

# Wstęp do fizyki cząstek elementarnych: część eksperymentalna

- Pięćdziesiąt lat badań cząstek elementarnych, nagrody Nobla, Model Standardowy**
- Labolatorium CERN**
- Eksperymenty LHC**
- Detektory cząstek elementarnych**

# Particle physics

**Particle physics** is a modern name for the centuries old effort to understand the basic laws of physics.

Edward Witten

Aims to answer the two following questions:

**What are the elementary constituents of matter ?**

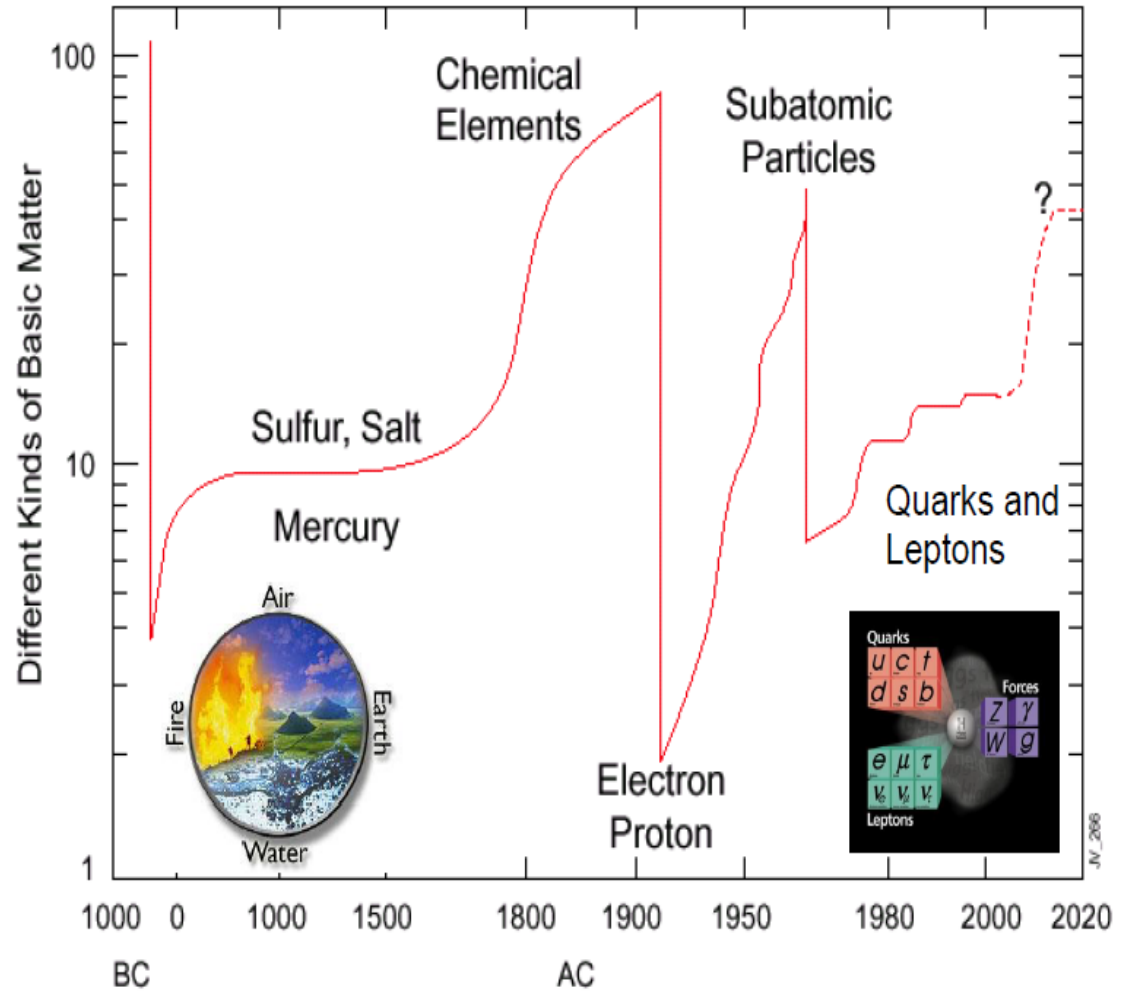
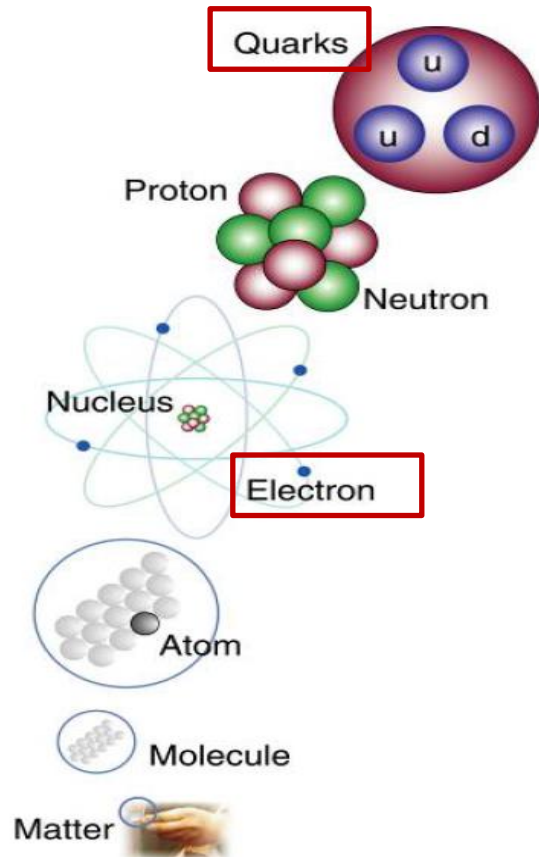
**What are the forces that determine their behavior?**

Experimentally

Get particles to interact and study what happens

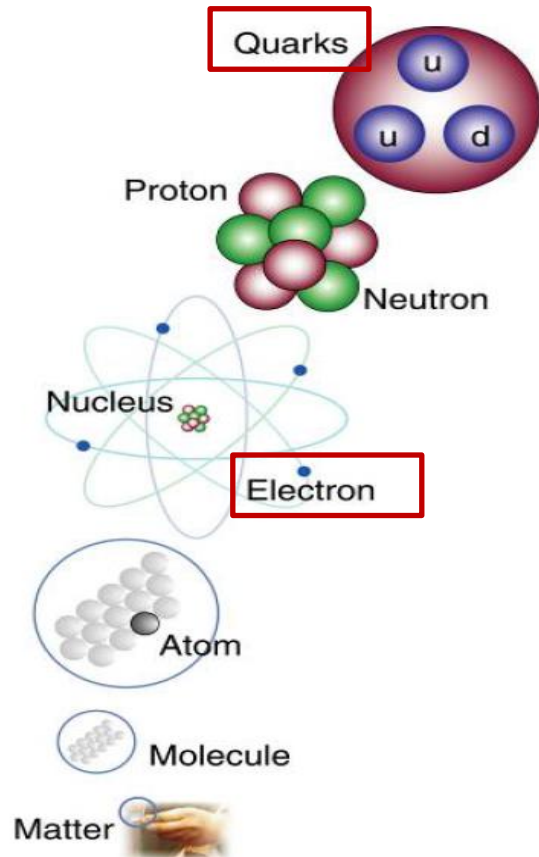
# Constituents of matter along History

Quantum mechanics



# Particles of the Standard Model

Quantum mechanics



**Matter particles**  
( $< 10^{-16}$  cm)

**Interaction particles**

2.4M <b>u</b> up 2/3 1/2	1.27G <b>c</b> charm 2/3 1/2	171.2G <b>t</b> top 2/3 1/2	strong nuclear force (color charge)	
4.8M <b>d</b> down -1/3 1/2	104M <b>s</b> strange -1/3 1/2	4.2G <b>b</b> bottom -1/3 1/2		gluon 1
0.511M <b>e</b> electron -1 1/2	105.7M <b>μ</b> muon -1 1/2	1.777G <b>τ</b> tau -1 1/2		
< 2.2 <b>ν<sub>e</sub></b> e-neutrino 0 1/2	< 0.17M <b>ν<sub>μ</sub></b> μ-neutrino 0 1/2	< 15.5M <b>ν<sub>τ</sub></b> τ-neutrino 0 1/2	W <sup>+-</sup> 1	
				Z 1

electromagnetic (charge)

