

Neutrino Beam @ JHF

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Requirements on Neutrino Beam

1. As intense as possible

No need to explain

2. Low Energy

Tune peak energy at oscillation maximum

Super-Kamiokande Atm. ν obs. $\rightarrow \Delta m_{23}^2 = 1.6 \sim 4 \times 10^{-3} \text{eV}^2$

$\rightarrow E_\nu = 0.4 \sim 1 \text{GeV}$

3. Narrow Spectrum

Neutrino Energy Reconstruction using Quasi elastic interaction

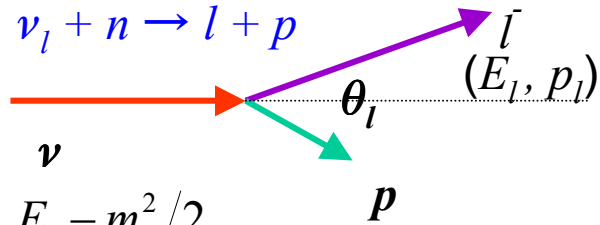
Non oscillating HE tail makes background

4. Small ν_e contamination

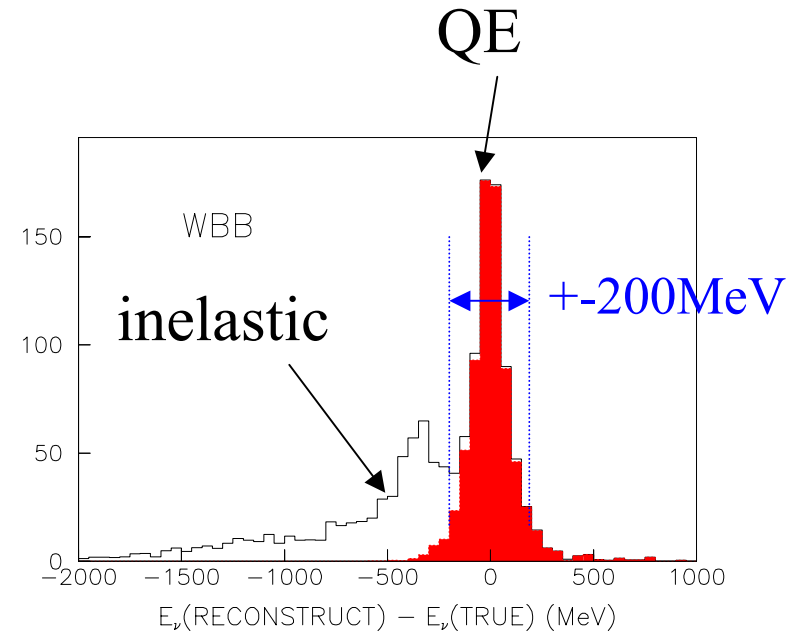
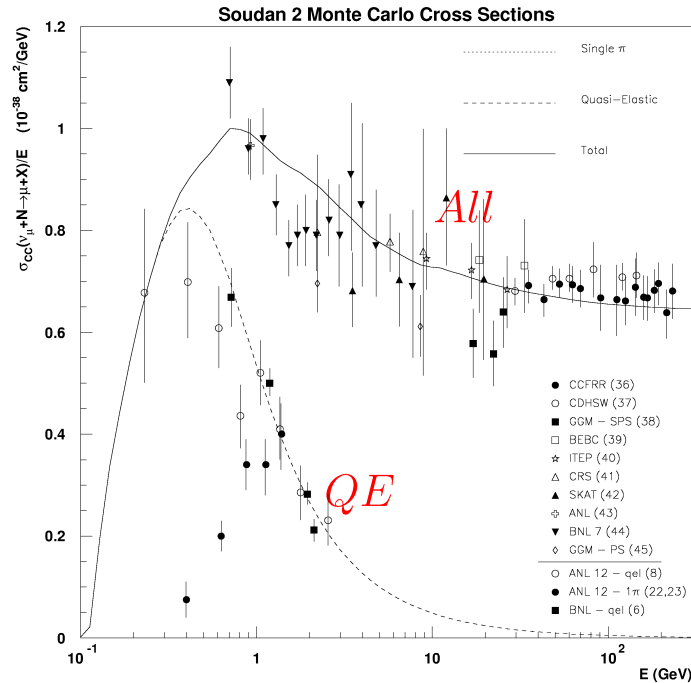
5. Controllability (systematics)

Neutrino Energy Reconstruction

Assume CC quasi elastic (CCQE) reaction



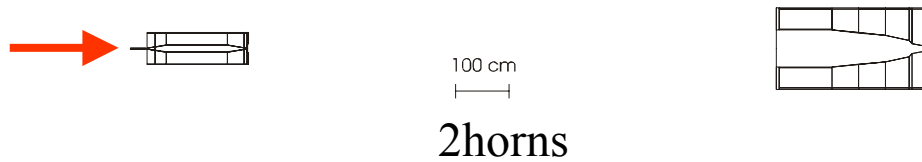
$$E_\nu = \frac{m_N E_l - m_l^2 / 2}{m_N - E_l + p_l \cos \theta_l}$$



QE dominate at \sim

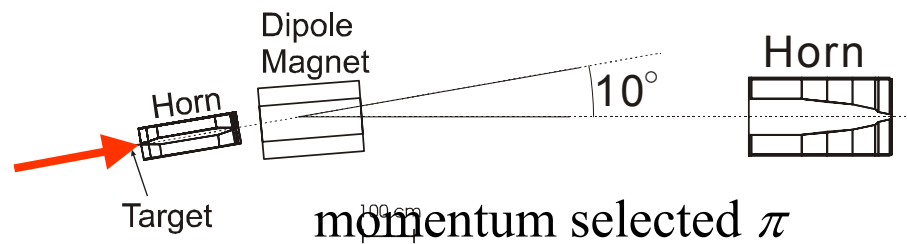
Three Beams

Wide Band Beam



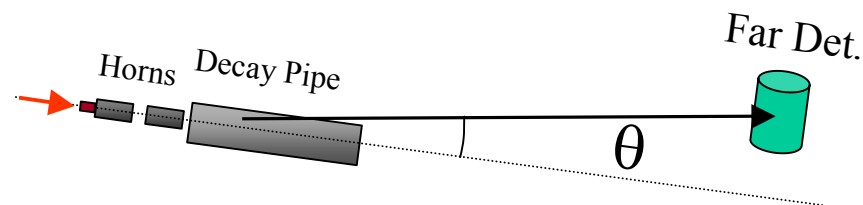
- ✧ Intense
- ✧ Wide sensitivity in Δm^2
- ✧ BG from HE tail
- ✧ Syst. err from spectrum extrapolation

Narrow Band Beam



- ✧ Less HE tail
- ✧ Less sys err from spectrum “counting experiment”
- ✧ Easy to tune E_ν

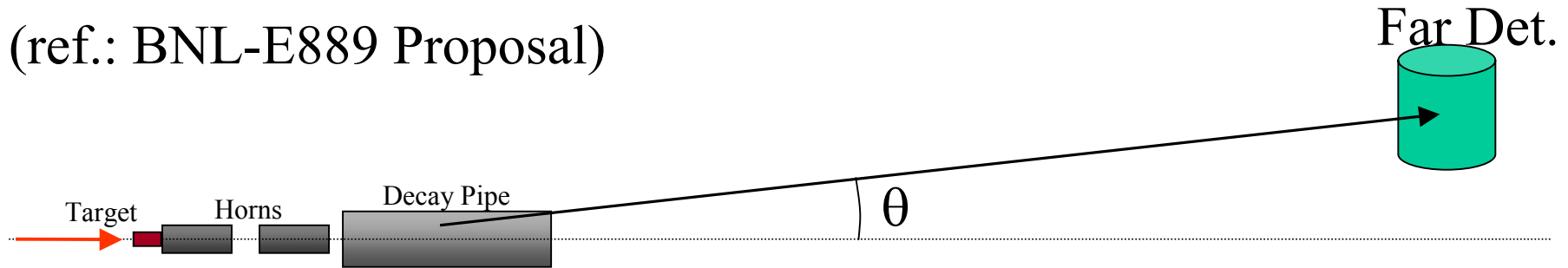
Off Axis Beam



- ✧ High int. narrow band beam
- ✧ More HE tail than NBB
- ✧ Hard to tune E_ν

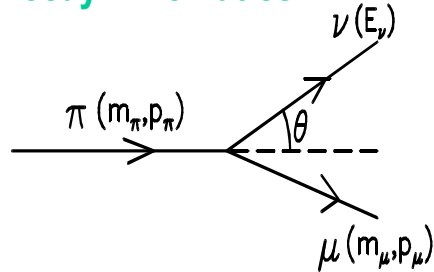
Off Axis Beam (another NBB option)

