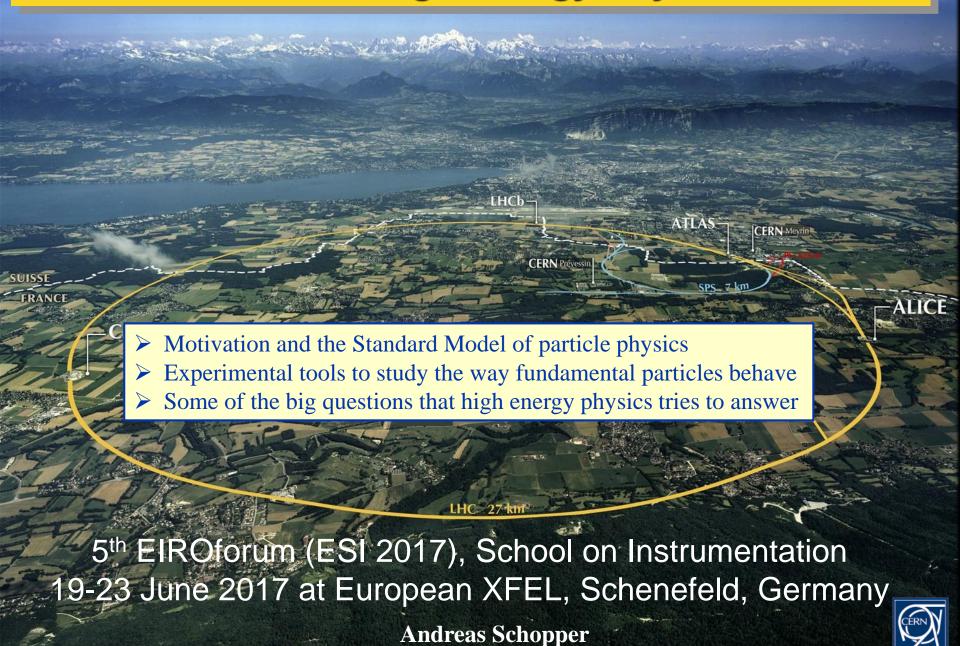
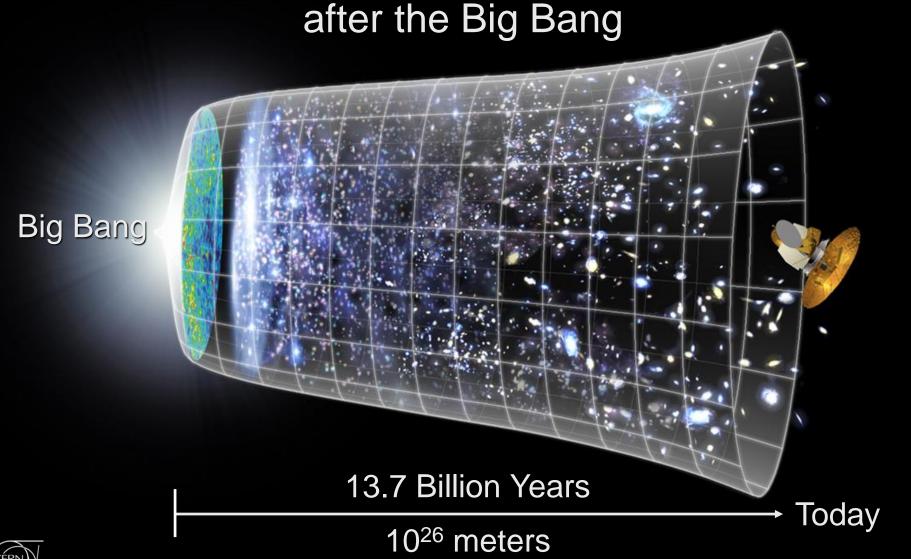
An introduction to High Energy Physics at CERN



Contribute to the Scientific Challenge to understand the very first moments of our Universe





Since the Big Bang, the primordial universe has gone through a number of stages, during which particles, and then atoms and light gradually emerged, followed by the formation of stars and galaxies.

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This is the story as told by the "standard model" theory used today.

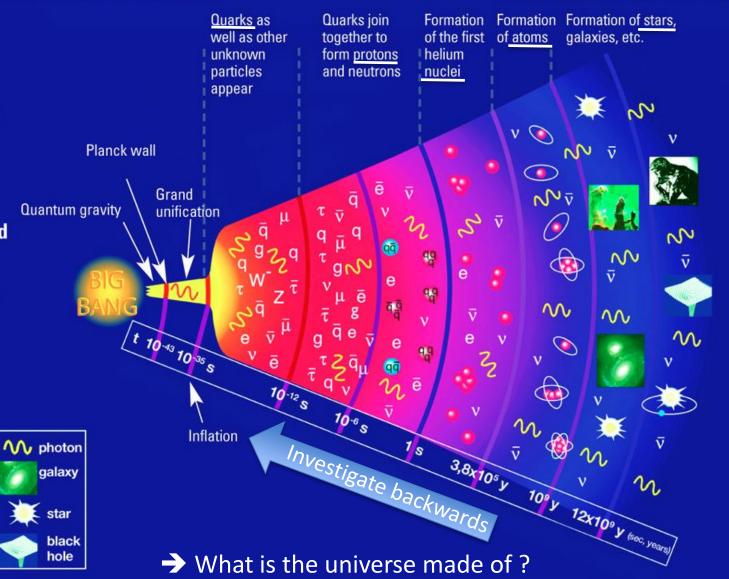
W. Z bosons

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atom

baryons



Captions

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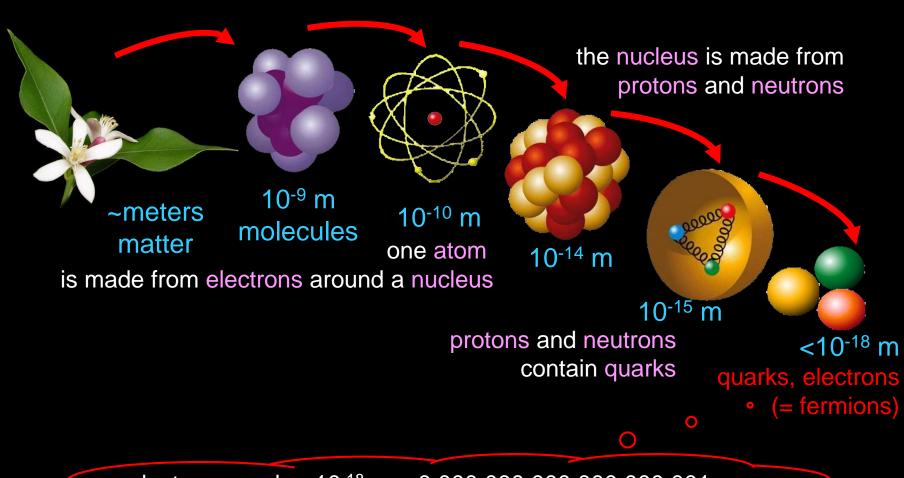
q gluon

e electron

V neutrino

μ muon τ tau

What is matter made from?

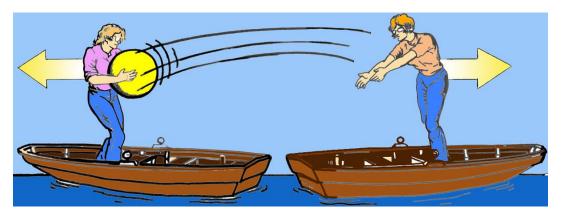


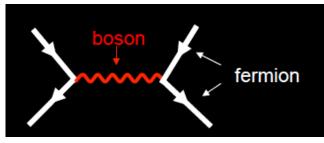
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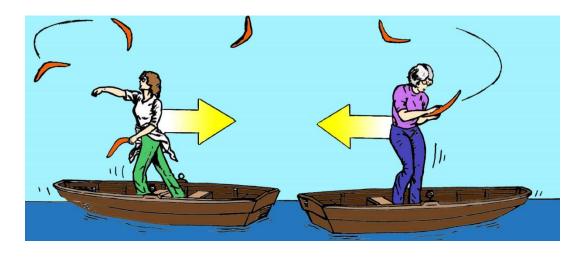
The Fundamental Forces

Forces between **fermions** (spin ½) are mediated by **bosons** (spin 1)



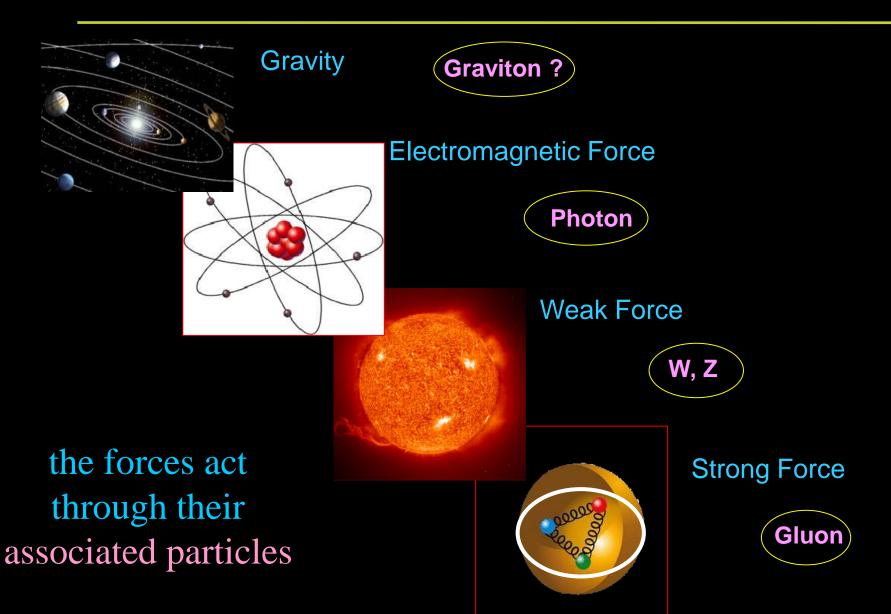


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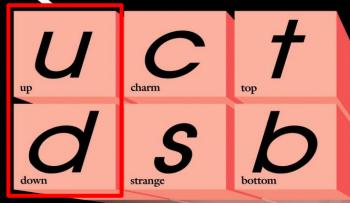


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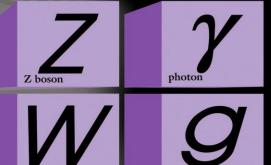


The Standard Model of Particle Physics Quarks



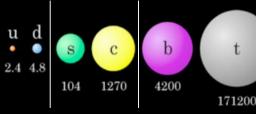


Forces

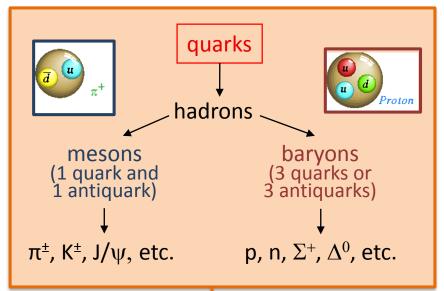


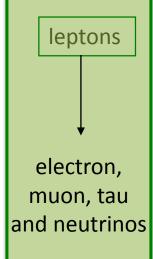
...and its anti-particles!

