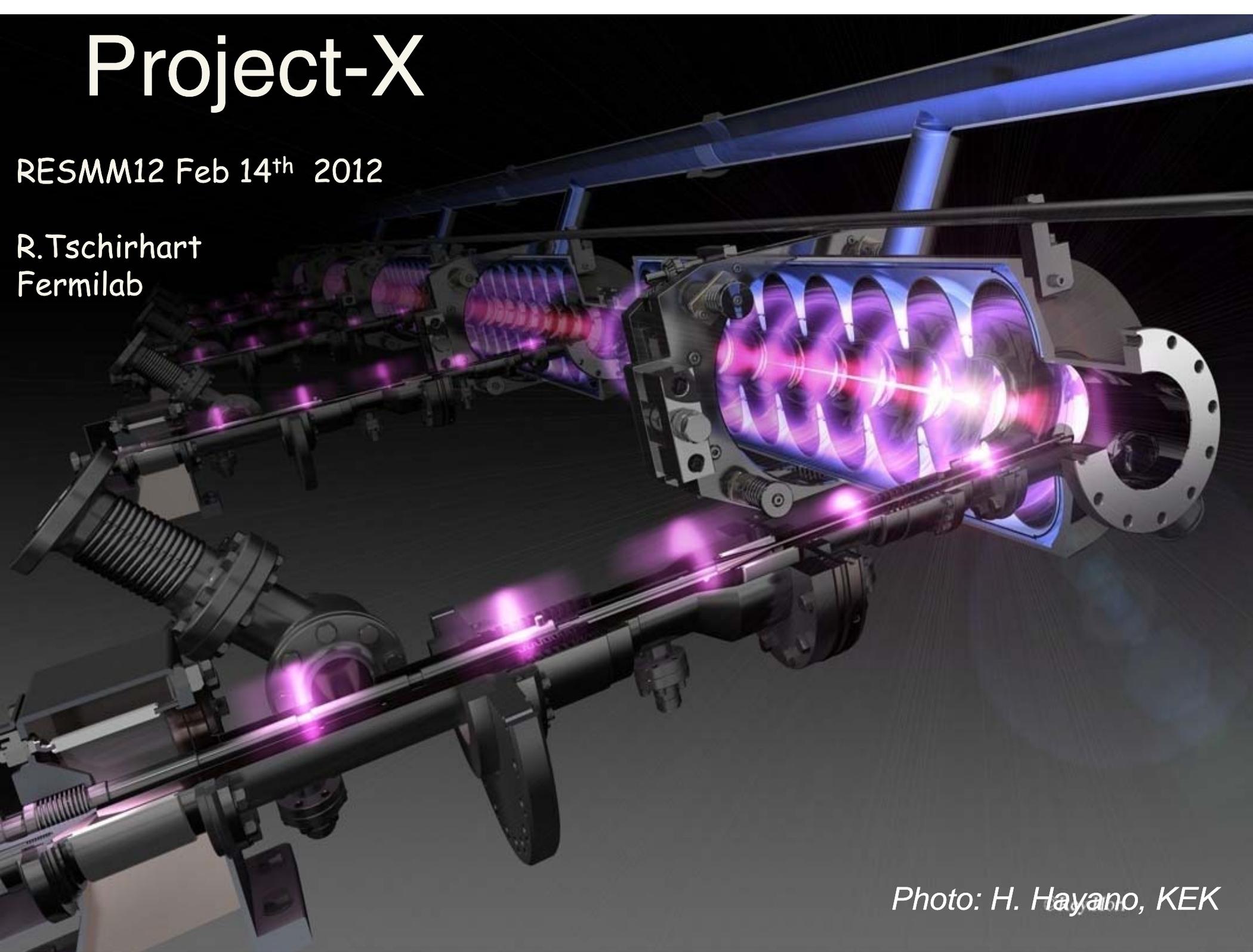


# Project-X

RESMM12 Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 2012

R. Tschirhart  
Fermilab



*Photo: H. Hayano, KEK*

# The Project-X Research Program

- ***Neutrino oscillation experiments***
  - A high-power proton source with proton energies between 8 (3) and 120 GeV would produce intense neutrino beams directed toward near detectors on the Fermilab site and massive detectors at distant underground laboratories.
- ***Kaon, muon, nuclei & neutron precision experiments***
  - These could include world leading experiments searching for muon-to-electron conversion, nuclear and neutron electron dipole moments (edms), precision measurement of neutron properties and world-leading precision measurements of ultra-rare kaon decays.
- ***Platform for evolution to a Neutrino Factory and Muon Collider***
  - Neutrino Factory and Muon-Collider concepts depend critically on developing high intensity proton source technologies.
- ***Nuclear Energy Applications***
  - Accelerator, spallation, target and transmutation technology demonstration which could investigate and develop accelerator technologies important to the design of future nuclear waste transmutation systems and future thorium fuel-cycle power systems.

Detailed Discussion: [Project X website](#)

# Long Baseline Neutrino Experiment

New Neutrino Beam at Fermilab...

...Directed towards a distant detector

Precision Near Detector on the Fermilab site

33 kT fiducial volume Liquid Argon TPC Far Detector

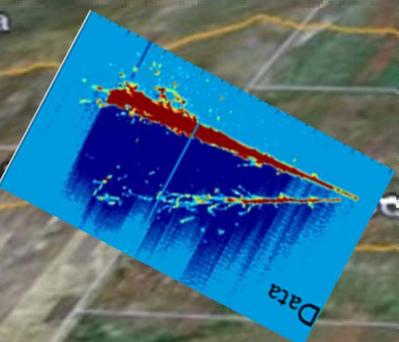


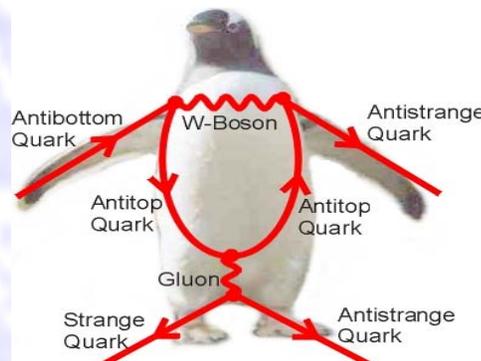
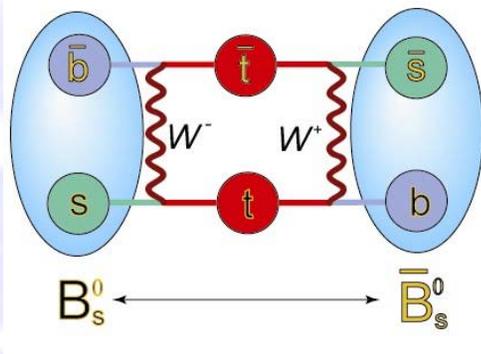
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# Kaon, Muon and EDM Experiments Deeply Attack the Flavor Problem

Why don't we see the *Terascale Physics we expect* affecting the flavor physics we study today??



**-Measures of the “Flavor” problem-  
Generic couplings in new physics push the mass scale very  
high.... TeV scale new physics corresponds to highly  
constrained and tuned couplings of new physics**

Operator	Bounds on $\Lambda$ [TeV] ( $C = 1$ )		Bounds on $C$ ( $\Lambda = 1$ TeV)		Observables
	Re	Im	Re	Im	
$(\bar{s}_L \gamma^\mu d_L)^2$	$9.8 \times 10^2$	$1.6 \times 10^4$	$9.0 \times 10^{-7}$	$3.4 \times 10^{-9}$	$\Delta m_K; \epsilon_K$
$(\bar{s}_R d_L)(\bar{s}_L d_R)$	$1.8 \times 10^4$	$3.2 \times 10^5$	$6.9 \times 10^{-9}$	$2.6 \times 10^{-11}$	$\Delta m_K; \epsilon_K$
$(\bar{c}_L \gamma^\mu u_L)^2$	$1.2 \times 10^3$	$2.9 \times 10^3$	$5.6 \times 10^{-7}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-7}$	$\Delta m_D;  q/p , \phi_D$
$(\bar{c}_R u_L)(\bar{c}_L u_R)$	$6.2 \times 10^3$	$1.5 \times 10^4$	$5.7 \times 10^{-8}$	$1.1 \times 10^{-8}$	$\Delta m_D;  q/p , \phi_D$
$(\bar{b}_L \gamma^\mu d_L)^2$	$5.1 \times 10^2$	$9.3 \times 10^2$	$3.3 \times 10^{-6}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-6}$	$\Delta m_{B_d}; S_{\psi K_S}$
$(\bar{b}_R d_L)(\bar{b}_L d_R)$	$1.9 \times 10^3$	$3.6 \times 10^3$	$5.6 \times 10^{-7}$	$1.7 \times 10^{-7}$	$\Delta m_{B_d}; S_{\psi K_S}$
$(\bar{b}_L \gamma^\mu s_L)^2$	$1.1 \times 10^2$	$2.2 \times 10^2$	$7.6 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.7 \times 10^{-5}$	$\Delta m_{B_s}; S_{\psi \phi}$
$(\bar{b}_R s_L)(\bar{b}_L s_R)$	$3.7 \times 10^2$	$7.4 \times 10^2$	$1.3 \times 10^{-5}$	$3.0 \times 10^{-6}$	$\Delta m_{B_s}; S_{\psi \phi}$

**Table 1-1.** Bounds on  $\Delta F = 2$  operators of the form  $(C/\Lambda^2) \mathcal{O}$ , with  $\mathcal{O}$  given in the first column. The bounds on  $\Lambda$  assume  $C = 1$ , and the bounds on  $C$  assume  $\Lambda = 1$  TeV. (From Ref. [8].)

From the heavy quark working group writeup summarizing the  
Intensity Frontier Workshop  
(<http://www.intensityfrontier.org/>)

# In the absence of new facilities enabling new experiments...



From Hitoshi Murayama , ICFA October 2011

# New facilities drive the Synergy between Experimental Frontiers to directly confront theory...

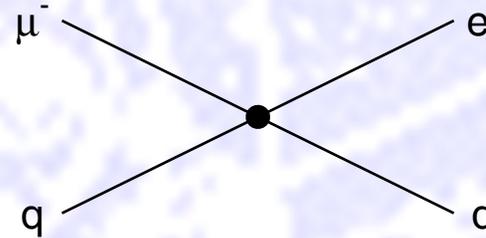
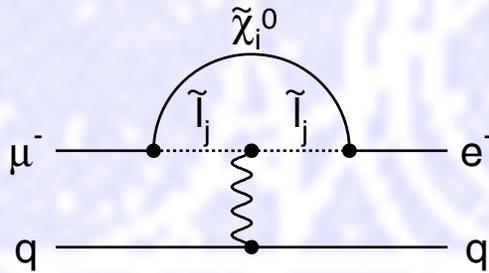


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# Deepest Probe of the Flavor Problem: muon-to-electron Conversion Expt at Project-X

Supersymmetry

Predictions at  $10^{-15}$

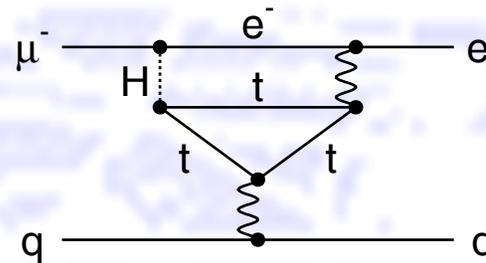
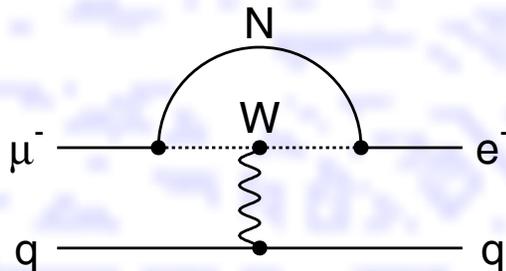


Compositeness

$$\Lambda_C = 3000 \text{ TeV}$$

Heavy Neutrinos

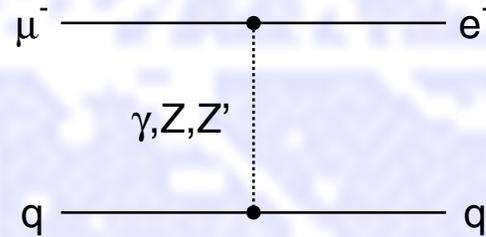
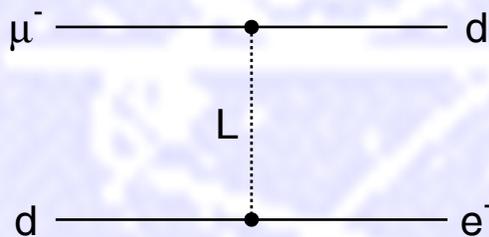
$$|U_{\mu N}^* U_{eN}|^2 = 8 \times 10^{-13}$$



