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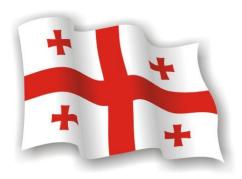
Fundamental Particles in the Standard Model

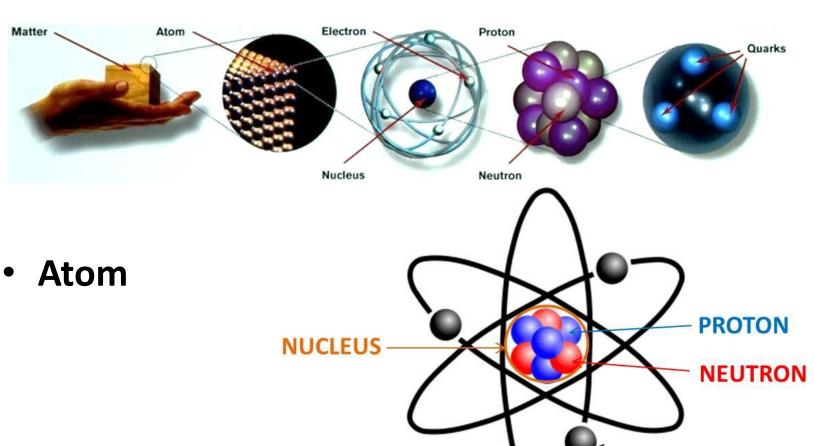
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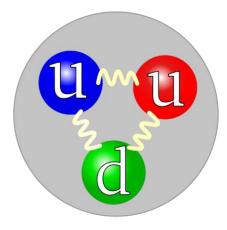




- Atom compositness.
 - * Neutrons.
 - * Protons.
 - * Electrons.

ELECTRON

Proton



$$\frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{3} = 1$$

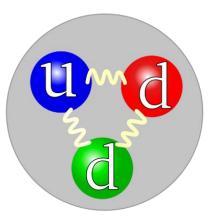
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Proton and neutron compositness.

* Naively: up and down quarks.

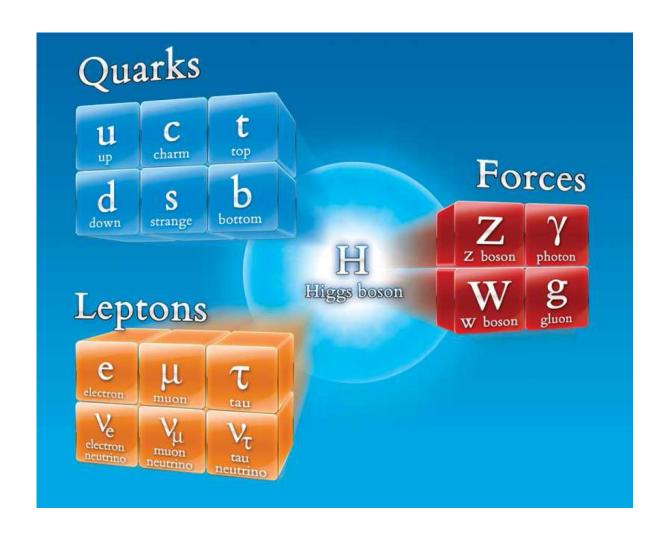
* In reality: dynamical objects made of Valence and sea quarks.
Gluons.

