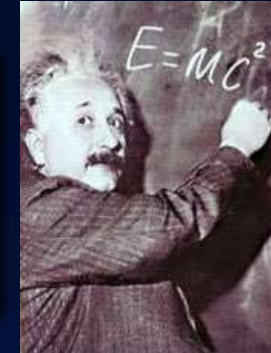




The Mission of CERN

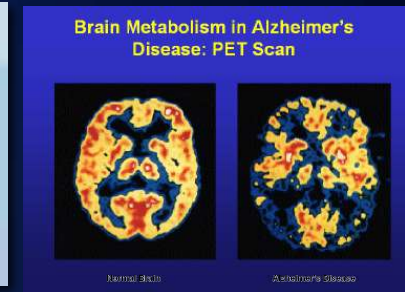
- **Push forward** the frontiers of knowledge

E.g. the secrets of the Big Bang - what was the matter like within the first moments of the universe's existence?



- **Develop** new technologies, accelerators and computing

Information technology
 Medicine - diagnosis and therapy

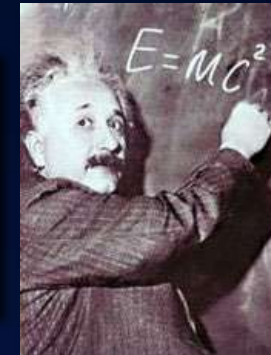




The Mission of CERN

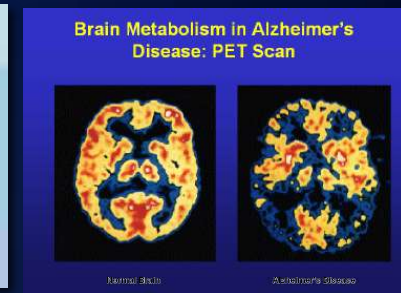
- **Push forward** the frontiers of knowledge

E.g. the secrets of the Big Bang ...what was the matter like within the first moments of the Universe's existence?



- **Develop** new technologies for accelerators and detectors

Information technology - the Web and the GRID
Medicine - diagnosis and therapy



- **Train** scientists and engineers of tomorrow



- **Unite** people from different countries and cultures



CERN was founded 1954: 12 European States

“Science for Peace”

Today: 21 Member States

~ 2300 staff
~ 1600 other paid personnel
~ 10500 users
Budget (2014) ~1000 MCHF

Member States: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Israel, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the United Kingdom

Candidate for Accession: Romania

Associate Member in Pre-Stage to Membership: Serbia

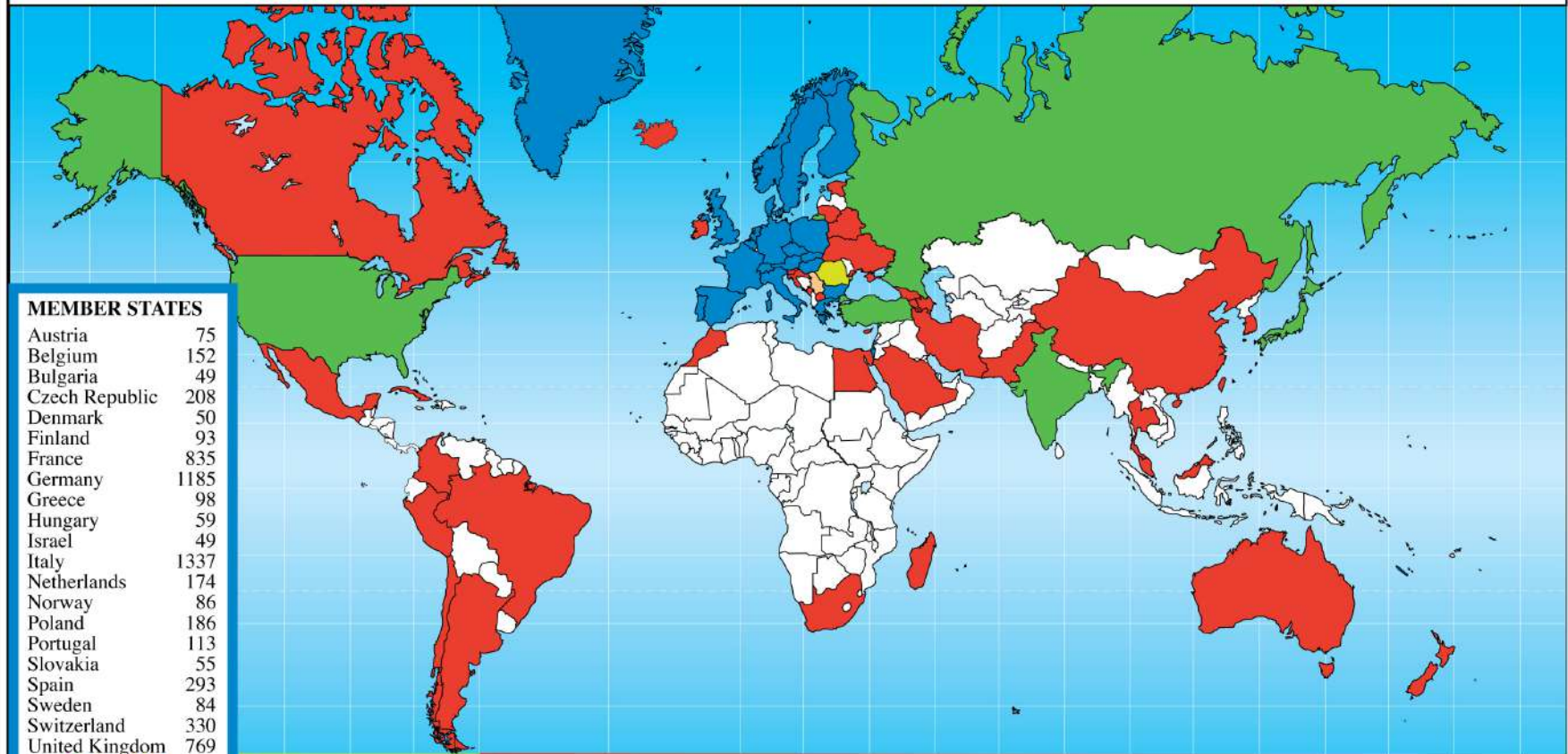
Applicant States for Membership or Associate Membership:
Brazil, Cyprus, Pakistan, Russia, Slovenia, Turkey, Ukraine

Observers to Council: India, Japan, Russia, Turkey, United States of America;
European Commission and UNESCO



Science is getting more and more global

Distribution of All CERN Users by Location of Institute on 14 January 2014



MEMBER STATES

Austria	75
Belgium	152
Bulgaria	49
Czech Republic	208
Denmark	50
Finland	93
France	835
Germany	1185
Greece	98
Hungary	59
Israel	49
Italy	1337
Netherlands	174
Norway	86
Poland	186
Portugal	113
Slovakia	55
Spain	293
Sweden	84
Switzerland	330
United Kingdom	769

6280

OBSERVERS

India	153
Japan	217
Russia	890
Turkey	110
USA	1724

3094

CANDIDATE FOR ACCESSION

Romania	86
---------	----

ASSOCIATE MEMBER IN THE PRE-STAGE TO MEMBERSHIP

Serbia	30
--------	----

OTHERS

Argentina	13	China	122	Iran	20	Pakistan	18
Armenia	16	China (Taipei)	71	Ireland	5	Peru	2
Australia	39	Colombia	10	Korea	105	Saudi Arabia	3
Azerbaijan	2	Croatia	23	Lithuania	13	Slovenia	25
Belarus	24	Cuba	3	Madagascar	3	South Africa	32
Brazil	116	Cyprus	13	Malaysia	8	Thailand	8
Canada	147	Egypt	18	Mexico	46	T.F.Y.R.O.M.	1
Chile	8	Estonia	17	Montenegro	1	Ukraine	24
		Georgia	11	Morocco	6		
		Iceland	4	New Zealand	5		

982

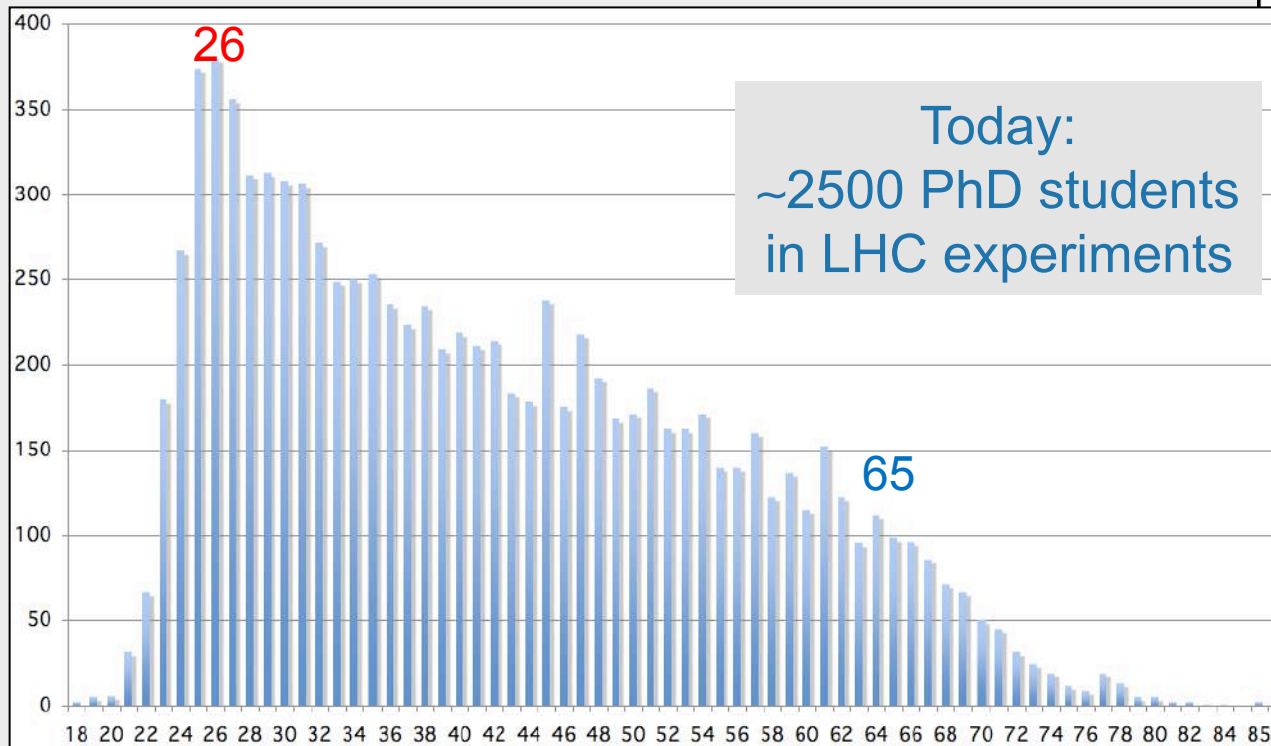




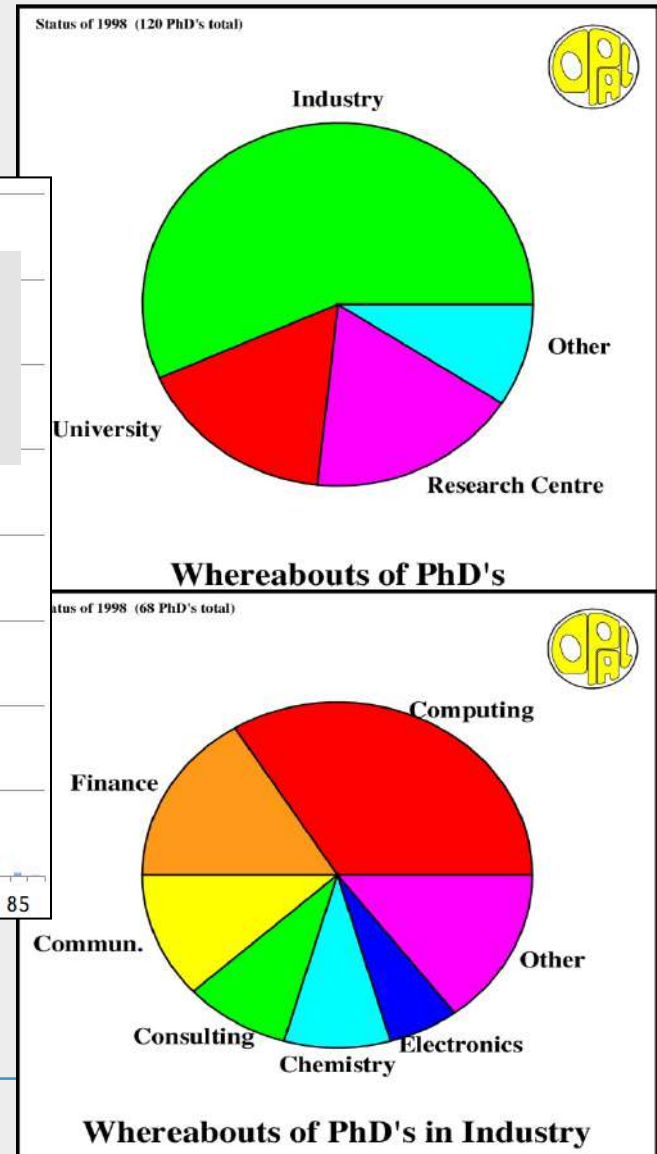
Age Distribution of Scientists

- and where they go afterwards

Survey in March 2009



They do not all stay: where do they go?



A peculiar ant colony, probably worth of a closer look



How Do We Manage This?

Contrary to popular belief, our community is rather elementary:

- It has simple rules, honed by centuries of practice
- It shares a common vision and a common set of values
- It is based on **collaboration AND competition**

Science is intrinsically **not democratic** (can't decide who is right by vote!) and therefore it has to be performed **with the most democratic tools:**

- Freedom of expression
- Peer reviewing
- Independency from political orientation, religion, social status, etc...

The scientists/engineers

Despite the usual cinematographic representation, in general
we DO NOT

- Wear white lab coats
- Live in ivory towers
- Find a revolutionary result every second day (scientist=genius)

We are a pragmatic community capable to address in a very material way grand and (apparently) immaterial questions, knowing that for every answer we might find, we will open more and unpredicted questions.

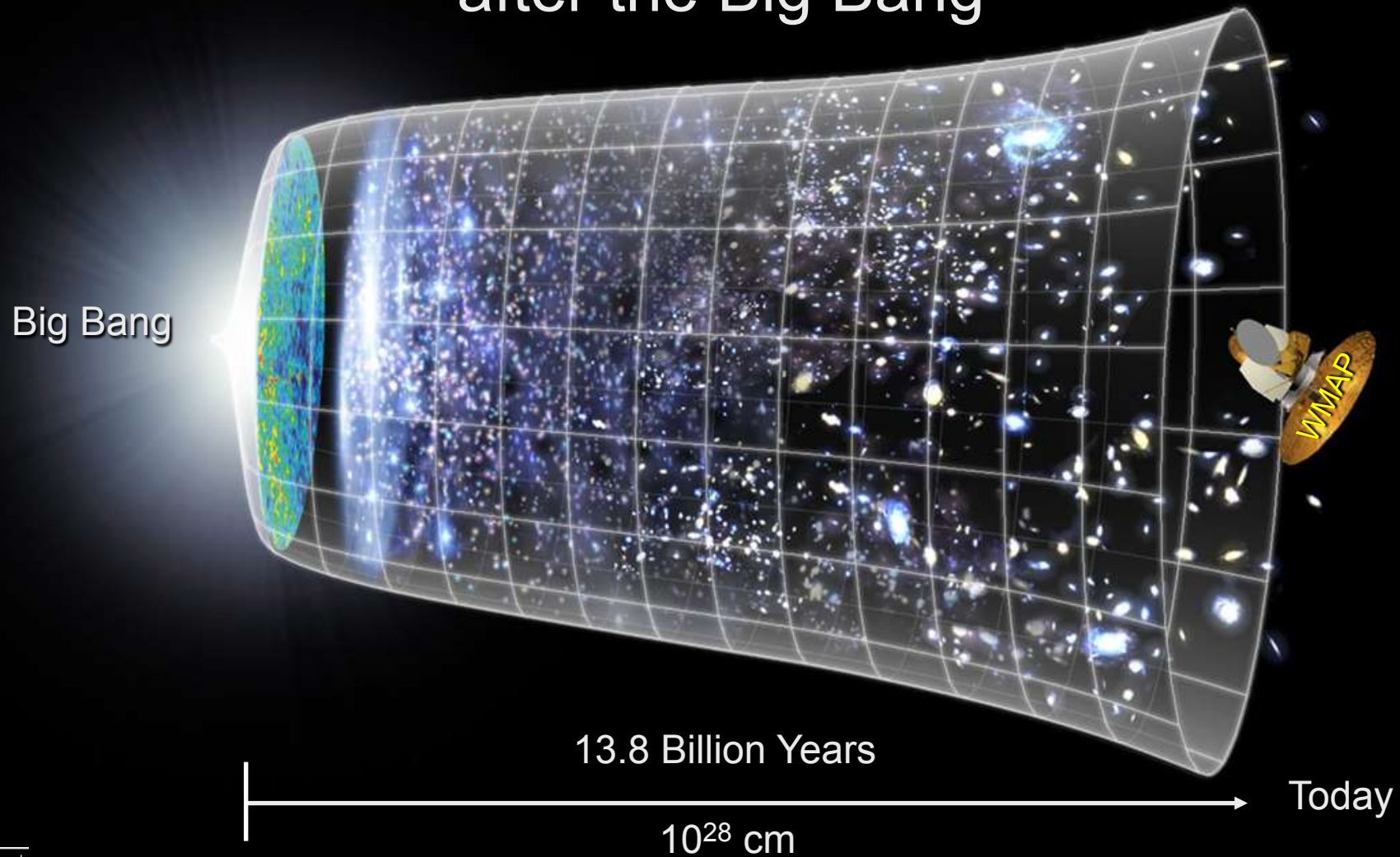
(we definitely prefer to be Ministers of Doubt than Kings of Truth: ubi dubium, ibi libertas)

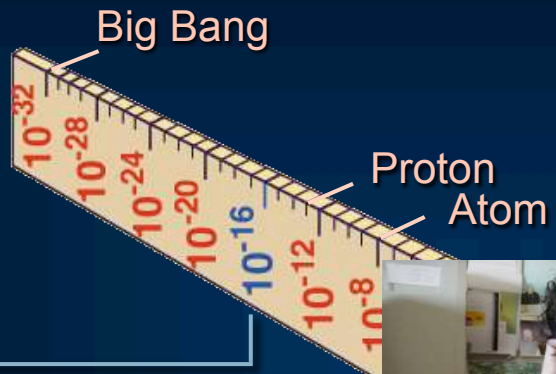
How can you manage such a community?

