

ENIGMASS

WP1:

The Origin of Mass and the Search for New Physics – Overview –

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The WP1

Within the Standard Model, every mass scale originates from the spontaneous breaking of a symmetry (SSB)

- *The SSB of gauge $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ due to the Higgs vev*



Mass to fundamental particles

quarks, leptons, massive gauge bosons, the Higgs

- *The chiral (global) SSB due to the chiral condensate*



Λ_{QCD} : the fundamental dynamical scale of
low-energy QCD

More questions than answers

SSB $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$

- Realized through a scalar.

What if there were a new physical scale $M \gg$ Higgs vev?

(ex: M_{Planck} , M_{GUT} , ...)

In general, one would then expect

$$\delta M_{\text{Higgs}} \propto M \gg M_{\text{Higgs}}$$

 What mechanisms keeps M and M_{Higgs} apart?

- Do neutrinos receive their mass through the Higgs mechanism or otherwise?

More questions than answers

Strong interactions

- Low-energy QCD, in all its manifestations, is only calculable through non-perturbative methods

Methods that, at present, are accessible to a limited number of quantities



Lots of low-energy phenomenology which is not understood quantitatively
or not understood at all

More questions than answers

Strong interactions

- Why don't they violate CP ?

In spite of the fact that

- Strong CP and electroweak CP are related through the Yukawa couplings
- Small CP violation is not required on anthropic arguments – rather the converse

- Maybe the answer is the axion?



The axion would even be an excellent DM candidate

More questions than answers

Plenty of questions from cosmology

- Dark Energy?
- Dark Matter?
- Matter-Antimatter Asymmetry?
- The microphysical nature of Inflation
- ...

As concerns the WP1 :

- Can we make progress on these questions with the tools we use to inquire about the origin of mass?

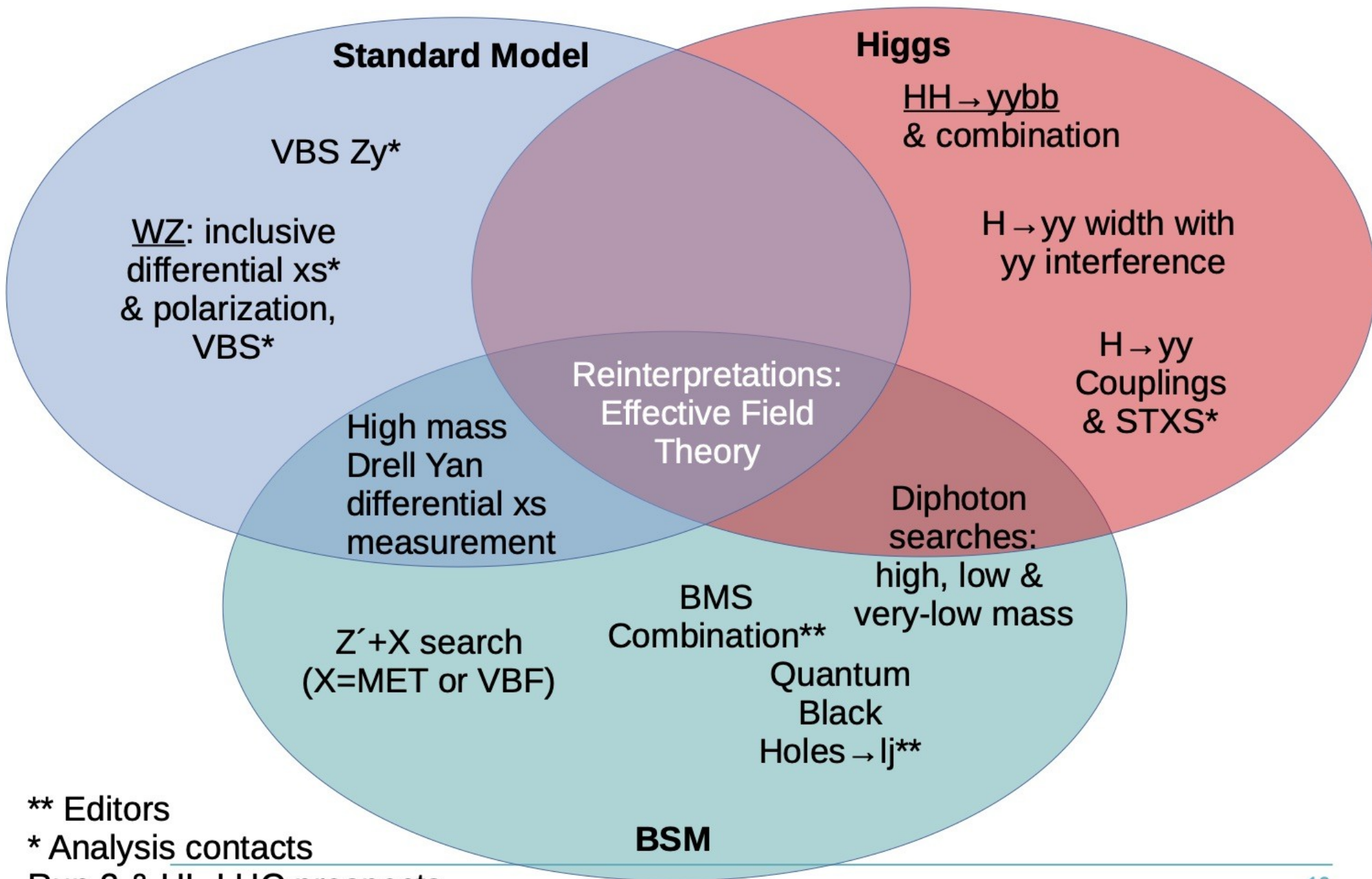
For example: can we produce DM at colliders?