Neutron

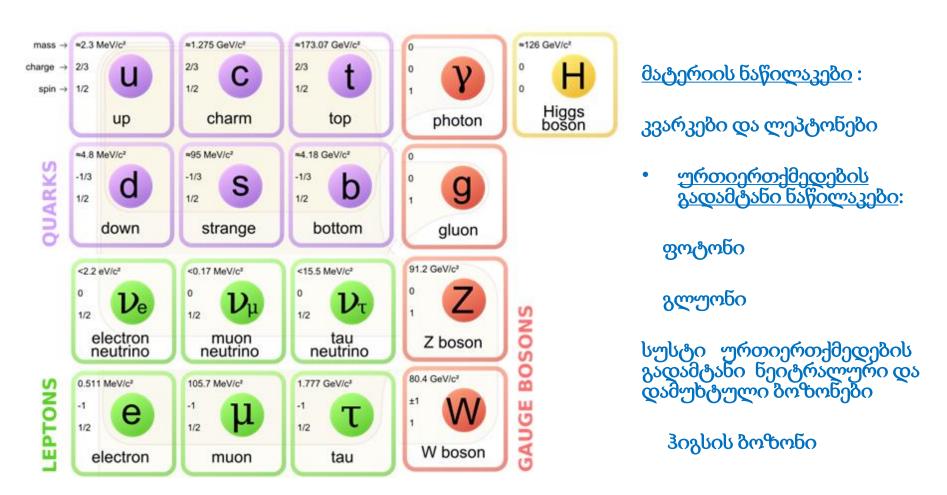


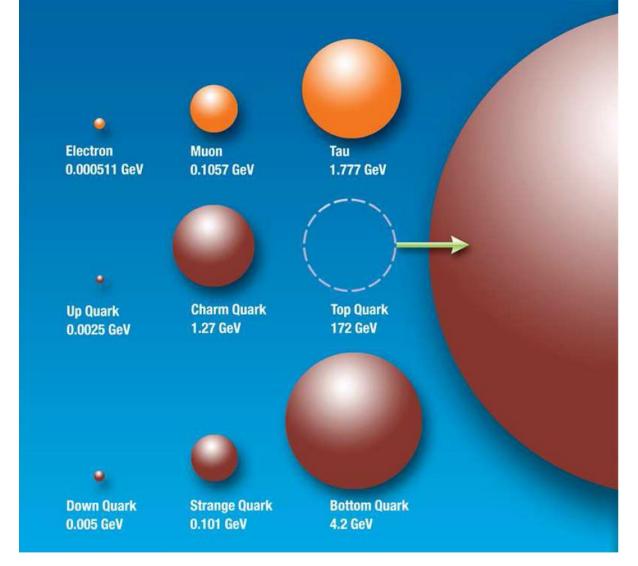
$$\frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{3} = 0$$

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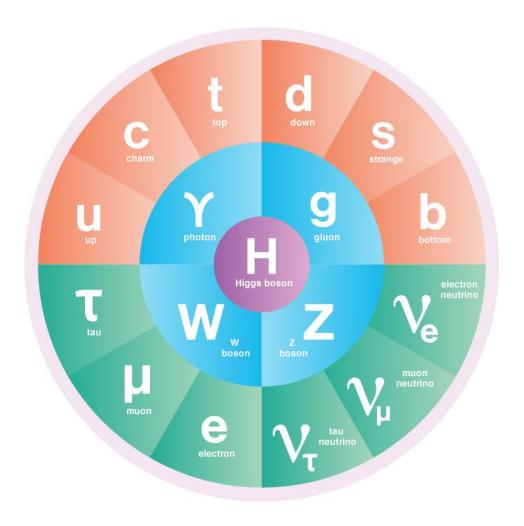




In addition, the associated antiparticles.

The only difference between generations lies in the (increasing) mass.

Experimental status [Particle Data Group Review].



- * All these particules have been observed.
- * Last ones: top quark (1995), tau neutrino (2000) and Higgs Boson (2012).





Discovered in 2012, the Higgs boson was the last missing piece of the Standard Model puzzle. It is a different kind of force carrier from the other elementary forces, and it gives mass to quarks as well as the W and Z bosons. Whether it also gives mass to neutrinos remains to be discovered.

