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DUNE: next-generation long-baseline neutrino experiment



Far Site

- 1300km from the proton source ٠
- very large LAr TPCs (each 17 ktons)
- underground in South Dakota



Near Site

550m from proton source

- on-site at Fermilab
- both stationary & moveable detectors







DUNE: sensitivity & construction schedule



- For best-case oscillation scenarios, DUNE has
 - $>5\sigma$ mass ordering sensitivity in 1 year
 - $>3\sigma$ CPV sensitivity in 3.5 years

- Far site excavation is complete
- Next: Building & Site Infrastructure work until mid-2025
- Cryostat warm structure is on its way to US from CERN to be installed in 2025-26
- Far Detector installation in 2026-27
- Purge and fill with argon in 2028
- Physics in 2028 or early 2029
- Beam physics with Near Detector 2031







DUNE Phase | Far Detector

- Phase 1 will include caverns for 4 detector modules in South Dakota and 2 far
 - FD1: horizontal drift
 - FD2: vertical drift



wire readout



detector modules, each 17 kton of LAr, the largest LAr TPCs ever constructed.

PCB readout





Critical Steps @ BNL

- validate technology and analysis to secure DUNE FD-VD and FD-HD
 - cold electronics (CE)
 - validate with MicroBooNE, SBND, ProtoDUNE
 - low noise system design
 - validate with MicroBooNE. ProtoDUNE
 - effective 3D reconstruction with Wire-Cell
 - validate with MicroBooNE, with further improvements for DUNE
 - demonstrate oscillation analysis
 - validate with MicroBooNE, with improvements in SBN for DUNE



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FD-HD vostat Insulati 2 x 6.5 m vertical drift 3 m x 3 4 m CRP CRP detail with readout planes and adapter boards Perforated readout strips Photon Detecto FD-VD

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rvostat Structur

Ground Plan











Figure 1.3: Perspective view of the FD2-VD detector.



BNL deliverables

FD-VD: Vertical Drift



- Major BNL deliverables

 - FD-HD: cold electronics, high voltage



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- FD-VD: bottom charge readout plane, bottom drift electronics, high voltage







Cold Electronics



- - BNL is leading TPC readout electronics/system desing



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CE is a key technology for large LArTPCs, with its very low noise and minimal cryostat penetration

"The cold electronics that it remains an optimal solution for very large TPC": Velkjo Radeka et al.







- FD1: 150 APAs, 384,000 channels
- FD2: 80 bottom drift CRPs, 245,760 channels
- testing ASIC chips & FEMB in systematic, rigorous, and precise way is important



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FEMB with **three** cryogenic-qualified ASICs (LArASIC, ColdADC, COLDATA) well addresses the long lifetime (30 years) and reliability requirements of DUNE far detector.

	FD1	FD2
anode unit	150 APA	80 CRP
Electrodes (charge readout)	384,000	245,760
LArASIC	24,000	15,360
ColdADC	24,000	15,360
COLDATA	6,000	3,840
FEMB Assembly *	3,000	1,920
Cold cable bundles	150	80
Feed-through	75	40
CE flanges	150	80
WIEC crate	150	80
WIB	750	480
РТС	150	80
РТВ	150	80

*: require at least 10% spares





CE testing @ BNL

DUNE CE FEMB QC

- QC activities will be monitored and led by the TPC electronics consortium
- The same hardware setup CTS and the same QC procedure will be distributed to all test sites.
- FEMB QC based on CTS can perform thermal cycle testing (room temperature to liquid nitrogen) for up to 4 FEMBs simultaneously



QC Test Setup Hardware



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DUNE CE ASIC QC

An automatic ASIC cryogenic test stand is being developed to test over 100k chips for DUNE FD1 and FD2-BDE



The RTS comprises:

A commercial robot to pick and place the ASICs from trays to test sockets

Test chambers that support the testing hardware.

Test chambers are also Faraday enclosures.

A cryogenics system that can fill and drain the test chambers.

An aluminum strut framework to hold this all together.

An upper level to the strut framework to provide a safety enclosure with access doors (not shown).