(ref.: BNL-E889 Proposal)

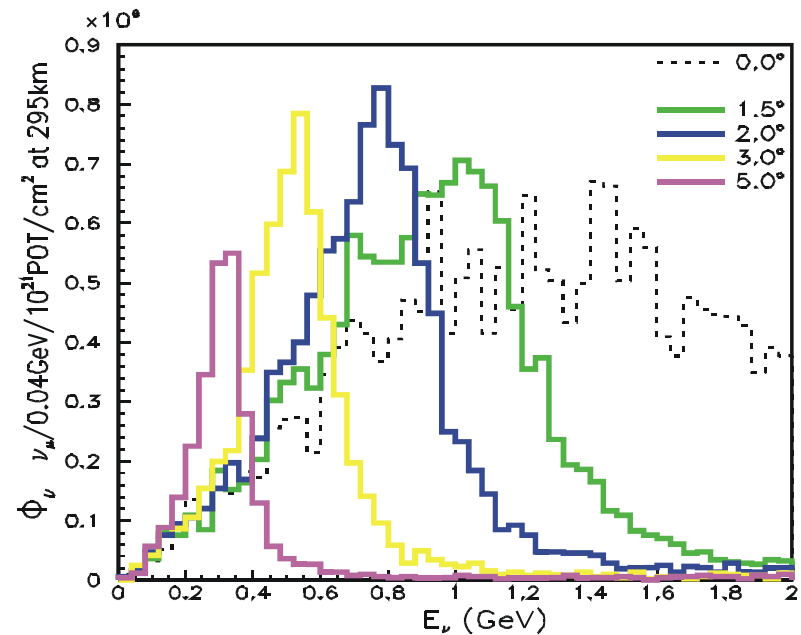
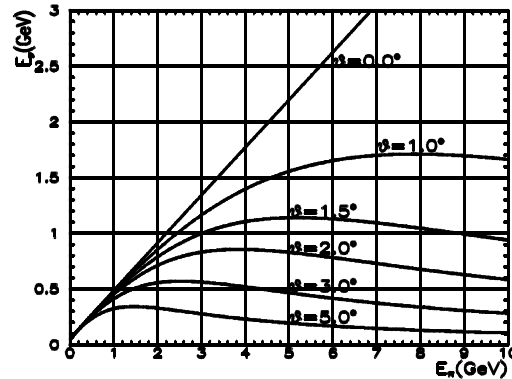