Need individualized, enabling and integrated structures **within supporting infrastructure to:**

- Allow everybody to keep his/her 5% of dream (i.e. the own original contribution to the advancement of Science), while operating in a very large symphony orchestra.
- Encourage the emergence of gifted performers/soloists
- Foster a leadership based on credibility and consensus more than on authority

Our Scientific Challenge: to understand the very first moments of our Universe after the Big Bang





Radius of Earth
 Earth to Sun



LHC

Radius of Galaxies
 Universe

Super-Microscope

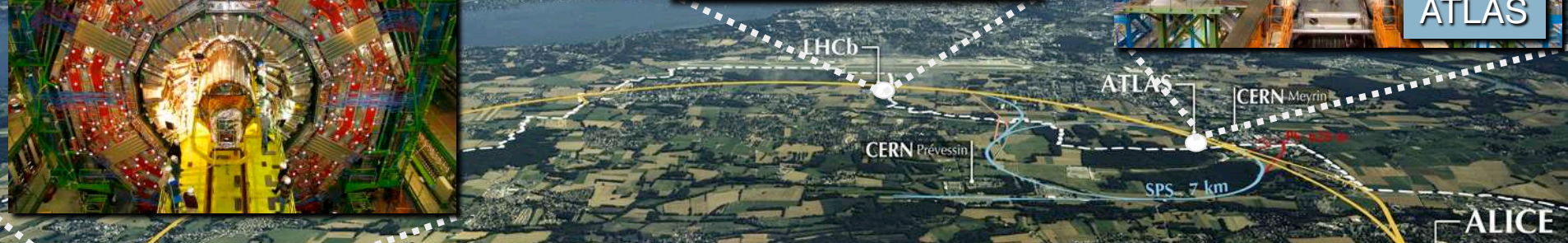
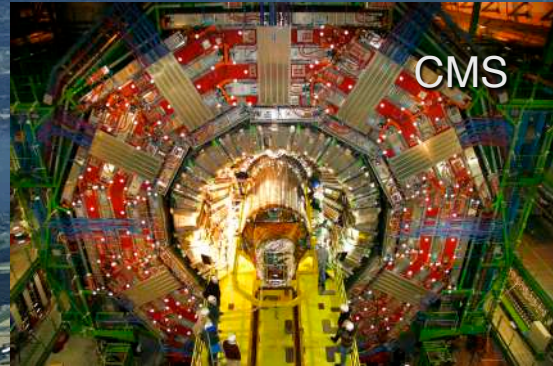


Study physics laws of first moments after Big Bang
 increasing Symbiosis between Particle Physics,
 Astrophysics and Cosmology



cm

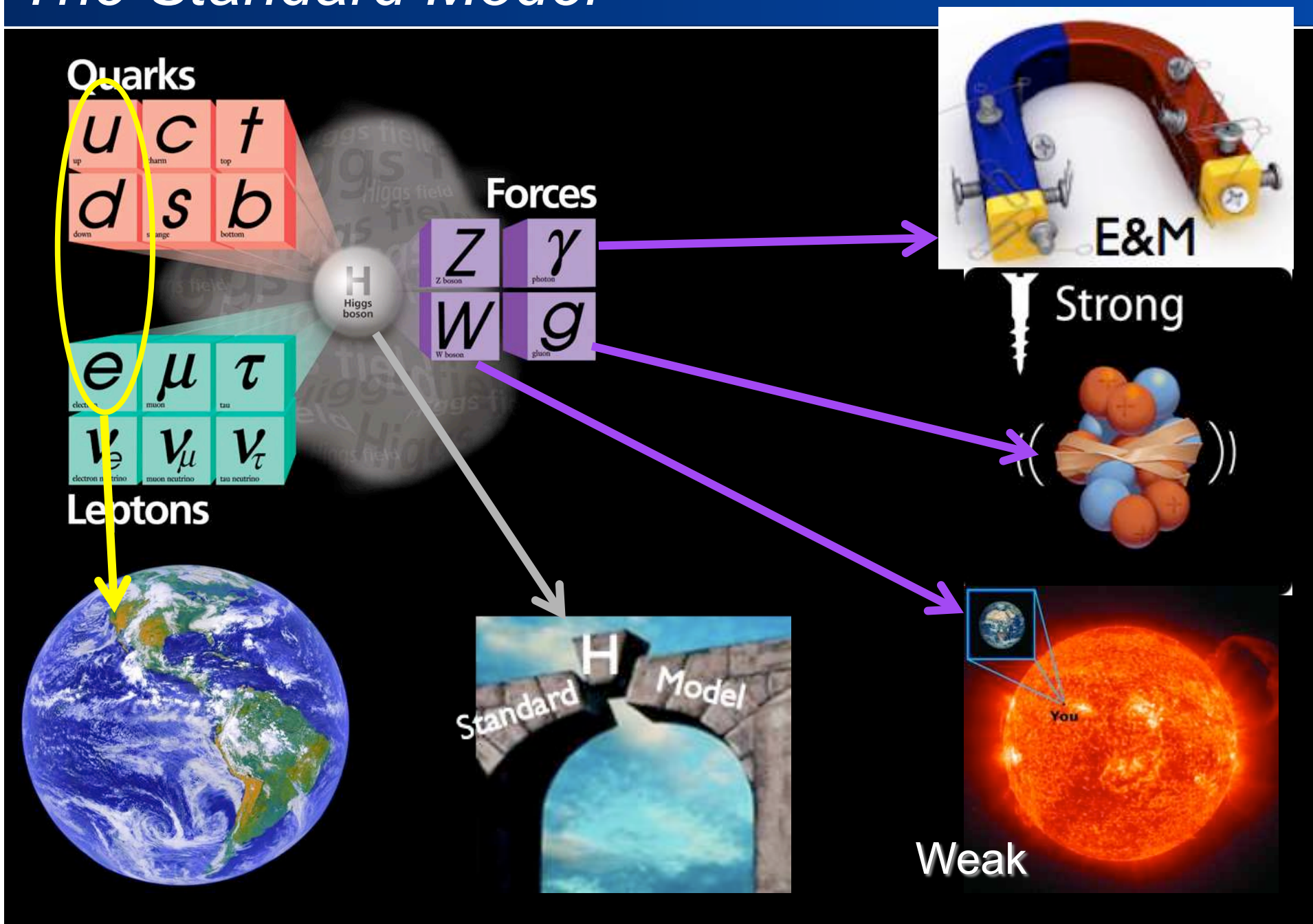
Enter a New Era in Fundamental Science



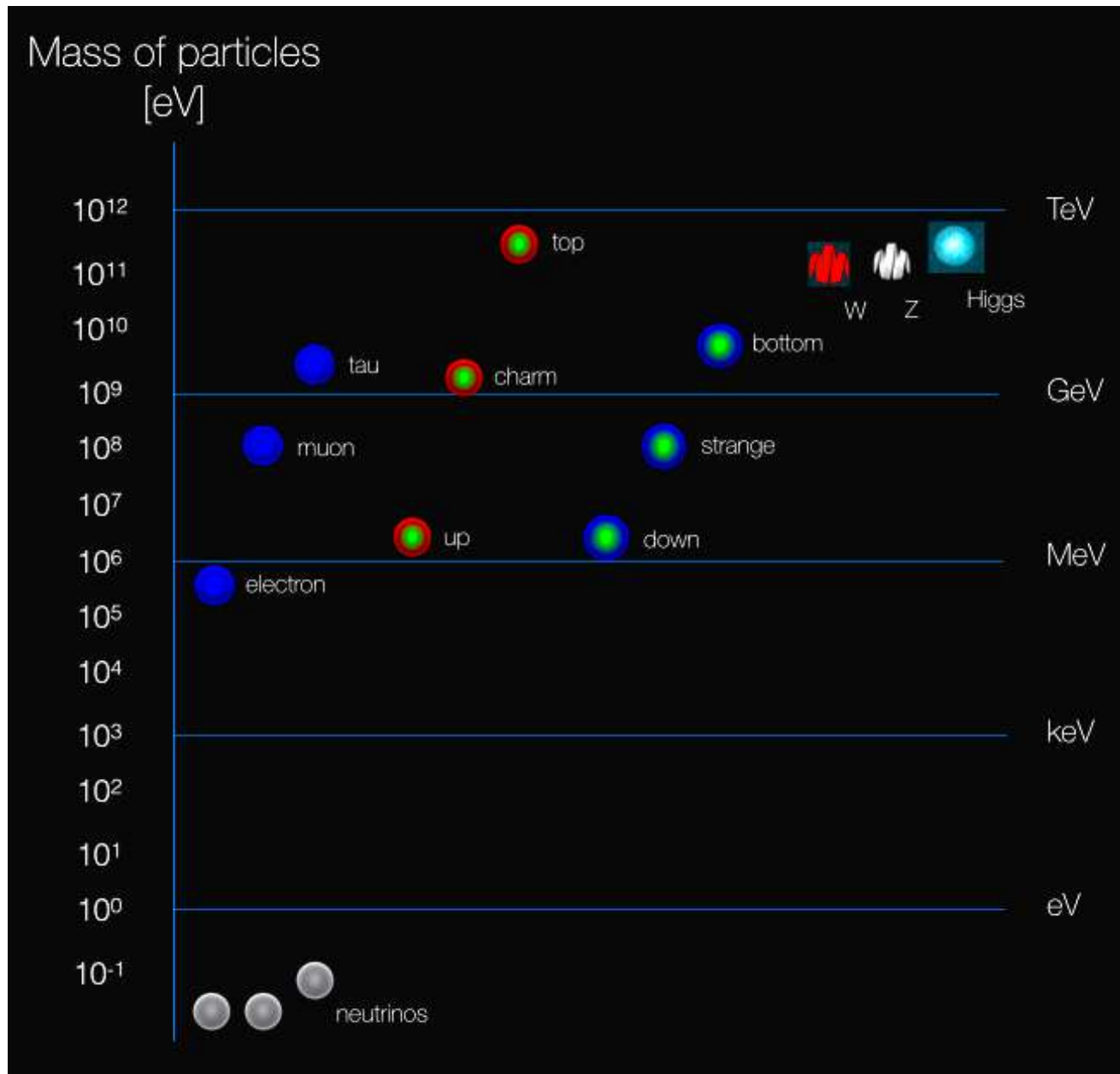
Since March 2010 exploration of a new energy frontier in p-p and Pb-Pb collisions



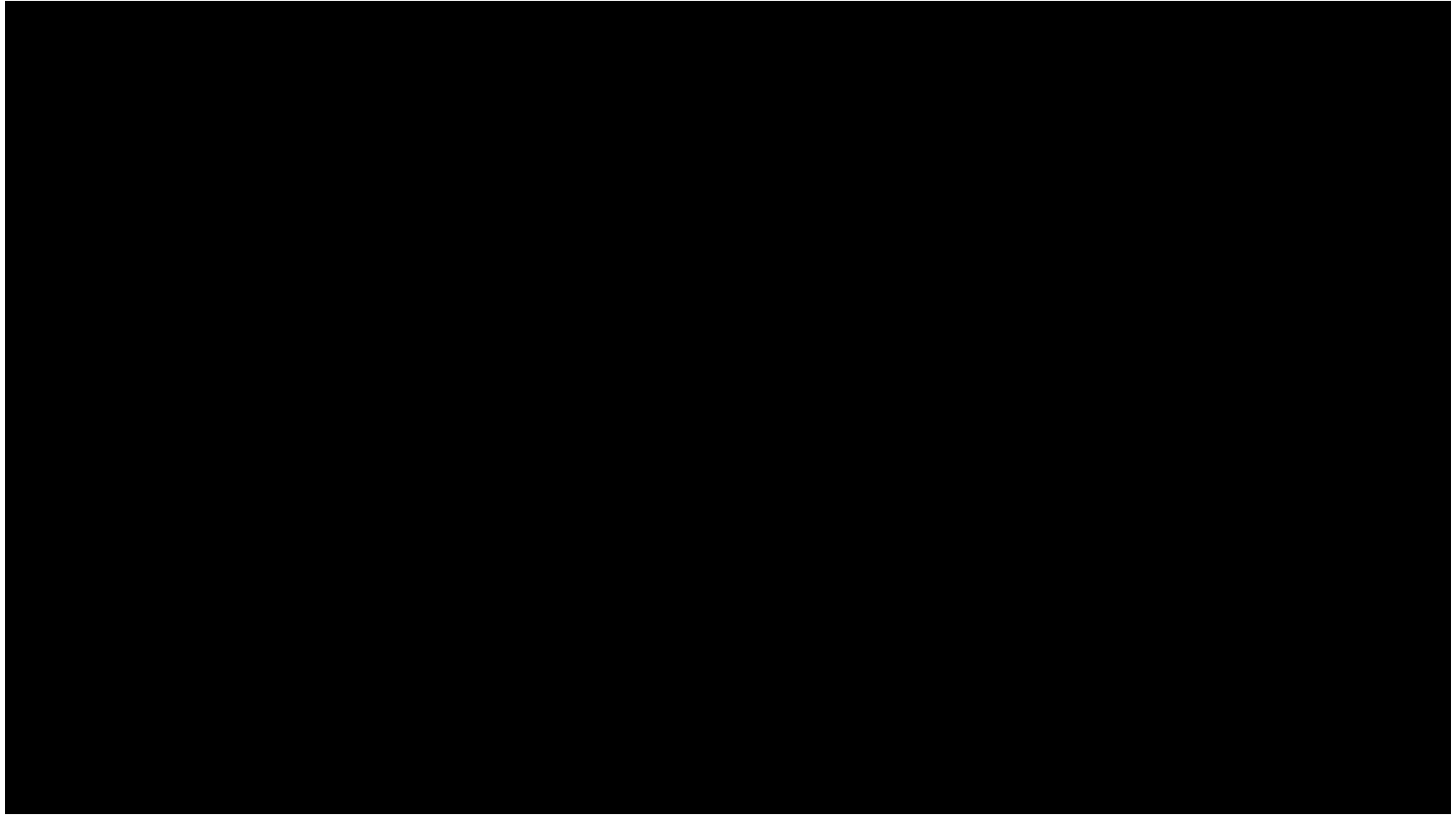
The Standard Model



How do particles obtain their mass ?



The mystery of mass

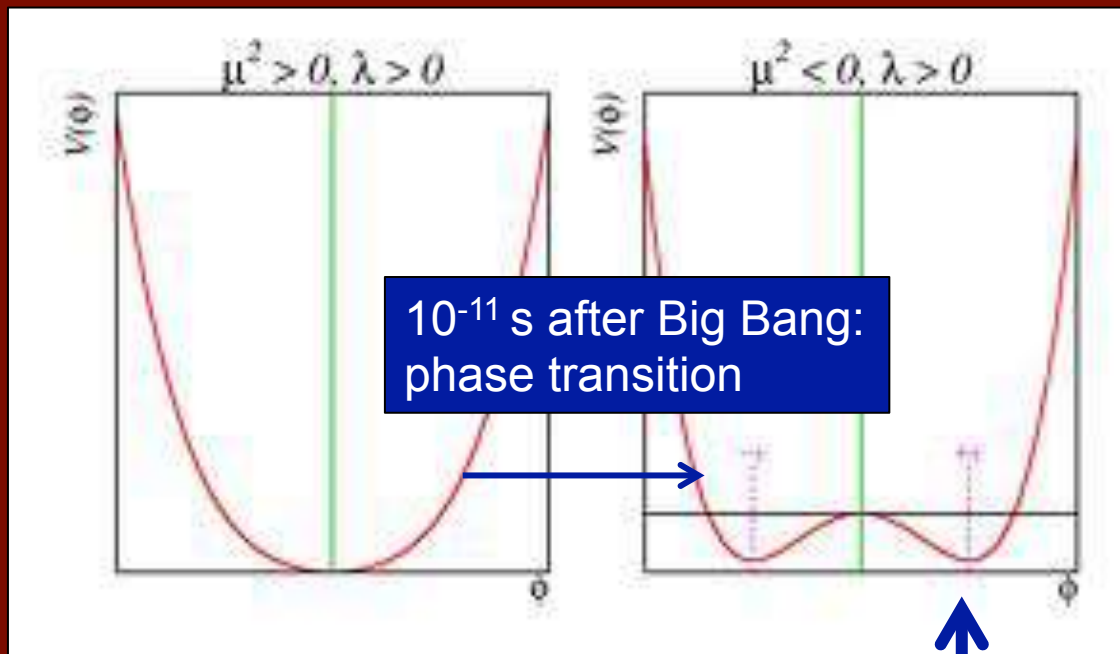


Massless particles have to move with the speed of light

THEY CANNOT FORM SOLID OBJECTS

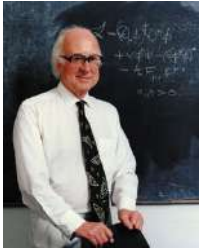
How does the Higgs mechanism work ? An over-simplified picture ...

At the time of the Big Bang particles were all massless (\rightarrow were moving at speed of light) and Higgs field was there as a "non-interacting ether" (minimum of Higgs potential = 0).



About 10^{-11} s after the Big Bang \rightarrow temperature became low enough for phase transition (\rightarrow minimum of Higgs potential became negative) \rightarrow ether becomes "molasses" \rightarrow particles interacting with "molasses" acquire a mass and are slowed down

The Brout-Englert-Higgs (BEH) field idea



Sir Peter Higgs

The 'cocktail party' explanation of the Higgs mechanism



A cocktail party ...

The BEH field



... a massless particle enters...



.. but the guests cluster around and slow down its movement...

The 'Higgs boson'



A rumour is spreading among
the guests ...



. they cluster together to exchange
the information among themselves...

The BEH field ...

*... is excited by an energy concentration
and forms an excitation by self-interaction ...*

The Higgs mechanism



Exciting the Brout-Englert-Higgs field: the “Higgs boson”



.. but this happens on average once per 10,000,000,000 (10^{10}) collisions !

The Higgs boson can decay in two photons ...

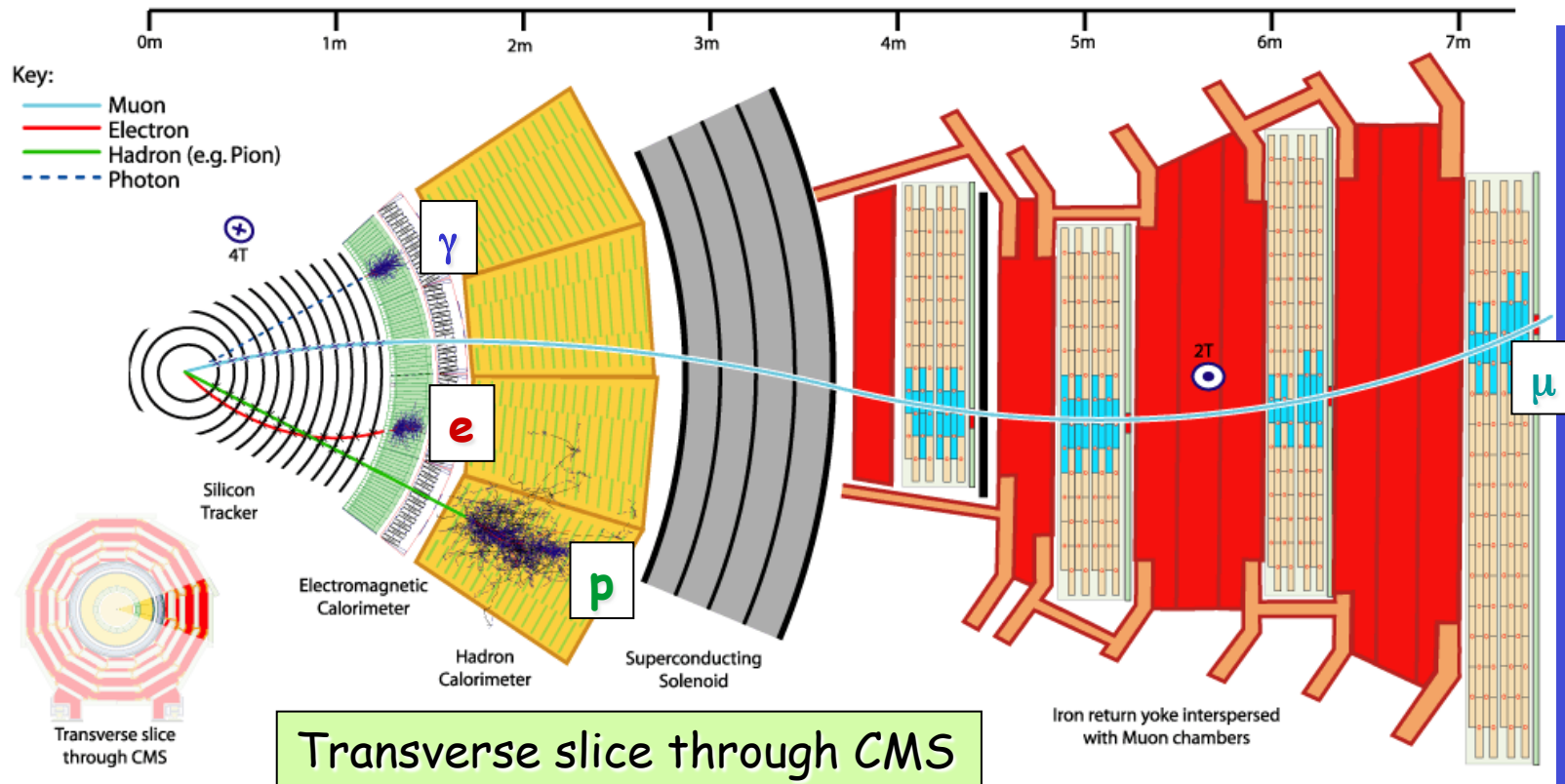
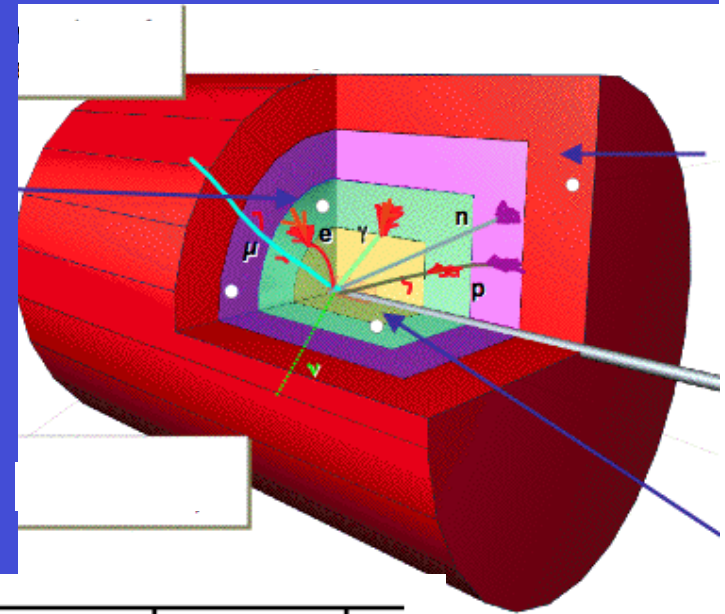


