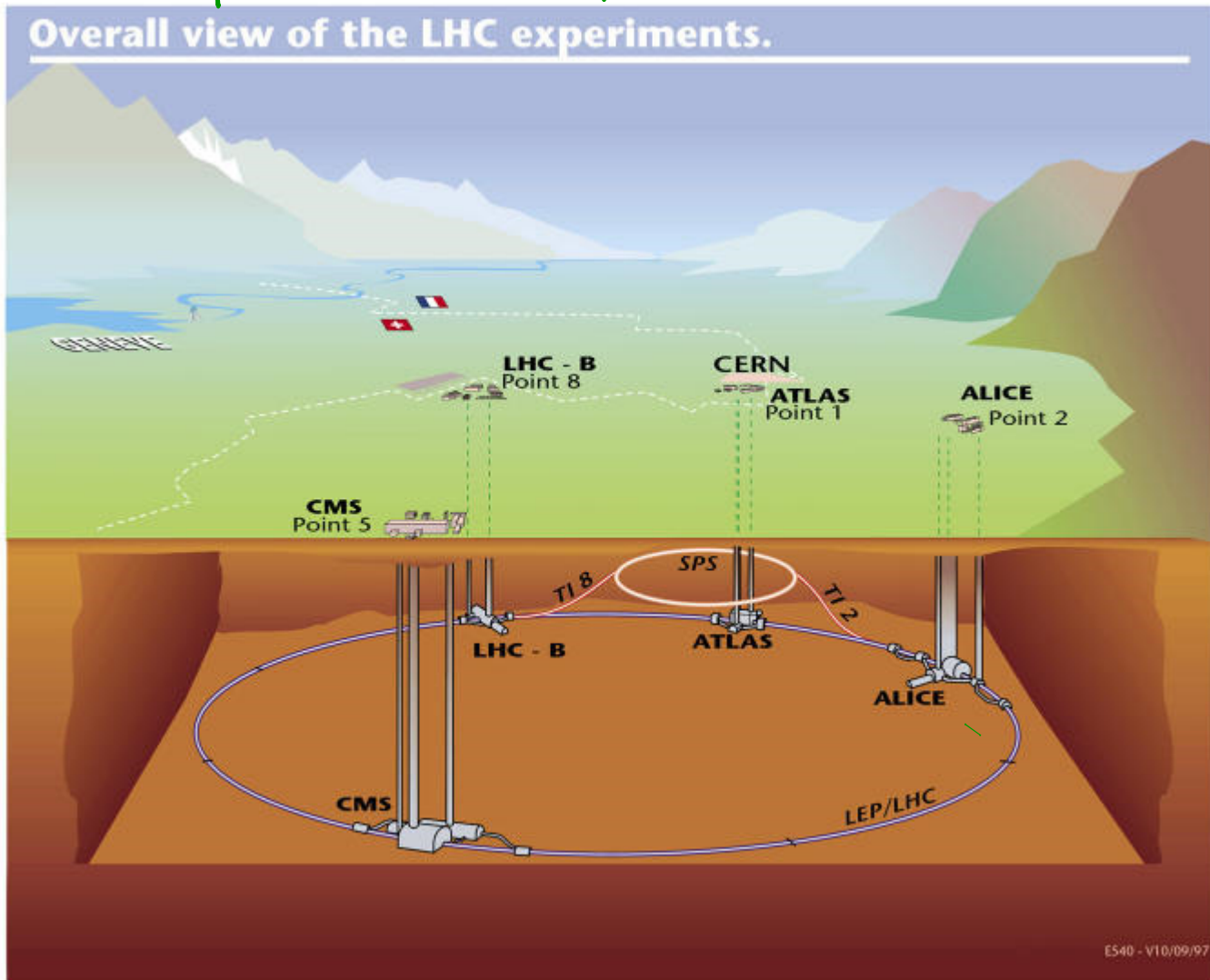


# FUNDAMENTAL PHYSICS AND THE FIFTH DIMENSION

Raman Sundrum  
University of Maryland

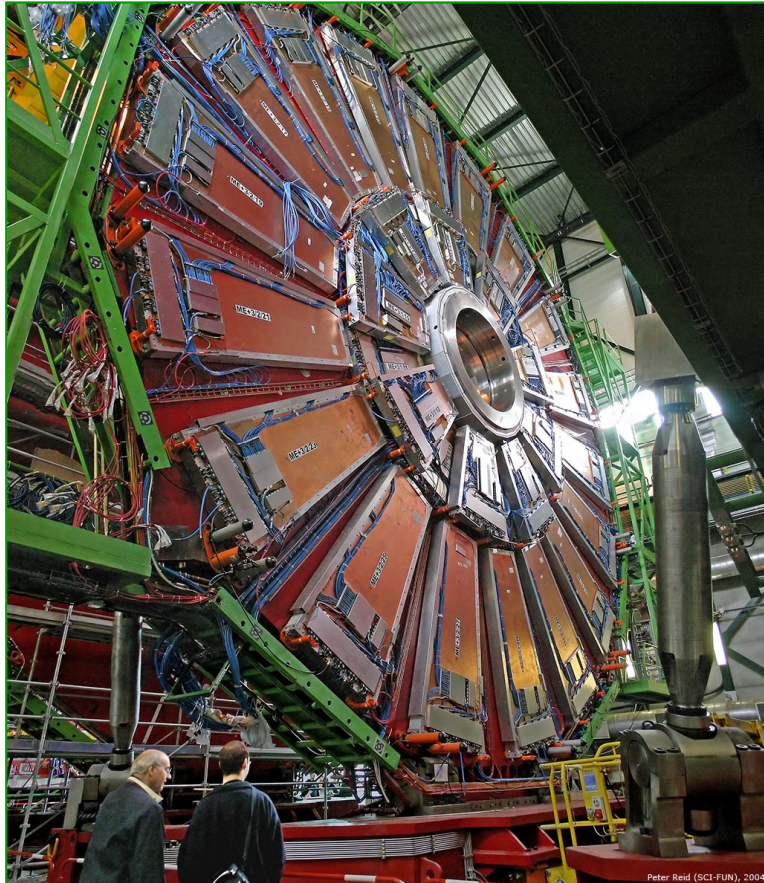
# THE LHC IS A MULTI-TeV PROTON-PROTON COLLIDER



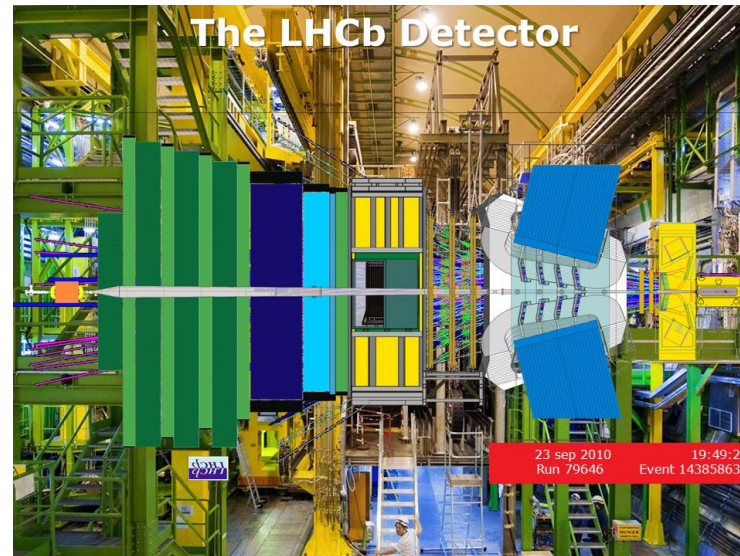
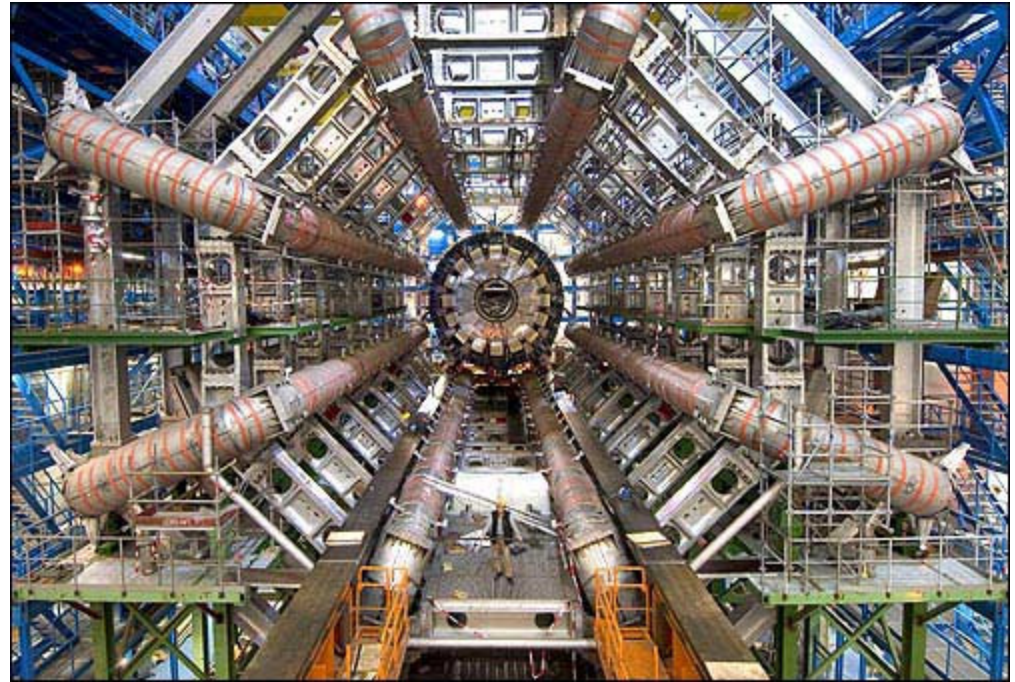
THE HAIL OF EMERGING PARTICLES SCRUTINIZED BY...

# BIG, BIG EYES

ATLAS DETECTOR



CMS DETECTOR



The LHCb Detector

LHCb  
DETECTOR

BUT

WHY?

# OUTLINE

Nothing is Something too!

Unification & the Geometric Universe

The Origin of the Masses —

LHC, Higgs boson, other matters

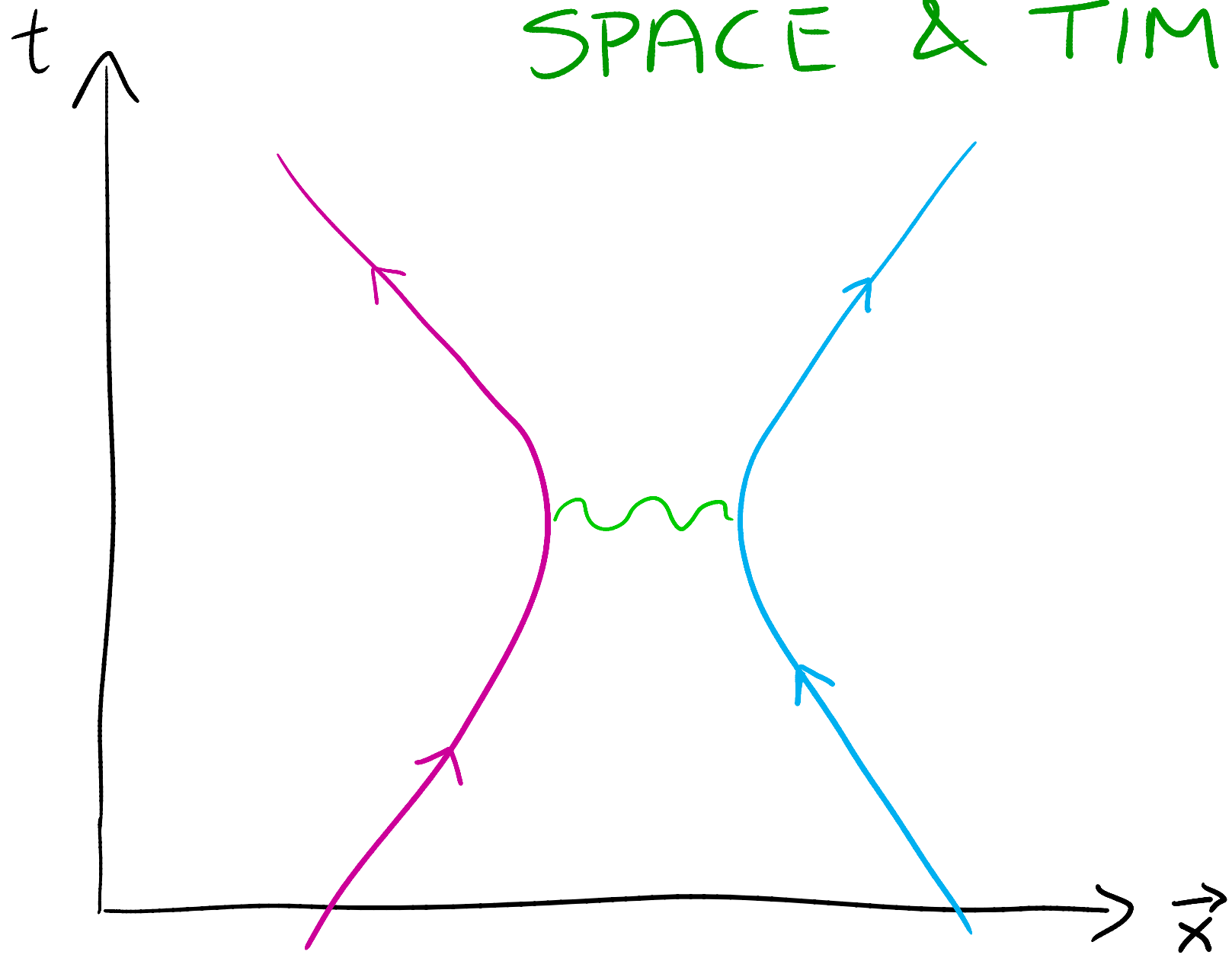
Incarnations of Spacetime —

Multiverse, 5<sup>th</sup> dimension, Supersymmetry,  
curved spacetime, emergent dimensions