**Probing the origin of mass
and the presence of new effects
directly**

LAPP / ATLAS : 3 physics streams

- SM: di-boson production (WZ and $Z\gamma$)
Crucial channels for the understanding of the gauge sector
- New physics: resonances $\rightarrow$ di-photons and di-leptons
“Bump-hunt”
- Higgs (properties, production, decays)
Central to WP1

LAPP contributed to 1st evidence of the Higgs (in $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$)
[LAr calibration; event selection; stat. analysis]



** Editors

* Analysis contacts

Run 2 & HL-LHC prospects

LPSC / ATLAS

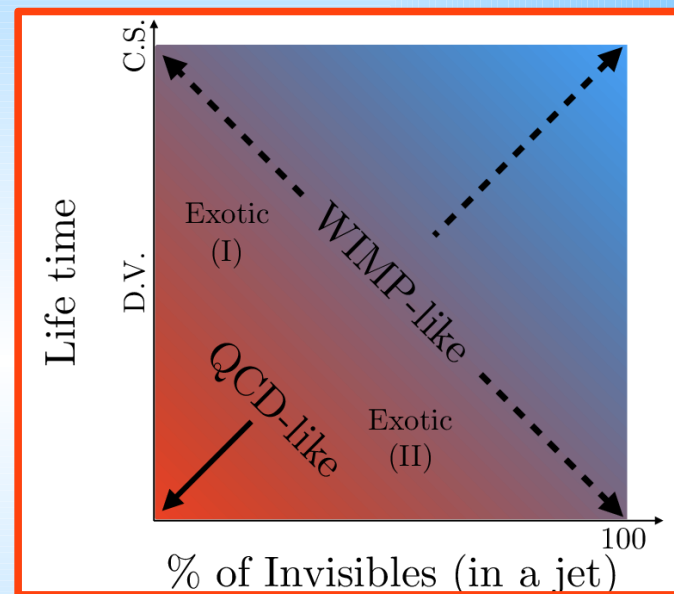
- New-physics searches now orbiting around:

Long-lived particles
&
“dark” strong sectors

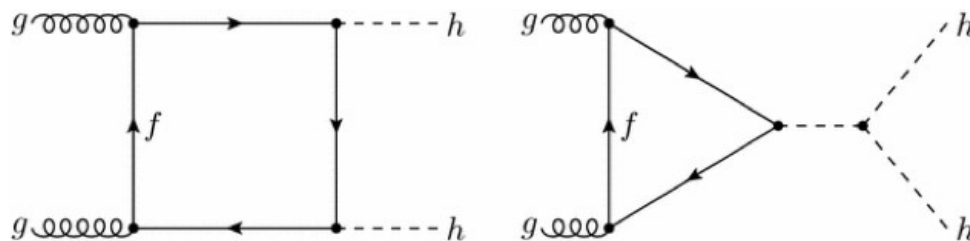
- Higgs sector

Evidence of the $t t H$ channel

$H H$ production



**Nice complementarity
w.r.t. LAPP**



Technical contrib's include LAPP – LPSC synergies

- **Inner Tracker (ITk)**

LAPP & LPSC in charge of 12.5% of pixel outer barrel

- **The “CO₂ cooling” project**

Cooling of the trajectographs for HL-LHC via di-phasic CO₂

LPSC: involved in a prototype (financed by ENIGMASS)

LAPP: measurement of the support's thermal performance

- **LAr calorimeter**

Key detector for precision measurement of electrons, γ , jets, MET

LPSC Electronics and LAPP collaborating on various tasks related to the PCBs

- **Overlooking many aspects, in particular Computing**

ALICE at LPSC

- Challenging yet important to probe QCD in conditions resembling more the early Universe.

The “medium”: Quark-Gluon Plasma

the high energy density of the collisions causes partons to deconfine. QCD analog of e.m. plasmas



merges non-perturbative & finite T QCD

- Jets propagating in a hot & dense medium display a marked reduction in energy (“jet quenching”)

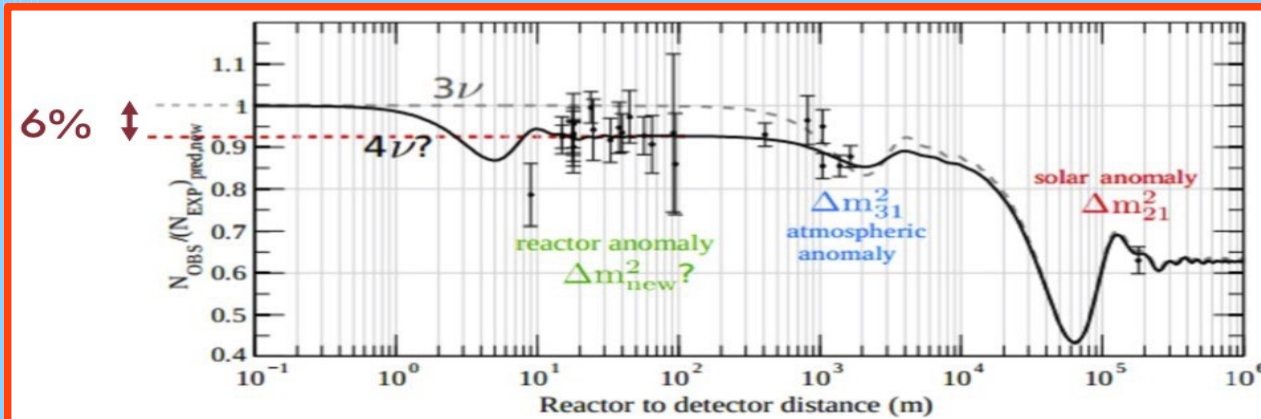
Path-length dependence? Differences w.r.t. in-vacuum propagation? Jet substructure? ...

- **Focus at LPSC:** aim for clean-er probes, e.g. jet-photon correlations

Neutrinos:
a trivial SM extension
or the first messengers of a new scale?

