

# QG-MM

## Low Energy neutrino Experiments

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Bonus: where are neutrinos coming from?

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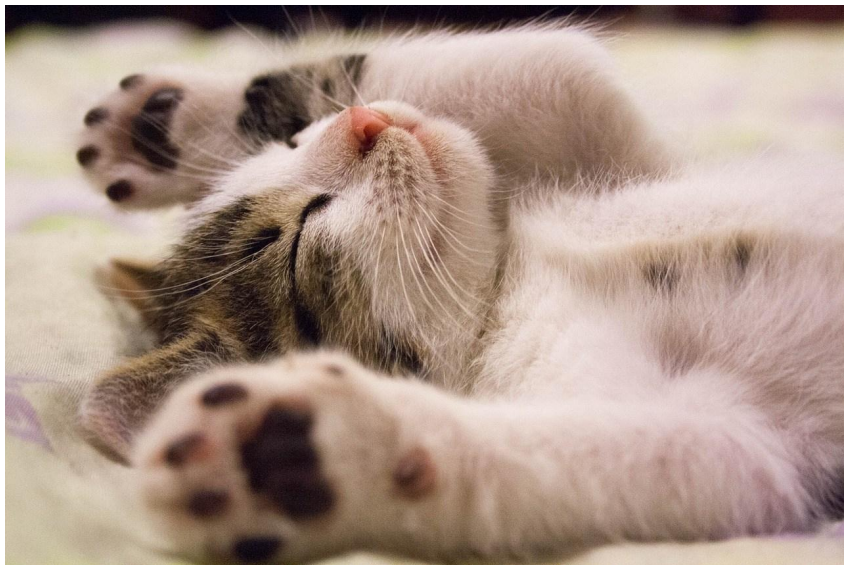
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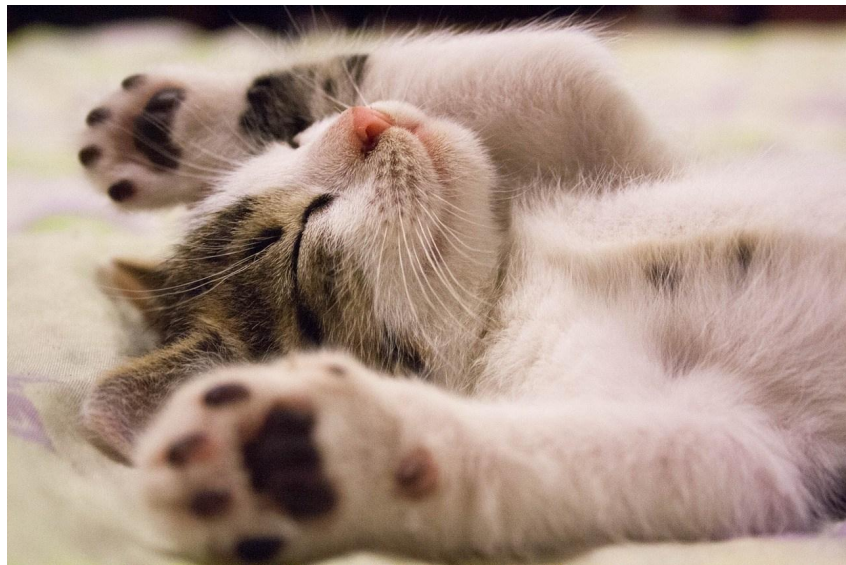
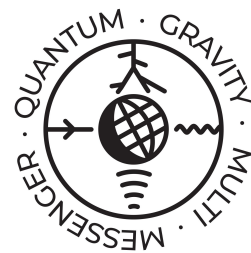
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Neutrinos experiments: so challenging!

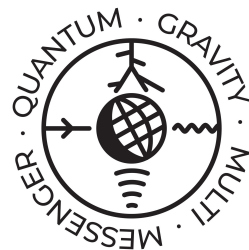
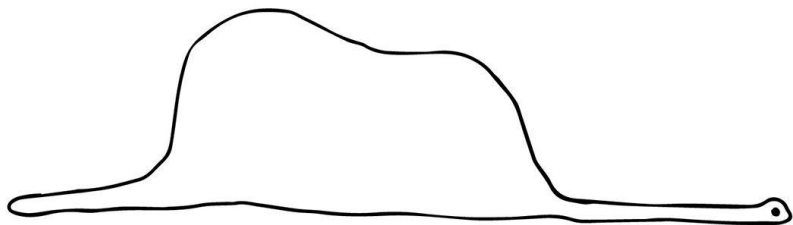




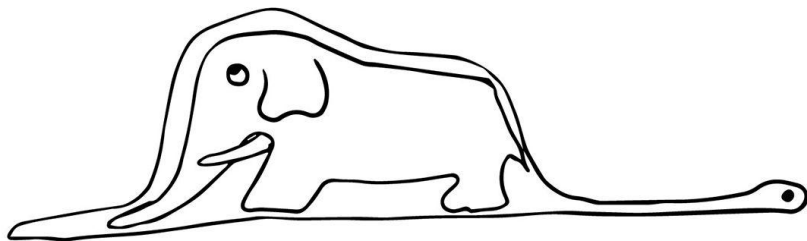
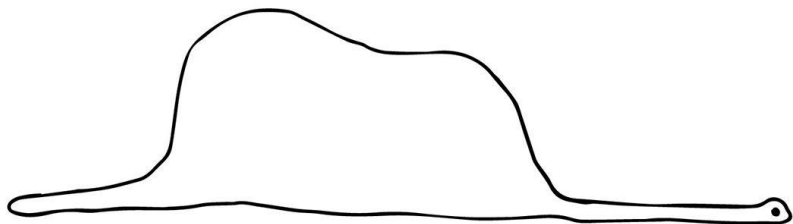
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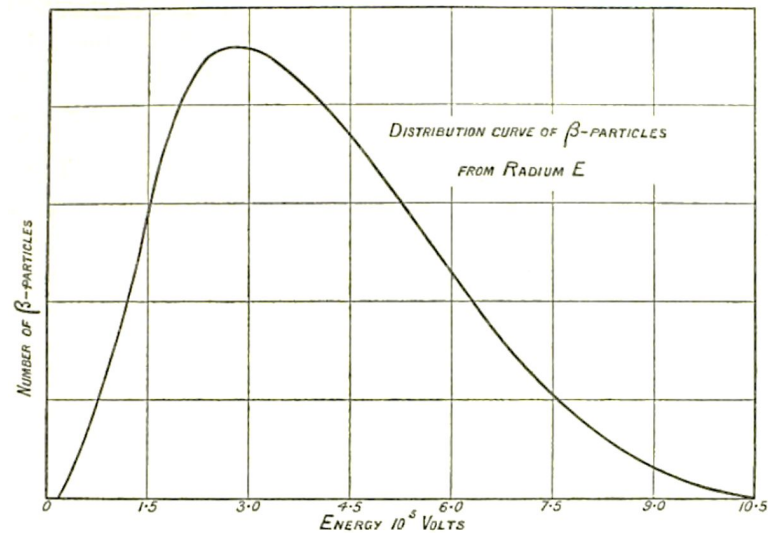
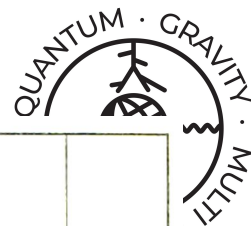
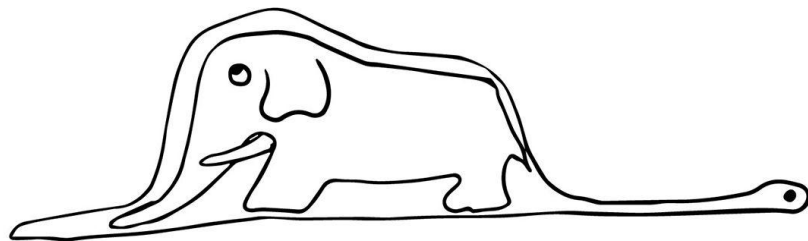
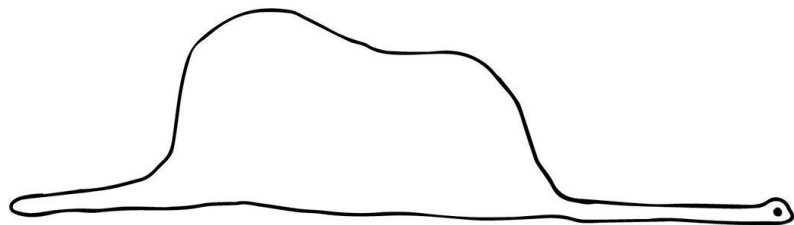
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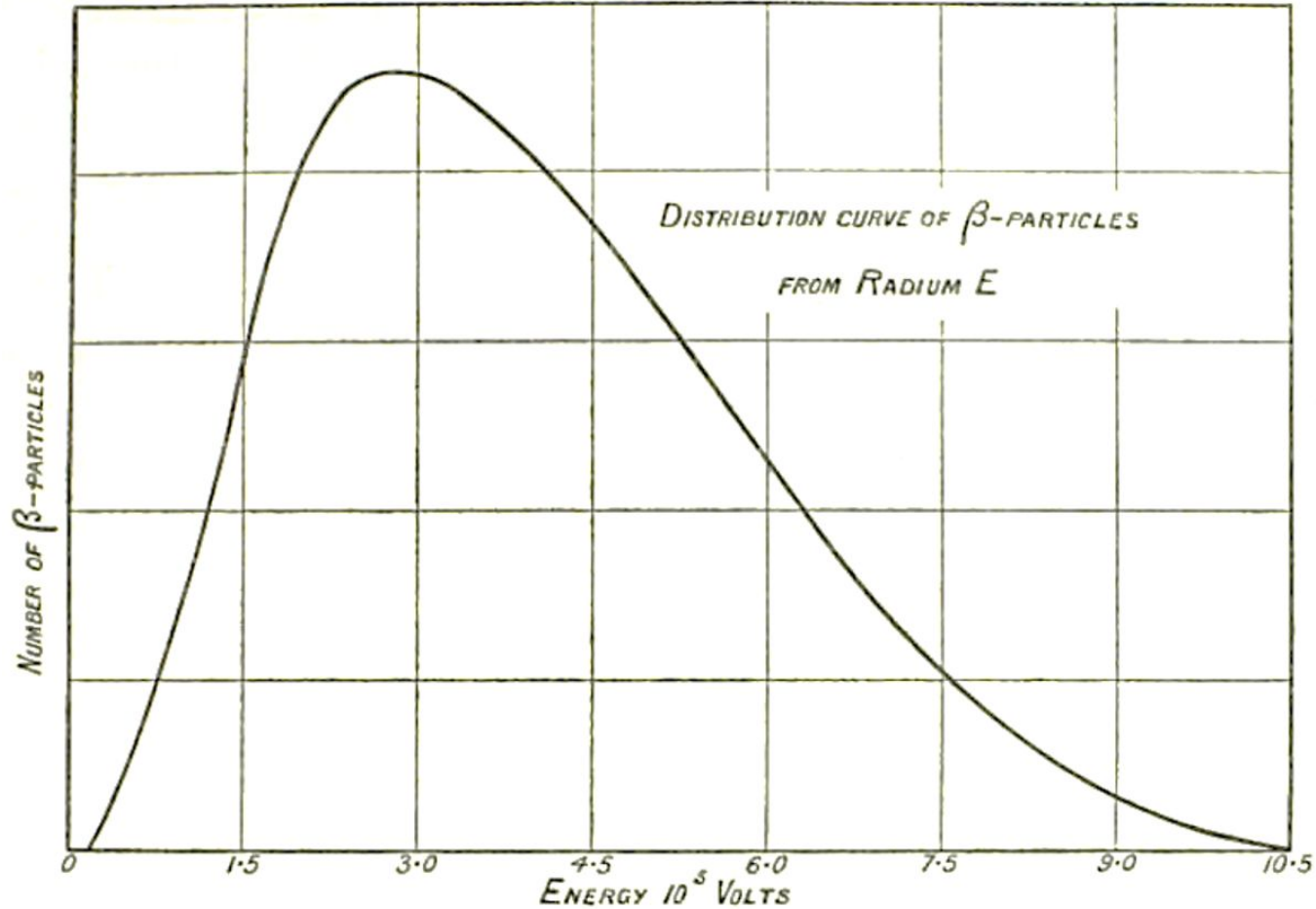
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## First KATRIN Neutrino Mass Run Sensitivity Figures



