

Neutrino Factory overview

Low energy Super-beam ... and beta-beam

Neutrino Factory R&D

New developments: EMCOG, MICE, ring cooler

Conclusions









$$p(\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{c}) = 4c_{13}^{2} s_{13}^{2} s_{23}^{2} \sin^{2} \frac{\Delta m_{13}^{2} L}{4E} \qquad \theta_{13} \text{ driven} \\ + 8c_{13}^{2} s_{12} s_{13} s_{23} (c_{12} c_{23} \cos \delta - s_{12} s_{13} s_{23}) \cos \frac{\Delta m_{23}^{2} L}{4E} \sin \frac{\Delta m_{13}^{2} L}{4E} \sin \frac{\Delta m_{12}^{2} L}{4E} \text{ CP - even} \\ - 8c_{13}^{2} c_{12} c_{23} s_{12} s_{13} s_{23} \sin \delta \sin \frac{\Delta m_{23}^{2} L}{4E} \sin \frac{\Delta m_{13}^{2} L}{4E} \sin \frac{\Delta m_{12}^{2} L}{4E} \quad \text{CP - odd} \\ + 4s_{12}^{2} c_{13}^{2} \{c_{12}^{2} c_{23}^{2} + s_{12}^{2} s_{23}^{2} s_{13}^{2} - 2c_{12} c_{23} s_{12} s_{23} s_{13} \cos \delta\} \sin \frac{\Delta m_{12}^{2} L}{4E} \quad \text{solar driven} \\ - 8c_{13}^{2} s_{13}^{2} s_{23}^{2} \cos \frac{\Delta m_{23}^{2} L}{4E} \sin \frac{\Delta m_{13}^{2} L}{4E} \frac{a L}{4E} (1 - 2s_{13}^{2}) \qquad \text{matter effect (CP odd)}$$

$$(1)$$

$$\frac{\mathbf{P}(\mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{e}} \rightarrow \mathbf{v}_{\mu}) - \mathbf{P}(\overline{\mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{e}}} \rightarrow \overline{\mathbf{v}_{\mu}})}{\mathbf{P}(\mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{e}} \rightarrow \mathbf{v}_{\mu}) + \mathbf{P}(\overline{\mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{e}}} \rightarrow \overline{\mathbf{v}_{\mu}})} = \mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{CP}} \alpha \frac{\sin \delta \sin (\Delta m_{12}^2 L/4E) \sin \theta_{12}}{\sin \theta_{13} + \text{solar term...}}$$

... need large values of sin θ_{12} , Δm_{12}^2 (LMA) but not large sin² θ_{13} ... need APPEARANCE ... $P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e)$ is time reversal symmetric (reactors or sun are out) ... can be large (30%) for suppressed channel (one small angle vs two large) at wavelength at which 'solar' = 'atmospheric' and for $\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu$, ν_τ

... asymmetry is opposite for $v_e \rightarrow v_\mu$ and $v_e \rightarrow v_\tau$



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Regarding the parameters' choice.

- Amplitude is driven by $\sin^2(2\theta_{13}\,)$
- Wavelength is driven by δm^2_{23}

• But also δm_{12}^2 , its sign, δ , $\sin^2 2\theta_{23}$, $\sin^2 2\theta_{12}$ have sizable effects









Road Map

Experiments to find $\boldsymbol{\theta}_{13}$:

1. search for $v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{e}$ in conventional v_{μ} beam (ICARUS, MINOS) limitations: NC π^{0} background, intrinsic v_{e} component in beam

2. Off-axis beam (JHF-SK, off axis NUMI, off axis CNGS) or

3. low energy superbeam

Experiments to find CP violation

- 1. Neutrino factory with muon storage ring
- 2. beta-beam

fraction thereof will exist.



