



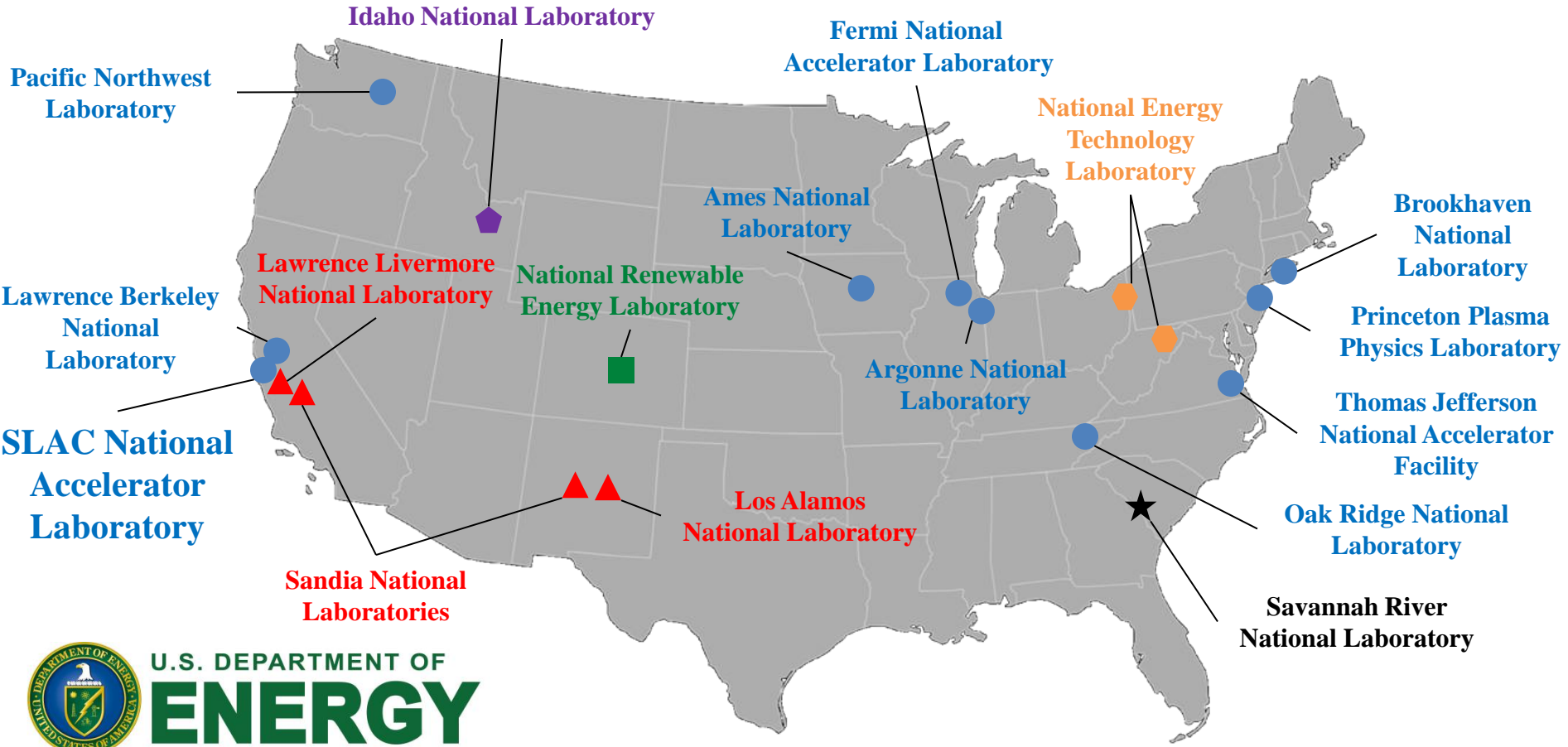


Welcome!

LINAC: Linear Accelerator  
It has driven SLAC  
science for 50 years



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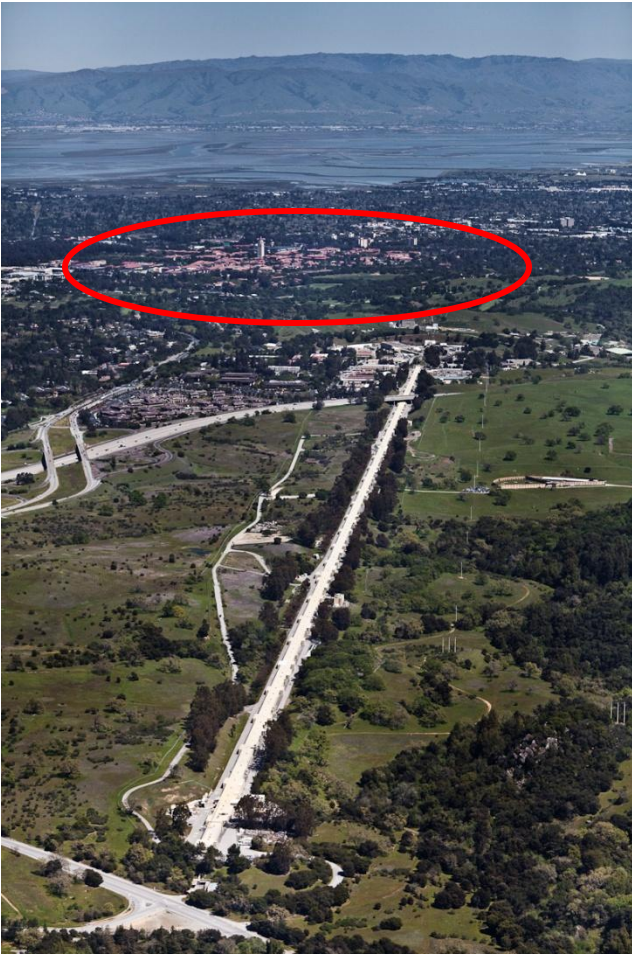


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- ⬢ Office of Nuclear Energy, Science and Technology Lab
- Office of Science Lab

# Stanford University



DOE pays Stanford \$1  
per year to lease 426  
acres of land

240 Universities  
worldwide use our  
resources



1,663 Employees from 36 Countries

-205 Postdocs and Grad Students ; 3,100 Facility Users & Visiting Scientists

142 Buildings

1,000 Scientific Papers published each year in peer-reviewed journals

6 Scientists awarded the Nobel Prize for work done at SLAC

1<sup>st</sup> North American Website

\$350,000,000 Budget (10% of this goes for energy consumption)

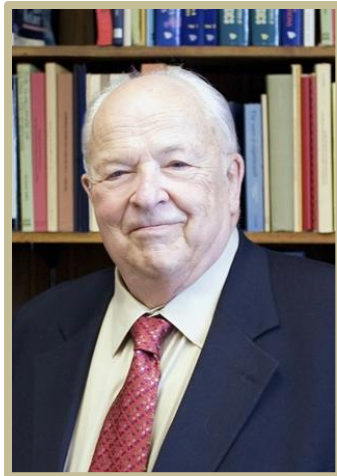


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# Our Directors through the years:



1961-1984  
Wolfgang “Pief”  
Panofsky



1984-1999  
Burton Richter



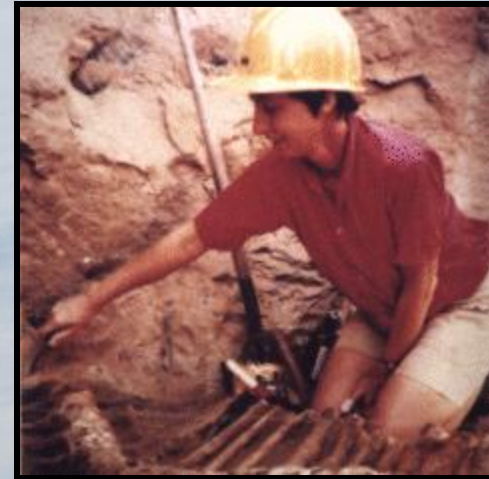
1999-2007  
Jonathan Dorfan



2007-Present  
Persis Drell

*The science done by our staff will drive innovations in our facilities. And then the capabilities of the facilities will drive advances in the science. This has historically been key to SLAC's success, and it is key to our future now as well.” – Persis Drell*

# SLAC: From Fossils to Photons



Adele Panofsky

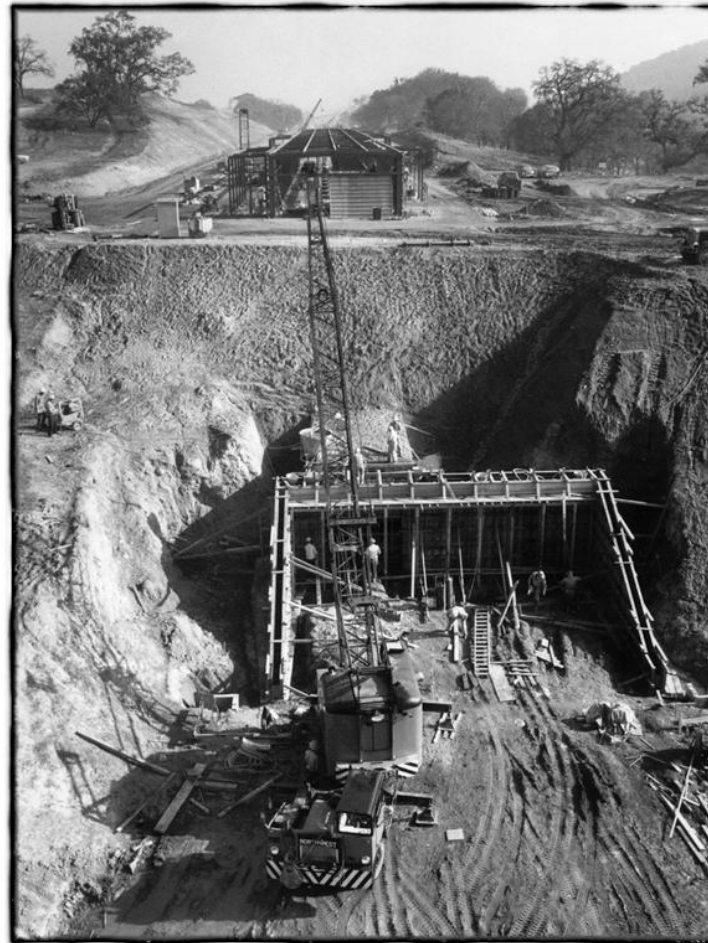


Dolphin Jaw Fossil



Mako Shark Teeth

# History of SLAC



## Building the Linear Accelerator

Construction began in 1962

- Originally called Project M
- Stanford Linear Accelerator Center
- SLAC National Accelerator Laboratory

Longest building in the world:

- 3,074 Meters or 1.9 Miles
- Until Beijing...

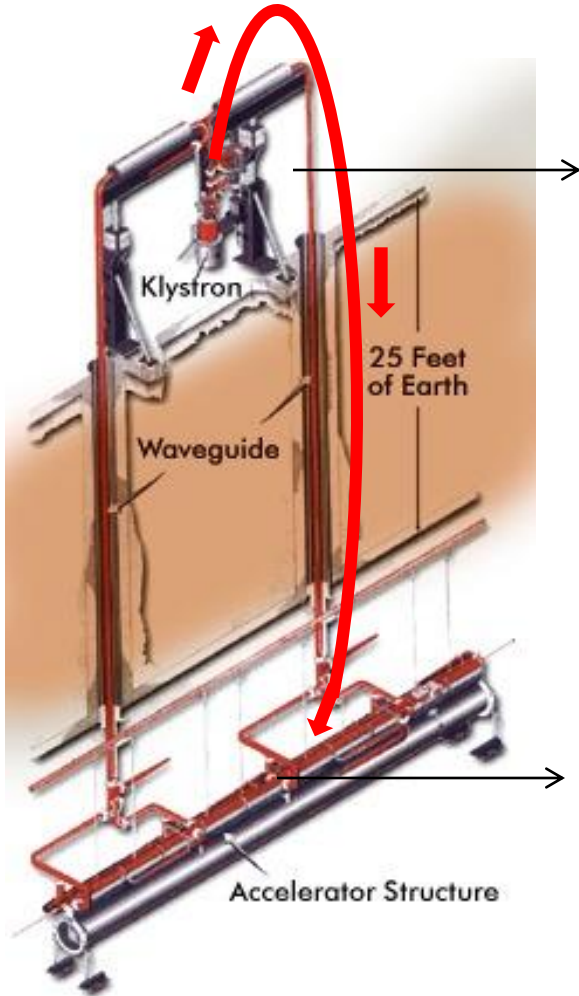
Three stories underground

- Radiation shielding
- Thermal stability
- Seismic stability





# How the LINAC works: Klystrons supply the energy

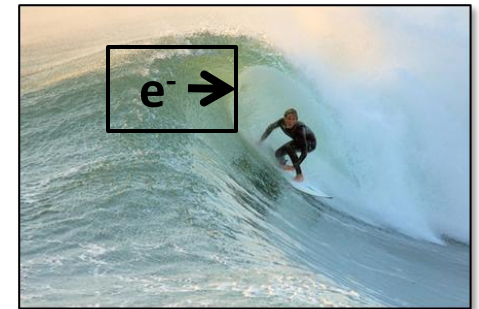


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1 Klystron  
= 60,000  
Microwave  
ovens

Electrons and positrons ride  
the electromagnetic wave



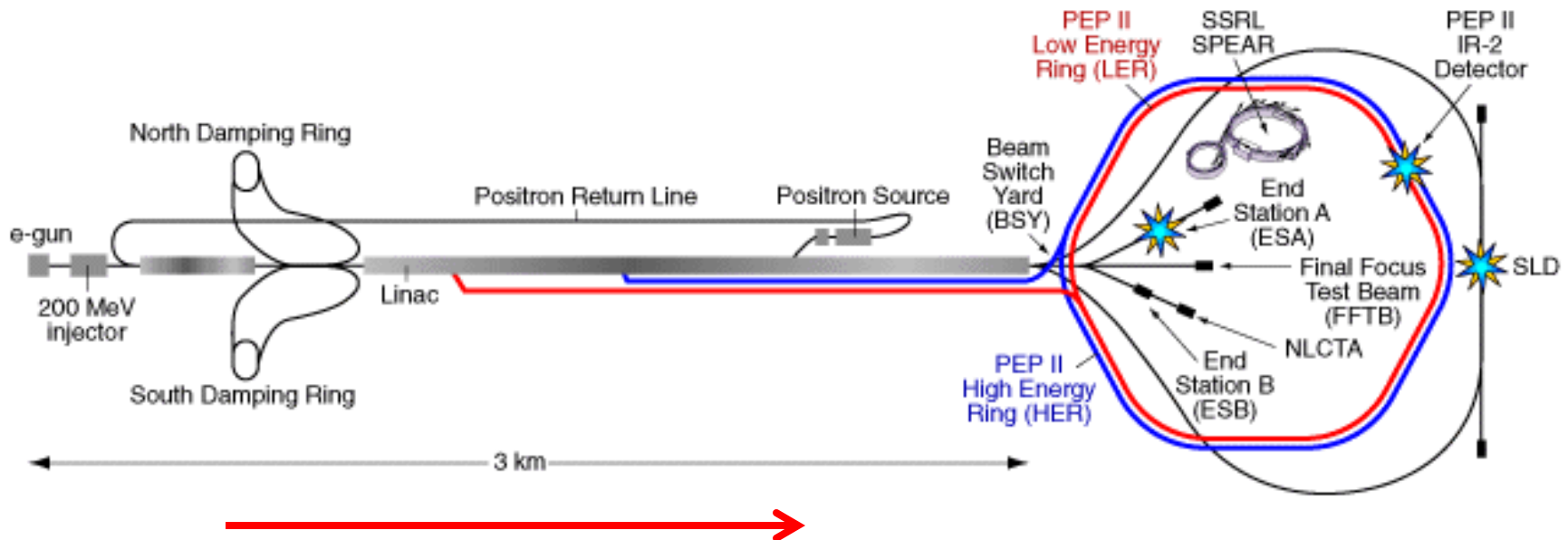
# How the LINAC works

## Energies Achieved:

- Accelerate electrons and positrons
- Energy levels to 50 GeV  
(50 Billion Electron Volts)

## Speed of Electrons:

- as percentage of speed of light
- 99.999 % at injector
- 99.999**9999**% at end



# Why did we build it?

Make electron beams to study the structure of matter, to create known particles and study their nature



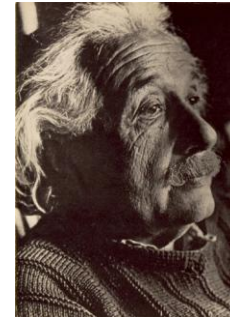
Progress to discover new particles with End Stations (Fixed Target Experiments)