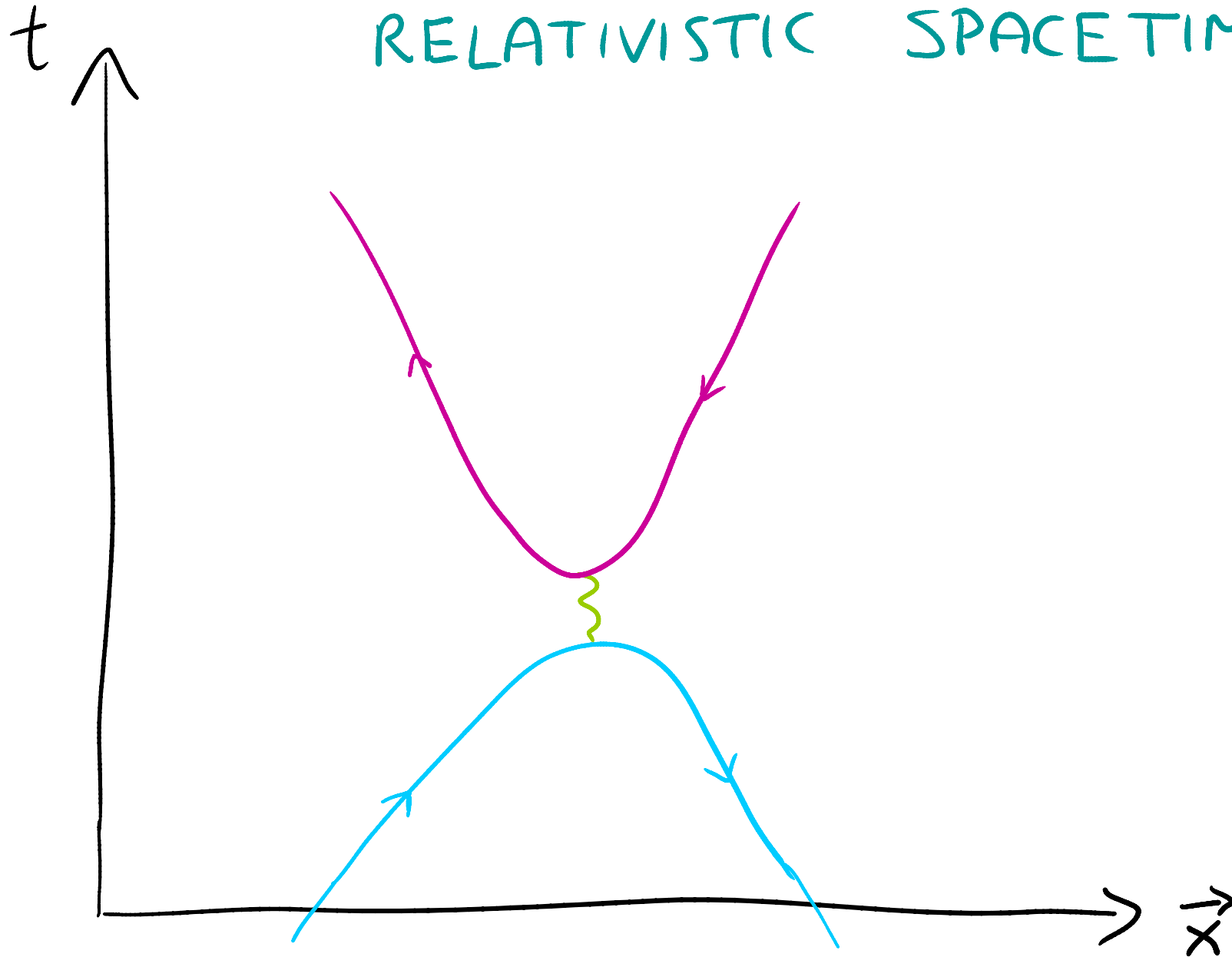
Extra-dimensional Perception —

Collider strategies

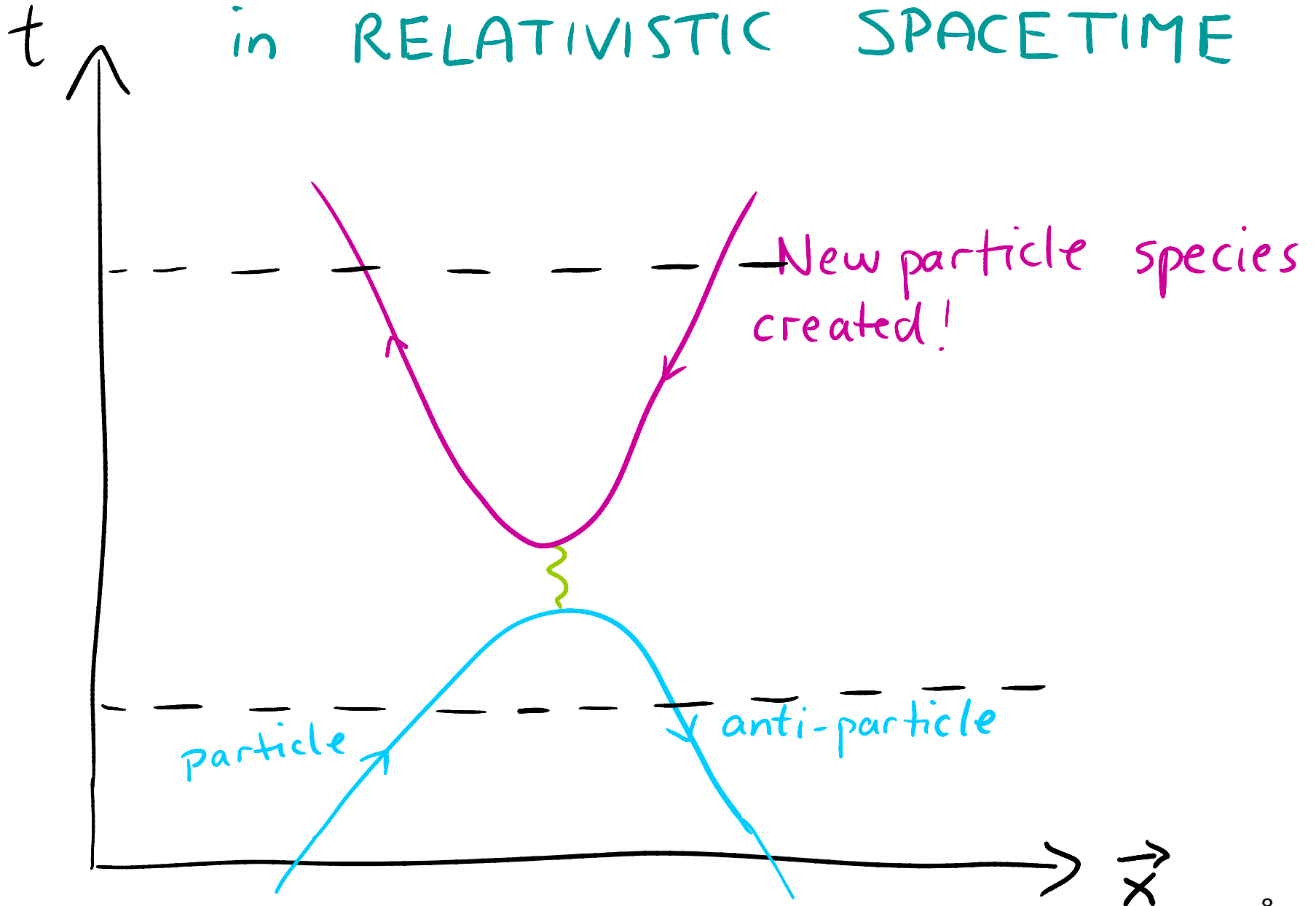
# NON-RELATIVISTIC SPACE & TIME



# RELATIVISTIC SPACETIME

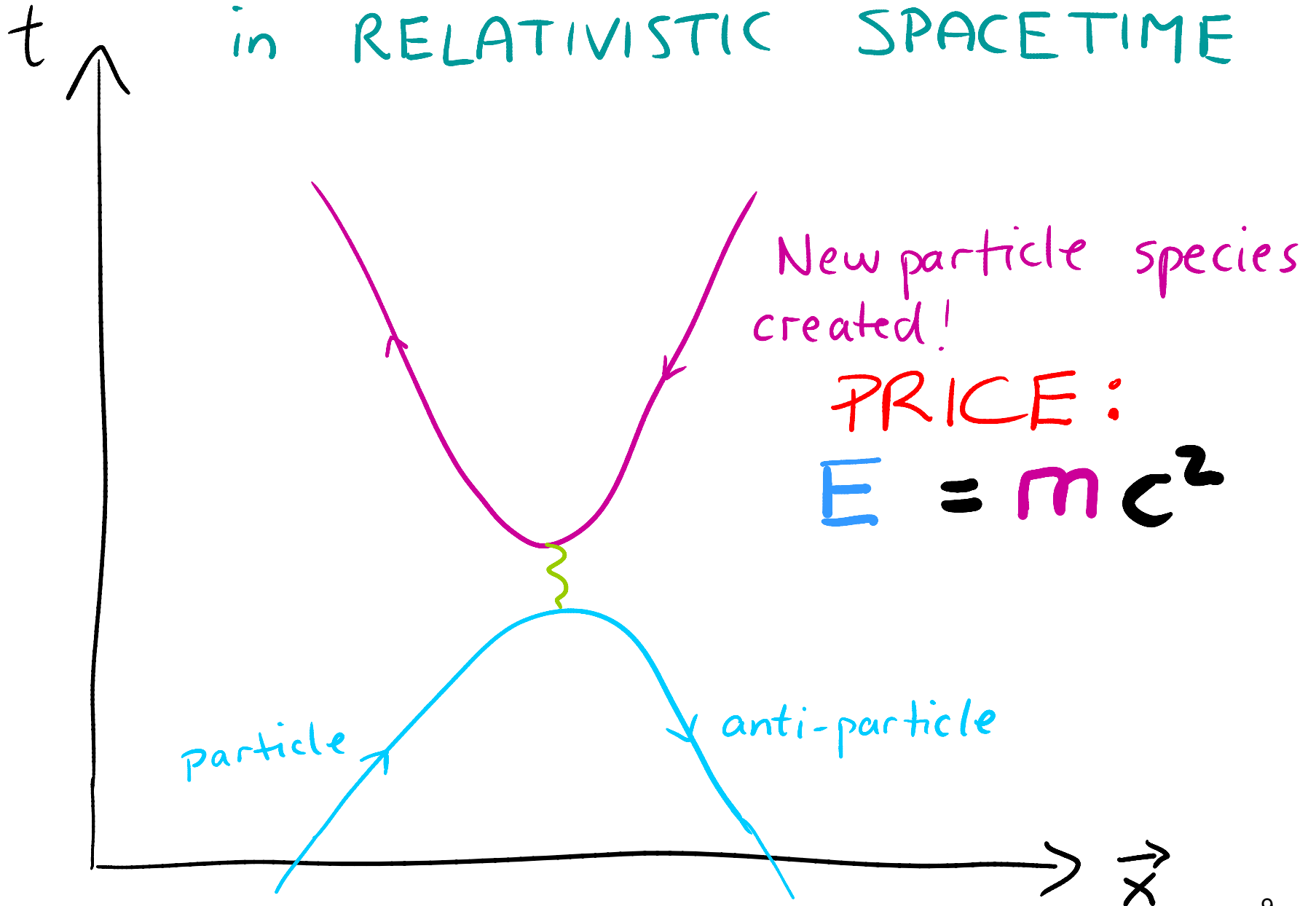


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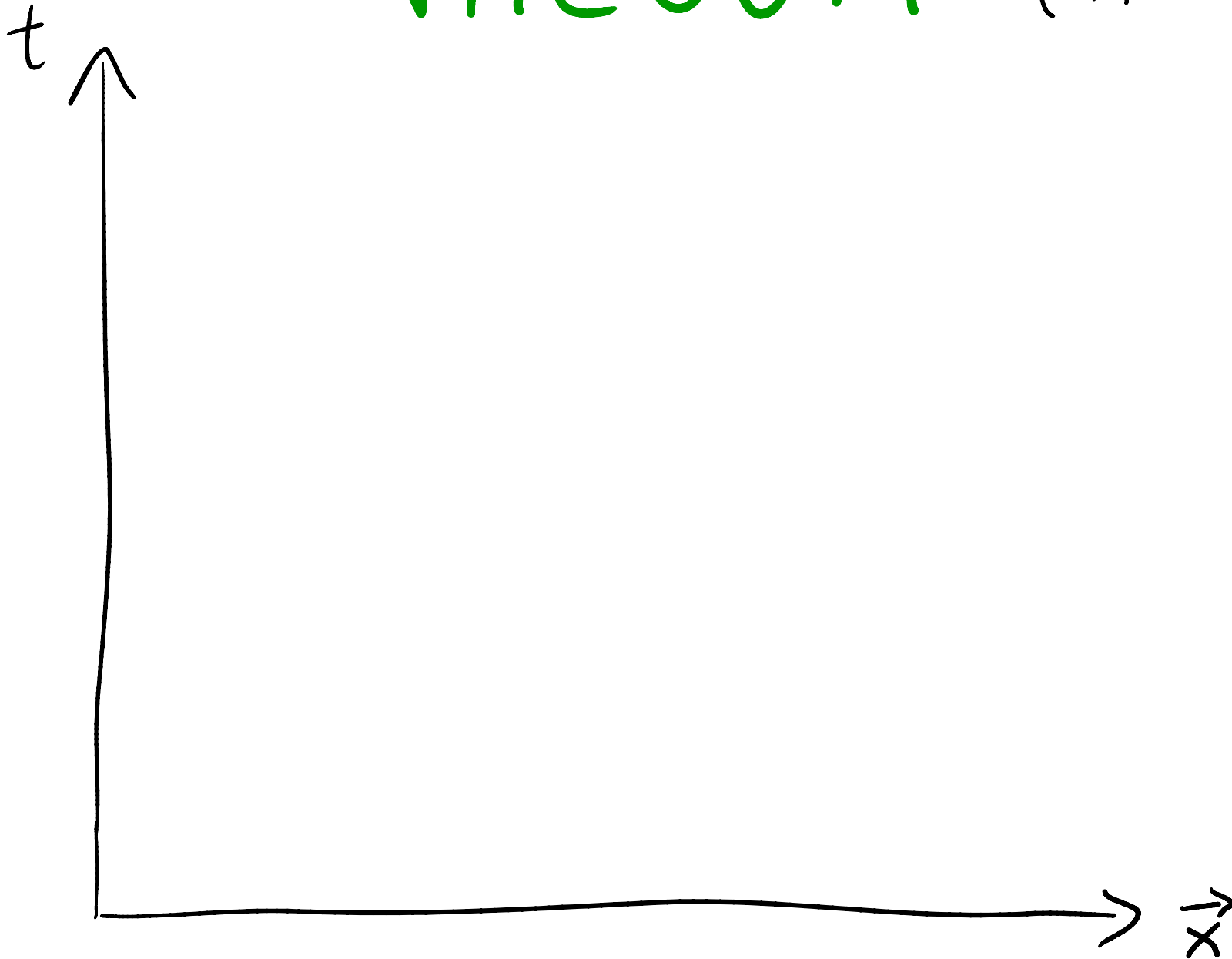




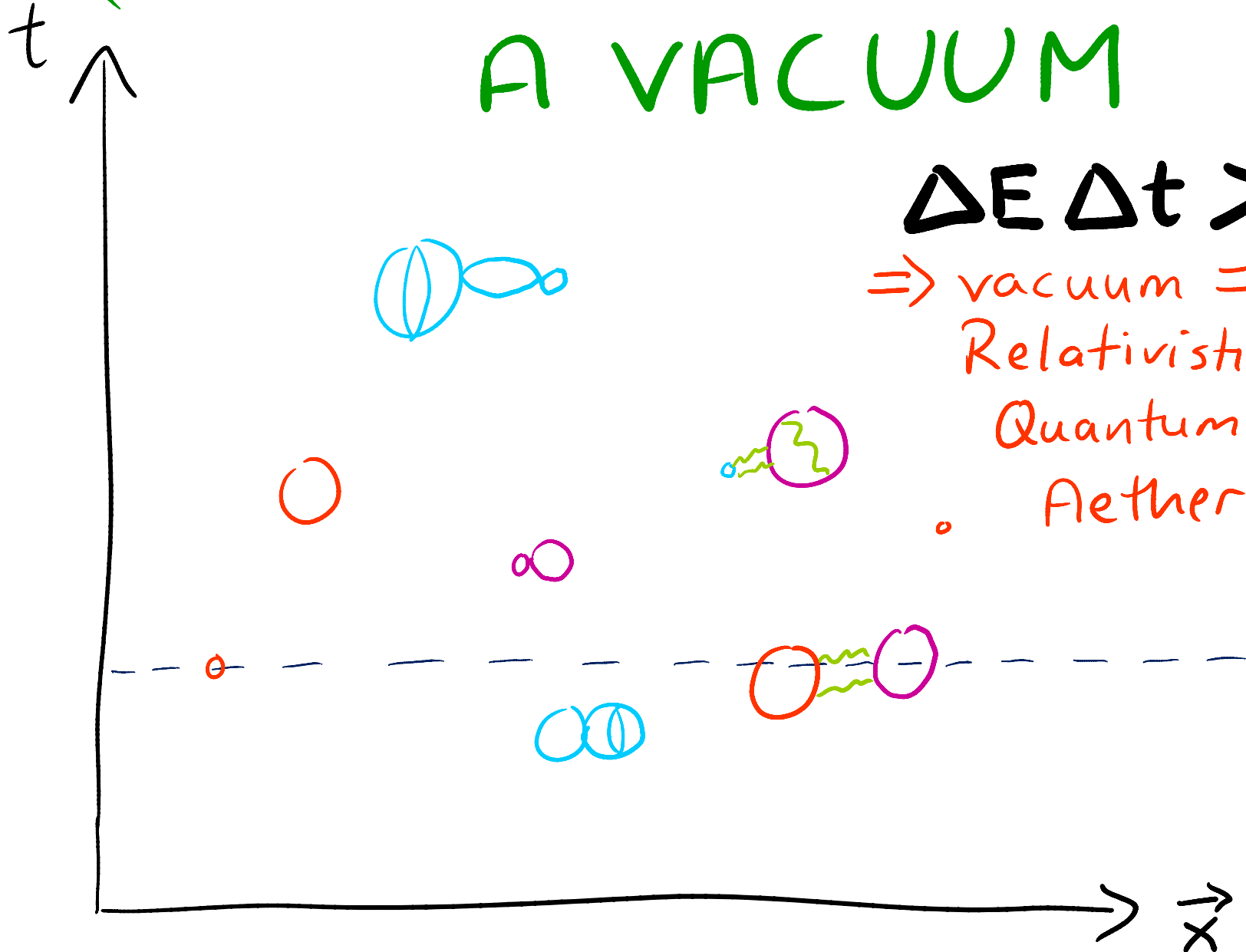
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VACUUM ( $\hbar = 0$ )



# (QUANTUM) NATURE ABHORS A VACUUM

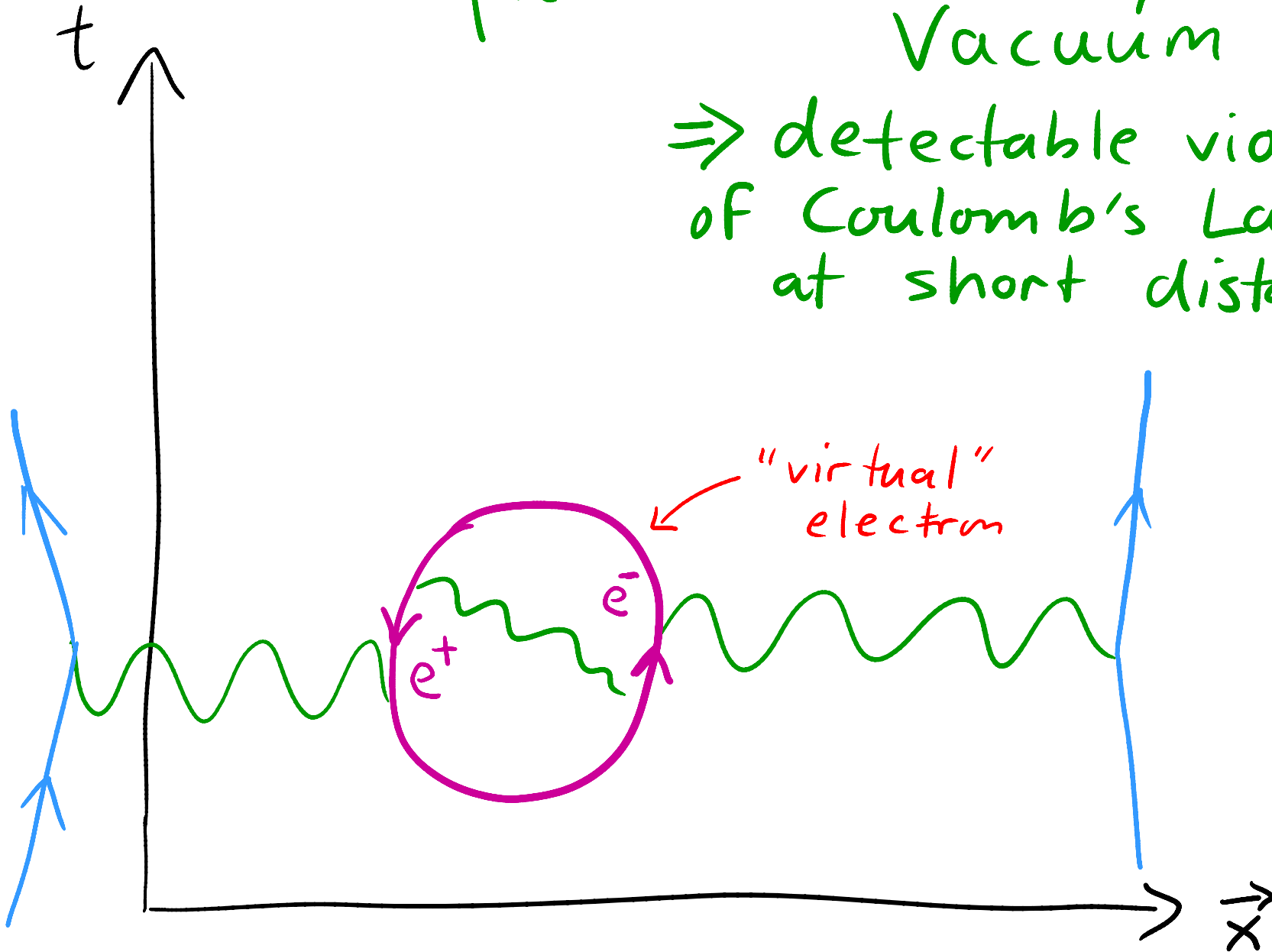


$$\Delta E \Delta t > \hbar$$

⇒ vacuum =  
Relativistic  
Quantum  
Aether

# Example: Polarizability of the Vacuum

⇒ detectable violations of Coulomb's Law at short distances



# Electro Weak UNIFICATION of PARTICLE INTERACTIONS

Electromagnetism + Weak Nuclear Force

$\gamma$  photon

Radioactive  
decay

$W^{\pm}$

Neutral  
current

$Z^0$

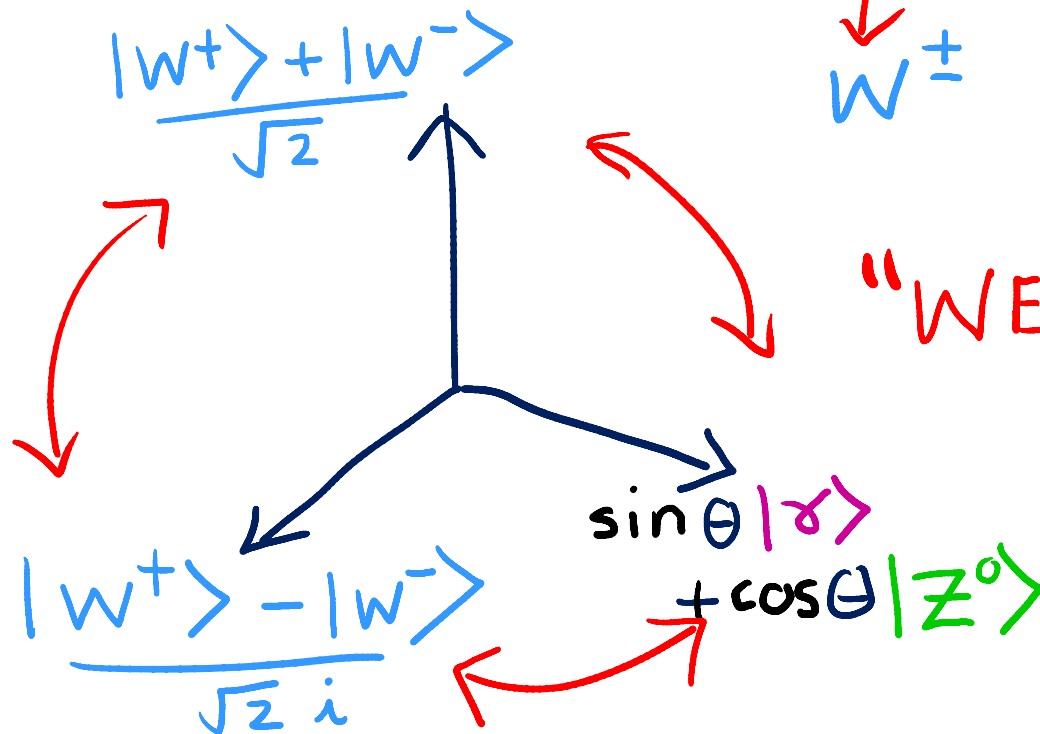
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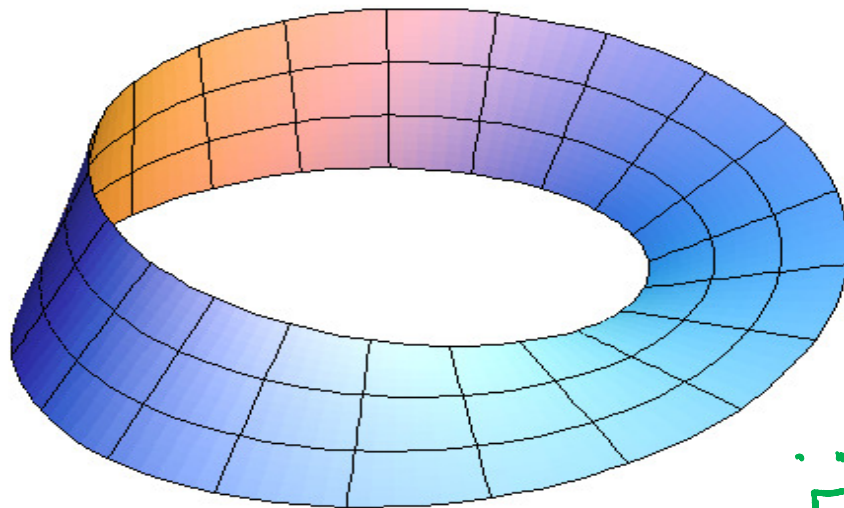
$W^\pm$

$Z^0$

"WEAK ISOSPIN"  
SYMMETRY

RICH IN MATHEMATICAL  
BEAUTY & SUBTLETY !!

