

# *Particle Physics and Fermilab*

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# Hello from Chicago



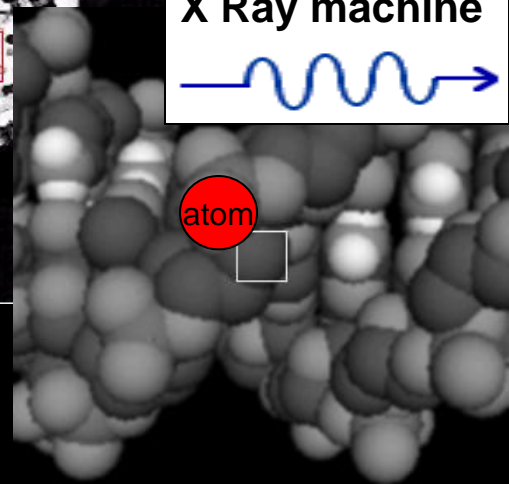
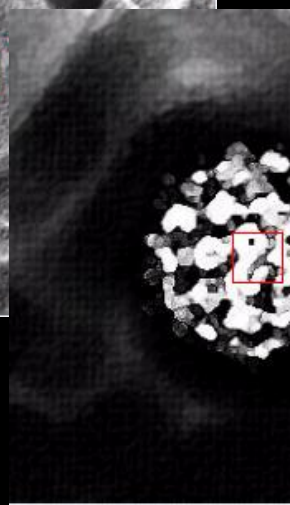
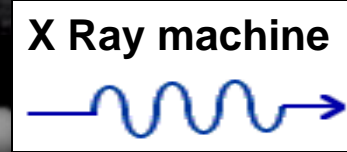
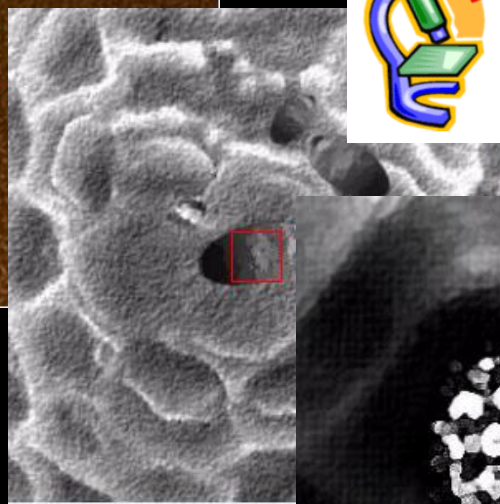
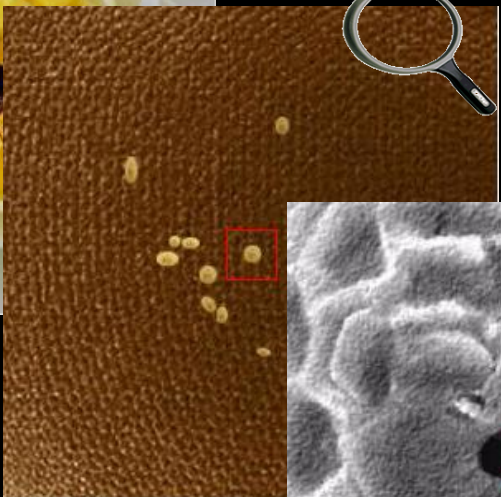
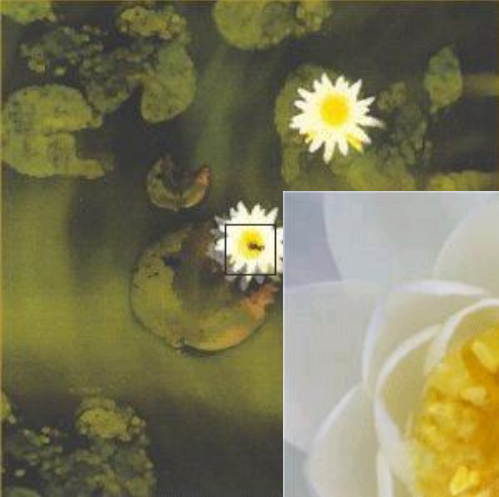
What is the world made of?  
What holds the world together?  
Where did we come from?

Tools ?

the smallest things in the world  
interactions (forces) between them  
the Universe's past, present, and future

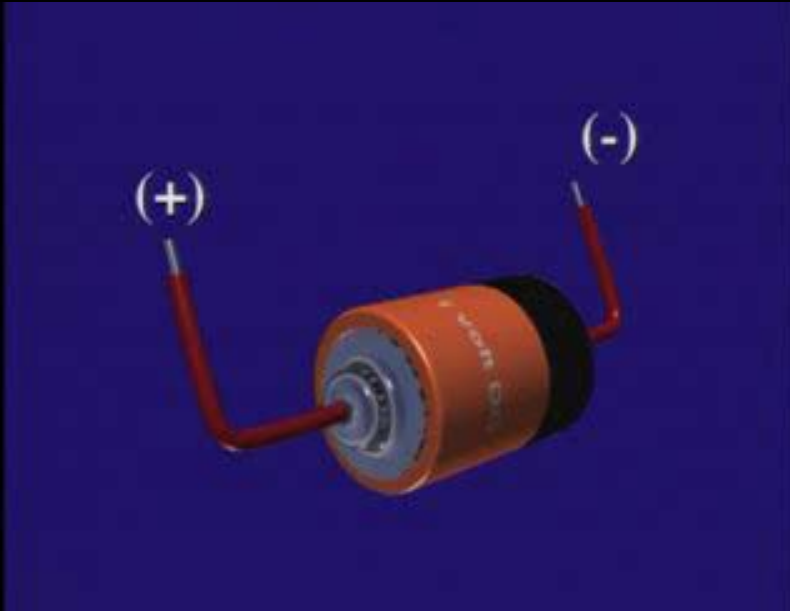
**Particle Physics:** physics where  
small and big things meet,  
inner and outer space meet





Smaller objects

# Accelerators

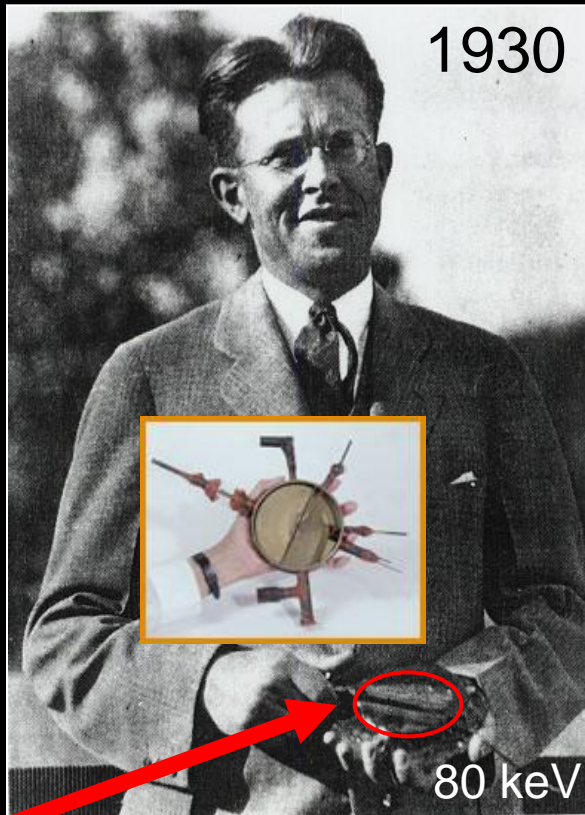


1 eV (electron Volt)  
1 electron in 1 Volt battery

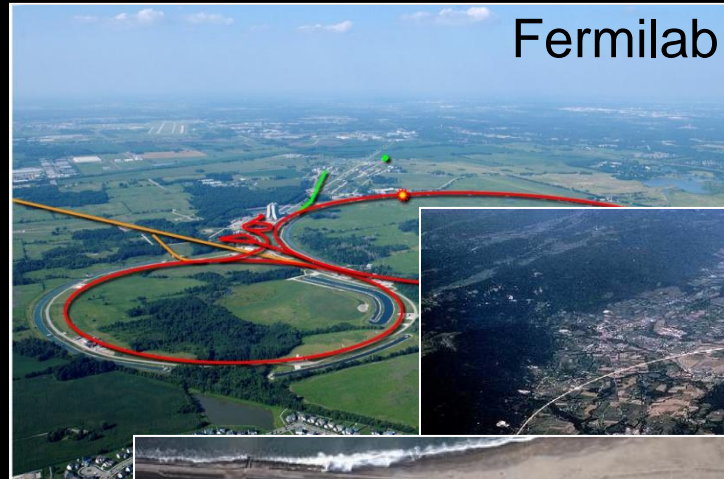


GeV (billion eV)  
TeV (trillion eV)

Many generations of particle accelerators:  
each generation built on the accomplishments of the previous ones  
raising the level of technology ever higher



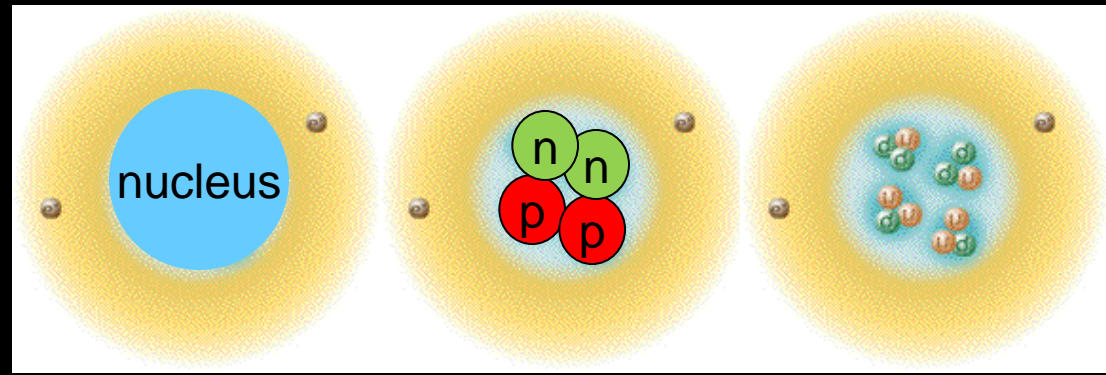
Ernest Lawrence  
(1901 - 1958)



# Accelerators are **Ultimate Microscopes**.

(higher energy beam particle = better resolution / small objects)