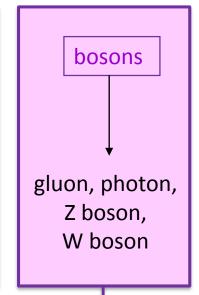


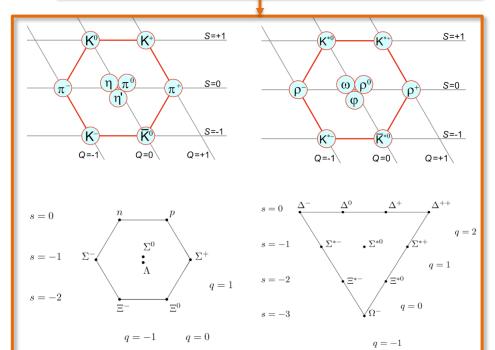


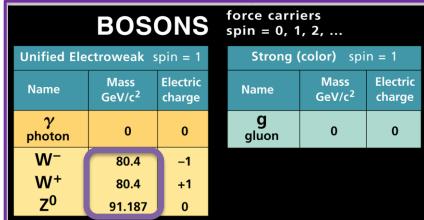
Building the "zoo" of elementary particles







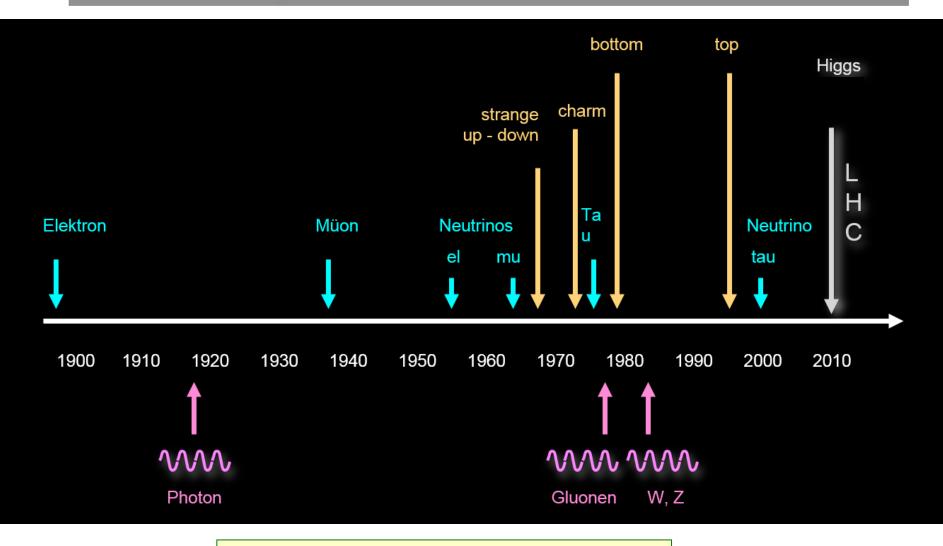




Massive bosons require a new potential in the Standard Model!



Discovery of Standard Model constituents

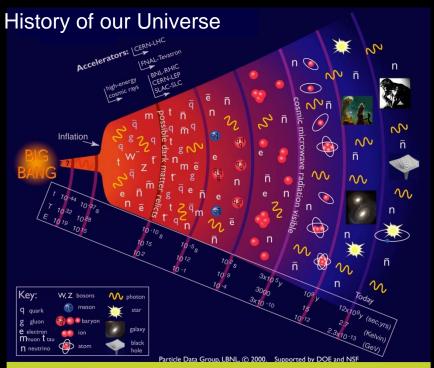


- → The Standard Model is complete!
- → But have we understood everything?

More Questions



The same amount of matter & antimatter was created



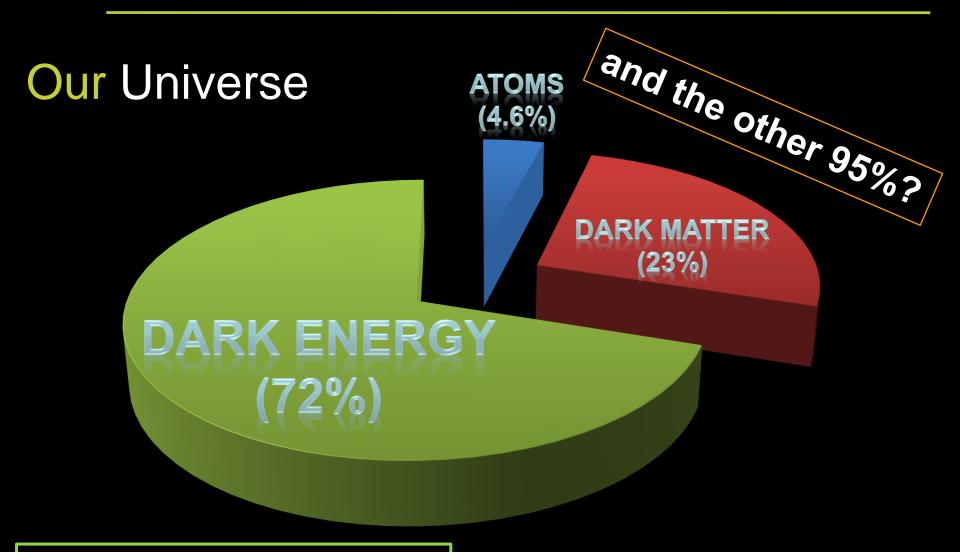






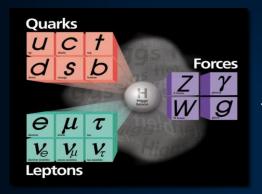
Only matter (us) survives

More Questions



Leaving this stuff for the cosmologists

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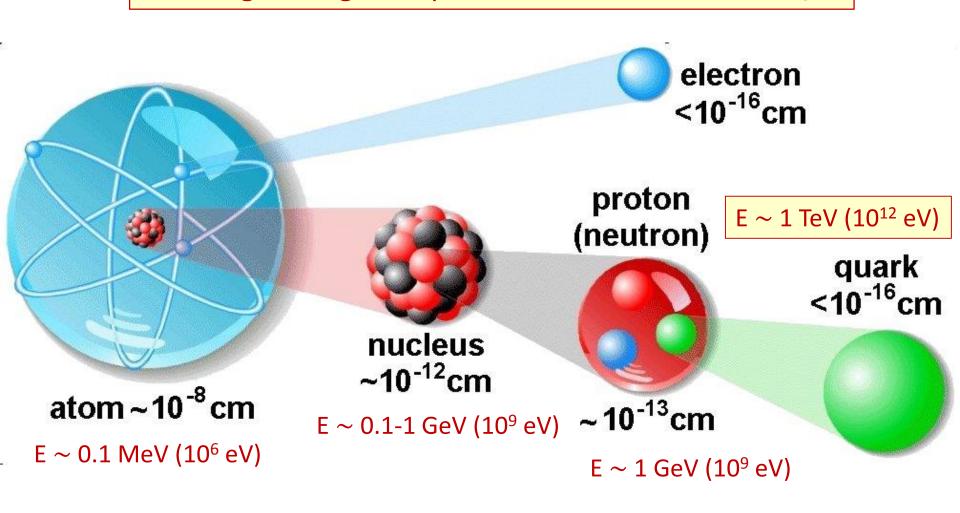
How do we explore such small scales?



- ➤ All visible macroscopic objects of our universe consist of only 3 fundamental particles → up-quark, down-quark & electron!
- How can we study these and the other heavier quarks, leptons & bosons?

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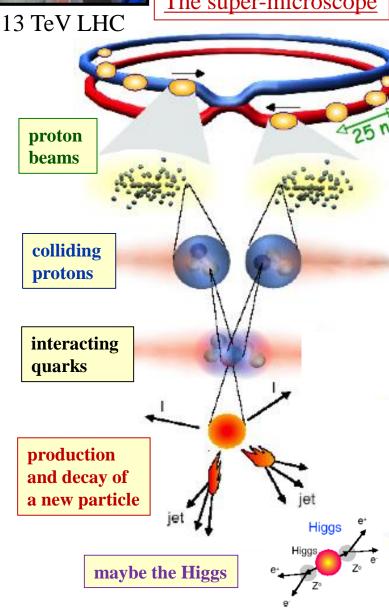
Need high energies to probe small distances: $E = hc/\lambda$



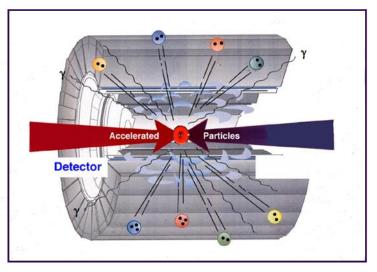


How do we explore such small scales?

The super-microscope



- > we accelerate two beams of particles (e.g. protons) close to the speed of light and make them collide
- the colliding protons "break" into their fundamental constituents (i.e. quarks)
- these constituents interact at high energy
- (new) heavy particles can be produced in the collision (E=mc²). The higher the accelerator energy, the heavier the produced particles can be. These particles then decay into lighter (known) particles: electrons, photons, etc.



collision products detected by high-tech detectors surrounding the collision point

Requirements to such a super-microscope

- ✓ create (new) massive particles \rightarrow high colliding energy (E=mc²)
- \checkmark detect rare particle decays \rightarrow high intensity beams and fast-readout detectors
- ✓ distinguish (new) rare particle decays from (known) abundant particle decays
 - → very performant detectors with excellent particle identification

You are looking for this particular particle physicist!

Needs VERY high

- ✓ precision
- ✓ statistics
- ✓ selectivity
- ✓ background suppression



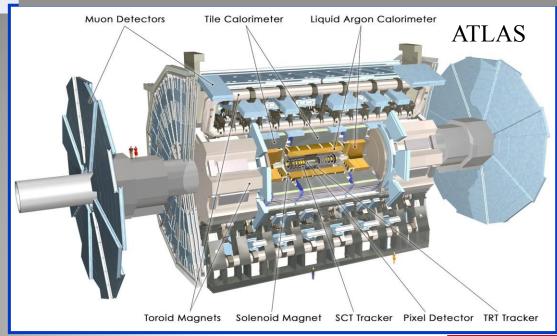
Note:

- \triangleright the world population is ~7.5·10⁹
- \triangleright typical very rare decay $B(B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu) = (3.65 \pm 0.23) \times 10^{-9}$

Enter a New Era in Fundamental Science



General Purpose Detectors (GPD): The Higgs Hunters

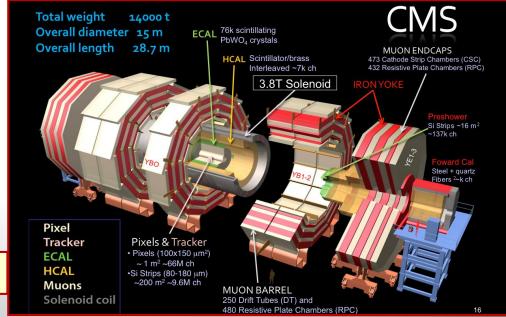


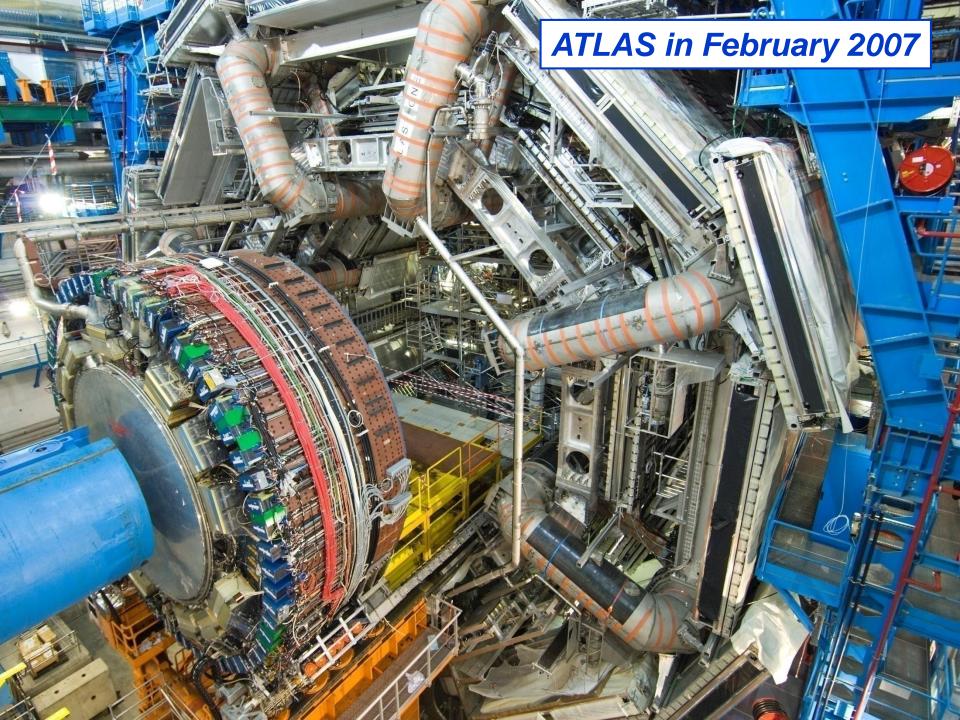
The ATLAS experiment

These experiments use different technologies for their detector components

| CMS | ATLAS |
|----------|---------|
| 14 ktons | 7 ktons |
| B=3.8 T | B=2 T |
| 15x29 m | 22x45 m |

