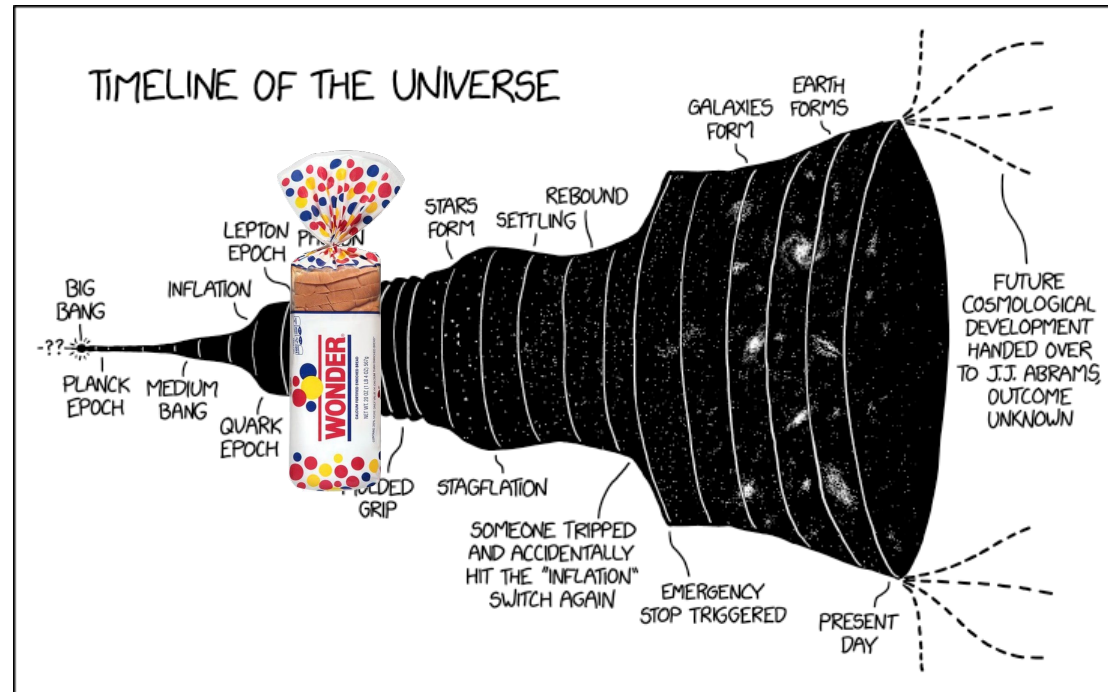


Baryon Number: Cosmic Wonder



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The mid-conference crisis:

Why do we study baryon- and lepton-number violation?

Our favorite theories predict it
SM ... GUTs ... RPV SUSY
... quantum gravity(?) ...

We can test for it
proton decay ... $0\nu\beta\beta$...
n-nbar oscillations ... colliders ...

Cosmology requires it
baryogenesis

Monday, July 6, 2020

10:00 am Welcome

10:05-10:10 am Alexey Petrov – “Snowmass2021-RF4 section”

10:10-10:50 am Pavel Fileviez Perez “Theories for Baryon and Lepton Number Violation”

Coffee Break

11:00-11:40 am Vincenzo Cirigliano “Neutrinoless double beta decays (theory)”

11:40-12:20 am Andrea Pocar “Neutrinoless double beta decay beyond the ‘tonne scale’”

Lunch

2:00-2:40 pm Richard Ruiz “LNV and LFV at colliders: a theory perspective in the post-ESU era”

2:40-3:20 pm Evelyn Thomson “Baryon and Lepton number violation at collider (experiments)”

Coffee Break

3:30-4:10 pm Kaladi Babu “Neutron-antineutron oscillations: Theory overview”

4:10-4:50 pm Leah Broussard “Experimental Searches for Neutron Antineutron Oscillations”

Tuesday, July 7, 2020

10:00-10:40 am Susan Gardner “New paths to B (and L) violation by two units and their implications”

10:40-11:20 am Julian Heeck “Exotic B and L violating processes”

11:20 -12:00 am Bartosz Fornal “Neutron dark decay: Portal to a baryonic dark sector”

Lunch

2:00-2:40 pm Ed Kearns “Proton decay (experiments)”

2:40-3:20 pm Stuart Raby “Proton decay (theory)”

Coffee Break

3:30-4:10 pm Andrew Long “Baryon number: cosmic wonder”

4:10-4:50 pm Carlos Wagner “Connections to Cosmology-II”

4:50-5:30 pm Alexis Plascencia “B and L as local symmetries: Dark matter, cosmology and physics at the LHC”

Wednesday, July 8, 2020

9:00-9:40 am Tao Han “A Leptonic Scalar”

9:40-10:20 am Jordy De Vries “Non-standard mechanism for neutrinoless double beta decay in the Standard Model”

Coffee Break

10:30-11:10 am Juan Vasquez Carmona “Long-range contributions to neutrinoless double beta decay in the Standard Model”

11:10-11:50 am David McKeen “Dark baryons near a GeV”

11:50 -12:30 am Goran Senjanovic “Reflections on Baryon and Lepton Number Violation”

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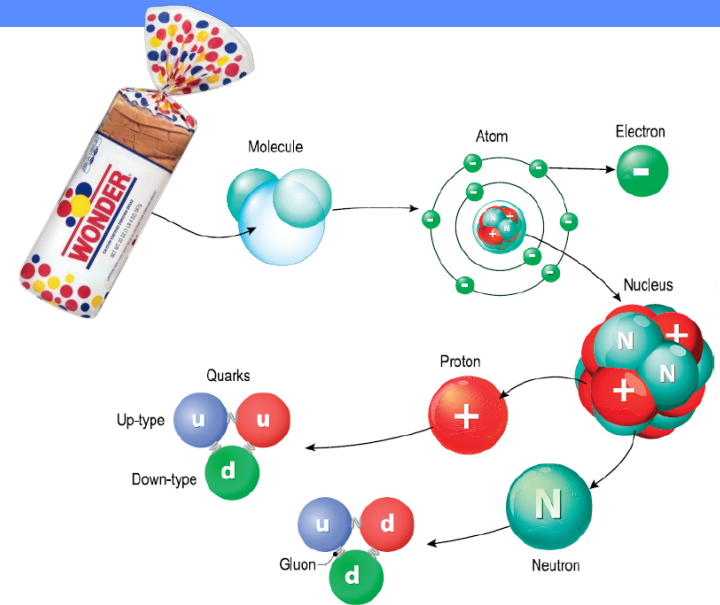
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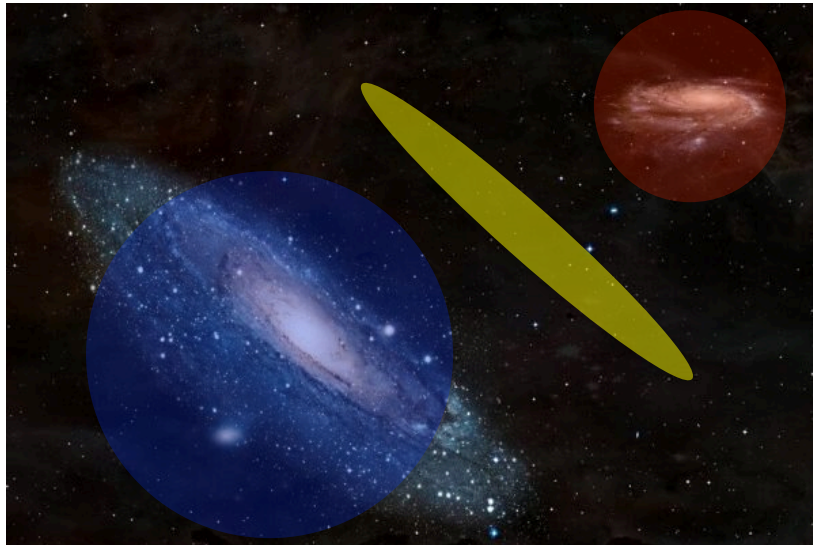
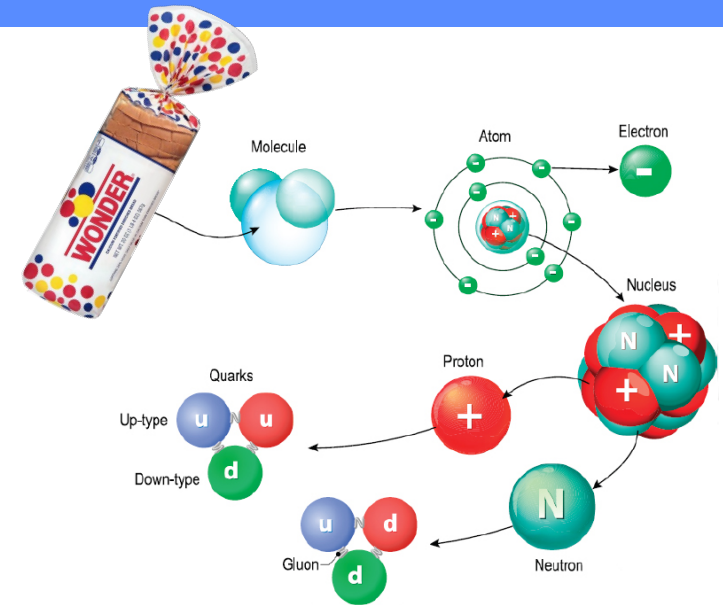
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The entire observable universe
(40 Gly) is made up of matter.

