

# **Exploration of the Symmetry in Particle Physics with an Accelerator Neutrino Beam**

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# Exploration of Particle Physics and Cosmology with Neutrinos

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Particle Physics

Cosmology

B01

B02

A01

A03

A04

Proton Decay

Dark Matter

$\beta\beta$  decay

Neutrino Astrophysics

Neutrino Oscillation

Neutrino Frontier

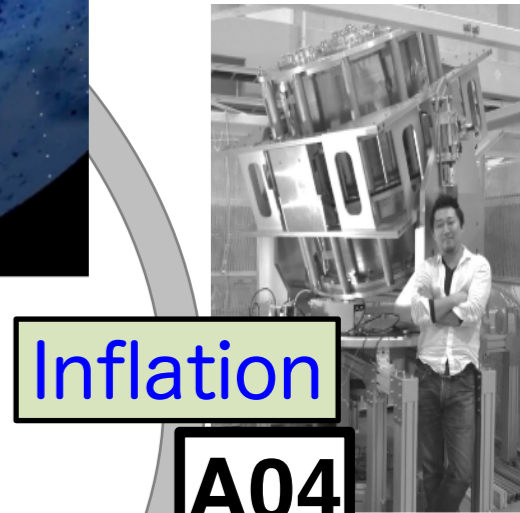
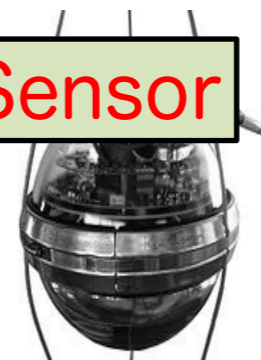
Inflation

Emulsion

CP violation

Photon Sensor

Neutrino mass



C02 New Physics

C01

phenomenology

theory

# Introduction

- Neutrino mass and mixing (right handed neutrinos) are physics beyond the standard model.

- **Tiny Neutrino mass**

- What is the origin of the mass?