RTS system has two test chambers, only one is shown here.













CE testing @ BNL









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Serial Number Recognition Integration to the Workflow

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Integration test @ BNL

CRP5A: 3.0m x 1.5m, 1536 readout channels (12 FEMBs)







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ProtoDUNE-II: HD & VD

- ProtoDUNE Horizontal Design (HD) and Vertical Design (VD)
 - provide critical validation of technology, detector performance, and long-term stability
 - PD-HD: 4x APA, 10,240 detector electrodes readout by cold electronics submerged in LAr
 - PD-VD: 2x Bottom CRP, 6,144 detector electrodes readout by cold electronics submerged in LAr

 - PD-HD: BNL delivered a full set of high-quality cold electronics
 - PD-VD: A CRP2b integration test and CE production at BNL



ProtoDUNE HD



• BNL focused on Cold Electronics R&D (both electrical and mechanical), production, installation and commissioning



ProtoDUNE VD





Software & Analysis











Wire-Cell &

- WC is the currently the highest performing in terms of neutrino selection efficiency/purity which are fully validated on data with an endto-end published oscillation and multiple cross section analysis
- "prototype" was developed on MicroBooNE, and generalized "toolkit" is in the development for DUNE
- BNL is leveraging advanced software/ computational/analysis expertise, developing full reconstruction tool for physics analysis



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Channels	Reconstruction	Purity	Efficiency	Selected Events	Refere
CCQE 1e1p	Deep Learning	75%	6.6%	25	PRD 105
1e0p0π	Pandora	43%	9%	34	PRD 105
1eNp0π	Pandora	80%	15%	64	PRD 105
Inclusive 1eX	Wire-Cell	82%	46%	606	PRD 105



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Wire-Cell-Prototype (WCP)







Wire-Cell is a collection of software tools for LArTPC that processes from signal processing to event reconstruction and physics analysis, made a huge success in MicroBooNE

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Noise filtering & Signal processing (WCP example)





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2D field response taking into account long range induction effect up to ±10 wires



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Wire-Cell-Toolkit (WCT)



LArTPC experiments such as SBND, ICARUS, ProtoDUNEs, and DUNE



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currently making progress in "porting" the WCP into more generic WCT for other



Noise filtering & Signal processing (WCT example)

- upstream part of WC is implemented/used in SBN and PD
- porting work of downstream part of WC is being carried out as we speak
- further improvements with AI/ML tools are developing



Software: Wire-Cell status & plan

- upstream part of WC is already implemented/used in SBN and PD
- porting work is being carried out as we speak
- improvements with AI/ML tools are developing

- BNL is leading noise filtering, signal processing and detector simulation for ProtoDUNE/DUNE with Wire-Cell
- with WCT available, BNL aims to actively engaged in oscillation analysis, cross section measurements, low energy physics
 - ProtoDUNE and SBN experiments are providing valuable testing ground

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Longer Wire-Cell historical timeline

- 2015-03-15 First commit to BNLIF/wire-cell starting what will be known as the prototype. 0
- 2015-07-06 Wire-Cell toolkit starts new GitHub org/repo WireCell/wire-cell-toolkit. ۰
- 2015-10-08 The wire-cell command line program starts. ۰
- 2015-10-14 First JsonCPP for configuration objects. ۰
- 2015-11-05 WireCell/wire-cell-tbb starts MT data-flow graph engine. 0
- 2015-12-15 Modern INode design started. ۰
- 2016-03-02 WireCell/wire-cell-cfg Jsonnet configuration starts. ۰
- 2016-04-29 WireCell/wire-cell-sigproc starting with noise filtering. ۰
- 2016-12-20 Initial larwirecell module for noise filtering. 0
- 2017-04-09 Introduction of Jsonnet as configuration langauge. 0
- 2017-06-27 Actual OmnibusSigProc signal processing starts. 0
- 2017-06-28 wire-cell CLI factored out to WireCell::Main for 0
- 2017-07-05 Modern larwirecel integration design. 0
- 2018-03-05 WireCell/wire-cell-pgraph starts ST, low mem DFP graph engine ۰
- 2018-09-20 WireCell/wire-cell-gen gets today's 2D signal simulation. ۲
- 2018-10-15 The streaming Drifter in gen. ۰
- 2019-01-07 WireCell/wire-cell-img starts with "time slicing". 0
- 2019-01-25 The "ray grid" 3D "tiling" method invented, added to img. ۰
- 2019-02-11 Add ProtoDUNE-SP support to noise filtering. ۰
- 2019-08-23 Join submodules into monorepo at WireCell/wire-cell-toolkit. ۰
- 2019-11-15 wire-cell-toolkit/pytorch starts with DNNROL ۰
- 2020-02-28 wire-cell-toolkit/zio subpackage starts. ۰
- 2022-03-10 start of post-tiling imaging porting from prototype. ۰
- 2022-04-26 tar/zip files streams and custom Numpy I/O.
- 2022-09-29 start of imaging sampling to point cloud. •
- 2024-03-19 port of prototype clustering.