It's not a patchwork of matter &
antimatter domains ... e.g., no
diffuse γ -rays at the interfaces

[Steigman (1976)]
[Cohen, De Rujula, & Glashow (1998)]
[Poulin et. al. (2018)]

Cosmological evidence for B-violation

[Planck (2018)]

Cosmological observations allow us to measure the amount of matter in the visible universe.

sound waves in the primordial baryon-photon plasma leave their imprint on the CMB anisotropies

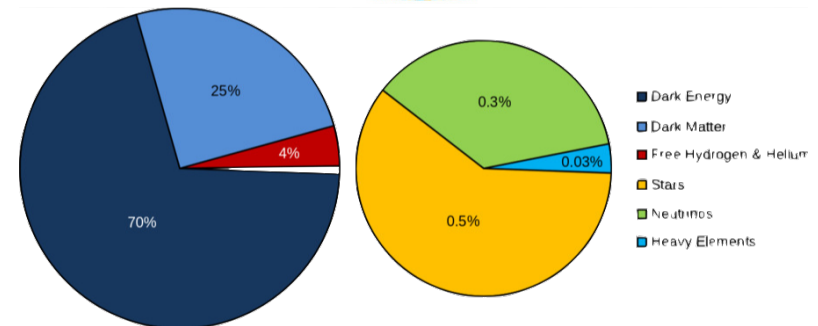
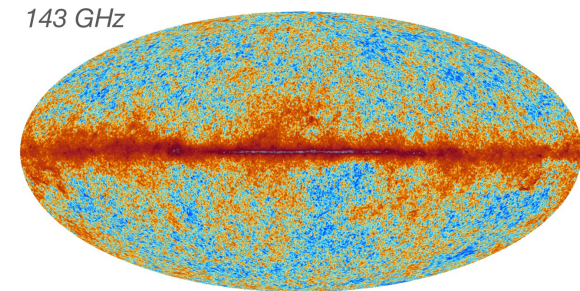
$$\Omega_b h^2 \simeq 0.02230 \pm 0.00014$$

$\Omega_b \simeq 5\%$ of energy budget

$$\rho_b \simeq 4 \times 10^{-31} \text{ g/cm}^3$$

$$n_b \simeq 3 \times 10^{-7} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$N_b \sim 10^{80} \text{ units of baryon number in the observable universe}$$



for cosmologists Ω_b is a free parameter that's fit to the data

for particle physicists this is a challenge!

Cosmological evidence for B-violation

A cosmic wonder

Why is there more matter than antimatter in the observable universe? How did the excess arise?

Baryogenesis

A dynamical event that took place in the early universe ($t < \sim 1$ sec) during which the cosmological excess of matter over antimatter was created.

There is a lot that we don't know about baryogenesis!

When did baryogenesis occur?

What's the relevant energy scale?

What particles & interactions were involved?

What other relics may have been produced at the same time?

How does B-violation lead to baryogenesis?

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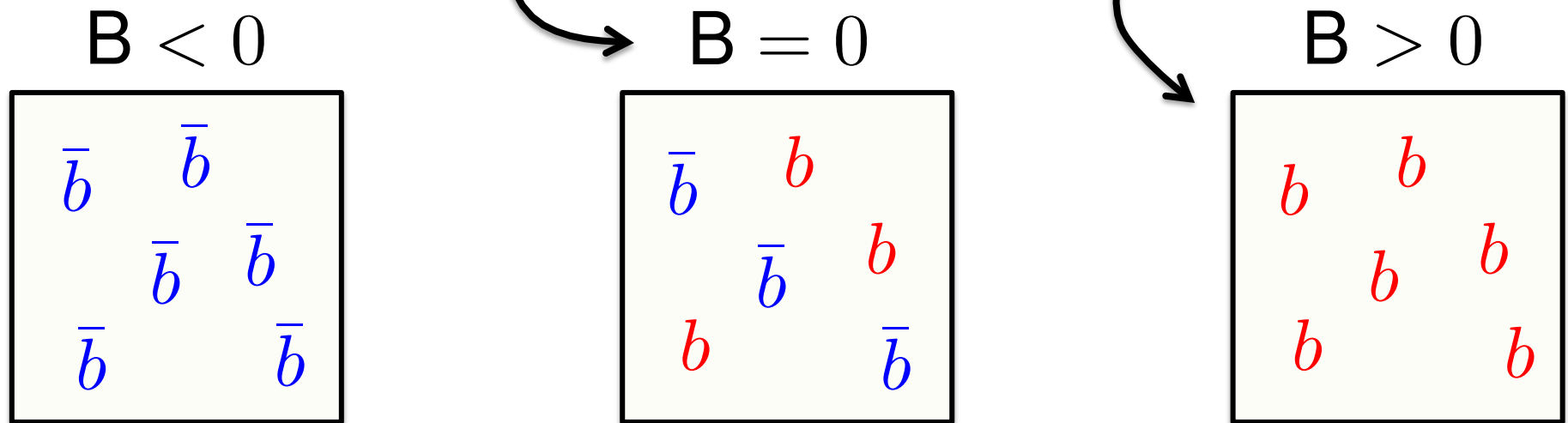
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we want to start here...

...and end up here...



