

# DUNE

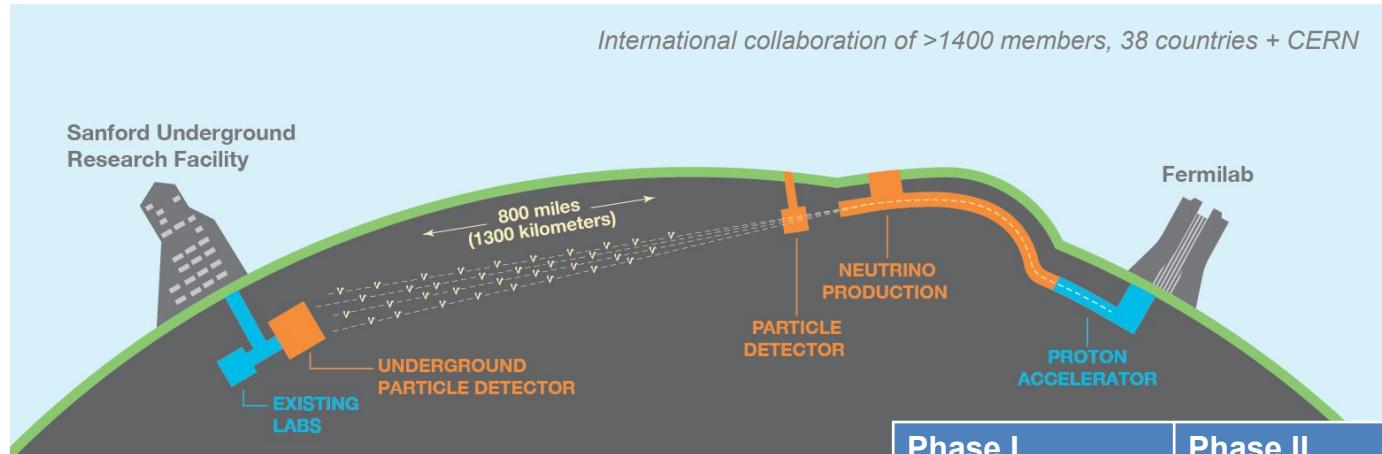
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IRN Neutrino – Discussion on ESPPU

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**DUNE TDR**  
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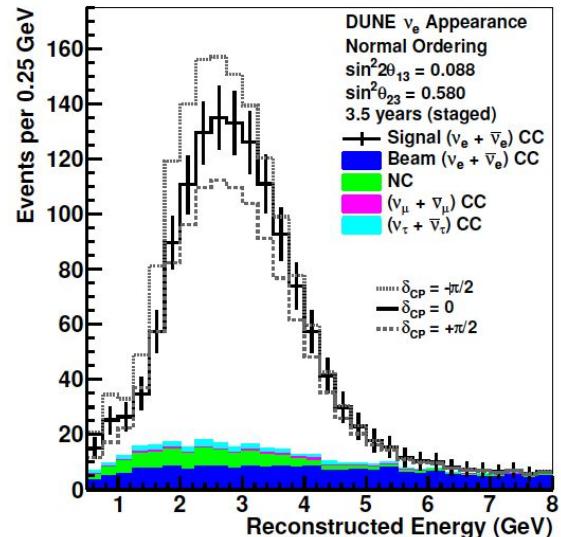
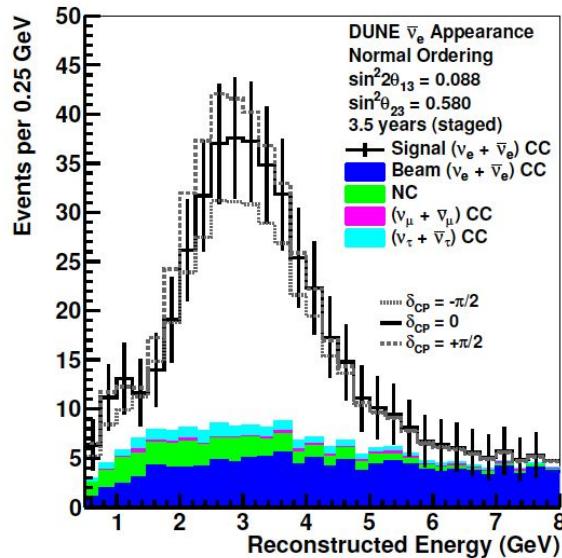
- The most powerful **beam** in the world ( $>2$  MW)
  - wide band: precise measurement of oscillations
  - 1300 km baseline: unambiguous determination of Mass Ordering
- **Far Detector @SURF** ( $>40$  kton)
  - LArTPCs: precise reconstruction of  $\nu$  interactions
  - underground: astrophysics measurements
- **Near Detector system @FNAL**
  - unprecedented control of systematics
  - rich physics programme ( $\nu$  cross-sections, BSM..)

