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### **Status of JUNO**

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### A multi-purpose neutrino experiment

- Jiangmen Underground Neutrino Observatory
- 27-36 GW reactor power, 20 kton LS detector, 3%/VE energy resolution
- Proposed in 2008, approved in 2013
- Rich physics possibilities
  - Mass hierarchy
  - Precision measurement of 3 mixing parameters
  - Supernovae neutrino
  - Geoneutrino
  - Solar neutrino
  - Atmospheric neutrino
  - Exotic searches including nucleon decay, dark matter



Neutrino Physics with JUNO, J. Phys. G 43, 030401 (2016)

# **Neutrino Mass Hierarchy**

- Large  $\theta_{13}$  opens a door to neutrino MH and CP violating phase, as the focus of next generation neutrino experiments.
- MH can be determined utilizing
  - Matter effects of accelerator (DUNE, LBNO) and atmospheric (PINGU, HK, INO) neutrinos
  - Oscillation interference effects of reactor neutrinos driven by  $\Delta m_{32}^2$ and  $\Delta m_{31}^2$   $P_{ee}(L/E) = 1 - P_{21} - P_{31} - P_{32}$



$$P_{ee}(L/E) = 1 - P_{21} - P_{31} - P_{32}$$

$$P_{21} = \cos^4(\theta_{13}) \sin^2(2\theta_{12}) \sin^2(\Delta_{21})$$

$$P_{31} = \cos^2(\theta_{12}) \sin^2(2\theta_{13}) \sin^2(\Delta_{31})$$

$$P_{32} = \sin^2(\theta_{12}) \sin^2(2\theta_{13}) \sin^2(\Delta_{32})$$



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## **Sensitivity of MH Determination**

Assume NH as true MH, and fit the spectrum with false and true MH cases respectively, and we get  $\Delta\chi^2 = \chi^2$ (false)-  $\chi^2$ (true)

#### $\chi_{\text{REA}}^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{N_{\text{bin}}} \frac{\left[M_i - T_i \left(1 + \sum_k \alpha_{ik} \epsilon_k\right)\right]^2}{M_i} + \sum_k \frac{1}{N_k} \frac{1}{N_k} \left[\frac{M_i - T_i \left(1 + \sum_k \alpha_{ik} \epsilon_k\right)}{M_i}\right]^2}{M_k}$ 25 Normal true MH 20 Δχ² (Δm²<sub>ee</sub>) 15 True MH (ideal) True MH (real) 5 False MH (ideal) False MH (real 2.42 2.48 2.50 2.342.38 2.402.44 2.46 2.36 $|\Delta m^2_{ee}| (X10^{-3} eV^2)$

#### Nominal experimental setup

- Detector size: 20kt
- Energy resolution:  $3\%/\sqrt{E}$
- Thermal power: 36 GW
- Running time: 6 years



### **Measurement of Oscillation Parameters**

- Good energy resolution and proper baseline help to measure the  $\Delta m^2_{21}$  and  $\Delta m^2_{32}$  driven oscillations simultaneously.
- Precisions of three parameters ( $\Delta m_{21}^2$ ,  $\Delta m_{32}^2$  and  $\sin^2 \theta_{12}$ ) reach sub-percent level, several times improvement compared with current precision.
- Probing the unitarity of U<sub>PMNS</sub> to ~1% level



	Nominal	+B2B (1%)	+BG	+EL (1%)	+NL (1%)
$\sin^2 \theta_{12}$	0.54%	0.60%	0.62%	0.64%	0.67%
$\Delta m_{21}^2$	0.24%	0.27%	0.29%	0.44%	0.59%
$ \Delta m_{ee}^2 $	0.27%	0.31%	0.31%	0.35%	0.44%

## **Other Physics Potentials**

- Supernova neutrinos
  - Less than 20 events observed so far
  - Estimated number of neutrino events in JUNO at distance of 10 kpc and typical SN parameters