- **Flavor Symmetry**

- Between leptons and quarks

- mass pattern

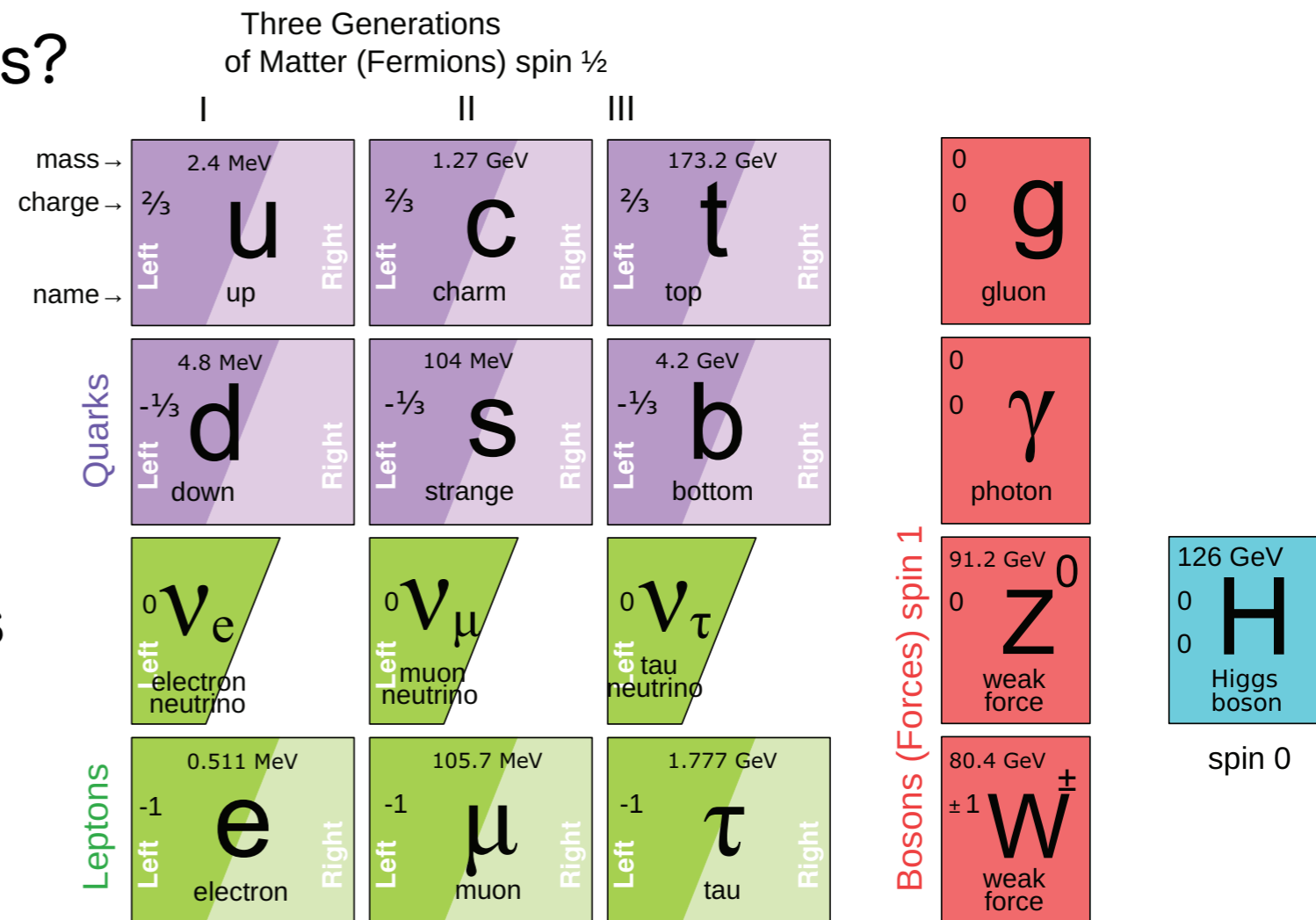
- mixing pattern

- the number of generations

- **CP violation**

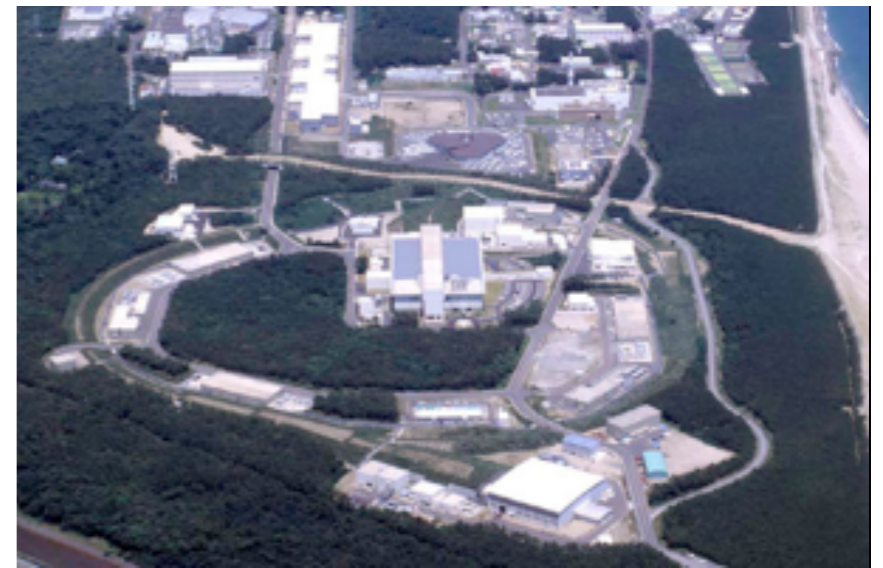
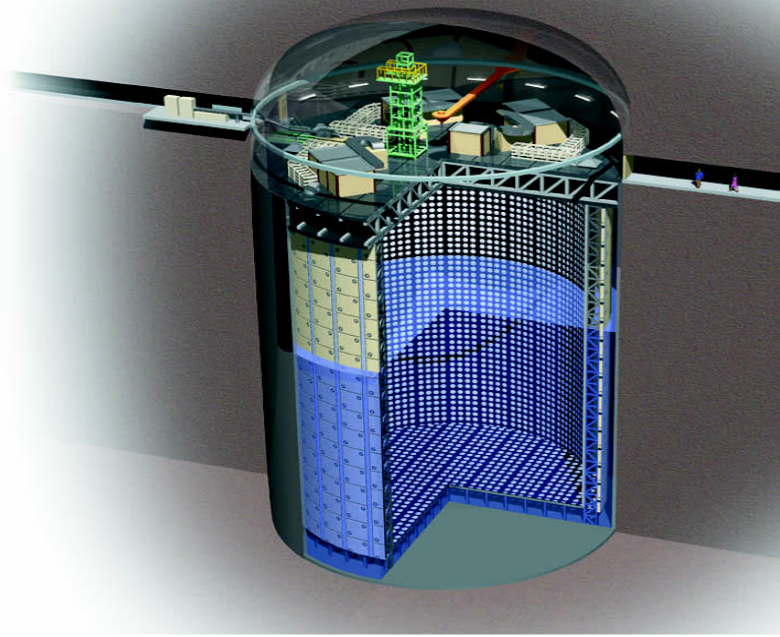
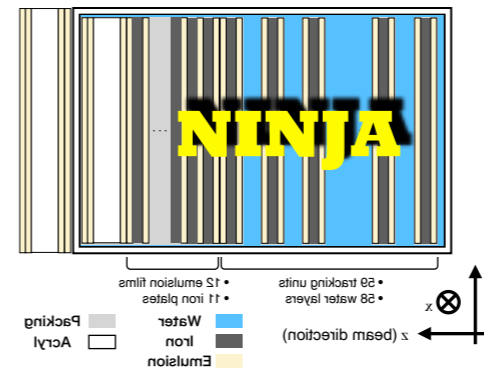
- the origin?

- matter dominant universe with Leptogenesis





# Accelerator Neutrino Experiments in J-PARC



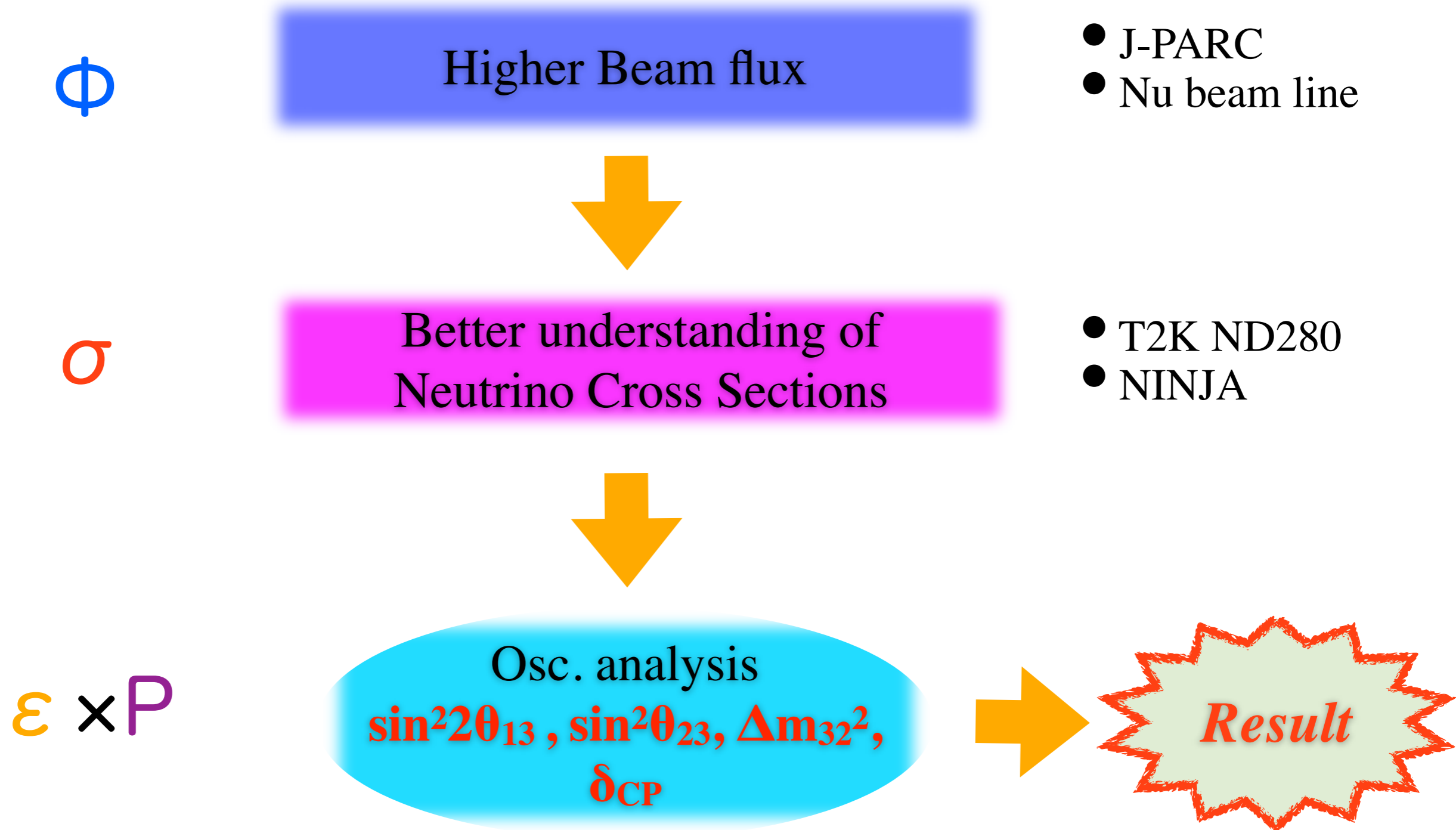
Credit: Super-K collaboration

Credit: J-PARC



$$N_{\text{signal}} = \Phi \times \sigma \times N_{\text{target}} \times \varepsilon \times P$$

# Improvements of oscillation measurements



# Goals of this Grant-in-Aid project

## Study of symmetries in neutrino oscillations

- $\theta_{23}$  precisions better than 5%
  - CP violation ( $\delta_{CP}$ ) with 99% CL for the maximum CPV
- ① [J-PARC] Handling of the higher beam power with development of new beam monitors (16 electrodes BPM )
    - $5 \times 10^{21}$  POT will be accumulated for high statistics
  - ② [NINJA] Better understanding of neutrino interactions
    - 10% precision for neutrino cross sections
  - ③ [T2K] Improvements of oscillation measurements
    - $\theta_{23}$  precisions better than 5%
    - CP violation ( $\delta_{CP}$ ) with 99% CL for the maximum CPV