Second Higgs doublet

$$g_{H_{\mu e}} = 10^{-4} \times g_{H_{\mu\mu}}$$

Leptoquarks



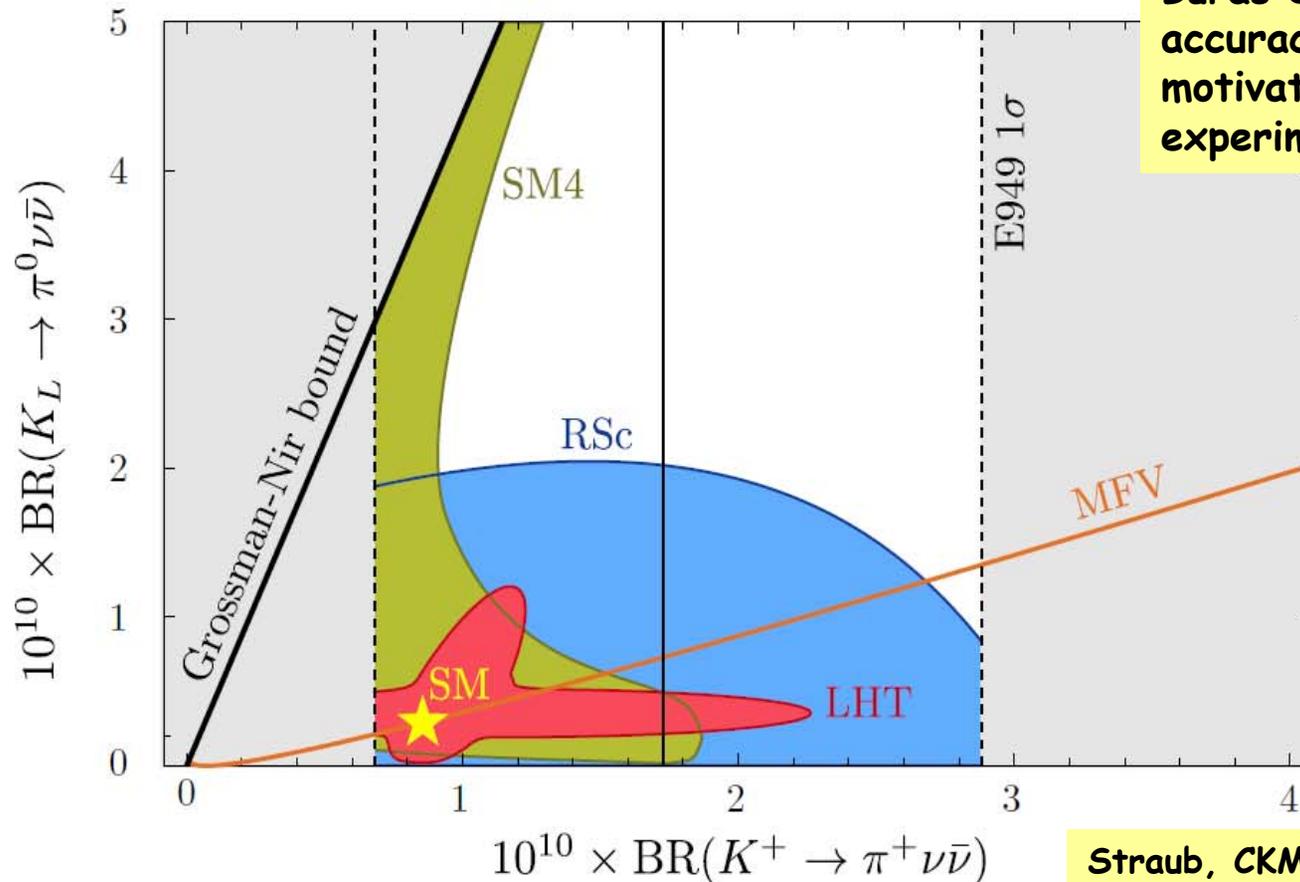
Heavy  $Z'$ ,  
Anomalous  $Z$   
coupling

$$M_{Z'} = 3000 \text{ TeV}/c^2$$

$$B(Z \rightarrow \mu e) < 10^{-17}$$

After W. Marciano

# Rare processes sensitive to new physics... Warped Extra Dimensions as a Theory of Flavor??



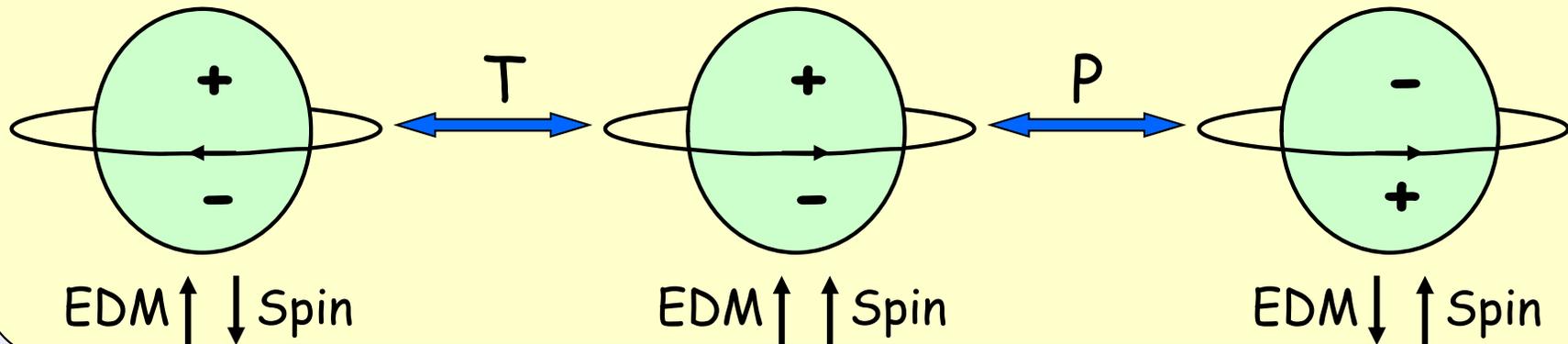
Buras et al. SM accuracy of  $<5\%$ , motivates 1000-event experiments

Straub, CKM 2010 workshop (arXiv:1012.3893v2)

Figure 1: Correlation between the branching ratios of  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$  and  $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$  in MFV and three concrete NP models. The gray area is ruled out experimentally or model-independently by the GN bound. The SM point is marked by a star.

# The Quest for Electric Dipole Moments

A permanent EDM violates both time-reversal symmetry and parity



**To understand the origin of the symmetry violations, you need many experiments!**

Neutron

Quark EDM

Diamagnetic Atoms  
(Hg, Xe, Ra, Rn)

Quark Chromo-EDM

Physics beyond  
the Standard  
Model:  
SUSY, Strings ...

Paramagnetic Atoms (Tl, Fr)  
Molecules (PbO)

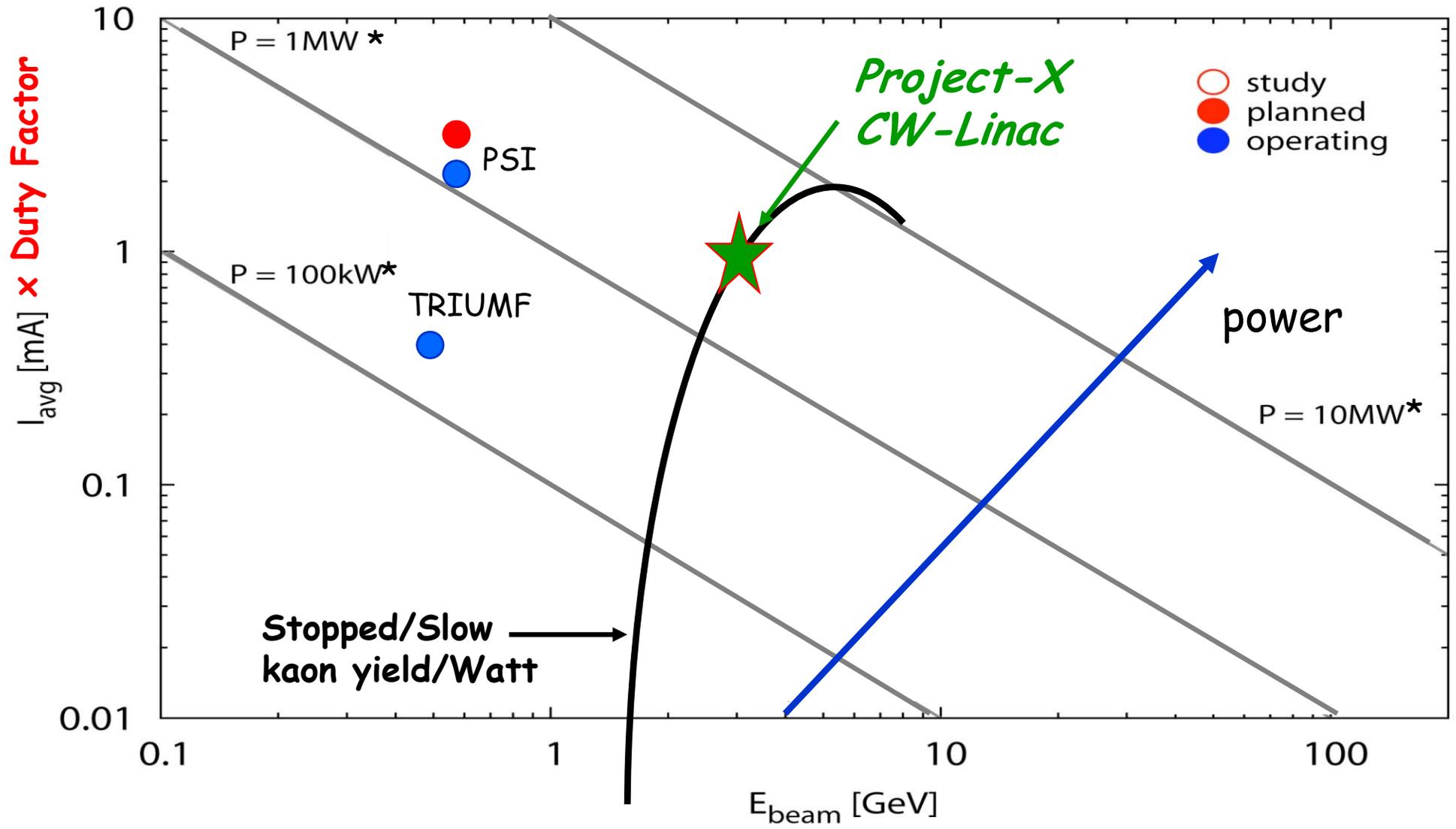
Electron EDM

Guy Savard, ANL

# This Science has attracted Competition: The Proton Source Landscape This Decade...

- Pulsed machines driving neutrino horns:  
SPS (0.5 MW), Main Injector ( 0.3 MW now, 0.7 MW for Nova),  
JPARC (plan for 1.7 MW)
- Cyclotrons and synchrotrons driving muon programs  
PSI (1.3 MW, 600 MeV), JPARC RCS (0.1-0.3 MW)
- Synchrotrons driving kaon physics programs.  
SPS (0.015 MW), JPARC (goal of >0.1 MW), Tevatron (0.1 MW)
- Linear machines driving nuclear and neutron programs:  
SNS, LANL, FRIB....not providing CW light-nuclei beams.

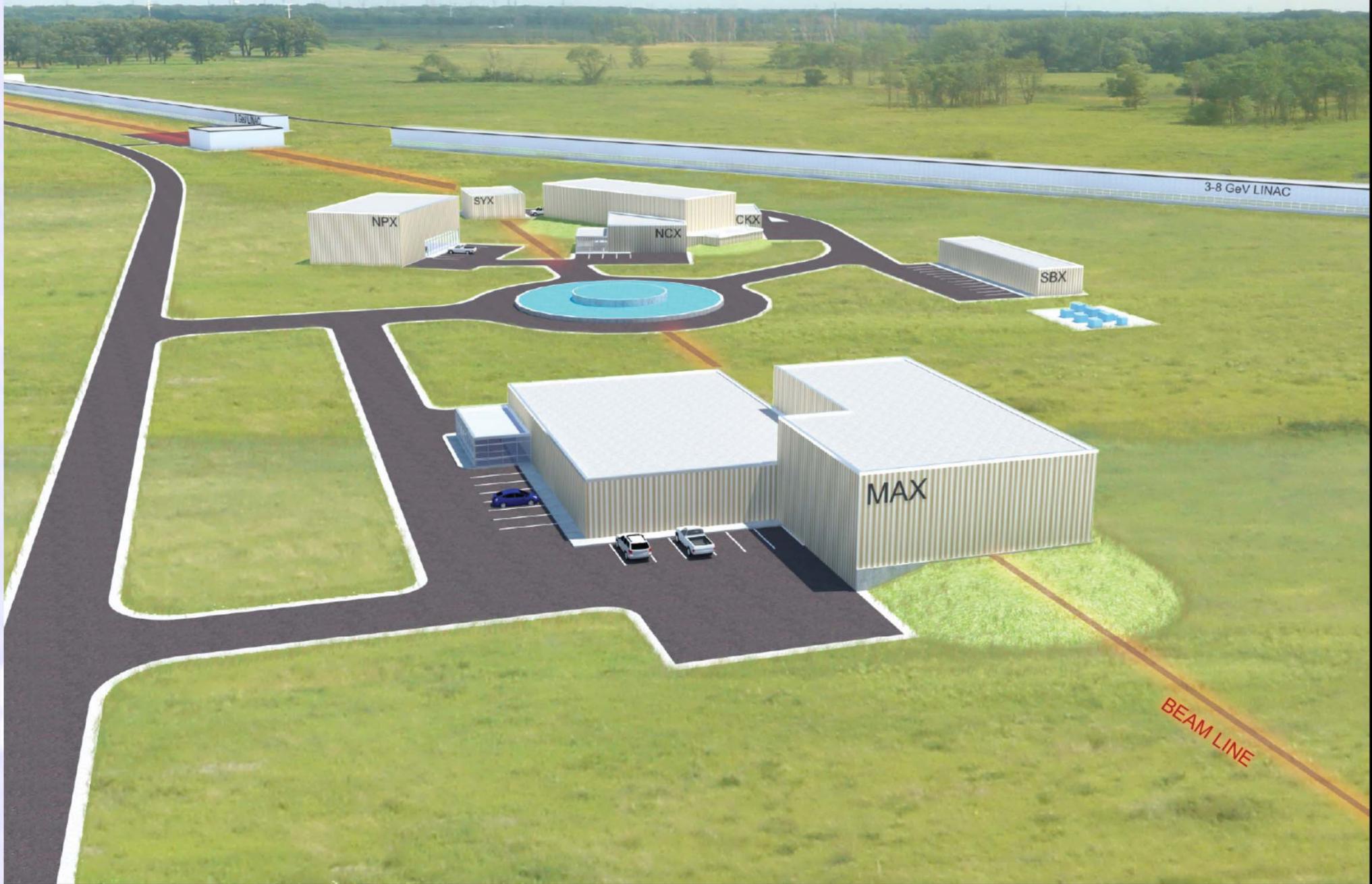
# The High Duty Factor Proton Source Landscape This Decade...



