Introduction to physics session and CPV studies

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Physics potential session

Physics Potential (09:50-11:45)

| time | title | presenter | |
|--|---|---|---------------|
| 09:50 | CP study update | YOKOYAMA, Masashi | |
| 10:10 | Break | | |
| 10:35 | Considerations for a Near Detector for the Tokai-to-HK experiment | TANAKA, Hirohisa A. | Long baseline |
| 10:55 | Off-Axis Detectors as Direct Measurements of Neutrino Energy Reconstruction | MCFARLAND, Kevin HARTZ, Mark | |
| 11:15 | Atmospheric Neutrino Sensitivity Studies | WENDELL, Roger | |
| 11:30 | Muon charge identification with gadolinium-loaded water | MAUGER, Christopher | Armospheric |
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Homework from last meeting (I)



- Systematic uncertainties are important in CPV measurement
- Need to quantify and make plans
 - List possible systematics sources
 - Identify systematics with large effect
 - How and how much constrain uncertainties
 - Baseline configuration of near detector(s)

Yokoyama, Aug. 2012 HK meeting



Homework from last meeting (2)





Looking inside the Earth with $\boldsymbol{\nu}$

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II PHYSICS POTENTIAL

F. Neutrino geophysics

In this section, the radiographic measurements of the Earth with Hyper-Kamiokande will be discussed.

1. Geophysical motivation

There is a section in Lol on *neutrinographic* measurement of the Earth.

The Earth's internal structure and chemical composition have been estimated by analyzing seismic data to derive seismic velocities inside the Earth, in conjunction with many laboratory experiments and model calculations. Until recent years, these esismic waves had been the only probe that could penetrate the Earth. In order to construof models have been considered. PREM [69] and 1066A [122] are two major models, both of which describe the spherically symmetric structure of the Earth. PREM and 1066A are both parametrized models where the seismic velocities $V_p(x)$ a relationship with the density $\rho(x)$ via the gravity g, bull is an uncertainty regarding the absolute density distributo find an independent method to directly measure the dewhat kind of method can be used for this purpose? Drilling and core sampling enable us to directly

examine material inside the Earth. However, considering the fact that the world's deepest such

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CPV sensitivity

Ve candidates after selection

 $sin^2 2\theta_{13}=0.1, \delta=0$, normal MH



| | Signal (vµ→v _e CC) | Wrong sign appearance | ν _μ /ν _μ CC | v_e/v_e contamination | NC |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----|
| V (2.25MW · 10 ⁷ s) | 3,560 | 46 | 35 | 880 | 649 |
| ∇ (5.25MW · 10 ⁷ s) | 1,959 | 380 | 23 | 878 | 678 |

2000-3000 signal events expected for each of v and \overline{v}

WPER



Ve candidates

Difference from $\delta=0$

Effect of δ





Statistics for CPV meas.

7.5MWyr total, Erec<1.2GeV

| ν | δ=0 | π/6 | π/3 | π/2 | π | 3π/2 |
|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| N(sig) | 3458 | 3059 | 2719 | 2597 | 3372 | 4233 |
| N/N(δ=0) | 1.0 | 0.885 | 0.786 | 0.751 | 0.975 | 1.224 |
| ±stat | ±0.020 | ±0.021 | ±0.023 | ±0.024 | ±0.020 | ±0.017 |
| anti-V | δ=0 | π/6 | π/3 | π/2 | π | 3π/2 |
| N(sig) | 1000 | 2145 | | | | |
| 1 (518) | 1900 | 2145 | 2335 | 2382 | 1830 | 1346 |
| N/N(δ=0) | 1900 | 1.13 | 1.23 | 1.25 | 0.96 | 0.71 |

more than 10% variation for $\pi/6 < \delta < 5\pi/6$, $7\pi/6 < \delta < 11\pi/6$ (~70%)

*stat. err. are for total events



S/N and systematics

| 7 ΓΜ\Λ/ | ν | | anti-V | | |
|----------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|--|
| 7.51°1°vy | Signal | BG | Signal | BG | |
| Ν(δ=0) | 3458 | 1145 | 1900 | 1118 | |
| Fraction | 75.1% | 24.9% | 63.0% | 37.0% | |
| Syst. (*) | 0.038 | 0.012 | 0.031 | 0.019 | |

* Contribution to total error assuming 5% syst for each component.

NB: BG may be further reduced w/ new recon.

Larger θ₁₃ → better S/N Systematics on signal is more important (signal uncertainty more reliable than BG)

T.Nakaya, NNN12

T2K Experience

arbitrary uni

unit

The predicted number of events and systematic uncertainties

The predicted # of events w/ 3.01 x 10²⁰ p.o.t.

| Event category | $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.0$ | $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1$ |
|--|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Total | $3.22 {\pm} 0.43$ | 10.71 ± 1.10 |
| ν_e signal | 0.18 | 7.79 |
| ν_e background | 1.67 | 1.56 |
| $ u_{\mu} { m background}$ (mainly N | ICπº) 1.21 | 1.21 |
| $\overline{\nu}_{\mu} + \overline{\nu}_{e}$ background | 0.16 | 0.16 |

Systematic uncertainties

| Error source | $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0$ | $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1$ |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Beam flux+ ν int. | 87% | trar |
| in T2K fit | 0.1 /0 | arb |
| ν int. (from other exp.) | 5.9~% | $7.5 \ \%$ |
| Final state interaction | 3.1~% | 2.4 % |
| Far detector | 7.1~% | (3.1 %) |
| Total | 13.4~% | 10.3~% |
| (T2K 2011 results: | ~23% | ~18%) |
| | | |

big improvement from the T2K 2011 results

the predicted # of event distribution



T2K flux extrapolation and the detector uncertainties almost reach the Hyper-K requirement.

- Total Sys. error for $sin^2 2\theta_{13}=0.1$: ~10%
 - Beam flux + v int. constraint in T2K: 5.7%
 - External V cross section uncertainty from other experiment: 7.5%
 - Super-K detector uncertainty: 3.1%

Upcoming Cross section measurements in T2K-ND280 and the cross section model improvements are critical.

M.Hartz, first HK meeting

Conclusions

T2K has taken significant steps to achieving the levels of systematic uncertainty that will be necessary for a CP violation measurement

Flux uncertainties should be at 5% level or better with NA61 replica target data

- Need careful study of neutrinos in anti-neutrino running
- Also energy dependent off-axis angle type errors

Near detector samples already have large statistics and allow for reduction of total errors to the 10% level

- Need to understand energy dependent constraints
- Measurements on O are important
- Need to improve angular coverage
- Ongoing work for v_{a} and NC π^{0} measurements important for background

See next talk for details on cross section modeling uncertainties

With hard work, systematic uncertainties for Hyper-K appear to be within reach We will surely work hard!

CPV Discovery Sensitivity (w/ Mass Hierarchy known)



High Sensitivity to CPV w/ <~5% sys. error





 $I\sigma$ error of δ





ND configuration

- Effect of systematics in CPV measurement
 - Syst. of signal is most important for large θ_{13}
 - Good CPV sensitivity with 5% syst. (Lol)
 - ~2% systematics to exploit full potential
- T2K-ND280 (with possible upgrade/extension): baseline
- Feasibility of 2% (≲stat) syst. error should be studied
 - Can e.g. 2km detector, Water Cherenkov ND, and/or LAr ND improve systematics down to ~2%?
 - Additional (external) measurement (e.g. Ve xsec)?

Backup



$I\sigma \ error \ of \ \delta$



CP sensitivity, 2%/5% and $3\sigma/5\sigma$