Note:
the *only* dim=5 interaction in the SMEFT
(the “Weinberg operator”)
is precisely what can explain neutrino masses

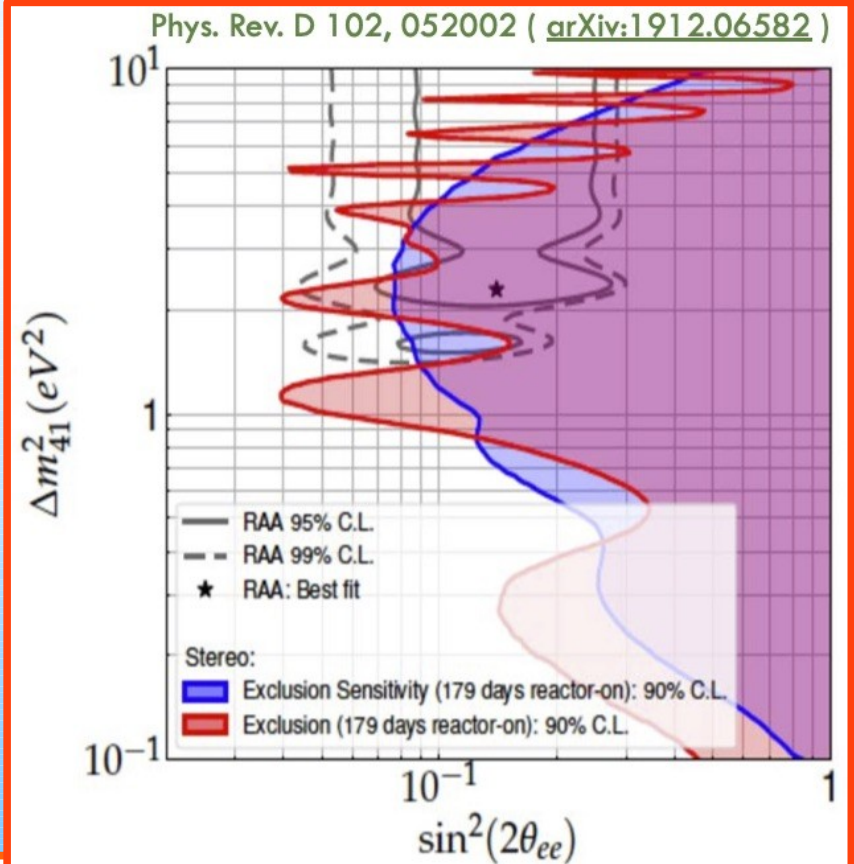
Question 1: sterile ν 's ?



STEREO at ILL

- Measure absolute flux and spectrum from ^{235}U
- Disentangle flux vs. oscillation measurements

➡ Strong local synergy:
ILL, LAPP, LPSC, ENIGMASS



Question 2: Are ν their own antiparticles?

In a $\beta\beta$ decay, two ν could annihilate: ultra-rare $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay

SuperNEMO at LSM

[idea: full event reconstruction will tell apart $\beta\beta$ decays]

- “demonstrator”
[6.3kg of ^{82}Se] [1st data ~ 2020]


$$\tau_{0\nu\beta\beta} > 6.5 \cdot 10^{24} \text{ yrs}$$

- “full” SuperNEMO
[100kg, multi-module]


$$\tau_{0\nu\beta\beta} > 10^{26} \text{ yrs}$$

*Strong involvement of **LAPP***

[Detector commissioning; coordination; tracker repair]

Question 3: Coherent Elastic ν -N Scattering (CE ν NS)

Scattering between a ν and all nucleons in a nucleus

- Possible if mom transfer < few tens MeV
- Interaction x-section $\propto (\# \text{ neutrons})^2$!