\* Beam power  $\times$  Duty Factor



# Project-X Rare Processes Research Campus



# Project-X Accelerator Functional Requirements

## CW Linac

Particle Type	H <sup>-</sup>
Beam Kinetic Energy	3.0 GeV
Average Beam Current	1 mA
Linac pulse rate	CW
Beam Power	3000 kW
Beam Power to 3 GeV program	2870 kW

## RCS/Pulsed Linac

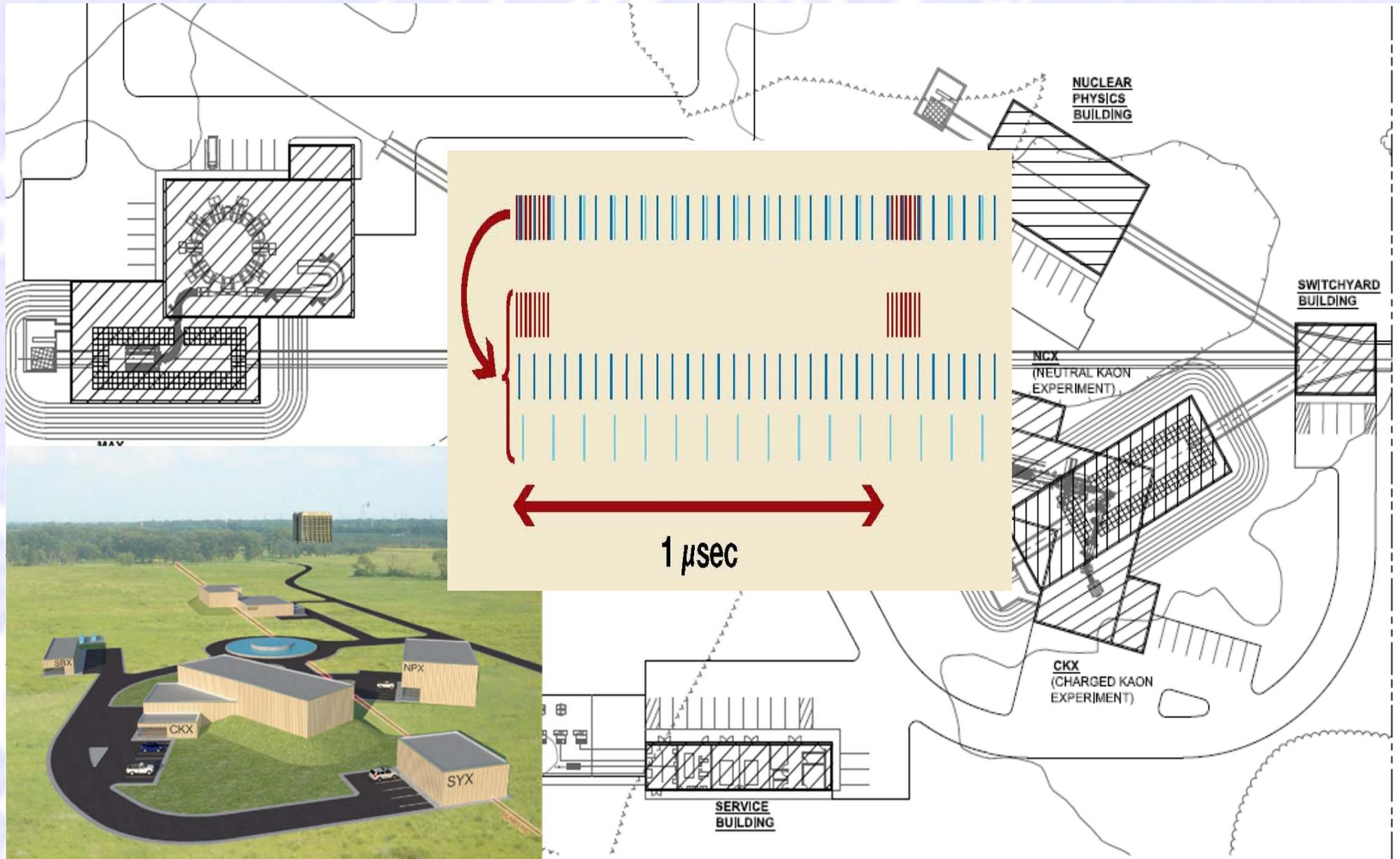
Particle Type	protons/H <sup>-</sup>
Beam Kinetic Energy	8.0 GeV
Pulse rate	10 Hz
Pulse Width	0.002/4.3 msec
Cycles to MI	6
Particles per cycle to Recycler	$2.6 \times 10^{13}$
Beam Power to 8 GeV program	190 kW

## Main Injector/Recycler

Beam Kinetic Energy (maximum)	120 GeV
Cycle time	1.3 sec
Particles per cycle	$1.6 \times 10^{14}$
Beam Power at 120 GeV	2200 kW

simultaneous

# Near Term R&D: Demonstrate Wide Band Chopper Capability





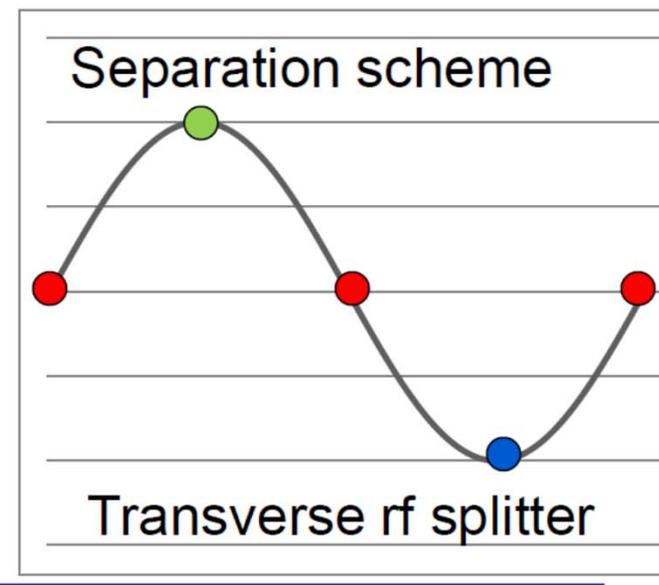
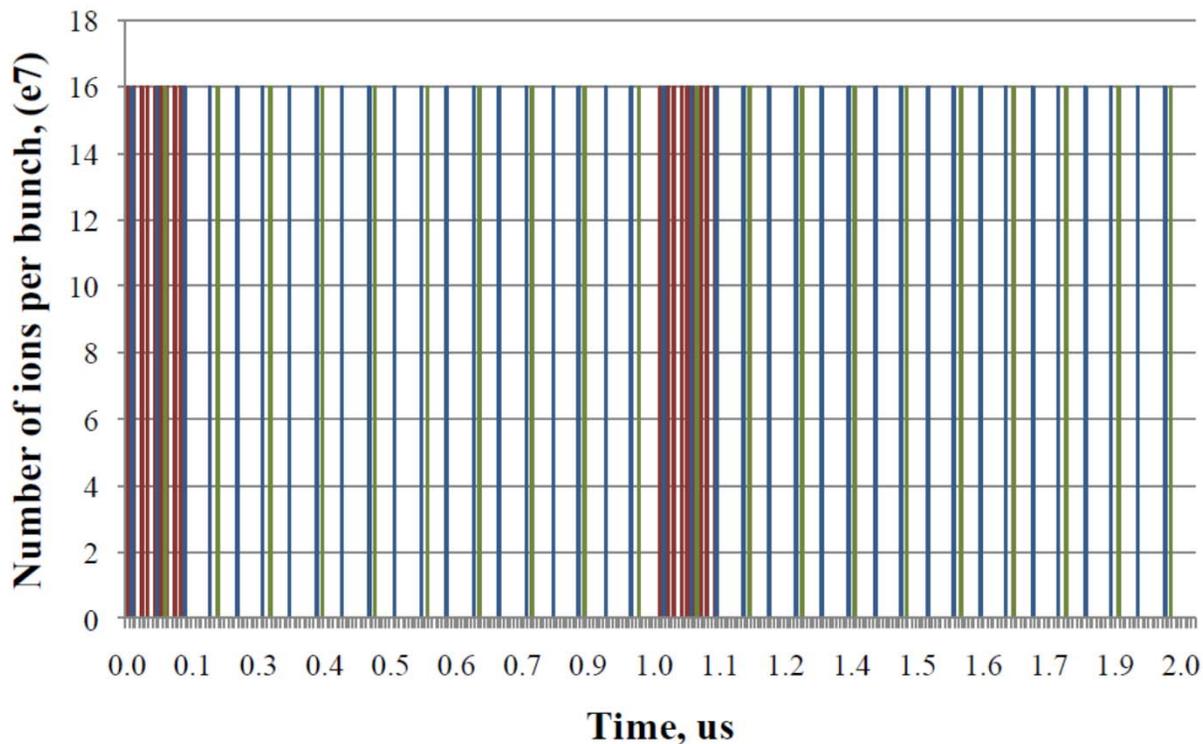
# Chopping and splitting for 3-GeV experiments

1  $\mu$ sec period at 3 GeV

Muon pulses (16e7)	81.25 MHz, 100 nsec at 1 MHz	700 kW
Kaon pulses (16e7)	20.3 MHz	1540 kW
Nuclear pulses (16e7)	10.15 MHz	770 kW

Ion source and RFQ operate at 4.2 mA

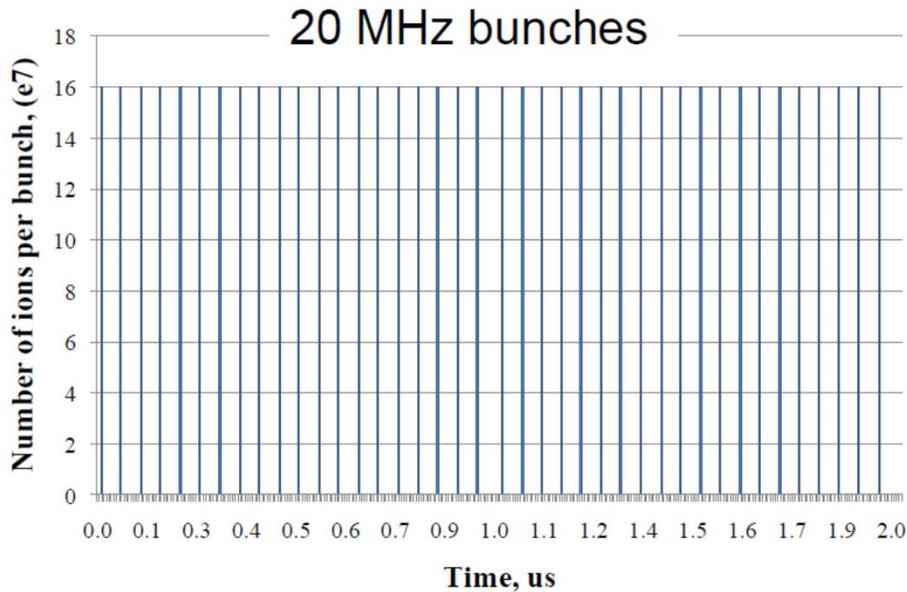
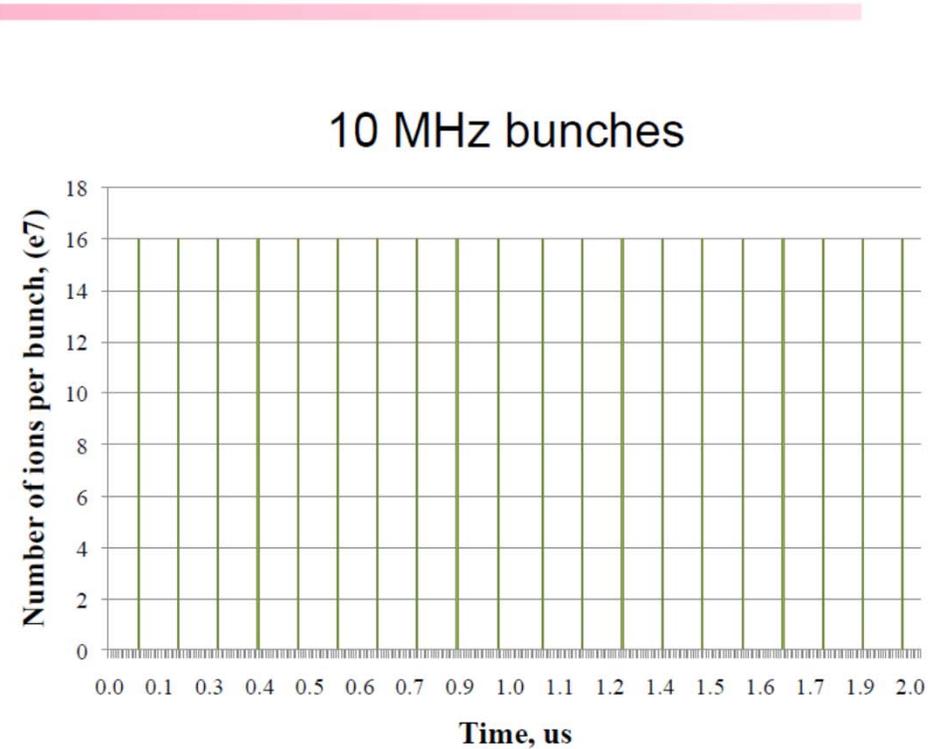
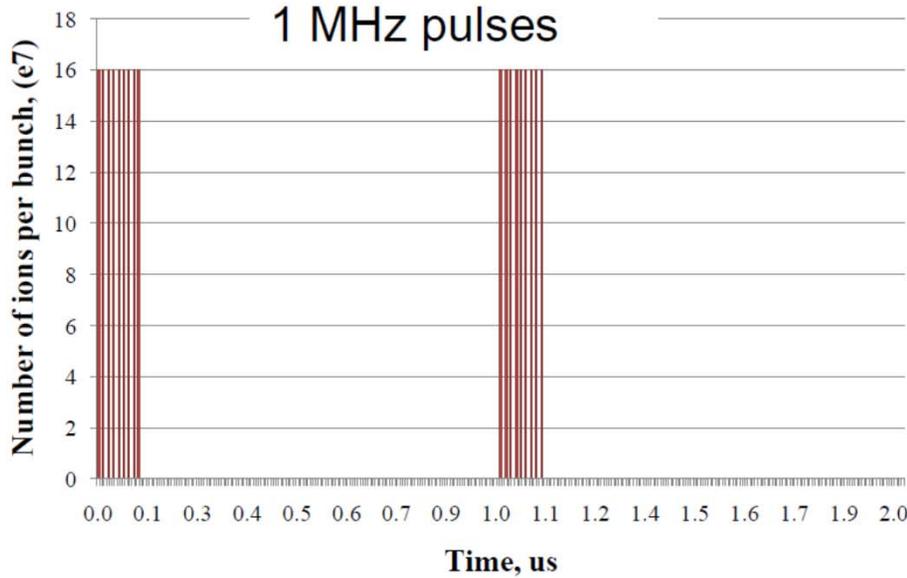
75% of bunches are chopped at 2.5 MeV after RFQ



