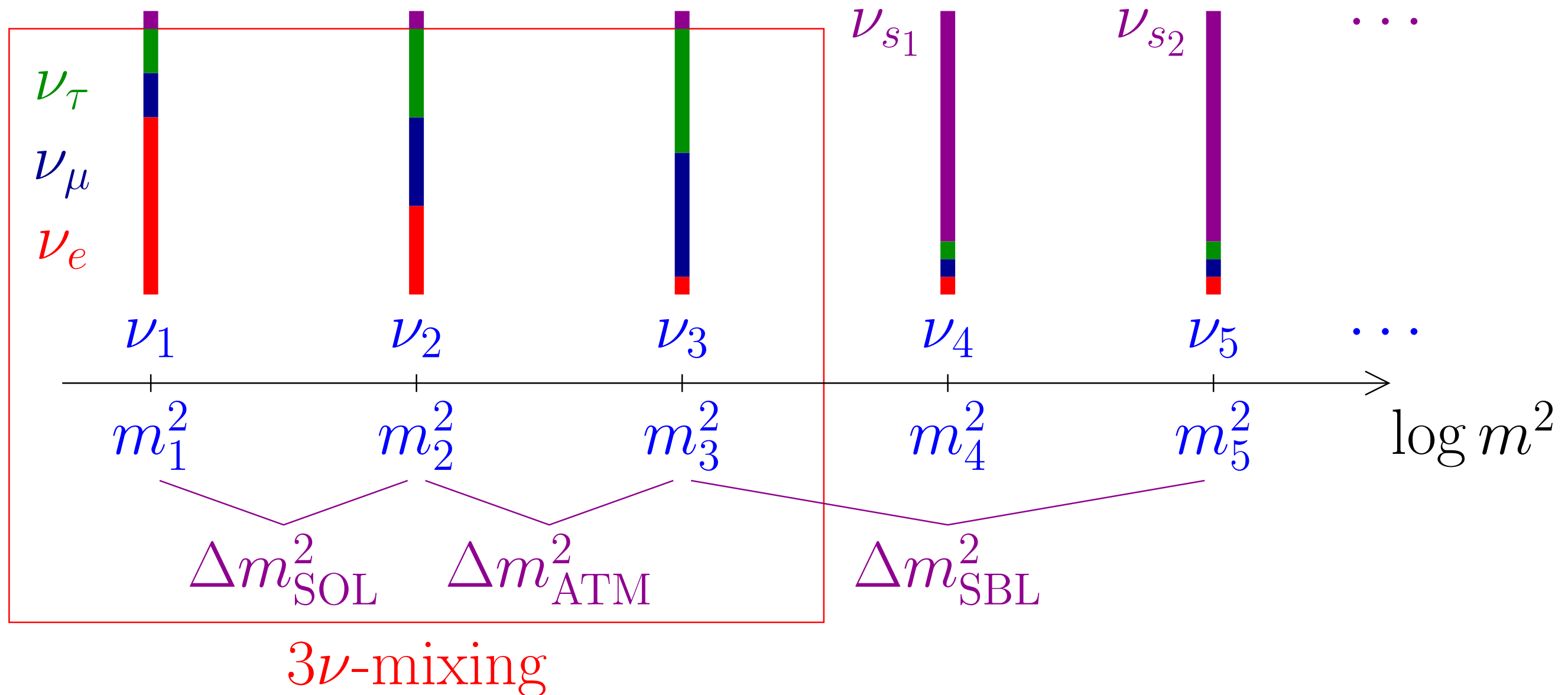


Appearance Physics with a 2 GeV Muon Storage Ring

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Steriles: