

Particle Physics II – CP violation

(also known as “Physics of Anti-matter”)

Lecture 1

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Plan

- 1) Mon 2 Feb: Anti-matter + SM
- 2) Wed 4 Feb: CKM matrix + Unitarity Triangle
- 3) Mon 9 Feb: Mixing + Master eqs. + $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_s$
- 4) Wed 11 Feb: CP violation in $B_{(s)}$ decays (I)
- 5) Mon 16 Feb: CP violation in $B_{(s)}$ decays (II)
- 6) Wed 18 Feb: CP violation in K decays + Overview
- 7) Mon 23 Feb: Exam on part 1 (CP violation)

➤ Final Mark:

- if (mark > 5.5) mark = max(exam, 0.8*exam + 0.2*homework)
- else mark = exam

➤ In parallel: Lectures on Flavour Physics by prof.dr. R. Fleischer

- Tuesday + Thursday

Plan

- 2 x 45 min

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1) Monday + Wednesday:

- Start: 9:00 → 9:15
- End: 11:00
- Werkcollege: 11:00 - ?

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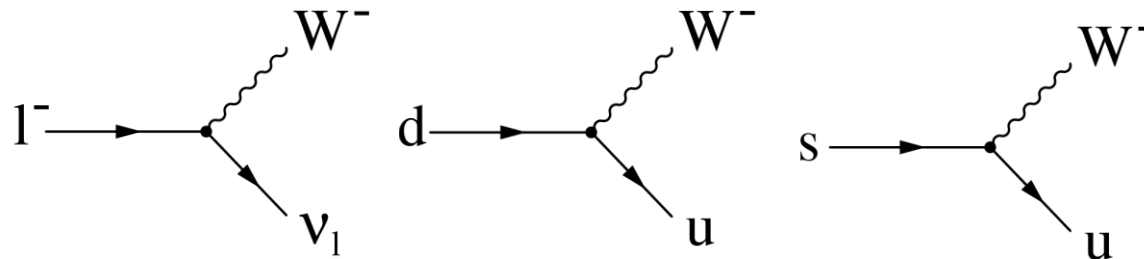
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Introduction: it's all about the charged current

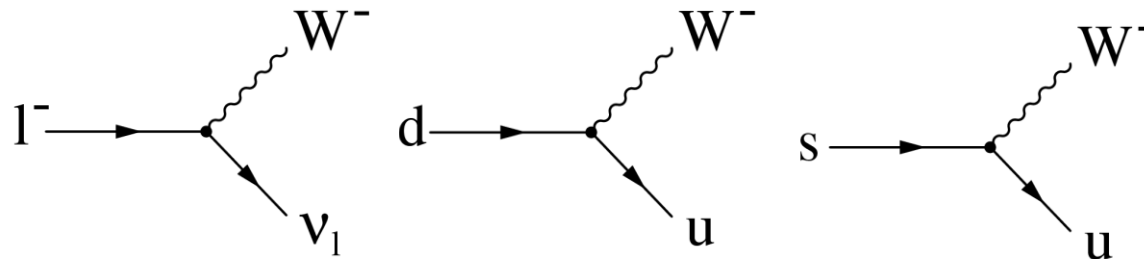
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- In particular, the charged current interactions:



- The interesting stuff happens in the interaction with quarks
- Therefore, people also refer to this field as “flavour physics”

Motivation 1: Understanding the Standard Model

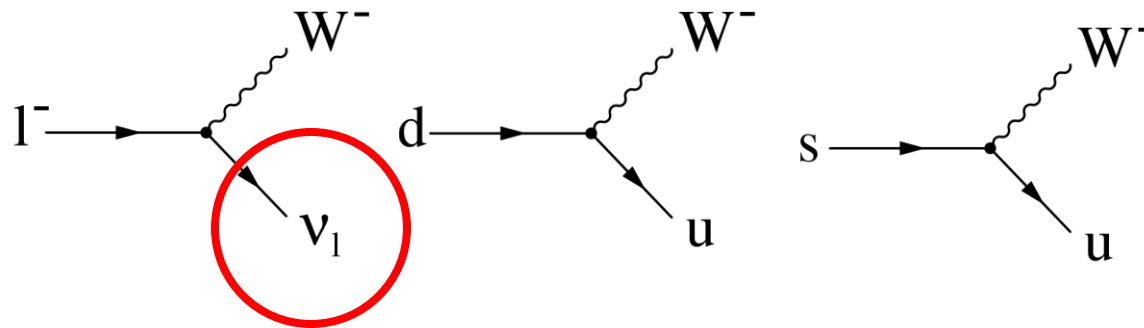
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- Quarks can only change flavour through charged current interactions

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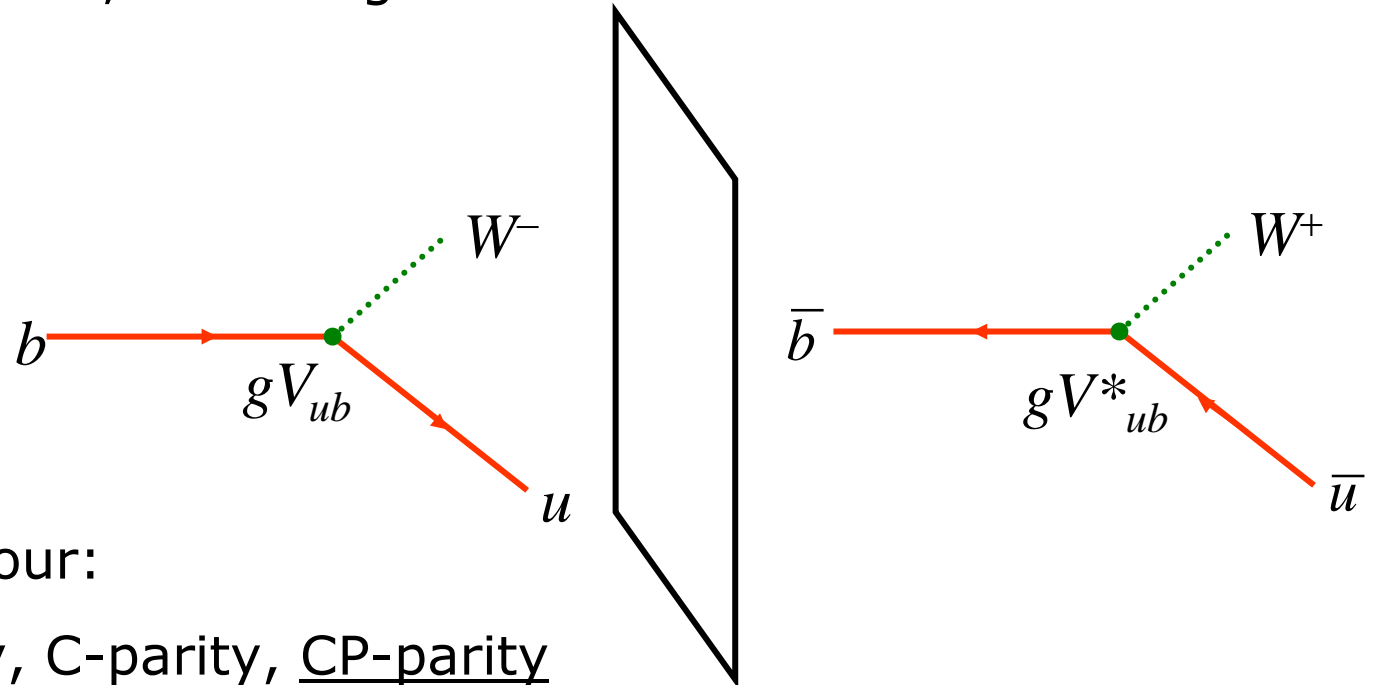
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- In 1st hour:
- P-parity, C-parity, CP-parity
- → the neutrino shows that P-parity is maximally violated

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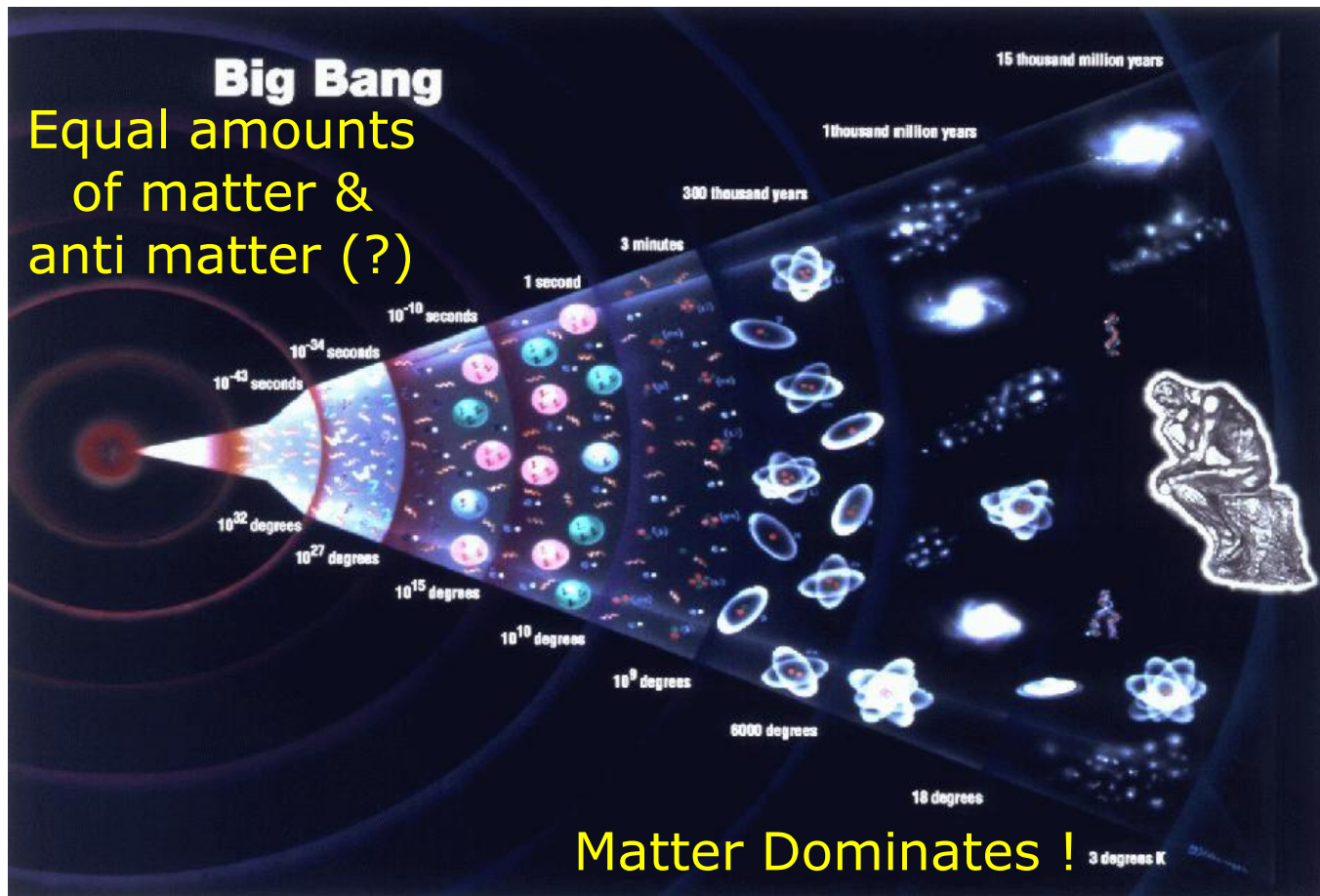
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- → Symmetry related to particle – anti-particle

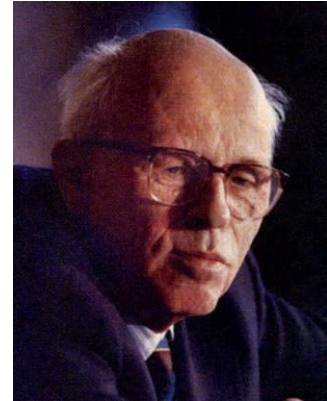
Motivation 2: Understanding the universe

- It's about differences in matter and anti-matter
 - Why would they be different in the first place?
 - We see they are different: our universe is matter dominated



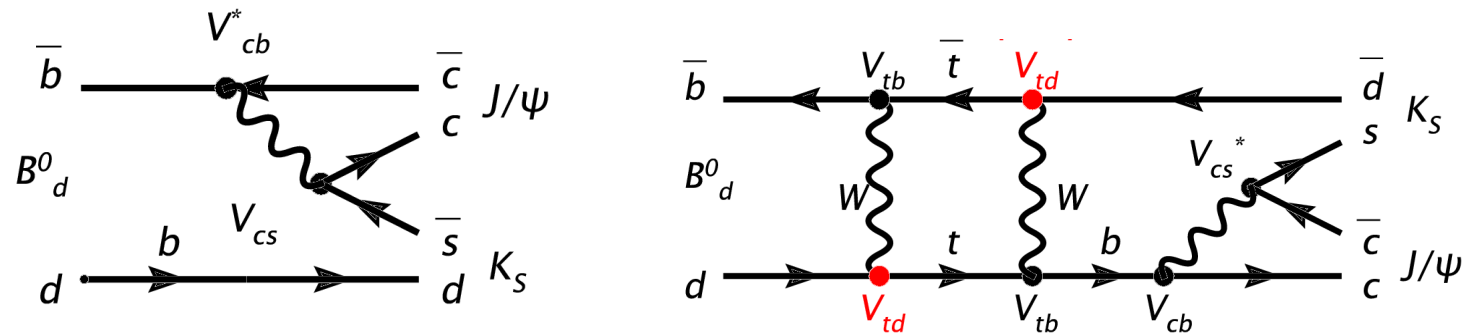
Where and how do we generate the Baryon asymmetry?

- No definitive answer to this question yet!
- In 1967 A. Sacharov formulated a set of general conditions that any such mechanism has to meet
 - 1) You need a process that violates the baryon number B :
(Baryon number of matter=1, of anti-matter = -1)
 - 2) Both C and CP symmetries should be violated
 - 3) Conditions 1) and 2) should occur during a phase in which there is *no* thermal equilibrium
- In these lectures we will focus on 2): CP violation
- Apart from cosmological considerations, I will convince you that there are more interesting aspects in CP violation



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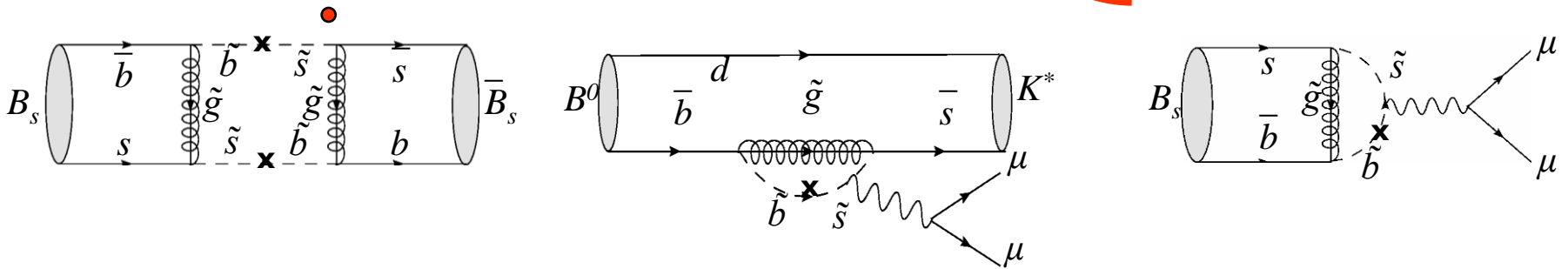
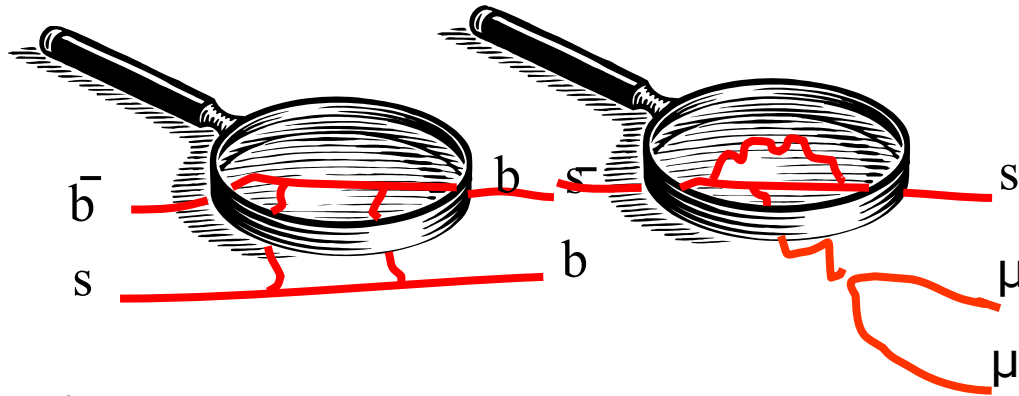


- Same initial and final state
- Look at interference between $B^0 \rightarrow f_{CP}$ and $B^0 \rightarrow \overline{B^0} \rightarrow f_{CP}$

Motivation 3: Sensitive to find new physics

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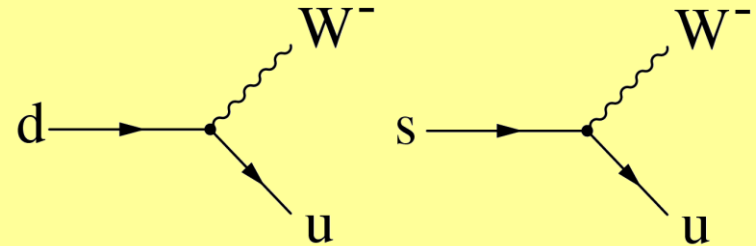
“Box” diagram: $\Delta B=2$ “Penguin” diagram: $\Delta B=1$



- Are heavy particles running around in loops?