Yang-Mills Gauge Theory to physicists  
~ (Quantized) Differential Geometry  
of FIBER BUNDLES to mathematicians

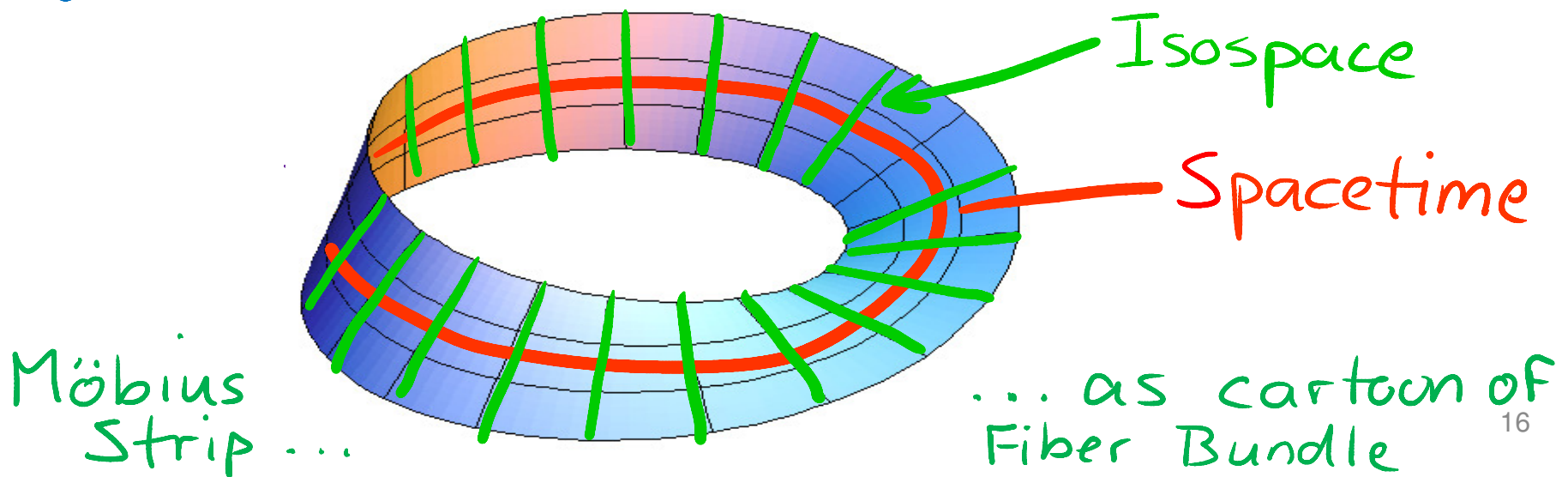


Möbius  
Strip ...

... as cartoon of  
Fiber Bundle

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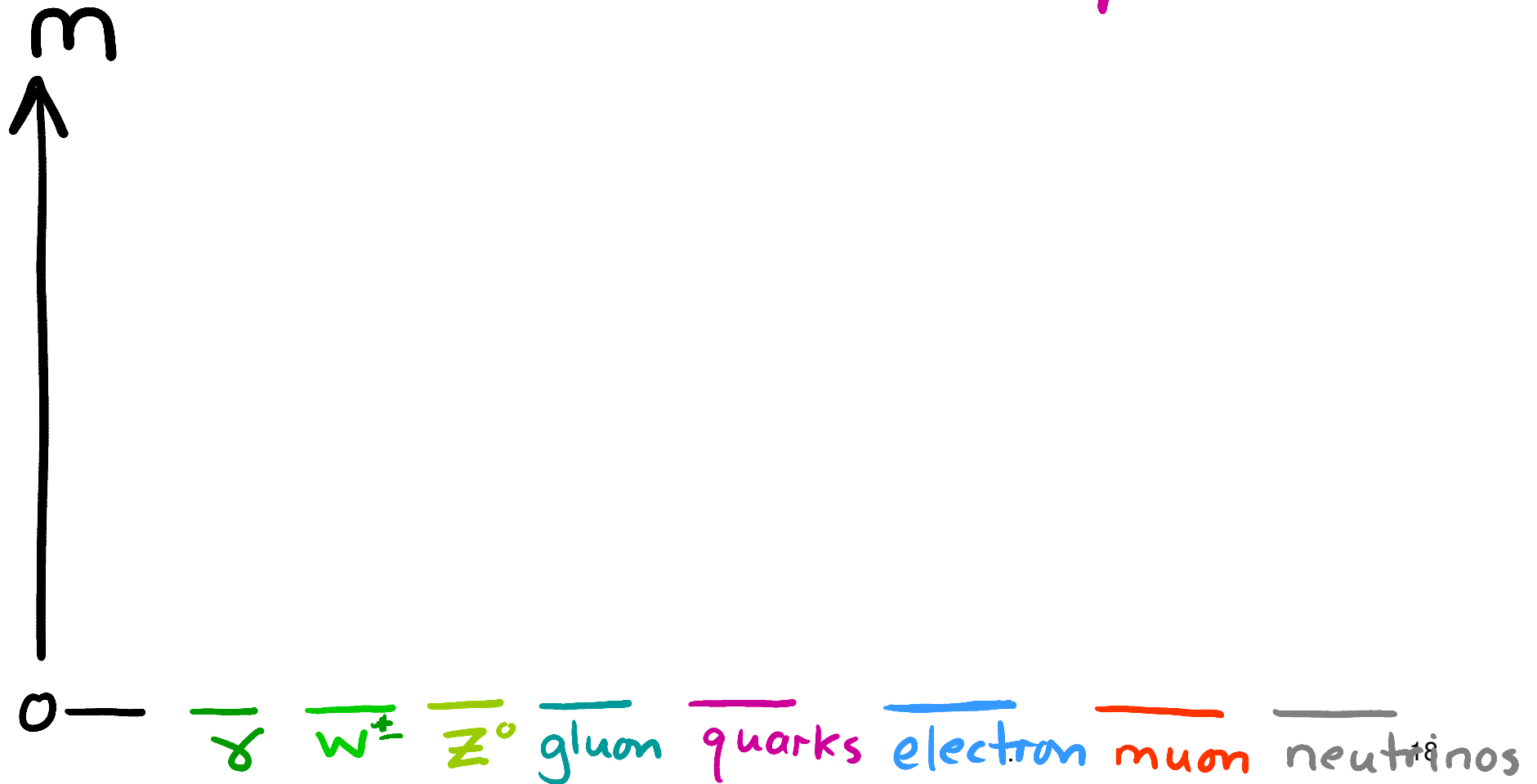


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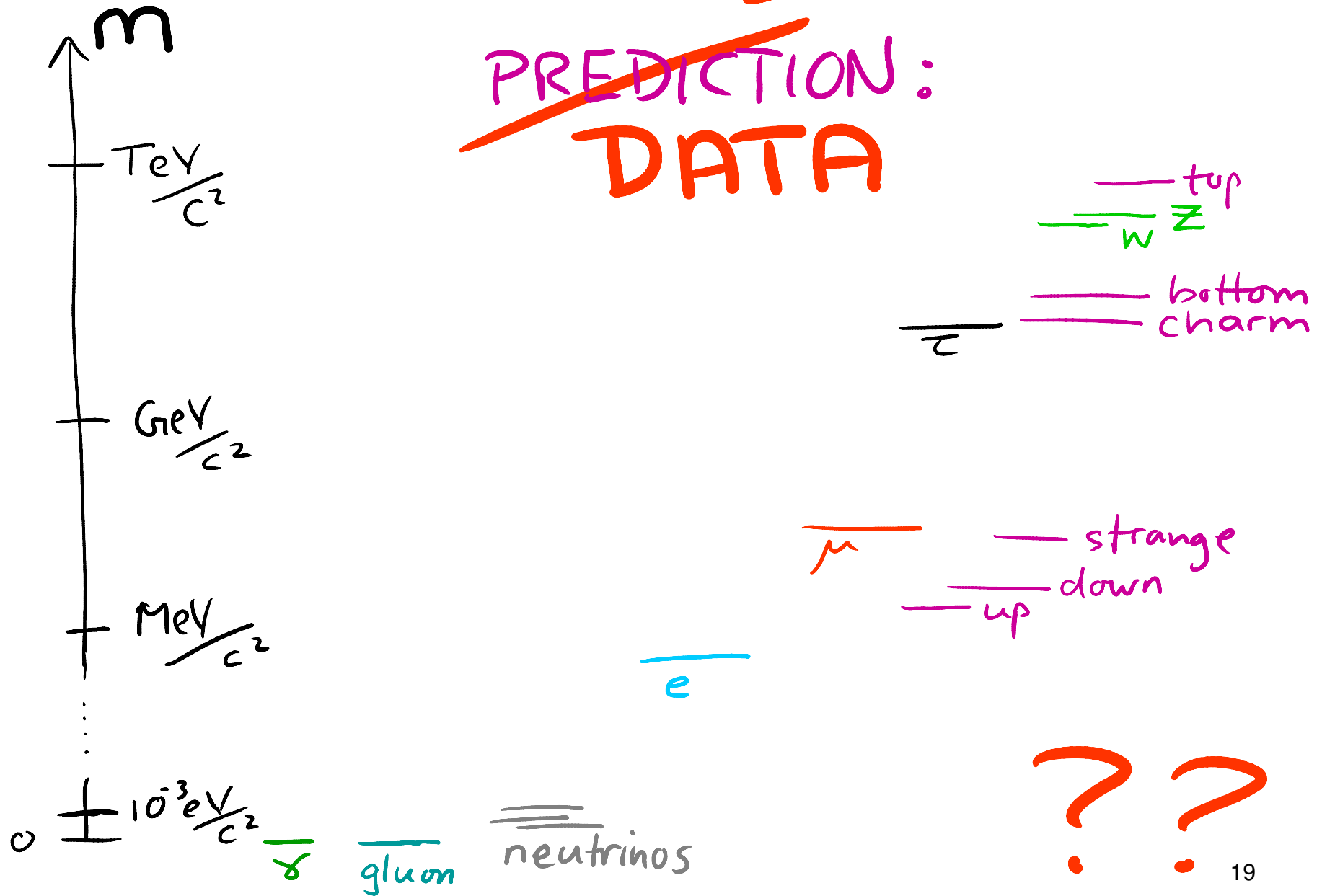
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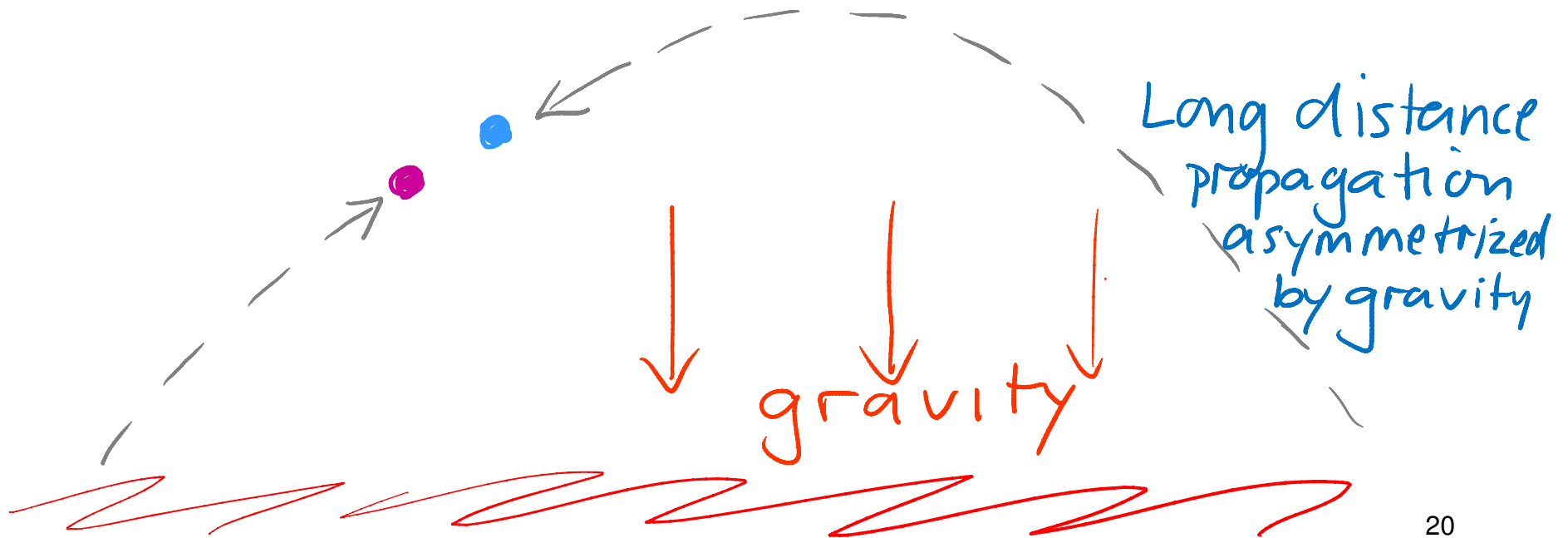


# ElectroWeak Unification

~~PREDICTION:~~  
DATA

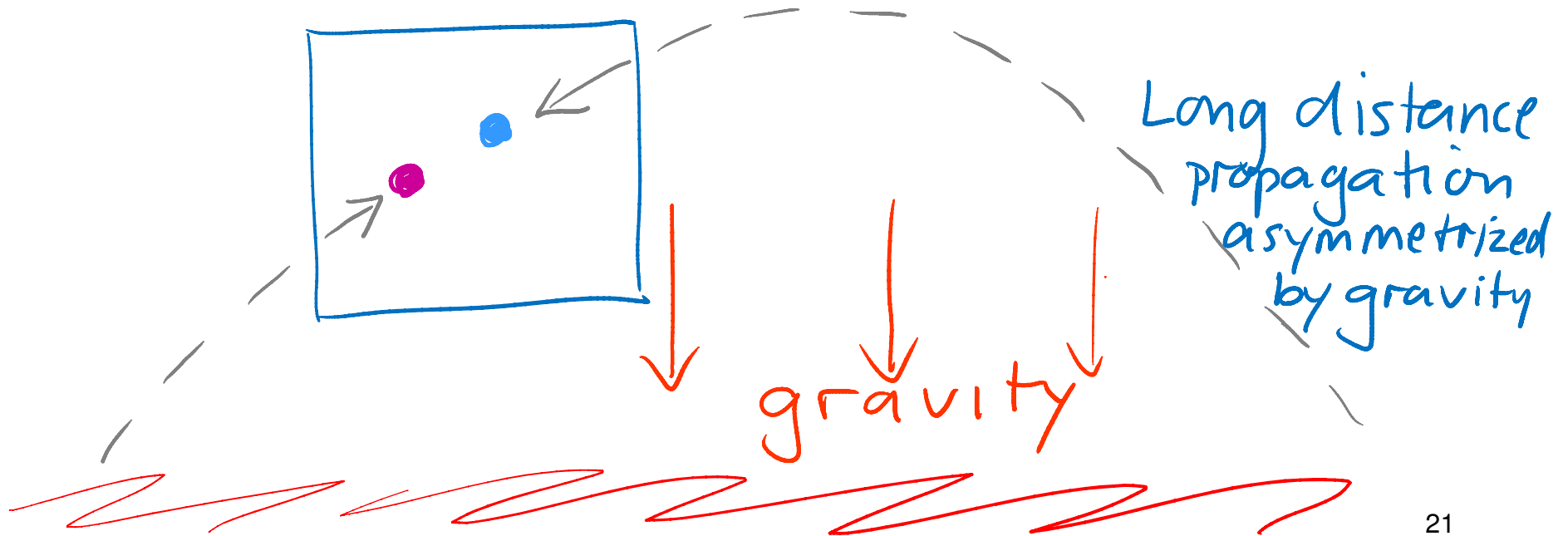


ANALOGY: Rotational ~~symmetry~~  
by gravitational force  
field

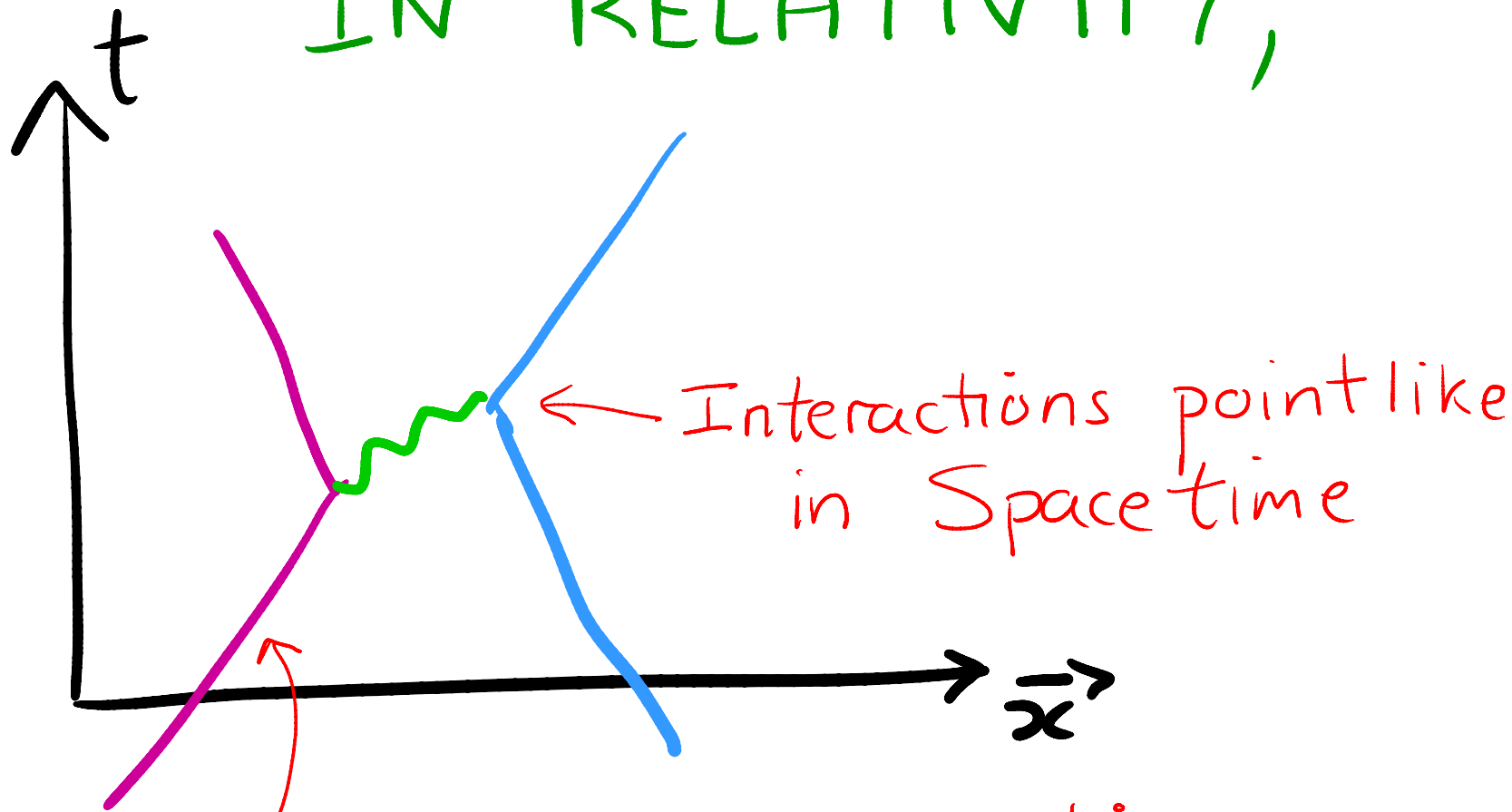


ANALOGY: Rotational ~~symmetry~~  
by gravitational force  
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Collisions at close quarters  
 $\approx$  rotationally symmetric



