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Day 27, 19.04.2018

Particle Physics 2

# housekeeping

The end game: next slide

Particle Physics:

**Readings:** Oerter and Hobson

***Hobson\_PP.pdf is chapter 17 out of Hobson***

Homework #12 is all from MasteringPhysics - normal due date

Feynman Diagram rules

3 movies in the lecture slide directory - you'll need them for homework and the final

they are: primitiveDiagrams\_X. mp4

where  $X = 0,1,2$





# last 2 weeks & final

Homework #13 will be assigned 4/21 and due 4/28 - normal rotation

On-line final exam will be assigned Sunday, 4/29 and due Tuesday night, May 1

will cover material since midterm plus the last week of class

There is 1 more 10 point quiz (stay tuned)...

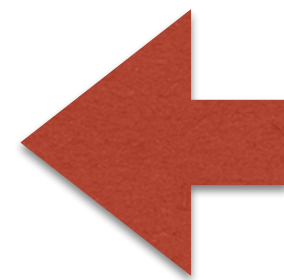
only the shadow knows when

Remember when I was sick?

been trying to catch up, but not going to make it. Hence:

Final Exam day:

1. You'll arrive at 0745 on May 4, here. I know.
2. I'll provide bagels. You supply liquids.
3. We'll have a quiz.
4. I'll finish with about a 1 hour grand finale, lalapalooza, mind-bending lecture
5. You'll do your Feynman Diagram Project
6. There will be no poster project this year



*I'm willing to rethink this*

# honors project began

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contains:

the first instructions: the plan & tutorial

the second instructions – v2 uploaded, added a missing student

the data, assigned by name in the second instructions - see next

dates:

complete first part, March 16

analyze data by April 24 and hand in complete writeup at the final exam

# the data



should have been in zipped format

rather, somehow they were unzipped in some process

*fixed: now*

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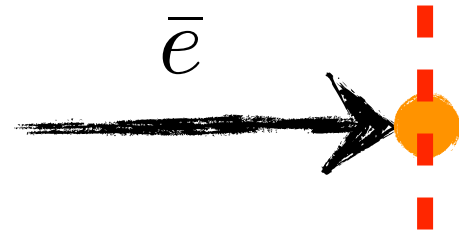


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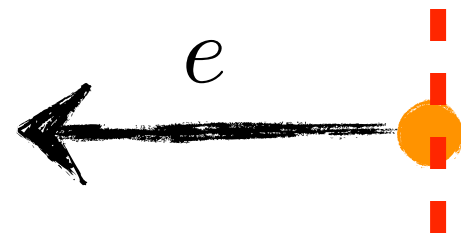
# particles in time

An anti-electron...coming **into** an **initial** state to a node:



*is the same thing as*

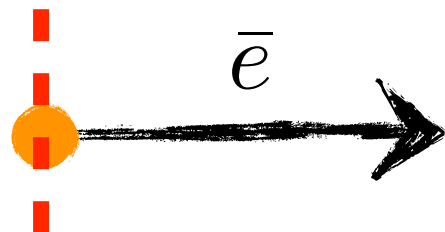
An electron coming **out** of an **initial** state (?)



Yes, this makes sense

Nope, this makes no sense...time-backwards

An anti-electron...coming **out** of a **final** state:



*is the same thing as*

An electron coming **into** a **final** state (?)

Yes, this makes sense

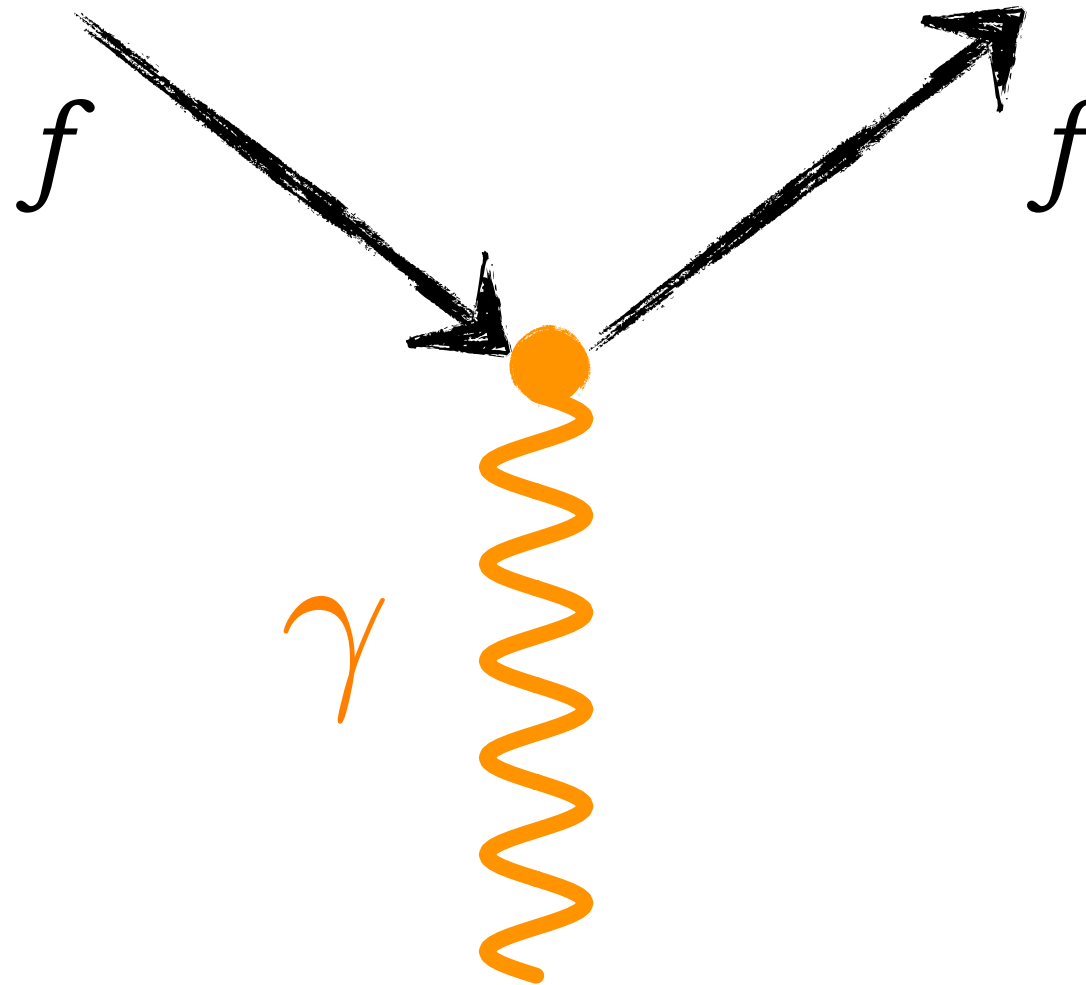
Nope, this makes no sense...time-backwards



# primitive diagrams

are general

but this is completely general...for any charged fermion:




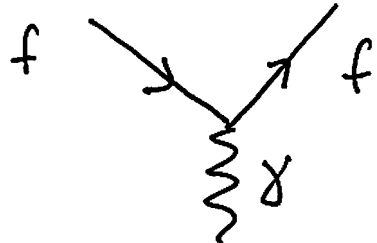
$f$  could be electron, positron, proton, antiproton...and more – any electrically charged **f**ermion.

Their diagrams are identical.





# Primitive Diagram Scorecard

your first entry

**Primitive Diagrams**      TIME always: 

1			QED
2		3	Weak Interactions
6		7	
4		5	Strong Interactions
8		9	Higgs Interactions
10		11	

fermion, spin 1/2, e.g., electron      Vector Boson, spin 1, e.g., photon      gluon, spin 1      scalar Boson, spin 0, e.g., Higgs Boson

# beta decay

the inaugural non-QED interaction

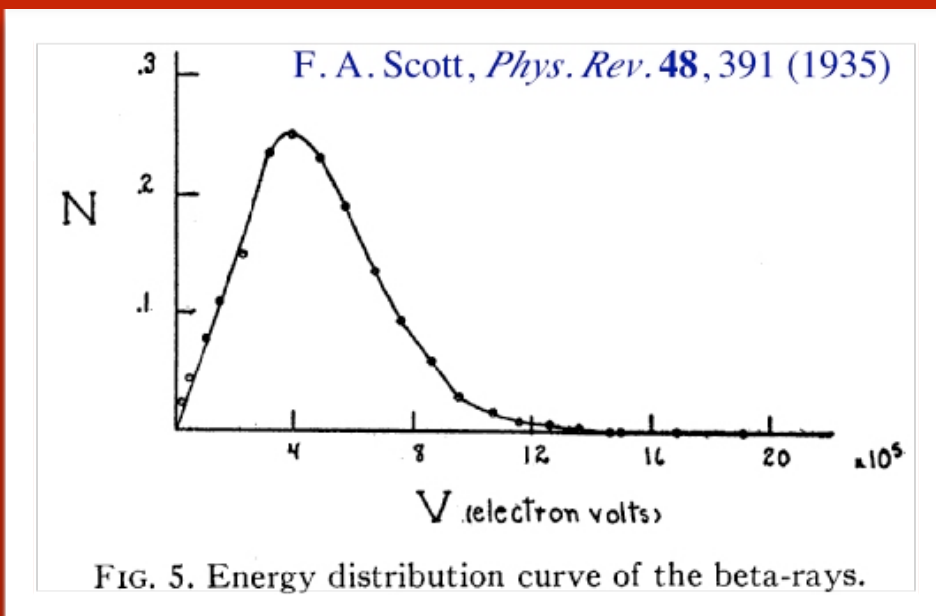
Weak Force



# Fermi Theory of Beta Decay

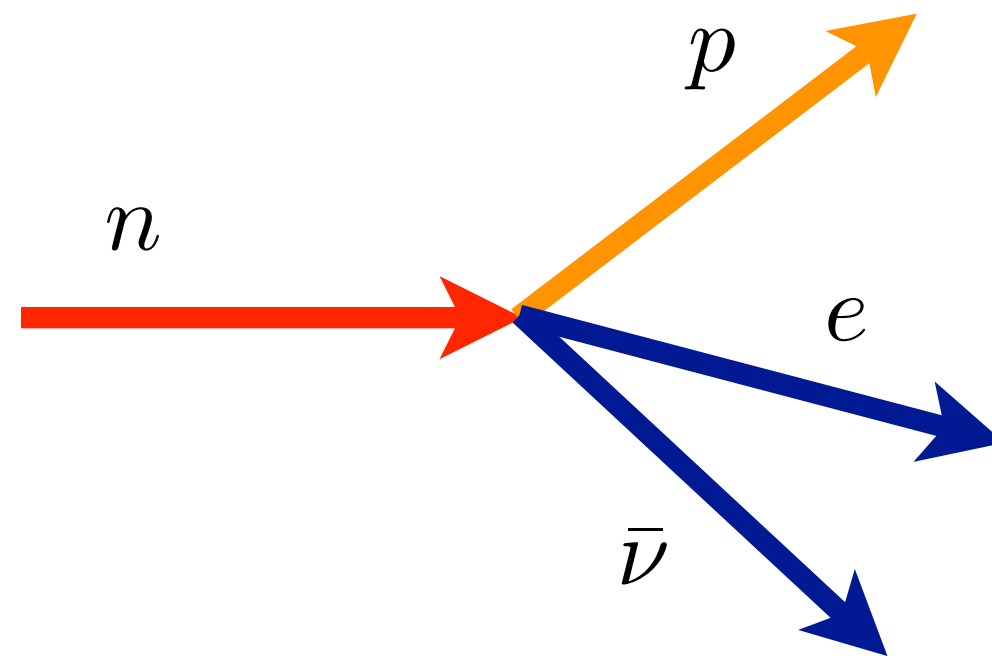
uses the Dirac  
ideas of quantum  
electrodynamics

particle creation and  
annihilation



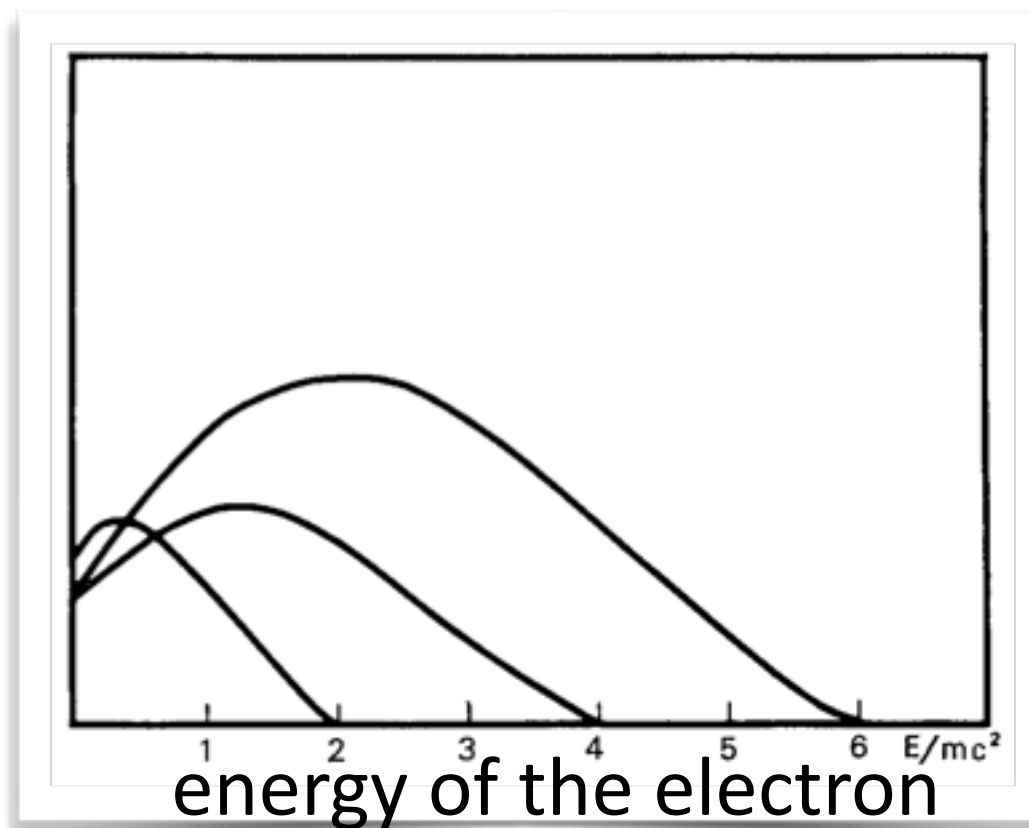
$$m_{\text{neutron}} > m_{\text{proton}}$$

a smidgen.



a free neutron has a lifetime of about 11 minutes.  
He sent the paper to *Nature*, but it was rejected:

“it contained speculations which were too remote from reality”



from his original paper for different  
nuclear species parameters

# exchange force

the modern view:

if there's a force...there's a field

if there's a field...there's a particle

we know  
one  
force...so  
far

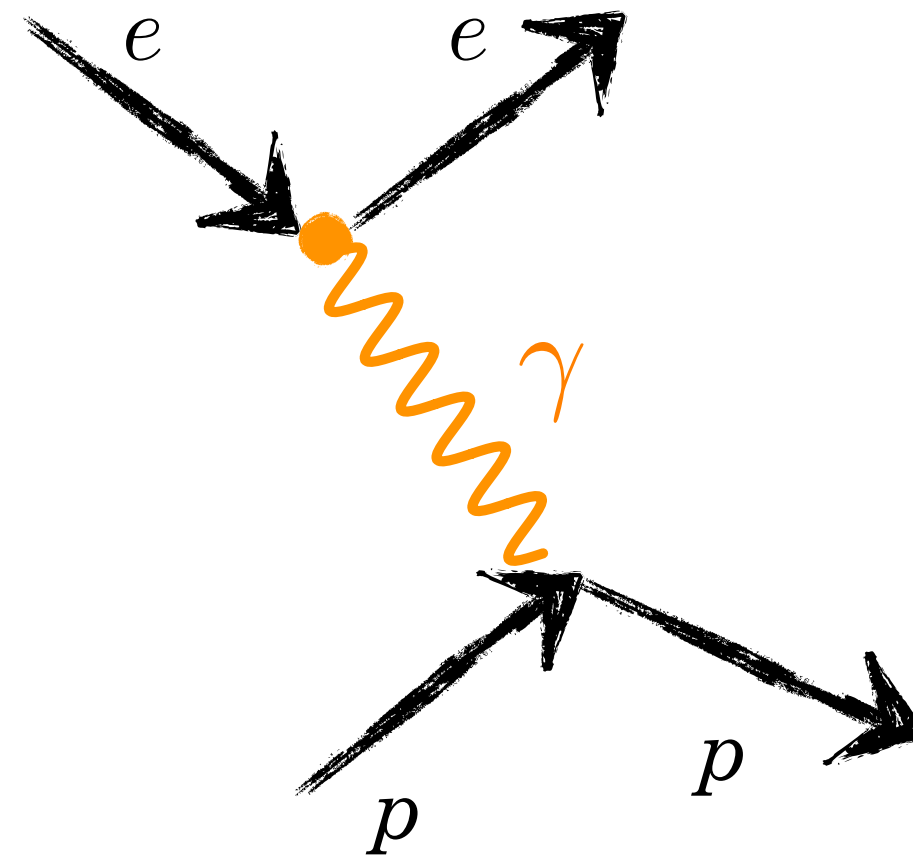
electromagnetism

electricity

magnetism

united by Relativity

*remember?*



The modern idea:

The force of electromagnetism is “propagated” by the photon.

Multiple names: “propogator”

“Intermediate Vector Boson”

I'll call the photon:  
the “**Messenger Field**  
for Electromagnetism”

# charge independence

the force that holds the protons and neutrons together

is the same between n-n, p-p, n-p

Strong Force



but only over a very short range...

the **STRONG** force

overwhelms the electromagnetic force



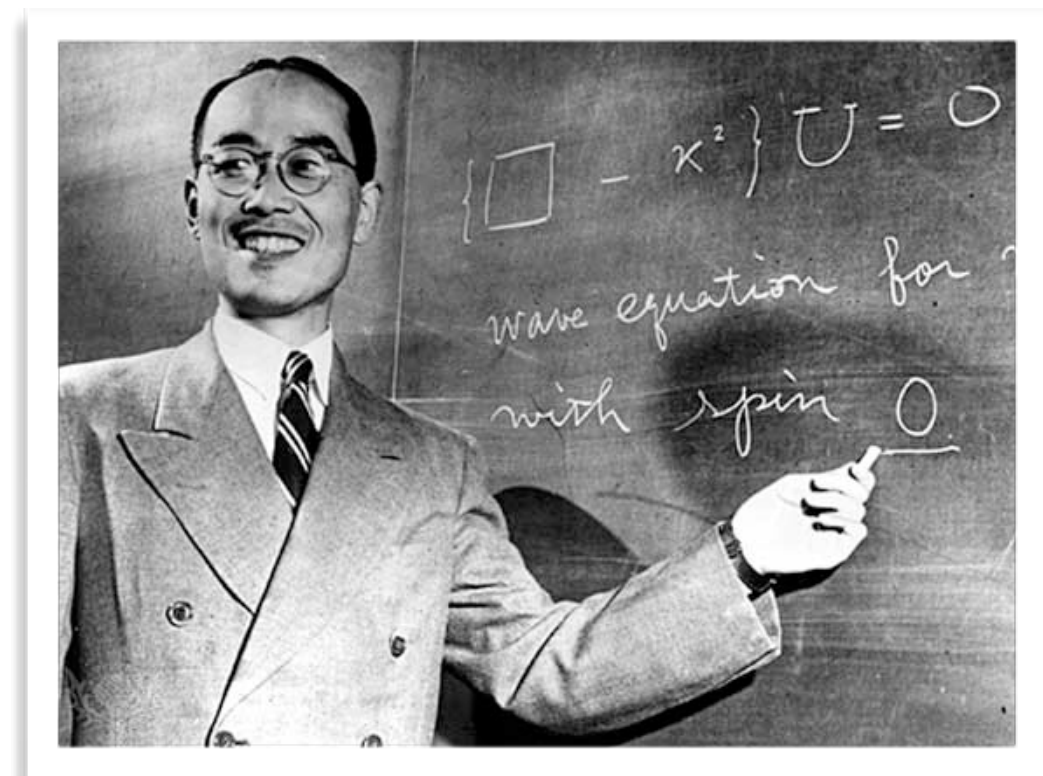
uncertainty  
certainly  
to the  
rescue

brilliant  
observation by  
Yukawa

maybe there's a  
quantum that is  
active only over the  
size of a nucleus: "U"

another exchange  
force/particle?

So:  $p \rightarrow n + U$  ?



Suppose U travels at  $c$  within a nucleus...  $\Delta t = \Delta x / c$

Then Uncertainty could estimate U's mass...  $\Delta E \Delta t = h / 4\pi$

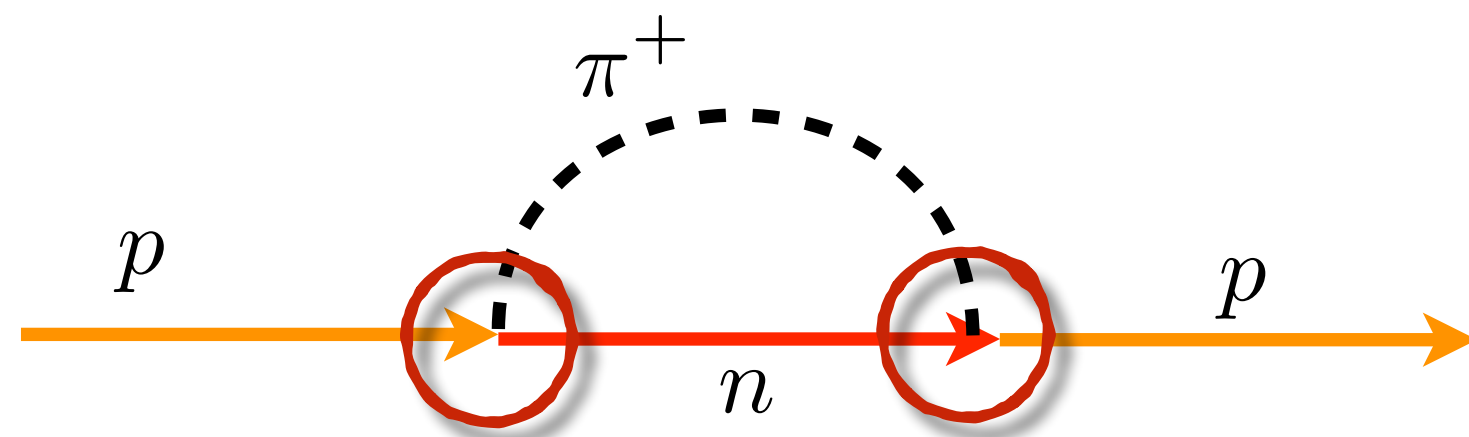
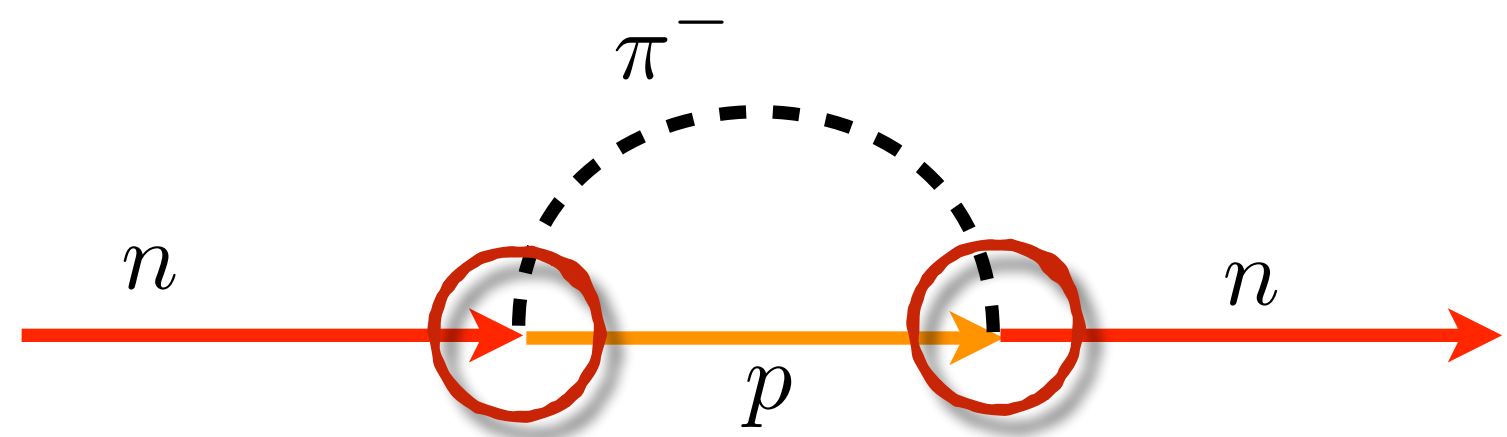
$$m_U = \Delta E / c^2$$

?

$$m_U \approx 100 \times 10^6 eV = 100 MeV$$

# the Yukawa particle

is the pion



These coupling strengths are large - strong.

In technical terms we call this...the strong interaction.

If we ignore electromagnetism...the proton & the neutron are very much alike - we can treat them as being the same particle

neutrons  
and  
protons

act like they are  
identical particles

the electric charge?

as a force...Yukawa's  
force is 100 times the  
electromagnetic

For nuclear forces: treat p and n as identical and differing only by a "quantum number" called "**Isospin**"

$$N = \begin{pmatrix} \text{p} \\ \text{n} \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} I \\ + 1/2 \\ - 1/2 \end{matrix}$$

"nucleon"

A neutron... is a "nucleon" with "isospin down"

A proton... is a "nucleon" with "isospin up"

They go together...within the strong, nuclear force.

How?



jargon alert:

## nucleon

refers to:

either a proton or a neutron

etymology:

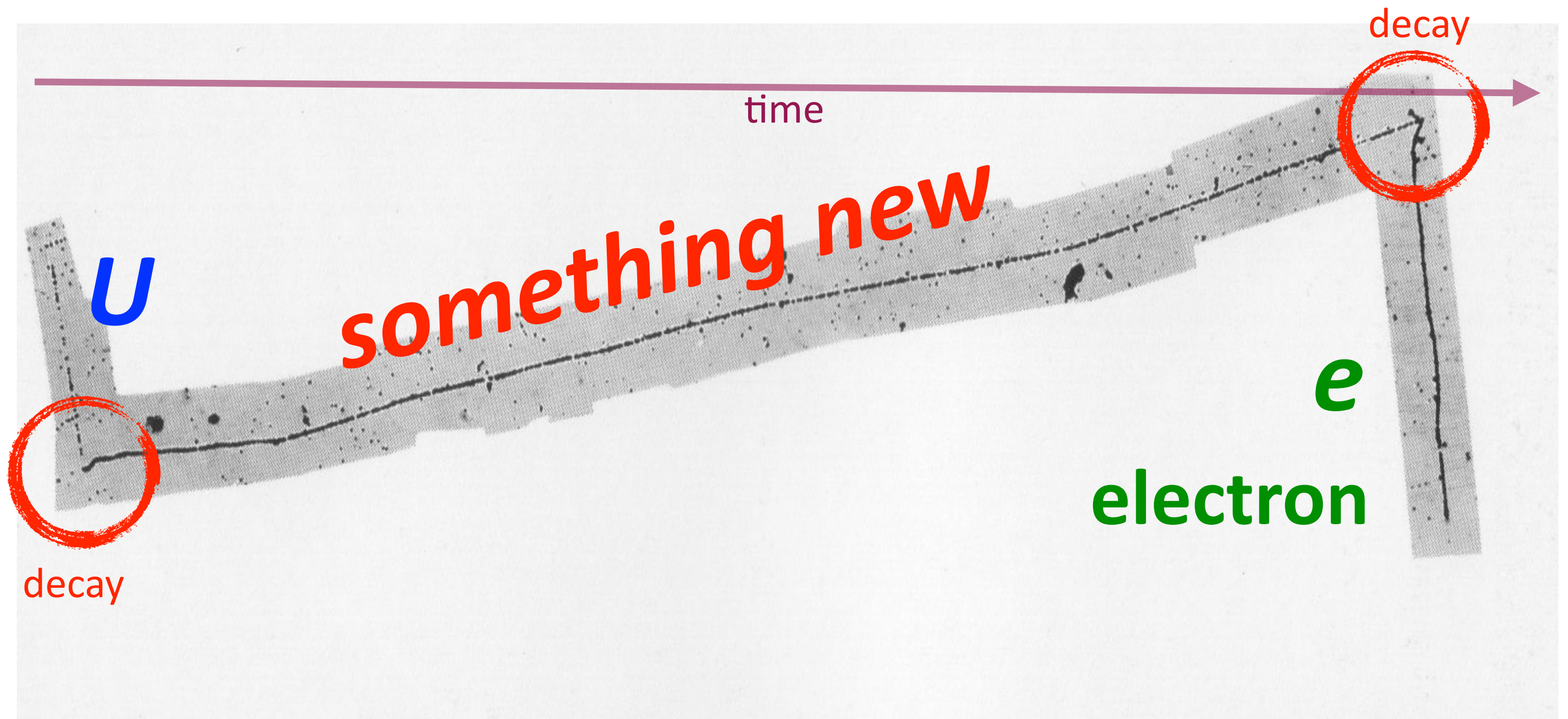
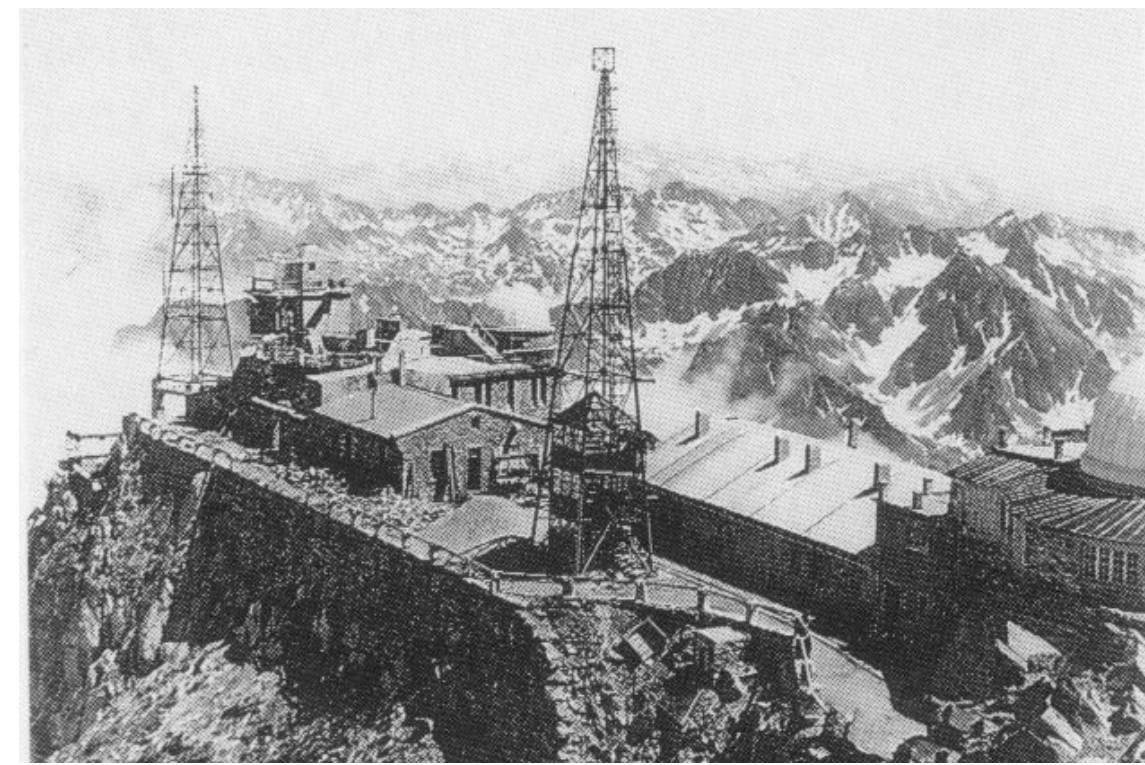
from “nucleus”...the “-on” tends to be a particle name

example:

“nucleon force”

# strange things in cosmic rays

thick photographic substrates



by 1950 the forces were identified

"strong"

as evidenced by the pion (refined later)

"electromagnetic"

as evidenced by the exchange of photons among electrically charged particles

"weak"

as originally evidenced by neutron beta decay, and subsequently pion, muon, and other hadronic decays

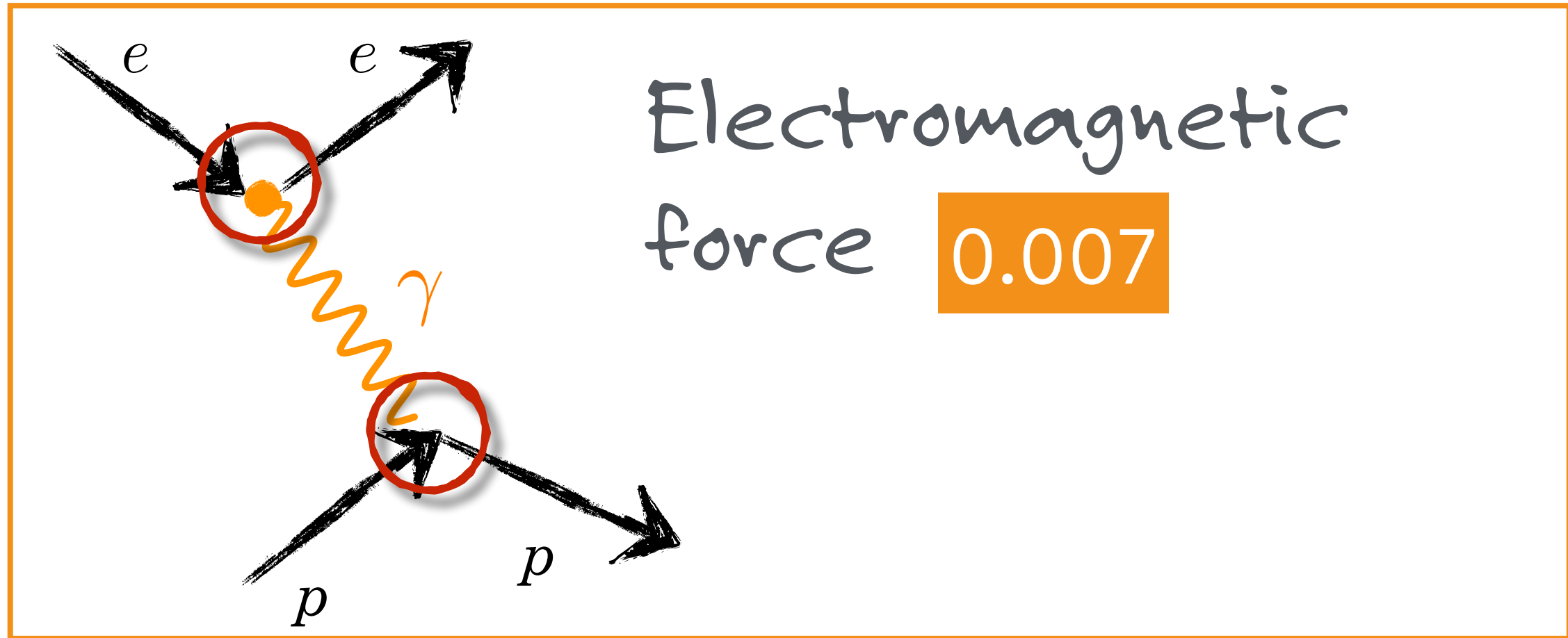
"gravitational"

the weakest of all...quantum theory of gravity still a mystery



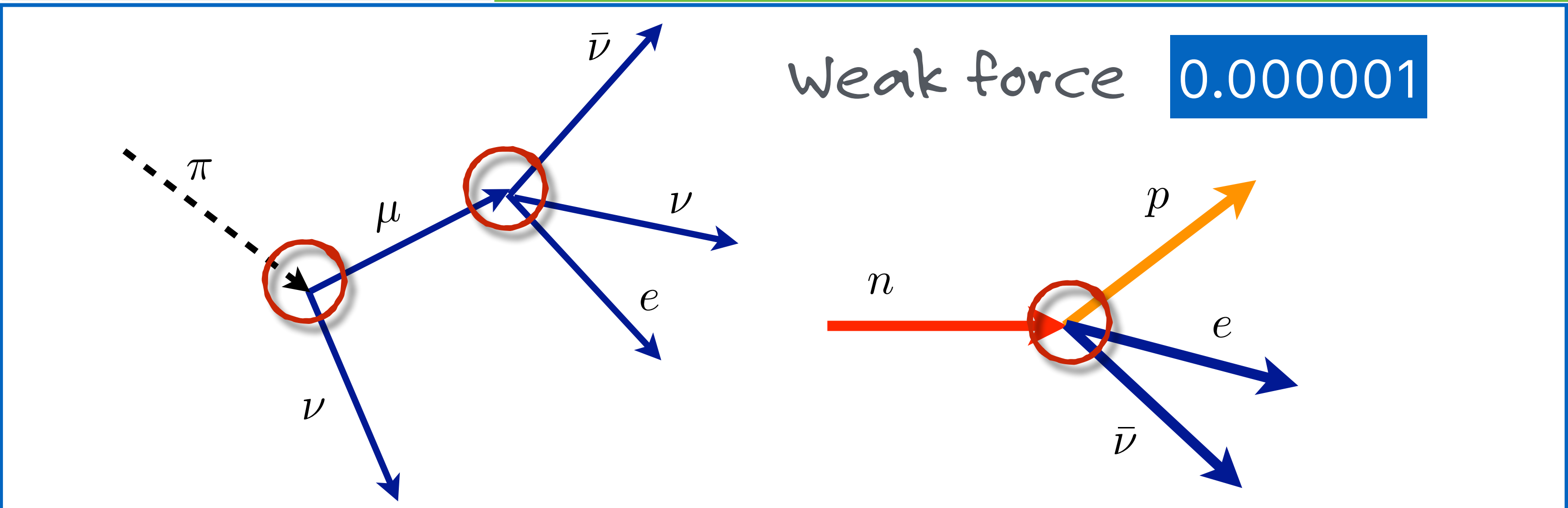
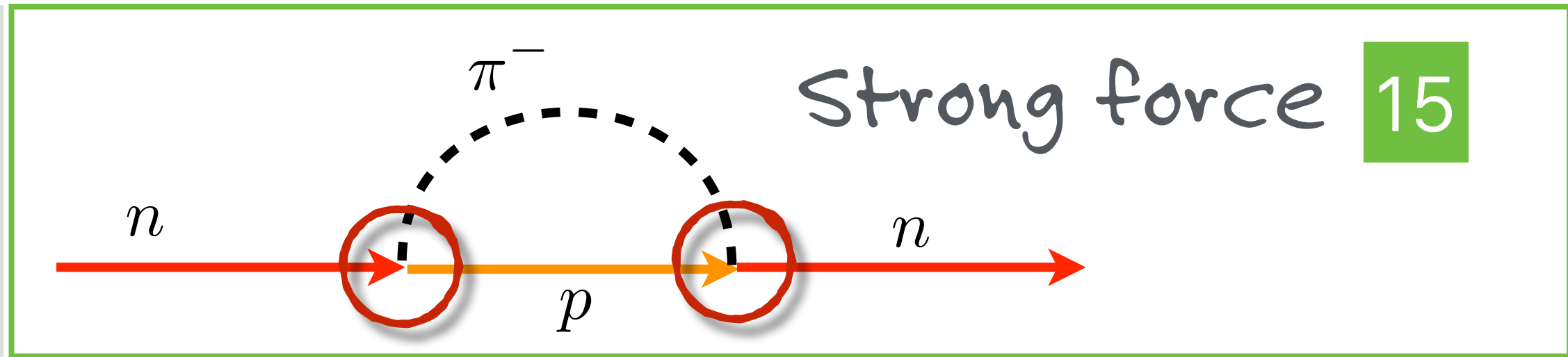
three forces now

of vastly different strengths



Gravitational force?