➡ Allows a precision measurement of low-E ν spectrum

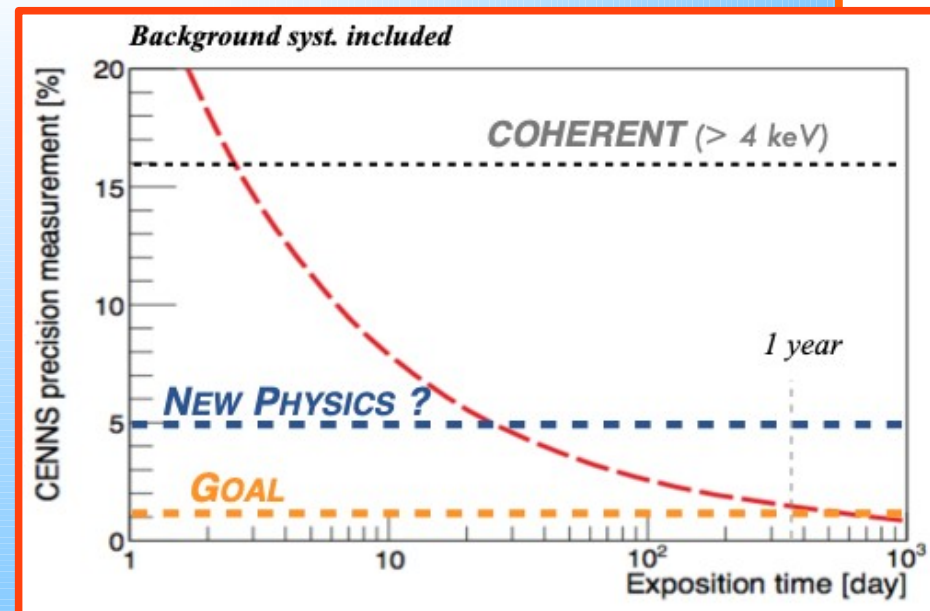
Manifold relevance:

*ν properties; NSI; SNe dynamics;
“ ν floor”, ...*

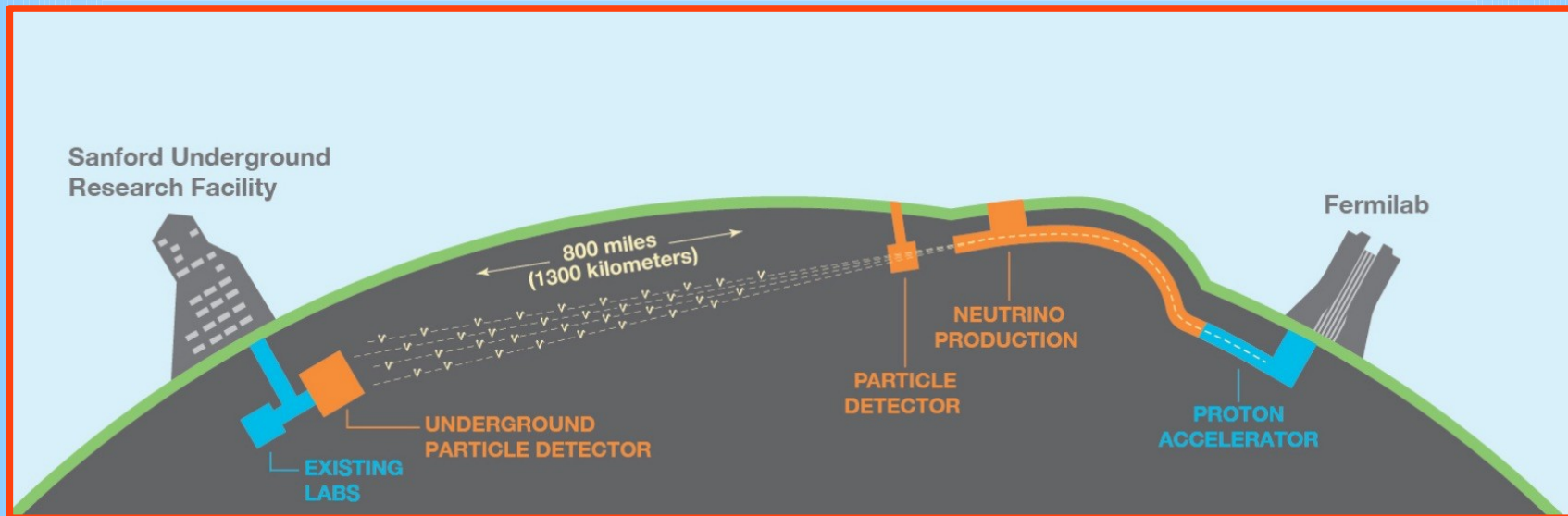
RICOCHET at ILL

1% precision by ~ 2024

*Strong involvement of **LPSC***



DUNE: the ultimate ν experiment



Beam by 2026. Precision ν physics: oscillations; MH; CPV

*Strong involvement of **LAPP** and **LPSC***

- *Several technical tasks: mechanics, charge readout, simulation SW*
- *ProtoDUNE-DP (CERN): installation, operation, analysis, CR tagger*