| Phase I                                 | Phase II                       |
|---|--------------------------------|
| Beamline upgradable to 1.2 MW<br>[2031] | Beam >2 MW                     |
| FD Modules 1 and 2<br>[2029]            | + FD Modules 3 and 4           |
| ND-LAr+TMS (PRISM), SAND<br>[2031]      | ND-LAr(PRISM)<br>SAND + ND-GAr |

# LBL neutrino oscillations

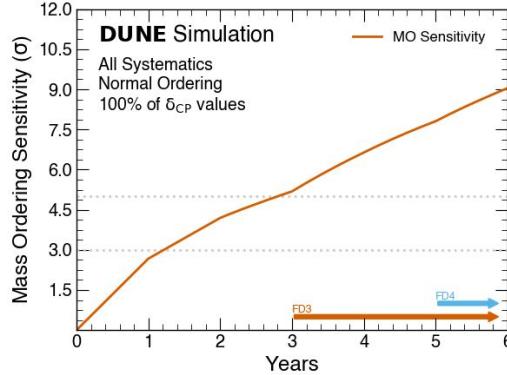
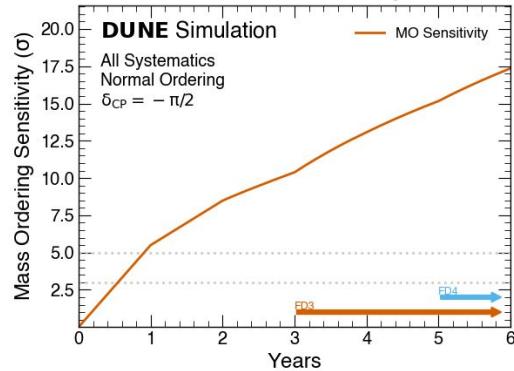
$\nu_e$  appearance spectrum at the FD

- enhancement/reduction of  $\nu_e$ /anti- $\nu_e$  depending on  $\delta_{CP}$  value
- much larger enhancement of  $\nu_e$  (reduction of anti- $\nu_e$ ) for NO wrt IO
- different effects on spectral shape from MO,  $\delta_{CP}$ ,  $\theta_{23}$   
→ solve degeneracies

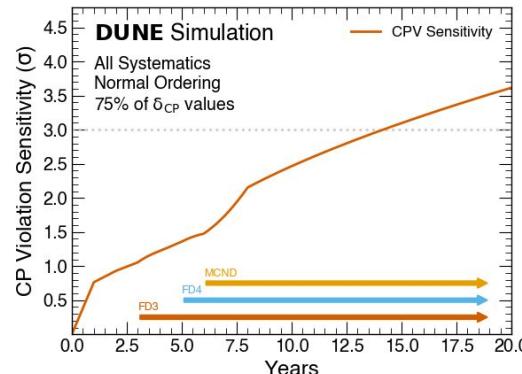
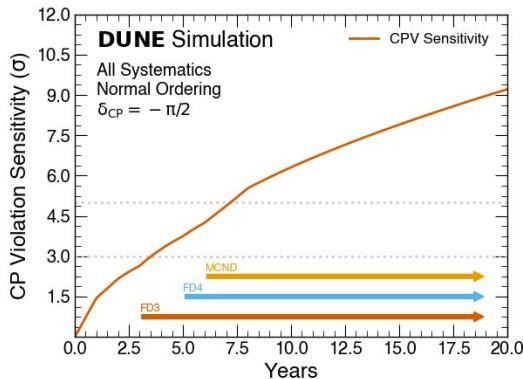