0.000000000000000000  
000000000000000001



# FAMILIES

Nature prefers

like-particles



# Lepton Families

electrons and a neutrino

muons and a neutrino

taus and a neutrino

These sorts of patterns are a huge deal.

$$\begin{array}{c} Q \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{array} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ e \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\mu \\ \mu \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\tau \\ \tau \end{pmatrix}$$







jargon alert:

## hadron

refers to:

any particle that interacts via the Strong Force

etymology:

$\alpha\delta\rho\acute{o}\sigma$  "hadros" "large", "massive"

example:

proton and neutron

*not electron, not photon*

jargon alert:

## lepton

refers to:

originally, an electron, muon,  
neutrino

etymology:

"λεπτός" (leptos), "fine, small, thin"

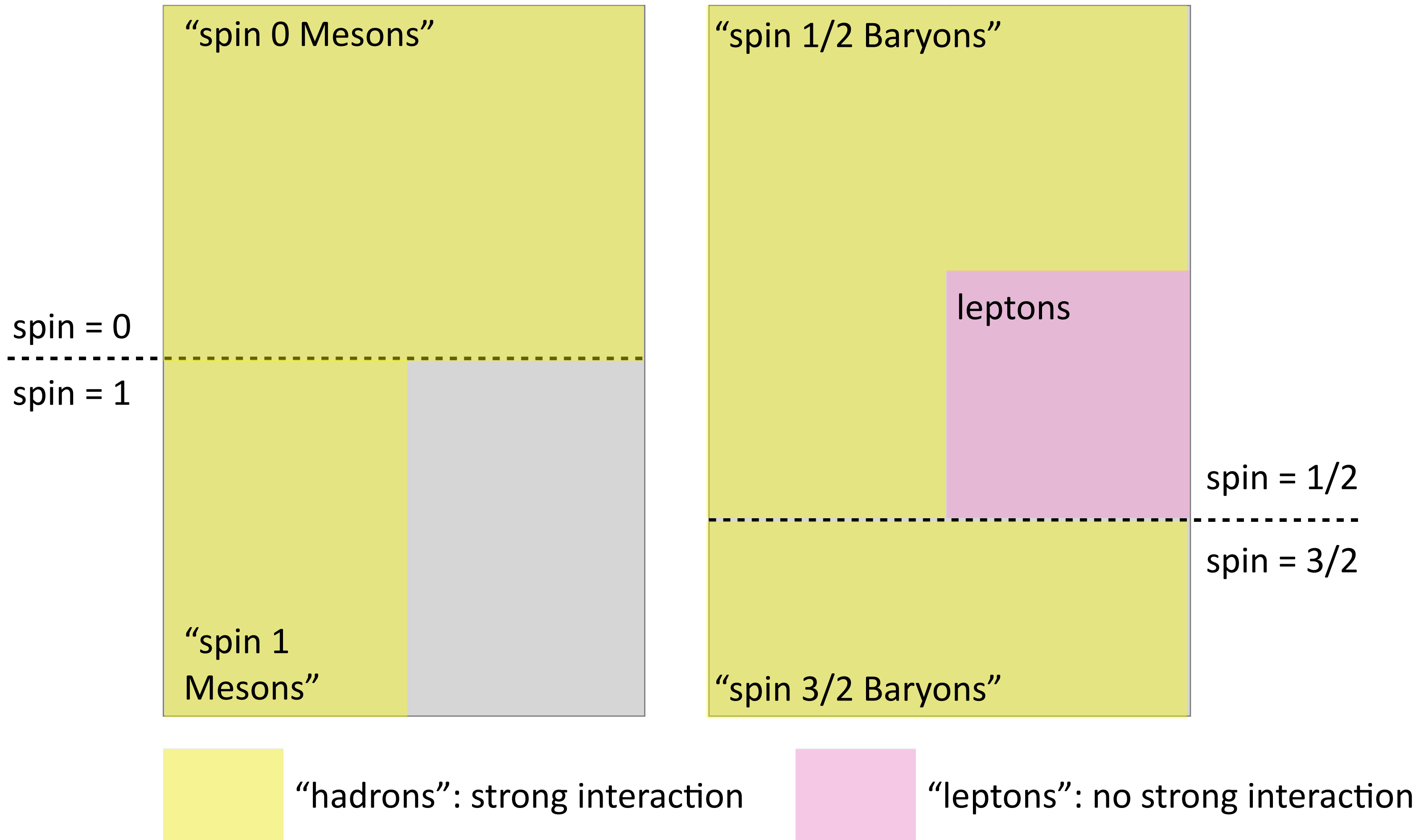
example:

electron, muon, neutrino, tau!

# The Particle Zoo?

Bosons

Fermions



jargon alert:

## particle quantum numbers

refers to:

quantities that are inherently a part of particles, which are conserved in interactions or decays

etymology:

historical to Bohr and Schroedinger

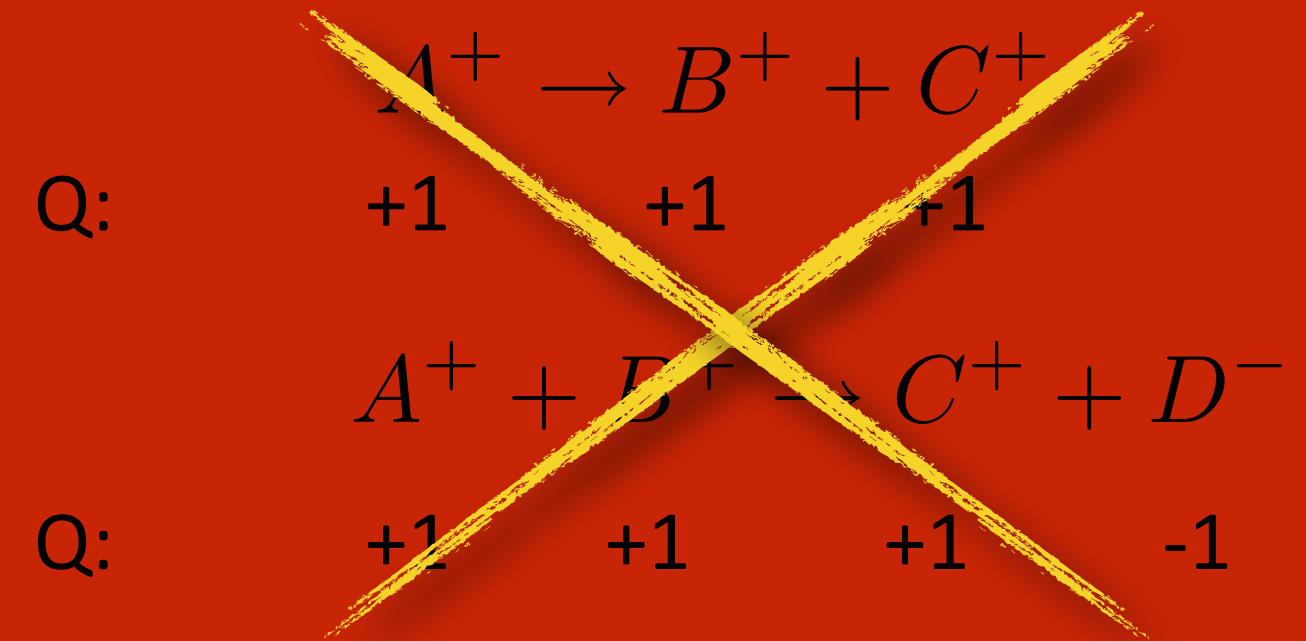
example:

electric charge, baryon number, lepton number, isospin

so, you'll always see:

total electric charge at the beginning equals total charges at the end

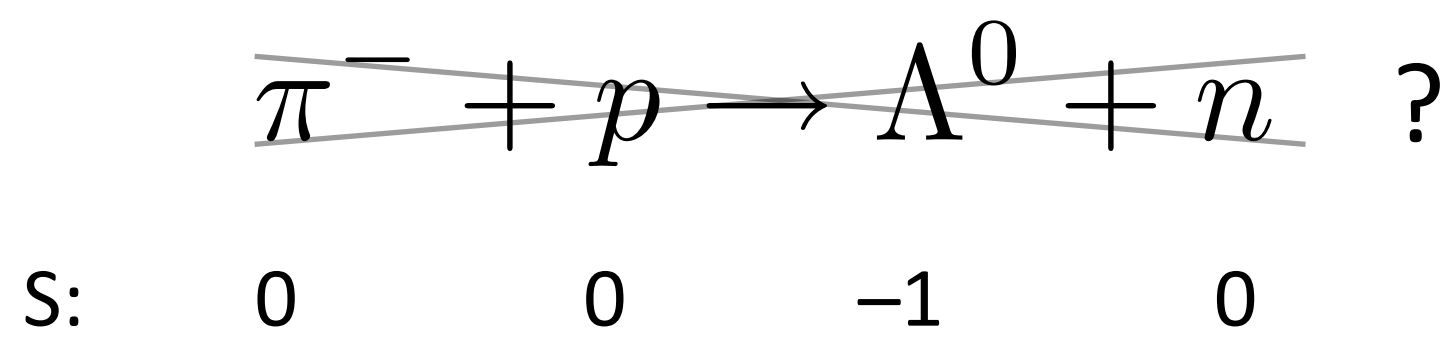
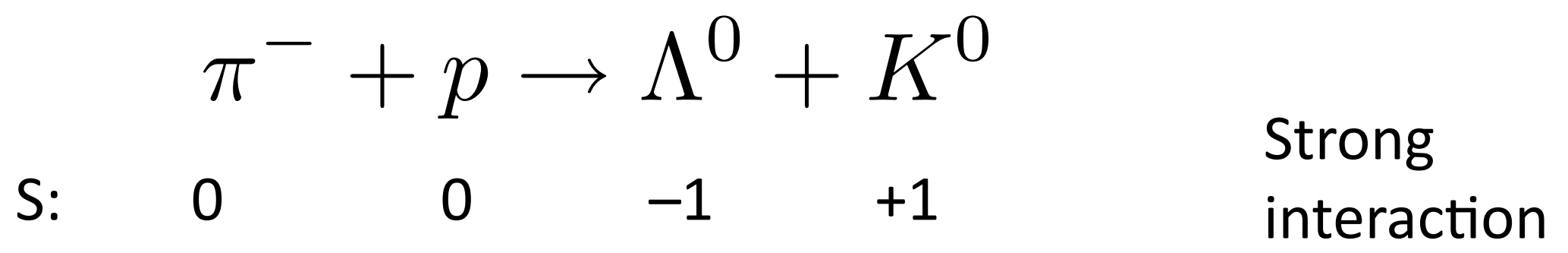
something like these will never happen:



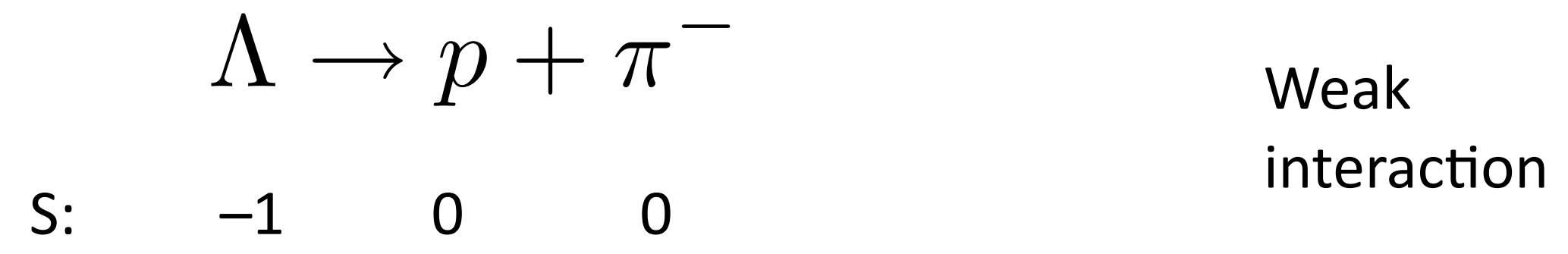
# Strangeness, S

strangeness seems to come in pairs

assign "strangeness" empirically.



and yet you *do* see:



**Production** of a subset of all baryons seems to require them to come in pairs.

*Strong interactions conserve Strangeness*

**Decay** of those same baryons...notsomuch

*Weak interactions change Strangeness by 1 unit*

# the dominant Baryons

Particle	Symbol	Rest Mass MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	spin	Q	B	S	Lifetime	dominant decay modes
proton	$p$	938.3	1/2	+1	+1	0	$> 10^{31} \text{ y}$	
neutron	$n$	939.6	1/2	0	+1	0	920	$p e^{-} \bar{\nu}_e$
Lambda	$\Lambda^0$	1115.6	1/2	0	+1	-1	$2.6 \times 10^{-10}$	$p\pi^{-}, n\pi^0$
Sigma	$\Sigma^{+}$	1189.4	1/2	+1	+1	-1	$0.8 \times 10^{-10}$	$p\pi^0, n\pi^{+}$
Sigma	$\Sigma^0$	1192.5	1/2	0	+1	-1	$6 \times 10^{-20}$	$\Lambda^0 \gamma$
Sigma	$\Sigma^{-}$	1197.3	1/2	-1	+1	-1	$1.5 \times 10^{-10}$	$n\pi^{-}$
Delta	$\Delta^{++}$	1232	3/2	+2	+1	0	$0.6 \times 10^{-23}$	$p\pi^{+}$
Delta	$\Delta^{+}$	1232	3/2	+1	+1	0	$0.6 \times 10^{-23}$	$n\pi^{+}, p\pi^0$
Delta	$\Delta^0$	1232	3/2	0	+1	0	$0.6 \times 10^{-23}$	$n\pi^0$
Delta	$\Delta^{-}$	1232	3/2	-1	+1	0	$0.6 \times 10^{-23}$	$n\pi^{-}$
Xi	$\Xi^0$	1315	1/2	0	+1	-2	$2.9 \times 10^{-10}$	$\Lambda^0 \pi^0$
Xi	$\Xi^{-}$	1321	1/2	-1	+1	-2	$1.64 \times 10^{-10}$	$\Lambda^0 \pi^{-}$
Omega	$\Omega^{-}$	1672	3/2	-1	+1	-3	$0.82 \times 10^{-10}$	$\Xi^0 \pi^{-}, \Lambda^0 K^{-}$

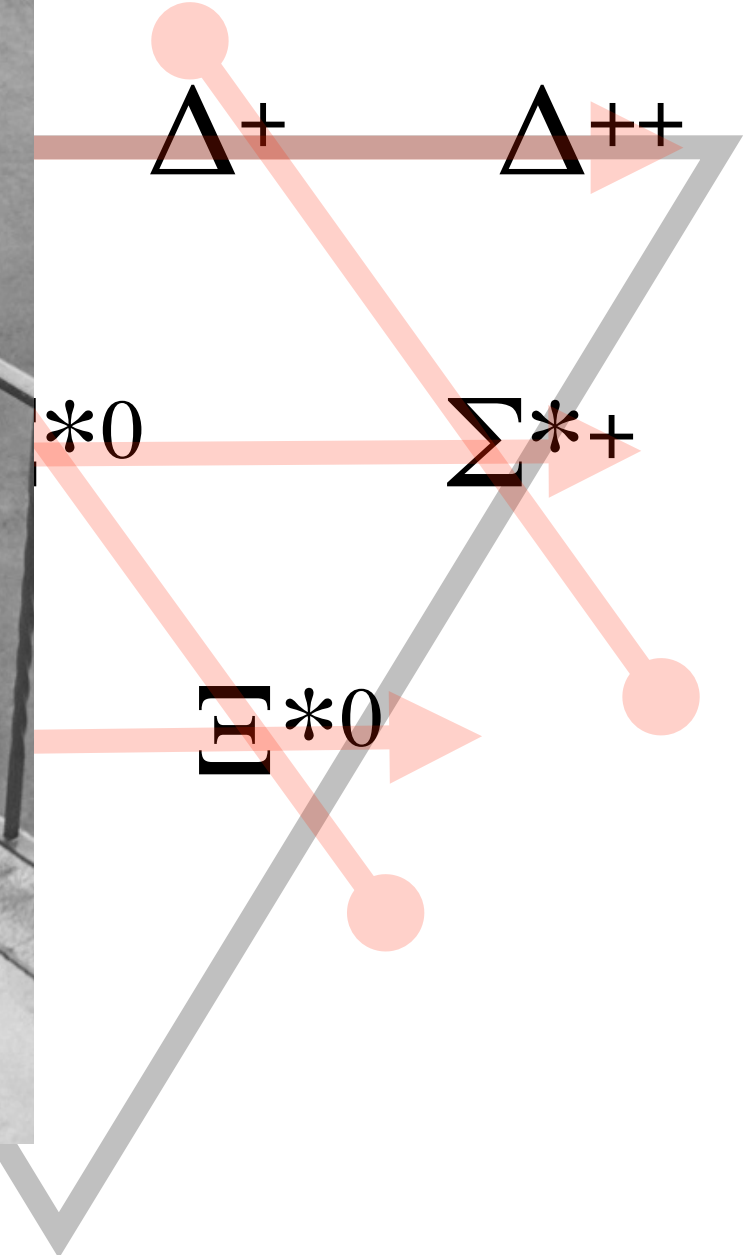
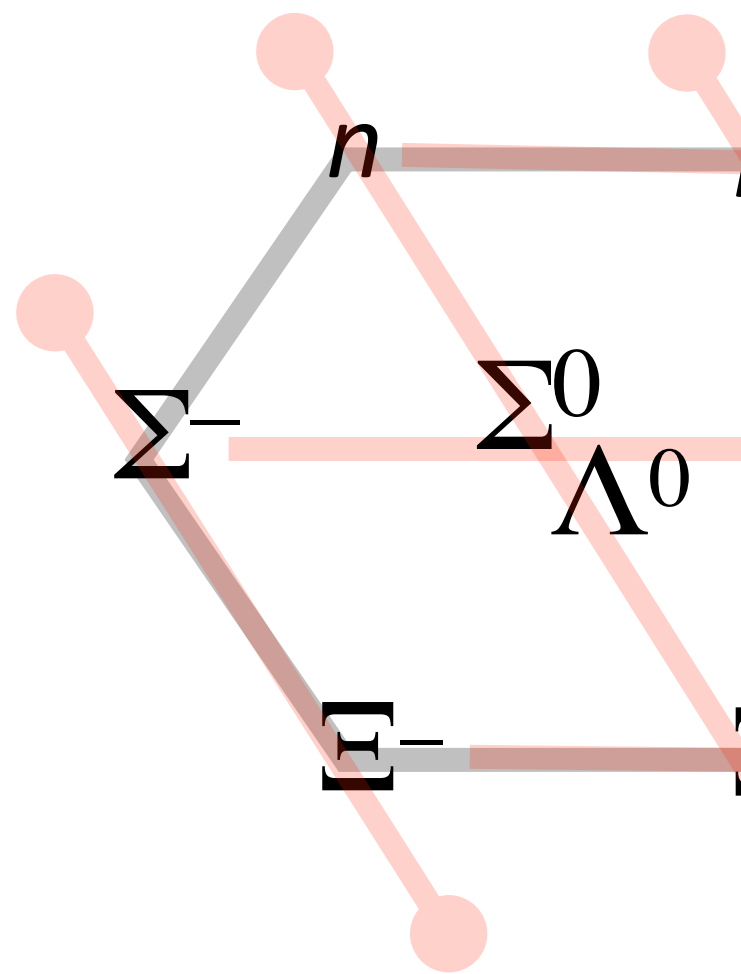
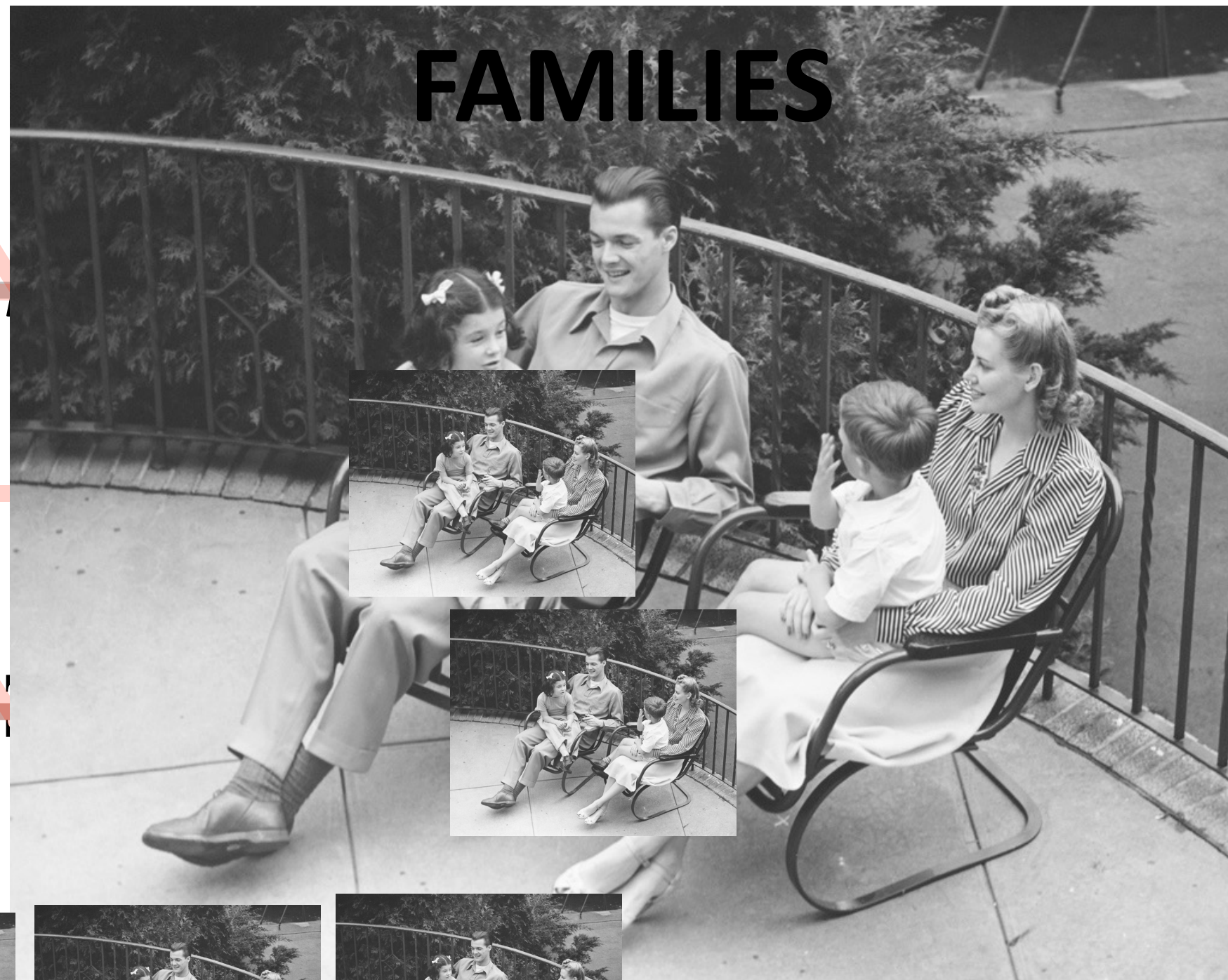
# the dominant Mesons

Particle	Symbol	anti-particle	Rest Mass MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	spin	Q	B	S	Lifetime	dominant decay modes
Pion	$\pi^+$	$\pi^-$	139.6	0	+1	0	0	$2.6 \times 10^{-8}$	$\mu^+ \nu_\mu$
Pi-zero	$\pi^0$	$\pi^0$	135	0	0	0	0	920	$2\gamma$
Kaon	$K^+$	$K^-$	493.7	0	+1	0	+1	$1.24 \times 10^{-8}$	$\mu^+ \nu_\mu, \pi^+ \pi^0$
K-short	$K_S^0$	$K_S^0$	497.7	0	0	0	+1	$0.89 \times 10^{-10}$	$\pi^+ \pi^-, 2\pi^0$
K-long	$K_L^0$	$K_L^0$	497.7	0	0	0	+1	$5.2 \times 10^{-8}$	$\pi^\pm \ell^\mp \nu_\ell$
Eta	$\eta^0$	$\eta^0$	548.8	0	0	0	0	$< 10^{-18}$	$2\gamma, \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$
Eta-prime	$\eta^{0'}$	$\eta^{0'}$	958	1	0	0	0	...	$\pi^+ \pi^- \eta$
Rho	$\rho^+$	$\rho^-$	770	1	+1	0	0	$0.4 \times 10^{-23}$	$\pi^+ \pi^-, 2\pi^0$
Rho-naught	$\rho^0$	$\rho^0$	770	1	0	0	0	$0.4 \times 10^{-23}$	$\pi^+ \pi^-$
Omega	$\omega^0$	$\omega^0$	782	1	0	0	0	$0.8 \times 10^{-22}$	$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$
Phi	$\phi$	$\phi$	1020	1	0	0	0	$20 \times 10^{-23}$	$K^+ K^-, K^0 \bar{K}^0$





# family arrangements



# quarks

the mathematical description of such patterns



# 1964



## Murray Gell-Mann

1929 -

theoretician

Nobel Laureate 1969

genius

Yale at age of 15. PhD from MIT at age of 22.

Speaks at least 13 languages fluently. Studies linguistics now, among other things.

Unraveled many of the organization puzzles of the particle zoo:

- strangeness

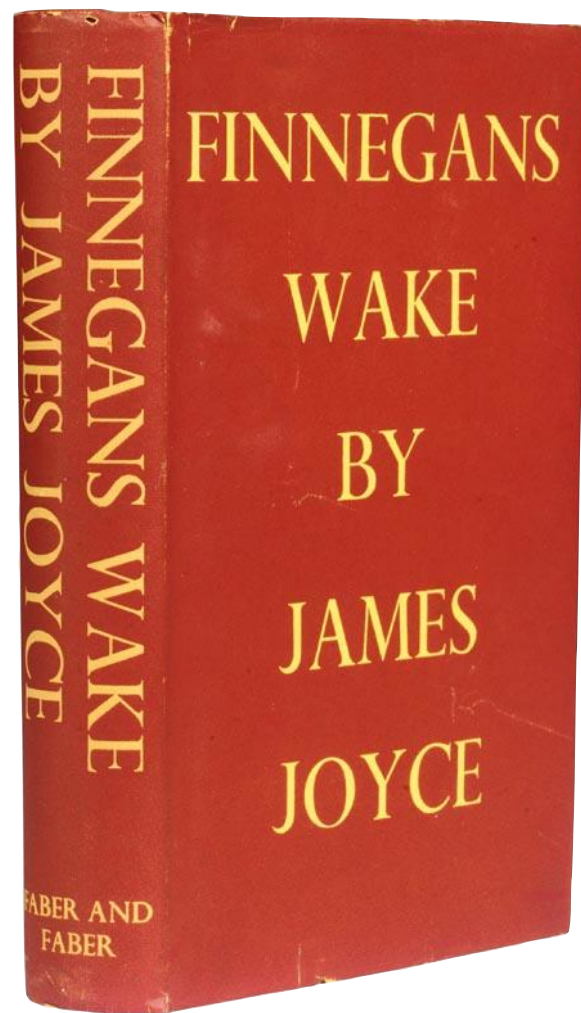
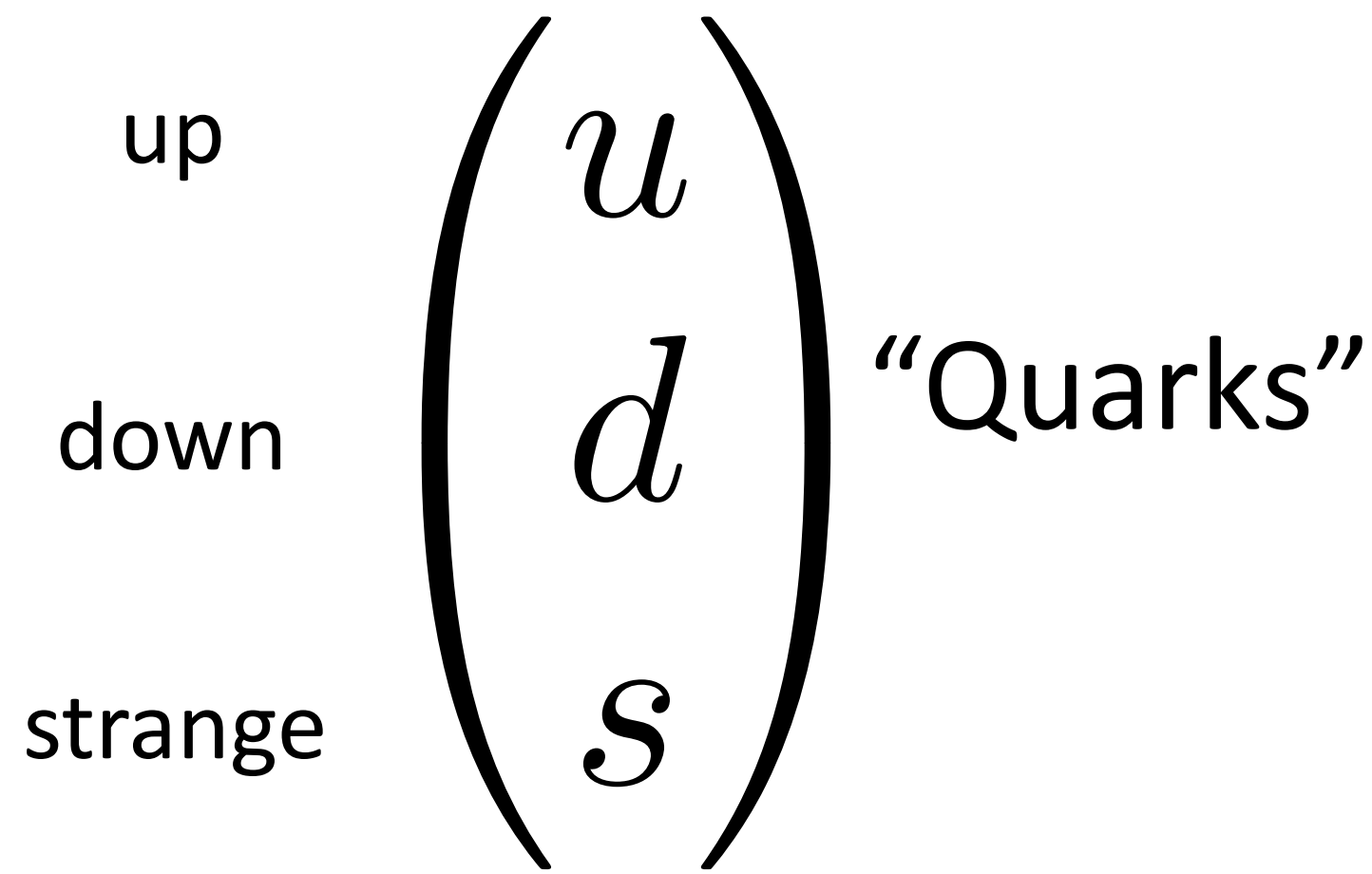
- an empirical mass formula relating them

Worries a lot now about the nature of physical law.

A not-so-good TED lecture on mathematical Beauty in physics...link below.

Not known for his humility.

Gell-Mann  
found  
that the  
patterns  
work



Gell-Mann's original pattern for quarks. Changed...

if every particle is  
composed of  
smaller bits

with fractional electric charge:

charge of up quark:  $+2/3 e$

charge of down quark:  $-1/3 e$

charge of strange quark:  $-1/3 e$

fundamental particles,  
circa..now

quarks and leptons

hadrons are composite: made of quarks

electrons and cousins are fundamental on their own

Baryons & Mesons differ by quark-content

Baryons are made of 3 quarks

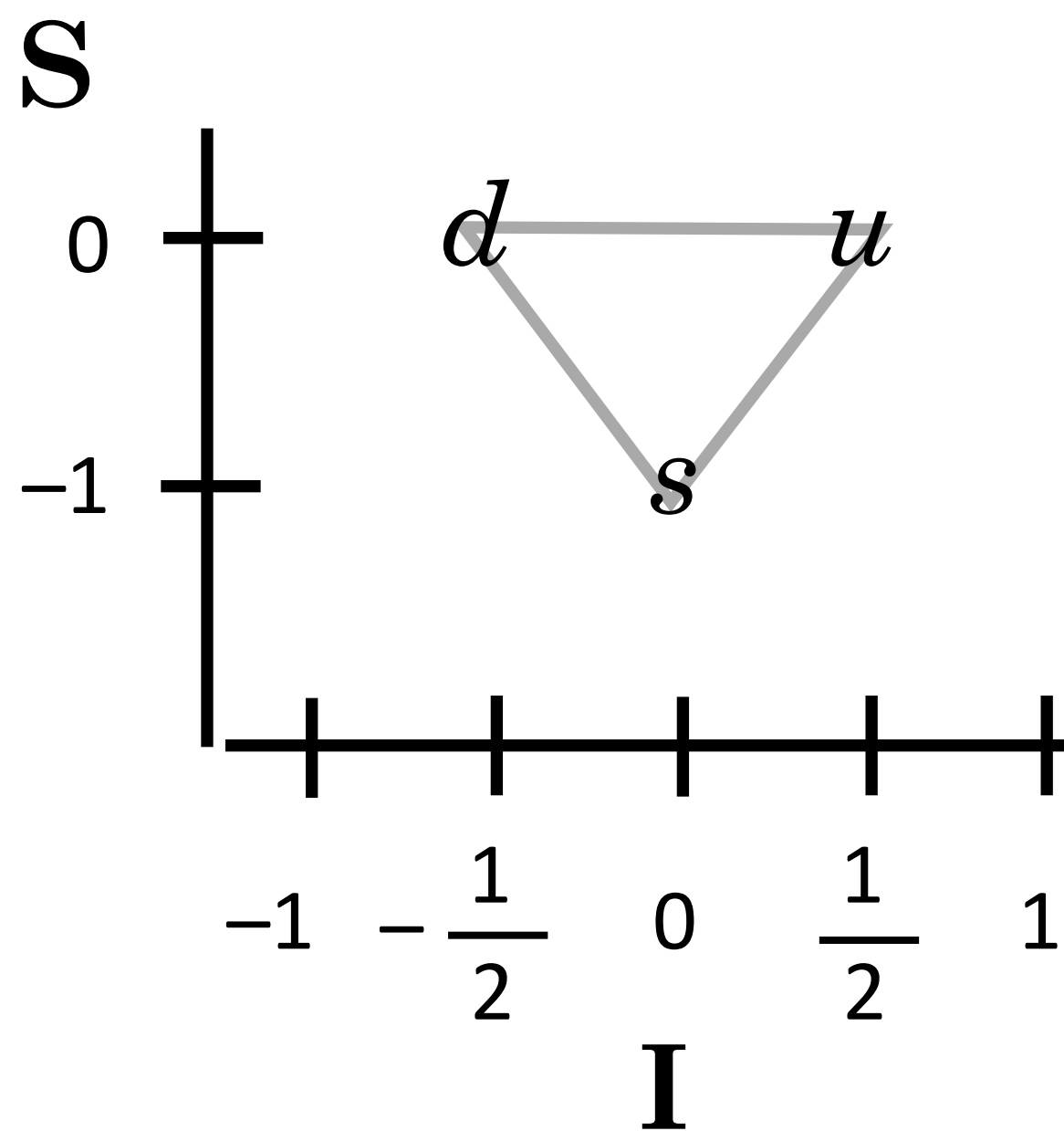
Mesons are made of 1 quark and 1 antiquark