The CMS experiment



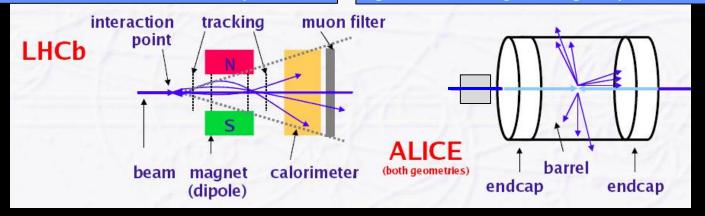


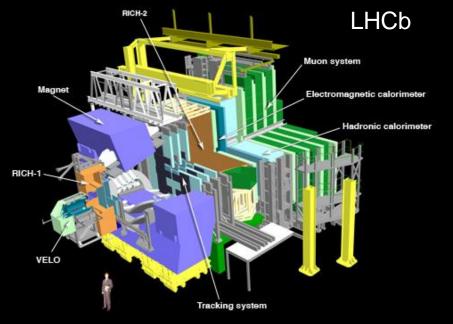


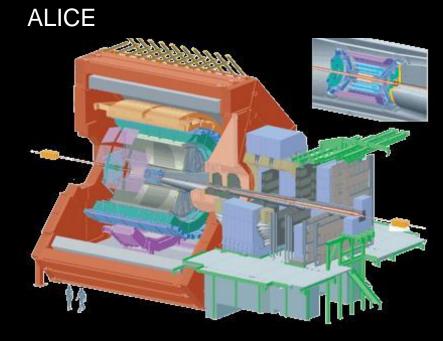
Specialized Detectors: Flavour Physics and Heavy Ions

Forward geometry with special particle identification to detect B meson decays

 4π geometry with some forward detectors optimised for high multiplicity Pb-Pb collisions

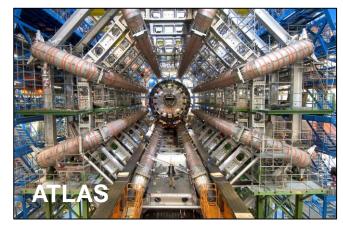


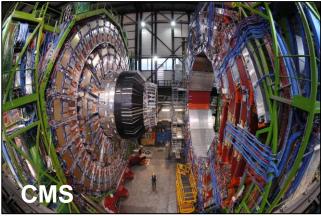


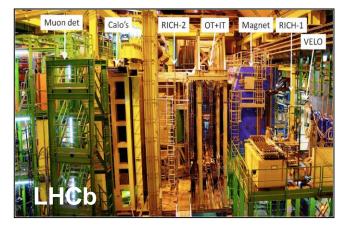


Detector Optimization

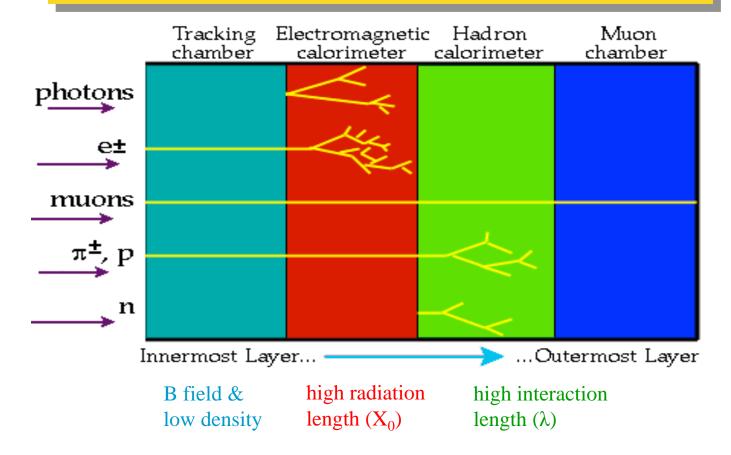
- Which kind of "particle" we have to detect?
- ➤ Which "property" of the particle we have to know?
 - **✓** position
 - √ charge
 - ✓ energy or momentum
 - ✓ mass
 - ✓ lifetime
- ➤ What is the required resolution?
- ➤ What is the required dimension of the detector?
- ➤ What is the maximum count rate?
- **>** ...



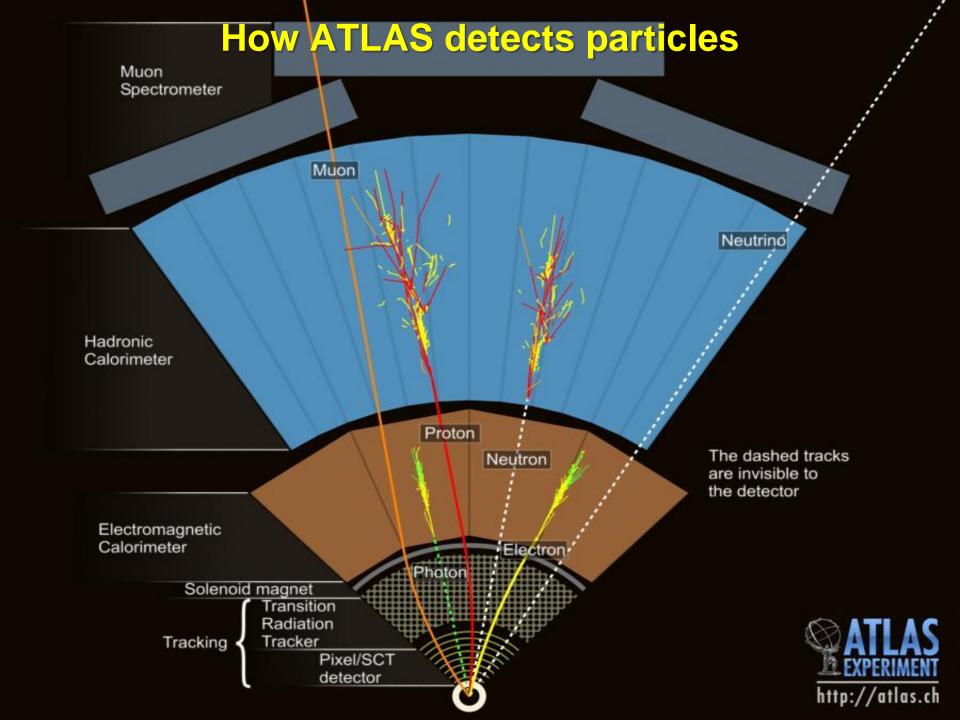




Particle detection and identification



- > charged particles leave **tracks** due to ionization
- > electrons and photons create an **electromagnetic showers** in dense material
- charged and neutral hadrons create hadronic showers in dense material
- > neutrinos interact only weakly and therefore do not leave any signature

