

# MUON POLARIZATION

- WHY?
- POLARIZATION FIGURE OF MERIT
- SCENARIOS
- MONITORING
- CONCLUSIONS

see also

- Palmer Sessler Tollestrup

- Rossmann

- Fenow Gallardo Fukui

- Raja, Raja Tollestrup

- Keil

- AB v fact '99, "Prospective Study"

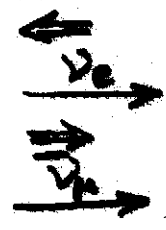
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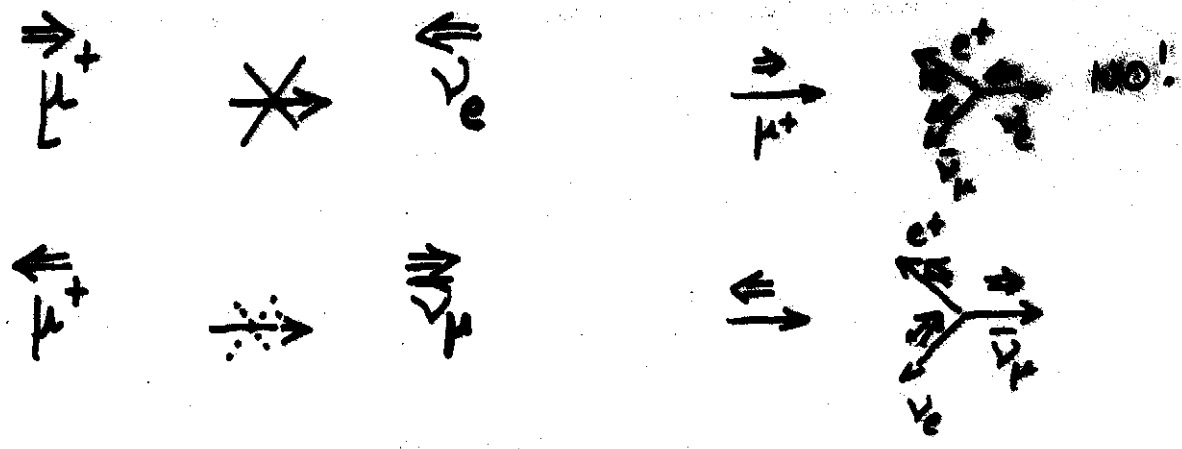
# WHY?

- $\nu_e$  is Left-handed
- $\bar{\nu}_\mu$  is Right-handed



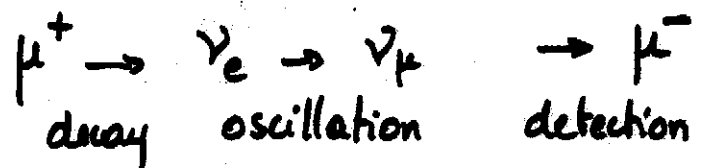
$$\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \nu_e \bar{\nu}_\mu$$

- LONG BASELINE EXPTS DETECT  $\nu_s$ 's EMITTED AT  $\approx$  ZERO DEGREE



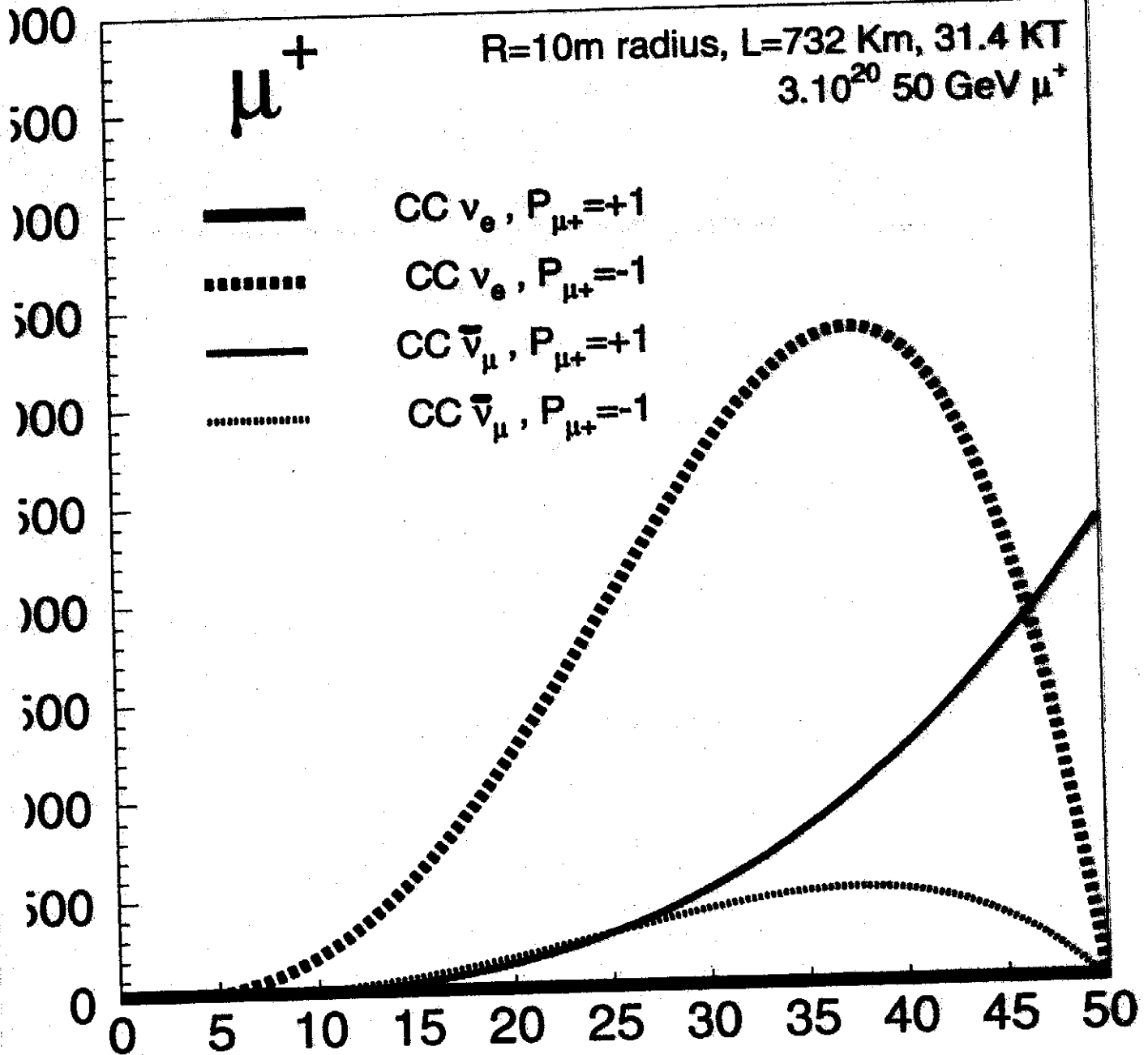
$\Rightarrow$  MUON POLARIZATION CONTROLS  $\nu_e/\bar{\nu}_\mu$  !

- MUST BE MONITORED
- IMPORTANT TOOL FOR CONTROL OF BACKGROUND CALCULATIONS FOR eg



$10^2$  $\nu$  events from  $\mu$  decay

R=10m radius, L=732 Km, 31.4 KT

 $3 \cdot 10^{20}$  50 GeV  $\mu^+$ 

$10^2$

$\nu$  events from  $\mu$  decay

R=10m radius, L=732 Km, 31.4 K

$3.10^{20}$  50 GeV  $\mu^-$

$\mu^-$



CC  $\bar{\nu}_e$ ,  $P_{\mu^-}=-1$



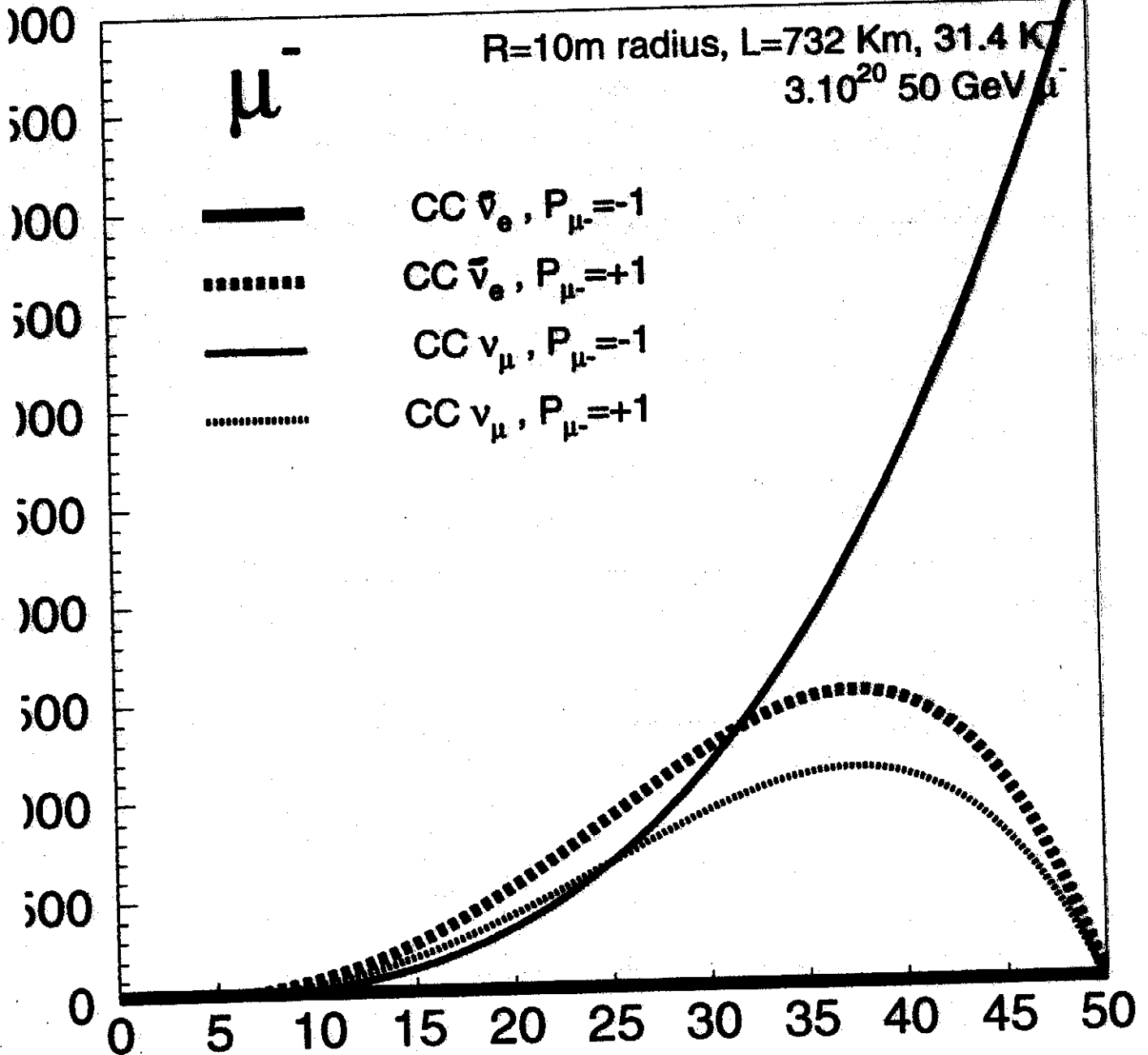
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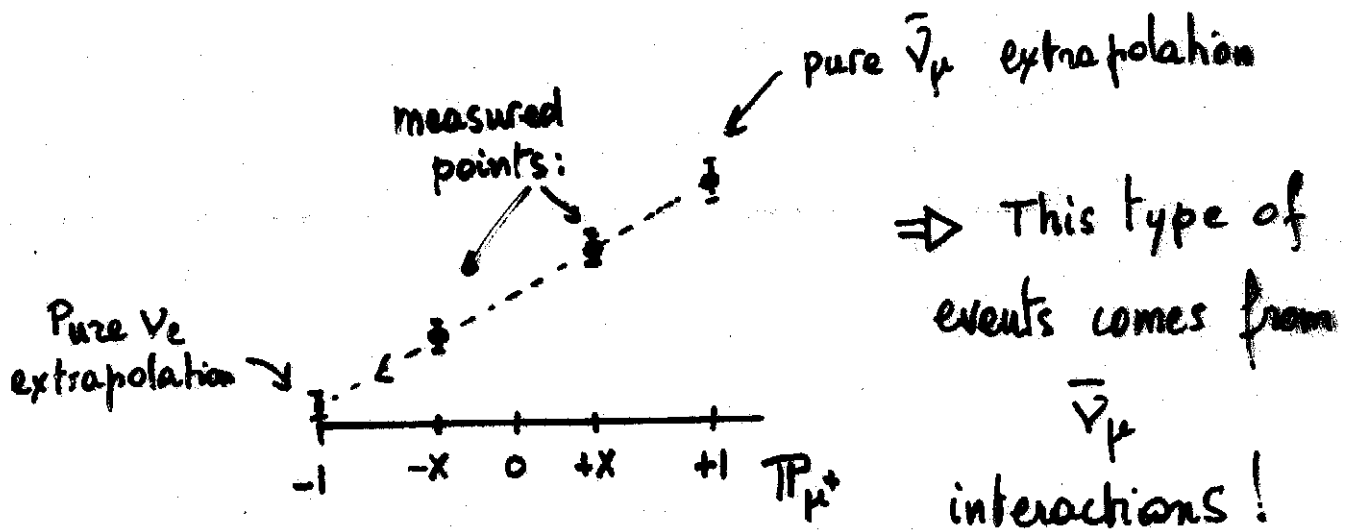
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## POSSIBLE USE

