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Wolfram's Everything



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CREDO Week, Discoverology Workshop, 1.10.2018

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- animacja
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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OTs45NsKeZU&feature=youtu.be&t=50m35s>

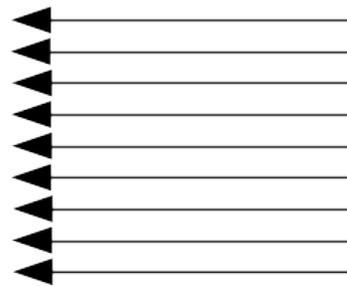
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Po co?

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Cosmic-Ray Extremely Distributed Observatory* : nowe możliwości badawcze w astrofizyce cząstek i nie tylko

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THE QUEST FOR UNEXPECTED



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take home:
 $N_{ATM} \geq 1!$



**Dziwny
jest ten
Wszechświat (?)**

Przykład zdziwienia: jesteśmy zbudowani ze światła???

G. Zanderighi, PHOTON 2017, CERN

Conclusions

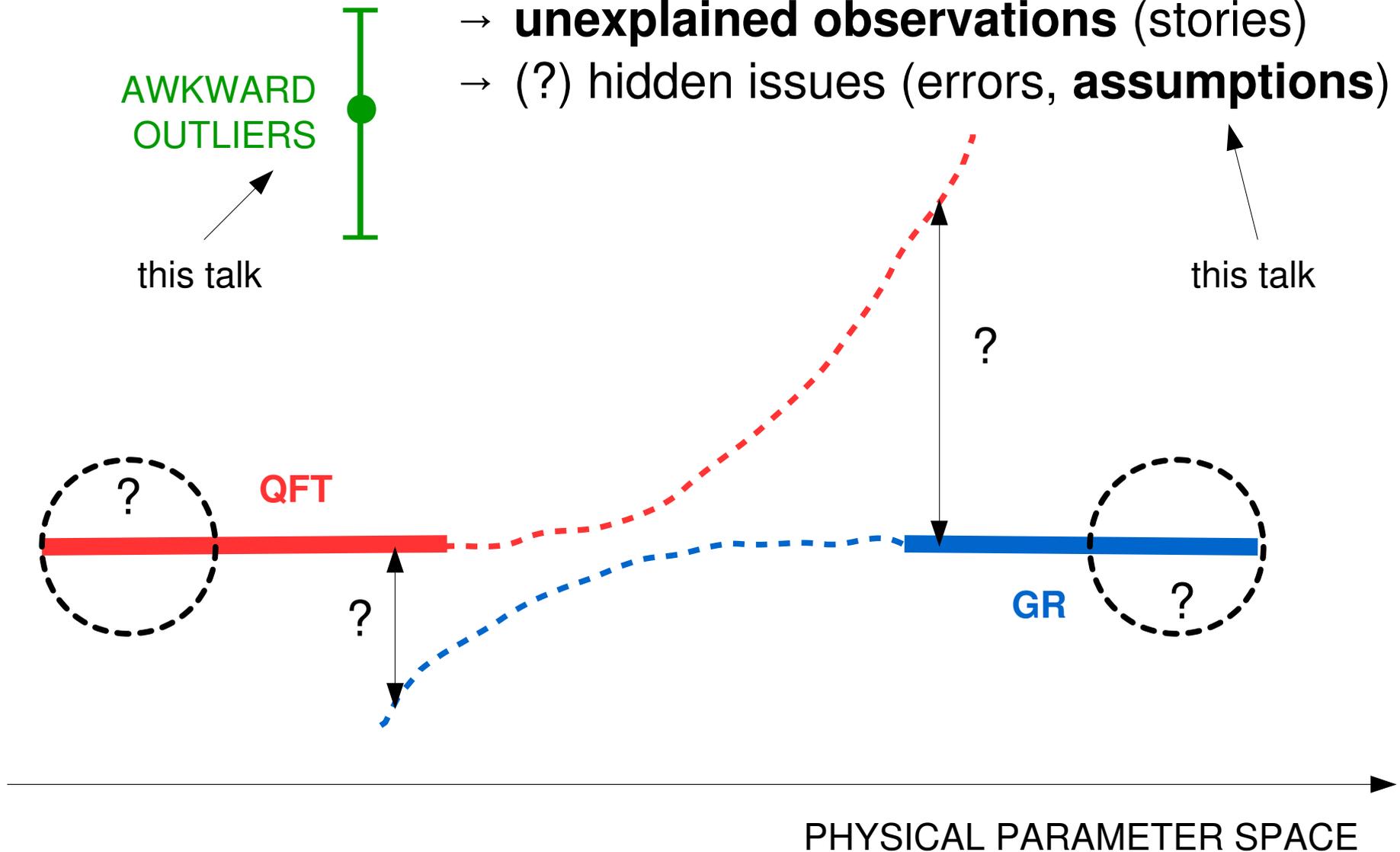
- the photon content of the proton start to matter both for precision physics and LHC searches
- distribution of photons in the proton depends on the **non-perturbative QCD** physics of the proton
- but **perturbative calculations** allow us to deduce the photon density from measured (non-pert.) proton structure functions
- photon PDF determined using data with 1-2% precision
- **LUXqed_plus_PDF4LHC15_nnlo_100** set available from LHAPDF (plus additional plots and validation info available from <http://cern.ch/luxqed>)

“If you think about it, it's awesome: we are made of protons, and protons are, in some part, made of light... And now we know how much of it.”

blog post by Tommaso Dorigo

Understanding the Universe

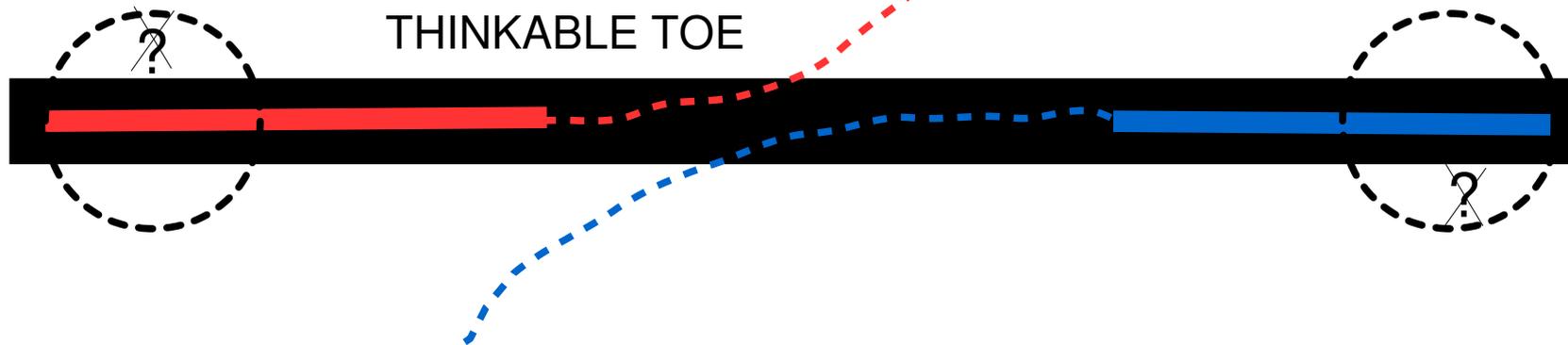
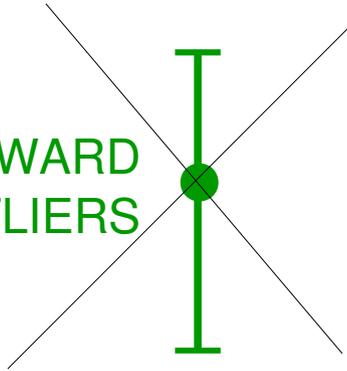
- key theories disagree
- **unexplained observations** (stories)
- (?) hidden issues (errors, **assumptions**)