Courtesy of Nagaitsev



# Beam after splitter



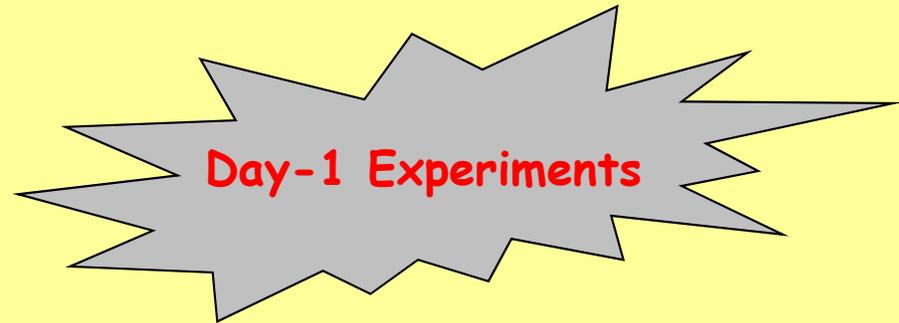
The "PXIE" R&D project develops the LEBT & MEBT technology to validate this opportunity.

Courtesy of Nagaitsev

# An Incomplete Menu of World Class Research Targets Enabled by Project-X

## Neutrino Physics:

- **Mass Hierarchy**
- **CP violation**
- **Precision measurement of the  $\theta_{23}$  (atmospheric mixing). Maximal??**
- Anomalous interactions, e.g.  $\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{\tau}$  probed with target emulsions (Madrid Neutrino NSI Workshop, Dec 2009)
- Search for sterile neutrinos, CP & CPT violating effects in next generation  $\nu_e, \bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow X$  experiments...x3 beam power @ 120 GeV, x10-x20 power @ 8 GeV.
- Next generation precision cross section measurements.



# An Incomplete Menu of World Class Research Targets Enabled by Project-X

## Muon Physics:

Day-1 Experiment

- Next generation muon-to-electron conversion experiment, new techniques for higher sensitivity and/or other nuclei.
- Next generation  $(g-2)_\mu$  if motivated by next round, theory, LHC. New techniques proposed to JPARC that are beam-power hungry...
- $\mu$  edm
- $\mu \rightarrow 3e$
- $\mu^+ e^- \rightarrow \mu^- e^+$
- $\mu^- A \rightarrow \mu^+ A'$  ;  $\mu^- A \rightarrow e^+ A'$  ;  $\mu^- e^-(A) \rightarrow e^- e^-(A)$
- Systematic study of radiative muon capture on nuclei.

# An Incomplete Menu of World Class Research Targets Enabled by Project-X

## Kaon Physics:

Possible Day-1 Experiments

- $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$ : >1000 events, Precision rate and form factor.
- $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$ : 1000 events, enabled by high flux & precision TOF.
- $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \nu$ : Measurement of T-violating muon polarization.
- $K^+ \rightarrow (\pi, \mu)^+ \nu_\chi$ : Search for anomalous heavy neutrinos.
- $K^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$ : <10% measurement of CP violating amplitude.
- $K^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-$ : <10% measurement of CP violating amplitude.
- $K^0 \rightarrow X$ : Precision study of a pure  $K^0$  interferometer:  
Reaching out to the Plank scale ( $\Delta m_K / m_K \sim 1/m_P$ )
- $K^0, K^+ \rightarrow L F V$ : Next generation Lepton Flavor Violation experiments  
...and more

# An Incomplete Menu of World Class Research Targets Enabled by Project-X

Possible Day-1 Experiment

## Nuclear Enabled Particle Physics:

- Production of Ra, Rd, Fr isotopes for nuclear edm experiments that are uniquely sensitive to Quark-Chromo and electron EDM's. Production of Very-cold and Ultra-cold neutrons for EDM and  $n$ - $n$ bar.

## Baryon Physics:

- $pp \rightarrow \bar{\Sigma}^+ K^0 p^+$ ;  $\Sigma^+ \rightarrow p^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$  (HyperCP anomaly, and other rare  $\Sigma^+$  decays)
- $pp \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda^0 p^+$ ;  $\Lambda^0$  ultra rare decays
- neutron - antineutron oscillations
- $\Lambda^0 \leftrightarrow \bar{\Lambda}^0$  oscillations (Project-X operates below anti-baryon threshold)
- neutron EDMs

# Beam Power Profile for the Fermilab Research Program

Program:	Stage-0: Proton Improvement Plan	Stage-1: 1 GeV CW Linac driving Booster & Muon Campus	Stage-2: Upgrade to 3 GeV CW Linac	Stage-3: Project X RDR	Stage-4: Beyond RDR: 8 GeV power upgrade to 4MW
MI neutrinos	490-700 kW	700-1200 kW	700-1200 kW	1900-2300 kW	1900-2300 kW
8 GeV Neutrinos	10 kW	10 kW	10 kW	85 kW	3000 kW
8 GeV Muon program e.g. (g-2), Mu2e-1	15 kW	15 kW	15 kW	85 kW	1000 kW
1-3 GeV Muon program		50 kW	1000 kW	1000 kW	1000 kW
Kaon Program	50 kW (30% df from MI)	75 kW (MI)	1100 kW	1100 kW	1100 kW
Nuclear edm ISOL program	none	300 kW	300 kW	300 kW	300 kW
Ultra-cold neutron program	none	300 kW	300 kW	300 kW	300 kW
Nuclear technology applications	none	300 kW	300 kW	300 kW	300 kW
# Programs:	4	8	8	8	8
Total power (mean):	625 kW	2000 kW	3975 kW	5290 kW	9100 kW



Impact of  
Project X on  
LBNE

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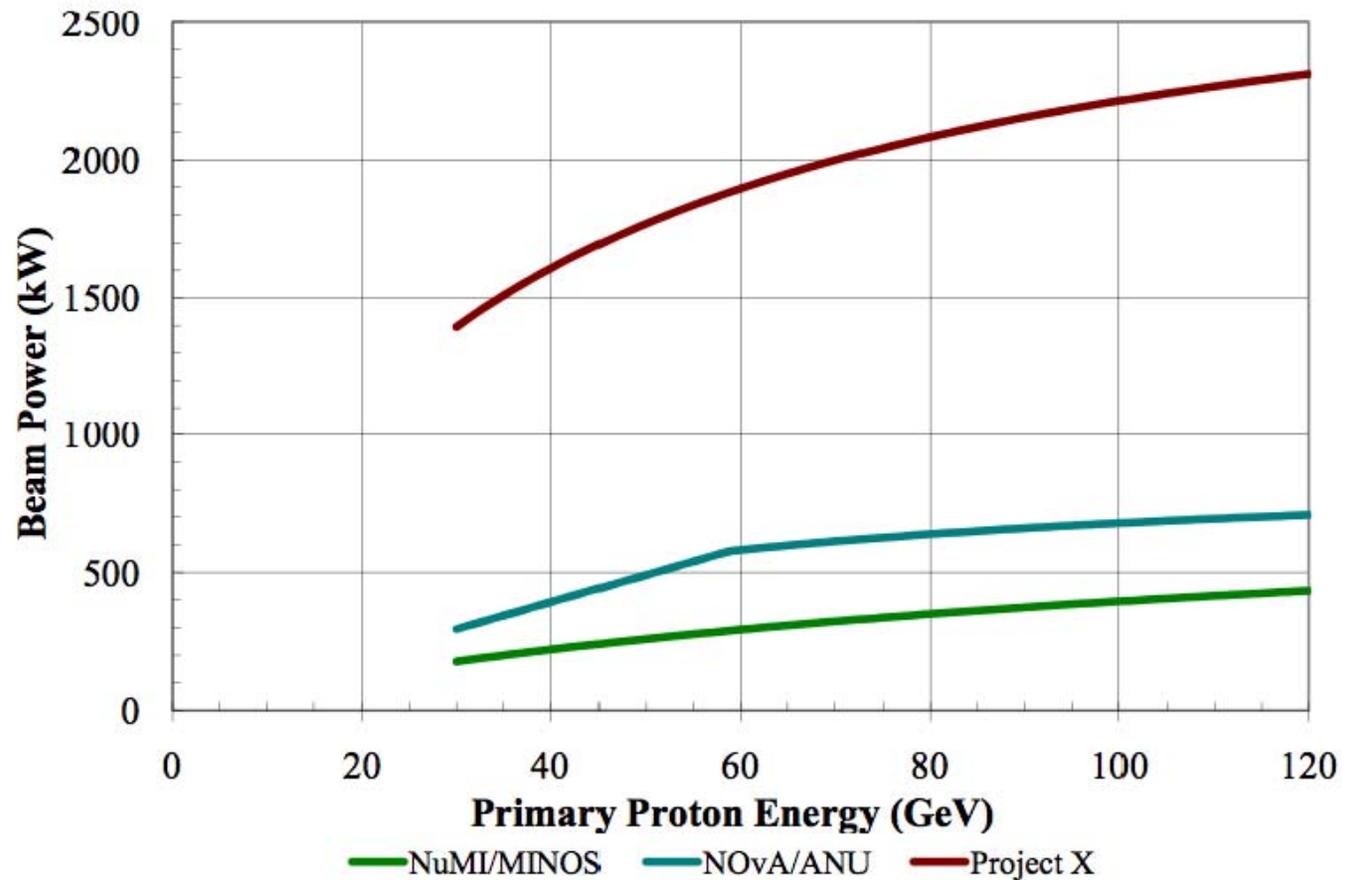
LBNE Beams

