

When did we start looking for 'cosmic rays' from outer space?

A long time ago by flying balloons!

Image: Victor Hess before one of his balloon flights over Austria



When did we start looking for 'cosmic neutrinos' for outer space?

A long time ago by building detectors deep underground

Image: Ray Davis at the Homestake Mine during construction of his solar neutrino experiment.



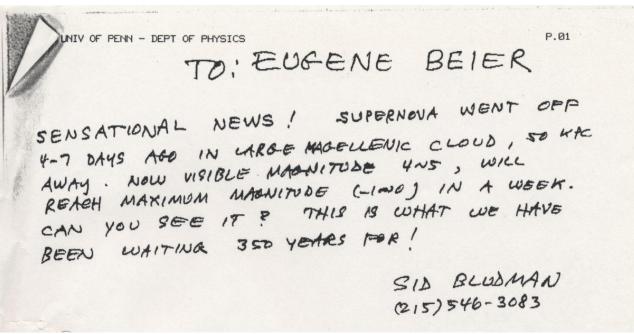
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23rd February 1987 light from a nearby star exploding arrived at Earth

Image: Before (right) and after (left) images of SN1987A from the Anglo-Australian Observatory

25th February 1987 a fax sent to Japan

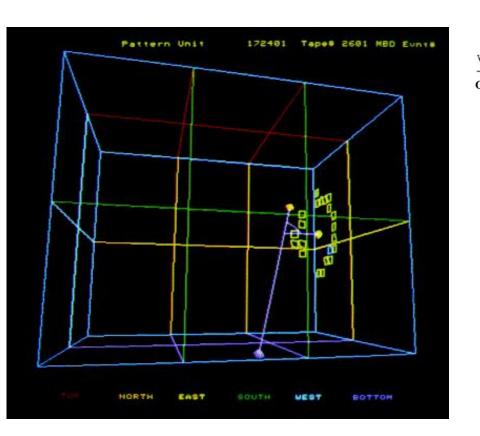
Image: The fax which was sent asking if the Kamiokande detector could see the supernova



28th February 1987 a printout of the first observation of neutrinos from outside our solar system

Image: A printout of number of photosensors vs time. Eventually determined 11 neutrinos were detected in 13 second span.





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Observation of a Neutrino Burst in Coincidence with Supernova 1987A in the Large Magellanic Cloud

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A burst of eight neutrino events preceding the optical detection of the supernova in the Large Magellanic Cloud has been observed in a large underground water Cherenkov detector. The events span an interval of 6 s and have visible energies in the range 20-40 MeV.

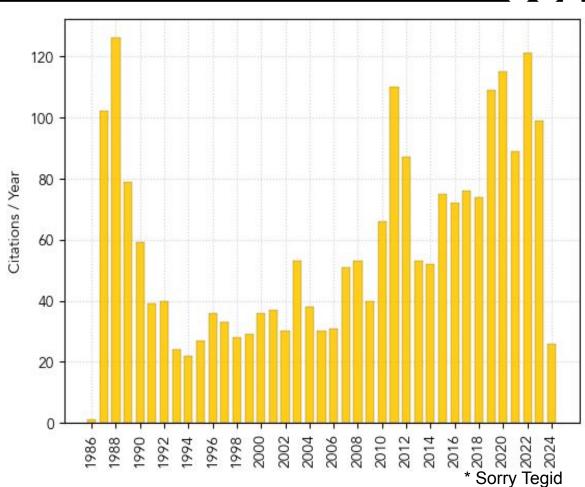
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Also seen in the IMB experiment

Our first actual measurement of astrophysical (defined for this slide as from outside the solar system)

Plot: Shows citations per year for the Kamiokande-II* paper reporting the measurement of 11 (eleven) neutrinos from Supernova 1987A

Are these the most cited particles of all time?



Why look for cosmic messengers?



