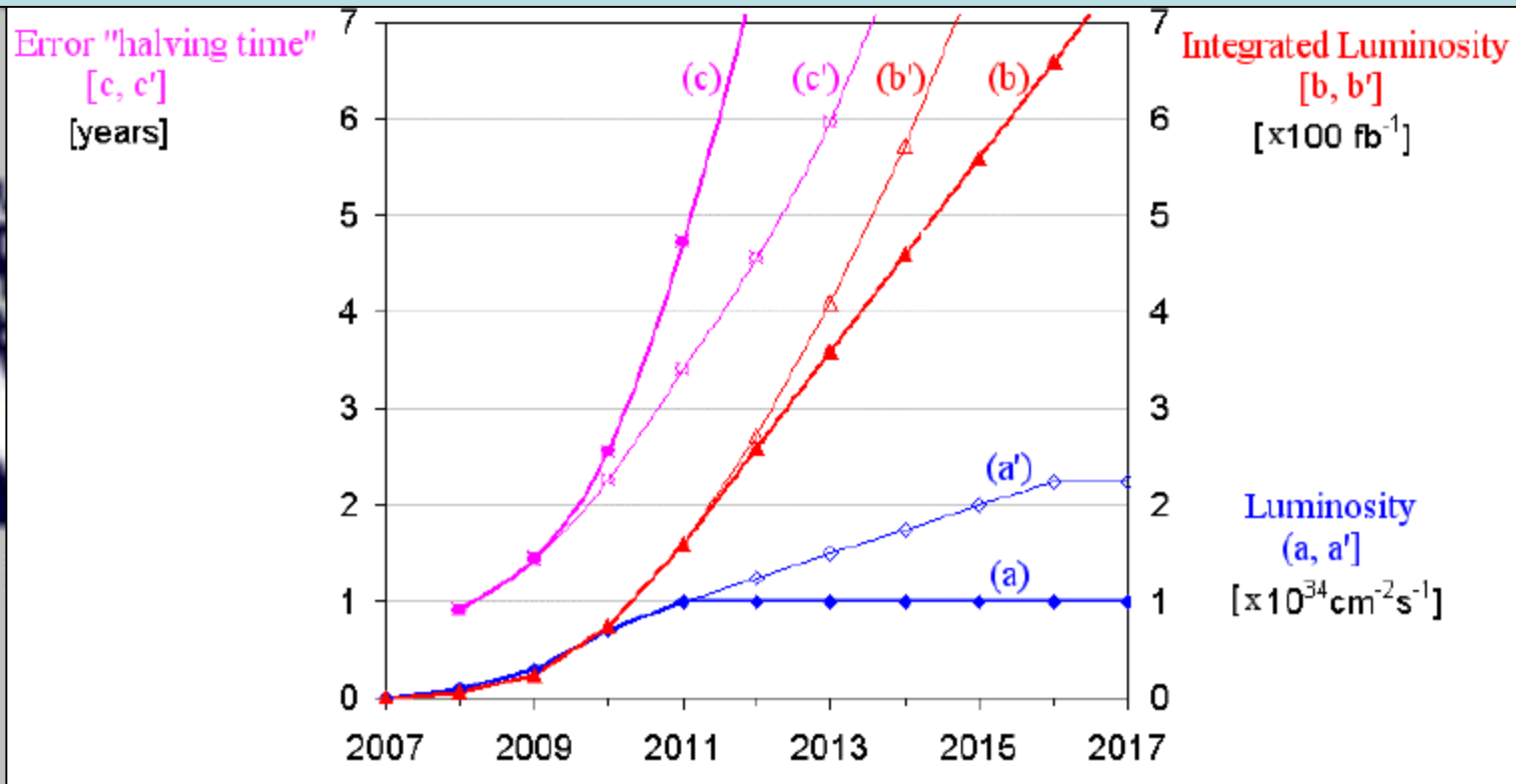
Feeds into existing CERN infrastructure

# SPL @ CERN Wish List

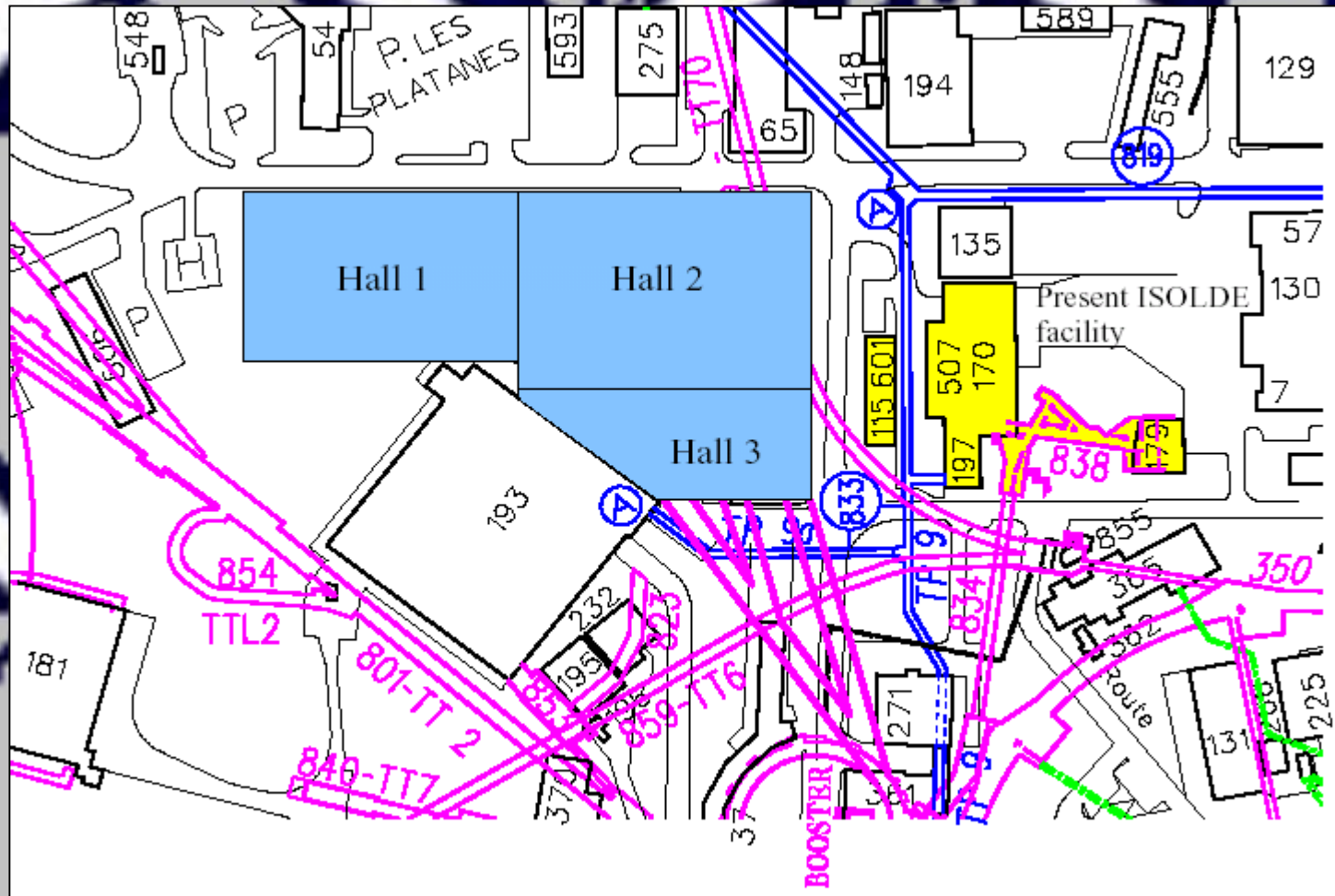
USER	CERN COMMITMENT *	USERS' WISHES	
	Short term	Medium term [ ~ asap !]	Long term [beyond 2014]
LHC	Planned beams	Ultimate luminosity	Luminosity upgrades
Fixed Target (COMPASS)	$4.3 \times 10^5$ spills/y ?	$6 \times 10^5$ spills/y	
CNGS	$4.5 \times 10^{19}$ p/year	Upgrade ~ $\times 2$	
ISOLDE	1.92 $\mu$ A **	Upgrade ~ $\times 5$	
Future beams			> 2 GeV / 4 MW
EURISOL			1-2 GeV / 5 MW

# Possible Upgrades of LHC

Increase luminosity – but beware of integrated radiation dose



# Possible EURISOL Site @ CERN

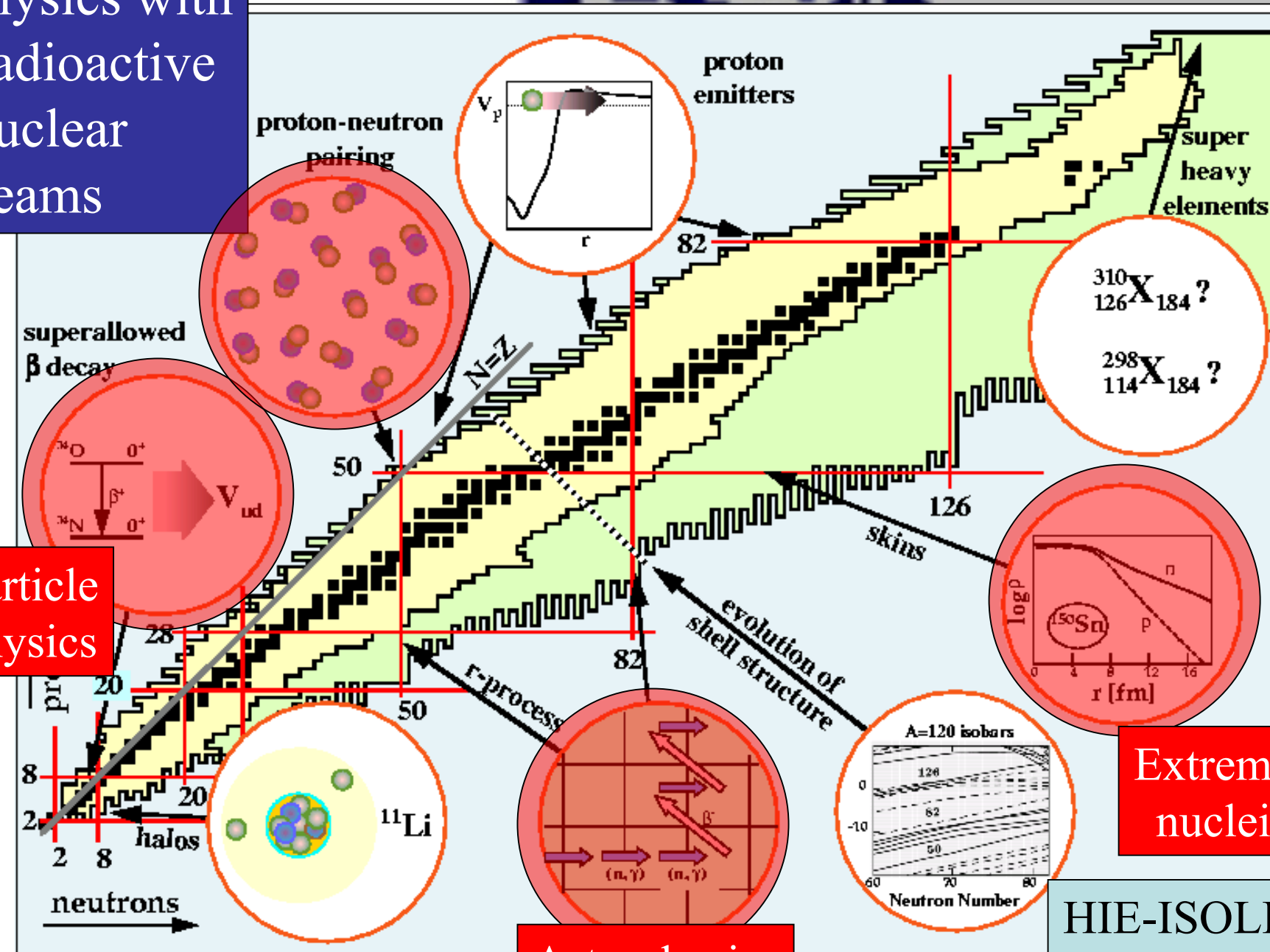


# Nuclear Physics:

## agenda of HIE-ISOLDE & EURISOL

- The limits of nuclear existence:  
neutron & proton drip lines,  
superheavy elements,  
extreme nucleonic matter
- Nuclear astrophysics:  
rp-process, r-process
- Probes of Standard Model:  
CKM, P, T, CP
- Materials science:  
radioactive spies, curing chemical blindness,  
positron annihilation studies,  
applications to biomedicine, etc.

