

The search for leptonic CP violation

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vProbes



Mostly based on collaborations with P. Coloma

Oscillation Parameters

- What we already know (1σ)

- Solar sector
$$\begin{cases} \Delta m_{21}^2 = 7.45_{-0.16}^{+0.19} \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2 \\ \sin^2 \theta_{12} = 0.306_{-0.012}^{+0.012} \end{cases}$$

- Atm. sector
$$\begin{cases} \Delta m_{31}^2 = 2.417_{-0.013}^{+0.013} \cdot 10^{-3} / -2.410_{-0.062}^{+0.062} \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2 \\ \sin^2 \theta_{23} = 0.446_{-0.007}^{+0.007} / 0.587_{-0.037}^{+0.032} \end{cases}$$

- $\sin^2 \theta_{13} = 0.0229_{-0.0019}^{+0.002}$

- What we still don't know

- $\delta = ?$

- Mass hierarchy $s_{atm} = \text{sign}(\Delta m_{31}^2)$

M. C. Gonzalez-Garcia, M. Maltoni, J. Salvado, T. Schwetz 1209.3023 www.nu-fit.org

See also: D. V. Forero, M. Tortola, J. Valle 1205.4018

G.L. Fogli, E. Lisi, A. Marrone, D. Montanino, A. Palazzo, A.M. Rotunno 1205.5254

The Golden channel in matter

$$P(\bar{\nu}_e \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\mu) = s_{23}^2 \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \left(\frac{\Delta_{atm}}{\tilde{B}_\mp} \right)^2 \sin^2 \left(\frac{\tilde{B}_\mp L}{2} \right) \quad \text{"atmospheric"}$$

$$+ c_{23}^2 \sin^2 2\theta_{12} \left(\frac{\Delta_{sol}}{A} \right)^2 \sin^2 \left(\frac{AL}{2} \right) \quad \text{"solar"}$$

$$\text{"interference"} + \tilde{J} \frac{\Delta_{sol}}{A} \frac{\Delta_{atm}}{\tilde{B}_\mp} \sin \left(\frac{AL}{2} \right) \sin \left(\frac{\tilde{B}_\mp L}{2} \right) \cos \left(\pm \delta - \frac{\Delta_{atm} L}{2} \right)$$

Expanded in

$$\sin 2\theta_{13} \sim 0.3 \quad \left(\frac{\Delta_{sol} L}{2} \right) \cong 0.05$$

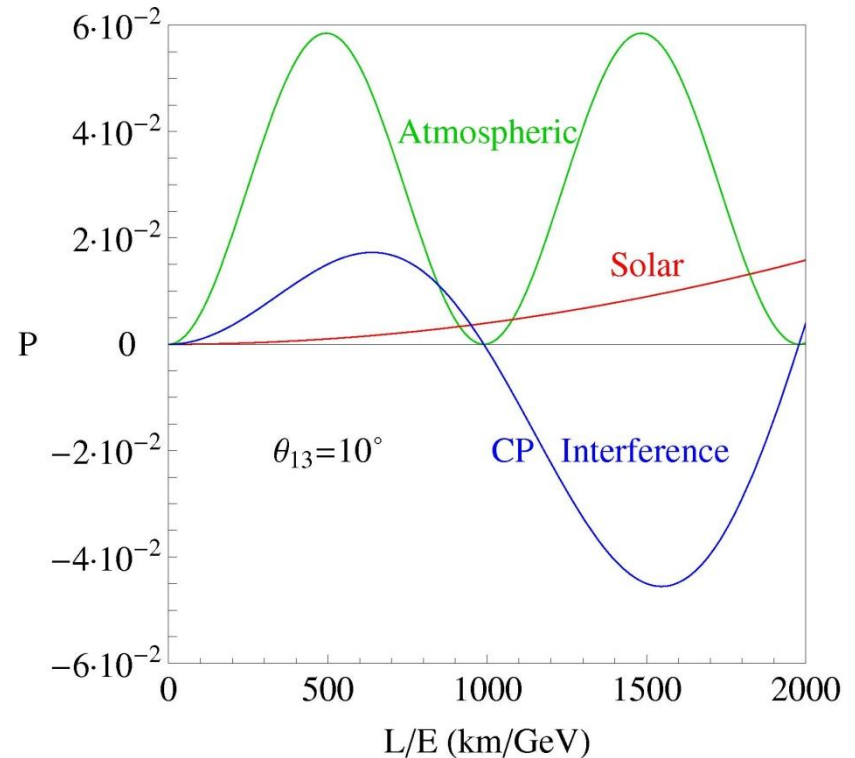
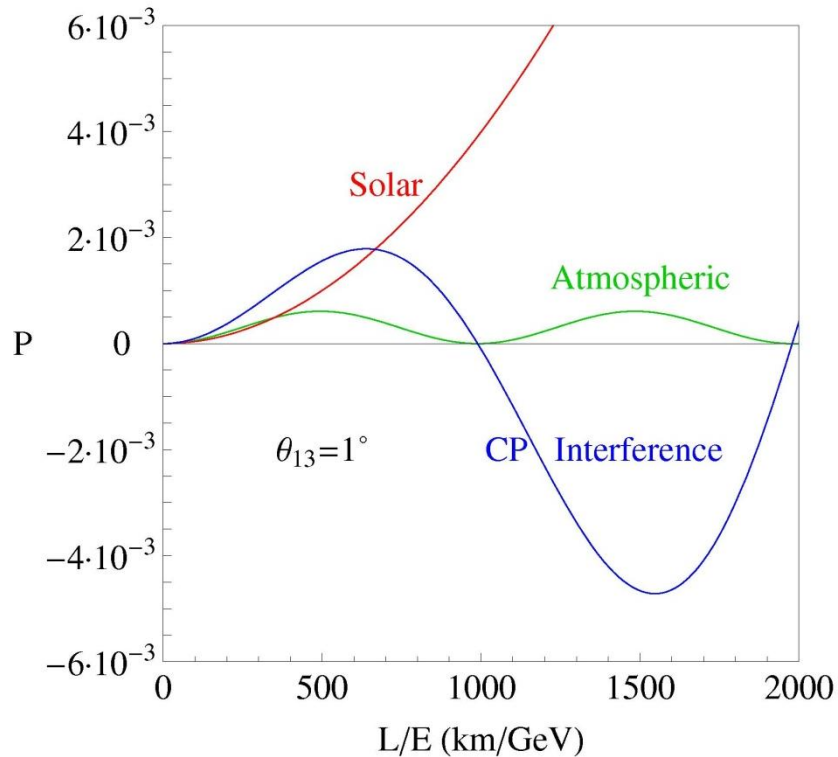
where

$$\tilde{J} = \cos \theta_{13} \sin 2\theta_{13} \sin 2\theta_{12} \sin 2\theta_{23} \quad \Delta_{atm} = \frac{\Delta m_{23}^2}{2E} \quad \Delta_{sol} = \frac{\Delta m_{12}^2}{2E}$$

$$A = \sqrt{2} G_F n_e \quad \tilde{B}_\mp = |A \mp \Delta_{atm}|$$

A. Cervera *et al.* hep-ph/0002108

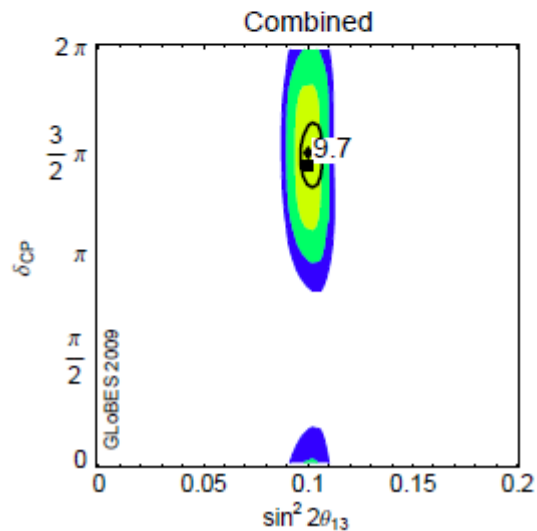
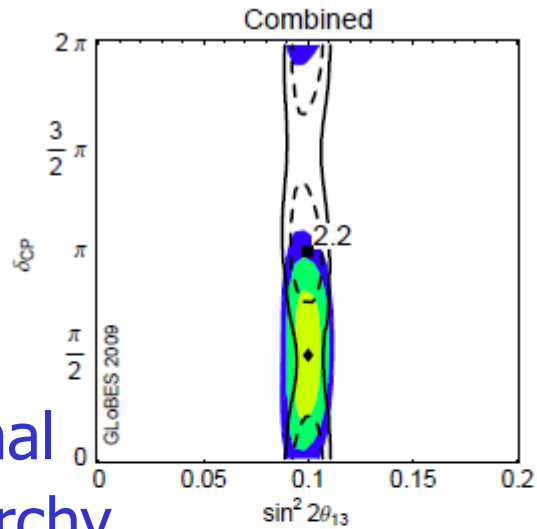
Optimization of facilities for large θ_{13}



Signal systematics and not stats becomes the bottleneck for large θ_{13} , explore second peak? P. Coloma and EFM 1110.4583

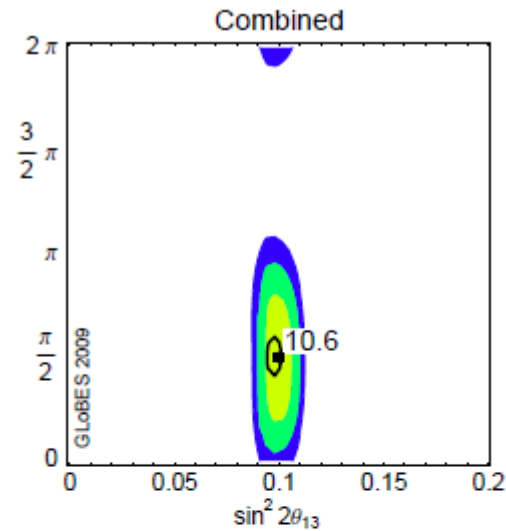
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Normal hierarchy