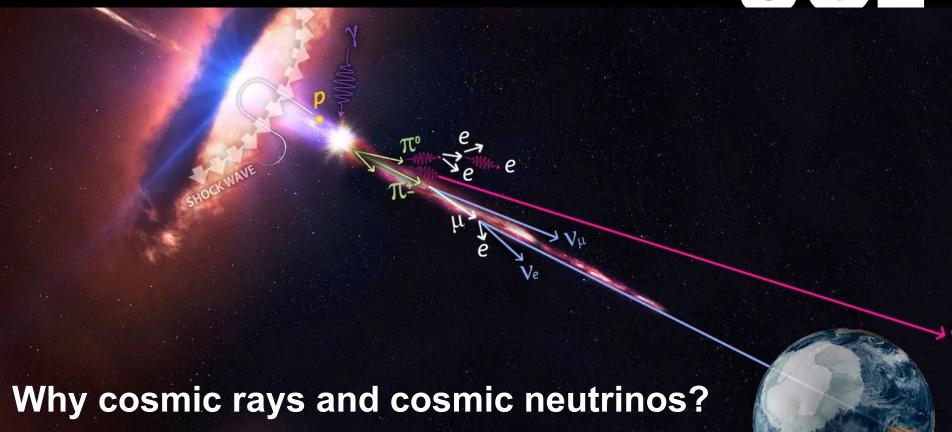


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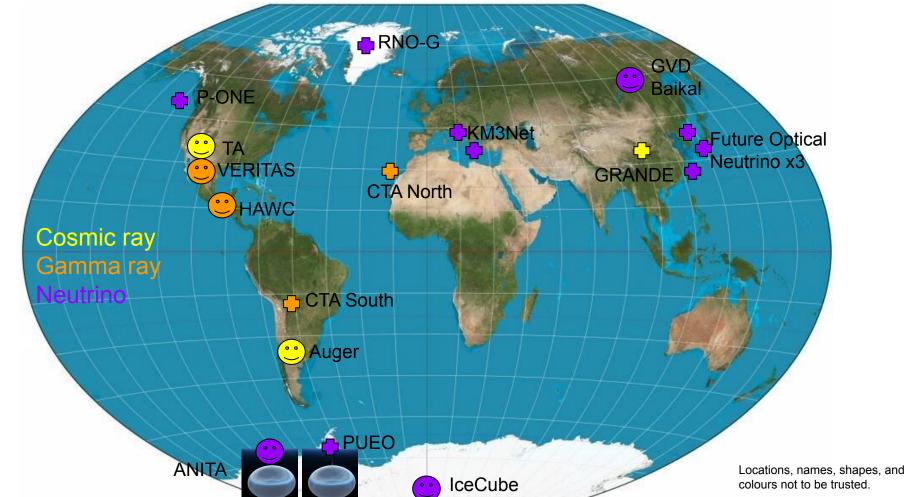
The Mountain Climber





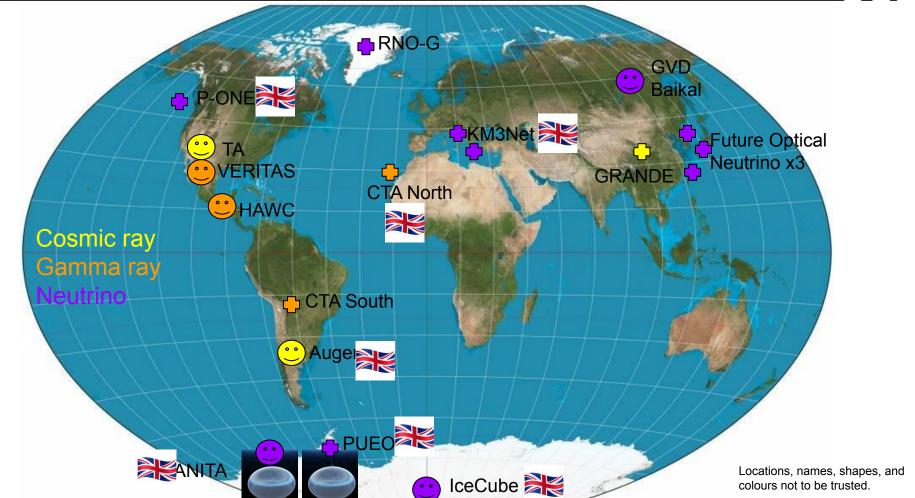
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Cosmic Rays