WBB w/ intentionally misaligned beam line from det. axis

Decay Kinematics

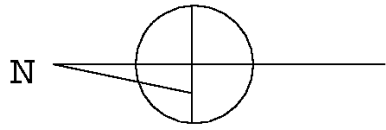


$$E_\nu = \frac{m_\pi^2 - m_\mu^2}{2(E_\pi - p_\pi \cos\theta)}$$



Quasi Monochromatic Beam

Neutrino Facility



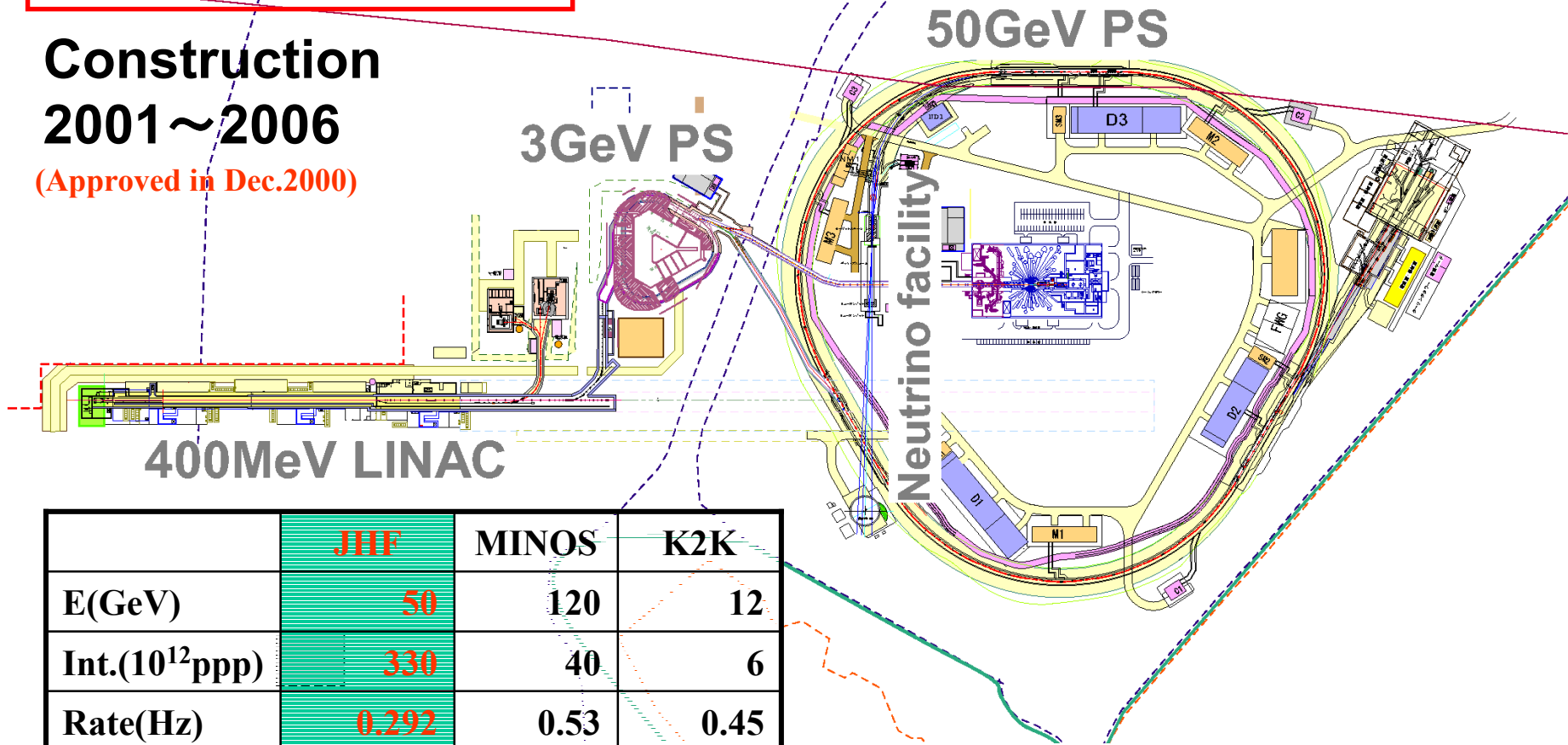
JHF

Pacific Ocean

**JAERI@Tokai-mura
(60km N.E. of KEK)**

**Construction
2001 ~ 2006**

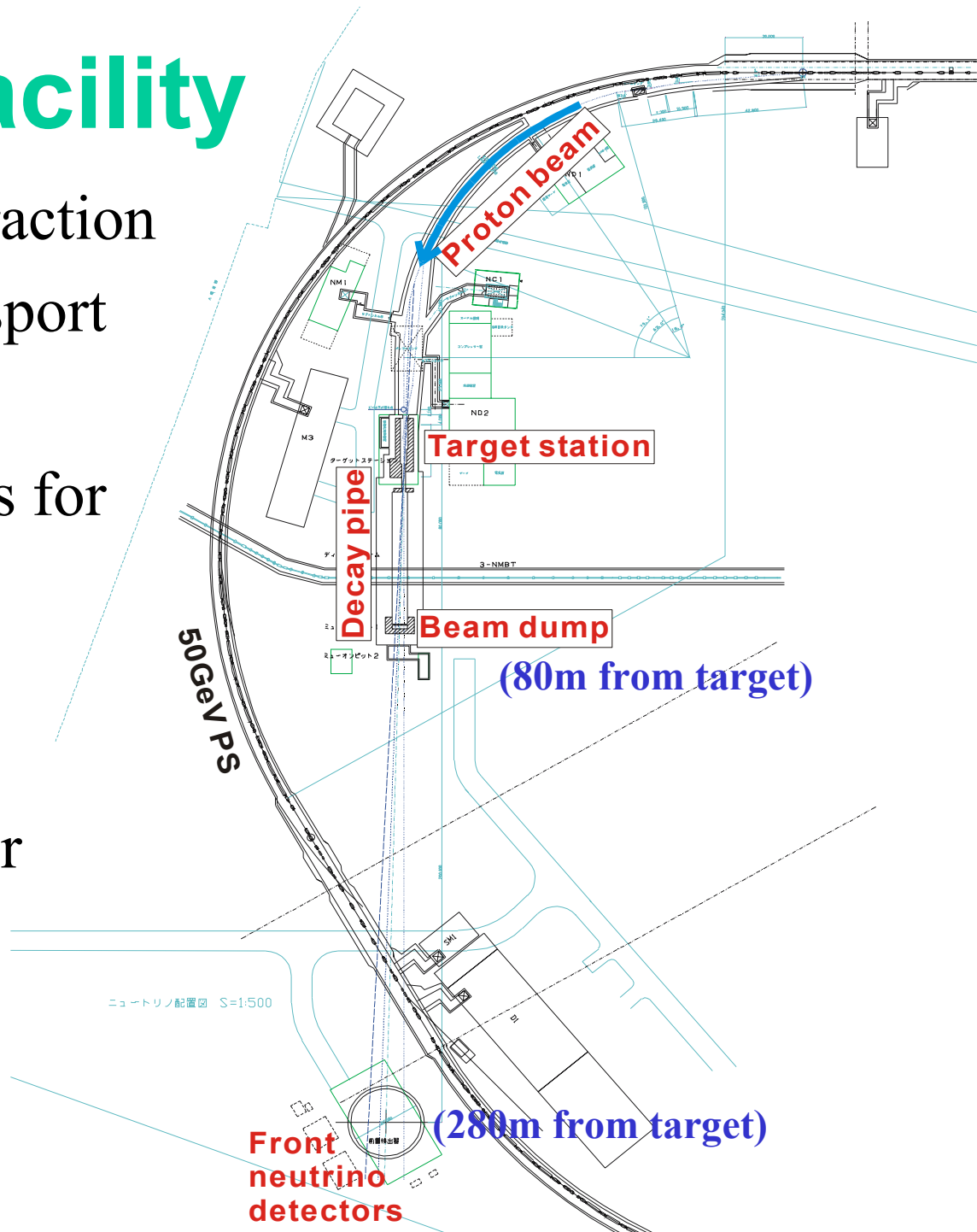
(Approved in Dec.2000)



	JHF	MINOS	K2K
E(GeV)	50	120	12
Int.(10^{12} ppp)	330	40	6
Rate(Hz)	0.292	0.53	0.45
Power(MW)	0.77	0.41	0.0052

Neutrino Facility

- Proton beam extraction
- Proton beam transport
- Production target
- Focusing elements for pions
- Decay pipe
- Beam dump
- Beam monitors for $p/\pi/\mu/\nu$



Arc & Final focus

Bend $\sim 85^\circ$ to SK direction

50GeV, 110 m curvature

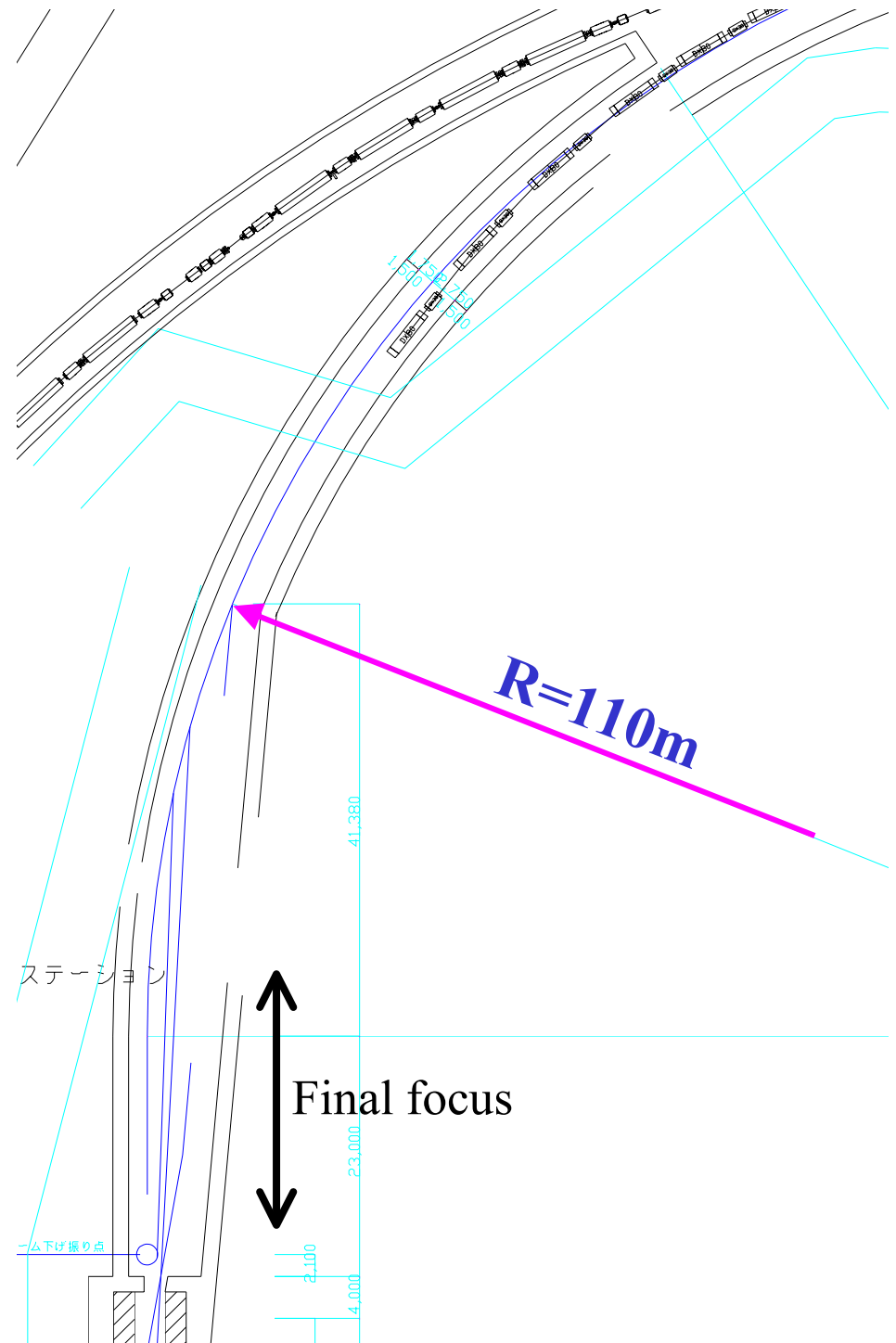
→ Need super con. mag.