...but not here

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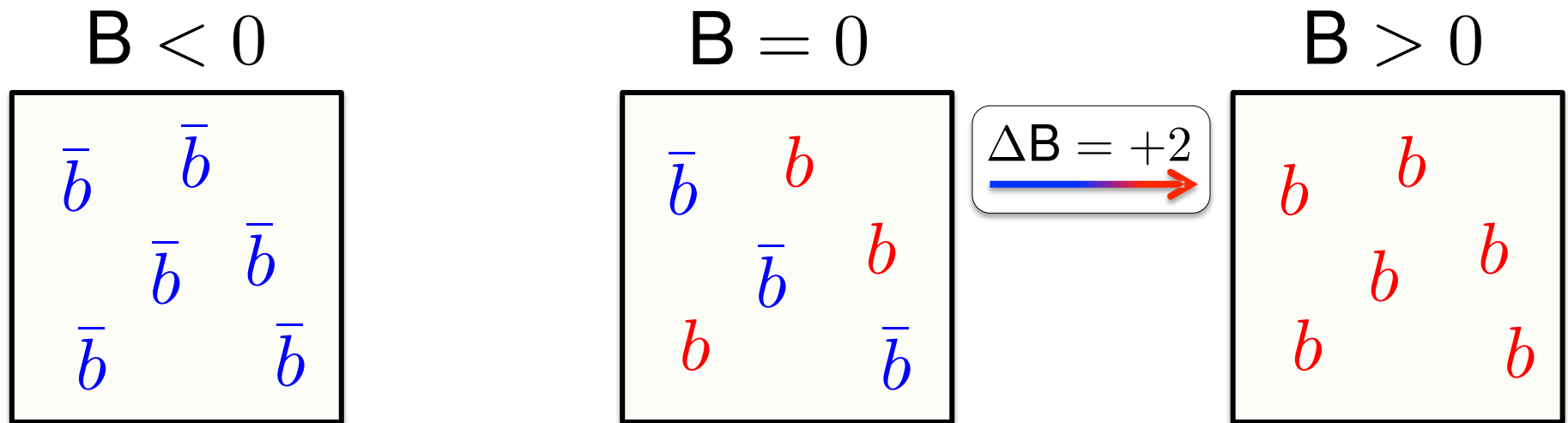
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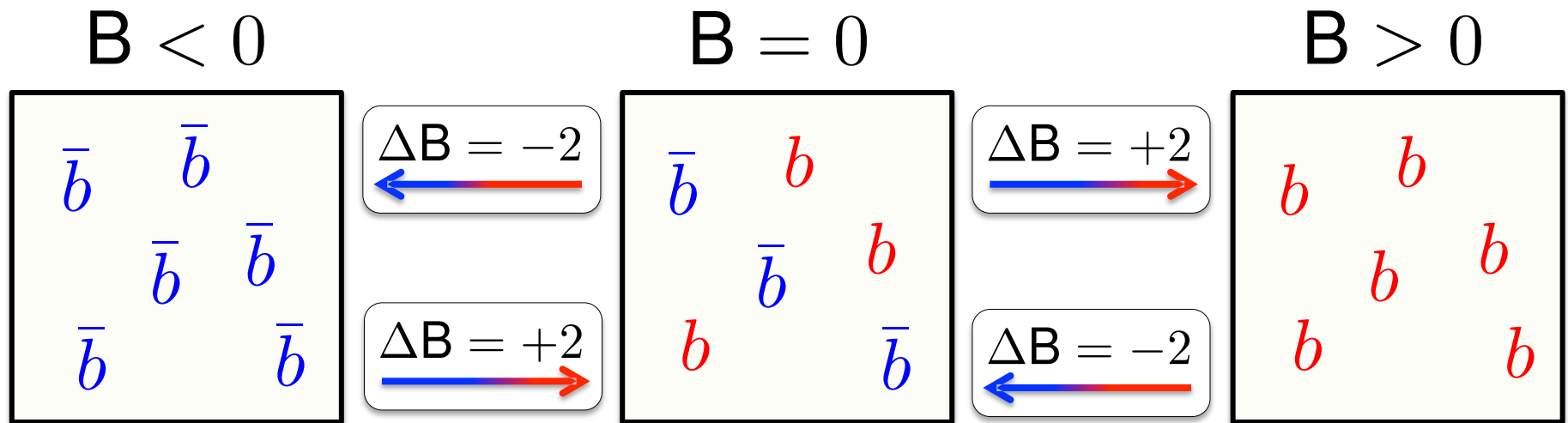
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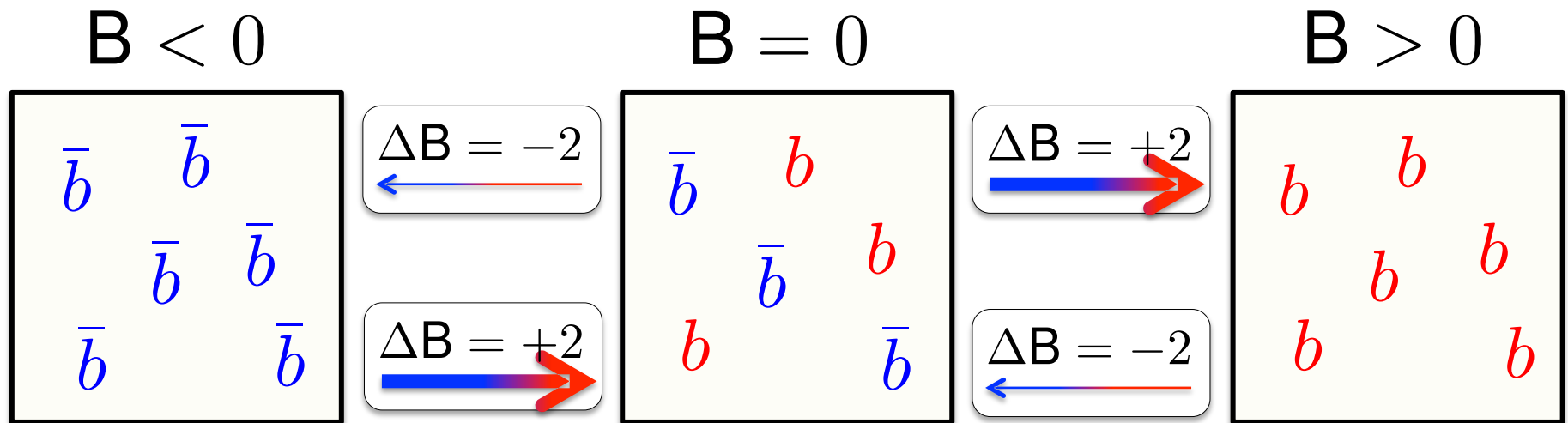
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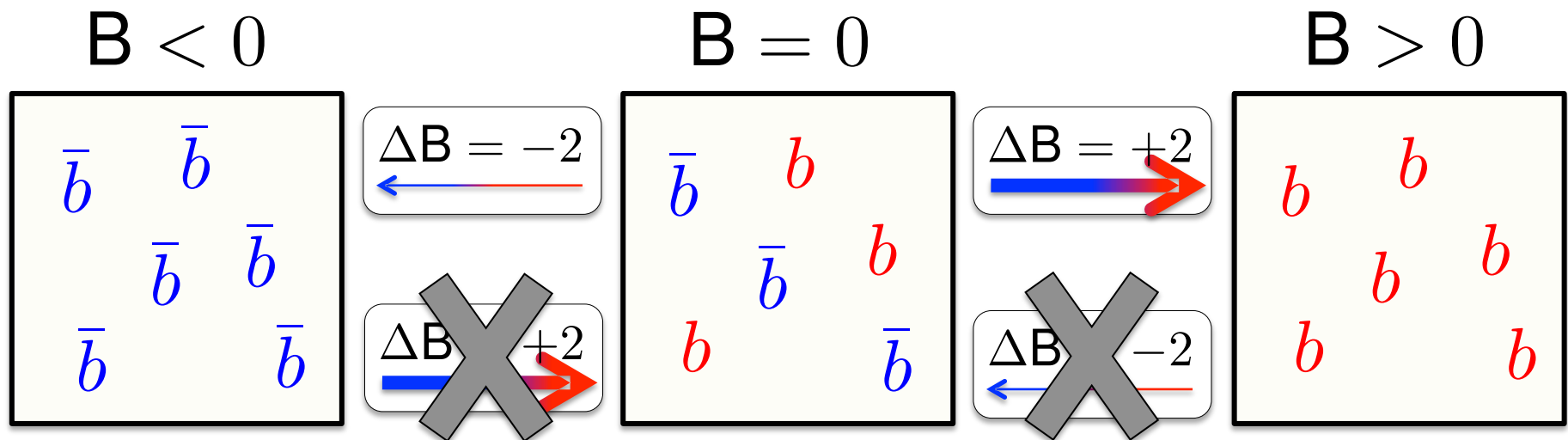
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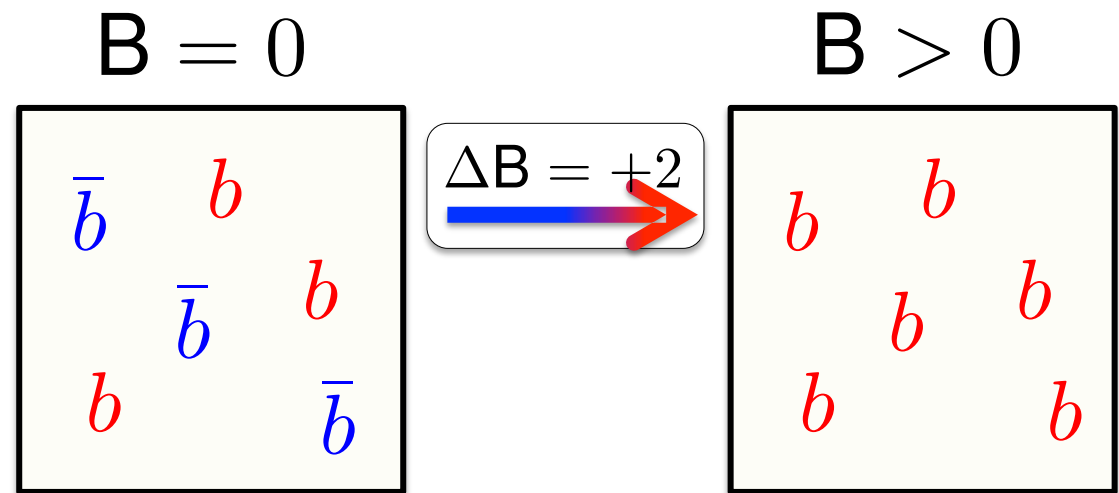
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Where does B-violation come from?