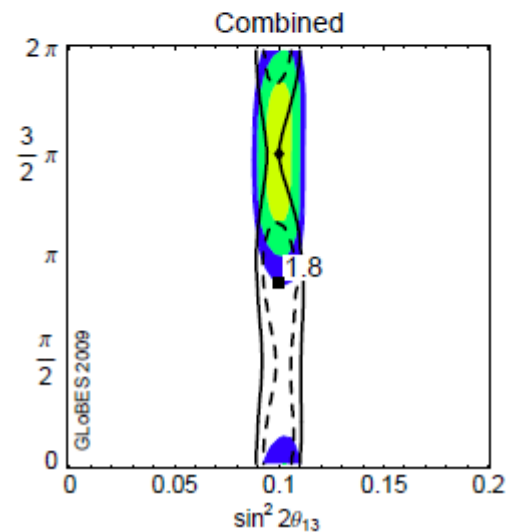


1, 2 and 3 σ

T2K+
Nova+
Daya Bay

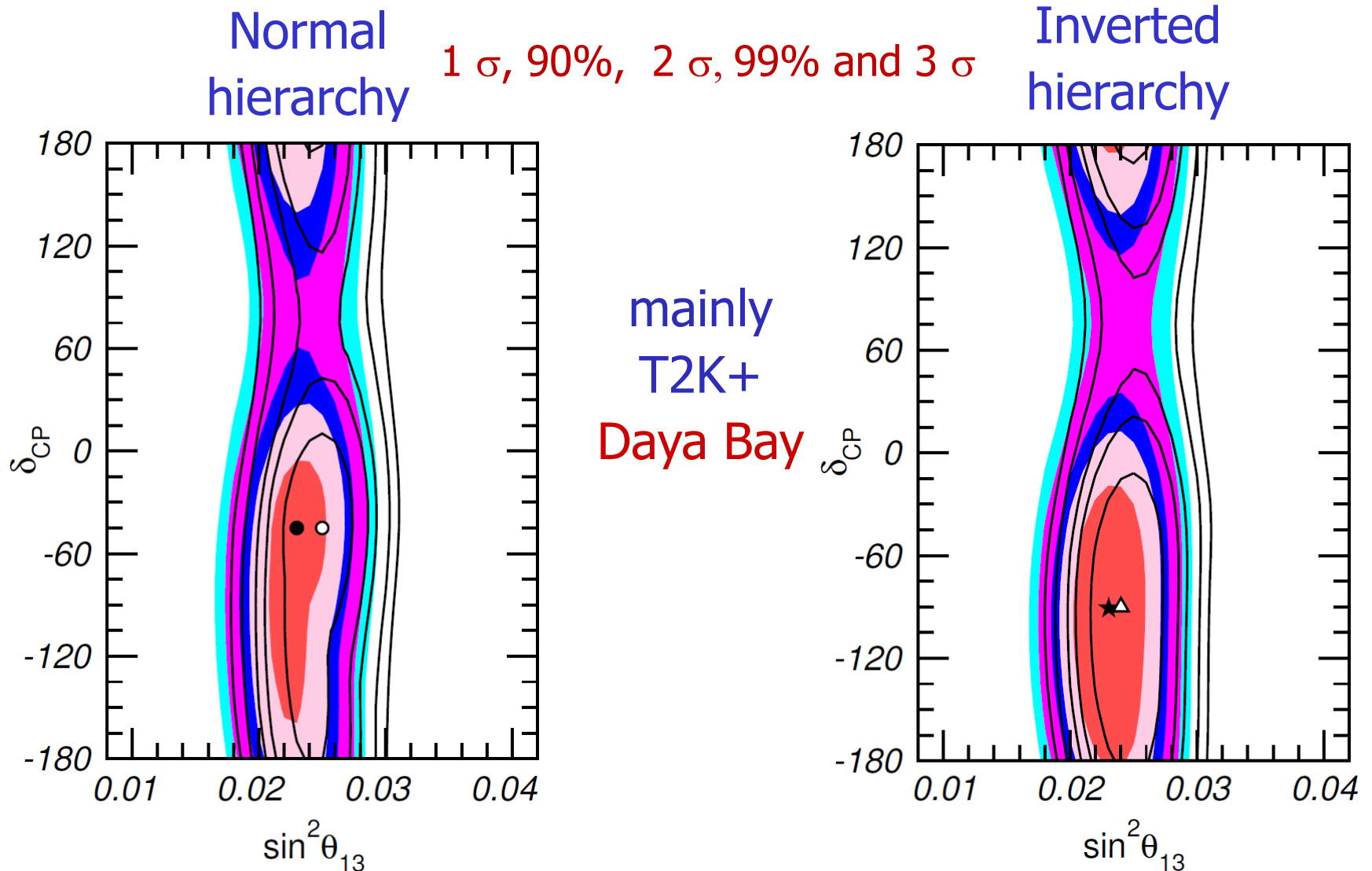


Inverted hierarchy



From P. Huber *et al.* 0907.1896

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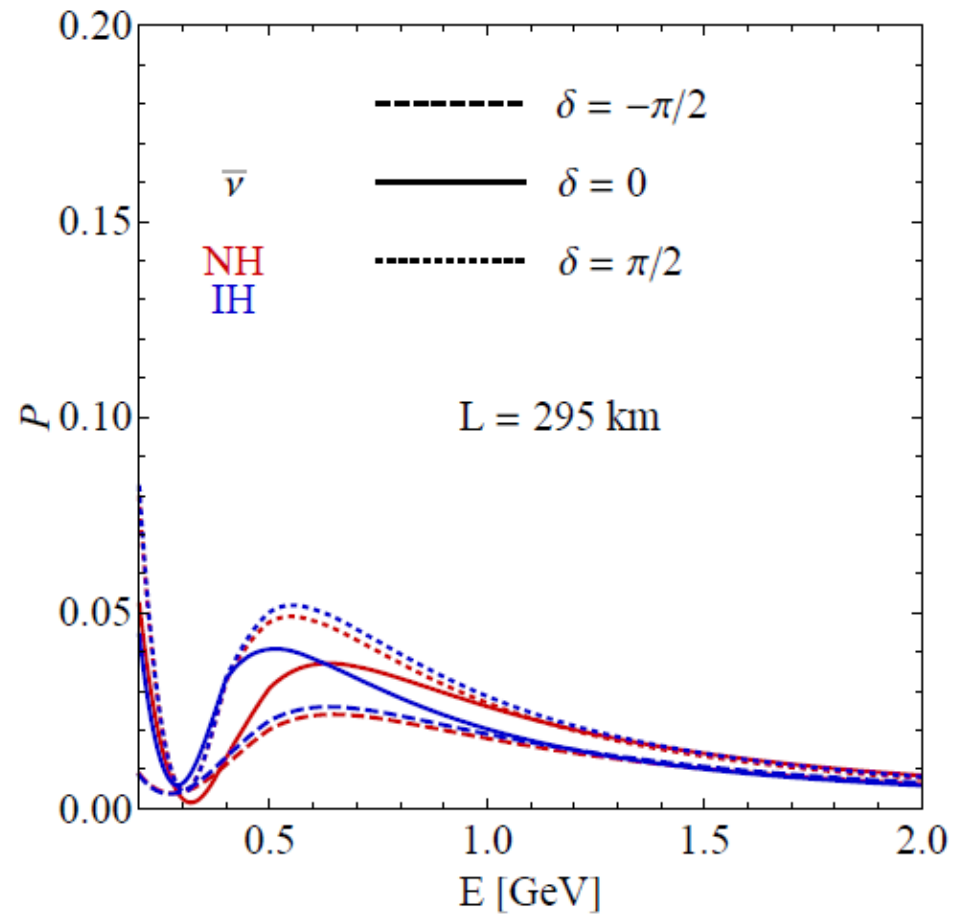
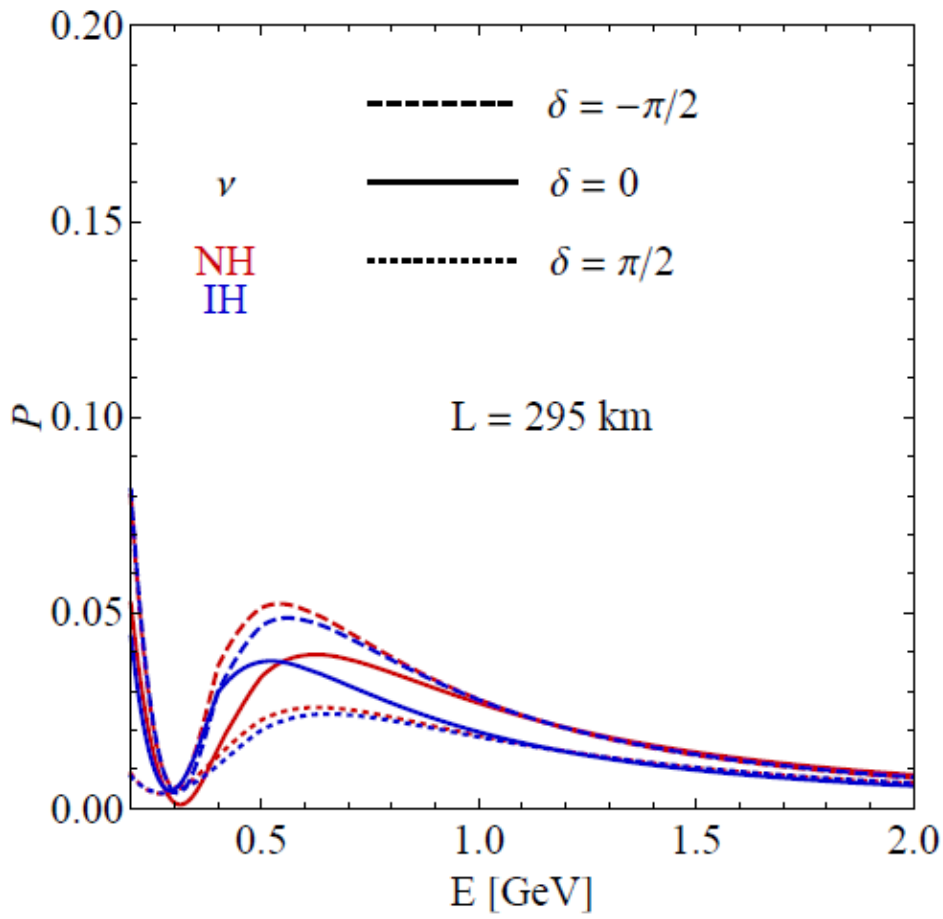
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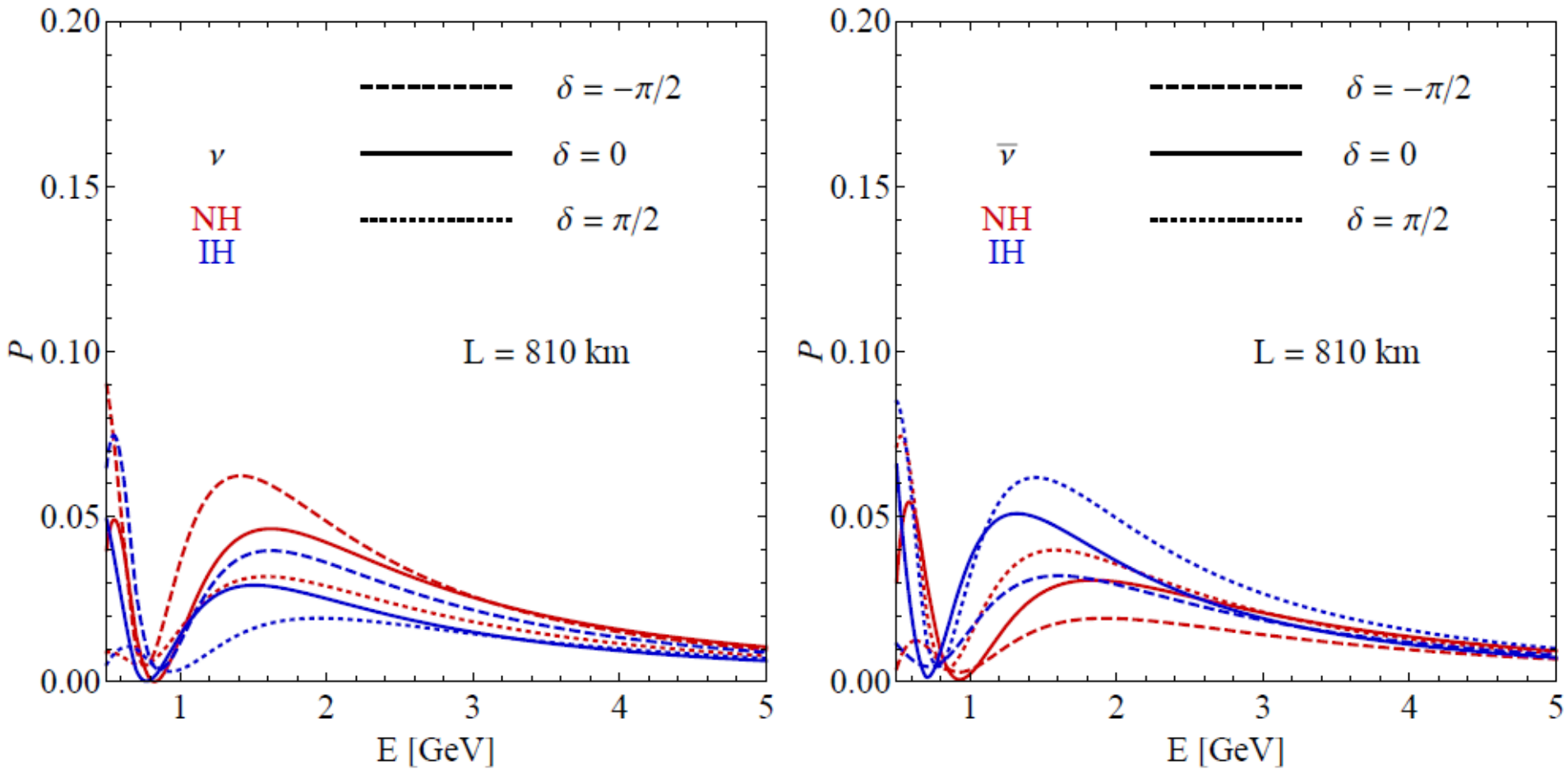
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LAr detectors, high energies and broad beams, big matter effects

