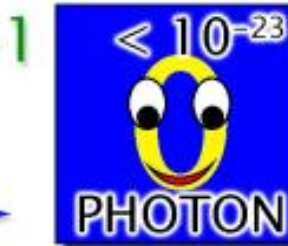


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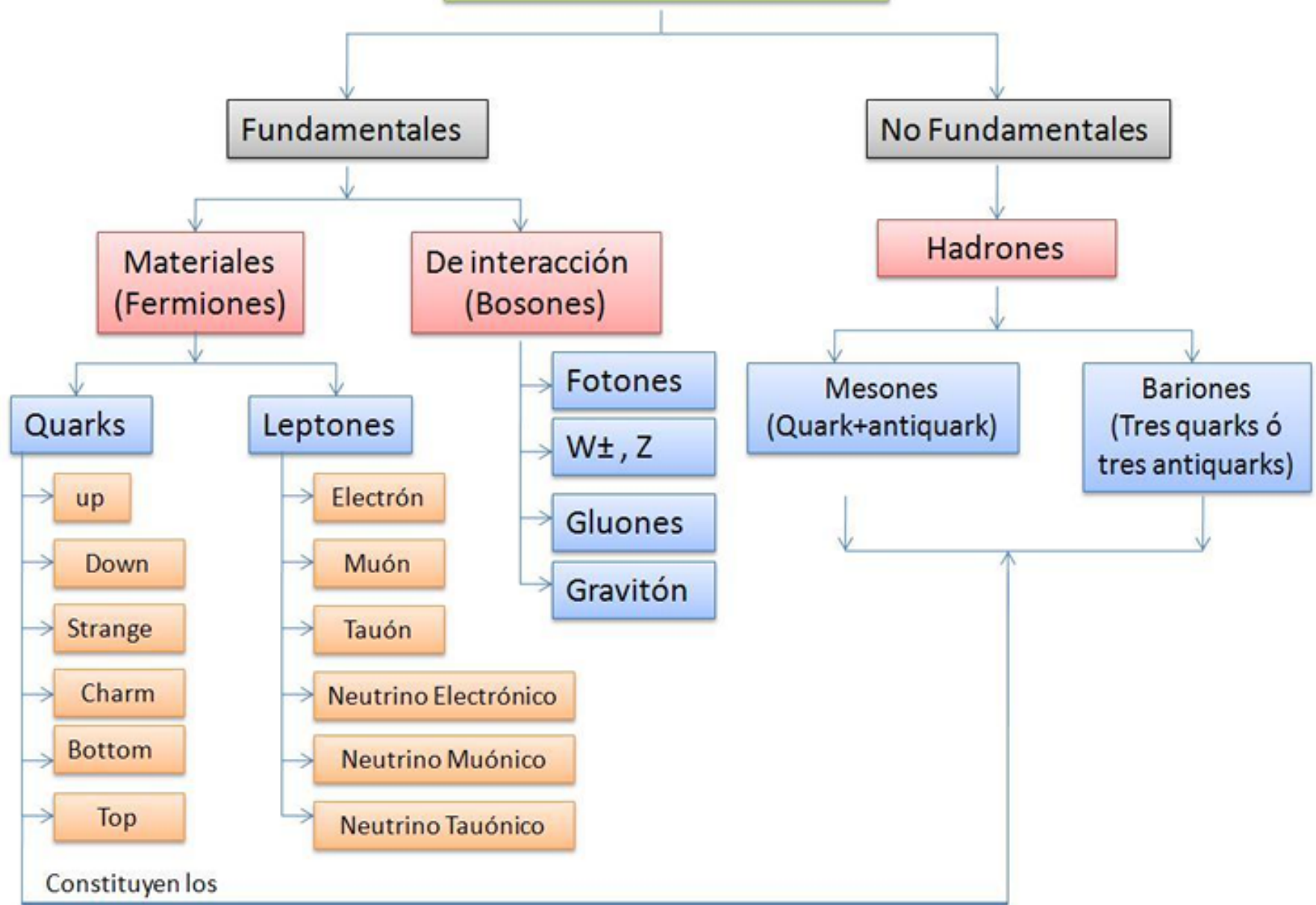
(Standard Model)

THREE GENERATIONS OF MATTER				CHARGE:	
MATTER CONSTITUENTS: FERMIONS	QUARKS	I	II	III	
		 2.75 UP	 1300 CHARM	 178000 TOP	 91188 Z^0
		 6 DOWN	 110 STRANGE	 4500 BOTTOM	 80430 W^+/W^-
	LEPTONS	 0.511 ELECTRON	 105.7 MUON	 1777 TAU	 $< 10^{-23}$ PHOTON
		 $< 3 \cdot 10^{-6}$ e NEUTRINO	 < 0.19 μ NEUTRINO	 < 18.2 τ NEUTRINO	 theory: 0 GLUON

ALL MASSES IN MEV;
ANIMAL MASSES
SCALE WITH
PARTICLE MASSES

The Standard Model fundamental particle zoo

Clasificación de las partículas

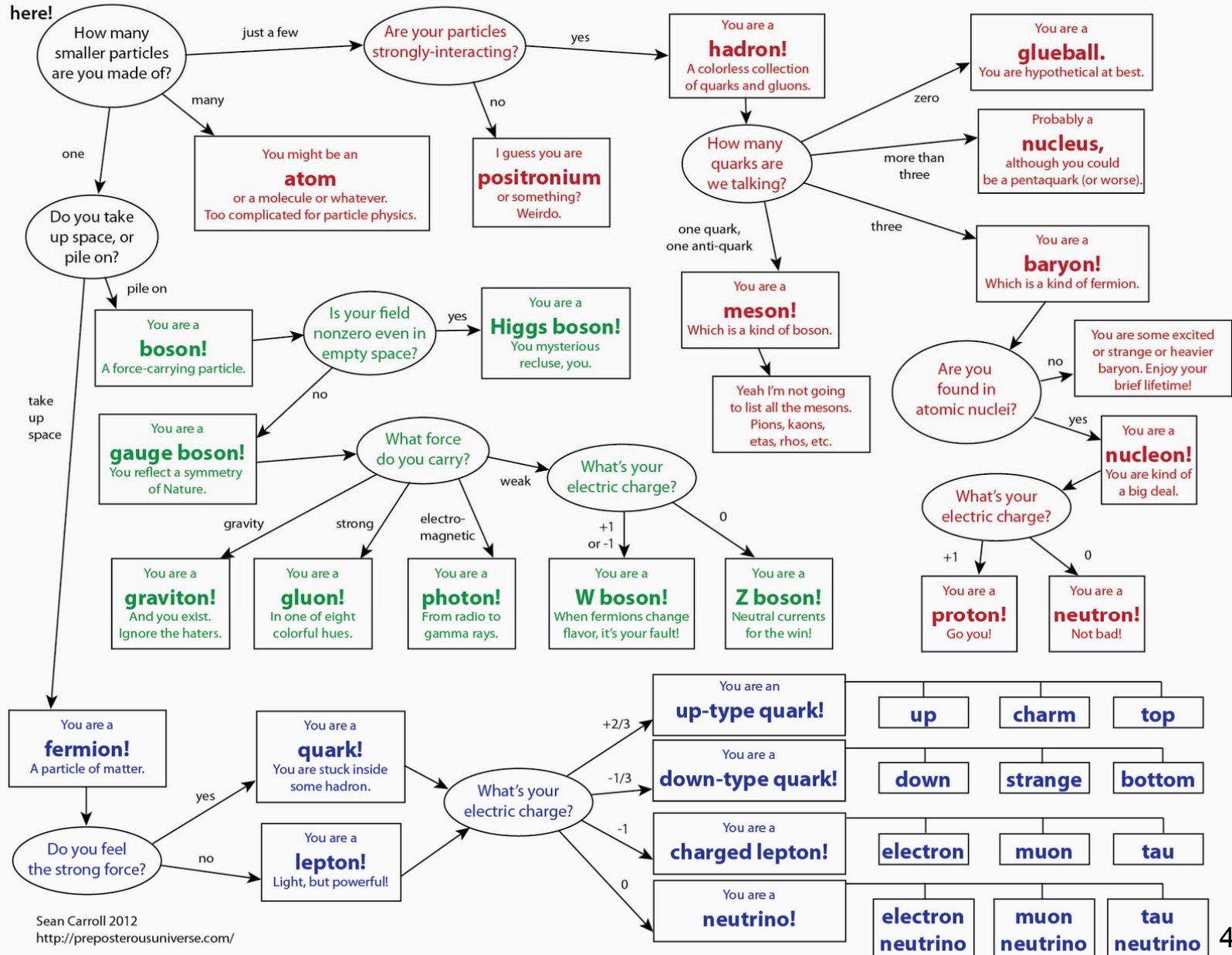


What Particle Are You?

(Standard Model particles only! Dark matter and other exotica not welcome.)

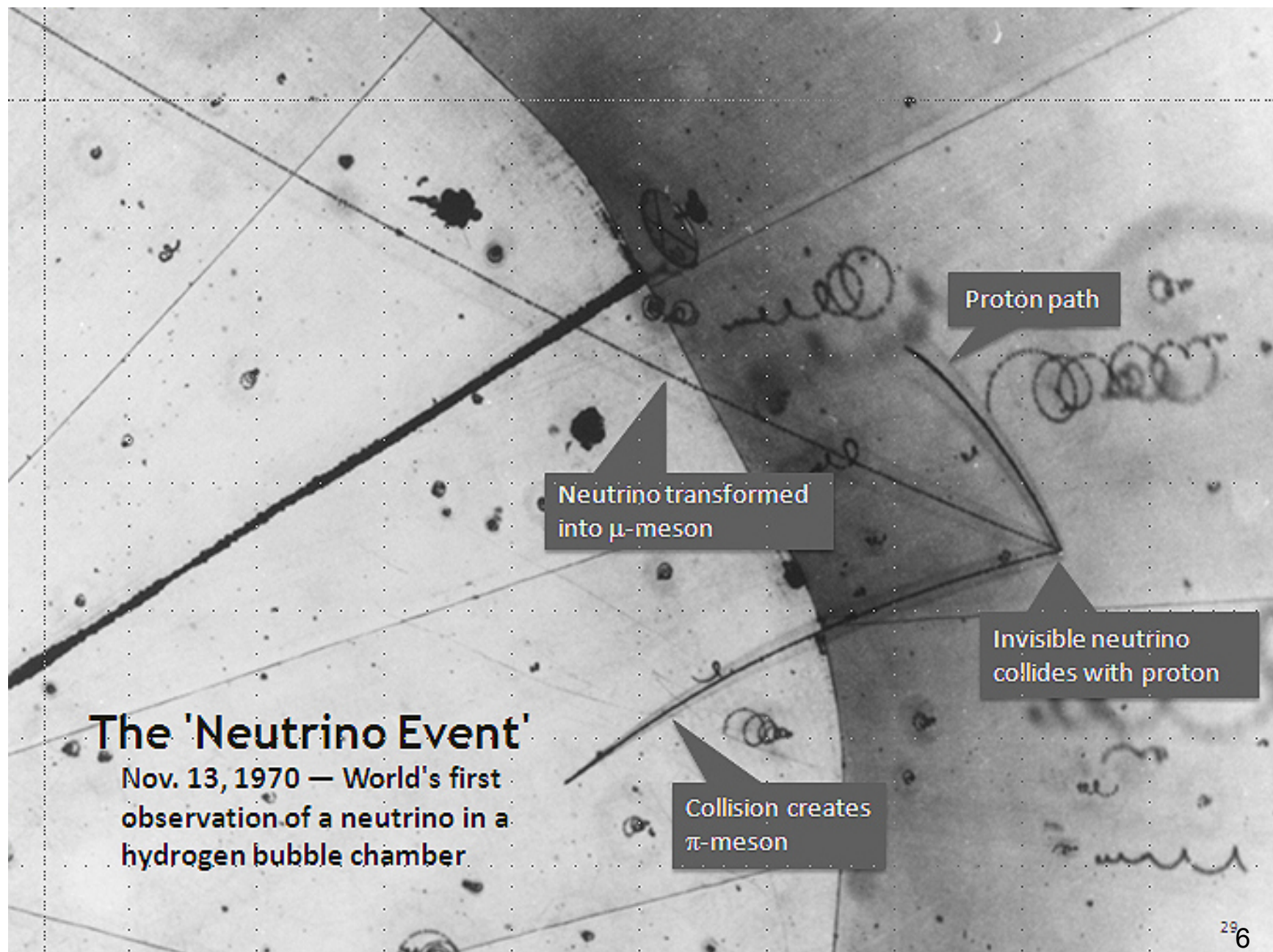
Color code:
 elementary fermions
 elementary bosons
 composite particles

Start here!



Fermiones (estadística Fermi, afecta PE Pauli)

Fermion J=1/2)	Fam 1 2 3	Q (EM)	T ₃ (I-h)	Color	m (MeV/c ²)	Δm (MeV/c ²)	Descubi erta en
Leptones	e	-1	-1/2	0	0.510998928	±0.000000011	1897
	ν _e	0	+1/2	0	<0.000002		1956
	μ	-1	-1/2	0	105.6583715	±0.0000035	1937
	ν _μ	0	+1/2	0	<0.19		1962
	τ	-1	-1/2	0	1776.82	±0.16	1975
	ν _τ	0	+1/2	0	<18.2		2000
Quarks	u	+2/3	+1/2	rgb	2.3	+0.7 -0.5	1969
	d	-1/3	-1/2	rgb	4.8	+0.7 -0.3	1969
	c	+2/3	+1/2	rgb	1275	±25	1974
	s	-1/3	-1/2	rgb	95	±5	1969
	t	+2/3	+1/2	rgb	173500	±600	1995
	b	-1/3	-1/2	rgb	4180	±30	1977 ₅





¿Por qué 3 familias?