### Sensitivity

Statistics dominated

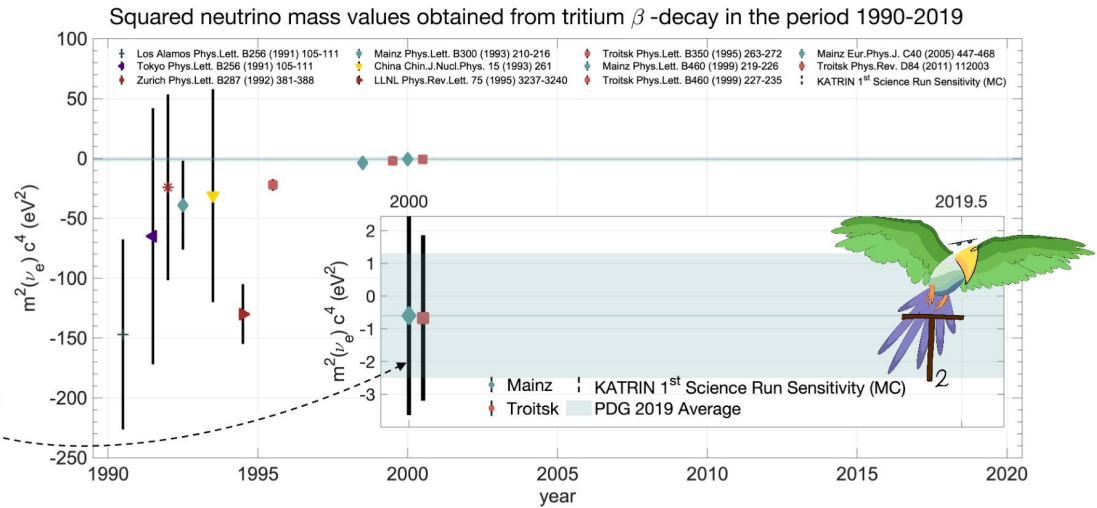
$$1\sigma \text{ on } m^2 = 0.8 \text{ eV}^2$$

$$m_\nu < 1.1 \text{ eV (90\% CL)}$$

Statistics improved x2

~5 days of KATRIN nominal

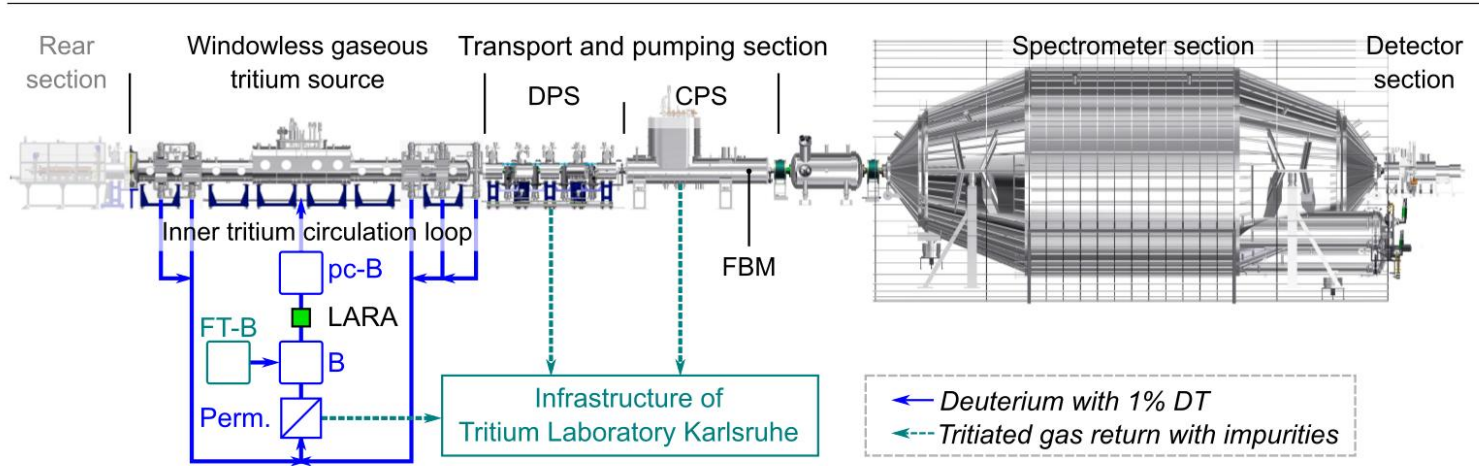
Systematics reduced x6



From TAUP 2019 talk by T. Lasserre . for details on the set up: arXiv:1909.06069



# KATRIN (KARlsruhe TRitium Neutrino)



**Fig. 1** The experimental setup of the 70-m-long KATRIN beamline with a conceptual sketch of the tritium loop in the configuration during the First Tritium campaign. FT-B: Gas buffer with pre-defined gas mixture: 1 % DT in  $D_2$ . pc-B, B: (pressure-controlled) buffer vessels. LARA: compositional monitoring by Laser Raman spectroscopy. Perm.: Permeator for hydrogen purification. FBM: Forward Beam Monitor. DPS: Differential Pumping Section. CPS: Cryogenic Pumping Section. The rear section (grayed out) was not used during the FT campaign.



From Aker M. et al., arXiv:1909.06069

**Reactor neutrino experiments**

**Accelerators experiments**

**Neutrino telescopes**

**Solar neutrinos**

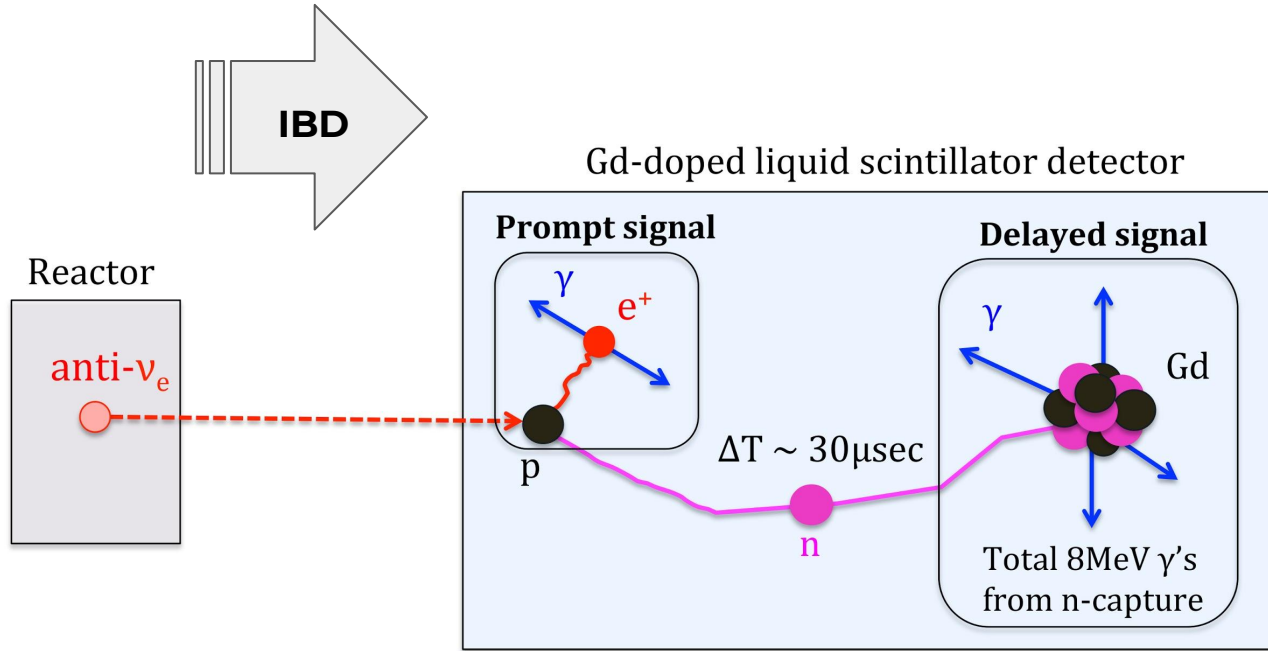
**Neutrino oscillations**

**Double Beta Decay**





# Reactor neutrino experiments



# Double Chooz

$$U_{3 \times 3} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \theta_{23} & \sin \theta_{23} \\ 0 & -\sin \theta_{23} & \cos \theta_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{13} & 0 & \sin \theta_{13} e^{-i\delta} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta_{13} e^{i\delta} & 0 & \cos \theta_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{12} & \sin \theta_{12} & 0 \\ -\sin \theta_{12} & \cos \theta_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} *$$

