

# **DUNE: The Deep Underground Neutrino Experiment**

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# First DUNE Collaboration Meeting





# The DUNE Collaboration

### As of today: 60 % non-US 1061 collaborators from 175 institutions in 31 nations

Armenia, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, CERN, Chile, China, Colombia, Czech Republic, Spain, Finland, **France**, Greece, India, Iran, Italy, Japan, Madagascar, Mexico, Netherlands, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Romania, Russia, South Korea, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, UK, Ukraine, USA



DUNE: a fully international science collaboration LBNF (Long Baseline Neutrino Facility): US(DOE)-hosted project with international contributions



# **LBNF/DUNE** Overview

- Muon neutrinos/antineutrinos from high-power proton beam
  - 1.2 MW from day one; upgradeable to 2.4 MW
- Massive underground Liquid Argon Time Projection Chambers
  - **4 x 17 kton** fiducial mass of > 40 kton
- Near detector to characterize the beam (100s of millions of neutrino interactions)



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# **DUNE Science**

Combination of world's most intense neutrino beam, a deep underground site, and massive LAr detectors enables broad science program addressing some of the most fundamental questions in particle physics.







# **DUNE Science Program**

- Neutrino Oscillation Physics
  - Search for leptonic (neutrino) CP Violation
  - Resolve the mass ordering  $(m_3 > m_{1,2} \text{ or } m_{1,2} > m_3)$
  - Precision oscillation physics
    - Parameter measurements,  $\theta_{23}$  octant
    - Testing the current 3-neutrino model, non-standard interactions, ...

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- Nucleon Decay
  - Particularly sensitive to  $p \rightarrow K^+ \overline{\nu}$  (SUSY motivated)
- Supernova burst physics and astrophysics
  - 3000  $v_e$  events in 10 sec from SN at 10 kpc

+ many other topics (v interaction physics with near detector, atmospheric neutrinos, sterile neutrinos, WIMP searches, Lorentz invariance tests, etc.)

### **DUNE Neutrino Oscillation Strategy**

### Measure neutrino spectra at 1300 km in a wide-band beam



- $v_e$  appearance probability depends on  $\theta_{13}$ ,  $\theta_{23}$ ,  $\delta_{CP}$ , and matter effects. All four can be measured in a single experiment.
- Wide-band beam and long baseline break the degeneracy between CP violation and matter effects.

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### Appearance and disappearance spectra





# Mass Hierarchy and CP Violation

#### Mass Hierarchy Sensitivity **CP** Violation Sensitivity 30 **DUNE Sensitivity DUNE Sensitivity** 7 years (staged) 7 years (staged) Normal Ordering Normal Ordering 10 years (staged) 10 years (staged) $sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.085 \pm 0.003$ $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.085 \pm 0.003$ •••••• $\sin^2 \theta_{23} = 0.441 \pm 0.042$ θ<sub>22</sub>: NuFit 2016 (90% C.L. range) •••••• $\sin^2 \theta_{23} = 0.441 \pm 0.042$ θ...: NuFit 2016 (90% C.L. range) 25ŀ 20 $\sqrt{\Delta \chi^2}$ ິ<mark>∼</mark> 15 5σ II 10 3σ -0.8 -0.6 -0.4 -0.2 0 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8 -0.8 -0.6 -0.4 -0.2 0 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8

### After 7 years (staged):

- CP Violation:  $5\sigma$  if  $\delta_{CP}$  near  $-\pi/2$ ;  $3\sigma$  over 65% of  $\delta_{CP}$  range
- Mass hierarchy determination: > 5σ for all parameter values



# Sensitivity vs. time



# Important sensitivity milestones throughout beam physics program



### Expected DUNE Sensitivity to $p \rightarrow K^+ \overline{v}$

- Very low-background mode with high detection efficiency
- Clear identification of kaons with dE/dx and decay chain in LAr TPC





## **SN Neutrinos in DUNE**

- LAr provides unique sensitivity to  $v_e$ :  $v_e + {}^{40}Ar \rightarrow e^- + {}^{40}K^*$
- About 3000  $v_e$  events in 10 sec from SN at 10 kpc
- The time structure of the SN signal during the first few tens of ms after the core bounce can provide a clear indication if the v<sub>e</sub> burst is present, and makes it possible to distinguish between different mixing scenarios





## **Beam and Near Detector**



- Primary proton beam @ 60-120GeV extracted from Main Injector
- Initial 1.2 MW beam power, upgradable to 2.4 MW
- DUNE Near Detector: non-magnetized LAr-TPC + magnetized "multi-purpose tracker"
  - Precisely measure beam neutrino fluxes
  - Constrain systematic uncertainties for oscillation measurements
  - Goal is to settle on near detector concept by May 2018



### PIP-II

- Goal: Deliver world-leading beam power to the U.S. neutrino program while providing a flexible platform for the future
  1.2 MW to LBNF over 60-120 GeV; upgradable to 2.4 MW
- Scope
  - 800-MeV SC Linac
  - Modifications to Booster, Recycler, Main Injector
- Current and Prospective Partners
  - Fermilab, ANL, LBNL
  - France (CEA & IN2P3), India (DAE), Italy (INFN), UK (STFC)