Recap:

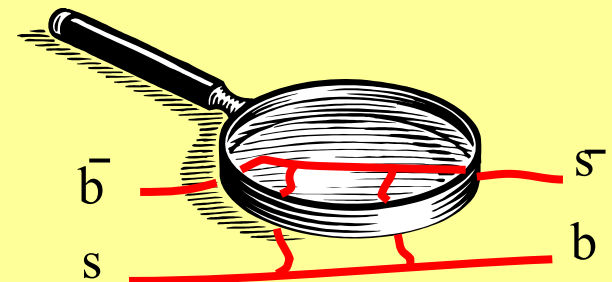
- CP-violation (or flavour physics) is about charged current interactions
- Interesting because:
 - 1) Standard Model:
in the heart of quark interactions



- 2) Cosmology:
related to matter – anti-matter asymmetry

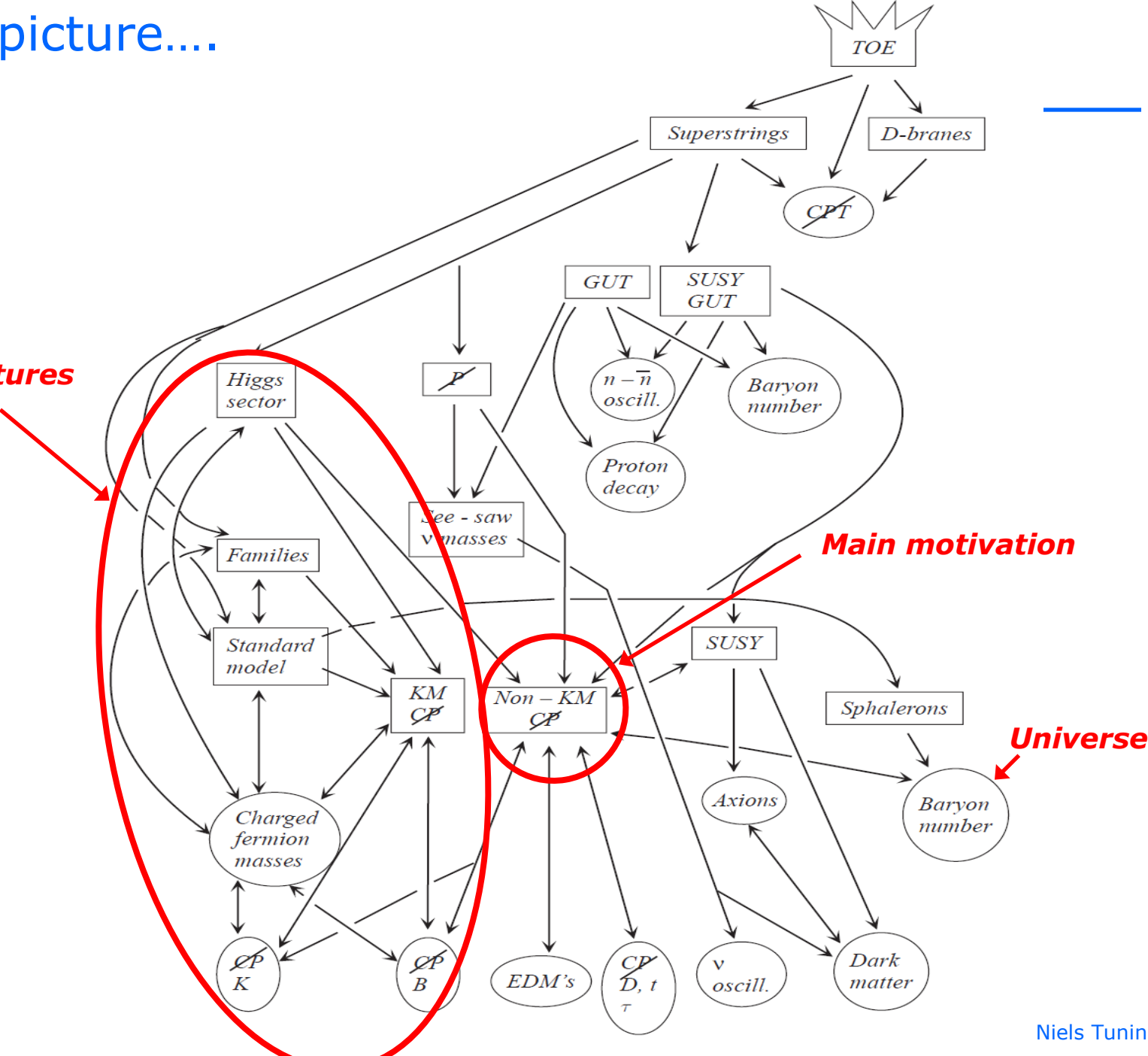


- 3) Beyond Standard Model:
measurements are sensitive to new particles



Grand picture....

These lectures



Main motivation

Universe

Personal impression:

- People think it is a complicated part of the Standard Model (me too:-). Why?

1) Non-intuitive concepts?

- *Imaginary phase* in transition amplitude, $T \sim e^{i\varphi}$
- *Different bases* to express quark states, $d' = 0.97 d + 0.22 s + 0.003 b$
- *Oscillations* (mixing) of mesons: $|K^0\rangle \leftrightarrow |\bar{K}^0\rangle$

2) Complicated calculations?

$$\Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow f) \propto |A_f|^2 \left[|g_+(t)|^2 + |\lambda|^2 |g_-(t)|^2 + 2\Re(\lambda g_+^*(t) g_-(t)) \right]$$

$$\Gamma(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow f) \propto |\bar{A}_f|^2 \left[|g_+(t)|^2 + \frac{1}{|\lambda|^2} |g_-(t)|^2 + \frac{2}{|\lambda|^2} \Re(\lambda^* g_+^*(t) g_-(t)) \right]$$

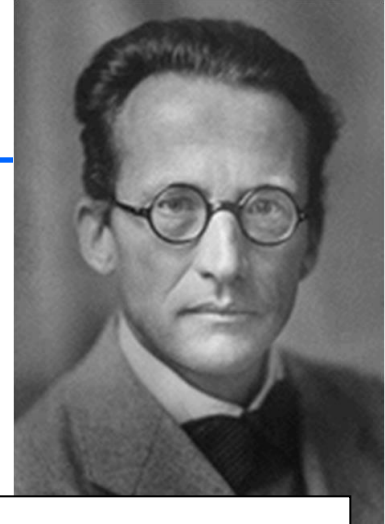
3) Many decay modes? "*Beetopaipaigamma...*"

- PDG reports 347 decay modes of the B^0 -meson:
 - $\Gamma_1 \neq \nu_l \text{ anything} \quad (10.33 \pm 0.28) \times 10^{-2}$
 - $\Gamma_{347} \nu \nu \gamma \quad < 4.7 \times 10^{-5} \quad CL=90\%$
- And for one decay there are often more than one decay *amplitudes...*

Anti-matter

- Dirac (1928): Prediction
- Anderson (1932): Discovery
- Present-day experiments

Schrödinger



Classic relation between E and p:

$$E = \frac{\vec{p}^2}{2m}$$

Quantum mechanical substitution:
(operator acting on wave function ψ)

$$E \rightarrow i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{p} \rightarrow -i \vec{\nabla}$$

Schrodinger equation:

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi = \frac{-1}{2m} \nabla^2 \psi$$

Solution:

$$\psi = N e^{i(\vec{p}\vec{x} - Et)}$$

Klein-Gordon



Relativistic relation between E and p:

$$E^2 = \vec{p}^2 + m^2$$

Quantum mechanical substitution:
(operator acting on wave function ψ)

$$E \rightarrow i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{p} \rightarrow -i \vec{\nabla}$$

Klein-Gordon equation:

$$-\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \phi = -\nabla^2 \phi + m^2 \phi$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{or :} & \quad (\square + m^2) \phi(x) = 0 \\ \text{or :} & \quad (\partial_\mu \partial^\mu + m^2) \phi(x) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Solution:

$$\phi(x) = N e^{-ip_\mu x^\mu} \quad \text{with eigenvalues:} \quad E^2 = \vec{p}^2 + m^2$$

But! Negative energy solution?

$$E = \pm \sqrt{\vec{p}^2 + m^2}$$

Dirac



Paul Dirac tried to find an equation that was

- relativistically correct,
- but *linear* in d/dt to avoid negative energies
- (and linear in d/dx (or ∇) for Lorentz covariance)

He found an equation that

- turned out to describe spin-1/2 particles and
- **predicted the existence of anti-particles**

Dirac

➤ How to find that relativistic, linear equation ??

Write Hamiltonian in general form,

$$H\psi = (\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{p} + \beta m) \psi$$

but when squared, it must satisfy:

$$H^2\psi = (\vec{p}^2 + m^2) \psi$$

Let's find α_i and β !

$$\begin{aligned} H^2\psi &= (\alpha_i p_i + \beta m)^2 \psi \quad \text{with : } i = 1, 2, 3 \\ &= \left(\underbrace{\alpha_i^2}_{=1} p_i^2 + \underbrace{(\alpha_i \alpha_j + \alpha_j \alpha_i)}_{=0 \quad i>j} p_i p_j + \underbrace{(\alpha_i \beta + \beta \alpha_i)}_{=0} p_i m + \underbrace{\beta^2}_{=1} m^2 \right) \psi \end{aligned}$$

So, α_i and β must satisfy:

- $\alpha_1^2 = \alpha_2^2 = \alpha_3^2 = \beta^2$
- $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \beta$ anti-commute with each other
- (not a unique choice!)

$$H\psi = (\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{p} + \beta m) \psi$$

Dirac

➤ What are α and β ??

The lowest dimensional matrix that has the desired behaviour is **4x4** !?

Often used

Pauli-Dirac representation:

$$\vec{\alpha} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \vec{\sigma} \\ \vec{\sigma} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad ; \quad \beta = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & -I \end{pmatrix}$$

with:

$$\sigma_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad ; \quad \sigma_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad ; \quad \sigma_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Dirac

Usual substitution:

$$H \rightarrow i\frac{\partial}{\partial t}, \vec{p} \rightarrow -i\vec{\nabla}$$

Leads to:

$$i\frac{\partial}{\partial t}\psi = (-i\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{\nabla} + \beta m) \psi$$

Multiply by β :

$$\left(i\beta\frac{\partial}{\partial t}\psi + i\beta\alpha_1\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + i\beta\alpha_2\frac{\partial}{\partial y} + i\beta\alpha_3\frac{\partial}{\partial z} \right) \psi \stackrel{(\beta^2=1)}{-m\psi} = 0$$

Gives the famous Dirac equation:

$$(i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - m) \psi = 0$$

with : $\gamma^\mu = (\beta, \beta\vec{\alpha}) \equiv$ Dirac γ -matrices

$$\text{for each } j=1,2,3,4 : \sum_{k=1}^4 \left[\sum_{\mu=0}^3 i(\gamma^\mu)_{jk} \partial_\mu - m\delta_{jk} \right] (\psi_k) = 0$$

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R.I.P. :



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Remember!

- μ : Lorentz index
- 4x4 γ matrix: Dirac index

Less compact notation:

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Even less compact... :

$$\left[\begin{pmatrix} \mathbb{1} & 0 \\ 0 & -\mathbb{1} \end{pmatrix} \frac{i\partial}{\partial t} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sigma_1 \\ -\sigma_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \frac{i\partial}{\partial x} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sigma_2 \\ -\sigma_2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \frac{i\partial}{\partial y} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sigma_3 \\ -\sigma_3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \frac{i\partial}{\partial z} - \begin{pmatrix} \mathbb{1} & 0 \\ 0 & \mathbb{1} \end{pmatrix} m \right] \begin{pmatrix} \psi_1 \\ \psi_2 \\ \psi_3 \\ \psi_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

➤ What are the solutions for ψ ??

Dirac

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Solutions to the Dirac equation?

Try plane wave: $\psi(x) = u(p) e^{-ipx} \rightarrow$

$$(\gamma^\mu p_\mu - m) u(p) = 0$$

or : $(\not{p} - m) u(p) = 0$

Linear set of eq:

$$\left[\begin{pmatrix} \mathbb{1} & 0 \\ 0 & -\mathbb{1} \end{pmatrix} E - \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sigma_i \\ -\sigma_i & 0 \end{pmatrix} p^i - \begin{pmatrix} \mathbb{1} & 0 \\ 0 & \mathbb{1} \end{pmatrix} m \right] \begin{pmatrix} u_A \\ u_B \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

➤ 2 coupled equations:

$$\begin{cases} (\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{p}) u_B = (E - m) u_A \\ (\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{p}) u_A = (E + m) u_B \end{cases}$$

If $p=0$:

$$u^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad u^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad u^{(3)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad u^{(4)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$u_B^{(1)} = \frac{\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{p}}{E + m} u_A^{(1)} = \frac{\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{p}}{E + m} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad u_B^{(2)} = \frac{\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{p}}{E + m} u_A^{(2)} = \frac{\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{p}}{E + m} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Ψ is 4-component spinor

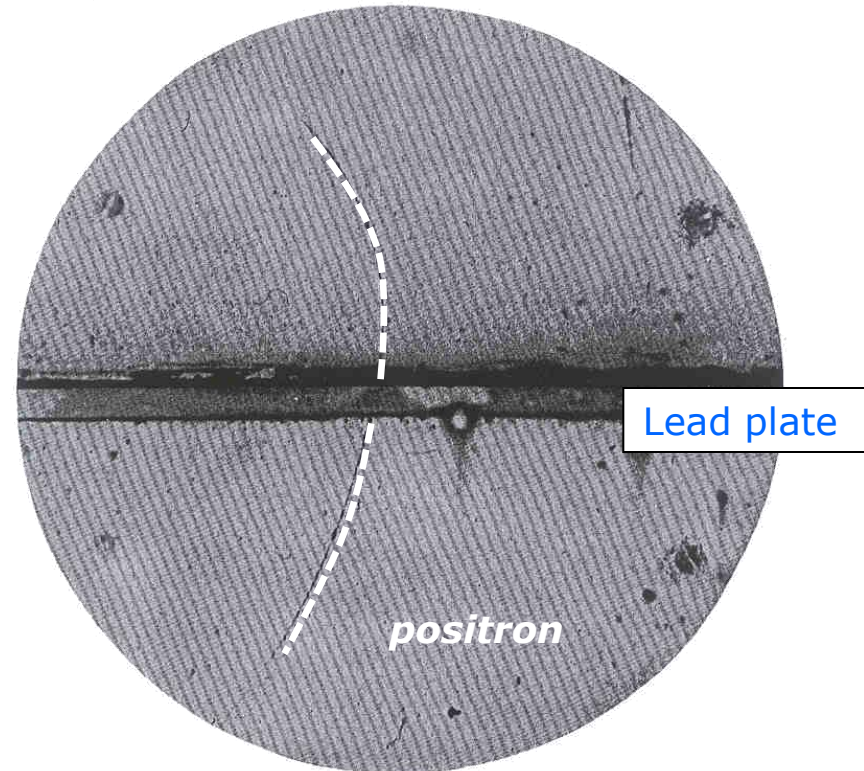
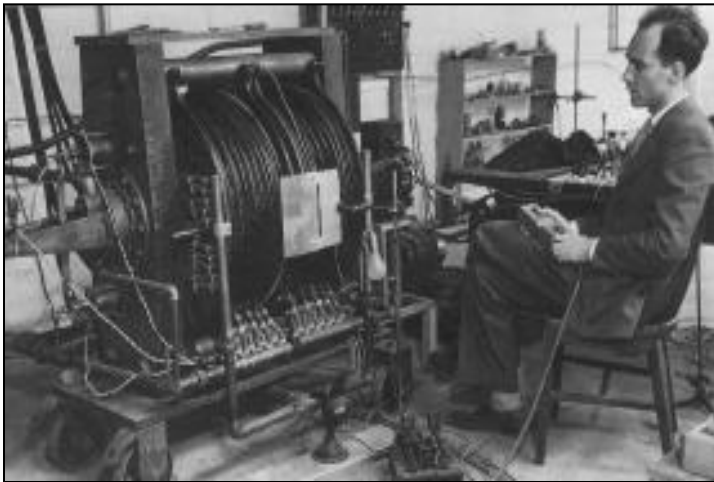
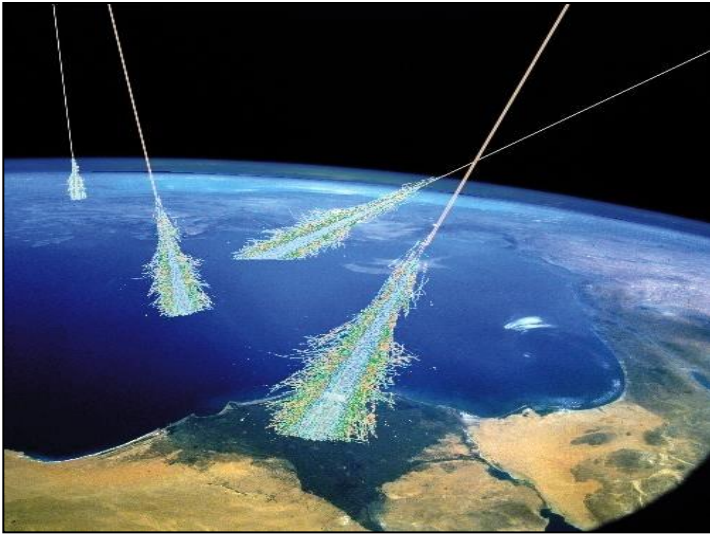
4 solutions correspond to fermions and anti-fermions with spin+1/2 and -1/2