CVN for DUNE-VD

- DUNE Convolutional Visual Network developed for DUNE FD-HD for neutrino flavor tagging, establishing TDR sensivity
 - ResNet-based architecture with multiple wire-plane image inputs
- BNL implemented for DUNE FD-VD to validate & optimize detector design

DUNE FD Phase II

- DUNE Phase II will add two extra FD modules
- leading design for FD3 is VD with • enhanced photon detection system: APEX
- this will open a new door for improved GeV physics as well as rarely-explored-MeV physics with light calorimetry
- BNL is actively engaged in APEX design • and development
- exploring R&D opportunities to optimize wavelength shifter coating for DUNE FD3 photon detection system

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- BNL is driving progress on all fronts of DUNE
 - installation and commissioning FD-VD and FD-HD at SURF
 - production WC testing and final validation at CERN

- advancing Wire-Cell and LArTPC reconstruction and computation tools

DUNE Phase | & ||

DUNE construction: Phase II

- Two additional FD modules
- Beamline upgrade to >2MW (ACE-MIRT)
- More capable Near Detector (ND-GAr)

P5 report endorses FD3, ACE-MIRT, and MCND in the next decade, and R&D toward FD4

Recommendation 2: Construct a portfolio of major projects that collectively study nearly all fundamental constituents of our universe and their interactions, as well as how those interactions determine both the cosmic past and future.

b. A re-envisioned second phase of DUNE with an early implementation of an enhanced 2.1 MW beam—ACE-MIRT—a third far detector, and an upgraded near-detector complex as the definitive long-baseline neutrino oscillation experiment of its kind

Recommendation 4: Invest in a comprehensive initiative to develop the resources—theoretical, computational, and technological—essential to realizing our 20-year strategic vision. This includes an aggressive R&D program that, while

e. Conduct R&D efforts to define and enable new projects in the next decade, including detectors for an e^+e^- Higgs factory and 10 TeV pCM collider, Spec-S5, DUNE FD4, Mu2e-II, Advanced Muon Facility, and line intensity mapping

Phase II FD: additional mass + opportunities to expand physics reach

Prototype for possible FD4 readout (SoLAr)

- Vertical Drift module is the baseline design for Phase II FD modules
- Pursuing low-hanging improvements to light collection for FD3, including Aluminum Profiles with Embedded X-ARAPUCA, essentially integrating light detectors into field cage
- FD4 is the "Module of Opportunity", and more ambitious designs are being considered, including pixel readout, integrated charge-light readout, low background modules, and non-LAr technologies

Cryogenic Front End MotherBoard (FEMB)

Each FEMB contains 3 ASICs:

- 8 LArASIC amplifier/shapers
- 8 ColdADC "2 MHz" ADCs
- 2 COLDATA data concentrator and controllers
- TPC ionization charge signal amplification, shaping, digitization, transmission.

- Key specifications:
 - Low noise (<1000 e-)
 - High dynamic range (>500ke-)
 - ~2 MHz sampling frequency
 - At least 12 ADC bits •

DUNE TPC detector Electronics + system Integration by BNL

(includes ARM cores; can run Linux

