

FOUR-FAMILY NEUTRINO OSCILLATIONS

AT

NUFACT

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NEAR FUTURE

- LSND will be
CONFIRMED / NOT CONFIRMED
by MiniBooNe

- SNO will say something on:

SOLAR NEUTRINO PROBLEM
IS $\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_s$ OR NOT

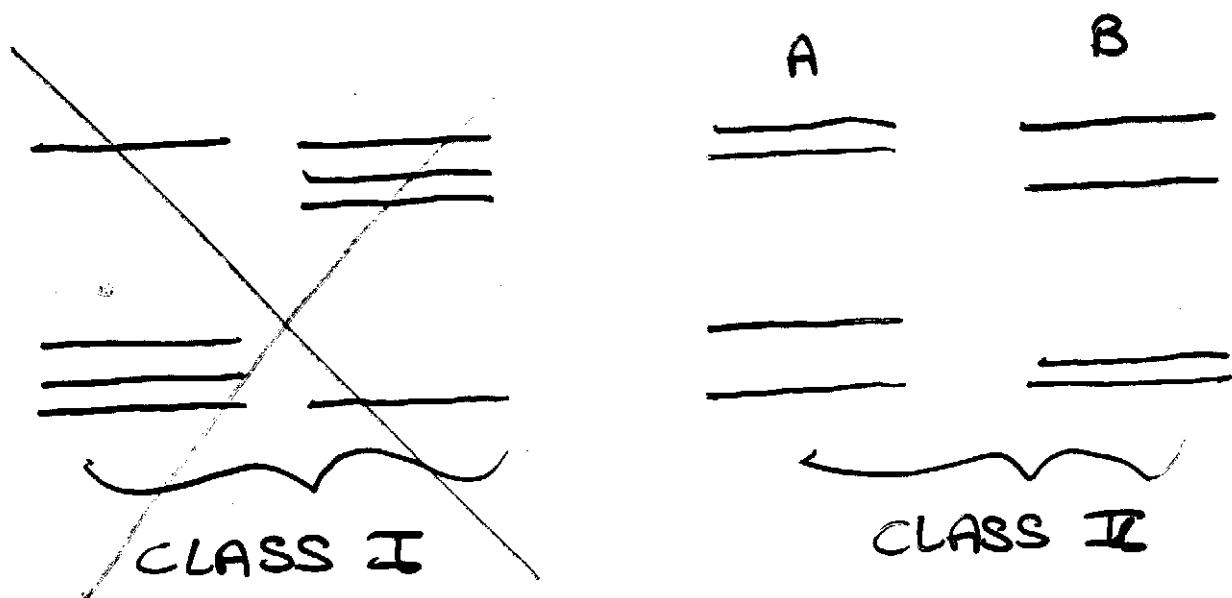
IF SNP IS NOT $\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_s \Rightarrow$

the REST OF THE TALK IS
PROBABLY USELESS

OUTLINE

- PARAMETRIZATION ISSUE
- BOUNDS ON MIXING ANGLES
- SENSITIVITY AT THE NUFACT
- CP-VIOLATION AT THE NUFACT
- COMMENTS AND CONCLUSIONS

WHICH SCENARIO?