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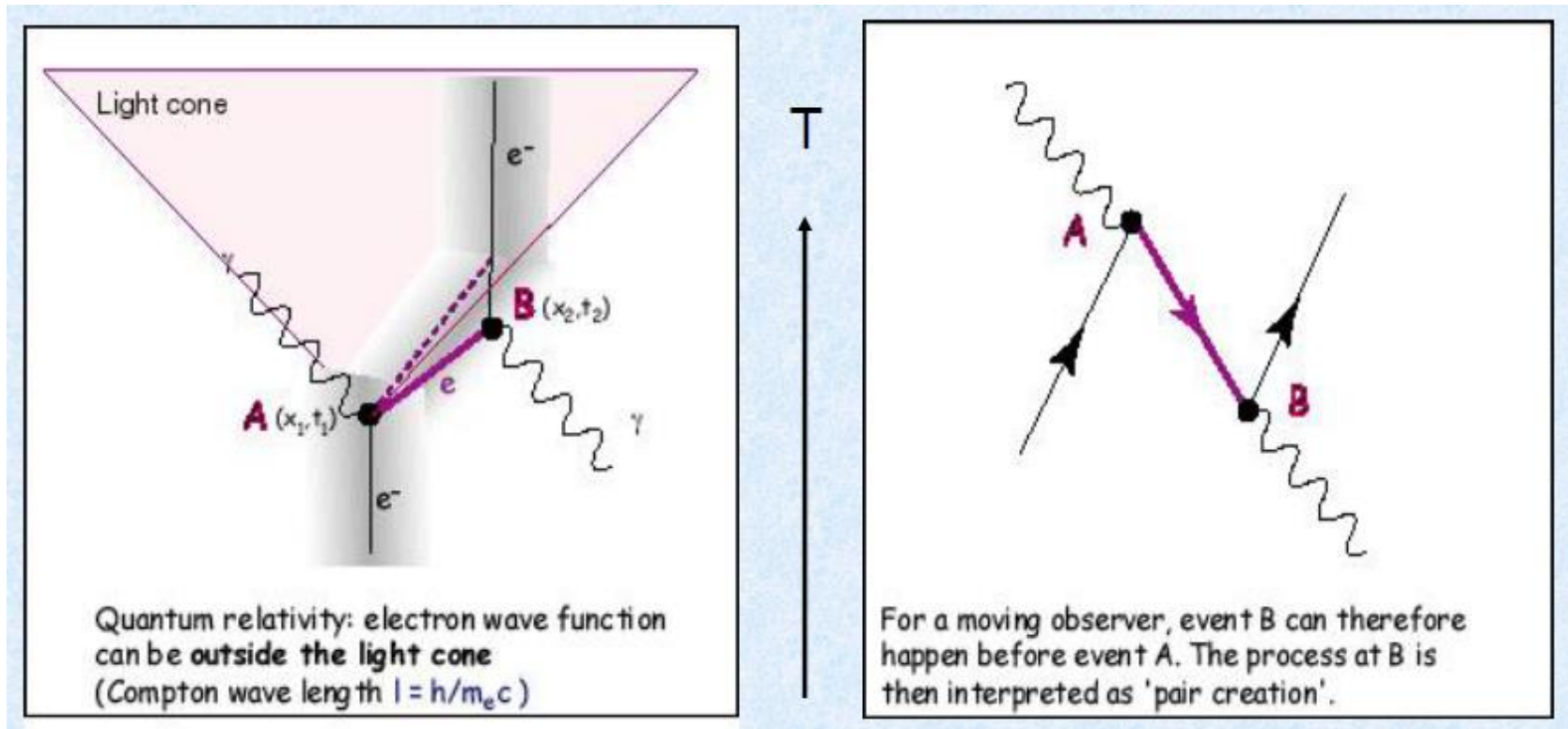
Discovery of anti-matter



Nobelprize 1936

Why anti-matter must exist!

- “*Feynman-Stueckelberg interpretation*”

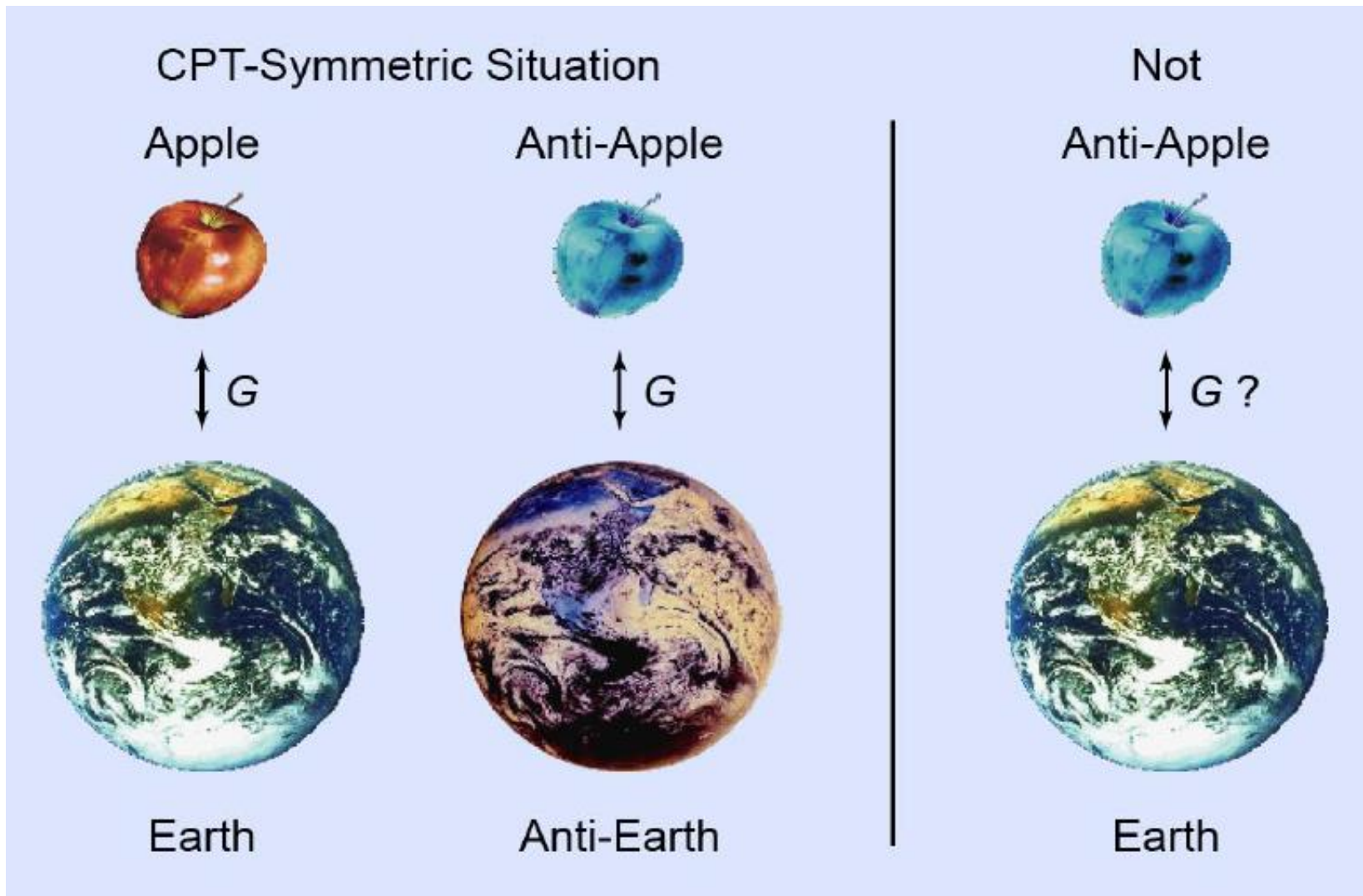


- “One observer’s electron is the other observer’s positron”

CPT theorem

- CPT transformation:
 - C: interchange particles and anti-particles
 - P: reverse space-coordinates
 - T: Reverse time-coordinate
- CPT transformation closely related to Lorentz-boost
- CPT invariance implies
 - Particles and anti-particles have same mass and lifetime
 - Lorentz invariance

CPT is conserved, but does anti-matter fall down?

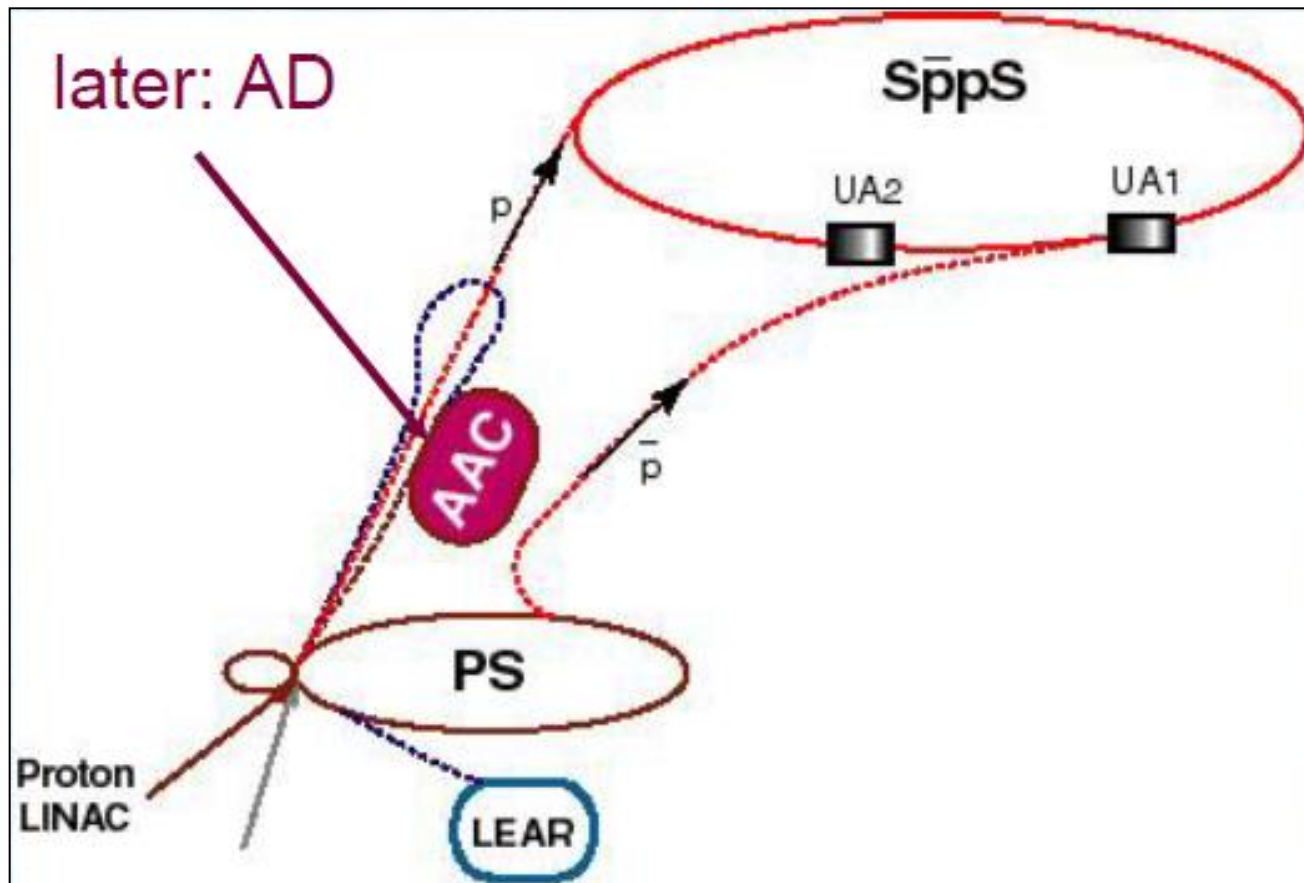


Experiments

- Need to have neutral anti-matter
 - Otherwise electrostatic forces spoil the weak gravitational force
- Make anti-protons
 - Accelerator
 - Anti-proton factory
 - Decelerator
 - Storage
- Produce anti-hydrogen for study
 - Trap
 - Observe (spectroscopy, ...)