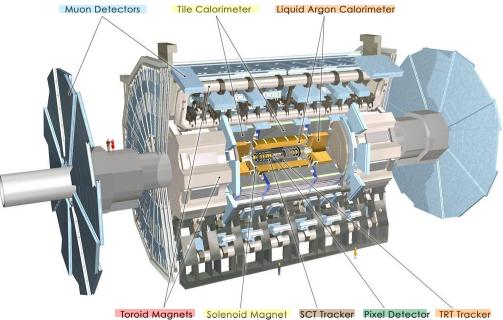








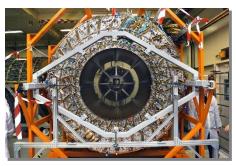




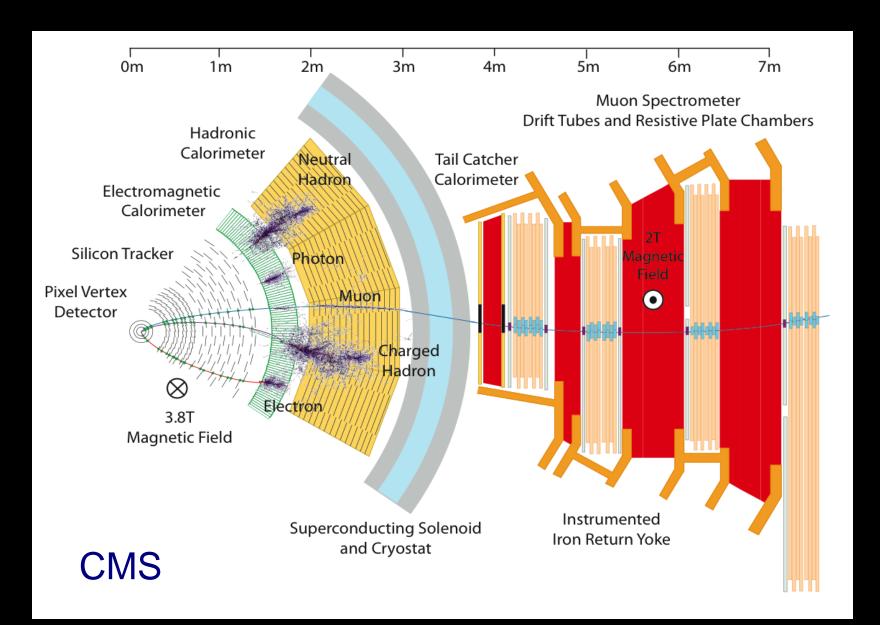


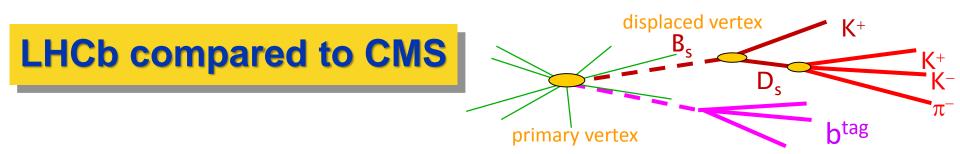






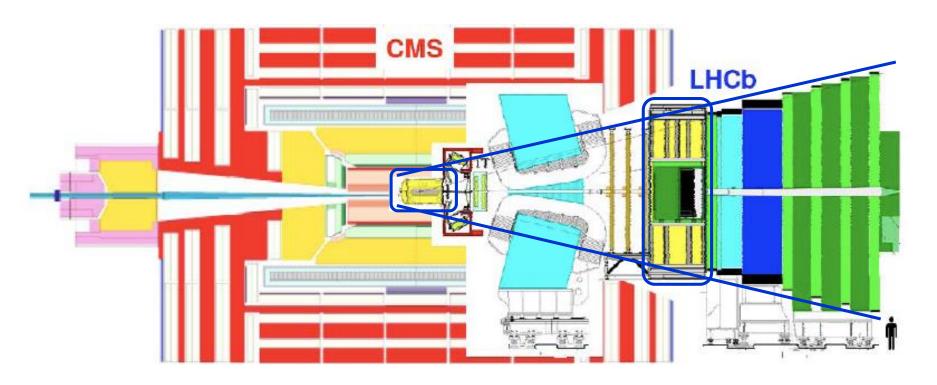
How CMS detects particles

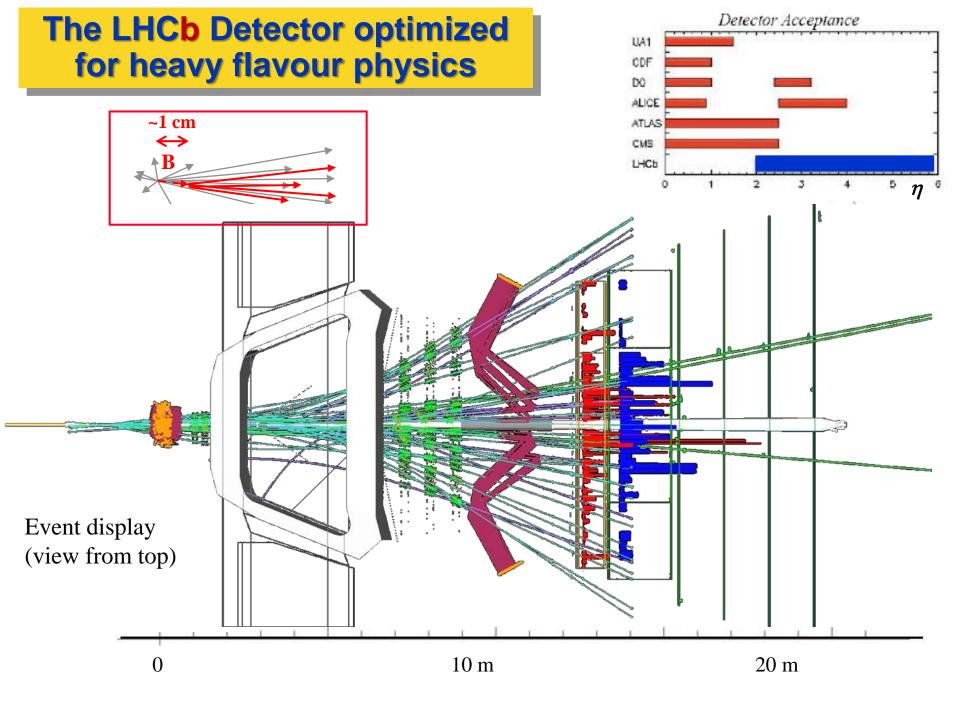




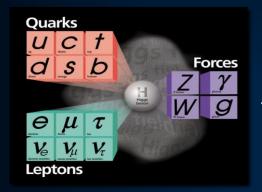
LHCb is specialized to detect mesons containing a b-quark

- \triangleright B-mesons are produced in the forward region \rightarrow forward geometry
- \triangleright B-mesons decay after ~1cm in the detector \rightarrow vertex reconstruction, particle identification





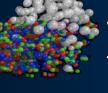
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log-scale!

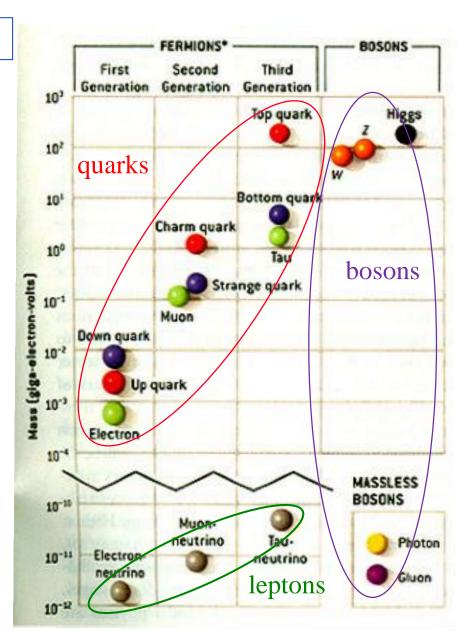
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100 GeV

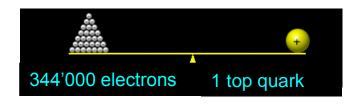
1 GeV

1 MeV

0.01 eV



- ✓ photon is massless (pure energy)
- ✓ W and Z bosons have 100 times the proton mass
- ✓ top quark is the heaviest elementary particle observed
- ✓ mass of top quark ≈ mass of gold atom and ~350'000 times larger than electron mass



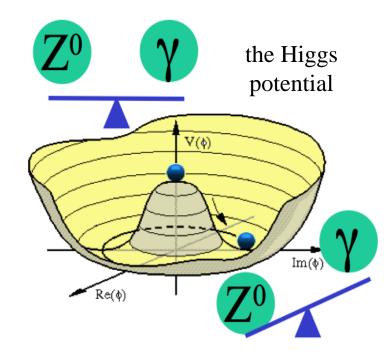


Proposed explanation (by Brout, Englert, Higgs et al., 1964)

- ✓ "Brout-Englert-Higgs mechanism (BEH)"→ origin of masses
- ➤ ~ 10⁻¹¹ s after the Big Bang, when **Higgs field** became active, particles acquired masses proportional to the strength of their interactions with this Higgs field

Consequence: existence of a **Higgs boson**

- ✓ the Higgs boson is the quantum of the new postulated field
- this particle has been searched for30 years at accelerators all over the world
- finally discovered at the LHC



> spontaneous symmetry breaking

What is so special about the <u>Higgs field</u>?

- ➤ It fills the entire universe uniformly (since the Big Bang)
- > It provides every particle with its exact mass (also to the newly created ones)



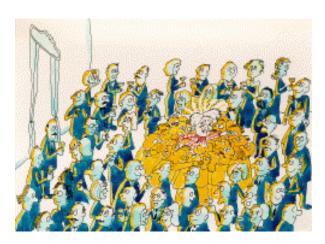
A party takes place ...

The Higgs field ...



... a famous guest wants to cross the room...

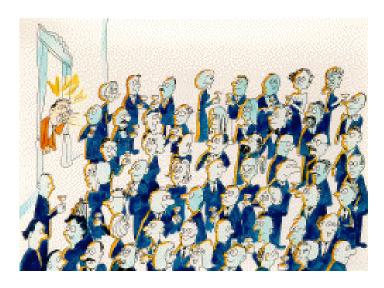
... a new particle is created ...



... he is surrounded by the guests and is slowed-down ...

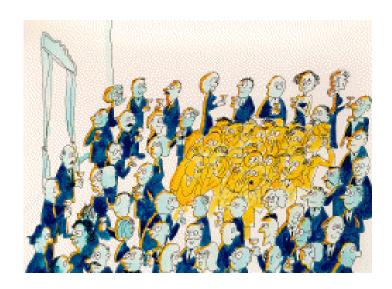
... the Higgs field makes the particle "heavy" ...

The <u>Higgs Boson</u>



A rumour is being spread-out at the party ...

The Higgs field ...



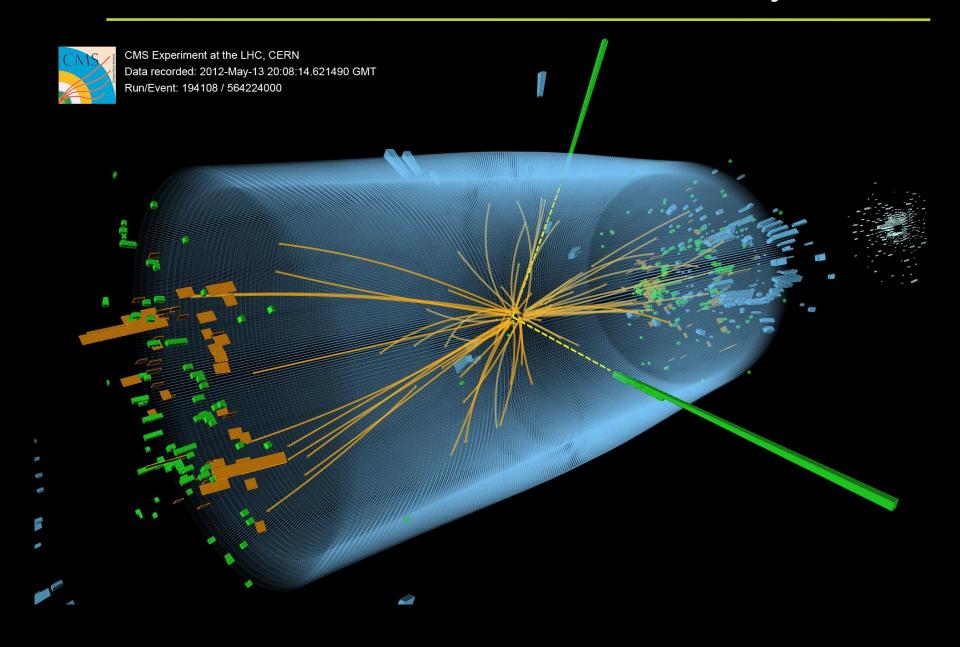
... everybody comes together and whispers about the news...

... generates its first excitation, the Higgs particle!

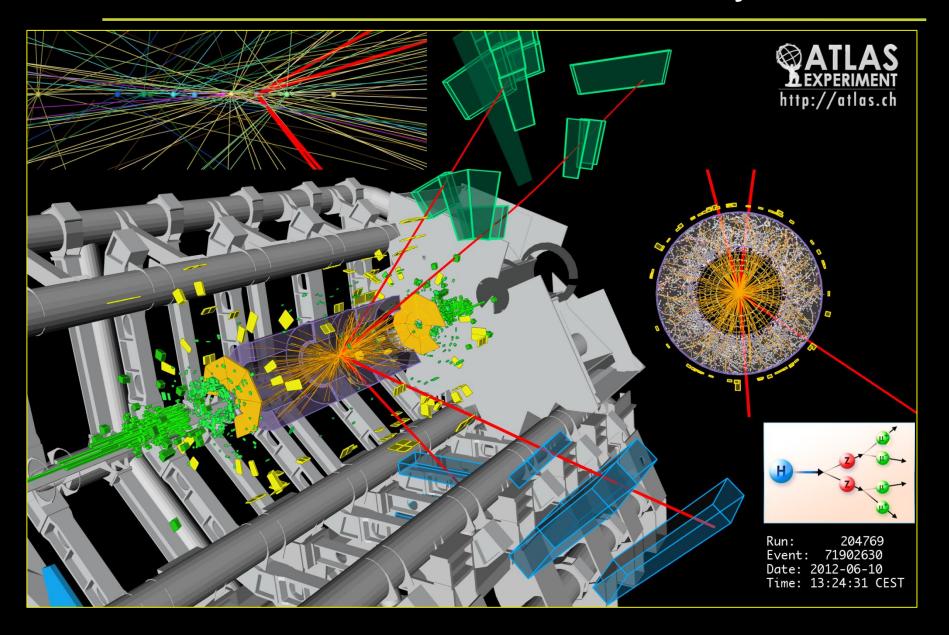
A Possible H → 2 Photon Decay

- \triangleright a Higgs is produced only once in 10^{10} collisions
- > it decays to 2 photons only with 0.2% probability

