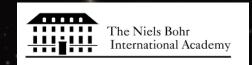




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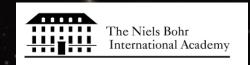


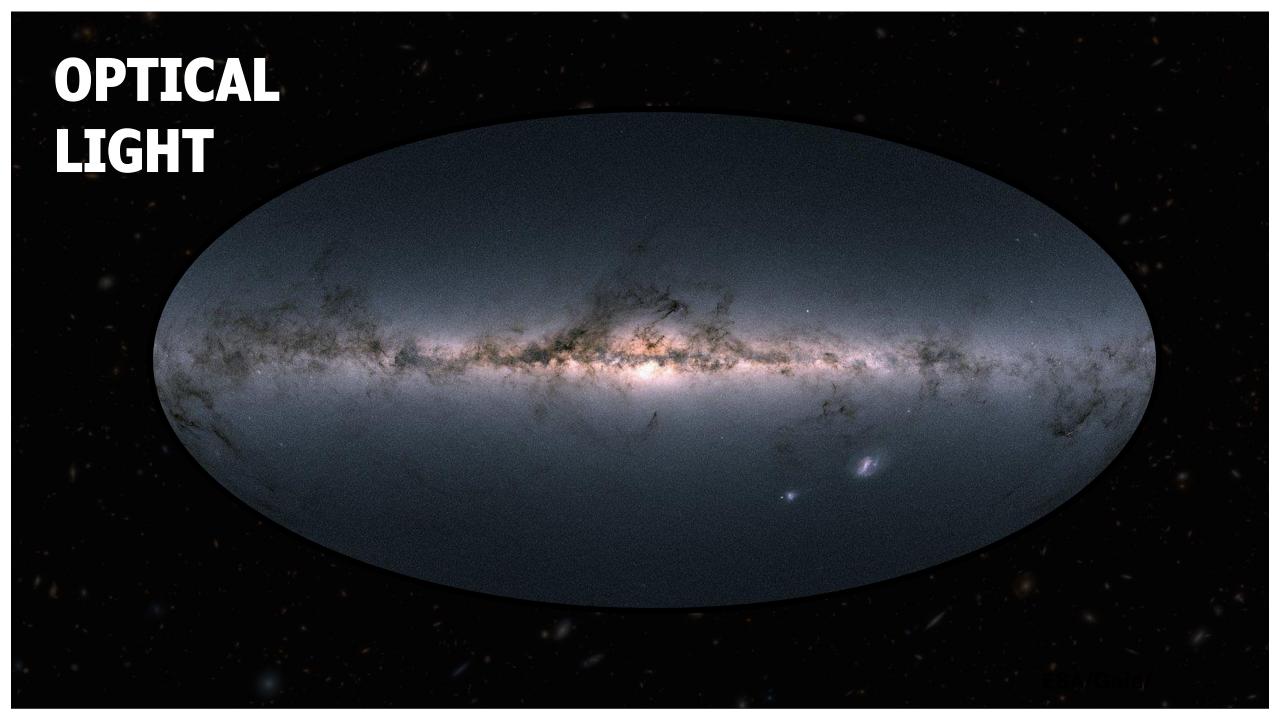