Conservación de “familias”

$$\begin{array}{lcl} \mu^- & \rightarrow & e^- + \bar{\nu}_e + \nu_\mu \\ L: & 1 & = 1 - 1 + 1 \\ L_e: & 0 & = 1 - 1 + 0 \\ L_\mu: & 1 & = 0 + 0 + 1 \end{array}$$

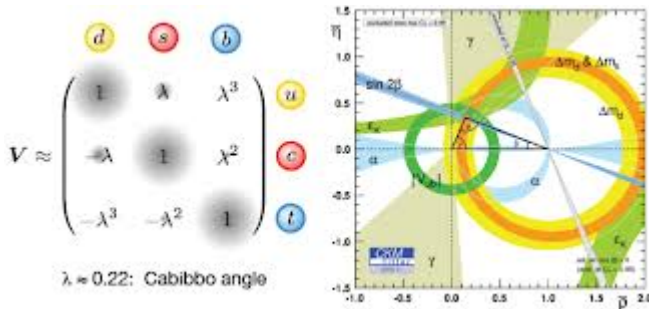


Matriz identidad en e,μ,τ,ν

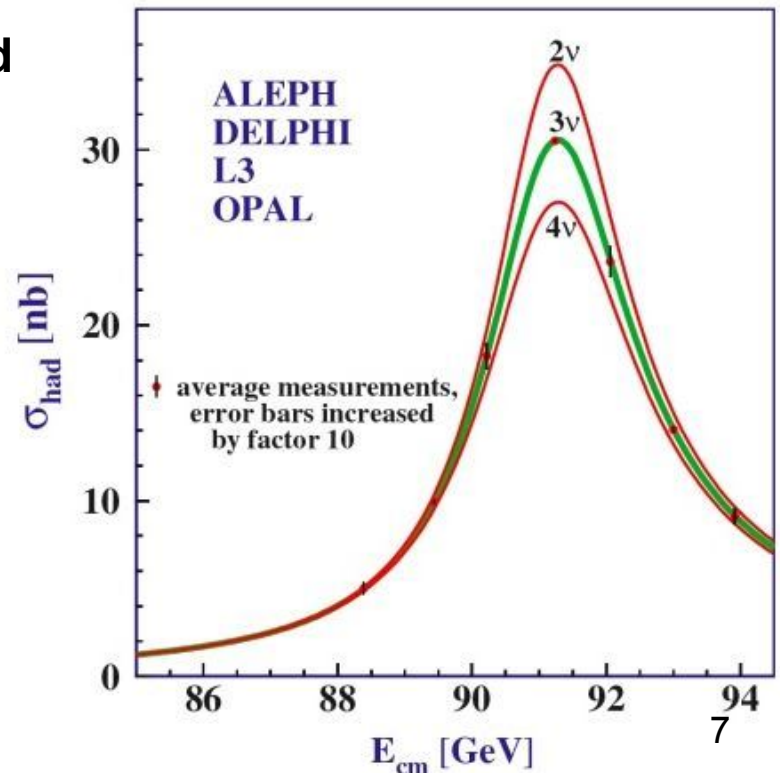
$$V_{\text{CKM}} \begin{bmatrix} |d'\rangle \\ |s'\rangle \\ |b'\rangle \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} |d\rangle \\ |s\rangle \\ |b\rangle \end{bmatrix} \quad 4 \text{ parámetros}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} |V_{ud}| & |V_{us}| & |V_{ub}| \\ |V_{cd}| & |V_{cs}| & |V_{cb}| \\ |V_{td}| & |V_{ts}| & |V_{tb}| \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.97428 \pm 0.00015 & 0.2253 \pm 0.0007 & 0.00347^{+0.00016}_{-0.00012} \\ 0.2252 \pm 0.0007 & 0.97345^{+0.00015}_{-0.00016} & 0.0410^{+0.0011}_{-0.0007} \\ 0.00862^{+0.00026}_{-0.00020} & 0.0403^{+0.0011}_{-0.0007} & 0.999152^{+0.00030}_{-0.00045} \end{bmatrix}$$

Quark	Symbol	Flavor	Charge	Mass (MeV)
Up	u	$I_3 = +1/2$	$+2/3$	1.5 to 4.0
Down	d	$I_3 = -1/2$	$-1/3$	4 to 8
Strange	s	$S = -1$	$-1/3$	80 to 130
Charm	c	$C = 1$	$+2/3$	1150 to 1350
Bottom	b	$B' = -1$	$-1/3$	4100 to 4400
Top	t	$T = 1$	$+2/3$	171400 ± 2100

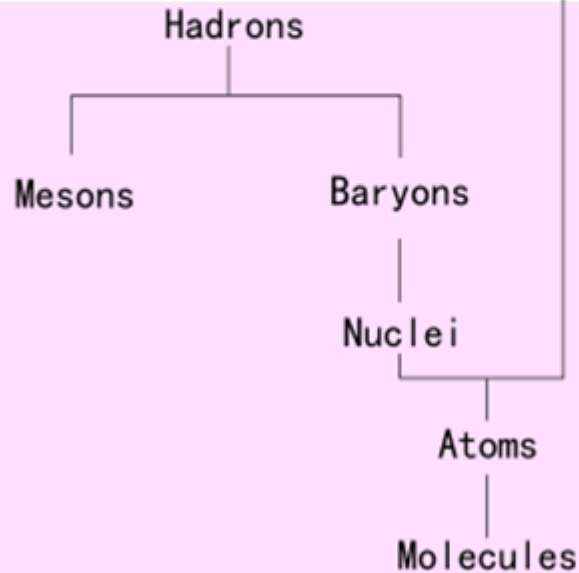
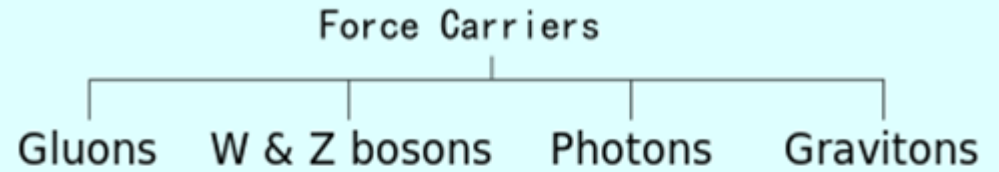
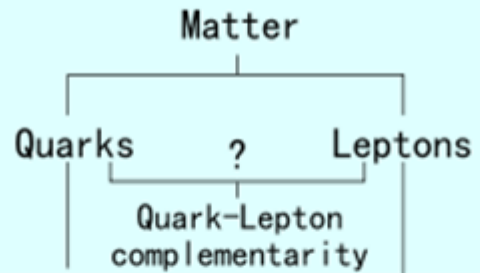


Los datos apuntan a 3 y sólo 3 generaciones

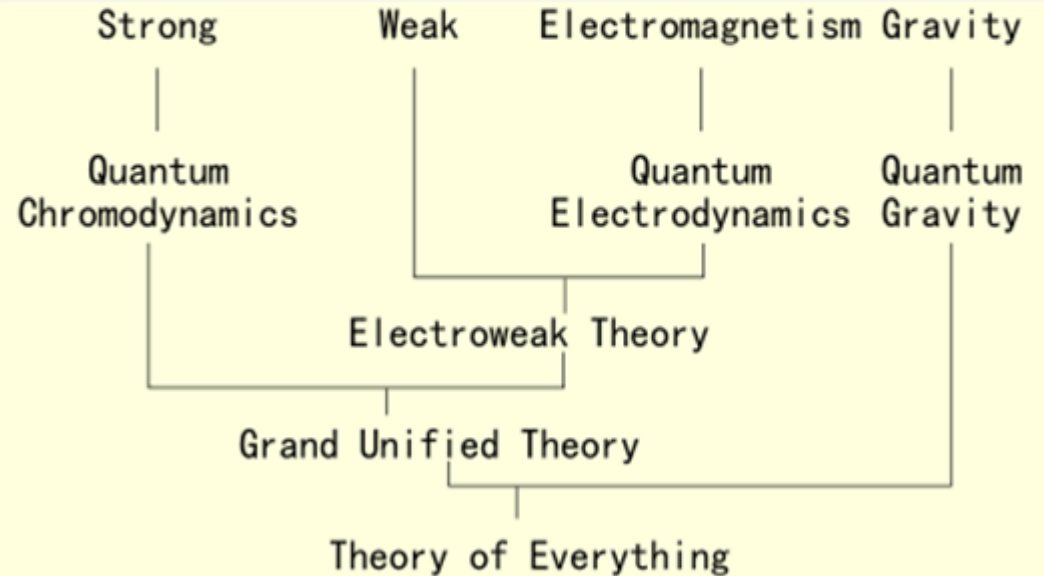


$$\sin \theta_c \approx 0.22 ; \theta_c \sim 13^\circ$$

Elementary Particles



Composite Particles



Forces

Bosones (estadística B-E, no afecta PE Pauli)

Boson	J	Q	Color	T ₃	Interacción	Masa (GeV/c ²)	τ (B-W)	Teoría	Predic ha	Descu bierta
γ	1	0		0	EM	0 ($<10^{-18}$ eV/c ²)	Estable	QED	1900	1900
W [±]	1	±1		±1	Débil	80.385± 0.015	3.15 x 10 ⁻²⁵ s	QED	1968	1983
Z	1	0		0	Débil	91.1876± 0.0021	2.63x 10 ⁻²⁵ s	QED	1968	1973
g (8)	1	0	Color + Acolo (octet)		Fuerte	0 (<0.0002 eV/c ²)	-	QCD	1962	1978
H	0	0			Masa	~125±1	1.56×10 ⁻²² s	EW	1964	2012 ?
G	2	0			Gravedad	0 ($<7 \times 10^{-32}$ eV)	Estable	QFT	1930	(no SM)

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Modelo Estándar

Tipo	Sabor	Generación	Antipartícula	Color	Total
quarks	2	3	2	3	36
leptones	2	3	2		12
gluon	1	1	1	8	8
W	1	1	2		2
Z	1	1	1		1
γ	1	1	1		1
H	1	1	1		1
Total					61

LEPTONS

e^- μ^- τ^-
 ν_e ν_μ ν_τ

ANTILEPTONS

e^+ μ^+ τ^+
 $\bar{\nu}_e$ $\bar{\nu}_\mu$ $\bar{\nu}_\tau$



18 parámetros
libres
(incluyendo 9
masas de
fermiones) en
primer orden

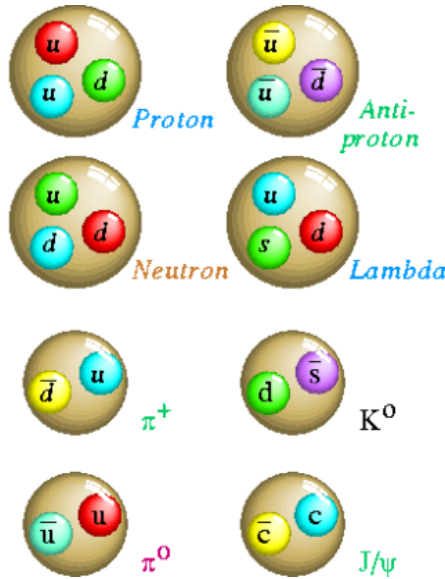
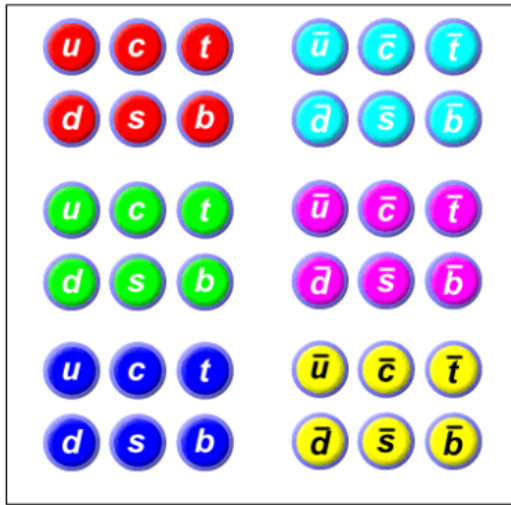
Quarks			Antiquarks		
u	c	b	$\bar{u}$	$\bar{c}$	$\bar{b}$
d	s	t	$\bar{d}$	$\bar{s}$	$\bar{t}$



-Q
-T3
-Color 10

Comparativa de fuerzas

Fuerza	Boson	Carga	Masa	Alcance	Acoplamiento
Fuerte	g	Color, g tiene carga	0	Limitado por interacción mutua de g (1fm)	$\alpha_s = 1$
EM	γ	Eléctrica, γ no tiene	0	∞	$\alpha = 1/137$
Débil	Z, W $^\pm$	Débil, W y Z la tienen	80,90 GeV/c ²	10 ⁻³ fm (10 ⁻¹⁸ m)	$\alpha_W = 10^{-6}$
Gravitatoria	G	Masa, G no tiene	0	∞	$\alpha_g = 10^{-39}$

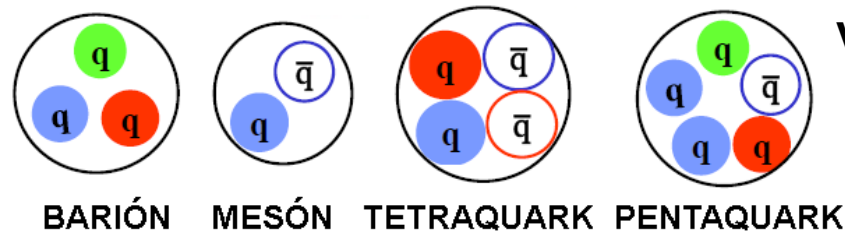
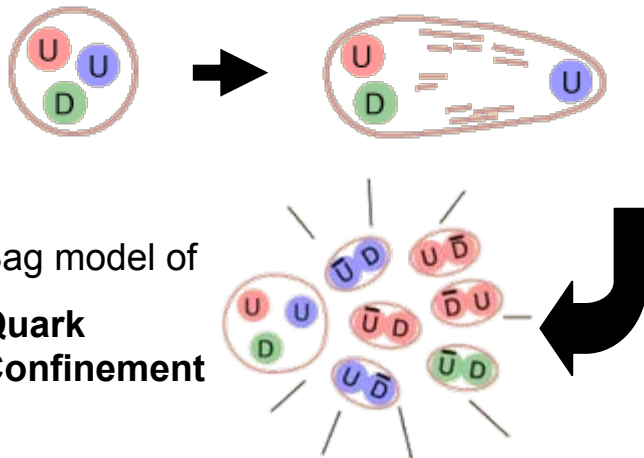


Fuerza fuerte. “Carga” de color:

- no tiene nada que ver con cromatismos... es un nombre
- partículas libres → carga neutra
- la energía del campo de color aumenta con la distancia, cae tras 1fm (**Asymptotic Freedom**)
- surge del PE de Pauli

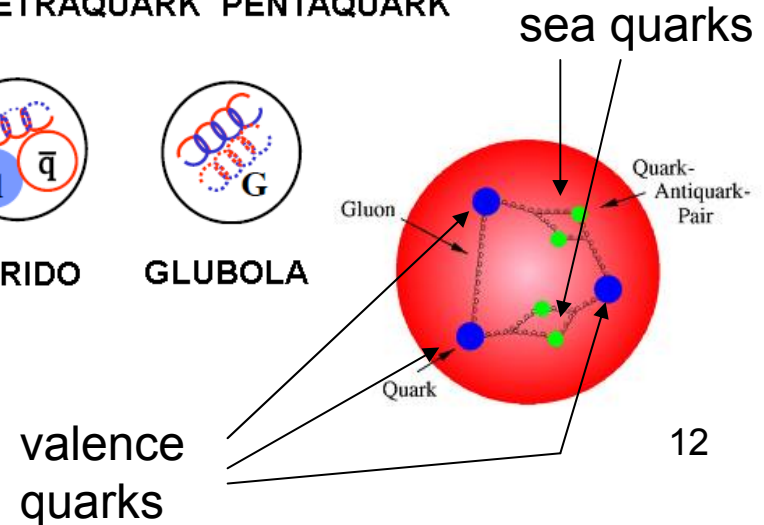
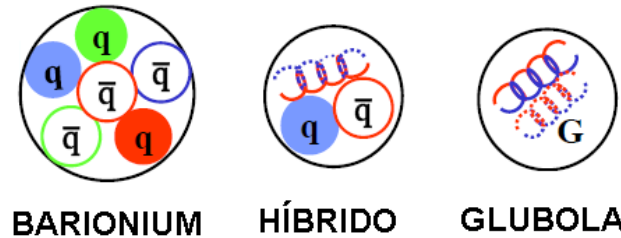
El propio portador de la fuerza (g), está cargado!!

Comparar con EM (γ)



$$V(r) = k \cdot r - 4\alpha_s/3r$$

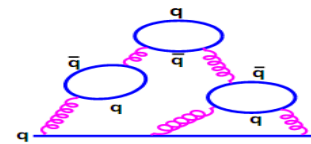
$k \approx 1 \text{ GeV/fm} = 160000 \text{ N}$



QED vs QCD

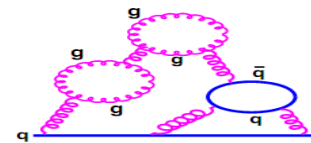
- ★ α_S specifies the strength of the strong interaction
- ★ BUT just as in QED, α_S isn't a constant, it "runs"
- ★ In QED the bare electron charge is screened by a cloud of virtual electron-positron pairs.
- ★ In QCD a similar effect occurs.

