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**Precision Results on  $\theta_{13}$  from Daya Bay** JIM NAPOLITANO, Temple University, DAYA BAY COLLABORATION — The Daya Bay Reactor Neutrino Experiment measures the neutrino mixing angle  $\theta_{13}$  with high sensitivity, using functionally identical detectors at appropriate distances from the cores of a nuclear power plant. We have analyzed 217 days of data with six detectors, and 404 days with the full complement of eight detectors, obtaining a sample of over two million  $\bar{\nu}_e p \rightarrow e^+ n$  events. Combining rate and spectral shape information, we find  $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.084 \pm 0.005$  and  $\Delta m_{ee}^2 = \left(2.44_{-0.11}^{+0.10}\right) \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}^2$  for events where the neutron captures on gadolinium. Also, using the six detector data set and a rate analysis based on  $np$  capture, we find  $\sin^2 2\theta_{13} = 0.083 \pm 0.018$ . We will present details of these results, including a discussion of backgrounds and systematic uncertainties.

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