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Every epoch, starting from ancient times, had some fundamental(ist)) "understanding" of the Universe – other ideas were coined as heres, heretics were ignored, some even killed

First Standard Model was based on flat Earth carried on shoulders by three elephants ...

The idea of round Earth was not sustainable: the antipodes would fall down

The Earth was at rest, sun and planets moving around it ...

The idea of moving Earth was not sustainable – there had to be ever blowing wind

Matter was built of continuous media ... four elements: Earth, Water, Air, Fire

Someone courageously hypothesised existence of atoms ...





Some Beautiful Minds advanced the understanding of Cosmo and Microcosm

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with some epochal discoveries after 30's of XIX \dots

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 $\left(\beta wc^2 + \sum_{k=1}^{3} \alpha_k p_k e\right) \psi(\mathbf{x}, t) = i\hbar \frac{\partial \psi(\mathbf{x}, t)}{\partial t}$





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CP Violation, 1964







Dark matter , 1932-33

Parity Violation, 1956-57

Neutron, 1932-33

Anti-matter, 1931-32













...and a prophetic idea on the origin of matter

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Matter (Baryon asymmetry) in the early universe can be originated (from zero) by processes that

- Violate B (better B L)
- Violate CP
- and go out-of-equilibrium at some early epoch

$$\sigma(B_+B_+ \to B_-B_-)/\sigma(B_-B_- \to B_+B_+) = 1 - \epsilon$$

 $\epsilon \sim 10^{-9}$: for every $N \sim 10^9$ processes one unit of B_+
is left in the universe after the process is frozen



I want to pose a question in this way:

Can the issues of the neutron, antimatter, dark matter, parity, CP-violation, baryon violation and some other problems of Standard Model have a common unified origin?



Finally came the Standard Model of all particles and interactions

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Fermions (= matter): quarks and leptons, 3 generations

Bosons (= interactions): gauge fields + God's particle - Higgs



Standard Model: $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$

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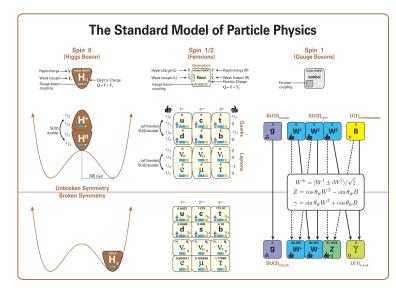
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Standard Model vs. P, C, T and B & L

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Fermions:

$$q_L = \begin{pmatrix} u_L \\ d_L \end{pmatrix}, \quad I_L = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_L \\ e_L \end{pmatrix}; \qquad u_R, \quad d_R, \quad e_R$$

$$B=1/3 \qquad L=1 \qquad B=1/3 \qquad L=1$$

Anti-Fermions:

$$ar{q}_R = \left(egin{array}{c} ar{u}_R \\ ar{d}_R \end{array}
ight), \quad ar{l}_R = \left(egin{array}{c} ar{
u}_R \\ ar{e}_R \end{array}
ight); \qquad ar{u}_L, \ ar{d}_L, \quad ar{e}_L \\ B=-1/3 \qquad \qquad L=-1 \qquad \qquad B=-1/3 \qquad L=-1 \end{array}$$



$$\mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{SM}} = \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{Gauge}} + \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{Higgs}} + \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{Yuk}} \qquad \text{CPT is OK (Local Lagrangian)}$$

$$P\left(\Psi_L \to \Psi_R\right)$$
 & $C\left(\Psi_L \to \bar{\Psi}_L\right)$ broken by gauge interactions $CP\left(\Psi_L \to \bar{\Psi}_R\right)$ broken by complex Yukawas $Y = Y_{ii}^{u,d,e}$

$$(\bar{u}_L Y_u q_L \bar{\phi} + \bar{d}_L Y_d q_L \phi + \bar{e}_L Y_e I_L \phi) + (u_R Y_u^* \bar{q}_R \phi + d_R Y_d^* \bar{q}_R \bar{\phi} + e_R Y_e^* \bar{I}_R \bar{\phi})$$

There are no renormalizable interactions which can break B and L ! Good for our stability, Bad for baryogenesis



Standard Model and Problems

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• Family problems: Why 3 fermion families? Why hierarchy of fermion masses and CKM mixing? CP-violation?

• Strong CP-problem: Where ends up beautiful effect of CP-violation due to term $\theta G_{\mu\nu} \tilde{G}^{\mu\nu}$ in non-perturbative QCD vacuum $\theta \sim 1$ expected vs. $\theta < 10^{-10}$ – exp. DEMON (EDM of neutron)

- Neutrino masses: Why they are so small? (and why they have large mixing?)
- Lepton and Baryon numbers: why and how are violated ? (deep connection to the origin of matter in the Universe)
- Dark matter: from where it comes ? can it be detectable ? (can it have interactions to normal matter or self-interactions ? Is it just one particle or multi-component ?
- Scalar fields in cosmology: Inflaton? Quintessence?

 Dark energy: just cosmological constant or something time-variable?

 (related: can be then also fundamental constants time variable?)



Baryogenesis requires new physics:

B & L can be violated only in higher order (non-renormalizable) terms

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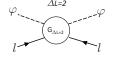
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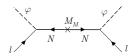
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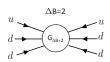
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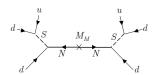
• $\frac{1}{M}(I\bar{\phi})(I\bar{\phi})$ ($\Delta L=2$) – neutrino (seesaw) masses $m_{\nu}\sim v^2/M$





• $\frac{1}{M^5}(udd)(udd)$ ($\Delta B=2$) – neutron-antineutron oscillation $n \to \bar{n}$





can originate from new physics related to scale $M\gg v_{\rm EW}$ via seesaw



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In 1933 Zwicky has hypothesised existence of dark matter in galaxies and in the universe ... applied virial theorem to Coma Cluster



Later this was confirmed by several independent experimental Hints:

- Rotation Curves
- Clusters of Galaxies
- CMB and LSS
- Supernovae 1a
- Gravitational Lensing