- COMPARE EVENT RATE FOR  $\mu^\pm$  and  $\bar{\mu}^\pm$   
SIGNAL!?

⇒ EXTRACT PURE  $\nu_e$  SIGNAL! EVENT RATE  
AND PURE  $\nu_\mu$



- THIS WILL BE PRECIOUS TO DEMONSTRATE EXISTENCE OF A SIGNAL INDEPENDENTLY OF BACKGROUND SIMULATIONS ON THE WRONG  $\nu$  COMPONENT
- $\mu^+ \leftrightarrow \mu^-$  SWITCH CANNOT BE USED SINCE IT IS ALREADY USED TO DEMONSTRATE MATTER OSCILLATIONS OR CP VIOLATIONS!

# T, CP violation beyond wrong sign $\mu$ .

ex  $\theta_{12} = 23^\circ$   $\theta_{13} = 5^\circ$   $\theta_{23} = 45^\circ$   $L = 7300 \text{ km}$   
 $\Delta m_{12}^2 = 10^{-4}$   $\Delta m_{23}^2 = 3 \cdot 10^{-3}$

10 GeV  $\nu$ 's formulae from hep-ph 0602149  
(Chen, Han, et al.)  
 \*\* to be verified! (unit: % )

(assumes  $\mu \approx 0$ )

(%)	$P_{\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu}$	$\bar{P}_{\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\mu}$	$P_{\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\tau}$	$\bar{P}_{\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\tau}$	$P_{\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e}$	$\bar{P}_{\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e}$
$A=0 \delta=0$	1.56	1.56	1.35	1.35	1.56	1.56
$A=0 \delta=90^\circ$	2.01	0.99	0.99	2.01	0.89	2.01
$A=A_m \delta=0$	2.79	0.06	2.98	0.04	2.79	0.06
$A=A_m \delta=90^\circ$	2.34	0	3.44	0.12	3.44	0.12

! not  $\nu T$

? can this be seen in  $\mu$  beam? (A: yes of course, if  $\tau=1$ )  
 can this be used as a test?



# Is MUON Polarization useful?

Alain Blondel + Mario Campanelli

Treat one example, PRELIMINARY, stat. only

## Principle of Experiment:

. take half data with +P, half with -P

. “ “ “ “  $\mu^+$  “ “  $\mu^-$

Take detector and data of super ICARUS  
Bueno/Campanelli/Rubbia, hep-ph 0005007

4 event classes:  $e^\pm$ , right sign  $\mu$ , wrong sign  $\mu$ , NC

Fit for  $\delta$  while leaving all other parameters free,  
see if error on  $\delta$  is reduced when  $|P|$   $\nearrow$



## Input Parameters

$$\Delta m^2_{12} = 10^{-4}$$

$$\Delta m^2_{23} = 3.5 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$$

$$\theta_{12} = 45^\circ$$

$$\theta_{23} = 45^\circ$$

$$\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.05$$

$$\delta = 0 \text{ or } \pi/2$$

**L = 2900 km**

**10 ktons fiducial**

**$2 \cdot 10^{21}$  useful muons ( $5 \cdot 10^{20}$  for each sign-polarity)**

**detector classes:**

- 1. "electrons": any event with an electron (no energy cut)**
- 2. "right sign muon": event with muon ( $P > 2 \text{ GeV}$ ) of beam sign**
- 3. "wrong sign muon": event with muon ( $P > 2 \text{ GeV}$ ) of sign opposite beam**
- 4. "NC": all other events.**

**Decays in flight of hadrons -> muons are included**

**no background for electrons**

**no systematic errors on beam (yet)**

**matter density is left as free parameter in the fits**





## Some numbers

**Surprise: there is a big  $\delta$ -effect in electron event numbers**

		<b>ELECTRON CLASS:</b>		
		$\delta=\pi/2$		$\delta=0$
$\mu^- (-\rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu)$	<b>P=0</b>	<b>59550</b>	<b>(-510)</b>	<b>60060</b>
<b>Kills anti-<math>\nu_e \rightarrow</math></b>	<b>P=-1</b>	<b>6003</b>	<b>(-604)</b>	<b>6607</b>
	<b>P=+1</b>	<b>113100</b>	<b>(-400)</b>	<b>113500</b>

**$\delta=\pi/2$  decreases the  $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$  oscillation.**



## Some numbers

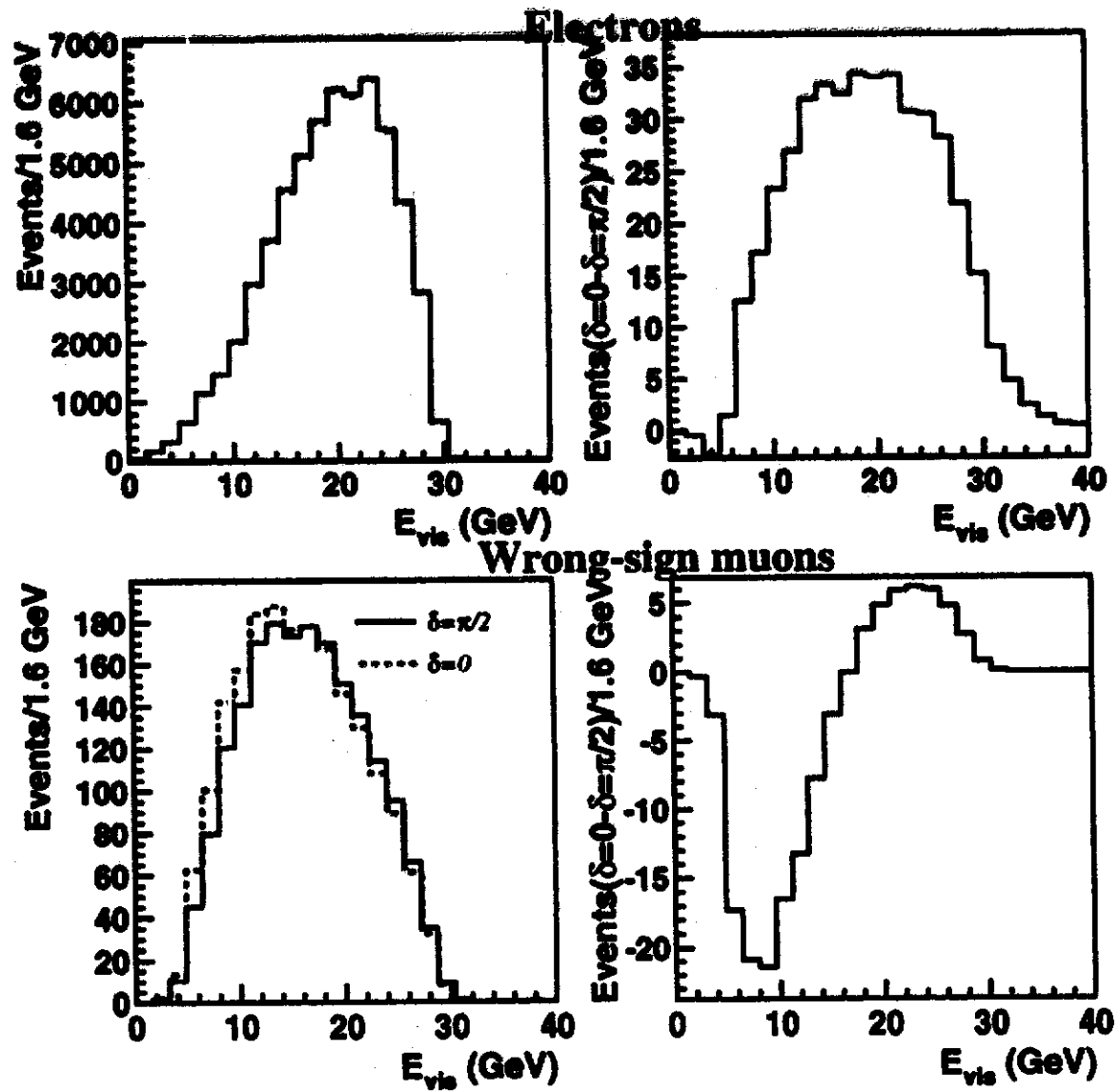
**Surprise: there is no big  $\delta$ -effect in wrong sign muon event numbers**

		<b>WRONG SIGN MUON CLASS:</b>		
		$\delta=\pi/2$		$\delta=0$
$\mu^+ (-\rightarrow \nu_e \bar{\nu}_\mu)$				
	<b>P=0</b>	<b>1919</b>	<b>(+43)</b>	<b>1876</b>
	<b>P=-1</b>	<b>3795</b>	<b>(+83)</b>	<b>3712</b>
<b>Kills <math>\nu_e</math></b>	<b><math>\longrightarrow</math></b>	<b>P=+1</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>(-)</b>
				<b>41</b>

**BUT  $\delta=\pi/2$  modifies the shape of the  $\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu$  oscillation.**