# IN RELATIVITY,



Mass governs propagation

$$E^2 = \vec{p}^2 c^2 + (mc^2)^2$$



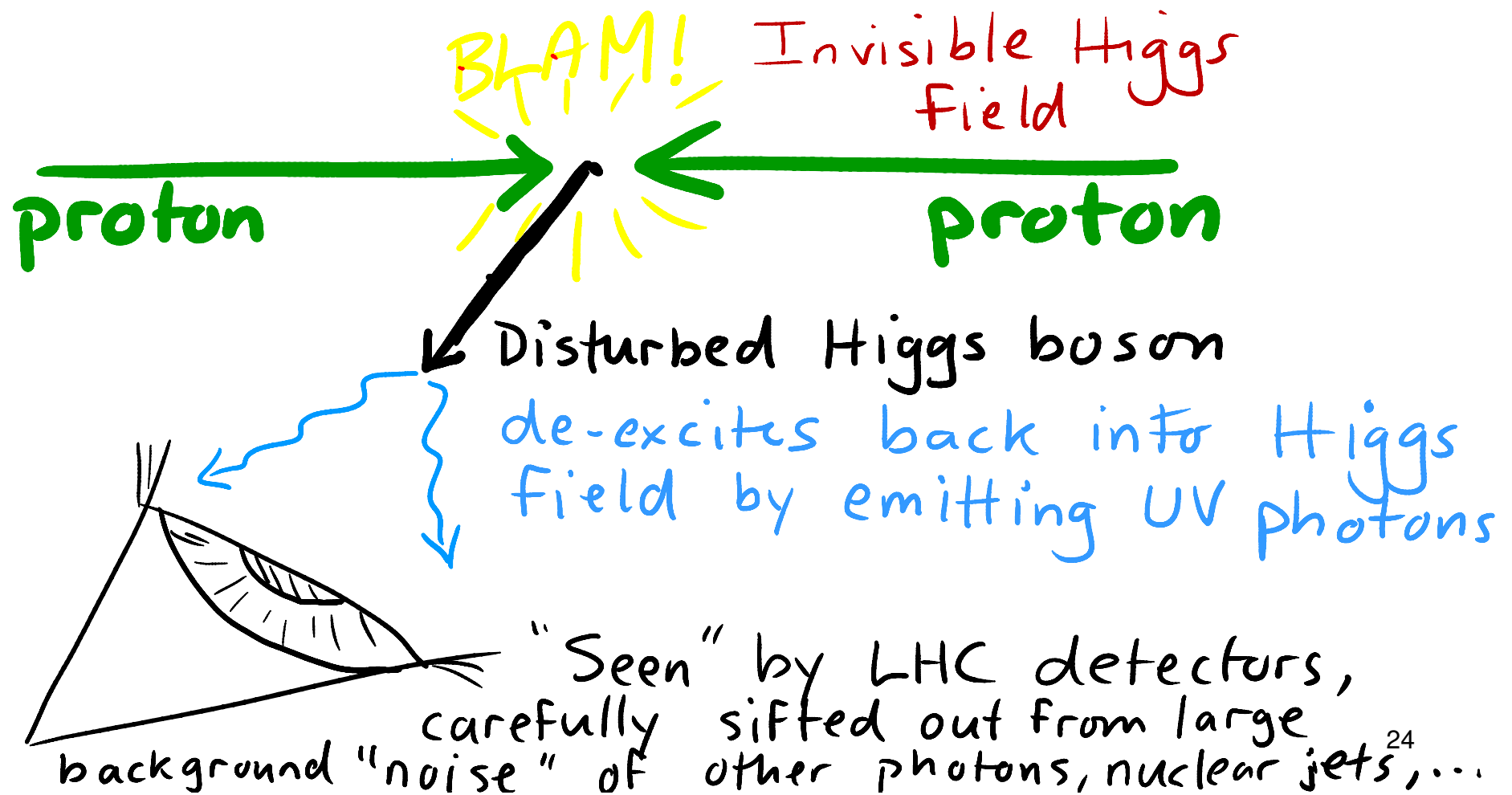
space filled by  
invisible, uniform scalar field  
"pointing" in "isospace"

≡ Higgs field,

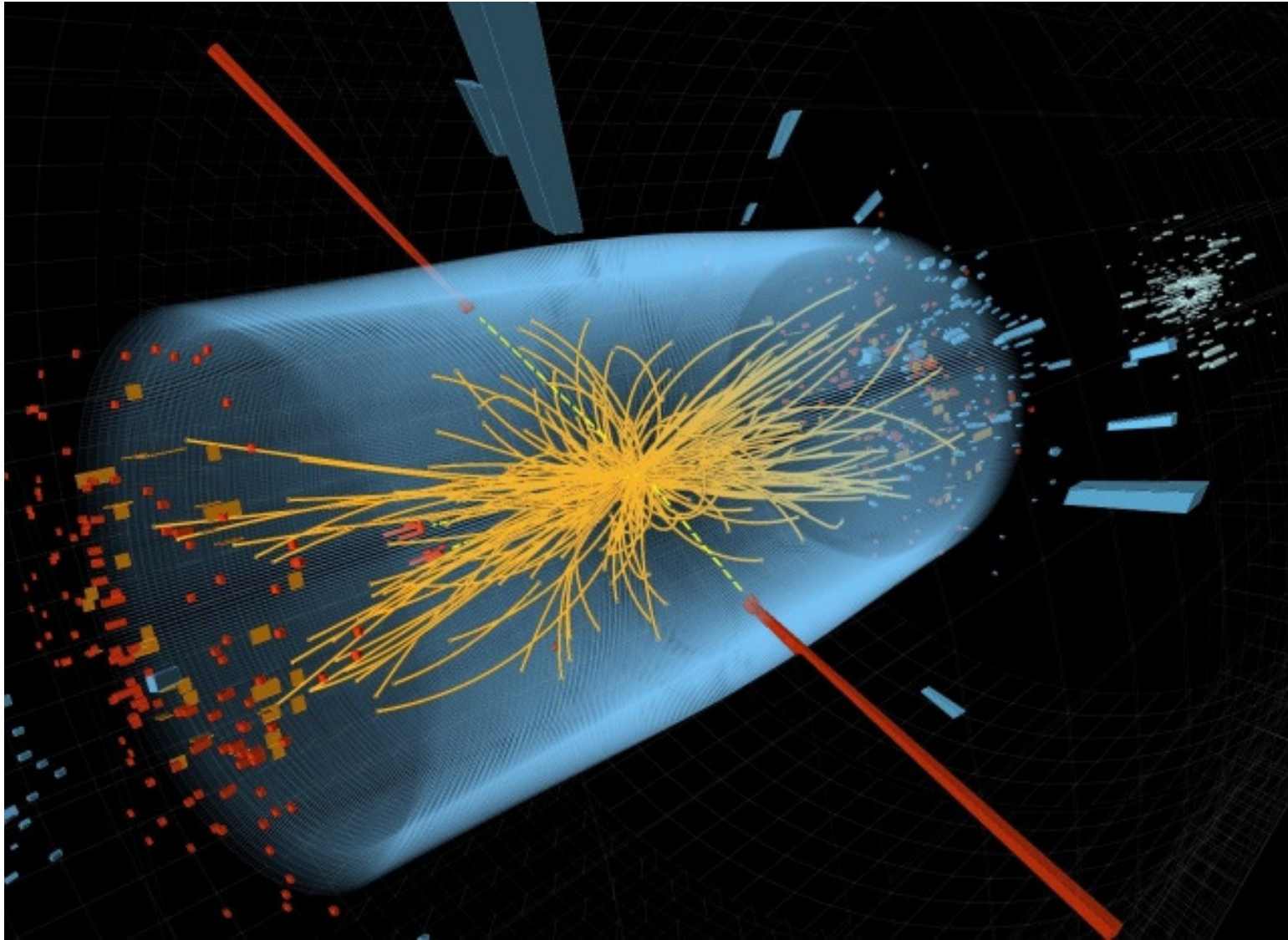
made of Higgs boson particles,  
as EM fields are made of photons.

To test this structure we must  
create & detect such quantum  
"ripples".

LHC has blasted  
Higgs bosons out of hiding!



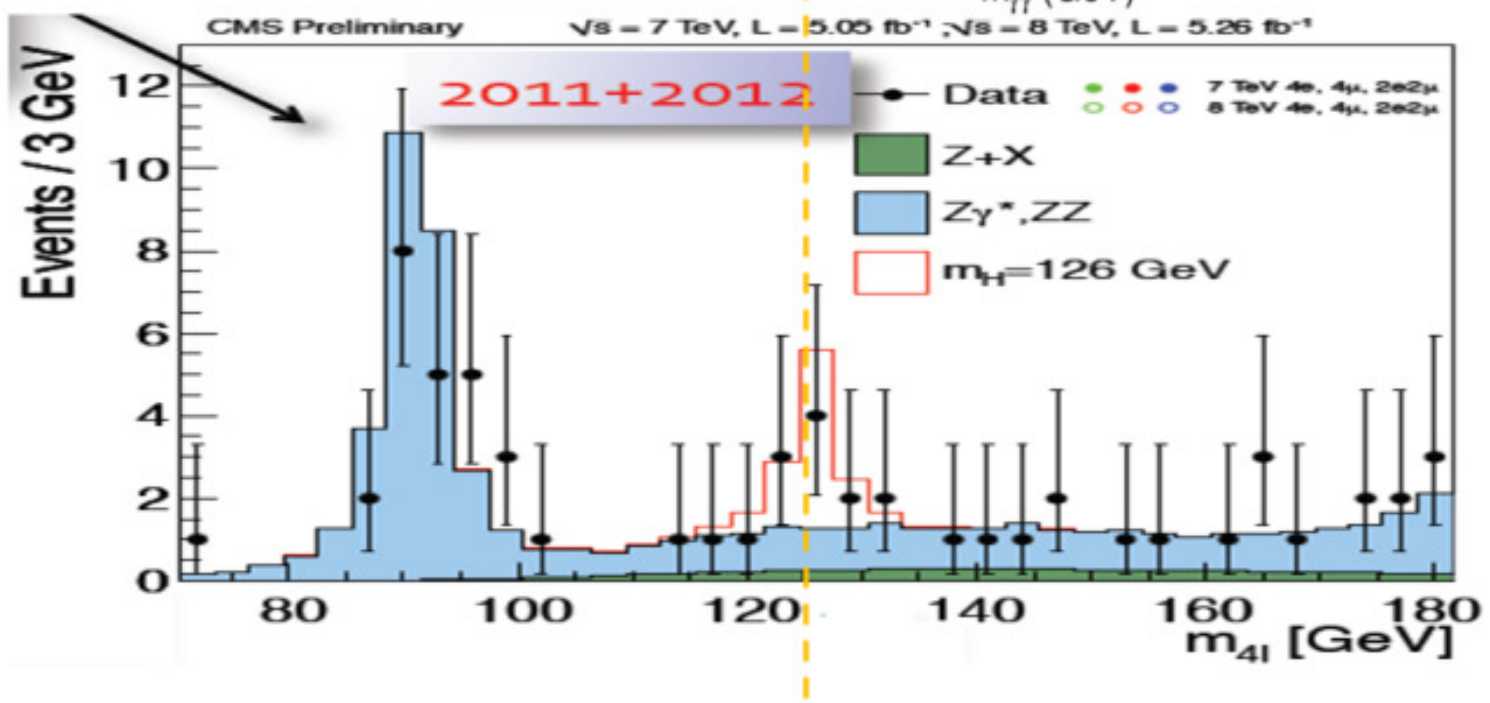
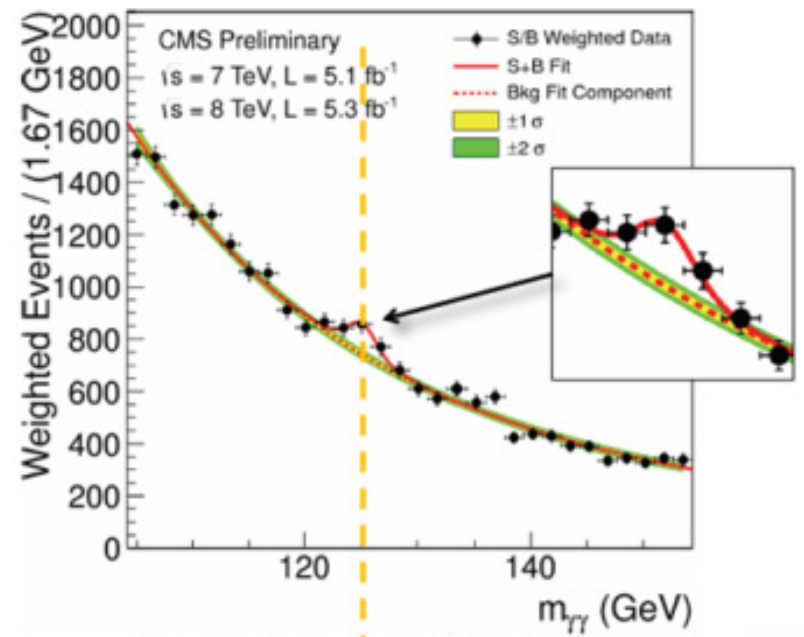




Candidate Higgs  $\rightarrow$  2 photon event in CMS detector

Early  
LHC  
DATA

$m_{\text{Higgs}} = 125 \text{ GeV}$



# STANDARD MODEL NOW COMPLETE

Higgs boson discovery wins Nobel  
prize for theorists.

Standard Model brilliant  
culmination of decades of theory  
& experiment, deep insights into  
Nature.

It can be extrapolated theoretically to  
extremely high energies, BUT...

# HIERARCHY PROBLEM

of quantum vacuum

~ ideas of Weisskopf, Wilson, Weinberg, 'tHooft

$m_w^{\text{theory}}$

$$M_{\text{Planck}} \equiv \sqrt{\frac{ct\hbar}{G_{\text{Newton}}}} \sim 10^{18} \text{ GeV}/c^2$$

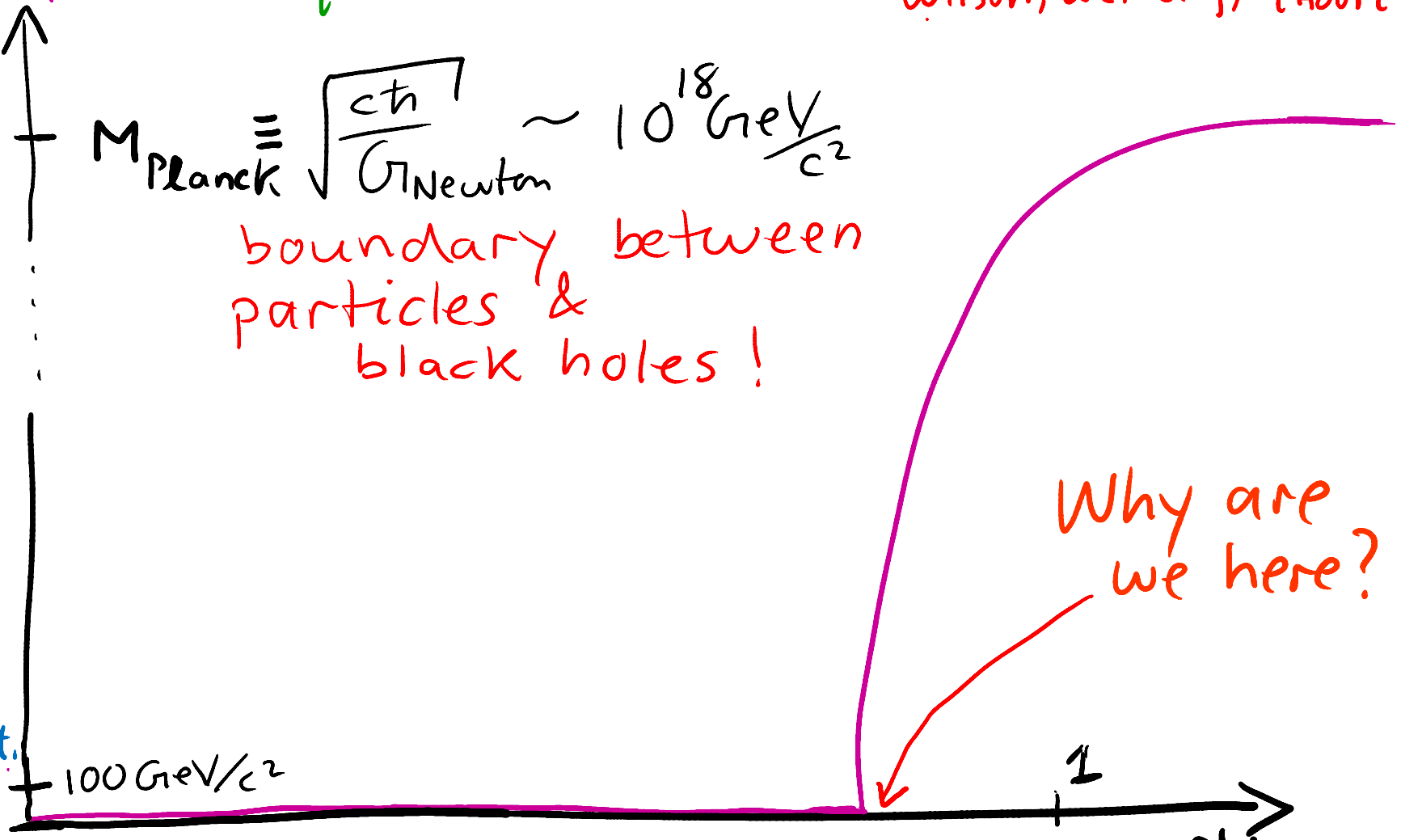
boundary between particles & black holes!