# Physics with Radioactive Nuclear Beams



Particle physics

Extreme nuclei

Astrophysics

HIE-ISOLDE  
EURISOL

$310_{126}^{X184} ?$   
 $298_{114}^{X184} ?$

A=120 isobars  
Neutron Number

$\log \rho$   
 $r$  [fm]  
 $^{150}\text{Sn}$

superallowed  $\beta$  decay  
 $^{34}\text{O}$   $0^+$   
 $\beta^+$   
 $^{34}\text{N}$   $0^+$   
 $V_{ud}$

proton-neutron pairing

proton emitters  
 $V_p$   
 $r$

super heavy elements

skins

evolution of shell structure

r-process

$\beta$   
 $(n, \gamma)$   $(n, \gamma)$

$^{11}\text{Li}$   
halos

neutrons

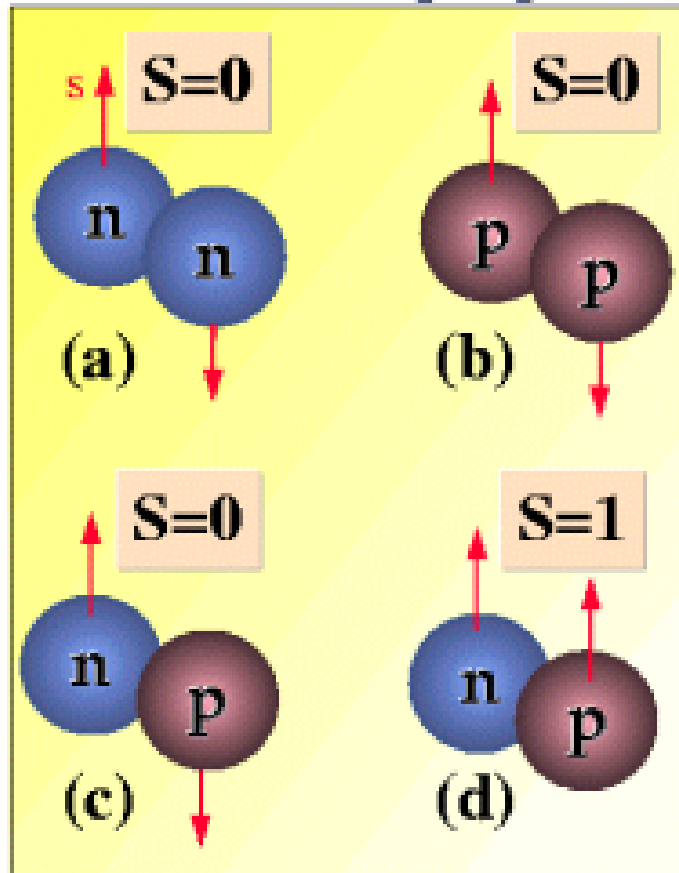
proton emitters



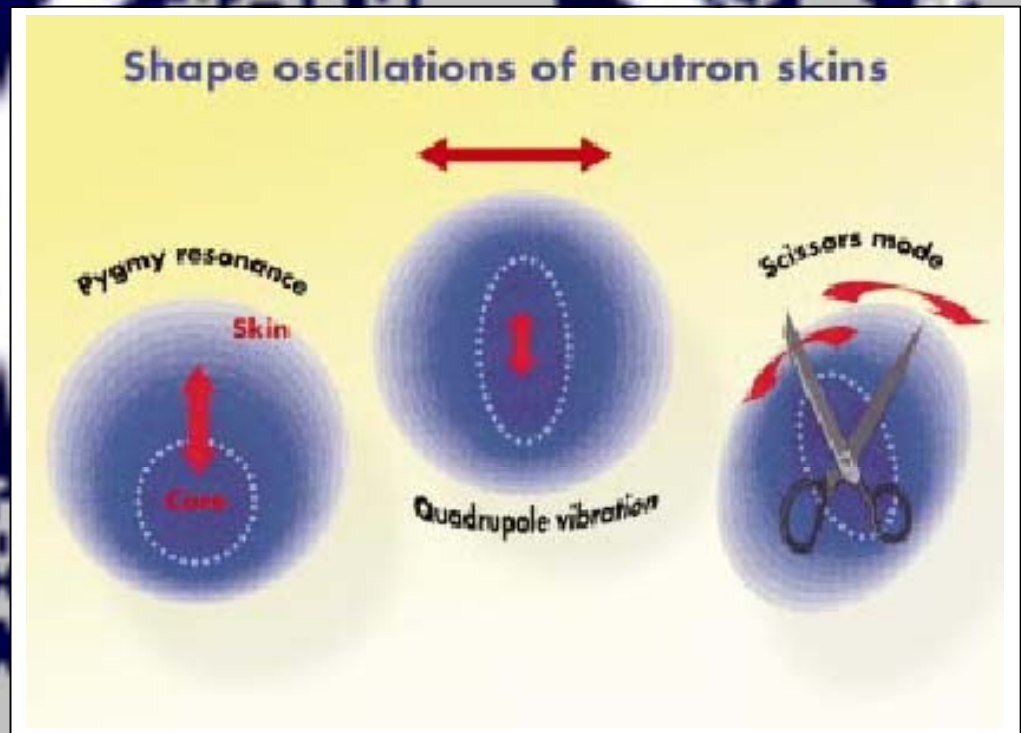
# Issues in Nuclear Physics

Proton-rich nuclei

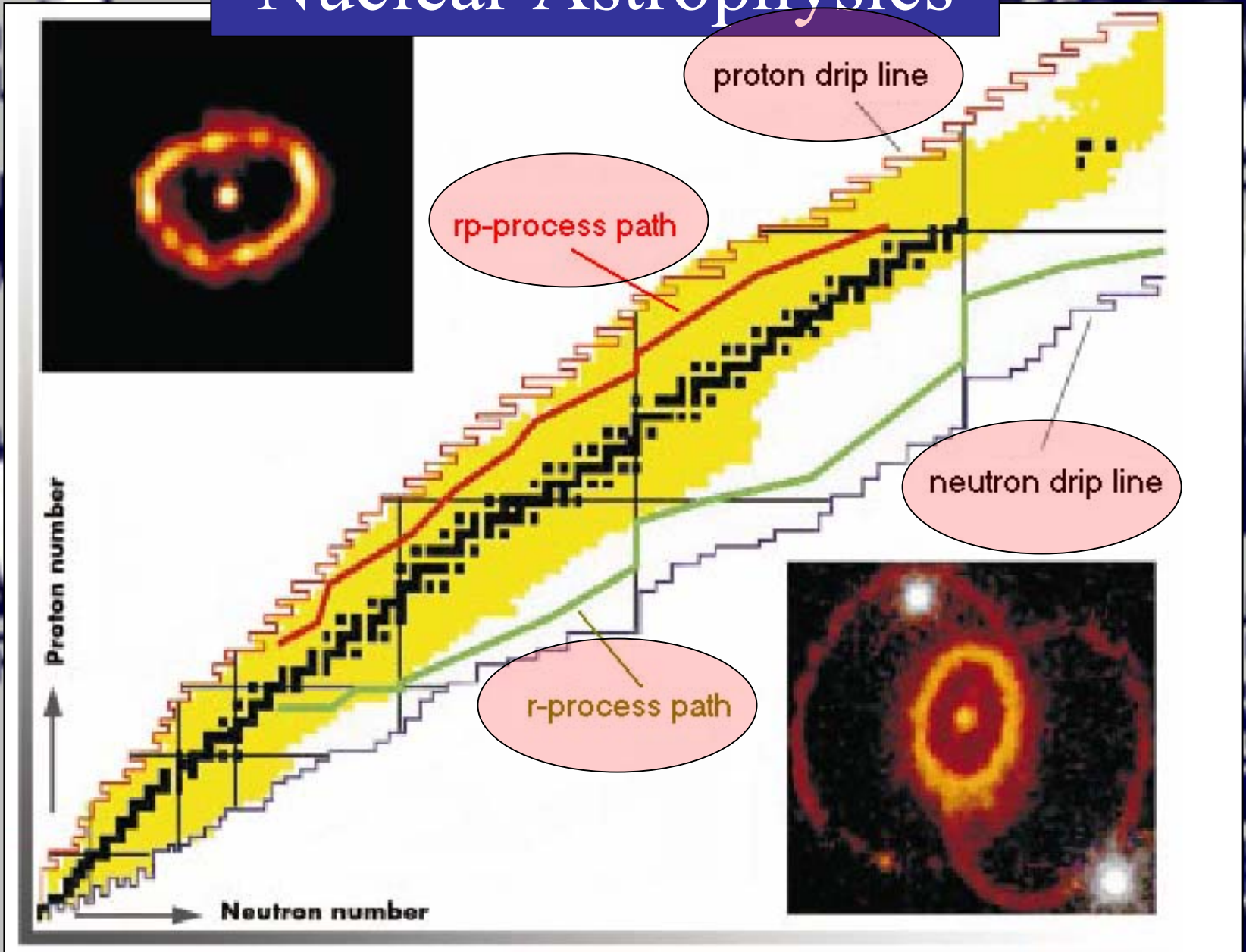
nucleonic Cooper pairs



Neutron-rich nuclei

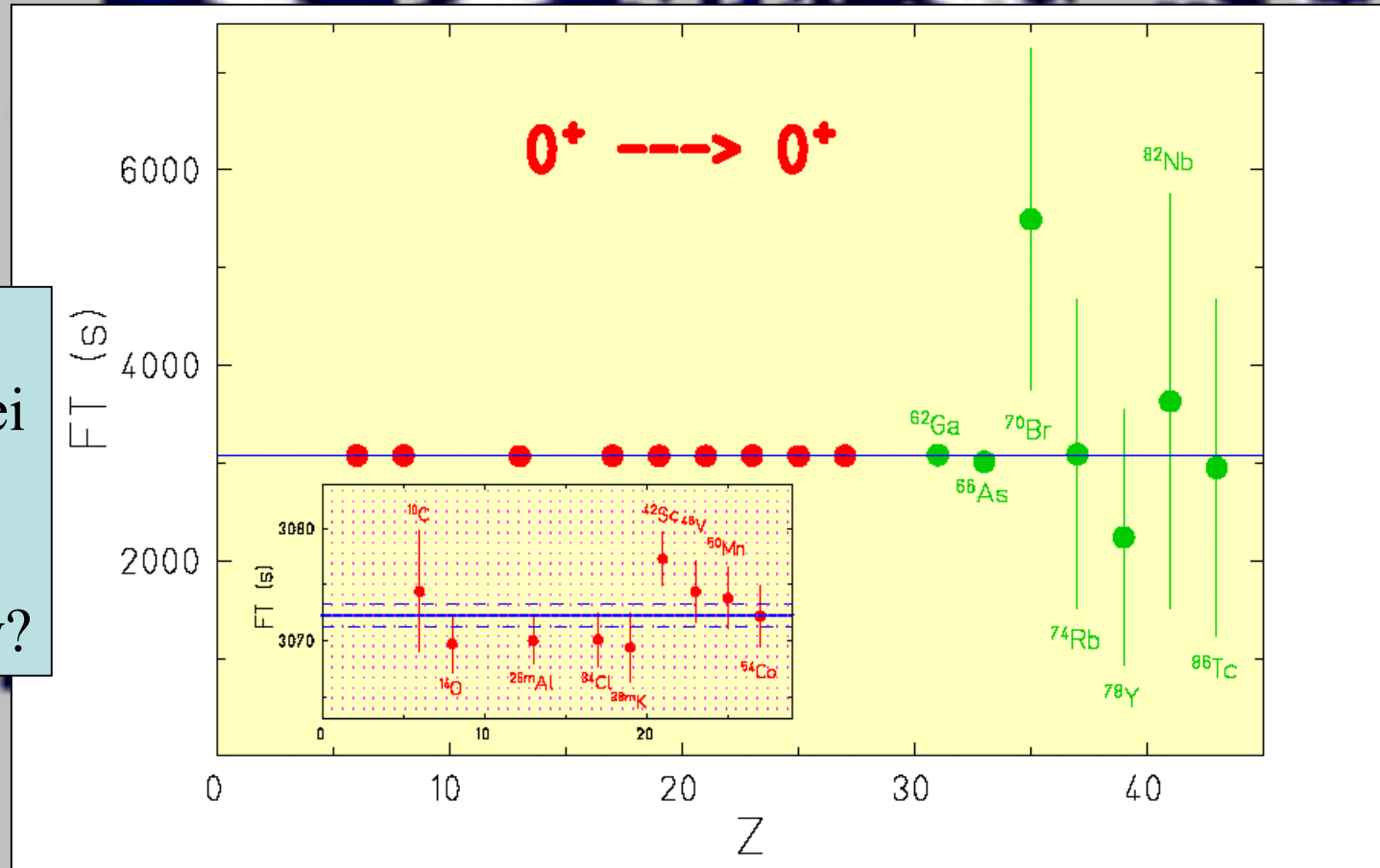


# Nuclear Astrophysics



# Tests of CVC hypothesis: Probe Standard Model

$\langle 0^+ | \beta | 0^+ \rangle$   
 in *mirror* nuclei  
 $V_{ud}^2 = G_V/G_F$   
 (cf  $\mu$  lifetime)  
 CKM unitarity?



... also tests of fundamental symmetries: P, T, CP

# Neutrino Physics

- $\nu$  oscillations first evidence for physics beyond the Standard Model

- Still unknown parameters:

mixing angle  $\Theta_{13}$

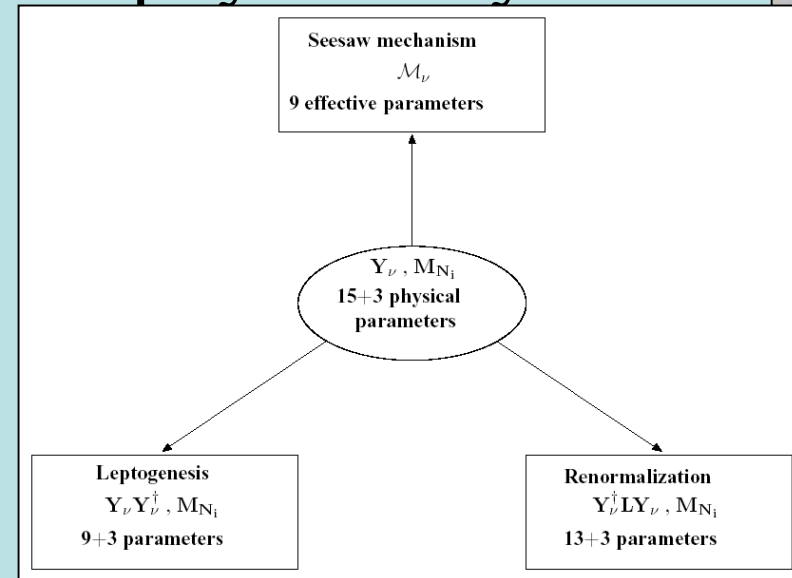
CP-violating phase  $\delta$

Sign of  $\Delta m^2$

- Many other parameters in minimal seesaw model

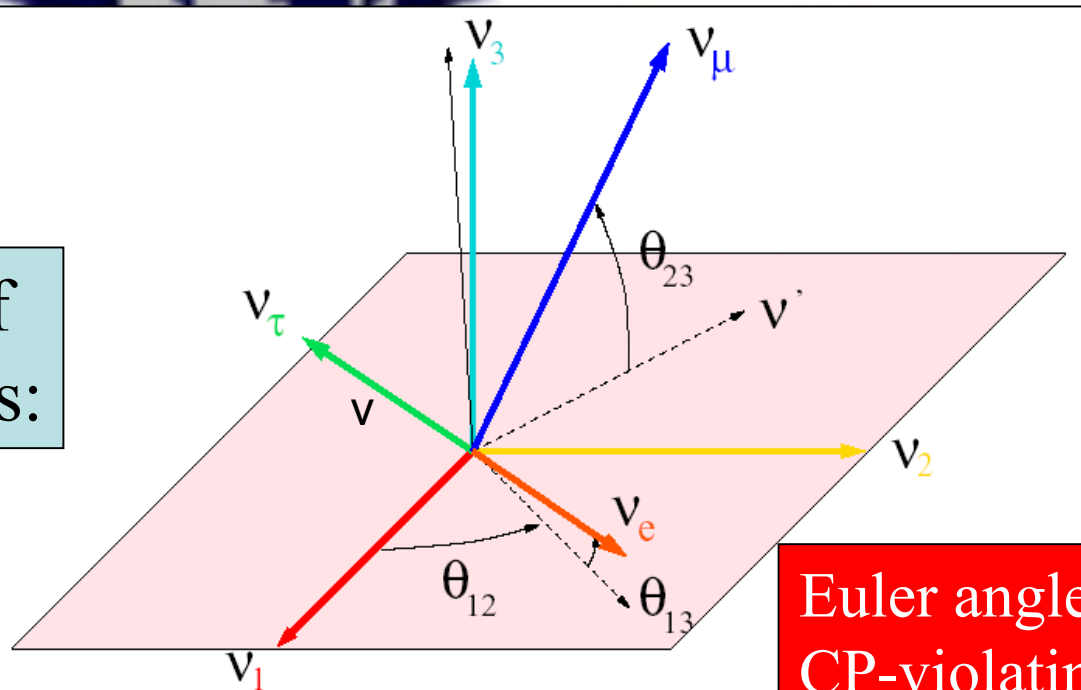
Total of 18: responsible for leptogenesis?

