

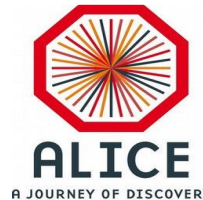
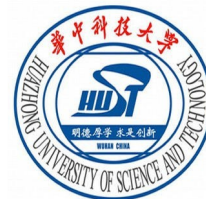
Theoretical and Experimental Investigations of the Strongly Interacting Matter

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Wigner Theory & Computing & Experiment groups

Hungarian ALICE Group

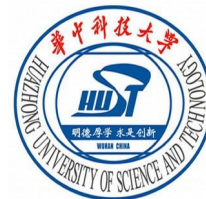
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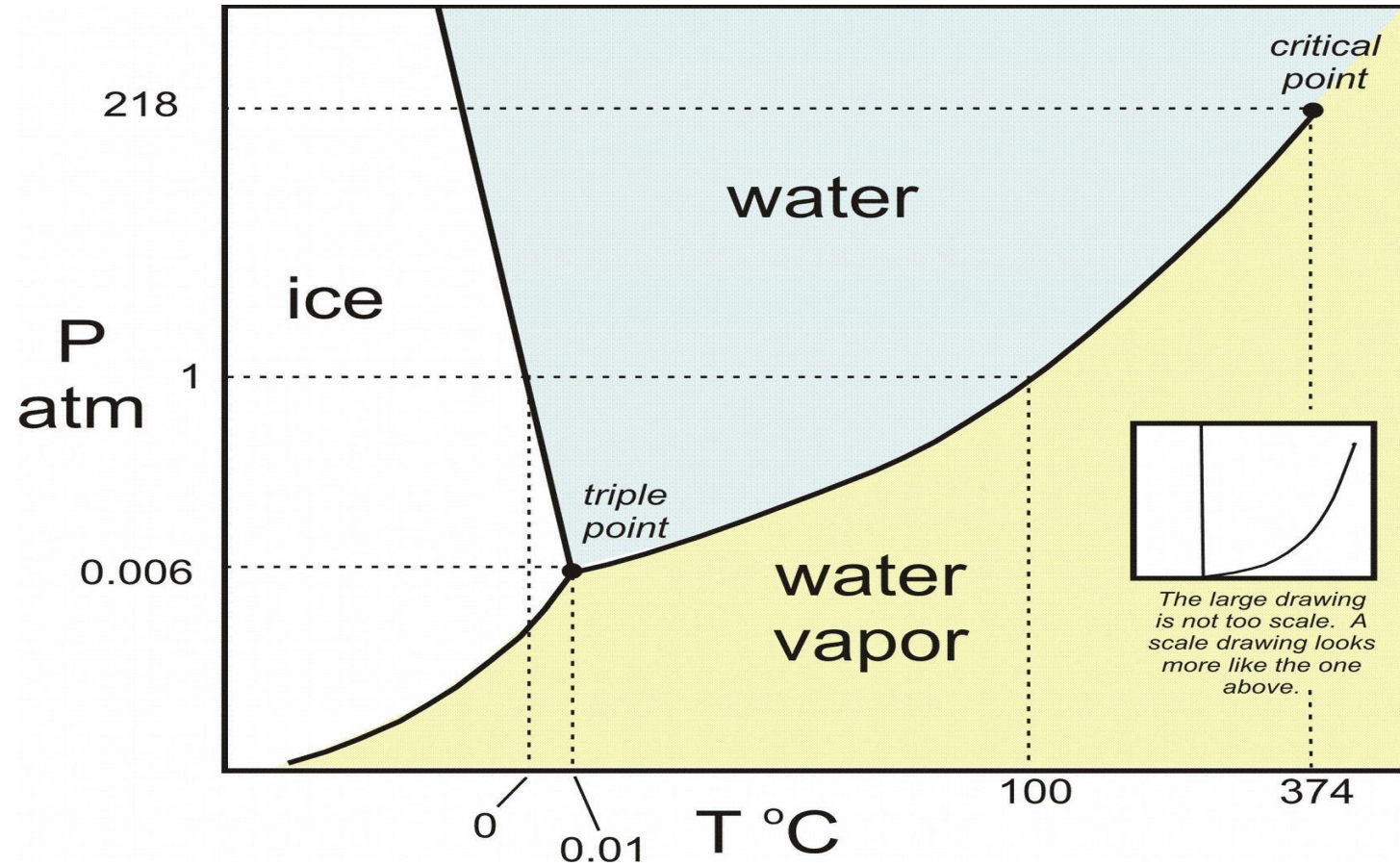
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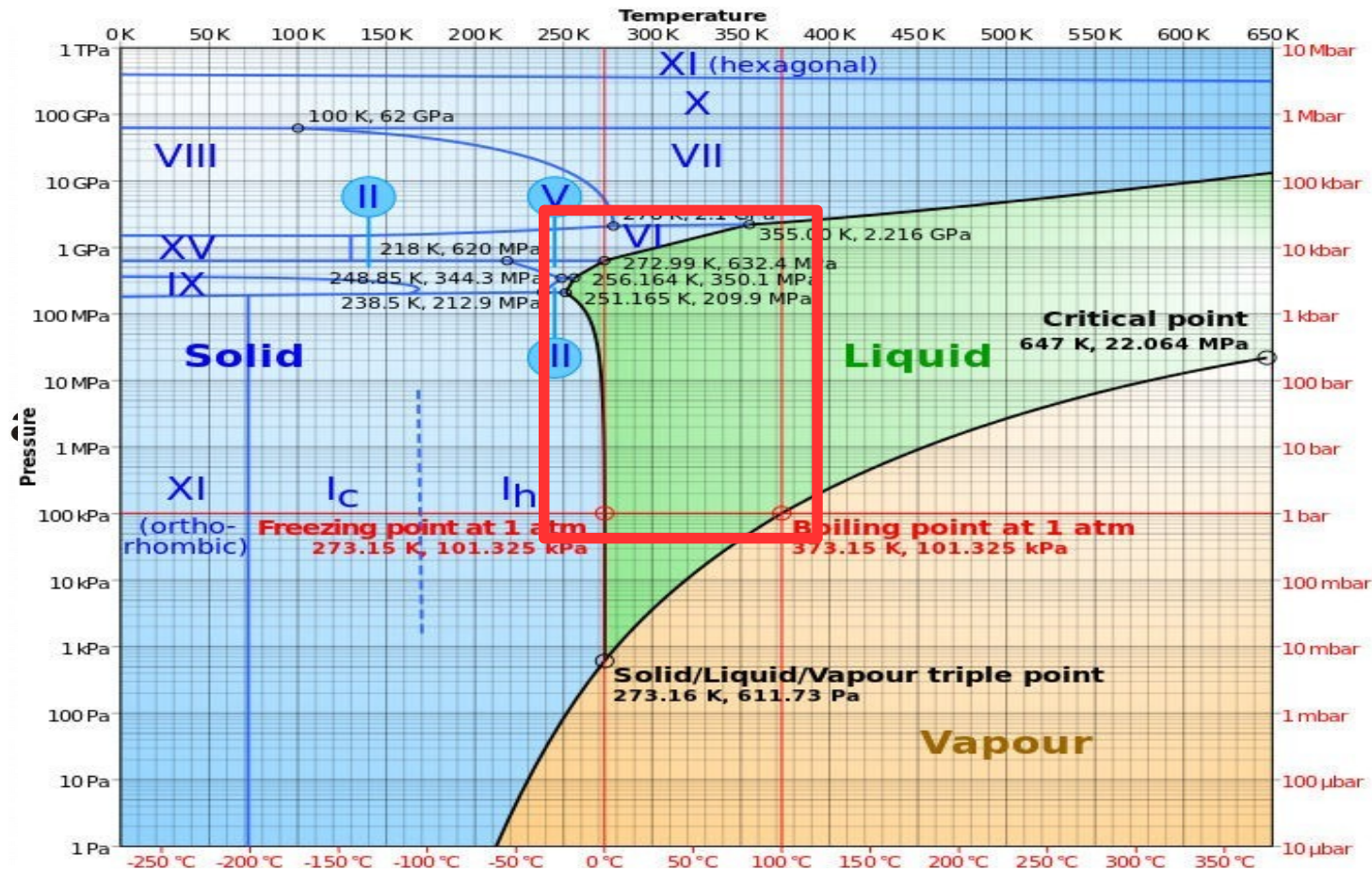
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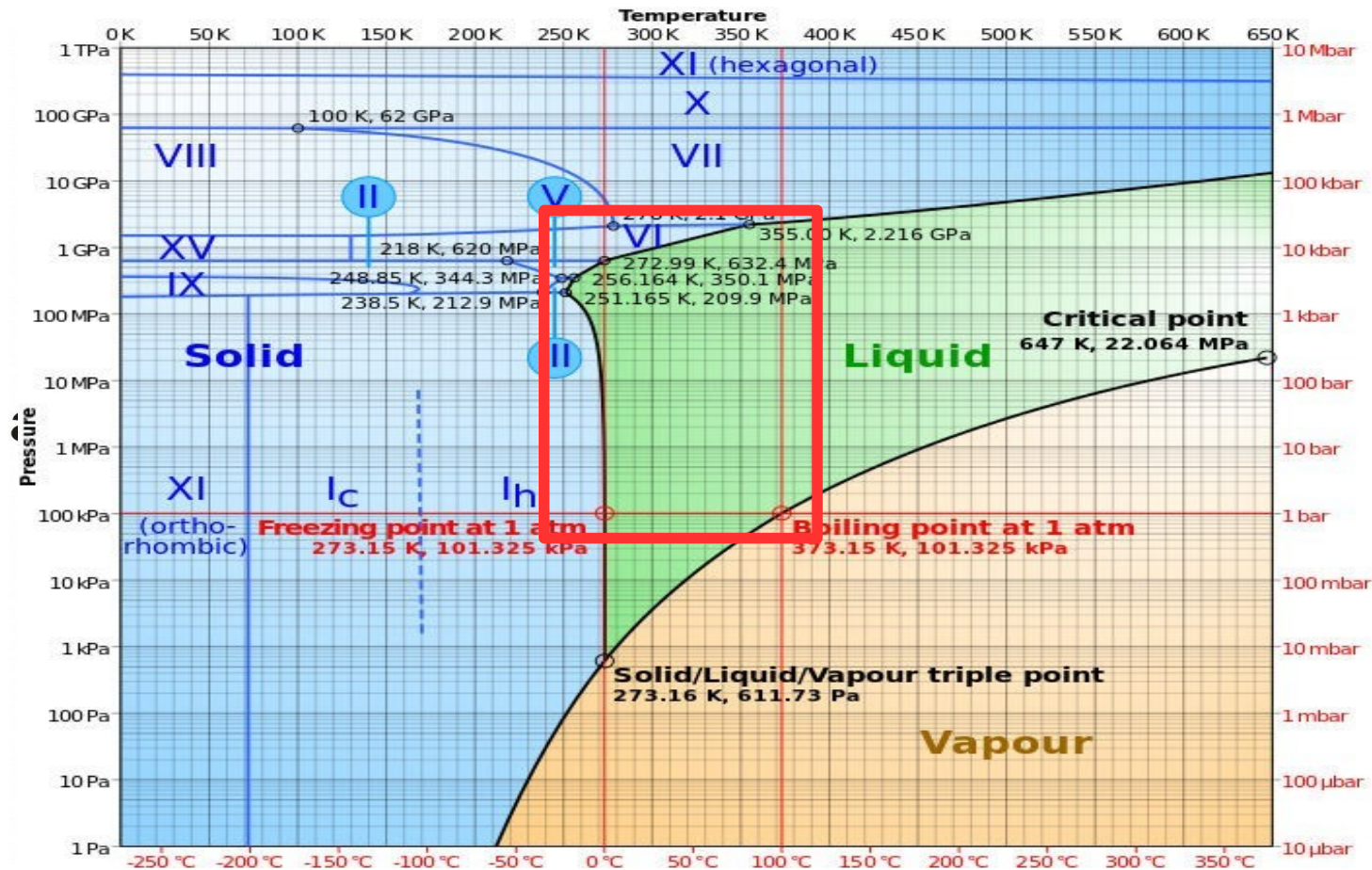
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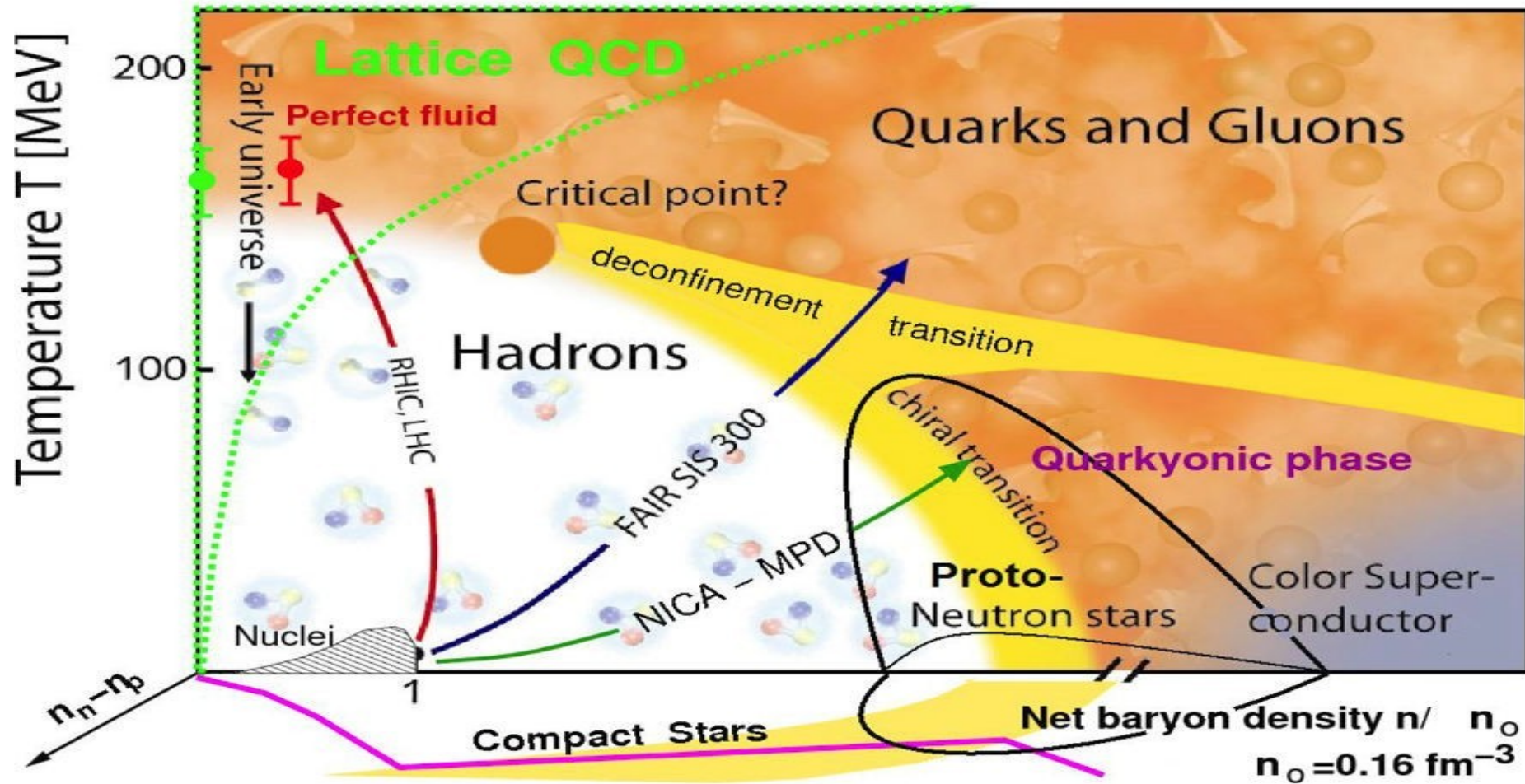
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- Let's see a "simple" material at extreme conditions...



Matter of the early Universe: hot & dense matter

- The phase diagram of a complicated matter - in extreme conditions



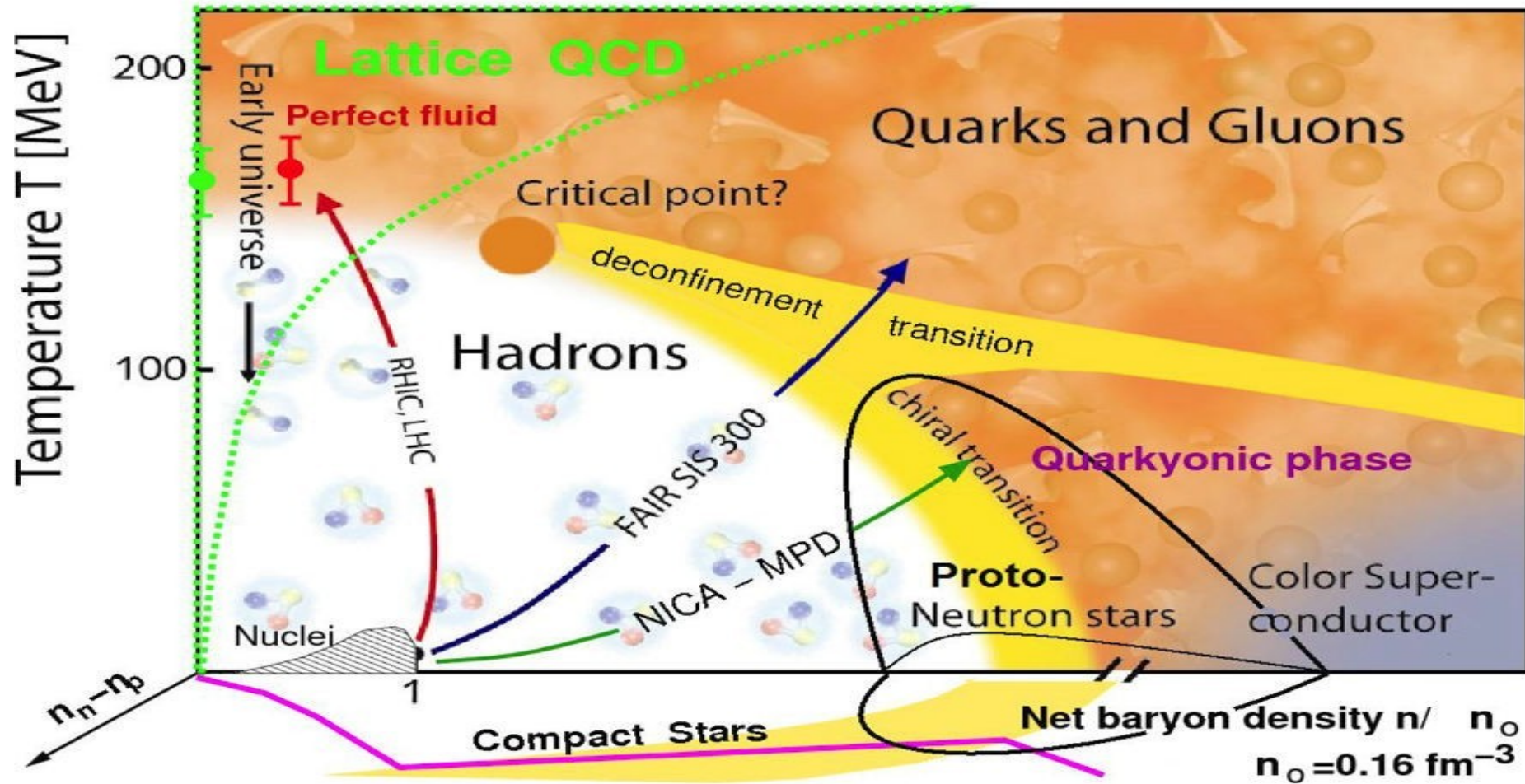
Theoretical Investigations

Heavy Ion Theory Research Group

- Investigation of Low Energy Hadron Spectra
 - Low energy hadron spectra, $SU(3)\times SU(3)$ symmetric sigma model, transport code; GSI HADES experiments theoretical background
Wolf Gy, Kovács P, Zétényi M, [Almási G](#), Balassa, [Jóföldi Zs](#), [Váróczy J](#).
- Perturbative and non-perturbative QCD
 - Perturbative QCD: nuklear effects in high-energy collisions; Non-perturbative QCD, mass gap, equation of state; theoretical background for ALICE
BGG, Gyulassy M, Vaghtang G, [Pósfay P](#), [Karsai Sz](#), [Berényi D](#), [Biro G](#), [Takács Á](#)
- Modelling Hadronization and Fragmentation
 - Hadronization models by Tsallis-Pareto like distributions, jet-fragmentation and fragmentation functions
BGG, Biró TS, Shen K-M, [Bíró G](#), [Takács Á](#)
- New Thermodynamical Approaches
 - Non-extensive thermodynamics, hidrodinamical and statistical approaches, Unruh effect, thermodynamics in curved space-time
Bíró TS, BGG, Ván P, Ürmössy K, [Kovács R](#).

