Achim Stahl, RWTH Aachen





- History
- > v-mass
- Majorana or Dirac ?
 v-Oscillations
- CP-violation
- Tachions ?



Reactor-Neutrino Chooz/France



Long Baseline Beam / Japan



Future European v-Detector





Neutrino Hypothesis



Continous β -spectrum ? Conservation of angular mom. ?

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Offener Brief en die Gruppe der Radicaktiven bei der Genvereinz-Tagung zu Tübingen.

Absobrift

Physikelisches Institut der Eidg. Technischen Hochschule Würich

Zirich, 4. Des. 1930 Dioriastrasse

Liebe Radioaktive Damen und Herren,

Wie der Veberbringer dieser Zeilen, den ich huldvollet ansuhören bitte, Ihnen des näheren auseinendersetsen wird, bin ich angesichts der "felschen" Statistik der N- und Li-6 Kerne, sowie das kontinuierlichen bete-Spektrums suf einen versweifelten Ausweg varfallen um den "Wechselsats" (1) der Statistik und den Energiesats zu retten. Mämlich die Möglichkeit, es könnten elektrisch neutrale Telloben, die ich Neutronen nennen will, in den Lernen existieren, velohe den Spin 1/2 heben und die Ausschliessungsprinzip befolgen und ale von Lichtquanten anseerden noch dadurch unterscheiden, dass sie might mit Lichtgeschwindigkeit laufen. Die Masse der Neutronen fanste von derselben Grossenordnung vie die Elektronenwesse sein und jedenfalls night grosper als 0.01 Protonersmess. Das kontinuierliche bein- Spektrum wire dann varständlich unter der Annahme, dass beim beta-Zerfall mit dem blektron jeweils noch ein Weutron emittiert wird, derart, dass die Summe der Ensergien von Meutron und klektron konstant ist.



Wolfgang Pauli

1930 1st idea
1932 Fermi calculates spectrum
1933 Publication

Neutrino Hypothese

Pauli später (~1950?) bei einem Besuch am CalTech: "I have done a terrible thing. I have postulated a particle that cannot be detected." → Poltergeist



Bethe/Peierls 1934: totaler WQ ≈ 10⁻⁴⁴ cm²

 \Rightarrow mittlere freie Weglänge in H₂O \approx 1000 Lichtjahre

need an intensive neutrino source:

NUCLEAR EXPLOSIVE very first idea ~ 1950 -FIREBALL Cowan & Reines 30m BURIED SIGNAL LINE FOR TRIGGERING RELEASE BACK FILL VACUUM PUMP SUSPENDED VACUUM DETECTOR LINE VACUUM FEATHERS AND TANK FOAM RUBBER

"but detector would be destroyed and with uncertain result"

a better idea!





 β -Decay n \rightarrow p⁺ e⁻ \overline{v}_{e}

neutrinos penetrate cuppola

Detector underground

1st attempt: Hanford 1953

Hanford Reactor Site





" The lesson of the work was clear: It is easy to shield out the noise men make, but impossible to shut out the cosmos. Neutrons and gamma rays from the reactor, which we had feared most, were stopped in our thick walls of paraffin, borax and lead, but the cosmic ray mesons penetrated gleefully, generating backgrounds in our equipment as they passed or stopped in it. We did record neutrino-like signals but the cosmic rays with their neutron secondaries generated in our shields were 10 times more abundant than were the neutrino signals. We felt we had the neutrino by the cottails, but our evidence would not stand up in count."





Herr Auge 300I scintillator (90 PMTs)

construction camp

2nd attempt: Savannah River 1956



method of detection: inverse β -decay $\bar{\nu}_{e}$ + p⁺ \rightarrow n e⁺ delayed coincidence: 1. e⁺ Retardation & Annihilation $\rightarrow \gamma \gamma$ 2. n Thermalisation & Capture: $n + Cd \rightarrow Cd^* \rightarrow Cd + 3\gamma$



veto-counters reject cosmic myons + over-burden shields the detector



telegram to Pauli June 1956

We are happy to inform you that we have definitely detected neutrinos from fission fragments by observing inverse beta decay of protons. Observed cross section agrees well with expected six times ten to minus forty-four square centimeters.