Ways towards a unifying theory (TOE): **bottom** → **up**

Thinking **bottom** → **up**:
understanding a bigger picture based on the known ingredients

AWKWARD
OUTLIERS

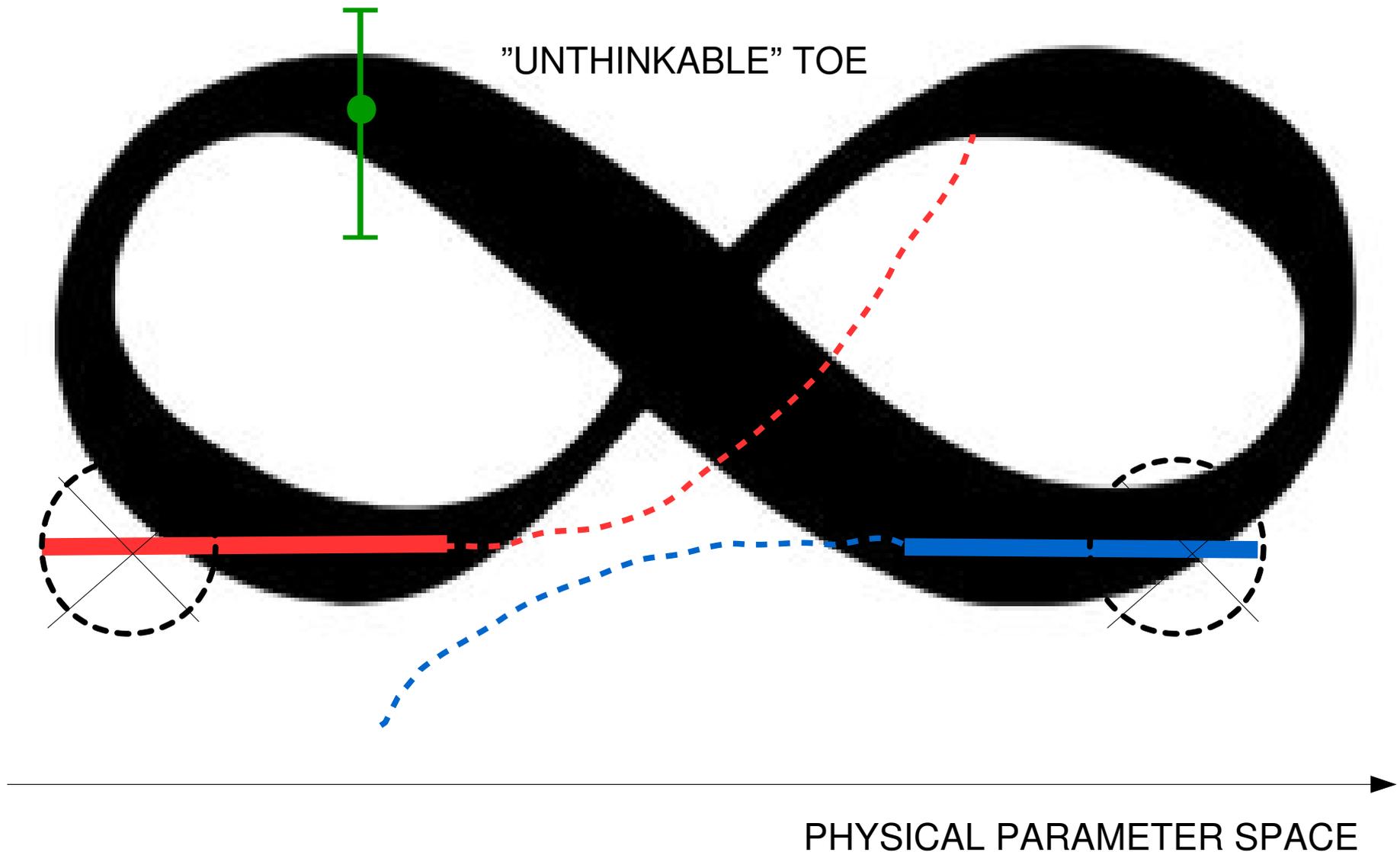


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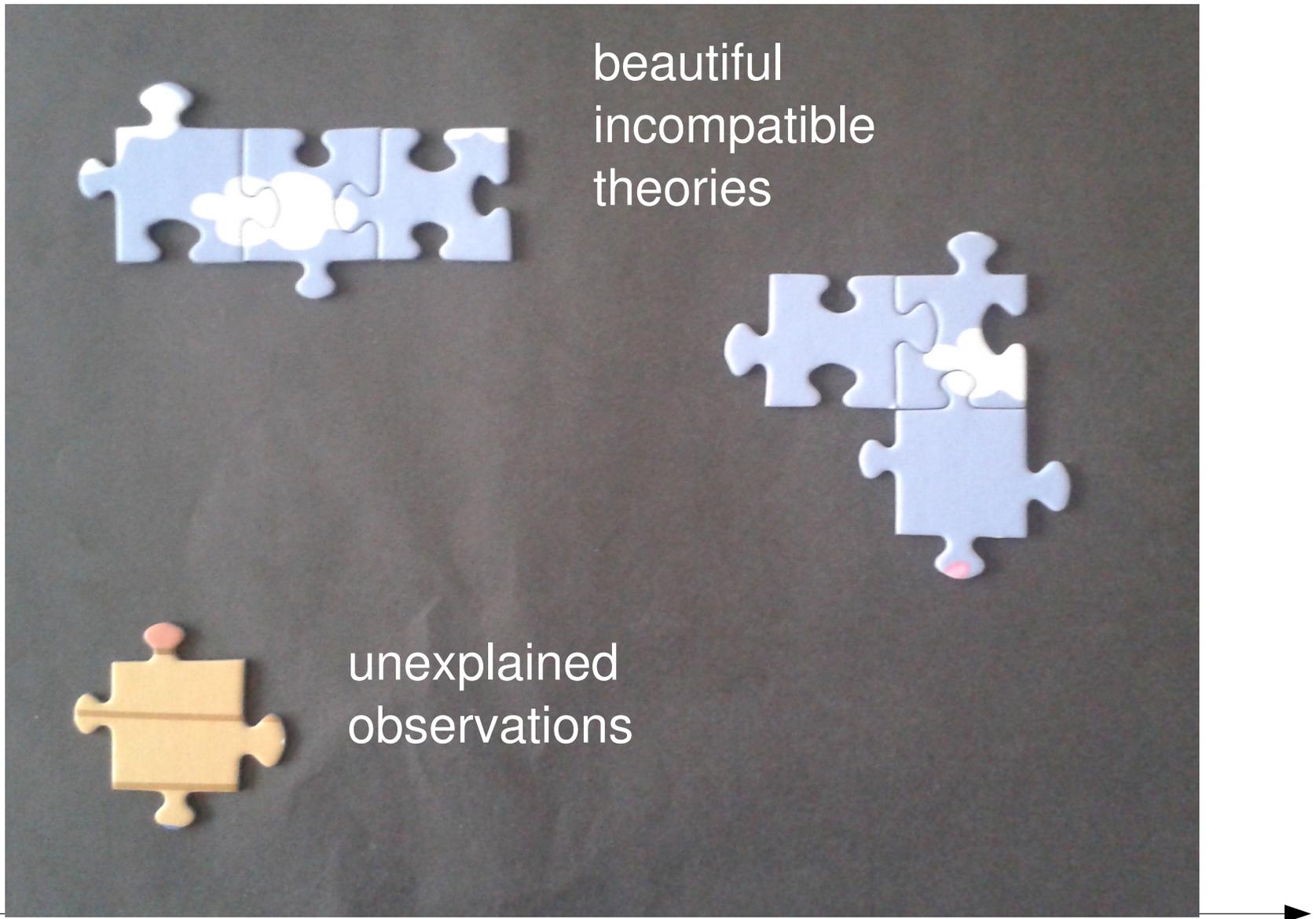
Ways towards a unifying theory (TOE): **top** → **down**