Galactic rotation velocities

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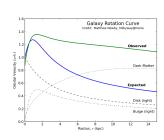
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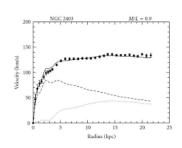
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In disc galaxies (differential) rotation velocities, as a function of the distance from the center, indicate flat behaviour $v \simeq \text{Const.}$ instead of Keplerian Fall ($v \propto r^{-1/2}$)

Grav. force = Centr. force
$$m \frac{v^2}{r} = m \frac{GM(r)}{r^2} \rightarrow v \simeq \sqrt{GM(r)/r}$$

Instead flat rotational curves were observed





Precision Cosmology CMB, LSS, lensing

WMAP and Planck measurements of CMB anisotropies

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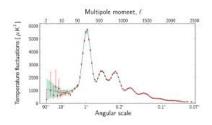
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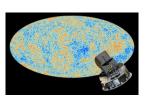
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 $\Omega_M = \Omega_B + \Omega_D \simeq 0.31$



$$\theta_* = (1.0415 \pm 0.0006) \times 10^{-2}$$
 $H_0 = (67.3 \pm 0.6) \text{ km/s} \cdot \text{Mpc}^{-1}$, inflation $n_s = 0.960 \pm 0.005$
 $\Omega_B = 0.0487 \pm 0.0006$, $\Omega_D = 0.2647 \pm 0.0060$ $\Omega_{\text{tot}} \approx 1$

It became clear that dark matter is not built of baryons!
... but its identity remains unknown ...

 $\Omega_{\Lambda} \approx 0.69$



Dark matter requires new physics

Standard Model has no candidate for dark matter

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massive neutrino (~ 20 eV) was a natural "standard" candidate of "hot" dark matter (HDM) forming cosmological structures (Pencakes) – but it was excluded by astrophysical observations in 80's, and later on by the neutrino experiments! – RIP

In about the same period the BBN limits excluded dark matter in the form of invisible baryons (dim stars, etc.) – RIP

Then a new *Strada Maestra* was opened – *SUSY* – well-motivated theoretical concept promising to be a highway for solving many fundamental problems, brought a natural and *almost "Standard"* candidate

Another well-motivated candidate, <u>Axion</u>, emerged from Peccei-Quinn symmetry for solving strong CP problem

All other candidates in the literature are ad hoc!

Apart one exception – parallel hidden sector ... may answer to tantalizing question: do baryogenesis and dark matter require two different new physics, or just one can be enough?

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Supersymmetry:

symmetry between fermions and bosons

– extension of the Poincare symmetry:

space
$$(x_{\mu}) \rightarrow \text{superspace } (x_{\mu}, \theta_{\alpha}, \bar{\theta}_{\dot{\alpha}}),$$
 fields $\Phi(x) \rightarrow \text{superfields } \Phi(x, \theta, \bar{\theta})$

spontaneously (softly) broken at weak scale

- medicine for the Higgs health (origin of the weak scale)
- + gauge coupling unification etc.



SUSY and R-parity

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$$SM \to MSSM$$
: fields \to superfields: $V = (g, \tilde{g}), \quad Q = (q, \tilde{q}) \dots$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{SUSY}} = \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{gauge}} + \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{matter}} = \int d^2\theta G^2 + \int d^4\theta \Phi^{\dagger} e^{V} \Phi + \int d^2\theta W_{\mathrm{matter}}$$

$$W_{\text{matter}} = QU^cH_2 + QD^cH_1 + LE^cH_1 + \mu H_1H_2$$
$$\sim \mathcal{L}_{\text{Yuk}} + \mu^2 H^{\dagger}H \text{ in SM}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{SSB}} = \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{gaugino}}^{\mathrm{mass}} + \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{scalars}}^{\mathrm{mass}} + \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{scalars}}^{\mathrm{trilinear}} =$$

$$\int d^{2} \eta \theta G^{2} + \int d^{4} \theta \eta \bar{\eta} \Phi^{\dagger} e^{V} \Phi + \int \eta d^{2} \theta W_{\mathrm{matter}}$$

All superpartners get masses $M_S\sim 1$ TeV, from $\eta=M_S\theta^2$ but μ -problem: why $\mu\sim M_S$?

....
$$W_{\text{R-viol}} = QD^cL + U^cD^cD^c + E^cLL + \mu'LH_2$$

problems for proton stability

$$R=(-1)^{3B+L+2s}$$
 (+ for SM particles, $-$ for superpartners) or matter parity Z_2 : $F o -F$, $H o H$

makes lightest SUSY partner (LSP) stable !



SUSY + GUT = LOVE

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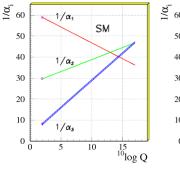
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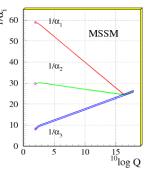
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• GUT: $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1) \rightarrow SU(5)$

Unification of the Coupling Constants in the SM and the minimal MSSM





Hierarchy (and doublet-triplet splitting) problems – 28 orders – between $M_{\rm Higgs}^2 \sim (100~{\rm GeV})^2$ and $M_{GUT}^2 \sim (10^{16}~{\rm GeV})^2$



Proton decay in SU(5) o SU(3) imes SU(2) imes U(1)

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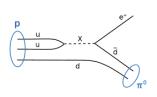
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Proton decay: $p \to \pi^0 e^+$, $p \to K^+ \nu$ etc.

- gauge mediated D=6: new gauge bosons X,Y violating baryon and lepton numbers $-\frac{1}{M_{\nu}^2}\bar{q}\gamma_{\mu}\tilde{u}\bar{l}\gamma^{\mu}\tilde{d}$, etc.
 - Higgs mediated D=6: color scalar triplets (leptoquarks) T, brothers of SM Higgs doublet ϕ , $-\frac{1}{M_{\pi}^2}qqql$, etc.
- Higgsino mediated (D=5): fermion superpartners of T, $-\frac{1}{M_T}qq\tilde{q}\tilde{l}$





proton stability limits $au_{
m p}>10^{34}$ yr require $M_X,M_T>10^{16}$ GeV.

