

# “Elementary Particles”

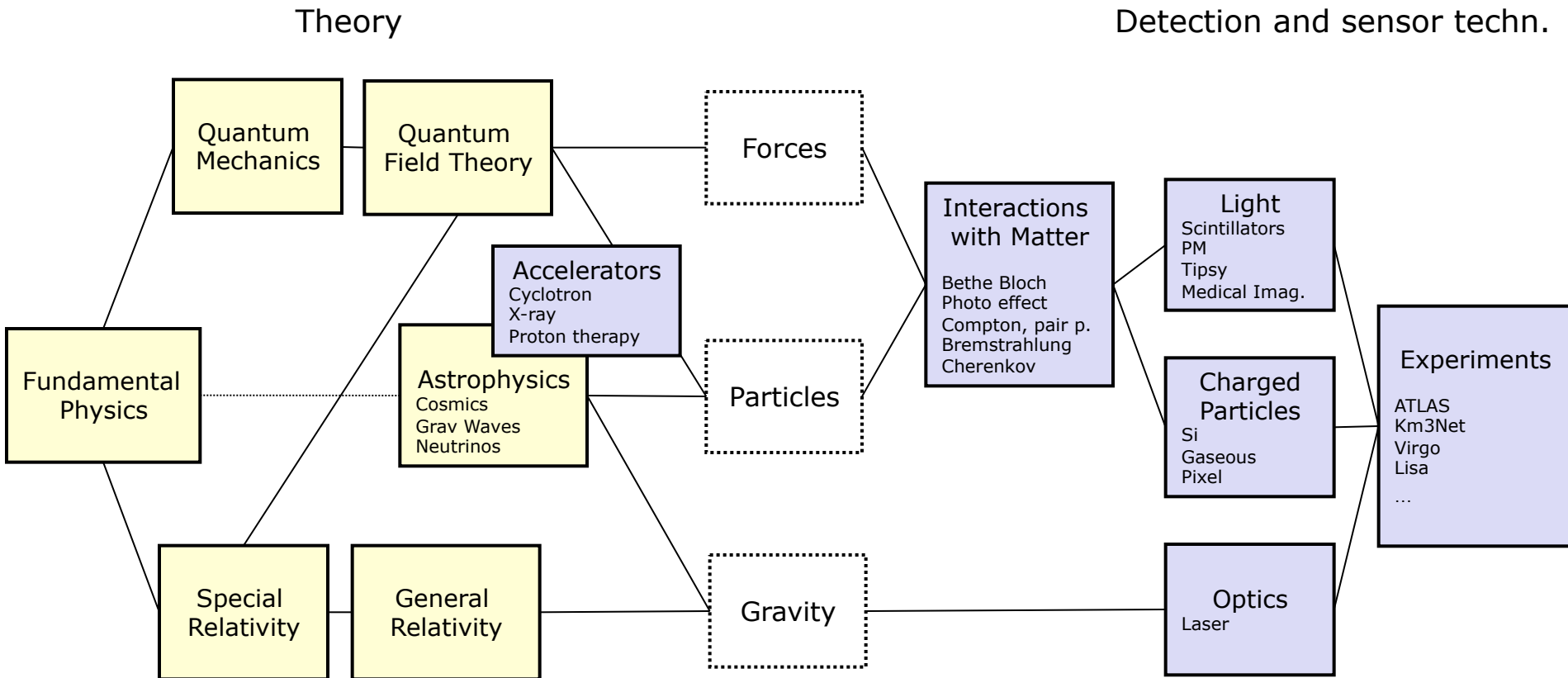
## *Lecture 4*

Niels Tuning  
Harry van der Graaf

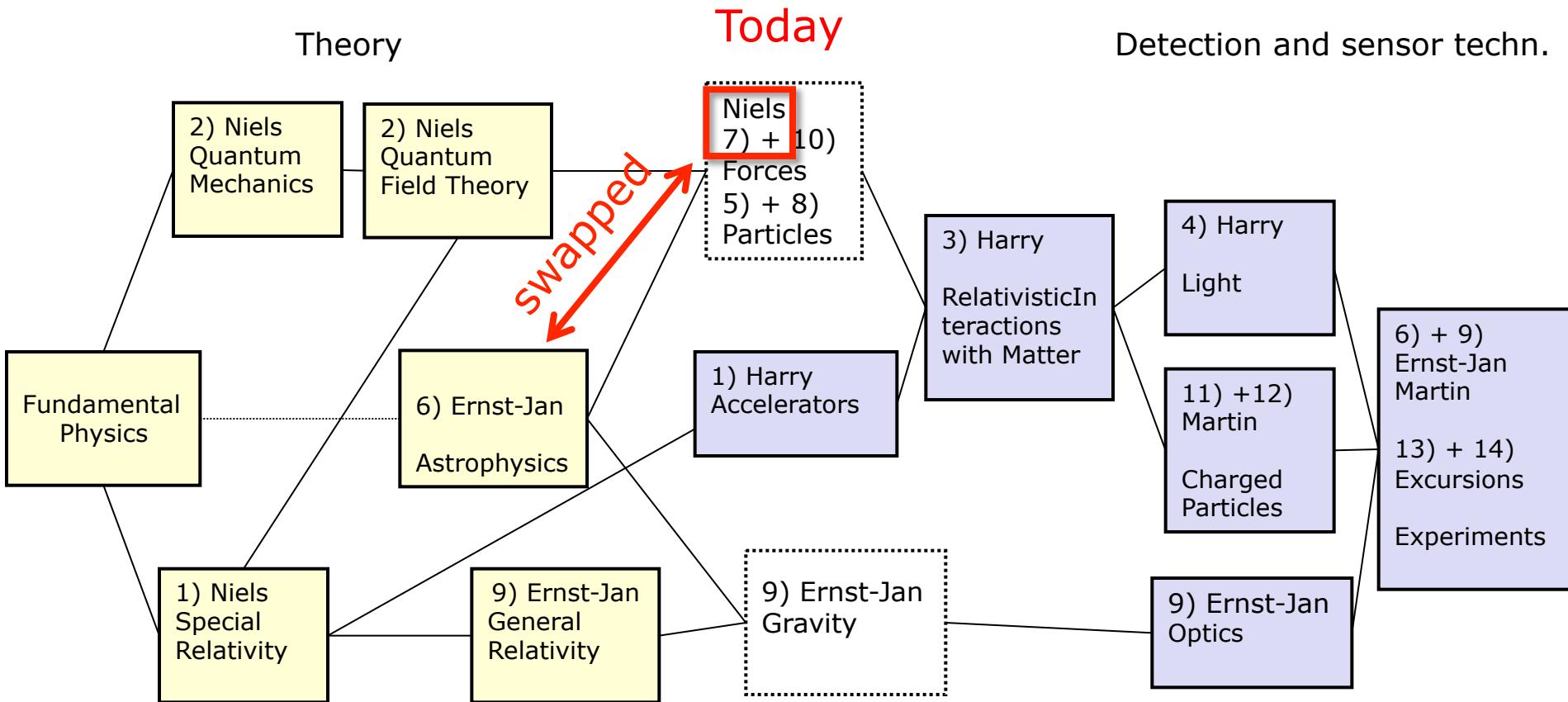
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# Plan



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# Schedule

- 1) 11 Feb: Accelerators (Harry vd Graaf) + Special relativity (Niels Tuning)
- 2) 18 Feb: Quantum Mechanics (Niels Tuning)
- 3) 25 Feb: Interactions with Matter (Harry vd Graaf)
- 4) 3 Mar: Light detection (Harry vd Graaf)
- 5) 10 Mar: Particles and cosmics (Niels Tuning)
- 6) 17 Mar: Forces (Niels Tuning)
- 7) 24 Mar: Astrophysics and Dark Matter (Ernst-Jan Buis)
- break
- 8) 21 Apr:  $e^+e^-$  and ep scattering (Niels Tuning)
- 9) 28 Apr: Gravitational Waves (Ernst-Jan Buis)
- 10) 12 May: Higgs and big picture (Niels Tuning)
- 11) 19 May: Charged particle detection (Martin Franse)
- 12) 26 May: Applications: experiments and medical (Martin Franse)
- 13) 2 Jun: Nikhef excursie
- 14) 8 Jun: CERN excursie



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# ***Homework***

- 1) Homework for this and previous lecture
- 2) Hand in before 21 April

# Outline for today: Interactions

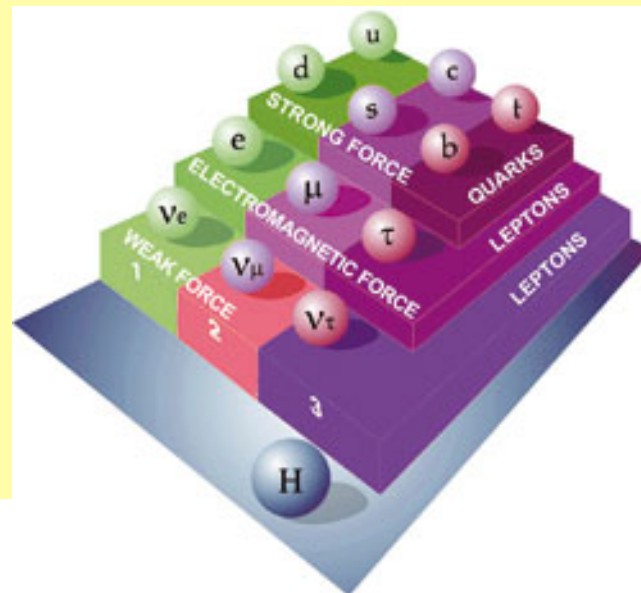
- 1) Gauge invariance, and the Lagrangian
- 2) Electro-magnetic interaction
  - QED
- 3) Weak interaction
  - Parity violation
- 4) Strong interaction
  - QCD

# ***Summary***

# Lecture 1: Standard Model & Relativity

- Standard Model Lagrangian
- Standard Model Particles

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} = & -\frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \\ & + i \bar{\psi} \not{D} \psi + \text{h.c.} \\ & + \chi_i y_{ij} \chi_j \phi + \text{h.c.} \\ & + |D_\mu \phi|^2 - V(\phi)\end{aligned}$$