*What is the world made of?*



up quark, down quark, electron

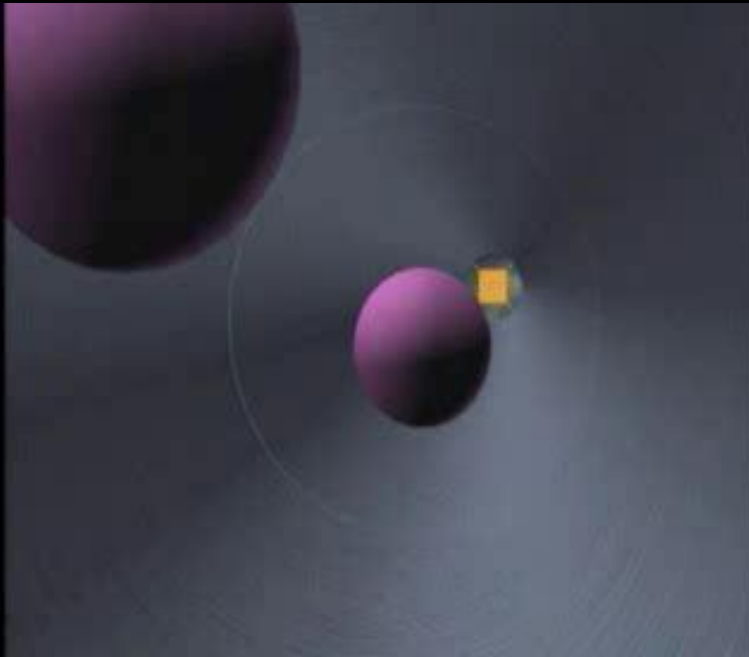
$10^{-18}$  m

nana nano meter

*What holds the world together?*

Accelerators are like **Time Machines**.

because they make particles last seen  
in the earliest moments of the universe.



neutrinos

muons

kaons

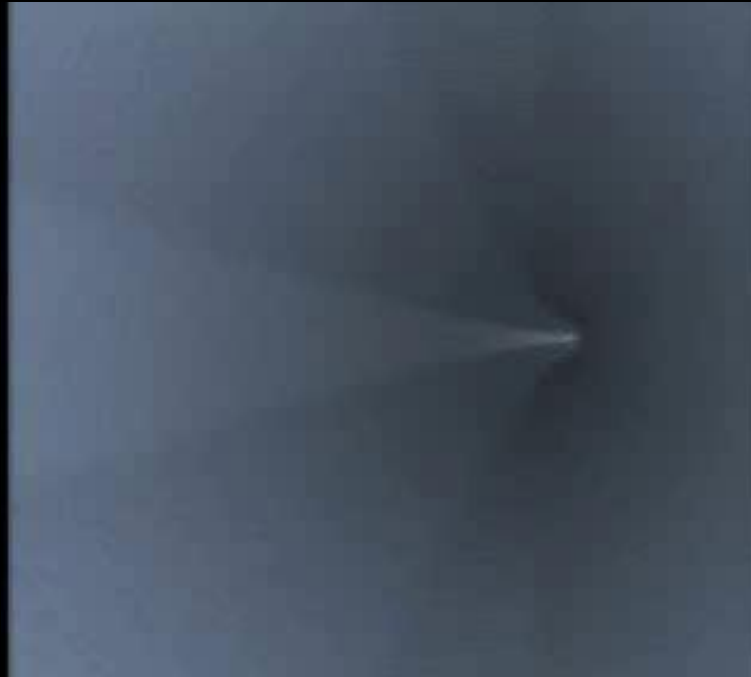
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**anti particles**



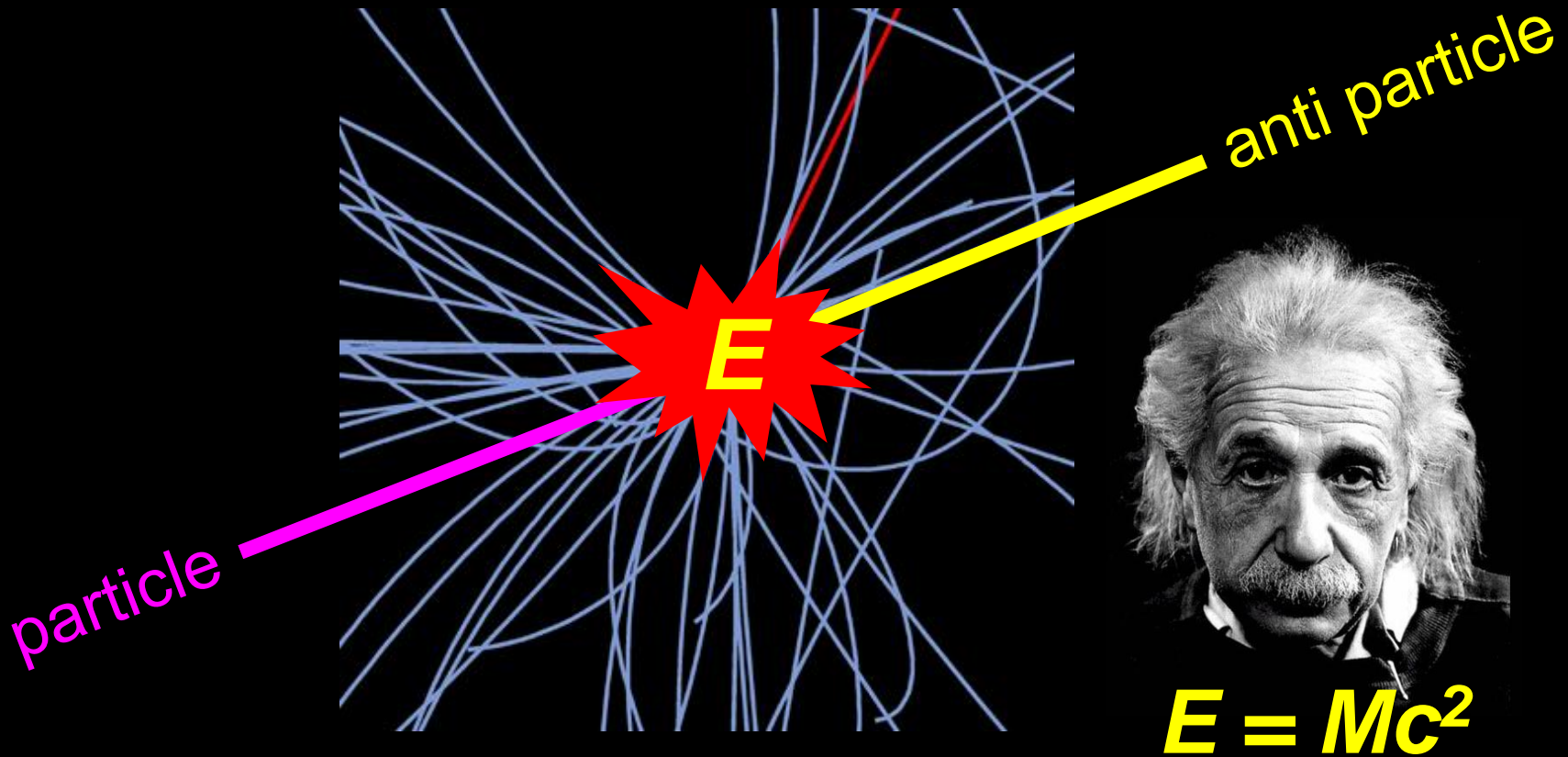
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$$E = Mc^2$$

