Nuclear Physics for Beyond the Standard Model Neutrino Physics

outline

- **1. Neutrino interaction physics introduction**
- 2. Charged-Current Quasi-Elastic (CCQE) interaction
- 3. Neutrino baryonic resonance interaction
- 4. Neutrino shallow- and deep-inelastic scatterings
- 5. Conclusion

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All anomalies in particle physics are Strong interaction

QCD

Hadron physics



Nuclear

physics

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Zeller, "Section 52. Neutrino Cross Section Measurements", PDG2022

1. PDG: Neutrino Cross Section Measurements

PDG has a summary of neutrino cross-section data since 2012!

Focus of this talk is around a few GeV

topics MicroBooNE, PRL 123, 131801 (2019) T2K, PRD 98, 012004 (2018) CCFR (1997 Seligman Thesis) IHEP-JINR, ZP C70, 39 (1996) T2K, PRD 96, 052001 (2017) (10⁻³⁸ cm² / GeV) 1.6 CDHS, ZP C35, 443 (1987) MINERvA, PRD 95, 072009 (2017) T2K, PRD 93, 072002 (2016) BNL, PRD 25, 617 (1982) T2K (CH), PRD 90, 052010 (2014) GGM-SPS, PL 104B, 235 (1981) 1.4 ArgoNeuT, PRD 89, 112003 (2014) ANI PRD 19 2521 (1979) ArgoNeuT, PRL 108, 161802 (2012) BEBC, ZP C2, 187 (1979) SciBooNE, PRD 83, 012005 (2011 GGM-PS, PL 84B (1979) MINOS, PRD 81, 072002 (2010) 1.2 IHEP-ITEP, SJNP 30, 527 (1979) NOMAD, PLB 660, 19 (2008) SKAT, PL 81B, 255 (1979) NuTeV PBD 74 012008 (2006) $\nu_{\mu} \mathbf{N} \rightarrow \mu^{T} \mathbf{X}$ 0.8 σ_{cc} / \mathbf{E}_{v} 0.6 0.4 0.2 0 10 100 1 150 200 250 300 350 E_v (GeV) G. Zeller ک 1.4 T2K/Hyper-K NOvA MINERvA DUNE Upgrade TOTAL **MicroBooNE** နို**ပို**.2 RES SBND, ICARUS > n **10**⁻¹ 10² 10 1 E_v (GeV) v_{μ} CC cross section per nucleon

 Table 52.2:
 Published measurements of neutrino and antineutrino CC inclusive cross sections from modern accelerator-based neutrino experiments.

experiment	measurement	target
ArgoNeuT	$\nu_{\mu} \ [6,7], \ \overline{\nu}_{\mu} \ [7]$	Ar
MicroBooNE	ν_{μ} [8, 26], ν_{e} [22]	Ar
$MINER\nu A$	ν_{μ} [9–11, 16, 17, 27], $\overline{\nu}_{\mu}$ [27], $\overline{\nu}_{\mu}/\nu_{\mu}$ [28]	CH, C/CH, Fe/CH, Pb/CH
MINOS	ν_{μ} [29], $\overline{\nu}_{\mu}$ [29]	Fe
NINJA	ν_{μ} [12], $\overline{\nu}_{\mu}$ [12]	H_2O
NOMAD	ν_{μ} [30]	С
SciBooNE	ν_{μ} [31]	CH
T2K	ν_{μ} [13, 14, 32–34], ν_{e} [23–25], $\overline{\nu}_{\mu}/\nu_{\mu}$ [15]	CH, H_2O, Fe



1. Neutrino interaction physics around 1-10 GeV



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Neutrino interaction physics around 1-10 GeV

- degree of freedom change from nucleus \rightarrow nucleon \rightarrow parton
- There is no cut off (they all interfere)



1. Next goal of high energy physics

Establish Neutrino Standard Model (vSM)

- SM + 3 active massive neutrinos

Unknown parameters of ν SM

- 1. Dirac CP phase
- 2. θ_{23} (θ_{23} =40° and 50° are same for sin2 θ_{23} , but not for sin θ_{23})
- 3. normal mass ordering $m_1 < m_2 < m_3$ or inverted mass ordering $m_3 < m_1 < m_2$
- 4. Dirac or Majorana
- 5. Majorana phases (x2)
 - not relevant to neutrino oscillation experiment
- 6. Absolute neutrino mass

We need higher precision neutrino experiments around 1-10 GeV.