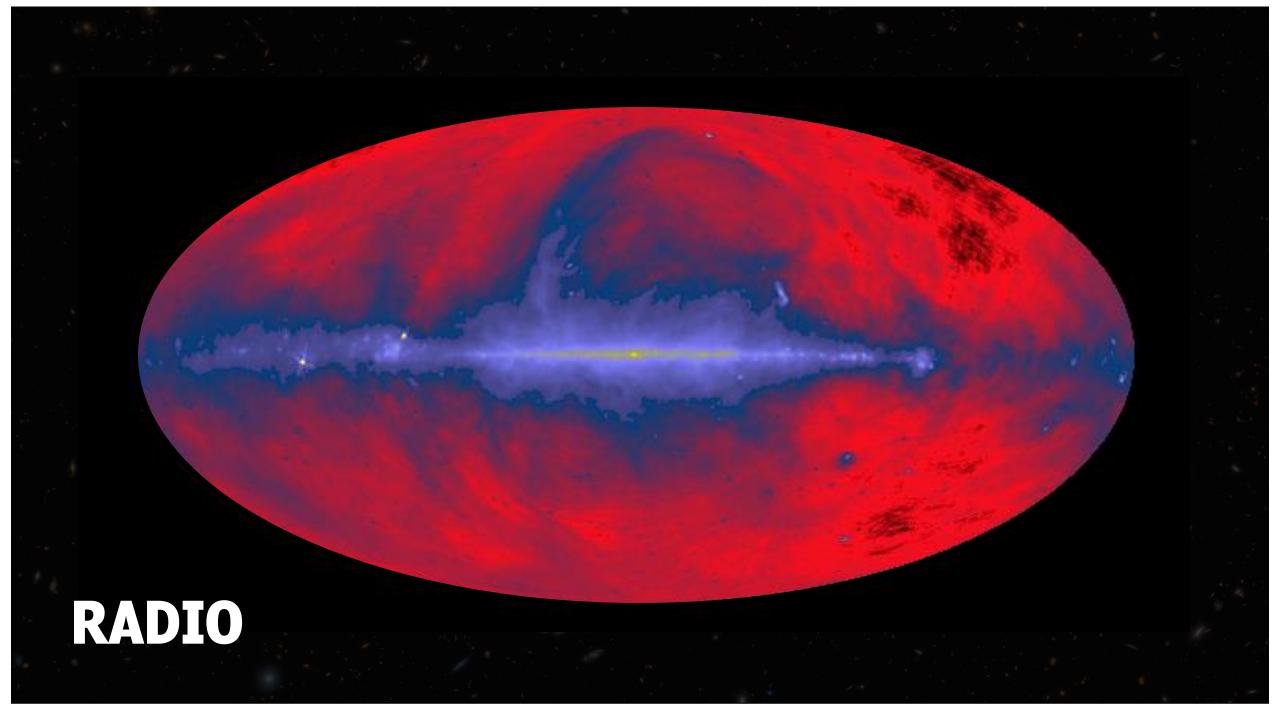
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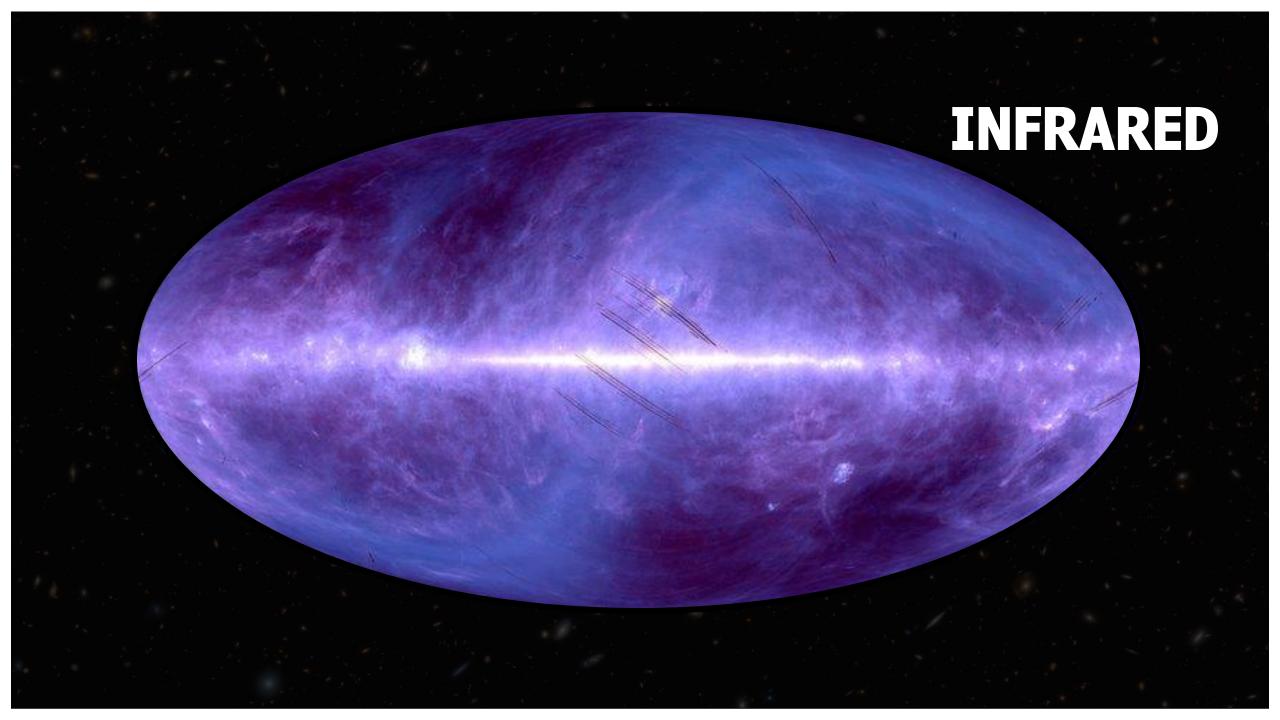