**M**

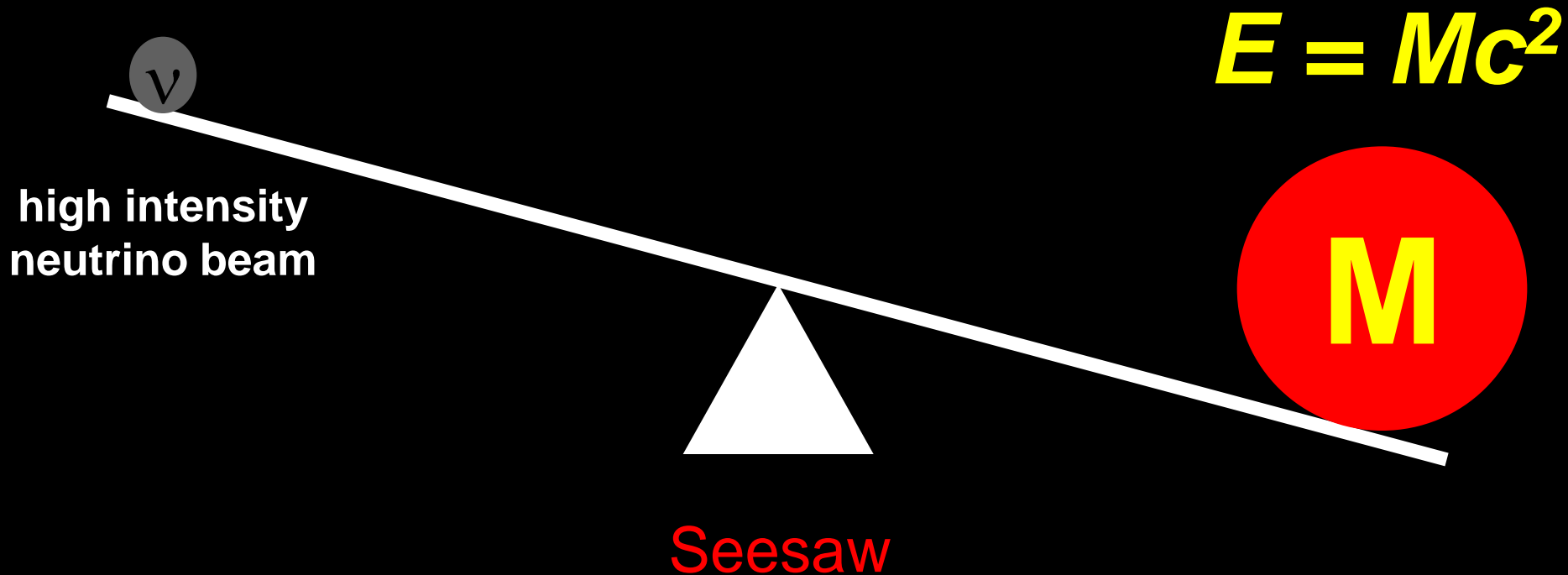
high intensity  
particle beam



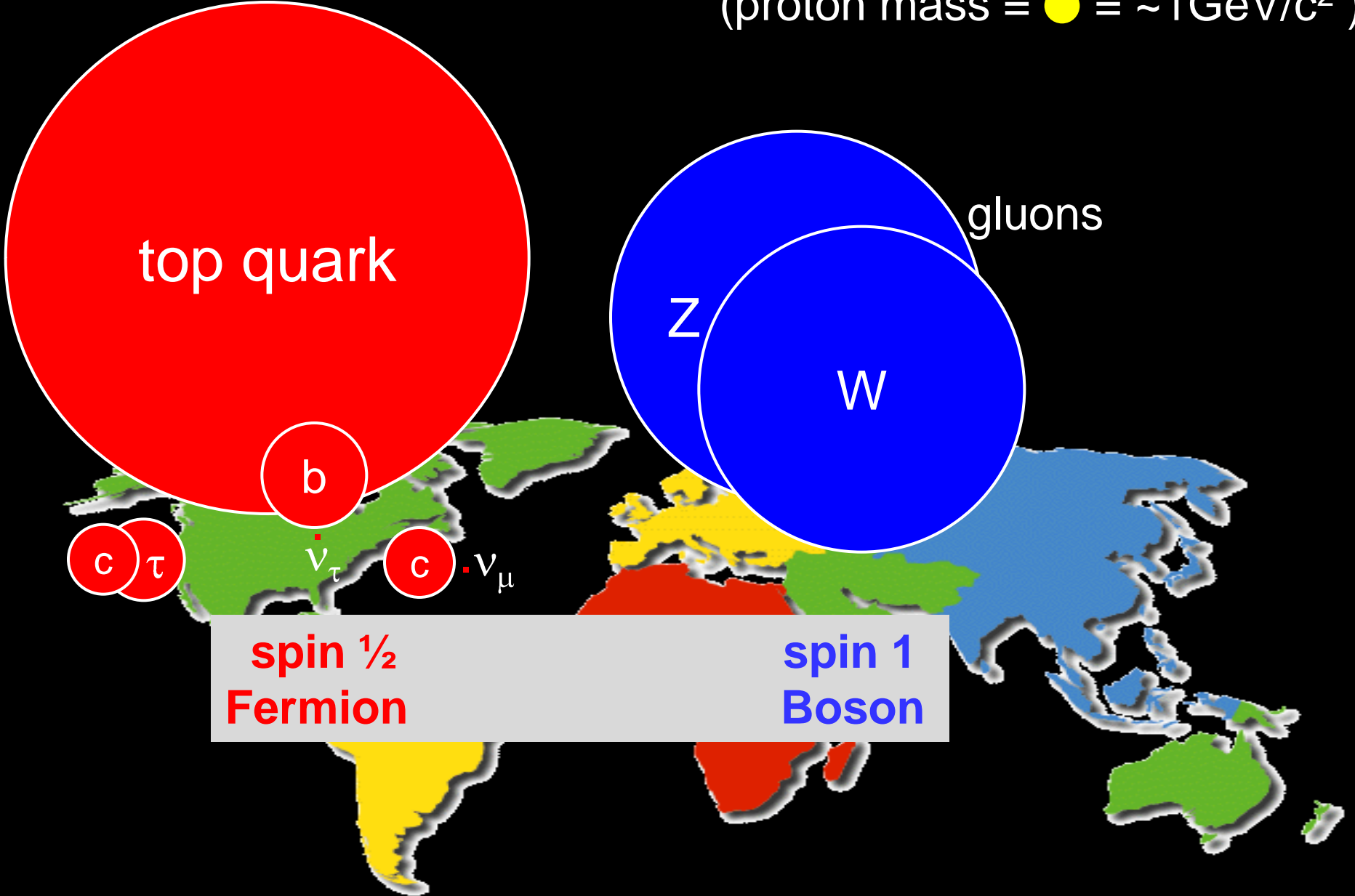
Quantum Fluctuation

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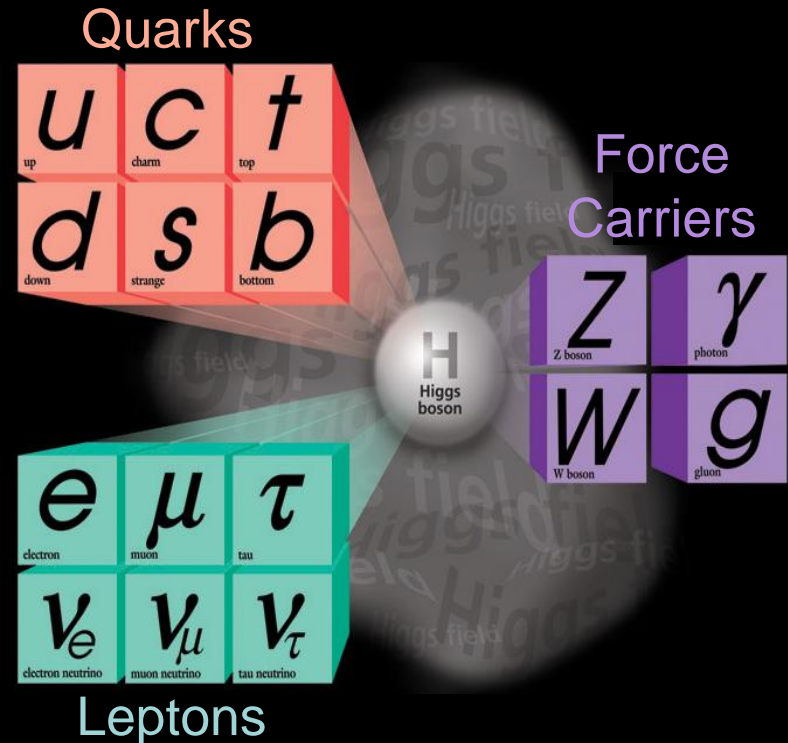


(proton mass = ● =  $\sim 1\text{GeV}/c^2$ )



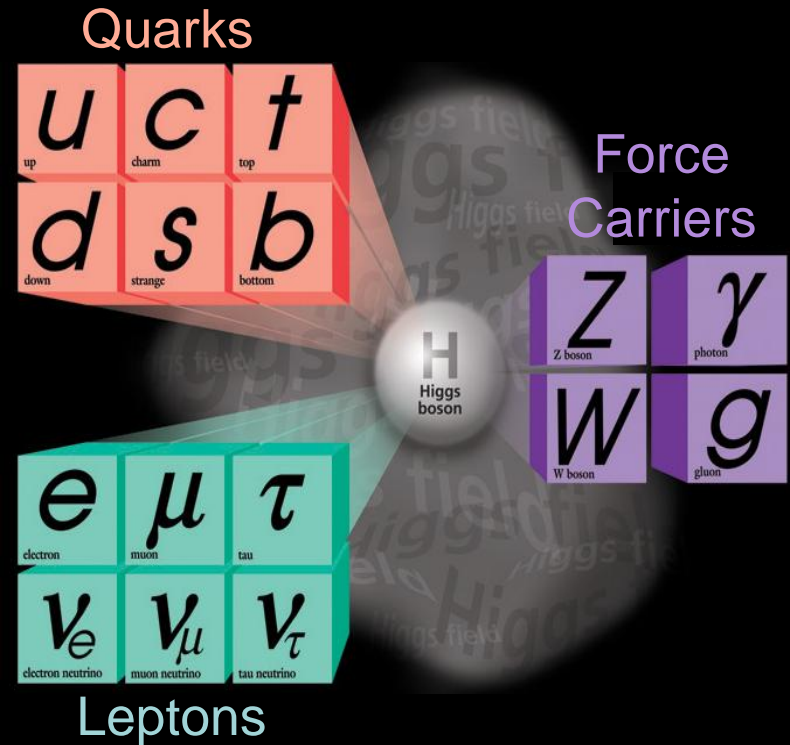
# The triumphs.....

- The present theory is a remarkable intellectual construction
- Particle experiments done at the laboratory beautifully fits in this framework



..... and the mysteries

- Why?
- Why?
- Why?
- ...



# ..... and the mysteries

- Where did all antimatter go?





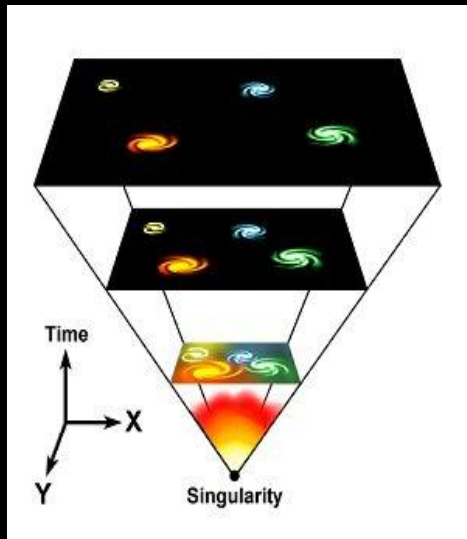
# ..... and the mysteries

- What is dark matter?



# ..... and the mysteries

- Expanding the universe



- Accelerating the universe
- What is dark energy?

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**Primitive Thinker**



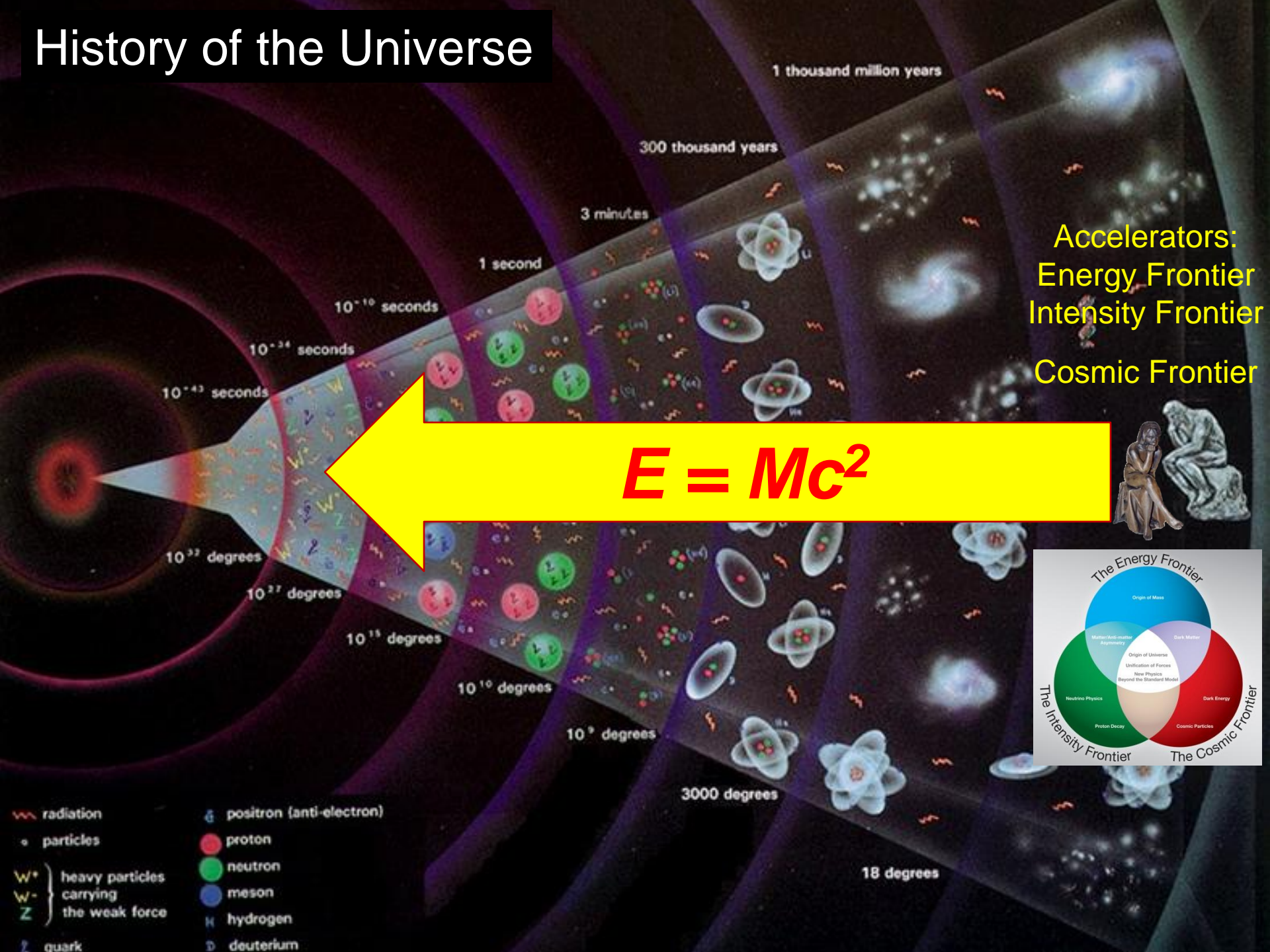
# 21<sup>st</sup> Century Questions in Particle Physics

- What is the origin of mass for fundamental particles?
- Why are there so many kinds of particles?
- Do all the forces become one?
- Are there extra dimensions of space?
- What are neutrinos telling us?
- Do charged leptons change from one kind to another?
- Do protons decay?
- Are there undiscovered principles of nature:  
new symmetries, new physical laws?
- What happened to the antimatter?
- What is dark matter?
- How can we solve the mystery of dark energy?
- How did the universe come to be?