$m_w^{\text{expt.}}$

100 GeV/c<sup>2</sup>

Why are we here?

couplings  
in H standard model



# HIERARCHY PROBLEM

of quantum-corrected vacuum

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"UNNATURAL!"

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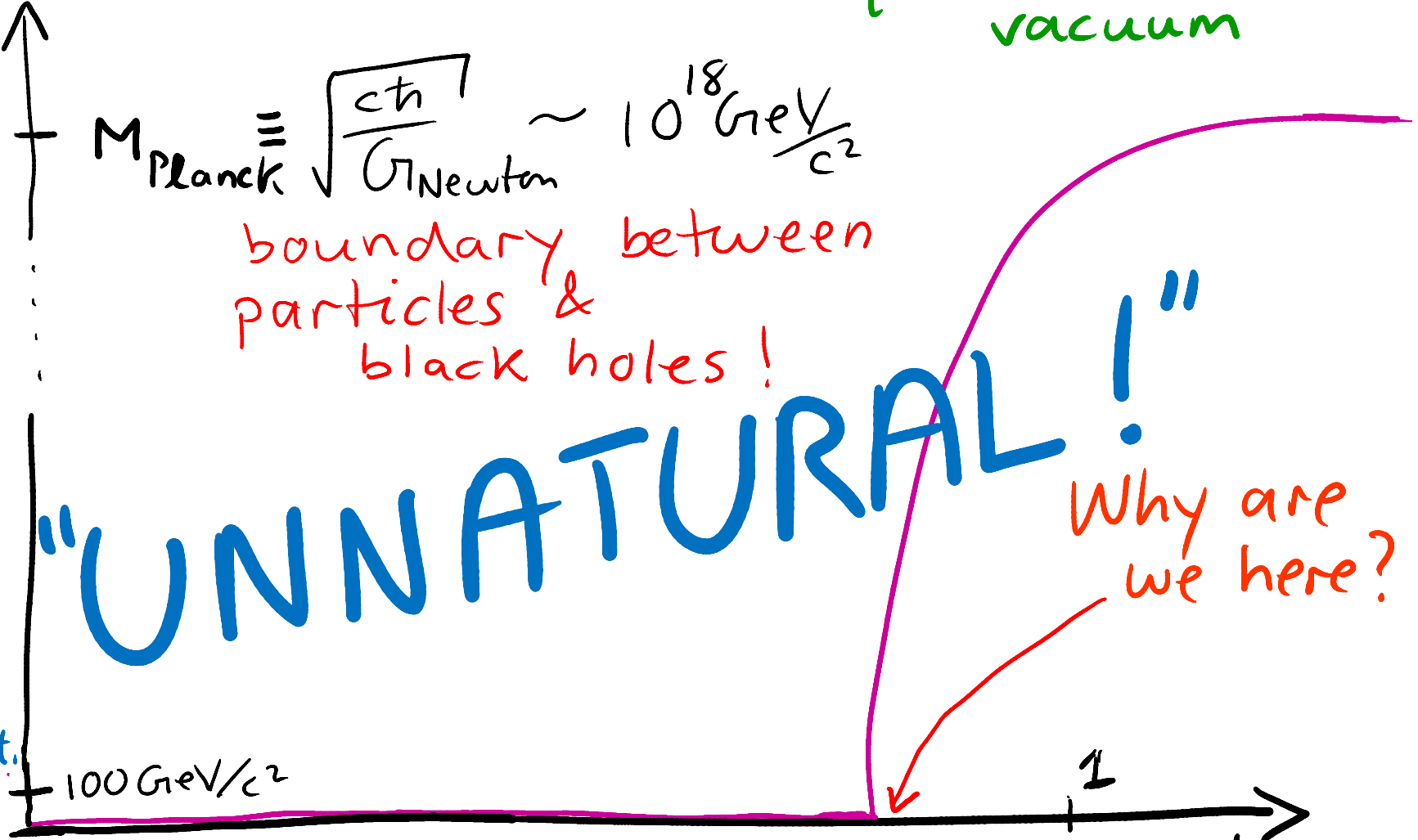
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0

100 GeV/c<sup>2</sup>

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couplings

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small  $m_W$  over  
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"NATURAL"

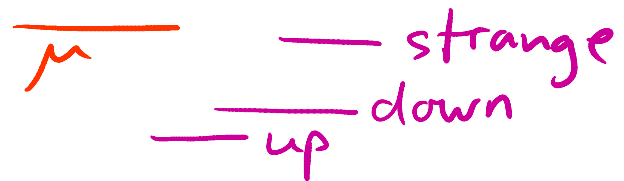
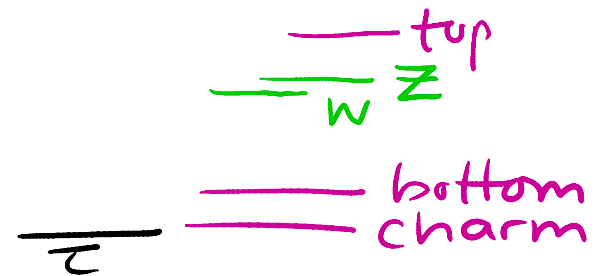
100 GeV/c<sup>2</sup>

small  $m_W$  over large range in  $H_{\text{standard model}}$  couplings

# Flavor Puzzle



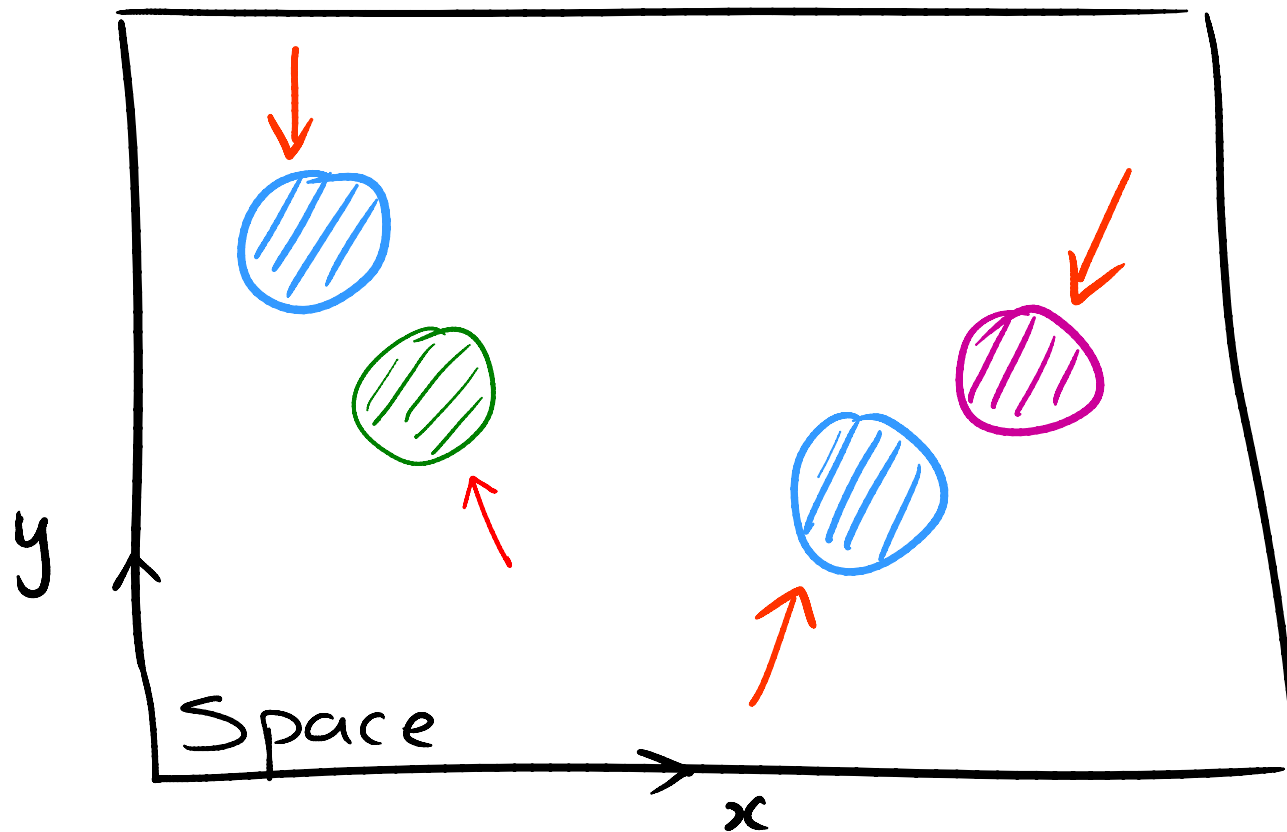
Pattern?



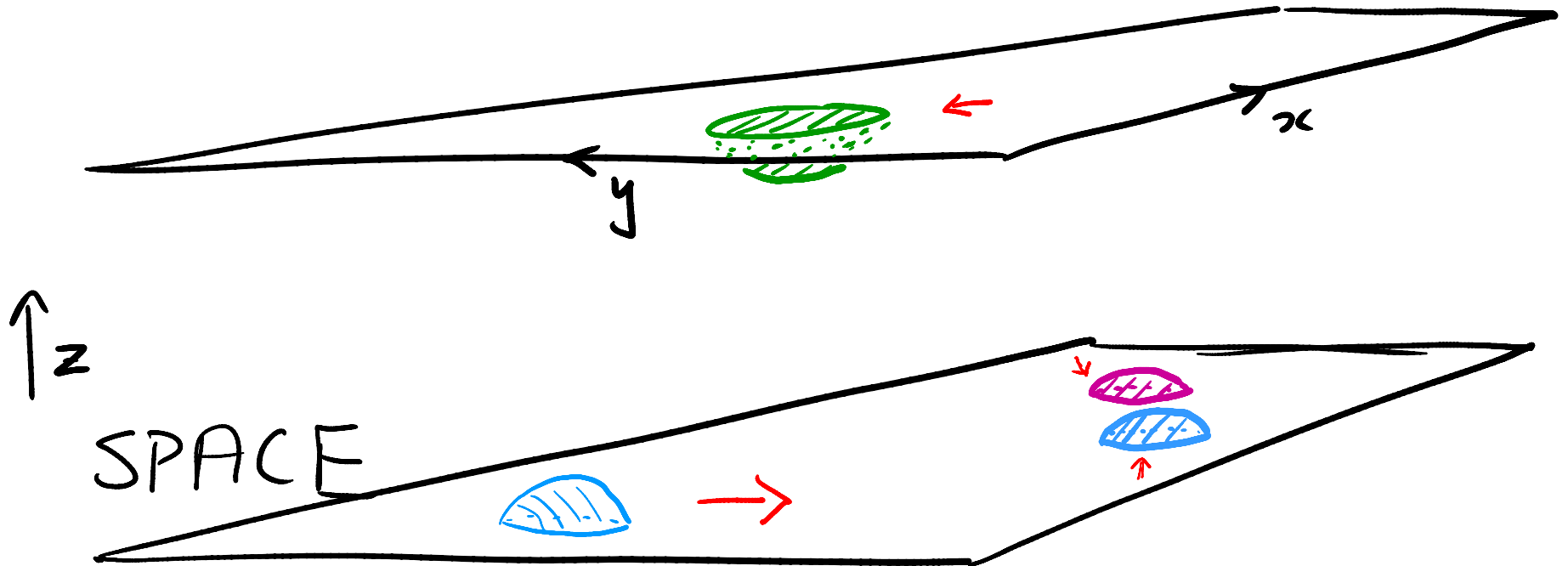
≡ couplings to Higgs Boson.



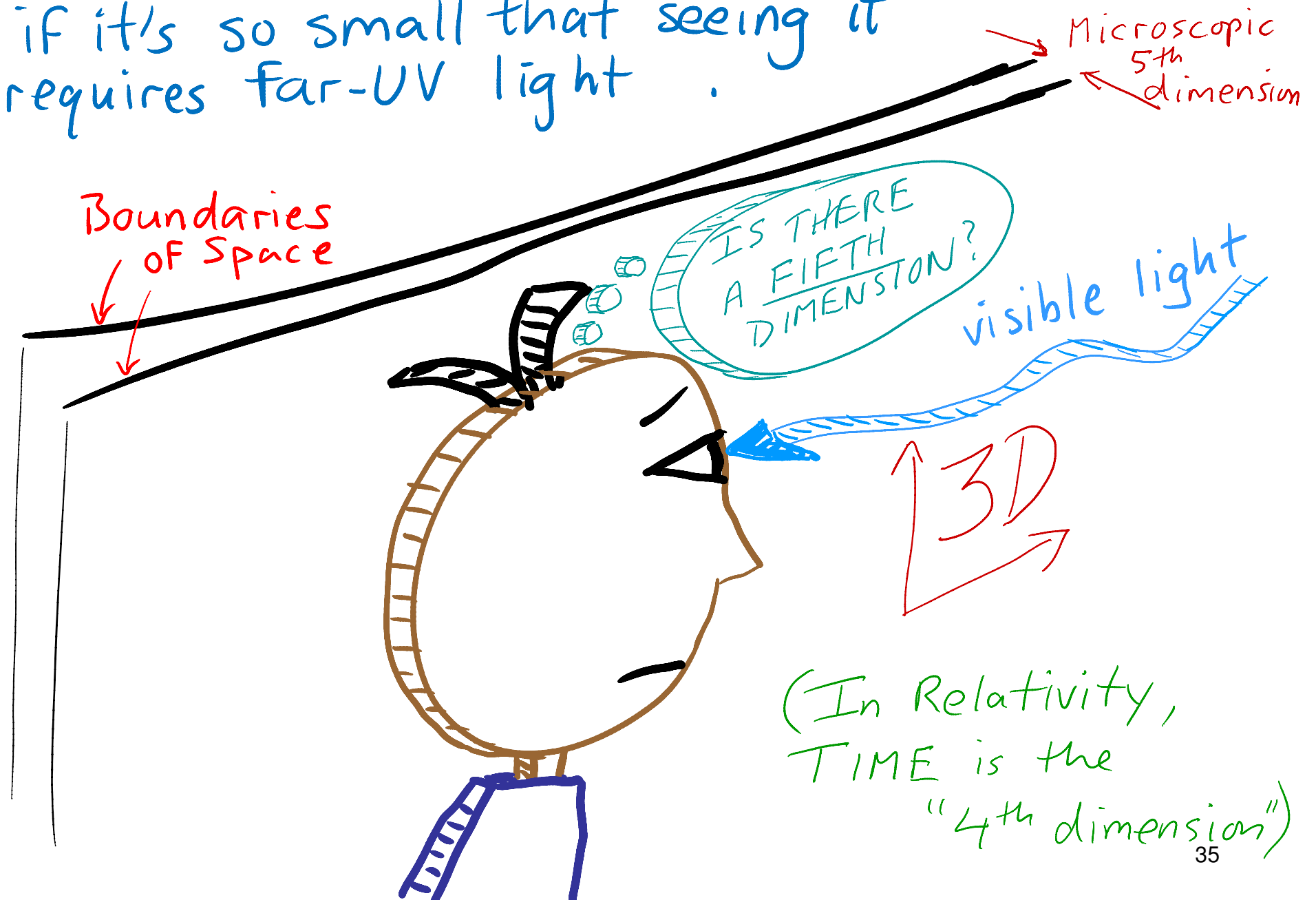
THE ANSWERS TO  
THESE PUZZLES  
MAY BE HIDDEN...



IN NEW DIMENSIONS!



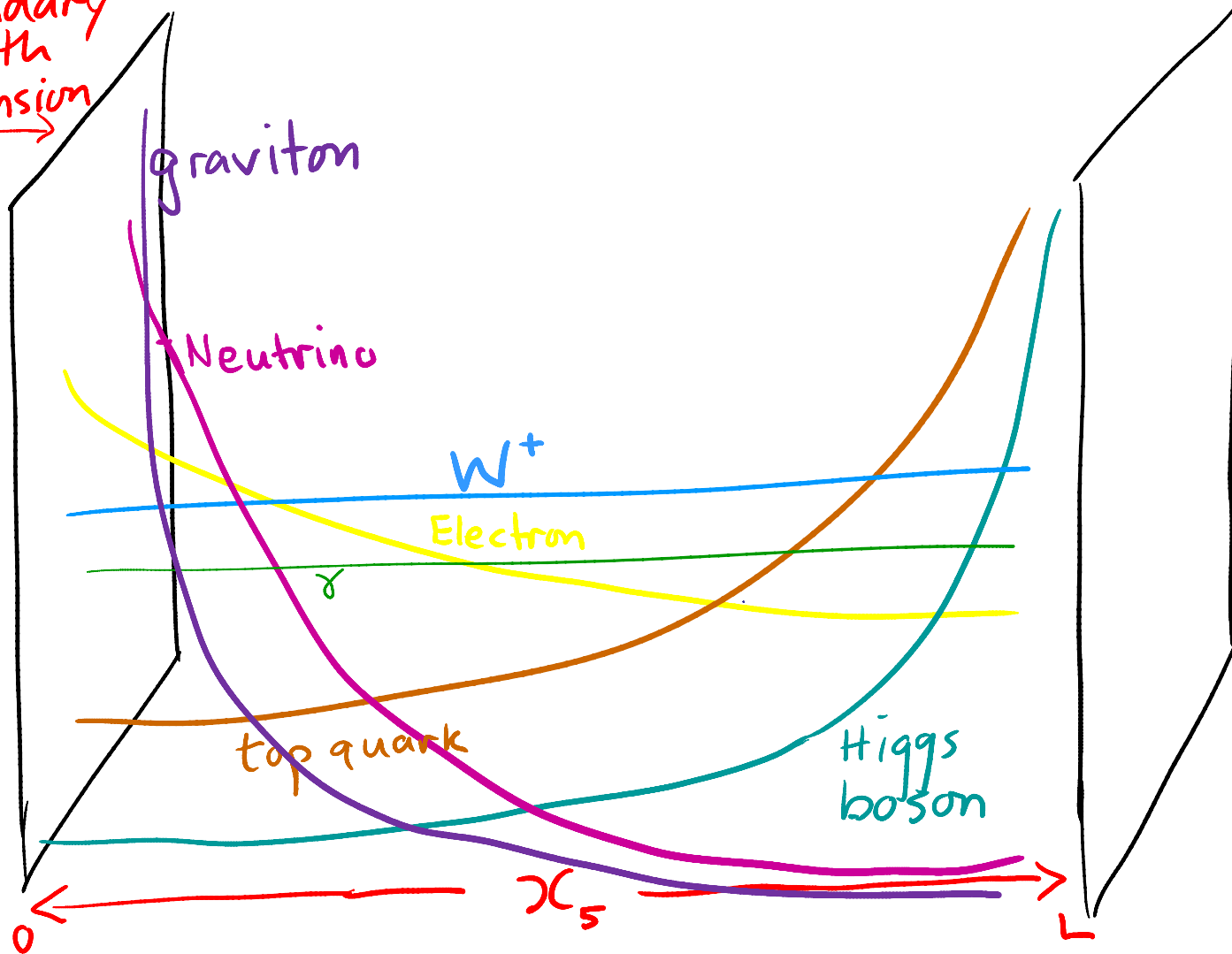
A NEW DIMENSION COULD HIDE  
if it's so small that seeing it  
requires far-UV light .