# Quarks

1964 version

fundamental  
fermions

in same league as  
electrons and  
neutrinos



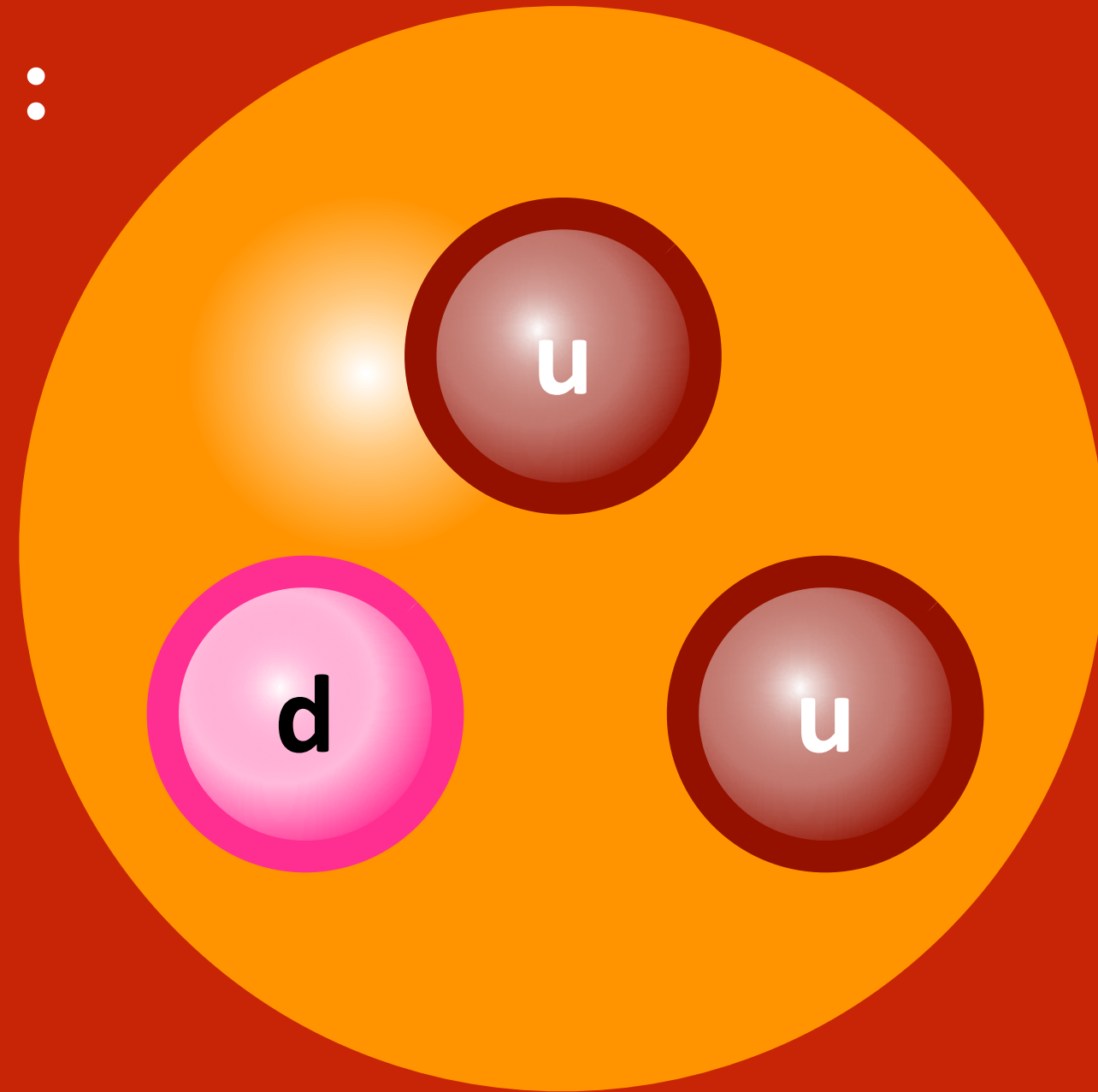
Quark	Symbol	Rest Mass MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	spin	Q	B	S
up	$u$	1.7 - 3.3	1/2	+2/3	1/3	0
down	$d$	4.1 - 5.8	1/2	-1/3	1/3	0
strange	$s$	101	1/2	-1/3	1/3	-1



piece 'em together:

proton

electric charge = +1

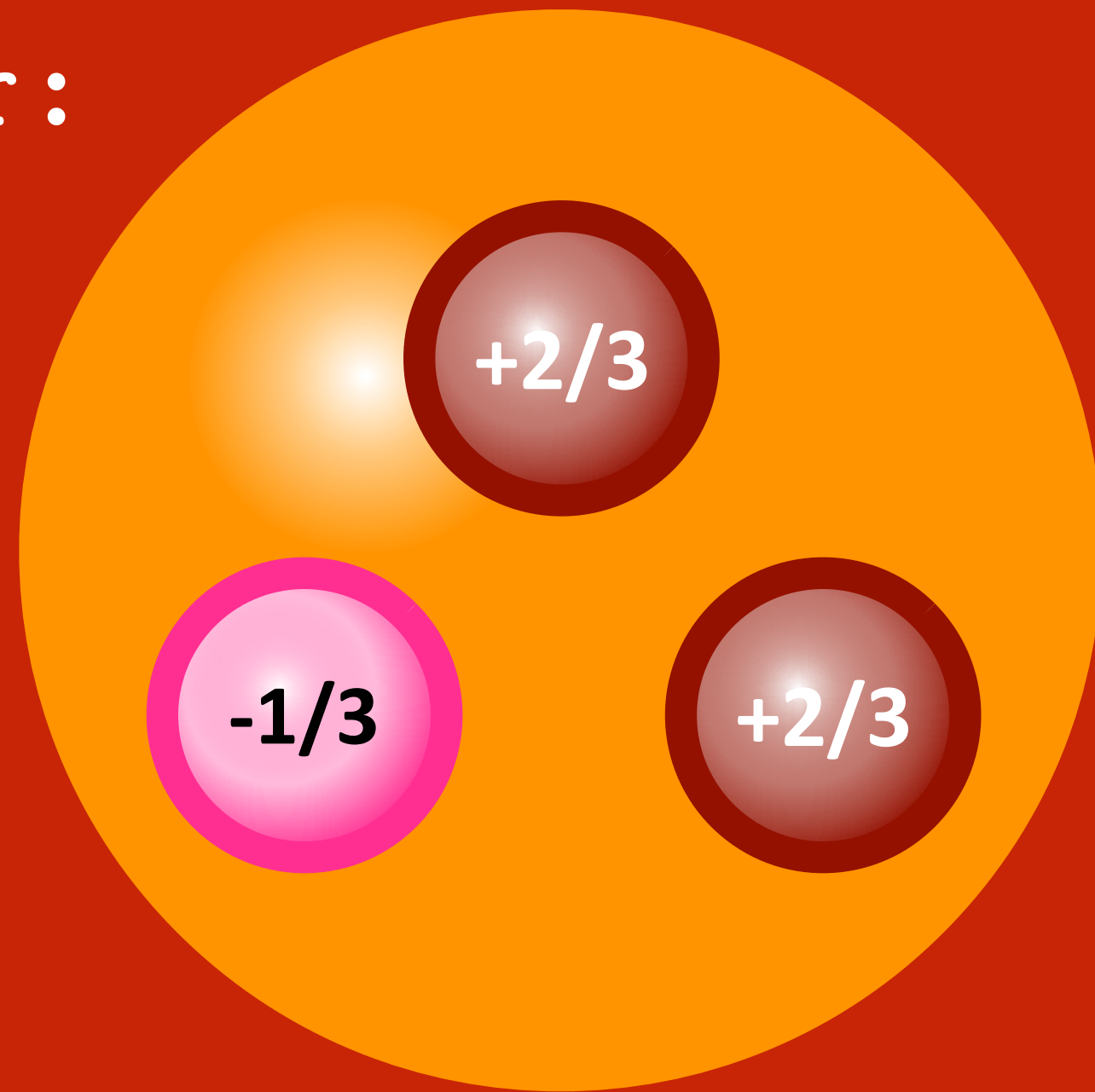


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down	<i>d</i>	4.1 - 5.8	1/2	-1/3	1/3	0
strange	<i>s</i>	101	1/2	-1/3	1/3	-1

piece 'em together:

proton

electric charge = +1

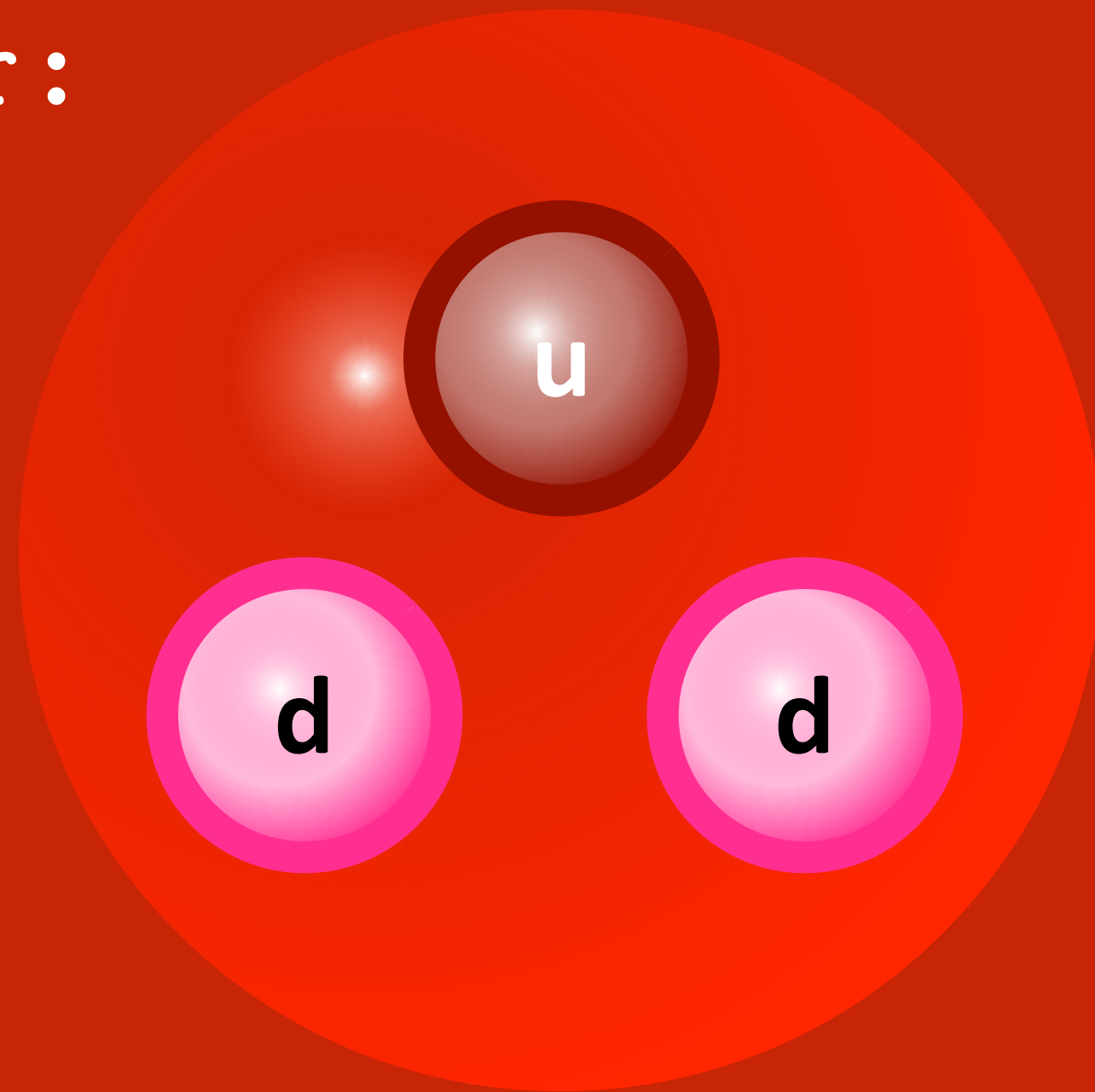


Quark	Symbol	Rest Mass MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	spin	Q	B	S
up	<i>u</i>	1.7 - 3.3	1/2	+2/3	1/3	0
down	<i>d</i>	4.1 - 5.8	1/2	-1/3	1/3	0
strange	<i>s</i>	101	1/2	-1/3	1/3	-1

piece 'em together:

neutron

electric charge = 0

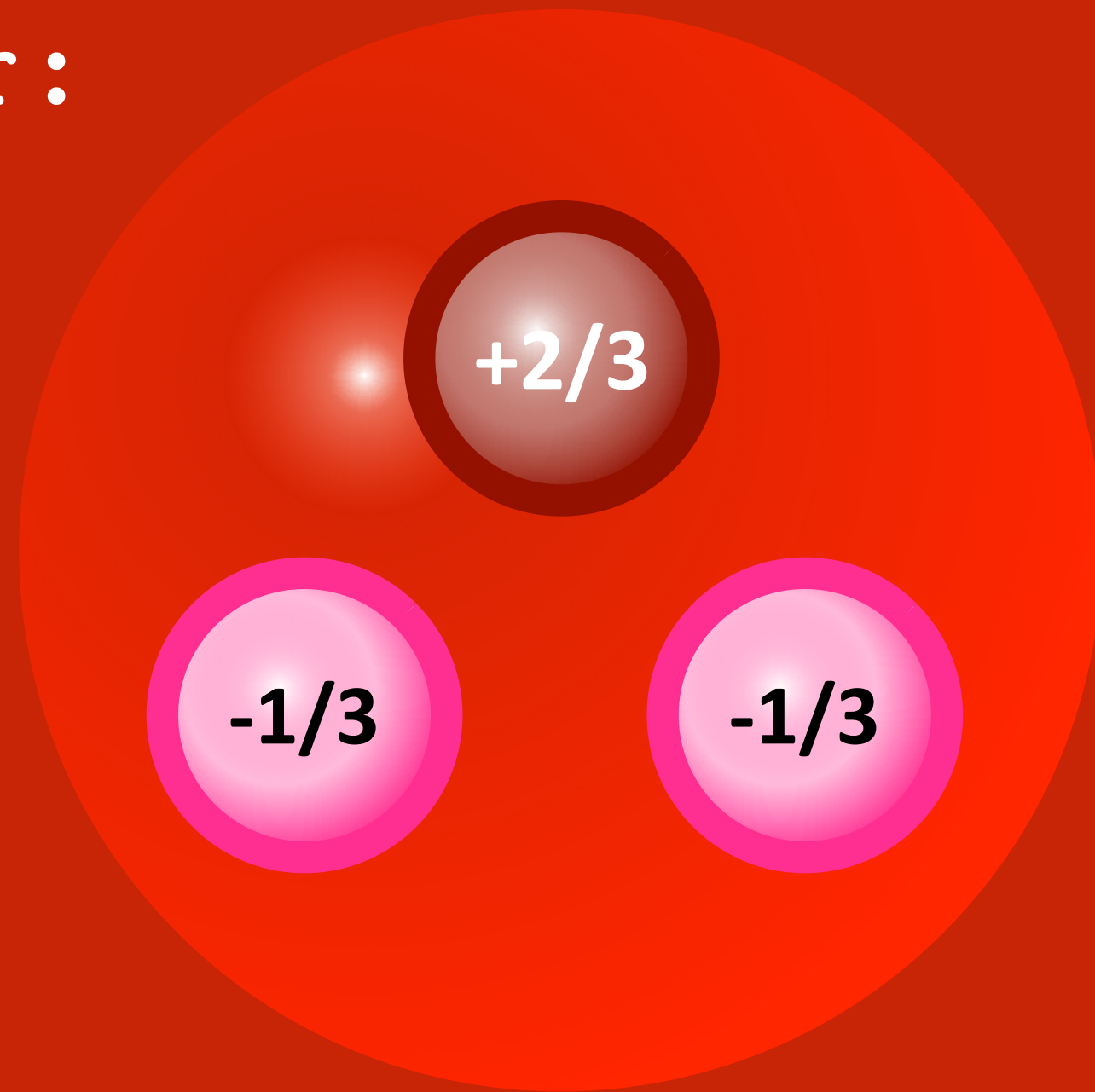


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piece 'em together:

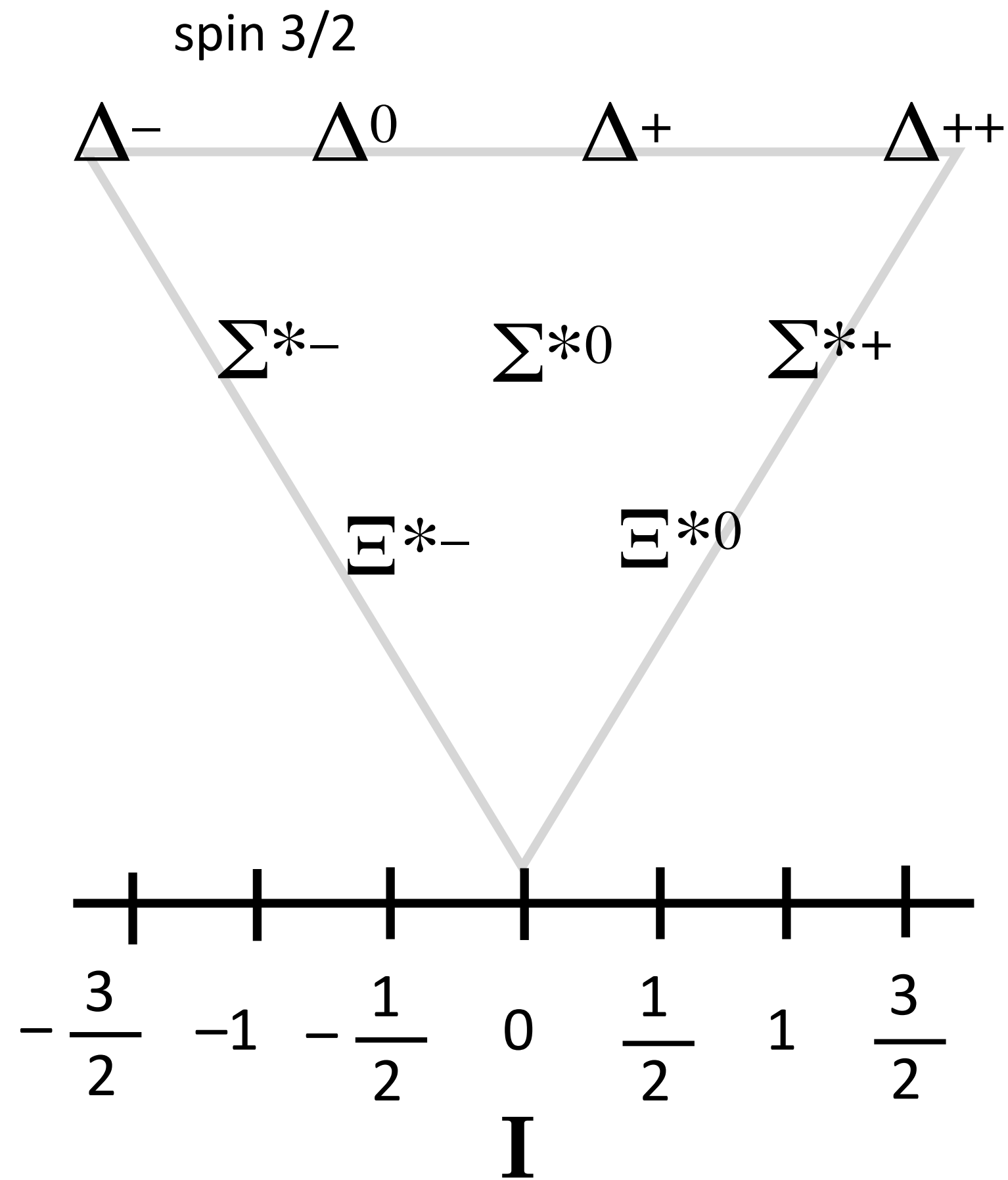
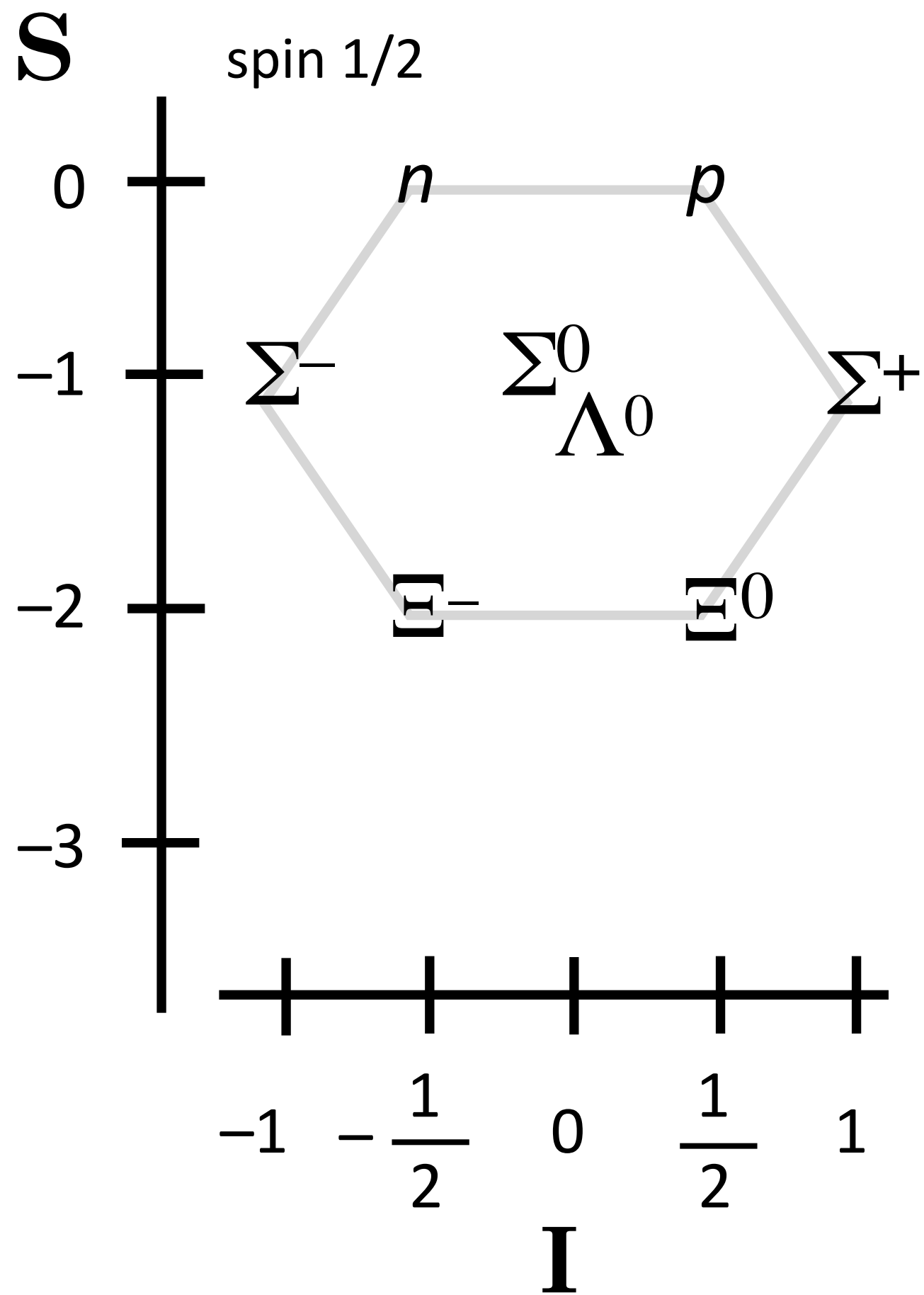
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electric charge = 0

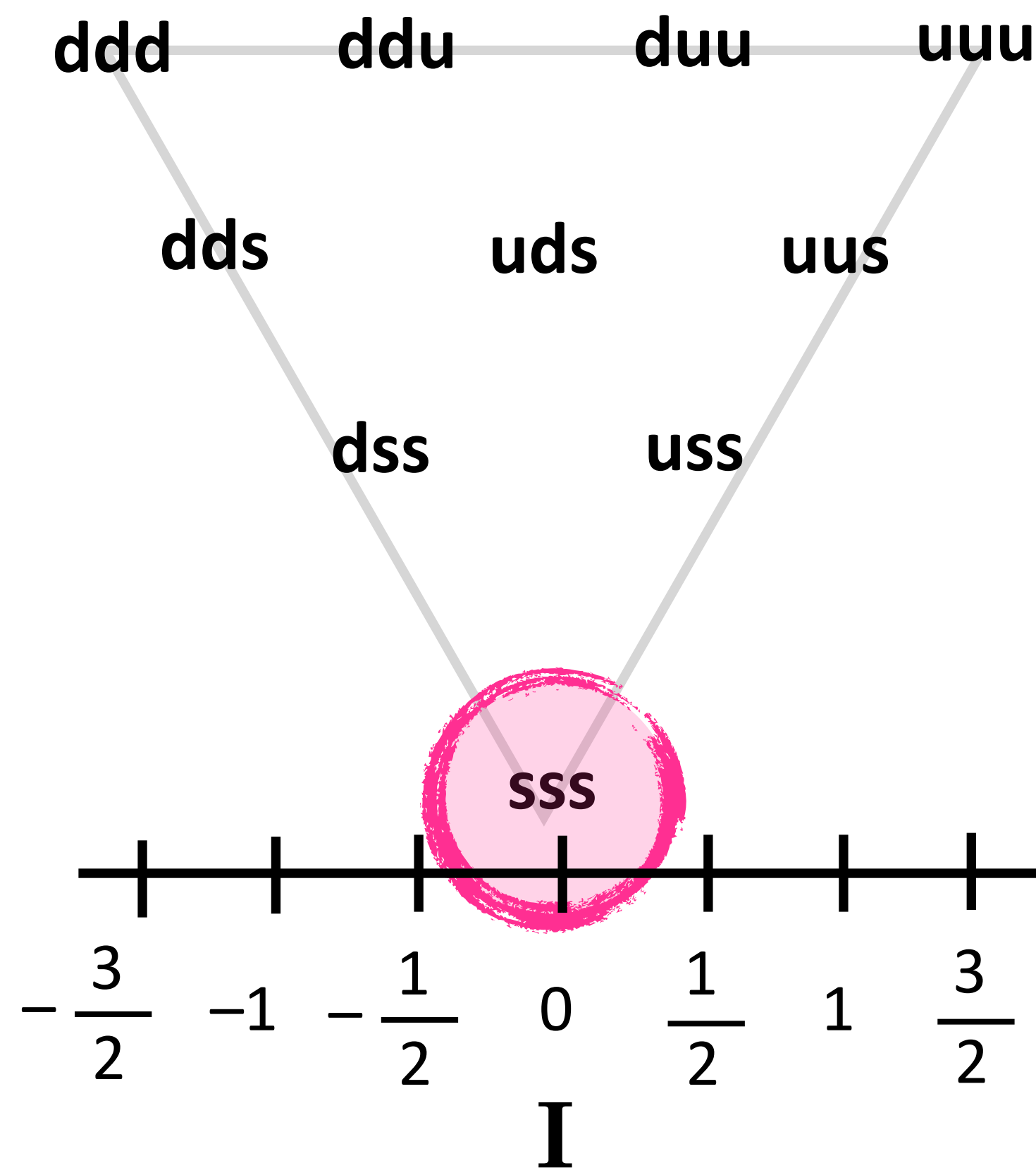
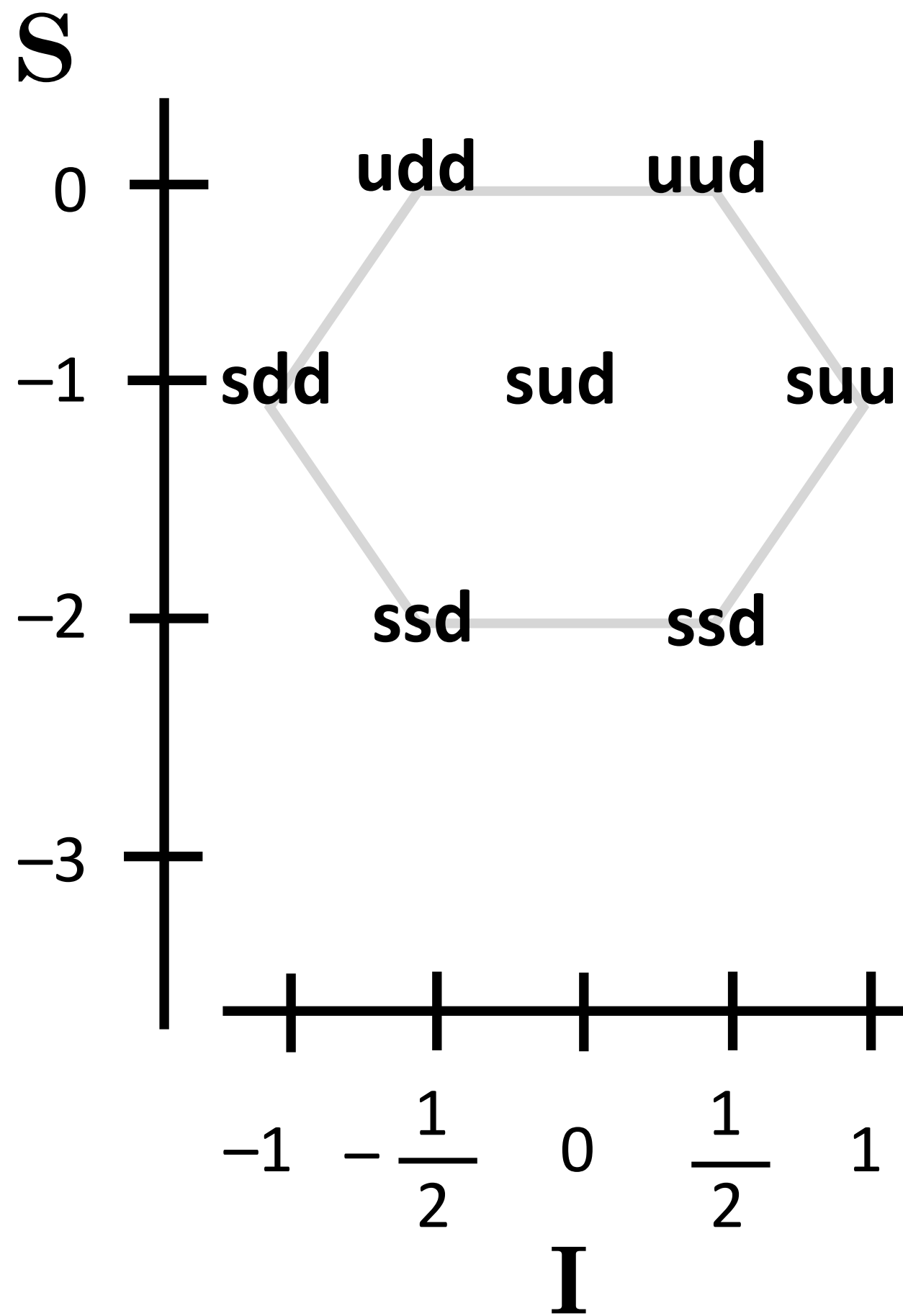


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strange	<i>s</i>	101	1/2	-1/3	1/3	-1

# they all fit

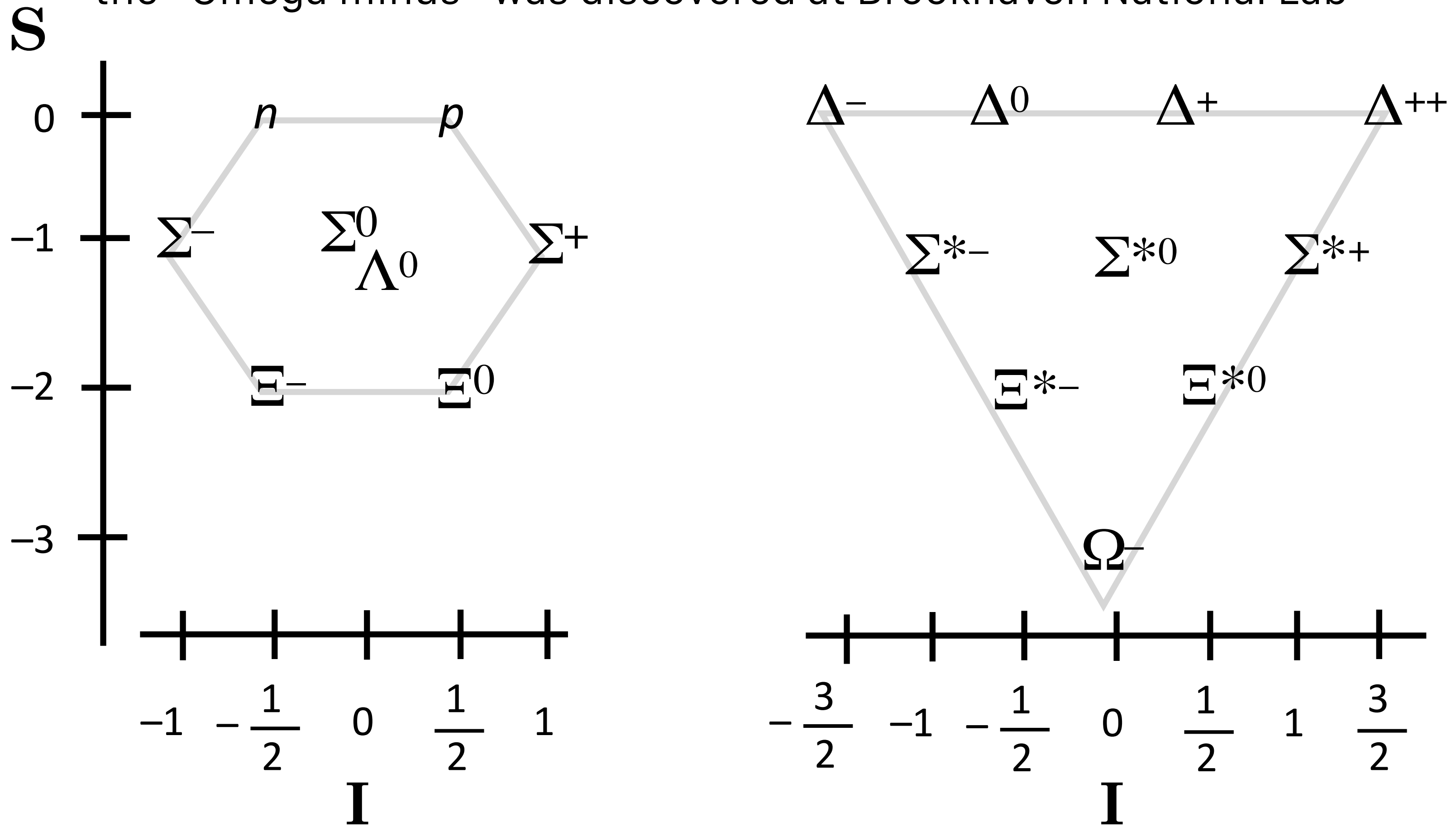


# like a glove



# discovered at Brookhaven within a year

the "Omega minus" was discovered at Brookhaven National Lab







particle:

## Omega minus

symbol:  $\Omega^-$

charge: -1

mass: 1672.45 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>

spin: 3/2

category: Fermion, baryon, I = 0, B=1, S=-3

# the dominant Baryons

Particle	Symbol	Rest Mass MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	spin	Q	B	S	Lifetime	dominant decay modes	quark content
proton	$p$	938.3	1/2	+1	+1	0	$> 10^{31} \text{ y}$		$uud$
neutron	$n$	939.6	1/2	0	+1	0	920	$p e^- \bar{\nu}_e$	$ddu$
Lambda	$\Lambda^0$	1115.6	1/2	0	+1	-1	$2.6 \times 10^{-10}$	$p\pi^-, n\pi^0$	$uds$
Sigma	$\Sigma^+$	1189.4	1/2	+1	+1	-1	$0.8 \times 10^{-10}$	$p\pi^0, n\pi^+$	$uus$
Sigma	$\Sigma^0$	1192.5	1/2	0	+1	-1	$6 \times 10^{-20}$	$\Lambda^0 \gamma$	$uds$
Sigma	$\Sigma^-$	1197.3	1/2	-1	+1	-1	$1.5 \times 10^{-10}$	$n\pi^-$	$dds$
Delta	$\Delta^{++}$	1232	3/2	+2	+1	0	$0.6 \times 10^{-23}$	$p\pi^+$	$uuu$
Delta	$\Delta^+$	1232	3/2	+1	+1	0	$0.6 \times 10^{-23}$	$n\pi^+, p\pi^0$	$uud$
Delta	$\Delta^0$	1232	3/2	0	+1	0	$0.6 \times 10^{-23}$	$n\pi^0$	$udd$
Delta	$\Delta^-$	1232	3/2	-1	+1	0	$0.6 \times 10^{-23}$	$n\pi^-$	$ddd$
Xi	$\Xi^0$	1315	1/2	0	+1	-2	$2.9 \times 10^{-10}$	$\Lambda^0 \pi^0$	$uss$
Xi	$\Xi^-$	1321	1/2	-1	+1	-2	$1.64 \times 10^{-10}$	$\Lambda^0 \pi^-$	$dss$
Omega	$\Omega^-$	1672	3/2	-1	+1	-3	$0.82 \times 10^{-10}$	$\Xi^0 \pi^-, \Lambda^0 K^-$	$sss$

# mesons

Quark	Symbol	Rest Mass MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	spin	Q	B	S
up	$u$	1.7 - 3.3	1/2	+2/3	1/3	0
down	$d$	4.1 - 5.8	1/2	-1/3	1/3	0
strange	$s$	101	1/2	-1/3	1/3	-1

a little different

The pion:

Particle	Symbol	anti-particle	Rest Mass MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	spin	Q	B	S
Pion	$\pi^+$	$\pi^-$	139.6	0	+1	0	0

$\pi^+ = (u \ \& \ \bar{d})$  has the right stuff.