**Evolved Thinker**

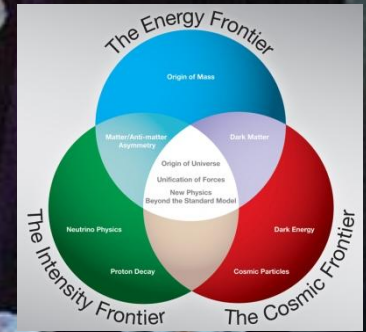


# History of the Universe



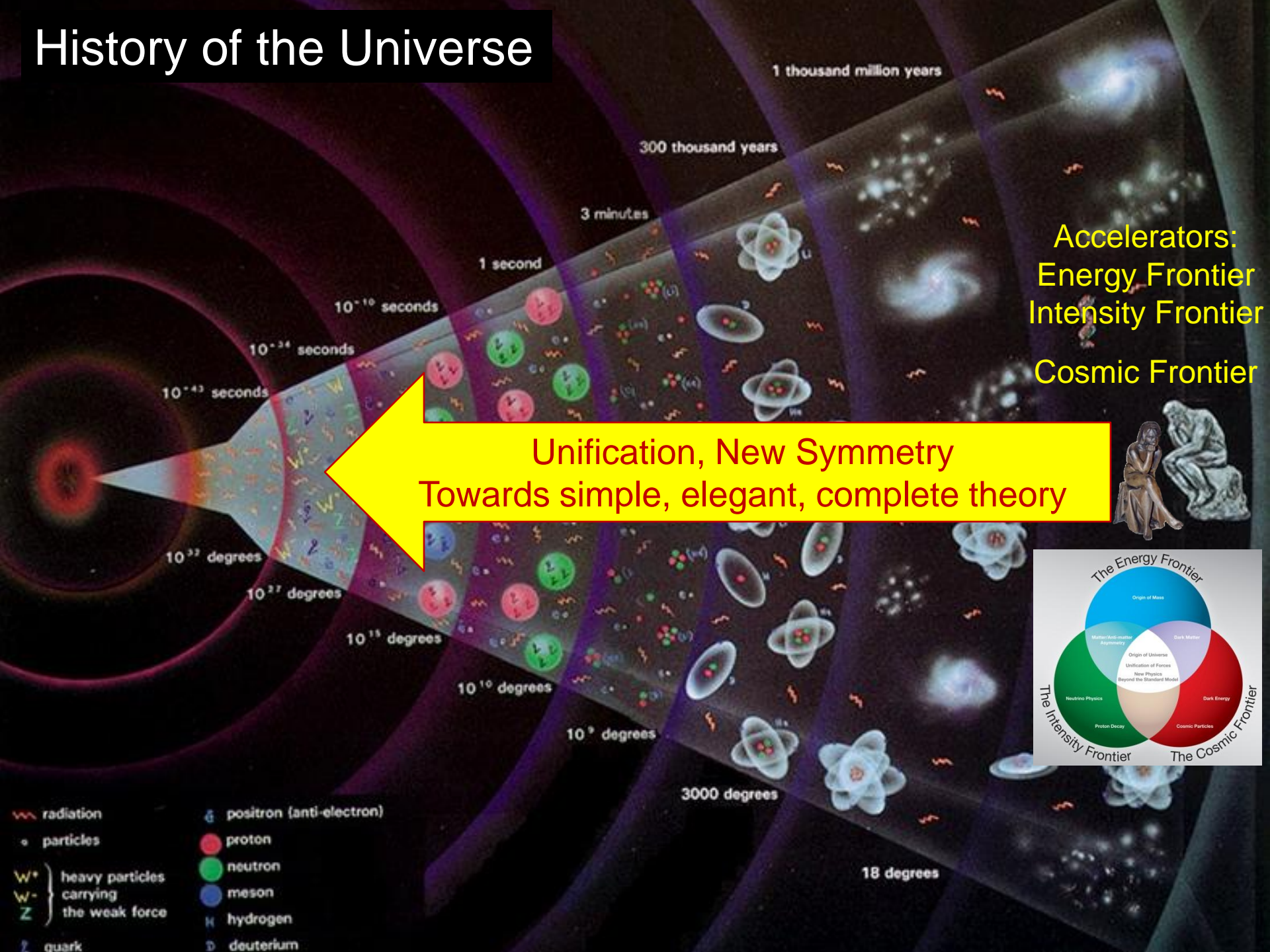
Accelerators:  
Energy Frontier  
Intensity Frontier  
Cosmic Frontier

$$E = Mc^2$$



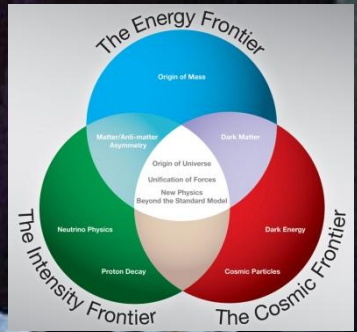
- radiation
- particles
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- $W^-$  }
- $Z$  }
- quark
- positron (anti-electron)
- proton
- neutron
- meson
- $H$  hydrogen
- $D$  deuterium

# History of the Universe



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Unification, New Symmetry  
Towards simple, elegant, complete theory

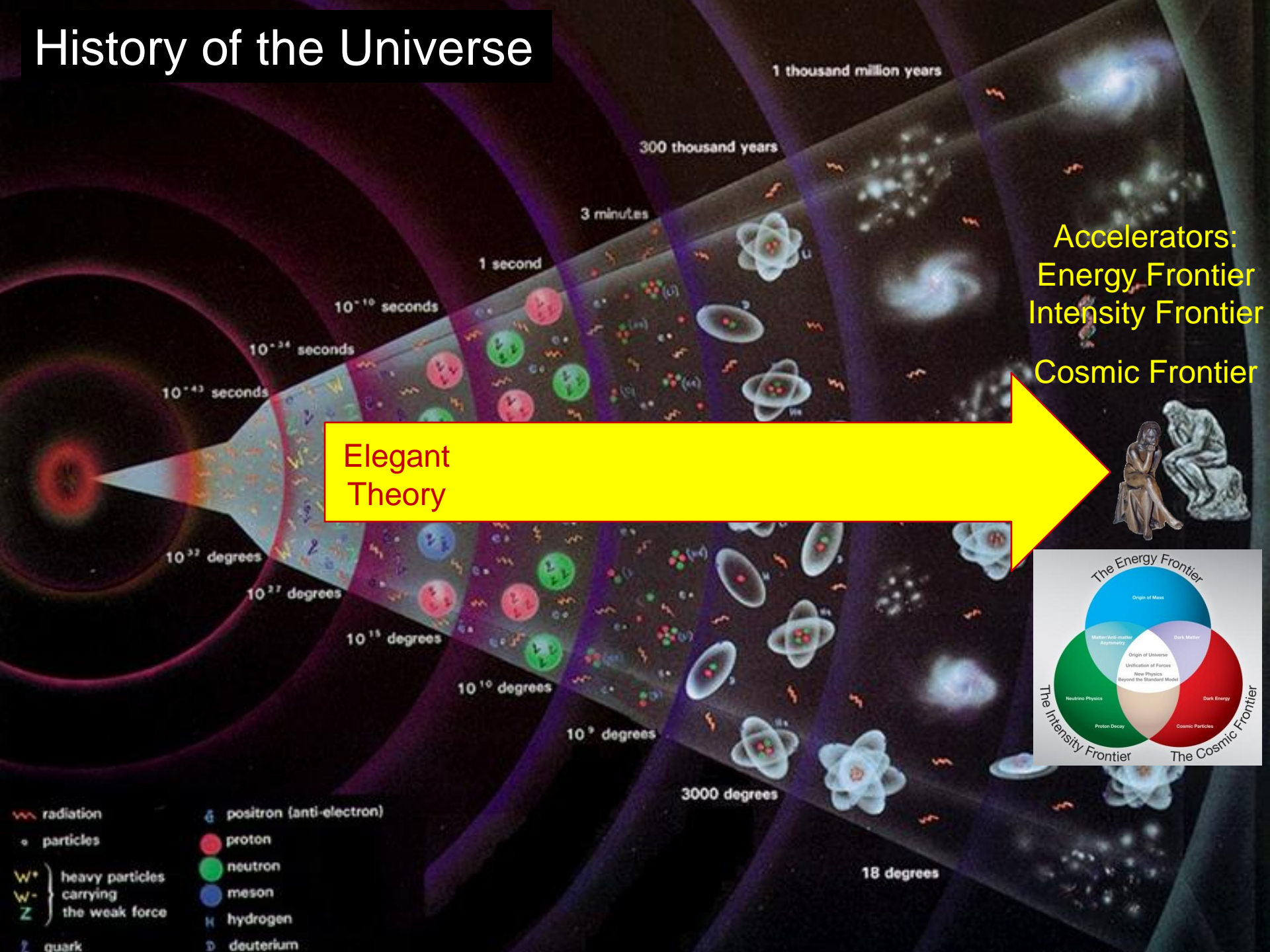


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3000 degrees

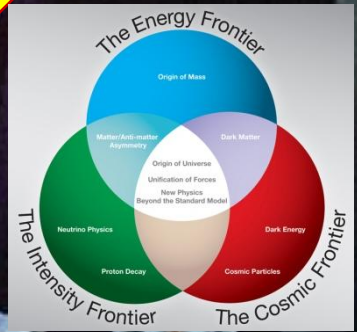
18 degrees

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Elegant Theory

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# Fermilab today

- 1900 employees
- 2300 users (~1/2 from abroad)
- 6800 acres, park-like site



A herd of American bison, symbolizing Fermilab's presence on the frontiers of particle physics and the connection to its prairie origins