LBNE  
Detectors

Beam Physics  
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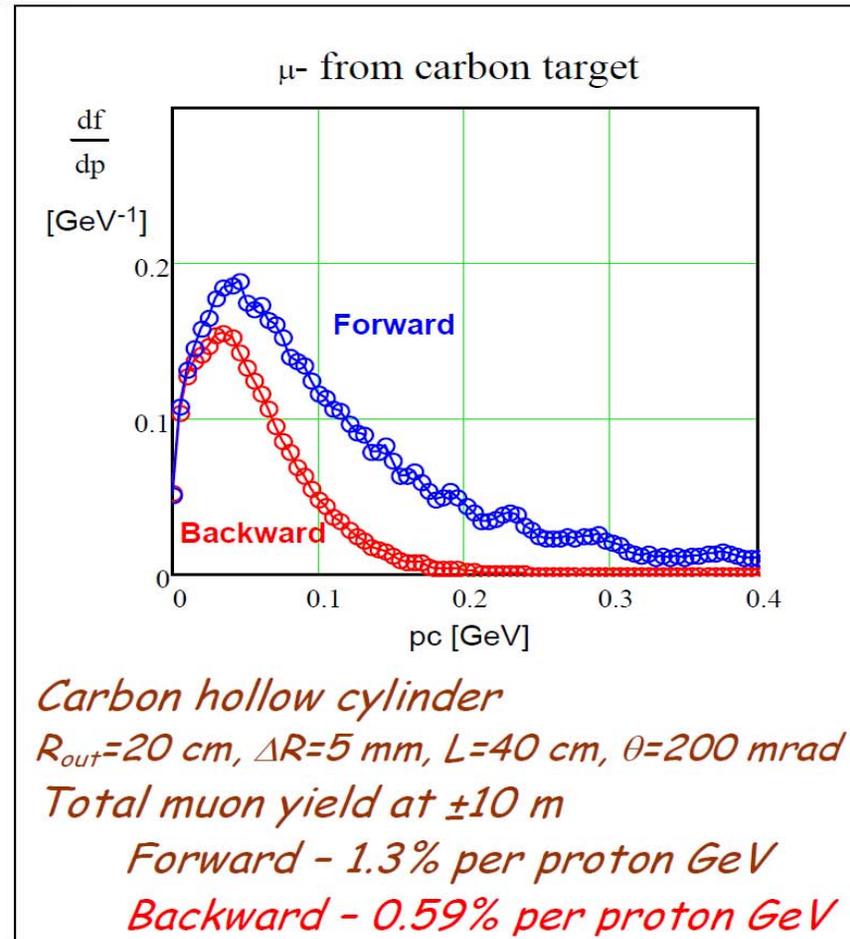
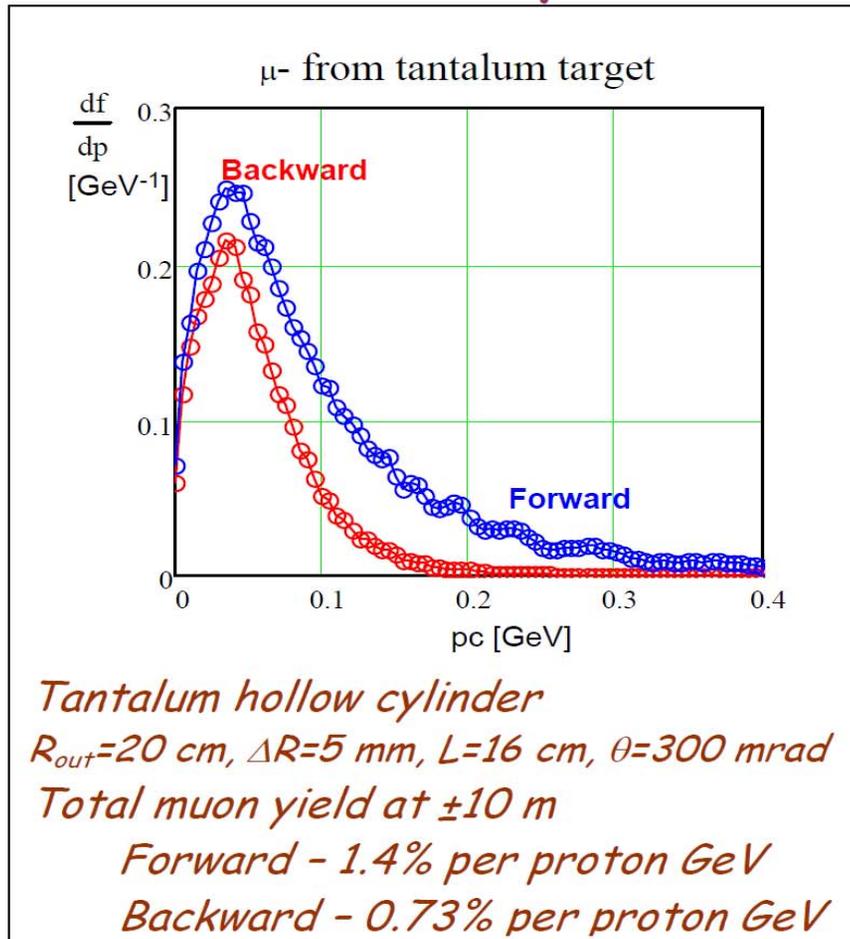
**With Project X:**



# Muon Yields with High Power Compact Targets...

## Muon Yield from Cylindrical Target

V. Lebedev, AAC meeting, Dec 2011



Yield per 1 GeV of proton energy:  $pc=3$  GeV / ( $E_{kin}=2.2$  GeV),

$\sigma_x = \sigma_y = 1$  mm - parallel beam, proton multiple scattering unaccounted

- Small difference between forward and backward muons for  $P_c < 50$  MeV
- For  $pc < 120$  MeV a weak dependence on  $E_{kin\_prot}$  for  $E_{kin\_prot} \in [1, 8]$  GeV/c

# The Mega-Watt Jungle...



Apologies to Jurassic Park and Hitoshi Murayama , ICFA October 2011

# A Few High Power Target Issues...

- Modelling of beam energy deposition
- Modelling of secondary particle production
- Modelling of target material response using FEA codes
- Target cooling or replacement
- Activation and radiation damage everywhere
- Thermal shock
- Target lifetime
- Particle capture, moderation and delivery
- Beam windows
- Target station design, inc. shielding, RH, licensing, etc
- Diagnostics in high radiation environments
- Demanding environmental and safety requirements

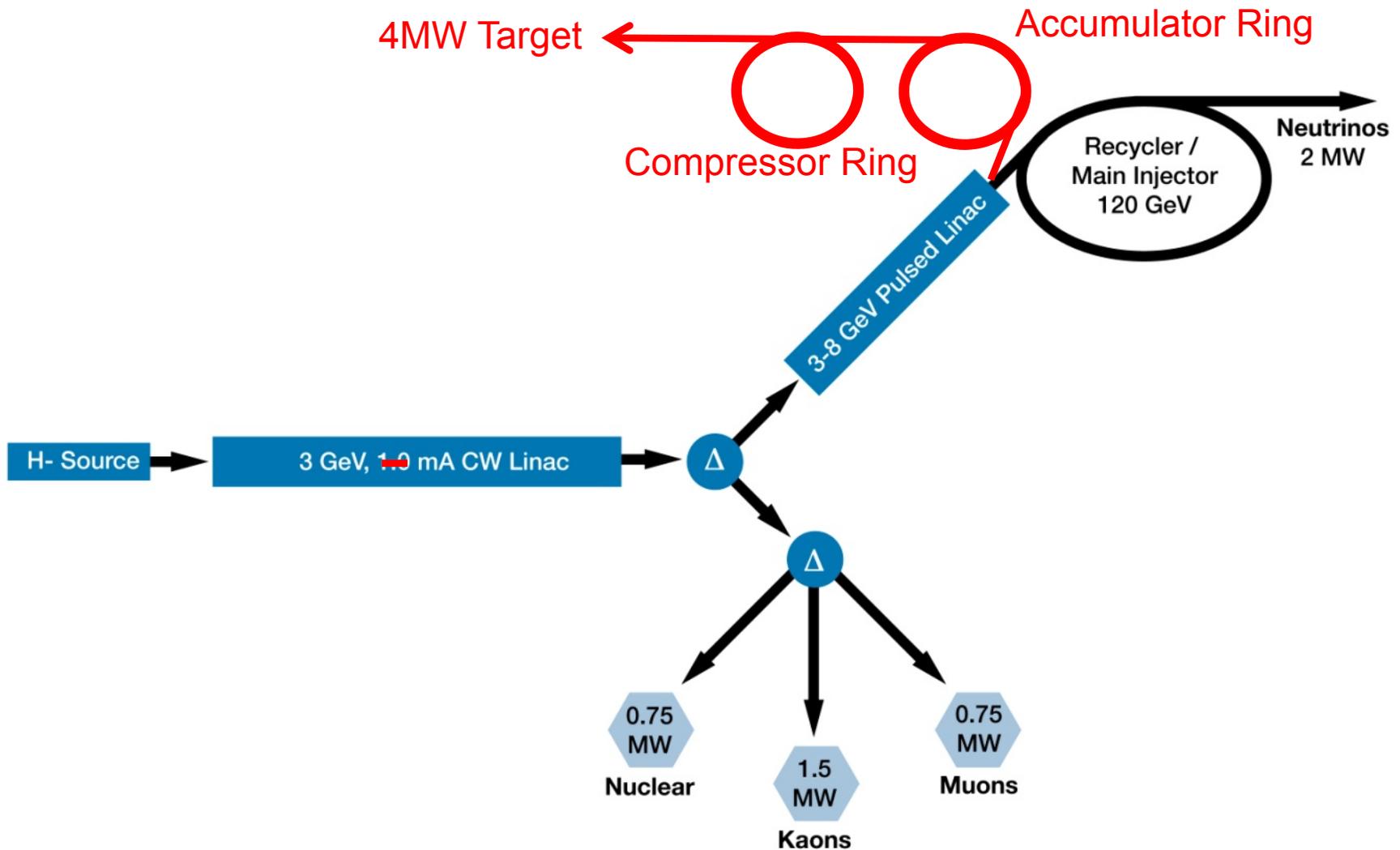
Courtesy Patrick Hurh and the UKHPT/STFC

# Summary

- Project X is the driving force of the Intensity Frontier roadmap at Fermilab and a platform from which to reach toward the Muon Collider.
- The Project X research program deeply attacks the central question in particle physics today, the question of “naturalness” and physics at the TeV scale and beyond.
- We need you. The success of the Fermilab roadmap depends critically on R&D toward next generation high power targetry and beamlines...these are the foundation of experiments in the US and world-wide program for decades to come.