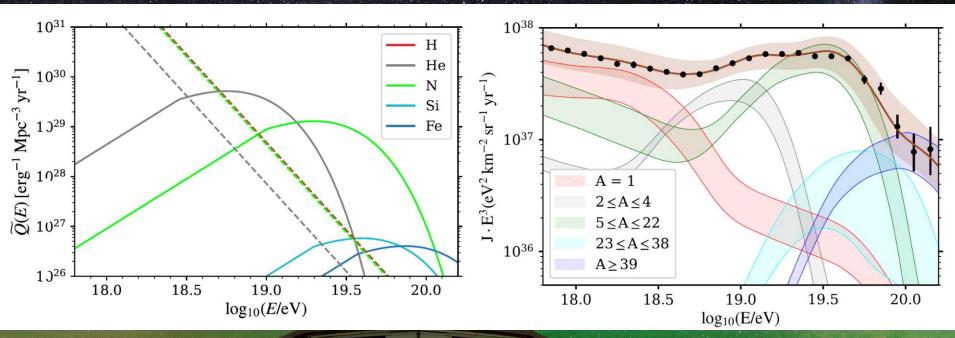
UCL

- Pierre Auger Observatory
 - Once a UK-led experiment
 - World's largest cosmic ray air shower detector since 2023
 - Scientific highlights
 - Energy spectrum and mass composition of highest energy cosmic rays
 - Search for origin of high energy cosmic rays
 - Search for ultra-high energy photons and neutrinos
 - Hadronic interaction physics
- Future experiments:
 - POEMMA, GRAND
 - Global Cosmic Obsersatory

Cosmic Rays

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Cosmic ray mass composition



Bad news for cosmogenic neutrinos

Gamma Rays

High-Energy Gamma Rays

- Covers large energy range with different observatories
- Satellites (Fermi, AMEGO (launch 2029), ASTROGAM)
- Imaging Air Cherenkov Telescopes (H.E.S.S., Veritas, MAGIC)
- Ground-based arrays (GRAPES, TAIGA, HAWC, LHAASO, SWGO)
- Main future project within APPEC: CTA (ESFRI)





HAWC



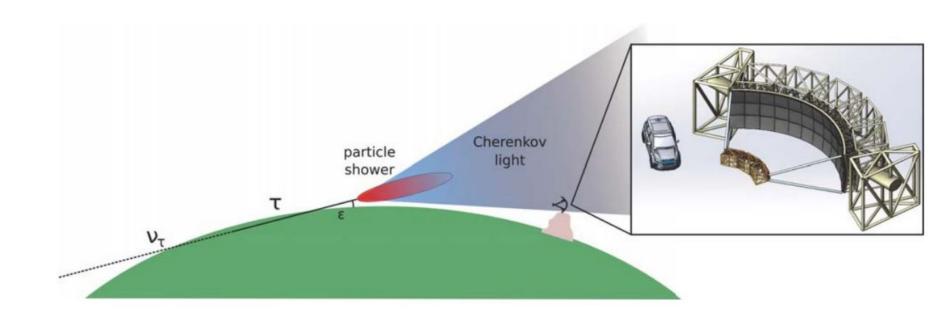


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Turn air shower detector into neutrino detector

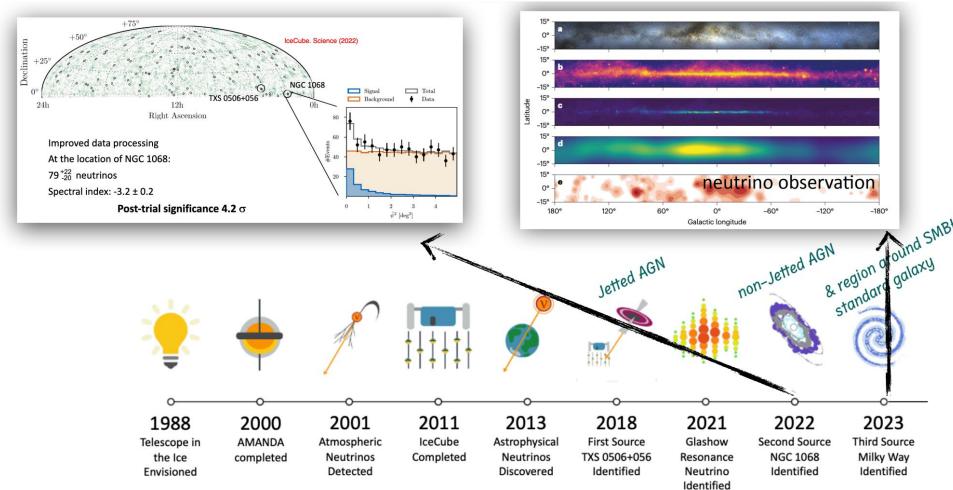


P-ONE Optical Neutrino Experiments



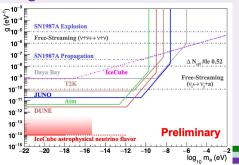


IceCube



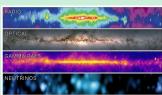
Beyond-the-Standard Model Physics

- Astrophysical neutrino flavour physics for new physics
- Quantum Gravity Nature Physics 18(2022)1287
- Lorentz violation CPT2022,59
- Ultra-light dark matter Pos(ICRC2023)1225

