



DEEP UNDERGROUND
NEUTRINO EXPERIMENT

DUNE computing and software

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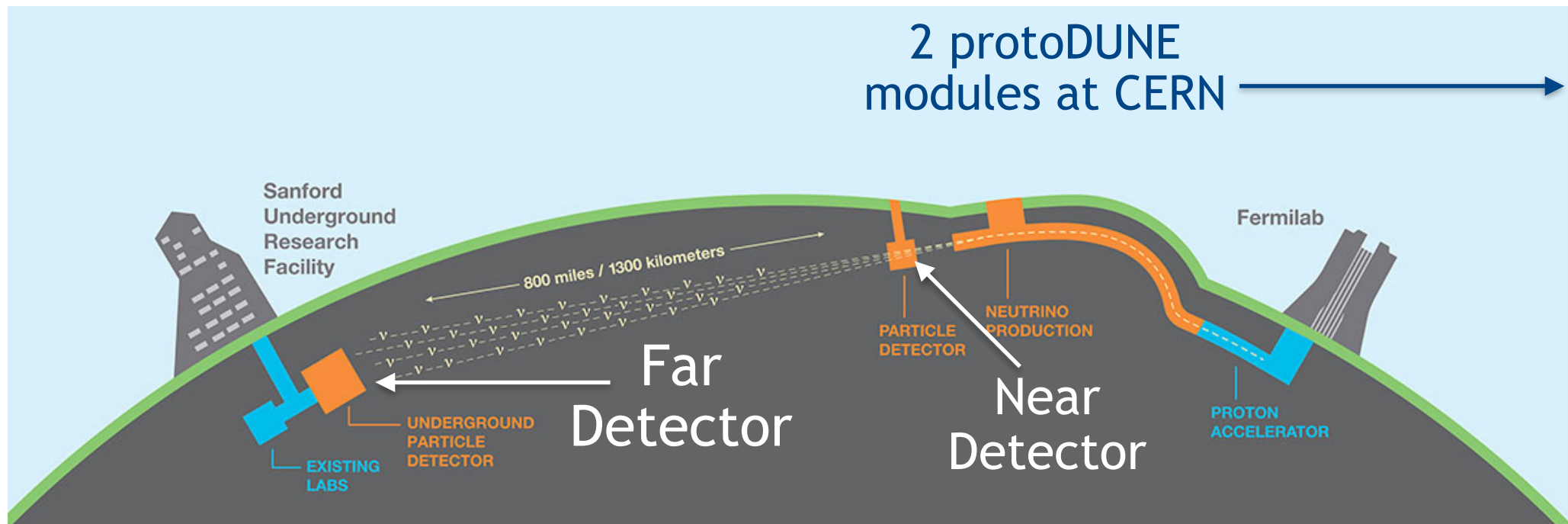


Overview

- What is DUNE
- Physics goals and implications
- Computing requirements
- Computing software
- Physics software
- **UK involvement highlighted in red**

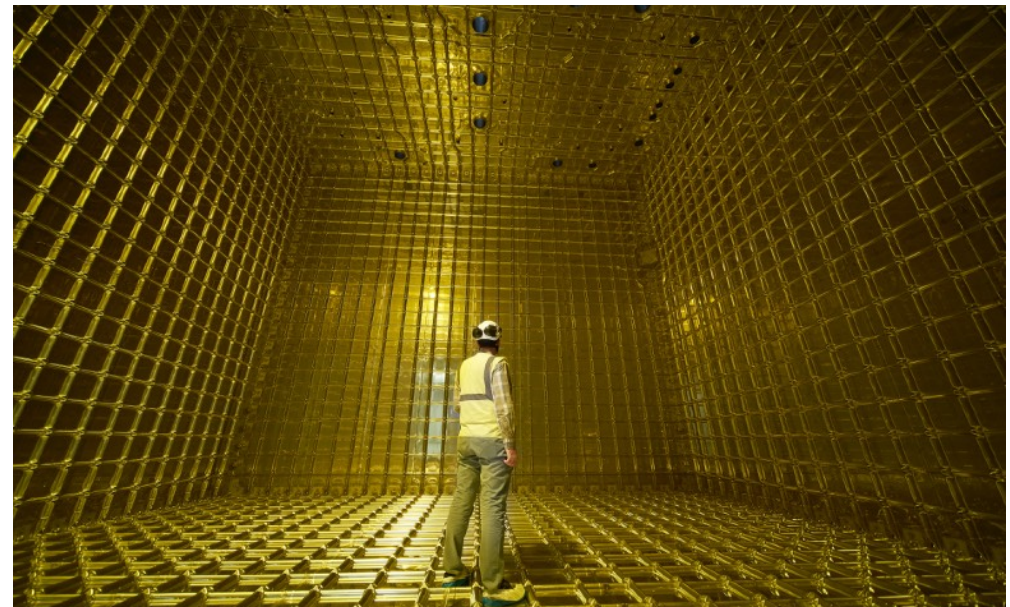
DUNE recap

- “Make neutrinos at FNAL then detect some of them in South Dakota (and maybe supernovae and proton decays)”
- Really 4 detectors: 2 protoDUNEs (now); Near and Far Detectors (mid 2020s onwards)