# Lecture 1: Standard Model & Relativity

- Theory of relativity
  - Lorentz transformations (“boost”)
  - Calculate energy in collisions

$$\begin{aligned}
 x'^0 &= \gamma(x^0 - \beta x^1) \\
 x'^1 &= \gamma(x^1 - \beta x^0) \\
 x'^2 &= x^2 \\
 x'^3 &= x^3
 \end{aligned}
 \quad \text{met} \quad
 \begin{aligned}
 \beta &\equiv \frac{v}{c} \\
 \gamma &\equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

- 4-vector calculus

$$p_\mu p^\mu = (E/c)^2 - |\vec{p}|^2 = (E^2 - c^2 |\vec{p}|^2)/c^2 = (m_0 c^4)/c^2$$

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

- High energies needed to make (new) particles



$$\begin{aligned}
 s &= (p_1 + p_2)^2 = 2m^2 + 2(E^2 + \vec{p}^2) \\
 &= 2m^2 + 2E^2 + 2(E^2 - m^2) = 4E^2
 \end{aligned}$$

## Lecture 2: Quantum Mechanics & Scattering

- Schrödinger equation

- Time-dependence of wave function

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

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

- Klein-Gordon equation

- Relativistic equation of motion of scalar particles

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

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

- Dirac equation

- Relativistically correct, and linear
- Equation of motion for spin-1/2 particles
- Prediction of anti-matter

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



$$\psi = \begin{pmatrix} \psi_1 \\ \psi_2 \\ \psi_3 \\ \psi_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

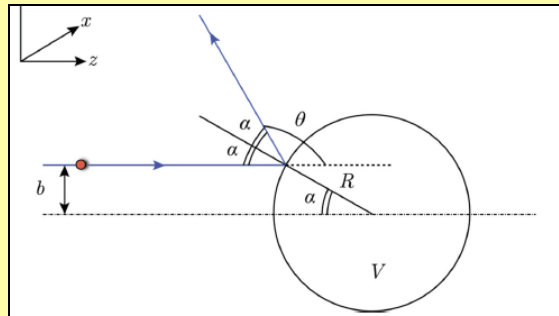


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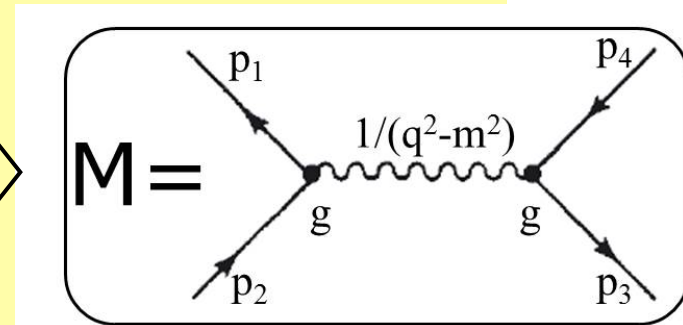
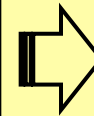
- Scattering Theory

- (Relative) probability for certain process to happen
- Cross section

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = D(\theta, \varphi)$$



Classic



Scattering amplitude in  
Quantum Field Theory

- Fermi's Golden Rule

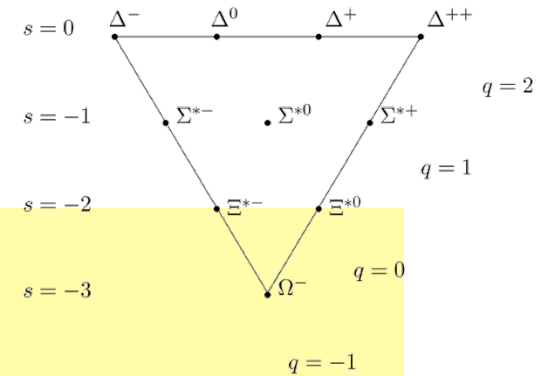
$$\text{transition rate} = \frac{2\pi}{\hbar} |\mathcal{M}|^2 \times (\text{phase space})$$

- Decay: "decay width"  $\Gamma$
- Scattering: "cross section"  $\sigma$

$$a \rightarrow b + c$$

$$a + b \rightarrow c + d$$

# Lecture 3: Quarkmodel & Isospin



- “Partice Zoo” not elegant
- Hadrons consist of quarks

	<i>d</i>	<i>u</i>	<i>s</i>
Q – electric charge	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$+\frac{2}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$
I – isospin	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	0
$I_z$ – isospin <i>z</i> -component	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$+\frac{1}{2}$	0
S – strangeness	0	0	-1

## ➤ Observed symmetries

- Same mass of hadrons:
- Slow decay of K,  $\Lambda$ :
- Fermi-Dirac statistics  $\Delta^{++}, \Omega$ :

isospin

strangeness

color

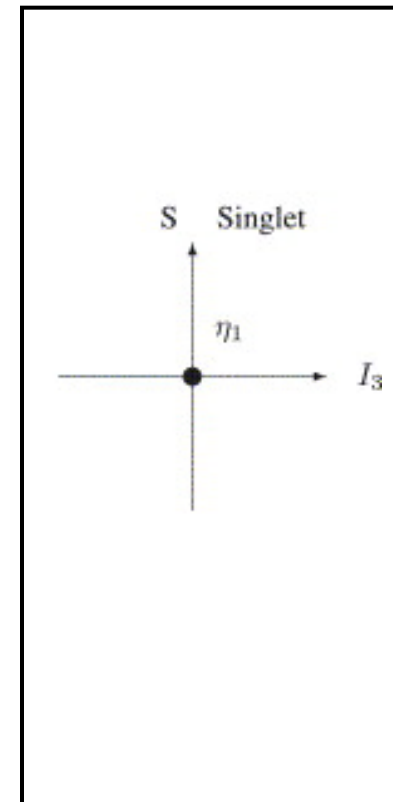
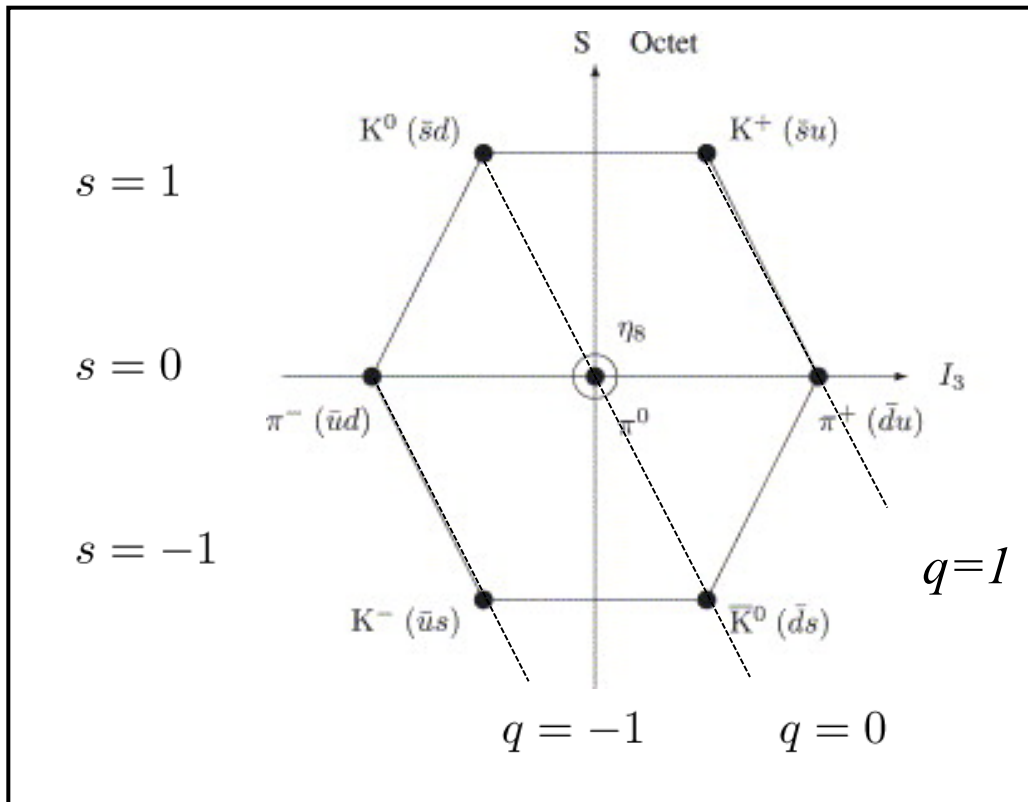
- Combining/decaying particles with (iso)spin
  - Clebsch-Gordan coefficients

$1/2 \times 1/2$		1		
	+1	1	0	
+1/2 + 1/2	1	0	0	
+1/2 - 1/2	1/2	1/2	1	
-1/2 + 1/2	1/2	-1/2	-1	
-1/2 - 1/2			1	