in pictures



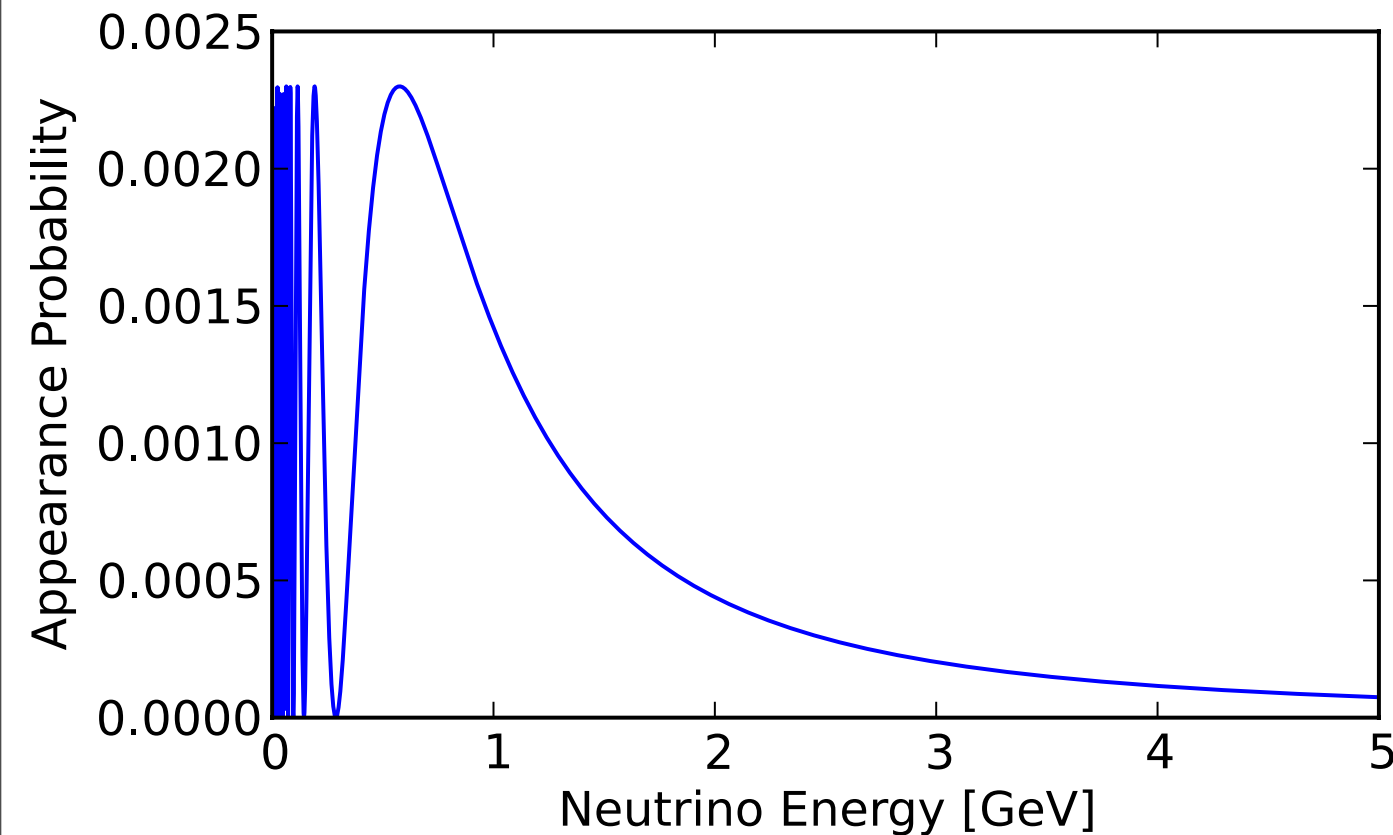
*Right handed neutrinos (since neutrinos have mass)?
Dark matter?*