D-T splitting: $m_\phi \sim 100 \; {
m GeV}$, $M_T > 10^{16} \; {
m GeV} - 14 \; {
m orders!}$

N.B. this B-violation not good for baryogenesis in the universe



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The neutron lifetime enigm SUSY can provide *technical solution* to the D-T splitting in SU(5) but Fine Tuning is unavoidable

Good solution (GIFT) with larger symmetry:

$$SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1) \rightarrow SU(5) \rightarrow SU(6) \quad (SU(6) \rightarrow E_6 ?)$$

Pseudo-Goldstone mechanism: gauge SU(6) breaking in 2 channels

 $SU(6) \rightarrow SU(5)$: fundamental reps $H, \bar{H} \sim 6, \bar{6} \ (5, \bar{5} \ \text{in} \ SU(5))$

SU(6) o SU(4) imes SU(2) imes U(1): - adjoint $\Sigma \sim$ 35 (24 in SU(5))

while superpotential has double global symmetry $SU(6)_H \times SU(6)_\Sigma$ Fermions in $2 \times \overline{6} + 15 = 27$ of E_6

Higgs (super)fields remain as Goldstone modes not eaten by gauge (super)fields due to accidental global symmetry $SU(6)_H \times SU(6)_\Sigma$ (just kill the term $H\Sigma\bar{H}$ by a discrete symmetry)

Higgs gets mass $\sim M_{\rm SUSY} \sim 1$ TeV after SUSY breaking: natural D-T splitting. As a bonus, also many other problems are fixed: (μ -problem: $\mu \sim M_{\rm SUSY}$, top quark mass ~ 100 GeV, $y_t \sim 1$, while other fermions are light but $y_b \simeq y_{\tau}$, etc.)



LHC – run II: can SUSY be just around the corner?

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The neutron lifetime enigm So called Natural SUSY (2 Higgses with $m \sim 100 \text{ GeV} + \text{Higgsinos}$) is dead! *One* Higgs discovered by LHC perfectly fits the SM Higgs ... but already at LEP epoch many theorists understood (felt) that $M_{SUSY} < 1 \text{ TeV}$ was problematic

- ullet SUSY induced proton decays (D=5) require $M_{SUSY}>1$ TeV or so
- ullet SUSY induced CP-violation: electron EDM, $M_{SUSY} > 1$ TeV or so
- ullet But gauge coupling crossing requires $M_{SUSY} < 10$ TeV or so
- ullet Generically, SUSY flavor limits in $K-\bar{K}$ mixing, $\mu \to e \gamma$ etc. require $M_{SUSY} > 100$ TeV or so But can be quark-squark mass allignment: universal relations like

 $\tilde{m}_d^2 = m_0^2 + m_1^2 (Y_d^{\dagger} Y_d) + m_2^2 (Y_d^{\dagger} Y_d)^2$, etc. Z.B. 1996 assuming the gauge symmetry SU(3) between 3 fermion families later on coined as Minimal Flavor Violation (MFV), Giudice et al., 2002

SUSY at scale of few TeV is still the best choice for BSM physics: maybe SUSY is indeed just around the corner? Remains *Little* hierarchy problem -2 orders Fine Tuning - between $M_{\rm Higgs}^2 \sim (100~{\rm GeV})^2$ and $M_{\rm SUSY}^2 \sim (1 {\rm TeV})^2$



WIMP detection modes

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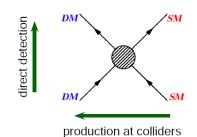
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Weak scale MSSM + R-parity: lightest spartner (LSP) is stable ! A perfect candidate for CDM with mass $M_X \sim 100$ GeV

thermal freeze-out (early Univ.) indirect detection (now)



LHC

Direct Detection @ LNGS: DAMA, CRESST, XENON, DARKSIDE



WIMP miracle and optimism for direct detection

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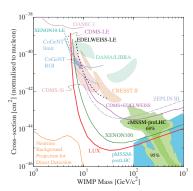
WIMP/LSP with mass $M_X \sim 100$ GeV – perfect candidate for CDM

$$\Omega_D h^2 \simeq rac{0.02 x_f}{g_f^{1/2}} \left(rac{1 {
m pb}}{v \sigma_{
m ann}}
ight) \qquad v \sigma_{
m ann} \sim 1 {
m ~pb} \quad o \quad \Omega_D h^2 \sim 0.1$$

WIMP Miracle:
$$v\sigma_{\rm ann} \sim \frac{\pi \alpha^2}{M_S^2} \sim \left(\frac{100~{
m GeV}}{M_X}\right)^2 \times 10^{-36}~{
m cm}^2$$

But for elastic scattering $X+N\to X+N$ one expects $\sigma_{\rm scat}\sim\sigma_{\rm ann}$ which is important for direct detection

However ... no evidence at LHC and no evidence from DM direct search + many problems to natural SUSY





Cosmic Concordance and Dark Side of the Universe

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Todays Universe: flat $\Omega_{\rm tot} \approx 1$ (inflation) and multi-component:

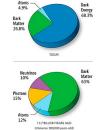
- $\Omega_B \simeq 0.05$ observable matter: electron, proton, neutron
- $\Omega_D \simeq 0.25$ dark matter: WIMP? axion? sterile ν ? ...
- $\Omega_{\Lambda} \simeq 0.70$ dark energy: Λ -term? Quintessence?

Matter – dark energy coincidence: $\Omega_M/\Omega_{\Lambda} \simeq 0.45$, $(\Omega_M = \Omega_D + \Omega_B)$ $\rho_{\Lambda} \sim \text{Const.}$, $\rho_M \sim a^{-3}$; why $\rho_M/\rho_{\Lambda} \sim 1$ – just Today?

Antrophic explanation: if not Today, then Yesterday or Tomorrow.

Baryon and dark matter *Fine Tuning*: $\Omega_B/\Omega_D \simeq 0.2$

 $\rho_B \sim \text{a}^{-3},~\rho_D \sim \text{a}^{-3}$: why $\rho_B/\rho_D \sim 1$ - Yesterday Today & Tomorrow?



- How Baryogenesis could know about Dark Matter? popular models for primordial Baryogenesis (GUT-B, Lepto-B, Affleck-Dine B, EW B ...) have no relation to popular DM candidates (Wimp, Wimpzilla, sterile ν , axion, gravitino ...)
- Anthropic? Another Fine Tuning in Particle Physics and Cosmology?