weak nuclear force

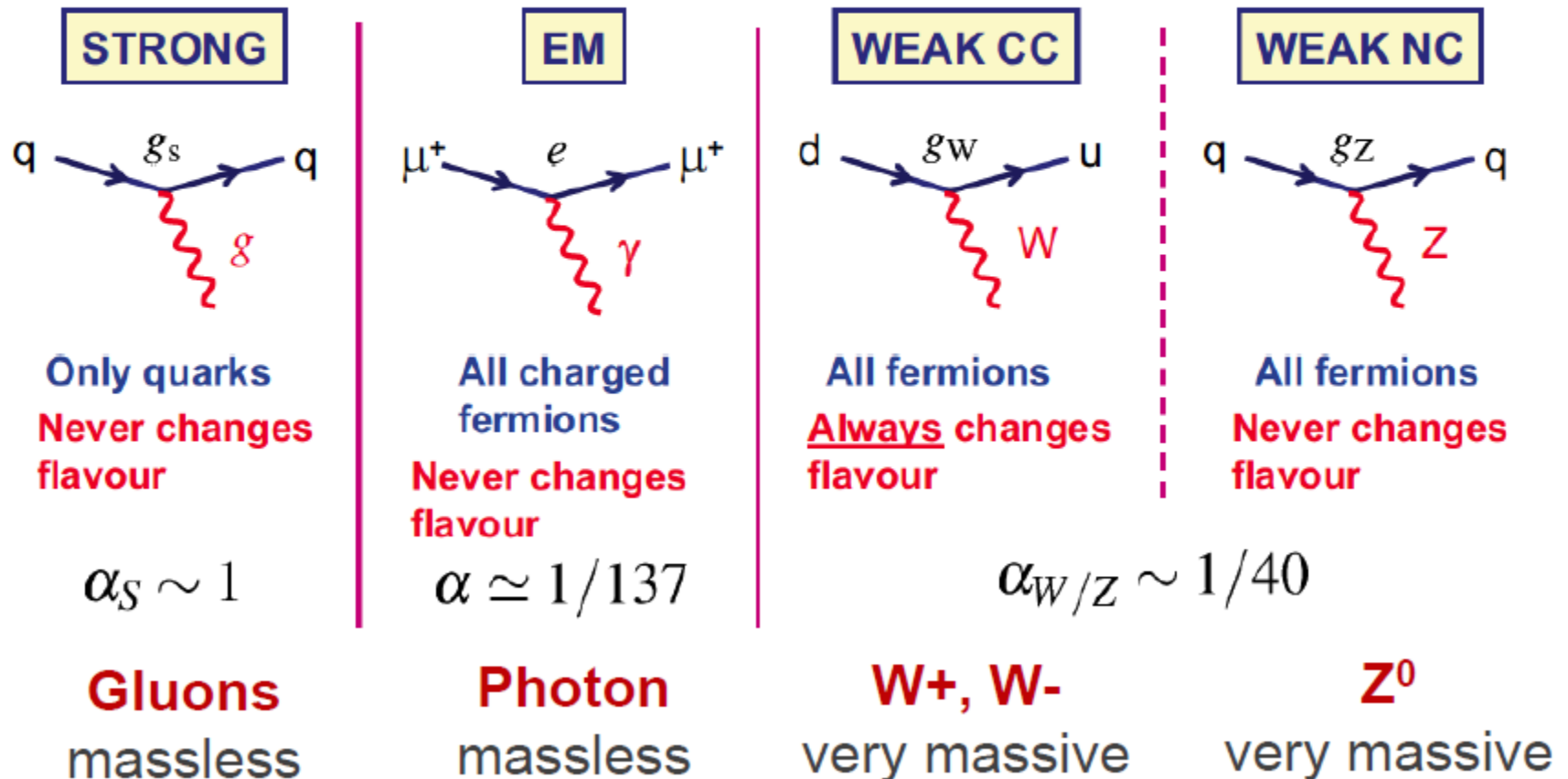


**Higgs particle**  
Is not a matter particle and  
not an interaction particle

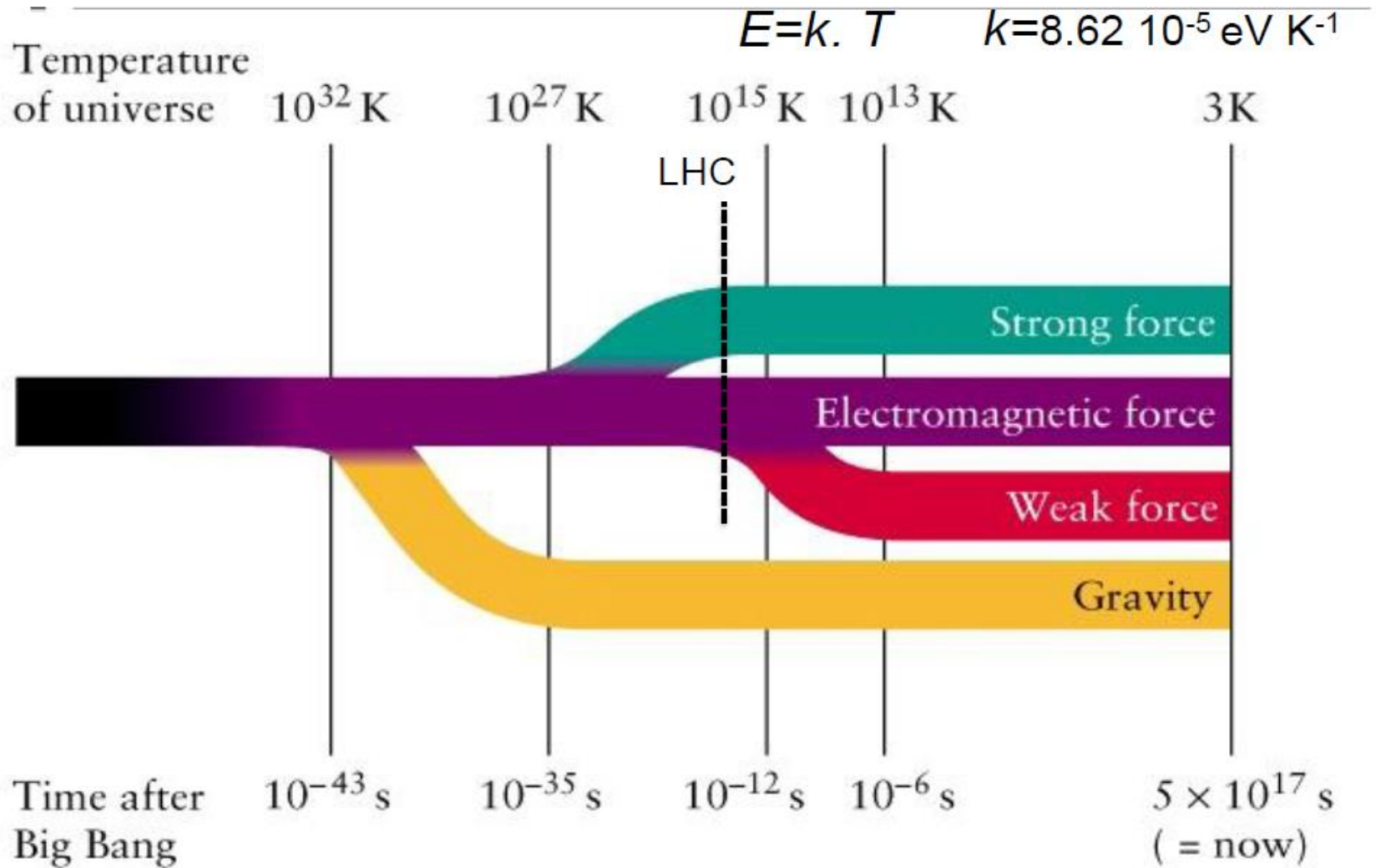
$$L_H = \frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu H)^2 - m_H^2 H^2 - h\lambda H^3 - \frac{h}{4}H^4 + \frac{g^2}{4}(W_\mu^+ W^\mu + \frac{1}{2\cos^2\theta_W} Z_\mu Z^\mu)(\lambda^2 + 2\lambda H + H^2) + \sum_{l,q,q'} (\frac{m_l \bar{l}l}{\lambda} + \frac{m_q \bar{q}q}{\lambda} + \frac{m_{q'} \bar{q}'q'}{\lambda})H$$

# Interactions

The interaction of gauge bosons with fermions is described by the Standard Model



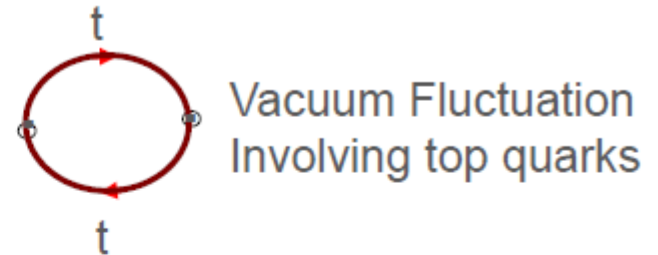
# Forces and expansion of the Universe



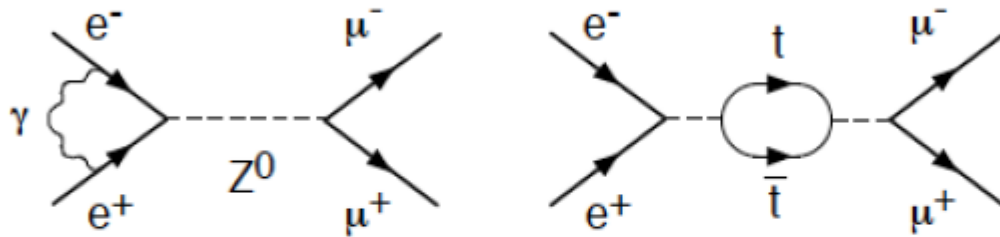
# Quantum field theory

A particle-antiparticle pair can pop out of empty space (“the vacuum”) and then vanish back into it

**These are *Virtual* particles.**



Other examples of Virtual particles:



This has far-reaching consequences

The structure of the universe depends on particles that ***don't exist in the usual sense***

We do not see these particles in everyday life

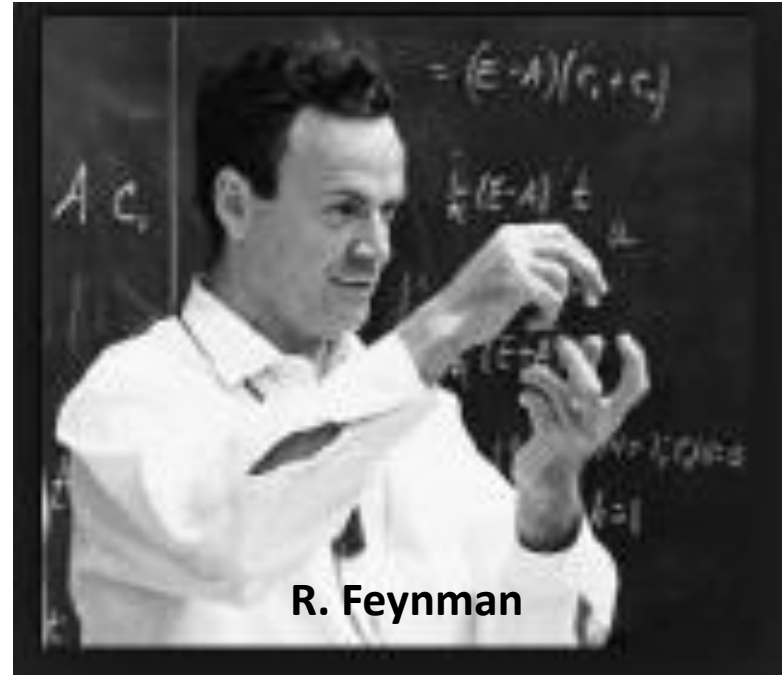
We must recreate the state of the early hot universe to make them

# Theory has to be confirmed by experiment

***„It doesn't matter how beautiful your theory is, it doesn't matter how smart you are. If it doesn't agree with experiments, it's wrong.”***

***R. Feynman***

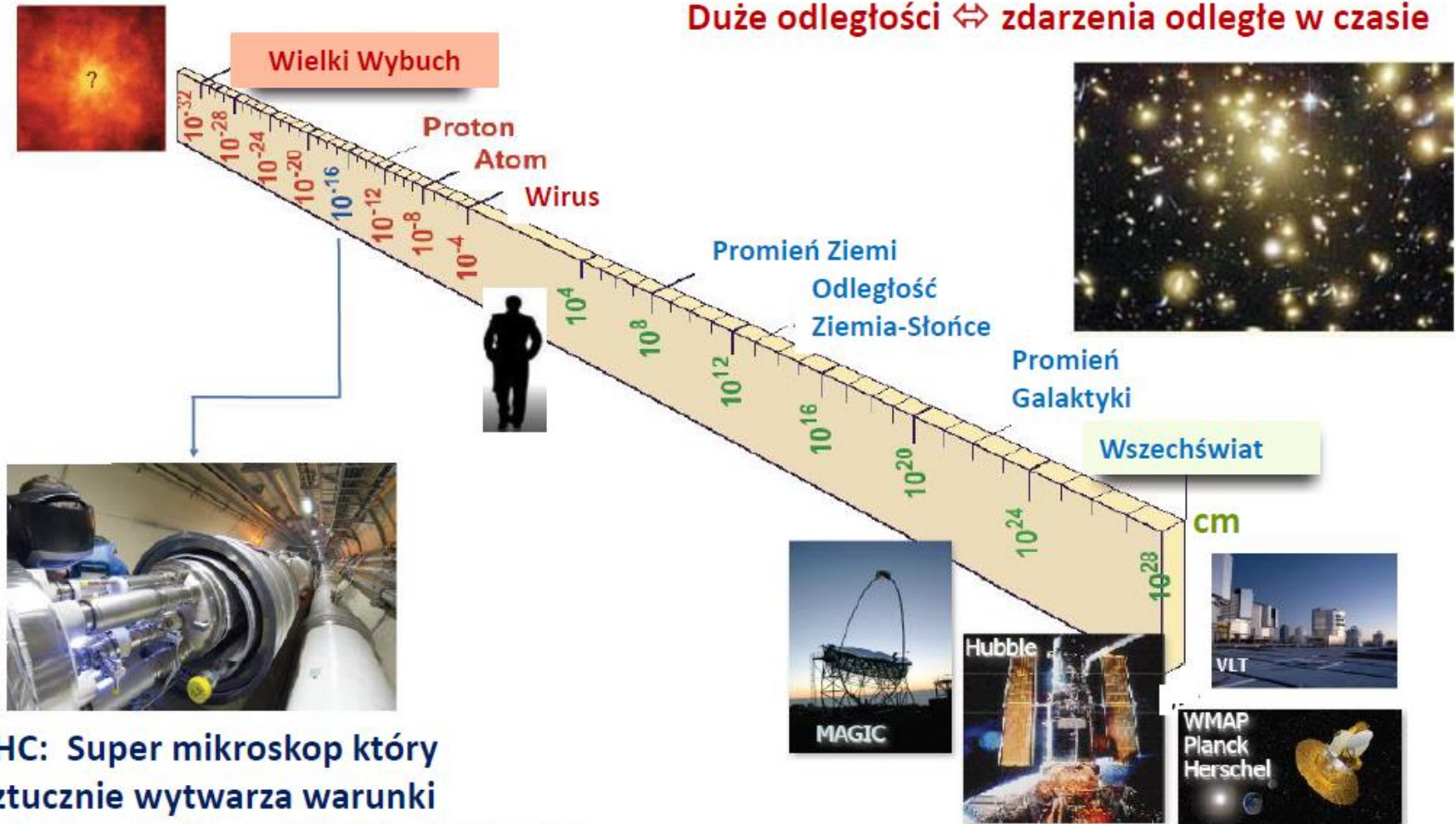
***(To nie ma znaczenia jak piękna jest twoja teoria, nie ma znaczenia jaki jesteś inteligentny. Jeżeli nie zgadza się z eksperymentem to ta teoria jest nieprawdziwa.)***