# T2K and NINJA presentations

- T2K results today at 14:30 by. Dr. Tatsuya KIKAWA
  - *Recent results and future prospects from the T2K experiment*
- NINJA results today at 17:45 by Dr. Tsutomu FUKUDA
  - *Precise measurement of Neutrino Interactions at J-PARC in the NINJA experiment*



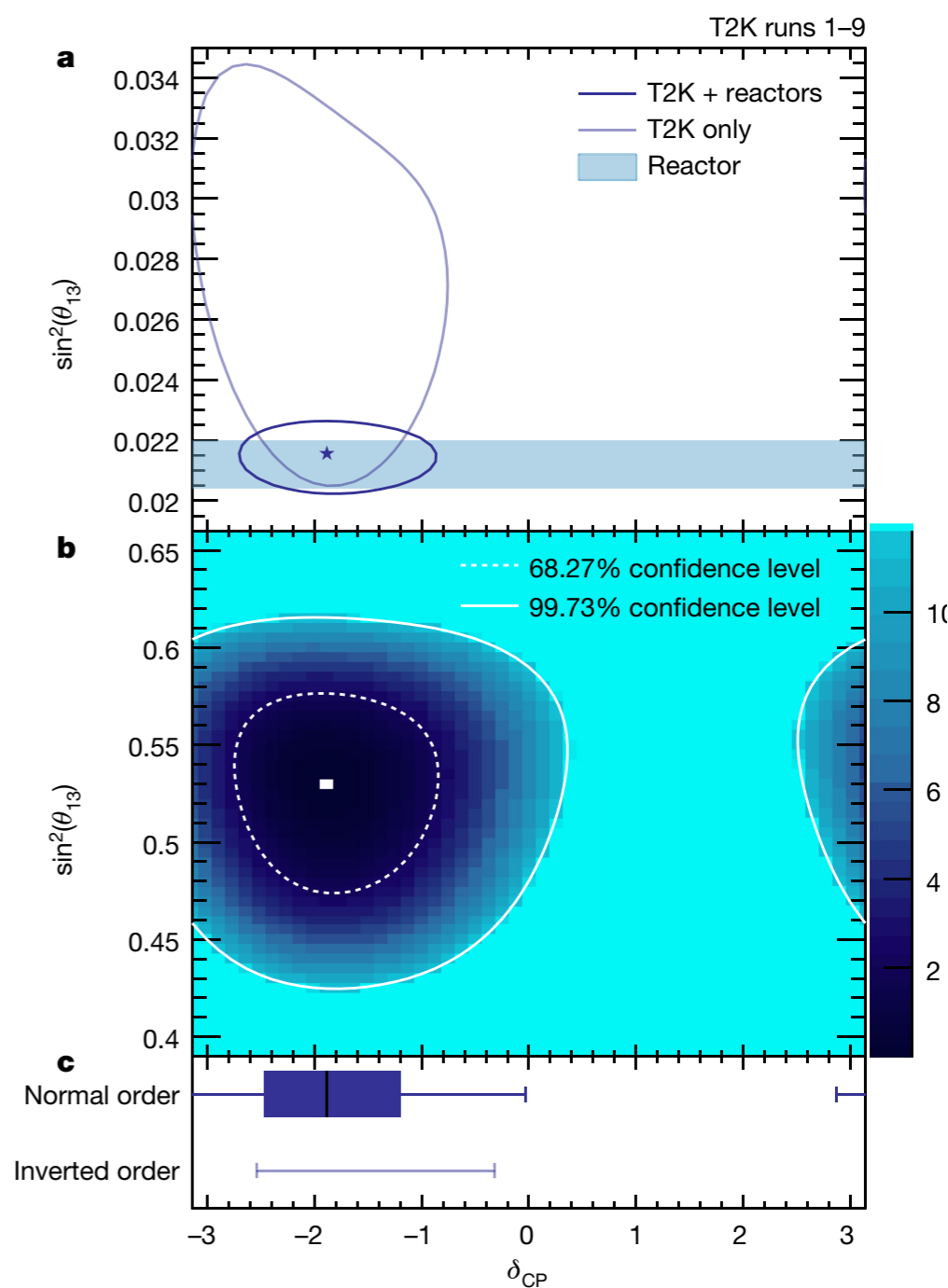
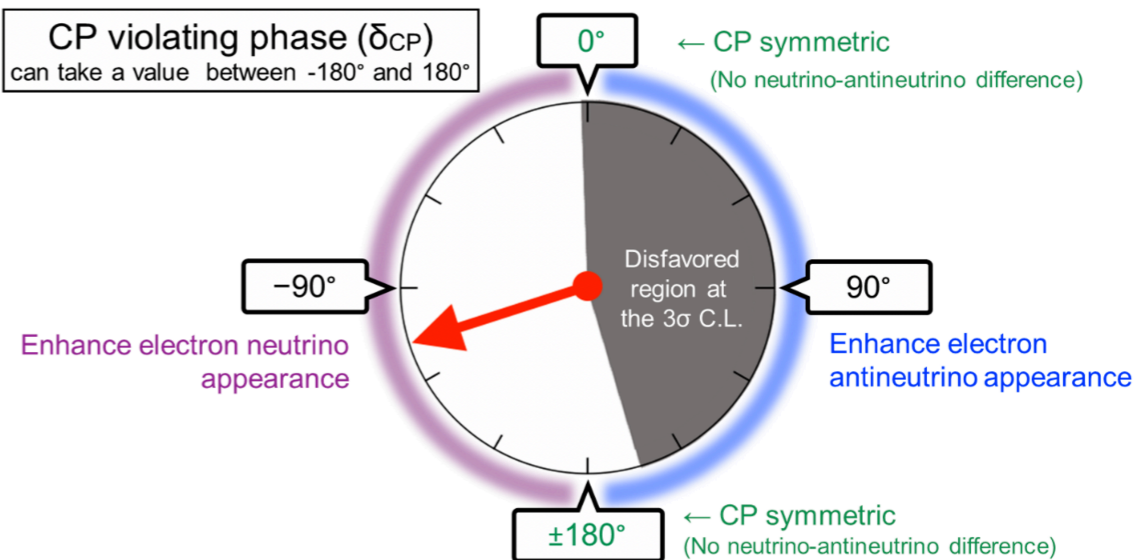
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An indication of matter-antimatter  
symmetry violation in neutrinos