but only with a probability of 0.2 %



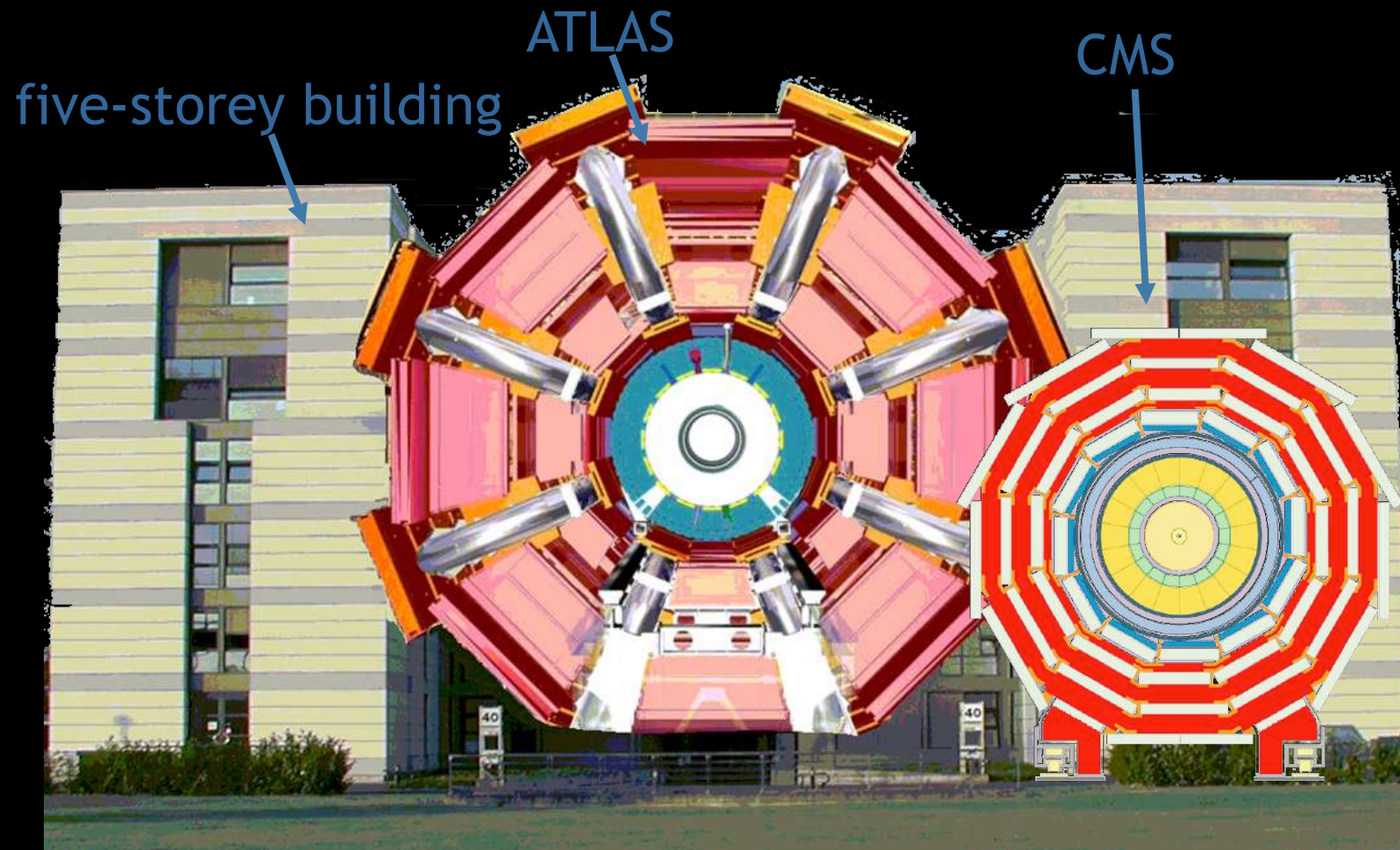
Detectors for particle physics

Cover the whole angular range around the collision point to detect as many particles produced in the collision as possible.



Transverse slice through CMS

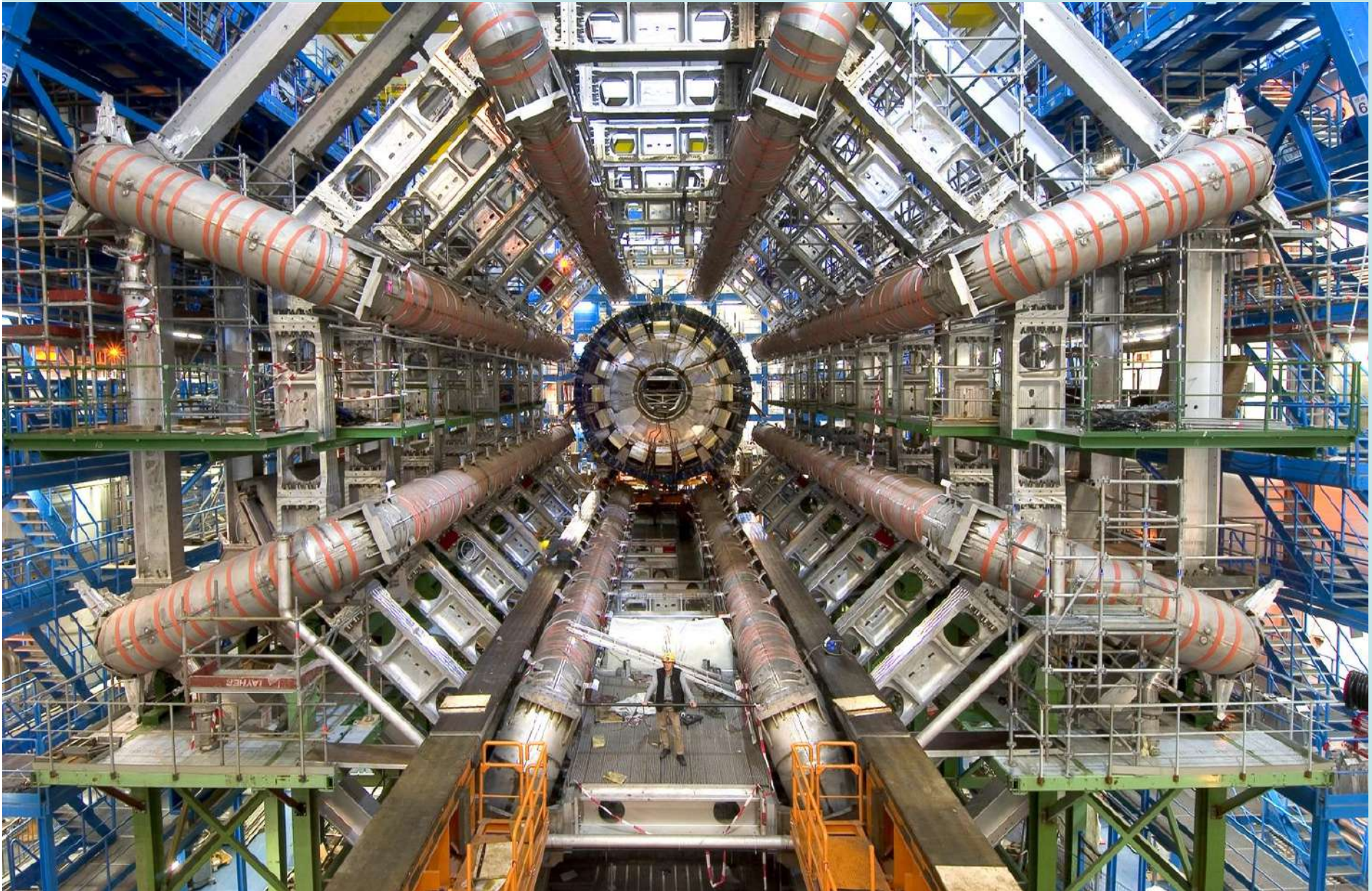
The LHC experiments:
about 100 million “sensors” each
[think your 6MP digital camera...
...taking 40 million pictures a second]



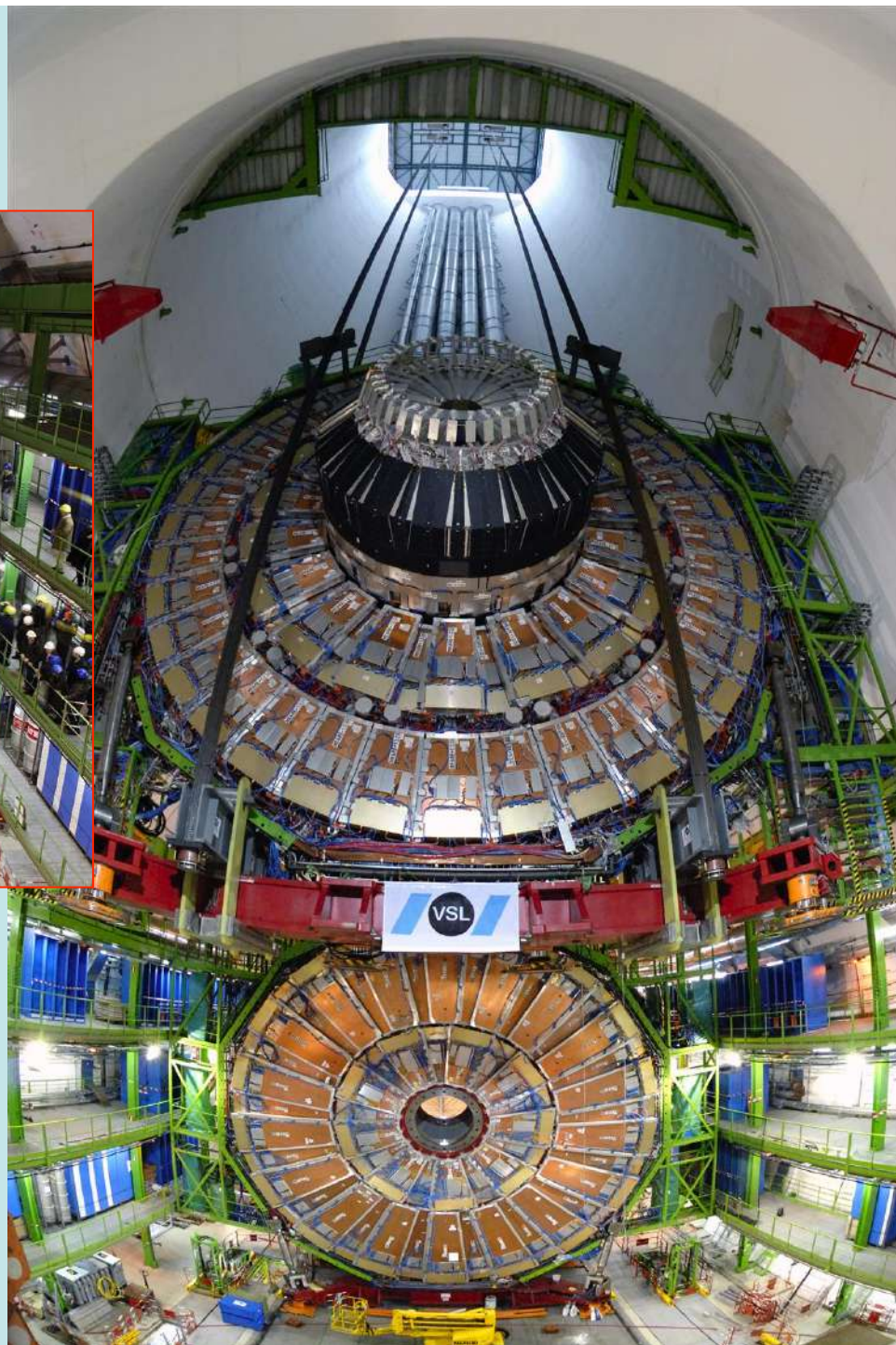
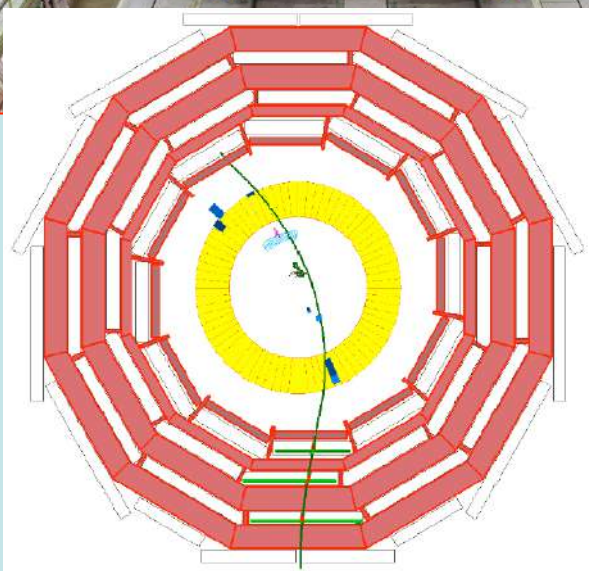
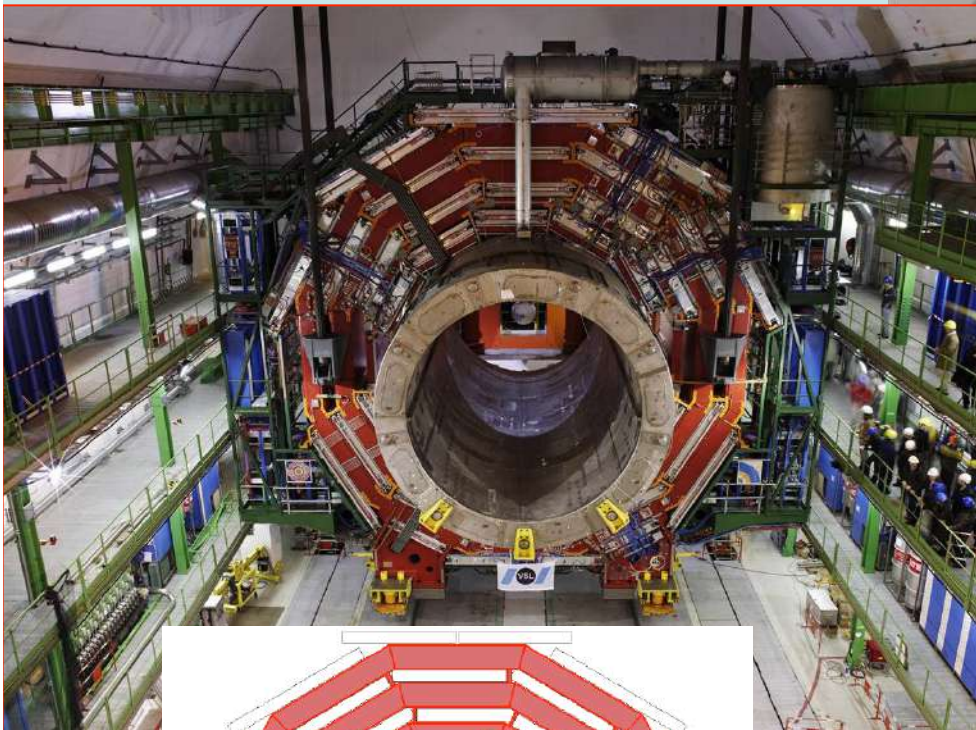


ATLAS cavern (-100 m) in June 2003

October 2005: Barrel toroid magnet system in place



The CMS experiment



The LHC data

- 40 million events (pictures) per second
- Select (on the fly) the ~500 interesting events per second to write on tape
- “Reconstruct” data and convert for analysis into “physics data” [→ the grid...]

(x4 experiments x15 years)

Raw data

Per event

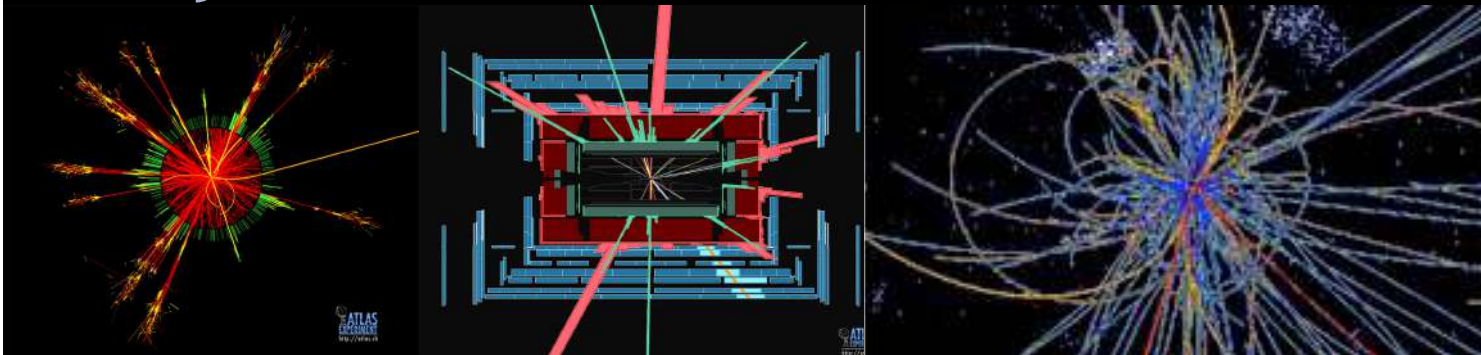
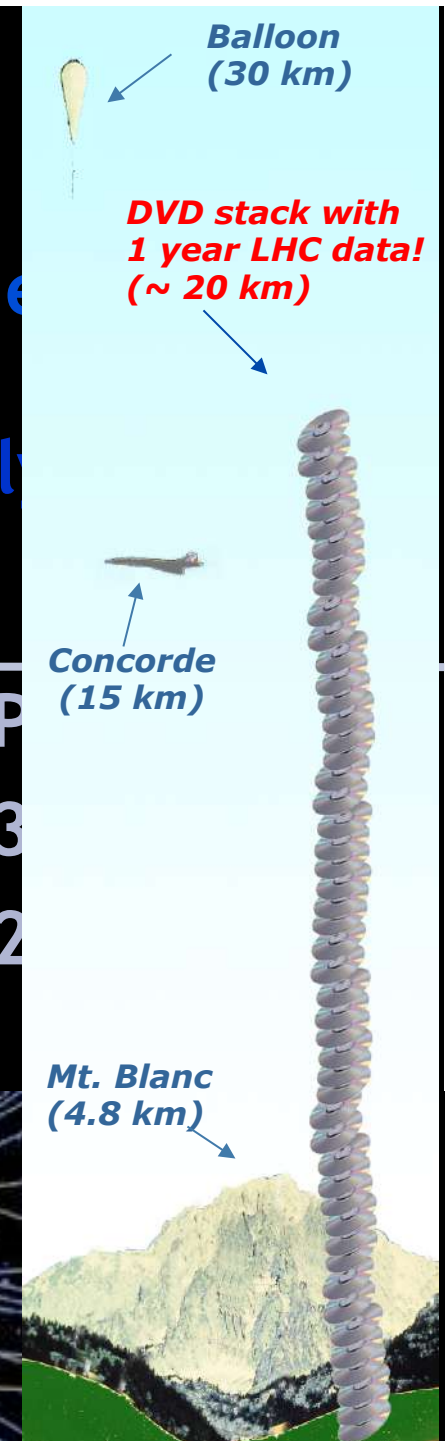
1.6 MB