# No polarisation

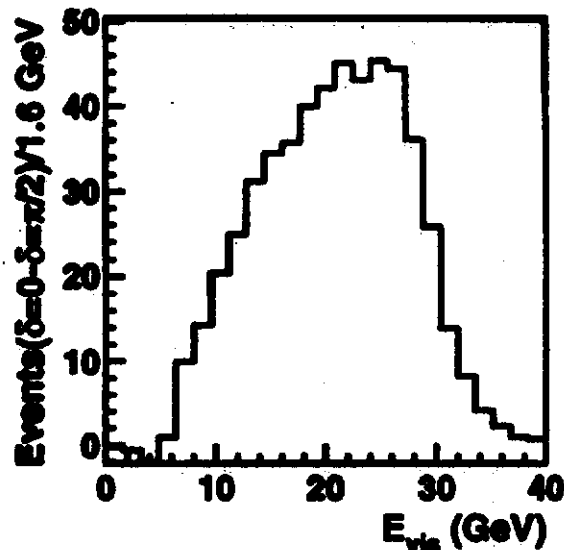
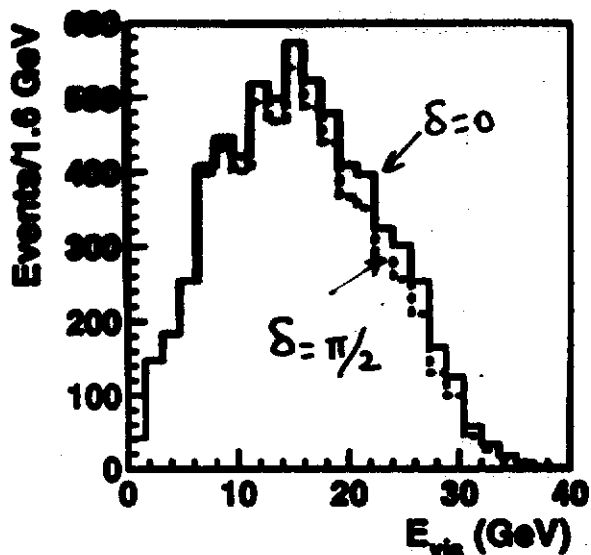




# Negative polarisation(100%)

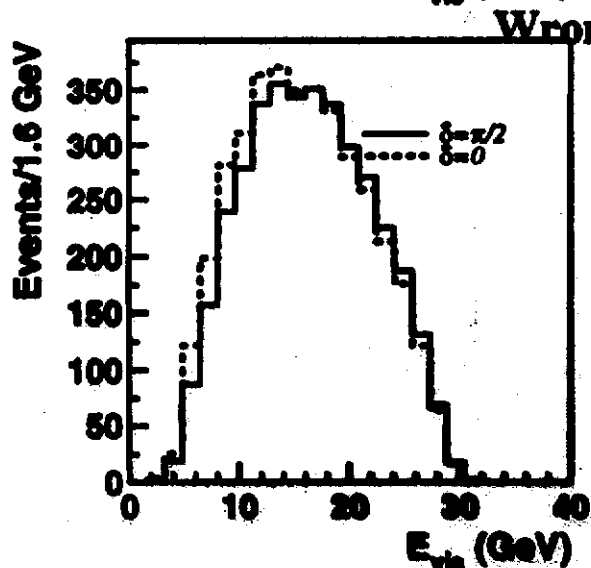
$$\delta=0 - \delta=\pi/2$$

$\mu^-$ ,  $P=-1$   
kills  $\bar{\nu}_e$

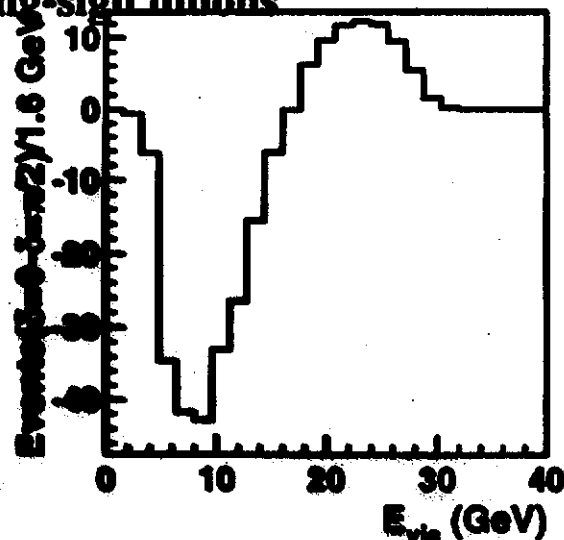


"electron" events  
←

$\mu^+$ ,  $P=-1$   
more  $\bar{\nu}_e$



Wrong-sign muons



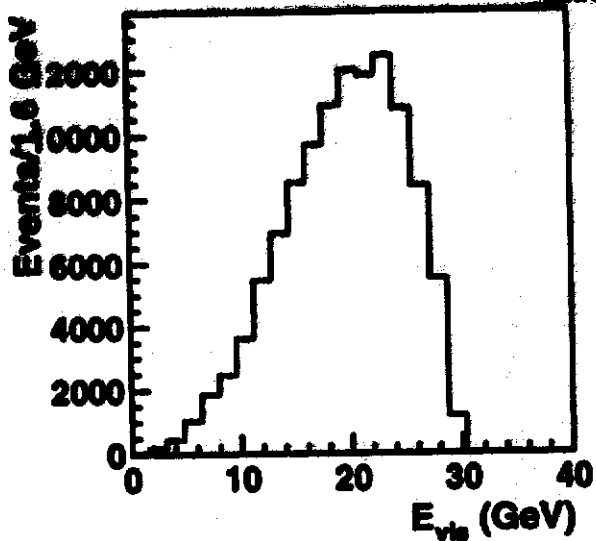
"Wrong sign muons"  
events  
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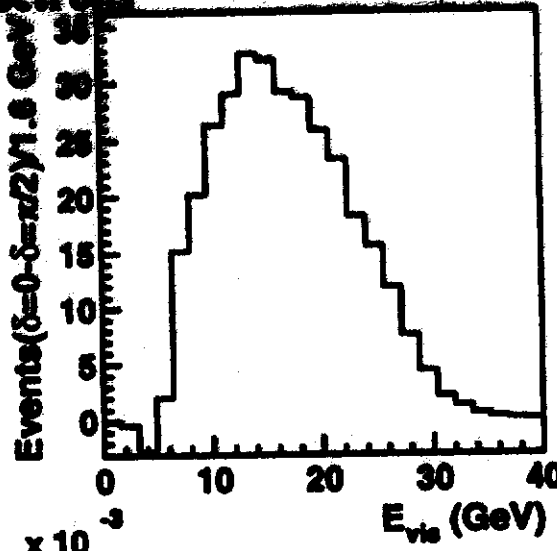
# Positive polarisation (100%)

$$\delta = 0 - \delta = \pi/2$$

$\mu-, P=+1$   
more  $\nu_e$

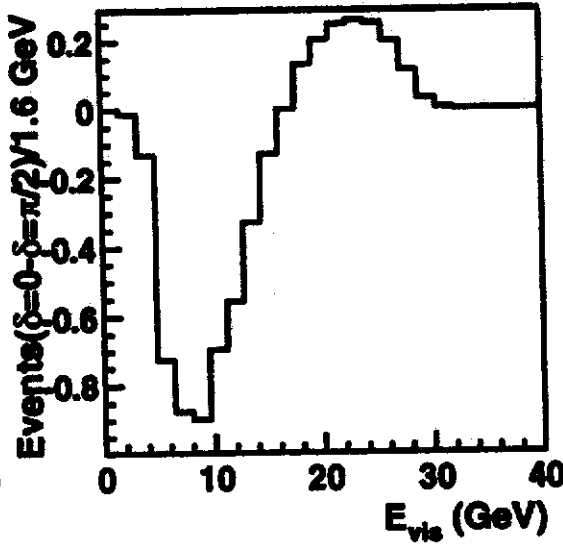
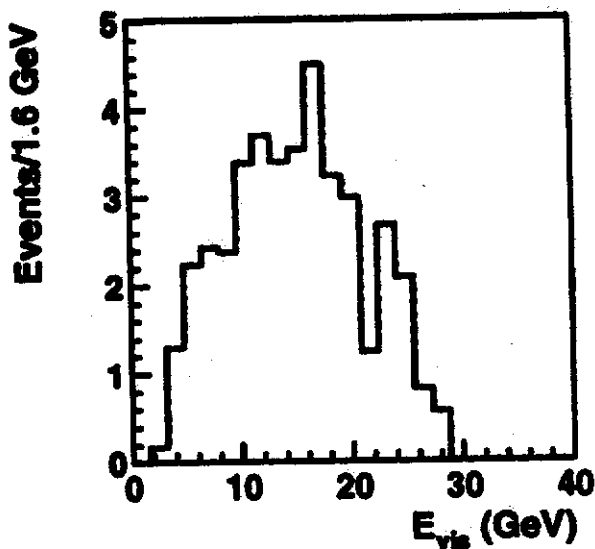


Electrons



"electron" events

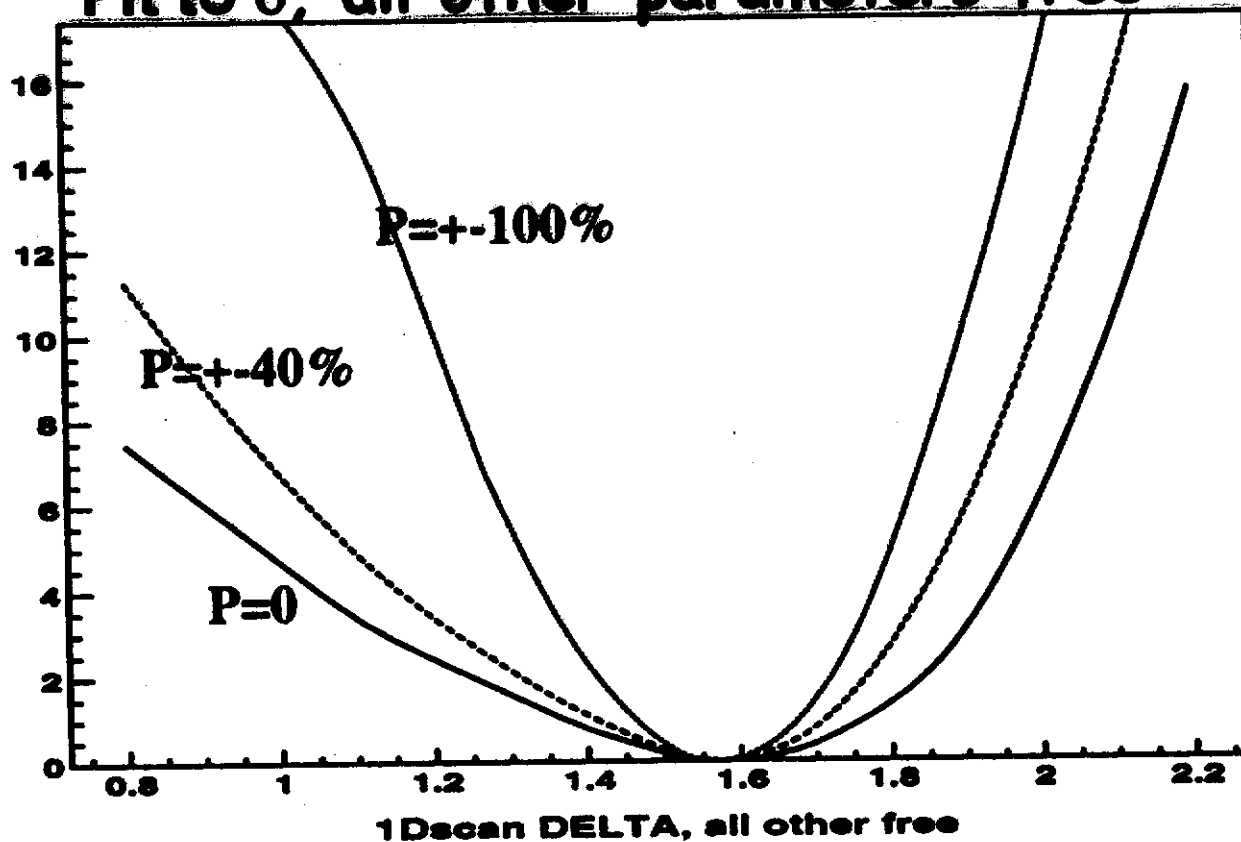
$\mu+, P=+1$   
[kills  $\nu_e$ ]



"wrong sign muon" events



## Fit to $\delta$ , all other parameters free



$P = 0 :$	$\delta = 1.57 \pm 0.20$
$P = \pm 40\%$	$\delta = 1.57 \pm 0.15$
$P = \pm 100\%$	$\delta = 1.57 \pm 0.10$

**$\pm 40\%$  polarisation is equivalent, for this example,  
to increasing the muon flux by 1.77**

⇒ IT APPEARS THAT BEAM POLARIZATION  
INCREASES STATISTICAL SENSITIVITY

Q. IS THIS FROM T-VIOLATION  
OR FROM BETTER SIGNAL/B ratio  
in CP VIOLATING OBSERVABLE?

⇒ IF THIS BRINGS VALUABLE  
INSIGHT / CROSS CHECKS  
ON GOLDEN MEASUREMENT  
OR NEW MEASUREMENT

IS GOOD THOUGH ADMITTEDLY NOT  
EARTH-SHAKING.