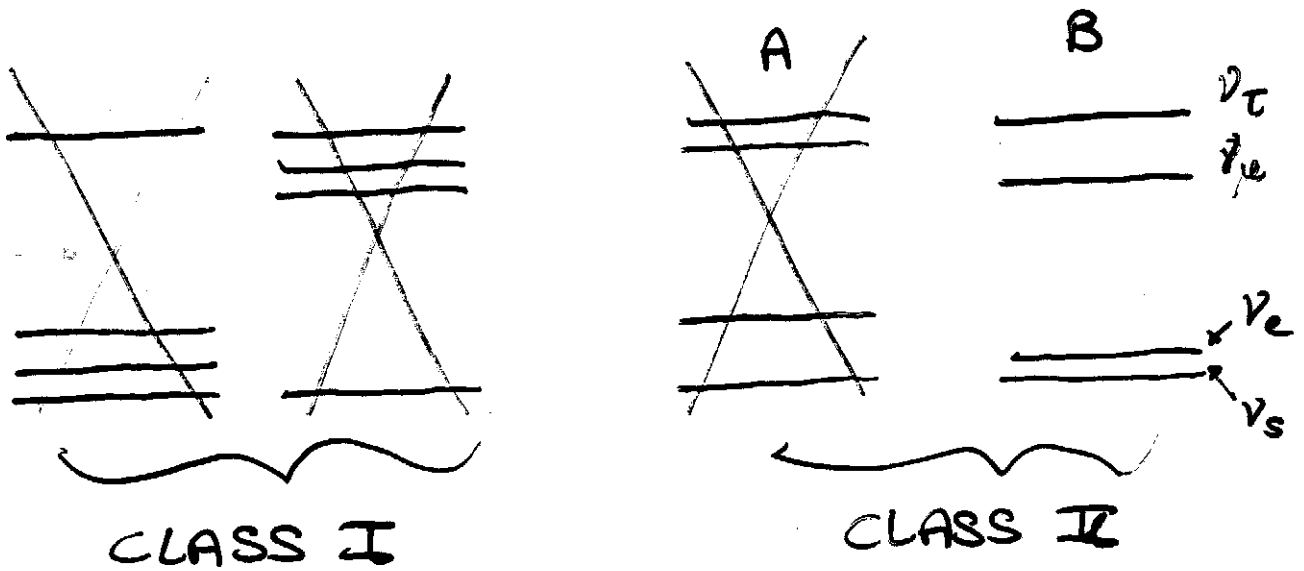
EXCLUDED BY DATA

(Bilenky, Giunti, Grimus in many papers)

$$\left(|U_{\mu 4} U_{e 4}^*|^2 \leq |U_{\mu 4}|^2 |U_{e 4}|^2 \leq 0.008 \right)$$

is not verified in the allowed
L3ND region

WHICH SCENARIO?



$$m_1 < m_2 \leq m_3 < m_4$$

$$\Delta m_{12}^2 \sim \Delta m_{\text{SDN}}^2$$

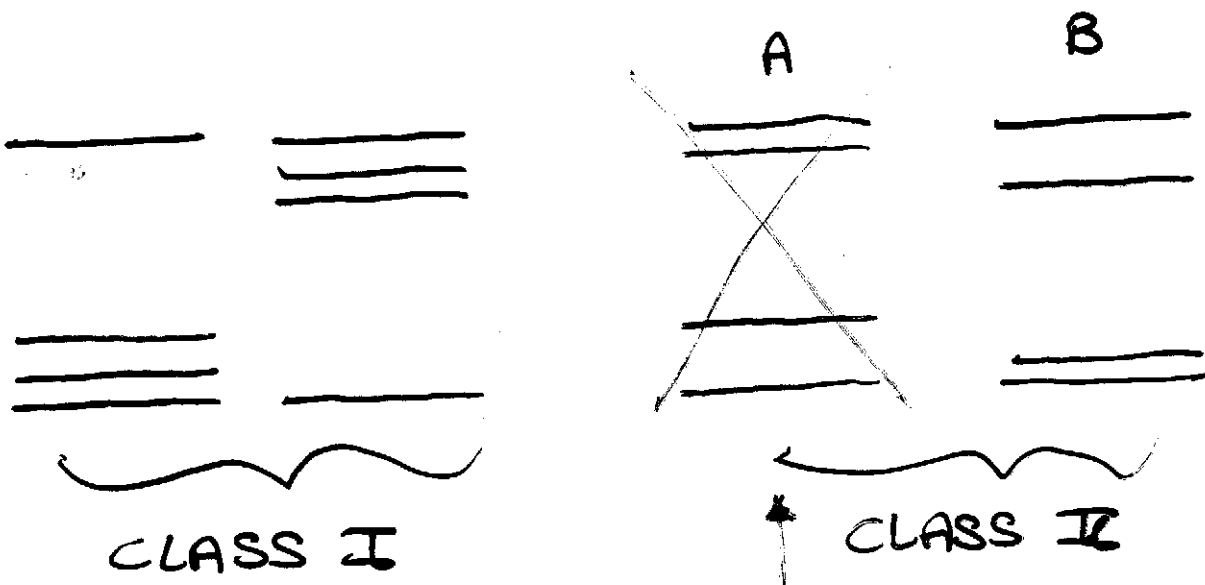
$$\sim 10^{-4} \text{ eV}^2$$

$$\Delta m_{34}^2 \sim \Delta m_{\text{ATM}}^2$$

$$\sim 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$$

$$\Delta m_{\text{LSND}}^2 \sim 1 \text{ eV}^2$$

WHICH SCENARIO?



ALMOST RULED OUT BY
HEIDELBERG-MOSCOW

$\beta\beta_{0\nu}$

PARAMETRIZATION

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U_{MNS} is a 4×4 UNITARY MATRIX



6 ANGLES

3 PHASES (DIRAC)

+

3 PHASES (MAJORANA)

(not observable in oscillations)

SINCE

$$U = \prod_1^6 U_i$$

MANY POSSIBLE PARAMETRIZATIONS

(... DOES NOT EXIST THE
"MOST GENERAL PARAMETRIZATION" ...)