# 5D CHAOS $\rightarrow$ 4D COSMOS

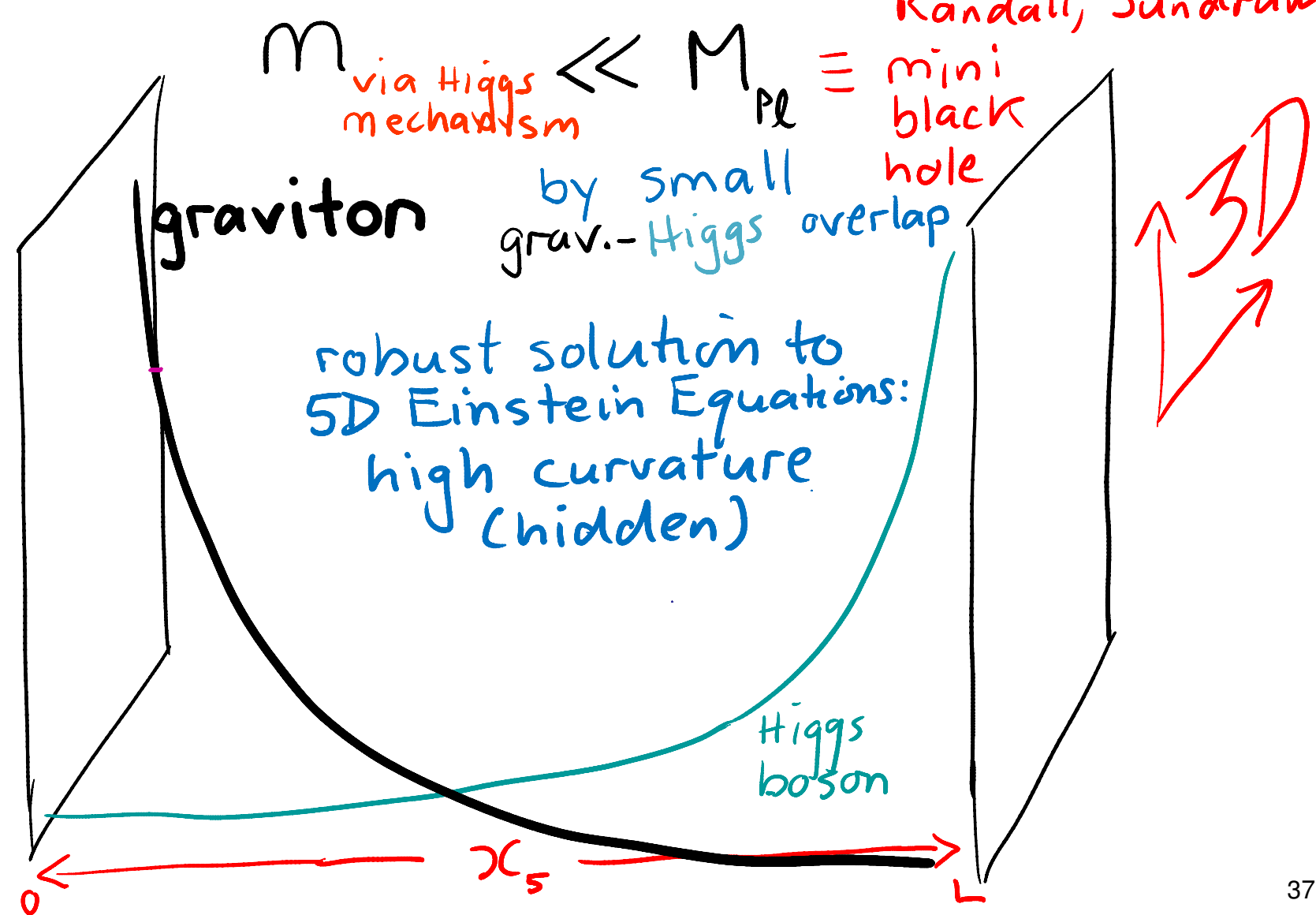
Different species have different wavefunction solutions to their wave equations

Boundary of 5th dimension  $\rightarrow$



# Warped Compactification solves the Hierarchy Problem...

Randall, Sundrum '99



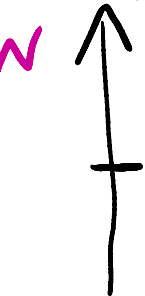


Some of the physics inspiration behind "Interstellar"<sup>38</sup>

# ...NATURALLY

Goldberger, Wise '99  
stabilization of  
5<sup>th</sup> dimension

$m_W^{\text{theory}}$

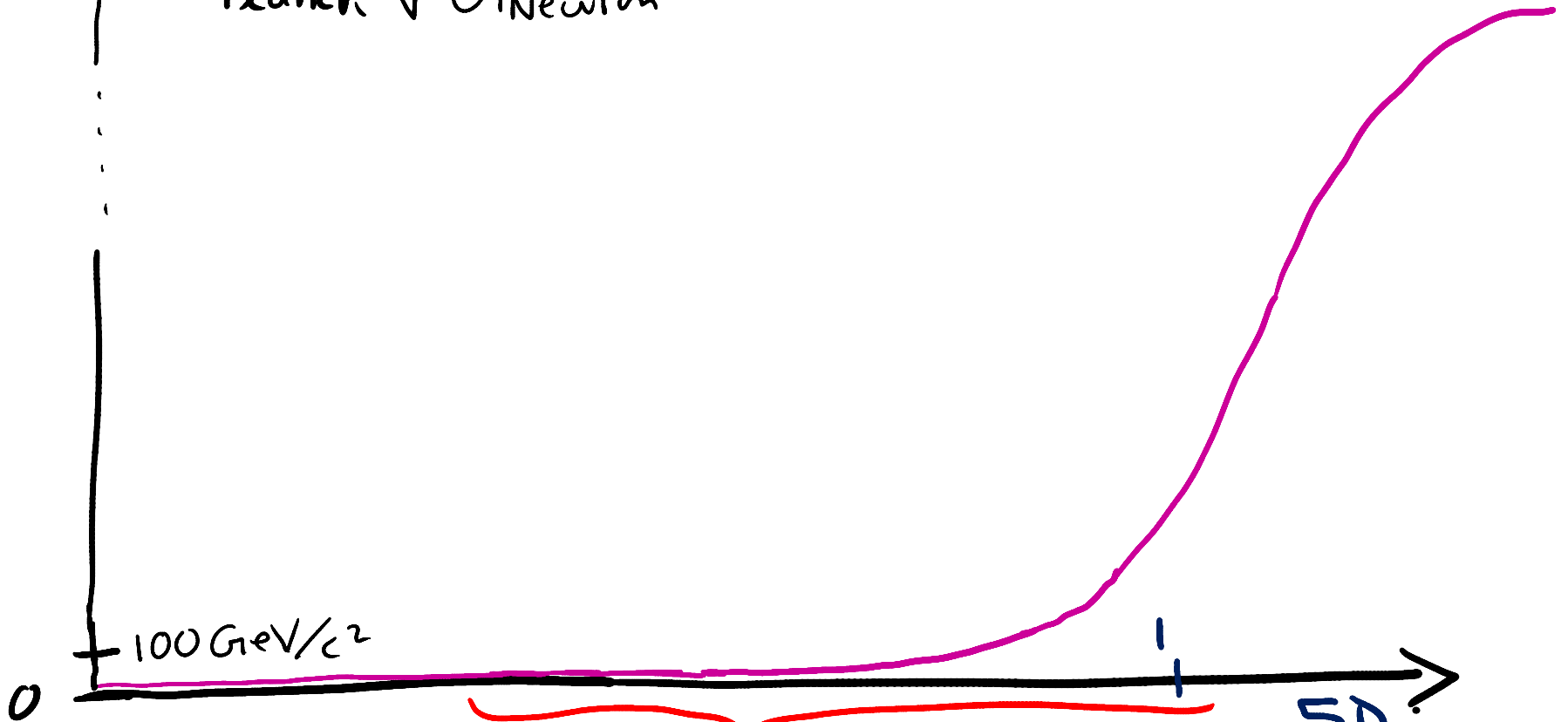


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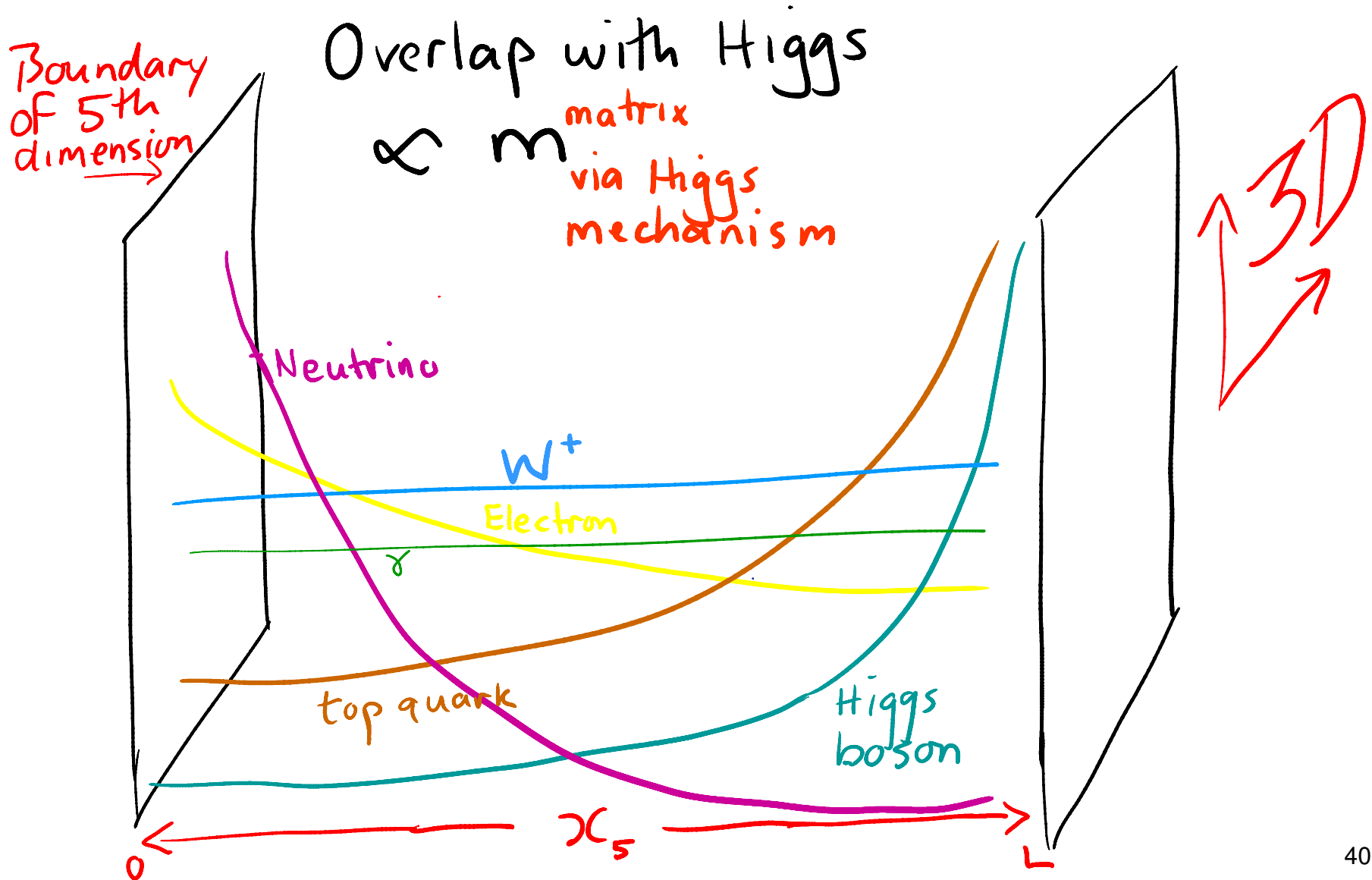
0  
100 GeV/c<sup>2</sup>

small  $m_W$  over  
large range

5D  
couplings<sub>39</sub>



# Satisfying answer to FLAVOR PUZZLE





Work of many hands  
to discover this story

⋮

Goldberger, Wise '00

Arkani-Hamed, Schmaltz '00

Davoudiasl, Hewett, Rizzo '00

Grossman, Neubert '00

Chang, Hisano, Nakano, Okada, Yamaguchi '00

Gherghetta, Pomarol '00

Agashe, Delgado, May, Sundrum '03

Contino, Namura, Pomarol '03

Agashe, Contino, Pomarol '05

Agashe, Okui, Sundrum '08

& test & constrain it by  
high-precision  
pre-LHC data

Davoudiasl, Hewett, Rizzo '00

Gherghetta, Pomarol '00

Huber, Shafi '01

Huber, Lee, Shafi '02

Csaki, Erlich, Terning '02

Burdman '02

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Agashe, Perez, Soni '04 '05 '06

Fitzpatrick, Perez, Randall '07

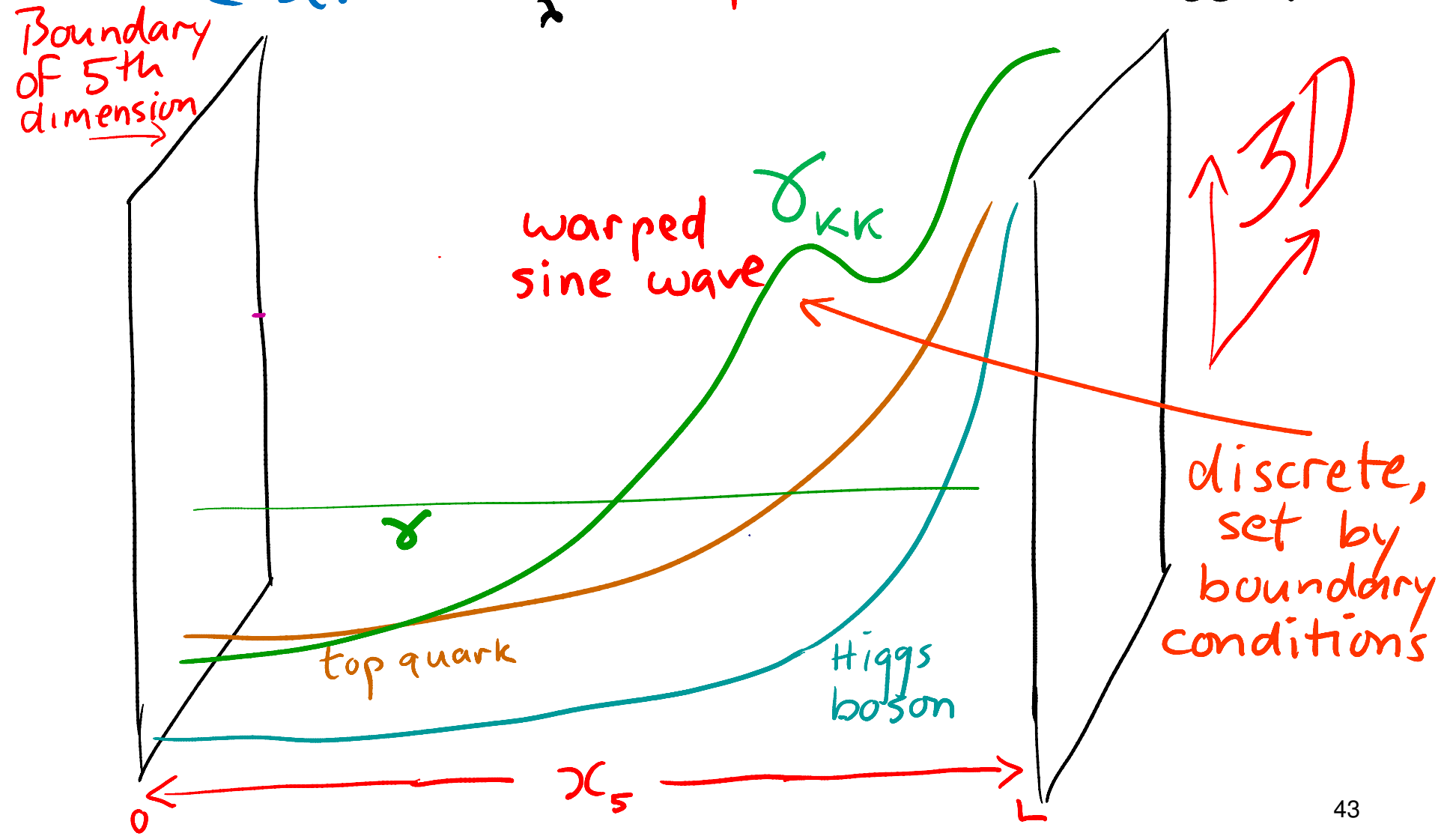
Csaki, Falkowski, Weiler '08

Agashe, Azatov, Zhu '08 . . .