# POLARIZATION FIGURE OF MERIT

measure  $N_{+P}$   $N_{-P}$

FORM 
$$A_m = \frac{N_{+P} - N_{-P}}{N_{+P} + N_{-P}} = |P| \frac{N_{+1} - N_{-1}}{N_{+1} + N_{-1}}$$

$$\approx |P| A_{true}$$

$$\Delta A_m = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{+P} + N_{-P}}}$$

$$\Delta A_{true} = \frac{1}{|P| \sqrt{N_{+P} + N_{-P}}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{P^2 N}}$$

$\Rightarrow$  figure of merit =  $P^2 N$  or  $\int P^2 I dt$

$$P_{eff} = \sqrt{\frac{\int P^2 I}{\int I}}$$

"effective Polarization"



# POLARIZATION SCENARIOS.

1. DO NOTHING [= FERMI LAB STUDY]

$$P_{eff} \approx 0. \quad \langle P \rangle = 0 \pm 10^{-4} \text{ [if no losses]}$$

⇒ Need to measure Polarization.

2. BE CAREFUL [= PRESERVE WHAT YOU HAVE]

$$P_{eff} = 0.25 \text{ (or } 0.15?)$$

⇒ Adjust RLA energies and # turns to inject longitudinal polarization in a BOW-TIE Ring

[Alternative to BOW-TIE: 2 $\pi$ -ring and  $E = 45.311 \text{ GeV}$   
and RF  $Q_s > \frac{\Delta P}{P} \pm 10^{-3}$ ]

3. BE PROACTIVE [= ENHANCE WHAT YOU HAVE]

$$P_{eff} = 0.38$$

⇒ 1<sup>st</sup> phase rotation after target to monochromatize pions. no loss of I.

⇒ momentum cut on muons →  $P_{eff} = ?$   
(P, I, N)

# SCENARIO 1

Proton Driver + Linac

Target Station  
50 m long drift

100 m long Induct. Linac  
60 m long bunching

140 m long cooling  
1.6 GeV, 200 MHz linac

>3.4 GeV linac  
3 GeV of acceleration

RLA2, 8 GeV max,  
7.5 MeV/m average  
Accel. Fr. = 200 MHz  
Turns = 4

r = 30 m, C~600  
Arc = 180 m

Matching = 200 m (beam separators  
/combiner)

Linac = 2 x 150 m

Storage ring, 50 GeV max,

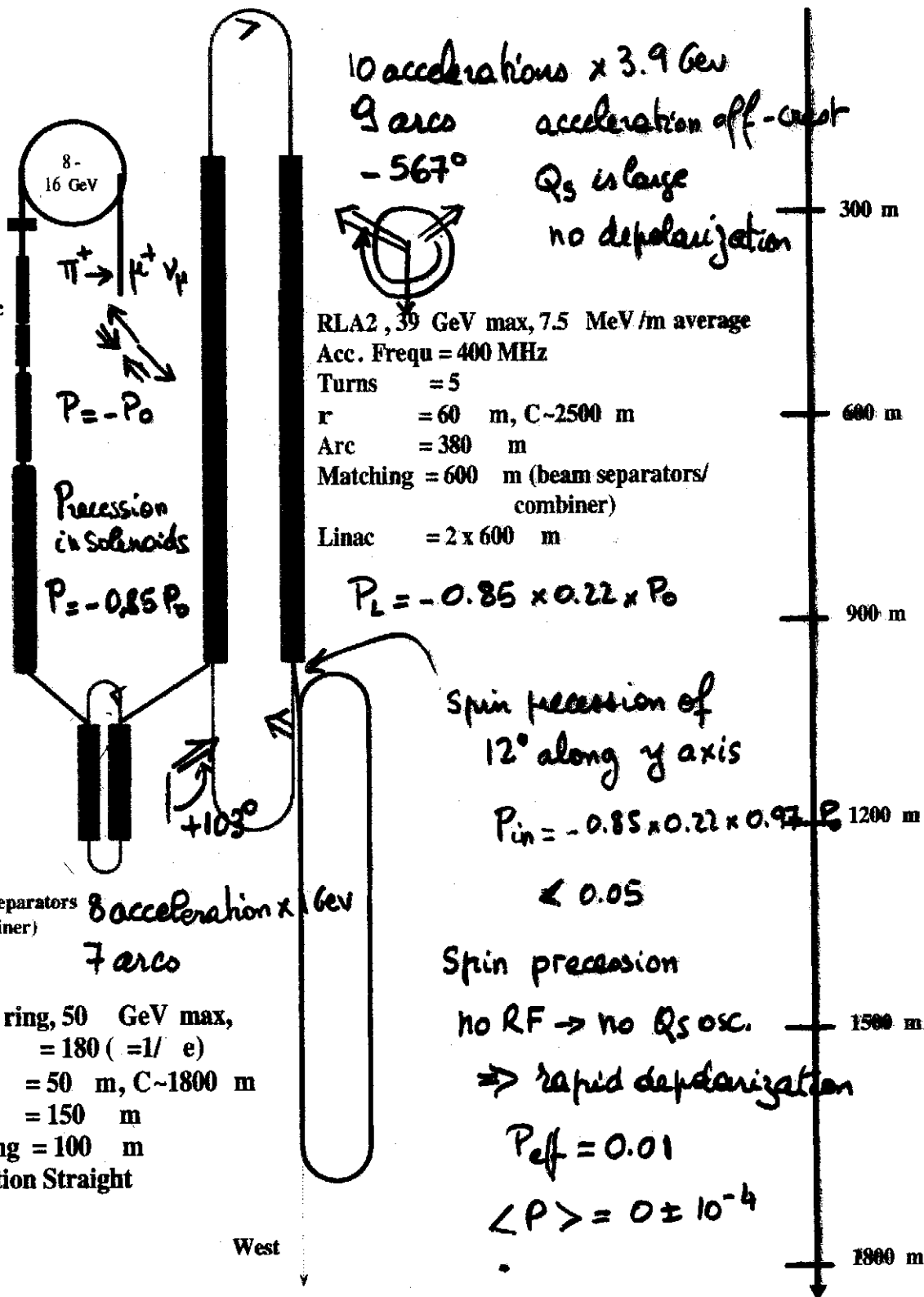
Turns = 180 (=1/ e)

r = 50 m, C~1800 m

Arc = 150 m

Matching = 100 m

Production Straight



NB

$P_0 = 27\%$

?

18.5%

(Palmer Sessler Tollestrup  
AB

Fermi Gallardo  
Fukui

→ Pais

→ HAYAKAWA

WITH SOME CARE . . . .

$$8 \times 3.875$$

7 arcs

$$-517^\circ$$

$$(\text{net} = -359^\circ)$$



$$P = -0.85 P_0$$

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$P$   
  
 $158^\circ$   
 $\times 2 \text{ Gev}$   
 8 accelerations  
 7 arcs

$$P = -0.85 P_0 \cdot 0.97$$

Spin precession at  
50 Gev

$$\Rightarrow P_{\text{eff}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot 0.85 \cdot 0.97$$

$Q_s = 0.04$ , no depolarization

at  $45.3!! \pm 2 \cdot 10^{-4}!$

$$\Rightarrow P_{\text{eff}} = 0.85 \cdot 0.97 \cdot P_0$$

or Bow-Tie: (RF not needed)

$$\Rightarrow P_{\text{eff}} = 0.8 P_0$$

$P_0$  can be improved (Palmer) by

1. monochromatization of  $\pi$ 's

(first phase rotation BEFORE  
decay tunnel) no loss (rather gain?)  
of intensity

2. Culling of muons [see older muon collider  
studies  
- Loss of Intensity]

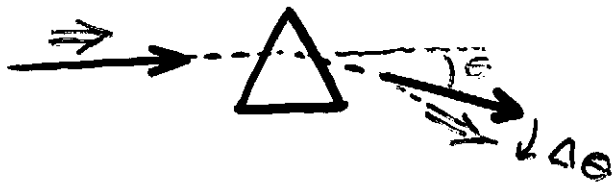
• this requires that the beam remains bunched

• AND that experiments time the events to  $\approx \pm 5$  ns  
OK...? ICANOE?

• AND that polarization is measured for each time slot  
(OK)

# DEPOLARIZATION IN FRONT-END

OCCURS BECAUSE OF SPIN PRECESSION.



$$\Delta\theta = \frac{g-2}{2} \cdot \frac{E_{\mu}}{m_{\mu}} \cdot \theta$$

$$\Delta\theta = \frac{E_{\mu}}{(E_0 = 90.6223 \text{ GeV})} \cdot \theta$$

• 500 m of 1.5 T solenoid for  $P_{\perp}^{\text{max}} = 60$   $P_{\perp} = 200$   
41 loops!  $\Rightarrow \Delta\theta = \frac{g-2}{2} \cdot \frac{E_{\mu}}{m_{\mu}} \cdot 41 \times 2\pi = 0.57 = 33^\circ$

$$P = P_{\text{init}} \times \cos(33^\circ) = 0.85 \times P_{\text{init}}$$

• This does not include solenoid reversals and maybe pessimistic

• muons don't depolarize in matter. (QED conserves helicity!)