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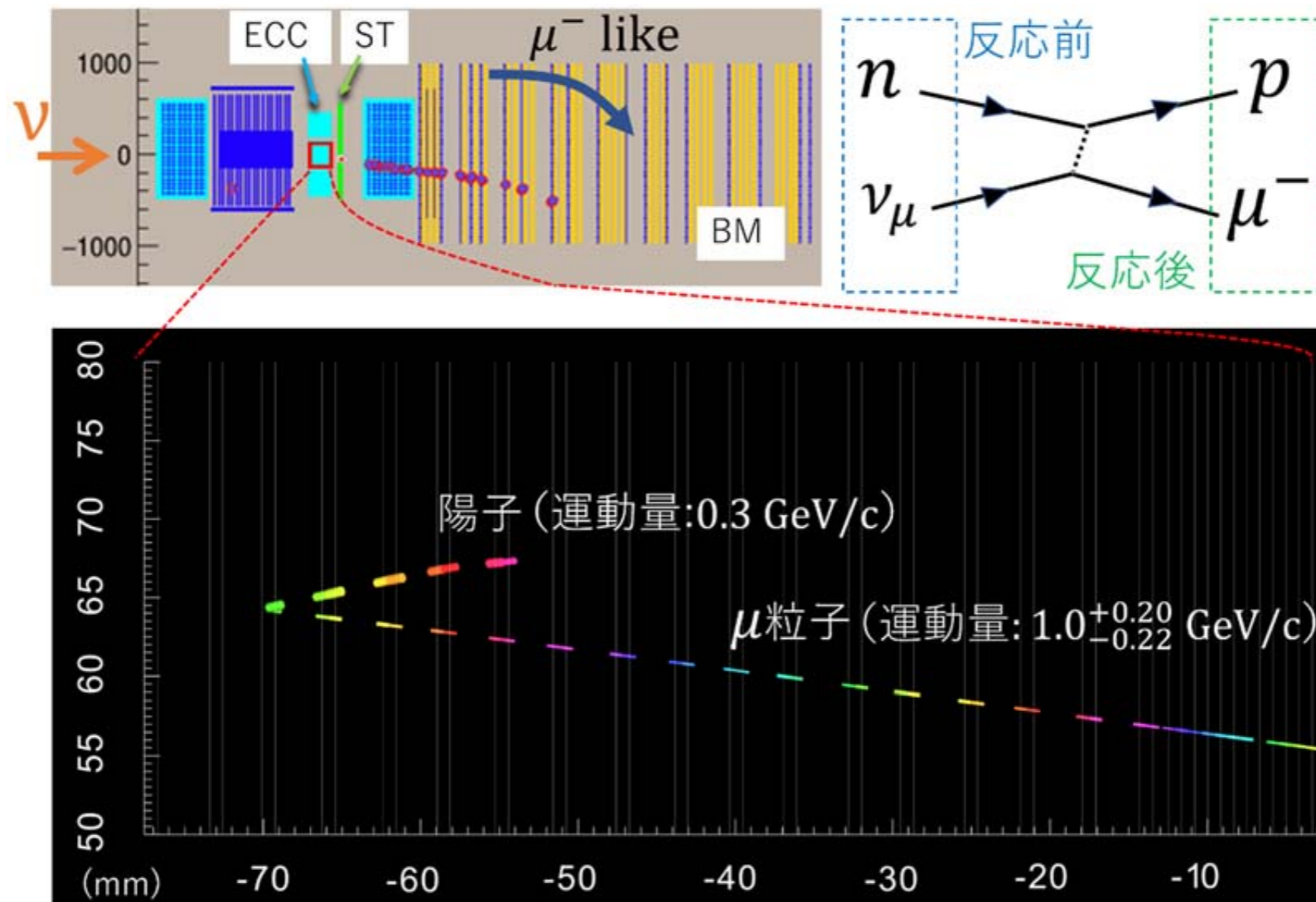
CP violating phase ( $\delta_{CP}$ )  
can take a value between  $-180^\circ$  and  $180^\circ$





# NINJA physics analysis started

Press release in October 20, 2020



精密測定により素粒子ニュートリノの謎の解明を目指す  
NINJA 実験の物理解析が開始！

# J-PARC Accelerator and Neutrino beam

by Dr. Aine Kobayashi @ Exploration of Particle Physics and Cosmology with Neutrino work shop 2022

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## J-PARC MR beam power upgrade plan

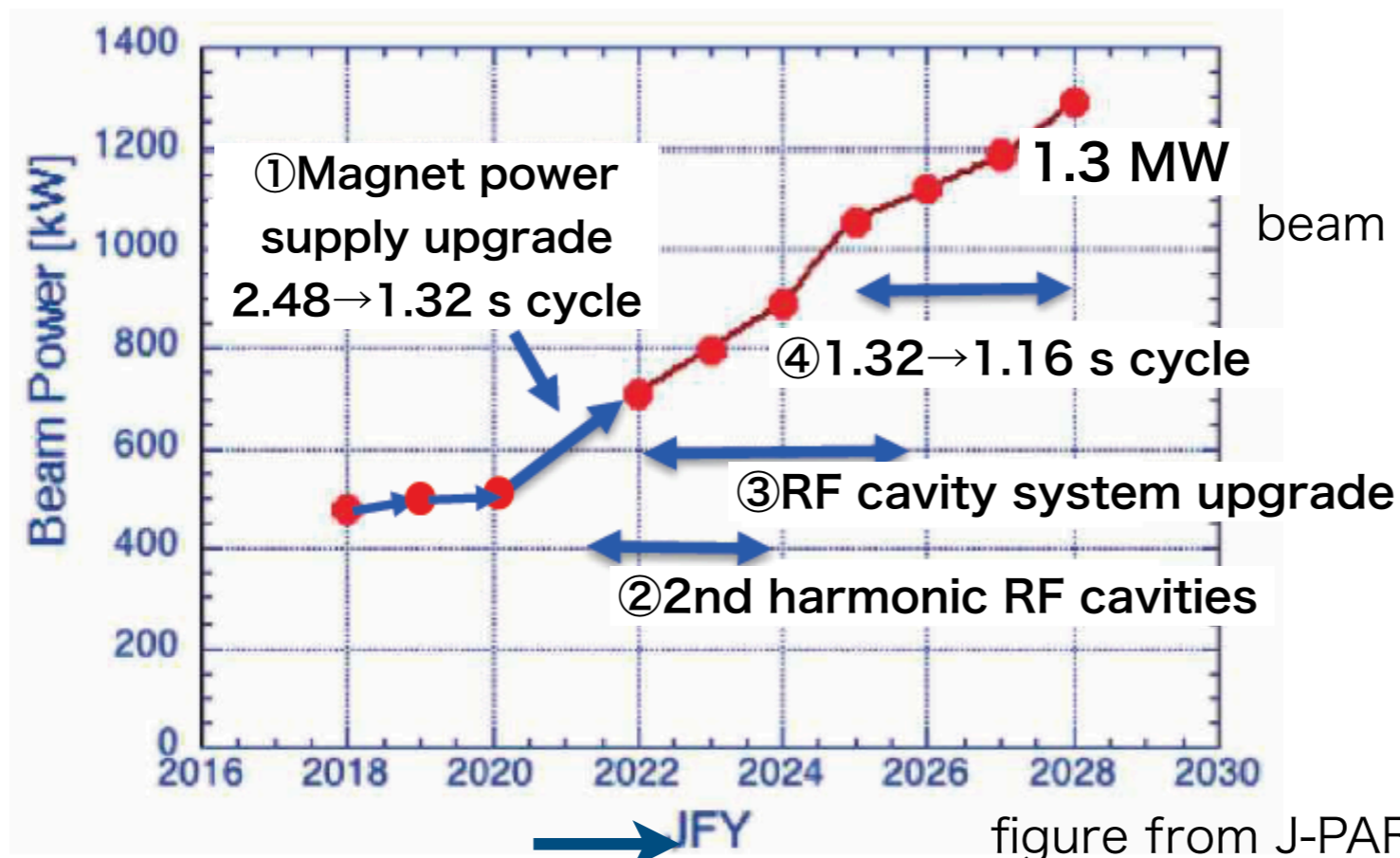
more protons, faster cycle, less beam loss