Coincidence of luminous and dark matter fractions: why $\Omega_D/\Omega_B\sim 1$? or why $m_B\rho_B\sim m_X\rho_X$?

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Visible matter from Baryogenesis (Sakharov) B (B-L) & CP violation, Out-of-Equilibrium $\rho_B = m_B n_B, \ m_B \simeq 1$ GeV, $\eta = n_B/n_\gamma \sim 10^{-9}$

 η is model dependent on several factors:

coupling constants and CP-phases, particle degrees of freedom, mass scales and out-of-equilibrium conditions, etc.

Dark matter: $\rho_D = m_X n_X$, but $m_X = ?$, $n_X = ?$ n_X is model dependent: DM particle mass and interaction strength (production and annihilation cross sections), freezing conditions, etc.

Axion

ullet $m_a\sim 10^{-5}$ eV $n_a\sim 10^4 n_\gamma$ - CDM

Neutrinos

• $m_{
u} \sim 10^{-1}$ eV $n_{
u} \sim n_{\gamma}$ - HDM (imes) • $m_{
u'} \sim 10$ keV $n_{
u'} \sim 10^{-3} n_{
u}$ - WDM

• Sterile ν'

WIMP

- ullet $m_{B'} \simeq 1~{
 m GeV}$ $n_{B'} \sim n_B$ SIDDM
- Para-baryons
- $m_X \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$ $n_X \sim 10^{-3} n_B$ CDM

WimpZilla

• $m_X \sim 10^{14}$ GeV $n_X \sim 10^{-14} n_B$ - CDM



How these Fine Tunings look ...

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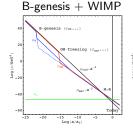
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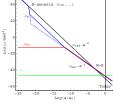
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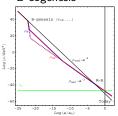


 $m_X n_X \sim m_B n_B$ $m_X \sim 10^3 m_B$ $n_X \sim 10^{-3} n_B$ Fine Tuning? $\mathsf{B}\text{-}\mathsf{genesis} + \mathsf{axion}$



 $m_a n_a \sim m_B n_B \ m_a \sim 10^{-13} m_B \ n_a \sim 10^{13} n_B$ Fine Tuning?

B-cogenesis



 $m_{B'} n_{B'} \sim m_B n_B$ $m_{B'} \sim m_B$ $n_{B'} \sim n_B$ Natural ?



Parity Violation & Mirror Fermions — Lee and Yang, 1956

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The neutron lifetime enigm The conservation of parity is usually accepted without questions concerning its possible limit of validity being asked. The is actually no *a priori* reason why its violation is undesirable. Its violation implies the existence of right-left asymmetry and we have shown in the above some possible experimental tests os this asymmetry.



If such asymmetry is indeed found, the question could still be raised whether there could not exist corresponding elementary particles exhibiting opposite asymmetry such that in the broader sense there will still be over-all right-left symmetry. If this is the case, there must exist two kinds of protons p_R and p_L , the right-handed one and the left-handed one. At the present time the protons in the laboratory must be predominantly of one kind to produce the supposedly observed asymmetry. This means that the free oscillation period between them must be longer than the age of the Universe. They could therefore both be regarded as stable particles. The numbers of p_R and p_L must be separately conserved. Both p_R and p_L could interact with the same E-M field and perhaps the same pion field ... p_R and p_L must be separately conserved.





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In connection with the discovery of CP violation, we discuss the possibility that "mirror" (R) particles exist in addition to the ordinary (L) particles. The introduction of these particles reestablishes the equivalence of left and right. It is shown that mirror particles cannot interact with ordinary particles strongly, semistrongly or electromagnetically. L and R particles must have the same gravitational interactions. The possibility of existence and detection of macroscopic bodies (stars) made up of R-matter is discussed.



Alice @ Mirror World - "Through the Looking-Glass" (1871)

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I'll tell you all my ideas about Looking-glass House. The room you can see through the glass - that's just the same as our room ... the books there are something like our books, only the words go the wrong way ... I can see all of it - all but the bit just behind the fireplace. I want so to know whether they've a fire: you never can tell, you know, unless our fire smokes, and then smoke comes up in that room too ... Oh, how nice it would be if we could get through into Looking-glass House! Let's pretend there's a way of getting through into it, somehow ... It'll be easy enough to get through I declarel'





Lewis Carroll



 $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$ vs. $SU(3)' \times SU(2)' \times U(1)'$

generalized P and C parities

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$$q_L = \begin{pmatrix} u_L \\ d_L \end{pmatrix}, \quad l_L = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_L \\ e_L \end{pmatrix}; \qquad u_R, \quad d_R, \quad e_R$$

$$B = 1/3 \qquad \qquad L = 1 \qquad \qquad B = 1/3 \qquad L = 1$$

B=-1/3 L=-1

Right

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Right

$$ar{q}_R = \left(egin{array}{c} ar{u}_R \ ar{d}_R \end{array}
ight), \quad ar{l}_R = \left(egin{array}{c} ar{
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ight); \qquad ar{u}_L, \ ar{d}_L, \quad ar{e}_L$$

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$$B = 1/3 \qquad \qquad L = 1 \qquad \qquad B = 1/3 \qquad L = 1$$

$$ar{q}_R' = \left(egin{array}{c} ar{u}_R' \ ar{d}_R' \end{array}
ight), \quad ar{l}_R' = \left(egin{array}{c} ar{v}_R' \ ar{e}_R' \end{array}
ight); \qquad ar{u}_L', \quad ar{e}_L' \end{array}$$

Doubling symmetry
$$(L, R \to L, R \text{ parity})$$
: $Y' = Y \quad B - B' \to -(B - B')$
Mirror symmetry $(L, R \to R, L \text{ parity})$: $Y' = Y^* \quad B \to B' \to B' \to B'$



$SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1) \& SU(3)' \times SU(2)' \times U(1)'$

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- Two identical gauge factors, e.g. $SU(5) \times SU(5)'$, with identical field contents and Lagrangians: $\mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{tot}} = \mathcal{L} + \mathcal{L}' + \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{mix}}$
- Exact parity $G \to G'$: no new parameters in dark Lagrangian \mathcal{L}'
- M sector is dark (for us) and the gravity is a common force (with us)
- M matter looks as non-standard for dark matter but it is truly standard in direct sense, just as our matter (self-interacting/dissipative/asymmetric)
- New interactions are possible between O & M particles \mathcal{L}_{mix}
- Natural in string/brane theory: O & M matters localized on two parallel branes and gravity propagating in bulk: e.g., $E_8 \times E_8' \times E_8' \times E_8 \times E_8' \times E$



Yin-Yang Theory: Dark sector ... similar to our luminous sector?