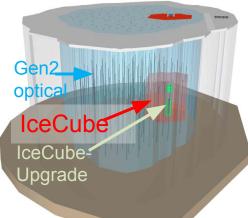


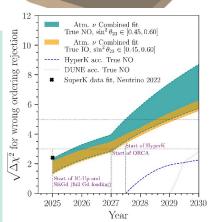
Astrophysical Neutrinos

- New astrophysical neutrino sample (2024) PoS(ICRC2023)1007
- High-energy neutrinos from the galactic plane[†] Science 380(2023)1338



† no direct involvement from IceCube-King's groups





IceCube Science



Detector R&D

- In-Ice scintillator detector

R&D for Gen2 icecube/202311002

- Multi-PMT R&D synergy with HyperK, P-ONE, KM3NeT



Neutrino Oscillations

- IceCube-Upgrade under construction
- Neutrino interaction systematics study
- First 3σ neutrino mass ordering result in 2027 PRX 13(2023)041055
- Joint 5σ NMO result in 2029

Tau Neutrino Observation



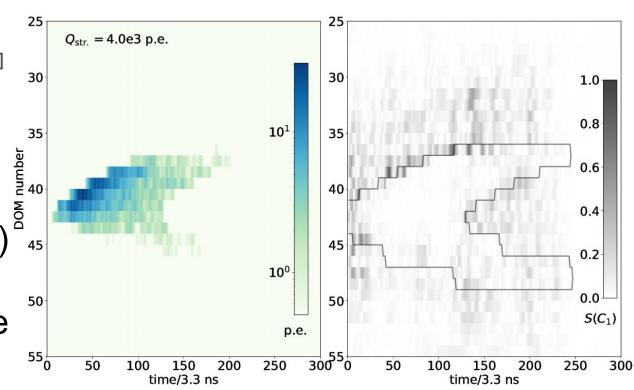
Observation of Seven Astrophysical Tau Neutrino Candidates with IceCube

IceCube Collaboration • R. Abbasi Show All(403)

Mar 4, 2024

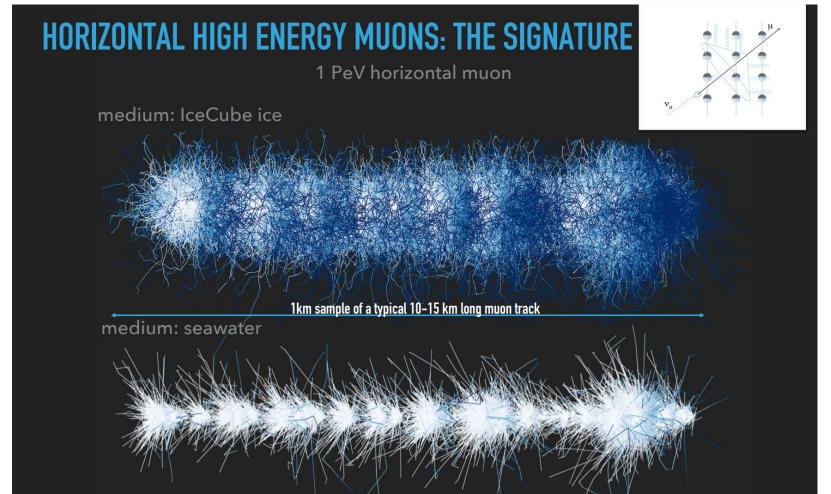
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Slightly fake 'UK' result as Doug Cowen (Penn State) has been on sabbatical over here