atmospheric +  
accelerator disapp

$$\Delta m^2_{31}$$

SBL reactor +  
accelerator app

$$\Delta m^2_{31}$$

solar +  
KamLAND

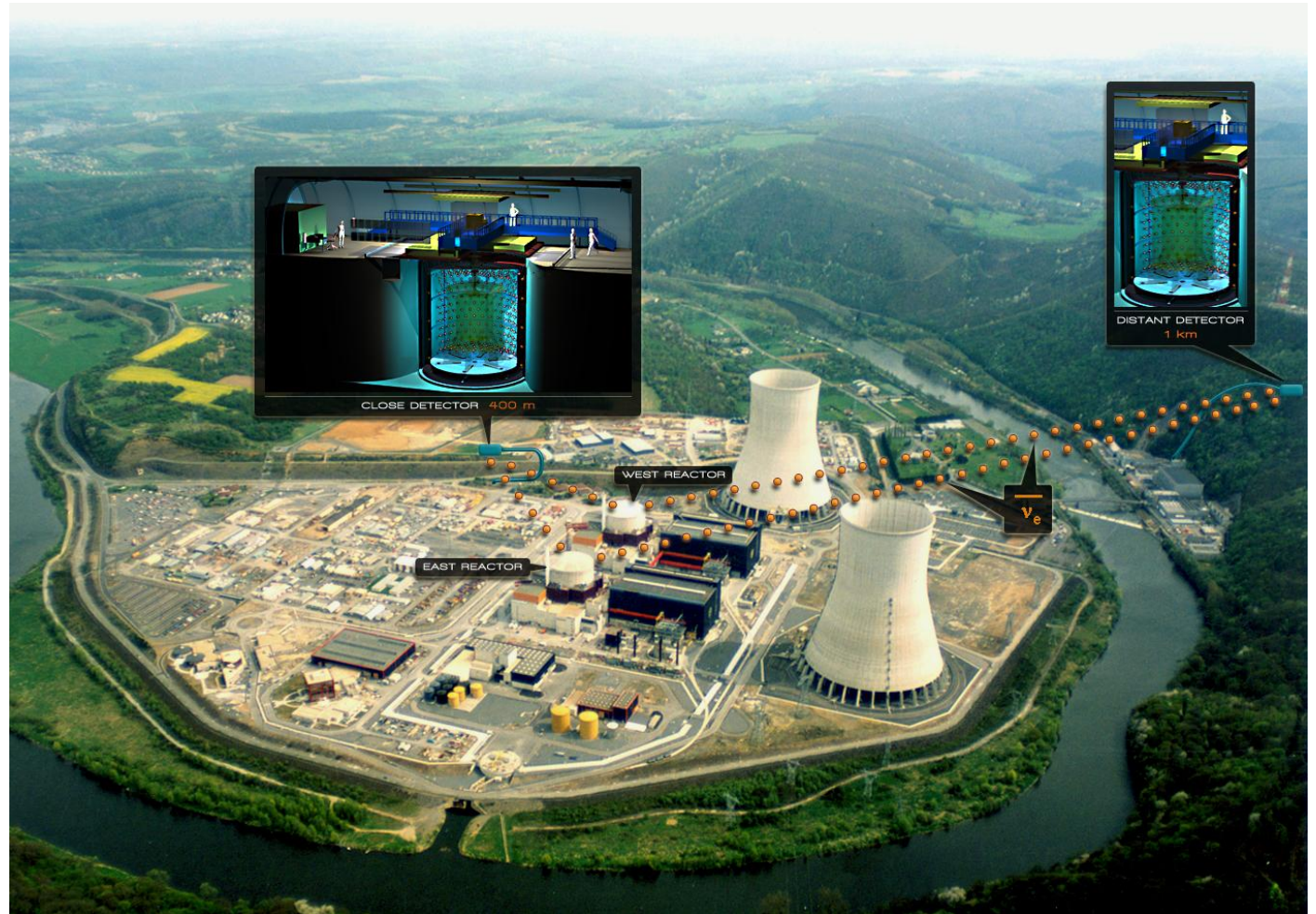
$$\Delta m^2_{21}$$



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# Double Chooz



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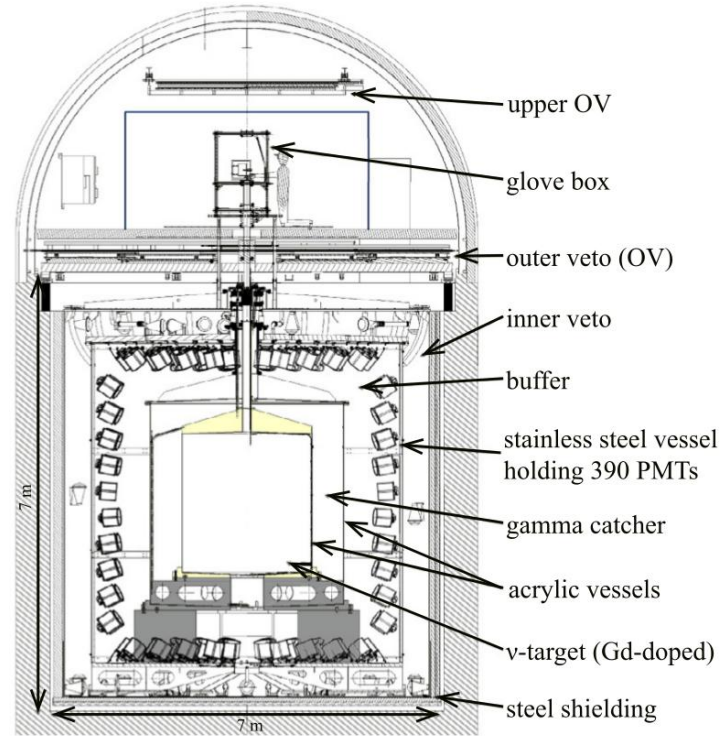
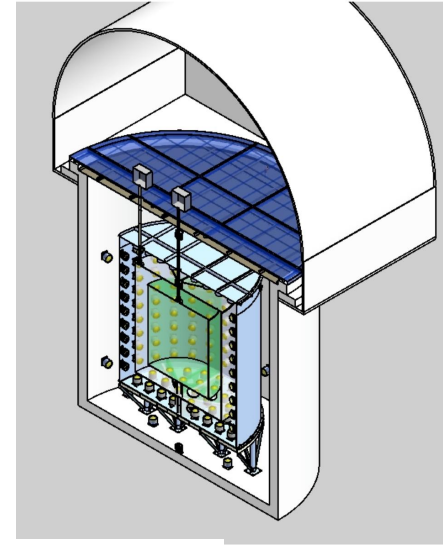
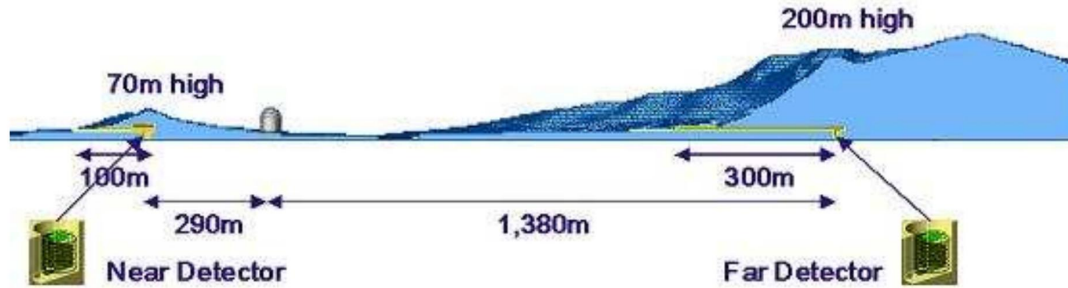


Fig. 4. Double Chooz detector. From inner to outer, (i) Neutrino target scintillator, (ii)  $\gamma$ -Catcher scintillator, (iii) Buffer oil, (iv) PMT array, (v) Inner muon veto scintillator and (vi) Outer muon veto counter.