Typical magnet parameters

$\sim 4\text{T}$, $\sim 4\text{m}$ long (to be decided)

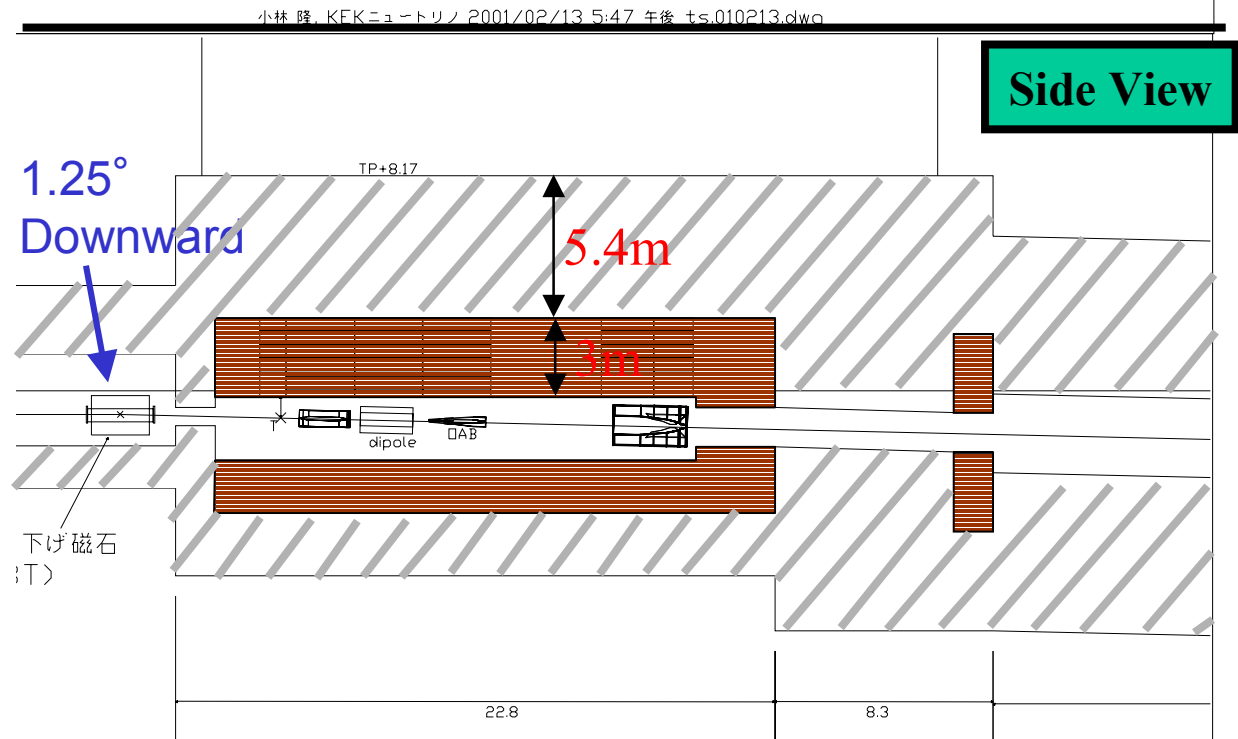
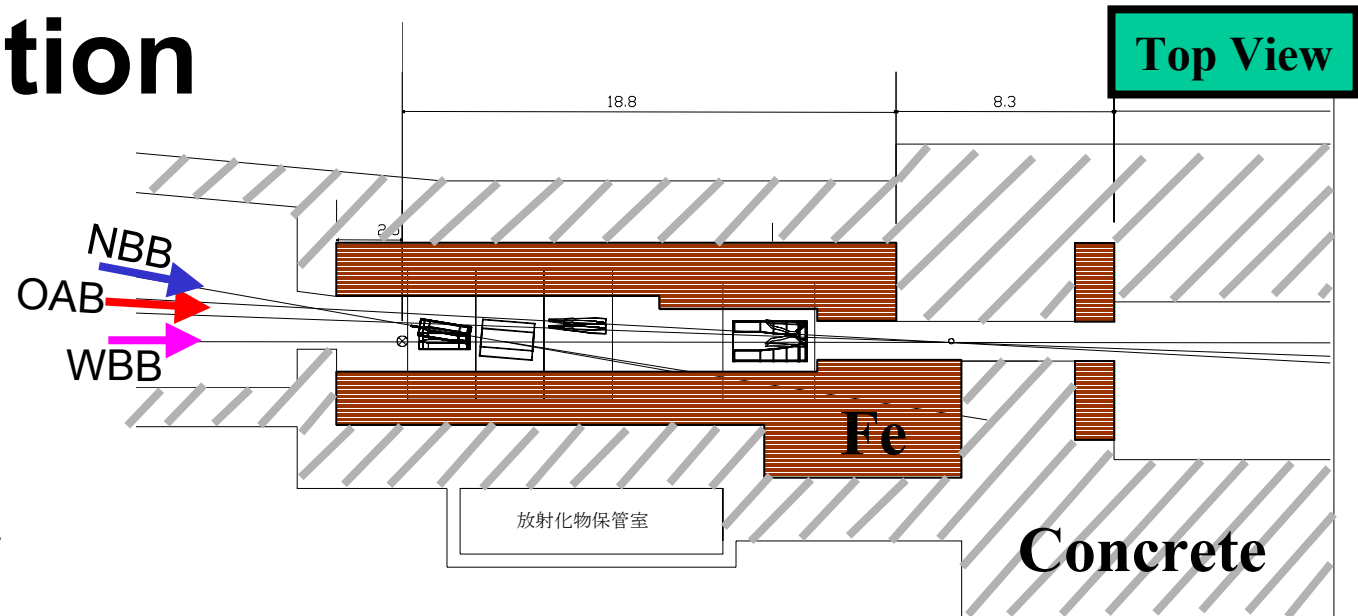
→ need 15~20 dipole magnets

Proton directed 1.25° downward

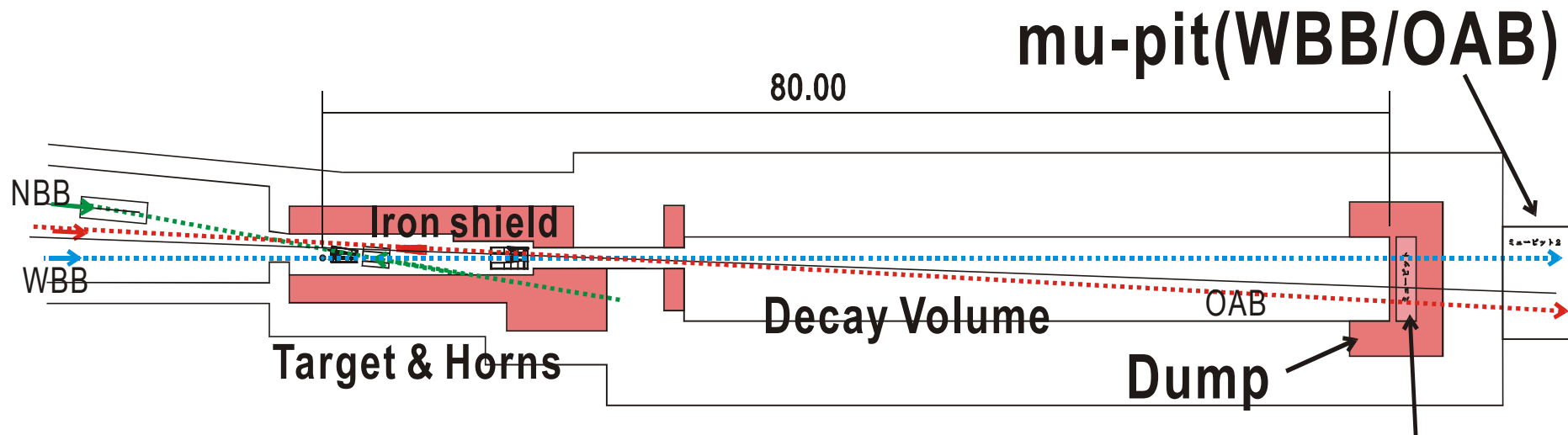


Target Station

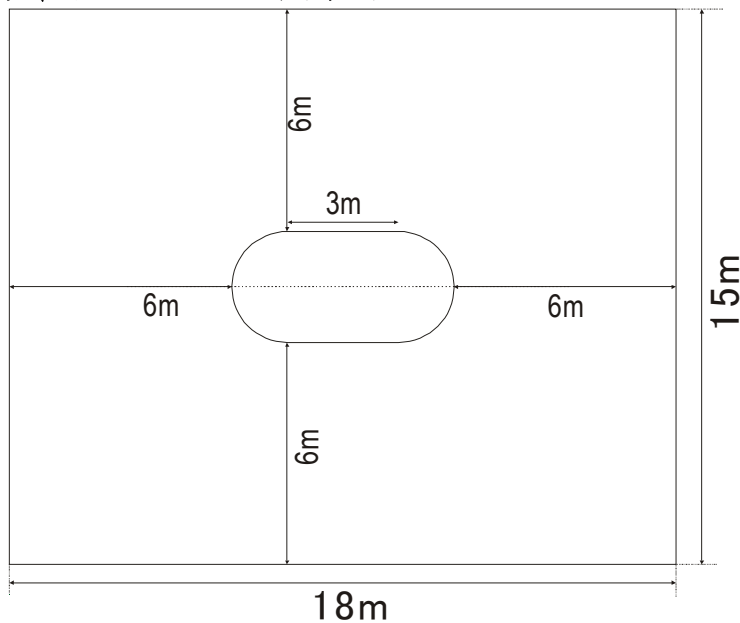
- Accommodate 3 beam options
- No free space for maintenance (to reduce shield)
- Horn replacement from ceiling