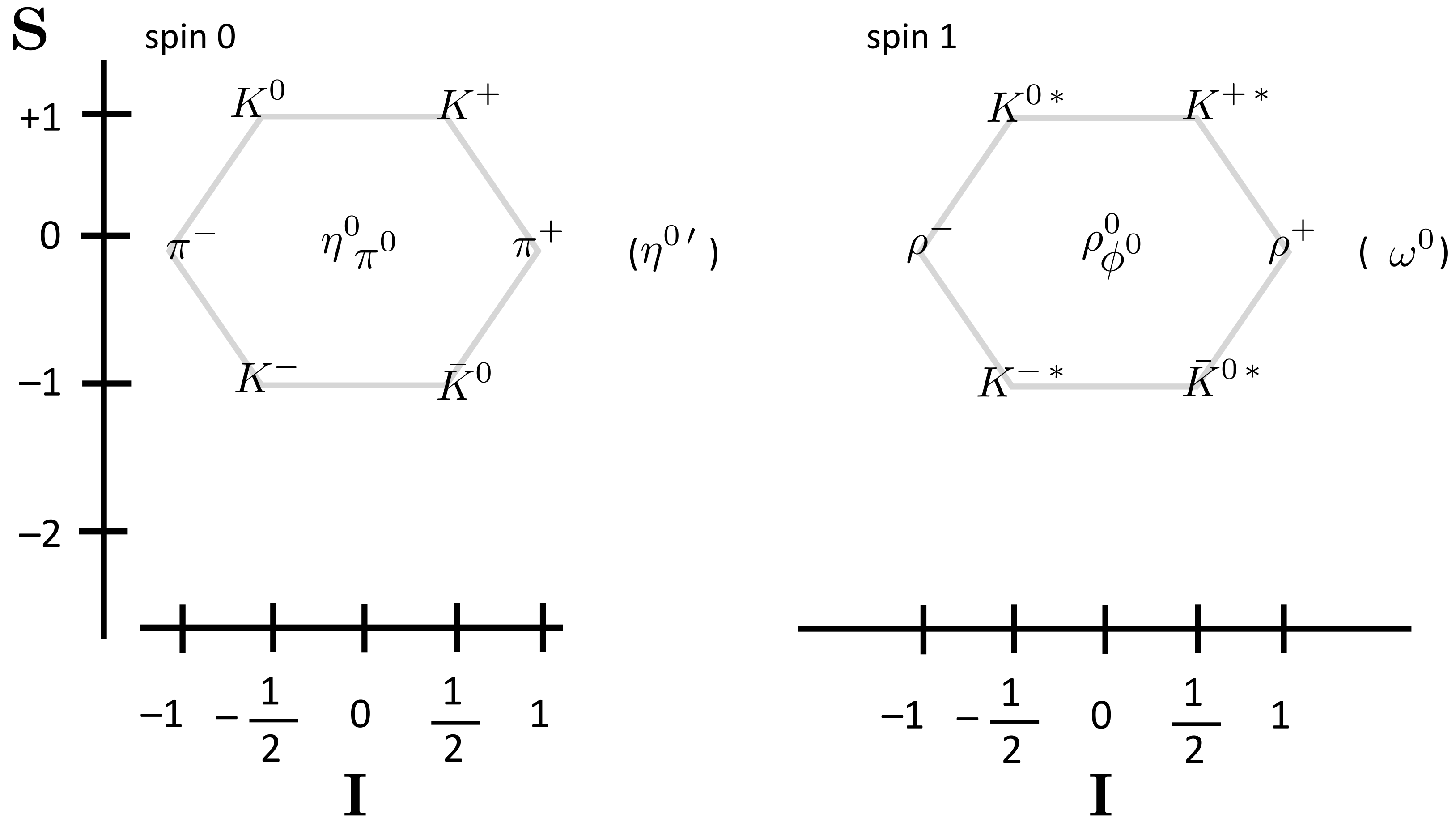
$$\text{Q:} \quad +1 \quad +2/3 \quad + \quad -(-1/3)$$

$$\text{B:} \quad 0 \quad 1/3 \quad + \quad -(1/3)$$

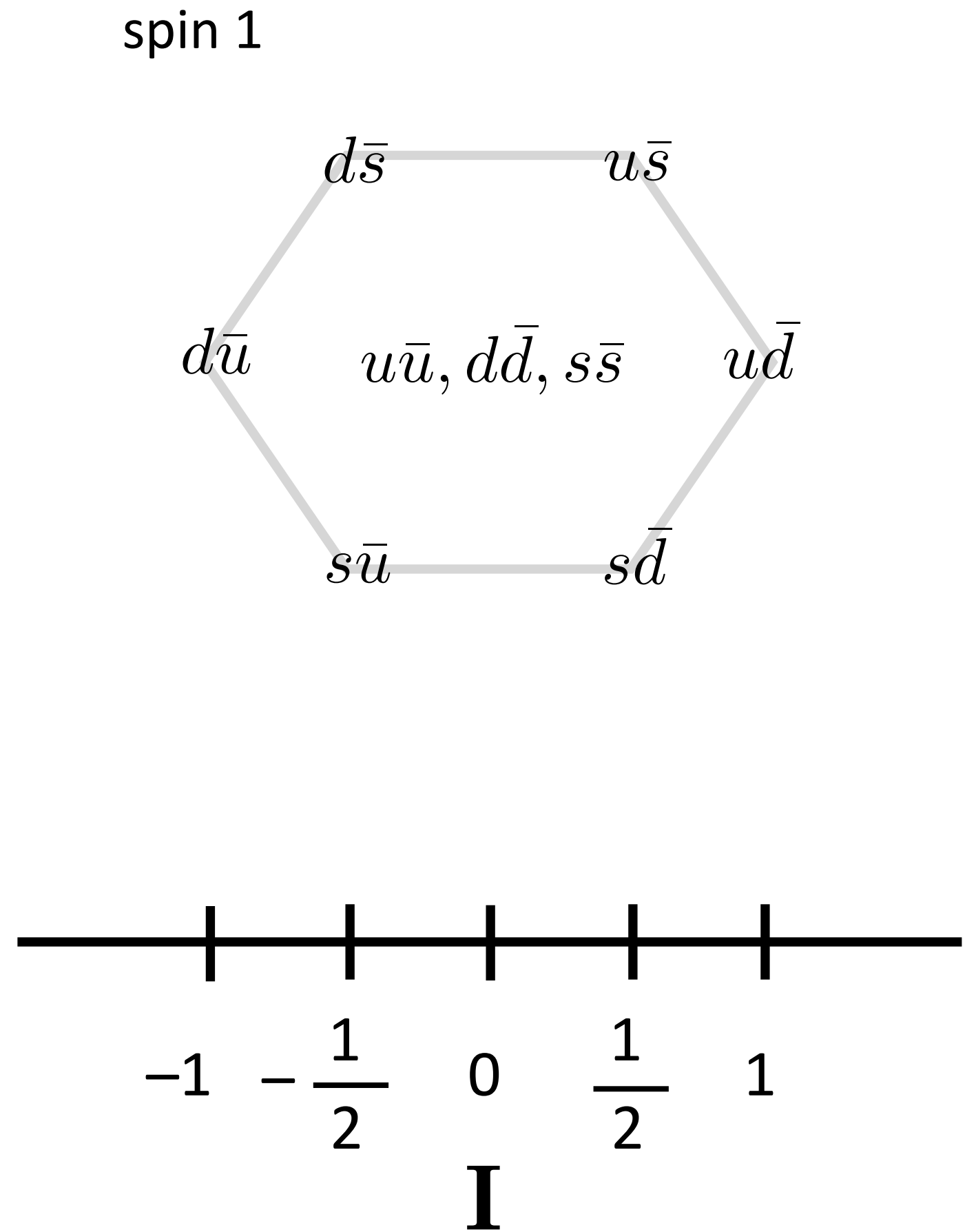
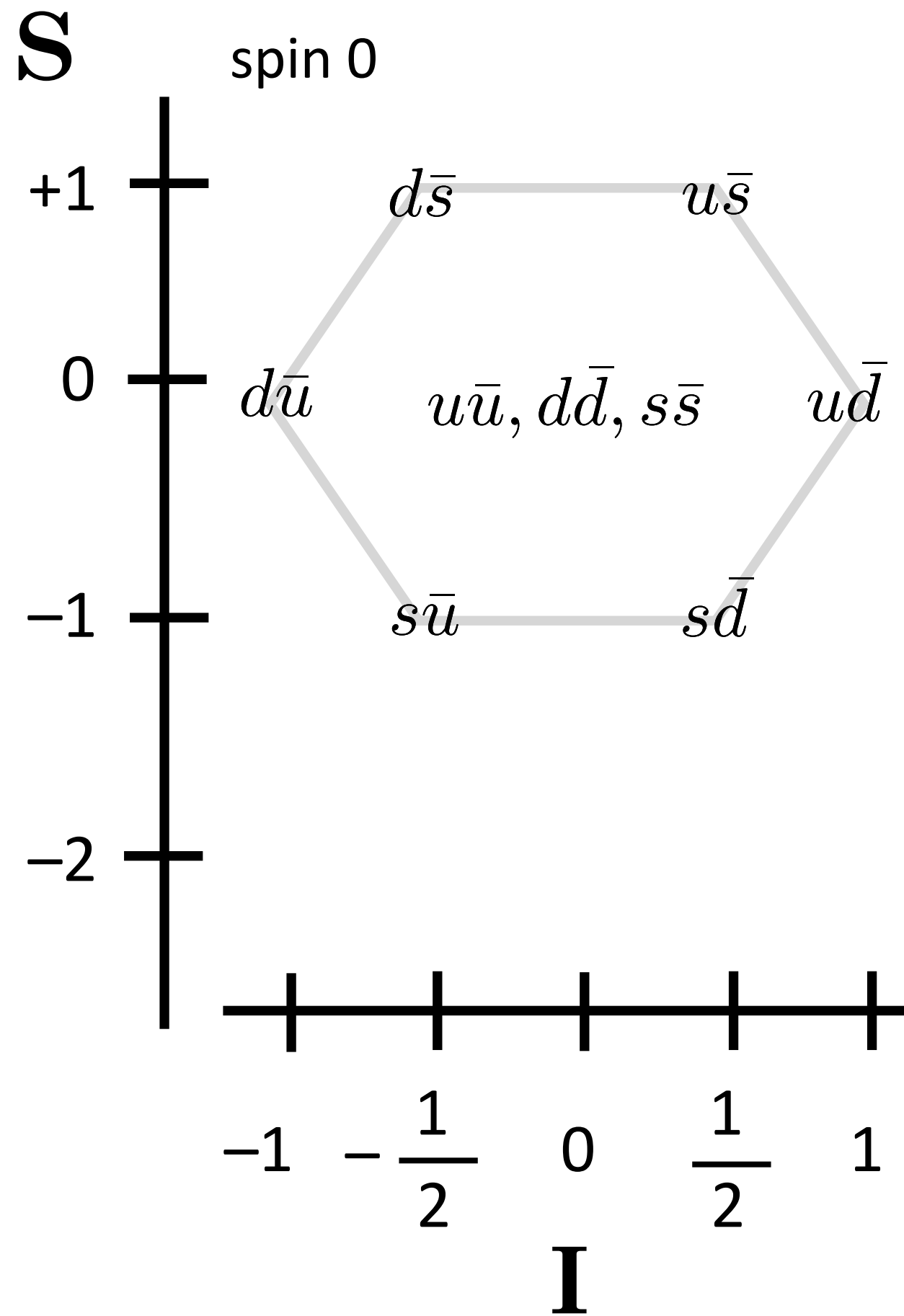
$$\text{S:} \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad 0$$

$$\pi^+ = u\bar{d}$$

# a similar thing happens for the mesons



# meson quark content



# the dominant Mesons

Particle	Symbol	anti-particle	Rest Mass MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	spin	Q	B	S	Lifetime	dominant decay modes	quark content
Pion	$\pi^+$	$\pi^-$	139.6	0	+1	0	0	$2.6 \times 10^{-8}$	$\mu^+ \nu_\mu$	$u\bar{d}$
Pi-zero	$\pi^0$	$\pi^0$	135	0	0	0	0	920	$2\gamma$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(u\bar{u} + d\bar{d})$
Kaon	$K^+$	$K^-$	493.7	0	+1	0	+1	$1.24 \times 10^{-8}$	$\mu^+ \nu_\mu, \pi^+ \pi^0$	$u\bar{s}$
K-short	$K_S^0$	$K_S^0$	497.7	0	0	0	+1	$0.89 \times 10^{-10}$	$\pi^+ \pi^-, 2\pi^0$	$d\bar{s}, s\bar{d}$
K-long	$K_L^0$	$K_L^0$	497.7	0	0	0	+1	$5.2 \times 10^{-8}$	$\pi^\pm \ell^\mp \nu_\ell$	$d\bar{s}, s\bar{d}$
Eta	$\eta^0$	$\eta^0$	548.8	0	0	0	0	$< 10^{-18}$	$2\gamma, \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	$u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}, s\bar{s}$
Eta-prime	$\eta^{0'}$	$\eta^{0'}$	958	1	0	0	0	...	$\pi^+ \pi^- \eta$	$u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}, s\bar{s}$
Rho	$\rho^+$	$\rho^-$	770	1	+1	0	0	$0.4 \times 10^{-23}$	$\pi^+ \pi^-, 2\pi^0$	$u\bar{d}$
Rho-naught	$\rho^0$	$\rho^0$	770	1	0	0	0	$0.4 \times 10^{-23}$	$\pi^+ \pi^-$	$u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}$
Omega	$\omega^0$	$\omega^0$	782	1	0	0	0	$0.8 \times 10^{-22}$	$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	$u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}$
Phi	$\phi$	$\phi$	1020	1	0	0	0	$20 \times 10^{-23}$	$K^+ K^-, K^0 \bar{K}^0$	$s\bar{s}$

# spins work out

Keep track of quark spins:

spin +1/2	$q \uparrow$
spin -1/2	$q \downarrow$

for example, a couple of baryons:

$p$        $u \uparrow u \downarrow d \uparrow$       total spin: 1/2

$\Delta^+$        $u \uparrow u \uparrow d \uparrow$       total spin: 3/2

for example, a couple of mesons:

$\pi^+$        $u \uparrow \bar{d} \downarrow$       total spin: 0

$\rho^+$        $u \uparrow \bar{d} \uparrow$       total spin: 1

add up the spins

there are  
still

100's more  
baryons and  
mesons

what's up with that?  
you're asking

A model of “quark molecules”...

Molecules can have vibrational and rotational excited states...

So can quarks.

$N^*$  is a state with the same quark content as a proton  
but which has a high orbital angular momentum

$d \quad u \quad u \quad \dots$

Other states can be well-modeled by assuming relative  
vibrational modes..

$d$

$u$

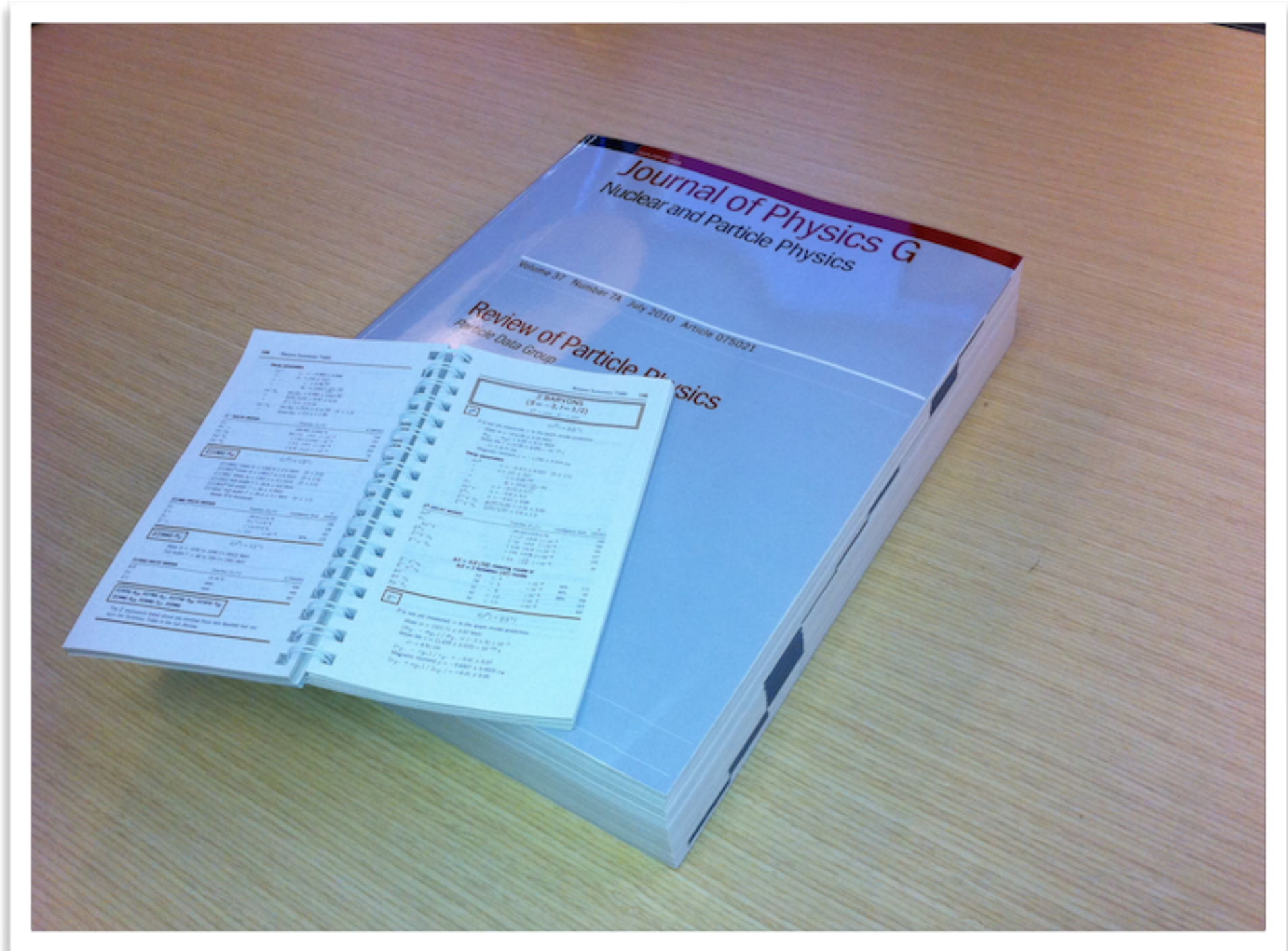
$u$



you can  
tell a  
particle  
physicist

by the books that  
we carry

"I laughed, I cried"



# now the jargon

gets a little more  
straightforward

now defined:

**Hadrons:** particles made of quarks.

now defined:

**Baryons:** particles made of 3 quarks.

now defined:

**Mesons:** particles made of 1 quark and 1 antiquark.

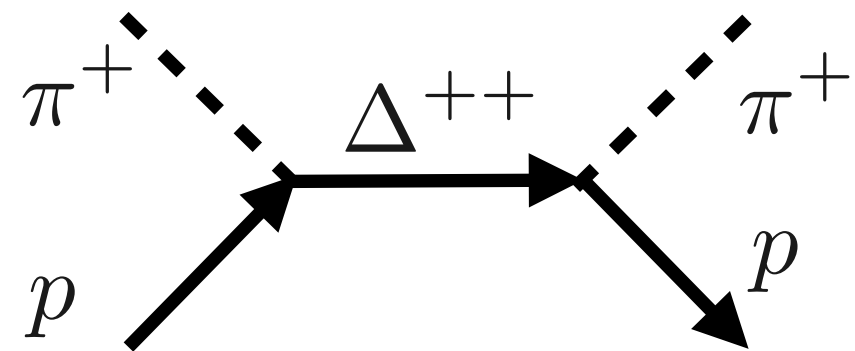
# a variety of consequences

became apparent

One could begin to understand particle decays and reactions in terms of pseudo-Feynman diagrams\* like this:

$\pi^+ + p \rightarrow \pi^+ + p$       Fermi had produced “resonances” that suggested that something was “in between” the initial and final states

$$\pi^+ + p \rightarrow \Delta^{++} \rightarrow \pi^+ + p$$



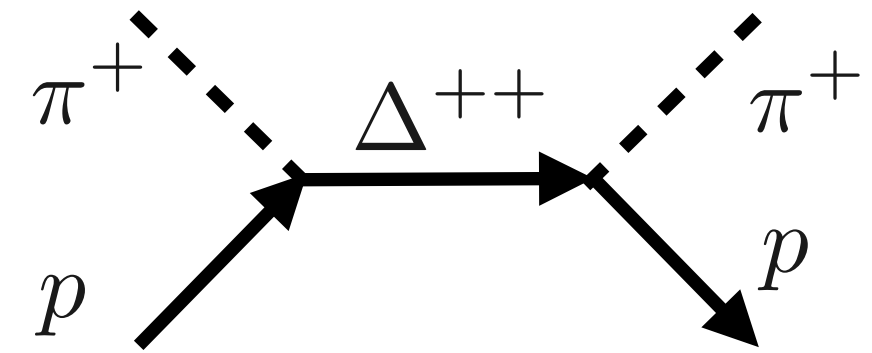
\* I call them “pseudo” as doing real calculations with them are kind of ad-hoc

scatterings  
now are  
thought of  
diferently

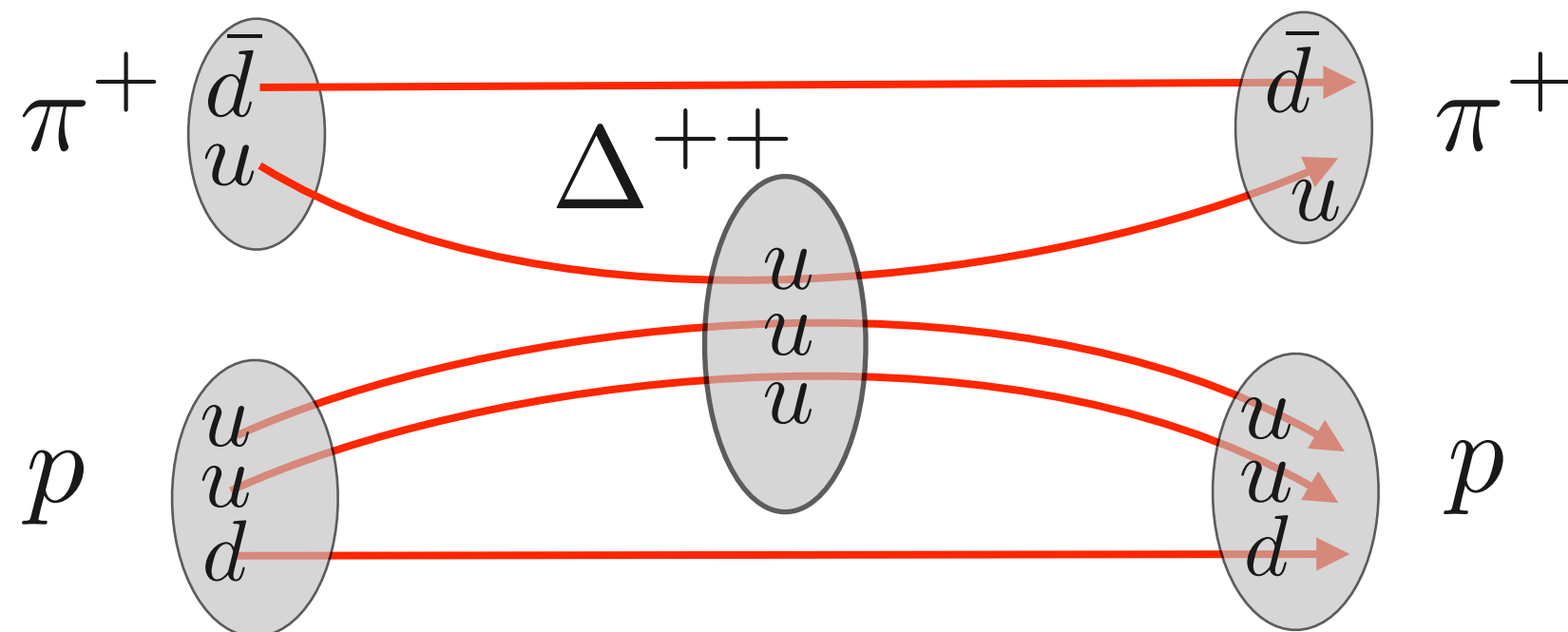
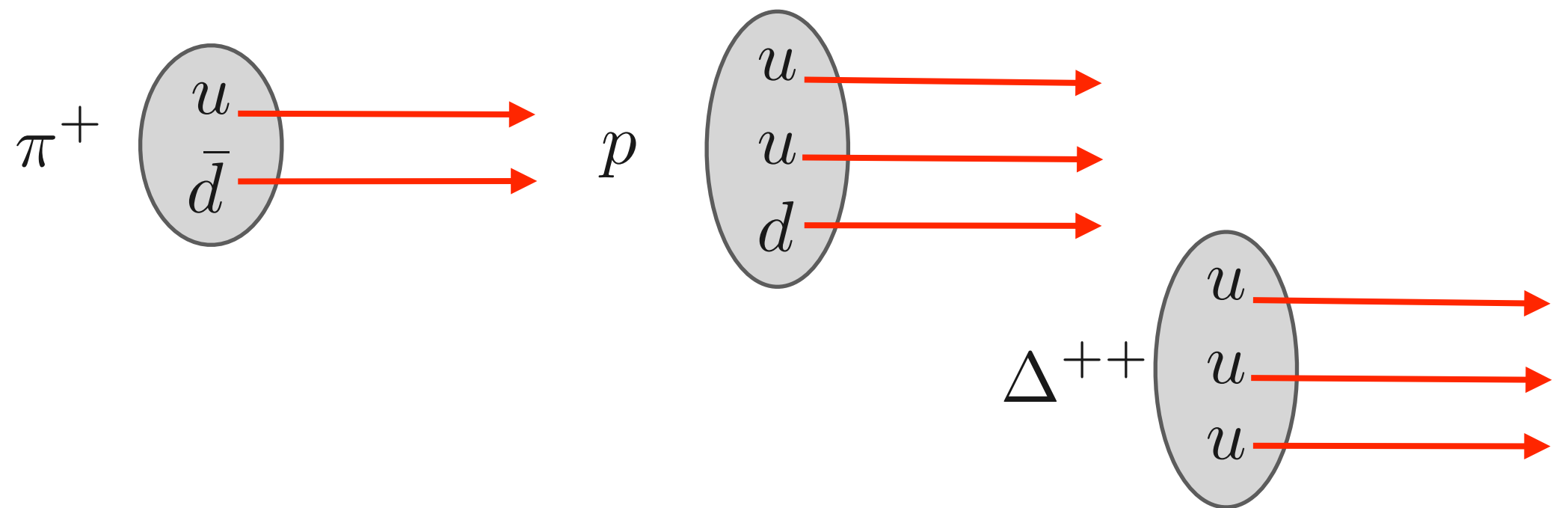
by following the  
lines...

$$\pi^+ + p \rightarrow \Delta^{++} \rightarrow \pi^+ + p$$

Feynman Diagram, pre-1964:



in quark language:

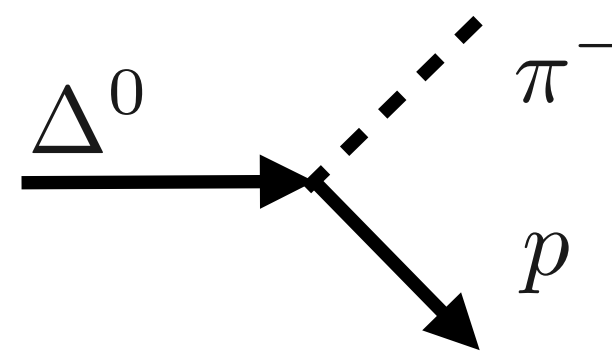


# how about a strong interaction decay?

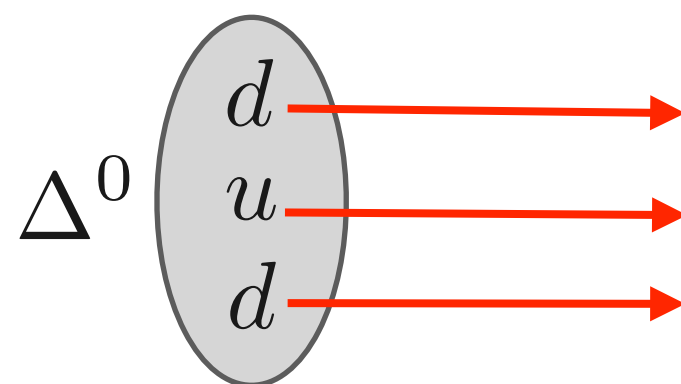
a little non-intuitive.

$$\Delta^0 \rightarrow \pi^- + p$$

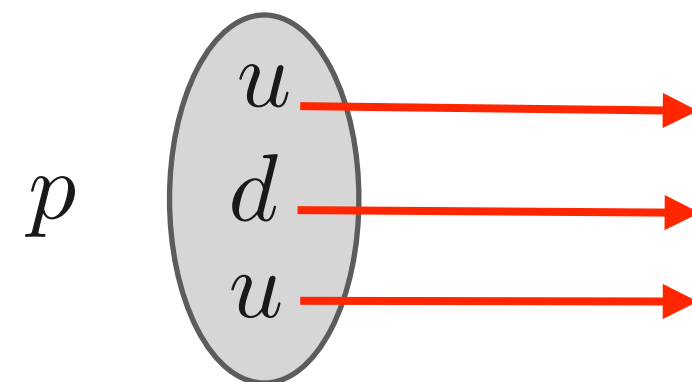
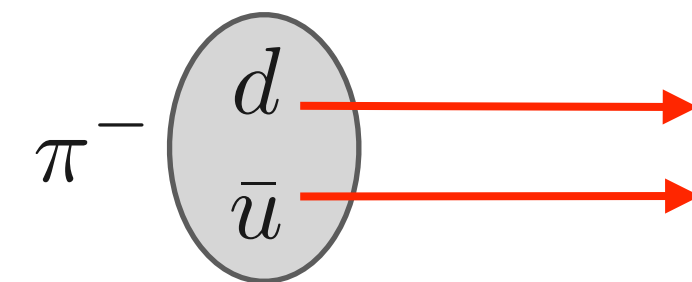
the old way:



the quark way:

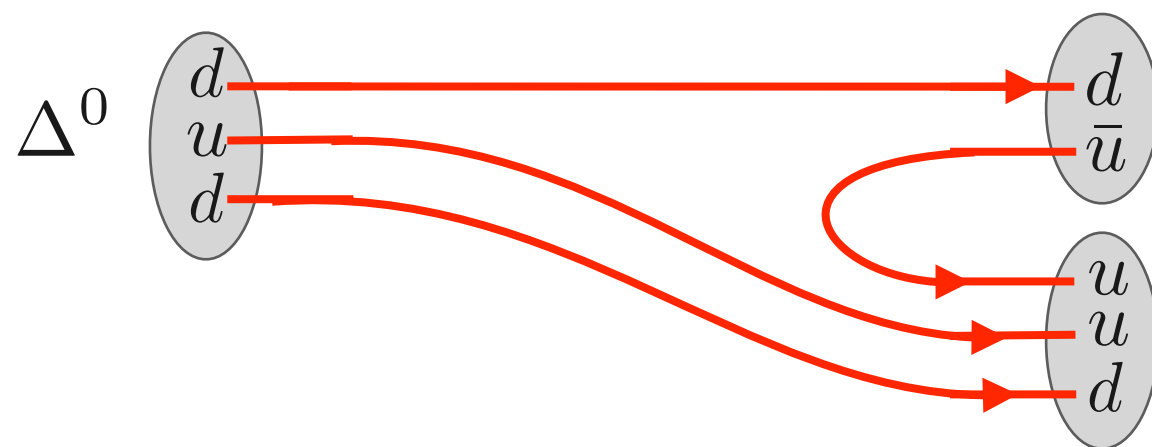


3 quarks



5 quarks

some quark-creation required!



stay tuned.



is the world made of actual  
quarks?

or is this just a convenient organizing scheme

that's all Gell-Mann thought

But evidence started to accumulate that surprised  
everyone

quarks are indeed as real as electrons.

First piece of convincing evidence:

we can bang on them

individually...Feynman saw this first.



remember.

the crucial thing in order to “see” something?

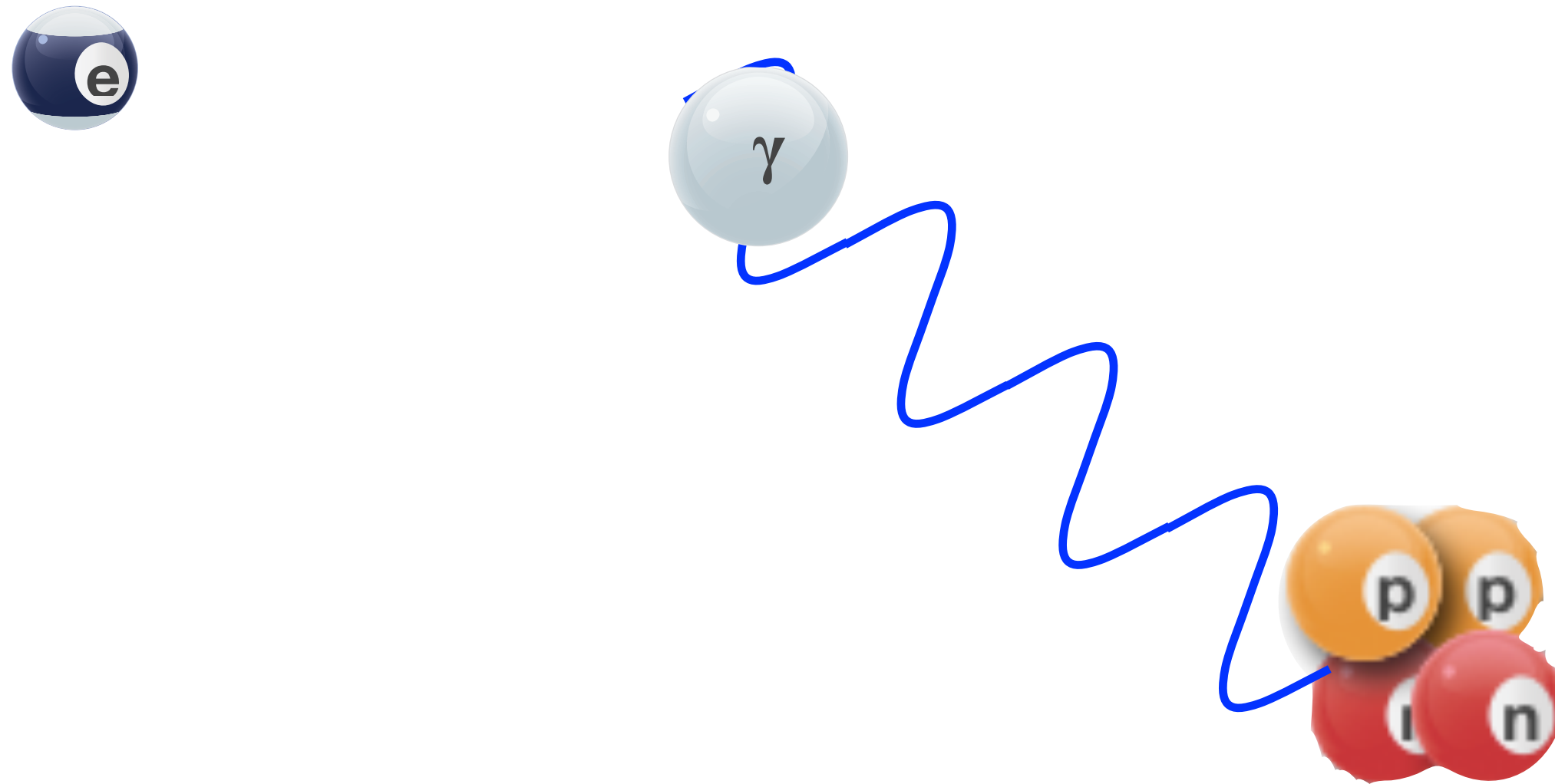
wavelength has to be about the size of the object

larger the momentum

the smaller the spatial resolving capability

# scattering of an electron from a nucleus

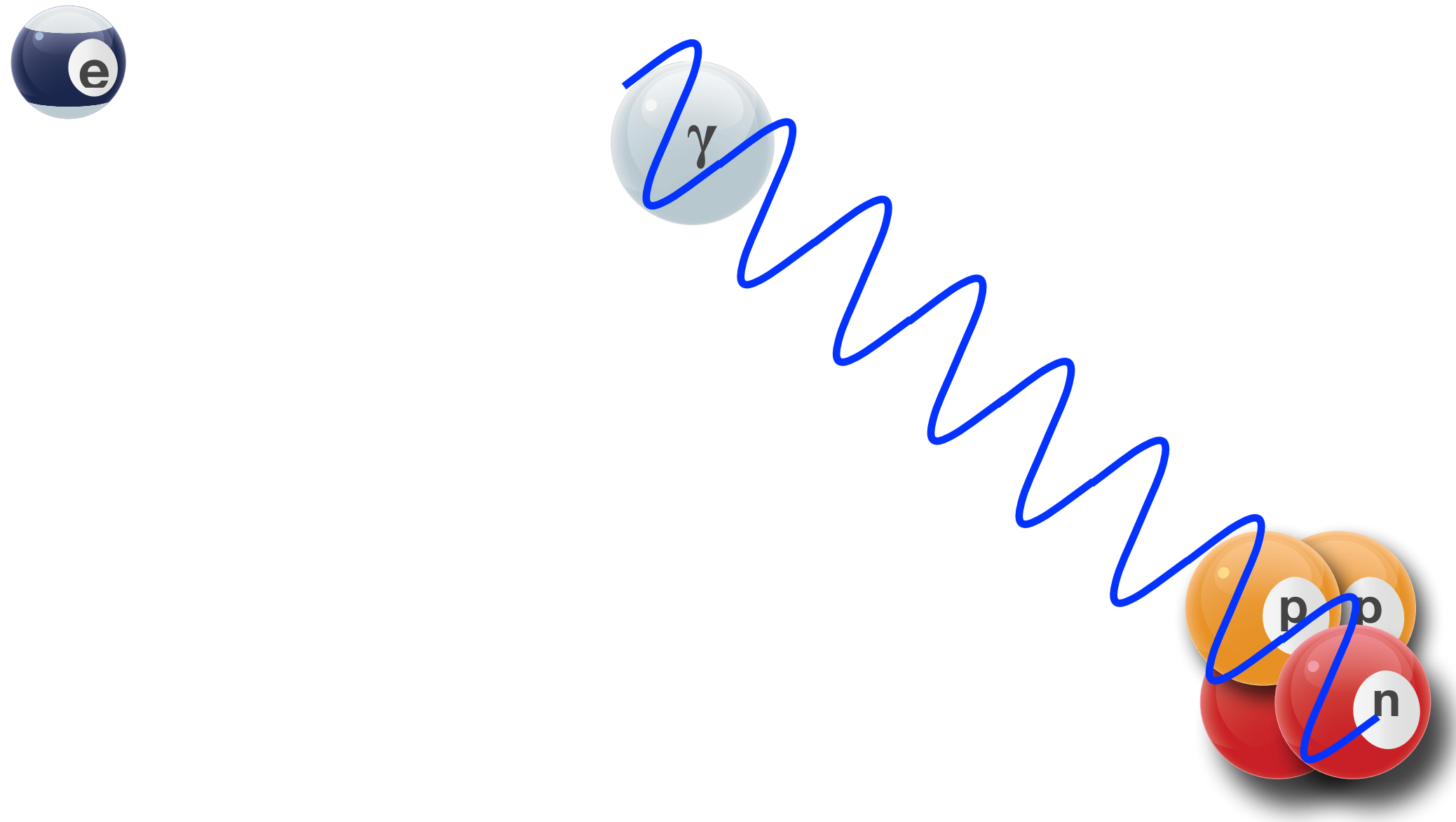
slow electron, long wavelength photon



“sees” the whole nucleus

scattering of an electron from a nucleus

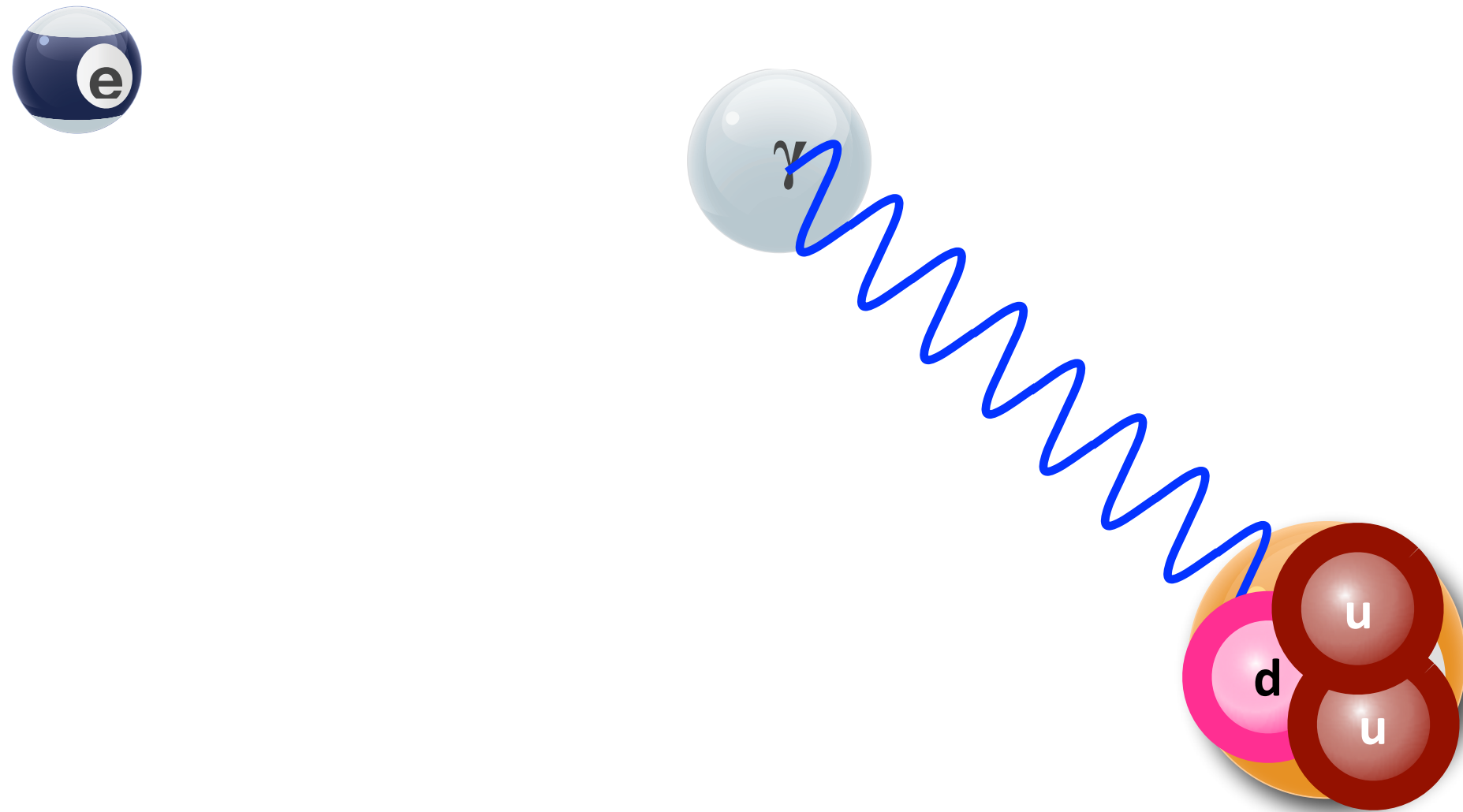
fast electron, medium-short wavelength photon