Reconstructed data

1.0 MB

Physics data

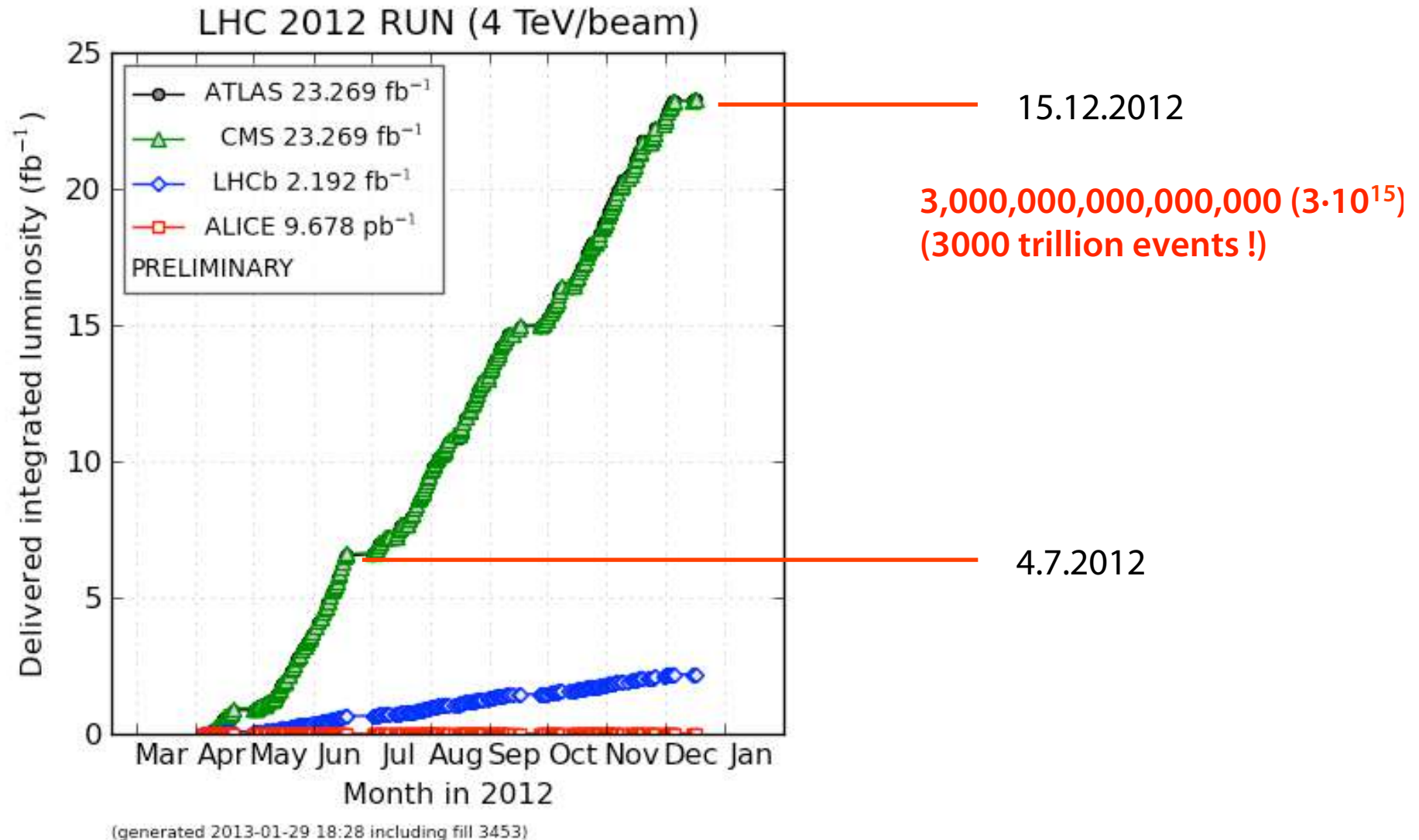
0.1 MB



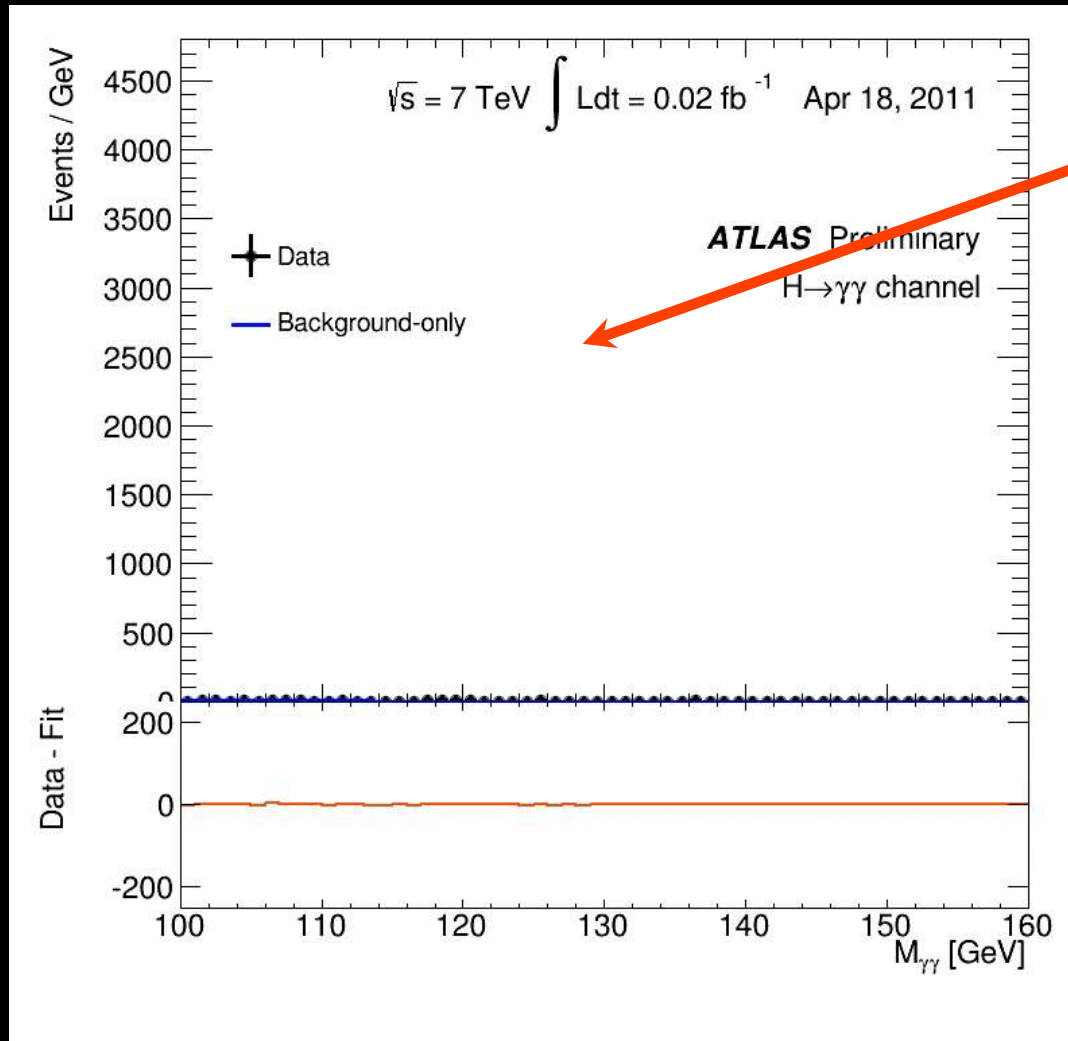
Astronomy & Astrophysics
Civil Protection
Computational Chemistry
Comp. Fluid Dynamics
Computer Science/Tools
Condensed Matter Physics
Earth Sciences
Finance
Fusion
High Energy Physics
Humanities
Life Sciences
Material Sciences
Social Sciences

~285 sites
48 countries
>350,000 CPU cores
>300 PetaBytes disk, >200PB tape
>13,000 users
>12 Million jobs/month
21:13:50 UTC

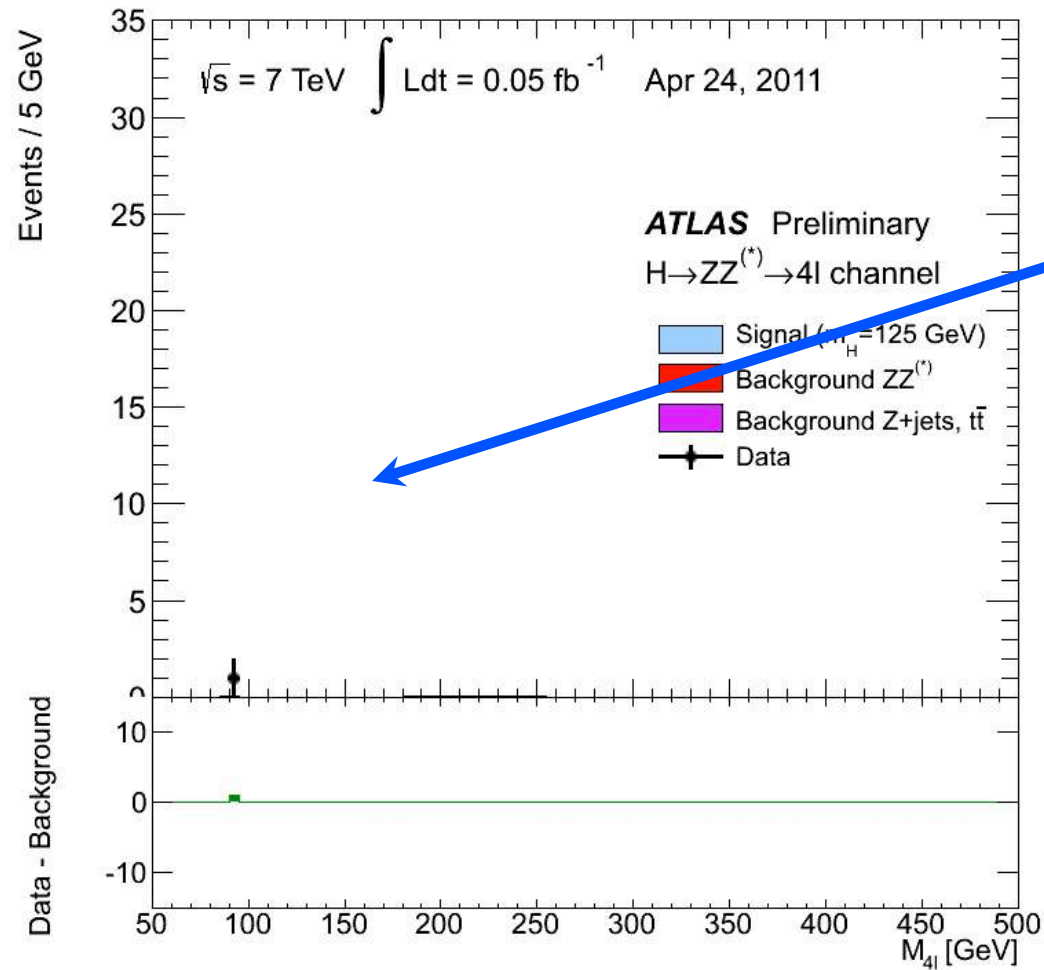
The CERN hunt for the Higgs boson



The evolution of the histogram with two-photon events

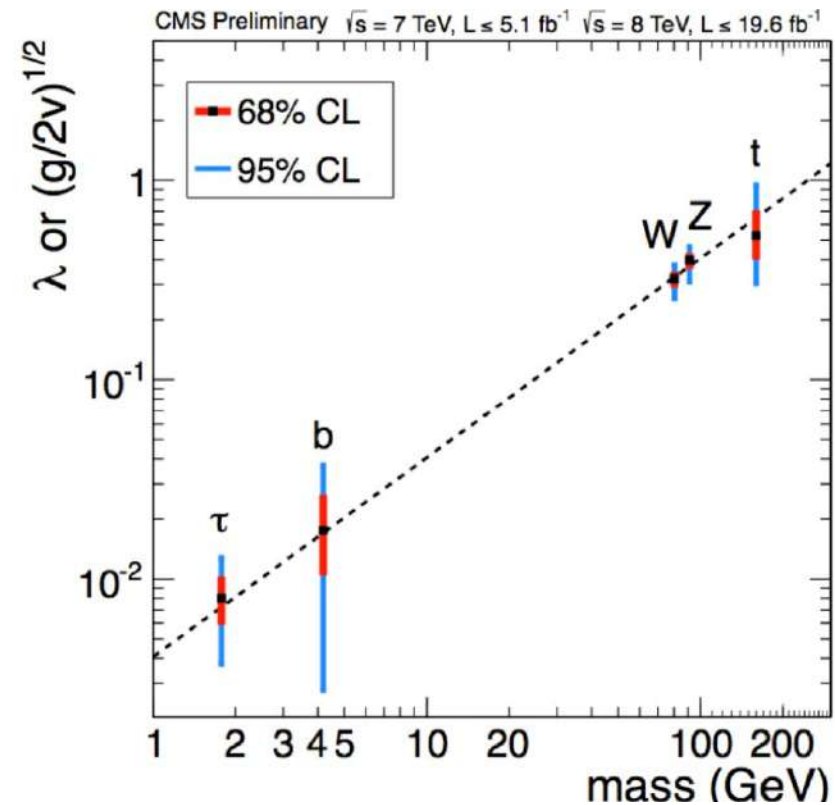
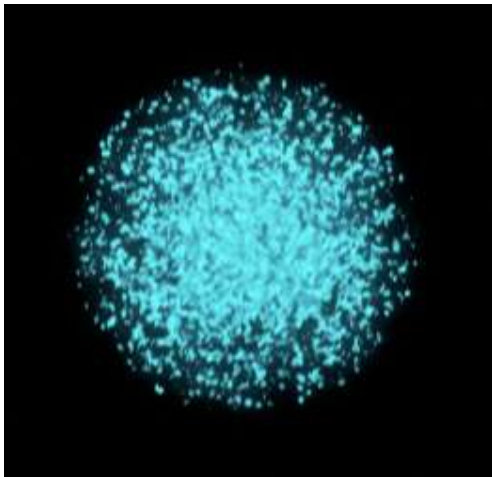


The evolution of the histogram with four leptons



Status 2014: the new particle is the Higgs boson

proportional to the mass of the decay particles



Theoretical expectations compatible with observations



Even more:

What does this mean?

- the Higgs boson exists, therefore ...
- the Brout-Englert-Higgs field exists
- we know how particles obtain their mass
- the "Standard model" is complete

- empty space is not 'empty'
- perhaps a connection to 'dark energy' ?

Nobel Prize in Physics 2013

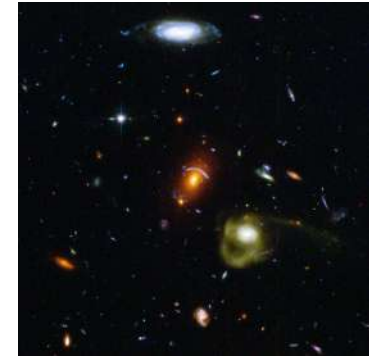
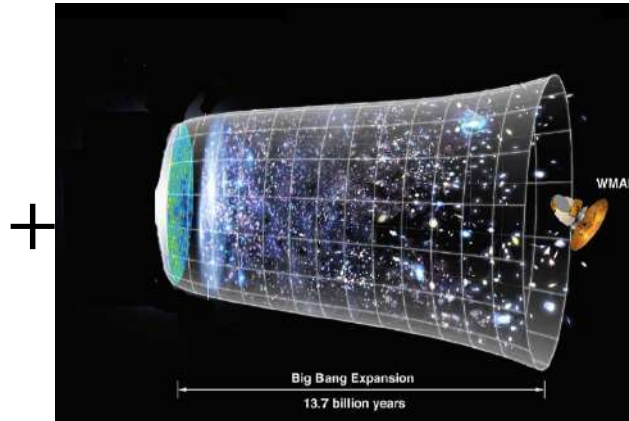
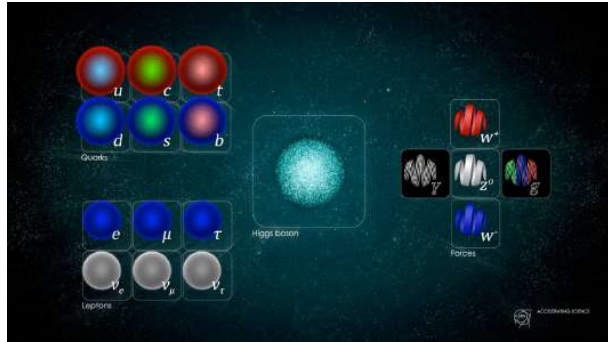


The Nobel Prize in Physics 2013 was awarded jointly to François Englert and Peter W. Higgs *"for the theoretical discovery of a mechanism that contributes to our understanding of the origin of mass of subatomic particles, and which recently was confirmed through the discovery of the predicted fundamental particle, by the ATLAS and CMS experiments at CERN's Large Hadron Collider"*.



Particle
physics

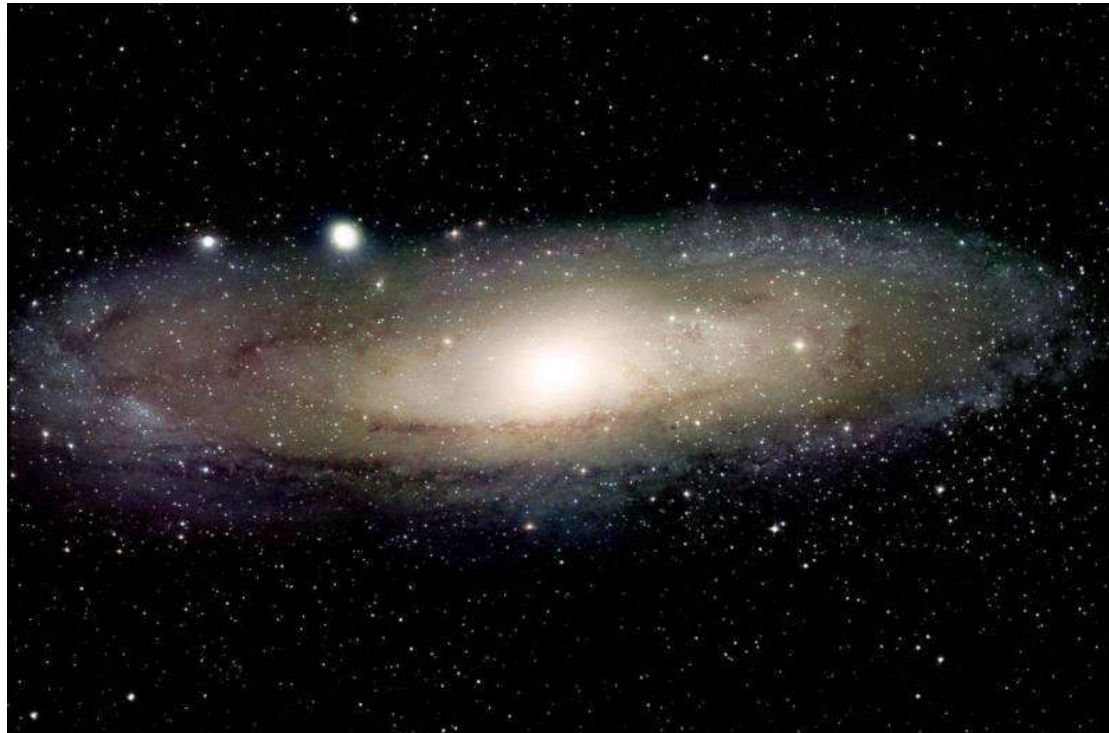
+ Cosmology = Universe ?



No !

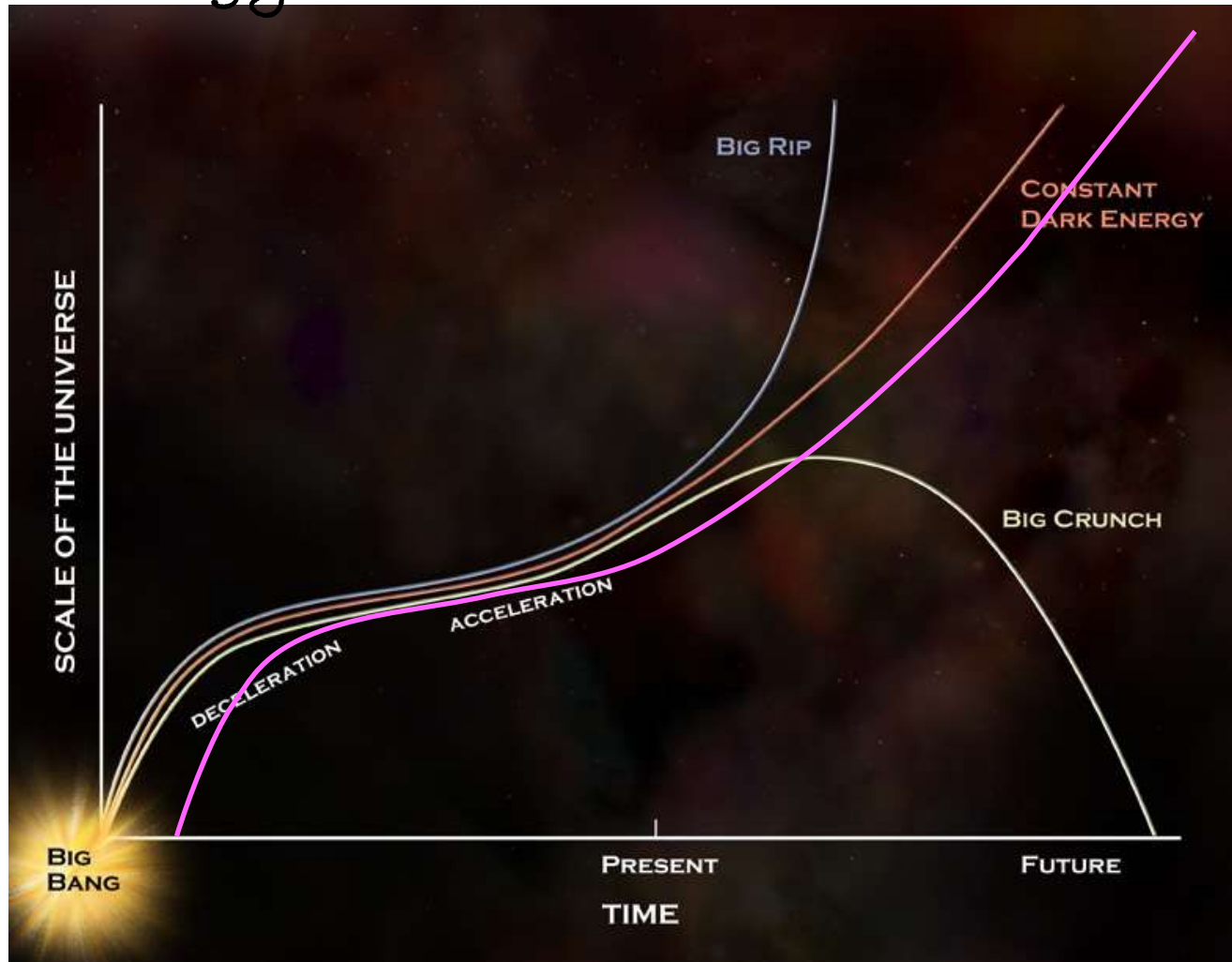
Less than 5% of the energy content
of the universe are understood!

Dark matter ...?