confirmed by Farow-Gallardo-

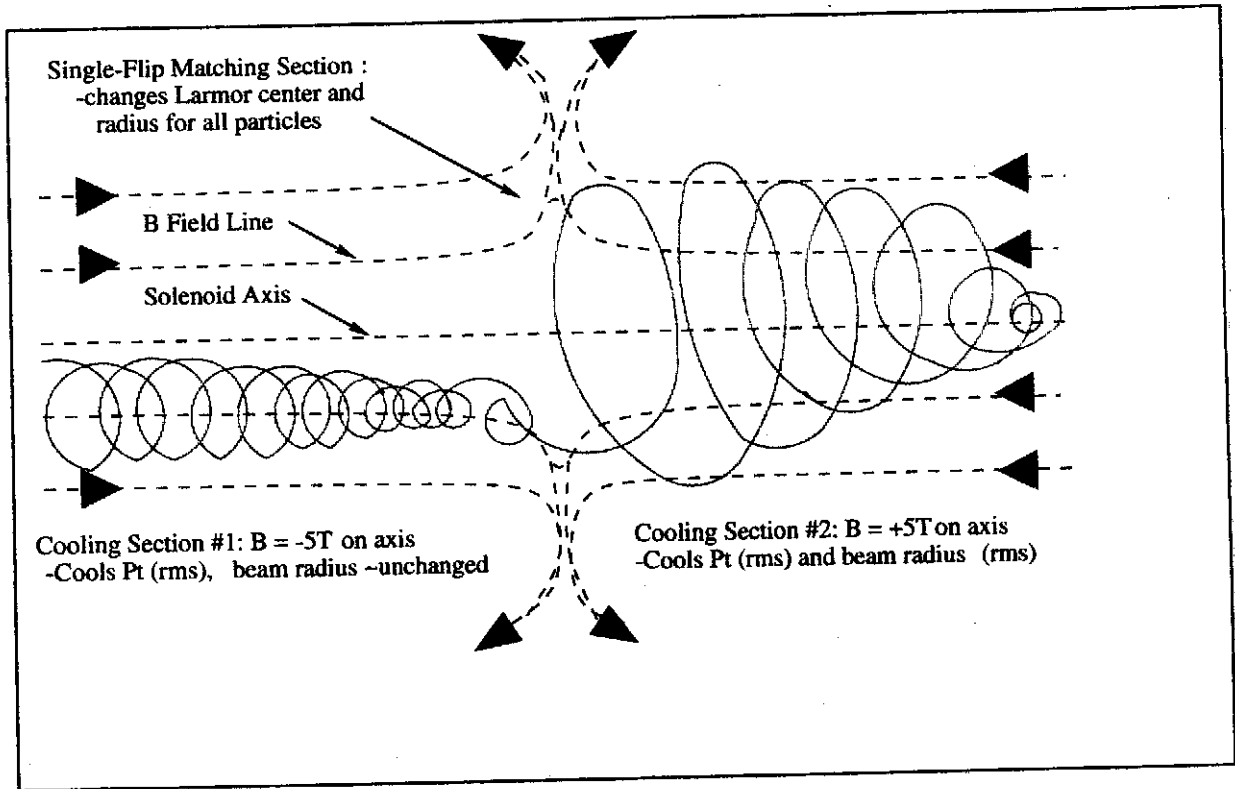
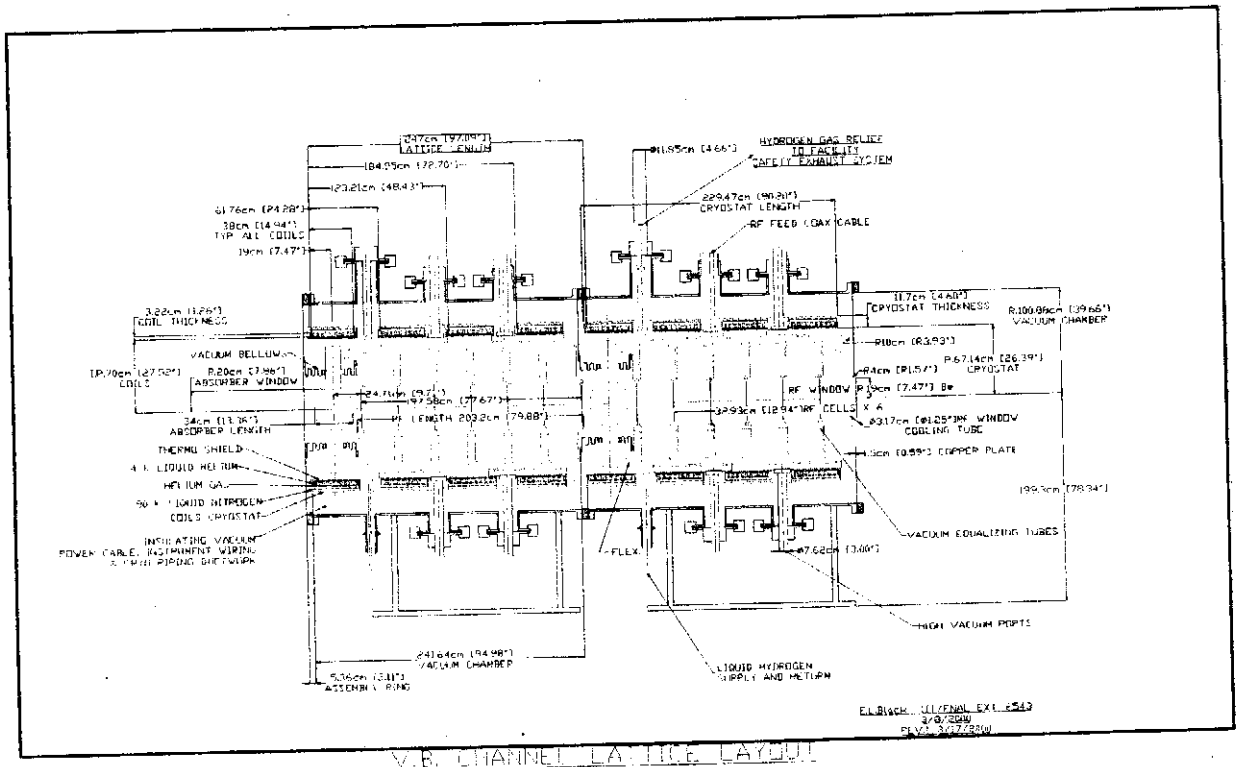


Illustration of particle motion in a single flip channel

While both designs have adequate performance for an entry-level neutrino factory, both fall short of the PJK benchmark. In both cases, the performance of the cooling channel is limited by the parameters of the input beam provided at the end of the buncher. We expect that ongoing work on tuning and optimization will improve the muon yield by a substantial factor.



V.F. CHANNEL LATTICE LAYOUT

# SPIN-PRECESSION in RLA's

$$\Delta\theta_{spin} = \frac{g-2}{2} \cdot \frac{E\mu}{m\mu} = \Delta\theta_{muon}$$

$$\Delta\theta_{spin} = \frac{E\mu}{90.6223} \Delta\theta_{muon}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta\theta_{spin} = \sum_{arcs} \frac{E_{arc}}{90.6223} \times \pi \times (\pm 1)$$

with two RLA's with  $\begin{cases} E_0 \text{ at the start} \\ N_1 \times \Delta E_1 \text{ Linacs} & (N_1 - 1 \text{ arcs}) \\ N_2 \times \Delta E_2 \text{ Linacs} & (N_2 - 1 \text{ arcs}) \end{cases}$

$$P_L = P_0 \times \cos(\Delta\theta_{spin})$$

$$\Delta\theta_{spin} = \frac{\pi}{90.6223} \left[ N_1 E_0 + \frac{N_1(N_1-1)}{2} \Delta E_1 \right. \\ \left. \pm \left( N_2 (E_0 + N_1 \Delta E_1) + \frac{N_2(N_2-1)}{2} \Delta E_2 \right) \right]$$

add transfer lines kicks

Solve for  $N_1, \Delta E_1, N_2, \Delta E_2, E_0$  such that

$$\Delta\theta_{spin} = 0 \text{ Mod}(\pi \text{ or, better, } 2\pi)$$

# A Few Solutions for non depolarizing acceleration

(acceleration off crest  $\Rightarrow Q_s \approx \frac{\Delta P}{P}$ )

$N_{arcs} = N_{accelerations} - 1$

OUT of LINAC	RLA1	RLA2	Sign	$E_{top}$	$\Delta\theta$ (rad)	$\cos\theta$
$E_0$	$N_1 \times \Delta E_1$	$N_2 \times \Delta E_2$	+/-			
3.	8 x 1	10 x 3.9	⊖	50	-8.09	-0.24
3	8 x 1	10 x 2.74	⊖	38.4	<sup>(2π)</sup> -6.28	+1.0000
3	8 x 1.13	12 x 2.77	⊖	45.311	<sup>(3π)</sup> -9.42	-1.000
3	8 x 2.0	8 x 3.875	⊖	50 GeV	<sup>(2π)</sup> -6.27	+1.0000
3	12 x 2.2	—		29.4 GeV	6.28	+1.000
2	9 x 2.0173	—		20.156	3.1416	-1.000
3	16 x 1.11	—		20.76	6.28	+1.000

NB FFAG provides flexibility of  $\neq$  turns for  
thin reversal.

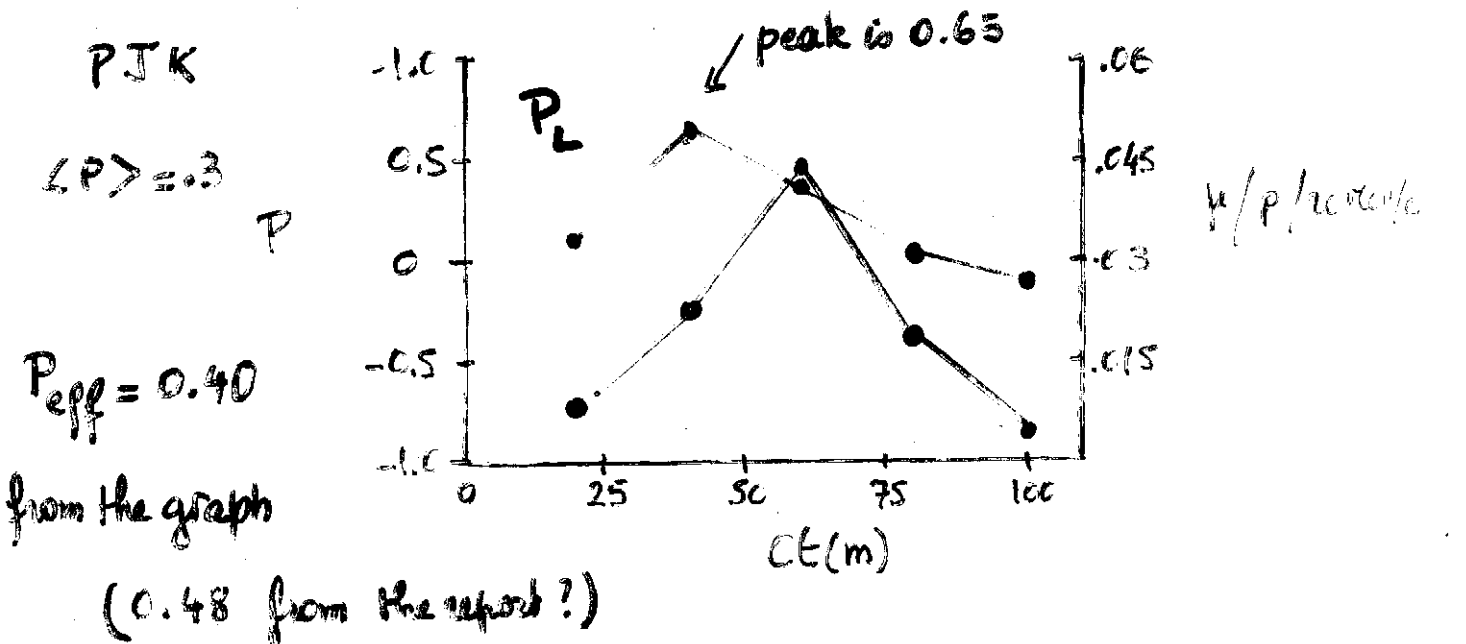


# 1<sup>ST</sup> PHASE ROTATION

- Polarization of  $\mu^+$  from  $\pi^+$  decay is  $\approx -28\%$
- it is correlated with  $\mu^+$  momentum for monochromatic  $\pi^+$