In QCD quantum fluctuations lead to a 'cloud' of virtual $q\bar{q}$ pairs



one of many (an infinite set) such diagrams analogous to those for QED.

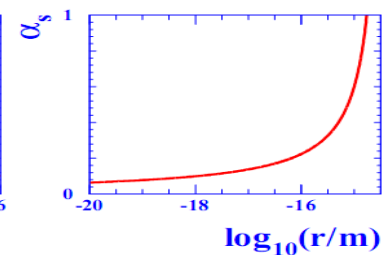
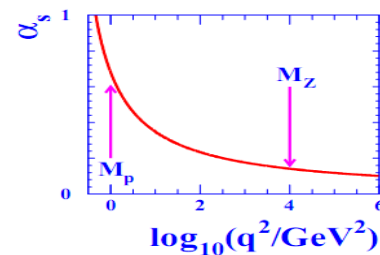
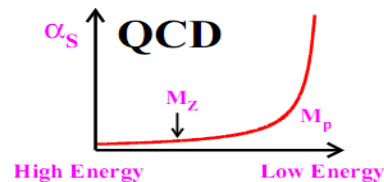
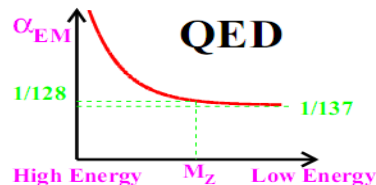
In QCD the gluon self-interactions ALSO lead to a 'cloud' of virtual gluons



one of many (an infinite set) such diagrams. Here there is no analogy in QED, photons don't have self-interactions since they don't carry the charge of the interaction.

Colour Anti-Screening

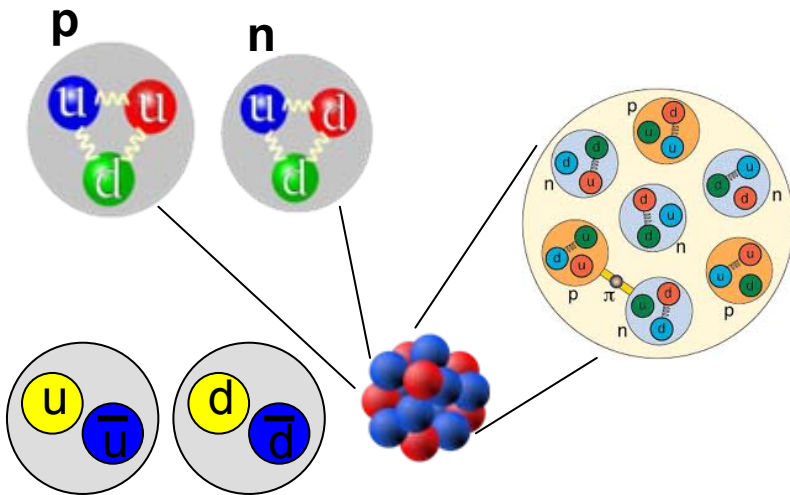
- ★ Due to the gluon self-interactions bare colour charge is screened by both virtual quarks and virtual gluons
- ★ The cloud of virtual gluons carries colour charge and the effective colour charge **INCREASES** with distance !
- ★ At low energies (large distances) α_S becomes large $\rightarrow$ can't use perturbation theory (not a weak perturbation)



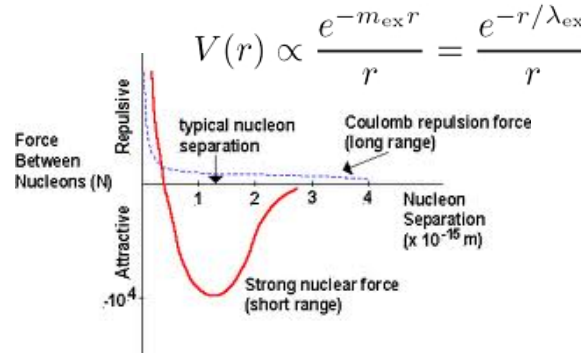
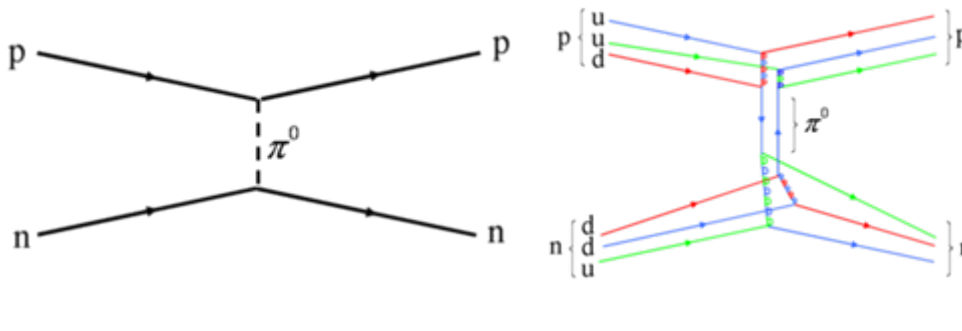
- ★ At High energies (short distances) α_S is small. In this regime treat quarks as free particles and can use perturbation theory
- ★ **ASYMPTOTIC FREEDOM**
- ★ At $\sqrt{s} = 100 \text{ GeV}$, $\alpha_S = 0.12$.

Fuerza nuclear

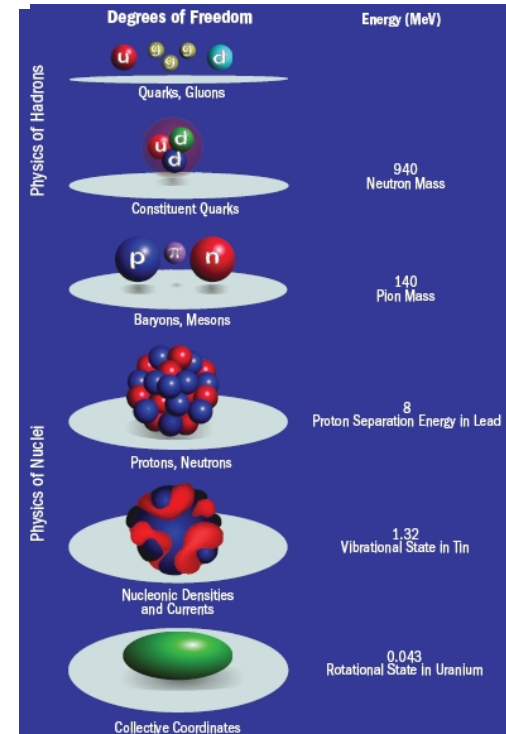
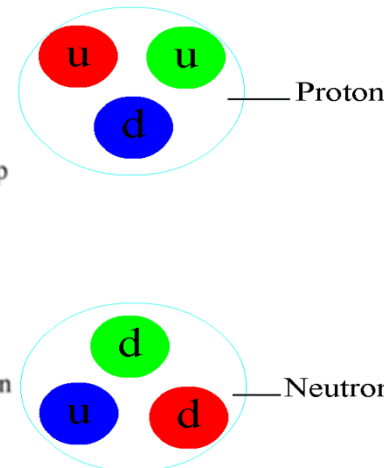
- Fuerza que une nucleones en el núcleo (n,p)
- Efecto residual de la interacción fuerte ($\equiv V_dW$)



$$\pi^0 = (u\bar{u} - d\bar{d})/\sqrt{2}$$

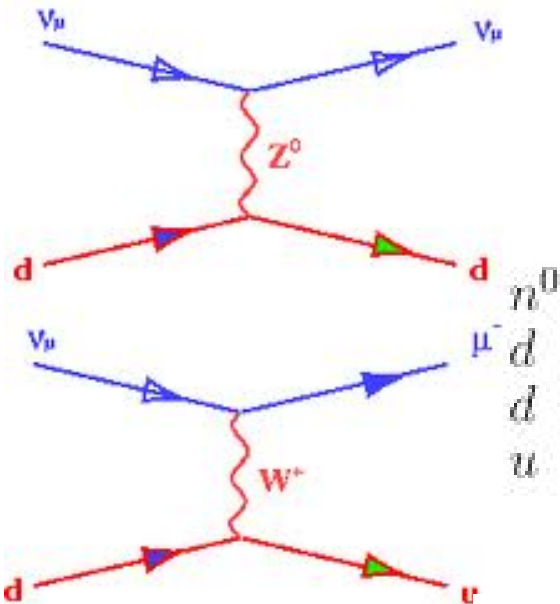


Potencial de Yukawa



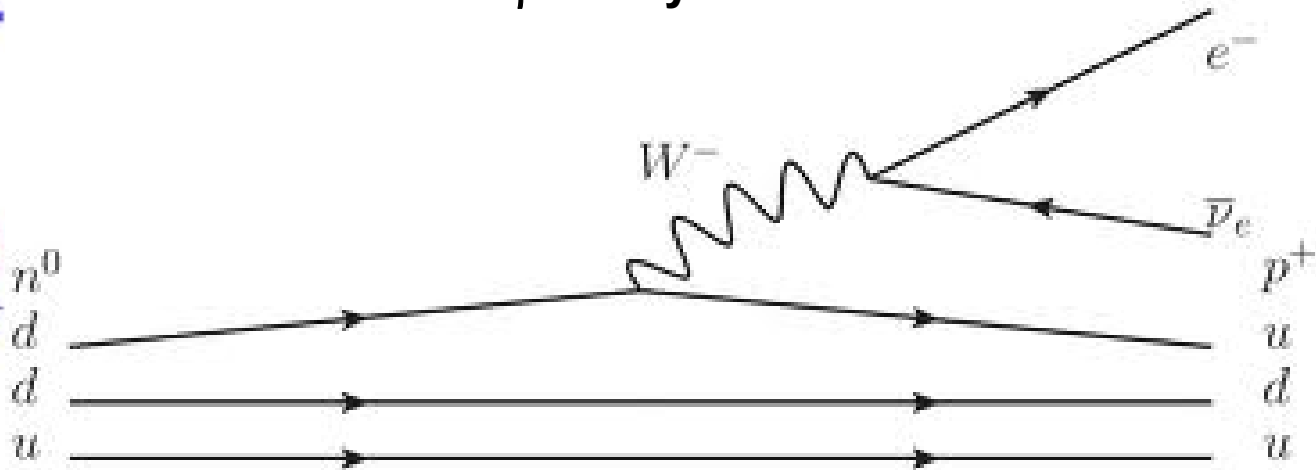
Neutral Currents, Charged Currents

Neutral

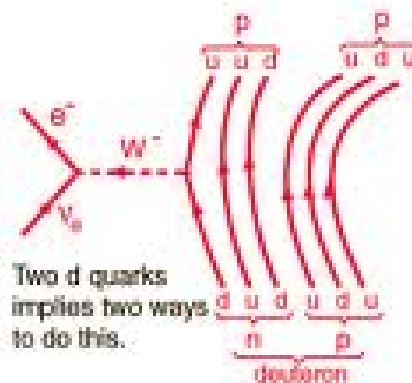


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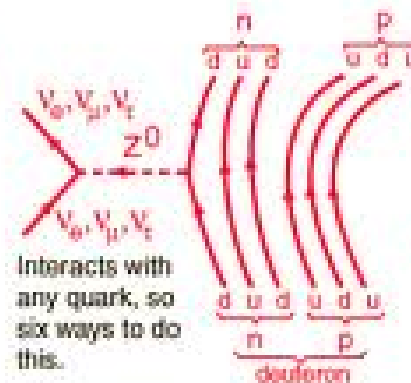
Neutron β decay



Corrientes cargadas
se explicaban por
intercambio de $W^\pm$



Charged current reaction,
electron neutrinos only.



Neutral current reaction,
all neutrinos.

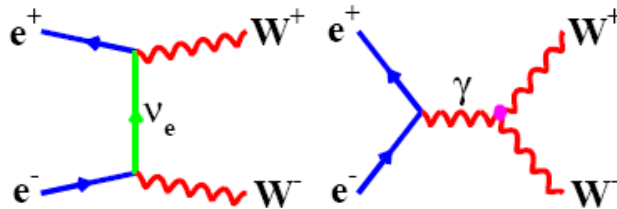


Elastic scattering with
any neutrino.

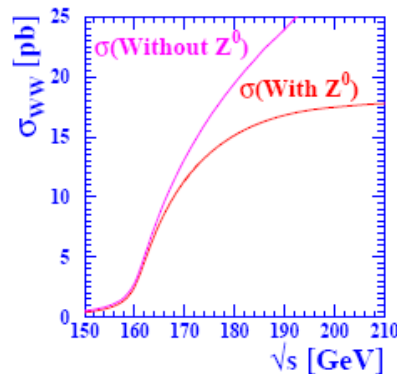
Carga (Electro)débil (I)

Consider $e^+e^- \rightarrow W^+W^-$

2 Diagrams
(+interference)



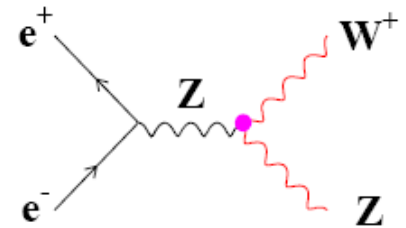
★ Cross section diverges at high energy



Divergence CURED by introducing Z^0

Extra Diagram

$e^+e^- \rightarrow W^+W^-$



- ★ Only works if $\gamma, W^\pm, Z^0$ couplings related !
- ★ ELECTRO-WEAK UNIFICATION

Carga (Electro)débil (II)

Glashow (1961), Weinberg (1967) and Salam (1968) model treats EM and WEAK interactions as different manifestations of a **UNIFIED** force.

- ★ It is somewhat *ad hoc*
- ★ But gives concrete predictions - i.e. a testable theory
- ★ provides perfect description of precise data

“Basic idea” - start with 4 massless bosons, $\{W^+, W^0, W^-\}$ and B^0 . The neutral bosons **mix** to give physical **BOSONS**, (the particles we see), i.e. the $W^\pm$, Z^0 and γ .

$$\begin{pmatrix} W^+ \\ W^0 \\ W^- \end{pmatrix}, B \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} W^+ \\ Z^0 \\ W^- \end{pmatrix}, \gamma$$

Physical Fields : $W^\pm, Z^0, A$ (photon)

$$Z^0 = W^0 \cos \theta_W - B \sin \theta_W$$

$$A = W^0 \sin \theta_W + B \cos \theta_W$$

θ_W : weak mixing angle

(Weinberg angle $\sim 30^\circ$)

Carga (Electro)débil (III)

$W^\pm$ and Z^0 'acquire' mass via the **HIGGS MECHANISM**

The beauty of the model is that it makes **exact** predictions:

★ Weak coupling constant: $e = g \sin \theta_w$

★ The mass of the Z^0 boson

$$M_{Z^0} = \frac{M_W}{\cos \theta_W}$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_W = 0.2324 \pm 0.0012$$

★ The couplings of the Z^0 boson

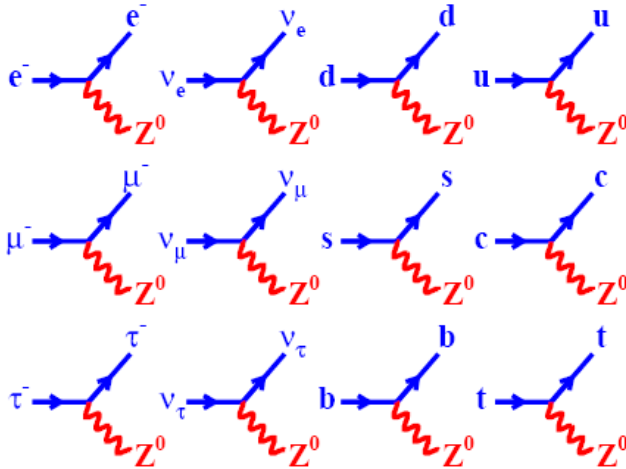
★ **ONLY 3 free parameters !**

IF we know $\{\alpha_{em}, G_F, \sin \theta_W\}$ everything else is **FIXED**, i.e. predict M_W, M_{Z^0} , couplings, etc.

$$\frac{G_F}{(\hbar c)^3} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{8} \frac{g^2}{m_W^2} = 1.16637(1) \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}^{-2} .$$

Carga (Electro)débil (IV)

★ **WEAK Neutral Current (NC)** interactions are mediated by the Z^0 boson.