# W jaki sposób badamy cząstki elementarne, a w jaki strukturę wszechświata?

Duże odległości ⇔ zdarzenia odległe w czasie



Małe odległości ⇔ bardzo duże energie

# History of particle physics and Nobel prizes



Sin-Itiro Tomonaga



Julian Schwinger



Richard P. Feynman



Sheldon Lee Glashow



Abdus Salam



Steven Weinberg



Leon M. Lederman



Melvin Schwartz



Jack Steinberger



Carlo Rubbia



Simon van der Meer



Georges Charpak



Gerardus 't Hooft



Martinus J.G. Veltman



M. Gell-Mann

1957 – C. N. Yang, T. Lee

1965 – S. I. Tomonaga, J. Schwinger, R.P Feynman

1969 – M. Gell-Mann

1976 – B. Richter and S. Ting

1979 – S.L. Glashow, A. Salam, S. Weinberg

1980 – J. Cronin, V. Fitch

1984 – C. Rubbia, S. van der Meer

1988 – L. M. Lederman, M. Schwartz, J. Steinberger

1990 – J. Friedman, J. Kendall, R. Taylor

1992 - G. Charpak

1995 – M. Perl, F. Reines

1999 - G. tHooft, M. J. Veltman

2004 - D. J. Gross, H. D. Politzer, F. Wilczek

2008 – Y. Nambu, M. Kobayashi, T. Masakawa

2013 – F. Englert and P. Higgs

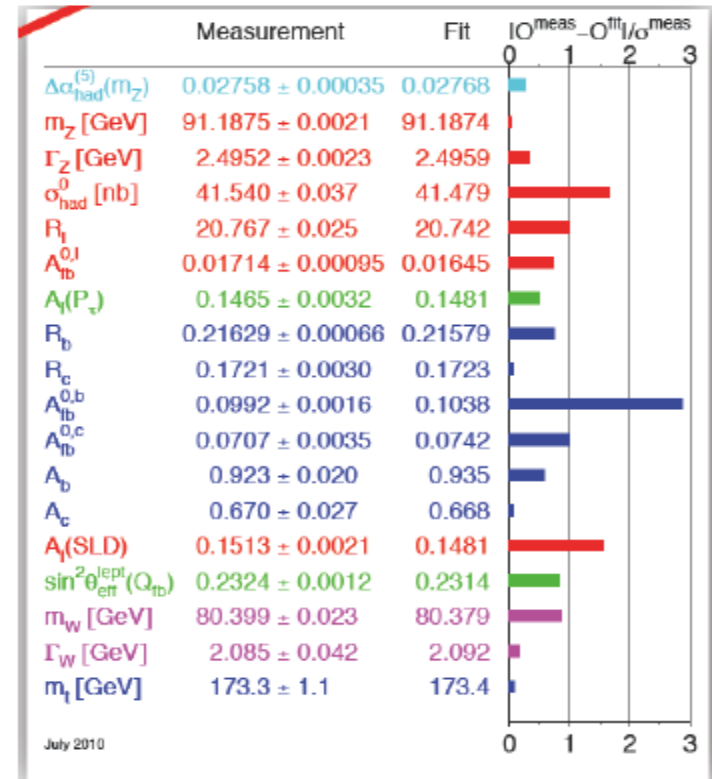
# SM confirmed by the data

	I	II	III	
mass →	2.4 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	1.27 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	171.2 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	0
charge →	2/3	2/3	2/3	0
spin →	1/2	1/2	1/2	1
name →	<b>u</b> up	<b>c</b> charm	<b>t</b> top	<b>γ</b> photon
	4.8 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	104 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	4.2 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	0
	-1/3	-1/3	-1/3	0
	1/2	1/2	1/2	1
Quarks	<b>d</b> down	<b>s</b> strange	<b>b</b> bottom	<b>g</b> gluon
	<2.2 eV/c <sup>2</sup>	<0.17 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	<15.5 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	91.2 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>
	0	0	0	0
	1/2	1/2	1/2	1
Leptons	<b>ν<sub>e</sub></b> electron neutrino	<b>ν<sub>μ</sub></b> muon neutrino	<b>ν<sub>τ</sub></b> tau neutrino	<b>Z<sup>0</sup></b> Z boson
	0.511 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	105.7 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	1.777 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	80.4 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>
	-1	-1	-1	±1
	1/2	1/2	1/2	1
	<b>e</b> electron	<b>μ</b> muon	<b>τ</b> tau	<b>W<sup>±</sup></b> W boson

Gauge bosons

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} + i\bar{\psi} \not{D} \psi + h.c.$$

## STANDARD MODEL OF ELEMENTARY PARTICLES



Confirmed at sub 1% level!

# The Higgs

In the simplest model the interactions are symmetrical and particles do not have mass

The symmetry between the electromagnetic and the weak interactions is broken:

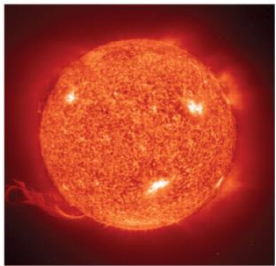
- Photon do not have mass
- $W$ ,  $Z$  do have a mass  $\sim 80$ - $90$  GeV

Higgs mechanism:

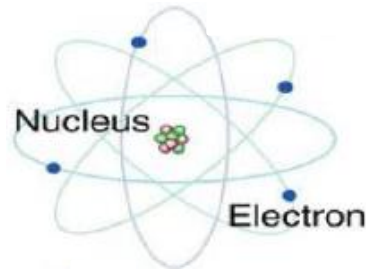
mass of  $W$  and  $Z$  results from the interactions with the Higgs field

# Mass spectrum of elementary particles

Gdyby masa cząstki W była mniejsza to czas reakcji termojądrowych byłby krótszy i zachodziłby przy niższej temperaturze.

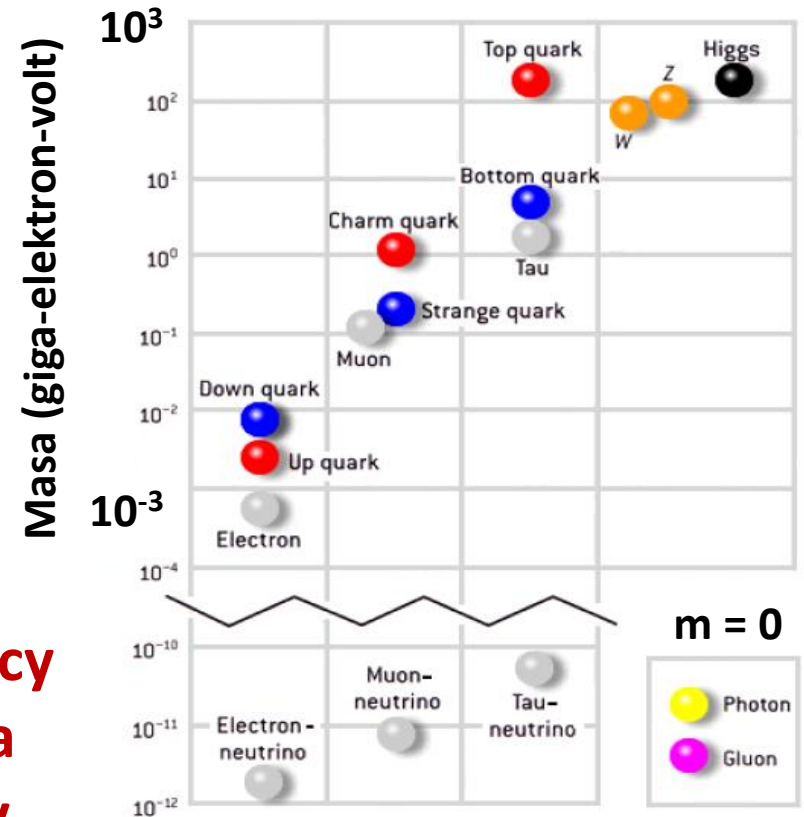


Tarcza Słońca



Masa elektronu jest 25 tysięcy razy mniejsza, ale gdyby była równa zero atom nie mógłby istnieć.

Przy innych wartościach masy cząstek elementarnych Wszechświat byłby zupełnie inny lub by nie istniał.



**W dniu 4 lipca 2012, eksperymenty ATLAS i CMS na akceleratorze LHC w laboratorium CERN ogłosiły odkrycie nowej cząstki zgodnej z przewidywaniami tzw. mechanizmu Higgsa.**

2013 NOBEL PRIZE IN PHYSICS

François Englert  
Peter W. Higgs



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**8 październik 2013**

Królewska Szwedzka Akademia Nauk przyznaje Nagrodę Nobla w dziedzinie fizyki

**„ za sformułowanie mechanizmu który wyjaśnia źródło masy cząstek elementarnych i który został potwierdzony poprzez odkrycie przewidywanej przez ten mechanizm cząstki elementarnej (eksperymenty ATLAS i CMS na LHC) ”.**



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BROKEN SYMMETRY AND THE MASS OF GAUGE VECTOR MESONS\*

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Faculté des Sciences, Université Libre de Bruxelles, Bruxelles, Belgium  
(Received 26 June 1964)

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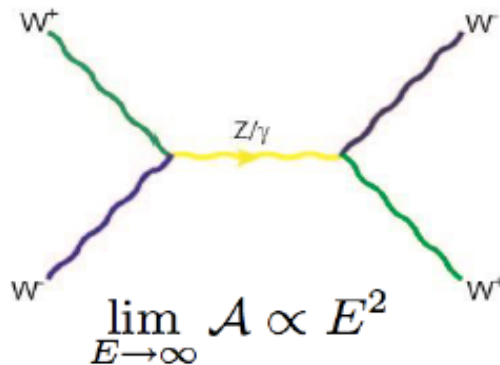
# The Higgs: added bonus

Non-zero average value of the Higgs field can also give masses to the quarks, electrons and muons – to all point-like particles.

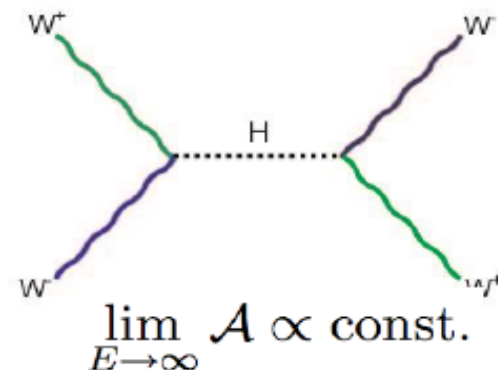
Old theoretical problem affecting the quantum theory of the weak force :

the probability of two  $W$ 's interacting becomes larger than 1 at high energies ( $> 1$  TeV).

This is solved by the Higgs field!



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# Beyond the Standard Model

The Standard Model answers many of the questions about the structure of matter. But the Standard Model is not complete; there are still many unanswered questions.

Why do we observe matter and almost no antimatter if we believe there is a symmetry between the two in the universe?

What is this "dark matter" that we can't see that has visible gravitational effects in the cosmos?

Are quarks and leptons actually fundamental, or made up of even more fundamental particles?

Why are there exactly three generations of quarks and leptons? What is the explanation for the observed pattern for particle masses?

How does gravity fit into all of this?



# Many possible theories

There are a large number of models which predict new physics at the TeV scale accessible at the LHC:

- Supersymmetry (SUSY)
- Extra dimensions
- Extended Higgs Sector e.g. in SUSY Models
- Grand Unified Theories (SU(5), O(10), E6, ...)
- Leptoquarks
- New Heavy Gauge Bosons
- Technicolour
- Compositeness

Any of this could still be found at the LHC

# Europejskie laboratorium CERN

Założone w 1954 roku, to największe na świecie laboratorium w dziedzinie badań oddziaływań cząstek elementarnych. Celem są badania podstawowe.

**20 krajów członkowskich (Polska od 1992)**

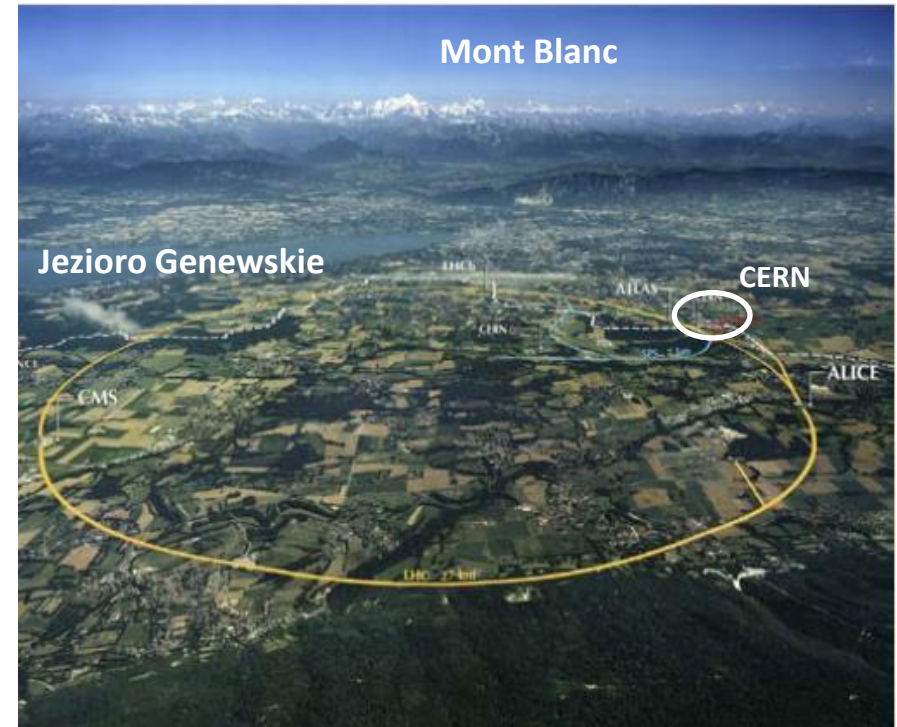
**40 krajów stowarzyszonych**

**2 300 zatrudnionych osób**

**+ 10 000 naukowców**

Projekt LHC (Wielki Zderzacz Hadronów) to ponad 30-letnie przedsięwzięcie wymagające wizji, talentów, pasji, determinacji i zmierzenia się z wyzwaniami technologicznymi.

