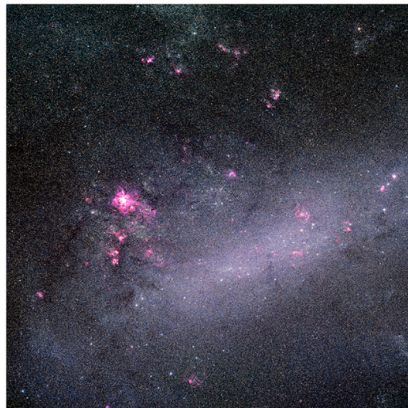
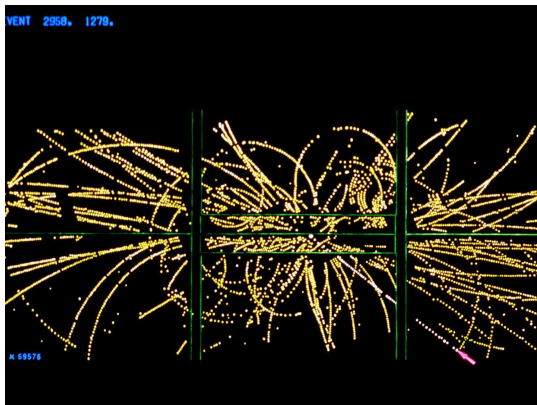


De Genève au Nuage de Magellan avec Michel S.

raconté par J. Rich, IRFU



UA1: $p\bar{p} \rightarrow W^{\pm} \rightarrow e^{\pm}\nu$



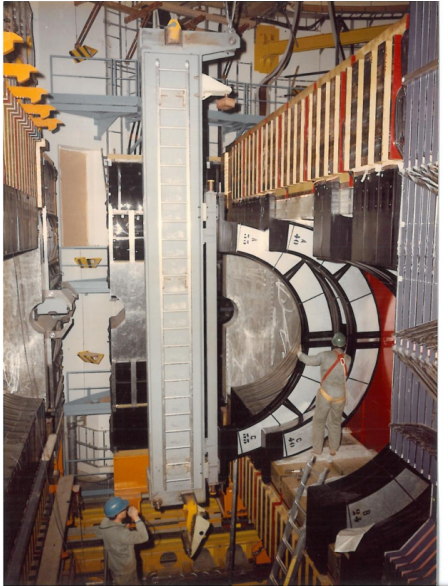
L'énergie des e^{\pm}
déterminée par les
"gondoles"
(calorimètre
électromagnétique
construit à Saclay)

Groupe UA1 et Labo W/Z SACLAY en 1983

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Les gondoles: sandwichs plomb-scintillateur

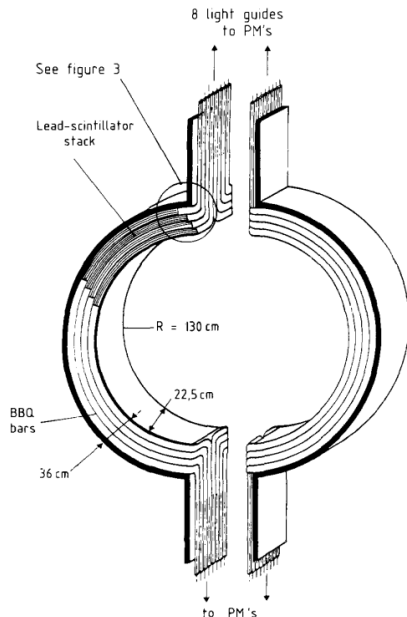


lumière de scintillation

- BBQ wavelength shifters
- lightguides
- photo-multiplicateur



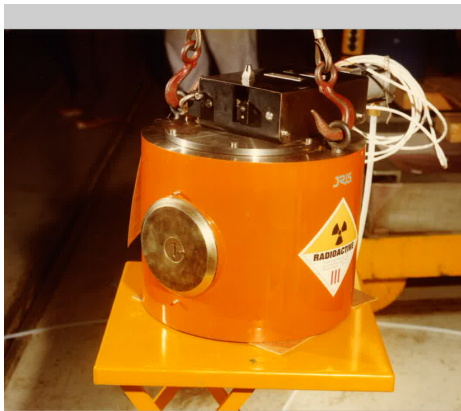
Le problème



Calibration?!