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For observable particles very complex physics !! $G = SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$ (+ SUSY ? GUT ? Seesaw ?) photon, electron, nucleons (quarks), neutrinos, gluons, $W^{\pm} - Z$, Higgs ... long range EM forces, confinement scale $\Lambda_{\rm QCD}$, weak scale M_W ... matter vs. antimatter (B-conserviolation, CP ...) ... existence of nuclei, atoms, molecules life.... Homo Sapiens !

If dark matter comes from extra gauge sector ... it is as *complex*: $G' = SU(3)' \times SU(2)' \times U(1)'$? (+ SUSY? GUT'? Seesaw?) photon', electron', nucleons' (quarks'), W' - Z', gluons'? ... long range EM forces, confinement at $\Lambda'_{\rm QCD}$, weak scale M'_W ? ... asymmetric dark matter (B'-conserviolation, CP ...)? ... existence of dark nuclei, atoms, molecules ... life ... Homo Aliens?

Let us call it Yin-Yang Theory

in chinese, Yin-Yang means dark-bright duality

 $E_8 \times E_8'$? String duality ?





Always the same difficult story ...

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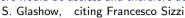
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In spite of evident beauty of Yin-Yang dual picture, for a long while mirror matter was not taken as a real candidate for dark matter. There were real reasons for that: if O and M sectors have exactly identical microphysics and also exactly identical cosmologies, then one expects:

- Equal temperatures, $T'_{CMB} = T_{CMB}$ $\Delta_{\nu}^{\text{eff}} = 6.15$ against BBN limits
- equal baryon asymmetries, $\eta'(=n_B'/n_\gamma')=\eta(=n_B/n_\gamma)$ and so $\Omega_B'=\Omega_B$ while $\Omega'_{B}\Omega_{B}\simeq 5$ is needed for dark matter

If
$$T'\ll T$$
? BBN is OK but $\eta'=\eta$ implies $\Omega_B'\simeq (T'/T)^3\Omega_B\ll\Omega_B$

Such a mirror universe "can have no influence on the Earth and therefore would be useless and therefore does not exist"





• Even if $\Omega'_B > \Omega_B$, Why M matter, as dissipative as O matter, would form galactic halos and not disks?



Perchè No? Perchè No!

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Understanding of astronomy, optics, and physics, a rumor about the four planets seen by the very celebrated mathematician Galileo Galilei with his telescope, shown to be unfounded.

Francesco Sizzi, crlticlsm of Galileo's discovery of the Jupiter's moons

The microphysics of the postulated mirror matter should be exactly the same as that of the usual matter. However, we know that the spatial distribution of the dark matter is very different from that of the ordinary (baryonic) matter. On the face of it this makes mirror matter an implausible candidate for dark matter.

Anonimuos Referee, a typical reviewer report on Mirror Matter



Discussing $\mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{mix}}$: possible portal between O and M particles

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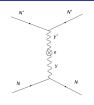
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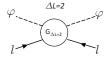
ullet Photon-mirror photon kinetic mixing $\epsilon F^{\mu
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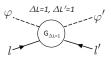
Experimental limit $\epsilon < 4 \times 10^{-7}$ Cosmological limit $\epsilon < 5 \times 10^{-9}$

Makes mirror matter nanocharged $(q \sim \epsilon)$ and is a promising interaction for dark matter direct detection



• Neutrino -mirror neutrino mixing – (Active - sterile mixing) via L and L' violating operators: $\frac{1}{M}(I\bar{\phi})(I\bar{\phi})$ and $\frac{1}{M}(I\bar{\phi})(I'\bar{\phi}')$





M is the (seesaw) scale of new physics beyond EW scale.

Mirror neutrinos are most natural candidates for sterile neutrinos



Mirror baryons could be dark matter. If parallel world is colder than ours, all

problems are solved easily

Z.B., Comelli, Villante, 2000

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The neutron lifetime enigm It is enough to accept a simple paradigm: at the Big Bang the M world was born with smaller temperature than O world; then over the universe expansion their temperature ratio T^\prime/T remains constant.

T'/T<0.5 is enough to concord with the BBN limits and do not affect standard primordial mass fractions: 75% H + 25% 4 He.

Cosmological limits are more severe, requiring T'/T < 0.2 os so. In turn, for M world this implies helium domination: $25\% \text{ H}' + 75\% \text{ }^4\text{He}'$.

Because of T' < T, the situation $\Omega'_B > \Omega_B$ becomes plausible in Sakharov's baryogenesis. So, M matter can provide dark matter.

Because of T' < T, in mirror photons decouple much earlier than ordinary photons, and after that M matter behaves for the structure formation and CMB anisotropies essentially as CDM. This concordes M matter with WMAP/Planck, BAO, Ly- α etc. if T'/T < 0.25 or so.

Halo problem – Mirror matter can be ~ 20 % of dark matter, forming dark disk, while ~ 80 % may come from other type of CDM (WIMP?) But perhaps 100 % ? – M world is helium dominated, and the star formation and evolution should be much faster. Halos could be viewed as mirror elliptical galaxies, with our matter inside forming disks.



More parallel worlds?

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Imagine there are 4 worlds all described by Standard Model, related by mirror (LR) and xerox (LL) symmetries ...