Beyond the Standard Model?

$$\Delta\mathcal{L} = \frac{LHLH}{\Lambda} \quad (\Delta B = 0, \Delta L = 2)$$

$$\Delta\mathcal{L} = \frac{QQQL}{\Lambda^2} \quad (\Delta B = 1, \Delta L = 1)$$

Within the Standard Model?

$$\partial_\mu j_B^\mu = \partial_\mu j_L^\mu = 3 \times \left(\frac{g^2}{32\pi^2} W_{\mu\nu}^a \widetilde{W}^{a\mu\nu} - \frac{g'^2}{32\pi^2} Y_{\mu\nu} \widetilde{Y}^{\mu\nu} \right)$$

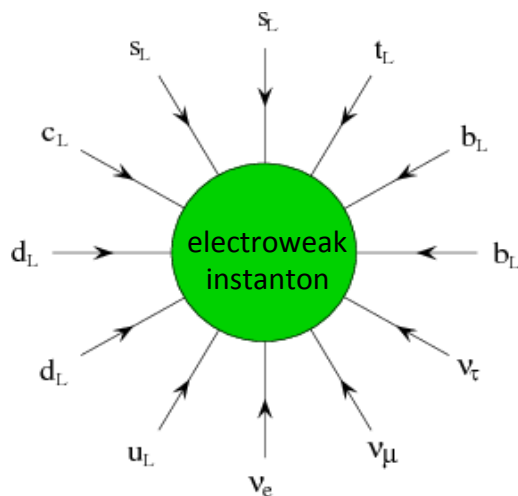
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Large quantum fluctuations of W_μ^a (aka electroweak instanton) induce reactions among the quarks and leptons that violate baryon number



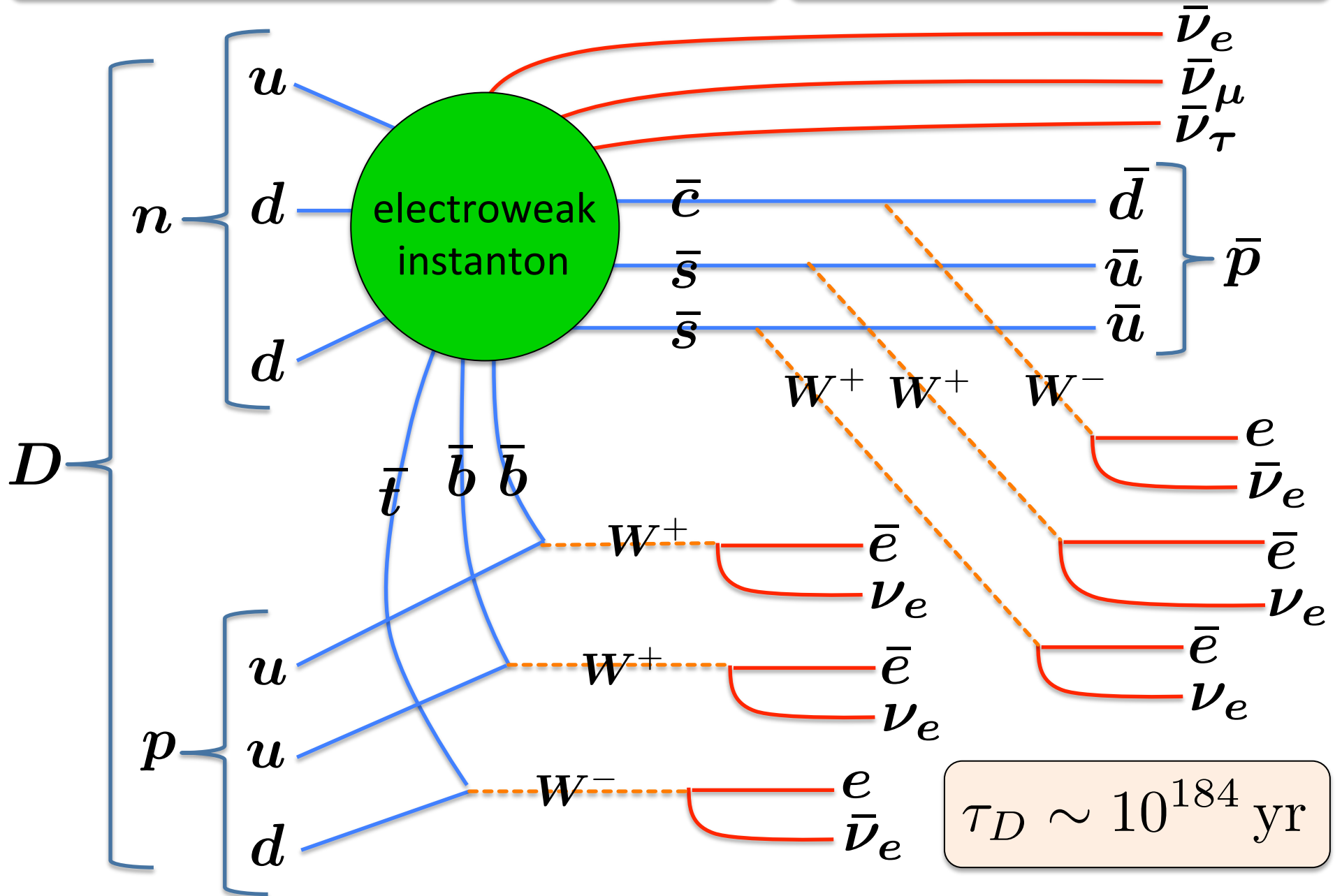
$$\langle W \widetilde{W} \rangle = \text{quantum}$$

$$\Delta B = \Delta L = \pm 3$$

The Standard Model predicts
catastrophic nuclear decay!

$$D \rightarrow \bar{p} + 4e^+ + 2e^- + 4\nu_e + 3\bar{\nu}_e + \bar{\nu}_\mu + \bar{\nu}_\tau$$

$$\Gamma \sim G_F^{12} m_D^{25} V_{td}^2 V_{ub}^4 V_{cd}^2 V_{us}^4 e^{-16\pi^2/g^2}$$



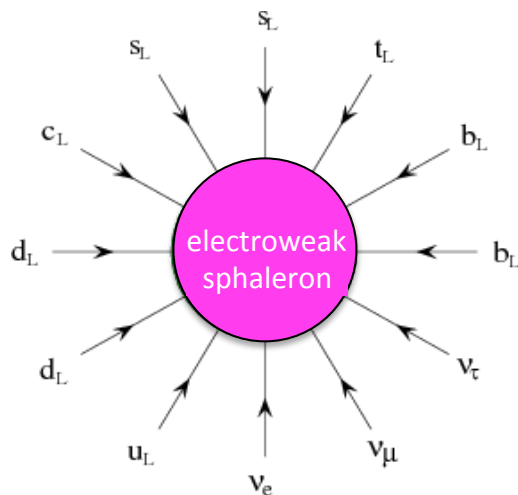
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[Klinkhamer & Manton (1984); Kuzmin, Rubakov, & Shaposhnikov (1985)]

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At high temperature large thermal fluctuations of W_μ^a (aka electroweak sphaleron) mediate unsuppressed baryon-number violation