- Some accessible in rare muon processes



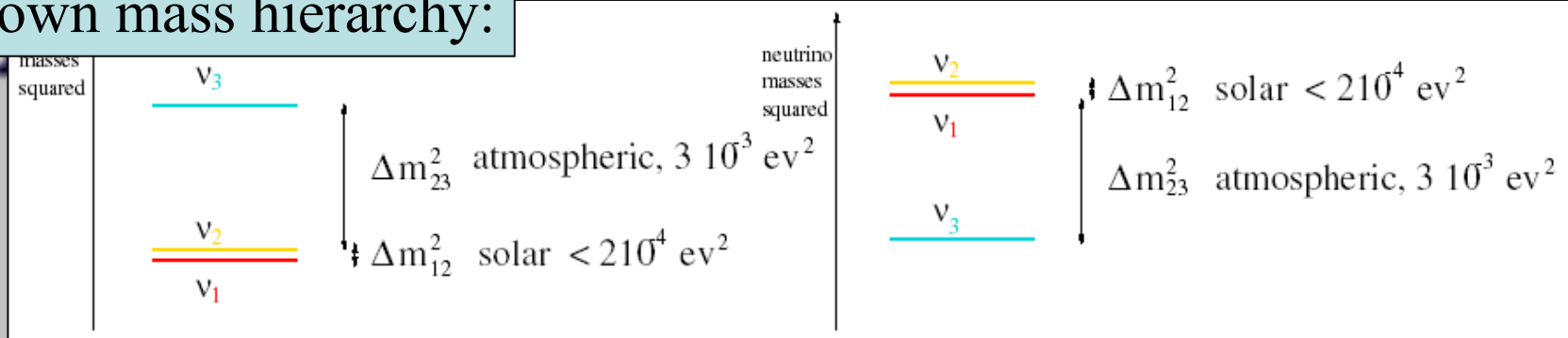
# $\nu$ Oscillation Parameters

Geometry of  $\nu$  oscillations:



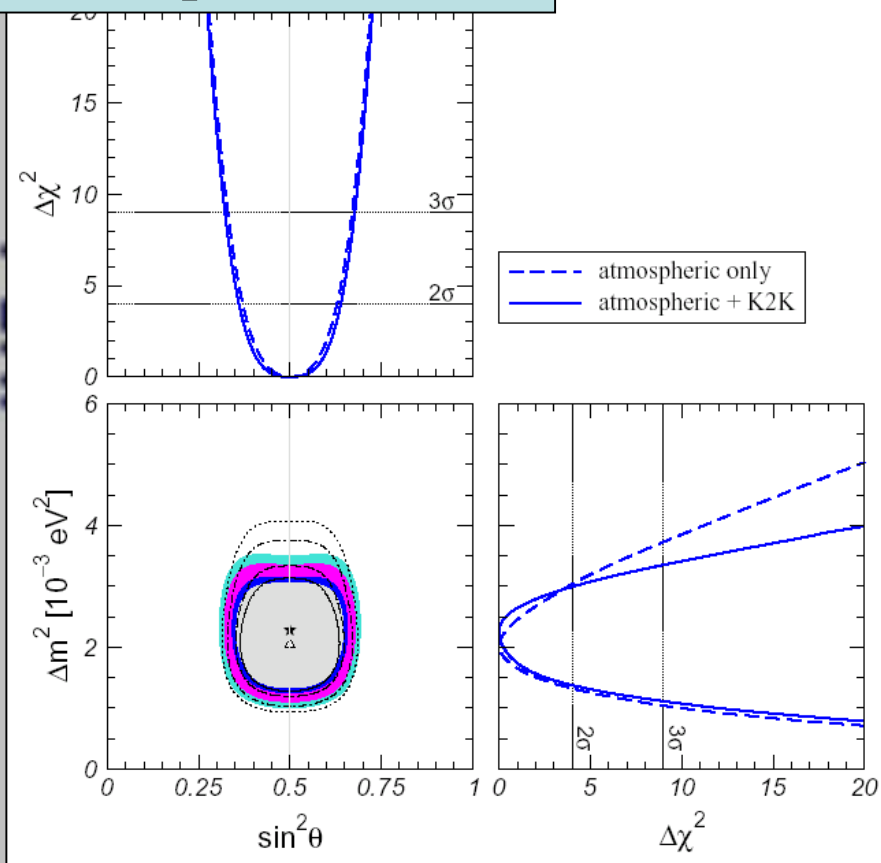
Euler angles +  
CP-violating phase

Unknown mass hierarchy:

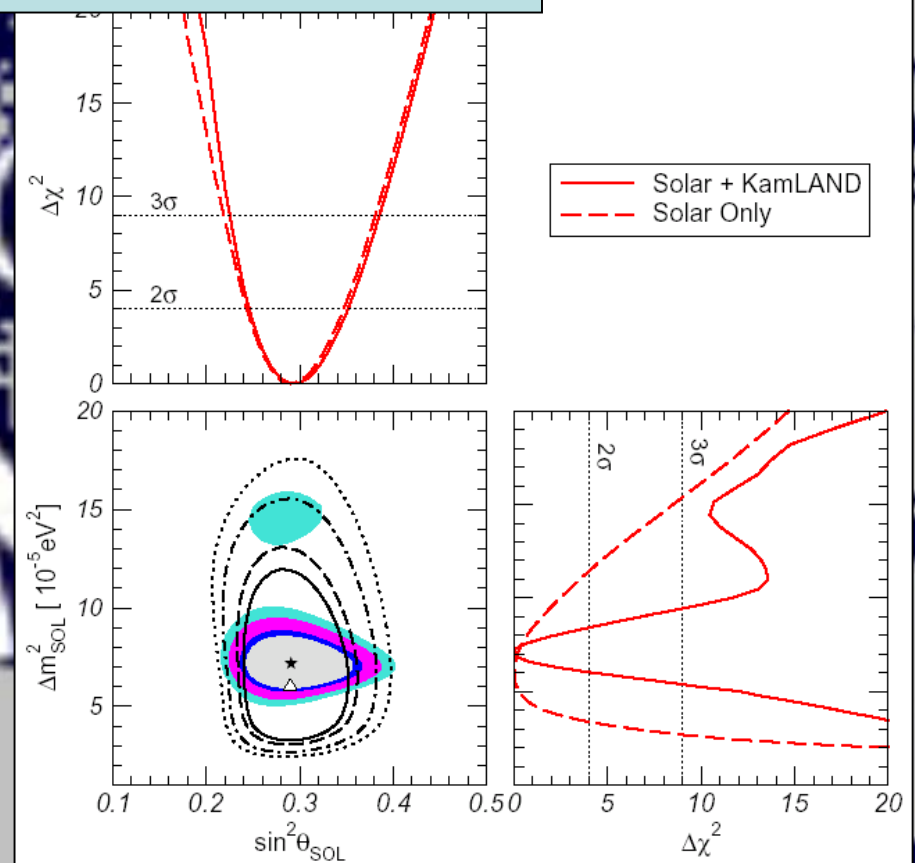


# Status of $\nu$ Oscillations

## Atmospheric + K2K



## Solar + KamLAND



# $\nu$ Oscillation Facilities @ CERN

- CNGS:

  - $\nu$  beam from SPS:  $\tau$  production

- Superbeam?

  - intense  $\nu$  beam from SPL

- $\beta$  beam?

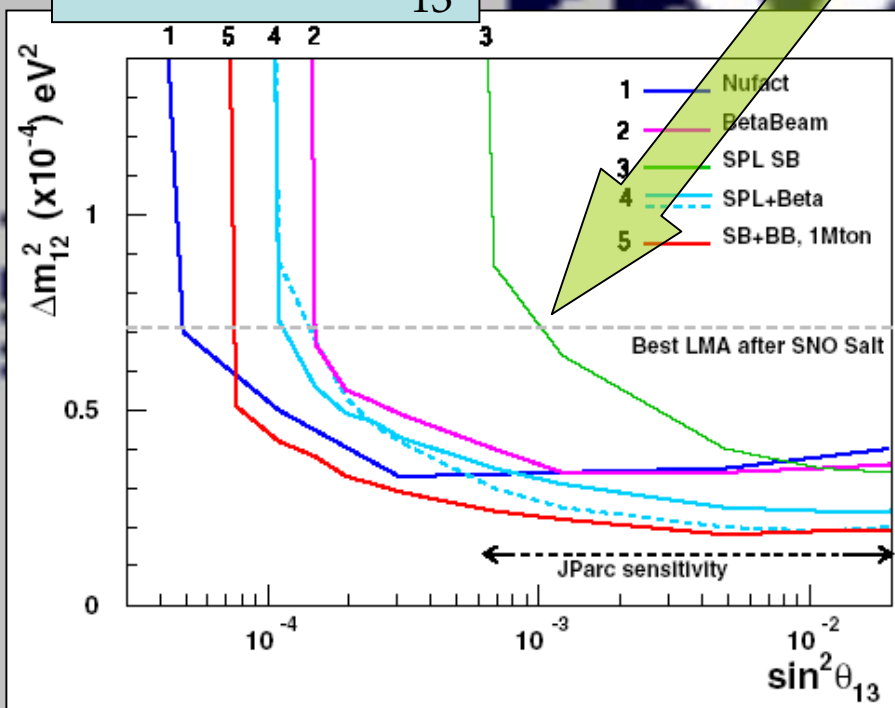
  - signed electron (anti)  $\nu$  beams from heavy ions

- $\nu$  factory?

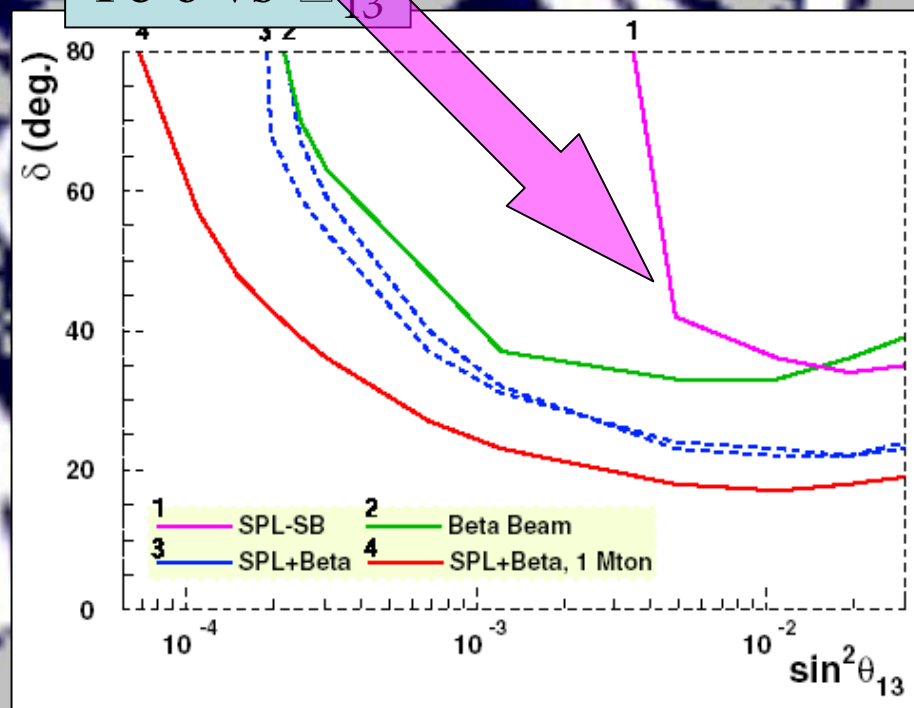
  - muon and electron (anti)  $\nu$  beams from  $\mu$  decay

