

Dark Matter Physics

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Self-Introduction

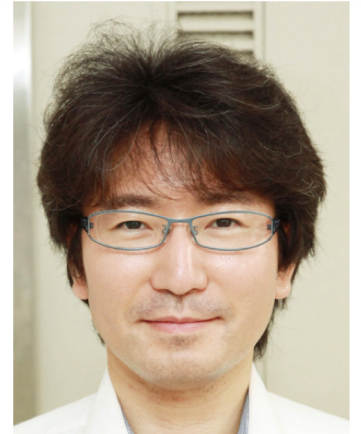
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Research fields:

Phenomenology, Particle cosmology:

- Higgs, Dark matter, Gravitational waves, etc.



History:

- Apr. 1995 – Mar. 2004: Tohoku University, Japan
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- Oct. 2010 – Mar. 2011: Hamburg University, Germany
- Apr. 2011 – Present: University of Toyama, Japan

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D'où venons-nous? Que sommes-nous? Où allons-nous?



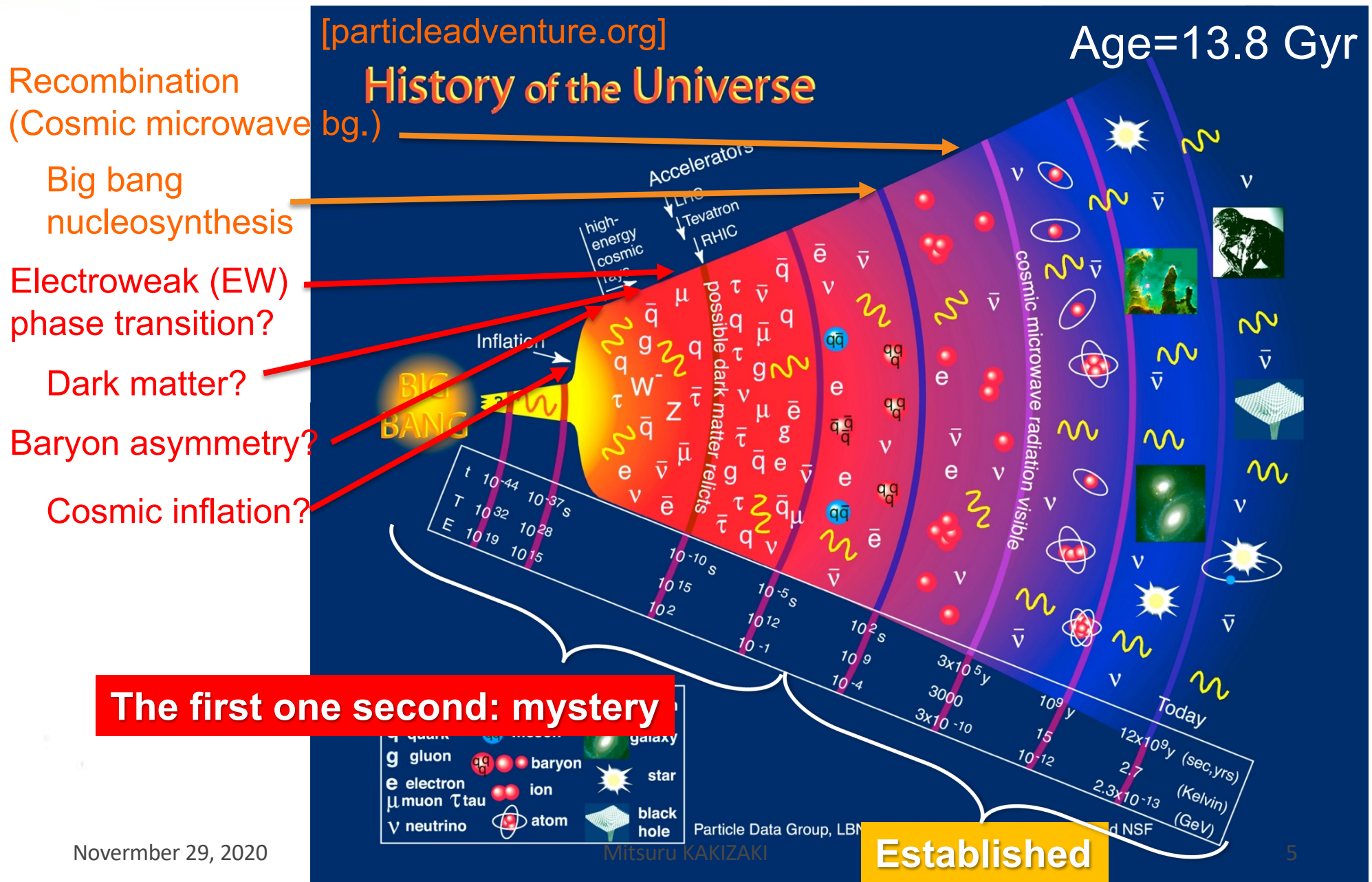
i.e., at the most fundamental level

[Paul Gauguin]

- How did the Universe begin?
- What is the Universe made of?
- What is the fate of the Universe?

The goal of particle physics is to answer these questions

How did the Universe begin?



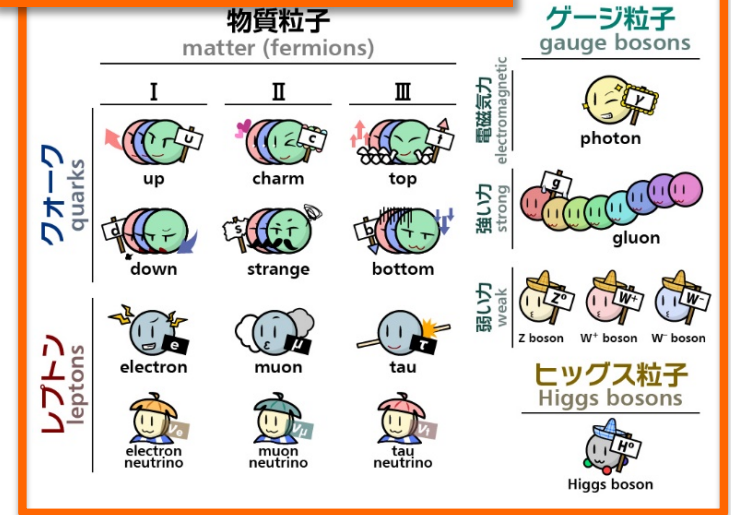
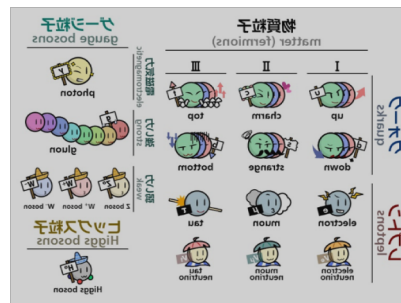
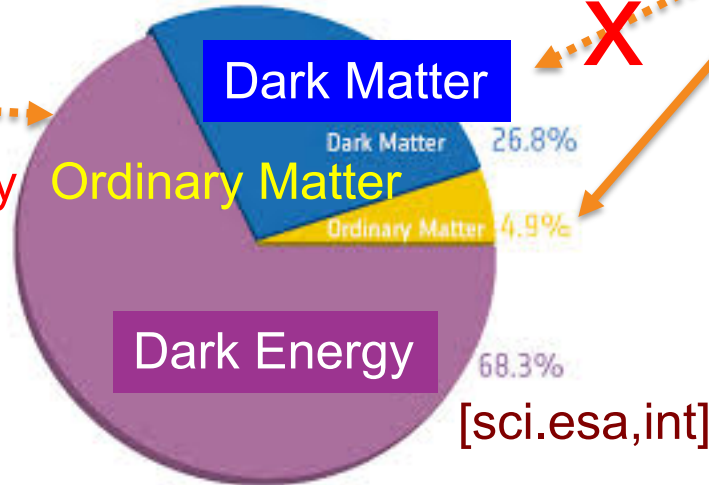
What is the Universe made of?