Thinking **top** → **down**:

understand a bigger picture assuming hypothetic objects/laws



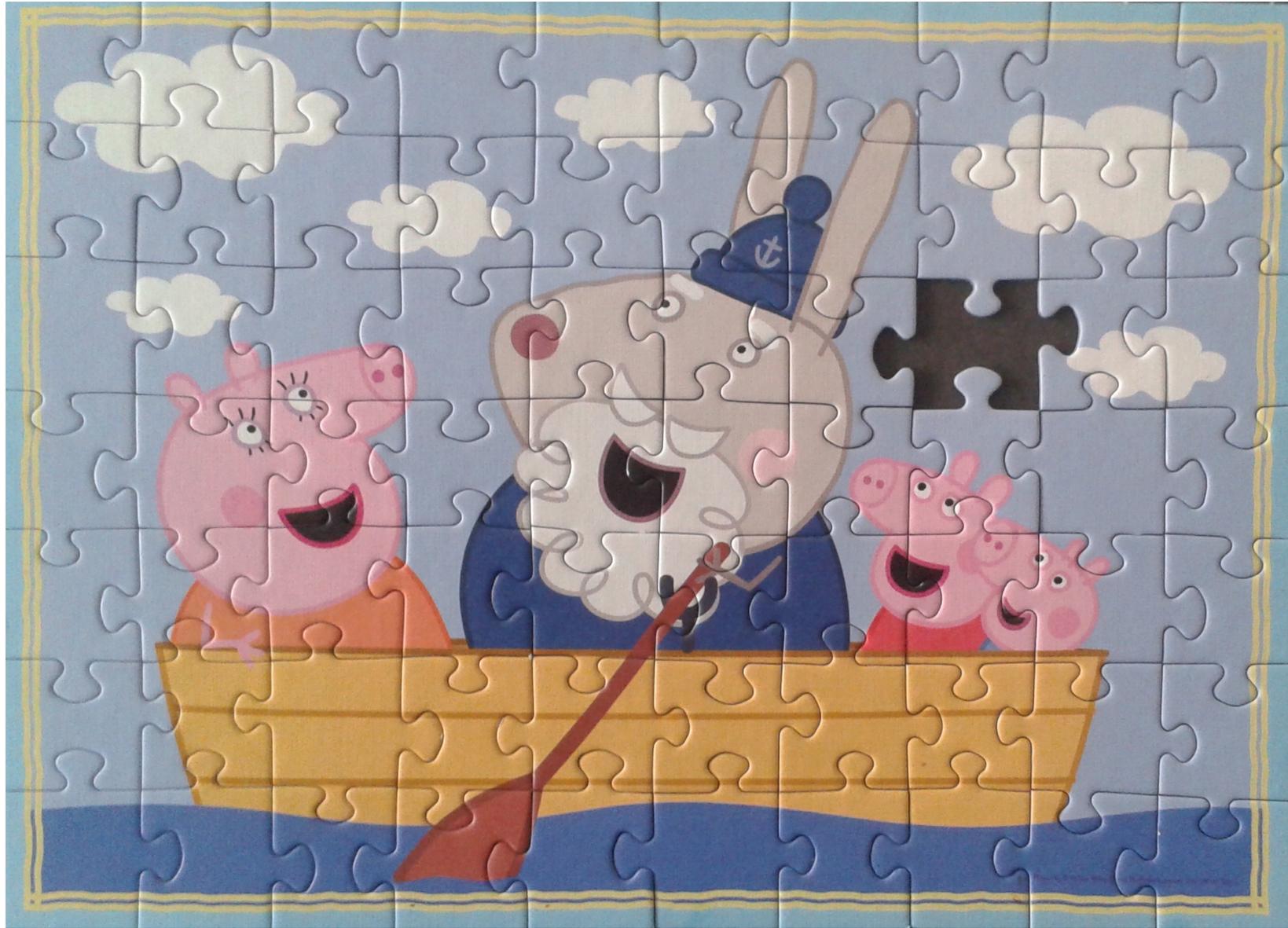
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Many discoveries remain to be made?

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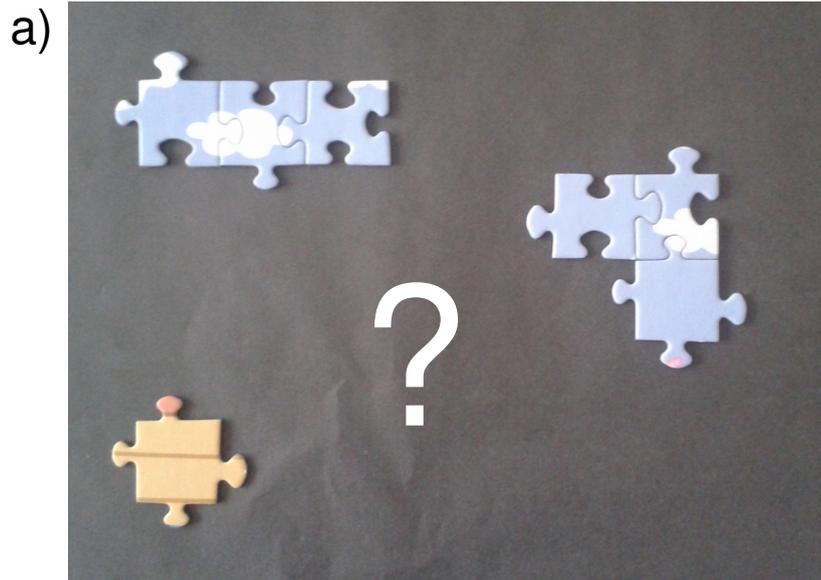


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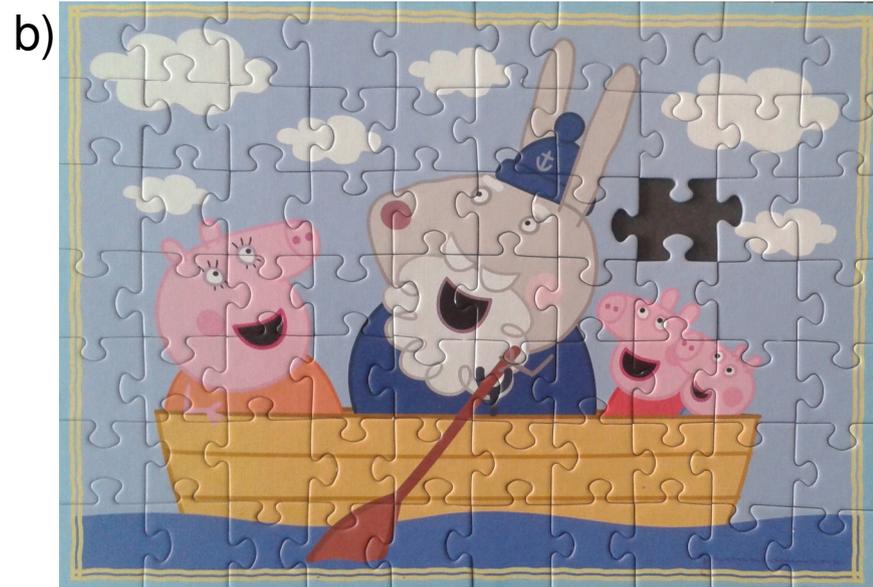
... or very few?

