

#### **Nuclear Physics at NSF**

- Research and Education
  - 200+ faculty
  - 80+ postdocs
  - 200+ graduate students
  - 150+ undergraduates
- University facilities
  - MSU NSCL
  - Tandem/LINAC laboratories
    - FSU
    - Notre Dame
- User group program: DOE/OS/NP is critical partner



# **Highlights Overview**

- production of <sup>40</sup>Mg at NSCL
- completion & fill, 50-day run at Borexino
- muon lifetime measurement at PSI
- BONUS detector for neutron structure at JLAB
- parity/binding systematics in few-body systems
- neutrino flavor oscillations and supernovae
- 10th CEU at DNP





### **Nuclear Physics FY2008**

- NSCL operations: flat (not +\$1M)
- Nuclear Theory and Experiment: down 5%
  - "class of 2005"
  - Out-year adjustments made to move some impact to FY2009 and FY2010



#### **Nuclear Physics FY2009**

- NSCL operations: try to restore trajectory toward optimal operations
- Nuclear Theory and Experiment: impact from FY2008, and/or move forward
- Move forward with DOE on partnered funding plan for neutron EDM



### **Special Programs**

- Physics Division (target date passed):
  - DUSEL R&D
  - Physics at the Information Frontier
  - Frontiers Centers (review process)
- Cyber-Enabled Discovery and Innovation (deadline passed)
  - Some NP participation in proposals and panels
- Major Research Instrumentation (deadline passed)
  - Cost sharing 30%
  - Maximum request \$4M
- Domestic Nuclear Detection (April 11)



## **People**

- NSF Director: Arden Bement
- NSF Deputy Director: Kathie Olsen
- MPS Assistant Director: T. Chan
- Physics Division Director: Joe Dehmer
- Nuclear Physics:
  - BDK (expt and theory)
  - Ani Aprahamian (and astro, underground lab)
    - Through summer 2008