# EXTRA-DIMENSIONAL PERCEPTION

requires shorter wavelengths

Cost: " $E = \frac{hc}{\lambda}$ " warped version  $\sim$  few TeV

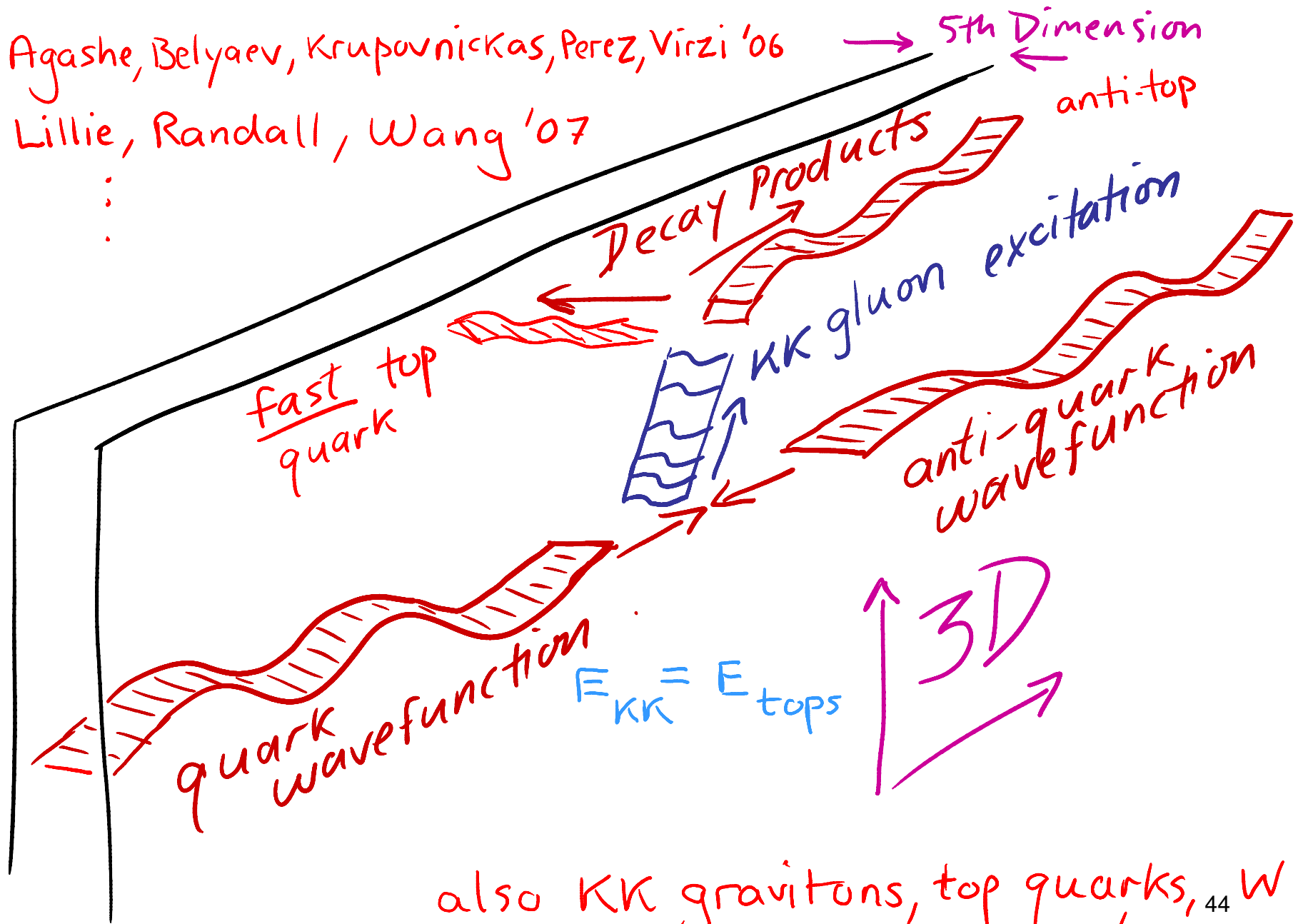


# EXTRA-DIMENSIONAL PERCEPTION

Agashe, Belyaev, Krupovnickas, Perez, Virzi '06

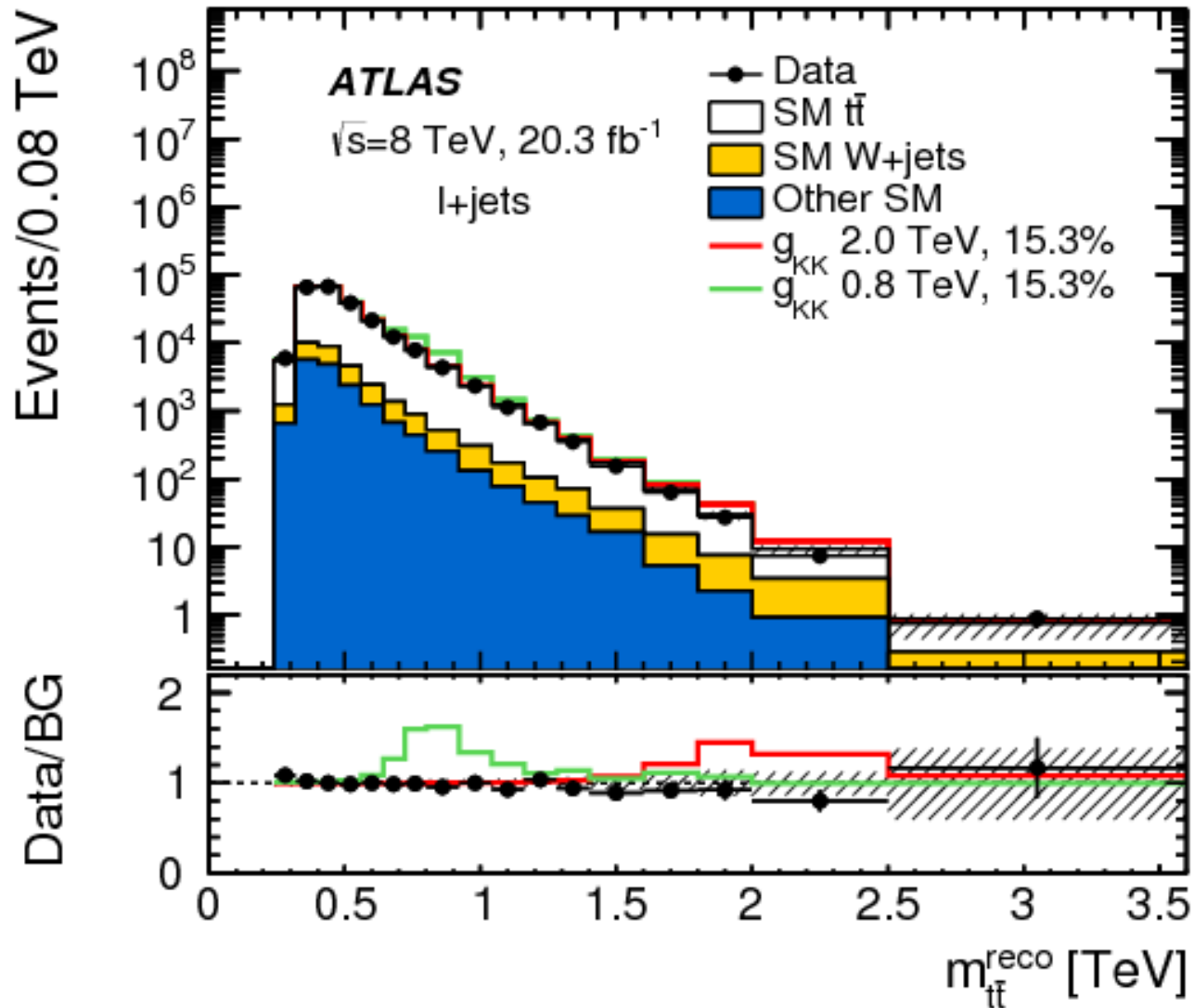
Lillie, Randall, Wang '07

⋮



also KK gravitons, top quarks, <sup>44</sup>W etc.

# COMPETES WITH STANDARD MODEL BACKGROUNDS



# EMERGENT DIMENSIONS

Warped extra dimension  
is an emergent phenomenon!  
Not put into fundamental Hamiltonian  
"by hand", created by strong quantum  
interactions

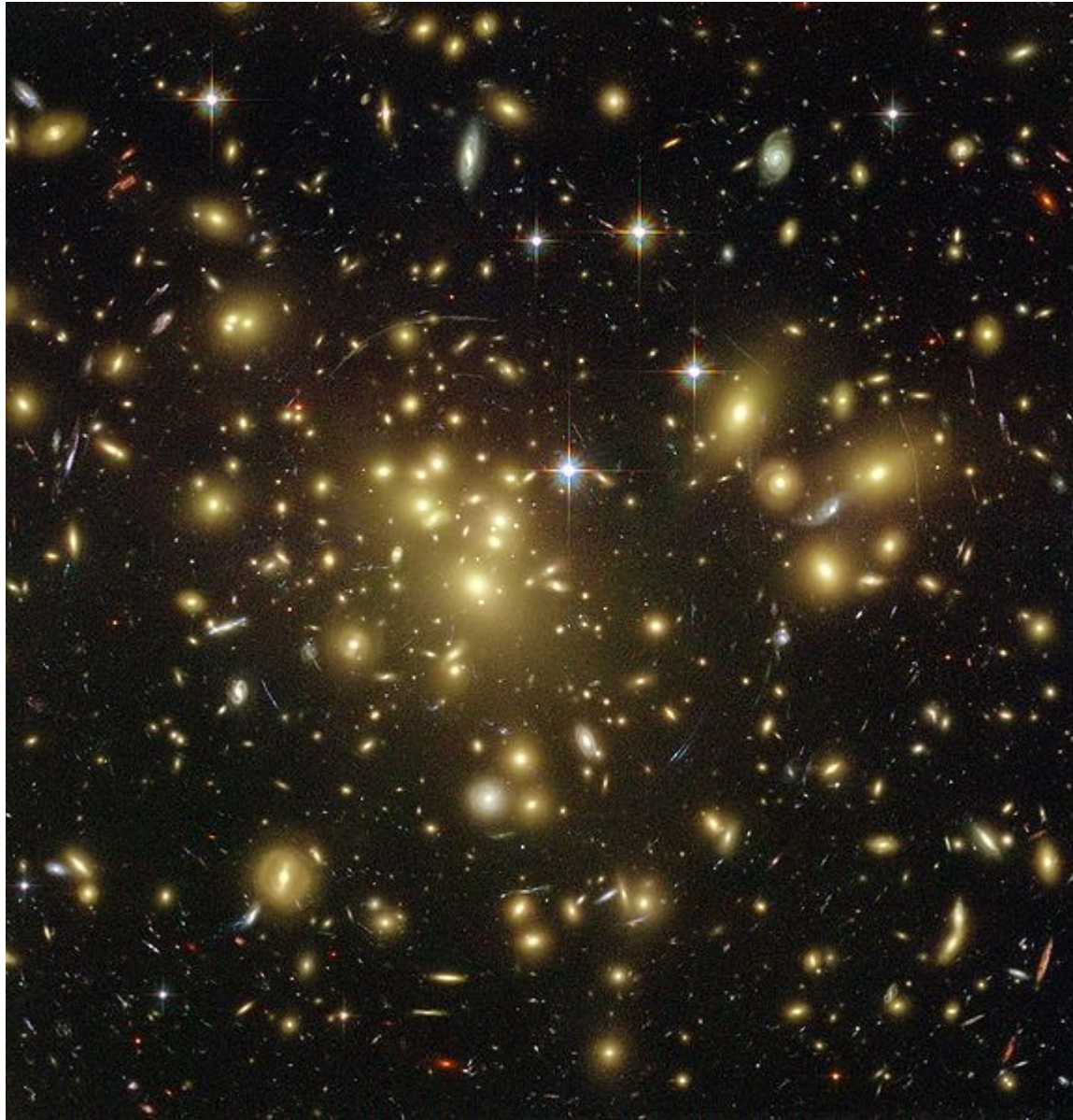
"AdS/CFT duality"

Maldacena '97; Gubser, Klebanov, Polyakov '98  
Witten '98

related to compositeness of Higgs degrees  
of freedom

Weinberg '79; Susskind '79;  
Georgi, Kaplan '84

# WHAT IS DARK MATTER?

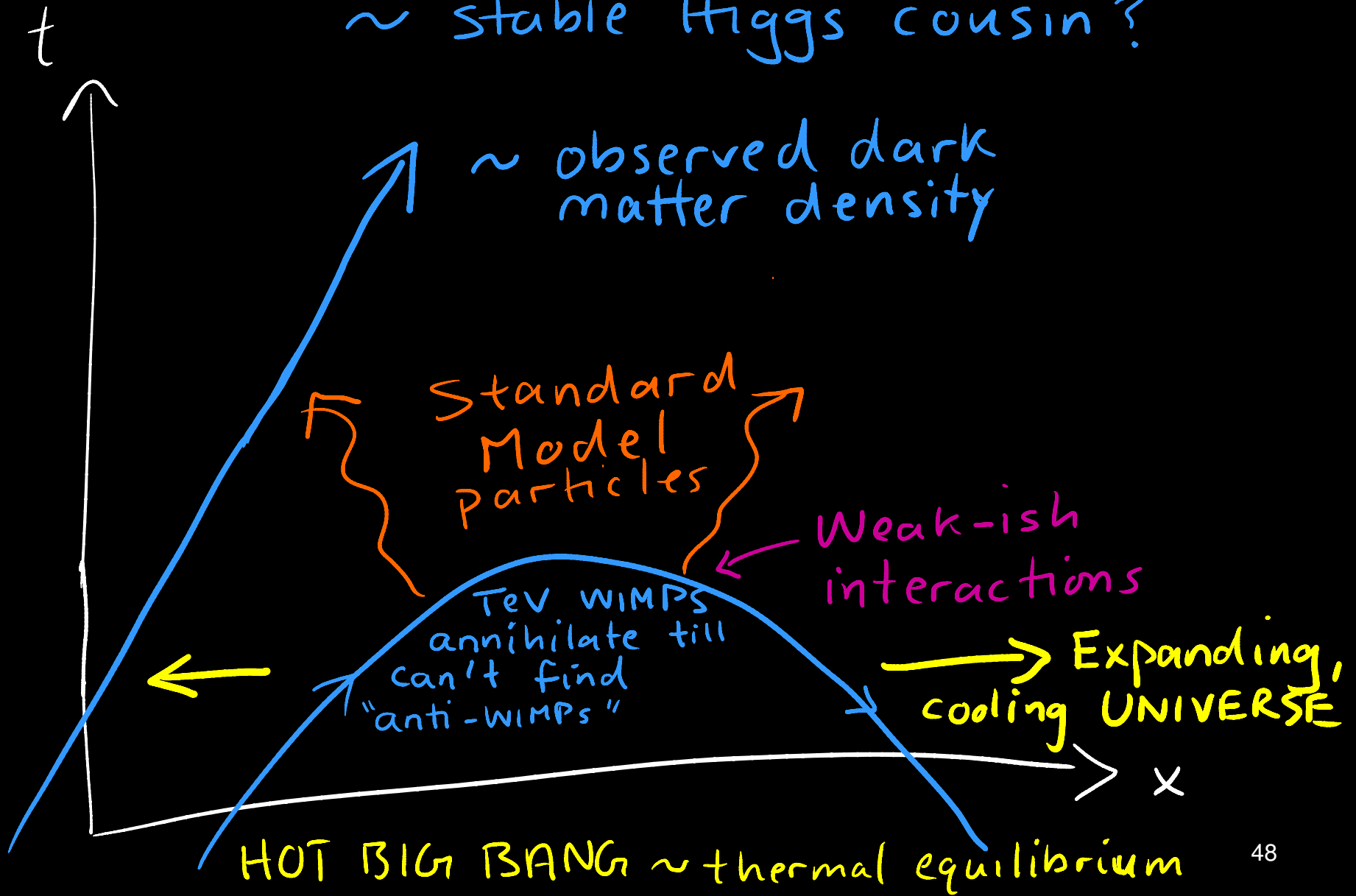


Galaxies distorted by gravitational lensing due to (otherwise) invisible Dark Matter.

Hubble Space  
Telescope  
Abell Cluster<sup>47</sup>

# "WIMP" DARK MATTER

~ stable Higgs cousin?





# Supersymmetry (SUSY)

= "  $\sqrt{-1}$  "

of Quantum Spacetime

Gervais, Sakita '71;  
Golfand, Likhthman '71;  
Volkov, Akulov '72;  
Ramond, Schwartz, Neveu '71; Wess, Zumino '74

# SUSY CARTOON

$$i\partial_t \equiv H = Q^2$$

↑ "supercharge"  
operator

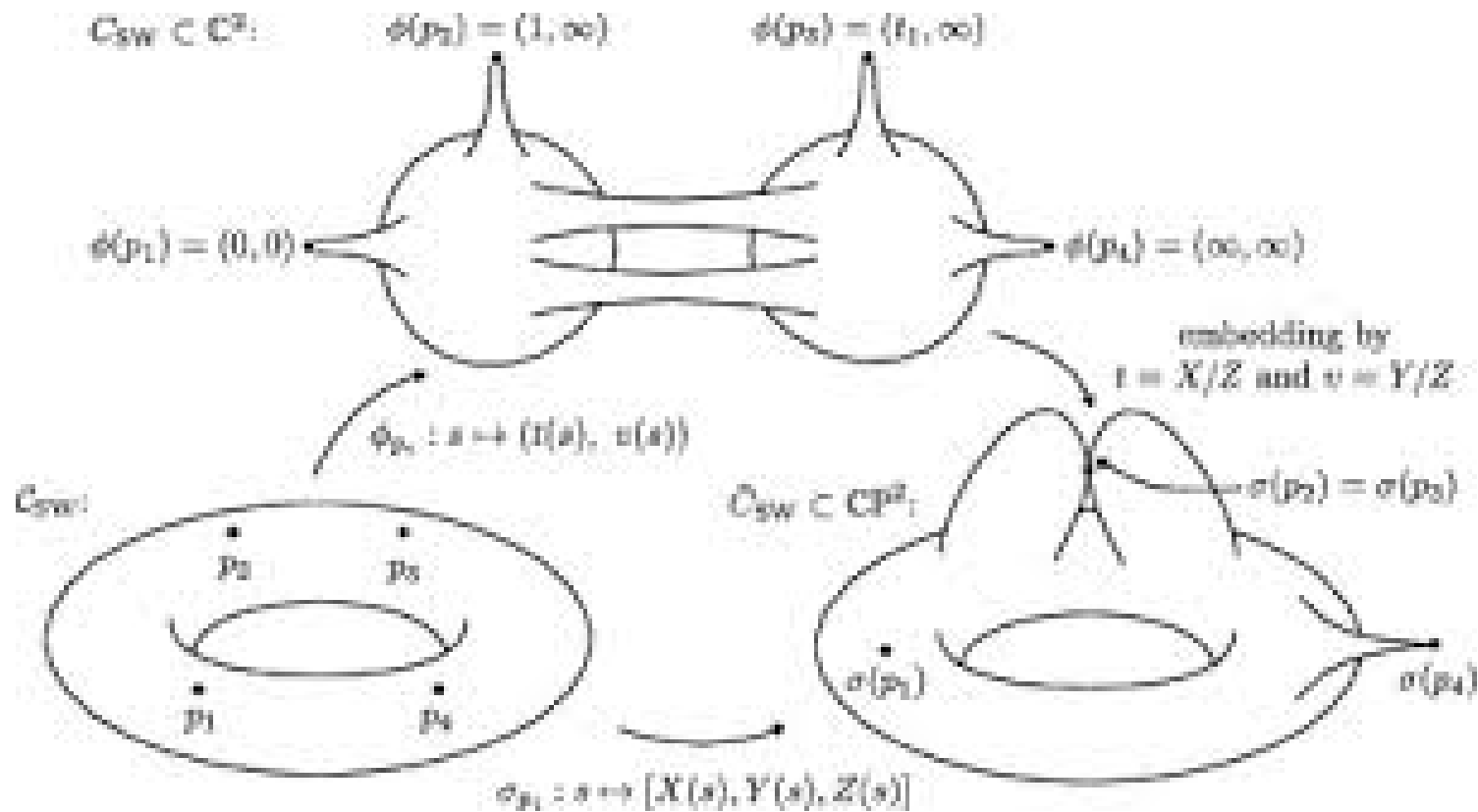
$$Q | \text{boson} \rangle = | \text{fermion} \rangle$$

$$Q | \text{fermion} \rangle = | \text{boson} \rangle$$

$$Q | \text{vacuum} \rangle = 0$$

Many quantum corrections to vacuum  
(related to Hierarchy Problem) MUST cancel  
by SUSY algebra. Eg.  $H | \text{vacuum} \rangle = 0$   
clearly.

# RICH IN MATHEMATICAL BEAUTY & SUBTLETY



from Seiberg-Witten '94 theory

# BOSON-FERMION SUPERPARTNERS

electron (spin- $\frac{1}{2}$ )

selectron (spin-0)

photon (spin-1)

photino (spin- $\frac{1}{2}$ )

top squark (spin- $\frac{1}{2}$ )

top squark (spin-0)

Higgs (spin-0)

("stop")  
Higgsino (spin- $\frac{1}{2}$ )



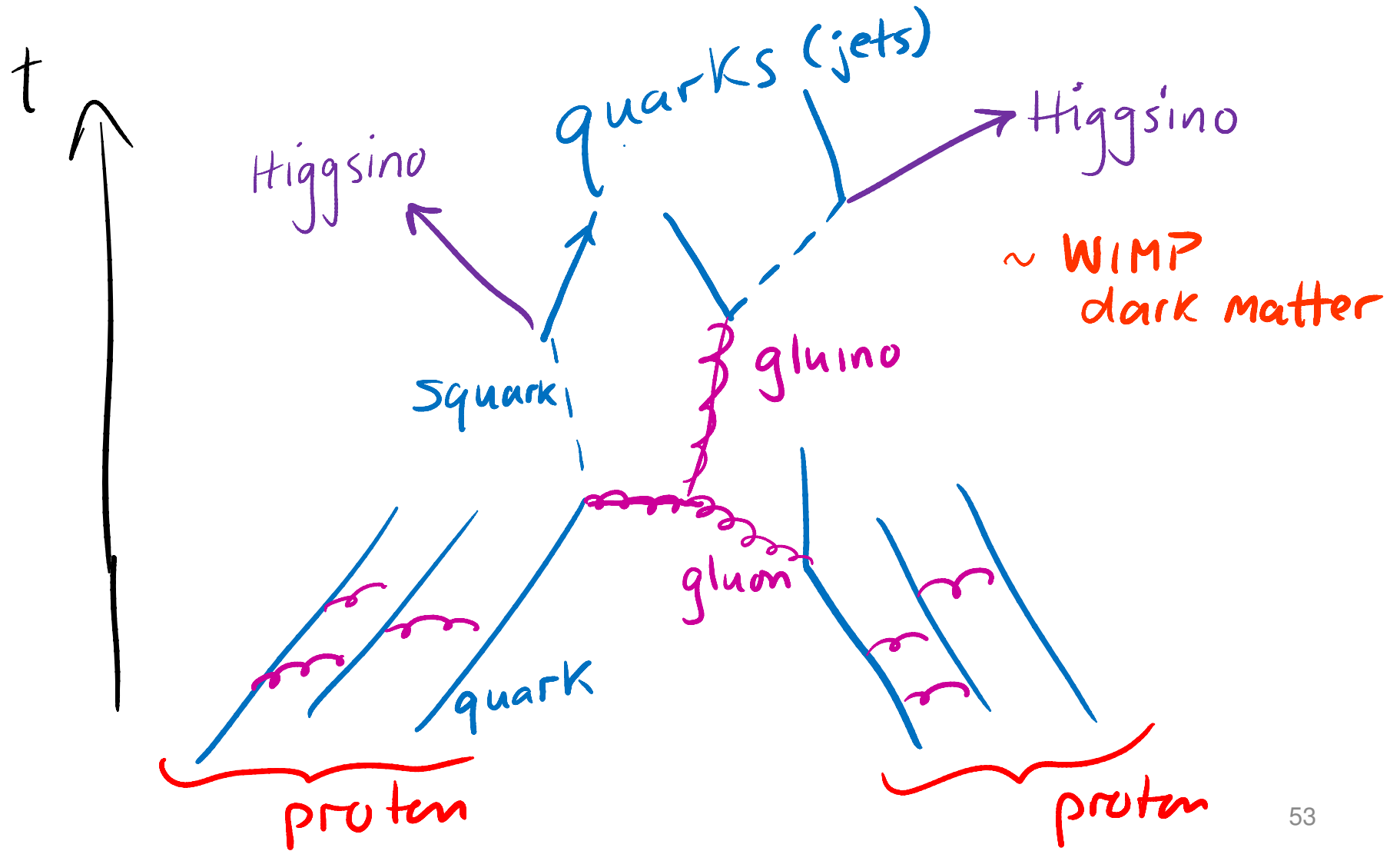
A "Mirror" in Quantum Statistics

Minimal Supersymmetric Standard

Model (MSSM) Dimopoulos, Georgi '81

But a Mirror cracked...