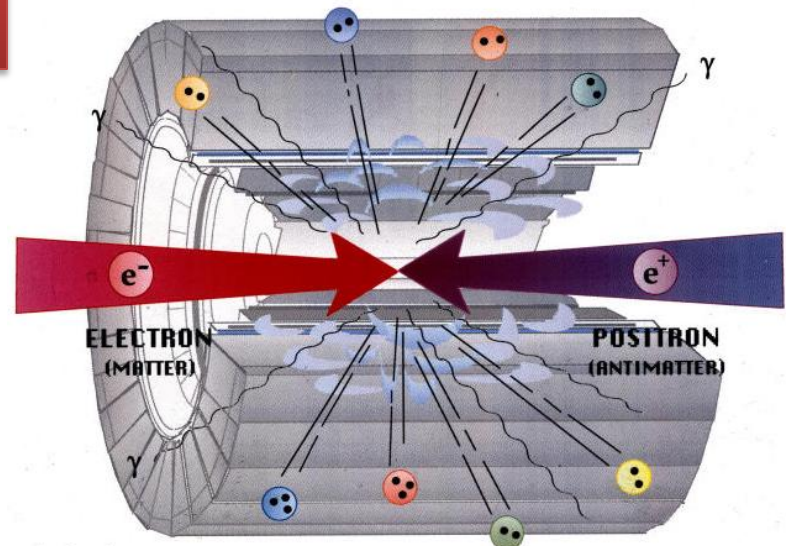
Discover more new particles using electron-positron colliding beams with center-of-mass energies  $\sim 3-90$  GeV

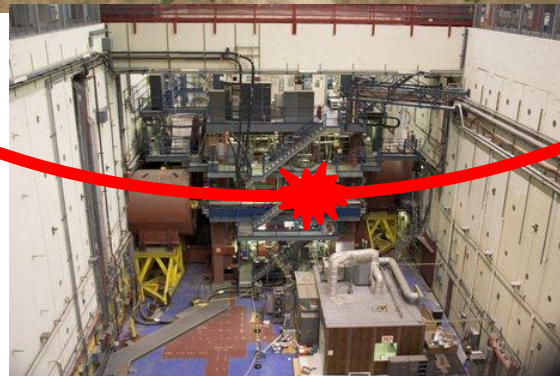


Pioneer Particle Physics Research!



$$E = mc^2$$





End Stations and Colliders:  
Rich history of discoveries

# We did it!

## Particle Science Breakthroughs

**Periodic Table of the Elements**

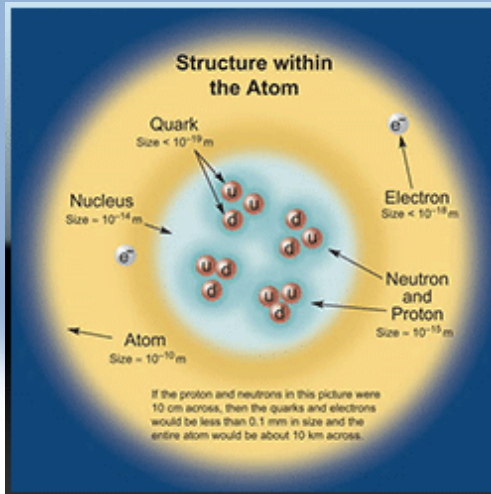
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- alkaline earth metals
- transitional metals
- other metals
- nonmetals
- noble gases

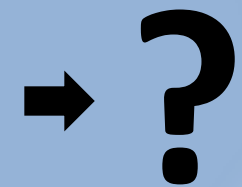
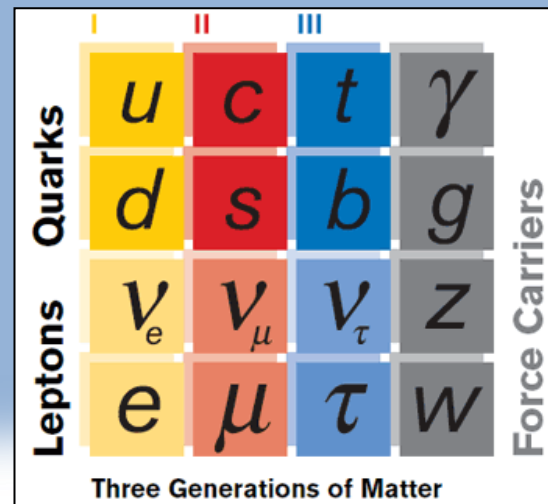
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### Fundamental Structure of Matter

- Molecules
- Atoms
- Nucleus (protons & neutrons)
- Elementary particles



### The “Standard Model”



# We did it!

## Particle Science Breakthroughs

**Periodic Table of the Elements**

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- noble gases
- synthetic elements

Callout for Silicon (Si):

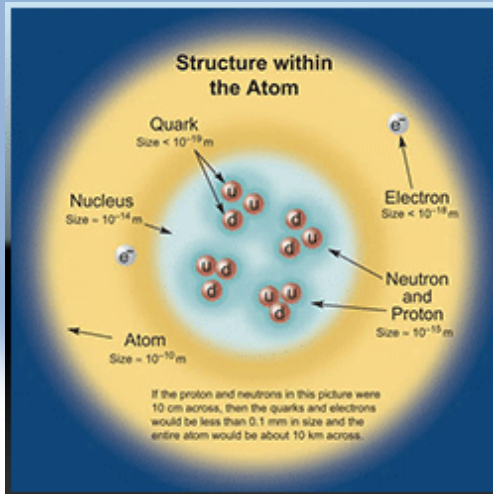
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- atomic weight: 28.086
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- name: Silicon
- state: solid

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	I	II	III	
Quarks	<i>u</i>	<i>c</i>	<i>t</i>	$\gamma$
	<i>d</i>	<i>s</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>g</i>
Leptons	$\nu_e$	$\nu_\mu$	$\nu_\tau$	<i>Z</i>
	<i>e</i>	$\mu$	$\tau$	<i>W</i>

Force Carriers

Three Generations of Matter

➔ ?

Discovered at SLAC

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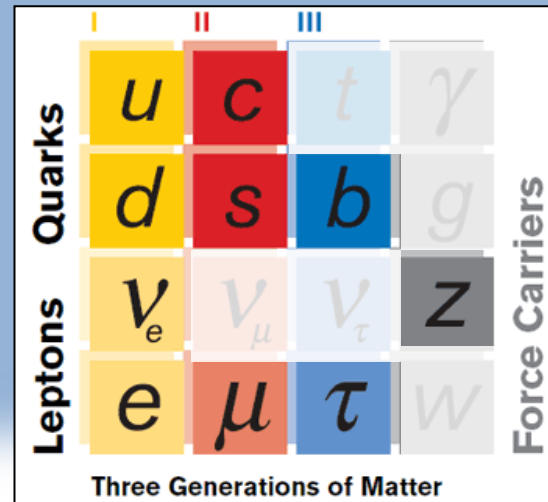
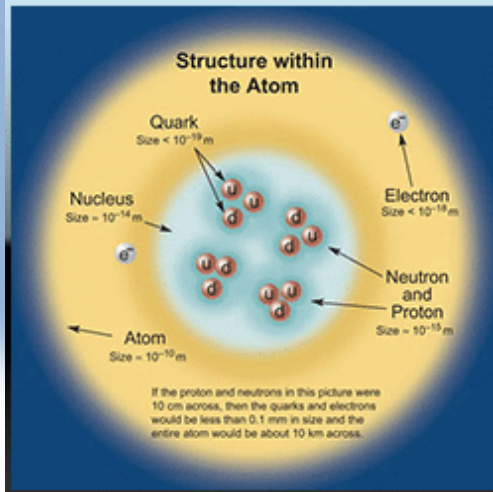
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- discovered by: Jöns Jacob Berzelius

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→ ?

Extensively studied at SLAC

# Nobel Prizes



Burton Richter



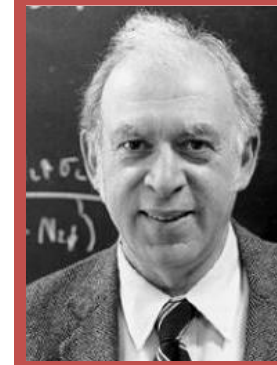
Samuel C.C. Ting

Physics,  
1976

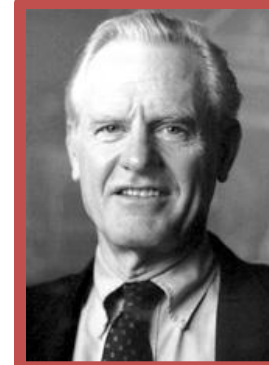
Pioneering  
experimental  
contributions  
to lepton  
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Richard E. Taylor



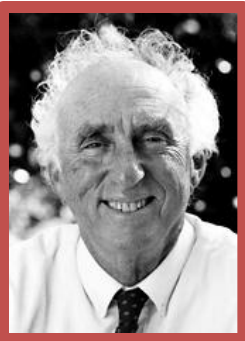
Jerome I. Friedman



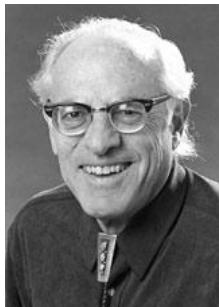
Henry W. Kendall

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1990

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scattering of  
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protons and  
bound neutrons  
Essential for the  
development of  
the quark model



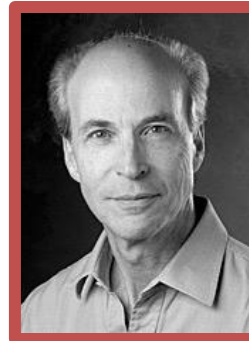
Martin L. Perl



Frederick Reines

Physics,  
1995

Discovery of  
the  
tau lepton



Roger Kornberg

Chemistry, 2006

Studies of the molecular  
basis of eukaryotic  
transcription



Yoichiro Nambu, Makoto Kobayashi, Toshihide Maskawa

Physics, 2008

Theory of broken  
symmetries later  
observed by BaBar



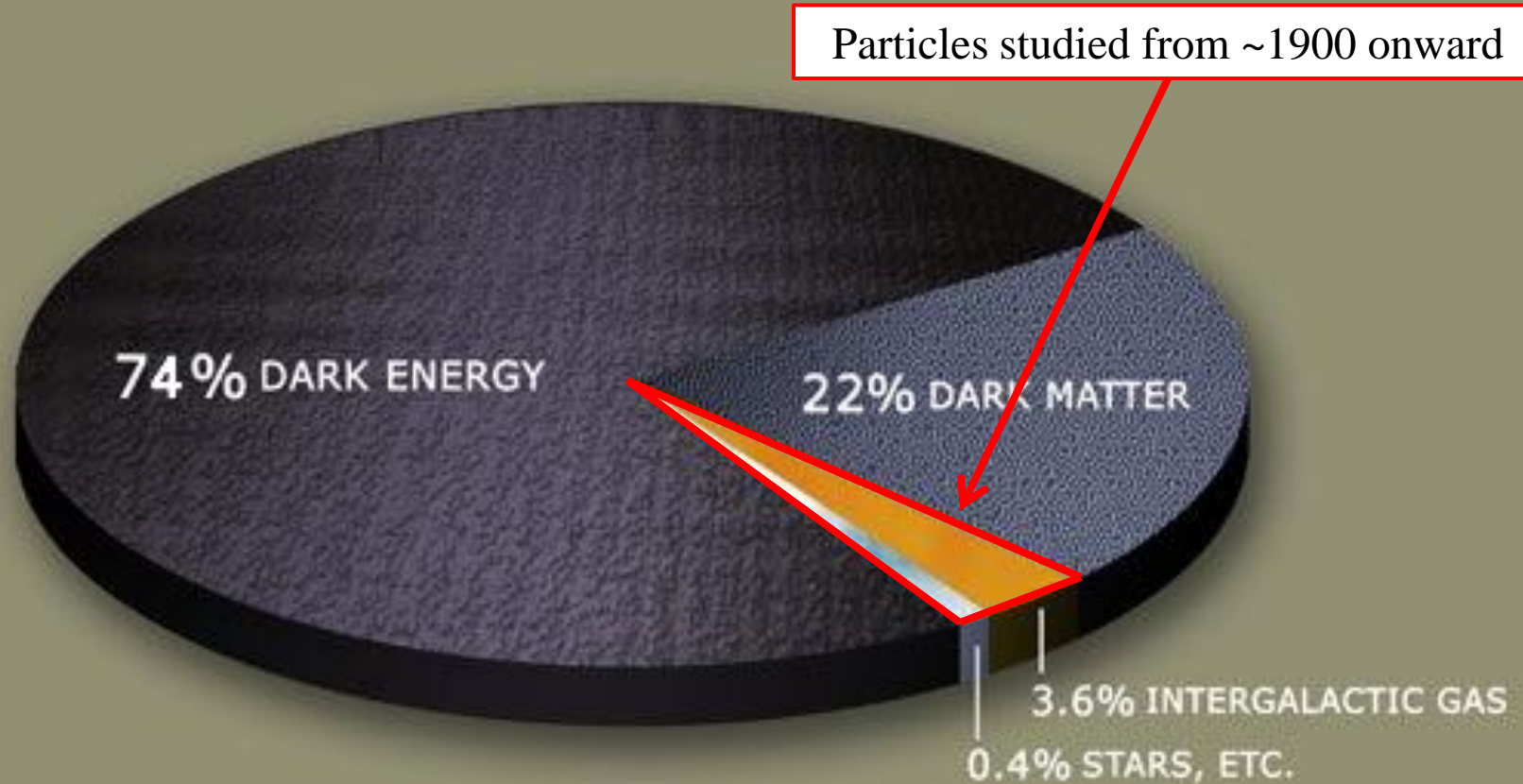
Ada Yonath

Chemistry, 2009

Studies of the structure  
and function of the  
ribosome, foundation  
studies at SSRL



# We're not done yet...



Atoms only make up 4% of the Universe

# First Western Hemisphere Website

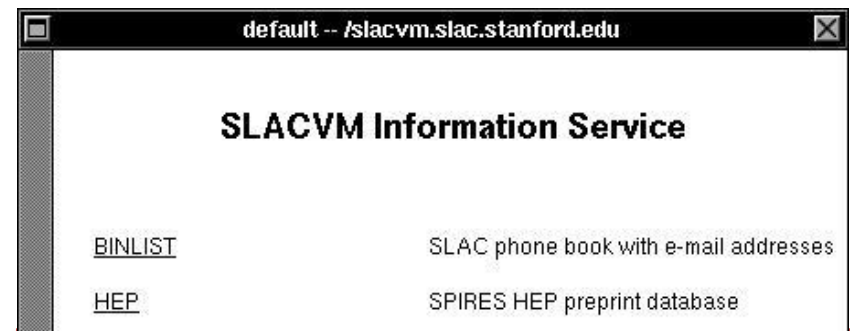
- December 1991
- Installed on IBM VM/CMS
- From desire to share data with sister lab, CERN in Switzerland



NeXT computer  
used to create Western Hemisphere first website



T-Shirt with first 5 Users



First North American Website Page

# Our Mission Today

Our programs explore the ultimate structure and dynamics of matter and the properties of energy, space and time - at the smallest and largest scales, in the fastest processes and at the highest energies - through robust scientific programs, excellent accelerator based user facilities and valuable partnerships.

- Explore
- Smallest to Largest Scales
- Fastest
- Highest Energies → LINAC

How do we do this now?