Beyond IceCube



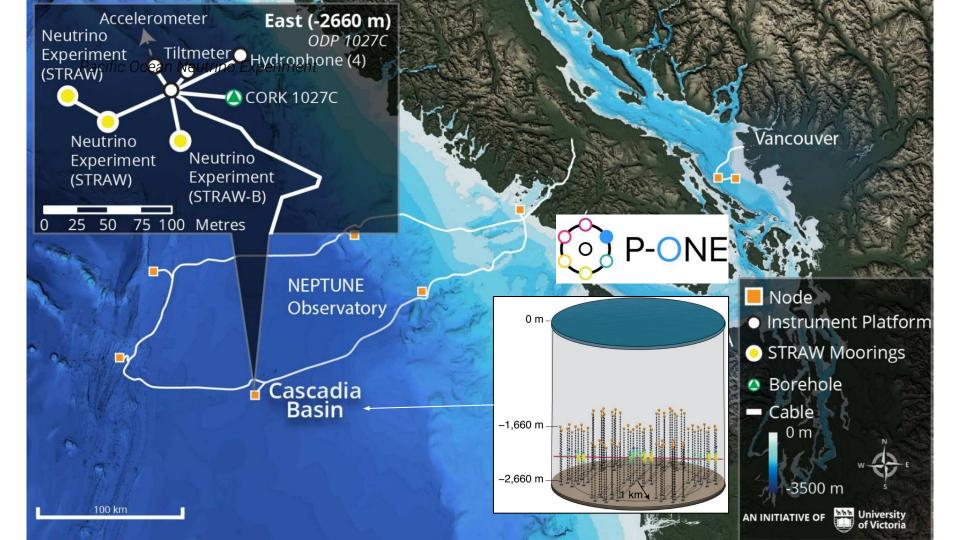


Current KM3NeT activities @ Hull

- ML/Al workgroup looking at better event classification
- Data workflow and processing of event data from shore stations
- Hull HPC to become Tier-1 KM3NeT data processing site for the collaboration
 Neutrino oscillation studies using quantum computing techniques to develop faster models

Cities and Sites of KM3NeT

- Outreach: KM3NeT-focussed exhibits at the Deep submarium in Hull
- Astronomy: Supporting efforts aimed at real-time detection of CC SNe neutrinos and their use in discriminating between models





What's P-ONE?

- km³-scale water Cherenkov detector
- optimized for cosmic neutrinos (100 TeV- PeV)
- opening the northern sky, view on Milky Way centre

Building on consolidated technology

- array of instrumented vertical lines (IceCube)
- multi-PMT optical sensors (KM3Net)
- clustered deployment (GVD)

Innovations and breakthroughs

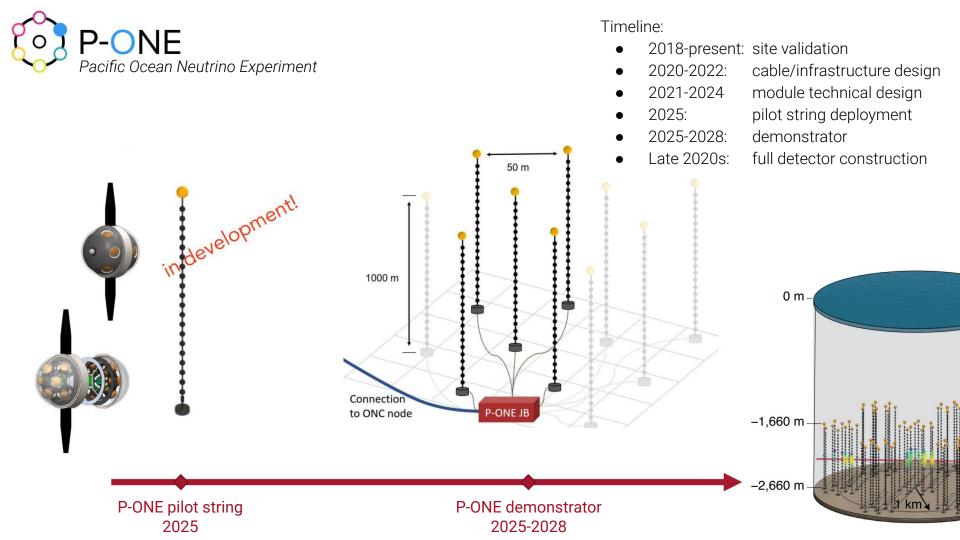
- new cutting-edge line concept
- integrated in large scale oceanographic infrastructure
- focus on modular and scalable design