Low energy beam (~1 GeV) - shorter baseline (lower flux reduction) - lower neutrino production - lower interaction rate - kinematic energy reconstruction $P_{\mu \to e}(L/E) = \sin^2 2\theta \sin^2 \left(1.27\Delta m^2 (eV^2) \frac{L(km)}{E(GeV)}\right)$

1. Next goal of high energy physics

Kinematics energy reconstruction

- problem: it assume 2-body neutrino interaction with single nucleon



- lower interaction rate
- kinematic energy reconstruction

Calorimetric energy reconstruction

- problem: you need to measure energy deposit from all outgoing particles



- higher neutrino production
- higher interaction rate
- calorimetric energy reconstruction



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Low energy beam (~1 GeV)

- shorter baseline (lower flux reduction)
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High energy beam (~few GeV)

- longer baseline (higher flux reduction)
- higher neutrino production
- higher interaction rate
- calorimetric energy reconstruction



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1. Next generation neutrino oscillation experiments

Current and future neutrino oscillation experiments

- J-PARC: T2K, Hyper-Kamiokande,
- Fermilab: MicroBooNE/SBND/ICARUS, MINOS+, NOvA, DUNE

- Atmospheric: Hyper-Kamiokande, ORCA, IceCube-Upgrade



1. Neutrino cross-section formula

Cross-section

- product of Leptonic and Hadronic tensor

$$d\sigma \sim L^{\mu\nu}W_{\mu\nu}$$



Hadronic tensor → nuclear physics (hard)





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Leptonic tensor → the Standard Model (easy)

Hadronic tensor → nuclear physics (hard)

All complication of neutrino cross-section is how to model the hadronic tensor part





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2. Charged Current Quasi-Elastic scattering (CCQE)

The simplest and the most abundant interaction around ~1 GeV.

$$v_{\mu} + n \rightarrow p + \mu^{-} \quad (v_{\mu} + X \rightarrow X' + \mu^{-})$$

Neutrino energy is reconstructed from the observed lepton kinematics "QE assumption"

- 1. assuming neutron at rest
- 2. assuming interaction is CCQE



CCQE is the single most important channel of neutrino oscillation physics T2K, NOvA, microBoonE, Hyper-Kamiokande...etc





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2. CCQE puzzle



Simplest channel, but both shape and normalization disagree

- 1. low Q2 suppression \rightarrow Low forward efficiency? (detector?)
- 2. high Q2 enhancement \rightarrow Axial mass > 1.0 GeV? (physics?)
- 3. large normalization \rightarrow Beam simulation is wrong? (flux?)

CCQE interaction on nuclear targets are precisely measured by electron scattering

- Lepton universality = precise prediction for neutrino CCQE cross-section...?





Martini et al,PRC80(2009)065501 Nieves et al,PLB707(2012)72; NPA627(1997)543

2. Solution of CCQE puzzle

Quasi Elastic v_l v_l v_r $v_$

Presence of 2-body current

- CCQE is identified from single outgoing charged lepton events
- Significant fraction of events are not from 2-body neutrino-nucleon interactions
- Martini et al showed 2p-2h effect can add up ~30% more cross section

An explanation of this puzzle





2. Models using 2p-2h

Flux-averaged differential cross-sections allow nuclear theorists to compare their models with data without implementing them in generators

Martini et al – Lyon 2p2ph model Nieves et al – Valencia 2p2h model SuSAv2 – Superscaling+MEC Giusti et al - Relativistic Green's function Butkevich et al – RDWIA+MEC Lovato et al – GFMC Jachowicz et al – CRPA+MEC

All models can fit with data, are they all correct models?

103 d²σ/dcosΘdT [cm²/GeV]

25

20

15

10

5 n

0

0.5

T [GeV]

Butkevich et al



Quasi Elastic



Wiringa et al, PRC51(1997)38, Pieper et al, PRC64(2001)014001 Lovato et al, PRX10(2020)031068 (2020)

2. Nucleon correlations in neutrino physics



Ab-initio calculation

- Quantum Monte Carlo (QMC)
- Predicts energy levels of all light nuclei
- Consistent result with phenomenological models
- Ground state includes correct nucleon correlations





Frankfurt et al,IJMPA23(2008)2991, JLab HallA, Science320(2008)1476 Sobczyk, Neutrino2014, Piasetzky et al, PRL106(2011)052301

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Physics of nucleon correlation

- neutrino interaction
- **0**νββ
- Direct WIMP detection
- EMC effect
- etc

katori@fna Nucleon correlation is a very hot topics!