EXAMPLE: 3 FAMILIES

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TAKE

$$U_{MNS} = U(\theta_{23}) U(\theta_{13}, \delta) U(\theta_{12})$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e) = 1 & - 4 c_{12}^2 s_{12}^2 c_{13}^4 \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{12}^2 L}{4E} \right) \\
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A CLEVER CHOICE....

$$U_{MNS} = U(\theta_{14}) U(\theta_{13}) U(\theta_{24}) \times \\ U(\theta_{23}, \delta_3) U(\theta_{34}, \delta_2) U(\theta_{12}, \delta_1)$$

• SENSITIVITY: $\Delta m_{12}^2 \sim \Delta m_{34}^2 \sim 0$

\Rightarrow 4 ANGLES AND 1 PHASE

$(\theta_{13}, \theta_{14}, \theta_{23}, \theta_{24})$ (δ_3)

(ONE-MASS SCALE DOMINANCE)

• CP-VIOLATION: $\Delta m_{12}^2 \sim 0$

\Rightarrow 5 ANGLES AND 2 PHASES

$(+ \theta_{34})$ $(+ \delta_2)$

(TWO-MASS SCALES DOMINANCE)

BOUNDS

- BUGEY-CHOOZ GIVE

$$P(\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e) = 1 - 2e_{23}^2 c_{24}^2 [1 - c_{23}^2 c_{24}^2]$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\sin^2 \theta_{23} \sim \sin^2 \theta_{24} \lesssim 7.5 \cdot 10^{-3}}$$

(mainly Bugey for high Δm_{23}^2)

- LSND GIVES $(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu)$ A BOUND FOR

$$c_{13}^2 \cdot c_{24}^2 \cdot \sin^2 \theta_{23} \text{ depending on } \Delta m_{23}^2$$

↳ WE CHOOSE TO BE CONSERVATIVE,
TAKING ALL THE GAP CROSSING ANGLES
SMALL

NOTICE: BOUND ON θ_{23} SHOULD BE
REDUCED TO

$$\boxed{\sin^2 \theta_{23} < 3.7 \cdot 10^{-3}}$$

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- SHORT BASELINE

$$L \approx 1 \text{ km}$$

$$L \approx O(10 \text{ km}) \text{ FOR CP-VIOLATION}$$

- $\begin{cases} N_{\mu} = 2 \times 10^{20} & \text{USEFUL MOONS} \\ E_{\mu} = 20 \text{ GeV} \end{cases}$



SMALL DETECTOR

$$\begin{cases} M = 1 \text{ TON AT } 1 \text{ km} \\ M = 1 \text{ KTON AT } O(10 \text{ km}) \end{cases}$$

μ, τ -CHARGE IDENTIFICATION NEEDED
TO SPAN THE FULL PARAMETER SPACE

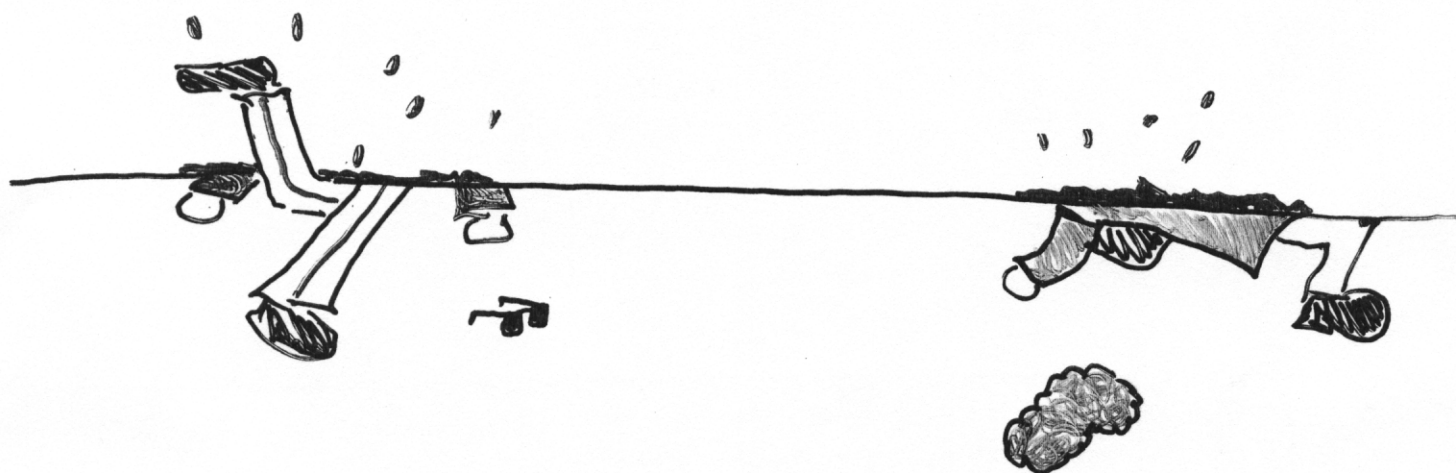
$$\begin{cases} E_{\mu} = 0.5 \\ E_{\tau} = 0.35 \end{cases} \text{ CONSIDERED EFFICIENCIES}$$