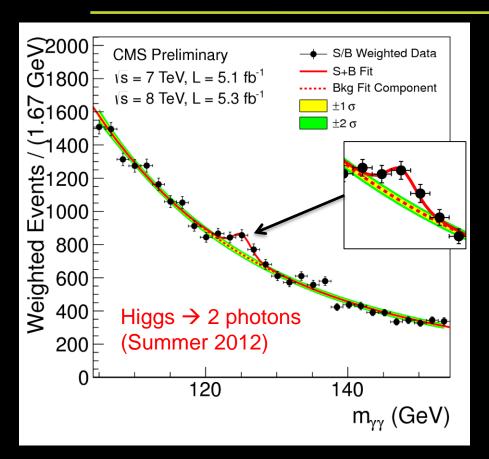
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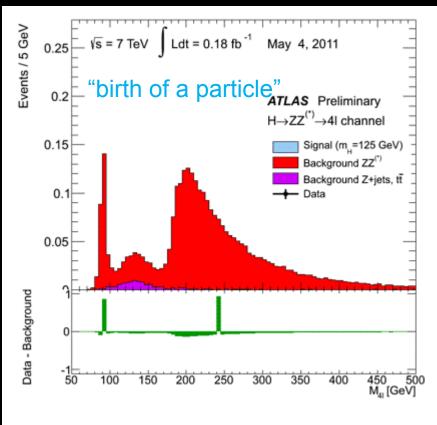


A Possible H → 4 Muon Decay



Identifying the Higgs over Background

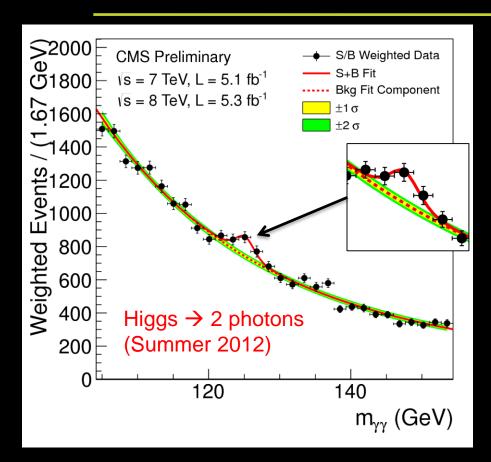


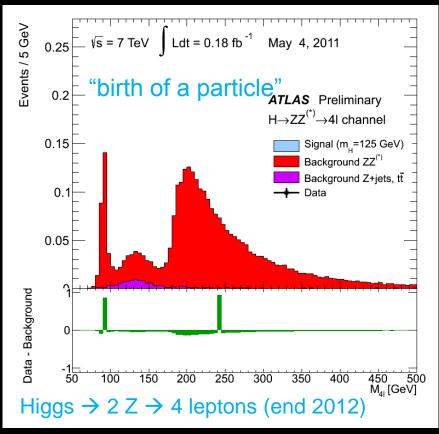


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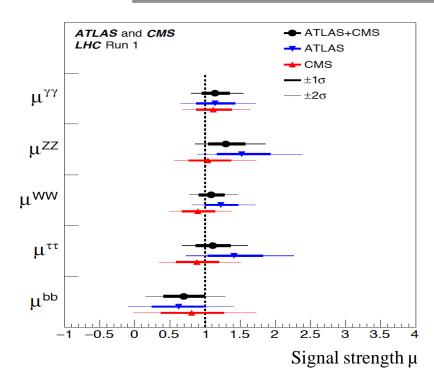


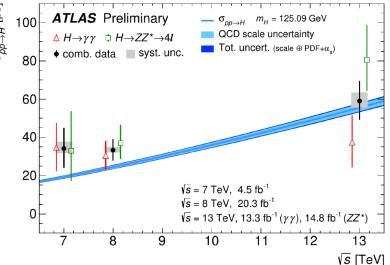


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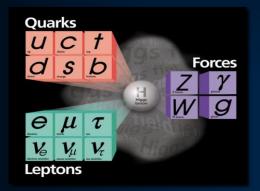
Is this "THE" Standard Model Higgs?





- ✓ **Higgs because:** measured $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow \ell\ell\ell\ell$, $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$, $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow \ell\nu\ell\nu$ and also less sensitive modes like e.g. $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$, etc.
- ✓ Overall significance of production $\sim 10\sigma$
- ✓ We know it's a boson: Because it decays to two photons
- ✓ We know it's neutral
- ✓ We know it has approximately the right level of σ x Br for all channels studied
- ✓ It couples to bosons and to fermions at approximately the right coupling strengths
- ✓ We have tested various spin hypotheses:
 0⁺, 0⁻, 1⁺, 1⁻, 2⁺
 0⁺ is favoured in all pair-wise comparisons
- → it really looks like "THE" SM Higgs!

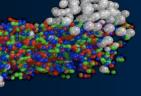
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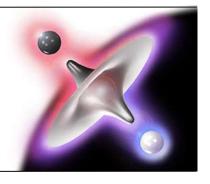
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Antimatter - Matter Asymmetry



In the beginning matter and anti-matter were created in equal parts



but the universe is made of *matter*!



No evidence for the original, "primordial" cosmic antimatter:

- absence of anti-nuclei amongst cosmic rays in our galaxy
- absence of intense γ-ray emission due to annihilation of distant galaxies in collision with antimatter

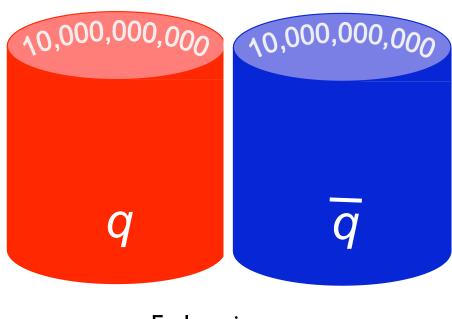


where has the *anti-matter* gone?

Antimatter & the Big Bang

Big Bang:

Create equal amounts of matter & antimatter



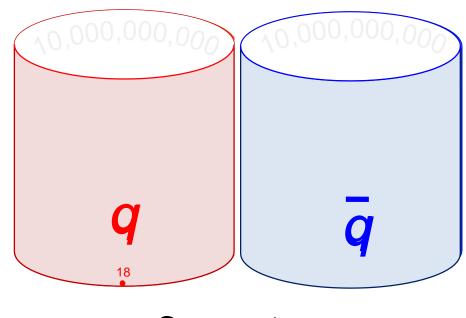
Early universe

Antimatter & the Big Bang

Big Bang:

- Create equal amounts of matter & antimatter
- Somewhere along the way, one (matter) is favored
- Final result:
 a bit of matter and *lots* of photons

$$N_{baryons} / N_{photons} \cong 6 \cdot 10^{-6}$$



Current universe

matter-antimatter asymmetry \rightarrow CP is a broken symmetry !

CP is 'a bit' broken by weak interaction

Discrete symmetries expected to be conserved:

C = charge conjugation symmetry

P = parity (mirror) symmetry

T = time reversal symmetry

CP transforms a particle into its anti-particle (e.g. electron into positron, or proton into anti-proton)

big surprise:

discovery of *CP* violation in 1964 in neutral Kaon decays (Cronin, Fitch Turlay)

Nobel prize 1980:

"This discovery emphasizes, once again, that even almost <u>self evident principles</u> in science cannot be regarded fully valid until they have been <u>critically examined</u> in precise experiments."



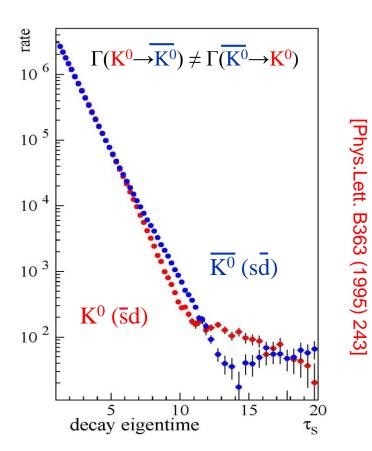
However:

Unfortunately, observed *CP* violation *not sufficient* to explain matter antimatter asymmetry in the universe!

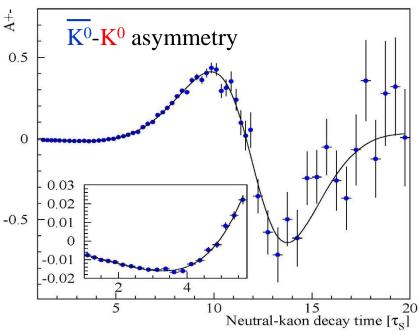
CPLEAR: CP violation in K⁰ → π π

Illustration of CP violation in "mixing" of neutral kaons (1995)

 \triangleright Kaon = meson of sd-quarks







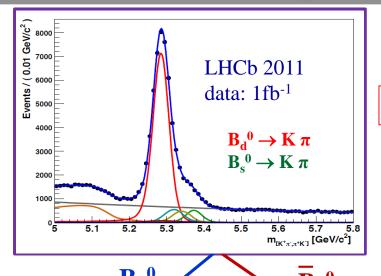
LHCb: CP violation in $B_d^0 \rightarrow K \pi$ decays

Illustration of CP violation in decay of neutral Beauty mesons (2013)

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CPV in decay:

$$A(B^0 \rightarrow f) \neq A(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{f})$$

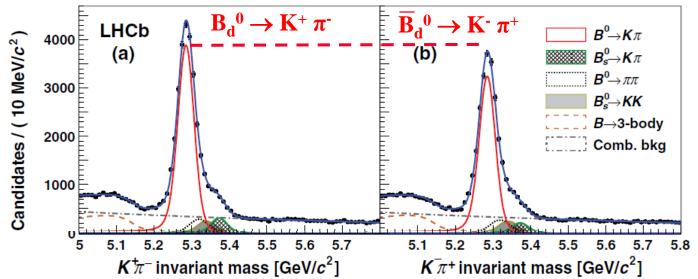


$$A_{CP}(B_d^{\ 0}) = (-8.0 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.3)\%$$

Most precise (10σ)
 measurement of direct
 CPV in B decays



[PRL 110, 221601 (2013)]



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LHCb 2011 data: 1fb⁻¹ $B_d^{0} \to K \pi$ $B_s^{0} \to K \pi$ $B_s^{0} \to K \pi$

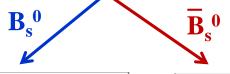
 B_s^0/B_d^0 yield = $(10.7\pm2.0)\%$

$$A_{CP}(B_s^0) = (27 \pm 4 \pm 1)\%$$

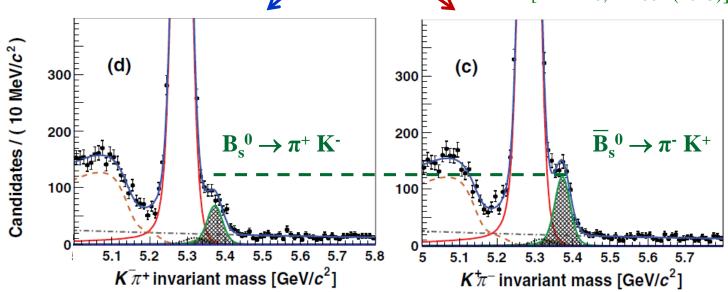
First observation (6σ) of direct CPV in B_s decays

CPV in decay:

$$A(B^0 \rightarrow f) \neq A(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{f})$$



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Test of Matter-Antimatter symmetry (CPT) with hydrogen and anti-hydrogen spectroscopy

General principles of relativistic field theory require invariance under the combined transformation CPT

CPT conservation → identical mass and lifetime of particle & anti-particle

T. Hänsch et al.,

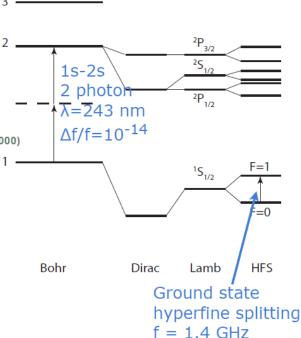
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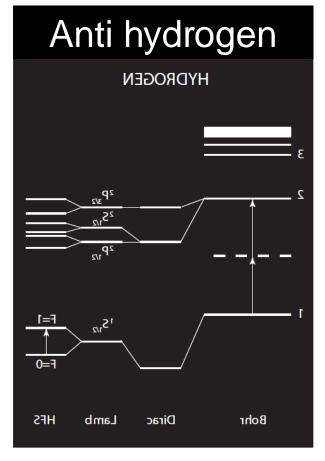
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Hydrogen