Mass: 125 GeV; Spin: 0; Discovered at CERN

You can write(schematically) the Standard Model Lagrangian on your T-short



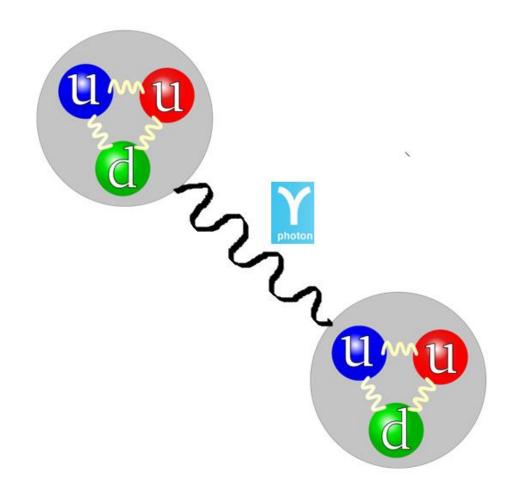
The Standard Model Lagranjian in detail

$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = -\frac{1}{2} \partial_{\nu} g^{\alpha}_{\rho} \partial_{\nu} g^{\alpha}_{\rho} - \mathcal{J}_{\sigma} f^{abc}_{\rho} \partial_{\mu} g^{\alpha}_{\rho} \partial_{\mu} g^{c}_{\rho} - \frac{1}{4} g^{2}_{\rho} f^{abc}_{\rho} \partial_{\mu} g^{c}_{\rho} \partial_{\mu} g^{c}_{\rho} - \partial_{\nu} W^{+}_{\rho} \partial_{\nu} W^{-}_{\rho} - \mathcal{M}^{2} W^{+}_{\mu} W^{-}_{\nu} - 2 \frac{1}{2} \partial_{\mu} Z^{0}_{\rho} - \frac{1}{2} \partial_{\mu} A_{\nu} \partial_{\mu} A_{\nu} - i g c_{w} (\partial_{\nu} Z^{0}_{\mu} W^{+}_{\mu} W^{-}_{\nu} - W^{+}_{\nu} W^{-}_{\nu} - W^{-}_{\mu} \partial_{\nu} W^{+}_{\nu}) - \mathcal{L}^{0}_{\mu} W^{+}_{\nu} \partial_{\nu} W^{-}_{\nu} \partial_{\nu} W^{+}_{\nu}) - \mathcal{L}^{0}_{\nu} W^{+}_{\nu} \partial_{\nu} W^{-}_{\nu} \partial_{\nu} W^{+}_{\nu}) + \mathcal{L}^{0}_{\nu} W^{+}_{\nu} \partial_{\nu} W^{+}_{\nu} \partial_{\nu} W^{+}_{\nu} \partial_{\nu} W^{+}_{\nu}) - \mathcal{L}^{0}_{\nu} g^{0}_{\nu} \partial_{\nu} W^{+}_{\nu}) + \mathcal{L}^{0}_{\nu} W^{+}_{\nu} \partial_{\nu} W^{+}_{\nu} \partial_{\nu} \partial_{$$

- Electromagnetism.
 - * Interactions between charged particles (quarks and charged leptons).
 - * Mediated by massless photons (spin one).
- Weak interaction.
 - * Interactions between the left-handed components of the fermions.
 - * Mediated by massive weak bosons W and Z (spin one).
 - * Self interactions between W and Z bosons (and photons) [see below...].
- Strong interactions.
 - * Interactions between colored particles (quarks).
 - * Mediated by massless gluons g (spin one).
 - * Self interactions between gluons.
 - * Hadrons and mesons are made of quarks and gluons.
 - * At the nucleus level: binding of protons and neutrons.
- Gravity.
 - * Interactions between all particules.
 - * Mediated by the (non-observed) massless graviton (spin two).
 - * Not described by the Standard Model.
 - * Attempts: superstrings, M-theory, quantum loop gravity, ...

