

### Superbeam, Beta Beam, and Neutrino Factory (3)

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#### Outline of the Third Lecture

- Neutrino Factory Complex (How it looks like ?)
- Betabeam
- New Physics at Neutrino Factory
- Summary



#### Neutrino Factory Complex





#### Proton Drivers

- 1 4 MW proton beam power is needed.
  - only beam power matters.
  - Proton energy is not important (next slide), but 5-15 (10) GeV would be the best.
- Considerations
  - slow repetition rate with many protons in each pulse (0.1 - 1 Hz).
  - high repetition with less protons in each pulse. (10-100 Hz)

- Options
  - 200 MeV Linac + 3 GeV Booster synchrotron + Proton FFAG (10 GeV)
  - 8 GeV Fermilab superconducting LINAC (20 Hz upgrade) + accumulator buncher
  - SPL at CERN (50 Hz) + accumulator/buncher
  - others (BNL, Japan, etc.)





Optimum proton energy for high-Z target is broad, but drops at low-energy

#### Optimum Proton Energy

Simulation by MARS14

## Target and Pion Capture

- Achieve highly intense muon beam by maximizing pion production and collecting as many of them as possible.
  - soft pion production
  - high Z material
  - sustain high beam power (1-4 MW)
- Neutrino Factory Concept
  - Liquid mercury target ?
  - Pion capture system
    - 20 T superconducting magnet.
    - Magnetic horn system

#### solenoid capture (US, Japan)









#### Liquid Mercury Tests





A Proposal to the ISOLDE and Neutron Time-of-Flight Experiments Committee

#### Studies of a Target System for a 4-MW, 24-GeV Proton Beam

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15T NC magnet (Liq.N2)

MERIT Experiment at CERN

n-TOF beam line at CERN (nTOF11)

#### Bunching and Phase Rotation

- bunching to fit in an RF system (200 MHz?).
  - originally muon beam spread longitudinally due to different energy.
- Phase rotation : accelerate slow muons and decelerate fast muons to align muon beam energy.



Phase





#### Reduction of Beam Emittance (Cooling)

- Emittance = a volume in phase space occupied by beam particles
  - for transverse  $(x, \frac{dx}{dz}, y, \frac{dy}{dz})$
- Reduce the muon beam emittance so that as many muons as possible can be accepted in the accelerators following. (Cooling)





 $/_{\pi}$  and  $\mu$  after focalization

#### Ionization Cooling

- Ordinary cooling (Stochastic cooling etc.) is too slow. A novel method for muons are needed.
- ionization cooling system consists of degraders (absorber) and accelerating RF cavities.
- to minimize heating, degrader should have large radiation length (X<sub>0</sub>) and focusing system make the beta function small.





#### MICE - Ionization Cooling Demonstration

- MICE (= Muon Ionization Cooling Experiment) to demonstrate the principle of ionization cooling.
- Building a section of cooling channel to demonstrate the principle of ionization cooling
- measure : transverse emittance reduction of 10 % with 1 % relative accuracy
- method : single particle measurement (since no ordinary method of emittance measurements available.)

- measure track parameters before and after cooling channels
- Integration of accelerator and particle physicists.











New MUCOOL Test Area Completed – FNAL



LH2 Absorber Cryostat – KEK



Coupling coil

RF cavity

Thin absorber windows Tested – new technique – ICAR Universities



201 MHz half-shell ebeam welding of Stiffening – JLab



LH2 absorber

Focus coil

5T Cooling Channel Solenoid – LBNL & Open Cell NCRF Cavity operated at Lab G – FNAL

#### **Ionization Cooling - MUCOOL**



#### MUCOOL at Fermilab

## Scaling FFAG



#### Acceleration

- Rapid Acceleration (to 20-50 GeV) is needed.
  - synchrotron not work.
- Options
  - 1.Scaling FFAG (Fixed Field Alternating Gradient) accelerator
    - Japanese design
  - 2.Non-Scaling FFAG
    - US Study 2A
  - 3.RLA (Recirculating Linear Accelerator)
    - racetrack or dogbone type
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#### Non-Scaling FFAG



# What is a FFAG accelerator ?

- Scaling FFAG
  - quick acceleration due to a fixed magnetic field
  - non-uniform magnetic field

$$B(r) = B_0 \left(\frac{r}{r_0}\right)^k \ (k = 2 \sim 10)$$

- alternating focus-bending and defocus-bending would provide strong beam focusing
- large transverse acceptance
- large longitudinal acceptance
- invented by C. Okawa in 1950





### Storage Ring

- Triangle Ring
  - more fraction of straight sections (up tp 48 %), but less flexibility
  - two rings in single tunnel
- Racetrack Ring
  - less fraction of straight section (up to 38 %), but more flexibility to beam directions.
  - one rings in two tunnels.
- Both signed muons are circulated with timing discrimination.
- Dependent on accelerator and detector locations.