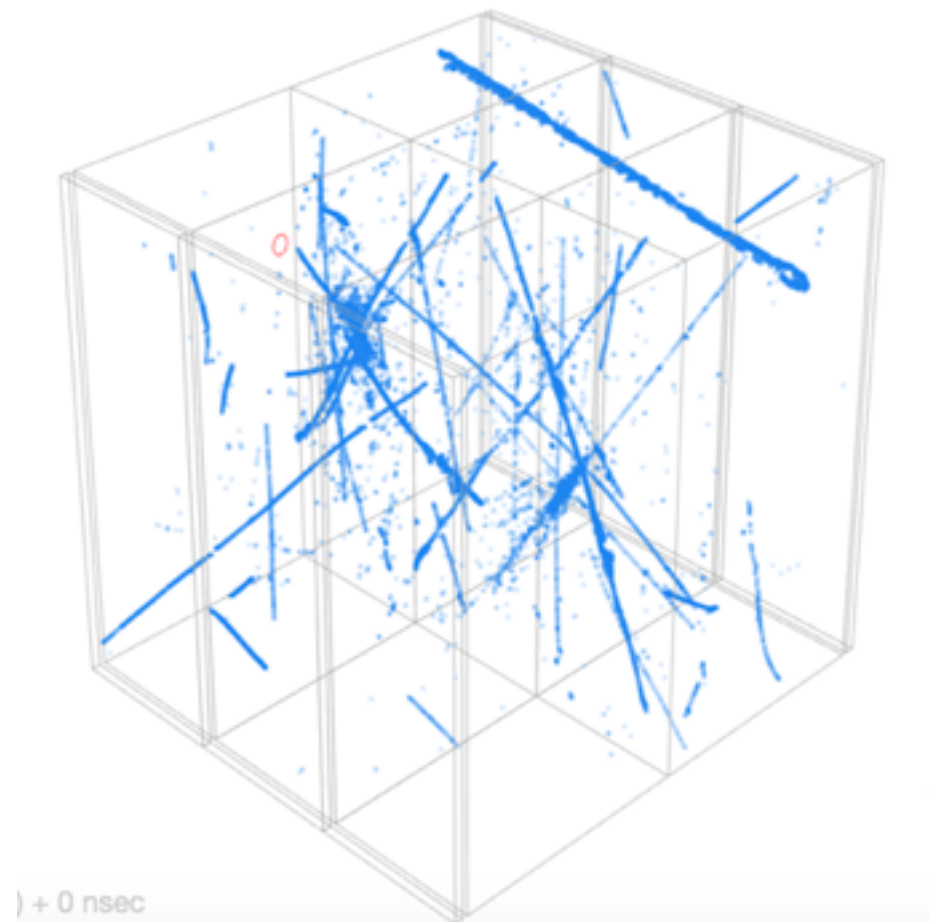
protoDUNEs, Far Detector and Near Detectors

- The eventual Far Detector will comprise four modules, each ~17000 tons of liquid argon
 - 1st: single phase, horizontal time projection chambers
 - Other technologies considered for 2 - 4
 - Expect ~30 PB/year in total from Far Detectors
- Two protoDUNE modules at CERN are being used to test full size components
 - pD I was single + dual phase
 - pD II will be horz + vert drift
- But much smaller than an FD module: only 800 tons of LAr



protoDUNE events

- The TPCs are continually sensitive, with triggering deciding what snapshots to record
- Quite like photographing a diffusion cloud chamber!
- The picture shows a protoDUNE SP beam event causing a cascade but lots of cosmic background tracks
- More like 3D images than hits in multiple sub detectors





