

HyperK sensitivity studies with simple-fitter

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Introduction: Simple Fitter

Characteristics of the simple fitter

- Simultaneous fit of appearance and disappearance spectra from both neutrino and anti-neutrino running;
- It uses shape information from reconstructed energy spectrum;
- It corresponds to a **binned likelihood**: for each energy bin compares the expected number of events for a given value of the oscillation parameters, to the expected number of events in this bin for the true value of the oscillation parameters.
- Systematic parameters are handled in a particular way:
 - Each systematic parameter correspond to a region of reconstructed energy and reweights the number of events in the corresponding energy bin (each energy bin is only reweighted by one nuisance parameters);
 - Sigma of each parameter and correlations between the parameters are given by a covariance matrix, which is obtained by toy MC;
- Selection cuts are the same as for the T2K ν_e and ν_μ analyses;

Simple Fitter has been used for **T2K Future Sensitivity studies** and **Hyper-K sensitivity studies in the J-PARC 2014 LoI** → See Yokoyama-san's talk yesterday or back-up slides;

Introduction: Simple Fitter

Parameters considered, unless otherwise stated

- Beam power: 7.5 MW x year $\rightarrow 1.56 \times 10^{22}$ POT;
- Horn current: ± 320 kA;
- $\nu : \bar{\nu} \rightarrow 1:3$;

Parameter	$\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$	δ_{CP}	$\sin^2 \theta_{23}$	Δm_{32}^2	$\sin^2 2\theta_{12}$	Δm_{12}^2
Nominal	0.10	0	0.5	2.4×10^{-3}	0.8794	7.6×10^{-5}
Treatment	Fitted	Fitted	Fitted	Fitted	Fixed	Fixed

Covariance matrix takes into account 3 sources for systematic errors:

- Parameters constrained by near detector fit
- Parameters non-constrained by near detector fit
- Far detector and finale state interactions: fully correlated between neutrino and anti-neutrino running;

Introduction: Error treatment

Source		T2K	Hyper-K
I	Fit to Near detector ¹	T2K	T2K
	CC Other shape ²	0.4	0
	Spectral function ²	1.0	0
	Fermi momentum ²	0.138	0
	Binding energy ²	0.36	0
II	CC Coherent ³	1	0.5
	NC Other ³	0.3	0.3
	NC Coherent ³	0.3	0.3
	Pion-less Δ decay ³	0.2	0.05
	CC $\sigma_{\nu_e}/\sigma_{\nu_\mu}$	not used	0.03
	CC $\sigma_\nu/\sigma_{\bar{\nu}}$	not used	0.06
III	Final State Interactions	T2K	T2K
	Far detector ⁴	T2K	$T2K/\sqrt{20}$

- ① Conservative assumption;
- ② Measured in current near detector fit;
- ③ Constrained by new near detector and Hyper-K samples;
- ④ Atmospheric control sample larger for Hyper-K;

Update on these error studies in Mark's talk tomorrow!

Introduction: updates

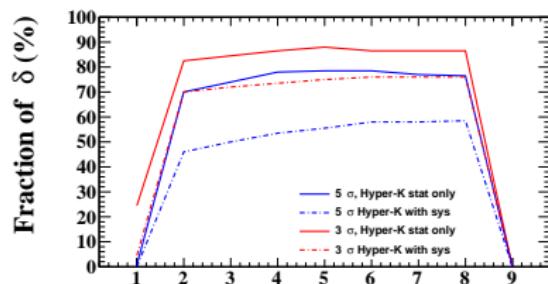
- 2014 Lol sensitivity (see Yokoyama-san's talk or back-up slides) has been updated considering:
 - ① CP sensivity vs $\nu : \bar{\nu}$ running ratio;
 - ② CP sensivity vs true value of $\sin^2(\theta_{23})$;
 - ③ Sensitivity to mass hierarchy;
 - ④ θ_{23} octant discrimination;