# Present and Future: Diversified Portfolio

## X-ray Science

**SUNCAT**  
CENTER FOR INTERFACE SCIENCE AND CATALYSIS

PULSE



Super-Computing:  
All areas of the LAB

## Astrophysics

Kavli Institute for Particle  
Astrophysics and Cosmology



## High Energy Physics



## Future Accelerators



Facility for Advanced  
Accelerator Experimental Tests

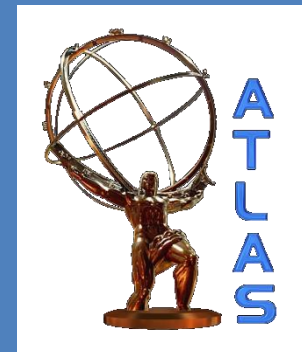
## Facilities for Scientific Users



Linac  
Coherent  
Light Source



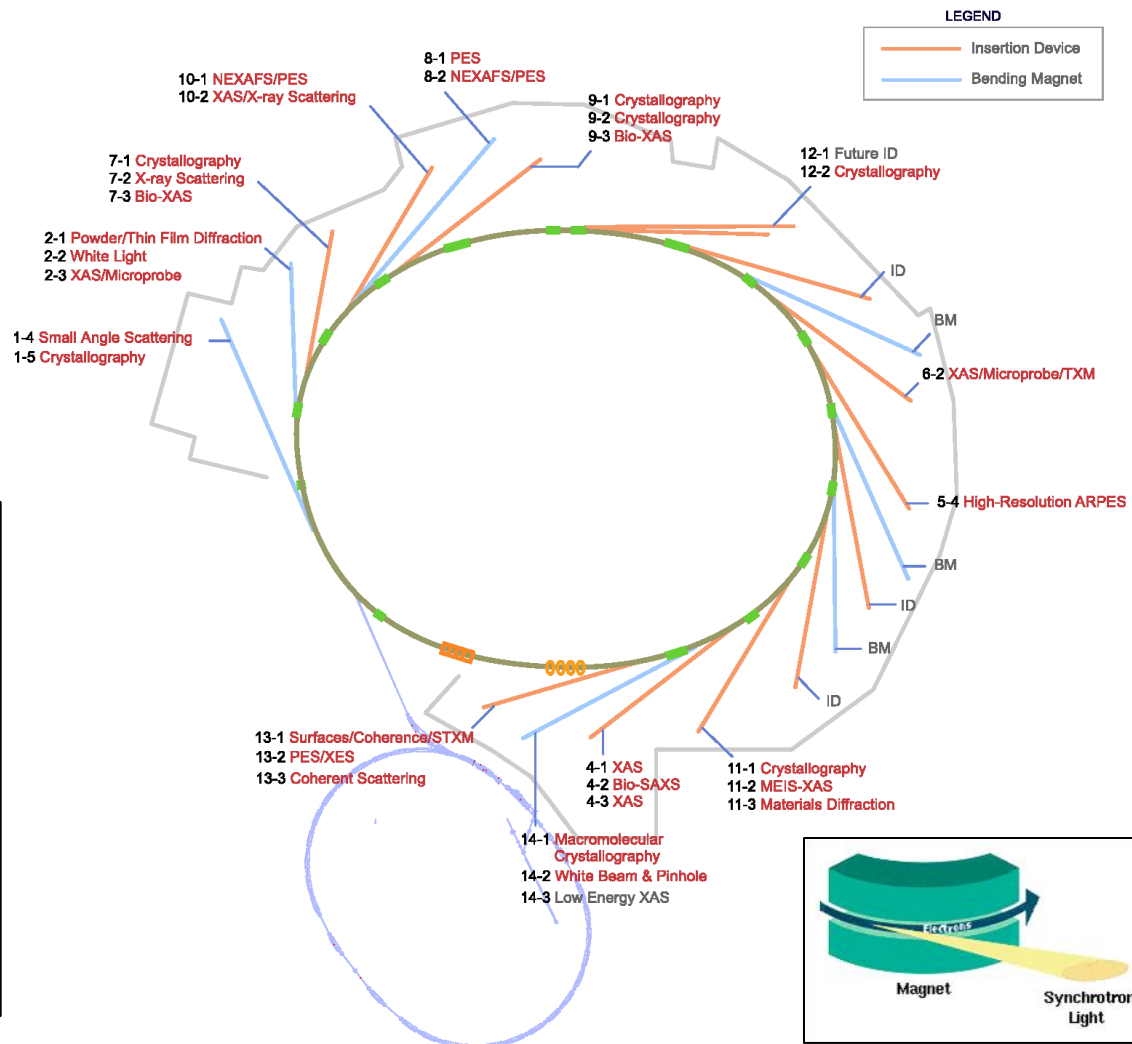
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Radiation  
Lightsource



# SSRL: Science



## SSRL Beam Line Map



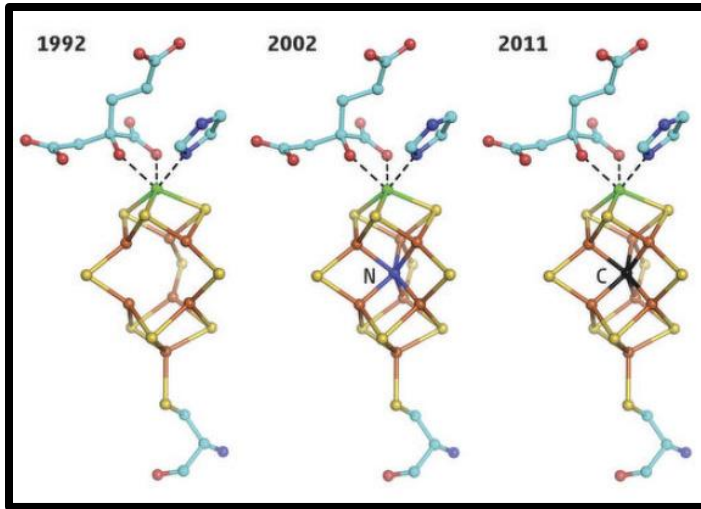
# SSRL: Experimental Stations

32 stations

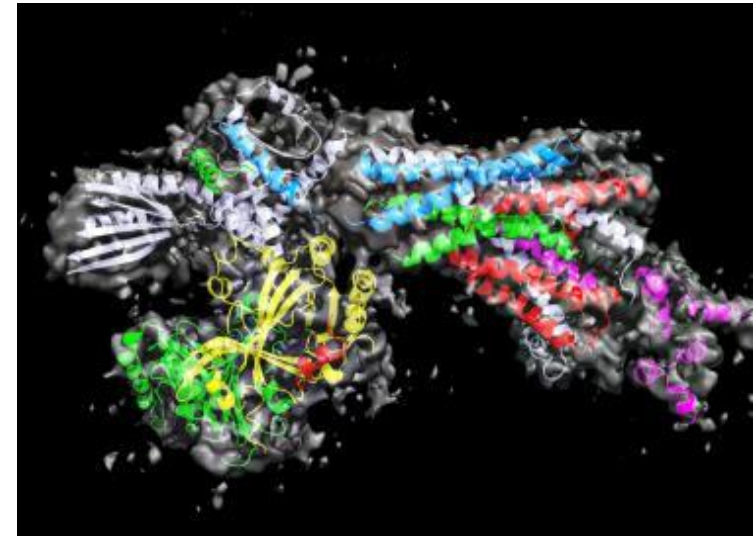
## Scientific Techniques Used at SSRL

- Accelerator Physics
- Macromolecular Crystallography
- Materials Scattering
- Molecular Environmental
- Small Angle Scattering
- Powder Diffraction
- X-ray Spectroscopy
- Angle-Resolved Photoelectron Spectroscopy
- X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy
- Material Science
- Magnetic Dichroism Spectroscopy & Microscopy

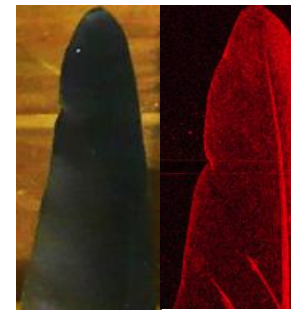
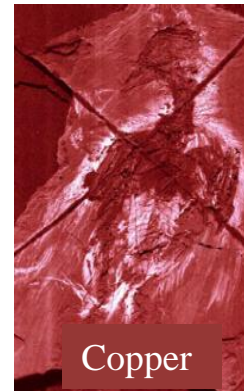
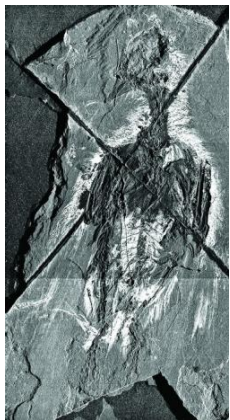
# SSRL: Results



Identified key atoms in nitrogenase enzyme critical in food supply

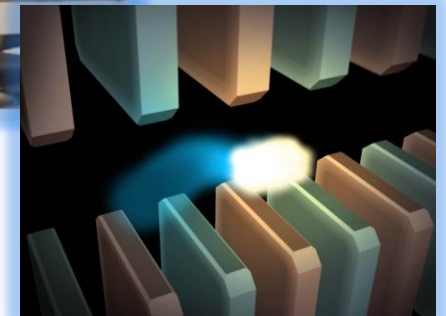
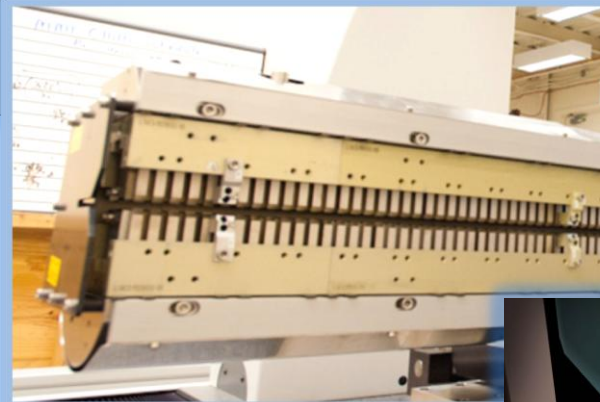


Deciphered the structure of Mediator, a molecular process for regulating transcription of DNA



Confuciusornis unequivocally shows copper correlates with tight groups of body feathers and with regions associated with wings.

# LCLS: X-ray Science

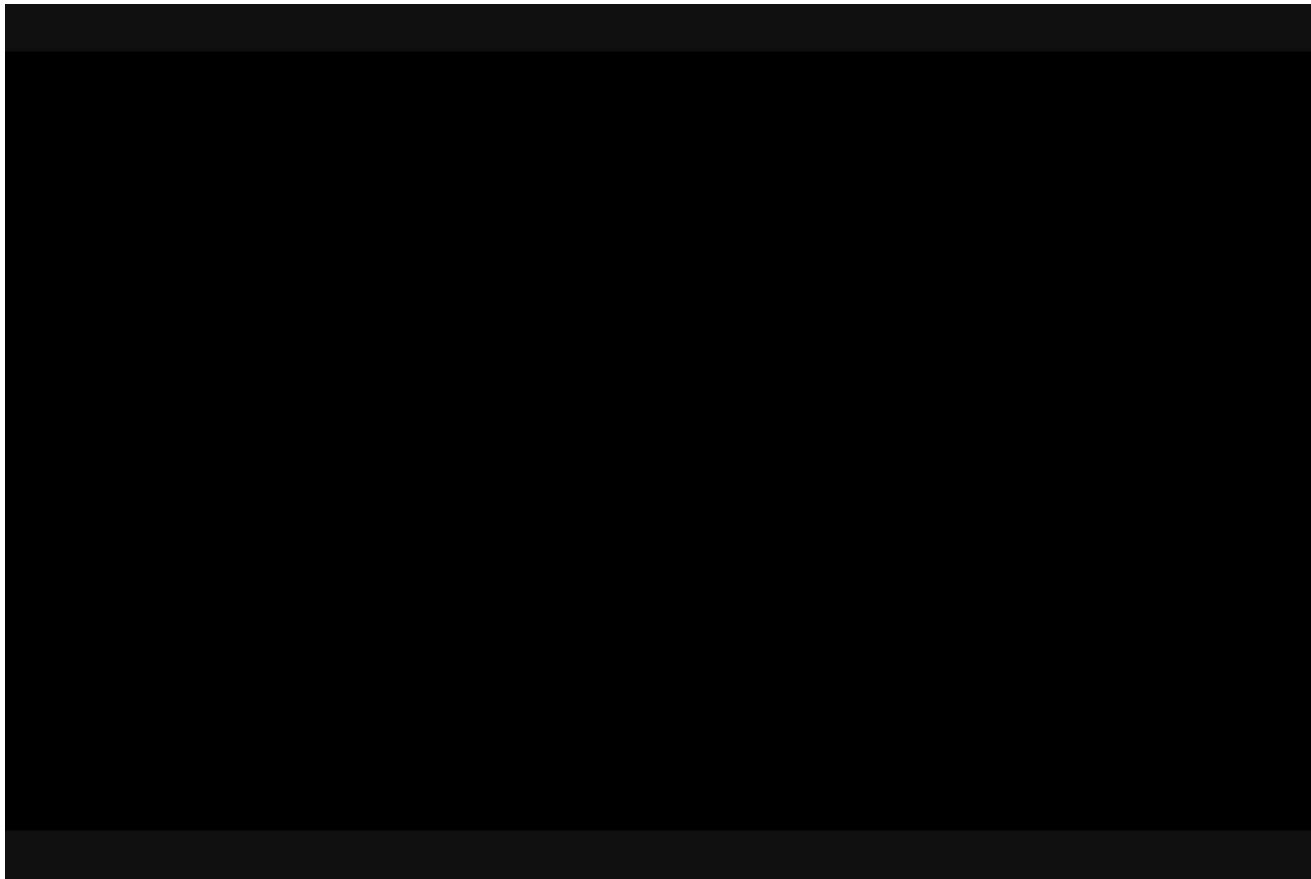




# LCLS: How it Works

## Molecular Imaging

(Movie)



X-ray 'camera' with shutter speed of 0.000000000000001 sec (femtosecond)

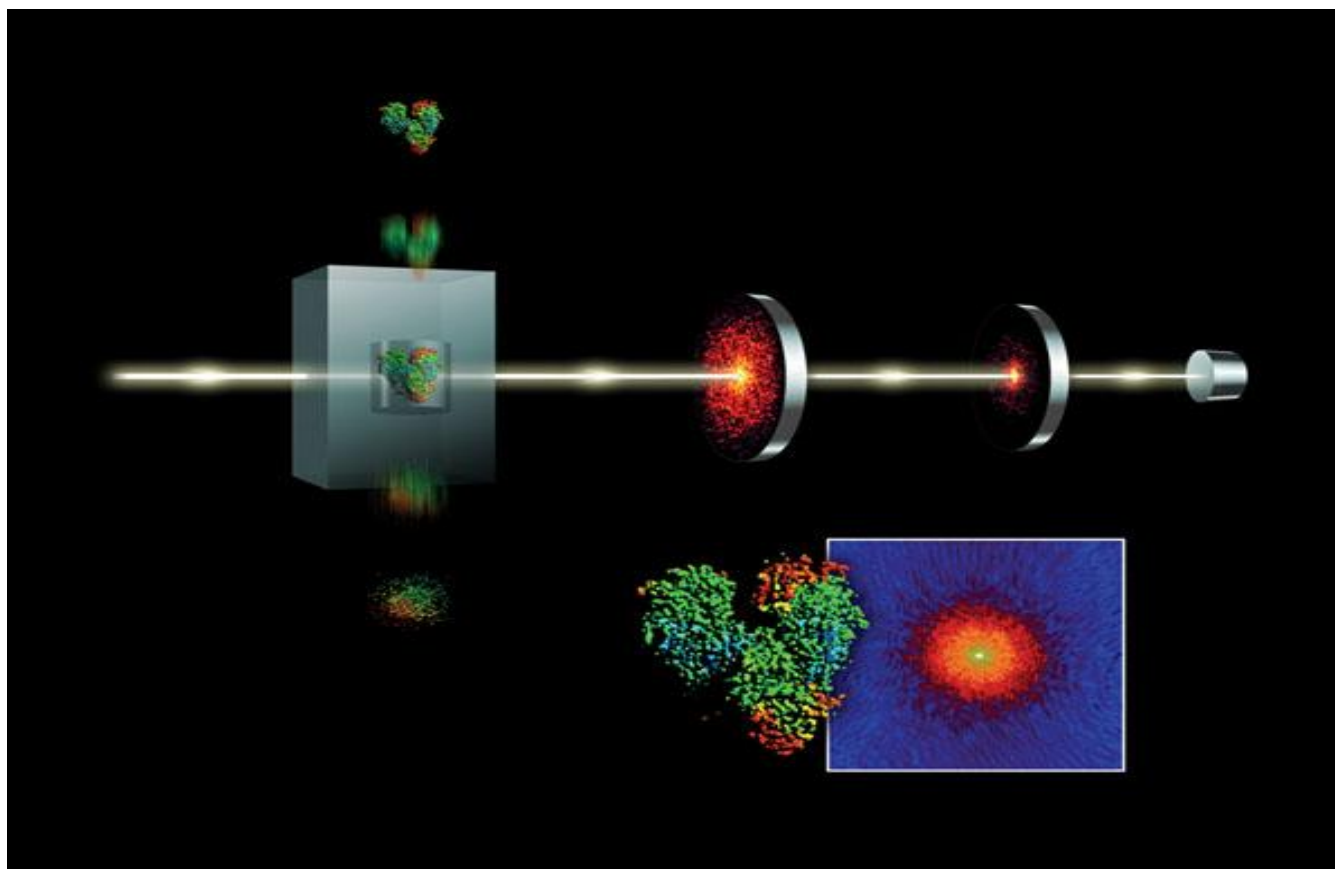
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See atoms and electrons moving on their natural timescale to watch a chemical reaction atom by atom

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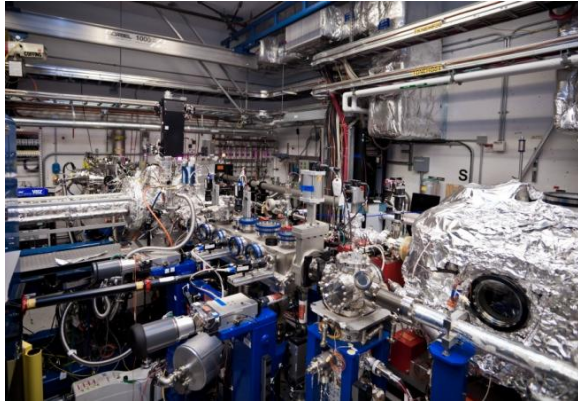