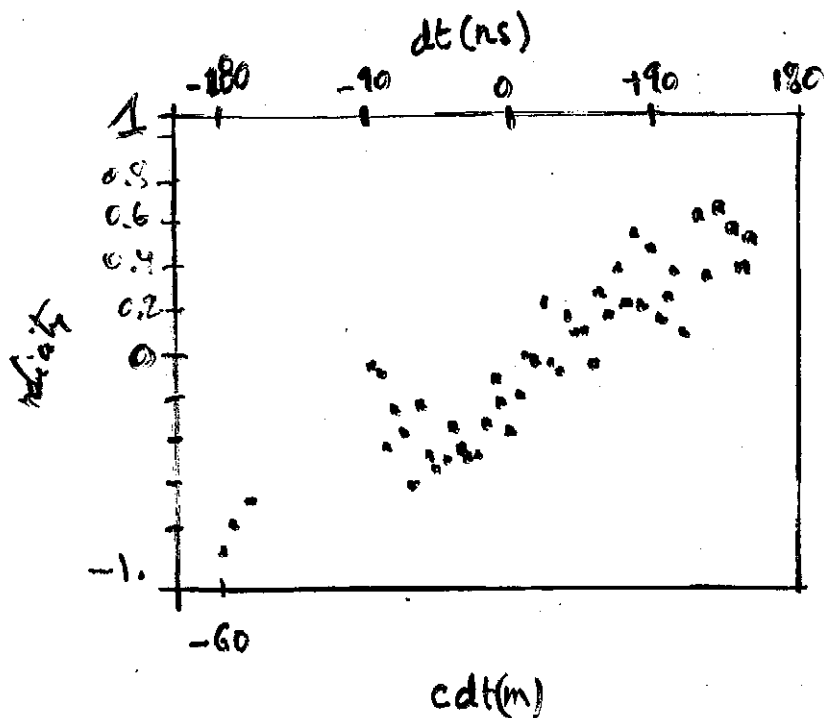
⇒  $\pi$  monochromatization (a.k.a 1<sup>ST</sup> Phase Rotation) + DRIFT (momentum  $\rightarrow$  time) can be used to ANALYSE the spins

THIS DOES NOT CHANGE  $\langle P \rangle$  !



⇒ NO 1<sup>ST</sup> PHASE ROTATION →  $P_{eff} \approx 28\%$   $P^2 = 0.08$   
 WITH 1<sup>ST</sup> PHASE ROTATION →  $P_{eff} \approx 40\%$   $P^2 = 0.16$  } 2.

Callande/Fernao/Fukui: muon polarization in ICOOL



$$\langle P \rangle = 0.154$$

$$|P_0| = 0.195 (?)$$

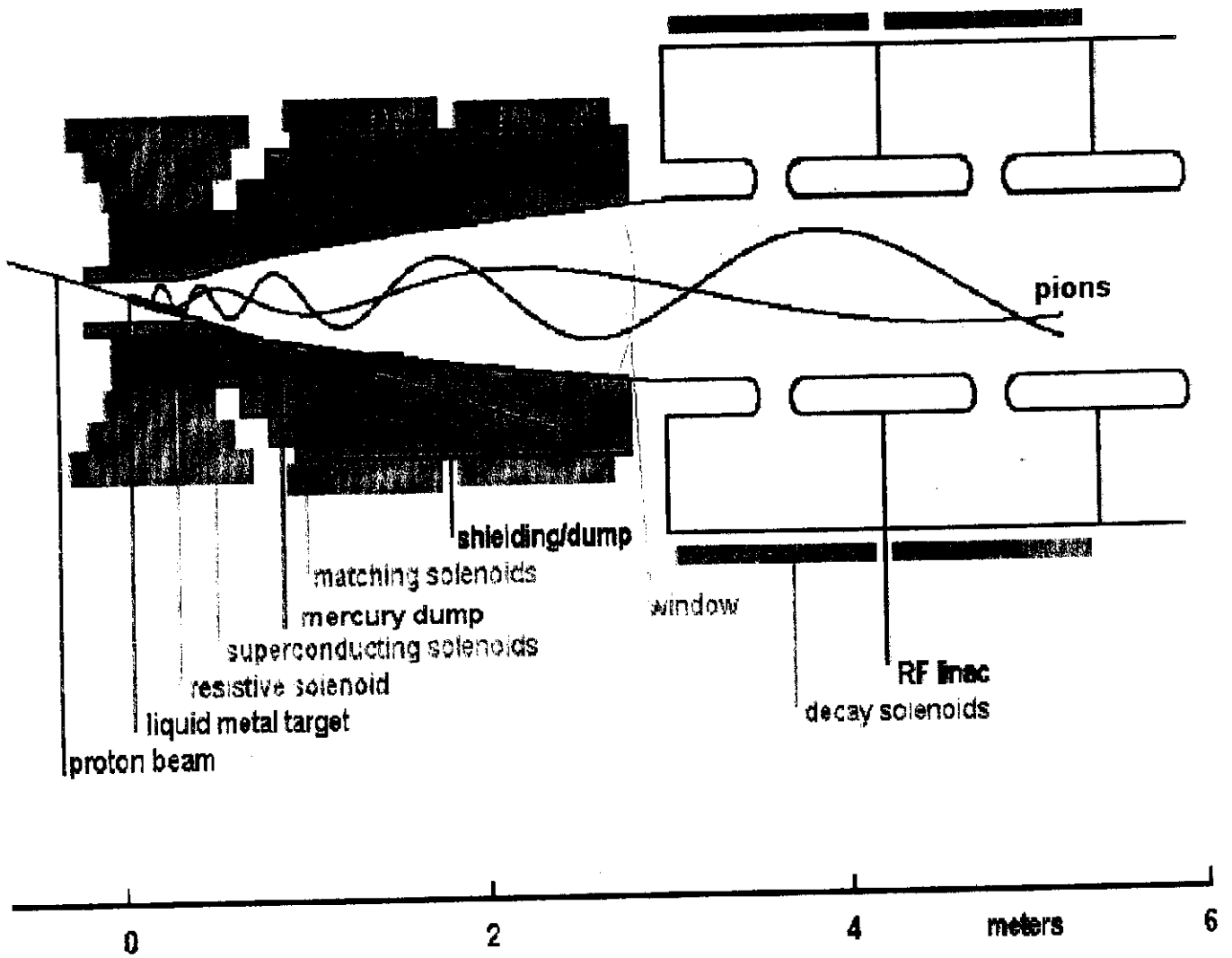
$$\sqrt{\langle P^2 \rangle} = 0.38$$

Polarization } is time-dependent  
and RATE! }

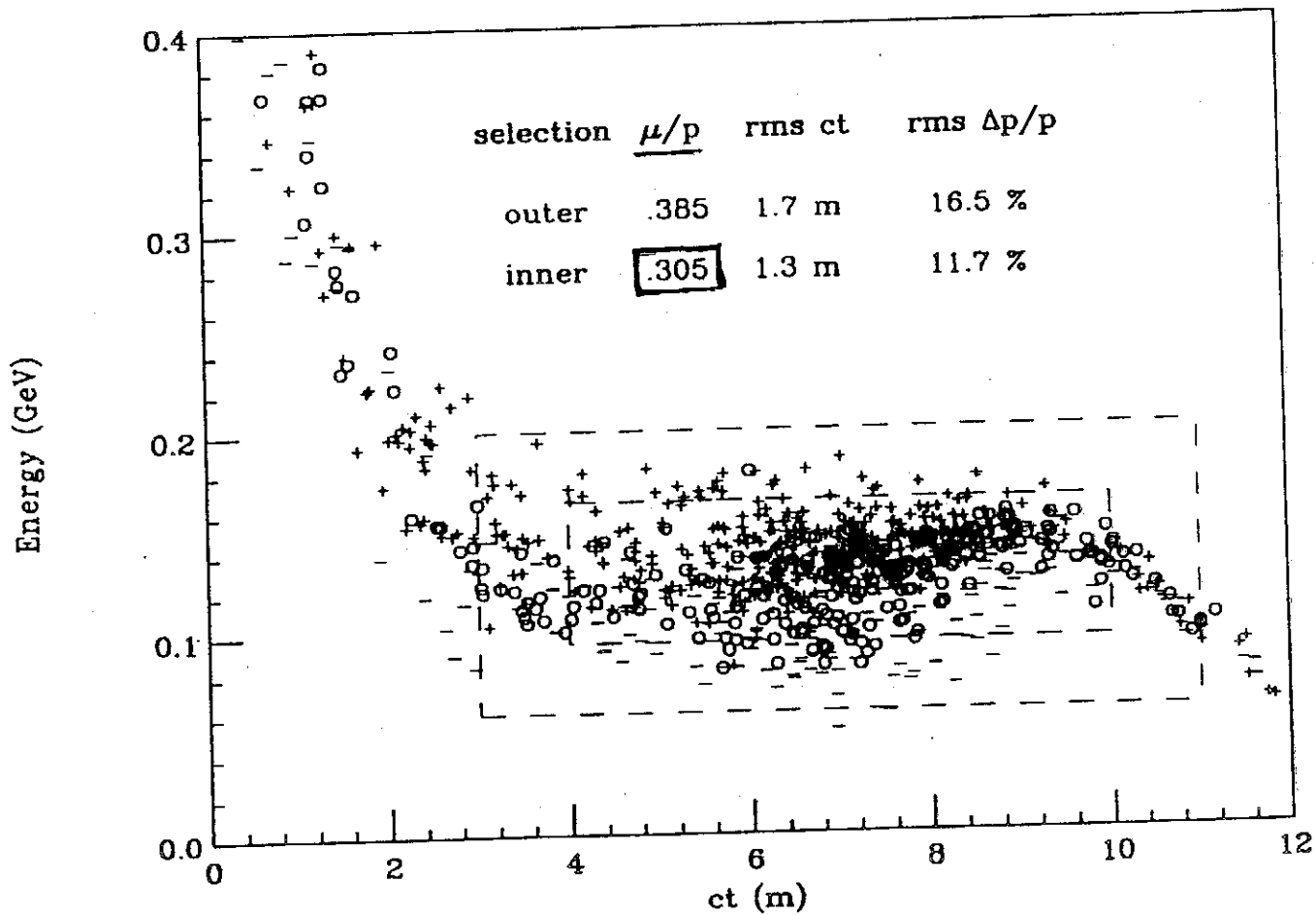
⇒ must be measured  
bunch by bunch!

Intensity  
and  
Polarization

# Overview of Targetry for a Muon Collider



- $1.2 \times 10^{14} \mu^-/\text{s}$  via  $\pi$ -decay from a 4-MW proton beam.
- Proton pulse  $\approx 1$  ns rms for a muon collider.
- Mercury jet target.
- 20-T capture solenoid followed by a 1.25-T  $\pi$ -decay channel with phase-rotation via rf (to compress energy of the muon bunch).