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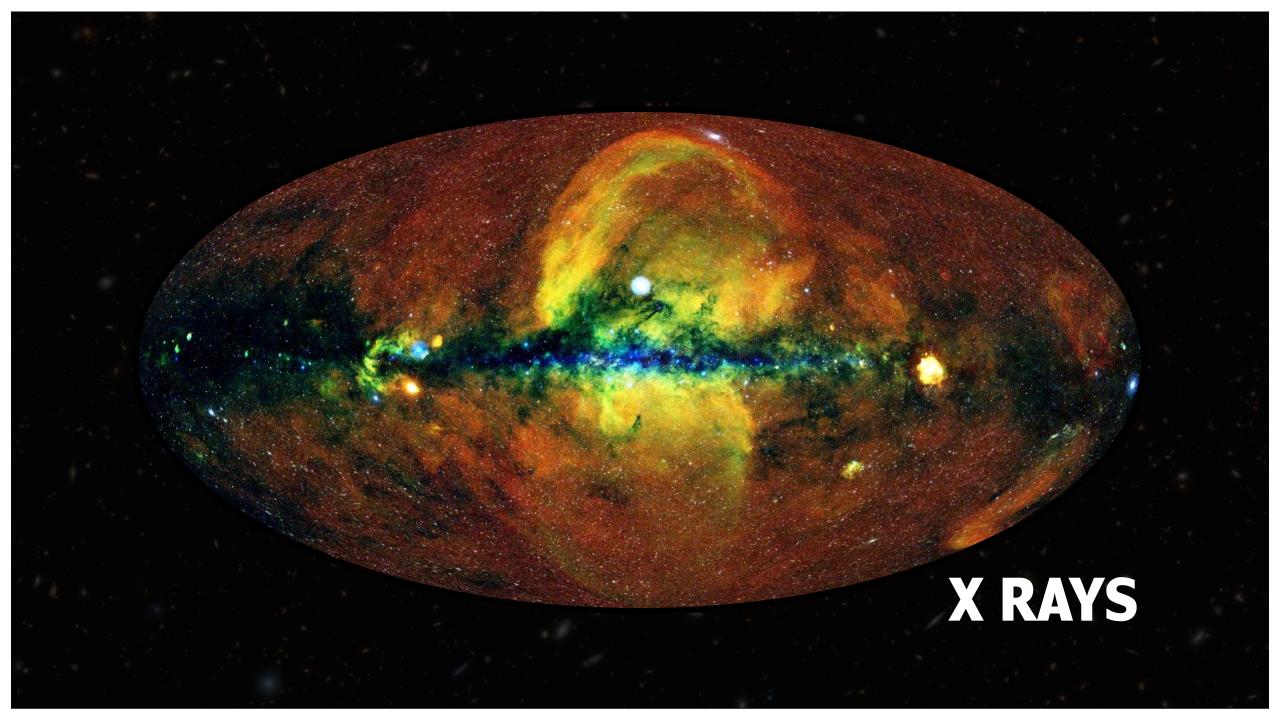
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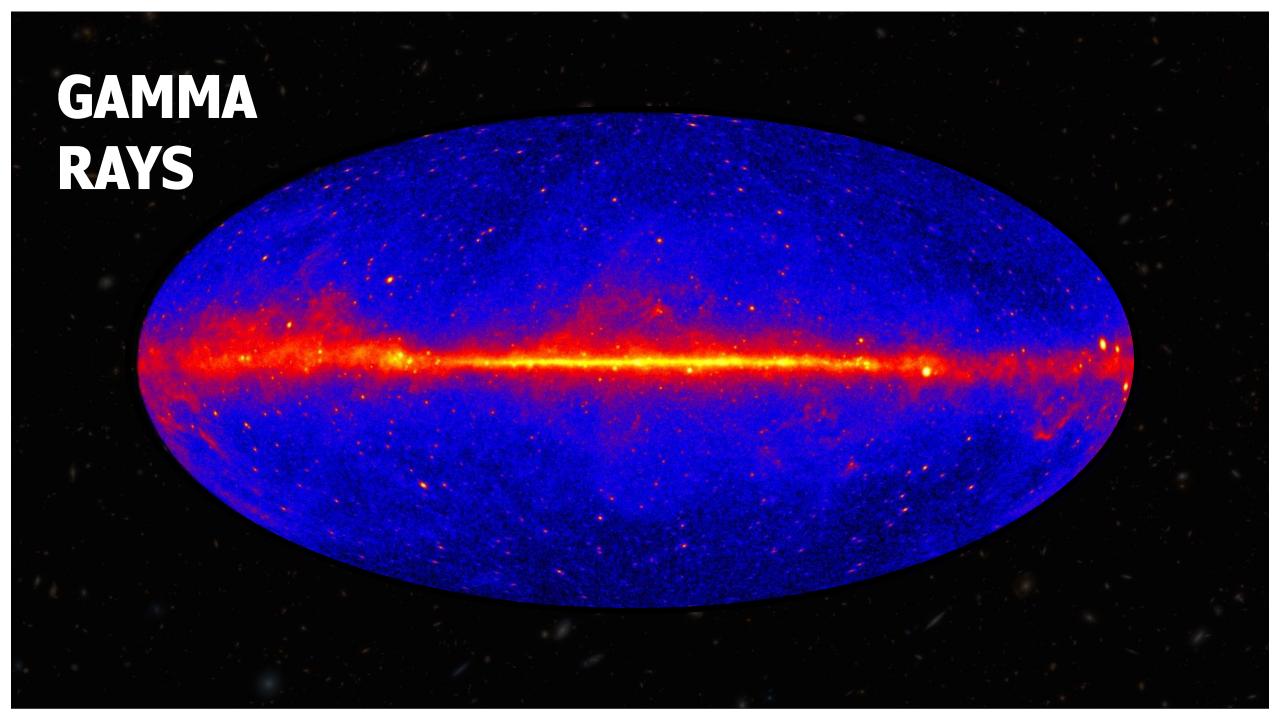