From Suekane F. et al. (2016), NPB 908, 74

# RENO (Reactor Experiment for Neutrino Oscillation)

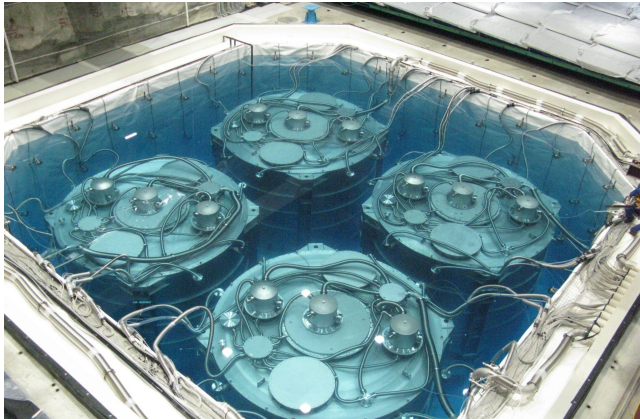
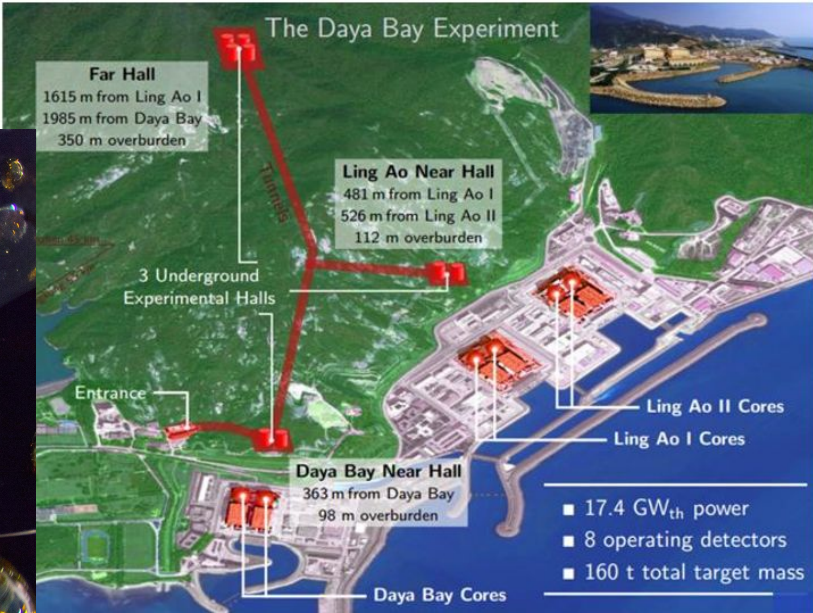
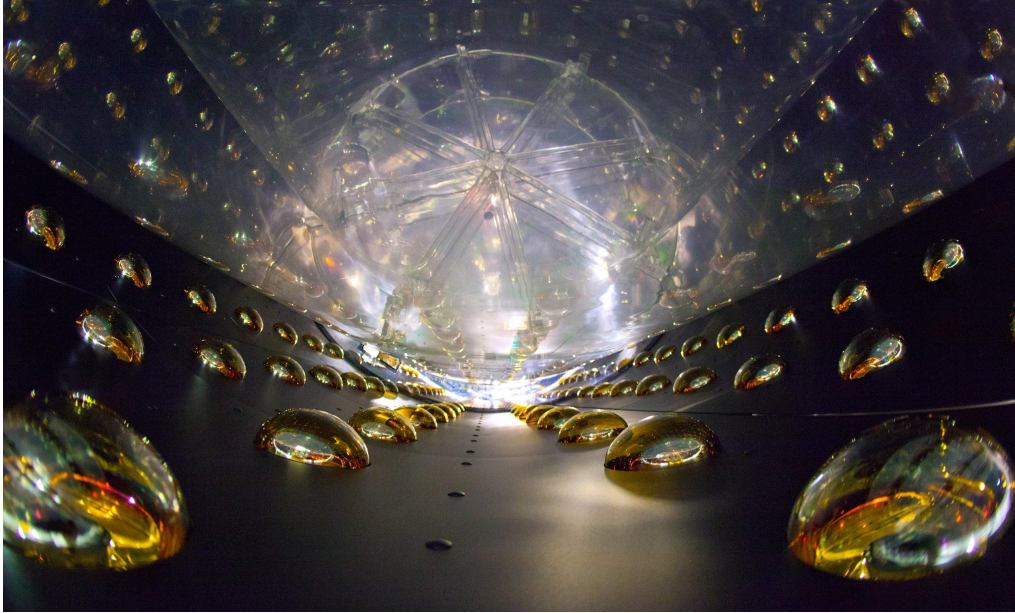


Experiment	Location	Total Reactor Thermal Output ( $\text{GW}_{th}$ )	Detector Distance Near/Far (m)	Overburden Near/Far (mwe)	Target Mass (Near/Far) (tons)
Double Chooz	France	8.7	410/1067	115/300	10/10
Daya Bay	China	11.6(17.4)	360(500)/1985(1613)	260/910	$40 \times 2/10$
RENO	Korea	16.4	292/1380	110/450	16.1/16.1

From Ahn J. K.. et al. (2010), arXiv: 1003.1391

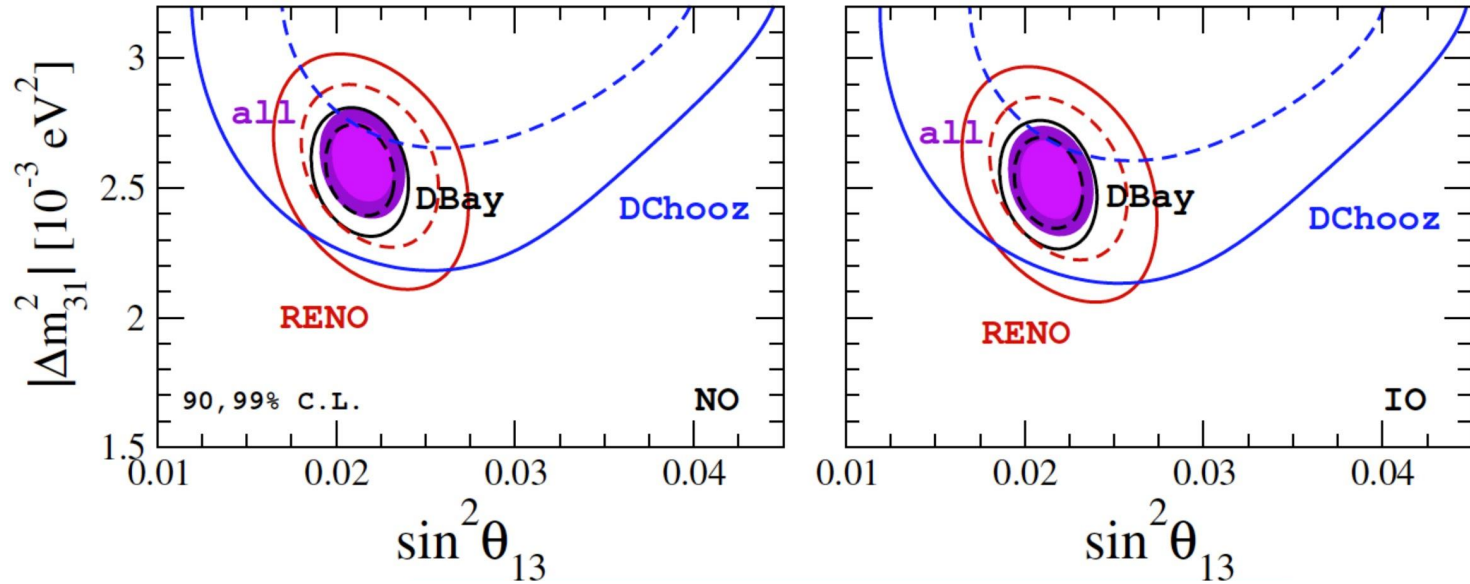


# Daya Bay



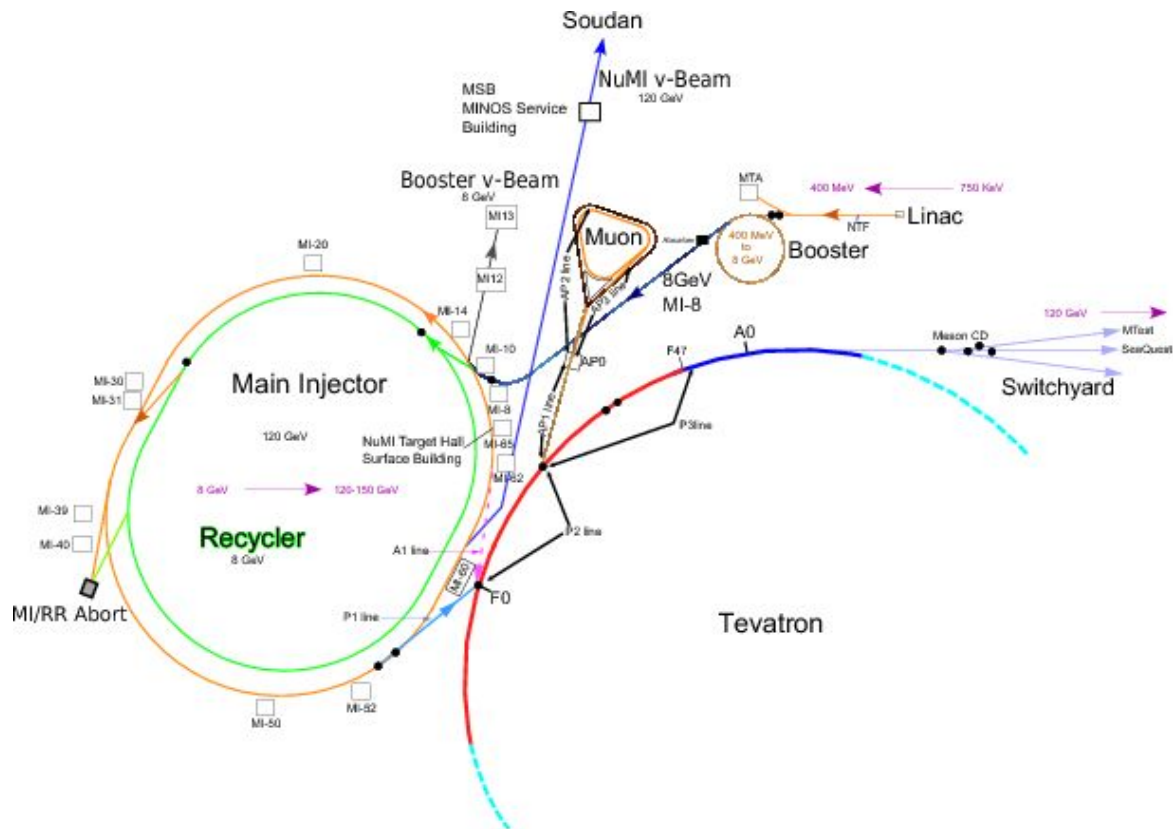
Its from Daya Bay in Adamson P. et al. (2016),  
arXiv: 1607.01177

## Combined results from reactors



De Salas et al., PLB 782,633 (2018)







# MINOS and MINOS+ (Main Injector Neutrino Oscillation Search)



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- MINOS and MINOS+ were designed to study neutrino oscillations over long baselines using two detectors that are:

- Iron-scintillator tracking calorimeters to contain muons
- Functionally identical for systematic uncertainty reduction
- Magnetized for sign selection and energy estimation