Optical module baseline design with 16 Hamamatsu R14374-10



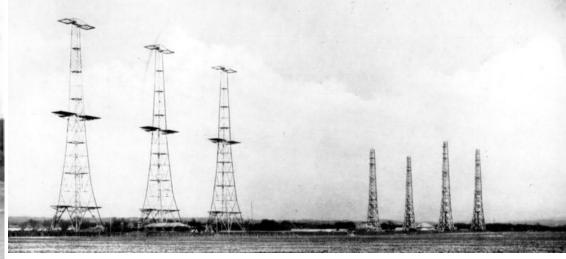
P-ONE module in integration testing





Radar & Particle Physics





Radio echoes and cosmic ray showers

BY P. M. S. BLACKETT, F.R.S., AND A. C. B. LOVELL

(Received 22 October 1940)

TAL TRANSMITTER BROADSIDE ARRAY 1800 m O SCHLIDSCOPE DELAY RECEIVER Setting Up at Jodrell Bank, July, 1964 area ~ 1,700 T~ 450°K

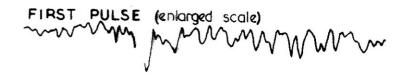
Radio detection of cosmic rays

RADIO PULSES FROM EXTENSIVE COSMIC-RAY AIR SHOWERS

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Jodrell Bank

The First Event

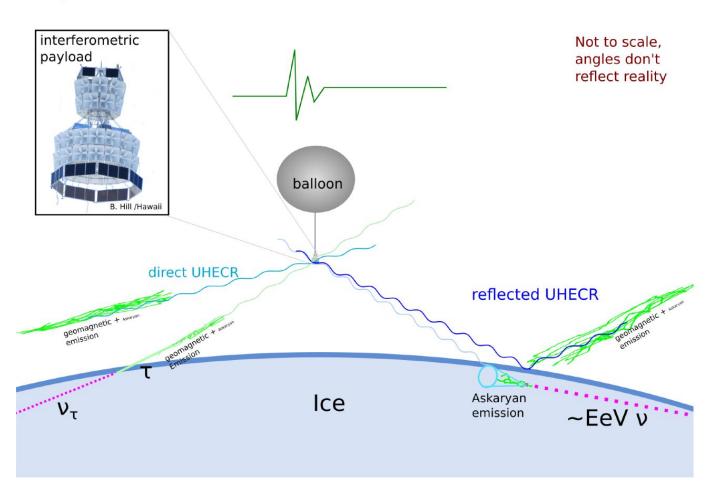


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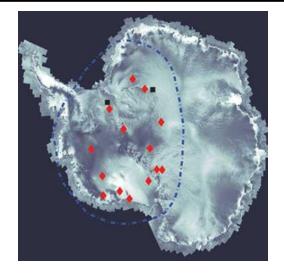




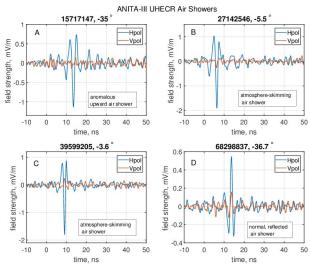




ANITA results



No neutrinos but lots of cosmic rays.... including some that are going the wrong way



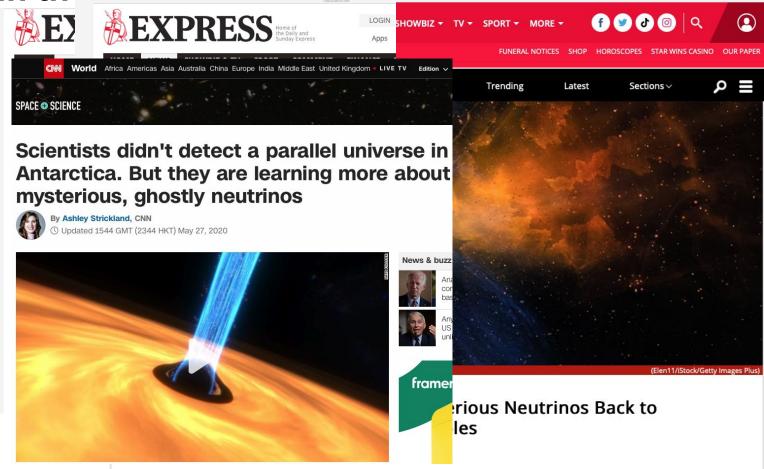
Observation of an Unusual Upward-going Cosmic-ray-like Event in the Third Flight of ANIT

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A Sterile Neutrino Origin for the Upward Directed Cosmic Ray Showers Detected by ANITA