# Spare Slides

# MAP Layout based upon Project X



# Project X Upgrade Proton Driver - 3

## Pulsed Linac

1.3GHz SRF

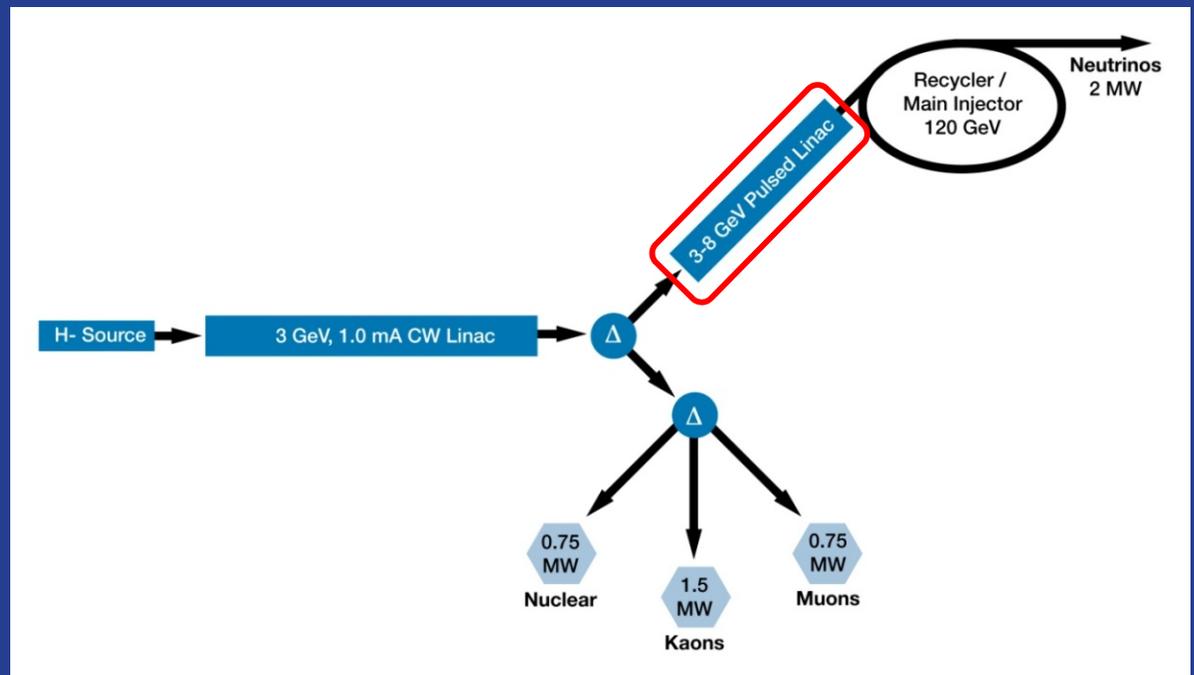
3-8 GeV

10% ~~5%~~ duty factor at ~~10Hz~~ 15Hz

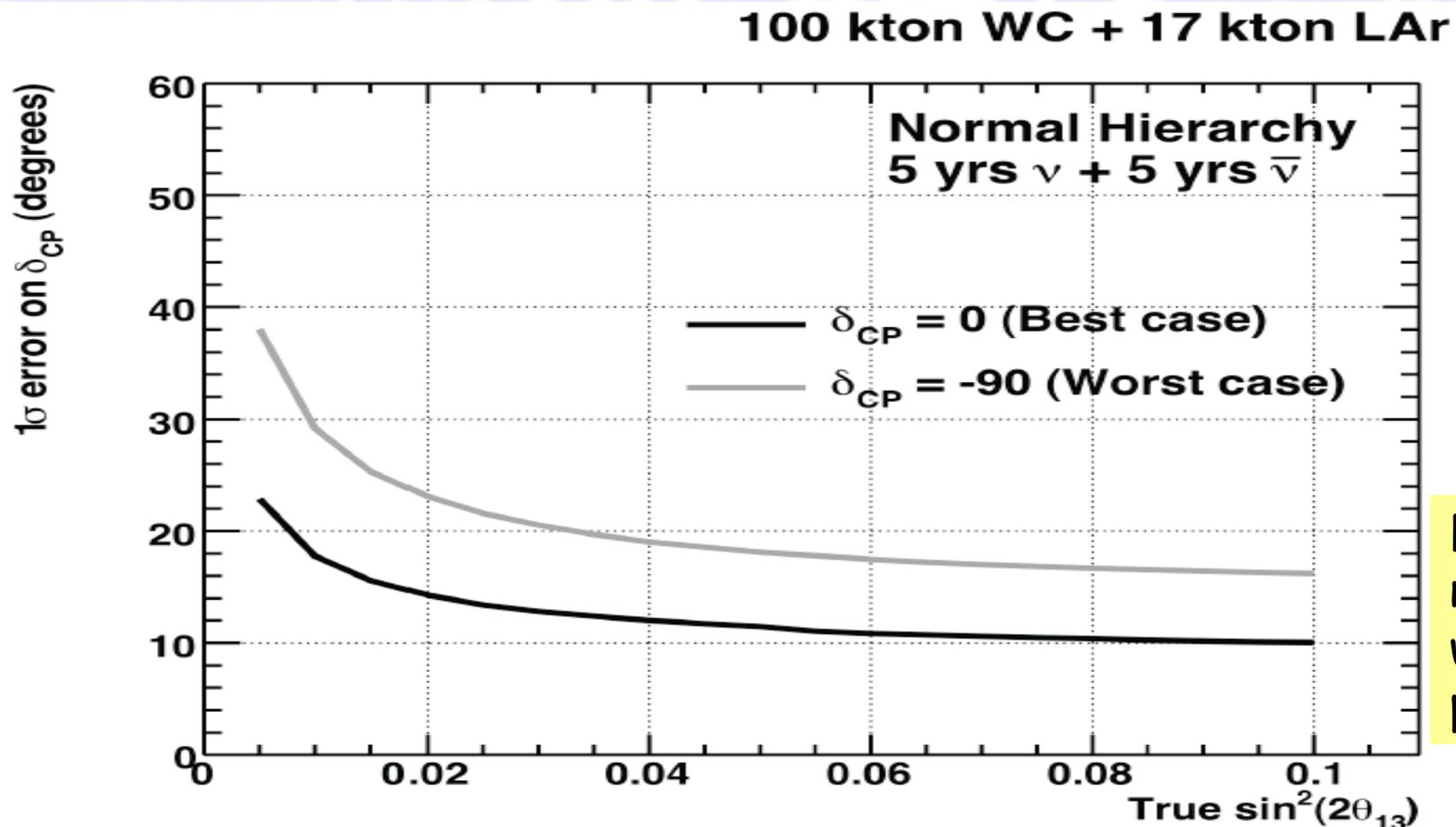
More RF power

Upgrade of couplers

More cryo capacity



# Pursuing next-generation neutrino parameters is beam-power hungry: Project-X *Triples* LBNE (Power x Mass) Reach



From the  
neutrino  
white  
paper

Figure 3: Plot showing 1 sigma error (in degrees) on  $\delta_{CP}$  at an LBNE far detector complex composed of a 100-kT water Cherenkov detector and a 17-kT liquid argon detector. The exposure assumes a 700-kW proton beam. [Plot courtesy of Lisa Whitehead, Brookhaven National Laboratory]

Future Detector 2 ■

# Short-Baseline Neutrino Workshop

12-14 May 2011

## Fermilab

Neutrino Source I

### Local Organizing Committee:

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Supported by Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory and Los Alamos National Laboratory

The workshop will cover recent short-baseline neutrino results, theoretical interpretations, future neutrino facilities, and future short baseline neutrino experiments. The goal of the workshop will be to discuss future facilities and experiments that can be built at Fermilab and elsewhere to explore short-baseline neutrino physics (including neutrino oscillations, CP violation, sterile neutrinos, axion searches, cross sections, etc.).

<https://indico.fnal.gov/event/sbnw2011>

## Project-X Opportunities

- Follow leads on 3+N sterile neutrinos:

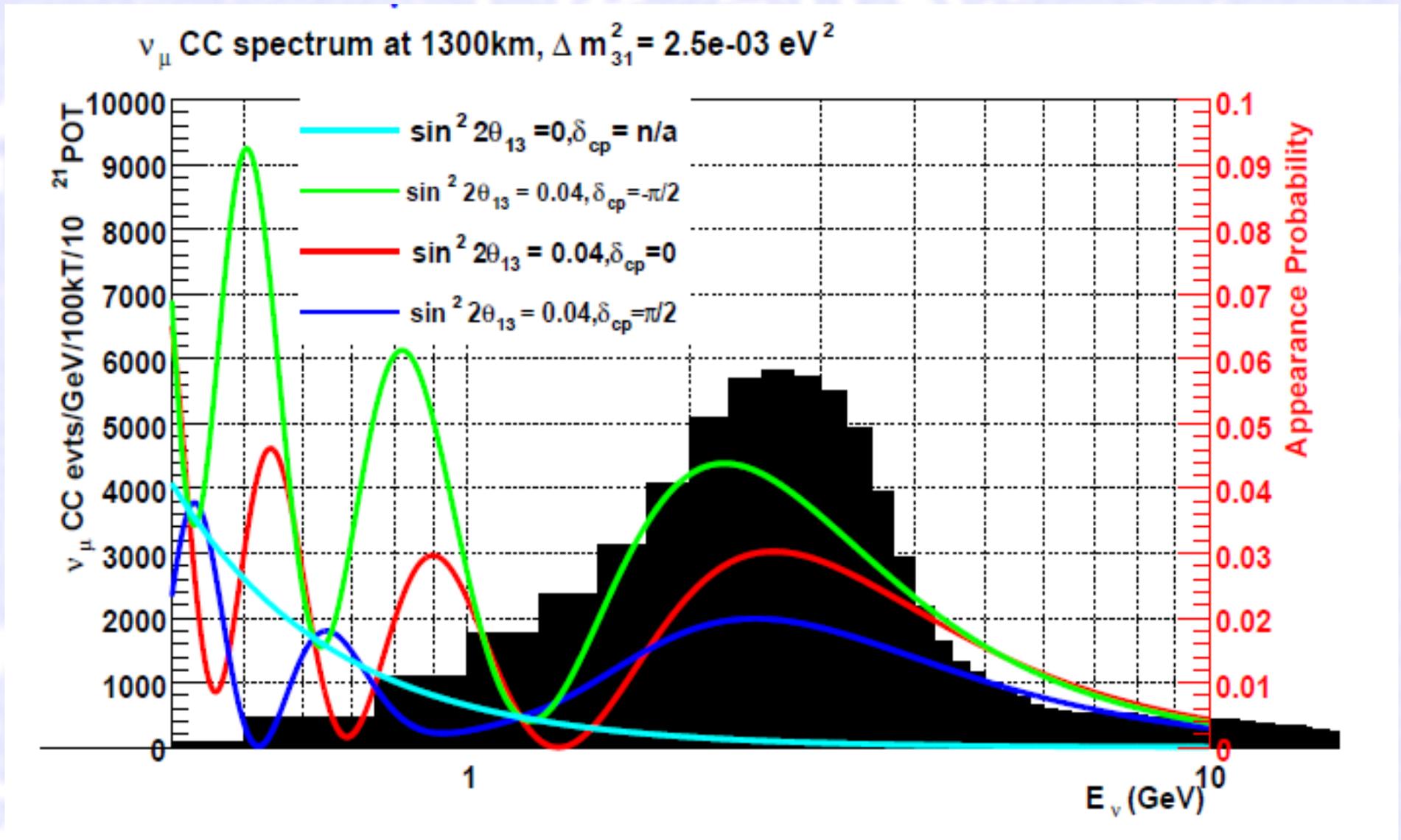
190 kW 8-GeV beam power  
1000 kW class 3-GeV DIF driver

Higher 8-GeV beam power??

- Beam dump exotics search
- Precision neutrino cross sections
- Flux measurements with H/D<sub>2</sub>

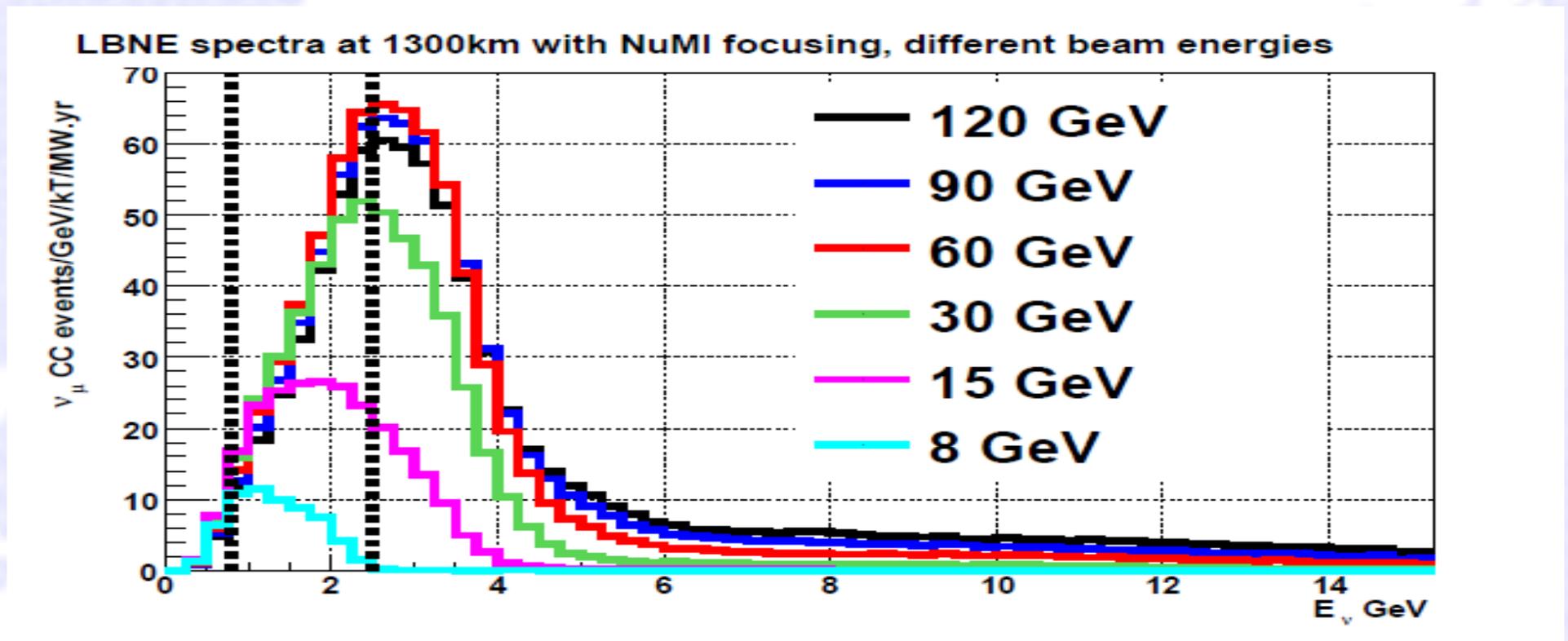
SBNW11 Summary : R. Van de Water (LANL)

# Tuning the LBNE spectrum



Mary Bishai, Neutrino Working Group meeting October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2011

- A task force (K. Gollwitzer) to develop a path from Project-X to a Neutrino-Factory/Muon-Collider has recently reported a concept to raise available 8 GeV beam power from 190kW to 4000kW! This path re-uses 75% of the Project-X facility.
- The joint reach of simultaneous 2MW@60 GeV and 4MW@8 GeV is very interesting. This idea has been long been considered (D Michael) and more recently by Mary Bishai and Jeff Nelson.