$$\text{Power} = \text{Energy} \times \text{Number of protons per pulse} / \text{Cycle time}$$

keep 30 GeV

30 % up

half



beam loss requirements

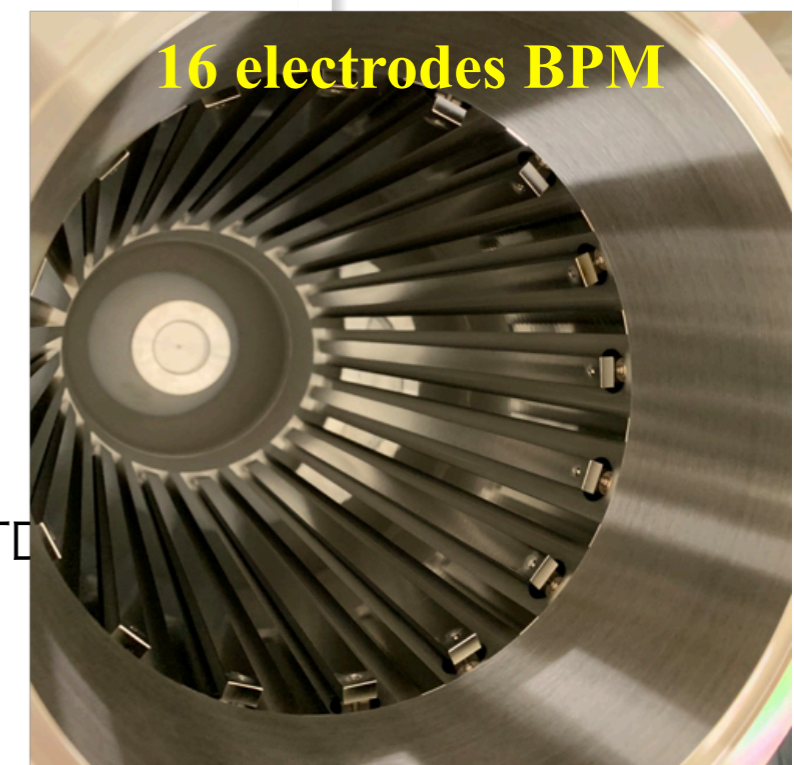
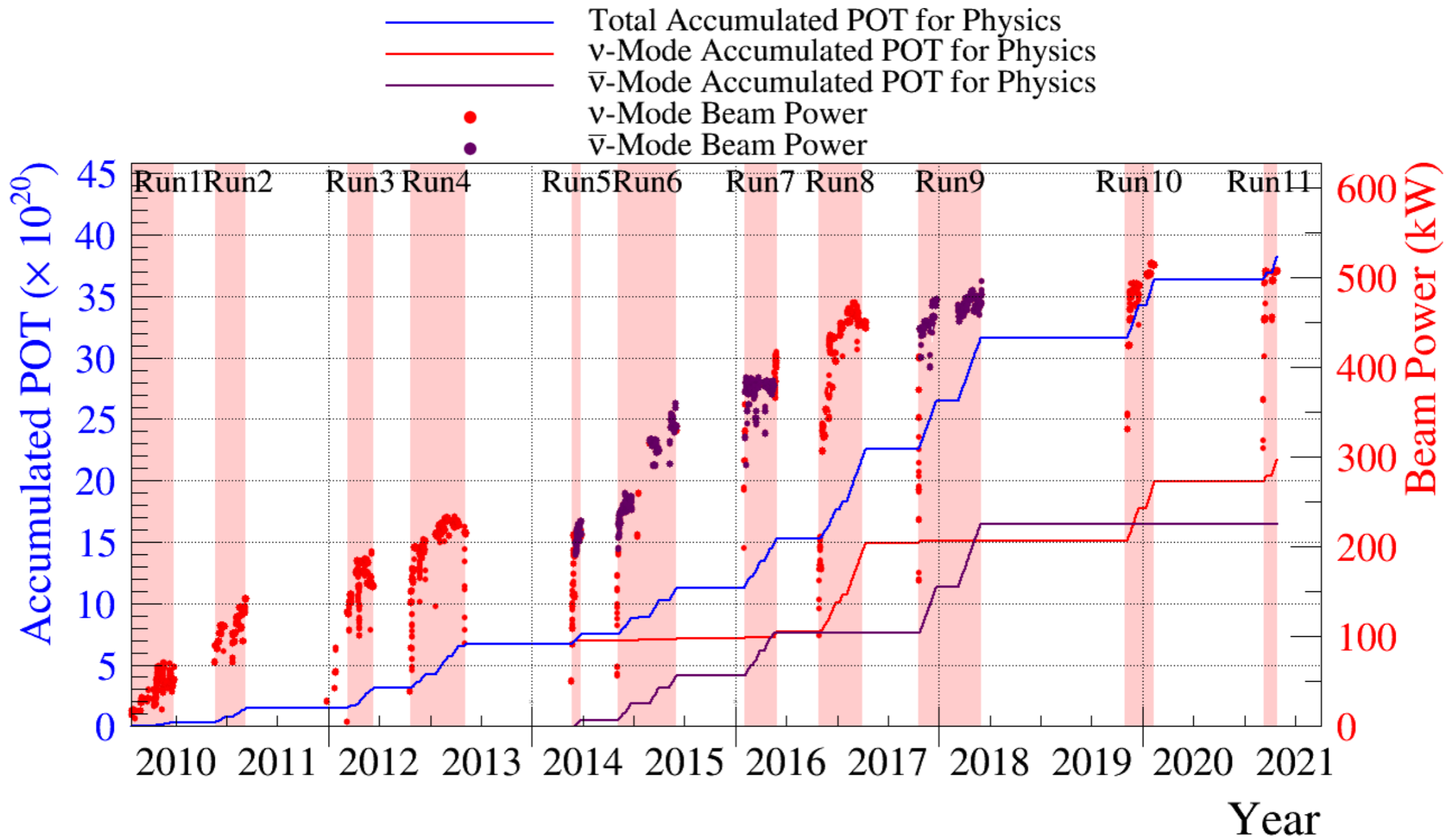