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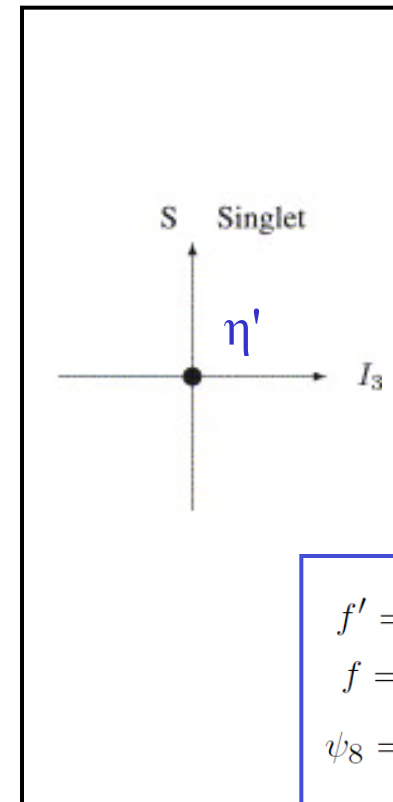
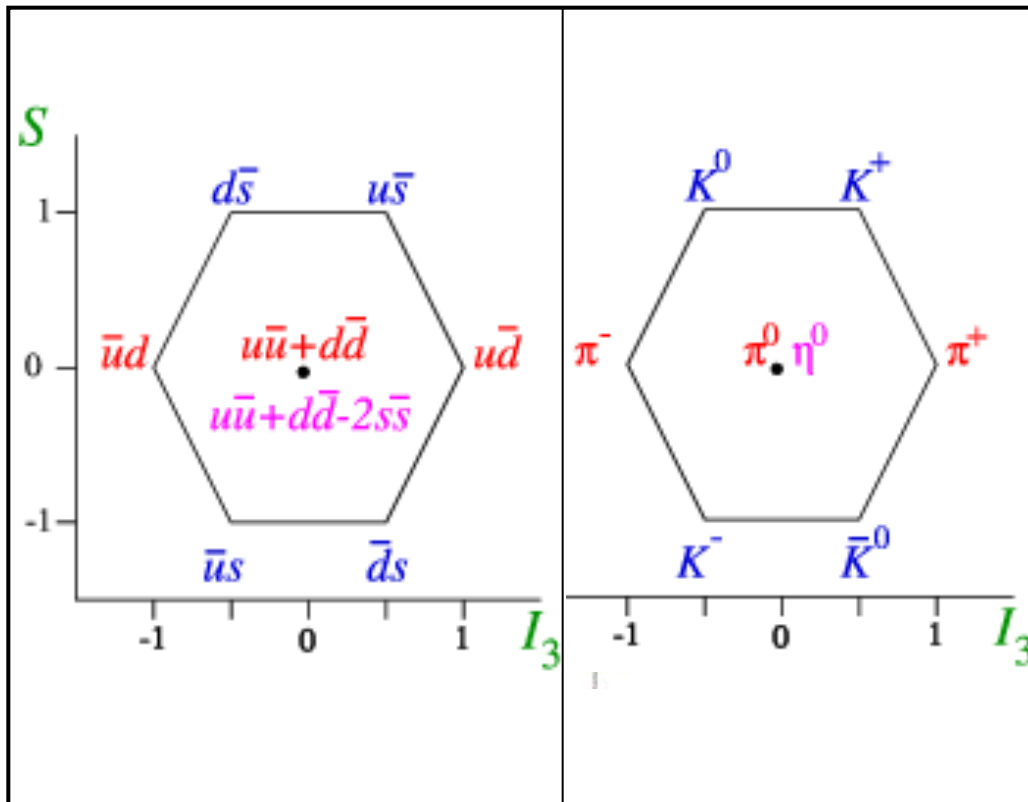
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$$f' = \psi_8 \cos \theta - \psi_1 \sin \theta$$

$$f = \psi_8 \sin \theta + \psi_1 \cos \theta$$

$$\psi_8 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(u\bar{u} + d\bar{d} - 2s\bar{s})$$

$$\psi_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(u\bar{u} + d\bar{d} + s\bar{s})$$

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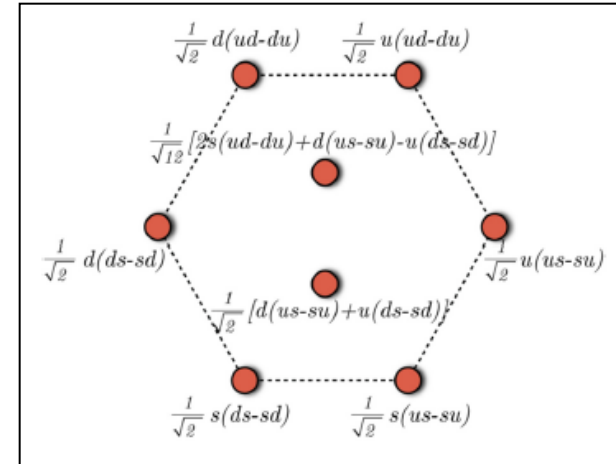
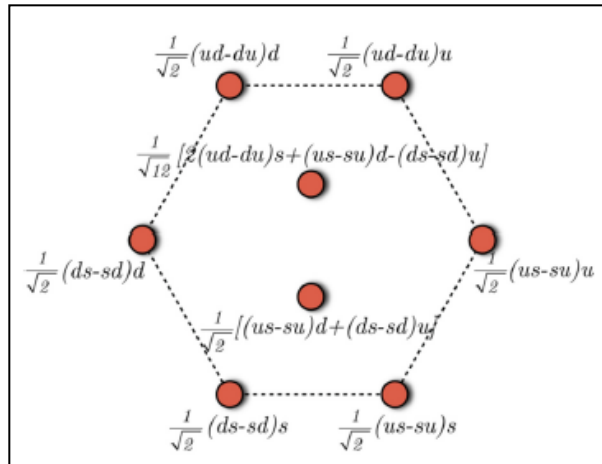
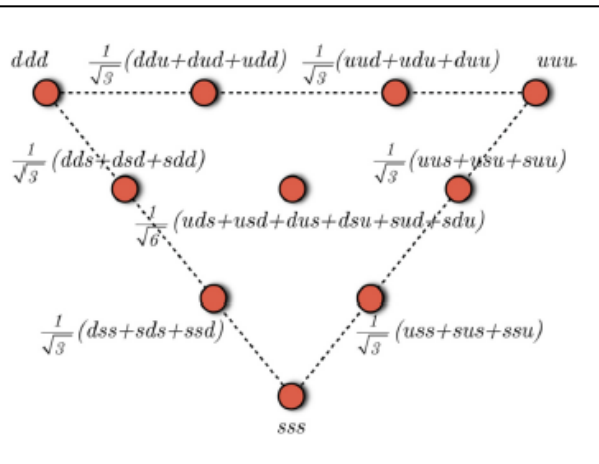
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$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} (uds - usd + dsu - dus + sud - sdu)$$

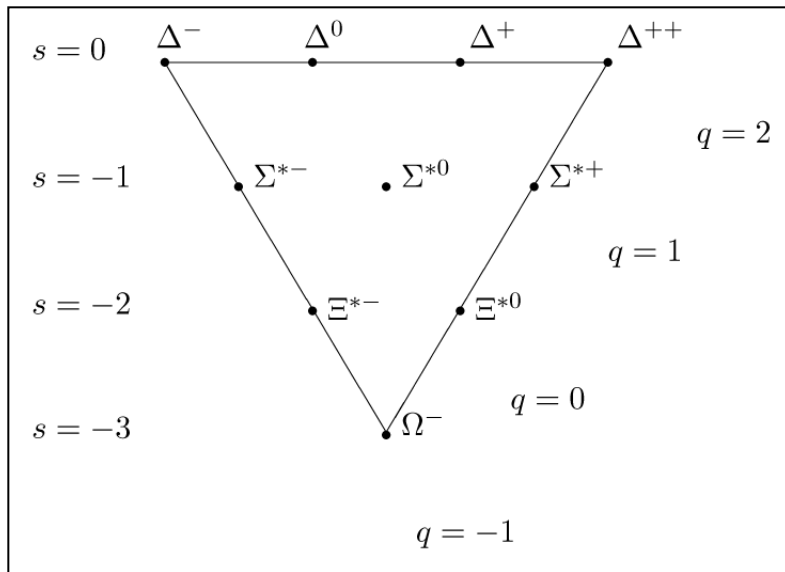
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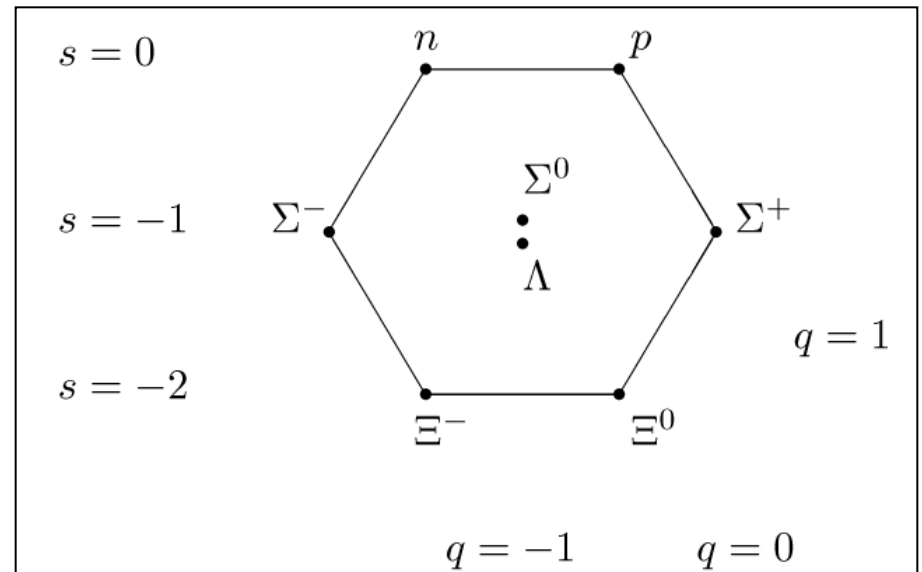
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# What did we learn about quarks

## Quarks:

- Associate production, but long lifetime: strangeness
- Many (degenerate) particles: isospin
- Pauli exclusion principle: color