## Far Detector

- Underground in Soudan mine
- 735 km from target
- 5.4 kton mass

Detectors are on-axis for NuMI neutrino beam



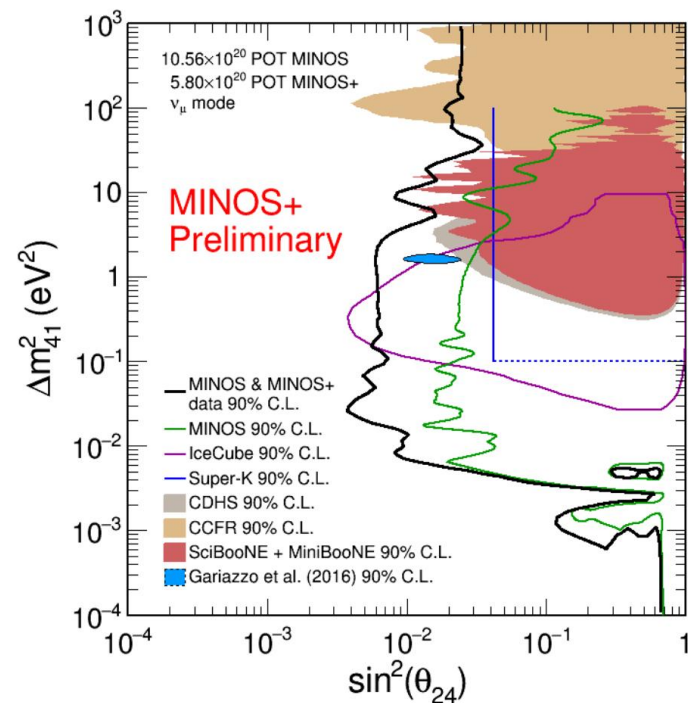
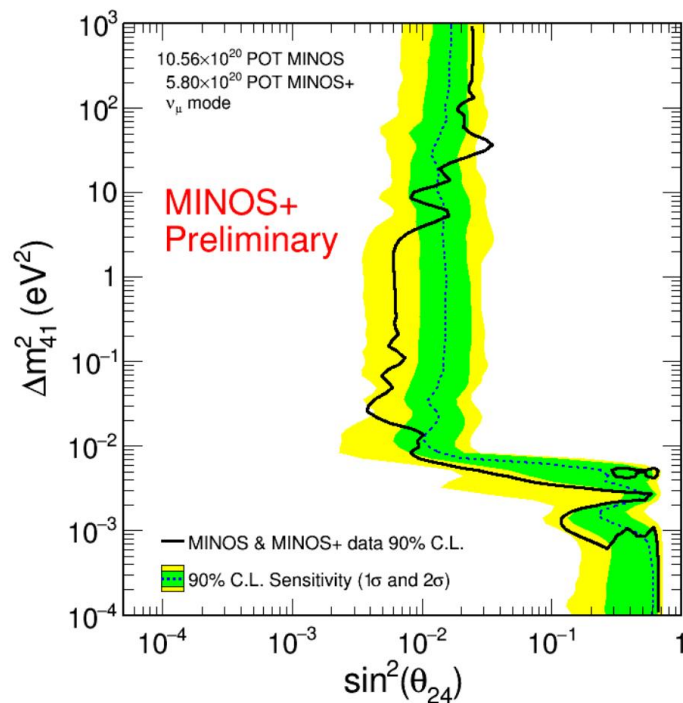
## Near Detector

- At Fermilab
- 1 km from target
- 1 kton mass



isano, talk at Neutrino 2018

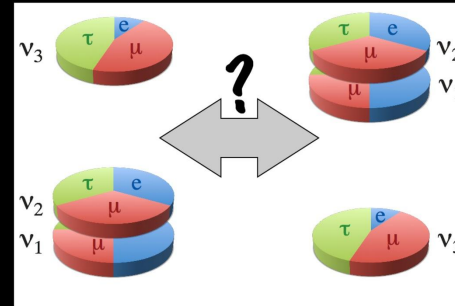
# MINOS and MINOS+



## NOVA'S PHYSICS GOALS

THE NOVA PROGRAM SEEKS TO ANSWER KEY UNKNOWNNS

- What is the mass hierarchy or ordering for atmospheric neutrinos?
- Is there a  $\nu_\mu - \nu_\tau$  symmetry (is the large mixing angle maximal; if not, what is the octant)?
- Is CP violated in the lepton sector?
- Are there other neutrinos beyond the three known active flavors?



In addition, cross section analyses, searches for exotic phenomena and non-beam physics



# NOvA

## THE NOvA EXPERIMENT IN A NUTSHELL

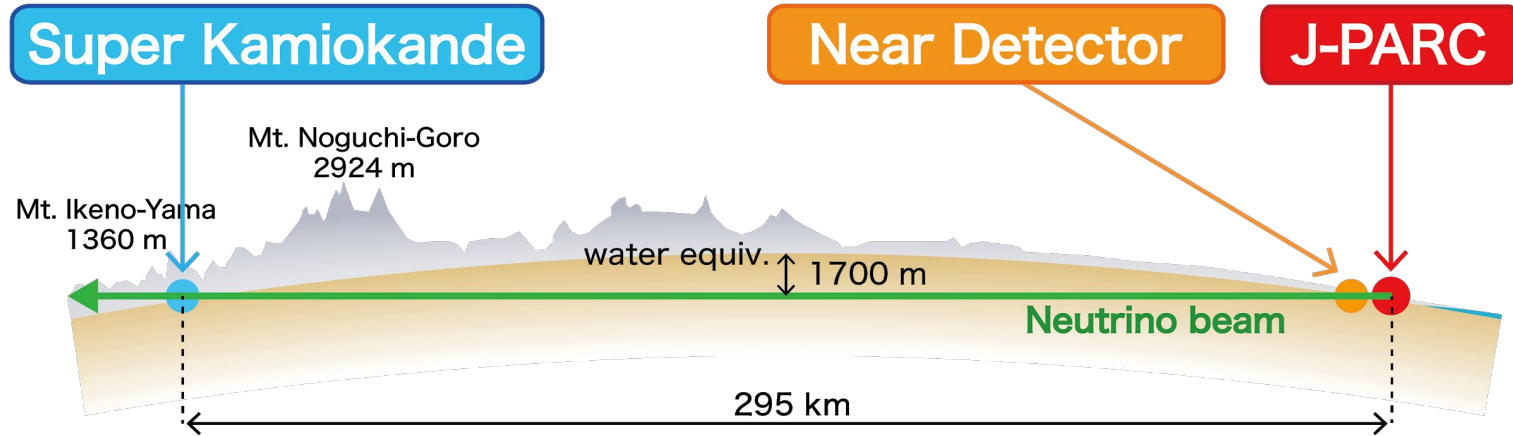
- Upgraded NuMI **beam of muon neutrinos or antineutrinos** at Fermilab running at 700kW.
- Highly active liquid scintillator **14-kton detector** off the main axis of the beam.
  - Functionally identical detectors: Near Detector (ND) site at Fermilab and Far Detector (FD) 810 km away at Ash River, MN.
- NOvA observes **disappearance of muon neutrinos and antineutrinos, appearance of electron neutrinos and antineutrinos** and potential suppression of neutral current interactions.



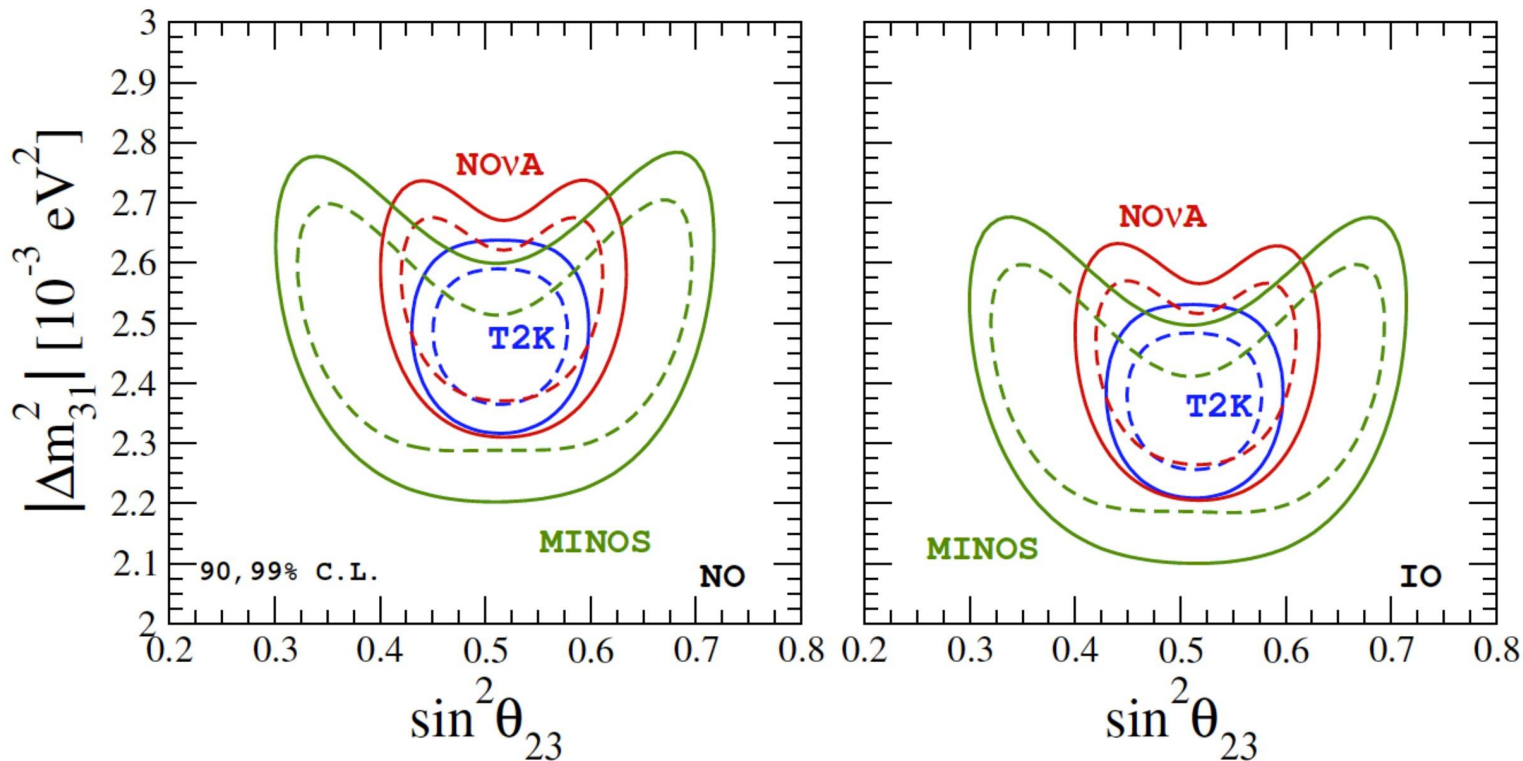
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# T2K (Tokai to Kamioka)