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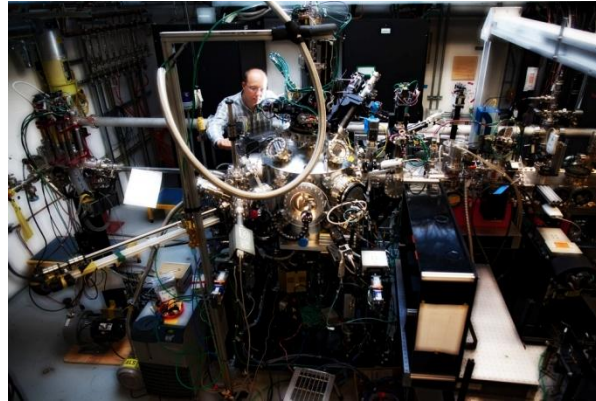
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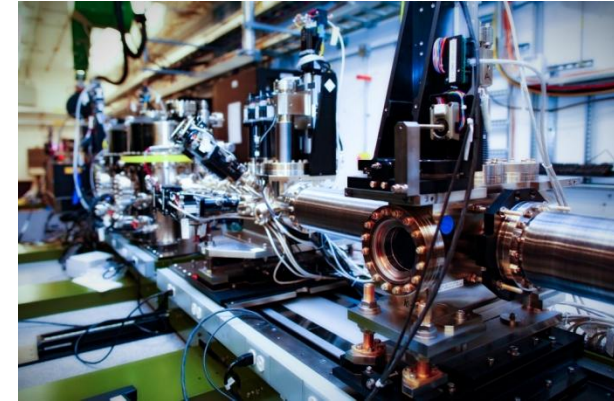
# LCLS: Experimental Stations



**Hutch 1: AMO**  
Atomic, Molecular, and Optical



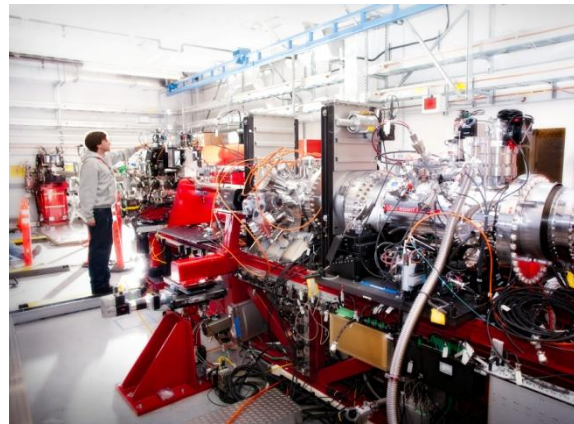
**Hutch 2: SXR**  
Soft X-ray



**Hutch 3: XPP**  
X-ray Pump Probe



**Hutch 4: XCS**  
X-ray Correlation Spectroscopy

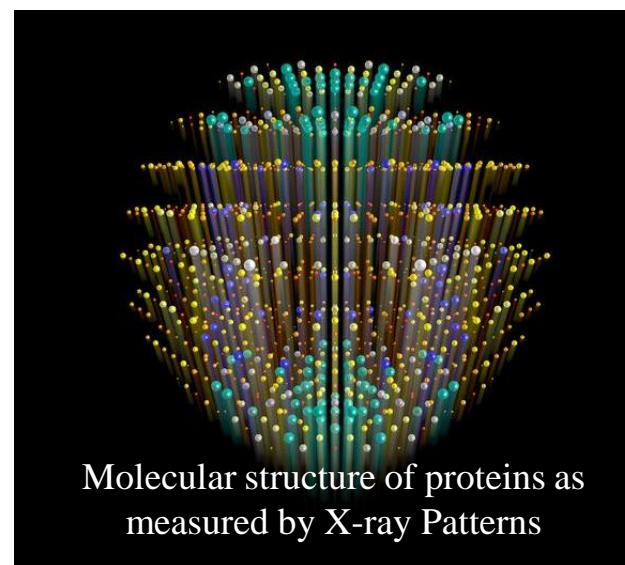
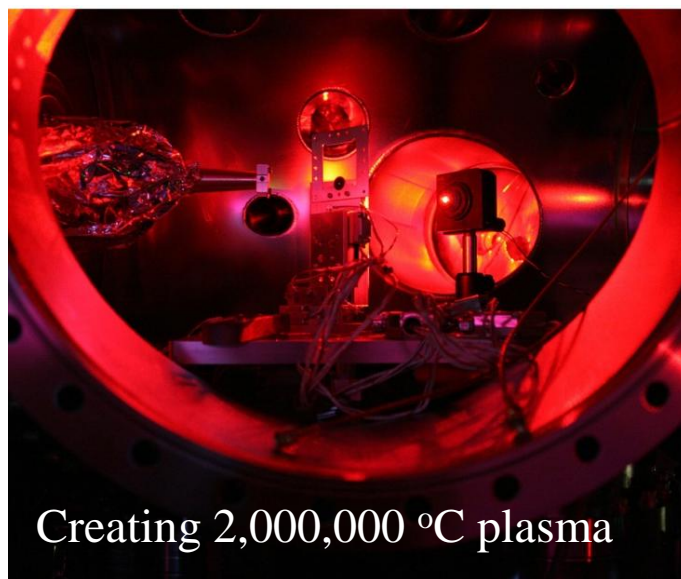
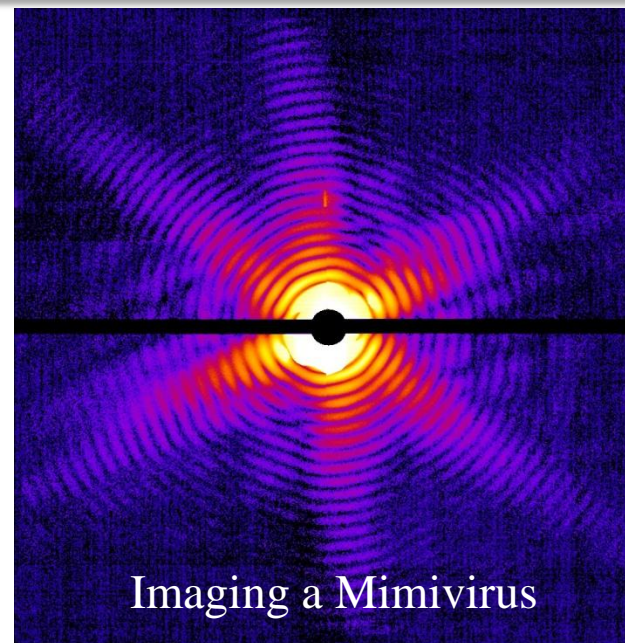
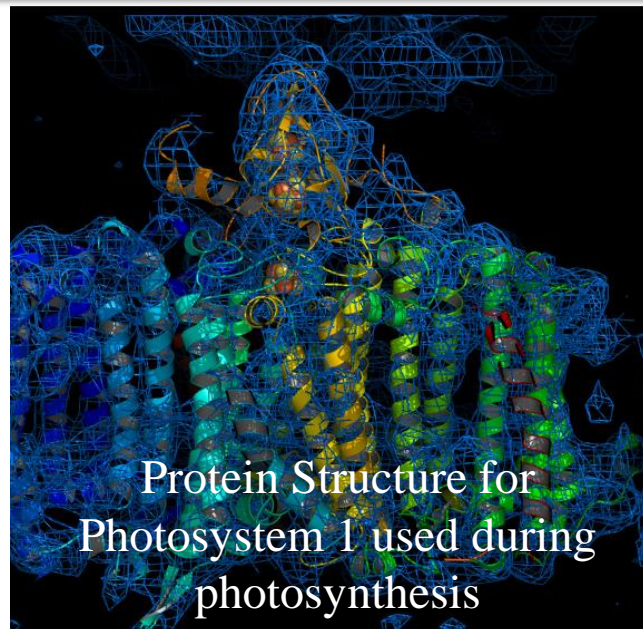


**Hutch 5: CXI**  
Coherent X-ray Imaging



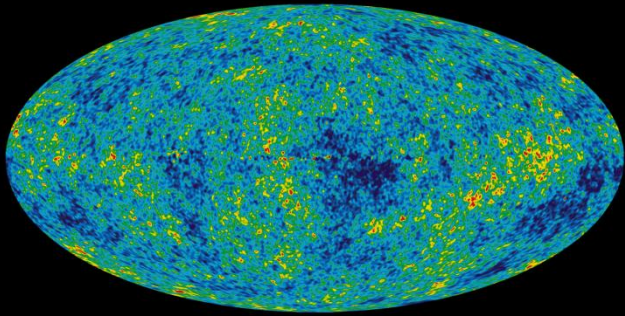
**Hutch 6: MEC**  
Matter in Extreme Conditions<sup>27</sup>

# LCLS: Results

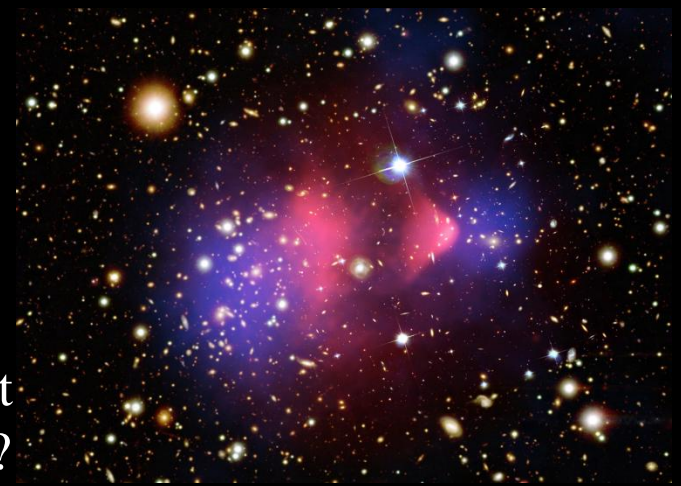


# Astrophysics

Using the Entire Universe as our Laboratory



How did the  
Universe begin?



How is it  
changing today?



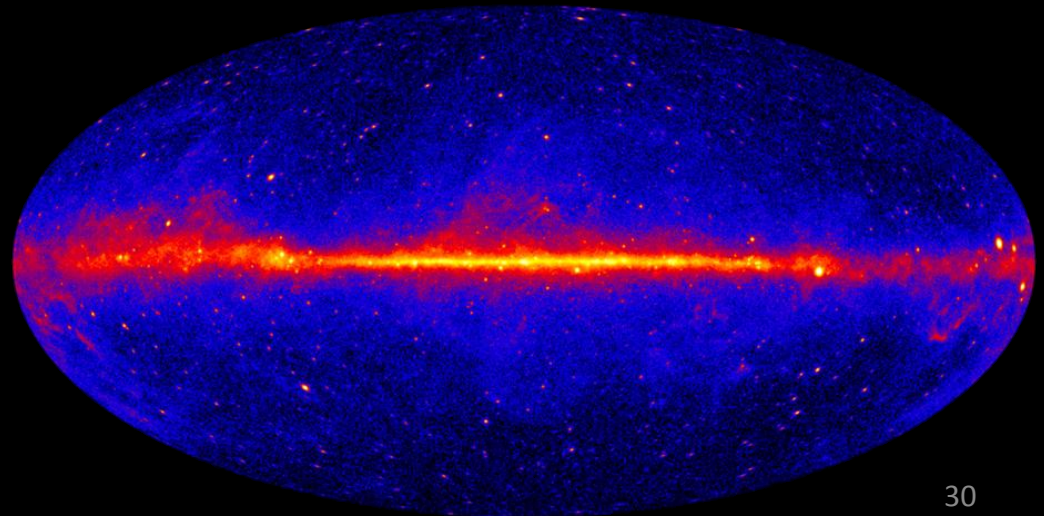
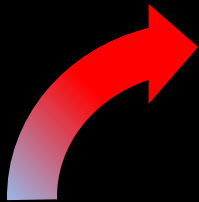
Studying the most  
extreme objects in  
the Universe

Searching for  
Dark Matter



# Astrophysics: Active Facilities

One example:  
**Fermi Gamma-ray  
Space Telescope**

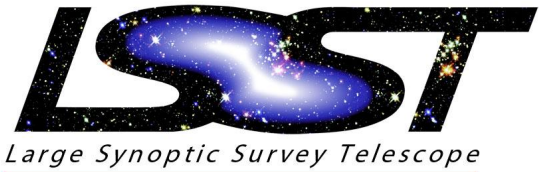


# Astrophysics: The Future

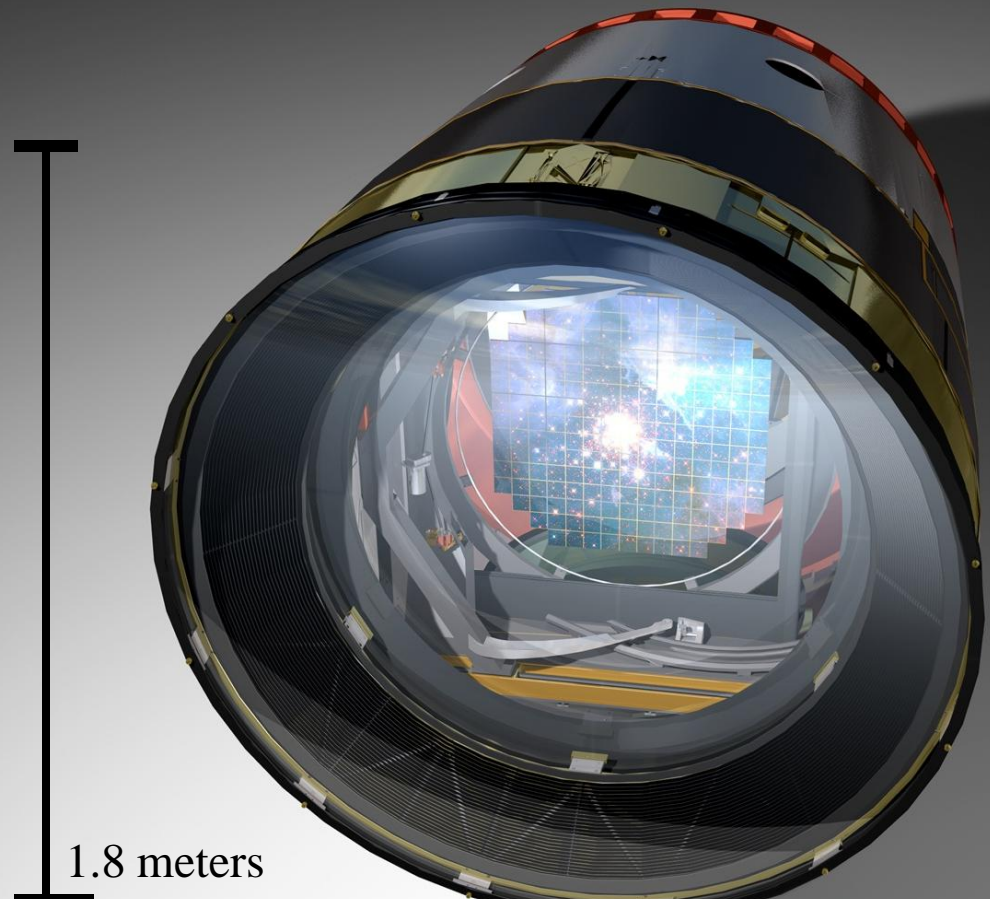
**LSST**  
*Large Synoptic Survey Telescope*



# Astrophysics: The Future



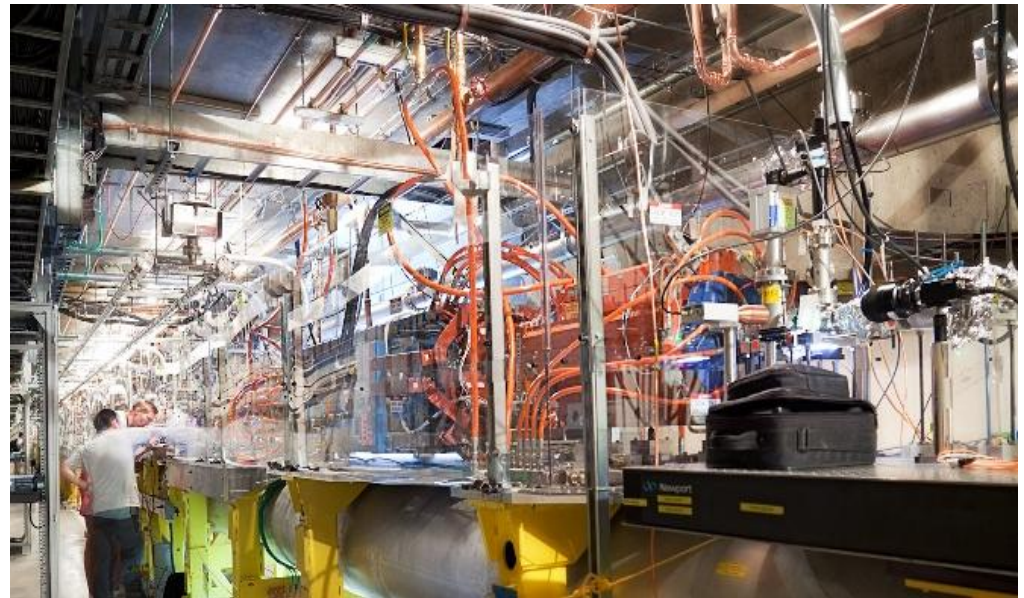
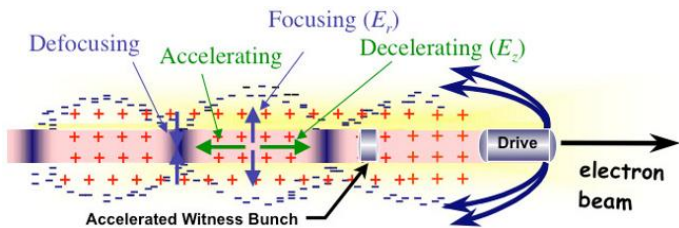
SLAC is designing the  
world's largest digital  
camera – 3200  
Megapixels!