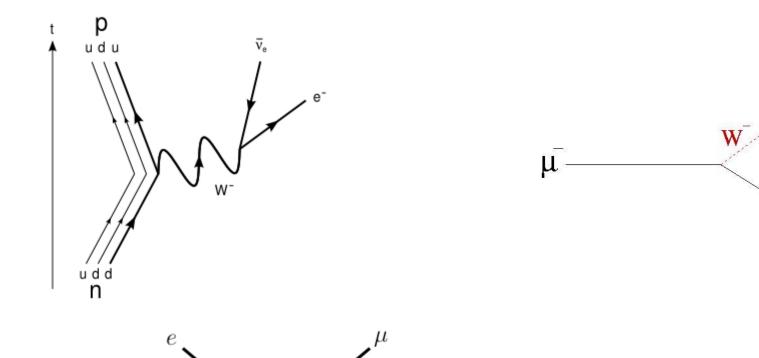
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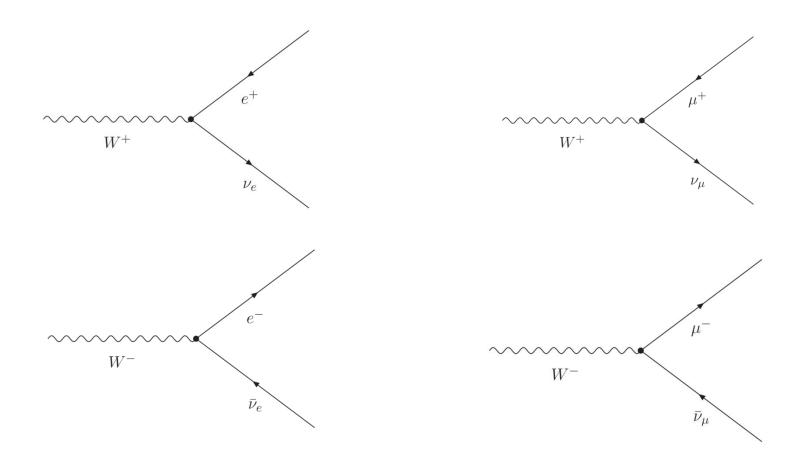
- * Interactions between charged particles (quarks and charged leptons).
- * Mediated by massless photons (spin one).



Weak interaction.

- * Interactions between the left-handed components of the fermions.
- * Mediated by massive weak bosons W and Z.
- * Self interactions between W and Z bosons