Superbeam gets us quite a ways...



expected sensitivity from the MINOS experiment,

0.75 MW JHF to super Kamiokande with an off-axis narrow-band beam,

Superbeam: 4 MW CERN-SPL to a 400 kton water Cerenkov in Fréjus

from a Neutrino Factory with 40 kton large magnetic detector. **INCLUDING SYSTEMATICS**



- 295 km baseline
- JHF approved
- neutrino beam under discussion but set in first priority by international committee
- Super-Kamiokande:
 - 22.5 kton fiducial
 - Excellent e/µ ID
 - Additional π^0/e ID
- Matter effects small
- need near detector
- European collaboration forming (UK(5)-Italy(5)-Saclay-Gva)





WBB w/ intentionally misaligned beam line from det. axis



Quasi Monochromatic Beam
 x2~3 intense than NBB





Detectors

Muon monitors @ ~140m

- Behind the beam dump
- Fast (spill-by-spill) monitoring of beam direction/intensity

First Front detector "Neutrino monitor" @280m

- Neutrino intensity/direction
- Study of neutrino interactions

Second Front Detector @ ~2km

- Almost same E_{ν} spectrum as for SK
- Absolute neutrino spectrum
- Precise estimation of background
- Far detector @ 295km
 - Super-Kamiokande (50kt)
 - Hyper-Kamiokande (~1Mt)





Phase-II: Hyper-K 1,000 kt







μ/e Background Rejection



separation directly related to granularity of coverage. Limit is around 10⁻³ (mu decay in flight) SKII coverage OK



-- Neutrino Factory --CERN layout



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Neutrino fluxes
$$\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \nu_e \nu_\mu$$

x 10² ν_{μ}/ν_{e} ratio reversed by switching μ^{+}/μ^{-} $v_e v_u$ spectra are different neutrino events from muon decay 5000 R = 10 m radius, L = 732 km, 31.4 kt No high energy tail. $3.10^{20} 50 \text{ GeV } \mu^+$ 4500 Very well known flux (aim is 10⁻³)⁴⁰⁰⁰ $CC v_e$, $P_{u+} = +1$ $CC v_e$, $P_{u+} = -1$ $CC v_{ii}, P_{ii+} = +1$ 3000 $CC v_{\mu}$, $P_{\mu+} = \cdot$ -- **E**& σ_E calibration from muon spin precession 2500 -- angular divergence: small effect if $\theta < 0.2/\gamma$, 2000 1500 - absolute flux measured from muon current or by $v_{\mu} e^{-} \rightarrow \mu^{-} v_{e}$ in near expt. 1000 500 -- in triangle ring, 0 5 25 30 35 40 45 50 muon polarization precesses and averages out 0 10 15 neutrino energy (GeV) (preferred, -> calib of energy, energy spread)

-- in **Bow-tie ring**, muon polarization stays constant, no precession 20% easy -> 40% hard Must be measured!!!! (precision?)





 $\bar{\nu}_e \leftrightarrow \bar{\nu}_{\mu,\tau}$

 $\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\mu$ is the golden measurement at Nufact: appearance of wrong-sign muons



fact

- Iron calorimeter
- Magnetized
 - Charge discrimination
 - B = 1 T
- R = 10 m, L = 20 m
- Fiducial mass = 40 kT



Dimension: radius 10 m, length 20 m Mass: 40 kt iron, 500 t scintillator

Also: L Arg detector: magnetized ICARUS Wrong sign muons, electrons, taus and NC evts

Events for 1 yearBaseline $\overline{\nu_{\mu}}$ CC ν_{e} CC ν_{μ} signal (sin² θ_{13} =0.01)732 Km 3.5×10^7 5.9×10^7 1.1×10^5 3500 Km 1.2×10^6 2.4×10^6 1.0×10^5

Detector





Event rates

$$N_{\mu^+,\mu^-}=10^{21}/$$
y, $M_{det}=40$ KTon y, $E_{\mu}=50 GeV$

 μ^- beam

Baseline	$\bar{ u}_e$ CC	$ u_{\mu} CC $	$\mu^{+}(10^{\circ})$	$\mu^{+}(0.5^{o})$
732 Km	$3 \cdot 10^{7}$	$6.9\cdot10^7$	$1.7 \cdot 10^{4}$	44
3500 Km	$1.3\cdot 10^6$	$3 \cdot 10^{6}$	$7 \cdot 10^{3}$	15
7332 Km	$3 \cdot 10^5$	$6.9\cdot10^5$	$2.8 \cdot 10^2$	1