# Sensitivities of Super & $\beta$ Beams

To  $\Delta m^2$  vs  $\theta_{13}$



To  $\delta$  vs  $\theta_{13}$

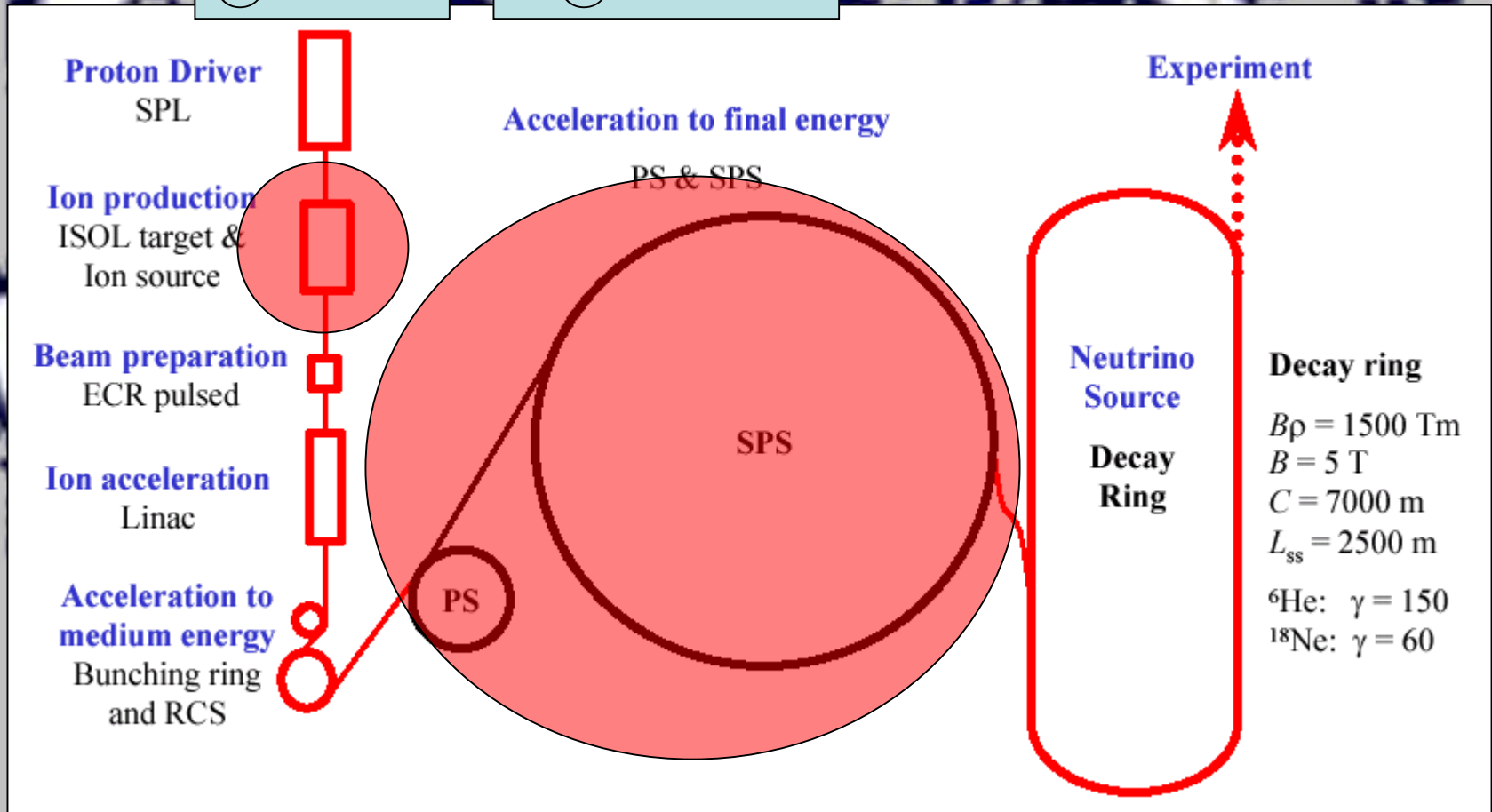




# Schematic Layout of $\beta$ Beam @ CERN

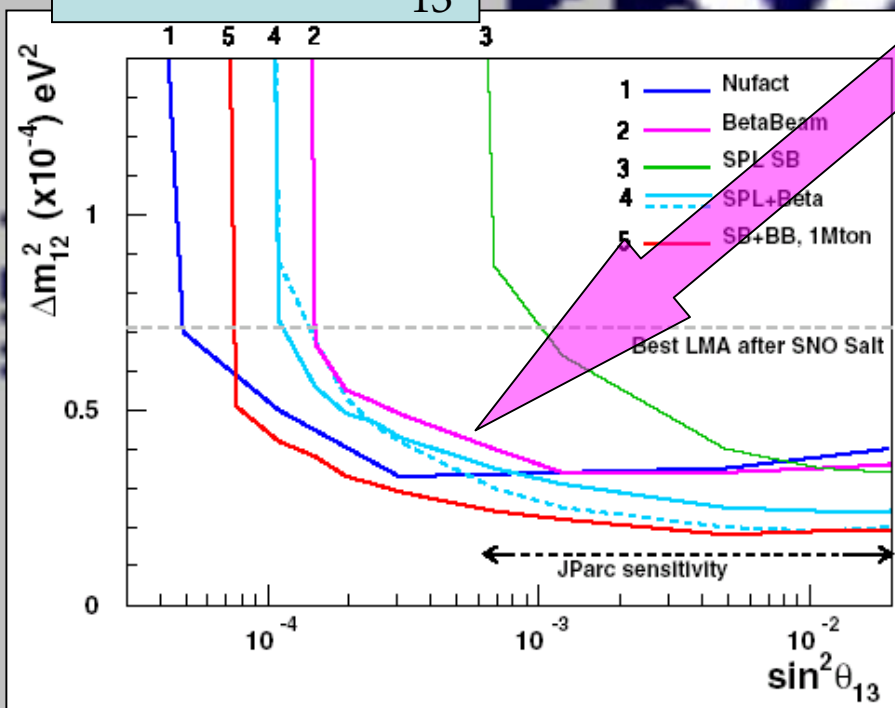
Expertise  
@ CERN

Infrastructure  
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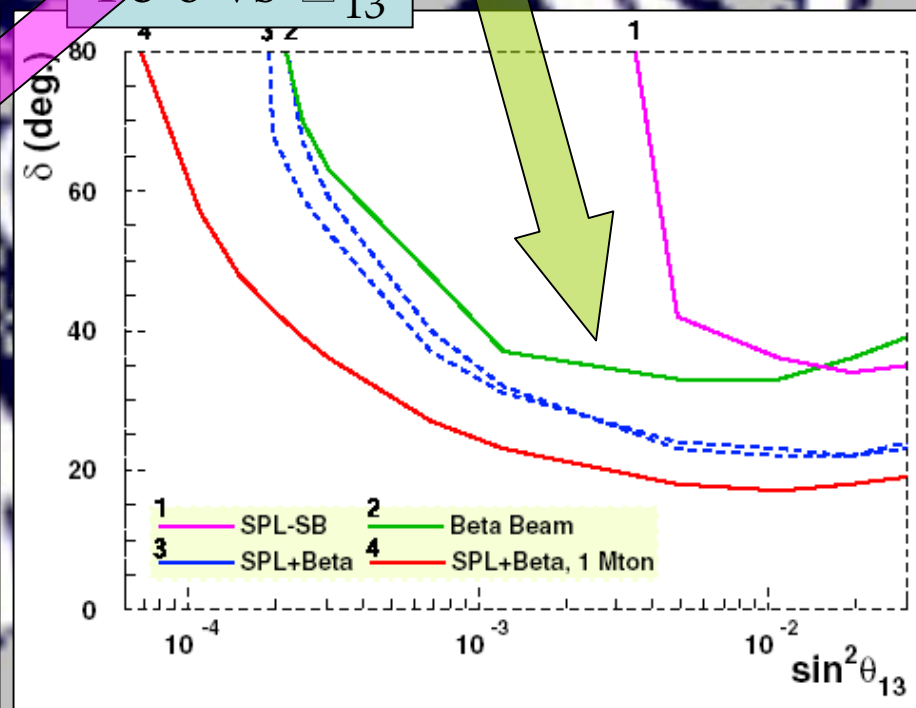


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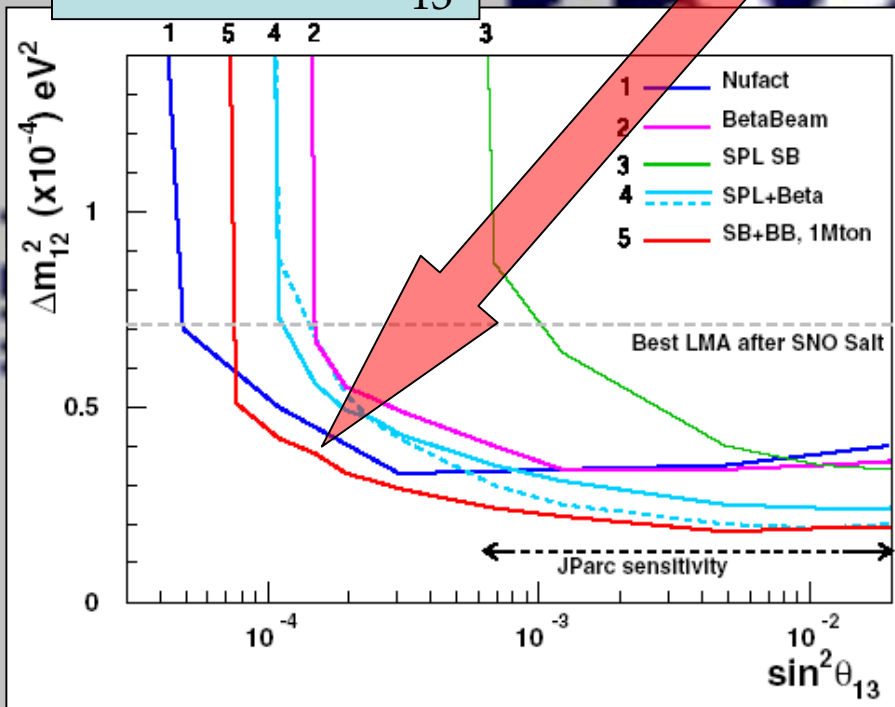