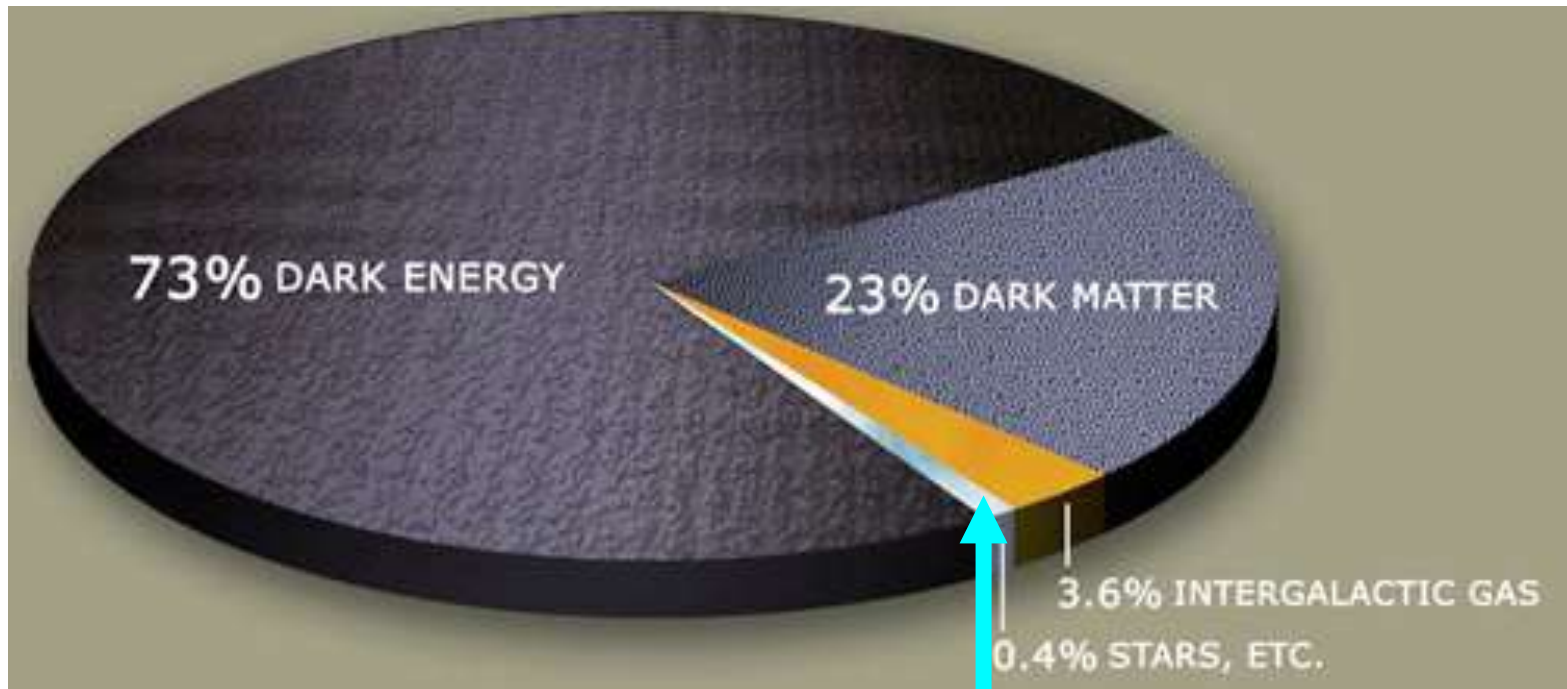
Galaxies rotate too fast

Dark energy ...?



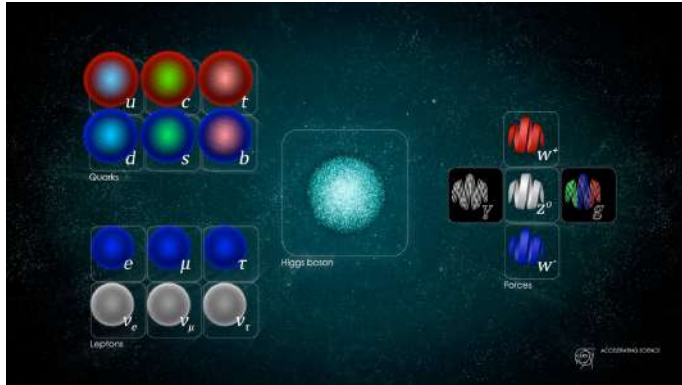
The expansion of the Universe accelerates ...

The “dark Universe”: 96 % of its energy content are hidden in ‘dark energy’ and ‘dark matter’

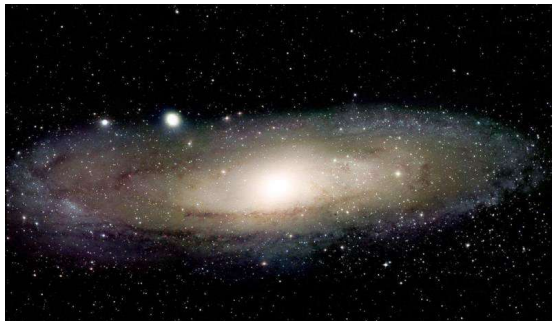


You are here

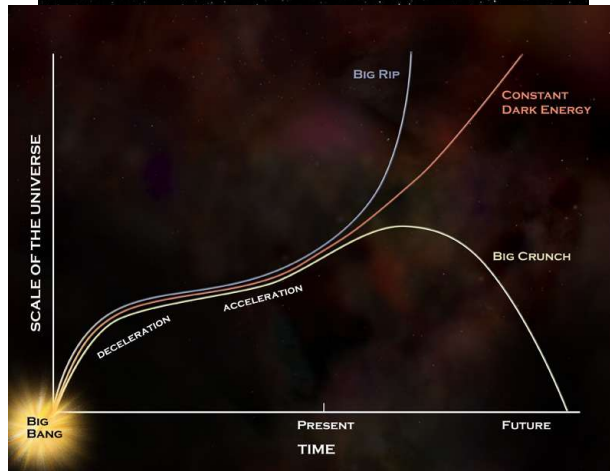
The big questions:



Is the Higgs boson alone?
Connection to 'dark energy' ?



What is dark matter?



What is dark energy?

BUT, despite its success....

.... we know that the Standard Model is not complete because:

- It doesn't solve the hierarchy problem
- It has no explanation for dark matter/dark energy
- Its mechanisms of CPV are too small to explain matter/antimatter imbalance
- It cannot provide a QFT of gravitation
-etc



Solutions?

Standard Model



Technicolor
 New (strong) interactions produce EWSB
 Extensions of the SM gauge group :
 Little Higgs / GUTs / ...



For all proposed solutions:
 new particles should appear
 at **TeV** scale or below

Selected NP
 Since 1957

Supersymmetry
 New particles at \approx TeV scale, light Higgs
 Unification of forces
 Higgs mass stabilized
 No new interactions

Successful for ever??

Extra Dimensions
 New dimensions introduced
 $m_{Gravity} \approx m_{elw} \rightarrow$ Hierarchy problem solved
 New particles at \approx TeV scale



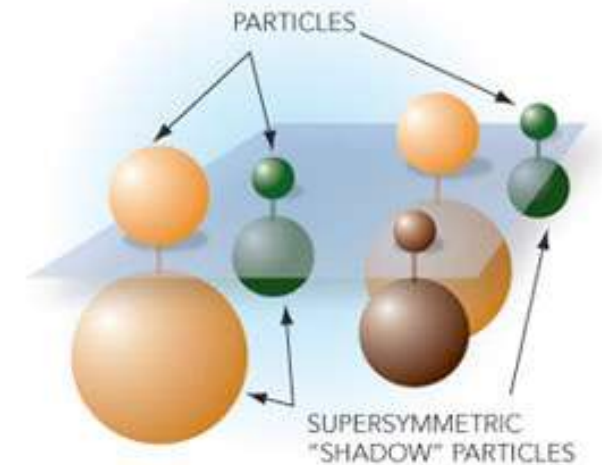
SUPERSYMMETRY - connection to Dark Matter ?

A connection between particles (spin 1/2) and fields (spin 1) ?

FERMIONS (quarks, electrons, neutrinos) interact through the exchange of BOSONS (gluons, photon, W/Z bosons)

“SUPERSYMMETRY” predicts a complete symmetry between FERMIONS AND BOSONS: each fermion has a boson partner, and vice versa:

Spin 1/2	Spin 0, Spin 1
electron	selectron (S=0)
quark	squark (S=0)
photino	photon (S=1)
gluino	gluon (S=1)
gaugino (Wino, Zino)	W, Z (S=1)

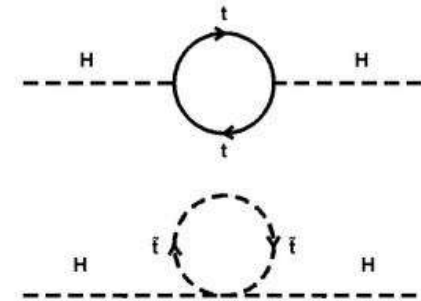


But: no such SUSY partner has ever been seen. So ... if they exist, they must have a large mass (> 1 TeV)

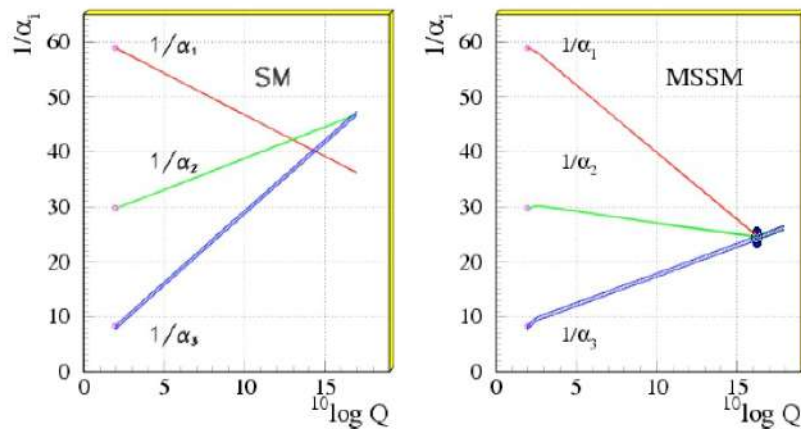
Why SUSY?

1) A fundamental space-time-symmetry

2) "Protection of the Higgs boson mass ($M \sim 10^2$ GeV) from vacuum fluctuations up to Planck mass ($\sim 10^{19}$ GeV)



3) Predicts unification of electroweak and strong interaction at $\sim 10^{17}$ GeV

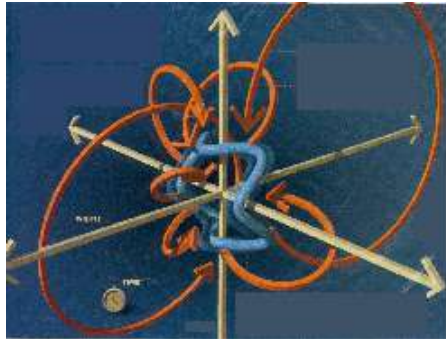


4) May explain the cosmological matter-antimatter asymmetry

5) **Lightest supersymmetric particle = dark matter ??**

MORE MYSTERIES

What is a particle?



Superstrings in 9+1 dimensions?

Little strings of string energy vibrating in a 9+1 dimensional space ?

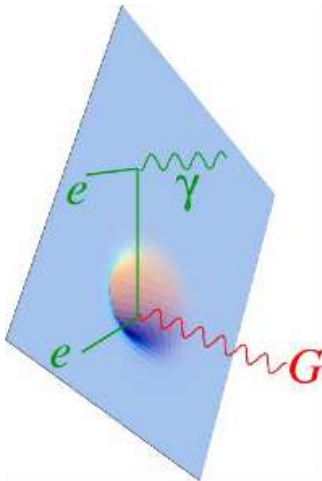
$L \sim 10^{-35}$ m (Planck length)

Standard model particles: different vibration modes, open/closed strings

GRAVITON-like particle contained (unification of SM and gravity?)

BUT: why did 6 dimensions disappear? how did they disappear?
is there a unique way to go from 10 to 4 dimensions?

Extra dimensions ?

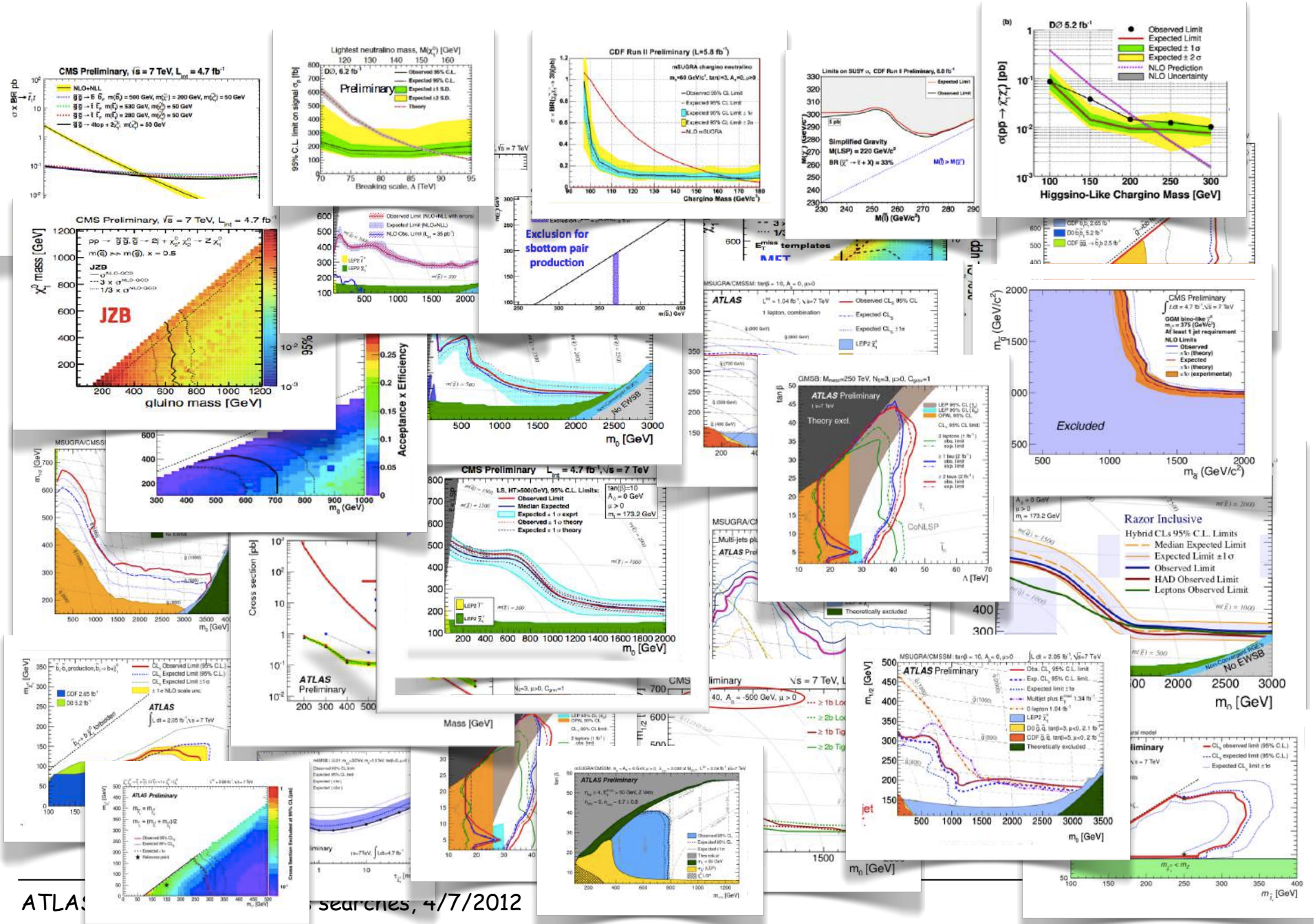


More than 3 macroscopic dimensions of space?

Is the graviton propagating in 4- or more dimensions of space?

Micro-black holes ?

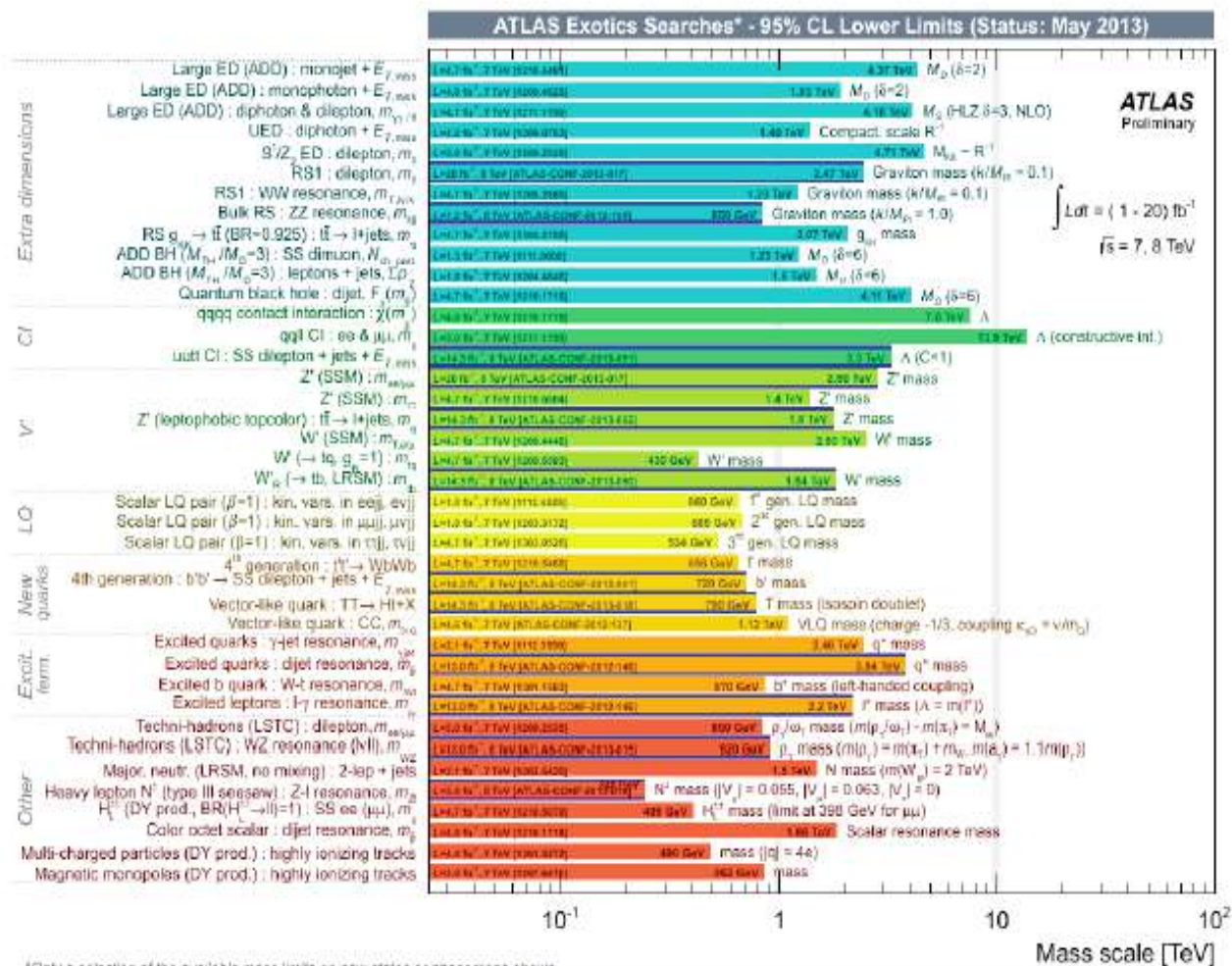
BSM: we have searched....



ATLAS

searches, 4/7/2012

...and exotics



Conclusions: Executive Summary

The LHC leaves us with the deepest mathematical pb:

Dissertori, ECFA '13

$$\infty \cdot 0 = ?$$

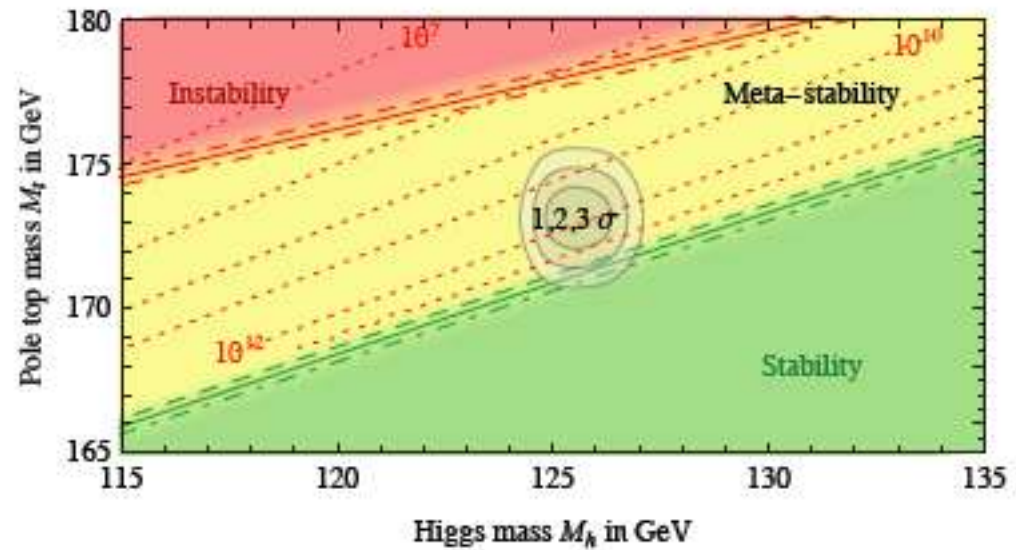
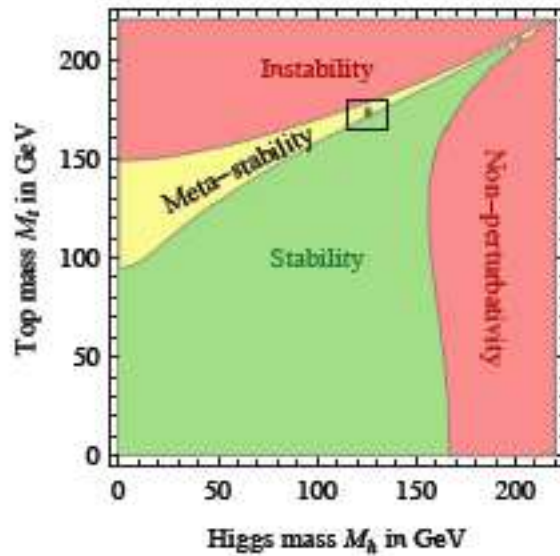
number of already performed BSM searches

number of significant/interesting/exciting deviations from SM predictions

general state of (our) mind (?)