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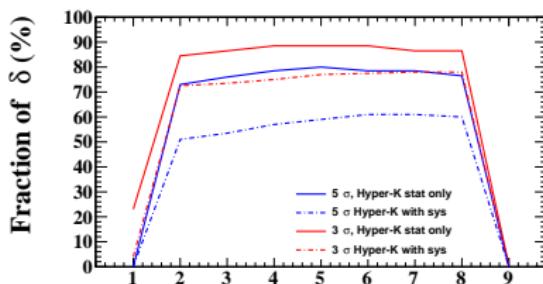
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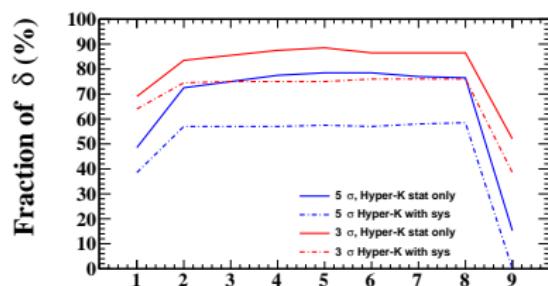


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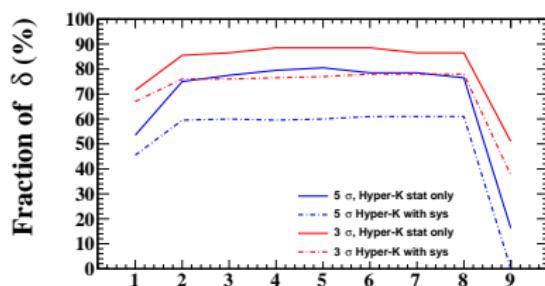
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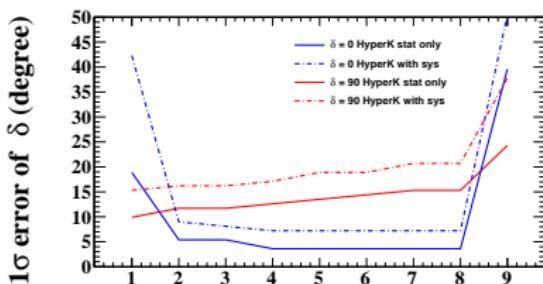
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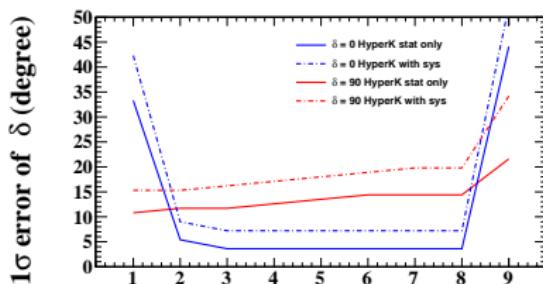
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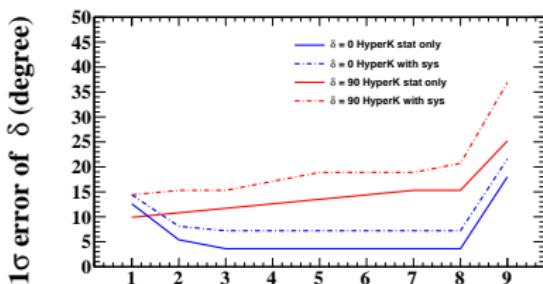


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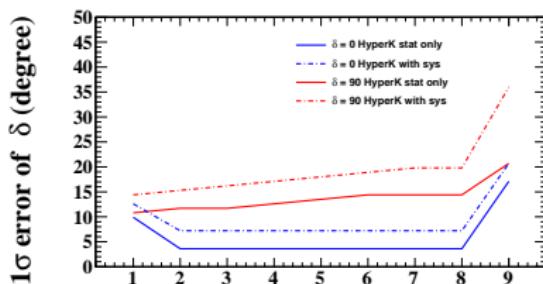
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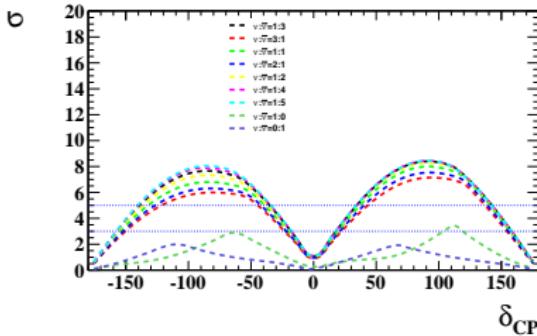