# What LHC sought but hasn't found (so far)

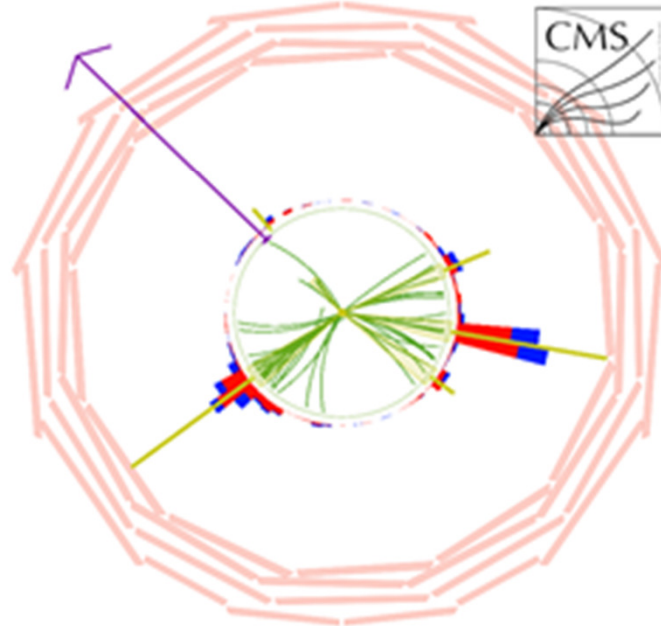


# HUNTING THE INVISIBLE



Energy imbalance perpendicular to beams due to

"Higgsino" ("neutralino", generally)  
readily escaping detectors



But there are  
backgrounds,  
famously neutrinos

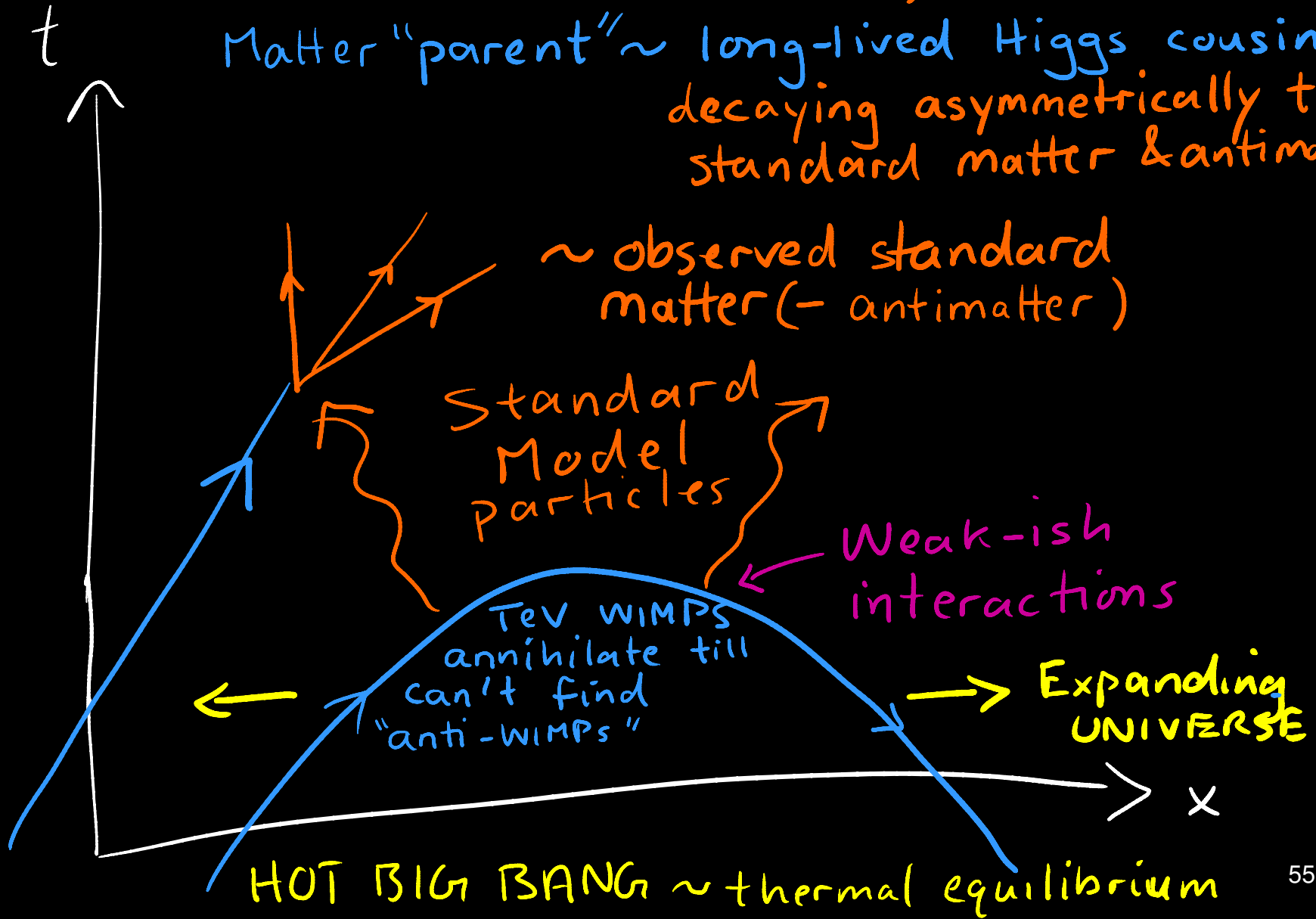
Simulated SUSY  
event in CMS

Several variants of SUSY & their large  
parameter spaces are being pursued

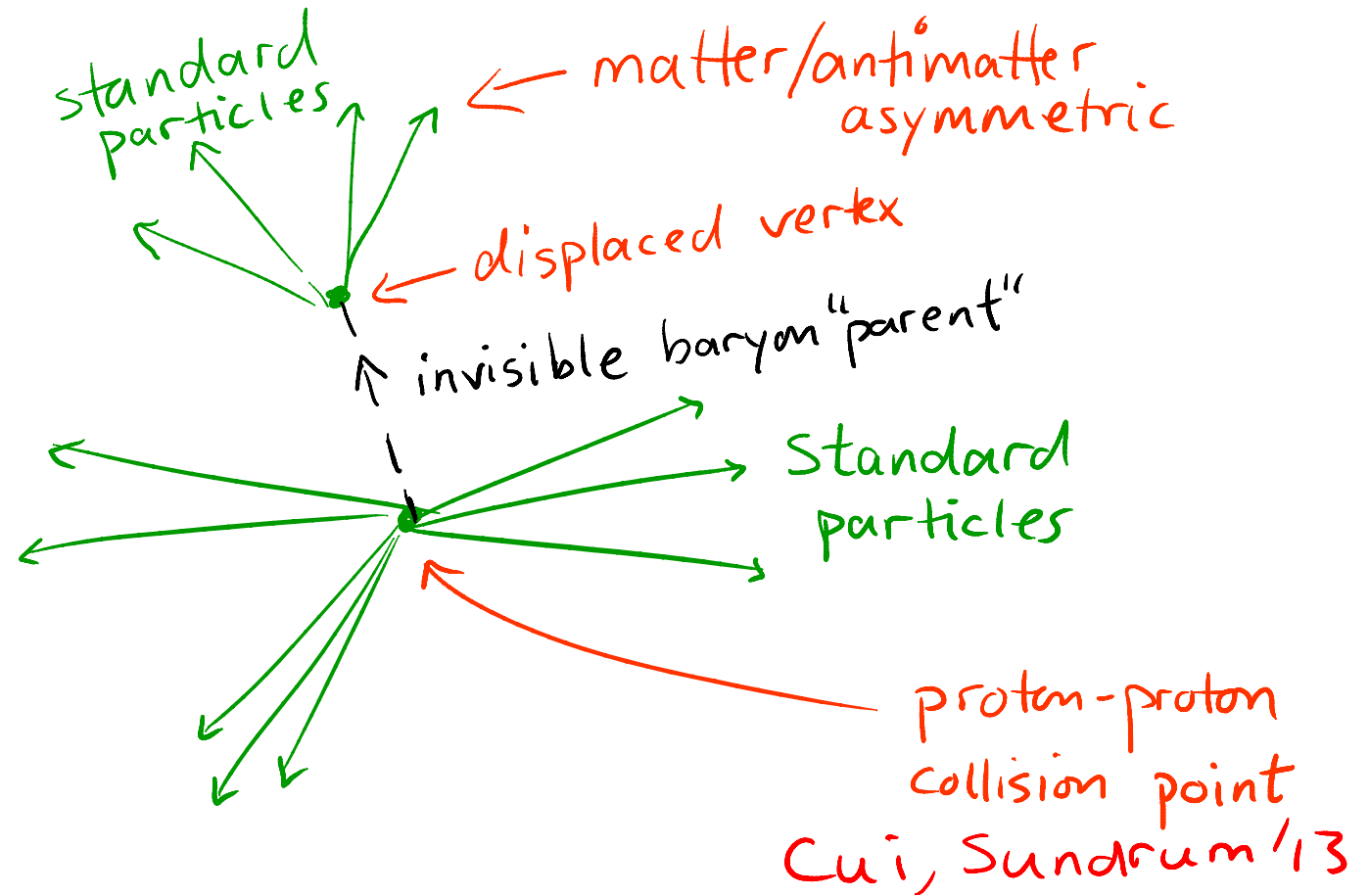
# THE MATTER/ANTIMATTER ASYMMETRY FOR WIMPS

Cui, Sundrum '13

Matter "parent" ~ long-lived Higgs cousin?  
decaying asymmetrically to  
standard matter & antimatter



MATTER "PARENT" produced at LHC  
must live long enough to decay out of equilibrium  
in early Universe



⇒ DISPLACED VERTEX DECAYS  
(v. low backgrounds)



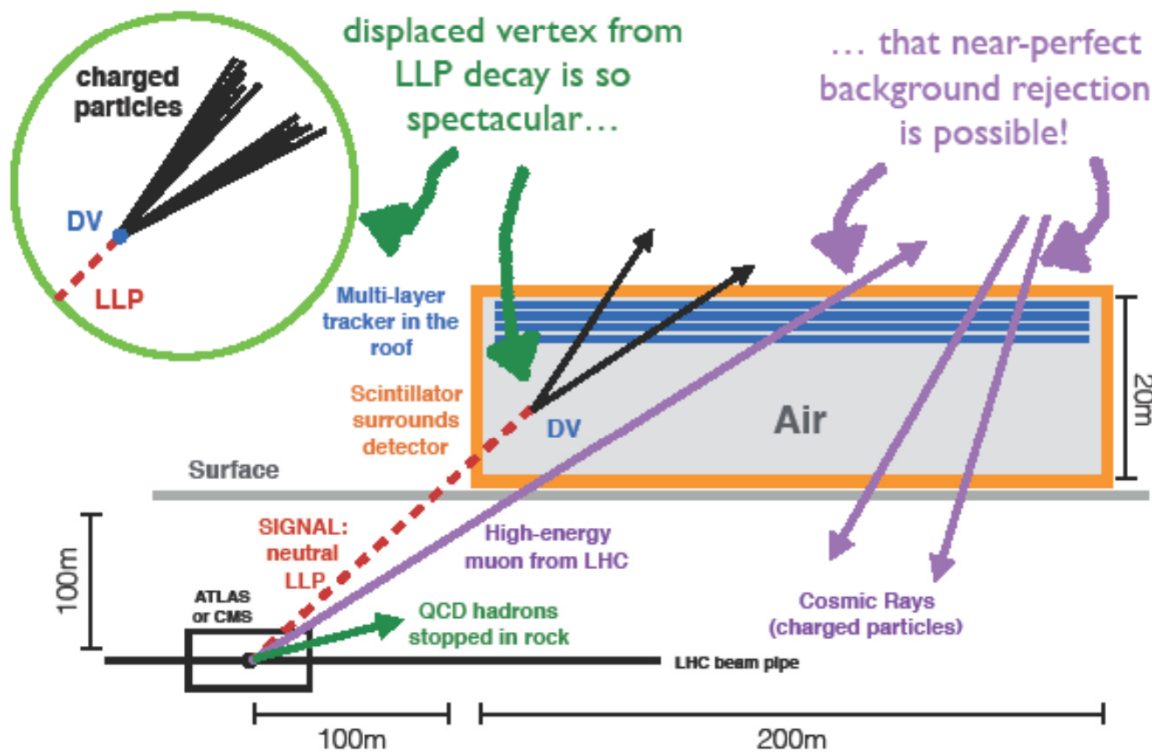
# New Displaced Vertex Detector Proposal



John-Paul Chou  
David Curtin  
Henry Lubatti  
1606.06298



MAssive Timing Hodoscope for Ultra-Stable NeutraL PArticles



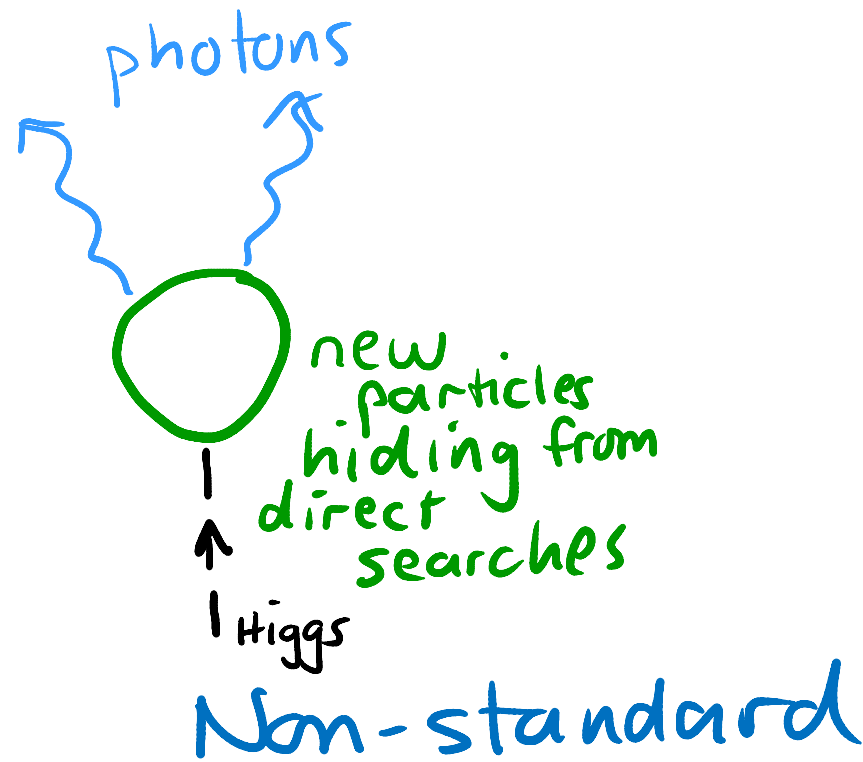
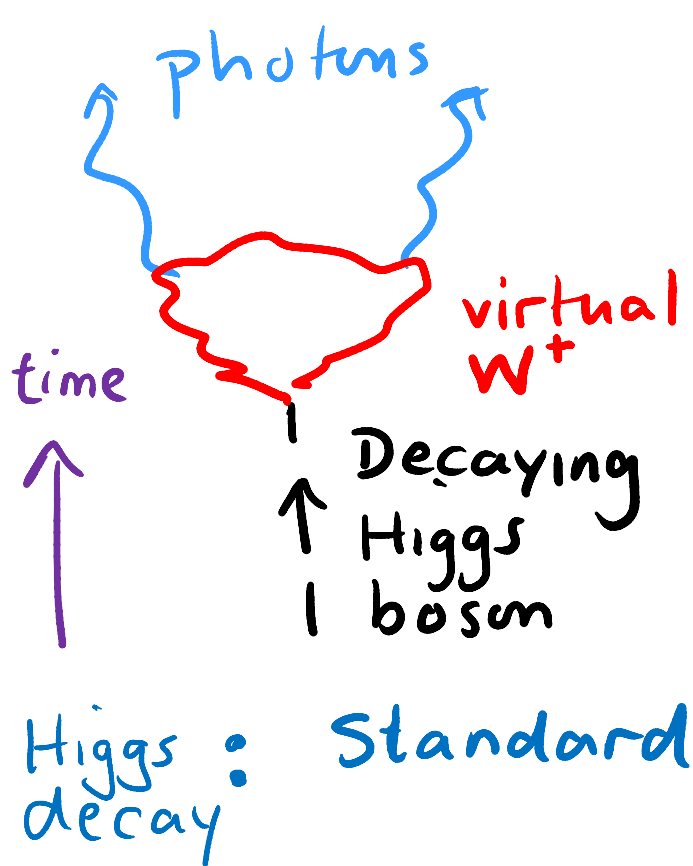
On schedule for

prototype  
mid 2017  
letter of intent  
end 2017

theory  
white paper  
mid 2017

Figure Credit: Curtin, Sundrum, submitted to Physios Today

# PRECISION HIGGS PHYSICS is underway



LHC is very powerful  
& may make dramatic discoveries,  
perhaps requiring considerable ingenuity.  
But unable to VERY DEFINITELY &  
strongly test Naturalness  
or very precisely test Higgs.

To do this, & to fully  
understand LHC findings,

New colliders, more  
powerful/precise, will be needed

On Theory side,

all roads seem to lead to

Extensions of

Relativistic Spacetime

in some form or another

& connects to a host of experiments  
in Cosmology, Astrophysics, Cosmic Rays,  
Dark Matter detection, ...

My sense is our journey  
into Spacetime is just at

The Beginning ...