HYDROGEN

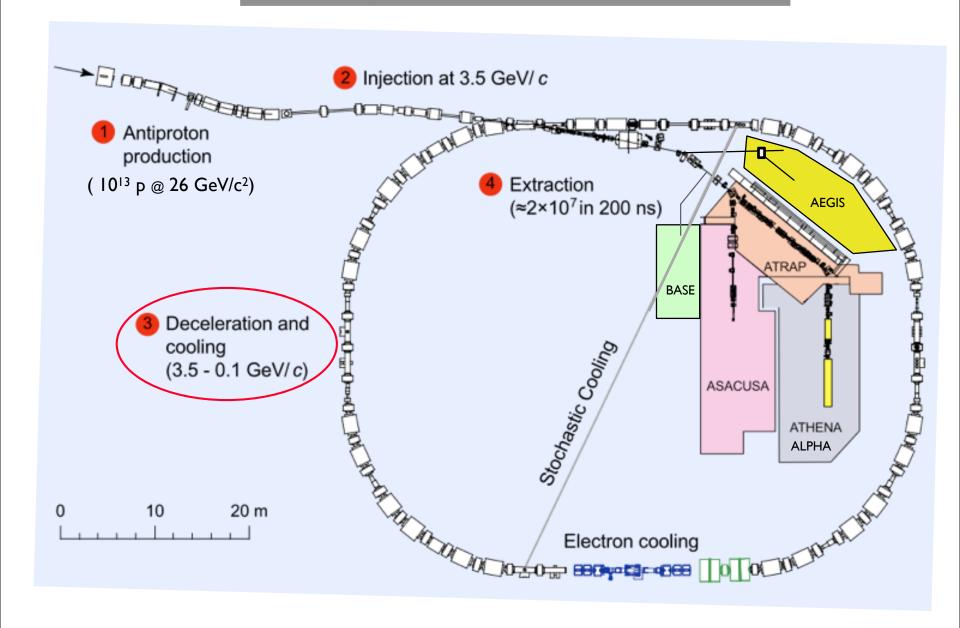




Before being able to do spectroscopy, need to <u>produce</u> and "<u>trap</u>" anti-atoms!

 $\Delta f/f = 10^{-12}$

Antiproton Decelerator



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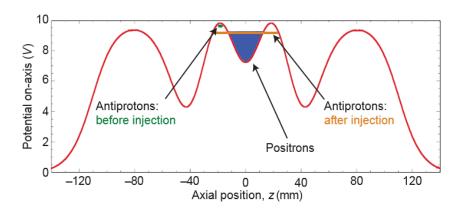
Production of Anti-Hydrogen

advance online publication

Production and detection of cold antihydrogen atoms

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> trap very slow anti-protons and positrons in a "Penning trap" to produce anti-hydrogen



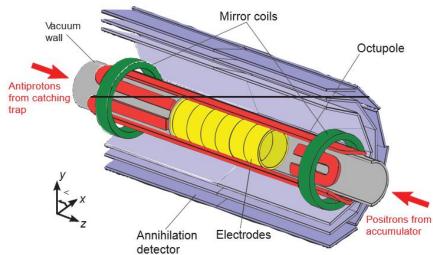
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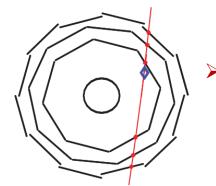
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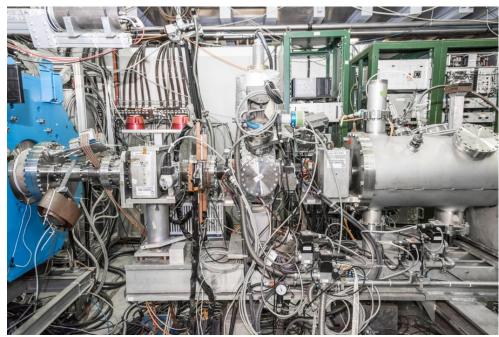


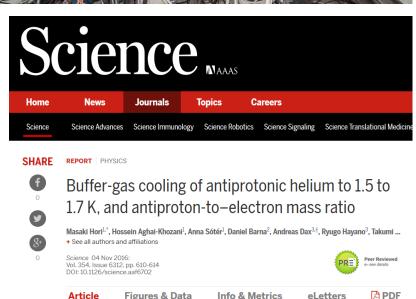
detect annihilation of anti-hydrogen with silicon-strip detectors

Production of Anti-Protonic Helium

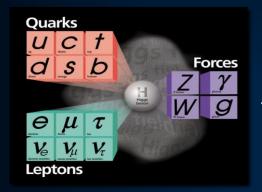
Another method: Spectroscopy of anti-protonic helium

- mixing antiprotons with helium gas
- ➤ in the mixture, ~3% of the antiprotons takes the place of one of the electrons that would normally be orbiting the nucleus
- in 2016 the ASACUSA experiment reported new precision measurement of the mass of the anti-proton relative to that of the electron
- result is based on spectroscopic measurements with about 2 billion anti-protonic helium atoms cooled to extremely cold temperatures of 1.5 to 1.7 degrees above absolute zero improving sensitivity up to factor 10 compared to previous measurements





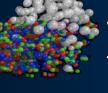
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Brief history of time

Too hot for quarks to bind!

Quark Gluon Plasma

Too hot for nuclei to bind

Hadron Gas

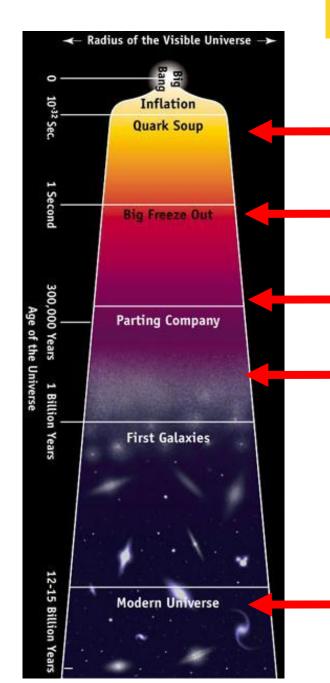
Nucleosynthesis builds nuclei up to He

Universe too hot for electrons to bind

E/M Plasma

Today's Cold Universe

Solid Liquid Gas

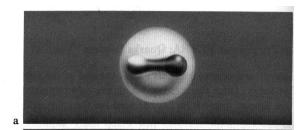


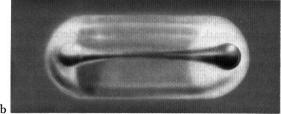
How can we create Quark-Gluon Plasma?

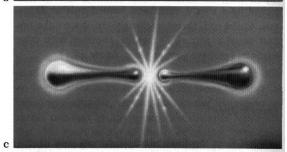
From confinement...

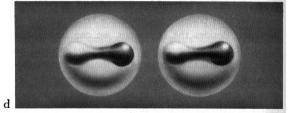
- ✓ contrary to the weak force, the strong force between quarks decreases with shorter distances
- the strong interaction grows stronger as the distance increases

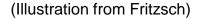
- ✓ <u>at large distances</u> it becomes energetically favourable to convert the increasing energy to <u>a new quark anti-quark pair</u>
- the quarks are "confined"

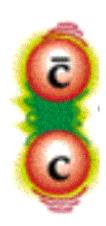












How can we create Quark-Gluon Plasma?

...to unconfinement

Since the <u>interactions between quarks and gluons become weaker at small distances</u>, it might be possible, by creating a high density/temperature extended system composed by a large number of quarks and gluons, to <u>create an "unconfined" phase of matter</u>

First ideas in that sense date back to the '70s:

Cabibbo and Parisi PLB 59B (1975) 67 Collins and Perry, PRL 34 (1975) 1353

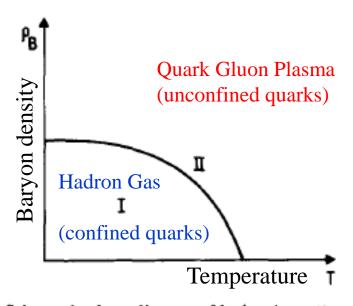


Fig. 1. Schematic phase diagram of hadronic matter. ρ_B is the density of baryonic number. Quarks are confined in phase I and unconfined in phase II.

We expect models of this kind to give rise to a phase transition at a temperature $kT \approx m_{\pi}$, the high temperature phase being one where quarks can move freely in space.

We expect the same transition to be also present at low temperature but high pressure, for the same reason, i.e. we expect a phase diagram of the kind indicated in fig. 1.

Phase transition at large T and/or
$$\rho_B$$

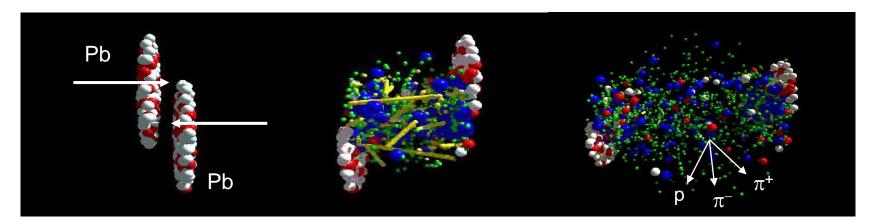
(10⁵ times core of sun) $n_c^B = 0.72 \text{fm}^{-3}$

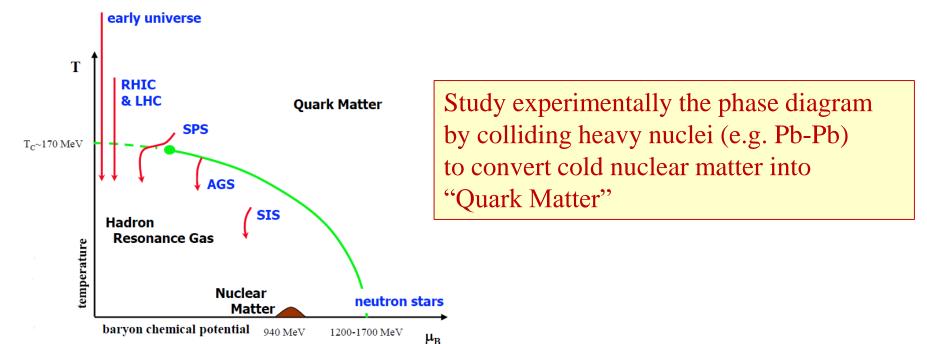
note: $T_c \approx 2 \cdot 10^{12} \text{K}$

(5 times nucleus)

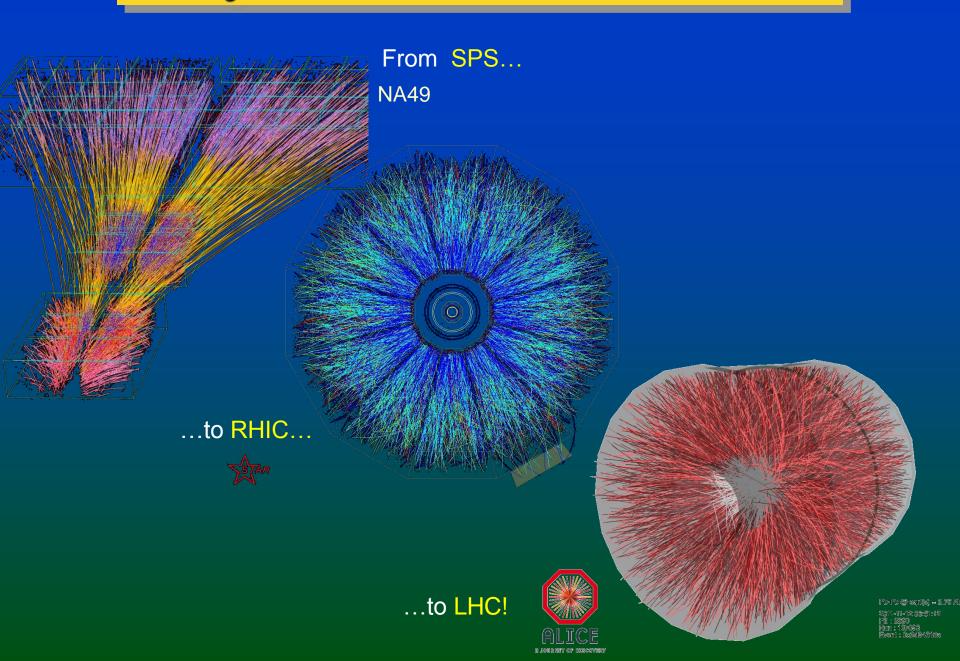
How can we create Quark-Gluon Plasma?