Od samego początku w przygotowaniu akceleratora i eksperymentów LHC uczestniczyły zespoły z Polski: IFJ-PAN, AGH, Politechnika Krakowska, Uniw. Warszawski, IBJ-Świerk

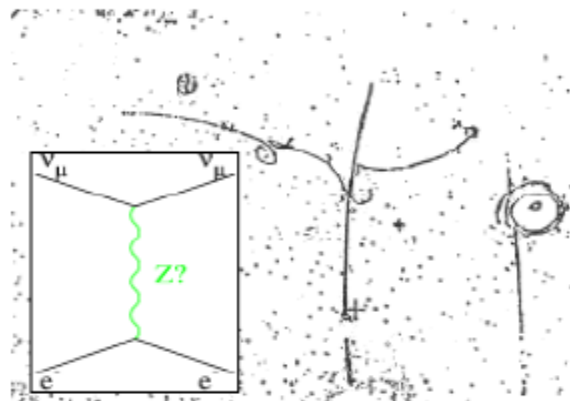


# A brief historical overview toward LHC

**1964:** First formulation of Higgs mechanism (P.W.Higgs)

**1967:** Electroweak unification, with W, Z and H (Glashow, Weinberg, Salam)

**1973:** Discovery of neutral currents in  $\nu_{\mu} e$  scattering (Gargamelle, CERN)

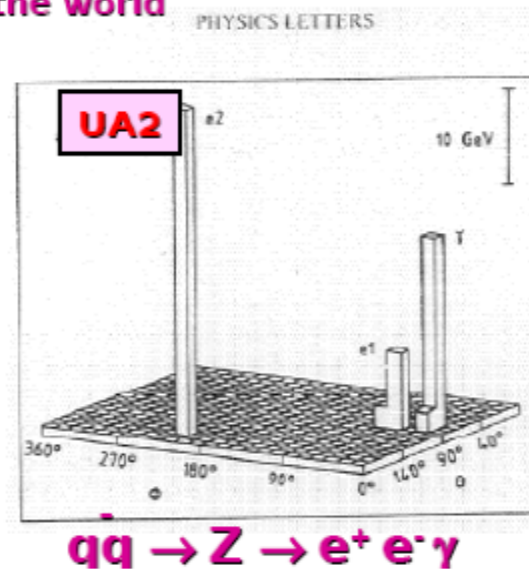


**1974:** Complete formulation of the standard model with  $SU(2)_W \times U(1)_Y$  (Iliopoulos)

**1981:** The CERN SpS becomes a proton-antiproton collider LEP and SLC are approved before W/Z boson discovery

**1983:** LEP and SLC construction starts W and Z discovery (UA1, UA2)

One of the first Z-bosons detected in the world



# A brief historical overview toward LHC

**1984:** Glimmerings of LHC and SSC

**1987:** First comparative studies of physics potential of hadron colliders (LHC/SSC) and  $e^+e^-$  linear colliders (CLIC)

**1989:** First collisions in LEP and SLC  
Precision tests of the SM and search for the Higgs boson begin in earnest  
R&D for LHC detectors begins

**1993:** Demise of the SSC

**1994:** LHC machine is approved  
(start in 2005)

**1995:** Discovery of the top quark at Fermilab by CDF (and D0)  
Precision tests of the SM and search for the Higgs boson continue at LEP2

Approval of ATLAS and CMS

**2000:** End of LEP running

**2001:** LHC schedule delayed by two more years

**2008:** LHC started but after few days of operating with single beam very serious accident

**2009:** Restarted back just before Xmass with 900 GeV collision

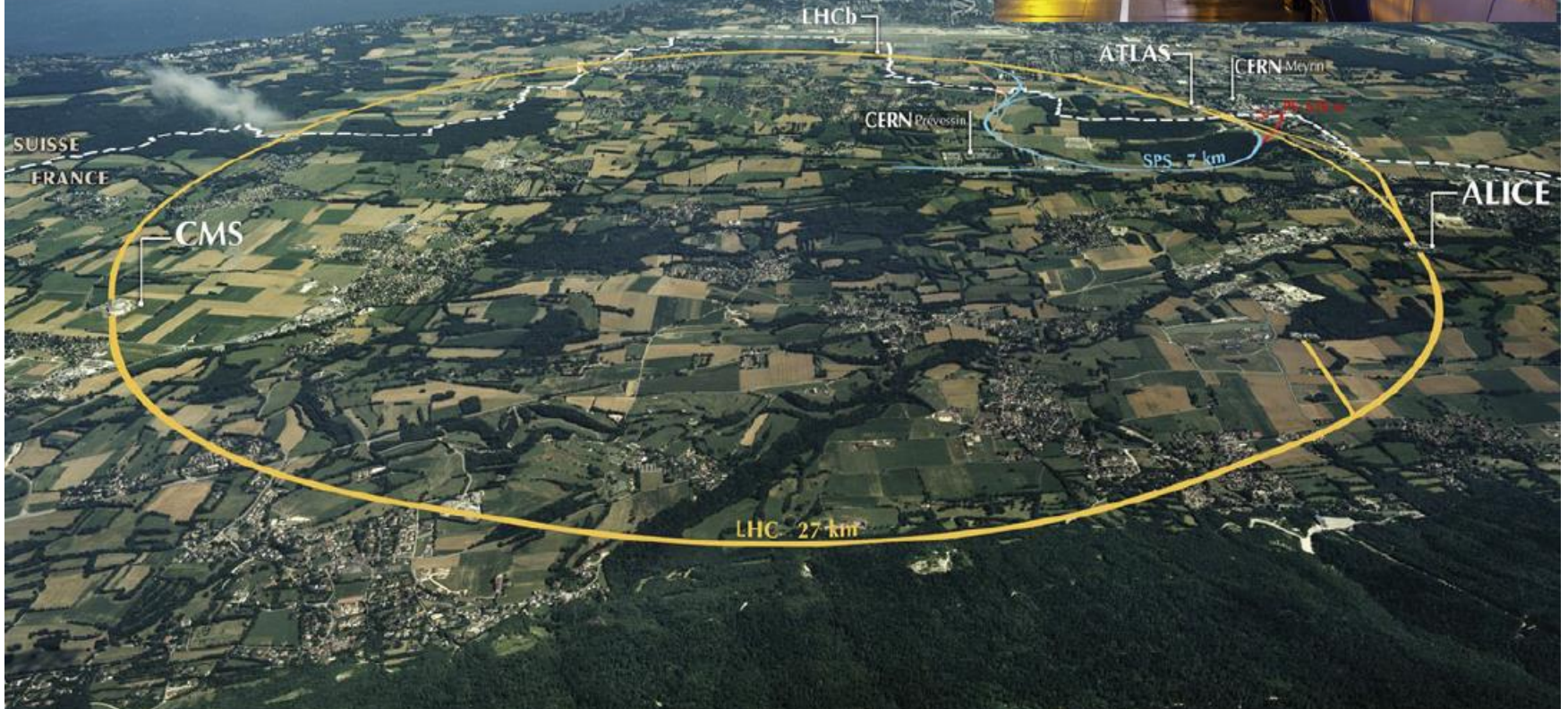
**2010:** Since March collecting data at 7 TeV pp collision.  
Time shared between machine commissioning and physics runs. About 10pb<sup>-1</sup> collected by each experiment as of today.

**2012-2014:** shut-down

**2015:** starting RunII at 13 TeV pp collision

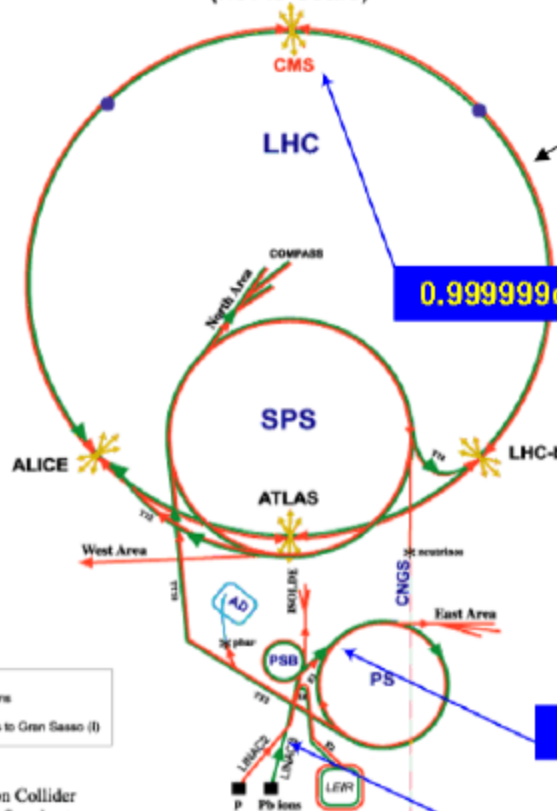
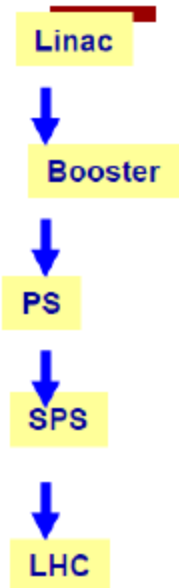
# LHC

pp collider (2008-present)  
 $\sqrt{s} = 7-14 \text{ GeV}$



# The full LHC accelerator complex

CERN Accelerators  
(not to scale)

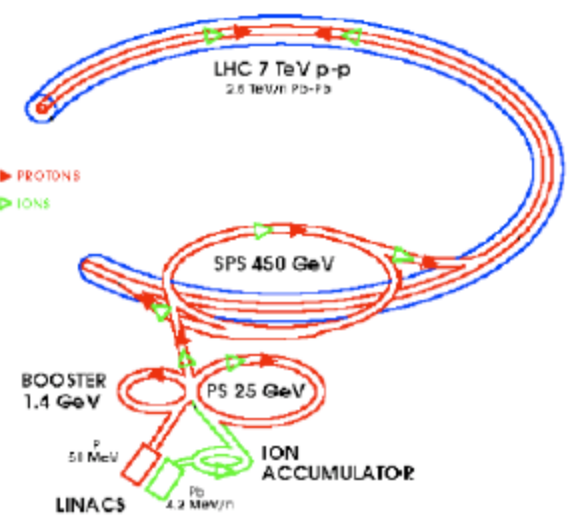


LHC ring is divided into 8 sectors

0.999999c by here

0.87c by here

0.3c by here



- protons
- antiprotons
- ions
- neutrinos to Gran Sasso (I)

LHC: Large Hadron Collider  
 SPS: Super Proton Synchrotron  
 AD: Antiproton Decelerator  
 ISOLDE: Isotope Separator OnLine DEvice  
 PSB: Proton Synchrotron Booster  
 PS: Proton Synchrotron  
 LINAC: LINear ACcelerator  
 LEIR: Low Energy Ion Ring  
 CNGS: Cern Neutrinos to Gran Sasso

Revised LEIR PS Division, CERN, 02/09/96  
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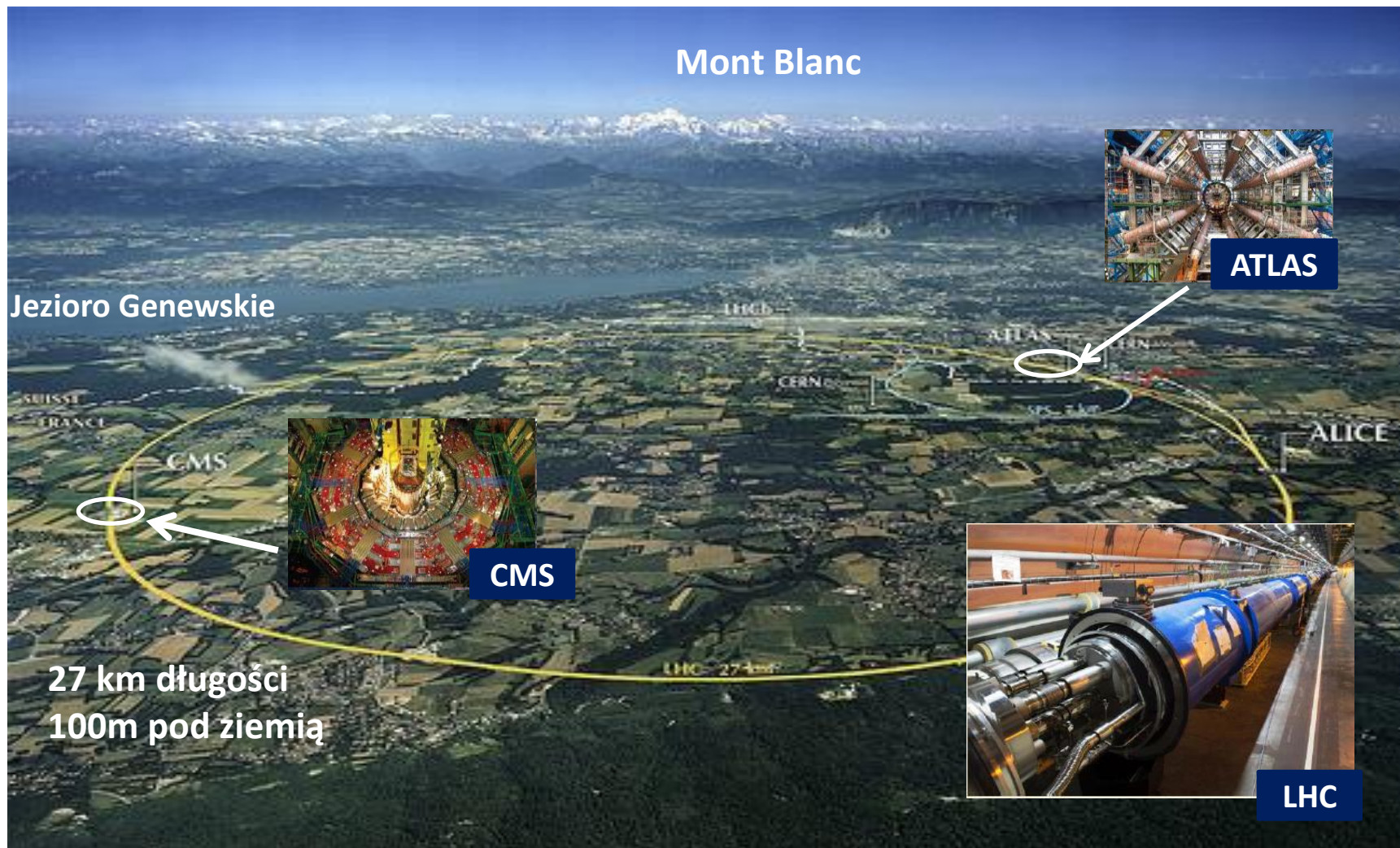
Start the protons out here