TYPICAL SIZE OF THE DETECTOR



The ~~1~~KTon DETECTOR
(AT 1 km)

THE 40 kTON
"IRON
DETECTOR"



OR "SIZE DOES MATTER"

PROBABILITIES (CP-EVEN)

μ -APPEARANCE

$$P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu) = 4 c_{13}^2 c_{24}^2 c_{23}^2 s_{23}^2 \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{23}^2 L}{4E} \right)$$

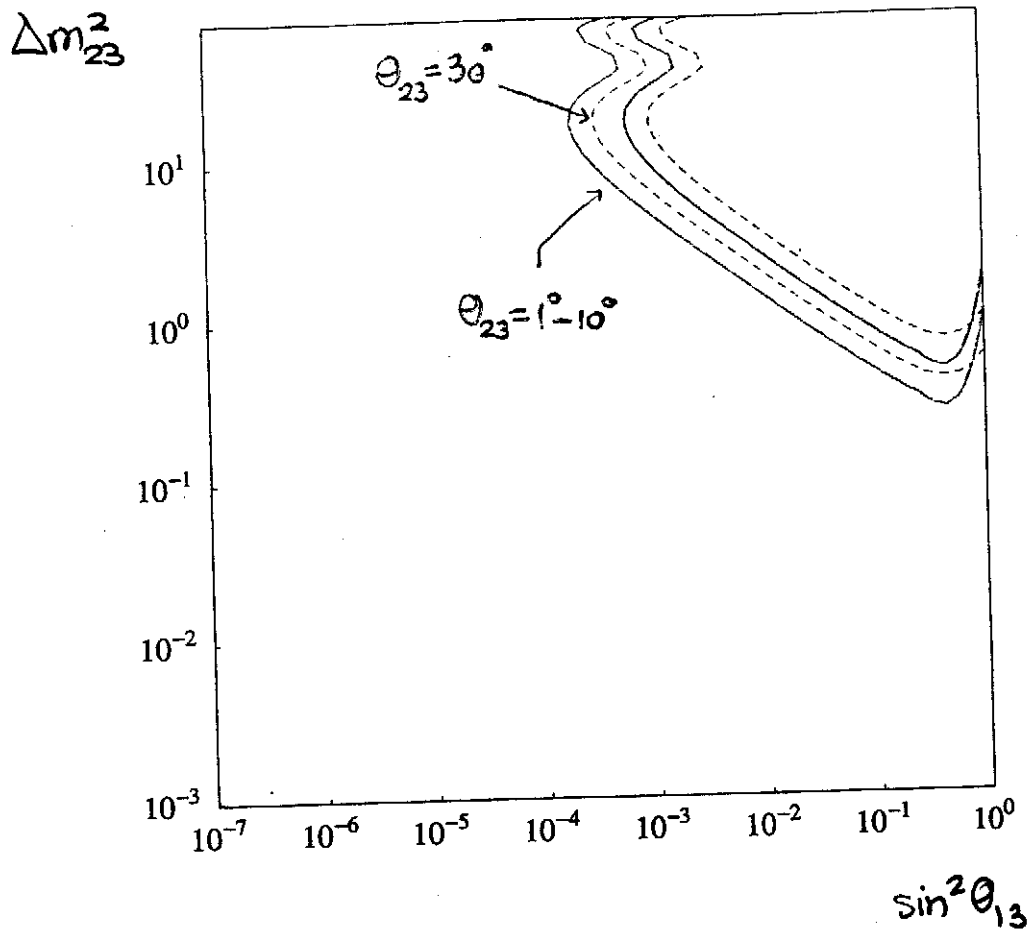
μ -DISAPPEARANCE

$$P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\mu) = 1 - 4 c_{13}^2 c_{23}^2 (s_{23}^2 + s_{13}^2 c_{23}^2) \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{23}^2 L}{4E} \right)$$