Understanding the scalar sector of the SM will help us grasping what lays beyond the SM

Higgs mass and vacuum stability



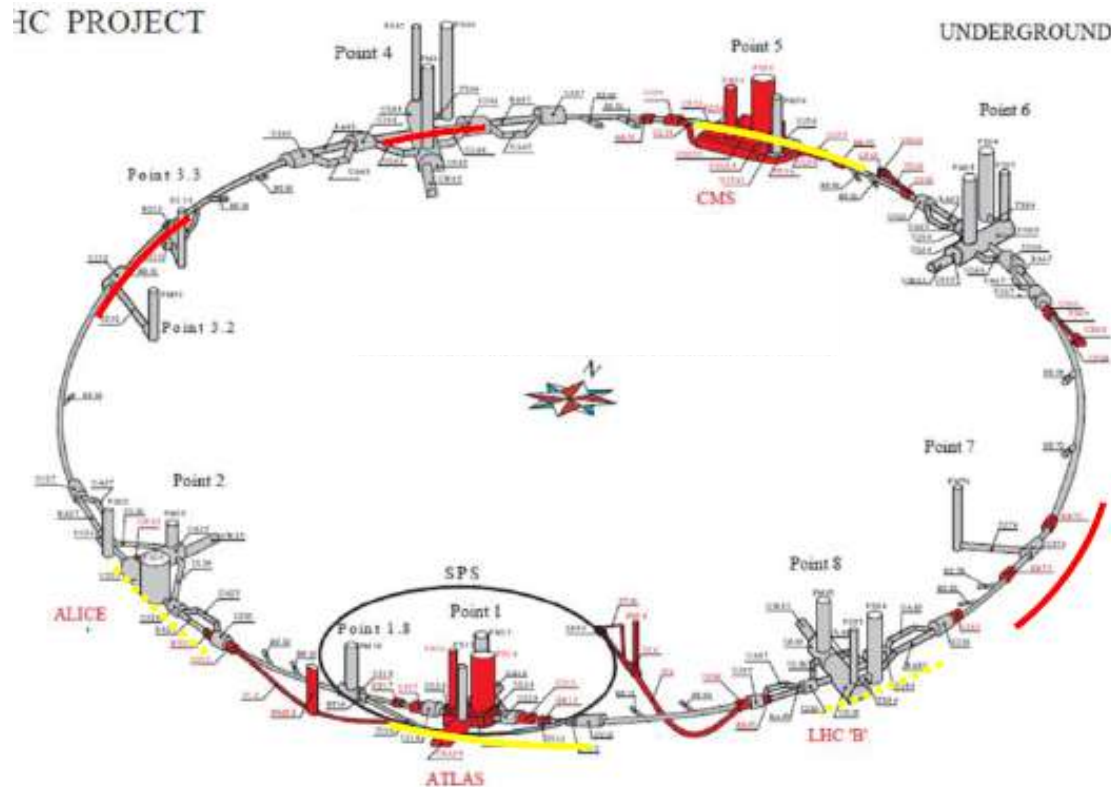
Looking for BSM effects

- ...with searches
-with precision measurements
- ...with rare (and reliably predicted) decays

Extending the reach...

- Weak boson scattering
- Higgs properties
- Supersymmetry searches and measurements
- Exotics
- t properties
- Rare decays
- CPV
- ..etc

The HL-LHC Project



- New IR-quads Nb_3Sn (inner triplets)
- New 11 T Nb_3Sn (short) dipoles
- Collimation upgrade
- Cryogenics upgrade
- Crab Cavities
- Cold powering
- Machine protection
- ...

Major intervention on more than 1.2 km of the LHC

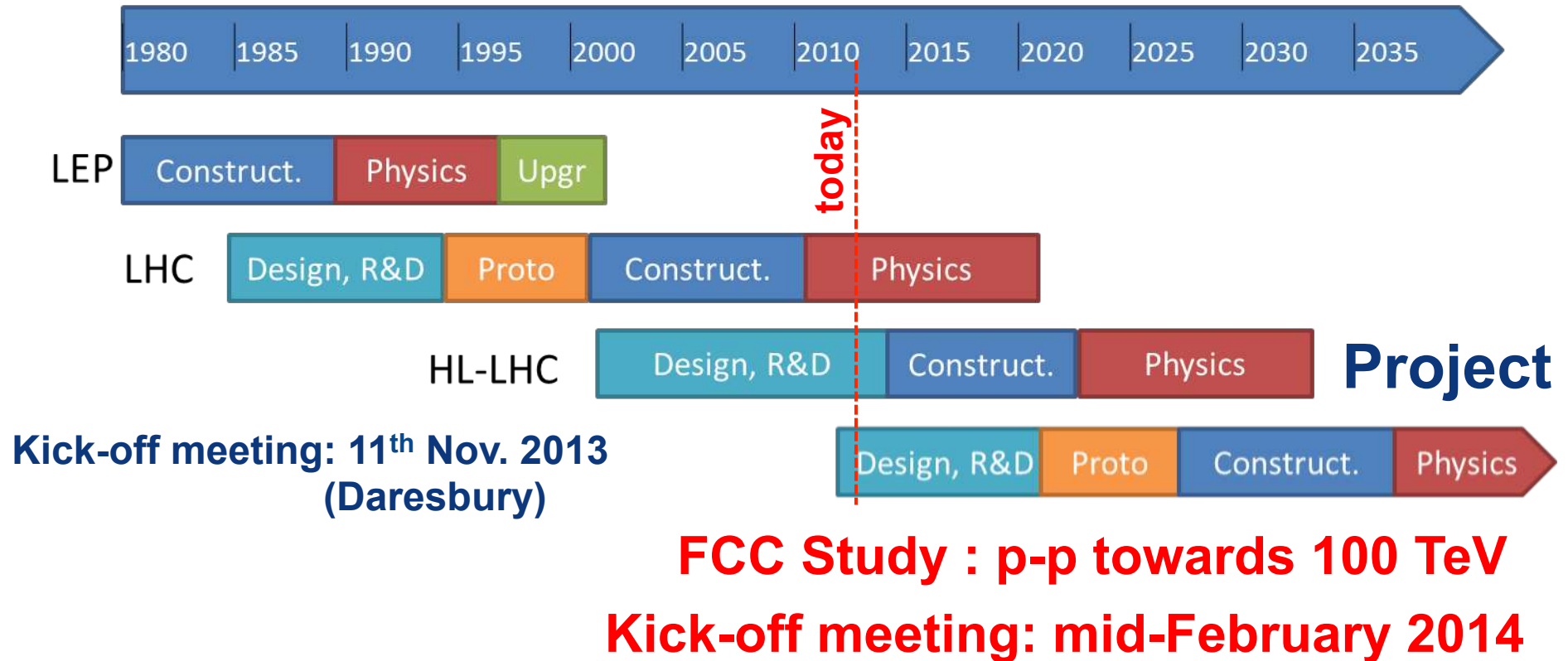


Experiments from LHC to HL-LHC

- An extensive and rich physics program
- Maintain full sensitivity for discovery
 - And precision measurements at low p_T
- Pileup
 - $\langle \text{PU} \rangle \approx 50$ events per crossing by LS2
 - $\langle \text{PU} \rangle \approx 60$ events per crossing by LS3
 - $\langle \text{PU} \rangle \approx 140$ events per crossing by HL-LHC
 - Lumi-leveling at $5 \times 10^{34} \text{cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$
- Radiation damage
 - Requires work to maintain calibration
 - Limits performance-lifetime of the detectors
 - Light loss (calorimeters)
 - Increased leakage current (silicon detectors)



*“CERN should undertake design studies for accelerator projects in a global context, with emphasis on **proton-proton** and electron-positron **high-energy frontier machines**.”*



FCC: Future Circular Colliders

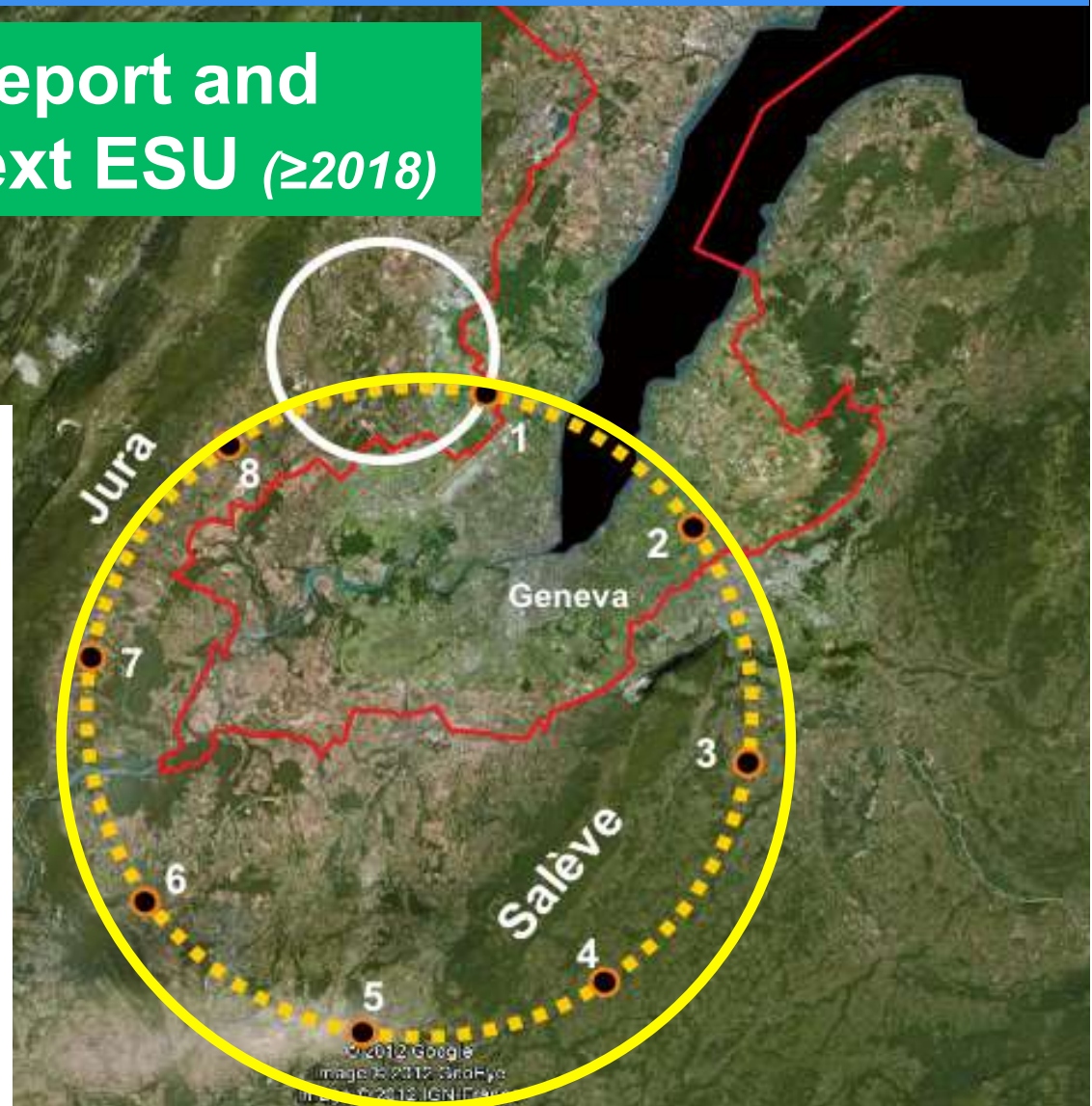


**80-100 km tunnel infrastructure in Geneva area –
design driven by pp-collider requirements
with possibility of e⁺-e⁻ (TLEP) and p-e (VLHeC)**

**Conceptual Design Report and
cost review for the next ESU (≥ 2018)**

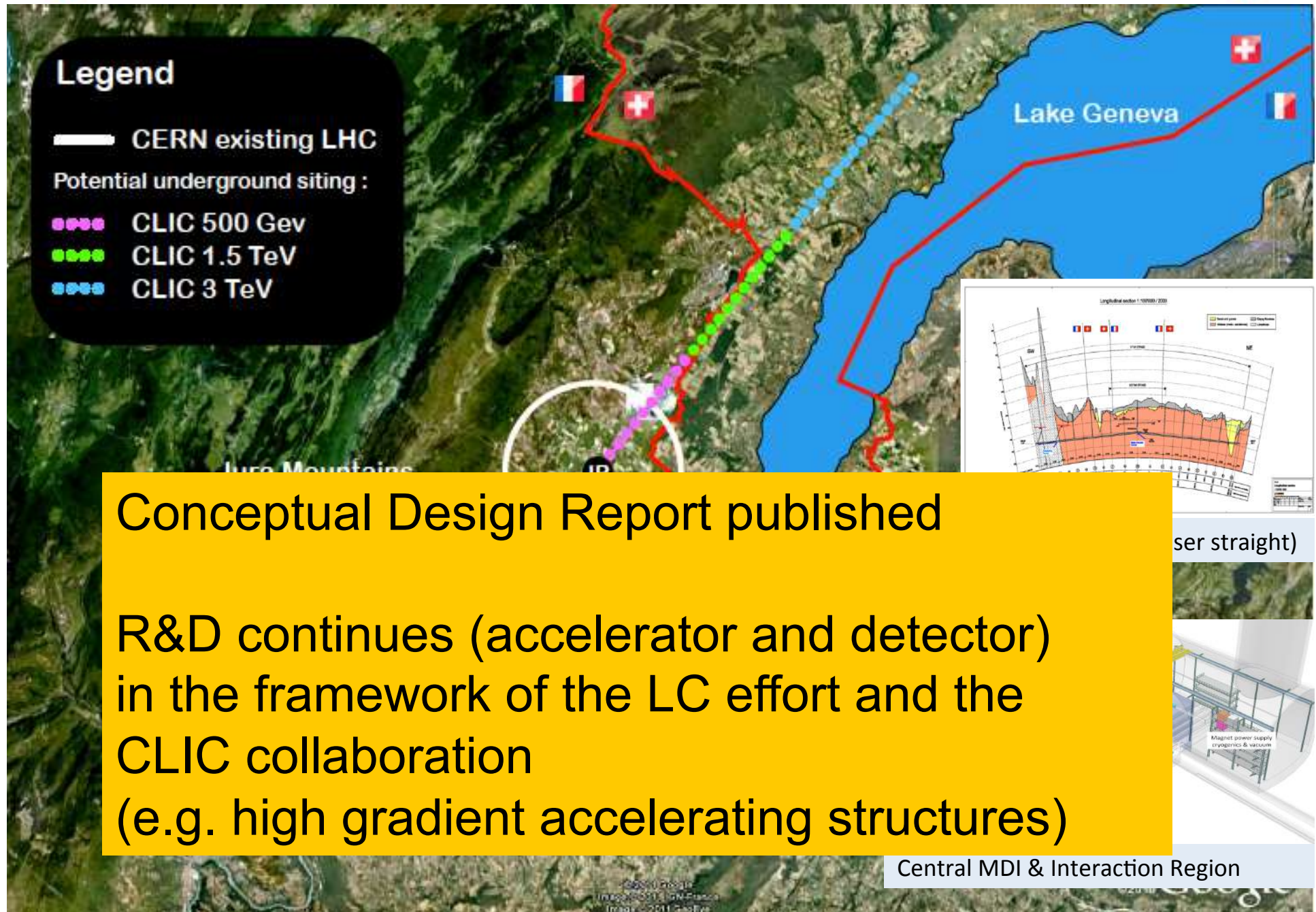
***FCC Design Study
Kick-off Meeting:
12-14. February 2014
in Geneva area***

- *Establishing international collaborations*
- *Set-up study groups and committees*





CLIC near CERN

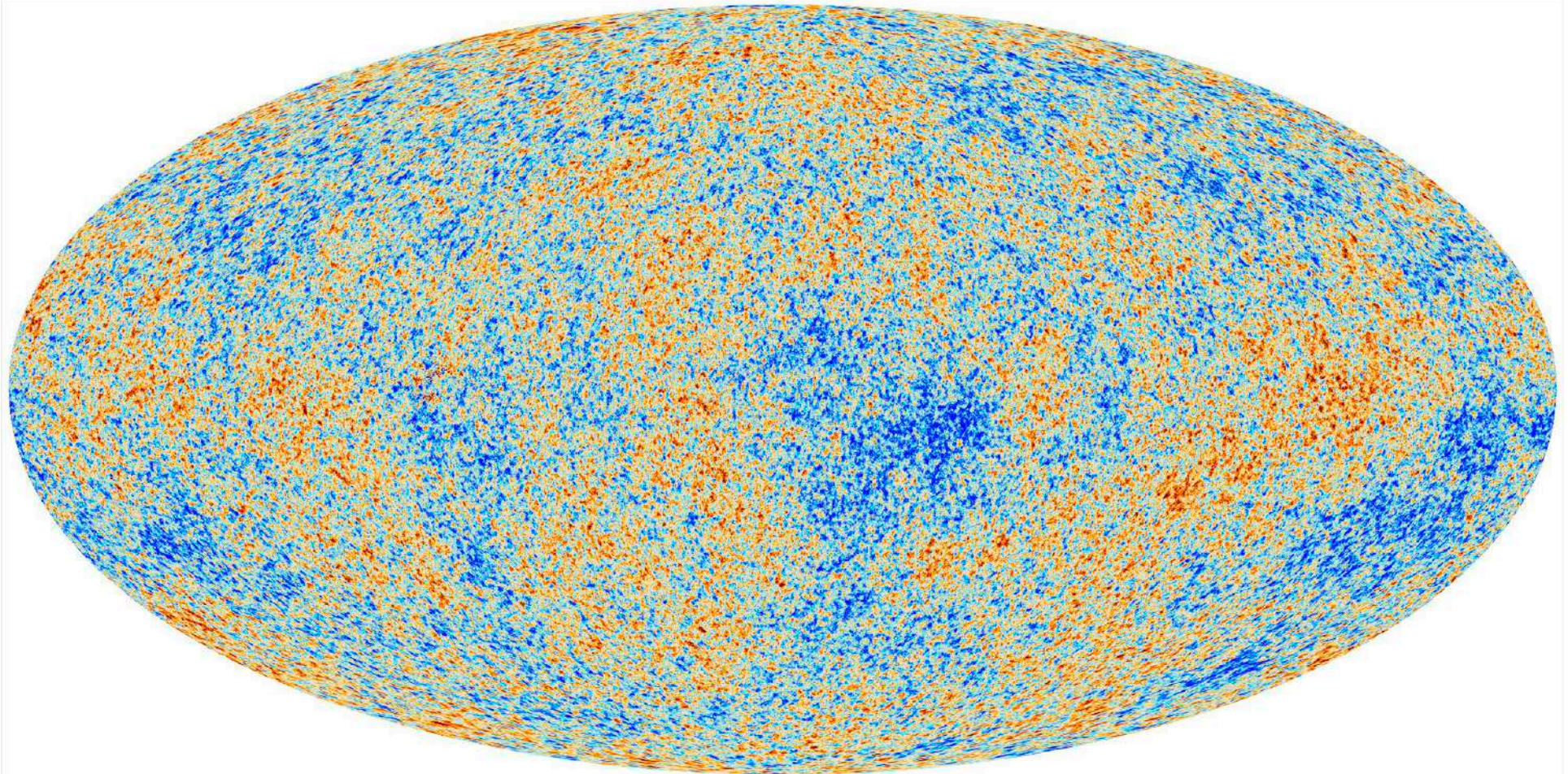


Conceptual Design Report published

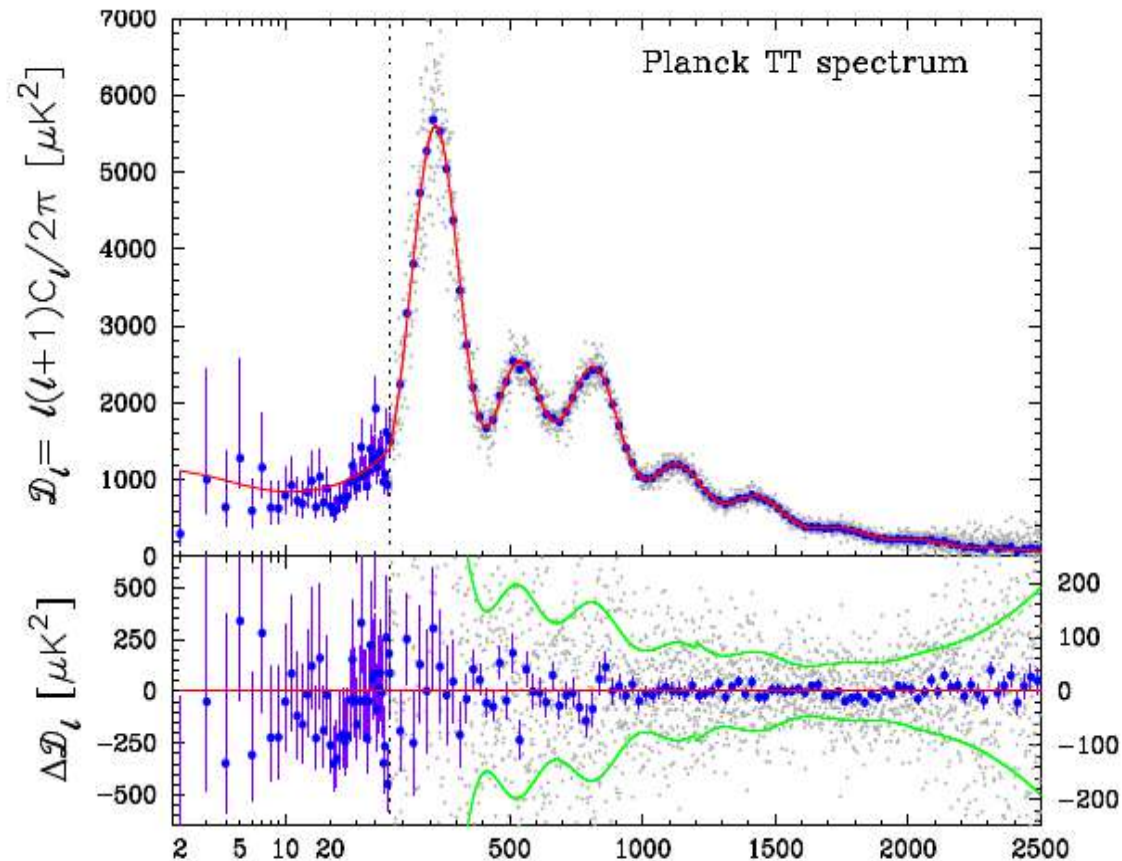
R&D continues (accelerator and detector) in the framework of the LC effort and the CLIC collaboration (e.g. high gradient accelerating structures)