 μ^+ beam

Baseline	$ u_e$ CC	$ar{ u}_{\mu}$ CC	$\mu^{-}(10^{\circ})$	$\mu^{-}(0.5^{o})$
732 Km	$5.9\cdot10^7$	$3.5\cdot 10^7$	$3.6\cdot 10^4$	94
3500 Km	$2.5\cdot 10^6$	$1.5\cdot 10^6$	$3.1 \cdot 10^{4}$	85
7332 Km	$5.9\cdot 10^5$	$3.5 \cdot 10^{5}$	$1.2 \cdot 10^{4}$	39

NB: oscillation signal is nearly indept of distance



conventional neutrino beam from π , K decay: long high energy tail, Bkg from v_e and NC events





NUFACT = 100 X CNGS with $\frac{2}{2}$ Flavours, No high energy tail to produce NC with π^0





 $N_{\mu^+,\mu^-}=10^{21}/{\rm year},~M_{det}=40~{\rm KTon}$ year

Appearance of wrong sign muons. Background very low in dense detector (mostly comes from very inelastic charm production) Can be kept at a few 10⁻⁵ level by cuts on Muon momentum, Pt, and Pt w.r.t. hadronic shower

N_{CC} events





CP asymmetries

compare $v_e \rightarrow v_\mu$ to $\overline{v}_e \rightarrow \overline{v}_\mu$ probabilities

$$P_{\nu_e\nu_\mu(\bar{\nu}_e\bar{\nu}_\mu)} = \sin^2\theta_{23}\sin^2 2 \ \theta_{13} \left(\frac{\Delta m_{23}^2}{B_{\pm}}\right)^2 \ \sin^2 B_{\pm}L$$

with $B_{\pm} \equiv \sqrt{(\Delta m_{23}^2 \cos 2 \ \theta_{13} \pm \mu)^2 + (\Delta m_{23}^2 \sin 2 \ \theta_{13})^2}$

 $\boldsymbol{\mu}\xspace$ is prop matter density, positive for neutrinos, negative for antineutrinos

$$\mathbf{A} = \frac{\mu^{-} / \nu_{e} - \mu^{+} / \bar{\nu}_{e}}{\mu^{-} / \nu_{e} + \mu^{+} / \bar{\nu}_{e}}$$



HUGE effect for distance around 6000 km!! Resonance around 12 GeV when

 $\Delta m_{23}^2 \cos 2 |\theta_{13} \pm \mu| = 0$

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Matter effect must be subtracted. One believes this can be done with uncertainty Of order 2%. Also spectrum of matter effect and CP violation is different \Rightarrow It is important to subtract in bins of measured energy.

⇒knowledge of spectrum is essential here!





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Siver channel at neutrino factory

A. Donini et al

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High energy neutrinos at NuFact allow observation of $V_e \rightarrow V_{\tau}$ (wrong sign muons with missing energy and P \perp). UNIQUE

Liquid Argon or OPERA-like detector at 3000 km.

Since the $sin\delta$ dependence has opposite sign with the wrong sign muons, this solves ambiguities that will invariably appear if only wrong sign muons are used.







Where do you prefer to take shifts?



Nufact CERN layout



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Preliminary Layout of Neutrino Factory









BETA Beam



new idea by P. Zucchelli produce ⁶He++, store, accelerate (100 GeV/u), store

$${}^{6}\text{He}^{++} \rightarrow {}^{6}\text{Li}^{+++} \bar{\nu}_{e} e^{-} \qquad \begin{array}{c} \text{Q=3.5078 MeV T/2} = 0.8067 \text{ s} \\ \text{pure anti-}\nu_{e} \text{ beam at} \approx 600 \text{ MeV} \end{array}$$

or:

$${}^{18}_{10}\mathrm{Ne}
ightarrow {}^{18}_{9}\mathrm{F}\, v_{e}\, e^{+}$$
 pure v_{e} beam at $pprox$ 600 MeV

oscillation signal: appearance of low energy muons no opposite charge neutrinos=> no need for magnetic detectors little matter effects at these energies water Cerenkov excellent for this too, same as for Superbeam. seems feasible; but cost unknown so far. Critical: duty cycle. A nice *** idea to be followed up!