- Lumière au PM une fonction du point d'impact de e^\pm
- Pas de e^\pm d'énergie connue dans les événements $p\bar{p}$!
- impossible de passer toutes les gondoles dans un faisceau de test!

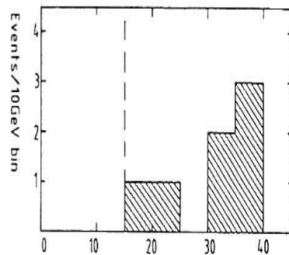
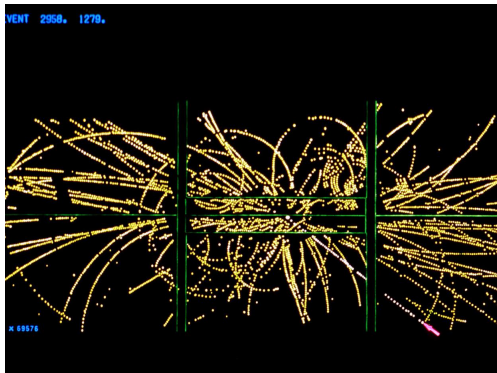
La solution de Spiro



Source de 7Ci de Cobalt

- Cartographie des gondoles in-situ avec source
- Mesure courant induit sur le PM
- Passer qq's gondoles dans un faisceau test pour déterminer $\text{lumière}(e^{\pm})/\text{lumière}(\text{Co})$

Les premiers e^\pm vus par UA1



$$E_{max} = M_W/2!$$

Contributions de Michel à UA1

- Imagination (source Cobalt)
- Esprit Critique

L'esprit critique, Leçon 1

EXPERIMENTAL OBSERVATION OF ISOLATED LARGE TRANSVERSE ENERGY ELECTRONS WITH ASSOCIATED MISSING ENERGY AT $\sqrt{s} = 540$ GeV

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L'esprit critique, Leçon 2

EXPERIMENTAL OBSERVATION OF EVENTS WITH LARGE MISSING TRANSVERSE ENERGY ACCOMPANIED BY A JET OR A PHOTON (S) IN $p\bar{p}$ COLLISIONS AT $\sqrt{s} = 540$ GeV

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No Spiro

Spiro Visionaire: 35 ans plus tard: toujours pas de supersymmetry!

Physique des particules hors accélérateurs

EXPERIMENTAL PARTICLE PHYSICS WITHOUT ACCELERATORS

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Michel: “il faut s’instuire”

Physics Reports:
Tout sauf les ondes gravitationnelles!

Physique hors accélérateurs à Saclay en 1986-89

- Durée de vie du proton (Frejus)
- Neutrinos Solaire (Gallex)
- Matière Noire (?)

Wimps standard: Ge crystals, B. Sadoulet à Berkeley

Non-standard: (Spiro et al)

Strongly interacting dark matter?

A SEARCH FOR STRONGLY INTERACTING DARK MATTER

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A silicon semiconductor detector near the top of the atmosphere is used to search for strongly interacting dark matter halo. The data exclude, as the dominant component of the halo, such particles with masses between ~ 2 GeV. Comparisons are made with a previously reported subterranean search for weakly interacting halo particles.

Détecteur silicium embarqué en satellite

Charged Dark Matter?

IS THERE ROOM FOR CHARGED DARK MATTER?

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It has recently been suggested that galactic dark matter halos could be made of very heavy charged particles (20–1000 TeV). We show that present observations and experimental limits are hardly compatible with such a scenario. The best chance, if any, would be in the upper mass range near or above 1000 TeV which can be unambiguously explored by specific experiments that we discuss.