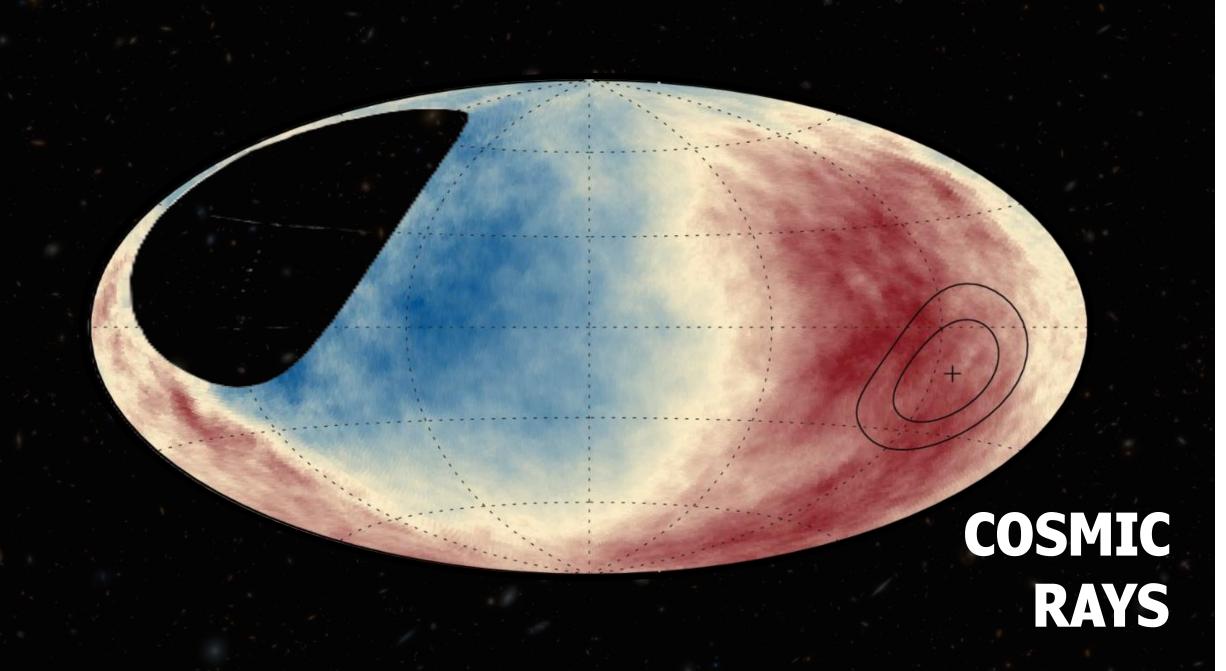




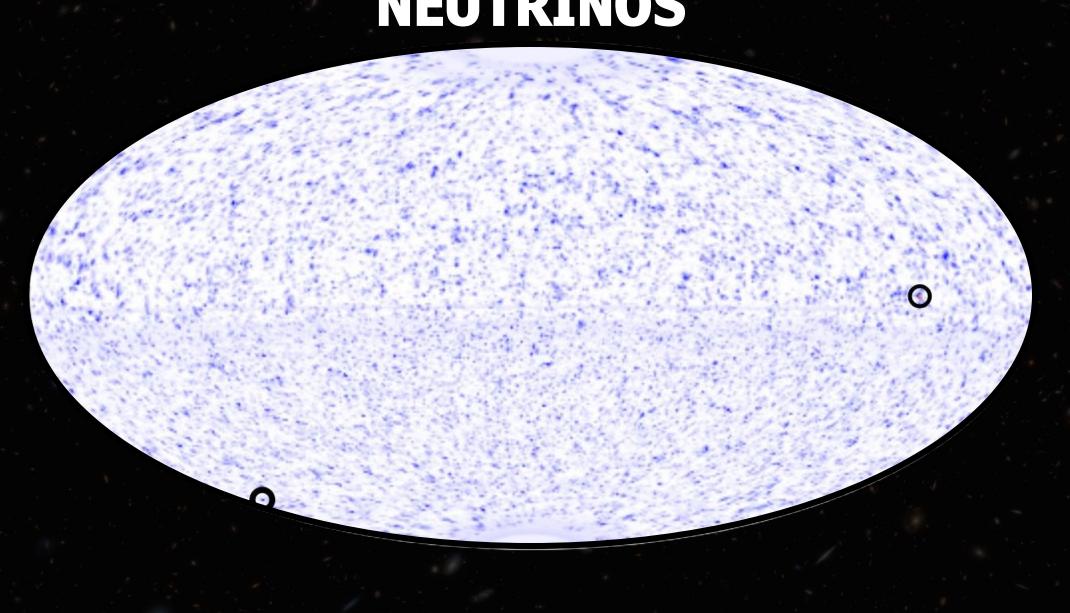




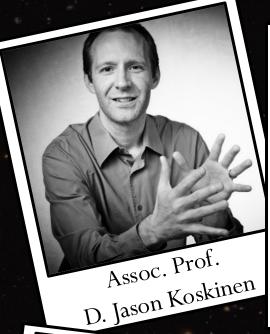






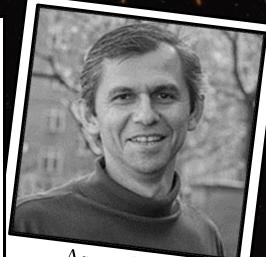


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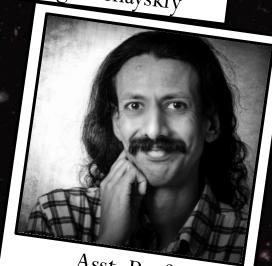
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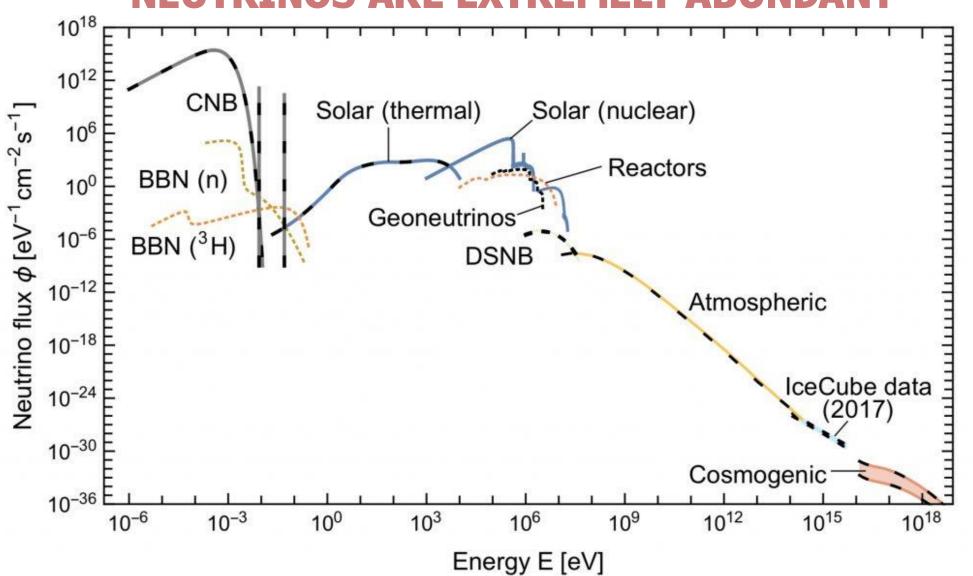


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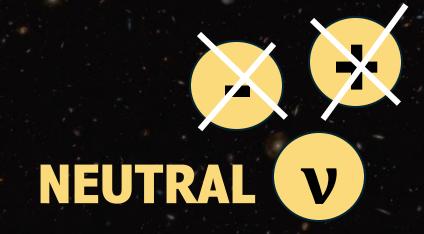
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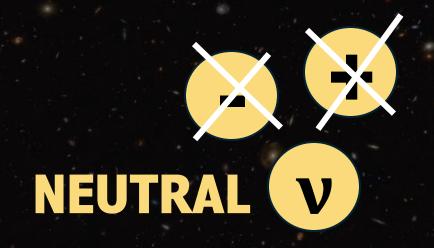