Central MDI & Interaction Region

Planck CMB (2013)



CMB power spectrum (Planck 2013)



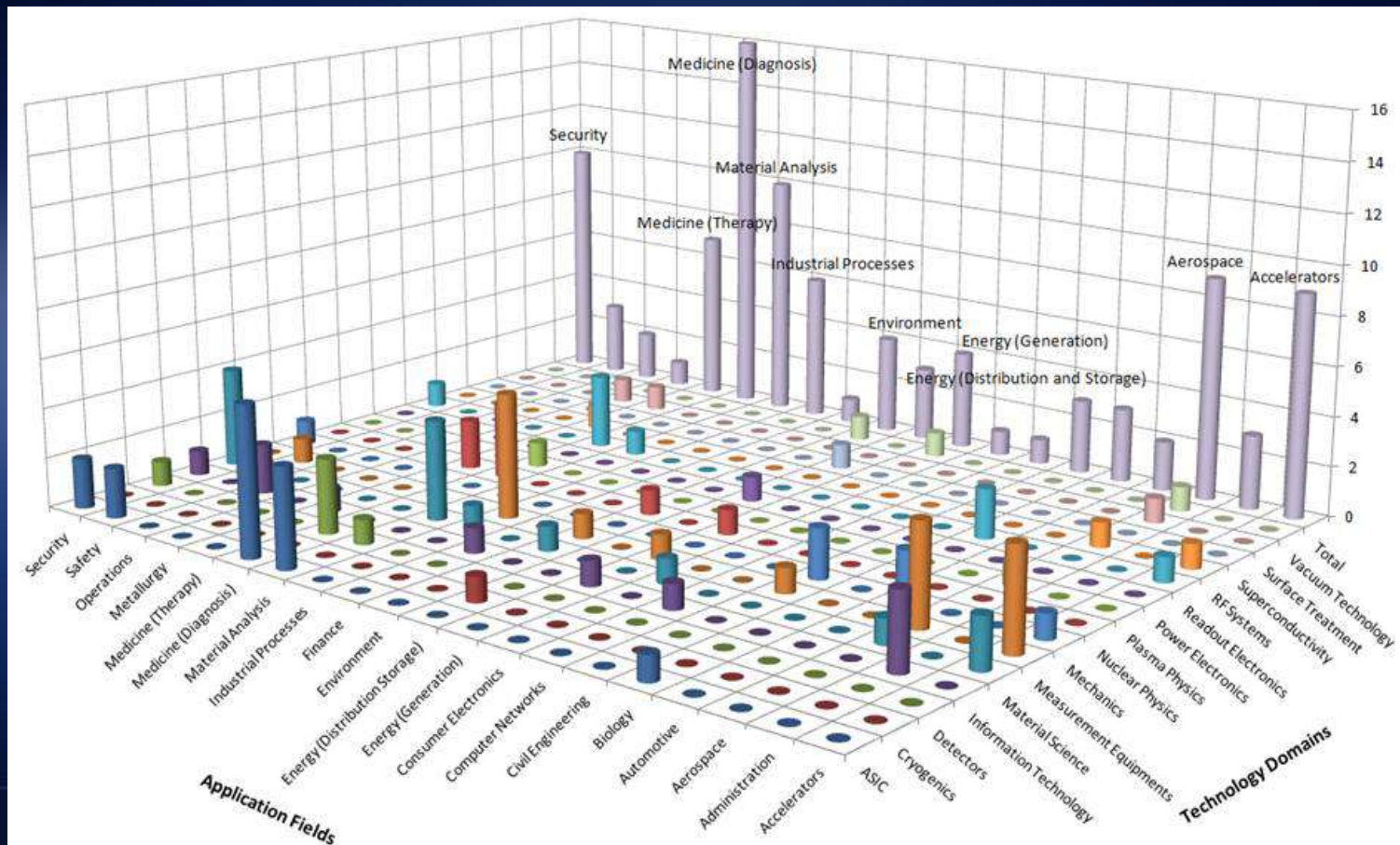
output of Planck likelihood - foregrounds subtracted

Hybrid method : map based ML (low ℓ) / pseudo-spectra (high ℓ) of masked raw maps



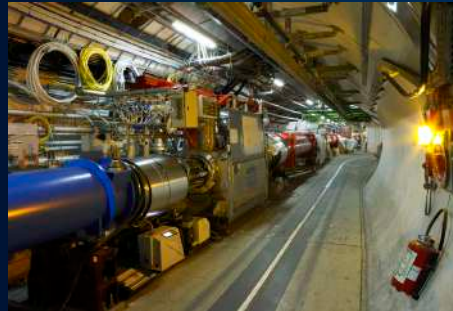
Only abstract speculations???

Cutting edge Research Infrastructures play a key role in a knowledge driven society



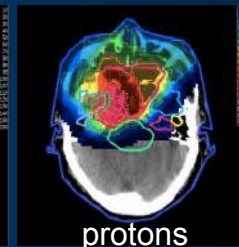
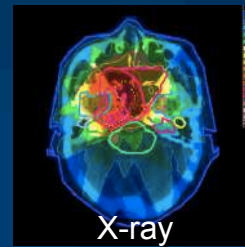
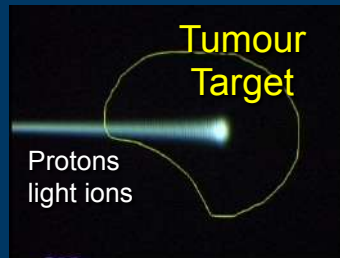
Medical Application as an Example of Particle Physics Spin-off

Combining Physics, ICT, Biology and Medicine to fight cancer



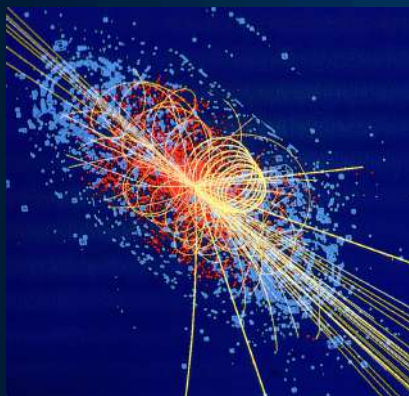
Hadron Therapy

Accelerating particle beams
~30'000 accelerators worldwide
~17'000 used for medicine



Leadership in Ion Beam Therapy now in Europe and Japan

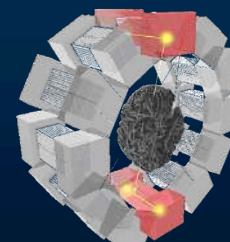
>70'000 patients treated worldwide (30 facilities)
>21'000 patients treated in Europe (9 facilities)



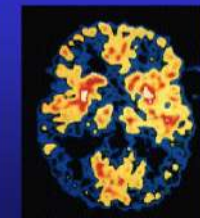
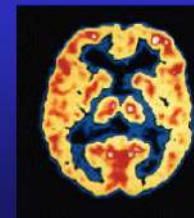
Imaging

PET Scanner

Clinical trial in Portugal for new breast imaging system (ClearPEM)



Brain Metabolism in Alzheimer's Disease: PET Scan



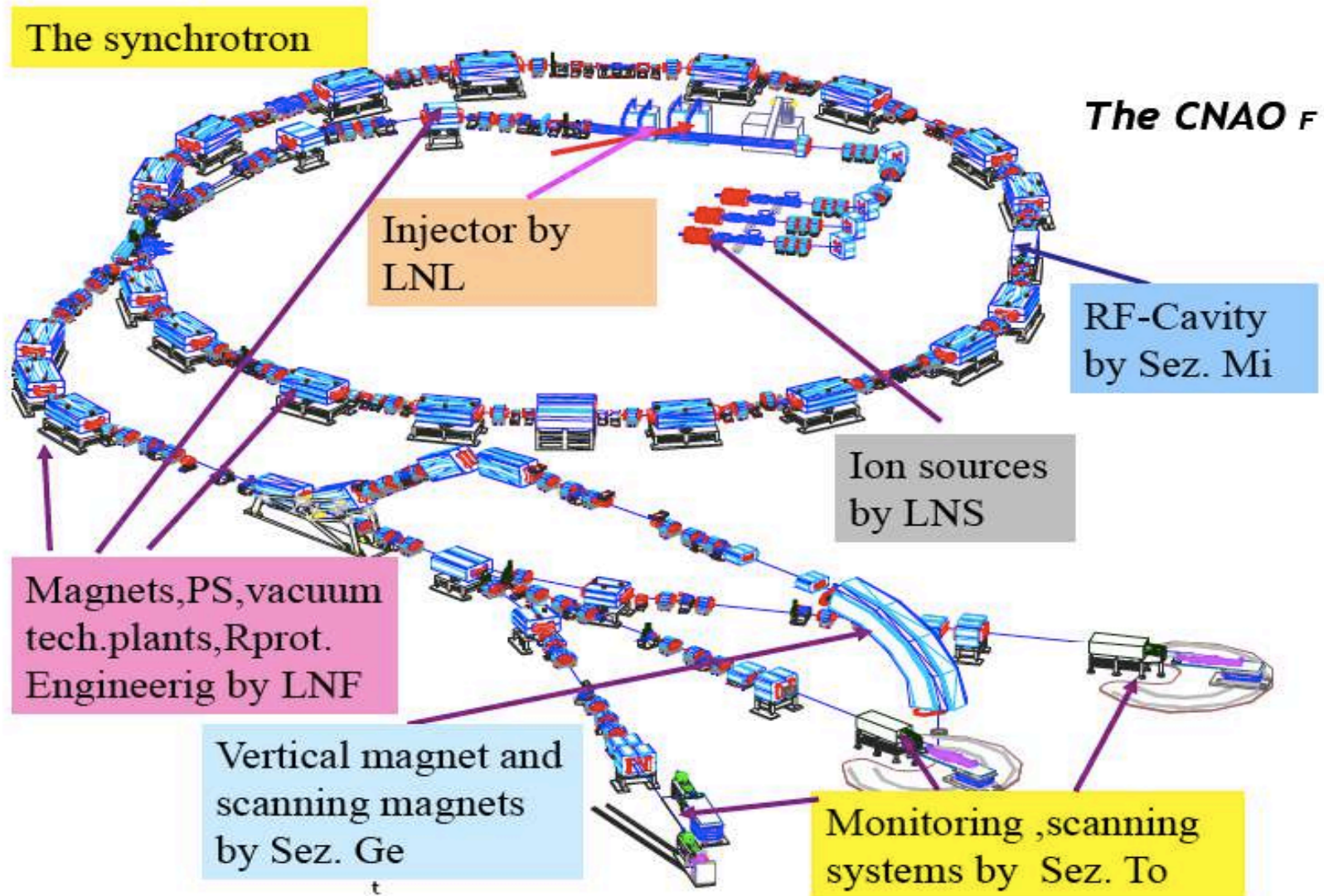
Normal Brain

Alzheimer's Disease



Detecting particles

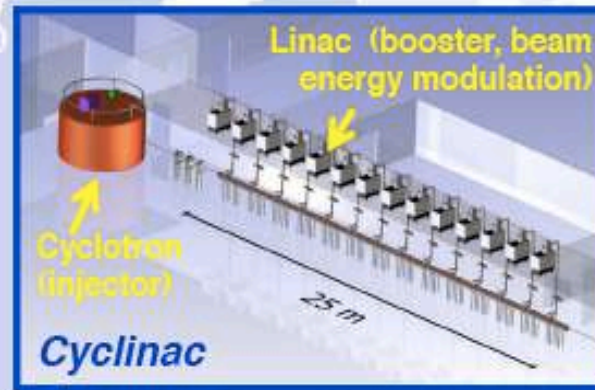
CNAO in Pavia



Novel accelerator and gantry studies

Objective:

Development of a linear accelerator (linac) for a carbon ion cyclinac (CABOTO)



Motivation...

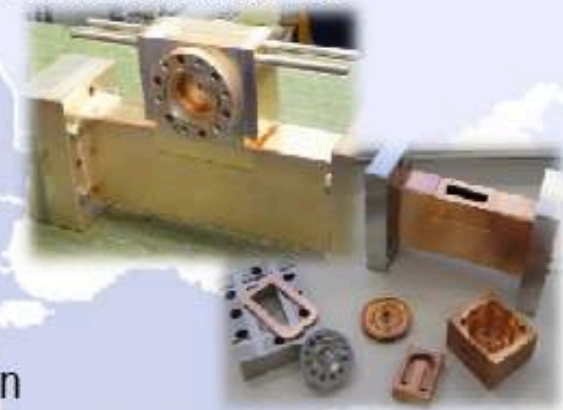
To deliver a **compact, dedicated accelerator**, providing the best possible treatment modalities for hadron therapy at the **lowest cost**

The challenge!

Machine **dimensions** could be **reduced** if high gradients could be achieved in the linac without compromising machine **reliability**

Work description:

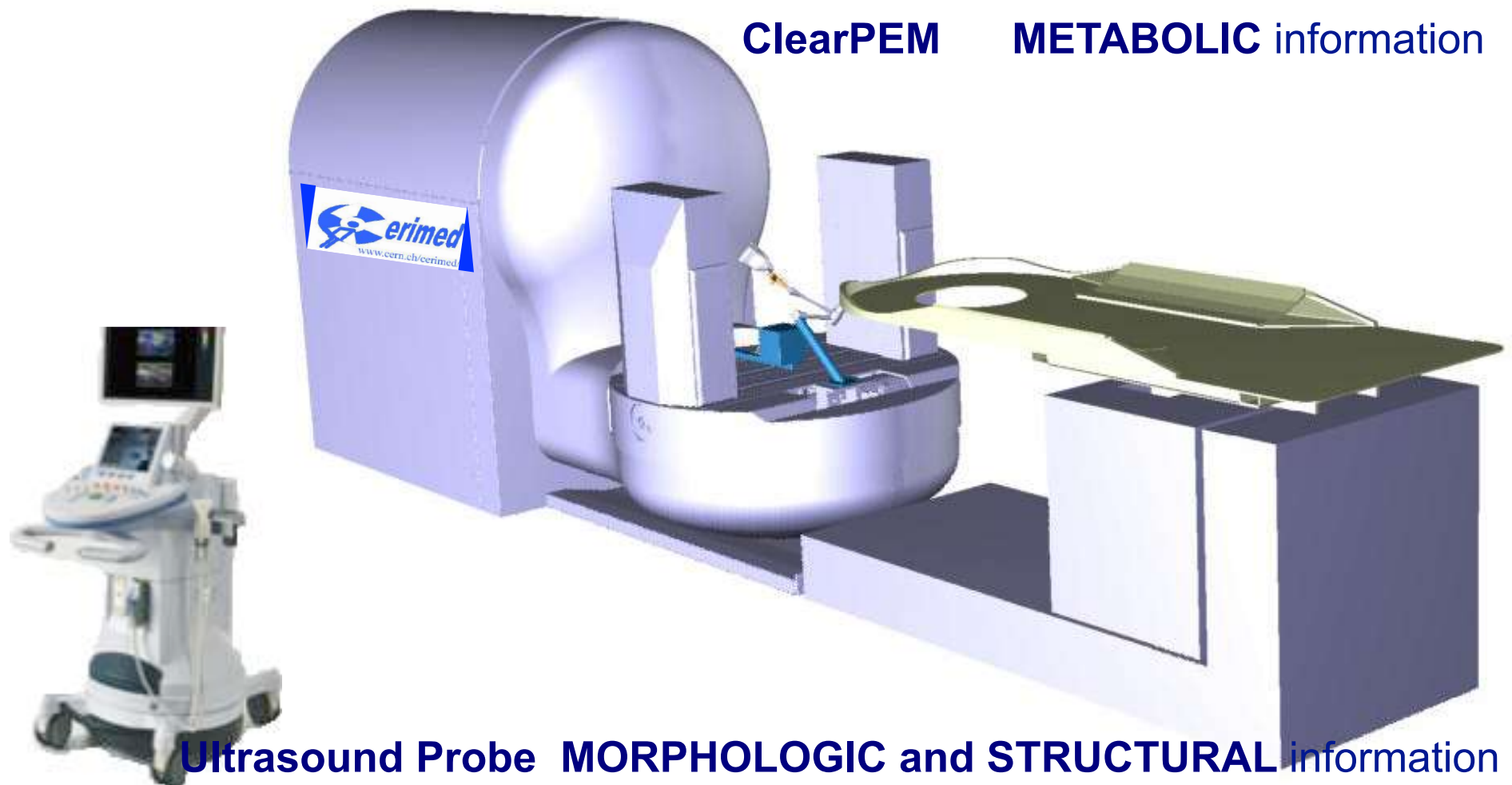
- **Performance optimization** of CABOTO
- **Tests** of single-cell **accelerating cavities** to determine the highest reliable operational gradient for CABOTO
- **Comparison** between **RF linacs** and **FFAGs** for hadron therapy



Silvia Verdú
Andrés



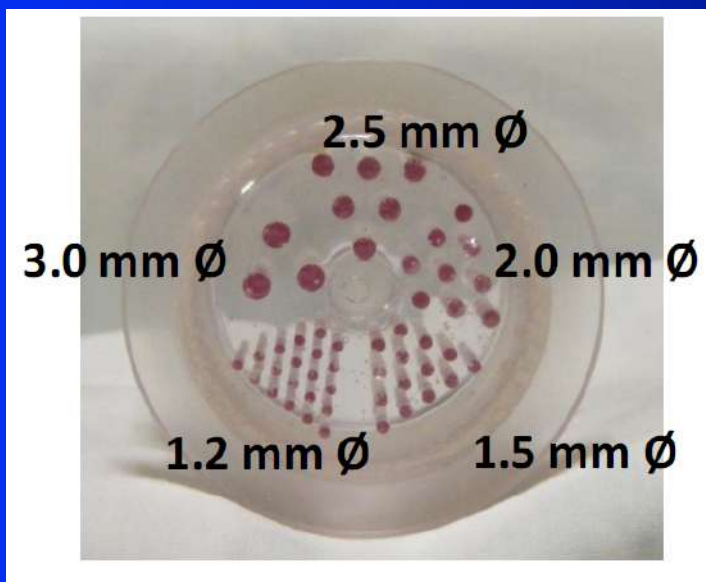
ClearPEM-Sonic a collaborative project between physicians and physicists