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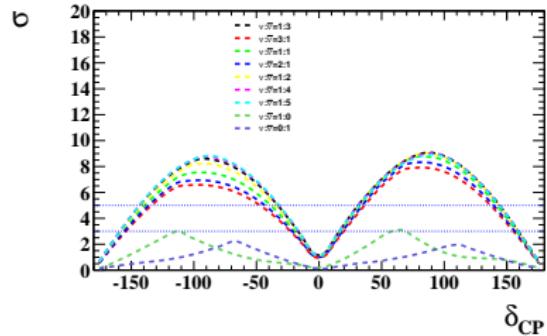
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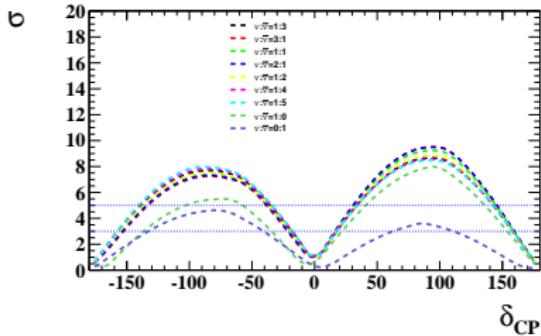


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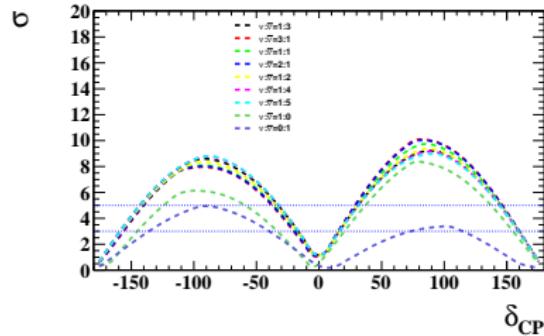
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Sensitivity to δ_{CP} discovery

- δ_{CP} coverage prefers a smaller $\nu : \bar{\nu}$ running ratio;
- with reactor constraint, fraction of δ_{CP} space covered at 3σ (5σ) is constant for all mixed running ratios at 76% (58%);
- δ_{CP} error is larger with more $\bar{\nu}$ running, but always smaller than 20 degrees for all δ_{CP} values;

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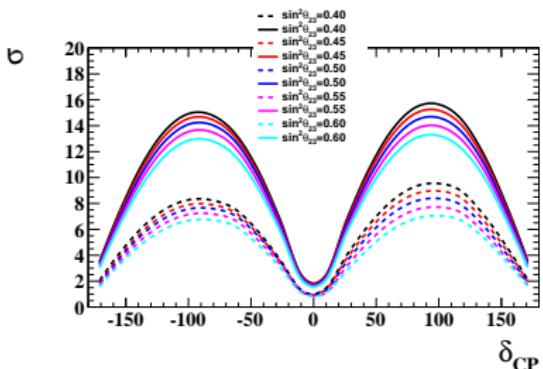
- We might want to consider different criteria to decide the $\nu : \bar{\nu}$ running ratio, such as cross-sections and systematic uncertainties.