Decay volume



崩壊パイプ断面



Flat shape decay pipe
accommodate

WBB

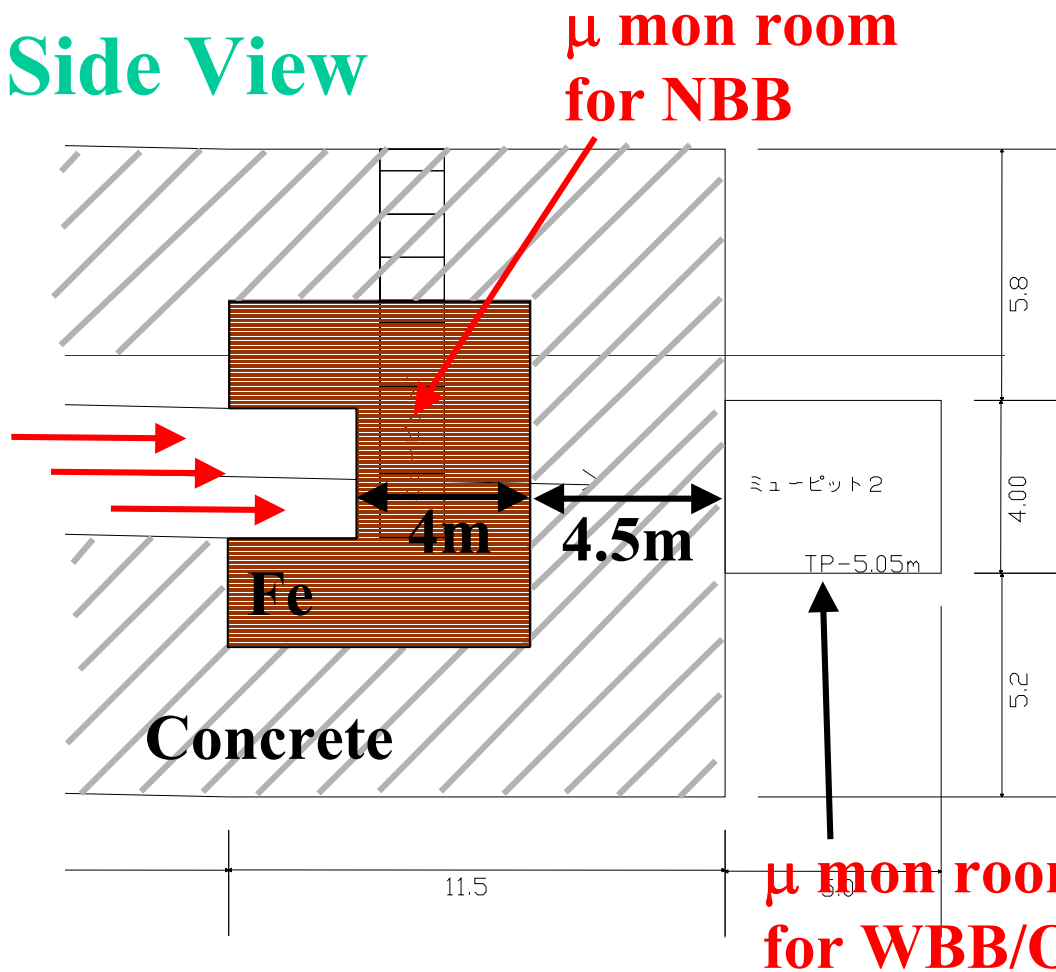
NBB

OAB upto 3°

Concrete shield of 6m thickness

Beam Dump & μ monitor room

Side View



For WBB/OAB

50GeV p comes

→ thick shield

Fe:4m, Conc:4.5m

→ Only $\mu > 8.4\text{GeV}$

reach μ mon. room

For NBB

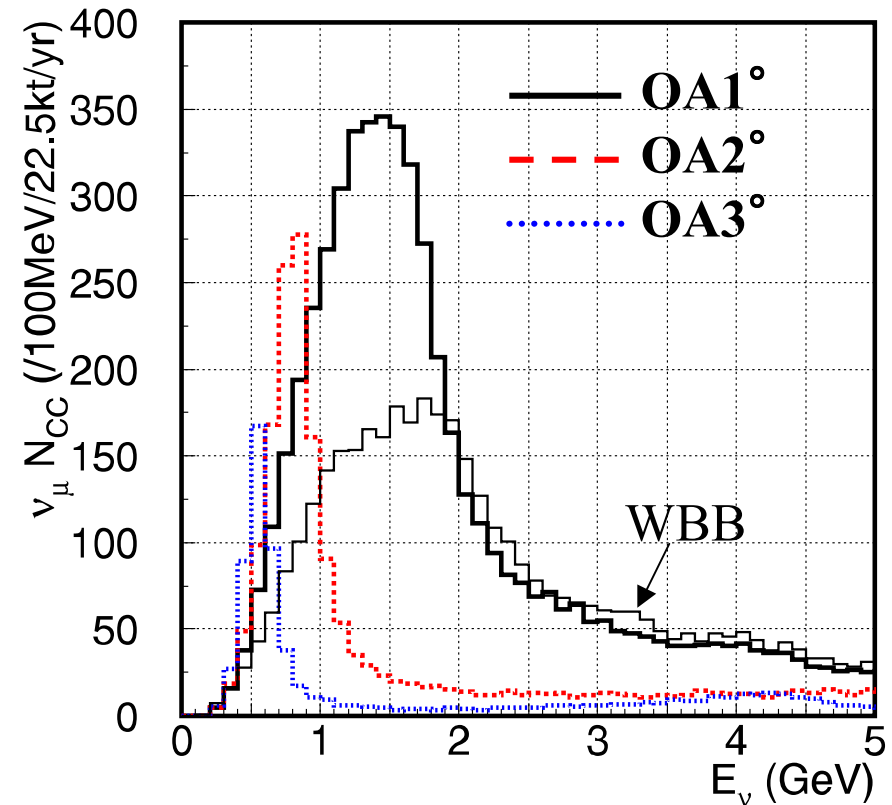
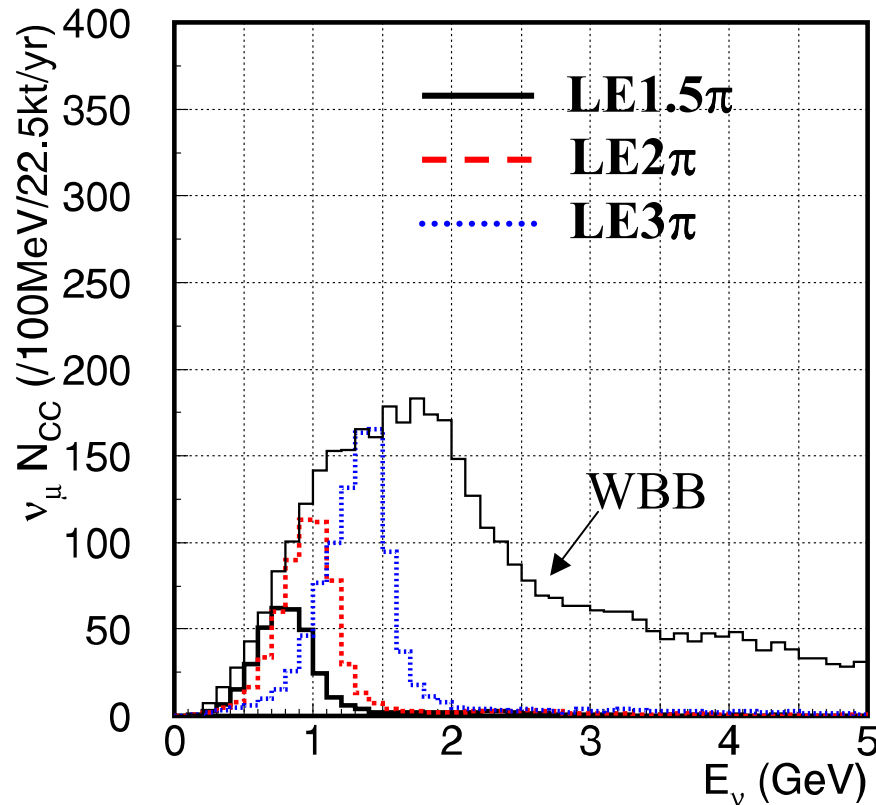
μ mon room behind 50cm