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Standard Model

Anti-matter

Baryon asymmetry



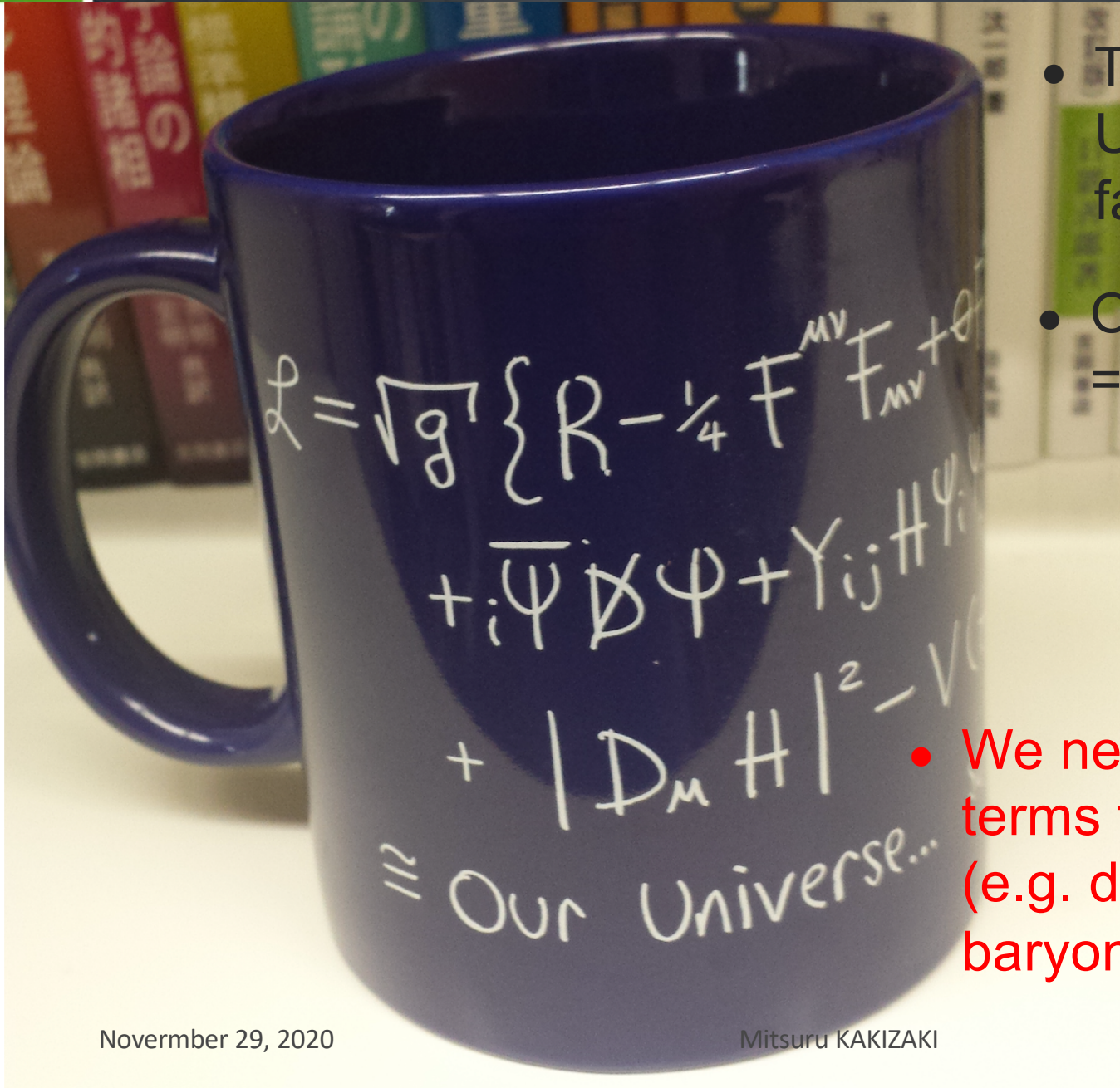
Discovery of the 125 GeV Higgs boson h at the CERN LHC

- The Standard Model (SM) has been established as a low-energy effective theory below $O(100)$ GeV

Phenomena beyond the Standard Model (SM)

- Existence of dark matter (DM)
- Baryon asymmetry of the Universe
- Cosmic inflation
- Neutrino oscillations

What is the fate of the Universe?