CP sensitivity vs true value of $\sin^2(\theta_{23})$

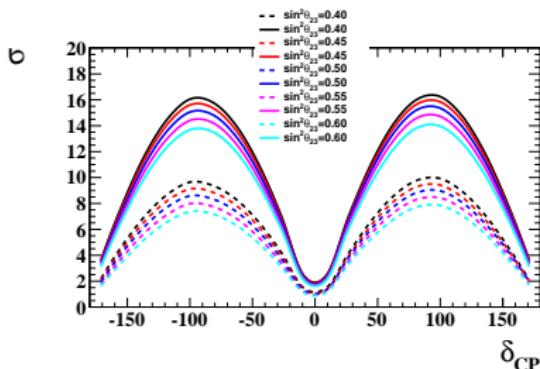
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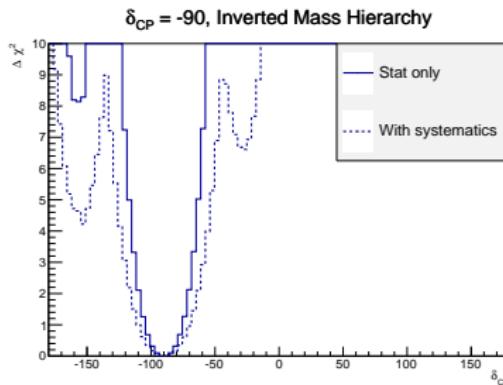
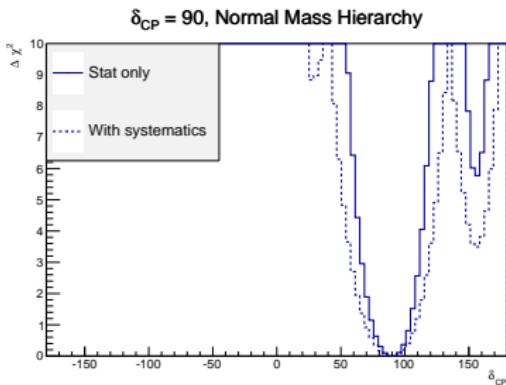
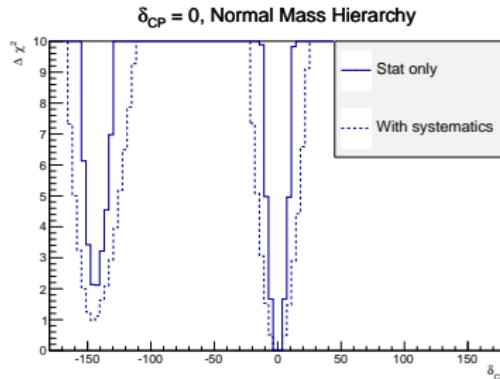
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CP sensitivity is highly dependent on true value of $\sin^2(\theta_{23})$

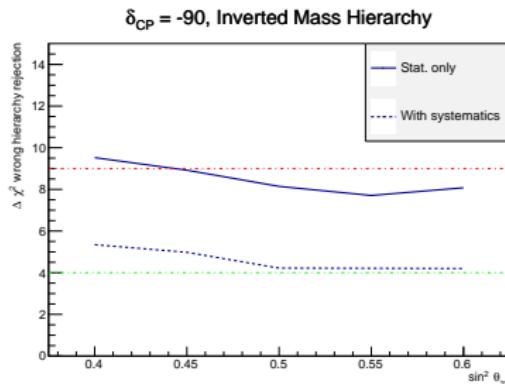
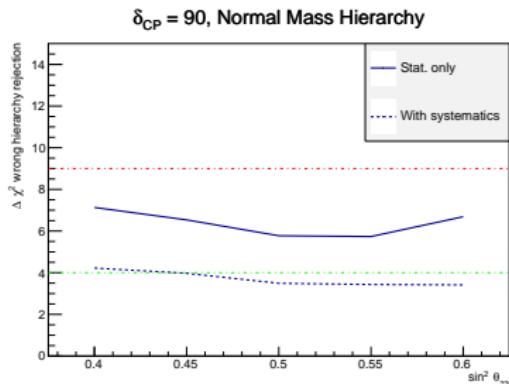
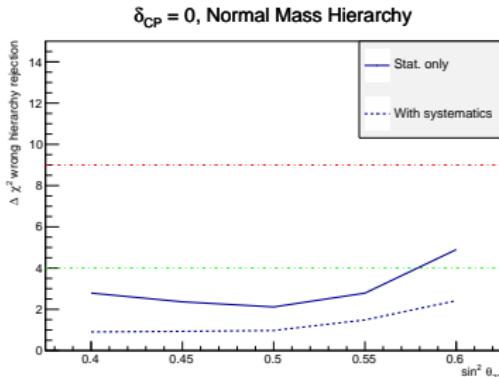
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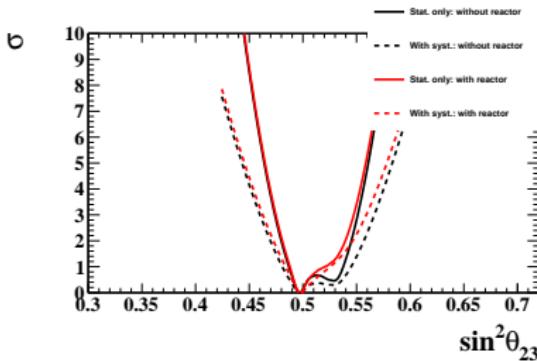
Sensitivity to mass hierarchy