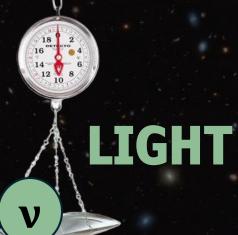




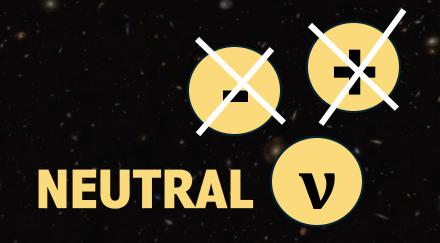












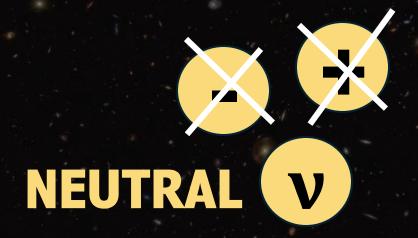




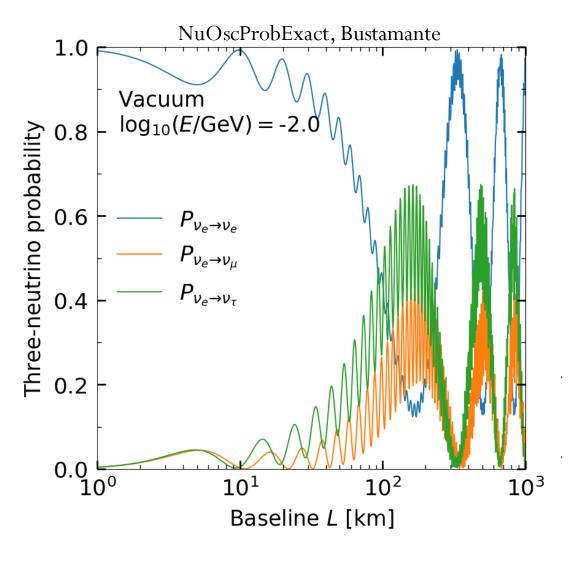








### **NEUTRINOS CHANGE FLAVOUR**



Neutrinos oscillate between flavours while they propagate (depending on their **energy** and the **distance** travelled).

- · 'Survival' probability
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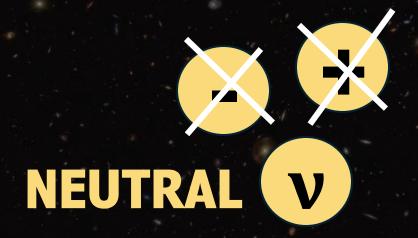










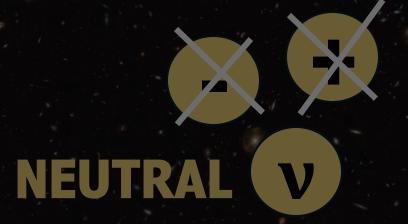


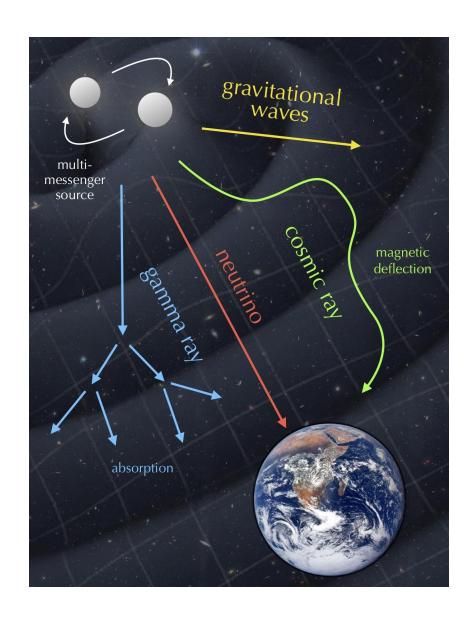




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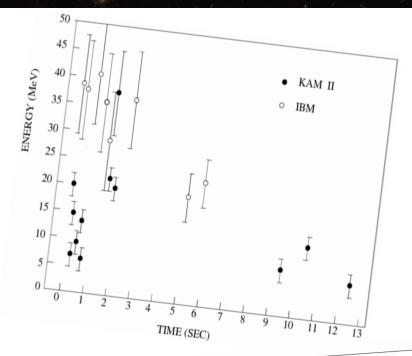




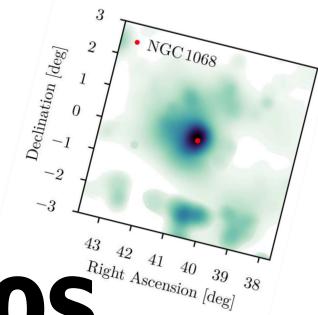
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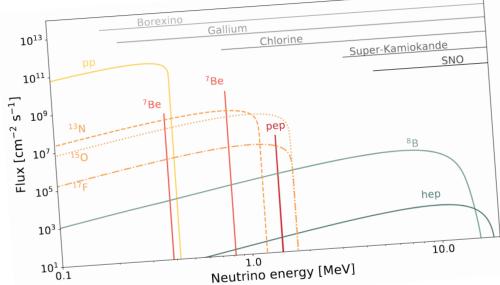