# DUNE sensitivity

## Neutrino Mass Ordering



## CP Violation



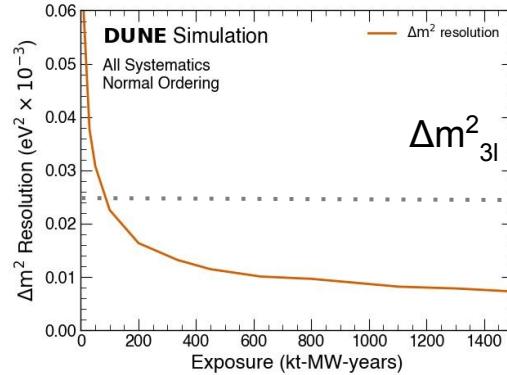
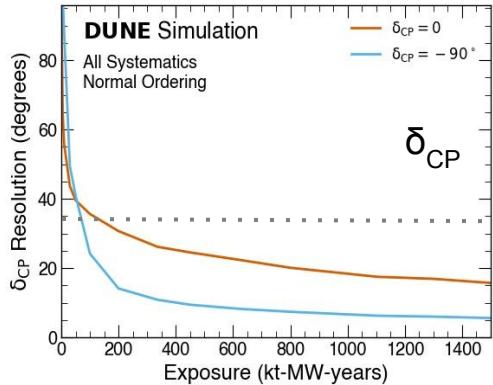
- Mass Ordering (MO)  $> 5\sigma$ 
  - in 1 year in "best case" scenario ( $\delta_{CP}=-\pi/2$ , NO)
  - in 3 years in "worst case" scenario ( $\delta_{CP}=\pi/2$ , NO)

## CP Violation

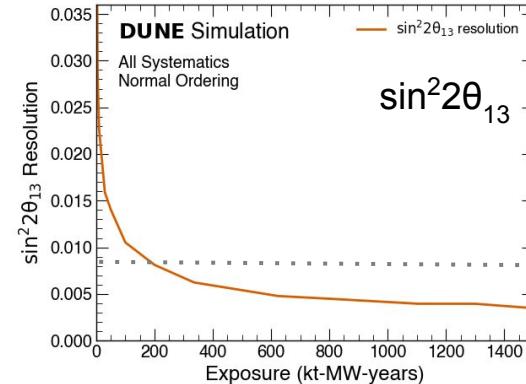
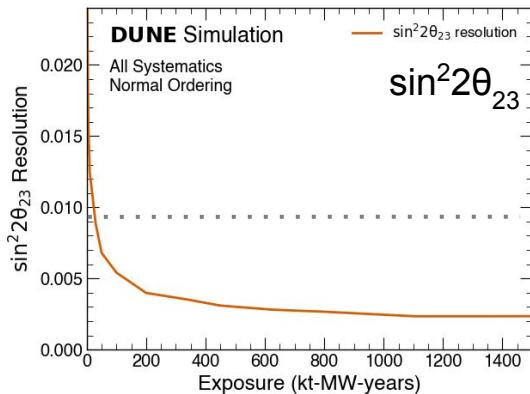
- CP Violation
  - $> 3\sigma$  sensitivity in 3.5 years ( $\delta_{CP}=-\pi/2$ , NO)
  - over 75% of  $\delta_{CP}$  values at  $> 3\sigma$  in the long term