“sees” an individual proton in the nucleus

scattering of an electron from a nucleus

**very fast** electron, **very-short** wavelength photon



“sees” an individual quark in a proton or neutron

That’s how we became convinced in 1969 –

*the same sort of backwards scattering as Rutherford’s*

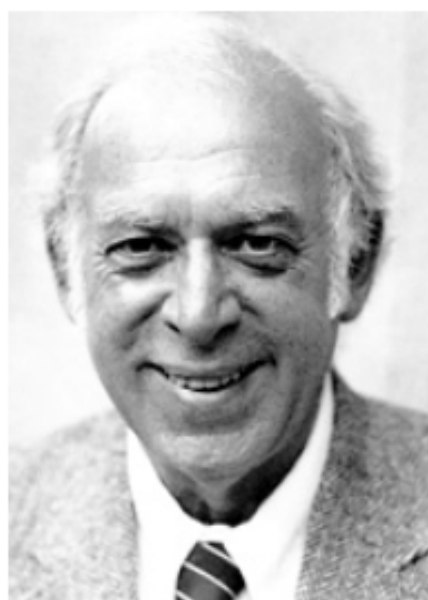


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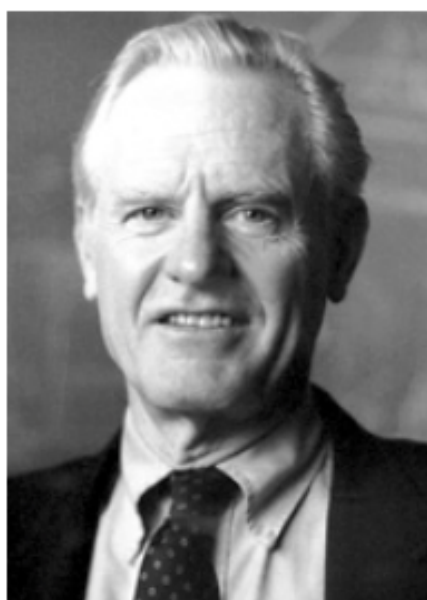
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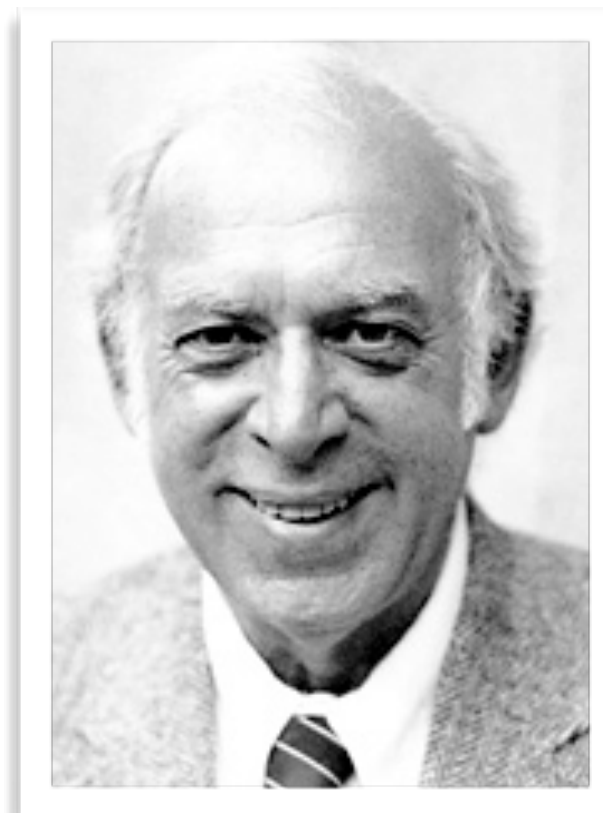
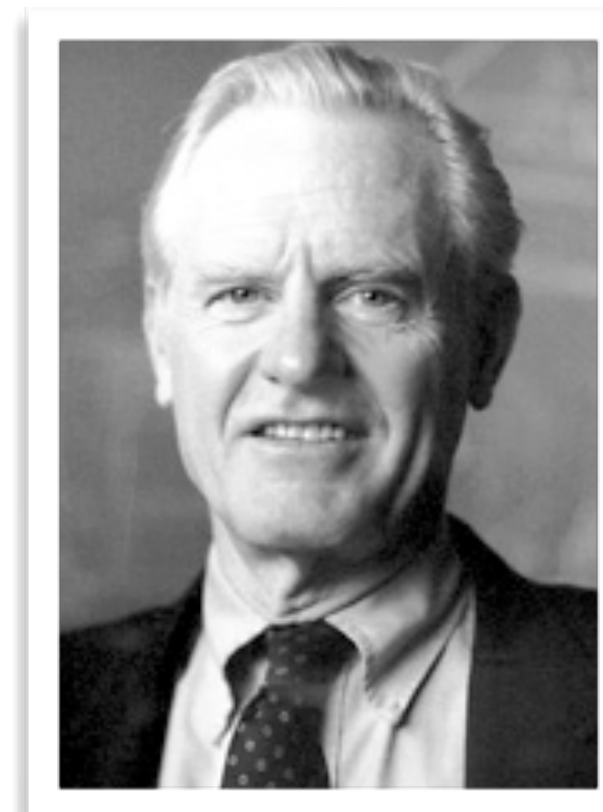
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particle:

## up quark

symbol:

*u*

charge:

+2/3

mass:

1.7 to 3.3 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>

spin:

1/2

category:

Fermion, I=+1/2, B=1/3, S=0

particle:

## down quark

symbol:

$d$

charge:

$-1/3$

mass:

4.1 to 5.8 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>

spin:

$1/2$

category:

Fermion,  $I=-1/2$ ,  $B=1/3$ ,  $S=0$



particle:

## strange quark

symbol:  $s$

charge:  $-1/3$

mass:  $101 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

spin:  $1/2$

category: Fermion,  $I=-1/2$ ,  $B=1/3$ ,  $S=-1$

# shifting gears

the weak interaction needs a boson



the quantum relativistic  
field theory  
theme song:

## A Kind Of Magic

Words & Music by Roger Taylor

(♩ = 131)

It's a kind of ma - gic, — it's a kind of ma - gic, —

The first system of musical notation for the song. It consists of a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line is in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#) and a 4/4 time signature. The piano accompaniment is in bass clef. The tempo is marked as quarter note = 131. The lyrics are 'It's a kind of ma - gic, — it's a kind of ma - gic, —'. There is a bracketed 'A' above the first measure of the vocal line.

a kind of ma - gic. — One

The second system of musical notation. The vocal line continues with the lyrics 'a kind of ma - gic. — One'. The piano accompaniment continues with a similar rhythmic pattern.

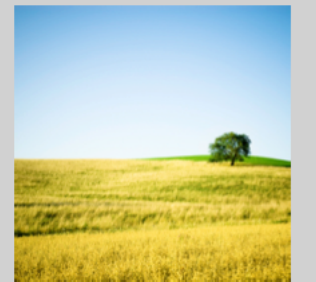
dream, — one soul, — one prize, — one goal. —

The third system of musical notation. The vocal line continues with the lyrics 'dream, — one soul, — one prize, — one goal. —'. The piano accompaniment continues. There are guitar chord diagrams labeled 'A' and 'B7' above the vocal line.

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*this* kind of magic:

If there is a force...there's a field



If there's a field,  
there's a quantum to go with it.

**Because Nature  
is Clumpy.**

A Kind Of Magic  
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(♩ = 131)

It's a kind of ma - gic... it's a kind of ma - gic...

a kind of ma - gic... One

dream, one soul, one prin - ciple, one goal.

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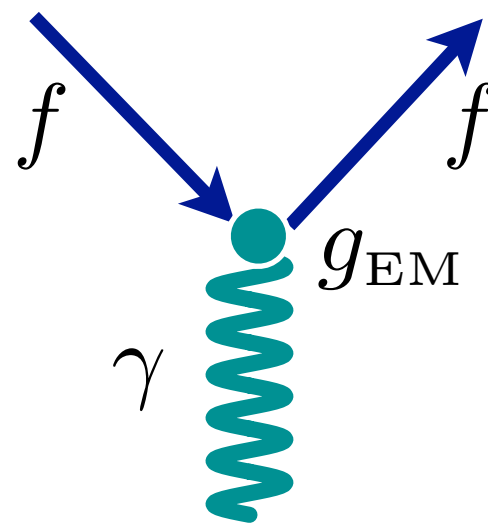
for the electromagnetic interaction:

the force is the electromagnetic force

the field is E & B

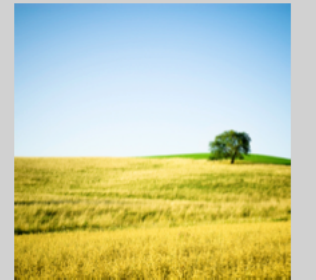
the clumpiness – the quantum – is:

The photon:  $\gamma$



Well, the Weak Force  
must have a field  
...yadda yadda yadda

If there is a force...there's a field



If there's a field,  
there's a quantum to go with it.

**Because Nature  
is Clumpy.**



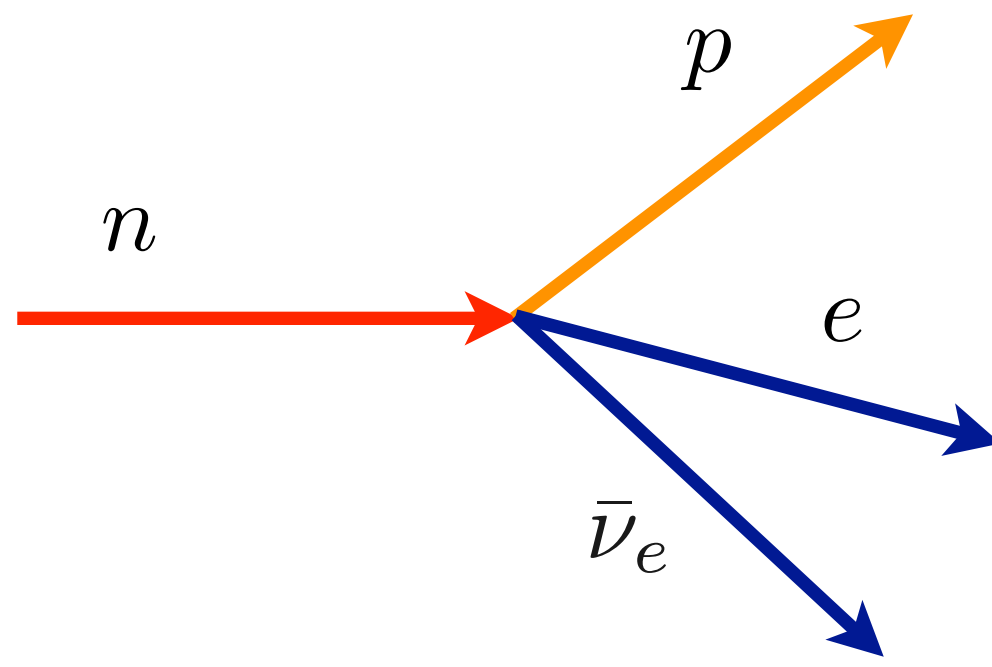
for weak interaction:

the field must be a weak field...& Massive & electrically charged

the clumpiness –the quantum – must be *Something else.*

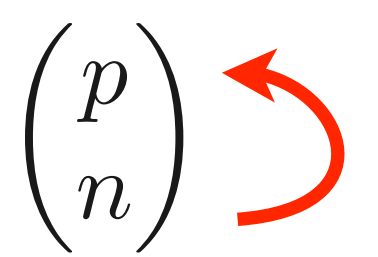
# here's a weak interaction

## neutron beta decay

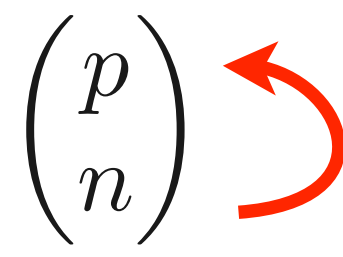
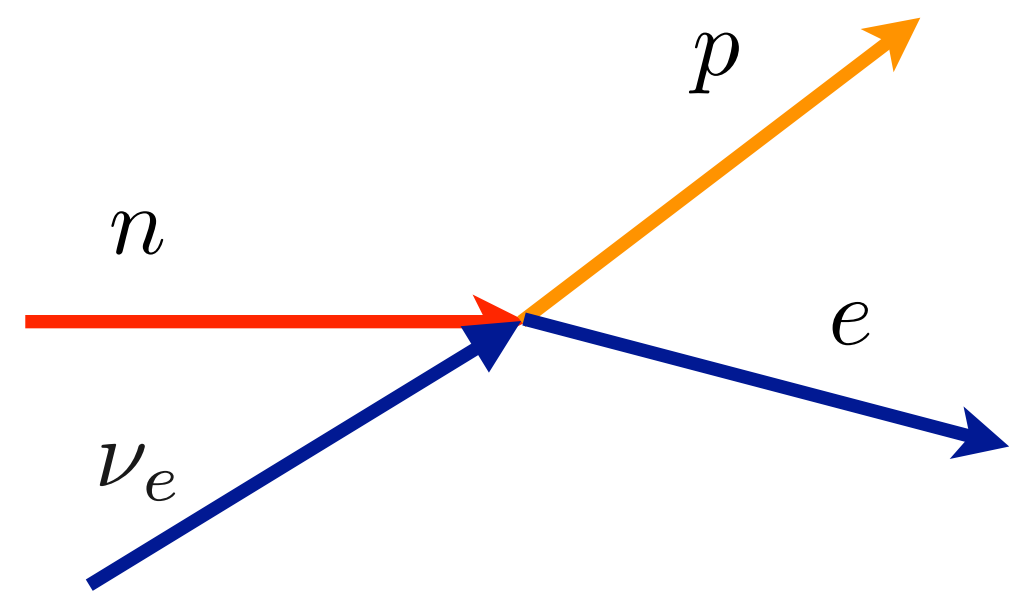


changes electric charge

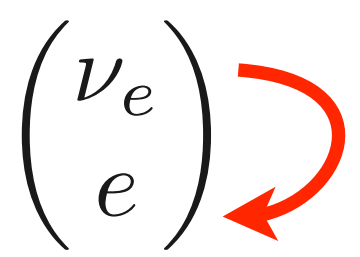
the weak interaction here changes the bottom and the top of these doublets



Manipulate the graph in the now familiar way:

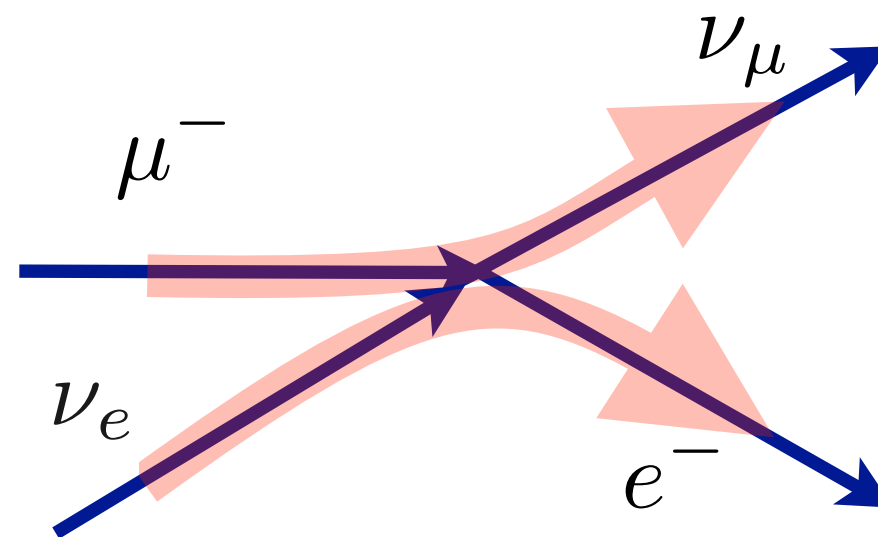
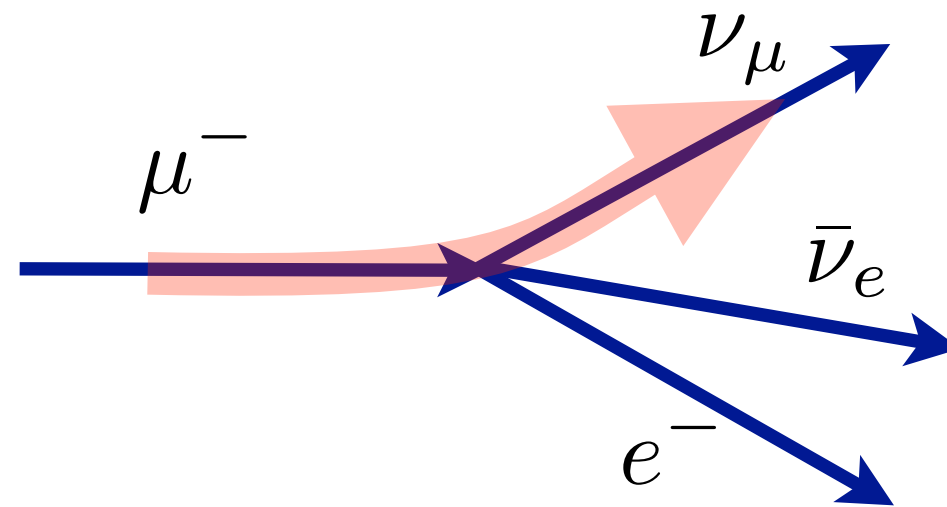


and



the muon  
decay is  
the same  
sort of

in that second  
way of looking  
at it:



$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ e \end{pmatrix}$$

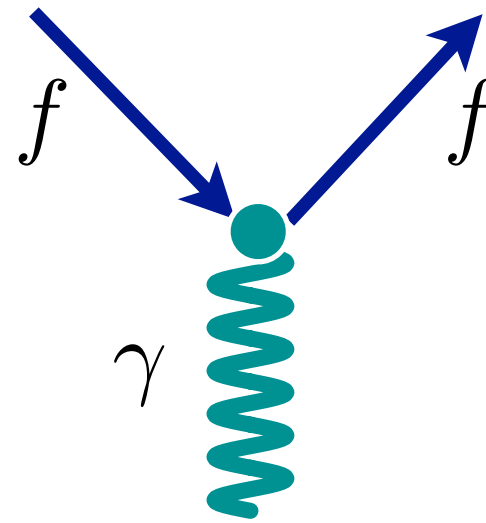
and

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_\mu \\ \mu \end{pmatrix}$$

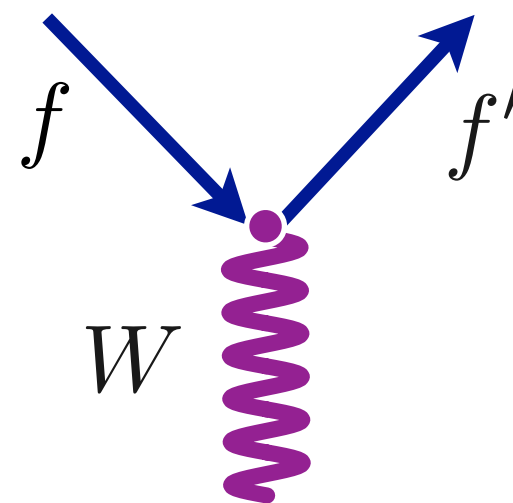
do it  
again?

can a "photon" be  
forced to exist  
that governs the  
weak interaction?

It was a dream that the electromagnetic interaction



could have a weak interaction  
counterpart.


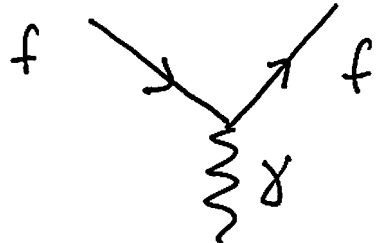
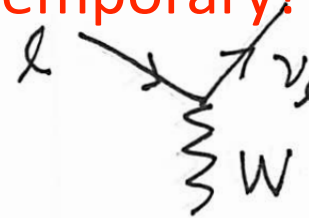
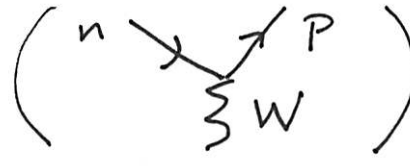


Feynman and Murray Gell-Mann  
worked out a consistent theory based  
on the idea of a "heavy" photon with  
electric charge.





"W" for "Weak"

Notice that  $f$  and  $f'$  and  $W^\pm$  all have to have their electric  
charges assigned so that electric charge is conserved.

temporary  
entries  
into your  
table of primitive  
diagrams

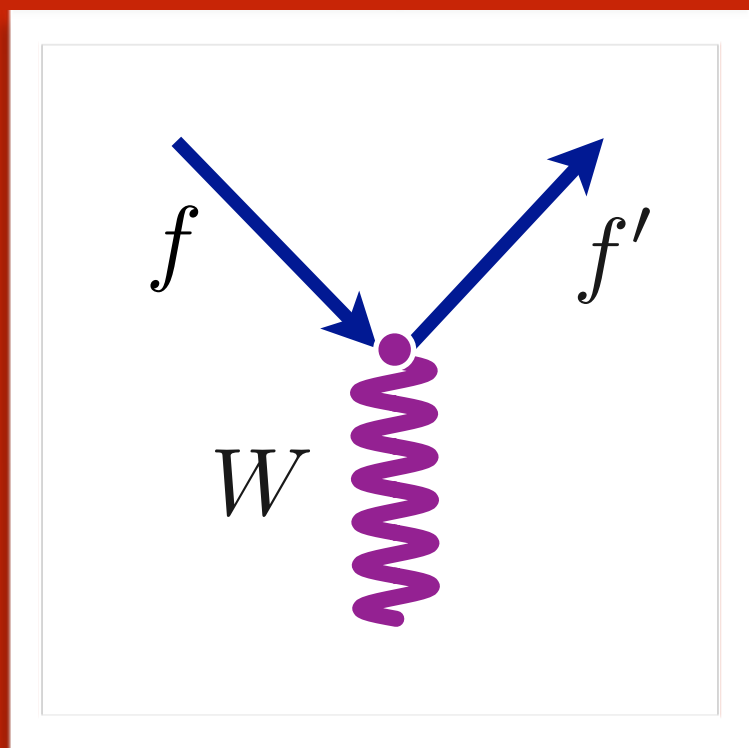
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3	<p>temporary!</p>  <p>don't add this!</p>	
<b>waitasecond1</b>		
4		Strong Interactions
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fermion, spin 1/2, e.g., electron    Vector Boson, spin 1, e.g., photon    gluon, spin 1    scalar Boson, spin 0, e.g., Higgs Boson

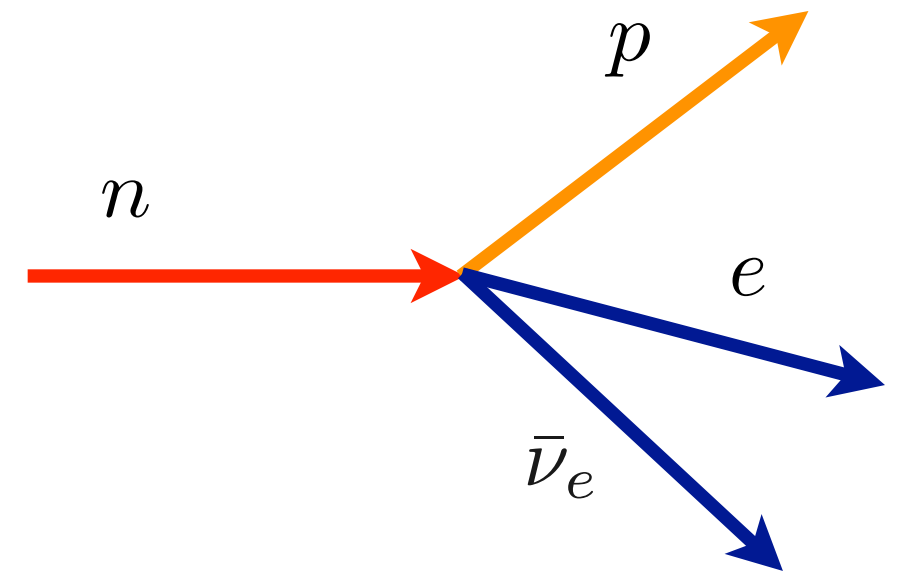
so, a new  
primitive  
diagram

for the Weak  
Interaction

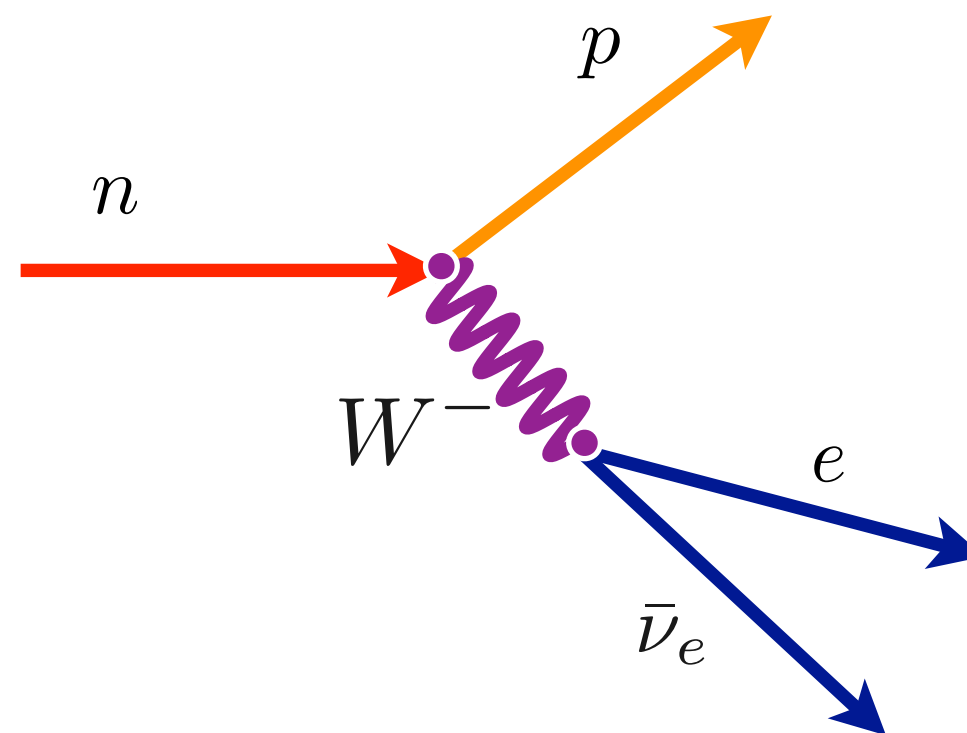


**pretend** this is primitive for a moment.

Neutron beta decay:

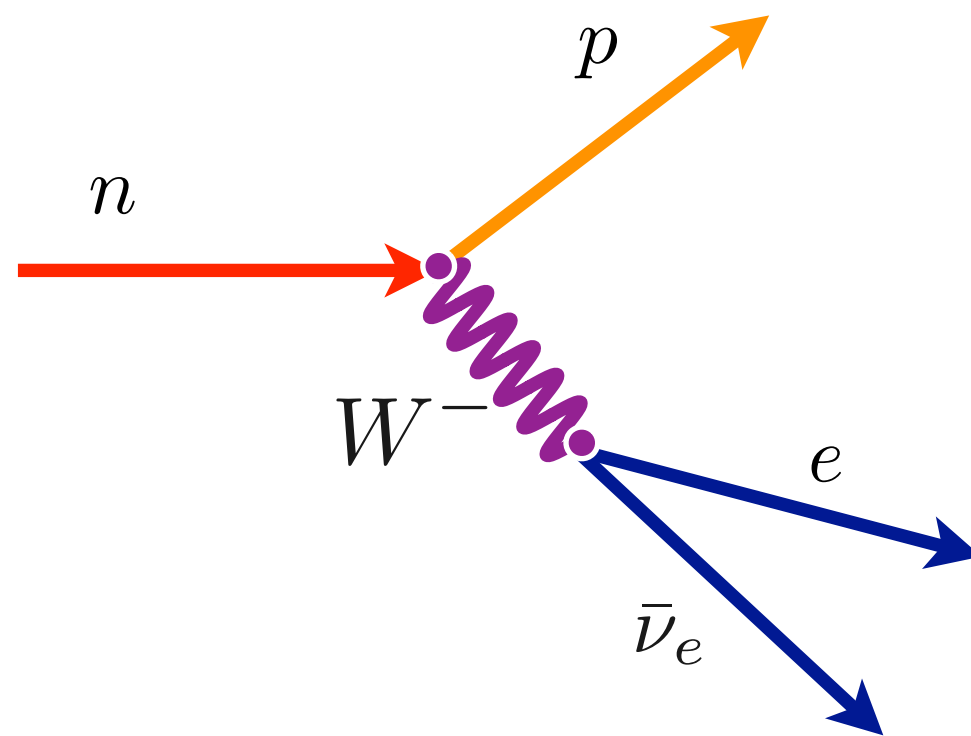


becomes:



keep  
track of  
the  
charge  
flow

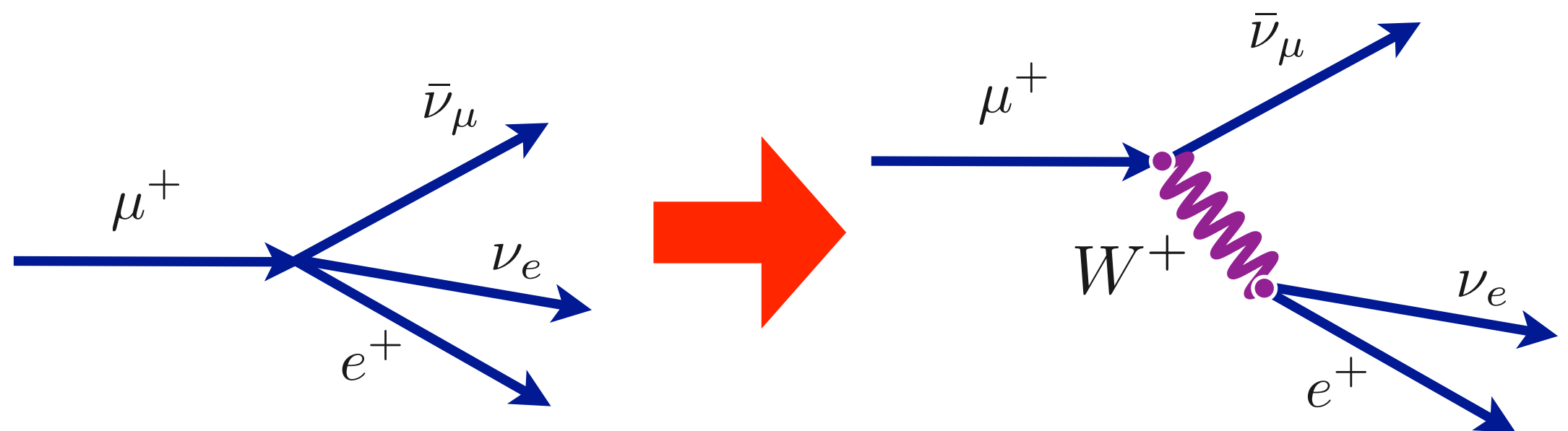
there are 2 W  
charged states



$$n \rightarrow p + W^- \rightarrow p + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$$

$$Q: \quad 0 = +1 + -1 = +1 + -1 + 0 = 0$$

So:  $W^-$  lowers the electrical charge by 1  
 $W^+$  raises the electrical charge by 1

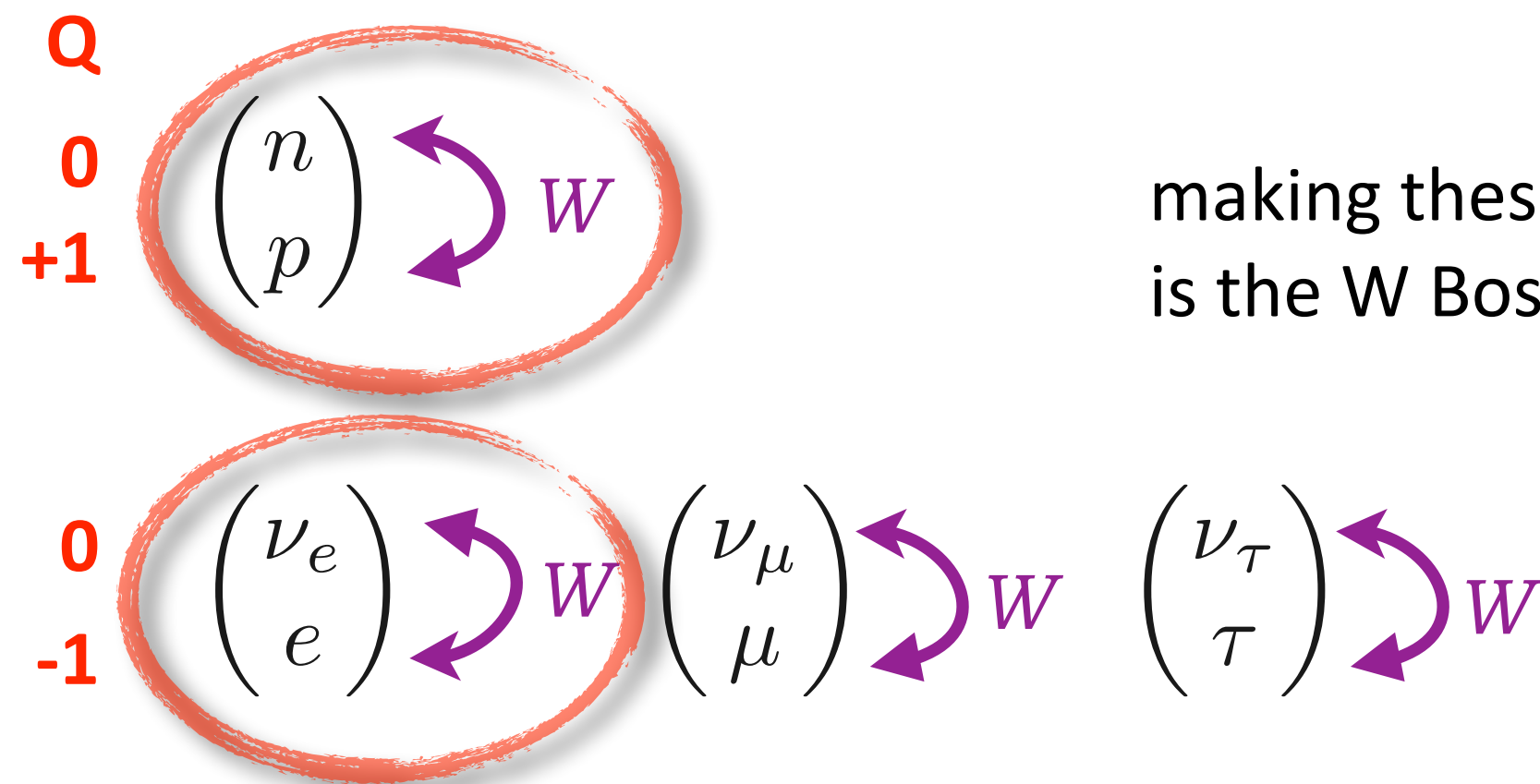




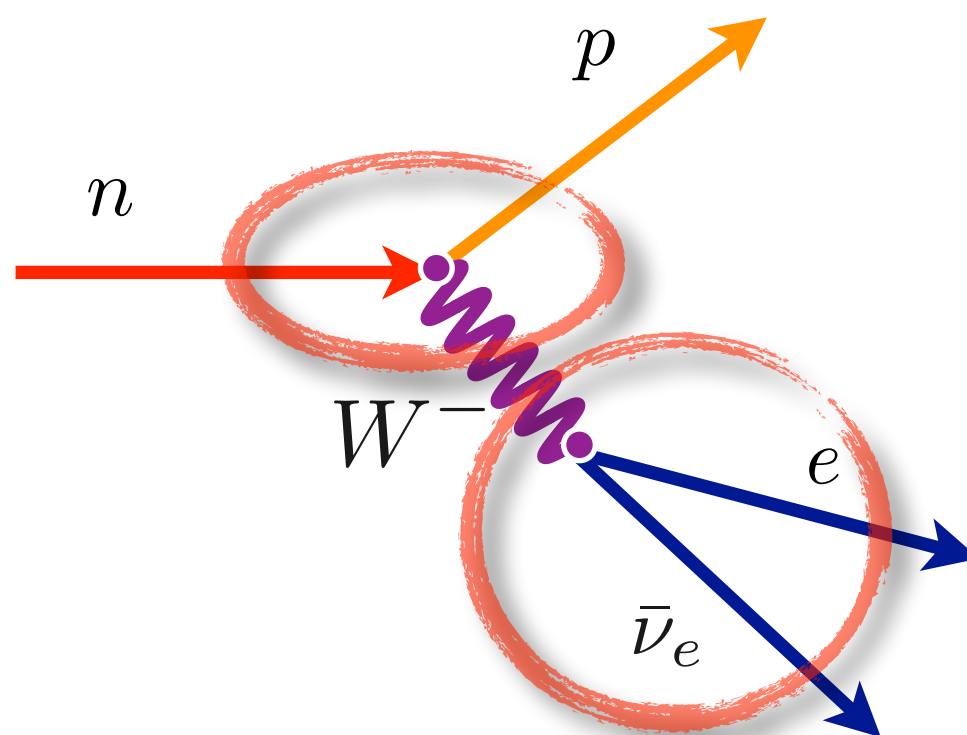
here is  
 where  
 those weak  
 “doublets”  
 come in

the Weak  
 Interaction  
 connects them

The particle doublets that we know so far:



Notice, that all of these transitions change the electric charge as well as the particle type



call a generic lepton, “ $l$ ”



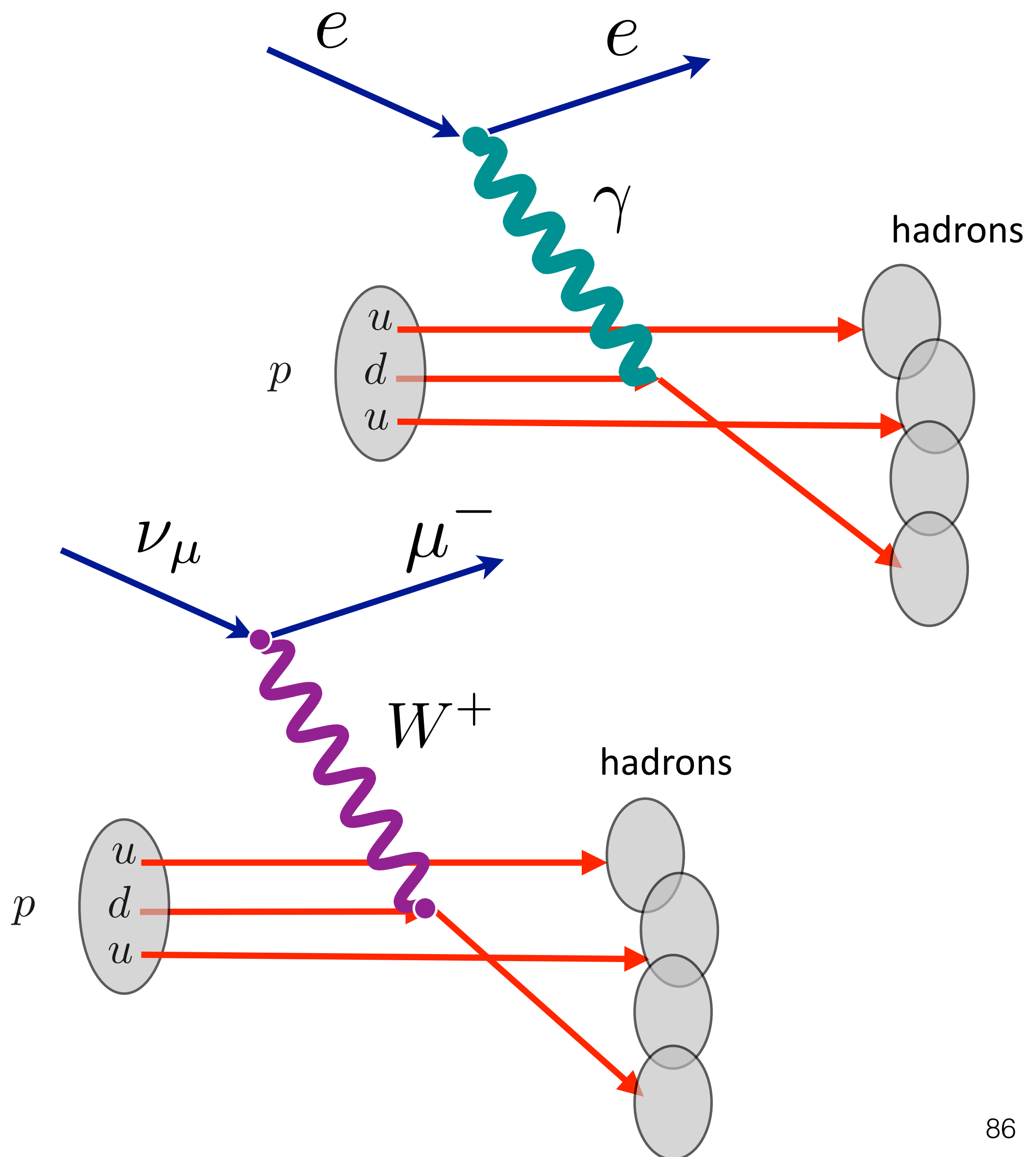
$$l = e, \mu, \tau$$

“deep inelastic scattering”

hitting quarks individually

of course in a statistical fashion

neutrinos do it too...