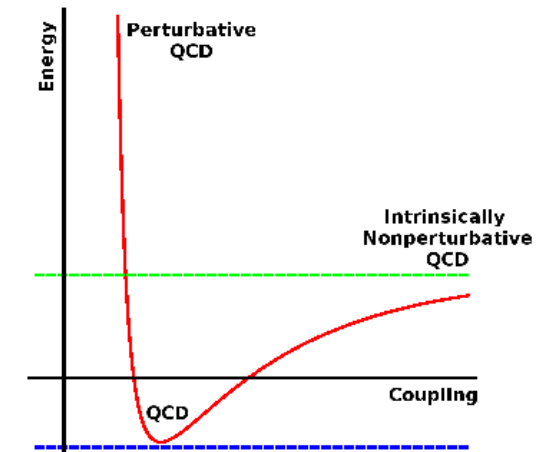
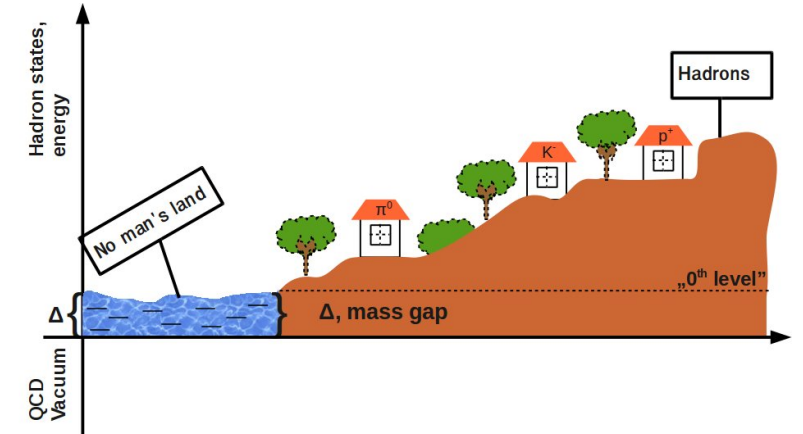
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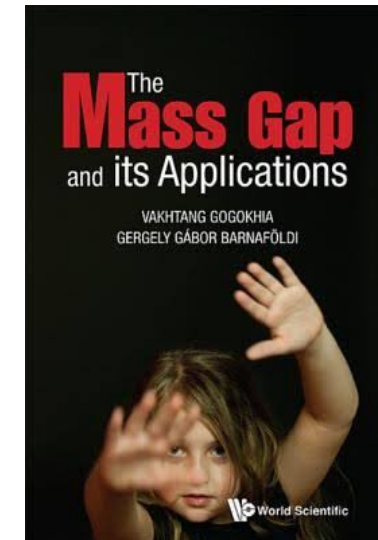
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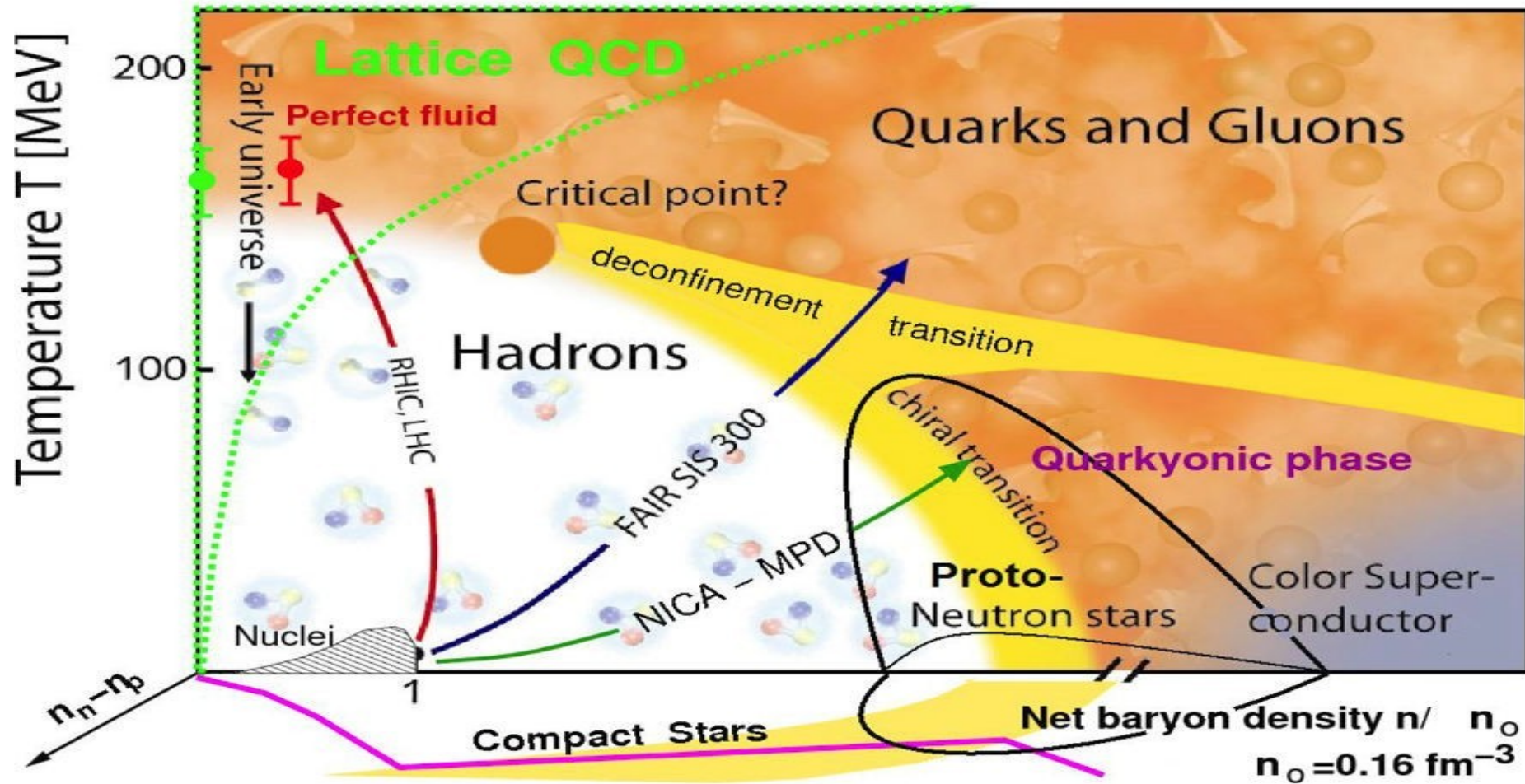
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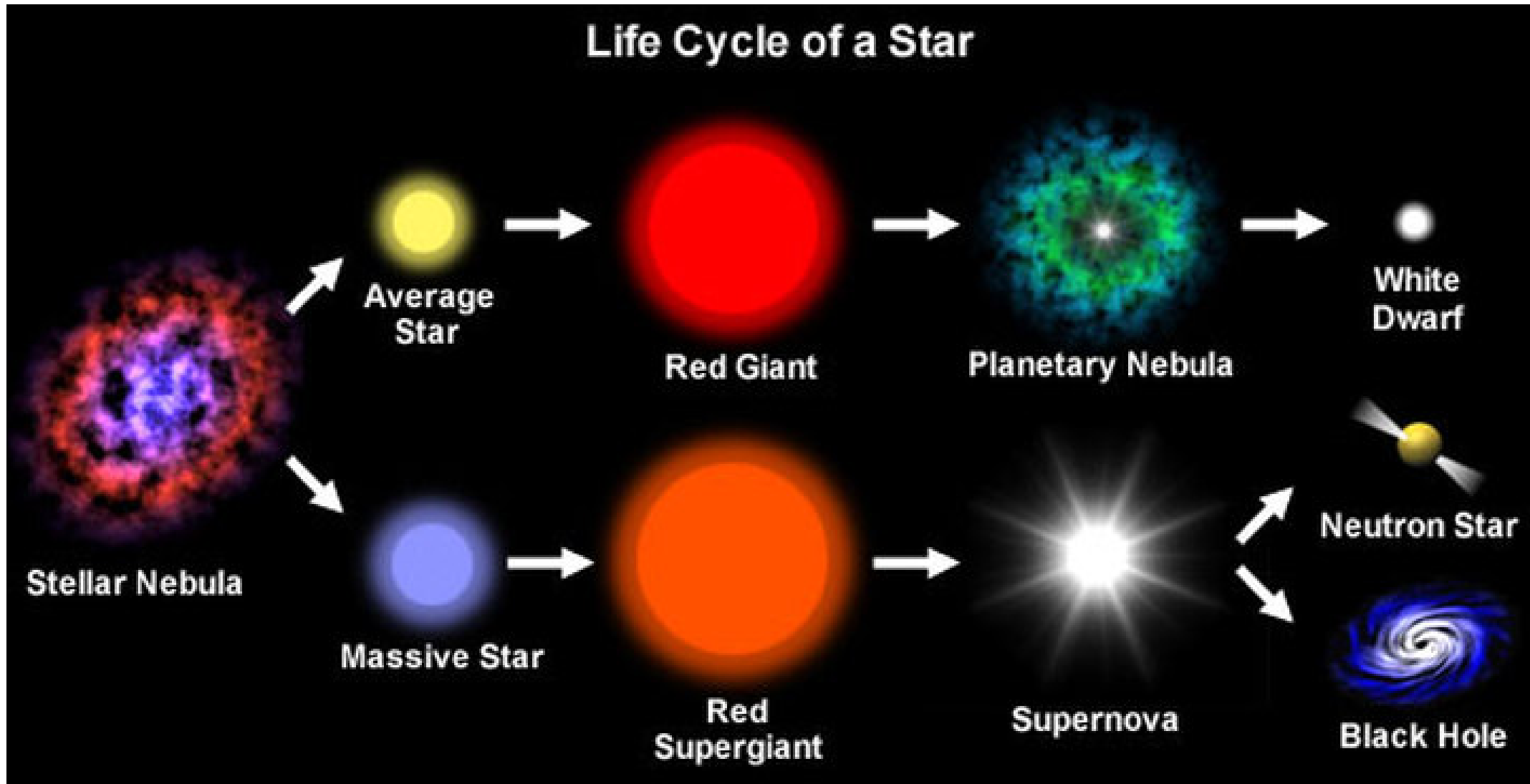


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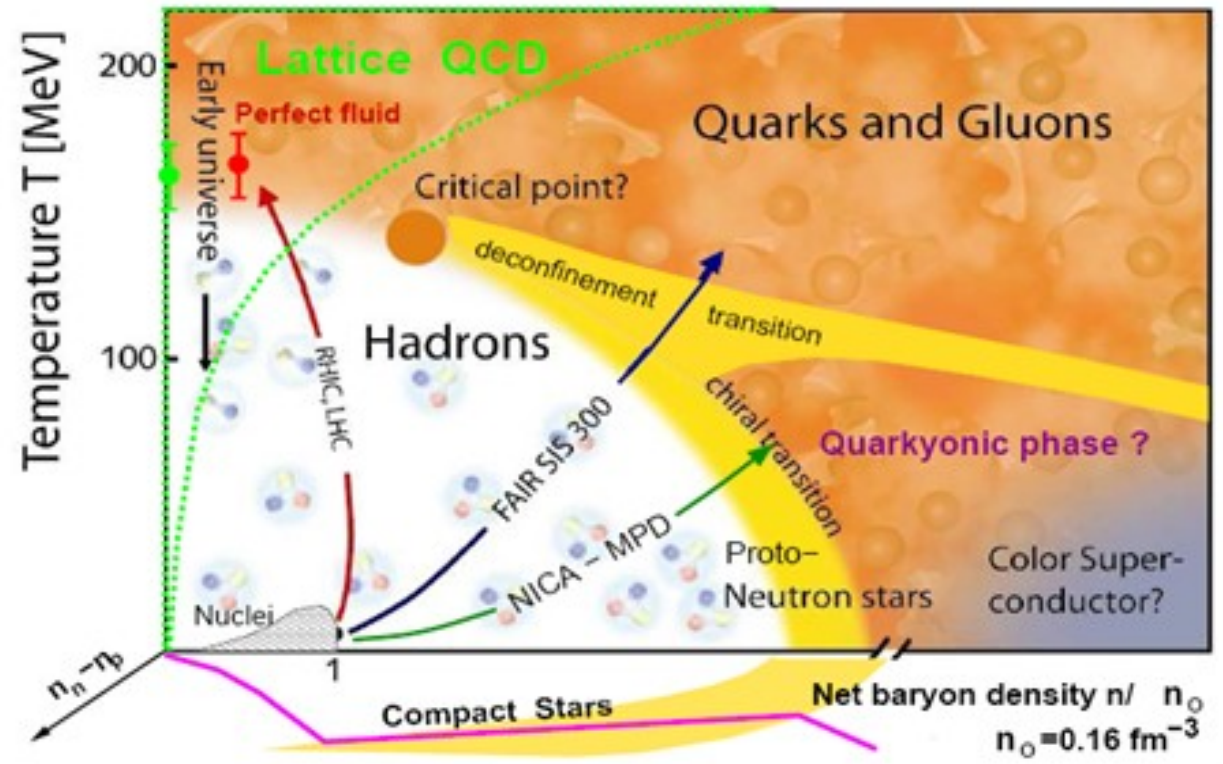
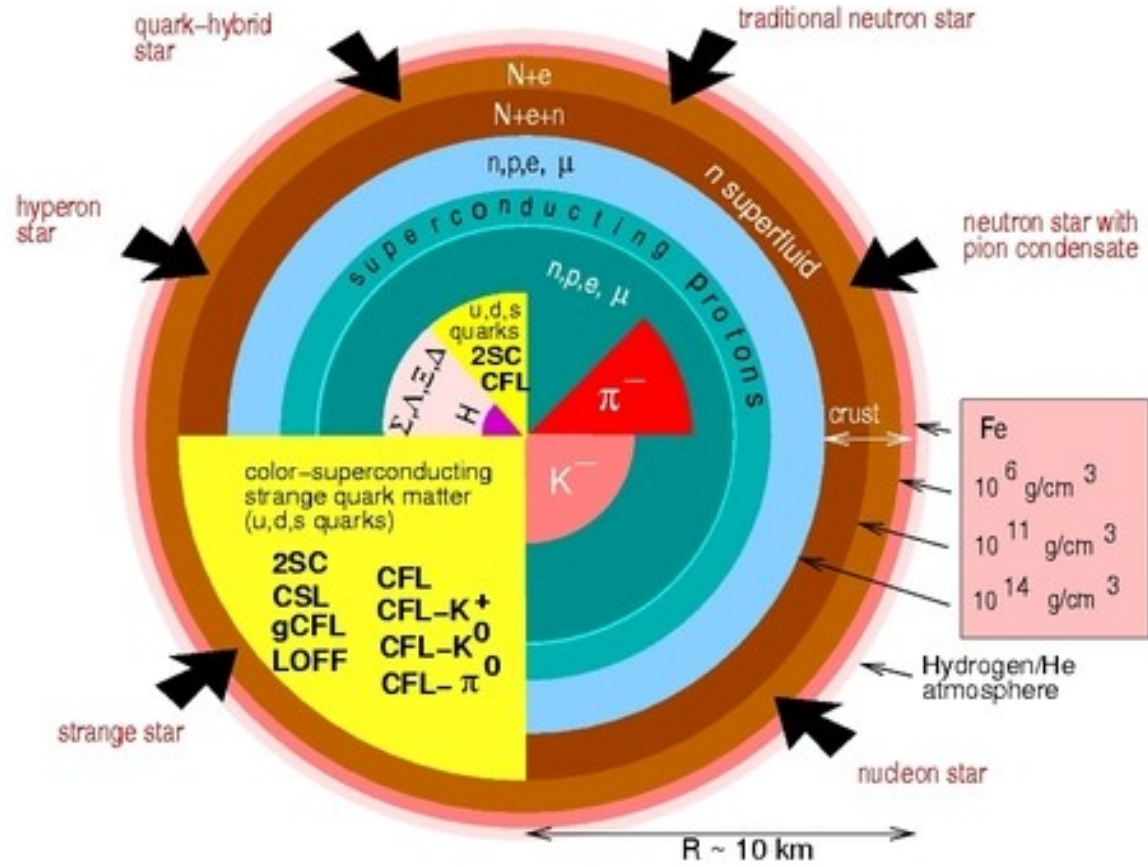
- Extreme dense & cold matter: COMPACT STAR EoS



The inner structure of compact stars

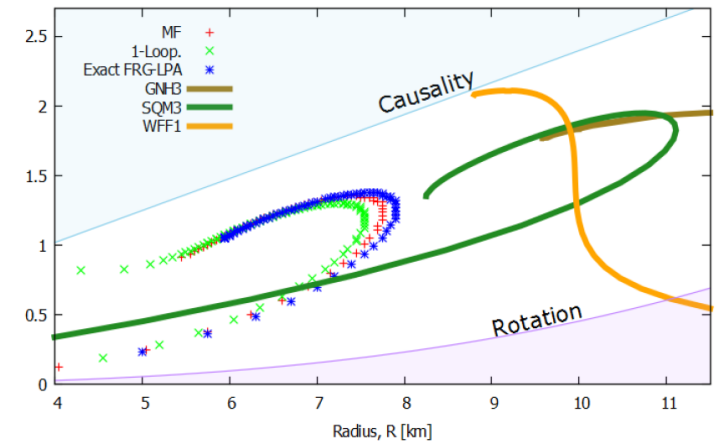
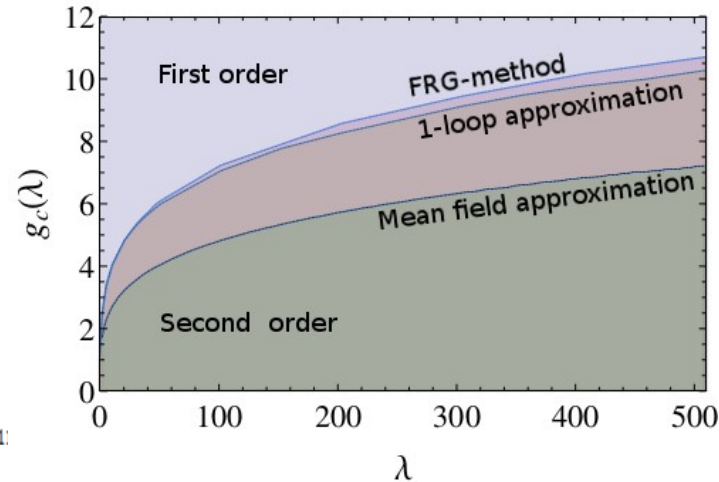
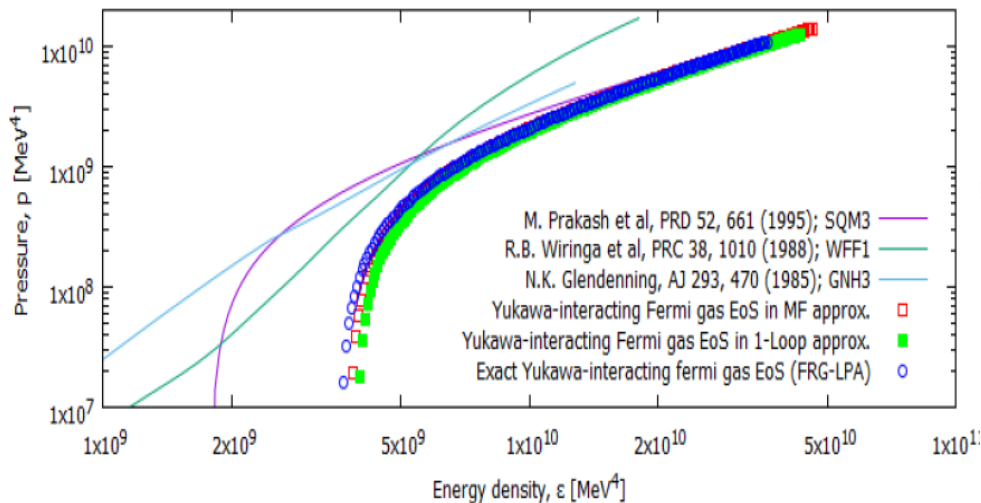
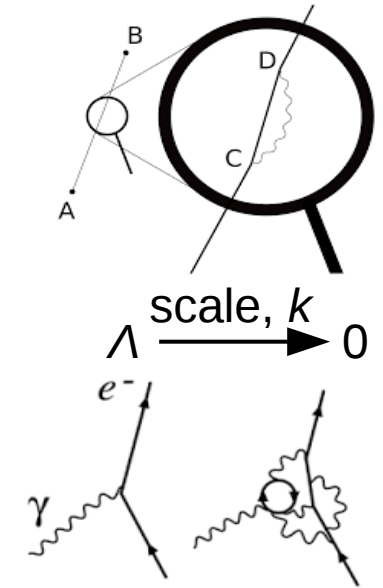


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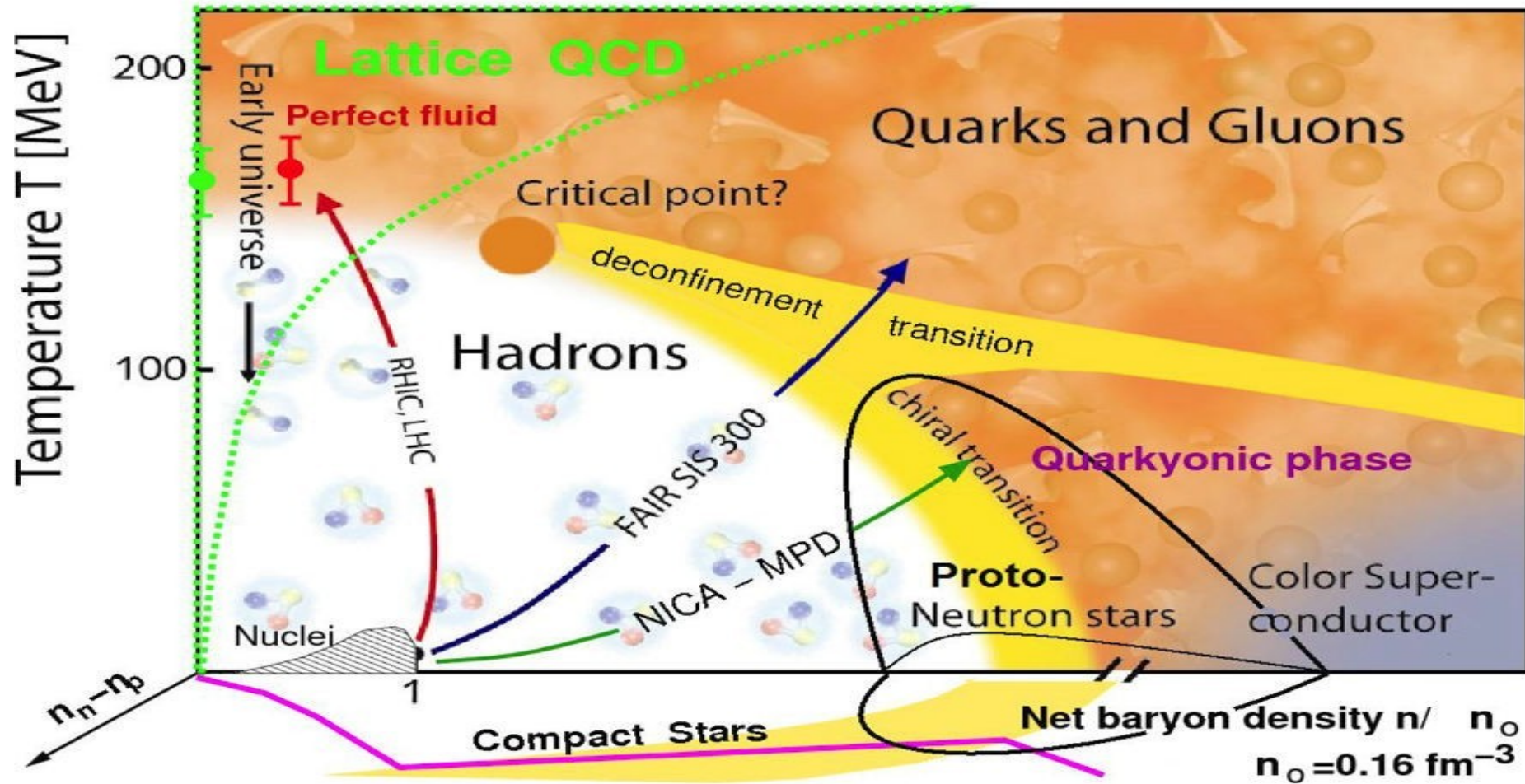
The inner structure of compact stars