Search for Superheavy Hydrogen in Sea Water

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We report the results of an experiment designed to search for superheavy isotopes of hydrogen. Based on the centrifugation of sea water, followed by atomic spectroscopy, it is sensitive to large masses from 10^4 up to 10^8 GeV/ c^2 . The relative abundance of such hypothetical atoms, compared to ordinary hydrogen, is found to be less than about 6×10^{-15} . This may be used to exclude charged dark matter particles between 10^4 and 10^7 GeV/ c^2 .

Aussi la solution du probleme des ν solaires?

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PHYSICAL REVIEW LETTERS

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Searching for the Cosmion by Scattering in Si Detectors

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A new particle, the cosmion, has been proposed to be the dark matter of the Universe and to explain the solar ν deficit by cooling the solar core to reduce ^8B ν production. Such cosmions in the galactic halo would scatter from nuclei in terrestrial detectors. Measurements were made in Si ionization detectors in a very-low-background environment down to energies of 1.1 keV. These results exclude nearly all of the mass range possible for cosmions with coherent nuclear interactions.

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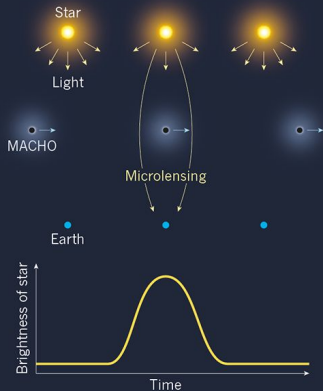
Halloween, 1989: Charles Alcock à Berkeley



Matière noire en forme d'étoiles
sombres peut être détectée par
gravitational (micro)-lensing.
(Idée de Paczynski, 1986)



Microlensing



Probabilité

$$\approx (v/c)^2 \approx 10^{-6}$$

(Plus simple que pour les WIMPS!)

Il faut monitorer $\approx 10^6$ étoiles

⇒ Les nuages de Magellan.

1990: Naissance d'EROS: Spiro at work!

Il fallait:

- Recruter des physiciens: Saclay, LAL, INSU
- Apprendre l'astronomie
- Politiquer à Saclay et à l'ESO
- Trouver un télescope: ESO Schmidt et GPO
- Construire Camera CCD (Pierre Bareyre)
- Traiter 10^6 étoiles \Rightarrow informatique

Eric Aubourg

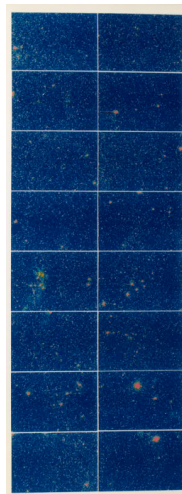
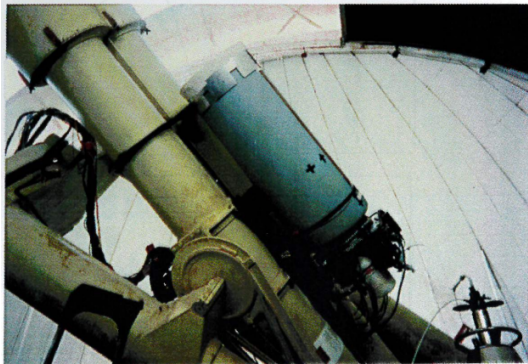
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The T40 et camera Eros-1

Le T40

télescope, caméra 16 CCD, cryostat et électronique

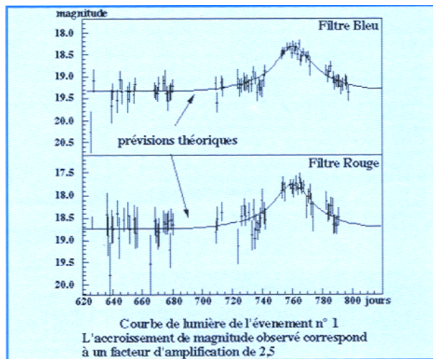


Un événement: 1993

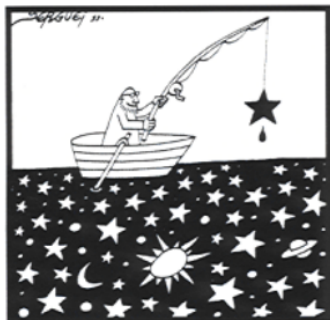
LETTERS TO NATURE

Evidence for gravitational microlensing by dark objects in the Galactic halo

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Le Monde et International Herald Tribune