#### Neutrino Factory

#### **CERN** Layout



#### US Neutrino Factory

- Proton Driver
  - primary beam on production target
- Target, Capture, Decay
  - capture pions, which decay into muons.
- Bunching, Phase Rotation
  - reduce energy spread of bunch
- Cooling
  - reduce transverse momentum
- Acceleration
  - from 200 MeV to 20-50 GeV
- Decay Ring
  - store for about 500 turns
  - long straight sections





#### 4 FFAG rings + storage ring (no cooling)

#### Neutrino Factory at J-PARC

**FFAG-based Scenario** 



#### Neutrino Factory Detector Options

Segmented Magnetized Detector



• Totally Active Scintillator Detector



• Liquid Ar Detector



Emulsion Detector







#### Beta Beam



#### What Is a Beta Beam ?

- The "Beta beam" is a future neutrino facility which produce pure and intense (anti) electron neutrino beams, by accelerating radioactive ions and storing them in a decay ring.
- Proposed by Piero Zucchelli
  - Phys. Lett. B532 (2002) 166 -172.
- Advantages :
  - Energy distribution and normalization of neutrinos can be well known.

- When radioactive ions with a long lifetime (~sec) are selected, conventional accelerators, not rapid accelerators, can be used.
- EURISOL
  - EURISOL is a project to aim a next-generation facility for online production of radioactive isotopes),
  - Beta Beam Design Study is a part of EURISOL Design Study,



#### Ion Choice for Beta Beam

- Considerations
  - need to produce reasonable amounts of ions.
  - not too short lifetime to get reasonable intensities.
  - not too long lifetime otherwise no decays at high energy.

Electron Anti-neutrinos

$${}_2^6He \rightarrow {}_3^6Li + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$$

average energy = 1.94 MeV lifetime =

Electron Neutrinos

$$^{18}_{10}Ne \rightarrow ^{18}_{9}F + e^+ + \nu_e$$

average energy = 1.86 MeV

lifetime =

## <sup>6</sup>He Production from <sup>9</sup>Be <sup>18</sup>Ne Production from Mg0

fact

Spallation neutrons

- <sup>6</sup>He Production
  - Proton beam impinge on water-cooled W or liquid lead core to produce neutrons. The neutrons hit surrounding BeO to produce <sup>6</sup>He.
  - Production rate is ~2x10<sup>13</sup> ions/sec for 200 kW on target.
- Transfer line to ion source high-energy protons. **Spallation target:** a) water-cooled W b) liquid Pb ISOL target (BeO) in concentric cylinder  $^{9}Be(n,\alpha)^{6}He$

<sup>6</sup>He and <sup>4</sup>He

<sup>9</sup>Be

- <sup>18</sup>Ne Production
  - Proton beam impinge on a MgO target to produce <sup>18</sup>Ne.
  - Production rate is 1x10<sup>12</sup> ions/sec.



#### 60 GHz ECR Duoplamatron Ion Source

The nuclides of interest are extracted and then ionized based on ion source technology.





#### Acceleration

**Neutrino source** 





#### Beta Beam Concept



## Monochromatic Neutrino Beam (Electron Capture)

- Radioactive ions with electron capture would give monochromatic-energy neutrino.
- <sup>150</sup>Dy
  - possible to produce 1x10<sup>11</sup> of <sup>150</sup>Dy atoms/second with 50 micro A proton beam at TRIUMF.
  - 10<sup>18</sup> decays possible ?

Decay	T <sub>1/2</sub>	$BR_{v}$	EC/v	$I_{EC}^{\beta}$	B(GT)	E <sub>GR</sub>	$\Gamma_{\sf GR}$	Q <sub>EC</sub>	E <sub>v</sub>	$\Delta E_{v}$
<sup>148</sup> Dy→ <sup>148</sup> Tb <sup>*</sup>	3.1 m	1	0.96	0.96	0.46	620		2682	2062	
<sup>150</sup> Dy→ <sup>150</sup> Tb <sup>*</sup>	7.2 m	0.64	1	1	0.32	397		1794	1397	
<sup>152</sup> Tm2 <sup>-</sup> → <sup>152</sup> E <sub>T</sub> *	8.0 s	1	0.45	0.50	0.48	4300	520	8700	4400	520
<sup>150</sup> Ho2 <sup>-</sup> → <sup>150</sup> Dy <sup>*</sup>	72 s	1	0.77	0.56	0.25	4400	400	7400	3000	400



#### New Physics at a Neutrino Factory





#### New Physics at a Neutrino Factory



Why do we need high-precision determination of the lepton mixing parameters ?