Now at Fermilab

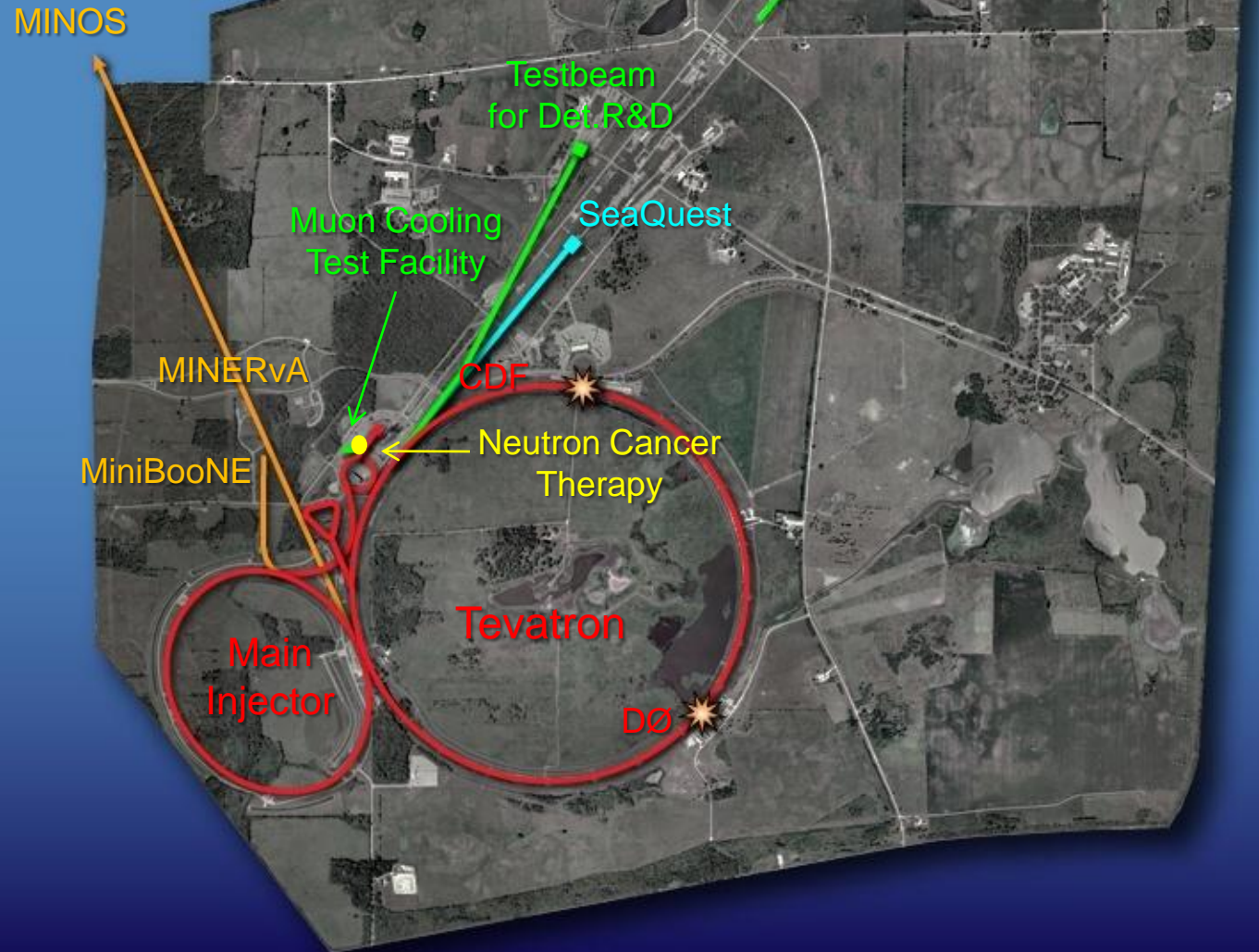


Now at Fermilab



# Tour of Accelerator Complex at Fermilab

# Fermilab Accelerator Complex Operating Simultaneously



# Cockroft-Walton



Linac



# Booster



# Main Injector





# Tevatron

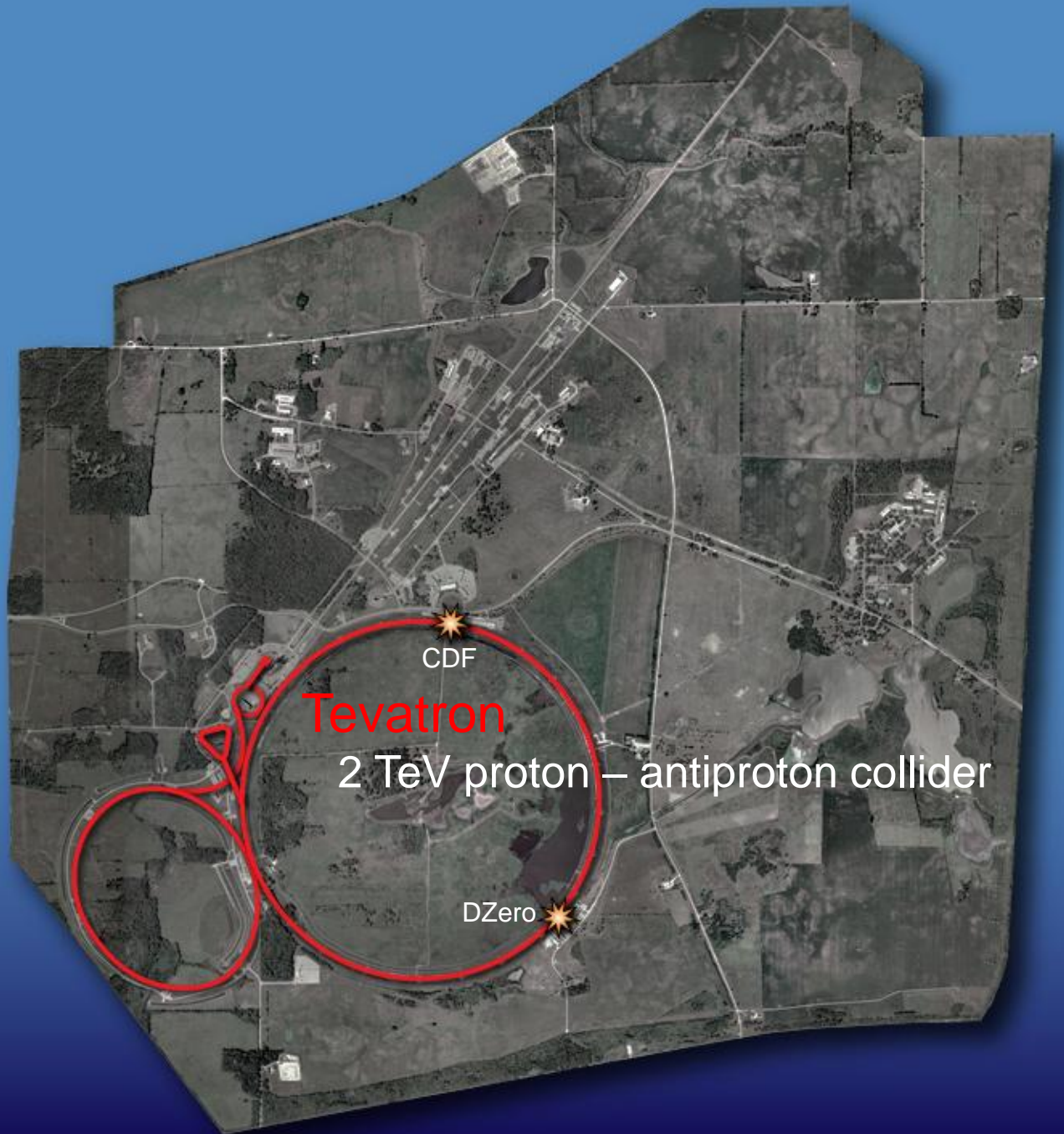
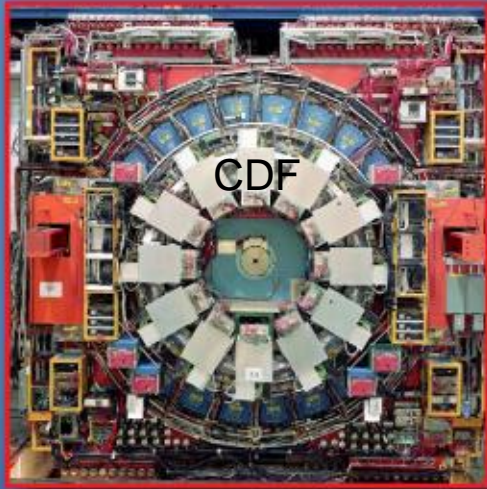


# Antiproton



# Tevatron

CDF and DZero



# Energy Frontier Accelerators



Tevatron



LHC



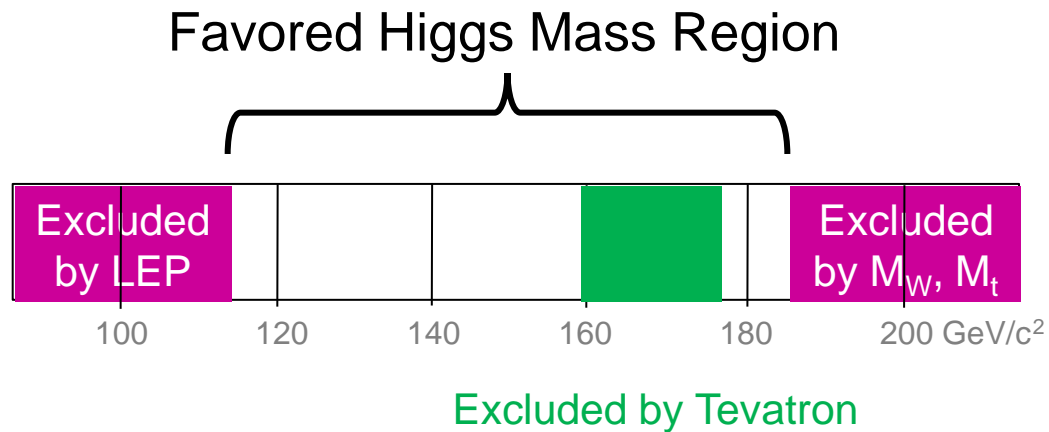
Lepton Collider



(energy to be determined)

(technology, site to be determined)

# Origin of Mass



Proton mass  $\sim 1 \text{ GeV}/c^2$   
Top quark mass  $\sim 172 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