- Mass hierarchy sensitivity is around 1σ for all values of $\sin^2 \theta_{23}$ if $\delta_{CP} = 0$ and normal MH;
- Mass hierarchy sensitivity is around 2σ for all values of $\sin^2 \theta_{23}$ if $\delta_{CP} = 90$ and normal MH or $\delta_{CP} = -90$ and inverted MH;
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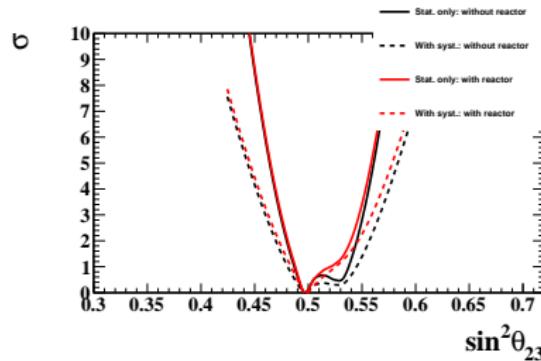
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Normal hierarchy



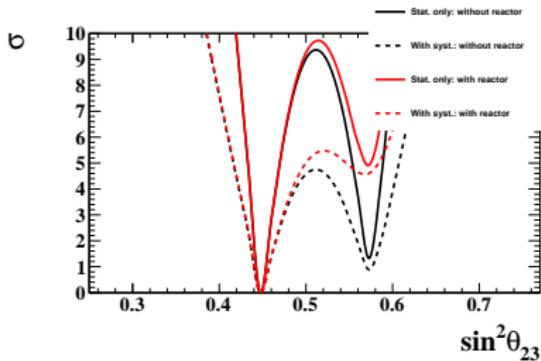
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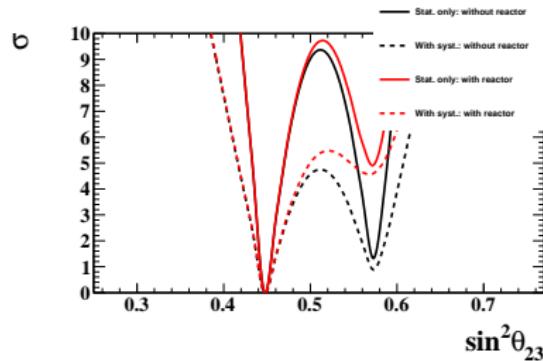
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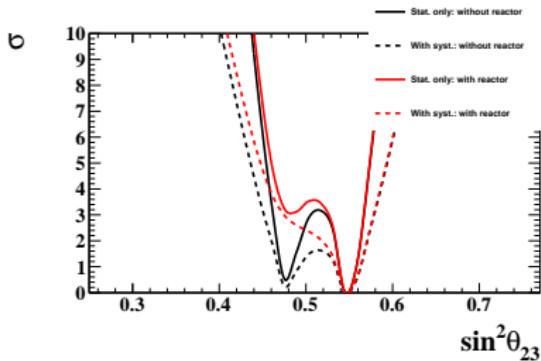
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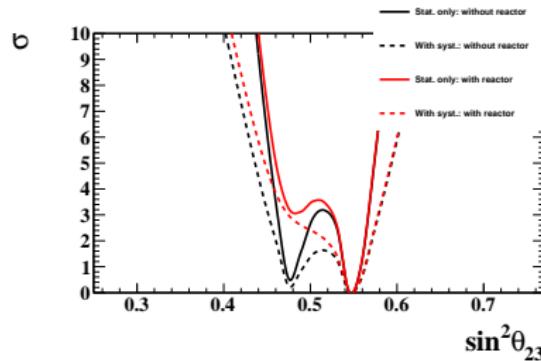
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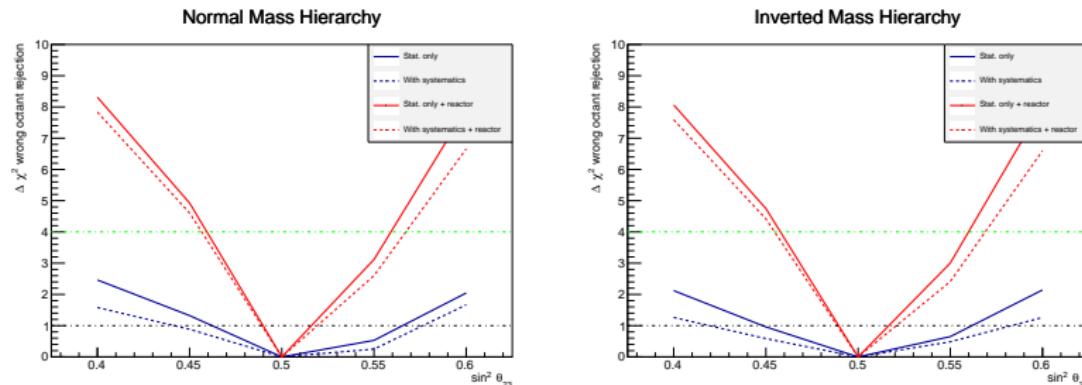