> 50 years of CERN history still alive and operational

# LHC: comparison to other colliders

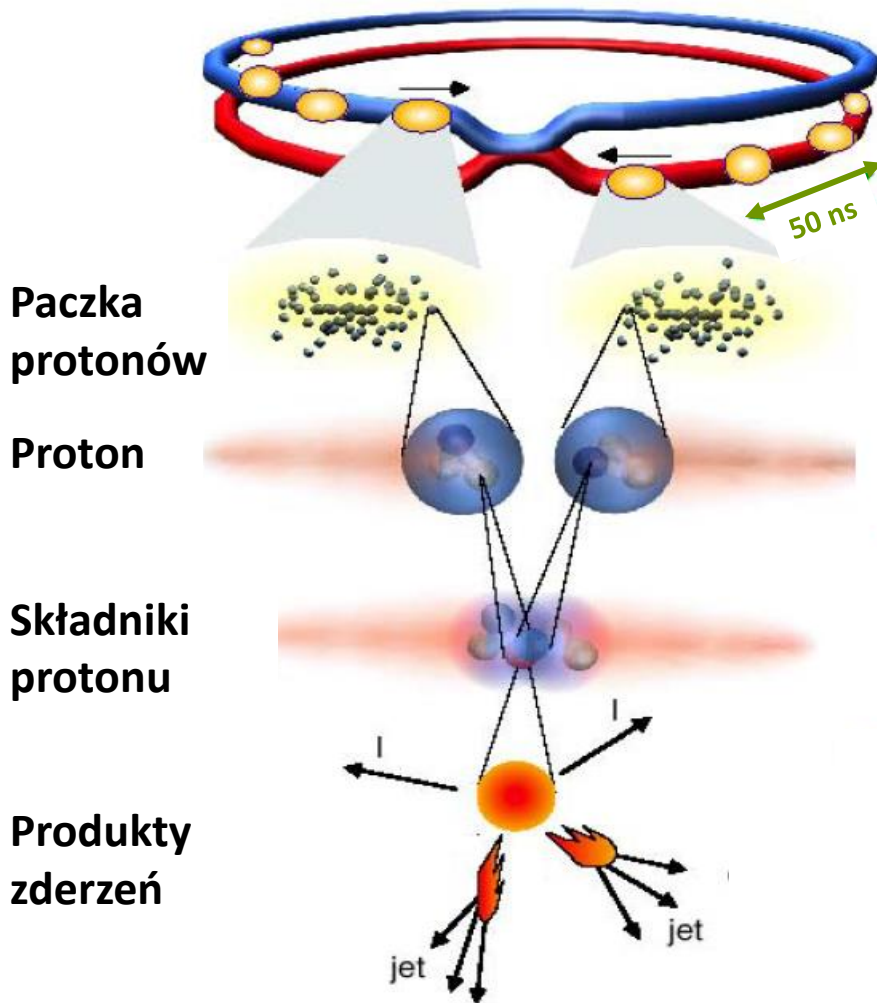
	Start	Type	Max proton energy [GeV]	Length [m]	B Field [Tesla]	Lumi [ $\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ ]	Stored beam energy [MJoule]
TEVATRON Fermilab Illinois USA	1983	p-pbar	980	6300	4.5	$4.3 \cdot 10^{32}$	1.6 for protons
HERA DESY Hamburg	1992	p – e+ p – e-	920	6300	5.5	$5.1 \cdot 10^{31}$	2.7 for protons
RHIC Brookhaven Long Island	2000	Ion-Ion p-p	250	3834	4.3	$1.5 \cdot 10^{32}$	0.9 per proton beam
LHC CERN	2008	Ion-Ion p-p	<b>7000</b> Now 4000	26800	8.3	$10^{34}$ Now $7.7 \times 10^{33}$	<b>362 per beam</b>
Factor			7	4	2	<b>50</b>	<b>100</b>

# LHC (Large Hadron Collider )





# Zderzenia wiązek proton-proton



**Proton-Proton**

Protonów/paczka

Energia wiązki

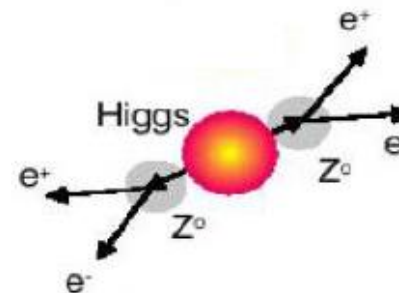
1380 paczek/wiązkę

$1.7 \cdot 10^{11}$

4 TeV

Każdy proton porusza się z prędkością bliską prędkości światła i niesie kinetyczną energię muchy w locie, okrąża pierścień akceleratora 1100 razy na sekundę.

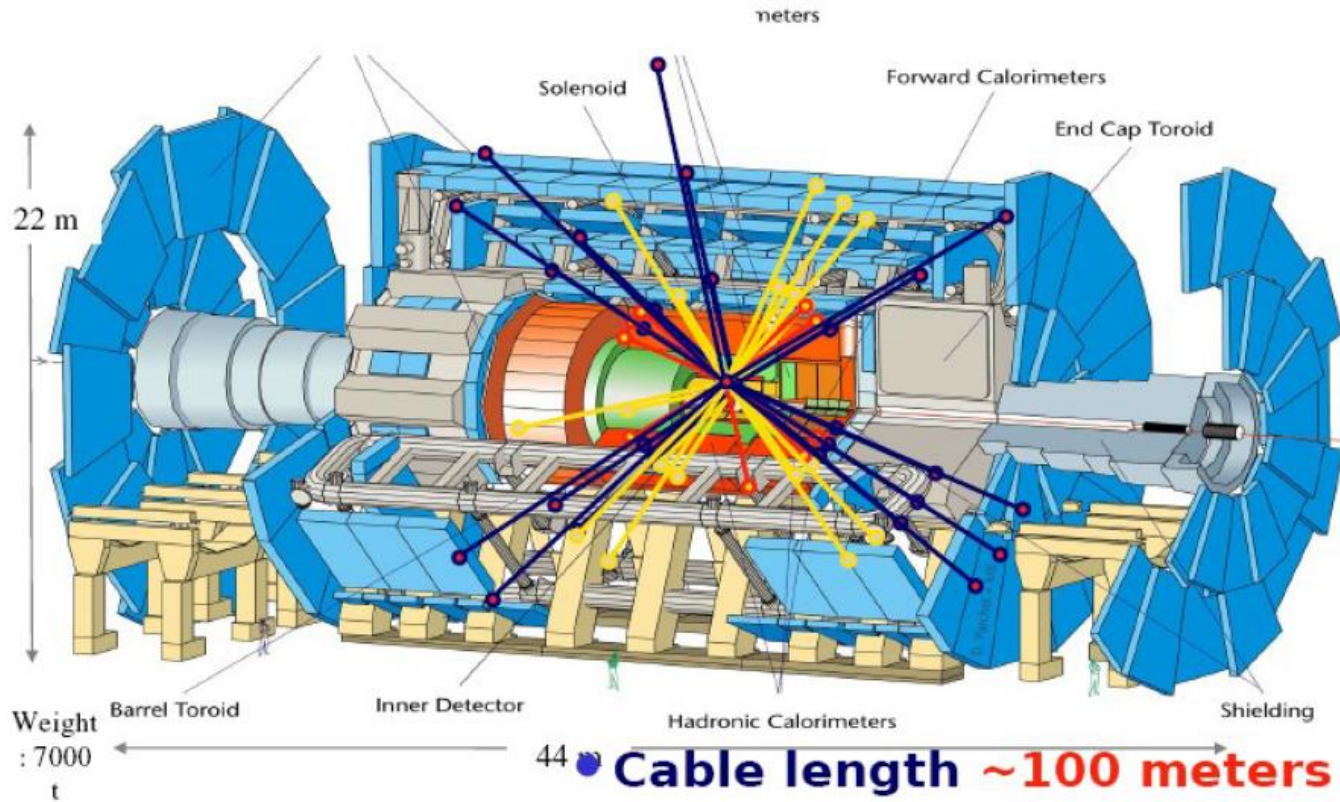
Rozmiar poprzeczny wiązki:  $16 \mu\text{m}$  (4 razy mniejszy niż grubość ludzkiego włosa).  
Każda z wiązek niesie energię pociągu TGV o dł. 200 m i jadącego z prędkością 155km/godz (360M Jula).



**Takie zdarzenie pojawia się raz na 10 bilionów zderzeń**

# ATLAS detector

- Interactions every **25 ns** ...
- In 25 ns particles travel **7.5 m**



• Cable length **~100 meters** ..

- In 25 ns signals travel **5 m**

# Detektor ATLAS i zespół badawczy



## Detektor ATLAS:

42m długości, 22 m średnicy; 3000 km kabli wyprowadzających sygnał; ponad  $10^8$  kanałów odczytu elektroniki; precyzja ustawienia elementów rzędu mikronów

## Zespół badawczy:

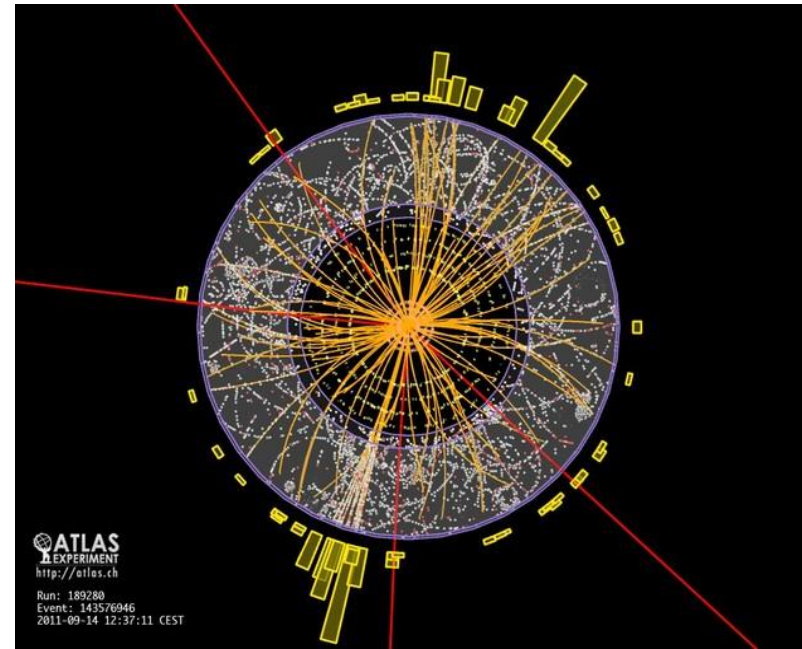
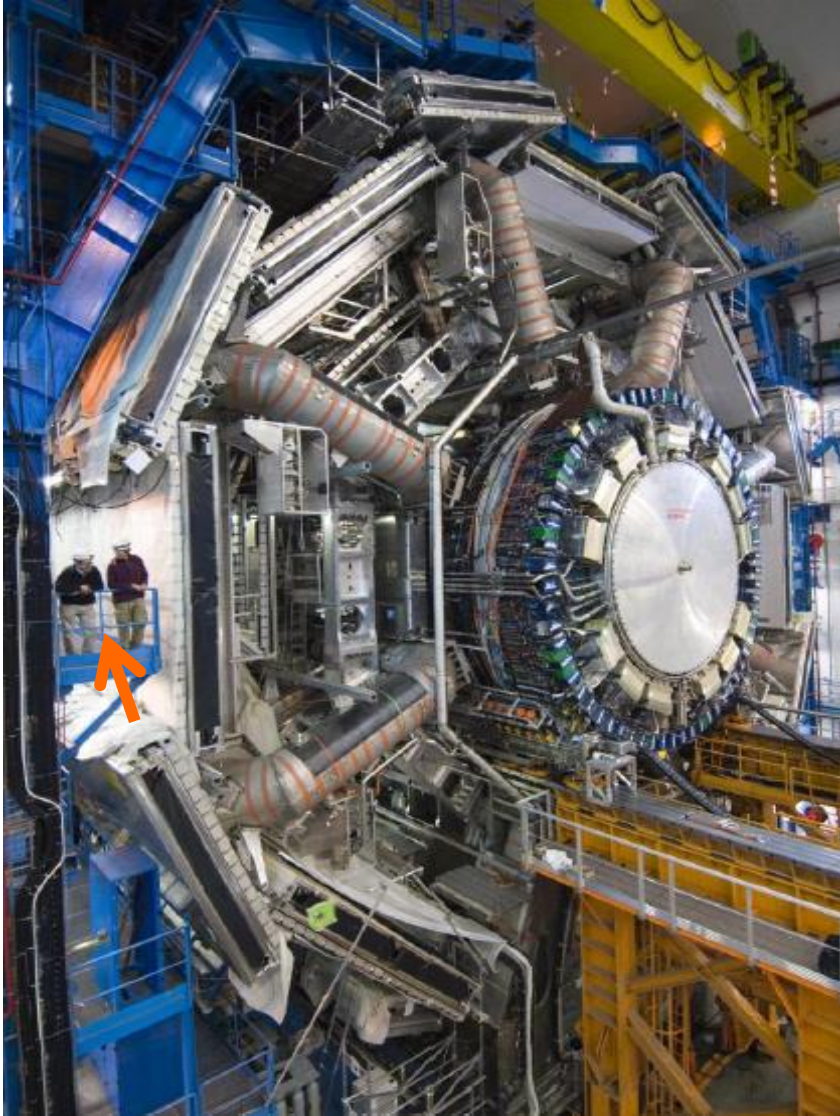
Ponad 3000 fizyków, inżynierów i techników, w tym ponad 1000 doktorantów;