# FACET: Next Generation Accelerator

- Exploring new technologies for particle acceleration.
- Much smaller and less expensive!
- Hope to do what the 3 km LINAC does in a few meters by means of plasma and/or laser acceleration.



Will advance accelerator, medical, and energy sciences

# Super Computing: Global Partnerships

ATLAS Detector records enough data to fill six million CDs every minute. SLAC analyzes a total of 3 billion megabytes of raw recorded data each year as a global partner.



# Safety

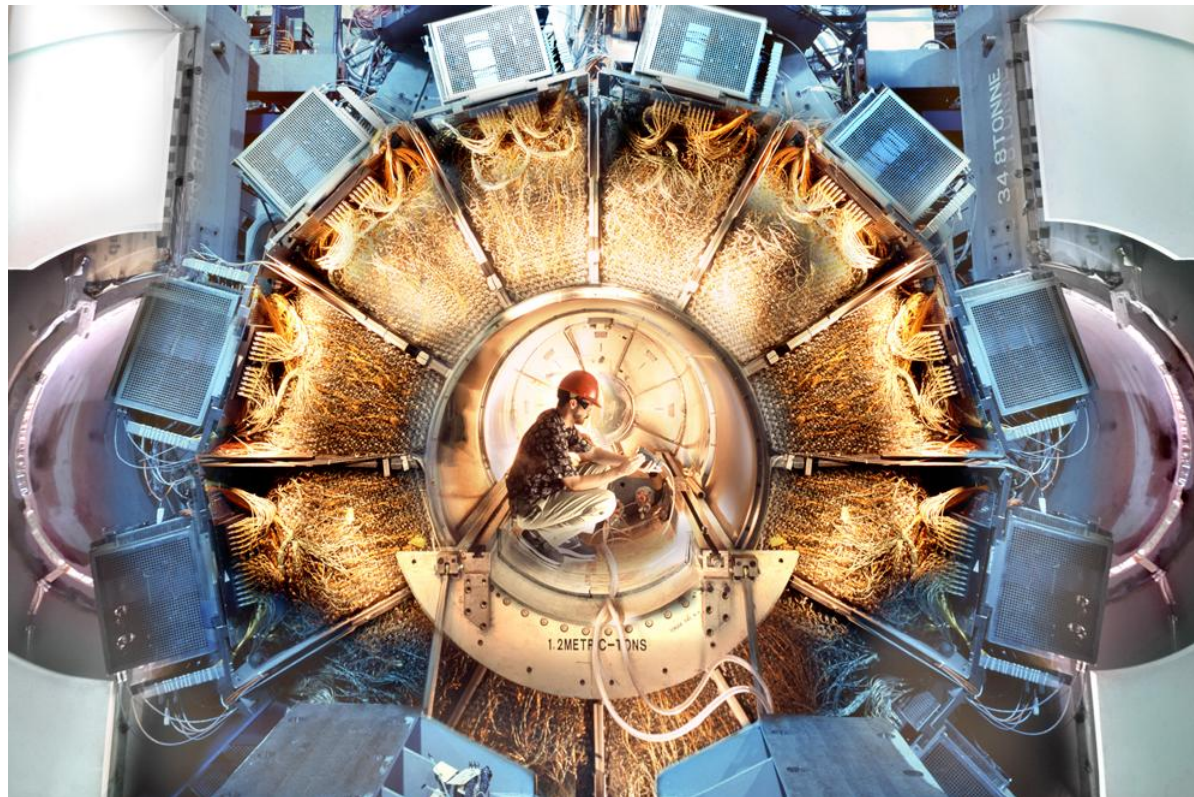


Watch your step

We have been  
radiologically safe  
for 50 years!



# Questions?



# What I do at SLAC:

See below for extra slides

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Use Times New Roman Font

# Archaeopteryx

## More Dinosaur than bird



ἀρχαῖος (archaios) = ancient  
πτέρυξ (ptéryx) = feather

### Reptile Traits:

- Toothed Beak
- Wing Claws
- Long tail w/vertebrae

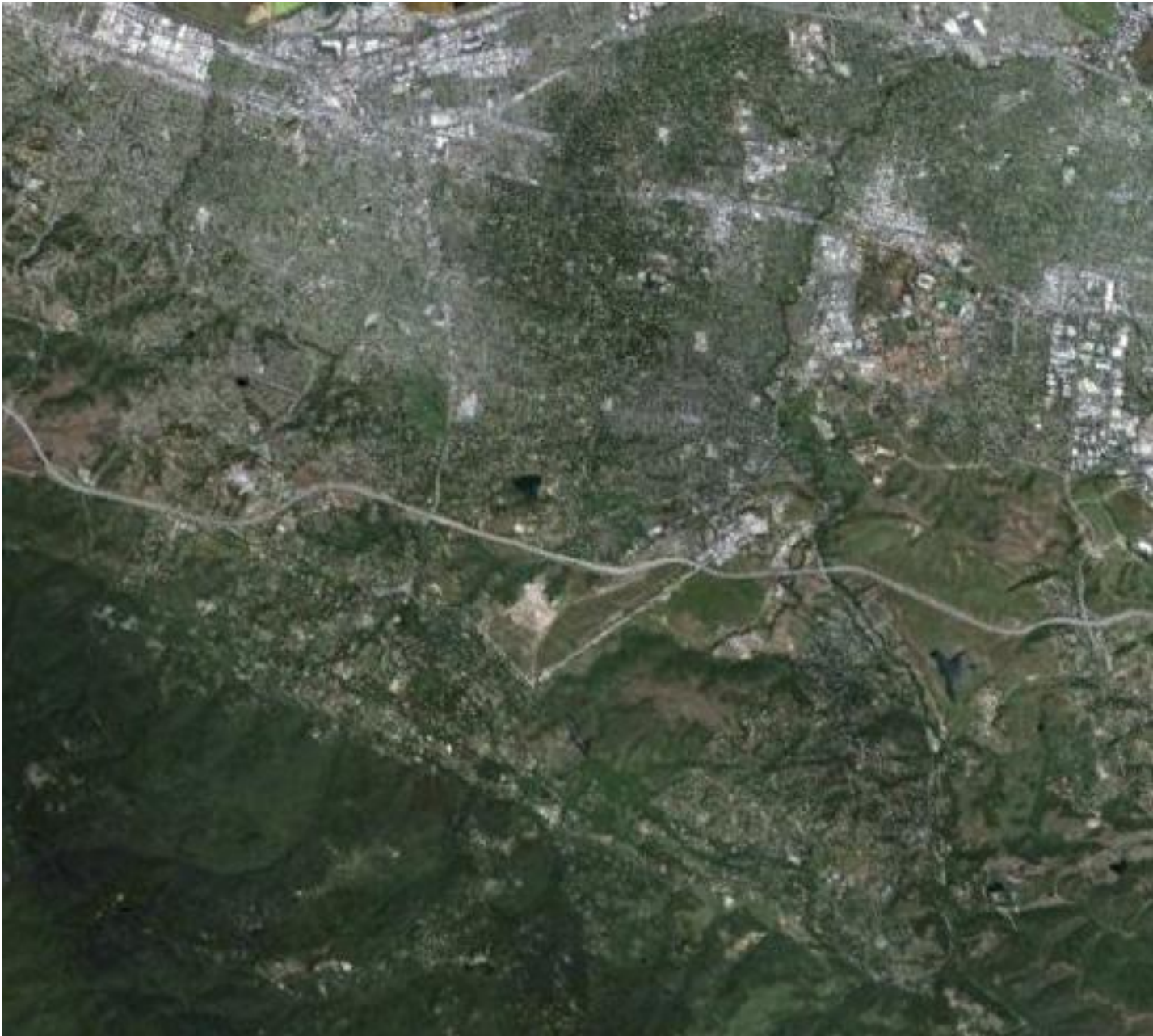
### Bird Traits:

- Airfoil Wings
- Contour Feathers
- Size of present day raven





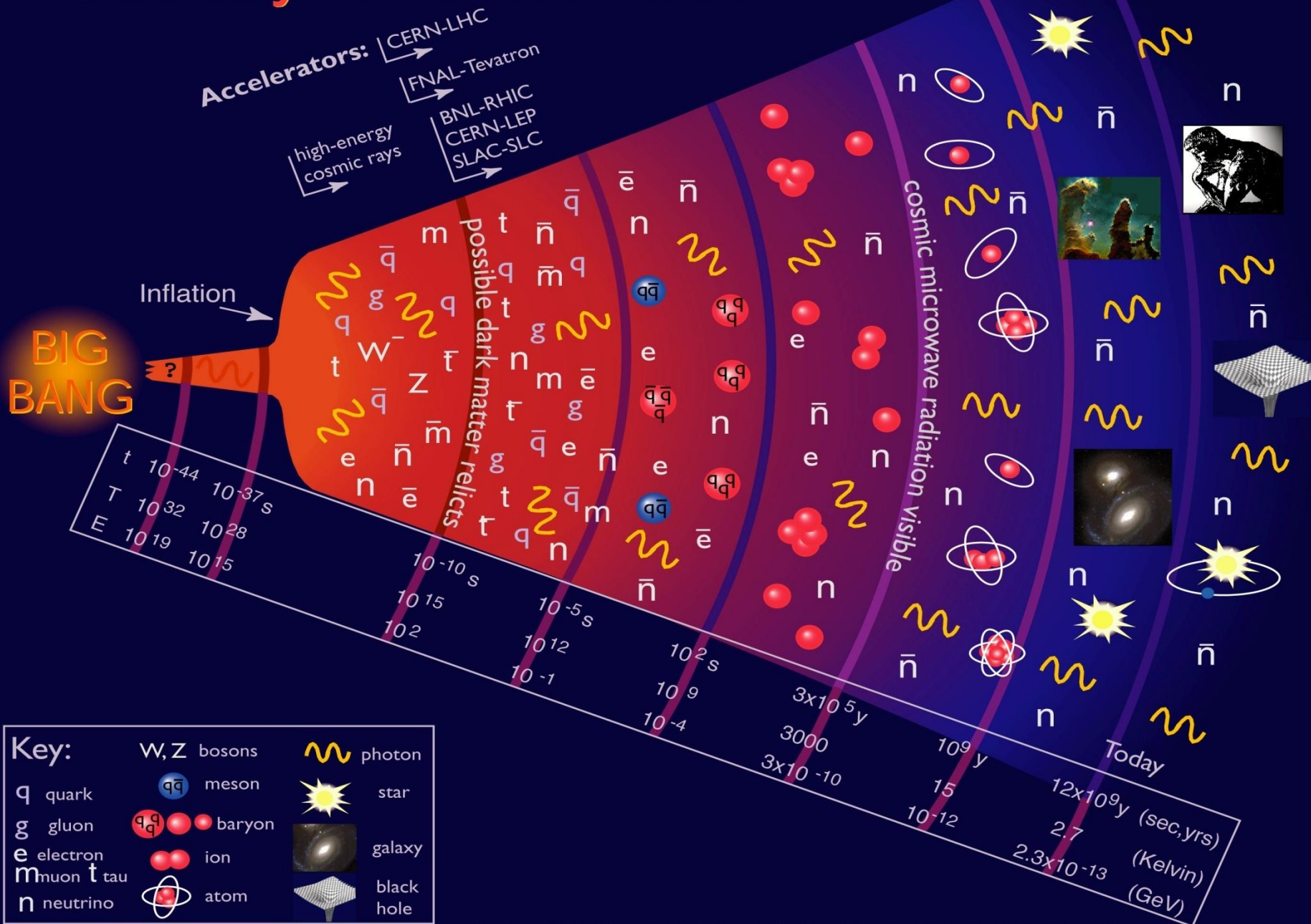


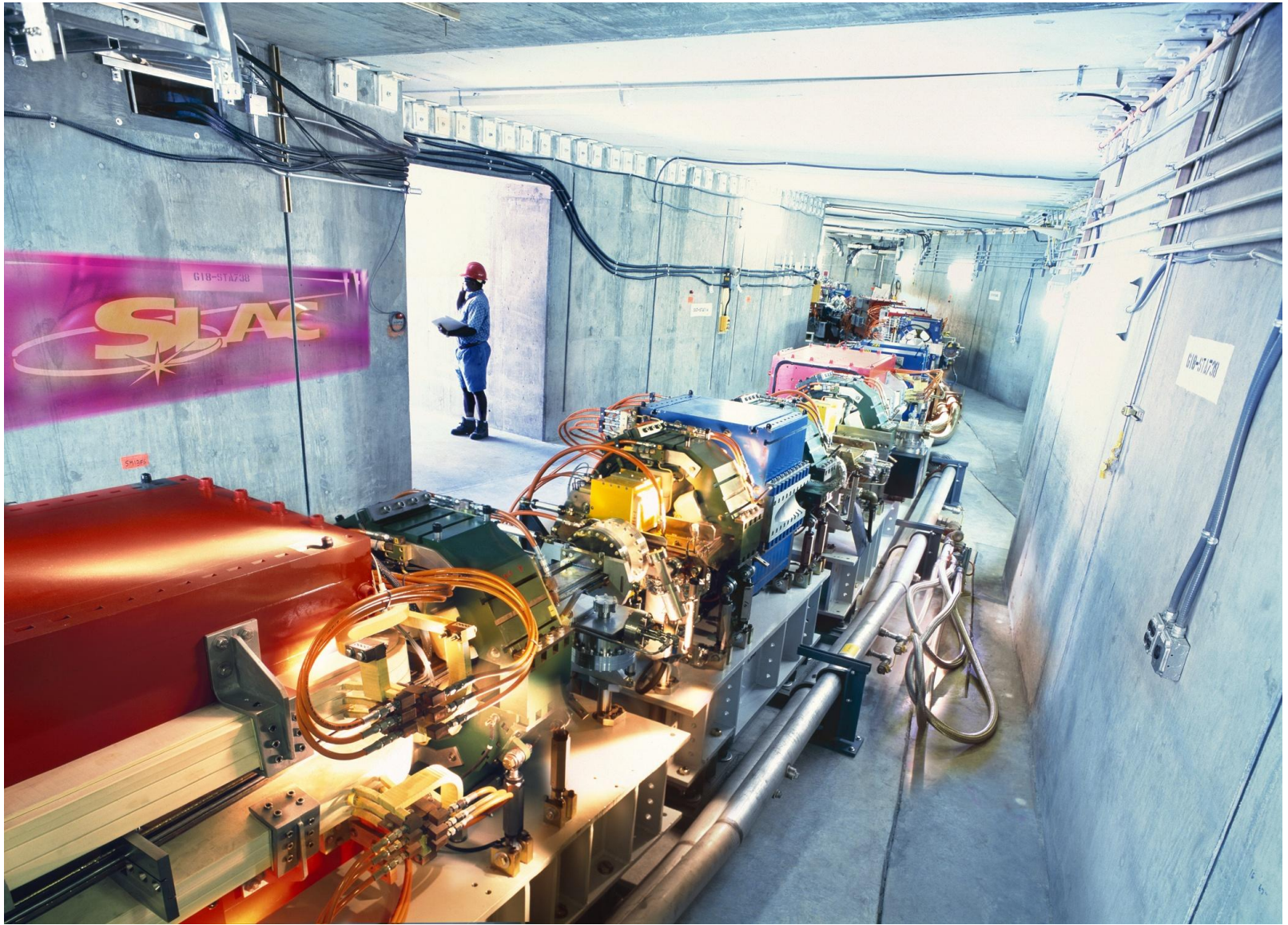






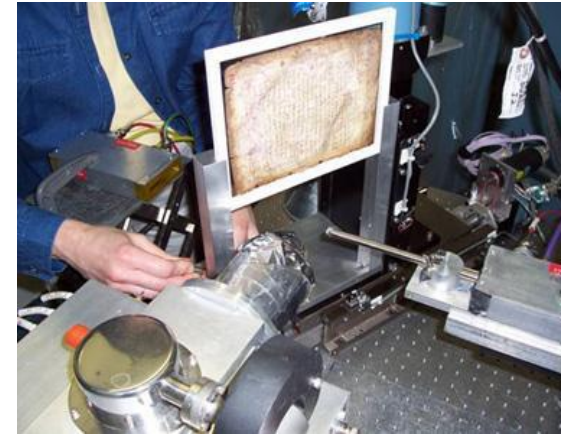
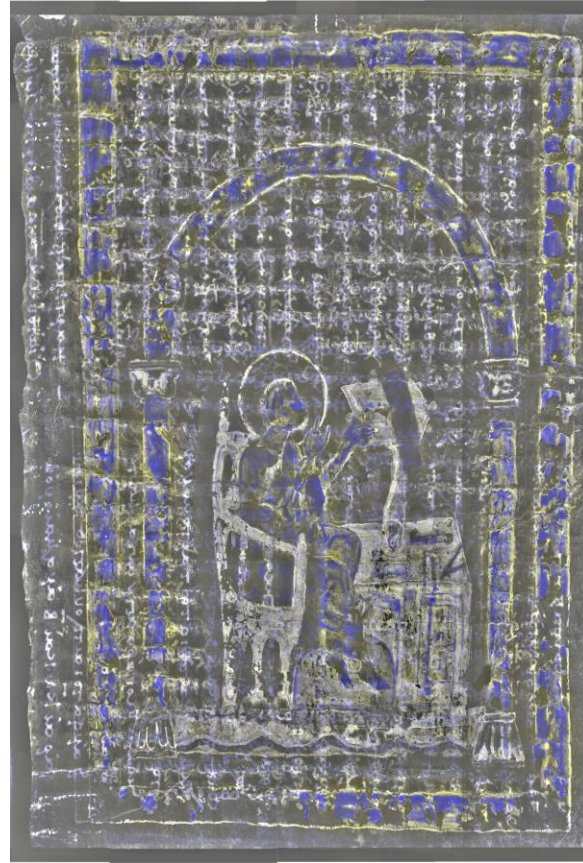
# History of the Universe