figure from J-PARC TD

- ⑤ Collimator system
- ⑥ Injection/FX system
- ⑦ Beam monitors





23 Jan 2010 – 27 Apr 2021  
 POT Total:  $3.82 \times 10^{21}$   
 (maximum power 522.6 kW)

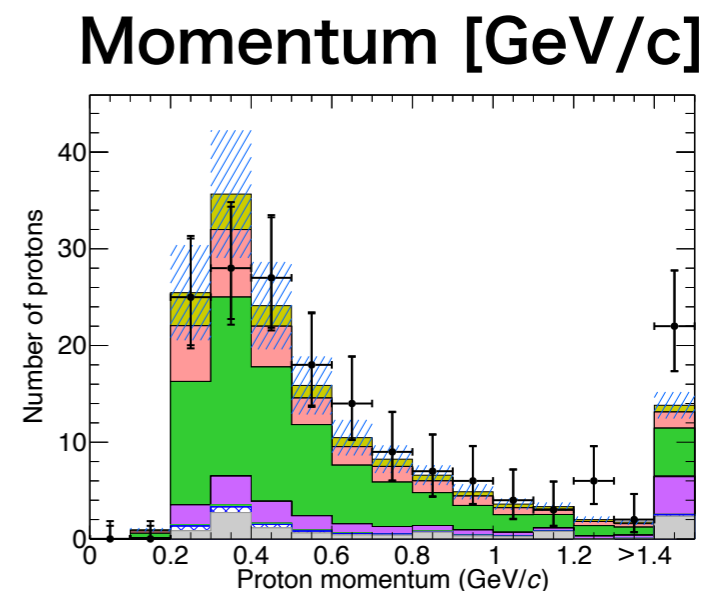
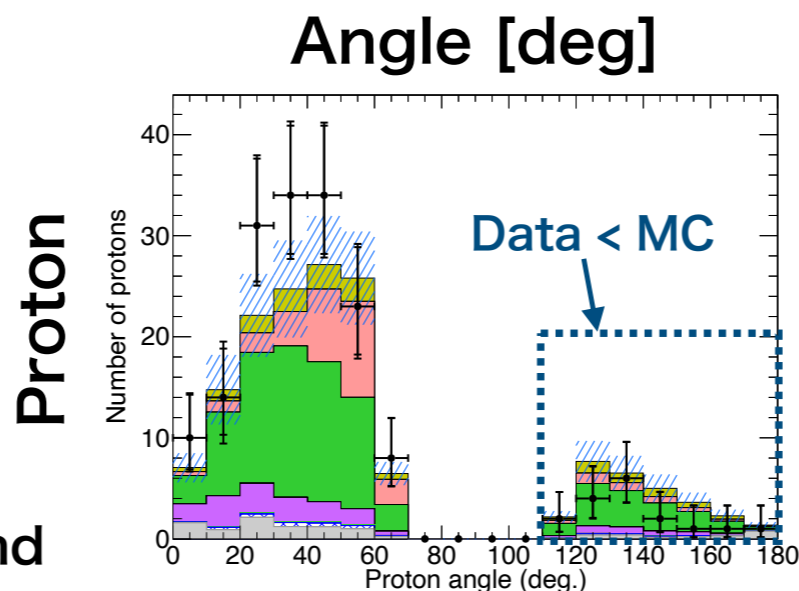
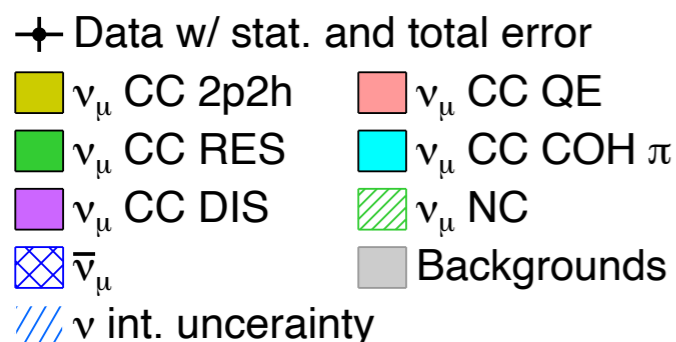
ν-mode:  $2.17 \times 10^{21}$  (56.8%)  
 ν̄-mode:  $1.65 \times 10^{21}$  (43.2%)

# Neutrino Cross-section results from NINJA

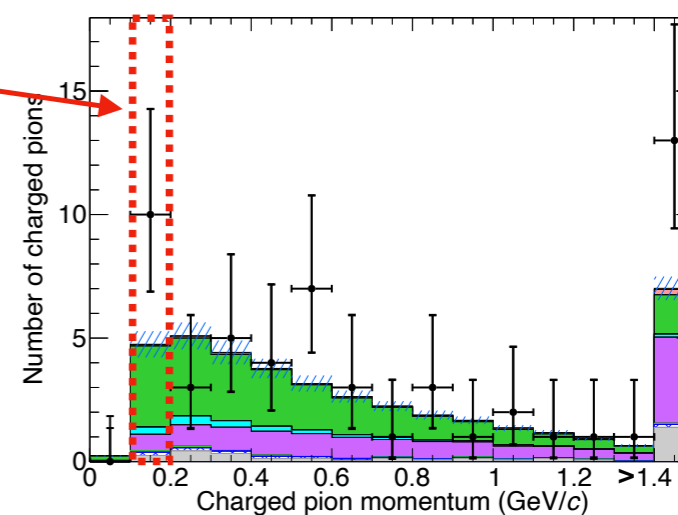
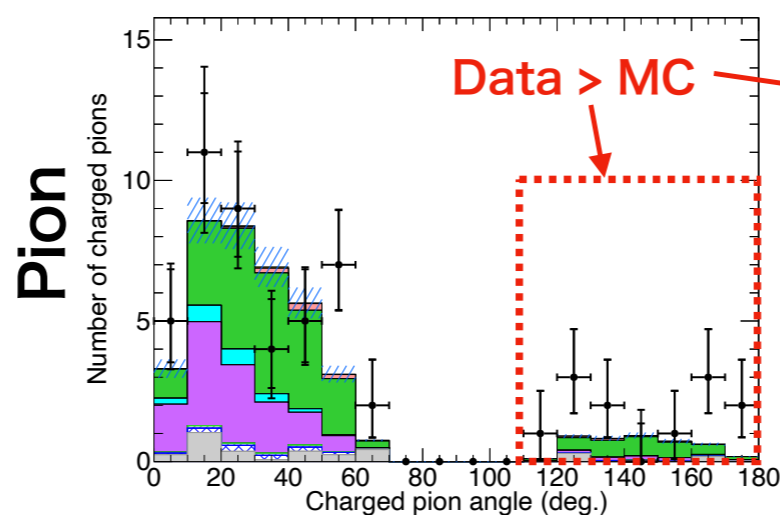
## Iron target results

Water target results are coming!

- Measurement of charged hadrons from muon neutrino interactions on iron.



Some discrepancies have found b/w the data and MC prediction



- Mean neutrino energy = 1.49 GeV
- $4.0 \times 10^{19}$  protons on target
- 183 events

