

The UHECR Snowmass White Paper CF7 checkpoint

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Timeline

•	White paper coordinators and lead conveners named	Sept 15 ✓
•	Identify & contact the conveners and experiment representatives	Oct 10 🗸
•	Create an outline of the white paper. Inform the community. What is the best structure to be also used for a community-wide roadmap document? Encourage contributions from the community!	Oct 20 ✓ (mini-workshop)
•	Deadline for individual contributions to the various tasks	Nov 20 ✓
•	Report from each science tasks (<10 pages) & experiments (<5 pages) due	Dec 10 ✓
•	Update the suggested requirements on future experiments based on the science task and experiment reports. Request information from the experiment representatives to make (comparative) plots. → We are here!	Dec 15 to Jan 15
•	Include new plots, update experiment section and conclusion of paper.	Jan 20 🗡
•	Draft of the white paper is released for general review	Jan 31 – slipping
•	Solicit external reviews	Mar 1
•	Submit to Snowmass CF7	Mar 15



Synthesis – role of the coordinators and lead conveners

Preliminary Outline

Executive Summary (1 page)

- 1. The Big Questions
- 2. The UHECR Paradigm Shift
- 3. Physics at the Energy Frontier the synergy between UHECRs and Particle Physics
- 4. Pinpointing the Most Extreme Physical Processes in the Universe
- 5. Stepping Up to the New Challenges
- 6. The Next Generation Experiments
- 7. Interdisciplinary science



Mini-workshop #2: January 25, 2022

- Update the community on progress, with a special focus on the science
- Present the main findings of the science tasks
- Discuss how we intend to articulate the white paper around those findings
- Close the loop with the experiment representatives and next-gen experiment proponents

Organizational structure

WP Coordinators: Fred Sarazin, Frank Schroeder, Tonia Venters

Lead Conveners: Alan Coleman, Johannes Eser, Eric Mayotte, Dennis Soldin

TASKS (2-3 conveners per task)