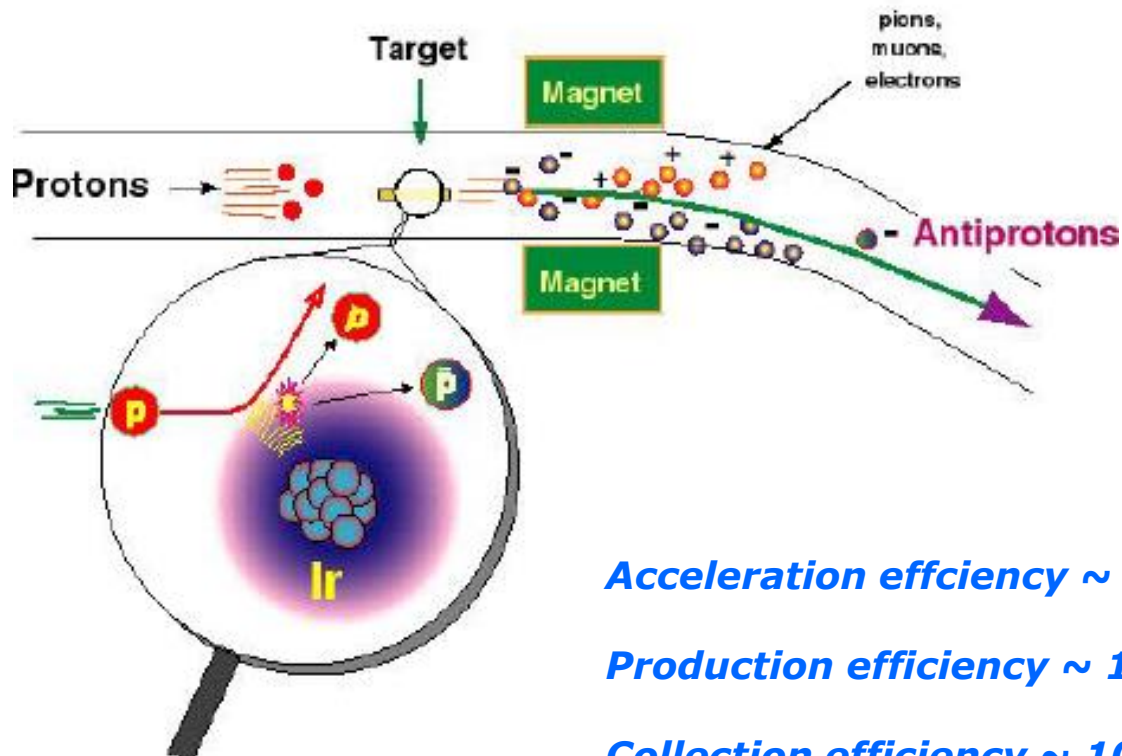
Anti-proton beam

- CERN (1980):
 - SppS: led to discovery of W, Z



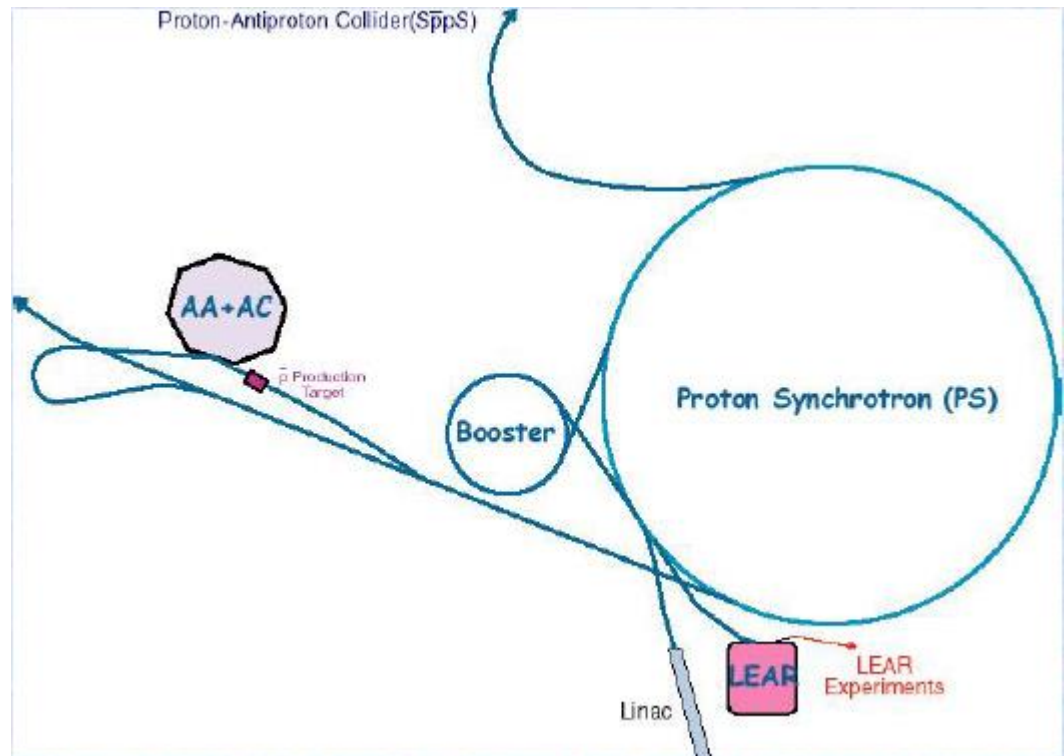
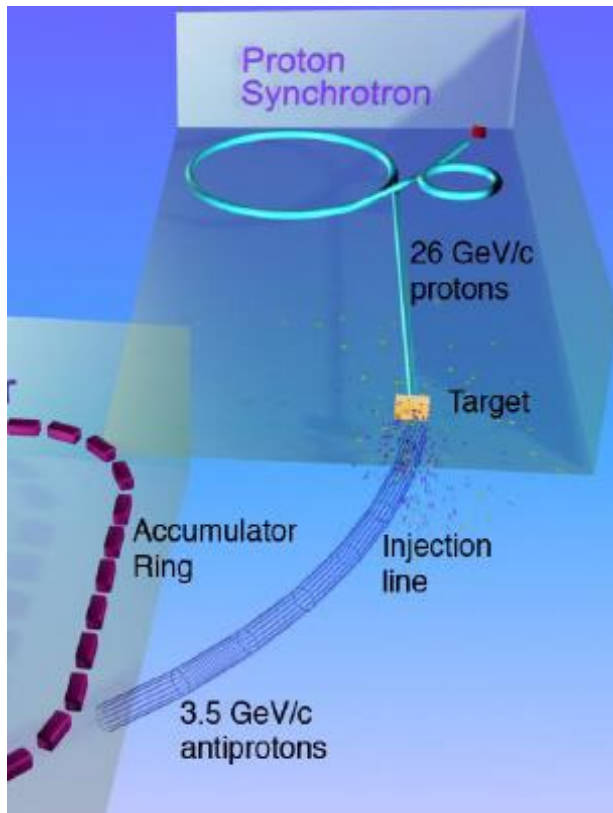
Anti-proton production

Principle of Antiproton Production



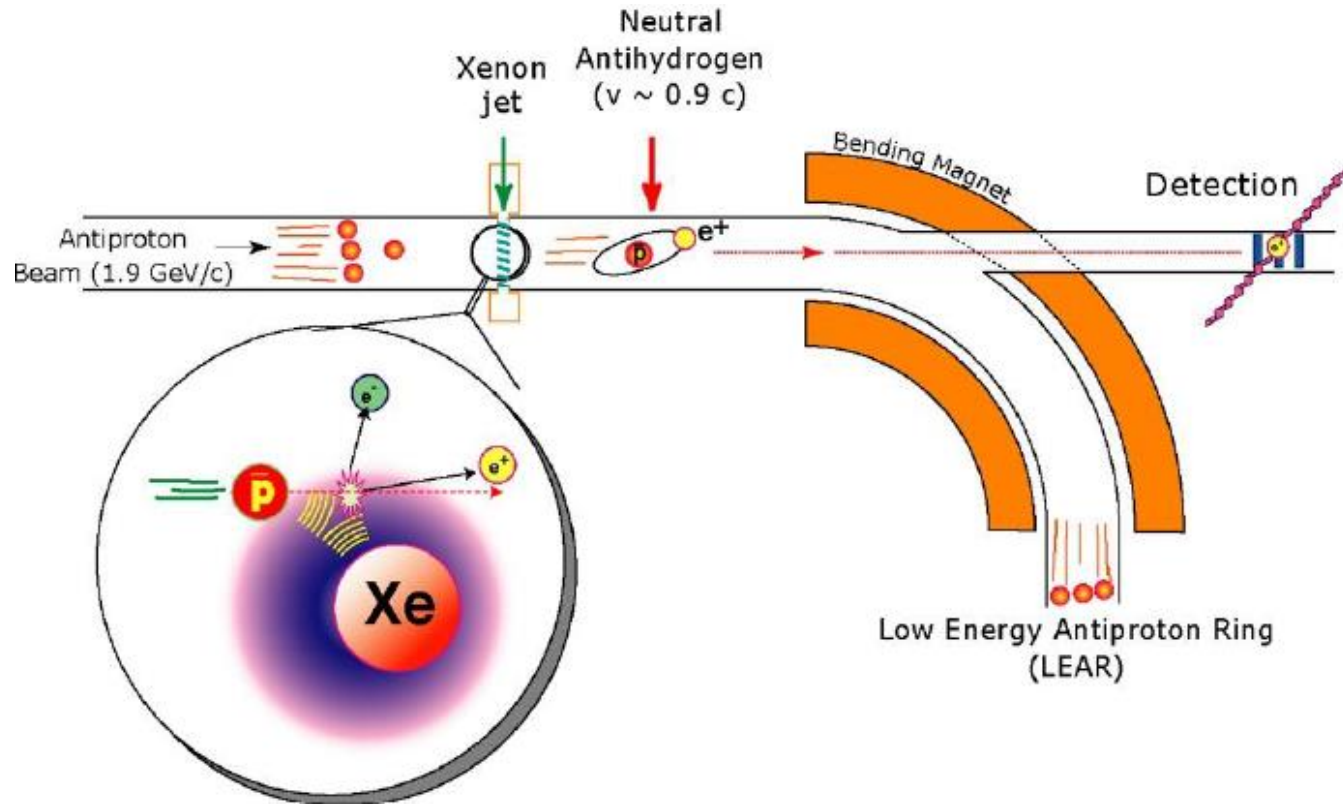
Anti-proton storage

- AC: Accumulator (3.57 GeV)
- PS: Decelerator (0.6 GeV)
- LEAR: Low Energy Anti-proton ring (1982)



Anti-hydrogen

- 1995: First 9 anti-hydrogen atoms made:

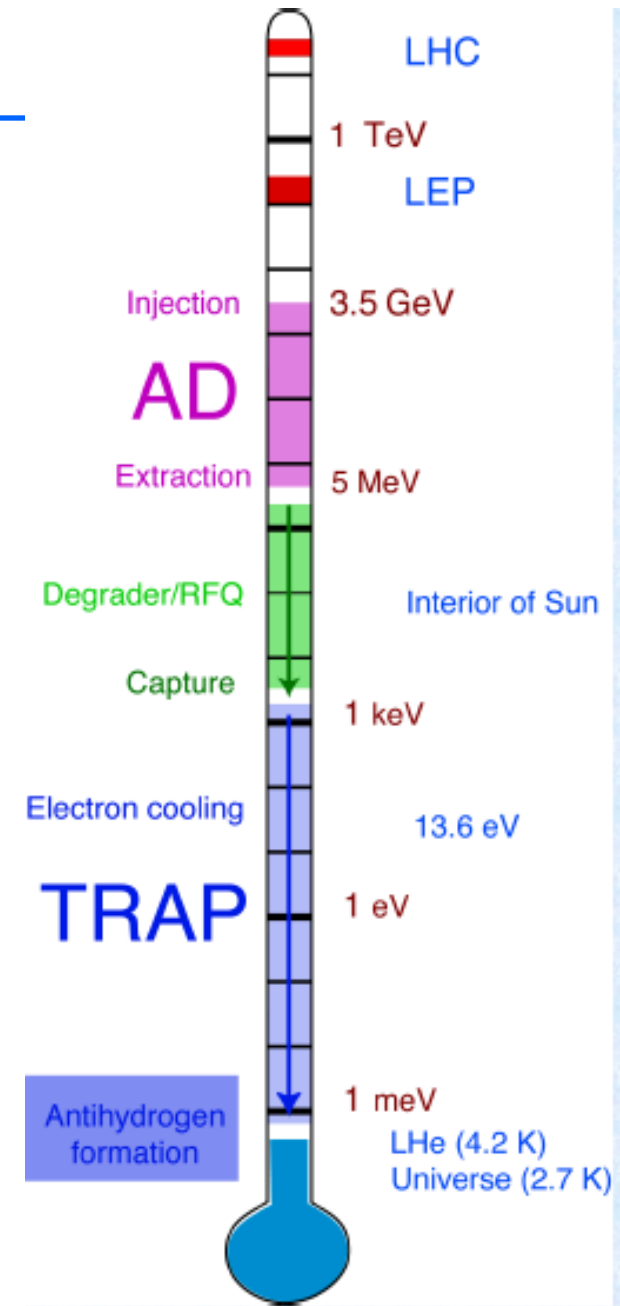
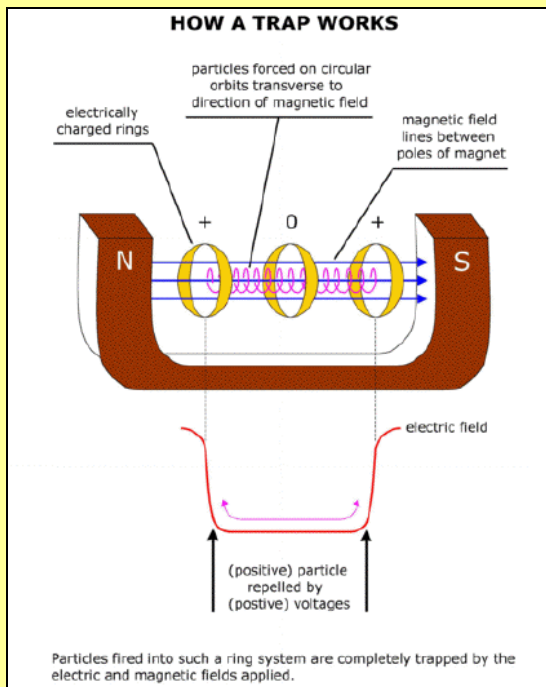


- 1997: Replace LEAR by AD (anti-proton decelerator)

Anti-hydrogen: challenge

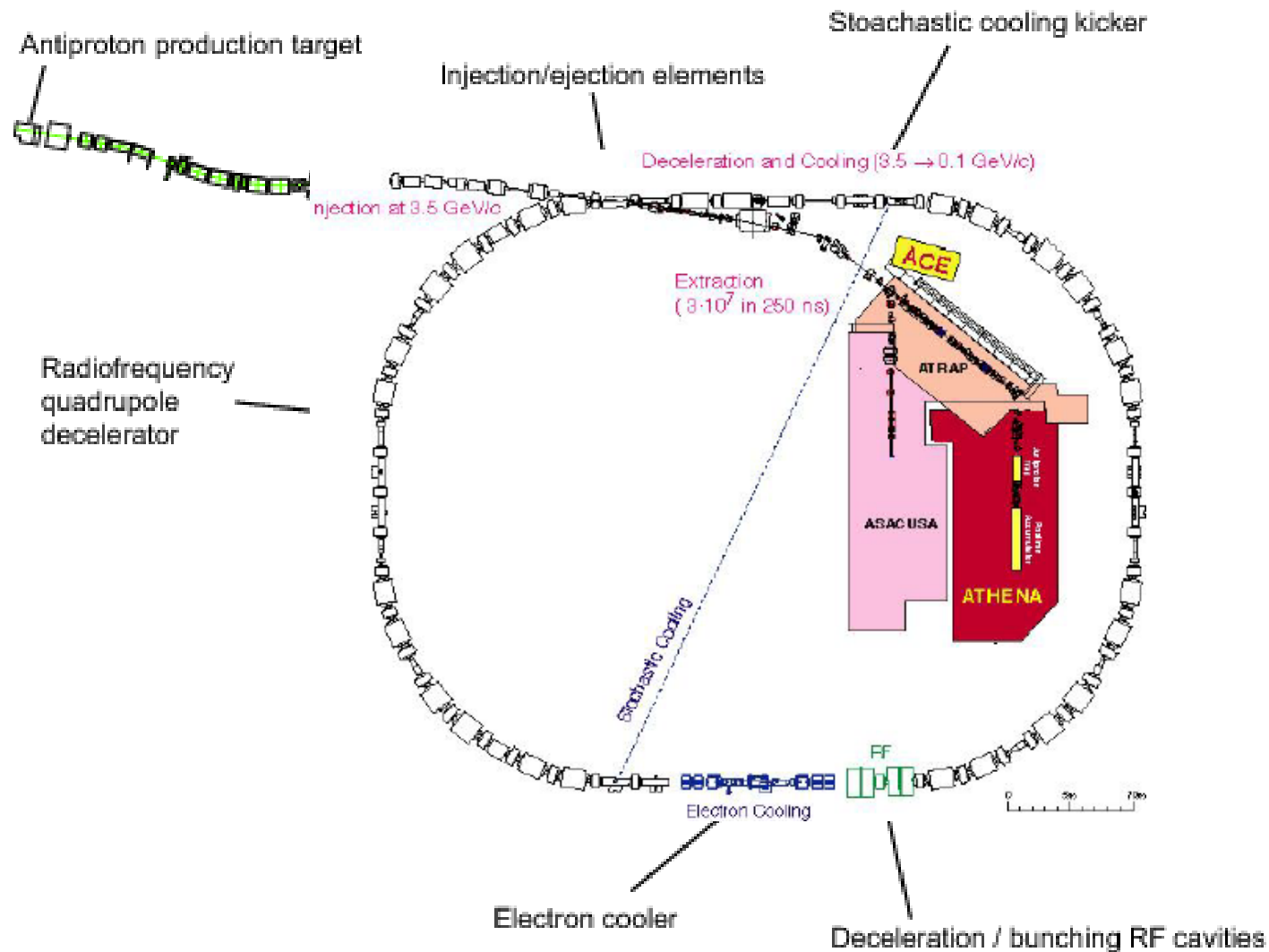
- Beam energy: $\sim \text{GeV}$
- Atomic energy scale: $\sim \text{eV}$

- Trap charged particles:



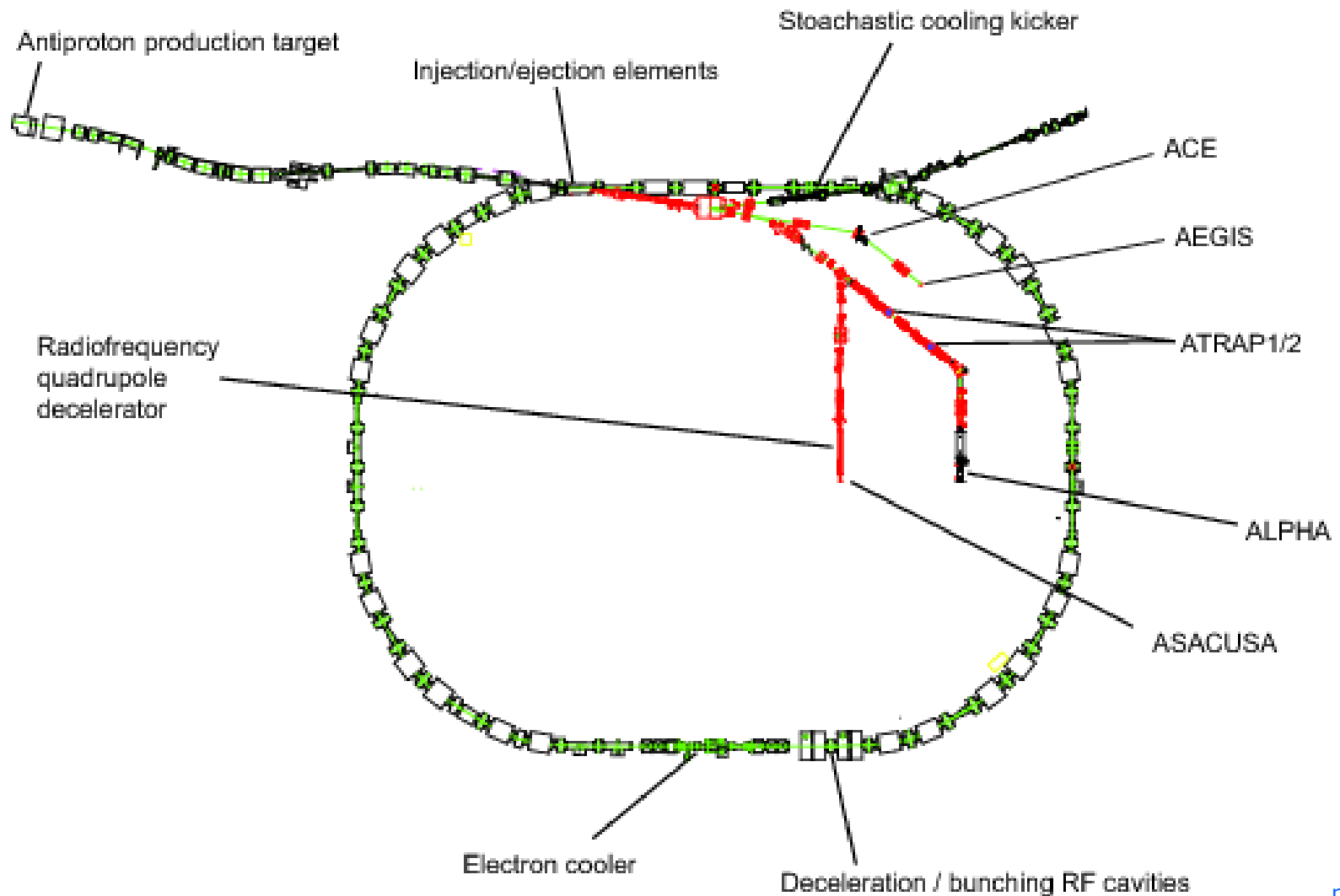
Anti-hydrogen production

- ATHENA and ATRAP experiments

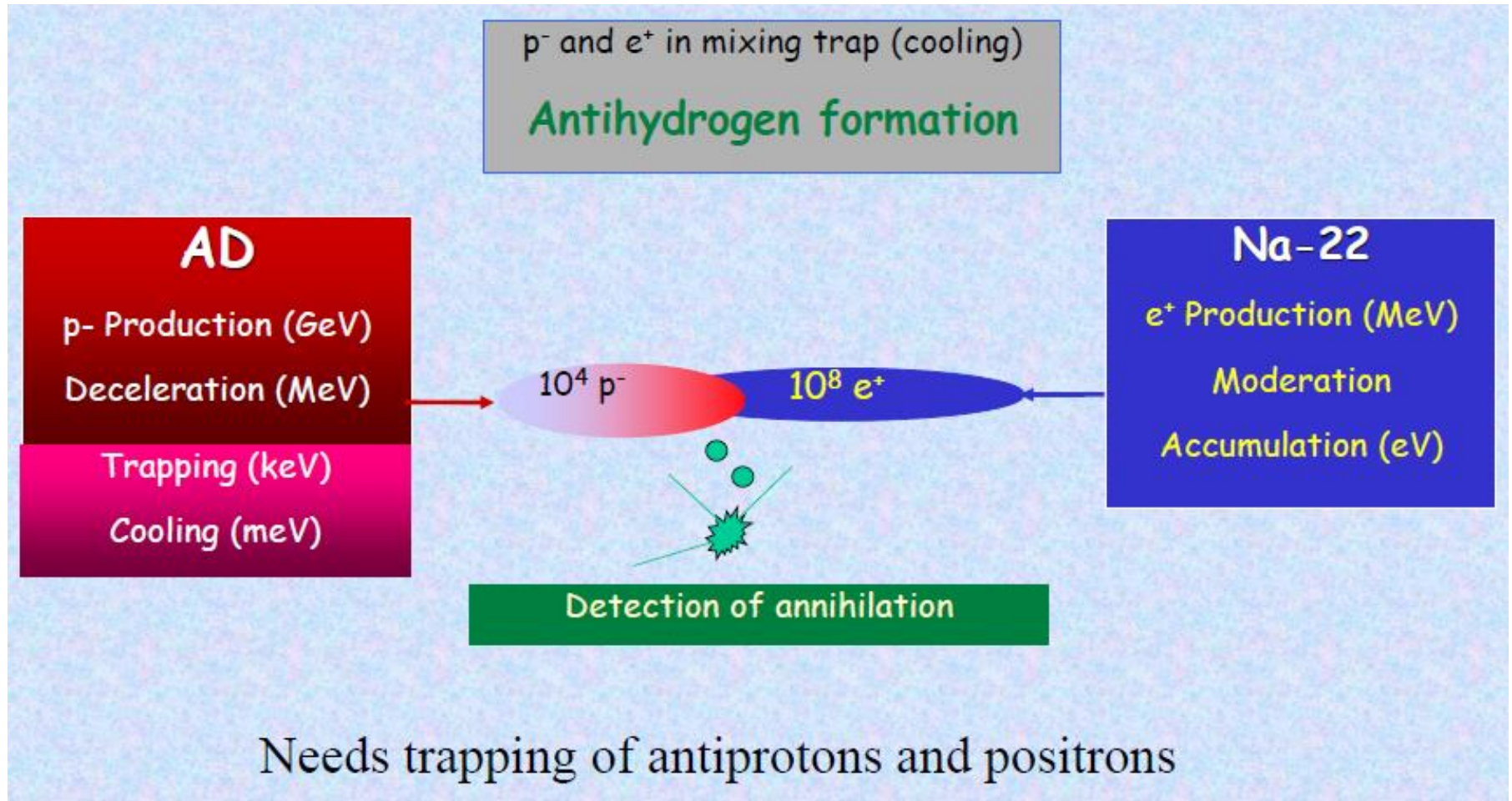


Anti-hydrogen production

- ATRAP, ALPHA, ASACUSA, AEGIS experiments:

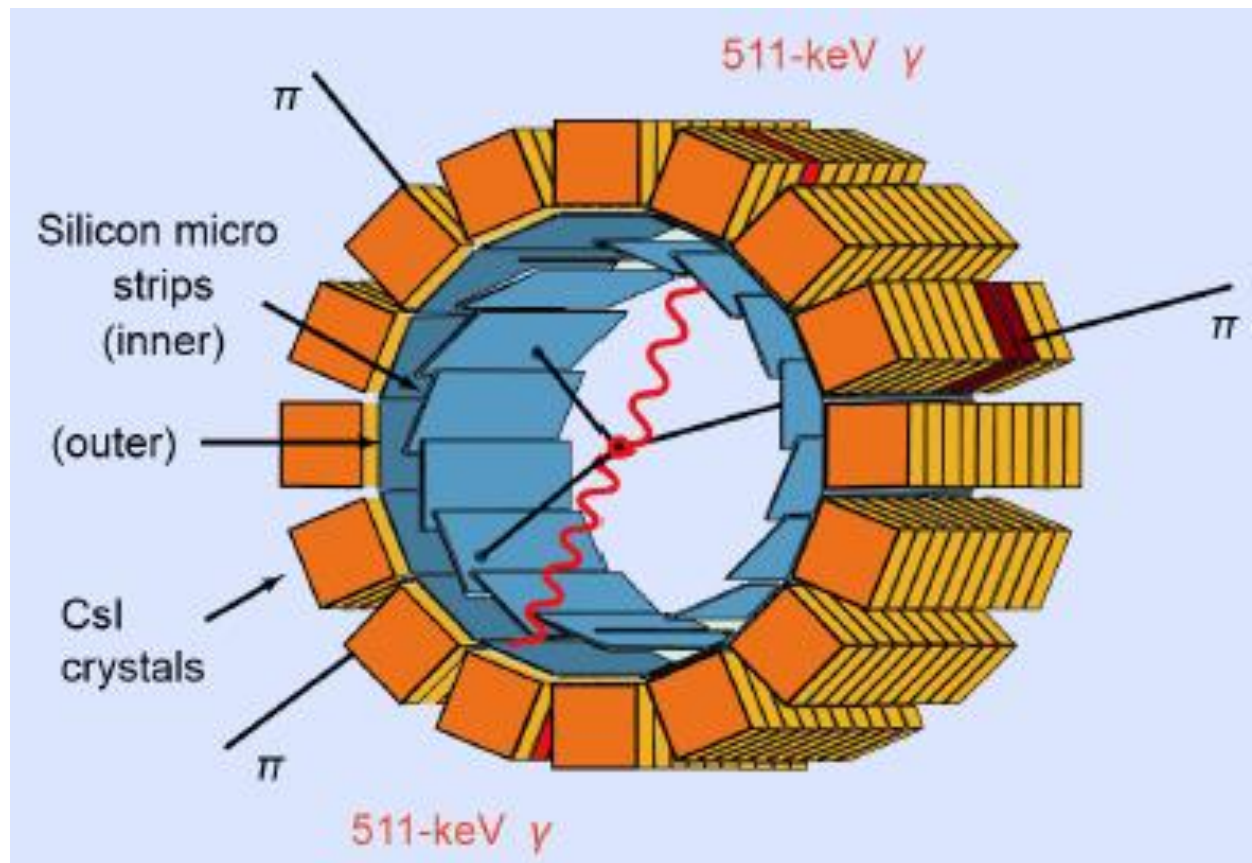


Anti-hydrogen production



Anti-hydrogen detection

- ATRAP, ATHENA: pioneering the trapping technique
- ALPHA: trapped anti-hydrogen for 16 minutes



Anti-hydrogen detection

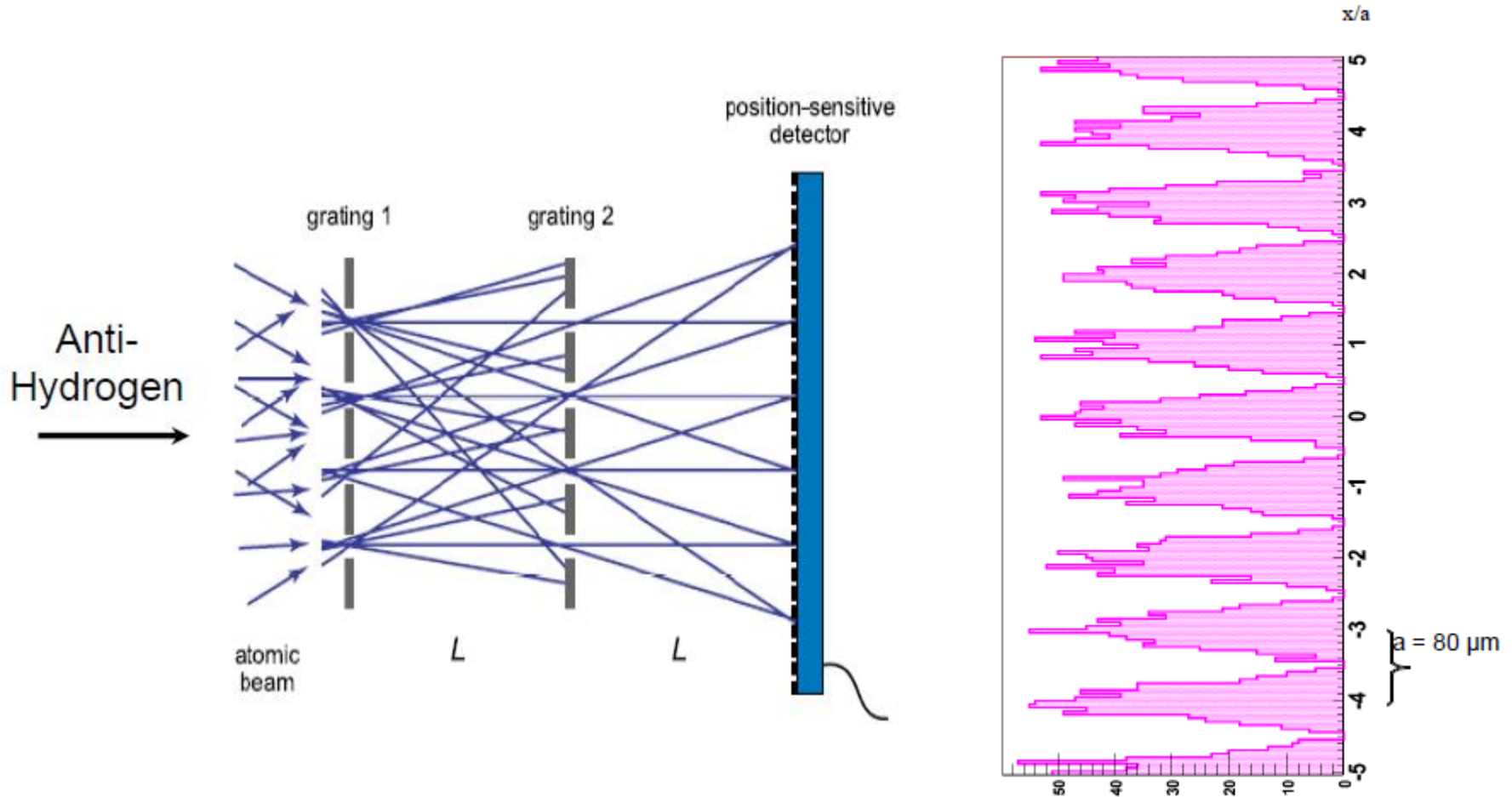
- ASACUSA:
 - 2011: trapped anti-proton in He (replacing an electron), measuring mass to 10^{-9}

21 Jan 2014:

- The ASACUSA experiment at CERN has succeeded for the first time in producing a beam of anti-hydrogen atoms. In a paper published today in Nature Communications, the ASACUSA collaboration reports the unambiguous detection of 80 anti-hydrogen atoms 2.7 metres downstream of their production, where the perturbing influence of the magnetic fields used initially to produce the anti-atoms is small. This result is a significant step towards precise hyperfine spectroscopy of anti-hydrogen atoms.

Anti-hydrogen detection

- AEGIS
 - Does antihydrogen fall with the same acceleration as hydrogen?



C, P, T

- C, P, T transformation:
 - C: interchange particles and anti-particles
 - P: reverse space-coordinates
 - T: Reverse time-coordinate
- CPT we discussed briefly ...
- After the break we deal with P and CP...
... violation!

Break

P and C violation

- What is the link between anti-matter and discrete symmetries?
- C operator changes matter into anti-matter
- 2 more discrete symmetries: P and T

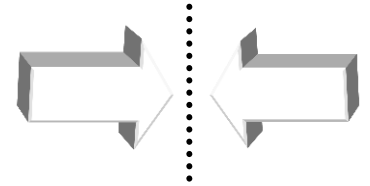
Continuous vs discrete symmetries

- Space, time translation & orientation symmetries are all *continuous* symmetries
 - Each symmetry operation associated with one or more continuous parameters
- There are also *discrete* symmetries
 - Charge sign flip ($Q \rightarrow -Q$) : **C parity**
 - Spatial sign flip ($x, y, z \rightarrow -x, -y, -z$) : **P parity**
 - Time sign flip ($t \rightarrow -t$) : **T parity**
- Are these discrete symmetries *exact* symmetries that are observed by all physics in nature?
 - Key issue of this course

Three Discrete Symmetries

- Parity, P

- Parity reflects a system through the origin. Converts right-handed coordinate systems to left-handed ones.
- Vectors change sign but axial vectors remain unchanged
 - $\vec{x} \rightarrow -\vec{x}$, $\vec{p} \rightarrow -\vec{p}$, but $\vec{L} = \vec{x} \times \vec{p} \rightarrow \vec{L}$



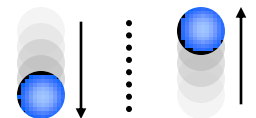
- Charge Conjugation, C

- Charge conjugation turns a particle into its anti-particle
 - $e^+ \rightarrow e^-$, $K^- \rightarrow K^+$



- Time Reversal, T

- Changes, for example, the direction of motion of particles
 - $t \rightarrow -t$



Example: People believe in symmetry...