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Sensitivity to octant discrimination

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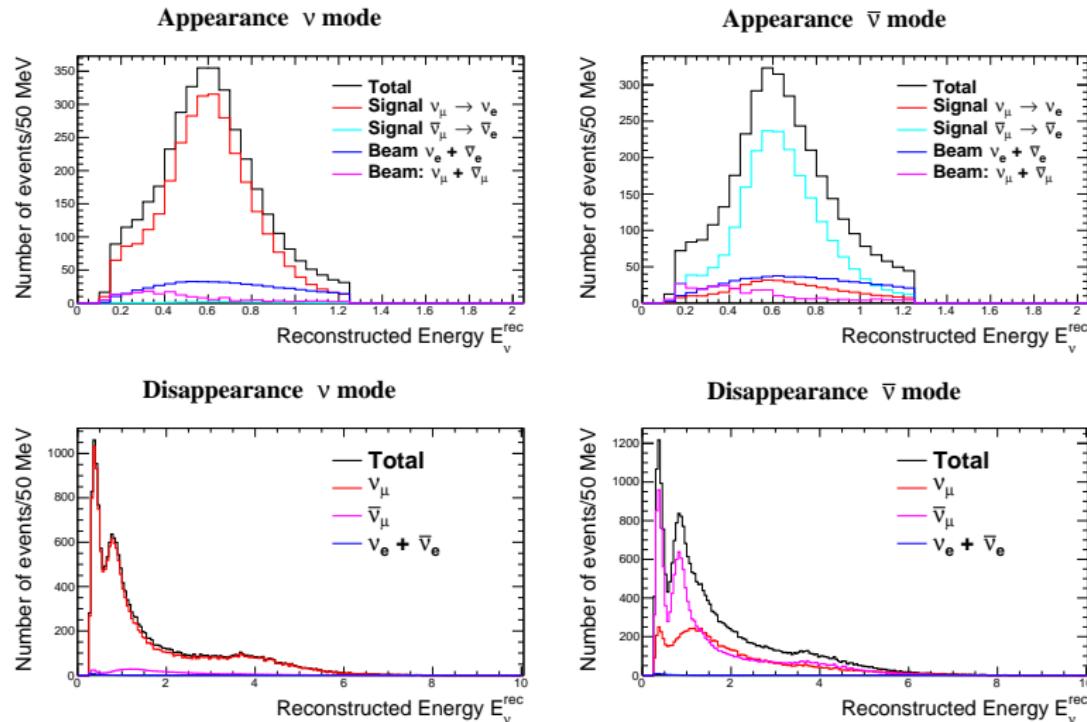
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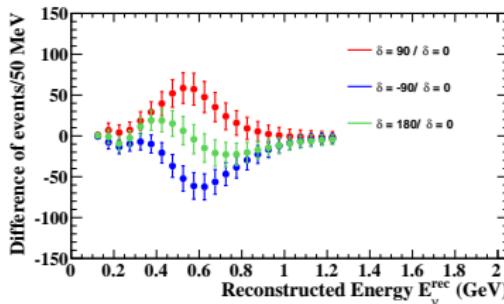
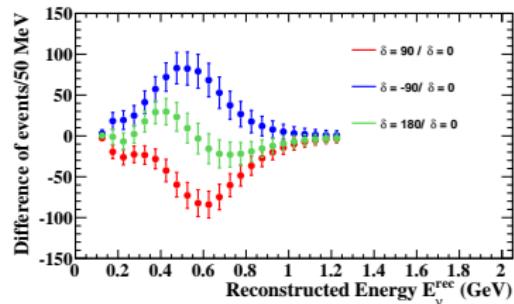
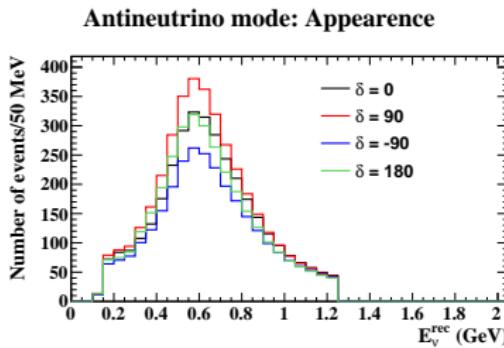
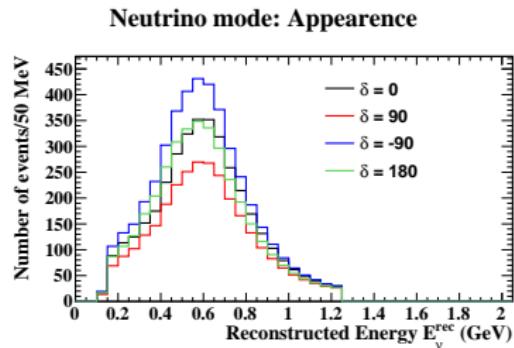
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BACK UP SLIDES