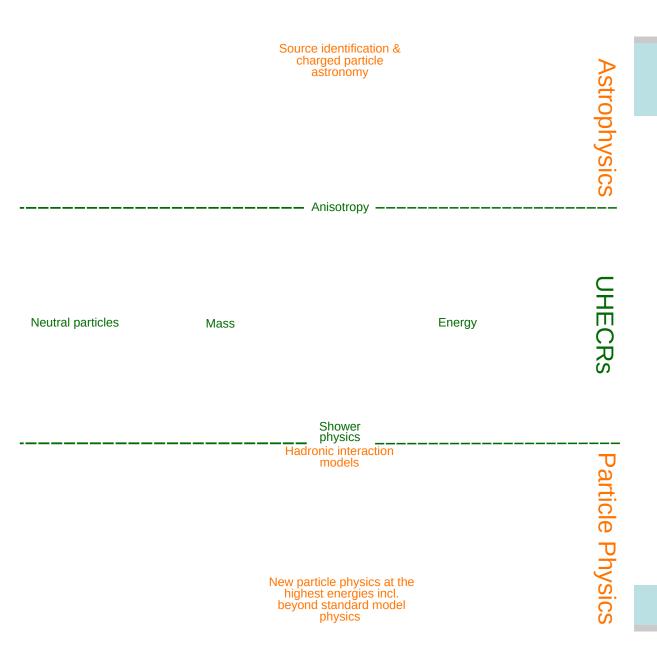
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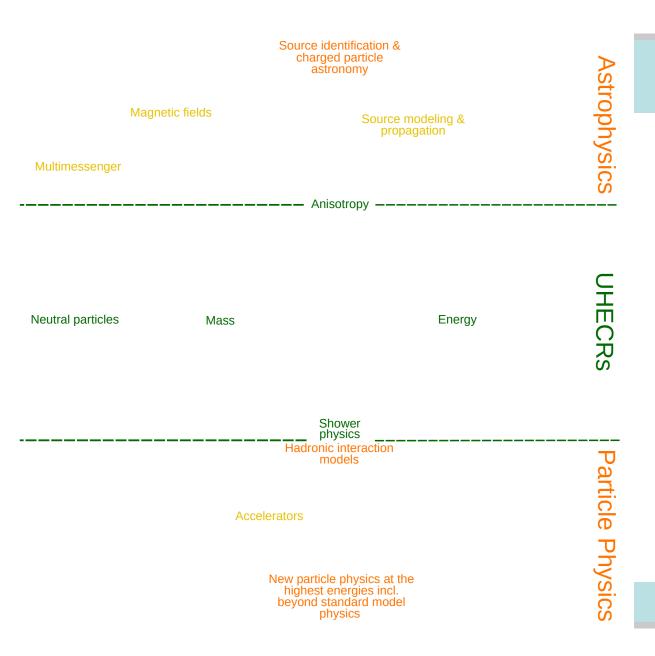
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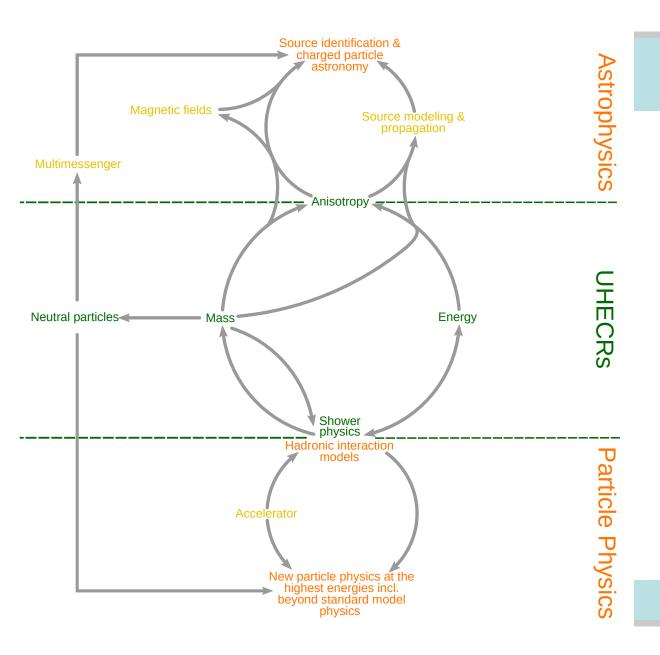
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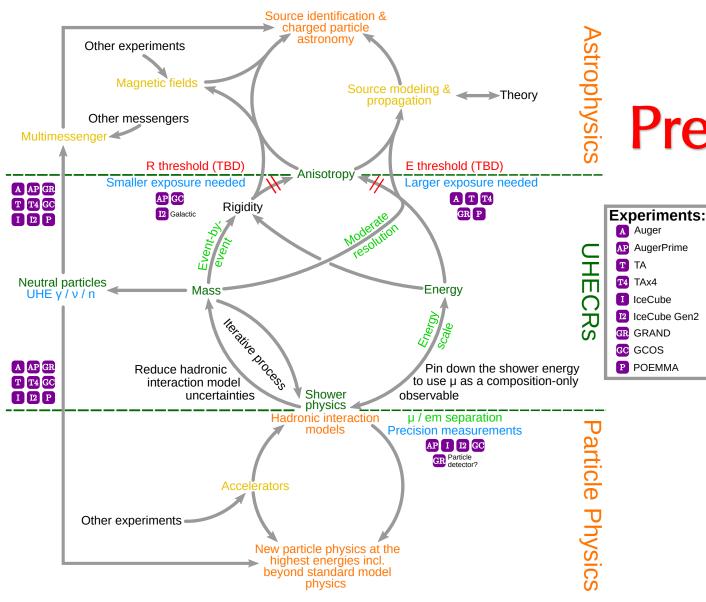
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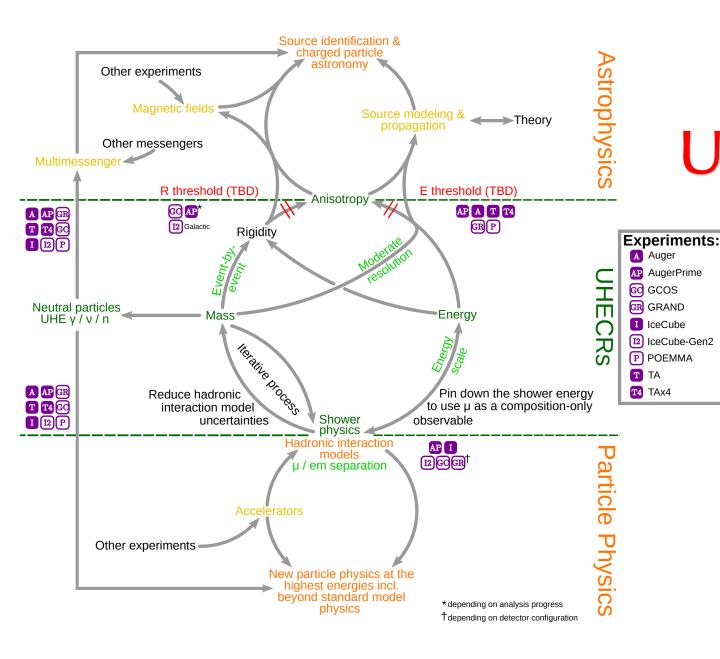
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- Identifying the strategies and where experiments (will) contribute



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The next steps

- Refine the outline
- Populate the white paper
- Identify the gaps and transitions
- Finalize the white paper and send for internal reviews