178 instytucji z 38 krajów;

Zespoły polskie:

IFJ-PAN, AGH i Instytut Fizyki UJ

# Detektor ATLAS

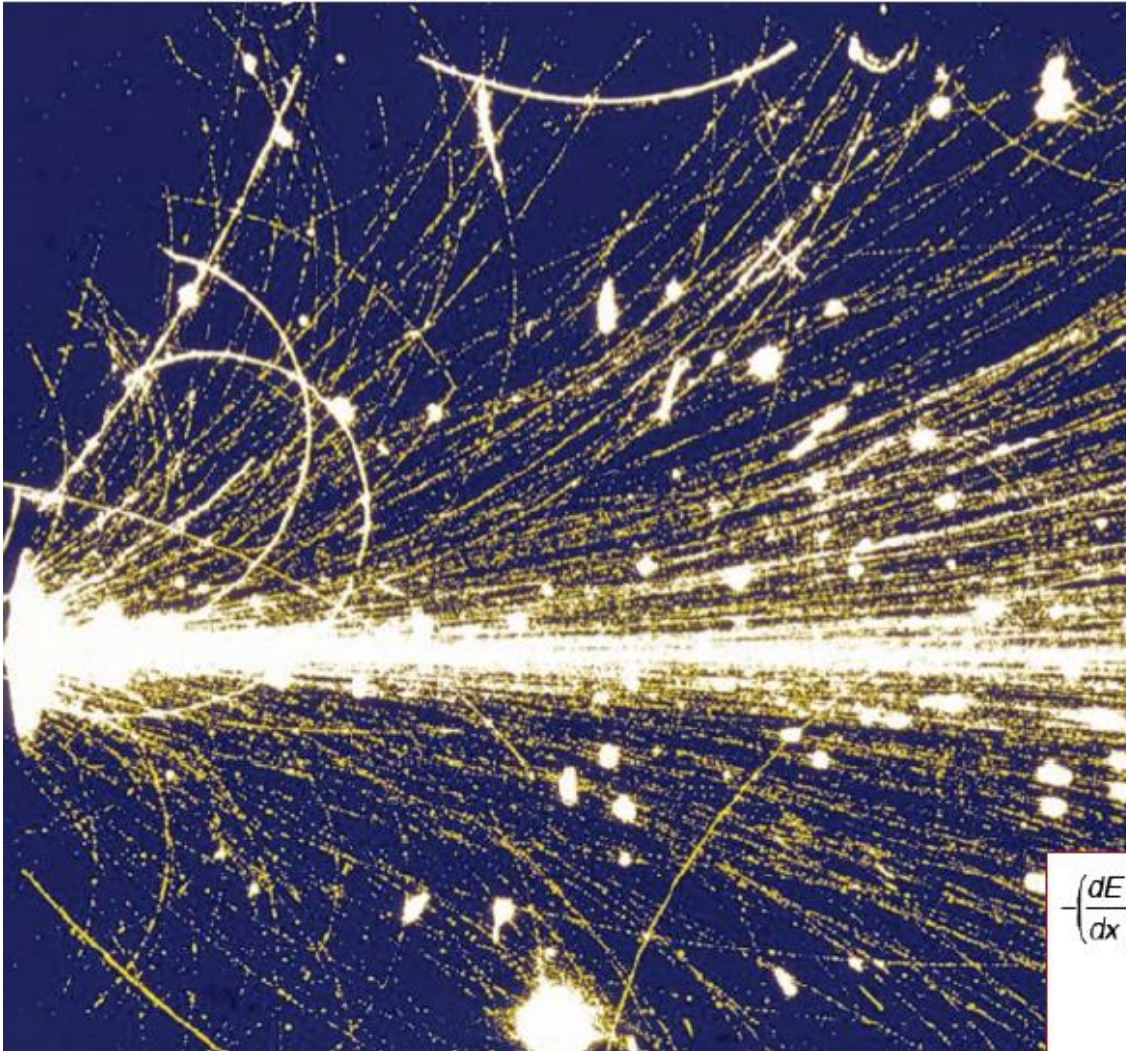


## Analiza zarejestrowanych zderzeń:

W ciągu 3 lat każdy eksperyment zarejestrował na dyskach ponad 5 miliardów interesujących zderzeń = 20 Petabyte danych.

Gdyby zapisać je na płytkach CD to powstałby stos o wysokości 20 km.

# Particle detection



Particles can be “seen” as the result of an **interaction with matter** (detector)

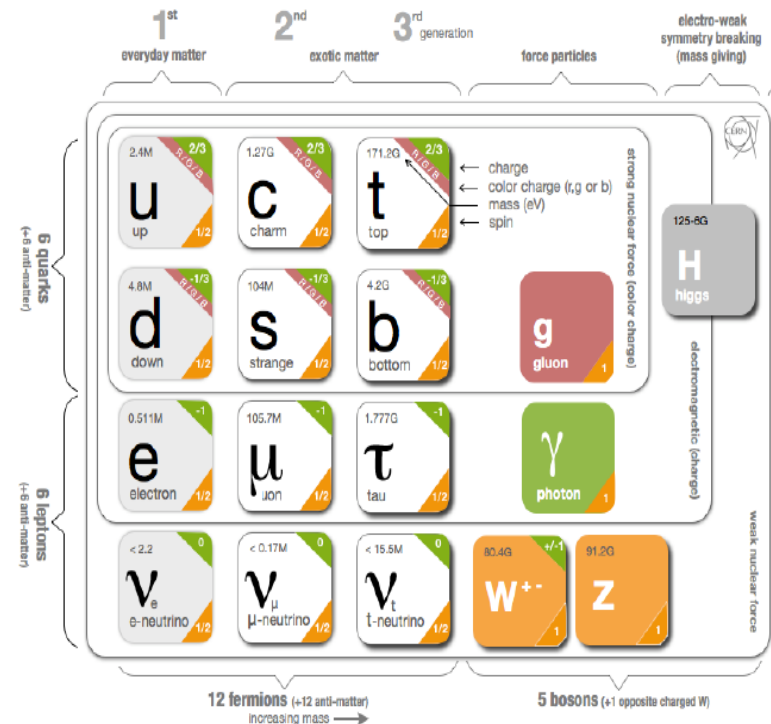
In the end, everything is converted to:

- optical pictures
- voltage/current signals

$$-\left(\frac{dE}{dx}\right)_{\text{tot}} = -\left(\frac{dE}{dx}\right)_{\text{coll}} - \left(\frac{dE}{dx}\right)_{\text{rad}} - \left(\frac{dE}{dx}\right)_{\text{pair}} - \left(\frac{dE}{dx}\right)_{\text{photonucl}} \\ - \left(\frac{dE}{dx}\right)_{\text{photoeff}} - \left(\frac{dE}{dx}\right)_{\text{compton}} - \left(\frac{dE}{dx}\right)_{\text{hadron}}$$

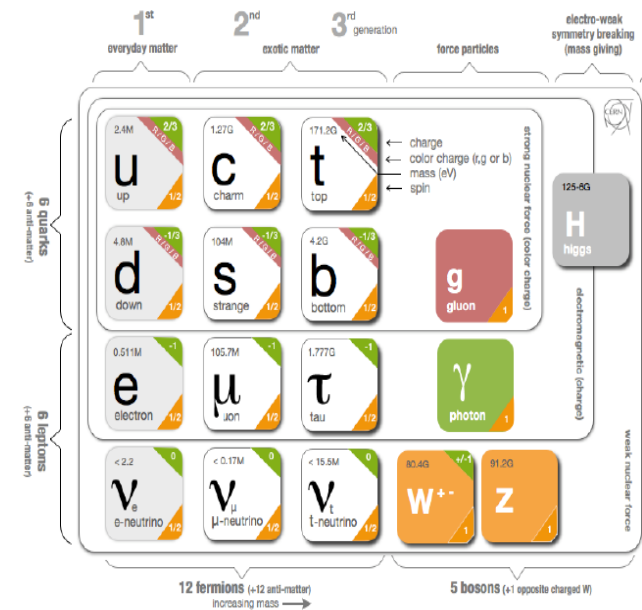
# What can we detect?

- Directly observable particles must:
  - Undergo strong or EM interactions
  - Be sufficiently long-lived to pass the detectors
- We can **directly** observe:
  - Electrons, muons, photons
  - Neutral or charged hadrons
  - Pions, protons, kaons, neutrons,...
  - analyses treat jets from quark hadronization collectively as single objects
  - Use displaced secondary vertices to identify jets originating from b-quarks
- We can **indirectly** observe long lived weakly interacting particles (e.g. neutrinos) through **missing transverse energy**



# What can we detect?

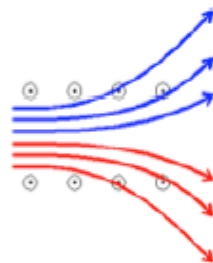
- Short-lived particles decay to long-lived ones
- We can only 'see' the end products of the reaction, but not the reaction itself
- In order to reconstruct the production/decay mechanism and the properties of the involved particles, we want the maximum information



# Particle properties?

Which properties do we want to measure?

- Energy (calorimeter)
- Momentum (tracking)
- Charge (tracking)
  - Direction, bending in magnetic field
- Life-time (tracking)
- Mass:



$$\vec{p} = \left. \begin{array}{c} E \\ p_1 \\ p_2 \\ p_3 \end{array} \right\} \left( \begin{array}{c} E \\ \vec{p} \end{array} \right)$$

$$F = q \cdot v \cdot B = m \cdot \frac{v^2}{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow q \cdot B \cdot R = m \cdot v = |\vec{p}|$$

$$E^2 = m^2 \cdot c^4 + \vec{p}^2 c^2 \Rightarrow m = \frac{\sqrt{E^2 - \vec{p}^2 c^2}}{c^2}$$

- Spin and parity



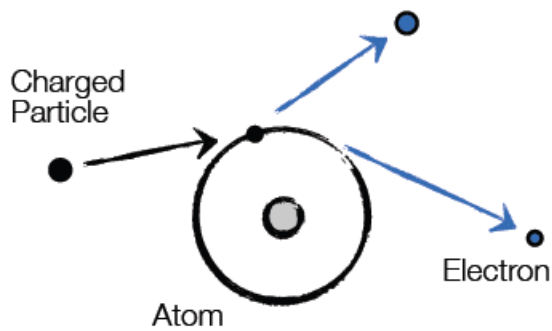
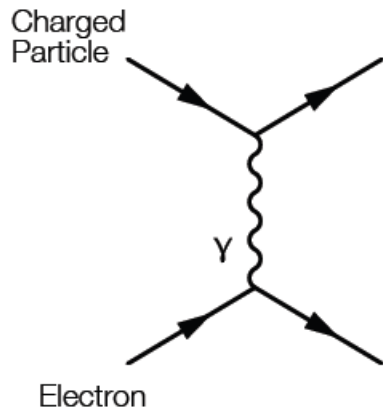
# How we can detect particles

- In order to detect a particle, it must:
  - ✓ interact with the material of the detector
  - ✓ transfer energy in some recognizable fashion (signal)
- Detection of particles happens via their energy loss in the material they traverses

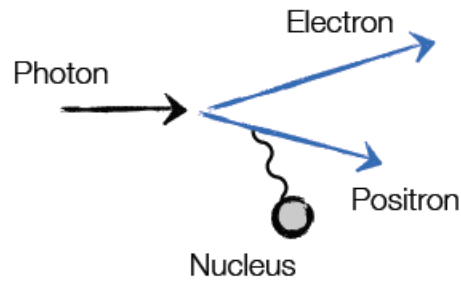
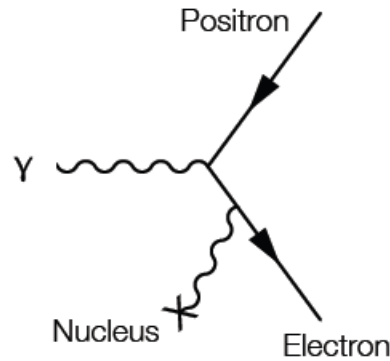
Charged particles	Ionization, Bremsstrahlung, Cherenkov, ...	multiple interactions
Photons	Photo/Compton effect, pair production	single interactions...
Hadrons	Nuclear interactions	multiple interactions
Neutrinos	Weak interactions	