To  $\delta$  vs  $\theta_{13}$

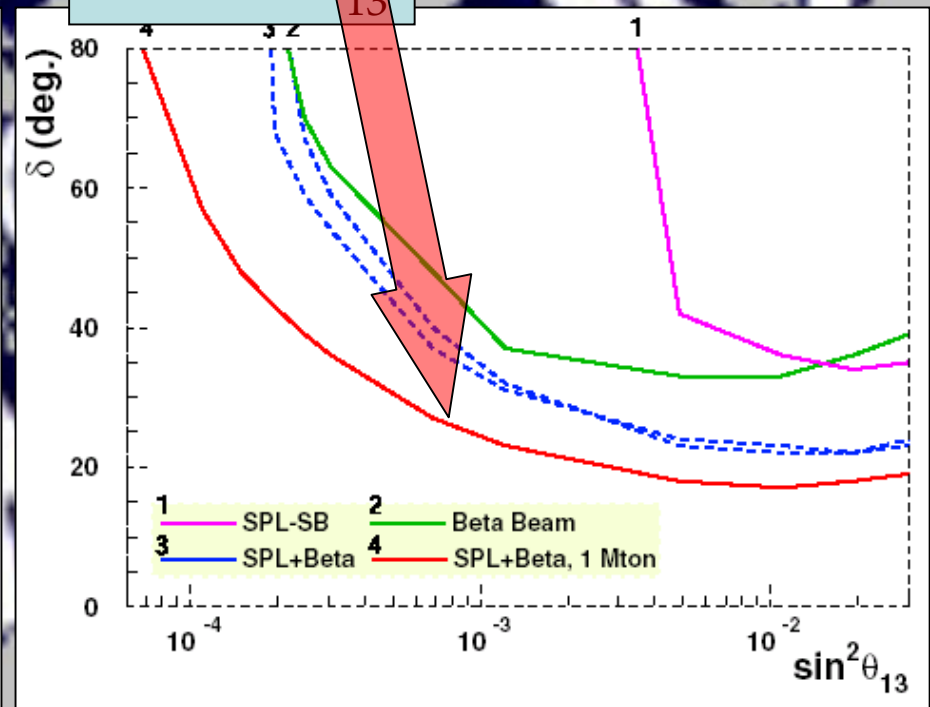


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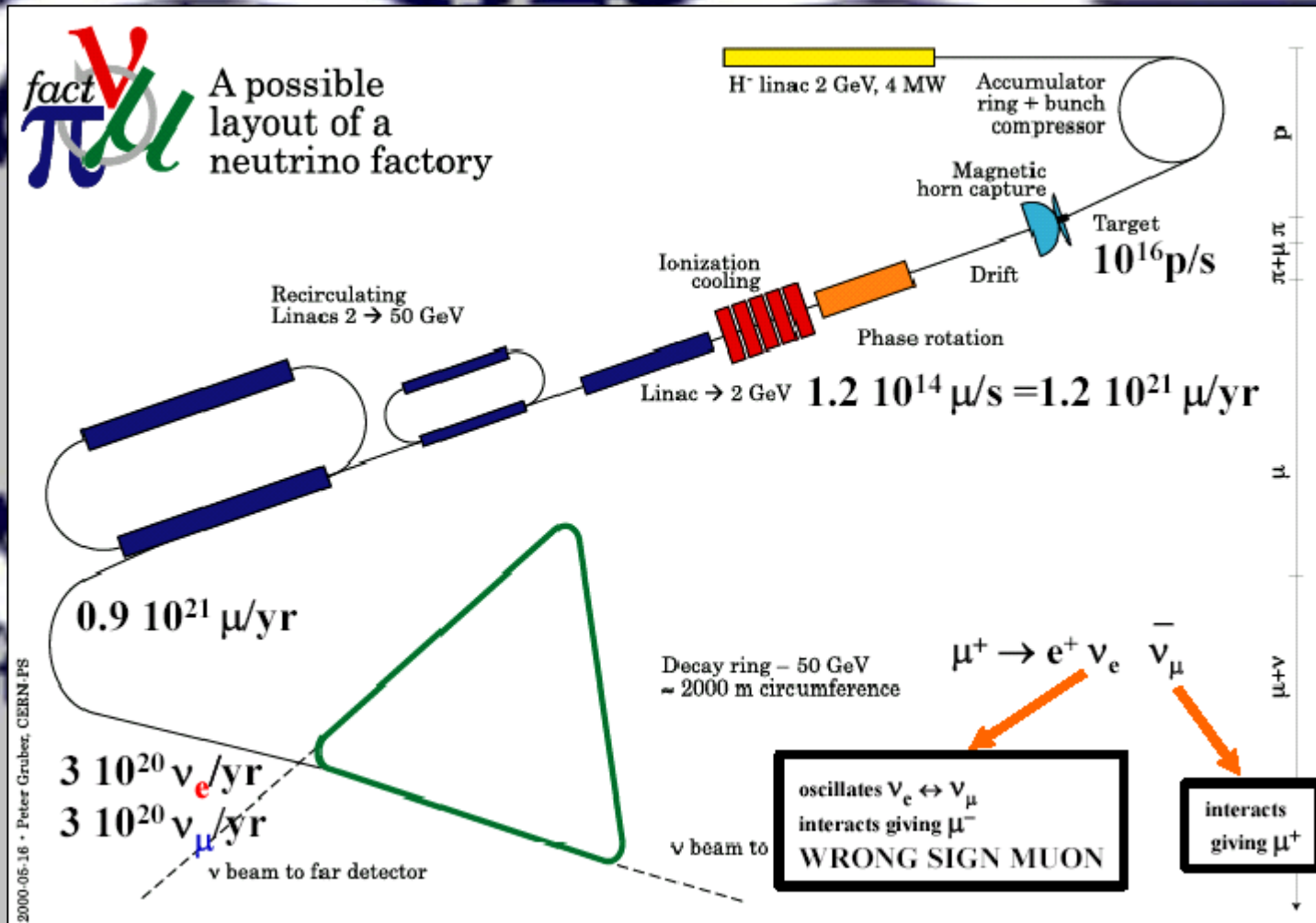
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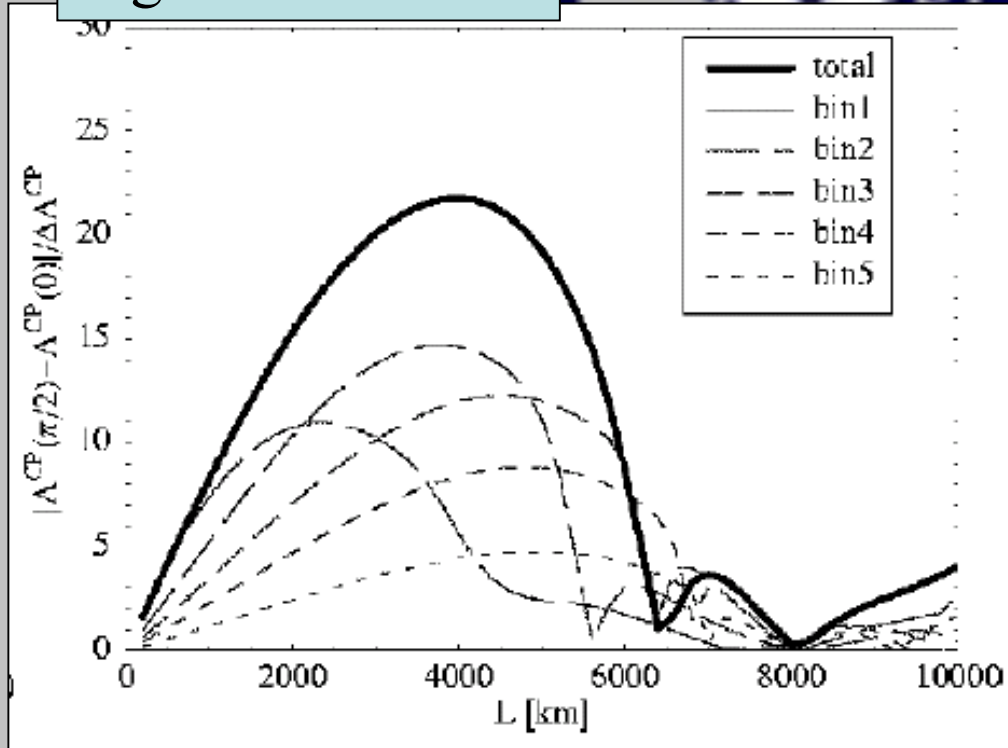


# Schematic Layout of $\nu$ Factory @ CERN

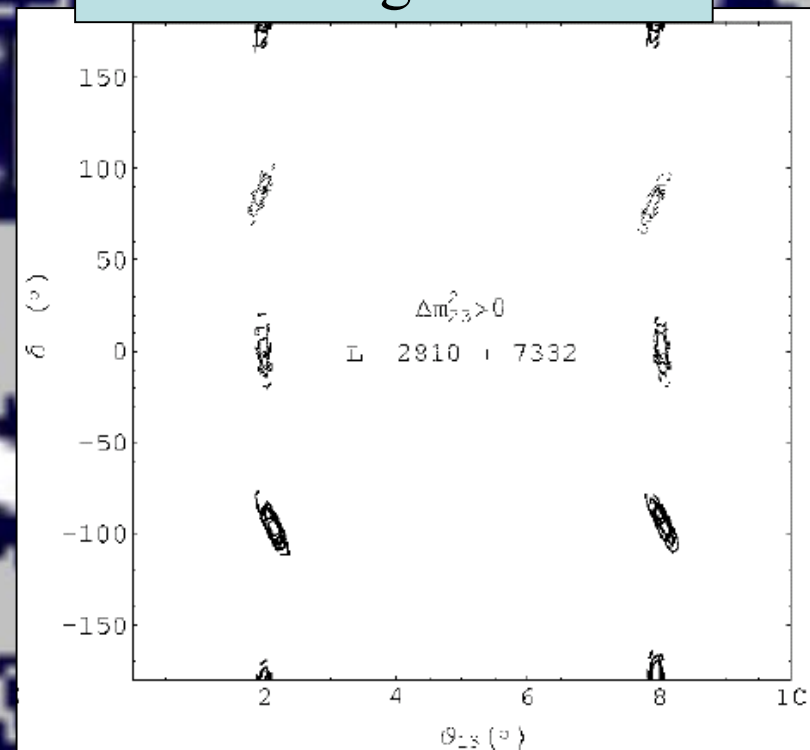


# Neutrino Factory Sensitivity: CP-Violating Phase $\delta$

Signal vs distance



Combine two distances  
to break degeneracies

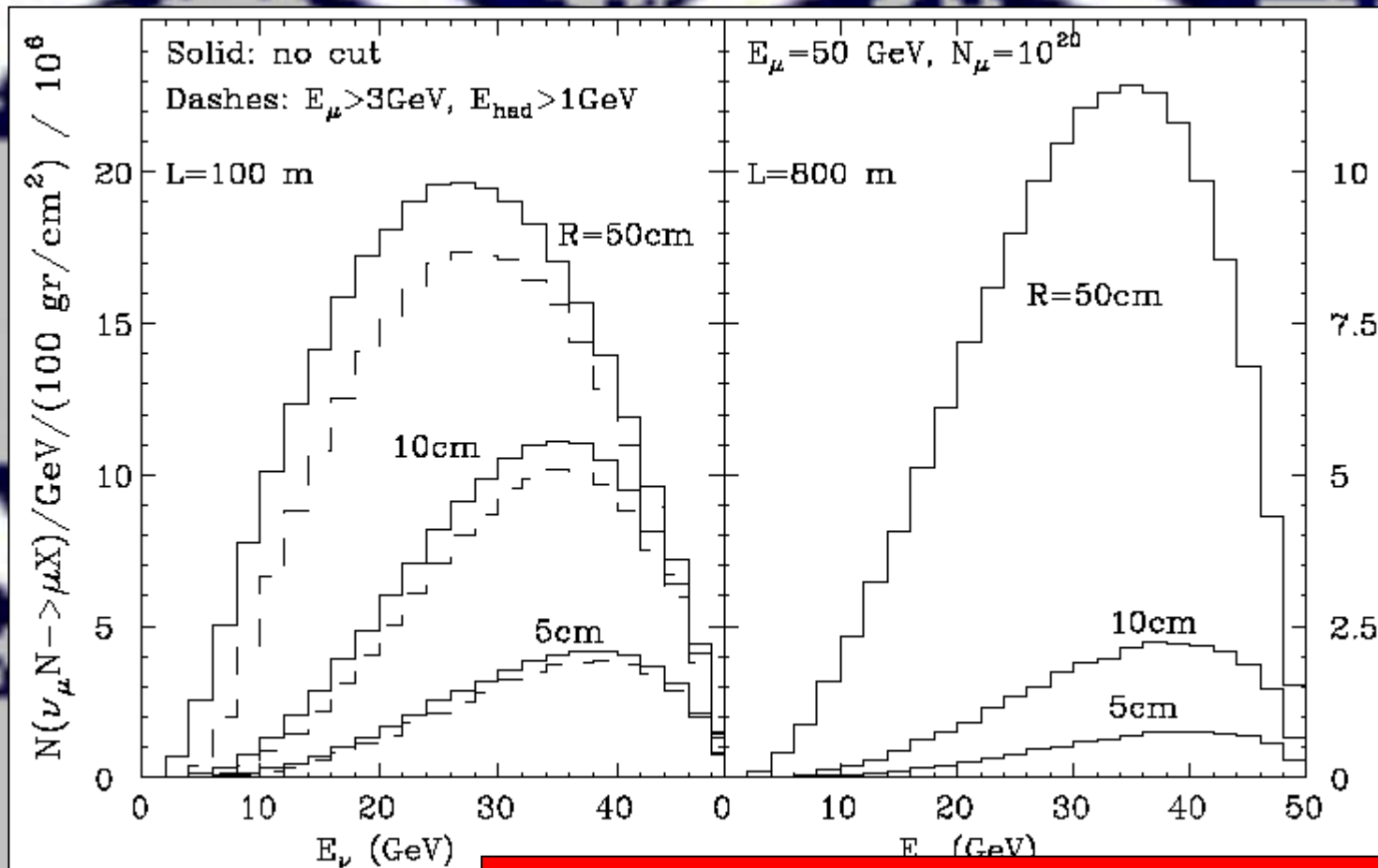


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# Neutrinos as Probes of Standard Model

- Enormous interaction rates in nearby detector
- Quark and antiquark densities
  - Polarized and unpolarized
  - e.g., strange quarks
- Extraction of  $\alpha_s$ ,  $\sin^2 \theta_w$
- Charm production
- Polarization of  $\Lambda$  baryons
  - also probe of strange polarization

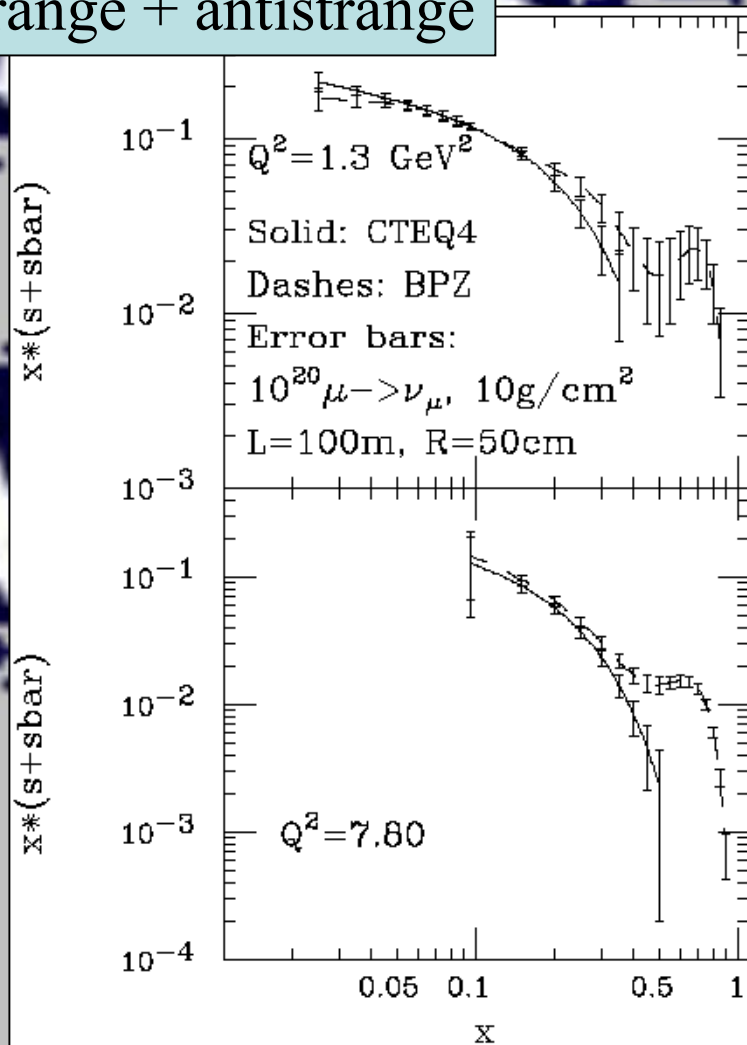
# Event Rates in Nearby Detector



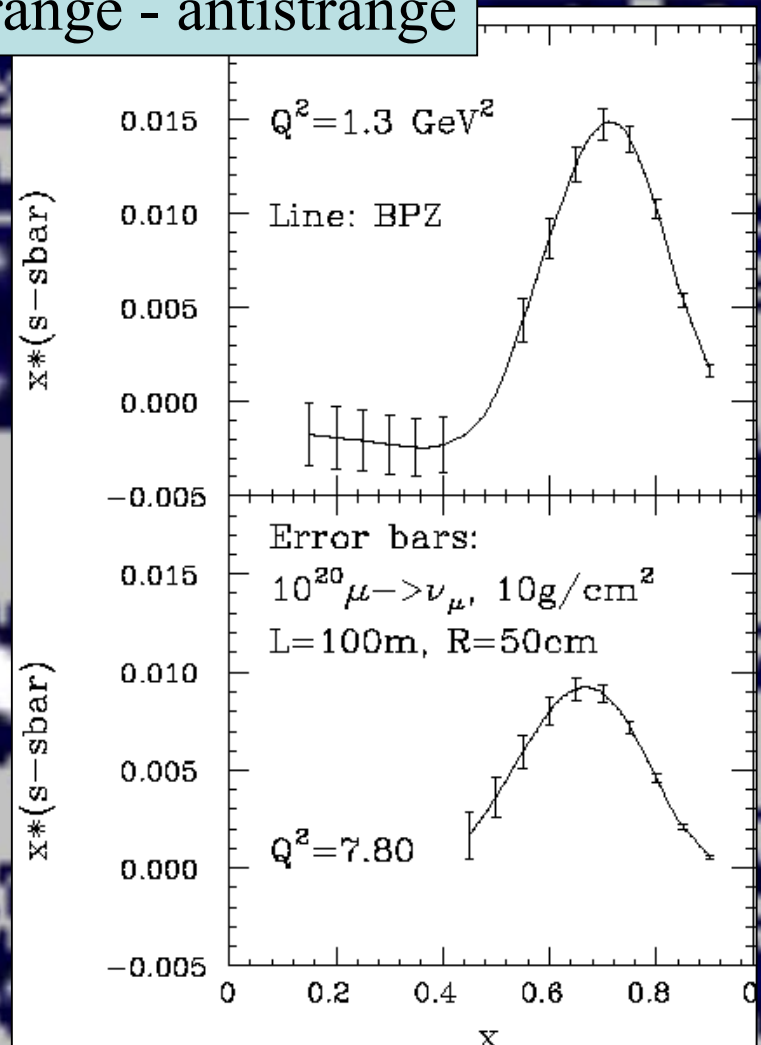
Millions of events – even in small detector