The Myon-Neutrino

Ledermann Schwartz Steinberger



flavour -eigenstates in weak interactions

The Tau-Neutrino



 $\tau \rightarrow \mu$ kinematically forbidden violates E-conservation

 $\tau \rightarrow \mu \nu$ 2-body-decay mono-energetic μ

 $\tau \rightarrow \mu \nu \nu$ 3-bady-decay continous spectrum

discovery of the tau-neutrino ! A new neutrino-flavour ?



The Tau-Neutrino



→ 3 Neutrino-Flavour-Eigenstates: ν_e ν_µν_τ

Neutrino-Theory

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 v_3



mass-eigenstates

 $H \Psi = E \Psi$ $\rightarrow V_1 V_2 V_3$

time evolution: $\Psi(t) = e^{iEt} \Psi(0)$



Neutrino mass from the endpoint of β -decay spectrum



K_e: kinetic energy of e *Q*: energy release in decay *F*: matrix element + Coulomb correction

$$N(K_{e}) = C \sqrt{K_{e}^{2} + 2 K_{e} m_{e} c^{2} (Q - K_{e})^{2} (K_{e} + m_{e} c^{2}) F(Z', K_{e})}$$

Problem: Statistics at the endpoint approaches zero!







How to transport it from Munich to Karlsruhe?





Majorana-Particles: $\pi^0 = 1/\sqrt{2}(u\bar{u} + d\bar{d})$ or γ

invariant under CPT transformation

Are neutrinos Majorana particles ?

massless neutrinos





massive neutrinos







certain nucleus only decay through a 2β -decay

$$(A,Z) \rightarrow (A,Z+2) 2 e^{-} 2 \overline{\nu}_{e}$$



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2600 - Decay

experimental detection:







Latio-Oscilatons



ANeutrino Experiment



Pontecorvo-Maki-Nakagawa-Sakata matrix

The PUNS-Matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} v_{e} \\ v_{\mu} \\ v_{\tau} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} U_{e1} & U_{e2} & U_{e3} \\ U_{\mu 1} & U_{\mu 2} & U_{\mu 3} \\ U_{\tau 1} & U_{\tau 2} & U_{\tau 3} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v_{1} \\ v_{2} \\ v_{3} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \theta_{23} & \sin \theta_{23} \\ 0 & -\sin \theta_{23} & \cos \theta_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{13} & 0 & \sin \theta_{13} e^{-i\delta} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta_{13} e^{i\delta} & 0 & \cos \theta_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{12} & \sin \theta_{12} & 0 \\ -\sin \theta_{12} & \cos \theta_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

"atmospheric" $\theta_{23} \approx 45^{\circ}$ "reactor" $\theta_{13} < 10^{\circ}$

"solar" $\theta_{12} \approx 32^{\circ}$



Bruno Pontecorvo Neutrino Oscillations 1957 Zito **M**aki Masami **N**akagawa Shoichi **S**akata Oscillation Matrix 1962



Neutrino Oscillations

Massendifferenz $\Delta m^2 = m_2^2 - m_1^2$ Special case: 2 generations $U = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix}$ Überlebenswahrscheinlichkeit Ρ $P(v_e)$ 0.8 _{-osc}~E/∆m² Überlebenswahrscheinlichkeit: 0.6 $\frac{\Delta m^2 L}{4E_v}$ $\mathsf{P}(\mathsf{v}_{\alpha} \to \mathsf{v}_{\alpha}) = 1 - \sin^2(2\theta) \cdot \sin^2(\theta)$ Oszillationswahrscheinlichkeit 0.4 Oszillationswahrscheinlichkeit: 0.2 $P(v_u)$ $sin^2(2\theta)$ $P(v_{\alpha} \rightarrow v_{\beta}) = \sin^2(2\theta) \sin^2\left(\frac{\Delta m^2 L}{4E_v}\right)$ 0