Jak popularyzować naukę?

Więcej niewiedzy niż wiedzy?
Obszar niewiedzy rośnie
szybciej niż obszar wiedzy?



Więcej wiemy niż nie wiemy?
Wiemy prawie wszystko?



Popularyzacja nauki:

- świadomość dostępnych zasobów wiedzy
- **świadomość niewiedzy (wyzwań, zagadek)**
brakuje popularyzacji NIEWIEDZY?
zwłaszcza jeśli żyjemy w świecie typu a) ...?

**Popularyzacja
niewiedzy =
ocean wyzwań!**

Motivation: Experimental Quantum Gravity

EXPERIMENTAL SEARCH FOR QUANTUM GRAVITY: THE HARD FACTS

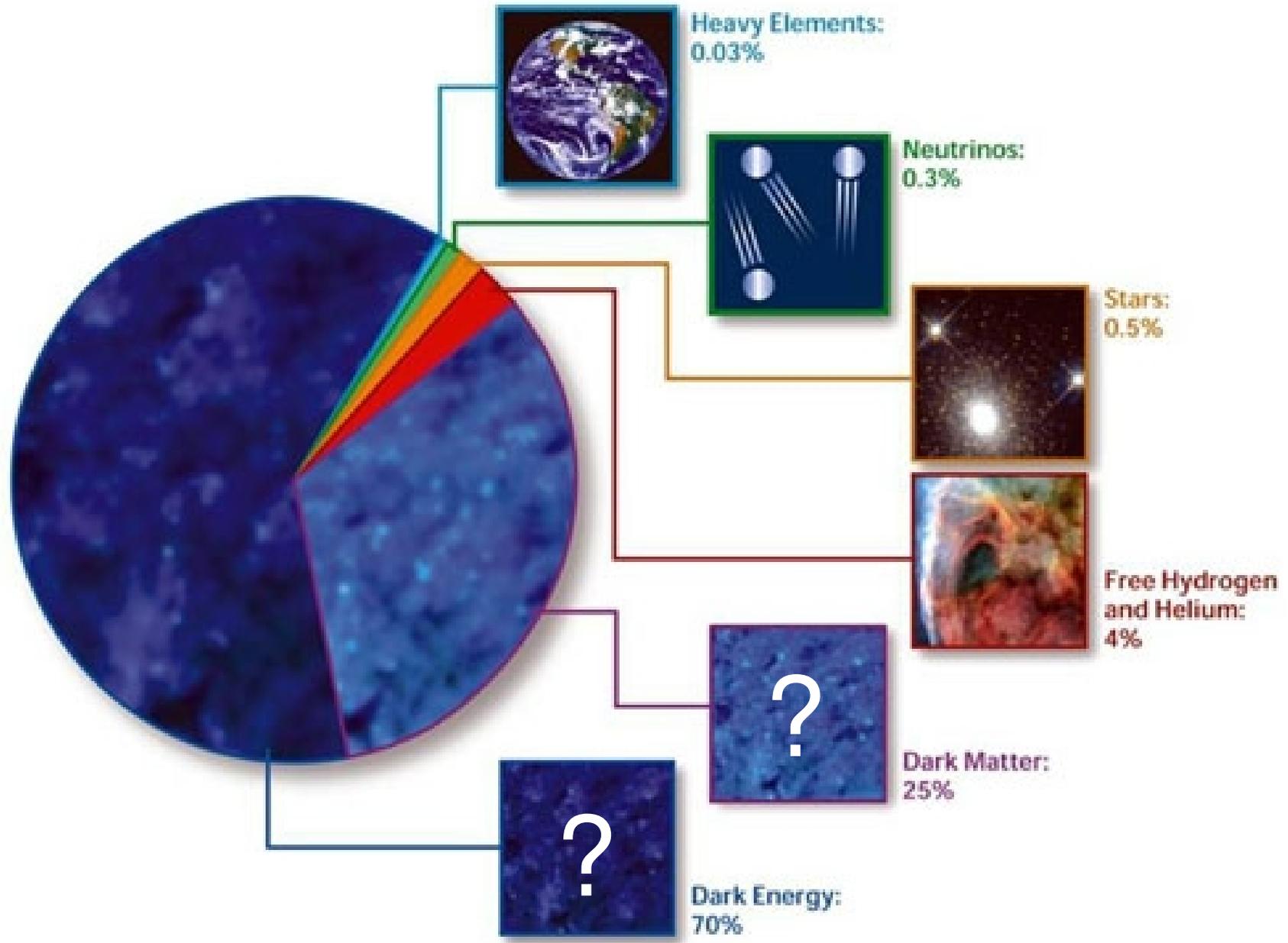
PH: Gamma Ray Bursts & time delays
(spacetime foam)!

$\hbar G$

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Lee Smolin, Perimeter Institute

OCT 22-25, 2012

COMPOSITION OF THE COSMOS



UHECR - one mystery more

The image shows a screenshot of the Wikipedia page titled "List of unsolved problems in physics". The page title is circled in blue. To the right of the title are three large question marks "???". Below the title, the text reads "From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia" and "Main article: List of unsolved problems". A paragraph follows: "Some of the major unsolved problems in physics are theoretical, meaning that existing theories seem incapable of explaining a certain observed phenomenon or experimental result. The others are experimental, meaning that there is a difficulty in creating an experiment to test a proposed theory or investigate a phenomenon in greater detail." Below this is a table of contents with "1.5 Astronomy and astrophysics" circled in blue and an arrow pointing to a text box on the right. The text box contains the text: "„Ultra-high-energy cosmic rays Why is it that some cosmic rays appear to possess energies that are impossibly high, given that there are no sufficiently energetic cosmic ray sources near the Earth? Why is it that (apparently) some cosmic rays emitted by distant sources have energies above the Greisen–Zatsepin–Kuzmin limit?“".