# Measuring Strange Partons

## Strange + antistrange



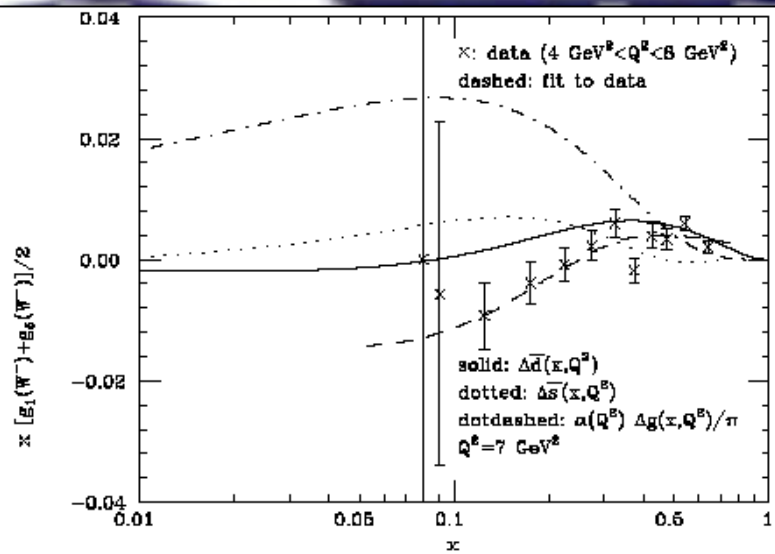
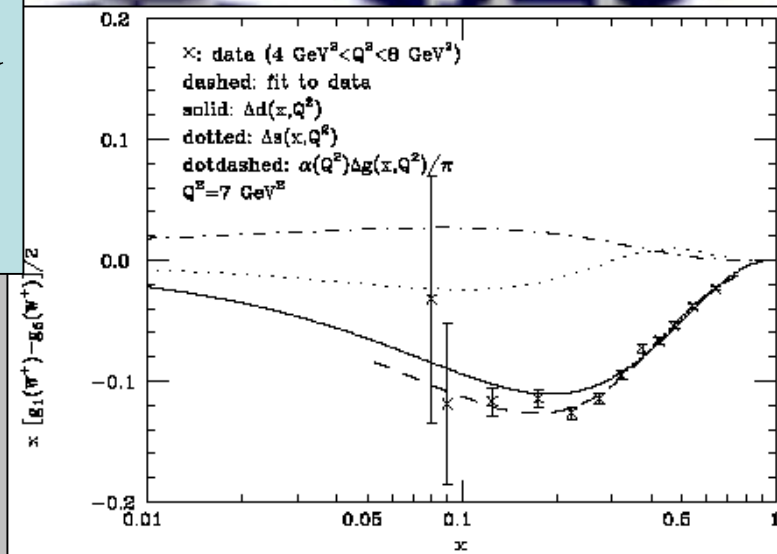
## Strange - antistrange



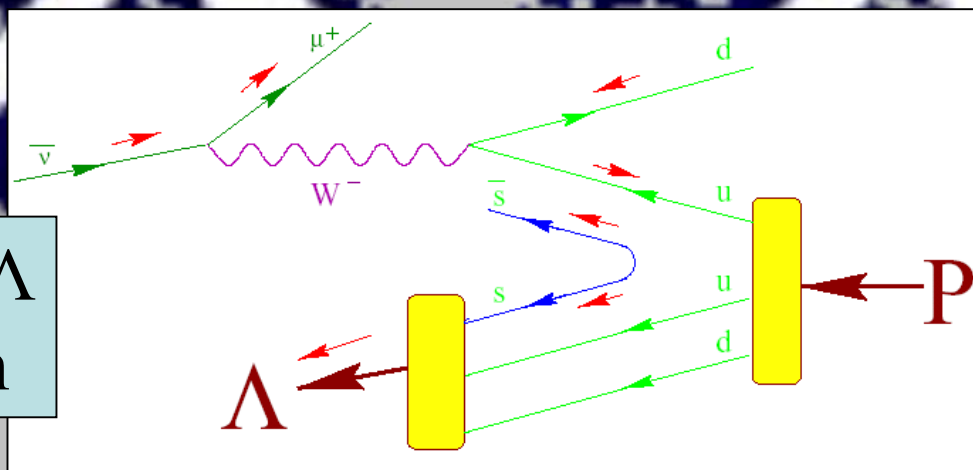


# Handles on Strange Polarization

Polarized Structure functions



Final-state  $\Lambda$  Polarization



# Muon Physics

- Megawatt produces many muons

- Rare  $\mu$  decays

$$\mu \rightarrow e \gamma, \mu \rightarrow e e e, \mu A \rightarrow e A$$

Expected in susy seesaw model

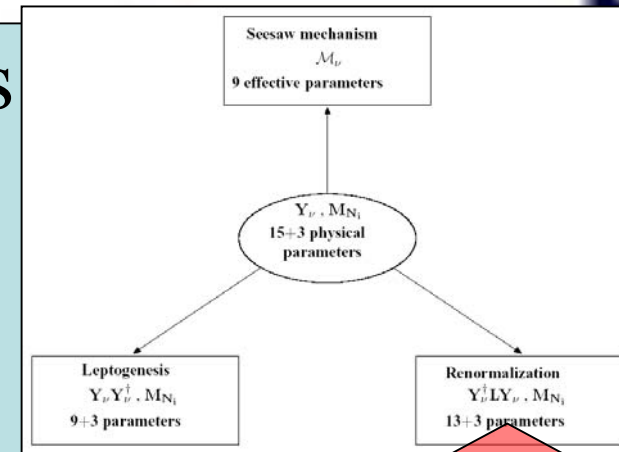
Probe unknown parameters in seesaw model

- Dipole moments:

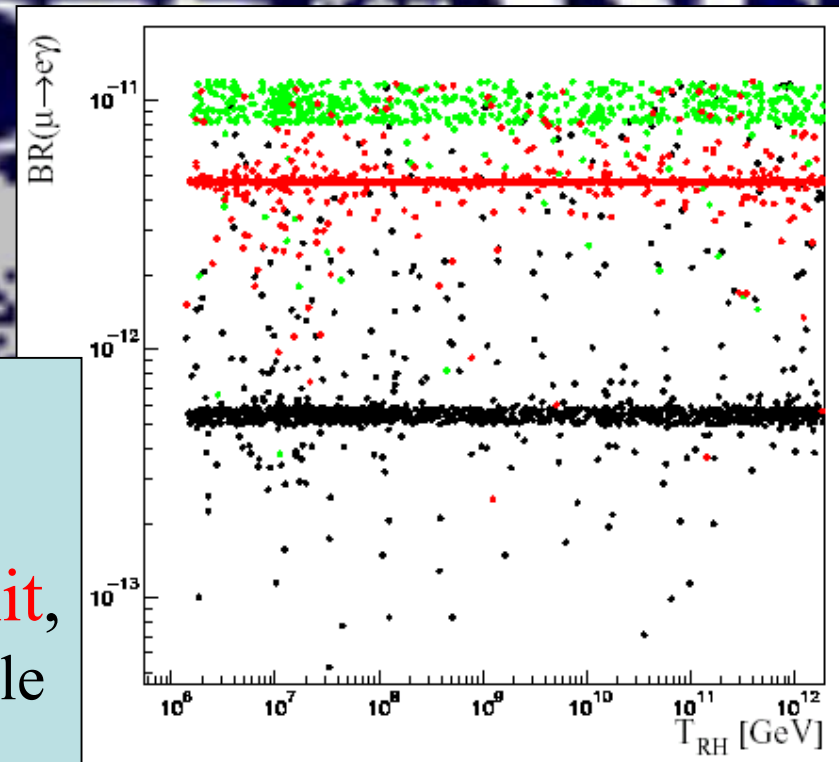
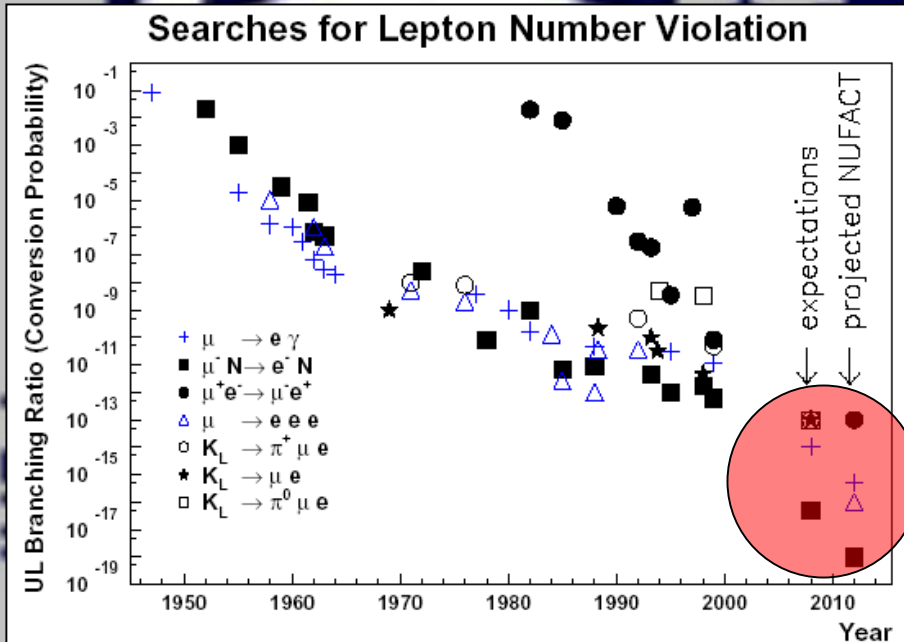
$g_\mu - 2$ , electric dipole moment, CPT tests

- Nuclear, condensed-matter physics:

(radioactive)  $\mu$ -ic atoms, muonium,  $\mu$ -ic Hydrogen



# $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$ in Supersymmetric Seesaw



Many models predict

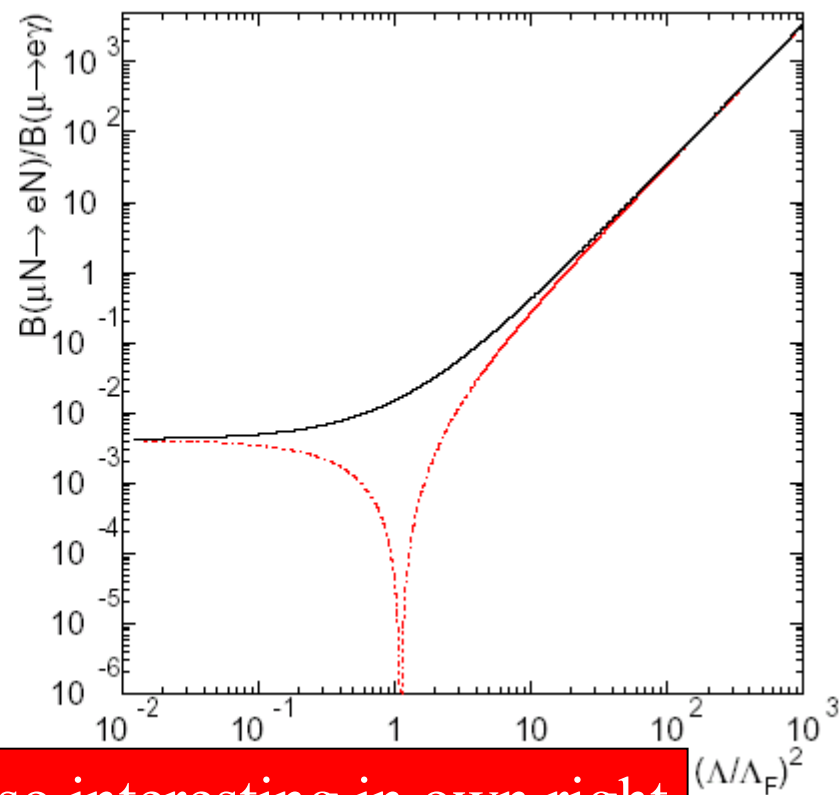
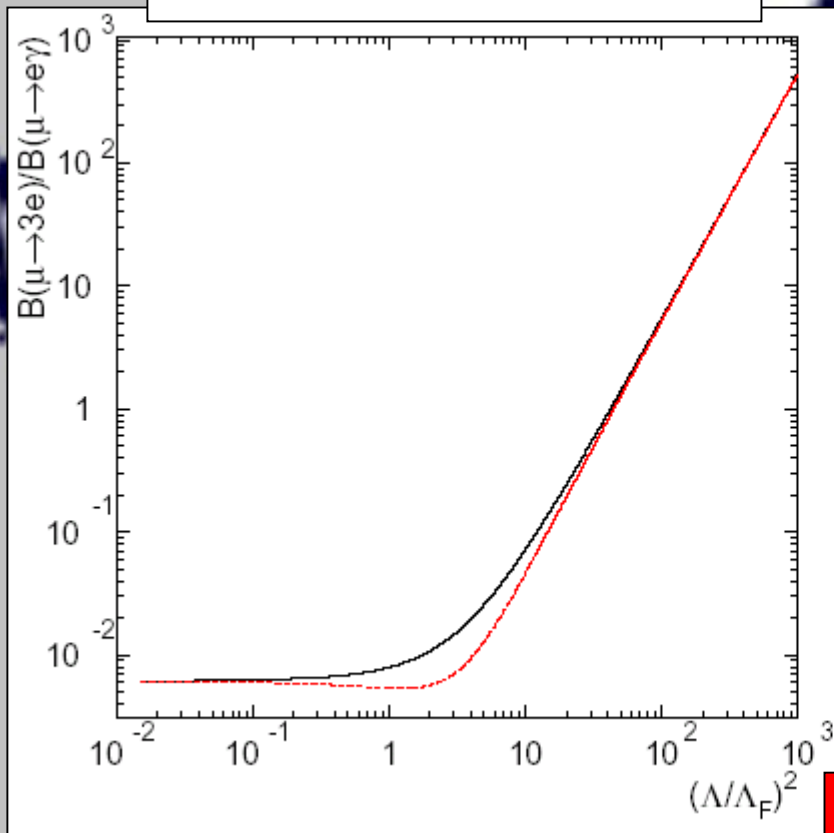
$$\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$$

close to present experimental limit,  
 e.g., model where sneutrino responsible  
 for inflation, baryogenesis