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M. Lindroos et al.



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Unique to CERN:

need few 100 GeV accelerator (PS + SPS will do!) experience in radioactive beams at ISOLDE

many unknowns: what is the duty factor that can be achieved? (needs $< 10^{-3}$)

combines CP and T violation tests

$$v_{\mathbf{e}} \rightarrow v_{\mu} \quad (\beta+) \quad (\mathbf{T}) \quad v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{\mathbf{e}} \quad (\pi^+)$$

(CP)
 $\overline{v_{\mathbf{e}}} \rightarrow \overline{v_{\mu}} \quad (\beta-) \quad (\mathbf{T}) \quad \overline{v_{\mu}} \rightarrow \overline{v_{\mathbf{e}}} \quad (\pi^-)$

Can this work???? theoretical studies now on beta beam + SPL target and horn R&D revue at NUFACT02 (1-6 July 2002)





Combination of Beta beam and superbeam is in the same ballpark of performance as neutrino factory ... (bewrare of systematics for low Energy neutrino events, though)



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Superbeam gets us quite a ways...



expected sensitivity from the MINOS experiment, 0.75 MW JHF to super Kamiokande with an off-axis narrow-band beam, Superbeam: 4 MW CERN-SPL to a 400 kton water Cerenkov in Fréjus from a Neutrino Factory with 40 kton large magnetic detector. **INCLUDING SYSTEMATICS**



Neutrino Factory studies and R&D

USA, Europe, Japan have each their scheme. Only one has been costed, US study II:

System	Sum	\mathbf{Others}^{a}	Total	${f Reconciliation}^b$
	(\$M)	(M)	(M)	(FY00 \$M)
Proton Driver	167.6	16.8	184.4	179.9
Target Systems	91.6	9.2	100.8	98.3
Decay Channel	4.6	0.5	5.1	5.0
Induction Linacs	319.1	31.9	351.0	342.4
Bunching	68.6	6.9	75.5	73.6
Cooling Channel	317.0	31.7	348.7	340.2
Pre-accel. linac	188.9	18.9	207.8	202.7
RLA	355.5	35.5	391.0	381.5
Storage Ring	107.4	10.7	118.1	115.2
Site Utilities	126.9	12.7	139.6	136.2
Totals	1,747.2	174.8	1,922.0	$1,\!875.0$

Neutrino Factory CAN be done.....but it is too expensive as is. Aim: ascertain challenges can be met + cut cost in half.





Recent developments

CERN cuts.... and EMCOG initiative

MICE LOI received encouragement at RAL

Cooling rings





European Muon Concertation and Oversight Group (EMCOG)

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RAL:	Ken Peach





EMCOG (European Muon Concertation and Oversight Group FIRST SET OF BASIC GOALS

The long-term goal is to have a Conceptual Design Report for a European Neutrino Factory Complex by the time of LHC start-up, so that, by that date, this would be a valid option for the future of CERN.

An earlier construction for the proton driver (SPL + accumulator & compressor rings) is conceivable and, of course, highly desirable. The SPL, targetry and horn R&D have therefore to be given the highest priority.

Cooling is on the critical path for the neutrino factory itself; there is a consensus that a cooling experiment is a necessity.

The emphasis should be the definition of **practical experimental projects with a duration** of 2-5 years. Such projects can be seen in the following four areas:





High intensity proton driver. Activities on the front end are ongoing in many laboratories in Europe, in particular at CERN, CEA, IN2P3, INFN and GSI. Progressive installation of a high intensity injector and of a linear accelerator up to 120 MeV at CERN (R. Garoby et al) would have immediate rewards in the increase of intensity for the CERN fixed target program and for LHC operation. GSI.... EMCOG will invite a specific report on the status of the studies and a proposal for the implementation process.

2. Target studies

This experimental program is already well underway with liquid metal jet studies. Goal: explore synergies among the following parties involved: CERN, Lausanne, Megapie at PSI, EURISOL, etc...