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Steriles: in math

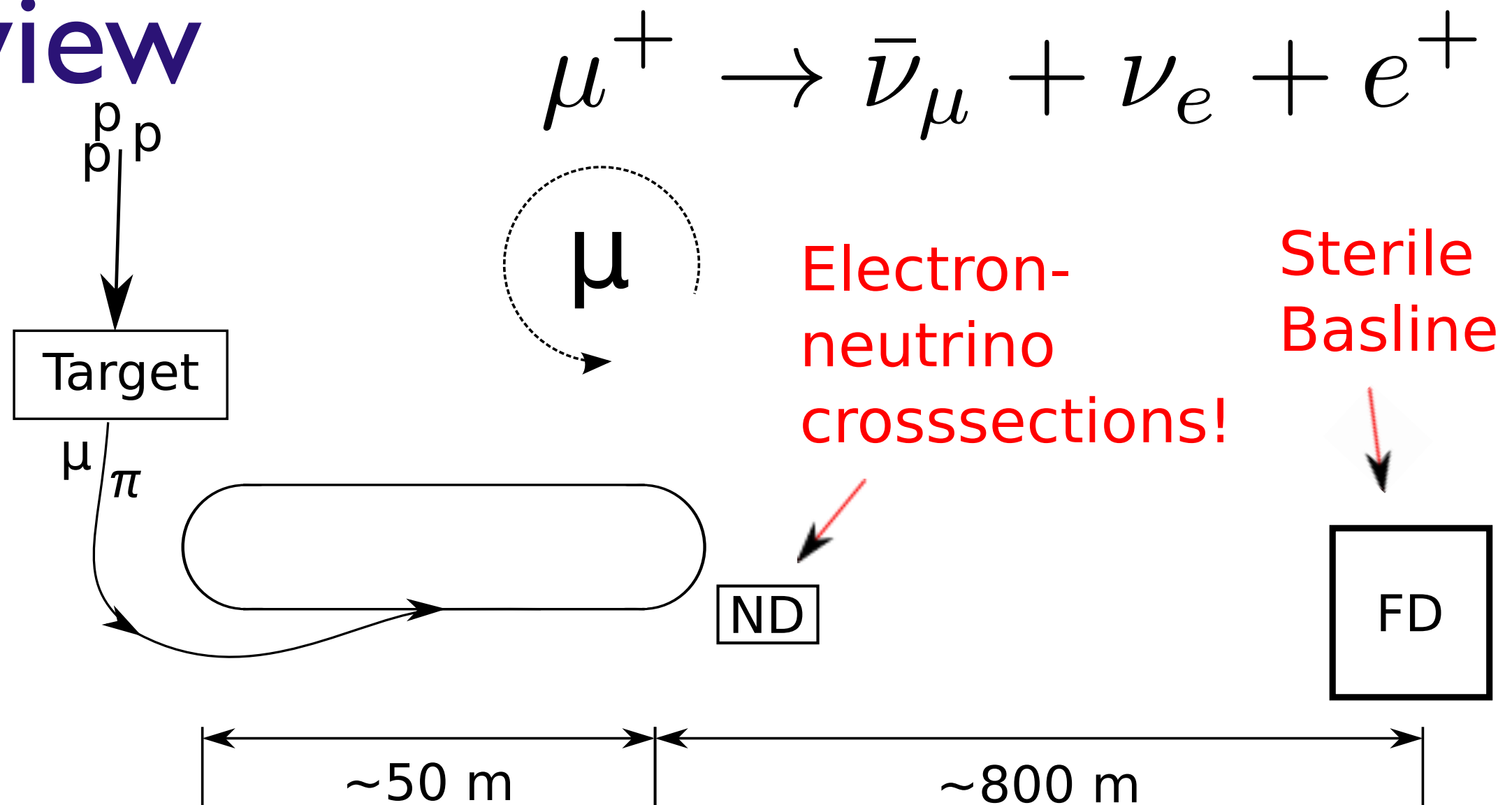
$$U = R_{34}R_{24}R_{14}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta_{14}) & 0 & 0 & \sin(\theta_{14}) \\ -\sin(\theta_{14})\sin(\theta_{24}) & \cos(\theta_{24}) & 0 & \sin(\theta_{24})\cos(\theta_{14}) \\ -\sin(\theta_{14})\sin(\theta_{34})\cos(\theta_{24}) & -\sin(\theta_{24})\sin(\theta_{34}) & \cos(\theta_{34}) & \sin(\theta_{34})\cos(\theta_{14})\cos(\theta_{24}) \\ -\sin(\theta_{14})\cos(\theta_{24})\cos(\theta_{34}) & -\sin(\theta_{24})\cos(\theta_{34}) & -\sin(\theta_{34}) & \cos(\theta_{14})\cos(\theta_{24})\cos(\theta_{34}) \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Pr.}[\nu_\alpha \rightarrow \nu_\alpha] &= 1 - [4|U_{\alpha 4}|^2(1 - |U_{\alpha 4}|^2)] \sin^2\left(\frac{\Delta m_{41}^2 L}{4E}\right) \\ &= \sin^2(2\theta_{\alpha\alpha}) \sin^2\left(\frac{\Delta m_{41}^2 L}{4E}\right) \\ \text{Pr.}[\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu] &= 4|U_{e4}|^2|U_{\mu 4}|^2 \sin^2\left(\frac{\Delta m_{41}^2 L}{4E}\right) \\ &= \sin^2(2\theta_{e\mu}) \sin^2\left(\frac{\Delta m_{41}^2 L}{4E}\right) \end{aligned}$$

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Appearance-only (though disappearance good too!)

$$Pr[e \rightarrow \mu] = 4|U_{e4}|^2|U_{\mu4}|^2 \sin^2\left(\frac{\Delta m_{41}^2 L}{4E}\right)$$