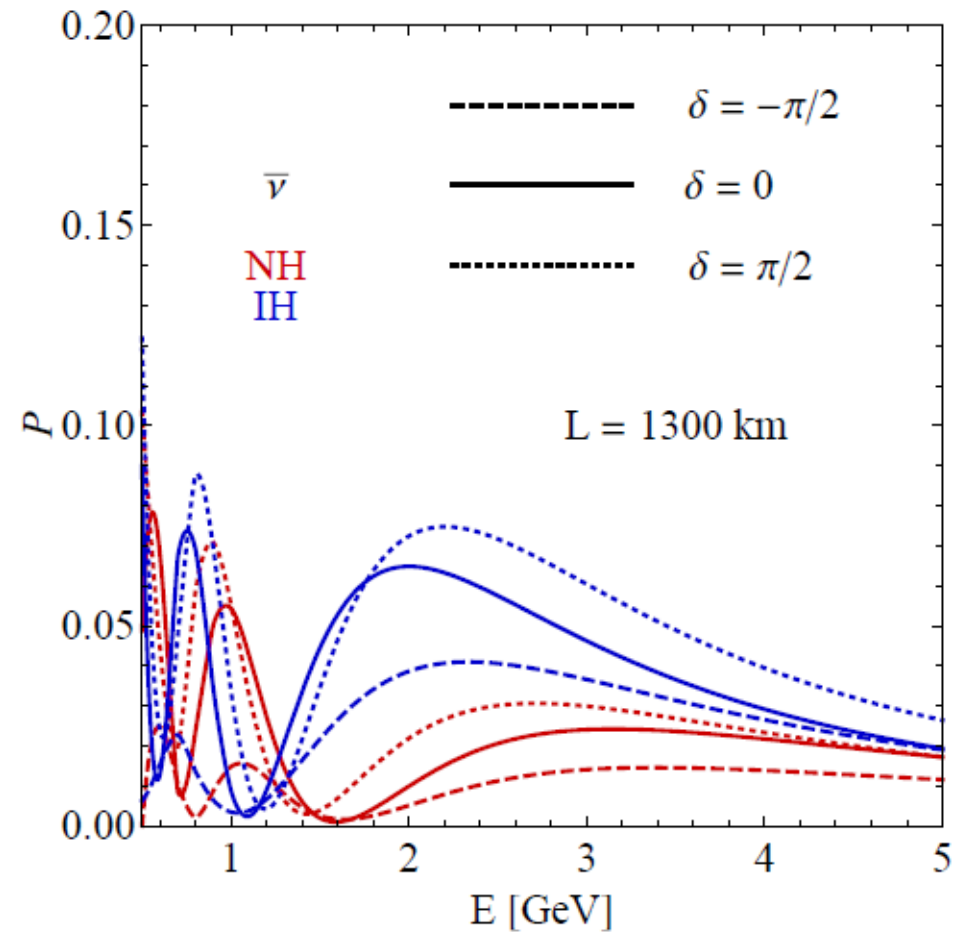
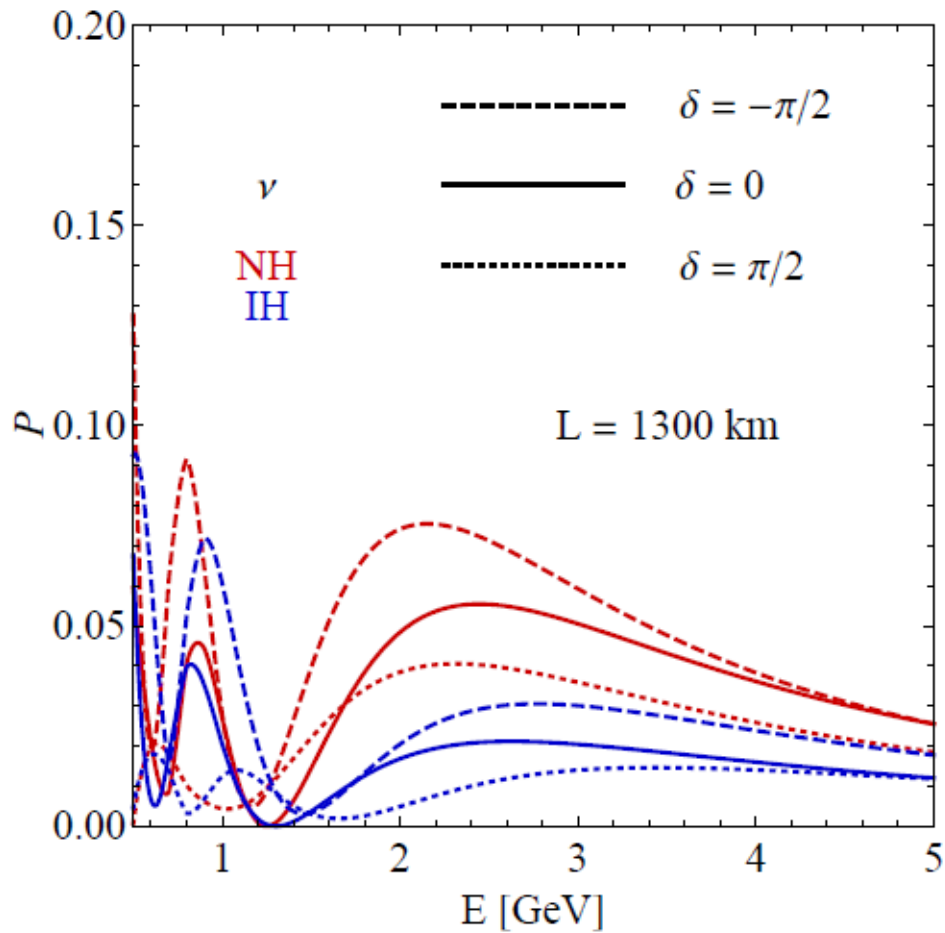
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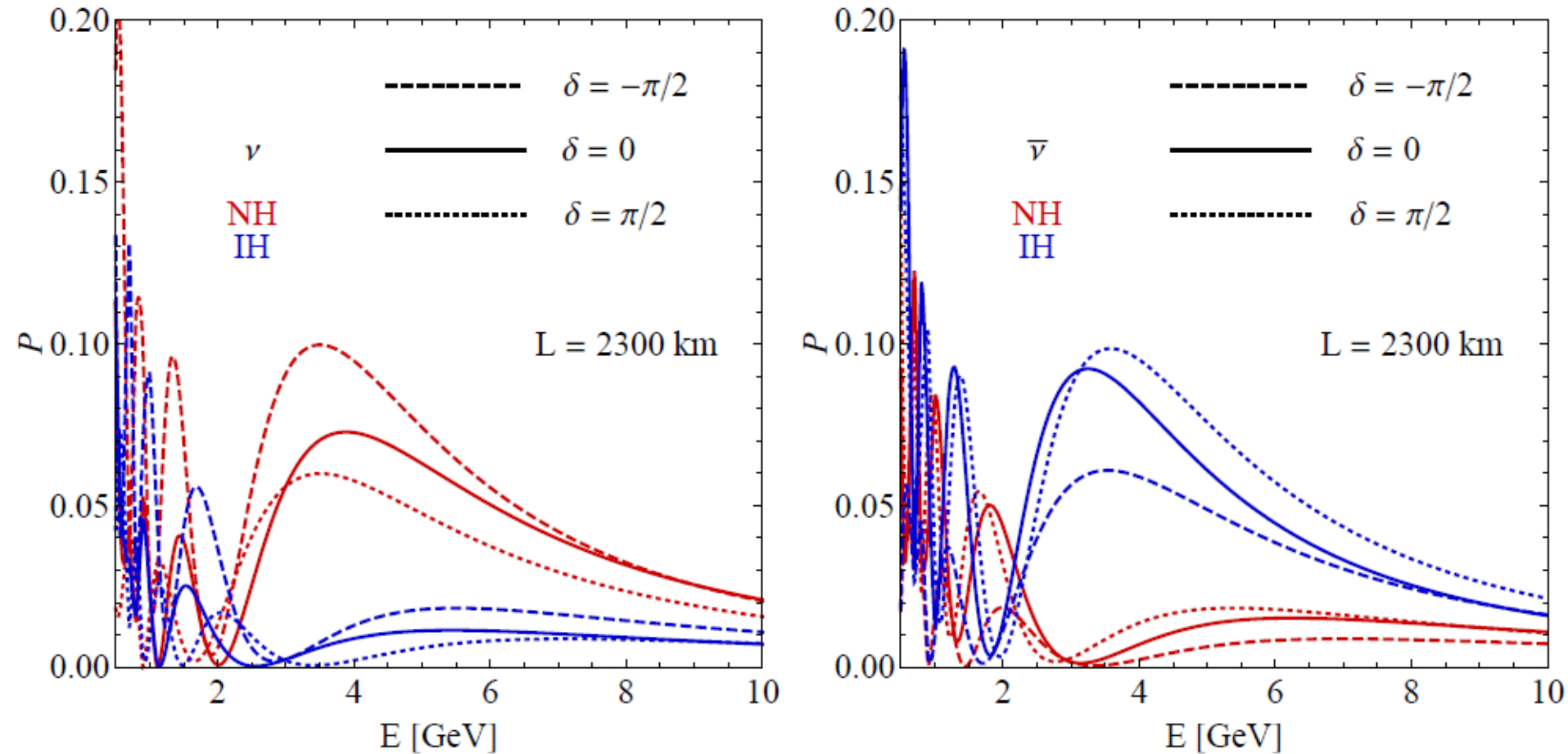
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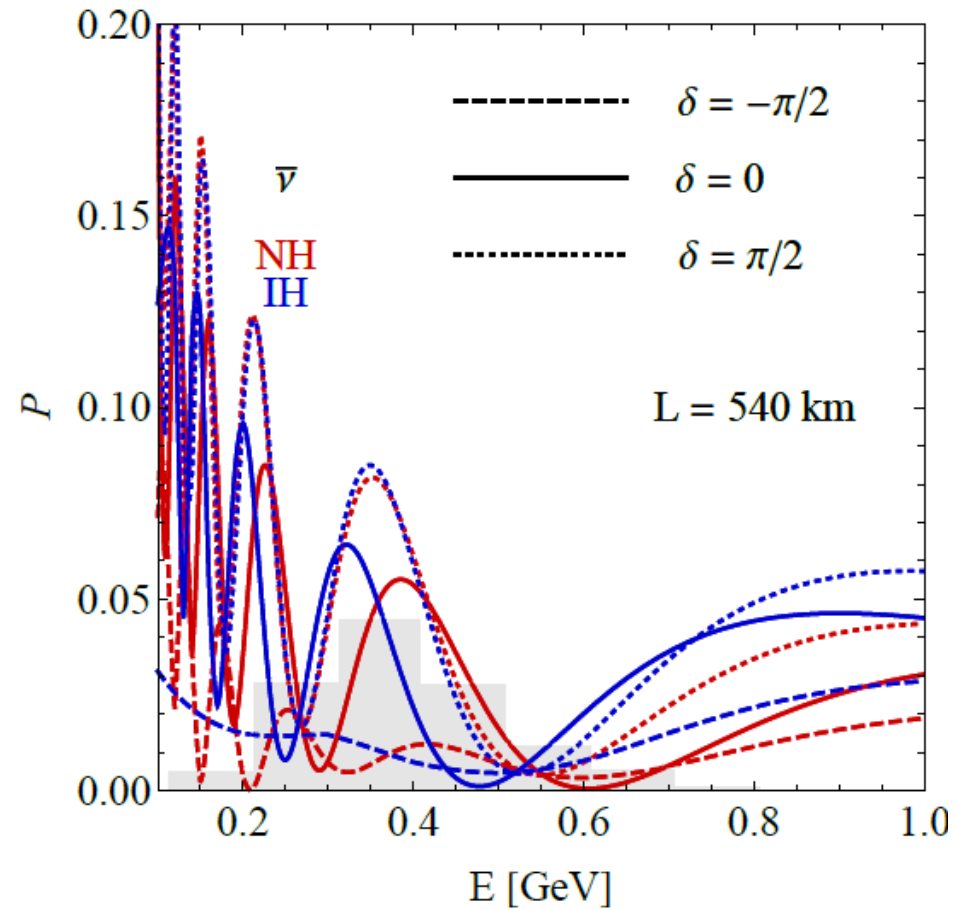