Oszillationslänge

$$L_{osc} = \frac{4 \pi E_{\nu}}{\Delta m^2} = 2.48 \frac{E_{\nu} [MeV]}{\Delta m^2 [eV^2]} m$$

leutino Oscillations





Solar Neutrinos

Gran Sasso (Italy)

shielding against cosmic muons



nuclear fusion produces v_e

neutrino detector i.e. GALLEX Deficit observed ! hypothesis $v_e \rightarrow v_\mu$

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Kamland Experiment



Observes \overline{v}_{e} from 55 nuclear power stations in Japan

SNO Experiment







Super-K

 $\pi \rightarrow \mu \nu_{\mu}$

 $\rightarrow \mathbf{e} \quad \mathbf{v}_{\mu} \quad \mathbf{v}_{e}$

ν_μ / ν_e≈ 2/1



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Experiments

Solar Neutrinos	Atmospheric v	Reactor-Neutrinos	Accelerator-v
Homestake Kamiokande Gallex Sage SNO Borexino	Super-K Macro	Chooz DoubleChooz Daya Bay Reno	Chorus Nomad Karmen LSND MiniBoone K2K
∆m _{solar}	∆m _{atm}	KamLand Am _{solar}	Minos Opera T2K Noνa Iong L Δm _{atm}
OHOS >	μ ² μ ²		





Solar Neutrinos

oscillation observed Homestake GALLEX Super-K confirmed

KAMLAND SNO

disappearance of v_e

 $\begin{aligned} \left| \Delta m_{21}^2 \right| &= \left(7.59_{-0.18}^{+0.20} \right) \, 10^{-5} \, eV^2 \\ \sin^2 \theta_{12} &= 0.312_{-0.015}^{+0.017} \end{aligned}$



Atmospheric v

oscillation observed Super-K MACRO

Intent Status

confirmed K2K MINOS disappearance of v.

 $\left|\Delta m_{31}^{2}\right| = (2.45 \pm 0.09) 10^{-3} eV^{2}$ $\sin^{2}\theta_{23} = 0.51 \pm 0.06$



Thomas Schwetz et al., arXiv 1103.0734

Reactor v, θ_{13}

no observation yet intensive search DoubleChooz Daya Bay RENO disappearance of $\overline{v_e}$ T2K, MINOS appearance of v_e



(normal hierarchy) 39

Interpretation



$$\Delta m_{12}^2 = 7.24 \dots 7.99 \ 10^{-5} eV^2$$
$$|\Delta m_{13}^2| = 2.28 \dots 2.64 \ 10^{-3} eV^2$$
$$\sin^2 \theta_{12} = 0.28 \dots 0.35$$
$$\sin^2 \theta_{23} = 0.41 \dots 0.61$$
$$\sin^2 \theta_{13} = <0.027$$

2-sigma ranges



How large is θ_{13} ?

Precision measurements (θ_{23} maximal ?)

Absolute mass scale ?

Normal or inverted hierarchie?

Majorana or dirac neutrinos?

CP-violation?

- \rightarrow experiments started
- → next gen. oscillations exp.
- → nucl. phys. experiments (KATRIN)
- → next gen. oscillations exp.
- → double beta decay
- → next gen. oscillations exp.

Is the MNS-model correct?

Is it possible to incorporate neutrino oscillations in the SM?

0. New phenomena

lepton flavour violation (neutrino oscillations + charged lepton decays)

potentially CP violation in the lepton sector

Is it possible to incorporate neutrino oscillations in the SM?

1. Neutrinos have mass (at least 2 out of 3 states)



$$\langle \overline{\Psi}(\nu_L) | 1 | \Psi(\nu_R) \rangle$$

= $\langle \overline{\frac{1}{2}(1 - \gamma_5)} \Psi(\nu) \frac{1}{2}(1 + \gamma_5) \Psi(\nu) \rangle$
= $\langle \overline{\Psi}(\nu) \frac{1}{4}(1 + \gamma_5)(1 + \gamma_5) \Psi(\nu) \rangle$

Higgs-mechanism

need new particles: right-handed neutrinos

Is it possible to incorporate neutrino oscillations in the SM?

- 2. Majorana Masses
 - Right-handed neutrinos are very special
 - electric charge = 0
 - no colour
 - weak isospin = 0
 - $v_{\rm p}$ and $\overline{v}_{\rm r}$ have the same quantum numbers

Are they identical? Are they Majorana particles?