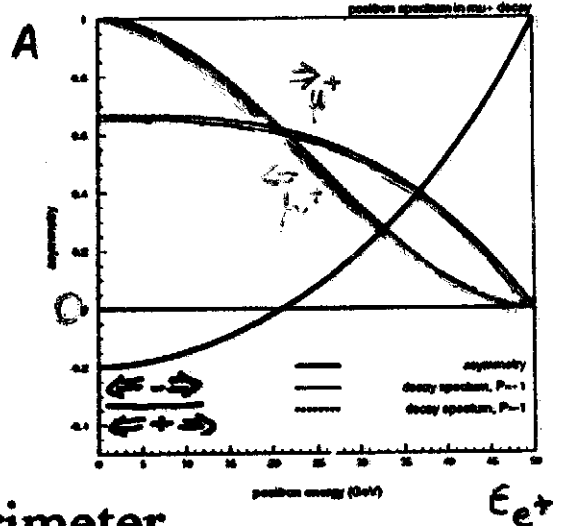


# ENERGY CALIBRATION

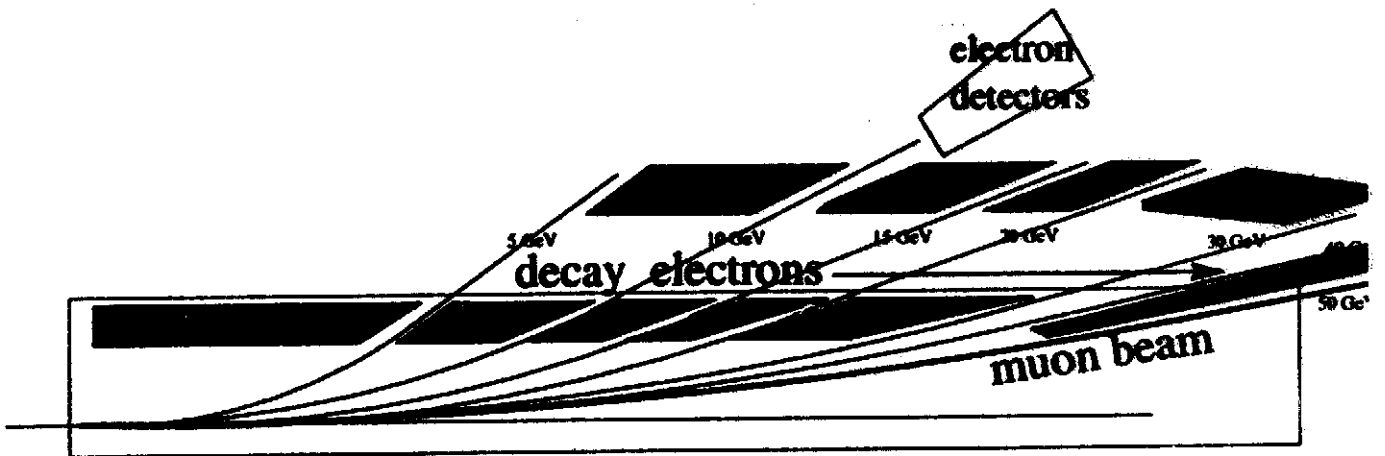
At every turn,  $10^9$  muons decay.  
Spectrum of the decay electrons depends on muon helicity:

Muon polarisation precesses  
spin tune:

$$\nu = \frac{g_\mu - 2}{2} \frac{E_{\text{beam}}}{m_\mu} = \frac{E_{\text{beam}}(\text{GeV})}{90.6223(6)} \approx 0.55$$



muon polarimeter

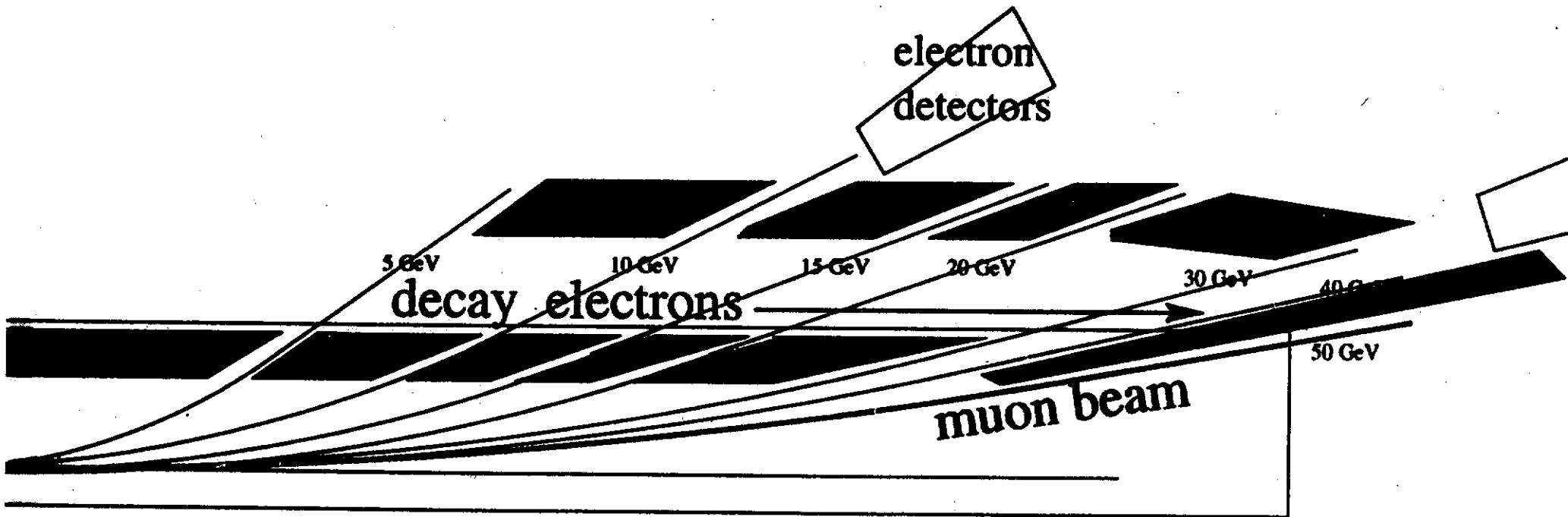


First magnet after straight section

Possible setup of a muon polarimeter. Decay electrons of different energies can be filtered by angular analysis, using slits in the shielding, in the first bend after a straight section. Best asymmetry in 30-40 GeV region.  $[E_\mu = 50 \text{ GeV}]$

A.B. CERN 99.02  
(Prospective study)

# muon polarimeter



First magnet after straight section

## SPIN PRECESSION:

$$v = \frac{g-2}{2} \frac{E_p}{m_p} = \frac{E_p}{90.6223} \approx 0.5 \text{ at } 45 \text{ GeV}$$

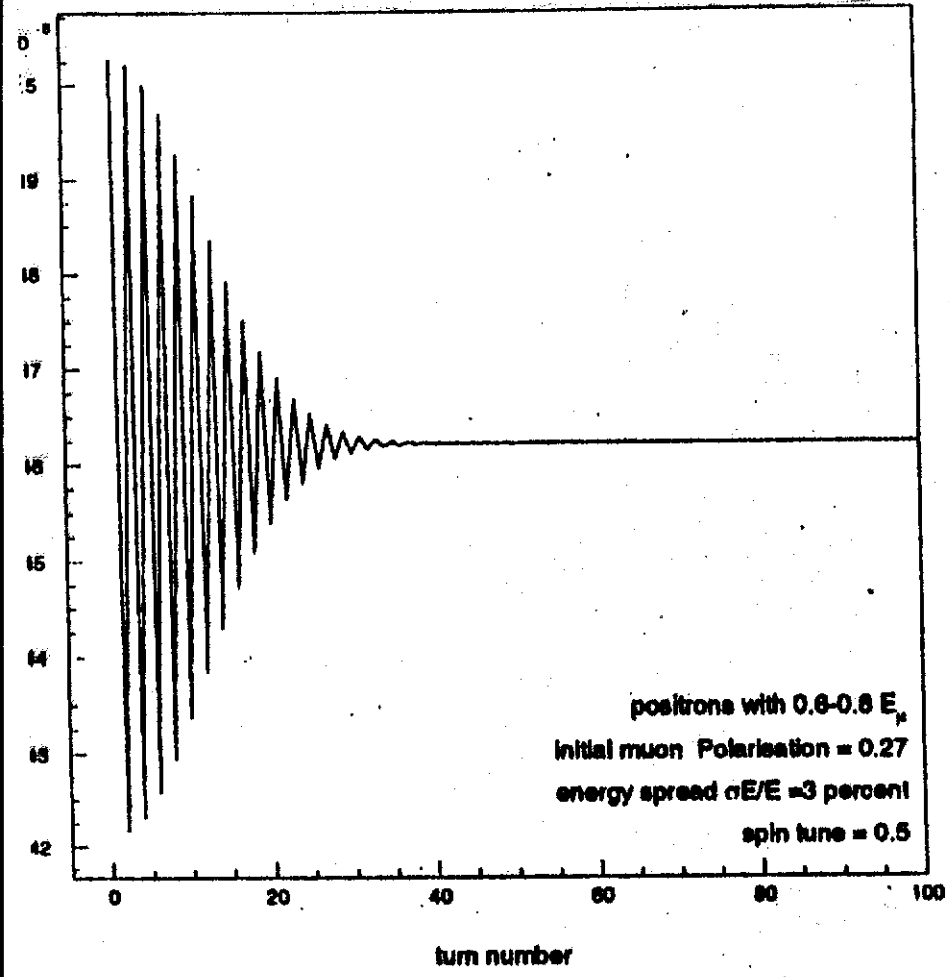
if  $v \neq 0.5$   $\Rightarrow \leftarrow \Rightarrow \uparrow \downarrow \nearrow \nwarrow \Rightarrow$

$$\langle P^2 \rangle = |P|^2 \cdot \langle \cos^2 \theta \rangle = 0.5 |P|^2$$

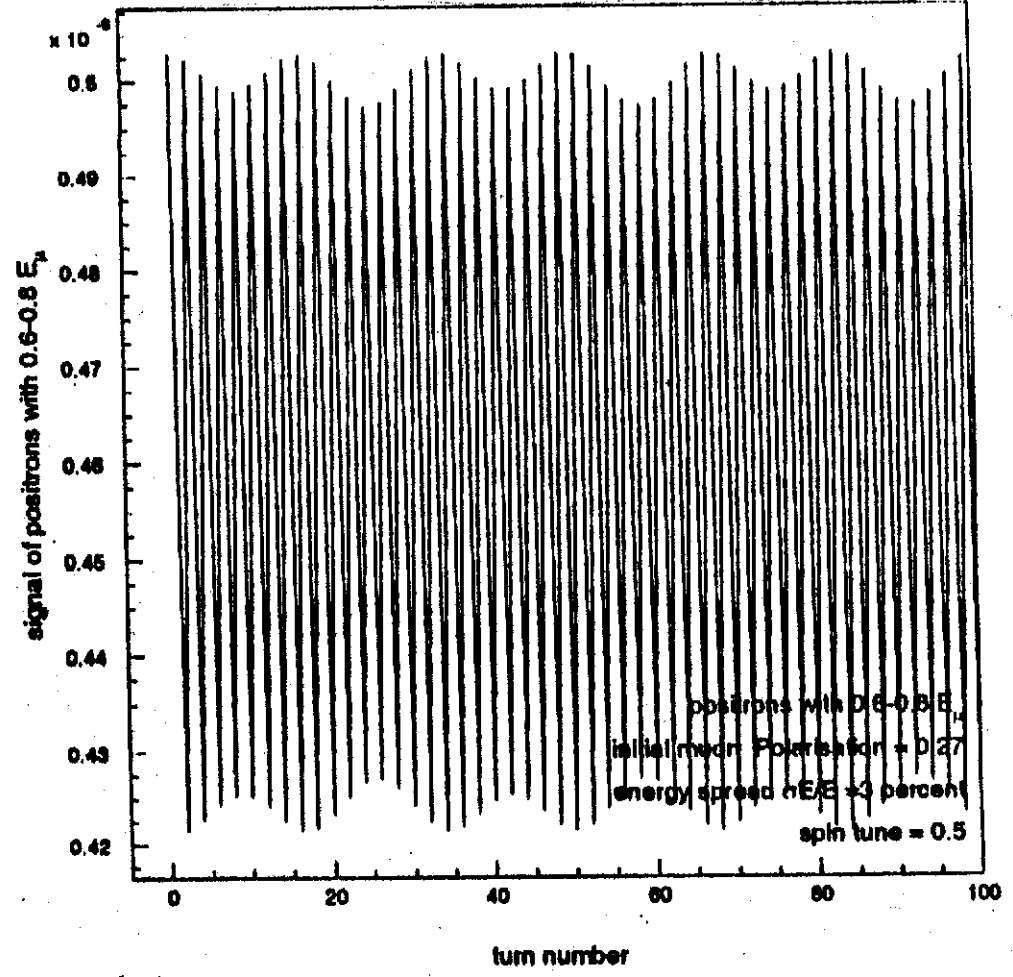
$$\Rightarrow P_{\text{eff}} \approx 0.7 |P|$$

$$v = 0.5000 \pm (\underline{\underline{\leq 10^{-3}}}) \Rightarrow P_{\text{eff}} = |P|$$

