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Current Status

Particle Physics Project Prioritization Panel (P5)

- Recommendation 18: Support CMB experiments as part of the core particle physics program. The multidisciplinary nature of the science warrants continued multiagency support.
- "As the scale of CMB experiments grows from Stage 3 ... to Stage 4 ... increased international collaboration and coordination among major CMB projects will be needed."



- Envisioned in 2014 as a \$200M project with construction starting in ~2016 and operations in ~2023.
- Recommended under all budget scenarios.

Astronomy & Astrophysics Advisory Council (AAAC)

- At DOE/NSF request, AAAC convened the Concept Definition Taskforce (CDT).
- Core principle: two sites, one collaboration, one project, one experiment, one dataset.
- CDT strawperson design:

Cosmic Microwave Background Stage 4 Concept Definition Task Force

> REPORT TO THE AAAC

- r: 14 SAT + 1 LAT; ~200K detectors @ 30/20-270GHz; 3% sky
- N_{eff}: 2 LAT; ~200K detectors @ 20-270GHz; 40% sky
- Other science (m_v , dark sector, galaxies) captured by default
- Two sites necessary and sufficient (but others could be added)
- \$412M DOE/NSF construction (FY20-26); operations (FY27-34).
- Final report unanimously endorsed by AAAC in October 2017.

Collaboration

- Biannual open meetings to develop CMB-S4 starting in 2015, alternating between a university and a DOE laboratory.
- CDT: "Going forward with the CMB-S4 project with multiagency and other support requires a formal CMB-S4 collaboration."
 - Fall 2017 (Harvard): Interim Collaboration Coordination Committee + 3 Bylaws Working Groups convened.
 - Spring 2018 (Argonne): draft bylaws debated & amended.
- Final bylaws overwhelmingly approved; collaboration formed & first elections held.
- 174 members:
 136 US + Australia,
 Canada, France,
 Germany, Italy,
 Japan, Sweden, UK



Princeton – Fall 2018

Collaboration Org Chart

Executive Team

- Spokespeople: Borrill & Carlstrom
- Science Council Chairs: Holder & Knox
- Technical Council Chairs: McMahon & Vieregg
- Membership Committee Chair: Ruhl
- Publication/Speakers Chair: Huffenberger



Project Prioritization

- From the outset, CMB-S4 was conceived as a joint DOE/NSF project with international and private partners.
- Agency priorities set by major reviews of their field(s) every decade.
- DOE:
 - Office of High Energy Physics (P5 2014)
- NSF:
 - Division of Physics (P5 2014)
 - Office of Polar Programs (NAS "Strategic Vision" 2015)

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- Division of Astronomy (Decadal Survey 2021)
- Until recently, the mismatch between the physics/polar & astronomy review cycles was the major stumbling block for the project.

pre-Project – DOE HEP

- P5 to CDT (2015-17)
 - Cosmic Visions CMB-S4 Working Group
- CDT to Project (2017-19)
 - pre-Project Development Group (ANL, BNL, FNL, LBNL, SLAC)
 - Designated Point of Contact: Jim Yeck
 - Laboratory Directors' Council
 - Initial technology development funding (\$1.5M in FY18)
 - IPA assignee: Drew Baden
- Bonus: CMB-S4 called out by name in Senate FY19 appropriations:

"... the Committee urges the Department to support the P5 recommendation for a next-generation Stage 4 Cosmic Microwave Background experiment for precision studies of the early universe."

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	CD-4: Start of operations

- Starting the project requires both agencies be ready.
- If NSF requires Decadal Survey blessing then the project cannot start before 2021, by which time the next P5 review will be imminent, potentially delaying us to 2024.
- Then construction starts in 2030, operations in 2033, results by 2040!

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Nominal Project Schedule

Fiscal Year Quarter	Review Milestones
Q4 FY2018	R&D Proposal to DOE & CDR Proposal to NSF
Q2 FY2019	DOE CD-0 Approved
Q2 FY2019	Initial Input to the Decadal Survey
Q4 FY2019	NSF CDR Approved
Q2 FY2021	Decadal Survey Results
Q2 FY2021	NSF PDR and DOE CD-1 & CD-3A (Long Lead Construction) Approved
Q2 FY2022	NSF FDR and DOE CD-2 Approved
Q4 FY2023	DOE CD-3B Approved
Q4 FY2026	DOE CD-4 Approved
Q1 FY2027	Start of Operations

Pre-Project/Collaboration Org Chart



Next Steps

"Decadal Survey Report"

- Intended to meet the needs of CD-0, Decadal Survey & CDR:
 - Full science case (especially expanding astrophysics)
 - 8 analysis working groups
 - CATE-able reference design (reliable cost, high TRL)
 - 6 technical working groups
 - 6 x 2 project management/engineering experts (pPDG) — WBS, budget & schedule
 - Project management plan
 - Preliminary technically-limited schedule
 - Preliminary division of agency responsibilities
- Review scheduled for December 11-13th (Reichanadter & Ritz).

Working Groups

Technical

- Sites & Infrastructure
- Large Aperture Telescopes
 (including cryostats)
- Small Aperture Telescopes (including cryostats)
- Detectors & Readout
- DAQ & Control
- Data Management
- Integration & Commissioning

Analysis

- Primordial Gravitational Waves
- Primordial Density Perturbations
- Neutrino Mass
- Light Relics
- Dark Matter
- Dark Energy
- Galaxy Formation & Evolution
- Legacy Catalogs

(also: microwave transients, mm sky survey, etc)

Decadal Survey

- It is vital that the CMB in general, and CMB-S4 in particular, does well in the Decadal Survey:
 - 1. Outreach activities
 - Princeton meeting
 - Neutrino Theory Network workshop
 - AAS Special Session
 - 2. Community science white papers (due January 18th)
 - Not tied to any one project
 - CMB alone and cross-correlations/complementarities
 - 3. Ground/balloon/space complementarity white paper
 - 4. CMB-S4 project white paper (referencing above)+ whatever additional material the committee then asks for.

Beyond The Decadal

- By early 2021 we must be ready for
 - CD-1 & PDR:
 - Complete down-selects for baseline design
 - DOE "conceptual", NSF "preliminary"
 - CD-3a
 - Identify long-lead time construction items
 - Mature technically-limited schedule
 - Current suspects include detectors & large telescopes
- This will requires an intense, coordinated program of targeted technology development and design studies
 - Significant funding anticipated in FYs 19 & 20

European Engagement – Collaboration

- Membership:
 - 10 France, 3 Germany, 2 Italy, 2 Sweden, 6 UK = 23 Total
 - <u>https://cmb-s4.org/wiki/index.php/Main_Page#Membership</u>
- Committees:
 - Bouchet [GB]; Baccigalupi, Gerbino [PB]
 - <u>https://cmb-s4.org/wiki/index.php/Main_Page#Administration</u>
- Working groups:
 - Alonso, Meerburg, Sherwin [SC]
 - https://cmb-s4.org/wiki/index.php/Science_Council
 - <u>https://cmb-s4.org/wiki/index.php/Technical_Council</u>
 - mailing lists: <u>https://cmb-s4.org/mailman</u>
- Community white papers:
 - <u>https://zzz.physics.umn.edu/decadal2020/</u>

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