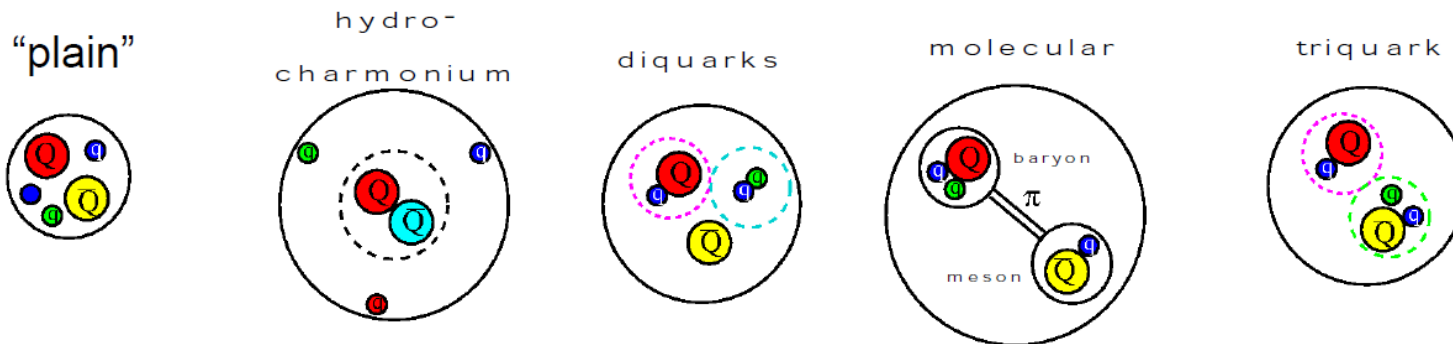
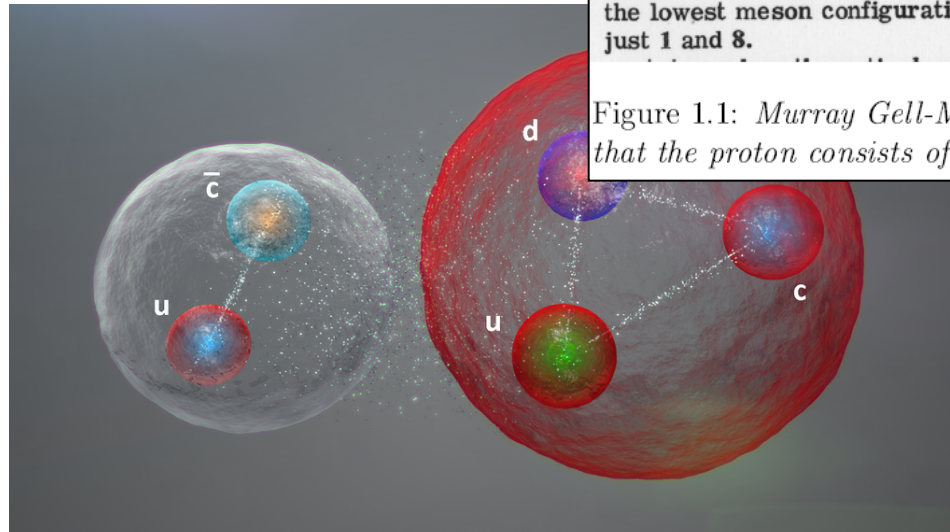
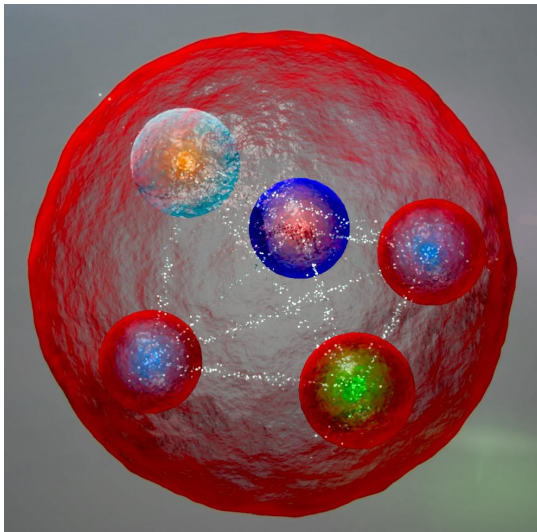
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- How they combine into hadrons: multiplets
- How to add (iso)spin: Clebsch-Gordan

# WHAT IS A PENTAQUARK?

A simpler and more elegant scheme can be constructed if we allow non-integral values for the charges. We can dispense entirely with the basic baryon  $b$  if we assign to the triplet  $t$  the following properties: spin  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $z = -\frac{1}{3}$ , and baryon number  $\frac{1}{3}$ . We then refer to the members  $u^{\frac{2}{3}}$ ,  $d^{-\frac{1}{3}}$ , and  $s^{-\frac{1}{3}}$  of the triplet as "quarks"  $q$  and the members of the anti-triplet as anti-quarks  $\bar{q}$ . Baryons can now be constructed from quarks by using the combinations  $(qqq)$ ,  $(qqqq\bar{q})$ , etc., while mesons are made out of  $(q\bar{q})$ ,  $(qq\bar{q}\bar{q})$ , etc. It is assuming that the lowest baryon configuration  $(qqq)$  gives just the representations 1, 8, and 10 that have been observed, while the lowest meson configuration  $(q\bar{q})$  similarly gives just 1 and 8.

Figure 1.1: Murray Gell-Mann suggested in 1964 that the proton consists of three "quarks" <sup>6</sup> [1].



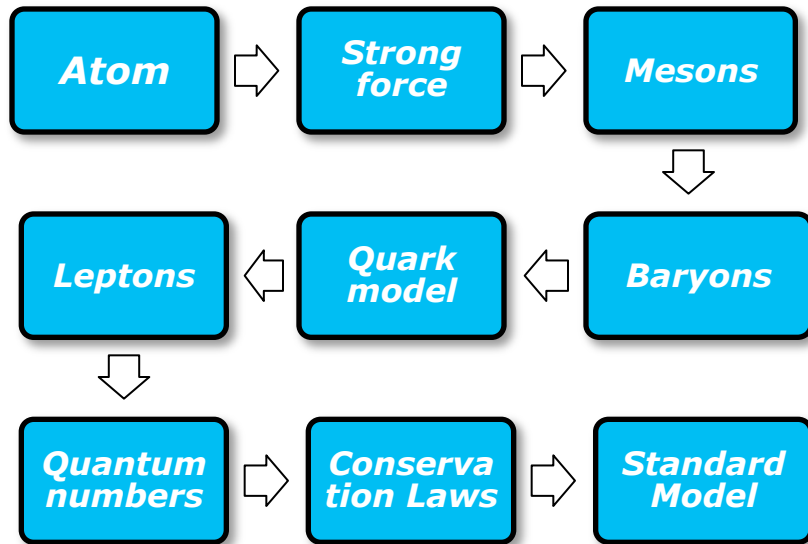
>300 papers [citing the result](#), with many possible interpretations.



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# Model elementary particles

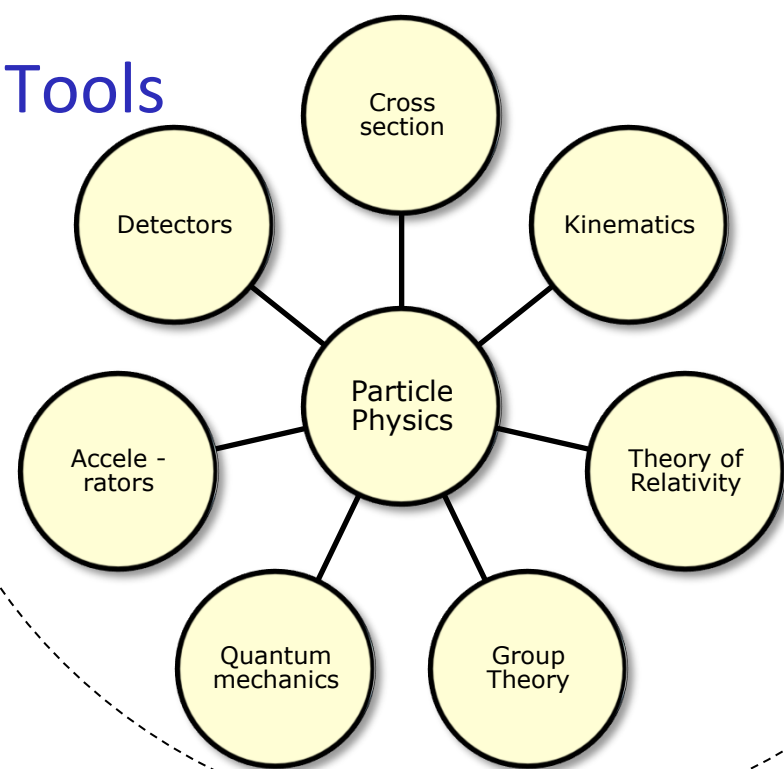


**Particles**  
quarks/leptons

**Forces**  
Electromagnetic  
Weak  
Strong

**Quantum-field theory & Local gauge invariance**

## Tools



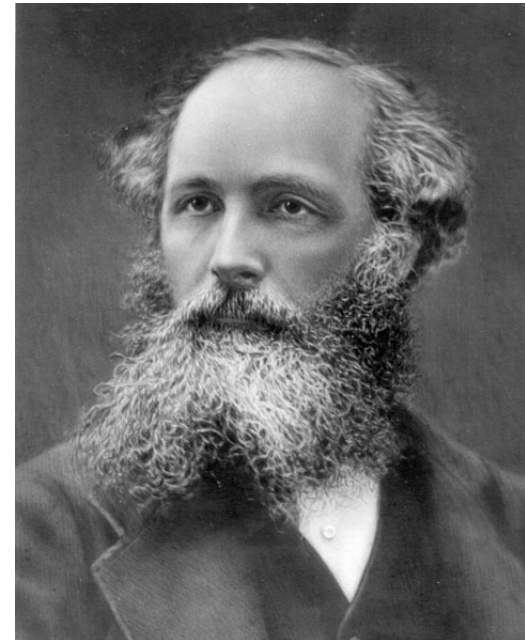
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# ***Electro-Magnetism***

# Electro-magnetism

- Towards a particle interacting with photon
  - Quantum Electro Dynamics, QED
- Start with electric and magnetic fields



J.C. Maxwell

# Start: Classical electro-magnetism

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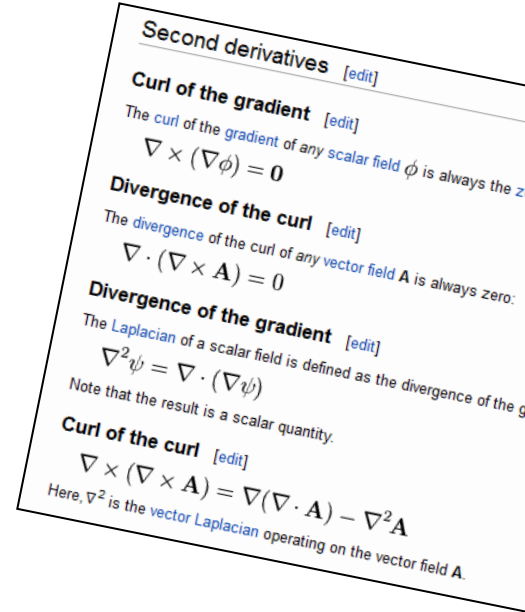
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Then automatically:

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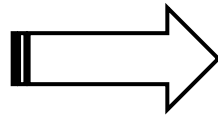
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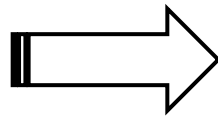
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or even:  $\partial_{\mu} F^{\mu\nu} = j^{\nu}$

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➤ Electromagnetic tensor  
Unification of electromagnetism

$$F^{\mu\nu} = \partial^{\mu} A^{\nu}(x) - \partial^{\nu} A^{\mu}(x) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -E_x & -E_y & -E_z \\ E_x & 0 & -B_z & B_y \\ E_y & B_z & 0 & -B_x \\ E_z & -B_y & B_x & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

# ***Gauge Invariance***

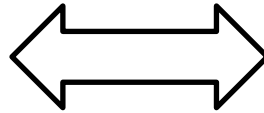
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### Potentials:

$\vec{A}$  = Vector potential

$\phi$  = Scalar potential

**Invariant under:**  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \phi \rightarrow \phi' = \phi - \frac{\partial \Lambda}{\partial t} \\ \vec{A} \rightarrow \vec{A}' = \vec{A} + \vec{\nabla} \Lambda \end{array} \right.$

$$\Lambda = \Lambda(\vec{r}, t)$$

Gauge transformations

Maxwell invariant  $\rightarrow$  gauge symmetry

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{\nabla} \times (\vec{\nabla} V) &= 0 & (\text{rotation of gradient is } 0) \\ \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A}) &= 0 & (\text{divergence of a rotation is } 0)\end{aligned}$$

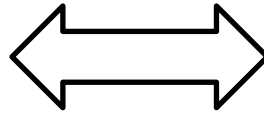
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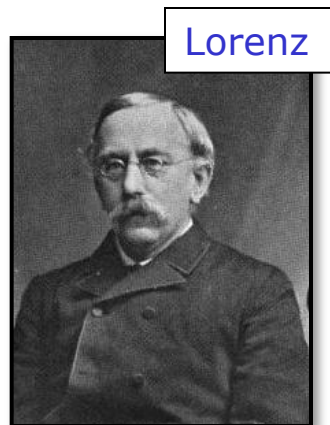
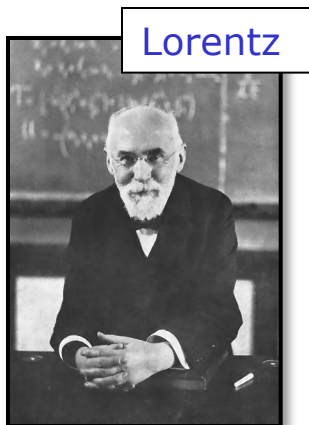
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(Hendrik)

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Total confusion:  
Lorentz-Lorenz formula

The most general form of the Lorentz-Lorenz equation is

$$\frac{n^2 - 1}{n^2 + 2} = \frac{4\pi}{3} N \alpha$$

Classically:  $p \rightarrow p - qA$

# Gauge invariance : QM

Charged particle moving in electro-magnetic field:

$$i\hbar \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial t} = H \Psi$$

Original

$$H = \frac{\mathbf{p}^2}{2m} + q\phi$$

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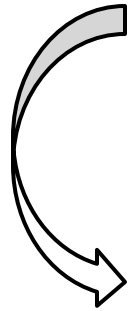
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Try :  $L = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 - qV + q\vec{v} \cdot \vec{A}$   
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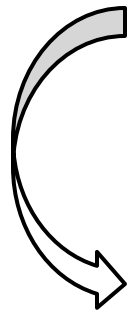
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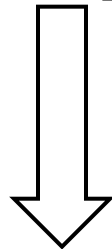
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Yes! If  $\Psi \rightarrow \Psi' = e^{iq\Lambda} \Psi$

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Before going to Quantum Field Theory,  
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***Lagrangian***

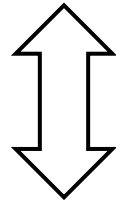
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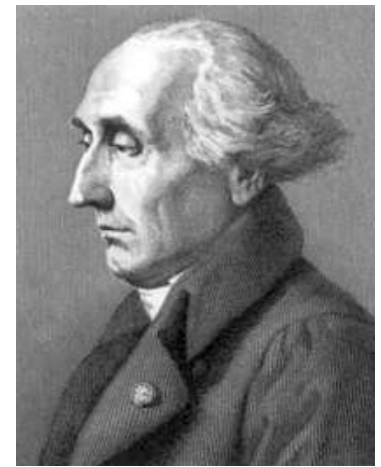
- Euler-Lagrange equations:

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial q} = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}} \right)$$



- Least-action, or Hamilton's principle:

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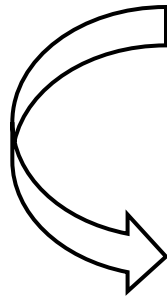
# Lagrangian and Equation of motion: Example

$$L = T - V$$

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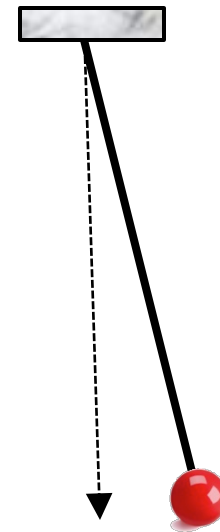
q: generalized coordinates

Equation of motion



$$T = \frac{1}{2} m (l \dot{\theta})^2$$
$$V = -mgl \cos(\theta)$$

$$\ddot{\theta} - \left(\frac{g}{l}\right) \sin(\theta) = 0$$



pendulum

# Lagrangian in Field Theory

- Replace Lagrangian by a *Lagrangian density*

in terms of field  $\phi(x)$ :

$$\mathcal{L}(\phi(x), \partial_\mu \phi(x)) \quad \text{where} \quad L \equiv \int d^3x \mathcal{L}(\phi, \partial_\mu \phi)$$

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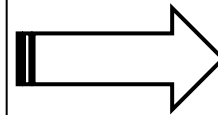
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# Equation of motion

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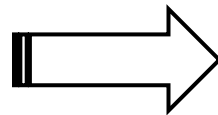


$$(\partial_\mu \partial^\mu + m^2) \phi(x) = 0$$

Klein-Gordon equation

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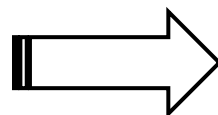


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Dirac equation

- Photons

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{EM} = -\frac{1}{4} (\partial^\mu A^\nu - \partial^\nu A^\mu) (\partial_\mu A_\nu - \partial_\nu A_\mu) - j^\mu A_\mu = -\frac{1}{4} F^{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu} - j^\mu A_\mu$$



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Maxwell equations

***QED***

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Why would you want to do that?

# Quantum Electro Dynamics - QED

- Let's replace the derivative in the Dirac equation by the gauge-covariant derivative:

$$\partial_\mu \rightarrow D_\mu \equiv \partial_\mu + iqA_\mu(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} &= \bar{\psi} (i\gamma^\mu D_\mu - m) \psi \\ &= \bar{\psi} (i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - m) \psi - qA_\mu \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu \psi \\ &= \mathcal{L}_{free} - \mathcal{L}_{int}\end{aligned}$$

- Gauge invariance leads to:  
gauge fields, and their interactions!

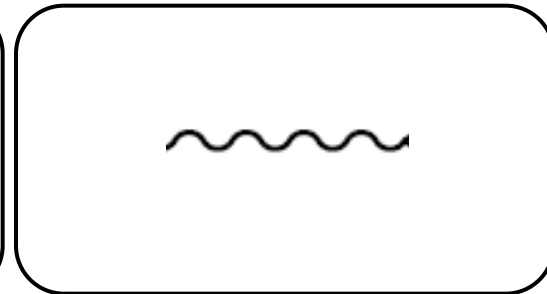
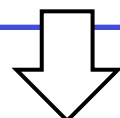
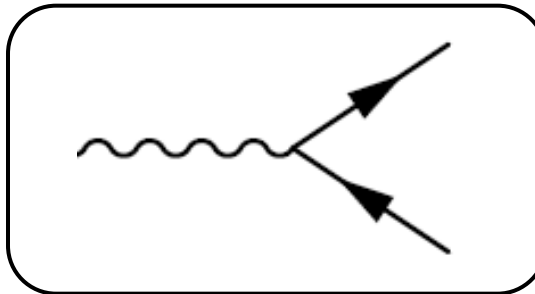
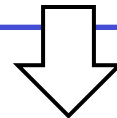
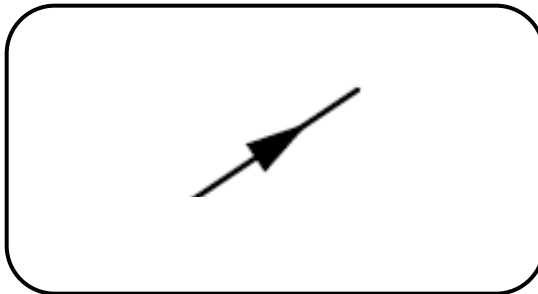
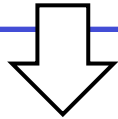
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- For completeness, let's also add the piece that describes the free photons:

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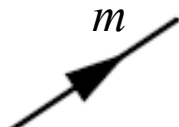
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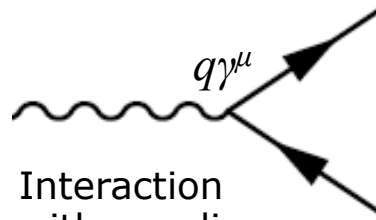


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Interaction  
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Photon field  $A^\mu$

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Fundamental  
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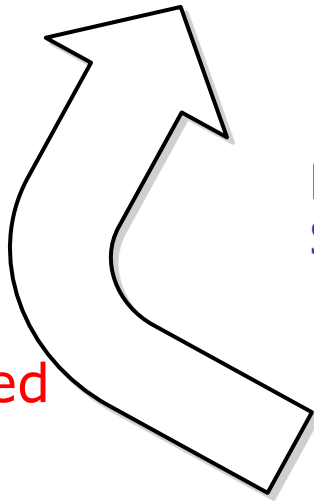
Forces arise  
beautifully!