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# Archimedes Palimpsest



When hit by the synchrotron X-rays the iron pigment in the original ink fluoresced and allowed researchers to see the text for the first time.

# Our Past Missions and Successes

## End Station B

- Advanced Accelerator R&D

## End Station A

- Electroweak unification
- Quarks in protons, neutrons

## Final Focus Test Beam

- Advanced accelerator R&D
- Test beams

## BaBar

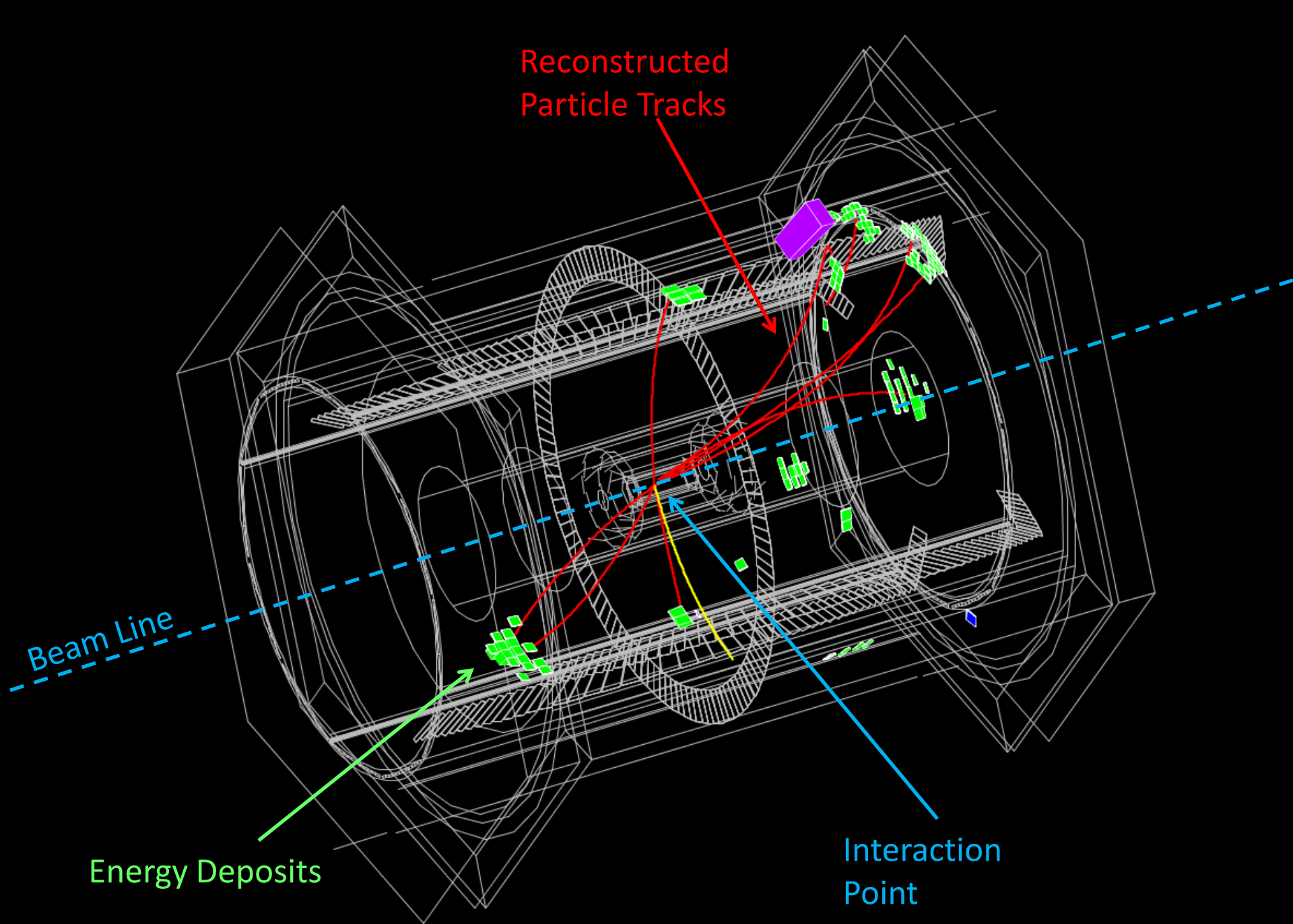
- Detector at PEP II
- Matter - Antimatter Asymmetry
- Data set still being used

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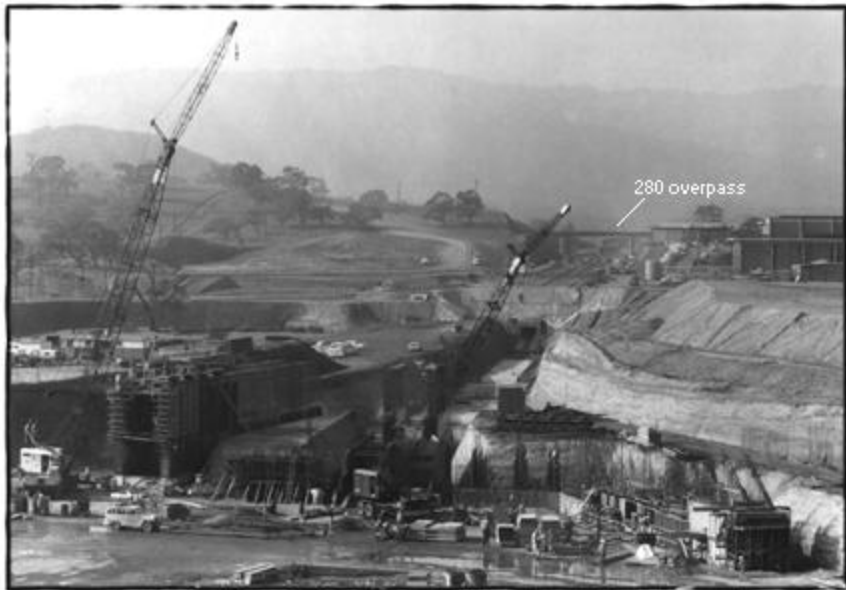
- Original charm quark discovery:  $J/\psi$
- Discovery of tau lepton

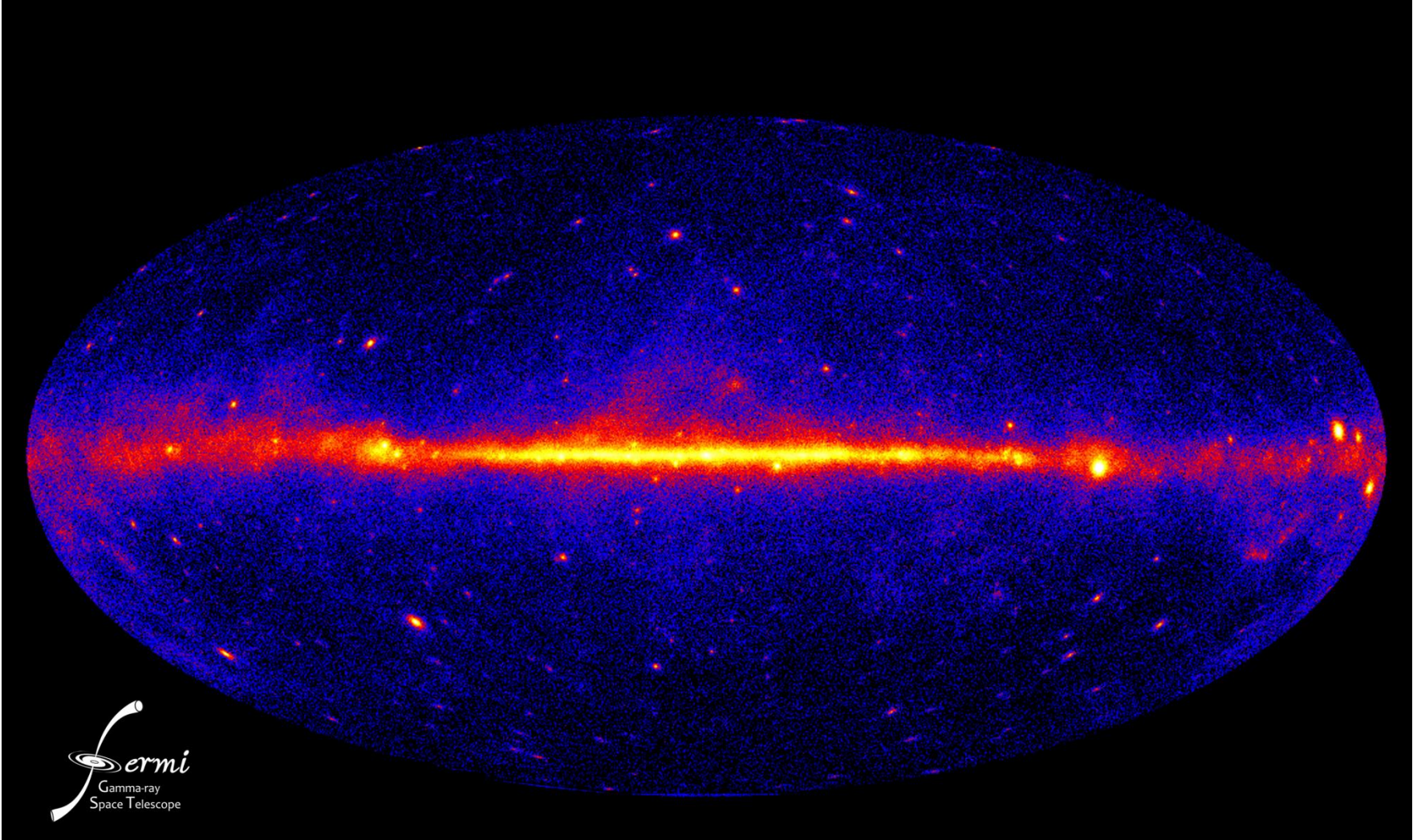
## SLD: Stanford Large Detector

- Detector for SLC
- Produced  $Z^0$  particle

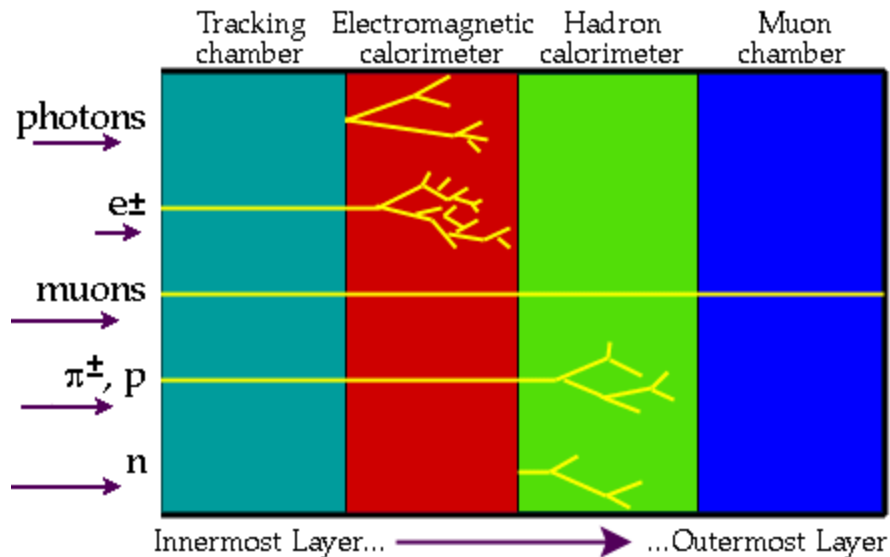






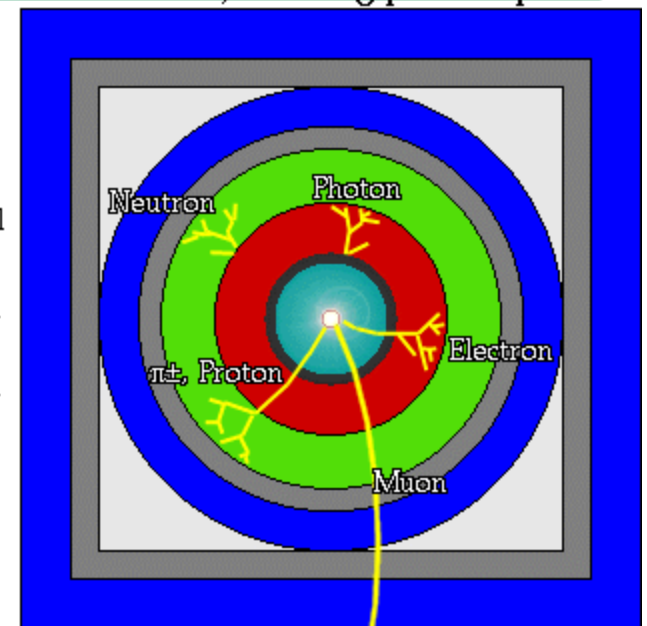


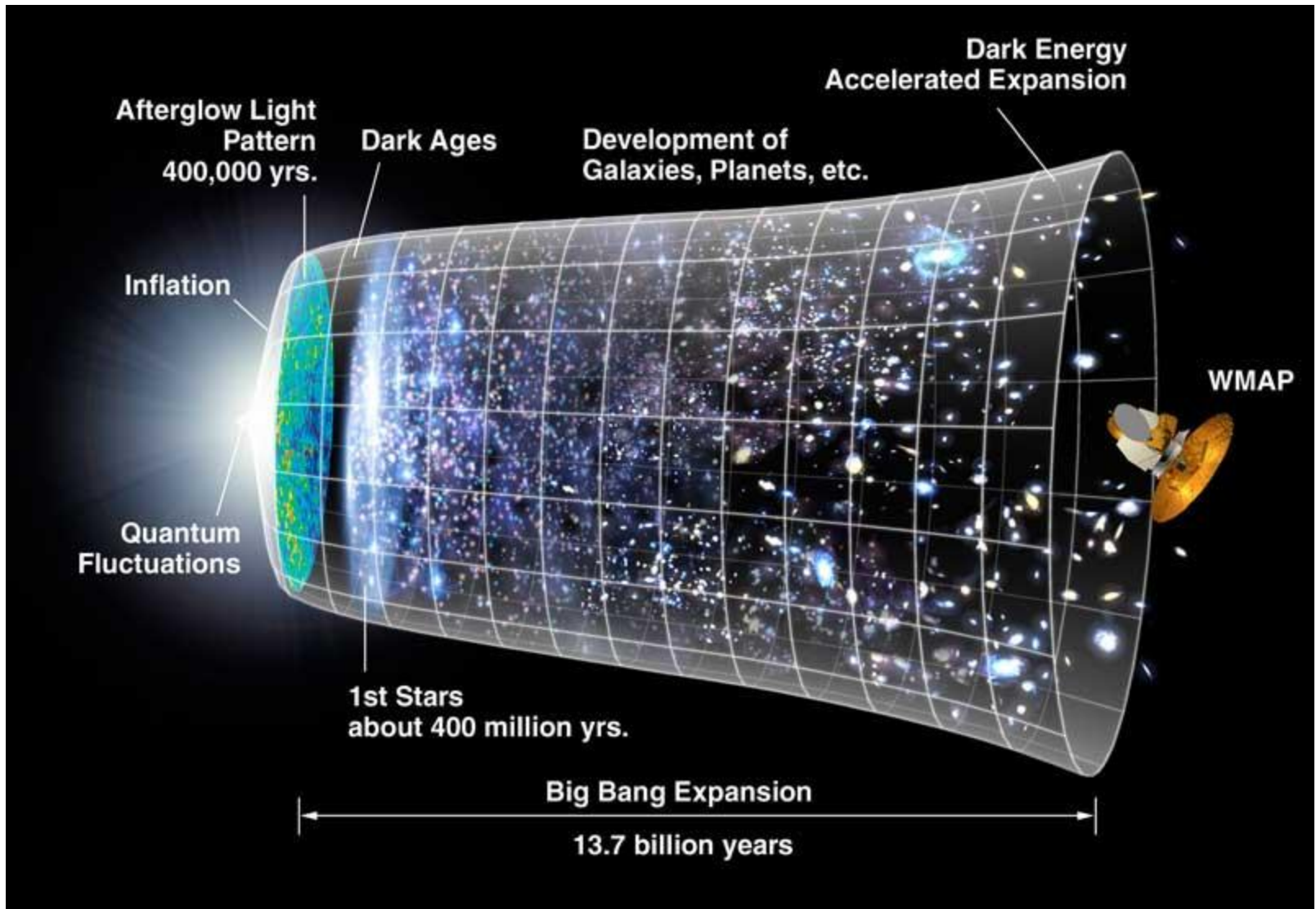
# Particle Signatures



A detector cross-section, showing particle paths

- Beam Pipe (center)
- Tracking Chamber
- Magnet Coil
- E-M Calorimeter
- Hadron Calorimeter
- Magnetized Iron
- Muon Chambers