- It is hard to get effective action for an interacting field theory:
e.g.: EoS for superdense cold matter ($T \rightarrow 0$ and finite μ)
- Taking into account quantum fluctuations using a scale, k
 - Classical action, $S = \Gamma_{k \rightarrow \Lambda}$ in the UV limit, $k \rightarrow \Lambda$
 - Quantum action, $\Gamma = \Gamma_{k \rightarrow 0}$ in the IR limit, $k \rightarrow 0$
- FRG (non-perturbative) Method: Smooth transition from macroscopic to microscopic world using the scale



The phases of the strongly interacting matter

- Extreme hot & dense matter: HADRONIZATION



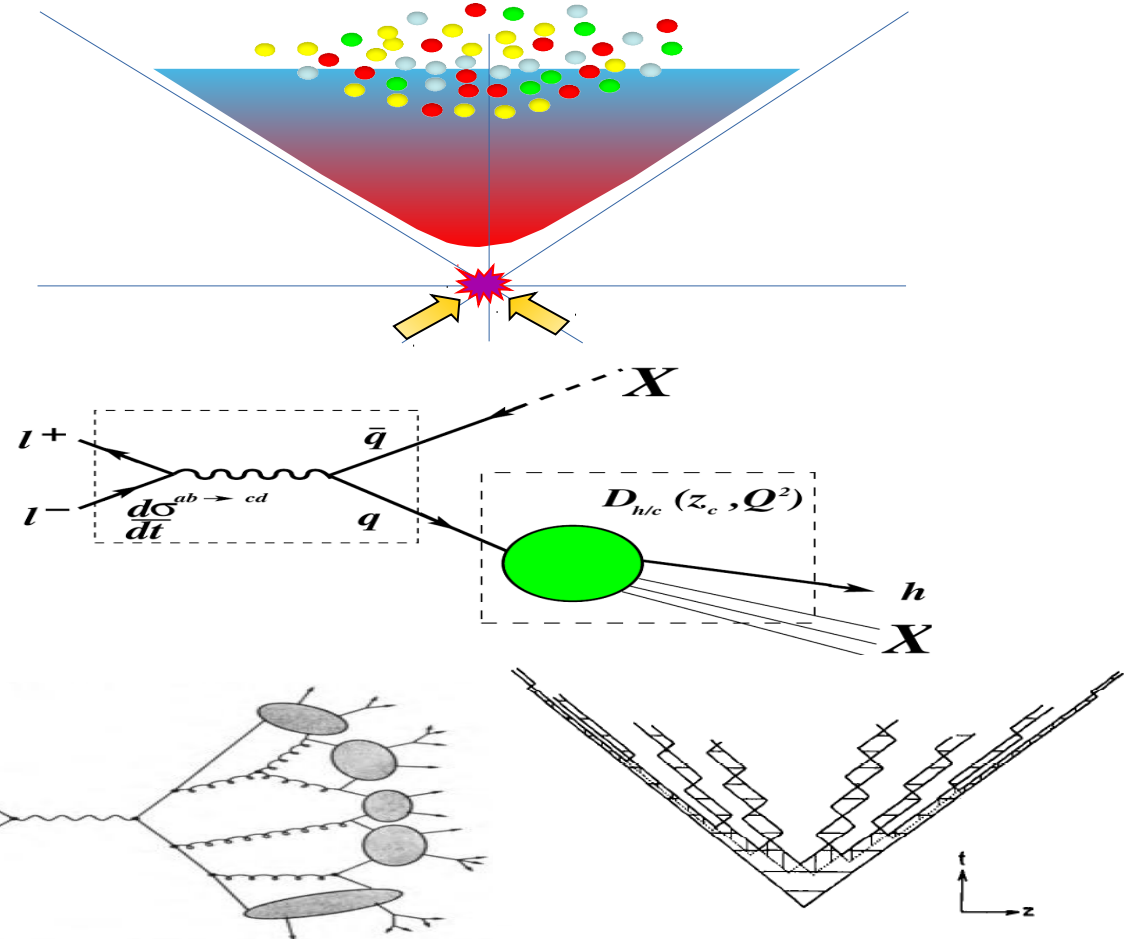
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In high-energy collisions, hadron appears at the end of the partonic (q,g) processes.

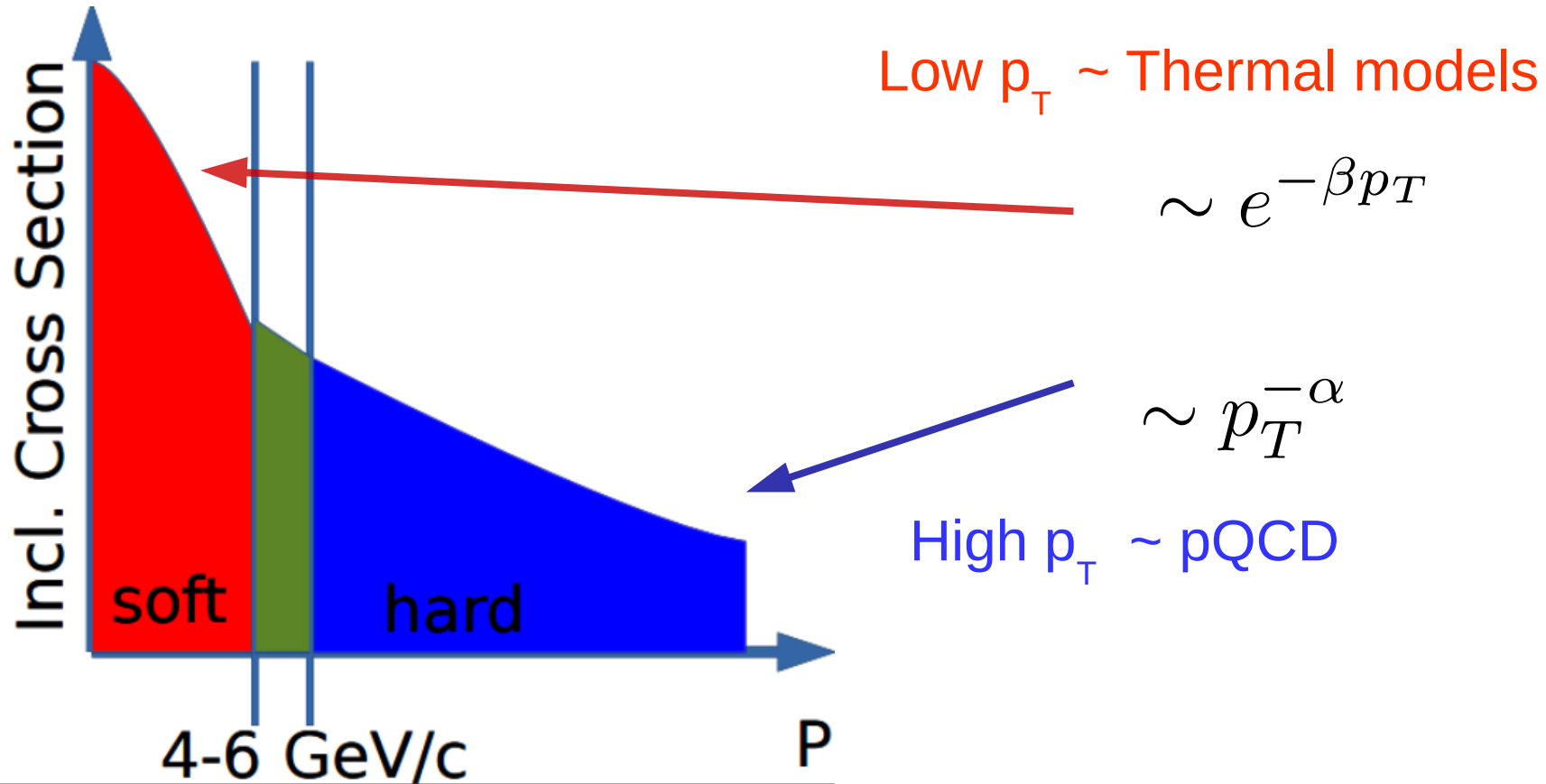
The description of the transition of partons \rightarrow hadrons is still a mystery
 \rightarrow phenomenology models are exist

Models for fragmentation:
Feynman, Lund, string ,cluster, etc.



Hadronization by Tsallis-Pareto distributions

Proton-proton collisions identified, inclusive hadron spectra



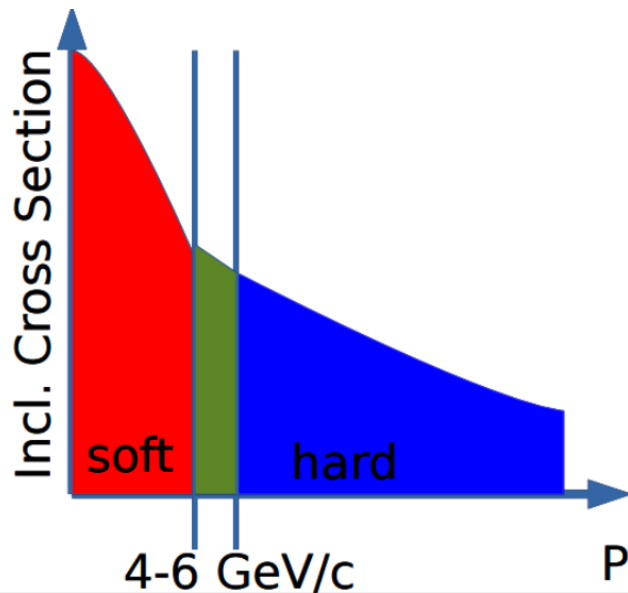
Hadronization by Tsallis-Pareto distributions

Experimental observation: Tsallis-Pareto momentum distribution

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T} \sim \left[1 + \frac{q-1}{T} \varepsilon \right]^{-\frac{1}{q-1}}$$

$$\text{Low } p_T: \quad \sim e^{-\varepsilon/T}$$

$$\text{High } p_T: \quad \sim \varepsilon^{-\frac{1}{q-1}}$$



T – parameter (body): Soft p_T

q – parameter (tail): Hard p_T

Hadronization by Tsallis-Pareto distributions

Extensive statistics: $S_{12} = S_1 + S_2$

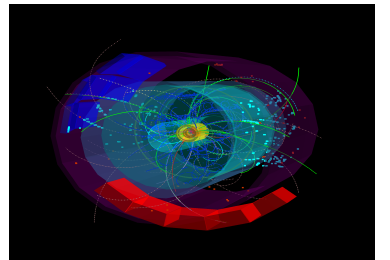
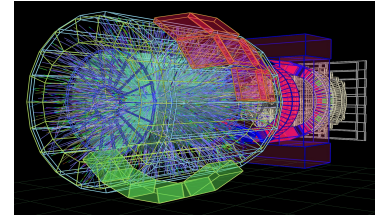
$S_S = - \sum_i p_i \ln p_i$ Boltzmann-Gibbs distr.: $\sim e^{-\beta \epsilon}$

Non-extensive statistic: $S_{12} = S_1 + S_2 + (q - 1)S_1 S_2$

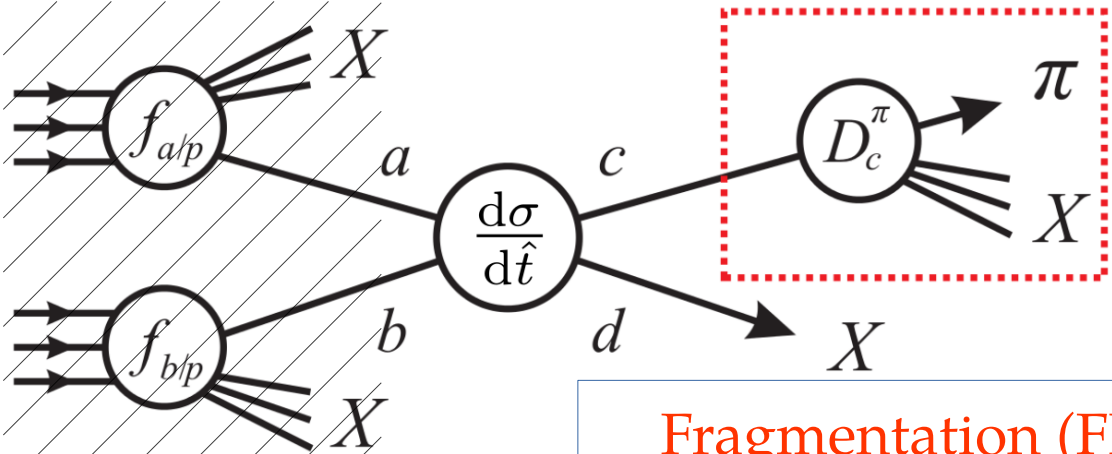
q-entropy: $S_q = \frac{1}{q - 1} \left(1 - \sum_i p_i^q \right)$

Tsallis-Pareto distribution:

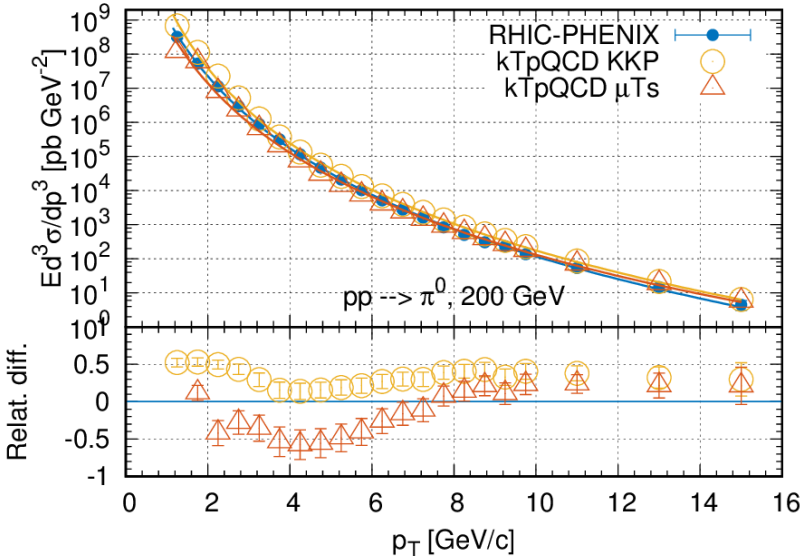
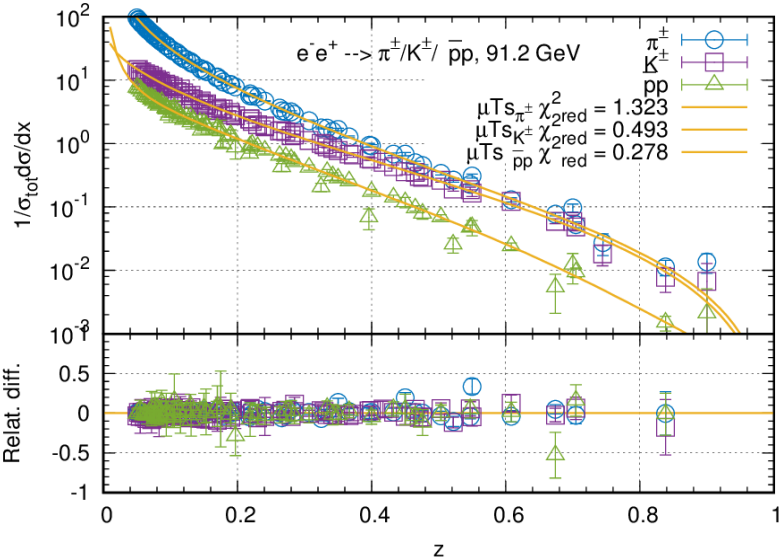
$$\sim \left[1 + \frac{q - 1}{T} \epsilon \right]^{-\frac{1}{q-1}}$$



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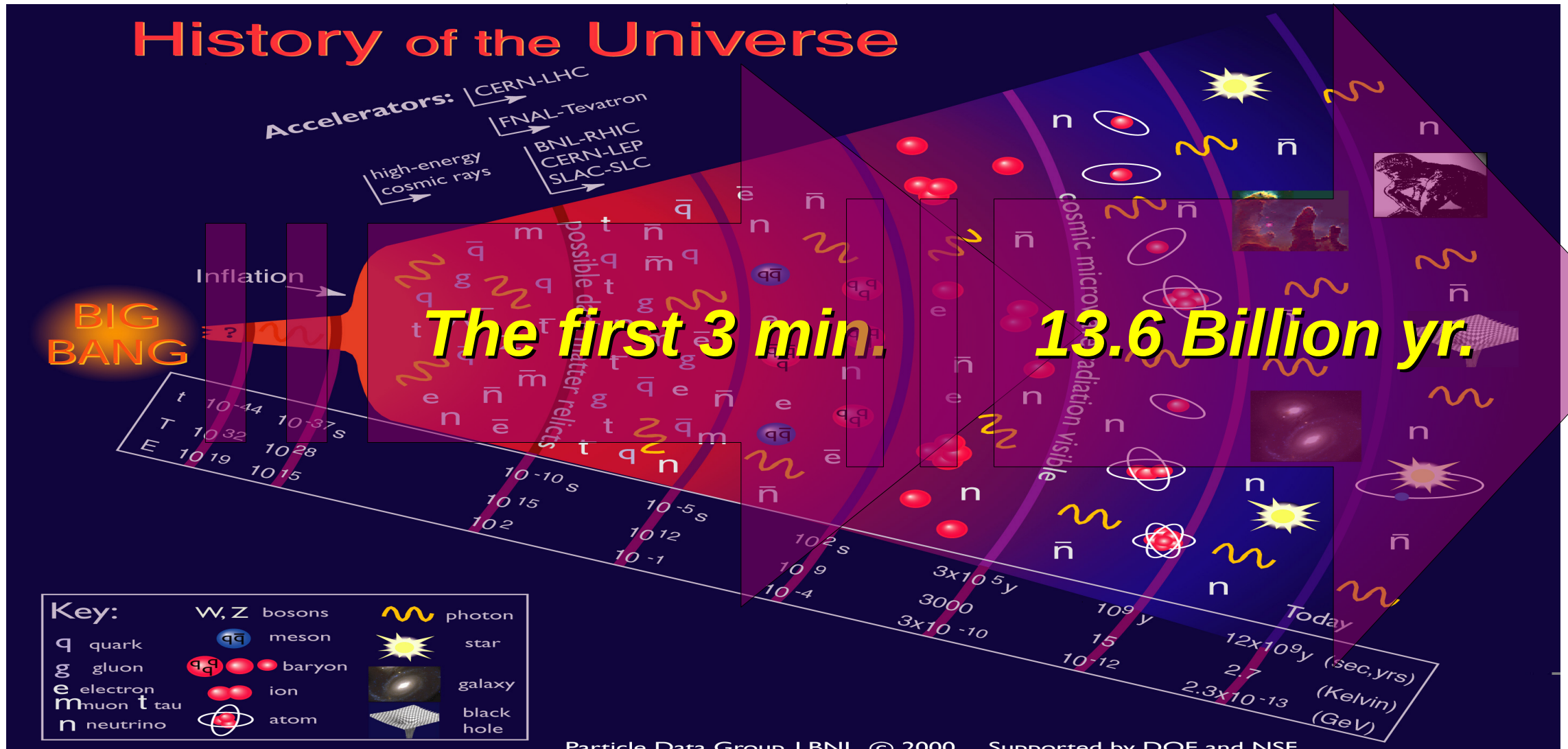


$$\sim (1 - z) \left[1 - \frac{q - 1}{T} \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2} \log(1 - x) \right]^{-\frac{1}{q-1}}$$