Raw Event Rates

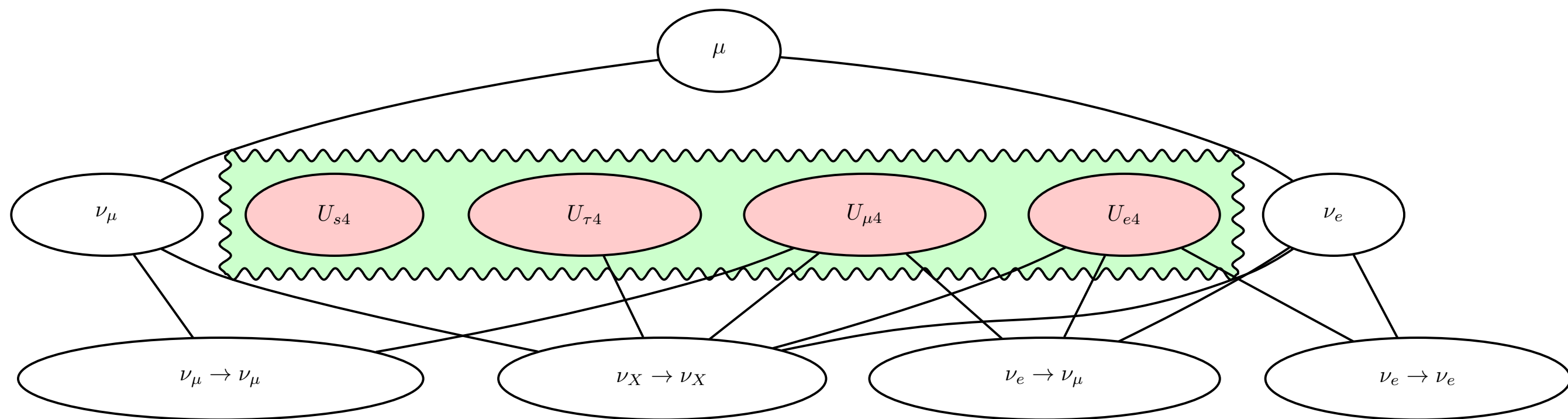
μ^+

Channel	$N_{\text{osc.}}$	N_{null}	Diff.	$(N_{\text{osc.}} - N_{\text{null}})/\sqrt{N_{\text{null}}}$
$\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu$ CC	191	0	∞	∞
$\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\mu$ NC	34817	35993	-3.3%	-6.2
$\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e$ NC	65393	68552	-4.6%	-12.1
$\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\mu$ CC	85117	87943	-3.2%	-9.5
$\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_e$ CC	171196	179223	-4.5%	-19.0
NC sum	-	-	-	13.4

μ^-

Channel	$N_{\text{osc.}}$	N_{null}	Diff.	$(N_{\text{osc.}} - N_{\text{null}})/\sqrt{N_{\text{null}}}$
$\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\mu$ CC	72	0	∞	∞
$\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$ NC	28325	29613	-4.3%	-7.5
$\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e$ CC	68065	71105	-4.3%	-11.4
$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\mu$ NC	75742	78457	-3.5%	-9.7
$\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\mu$ CC	204381	211490	-3.4%	-15.5
NC sum	-	-	-	12.1

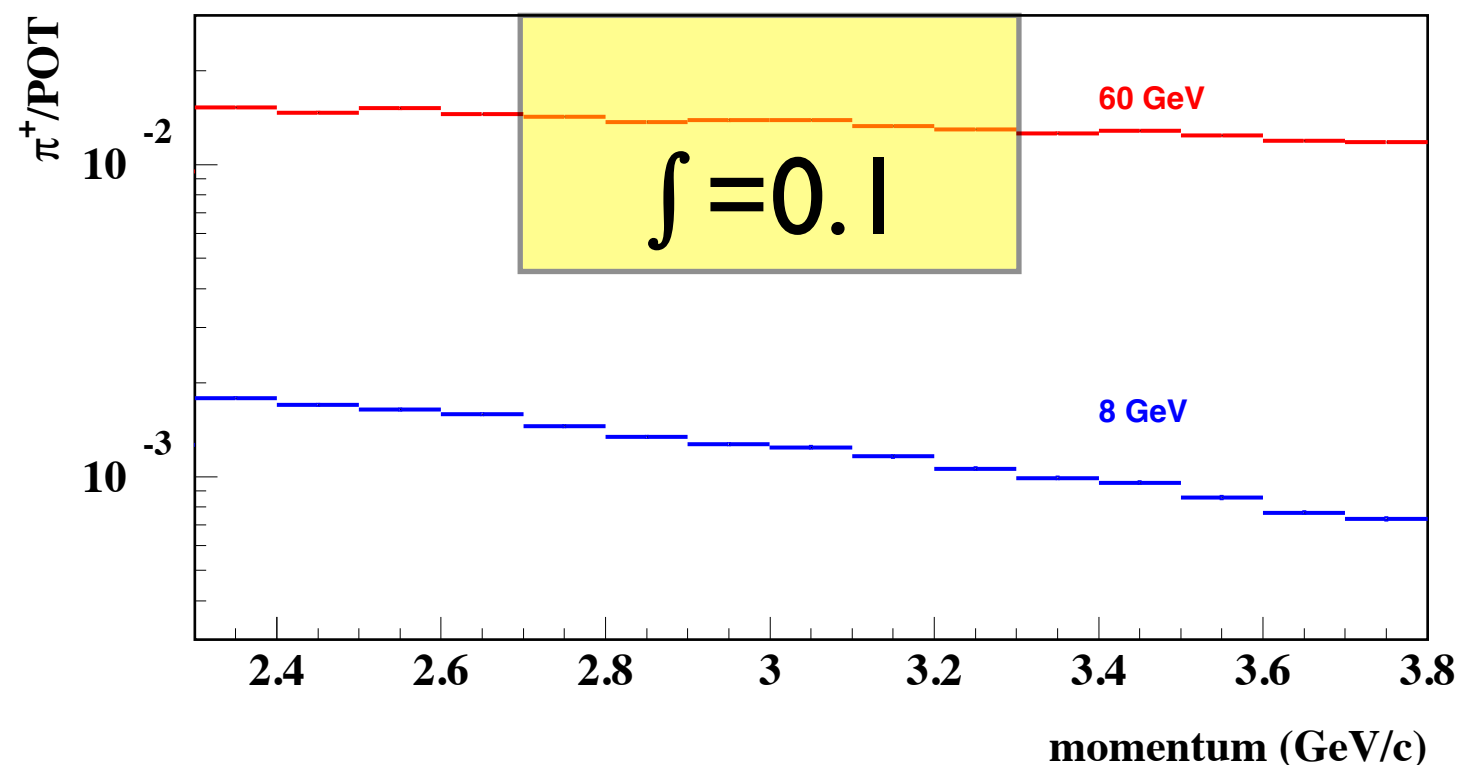
Fun cartoon, if visible?



