

DUNE COMPUTING AND GLOBALIZATION

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Outline

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- What we are doing
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2 different views of the same neutrinos



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The quantum wavelength of a 2 GeV muon neutrino is ~ 10^{-10} m But it is actually a superposition of the 3 mass types of neutrinos which have slightly different wavelengths – the beat wavelength between the types is about 2000 km.

Bottom line – propagation can change a muon type neutrino





Plan is to put a future huge LAr detector "DUNE" in the Homestake Gold Mine

Actual route



This is on the route for the Southwest PDX/MDW flight

Underground Laboratory

DUNE Far Detector site

- Sanford Underground Research Facility (SURF), South Dakota
- Four caverns on 4850 level (~ 1 mile underground)





4 of these – filled with liquid Argon



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Liquid Argon TPC Basics

- Large tank of Liquid Argon
- Apply electric field
- Charged particles leave ionization which you then collect.



Build a "small" prototype @CERN





ProtoDUNE is running @CERN

- Two walls of the cryostat are covered with 3 planes of wires spaced 0.5 cm apart. Total of 15,360 wires
- The electrons take ~ 3msec to drift across and you need to detect and time them for the full time
- Each wire is read out by 12-bit ADC's every 0.5 microsecond for 3-5 msec. Total of around 10,000 samples/wire/readout.
- Around 230 MB/readout.
- ProtoDUNE is running now and reading out at 10-25 Hz
- The issue this is a 1% prototype of the real beast!
- The big one won't read out as often....



Raw data



The computing problem

3 hrs of raw data transfers from CERN->FNAL on Friday



- ProtoDUNE can write up to 2-3 GB/sec of data when running at 25 Hz beam.
- Expect 2-5 PB of raw data from the 6 weeks of running this fall + more from additional cosmic running + ProtoDUNE-DP
- Big DUNE will write 10-30 PB/year from the far detectors and probably more than that from the near detector.
- Instantaneous rates are already >= CMS/ATLAS.
- Integrated rates in 2026 will be where ATLAS/CMS are now



Good news

- We're smaller than LHC– but not tiny.
- A lot of infrastructure for worldwide computing already exists and we are already using it.





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Not so good news

- Much of the LHC infrastructure is experiment specific and reflects N years of desperate work by dozens of people to keep up!
- We're just starting.. And we're already running at high rate!





The LHC solution the WLCG

- LHC computing structure
 - Common infrastructure
 - Technical decision process
 - Allocation of resources
 - Central operation teams funded by collaboration resources (security/networks ...)
- Works well but the LHC is the 500 pound gorilla!



"Look. I'm sorry ... If you weighed 500 pounds, we'd certainly accommodate you — but it's simply a fact that a 400-pound gorilla does not sleep anywhere he wants to."

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The plan

- Forming a DUNE consortium of interested parties to work on DUNE strategy, assemble resources and make technical decisions
- Where it works, collaborate with the broader HEP and Astrophysics communities on common tools and infrastructure
 - Grid jobs
 - Data management (Rucio!)
 - Authentication!
 - New coding methodologies



The Goal(s)

- Record, reconstruct and analyze the ProtoDUNE data ASAP
- Prepare a CDR for full DUNE (x100 in size) which starts taking data in 2026
- Work with other experiments SKA/LHC/HyperK/LSST/SBND to have robust, global shared strategies
- Get the 400 lb gorilla into the club so we're ready for beam and supernovae



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Current status of Consortium

- Many institutions are already contributing resources!!!!
- Setting up a directory of institutional contacts and resources
- Setting up a formal structure for technical decision-making
- Setting up a formal structure for resource contributions
 - Hardware (cores/GB)
 - Operations (people to keep it all running)



Three-fold way





This workshop

- Explore use cases for data storage and processing
- Integration of computing facilities for DUNE
 - Find and stomp on all the administrative bugs that make it hard
 - And then it generally works at speed!
- Identification of future common projects
 - Rucio/Sam integration
 - Resource management for jobs
 - Less annoying authentication methods
 - Models for multi-core processing
 - HPC's?

