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MHEP – Experiment [since ~1990]: 9 Faculty Members Wen-Chen Chang (章文箴) [as convener]





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Success of Standard Model in HEP But Unknown Remains





Early Universe, gravity 2

https://atlas.web.cern.ch/Atlas/GROUPS/PHYSICS/PUBNOTES/ATL-PHYS-PUB-2022-009/

https://atlas.cern/Discover/Physics





Collider

ATLAS, EIC, CEPC Fixed-target (Hadron)

TEXONO.∨@KSNL Dark Matter (AMS, TEXONO.DM@CDEX, TASEH)

Gravi. Wave

KAGRA TEXONO.GR@LIGO









Instrumentation

ASGC

CMS service challenge, ASGC infrastructure and build up the received 20TB of data from CERN at an average rate of 56 Mbit/s from 14 July to 14 August. The

Collider Physics Search for new particles and new physics

Astroparticle Physics Study cosmic-rays, search for anti-matter, dark matter





AMS 1995~ S. Haino/ Y.H. Chang

Experimental support; Detectors Construction & Applications



ASGC (Academia Sinica Grid

From HEP to e-Science



Neutrino & Dark Matter **Physics** With low energy detectors **Axion Physics Micro-wave Cavity Searches**



TEXONO 1996~ H.T. Wong



TASEH 2020~ Y.H. Chang + QMP



Computing Center)

Computing Y.H. Chang/E. Yen

Hadron Physics probing nucleons by GeV photons and hadrons



Gravitational Wave New tool to study our universe



Information & Details: Refer to Individuals' Reports

Collider Physics Search for new particles and new physics



ATLAS 1999 ~ 王嵩銘/侯書雲





Total cross-section / Standard Model prediction $\mu = 1.05 \pm 0.06 = 1.05 \pm 0.03 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.03 \text{ (exp.)} \pm 0.04 \text{ (sig. th.)} \pm 0.02 \text{ (bkg. th.)}.$ (benefits also from reduced theory uncertainty)







Astroparticle Physics Study cosmic-rays, search for TRD anti-matter, dark matter • TOF AMS 1995~ SINU 灰野禎一/張元翰 No et 5 25 OF **Positron Spectrum** RICH AMS-02 Fit with Eq.(4) and 68% C.L. band Ê³ Φ_e• [GeV² m⁻² sr⁻¹ s⁻¹] P P Fe e⁺ He e-5 C_s [m⁻²sr⁻¹s⁻¹GeV⁻¹] TRD 64 66 68 70 72 74 r Υ . Source term ÷ TOF Tracke Magne ं RICH **Diffuse term** PRL 122, 041102 (2019) ECAL Cosmic Ray Physics Strangelets Physics example Dark matter Antimatter Energy [GeV] 10 100 1000

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Search for Axion Dark Matter with Frequency [GHz]
Haloscope type experiment:

Measure Axion-converted photons (in microwave band) with a cavity in a 20mK environment with 9 Tesla field.

- Project started in 2020 with NSTC Vanguard project, first result obtained in 2021 and published 2022.
- Developing quantum-limited-added-noise amplifier in Taiwan to improve the sensitivity by a factor of 10.





Gravitational Wave New tool to study our universe









• Proton Therapy Detector 質子治療探測器



ASGC

- ASGC was established in 2006 to support the large computing requirement for **ATLAS and CMS experiments**
 - One of the 11 initial Tier 1 center. The only Tier-1 in Asia, jointly funded by NSC and AS ٠
 - Provided ~6% of computing resources to ATLAS at the start of LHC. •
 - Actively participated in the development of the GRID technology with WLCG (World LHC Computing Grid). • Very well respected by WLCG colleagues.
 - NSC withdrawn its support in 2012. Subsequently ASGC terminated the Tier-1 operation for CMS.
- New challenges to ASGC
 - AS has decided to downgrade ASGC Tier-1 to Tier-2 center for WLCG in 2022.
 - 2024 budget for ASGC is down to ~20% of 2022. Network down from 2x10Gbps to 2.5 Gbps. •
 - Establish an AS Core facility to support computing requirements within AS. However, with very limited budget support and request "User charge" policy.
 - Major reduction in manpower and hardware is required based on this level of support.