## Local gauge symmetry

Pragmatic:  
We have forces

and

Can be described  
mathematically

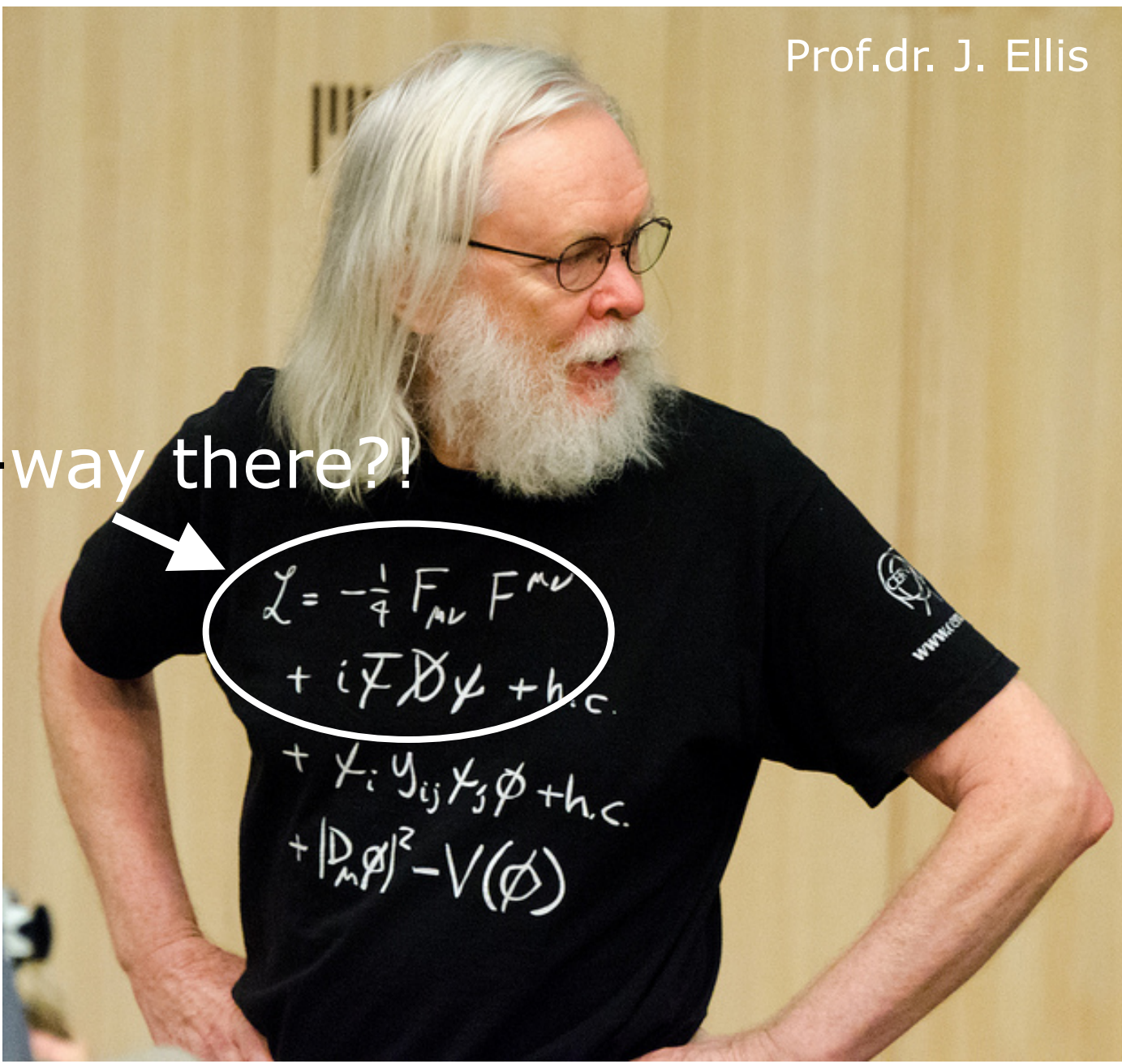


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Half-way there?!


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# “Famous” QED processes (I)

Elastic



{ Electron-muon scattering ( $e + \mu \rightarrow e + \mu$ )  
(Mott scattering ( $M \gg m$ )  $\Rightarrow$  Rutherford scattering ( $v \ll c$ ))



{ Electron-electron scattering ( $e^- + e^- \rightarrow e^- + e^-$ )  
(Møller scattering)



Electron-positron scattering ( $e^- + e^+ \rightarrow e^- + e^+$ )  
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time  
↑

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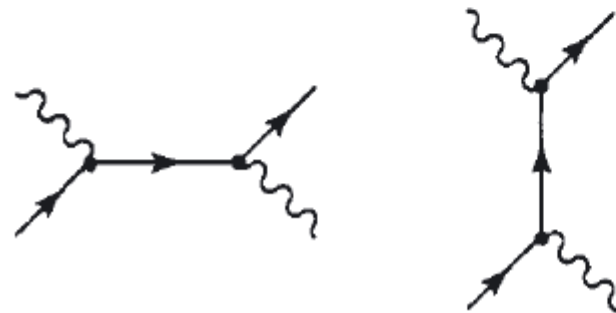
Inelastic



Pair annihilation ( $e^- + e^+ \rightarrow \gamma + \gamma$ )



Pair production ( $\gamma + \gamma \rightarrow e^- + e^+$ )



Compton scattering ( $\gamma + e^- \rightarrow \gamma + e^-$ )

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# ***Weak Interaction***

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- Why? Historical origin:  
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- $B^\mu$  is now 2x2 matrix:

$$B_\mu = \frac{1}{2} \vec{\tau} \cdot \vec{b}_\mu = \frac{1}{2} t^a b_\mu^a = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} b_3 & b_1 - ib_2 \\ b_1 + ib_2 & -b_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

- with three gauge fields:

$$\vec{b}_\mu = (b_1, b_2, b_3)$$

# Electro-weak theory

$$\psi \rightarrow \psi' = \exp \left( i \frac{\vec{\tau} \cdot \vec{\alpha}}{2} \right) \psi$$

$$\partial_\mu \rightarrow D_\mu = \partial_\mu + ig B_\mu \text{ with } B_\mu = \frac{1}{2} \vec{\tau} \cdot \vec{b}_\mu$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{SU(2)} &= \bar{\psi} (i\gamma^\mu D_\mu - m) \psi - \frac{1}{4} \vec{F}_{\mu\nu} \vec{F}^{\mu\nu} \\ &= \mathcal{L}_{SU(2)}^{\text{free}} - \frac{g}{2} \vec{b}_\mu \cdot \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu \vec{\tau} \psi - \frac{1}{4} \vec{F}_{\mu\nu} \vec{F}^{\mu\nu} \end{aligned}$$

- The three  $b_i$  are associated to the  $W^+, W^-$  and  $Z^0$

$$W_\mu^\pm \equiv \frac{b_\mu^1 \mp i b_\mu^2}{\sqrt{2}}$$



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(What is difference between chirality and helicity...?)

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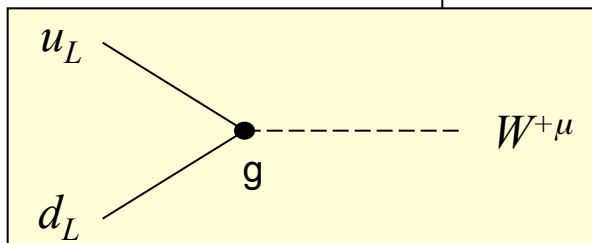
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$$L_{kinetic}^{weak}(u, d)_L = i(u, d)_L \gamma_\mu \left( \partial^\mu + ig \frac{1}{2} (b_1^\mu \tau_1 + b_2^\mu \tau_2 + b_3^\mu \tau_3) \right) \begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}_L$$

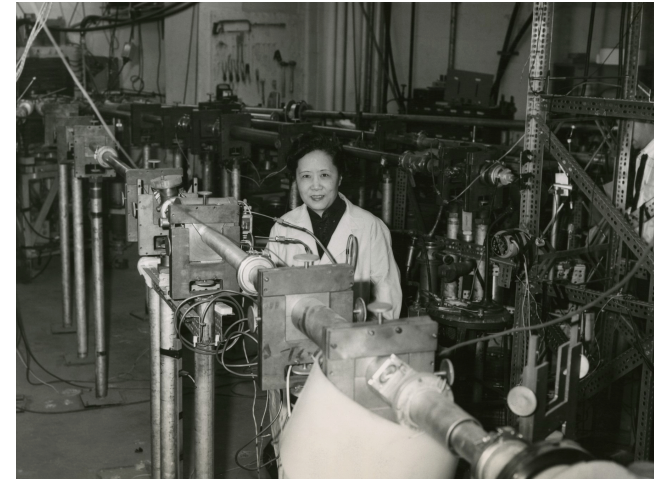
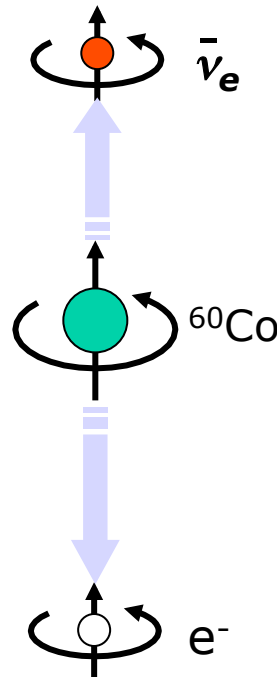
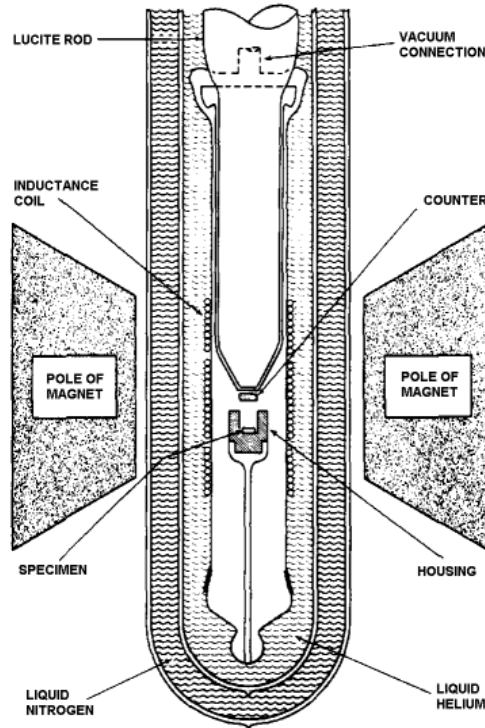
$$= i\bar{u}_L \gamma_\mu \partial^\mu u_L + i\bar{d}_L \gamma_\mu \partial^\mu d_L - \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{u}_L \gamma_\mu W^{-\mu} d_L - \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{d}_L \gamma_\mu W^{+\mu} u_L - \dots$$