This can be used for solving little hierarchy problem, invoking also SUSY

Consider superpotential

$$W = \lambda S_1 (H_1 H_2 + \Phi_1 \Phi_2 - \Lambda^2) + \lambda S_2 (H_1' H_2' + \Phi_1' \Phi_2' - \Lambda^2)$$

Xerox symmetry: $H_{1,2} \rightarrow \Phi_{1,2}$, $H'_{1,2} \rightarrow \Phi'_{1,2}$

Mirror symmetry: $S_1 o S_2$, $H_{1,2} o H'_{1,2}$, $\Phi_{1,2} o \Phi'_{1,2}$

Global symmetries $SU(4)_H$ and $SU(4)'_H$

Take $\Lambda \sim 10$ TeV and assume that SUSY breaking spurion $\eta = M_S \theta^2$ is odd against Xerox symmetry, $\eta \to -\eta$.

 Φ 's get VEVs $v'\sim 10$ TeV, H 's remain pseudo-Goldstone, then getting VEVs $v\sim 100$ GeV

 Φ sectors – Standard Models with $m_E \sim (v'/v)m_e$ but $m_{P,N} \simeq (2 \div 3)m_{p,n}$ ($\Lambda_{\Phi}/\Lambda_{\rm QCD}$ rescales softer with v'/v)

Dark matter can be very compact hydrogen atoms from Φ sectors, or even neutrons if $m_P > m_N$

Self-collisional DM with right amount $\sigma/m_N \sim 1$ b/GeV – perfect candidate for Dark matter resolving many problems of halos.



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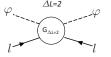
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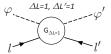
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L and L' violating operators: $\frac{1}{M}(I\bar{\phi})(I\bar{\phi})$ and $\frac{1}{M}(I\bar{\phi})(I'\bar{\phi}')$





After inflation, our world is heated and mirror world is empty: but ordinary particle scatterings transform them into mirror particles, heating also mirror world.

- These processes should be out-of-equilibrium
- Violate baryon numbers in both worlds, B-L and B'-L'
- Violate also CP, given complex couplings

Green light to celebrated conditions of Sakharov



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 $\frac{1}{M}(I\bar{\phi})(I\bar{\phi})$ and $\frac{1}{M}(I\bar{\phi})(I'\bar{\phi}')$ via seesaw mechanism – heavy RH neutrinos N; with Majorana masses $\frac{1}{2}Mg_{ik}N_iN_k + h.c.$

Complex Yukawa couplings $Y_{ij}I_iN_j\bar{\phi} + Y'_{ii}I'_iN_j\bar{\phi}' + \text{h.c.}$

Xerox symmetry $\rightarrow Y' = Y$, Mirror symmetry $\rightarrow Y' = Y^*$



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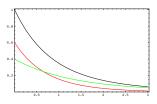
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$$\Omega_B'/\Omega_B = 1-5$$
 if $T'/T < 0.2$



$$\begin{split} &\frac{dn_{\rm BL}}{dt} + (3H + \Gamma)n_{\rm BL} = \Delta\sigma \, n_{\rm eq}^2 & \frac{dn_{\rm BL}'}{dt} + (3H + \Gamma')n_{\rm BL}' = -\Delta\sigma' \, n_{\rm eq}^2 \\ & \sigma(I\phi \to \bar{I}'\bar{\phi}') - \sigma(\bar{I}\bar{\phi} \to I'\phi') = (-\Delta\sigma - \Delta\sigma')/2 \\ & \sigma(I\phi \to I'\phi') - \sigma(\bar{I}\bar{\phi} \to \bar{I}'\bar{\phi}') = (-\Delta\sigma + \Delta\sigma')/2 \\ & \sigma(I\phi \to \bar{I}\bar{\phi}) - \sigma(\bar{I}\bar{\phi} \to I\phi) = \Delta\sigma \end{split}$$

$$\Delta\sigma = \operatorname{Im}\operatorname{Tr}[g^{-1}(Y^{\dagger}Y)^{*}g^{-1}(Y'^{\dagger}Y')g^{-2}(Y^{\dagger}Y)] \times T^{2}/M^{4}$$

$$\Delta\sigma' = \Delta\sigma(Y \to Y')$$

Mirror (LR) symmetry:
$$\Delta \sigma' = -\Delta \sigma$$
 $B, B' > 0$ Xerox (LL) symmetry: $\Delta \sigma' = \Delta \sigma = 0$ $B, B' = 0$



The interactions able to make such cogenesis, should also lead to mixing of our neutral particles into their mass degenerate mirror twins.

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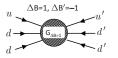
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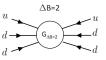
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The Mass Mixing $\epsilon(\bar{n}n' + \bar{n}'n)$ comes from six-fermions effective operator $\frac{1}{M^5}(udd)(u'd'd')$, M is the scale of new physics violating B and B' – but conserving B-B'





$$\epsilon = \langle \textit{n}|(\textit{udd})(\textit{u'd'd'})|\textit{n'}\rangle \sim \frac{\Lambda_{
m QCD}^6}{\textit{M}^5} \sim \left(\frac{10~{
m TeV}}{\textit{M}}\right)^5 imes 10^{-15}~{
m eV}$$

Oscillations $n \to \bar{n}'$ (regeneration $n \to \bar{n}' \to n$) ... but $n' \to \bar{n}$

$$H = \begin{pmatrix} m_n + \mu_n \mathbf{B}\sigma & \epsilon \\ \epsilon & m_n + \mu_n \mathbf{B}'\sigma \end{pmatrix}$$

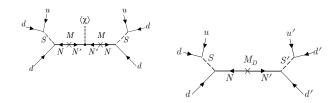
Surprisingly, n-n' oscillation can be as fast as $\epsilon^{-1}=\tau_{nn'}\sim 1$ s, without contradicting any experimental and astrophysical limits.