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Impact of Project X on LBNE

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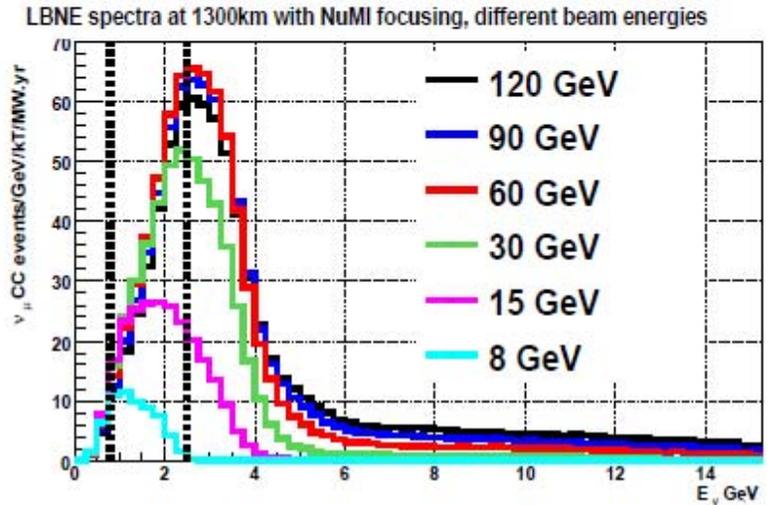
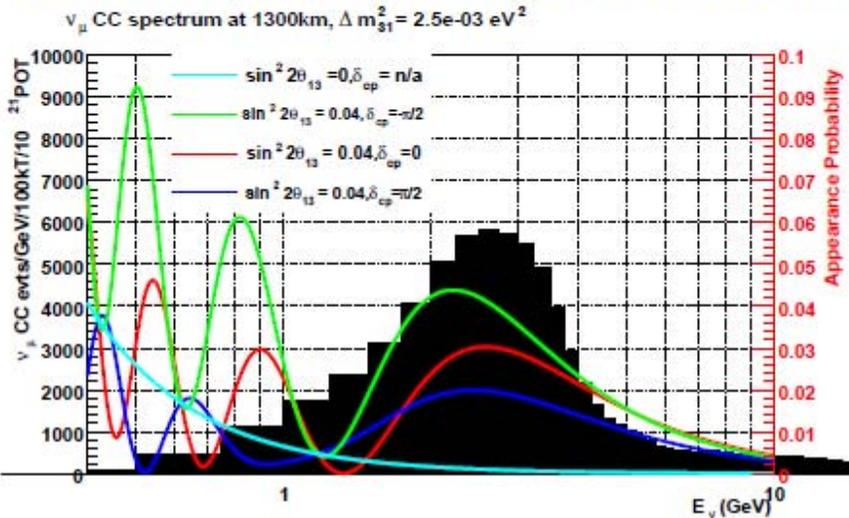
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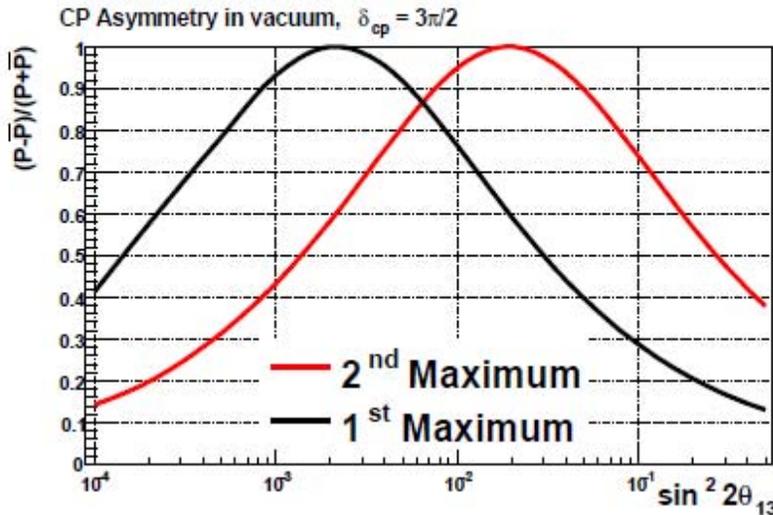
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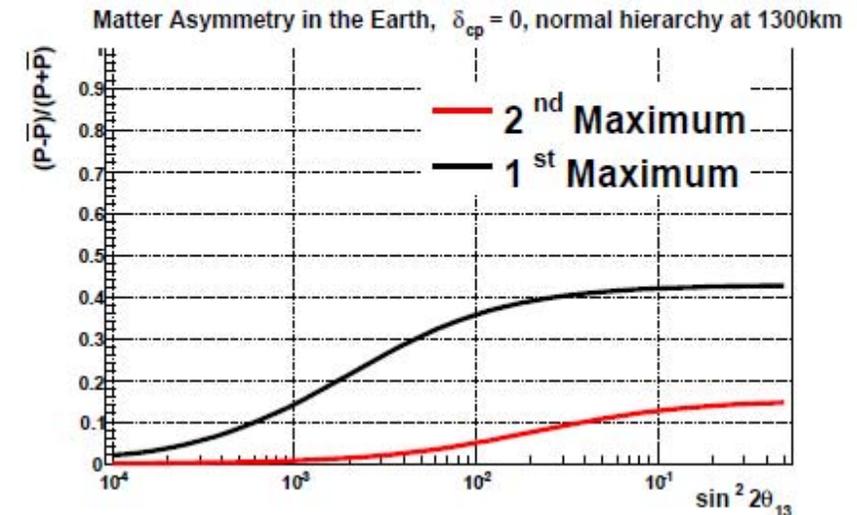
# Wide-band beam to cover BOTH oscillation maxima for best CP Violation/Mass Hierarchy sensitivity



## CP Asymmetry (vacuum)

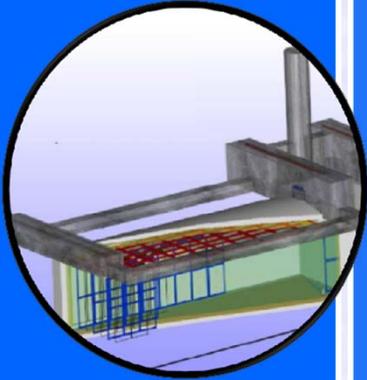


## Matter Asymmetry (no CPV)



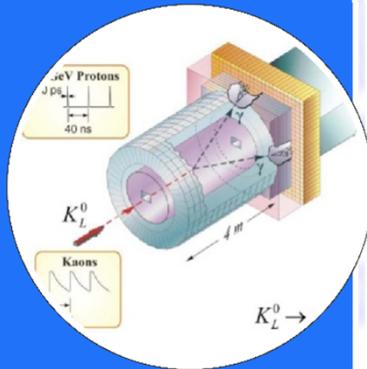
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# Project X: new experiments



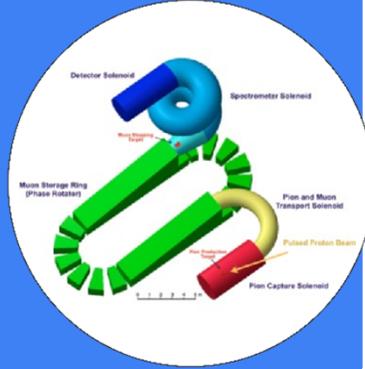
## Neutrinos

- Matter-antimatter asymmetry
- Neutrino mass spectrum
- Neutrino-antineutrino differences
- Anomalous interactions
- Proton decay
- SuperNova bursts



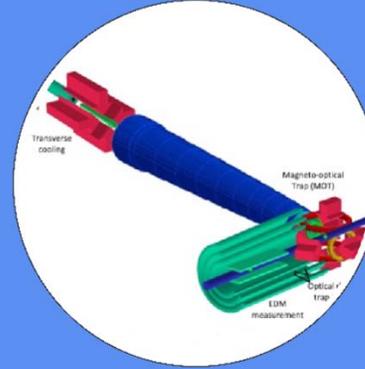
## Kaons

- Physics beyond the Standard Model
- Elucidation of LHC discoveries
- Two to three orders of magnitude increase in sensitivity



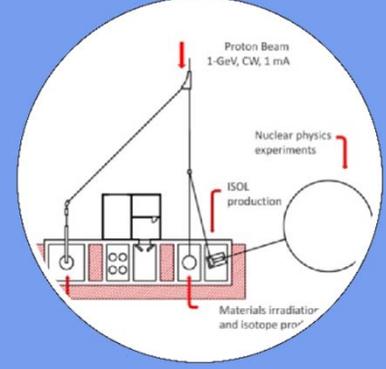
## Muons

- Oscillation in charged leptons
- Physics beyond the Standard Model
- Elucidation of LHC physics
- Sensitive to energy/mass scales three orders of magnitude beyond LHC



## Nuclei

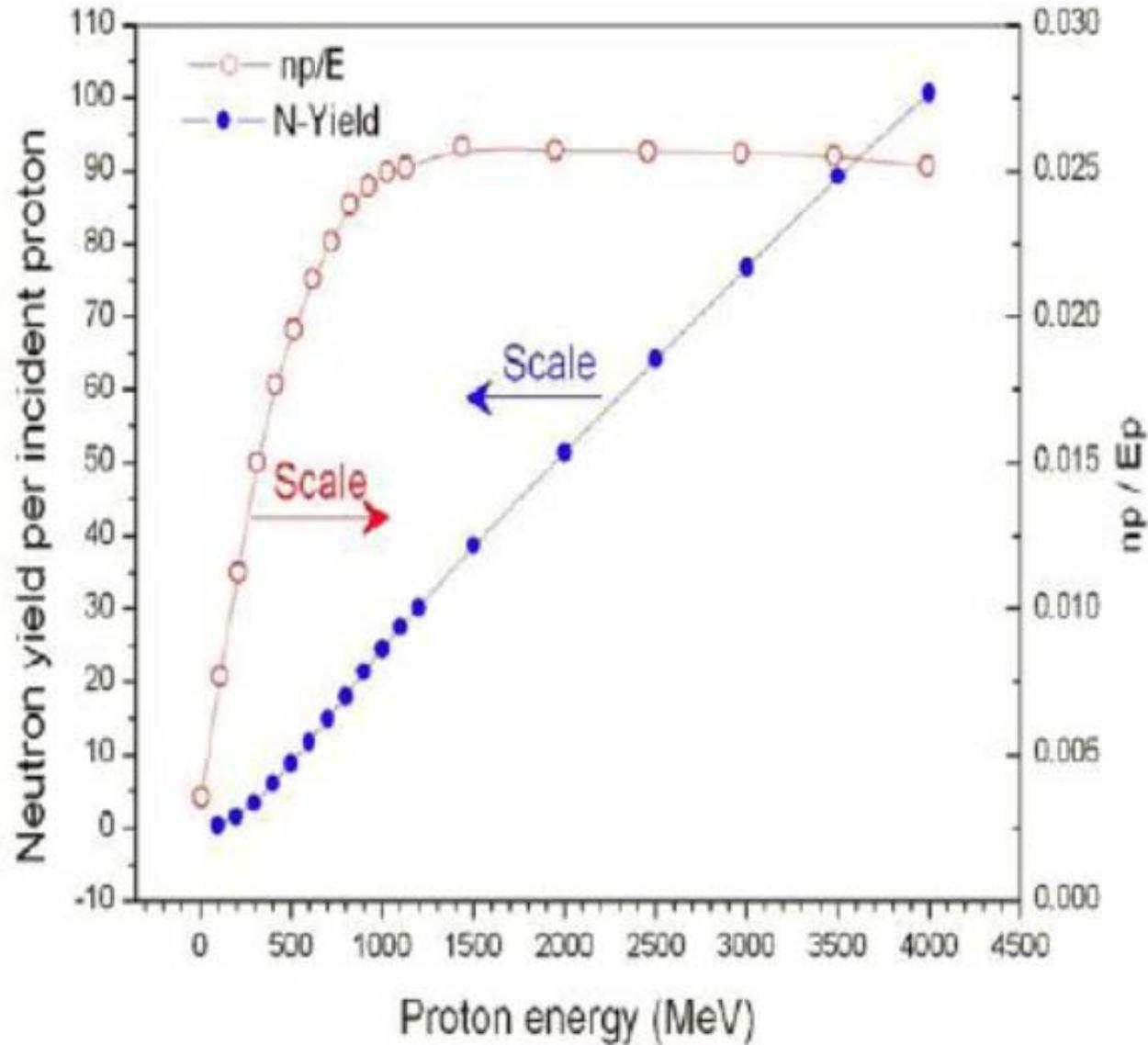
- New generation of symmetry-test experiments
- Electric Dipole Moments
- Three or more orders of magnitude increase in Francium, Radium, Actinium isotopes



## Energy Applications

- Transmutation experiments with nuclear waste
- Spallation target configurations
- Materials test under high irradiation
- Neutron fluxes relevant to ADS