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NOvA, EPJC80,1119(2020)

2. Nucleon correlations in neutrino physics

2-particle 2-hole (2p2h) effect

- Essential to describe data

NOvA near detector data-MC

- The biggest topic in nuxsec community (T2K, NOvA, MINERvA, MicroBooNE, etc)
- 2p2h models in generators don't describe data without heavy tuning
- High resolution detector (LArTPC, emulsion, etc) can find what is going on?





2. Data tension



Data tension – external: T2K vs. MINERvA vs. MicroBooNE

- Different kinematic coverage, different target



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Axial 2-body current in QE region may be a tip of the iceberg..., or maybe a tip of gozilla!







v_l $l^$ p Δ^+ p

RESonance

non-QE background \rightarrow shift spectrum





Typical neutrino oscillation detector - Big and dense, to maximize interaction rate - Coarsely instrumented, to minimize cost (not great detector to measure hadrons)





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RESonance

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 v_l

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- Cascade model as a standard of the community
- Advanced models are not available for event-by-event simulation





ex) Giessen BUU transport model

- Developed for heavy ion collision, and now used to calculate final state interactions of pions in nuclear media





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MiniBooNE,PRD83(2011)052009 Lalakulich et al,PRC87(2013)014602

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1. all pion production channels

2. all final state interaction

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3. Pion puzzle

Data tension - internal: MINERvA pion data

- It is extremely difficult to tune pion and/or FSI parameters to fit all pion data
- $\nu_{\mu}CC\pi^{\pm}$, low Q2 suppression, over-predicted
- $\nu_{\mu}CC\pi^{0}$, strong low Q2 suppression
- $\bar{\nu}_{\mu}CC\pi^{-}$, no low Q2 suppression
- $\bar{\nu}_{\mu}CC\pi^{0}$, low Q2 suppression, under-predicted

The study relies of available knobs in the generator

It looks the simulation doesn't have good knobs to tune



You need to predict both 1. all pion production channels 2. all final state interaction



 Λ^{++} ANL vs. BNL data Data tension – external Reanalysis supports ANL result μ p π ⁺) (10⁻³⁸ cm²/nucleon) - Tension between different experiments BNL 1.2 - Tension between different targets ANL BEBC 86 - Tension between different analyses BEBC 90 0.8 • FNAL 78 MiniBooNE vs. T2K vs. MINERvA (GiBUU) 0.6 0.2 T2K **MINERvA MiniBooNE** (1/A) dσ/dp_π(10⁻³⁸ cm²/GeV) dơ/dT_π (10⁻³⁸ cm²/GeV 0.4 0.15 $\sigma(v_{\mu}p \rightarrow$ 0.6 0.2 0.1 0.4 0.05 (I/A) 0.2 10⁻¹ 10 10^{2} 0 0.05 0.1 0.15 E_v (GeV) 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8 1 1.2 1.4 1.6 1.8 T_n (GeV) T_n (GeV) p_π (GeV) (a) Published BEBC, H vs. D, 1983 vs. 1986 vs. 1990 $\rightarrow \mu \bar{p}\pi^{+}$) (10⁻³⁸ cm²/nucleon) <u>ال</u> BEBC 1986 ★ BEBC 1983 1.1 $\dot{W} < 2.0 \text{ GeV}$ * BEBC 1990 $\dot{W} < 2.0 \text{ GeV}$ * BEBC 1990 BNL 1.2 ANL **BEBC 86** BEBC 90 0.8 • FNAL 78 0.3 0.2 0.6 0.1 **€ (e)** 10 10 10 10 10 10 0.4 $E_{\rm v}$ (GeV) $E_{\rm v}$ (GeV) 0.2 ر ر له م 10⁻¹ 10 10^{2} E_v (GeV)

Wilkinson et al., PRD90(2014)112007, Mosel and Gallmeister, PRC96(2017)015503, GENIE, EPJST230(2021)4449 TENSION2016, Physics Reports 773-774(2018)1, TENSION2018, PRD105(2022)092004