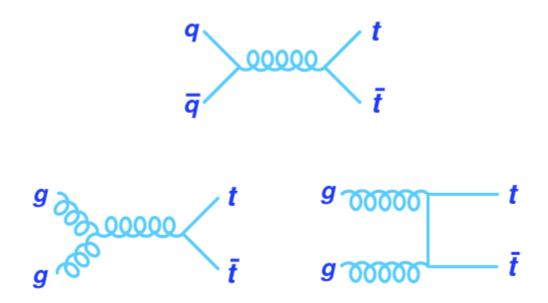


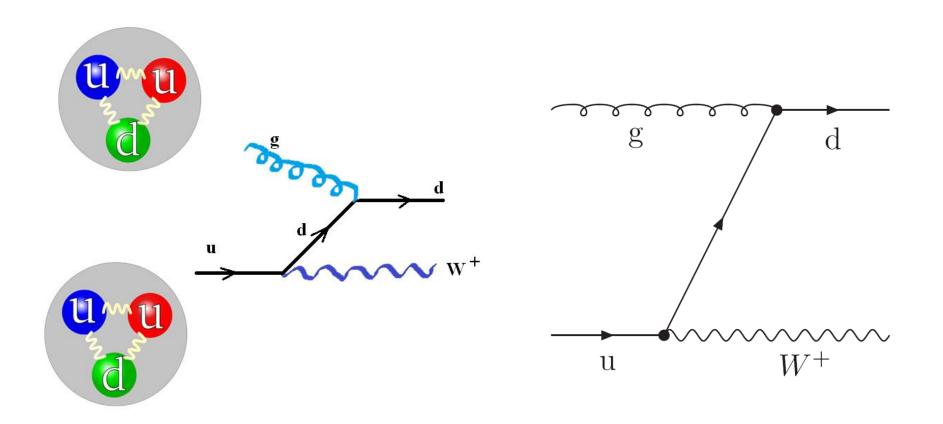


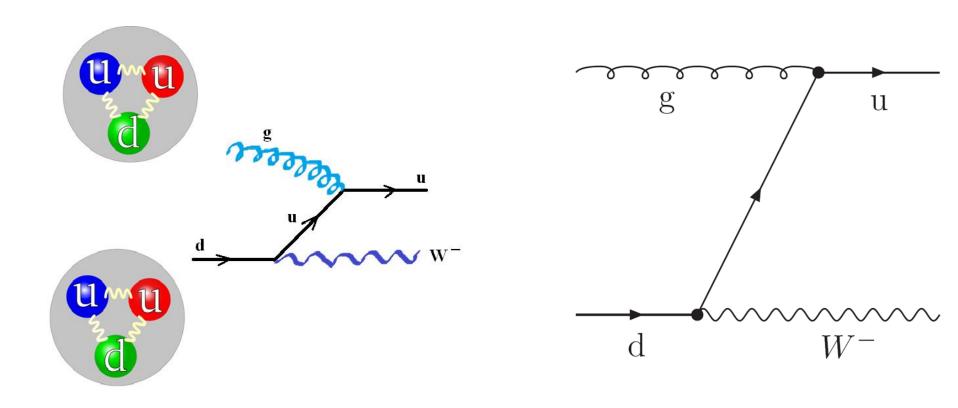
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Strong interactions.

- * Interactions between colored particles (quarks).
- * Mediated by massless gluons g (spin one).
- * Self interactions between gluons.
- * Hadrons and mesons are made of quarks and gluons.
- * At the nucleus level: binding of protons and neutrons.

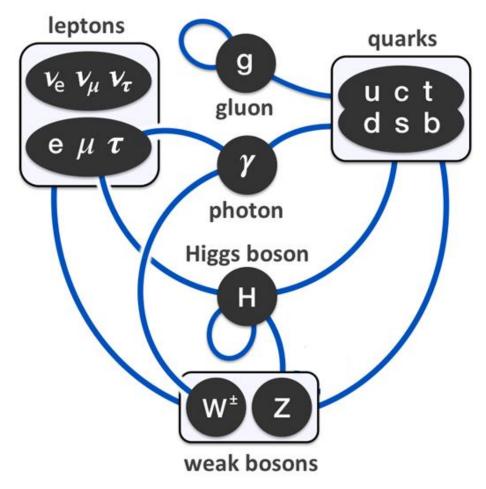


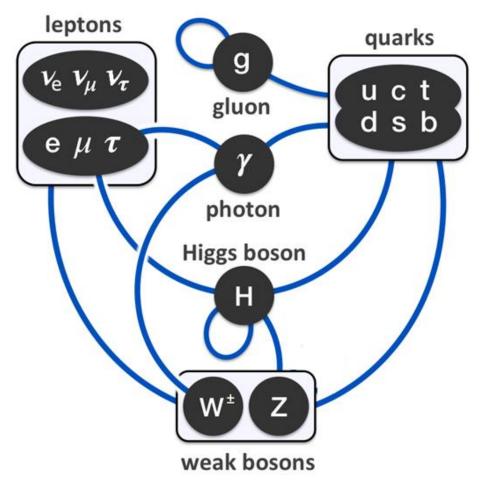




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Mass	2.3 MeV	1.275 GeV	172 GeV
Charge	2/3	2/3	2/3
Spin	1/2	1/2	1/2
Discovered	1968 SLAC	1997 Brookhaven & SLAC	1995 Fermilab