Channel	Turne	Events for different $\langle E_{\nu} \rangle$ values			
Unamiei	rybe	12  MeV	$14 \mathrm{MeV}$	$16 { m MeV}$	
$\overline{\nu}_e + p \to e^+ + n$	$\mathbf{C}\mathbf{C}$	$4.3 \times 10^3$	$5.0  imes 10^3$	$5.7 \times 10^{3}$	
$\nu + p \rightarrow \nu + p$	NC	$6.0 imes10^2$	$1.2  imes 10^3$	$2.0  imes 10^3$	For JUNO:
$\nu + e \rightarrow \nu + e$	NC	$3.6 imes10^2$	$3.6 imes10^2$	$3.6 imes10^2$	Good energy
$\nu + {}^{12}\mathrm{C} \rightarrow \nu + {}^{12}\mathrm{C}^*$	$\mathbf{NC}$	$1.7 imes10^2$	$3.2 imes10^2$	$5.2  imes 10^2$	recolution all
$\nu_e + {}^{12}\mathrm{C} \rightarrow e^- + {}^{12}\mathrm{N}$	$\mathbf{C}\mathbf{C}$	$4.7  imes 10^1$	$9.4  imes 10^1$	$1.6 imes10^2$	resolution, an
$\overline{\nu}_e + {}^{12}\mathrm{C} \rightarrow e^+ + {}^{12}\mathrm{B}$	$\mathbf{C}\mathbf{C}$	$6.0 imes10^1$	$1.1  imes 10^2$	$1.6  imes 10^2$	types of neutrinos

#### Geoneutrinos

- Current results: KamLAND: 164 $\pm$ 27 (talk at Neutrino Research and Thermal Evolution of the Earth), Borexino: 23.7 $\pm$ 6 (PRD 92 (2015) 031101(R))
- JUNO, X10 statistics, but huge reactor antineutrino background
- Solar neutrinos, atmosphere neutrinos, nucleon decay, sterile neutrinos

### **Location of JUNO**



### **Requirements on JUNO experiment**

- 20 kton and 6 years data taking → 100000 antineutrino events.
- 3%/VE energy resolution → precise measurement of oscillation antineutrino spectrum (~1200 p.e./MeV)



Experiment	Daya Bay	BOREXINO	KamLAND	JUNO
LS mass	20 ton	~300 ton	~1 kton	20 kton
Coverage	~12%	~34%	~34%	~80%
Energy resolution	~7.5%/√E	~5%/ <b>√</b> E	~6%/√E	~3%/ <b>√</b> E
Light yield	~ 160 p.e. / MeV	~ 500 p.e. / MeV	~ 250 p.e. / MeV	~ 1200 p.e. / MeV

### JUNO detector

- 20 kton of liquid scintillator in a 35.4 m acrylic sphere
- 18000 20" PMT and 25000 3" PMT to detect photons with a coverage of ~78%



- Top tracker: plastic scintillator
- Water pool: Cherenkov veto, 44 m deep and 43.5 m high
- Design goals: large target mass with an unprecedented energy resolution (3%/VE)

## JUNO PMT systems



- Design goals: 1200 p.e./MeV
- Requirements
  - High coverage
  - High photon detection efficiency
  - Acceptable dark noise and radioactivity level
- Double calorimetry PMT systems
  - 18000 20" PMTs: 75% coverage, good energy resolution
  - 25000 3" PMTs: 2.5% coverage, good timing

## JUNO civil construction

- Experiment hall overburden: ~700 m (~1900 MWE)
- Vertical shaft and slope tunnel accomplished









### **JUNO collaboration**

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Country	Institute		
Armenia	Yerevan Physics Institute		
Belgium	Universite libre de Bruxelles		
Brazil	PUC		
Brazil	UEL		
Chile	PCUC		
Chile	USM		
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China	CAGS		
China	ChongQing University	1	
China	CIAE		
China	DGUT		
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China	Guangxi U.		
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China	IHEP		
China	Jilin U.		
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Taiwan	National Taiwan U.	
Taiwan	National United U.	
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Thailand	PPRLCU	
Thailand	SUT	
USA	UMD1 4	
USA	UMD2	

### JUNO schedule





### Summary

• JUNO has rich physics possibilities with the main goals to determine mass hierarchy and precisely measure oscillation parameters.

• JUNO experiment is under construction and is expected to start data taking in 2020.

### Thanks!