3. Data tension



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TK (EDSU2020), <u>https://arxiv.org/abs/2010.06015</u> MiniBooNE,PRL121(2018)221801

3. MiniBooNE low-energy excess

RESonance v_l w^+ π^+

Short-baseline anomalies

- Collection of data suggesting existence of sterile neutrino in 1eV scale
- MiniBooNE has the single highest significance in all anomalies
- Resonance related backgrounds (NC π^o , NC γ) are dominant at low-E ν_e candidate
- Important for future ν_e appearance oscillation experiments, HyperK and DUNE)





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Nakamura et al,Rep.Prog.Phys.80(2017)056301, Sajjad Athar and Morfin, JPhysG48(2021) 034001 Snowmass21 Lol, ArXiv:2009.04285

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4. Shallow Inelastic Scattering (SIS)





DIS

 v_{j}

4. Higher baryonic resonances

Cross section

- Higher resonances and hadron dynamics
- Quark-Hadron duality (low Q², low W DIS)
- Nuclear dependent DIS

DCC model

- Channels are coupled (πN , $\pi \pi N$, etc), total amplitude us conserved

- Most of axial form factors are unknown









Bodek and Yang, AIP.Conf.Proc.670(2003)110, Nucl.Phys.B(Proc.Suppl.)139(2005)11

4. Quark-Hadron duality

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Bodek-Yang correction is a phenomenological model to reproduce duality-like behavior, accepted by all neutrino simulation

- DIS ≠ Bjorken limit
- DIS = Q^2 average of all resonances





Christy, NuSTEC SIS workshop https://nustec.fnal.gov/nuSDIS18/

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Proton F2 function GRV98-BY correction vs. data



nCTEQ, PRD80(2009)094004 HKN,PRC76(2007)065207, EPS,JHEP04(2009)065, FSSZ,PRD85(2012)074028

4. Nuclear dependent DIS



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Nuclear PDF

- Shadowing, EMC effect, Fermi motion
- Likely due to nucleon dynamics in nucleus
- Various models describe charged lepton data
- Neutrino data look very different





nCTEQ, PRD80(2009)094004 Weinstein et al, PRL106(2011)052301, Nature 566 (2019) 354,

4. EMC effect

Nuclear dependent DIS

- First observed by the EMC experiment
- Structure function depends on nuclei
- \rightarrow Quarks feel presence of other quarks in other nucleons





EMC effect can be modeled from the amount of correlated pairs in nuclei (CLAS in JLab).





4. Atomic nuclei as laboratories for BSM physics

ECT* workshop, 15 Apr. 15-19 2019, Trento, Italy

https://www.ectstar.eu/workshops/atomic-nuclei-as-laboratories-for-bsm-physics/

Topics include;

- Neutrino interactions
- EMC effect
- **0**νββ
- Direct dark matter

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- etc



4. NuInt conference series

https://nustec.fnal.gov/nuint-conference-series/

The main conference in the neutrino interaction physics community

- Every ~18 months
- The next one will be Spring 2024 in São Paulo (Brazil)







4. NuSTEC

NuSTEC Workshop on Electron Scattering 2022 (Tel Aviv) https://indico.fnal.gov/event/50863/



Conclusion

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1 to 10 GeV neutrino interaction measurements are crucial to successful nextgeneration neutrino oscillation experiments (DUNE, Hyper-K)

Nucleon correlation physics drastically change neutrino cross sections, both size and shape.

Recent new models and theories show nucleon correlation physics is important in many sub-fields of particle physics.

Neutrino interaction physics beyond QE region is confusing.

Future neutrino interaction measurements should focus on high-statistics neutrino hadron production measurements. This is the key to understand neutrino interaction models and nuclear effect.

Thank you for your attention!

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1. Next generation neutrino oscillation experiments

Neutrino oscillation experiments

- Past: K2K, MiniBooNE, MINOS, DeepCore
- Present to Future: T2K, NOvA, PINGU, ORCA, Hyper-Kamiokande, DUNE...

We don't know the energy of incoming neutrinos...