Fe shield

→ $\mu > 800\text{MeV}$ can reach

Neutrino Beam

of CC events of various beams



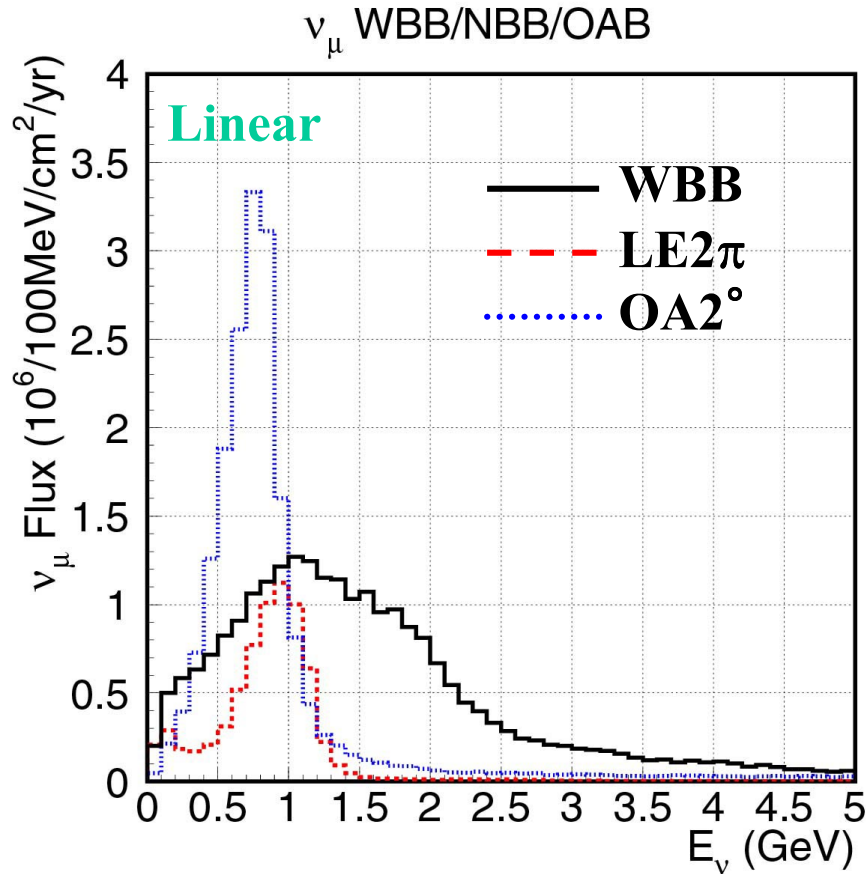
WBB: **5200** CC int./22.5kt/yr

NBB: **620** CC int./22.5kt/yr (2GeV/c π tune)

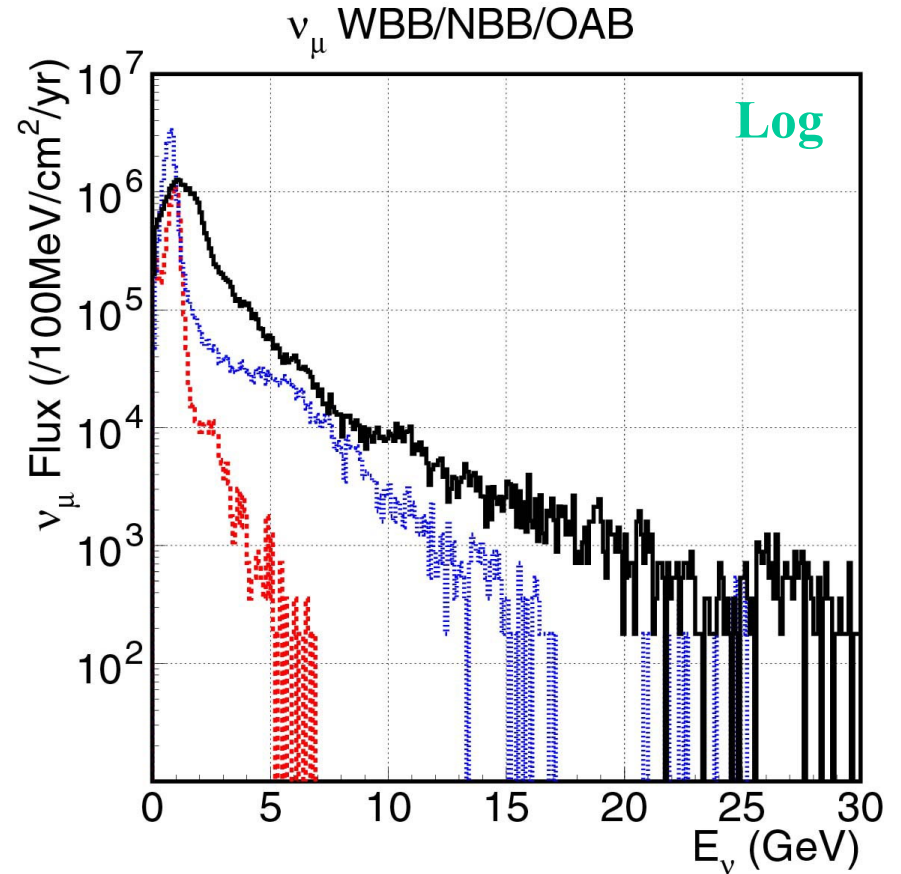
OAB: **2200** CC int./22.5kt/yr (2degree)

Comparison of spectra

Target: Cu. 1cm ϕ , 30cm rod
SK size: ± 500 m



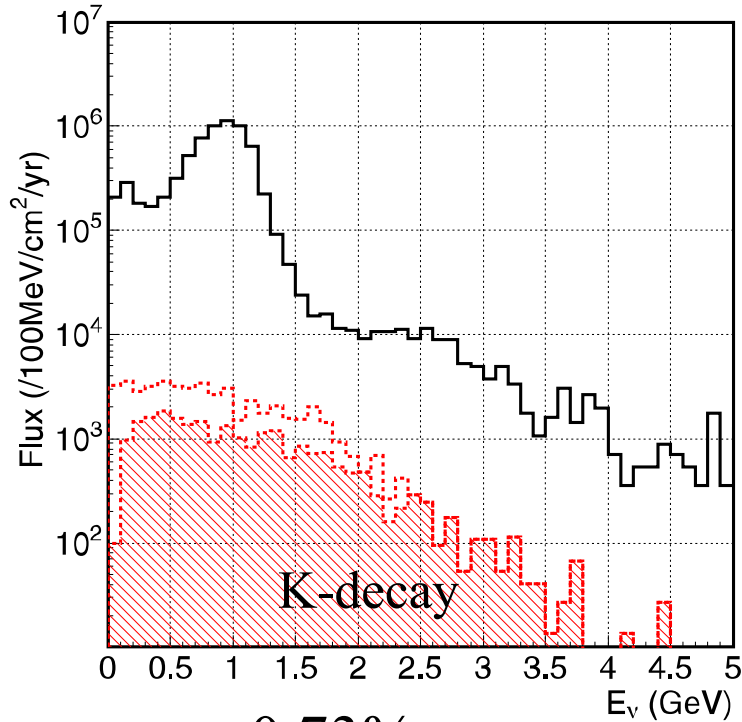
Peak @ 800MeV~1GeV
Sharp peak for NBB/OAB
OAB produce very intense “NBB”