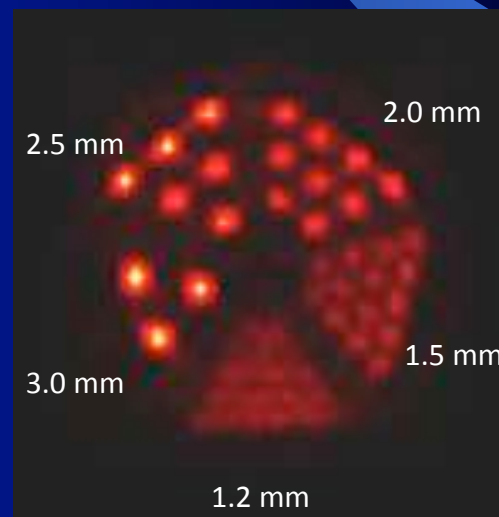
Objective: Detect 1 to 2mm tumors and define their cancerous status

Derenzo phantom

Excellent resolution ($< 1.5\text{mm}$)
compared to
5mm for the best commercial PET scanners



OSEM 3D



ClearPET-XPAD



■ RTW X-ray tube

- Mo target, 50 μm spot size, 50 W
- Nb/Mo additional filter
- Threshold 3-35 keV

■ XPAD3/Si Hybrid pixel camera

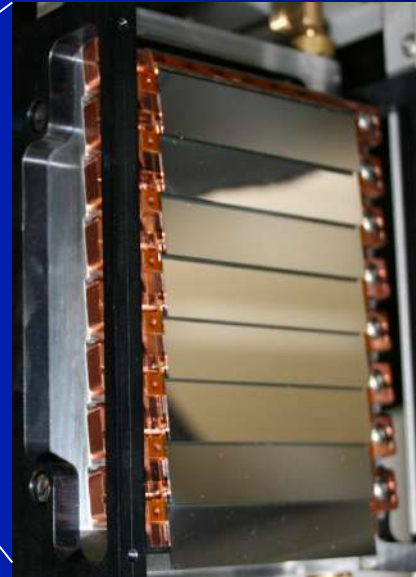
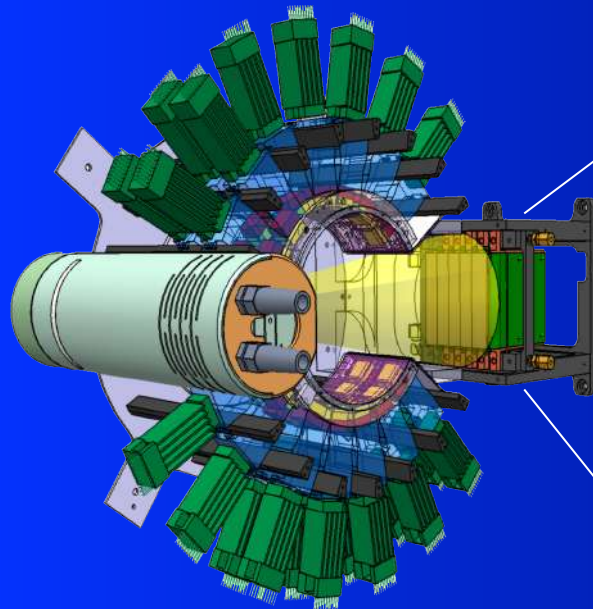
- X-ray photon counting mode
- 500 μm silicon sensor thickness
- 78 x 75 mm^2 detector
- 130 x 130 μm^2 pixel size

■ PET FOV

- 55mm axial
- 111mm transverse

■ 35 mm transverse FOV

- 59mm axial
- 38mm transverse



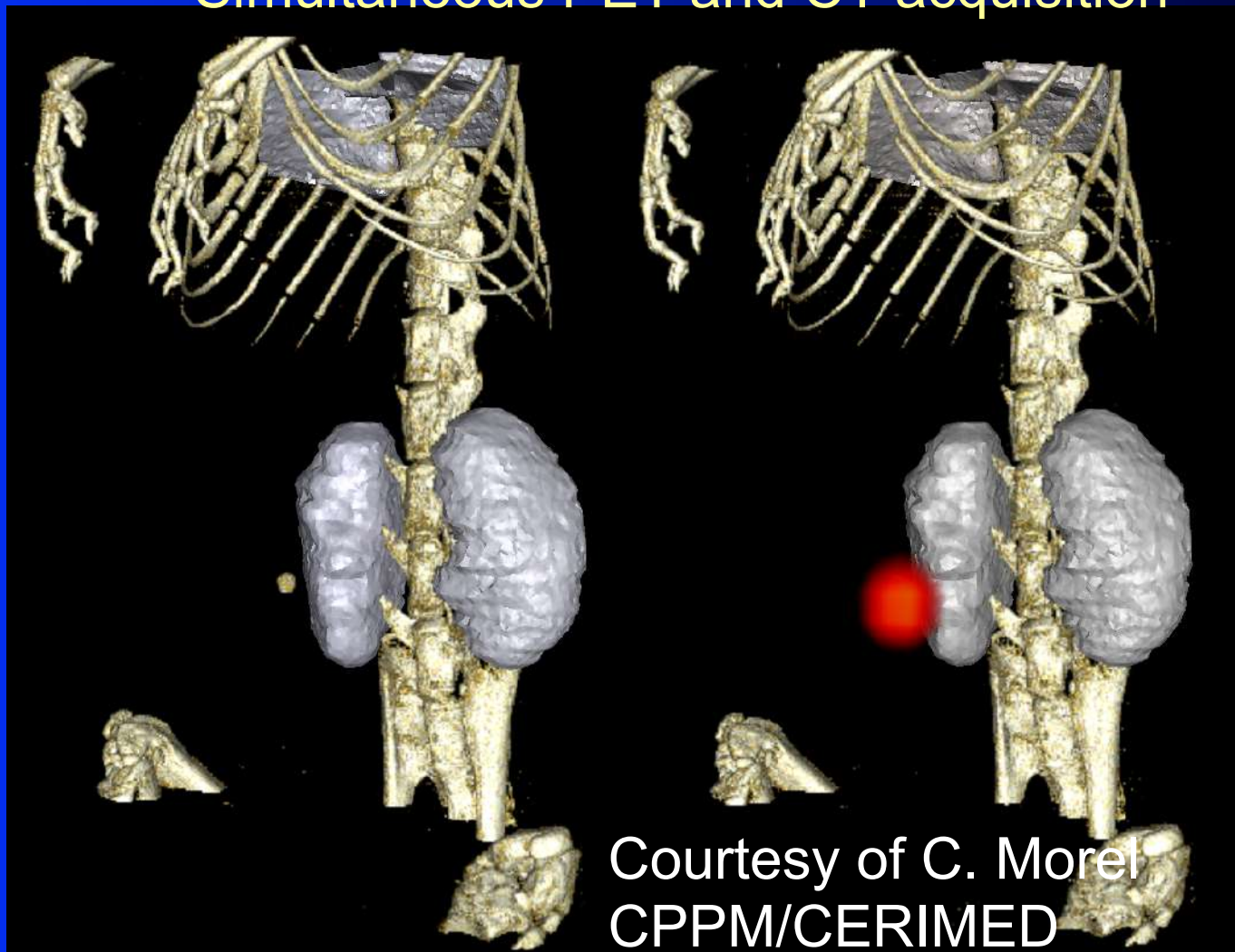
ClearPET/XPAD

- Simultaneous hybrid PET/CT imaging system

*Courtesy of C. Morel
CPPM/CERIMED*

ClearPET-XPAD

Simultaneous PET and CT acquisition

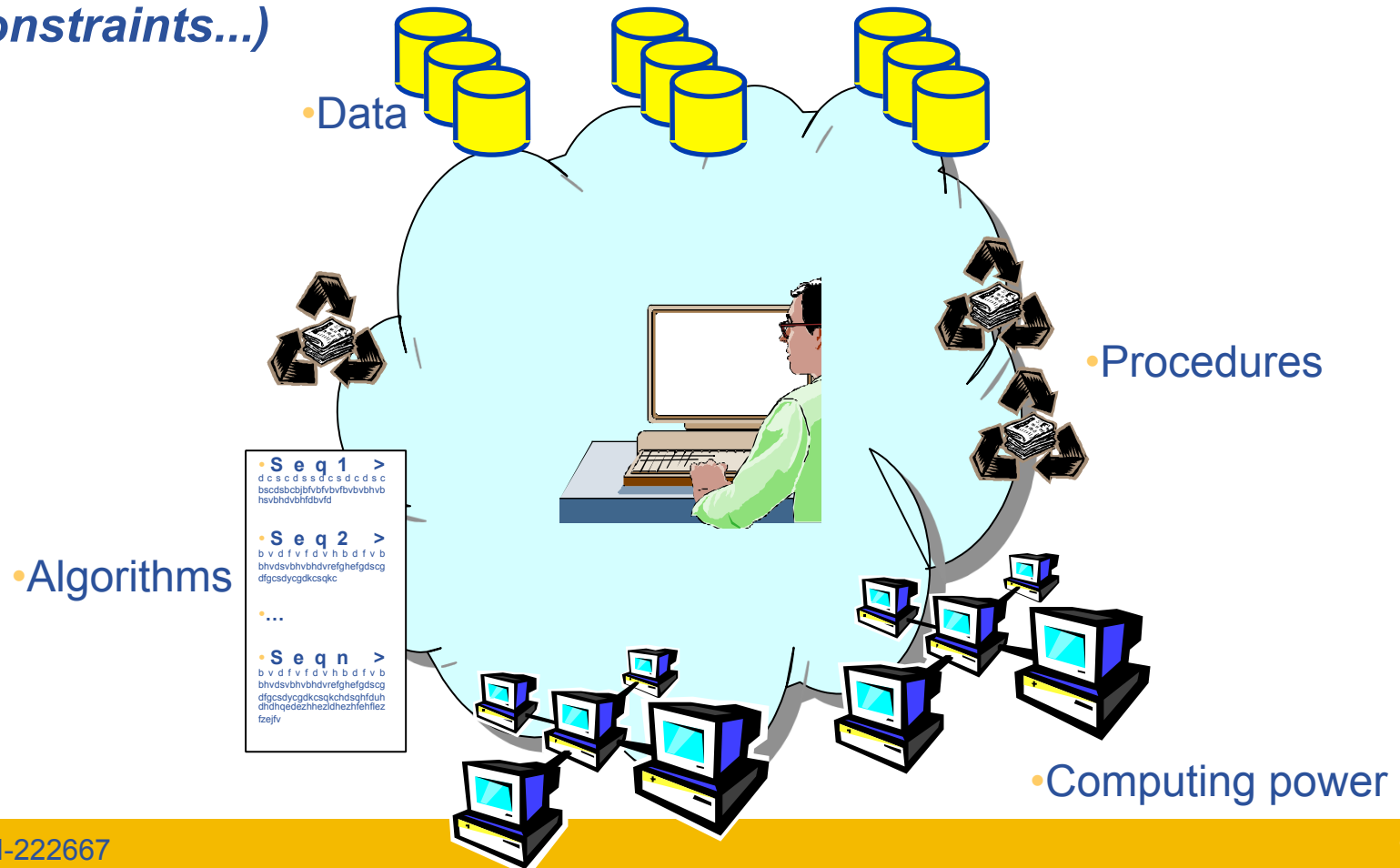


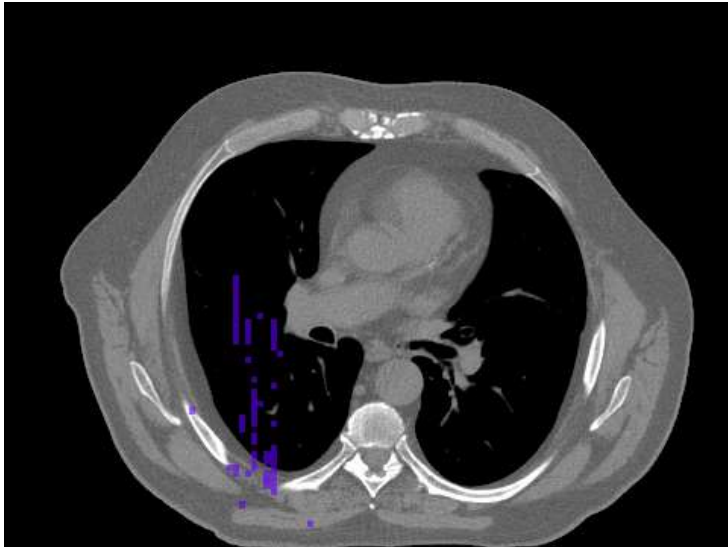
Courtesy of C. Morel
CPPM/CERIMED

^{22}Na source surgically inserted in the belly of a dead mouse

Why grids for e-Health?

- **Sharing computing resources and algorithms**
 - **Research (populations studies, models design, validation, statistics)**
 - **Complex analysis (compute intensive image processing, time constraints...)**





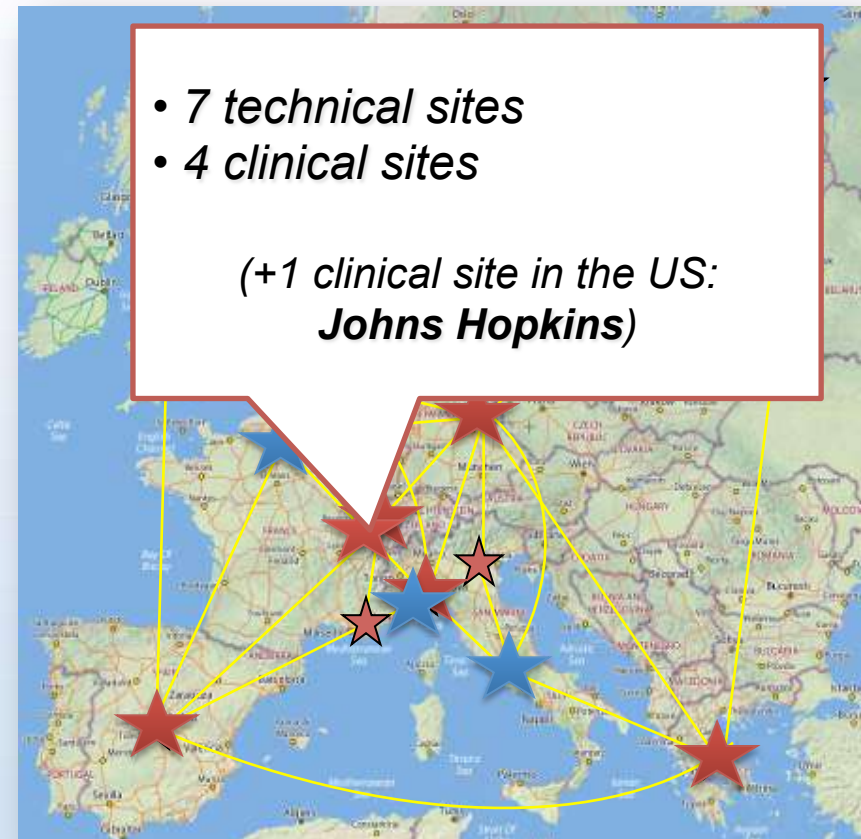
- **Cancer treatment by irradiation** of patient with beams of photons, protons or carbons
- **CT image (482x360x141)**
- **3D dose distribution, 700h CPU**

- Offer an open platform to researchers for Monte Carlo simulations optimisation
- Offer a fast and reliable simulation tool for researchers in medical physics and medical imaging for treatment control
- Produce a reference dataset for non-conventional therapies (hadrontherapy).



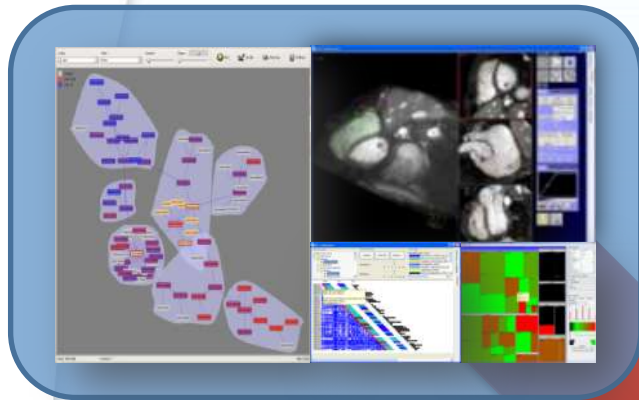
Health-e-Child Network

- *4 paediatric hospitals*
 - *IGG - Gaslini, Genoa, Italy*
 - *GOSH, London, UK*
 - *NECKER, Paris, France*
 - *OPBG, Rome, Italy*
- *Strong interdisciplinary team across*
 - *Countries and languages*
 - *Technical and clinical fields*
- *Research on three paediatric areas*
 - *Arthritis*
 - *Cardiac Disorders*
 - *Brain Tumours*

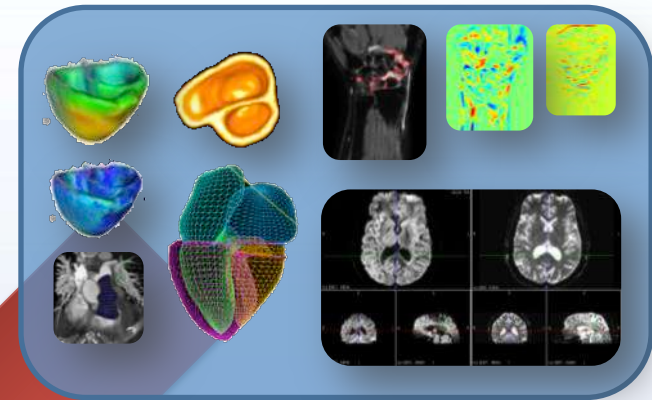




Decision Support



MEDICAL DSS

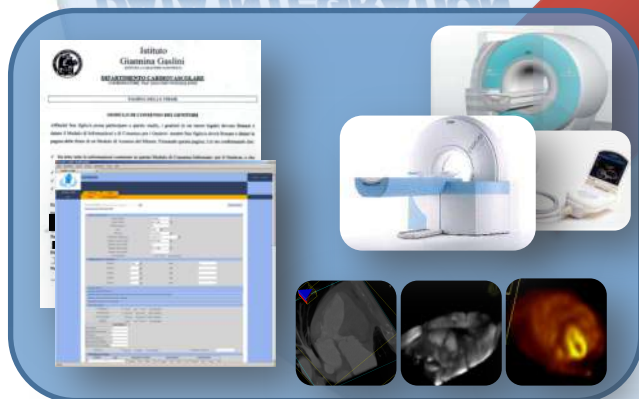


DISEASE MODELS

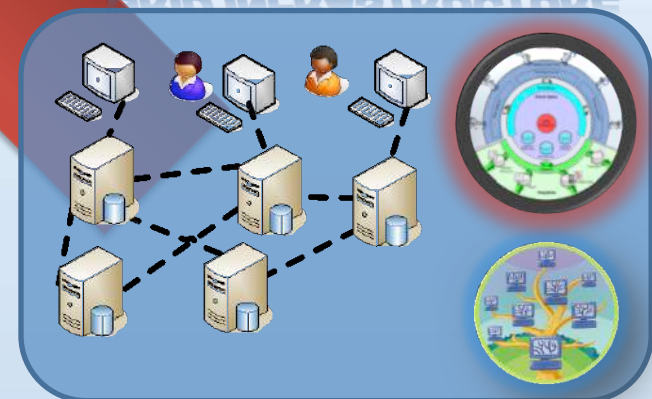


**Virtual
Physiological
Child**

DATA INTEGRATION



GRID INFRASTRUCTURE



In summary

An exciting period in front of us:

- We have finished the inventory of the “known unknown”...
- ...but we have a vast space to explore, and tools to do it exhaustively.
- We have a solid physics program for the next 20 years
- Big surprises, and even a paradigm change might be around the corner



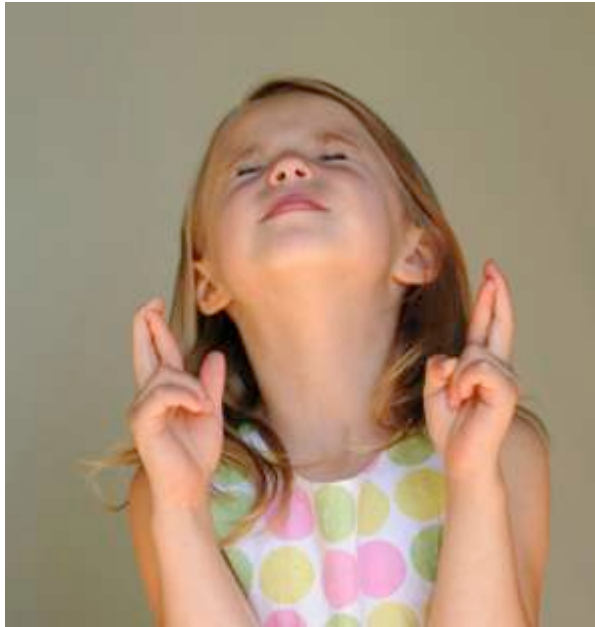
In summary

Experimental results will be dictating the agenda of the field.

We will need:

- **Flexibility**
- **Preparedness**
- **Visionary ideas**

■ ...and a bit of luck!



Thank you!