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Mass	4.8 MeV	95 MeV	172 GeV
Charge	-1/3	-1/3	-1/3
Spin	1/2	1/2	1/2
Discovered	1968 SLAC	1947(1964) Manchester University	1977 Fermilab

	electron	muon	T
Mass	0.511 MeV	105.66 MeV	1776.82 MeV
Charge	-1	-1	-1
Spin	1/2	1/2	1/2
Discovered	1897 Cavendish Laboratory	1937 Caltech & Harvard	1976 SLAC

	$V_{\rm e}$	V_{μ}	V_{τ}
Mass	<2 eV	<0.19 MeV	<18.2 MeV
Charge	0	0	0
Spin	1/2	1/2	1/2
Discovered	1956 Savannah River Plant	1962 Brookhaven	2000 Fermilab



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1923

Mass:

<1x10-18 eV

Discovered at:

Washington University

Charge:

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Spin:

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About:

The photon is the only elementary particle visible to the human eye—but only if it has the right energy and frequency (color). It transmits the electromagnetic force between charged particles.



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1983

Mass:

80.385 GeV

Discovered at:

CERN

Charge:

±1

Spin:

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About:

The W boson is the only force carrier that has an electric charge. It's essential for weak nuclear reactions: Without it, the sun would not shine.



Discovered in:

1983

Mass:

91.1876 GeV

Discovered at:

CERN

Charge:

0

Spin:

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About:

The Z boson is the electrically neutral cousin of the W boson and a heavy relative of the photon. Together, these particles explain the electroweak force



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Mass:

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Charge:

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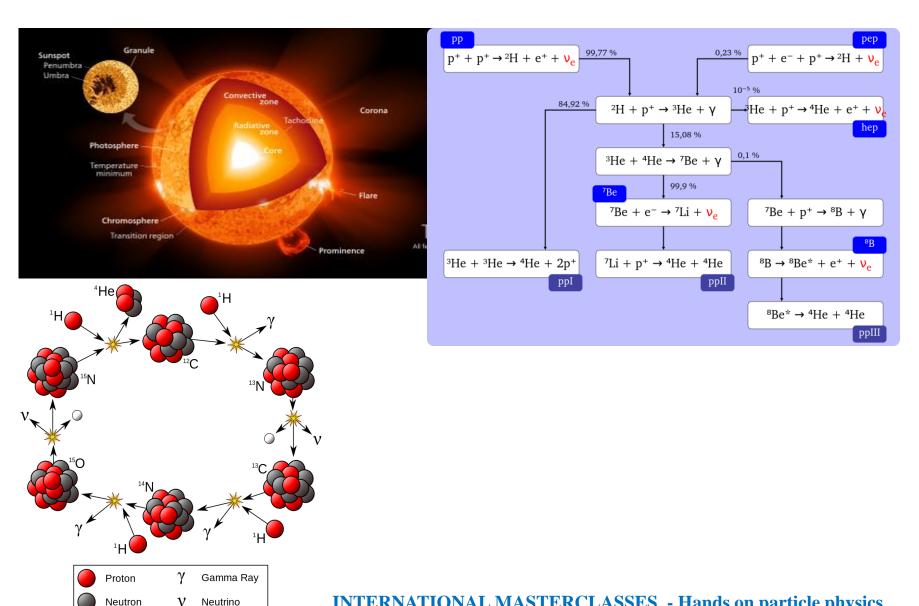
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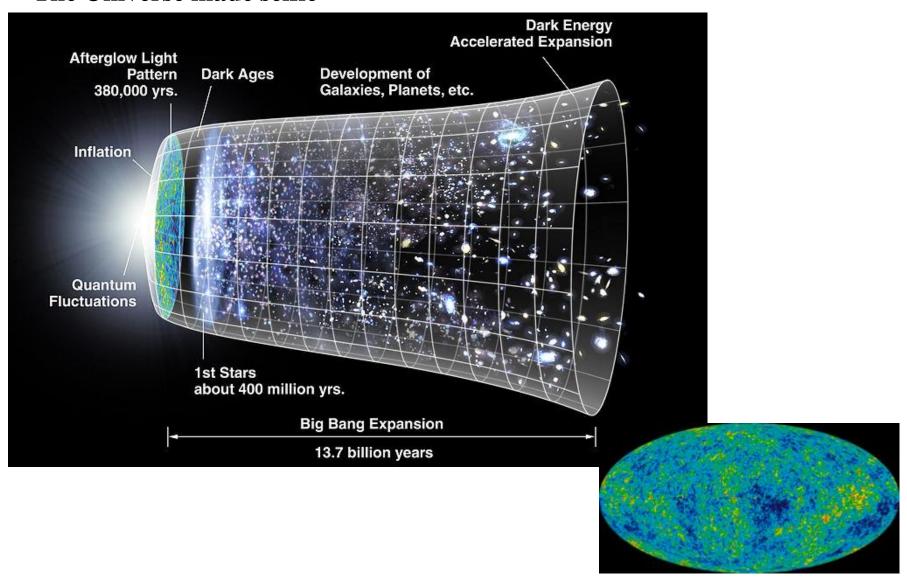
The gluon is the glue that holds together quarks to form protons, neutrons and other particles. It mediates the strong nuclear force.

