Archeology of our Universe the mystery of matter, space and time



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Our Visible Universe



Our Universe How did it evolve after BB? What is it made of?





Dimensions in Physics

Big Bang









LHC: ~ 10⁻¹² seconds (p-p)



Big Bang







LHC → a New Era in Fundamental Science





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LHC ring: 27 km circumference



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10¹¹ Protons per bunch ~ 3000 bunches collisions: 40·10⁶ per second

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LHC: Exploration of a New Energy Frontier



Physics exploitation for the next 20 years

The LHC will illuminate a new landscape of physics, possibly answering some of the most fundamental questions in modern physics, like for example:

What are the particle(s) that make up the mysterious 'dark matter' in our Universe?







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The Mission of CERN

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Research

Push forward the frontiers of knowledge

E.g. the secrets of the Big Bang within the first moments of the chi

Develop new technology accelerators and

uniting people

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Metabolism in Alzheimer's Disease: PET Sca





Information technology

Medicine - diagnosis and therap Research

Train scientists and engineers of tomorrow

Unite people from different countries and cultures







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In 2013 in Peru

Scientists at CERN

Academic Training Programme





Physics Students Summer Students Programme

Young Researchers

CERN School of High Energy Physics CERN School of Computing CERN Accelerator School



CERN School of Physics Cheile Gradistei, Romania, Sep 2011

CERN Teacher Schools International and National Programmes



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CERN Summer Students 2010





Fundamental science as carried out at CERN provides the foundations for future knowledge and innovation



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