OAB/WBB long HE tail

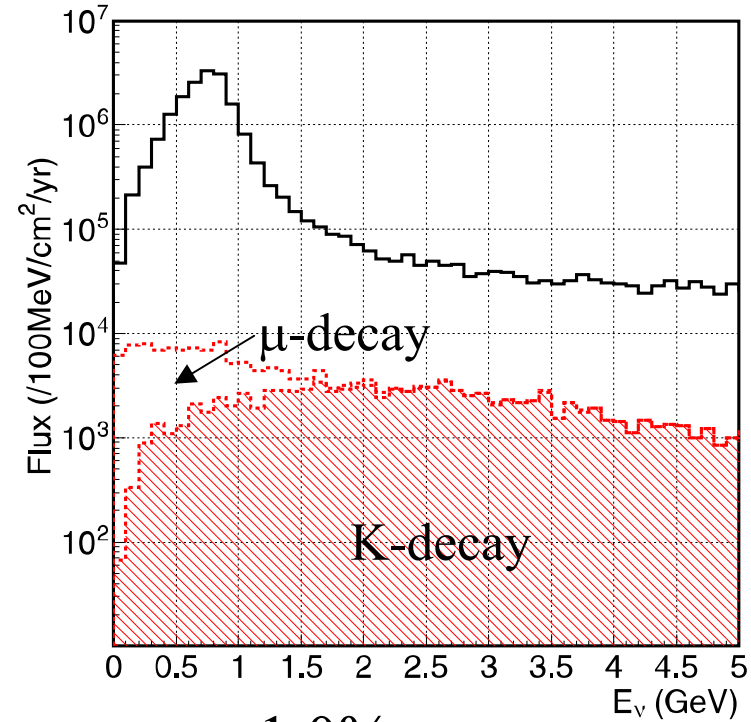
ν_e components

NBB (LE2 π)



0.73%
(0.15% @peak)

OAB (2degree)



1.0%
(0.21% @peak)

Very small ν_e/ν_μ ratio at ν_μ spectrum peak.

1~2x10⁻³

Summary of beam simulations

Beam	(GeV)	Flux		ν_e/ν_μ (%)		# of interactions	
	E_{peak}	ν_μ	ν_e	total	E_{peak}	ν_μ	ν_e
WIDE	1.1	25.5	0.19	0.74	0.34	7000(5200)	78(59)
LE1.5 π	0.7	5.3	0.05	1.00	0.39	510(360)	5.7(4.2)
LE2 π	0.95	7.0	0.05	0.73	0.15	870(620)	6.8(5.0)
LE3 π	1.4	8.0	0.05	0.65	0.16	1400(1000)	9.3(6.9)
OA2 $^\circ$	0.7	19.2	0.19	1.00	0.21	3100(2200)	60(45)
OA3 $^\circ$	0.55	10.6	0.13	1.21	0.20	1100(800)	29(22)

(10⁶/cm²/10²¹POT)

Tot. (CC)

Beam at FD @ 280m from target

	ν_{μ}			ν_e	
	Flux	Ntot	Ncc	Flux	Ntot
LE2 π	9.8	1.8	1.3	7.8	0.015
OA2 $^{\circ}$	25.6	5.6	4.1	24.5	0.11
WIDE	32.8	12.2	9.0	29.1	0.17

FD size: $\pm 3\text{m}$

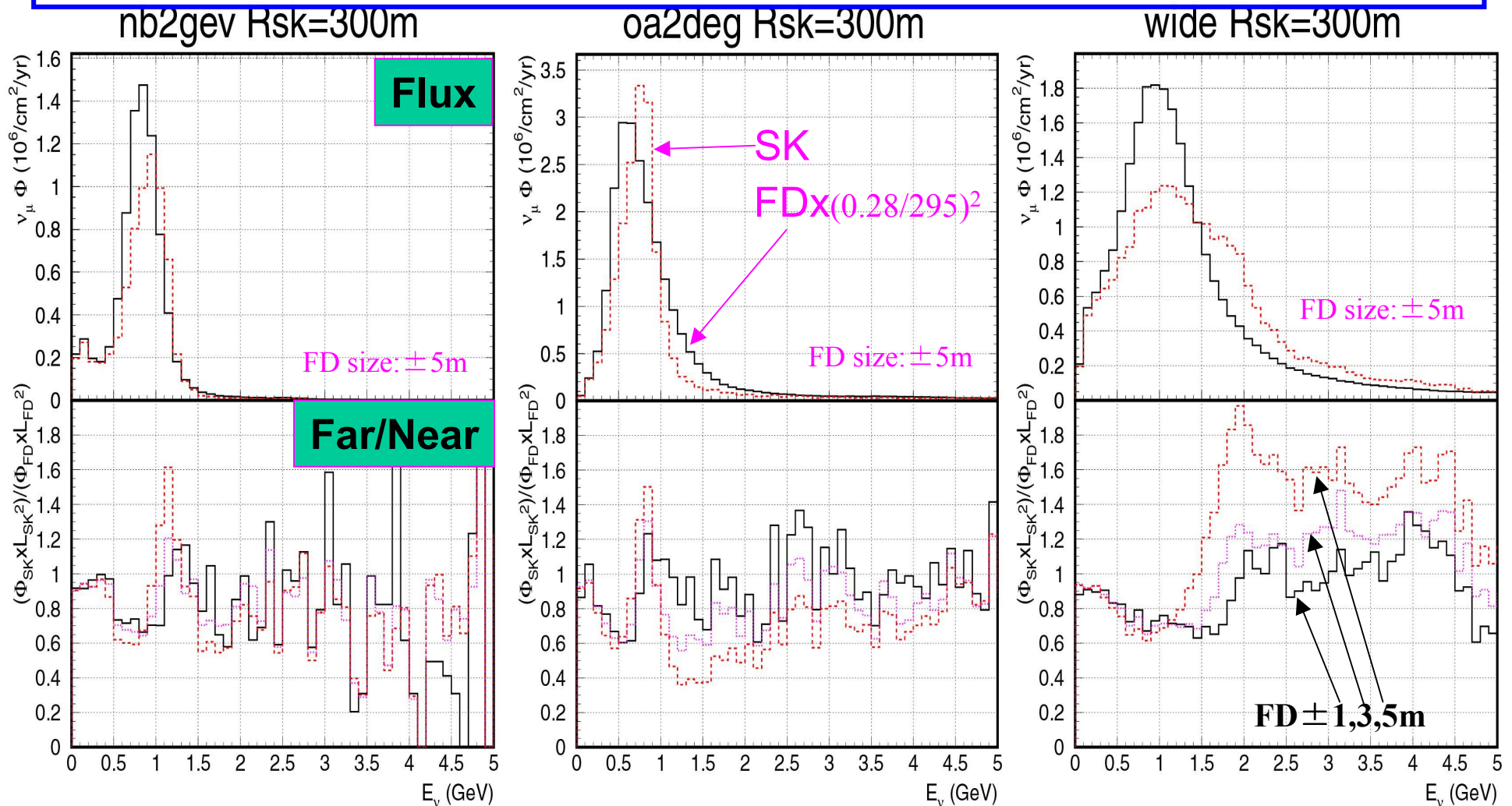
Unit:

flux for ν_{μ} : $10^{12}/\text{cm}^2/10^{21}\text{POT}$

flux for ν_e : $10^{10}/\text{cm}^2/10^{21}\text{POT}$

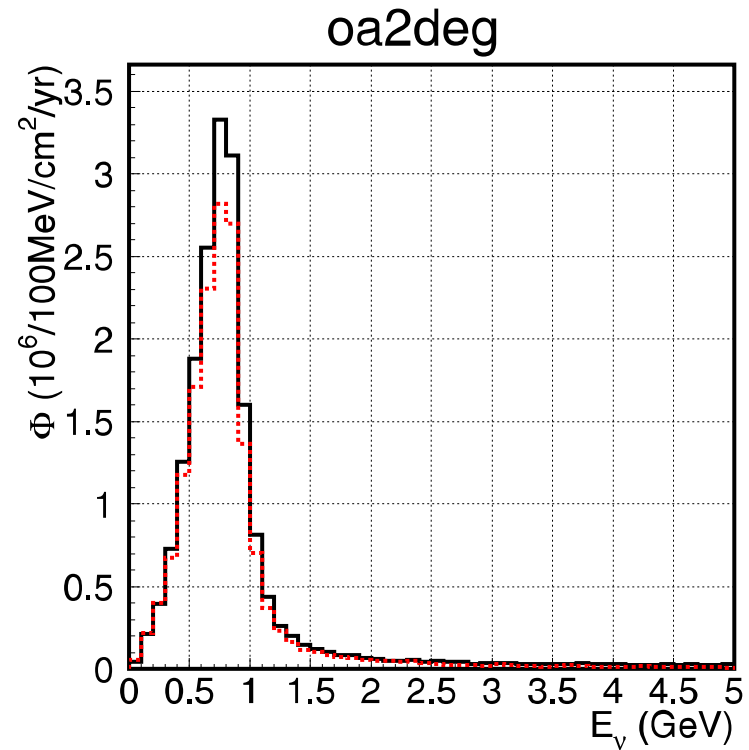
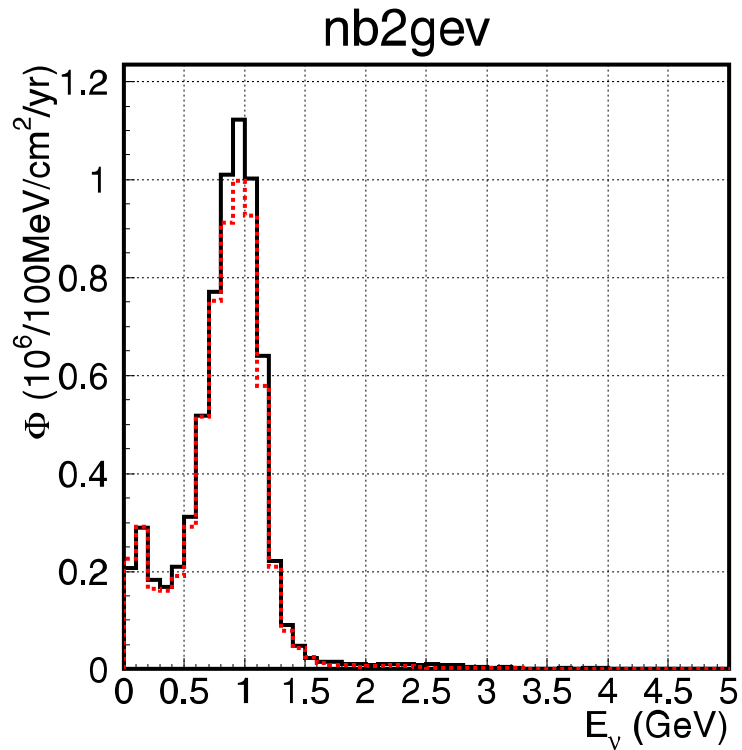
of int : /100ton.spill ($3.3 \times 10^{14}\text{ppp}$)

Spectrum difference btw. near and far



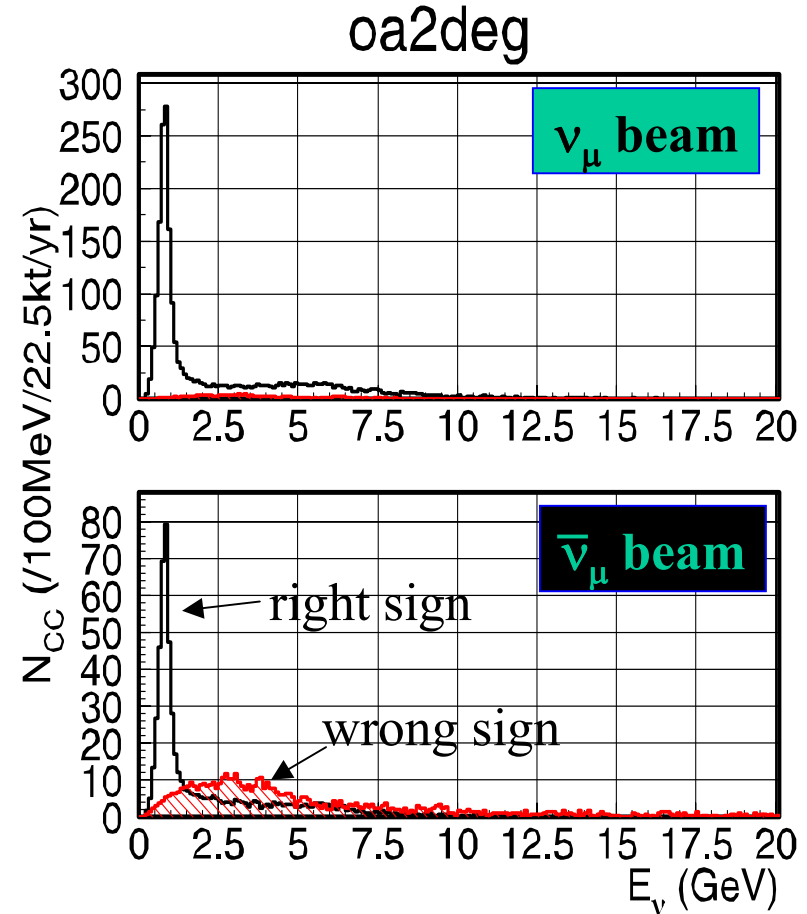
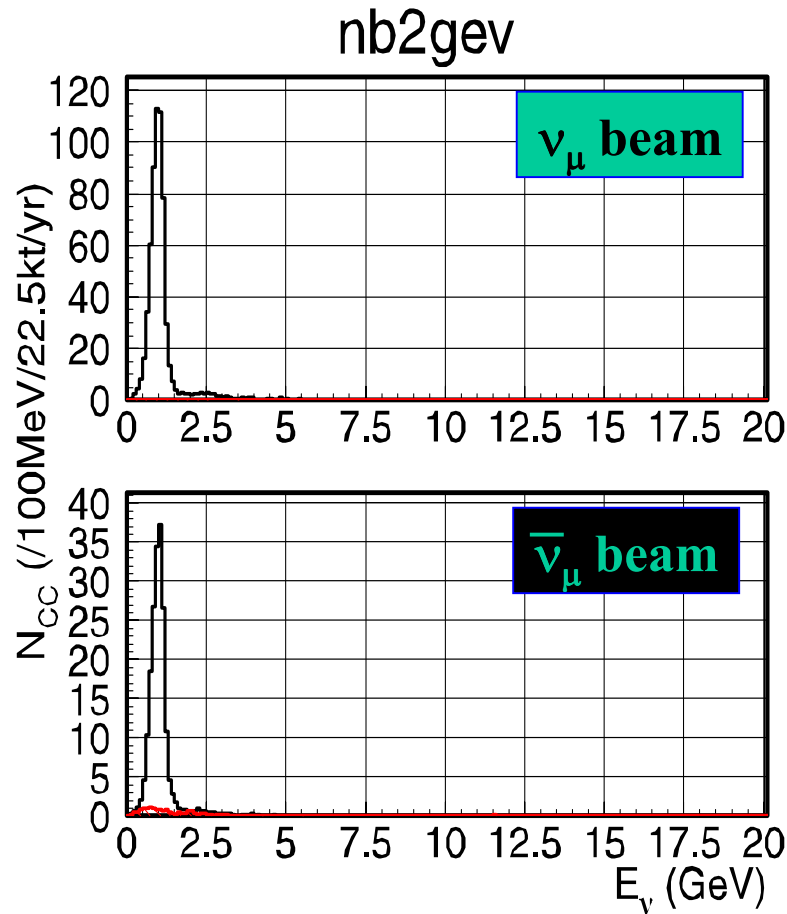
- Peak energy shift → **serious syst.**
- dependence of high energy side on FD size → **Handle to estimate correction**
- Low energy side does not depend on FD size

$\nu_\mu/\bar{\nu}_\mu$ flux for CPV meas.



$\bar{\nu}_\mu$ flux is almost same as ν_μ flux within $\sim 10\%$

$\nu_\mu / \bar{\nu}_\mu$ # of CC int.



- # of int. for $\bar{\nu}_\mu$ is factor ~ 3 smaller than ν_μ due to cross section.
- Wrong sign contamination is worse for OAB.

Summary

- Tunable low energy beam tuned at osc. max.
- Primary proton 3.3×10^{14} ppp, 0.77MW
- Technical design of facility going on
- Use super conducting magnets
- 3 beam configurations
 - ✧ WBB **5200** v_{μ} CC int/22.5kt/yr
 - ✧ NBB **620** v_{μ} CC int/22.5kt/yr
 - ✧ OAB **2200** v_{μ} CC int/22.5kt/yr
- beam v_e contamination **$1 \sim 2 \times 10^{-3}$** @ peak
- Start construction **2002** Completion **Mar.2007**