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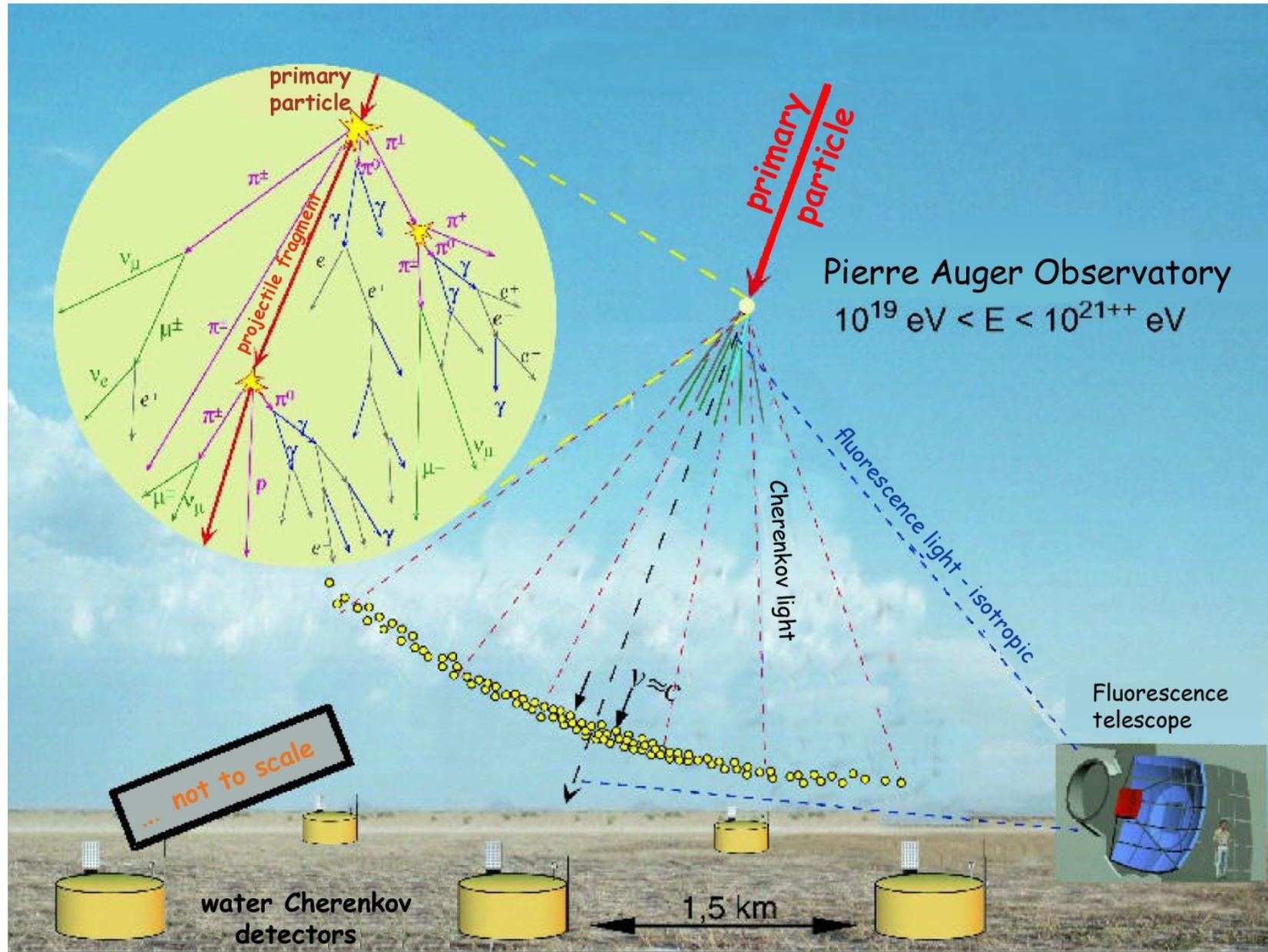
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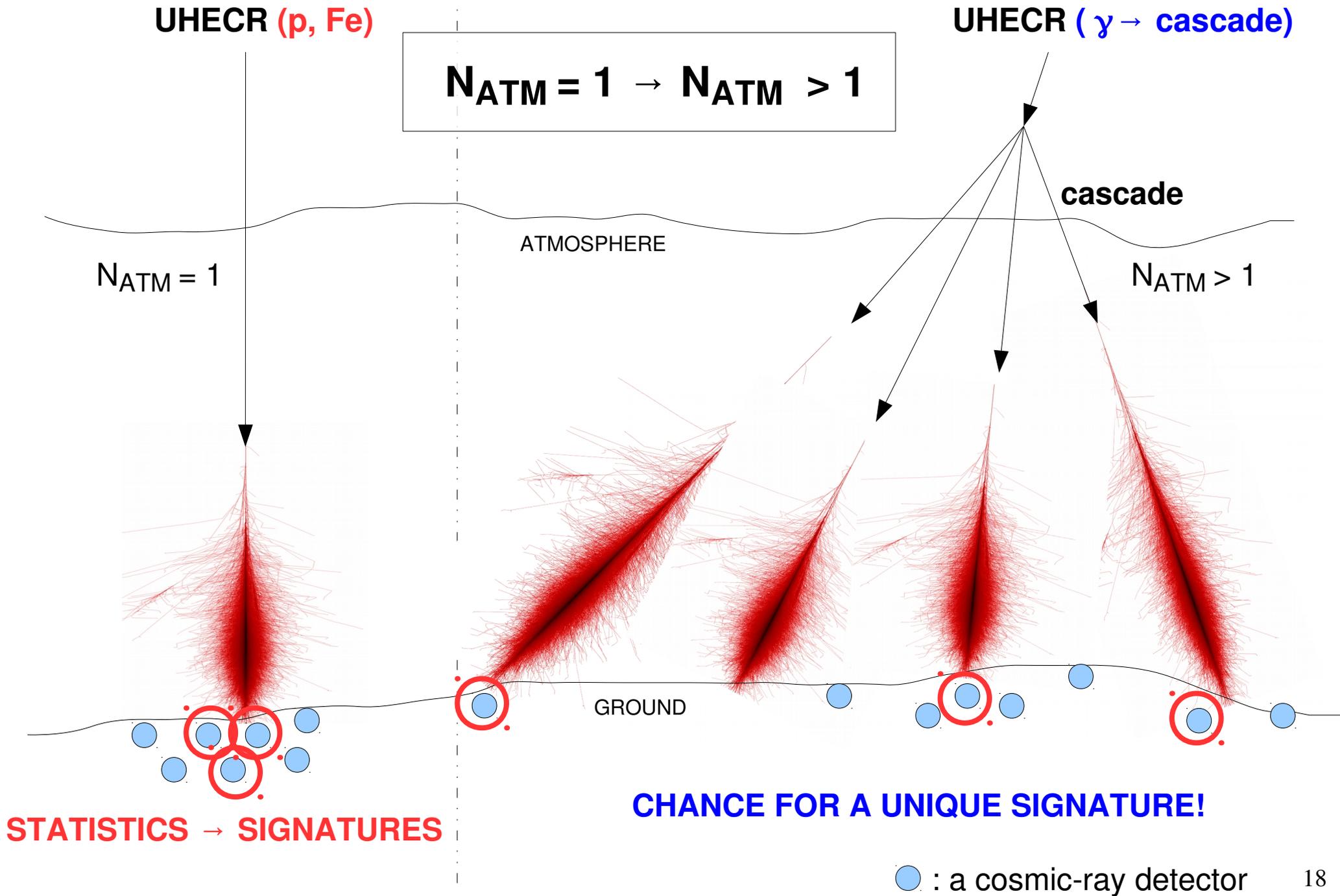
„Ultra-high-energy cosmic rays

Why is it that some cosmic rays appear to possess **energies** that are **impossibly high**, given that there are no sufficiently energetic cosmic ray sources near the Earth? Why is it that (apparently) some cosmic rays emitted by distant sources have energies above the Greisen–Zatsepin–Kuzmin limit?“

State-of-the-art detection of cosmic rays: $N_{\text{ATM}} = 1$



Generalized detection of cosmic rays: $N_{ATM} \geq 1$



$N_{\text{ATM}} > 1$ motivated by data! (1)

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PHYSICAL REVIEW LETTERS

27 JUNE 1983

Possible Observation of a Burst of Cosmic-Ray Events in the Form of Extensive Air Showers

Gary R. Smith, M. Ogmen, E. Buller, and S. Standil

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(Received 7 April 1983)