Instruction for Abel Tasman, explorer of Australia (1642):

- “Since many rich mines and other treasures have been found in countries north of the equator between 15° and 40° latitude, **there is no doubt** that countries alike exist south of the equator.

The provinces in Peru and Chili rich of gold and silver, all positioned south of the equator, are revealing **proofs** hereof.”

Example: People believe in symmetry...

Award Ceremony Speech Nobel Prize (1957):

- *"it was assumed almost tacitly, that elementary particle reactions are symmetric with respect to right and left."*
- *"In fact, most of us were inclined to regard the symmetry of elementary particles with respect to right and left as a necessary consequence of the **general principle** of right-left symmetry **of Nature**."*
- *"... only Lee and Yang ... asked themselves what kind of experimental support there was for the assumption that all elementary particle processes are symmetric with respect to right and left. "*



Chen Ning Yang
Prize share: 1/2

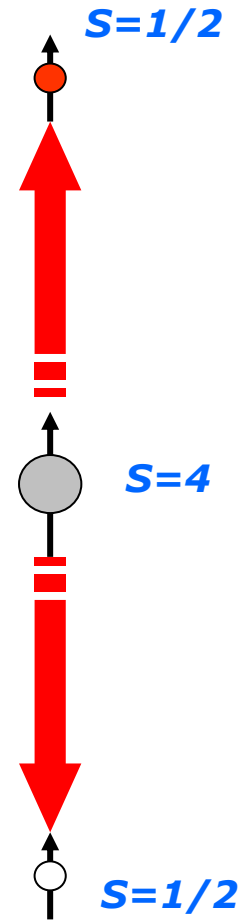


Tsung-Dao (T.D.) Lee
Prize share: 1/2

A realistic experiment: the Wu experiment (1956)

- Observe radioactive decay of Cobalt-60 nuclei
 - The process involved: ${}^{60}_{27}\text{Co} \rightarrow {}^{60}_{28}\text{Ni} + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$
 - **${}^{60}_{27}\text{Co}$ is spin-5 and ${}^{60}_{28}\text{Ni}$ is spin-4, both e^- and $\bar{\nu}_e$ are spin-1/2**
 - If you start with fully polarized Co ($S_z=5$) the experiment is essentially the same (i.e. there is only one spin solution for the decay)

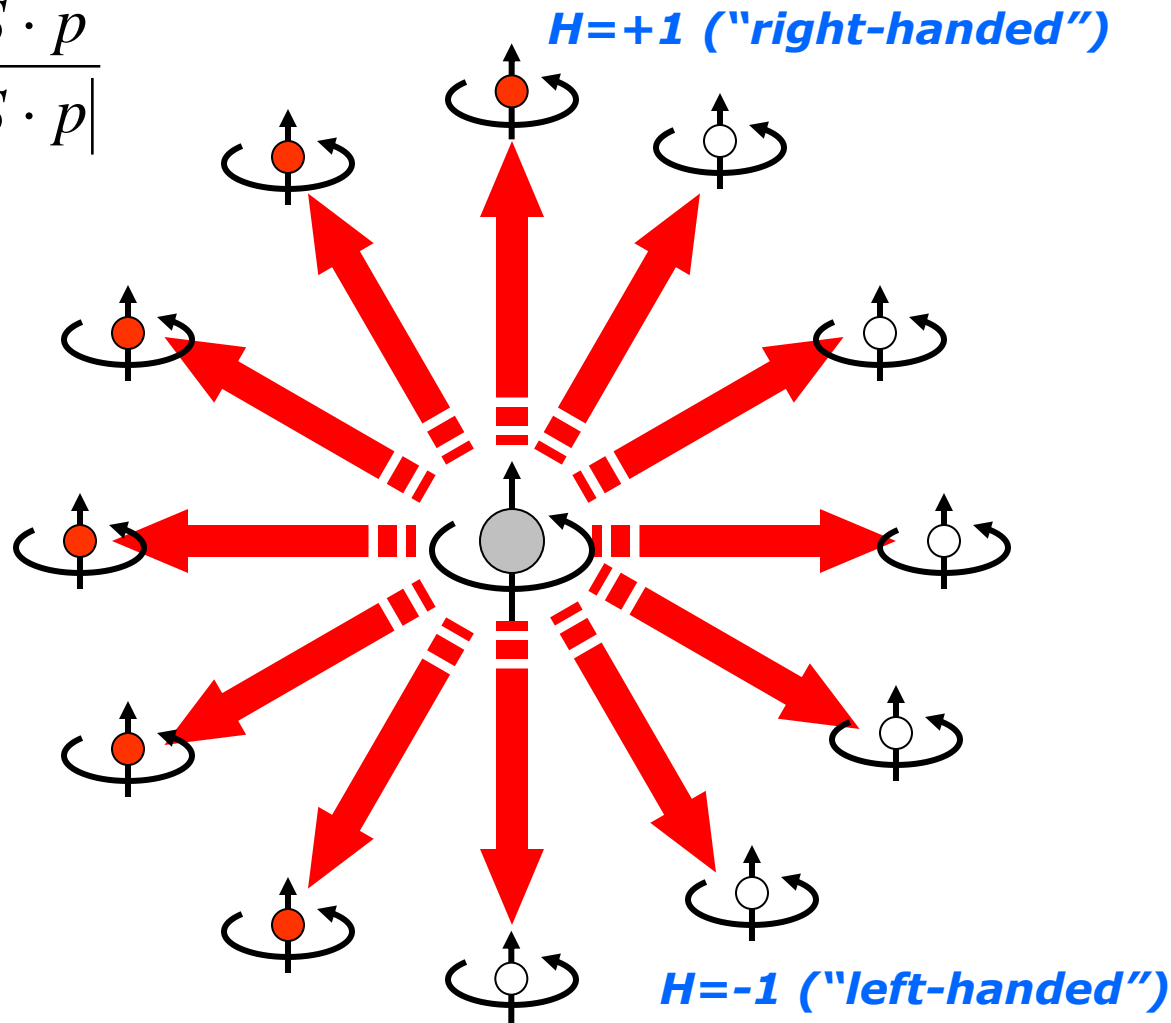
$$|5, +5\rangle \rightarrow |4, +4\rangle + |1/2, +1/2\rangle + |1/2, +1/2\rangle$$



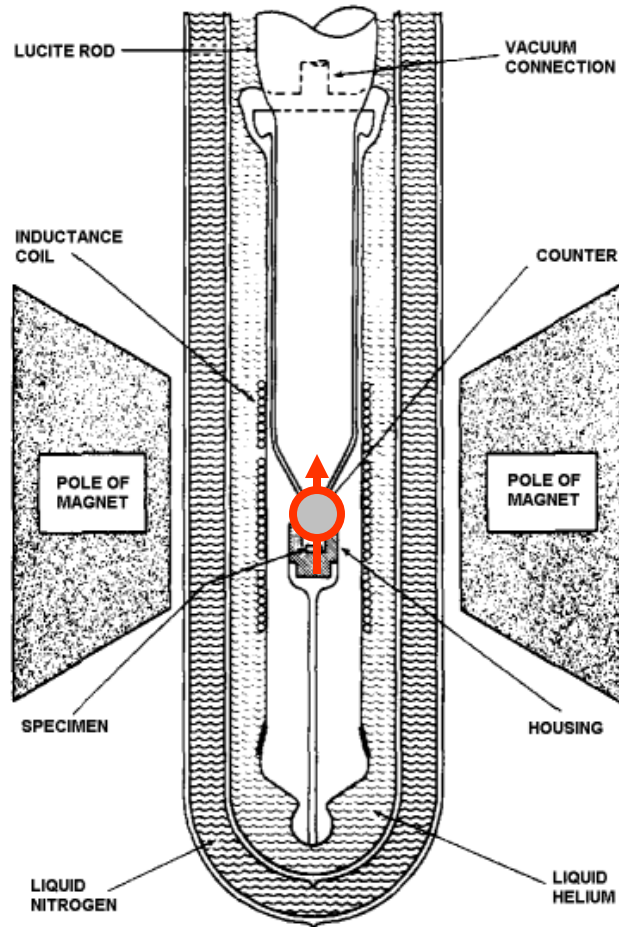
Intermezzo: Spin and Parity and Helicity

- We introduce a new quantity: Helicity = the projection of the spin on the direction of flight of a particle

$$H \equiv \frac{S \cdot p}{|S \cdot p|}$$



The Wu experiment – 1956

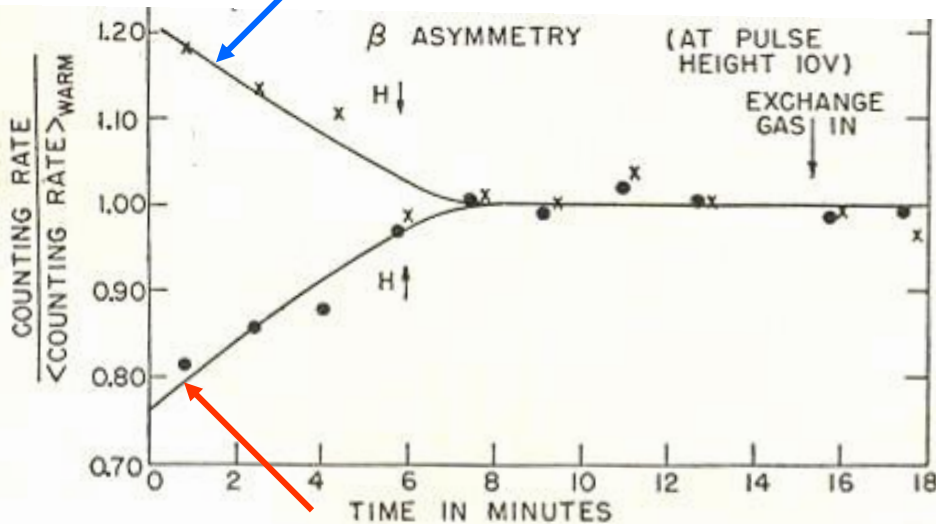


- Experimental challenge: how do you obtain a sample of Co(60) where the spins are aligned in one direction
 - Wu's solution: adiabatic demagnetization of Co(60) in magnetic fields at very low temperatures ($\sim 1/100$ K!). Extremely challenging in 1956.

The Wu experiment – 1956

- The surprising result: the counting rate is different
 - **Electrons are preferentially emitted in direction opposite of ^{60}Co spin!**
 - Careful analysis of results shows that **experimental data is consistent with emission of left-handed ($H=-1$) electrons only at any angle!!**

**'Backward' Counting rate
w.r.t unpolarized rate**



**'Forward' Counting rate
w.r.t unpolarized rate**

**^{60}Co polarization decreases
as function of time**



Experimental Test of Parity Conservation in Beta Decay*

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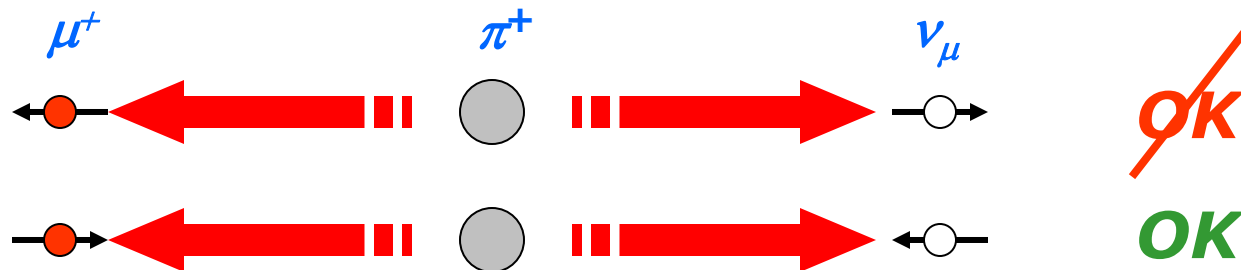
(Received January 15, 1957)

The Wu experiment – 1956

- Physics conclusion:
 - Angular distribution of electrons shows that only pairs of left-handed electrons / right-handed anti-neutrinos are emitted regardless of the emission angle
 - Since right-handed electrons are known to exist (for electrons H is not Lorentz-invariant anyway), this means **no left-handed anti-neutrinos are produced in weak decay**
- **Parity is violated in weak processes**
 - **Not just a little bit but 100%**
- How can you see that ^{60}Co violates parity symmetry?
 - If there is parity symmetry there should exist no measurement that can distinguish our universe from a parity-flipped universe, but we can!

So P is violated, what's next?

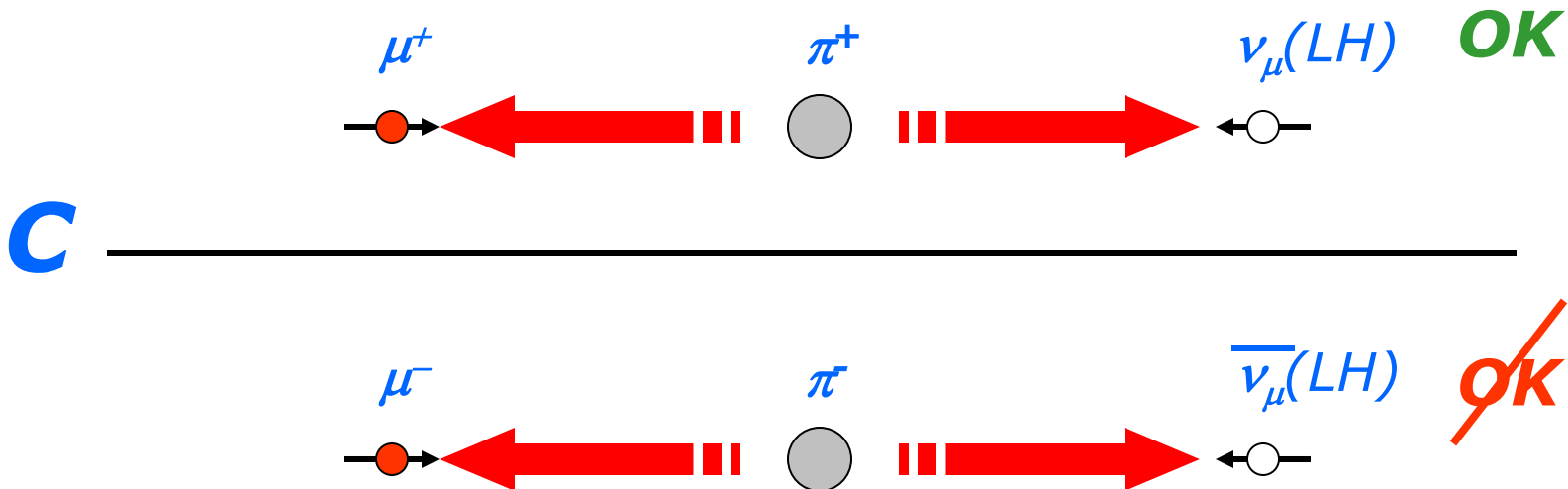
- Wu's experiment was shortly followed by another clever experiment by L. Lederman: Look at decay $\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu$
 - Pion has spin 0, μ, ν_μ both have spin $1/2$
 - spin of decay products must be oppositely aligned
 - Helicity of muon is same as that of neutrino.