DUNE TDR, Physics: arXiv:2002.03005

# DUNE precision measurements



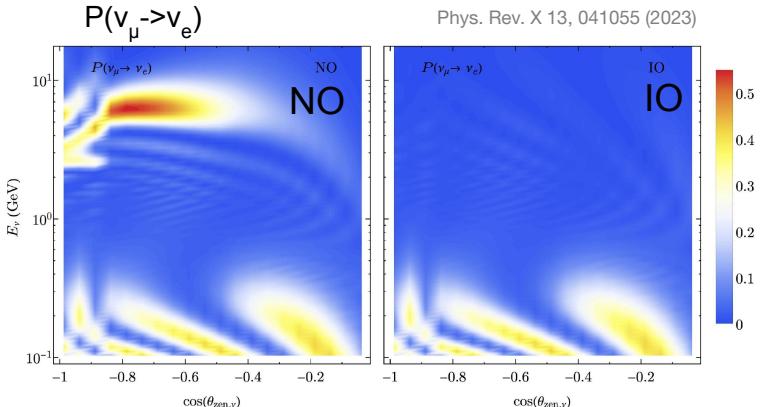
Precision measurement  
of many oscillation  
parameters  
in a single experiment



sensitivity to new  
physics from  
comparison to  
reactors

# Not just LBL

- Atmospheric neutrinos
  - data before the beam



- independent measurement of MO and  $\theta_{23}$
- sensitivity to CPV at  $E < \text{GeV}$
- searches for new physics

Talk by  
Camille  
Sironneau

## • Astrophysics

- unique sensitivity via two channels
  - CC:  $\nu_e + \text{Ar} \rightarrow e^- + {}^{40}\text{K}^*$
  - ES:  $\nu_x + e^- \rightarrow \nu_x + e^-$

## • SuperNovae core collapse

- burst's flavor and spectral content as a function of time
- measurement of neutronisation burst, sensitive to MO
- pointing from ES

Talk by  
Dario Pullia

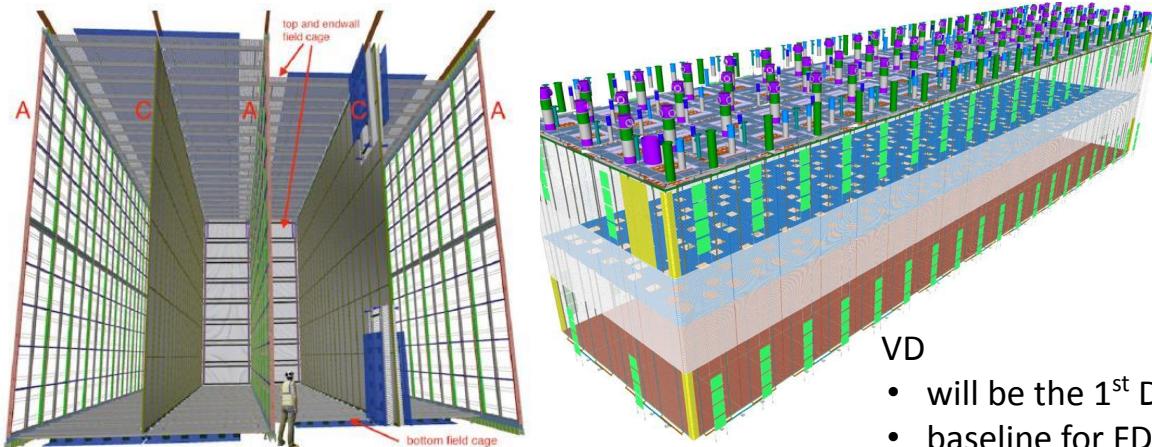
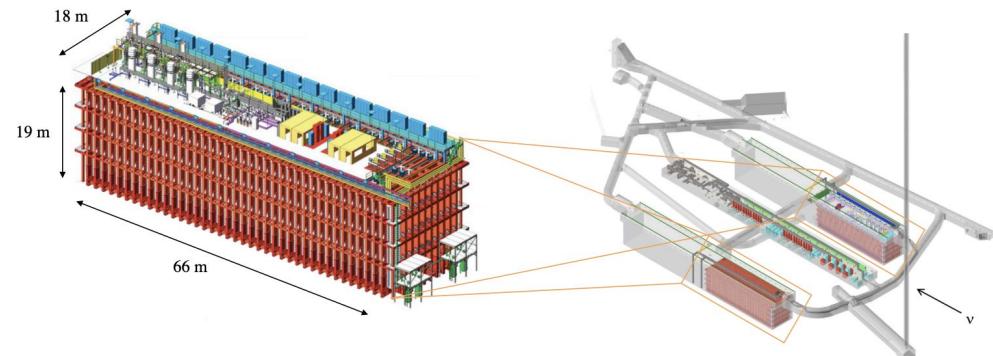
## • Solar Neutrinos