ANITA in the news

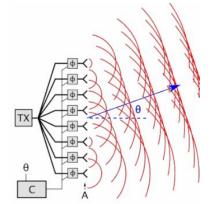


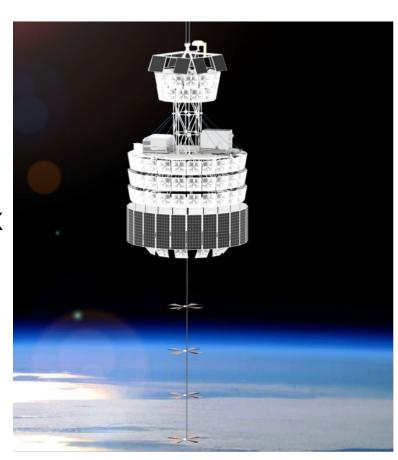


PUEO: Payload for Ultrahigh Energy Observations

- A new name and a new paradigm
 - Embracing the technological advances to implement a trigger based on high-bandwidth digital filtering and beam forming
 - Prototype digitisation system based on XILINX RFSoC under development at UCL









- We have entered the era of multi-messenger astronomy
- Shedding new 'light' not only on astrophysics but also particle physics
- PUEO scheduled to fly next year
- Next decade will see the turn on of the next generation of cosmic observatories (CTA, P-ONE, etc.)







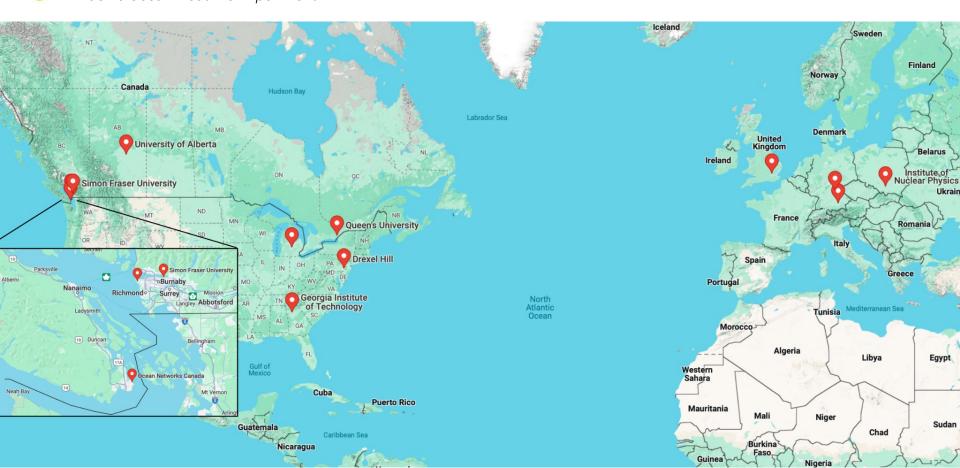








12 institutions, ~60 members





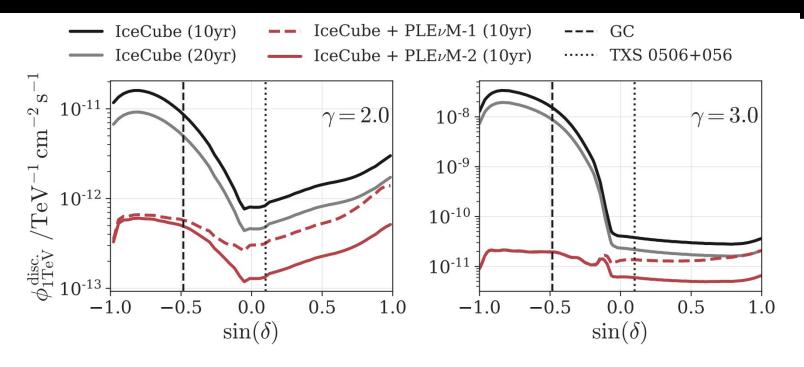


Figure 3: Comparison of discovery potentials (DP) for two spectral indices: $\gamma = 2.0$ (left) and $\gamma = 3.0$ (right). The DP is calculated for an neutrino flux per source with a spectrum of $d\Phi/dE = \Phi^{disc.} \cdot (E/1 \text{ TeV})^{-\gamma}$ at 1 TeV. Shown are the DPs based on the 10yr PS analysis by IceCube [3] (black), an estimate with a livetime of 20 yrs (gray), PLE ν M-1 including IceCube (dashed red) and PLE ν M-2 including IceCube ×7.5 (solid red).