Neutral Currents

Nuevo número
cuántico: Isospin
débil (T) y su
tercera
componente T_3

★ **WEAK NC NEVER** changes flavour

★ Z^0 couplings are a “**MIXTURE**” of weak and electro-magnetic couplings

★ **WEAK NC** couplings therefore depend on $\sin^2 \theta_W$

Z^0 couplings are a mixture of **EM (VECTOR)** and **WEAK (VECTOR—AXIAL-VECTOR)** couplings

En la práctica:

$$g_Z = g_W (T_3 - Q \sin^2 \theta_W) / \cos \theta_W$$

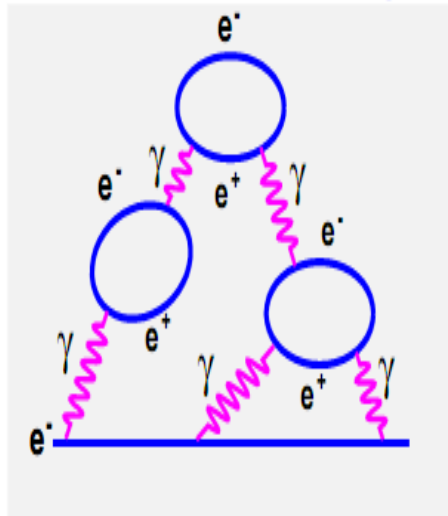
$$\frac{g}{\cos \theta_W} \frac{1}{2} \gamma^\mu (C_V - C_A \gamma^5)$$

Form of neutral current couplings are determined by the **WEAK MIXING ANGLE** θ_W

QED

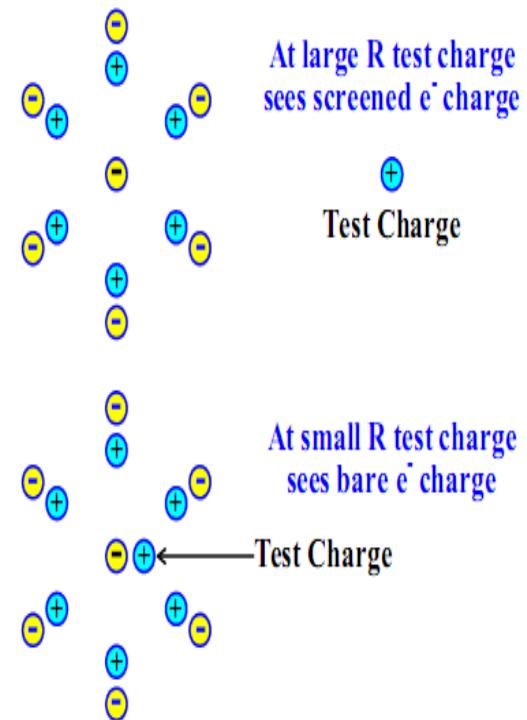
- ★ $\alpha = \frac{e^2}{4\pi}$ specifies the strength of the interaction between an electron and photon.
- ★ BUT α isn't a constant

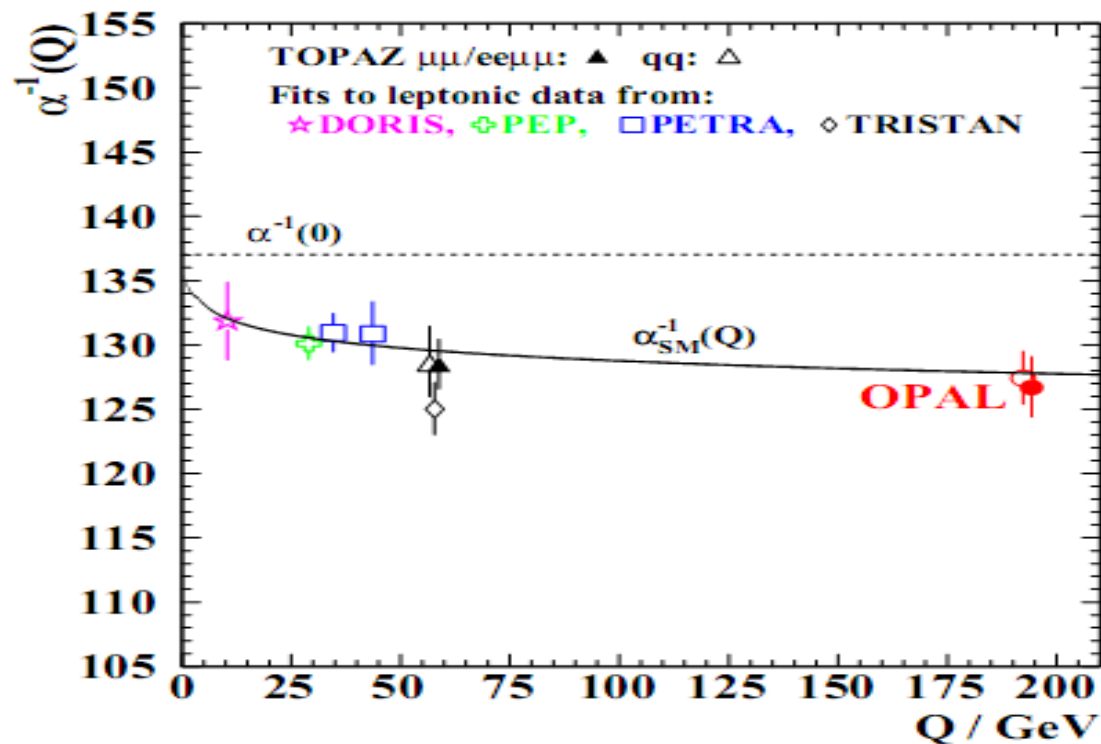
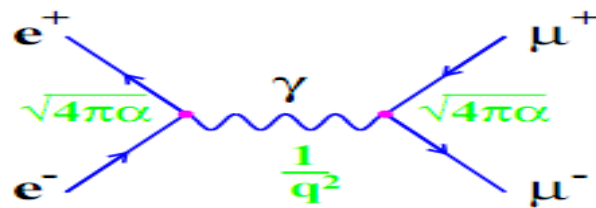
Consider a free electron: Quantum fluctuations lead to a 'cloud' of virtual electron/positron pairs



this is just one of many (an infinite set) such diagrams.

- ★ The vacuum acts like a dielectric medium
- ★ The virtual e^+e^- pairs are polarized
- ★ At large distances the **bare** electron charge is screened.

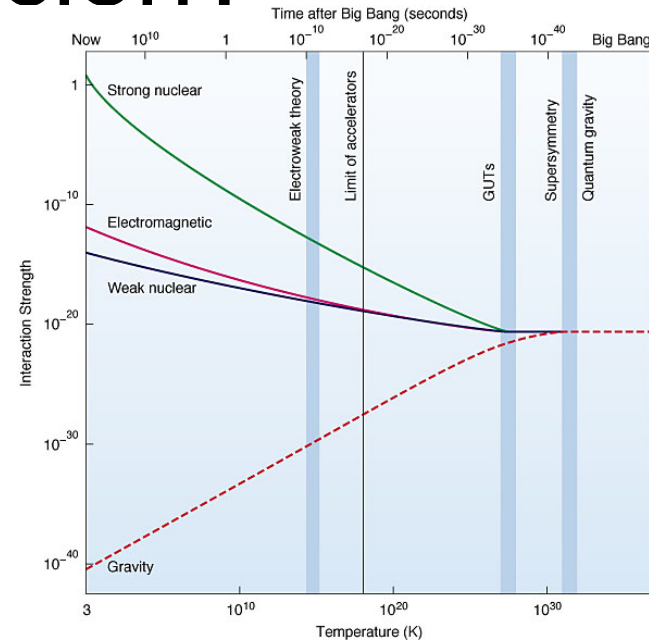




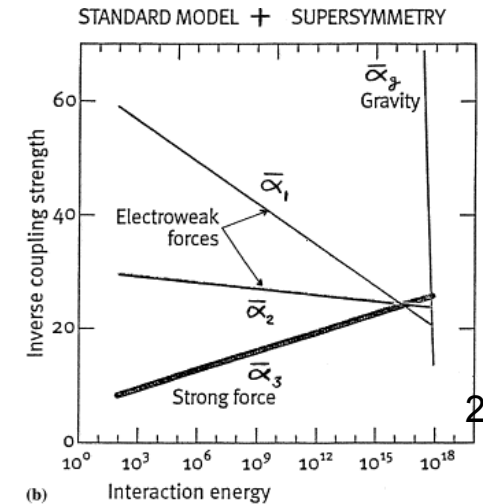
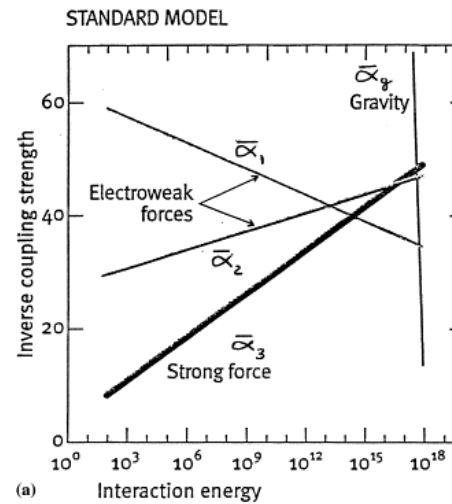
- ★ α increases with the increasing q^2 (i.e. closer to the bare charge).
- ★ At $q^2 = 0$: $\alpha = 1/137$
- ★ At $q^2 = (100 \text{ GeV})^2$: $\alpha = 1/128$

Comparación de fuerzas: unificación?

Fuerza	$\alpha = g^2/4\pi$	Carga (g)
EM	α_{EM}	$e = g_W \sin \theta_W$
Debil	α_W	g_W
Fuerte	α_S	g_S



La fortaleza intrínseca de la interacción Débil es mayor que la EM, pero a bajas energías (q^2) parece más débil debido a la gran masa de los propagadores W y Z



Leyes de conservación

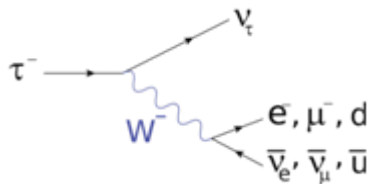
- **Cantidades físicas conservadas:** Energía (E), momento (p), momento angular (L), carga (Q), color (g_s), número bariónico (B=1 para bariones, B=0 para mesones) y los tres números leptónicos (L_e, L_μ, L_τ)
- Las **paridades C** (inversión de carga) y **P** (inversión en el espacio) se conservan en la fuerza Fuerte y EM. En la Débil no:
 - **CC:** violación de la paridad máxima, fermiones l-h and anti fermiones r-h
 - **NC:** violación parcial de la simetría de paridad
- **Sabor:** Sólo la **CC** transforma un tipo de quark en otro tipo (de diferente sabor) y un tipo de leptón en otro → **el sabor se conserva** en el resto de interacciones

$$\mu^- \rightarrow e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu,$$

$$\tau^- \rightarrow e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\tau,$$

$$\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu,$$

$$n \rightarrow p e^- \bar{\nu}_e, \dots$$



$$p + \mu^- \rightarrow \pi^0 + n$$

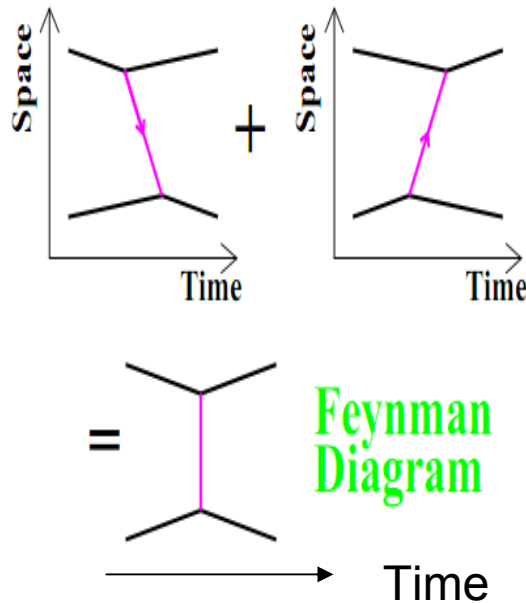
$$e^+ + e^- \rightarrow \nu_\mu + \bar{\nu}_\mu$$

$$\pi^- \rightarrow e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$$

$$\tau^- \rightarrow \pi^- + \bar{\nu}_e$$

Diagramas de Feynman (I)

- ★ The sum of time orderings are represented by
FEYNMAN DIAGRAMS

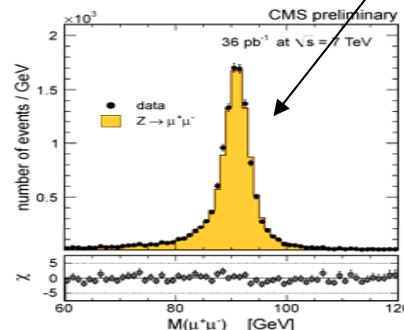


- ★ Energy and Momentum are conserved at the
interaction **vertices**

Virtual Particles:

- ★ Forces due to exchanged particle **X** which is termed **VIRTUAL**.
- ★ The exchanged particle is **off mass-shell**, i.e. for the **unobservable** exchanged **VIRTUAL** particle $E^2 \neq p^2 + m_X^2$.
- ★ i.e. $m^2 = E_X^2 - p_X^2$ does not give the physical mass, m_X . The mass of the virtual particle $m^2 = E_X^2 - p_X^2$ can be +ve or -ve.

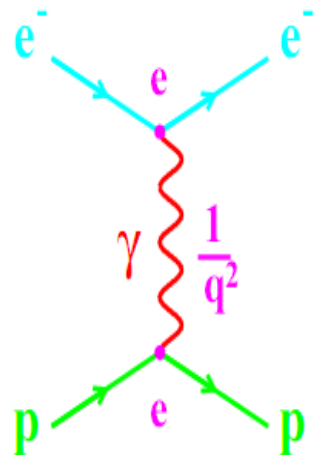
Qualitatively: the propagator is inversely proportional to how far the particle is off-shell. The further off-shell, the smaller the probability of producing such a virtual state.