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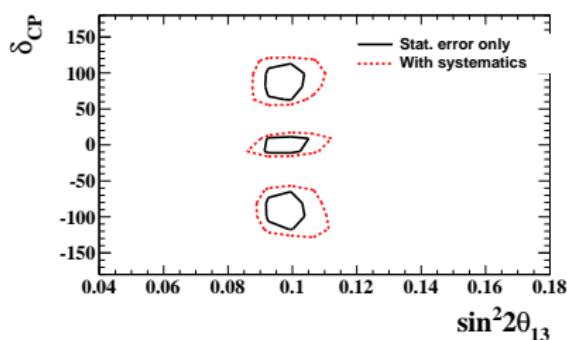


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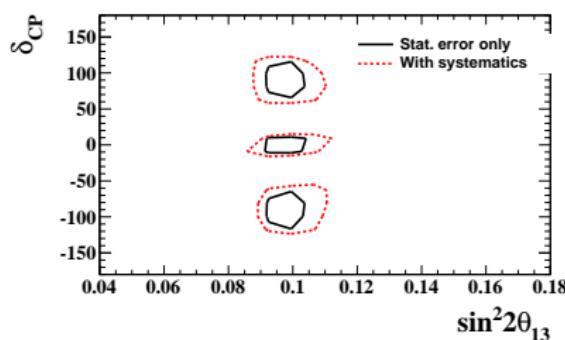
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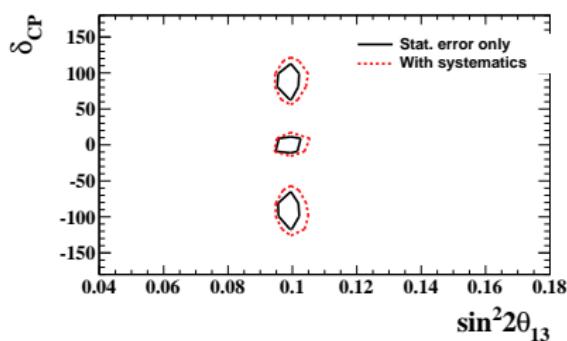


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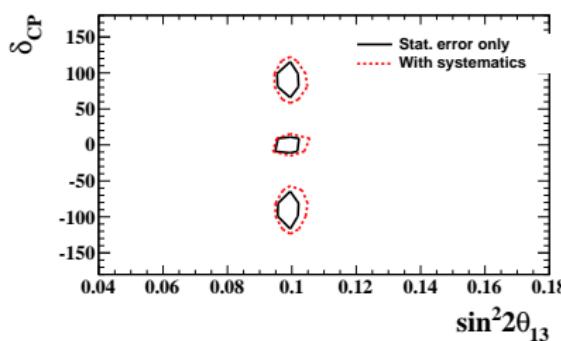
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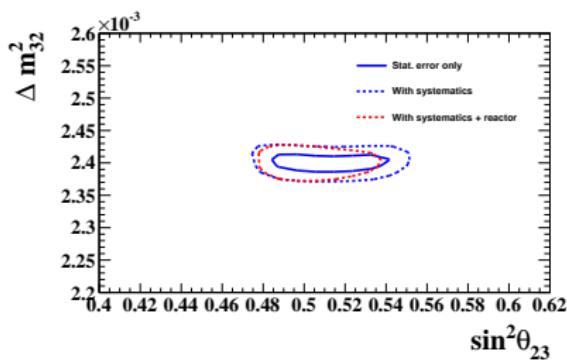