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$$S u d + S^{\dagger} d \mathcal{N} + M_D \mathcal{N} \mathcal{N}' + \chi \mathcal{N}^2 + \chi^{\dagger} \mathcal{N}'^2$$

$$g_n(\chi n^T C n + \chi^{\dagger} n'^T C n' + \text{h.c.})$$

$$\epsilon_{n\bar{n}} \sim \frac{\Lambda_{\rm QCD}^6 V}{M_D^2 M_S^4} \sim \left(\frac{10^8 \ {
m GeV}}{M_D}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1 \ {
m TeV}}{M_S}\right)^4 \left(\frac{V}{1 \ {
m MeV}}\right) \times 10^{-24} \ {
m eV}$$

$$au_{nar{n}} > 10^8 ext{ s}$$

$$n-n'$$
 oscillation with $au_{nn'}\sim 1$ s $au_{nn'}\sim rac{V}{M_D} au_{nar{n}}$

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$$M_D M_S^4 \sim (10 \text{ TeV})^5$$



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The probability of n-n' transition depends on the relative orientation of magnetic and mirror-magnetic fields. The latter can exist if mirror matter is captured by the Earth

$$\begin{split} P_{\scriptscriptstyle B}(t) &= \, p_{\scriptscriptstyle B}(t) + d_{\scriptscriptstyle B}(t) \cdot \cos \beta \\ p(t) &= \frac{\sin^2 \left[(\omega - \omega') t \right]}{2\tau^2 (\omega - \omega')^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \left[(\omega + \omega') t \right]}{2\tau^2 (\omega + \omega')^2} \\ d(t) &= \frac{\sin^2 \left[(\omega - \omega') t \right]}{2\tau^2 (\omega - \omega')^2} - \frac{\sin^2 \left[(\omega + \omega') t \right]}{2\tau^2 (\omega + \omega')^2} \end{split}$$

 \vec{B}' \vec{B}' \vec{B}

where $\omega = \frac{1}{2} |\mu B|$ and $\omega' = \frac{1}{2} |\mu B'|$; τ -oscillation time

$$A_{B}^{\text{det}}(t) = \frac{N_{-B}(t) - N_{B}(t)}{N_{-B}(t) + N_{D}(t)} = N_{\text{collis}} d_{B}(t) \cdot \cos \beta \leftarrow \text{assymetry}$$



A and E are expected to depend on magnetic field

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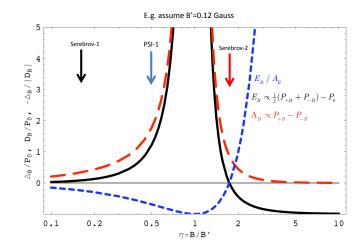
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Several experiment were done, most sensitive by the Serebrov's group at ILL, with 190 I beryllium plated trap for UCN





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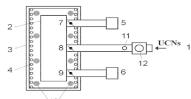
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To store neutrons and to measure if the amount of the survived ones depends on the magnetic field applied.

- Fill the Trap with the UCN
- Close the valve
- Wait for T_S (75s, 150s, ...)
- Open the valve
- Count the survived Neutrons



Repeat this for different orientation and values of Magnetic field.

At $(T_n) = A(0)$

$$N_B(T_S) = N(0) \exp \left[-\left(\Gamma + R + \bar{\mathcal{P}}_B \nu\right) T_S \right]$$

$$\frac{N_{B1}(T_S)}{N_{B2}(T_S)} = \exp\left[\left(\bar{\mathcal{P}}_{B2} - \bar{\mathcal{P}}_{B1}\right)\nu T_S\right]$$

So if we find that:

$$A(B, T_S) = \frac{N_B(T_S) - N_{-B}(T_S)}{N_B(T_S) + N_{-B}(T_S)} \neq 0 \quad E(B, b, T_S) = \frac{N_B(T_S)}{N_b(T_S)} - 1 \neq 0$$



Serebrov experiment 2007 – magnetic field vertical

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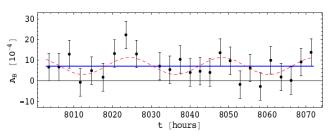
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Exp. sequence: $\{B_-, B_+, B_+, B_-, B_+, B_-, B_-, B_+\}$, $B=0.2~{\rm G}$



Analysis pointed out the presence of a signal:

$$A(B) = (7.0 \pm 1.3) \times 10^{-4}$$
 $\chi^{2}_{/dof} = 0.9 \longrightarrow 5.2\sigma$

interpretable by $n \to n'$ with $\tau_{nn'} \sim 2 - 10s'$ and $B' \sim 0.1G$

Z.B. and Nesti, 2012



Serebrov 2007 – magnetic field Horizontal

 $\{b_-, B_-, B_+, b_+, b_+, B_+, B_-, B_-\}$, $B=0.2~{
m G}$, $b<10^{-3}~{
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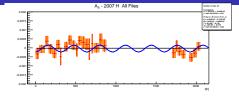
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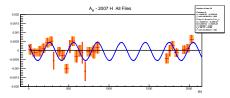
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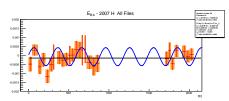
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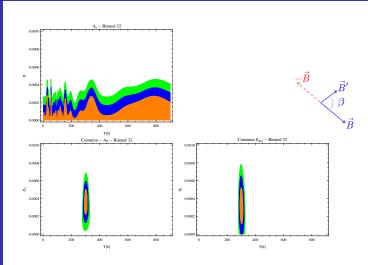
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Earth can accumulate some, even tiny amount of mirror matter due to Rutherford-like scattering of mirror matter due to photon-mirror photon kinetic mixing.

Rotation of the Earth drags mirror electrons but not mirror protons (ions) since the latter are much heavier.

Circular electric currents emerge which can generate magnetic field. Modifying mirror Maxwell equations by the source (drag) term, one gets $B' \sim \epsilon^2 \times 10^{15}$ G before dynamo, and even larger after dynamo.



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Two precision experiments disagree on how long neutrons live before decaying. Does the discrepancy reflect measurement errors or point to some deeper mystery?

By Geoffrey L. Greene and Peter Geltenbort

The best experiments in the world cannot agree on how long neutrons live before decaying into other particles. Two main types of experiments are under way, bottle Resolving the discrepancy is vital to answering a number trans count the number of neutrons that survive after var-

ious intervals, and beam experiments look for the particles into which neutrons decay.

Geoffrey L. Greene is a professor of physics at the University of Tennessee, with a joint appointment at the Oak Ridge National Laboratory's Spallation Neutron Source. He has been studying the properties of the neutron for more than 40 years.

Peter Geltenbort is a staff scientist at the Institut Laue-Langevin in Grenoble, France, where he uses one of the most intense neutron sources in the world to research the fundamental nature of this particle.