How many muons?

$$\begin{aligned} N_{\mu} &= (\text{POT}) \times (\pi \text{ per POT}) \times \epsilon_{\text{collection}} \times \epsilon_{\text{injection}} \times (\mu \text{ per } \pi) \times A_{\text{dynamic}} \times \Omega \\ &= 10^{21} \times 0.1 \times 0.9 \times 0.9 \times 0.08 \times 0.9 \times 0.34 \\ &= 2 \times 10^{18} \text{ good muon decays} \end{aligned}$$

- 5 years running w/ PIP
- 100 kilowatt target station
- 10% energy spread
- Very conservative
- See my note...



Review

The VLENF Parameterization

Target Fiducial Mass:

1 kt

Muon Energy:

2 GeV

Number of Muons:

2.00E+18

Baseline:

800 m

Detector efficiency

$(70 \pm 2)\%$

NC Background Probability

$1e-4 \pm 35\%$

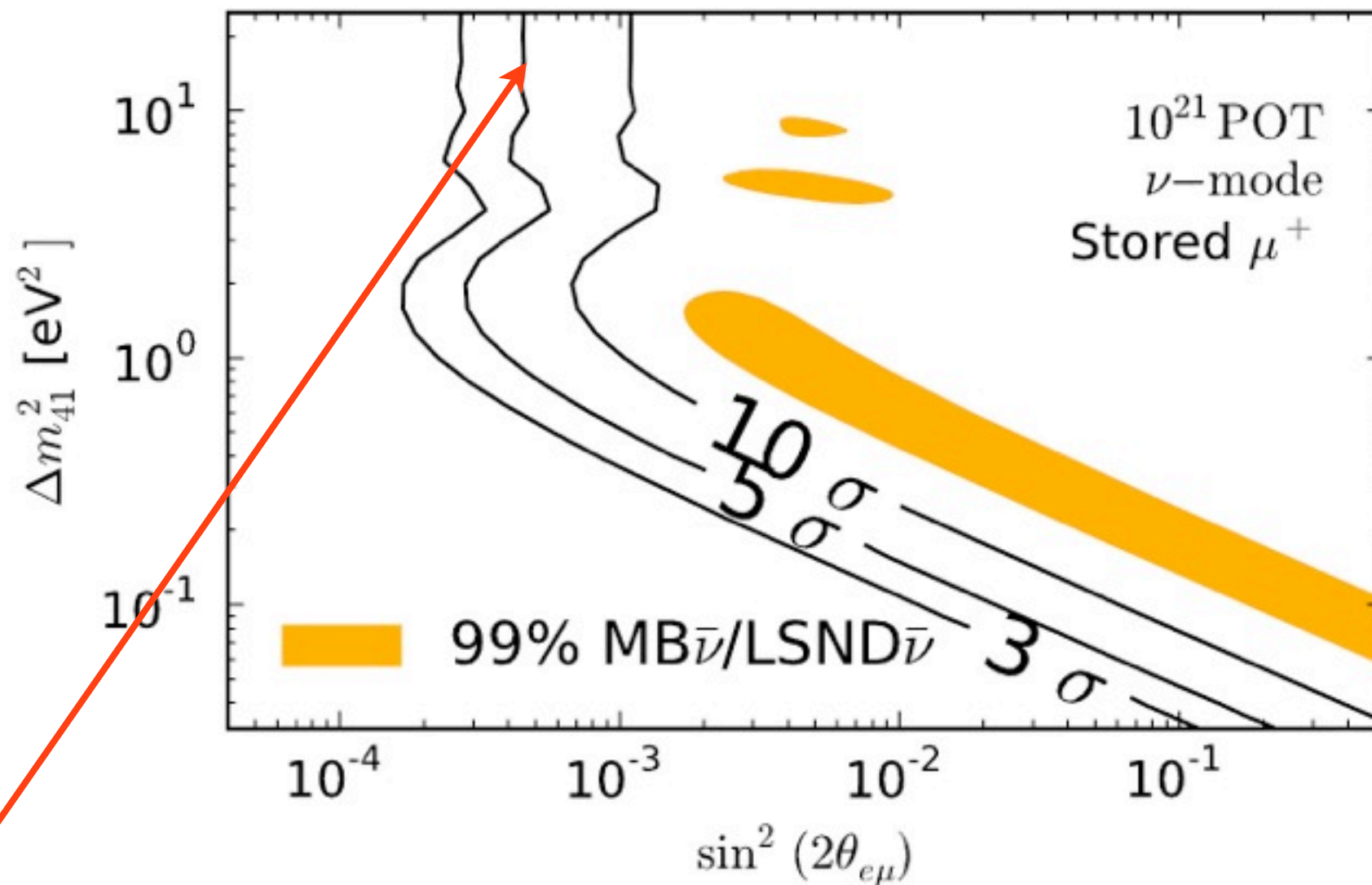
Charge Mis-ID

$1e-4 \pm 35\%$

can
we
do
this,
Ryan?