$\langle W\widetilde{W} \rangle = \text{thermal}$

$\Delta B = \Delta L = \pm 3$

at $T > 100 \text{ GeV}$

$$\Gamma_B \sim \alpha_W^5 T$$

take away message:

SM B-number violation plays an important role in many models of baryogenesis

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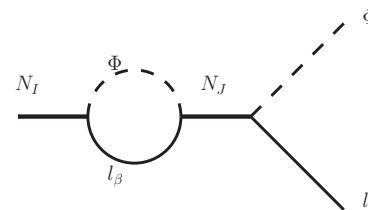
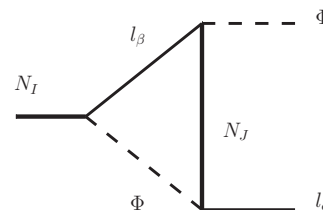
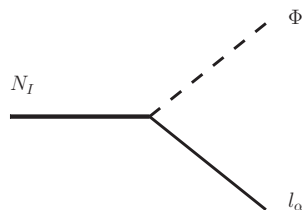
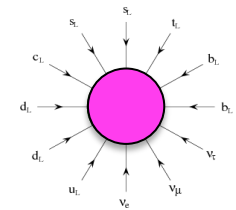
- ① initially N 's are thermalized at temp. $T > m_N$
- ② as plasma cools to $T = m_N$, N 's go OOE and decay
- ③ N decays violate L-number & CP, creating a lepton asymmetry
- ④ EW sphalerons convert L into B-number

$$N \leftrightarrow LH$$

$$N \leftrightarrow \bar{L}\bar{H}$$

$$N \rightarrow LH$$

$$N \Rightarrow \bar{L}\bar{H}$$



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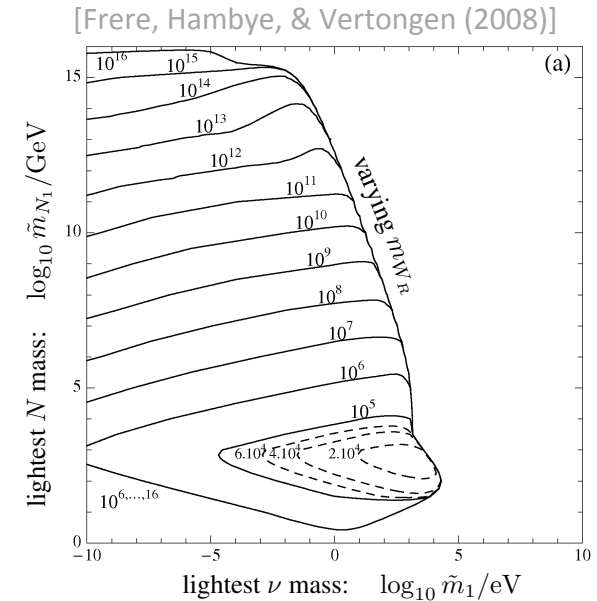
Phenomenology

Energy Frontier:

- N's cannot be accessed at colliders
- But if we see evidence of L-number violation at the TeV-scale, this could be used to "falsify" high-scale leptogenesis [caveat: flavor].

Intensity Frontier:

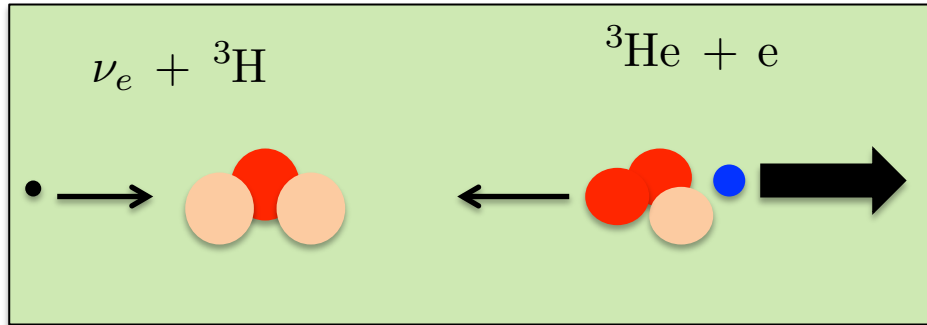
- low-energy probes of CP-violation (δ_{CP}), have model-dependent connections with leptogenesis at high energies [Moffat, Pascoli, Petcov, & Turner (2018)]
- light ν 's are Majorana: $0\nu\beta\beta$ possible [Schechter & Valle (1982)]
relic ν capture on ^3H [AL, Lunardini, Sabancilar (2014)]



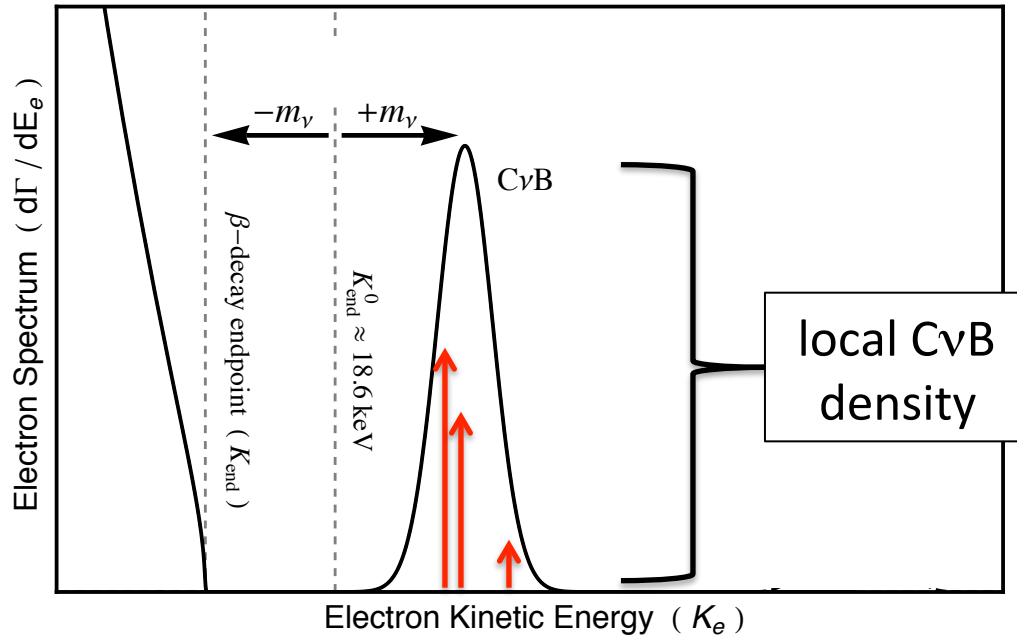
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Neutrino-Capture Beta Decay (NCB)



$$K_{e,C\nu B} = M(^3\text{H}) - M(^3\text{He}) - M(e) + M(\nu) - E_{\text{recoil}}$$



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rates for 100g tritium target