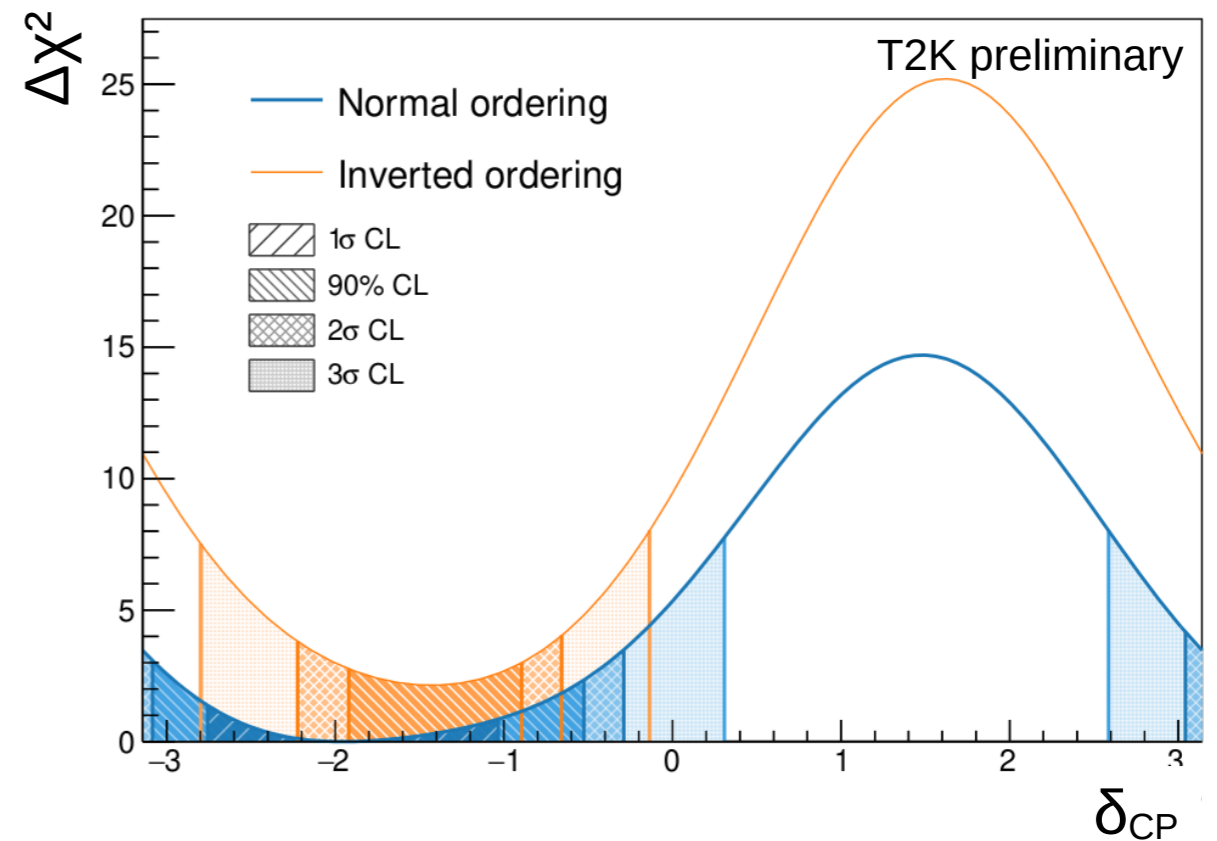
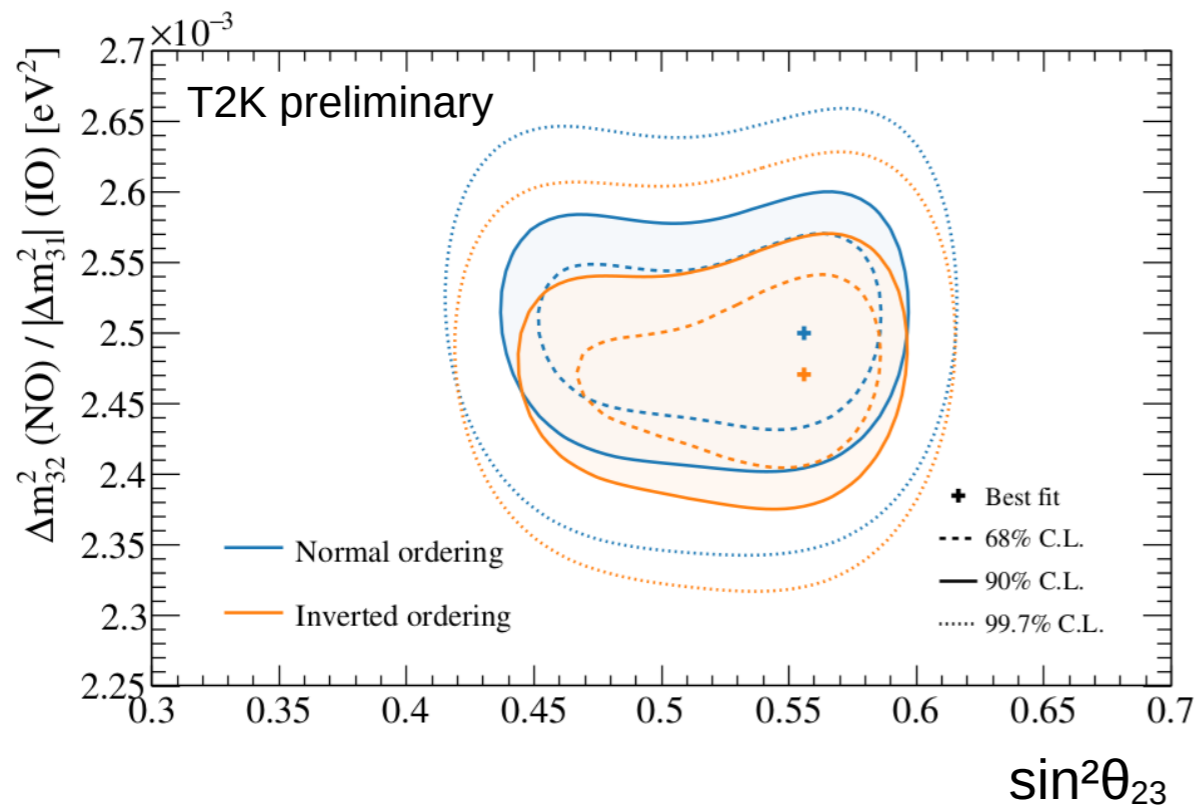
by Dr. Takahiro Odagawa

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# Latest Oscillation results from T2K

- Best fit in the upper  $\theta_{23}$  octant, but lower octant still allowed at the  $1\sigma$  level
- CP-conserving values of  $\delta=0$  and  $\delta=\pi$  outside of 90% CL intervals



Using  $\theta_{13}$  constraint from reactor experiments:  $\sin^2(2\theta_{13}) = 0.0861 \pm 0.0027$



# Achievements

- ① [J-PARC] We accumulated  $3.8 \times 10^{21}$  POT before 2021.
  - Goal:  $5 \times 10^{21}$  POT will be accumulated for high statistics
- ② [NINJA] Cross section results with Iron target. Results with Water target are coming (1/9 data has been shown).
  - Goal: 10% precision for neutrino cross sections
- ③ [T2K] New results released at Neutrino 2022.
  - Goal:  $\theta_{23}$  precisions better than 5%
  - Goal: CP violation ( $\delta_{CP}$ ) with 99% CL for the maximum CPV

# Prospect and Summary

- J-PARC is now ready to provide the high beam power of 700~800 kW.
- Full data of water targets in NINJA are on process, and will be released soon.
- Oscillation analysis in T2K is improved.
- It becomes more exciting to take and analyze neutrino beam data in T2K and NINJA. Stay tuned!