 \triangleright reproduce the temperature (~10¹⁶ K) of the Universe a few instants (10⁻¹¹s) after the Big Bang





Heavy Ions and Quark-Gluon Plasma...



FERMILAB-Pub-82/59-THY August, 1982

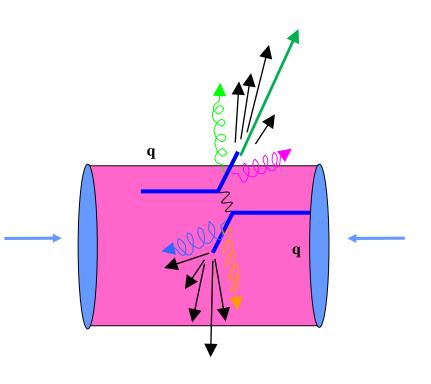
Energy Loss of Energetic Partons in Quark-Gluon Plasma: Possible Extinction of High p_{π} Jets in Hadron-Hadron Collisions.

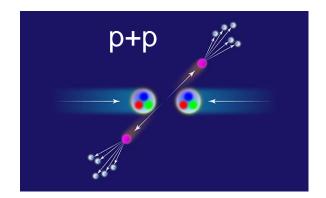
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- ✓ High energy quarks and gluons propagating through quark gluon plasma suffer differential energy loss via elastic scattering from quanta in the plasma
- An interesting signature may be events in which the hard collisions occurs near the edge of the overlap region, with one jet escaping without absorption and the other fully absorbed

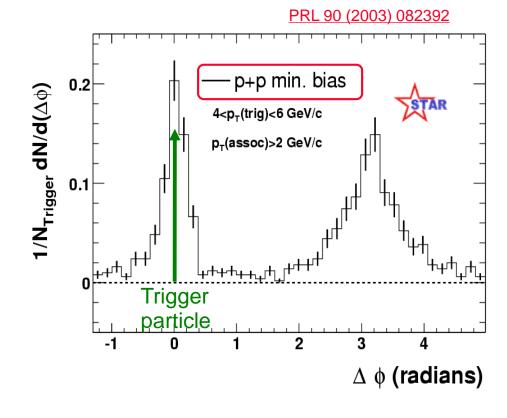
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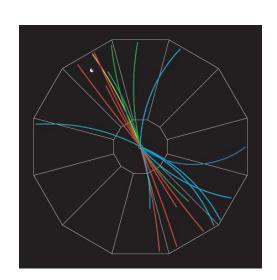
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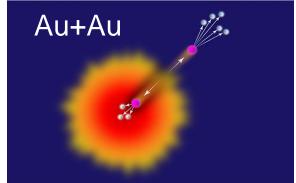


Di-hadron correlations



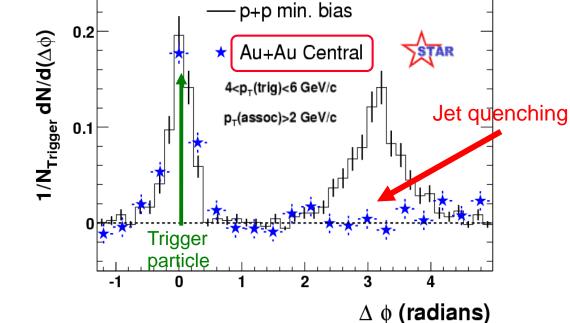


- \checkmark study two particle angular correlations relative to high-p_T (trigger) particle:
- ✓ proxy for di-jet measurements
- in proton-proton collisions no suppression observed

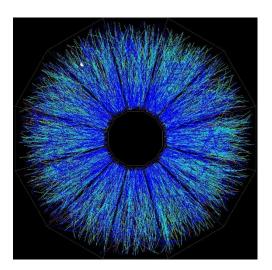


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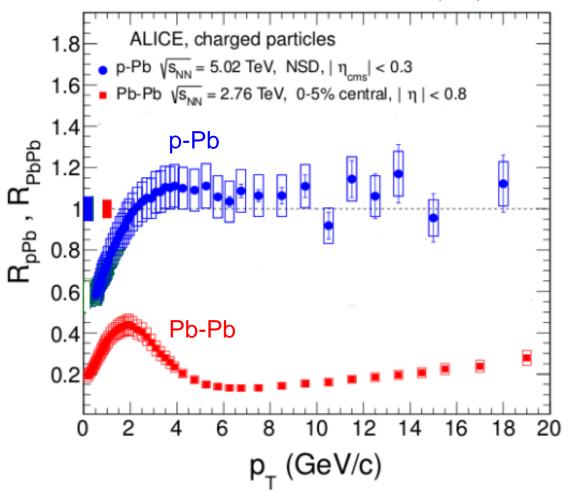
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- ✓ in heavy ion collisions (Au-Au) recoiling jet is strongly suppressed by medium
- > clear evidence for presence of <u>very high density matter</u> in central ion collisions

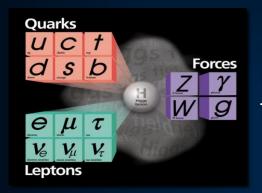
Leading particle suppression at the LHC





- ✓ strong leading particle suppression also at LHC energies
- qualitatively similar to the one at RHIC

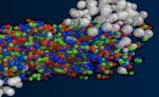
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A possible candidate for Dark Matter: **Supersymmetric Particles (SUSY)**

Mirror "world" to the Standard Model particles:

for each SM particle a "super-partner" exists that differs only in ½-unit of spin

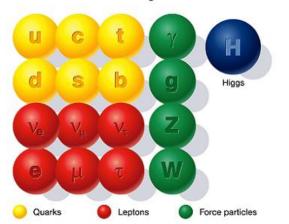
If lightest SUSY Particle (LSP) is stable:

offers "natural" dark-matter candidate

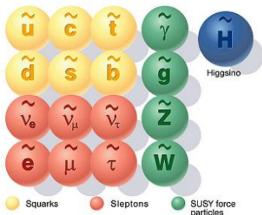
Grand Unification of all interactions:

equality of strong, weak and electromagnetic couplings at ~10¹⁶ GeV

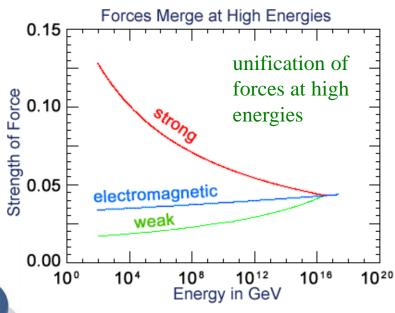
SUSY particles



Standard particles

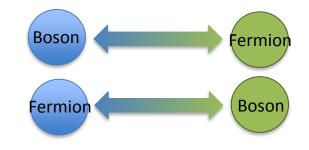


Dark Matter candidate

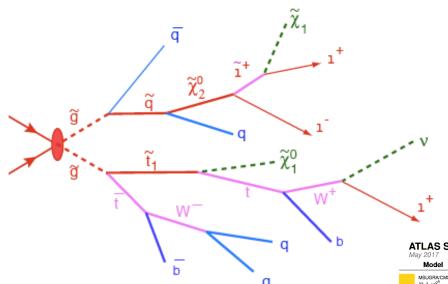


Particles

←Supersymmetric "shadow" particles



Signatures for SUSY



- ➤ NO sign of supersymmetric particles (so far)
- ➤ SUSY is only one of many Grand Unified Theories (GUT)
- ➤ NO significant signs of New Physics in general (so far)
- look at any kind of possible deviation from the Standard Model

Missing Energy:

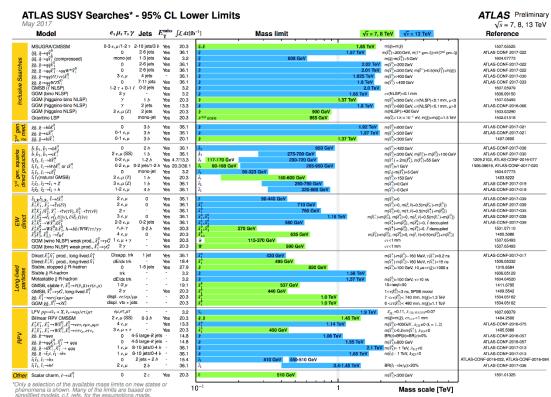
➤ from Lightest SUSY Particle (LSP)

Multi-Jet:

from cascade decay (gaugino)

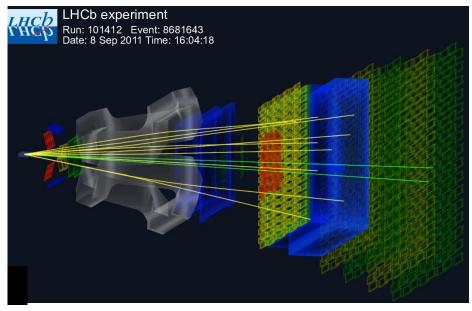
Multi-Leptons:

from decay of charginos/neutralios



Search for Physics Beyond the Standard Model

e.g. search for very rare $B_s \rightarrow \mu \mu$



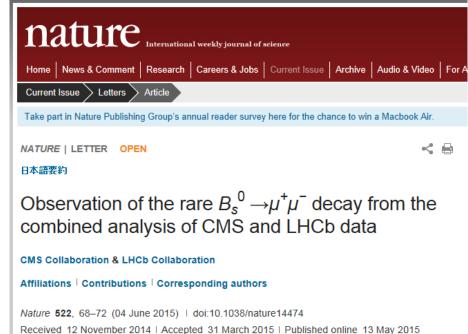
<u>in Standard Model → super-rare decay</u>:

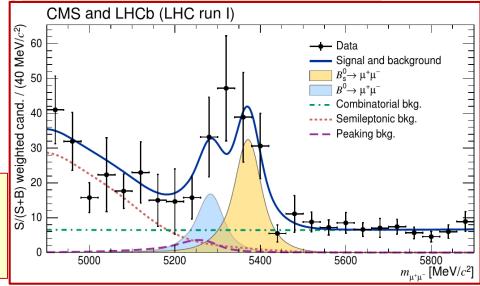
$$B(B_d \rightarrow \mu \mu) = (1.06 \pm 0.09) \times 10^{-10}$$

$$B(B_s \rightarrow \mu \mu) = (3.65 \pm 0.23) \times 10^{-9}$$

[C.Bobeth et al.: arXiv:1311.0903]

- ✓ good probe to test SM to high precision
- ✓ enhancement predicted for SUSY models
- \triangleright measurement confirms SM prediction at 5σ !