The Dim Stars We Can't See May Be a Heart of Darkness

NEW YORK (NYT)—Two scientific teams reported they had independently observed what could be evidence that some of the invisible, or dark, matter making up much of the mass of the universe exists in the form of stillborn or extremely dim stars at the edges of galaxies.

Such objects, known as Massive Compact Halo Objects, or MACHOs, have been hypothesized for years as likely candidates for dark matter. The acronym was chosen to contrast with theories invoking exotic subatomic particles as yet undiscovered bearing the same WIMPs, for Weakly Interacting Massive Particles.

If the new findings of MACHOs on the fringes of the Milky Way galaxy are confirmed by further sightings, astrophysicists said, this would be the first observational breakthrough in astronomy's concerted search for the mysterious dark matter.

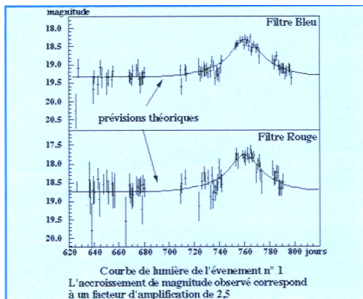
It would be the first identification of the unseen matter that causes galaxies to weigh 10 times as much as they appear to in visible light

or other detectable radiations. The existence of these greater masses has been inferred by their gravitational effects on the shape and motion of the galaxies, but its form has eluded detection.

The discoveries were announced in cautiously worded statements at two scientific conferences in Italy. American and Australian scientists said they hurried to report their results when they learned that a French team planned to make public the results of their own similar but independent observations.

The American-Australian team, led by Dr. Charles Alcock of Lawrence Livermore Laboratory in California, reported that in monitoring 3.3 million stars for a year, they had detected one remarkable event that could reveal the existence of dark matter in the form of MACHOs.

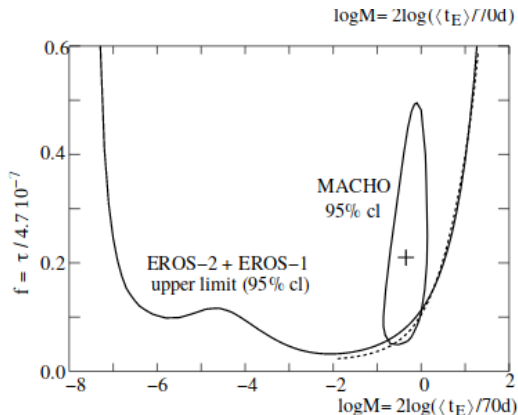
L'esprit critique, Leçon 3



Mais c'est une étoile B-e!
⇒ suspension temporaire de l'E.C

“To every thing there is a season...” (Ecclesiastes 3:1)