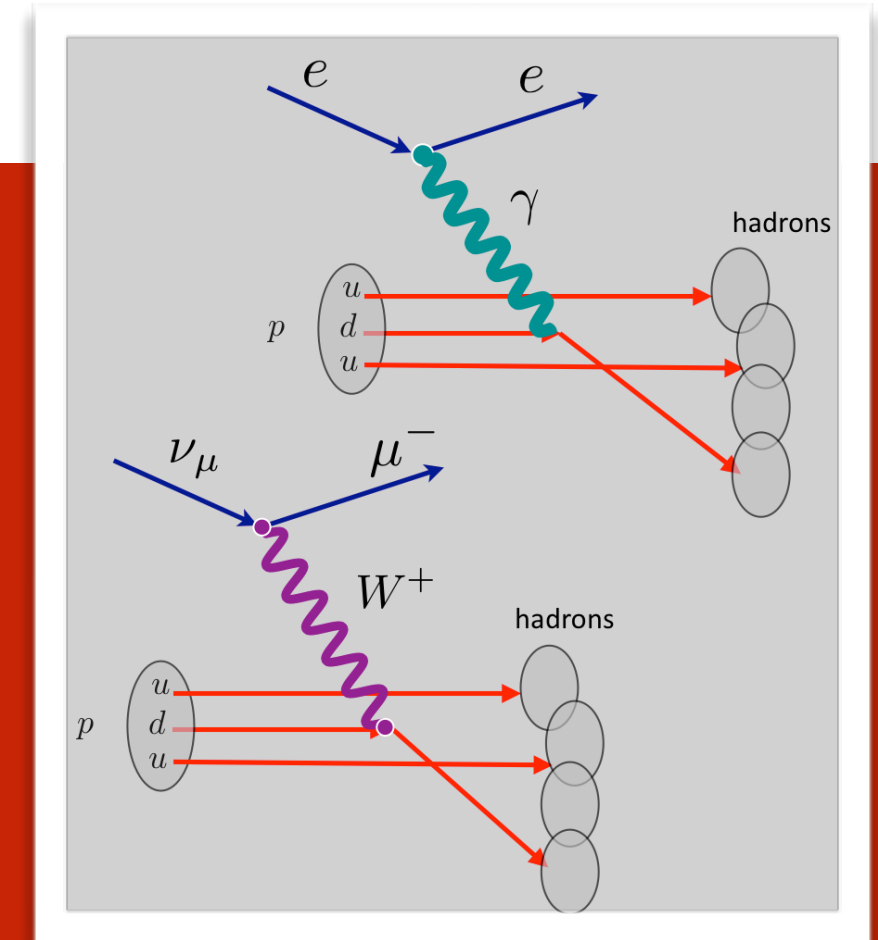
analyses of these reactions,



confirm the point-like (?) nature of quarks

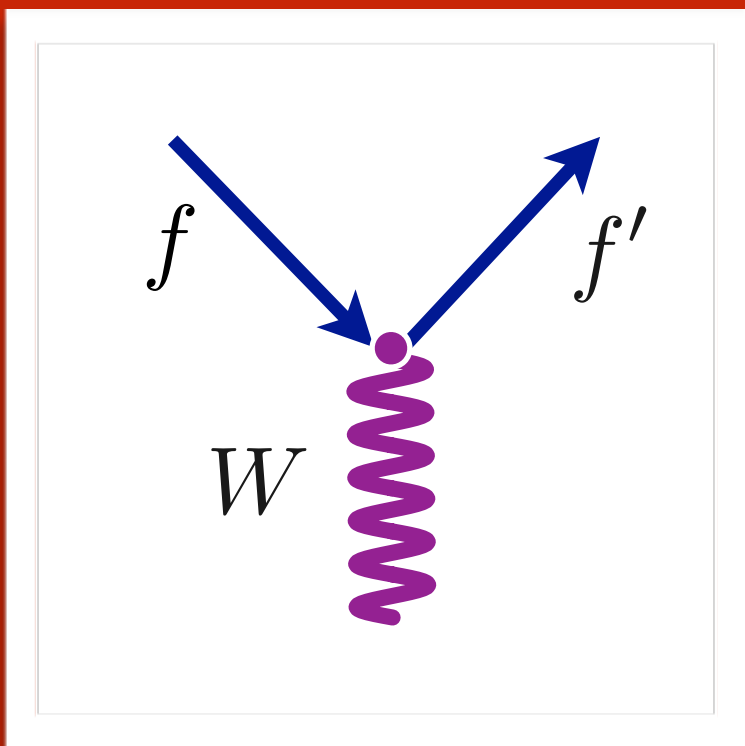
confirm their apparent loose-binding within nucleons  
(in a second)

confirm their fractional electric charges!

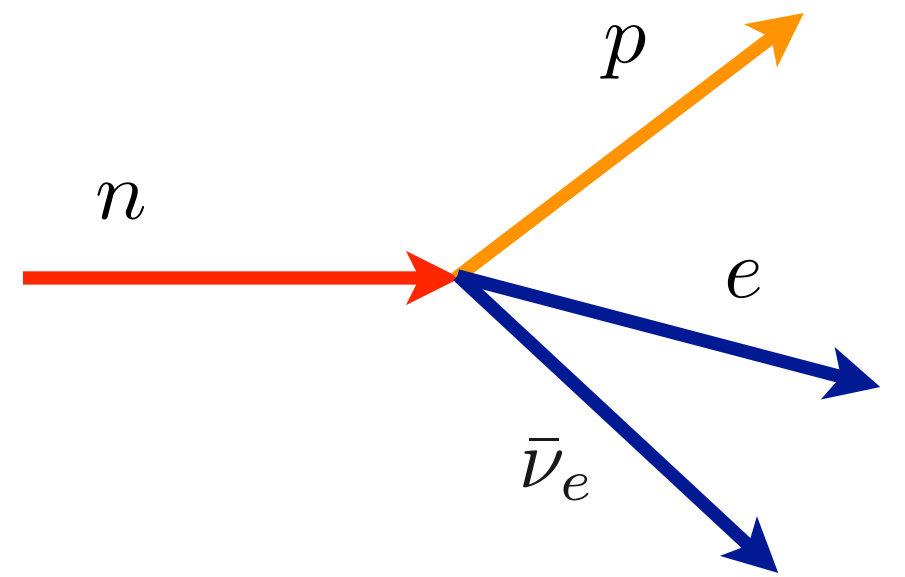


so, a new primitive diagram

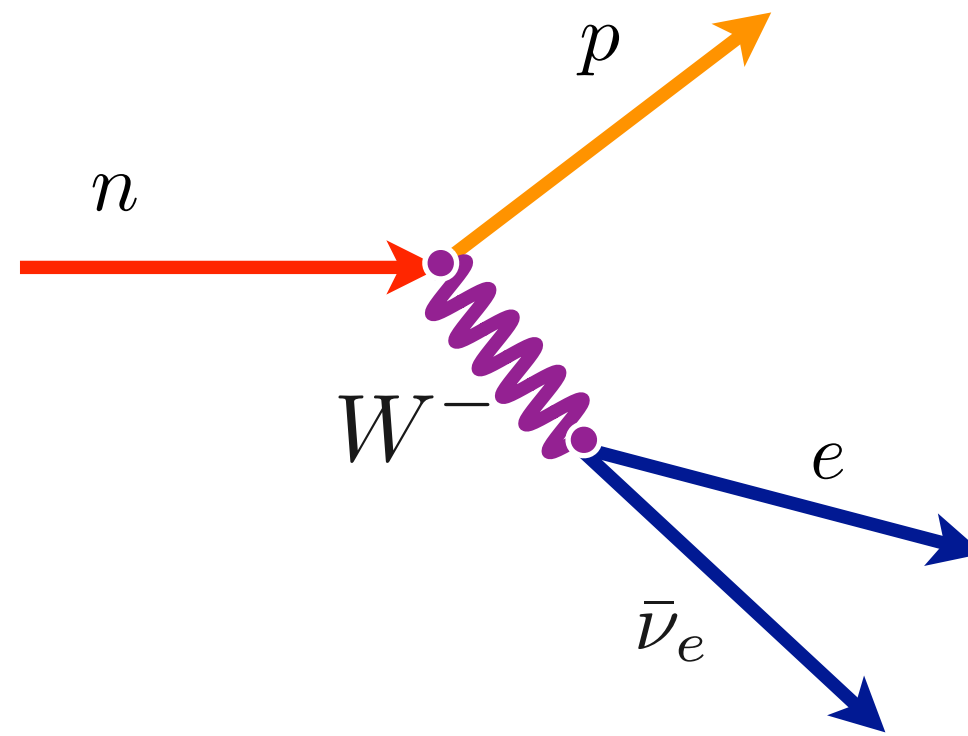
for the Weak Interaction with quarks, to go with the leptons



Neutron beta decay:

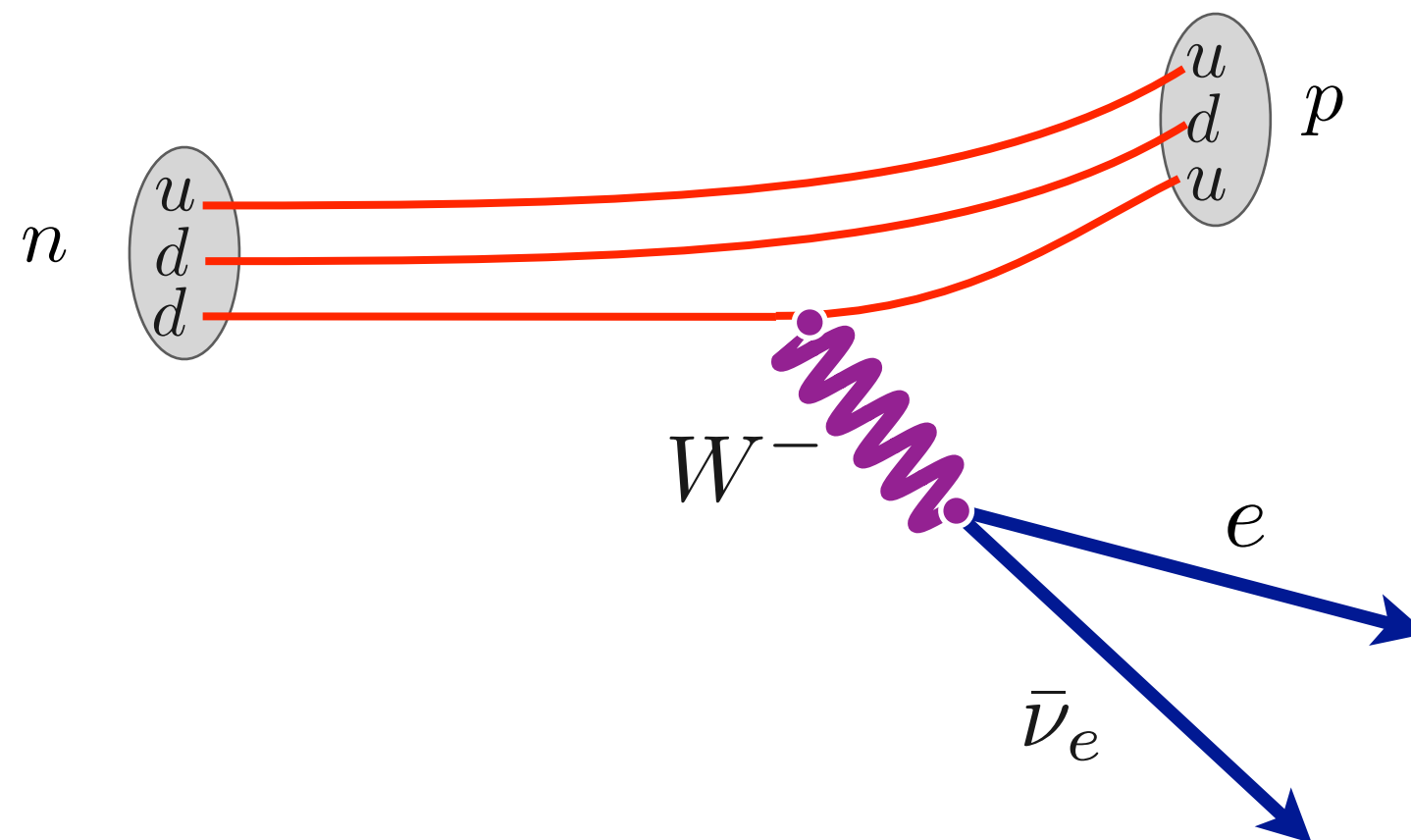


becomes:



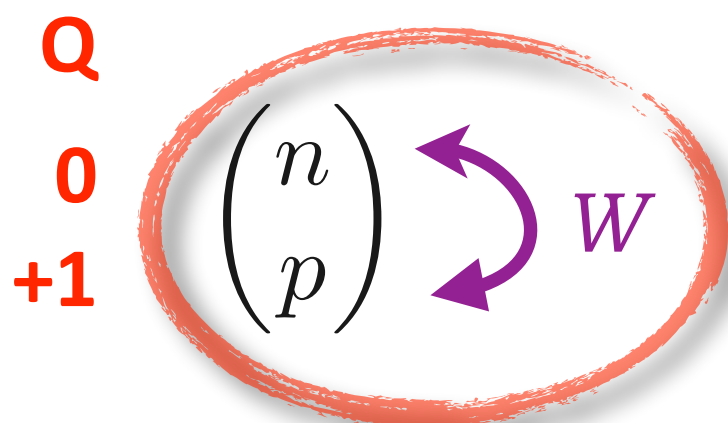
and in the quark interpretation:

the reason  $W$  does:  $\begin{pmatrix} p \\ n \end{pmatrix}$  is because it does:  $\begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}$

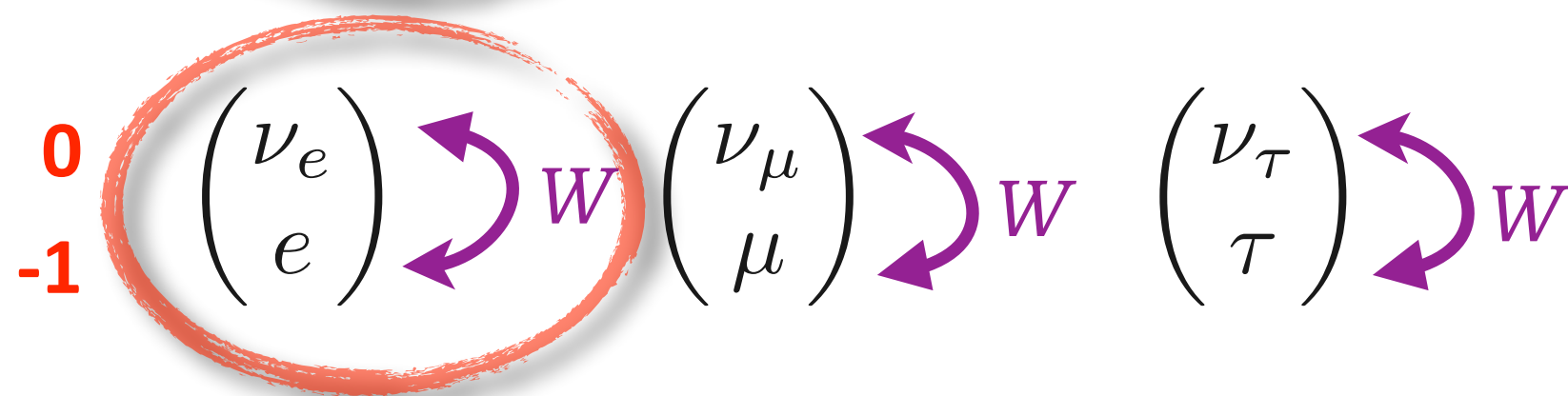


instead of what I had before:

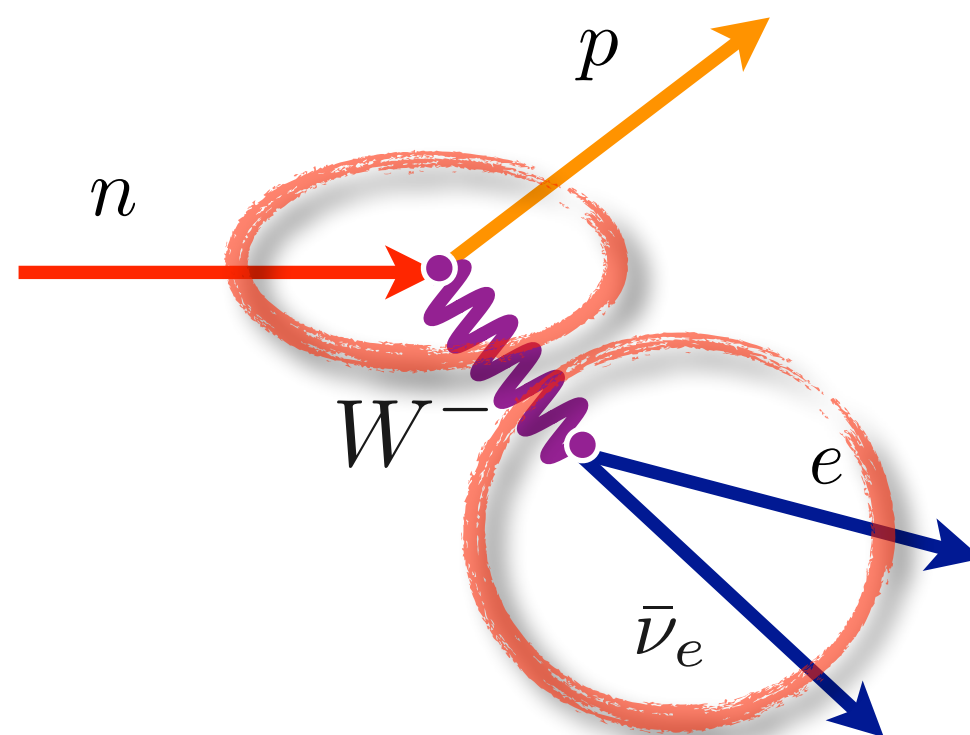
The particle doublets that we know so far:



making these transitions is the W Boson's job.



Notice, that all of these transitions change the electric charge as well as the particle type



call a generic lepton, "l"



$$l = e, \mu, \tau$$

there are still weak interactions

including transitions among quarks

there are  
still weak  
interactions

including  
transitions among  
quarks

The particle doublets in quark language:

**Q**

**+2/3**  $\begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{W}$   $\begin{pmatrix} ? \\ s \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{W}$  making these transitions  
**-1/3** is *still* the W Boson's job.

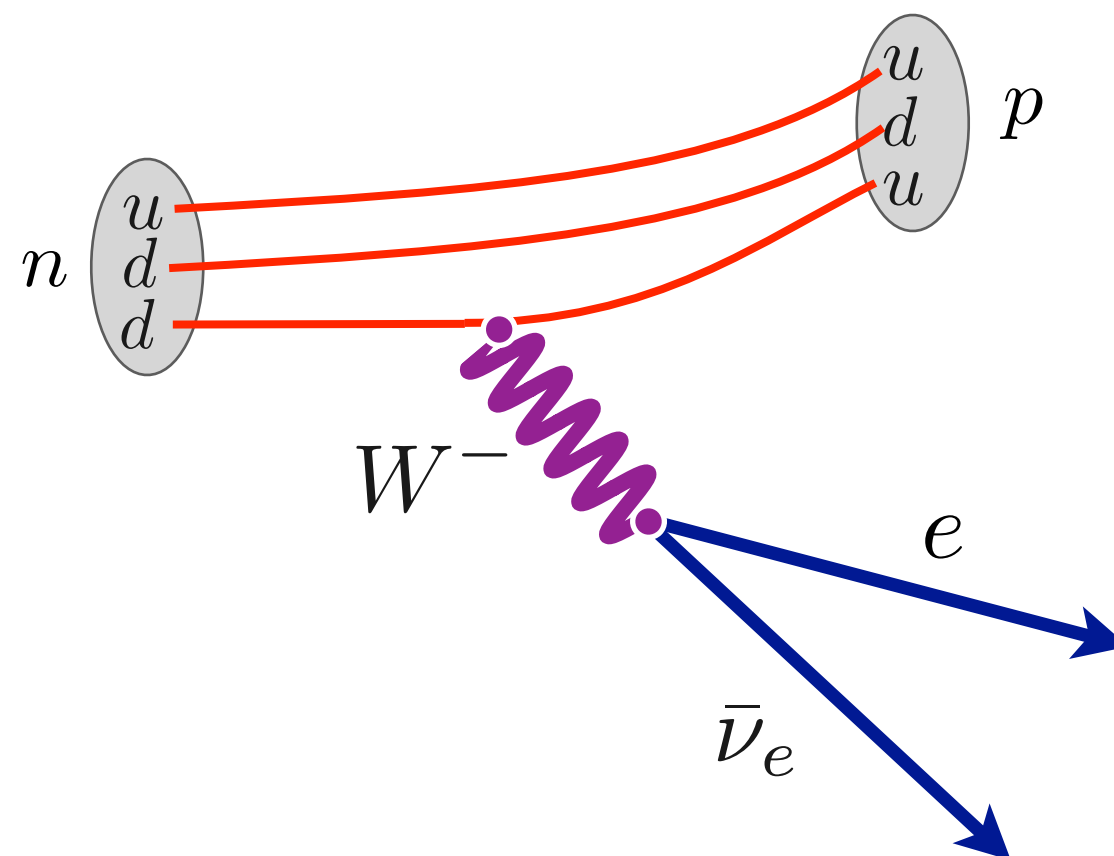
**0**  $\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ e \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{W}$   $\begin{pmatrix} \nu_\mu \\ \mu \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{W}$   $\begin{pmatrix} \nu_\tau \\ \tau \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{W}$   
**-1**

Notice, that all of these transitions change the electric charge as well as the particle type

call a generic lepton, "l"  
call a generic quark, "q"

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_\ell \\ \ell \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{W} \begin{pmatrix} q \\ q' \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{W}$$

$\ell = e, \mu, \tau$   $q = u, d, s$




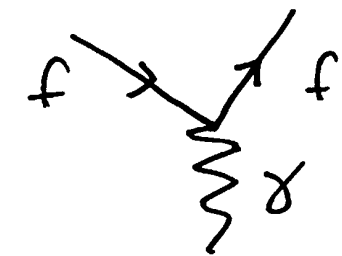
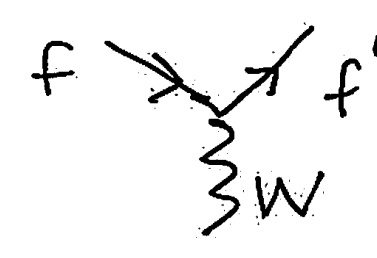
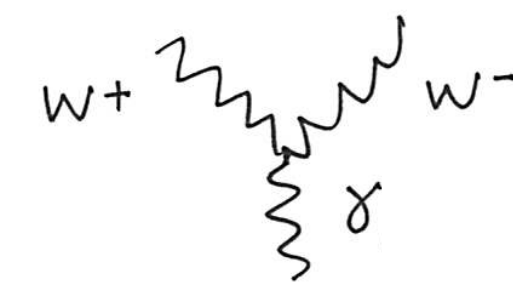
or:  
call a generic fermion, "f"





$$\begin{pmatrix} f \\ f' \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{W}$$

$f = \ell, q$

NOW . . . your  
second  
entry into  
your

table of primitive  
diagrams

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 scalar Boson, spin 0, e.g., Higgs Boson 



particle:

## charm quark

symbol:

$c$

charge:

$+2/3$

mass:

$1,270 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

spin:

$1/2$

category:

Fermion,  $I=0$ ,  $B=1/3$ ,  $S=0$ ,  $C=+1$

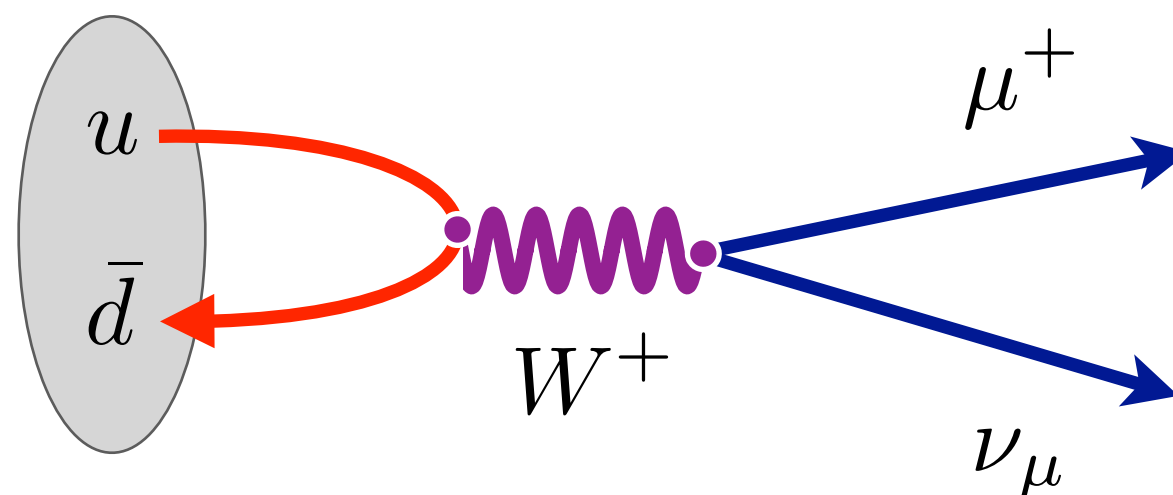
so,  
decays  
we've  
seen

just put in the  
decaying quark  
and let the other  
"spectator  
quarks"

come along for the  
ride

$$\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ + \nu_\mu$$

responsible for making neutrino beams from proton  
accelerators



**Strong interaction, again:**

The original question about nuclei...

now in play for quarks:

what holds the quarks inside of the baryons and mesons?

# Gross, Politzer, and Wilczek 2004

"asymptotic  
freedom" in strong  
interactions



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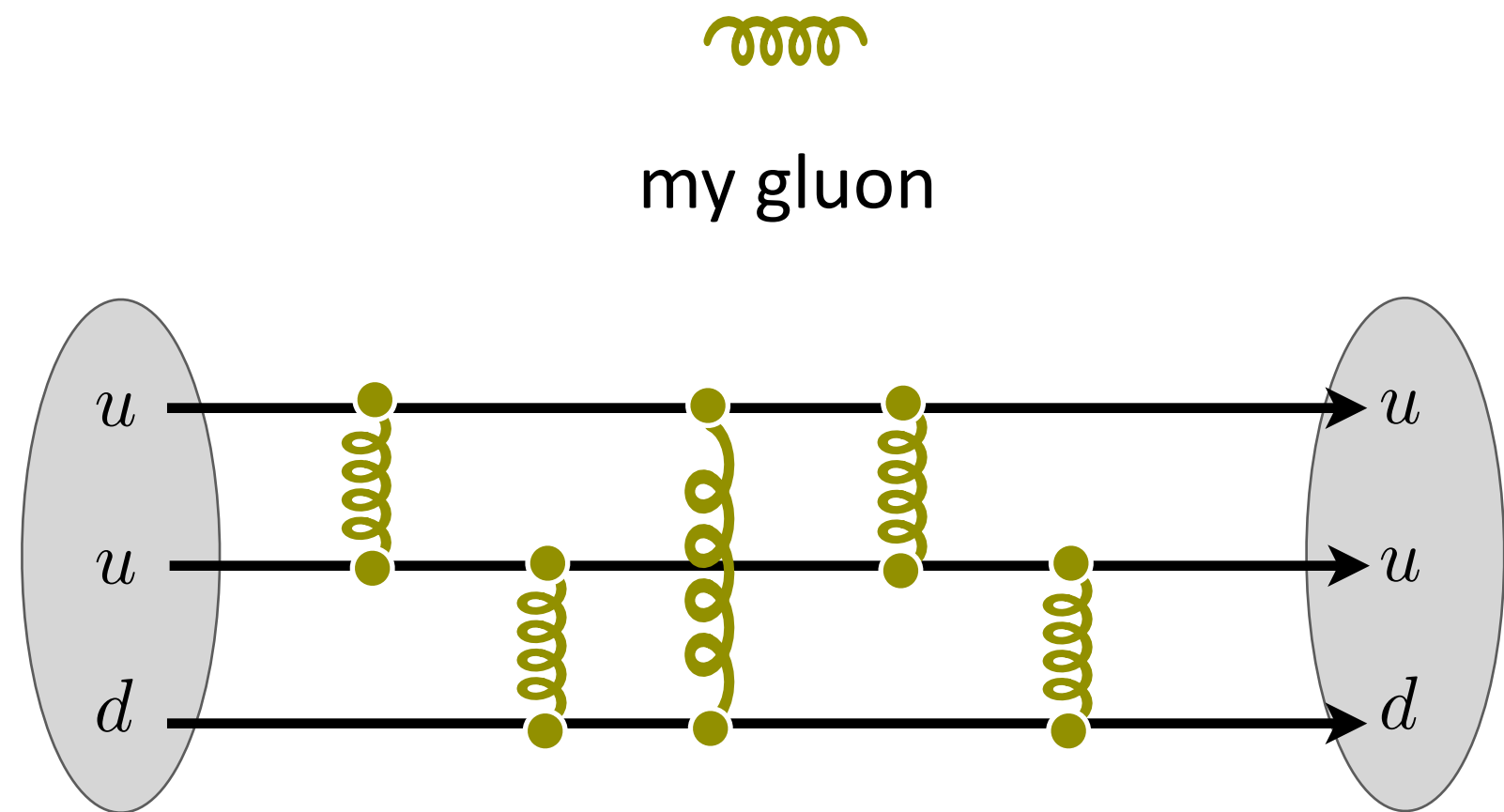
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it's the  
glue that  
holds  
everything  
together  
virtually


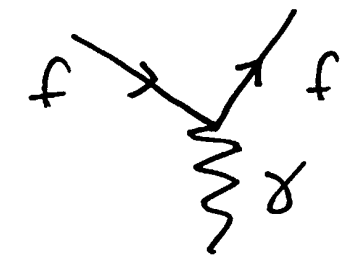
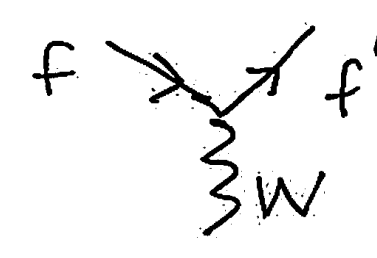
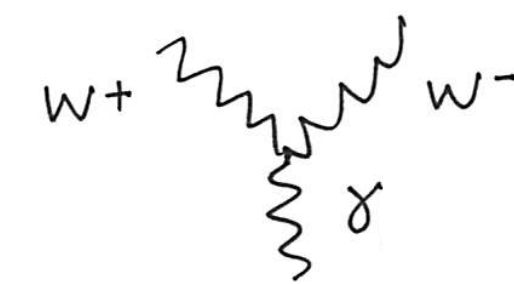
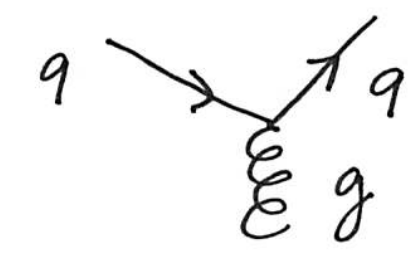
Predicted the existence of the Strong Messenger  
Particle:

the **Gluon**







third  
entry  
into your

table of primitive  
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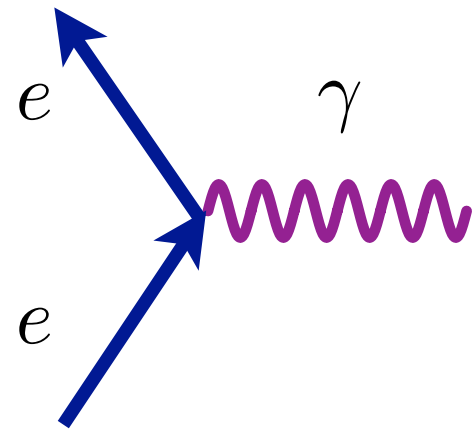
there are two amazing things

about gluons

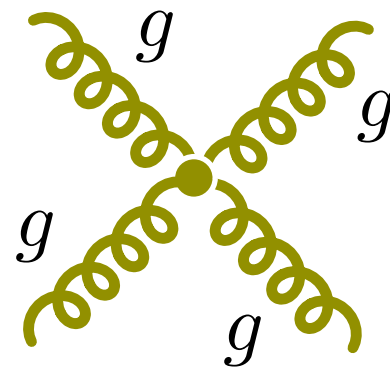
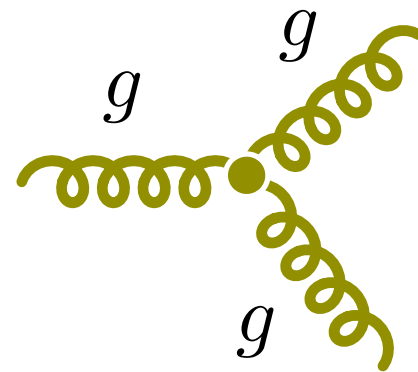
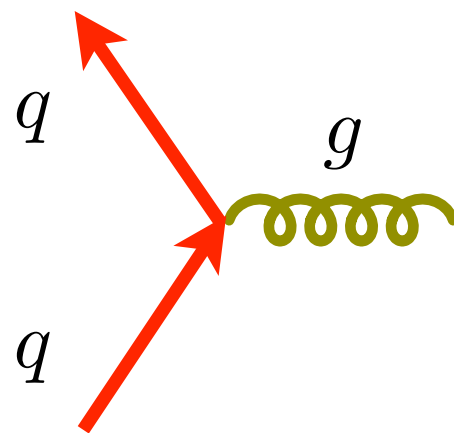


# thing 1

they self-interact



a photon propagates the electromagnetic force...but it does not have an electric charge


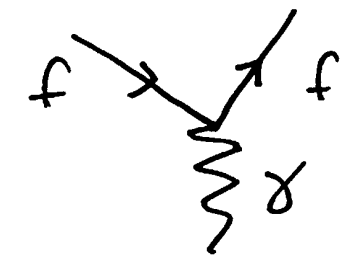
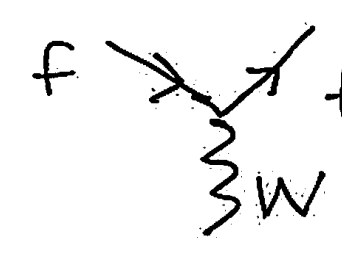
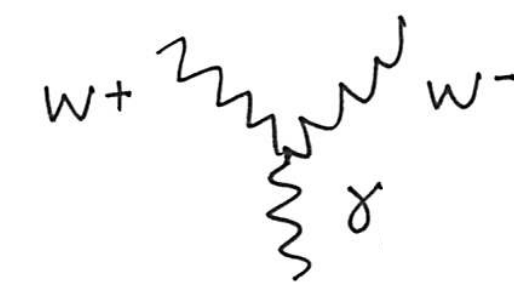
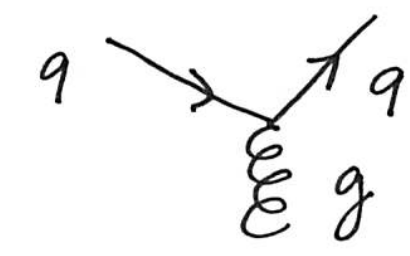
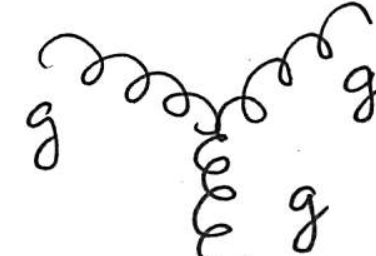


the gluon propagates the strong force...and it DOES have a “strong charge”