# New Interactions:

$\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$  vs  $\mu \rightarrow eee$ ,  $\mu A \rightarrow eA$

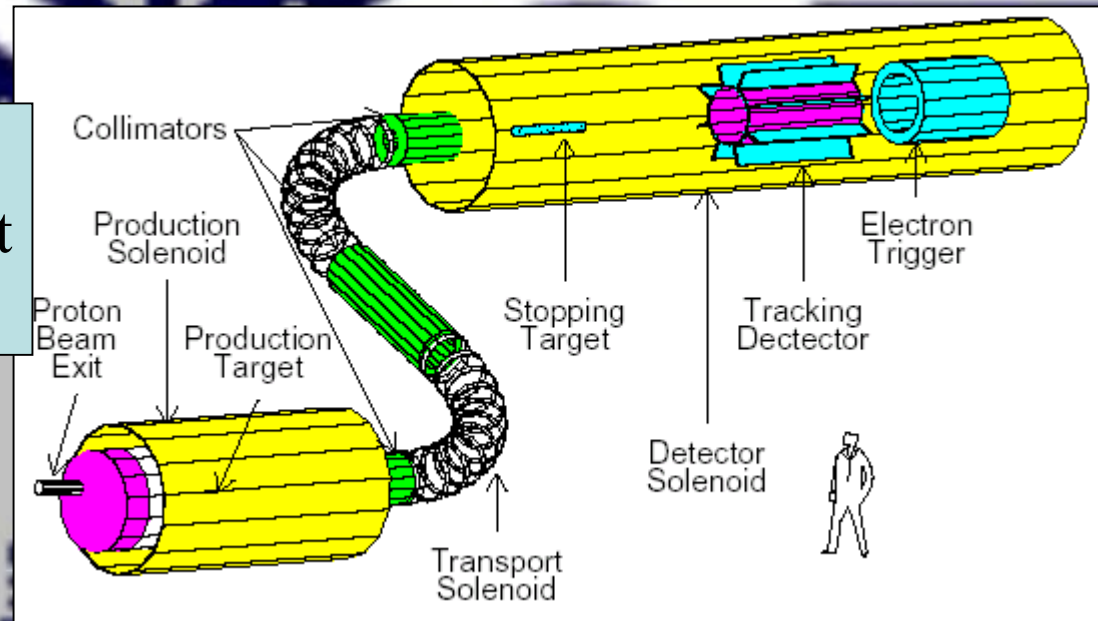
$$\frac{B(\mu \rightarrow 3e)}{B(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma)} = \frac{1}{12(4\pi)^2} \left( \frac{\Lambda}{\Lambda_F} \right)^4$$



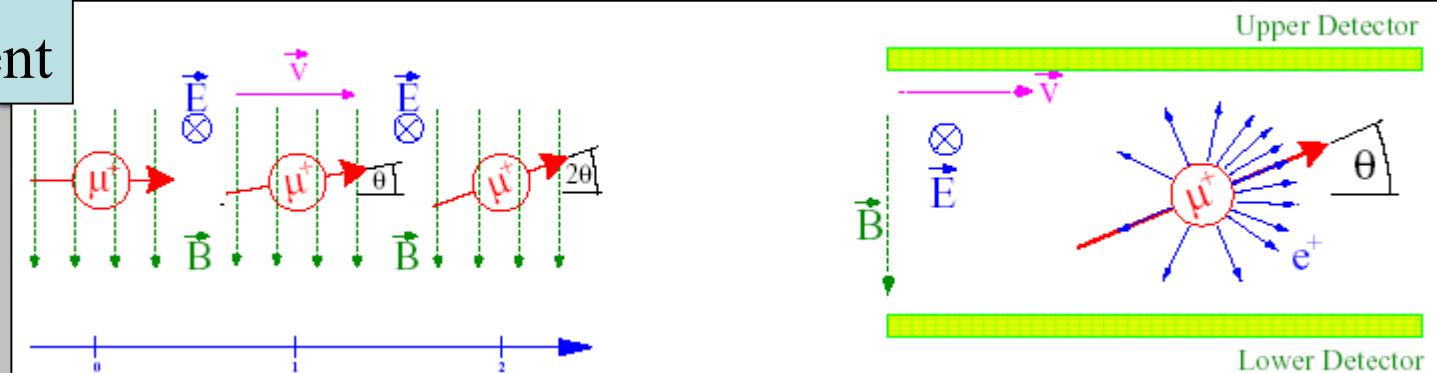
Also interesting in own right

# Other Experiments: $\mu A \rightarrow eA$ , EDM

Planned layout of  
MECO experiment  
for  $\mu A \rightarrow eA$



Principle of  
EDM experiment



# Muon Colliders?

- Extrapolate  $\mu$  cooling technology
- Light Higgs Factory?

Standard Model vs supersymmetry?

- Factory for heavier supersymmetric Higgses?

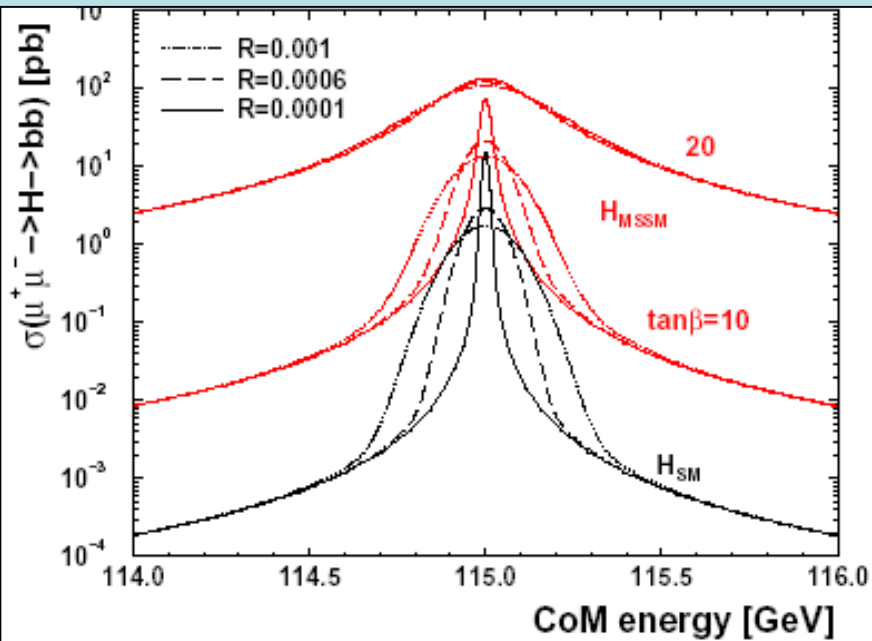
New probes of CP violation?

- High-energy frontier?

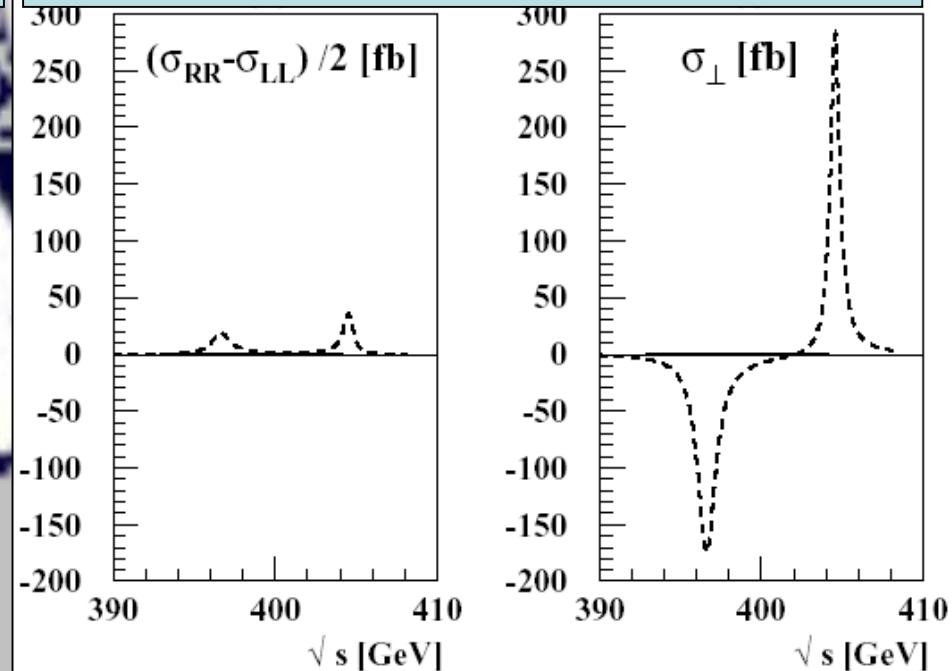
Alternative to CLIC for multi-TeV lepton collisions?

# Higgs Studies at Muon Colliders

First muon collider:  
Detailed measurements  
of light Higgs boson:  
Standard Model vs supersymmetry



Second muon collider:  
Detailed measurements  
of supersymmetric Higgs bosons:  
Unique probe of CP violation?

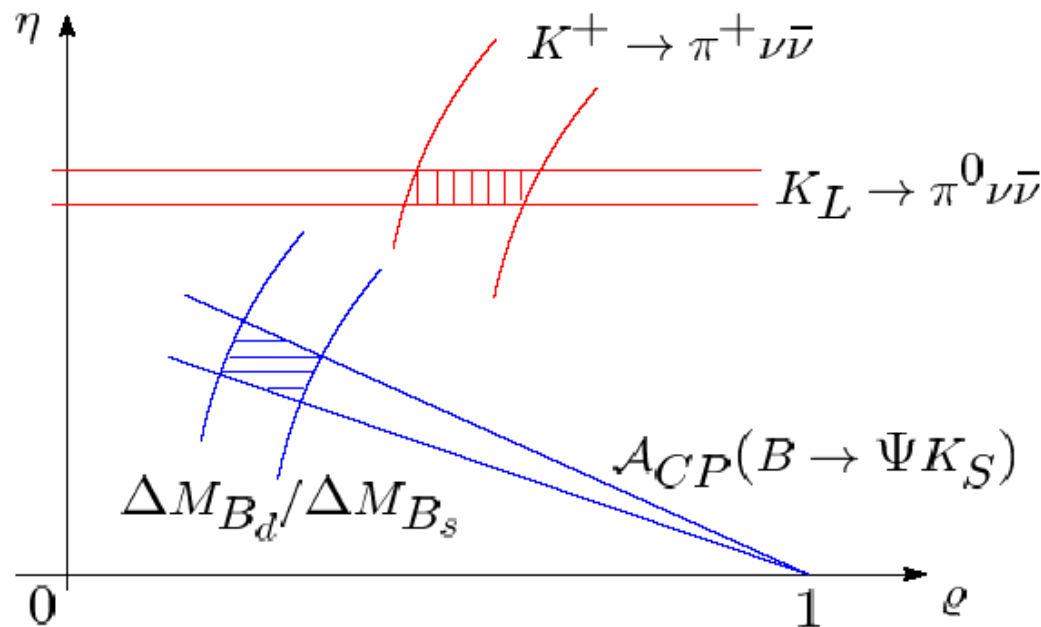


# Rare K Decays

Many kaons produced if high-energy source or booster ring

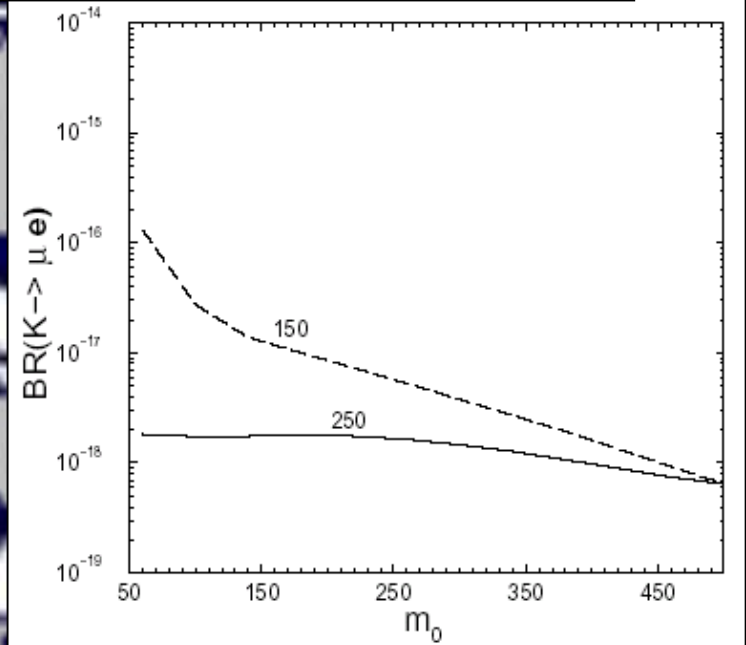
$K \rightarrow \pi \nu \bar{\nu}$ :