# Backup



# Latest Oscillation results from T2K

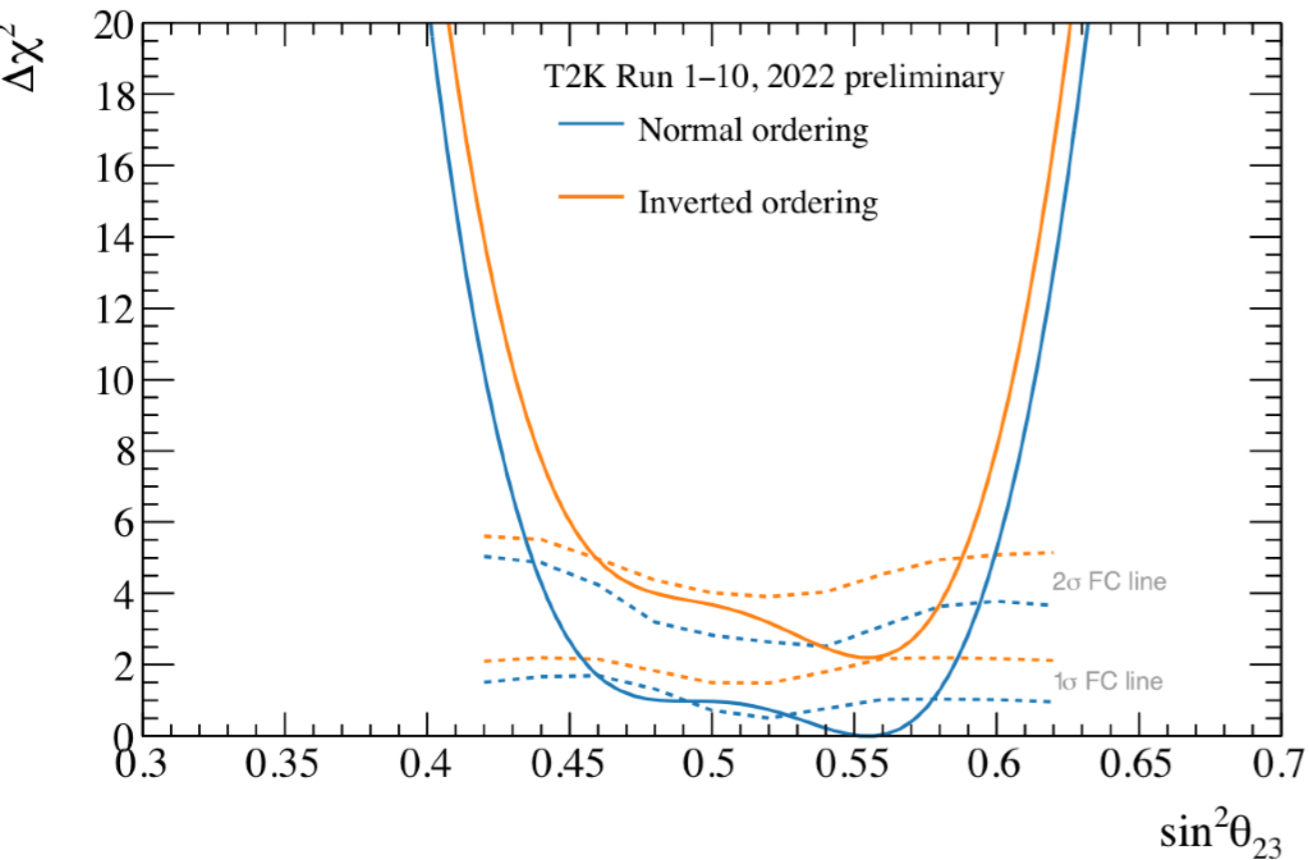


Table 35: Feldman-Cousins confidence intervals for  $\sin^2 \theta_{23}$ .

Confidence level	Interval (NH)	Interval (IH)
1 $\sigma$	[0.460, 0.491] $\cup$ [0.526, 0.578]	
90%	[0.444, 0.589]	[0.525, 0.582]
2 $\sigma$	[0.437, 0.594]	[0.459, 0.588]

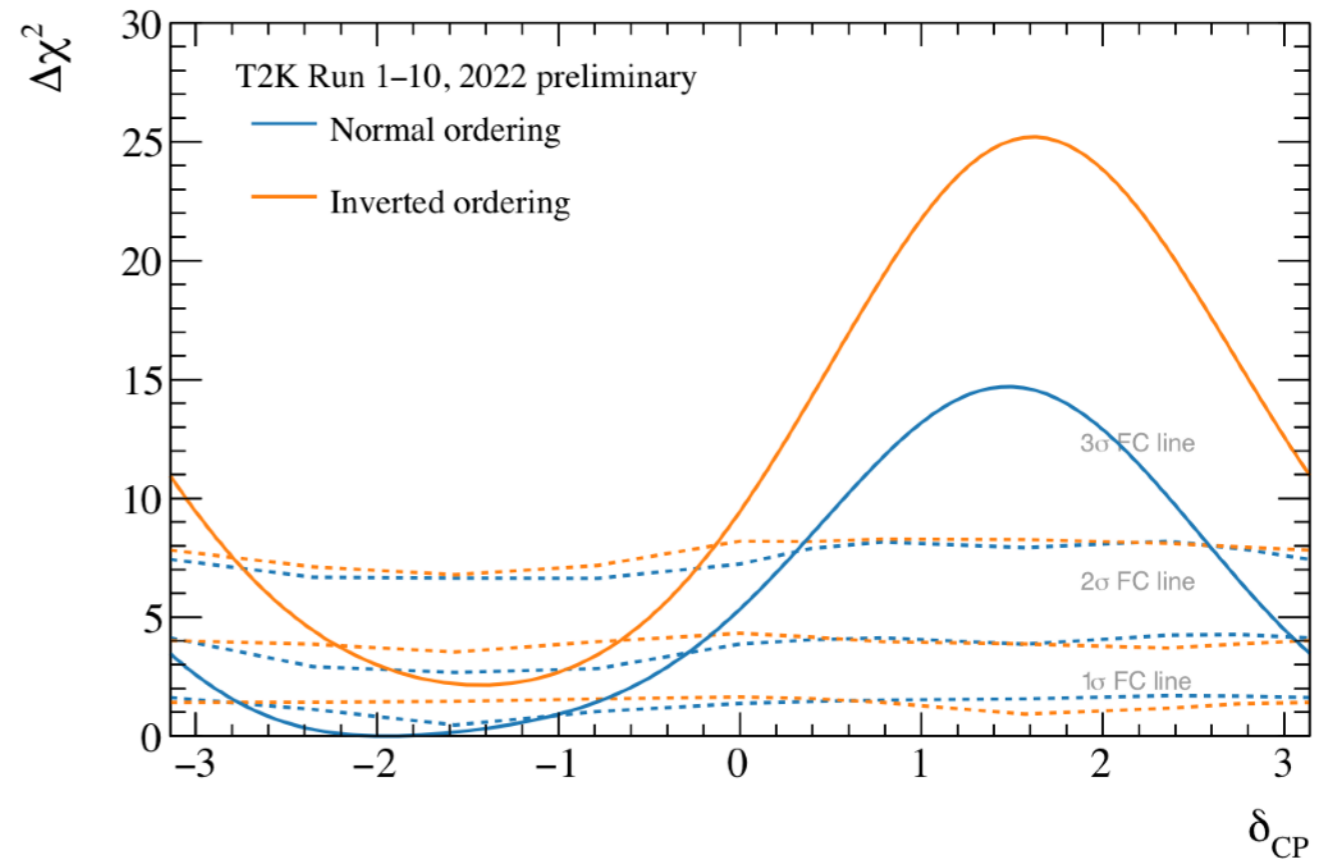


Table 34: Feldman-Cousins confidence intervals for  $\delta_{CP}$ .

Confidence level	Interval (NH)	Interval (IH)
1 $\sigma$	[-2.76, -1.03]	
90%	[-3.08, -0.52]	[-1.92, -0.89]
2 $\sigma$	$[-\pi, -0.29] \cup [3.04, \pi]$	[-2.22, -0.66]
3 $\sigma$	$[-\pi, 0.31] \cup [2.59, \pi]$	[-2.80, -0.14]