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## **PIP-II Status**

- R&D and conceptual development underway for many years
  - Builds upon major investment in superconducting radio frequency (SRF) technologies over the last decade+
- Conceptual Design Report released

http://pip2-docdb.fnal.gov/cgi-bin/ShowDocument?docid=113

- Planned project completion: 2026
- Discussions with French laboratories
  - Both CEA and IN2P3 have experience directly relevant to the PIP-II linac based on their participation in European XFEL and ESS
  - Timing of PIP-II relative to ESS completion is good
  - Discussions at technical level have been extended to the agency level



# 2+ MW @ 60-120 GeV

- Concepts exist for upgrade of the Fermilab complex to 2.4 MW
  - 1.5×10<sup>14</sup> protons from Main Injector every 1.2 s @ 120 GeV
  - Every 0.6 sec @ 60 GeV
- Will require replacement of the existing 8-GeV Booster with either an 8-GeV pulsed linac or a new 8-GeV rapid cycling synchrotron





### **Optimization of neutrino beamline**

- Significant effort to optimize target and horn system for better sensitivity to CP violation
- LBNF has adopted optimized design with 4 interaction-length target and 3 horns.



## **DUNE/LBNF Far Site**





### DUNE Far Site Ross Campus of 4850 ft level of Sanford Underground Research Facility





### LBNF/DUNE Groundbreaking, 21 July 2017

Participants underground and on the surface at SURF





#### and at Fermilab.



## **DUNE Far Detector**

• 70-kt LAr-TPC = 4 x 17 kt (4 x 10 kt fiducial) detectors



- 4 chambers, each hosting a 10 kt fiducial module
- Modules will be similar, but not identical
- Requires excavation of 875,000 tons of rock



# **DUNE Far Detector: LAr TPCs**

LAr TPC provides:

- Excellent 3D imaging
  - few mm resolution over large volume
- Excellent energy measurement
  - Fully active calorimeter
- Allows particle ID by dE/dx, range, event topology

Major (and exciting) challenges

- Scaling technology to very large detector volumes
- Event reconstruction and classification





# **DUNE Far Detector Technologies**

Collaboration is planning to employ (and is prototyping) two liquid argon readout technologies:





#### Single Phase

- drift electrons detected in the liquid
- Readout technology of ICARUS, ArgoNeuT, MicroBooNE, SBND
- 3.6 m maximum drift

#### **Dual Phase**

- amplification of electron signal in gas phase
- Pioneered at large scale by WA105
- 12 m maximum drift



### Liquid argon TPC: Single and dual phase

- Ionization charges drift horizontally and are read out with wires
- No signal amplification in liquid

- Ionization charges drift vertically and are read out on PCB anode
- Amplification of signal in gas phase by LEM

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### Prototypes at CERN Neutrino Platform



### Major CERN investment to support DUNE

- FHN1 extension in the North area
- Two tertiary charged-particle beam lines
- Two 8m×8m×8m cryostats & cryogenic

#### **ProtoDUNE Single Phase**





### Prototypes at CERN Neutrino Platform

#### **ProtoDUNE Dual Phase**



Both ProtoDUNEs aim to begin data taking in mid 2018.

EHN1 Webcams: http://cenf-ehn1-np.web.cern.ch/images/ np04-webcam-neutrino-platform-hall-ehn1



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#### **ProtoDUNE Single Phase**





# $\mathsf{DUNE} \rightarrow \mathsf{ProtoDUNE}\mathsf{-}\mathsf{SP}$

### **DUNE Far Detector**

- Active volume: 12m x 14m x 58m
- 150 Anode Plane Assemblies
  - 6m high x 2.3m wide
- 200 Cathode Plane Assemblies
  - Cathode @ -180 kV for 3.6m drift



### **ProtoDUNE-SP**

- 1/25 of full DUNE far detector
- 6 full-sized drift cells (150 in far detector)





### ProtoDUNE-SP



#### APA #1 in clean room



APA in cold box







### Pre ProtoDUNE-DP: 1m × 1m × 3m







- First tracks observed in 1×1×3m in June 2017
- Revealed some technical issues still under investigation



# ProtoDUNE-DP







# **ProtoDUNE-DP**



First field cage panels installed 19 December 2017

### Full-sized engineering model for CRP frame



#### LEM Testing at Saclay





# **DUNE** Timeline



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# Summary

- DUNE will use a broadband beam and long baseline (1300 km) to make precise, simultaneous measurements of the mass ordering, the CP-violation phase, and the neutrino mixing angles
- The large mass, high granularity, and deep underground location of the DUNE far detector provide good sensitivity to baryon non-conservation and supernova burst neutrinos
- Groundbreaking at SURF took place on 21 July 2017.
- On track to operate ProtoDUNE-SP and ProtoDUNE-DP in 2018.
- We look forward to start operation of first far detector module in 2024, and first data with beam, near detector, and first two far detector modules in 2026!



### We hope DUNE will have a bright future!



Review of DUNE cryostat at SURF, 21 August 2017



# Backup



International Project Milestones	Date
Start Main Cavern Excavation	2019
Start Detector #1 Installation	2022
Beam on with two detectors	2026



# Staging assumptions

- Year 1 (2026): 20-kt FD with 1.07 MW (80-GeV) beam and initial ND constraints
- Year 2 (2027): 30-kt FD
- Year 4 (2029): 40-kt FD and improved ND constraints
- Year 7 (2032): upgrade to 2.14 MW (80-GeV) beam (technically limited schedule)

Exposure (kt-MW-years)	Exposure (Years)
171	5
300	7
556	10
984	15

# DUNE Sensitivity to $\theta_{23}$ Octant

**Octant Sensitivity** 