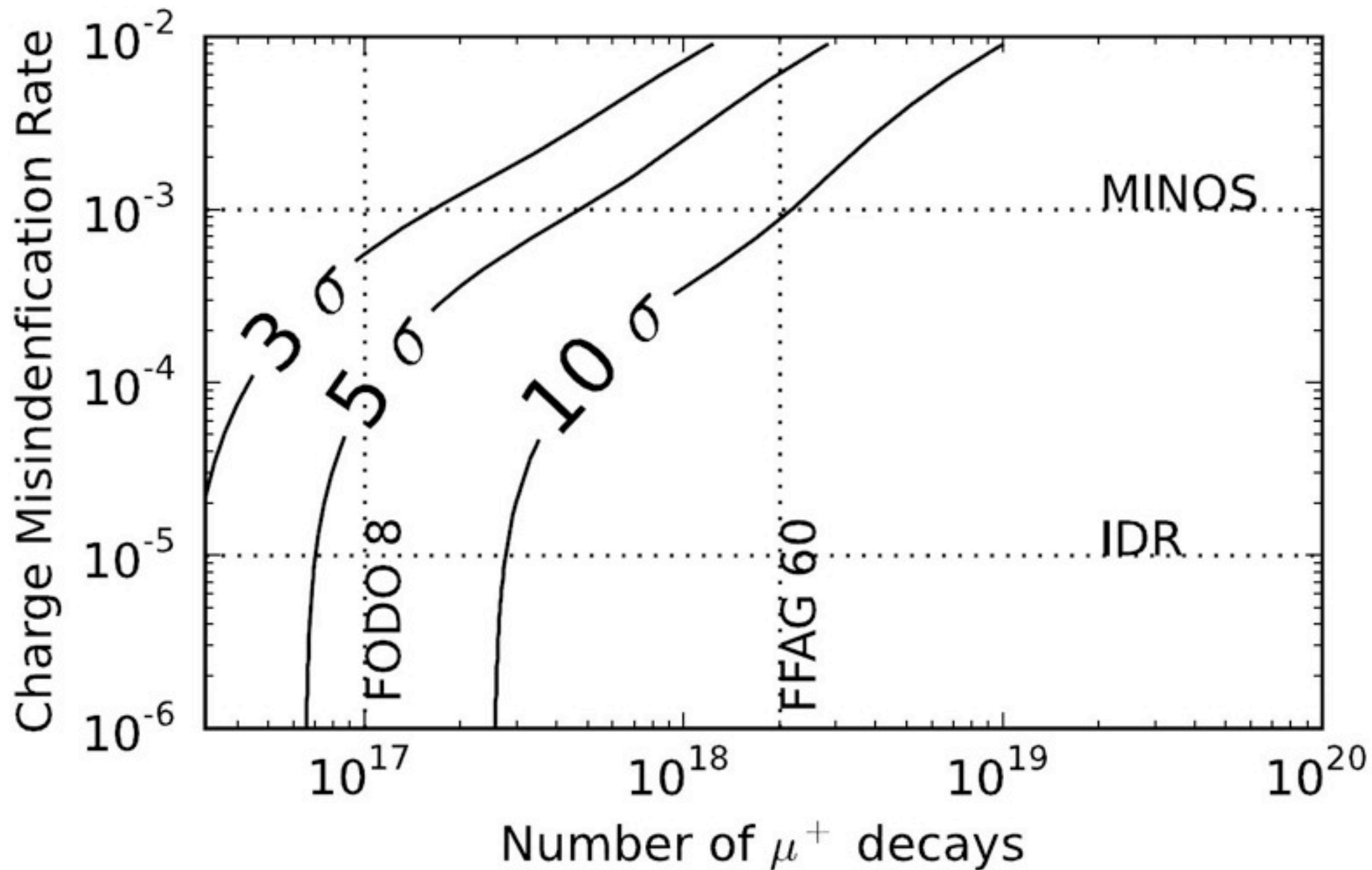
“Golden Channel”/ CPT(LSND)

$$\text{Prob}[\mu \rightarrow e] = \sin^2 2\theta \sin^2 (\Delta m^2 L/4E)$$



No upper limit if we use a BCT rather than a near detector; can probe keV dark matter candidates