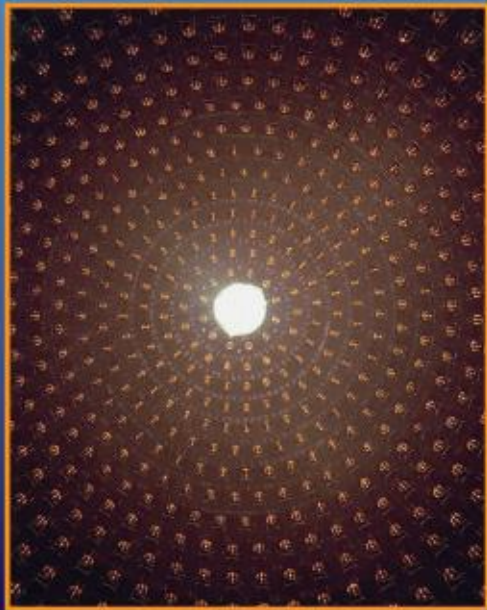
$\nu$ 's from Main Injector

MINOS  
MINERvA



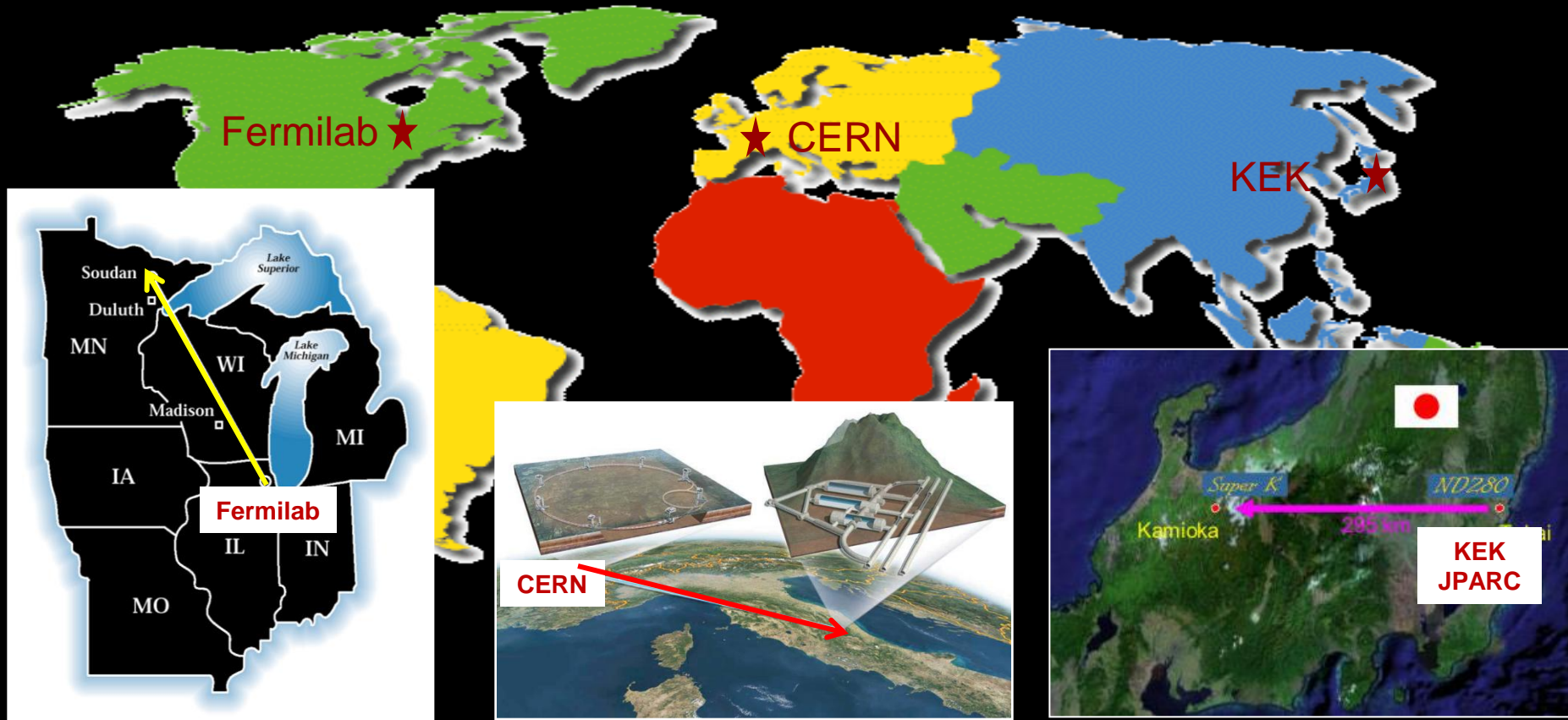
$\nu$ 's from Booster

MiniBooNE



735 km  
300 kW

# Accelerator-Based Neutrinos



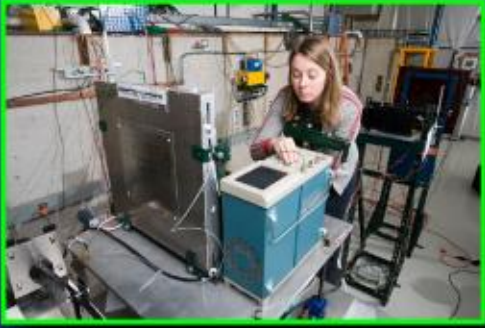
Fermilab → Soudan (735km)  
Fermilab → Ash river(810km)

CERN → Gran Sasso (732km)

J-PARC → Kamioka (295km)



# Beam for Detector Development



# Test Facility for Accelerator Development

Super Conducting RF  
Technology



# Test Facility for Muon Cooling

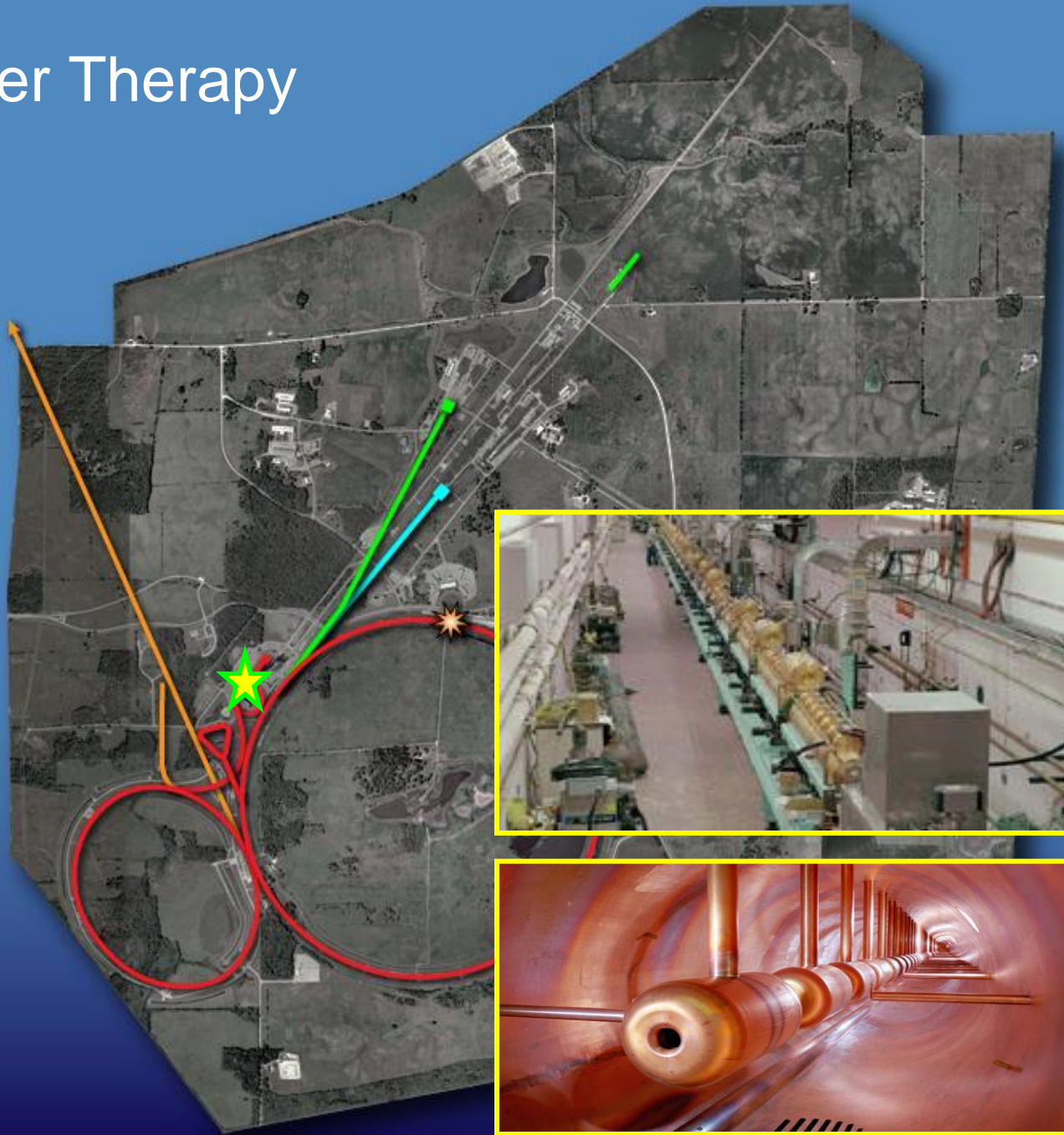


Proton  
SeaQuest



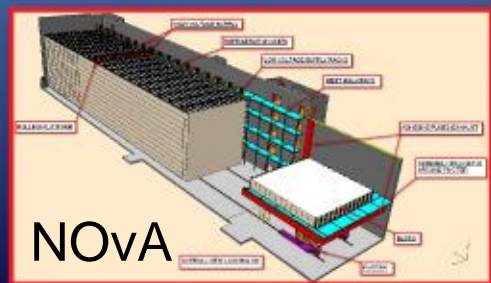
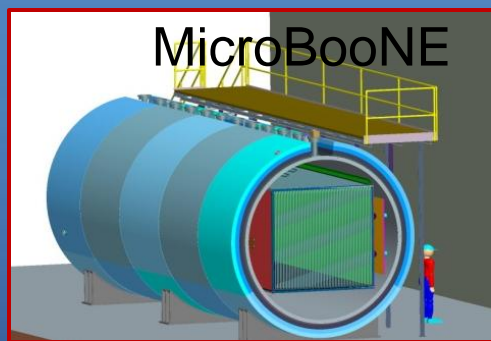
# Neutron Cancer Therapy