# Standard Model of FUNDAMENTAL PARTICLES AND INTERACTIONS

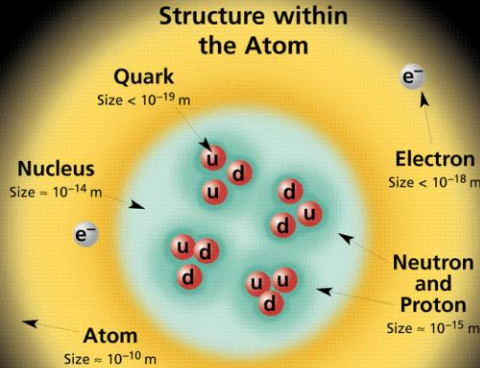
The Standard Model summarizes the current knowledge in Particle Physics. It is the quantum theory that includes the theory of strong interactions (quantum chromodynamics or QCD) and the unified theory of weak and electromagnetic interactions (electroweak). Gravity is included on this chart because it is one of the fundamental interactions even though not part of the "Standard Model."

## FERMIONS

**matter constituents**  
spin = 1/2, 3/2, 5/2, ...

Leptons spin = 1/2		
Flavor	Mass GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	Electric charge
$\nu_e$ electron neutrino	$<1 \times 10^{-8}$	0
e electron	0.000511	-1
$\nu_\mu$ muon neutrino	$<0.0002$	0
$\mu$ muon	0.106	-1
$\nu_\tau$ tau neutrino	$<0.02$	0
$\tau$ tau	1.7771	-1

Quarks spin = 1/2		
Flavor	Approx. Mass GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	Electric charge
u up	0.003	2/3
d down	0.006	-1/3
c charm	1.3	2/3
s strange	0.1	-1/3
t top	175	2/3
b bottom	4.3	-1/3



If the protons and neutrons in this picture were 10 cm across, then the quarks and electrons would be less than 0.1 mm in size and the entire atom would be about 10 km across.

## BOSONS

**force carriers**  
spin = 0, 1, 2, ...

Unified Electroweak spin = 1		
Name	Mass GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	Electric charge
$\gamma$ photon	0	0
$W^-$	80.4	-1
$W^+$	80.4	+1
$Z^0$	91.187	0

Strong (color) spin = 1		
Name	Mass GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	Electric charge
g gluon	0	0

**Color Charge**  
Each quark carries one of three types of "strong charge," also called "color charge." These charges have nothing to do with the colors of visible light. There are eight possible types of color charge for gluons. Just as electrically-charged particles interact by exchanging photons, in strong interactions color-charged particles interact by exchanging gluons. Leptons, photons, and  $W$  and  $Z$  bosons have no strong interactions and hence no color charge.

### Quarks Confined in Mesons and Baryons

One cannot isolate quarks and gluons; they are confined in color-neutral particles called **hadrons**. This confinement (binding) results from multiple exchanges of gluons among the color-charged constituents. As color-charged particles (quarks and gluons) move apart, the energy in the color-force field between them increases. This energy eventually is converted into additional quark-antiquark pairs (see figure below). The quarks and antiquarks then combine into hadrons; these are the particles seen to emerge. Two types of hadrons have been observed in nature: **mesons**  $q\bar{q}$  and **baryons**  $qqq$ .

### Residual Strong Interaction

The strong binding of color-neutral protons and neutrons to form nuclei is due to residual strong interactions between their color-charged constituents. It is similar to the residual electrical interaction that binds electrically neutral atoms to form molecules. It can also be viewed as the exchange of mesons between the hadrons.

## PROPERTIES OF THE INTERACTIONS

Baryons $qqq$ and Antibaryons $\bar{q}\bar{q}\bar{q}$					
Baryons are fermionic hadrons. There are about 120 types of baryons.					
Symbol	Name	Quark content	Electric charge	Mass GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	Spin
$p$	proton	uud	1	0.938	1/2
$\bar{p}$	anti-proton	$\bar{u}\bar{u}\bar{d}$	-1	0.938	1/2
$n$	neutron	udd	0	0.940	1/2
$\Lambda$	lambda	uds	0	1.116	1/2
$\Omega^-$	omega	sss	-1	1.672	3/2

Property	Interaction	Weak		Electromagnetic		Strong	
		Gravitational	(Electroweak)	Fundamental	Residual		
Acts on:		Mass - Energy	Flavor	Electric Charge	Color Charge	See Residual Strong Interaction Note	
Particles experiencing:		All	Quarks, Leptons	Electrically charged	Quarks, Gluons	Hadrons	
Particles mediating:		Graviton (not yet observed)	$W^+ W^- Z^0$	$\gamma$	Gluons	Mesons	
Strength relative to electromag for two u quarks at:	$10^{-18}$ m $3 \times 10^{-17}$ m for two protons in nucleus	$10^{-41}$	0.8	1	25	Not applicable to quarks	
		$10^{-41}$	$10^{-4}$	1	60		
		$10^{-36}$	$10^{-7}$	1	Not applicable to hadrons	20	

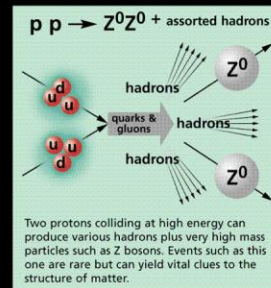
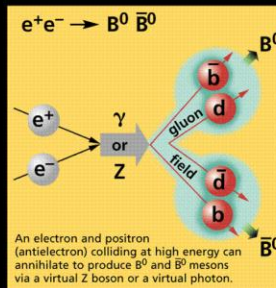
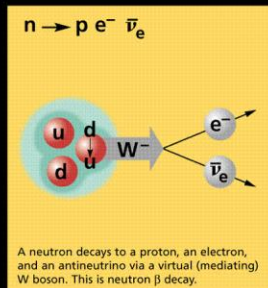
Mesons $q\bar{q}$					
Mesons are bosonic hadrons. There are about 140 types of mesons.					
Symbol	Name	Quark content	Electric charge	Mass GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	Spin
$\pi^+$	pion	$u\bar{d}$	+1	0.140	0
$K^-$	kaon	$s\bar{u}$	-1	0.494	0
$\rho^+$	rho	$u\bar{d}$	+1	0.770	1
$B^0$	B-zero	$d\bar{b}$	0	5.279	0
$\eta_c$	eta-c	$c\bar{c}$	0	2.980	0

### Matter and Antimatter

For every particle type there is a corresponding antiparticle type, denoted by a bar over the particle symbol (unless + or - charge is shown). Particle and antiparticle have identical mass and spin but opposite charges. Some electrically neutral bosons (e.g.,  $Z^0$ ,  $\gamma$ , and  $\eta_c = c\bar{c}$ , but not  $K^0 = d\bar{s}$ ) are their own antiparticles.

### Figures

These diagrams are an artist's conception of physical processes. They are not exact and have no meaningful scale. Green shaded areas represent the cloud of gluons or the gluon field, and red lines the quark paths.



### The Particle Adventure

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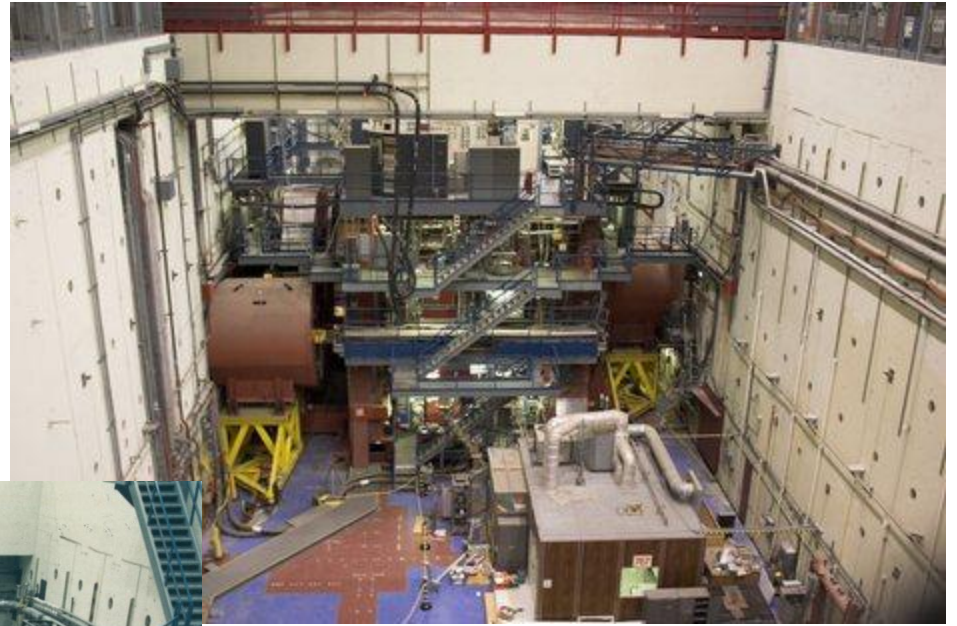
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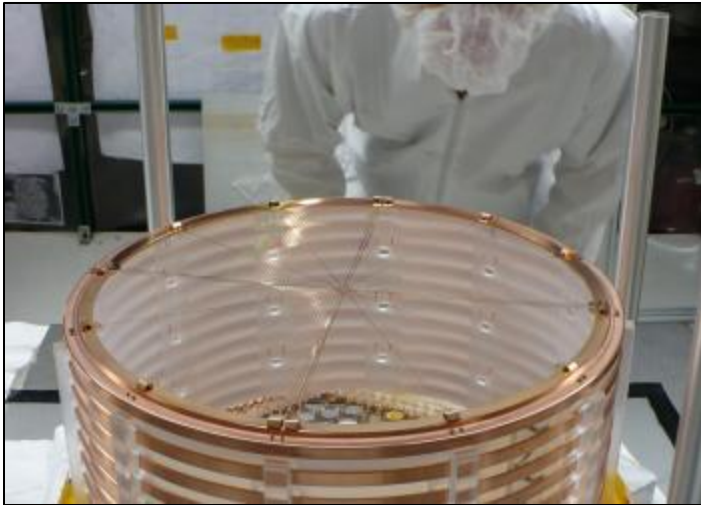
# SLD: Stanford Large Detector



# Guinness Book of World Records

## and other notable milestones

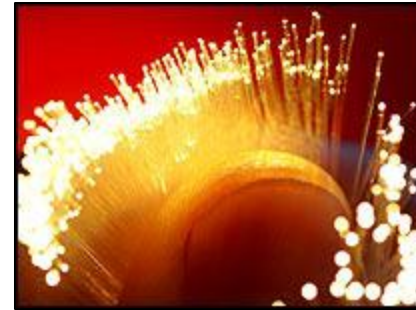
2011: The slowest Standard Model process ever measured



The EXO 200 detector is the first to capture the 2nubb or "two-neutrino double-beta decay", a rare type of particle decay undergone by certain forms of radioactive elements.

Longest linear accelerator in the world, amongst the world's straightest objects.

2003: Internet speed record



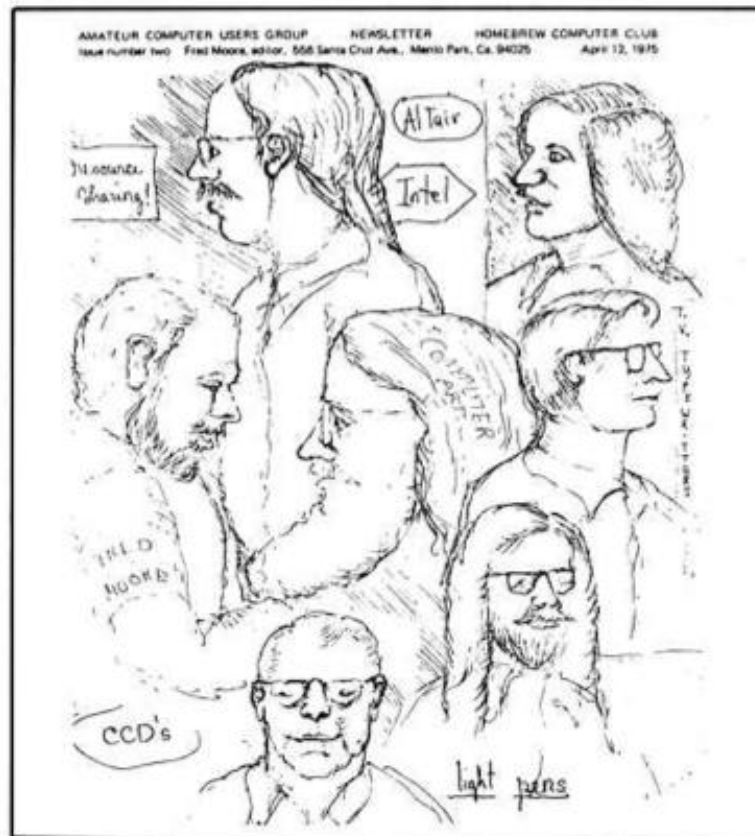
Transferring 6.7 gigabytes of data across 10,978 kilometres (6,800 miles), from SLAC to Amsterdam, in less than one minute.

SLAC Noted for "groundbreaking work in manipulation and transfer of enormous datasets."

At one time, SLAC accumulated the largest known database in the world, which grows at one terabyte per day.

