



"La propagation du rayonnement cosmique"

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Context
 Diffusion
 Survey: our needs

1. Context: a brief history of cosmic rays



1. Context: messengers (spectra, anisotropies...)

Two categories

- Neutral species
 - ✓ Gamma-rays
 - Neutrinos
- Charged cosmic rays
 - Leptons
 - Nuclei

Observation type

 \rightarrow Astronomy: point-like, extended, diffuse emissions

 \rightarrow Fuzzy (deflection in B fields): spectra and anisotropy maps



AUGER (arXiv:1306.4998)

 \rightarrow Multi-messenger approaches \rightarrow Multi-wavelength observations



1. Context: sources of (extra-)galactic CRs?

Crab nebula



Galactic scale

- Pulsars
- Supernovae
- ... $\rightarrow E_{max} \sim 10^{15} \text{ eV}$

Centaurus A



Extra-galactic scale

- Gamma-ray bursts
- Quasars
- Active Galaxy Nuclei (AGN)

 $\rightarrow E_{\rm max} \sim 10^{20} {\rm eV}$

 \rightarrow One century after their discovery, we still lack a clear evidence of what are the sources for the observed CR spectrum

1. Context: HE and UHECR propagation



- pbar, diffuse γ -rays, e⁻ and e⁺ (and sources)
- anisotropy<10⁻³ for ≠ energies and ≠ species
 → searching for sources, understanding transport, looking for dark matter



- Messengers of the high energy universe
- E>accessible at man-made accelerators

 \rightarrow Origin of flux suppression at the highest E, mass composition, Lorentz invariance tests, etc.

1. Context: experiments vs energy (~ in 2019)



1. Context: CRDB (Cosmic-Ray DataBase)



2. Diffusion: from microphysics to diffusion

[Adapted from R. Tautz (CRISM 2014)]

• Physics problem: motion in a turbulent field

• Ansatz: diffusion equation
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3. Survey: "propagation" community/activity/needs

Survey March 22-25

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BUT

 \rightarrow Biased (hopefully) towards researchers the most concerned/involved in PNHE actions

 \rightarrow "Fair" geographic/topical/institute coverage



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Galactic/ extragalactic CRs

- Diffusive/bended transport
- Sources (and escape from sources)
- Interstellar/intergalactic medium
- Dark matter indirect detection

Galactic γ-ray emissions

- Diffuse emissions
- Spectra @ different places in Galaxy
- CR penetration in molecular clouds
- HE emission from novae

3. Survey: workforce?

Fraction of our time spent on these topics (last and next 2 years) + Number of PhD/Post-docs working on this topic (last 4 years)



- half of our time on average (last 2 years)
- Will stay stable in the next 2 years



- $\sim 1 \text{ PhD} + 1 \text{ post-doc on average}$
- But 1/3 had no PhD/post-doc (last 4 years)

3. Survey: active? French/international collaborations?

Number of publications (last 4 years) + Fraction of these publications done with colleagues working in France



- \sim 1.5 pub. (per yr, per person) on average
- Reminder: 50% of total time on this topic



- On average, ~60% French collaborators
- But also international collaborations

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Questions in survey

- Topics we work on?
- Important questions of the field?
- Recent developments?
- Which instruments?
- Objectives in next 4 years?
- Support expected from PNHE?

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LE: Voyager, AMS-02, PAMELA – *VHE*: ISS-CREAM, CALET

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- *CR sources*: escape from the sources?
- Galactic scale: spatial dependent and anisotropic diffusion?
- *Elsewhere*: transport in other galaxies (e.g., starburst), solar modulation?

CR spectra (source and transport)

- Features in spectra: origin of breaks at ~300 GeV/n? Breaks at higher energies?
- Transition galactic/extragalactic: mass composition, anisotropy?
- Anomalies w.r.t. astrophysics: pbar, e+, dbar measurement, v HE spectrum?
- *Multi-* λ : leptonic or hadronic origin of γ -rays, γ -rays in novae
- Multi-messengers: counterparts/constraints for UHECRs

CR phenomenology

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- Improve ingredients (nuclear cross sections, magnetic fields, radiation field)
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 Streaming instability (PIC-MHD): close to sources (escape), around molecular clouds B diffusion and D⊥ (MHD) sub/super Alfvénic + CRs and ISM (MHD bi-fluid)

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 Detailed modelling acceleration/emission + thesis CRs from cocoons (ANR CriBs) Fermi-LAT pass8 data for diffuse (Galaxy and LMC) + be prepared for CTA Bridging low (<GeV) and high energy (GeV-TeV) CRs

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Observables/constraints on sources (persistent vs transient, gal. vs extra-gal.)

Actions and support the PNHE could provide?

Summary

- Topics of interest: CR transport (LE to HE), galactic to extra-galactic, MHD to feedback, codes
- Interdisciplinary: plasma physics, phenomenology, simulations, theory, observations

Possible support

- Missions (for interdisciplinary collaborations)
- Working group
 - CR source and transport?
 - Interdisciplinary propagation?
 - Perspectives for CTA/SKA/future experiments?
- Thematic school (too rare)?
- Reactivate together with other PN the ASSNA initiative (on numerical sims)?
 - PCMI: ionisation from CRs, ISM dynamics
 - PNST: LECRs
- PhD and post-doc founding?

Community benefits from PNHE support: more support crucial to realise many projects/ideas

- Various expertises (multi-institutes, interdisciplinary, multi- λ , multi-messenger)
- Expertises recognised at national/international level
 - \rightarrow Propagation-related studies vivid field of research, very active members
 - \rightarrow Probably too loose ties between members for now, but strong shared interests