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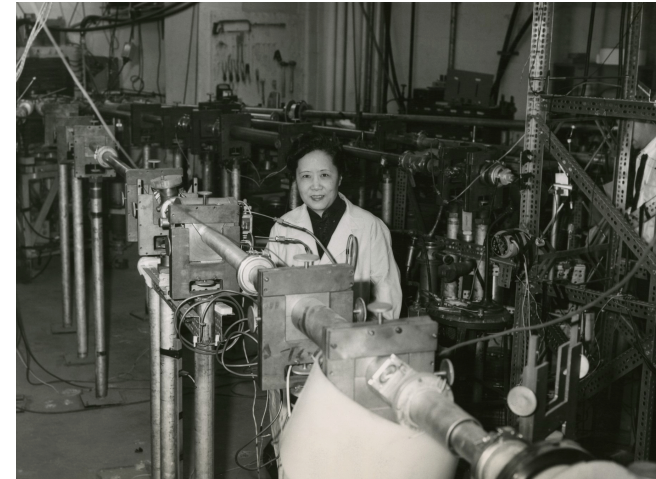
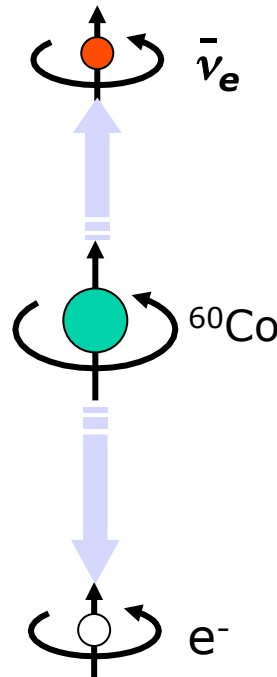
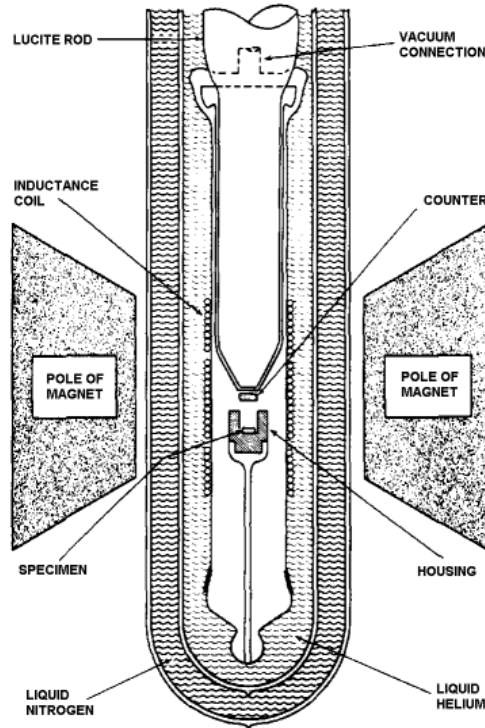
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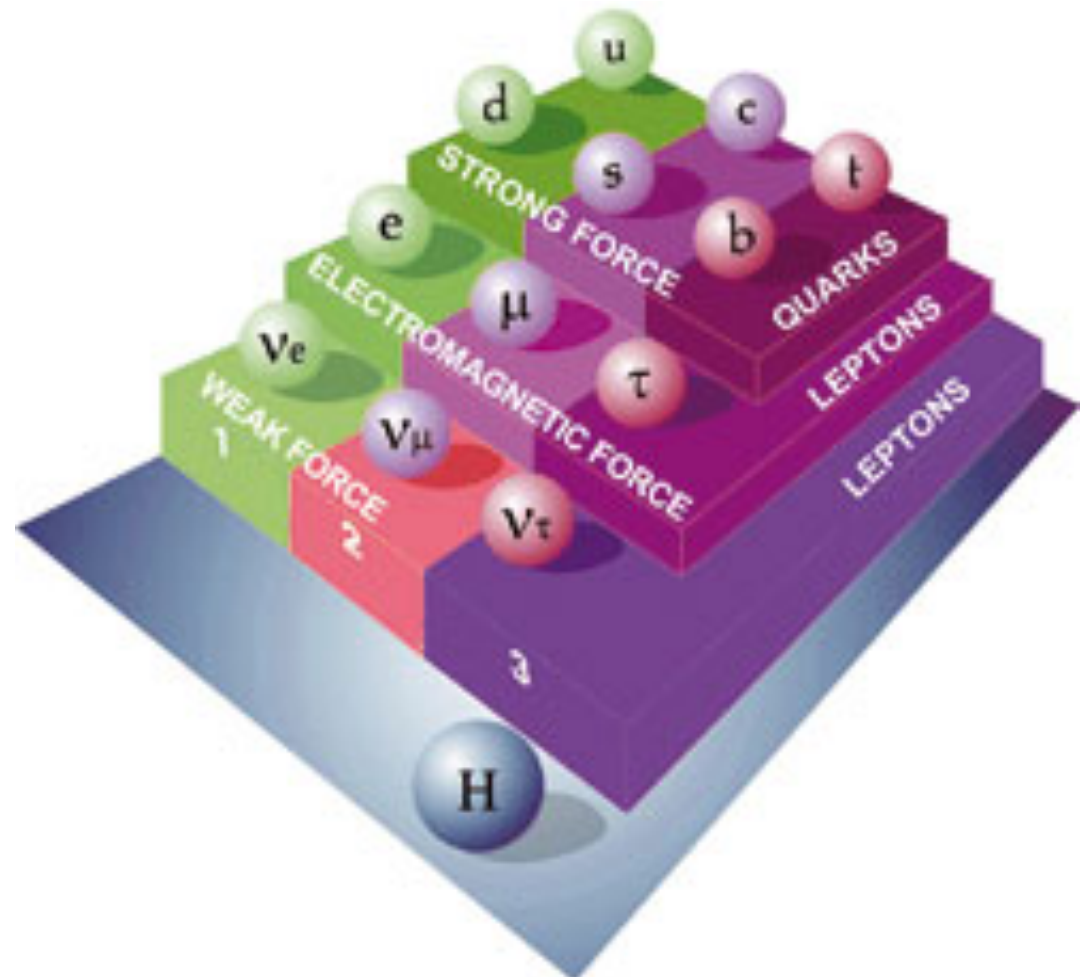
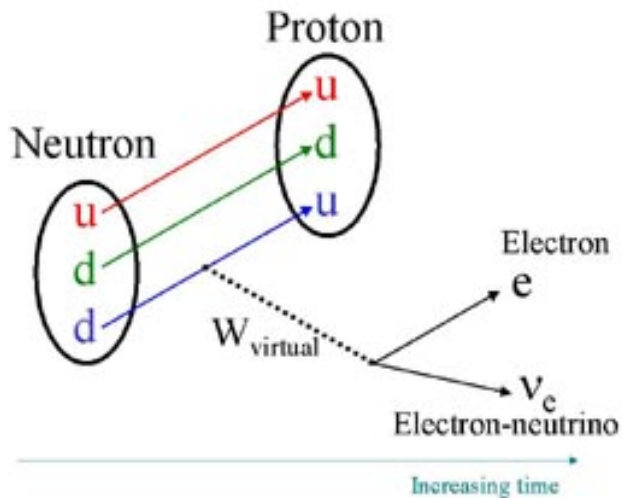
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# Fermions and interactions

- Neutrino's only feel the weak force
  - Parity violation is most obvious for neutrino's



# Electroweak theory

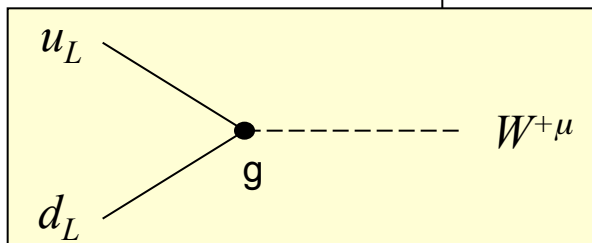
- We **measured** that left and right are different!
- Weak interaction only couples to left-handed particles (or right-handed anti-particles)

$$\psi_L = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_L \\ e_L \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \psi_L = \begin{pmatrix} u_L \\ d_L \end{pmatrix}$$

$$L_{kinetic}(\psi_L) = i\psi_L \gamma_\mu D^\mu \psi_L = i\bar{\psi}_L \gamma_\mu \left( \partial^\mu + ig \frac{1}{2} \vec{\tau} \cdot \vec{b}^\mu + iqA^\mu \right) \psi_L$$

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$$= i\bar{u}_L \gamma_\mu \partial^\mu u_L + i\bar{d}_L \gamma_\mu \partial^\mu d_L - \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{u}_L \gamma_\mu W^{-\mu} d_L - \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{d}_L \gamma_\mu W^{+\mu} u_L - \dots$$



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***QCD***

# Symmetries

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- Isospin

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- **Gell-Mann matrices:**  
SU(3)-equivalent of  
Pauli-matrices

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Another covariant derivative:

$$D_\mu = \partial_\mu - i g A_\mu(x)$$

with 8  $A_\mu$  fields:

$$A_\mu(x) = \sum_{a=1}^8 t_a A_\mu^a(x) \quad , \quad t_a = \frac{\lambda_a}{2}$$

which transform as:

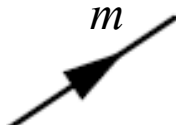
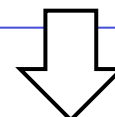
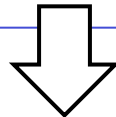
$$A_\mu^a(x) \rightarrow \tilde{A}_\mu^a(x) = A_\mu^a(x) - \frac{1}{g} \partial^\mu \theta_a(x) + f_{abc} \theta_b(x) A_\mu^c(x)$$

Gluonic field tensor:

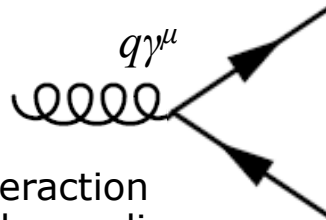
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# QCD Lagrangian

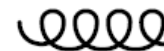
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} = \bar{\psi} (i\gamma_{\mu}(\partial^{\mu} - iA^{\mu}) - m) \psi - \frac{1}{2g^2} \text{tr}\{G_{\mu\nu} G^{\mu\nu}\}$$



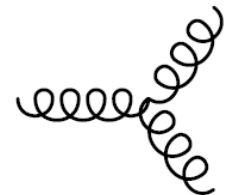
Fermion  $\psi$  with mass  $m$



Interaction  
with coupling  $q$



8 Gluon fields  $A^{\mu}$



Self-interaction



# QED and QCD

## QED

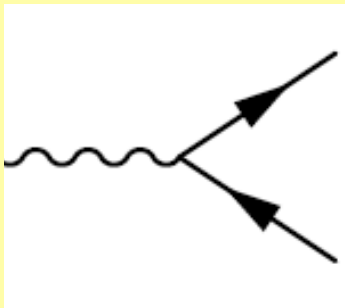
- Local U(1) gauge transformation

$$\psi(x) \rightarrow \psi'(x) = e^{i\alpha(x)}\psi(x)$$

- Introduce 1  $A_\mu$  gauge field
- “Abelian” theory,

$$F^{\mu\nu} = \partial^\mu A^\nu(x) - \partial^\nu A^\mu(x)$$

- No self-interacting photon
  - Photons do not have (electric) charge
- Different “running”