## The Big Questions

- What is the origin of neutrino mass?
- Did neutrinos play a role in our existence?
- Did neutrinos play a role in forming galaxies?
- Did neutrinos play a role in birth of the universe?
- Are neutrinos telling us something about unification of matter and/or forces?
- Will neutrinos give us more surprises?
   Big questions = tough questions to answer



#### Is the Lepton Mixing Matrix Unitary ?

- So far, the neutrino mixing matrix is mostly assumed to be unitary. Ten, it can be presented by only 4 parameters (3 angle and 1 phase).
- In principle, the neutrino mixing matrix can have 18 parameters, even in the 3 flavor generation.

$$V = \begin{pmatrix} c_{12}c_{13} & s_{12}c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -c_{23}s_{12} - s_{23}s_{13}c_{12}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{12} - s_{23}s_{13}s_{12}e^{i\delta} & s_{23}c_{13} \\ s_{23}s_{12} - c_{23}s_{13}c_{12}e^{i\delta} & -s_{23}c_{12} - c_{23}s_{13}s_{12}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{13} \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\times \begin{pmatrix} e^{-i\frac{\phi_1}{2}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-i\frac{\phi_2}{2}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$V = \begin{pmatrix} V_{e1} & V_{e2} & V_{e3}\\ V_{\mu 1} & V_{\mu 2} & V_{\mu 3}\\ V_{\tau 1} & V_{\tau 2} & V_{\tau 3} \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} e^{-i\frac{\phi_1}{2}} & 0 & 0\\ 0 & e^{-i\frac{\phi_2}{2}} & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



#### From B Factory to Neutrino Factory

$$\begin{array}{c} \mbox{CKM quark} \\ \mbox{mixing:} \\ \mbox{W} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{23} & s_{23} \\ 0 & -s_{23} & c_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & s_{13} \\ 0 & e^{-i\delta} & 0 \\ -s_{13} & 0 & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} & s_{12} & 0 \\ -s_{12} & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ \mbox{Exp. steps:} \\ \mbox{\Theta}_{12} \rightarrow \ \ensuremath{\theta}_{23} \rightarrow \ \ensuremath{\theta}_{13} \rightarrow \ \ensuremath{\delta} \\ \mbox{mixing:} \\ \mbox{-13^\circ} & \mbox{-}2^\circ & \mbox{-}0.2^\circ & \mbox{-}65^\circ \\ \mbox{unitarity ?} \end{array}$$

#### **MNS lepton mixing:**

	(1	0	0 \	( C <sub>13</sub>	0	<b>s</b> <sub>13</sub> )	( C <sub>12</sub>	$\mathbf{s_{12}}$	0	$(\mathbf{e}^{\mathbf{i} ho})$	0	0
$\mathbf{V} =$	0	C <sub>23</sub>	<b>s</b> <sub>23</sub>	0	${f e}^{-{f i}\delta}$	0	$-s_{12}$	$c_{12}$	0	0	$\mathbf{e}^{\mathbf{i}\sigma}$	0
	(0	$-{\bf s_{23}}$	$c_{23}$	$\begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{c_{13}} \\ 0 \\ -\mathbf{s_{13}} \end{pmatrix}$	0	c <sub>13</sub> /	( O	0	1)	(0	0	1/

**Exp. steps:**  $\theta_{23} \rightarrow \theta_{12} \rightarrow \theta_{13} \rightarrow \delta/\rho/\sigma$  new physics ? ~45° ~33° <10° ~??? unitarity?

## How to Test Unitarity ?

Normalization Conditions

$$|V_{e1}|^2 + |V_{e2}|^2 + |V_{e3}|^2 = 1$$

- Orthogonality Conditions
  - Examine Unitarity Triangles
  - various combinations of the unitarity triangles for the Lepton mixing.
- Neutral Current (total number of active neutrino is conserved ?)

$$\sum_{n} P(\nu_m \to \nu_n) = 1$$

Varger, Geer, Whisnant (2004)

















## Example : Unitarity Triangle

- As in the CKM triangle, the area of the MNS triangle is proportional to the lepton Jarlskog parameter, J.
  - Both  $\sin^2 \theta_{13}$  and  $\sin \delta$  should be large.
  - Physics case for  $\sin^2 \theta_{13} > 0.01$
- Tau appearance is needed.
- Only a neutrino factory can do a study of the unitarity of the MNS matrix.



$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_l &\equiv \arg\left(-\frac{V_{e1}^* V_{e2}}{V_{\mu 1}^* V_{\mu 2}}\right) \\ \beta_l &\equiv \arg\left(-\frac{V_{\mu 1}^* V_{\mu 2}}{V_{\tau 1}^* V_{\tau 2}}\right) \\ \gamma_l &\equiv \arg\left(-\frac{V_{\tau 1}^* V_{\tau 2}}{V_{e1}^* V_{e2}}\right) \end{aligned}$$







### Sources for Non-unitarity, and new interaction ?

- More than 3 generations
  - sterile neutrinos ?
- New interactions (as in the quark case in B-factories)



SU(2) assumed, it is related (constrained) by charged lepton flavor violation.



#### Towards Big Picture





- Neutrino Oscillation Physics
  - Objectives are

- Future Neutrino Facilities
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Discovery of Leptonic CP Violation  $\delta$ 

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