- → at tree level:

introduce majorana mass term? Joop corrections: generate majorana masses or forbidden by a new symmetrie

Is it possible to incorporate neutrino oscillations in the SM?

3. Seesaw mechanism

If there are dirac and majorana mass terms

diagnonalize mass matrix to find eigenstates

Right- and left-handed neutrino will have different masses























$$\overline{V}_e + p \longrightarrow e^+ + n$$

Positron detection: $E_e = E_v - Q \rightarrow Scint.$ Q = 1.8 MeV $e^+ \rightarrow \gamma\gamma \rightarrow Scint.$ $E_{prompt} = E_v + const.$





The Detectors



Outer Veto RPC

Inner Veto mineral oil scintillator



Buffer mineral oil gamma catcher 20% PXE 80% Dodekan Inner Target 20% PXE 80% Dodekan 0.1% Gd



inner veto

buffer

γ -catcher

No. OF N. T.

target

Ingger



Unit (TTU)

16-core cable or a collection of 16 cables



Neutrino Oscillations



Neutrino Oscillations



Result of $\theta_{_{13}}$ is only a small effect

high statistics

Near detector: ~300/day

Far detector ~60/day

 \approx 50.000 events in 3 years

requires absolute event rate prediction

Previously calculated from thermal power

Two identical detectors: systematic error of the normalisation cancels



limit on sin² $2\theta_{13}$ (90% c.l.)



Reactor-Experiment



Korea: starts 2011

China: starts 2011/12



New calculation of neutrino flux from reactors





Several Proposals to test short range oscillations

CERN proposal Carlo Rubbia

higher E

SPS wide band beam to ICARUS @ CERN



NUCIFER small detector for non-proliferation

smaller L

sketch NUCIFER@OSIRIS



KAMLAND (or others) Radioactive source inside large v-detector

smaller L





The 12K Experiment

v_{μ} -disappearance (Δm_{23}^2 , sin θ_{23}) $(\sin\theta_{13})$

 v_{p} -appearance



Japan: March 11th, 2011

Japan experienced very severe earthquake on March 11th 2011 at 14:46 JST. J-PARC facility suffered damages for some extent. There are no reports of casualties and all staff, graduate students, and foreign visitors have been located and as of evening Sunday March 13th all T2K members have been evacuated from Tokai area.

Fortunately enough, the Tsunami tidal wave did not hit J-PARC. We will start the investigation of the facilities. We will update the announcement as we learn the detail of the entire damage.

Our present priority is to restore life-supporting infrastructure such as electricity, water supply and gas at J-PARC. It may take some time, but we promise the full recovery of the J-PARC accelerator and T2K experiment in the near future.

thank you for the messages of solidarity and sympathy.

Director of the Institute of Particle and Nuclear Studies, KEK Koichiro Nishikawa Spokesperson of the T2K experiment Takashi Kobayashi

Tokyo

Earthquake

Some damage on the surface

(mainly streets, a few buildings, power station to linac)



No (vis.) damage undergrou

Tsunami



J-PARC

located directly on the beach ≈ 15m above sea level

Restart in December

Working on recovery plan

No damage!

Reactor Accident Dose at KEK



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J-PARC: Japanese Proton Accelerator Research Complex

J-PARC Neutrino beamline







Off-Axis Beam high intensity at maximum oscillation

TNGRTD	: or	i-axis
ND280:	2.5°	off-axis
SUPER-I	<: 2.5°	off-axis



Near Detectors



•bunch timina

Interactive Neutrino GRID



14 iron/scint. modules
X-Y scintillator layers
700 v interactions/day @ 50 kW
beam direction better: 1 mrad
→ corresponds to 2% change in flux at Super-K



Near Detector ND280

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Inside 0.2 T UA1/NOMAD magnet:
The π⁰ detector POD (lead/water/scintillators)
Barrel and downstream ECAL
Fine Grain Detectors FGD (water/scintillators)
Time Projection Chambers TPC (large gas volume with micromegas readout)