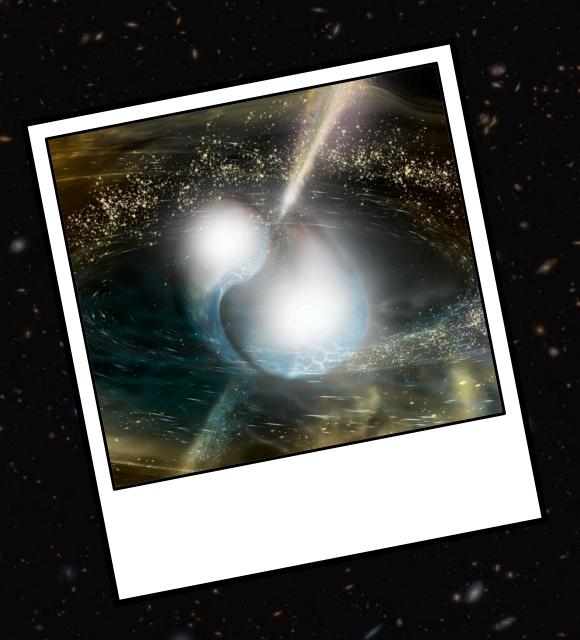




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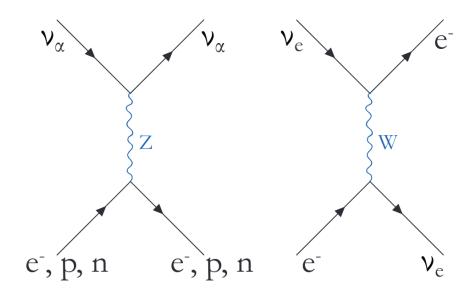
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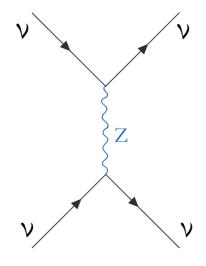


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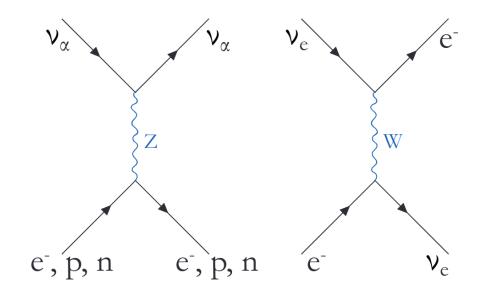
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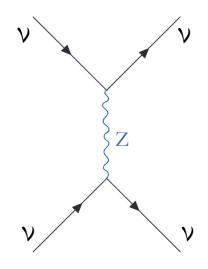
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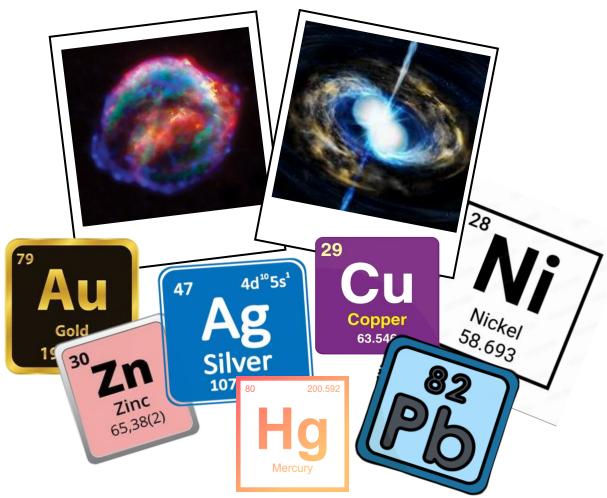


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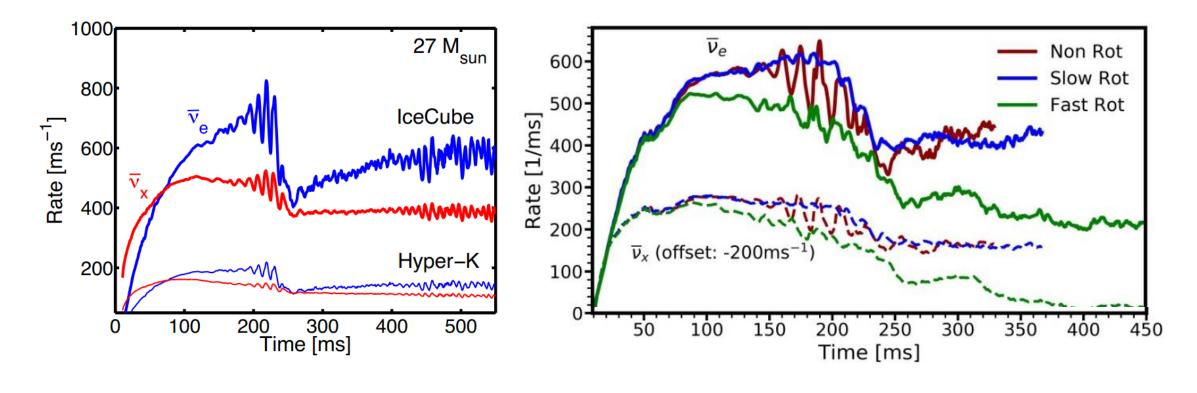
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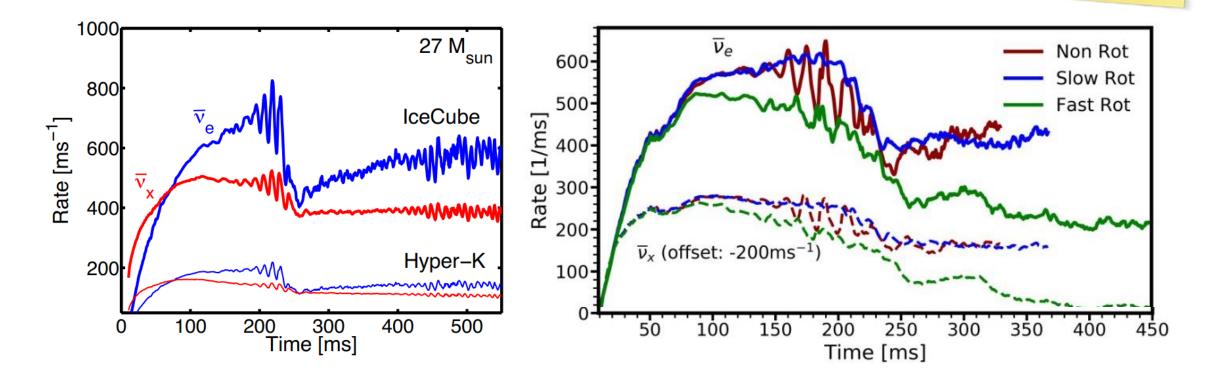