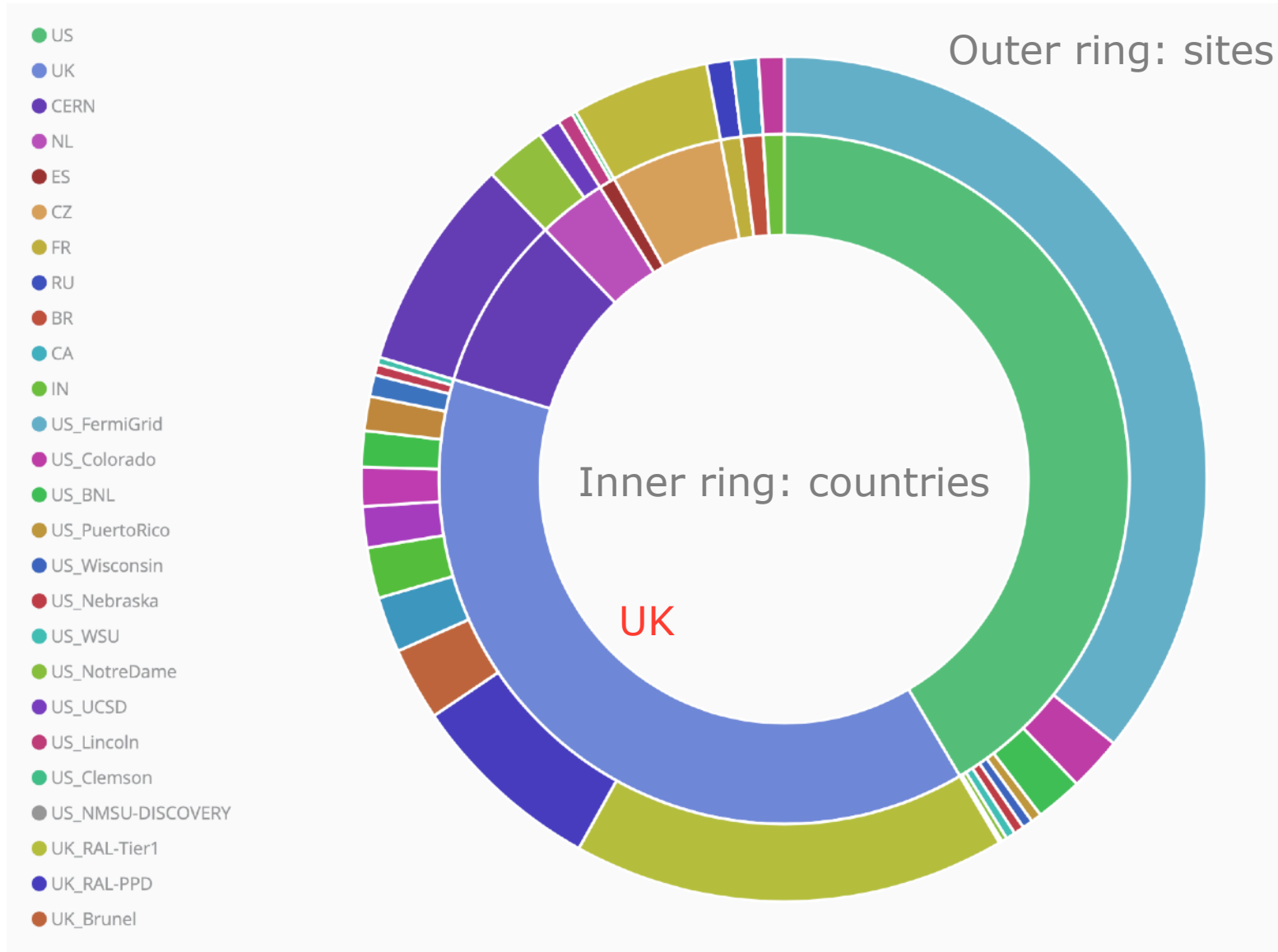
Physics goals

- Use the long baseline to observe neutrino mixing
 - Muon neutrinos at FNAL and ND
 - Electron (and tau) neutrinos can be observed at FD
 - Observe neutrino CP violation, determine neutrino mass hierarchy, and measure PMNS matrix elements
- Large neutrino detection volumes will also be sensitive to supernova neutrinos
 - If a supernova happens close enough, but then these very large (100 TB) events need to be processed quickly
- Large liquid argon volume is also sensitive to proton decay
 - If such a thing were to happen frequently enough ...

Computing requirements

- Processing, simulation, and analysis all map reasonably well onto existing and planned WLCG grid resources
 - High Throughput capacity with good access to local bulk storage
 - **As provided by GridPP+IRIS in the UK**
 - **This is what we really need from partners like the UK**
- DUNE is also using HPC resources, including NERSC
 - We're not requesting HPC resources outside the US but could make use of them
- We're still focussed on conventional x86_64 CPUs but may be requesting GPUs too in the future

Non-HPC computing for DUNE, last 90 days



Computing software

- DUNE draws heavily on the FNAL heritage and FNAL neutrino experiments in particular
- Replacing SAM with RUCIO replica management and a data management system being developed (UK involved)
- Using FNAL's HEPCloud to manage provisioning at HPC sites and on commercial cloud resources
- Continuing to use GlideInWMS/HTCondor for lower level workload management
- Developing a DUNE metadata catalogue (MetaCat)
- Developing a DUNE workflow system to orchestrate data movements for productions and the workload system (UK led)



Physics software

- Grown out of LArSoft heritage of processing data from liquid argon time projection chambers
 - Pandora is used as a module within LArSoft for reconstruction
- **UK involvement includes:**
 - Pandora pattern recognition for DUNE
 - Pandora deep learning
 - Algorithms for the ND and different FD technologies
- (There's also significant **UK involvement** in the DUNE DAQ)



Summary

- DUNE has a series of milestones before the start of data taking with beam in the middle of the decade
 - Thanks to protoDUNEs at CERN we have real data to work with as we develop the computing and software systems
- UK is well represented in
 - Providing computing capacity from GridPP+IRIS
 - Developing the computing systems
 - Developing physics software (and DAQ)
 - Management of many of the areas within DUNE