## Combined results from accelerators

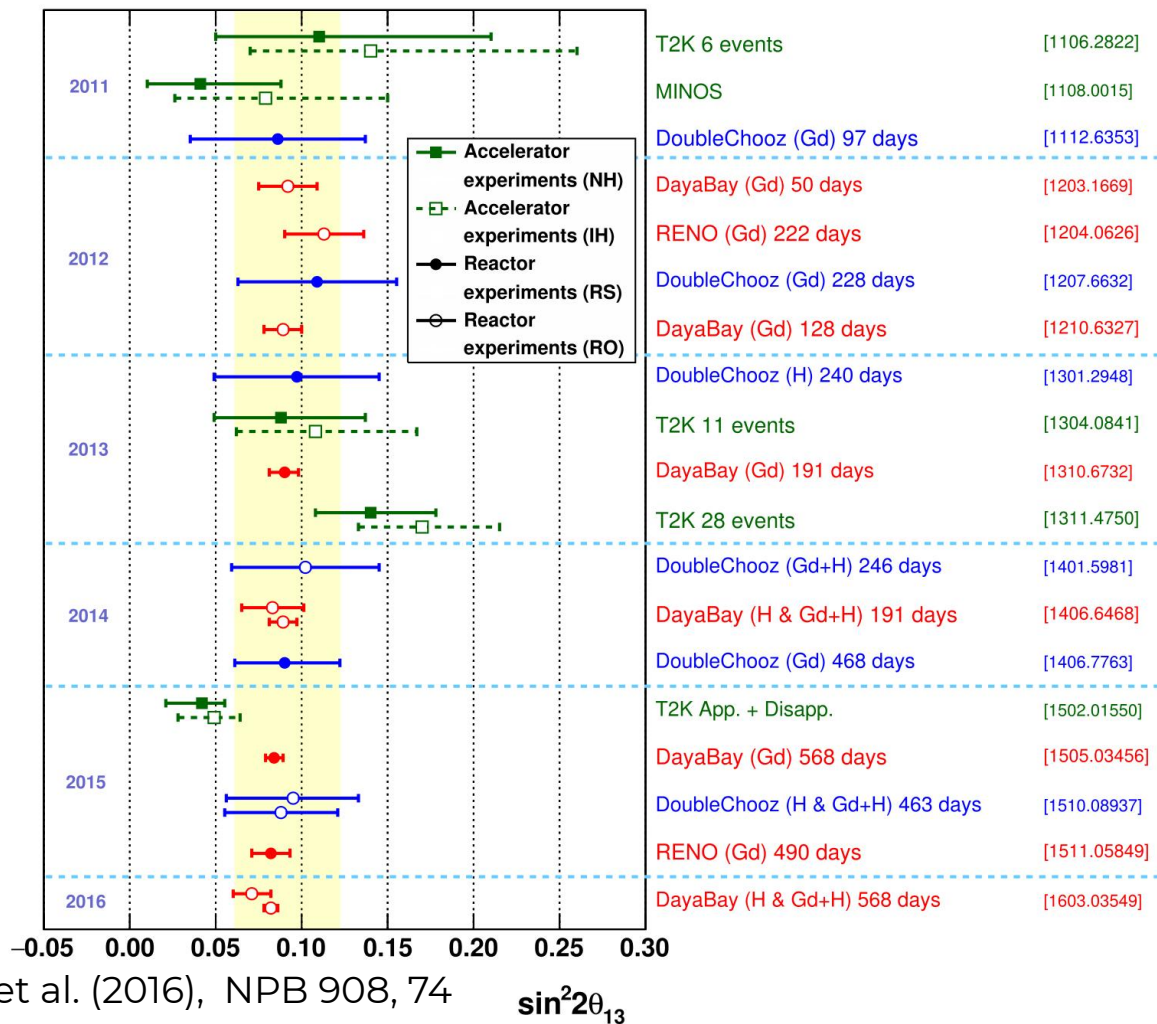


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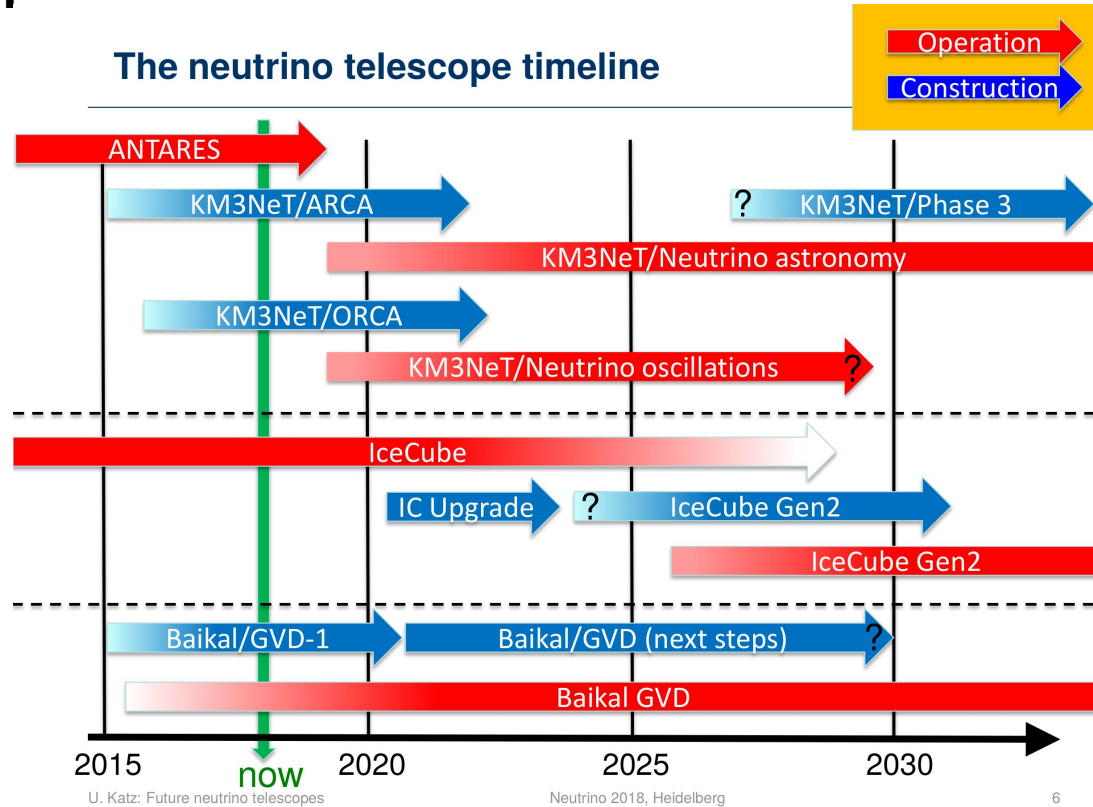


# Combined results from reactors and accelerators





# Neutrino telescopes



From Neutrino 18 conference, “Future neutrino telescopes” by U. Katz et al.

# KM3Net ORCA3

ORCA (Oscillations Research with Cosmics in the Abyss) is the low-energy branch of KM3NeT, the next generation underwater Cherenkov neutrino detector in the Mediterranean.

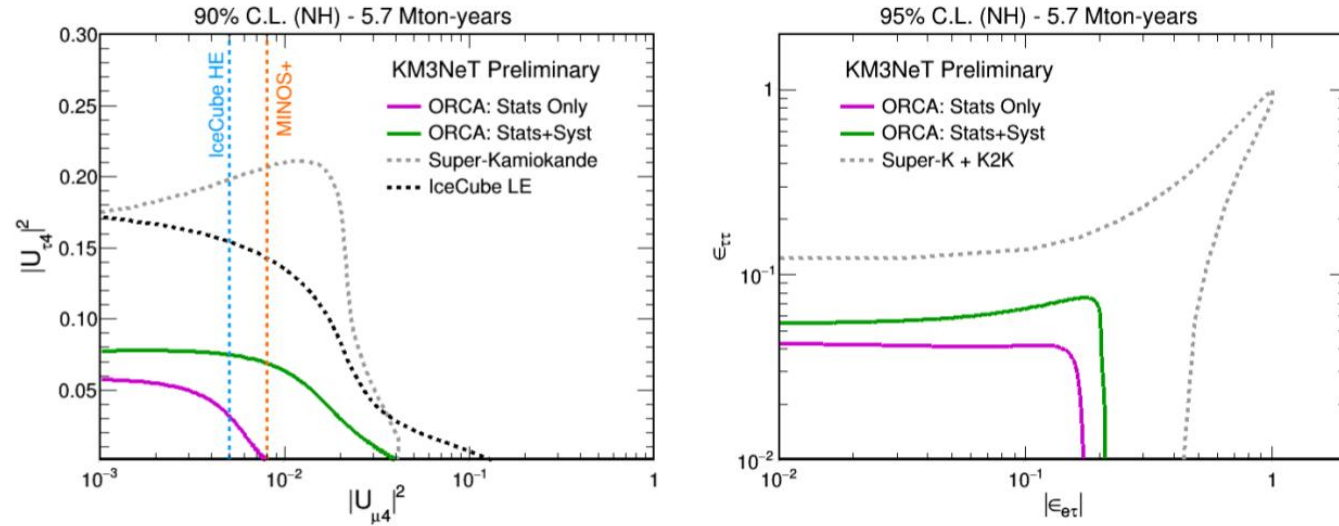
Interactions of neutrinos in seawater at low ( $< 100$  GeV) energies.

- Goals:
- to resolve the long-standing unsolved question of whether the neutrino mass ordering (NMO) is normal or inverted by measuring matter oscillation effects with atmospheric neutrinos;
  - to study exotic oscillation phenomena such as sterile neutrinos and non-standard Interactions
  - astrophysics and supernova neutrinos (reference to multi-messenger astronomy)



# KM3Net ORCA

NSI -> Non Standard Interactions



**Figure 4:** Sensitivity to sterile neutrinos (left) and NSI (right) for the LoI 9 m spacing configuration, including a fit of  $\theta_{23}$ ,  $\Delta M^2$ , and four other systematics (see text). Sensitivities are for one year of operation time. For comparison, current limits on sterile neutrino mixing from Super-Kamiokande [12], IceCube [13], and MINOS+ [14] are shown as well as limits on NSI from a Super-Kamiokande and K2K analysis [15].