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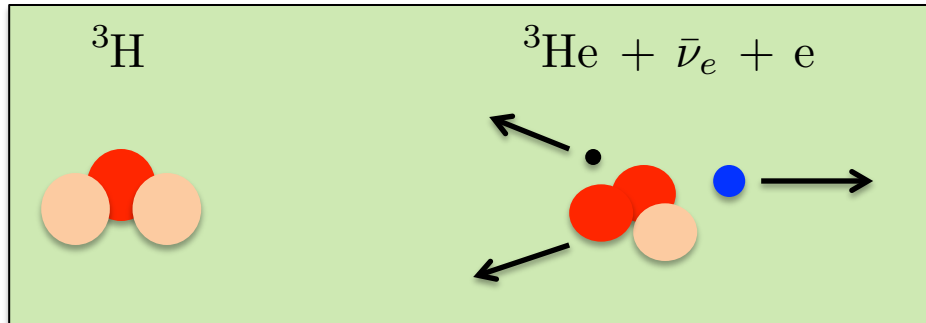
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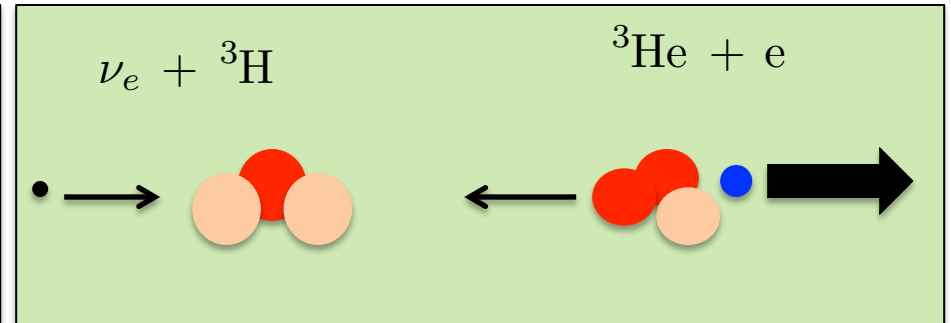
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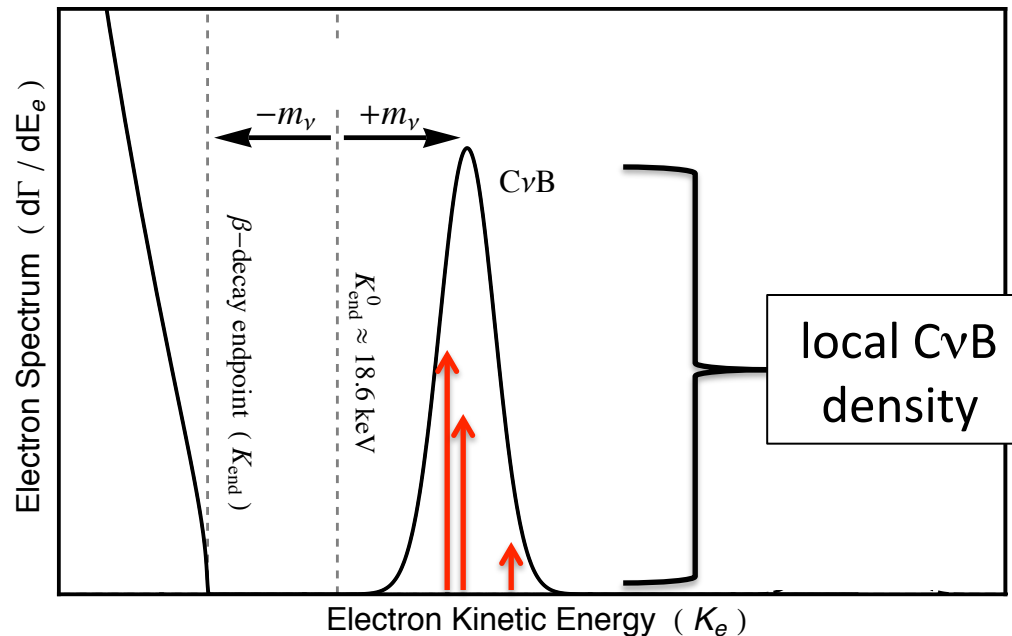


$$K_{e,\max} = M(^3\text{H}) - M(^3\text{He}) - M(e) - M(\nu) - E_{\text{recoil}}$$

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Weinberg (1962)
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Summary

PRO

embed N into a GUT
light ν masses (seesaw)
light ν 's are Majorana
favors high-scale inflation
"minimal" / "simple"

CON

hard to reheat so high
high-scale new physics
hard to test

2. Low-Scale Leptogenesis (ARS)

Low-Scale (ARS) Leptogenesis

[Akhmedov, Rubakov, & Smirnov (1998)]

review: (Drewes et. al. [1711.02862])

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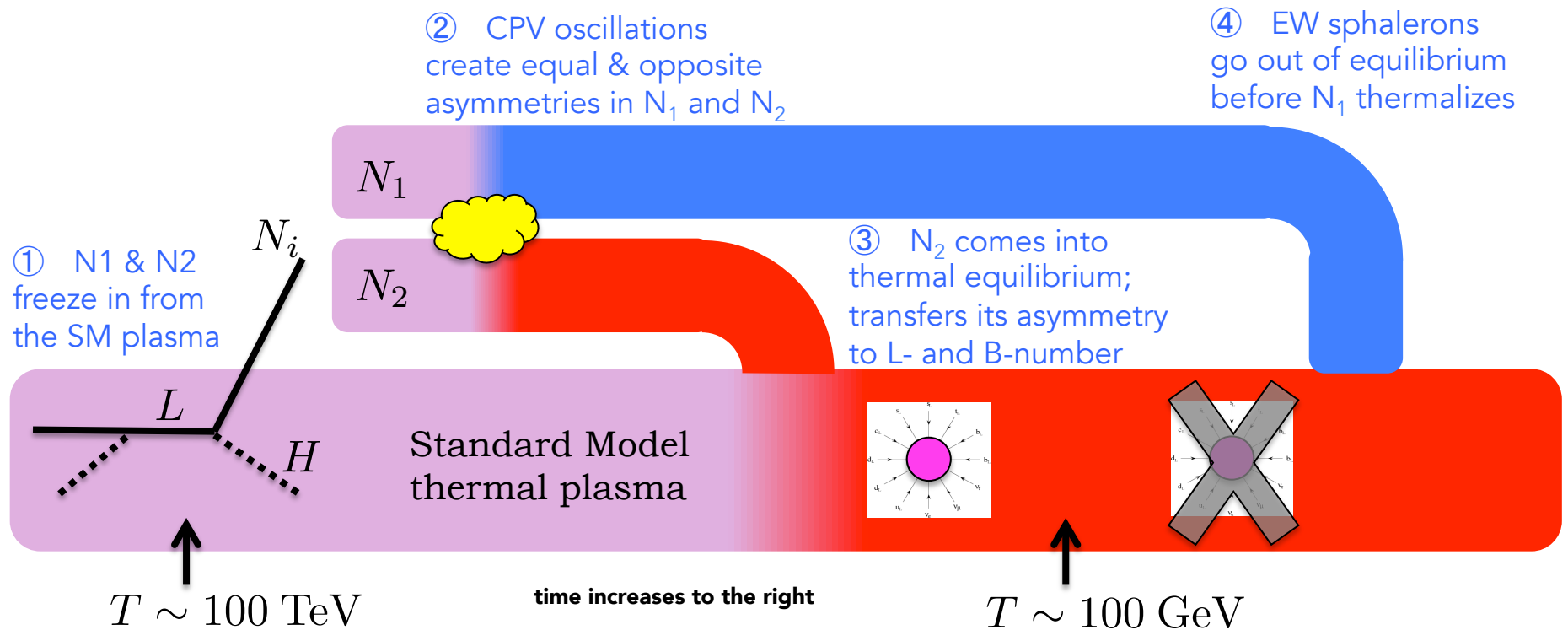
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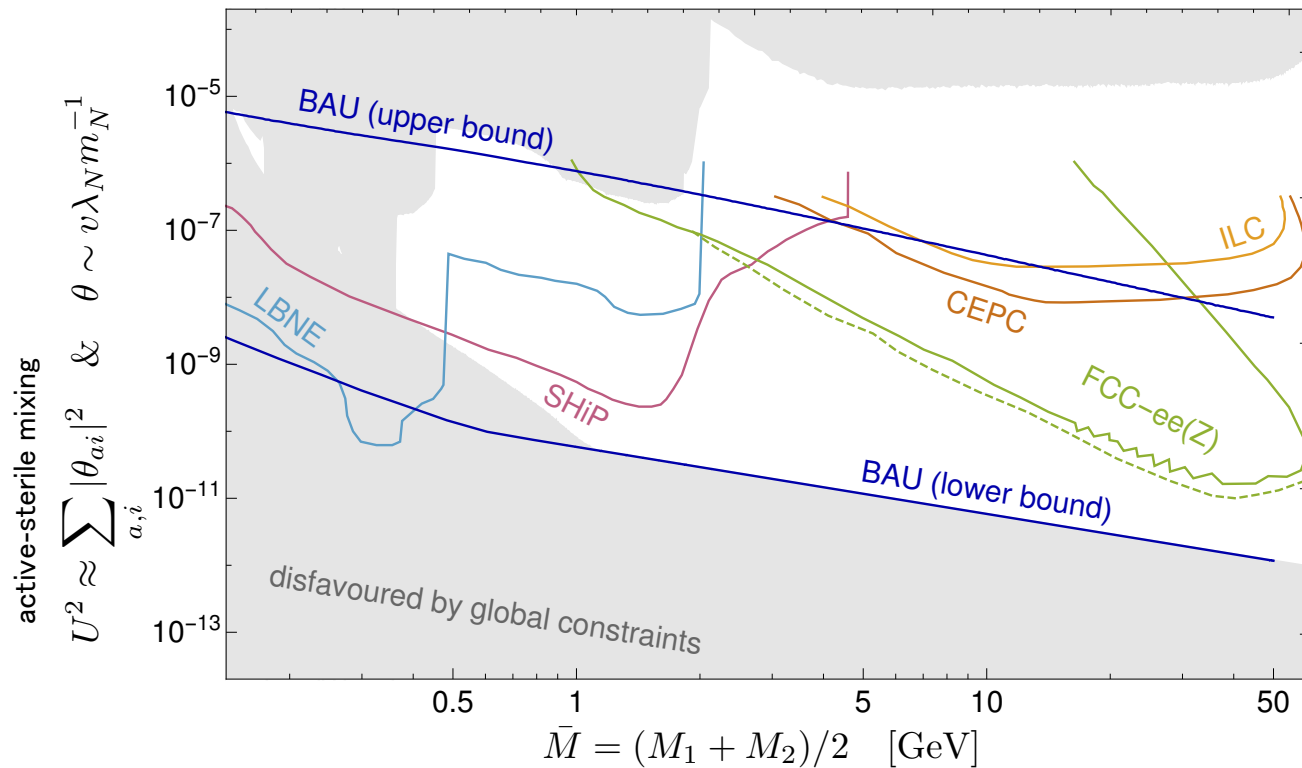
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Energy Frontier:

Long-lived particle searches @ collider or beam dump ...



beam + target

→ mesons

→ rare decay to N

→ N decays to visible

E.g.,

$N \rightarrow \nu e^+ e^-$

$N \rightarrow \nu \pi^0$

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[many thanks to Marco Drewes for making the plot]

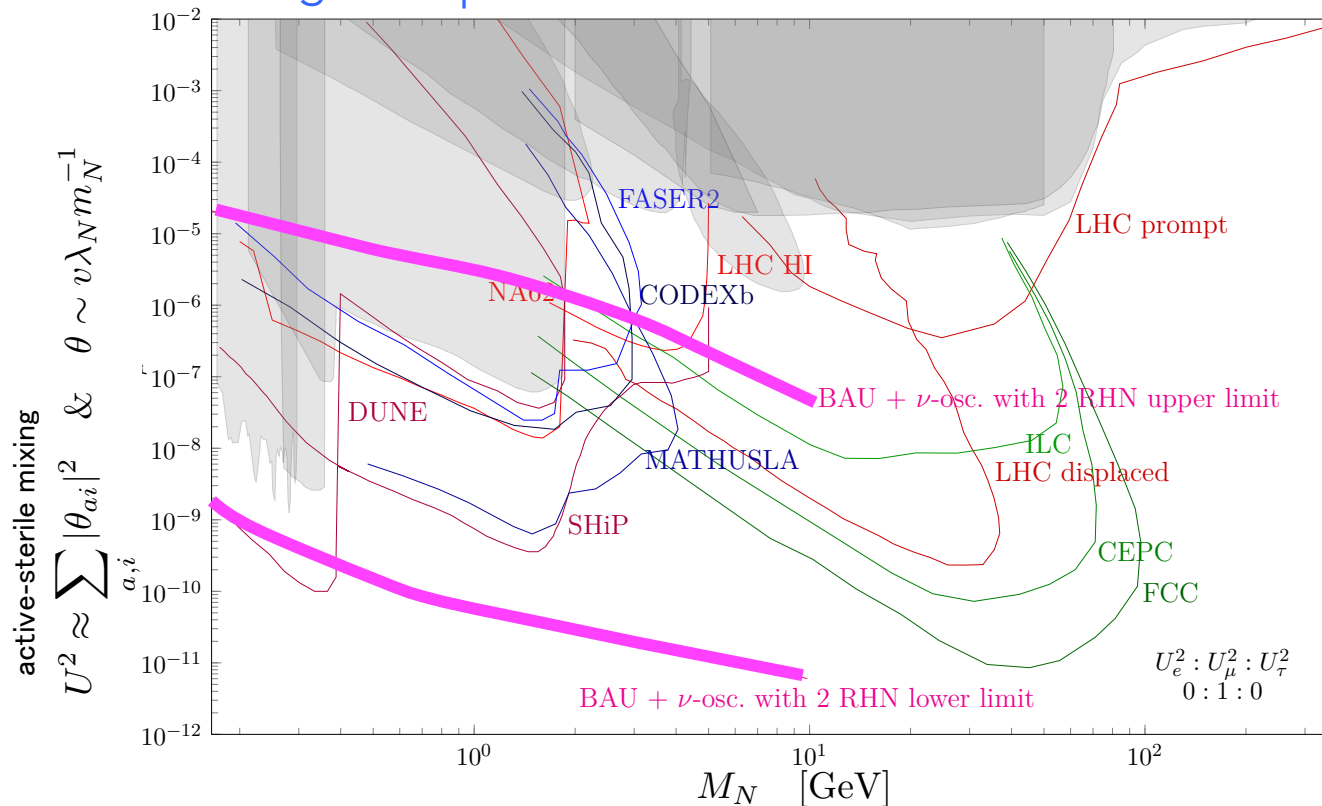
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very testable
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predicts $0\nu\beta\beta$
new physics is GeV-scale
allows keV-sterile DM

CON

lose GUT motivation for N
hard to measure Δm (2HNL)

3. CP-Violating Meson Oscillations

CP-violating meson oscillations

[Elor, Escudero, & Nelson (2018)], [Nelson & Xiao (2019)] & [Alonso-Alvarez, Elor, Nelson, & Xiao (2019)]

see also: [McKeen & Nelson (2015)]

see also: [Ghalsasi, McKeen, & Nelson (2015)]

see also: [Aitken, McKeen, Nelson, & Neder (2017)]

The Model

SM + TeV-scale inflaton/moduli + GeV-scale B-number-charged dark sector

$$\Delta\mathcal{L} = -\lambda_\Phi \Phi \bar{b}b - y_{ub} Y^* \bar{u}b^c - y_{\psi s} Y \bar{\psi}s^c - \lambda \bar{\psi}\phi\xi$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} m_\Phi \sim 50 \text{ GeV} \\ m_Y \sim \text{TeV} \\ m_\psi \sim 4 \text{ GeV} \\ m_\phi \sim 1.2 \text{ GeV} \\ m_\xi \sim 0.3 \text{ GeV} \\ \text{BR}_{B^0 \rightarrow \mathcal{B}+X} \sim 10^{-3} \end{array} \right)$$

Field	Spin	Q_{EM}	Baryon no.	\mathbb{Z}_2	Mass
Φ	0	0	0	+1	11 – 100 GeV
Y	0	-1/3	-2/3	+1	$\mathcal{O}(\text{TeV})$
ψ	1/2	0	-1	+1	$\mathcal{O}(\text{GeV})$
ξ	1/2	0	0	-1	$\mathcal{O}(\text{GeV})$
ϕ	0	0	-1	-1	$\mathcal{O}(\text{GeV})$