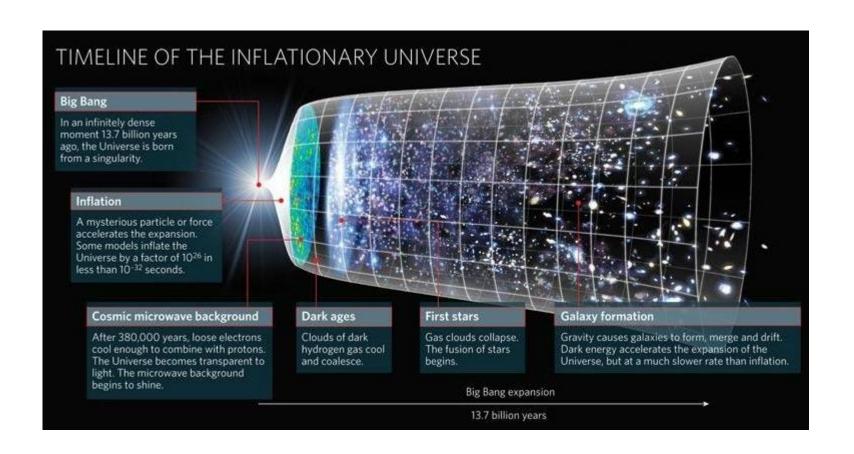
How the Sun shines

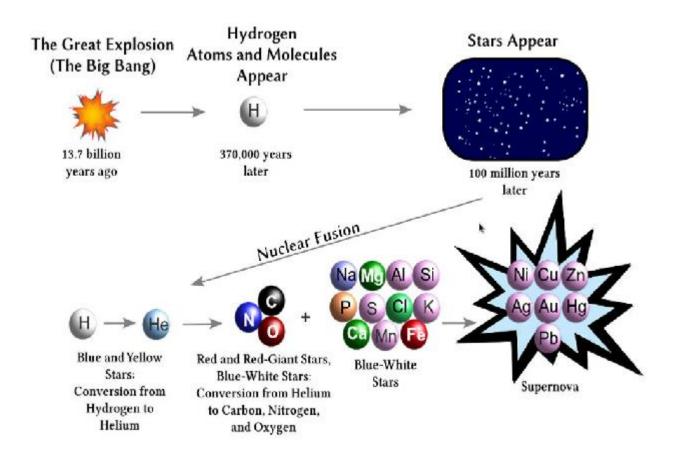
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The Universe made selfie







All of you (me too) are made from fundamental particles (stars remnant) via fundamental interactions