Diagramas de Feynman (II)

Scattering cross sections calculated from:

- ★ Fermion wave functions
- ★ Vertex Factors : coupling strength
- ★ Propagator
- ★ Phase Space



Electron Current

Propagator

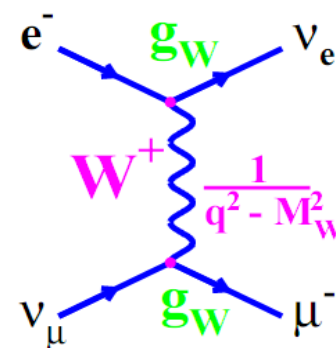
Proton Current

Matrix element M factorises into 3 terms :

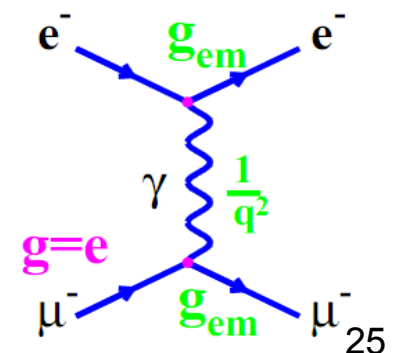
$$\begin{aligned}
 -iM &= \langle \bar{u}_e | ie\gamma^\mu | u_e \rangle \quad \text{Electron Current} \\
 &\times \frac{-ig^{\mu\nu}}{q^2} \quad \text{Photon Propagator} \\
 &\times \langle \bar{u}_p | ie\gamma^\nu | u_p \rangle \quad \text{Proton Current}
 \end{aligned}$$

The factors γ^μ and $g^{\mu\nu}$ are 4×4 matrices which account for the spin-structure of the interaction

WEAK INTERACTION

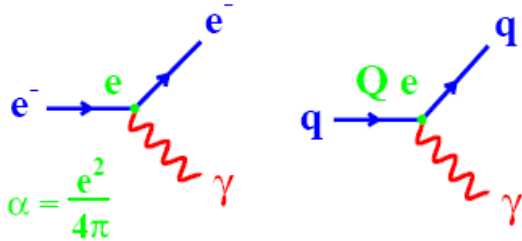


QED



Resumen de Vértices en el SM

ELECTROMAGNETIC (QED)



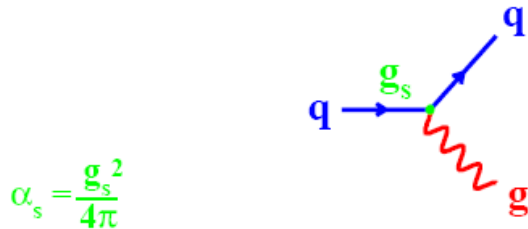
Couples to **CHARGE**

Does **NOT** change
FLAVOUR

El elemento de matriz es
proporcional a:

- **fuerza de la interacción**
(vértice $\rightarrow g$)
- **momento intercambiado**
(propagador $\rightarrow q$)

STRONG (QCD)



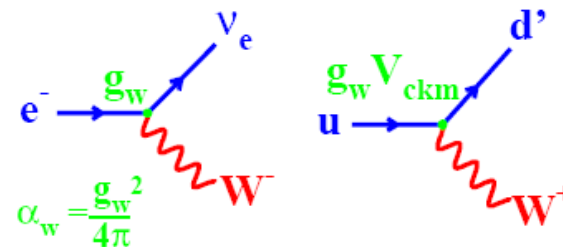
Couples to **COLOUR**

Does **NOT** change
FLAVOUR

Cualitativamente, se
traduce en una
probabilidad:

$$M \rightarrow \sigma \sim |M|^2$$

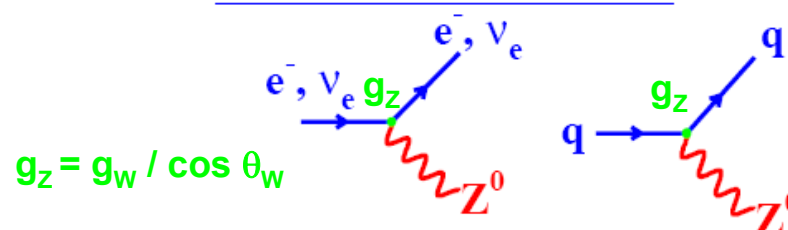
WEAK Charged Current



Changes **FLAVOUR**

For **QUARKS**: coupling
BETWEEN generations

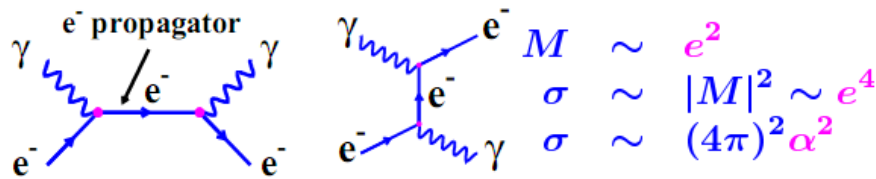
WEAK Neutral Current



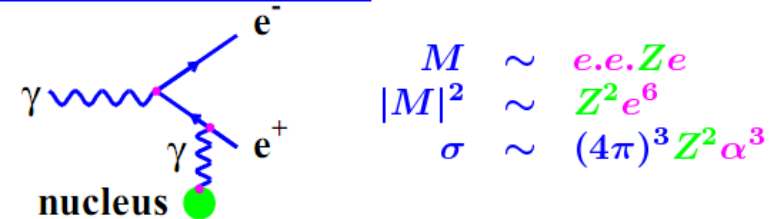
Does **NOT** change
FLAVOUR

Ejemplo (I)

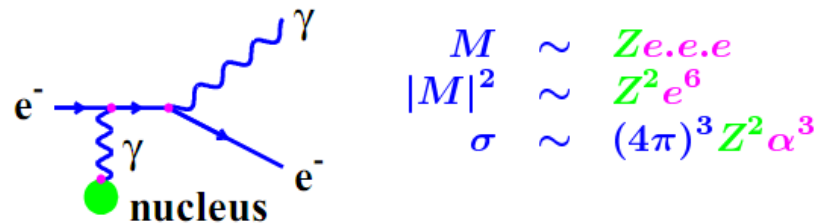
Compton Scattering



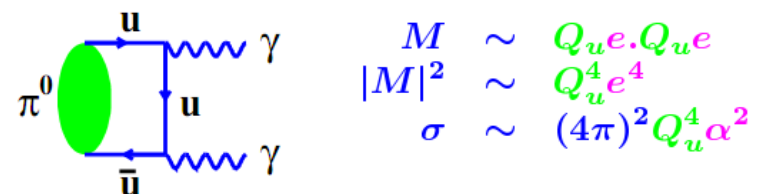
e^+e^- Pair Production



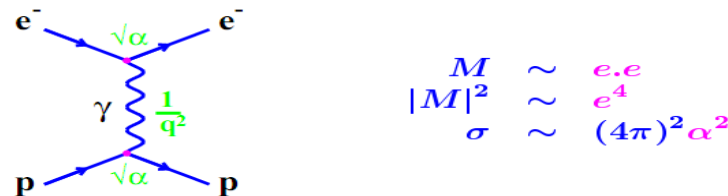
Bremsstrahlung



π^0 Decay

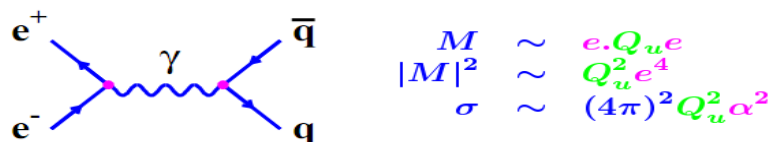


Electron-Proton Scattering



Coupling strength determines 'order of magnitude' of matrix element. For particles interacting/decaying via electromagnetic interaction: typical values for cross sections/lifetimes

e^+e^- Annihilation

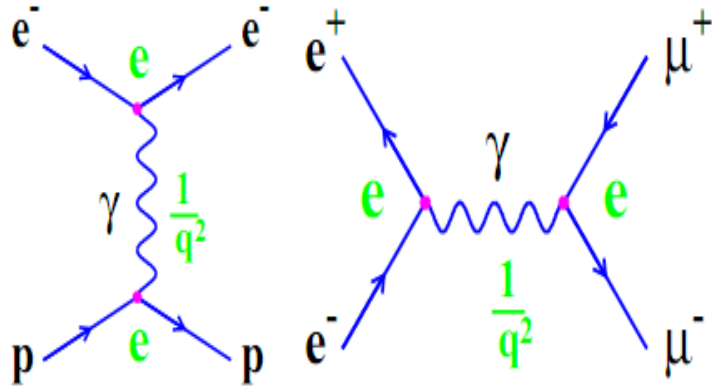


$$\sigma_{em} \sim 10^{-2} \text{ mb}$$

$$\tau_{em} \sim 10^{-20} \text{ s}$$

Ejemplo (II)

- ★ electron-proton scattering
- ★ electron-positron annihilation



Here we will consider the case where all particles are spin-0, (see lecture on Dirac Equation for complete treatment)

Fermi's Golden rule and Born Approximation:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = 2\pi |M|^2 d\rho(E_f)/d\Omega$$

For both processes write the SAME matrix element

$$M = \frac{e^2}{q^2} = \frac{4\pi\alpha}{q^2}$$

However, the four-momentum transfer ($q^2 = E^2 - \tilde{q}^2$) is very different ($\tilde{q}$ is the 3-momentum of the virtual photon)

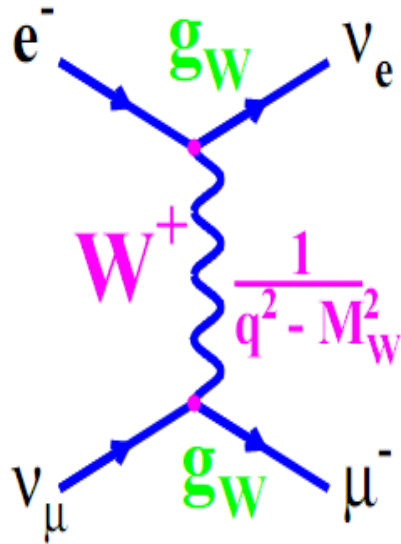
- ★ Elastic e^- -proton scattering : $q = (0, \tilde{q})$

$$q^2 = -|\tilde{q}|^2$$

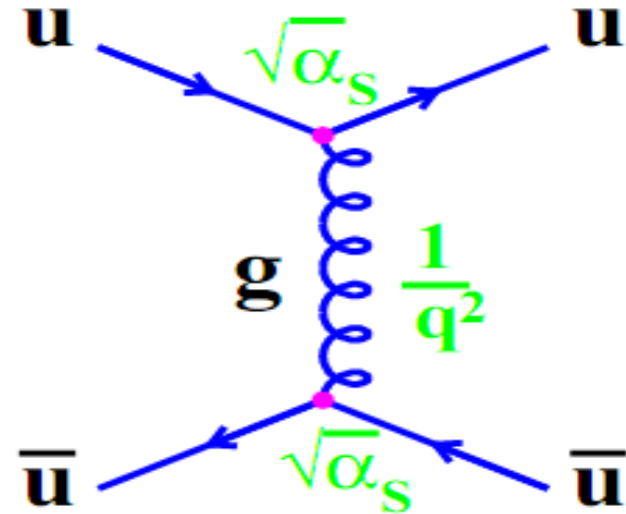
- ★ e^+e^- annihilation : $q = (2E, 0)$

$$q^2 = +4E^2$$

Ejemplo (III)



$$\frac{d\sigma}{dq^2} = \frac{1}{32\pi} \frac{g_w^4}{(q^2 - M_W^2)^2}$$



$$M \sim \frac{1}{q^2} \sqrt{\alpha_s} \sqrt{\alpha_s} \Rightarrow \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \sim \frac{(\alpha_s)^2}{\sin^4 \theta / 2}$$

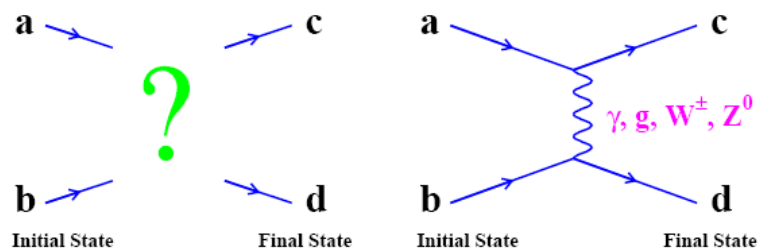
Genericamente: $M \sim \alpha_x / (q^2 - (M_{\text{propagador}})^2)$; $x = S, EM, W$

Reglas generales

If all are particles (or all anti-particles) e.g.

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

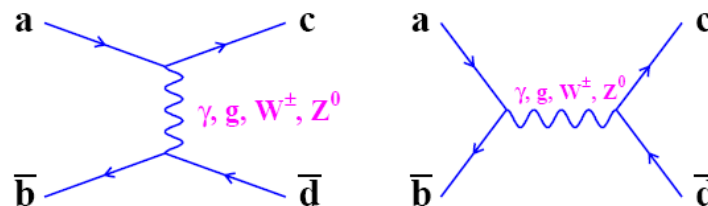
- ★ First write down initial/final state particles/anti-particles.
- ★ Only scattering diagrams involved
- ★ Work out which **bosons** can be exchanged



If particles and anti-particles e.g.

$$a + \bar{b} \rightarrow c + \bar{d}$$

- ★ First write down initial/final state particles/anti-particles.
- ★ Can have scattering and/or annihilation diagrams
- ★ Again work out which **bosons** can be exchanged



- ★ In all cases only Standard Model vertices allowed.

② Conservation of

- ★ Energy - is it kinematically allowed
- ★ Charge
- ★ Angular Momentum

③ Parity

- ★ Conserved in EM/STRONG interactions
- ★ CAN be violated in CC and NC WEAK interactions

④ Check SYMMETRY for IDENTICAL particles in the final state

- ★ **BOSONS** : $\psi(1, 2) = +\psi(2, 1)$
- ★ **FERMIONS** : $\psi(1, 2) = -\psi(2, 1)$

① Draw SIMPLEST Feynman diagram using

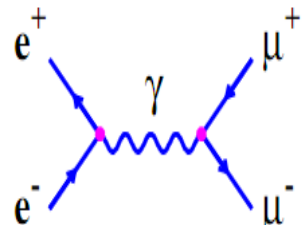
Standard Model vertices. Bearing in mind:

- ★ Similar diagrams for particles/anti-particles
- ★ NEVER have a vertex connecting a LEPTON to a QUARK
 - conservation of lepton number
 - conservation of baryon number
- ★ Only the WEAK CC vertex changes FLAVOUR
 - within generations for leptons
 - within/between generations for quarks

LO vs NLO, NNLO,....