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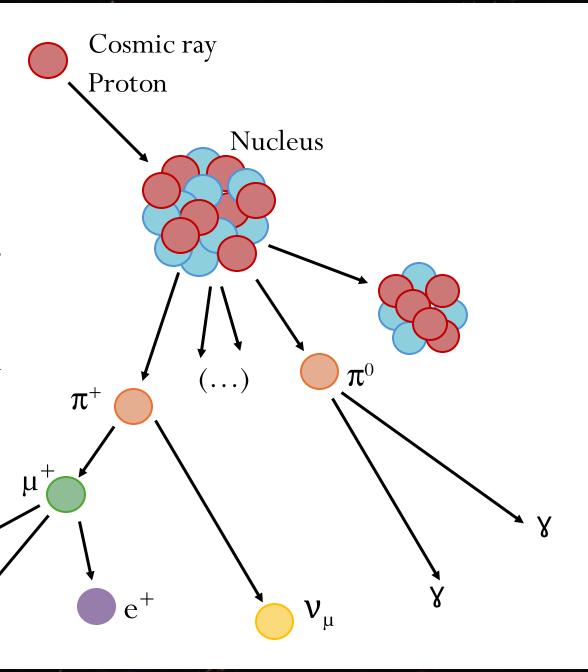
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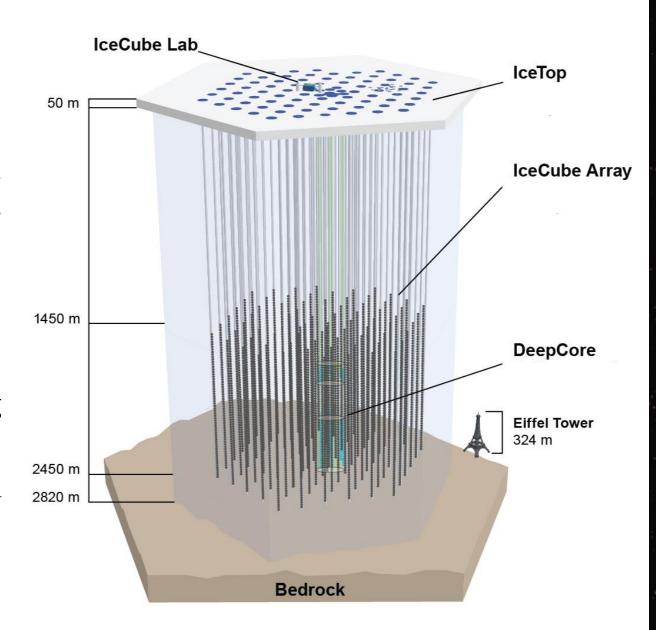
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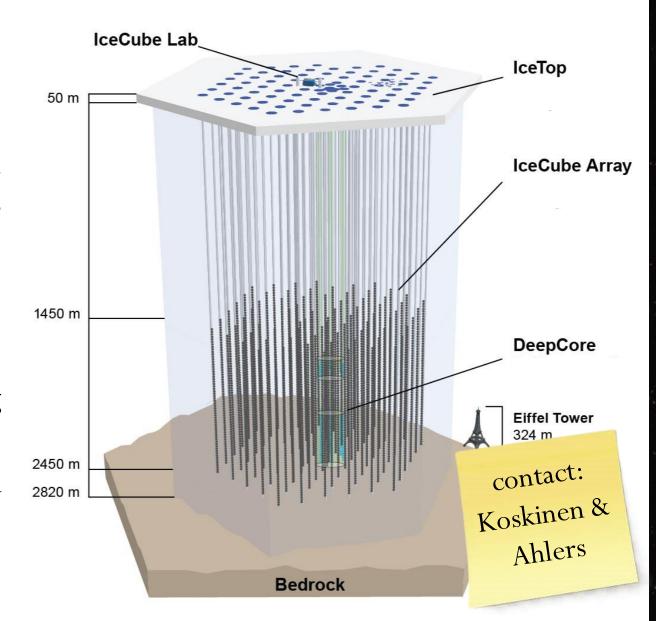
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Optical