- Nice feature: can also measure polarization of both neutrino (π^+ decay) and anti-neutrino (π^- decay)
- Ledermans result: All **neutrinos are left-handed** and all **anti-neutrinos are right-handed**

Charge conjugation symmetry

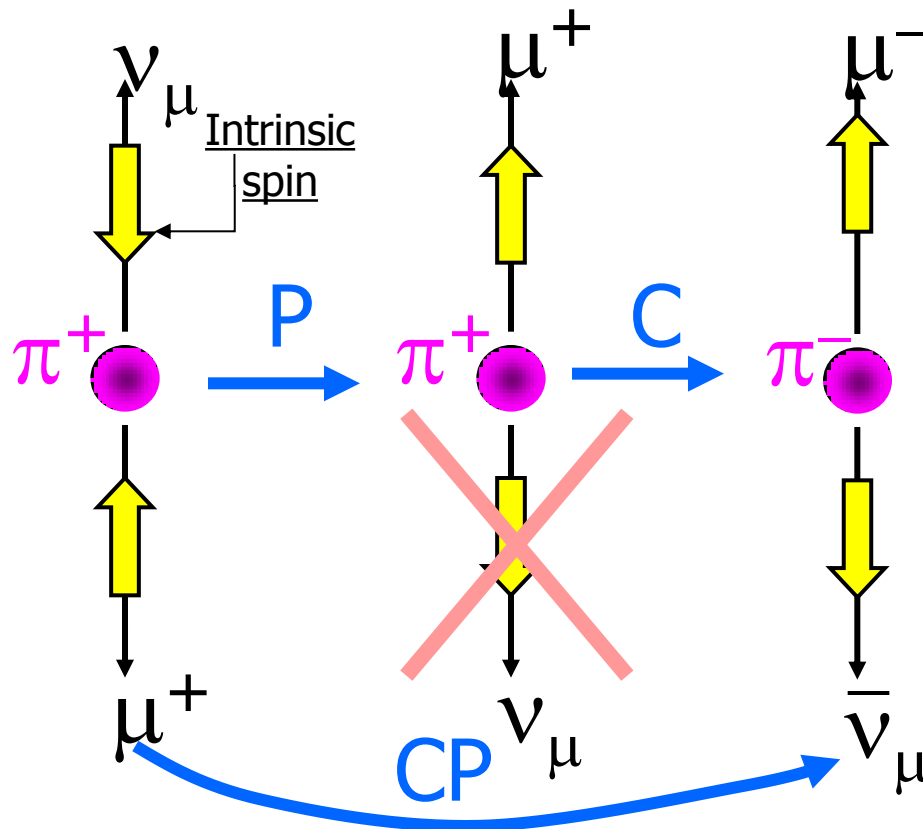
- Introducing C-symmetry
 - The C(harge) conjugation is the operation which exchanges **particles and anti-particles** (not just electric charge)
 - It is a discrete symmetry, just like P, i.e. $C^2 = 1$



- C symmetry is broken by the weak interaction,
 - just like P

The Weak force and C,P parity violation

- What about $C+P \equiv CP$ symmetry?
 - CP symmetry is parity conjugation ($x,y,z \rightarrow -x,-y,z$) followed by charge conjugation ($X \rightarrow \bar{X}$)



CP appears to be preserved in weak interaction!

What do we know now?

- C.S. Wu discovered from ^{60}Co decays that the weak interaction is 100% **asymmetric in P-conjugation**
 - We can distinguish our universe from a parity flipped universe by examining ^{60}Co decays
- L. Lederman et al. discovered from π^+ decays that the weak interaction is 100% **asymmetric in C-conjugation** as well, but that **CP-symmetry appears to be preserved**
 - First important ingredient towards understanding matter/anti-matter asymmetry of the universe:
weak force violates matter/anti-matter(=C) symmetry!
 - C violation is a required ingredient, but not enough as we will learn later

Conserved properties associated with C and P

- C and P are still good symmetries in any reaction not involving the weak interaction
 - Can associate a conserved value with them (Noether Theorem)
- Each hadron has a conserved P and C quantum number
 - What are the values of the quantum numbers
 - Evaluate the eigenvalue of the P and C operators on each hadron
 $\mathbf{P}|\psi\rangle = p|\psi\rangle$
- What values of C and P are possible for hadrons?
 - **Symmetry operation squared gives unity** so eigenvalue squared must be 1
 - Possible C and P values are +1 and -1.
- Meaning of P quantum number
 - If $P=1$ then $P|\psi\rangle = +1|\psi\rangle$ (wave function symmetric in space)
 - if $P=-1$ then $P|\psi\rangle = -1|\psi\rangle$ (wave function anti-symmetric in space)

Figuring out P eigenvalues for hadrons

- QFT rules for particle vs. anti-particles
 - Parity of particle and anti-particle must be opposite for fermions (spin- $N+1/2$)
 - Parity of bosons (spin N) is same for particle and anti-particle
- Definition of convention (i.e. arbitrary choice in def. of q vs \bar{q})
 - **Quarks have positive parity** \rightarrow Anti-quarks have negative parity
 - e^- has positive parity as well.
 - (Can define other way around: Notation different, physics same)
- Parity is a *multiplicative* quantum number for composites
 - For composite AB the parity is $P(A)*P(B)$, Thus:
 - Baryons have $P=1*1*1=1$, anti-baryons have $P=-1*-1*-1=-1$
 - (Anti-)mesons have $P=1*-1 = -1$
- Excited states (with orbital angular momentum)
 - Get an **extra factor** $(-1)^l$ where l is the orbital L quantum number
 - Note that parity formalism is parallel to total angular momentum $J=L+S$ formalism, it has an *intrinsic* component and an *orbital* component
- NB: Photon is spin-1 particle has intrinsic P of -1

Parity eigenvalues for selected hadrons

- The π^+ meson

- Quark and anti-quark composite: intrinsic $P = (1)*(-1) = -1$
- Orbital ground state \rightarrow no extra term
- **$P(\pi^+) = -1$**

Meaning: $P|\pi^+\rangle = -1|\pi^+\rangle$

Experimental proof: J.Steinberger (1954)

$\pi d \rightarrow nn$

▪ n are fermions, so (nn) anti-symmetric

▪ $S_d=1, S_\pi=0 \rightarrow L_{nn}=1$

1) final state: $P|nn\rangle = (-1)^L|nn\rangle = -1|nn\rangle$

2) init state: $P|d\rangle = P|pn\rangle = (+1)^2|pn\rangle = +1|d\rangle$

\rightarrow To conserve parity: **$P|\pi\rangle = -1|\pi\rangle$**

- The neutron

- Three quark composite: intrinsic $P = (1)*(1)*(1) = 1$
- Orbital ground state \rightarrow no extra term
- **$P(n) = +1$**

- The $K_1(1270)$

- Quark anti-quark composite: intrinsic $P = (1)*(-1) = -1$
- Orbital excitation with $L=1 \rightarrow$ extra term $(-1)^1$
- **$P(K_1) = +1$**

Figuring out C eigenvalues for hadrons

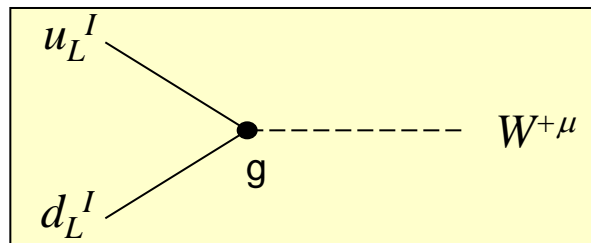
- Only particles that are their own anti-particles are C eigenstates because $C|x\rangle \equiv |\bar{x}\rangle = c|x\rangle$
 - E.g. $\pi^0, \eta, \eta', \rho^0, \phi, \omega, \psi$ and photon
- C eigenvalues of quark-anti-quark pairs is determined by L and S angular momenta: $C = (-1)^{L+S}$
 - Rule applies to all above mesons
- C eigenvalue of photon is -1
 - Since photon is carrier of EM force, which obviously changes sign under C conjugation
- Example of C conservation:
 - Process $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ $C=+1(\pi^0 \text{ has spin } 0) \rightarrow (-1)*(-1)$
 - Process $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\gamma$ does not occur (and would violate C conservation)

Experimental proof of C-invariance:
 $BR(\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\gamma) < 3.1 \cdot 10^{-5}$

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- This was an introduction to P and C
 - Let's change gear...

CP violation in the SM Lagrangian

- Focus on charged current interaction (W^\pm): let's trace it



The Standard Model Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = \mathcal{L}_{Kinetic} + \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} + \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa}$$

- $\mathcal{L}_{Kinetic}$:
 - Introduce the massless fermion fields
 - Require local gauge invariance → gives rise to existence of gauge bosons
- \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} :
 - Introduce Higgs potential with $\langle \phi \rangle \neq 0$
 - Spontaneous symmetry breaking

} $G_{SM} = SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \rightarrow SU(3)_C \times U(1)_Q$
The W^+ , W^- , Z^0 bosons acquire a mass
- \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} :
 - Ad hoc interactions between Higgs field & fermions

$$Y = Q - T_3$$

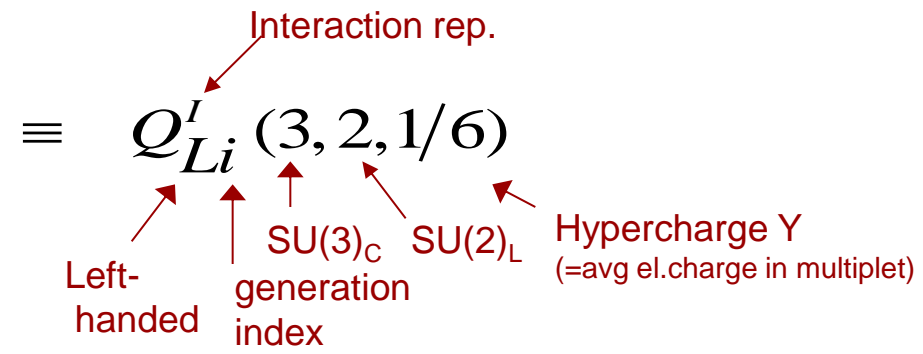
Fields: Notation

Fermions: $\psi_L = \left(\frac{1-\gamma_5}{2}\right)\psi$; $\psi_R = \left(\frac{1+\gamma_5}{2}\right)\psi$ with $\psi = Q_L, u_R, d_R, L_L, l_R, \nu_R$

Quarks:

Under SU2:
Left handed doublets
Right handed singlets

- $\begin{pmatrix} u^I (3, 2, 1/6) \\ d^I (3, 2, 1/6) \end{pmatrix}_{Li}$



- $u_{Ri}^I (3, 1, 2/3)$

- $d_{Ri}^I (3, 1, -1/3)$

Leptons:

- $\begin{pmatrix} \nu^I (1, 2, -1/2) \\ l^I (1, 2, -1/2) \end{pmatrix}_{Li}$

$$\equiv L_{Li}^I (1, 2, -1/2)$$

- $l_{Ri}^I (1, 1, -1)$

- $\left(\nu_{Ri}^I\right)$

Scalar field:

- $\phi (1, 2, 1/2) = \begin{pmatrix} \phi^+ \\ \phi^0 \end{pmatrix}$

Note:
Interaction representation: standard model interaction is independent of generation number

Fields: Notation

Explicitly:

- The left handed quark doublet :

$$Q_{Li}^I(3, 2, 1/6) = \begin{pmatrix} u_r^I & u_g^I & u_b^I \\ d_r^I & d_g^I & d_b^I \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} c_r^I & c_g^I & c_b^I \\ s_r^I & s_g^I & s_b^I \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} t_r^I & t_g^I & t_b^I \\ b_r^I & b_g^I & b_b^I \end{pmatrix}_L \quad \begin{array}{l} T_3 = +1/2 \\ T_3 = -1/2 \end{array} \quad (Y = 1/6)$$

- Similarly for the quark singlets:

$$u_{Ri}^I(3, 1, 2/3) = \left(u_r^I, u_g^I, u_b^I \right)_R, \left(c_r^I, c_g^I, c_b^I \right)_R, \left(t_r^I, t_g^I, t_b^I \right)_R \quad (Y = 2/3)$$

$$d_{Ri}^I(3, 1, -1/3) = \left(d_r^I, d_g^I, d_b^I \right)_R, \left(s_r^I, s_g^I, s_b^I \right)_R, \left(b_r^I, b_g^I, b_b^I \right)_R \quad (Y = -1/3)$$

- The left handed leptons: $l_{Li}^I(1, 2, -1/2) = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_e^I \\ e^I \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\mu^I \\ \mu^I \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\tau^I \\ \tau^I \end{pmatrix}_L \quad \begin{array}{l} T_3 = +1/2 \\ T_3 = -1/2 \end{array} \quad (Y = -1/2)$

- And similarly the (charged) singlets: $l_{Ri}^I(1, 1, -1) = e_R^I, \mu_R^I, \tau_R^I \quad (Y = -1)$

$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = \mathcal{L}_{Kinetic} + \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} + \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} \quad : \text{The Kinetic Part}$$

$\mathcal{L}_{Kinetic}$: Fermions + gauge bosons + interactions

Procedure:

Introduce the Fermion fields and demand that the theory is local gauge invariant under $SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ transformations.

Start with the Dirac Lagrangian: $\mathcal{L} = i\bar{\psi}(\partial^\mu \gamma_\mu)\psi$

Replace: $\partial^\mu \rightarrow D^\mu \equiv \partial^\mu + ig_s G_a^\mu L_a + ig W_b^\mu T_b + ig' B^\mu Y$

Fields:
 G_a^μ : 8 gluons
 W_b^μ : weak bosons: W_1, W_2, W_3
 B^μ : hypercharge boson

Generators: L_a : Gell-Mann matrices: $\frac{1}{2} \lambda_a$ (3x3) $SU(3)_C$
 T_b : Pauli Matrices: $\frac{1}{2} \tau_b$ (2x2) $SU(2)_L$
 Y : Hypercharge: $U(1)_Y$

For the remainder we only consider Electroweak: $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$

$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = \mathcal{L}_{Kinetic} + \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} + \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} : \text{The Kinetic Part}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{kinetic} : i\bar{\psi}(\partial^\mu \gamma_\mu)\psi \rightarrow i\bar{\psi}(D^\mu \gamma_\mu)\psi$$

$$\text{with } \psi = Q_{Li}^I, u_{Ri}^I, d_{Ri}^I, L_{Li}^I, l_{Ri}^I$$

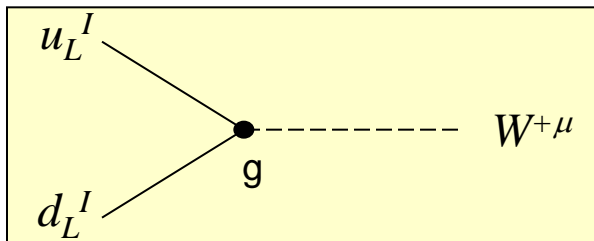
For example, the term with Q_{Li}^I becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{kinetic}(Q_{Li}^I) &= i\overline{Q_{Li}^I}\gamma_\mu D^\mu Q_{Li}^I \\ &= i\overline{Q_{Li}^I}\gamma_\mu \left(\partial^\mu + \frac{i}{2}g_s G_a^\mu \lambda_a + \frac{i}{2}g W_b^\mu \tau_b + \frac{i}{6}g' B^\mu \right) Q_{Li}^I \end{aligned}$$

Writing out only the weak part for the quarks:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{kinetic}^{Weak}(u, d)_L^I &= i\overline{(u, d)_L^I}\gamma_\mu \left(\partial^\mu + \frac{i}{2}g(W_1^\mu \tau_1 + W_2^\mu \tau_2 + W_3^\mu \tau_3) \right) \begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}_L^I \\ &= i\overline{u}_L^I \gamma_\mu \partial^\mu u_L^I + i\overline{d}_L^I \gamma_\mu \partial^\mu d_L^I - \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \overline{u}_L^I \gamma_\mu W^{-\mu} d_L^I - \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \overline{d}_L^I \gamma_\mu W^{+\mu} u_L^I - \dots \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_1 &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \tau_2 &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \tau_3 &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$



$$\mathcal{L} = J_\mu W^\mu \quad \begin{aligned} W^+ &= (1/\sqrt{2})(W_1 + iW_2) \\ W^- &= (1/\sqrt{2})(W_1 - iW_2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = \mathcal{L}_{Kinetic} + \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} + \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa}$$

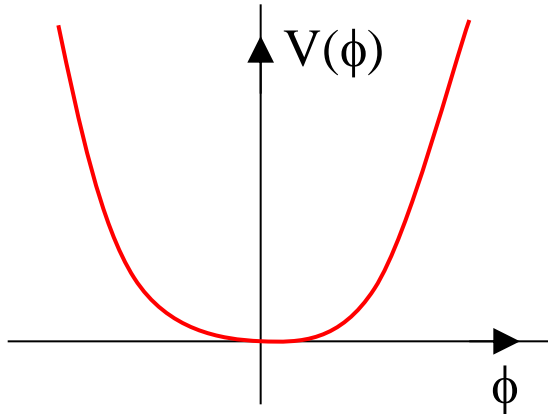
: The Higgs Potential

$$\mathcal{L}_{Higgs} = D_\mu \phi^\dagger D^\mu \phi - V_{Higgs} \quad V_{Higgs} = \frac{1}{2} \mu^2 (\phi^\dagger \phi) + |\lambda| (\phi^\dagger \phi)^2$$

Symmetry

$$\mu^2 > 0:$$

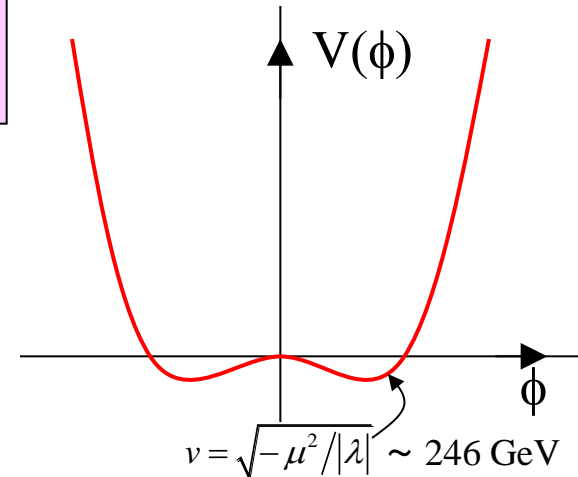
$$\langle \phi \rangle = 0$$



Broken Symmetry

$$\mu^2 < 0:$$

$$\langle \phi \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$$



Spontaneous Symmetry Breaking: The Higgs field adopts a non-zero vacuum expectation value

Procedure: $\phi = \begin{pmatrix} \phi^+ \\ \phi^0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \Re \phi^+ + i \Im \phi^+ \\ \Re \phi^0 + i \Im \phi^0 \end{pmatrix}$ Substitute: $\Re \phi^0 = \frac{v + H^0}{\sqrt{2}}$

And rewrite the Lagrangian (tedious):

(The other 3 Higgs fields are "eaten" by the W, Z bosons)

1. $G_{SM} : (SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y) \rightarrow (SU(3)_C \times U(1)_{EM})$
2. The W^+, W^-, Z^0 bosons acquire mass
3. The Higgs boson H appears

$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = \mathcal{L}_{Kinetic} + \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} + \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa}$$

: The Yukawa Part

Since we have a Higgs field we can (should?) add (ad-hoc) interactions between ϕ and the fermions in a gauge invariant way.