- $> 10 \text{ MeV}$ : excellent sensitivity to  ${}^8\text{B}$ , discovery potential for **hep**
- improvement of day-night asymmetry

+ broad BSM physics programme with ND and FD

# Far Detectors

- Horizontal Drift technology JINST 15 T08010 (2020)
  - wire readout planes, 4 drift regions (3.6m)
- Vertical Drift technology arXiv:2312.03130 (2023)
  - PCB readout planes, 2 drift regions (6.25m)



VD

- will be the 1<sup>st</sup> DUNE module → **IN CONSTRUCTION!**
- baseline for FD3, with enhanced light collection (APEX)
- option for FD4 ("Module of Opportunities")

# Prototyping at CERN

2018-20

2024-25

## ProtoDUNE (~700 tons LAr)

Cosmics, Beam p,π,K,e

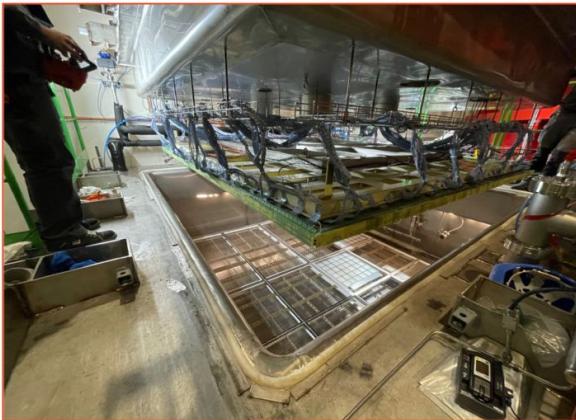
- Demonstration of LArTPC
- Analyses published and ongoing (performance, cross-sections)
- Xe doping
  - of interest also for DM and non-LBL
- Final technical solutions for FD-HD
- Module0 for FD-VD