Accelerator v.s. Detector



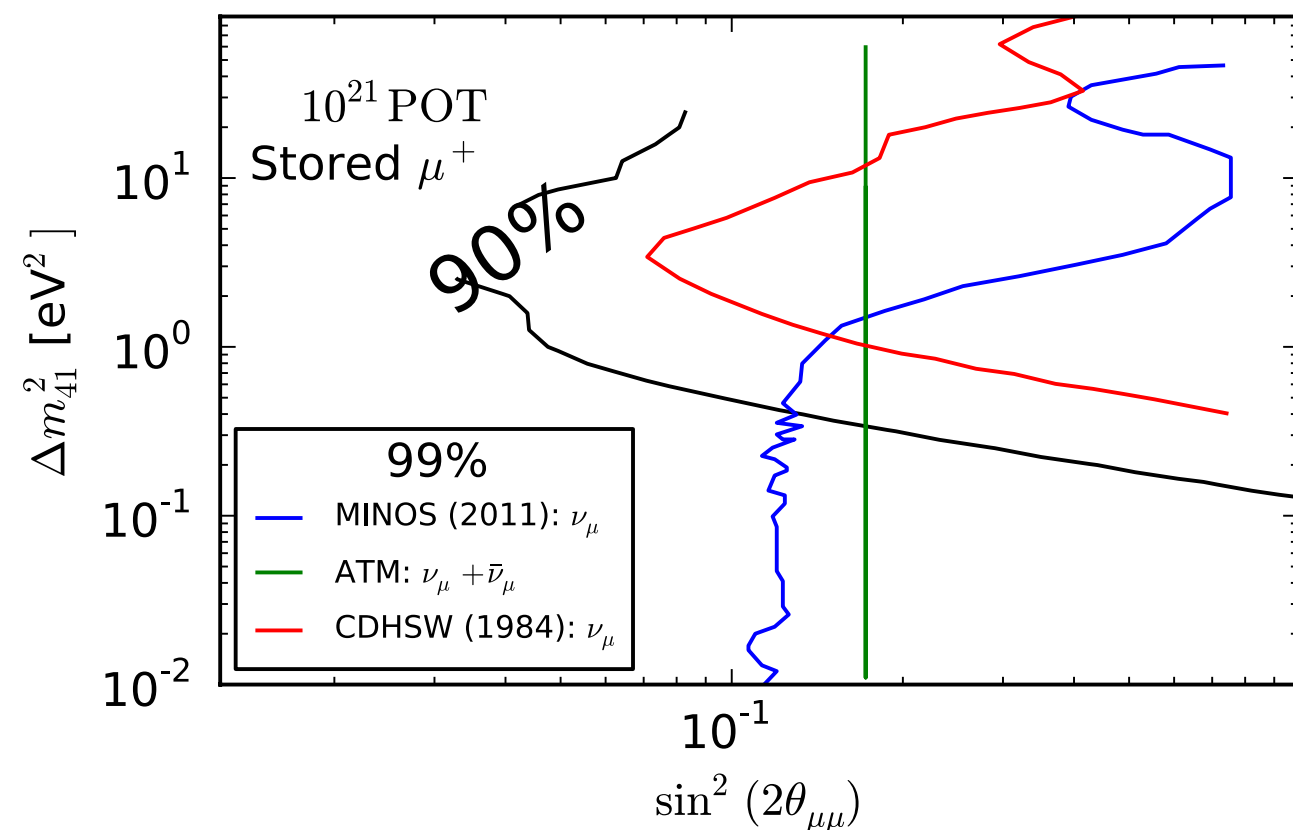
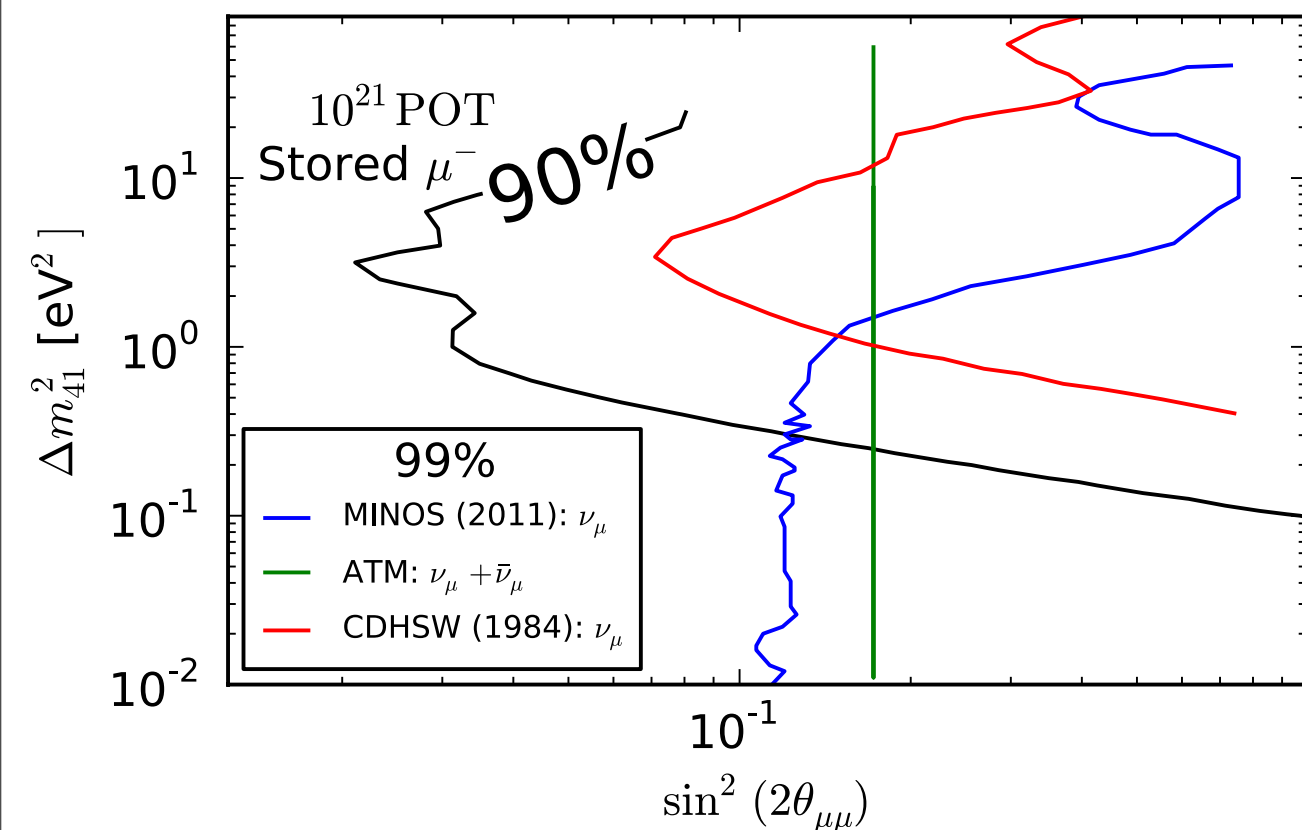
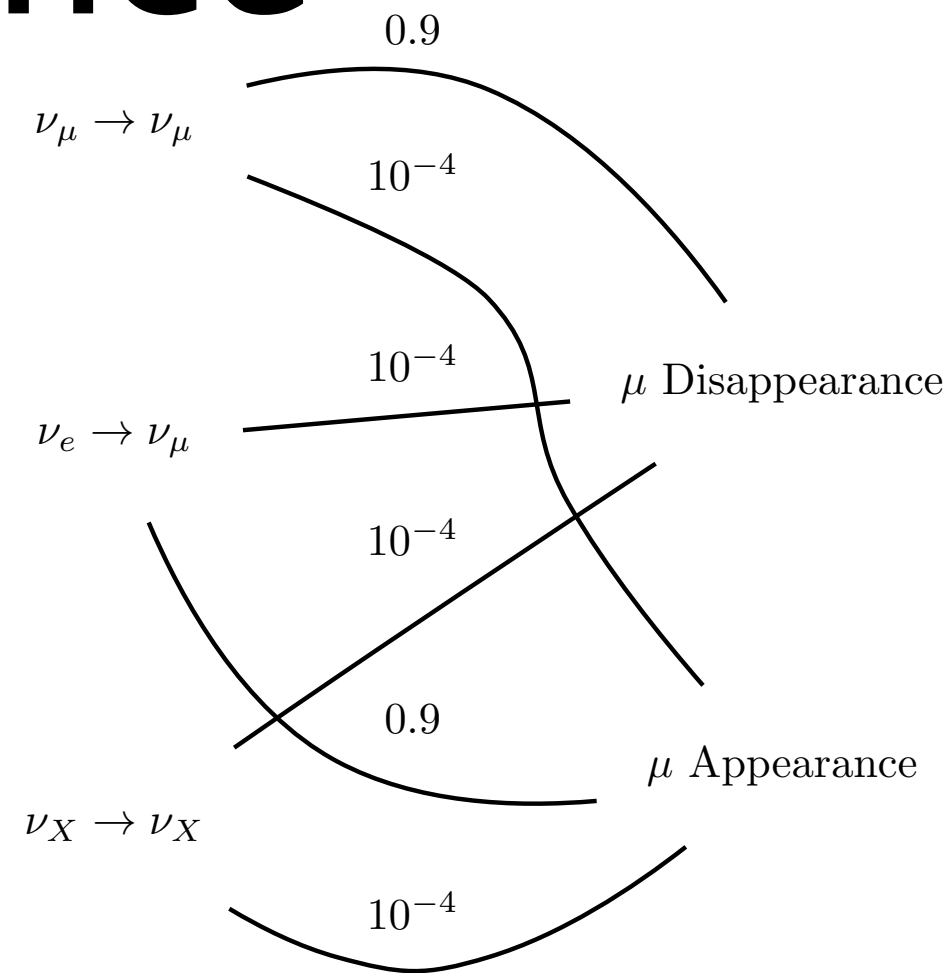
Disappearance

$$\text{Pr.}[\nu_\alpha \rightarrow \nu_\alpha] = 1 - [4|U_{\alpha 4}|^2(1 - |U_{\alpha 4}|^2)] \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{41}^2 L}{4E} \right)$$

$$= \sin^2(2\theta_{\alpha\alpha}) \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{41}^2 L}{4E} \right)$$

$$\text{Pr.}[\nu_e \rightarrow \nu_\mu] = 4|U_{e4}|^2|U_{\mu 4}|^2 \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{41}^2 L}{4E} \right)$$

$$= \sin^2(2\theta_{e\mu}) \sin^2 \left(\frac{\Delta m_{41}^2 L}{4E} \right)$$



Conclusions

- Lots of theoretical (dark matter, right-handed neutrinos) and even some experimental motivation
- “Double suppressed” golden channel covers LSND range and is able to explore a different mass steriles
- Disappearance, which must be there, good too (See Walter’s talk)
- Comprehensive facility to study steriles