# Examples of particles interactions

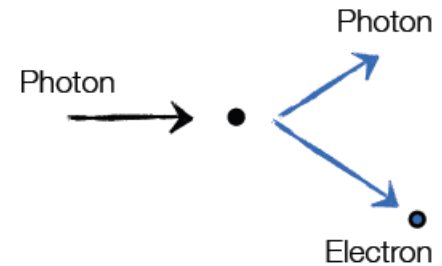
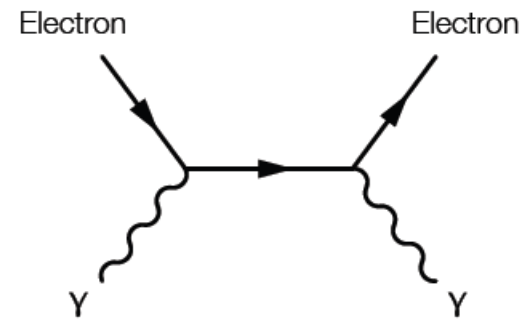
Ionization:



Pair production:

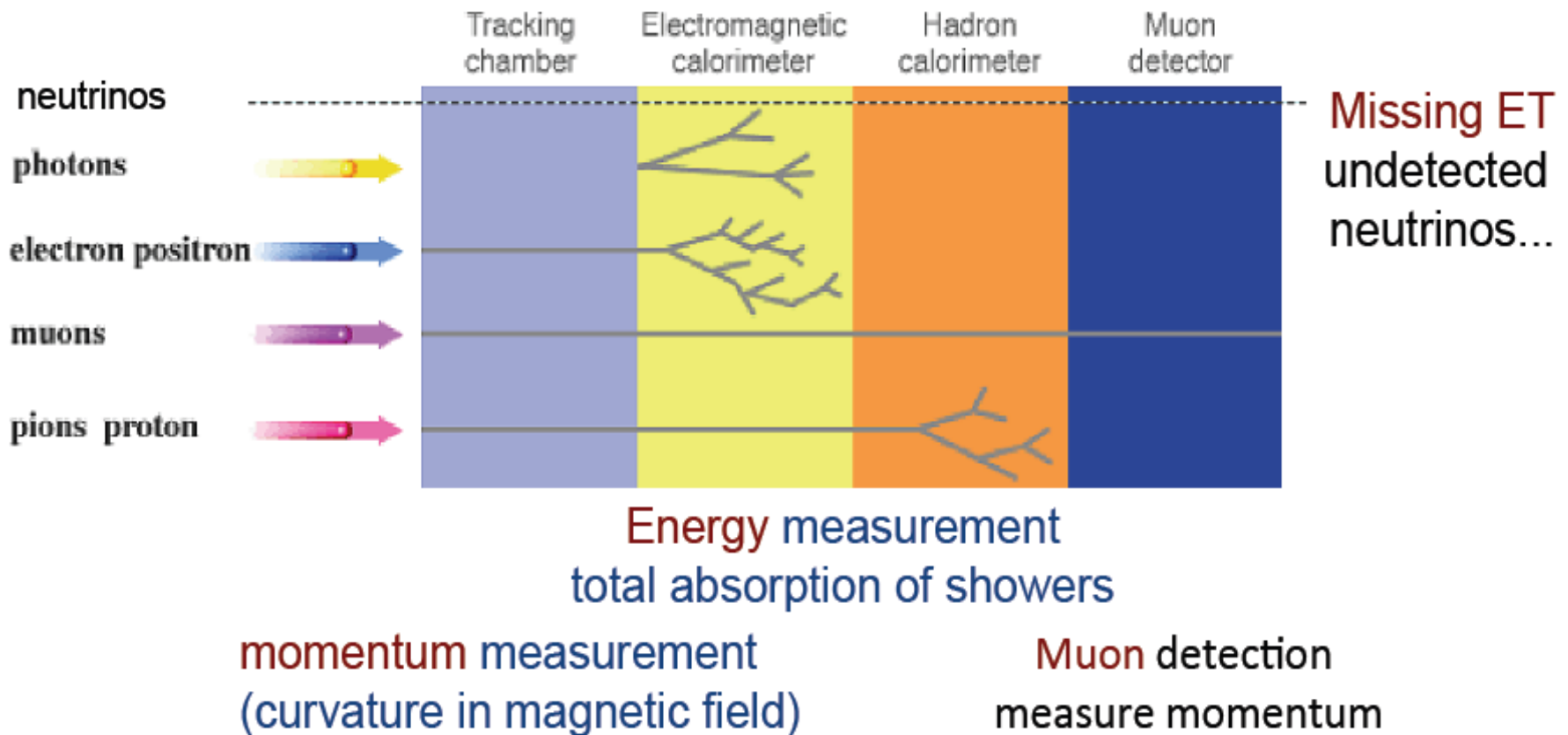


Compton scattering:



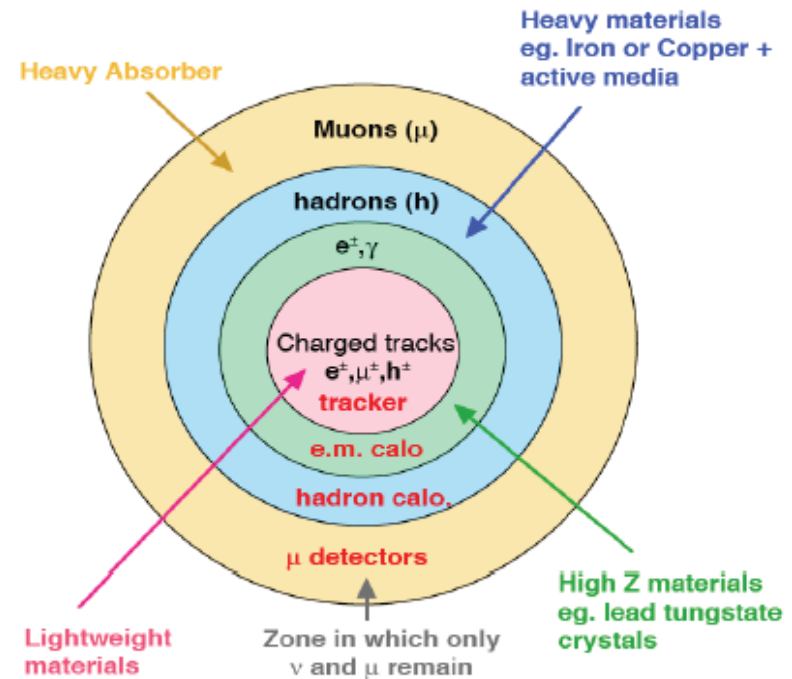
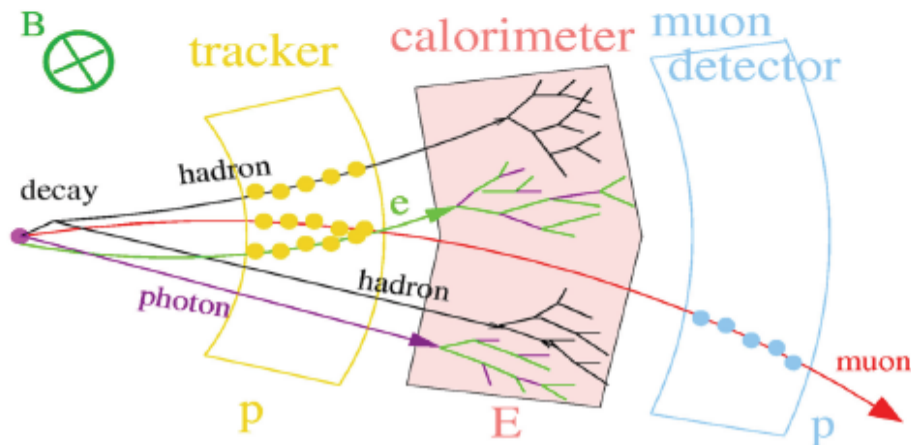
# Passage of particles

- “Onion”-like structure
- Each layer measures  $E$  and/or  $p$  of particles
- Redundancy of measurements