High-energy Heavy Ion Physics with ALICE Experiment at the LHC

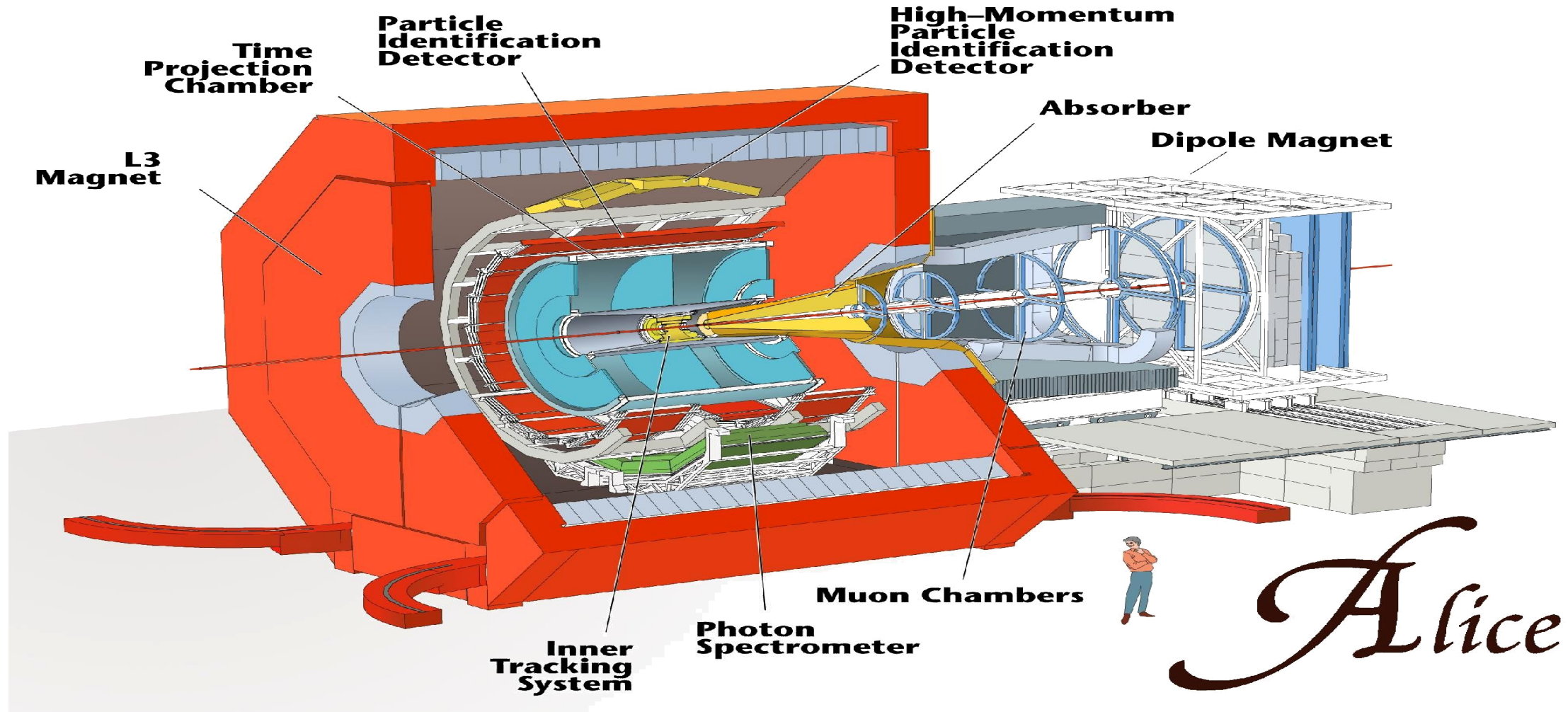
HIC: Research of the early Universe



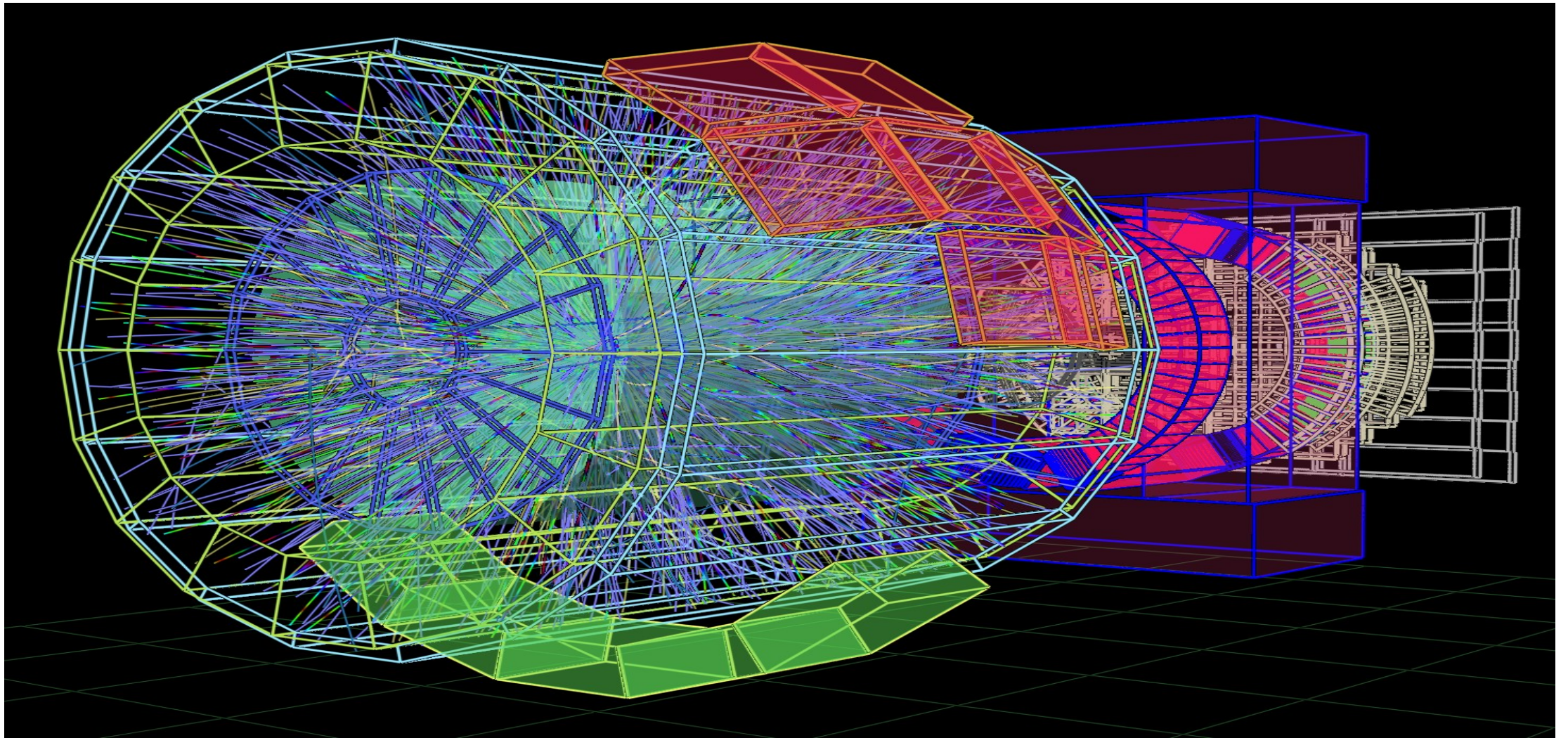
The Big Bang Experiment at LHC P2: ALICE



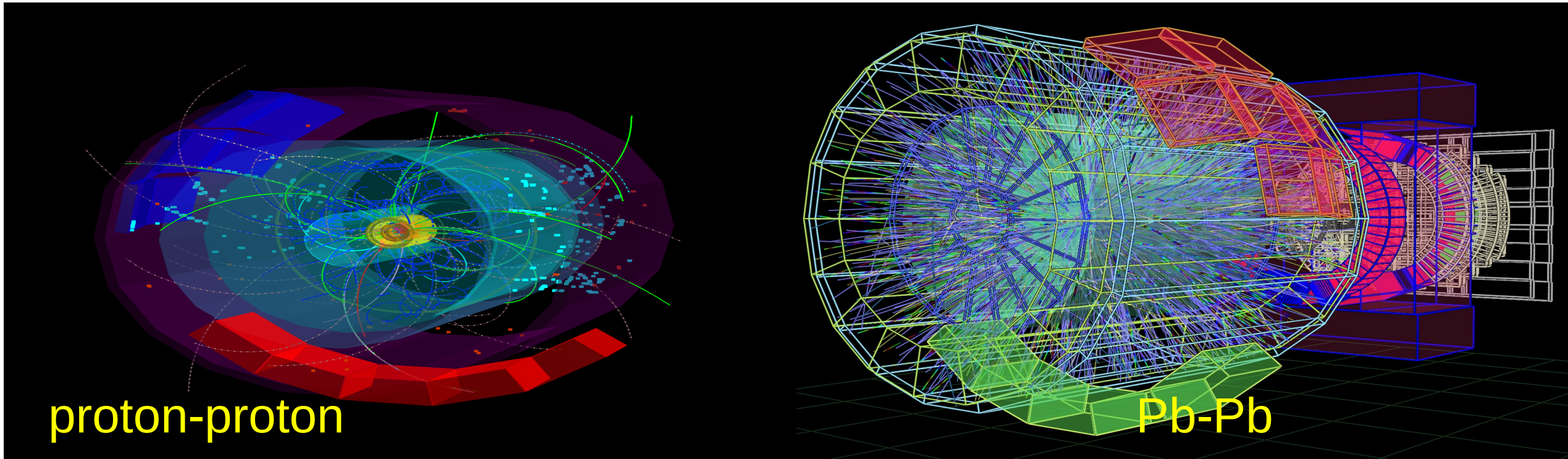
The structure of the ALICE detector



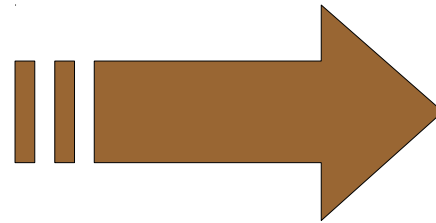
ALICE: Properties of the Primordial Matter



ALICE: Search for the perfect fluid...



- Quar-Gluon Plasma (QGP):
- proton-proton vs. Pb-Pb
 - hot, color (quark+gluon)
 - superfluid
 - This is a „perfect fluid“...



The Hungarian ALICE Group



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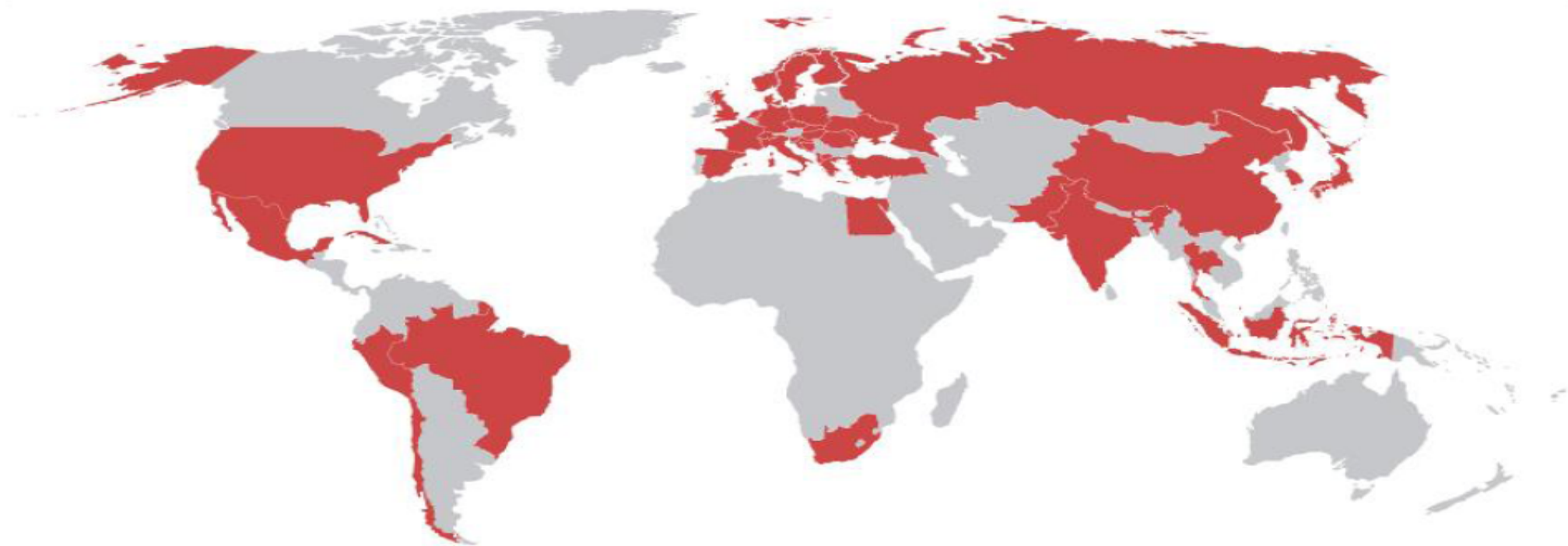


A Large Ion Collider Experiment



THE ALICE COLLABORATION

36 COUNTRIES – 151 INSTITUTES – 161'451 KCHF CAPITAL COST



THE ALICE COLLABORATION

History of the ALICE Experiment:

1990-1996 Design

1992-2002 R&D

2000-2010 Construction

2002-2007 Installation

2008 -> Commissioning

4 TP addenda along the way:

1996 Muon spectrometer

1999 TRD

2006 EMCAL

2007 DCAL

2012 Lol for the Upgrade

2012-2014 R&D

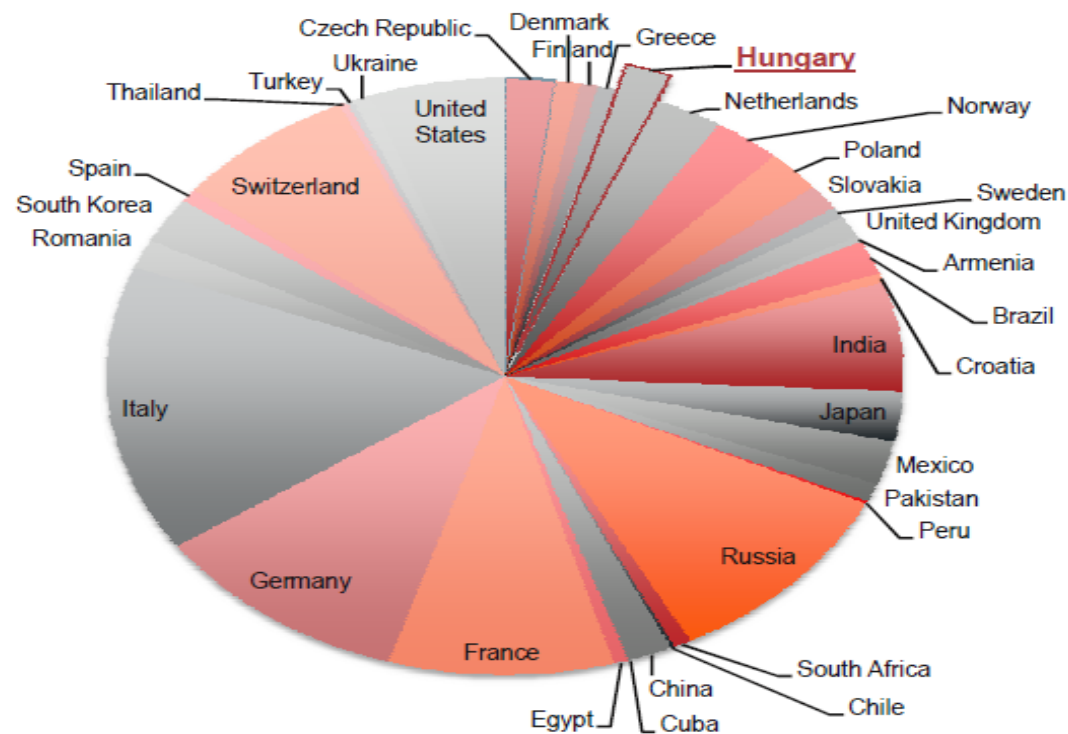
2014-2016 Procurement/Fabrication

2016-2017 Integration, pre-commissioning

2018-2019 Installation, commissioning

2019-2020 Full deployment of DAQ/HLT

The 1472 ALICE Collaborators by country





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HUNGARIAN COLLABORATORS

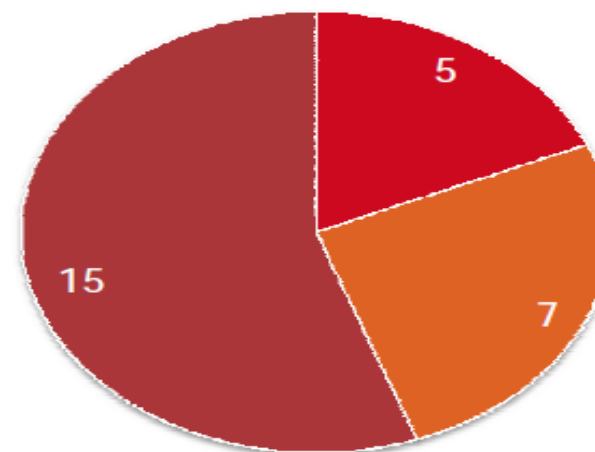
27 Collaborators coming from

**Wigner Research Centre for Physics
of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences**



Team leader: **Gergely G. Barnaföldi**

Collaborators by status



■ Scientists ■ PhD Students ■ Other Status

- **DAQ – DAQ UG/service group**
 - Strongly involved in the ALICE DAQ UG, CRU2 development
 - Kiss T, Dávid E, Imrek J, [T.M. Nguyen](#)
- **P/A – Physics/Analysis group**
 - High p_T , jets, PID, heavy quarks, correlation
 - BGG, Lévai P, Vértesi R, Varga-Kőfaragó M, [Bencédi Gy](#), [Szigeti B](#)
- **DDG – Detector Development group**
 - Gaseous detector R&D, TPC UG,
 - Varga D, Boldizsár L, Hamar G, [Gera Á](#)
- **GRID – ALICE Tier-2 Site**
 - T2 Budapest: 1000 cores, 750 TB HDD
 - BGG, [Bíró G](#)

ALICE data analysis



ALICE data analysis – identified hadron spectra

- Measurement of high- p_T hadron spectra with particle identification (pion, kaon, proton)
- Complex task, done by many detector:
TPC+TOF – Time Projection Chamber+Time of Flight

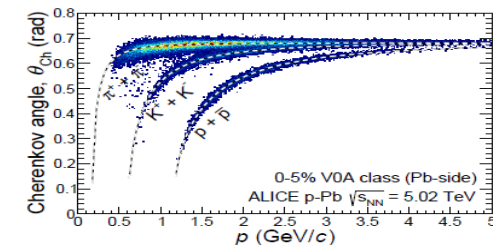
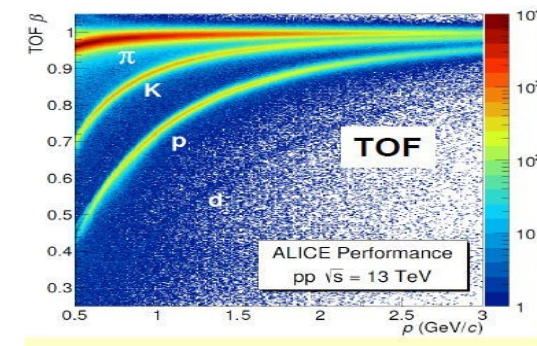
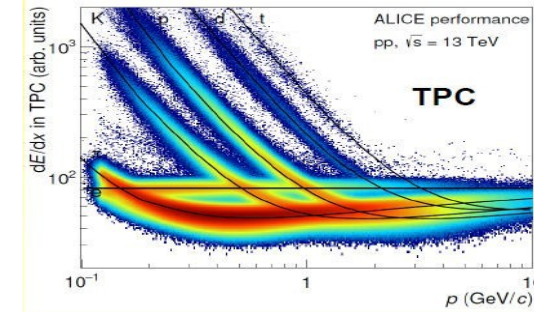
- low $p_T < 1$ GeV/c & high $p_T > 5$ GeV/c momentum region

HMPID – RICH, Cherenkov detector

- $1 \text{ GeV/c} < p_T < 5 \text{ GeV/c}$ intermediate momentum region

ITS – Secondary vertex method

- Identified hadron spectra
→ mass & flavor, triggered correlations



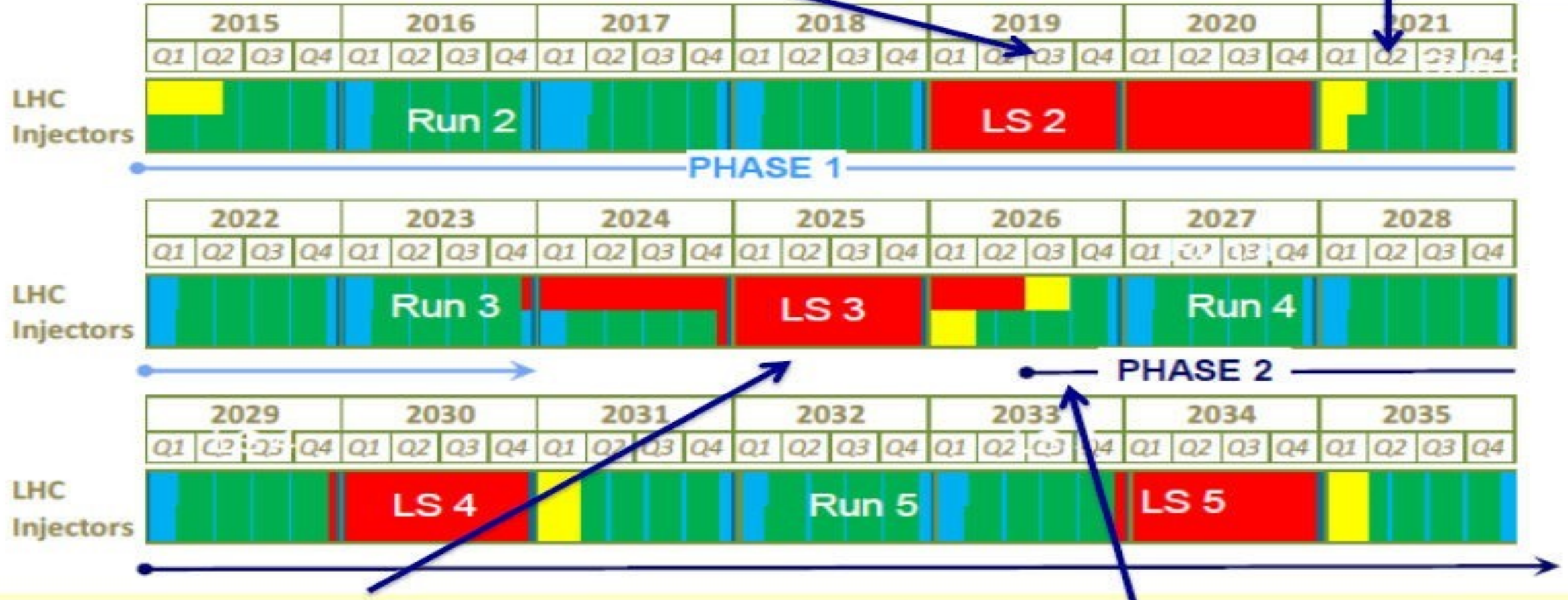
Participation in the ALICE upgrade (2018-2020)

The upgrade plane of the Large Hadron Collider (LHC)

PHASE I Upgrade

ALICE, LHCb major upgrade
ATLAS, CMS, 'minor' upgrade

Heavy Ion Luminosity
from 10^{27} to 7×10^{27}



PHASE II Upgrade

ATLAS, CMS major upgrade

HL-LHC, pp luminosity

from 10^{34} (peak) to 5×10^{34} (levelled)

The upgrade of the ALICE detector during LS2

New Inner Tracking System (ITS)

- improved pointing precision
- less material -> thinnest tracker at the LHC

Muon Forward Tracker (MFT)

- new Si tracker
- Improved MUON pointing precision

MUON ARM

- continuous readout electronics

TPC

- Micropattern gas detector technology
- continuous readout



New Central Trigger Processor (CTP)