ECA

TPC




TPC

- Large TPC
- •3 modules
- Micromegas read out
- •Sens. volume 180 x 200 x 70 cm
- Precise assembly and alignment
- •124,000 channels



dE/dx from TPC



RWTH Aachen: TPC Monitor Chambers

Gain Measurement

⁵⁵Fe-source: produces fixed number of primary electrons → measure charge on micromegas

Drift Velocity

2 x ⁹⁰Sr-sources: produce tracks at fixed distance

→ measure time difference







ND280 Event Galery



RWTH Aachen: TPC Monitor Chambers

Gain Monitoring

Gain Correction



RWTH Aachen: Magnet Moving System





opening/closing of 600t UA1 magnet yokes design+production+installation of rail system adaptation of HERA-B guide rollers to carriage Re-use of HERA hydraulic movers



SUCEEL

50 kt water Čerenkov detector

muon-event

electron-event









Very successfull startup & running Run 2010b terminated by earth quake v_{μ} : Preliminary results 2010a v_{e} : Results 2010a + 2010b

T2K: Timing

Baseline measurement (Survey)

- $L = 295,335 \pm 7 \text{ m}$
 - → ToF of $v = 985.132 \pm 0.02 \ \mu sec$ (= vTOF)
- Expected event timing @ SK ($\equiv T_{SK}$) = Spill timing @ Tokai ($=T_{SK}$) + vTC
 - = Spill timing @ Tokai (≡T_{beam}) + vTOF.
- DAQ synchronization
 - SK signals in ±500µs timing window are recorded as "T2K beam events".
 - Stability of GPS is checked by comparing 2 GPS hardware and atomic clock.
 - → Require |GPS1-GPS2| < 200nsec</p>





Event Selection

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CCOF	elu	v_{μ} -disappearance	v_{e} -appearance		
(signal)	$v_{e/\mu}$	fully contained in fiducial volume			
		E _{vis} > 30 MeV	E _{vis} > 100 MeV		
		number of rings = 1			
CC1-	v_{μ} μ π	μ-like	e-like		
(bad)			no-decay electron		
(bga)			π^{0} hypothesis < 105 MeV		
		p _μ > 200 MeV	E _v < 1250 MeV		
NC1π	$\frac{v_{\mu}}{p}$	blind analysis selection optimized on Monte Carlo			
(bgd)					

u e-appearance

first event observed



Event Selection

examples from v_{e} -appearance



6 candidate events remain after all cuts !!

 $(N^{exp} = 1.5 \pm 0.3 \text{ at } \sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0)$

Flux Prediction



Protons-on-target:
v-flux at source:
verification:
v-flux at Super-K:
Neutrino Interactions:
Super-K response:

Beam Intensity Measurement Neutrino Beam MC ND280 Measurement Oscillations (globes) u-cross sections Detector Simulation



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 v_{p} -flux at Super-K



single-ring μ -like: 8 events observed



consistent with previous experiments (max. mixing)

üü-disappearance

	From ±500 µs	Data	MC		PC
	window around beam spills		No oscillation	Oscillation $\Delta m^2 = 2.4 \times 10^{-3} (eV^2)$ $\sin^2 2\theta_{23} = 1.0$	BG (12μs window)
	Fully-Contained	33	54.5	24.6	0.0094
	Fiducial Volume, E _{vis} > 30MeV	23	36.8	16.7	0.0011
	Single-ring μ-like (P _μ >200MeV/c)	8 (8)	24.6 (24.5 ±3.9)	7.2 (7.1 ±1.3)	-
	Single-ring e-like (P _e >100MeV/c)	2 (2)	1.9 (1.5 ±0.7)	1.5 (1.3 ±0.6)	-
	Multi-ring	13	10.2	8.0	-

clear evidence for v_{μ} disappearance consistent with maximal mixing



Summary of systematic uncertainties on N^{exp}SK total. for sin²20₁₃=0 and 0.1

Error source	$\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0$	$\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.1$	cf.
Q (1) Beam flux	$\pm 8.5\%$	$\pm 8.5\%$	$sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0$: #sia = 0,1 #bka = 1,4
$igodold (2) \ u$ int. cross section	$\pm 14.0\%$	$\pm 10.5\%$	
(3) Near detector	$^{+5.6}_{-5.2}\%$	$^{+5.6}_{-5.2}\%$	$sin^2 20_{13}=0.1$: #sig = 4.1 #bkg = 1.3
$\mathcal{O}(4)$ Far detector	$\pm 14.7\%$	$\pm 9.4\%$	
(5) Near det. statistics	$\pm 2.7\%$	$\pm 2.7\%$	
Total	$\binom{+22.8}{-22.7}\%$	$\binom{+17.6}{-17.5}\%$	