- The Lagrangian of the Universe encodes the fate of the Universe

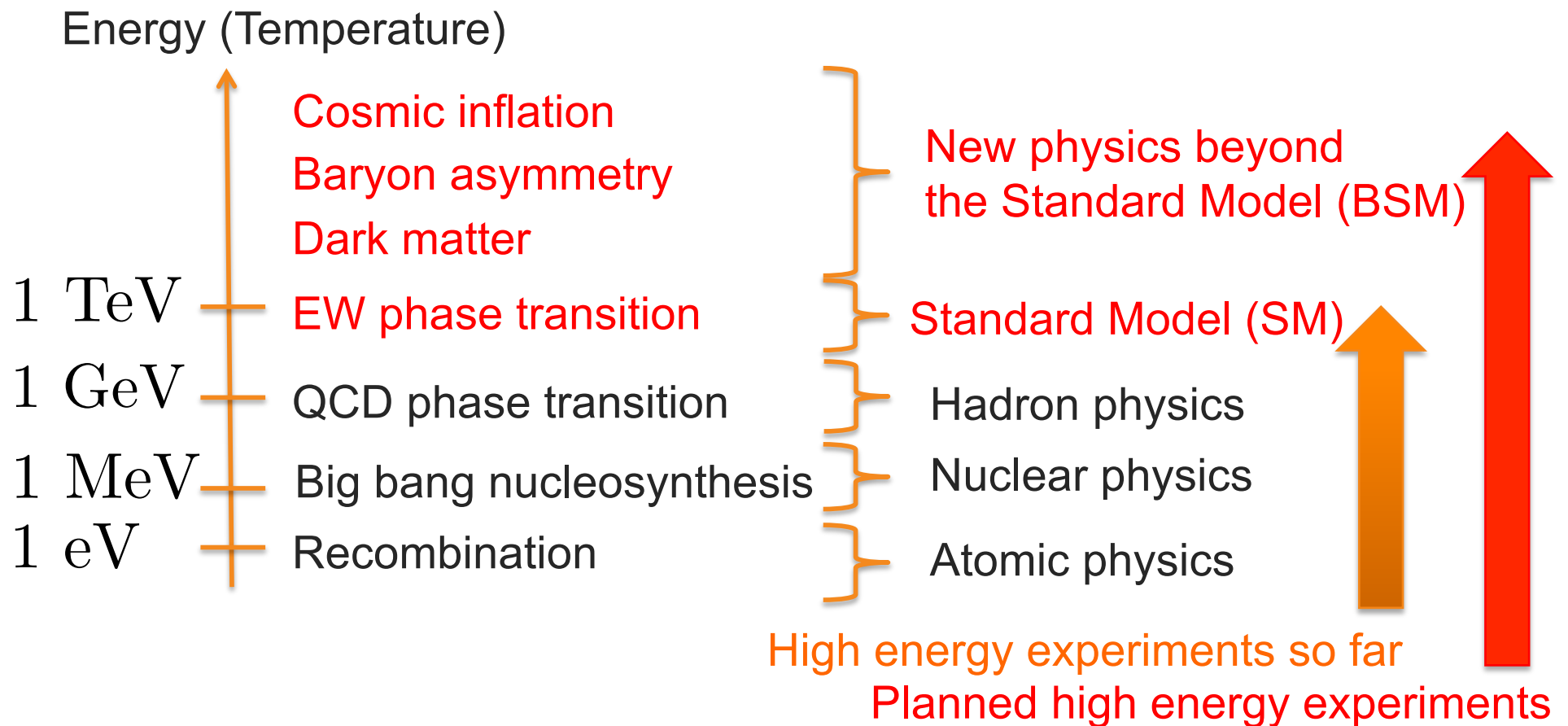
- Our Universe
= Standard Model
x General Relativity
+ New Physics

- We need to reveal unknown terms for new physics (e.g. dark matter, baryon asymmetry, etc.)

Role of high energy experiments

History of the Universe

Theories in physics



High energy experiments approaches new physics and the early Universe

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Note

- I will use the natural units:

$$c = \hbar = 1 \quad \text{[See Cao Hoang Nam's lecture]}$$

- I will often use Hayakawa's formula:

$$10 = 1$$

for the purpose of estimation

- I will mainly use slides and the zoom whiteboard