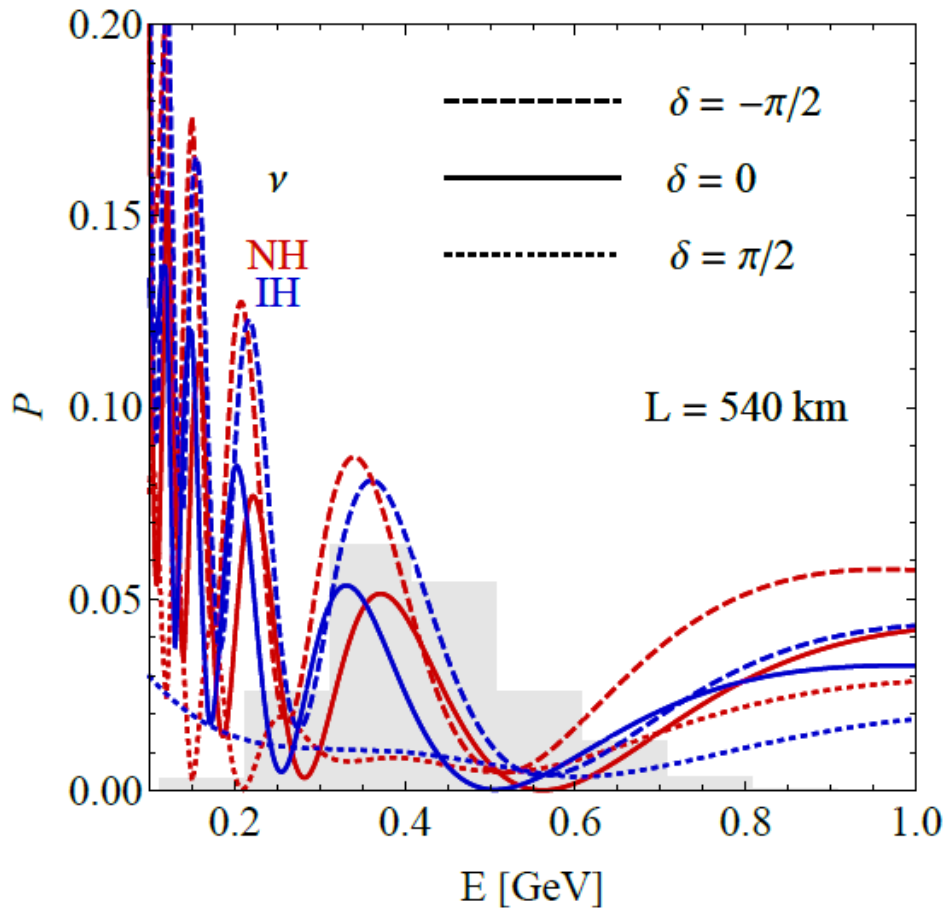
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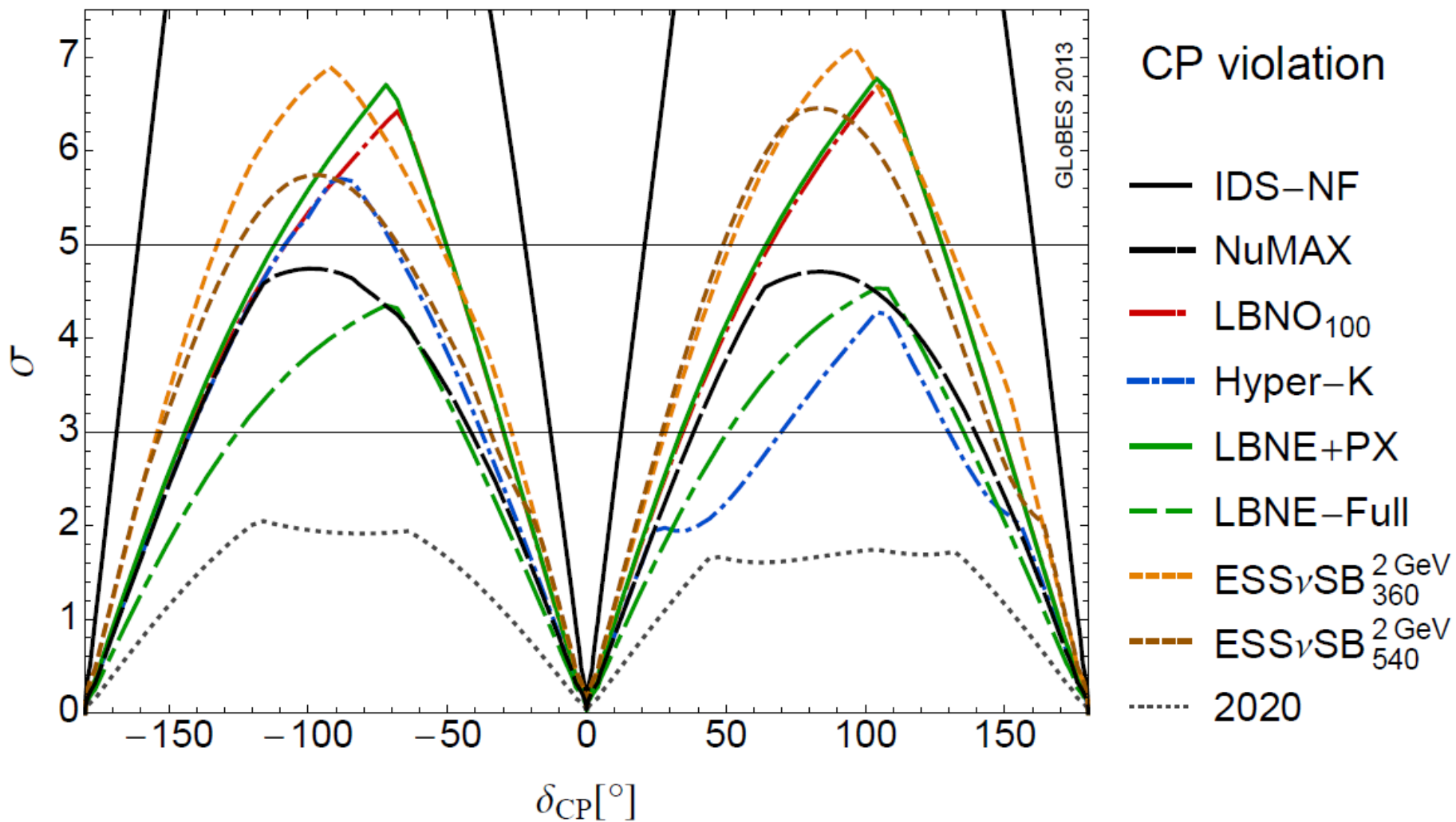
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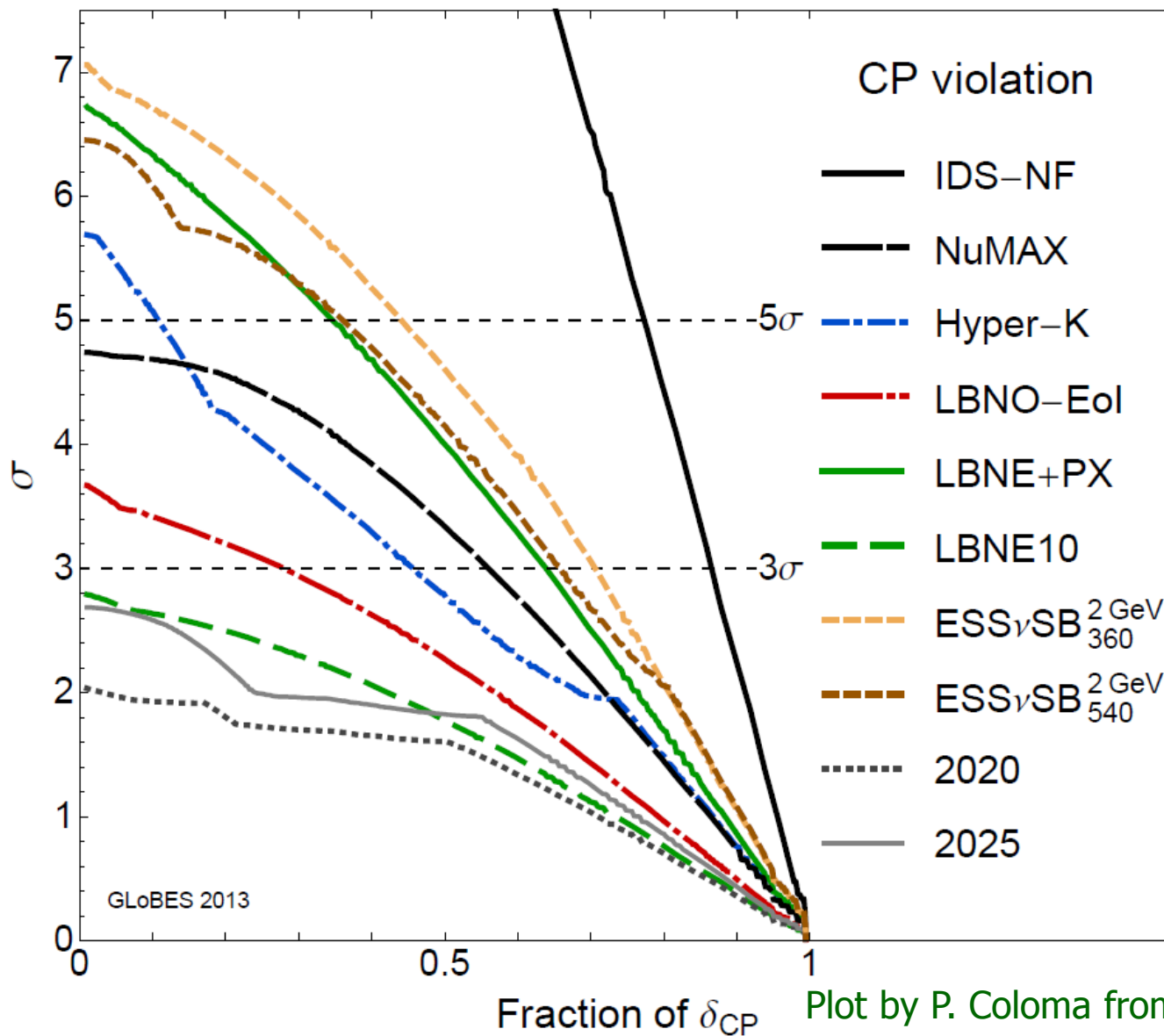