τ -APPEARANCE

$$P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\tau) = 4 c_{23}^2 c_{24}^2 \left[s_{13}^2 s_{14}^2 s_{23}^2 + c_{14}^2 c_{23}^2 s_{24}^2 - 2 c_{14} c_{23} s_{14} s_{23} s_{13} s_{24} \cos \delta_3 \right] \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{23}^2 L}{4E} \right)$$

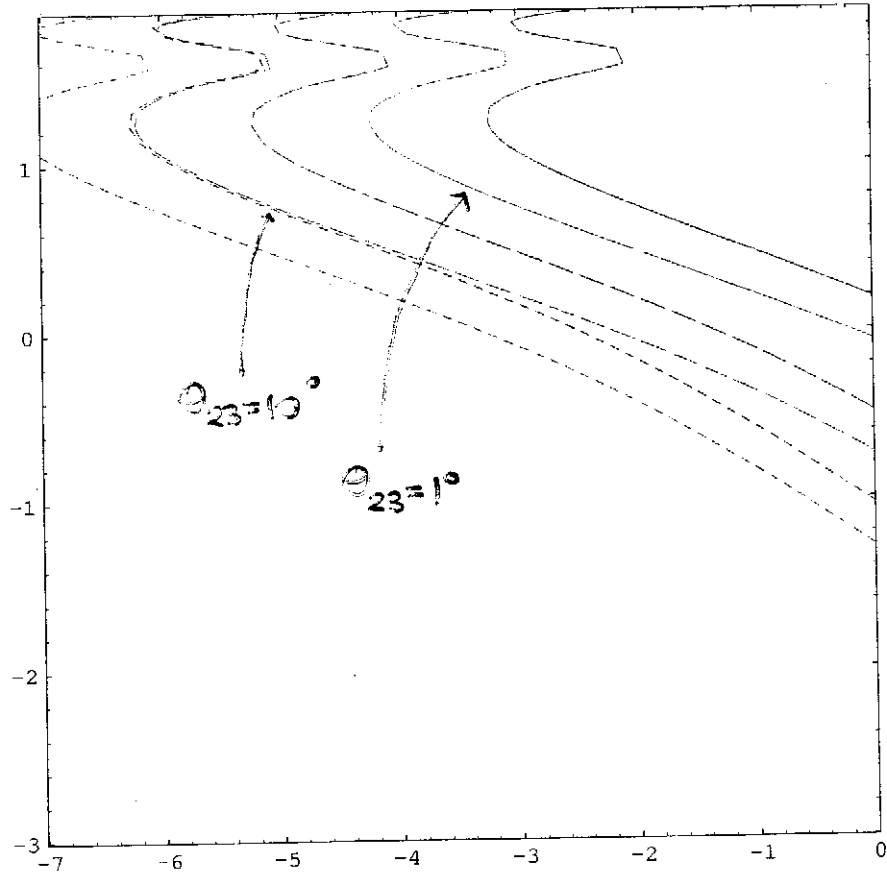
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$$\theta_{24} = \theta_{14} = 1^\circ$$

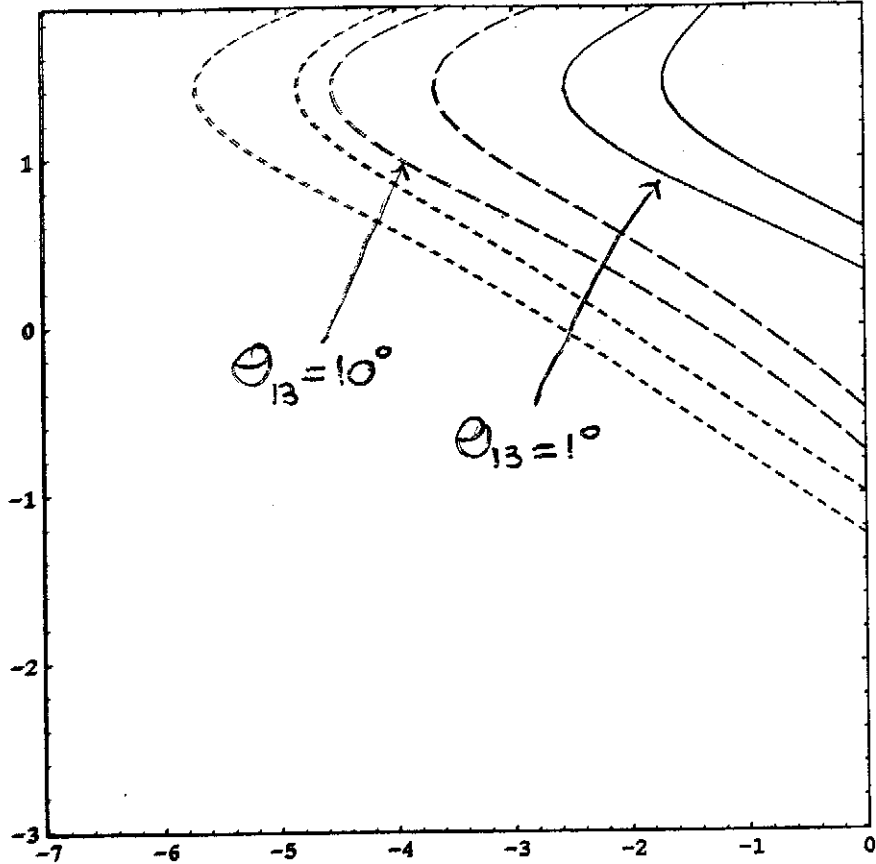
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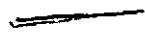
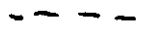
$\sin^2 \theta_{24}$

