# J-PARC T60: J-PARC での原子核乾板を用いた ニュートリノ反応精密測定実験

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### **Current situation on neutrino physics**





# Motivation

- Precise neutrino-nucleus interaction measurement is important to reduce the systematic uncertainty in future neutrino oscillation experiments.
- We started a new experiment at J-PARC to study low energy neutrino interactions by introducing nuclear emulsion technique.
- The emulsion technique can measure all the final state particles with low energy threshold for a variety of targets (H<sub>2</sub>O, Fe, C,...).
- Furthermore its ultimate position resolution allow to measure v<sub>e</sub> cross section and to explore of a sterile neutrino.



# **Nuclear Emulsion Detector**

#### **3D** reconstruction



4π detection



Microscopic image from the view of the beam axis  $\gamma -> e^+e^-$  electron

Low BG from  $v_{\mu}$  NC  $\pi^{0}$  production

#### **Scalability**



#### Momentum, dE/dx measurement





### **Precise measurement of** neutrino-nucleus interactions

- CCQE interaction events are used as signal to reconstruct energy in  $E_{QE} = \frac{m_p^2 - (m_n - V)^2 - m_\mu^2 + 2(m_n - V)E_\mu}{2((m_n - V) - E_\mu + p_\mu \cos \theta_\mu)}$ T2K/SK.
- Other interaction modes contaminate due to final state interaction in  $\bullet$ nucleon and detector inefficiency.
- Energy can't be reconstructed correctly with these interaction modes. •  $\rightarrow$  Need precise understanding about neutrino interaction.

	$ u_{\mu} \text{ sample} \\ 1 R_{\mu} FHC $	v <sub>e</sub> sample 1R <sub>e</sub> FHC	$\overline{\nu}_{\mu}$ sample 1R <sub><math>\mu</math></sub> RHC	$\bar{\nu}_e$ sample 1R <sub>e</sub> RHC				
ν flux w/o ND280	7,6%	8,9%	7,1%	8,0%				
u flux with ND280	3,6%	3,6%	3,8%	3,8%				
v cross-section w/o ND280	7,7%	7,2%	9,3%	10,1%				
v cross-section with ND280	4,1%	5,1%	4,2%	5,5%				
$\nu$ flux+cross-section	2,9%	4,2%	3,4%	4,6%				
Final or secondary hadron int.	1,5%	2,5%	2,1%	2,5%				
Super-K detector	3,9%	2,4%	3,3%	3,1%				
Total w/o ND280	12,0%	11,9%	12,5%	13,7%				
Total with ND280	5,0%	5,4%	5,2%	6,2%				

an investigated available of

2p-2h interaction in CCQE samples (Meson Exchange Current: MEC)



NINJA 実験

Neutrino Interaction research with Nuclear emulsion and J-PARC Accelerator



原子核乾板は、MEC反応を測定する極めて有効な手段

ニュートリノ反応の精密測定

### v exposure status of NINJA



- We have demonstrated the basic experimental concept at J-PARC site.
- "Detector performance run" was started from last Jan.

# NINJA Roadmap



- The aim of T60/T66 is a feasibility study and detector performance check to make a future plan.
- We will expand the scale of detector gradually, step by step.

### **Detector Run**

# We are starting Detector Run to compare MC with high statistics.



- $\overline{\nu}$  exposure : 2016 @SS floor end of Jan.  $\rightarrow$  beam end
- Iron target (total~60kg : 500  $\mu$  m seg.)
- High statistics (3-4k  $\overline{\nu}_{\mu}$  events)
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### **Detector installation**











Data quality check and track reconstruction is under progress.