2022 NSTC called for proposal to establish a medium sized computing facility

- To have O(5000) core and O(10) petabytes storage, mainly for projects in the Physics division.
- Among 10 competing proposals, ASGC won this project with a grant of 25M NT\$/yr -> The expertise • and experiences learned as WLCG Tier-1 is unmatched by any other computing center in Taiwan.
- ASGC is capable of supporting the NSTC core facility together with ATLAS Tier-2 and AS core-facility, but quite marginally. 12
- Infrastructure is old (almost 20 years) and very challenging to maintain.

Achievements Highlights: In Addition to -- Facilities & Teams & "Traditions" Building Participating in ATLAS@LHC@CERN

- Discovery of the Higgs Boson (2012), observation of H->bb (2018)
- Search for New Physics at High Energy Frontiers

✓ National Leadership in Participation in AMS@ISS

- Payload Operation Control Center in Asia ; Major Space Electronics Production
- Precision Measurements of Primary Cosmic Rays
- D Observation of Anomalous Features consistent with Dark Matter
- Studies of Cosmic Anti-matter

TEXONO program at Kuo-Sheng Reactor Neutrino Laboratory

- Studies of Neutrino Electromagnetic Effects at Kuo-Sheng Neutrino Laboratory
- **Still-Best Cross-section Measurement on {electron + electron-anti-neutrinos}**
- Pioneered searches of Light Dark Matter & sub-GeV Germanium Detectors
- Catalyzed Realization of Jinping Underground Laboratory

Hadron Physics

- ➢ Several Generations of Experiments across the Globe; Diverse spectrum of topics
- Characterize d-bar/u-bar in proton (Nature 2021) and pion/kaon partonic structure

✓ ASGC Computing "GRID" Center

- **WLCG (Worldwide LHC Computing Grid) Tier 2 Center**
- Core Facility of AS and Taiwan, for big data analysis and scientific computing

TIDC (Taiwan Instrument and Detector Center)

A consortium of HEP experimental groups for hardware development. The purpose is to share the instrument and technical expertise to maximize the benefit of hardware investment.

- 2020-2021: A first TIDC project supported by MoST, with 3M NT\$ grant, operated by AS, as a pilot program, mainly for organization work.
- 2022-2024: Expect a 8M NT\$/year project, with actual funding for engineers and instruments. Now host by NTU group. (1.7M NT\$ for 2022-2023)
- Development of Silicon detector related technology is the first goal → basically done with the establishment of NTU's silicon detector assembly lab and NCU's silicon detector test lab. Very strong support from AS machine shop.
- Prospects to expand the capacity of TIDC in this 3 year:
 - Establish strong connection with ASGC in ASIoP, to support computing.
 - Radiation hardness test facility

TIDC (<u>https://tidc.phys.ntu.edu.tw/WordPress/</u>)



Schools/Workshops

- ISGC (International Symposium on Grids and Clouds) 2022 (21-25 March, 2022)
- TIDC summer school (June 27 July 2, 2022)
- 10th anniversary of the Higgs boson discovery (July 4, 2022)
- The 1st TIDC EIC workshop (August 18 19, 2022)
- The 2nd TIDC EIC workshop (January 3, 2023)
- ISGC 2023 (19-24 March, 2023)
- HEPiX Spring 2023 (27-31 March 2023)
- PIRE GEMADARC Summer School, Collaboration Meeting and Undergraduate Research Experience (24 May 2 Jun, 2023)
- 2023 TIDC Summer School Of Experimental High Energy (June 26-30, 2023)
- TIDC Autumn School On Electron-Ion Collider (EIC) (August 28-30, 2023)
- Asia EIC workshop (November, 2023)