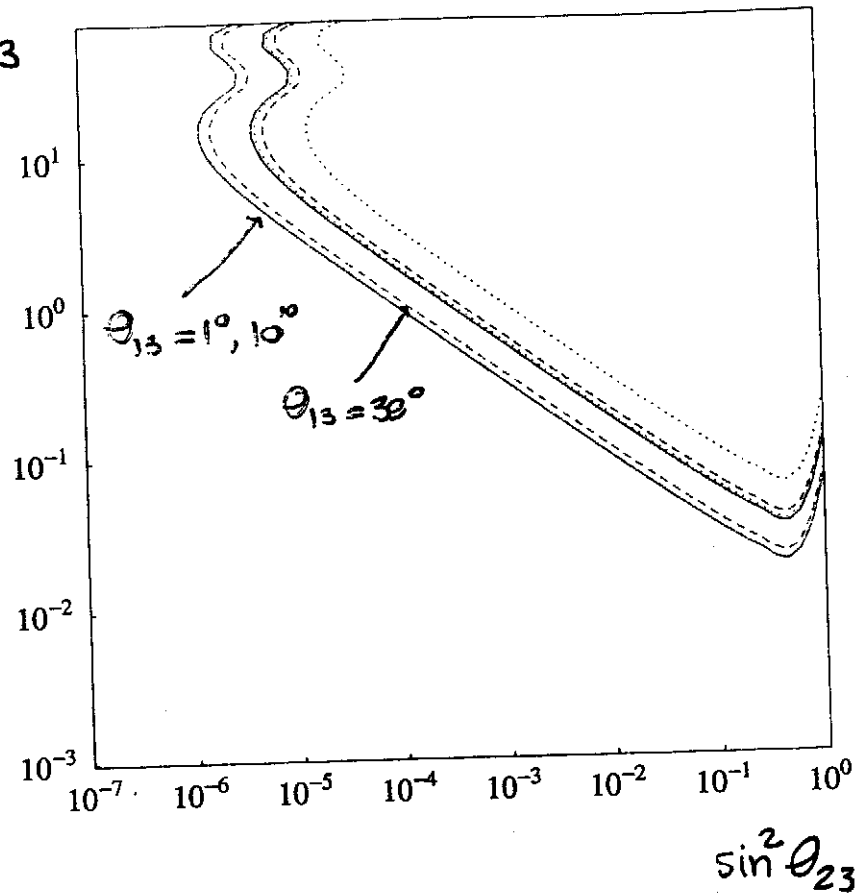
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Δm_{23}^2



$\sin^2 \theta_{14}$

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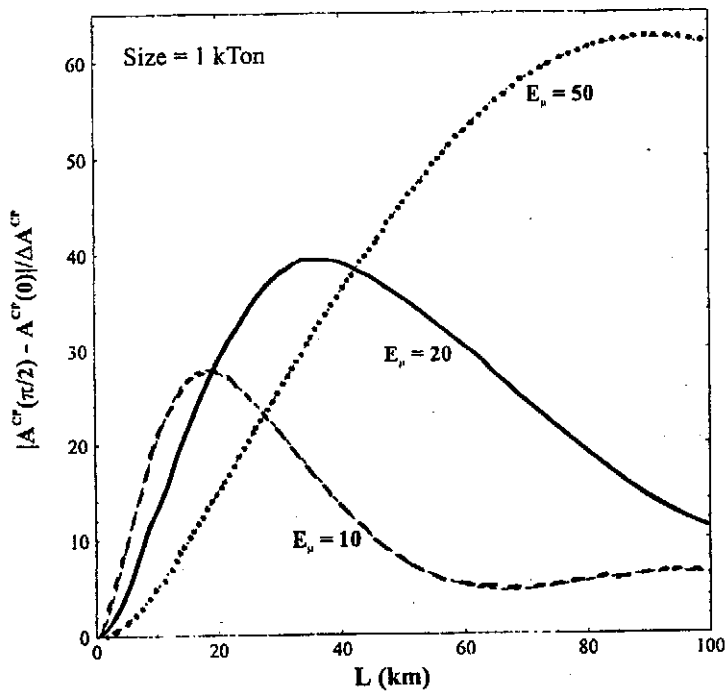
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Energy Dependence - $\mu\bar{\nu}$ channel