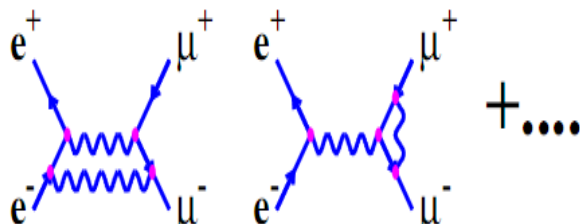
So far only considered **lowest order** term in the perturbation series. Higher order terms also contribute

Lowest Order:



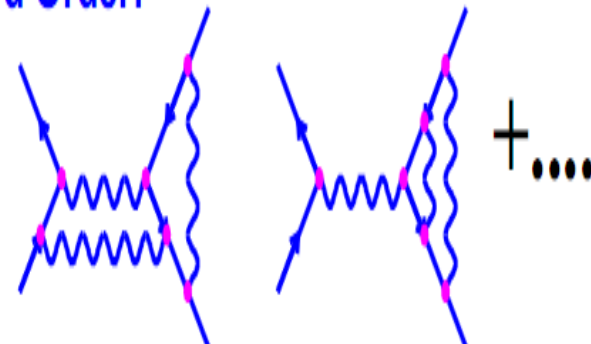
$$|M|^2 \propto \alpha^2 \sim \frac{1}{137^2}$$

Second Order:



$$|M|^2 \propto \alpha^4 \sim \frac{1}{137^4}$$

Third Order:



$$|M|^2 \propto \alpha^6 \sim \frac{1}{137^6}$$

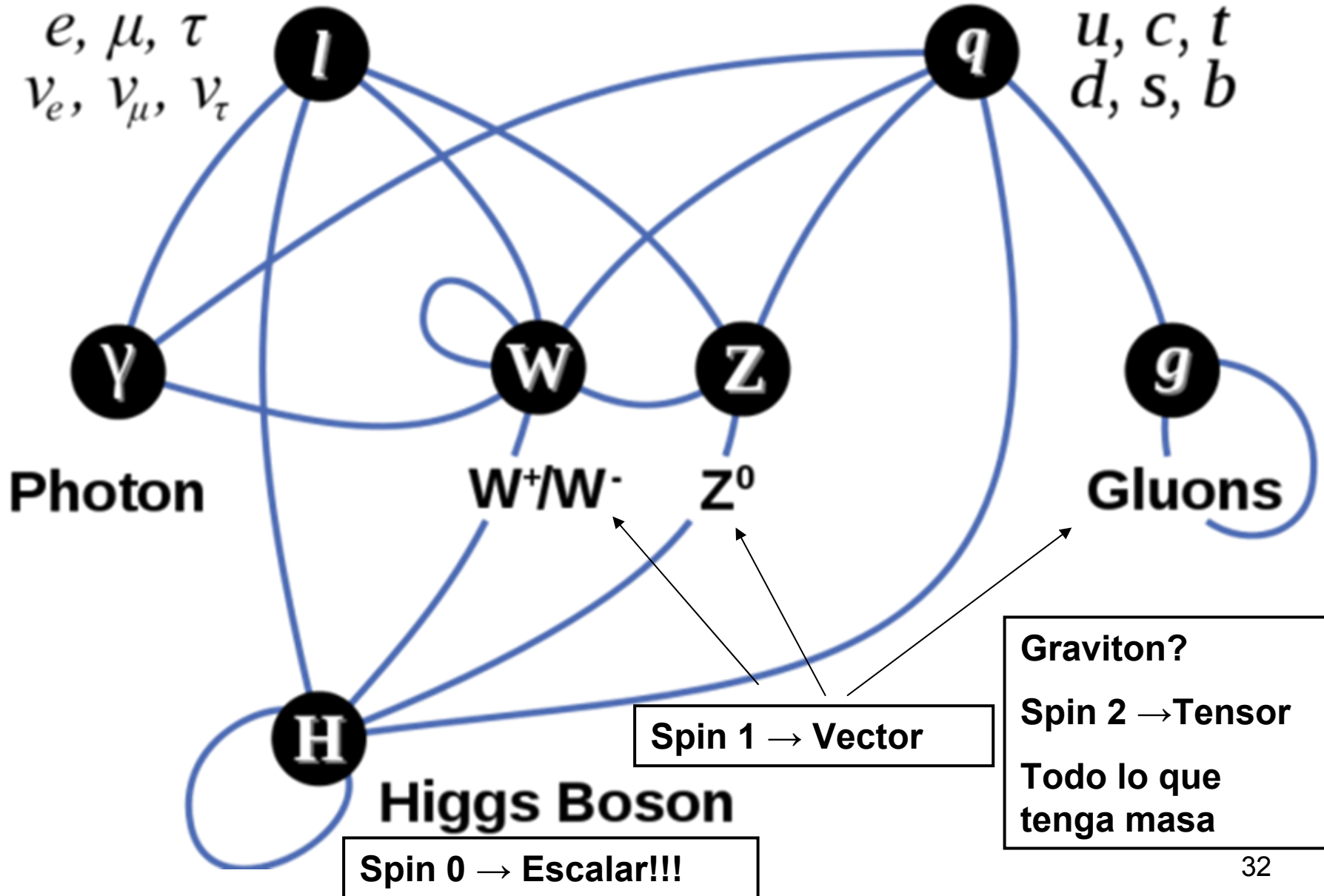
Second order suppressed by α^2 relative to first order. Provided α is small, i.e. perturbation is small, lowest order dominates.

Leptons

e, μ, τ
 ν_e, ν_μ, ν_τ

Quarks

u, c, t
 d, s, b





Spontaneous Symmetry Breaking



Spontaneous Symmetry Breaking



Ruptura espontánea de la simetría electrodébil (EWSB)

In the SM, if gauge boson and fermion masses are put by hand in $\mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}}$

breaking of gauge symmetry $\Rightarrow$ spontaneous EW symmetry breaking

$\Rightarrow$ introduce a doublet of complex scalar fields: $\Phi = \begin{pmatrix} \phi^+ \\ \phi^0 \end{pmatrix}$, $Y_\Phi = +1$

with a Lagrangian that is invariant under $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$

$$\mathcal{L}_S = (D^\mu \Phi)^\dagger (D_\mu \Phi) - \mu^2 \Phi^\dagger \Phi - \lambda (\Phi^\dagger \Phi)^2$$

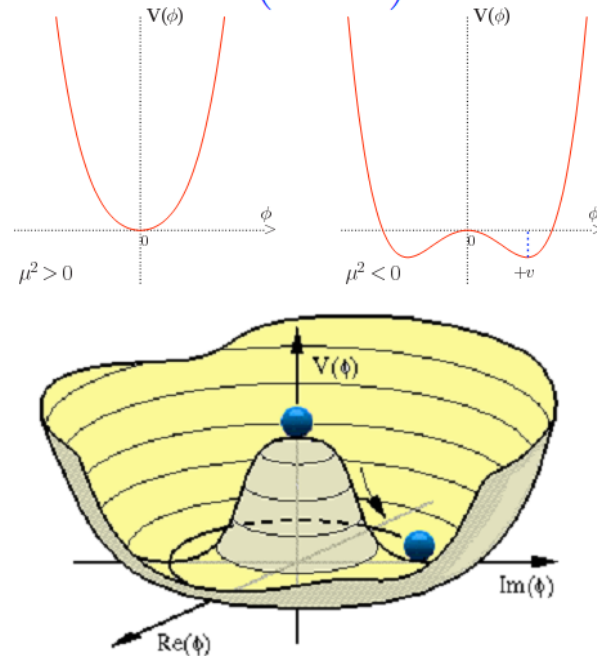
$\mu^2 > 0$: 4 scalar particles.

$\mu^2 < 0$: Φ develops a vev:

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

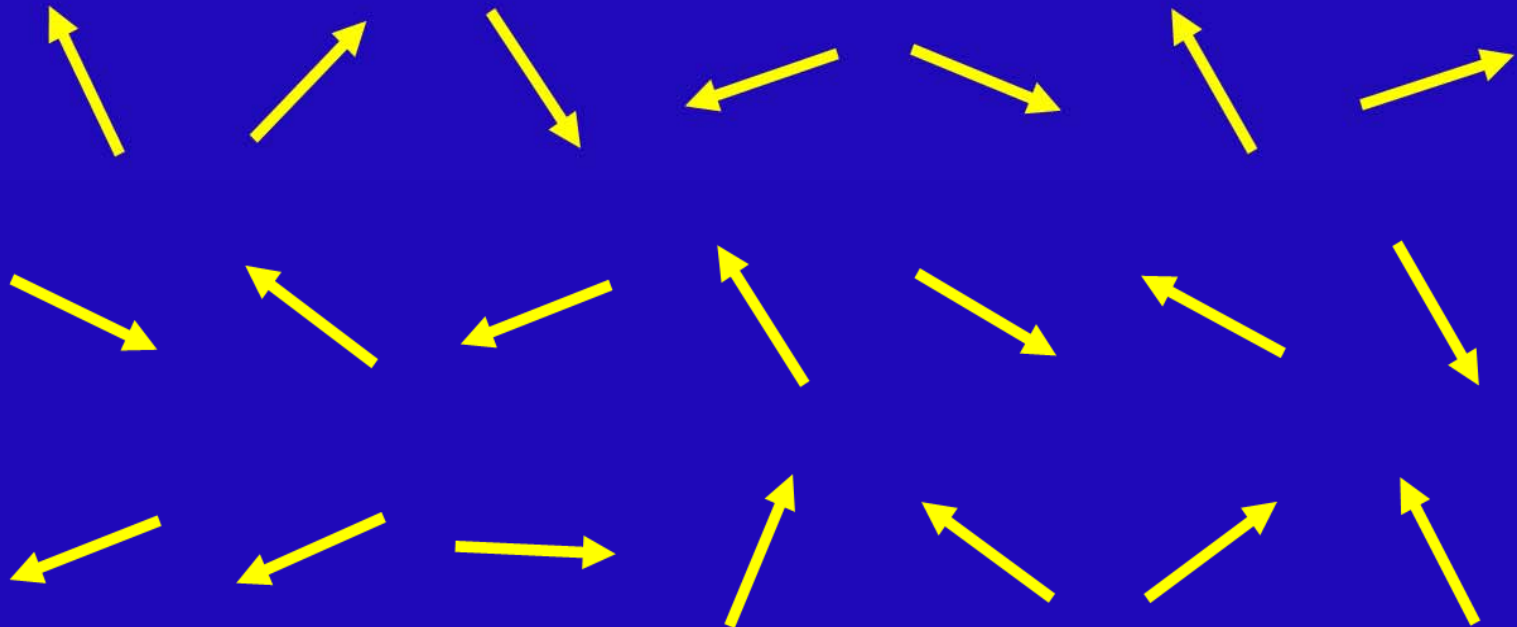
with $v \equiv \text{vev} = (-\mu^2/\lambda)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

To obtain the physical states,
write $\mathcal{L}_S$ with the true vacuum:



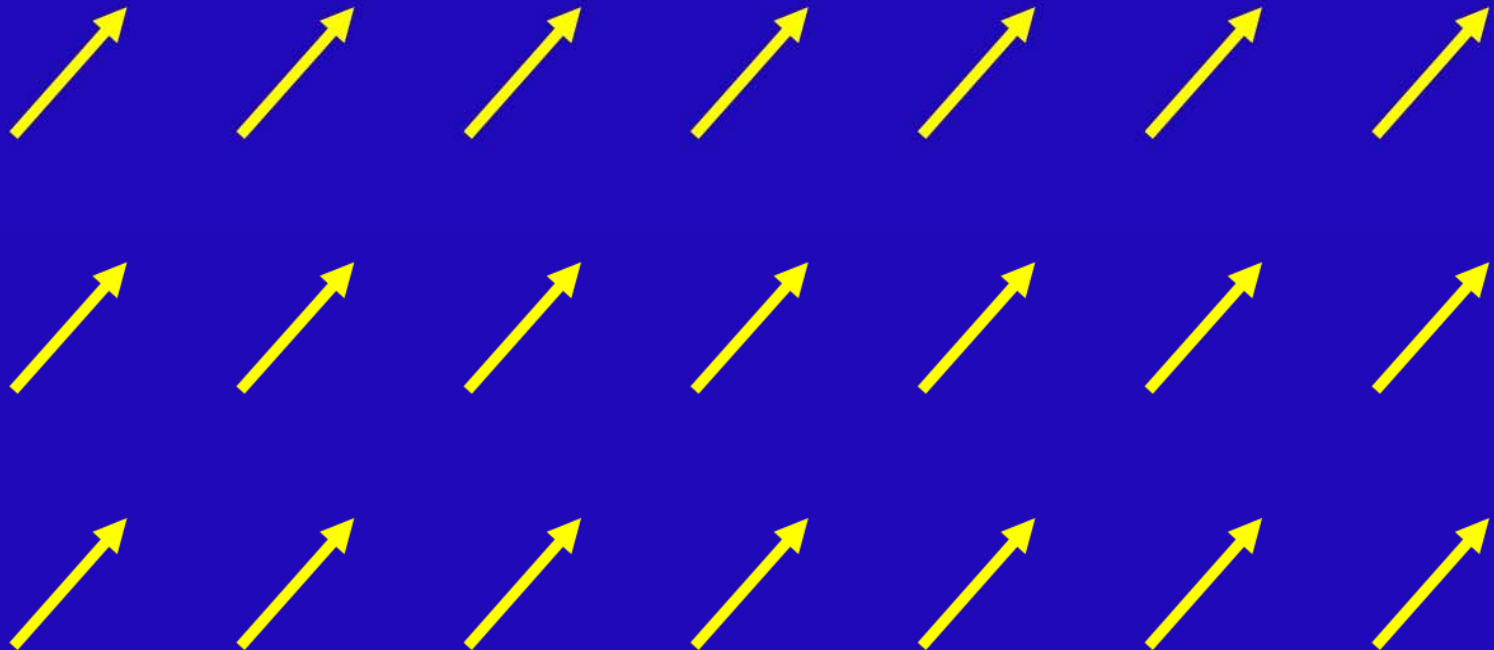
FERROMAGNET

$T > T_c$

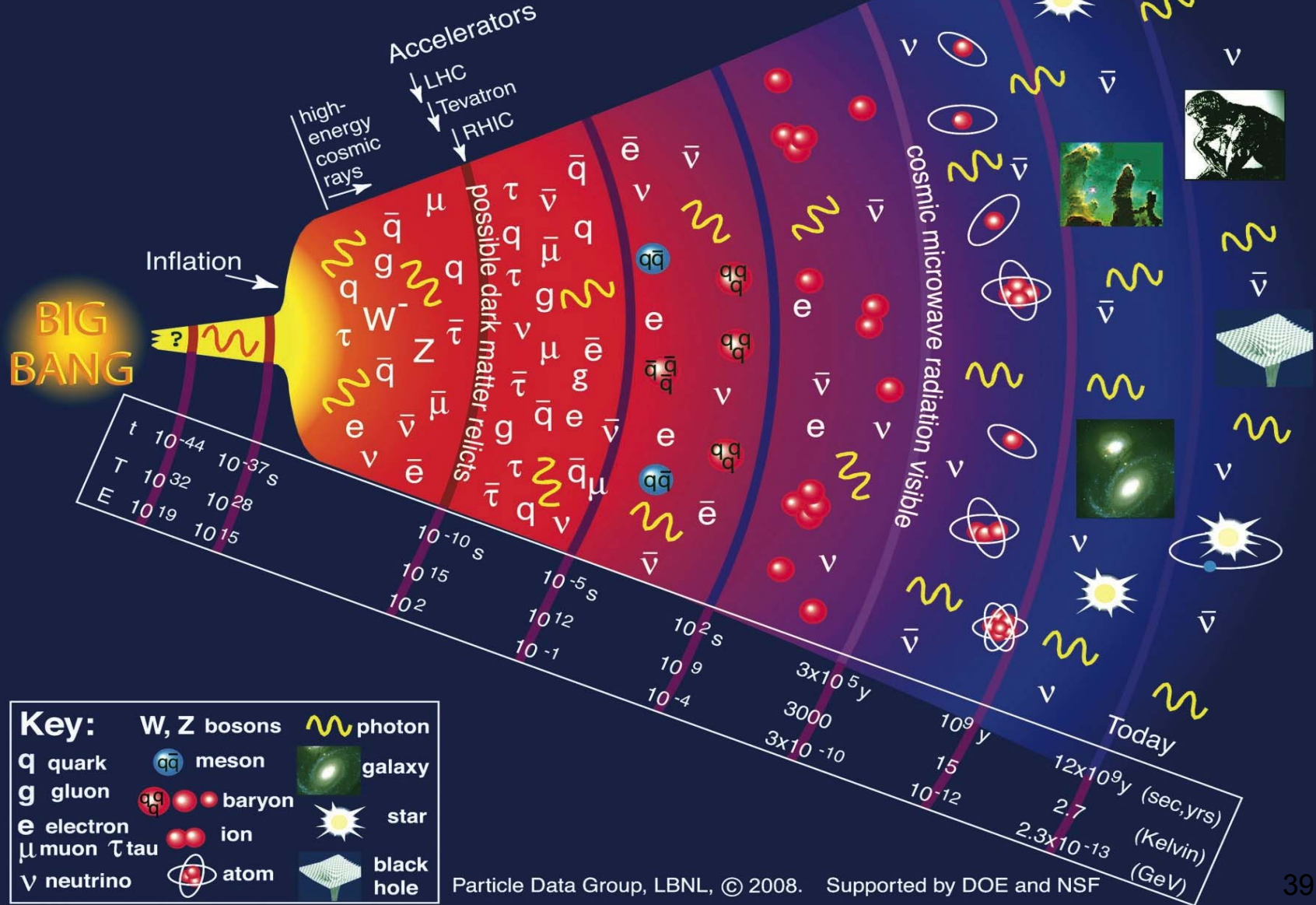


FERROMAGNET

$$T < T_C$$



History of the Universe



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SCALAR POTENCIAL

$$\mathcal{L}(\phi) = \partial_\mu \phi^\dagger \partial^\mu \phi - V(\phi)$$

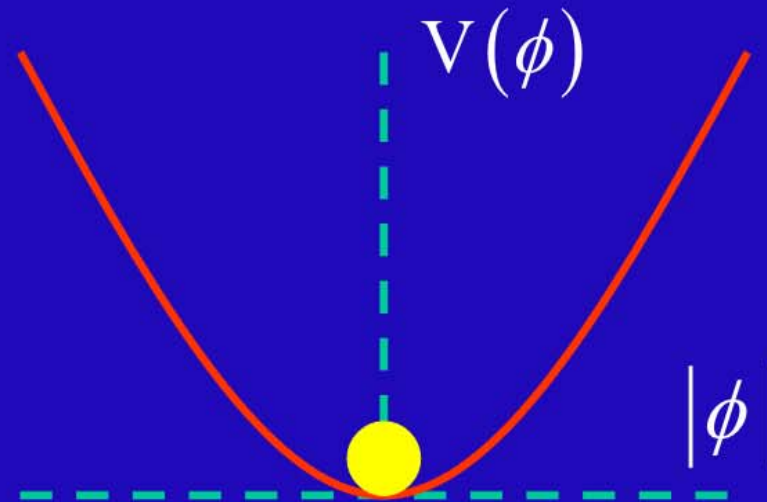
$$V(\phi) = \mu^2 \phi^\dagger \phi + h (\phi^\dagger \phi)^2$$

Phase Symmetry:

$$\phi(x) \rightarrow e^{i\theta} \phi(x)$$

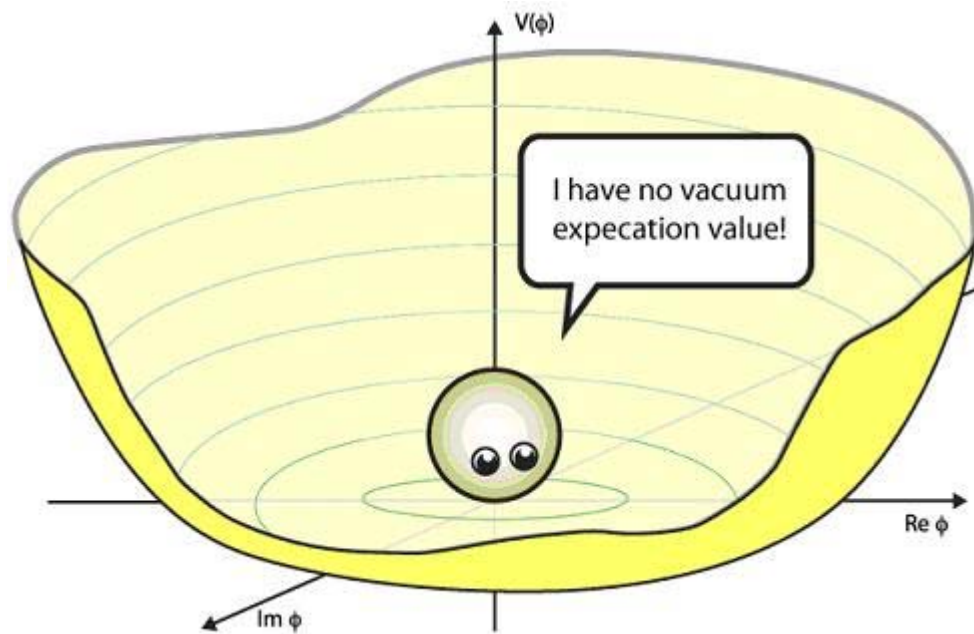
$$h > 0 \quad ; \quad \mu^2 > 0$$

$$M_\phi = \mu$$



Trivial Minimum (Ground State / Vacuum):

$$\phi = \phi_0 = 0$$

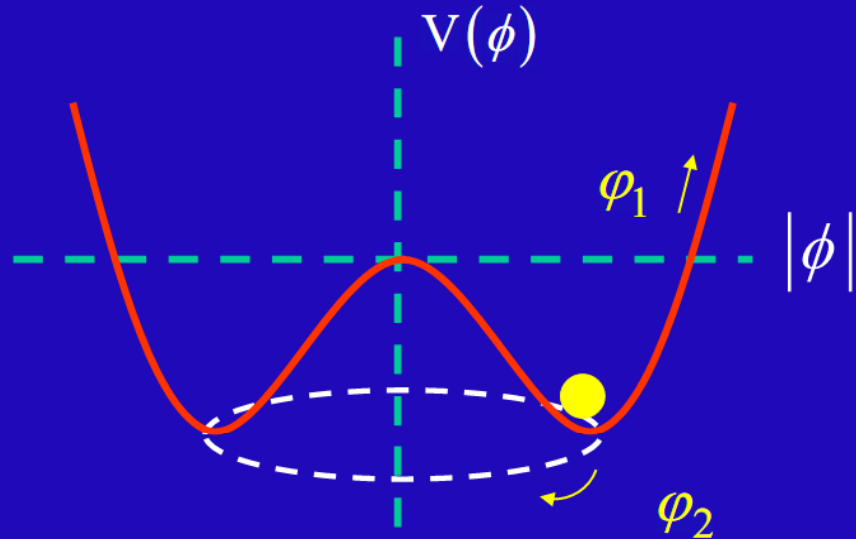


$$V(\phi) = \mu^2 \phi^\dagger \phi + h (\phi^\dagger \phi)^2$$

Phase Symmetry:

$$\phi(x) \rightarrow e^{i\theta} \phi(x)$$

$$\mu^2 < 0$$



Degenerate Minima

(Ground State / Vacuum)

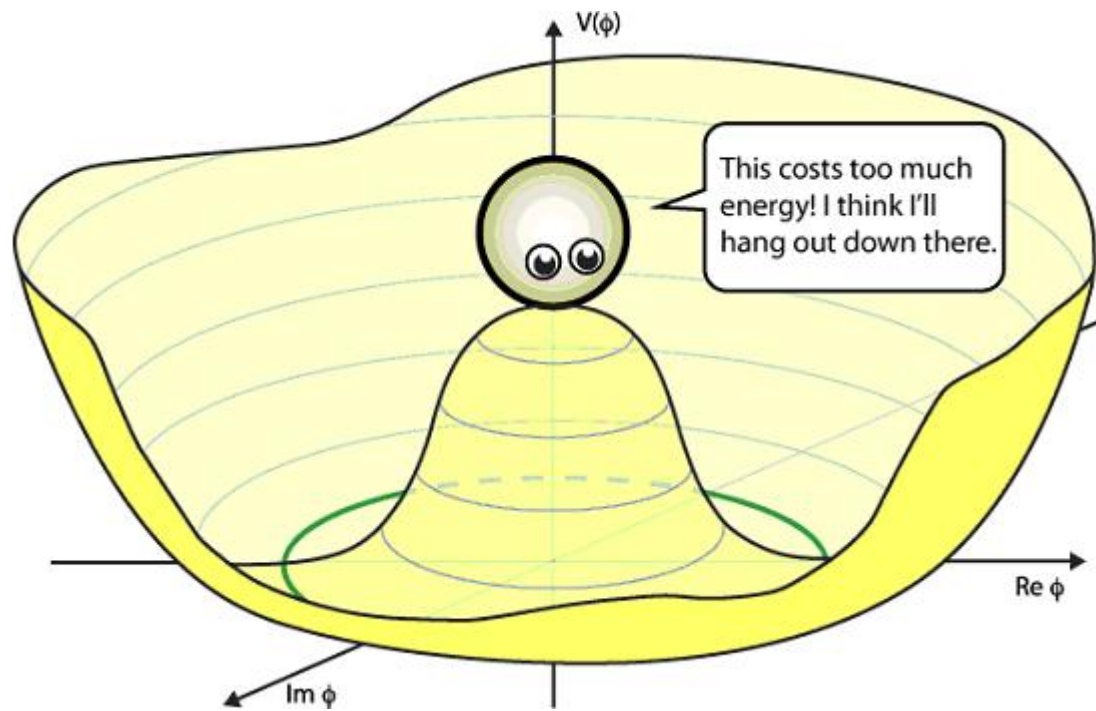
$$|\phi_0| = \sqrt{\frac{-\mu^2}{2h}} \equiv \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}} > 0 \quad ; \quad V(\phi_0) = -\frac{1}{4} h v^4$$

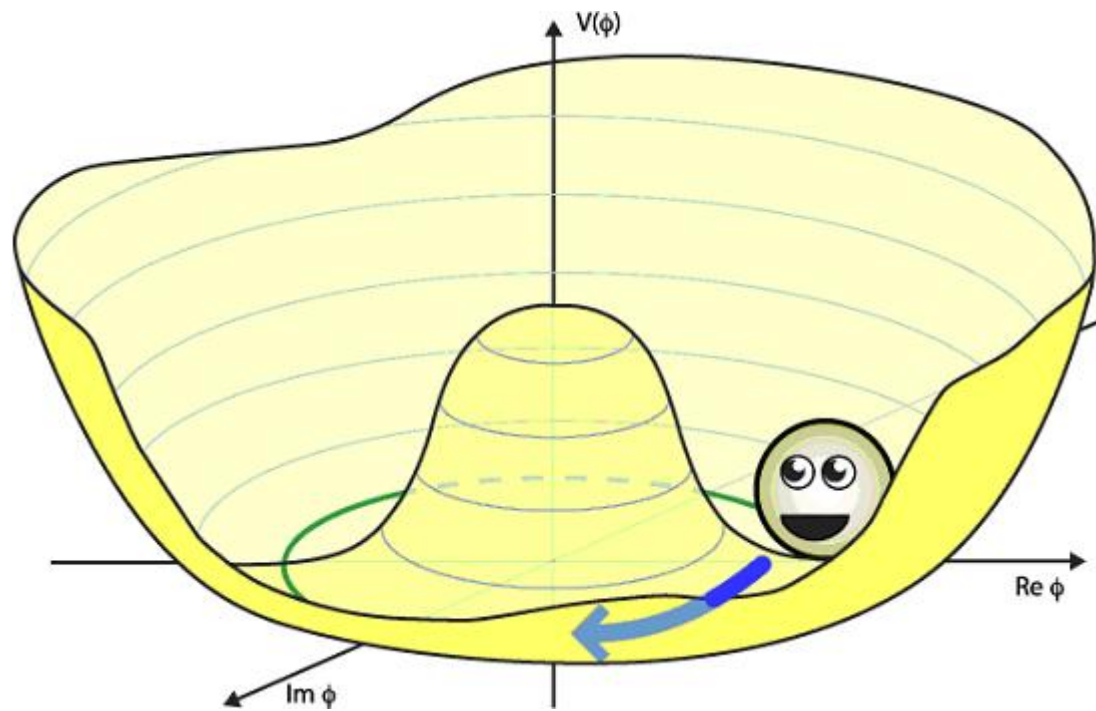
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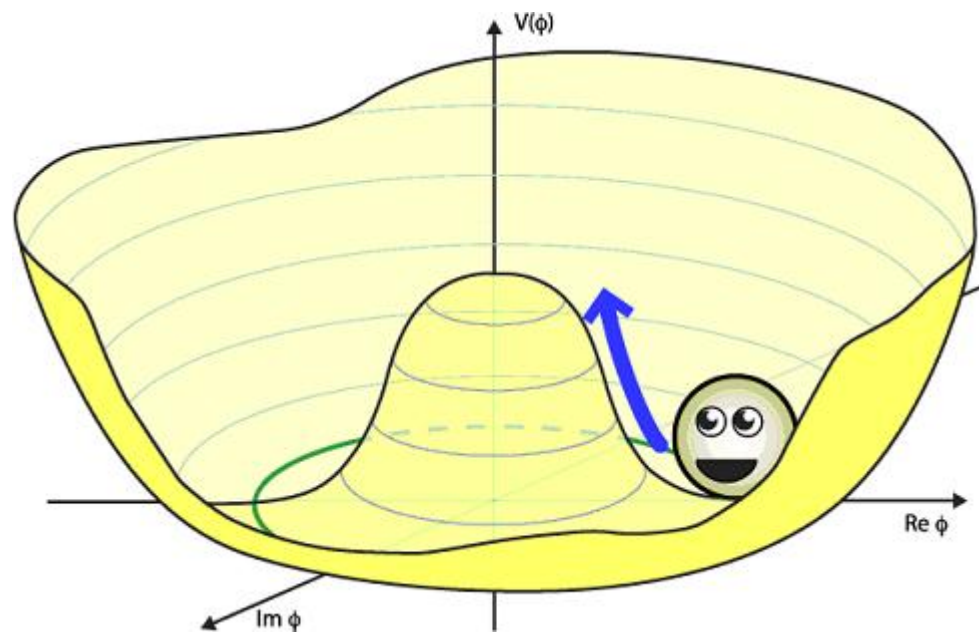
$$\phi \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [v + \phi_1(x)] e^{i\phi_2(x)/v}$$