L'esprit critique, Leçon 4



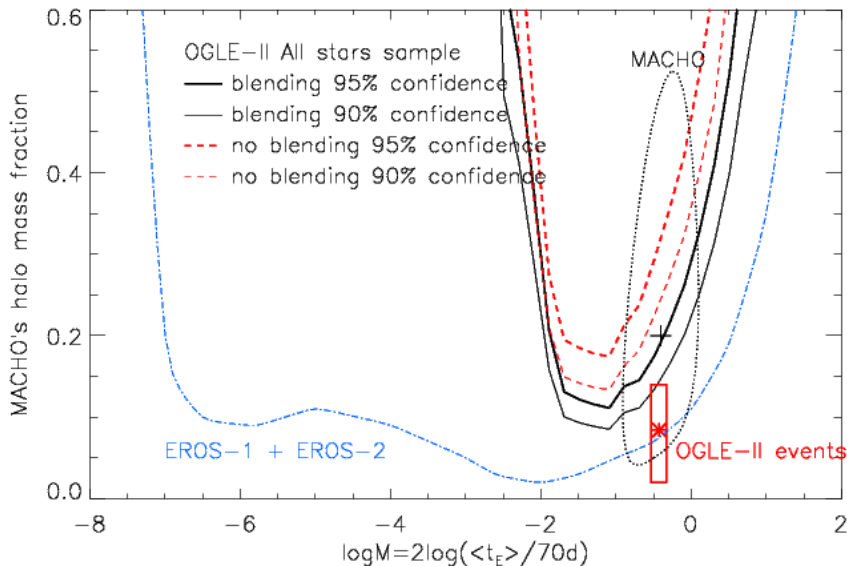
Tisserand et al. (2007):

“Limits on the Macho content of the Galactic Halo from the EROS-2 Survey of the Magellanic Clouds”

473 citations

Macho DM exclue pour $10^{-7} M_{\odot} < M_{macho} < 10 M_{\odot}$

OGLE confirms



Microlensing des Supernovae

Zumalacarregui & Seljak (2018): exclu $M \approx 30M_{\odot}$ (LIGO BHs)

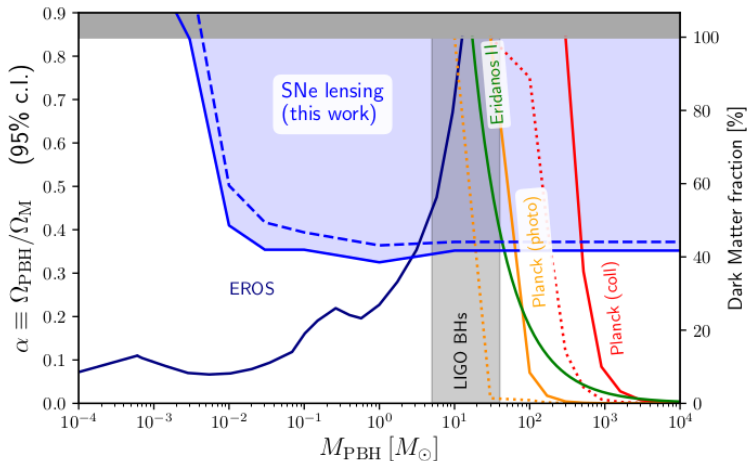
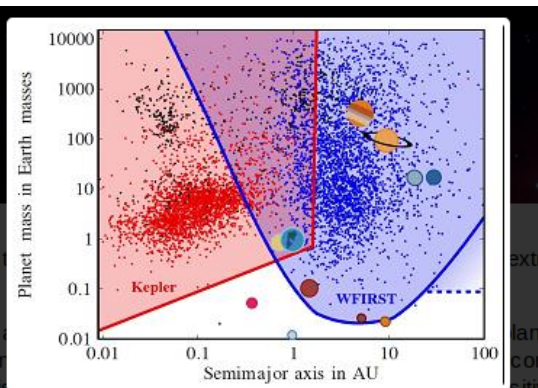


FIG. 3. Bounds on the abundance of PBHs as a function of the mass (95 % confidence level). The analysis of SNe lensing

Legacy of EROS

- Microlensing: pas de matière noire mais des planetes
Jean-Philippe Beaulieu (IAP)



The colored shaded regions show approximate regions of sensitivity for Kepler (red) and WFIRST (blue).

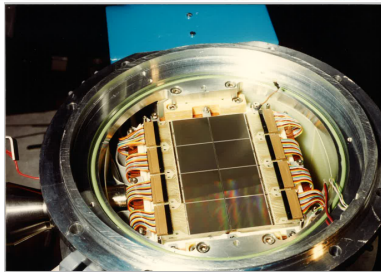
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et

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Mais surtout: Organiser et motiver une équipe