Data Acquisition (DAQ)/ High Level Trigger (HLT)

- new architecture
- on line tracking & data compression
- 50kHz PbPb event rate

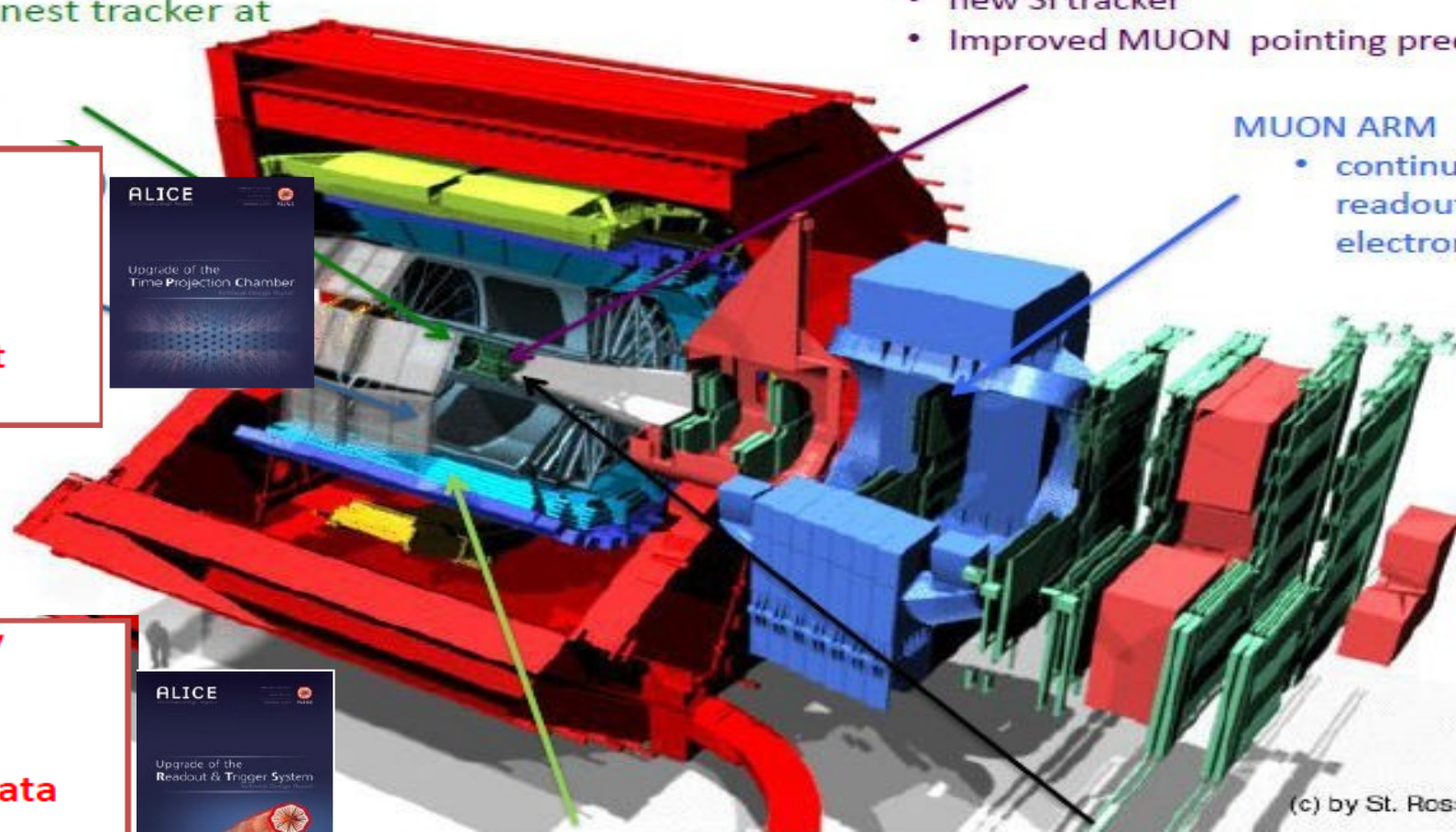


TOF, TRD

- Faster readout

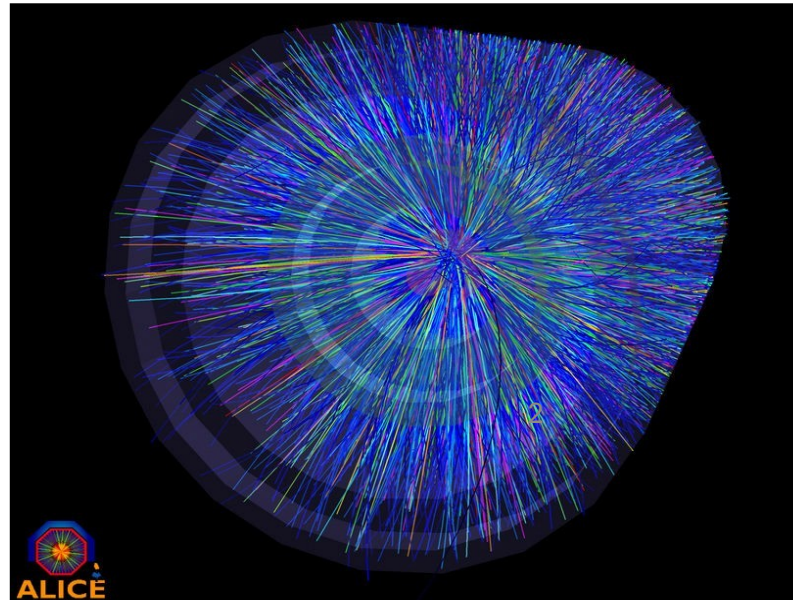
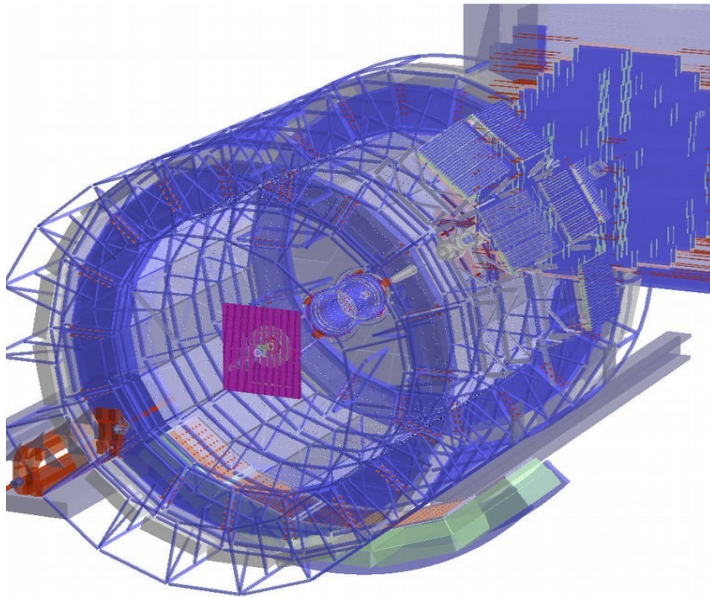
New Trigger Detectors (FIT)

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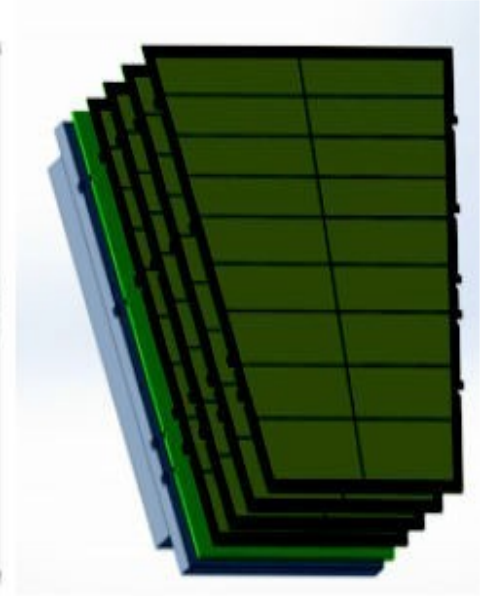
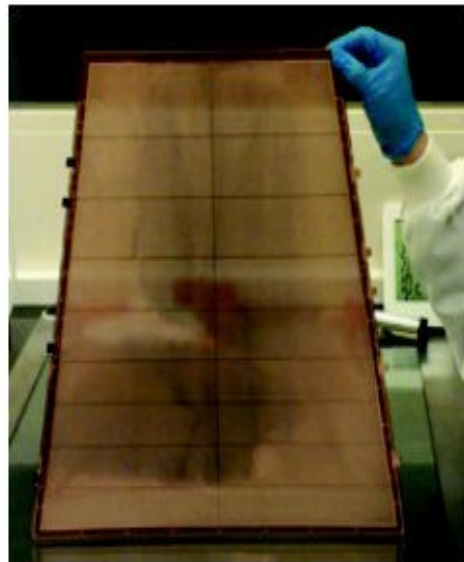
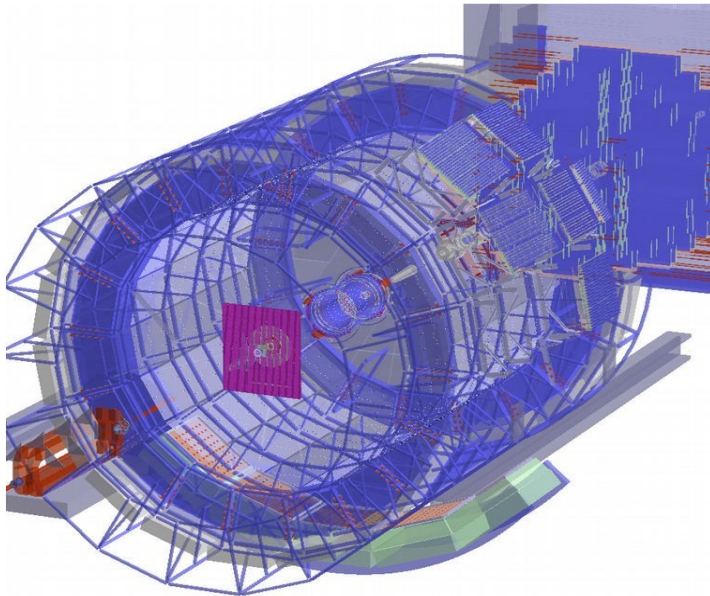
ALICE TPC: World's Largest TPC

- Measuring the path of the particles with the World's largest 90m³ Time Projection Chamber



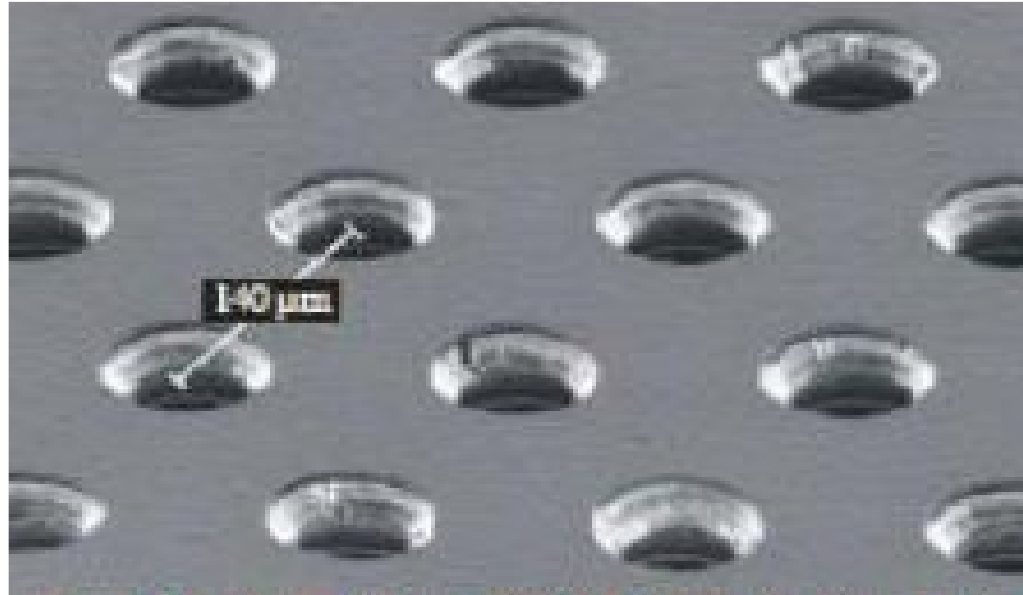
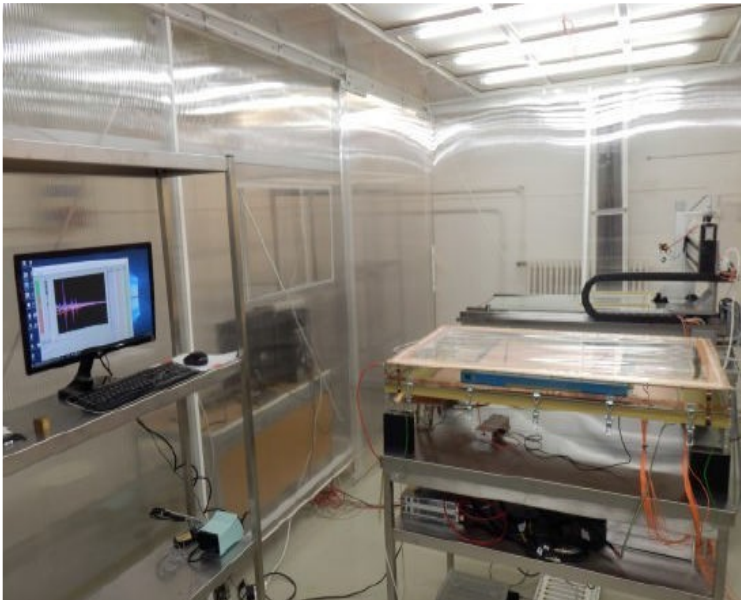
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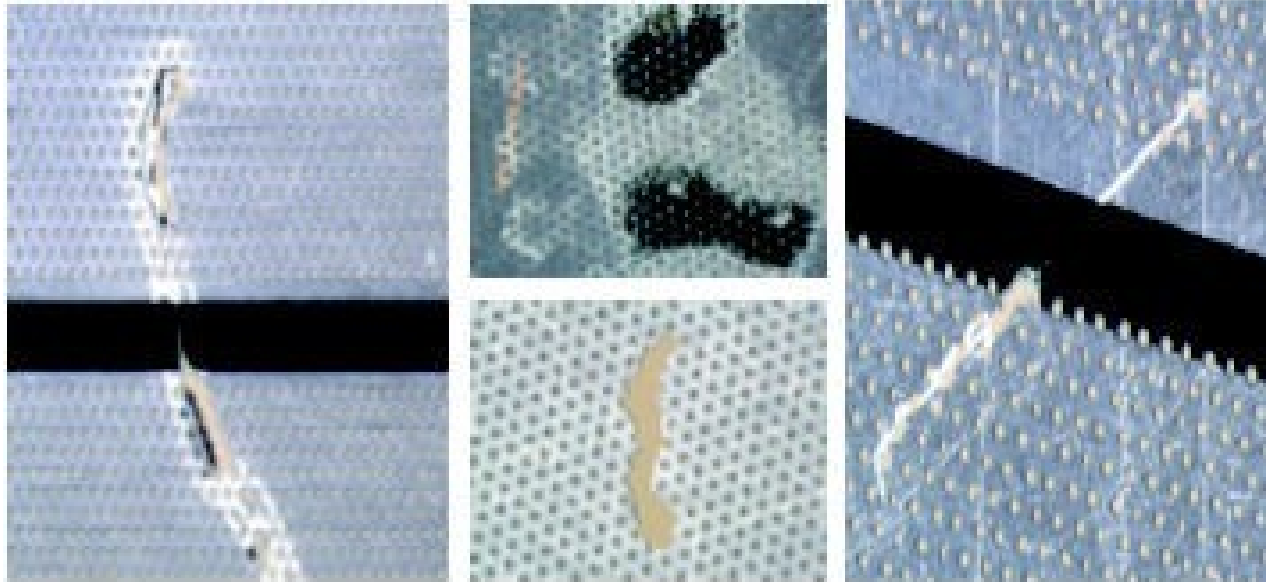
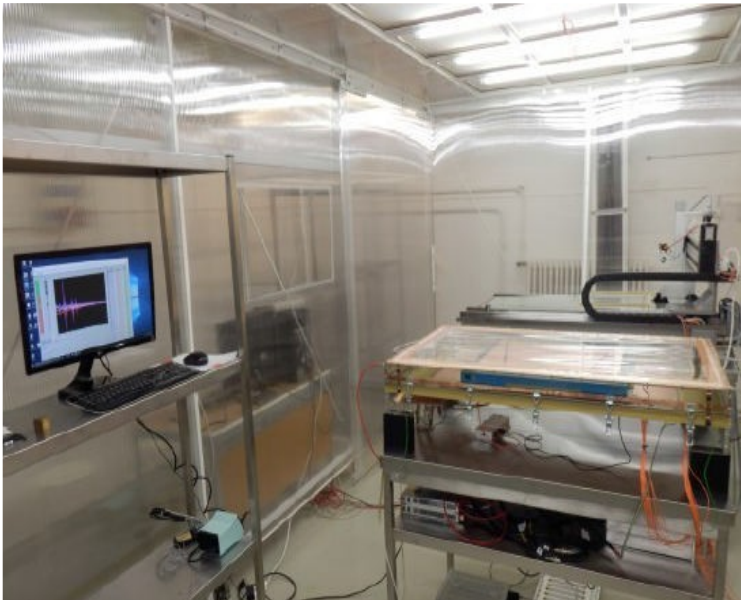
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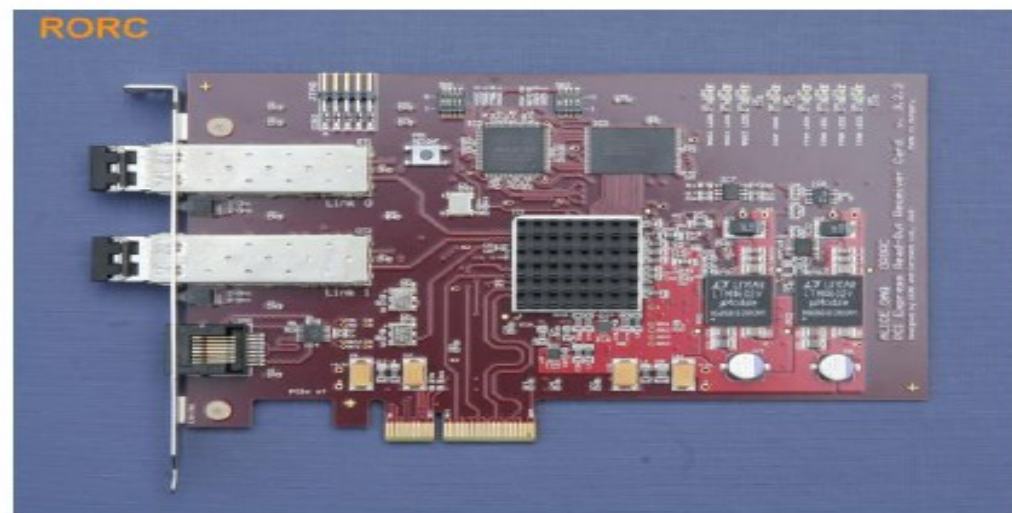
HUNGARIAN CONTRIBUTION TO DATA ACQUISITION (DAQ)

- ✓ Major role in the ALICE DAQ system
- ✓ Designed and produced the optical links (DDLs) and the computer adapters for these links (D-RORCs) which transmit the data from all the detectors to the DAQ computers. There are currently 500 DDLs running at 2 Gbit/s in use in ALICE.

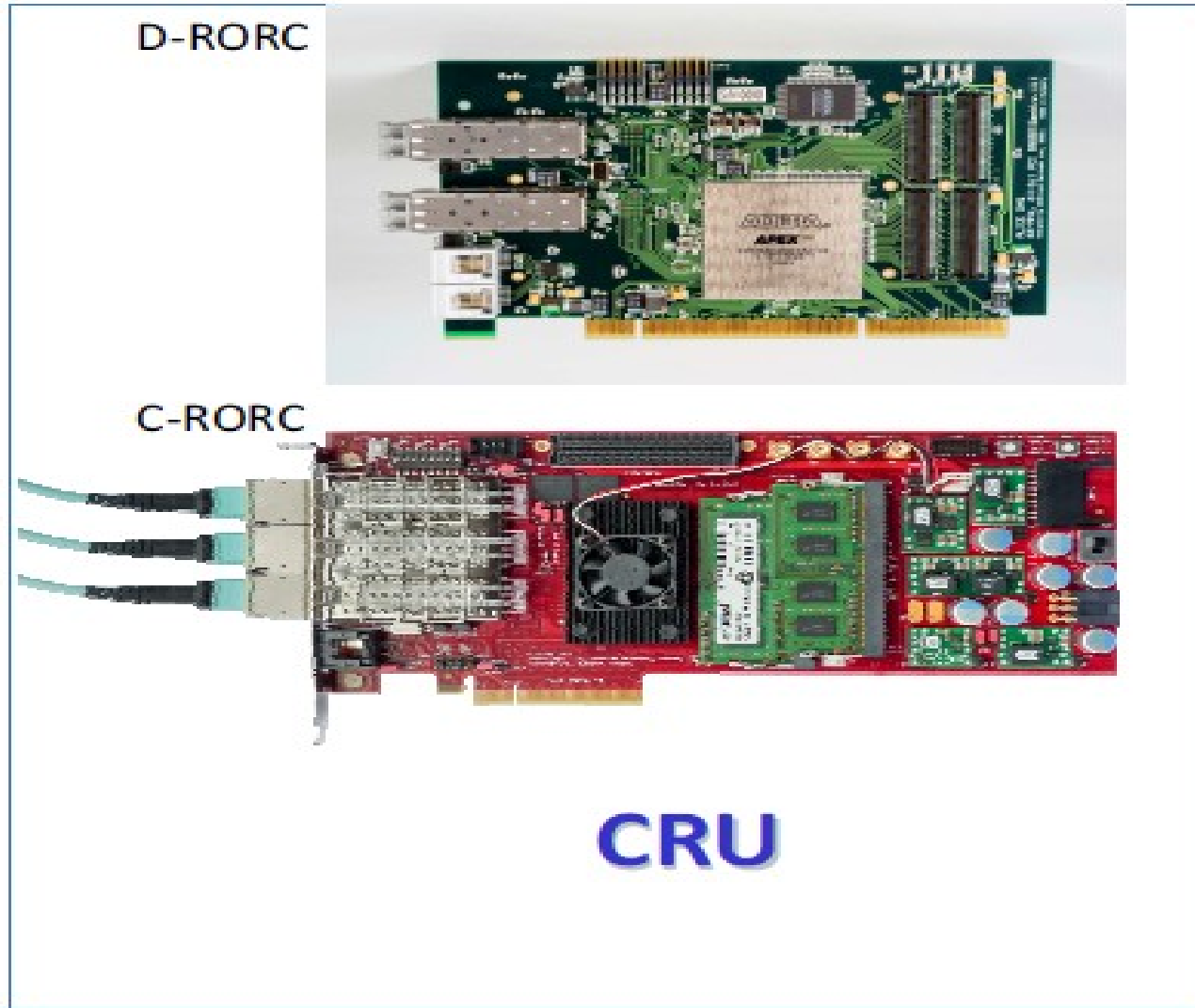


HUNGARIAN CONTRIBUTION TO DATA ACQUISITION

- ✓ Providing a **readout bandwidth of 1 Tbit/s**. They are also used in the reverse direction to configure the electronics of some detectors (e.g. TPC or MCH). The same links are used to transmit the data to the HLT computers.
- ✓ Developed the system drivers used with the DDLs and the DRORCs.
- ✓ Funded the DDLs and part of the D-RORCs.