Patient treatments  
since 1976

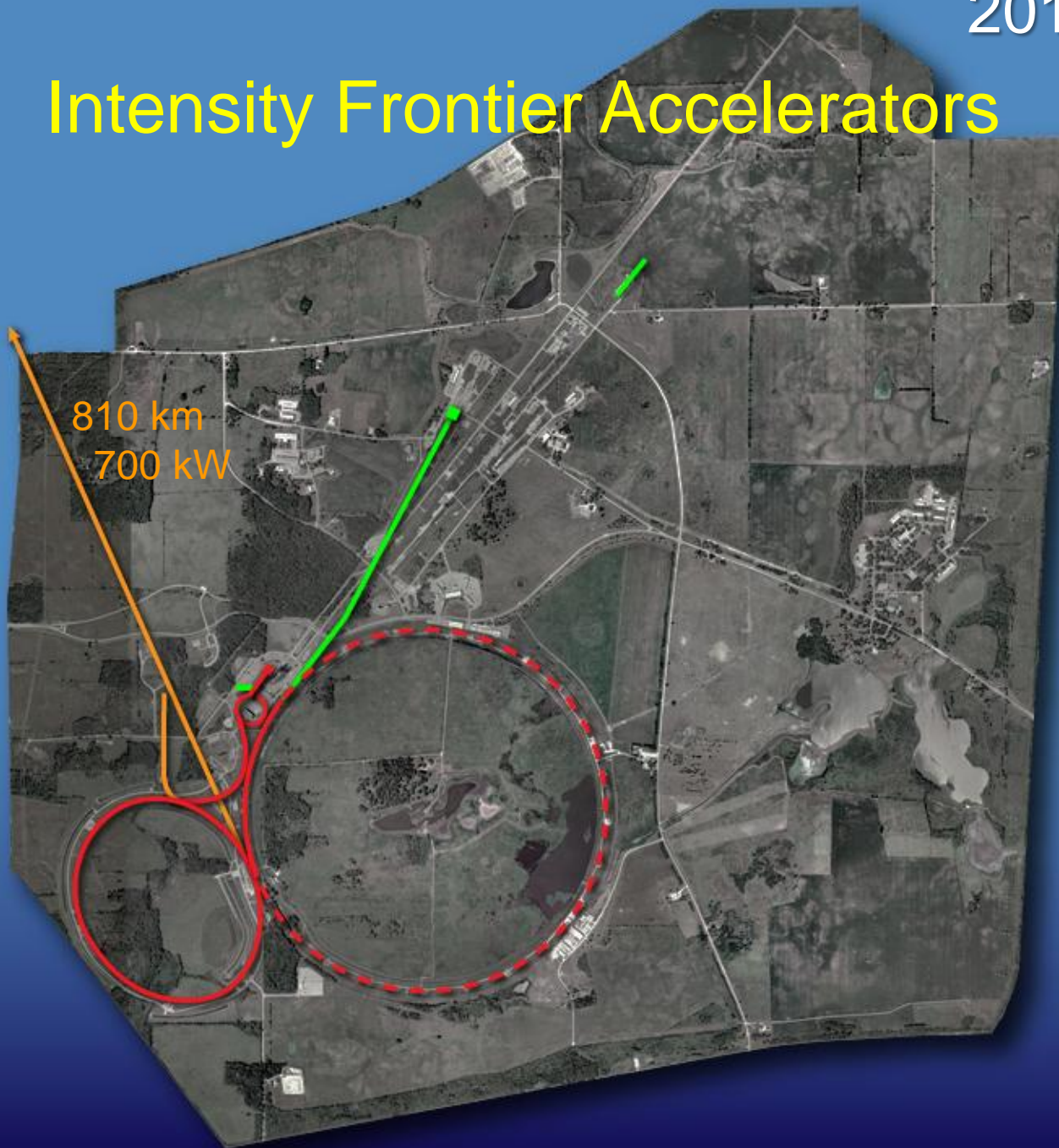


# Intensity Frontier Accelerators

Neutrinos  
NOvA  
MINERvA  
MicroBooNE



810 km  
700 kW



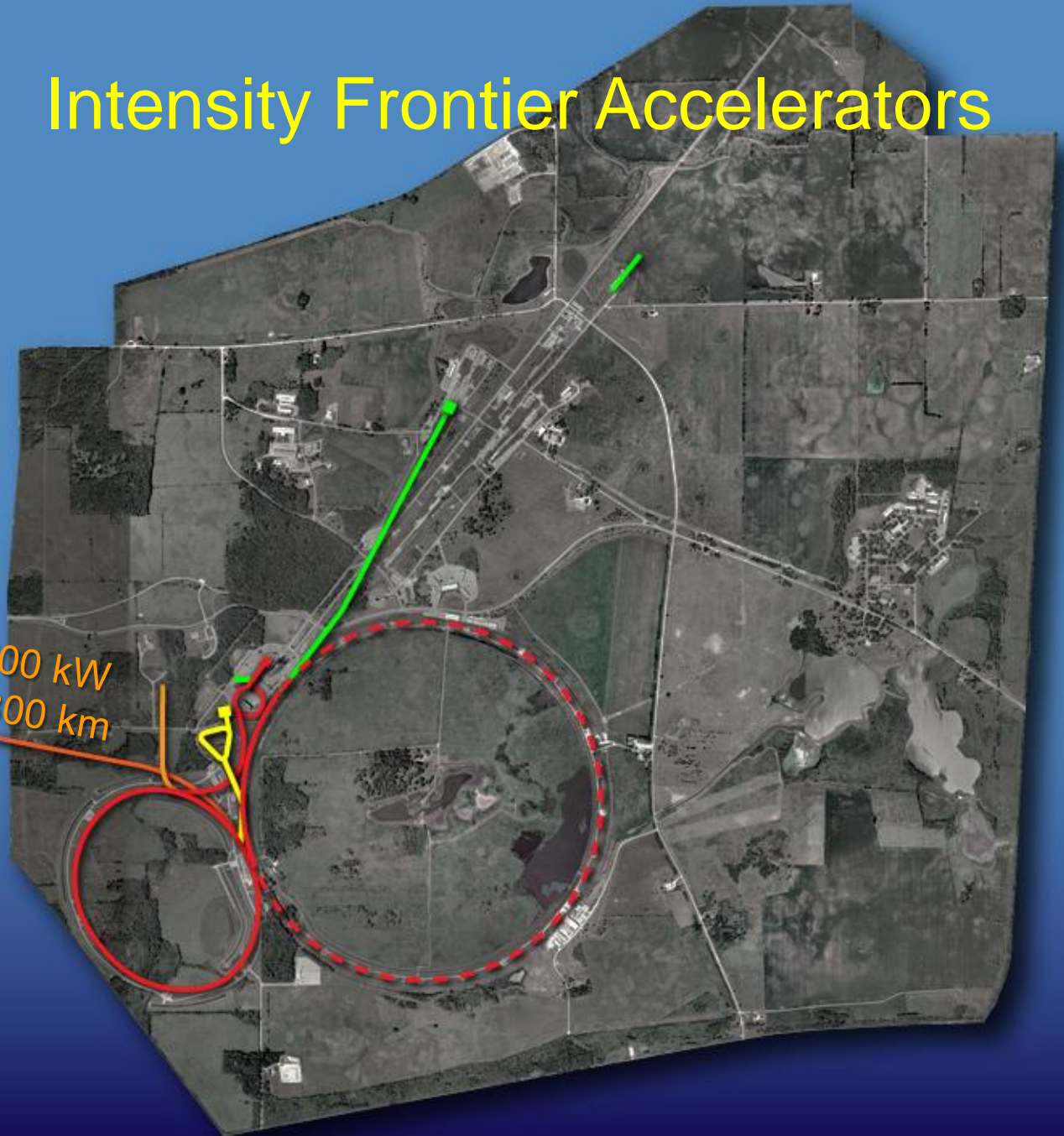
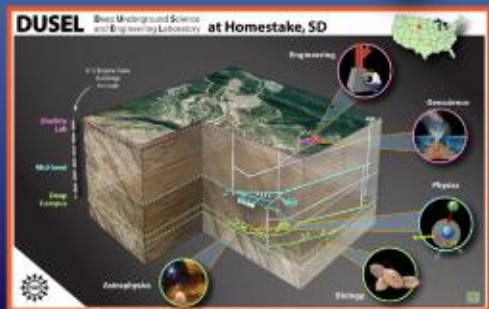
Neutrinos  
neutrinos to DUSEL  
(proton decay)

Muons  
muon  $\rightarrow$  electron

# Intensity Frontier Accelerators



700 kW  
1300 km

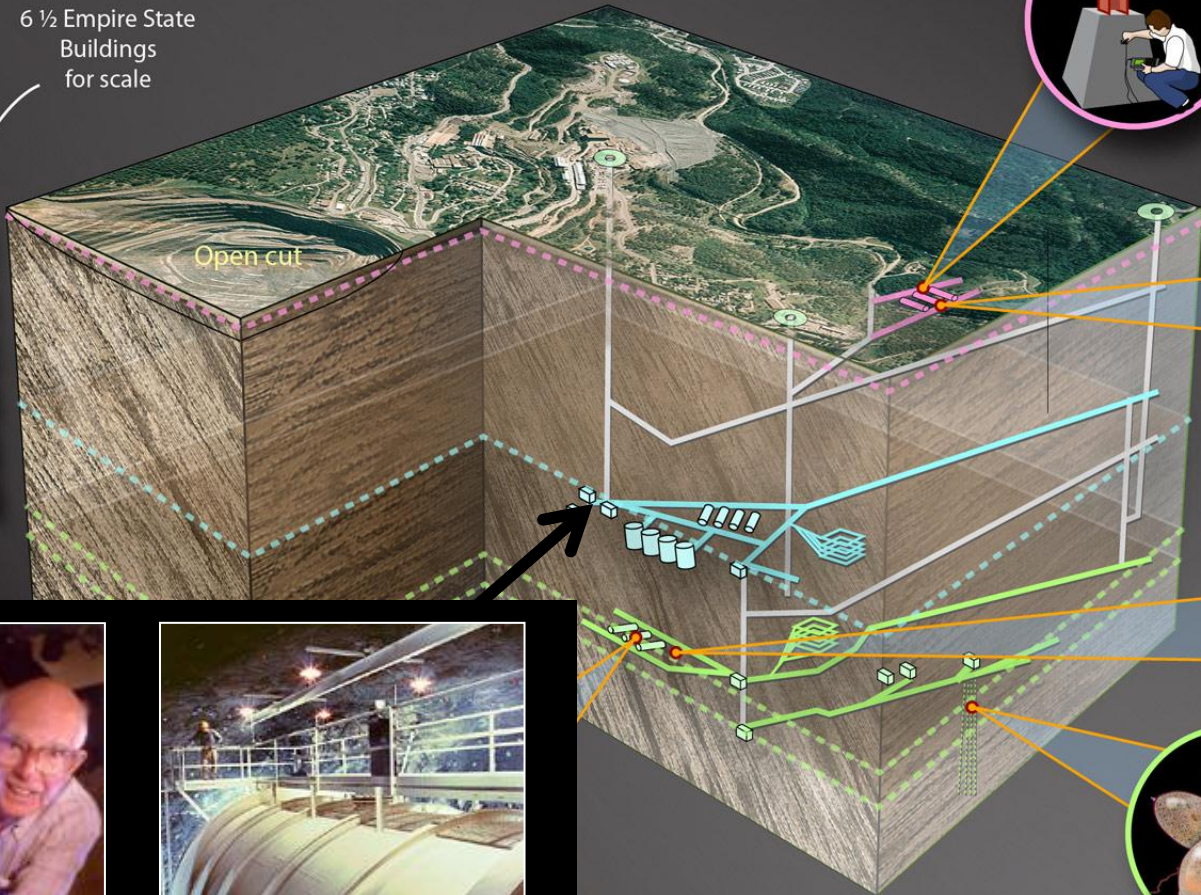


# DUSEL Deep Underground Science and Engineering Laboratory at Homestake, SD



6 1/2 Empire State Buildings for scale

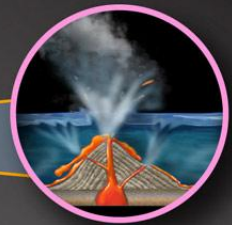
Shallow Lab  
Mid-level  
Deep Campus



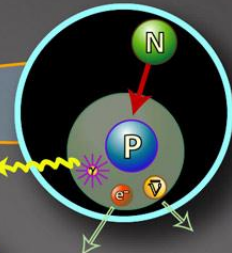
Engineering



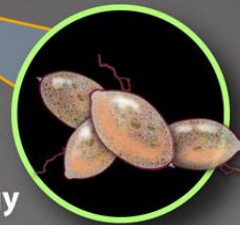
Geoscience



Physics



Biology



Ray Davis's Experiment



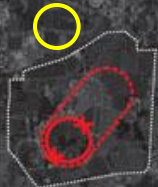




# Comparison of Particle Colliders

To reach higher and higher collision energies, scientists have built and proposed larger and larger machines.