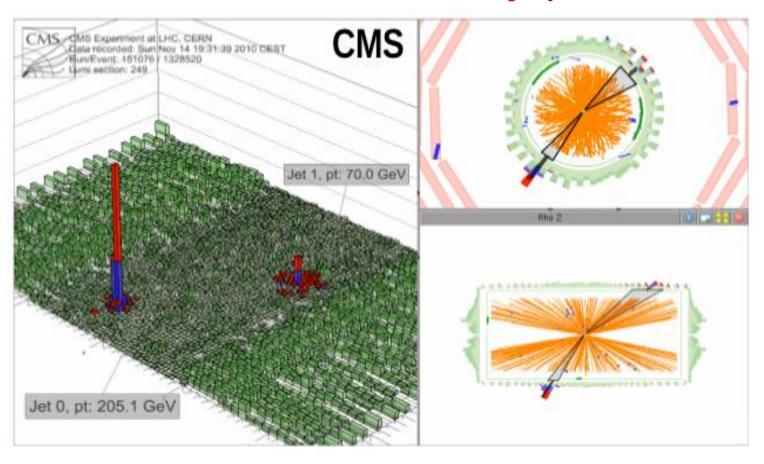
Conclusion

- ✓ After the discovery of the Higgs boson, the Standard Model of particle physics is now "complete"!
- ✓ However, this explains only ~5% of our universe and many questions in understanding the origin of our universe are yet to be resolved.
- ✓ Powerful particle accelerators and sophisticated detectors allow to study some of the most fundamental open questions.
- ✓ So far no significant signal beyond the Standard Model of particle physics has been found.
- ✓ Since last year LHC is running in a very efficient "production mode" and the experiments are collecting a vast amount of data that will lead to many high precision measurements.
- ➤ High energy physics will contribute further to the understanding of our universe by looking for deviations from the Standard Model in a variety of areas. Let's hope that significant deviations will be discovered soon!

Spares

Jet quenching in di-jet events

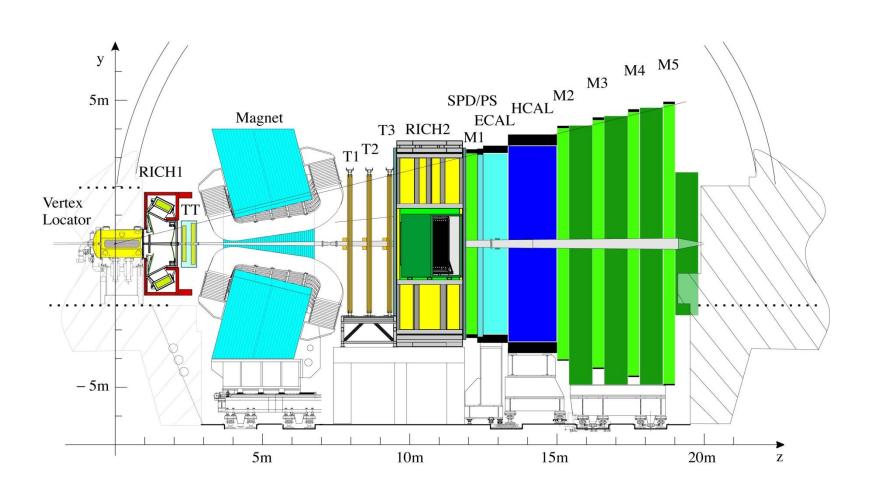
Can even be seen in event displays !!!

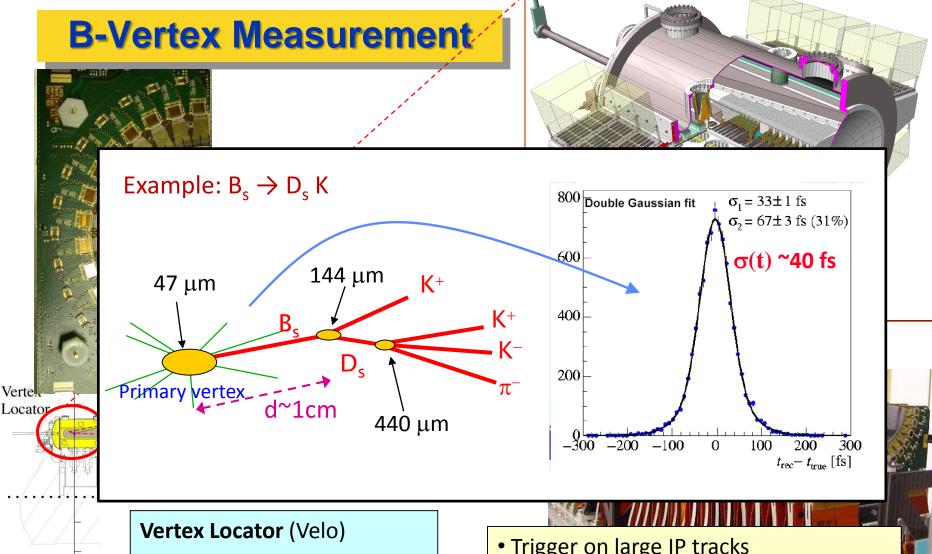


$$A_{\rm J} = \frac{E_{\rm T1} - E_{\rm T2}}{E_{\rm T1} + E_{\rm T2}}, \ \Delta \varphi_{12} > \frac{\pi}{2}$$

A walk through the LHCb detector

(with the example of a complex decay: $B_s \rightarrow D_s K$)



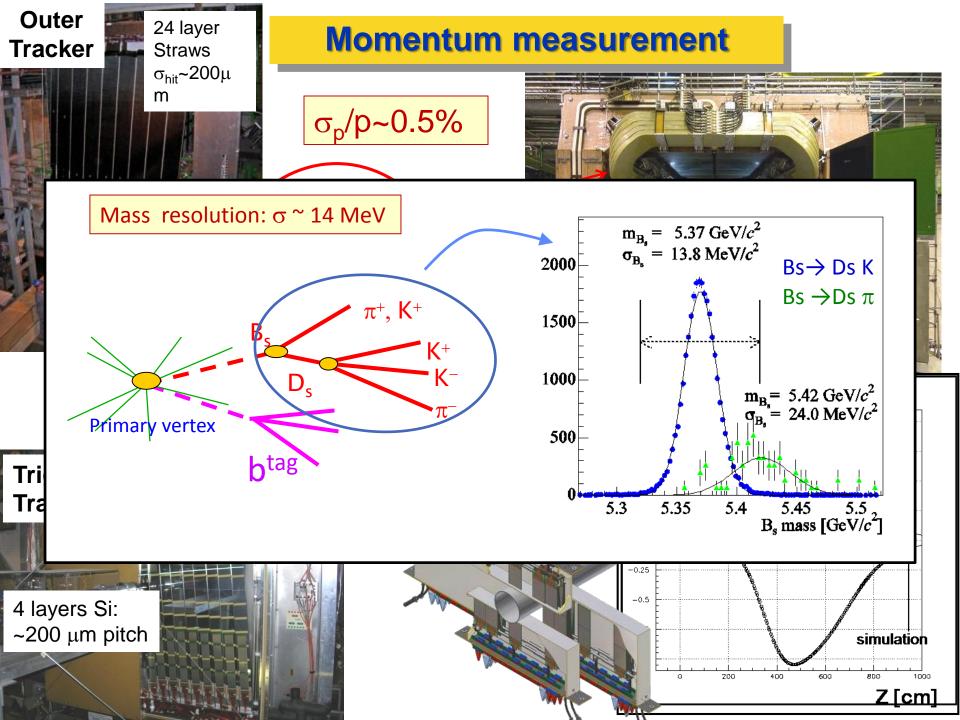


21 stations of silicon strip detectors $(r-\phi)$

- ~ 8 µm hit resolution
- ~25 µm IP resolution

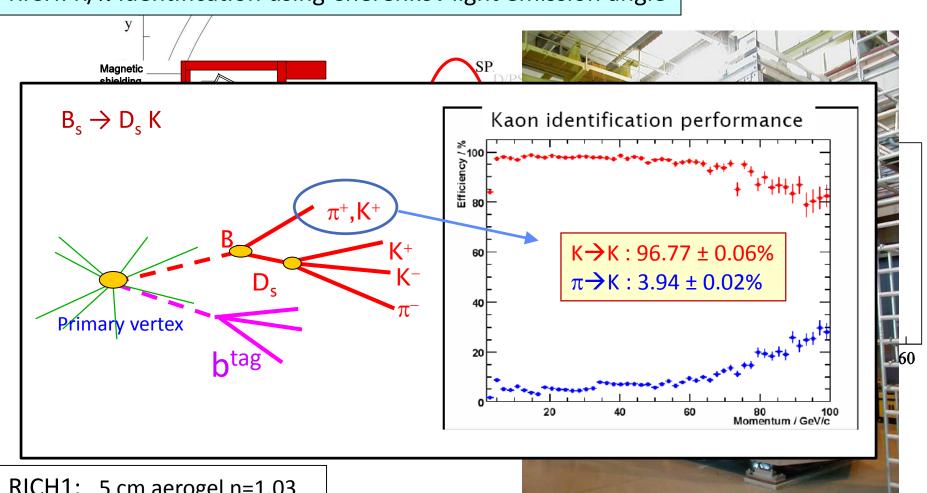
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- Trigger on large IP tracks
- Measurement of decay distance (time)



Particle Identification

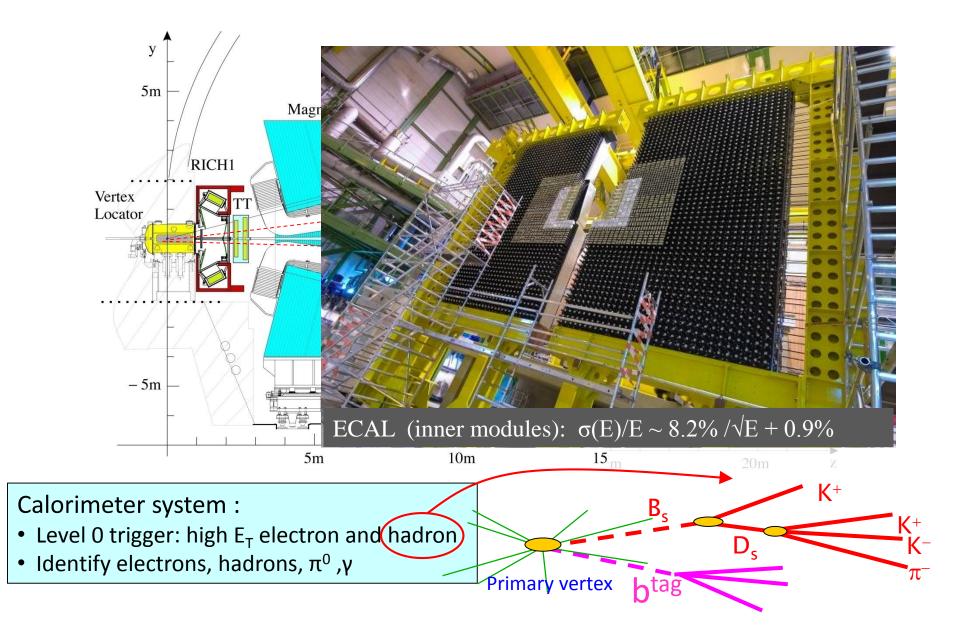
RICH: K/π identification using Cherenkov light emission angle



RICH1: 5 cm aerogel n=1.03 4 m³ C_4F_{10} n=1.0014

RICH2: 100 m³ CF₄ n=1.0005

Particle identification and L0 trigger



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