# Optimum Energy for ADS R&D

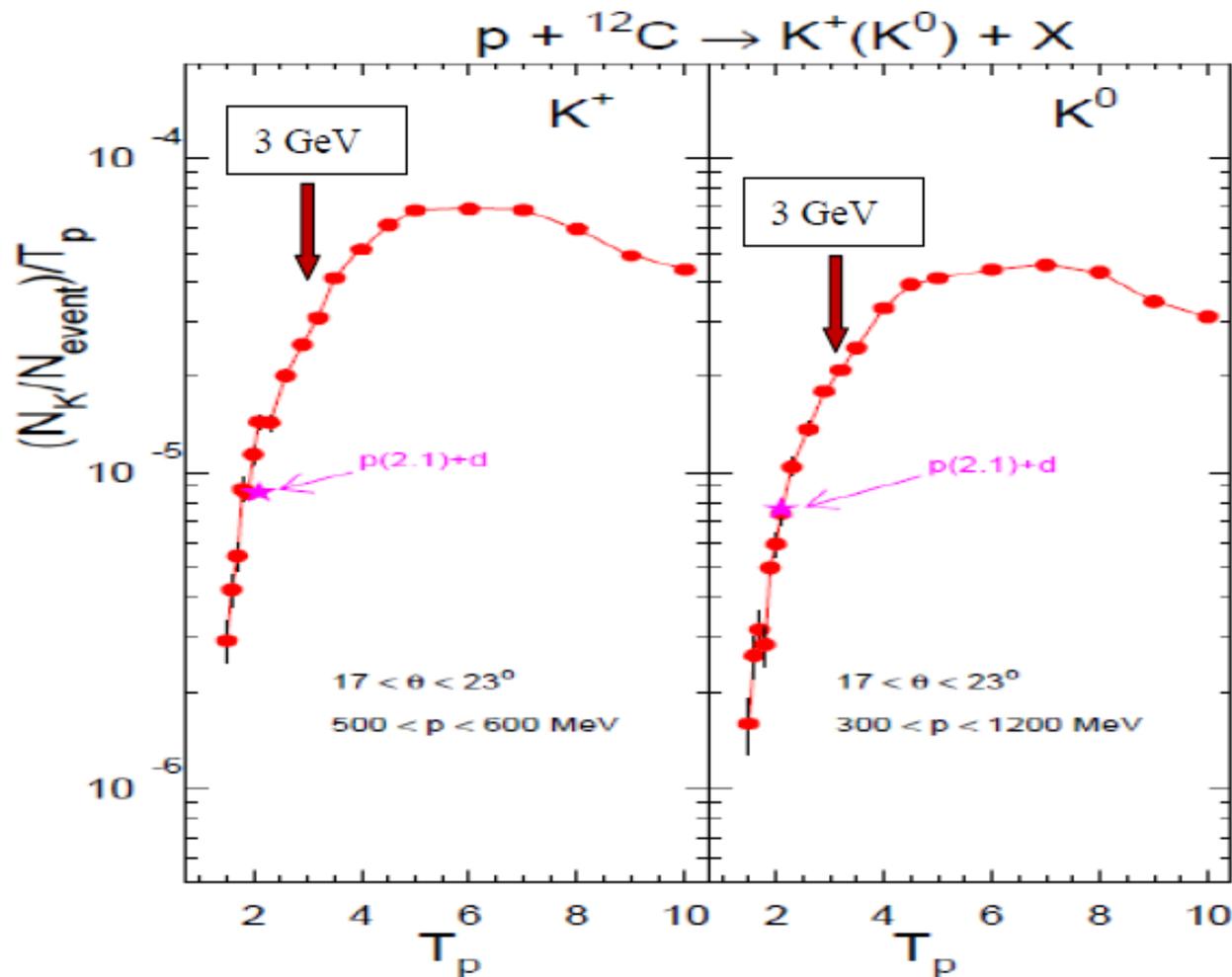


# *High Duty-Factor Proton Beams*

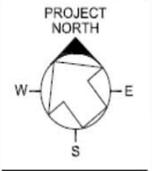
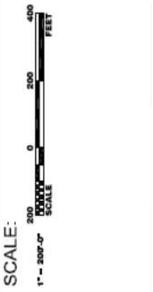
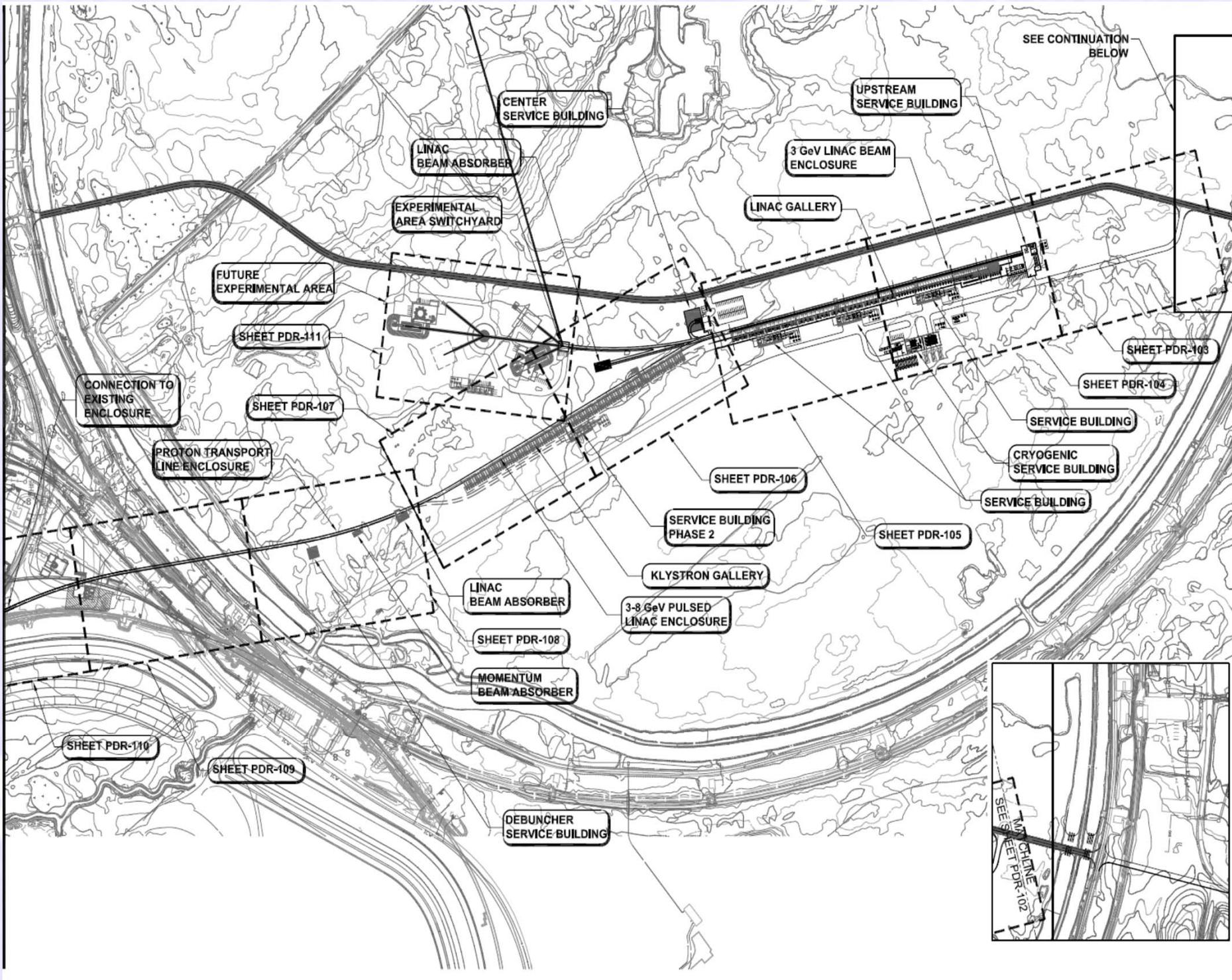
## Why is this important to Rare Processes?

- Experiments that reconstruct an “event” to a particular time from sub-detector elements are intrinsically vulnerable to making mistakes at high instantaneous intensity ( $I$ ). The probability of making a mistake is proportional to  $I^2 \times \delta t$ , where  $\delta t$  is the event resolving time.
- Searching for rare processes requires high intensity.
- Controlling backgrounds means minimizing the instantaneous rate and maximizing the time resolution performance of the experiment.
- This is a common problem for Run-II, LHC, Mu2e, High-School class reunions, etc.

# Kaon Yields at Constant Beam Power

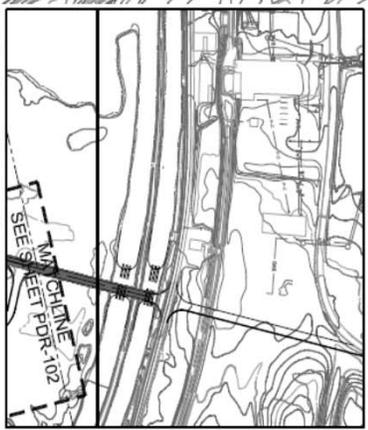


**Figure 2:** The estimated (LAQGSM/MARS15) kaon yield at constant beam power (yield/ $T_p$ ) for experimentally optimal angular and energy regions as a function of  $T_p$  (GeV).



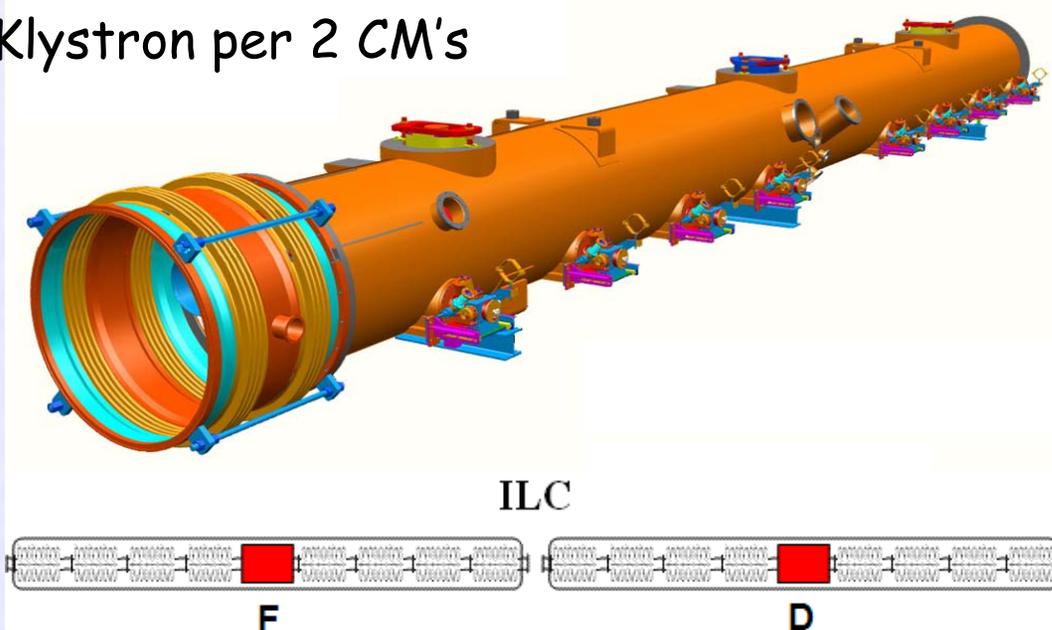
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# 3 - 8 GeV acceleration

- Pulsed linac based on the ILC technology
  - ✓ 1.3 GHz, 25 MV/m gradient,  $\leq 5\%$  duty cycle
  - ✓ considering 8-30 ms pulse length
  - ✓ ~250 cavities (28 ILC-type cryomodules) needed.
  - ✓ Simple FODO lattice
  - ✓ 1 Klystron per 2 CM's



# Rings' Concepts & Concerns

- Simple numbers to start

- $T_{\text{rev}} \sim 800 \text{ ns}$
- $f_{\text{rf}} \sim 10 \text{ MHz}$
- $h = 8$
- Injection scheme
  - $\sim 50 \text{ ns}$  beam ON followed by  $\sim 50 \text{ ns}$  NO beam



- Evolution of design

- Increase of circumference ( $\sim 300\text{m}$ )
- Space for RF and Injection/Extraction components
- Several designs and will settle on one

- Concerns

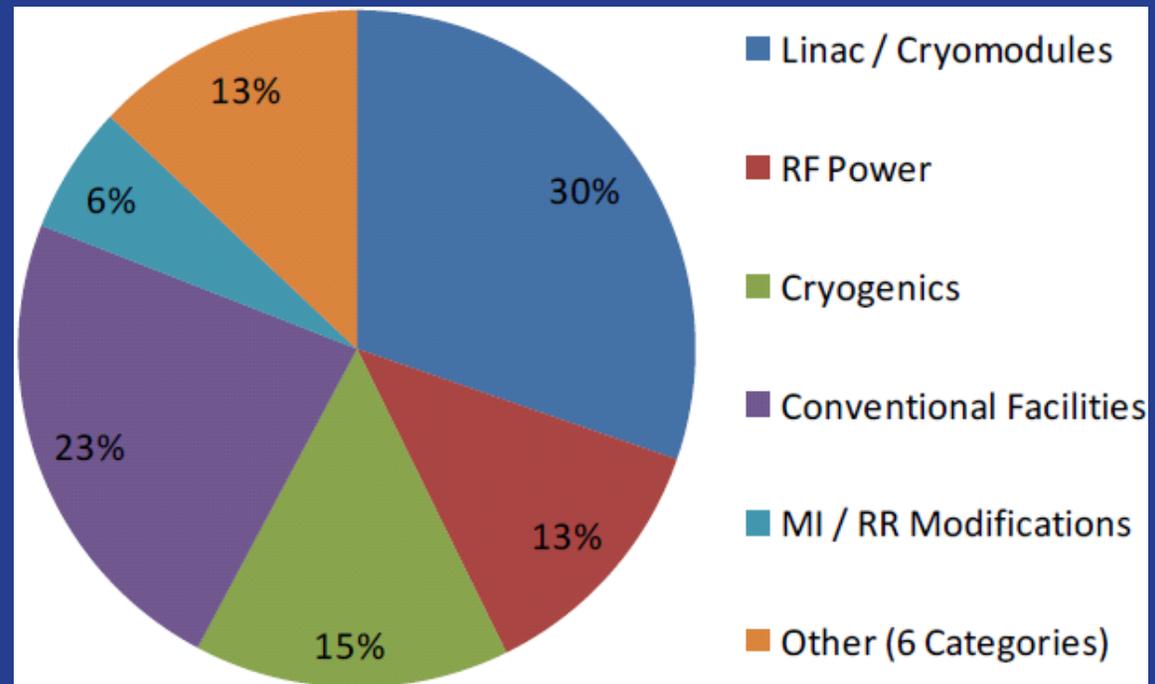
- Injection: Stripping
- Instabilities
- Beam size in Compressor Ring after bunch rotation

# Ring Concern: Injection/Stripping

- Stationary foil will not survive
- Solutions are being investigated by other groups; will have to keep informed of progress
  - Will need to build upon Project X R&D for stripping at 8 GeV in to Recycler/Main Injector
  - Rotating foils
  - Laser
- Should not forget about un-stripped beam ( $\sim 1\%$ ) needs to be “absorbed”

# Project X Upgrade Proton Driver - 4

- Conventional facilities
  - More water cooling
  - Building space
    - More cryo capacity
    - More Klystrons



- An upgrade re-uses >75% of RDR cost

# Evolution of Neutrino Sensitivities