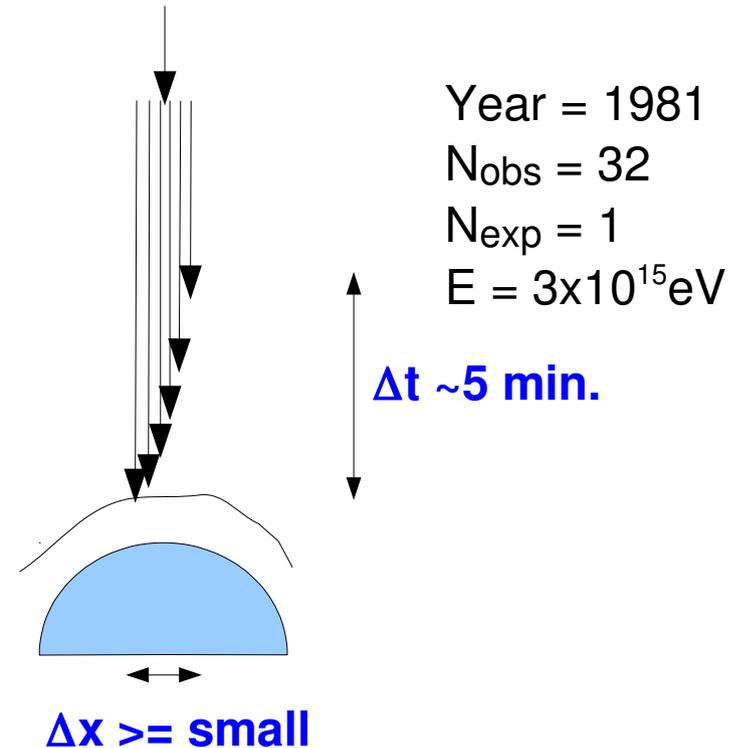
A series or burst of 32 extensive air showers of estimated energy 3×10^{15} eV was observed within a 5-min time interval beginning at 9:55 A.M. (CST) on 20 January 1981 in Winnipeg, Canada. This observation was the only one of its kind during an experiment which recorded 150 000 such showers in a period of 18 months between October 1980 and April 1982.

PACS numbers: 94.40.Pa, 94.40.Re, 95.30.-k

Forgotten (!) treasure (?) no. 1

PH: Correlated cosmic rays?

$N_{\text{ATM}} > 1$?



$N_{\text{ATM}} > 1$ motivated by data! (2)

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Observation of a Burst of Cosmic Rays at Energies above 7×10^{13} eV

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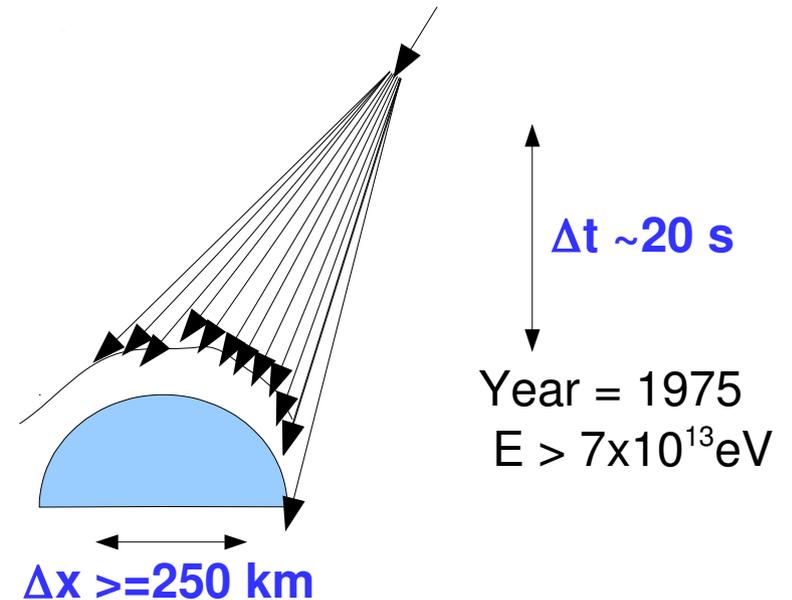
The authors report on an unusual simultaneous increase in the cosmic-ray shower rate at two recording stations separated by 250 km. The event lasted for 20 s. This event was the only one of its kind detected in three years of observation. The duration and structure of this event is consistent with a recently reported single-station cosmic-ray burst. The simultaneity of the coincident event suggests that it was caused by a burst of cosmic gamma rays. There is a possibility that this event may be related to the largest observed glitch of the pulsar in the Crab Nebula.

PACS numbers: 94.40.Pa, 95.85.Qx, 97.80.Jp

PH: Correlated cosmic rays?

$N_{\text{ATM}} > 1$?

Forgotten (!) treasure (?) no. 2



$N_{\text{ATM}} > 1$: new subfield of astroparticle physics!

Please **help to name** the object of investigation:

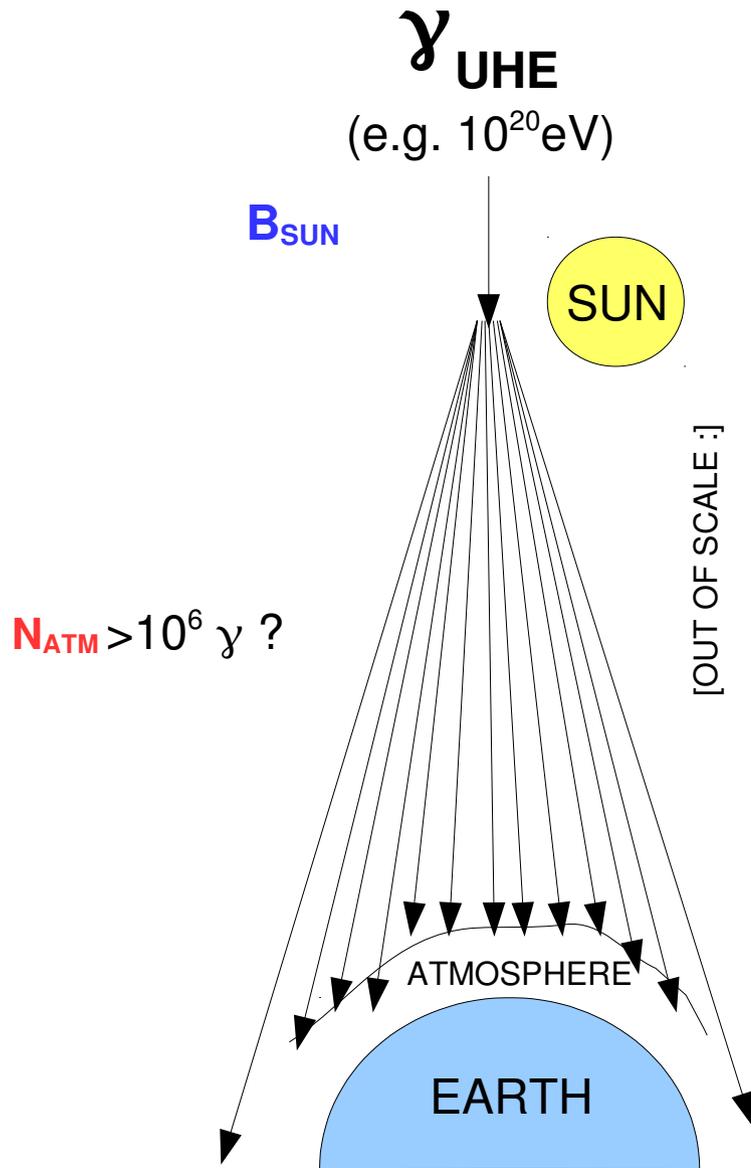
Cosmic Ray Ensembles (CRE)”?

„Cosmic-Ray Cascades (CRC)”?