Two methods to measure the neutron lifetime

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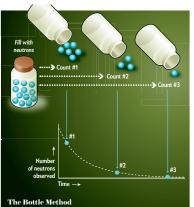
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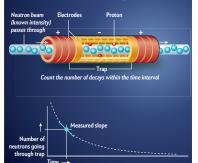
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One way to measure how long neutrons live is to fill a container with neutrons and emply it after various time intervals under the same conditions to see how many remain. These tests fill in points along a curve that represents neutron decay over time. From this curve, scientists use a simple formula to calculate the average neutron lifetime. Because neutrons occasionally escape through the walls of the bottle, scientists vary the size of the bottle as well as the energy of the neutrons—both of which affect how many particles will escape from the bottle — to extrapolate to a hypothetical bottle that contains neutrons perfectly with no losses.

The Beam Method

In contrast to the bottle method, the beam technique looks not for neutrons but for one of their decay products, protons. Scientists direct a stream of neutrons through an electromagnetic "tag" made of a magnetic field and ring-shaped high-voltage electrodes. The neutral neutrons pass right through, but if one decays inside the trap, the resulting positively charged protons will get stuck. The researchers know how many neutrons were in the beam, and they know how long they spent passing through the trap, so by counting the protons in the trap they can measure the number of neutrons that decayed in that span of time. This measurement is the decay rate, which is the slope of the decay curve at a given point in time and which allows the scientists to calculate the average neutron lifetime.





Problems to meet ...

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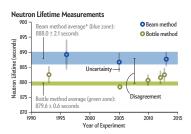
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A few theorists have taken this notion seriously. Zurab Berezhiani of the University of L'Aquila in Italy and his colleagues have suggested such a secondary process: a free neutron, they propose, might sometimes transform into a hypothesized "mirror neutron" that no longer interacts with normal matter and would thus seem to disappear. Such mirror matter could contribute to the total amount of dark matter in the universe. Although this idea is quite stimulating, it remains highly speculative. More definitive confirmation of the divergence between the bottle and beam methods of measuring the neutron lifetime is necessary before most physicists would accept a concept as radical as mirror matter.



Technical solution ... some uncounted systematics ?

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why the neutron lifetime measured in UCN traps is smaller than that measured in beam method ?

May some factor contribute to the UCN continuous loses in the bottle?

In 2013, making an experiment at the ILL, I observed that ³He detectors had different capacities (one was counting twice less than another).

I asked this occurs? The answer: ³He is very volatile and it evaporates from the detector volume, typically during an year ...

But where 3 He ends up? Clearly inside the UCN trap, since the aluminium folder covering the detector is not perfectly hermetic ... but then it would eat the UCN stored inside the bottle, with a huge cross section, $\langle \sigma v/c \rangle \simeq 3$ mb

Nesvizhevsky helped me in technical details. We calculated that these continuous loses could give ~ 1 second correction to the neutron lifetime

He told me that this effect was never taken into account in the error budget of the bottle experiments



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I've taken my old calculations in the Yin-Yang dual cogenesis and finds out that, at least in simplest scenarios, the sign of mirror baryo asymmetry tells that mirror neutrons born in parallel world, oscillate into our antineutrons rather than in neutrons!

$$n - \bar{n}'$$
 and $n' - \bar{n}$ against $n - n'$

This makes clear how discrepancy emerges – in traps our neutrons oscillate into mirror antineutrons and annihilate with the mirror gas with $\langle \sigma v/c \rangle \simeq 50$ mb. These are continuous loses which cannot be distinguished from the UCN decay. The oscillation probability at the Earth magnetic field can be order 10^{-6} which is sufficient for order second correction if the mirror gas density is about 10^{-5} atm.



Indirect detection: antimatter in the cosmos?

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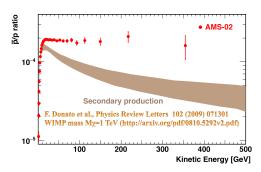
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In mirror cosmic rays, disintegration of mirror nuclei by galactic UV background or in scatterings with mirror gas, frees out mirror neutrons which the oscillate into our antineutron, $n' \to \bar{n}$, which then decays as $\bar{n} \to \bar{p} + \bar{e} + \nu_e$.

so we get antiprotons (positrons), with spectral index similar to that of protons in our cosmic rays ?





Mirror matter can be transformed into our antimatter !!!

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Hence, in normal conditions $n' \to n$ oscillation probabilities are tiny, mirror neutrons behave nicely and do not disturb us: everyone stays on his side of the mirror



However, under well-controlled vacuum and magnetic conditions, mirror neutrons can be transformed into our antineutrons with reasonable probabilities provided that the oscillation time $n' \to \bar{n}$ is indeed small ... the resulting annihilations give energy, and we can use it



"It does not matter how beautiful your theory is, it does not matter how smart you are ... if it is not confirmed by experiment, it's wrong"

Now it is turn of experimentalists to turn this tale into reality or to exclude it – at least oscillation time $\tau_{nn'} < 10^3$ s

If discovered – impact can be enormous ... One could get plenty of energy out of dark matter !



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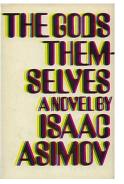
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First Part: Against Stupidity ...

Second Part: ...The Gods Themselves ...

Third Part: ... Contend in Vain?

"Mit der Dummheit kämpfen Götter selbst vergebens!" – Friedrich Schiller



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Encounter of matter and antimatter leads to immediate (uncontrollable) annihilation which can be destructive

Annihilation can take place also between our matter and dark matter, but controllable by tuning of vacuum and magnetic conditions. Dark neutrons can be transformed into our antineutrons, or dark hydrogen atom into our antihydrogen, etc.



Two civilisations can agree to built scientific reactors and exchange neutrons ... and turn the energy produced by each reactor in 1000 times more energy for parallel world .. and all live happy and healthy



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Physics needs new ideas. But to have a new idea is a very difficult task: it does not mean to write a few lines in a paper. If you want to be the father of new idea, you should fully devote your intellectual energy to understand all details and to work out the best way in order to put the new idea under experimental test.

This can take years of work. You should not give up. Do not be afraid to encourage others to pursue your dream. If it becomes real, the community will never forget that you have been the first to open the field. -1.1. Rabi

Thank You!