ALICE DDL/DAQ: data on the Highway



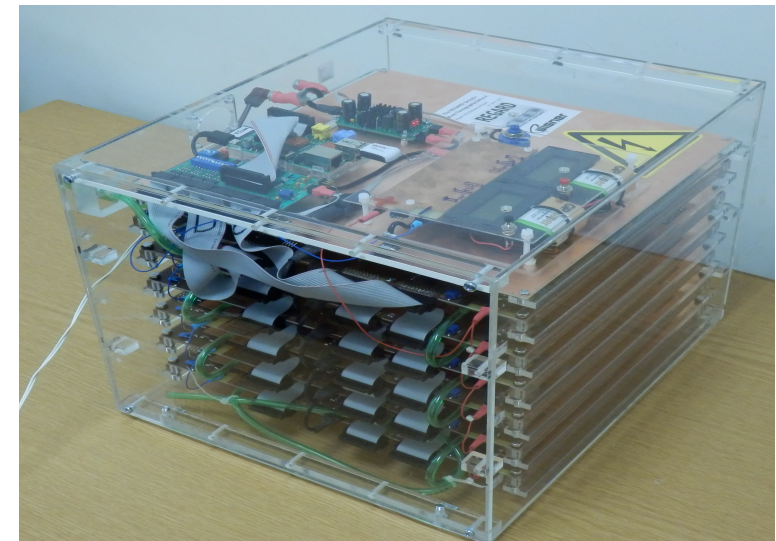
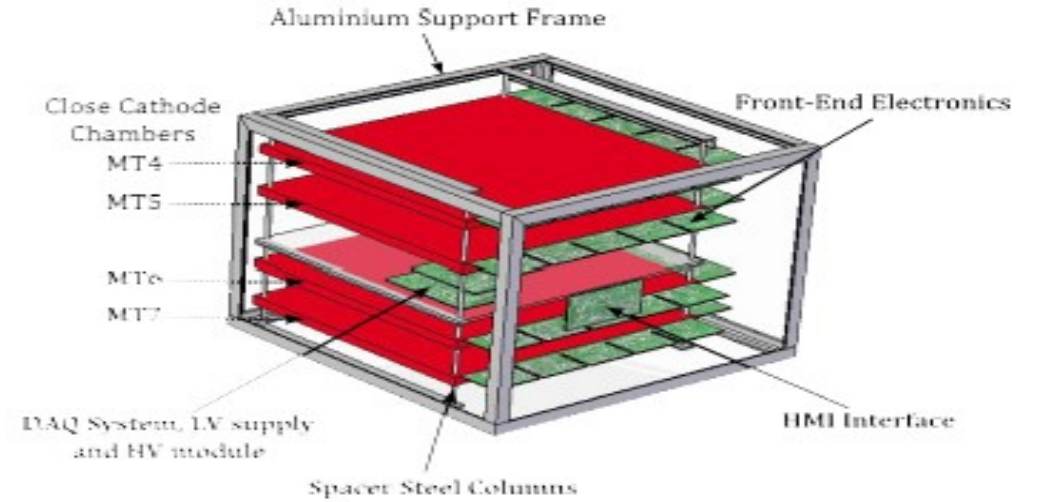
- **Standardised detector data links (DDL) as the common interface between the detectors read-out and the DAQ (online system)**
- **Run1:**
- **2.125 Gb/s custom DDL & D-RORC**
- **Run2:**
- **4.25 Gb/s custom DDL2 & C-RORC**
- **Run3:**
- **Common Read-out Units (CRUs) as common detector, an trigger, and control interface**
- **10..40 Gb/s commercial DDL3 (10 GbE or PCI Express over fiber)**

Collaborations in Applied Physics

Cosmic Muon Tomography

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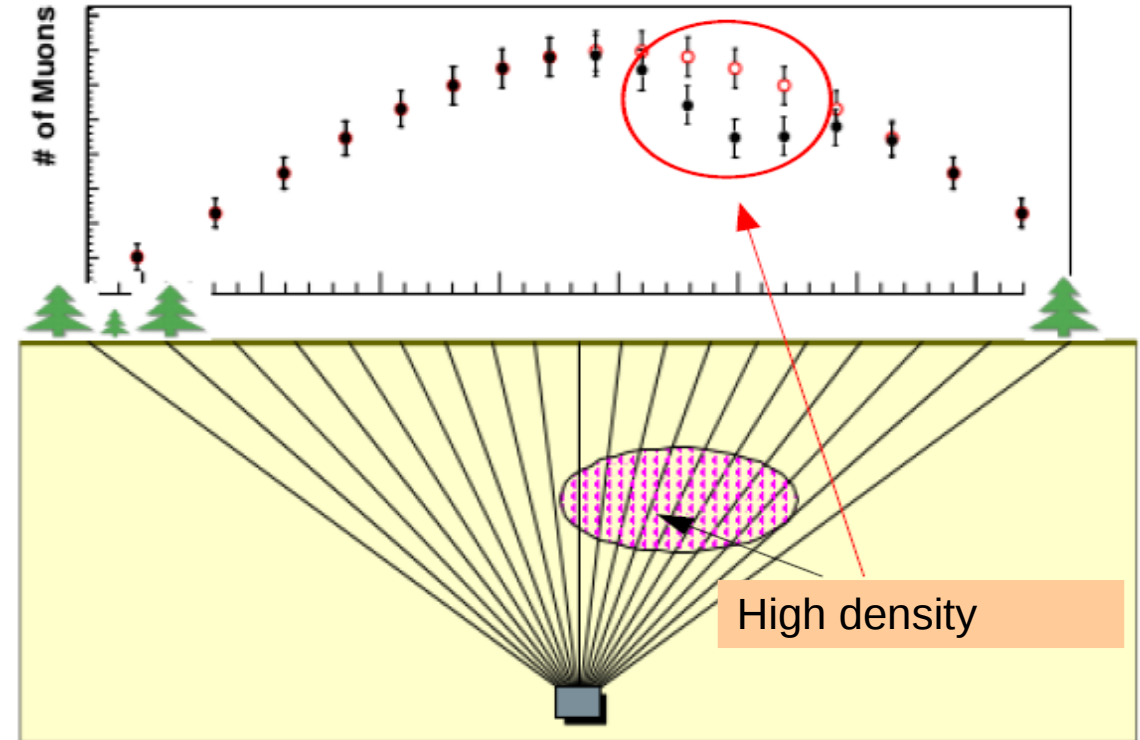
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Muon tomography – the idea

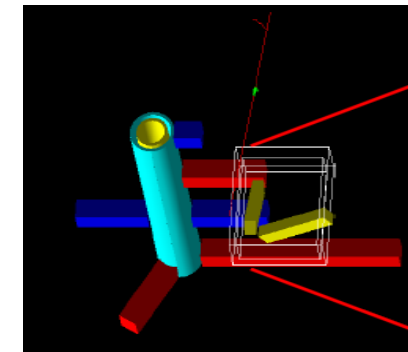
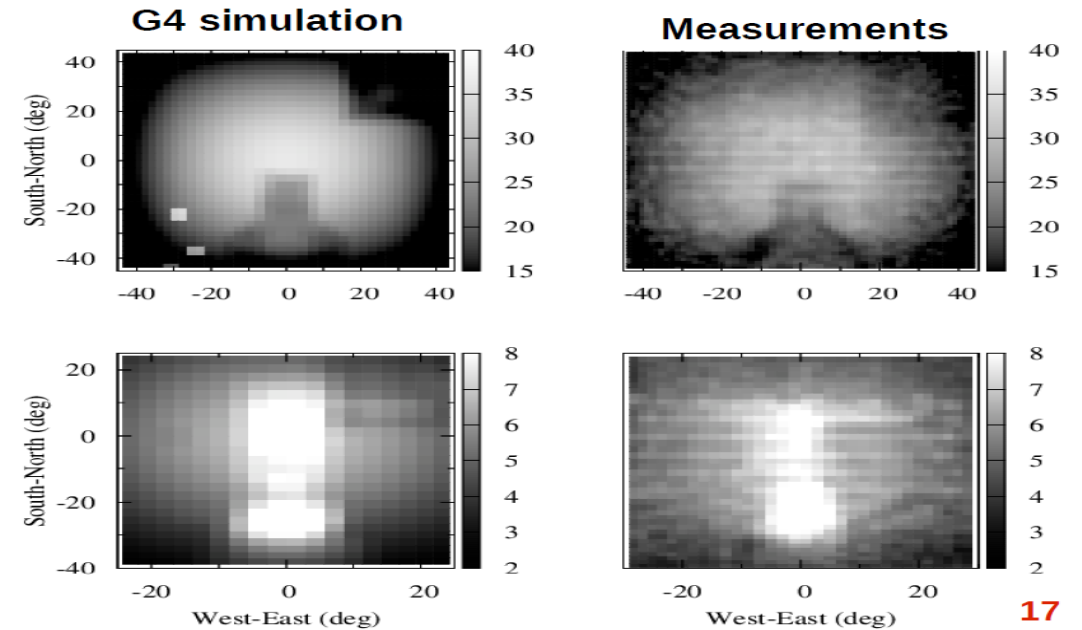
- Cosmic muon angular distribution & flux is well known
- Underground measurements can be done to measure large-scale inhomogeneities
- It can be used to explore underground structures: caves, pyramids, pipes, mines, volcanoes..



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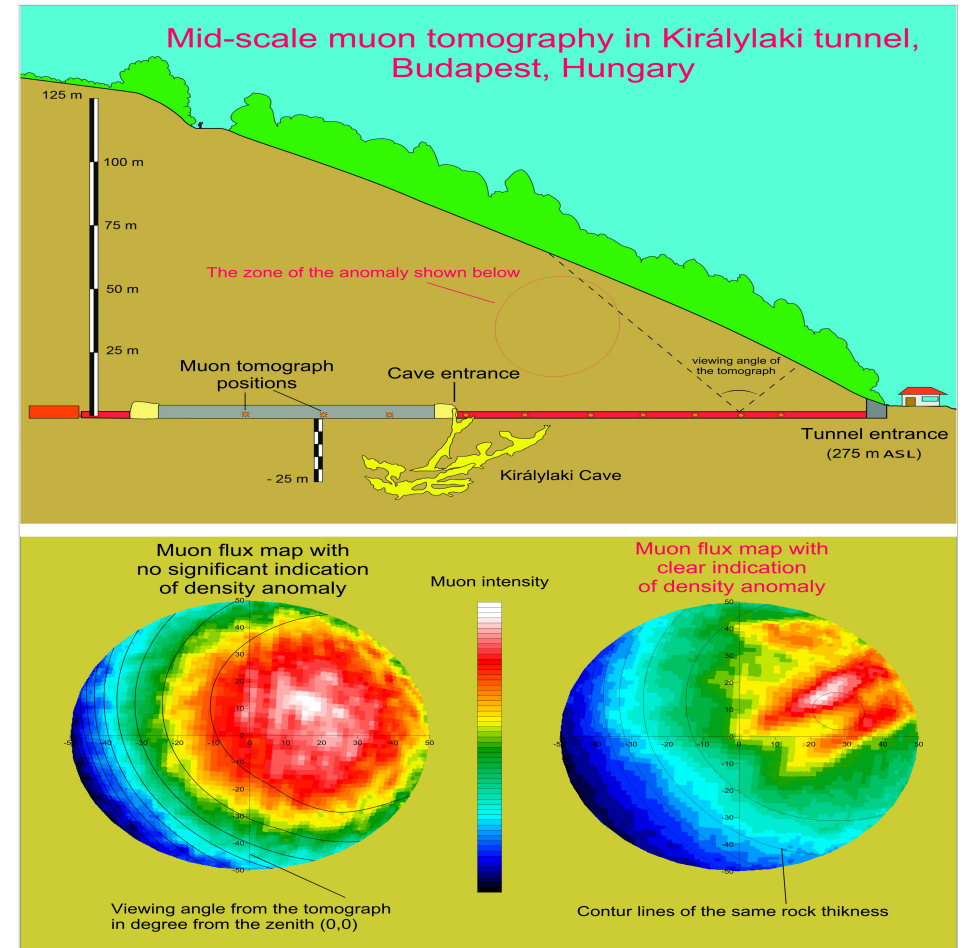
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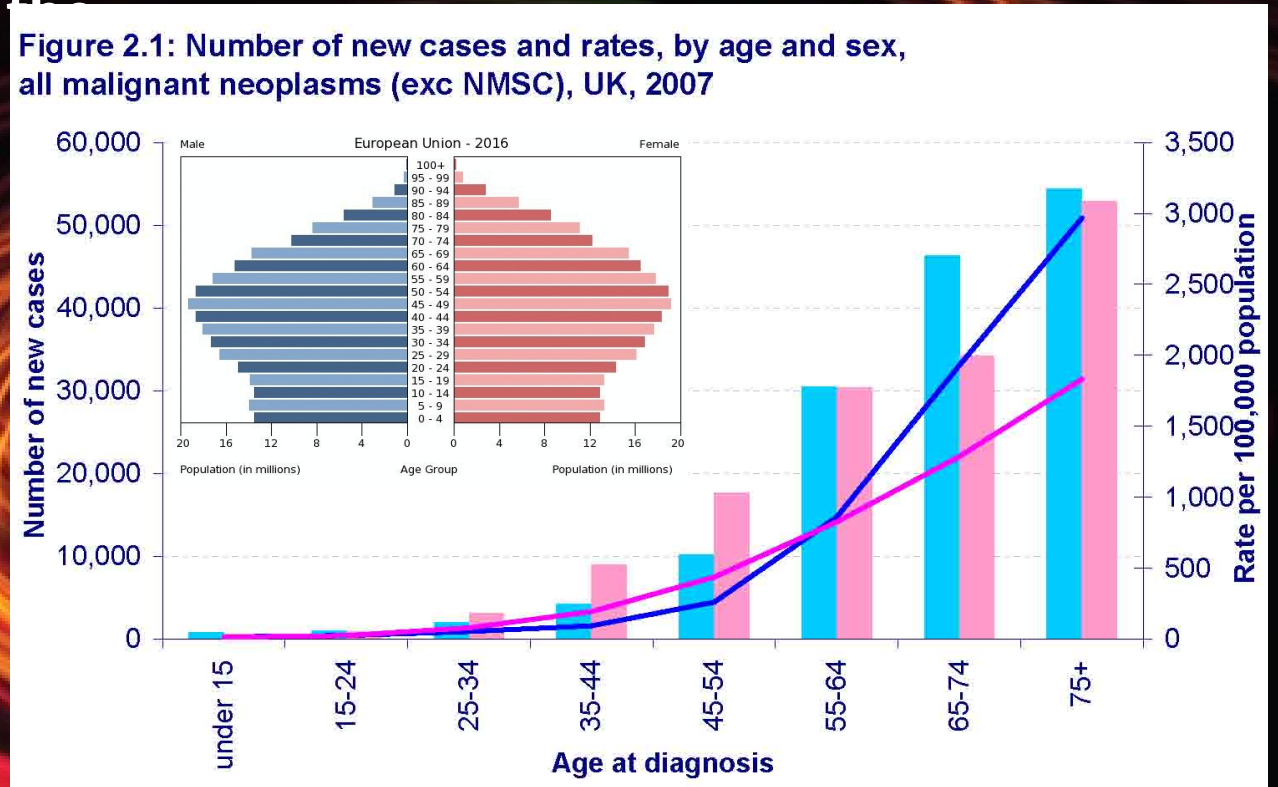
Radiotherapy is an important weapon in the battle against cancer

Contributions to successful treatment of cancer

45-50% surgery

40-50% radiotherapy

10-15% chemotherapy



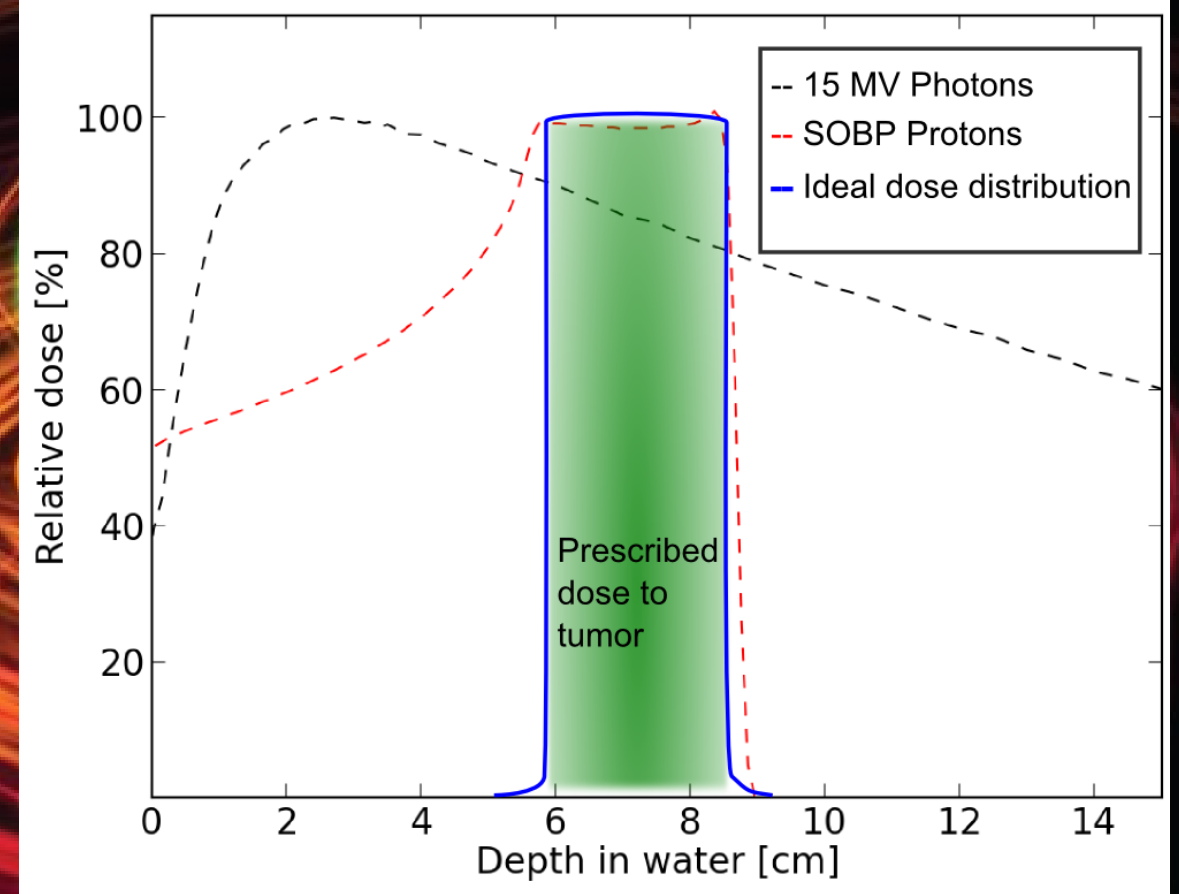
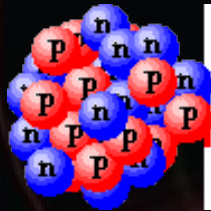
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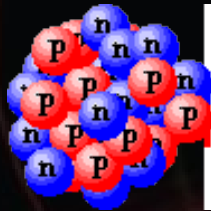
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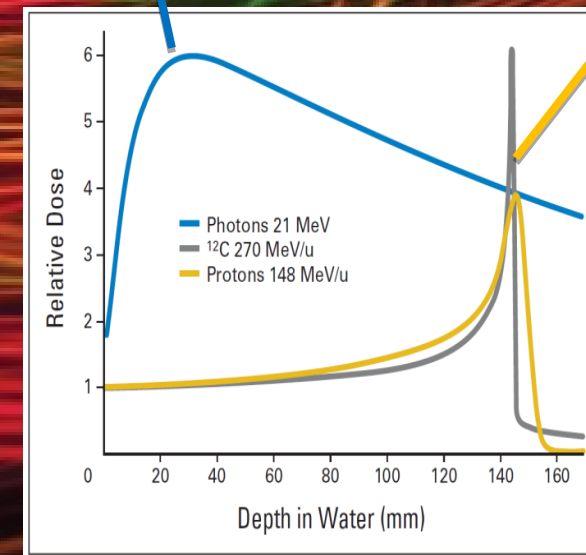
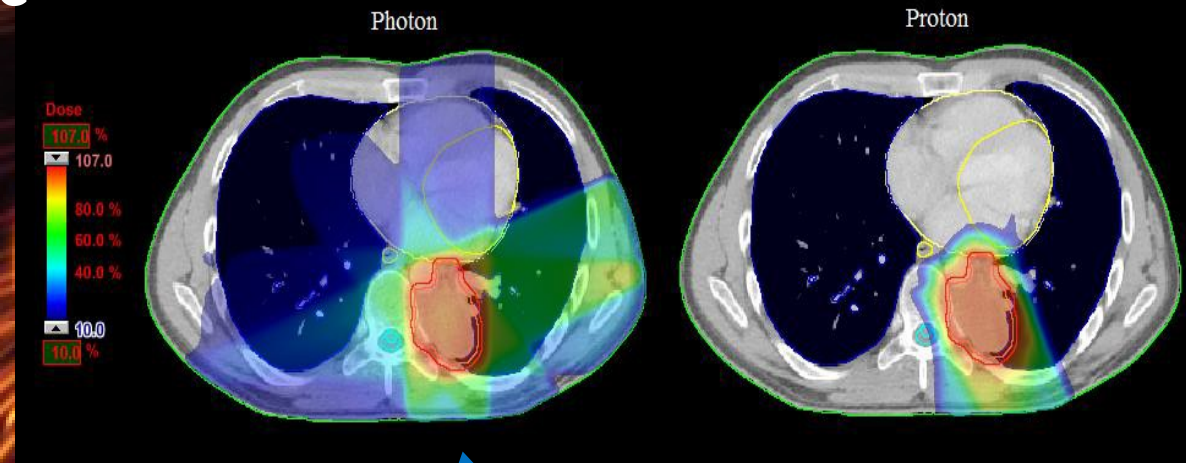
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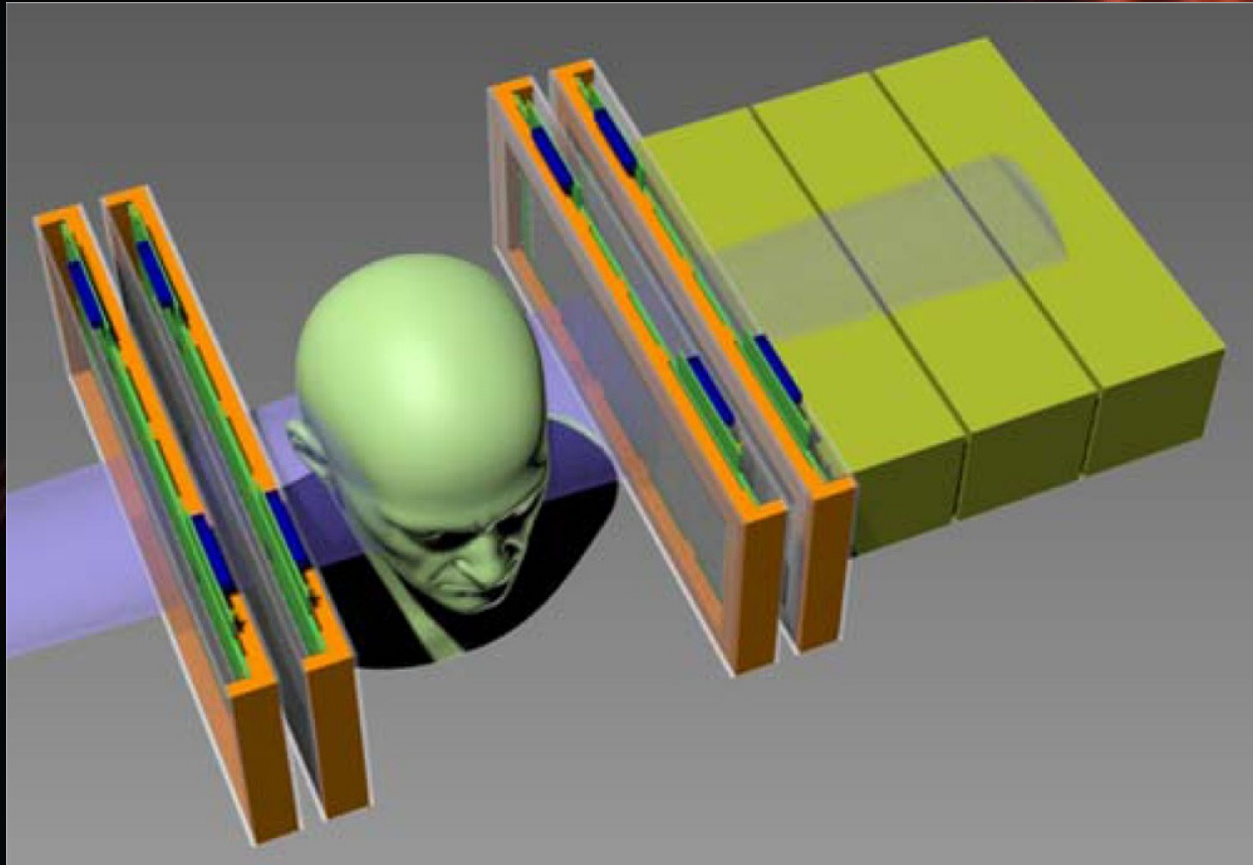
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pCT project with University of Bergen