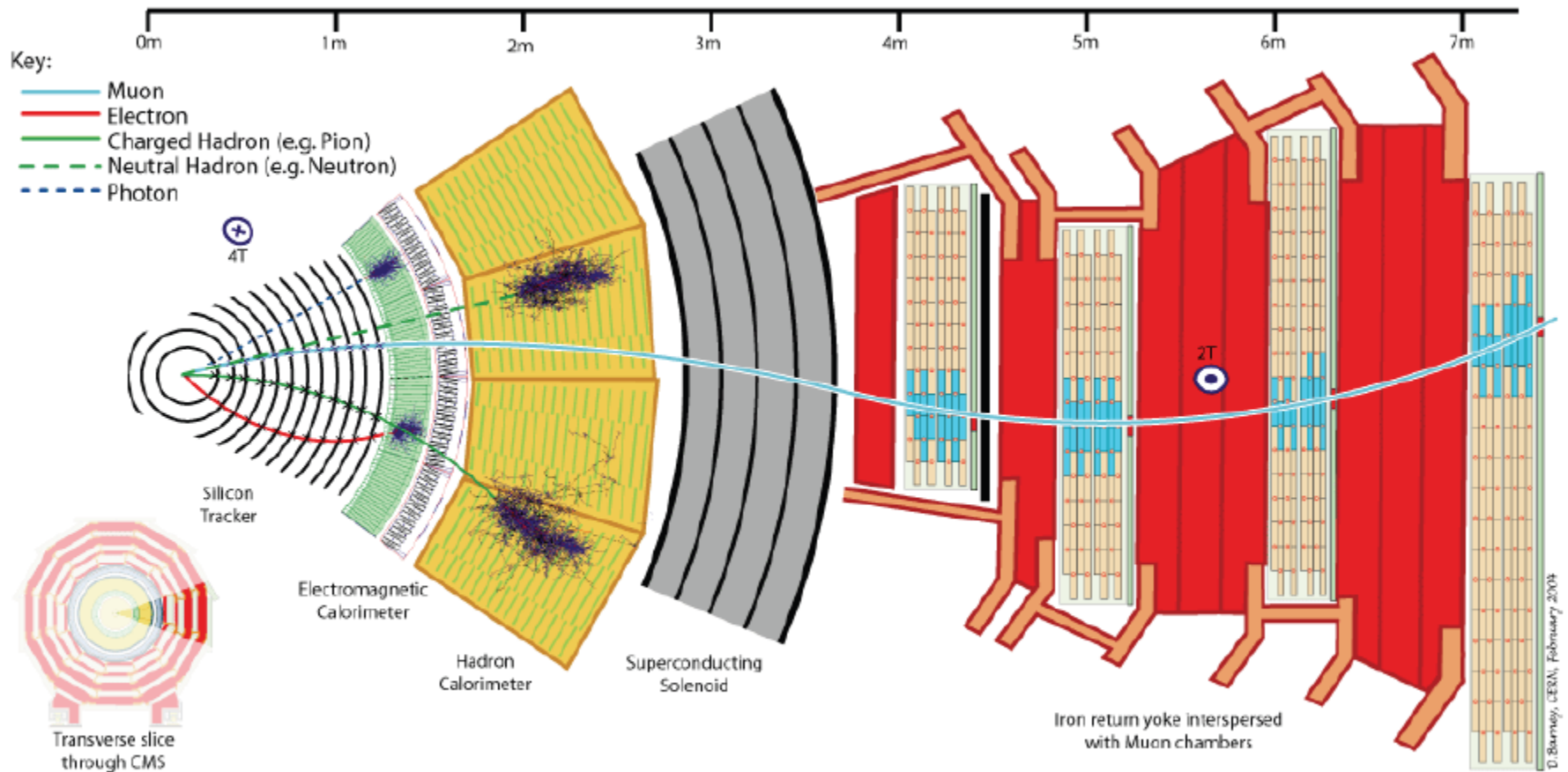


# Detector layers

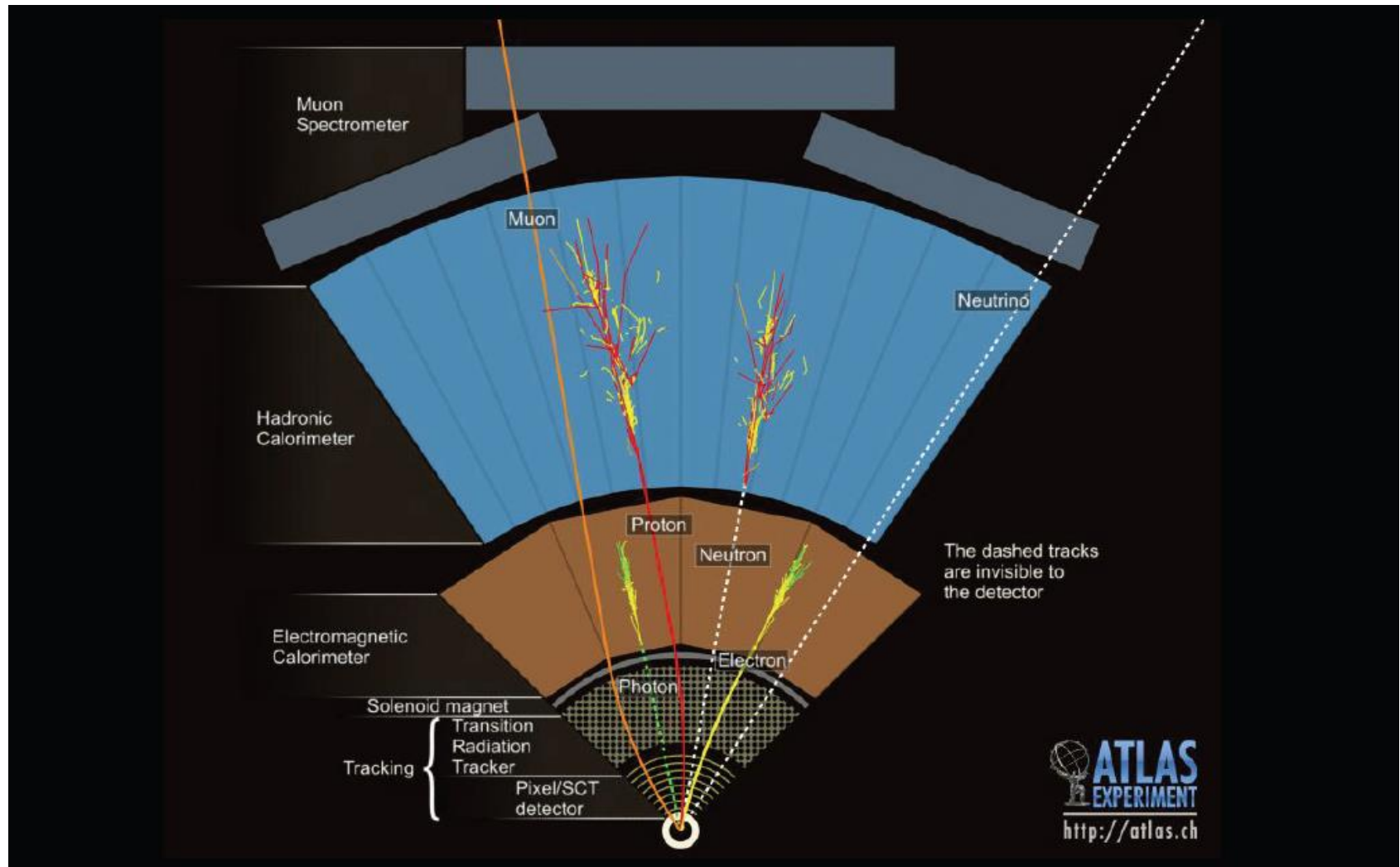
- Inner tracking
  - Measure charged particle (momentum)
- Magnetic field:
  - Measure momentum
- Calorimeters
  - Measure energy of all particles
- Outer tracking
  - Measure muons



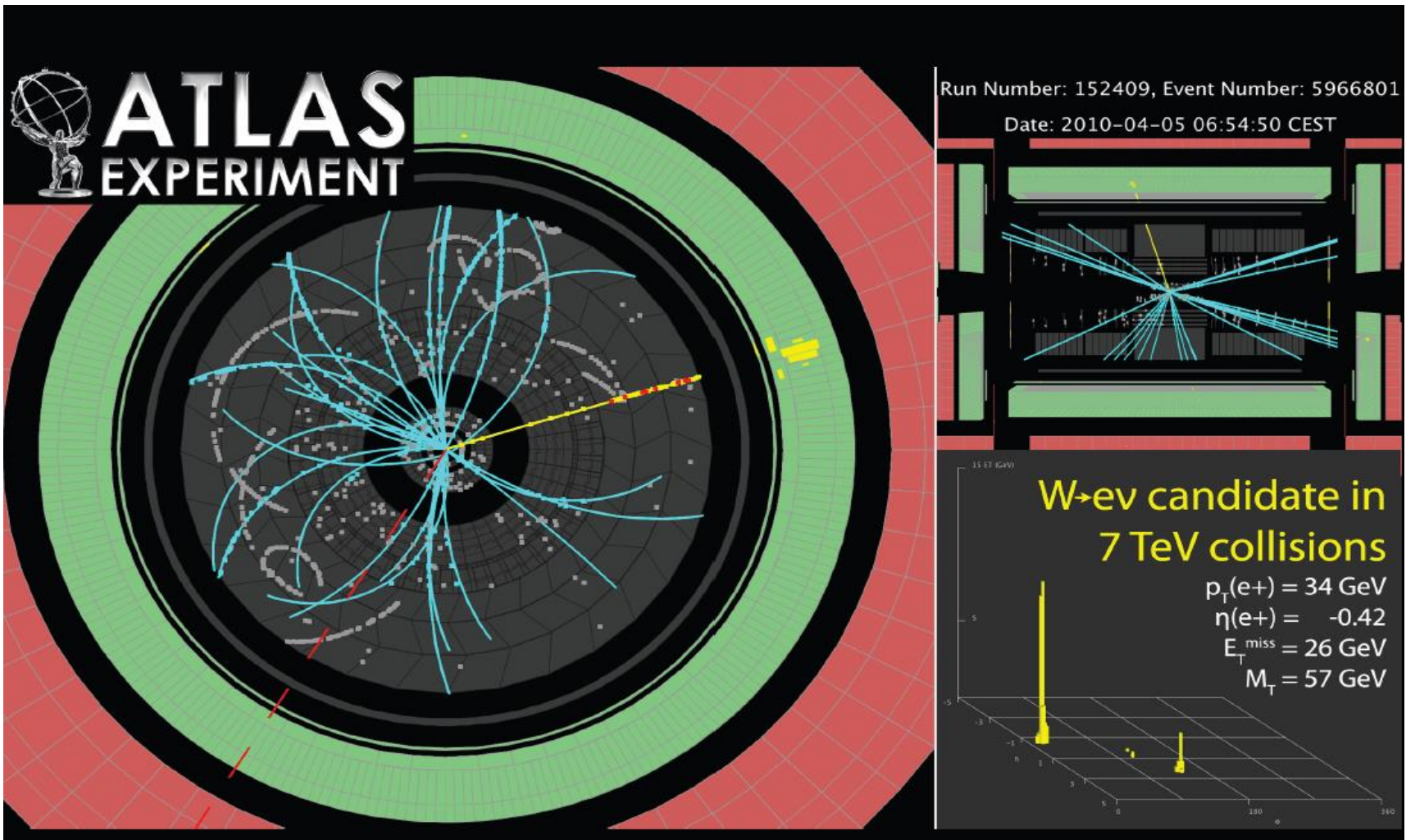
# CMS experiment



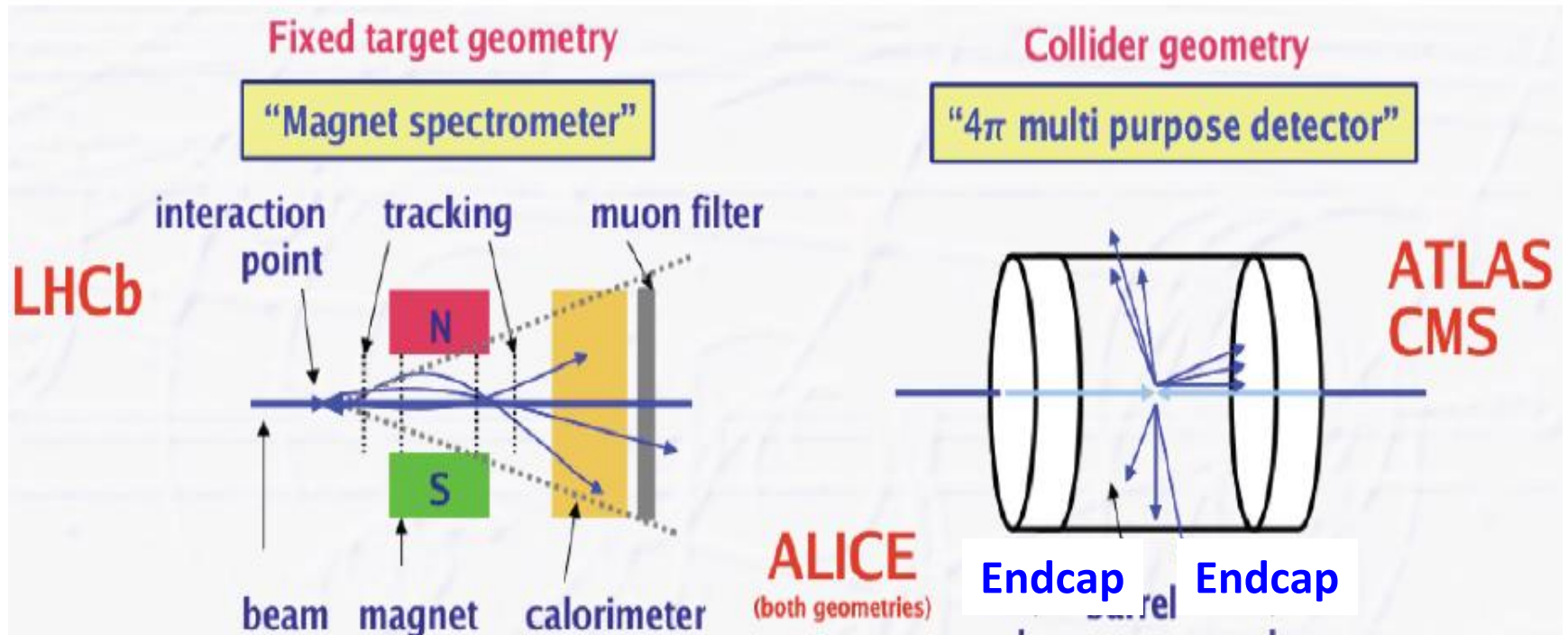
# ATLAS experiment



# Event display

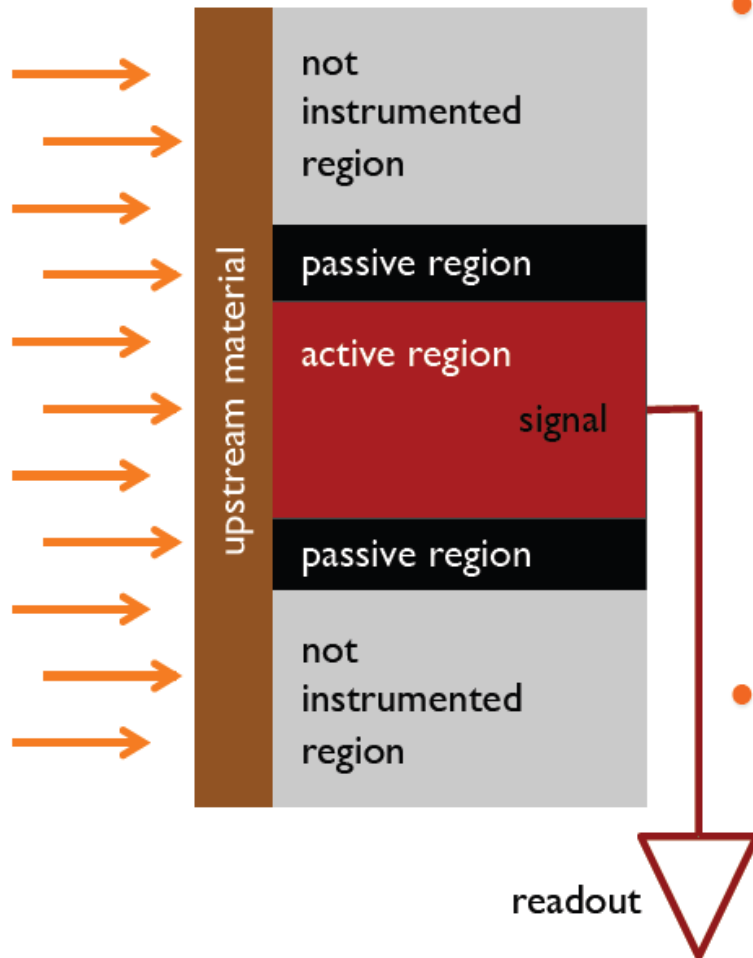


# Fixed target vs Collider





# Detectors are imperfect



- **Detection efficiency**

$$\varepsilon = \frac{N_{\text{detected}}}{N_{\text{incident}}} = M \cdot R \cdot D$$

- ✓ **M = P(entering active region)**

- Upstream material, entrance windows, ...

- ✓ **R = P(generating signal)**

- Interaction cross sections, response, fluctuations, ...

- ✓ **D = P(signal gets registered)**

- Readout properties, thresholds, ...

- **Acceptance**

- ✓ **Instrumented/reactive region of the phase space (e.g. pseudorapidity, azimuthal angle, but also energy/momentum)**

- dynamic range

# Detectors are imperfect

- **Dead Time**

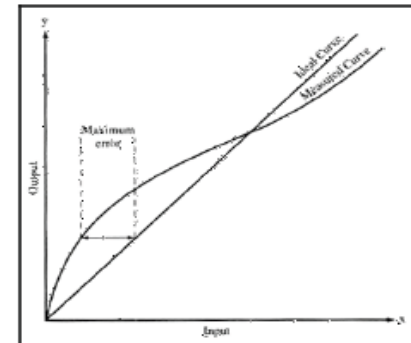
- ✓ Delay between particle entrance in detector and signal acquisition, in which the detector is rendered inactive (detector + readout)
- ✓ Dead time efficiency

$$\varepsilon(T_d) = \frac{1}{N_{\text{detected}} T_d + 1}$$

- **Trigger**

- ✓ Detector cannot acquire signals continuously...

- **Response linearity**



- **Response resolution**