The Strong CP Problem
is the neutron EDM's fault

nEDM: major progress

- **New nEDM best limit:** $|d_n| < 1.8 \cdot 10^{-26} \text{ e} \cdot \text{cm}$ [PRL 2020]
Unprecedented understanding of the magn. field & syst. effects
Two independent analysis teams. One led by the **LPSC group**
 - **New experiment, n2EDM**, being assembled (≤ 2022)
1 o.o.m. improvement expected over 5 years
- LPSC team:**
- in charge of three major components
 - performing R&D on Hg magnetometry
 - recognized expertise in the TH understanding of syst. effects

**New effects
can be searched for
through distortions to
accurately measured
and accurately calculated
rare processes**

Runs 1 & 2 proved the LHCb design successful

A plenitude of interesting results on:

rare decays, CKM metrology, CPV, spectroscopy,
... even K decays

At LAPP

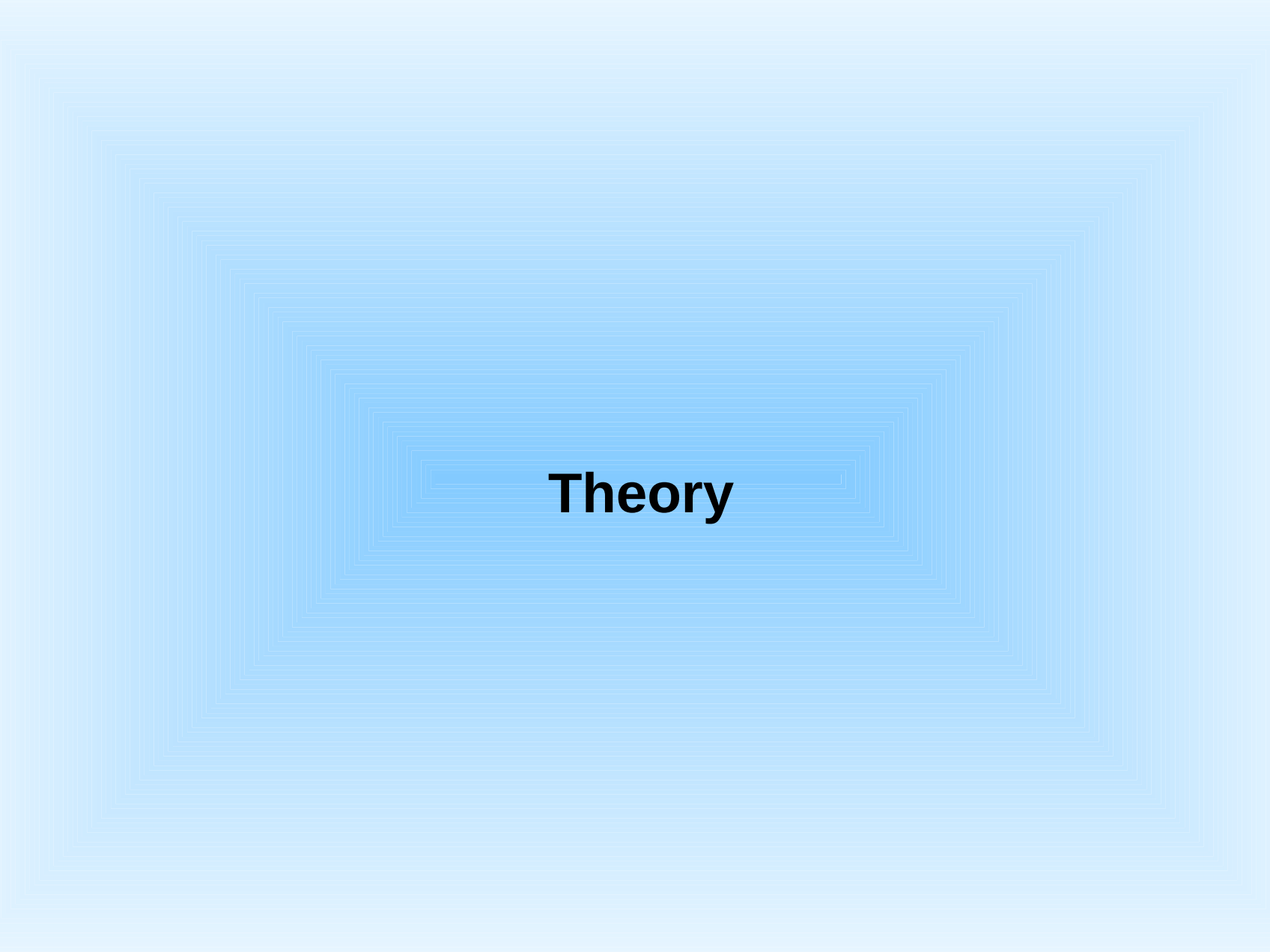
- unique expertise on calorimetry and photon reconstruction
- strong involvement in LHCb Upgrade I [leading to a 5x increase in LHCb lumi] & subsequent Run-3 startup (~ 2022)