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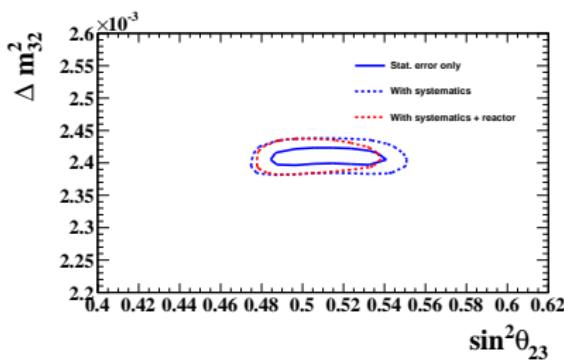
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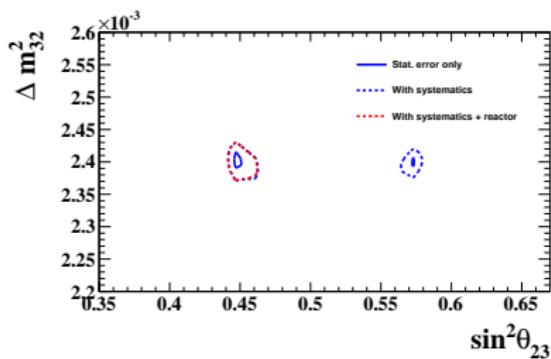


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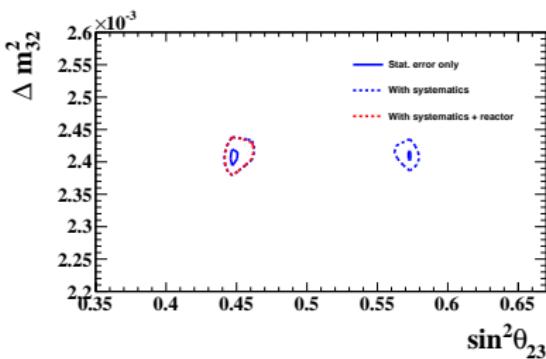
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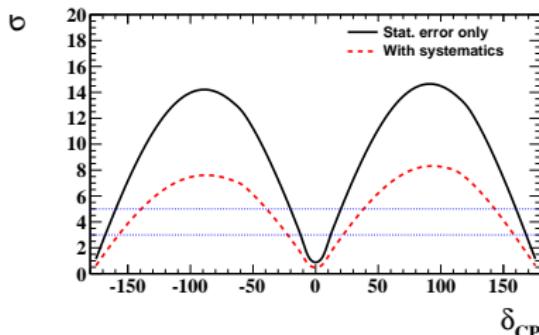
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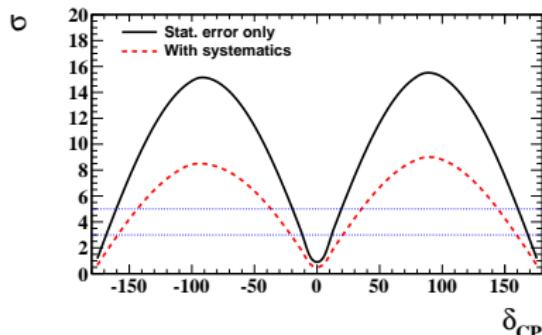
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- (left) Fraction of δ_{CP} space for which $\sin \delta_{CP} = 0$ can be excluded with $3\sigma/5\sigma$.
- (right) 1σ uncertainty as a function of the integrated beam power;
- At Hyper-K full statistics the 76% (58%) of δ_{CP} space covered at 3σ (5σ) with better than 19 degrees uncertainty;