$p\bar{p}$  2 TeV  
Tevatron



Muon Collider  
d=2km

$\mu^+\mu^-$  4 TeV

LHC  
d=8.4km

pp 14 TeV

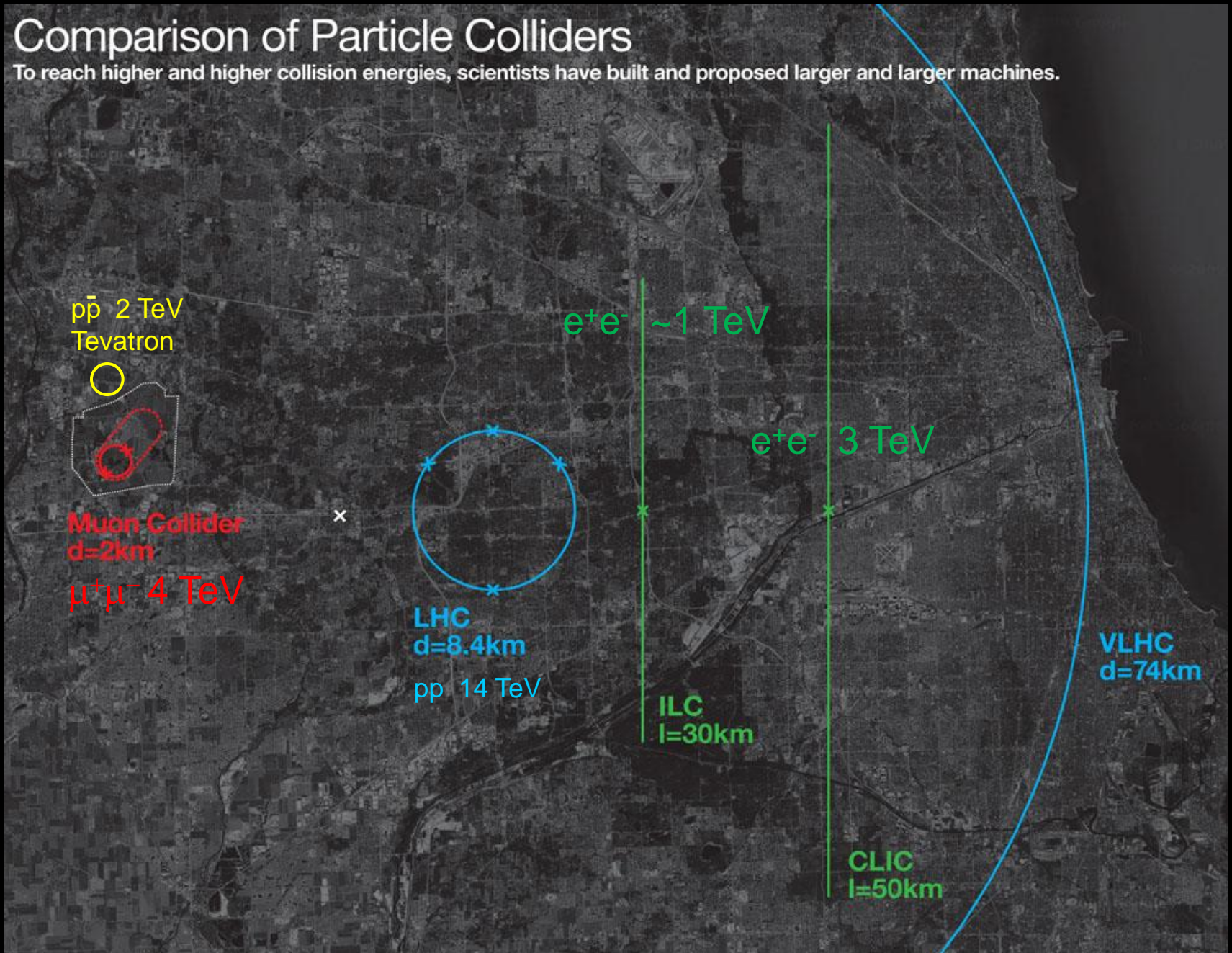
$e^+e^-$  ~1 TeV

$e^+e^-$  3 TeV

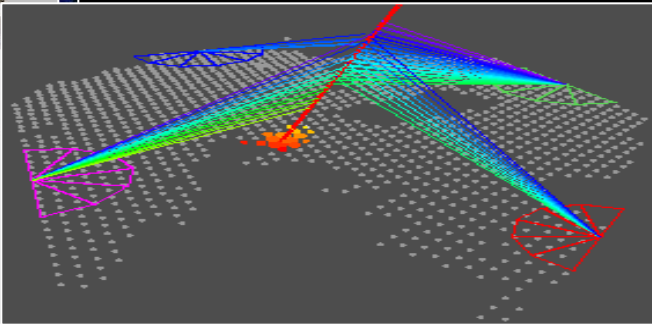
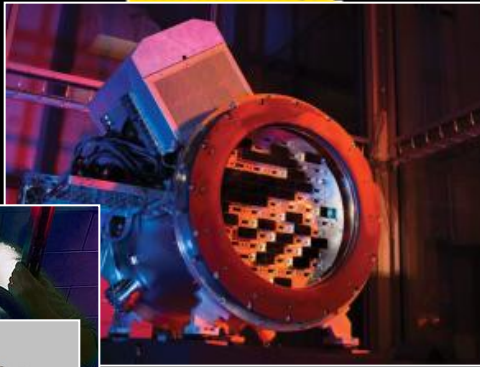
ILC  
l=30km

CLIC  
l=50km

VLHC  
d=74km



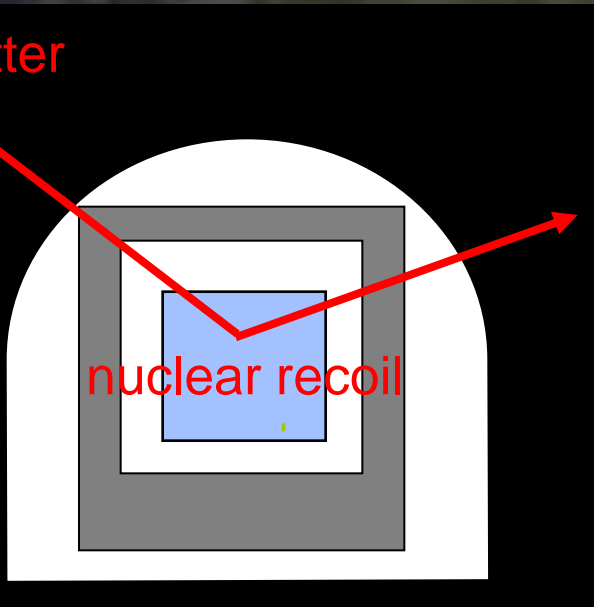
# Cosmic Frontier: Dark Matter & Dark Energy



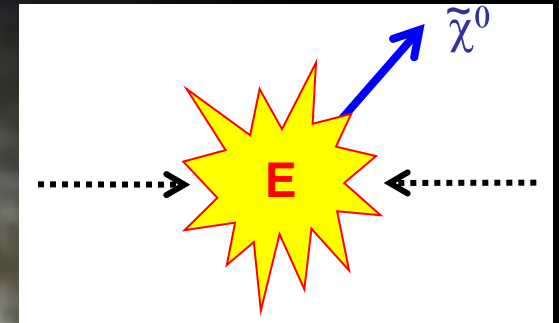
# Cosmic Frontier: Dark Matter

Underground experiments may detect Dark Matter candidates.

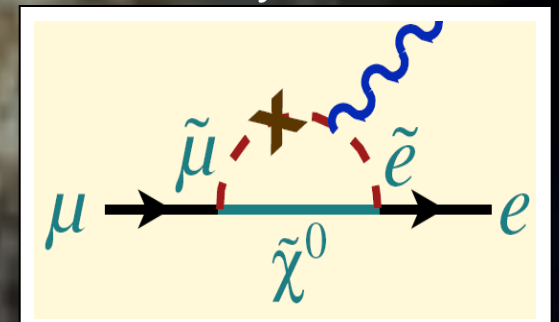
Dark Matter



Energy Frontier



Intensity Frontier

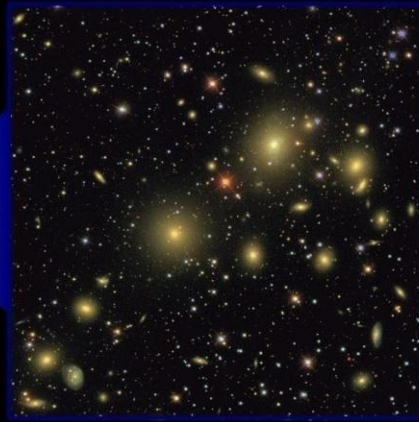


Accelerators can produce dark matter in the laboratory and understand exactly what it is.

Interplay: Energy – Intensity – Cosmic Frontiers

# Cosmic Frontier: Dark Energy

Telescopes (ground, space)



Sloan Digital Sky Survey  
(SDSS)

Dark Energy Survey  
(DES)



Joint Dark Energy Mission  
(JDEM)



# What are accelerators used for?

Today, 30,000 accelerators are in operation around world

- Discovery science



- Materials research / manufacturing



- National security



- Energy and the environment

- Medical sciences

# International Fellow

- Two students from African universities
  - Research at Fermilab
  - Fermilab scientists will supervise them
  - Duration: up to 2 years for each student
- <http://www.fnal.gov/pub/forphysicists/fellowships/international/index.html>

Have a wonderful school!

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