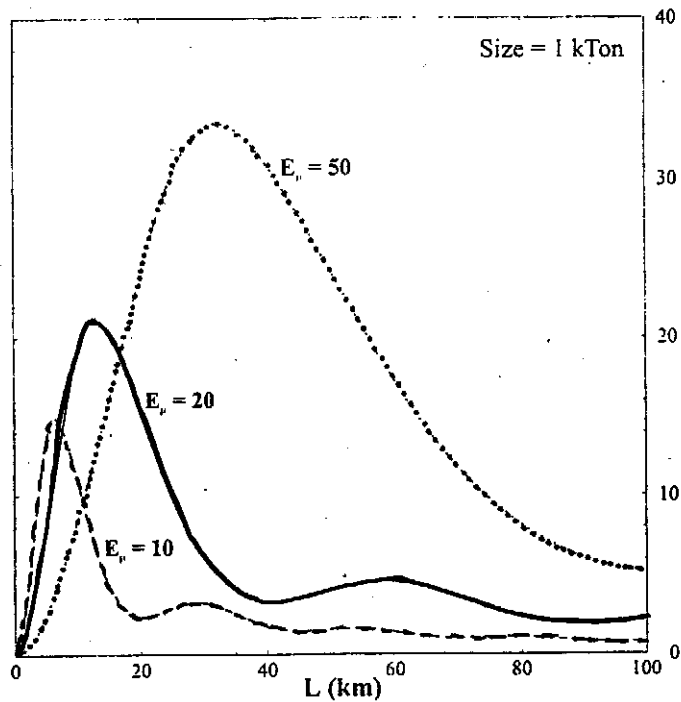
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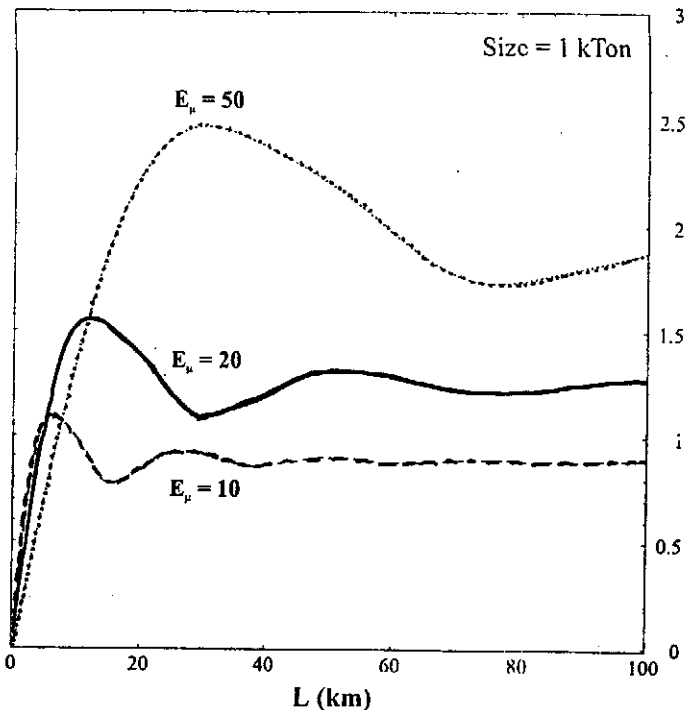
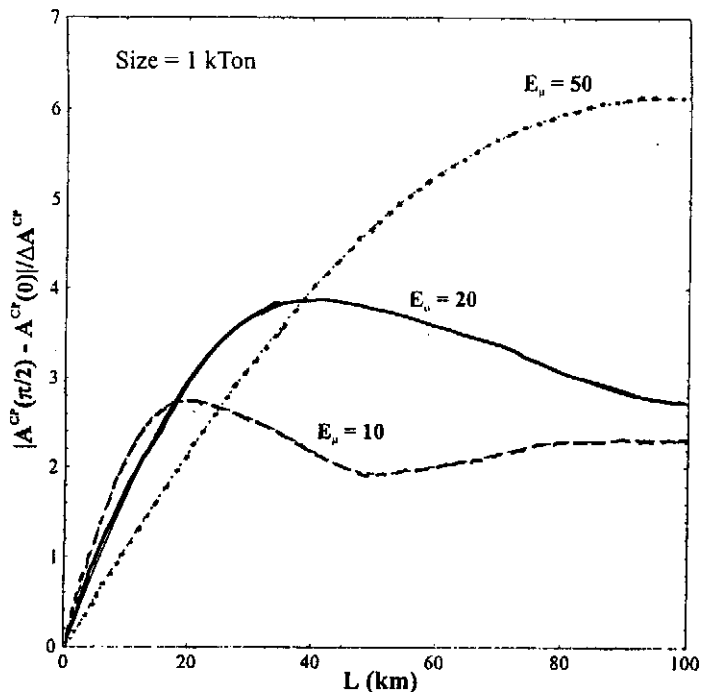
Set # 2