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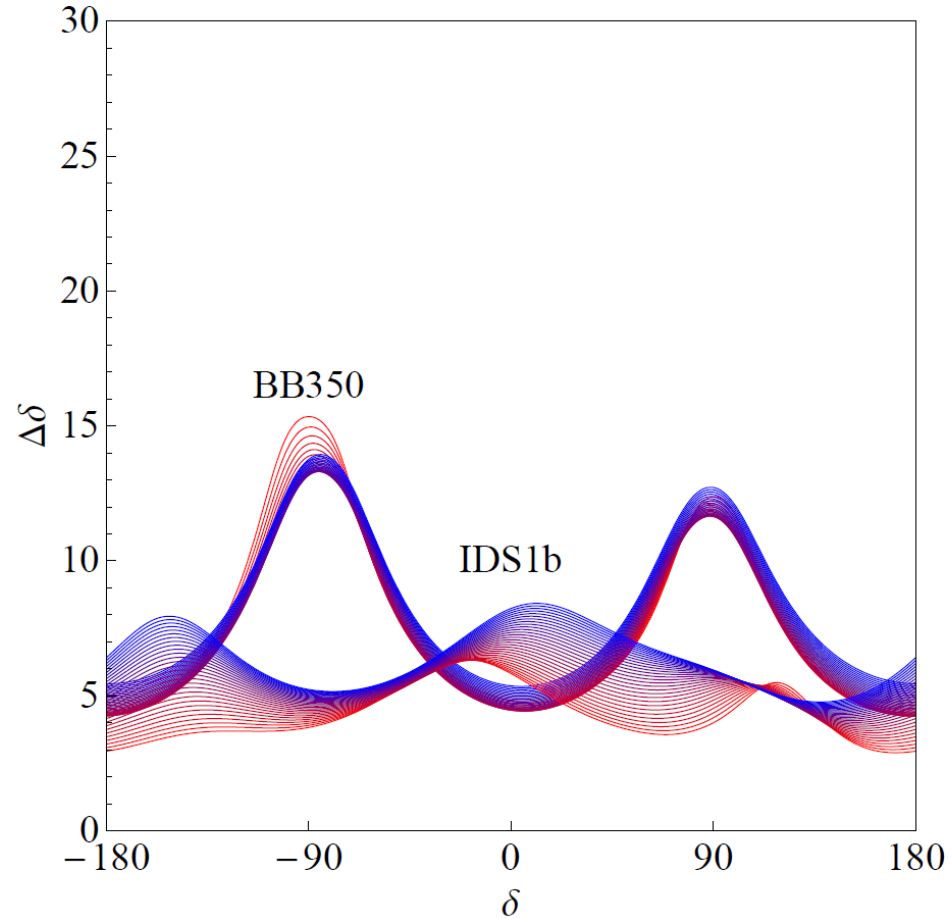
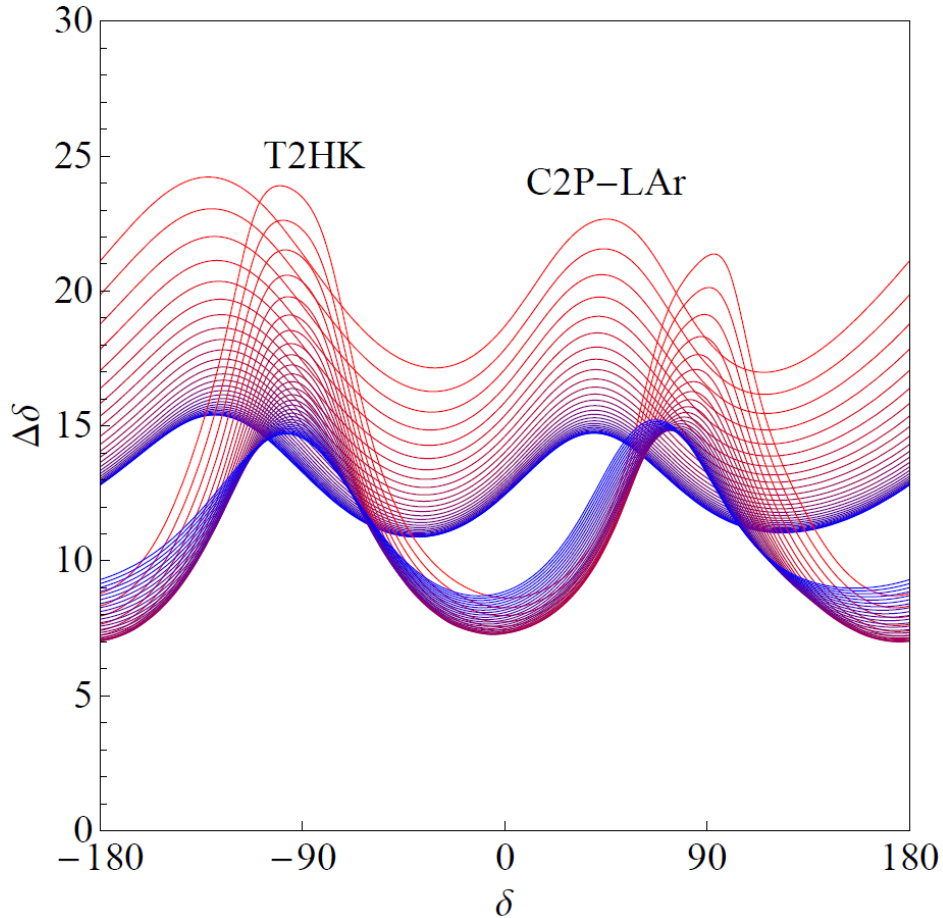