90% C.L. interval & Best fit point (assuming $\Delta m_{23}^2=2.4 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$, $\sin^2 2\theta_{23}=1$, $\delta_{CP}=0$)0.03 < $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} < 0.28$ 0.04 < $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} < 0.34$ $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.11$ $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.14$





TASD: Totally Active Scintillator Detector



NuMI-Beam: Nu from Main Injector

Result: MINOS + T2K







θ₁₃ = 0 excluded with
 MINOS: 89% probability
 T2K: 99% probability

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DoubleChooz Technology on Super-K Scale

LENA: Detector

Liquid Scintillator ca. 50kt LAB

Inner Nylon Vessel radius: 13m

Buffer Region inactive, $\Delta r = 2m$ ca. 20kt LAB

Steel Tank r = 15m, h = 100m

50,000 8"-PMTs Winston cones optical coverage: 30% - Electronics Hall dome of 15m height

Top Muon Veto scintillator panels/RPCs vertical muon tracking

Water Cherenkov Veto 3000 PMTs, $\Delta r > 2m$ fast neutron shield inclined muons

Egg-Shaped Cavern about 105 m3

Rock Overburden at least 4000 mwe



Phyäsalmi Mine – Central Finland



Physics Summary

- -Proton Decay
- -Galactic Supernova Burst
- -Diffuse Supernova Neutrino Background
- -Long baseline neutrino oscillations
- -Solar Neutrinos
- -Geo neutrinos
- -Atmospheric neutrinos
- Dark Matter indirect search
- -Neutrino oscillometry

Physics: Proton Decay

 $p^+ \rightarrow e^+ \pi^0 \approx 10^{33}$ years $p^+ \rightarrow K^+ \nu \quad 5 \ 10^{34}$ years (current limit: 5.4 10³³ y) (current limit: 2.3 10³³ y)



p⁺ → K⁺ ν
1. K-signal
2. delayed coincidence
K → μν (68%)
K → 2π / 3π (31%)

T. Marrodan et al., Phys. Rev. D72, 075014 (2005)

Physics: Super Nova Background

 $\nabla_e p \rightarrow e^+ n$

Excellent background rejection Energy window 10 ... 30 MeV High efficiency (100% within 50kt) Expect 2 ... 20 events / year (model dependent)



M. Wurm et al., Phys.Rev.D 75 (2007) 023007

Physics: Geo Neutrinos

 $\nabla_e p \rightarrow e^+ n$

Low reactor flux → good signal/background Expect ≈ 1500 events/year Separation of U / Th Test of geological models









CP violation is a genuine 3-flavour effect

Jarlskog's determinant

Quarks: 4 10⁻⁵ Neutrinos: 0.028 sind

Conventional Neutrino Beam

Bergen

European Spalation Source 10 MW p⁺ Linac (1.3 GeV)

Increase Energy FFAG x3 ... 5

Neutrino Target

artist



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Neutrinos schneller als das Licht

Physiker rätseln über rasende Teilchen



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eutrinos: Schneller als das Licht?

n Rainer Kayser

rscher rütteln an einem der wichtigsten Grundpfeiler der Physik



utrinos reisen von einem Teilchen beschleuniger

n Cern zu einem Detektor unter dem Gran

Genf (Schweiz) - Ein internationales team behauptet, dass Neutrinos neller als das Licht bewegen.

> tigt, wäre das hysikalische einem halben ssenschaftler haben subatomaren Beschleuniger am n Cern bei Genf zu age im Gran Sasso-

Massiv in Setter Figure in Gran Sasso vermessen. Bewegungen schneller als das Licht sind nach Einsteins

Relativitätstheorie verboten. Ist also die Relativitätstheorie falsch und

Ist also die Relativitätstheorie falsch und gerät die moderne Physik ins Wanken?