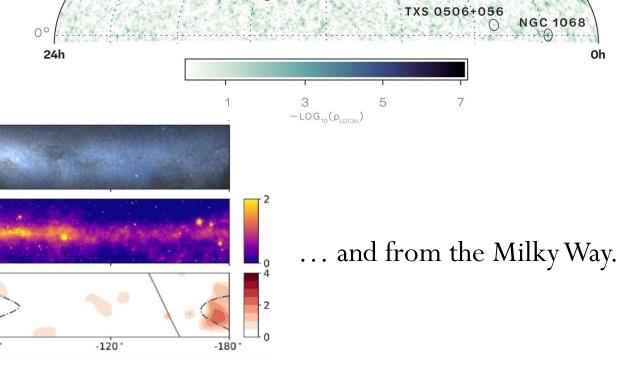
Gamma rays

High-energy neutrinos

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Galactic longitude

180

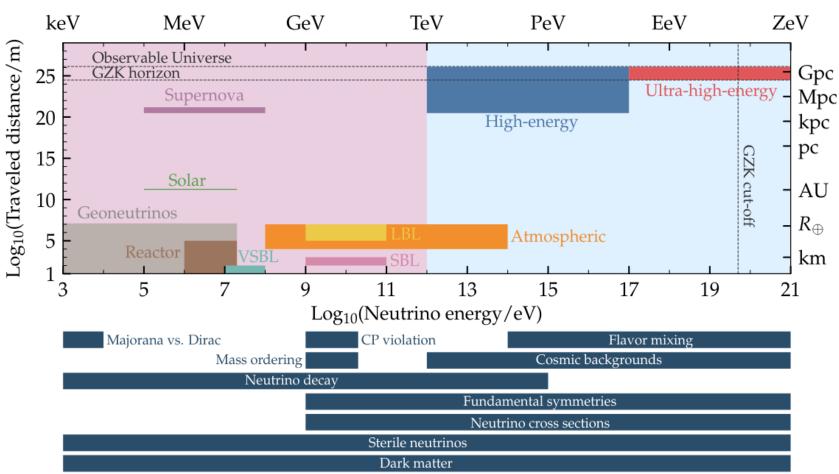


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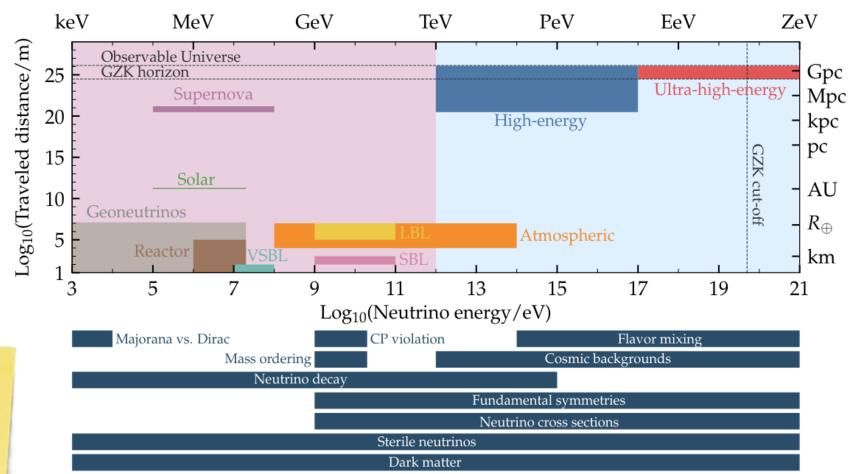
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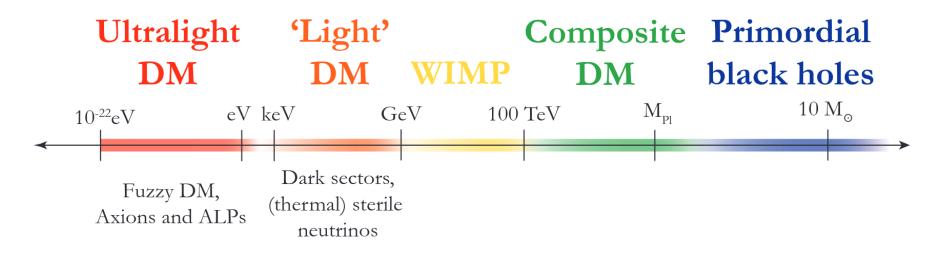
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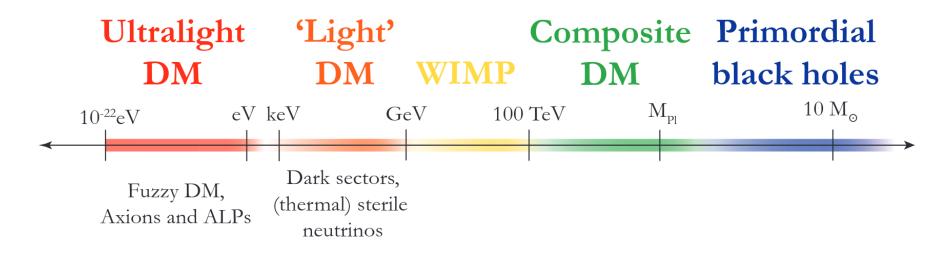


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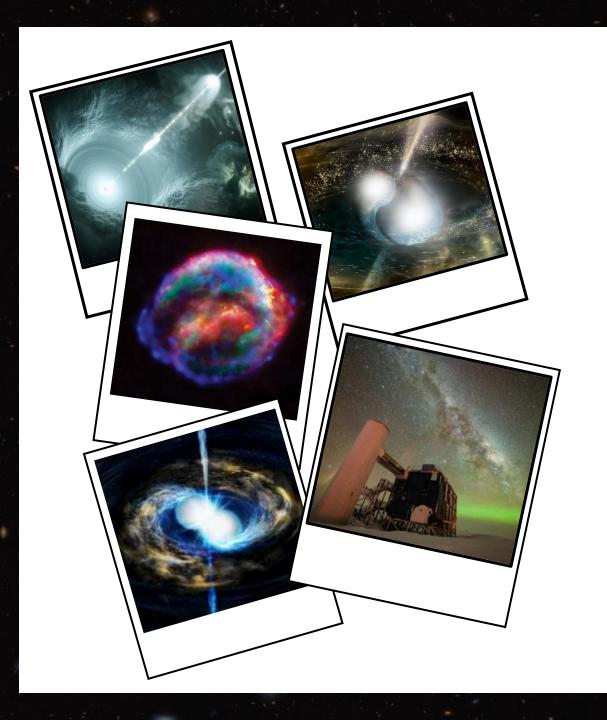
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