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Baryogenesis

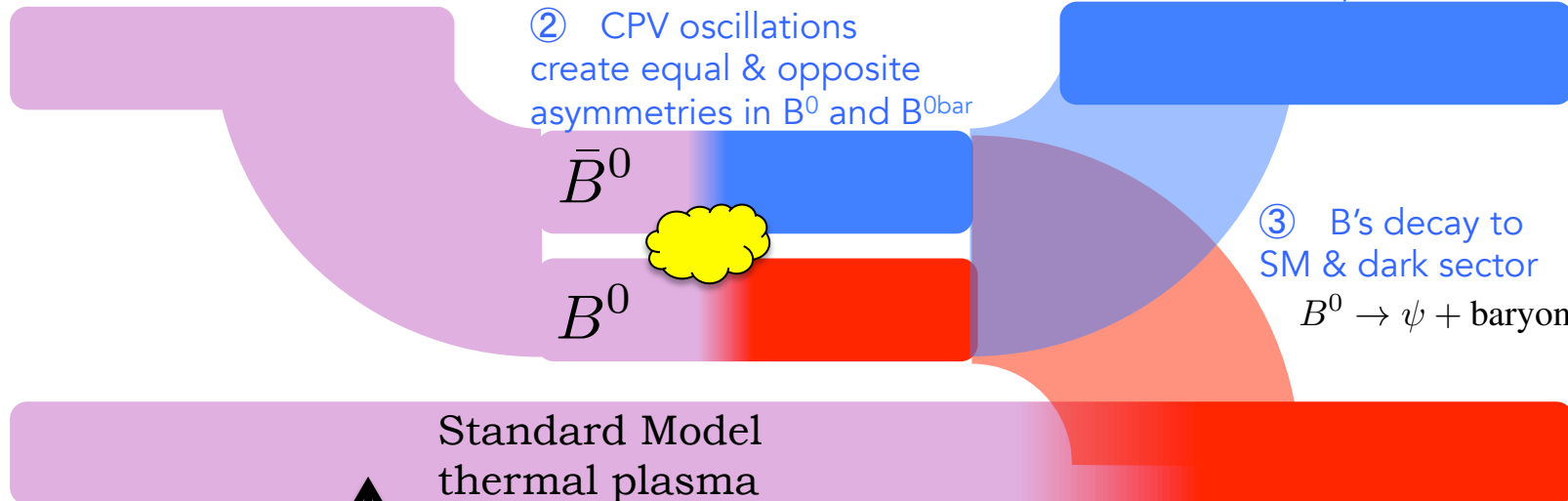
① inflaton or moduli field decays to q & $q^{\text{bar}} \rightarrow B$ mesons

② CPV oscillations create equal & opposite asymmetries in B^0 and $B^{0\text{bar}}$

④ asymmetry stored in dark sector particles (ϕ)

③ B's decay to SM & dark sector

$$B^0 \rightarrow \psi + \text{baryon} + X$$



$T \sim 100 \text{ MeV}$

time increases to the right

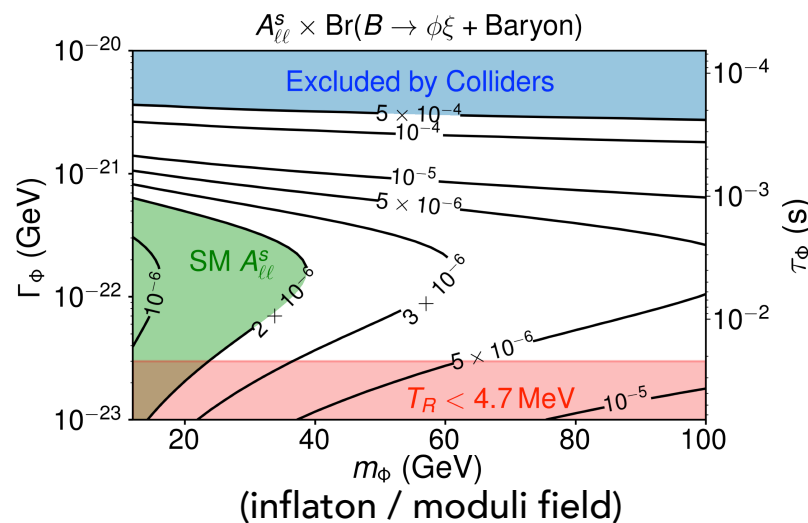
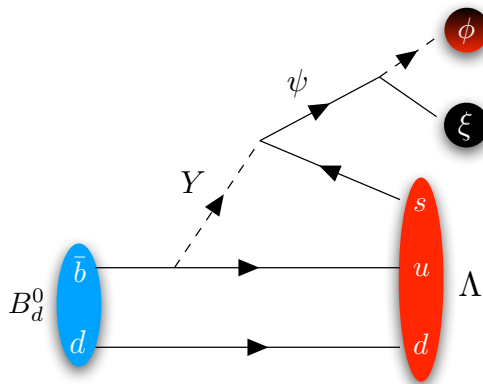
CP-violating meson oscillations

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Phenomenology

Energy Frontier:

- LHC search for colored scalar mediator (Y)
 $QCD \rightarrow YY \rightarrow 4\text{-jet (ubub) or } 2\text{-jet (s}\psi\text{s}\psi) + MET$; allows $m_Y > \sim \text{TeV}$
- exotic B-meson decay [LHCb, Belle-II]
 $B^0 \text{ \& } B^{\pm} \rightarrow \text{baryon} + \text{mesons} + \text{missing energy}$
 (the same goes for b-flavored baryons, e.g. $\Lambda^0 \rightarrow K^+ + \pi^- + MET$)
- use B-meson oscillations to search for CP-violation [LHCb, Belle-II]
 semileptonic charge asymmetry (e.g., $B^0 \rightarrow D^- \mu^+ \nu_\mu X$)



$$a_{sl}^q \equiv \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q^0 \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(B_q^0 \rightarrow \bar{f})}{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q^0 \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(B_q^0 \rightarrow \bar{f})}$$

$$a_{sl}^{s,SM} = (2.22 \pm 0.27) \times 10^{-5}$$

$$a_{sl}^{s,exp} = (-60 \pm 280) \times 10^{-5}$$

$$a_{sl}^{s,need} \sim (1 - 100) \times 10^{-5}$$

$$a_{sl}^{d,SM} = (47 \pm 6.0) \times 10^{-5}$$

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Intensity Frontier:

- Proton decay (& invisible n decay) forbidden by kinematics.
- n - \bar{n} oscillations forbidden by B-conservation.
- $0\nu\beta\beta$ forbidden by L-conservation.

Cosmic Frontier:

- inflation:
 - low-scale inflation presents a model building challenge
- dark matter direct detection:
 - DM-nucleon scattering via ψ & b-quark [suppressed]

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PRO

very testable
CPV is testable (a_{sl})
probed by LHC, Belle-II, etc
solves both DM & BAU

CON

"baroque"
requires low-T reheating
overproduce symmetric DM

Summary

Summary



Cosmological baryon-number violation

- My motivation for studying BLV: the Universe is made of baryons, and explaining this requires B-number violation.
- Compare / contrast with other cosmological relics:

	Step #1 did we detect it?	Step #2 understand production?
primordial photons:	YES! (it's the CMB)	YES! (recombination)
primordial neutrinos:	YES! (via the CMB)	YES! (ν decoupling via weak int)
primordial grav. waves:	NO!	NO!
dark matter:	NO!	NO!
baryon asymmetry:	YES! (we are the B-asm)	NO!

The baryon asymmetry is the only cosmological relic that we've discovered, but still don't understand how it was produced in the early universe.

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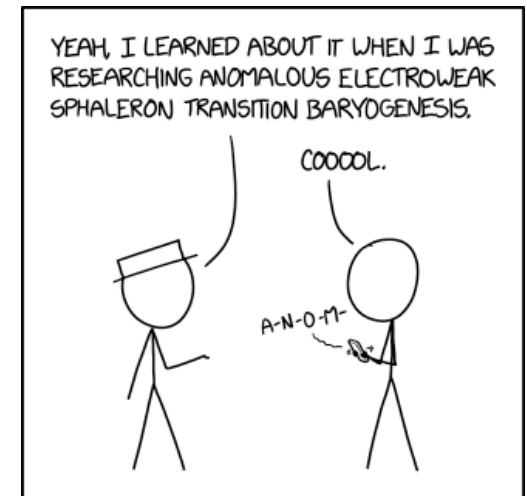


Models of baryogenesis

- in general: building a compelling model is "easy"
... building a testable model is "hard"
... building a compelling & testable model is "very hard"

When a good model comes along, it is worth exploring closely.

- ① High-Scale (FY) Leptogenesis
probes of Majorana ν : $0\nu\beta\beta$, ^3H capture
falsify high-scale LG with colliders
- ② Low-Scale (ARS) Leptogenesis
brings HNL within reach of colliders;
LLP search @ beam dump, LHC, future collider
- ③ CPV B-meson Oscillations
rare B-meson decay; semileptonic charge asym; asymmetric DM



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