Plot by P. Coloma

Sensitivities to CPV



Precision



θ_{13} : 3° - 10°

Conclusions

- The large value of θ_{13} discovered opens the window to the measurement of the neutrino mass hierarchy and leptonic CP violation.
- T2K and Nova will provide the first $\sim 90\%$ CL indications over the next years. In order to reach discovery, upgraded or new facilities will be needed.
- The optimization strategy for CPV changes for large θ_{13} : importance of systematic errors and the second oscillation peak over statistics and backgrounds.

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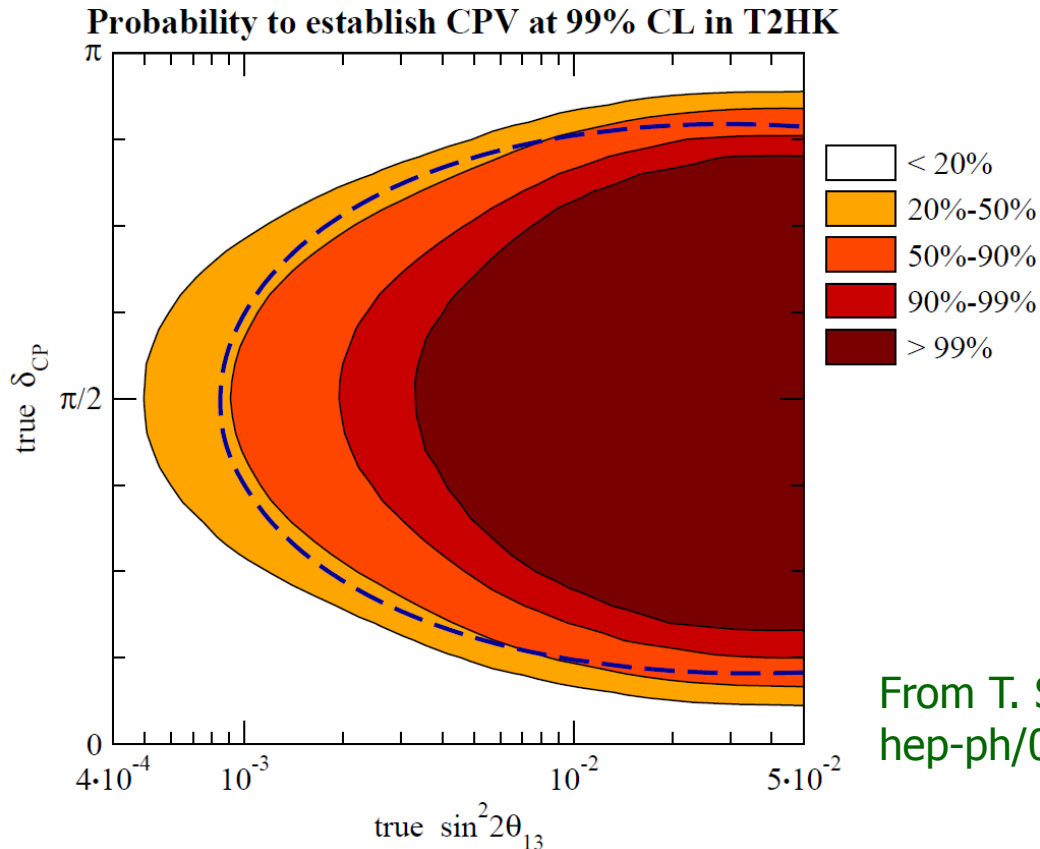
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hep-ph/0612223

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The first could get lucky, the second unlucky...

Naturally the two things are correlated

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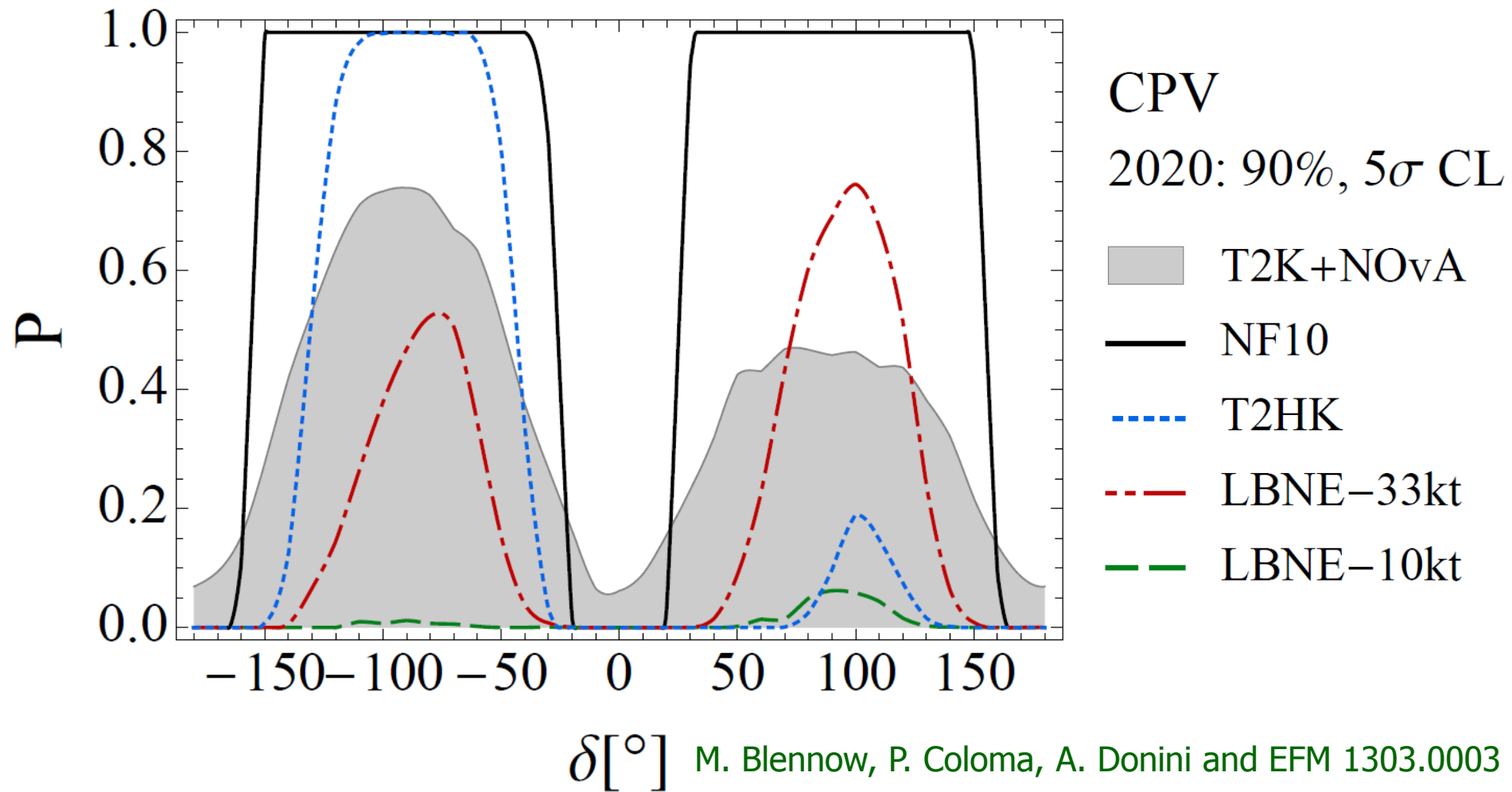
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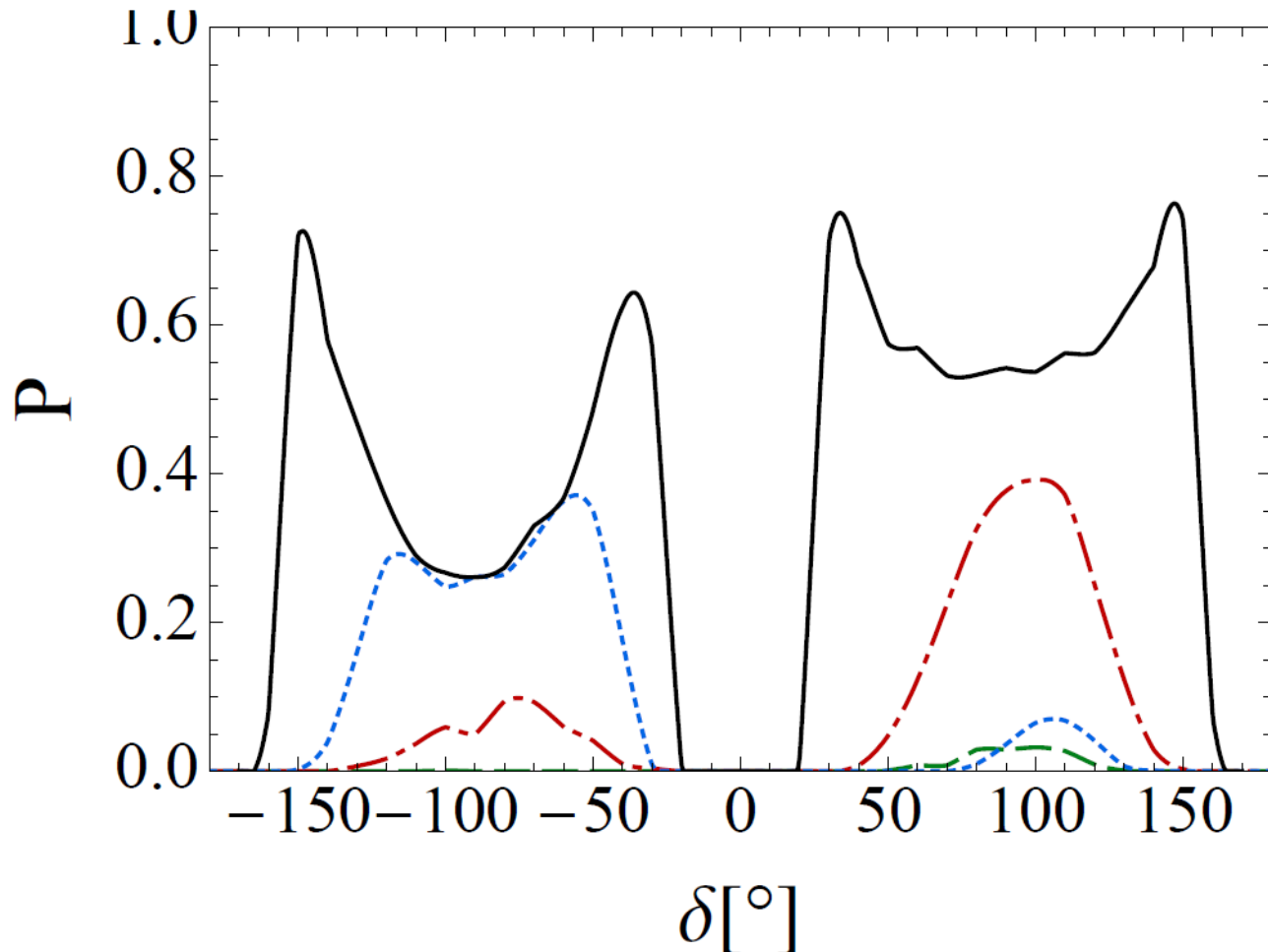