From PoS ICRC 2017 by A. Kouchner et al.



# IceCube DeepCore

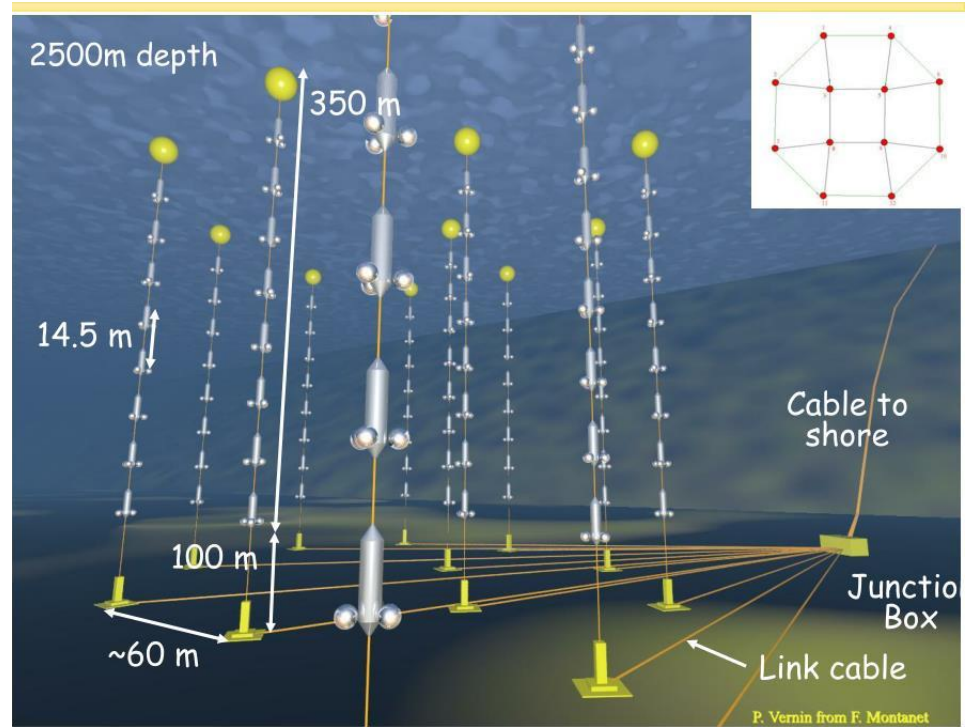
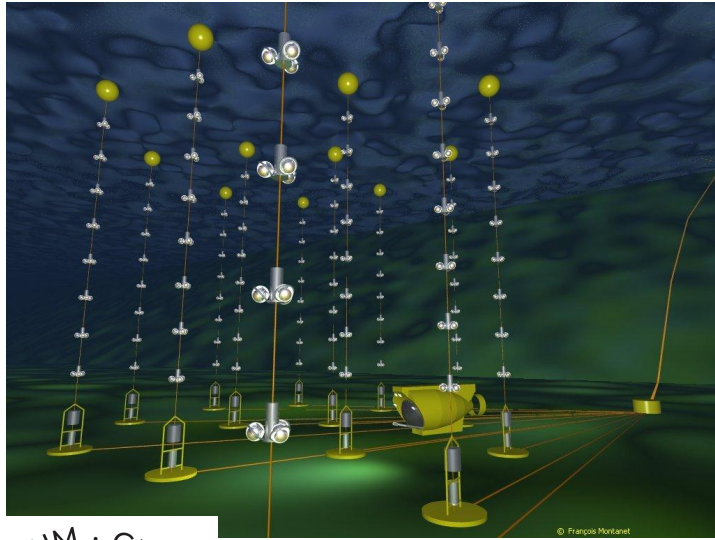
- designed to lower the IceCube neutrino energy threshold by over an order of magnitude, to energies as low as about 10 GeV.
- situated primarily 2100 m below the surface of the icecap at the South Pole, at the bottom center of the existing IceCube array, and began taking physics data in May 2010.
- neutrinos from WIMP dark matter annihilations, atmospheric neutrino oscillations, galactic supernova neutrinos, and point sources of neutrinos in the northern and southern skies.

arXiv: 1109.6096

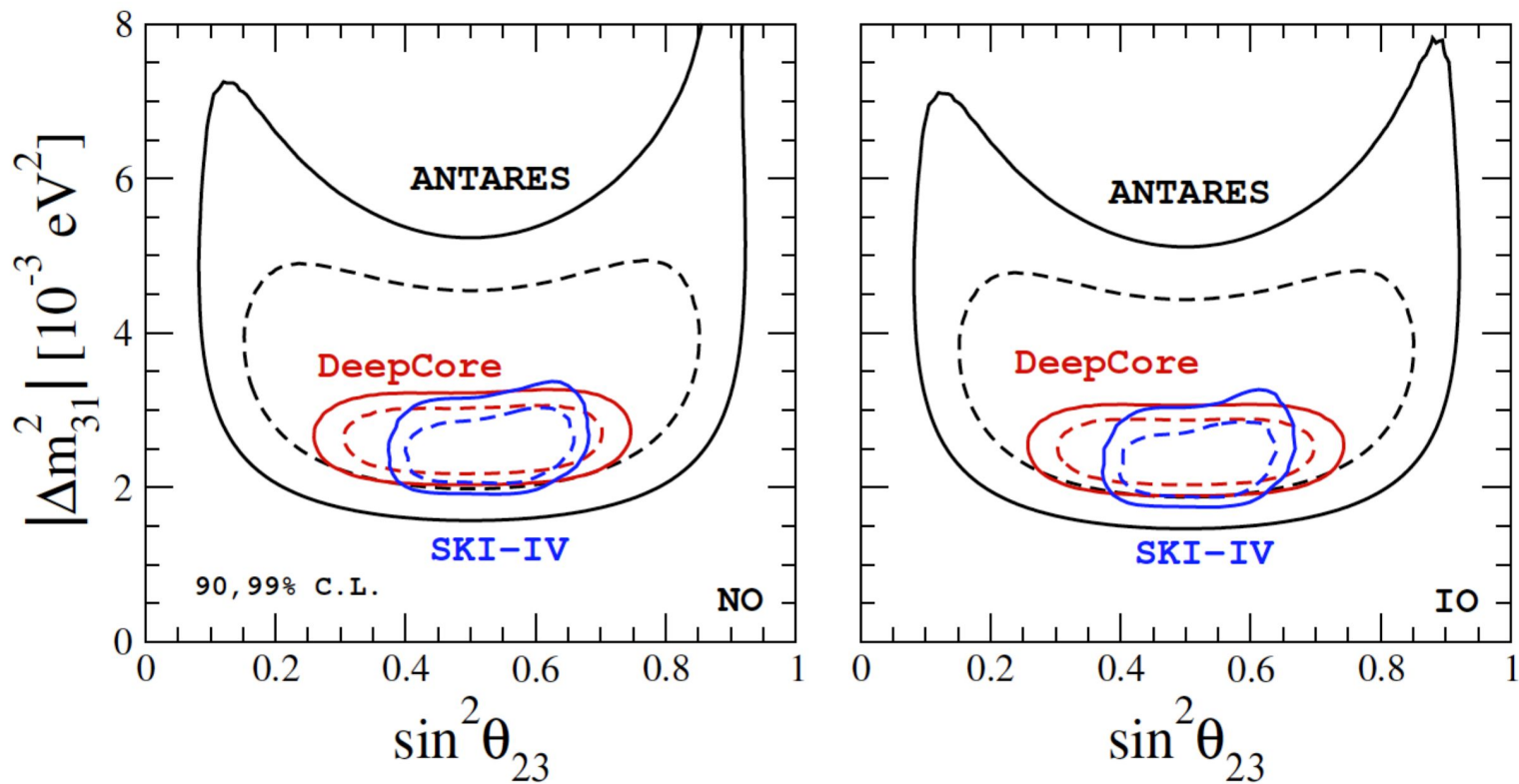


Decoherence in neutrino propagation through matter (arXiv 1803.04438  
Coloma et al.)

# ANTARES (Astronomy with a Neutrino Telescope and Abyss environmental RESearch)

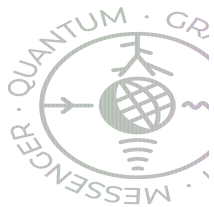
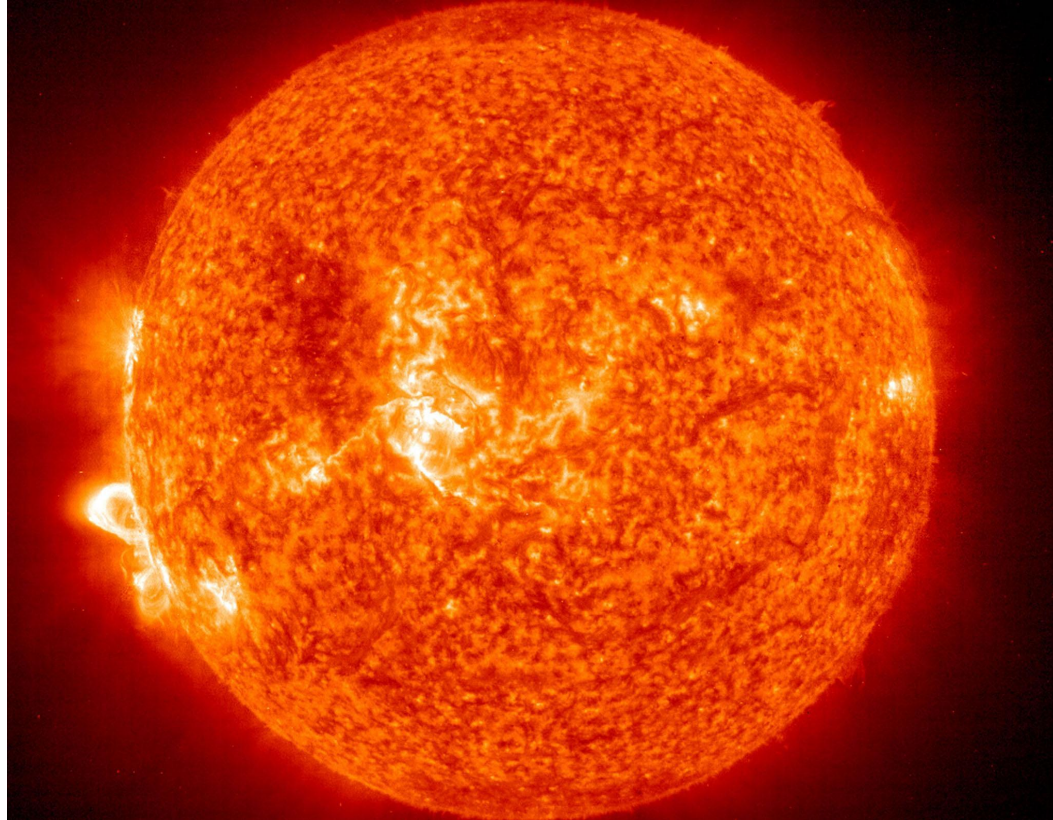