### **Detector Run (T60)**

### **Event analysis is now in progress** !

#### Very preliminary



### Detector Run(T60) v exposure in May 2015. Water target emulsion detector



Water Target ~ 1.5kg ightarrow 10-20  $\overline{
u}$  events



		Interacted in Water region
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	33 34	陽子/陽子/
		Range~2cm
		(tan $\theta$ x, tan $\theta$ y)=(-0.040, 0.845)   M.I.P
Sandwich structure of Emulsion		(2) $(\tan\theta x, \tan\theta y) = (-0.589, -0.074)$ proton
films and Frame type spacers	Pouring water	Minimum distance(①-②)=2.4um, depth=620um

First detection of v - Water interaction with Emulsion Detector

# Detector Run(T66)V照射: Dec. 2016- Apr.2017- R&D for Water target Emulsion detector



大型水標的検出器によるニュートリノー水反応の精密測定に向けて検出器R&Dを継続中 2018年後半に100kg 級の検出器を設置予定。

### **Related activity**



#### Workshop on Hadron Production Measurements with Nuclear Emulsions





- We are performing a neutrino experiments at J-PARC to study low energy neutrino - nucleus interactions with nuclear emulsion (NINJA).
- We are carrying out a test experiment at J-PARC to check the feasibility and detector performance.
- Beam exposure and film development for the 60kg iron target ECC was successfully done and the event analysis is now in progress.
- R&D for Water target ECC is performing.
- Now we are discussing about next Physics Run with a large scale water target emulsion detector.



# **Recent technical improvements**

#### **Readout technique**

#### High Speed Scanning



#### HTS 9,000cm<sup>2</sup>/h, x100 faster

#### Large angle tracking technique





### Detector technique

#### High Sensitive film



#### Time resolution





#### Charge sign ID







# Automatic procedure



#### VTX information

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p1	isg	ph vph	ax	ay	x	у	z	ip	dz
311	1297671	240051	1.1117	-0.5583	42548.1	50470.8	-24017.0	8.1	-508.9
311	1476910	310169	-0.7446	0.3523	41596.4	50919.6	-24017.0	8.1	-508.9
311	1363116	320471	0.4217	-1.0350	42182.2	50224.1	-24017.0	10.4	-508.9



#### **Range information**

itk	vt	P11	isgl	P12	isg2	range	D	В	
236971 237185 266896	31 31 31	311 311 311	1297671 1476910 1363116	241 241 291	1363745 1408947 1317375	9349.1 7675.6 3046.2	1 1 1	1 2 3	
Direction 1: Forward, 2: Backward									

Blackness 1: Thin, 2: Gray, 3: Black, 0: Gamma

#### Momentum information

itk	n	ax	ay	Ph	vph	morn	momlow	momhi
236971	8	1.1218	-0.5317	23.5	44.0	0.156	0.130	0.183
237185	8	-0.7835	0.3566	30.5	190.1	0.318	0.264	0.376
266896	3	0.3523	-1.0159	32.0	509.0	0.097	0.069	0.128



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### **Status review of T60**



Hybrid analysis with T2K near detector







### **Time stamp for v event with Emulsion Shifter**



#### Feasibility study: 2kg Iron target ECC

### **Emulsion-INGRID** Hybrid analysis





Time resolution for emulsion tracks



### **Detector preparation**

We carried out "Refresh" process to delete noise tracks like OPERA experiment.



# Installation @J-PARC (Jan. 11-20)

#### Test operation of the emulsion shifter @NA



Detector components were moved down to SS floor with crane operation.



# Installation @J-PARC (Jan. 11-20)

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Emulsion

Iron target

ECC

shifter

Detector was constructed @SS floor.

T60 emulsion detector is mounted in cooling box to keep good quality (no refresh).



**Operation status** (Jan. - Jun)

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GD: ECC1 monitor

GD: ECC4 monitor -FD冷蔵(8°C)

FD: ECC1 monito ED: ECC1 PL69

FD: ECC1 PL56

FD: ECC1 PL47

#### The temperature in the cooling chamber







In this time, the detector is placed in the cooling chamber. The emulsion quality (sensitivity and noise density) is found to keep at safety level from end of Jan. to end of May by checking the monitoring sample.

### Hardware treatment of the emulsion films