Vacuum Choice

$$M_H = \sqrt{-2\mu^2} = \sqrt{2h} v$$

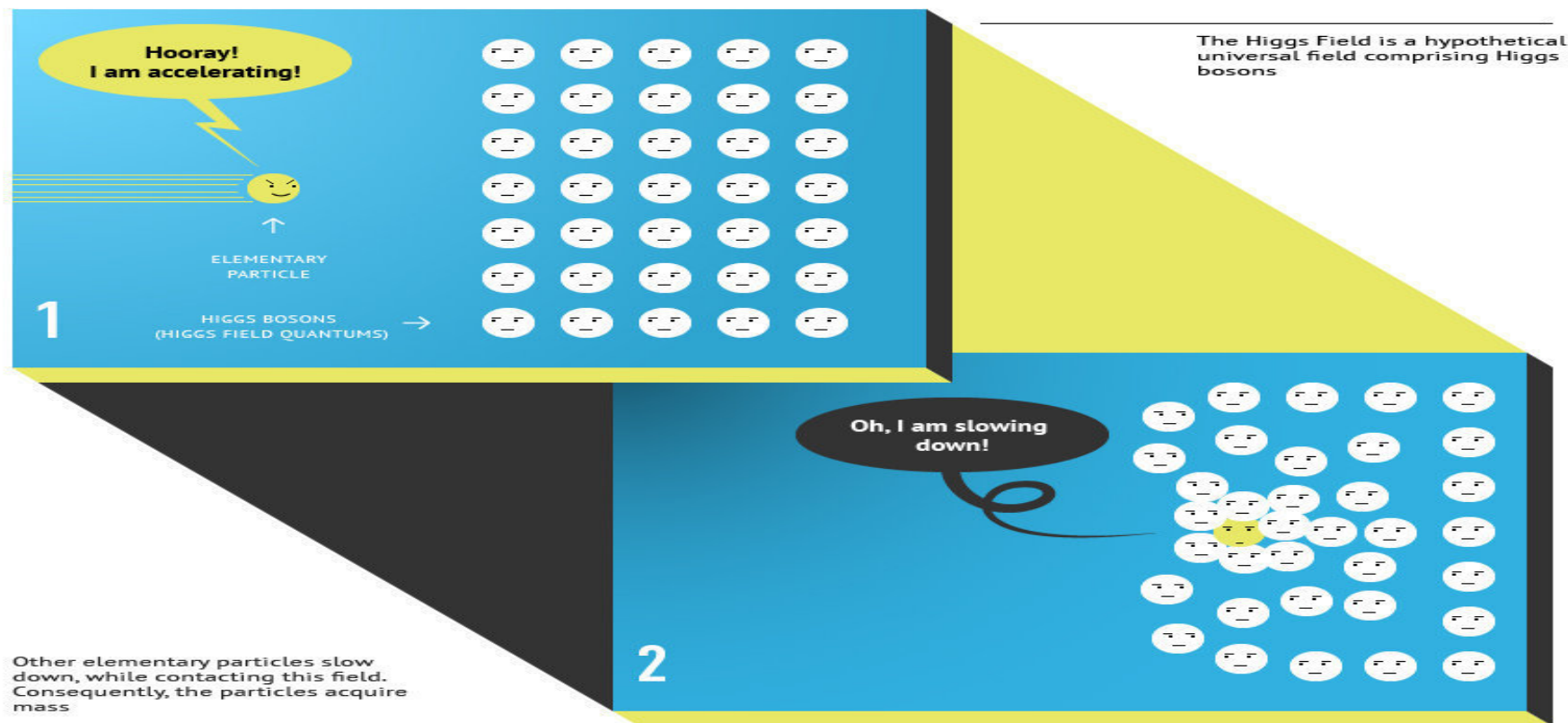




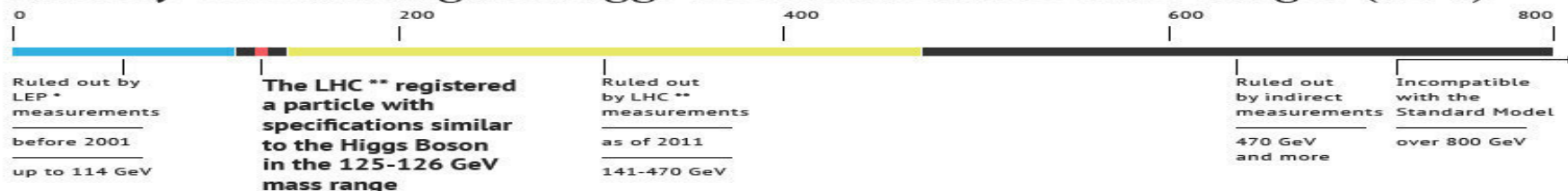


Higgs Boson – Missing Particle of Standard Model

The modern Standard Model of particle physics presupposes the existence of a particle responsible for the mass of other particles. The discovery of a similar particle was announced on July 4, 2012



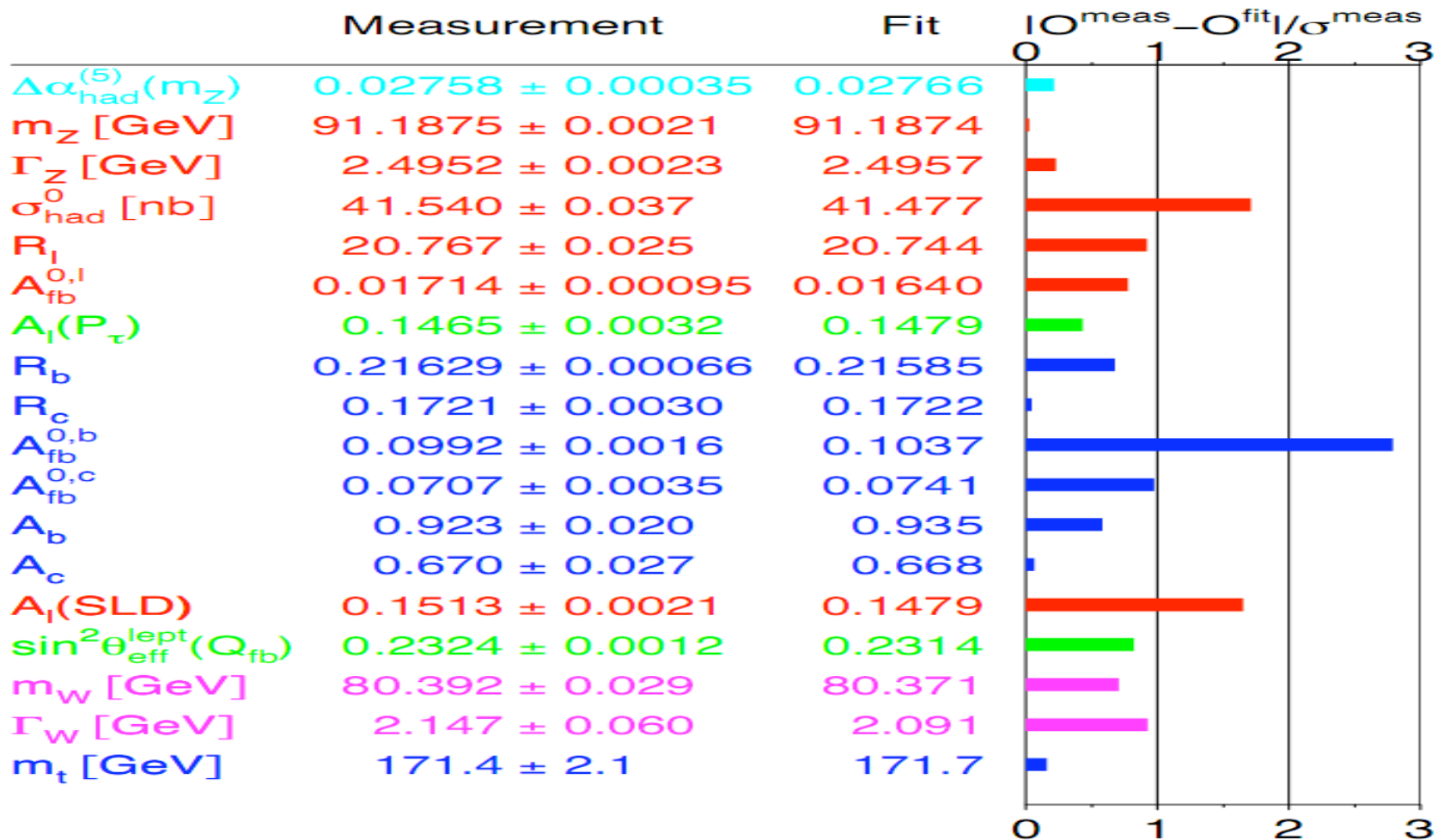
History of searching for Higgs Boson in various mass ranges (GeV)



* LEP – Large Electron Positron Collider, the predecessor of the LHC (was located inside the same tunnel)

** LHC – Large Hadron Collider, the largest particle accelerator in terms of its energy levels. Searching for the Higgs Boson is one of its main tasks

¿Es el SM suficiente?



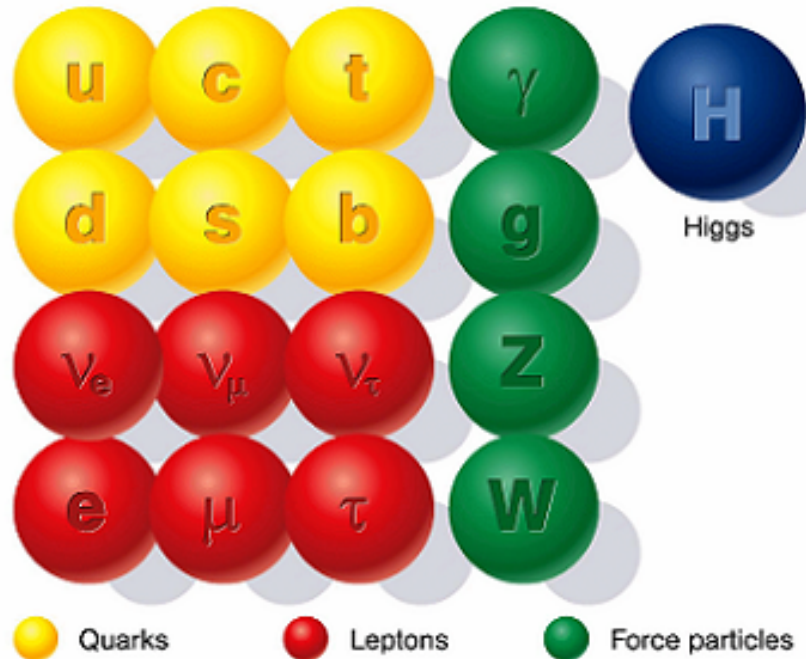
Problemas del SM

- Problema de la jerarquía: masas diversas y acoplamientos diferentes (fuerza fuerte vs débil) → Renormalización
- Materia oscura → neutrinos ? No parece...
- Modelo Higgs tiene problemas con la constante cosmológica → Expansión del Universo
- Unificación de fuerzas
- Strong CP → ¿Por qué QCD no viola la simetría CP?
- Oscilaciones de neutrinos (relacionado con masa)
- **Demasiados parámetros libres (más de 20) : 12 masas de fermiones, matrices de mezcla de quarks y neutrinos, la masa del bosón de Higgs**
- El SM es simplemente eso, un modelo, más que algo fundamental
- ¿Por qué 3 familias/generaciones?
- ¿Son los leptones/quarks subestructuras fundamentales?

~~Modelos~~ Teorías SUSY

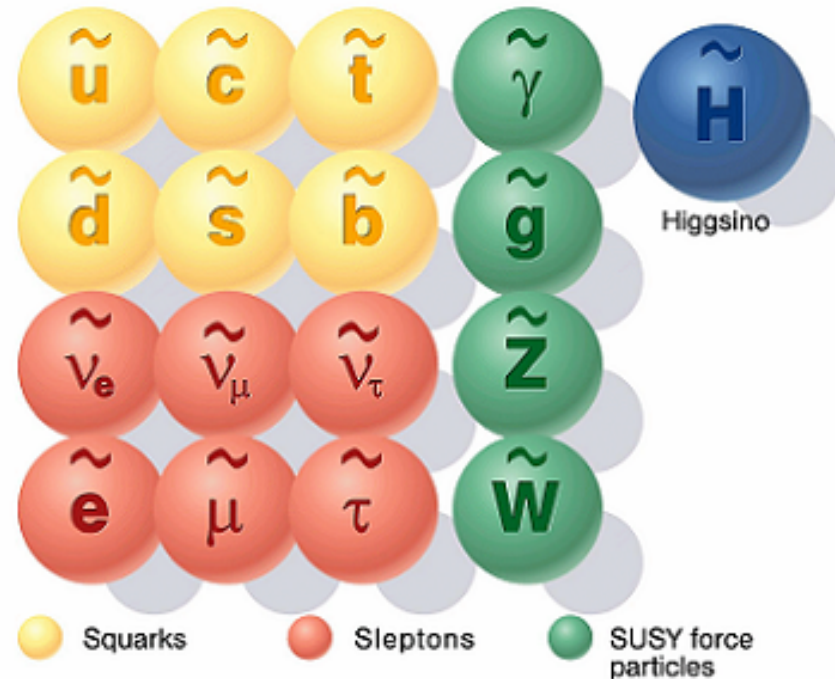
- No hay evidencia directa (aun) de la existencia de supersimetría: están motivadas por posibles soluciones a varios problemas teóricos
- Como no se han observado “superpartners” de las partículas del SM, la SUSY debe ser una simetría rota (si es realmente una simetría de la naturaleza) → Superpartículas más pesadas que sus correspondientes en el SM
- Pros:
 - Si la supersimetría existe en energías cercanas a la escala de TeV, permite la solución del problema de la jerarquía
 - Permite la unificación de fuerzas (S y EW) a alta energía
 - Proporciona un candidato a materia oscura: neutralino (LSP)
 - Proporciona un mecanismo natural para la EWSB
- Cons:
 - Aun no han sido comprobadas experimentalmente....
- Teorías:
 - Minimal Supersymmetric Standard Model (MSSM)
 - Superstring Theory
 - Supergravity

Standard particles



SUSY

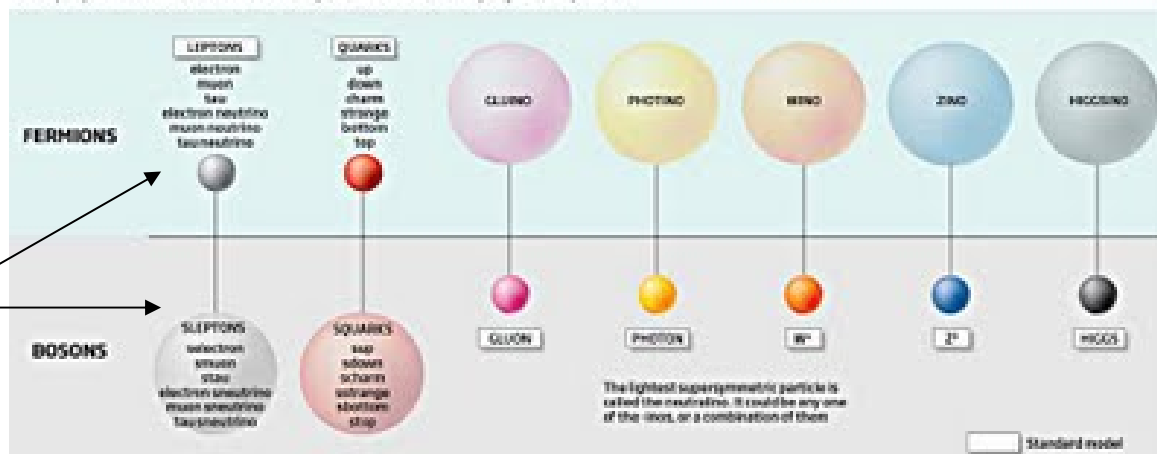
SUSY particles



Particle zoo

Particles are divided into two families called bosons and fermions. Among them are groups known as leptons, quarks and force-carrying particles like the photon. Supersymmetry doubles the number of particles, giving each fermion a massive boson as a super-partner and vice versa. The LHC is expected to find the first supersymmetric particle.

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Números cuánticos idénticos (salvo J)

Masas diferentes (simetría aun rota)

Difieren en spin por $\frac{1}{2}$

E.g. Higgsino $J = \frac{1}{2}$; sfermions $J = 0$