3. Horn studies.

A first horn prototype has been built and is being equipped for pulsing at low intensity. 5 year program to reach high intensity, high rep rate pulsing, and study the radiation resistance of horns. Optimisation of horn shape. Explore synergies between CERN, IN2P3 Orsay, PSI (for material research and fatigue under high stress in radiation environment)

4. MICE. A collaboration towards and International cooling experiment has been established with the muon collaboration in United States and Japanese groups. There is a large interest from European groups in this experiment. Following the submission of a letter of Intent to PSI and RAL, the collaboration has been encouraged to prepare a full proposal at RAL, with technical help fro RAL. PSI offers a solenoid muon beam line and CERN, which as already made large initial contributions in the concept of the experiment, could earmark some very precious hardware that could be recuperated. A summary of the requests should be presented by the collaboration.

It is noted that the first three items are also essential for a possible initial neutrino program with a high intensity low energy conventional neutrino beam (superbeam).



NUFACT R&D: Target station



Target:

- Dimension: $L \approx 30$ cm, $R \approx 1$ cm
- \rightarrow 4 MW proton beam into an expensive cigar...
- \rightarrow High Z \rightarrow small size good for optics
- \rightarrow Liquid \rightarrow easy to replace (v_{//} \approx 20 m/s) \rightarrow Mercury





Hg-jet p-converter target with a pion focusing horn





NUFACT R&D: Target station



Experiment @BNL and @CERN

- Speed of Hg disruption
- Max $v_{\perp} \approx 20 \text{ m/s}$ measured
- $v_{//} \approx 3 \text{ m/s}$
- jet remains intact for more than 20 microseconds.







HORN STUDIES

horn is built at CERN mechanical properties will be measured (can it be pulsed at 350 KA and 50 Hz? important for basic choice of proton driver)

This is the neutrino factory horn, SPL-superbeam one will have different shape.



J.-M. Maugain,(S.Gilardoni, UNiGe) et al





NUFACT R&D; Cooling

Problem: $\mu \rightarrow$ Beam pipe radius of storage ring

P or **x'** and **x** reduction needed: **COOLING**



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Ionization Cooling : the principle





Liquid H₂: dE/dx





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What muon cooling buys

MUON Yield without and with Cooling

	NOCOOL	with cooling
long. emittance	0.05 eVs	0.05 eVs
rotation	6.7×10^{19}	6.7×10^{19}
44 MHz	6.8×10^{19}	
88 MHz	7.3×10^{19}	1.2×10^{21}
176 MHz	5.5×10^{19}	1.0×10^{21}

exact gain depends on relative amont of phase rotation (monochromatization vs cooling trade off)

cooling of minimum ionizing muons has never been realized in practice involves RF cavities, Liquid Hydrogen absorbers, all in magnetic field designs similar in EU and US Nufact concepts





An International Muon Ionization Cooling Experiment







10% cooling of 200 MeV muons requires ~ 20 MV of RF

<u>single particle measurements</u> =>

measurement precision can be as good as $\Delta (\epsilon_{out}/\epsilon_{in}) =$



LOI submitted to PSI and RAL.

The two labs agreed to collaborate and RAL encourages submission of proposal. 2002: prepare prop



International Muon Ionization Cooling Experiment

Steering committee:

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COOLING RINGS

Two goals: 1) Reduce hardware expense on cooling channel

2) Combine with energy spread reduction (longitudinal and transverse cooling)





Conclusions

Neutrinos have mass and they mix.

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This is a NEW FORCE, (beyond the SM)
that could also generate proton decay
the baryon asymmetry of the universe,
\mu \rightarrow e \gamma
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A Neutrino Factory Complex (and in a first step a high intensity superbeam) would offer the possibility to discover leptonic CP violation and to measure the mass and mixing properties of neutrinos very precisely. Would offer a very versatile physics program on the side as well.

We know that such a machine **can** be build and work. Cost would be too high today and techniques have never been tested in practice.

Requires R&D! Ascertain designs and find new ideas. Will follow also carefully beta-beam + super-beam combination

Following ECFA recommendations, a coordinated effort is being build in Europe (and across the world), goals and priorities set -- we will get there, come and help.



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