The result is:

$$\begin{aligned}
 -\mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} &= Y_{ij} \left(\overline{\psi}_{Li} \phi \right) \psi_{Rj} + h.c. \\
 &= Y_{ij}^d \left(\overline{Q}_{Li}^I \phi \right) d_{Rj}^I + Y_{ij}^u \left(\overline{Q}_{Li}^I \tilde{\phi} \right) u_{Rj}^I + Y_{ij}^l \left(\overline{L}_{Li}^I \phi \right) l_{Rj}^I + h.c.
 \end{aligned}$$

↑ doublets
↑ singlet

i, j : indices for the 3 generations!

With: $\tilde{\phi} = i\sigma_2 \phi^* = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \phi^* = \begin{pmatrix} \phi^0 \\ -\phi^- \end{pmatrix}$
 (The CP conjugate of ϕ
 To be manifestly invariant under SU(2))

$$Y_{ij}^d, Y_{ij}^u, Y_{ij}^l$$

are arbitrary complex matrices which operate in family space (3x3)
 → Flavour physics!

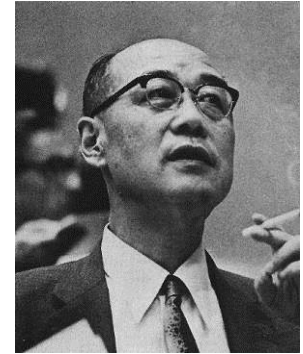
$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = \mathcal{L}_{Kinetic} + \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} + \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa}$$

: The Yukawa Part

Writing the first term explicitly:

$$Y_{ij}^d (\overline{u}_L^I, \overline{d}_L^I)_i \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} d_{Rj}^I =$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc} Y_{11}^d (\overline{u}_L^I, \overline{d}_L^I) \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} & Y_{12}^d (\overline{u}_L^I, \overline{d}_L^I) \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} & Y_{13}^d (\overline{u}_L^I, \overline{d}_L^I) \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} \\ Y_{21}^d (\overline{c}_L^I, \overline{s}_L^I) \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} & Y_{22}^d (\overline{c}_L^I, \overline{s}_L^I) \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} & Y_{23}^d (\overline{c}_L^I, \overline{s}_L^I) \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} \\ Y_{31}^d (\overline{t}_L^I, \overline{b}_L^I) \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} & Y_{32}^d (\overline{t}_L^I, \overline{b}_L^I) \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} & Y_{33}^d (\overline{t}_L^I, \overline{b}_L^I) \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} \end{array} \right) \bullet \begin{pmatrix} d_R^I \\ s_R^I \\ b_R^I \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = \mathcal{L}_{Kinetic} + \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} + \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa}$$

: The Yukawa Part

There are 3 Yukawa matrices (in the case of massless neutrino's):

$$Y_{ij}^d, \quad Y_{ij}^u, \quad Y_{ij}^l$$

Each matrix is 3x3 complex:

- 27 real parameters
- 27 imaginary parameters (“phases”)

- many of the parameters are equivalent, since the physics described by one set of couplings is the same as another
- It can be shown (see ref. [Nir]) that the independent parameters are:
 - 12 real parameters
 - 1 imaginary phase
- This single phase is the source of all CP violation in the Standard Model

.....Revisit later

$$\mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} \xrightarrow{\text{S.S.B.}} \mathcal{L}_{Mass}$$

: The Fermion Masses

Start with the Yukawa Lagrangian

$$-\mathcal{L}_{Yuk} = Y_{ij}^d (\overline{u}_L^I, \overline{d}_L^I)_i \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} d_{Rj}^I + Y_{ij}^u (\dots) + Y_{ij}^l (\dots)$$

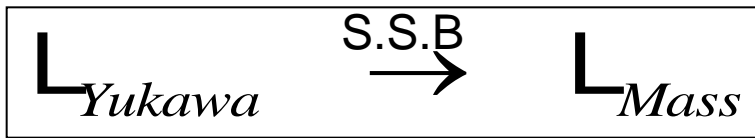
$$\text{S.S.B.} : \text{Re}(\varphi^0) \rightarrow \frac{v+H}{\sqrt{2}}$$

After which the following mass term emerges:

$$-\mathcal{L}_{Yuk} \rightarrow -\mathcal{L}_{Mass} = \overline{d}_{Li}^I M_{ij}^d d_{Rj}^I + \overline{u}_{Li}^I M_{ij}^u u_{Rj}^I \\ + \overline{l}_{Li}^I M_{ij}^l l_{Rj}^I + h.c.$$

$$\text{with } M_{ij}^d \equiv \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}} Y_{ij}^d, \quad M_{ij}^u \equiv \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}} Y_{ij}^u, \quad M_{ij}^l \equiv \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}} Y_{ij}^l$$

\mathcal{L}_{Mass} is CP violating in a similar way as \mathcal{L}_{Yuk}



: The Fermion Masses

Writing in an explicit form:

$$-\mathcal{L}_{Mass} = (\bar{d}^I, \bar{s}^I, \bar{b}^I)_L \begin{pmatrix} M^d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} d^I \\ s^I \\ b^I \end{pmatrix}_R + (\bar{u}^I, \bar{c}^I, \bar{t}^I)_L \begin{pmatrix} M^u \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u^I \\ c^I \\ t^I \end{pmatrix}_R + (\bar{e}^I, \bar{\mu}^I, \bar{\tau}^I)_L \begin{pmatrix} M^l \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^I \\ \mu^I \\ \tau^I \end{pmatrix}_R + h.c.$$

The matrices M can always be diagonalised by unitary matrices V_L^f and V_R^f such that:

$$V_L^f M^f V_R^{f\dagger} = M_{diagonal}^f \quad \left[(\bar{d}^I, \bar{s}^I, \bar{b}^I)_L V_L^{f\dagger} V_L^f M^f V_R^{f\dagger} V_R^f \begin{pmatrix} d^I \\ s^I \\ b^I \end{pmatrix}_R \right]$$

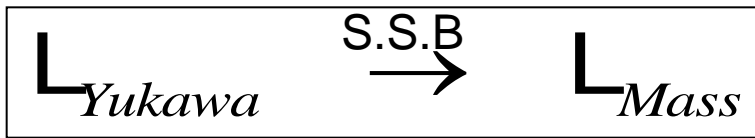
Then the real fermion mass eigenstates are given by:

$$d_{Li} = (V_L^d)_{ij} \cdot d_{Lj}^I \quad d_{Ri} = (V_R^d)_{ij} \cdot d_{Rj}^I$$

$$u_{Li} = (V_L^u)_{ij} \cdot u_{Lj}^I \quad u_{Ri} = (V_R^u)_{ij} \cdot u_{Rj}^I$$

$$l_{Li} = (V_L^l)_{ij} \cdot l_{Lj}^I \quad l_{Ri} = (V_R^l)_{ij} \cdot l_{Rj}^I$$

d_L^I, u_L^I, l_L^I are the weak interaction eigenstates
 d_L, u_L, l_L are the mass eigenstates (“physical particles”)



: The Fermion Masses

In terms of the mass eigenstates:

$$\begin{aligned}
 -\mathcal{L}_{Mass} = & (\bar{d}, \bar{s}, \bar{b})_L \begin{pmatrix} m_d & & \\ & m_s & \\ & & m_b \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} d \\ s \\ b \end{pmatrix}_R + (\bar{u}, \bar{c}, \bar{t})_L \begin{pmatrix} m_u & & \\ & m_c & \\ & & m_t \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ c \\ t \end{pmatrix}_R \\
 & + (\bar{e}, \bar{\mu}, \bar{\tau})_L \begin{pmatrix} m_e & & \\ & m_\mu & \\ & & m_\tau \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e \\ \mu \\ \tau \end{pmatrix}_R + h.c.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 -\mathcal{L}_{Mass} = & m_u \bar{u}u + m_c \bar{c}c + m_t \bar{t}t \\
 & + m_d \bar{d}d + m_s \bar{s}s + m_b \bar{b}b \\
 & + m_e \bar{e}e + m_\mu \bar{\mu}\mu + m_\tau \bar{\tau}\tau
 \end{aligned}$$

In flavour space one can choose:

Weak basis: The gauge currents are diagonal in flavour space, but the flavour mass matrices are non-diagonal

Mass basis: The fermion masses are diagonal, but some gauge currents (charged weak interactions) are not diagonal in flavour space

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{In the weak basis: } \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} = \text{CP violating} \\
 & \text{In the mass basis: } \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_{Mass} = \text{CP conserving}
 \end{aligned}$$

➔ What happened to the charged current interactions (in $\mathcal{L}_{Kinetic}$) ?

$$\boxed{L_W \rightarrow L_{CKM}}$$

: The Charged Current

The charged current interaction for quarks in the interaction basis is:

$$-L_{W^+} = \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \overline{u_{Li}^I} \gamma^\mu d_{Li}^I W_\mu^+$$

The charged current interaction for quarks in the mass basis is:

$$-L_{W^+} = \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \overline{u_{Li}} V_L^u \gamma^\mu V_L^{d\dagger} d_{Li} W_\mu^+$$

The unitary matrix: $V_{CKM} = (V_L^u \cdot V_L^{d\dagger})$ With: $V_{CKM} \cdot V_{CKM}^\dagger = 1$

is the Cabibbo Kobayashi Maskawa mixing matrix:

$$-L_{W^+} = \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} (\overline{u}, \overline{c}, \overline{t})_L (V_{CKM}) \begin{pmatrix} d \\ s \\ b \end{pmatrix}_L \gamma^\mu W_\mu^+$$

Lepton sector: similarly $V_{MNS} = (V_L^\nu \cdot V_L^{l\dagger})$

However, for massless neutrino's: $V_L^\nu =$ arbitrary. Choose it such that $V_{MNS} = I$

→ There is no mixing in the lepton sector

Charged Currents

The charged current term reads:

$$\begin{aligned}
 L_{CC} &= \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{u}_{Li}^I \gamma^\mu W_\mu^- d_{Li}^I + \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{d}_{Li}^I \gamma^\mu W_\mu^+ u_{Li}^I = J_{CC}^{\mu-} W_\mu^- + J_{CC}^{\mu+} W_\mu^+ \\
 &= \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{u}_i \left(\frac{1-\gamma^5}{2} \right) \gamma^\mu W_\mu^- V_{ij} \left(\frac{1-\gamma^5}{2} \right) d_j + \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{d}_j \left(\frac{1-\gamma^5}{2} \right) \gamma^\mu W_\mu^+ V_{ji}^\dagger \left(\frac{1-\gamma^5}{2} \right) u_i \\
 &= \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{u}_i \gamma^\mu W_\mu^- V_{ij} (1-\gamma^5) d_j + \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{d}_j \gamma^\mu W_\mu^+ V_{ij}^* (1-\gamma^5) u_i
 \end{aligned}$$

Under the CP operator this gives:

(Together with (x,t) → (-x,t))

$$L_{CC} \xrightarrow{CP} \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{d}_j \gamma^\mu W_\mu^+ V_{ij} (1-\gamma^5) u_i + \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{u}_i \gamma^\mu W_\mu^- V_{ij}^* (1-\gamma^5) d_j$$

A comparison shows that CP is conserved only if $V_{ij} = V_{ij}^*$

In general the charged current term is CP violating

The Standard Model Lagrangian (recap)

$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = \mathcal{L}_{Kinetic} + \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} + \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa}$$

- $\mathcal{L}_{Kinetic}$: • Introduce the massless fermion fields
 - Require local gauge invariance → gives rise to existence of gauge bosons
 - CP Conserving
 - \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} : • Introduce Higgs potential with $\langle \phi \rangle \neq 0$
 - Spontaneous symmetry breaking
 - CP Conserving
- $G_{SM} = SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \rightarrow SU(3)_C \times U(1)_Q$
 The W^+, W^-, Z^0 bosons acquire a mass
- \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} : • Ad hoc interactions between Higgs field & fermions
 - CP violating with a single phase

- $\mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_{mass}$: • fermion weak eigenstates:
 - mass matrix is (3x3) non-diagonal
 - fermion mass eigenstates:
 - mass matrix is (3x3) diagonal
- } → CP-violating
 } → CP-conserving!

- $\mathcal{L}_{Kinetic}$ in mass eigenstates: CKM – matrix → CP violating with a single phase

Recap

$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = \mathcal{L}_{Kinetic} + \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} + \mathcal{L}_{Yukawa}$$

$$-\mathcal{L}_{Yuk} = Y_{ij}^d (\bar{u}_L^I, \bar{d}_L^I)_i \begin{pmatrix} \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix} d_{Rj}^I + \dots$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{Kinetic} = \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{u}_{Li}^I \gamma^\mu W_\mu^- d_{Li}^I + \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{d}_{Li}^I \gamma^\mu W_\mu^+ u_{Li}^I + \dots$$

Diagonalize Yukawa matrix Y_{ij}

- Mass terms
- Quarks rotate
- Off diagonal terms in charged current couplings

$$\begin{pmatrix} d^I \\ s^I \\ b^I \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow V_{CKM} \begin{pmatrix} d \\ s \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$-\mathcal{L}_{Mass} = (\bar{d}, \bar{s}, \bar{b})_L \begin{pmatrix} m_d & & \\ & m_s & \\ & & m_b \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} d \\ s \\ b \end{pmatrix}_R + (\bar{u}, \bar{c}, \bar{t})_L \begin{pmatrix} m_u & & \\ & m_c & \\ & & m_t \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ c \\ t \end{pmatrix}_R + \dots$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{CKM} = \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{u}_i \gamma^\mu W_\mu^- V_{ij} (1 - \gamma^5) d_j + \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{d}_j \gamma^\mu W_\mu^+ V_{ij}^* (1 - \gamma^5) u_i + \dots$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = \mathcal{L}_{CKM} + \mathcal{L}_{Higgs} + \mathcal{L}_{Mass}$$

Ok.... We've got the CKM matrix, now what?

$$\begin{pmatrix} d' \\ s' \\ b' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} d \\ s \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

- It's *unitary*
 - “probabilities add up to 1”:
 - $d' = 0.97 d + 0.22 s + 0.003 b$ ($0.97^2 + 0.22^2 + 0.003^2 = 1$)
- How many free parameters?
 - How many real/complex?
- How do we normally visualize these parameters?

Personal impression:

- People think it is a complicated part of the Standard Model (me too:-). Why?

1) Non-intuitive concepts?

- *Imaginary phase* in transition amplitude, $T \sim e^{i\varphi}$
- *Different bases* to express quark states, $d' = 0.97 d + 0.22 s + 0.003 b$
- *Oscillations* (mixing) of mesons: $|K^0\rangle \leftrightarrow |\bar{K}^0\rangle$

2) Complicated calculations?

$$\Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow f) \propto |A_f|^2 \left[|g_+(t)|^2 + |\lambda|^2 |g_-(t)|^2 + 2\Re(\lambda g_+^*(t) g_-(t)) \right]$$

$$\Gamma(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow f) \propto |\bar{A}_f|^2 \left[|g_+(t)|^2 + \frac{1}{|\lambda|^2} |g_-(t)|^2 + \frac{2}{|\lambda|^2} \Re(\lambda^* g_+^*(t) g_-(t)) \right]$$

3) Many decay modes? "*Beetopaipaigamma...*"

- PDG reports 347 decay modes of the B^0 -meson:
 - $\Gamma_1 \neq \nu_l \text{ anything} \quad (10.33 \pm 0.28) \times 10^{-2}$
 - $\Gamma_{347} \nu \nu \gamma \quad < 4.7 \times 10^{-5} \quad CL=90\%$
- And for one decay there are often more than one decay *amplitudes...*

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