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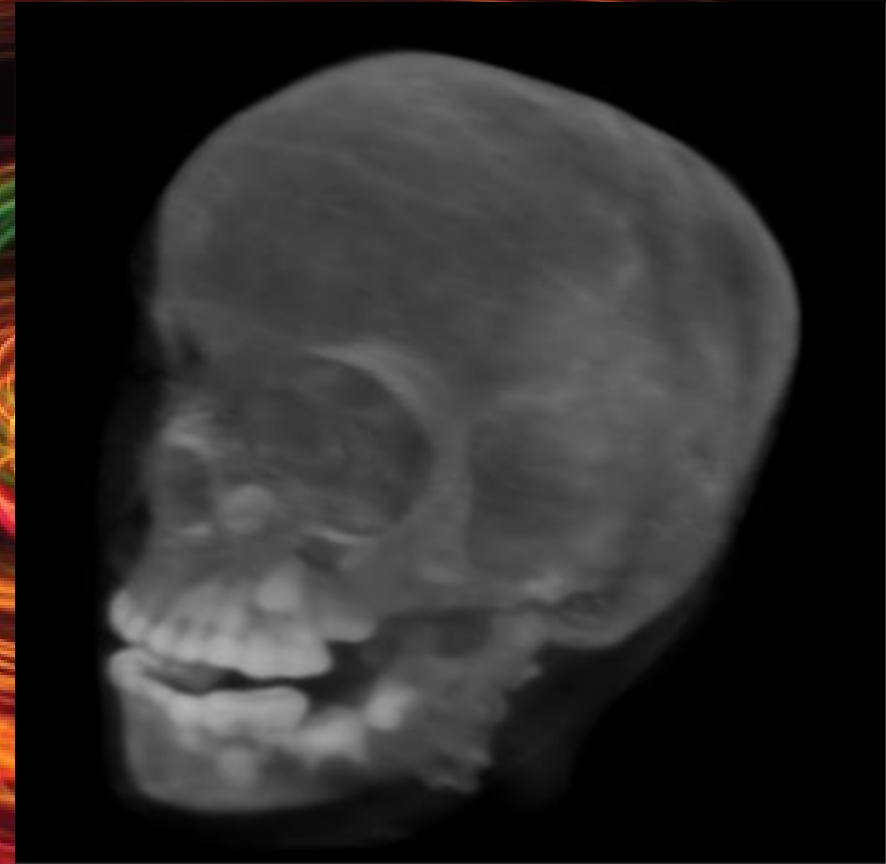
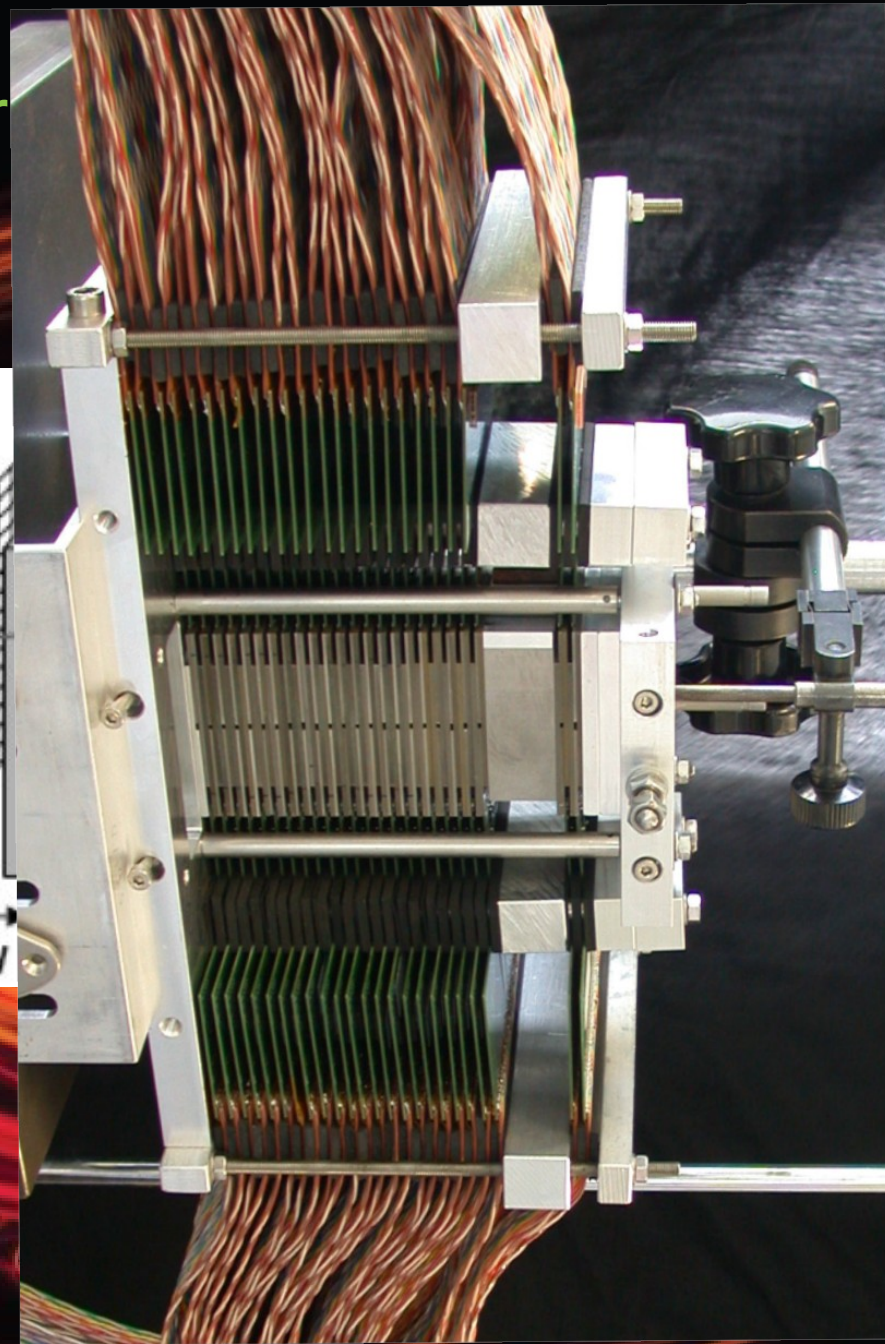
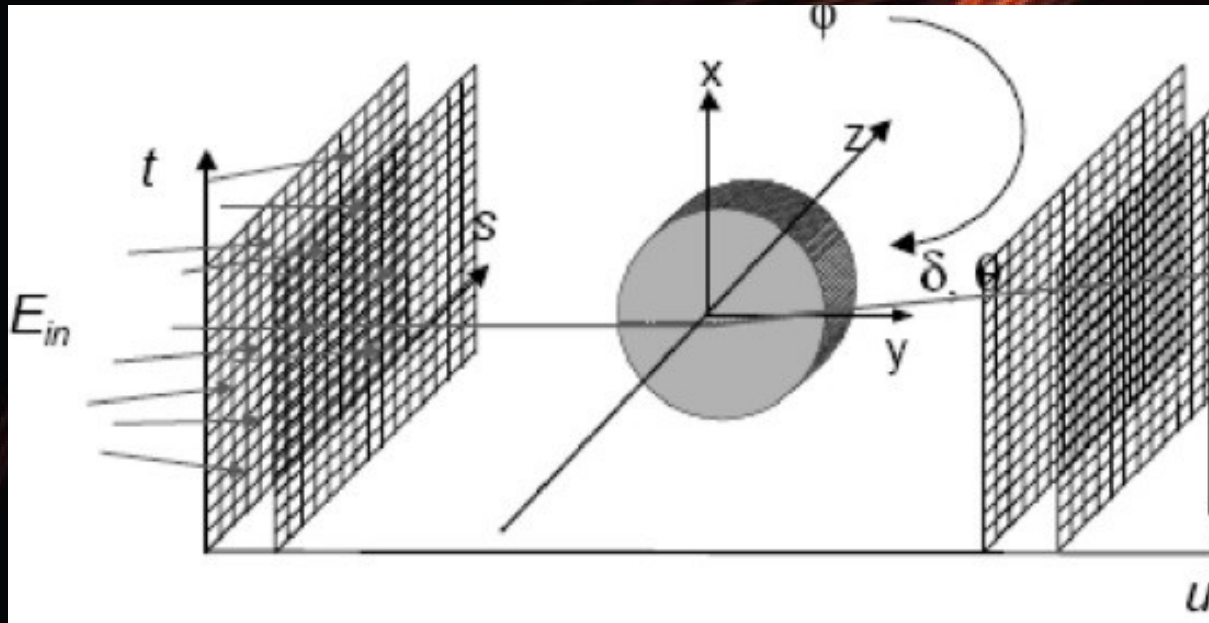


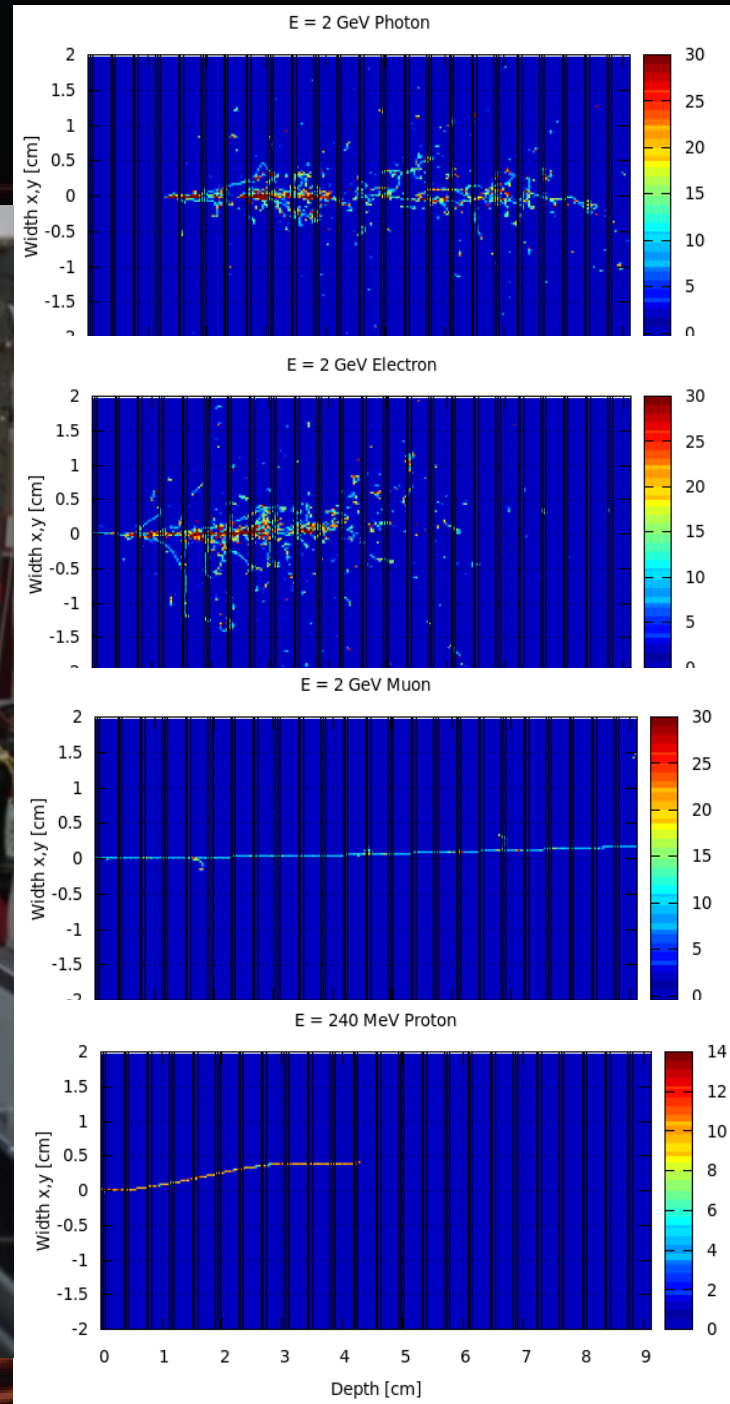
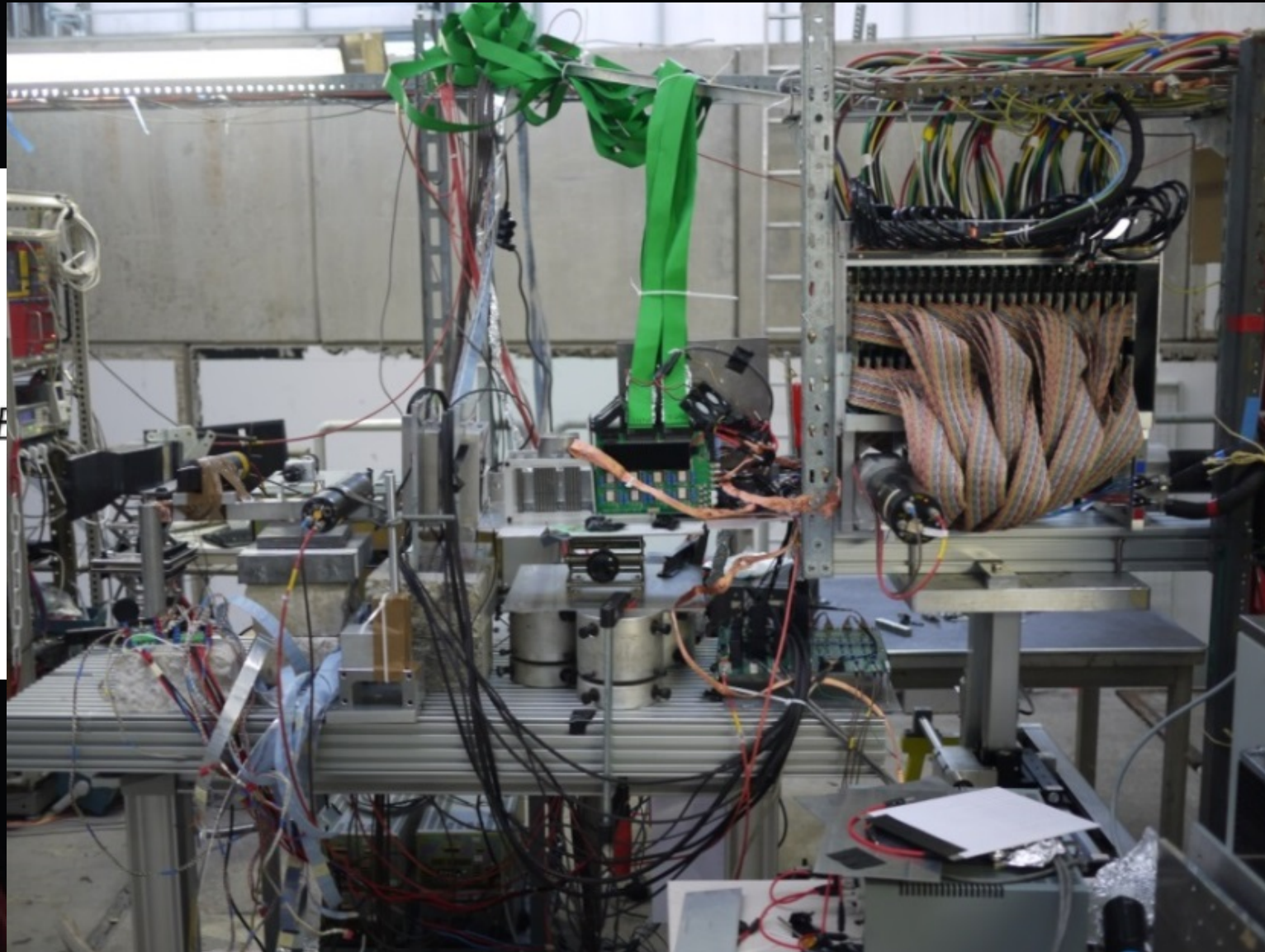
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Computing: Wigner GPU Laboratory

Software R&D for parallel computing

Wigner GPU Laboratory

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GPU Day – Schools & Workshops

Support of projects

Academy: WDC, CERN Openlab

Partners: Lombiq, KHRONOS

ColSpotting: CERN IT as USER(!)