Talk by  
Richie  
Diurba

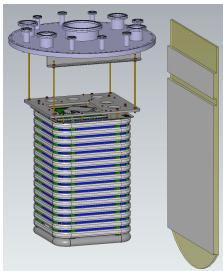
## • ColdBox tests

- VD readout electronics
- PDS development and validation

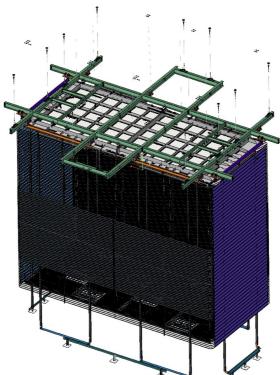


## • APEX prototyping for FD3 PDS

ton-scale  
2024-25



kton-scale  
2025-27



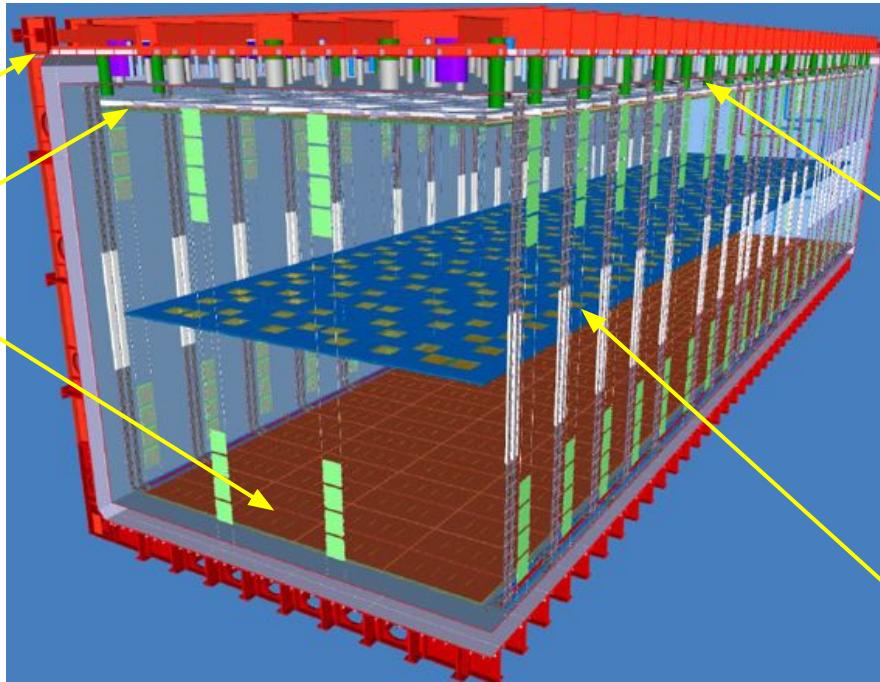
# France – VD detector contributions

6 CNRS labs + IRFU  
~80 people

Signal feedthrough  
chimneys

CRP structures

Assembly of top CRPs



Top drift charge  
readout electronics



Electronics for photon  
detection system  
(Signal-over-fiber  
transmission and reception)

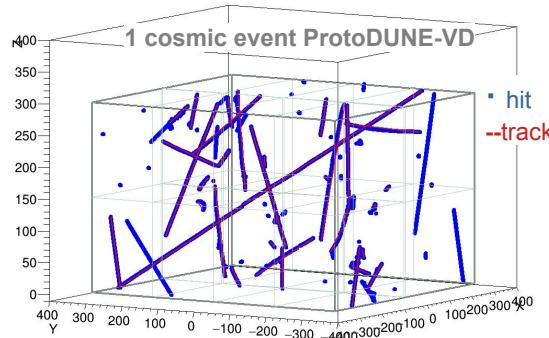
+ contribution to PIP-II

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# France – Analysis contributions

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~80 people

- Detector response (Simulation and ProtoDUNE + ColdBox data analysis)
  - CRP performance / transparency
  - field response
  - calorimetry ( $dE/dx$ )



- convenership of ProtoDUNE-DRA [**L. Zambelli**]

- Statistical oscillation fit frameworks
- Neutrino interaction reconstruction
  - energy (tracks and showers), direction, vertex, charge tagging
- Atmospheric neutrinos
  - full analysis chain
  - coordination of AMA WG [**P. Granger**]
- Low-Energy studies
  - radiologicals
  - light simulation
  - use of PDS for physics (SN vertex)

# Key points for discussion

DUNE will provide unprecedented results on neutrino oscillation parameters and has unique potential for many other physics topics (MeV neutrinos, BSM searches...)

DUNE is highly complementary to other experiments

An active prototype activity is ongoing, in particular at CERN (ProtoDUNEs, ColdBox, APEX...)

France provides key contributions to FD-VD, PIP-II and many analysis topics