This has significant consequences...almost magical

fourth and fifth entries into your

table of primitive diagrams

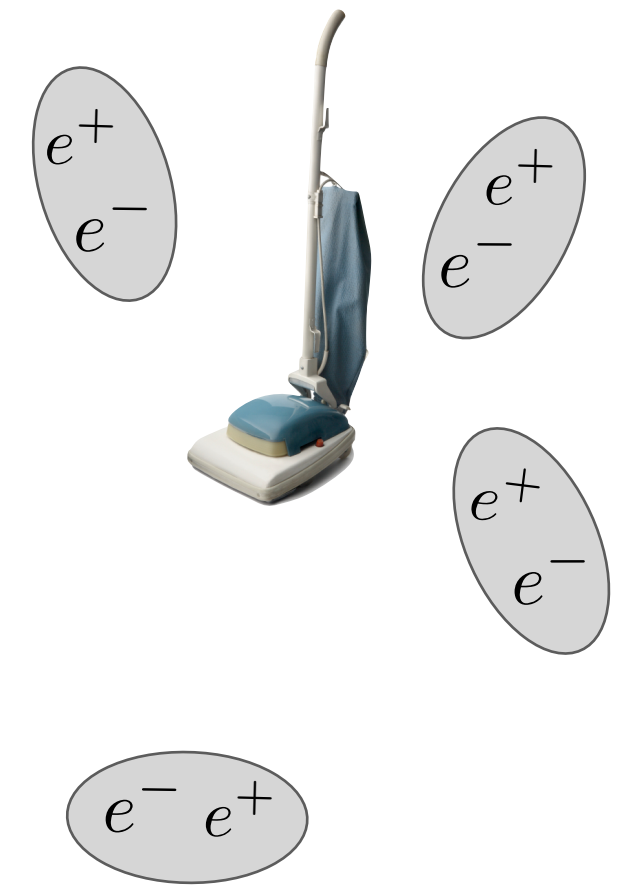
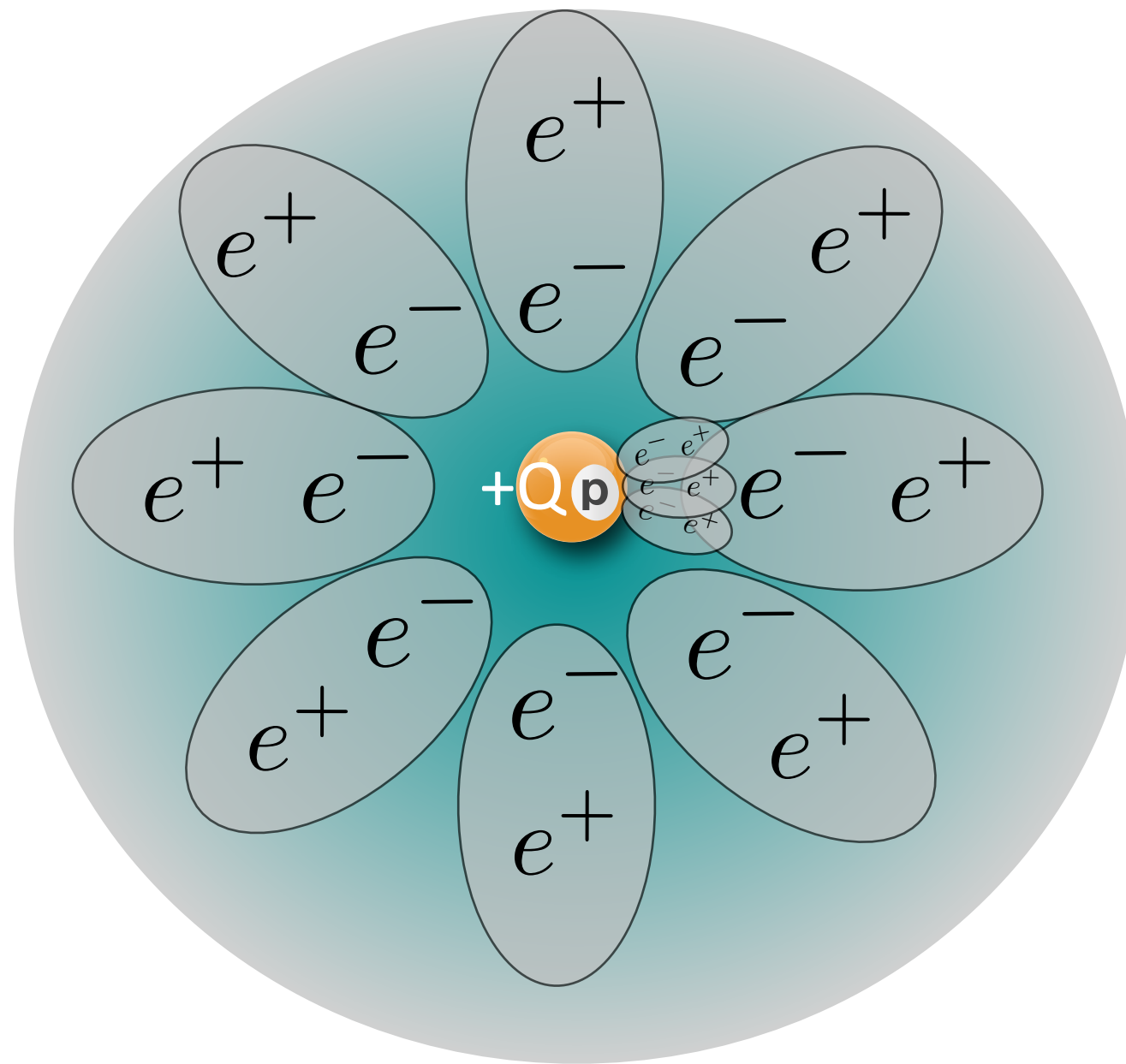
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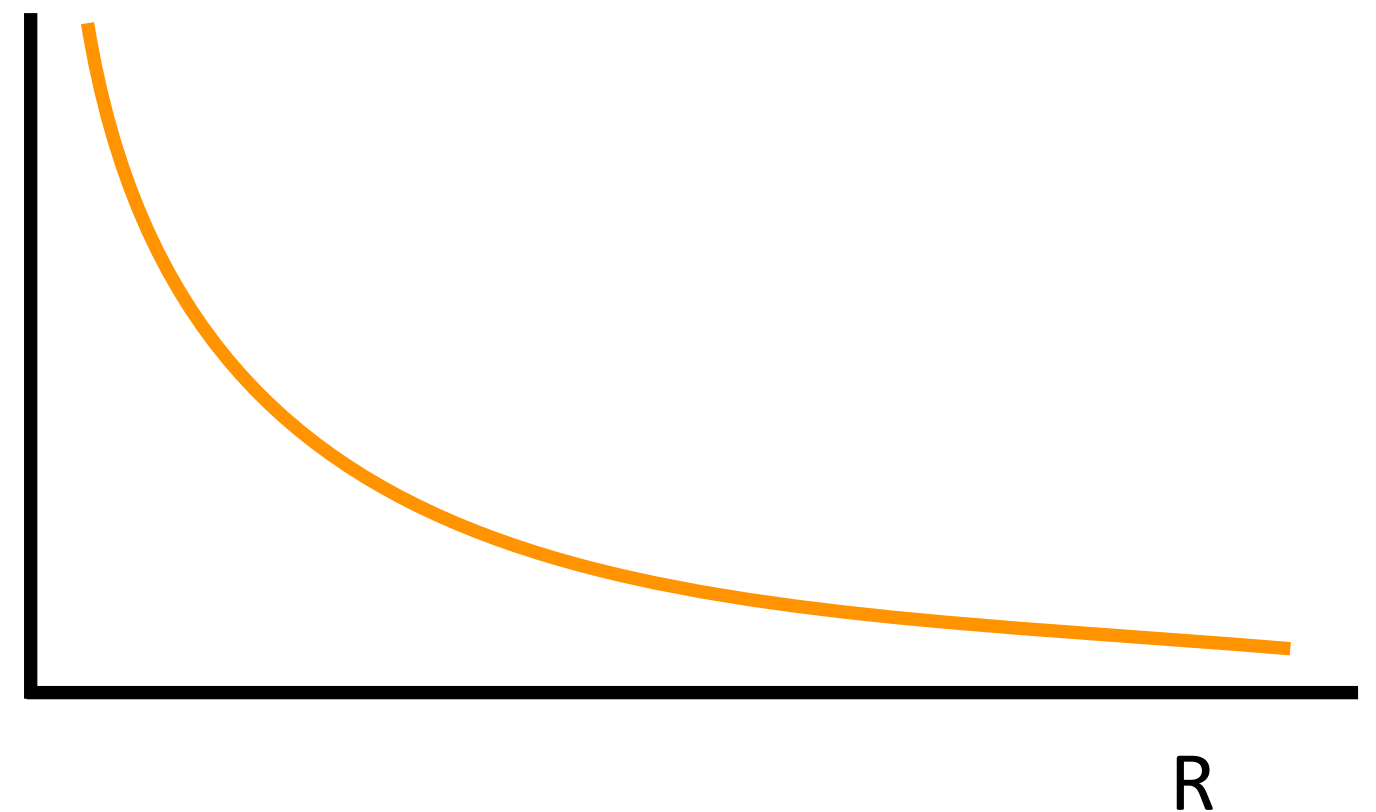
   
   
   


# thing 2

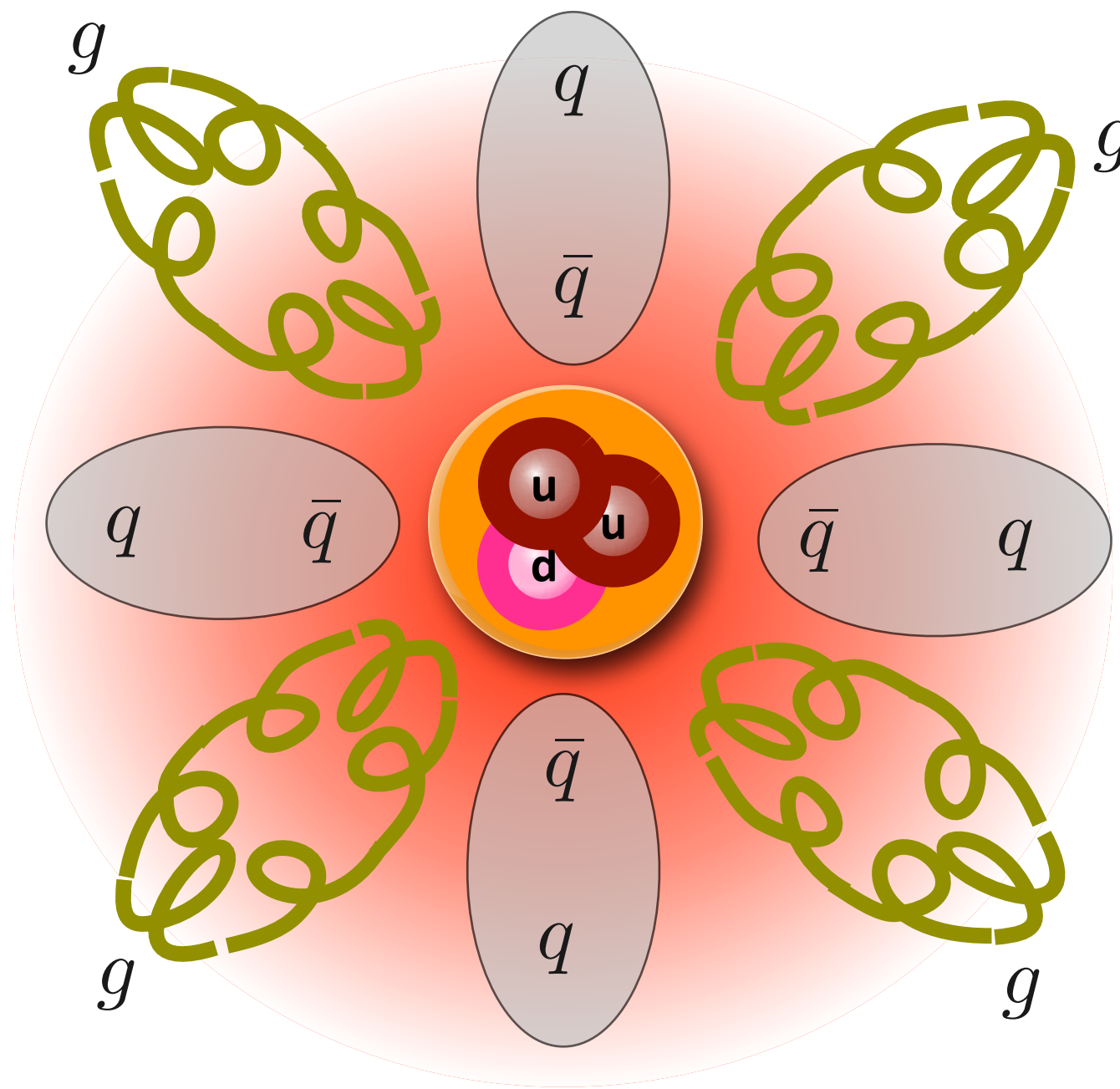
their force field is  
the opposite of  
electromagnetism,  
or gravity



force of  
attraction or  
repulsion for  
electromagnetic  
fields

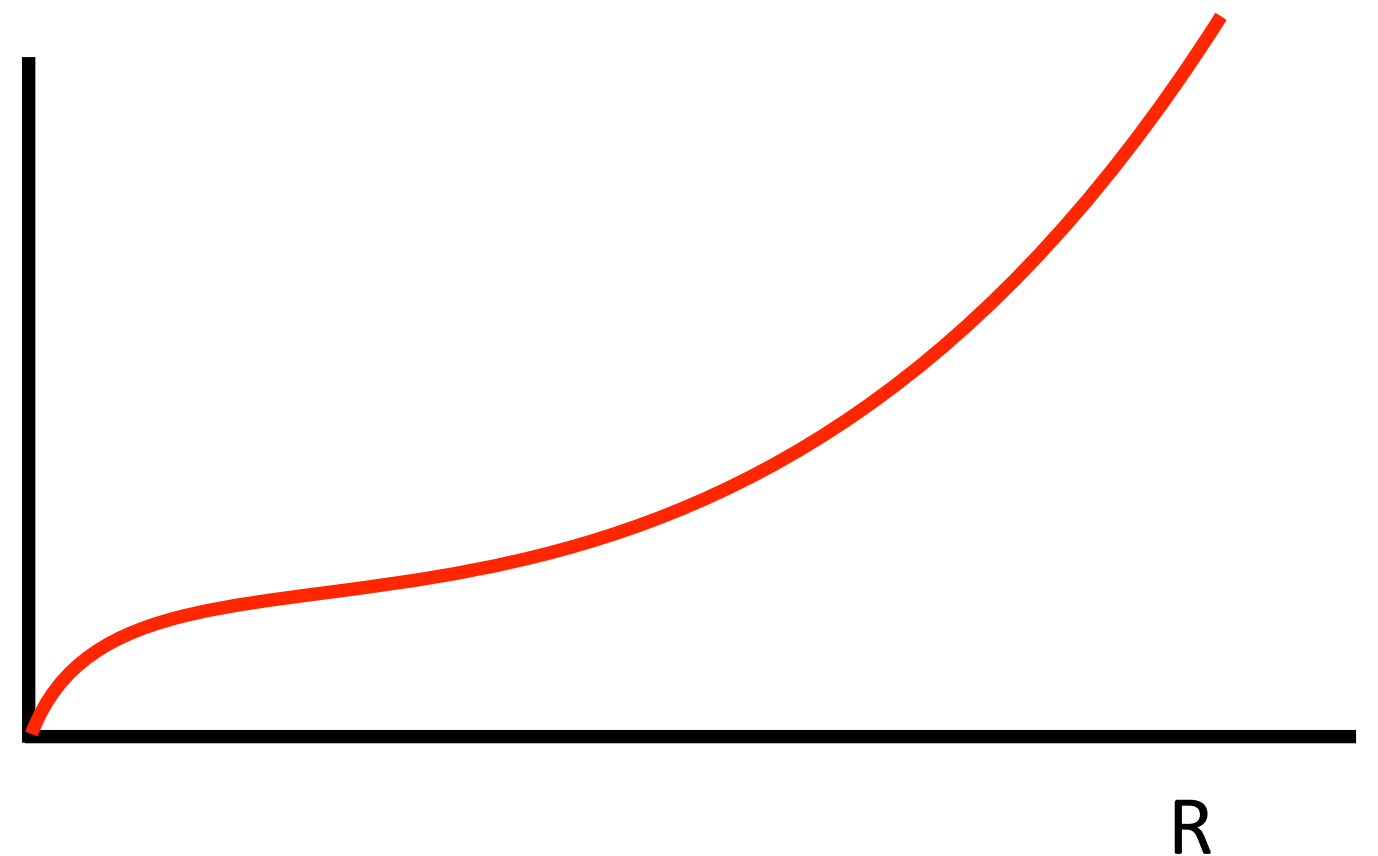


ah, but  
the gluon  
is odd



the further  
away you get,  
the **STRONGER**  
the quark-quark  
attraction is!

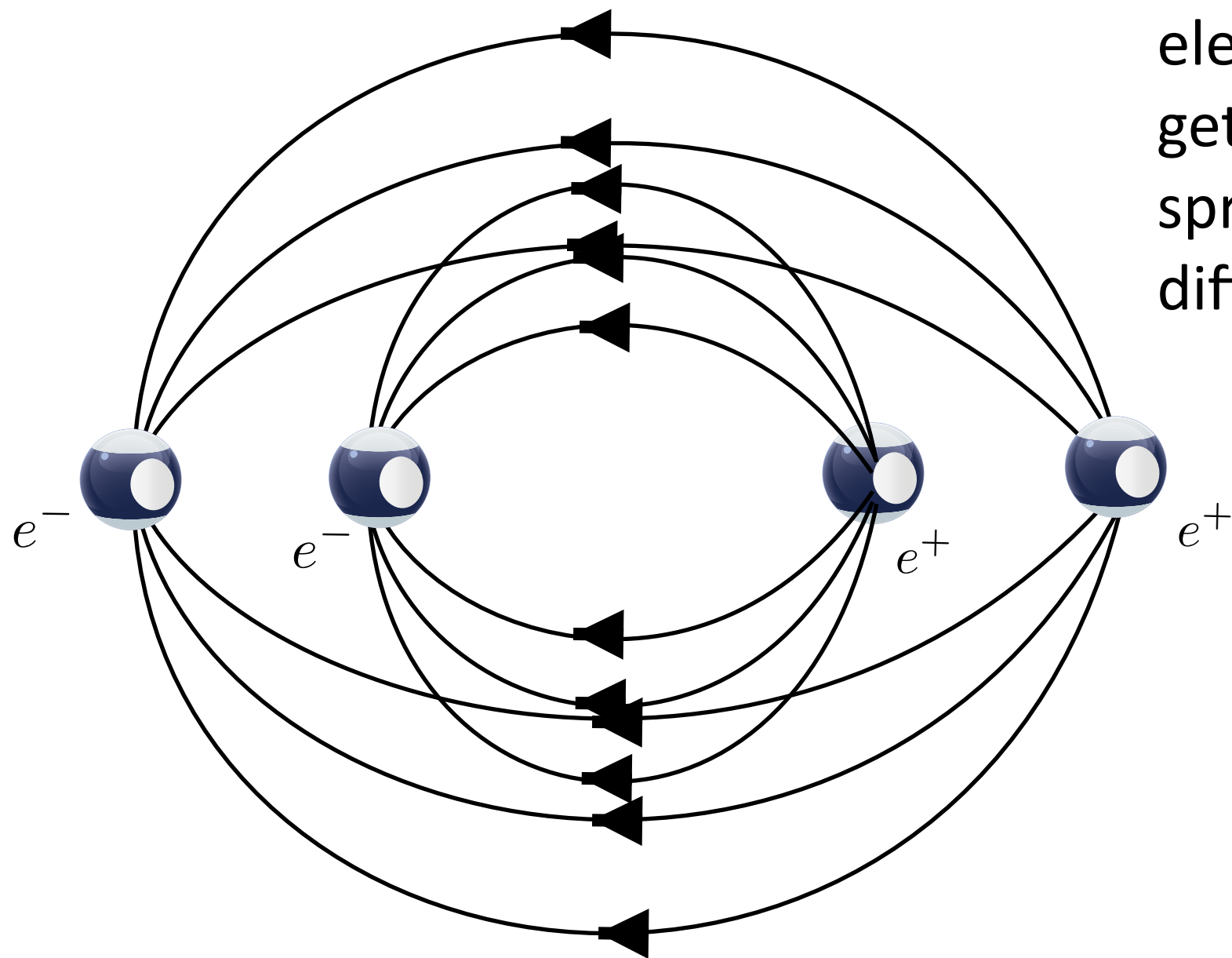
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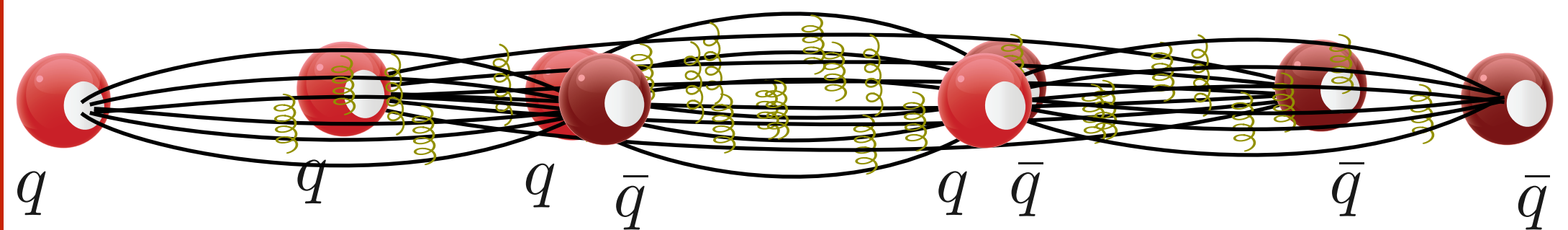
pull 'em  
apart

called

quark confinement



electric fields  
get more  
spread out -  
diffuse



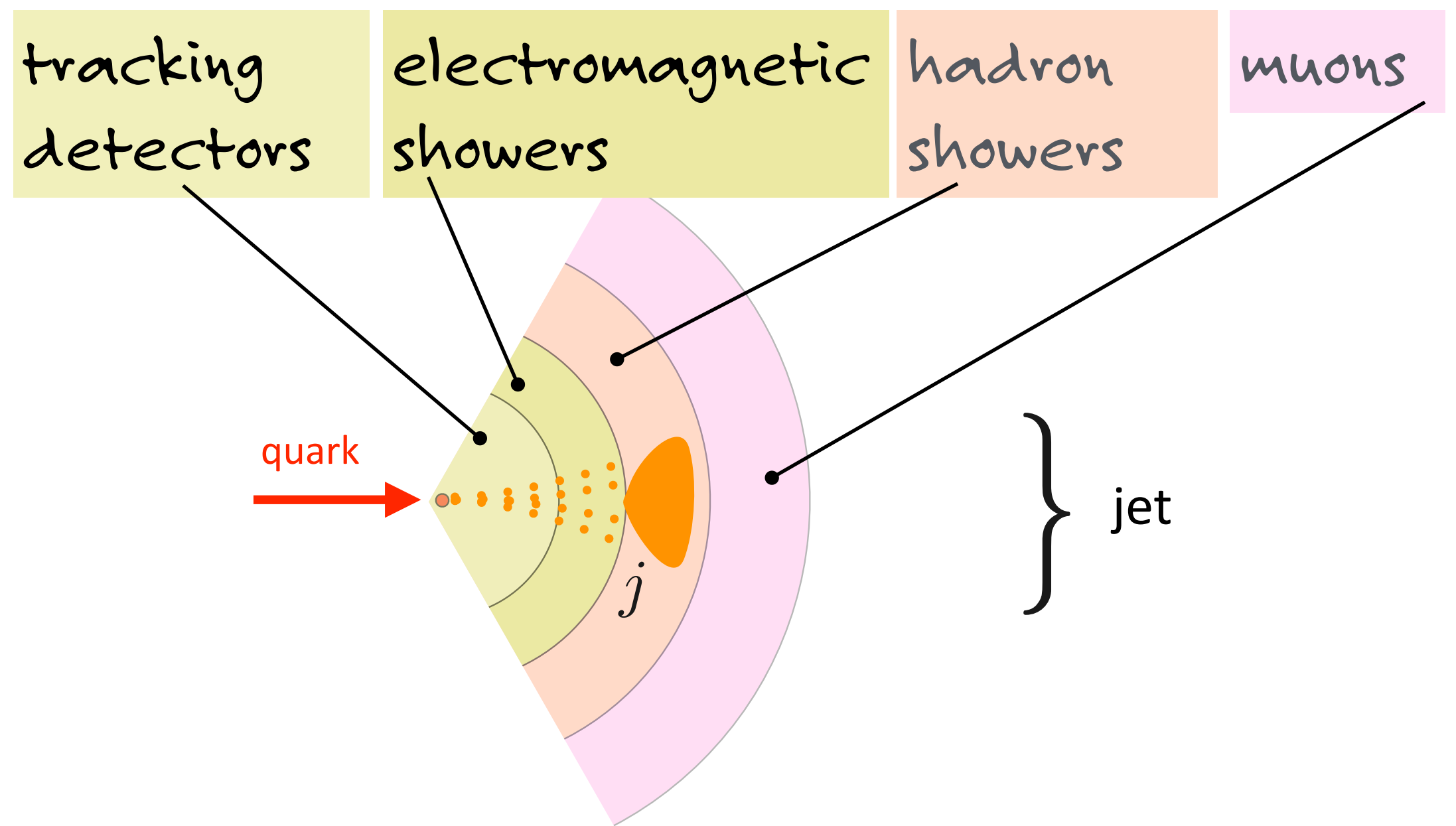
The energy in the field is so high...that it pops a new  
quark-antiquark pair out of the vacuum.

We don't see individual quarks or gluons

they make more quarks and gluons

and interact very quickly into a cascade of particles

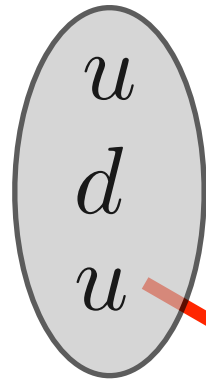
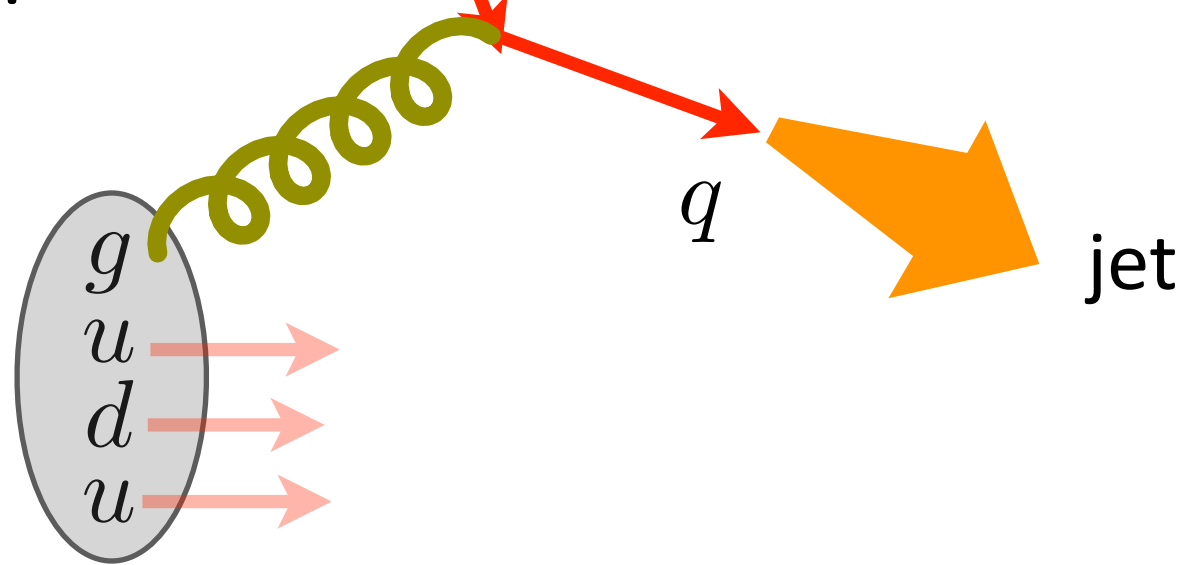
"quark-gluon **jets**"



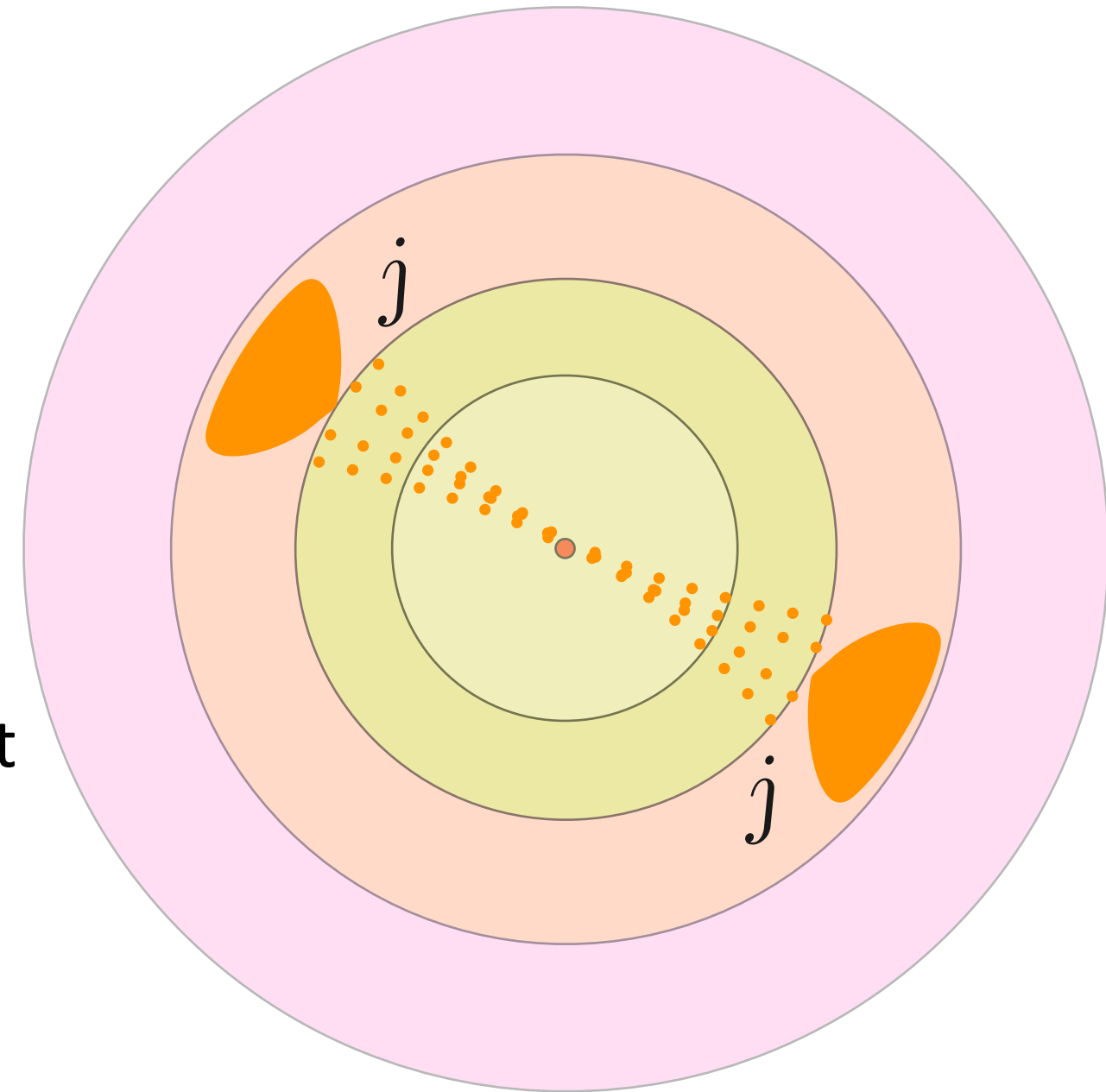
# in ATLAS



maybe:

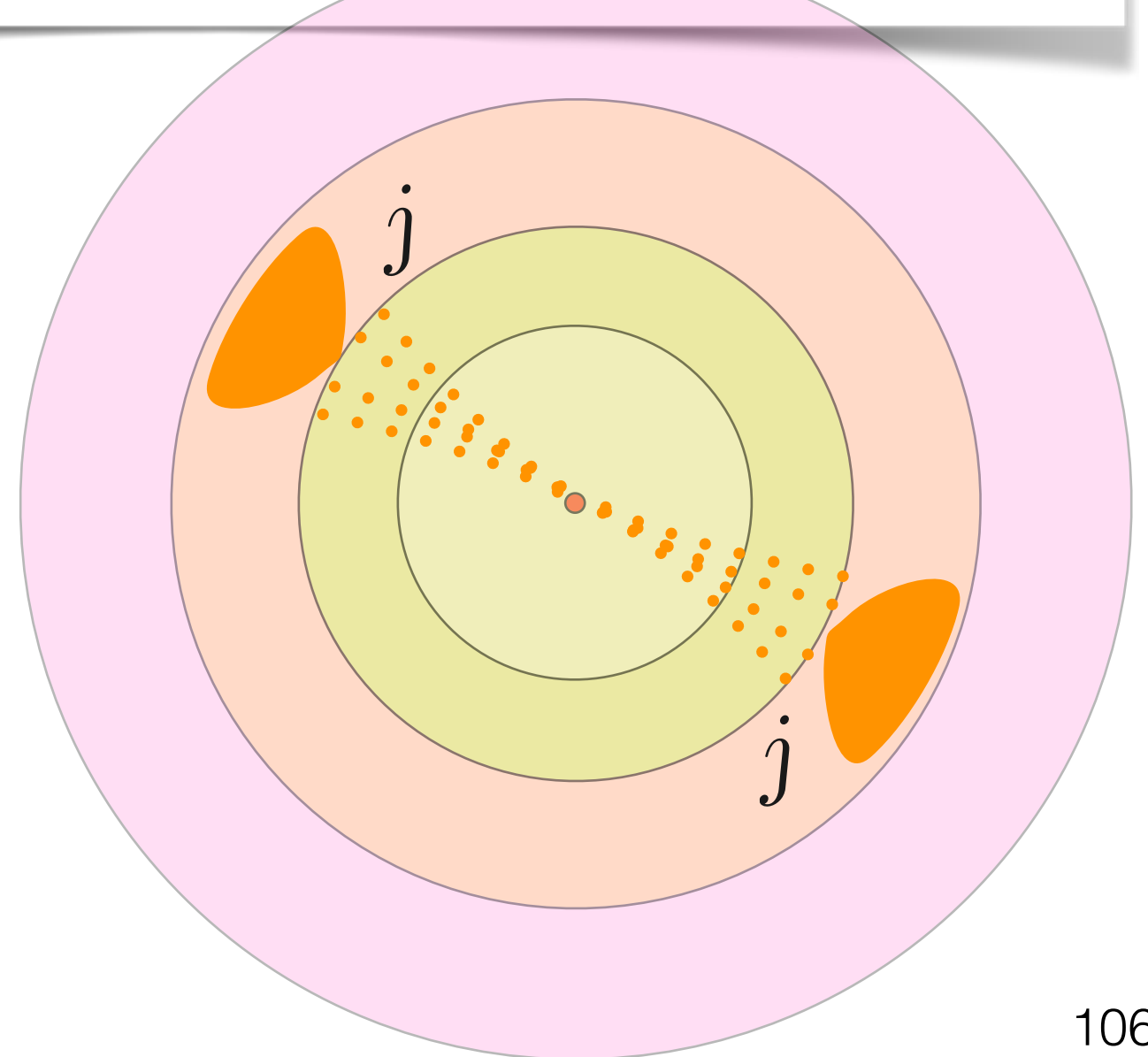
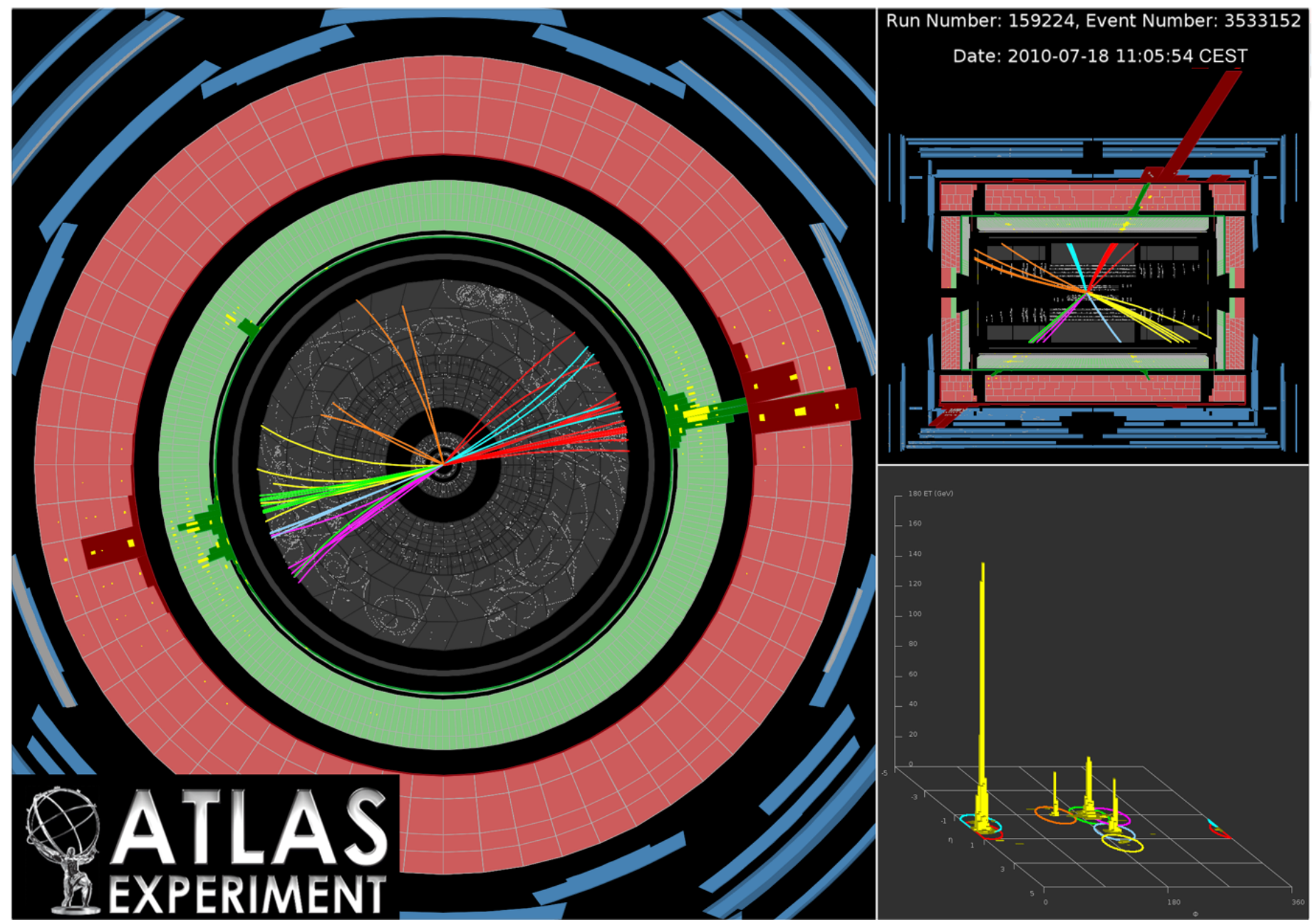
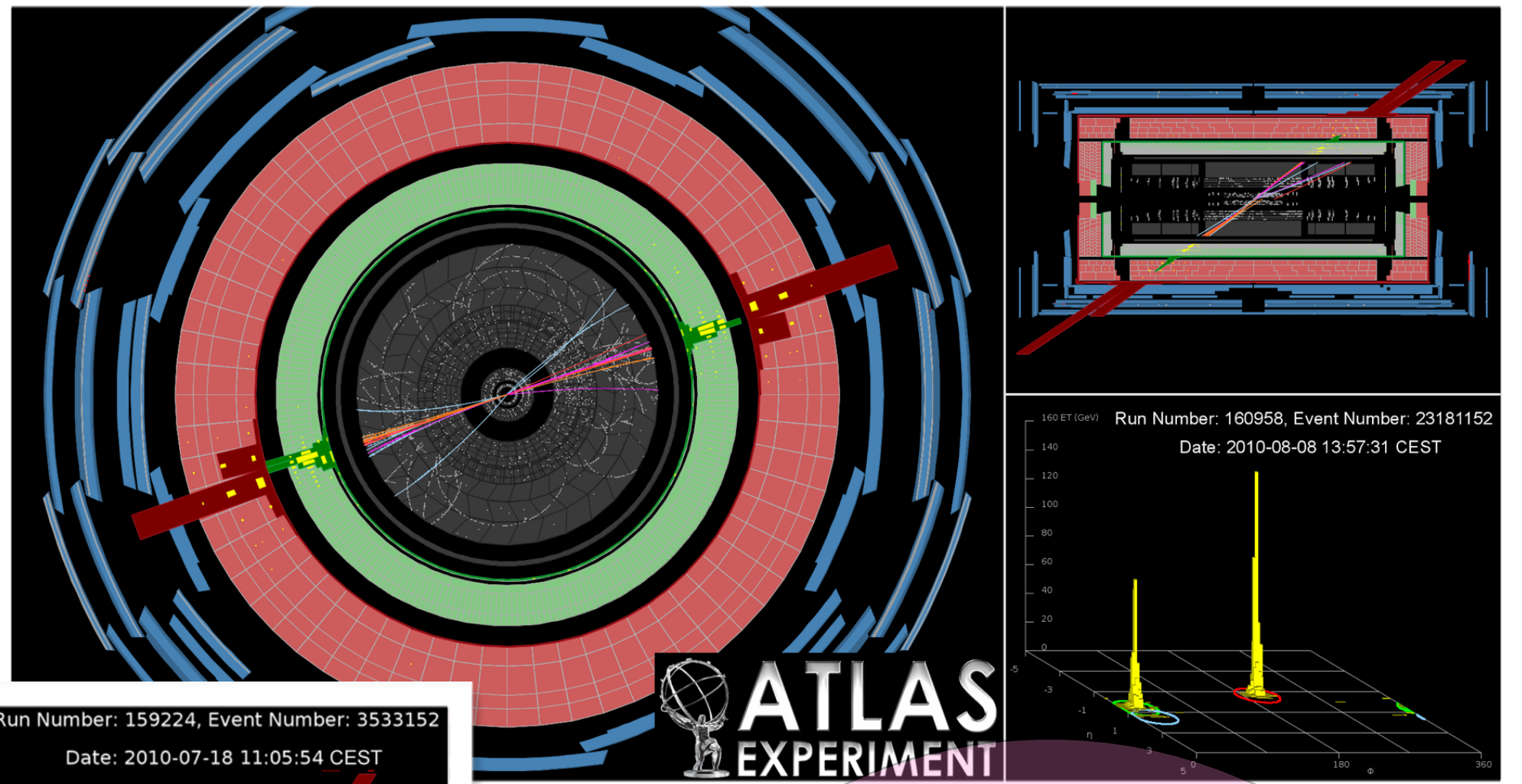


or:





# 'hard' quark production



particle:

**gluon**

symbol:

*g*

charge:

0

mass:

0

spin:

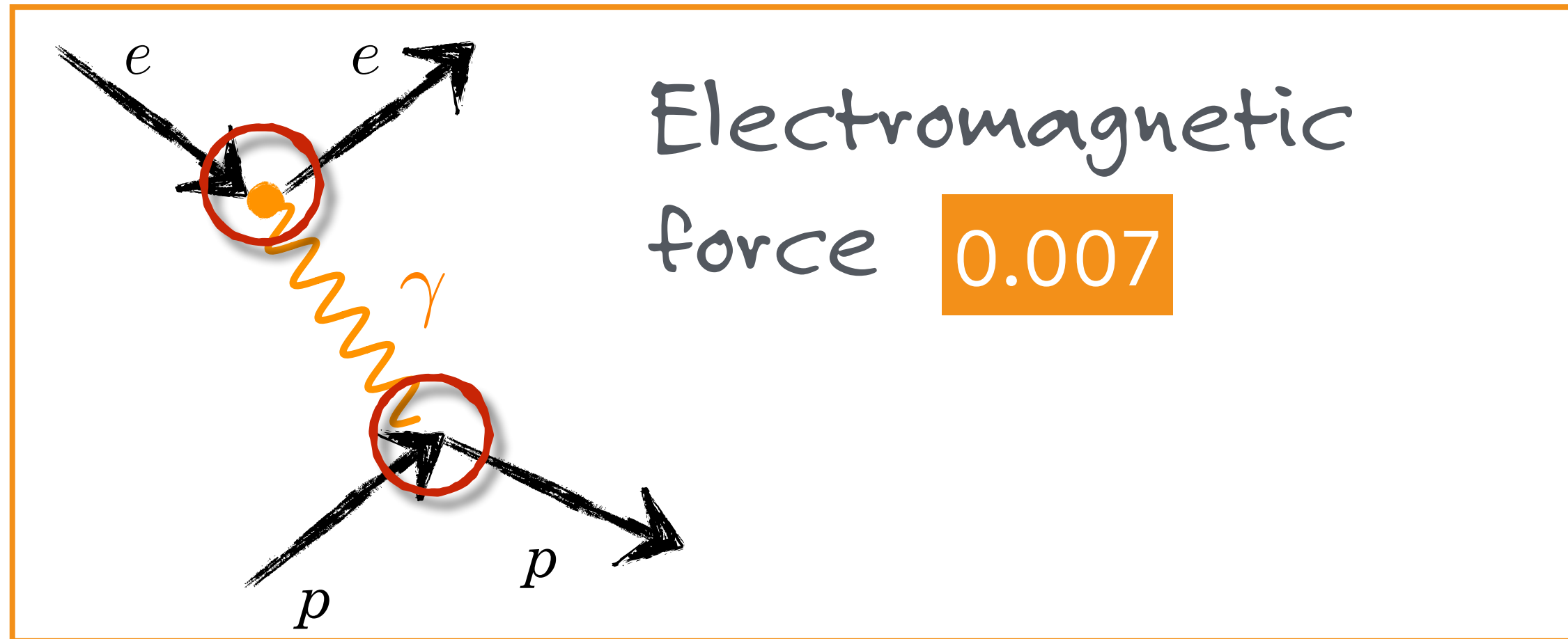
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category:

Strong Vector Boson

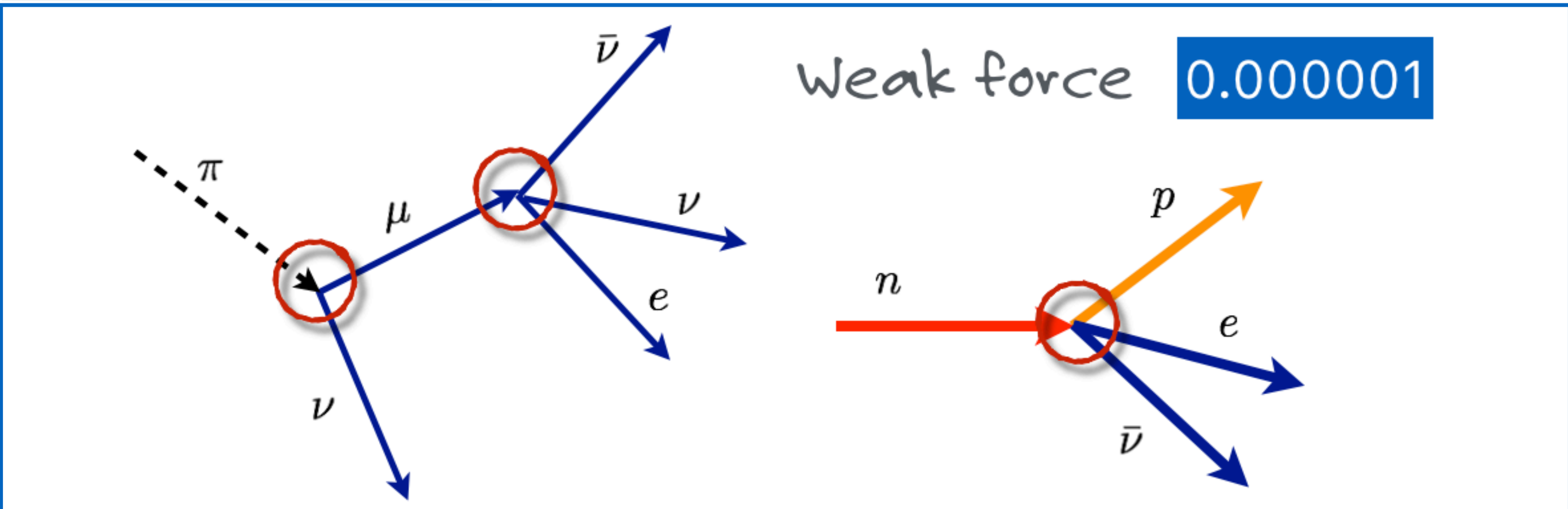
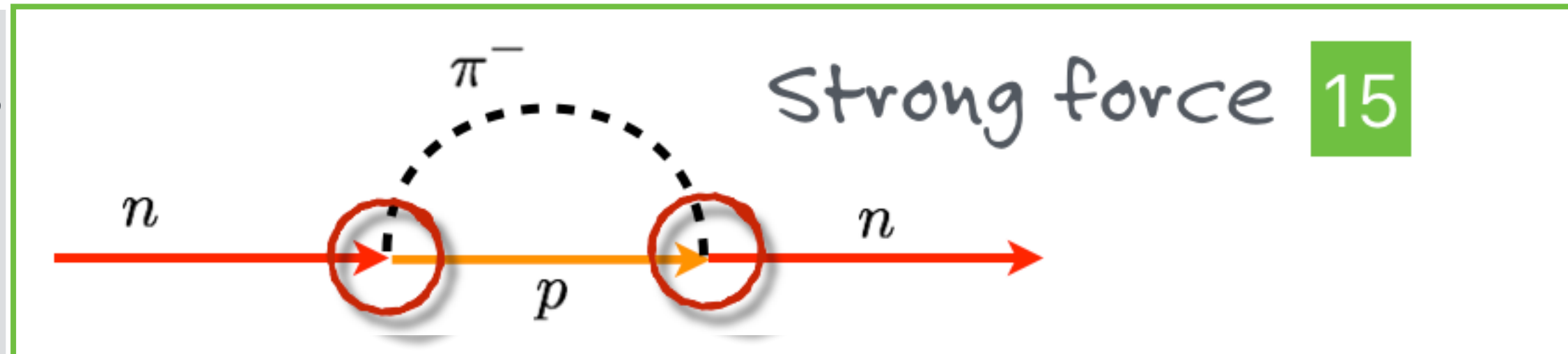
three forces now

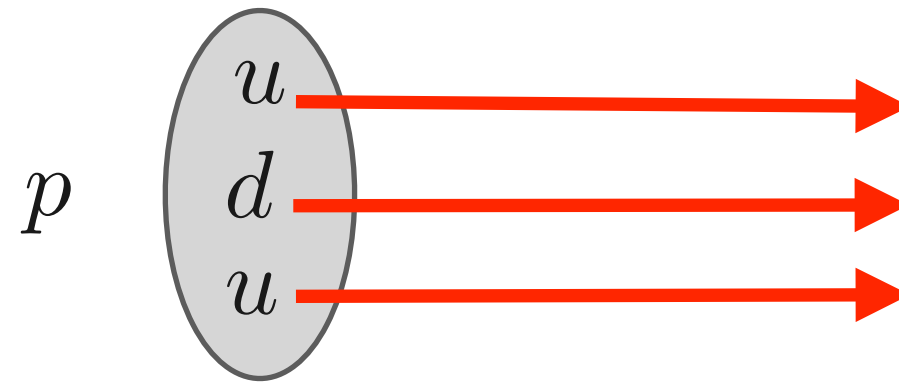
of vastly different strengths



Gravitational force?

0.000000000000000000000000  
000000000000000000000001





particle: **proton**

symbol:  $p$

charge:  $+1e$

mass:  $1.6726 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}, 938.2 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

spin:  $1/2$

category: fermion, baryon,  $I = 1/2, B = 1$

particle: **down quark**

symbol:  $d$

charge:  $-1/3$

mass:  $4.1 \text{ to } 5.8 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

spin:  $1/2$

category: Fermion,  $I=-1/2, B=1/3, S=0$

particle: **up quark**

symbol:  $u$

charge:  $+2/3$

mass:  $1.7 \text{ to } 3.3 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

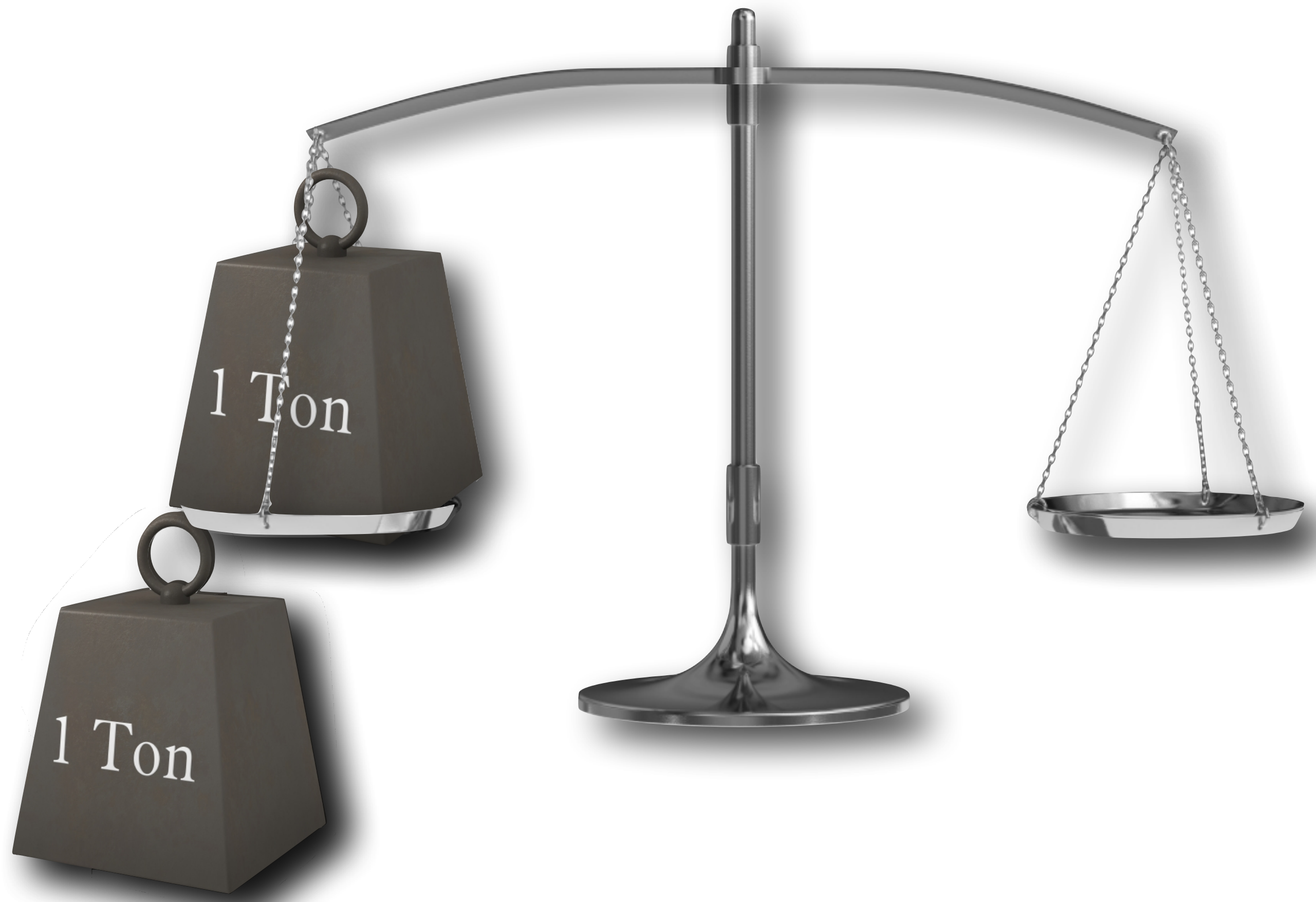
spin:  $1/2$

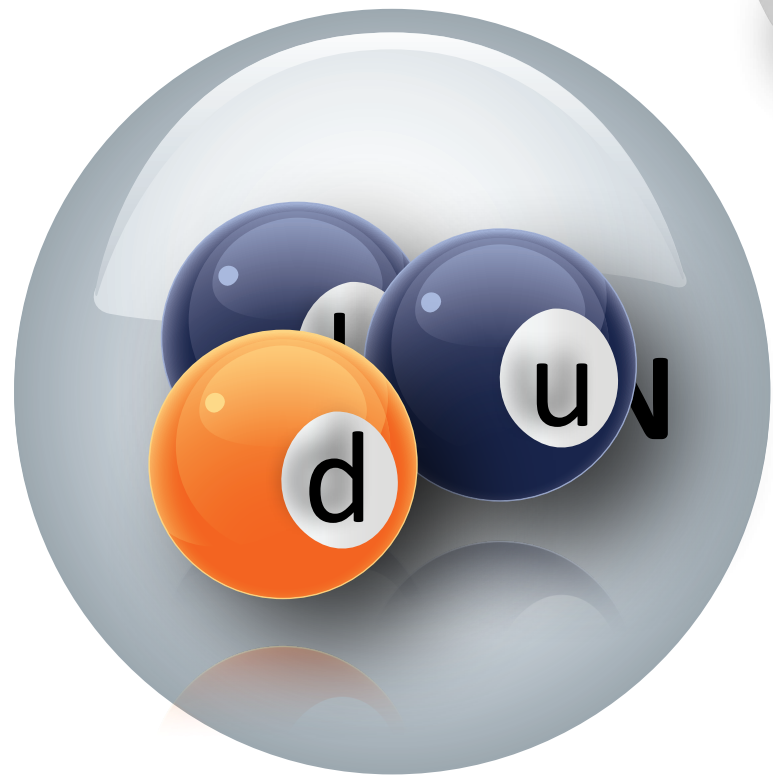
category: Fermion,  $I=+1/2, B=1/3, S=0$



**why does the proton weigh?**











**Field Energy**

SO:



$$m = \frac{E}{c^2}$$

when you step on the scale

you measure the earth's attraction

to the gluons' mass-energy in your protons and neutrons

and you use the non-quantum Newton's theory to do it

your "weight" is a quantum relativistic  
field theoretic thing

here's the elementary  
particles story

circa 1975

# the messengers

spin 1 Bosons

circa 1980



the photon

“propagates the electromagnetic force”



the W Boson

“propagates the weak force”



the gluon

“propagates the strong force”

*say tuned.*

particle:

## bottom quark

symbol:

$b$

charge:

$-1/3 e$

mass:

$4.5 \text{ GeV}/c^2 = 4.5 \text{ p}$

spin:

$1/2$

category:

Fermion, quark



the  
“top quark”  
was  
discovered  
in 1995

by two  
experiments at  
Fermilab

with MSU faculty and  
students intimately  
involved



February 24th, 11AM, we submitted our discovery  
paper to Physical Review Letters

March 2, 1995 the announcement was made at  
Fermilab





particle:

## top quark

symbol:

$t$

charge:

$+2/3 e$

mass:

$172.0 \pm 2.2 \text{ GeV}/c^2 = 172 \text{ p}$

spin:

$1/2$

category:

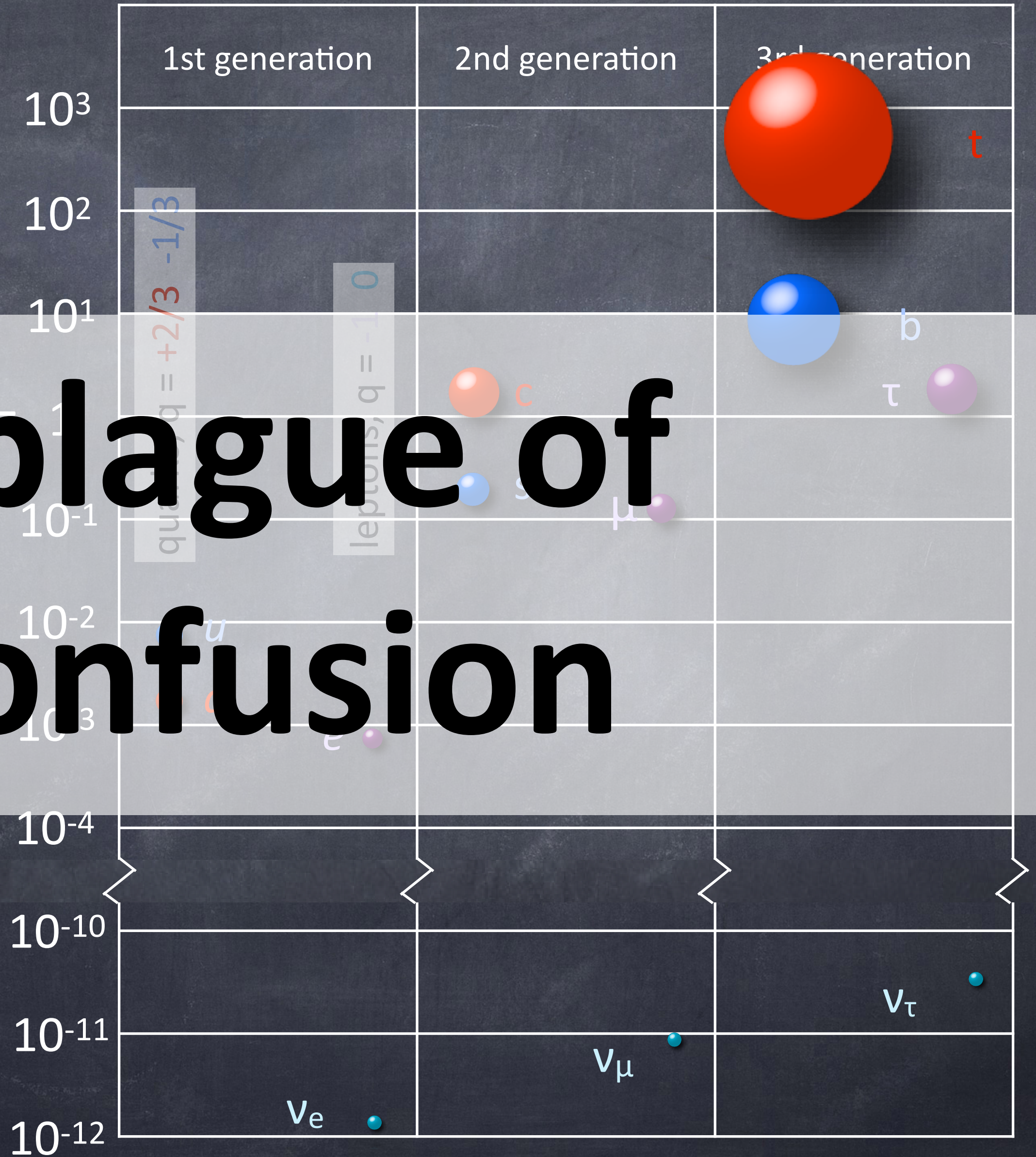
Fermion, quark



# quarks & leptons

proton mass = 1

# a plague of confusion





# the weak interactions

still operate with the increased doublet sets

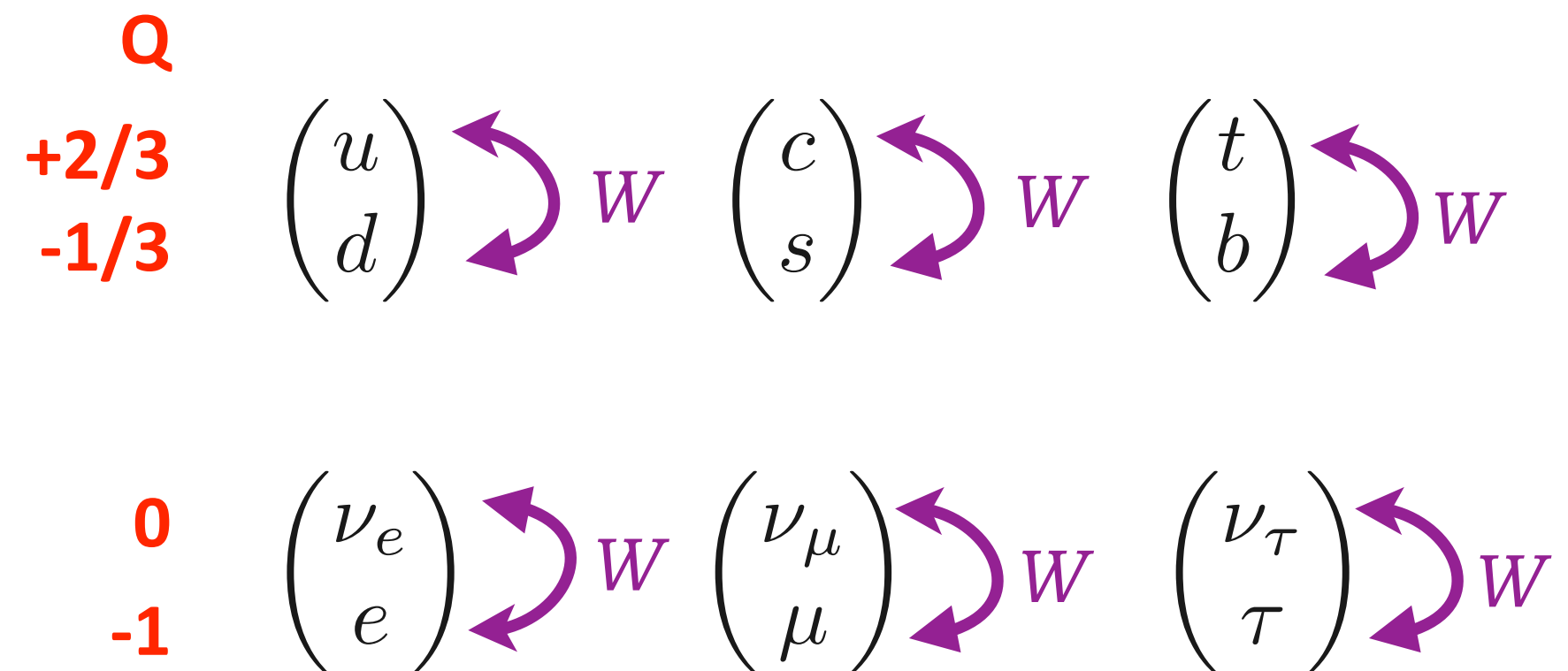
The complete (circa 2000) particle doublets:

<b>Q</b>			
<b>+2/3</b>	$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} c \\ s \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} t \\ b \end{pmatrix}$
<b>-1/3</b>			
<b>0</b>	$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ e \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_\mu \\ \mu \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_\tau \\ \tau \end{pmatrix}$
<b>-1</b>			

# the weak interactions

still operate with the increased doublet sets

The complete (circa 2000) particle doublets:



# the modern picture

of the elementary particle patterns




circa 2000

and still current

the lepton families...lepton “doublets”

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ e^- \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\mu \\ \mu^- \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\tau \\ \tau^- \end{pmatrix}$$

and their interactions: **✗** no, **✓** yes.

leptons	$\nu_e$	$e$	$\nu_\mu$	$\mu$	$\nu_\tau$	$\tau$
strong  $g$	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
electromagnetic  $\gamma$	✗	✓	✗	✓	✗	✓
weak  $W$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
gravitational	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

# the modern picture




of the elementary particle patterns

circa 2000

the quark families...quark “doublets”

$$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} c \\ s \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} t \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

and their interactions: **✗** no, **✓** yes.

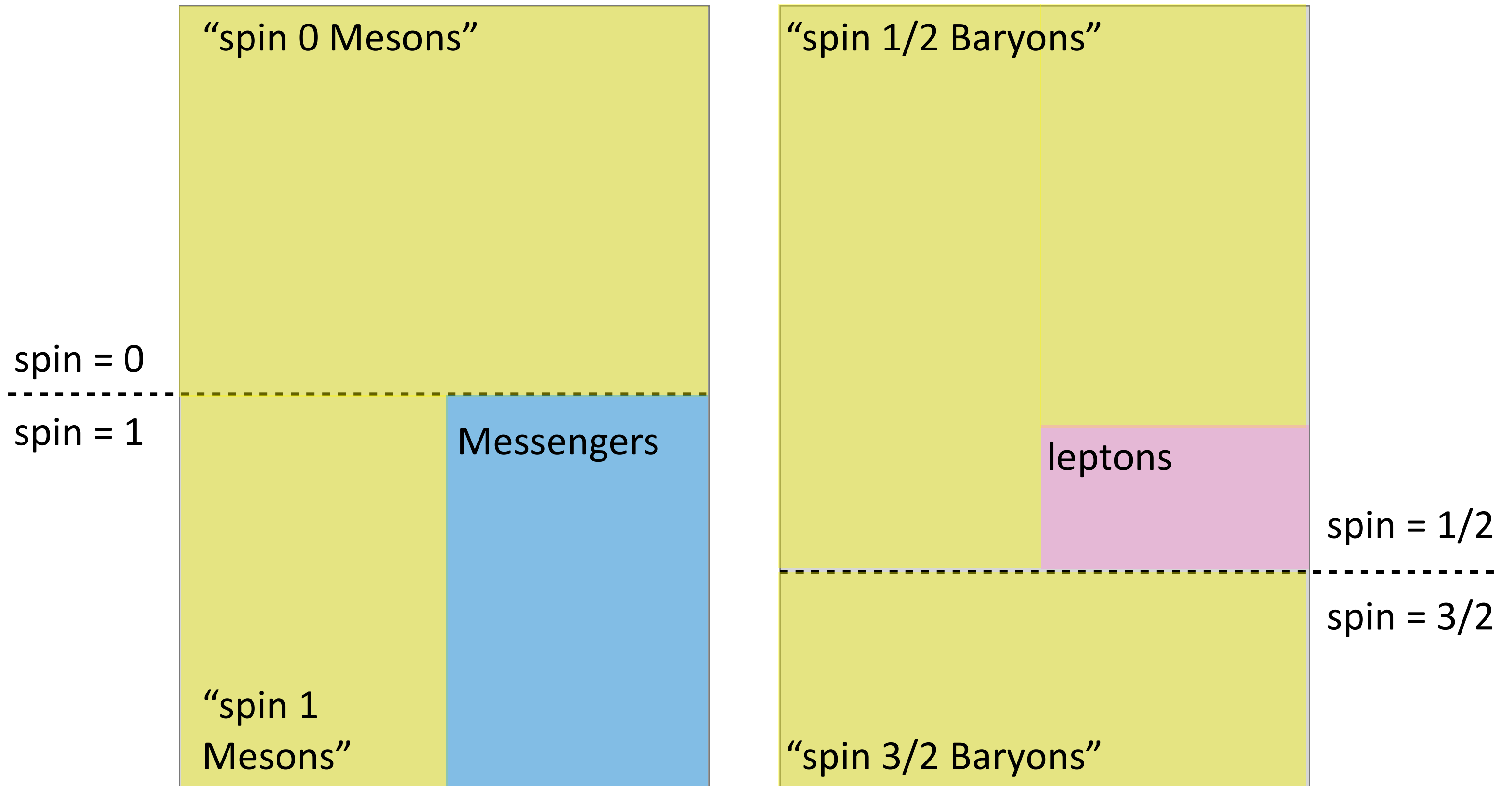
quarks	<i>u</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>c</i>	<i>s</i>	<i>t</i>	<i>b</i>
strong  <i>g</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
electromagnetic  $\gamma$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
weak  <i>W</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
gravitational	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓



# The Particle Zoo?

Bosons

Fermions



“hadrons”: strong interaction



“leptons”: no strong interaction

# The Particle Zoo? *tamed.*

Bosons

Fermions

That's it.

spin = 0

spin = 1

3  
Messengers

6 quarks

6 leptons

spin = 1/2

spin = 3/2



“quarks”: strong interaction



“leptons”: no strong interaction

# shifting gears

the weak and electromagnetic forces are one.



1820 1830 1840 1850 1860 1870 1880 1890 1900 1910 1920 1930 1940 1950 1960 1970 1980 1990 2000 2010

basics

tools of the trade

relativity

quantum mechanics

cosmology

4 forces of nature

quarks

standard model of particle physics

standard model of cosmology

beyond the standard models, BSMs

next

Tuesday

# “phase transitions”

not a subject of Particle Physics

we thought

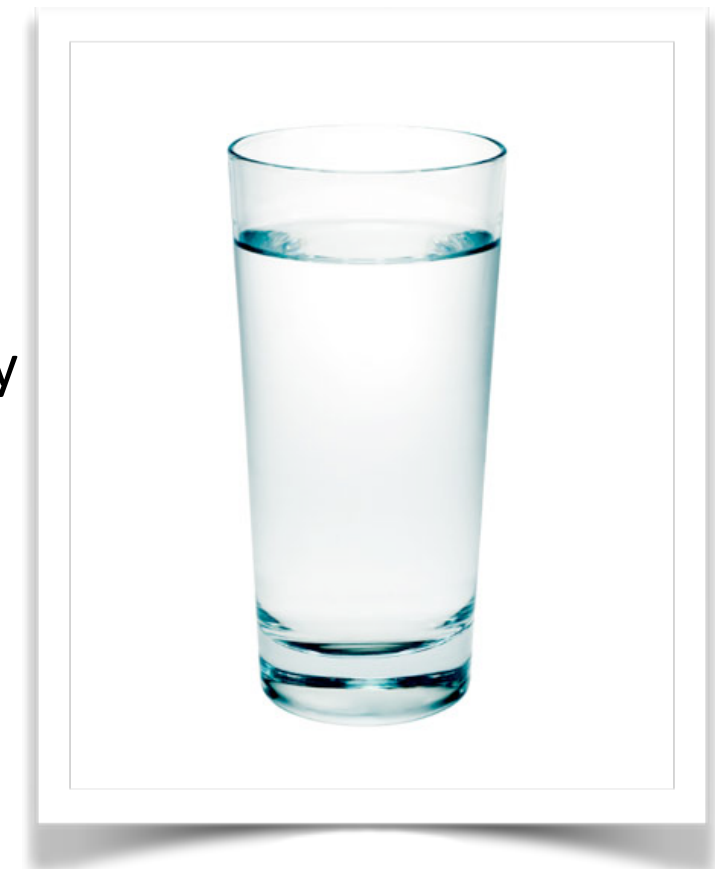
but we stole a theory from materials scientists

think about a phase transition



what a physicist sees  
**is a change of symmetry**

before: every  
direction is  
identical



when there has been a  
symmetry change, that's  
essentially the definition of  
a phase change:  
Pierre Curie

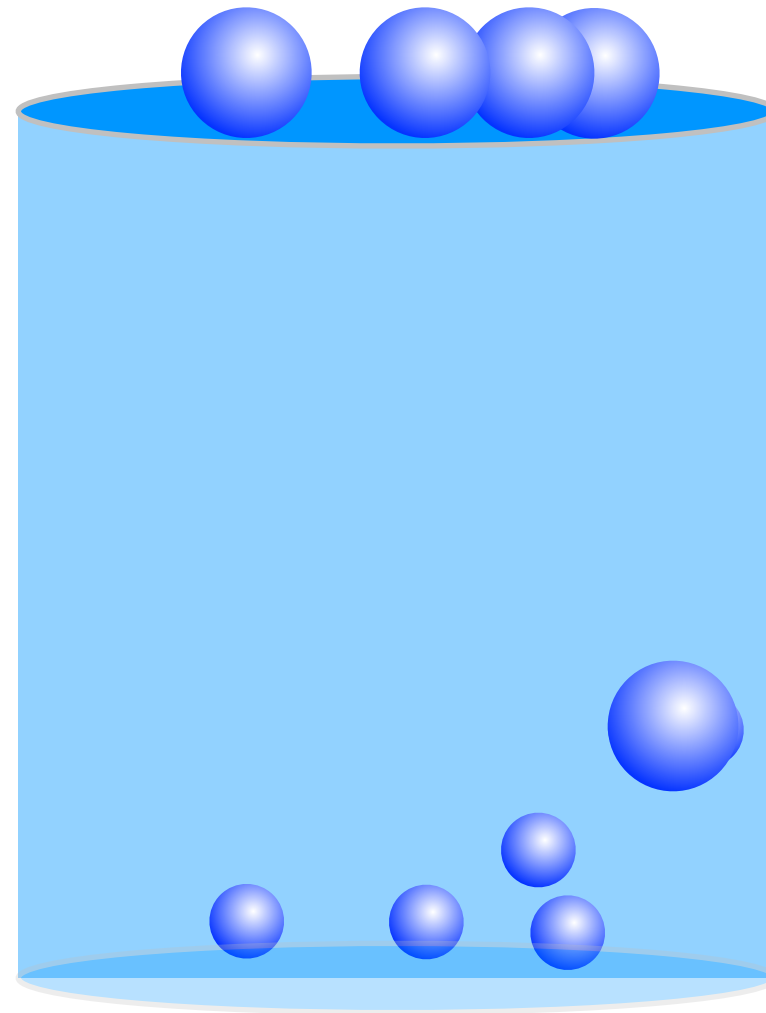


after: now  
there are  
special  
directions

there are  
basically  
2 kinds

1st Order -  
nucleation

2d Order -  
continuous



Boiling starts in various  
locations inside of liquid  
water

Other kinds of phase transitions happen uniformly  
throughout the substance.



you  
probably  
are mostly  
familiar  
with:  
freezing  
melting  
boiling

**These “2nd Order,” phase transitions are continuous-  
everywhere:**

crystallization  
changes of density  
magnetism  
superconductivity  
superfluidity  
plasma transition  
electron gases  
Bose gases