NO RF



RF bunching



*(continued by Rajal)*

RF with  $Q_s \approx \Delta p/p$  eliminates depolarization. True in RL

Fig. 3. Oscillation with turn number in a fill of the number of electrons in the energy range  $0.6-0.8 E_\mu$  (normalised to the total number of muon decays during the given run). The oscillation amplitude is a measure of the beam polarisation, its frequency a measure of the beam energy, and, if there is no RF bunching, its decrease with time is a measure of energy spread. The muon lifetime corresponds here to 300 turns. The beam energy is  $E_\mu = 45.311 \text{ GeV}$ , the energy spread is  $3 \times 10^{-2}$ . On the left there is no bunching RF in the muon storage ring, on the right there is RF



DEPOLARIZATION CAN BE AVOIDED

- WITH BOW TIE
- WITH RF-BUNCHING,  $Q_s \geq \frac{DP}{P}$

PRECESSION LOSES 30% OF POLARIZATION if  
• CAN BE AVOIDED WITH BOW-TIE  $E \neq 45.311$   
 $\pm 2 \cdot 10^{-4}$ !

TROMBONG OR TRIANGLE:

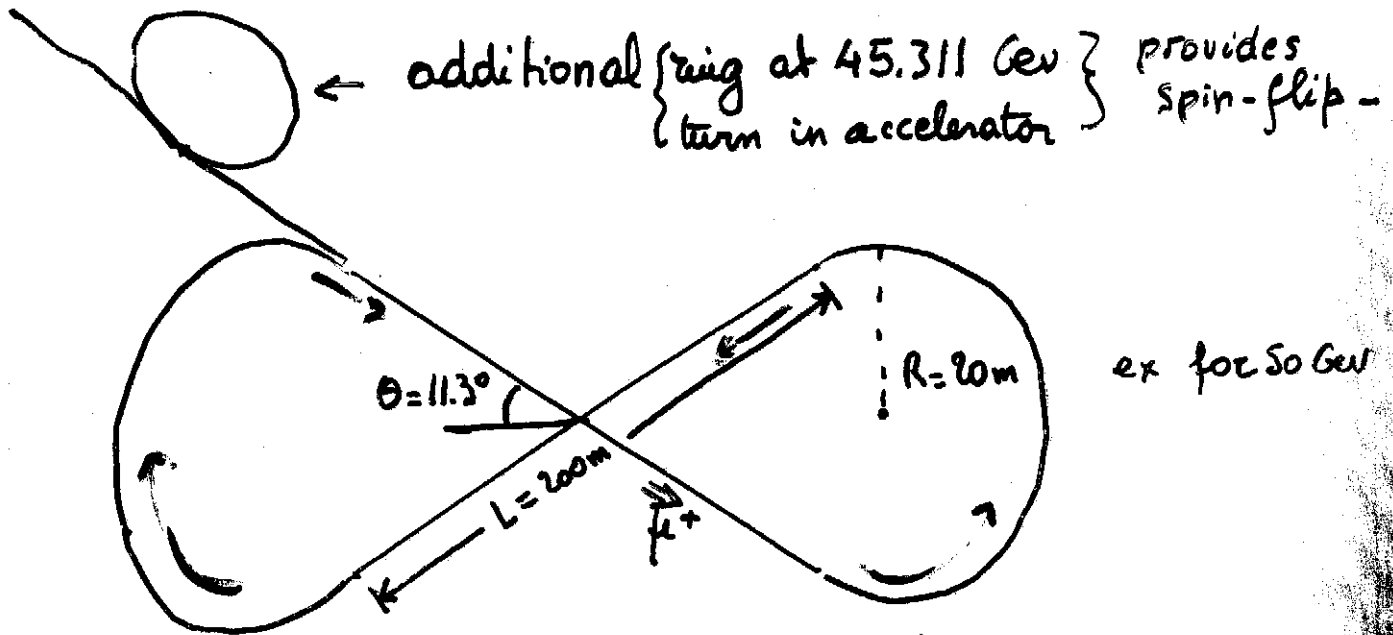
THIS ASSUMES NO

RE-BUNCHING

(NO RF IN STORAGE  
RING)

# DESIGN A STORAGE RING

WITH NO SPIN PRECESSION!



GREENLAND

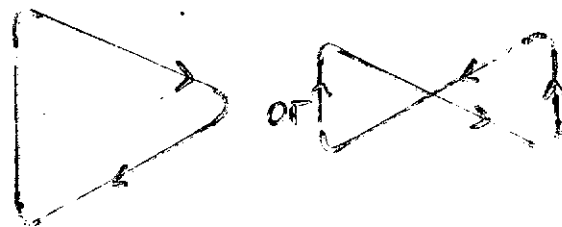
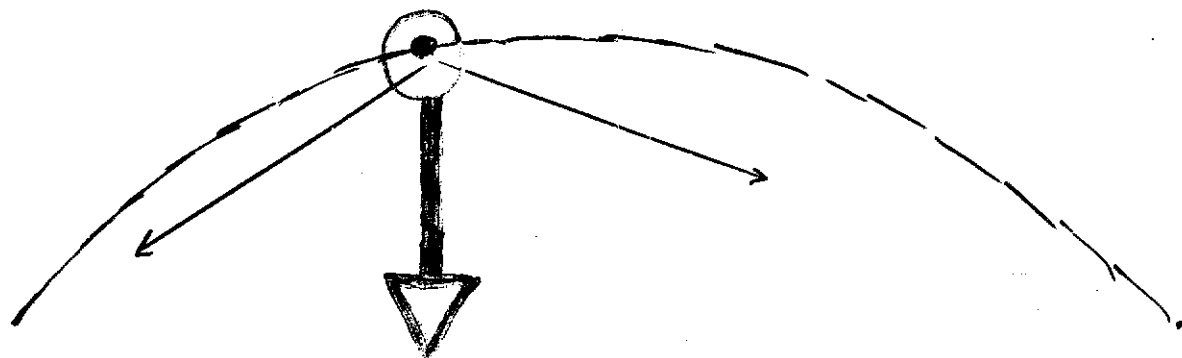
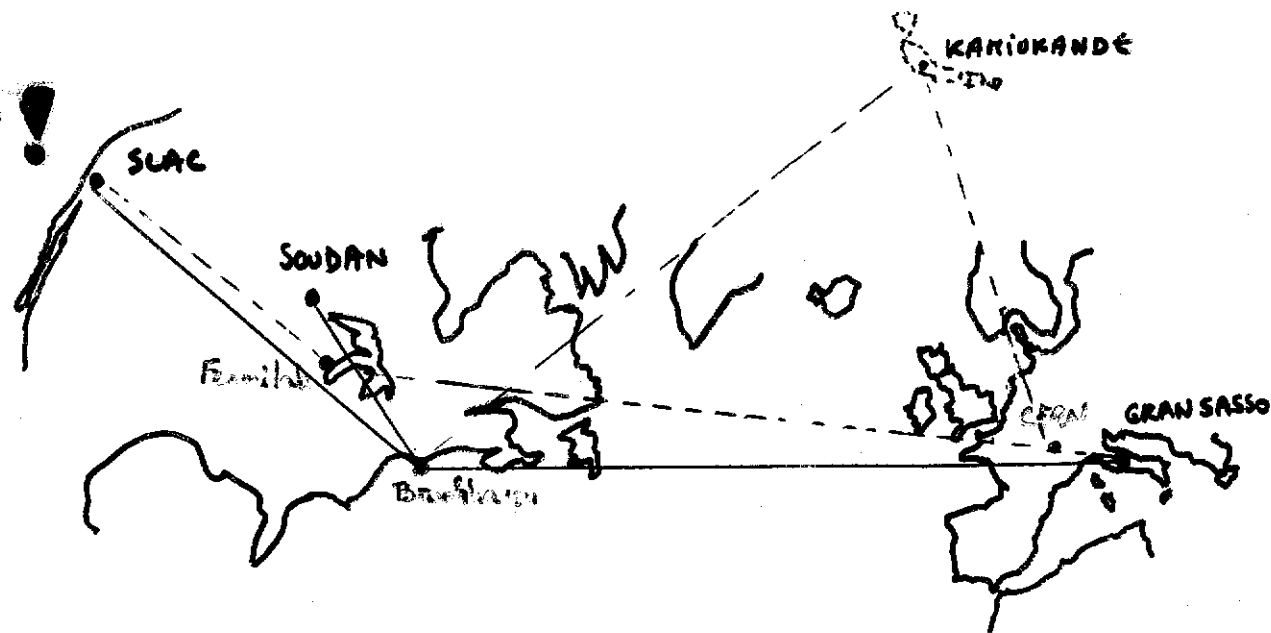
GRAND  
SAL

- POLARIZATION IS PRESERVED FOR ALL ENERGIES

BUT

- ⇒ NO ENERGY CALIBRATION!
- ⇒ NO REGULAR SPIN FLIP.
- ⇒ NO DEPOLARIZATION!

# A WORLD MACHING!



through or "Bow-tie"

# CONCLUSIONS

- **MUON POLARIZATION CONTROLS**  $v_e/v_\mu$  ratio
  - ⇒ { IMPROVES STATISTICAL POWER
  - { ALLOWS VALUABLE CROSS-CHECKS
- BY BEING CAREFUL AN EFFECTIVE POLARIZATION OF  $[\cdot 15 \rightarrow \cdot 25]$  SHOULD BE EASY TO KEEP
- WITH MORE EFFORT
  - $P_{eff} \rightarrow 0.4$
  - {
    - 1<sup>ST</sup> PHASE ROTATION
    - CULLING OF  $\mu$ 'S
    - Bunch by bunch (5ns)
    - recording of intensity / Polarization
- RING @  $45.311 (\pm < 10^{-3})$  - DIFFICULT } keep it all  
BOW-TIE - BETTER
- POLARIZATION MEASUREMENT FROM DECAY  $e^\pm$  SEEMS QUITE FEASIBLE -  
(MUST BE FIT IN 1<sup>ST</sup> MAGNET AFTER STRAIGHT)
- LOOKS LIKE A COST-EFFECTIVE WAY TO IMPROVE PHYSICS OUTPUT