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Neutrinos schneller als Licht? Einstein muss zittern

Eine Konstante für die Ewigkeit: die Lichtgeschwindigkeit. Einsteins Relativitätstheorie baut darauf, unser ganzes Weltbild sogar. Physiker h gemessen und festgestellt: Es geht auch schneller - mit Neutrinos. Eine Anomalie?

Von MANFRED LINDINGER

Artikel

Bilder

Lesermeinungen (15)

D ie Nachricht kam in der Nacht von Donnerstag auf Freitag in die Welt und schlug ein wie eine Bombe. Eine europäische Forschergruppe habe im italienischen Untergrundlabor Gran Sasso in der Näbe von Rom gemessen





isso-Massiv in Italien

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NEUTRINOS

Schneller als das Licht?

Redaktion / Pressemitteilung der Universität Bern astronews.com 23. September 2011

Am Genfer Teilchenlabor CERN wurden Hinweise darauf entdeckt, dass sich Neutrinos schneller bewegen können als das Licht: Die subatomaren Partikel legten eine 730 Kilometer lange Strecke 60 Nanosekunden schneller zurück, als es Licht möglich gewesen wäre. Nun suchen die Wissenschaftlern nach Fehlern bei ihren Messungen, da sich eigentlich nichts schneller bewegen sollte als das Licht.



"Dieses Resultat ist eine komplette Überraschung", urteilt Antonio Ereditato, Professor für Hochenergiephysik an der Universität Bern und Leiter des OPERA-Projekts. Die Verblüffung des



CERN to Gran Sasso







7 1 2 0 **First extraction** 50 50 δt=1048.5 ns 40 40 Events/50 ns 30 30 20 20 10 10 0 9400 -500-250250 10000 10200 -7500 9600 9800

(ns)

distance: $730534.61 \pm 0.20 \text{ m}$ baseline:2 439 280.9 nsec $\delta t (TOF_c - TOF_v)$: $(60.7 \pm 6.9_{stat} \pm 7.4_{sys}) \text{ nsec}$ (v-c) / c: $(24.8 \pm 2.8_{stat} \pm 3.0_{sys}) 10^{-6}$

(ns)

Summary

Is the MNS Modell correct?

Still some problems (LSND, reactor anomaly)

How large is θ_{13} ?

First indication from T2K and MINOS, Reactor Experiments just started

What is the neutrino mass scale?

Waiting for KATRIN. Is it sensitive enough?

Majorana or Dirac ?

Heidelberg-Moscow?? New experiments

CP-violat

Very first sho

Thanks for Listening

(might not need nu-ructury veru-veum for part of parameter space)

Neutrino Velocity

OPERA correct? Waiting for confirmation (Borexino, T2K, Minos)



Layout

Tank





Selection criteria for LENA

feasibility of cavern construction (LAGUNA) reactor-v background

depth/cosmic ray shielding

Ž In Europe: Pyhäsalmi or Fréjus
CP-Violation

Testing the discrete symmetries with neutrinos



tau-neutrinos: no practical beam-source

Examples

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{CP-TEST:} \\ \nu_{e} \rightarrow \nu_{\mu} \\ \end{array} / \underbrace{\nu_{e}} \rightarrow \underbrace{\nu_{\mu}} \\ \end{array}$

T-TEST: $\nu_{e} \rightarrow \nu_{\mu} / \nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{e}$

CPT-TEST: $v_{e} \rightarrow v_{\mu} / v_{\mu} \rightarrow v_{e}$







Conventional Neutrino-Beam

 $egin{array}{ccc} \pi^+ & o \mu^+ \,
u \ \pi^- & o \mu^- \, \overline{
u} \ \mu^- \end{array}$

some v_e background

up to ~ 10 GeV

technologically sound

Limitations:

- background
- target



Neutrino-Factory

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mu^{\scriptscriptstyle +} & \rightarrow e^{\scriptscriptstyle +} \ \nu_{e} \overline{\nu}_{\mu} \\ \mu^{\scriptscriptstyle -} & \rightarrow e^{\scriptscriptstyle -} \ \overline{\nu}_{e} \nu_{\mu} \end{array}$$

pure beam needs magnetic detector wide energy range

technological challenge - μ production & capture

fast acceleration

Limitations:

- power for μ production

CP-Violation okay

Beta-Beams

 $\begin{array}{ll} Z & \rightarrow Z \mathchar` \nu_{e} \\ Z & \rightarrow Z \mathchar` 1 \mbox{ e} \mbox{ } \mbox{ }$

pure beam only v_e MeV ... a few GeV

beam

technological challenge
- ion production

radiation on magnets

Limitations: - production of ions

CP-Violation okay

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Water Čerenkov (MEMPHYS)

~ 500 kT

E_{min} > 10 MeV restr. inf<u>ormation</u>

known technology

challenge: huge cave<u>rns</u>

Tunnel



Totally Active Scintillator Det.

~ 25 kT

E_{min} > 10 MeV restr. information

known technology

challenge: mass production



Liquid Scintillator (LENA)

Detectors

~ 50 kT

E_{min} ~ 500 keV med. information

known technology

challenge: big cavern Liquid Argon TPC (GLACIER)

~ 100 kT

E_{min} ~ 10 MeV max. information

new technology

to be proven





Physics with LENA

Proton Decay $p^+ \rightarrow v K^+ \tau > 4 \ 10^{34} \text{ years}$ Super Nova Detection glactic center (10 kpc): 15.000 v Diffuse Super Nova Background 2 ... 20 v per year Geo-Neutrinos ~ 3000 v year \rightarrow undestand heat release & geo chemistry only possible with LENA Solar Neutrinos ~ 5000 v / day (helio seismology) **Atmospheric Neutrinos** good statistics, promising

CP-Violation (with beam)







Neutrino Revolution during the last decade ! More to come ?

Several interesting new projects not yet clear where to go open the path to all projects with R&D

LENA is getting ready for first steps Get involved !



Figure 4: Hints of $\theta_{13} > 0$ from different data sets and combinations: 1σ ranges.



Super-Kwater Cerencov50 ktNovaTASD15 ktLENAscintillator50 kTMINOSTASD50 kTOPERAemulsion1,25 ktDoubleChoozScintillatorGlacierLAr TPC100 kTMemphisWater Cerenkov500 kT

$$p(\nu_{\mu} \to \nu_{e}) = 4c_{13}^{2}s_{13}^{2}s_{23}^{2}\sin^{2}\frac{\Delta m_{13}^{2}L}{4E} \times \left[1 \pm \frac{2a}{\Delta m_{13}^{2}}(1 - 2s_{13}^{2})\right] \qquad \theta_{13} \text{ dri}$$

$$+ 8c_{13}^{2}s_{12}s_{13}s_{23}(c_{12}c_{23}\cos\delta - s_{12}s_{13}s_{23})\cos\frac{\Delta m_{23}^{2}L}{4E}\sin\frac{\Delta m_{13}^{2}L}{4E}\sin\frac{\Delta m_{12}^{2}L}{4E}\text{ CPer}$$

$$\mp 8c_{13}^{2}c_{12}c_{23}s_{12}s_{13}s_{23}\sin\delta\sin\frac{\Delta m_{23}^{2}L}{4E}\sin\frac{\Delta m_{13}^{2}L}{4E}\sin\frac{\Delta m_{12}^{2}L}{4E} \text{ CPodd}$$

$$+ 4s_{12}^{2}c_{13}^{2}\{c_{13}^{2}c_{23}^{2} + s_{12}^{2}s_{23}^{2}s_{13}^{2} - 2c_{12}c_{23}s_{12}s_{23}s_{13}\cos\delta\}\sin\frac{\Delta m_{12}^{2}L}{4E} \text{ solar driver}$$

$$\mp 8c_{12}^{2}s_{13}^{2}s_{23}^{2}\cos\frac{\Delta m_{23}^{2}L}{4E}\sin\frac{\Delta m_{13}^{2}L}{4E}\frac{aL}{4E}(1 - 2s_{13}^{2}) \text{ matter effect (CP odd)}$$