## QCD

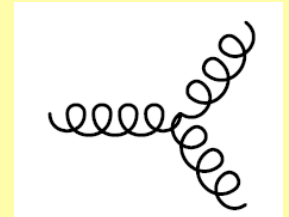
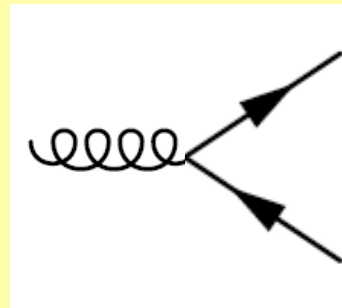
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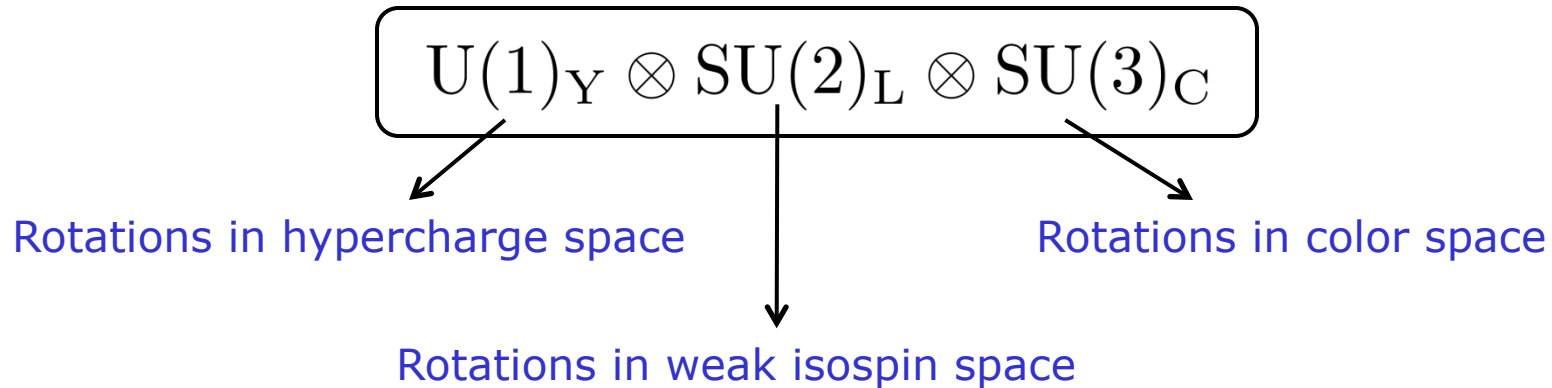
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- Non-“Abelian” theory,

$$G_{\mu\nu}^a(x) = \partial_\mu A_\nu^a(x) - \partial_\nu A_\mu^a(x) + g f_{abc} A_\mu^b(x) A_\nu^c(x)$$

- Self-interacting gluons
  - Gluons have (color) charge
- Different “running”



# Which symmetries do we impose ?



For example  $SU(2)_L$ :

2x2 complex matrices (det=1)  $\rightarrow$  3 basis-rotations  $\rightarrow$  3 vector fields

QED:	$U(1)_Y \rightarrow 1$ degree of freedom:	$\gamma$	All spin-1
Weak Force:	$SU(2)_L \rightarrow 3$ degrees of freedom:	$W^+, W^-$ en $Z^0$	
Strong Force:	$SU(3)_C \rightarrow 8$ degrees of freedom:	8 gluons	

# Standard Model now (almost) complete!

Three generations of matter (fermions)				
	I	II	III	
Quarks	mass → 2.4 MeV/c <sup>2</sup> charge → 2/3 spin → 1/2 name → u up	1.27 GeV/c <sup>2</sup> 2/3 1/2 c charm	171.2 GeV/c <sup>2</sup> 2/3 1/2 t top	0 0 1 γ photon
	4.8 MeV/c <sup>2</sup> -1/3 1/2 d down	104 MeV/c <sup>2</sup> -1/3 1/2 s strange	4.2 GeV/c <sup>2</sup> -1/3 1/2 b bottom	0 0 1 g gluon
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	0.511 MeV/c <sup>2</sup> -1 1/2 e electron	105.7 MeV/c <sup>2</sup> -1 1/2 μ muon	1.777 GeV/c <sup>2</sup> -1 1/2 τ tau	80.4 GeV/c <sup>2</sup> ±1 1 W <sup>±</sup> W boson
Leptons				Gauge bosons

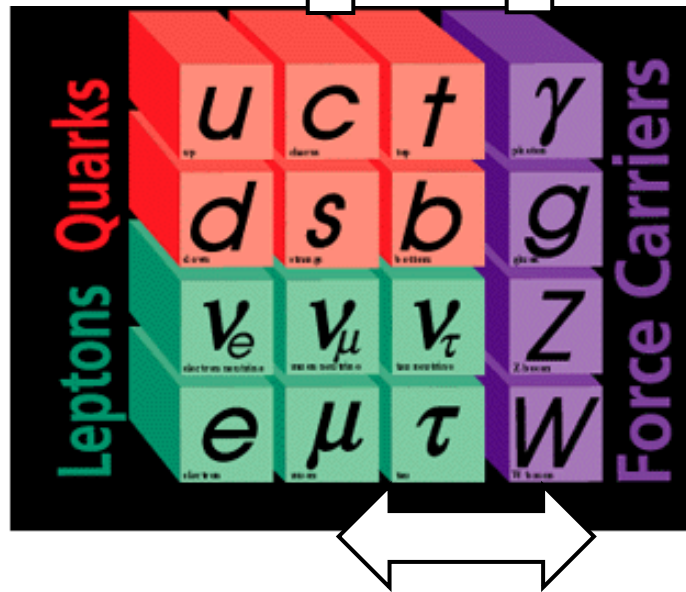
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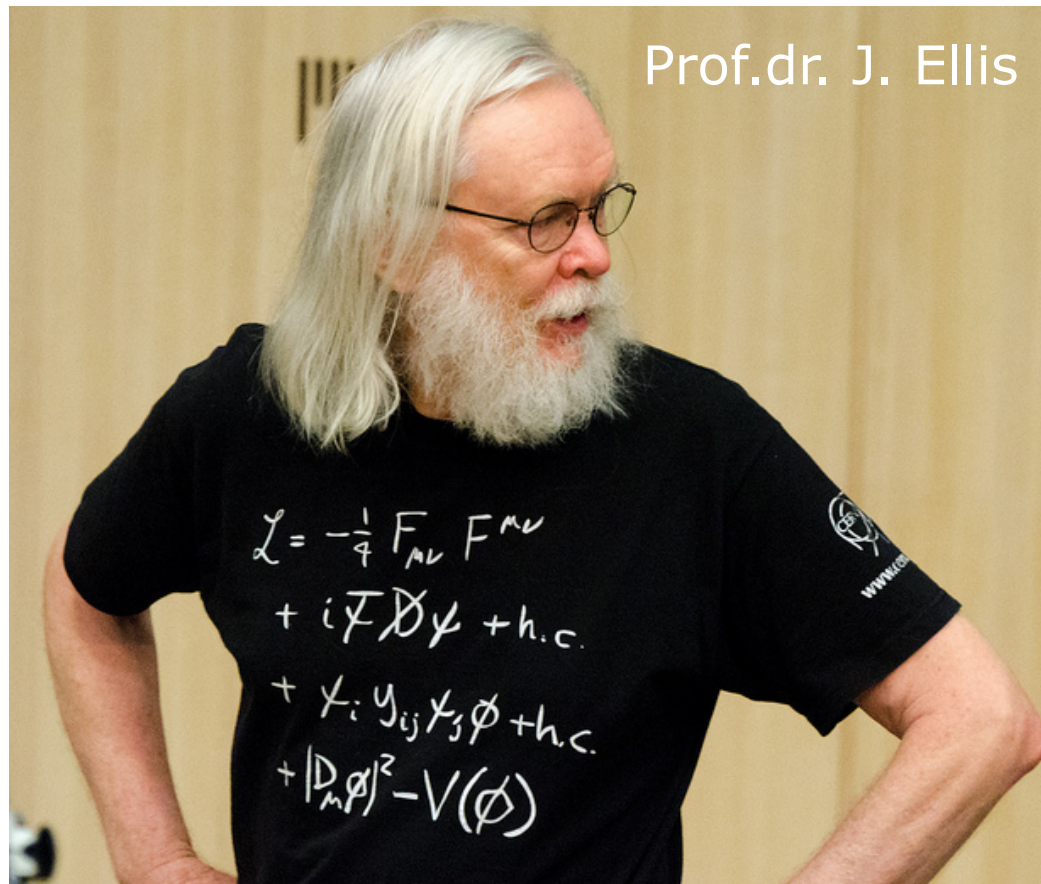
Fermion fields  $\psi$   Gauge fields  $A_{\mu}$  



Interactions through  $D^{\mu}$

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## Todo-list:

- $e^+e^-$  scattering
  - QED at work (LEP): R, neutrinos
- $e^+p$  scattering
  - QCD at work (HERA): DIS, structure functions, scaling
- No masses for W, Z
  - (LHC/ATLAS) Higgs mechanism, Yukawa couplings
- Consequences of three families
  - (LHC/LHCb) CKM-mechanism, CP violation

# Schedule

- 1) 11 Feb: Accelerators (Harry vd Graaf) + Special relativity (Niels Tuning)
  - 2) 18 Feb: Quantum Mechanics (Niels Tuning)
  - 3) 25 Feb: Interactions with Matter (Harry vd Graaf)
  - 4) 3 Mar: Light detection (Harry vd Graaf)
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  - 6) 17 Mar: Forces (Niels Tuning)
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7) 24 Mar: Astrophysics and Dark Matter (Ernst-Jan Buis)

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- 8) 21 Apr:  $e^+e^-$  and ep scattering (Niels Tuning)
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- 11) 19 May: Charged particle detection (Martin Franse)
- 12) 26 May: Applications: experiments and medical (Martin Franse)

13) 2 Jun: Nikhef excursie

14) 8 Jun: CERN excursie

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# Plan