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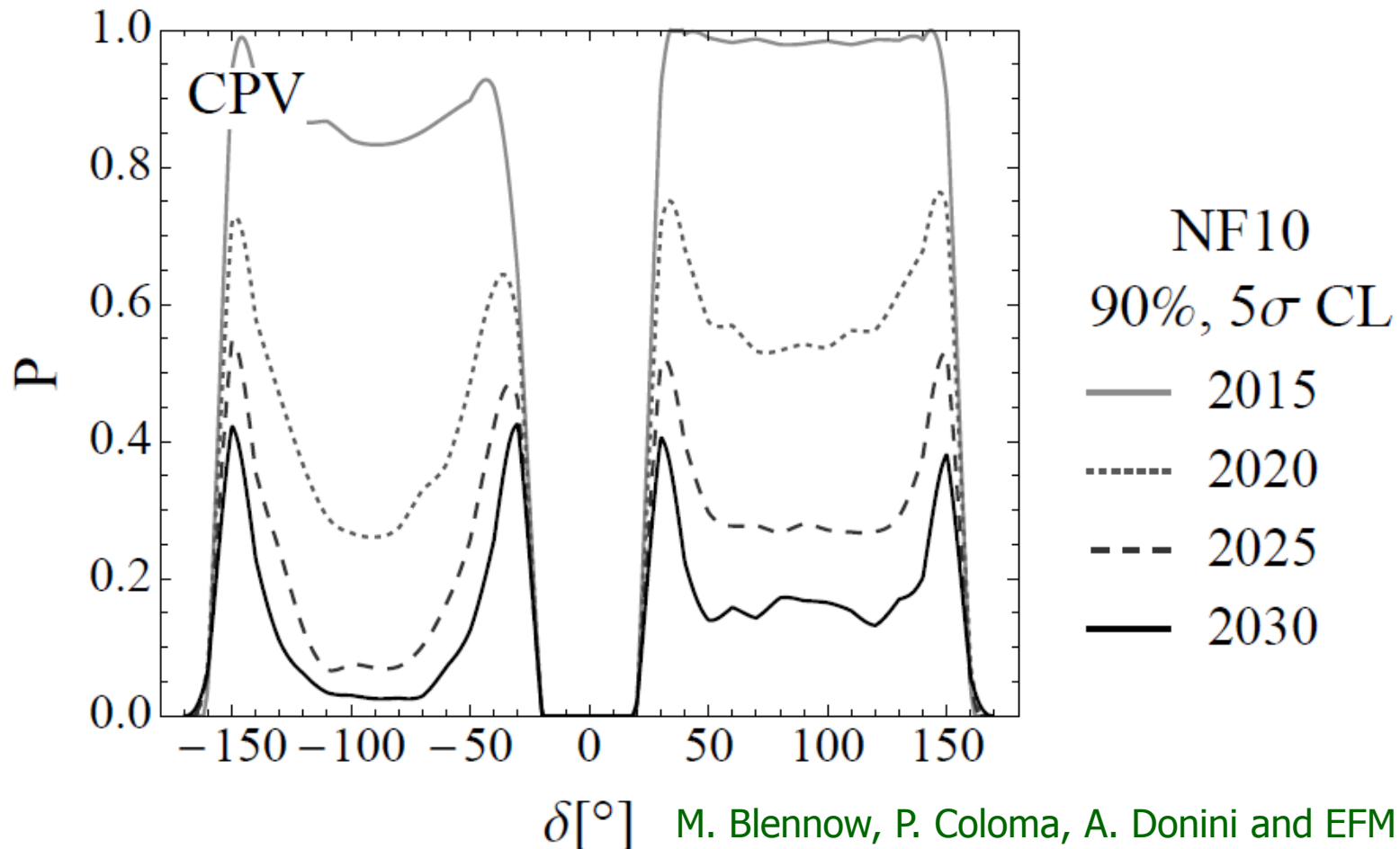
CPV
2020: 90%, 5σ CL



- T2K+NO ν A
- NF10
- T2HK
- LBNE-33kt
- LBNE-10kt

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Joint probability of **not** having a **90% CL** hint at **T2K+NO ν A** and **5 σ** discovery at new facility. Less and less likely when increasing **T2K+NO ν A** running time if no hint.

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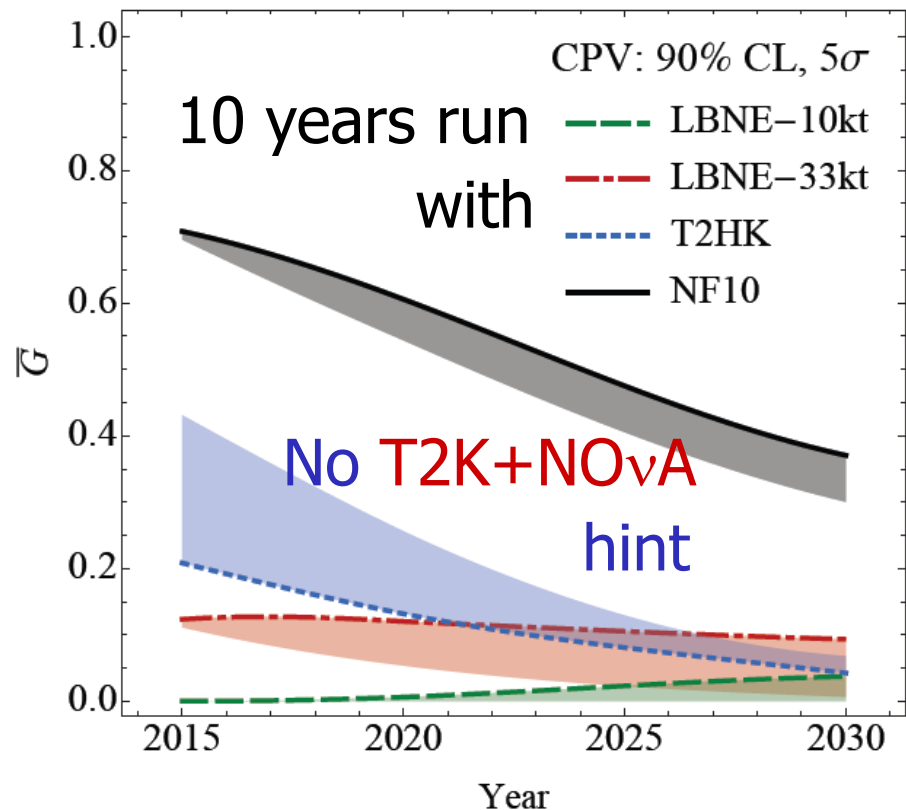
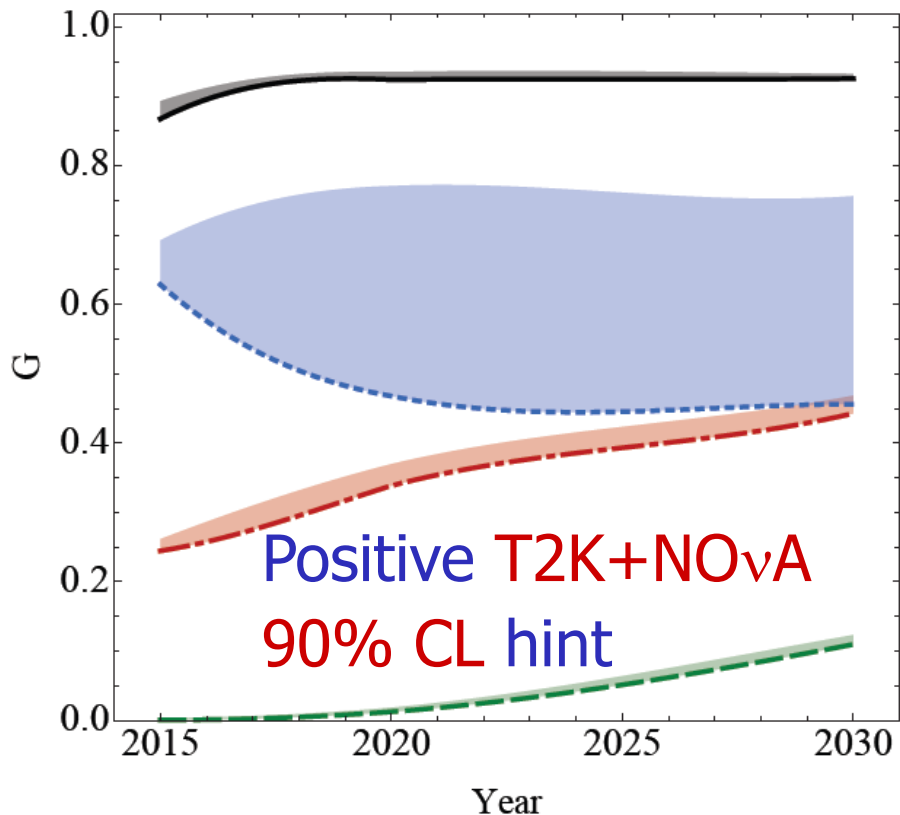
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Can be easily computed
from the joint prob:

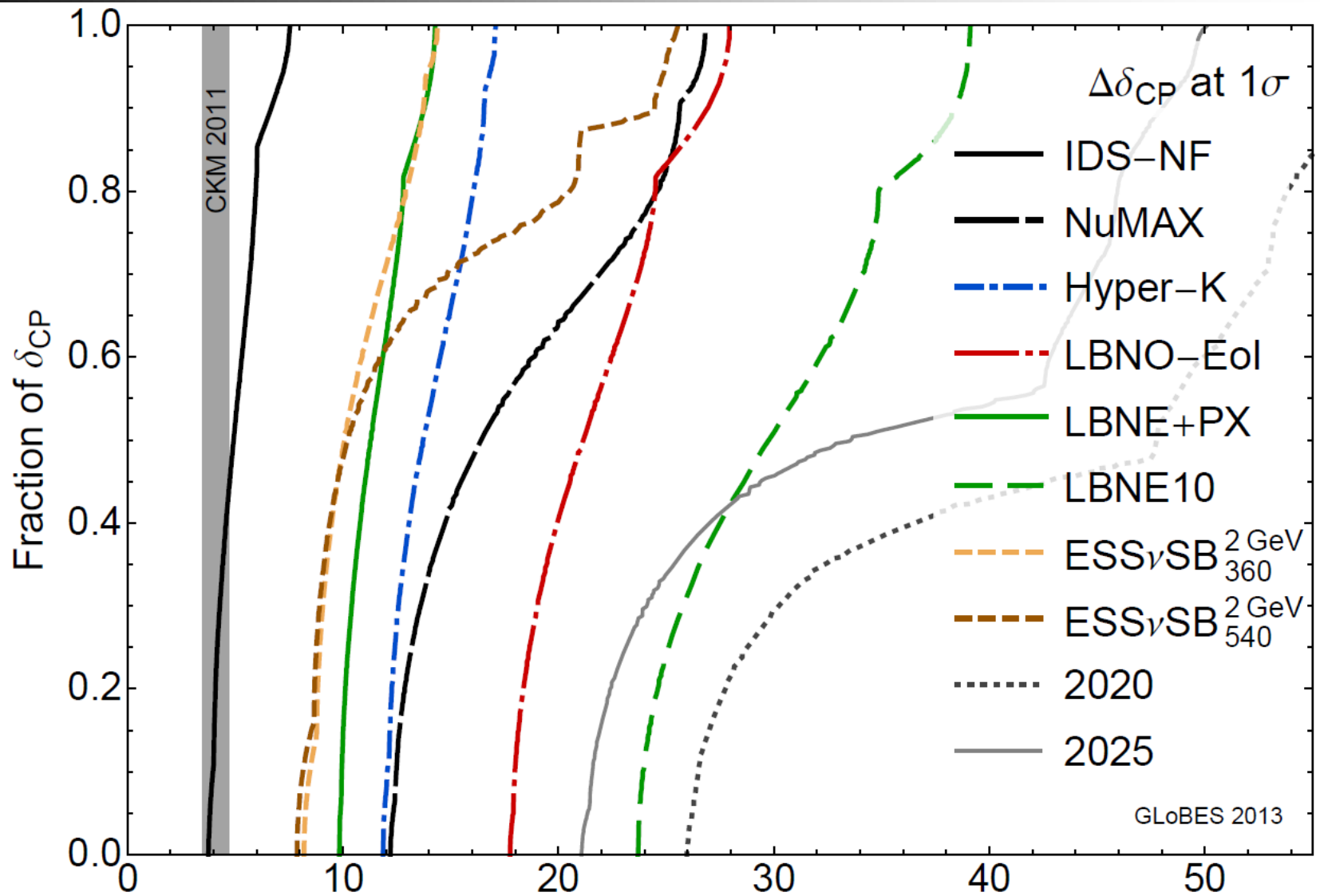
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Assuming a **uniform** probability distribution of δ , how likely is a discovery (5σ) by a new facility if **T2K+NO ν A** (dont) have a **90%** hint by the year **X**? Upper (lower) end of band for (un)known **hierarchy**

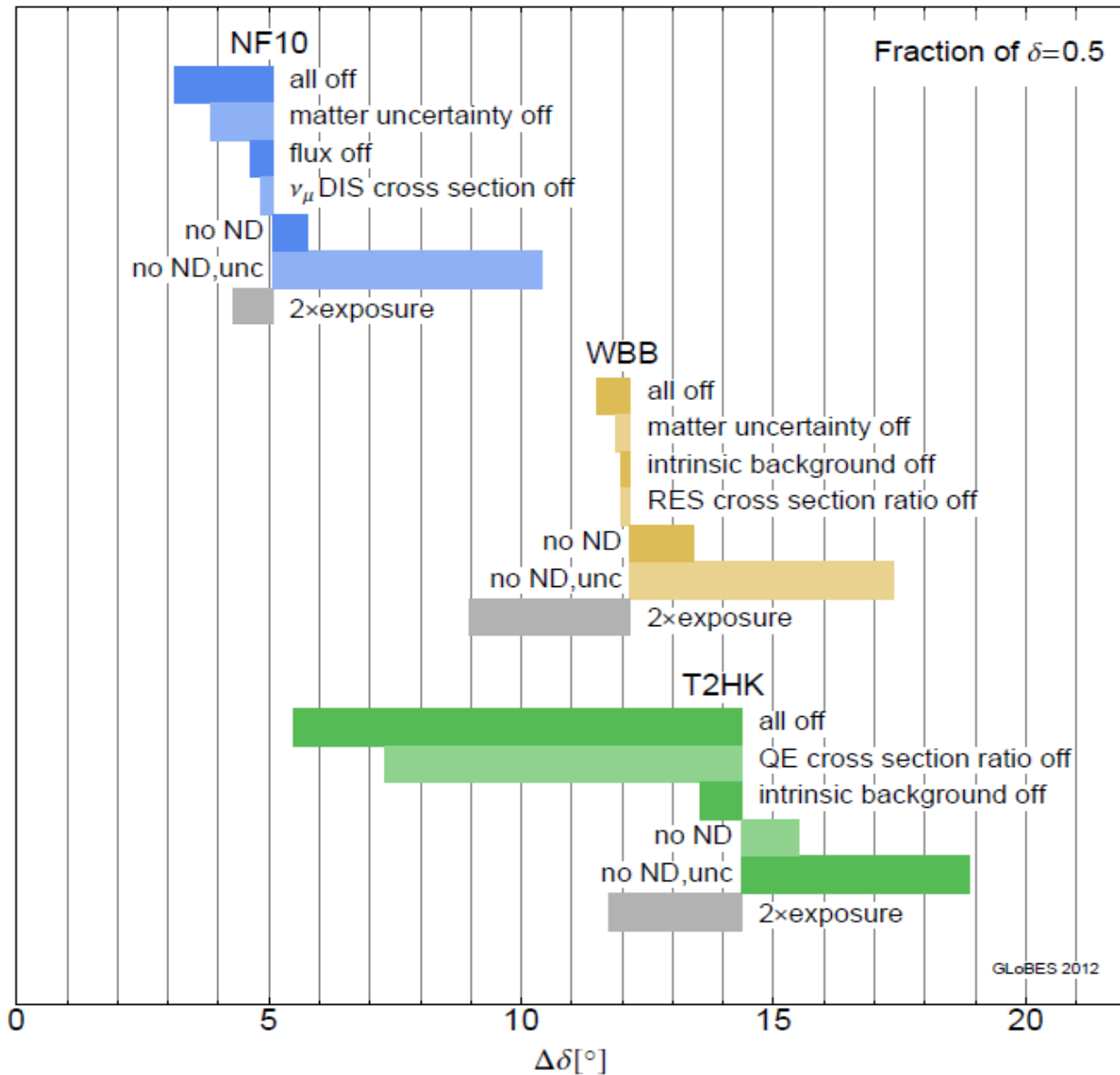
Precision in δ



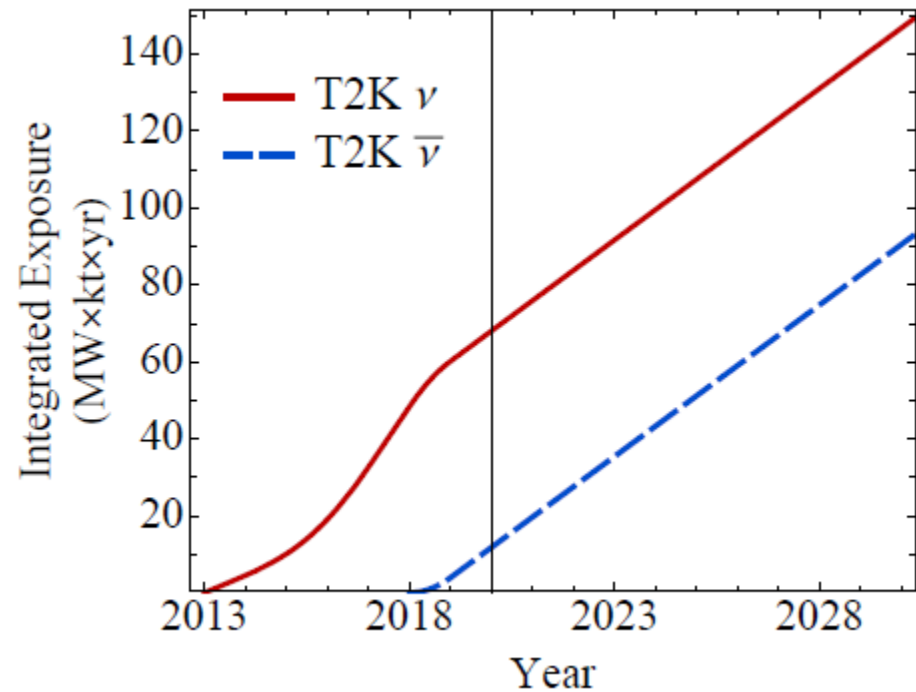
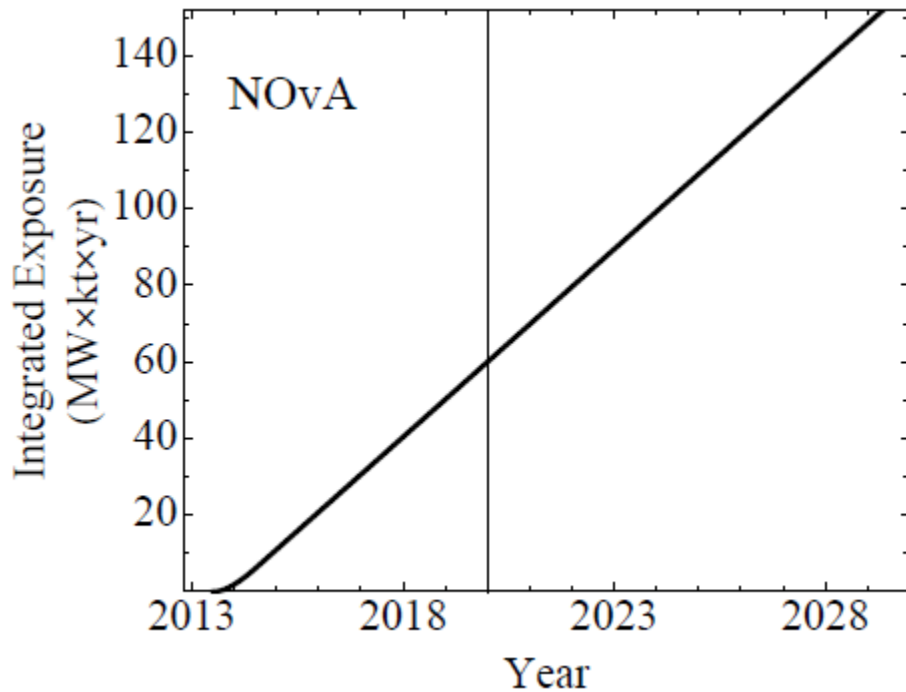
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	Opt.	Def.	Cons.	Opt.	Def.	Cons.
Fiducial volume ND	0.2%	0.5%	1%	0.2%	0.5%	1%
Fiducial volume FD (incl. near-far extrap.)	1%	2.5%	5%	1%	2.5%	5%
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Cross secs \times eff. QE [†]	10%	15%	20%	10%	15%	20%
Cross secs \times eff. RES [†]	10%	15%	20%	10%	15%	20%
Cross secs \times eff. DIS [†]	5%	7.5%	10%	5%	7.5%	10%
Effec. ratio ν_e/ν_μ QE [*]	3.5%	11%	–	–	–	–
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T2K+NO ν A Running time



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