LAPP / LHCb: 3 main physics streams

- Progress on the CKM angle γ (SM “standard candle”) through analyses of $B \rightarrow D hh$ ($h = \pi$ or K)
- $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \eta(')$ to measure CPV induced by $B_s - \bar{B}_s$ mixing [tiny in the SM]
- A consistent **LAPTh – LAPP** collaboration on radiative modes [including students in co-supervision]

Current focus: $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu \gamma$

- never measured
- novel test of $b \rightarrow s$ transitions



Theory

LAPTh. A large spectrum of WP1 subjects
– many of which interdisciplinary

- Higher-order computations, and tools
 - New method to perform NNLO + parton shower simul's
 - ➡ public code & plethora of generalizations ahead
 - New approach to 2-loop integrals w/ complex masses
[with potential spin-offs to/from phys-math]
- Higgs and new physics
 - automatizing BSM at 1 loop through “SloopS”
[CT calculation; gauge fixing; low-velocity limit]
 - ➡ countless potential applications in HEP, astro/cosmo

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- The HEP – Dark Matter interface
 - MicrOMEGAs – arguably “the” particle-DM calculation tool
 - DM@NLO – including (large) QCD corr’s to $\bar{\chi}$ DM
- Flavour physics
 - Flavour violation within SUSY GUTs & leptonic obs.’s
 - B - and K -physics pheno, from models to observables
[proven synergy with **LAPP / LHCB**]
- Low-energy frontiers
 - One example: probing Yukawas from atomic physics

HEP theory at LPSC

Two wide domains of activity, closely related to LPSC exp

- QCD: both high- and low-energy
 - Study of the nucleon & nucleus PDFs
[unified approach through nCTEQ]
 - Lattice QCD: novel formalism for LQCD renormalization;
simulations w/ 4 dynamical quarks

HEP theory at LPSC

- Beyond-SM: from models, to collider pheno, to astro-cosmo
 - SUSY at colliders, effective approaches & specific models
Consistent effort in the establishment of data-interpretation strategies
 - generic NP:
“simplified-model” approach through SModelS
calculation of RGE evolution through Pyr@te
 - Dark Matter
Diverse expertise, from DM at colliders (w/ EFTs or models)
to quantitative predictions for small-scale DM structures
 - Axions: models, LHC and low-E signatures, cosmo aspects

Conclusions

- WP1 is central to ENIGMASS' mission
- Our equipes span a wide, ambitious, well-recognized, range of complementary activities
- Several synergies between labs
... yet we're still far from the upper bound