2 years of running:

- Fellowships (1-2 month)
- 10 IF papers
- 3-5 ongoing projects



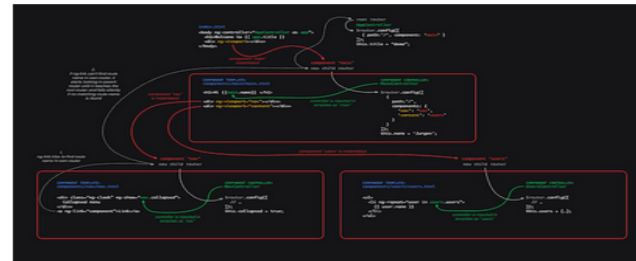
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Development environment for GPU codes

The machines of the GPU Lab are built to be a testbed for experimenting with the different GPU technologies and to test algorithms utilizing multiple cards. There are configurations hosting NVIDIA cards with CUDA support and OpenCL capable devices in the form of AMD GPUs and Intel Xeon Phis

Developer assistance and consulting

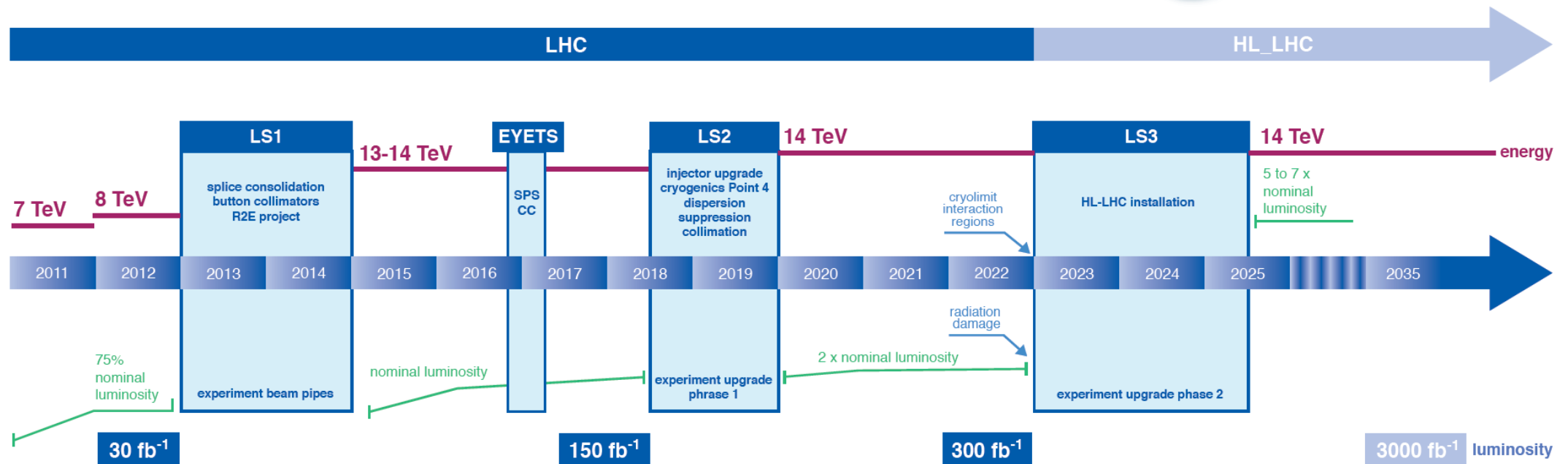
The associates of the GPU Lab are keen to help in understanding the architecture of CPU and GPU hardware and answer the questions arising in programming and API usage.



HI data from the Large Hadron Collider

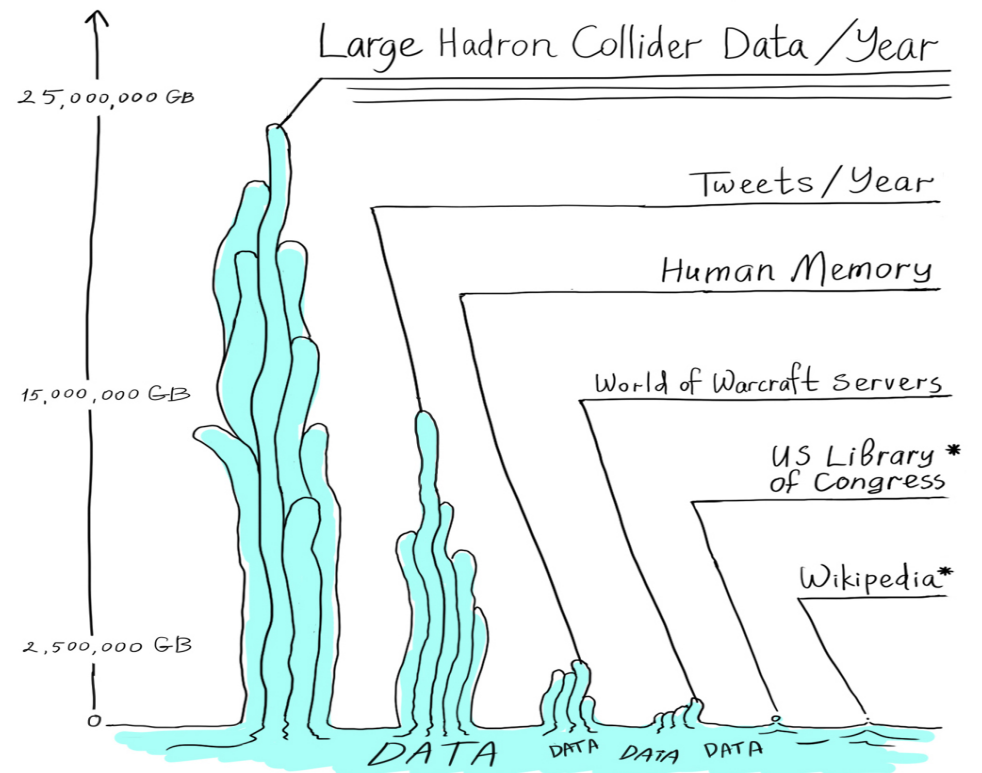
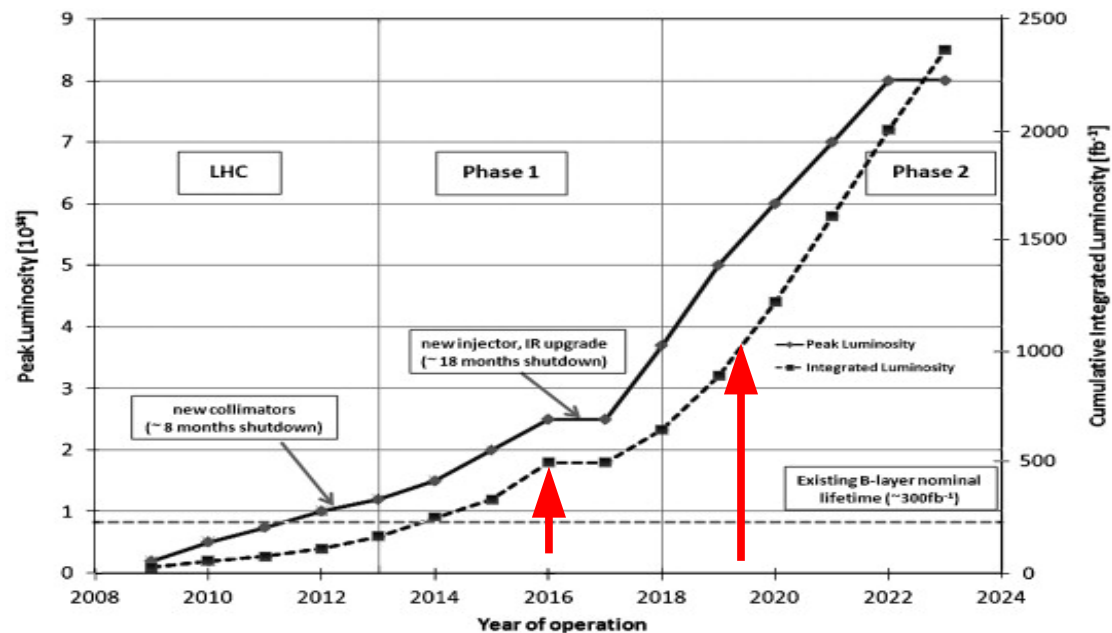
- LHC upgrades & theories required more and faster HI simulations

LHC / HL-LHC Plan



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- WLCG – Worldwide LHC Computing GRID:
 - LHC made 15-20 PB data per year
 - ...and now before HL-LHC 2PB/day



All numbers approximate.

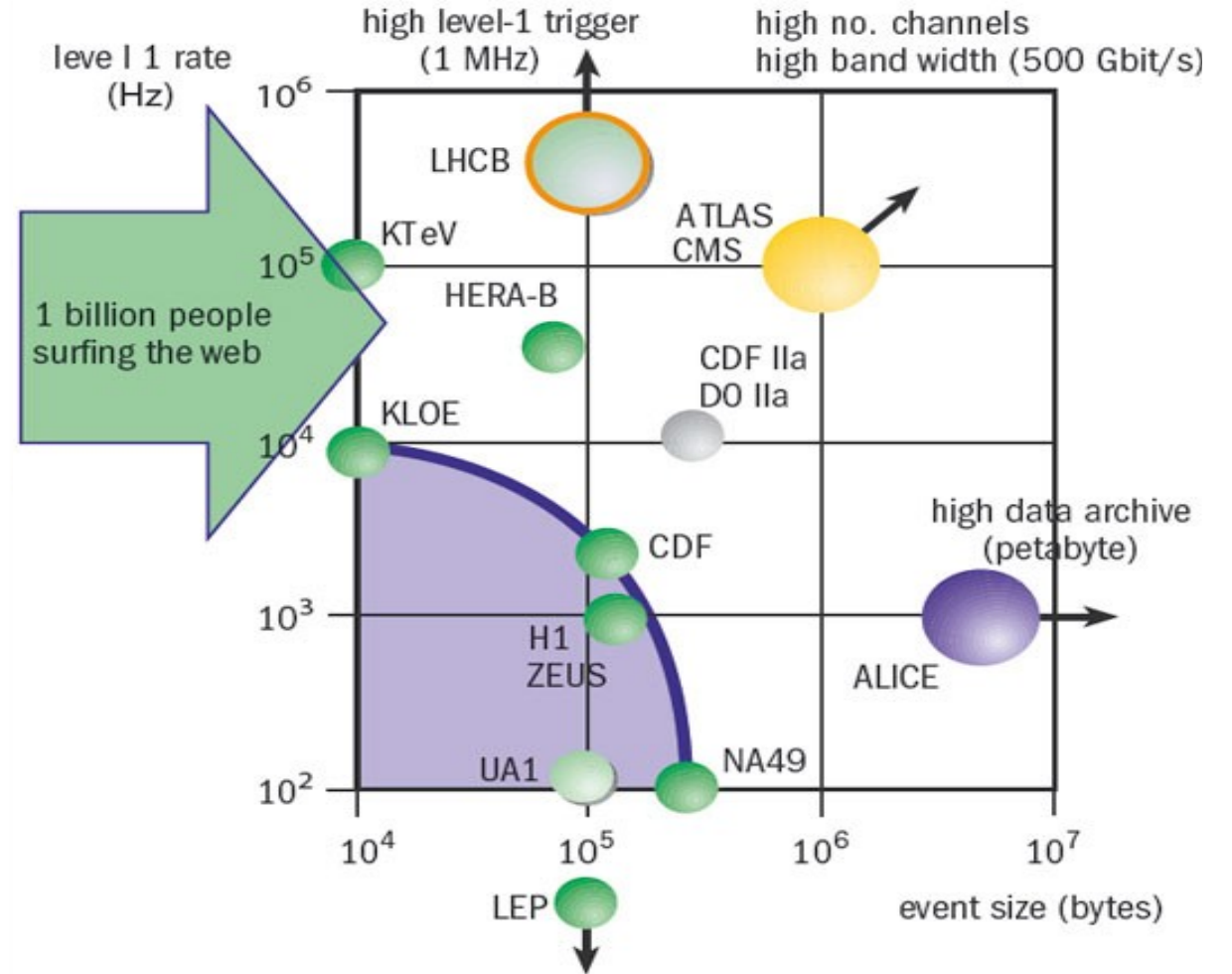
* Binary Data

More data: motivation for fast computing at CERN



- ▶ **Ideal:** amount of simulated data \approx real data
 - > **Number** of events at LHC: $\mathcal{O}(10^8) / s$
 - > **Necessary** time for Monte Carlo with ALICE geometry: $3.8 \text{ ms}/\text{track}$

- ▶ **Necessary** time to simulate 1 s of ALICE data: $\mathcal{O}(\text{days})$

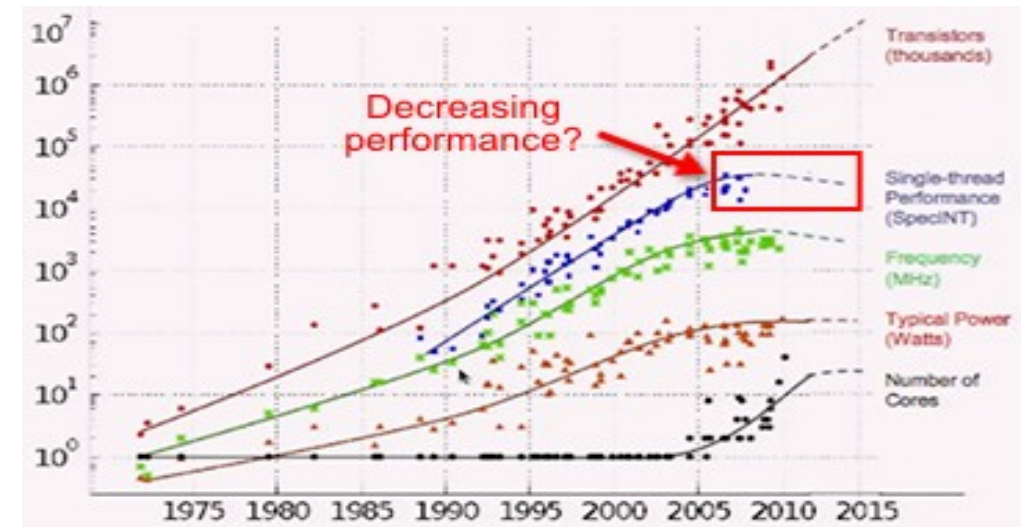


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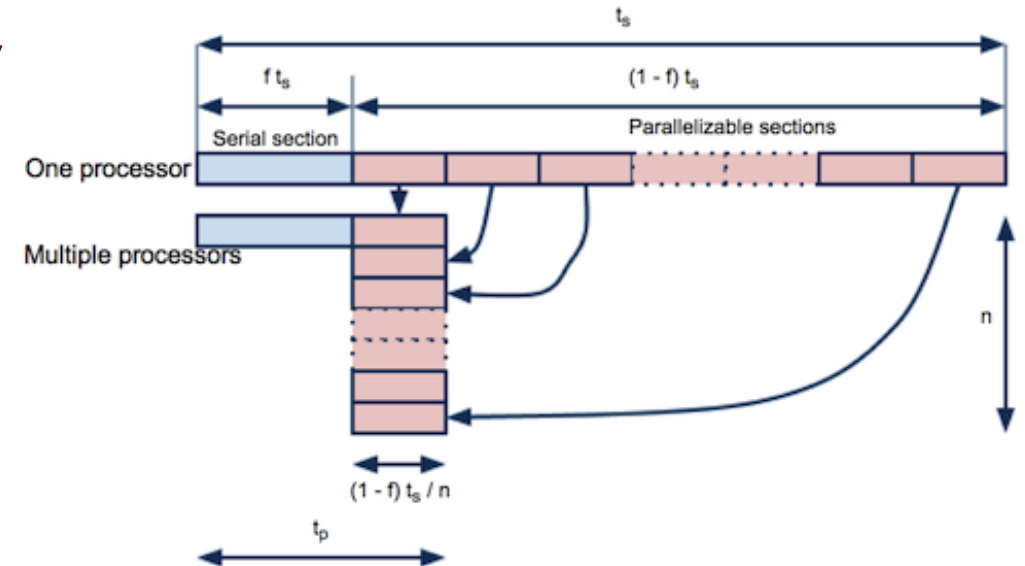
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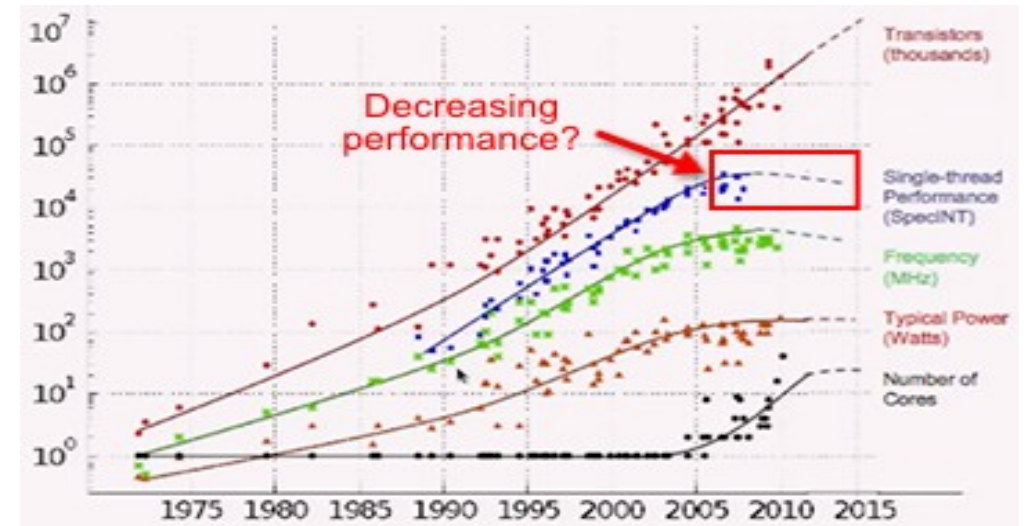


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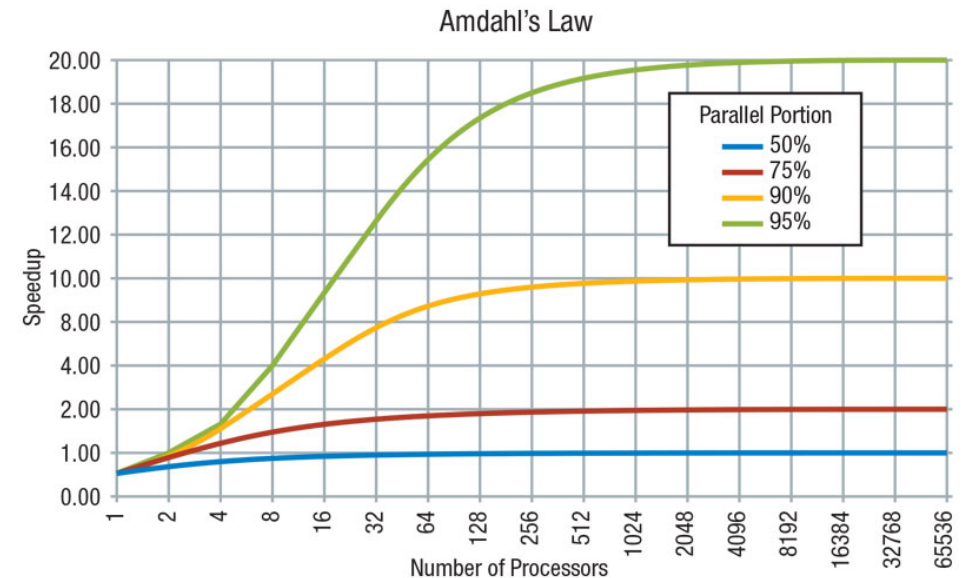


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$$\text{Speedup}(N) = \frac{1}{(1-P) + \frac{P}{N}}$$

Serial part of job =
1 (100%) - Parallel part

Parallel part is divided
up by N workers



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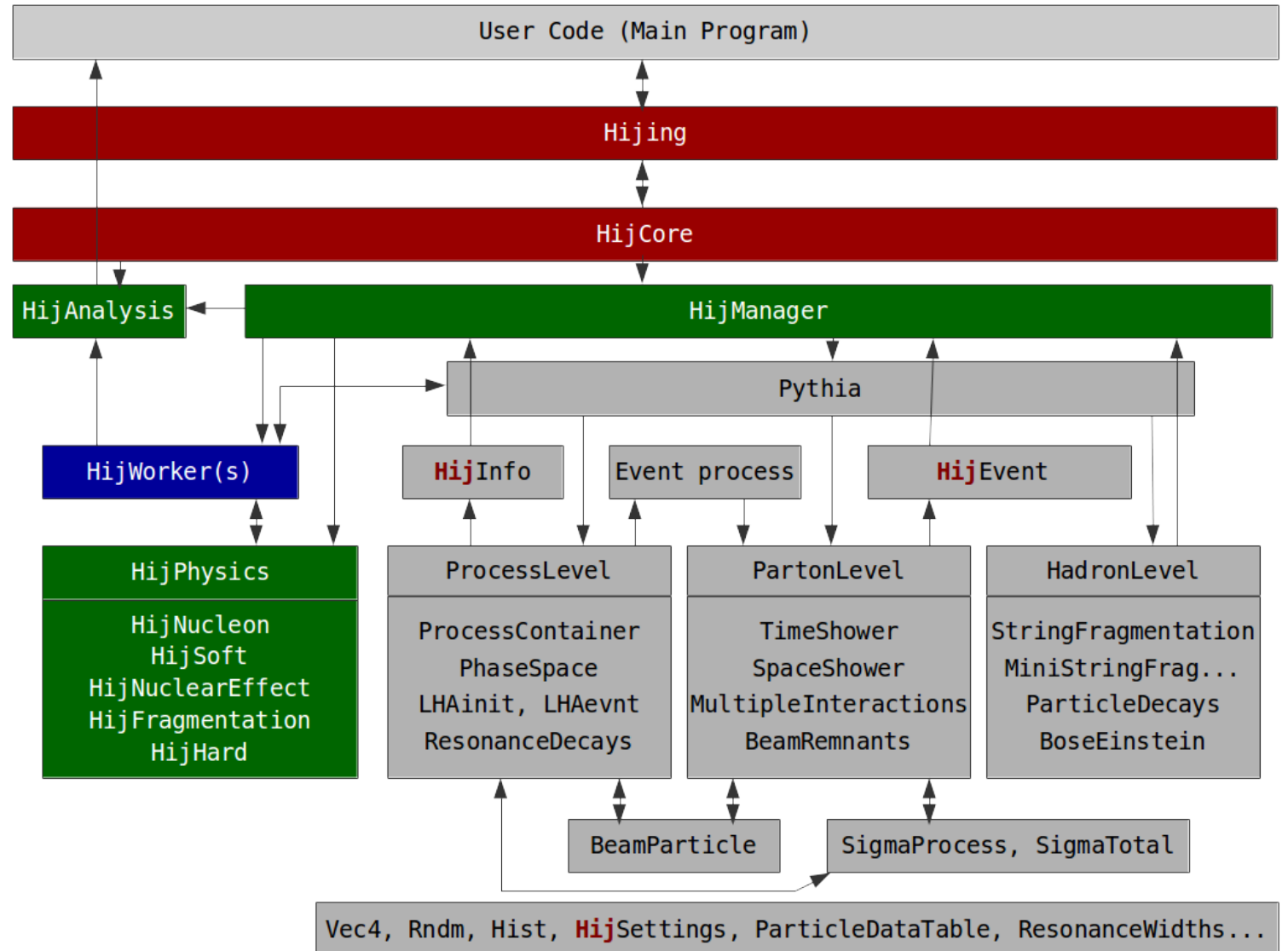
Bagua (eight symbols)

fundamental principles of reality

adjoint representation 8 of $SU(3)$

Program Structure

- Pythia8 namespace containers
- Structure similarities
- Actual program flow is more complicated
- New: HijManager



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