$$\Delta m_{23}^2 = 1 \text{ eV}^2$$

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Energy Dependence - μ channel



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CP-VIOLATION

TWO MASS DIFFERENCES NEEDED:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} J_{\alpha\beta}^{ij} = \text{Im} [U_{\alpha i} U_{\alpha j}^* U_{\beta i}^* U_{\beta j}] \\ \Delta_{ij} = \frac{\Delta m_{ij}^2 L}{4E} \end{array} \right.$$



$$\begin{aligned} \Delta P_{\alpha\beta} &= P(\nu_\alpha \rightarrow \nu_\beta) - P(\bar{\nu}_\alpha \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\beta) = \\ &= -4 J_{\alpha\beta}^{34} [\sin 2\Delta_{23} + \sin 2\Delta_{34} + \sin 2\Delta_{42}] \\ &\quad + 4 J_{\alpha\beta}^{12} \sin 2\Delta_{21} \\ &\quad + 4 J_{\alpha\beta}^{13} [\sin 2\Delta_{31} - \sin 2\Delta_{32}] \\ &\quad + 4 J_{\alpha\beta}^{14} [\sin 2\Delta_{41} - \sin 2\Delta_{42}] \end{aligned}$$

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SINCE CP-VIOLATION
IN FOUR-FAMILY SCENARIO
GOES WITH

$$\left(\frac{\Delta m_{\text{ATM}}^2 L}{4E} \right) \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{\text{LSND}}^2 L}{4E} \right)$$

MUCH BIGGER

MAXIMUM
MUCH NEARER

THAN FOR
THREE-FAMILY
(DOMINATED BY Δm_{SUN}^2)

WE MEASURE THE
STATISTICAL SIGNIFICANCE OF
THE ASYMMETRIES

$$\frac{A_{\alpha\beta}}{\Delta A_{\alpha\beta}} \propto \frac{P_{\alpha\beta}^{CP}}{\sqrt{P_{\alpha\beta}^{CP}}}$$

← DUE TO THIS FACTOR

CP-VIOLATION IS
BETTER MEASURED
IN

$$P(\nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{\tau})$$

THAN

$$P(\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_{\mu})$$

(OPPOSITE TO
THREE-FAMILIES)

MATTER EFFECTS

(... & comment....)

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CONSIDERED MATTER EFFECTS
IN FOUR-FAMILY NEUTRINO MODEL

$$\dots + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & & & \\ & A+B & & \\ & & B & \\ & & & B \end{pmatrix}$$

AND FOUND IT NEGLECTIBLE.

HOWEVER, $L < 100 \text{ km}$

\Rightarrow YOU CAN DRAW
YOUR OWN CONCLUSION
.....

CONCLUSIONS

- NOFACT IS SENSITIVE TO THE WHOLE PARAMETER SPACE IN THE ONE-MASS DOMINANCE SCENARIO
 $\theta_{13}, \theta_{14}, \theta_{23}, \theta_{24}$
(PROBABLY NOT TO δ_3)
- μ AND τ -CHARGE IDENTIFICATION NEEDED
- $L \sim 1 \text{ km}$, $M \gtrsim 1 \text{ TON}$, 2×10^{20} MUONS
(PERHAPS, BETTER INCREASING M A BIT...)
- CP-VIOLATION SEEMS TO BE "EASY" TO STUDY WITH 1 KTON, $L = 10\text{-}100 \text{ km}$ IN THE $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\tau$ CHANNEL
- HOWEVER: NO SERIOUS STUDY OF BACKGROUND, EFFICIENCY, CORRELATIONS HAVE BEEN DONE