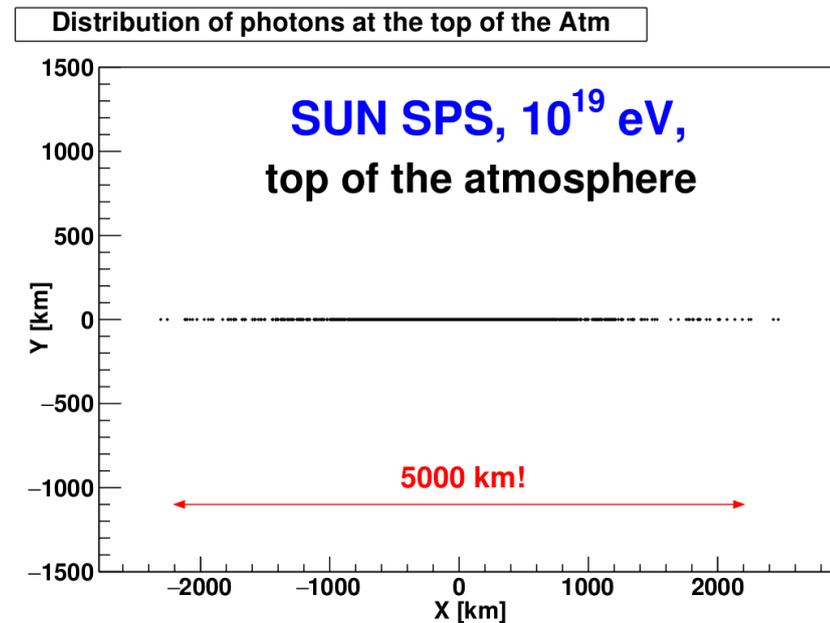
„Extraatmospheric Showers (ES)”?

„Super-Pre-Showers (SPS)”?

Super-preshowers (SPS) from the vicinity of the Sun



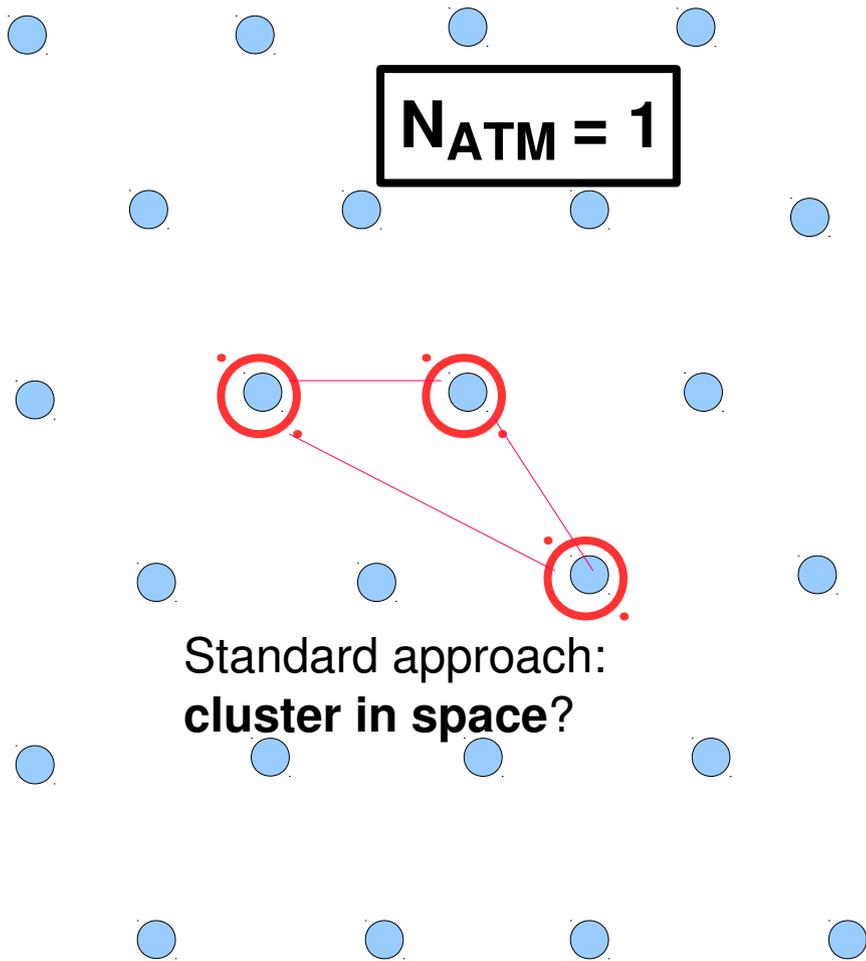
- First calculations: W. Bednarek 1999
low energies not treated: extent \sim tens of km
- N. Dhital, 2017
complete energy spectrum: extent
 \sim thousands of km



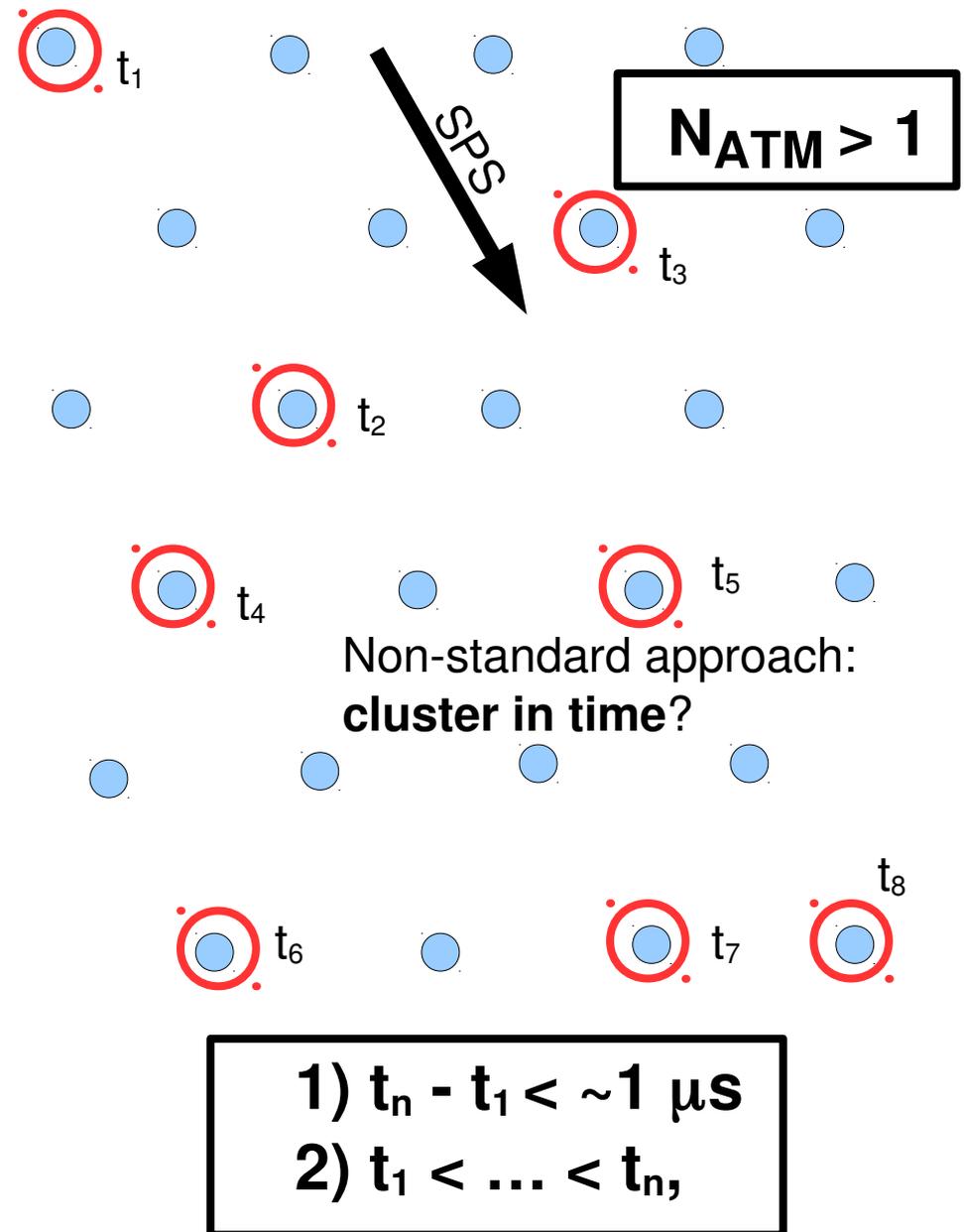
Distribution of photons ($E > 10^{13}$ eV) at the top of the atmosphere.
 $E_{\gamma} = 10$ EeV, Impact parameter = $2.5R_{\text{S}}$.