- We need to simulate all physics from Ev=0 to Ev ~few GeV
- We need to simulate all physics from ω , $|\vec{q}|=0$ to ω , $|\vec{q}|\sim$ few GeV



Two rules of neutrino interaction physics

- 1. Neutrinos cannot choose kinematic
- 2. Neutrino kinematics are not fully determined



TK, Martini, JPhysG45(2017)1

1. Typical neutrino detectors

Neutrino scattering

- Wideband beam
- \rightarrow observables are inclusive



Electron scattering

- well defined energy, well known flux
- \rightarrow reconstruct energy-momentum transfer
- \rightarrow kinematics is completely fixed



Incomplete kinematics

- Large mass, coarse instrumentation
- No one measures neutrino energy directly
- Reconstructing kinematics (Ev, Q2, W, x, y,...) in 1-
- 10 GeV depends on interaction models

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TK, Martini, JPhysG45(2017)1 Kowalik, NuInt18 (Toronto)

1. Typical neutrino beams for oscillation experiments

e.g.) J-PARC neutrino beam (T2K)

- pion decay-in-flight (high flux)
- off-axis beam (narrow band)
- but has components up to ~ 10 GeV
- typical beam 1-10 GeV
- ~4% normalization error (best case)







T2K, JPhysG46 (2019) 08LT01

4. T2K Neutrino NC single photon production (NCγ)

Neutrino induced NC single photon production (NC γ) process is not experimentally identified. NC γ is misID background for every electron-neutrino appearance oscillation experiment. T2K and NOMAD set limits on this process, but ~x3 higher cross-section can explain all MiniBooNE excess.



Smith and Moniz, NPB43(1972)605 Ashkenazi (Neutrino 2020), https://zenodo.org/record/3959538

2. Fermi motion

Fermi motion

- Measured energy is smeared from the true energy if you assume nucleon at rest
- High resolution detector can measure all outgoing hadrons
 - \rightarrow initial nucleon momentum can be reconstructed (no Fermi motion smearing)





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Pauli blocking

- Low momentum transfer reaction is forbidden.
- data show more suppression than what Pauli blocking can \rightarrow RPA(?)
- In the global Fermi gas model, Pauli blocking looks unphysical

×10⁻³⁹ . IÕ²⁹cm²/GeV-18 k_ = 0.271 GeV MiniBooNE data with shape error 3 16 ē = 0.042 GeV RFG model (M^{eff}_A=1.03 GeV,κ=1.000) dơ/dQ²_{aE} (cm²/GeV ²) 14 ----- RFG model (M^{eff}_Δ=1.35 GeV,κ=1.007) 12 RFG model (M^{eff}_A=1.35 GeV, κ=1.007) ×1.08 2 10 $\frac{\mathrm{d}^2\sigma}{\mathrm{dk_2}\mathrm{d}\Omega_2}$ 8 [₽]₽_₽₽₽₽₽₽ 58.7_{Ni} 28 6 Fermi motion ε, = 0.500 GeV $\theta = 60^{\circ}$ 2 0 0 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8 1.2 1.4 1.6 1.8 1 2 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.5 0 0.4 **Binding energy** ω , LEPTON ENERGY LOSS (GeV) Q_{QE}^2 (GeV²)





Smith and Moniz, NPB43(1972)605 Bodek and Cai, EPJC79(2019)293

2. Nuclear Shell structure and binding energy

Binding energy ~ unobserved energy

- Energy to cost to release 1 nucleon, not constant
- Separation energy + excitation energy + recoil energy
 - Separation energy: energy to release 1 nucleon from the shell (~15 MeV, depends)
 - Excitation energy: energy used to excite leftover target nucleus (~1 MeV)
 - Recoil energy: kinetic energy of recoil target nucleus (~2-3 MeV)





Quasi Elastic

 W^+

T2K, PRD98(2018)032003 MINERvA,PRL121(2018)022504

2. Nucleon correlations in neutrino physics

We want to constrain nuclear model from neutrino data

- Final state hadron measurement is the key

1 muon + 1 proton sample

- 5 dof (mu E and $\cos\theta$, proton E and $\cos\theta$, mu-p opening angle).
- Low statistics, and these are converted to 3 kinematic variables.



Benhar et al, PRL105(2010)132301, EPJST230(2021)4309 TK, Martini, JPhysG45(2017)1

2. New paradigm of lepton scattering experiments

Flux-averaged differential cross-section

- Incomplete kinematics, reconstruction of Ev, Q2, q3, W, x, y,... depends on models

Electron scattering

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- \rightarrow measure each process



Neutrino scattering

- Wideband beam (unknown Ev)
- \rightarrow cannot fix kinematics
- \rightarrow inclusive measurement (CCQE, RES...)