Alternative window  
on CKM unitarity triangle



$K \rightarrow \mu e$ :

Possible window  
on physics beyond SM





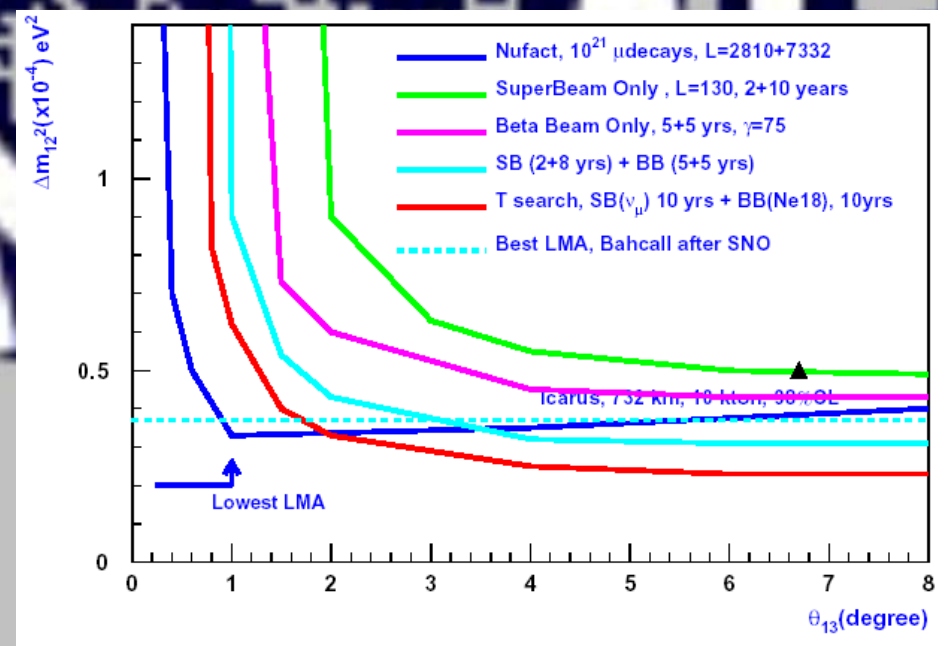
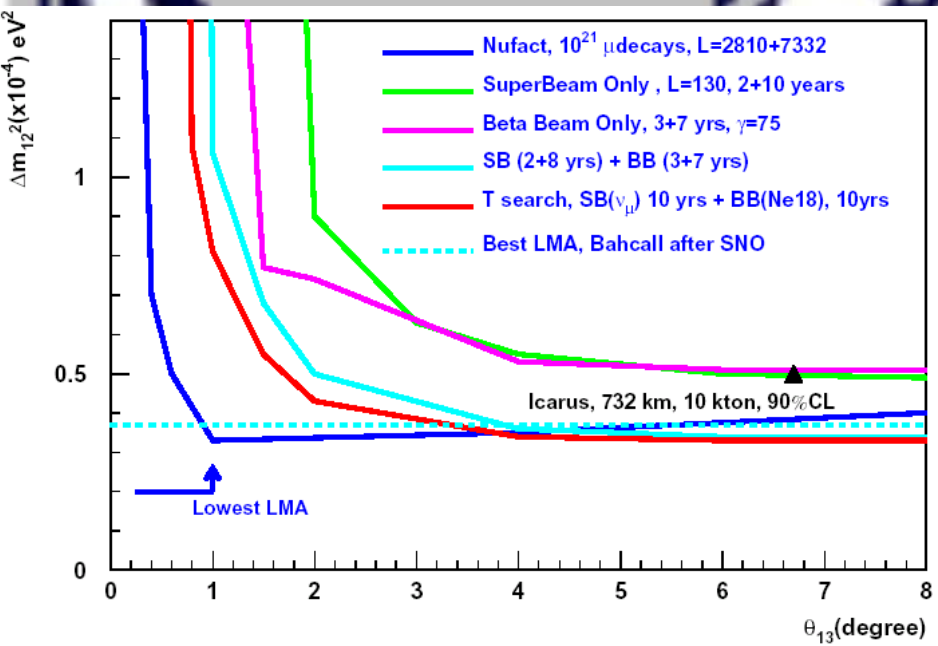
# Physics with Megawatt

- Long-range programme in  $\nu$  physics:  
superbeam,  $\beta$  beam,  $\nu$  factory
- Complementary programme in  $\mu$  physics:  
rare  $\mu$  decays,  $\mu$  properties,  $\mu$  colliders?
- Next-generation facility for nuclear physics  
also tests of SM, nuclear astrophysics
- Synergy with CERN programme:  
LHC, CNGS  $\nu$ , ISOLDE, heavy ions,  $\beta$  beam

Interesting project – and CERN would be a good place for it

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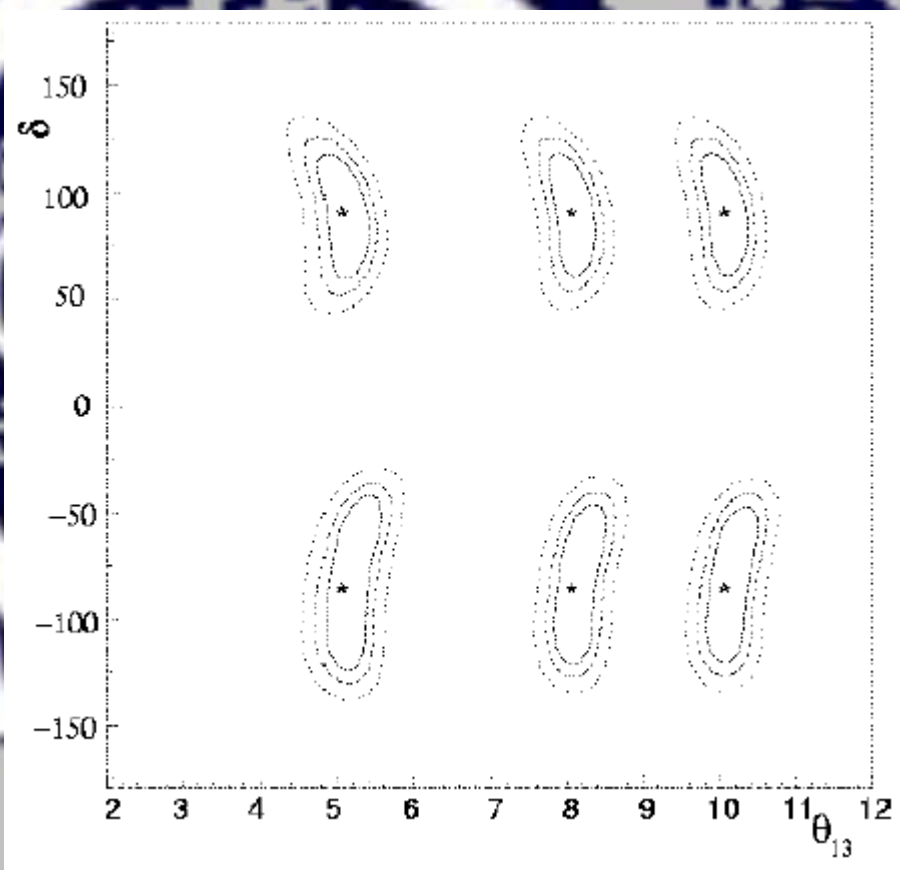
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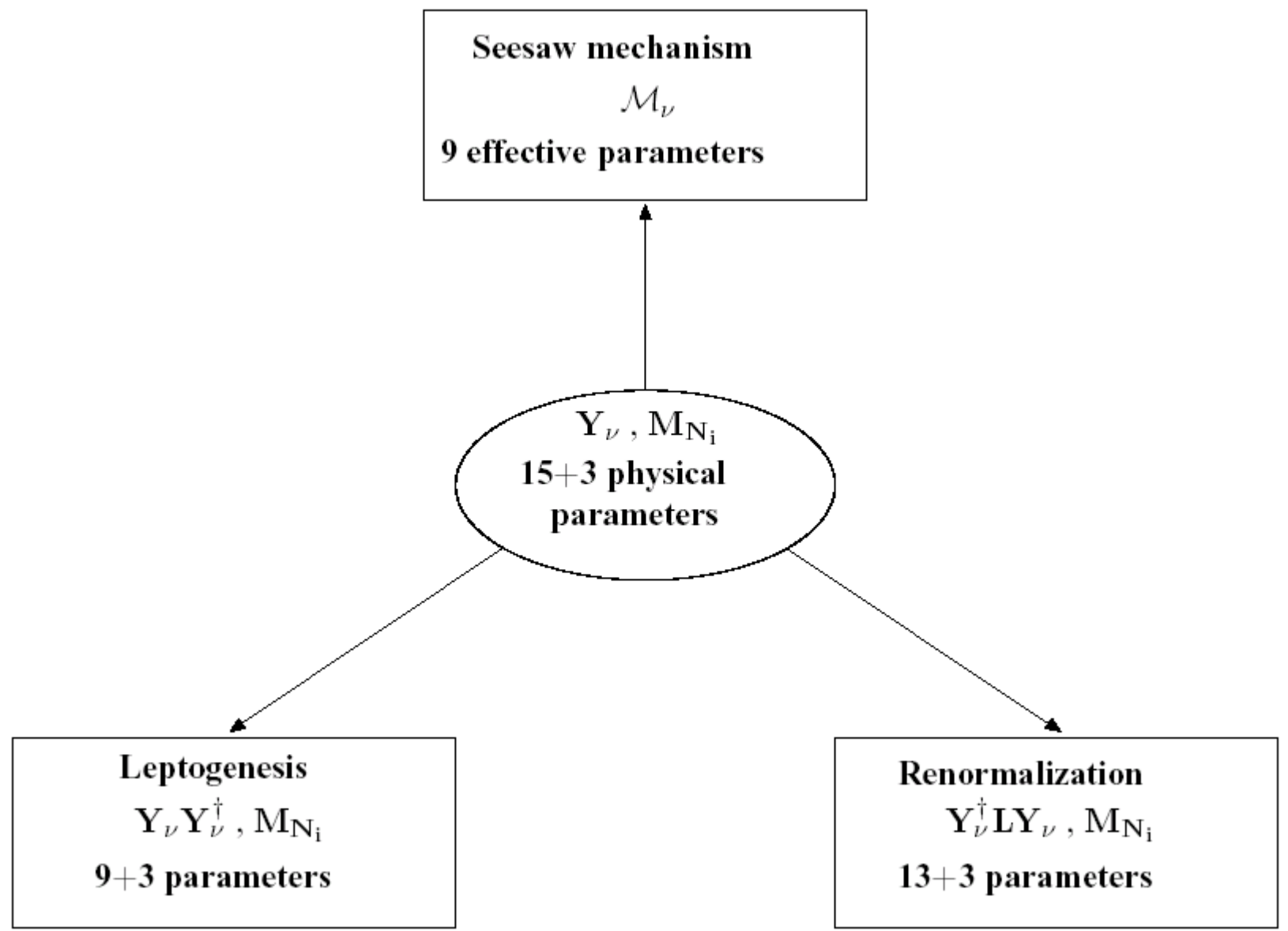
Possible characteristics of a beta beam optimized for the  $\bar{\nu}_e$  interaction rate.

${}^6\text{He}$ ion production	$5 \times 10^{13}/\text{s}$ every 8 s
${}^6\text{He}$ collection efficiency	20%
${}^6\text{He}$ accelerator efficiency	65%
${}^6\text{He}$ maximum final energy	150 GeV/nucleon
$\bar{\nu}_e$ average energy	582 MeV
Storage ring total intensity	$1 \times 10^{14}$ ${}^6\text{He}$ ions
Straight section relative length	36%
Running time/year	$10^7$ s
Detector distance	100 km
$\langle E \rangle / L$	$5.9 \times 10^{-3}$ GeV/km
$\bar{\nu}_e$ interaction rate on $\text{H}_2\text{O}$	69/kton/year

Possible characteristics of a beta beam optimized for the  $\nu_e$  interaction rate.

${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ ion production	$1 \times 10^{12}/\text{s}$ every 4 s
${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ collection efficiency	50%
${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ accelerator efficiency	82%
${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ maximum final energy	75 GeV/nucleon
$\nu_e$ average energy	279 MeV
Storage ring total intensity	$1.3 \times 10^{13}$ ${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ ions
Straight section relative length	36%
Running time/year	$10^7$ s
Detector distance	130 km
$\langle E \rangle / L$	$2.1 \times 10^{-3}$ GeV/km
$\nu_e$ interaction rate on $\text{H}_2\text{O}$	3.1/kton/year





# Ideas about $\nu$ masses and mixing

Higher-order Higgs effect:

$$\frac{(H.L)(H.L)}{M} \rightarrow m_\nu \sim \frac{\langle 0|H|0 \rangle^2}{M}$$

Underlying Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L} = N_i^c (M_{\nu D})_{ij} L_j + \frac{1}{2} N_i^c (M_{\nu R})_{ij} N_j^c + h.c.$$

Seesaw mass matrix:

$$\mathcal{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & M_{\nu D} \\ M_{\nu D}^T & M_{\nu R} \end{pmatrix}$$

$\nu$  mixing matrix:

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} U_{e1} & U_{e2} & U_{e3} \\ U_{\mu 1} & U_{\mu 2} & U_{\mu 3} \\ U_{\tau 1} & U_{\tau 2} & U_{\tau 3} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_{12}c_{13} & s_{12}c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -s_{12}c_{23} - c_{12}s_{13}s_{23}e^{i\delta} & c_{12}c_{23} - s_{12}s_{13}s_{23}e^{i\delta} & c_{13}s_{23} \\ s_{12}s_{23} - c_{12}s_{13}c_{23}e^{i\delta} & -c_{12}s_{23} - s_{12}s_{13}c_{23}e^{i\delta} & c_{13}c_{23} \end{pmatrix}$$