$N_{\text{ATM}} > 1 \rightarrow$ observable (line even 10000 km wide), not yet tried

A chance for a **unique CRE signature**



● : a cosmic-ray detector

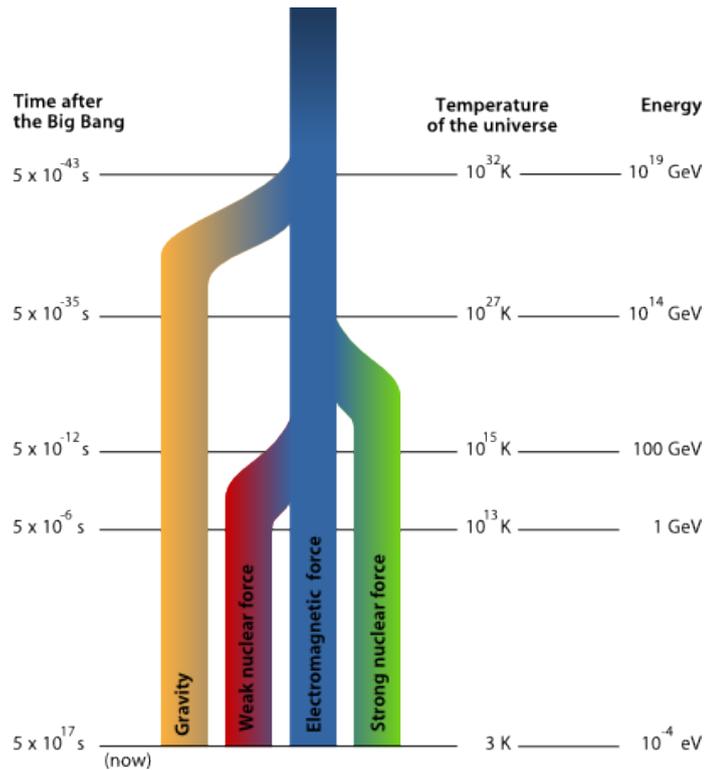


$N_{\text{ATM}} \geq 1$ mission (briefly)

Scenarios

AND

Fishing

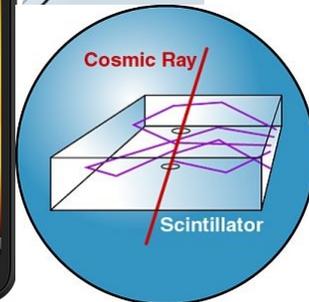
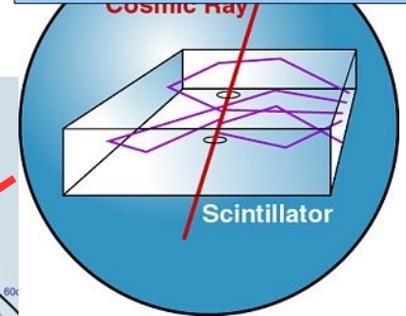


CREDO: the first $N_{ATM} \geq 1$ observatory

Cosmic-Ray Extremely Distributed Observatory

Status March 2016:
„an idea”

OPEN



Central database/interface: access to everything for everybody

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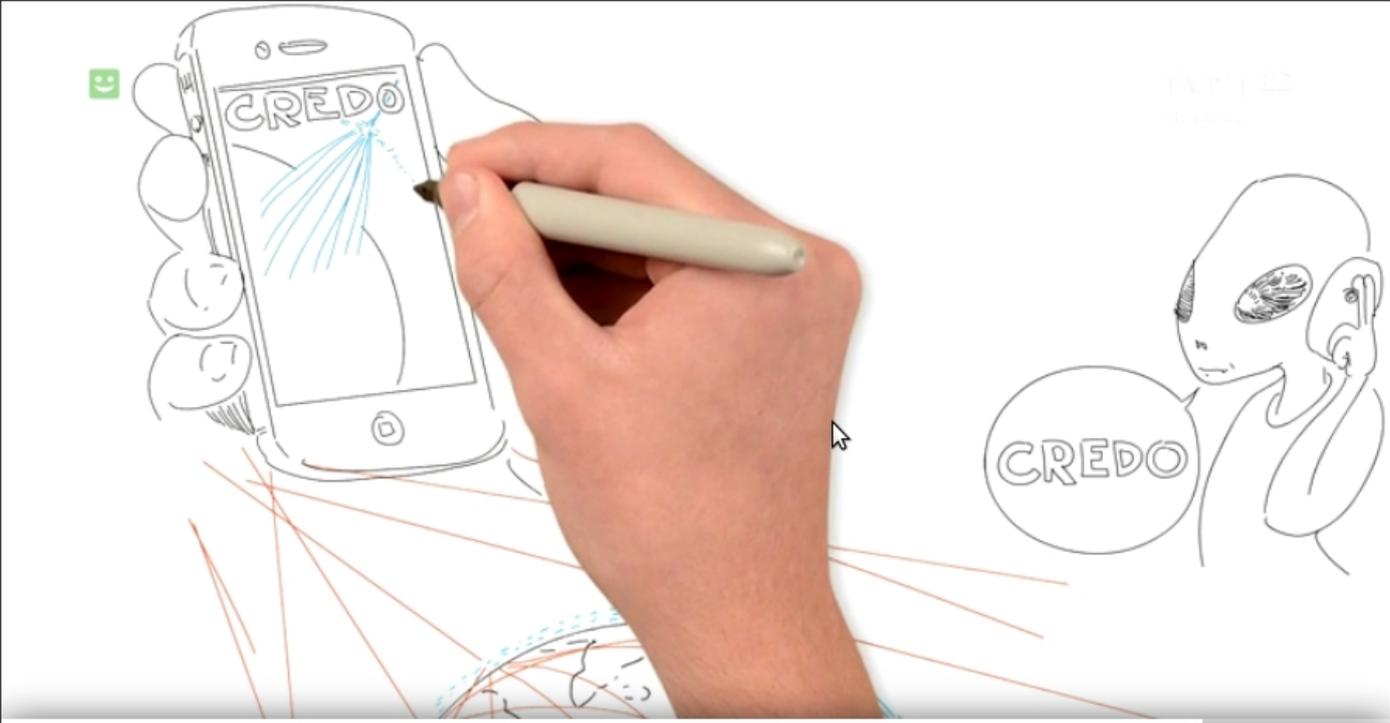
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Citizen Science! But ... science must be real

Citizen science

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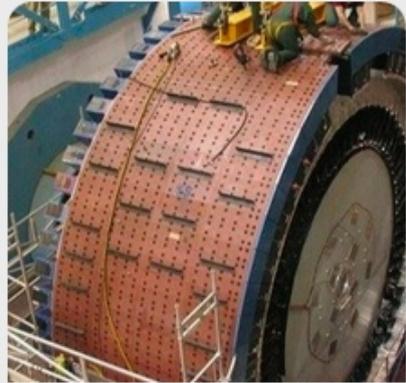
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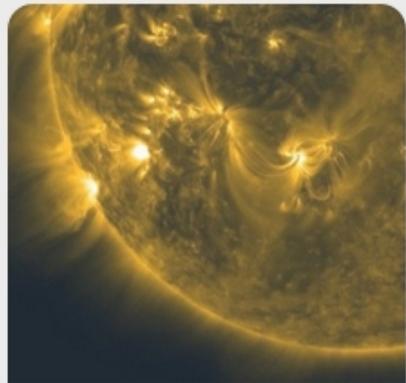
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