Khachatryan et al., Nature 599(2021)565

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Neutrino experiment don't reconstruct Ev (and Q2) with great precision



MINERvA, PRL116(2016)071802,PRD99(2019)012004 NOvA, EPJC80(2020)1119

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Visible hadronic energy deposit: E_{had}, E_{avail}

- Sum of all hadron energy deposit
- Strongly correlated to energy transfer (q_0 or ω or $\nu)$
- Sensitive to 2p2h

Vertex activity

- Some of all hadronic activities around the vertex
- Low energy nucleons (=2 nucleon emission)





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Transverse kinematic Imbalance (TKI) variables $\delta P_T \sim$ nucleon momentum distribution

 $\delta \alpha_{T} \sim FSI$





These studies suggest no nuclear models fit neutrino data without tuning



2. Generator implementation is our bottleneck

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Hadron variables

- Visible hadronic energy deposit: E_{had} , E_{avail}
- Vertex activity
- Transverse kinematic Imbalance (TKI) variables

Hadrons are affected by FSIs

- Without implementing in generators, theoretical nuclear models cannot be compared with data

- Generator implementation is continuously a problem of our community



MicroBooNE, PRL125(2020)201803

2. Nucleon correlations in neutrino physics

There is a strong belief in experimental community that hadron final states tell everything about 2p2h...

We need prediction of hadronic final states from theorists

- double differential cross-section = lepton kinematics
- final hadron multiplicity/kinematics = home-made





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Giuliani, Neutrino 2018

4. Neutrino-less double beta decay $(0\nu\beta\beta)$

Majorana particle



- double beta decay $(2\nu\beta\beta)$ is the second order nuclear process,
- possible only for few elements (⁸²Se, ⁷⁶Ge, ¹⁰⁰Mo, ¹³⁰Te, ¹³⁶Xe, etc)
- $0\nu\beta\beta$ is the lepton number violation process (BSM process)
- Expected half-life, $\tau(0\nu\beta\beta) > 10^{27}$ yrs (>>10¹⁰ yrs ~ lifetime of universe)



- Measured half-life of $0\nu\beta\beta$ process is related to effective Majorana mass $(m_{\beta\beta}^2)$
 - Phase space
 - Nuclear matrix element
 - effective g_A

$$1/\tau = G(Q,Z) g_A^4 |M_{nucl}|^2 m_{\beta\beta}^2$$



Giuliani, Neutrino 2018

4. Neutrino-less double beta decay $(0\nu\beta\beta)$

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P. Gysbers, G. Hagen, et al, Nature Phys. 15(2019)428

4. Nucleon correlation and $0\nu\beta\beta$

Beta decay quenching

- Axial coupling looks smaller in nuclei
- Ab initio calculation shows matrix element is suppressed due to nucleon 2-body current (2BC)
- Another uncertainty of $0\nu\beta\beta$



Physicists solve a beta-decay puzzle with advanced nuclear models

by Oak Ridge National Laboratory







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neutrino and anti-neutrino CCQE-like double differential cross sections





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 ν Transverse Plane

3D Projection

×10[¬] 10 <u>dσ</u> (cm² Nucleon⁻¹ GeV⁻¹) dõp_T 9 T2K Fit to Data 8 10-38 SF w/2p2h . $\gamma^2 = 23$. SF w/o 2p2h, χ^2 =68.7 RFG+RPA+2p2h, χ LFG+RPA+2p2h, χ^{2} =84.4 6 10⁻³⁹ 5 3 0.0 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8 1.0 0 0.0 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8 1.0 δp_{\perp} (GeV)

neutrino CC0π1p differential cross sections

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5. ND280 Upgrade

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- Out: P0D detector
- In: High Angle TPC (HATPC)
- In: SuperFGD

4π coverage

- It matches with Hyper-K phase space

Neutron tagging

- SuperFGD beam test at LANL
- ToF to measure energy









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On average, we see *available* hadronic energy $E_{avail} \neq q_0$:

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VENu (Virtual Environment of Neutrinos) http://venu.physics.ox.ac.uk/ - smart phone app for MicroBooNE data







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MicroBooNE CC mu+p differential cross section

Outgoing proton kinematics are measured to reconstruct Fermi motion

Multiple Coulomb scattering to estimate escaping muon energy

Large cosmic ray background, but mostly understood

Low statistics for hadron measurements







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