Future Evolution and Directions: Continuation of On-Going Programs : ✓ ATLAS ; AMS ; TEXONO ; TASEH; Hadron ; GW(KAGRA/LIGO) ; TWGRID **Future Collider Projects R&D** [TIDC, S. Hou ...] ✓ ASIC for Si-Detector for CEPC *** Hadron Physics Program** [W.C. Chang] **E16,E50** experiments at J-PARC hadron physics **V** Towards Electron-Ion Collider, as part of TW-team (>2030) **Experimental Gravitational** [S. Haino, H.T. Wong, with Y. Inoue(NCU)] ✓ In-House R&D on "deci-hertz" GW Detection (CHRONOS project) Cryogenic Techniques; Mirror Coating; Calibration; GW-inspired **Physics** ✓ Integrated domestic GW-related (HEP, Cosmo) Theorists **Explore room in High-Energy Neutrino Astrophysics** [with Theory Gp. A. Fedynitch]

Concerns Raised in 2021 Reviews

- Advanced analysis tool: "At the same time, the group seems to be lacking expertise in advanced physics analysis. In particular, despite strong expertise in scientific computing, there seems to be no machine learning expertise within the group."
- **Being focused**: "As the MHEP experimental group is pursuing many ongoing programs as well as developing several future programs, it is clear that some hard decisions must be made to <u>select the most promising areas</u> of research. This represents a considerable challenge to the leaders of IOP and the MHEP group."
- **Being focused**: "the Review Committee feels that the group may be overstretched in terms of how many areas they are trying to cover, and recommends that new projects and initiatives are carefully weighed against the existing activities, and that forthcoming retirements are used to strengthen these new initiatives."

Regarding the Analysis Tools

- Machine learning algorithms (e.g. Boosted Decision Tree, Neural Net) are already employed in the <u>ATLAS analyses</u> and we will apply more machine learning techniques in future analyses to gain more experience in it.
- Machine learning (use of AI packages to run on GPU for data analysis) has been our emphasis for years and routinely used in <u>AMS data</u> <u>analysis, TOF-PET image reconstruction, ASGC data center monitoring</u> <u>and control</u>.

TEXONO Program – Future Road Map [н.т. Wong]

- **X** TEXONO.v @ neutrino physicis towards reactor vN observation ✓ Reactor decommissioned 2023, operation till 2025, DM analysis ✓ sub-keV EC-PCGe R&D, reduce threshold via new configuration ✓ Options of moving [O(100eV) ECGe's] to international labs to continue (>2025)
- **X TEXONO.DM @ CDEX-300 @CJPL**
 - \checkmark 14-m diameter cryostat \rightarrow operation & DAQ & Analysis
 - $\mathbf{v} \mathbf{0} \mathbf{v} \mathbf{\beta} \mathbf{\beta}$ grade background control for DM searches
 - **V** Light DM Searches with Diverse BDM scenario
 - \square Explore Ge1T "World Experiment" for $0\nu\beta\beta$

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 \mathbf{V}/χ -atom interactions; Time-of-Flight in DM & BSM; QM coherency in vN elastic

X TEXONO.GR @LIGO,CHRONOS @ASGRAF IIGO: Calibration, Mirror Coating, Cryogenics, Physics **CHRONOS** project









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Urgent Issusion: Recruiting

- In 2022, we interviewed three candidates with BGs on collider physics: one junior and two senior ones.
- The junior one did not match our expectations well. One senior colleague did not fit because he would like to stay at CERN due to family constrain. The other senior colleague was not considered due to age and his immediate/long-term research plan.
- We keep looking for the candidates on collider physics and GW.

Summary

- Future projects are classified under two themes of "**Collider**" and "Gravitational Wave", commonly supported by "Instrumentation".
- TIDC is a framework where the HEP expertise is shared among the whole Taiwan HEP community.
- We participates in World-wide GW Observatories, via contributions to two different sub-programs.
- Faculty recruiting in the order of preference: Collider (LHC, EIC, CEPC(ILC/CLIC/FCC)); GW.