# Homebrew Computer Club

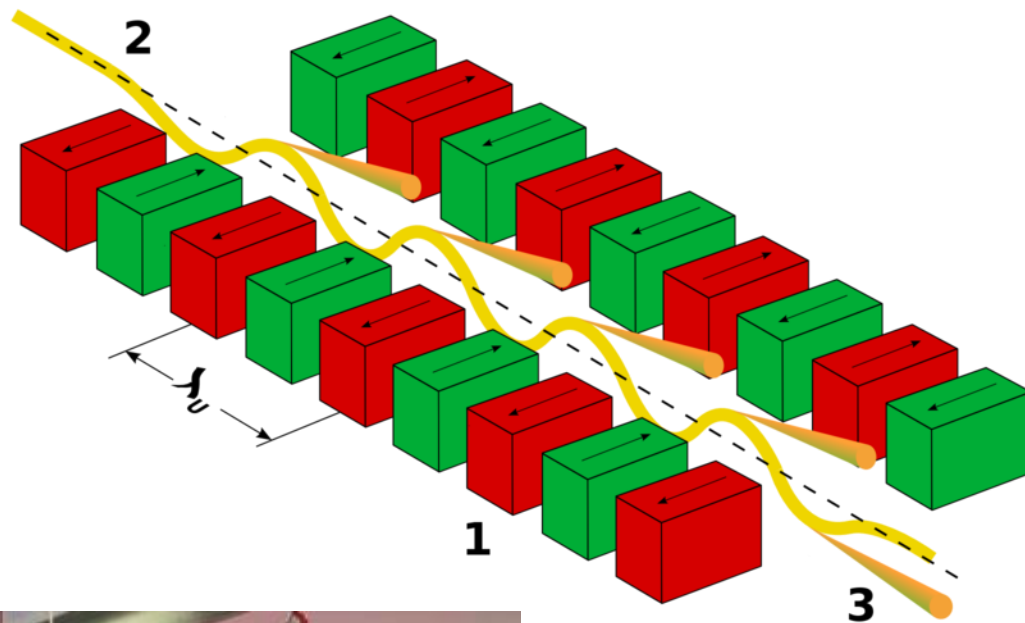
*The cover of the Homebrew Club's first newsletter.*



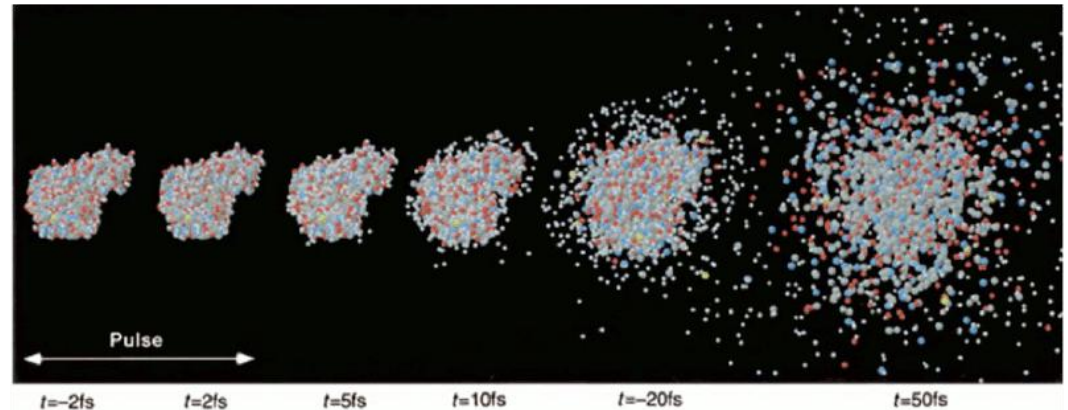
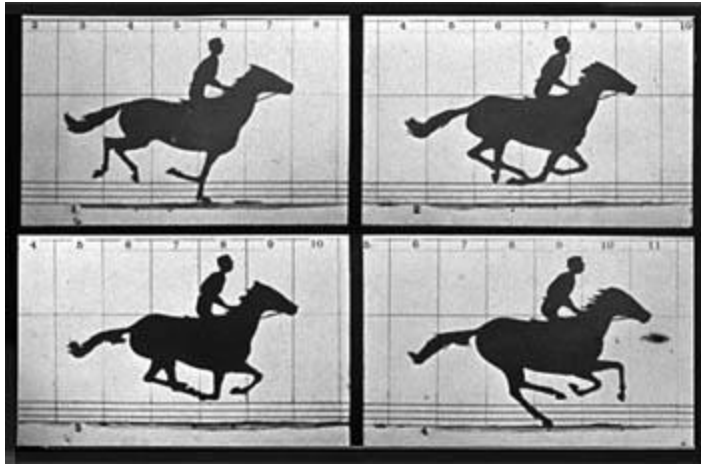
SLAC's Panofsky Auditorium also provided a venue for the Homebrew Computer Club and other pioneers of the home computer revolution of the late 1970s and early 1980s.



# Synchrotron Radiation



# LCLS: History of imaging breakthroughs

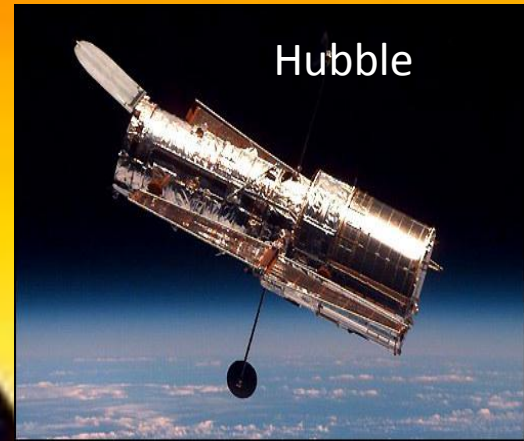


Stop-action imaging at Stanford has roots going back more than 100 years. Around 1872, Eadweard Muybridge started making stop-motion photographs of people, animals, and trains in motion on Leland Stanford's farm. Muybridge set up a bank of cameras to take photographs at a high speed (faster than 1/1000th of a second, he claimed) as Stanford's prized race horses tripped wires connected to the shutters. The images showed the hooves entirely off the ground at the same time, something no eye had ever been quick enough to confirm.

The LCLS provides X-rays of such shortness and precision that stroboscopic experiments can be done with materials on the nanoscale, and even with individual molecules and atoms.

# Astrophysics

Studying the very large requires scaling up  
your tools in a very large way!



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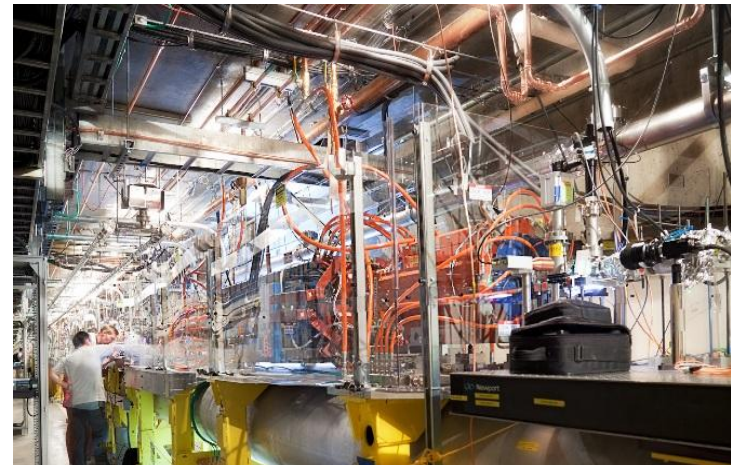
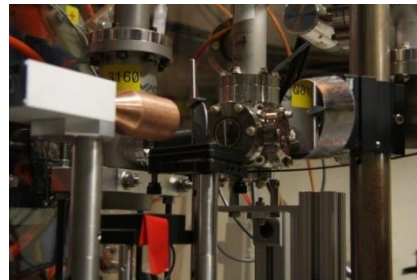
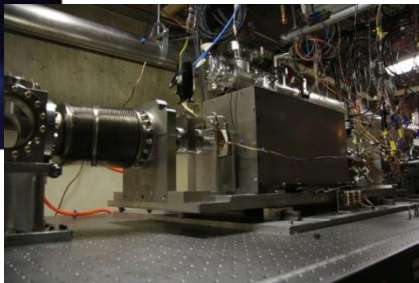
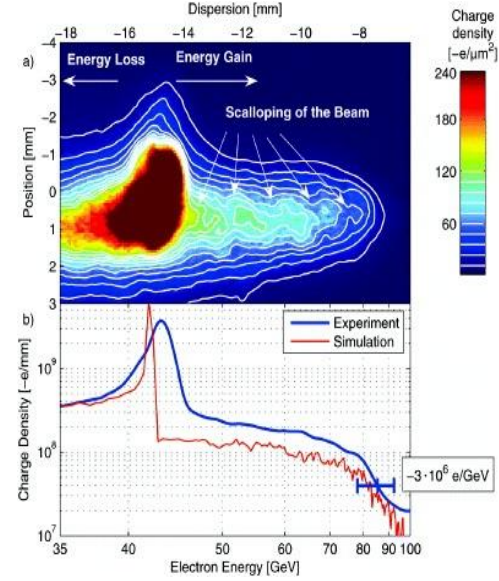
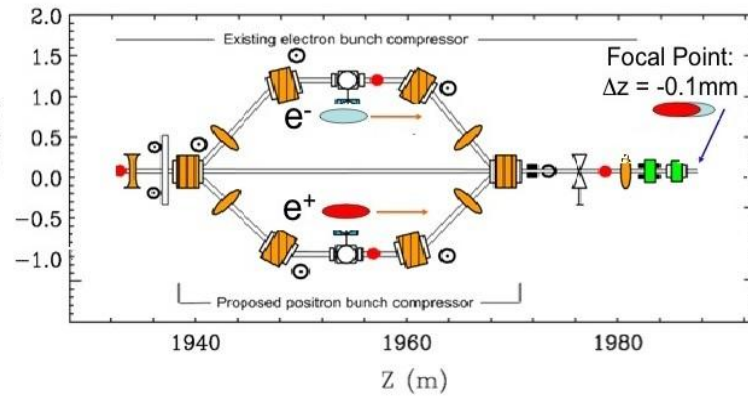
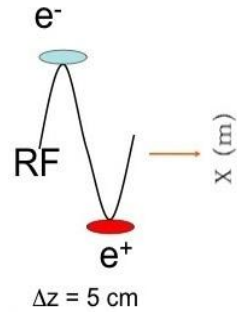
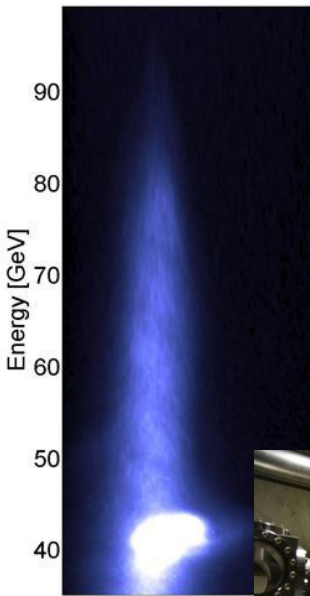


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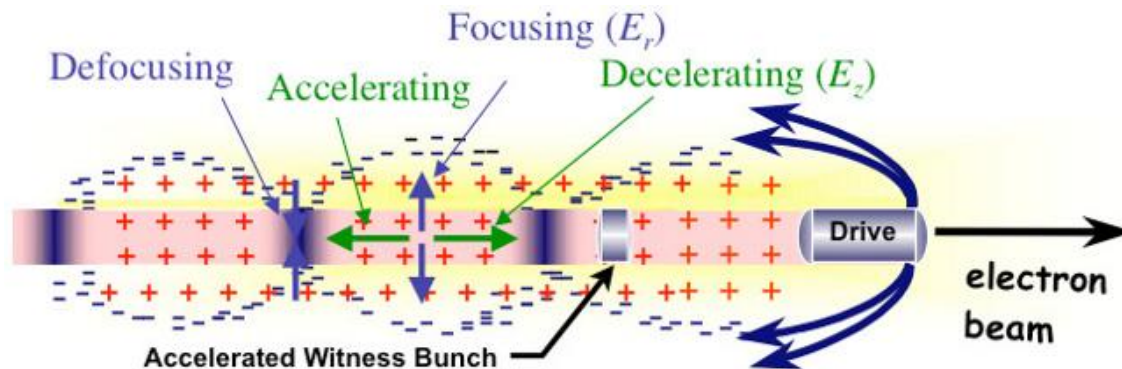
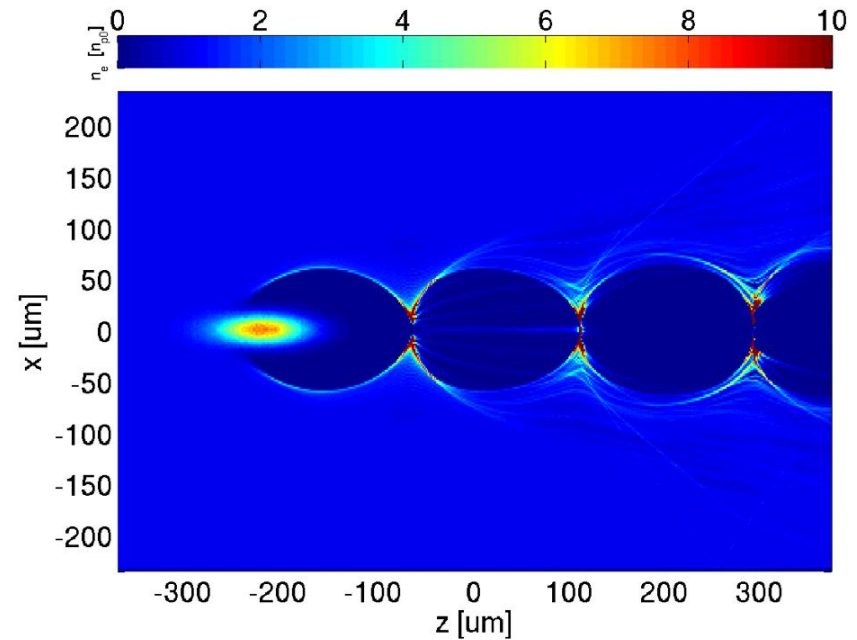
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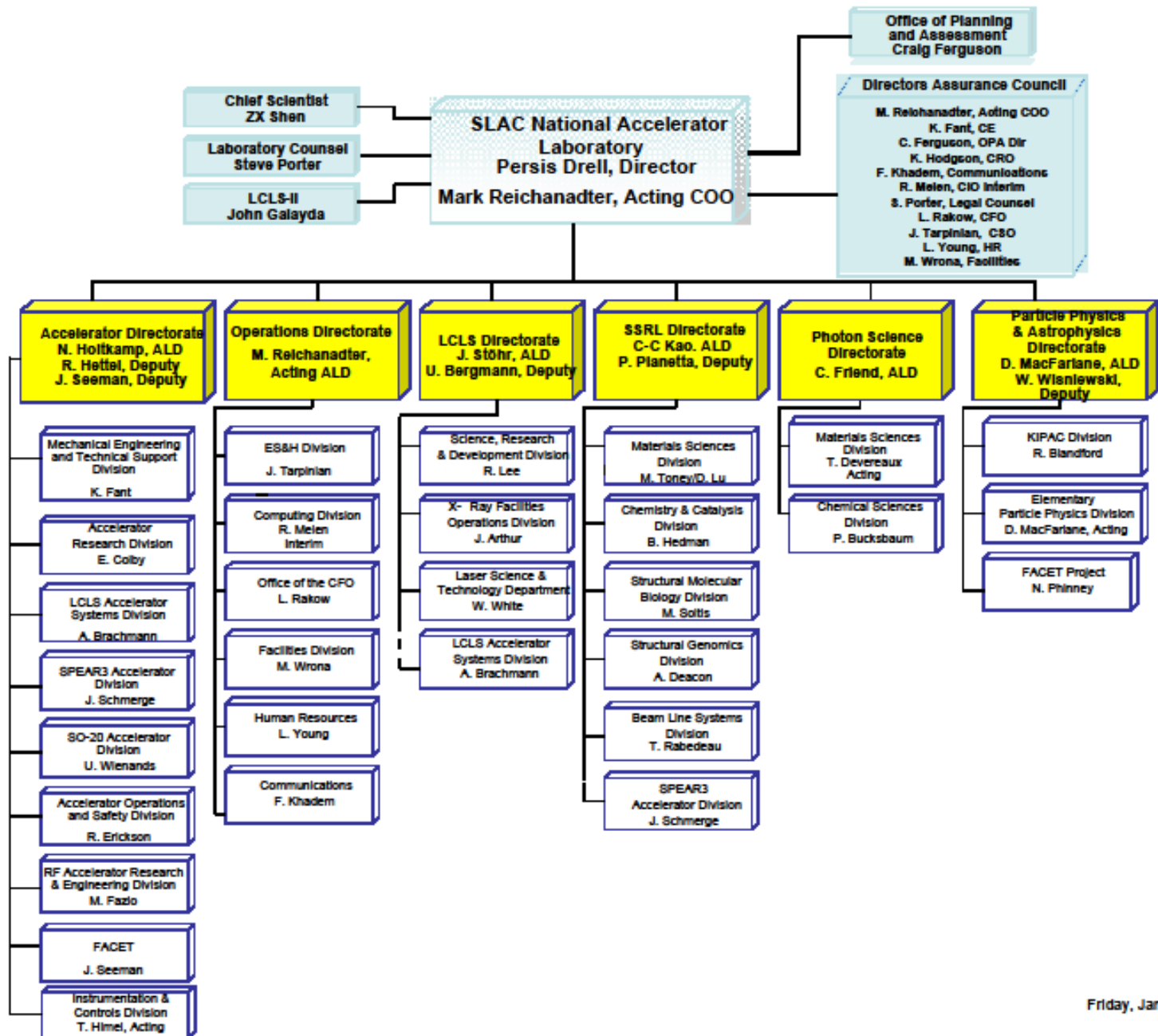


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# FACET: Plasma Acceleration

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# Single Shot Single Cell Imaging