# Combined results for atmospheric neutrinos



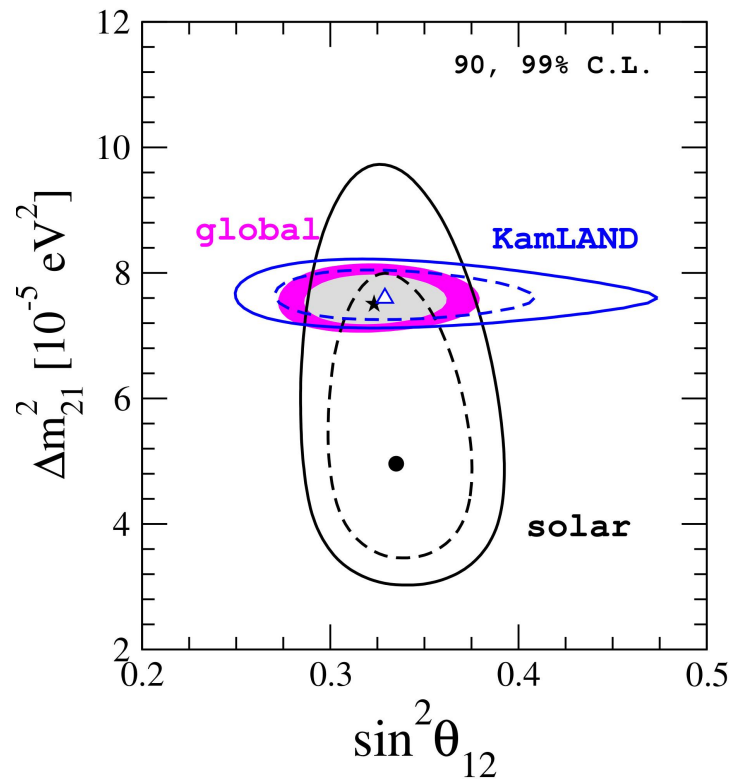


# Solar neutrinos



# Combined results for solar neutrinos

De Salas et al., PLB 782,633 (2018)





A lot of other experiments could not be mentioned....

Double beta decay experiments (very important!)

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SuperK

Baikal Deep Underwater Neutrino Telescope

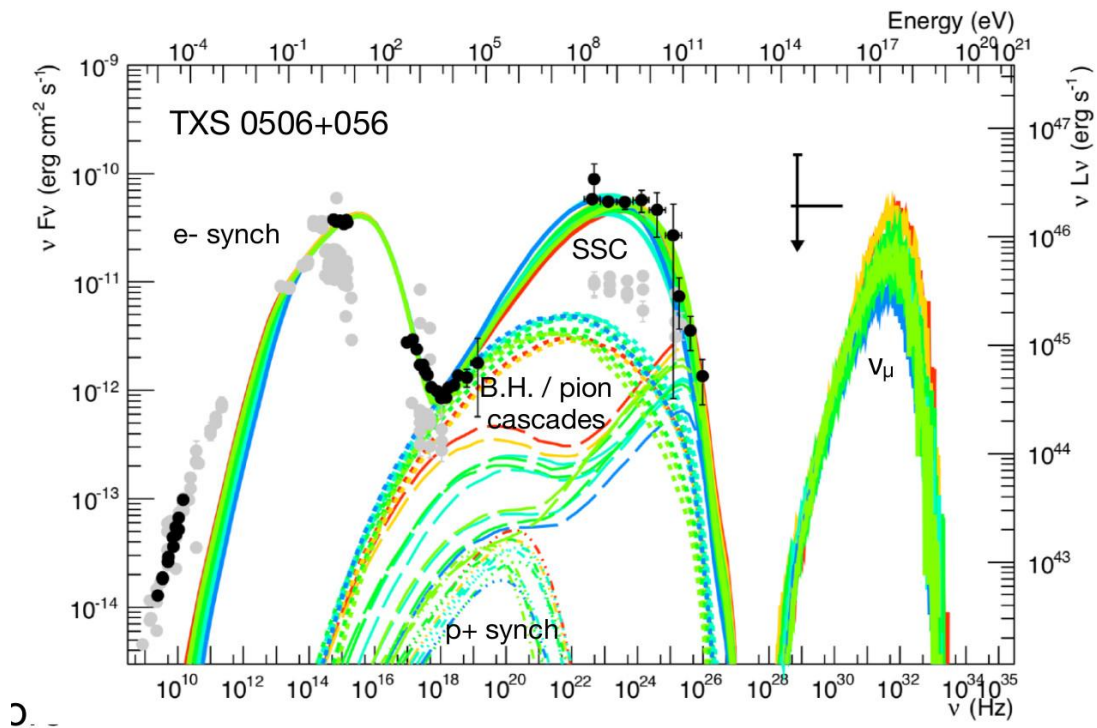
Borexino (BORon EXperiment )

SAGE (Soviet–American Gallium Experiment)

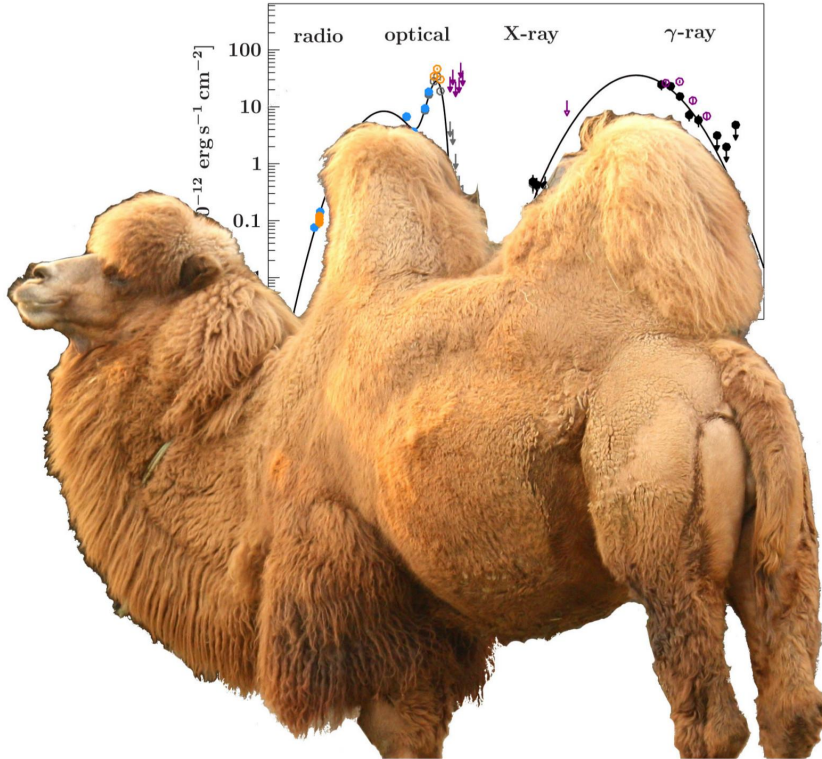
Radioactivity experiments (GERDA, Majorana demonstrator...)



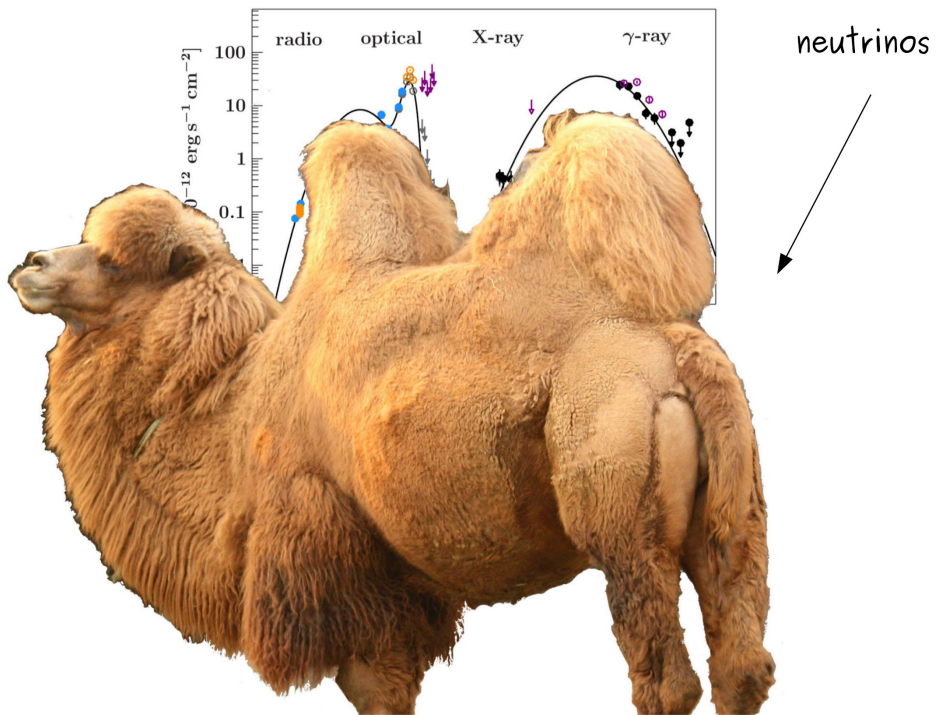
## Bonus question: where do neutrinos come from?



Cerruti, AZ et al. 2018



Credit: Krauss et al. 2014, A&A 566, L7 & Wikipedia



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